

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Ludlow

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	84,857	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	41,865	49.3%	49.3%	49.1%	204
Females	42,992	50.7%	50.7%	50.9%	447
People living in households	83,617	98.5%	98.4%	98.2%	328
People living in communal establishments	1,240	1.5%	1.6%	1.8%	273
Students living away from home ¹	1,429	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	0.5	-	-	-	623

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	84,857	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	13,606	16.0%	19.6%	18.8%	598
16 to 24	7,437	8.8%	12.1%	11.9%	627
25 to 44	17,553	20.7%	26.3%	27.3%	630
45 to 64	26,008	30.6%	25.2%	25.6%	14
65 and older	20,253	23.9%	16.9%	16.4%	24

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	37,009	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	10,609	28.7%	29.6%	30.6%	407
Aged 65 and older	5,386	14.6%	12.6%	12.5%	97
Aged under 65	5,223	14.1%	16.9%	18.1%	536
One family	24,601	66.5%	63.2%	61.7%	172
Lone parent with dependent children	1,571	4.2%	7.5%	7.2%	633
Other	1,799	4.9%	7.3%	7.7%	495

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	37,009	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	12,897	34.8%	35.2%	33.9%	292
With dependent children	782	2.1%	4.8%	4.2%	578
Without dependent children	12,115	32.7%	30.3%	29.7%	185

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	84,857	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	83,717	98.7%	82.7%	87.2%	33
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	81,980	96.6%	79.2%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	348	0.4%	1.0%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	69	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	1,320	1.6%	2.5%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	478	0.6%	2.4%	2.0%	565
White and Black Caribbean	187	0.2%	1.2%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	47	0.1%	0.2%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	148	0.2%	0.6%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	96	0.1%	0.4%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	488	0.6%	10.8%	6.9%	622
Indian	120	0.1%	3.9%	2.3%	
Pakistani	62	0.1%	4.1%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	21	0.0%	0.9%	0.7%	
Chinese	156	0.2%	0.6%	0.7%	
Other Asian	129	0.2%	1.3%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	104	0.1%	3.3%	3.0%	614
African	42	0.0%	1.1%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	34	0.0%	1.5%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	28	0.0%	0.6%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	70	0.1%	0.9%	0.9%	611
Arab	18	0.0%	0.3%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	52	0.1%	0.6%	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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	84,857	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	81,869	96.5%	88.8%	87.3%	76
England	78,098	92.0%	86.1%	71.9%	133
Scotland	878	1.0%	0.9%	8.2%	456
Wales	2,655	3.1%	1.4%	4.4%	49
Northern Ireland	225	0.3%	0.3%	2.9%	520
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	13	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	147
Ireland	276	0.3%	0.8%	0.7%	511
Other European Union	1,156	1.4%	2.4%	3.5%	525
Member states in March 2001	621	0.7%	0.9%	1.6%	468
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	535	0.6%	1.5%	1.9%	522
Other countries	1,556	1.8%	8.1%	8.4%	549

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	West Midlands	England and Wales	
All usual residents	84,857	...	5,601,847
All passports ³	66,063
No passport	19,206	22.6%	20.5%	16.9%	116
United Kingdom	64,215	75.7%	73.9%	75.2%	318
Republic of Ireland	224	0.3%	0.6%	1.4%	485
Other Europe: EU countries	819	1.0%	2.3%	3.4%	478
Other Europe: Non EU countries	67	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	417
Africa	80	0.1%	0.6%	0.9%	561
Middle East and Asia	184	0.2%	2.0%	2.0%	571
North America and the Caribbean	242	0.3%	0.3%	0.6%	332
Central America	1	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	547
South America	10	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	542
Antarctica and Oceania	220	0.3%	0.1%	0.4%	209

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	37,009	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)	36,416	98.4%	91.9%	91.2%	60
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	368	1.0%	3.7%	3.7%	488
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)	24	0.1%	0.7%	0.8%	574
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	201	0.5%	3.7%	4.3%	549

... 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	84,857	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	59,256	69.8%	60.2%	59.3%	65
Buddhist	215	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	362
Hindu	47	0.1%	1.3%	1.5%	562
Jewish	44	0.1%	0.1%	0.5%	426
Muslim	206	0.2%	6.7%	4.8%	522
Sikh	65	0.1%	2.4%	0.8%	388
Other religion	377	0.4%	0.5%	0.4%	182
No religion	18,084	21.3%	22.0%	25.1%	445
Religion not stated	6,563	7.7%	6.6%	7.2%	114

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	84,857	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	37,994	44.8%	45.1%	47.6%	476
Good health	30,260	35.7%	34.8%	33.6%	81
Fair health	12,131	14.3%	14.0%	13.2%	210
Bad health	3,446	4.1%	4.7%	4.3%	342
Very bad health	1,026	1.2%	1.4%	1.3%	334

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	37,009	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	25,616	69.2%	64.9%	63.5%	243
Owned outright	15,909	43.0%	32.3%	30.6%	27
Owned with a mortgage or loan	9,707	26.2%	32.6%	32.9%	591
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	283	0.8%	0.7%	0.7%	209
Social rented¹	4,526	12.2%	19.0%	18.2%	484
Rented from council (Local Authority)	1,739	4.7%	10.9%		464
Other social rented	2,787	7.5%	8.1%	8.3%	303
Private rented	5,718	15.5%	14.0%	16.3%	256
Private landlord or letting agency	5,116	13.8%	12.8%	14.8%	256
Other private rented	602	1.6%	1.2%	1.4%	155
Living rent free	866	2.3%	1.5%	1.4%	30

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	37,009	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	4,978	13.5%	24.7%	26.0%	589
1 car or van in household	15,179	41.0%	41.5%	42.2%	491
2 cars or vans in household	12,019	32.5%	25.8%	24.5%	115
3 cars or vans in household	3,340	9.0%	5.9%	5.4%	44
4 or more cars or vans in household	1,493	4.0%	2.1%	1.9%	26

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	71,251	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	16,812	23.6%	26.6%	23.2%	304
Level 1 qualifications	9,139	12.8%	13.7%	14.1%	454
Level 2 qualifications	11,691	16.4%	15.4%	15.2%	227
Apprenticeship ¹	2,317	3.3%	3.3%	...	424
Level 3 qualifications	8,323	11.7%	12.3%	12.1%	346
Level 4 qualifications and above	20,203	28.4%	23.3%	27.0%	227
Other qualifications ¹	2,766	3.9%	5.4%

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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	62,188	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	43,151	69.4%	68.3%	69.5%	342
Employee: Part-time	9,283	14.9%	14.0%	13.7%	157
Employee: Full-time	20,658	33.2%	37.4%	38.5%	577
Self-employed	10,270	16.5%	8.5%	9.5%	9
Unemployed	1,757	2.8%	5.1%	4.4%	569
Full-time student	1,183	1.9%	3.3%	3.5%	641
Economically inactive	19,037	30.6%	31.7%	30.5%	309
Retired	12,101	19.5%	14.4%	13.9%	37
Student (including full-time students)	2,032	3.3%	5.9%	5.8%	570
Looking after home or family	2,172	3.5%	4.6%	4.3%	497
Long-term sick or disabled	1,850	3.0%	4.4%	4.3%	488
Other	882	1.4%	2.4%	2.2%	560
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In employment	40,211	64.7%	59.9%	61.6%	210
Unemployed	1,757	2.8%	5.1%	4.4%	569
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	479	0.8%	1.5%	1.2%	560
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	471	0.8%	0.9%	0.8%	382
Unemployed: Never worked	193	0.3%	0.9%	0.7%	554
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	679	1.1%	2.1%	1.7%	540

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	41,220	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	2,366	5.7%	0.9%	1.0%	16
Mining and quarrying	67	0.2%	0.1%	0.3%	258
Manufacturing	5,013	12.2%	12.3%	8.9%	132
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	206	0.5%	0.7%	0.6%	318
Water supply ¹	372	0.9%	0.8%	0.7%	144
Construction	3,772	9.2%	7.5%	7.7%	134
Wholesale and retail trade ²	6,481	15.7%	17.1%	15.9%	367
Transport and storage	1,288	3.1%	5.2%	4.9%	604
Accommodation and food service activities	2,446	5.9%	5.2%	5.6%	211
Information and communication	1,016	2.5%	2.9%	3.8%	433
Financial and insurance activities	865	2.1%	3.1%	4.3%	539
Real estate activities	707	1.7%	1.4%	1.4%	104
Professional, scientific and technical activities	2,320	5.6%	5.1%	6.4%	300
Administrative and support service activities	1,605	3.9%	4.7%	4.8%	553
Public administration and defence ³	1,784	4.3%	5.3%	6.1%	574
Education	4,068	9.9%	10.2%	9.8%	274
Human health and social work activities	4,679	11.4%	12.9%	12.8%	486
Other	2,165	5.3%	4.5%	5.0%	160

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	41,220	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	5,499	13.3%	10.1%	10.5%	85
Professional occupations	6,286	15.2%	15.8%	17.3%	366
Associate professional and technical occupations	4,070	9.9%	11.1%	12.6%	546
Administrative and secretarial occupations	4,014	9.7%	11.4%	11.5%	567
Skilled trades occupations	7,500	18.2%	12.2%	11.6%	19
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	3,949	9.6%	9.5%	9.4%	323
Sales and customer service occupations	2,448	5.9%	8.6%	8.6%	615
Process, plant and machine operatives	2,894	7.0%	8.8%	7.3%	366
Elementary occupations	4,560	11.1%	12.5%	11.2%	349

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	62,188	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	6,434	10.3%	8.7%	10.0%	251
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,775	2.9%	2.1%	2.3%	145
Higher professional occupations	4,659	7.5%	6.6%	7.8%	286
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	13,587	21.8%	18.8%	20.7%	260
Intermediate	6,877	11.1%	12.4%	12.8%	530
Small employers and own account workers	10,475	16.8%	8.7%	9.2%	11
Lower supervisory and technical	4,444	7.1%	7.2%	7.1%	350
Semi-routine occupations	8,878	14.3%	15.5%	14.2%	362
Routine	6,517	10.5%	12.9%	11.3%	391
Never worked and long-term unemployed	1,842	3.0%	6.8%	5.6%	539
Never worked	1,163	1.9%	4.8%	3.8%	538
Long-term unemployed	679	1.1%	2.1%	1.7%	541
Not classified	3,134	5.0%	9.0%	9.0%	635
Full-time students	3,134	5.0%	9.0%	9.0%	635

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	41,220	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	4,723	11.5%	4.8%	5.9%	33
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	518	1.3%	2.8%	8.5%	523
Bus or coach	417	1.0%	7.7%	7.5%	649
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	29,382	71.3%	72.3%	64.0%	271
Bicycle	423	1.0%	2.0%	2.7%	541
On Foot	5,462	13.3%	9.9%	10.6%	131
Other	295	0.7%	0.5%	0.7%	201

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		West Midlands	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	510 ¹		106%	98%	280
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	477	1.2%	3.2%	2.7%	535
Change over 1 year		-31.7%	-33.1%	-30.0%	334
Change over 4 years		-53.1%	-44.3%	-41.0%	512

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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