

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Hereford and South Herefordshire

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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	97,492	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	48,038	49.3%	49.3%	49.1%	234
Females	49,454	50.7%	50.7%	50.9%	417
People living in households	96,244	98.7%	98.4%	98.2%	298
People living in communal establishments	1,248	1.3%	1.6%	1.8%	310
Students living away from home ¹	1,430	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	1.3	-	-	-	558

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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	97,492	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	17,236	17.7%	19.6%	18.8%	454
16 to 24	10,295	10.6%	12.1%	11.9%	372
25 to 44	24,498	25.1%	26.3%	27.3%	413
45 to 64	26,603	27.3%	25.2%	25.6%	264
65 and older	18,860	19.3%	16.9%	16.4%	161

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	41,731	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	12,455	29.8%	29.6%	30.6%	322
Aged 65 and older	5,796	13.9%	12.6%	12.5%	164
Aged under 65	6,659	16.0%	16.9%	18.1%	389
One family	26,440	63.4%	63.2%	61.7%	353
Lone parent with dependent children	2,594	6.2%	7.5%	7.2%	409
Other	2,836	6.8%	7.3%	7.7%	234

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	41,731	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	13,857	33.2%	35.2%	33.9%	375
With dependent children	1,271	3.0%	4.8%	4.2%	430
Without dependent children	12,586	30.2%	30.3%	29.7%	333

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	97,492	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	95,415	97.9%	82.7%	87.2%	139
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	90,395	92.7%	79.2%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	378	0.4%	1.0%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	162	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	4,480	4.6%	2.5%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	775	0.8%	2.4%	2.0%	485
White and Black Caribbean	235	0.2%	1.2%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	107	0.1%	0.2%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	245	0.3%	0.6%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	188	0.2%	0.4%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	915	0.9%	10.8%	6.9%	531
Indian	345	0.4%	3.9%	2.3%	
Pakistani	50	0.1%	4.1%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	25	0.0%	0.9%	0.7%	
Chinese	156	0.2%	0.6%	0.7%	
Other Asian	339	0.3%	1.3%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	191	0.2%	3.3%	3.0%	541
African	99	0.1%	1.1%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	59	0.1%	1.5%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	33	0.0%	0.6%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	196	0.2%	0.9%	0.9%	415
Arab	92	0.1%	0.3%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	104	0.1%	0.6%	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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	97,492	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	90,177	92.5%	88.8%	87.3%	327
England	82,169	84.3%	86.1%	71.9%	365
Scotland	1,285	1.3%	0.9%	8.2%	311
Wales	6,332	6.5%	1.4%	4.4%	43
Northern Ireland	372	0.4%	0.3%	2.9%	306
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	19	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	101
Ireland	301	0.3%	0.8%	0.7%	526
Other European Union	4,373	4.5%	2.4%	3.5%	137
Member states in March 2001	1,154	1.2%	0.9%	1.6%	279
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	3,219	3.3%	1.5%	1.9%	85
Other countries	2,641	2.7%	8.1%	8.4%	435

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	West Midlands	England and Wales	
All usual residents	97,492	...	5,601,847
All passports ³	75,808
No passport	22,225	22.8%	20.5%	16.9%	111
United Kingdom	70,464	72.3%	73.9%	75.2%	446
Republic of Ireland	271	0.3%	0.6%	1.4%	475
Other Europe: EU countries	3,683	3.8%	2.3%	3.4%	152
Other Europe: Non EU countries	127	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	280
Africa	213	0.2%	0.6%	0.9%	408
Middle East and Asia	464	0.5%	2.0%	2.0%	415
North America and the Caribbean	259	0.3%	0.3%	0.6%	345
Central America	5	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	360
South America	56	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	219
Antarctica and Oceania	265	0.3%	0.1%	0.4%	193

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	%	West Midlands	England and Wales	
All households	41,731	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)	39,749	95.3%	91.9%	91.2%	309
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	719	1.7%	3.7%	3.7%	331
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)	108	0.3%	0.7%	0.8%	330
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	1,155	2.8%	3.7%	4.3%	239

... 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	%	West Midlands	England and Wales	
All usual residents	97,492	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	65,120	66.8%	60.2%	59.3%	117
Buddhist	357	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	222
Hindu	153	0.2%	1.3%	1.5%	456
Jewish	74	0.1%	0.1%	0.5%	331
Muslim	258	0.3%	6.7%	4.8%	509
Sikh	48	0.0%	2.4%	0.8%	449
Other religion	508	0.5%	0.5%	0.4%	110
No religion	23,025	23.6%	22.0%	25.1%	371
Religion not stated	7,949	8.2%	6.6%	7.2%	64

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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	97,492	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	44,482	45.6%	45.1%	47.6%	425
Good health	34,313	35.2%	34.8%	33.6%	153
Fair health	13,500	13.8%	14.0%	13.2%	257
Bad health	3,962	4.1%	4.7%	4.3%	340
Very bad health	1,235	1.3%	1.4%	1.3%	303

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	41,731	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	27,367	65.6%	64.9%	63.5%	365
Owned outright	15,043	36.0%	32.3%	30.6%	174
Owned with a mortgage or loan	12,324	29.5%	32.6%	32.9%	495
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	410	1.0%	0.7%	0.7%	116
Social rented¹	6,694	16.0%	19.0%	18.2%	319
Rented from council (Local Authority)	2,228	5.3%	10.9%		445
Other social rented	4,466	10.7%	8.1%	8.3%	147
Private rented	6,572	15.7%	14.0%	16.3%	243
Private landlord or letting agency	5,765	13.8%	12.8%	14.8%	257
Other private rented	807	1.9%	1.2%	1.4%	74
Living rent free	688	1.6%	1.5%	1.4%	147

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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	41,731	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	8,334	20.0%	24.7%	26.0%	401
1 car or van in household	18,059	43.3%	41.5%	42.2%	264
2 cars or vans in household	11,415	27.4%	25.8%	24.5%	270
3 cars or vans in household	2,813	6.7%	5.9%	5.4%	206
4 or more cars or vans in household	1,110	2.7%	2.1%	1.9%	171

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	80,256	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	19,228	24.0%	26.6%	23.2%	293
Level 1 qualifications	10,623	13.2%	13.7%	14.1%	416
Level 2 qualifications	13,031	16.2%	15.4%	15.2%	261
Apprenticeship ¹	2,808	3.5%	3.3%	...	377
Level 3 qualifications	9,866	12.3%	12.3%	12.1%	210
Level 4 qualifications and above	20,195	25.2%	23.3%	27.0%	339
Other qualifications ¹	4,505	5.6%	5.4%

... Not available

1. Categories not used in the Scottish census.

Table KS601: Economic activity

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	71,148	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	51,413	72.3%	68.3%	69.5%	151
Employee: Part-time	11,194	15.7%	14.0%	13.7%	55
Employee: Full-time	27,183	38.2%	37.4%	38.5%	356
Self-employed	8,690	12.2%	8.5%	9.5%	115
Unemployed	2,547	3.6%	5.1%	4.4%	431
Full-time student	1,799	2.5%	3.3%	3.5%	468
Economically inactive	19,735	27.7%	31.7%	30.5%	500
Retired	10,640	15.0%	14.4%	13.9%	301
Student (including full-time students)	2,746	3.9%	5.9%	5.8%	411
Looking after home or family	2,459	3.5%	4.6%	4.3%	505
Long-term sick or disabled	2,714	3.8%	4.4%	4.3%	362
Other	1,176	1.7%	2.4%	2.2%	449
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In employment	47,067	66.2%	59.9%	61.6%	143
Unemployed	2,547	3.6%	5.1%	4.4%	431
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	795	1.1%	1.5%	1.2%	373
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	522	0.7%	0.9%	0.8%	427
Unemployed: Never worked	290	0.4%	0.9%	0.7%	453
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	956	1.3%	2.1%	1.7%	437

Table KS605: Industry

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	48,555	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	1,858	3.8%	0.9%	1.0%	47
Mining and quarrying	38	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	432
Manufacturing	6,567	13.5%	12.3%	8.9%	83
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	148	0.3%	0.7%	0.6%	516
Water supply ¹	400	0.8%	0.8%	0.7%	210
Construction	4,060	8.4%	7.5%	7.7%	253
Wholesale and retail trade ²	8,461	17.4%	17.1%	15.9%	167
Transport and storage	1,562	3.2%	5.2%	4.9%	595
Accommodation and food service activities	2,759	5.7%	5.2%	5.6%	239
Information and communication	1,044	2.2%	2.9%	3.8%	500
Financial and insurance activities	876	1.8%	3.1%	4.3%	580
Real estate activities	697	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	268
Professional, scientific and technical activities	2,121	4.4%	5.1%	6.4%	456
Administrative and support service activities	2,204	4.5%	4.7%	4.8%	354
Public administration and defence ³	2,796	5.8%	5.3%	6.1%	321
Education	4,330	8.9%	10.2%	9.8%	427
Human health and social work activities	6,494	13.4%	12.9%	12.8%	278
Other	2,140	4.4%	4.5%	5.0%	443

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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	48,555	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	5,063	10.4%	10.1%	10.5%	291
Professional occupations	6,595	13.6%	15.8%	17.3%	483
Associate professional and technical occupations	5,053	10.4%	11.1%	12.6%	496
Administrative and secretarial occupations	4,693	9.7%	11.4%	11.5%	578
Skilled trades occupations	7,196	14.8%	12.2%	11.6%	77
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	4,940	10.2%	9.5%	9.4%	210
Sales and customer service occupations	4,072	8.4%	8.6%	8.6%	367
Process, plant and machine operatives	4,674	9.6%	8.8%	7.3%	133
Elementary occupations	6,269	12.9%	12.5%	11.2%	167

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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	71,148	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	5,860	8.2%	8.7%	10.0%	380
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,598	2.2%	2.1%	2.3%	288
Higher professional occupations	4,262	6.0%	6.6%	7.8%	407
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	14,556	20.5%	18.8%	20.7%	332
Intermediate	8,046	11.3%	12.4%	12.8%	506
Small employers and own account workers	8,838	12.4%	8.7%	9.2%	80
Lower supervisory and technical	5,437	7.6%	7.2%	7.1%	263
Semi-routine occupations	12,663	17.8%	15.5%	14.2%	84
Routine	8,521	12.0%	12.9%	11.3%	275
Never worked and long-term unemployed	2,835	4.0%	6.8%	5.6%	405
Never worked	1,879	2.6%	4.8%	3.8%	376
Long-term unemployed	956	1.3%	2.1%	1.7%	437
Not classified	4,392	6.2%	9.0%	9.0%	451
Full-time students	4,392	6.2%	9.0%	9.0%	451

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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment	48,555	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	3,550	7.3%	4.8%	5.9%	188
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	328	0.7%	2.8%	8.5%	616
Bus or coach	1,050	2.2%	7.7%	7.5%	564
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	32,346	66.6%	72.3%	64.0%	405
Bicycle	2,593	5.3%	2.0%	2.7%	51
On Foot	8,267	17.0%	9.9%	10.6%	50
Other	421	0.9%	0.5%	0.7%	98

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		West Midlands	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	420 ¹		88%	81%	617
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	551	1.1%	3.2%	2.7%	548
Change over 1 year		-47.8%	-33.1%	-30.0%	643
Change over 4 years		-60.9%	-44.3%	-41.0%	614

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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