

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Wolverhampton South East

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	88,177	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	43,527	49.4%	49.3%	49.1%	194
Females	44,650	50.6%	50.7%	50.9%	457
People living in households	87,438	99.2%	98.4%	98.2%	153
People living in communal establishments	739	0.8%	1.6%	1.8%	483
Students living away from home ¹	545	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	35.6	-	-	-	123

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	88,177	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	18,301	20.8%	19.6%	18.8%	91
16 to 24	10,761	12.2%	12.1%	11.9%	168
25 to 44	24,603	27.9%	26.3%	27.3%	193
45 to 64	20,449	23.2%	25.2%	25.6%	519
65 and older	14,063	15.9%	16.9%	16.4%	384

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	35,388	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	10,832	30.6%	29.6%	30.6%	271
Aged 65 and older	4,530	12.8%	12.6%	12.5%	303
Aged under 65	6,302	17.8%	16.9%	18.1%	258
One family	21,545	60.9%	63.2%	61.7%	454
Lone parent with dependent children	3,603	10.2%	7.5%	7.2%	48
Other	3,011	8.5%	7.3%	7.7%	159

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	35,388	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	14,474	40.9%	35.2%	33.9%	56
With dependent children	2,927	8.3%	4.8%	4.2%	23
Without dependent children	11,547	32.6%	30.3%	29.7%	191

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	88,177	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	58,689	66.6%	82.7%	87.2%	588
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	56,594	64.2%	79.2%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	281	0.3%	1.0%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	143	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	1,671	1.9%	2.5%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	4,328	4.9%	2.4%	2.0%	44
White and Black Caribbean	3,055	3.5%	1.2%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	129	0.1%	0.2%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	697	0.8%	0.6%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	447	0.5%	0.4%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	17,782	20.2%	10.8%	6.9%	46
Indian	14,464	16.4%	3.9%	2.3%	
Pakistani	677	0.8%	4.1%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	65	0.1%	0.9%	0.7%	
Chinese	362	0.4%	0.6%	0.7%	
Other Asian	2,214	2.5%	1.3%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	5,571	6.3%	3.3%	3.0%	80
African	1,125	1.3%	1.1%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	3,216	3.6%	1.5%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	1,230	1.4%	0.6%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	1,807	2.0%	0.9%	0.9%	76
Arab	81	0.1%	0.3%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	1,726	2.0%	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	88,177	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	74,482	84.5%	88.8%	87.3%	509
England	73,708	83.6%	86.1%	71.9%	382
Scotland	335	0.4%	0.9%	8.2%	639
Wales	324	0.4%	1.4%	4.4%	543
Northern Ireland	104	0.1%	0.3%	2.9%	648
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	11	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	193
Ireland	261	0.3%	0.8%	0.7%	539
Other European Union	1,729	2.0%	2.4%	3.5%	412
Member states in March 2001	489	0.6%	0.9%	1.6%	566
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	1,240	1.4%	1.5%	1.9%	300
Other countries	11,705	13.3%	8.1%	8.4%	107

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	West Midlands	England and Wales	
All usual residents	88,177	...	5,601,847
All passports ³	63,846
No passport	24,564	27.9%	20.5%	16.9%	16
United Kingdom	57,463	65.2%	73.9%	75.2%	563
Republic of Ireland	151	0.2%	0.6%	1.4%	553
Other Europe: EU countries	1,797	2.0%	2.3%	3.4%	294
Other Europe: Non EU countries	37	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	561
Africa	571	0.6%	0.6%	0.9%	211
Middle East and Asia	3,415	3.9%	2.0%	2.0%	71
North America and the Caribbean	374	0.4%	0.3%	0.6%	213
Central America	3	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	451
South America	12	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	519
Antarctica and Oceania	23	0.0%	0.1%	0.4%	586

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	35,388	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)	30,694	86.7%	91.9%	91.2%	486
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	2,322	6.6%	3.7%	3.7%	87
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)	356	1.0%	0.7%	0.8%	117
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	2,016	5.7%	3.7%	4.3%	116

... 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	88,177	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	47,634	54.0%	60.2%	59.3%	449
Buddhist	264	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	299
Hindu	4,366	5.0%	1.3%	1.5%	27
Jewish	19	0.0%	0.1%	0.5%	541
Muslim	1,512	1.7%	6.7%	4.8%	250
Sikh	10,214	11.6%	2.4%	0.8%	5
Other religion	1,513	1.7%	0.5%	0.4%	3
No religion	17,058	19.3%	22.0%	25.1%	489
Religion not stated	5,597	6.3%	6.6%	7.2%	458

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	88,177	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	35,414	40.2%	45.1%	47.6%	642
Good health	31,289	35.5%	34.8%	33.6%	106
Fair health	14,396	16.3%	14.0%	13.2%	28
Bad health	5,461	6.2%	4.7%	4.3%	52
Very bad health	1,617	1.8%	1.4%	1.3%	60

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	35,388	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	19,167	54.2%	64.9%	63.5%	553
Owned outright	9,864	27.9%	32.3%	30.6%	455
Owned with a mortgage or loan	9,303	26.3%	32.6%	32.9%	587
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	124	0.4%	0.7%	0.7%	531
Social rented¹	11,321	32.0%	19.0%	18.2%	40
Rented from council (Local Authority)	9,406	26.6%	10.9%		14
Other social rented	1,915	5.4%	8.1%	8.3%	428
Private rented	4,081	11.5%	14.0%	16.3%	488
Private landlord or letting agency	3,786	10.7%	12.8%	14.8%	456
Other private rented	295	0.8%	1.2%	1.4%	627
Living rent free	695	2.0%	1.5%	1.4%	68

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	35,388	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	12,634	35.7%	24.7%	26.0%	97
1 car or van in household	14,702	41.5%	41.5%	42.2%	460
2 cars or vans in household	6,189	17.5%	25.8%	24.5%	542
3 cars or vans in household	1,420	4.0%	5.9%	5.4%	486
4 or more cars or vans in household	443	1.3%	2.1%	1.9%	451

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	69,876	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	25,972	37.2%	26.6%	23.2%	9
Level 1 qualifications	10,380	14.9%	13.7%	14.1%	195
Level 2 qualifications	10,280	14.7%	15.4%	15.2%	459
Apprenticeship ¹	1,772	2.5%	3.3%	...	497
Level 3 qualifications	6,687	9.6%	12.3%	12.1%	609
Level 4 qualifications and above	9,720	13.9%	23.3%	27.0%	641
Other qualifications ¹	5,065	7.2%	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	63,230	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	41,294	65.3%	68.3%	69.5%	562
Employee: Part-time	8,549	13.5%	14.0%	13.7%	448
Employee: Full-time	22,021	34.8%	37.4%	38.5%	521
Self-employed	3,441	5.4%	8.5%	9.5%	615
Unemployed	5,459	8.6%	5.1%	4.4%	3
Full-time student	1,824	2.9%	3.3%	3.5%	299
Economically inactive	21,936	34.7%	31.7%	30.5%	89
Retired	8,623	13.6%	14.4%	13.9%	391
Student (including full-time students)	3,505	5.5%	5.9%	5.8%	191
Looking after home or family	3,723	5.9%	4.6%	4.3%	48
Long-term sick or disabled	3,961	6.3%	4.4%	4.3%	99
Other	2,124	3.4%	2.4%	2.2%	61
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In employment	34,011	53.8%	59.9%	61.6%	600
Unemployed	5,459	8.6%	5.1%	4.4%	3
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	1,560	2.5%	1.5%	1.2%	6
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	919	1.5%	0.9%	0.8%	1
Unemployed: Never worked	1,128	1.8%	0.9%	0.7%	13
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	2,493	3.9%	2.1%	1.7%	1

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	35,273	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	54	0.2%	0.9%	1.0%	462
Mining and quarrying	16	0.0%	0.1%	0.3%	565
Manufacturing	5,662	16.1%	12.3%	8.9%	29
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	265	0.8%	0.7%	0.6%	159
Water supply ¹	433	1.2%	0.8%	0.7%	27
Construction	2,597	7.4%	7.5%	7.7%	429
Wholesale and retail trade ²	6,922	19.6%	17.1%	15.9%	27
Transport and storage	2,324	6.6%	5.2%	4.9%	67
Accommodation and food service activities	1,735	4.9%	5.2%	5.6%	374
Information and communication	644	1.8%	2.9%	3.8%	570
Financial and insurance activities	1,012	2.9%	3.1%	4.3%	420
Real estate activities	435	1.2%	1.4%	1.4%	420
Professional, scientific and technical activities	1,024	2.9%	5.1%	6.4%	635
Administrative and support service activities	1,709	4.8%	4.7%	4.8%	254
Public administration and defence ³	1,674	4.7%	5.3%	6.1%	503
Education	2,858	8.1%	10.2%	9.8%	539
Human health and social work activities	4,572	13.0%	12.9%	12.8%	339
Other	1,337	3.8%	4.5%	5.0%	621

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	35,273	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	2,509	7.1%	10.1%	10.5%	609
Professional occupations	3,494	9.9%	15.8%	17.3%	639
Associate professional and technical occupations	3,039	8.6%	11.1%	12.6%	627
Administrative and secretarial occupations	3,931	11.1%	11.4%	11.5%	343
Skilled trades occupations	4,623	13.1%	12.2%	11.6%	189
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	3,812	10.8%	9.5%	9.4%	122
Sales and customer service occupations	3,599	10.2%	8.6%	8.6%	109
Process, plant and machine operatives	4,683	13.3%	8.8%	7.3%	10
Elementary occupations	5,583	15.8%	12.5%	11.2%	39

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	63,230	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	2,650	4.2%	8.7%	10.0%	640
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	728	1.2%	2.1%	2.3%	609
Higher professional occupations	1,922	3.0%	6.6%	7.8%	640
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	7,975	12.6%	18.8%	20.7%	644
Intermediate	6,755	10.7%	12.4%	12.8%	557
Small employers and own account workers	4,015	6.3%	8.7%	9.2%	578
Lower supervisory and technical	4,813	7.6%	7.2%	7.1%	267
Semi-routine occupations	12,978	20.5%	15.5%	14.2%	5
Routine	11,755	18.6%	12.9%	11.3%	17
Never worked and long-term unemployed	7,149	11.3%	6.8%	5.6%	35
Never worked	4,656	7.4%	4.8%	3.8%	53
Long-term unemployed	2,493	3.9%	2.1%	1.7%	1
Not classified	5,140	8.1%	9.0%	9.0%	217
Full-time students	5,140	8.1%	9.0%	9.0%	217

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	35,273	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	754	2.1%	4.8%	5.9%	642
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	1,674	4.7%	2.8%	8.5%	240
Bus or coach	3,908	11.1%	7.7%	7.5%	145
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	24,322	69.0%	72.3%	64.0%	351
Bicycle	784	2.2%	2.0%	2.7%	273
On Foot	3,651	10.4%	9.9%	10.6%	272
Other	180	0.5%	0.5%	0.7%	498

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)	2,684	6.6%	3.2%	2.7%	20
Change over 1 year		-32.0%	-33.1%	-30.0%	344
Change over 4 years		-34.8%	-44.3%	-41.0%	133

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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