

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Stockport

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	85,027	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	42,006	49.4%	49.1%	49.1%	176
Females	43,021	50.6%	50.9%	50.9%	475
People living in households	84,078	98.9%	98.2%	98.2%	252
People living in communal establishments	949	1.1%	1.8%	1.8%	361
Students living away from home ¹	833	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	38.9	-	-	-	103

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	85,027	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	17,002	20.0%	18.6%	18.8%	148
16 to 24	9,224	10.8%	12.1%	11.9%	330
25 to 44	25,445	29.9%	26.4%	27.3%	112
45 to 64	21,582	25.4%	26.0%	25.6%	420
65 and older	11,774	13.8%	16.6%	16.4%	513

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	37,804	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	13,664	36.1%	32.2%	30.6%	57
Aged 65 and older	4,454	11.8%	12.8%	12.5%	436
Aged under 65	9,210	24.4%	19.4%	18.1%	60
One family	22,039	58.3%	61.2%	61.7%	517
Lone parent with dependent children	3,527	9.3%	8.1%	7.2%	86
Other	2,101	5.6%	6.6%	7.7%	374

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	37,804	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	12,533	33.2%	36.4%	33.9%	379
With dependent children	1,912	5.1%	4.7%	4.2%	178
Without dependent children	10,621	28.1%	31.7%	29.7%	437

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	85,027	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	77,147	90.7%	90.2%	87.2%	419
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	73,835	86.8%	87.1%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	1,572	1.8%	0.9%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	31	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	1,709	2.0%	2.1%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	1,866	2.2%	1.6%	2.0%	182
White and Black Caribbean	680	0.8%	0.6%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	326	0.4%	0.3%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	484	0.6%	0.4%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	376	0.4%	0.3%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	4,776	5.6%	6.2%	6.9%	199
Indian	768	0.9%	1.5%	2.3%	
Pakistani	2,436	2.9%	2.7%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	263	0.3%	0.7%	0.7%	
Chinese	585	0.7%	0.7%	0.7%	
Other Asian	724	0.9%	0.7%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	796	0.9%	1.4%	3.0%	277
African	438	0.5%	0.8%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	274	0.3%	0.3%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	84	0.1%	0.2%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	442	0.5%	0.6%	0.9%	238
Arab	211	0.2%	0.3%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	231	0.3%	0.3%	0.6% ¹	

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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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	85,027	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	78,294	92.1%	91.8%	87.3%	342
England	75,975	89.4%	89.0%	71.9%	237
Scotland	1,107	1.3%	1.4%	8.2%	319
Wales	730	0.9%	0.9%	4.4%	271
Northern Ireland	480	0.6%	0.5%	2.9%	102
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	2	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	523
Ireland	1,052	1.2%	0.7%	0.7%	91
Other European Union	1,431	1.7%	2.0%	3.5%	467
Member states in March 2001	696	0.8%	0.8%	1.6%	423
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	735	0.9%	1.2%	1.9%	438
Other countries	4,250	5.0%	5.5%	8.4%	291

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	North West	England and Wales	
All usual residents	85,027	...	7,052,177
All passports ³	69,809
No passport	15,827	18.6%	17.9%	16.9%	249
United Kingdom	65,932	77.5%	77.9%	75.2%	230
Republic of Ireland	1,024	1.2%	0.6%	1.4%	107
Other Europe: EU countries	1,161	1.4%	1.8%	3.4%	400
Other Europe: Non EU countries	104	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	296
Africa	281	0.3%	0.5%	0.9%	322
Middle East and Asia	952	1.1%	1.4%	2.0%	263
North America and the Caribbean	185	0.2%	0.2%	0.6%	399
Central America	9	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	212
South America	34	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	291
Antarctica and Oceania	126	0.1%	0.1%	0.4%	360

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	%	North West	England and Wales	
All households	37,804	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)	35,962	95.1%	94.2%	91.2%	314
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	893	2.4%	2.4%	3.7%	264
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)	151	0.4%	0.5%	0.8%	259
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	798	2.1%	2.9%	4.3%	284

... 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	%	North West	England and Wales	
All usual residents	85,027	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	49,959	58.8%	67.3%	59.3%	356
Buddhist	280	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	252
Hindu	485	0.6%	0.5%	1.5%	254
Jewish	120	0.1%	0.4%	0.5%	207
Muslim	3,391	4.0%	5.1%	4.8%	164
Sikh	48	0.1%	0.1%	0.8%	429
Other religion	287	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	374
No religion	24,728	29.1%	19.8%	25.1%	126
Religion not stated	5,729	6.7%	6.2%	7.2%	374

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	85,027	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	39,702	46.7%	46.5%	47.6%	366
Good health	28,248	33.2%	32.8%	33.6%	427
Fair health	11,557	13.6%	13.9%	13.2%	294
Bad health	4,321	5.1%	5.3%	4.3%	167
Very bad health	1,199	1.4%	1.5%	1.3%	223

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	37,804	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	23,114	61.1%	64.5%	63.5%	458
Owned outright	9,712	25.7%	31.0%	30.6%	500
Owned with a mortgage or loan	13,402	35.5%	33.5%	32.9%	245
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	398	1.1%	0.5%	0.7%	96
Social rented¹	8,211	21.7%	18.3%	18.2%	174
Rented from council (Local Authority)	5,736	15.2%	7.7%		131
Other social rented	2,475	6.5%	10.6%	8.3%	355
Private rented	5,684	15.0%	15.4%	16.3%	277
Private landlord or letting agency	5,286	14.0%	14.1%	14.8%	250
Other private rented	398	1.1%	1.3%	1.4%	519
Living rent free	397	1.1%	1.3%	1.4%	487

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	37,804	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	11,705	31.0%	28.0%	26.0%	164
1 car or van in household	16,388	43.3%	42.5%	42.2%	252
2 cars or vans in household	8,076	21.4%	23.5%	24.5%	454
3 cars or vans in household	1,272	3.4%	4.6%	5.4%	534
4 or more cars or vans in household	363	1.0%	1.4%	1.9%	527

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	68,025	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	16,137	23.7%	24.8%	23.2%	300
Level 1 qualifications	9,565	14.1%	13.6%	14.1%	304
Level 2 qualifications	10,621	15.6%	15.8%	15.2%	376
Apprenticeship ¹	2,458	3.6%	3.9%	...	358
Level 3 qualifications	8,060	11.8%	12.9%	12.1%	298
Level 4 qualifications and above	18,544	27.3%	24.4%	27.0%	266
Other qualifications ¹	2,640	3.9%	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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	62,197	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	45,086	72.5%	67.8%	69.5%	144
Employee: Part-time	8,751	14.1%	13.9%	13.7%	338
Employee: Full-time	26,280	42.3%	37.5%	38.5%	104
Self-employed	5,184	8.3%	8.2%	9.5%	401
Unemployed	3,258	5.2%	4.7%	4.4%	162
Full-time student	1,613	2.6%	3.5%	3.5%	428
Economically inactive	17,111	27.5%	32.2%	30.5%	507
Retired	7,130	11.5%	14.8%	13.9%	513
Student (including full-time students)	2,633	4.2%	5.6%	5.8%	339
Looking after home or family	2,488	4.0%	3.9%	4.3%	332
Long-term sick or disabled	3,524	5.7%	5.6%	4.3%	144
Other	1,336	2.1%	2.2%	2.2%	228
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In employment	40,215	64.7%	59.6%	61.6%	211
Unemployed	3,258	5.2%	4.7%	4.4%	162
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	944	1.5%	1.4%	1.2%	169
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	582	0.9%	0.8%	0.8%	133
Unemployed: Never worked	442	0.7%	0.8%	0.7%	246
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	1,352	2.2%	1.8%	1.7%	154

Table KS605: Industry

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	41,447	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	26	0.1%	0.7%	1.0%	597
Mining and quarrying	21	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	544
Manufacturing	3,424	8.3%	10.3%	8.9%	364
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	277	0.7%	0.6%	0.6%	200
Water supply ¹	229	0.6%	0.8%	0.7%	482
Construction	2,936	7.1%	7.4%	7.7%	470
Wholesale and retail trade ²	6,378	15.4%	16.7%	15.9%	403
Transport and storage	2,386	5.8%	5.0%	4.9%	156
Accommodation and food service activities	1,974	4.8%	5.9%	5.6%	415
Information and communication	1,592	3.8%	2.9%	3.8%	206
Financial and insurance activities	1,854	4.5%	3.5%	4.3%	221
Real estate activities	607	1.5%	1.4%	1.4%	245
Professional, scientific and technical activities	2,967	7.2%	5.6%	6.4%	161
Administrative and support service activities	2,395	5.8%	4.9%	4.8%	71
Public administration and defence ³	1,950	4.7%	6.0%	6.1%	509
Education	4,336	10.5%	9.7%	9.8%	184
Human health and social work activities	6,139	14.8%	13.9%	12.8%	125
Other	1,956	4.7%	4.6%	5.0%	308

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	41,447	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	3,961	9.6%	9.9%	10.5%	375
Professional occupations	7,879	19.0%	16.3%	17.3%	184
Associate professional and technical occupations	5,264	12.7%	11.5%	12.6%	236
Administrative and secretarial occupations	4,852	11.7%	11.8%	11.5%	264
Skilled trades occupations	4,167	10.1%	11.3%	11.6%	497
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	4,216	10.2%	10.1%	9.4%	211
Sales and customer service occupations	4,150	10.0%	9.4%	8.6%	133
Process, plant and machine operatives	2,896	7.0%	8.1%	7.3%	370
Elementary occupations	4,062	9.8%	11.6%	11.2%	459

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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	62,197	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	6,520	10.5%	8.9%	10.0%	240
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,234	2.0%	2.1%	2.3%	363
Higher professional occupations	5,286	8.5%	6.8%	7.8%	207
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	13,121	21.1%	19.4%	20.7%	300
Intermediate	8,905	14.3%	13.1%	12.8%	152
Small employers and own account workers	5,006	8.0%	8.5%	9.2%	423
Lower supervisory and technical	4,259	6.8%	7.4%	7.1%	400
Semi-routine occupations	9,410	15.1%	15.1%	14.2%	292
Routine	7,106	11.4%	12.3%	11.3%	314
Never worked and long-term unemployed	3,754	6.0%	6.2%	5.6%	211
Never worked	2,402	3.9%	4.3%	3.8%	228
Long-term unemployed	1,352	2.2%	1.8%	1.7%	154
Not classified	4,116	6.6%	9.0%	9.0%	357
Full-time students	4,116	6.6%	9.0%	9.0%	357

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	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment	41,447	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	1,790	4.3%	4.5%	5.9%	409
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	2,275	5.5%	3.4%	8.5%	212
Bus or coach	4,572	11.0%	8.3%	7.5%	147
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	27,101	65.4%	70.2%	64.0%	436
Bicycle	1,072	2.6%	2.2%	2.7%	224
On Foot	4,418	10.7%	10.9%	10.6%	254
Other	219	0.5%	0.6%	0.7%	465

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		North West	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	510 ¹		106%	98%	280
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	1,624	3.7%	3.1%	2.7%	154
Change over 1 year		-28.0%	-30.5%	-30.0%	209
Change over 4 years		-32.8%	-39.8%	-41.0%	98

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)

10/36 *General Election 2010*

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