

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Bristol East

2011 Census of Population (Office for National Statistics, General Register Office for Scotland, NI Statistics and Research Agency)

Table numbers refer to published Census output tables; Ranks are highest=1 to lowest=650 (for UK)

Table KS101: Usual resident population

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	95,368	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	46,905	49.2%	49.0%	49.1%	262
Females	48,463	50.8%	51.0%	50.9%	389
People living in households	93,887	98.4%	97.8%	98.2%	351
People living in communal establishments	1,481	1.6%	2.2%	1.8%	248
Students living away from home ¹	659	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	40.2	-	-	-	96

1. Schoolchild or full-time student aged 4 and over at their non term-time address.

Table KS102: Age structure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	95,368	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	18,251	19.1%	17.5%	18.8%	250
16 to 24	11,643	12.2%	11.3%	11.9%	166
25 to 44	29,122	30.5%	24.6%	27.3%	102
45 to 64	22,094	23.2%	26.9%	25.6%	521
65 and older	14,258	15.0%	19.6%	16.4%	462

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	41,082	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	13,583	33.1%	30.3%	30.6%	140
Aged 65 and older	5,007	12.2%	13.8%	12.5%	398
Aged under 65	8,576	20.9%	16.5%	18.1%	125
One family	24,166	58.8%	62.9%	61.7%	508
Lone parent with dependent children	3,405	8.3%	5.9%	7.2%	167
Other	3,333	8.1%	6.8%	7.7%	172

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	41,082	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	13,245	32.2%	34.4%	33.9%	426
With dependent children	1,968	4.8%	3.0%	4.2%	204
Without dependent children	11,277	27.4%	31.4%	29.7%	463

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	95,368	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	79,755	83.6%	95.4%	87.2%	509
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	74,942	78.6%	91.8%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	700	0.7%	0.5%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	61	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	4,052	4.2%	3.0%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	3,557	3.7%	1.4%	2.0%	90
White and Black Caribbean	2,004	2.1%	0.5%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	277	0.3%	0.2%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	649	0.7%	0.4%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	627	0.7%	0.3%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	5,775	6.1%	2.0%	6.9%	187
Indian	1,615	1.7%	0.6%	2.3%	
Pakistani	2,205	2.3%	0.2%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	698	0.7%	0.2%	0.7%	
Chinese	476	0.5%	0.4%	0.7%	
Other Asian	781	0.8%	0.5%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	5,461	5.7%	0.9%	3.0%	92
African	2,318	2.4%	0.5%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	1,801	1.9%	0.3%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	1,342	1.4%	0.2%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	820	0.9%	0.3%	0.9%	175
Arab	229	0.2%	0.1%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	591	0.6%	0.2%	0.6% ¹	

... Data not available

1. UK rate not available, rate for England and Wales is shown for illustrative purposes.

Differences in the terminology and data collection of the country specific Scotland question make these categories difficult to compare.

2. The 'African' category in the Scottish question is presented in a separate section to the 'Caribbean' or 'Black' category, however, under the harmonised output these two categories are output as part of Black/African/Caribbean/Black British'.

Table KS204: Country of birth

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	95,368	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	83,248	87.3%	92.3%	87.3%	477
England	80,431	84.3%	88.6%	71.9%	363
Scotland	761	0.8%	1.4%	8.2%	545
Wales	1,779	1.9%	2.0%	4.4%	73
Northern Ireland	262	0.3%	0.4%	2.9%	506
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	15	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	140
Ireland	529	0.6%	0.5%	0.7%	301
Other European Union	3,858	4.0%	2.9%	3.5%	165
Member states in March 2001	1,331	1.4%	1.4%	1.6%	221
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	2,527	2.6%	1.4%	1.9%	137
Other countries	7,733	8.1%	4.3%	8.4%	187

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	
All usual residents	95,368	...	5,288,935
All passports ³	78,361
No passport	17,763	18.6%	19.4%	16.9%	248
United Kingdom	70,474	73.9%	76.4%	75.2%	387
Republic of Ireland	517	0.5%	0.4%	1.4%	247
Other Europe: EU countries	3,934	4.1%	2.2%	3.4%	137
Other Europe: Non EU countries	203	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	181
Africa	966	1.0%	0.4%	0.9%	145
Middle East and Asia	1,462	1.5%	0.9%	2.0%	212
North America and the Caribbean	482	0.5%	0.4%	0.6%	171
Central America	23	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	86
South America	92	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	141
Antarctica and Oceania	207	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	252

1. England, Wales and Northern Ireland only. Scottish census does not collect data on passports.

2. Of 591 constituencies in England, Wales & Northern Ireland

3. Total number of passports held by people living in the constituency. One person may hold more than one passport.

Table KS206: Household language¹

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	
All households	41,082	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
All people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	37,649	91.6%	95.9%	91.2%	423
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	1,374	3.3%	1.8%	3.7%	176
No people aged 16 and over in household but at least one person aged 3 to 15 has English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	378	0.9%	0.3%	0.8%	126
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	1,681	4.1%	2.0%	4.3%	167

... No data available

1. For England, Wales and Northern Ireland only. Scottish census does not provide comparative data.

2. Of 591 constituencies in England, Wales and Northern Ireland.

Table KS209: Religion

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ¹
	Count	%	South West	England and Wales	
All usual residents	95,368	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	48,843	51.2%	60.4%	59.3%	488
Buddhist	412	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	167
Hindu	506	0.5%	0.3%	1.5%	264
Jewish	63	0.1%	0.1%	0.5%	364
Muslim	5,106	5.4%	1.0%	4.8%	137
Sikh	800	0.8%	0.1%	0.8%	101
Other religion	585	0.6%	0.6%	0.4%	54
No religion	31,505	33.0%	29.3%	25.1%	48
Religion not stated	7,548	7.9%	7.9%	7.2%	87

1. Due to differences in the respective census questions, results for England and Wales, Scotland, and Northern Ireland are not directly comparable. Consequently, constituencies are ranked within their respective census areas.

Table KS301: Health

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	95,368	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	42,758	44.8%	46.9%	47.6%	472
Good health	33,967	35.6%	34.6%	33.6%	89
Fair health	13,083	13.7%	13.4%	13.2%	276
Bad health	4,293	4.5%	4.0%	4.3%	271
Very bad health	1,267	1.3%	1.1%	1.3%	261

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	41,082	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	25,688	62.5%	67.4%	63.5%	439
Owned outright	11,306	27.5%	35.4%	30.6%	461
Owned with a mortgage or loan	14,382	35.0%	32.0%	32.9%	259
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	279	0.7%	0.8%	0.7%	265
Social rented¹	6,579	16.0%	13.3%	18.2%	321
Rented from council (Local Authority)	4,562	11.1%	5.8%		232
Other social rented	2,017	4.9%	7.5%	8.3%	466
Private rented	8,028	19.5%	17.1%	16.3%	136
Private landlord or letting agency	7,447	18.1%	15.2%	14.8%	130
Other private rented	581	1.4%	1.9%	1.4%	253
Living rent free	508	1.2%	1.4%	1.4%	358

1. Public social housing in Northern Ireland is owned and administered by the regional Northern Ireland Housing Executive, rather than local authorities.

Table KS404: Cars or vans

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All households	41,082	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	9,926	24.2%	18.9%	26.0%	289
1 car or van in household	19,277	46.9%	43.5%	42.2%	10
2 cars or vans in household	9,402	22.9%	28.3%	24.5%	417
3 cars or vans in household	1,819	4.4%	6.7%	5.4%	432
4 or more cars or vans in household	658	1.6%	2.6%	1.9%	372

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	77,117	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	18,361	23.8%	20.7%	23.2%	299
Level 1 qualifications	11,460	14.9%	13.6%	14.1%	194
Level 2 qualifications	11,988	15.5%	16.4%	15.2%	384
Apprenticeship ¹	3,322	4.3%	4.3%	...	181
Level 3 qualifications	10,099	13.1%	13.2%	12.1%	99
Level 4 qualifications and above	17,798	23.1%	27.4%	27.0%	395
Other qualifications ¹	4,089	5.3%	4.5%

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1. Categories not used in the Scottish census.

Table KS601: Economic activity

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	70,061	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	51,054	72.9%	70.3%	69.5%	122
Employee: Part-time	10,570	15.1%	15.1%	13.7%	133
Employee: Full-time	29,004	41.4%	37.4%	38.5%	153
Self-employed	5,750	8.2%	11.2%	9.5%	411
Unemployed	2,978	4.3%	3.3%	4.4%	315
Full-time student	2,752	3.9%	3.2%	3.5%	137
Economically inactive	19,007	27.1%	29.7%	30.5%	529
Retired	8,088	11.5%	15.8%	13.9%	507
Student (including full-time students)	3,345	4.8%	4.9%	5.8%	250
Looking after home or family	2,789	4.0%	3.7%	4.3%	343
Long-term sick or disabled	3,260	4.7%	3.6%	4.3%	245
Other	1,525	2.2%	1.7%	2.2%	220
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In employment	45,324	64.7%	63.8%	61.6%	209
Unemployed	2,978	4.3%	3.3%	4.4%	315
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	801	1.1%	0.9%	1.2%	357
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	498	0.7%	0.7%	0.8%	475
Unemployed: Never worked	430	0.6%	0.4%	0.7%	302
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	1,122	1.6%	1.2%	1.7%	341

Table KS605: Industry

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	47,466	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	44	0.1%	1.6%	1.0%	547
Mining and quarrying	26	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	528
Manufacturing	3,471	7.3%	9.1%	8.9%	424
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	189	0.4%	0.6%	0.6%	412
Water supply ¹	381	0.8%	0.8%	0.7%	234
Construction	4,000	8.4%	8.0%	7.7%	236
Wholesale and retail trade ²	8,049	17.0%	16.2%	15.9%	213
Transport and storage	2,486	5.2%	4.0%	4.9%	222
Accommodation and food service activities	2,459	5.2%	6.3%	5.6%	303
Information and communication	1,836	3.9%	3.3%	3.8%	203
Financial and insurance activities	2,978	6.3%	3.7%	4.3%	96
Real estate activities	565	1.2%	1.4%	1.4%	451
Professional, scientific and technical activities	2,753	5.8%	5.9%	6.4%	280
Administrative and support service activities	2,479	5.2%	4.4%	4.8%	165
Public administration and defence ³	2,949	6.2%	7.1%	6.1%	265
Education	4,148	8.7%	9.7%	9.8%	455
Human health and social work activities	6,689	14.1%	12.9%	12.8%	197
Other	1,964	4.1%	4.8%	5.0%	551

1. The full name for this category in the Standard Industrial Classification is "Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities".

2. The full name for this category in the Standard Industrial Classification is "Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motor cycles".

3. The full name for this category in the Standard Industrial Classification is "Public administration and defence; compulsory social security"

Table KS608: Occupation

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	47,466	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	3,878	8.2%	11.1%	10.5%	510
Professional occupations	7,173	15.1%	16.5%	17.3%	373
Associate professional and technical occupations	5,791	12.2%	12.1%	12.6%	281
Administrative and secretarial occupations	6,233	13.1%	11.0%	11.5%	92
Skilled trades occupations	5,863	12.4%	13.4%	11.6%	276
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	4,689	9.9%	9.8%	9.4%	258
Sales and customer service occupations	4,613	9.7%	8.4%	8.6%	170
Process, plant and machine operatives	3,563	7.5%	6.7%	7.3%	309
Elementary occupations	5,663	11.9%	11.0%	11.2%	246

Table KS611: Socio-economic classification (NS-SeC)

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	70,061	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	5,734	8.2%	10.2%	10.0%	382
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,097	1.6%	2.4%	2.3%	498
Higher professional occupations	4,637	6.6%	7.8%	7.8%	352
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	13,614	19.4%	21.6%	20.7%	399
Intermediate	10,076	14.4%	12.8%	12.8%	147
Small employers and own account workers	5,886	8.4%	11.3%	9.2%	390
Lower supervisory and technical	5,150	7.4%	7.3%	7.1%	309
Semi-routine occupations	11,438	16.3%	14.8%	14.2%	202
Routine	8,634	12.3%	10.6%	11.3%	259
Never worked and long-term unemployed	3,592	5.1%	3.4%	5.6%	278
Never worked	2,470	3.5%	2.2%	3.8%	256
Long-term unemployed	1,122	1.6%	1.2%	1.7%	341
Not classified	5,937	8.5%	7.9%	9.0%	200
Full-time students	5,937	8.5%	7.9%	9.0%	200

1. The full name for this category in NS-SeC is " Large employers and higher managerial and administrative occupations".

Table QS701: Means of travel to work

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	South West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment	47,466	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	1,574	3.3%	7.0%	5.9%	532
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	460	1.0%	1.6%	8.5%	565
Bus or coach	5,167	10.9%	4.7%	7.5%	148
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	32,006	67.4%	68.9%	64.0%	389
Bicycle	2,806	5.9%	3.5%	2.7%	44
On Foot	5,225	11.0%	13.6%	10.6%	235
Other	228	0.5%	0.7%	0.7%	552

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		South West	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	460 ¹		92%	88%	478
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	1,312	2.6%	1.6%	2.7%	288
Change over 1 year		-35.5%	-36.3%	-30.0%	461
Change over 4 years		-38.4%	-48.1%	-41.0%	196

1. Earnings data are estimated from a survey with a "confidence" range and rounded to the nearest £10; % are calculated from rounded figures.

2. Unemployment rates are calculated as claimants as a percentage of the estimated economically active population aged 16-64.

Source: ONS *Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings*; NI *Annual Survey of Hours and Earnings and Hours*. Residence-based data

Further background and data for parliamentary constituencies, see House of Commons Library Research Papers:

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Unemployment by Constituency (monthly)

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