

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

South Norfolk

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	
All usual residents	98,193	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	47,901	48.8%	49.2%	49.1%	417
Females	50,292	51.2%	50.8%	50.9%	234
People living in households	97,249	99.0%	98.3%	98.2%	196
People living in communal establishments	944	1.0%	1.7%	1.8%	433
Students living away from home ¹	1,434	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	1.2	-	-	-	573

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	
All usual residents	98,193	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	17,348	17.7%	19.0%	18.8%	457
16 to 24	8,670	8.8%	10.8%	11.9%	622
25 to 44	22,753	23.2%	26.4%	27.3%	533
45 to 64	28,407	28.9%	26.2%	25.6%	102
65 and older	21,015	21.4%	17.5%	16.4%	75

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
All households	41,898	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	10,794	25.8%	28.5%	30.6%	592
Aged 65 and older	5,477	13.1%	12.7%	12.5%	267
Aged under 65	5,317	12.7%	15.8%	18.1%	613
One family	29,263	69.8%	65.0%	61.7%	27
Lone parent with dependent children	2,033	4.9%	6.2%	7.2%	589
Other	1,841	4.4%	6.5%	7.7%	565

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
All households	41,898	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	14,072	33.6%	32.1%	33.9%	357
With dependent children	971	2.3%	3.4%	4.2%	551
Without dependent children	13,101	31.3%	28.7%	29.7%	267

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	98,193	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	95,839	97.6%	90.8%	87.2%	166
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	93,485	95.2%	85.3%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	352	0.4%	1.0%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	137	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	1,865	1.9%	4.5%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	929	0.9%	1.9%	2.0%	424
White and Black Caribbean	261	0.3%	0.6%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	128	0.1%	0.3%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	325	0.3%	0.6%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	215	0.2%	0.5%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	982	1.0%	4.8%	6.9%	518
Indian	347	0.4%	1.5%	2.3%	
Pakistani	56	0.1%	1.1%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	52	0.1%	0.6%	0.7%	
Chinese	233	0.2%	0.6%	0.7%	
Other Asian	294	0.3%	1.0%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	300	0.3%	2.0%	3.0%	460
African	213	0.2%	1.2%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	51	0.1%	0.6%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	36	0.0%	0.2%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	143	0.1%	0.5%	0.9%	496
Arab	53	0.1%	0.2%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	90	0.1%	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	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	98,193	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	93,440	95.2%	89.0%	87.3%	181
England	91,268	92.9%	86.6%	71.9%	97
Scotland	1,240	1.3%	1.3%	8.2%	343
Wales	681	0.7%	0.7%	4.4%	350
Northern Ireland	249	0.3%	0.4%	2.9%	535
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	2	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	539
Ireland	259	0.3%	0.7%	0.7%	569
Other European Union	1,734	1.8%	3.6%	3.5%	448
Member states in March 2001	1,005	1.0%	1.6%	1.6%	333
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	729	0.7%	2.1%	1.9%	484
Other countries	2,760	2.8%	6.6%	8.4%	423

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	East of England	England and Wales	
All usual residents	98,193	...	5,846,965
All passports ³	78,505
No passport	20,380	20.8%	16.7%	16.9%	179
United Kingdom	75,513	76.9%	76.6%	75.2%	261
Republic of Ireland	250	0.3%	0.7%	1.4%	495
Other Europe: EU countries	1,244	1.3%	3.3%	3.4%	410
Other Europe: Non EU countries	124	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	288
Africa	295	0.3%	0.8%	0.9%	341
Middle East and Asia	389	0.4%	1.4%	2.0%	459
North America and the Caribbean	385	0.4%	0.8%	0.6%	235
Central America	5	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	361
South America	44	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	263
Antarctica and Oceania	255	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	207

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	%	East of England	England and Wales	
All households	41,898	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)	40,962	97.8%	93.6%	91.2%	140
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	523	1.2%	2.9%	3.7%	407
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)	72	0.2%	0.5%	0.8%	409
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	341	0.8%	3.0%	4.3%	484

... 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	%	East of England	England and Wales	
All usual residents	98,193	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	61,428	62.6%	59.7%	59.3%	259
Buddhist	280	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	312
Hindu	192	0.2%	0.9%	1.5%	423
Jewish	98	0.1%	0.6%	0.5%	268
Muslim	314	0.3%	2.5%	4.8%	482
Sikh	40	0.0%	0.3%	0.8%	477
Other religion	400	0.4%	0.4%	0.4%	233
No religion	28,047	28.6%	27.9%	25.1%	149
Religion not stated	7,394	7.5%	7.3%	7.2%	164

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	
All usual residents	98,193	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	45,752	46.6%	47.2%	47.6%	371
Good health	35,097	35.7%	35.2%	33.6%	78
Fair health	13,037	13.3%	12.9%	13.2%	334
Bad health	3,337	3.4%	3.6%	4.3%	503
Very bad health	970	1.0%	1.0%	1.3%	486

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
All households	41,898	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	31,284	74.7%	67.6%	63.5%	77
Owned outright	17,002	40.6%	32.9%	30.6%	67
Owned with a mortgage or loan	14,282	34.1%	34.7%	32.9%	311
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	381	0.9%	0.7%	0.7%	142
Social rented¹	4,833	11.5%	15.7%	18.2%	520
Rented from council (Local Authority)	1,161	2.8%	7.8%		537
Other social rented	3,672	8.8%	7.9%	8.3%	239
Private rented	4,688	11.2%	14.7%	16.3%	508
Private landlord or letting agency	4,192	10.0%	13.3%	14.8%	506
Other private rented	496	1.2%	1.4%	1.4%	423
Living rent free	712	1.7%	1.3%	1.4%	121

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	
All households	41,898	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	4,606	11.0%	18.5%	26.0%	633
1 car or van in household	17,528	41.8%	42.9%	42.2%	427
2 cars or vans in household	14,727	35.1%	29.1%	24.5%	44
3 cars or vans in household	3,631	8.7%	6.9%	5.4%	59
4 or more cars or vans in household	1,406	3.4%	2.6%	1.9%	79

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	80,845	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	17,979	22.2%	22.5%	23.2%	359
Level 1 qualifications	10,907	13.5%	14.6%	14.1%	382
Level 2 qualifications	13,809	17.1%	16.2%	15.2%	101
Apprenticeship ¹	3,339	4.1%	3.7%	...	219
Level 3 qualifications	9,377	11.6%	11.8%	12.1%	368
Level 4 qualifications and above	22,202	27.5%	25.7%	27.0%	260
Other qualifications ¹	3,232	4.0%	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	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	71,086	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	50,229	70.7%	71.6%	69.5%	260
Employee: Part-time	11,015	15.5%	14.3%	13.7%	75
Employee: Full-time	26,693	37.6%	40.0%	38.5%	388
Self-employed	8,919	12.5%	10.5%	9.5%	91
Unemployed	1,935	2.7%	3.8%	4.4%	589
Full-time student	1,667	2.3%	3.0%	3.5%	563
Economically inactive	20,857	29.3%	28.4%	30.5%	391
Retired	12,985	18.3%	14.4%	13.9%	90
Student (including full-time students)	2,214	3.1%	4.6%	5.8%	601
Looking after home or family	2,789	3.9%	4.5%	4.3%	361
Long-term sick or disabled	1,949	2.7%	3.1%	4.3%	530
Other	920	1.3%	1.8%	2.2%	610
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In employment	46,627	65.6%	64.8%	61.6%	168
Unemployed	1,935	2.7%	3.8%	4.4%	589
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	578	0.8%	1.1%	1.2%	532
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	481	0.7%	0.8%	0.8%	533
Unemployed: Never worked	233	0.3%	0.5%	0.7%	528
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	714	1.0%	1.5%	1.7%	581

Table KS605: Industry

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	48,013	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	1,512	3.1%	1.1%	1.0%	61
Mining and quarrying	126	0.3%	0.1%	0.3%	173
Manufacturing	4,429	9.2%	8.7%	8.9%	305
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	166	0.3%	0.4%	0.6%	470
Water supply ¹	289	0.6%	0.7%	0.7%	442
Construction	4,125	8.6%	8.6%	7.7%	208
Wholesale and retail trade ²	7,825	16.3%	16.4%	15.9%	293
Transport and storage	1,850	3.9%	5.3%	4.9%	487
Accommodation and food service activities	2,031	4.2%	4.7%	5.6%	551
Information and communication	1,171	2.4%	3.9%	3.8%	439
Financial and insurance activities	2,521	5.3%	5.0%	4.3%	152
Real estate activities	807	1.7%	1.4%	1.4%	117
Professional, scientific and technical activities	3,189	6.6%	6.8%	6.4%	194
Administrative and support service activities	1,865	3.9%	4.8%	4.8%	557
Public administration and defence ³	2,523	5.3%	5.6%	6.1%	418
Education	5,002	10.4%	9.9%	9.8%	190
Human health and social work activities	6,430	13.4%	11.5%	12.8%	277
Other	2,152	4.5%	5.0%	5.0%	406

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	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census	48,013	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	5,714	11.9%	11.4%	10.5%	161
Professional occupations	8,444	17.6%	16.7%	17.3%	239
Associate professional and technical occupations	5,709	11.9%	12.9%	12.6%	329
Administrative and secretarial occupations	5,422	11.3%	12.0%	11.5%	321
Skilled trades occupations	6,677	13.9%	12.0%	11.6%	120
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	4,500	9.4%	9.3%	9.4%	352
Sales and customer service occupations	3,583	7.5%	7.9%	8.6%	476
Process, plant and machine operatives	3,315	6.9%	7.3%	7.3%	377
Elementary occupations	4,649	9.7%	10.6%	11.2%	467

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

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	East of England	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	71,086	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	8,143	11.5%	10.9%	10.0%	191
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,893	2.7%	2.6%	2.3%	190
Higher professional occupations	6,250	8.8%	8.3%	7.8%	189
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	16,413	23.1%	21.7%	20.7%	176
Intermediate	9,530	13.4%	13.9%	12.8%	249
Small employers and own account workers	9,047	12.7%	10.3%	9.2%	69
Lower supervisory and technical	4,960	7.0%	7.0%	7.1%	376
Semi-routine occupations	10,354	14.6%	14.1%	14.2%	335
Routine	6,926	9.7%	10.5%	11.3%	437
Never worked and long-term unemployed	1,941	2.7%	4.1%	5.6%	579
Never worked	1,227	1.7%	2.6%	3.8%	570
Long-term unemployed	714	1.0%	1.5%	1.7%	581
Not classified	3,772	5.3%	7.4%	9.0%	606
Full-time students	3,772	5.3%	7.4%	9.0%	606

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	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment	48,013	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	3,672	7.6%	5.7%	5.9%	171
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	704	1.5%	8.4%	8.5%	491
Bus or coach	2,032	4.2%	3.7%	7.5%	413
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	36,622	76.3%	68.0%	64.0%	114
Bicycle	1,430	3.0%	3.5%	2.7%	174
On Foot	3,184	6.6%	10.1%	10.6%	584
Other	369	0.8%	0.6%	0.7%	152

Table: Earnings and unemployment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	£pw		East of England	United Kingdom	
Average earnings of full-time employees	510 ¹		94%	98%	280
	Number	% ²			
Unemployed (out of work benefits)					
Benefit claimants (Dec 2014)	582	1.2%	1.8%	2.7%	532
Change over 1 year		-37.3%	-36.8%	-30.0%	505
Change over 4 years		-45.1%	-49.4%	-41.0%	356

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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