

Constituency Explorer Area Profile

Worcester

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	98,768	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Males	48,563	49.2%	49.3%	49.1%	270
Females	50,205	50.8%	50.7%	50.9%	381
People living in households	96,854	98.1%	98.4%	98.2%	410
People living in communal establishments	1,914	1.9%	1.6%	1.8%	183
Students living away from home ¹	1,094	-	-	-	-
Population density (people per hectare)	29.7	-	-	-	171

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	98,768	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
0 to 15	18,477	18.7%	19.6%	18.8%	297
16 to 24	12,891	13.1%	12.1%	11.9%	105
25 to 44	28,510	28.9%	26.3%	27.3%	150
45 to 64	24,281	24.6%	25.2%	25.6%	462
65 and older	14,609	14.8%	16.9%	16.4%	474

Table KS105: Household composition

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	42,042	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
One person	13,135	31.2%	29.6%	30.6%	237
Aged 65 and older	4,876	11.6%	12.6%	12.5%	453
Aged under 65	8,259	19.6%	16.9%	18.1%	163
One family	25,876	61.5%	63.2%	61.7%	427
Lone parent with dependent children	2,979	7.1%	7.5%	7.2%	303
Other	3,031	7.2%	7.3%	7.7%	211

Table KS106: Households where adults are not in employment

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	42,042	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No adults in employment in household	12,650	30.1%	35.2%	33.9%	501
With dependent children	1,505	3.6%	4.8%	4.2%	361
Without dependent children	11,145	26.5%	30.3%	29.7%	498

Table KS201: Ethnic group

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	98,768	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
White	92,294	93.4%	82.7%	87.2%	360
English/Welsh/Scottish/Northern Irish/British	88,016	89.1%	79.2%	80.5% ¹	
Irish	583	0.6%	1.0%	0.9% ¹	
Gypsy or Irish Traveller	113	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	
Other White	3,582	3.6%	2.5%	4.4% ¹	
Mixed/multiple ethnic groups	1,395	1.4%	2.4%	2.0%	297
White and Black Caribbean	474	0.5%	1.2%	0.8% ¹	
White and Black African	199	0.2%	0.2%	0.3% ¹	
White and Asian	439	0.4%	0.6%	0.6% ¹	
Other Mixed	283	0.3%	0.4%	0.5% ¹	
Asian/Asian British	4,366	4.4%	10.8%	6.9%	253
Indian	806	0.8%	3.9%	2.3%	
Pakistani	1,923	1.9%	4.1%	1.9%	
Bangladeshi	449	0.5%	0.9%	0.7%	
Chinese	391	0.4%	0.6%	0.7%	
Other Asian	797	0.8%	1.3%	1.4%	
Black/African/Caribbean/Black British²	473	0.5%	3.3%	3.0%	379
African	226	0.2%	1.1%	1.8% ¹	
Caribbean	186	0.2%	1.5%	1.1% ¹	
Other Black	61	0.1%	0.6%	0.5% ¹	
Other ethnic group	240	0.2%	0.9%	0.9%	374
Arab	61	0.1%	0.3%	0.4% ¹	
Any other ethnic group	179	0.2%	0.6%	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	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents	98,768	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
United Kingdom	90,700	91.8%	88.8%	87.3%	348
England	87,369	88.5%	86.1%	71.9%	267
Scotland	999	1.0%	0.9%	8.2%	462
Wales	1,972	2.0%	1.4%	4.4%	69
Northern Ireland	356	0.4%	0.3%	2.9%	338
United Kingdom (not specified) ¹	4	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	468
Ireland	476	0.5%	0.8%	0.7%	357
Other European Union	3,375	3.4%	2.4%	3.5%	211
Member states in March 2001	1,380	1.4%	0.9%	1.6%	220
Accession states: April 2001 to March 2011	1,995	2.0%	1.5%	1.9%	198
Other countries	4,217	4.3%	8.1%	8.4%	326

Table KS205: Passports held

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank ²
	Count	%	West Midlands	England and Wales	
All usual residents	98,768	...	5,601,847
All passports ³	78,575
No passport	20,715	21.0%	20.5%	16.9%	172
United Kingdom	73,307	74.2%	73.9%	75.2%	371
Republic of Ireland	406	0.4%	0.6%	1.4%	345
Other Europe: EU countries	3,022	3.1%	2.3%	3.4%	201
Other Europe: Non EU countries	121	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	295
Africa	264	0.3%	0.6%	0.9%	369
Middle East and Asia	1,017	1.0%	2.0%	2.0%	277
North America and the Caribbean	207	0.2%	0.3%	0.6%	411
Central America	10	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	220
South America	58	0.1%	0.0%	0.1%	215
Antarctica and Oceania	163	0.2%	0.1%	0.4%	335

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	42,042	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)	39,609	94.2%	91.9%	91.2%	354
At least one but not all people aged 16 and over in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	1,027	2.4%	3.7%	3.7%	257
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)	186	0.4%	0.7%	0.8%	240
No people in household have English as a main language (English or Welsh in Wales)	1,220	2.9%	3.7%	4.3%	229

... 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	98,768	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Christian	62,911	63.7%	60.2%	59.3%	219
Buddhist	307	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	281
Hindu	249	0.3%	1.3%	1.5%	378
Jewish	32	0.0%	0.1%	0.5%	507
Muslim	2,847	2.9%	6.7%	4.8%	194
Sikh	139	0.1%	2.4%	0.8%	292
Other religion	345	0.3%	0.5%	0.4%	349
No religion	25,419	25.7%	22.0%	25.1%	277
Religion not stated	6,519	6.6%	6.6%	7.2%	406

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	98,768	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Very good health	46,851	47.4%	45.1%	47.6%	307
Good health	34,497	34.9%	34.8%	33.6%	190
Fair health	12,625	12.8%	14.0%	13.2%	387
Bad health	3,780	3.8%	4.7%	4.3%	404
Very bad health	1,015	1.0%	1.4%	1.3%	463

Table KS402: Tenure

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All households	42,042	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Owned	27,077	64.4%	64.9%	63.5%	400
Owned outright	12,181	29.0%	32.3%	30.6%	420
Owned with a mortgage or loan	14,896	35.4%	32.6%	32.9%	247
Shared ownership (part owned & rented)	436	1.0%	0.7%	0.7%	104
Social rented¹	6,438	15.3%	19.0%	18.2%	338
Rented from council (Local Authority)	2,356	5.6%	10.9%		434
Other social rented	4,082	9.7%	8.1%	8.3%	191
Private rented	7,645	18.2%	14.0%	16.3%	162
Private landlord or letting agency	7,093	16.9%	12.8%	14.8%	156
Other private rented	552	1.3%	1.2%	1.4%	316
Living rent free	446	1.1%	1.5%	1.4%	477

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	42,042	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No cars or vans in household	9,429	22.4%	24.7%	26.0%	341
1 car or van in household	18,357	43.7%	41.5%	42.2%	207
2 cars or vans in household	11,406	27.1%	25.8%	24.5%	278
3 cars or vans in household	2,175	5.2%	5.9%	5.4%	364
4 or more cars or vans in household	675	1.6%	2.1%	1.9%	371

Table KS501: Highest level of qualification

	Constituency		Region and Nation (%)		Constituency Rank
	Count	%	West Midlands	United Kingdom	
All usual residents aged 16 and older	80,291	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
No qualifications	17,116	21.3%	26.6%	23.2%	392
Level 1 qualifications	10,235	12.7%	13.7%	14.1%	459
Level 2 qualifications	11,928	14.9%	15.4%	15.2%	448
Apprenticeship ¹	3,116	3.9%	3.3%	...	280
Level 3 qualifications	11,644	14.5%	12.3%	12.1%	56
Level 4 qualifications and above	22,211	27.7%	23.3%	27.0%	254
Other qualifications ¹	4,041	5.0%	5.4%

... Not available

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	73,382	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Economically active	53,966	73.5%	68.3%	69.5%	95
Employee: Part-time	11,000	15.0%	14.0%	13.7%	151
Employee: Full-time	30,777	41.9%	37.4%	38.5%	117
Self-employed	5,755	7.8%	8.5%	9.5%	437
Unemployed	3,071	4.2%	5.1%	4.4%	333
Full-time student	3,363	4.6%	3.3%	3.5%	97
Economically inactive	19,416	26.5%	31.7%	30.5%	556
Retired	8,918	12.2%	14.4%	13.9%	474
Student (including full-time students)	4,046	5.5%	5.9%	5.8%	194
Looking after home or family	2,713	3.7%	4.6%	4.3%	435
Long-term sick or disabled	2,497	3.4%	4.4%	4.3%	424
Other	1,242	1.7%	2.4%	2.2%	426
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In employment	47,532	64.8%	59.9%	61.6%	203
Unemployed	3,071	4.2%	5.1%	4.4%	333
Unemployed: Age 16 to 24	903	1.2%	1.5%	1.2%	307
Unemployed: Age 50 to 74	616	0.8%	0.9%	0.8%	246
Unemployed: Never worked	398	0.5%	0.9%	0.7%	354
Unemployed: Long-term unemployed	1,213	1.7%	2.1%	1.7%	320

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	50,101	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	122	0.2%	0.9%	1.0%	389
Mining and quarrying	34	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	474
Manufacturing	5,929	11.8%	12.3%	8.9%	143
Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	421	0.8%	0.7%	0.6%	122
Water supply ¹	371	0.7%	0.8%	0.7%	304
Construction	3,110	6.2%	7.5%	7.7%	546
Wholesale and retail trade ²	8,762	17.5%	17.1%	15.9%	163
Transport and storage	2,347	4.7%	5.2%	4.9%	315
Accommodation and food service activities	2,819	5.6%	5.2%	5.6%	245
Information and communication	1,664	3.3%	2.9%	3.8%	273
Financial and insurance activities	1,023	2.0%	3.1%	4.3%	547
Real estate activities	919	1.8%	1.4%	1.4%	60
Professional, scientific and technical activities	2,672	5.3%	5.1%	6.4%	327
Administrative and support service activities	2,190	4.4%	4.7%	4.8%	418
Public administration and defence ³	3,459	6.9%	5.3%	6.1%	184
Education	5,394	10.8%	10.2%	9.8%	151
Human health and social work activities	6,542	13.1%	12.9%	12.8%	322
Other	2,323	4.6%	4.5%	5.0%	342

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	50,101	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Managers, directors and senior officials	4,878	9.7%	10.1%	10.5%	360
Professional occupations	9,078	18.1%	15.8%	17.3%	218
Associate professional and technical occupations	6,085	12.1%	11.1%	12.6%	287
Administrative and secretarial occupations	5,463	10.9%	11.4%	11.5%	383
Skilled trades occupations	5,195	10.4%	12.2%	11.6%	473
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	4,591	9.2%	9.5%	9.4%	399
Sales and customer service occupations	4,859	9.7%	8.6%	8.6%	173
Process, plant and machine operatives	3,968	7.9%	8.8%	7.3%	268
Elementary occupations	5,984	11.9%	12.5%	11.2%	245

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	73,382	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Higher managerial, administrative and professional	7,408	10.1%	8.7%	10.0%	267
Higher managerial and administrative ¹	1,632	2.2%	2.1%	2.3%	295
Higher professional occupations	5,776	7.9%	6.6%	7.8%	257
Lower managerial, administrative and professional	15,973	21.8%	18.8%	20.7%	267
Intermediate	9,205	12.5%	12.4%	12.8%	361
Small employers and own account workers	5,490	7.5%	8.7%	9.2%	478
Lower supervisory and technical	5,296	7.2%	7.2%	7.1%	338
Semi-routine occupations	11,215	15.3%	15.5%	14.2%	277
Routine	8,325	11.3%	12.9%	11.3%	318
Never worked and long-term unemployed	3,224	4.4%	6.8%	5.6%	361
Never worked	2,011	2.7%	4.8%	3.8%	359
Long-term unemployed	1,213	1.7%	2.1%	1.7%	322
Not classified	7,246	9.9%	9.0%	9.0%	149
Full-time students	7,246	9.9%	9.0%	9.0%	149

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	50,101	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-
Work mainly at or from home	2,130	4.3%	4.8%	5.9%	415
Train (Inc. Underground, metro, lightrail, tram)	958	1.9%	2.8%	8.5%	422
Bus or coach	2,274	4.5%	7.7%	7.5%	389
Car (inc. Taxi) or motorcycle	34,400	68.7%	72.3%	64.0%	355
Bicycle	2,132	4.3%	2.0%	2.7%	91
On Foot	7,937	15.8%	9.9%	10.6%	63
Other	270	0.5%	0.5%	0.7%	444

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)	1,180	2.2%	3.2%	2.7%	348
Change over 1 year		-31.9%	-33.1%	-30.0%	341
Change over 4 years		-44.4%	-44.3%	-41.0%	340

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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