

# Constituency Explorer Area Profile

## Boston and Skegness

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 Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>101,684</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Males	49,524	48.7%	49.3%	49.1%	452
Females	52,160	51.3%	50.7%	50.9%	199
People living in households	99,735	98.1%	98.0%	98.2%	407
People living in communal establishments	1,949	1.9%	2.0%	1.8%	186
Students living away from home <sup>1</sup>	1,009	-	-	-	-
<b>Population density (people per hectare)</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>551</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 Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>101,684</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
0 to 15	17,160	16.9%	18.4%	18.8%	536
16 to 24	10,326	10.2%	12.1%	11.9%	443
25 to 44	23,970	23.6%	25.9%	27.3%	517
45 to 64	28,275	27.8%	26.4%	25.6%	206
65 and older	21,953	21.6%	17.0%	16.4%	71

**Table KS105: Household composition**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>43,799</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>One person</b>	<b>12,889</b>	<b>29.4%</b>	<b>29.0%</b>	<b>30.6%</b>	<b>358</b>
Aged 65 and older	6,452	14.7%	12.3%	12.5%	84
Aged under 65	6,437	14.7%	16.7%	18.1%	490
<b>One family</b>	<b>27,634</b>	<b>63.1%</b>	<b>64.4%</b>	<b>61.7%</b>	<b>365</b>
Lone parent with dependent children	2,669	6.1%	6.7%	7.2%	422
<b>Other</b>	<b>3,276</b>	<b>7.5%</b>	<b>6.6%</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>198</b>

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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>43,799</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>No adults in employment in household</b>	<b>17,508</b>	<b>40.0%</b>	<b>33.9%</b>	<b>33.9%</b>	<b>70</b>
With dependent children	1,679	3.8%	3.8%	4.2%	333
Without dependent children	15,829	36.1%	30.1%	29.7%	54

**Table KS201: Ethnic group**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>101,684</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>White</b>	<b>98,889</b>	<b>97.3%</b>	<b>89.3%</b>	<b>87.2%</b>	<b>200</b>
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	89,342	87.9%	85.4%	80.5% <sup>1</sup>	
Irish	357	0.4%	0.6%	0.9% <sup>1</sup>	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	88	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	9,102	9.0%	3.2%	4.4% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Mixed/multiple ethnic groups</b>	<b>975</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>1.9%</b>	<b>2.0%</b>	<b>420</b>
White and Black Caribbean	325	0.3%	0.9%	0.8% <sup>1</sup>	
White and Black African	143	0.1%	0.2%	0.3% <sup>1</sup>	
White and Asian	239	0.2%	0.5%	0.6% <sup>1</sup>	
Other Mixed	268	0.3%	0.3%	0.5% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Asian/Asian British</b>	<b>1,225</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>6.5%</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>469</b>
Indian	446	0.4%	3.7%	2.3%	
Pakistani	172	0.2%	1.1%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	131	0.1%	0.3%	0.7%	
Chinese	212	0.2%	0.5%	0.7%	
Other Asian	264	0.3%	0.8%	1.4%	
<b>Black/African/Caribbean/Black British<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>391</b>	<b>0.4%</b>	<b>1.8%</b>	<b>3.0%</b>	<b>415</b>
African	247	0.2%	0.9%	1.8% <sup>1</sup>	
Caribbean	89	0.1%	0.6%	1.1% <sup>1</sup>	
Other Black	55	0.1%	0.2%	0.5% <sup>1</sup>	
<b>Other ethnic group</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>0.2%</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>416</b>
Arab	78	0.1%	0.2%	0.4% <sup>1</sup>	
Any other ethnic group	126	0.1%	0.4%	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 Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>101,684</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>United Kingdom</b>	<b>90,169</b>	<b>88.7%</b>	<b>90.1%</b>	<b>87.3%</b>	<b>450</b>
England	88,318	86.9%	87.6%	71.9%	323
Scotland	1,022	1.0%	1.5%	8.2%	465
Wales	547	0.5%	0.7%	4.4%	439
Northern Ireland	274	0.3%	0.3%	2.9%	515
United Kingdom (not specified) <sup>1</sup>	8	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	304
<b>Ireland</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>0.3%</b>	<b>0.5%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>531</b>
<b>Other European Union</b>	<b>8,894</b>	<b>8.7%</b>	<b>3.1%</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>36</b>
Member states in March 2001	1,272	1.3%	1.1%	1.6%	261
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	7,622	7.5%	2.0%	1.9%	13
<b>Other countries</b>	<b>2,316</b>	<b>2.3%</b>	<b>6.3%</b>	<b>8.4%</b>	<b>494</b>

**Table KS205: Passports held**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank <sup>2</sup>
	Count	%	East Midlands	England and Wales	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>101,684</b>	...	<b>4,533,222</b>	...	...
<b>All passports <sup>3</sup></b>	<b>73,365</b>	...	...	...	...
<b>No passport</b>	<b>28,644</b>	<b>28.2%</b>	<b>20.3%</b>	<b>16.9%</b>	<b>13</b>
United Kingdom	63,340	62.3%	74.4%	75.2%	576
Republic of Ireland	213	0.2%	0.4%	1.4%	533
Other Europe: EU countries	8,627	8.5%	2.8%	3.4%	51
Other Europe: Non EU countries	95	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	370
Africa	276	0.3%	0.6%	0.9%	362
Middle East and Asia	539	0.5%	1.4%	2.0%	388
North America and the Caribbean	117	0.1%	0.3%	0.6%	529
Central America	2	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	525
South America	78	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	169
Antarctica and Oceania	75	0.1%	0.1%	0.4%	519

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 Midlands	England and Wales	
<b>All households</b>	<b>43,799</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)	40,320	92.1%	93.3%	91.2%	410
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	567	1.3%	2.6%	3.7%	394
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)	152	0.3%	0.5%	0.8%	283
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	2,760	6.3%	3.6%	4.3%	106

... 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 Midlands	England and Wales	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>101,684</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Christian	71,517	70.3%	58.8%	59.3%	57
Buddhist	186	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	503
Hindu	231	0.2%	2.0%	1.5%	393
Jewish	70	0.1%	0.1%	0.5%	356
Muslim	577	0.6%	3.1%	4.8%	380
Sikh	69	0.1%	1.0%	0.8%	407
Other religion	342	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	378
No religion	21,544	21.2%	27.5%	25.1%	450
Religion not stated	7,148	7.0%	6.8%	7.2%	297

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 Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents</b>	<b>101,684</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Very good health	39,918	39.3%	45.3%	47.6%	647
Good health	36,989	36.4%	35.1%	33.6%	23
Fair health	17,482	17.2%	14.0%	13.2%	7
Bad health	5,725	5.6%	4.3%	4.3%	105
Very bad health	1,570	1.5%	1.2%	1.3%	155

**Table KS402: Tenure**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>43,799</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Owned</b>	<b>27,818</b>	<b>63.5%</b>	<b>67.2%</b>	<b>63.5%</b>	<b>416</b>
Owned outright	15,555	35.5%	32.8%	30.6%	194
Owned with a mortgage or loan	12,263	28.0%	34.5%	32.9%	550
<b>Shared ownership (part owned &amp; rented)</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>135</b>
<b>Social rented<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>7,242</b>	<b>16.5%</b>	<b>15.8%</b>	<b>18.2%</b>	<b>305</b>
Rented from council (Local Authority)	2,282	5.2%	10.1%		452
Other social rented	4,960	11.3%	5.7%	8.3%	129
<b>Private rented</b>	<b>7,692</b>	<b>17.6%</b>	<b>14.9%</b>	<b>16.3%</b>	<b>181</b>
Private landlord or letting agency	7,027	16.0%	13.6%	14.8%	177
Other private rented	665	1.5%	1.3%	1.4%	204
<b>Living rent free</b>	<b>641</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>1.3%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>228</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 Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All households</b>	<b>43,799</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
No cars or vans in household	9,678	22.1%	22.1%	26.0%	356
1 car or van in household	20,289	46.3%	42.5%	42.2%	24
2 cars or vans in household	10,473	23.9%	27.4%	24.5%	384
3 cars or vans in household	2,424	5.5%	6.0%	5.4%	320
4 or more cars or vans in household	935	2.1%	2.0%	1.9%	244

**Table KS501: Highest level of qualification**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 and older</b>	<b>84,524</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
No qualifications	29,378	34.8%	24.7%	23.2%	21
Level 1 qualifications	12,465	14.7%	13.9%	14.1%	216
Level 2 qualifications	12,811	15.2%	15.6%	15.2%	422
Apprenticeship <sup>1</sup>	2,968	3.5%	4.0%	...	375
Level 3 qualifications	7,767	9.2%	12.9%	12.1%	623
Level 4 qualifications and above	12,197	14.4%	23.6%	27.0%	635
Other qualifications <sup>1</sup>	6,938	8.2%	5.3%	...	...

... Not available

1. Categories not used in the Scottish census.

**Table KS601: Economic activity**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74</b>	<b>74,484</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Economically active</b>	<b>49,434</b>	<b>66.4%</b>	<b>69.3%</b>	<b>69.5%</b>	<b>513</b>
Employee: Part-time	11,362	15.3%	14.4%	13.7%	98
Employee: Full-time	26,488	35.6%	38.8%	38.5%	492
Self-employed	6,787	9.1%	8.7%	9.5%	335
Unemployed	3,344	4.5%	4.2%	4.4%	277
Full-time student	1,453	2.0%	3.3%	3.5%	639
<b>Economically inactive</b>	<b>25,050</b>	<b>33.6%</b>	<b>30.7%</b>	<b>30.5%</b>	<b>138</b>
Retired	14,028	18.8%	15.0%	13.9%	59
Student (including full-time students)	2,333	3.1%	5.8%	5.8%	596
Looking after home or family	3,077	4.1%	4.0%	4.3%	293
Long-term sick or disabled	3,954	5.3%	4.1%	4.3%	184
Other	1,658	2.2%	1.9%	2.2%	211
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<b>In employment</b>	<b>44,637</b>	<b>59.9%</b>	<b>61.8%</b>	<b>61.6%</b>	<b>433</b>
<b>Unemployed</b>	<b>3,344</b>	<b>4.5%</b>	<b>4.2%</b>	<b>4.4%</b>	<b>277</b>
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	1,018	1.4%	1.2%	1.2%	234
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	735	1.0%	0.8%	0.8%	90
Unemployed: Never worked	425	0.6%	0.6%	0.7%	331
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	1,311	1.8%	1.6%	1.7%	283

**Table KS605: Industry**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census</b>	<b>45,706</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	2,235	4.9%	1.2%	1.0%	28
Mining and quarrying	32	0.1%	0.3%	0.3%	464
Manufacturing	6,658	14.6%	12.9%	8.9%	57
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	133	0.3%	0.8%	0.6%	530
Water supply <sup>1</sup>	383	0.8%	0.8%	0.7%	197
Construction	2,894	6.3%	7.7%	7.7%	538
Wholesale and retail trade <sup>2</sup>	9,174	20.1%	17.8%	15.9%	16
Transport and storage	2,249	4.9%	5.2%	4.9%	279
Accommodation and food service activities	3,438	7.5%	5.1%	5.6%	83
Information and communication	425	0.9%	2.6%	3.8%	650
Financial and insurance activities	477	1.0%	2.5%	4.3%	642
Real estate activities	527	1.2%	1.1%	1.4%	476
Professional, scientific and technical activities	1,272	2.8%	5.0%	6.4%	641
Administrative and support service activities	2,583	5.7%	4.5%	4.8%	90
Public administration and defence <sup>3</sup>	1,560	3.4%	5.6%	6.1%	641
Education	3,245	7.1%	9.9%	9.8%	629
Human health and social work activities	6,328	13.8%	12.6%	12.8%	227
Other	2,093	4.6%	4.4%	5.0%	368

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 Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census</b>	<b>45,706</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Managers, directors and senior officials	4,268	9.3%	10.6%	10.5%	404
Professional occupations	4,442	9.7%	15.2%	17.3%	641
Associate professional and technical occupations	3,199	7.0%	11.3%	12.6%	647
Administrative and secretarial occupations	3,920	8.6%	10.9%	11.5%	644
Skilled trades occupations	6,156	13.5%	12.1%	11.6%	153
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	4,742	10.4%	9.5%	9.4%	178
Sales and customer service occupations	4,058	8.9%	8.4%	8.6%	295
Process, plant and machine operatives	6,546	14.3%	9.3%	7.3%	4
Elementary occupations	8,375	18.3%	12.7%	11.2%	6



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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74</b>	<b>74,484</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	3,498	4.7%	9.1%	10.0%	627
Higher managerial and administrative <sup>1</sup>	1,074	1.4%	2.3%	2.3%	538
Higher professional occupations	2,424	3.3%	6.7%	7.8%	634
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	11,574	15.5%	19.4%	20.7%	590
Intermediate	7,434	10.0%	12.3%	12.8%	599
Small employers and own account workers	8,330	11.2%	9.0%	9.2%	149
Lower supervisory and technical	6,845	9.2%	7.7%	7.1%	51
Semi-routine occupations	16,003	21.5%	15.1%	14.2%	2
Routine	13,321	17.9%	13.6%	11.3%	31
Never worked and long-term unemployed	3,767	5.1%	4.9%	5.6%	286
Never worked	2,456	3.3%	3.3%	3.8%	282
Long-term unemployed	1,311	1.8%	1.6%	1.7%	284
Not classified	3,712	5.0%	8.9%	9.0%	639
Full-time students	3,712	5.0%	8.9%	9.0%	639

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 Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment</b>	<b>45,706</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
Work mainly at or from home	2,313	5.1%	5.1%	5.9%	349
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	169	0.4%	1.6%	8.5%	644
Bus or coach	1,092	2.4%	6.2%	7.5%	546
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	33,462	73.2%	72.8%	64.0%	204
Bicycle	2,588	5.7%	2.7%	2.7%	49
On Foot	5,757	12.6%	11.0%	10.6%	154
Other	325	0.7%	0.5%	0.7%	205

**Table: Earnings and unemployment**

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		East Midlands	United Kingdom	
<b>Average earnings of full-time employees</b>	<b>440</b> <sup>1</sup>		<b>92%</b>	<b>85%</b>	556
	Number	% <sup>2</sup>			
<b>Unemployed (out of work benefits)</b>					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	<b>1,719</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>2.3%</b>	<b>2.7%</b>	159
Change over 1 year		-23.8%	-32.8%	-30.0%	93
Change over 4 years		-28.0%	-44.1%	-41.0%	49

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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