

# Constituency Explorer Area Profile

## Welwyn Hatfield

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	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>105,354</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Males	51,797	49.2%	49.2%	49.1%	273
Females	53,557	50.8%	50.8%	50.9%	378
People living in households	101,650	96.5%	98.3%	98.2%	526
People living in communal establishments	3,704	3.5%	1.7%	1.8%	56
Students living away from home <sup>1</sup>	1,470	-	-	-	-
<b>Population density (people per hectare)</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>324</b>

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	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>105,354</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
0 to 15	19,270	18.3%	19.0%	18.8%	354
16 to 24	17,938	17.0%	10.8%	11.9%	48
25 to 44	28,266	26.8%	26.4%	27.3%	276
45 to 64	24,192	23.0%	26.2%	25.6%	526
65 and older	15,688	14.9%	17.5%	16.4%	465

**Table KS105: Household composition**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>41,520</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>One person</b>	<b>12,054</b>	<b>29.0%</b>	<b>28.5%</b>	<b>30.6%</b>	<b>384</b>
Aged 65 and older	5,143	12.4%	12.7%	12.5%	373
Aged under 65	6,911	16.6%	15.8%	18.1%	339
<b>One family</b>	<b>25,377</b>	<b>61.1%</b>	<b>65.0%</b>	<b>61.7%</b>	<b>444</b>
Lone parent with dependent children	2,770	6.7%	6.2%	7.2%	353
<b>Other</b>	<b>4,089</b>	<b>9.8%</b>	<b>6.5%</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>119</b>

**Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>41,520</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>No adults in employment in household</b>	<b>12,895</b>	<b>31.1%</b>	<b>32.1%</b>	<b>33.9%</b>	<b>474</b>
With dependent children	1,456	3.5%	3.4%	4.2%	370
Without dependent children	11,439	27.6%	28.7%	29.7%	462

**Table KS201: Ethnic group**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>105,354</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>White</b>	<b>88,147</b>	<b>83.7%</b>	<b>90.8%</b>	<b>87.2%</b>	<b>508</b>
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	80,164	76.1%	85.3%	80.5% <sup>1</sup>	
Irish	1,634	1.6%	1.0%	0.9% <sup>1</sup>	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	151	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	6,198	5.9%	4.5%	4.4% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Mixed/multiple ethnic groups</b>	<b>2,718</b>	<b>2.6%</b>	<b>1.9%</b>	<b>2.0%</b>	<b>147</b>
White and Black Caribbean	843	0.8%	0.6%	0.8% <sup>1</sup>	
White and Black African	419	0.4%	0.3%	0.3% <sup>1</sup>	
White and Asian	786	0.7%	0.6%	0.6% <sup>1</sup>	
Other Mixed	670	0.6%	0.5%	0.5% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Asian/Asian British</b>	<b>8,503</b>	<b>8.1%</b>	<b>4.8%</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>151</b>
Indian	3,423	3.2%	1.5%	2.3%	
Pakistani	730	0.7%	1.1%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	450	0.4%	0.6%	0.7%	
Chinese	1,893	1.8%	0.6%	0.7%	
Other Asian	2,007	1.9%	1.0%	1.4%	
<b>Black/African/Caribbean/Black British<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>4,918</b>	<b>4.7%</b>	<b>2.0%</b>	<b>3.0%</b>	<b>109</b>
African	3,896	3.7%	1.2%	1.8% <sup>1</sup>	
Caribbean	695	0.7%	0.6%	1.1% <sup>1</sup>	
Other Black	327	0.3%	0.2%	0.5% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Other ethnic group</b>	<b>1,068</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>147</b>
Arab	559	0.5%	0.2%	0.4% <sup>1</sup>	
Any other ethnic group	509	0.5%	0.3%	0.6% <sup>1</sup>	

... 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	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>105,354</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>United Kingdom</b>	<b>86,871</b>	<b>82.5%</b>	<b>89.0%</b>	<b>87.3%</b>	<b>530</b>
England	83,934	79.7%	86.6%	71.9%	416
Scotland	1,552	1.5%	1.3%	8.2%	243
Wales	960	0.9%	0.7%	4.4%	246
Northern Ireland	418	0.4%	0.4%	2.9%	283
United Kingdom (not specified) <sup>1</sup>	7	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	344
<b>Ireland</b>	<b>1,259</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>93</b>
<b>Other European Union</b>	<b>4,845</b>	<b>4.6%</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>134</b>
Member states in March 2001	1,559	1.5%	1.6%	1.6%	200
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	3,286	3.1%	2.1%	1.9%	95
<b>Other countries</b>	<b>12,379</b>	<b>11.7%</b>	<b>6.6%</b>	<b>8.4%</b>	<b>124</b>

**Table KS205: Passports held**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank <sup>2</sup>
	Count	%	East of England	England and Wales	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>105,354</b>	...	<b>5,846,965</b>	...	...
<b>All passports <sup>3</sup></b>	<b>93,972</b>	...	...	...	...
<b>No passport</b>	<b>13,036</b>	<b>12.4%</b>	<b>16.7%</b>	<b>16.9%</b>	<b>464</b>
United Kingdom	79,799	75.7%	76.6%	75.2%	315
Republic of Ireland	1,303	1.2%	0.7%	1.4%	100
Other Europe: EU countries	4,613	4.4%	3.3%	3.4%	126
Other Europe: Non EU countries	327	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	110
Africa	2,624	2.5%	0.8%	0.9%	39
Middle East and Asia	4,225	4.0%	1.4%	2.0%	67
North America and the Caribbean	550	0.5%	0.8%	0.6%	165
Central America	11	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	216
South America	131	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	106
Antarctica and Oceania	387	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	129

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 language<sup>1</sup>**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank <sup>2</sup>
	Count	%	East of England	England and Wales	
<b>All households</b>	<b>41,520</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
All people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	37,411	90.1%	93.6%	91.2%	457
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	1,927	4.6%	2.9%	3.7%	130
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)	321	0.8%	0.5%	0.8%	149
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	1,861	4.5%	3.0%	4.3%	149

... 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 <sup>1</sup>
	Count	%	East of England	England and Wales	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>105,354</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Christian	59,988	56.9%	59.7%	59.3%	392
Buddhist	884	0.8%	0.4%	0.4%	55
Hindu	2,714	2.6%	0.9%	1.5%	69
Jewish	790	0.7%	0.6%	0.5%	44
Muslim	2,716	2.6%	2.5%	4.8%	204
Sikh	360	0.3%	0.3%	0.8%	176
Other religion	501	0.5%	0.4%	0.4%	150
No religion	29,939	28.4%	27.9%	25.1%	159
Religion not stated	7,462	7.1%	7.3%	7.2%	285

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	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>105,354</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Very good health	53,549	50.8%	47.2%	47.6%	129
Good health	35,750	33.9%	35.2%	33.6%	341
Fair health	11,863	11.3%	12.9%	13.2%	542
Bad health	3,300	3.1%	3.6%	4.3%	557
Very bad health	892	0.8%	1.0%	1.3%	581

**Table KS402: Tenure**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>41,520</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Owned</b>	<b>23,176</b>	<b>55.8%</b>	<b>67.6%</b>	<b>63.5%</b>	<b>533</b>
Owned outright	10,493	25.3%	32.9%	30.6%	513
Owned with a mortgage or loan	12,683	30.5%	34.7%	32.9%	465
<b>Shared ownership (part owned &amp; rented)</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>130</b>
<b>Social rented<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>11,659</b>	<b>28.1%</b>	<b>15.7%</b>	<b>18.2%</b>	<b>70</b>
Rented from council (Local Authority)	8,651	20.8%	7.8%		50
Other social rented	3,008	7.2%	7.9%	8.3%	319
<b>Private rented</b>	<b>5,747</b>	<b>13.8%</b>	<b>14.7%</b>	<b>16.3%</b>	<b>339</b>
Private landlord or letting agency	5,380	13.0%	13.3%	14.8%	306
Other private rented	367	0.9%	1.4%	1.4%	601
<b>Living rent free</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>1.3%</b>	<b>1.3%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>311</b>

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	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>41,520</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
No cars or vans in household	8,683	20.9%	18.5%	26.0%	381
1 car or van in household	17,400	41.9%	42.9%	42.2%	417
2 cars or vans in household	11,557	27.8%	29.1%	24.5%	251
3 cars or vans in household	2,824	6.8%	6.9%	5.4%	201
4 or more cars or vans in household	1,056	2.5%	2.6%	1.9%	190

**Table KS501: Highest level of qualification**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 and older</b>	<b>86,084</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
No qualifications	14,819	17.2%	22.5%	23.2%	561
Level 1 qualifications	11,219	13.0%	14.6%	14.1%	436
Level 2 qualifications	12,783	14.8%	16.2%	15.2%	450
Apprenticeship <sup>1</sup>	2,732	3.2%	3.7%	...	435
Level 3 qualifications	13,701	15.9%	11.8%	12.1%	41
Level 4 qualifications and above	25,741	29.9%	25.7%	27.0%	188
Other qualifications <sup>1</sup>	5,089	5.9%	5.4%	...	...

... Not available

1. Categories not used in the Scottish census.

**Table KS601: Economic activity**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74</b>	<b>77,837</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Economically active</b>	<b>54,546</b>	<b>70.1%</b>	<b>71.6%</b>	<b>69.5%</b>	<b>293</b>
Employee: Part-time	9,429	12.1%	14.3%	13.7%	561
Employee: Full-time	30,096	38.7%	40.0%	38.5%	320
Self-employed	7,001	9.0%	10.5%	9.5%	342
Unemployed	2,599	3.3%	3.8%	4.4%	472
Full-time student	5,421	7.0%	3.0%	3.5%	30
<b>Economically inactive</b>	<b>23,291</b>	<b>29.9%</b>	<b>28.4%</b>	<b>30.5%</b>	<b>358</b>
Retired	8,216	10.6%	14.4%	13.9%	550
Student (including full-time students)	8,754	11.2%	4.6%	5.8%	50
Looking after home or family	3,094	4.0%	4.5%	4.3%	345
Long-term sick or disabled	2,056	2.6%	3.1%	4.3%	540
Other	1,171	1.5%	1.8%	2.2%	519
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<b>In employment</b>	<b>46,526</b>	<b>59.8%</b>	<b>64.8%</b>	<b>61.6%</b>	<b>438</b>
<b>Unemployed</b>	<b>2,599</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	<b>4.4%</b>	<b>472</b>
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	695	0.9%	1.1%	1.2%	493
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	528	0.7%	0.8%	0.8%	529
Unemployed: Never worked	274	0.4%	0.5%	0.7%	500
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	1,066	1.4%	1.5%	1.7%	425

**Table KS605: Industry**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census</b>	<b>50,595</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	125	0.2%	1.1%	1.0%	387
Mining and quarrying	41	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	423
Manufacturing	3,434	6.8%	8.7%	8.9%	458
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	131	0.3%	0.4%	0.6%	574
Water supply <sup>1</sup>	450	0.9%	0.7%	0.7%	150
Construction	3,586	7.1%	8.6%	7.7%	469
Wholesale and retail trade <sup>2</sup>	10,568	20.9%	16.4%	15.9%	2
Transport and storage	2,356	4.7%	5.3%	4.9%	324
Accommodation and food service activities	2,370	4.7%	4.7%	5.6%	436
Information and communication	2,714	5.4%	3.9%	3.8%	103
Financial and insurance activities	2,041	4.0%	5.0%	4.3%	259
Real estate activities	660	1.3%	1.4%	1.4%	363
Professional, scientific and technical activities	3,773	7.5%	6.8%	6.4%	136
Administrative and support service activities	2,724	5.4%	4.8%	4.8%	136
Public administration and defence <sup>3</sup>	2,433	4.8%	5.6%	6.1%	493
Education	4,924	9.7%	9.9%	9.8%	286
Human health and social work activities	5,699	11.3%	11.5%	12.8%	494
Other	2,566	5.1%	5.0%	5.0%	203

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	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census</b>	<b>50,595</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Managers, directors and senior officials	5,530	10.9%	11.4%	10.5%	248
Professional occupations	9,468	18.7%	16.7%	17.3%	194
Associate professional and technical occupations	6,817	13.5%	12.9%	12.6%	174
Administrative and secretarial occupations	5,941	11.7%	12.0%	11.5%	255
Skilled trades occupations	4,990	9.9%	12.0%	11.6%	506
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	4,446	8.8%	9.3%	9.4%	466
Sales and customer service occupations	5,210	10.3%	7.9%	8.6%	104
Process, plant and machine operatives	2,752	5.4%	7.3%	7.3%	506
Elementary occupations	5,441	10.8%	10.6%	11.2%	377



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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74</b>	<b>77,837</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	9,123	11.7%	10.9%	10.0%	179
Higher managerial and administrative <sup>1</sup>	1,926	2.5%	2.6%	2.3%	237
Higher professional occupations	7,197	9.2%	8.3%	7.8%	169
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	16,015	20.6%	21.7%	20.7%	327
Intermediate	9,803	12.6%	13.9%	12.8%	356
Small employers and own account workers	6,261	8.0%	10.3%	9.2%	424
Lower supervisory and technical	4,490	5.8%	7.0%	7.1%	529
Semi-routine occupations	9,017	11.6%	14.1%	14.2%	531
Routine	6,533	8.4%	10.5%	11.3%	507
Never worked and long-term unemployed	2,607	3.3%	4.1%	5.6%	488
Never worked	1,541	2.0%	2.6%	3.8%	515
Long-term unemployed	1,066	1.4%	1.5%	1.7%	425
Not classified	13,988	18.0%	7.4%	9.0%	43
Full-time students	13,988	18.0%	7.4%	9.0%	43

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	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment</b>	<b>50,595</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Work mainly at or from home	2,696	5.3%	5.7%	5.9%	323
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	5,626	11.1%	8.4%	8.5%	115
Bus or coach	2,227	4.4%	3.7%	7.5%	397
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	32,579	64.4%	68.0%	64.0%	460
Bicycle	1,384	2.7%	3.5%	2.7%	206
On Foot	5,851	11.6%	10.1%	10.6%	206
Other	232	0.5%	0.6%	0.7%	580

**Table: Earnings and unemployment**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		East of England	United Kingdom	
<b>Average earnings of full-time employees</b>	<b>590</b> <sup>1</sup>		<b>109%</b>	<b>113%</b>	96
	Number	% <sup>2</sup>			
<b>Unemployed (out of work benefits)</b>					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	<b>872</b>	<b>1.6%</b>	<b>1.8%</b>	<b>2.7%</b>	449
Change over 1 year		-33.4%	-36.8%	-30.0%	381
Change over 4 years		-45.6%	-49.4%	-41.0%	369

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:

14/10 Census 2011 Constituency Results:UK

*Unemployment by Constituency* (monthly)

10/36 *General Election 2010*

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