

Census data for Parliamentary constituencies in UK, 2011

Wirral West

Table KS101: Usual resident population

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	69,209	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	32,810	47.4%	49.1%	49.1%	643
Females	36,399	52.6%	50.9%	50.9%	8
People living in households	68,430	98.9%	98.2%	98.2%	258
People living in communal establishments	779	1.1%	1.8%	1.8%	354
Students living away from home ¹	1,223	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	14.6	-	-	-	271

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	69,209	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	11,827	17.1%	18.6%	18.8%	521
16 to 24	6,371	9.2%	12.1%	11.9%	586
25 to 44	14,552	21.0%	26.4%	27.3%	624
45 to 64	20,578	29.7%	26.0%	25.6%	50
65 and older	15,881	22.9%	16.6%	16.4%	37

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	30,107	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	9,399	31.2%	32.2%	30.6%	238
Aged 65 and older	5,214	17.3%	12.8%	12.5%	13
Aged under 65	4,185	13.9%	19.4%	18.1%	557
One family	19,395	64.4%	61.2%	61.7%	299
Lone parent with dependent children	1,910	6.3%	8.1%	7.2%	396
Other	1,313	4.4%	6.6%	7.7%	569

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	30,107	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	12,026	39.9%	36.4%	33.9%	72
With dependent children	870	2.9%	4.7%	4.2%	457
Without dependent children	11,156	37.1%	31.7%	29.7%	28

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	69,209	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	67,361	97.3%	90.2%	87.2%	193
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	66,011	95.4%	87.1%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	567	0.8%	0.9%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	14	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	769	1.1%	2.1%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	653	0.9%	1.6%	2.0%	426
White and Black Caribbean	169	0.2%	0.6%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	63	0.1%	0.3%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	234	0.3%	0.4%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	187	0.3%	0.3%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	937	1.4%	6.2%	6.9%	435
Indian	325	0.5%	1.5%	2.3%	
Pakistani	70	0.1%	2.7%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	27	0.0%	0.7%	0.7%	
Chinese	255	0.4%	0.7%	0.7%	
Other Asian	260	0.4%	0.7%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	105	0.2%	1.4%	3.0%	583
African	50	0.1%	0.8%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	23	0.0%	0.3%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	32	0.0%	0.2%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	153	0.2%	0.6%	0.9%	400
Arab	65	0.1%	0.3%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	88	0.1%	0.3%	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 British².

Table KS204: Country of birth

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	69,209	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	66,401	95.9%	91.8%	87.3%	129
England	63,874	92.3%	89.0%	71.9%	125
Scotland	888	1.3%	1.4%	8.2%	330
Wales	1,261	1.8%	0.9%	4.4%	77
Northern Ireland	372	0.5%	0.5%	2.9%	120
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	6	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	280
Ireland	398	0.6%	0.7%	0.7%	285
Other European Union	693	1.0%	2.0%	3.5%	599
Member states in March 2001	521	0.8%	0.8%	1.6%	450
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	172	0.2%	1.2%	1.9%	643
Other countries	1,717	2.5%	5.5%	8.4%	462

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	North West	England & Wales	
All usual residents	69,209	...	7,052,177
All passports ³	59,735
No passport	9,827	14.2%	17.9%	16.9%	417
United Kingdom	58,257	84.2%	77.9%	75.2%	30
Republic of Ireland	326	0.5%	0.6%	1.4%	297
Other Europe: EU countries	403	0.6%	1.8%	3.4%	565
Other Europe: Non EU countries	47	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	462
Africa	99	0.1%	0.5%	0.9%	504
Middle East and Asia	300	0.4%	1.4%	2.0%	442
North America and the Caribbean	157	0.2%	0.2%	0.6%	388
Central America	5	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	292
South America	15	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	434
Antarctica and Oceania	126	0.2%	0.1%	0.4%	311

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	30,107	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)	29,611	98.4%	94.2%	91.2%	64
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	299	1.0%	2.4%	3.7%	490
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)	65	0.2%	0.5%	0.8%	369
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	132	0.4%	2.9%	4.3%	571

... 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	69,209	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	50,317	72.7%	67.3%	59.3%	30
Buddhist	213	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	285
Hindu	177	0.3%	0.5%	1.5%	375
Jewish	73	0.1%	0.4%	0.5%	257
Muslim	245	0.4%	5.1%	4.8%	465
Sikh	31	0.0%	0.1%	0.8%	462
Other religion	184	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	496
No religion	13,093	18.9%	19.8%	25.1%	494
Religion not stated	4,876	7.0%	6.2%	7.2%	293

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	69,209	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	33,168	47.9%	46.5%	47.6%	266
Good health	22,013	31.8%	32.8%	33.6%	522
Fair health	9,605	13.9%	13.9%	13.2%	252
Bad health	3,353	4.8%	5.3%	4.3%	204
Very bad health	1,070	1.5%	1.5%	1.3%	154

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All households	30,107	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	23,668	78.6%	64.5%	63.5%	28
Owned outright	12,620	41.9%	31.0%	30.6%	38
Owned with a mortgage or loan	11,048	36.7%	33.5%	32.9%	189
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	135	0.4%	0.5%	0.7%	454
Social rented¹	2,973	9.9%	18.3%	18.2%	590
Rented from council (Local Authority)	1,356	4.5%	7.7%		470
Other social rented	1,617	5.4%	10.6%	8.3%	432
Private rented	3,008	10.0%	15.4%	16.3%	578
Private landlord or letting agency	2,691	8.9%	14.1%	14.8%	573
Other private rented	317	1.1%	1.3%	1.4%	518
Living rent free	323	1.1%	1.3%	1.4%	470

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	30,107	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	5,910	19.6%	28.0%	26.0%	410
1 car or van in household	13,112	43.6%	42.5%	42.2%	220
2 cars or vans in household	8,766	29.1%	23.5%	24.5%	211
3 cars or vans in household	1,753	5.8%	4.6%	5.4%	291
4 or more cars or vans in household	566	1.9%	1.4%	1.9%	302

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	North West	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	57,382	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	11,323	19.7%	24.8%	23.2%	466
Level 1 qualifications	6,657	11.6%	13.6%	14.1%	537
Level 2 qualifications	9,262	16.1%	15.8%	15.2%	285
Apprenticeship ¹	2,483	4.3%	3.9%	...	176
Level 3 qualifications	7,006	12.2%	12.9%	12.1%	227
Level 4 qualifications and above	18,712	32.6%	24.4%	27.0%	125
Other qualifications ¹	1,939	3.4%	4.5%

... Not available

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	49,056	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	32,892	67.0%	67.8%	69.5%	486
Employee: Part-time	7,362	15.0%	13.9%	13.7%	148
Employee: Full-time	17,826	36.3%	37.5%	38.5%	459
Self-employed	4,650	9.5%	8.2%	9.5%	305
Unemployed	1,823	3.7%	4.7%	4.4%	412
Full-time student	1,231	2.5%	3.5%	3.5%	480
Economically inactive	16,164	33.0%	32.2%	30.5%	165
Retired	9,478	19.3%	14.8%	13.9%	42
Student (including full-time students)	2,310	4.7%	5.6%	5.8%	256
Looking after home or family	1,627	3.3%	3.9%	4.3%	543
Long-term sick or disabled	2,065	4.2%	5.6%	4.3%	303
Other	684	1.4%	2.2%	2.2%	570
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In employment	29,838	60.8%	59.6%	61.6%	391
Unemployed	1,823	3.7%	4.7%	4.4%	412
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	513	1.0%	1.4%	1.2%	400
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	475	1.0%	0.8%	0.8%	103
Unemployed: Never worked	266	0.5%	0.8%	0.7%	355
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	666	1.4%	1.8%	1.7%	430

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	30,831	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	68	0.2%	0.7%	1.0%	410
Mining and quarrying	50	0.2%	0.1%	0.3%	259
Manufacturing	2,503	8.1%	10.3%	8.9%	374
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	120	0.4%	0.6%	0.6%	423
Water supply ¹	191	0.6%	0.8%	0.7%	421
Construction	2,162	7.0%	7.4%	7.7%	478
Wholesale and retail trade ²	4,009	13.0%	16.7%	15.9%	587
Transport and storage	1,164	3.8%	5.0%	4.9%	503
Accommodation and food service activities	1,414	4.6%	5.9%	5.6%	473
Information and communication	897	2.9%	2.9%	3.8%	325
Financial and insurance activities	1,205	3.9%	3.5%	4.3%	281
Real estate activities	546	1.8%	1.4%	1.4%	82
Professional, scientific and technical activities	2,247	7.3%	5.6%	6.4%	152
Administrative and support service activities	1,118	3.6%	4.9%	4.8%	596
Public administration and defence ³	2,507	8.1%	6.0%	6.1%	91
Education	3,990	12.9%	9.7%	9.8%	37
Human health and social work activities	5,159	16.7%	13.9%	12.8%	39
Other	1,481	4.8%	4.6%	5.0%	281

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	30,831	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	3,355	10.9%	9.9%	10.5%	250
Professional occupations	7,148	23.2%	16.3%	17.3%	72
Associate professional and technical occupations	4,038	13.1%	11.5%	12.6%	199
Administrative and secretarial occupations	3,925	12.7%	11.8%	11.5%	127
Skilled trades occupations	3,187	10.3%	11.3%	11.6%	475
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	2,822	9.2%	10.1%	9.4%	402
Sales and customer service occupations	2,205	7.2%	9.4%	8.6%	520
Process, plant and machine operatives	1,678	5.4%	8.1%	7.3%	504
Elementary occupations	2,473	8.0%	11.6%	11.2%	574

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	49,056	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	6,364	13.0%	8.9%	10.0%	137
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,330	2.7%	2.1%	2.3%	175
Higher professional occupations	5,034	10.3%	6.8%	7.8%	125
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	12,431	25.3%	19.4%	20.7%	72
Intermediate	7,195	14.7%	13.1%	12.8%	120
Small employers and own account workers	4,320	8.8%	8.5%	9.2%	350
Lower supervisory and technical	3,229	6.6%	7.4%	7.1%	446
Semi-routine occupations	6,130	12.5%	15.1%	14.2%	474
Routine	4,078	8.3%	12.3%	11.3%	512
Never worked and long-term unemployed	1,878	3.8%	6.2%	5.6%	419
Never worked	1,212	2.5%	4.3%	3.8%	421
Long-term unemployed	666	1.4%	1.8%	1.7%	431
Not classified	3,431	7.0%	9.0%	9.0%	296
Full-time students	3,431	7.0%	9.0%	9.0%	296

1. The full name for this category in NS-SeC is " Large employers and higher managerial and administrative occupations".