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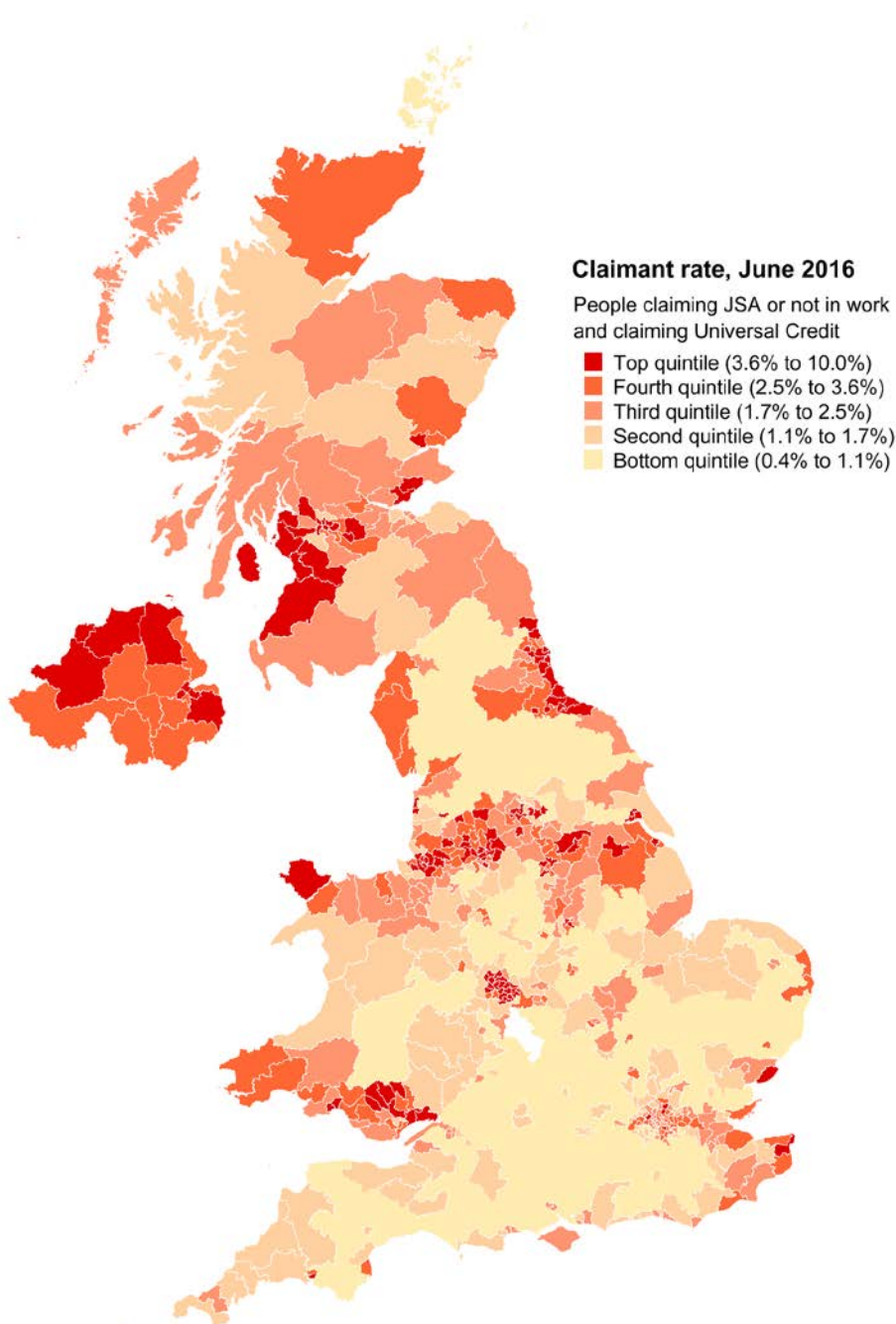
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# Unemployment by Constituency

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## Summary

This paper contains claimant count figures for parliamentary constituencies, as well as a summary of the latest labour market statistics for the UK as a whole.

The **number of people claiming Jobseeker's Allowance or not in work and claiming Universal Credit** was little unchanged between May and June 2016 at 759,100.

The **unemployment rate** was 4.9% in March-May 2016. The **ILO measure of unemployment** was 1.65 million people, down 54,000 or 3.2% from the previous quarter and down 201,000 or 10.9% from a year ago.

The **number of people in employment** was 31.70 million in March-May 2016, up 176,000 or 0.6% from the previous quarter and up 624,000 or 2.0% from the previous year. The **employment rate** was 74.4%, the highest since comparable records began in 1971.

Average weekly **total pay** in Great Britain increased by 2.3% in the three months to May 2016 compared with the previous year. **Regular pay** (excluding bonuses) grew by 2.2%. CPI inflation averaged 0.4% over this period.

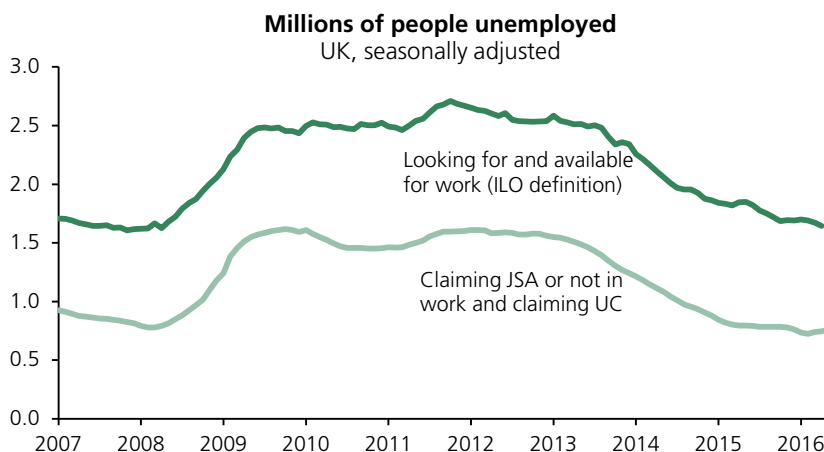
# 1. National employment and unemployment data

## 1.1 Unemployment and the claimant count

**ILO unemployment** was 1.65 million in March-May 2016, down 54,000 from the previous quarter and 201,000 fewer than a year ago.<sup>1</sup>

The **unemployment rate** was 4.9% (the percentage of the economically active population who are unemployed), about the same as the previous quarter. It has not been lower since August-October 2005 (4.9%) and compares to a post-recession high of 8.5% in late 2011.

The **number of people claiming Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) or not in work and claiming Universal Credit (UC)** remained broadly unchanged between May and June 2016 at 759,100 people aged 18 or over.<sup>2</sup> There were 33,900 fewer people claiming JSA or out of work and claiming UC than in June 2015.



### Measuring unemployment

Two sets of statistics may be used to track unemployment.

The standard international measure is the **ILO definition**, which includes everyone looking for and available for work whether or not they are claiming benefits. This is measured using surveys. Data for constituencies and local authorities have a time lag and are subject to more sampling uncertainty.

The **claimant count** is the number of people claiming Jobseeker's Allowance plus the number of people not in work and claiming Universal Credit. This is more timely and is available for local areas, but can be affected by changes to benefit rules.

<sup>1</sup> Much of the data in this section, such as ILO unemployment and employment, are based on estimates from the Labour Force Survey (LFS). As these are liable to sampling variability, small changes in the figures should be interpreted with caution as they may be a result of sampling error. More information on sampling variability is available in Table A11 of ONS' [Labour Market Statistics](#) bulletin.

<sup>2</sup> Figures for claimants aged 18+ are seasonally adjusted to remove the effects of changes to the claimant count that tend to happen every year. Claimant data for constituencies later in this paper are not seasonally adjusted. Section 2 looks at patterns and trends in the non-seasonally adjusted constituency data.

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617,000 **young people** aged 16-24 were unemployed, 13,000 fewer than the previous quarter and 105,000 fewer than a year ago. There were 3.96 million young people in work in March-May 2016, down 16,000 from the previous quarter but up 77,000 from a year ago.

The **unemployment rate** for 16-24 year olds was 13.5%, down from 15.7% a year ago.

461,000 people had been **unemployed for longer than 12 months**, 7,000 fewer than the previous quarter and 110,000 lower than a year ago.

On a **country and regional basis** the unemployment rate was highest in the North East (7.4%) and lowest in the East (3.5%). Regional unemployment data are more volatile than data at the UK level.

The unemployment rate for 16-24 year olds was 13.5%, slightly lower than the pre-recession trough of 13.8% in the three months to February 2008.

## 1.2 Employment

31.70 million people were in **employment** in March-May 2016.

Employment was up 176,000 from the previous quarter and 624,000 from the year before.

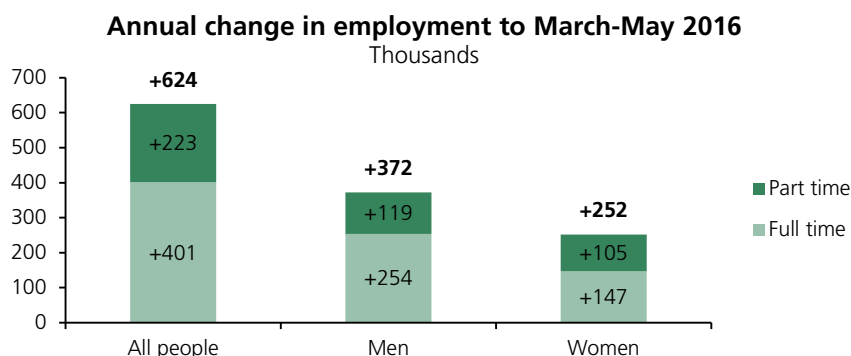
The **employment rate** (the proportion of the population aged 16-64 in work) was 74.4%, the highest since comparable records began in 1971.

14.83 million **women** were in work in March-May 2016, 149,000 more than the previous quarter and up 252,000 from the year before. There was a noticeable increase of 73,000 among women aged 50-64.

The female employment rate was 69.6% - the highest rate since comparable records began in 1971, partly due to ongoing changes to the State Pension age for women.

16.88 million **men** were in work, up 28,000 from the previous quarter and up 372,000 from the year before. The male employment rate was 79.2%.

The employment rate has generally been increasing since 2012. It reached 74.4% in the three months to May 2016, the highest rate since at least 1971.



**Full-time employment** increased by 118,000 over the quarter, to 23.19 million. This reflected more women working full-time: female full-time employment was up 88,000 over the quarter, whilst the number of men working full-time increased by 29,000.

**Part-time employment** increased by 59,000 over the quarter to 8.52 million. The number of men working part-time remained broadly unchanged whereas the number of women working part-time rose by 61,000.

26.71 million people worked as **employees**; an increase of 49,000 over the quarter and 319,000 over the year. The number of people who are **self-employed** rose by 119,000 over the quarter and 300,000 over the year, to 4.79 million.

1.62 million people were in **temporary employment**, or 6.1% of all employees. This was 33,000 lower than the previous quarter and 54,000 lower than a year ago.

### 1.3 Vacancies

There were 747,000 **job vacancies** in April-June 2016, down 10,000 from the previous quarter but 15,000 higher than a year ago.

[Data](#) published on 8 July by Markit (not official statistics) showed evidence of the first fall in permanent placements since September 2012. Employers surveyed for this study cited the uncertainty around Brexit as a reason to cut back on staff appointments in June 2016.<sup>3</sup>

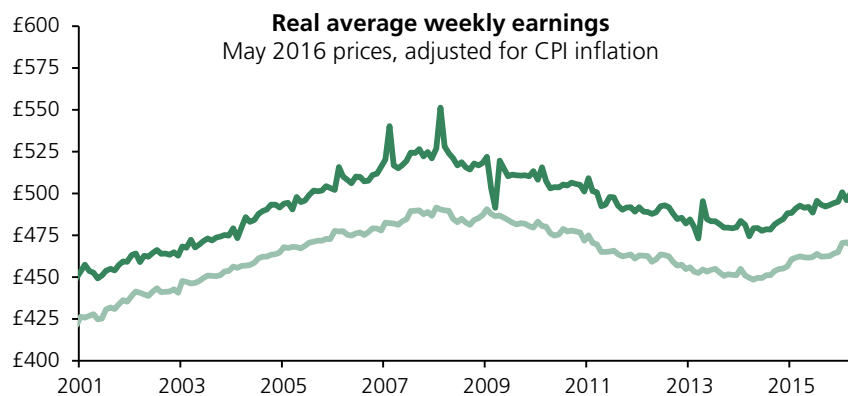
### 1.4 Inactivity

8.87 million people aged 16-64 were **economically inactive** (not in work and not looking for work) in March-May 2016, 46,000 fewer than the previous quarter and 181,000 fewer than the previous year.

The **inactivity rate** (the proportion of the population aged 16-64 who are economically inactive) was 21.6%; roughly the same as the previous quarter but the lowest since comparable records began in 1971.

### 1.5 Earnings

Average weekly **total pay** in Great Britain increased by 2.3% in the three months to May 2016 compared with the previous year. **Regular pay** (excluding bonuses) grew by 2.2%. CPI inflation averaged 0.4% over this period.



Average total pay was 2.5% higher in the private sector and 1.7% higher in the public sector compared with the previous year. Regular pay (excluding bonuses) grew by 2.4% in the private sector and 1.6% in the public sector.

<sup>3</sup> Markit, [Report on Jobs](#), 8 July 2016, accessed 20 July 2016

## 2. Constituency data

Statistics on Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) and Universal Credit (UC) claimants are one part of a large selection of labour market data released on a monthly basis. Unlike the national figures shown earlier in this paper, these figures are not seasonally adjusted and so reflect changes to the claimant count that tend to happen every year.

On a non-seasonally adjusted basis, the number of people claiming JSA or not in work and claiming UC was 742,100 in June 2016, down 23,700 from the previous month. National data taking seasonal factors into account show that the combined count of JSA and out of work UC claimants decreased by 400 between May and June 2016, to 759,100.<sup>4</sup>

The table in section 3 shows figures for each constituency on this non-seasonally adjusted basis, along with figures for countries and regions.

### 2.1 Introduction of Universal Credit

The introduction of Universal Credit, a new benefit which is replacing income-based JSA and certain other benefits, means that there are some jobseekers receiving benefits who are not claiming JSA. Rollout of UC commenced in April 2013 and is progressing in stages. In the areas affected, simply looking at the number of JSA claimants may not give an accurate reflection of the number of people looking for work.<sup>5</sup>

At June 2016, there were **165,400 people in the UK who were not in work and receiving Universal Credit** (not seasonally adjusted).

This may include some people who are no longer seeking work. A further 113,900 people were in employment and continued to receive Universal Credit. These statistics are provisional.

The maps on the following pages show how the claimant count varies across the UK. The first map shows the areas which have the highest proportion of economically active people who are claiming JSA or are not in work and claiming UC.

The second map shows the annual percentage change in the number of unemployed claimants (people claiming JSA or not in employment and claiming UC).

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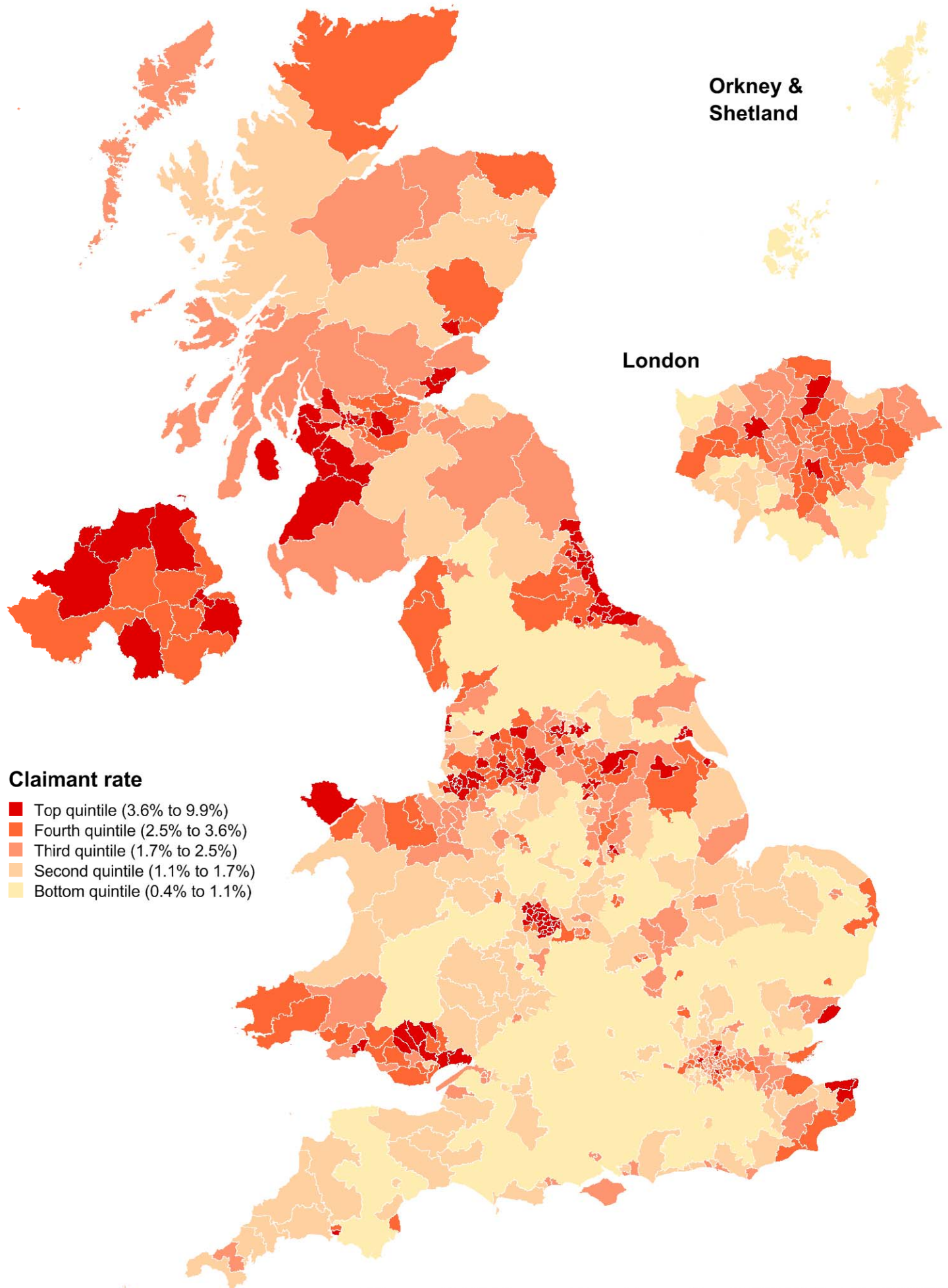
<sup>4</sup> Figures on the number of unemployed people claiming benefits are affected by changes to benefit rules – see Section 4.4 for a discussion of recent changes.

<sup>5</sup> Statistics on Universal Credit are published by the [Department for Work and Pensions](#). A list of jobcentres affected, along with the date that Universal Credit was rolled out in that area, is published in Table 4.1 of the DWP statistical release.



# Unemployment by constituency in June 2016

Library residence-based claimant rate: % of economically active population aged 16-64 claiming JSA or not in work and claiming Universal Credit, expressed as quintile groups (20% bands)

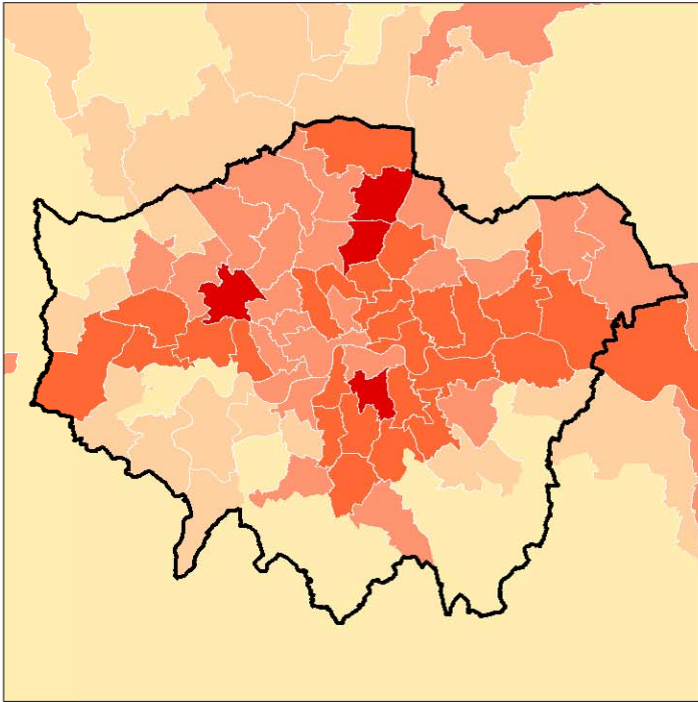




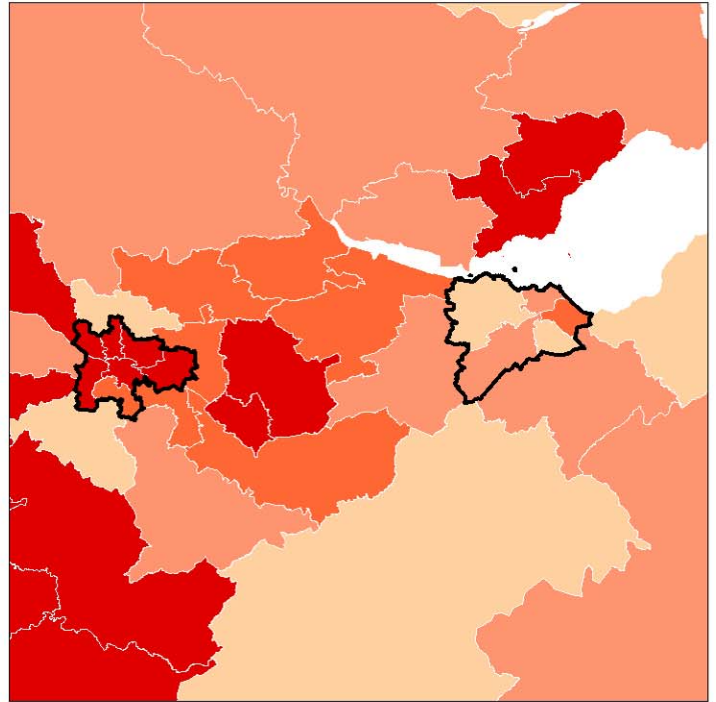
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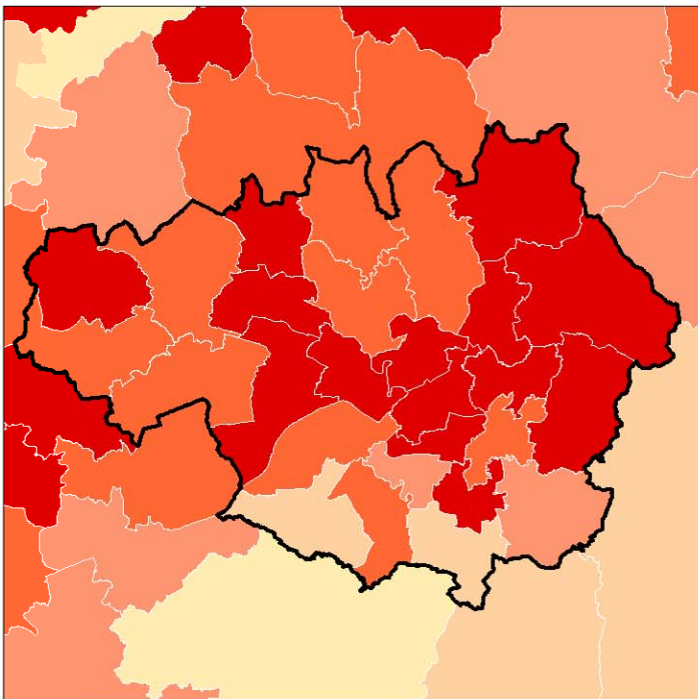
## Edinburgh and Glasgow



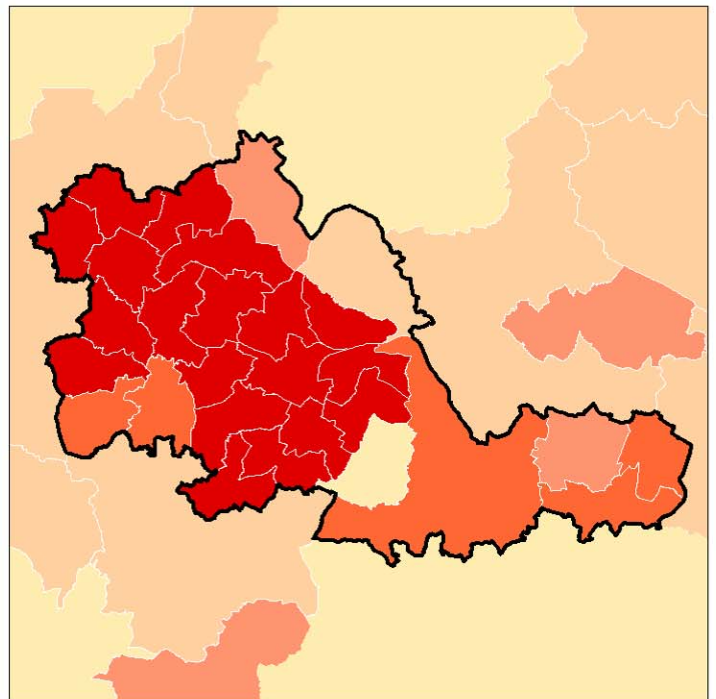
### Claimant rate

- Top quintile (3.6% to 9.9%)
- Fourth quintile (2.5% to 3.6%)
- Third quintile (1.7% to 2.5%)
- Second quintile (1.1% to 1.7%)
- Bottom quintile (0.4% to 1.1%)

## Greater Manchester



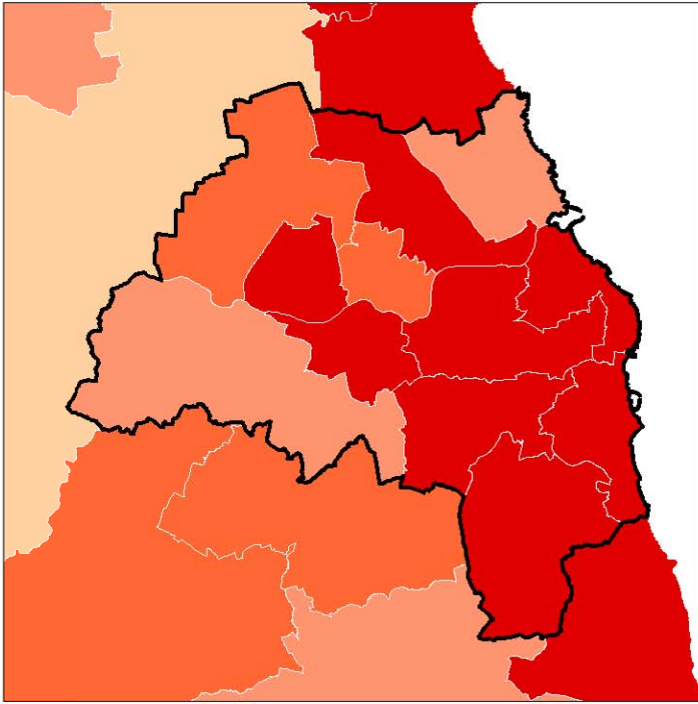
## West Midlands



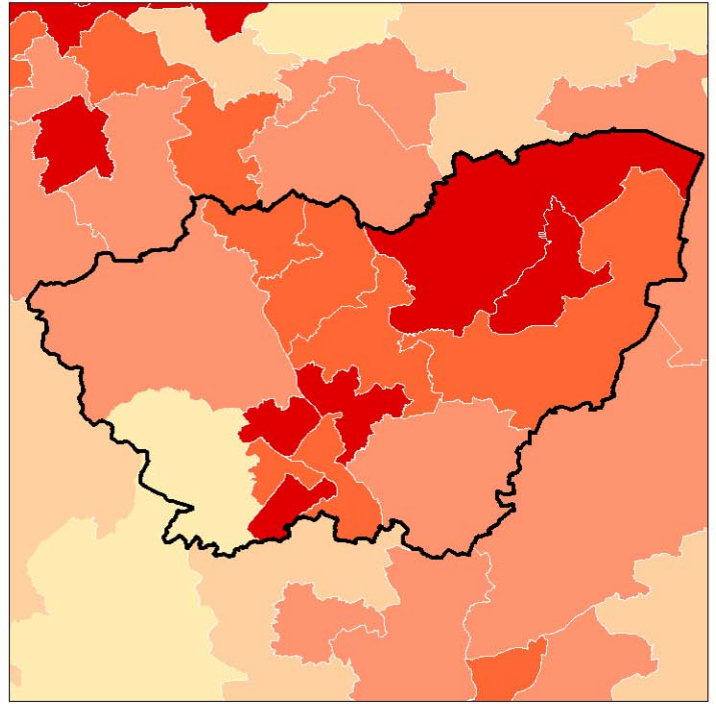
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## Tyne and Wear



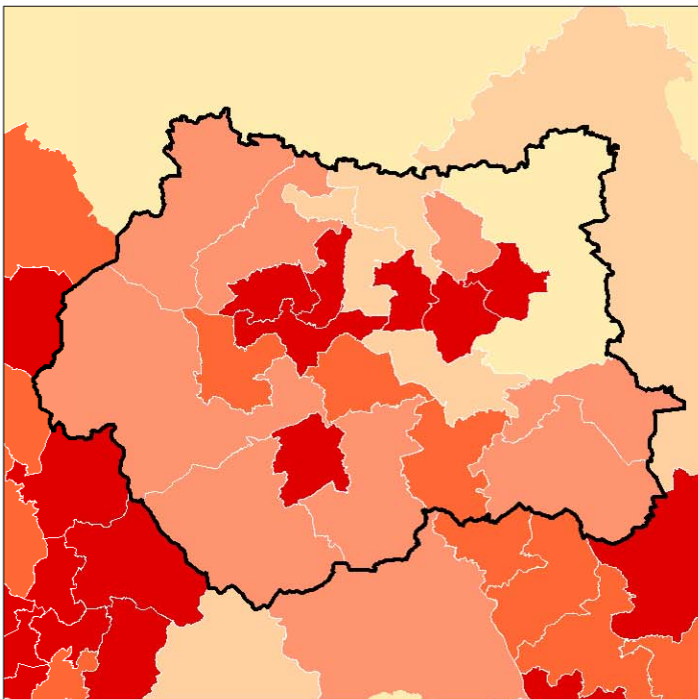
## South Yorkshire



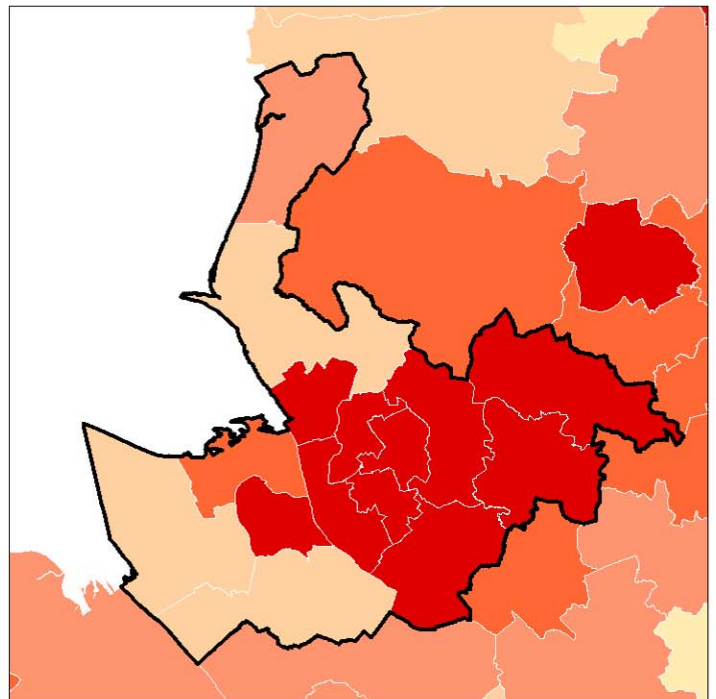
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## West Yorkshire



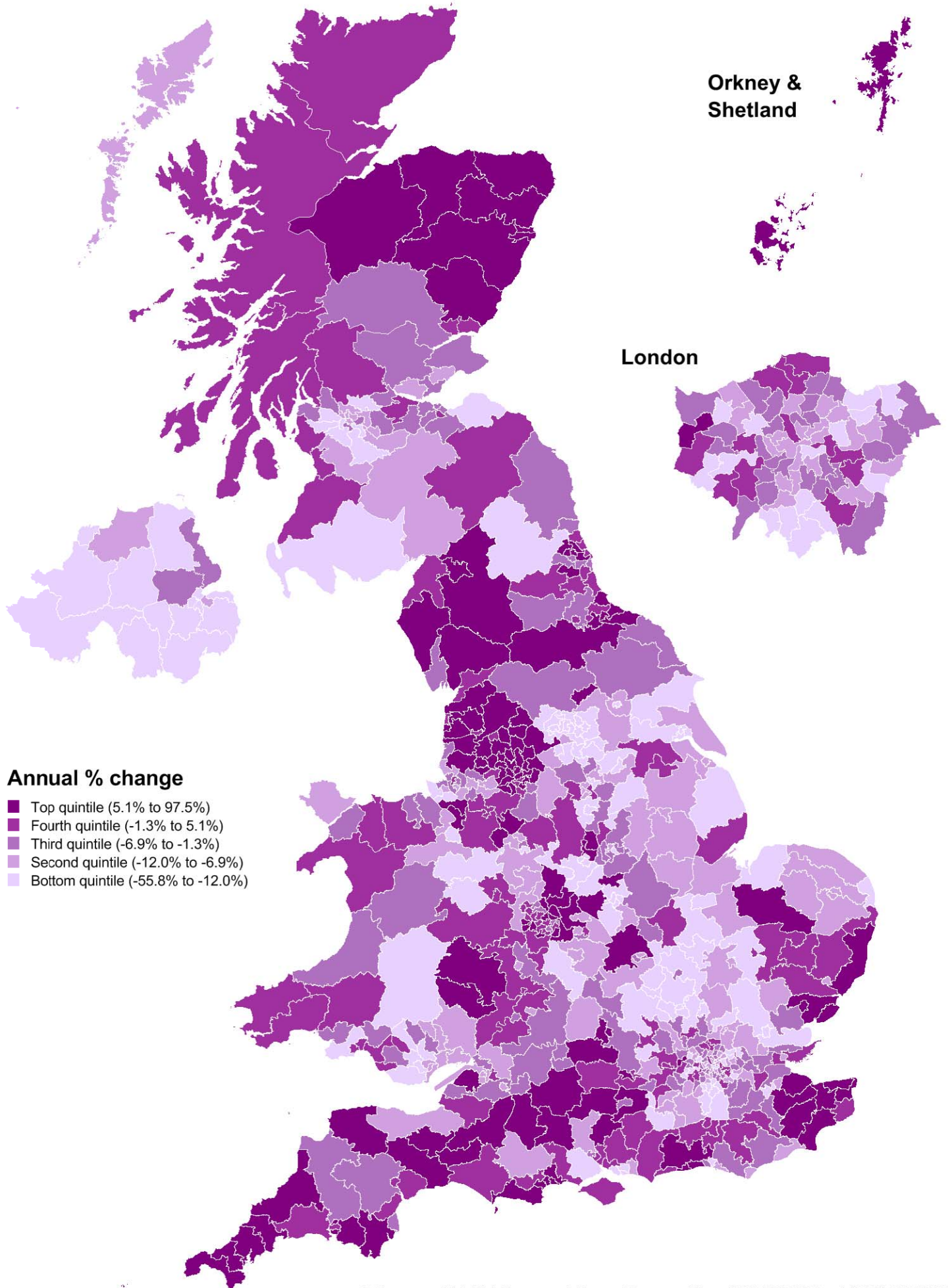
## Merseyside





# % change in claimant count, June 2015 to June 2016

Annual percentage change in number of people claiming JSA or not in work and claiming Universal Credit, expressed as quintile groups (20% bands)



## 2.2 Highest and lowest claimant rates

### Highest and lowest claimant numbers and rates

#### Claimant rate

*% of economically active population aged 16-64*

		% Rate
1	Birmingham, Ladywood	9.9
2	Foyle	9.6
3	Birmingham, Hodge Hill	8.6
4	Belfast West	8.1
5	Middlesbrough	7.7
6	Birmingham, Perry Barr	7.6
7	Birmingham, Erdington	7.4
8	Belfast North	7.3
9	Liverpool, Walton	6.5
10	Hartlepool	6.3
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641	Mole Valley	0.6
642	Mid Sussex	0.5
643	Esher and Walton	0.5
644	South Cambridgeshire	0.5
645	Buckingham	0.5
646	York Outer	0.5
647	North East Hampshire	0.5
648	Henley	0.5
649	Kenilworth and Southam	0.5
650	Stratford-on-Avon	0.4

#### Number of claimants

*All people claiming JSA or not in work claiming UC*

		Number
1	Birmingham, Ladywood	5,724
2	Foyle	4,143
3	Birmingham, Hodge Hill	3,898
4	Birmingham, Perry Barr	3,703
5	Leeds Central	3,674
6	Birmingham, Erdington	3,349
7	Belfast North	3,228
8	Middlesbrough	3,206
9	Manchester Central	3,111
10	Belfast West	3,084
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641	Buckingham	259
642	Mole Valley	252
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644	Derbyshire Dales	247
645	Derbyshire Dales	234
646	Henley	231
=646	Henley	231
648	Orkney and Shetland	229
649	Kenilworth and Southam	180
650	Stratford-on-Avon	150

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### Claimants aged 18-24

*All people aged 18-24 claiming JSA or not in work claiming UC*

		Number
1	Foyle	1,105
2	Birmingham, Ladywood	990
3	Birmingham, Hodge Hill	865
4	Belfast West	815
5	Belfast North	760
6	Leeds Central	715
7	Middlesbrough	690
8	Birmingham, Perry Barr	670
=8	Birmingham, Erdington	670
=8	Birmingham, Hall Green	670
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=638	South West Surrey	40
=638	Westmorland and Lonsdale	40
=638	Esher and Walton	40
=638	Buckingham	40
645	Na h-Eileanan An Iar	35
646	North East Hampshire	30
=646	Henley	30
=646	Kenilworth and Southam	30
649	Mole Valley	25
=649	Stratford-on-Avon	25

### Annual percentage change in number of claimants

*All people claiming JSA or not in work claiming UC*

		% change
1	Banff and Buchan	97.5
2	West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine	94.9
3	Gordon	84.3
4	Orkney and Shetland	59.0
5	Aberdeen South	53.7
6	Aberdeen North	49.3
7	Tamworth	34.8
8	North Devon	32.9
9	Hereford and South Herefordshire	27.8
10	St Ives	27.6
:	:	:
641	Gosport	-25.5
642	Mid Ulster	-28.4
643	East Lothian	-30.3
644	Croydon Central	-30.4
645	Croydon South	-32.7
646	Bermondsey and Old Southwark	-38.5
647	Sutton and Cheam	-42.5
648	Brentford and Isleworth	-44.6
649	Feltham and Heston	-49.0
650	Carshalton and Wallington	-55.8

UC = Universal Credit. Data on claimants aged 18-24 are rounded to the nearest five.

## Claimant data by constituency: People claiming JSA or not in work and claiming Universal Credit (UC), June 2016

**Notes:** Figures include JSA claimants and people not in work claiming Universal Credit (UC). UC figures are provisional. Some people claiming UC may no longer be seeking work.

**Claimant rate** is the proportion of the economically active population aged 16-64 (as estimated by the Library) who are claiming JSA or not in work and claiming UC.

**Claims by age group:** Data on JSA claimants by age group are rounded to the nearest five. Data on UC claimants not in work by age are unrounded but small figures are suppressed.

**Claim duration:** Data on claims over 12 months are for JSA claimants only. Data on the length of time someone has been not in work and claiming UC are currently not available. Cells are left blank if there were people in the constituency claiming UC a year ago.

	Claimant levels			All claimants		Claimant rate		Claims by age group					Claim duration (JSA only)			
	All	JSA only	UC only	Annual change		All claimants		18-24		50 and over			Claiming > 12 months			
	Jun-16			level	%	Jun-16	Rank	Jun-16	Annual change	Jun-16	Annual change	Jun-16	Annual change	Jun-16	Annual change	%
						%	1=highest	level	%	level	%	level	%	level	%	
<b>United Kingdom</b>	<b>742,063</b>	<b>576,621</b>	<b>165,442</b>	<b>-36,216</b>	<b>-4.7</b>	<b>2.4</b>		<b>151,645</b>	<b>-19,285</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>179,195</b>	<b>10,775</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>169,715</b>	<b>-36,390</b>	<b>-17.7</b>
Aberavon	1,026	665	361	12	1.2	3.5	141	275	-5	-1.8	210	10	5.0	..	..	..
Aberconwy	638	420	218	21	3.4	2.5	260	135	-10	-6.9	165	20	13.8	..	..	..
Aberdeen North	1,825	1,501	324	603	49.3	3.4	148	305	80	35.6	380	145	61.7	230	105	84.0
Aberdeen South	1,257	1,071	186	439	53.7	2.3	292	180	50	38.5	350	160	84.2	120	55	84.6
Airdrie and Shotts	1,639	1,141	498	-117	-6.7	3.8	112	430	-45	-9.5	340	-10	-2.9	..	..	..
Aldershot	519	459	60	-75	-12.6	0.9	571	90	-25	-21.7	165	5	3.1	95	-30	-24.0
Aldridge-Brownhills	679	455	224	71	11.7	1.9	354	145	-10	-6.5	175	50	40.0	120	-45	-27.3
Altrincham and Sale West	656	344	312	36	5.8	1.3	473	120	0	0.0	170	10	6.3	..	..	..
Alyn and Deeside	754	396	358	-98	-11.5	1.8	379	175	-25	-12.5	165	-30	-15.4	..	..	..
Amber Valley	882	700	182	92	11.6	2.0	333	190	-10	-5.0	245	80	48.5	180	15	9.1
Angus	1,325	1,235	90	157	13.4	3.2	169	335	15	4.7	305	60	24.5	255	40	18.6
Arfon	926	731	195	-46	-4.7	3.3	155	230	-35	-13.2	220	10	4.8	290	10	3.6
Argyll and Bute	832	764	68	5	0.6	2.0	336	135	-35	-20.6	265	20	8.2	260	-10	-3.7
Arundel and South Downs	324	234	90	22	7.3	0.7	609	65	10	18.2	100	10	11.1	35	-20	-36.4
Ashfield	1,332	1,016	316	43	3.3	2.7	222	310	-40	-11.4	325	60	22.6	305	-50	-14.1
Ashford	1,013	772	241	144	16.6	1.8	377	235	35	17.5	270	70	35.0	..	..	..
Ashton-under-Lyne	1,686	803	883	161	10.6	3.9	100	420	-10	-2.3	330	70	26.9	..	..	..
Aylesbury	653	519	134	5	0.8	1.1	525	115	-5	-4.2	175	0	0.0	105	5	5.0
Ayr, Carrick and Cumnock	1,616	1,308	308	22	1.4	3.9	106	370	40	12.1	365	20	5.8	445	-75	-14.4
Banbury	442	293	149	-10	-2.2	0.7	615	100	-5	-4.8	105	-15	-12.5	..	..	..
Banff and Buchan	1,195	888	307	590	97.5	2.6	238	280	150	115.4	275	155	129.2	..	..	..
Barking	1,954	1,650	304	-254	-11.5	3.3	154	400	-70	-14.9	460	60	15.0	365	-135	-27.0
Barnsley Central	1,394	1,138	256	-195	-12.3	3.3	158	290	-85	-22.7	320	20	6.7	..	..	..
Barnsley East	1,356	1,074	282	-98	-6.7	3.1	180	285	-55	-16.2	320	45	16.4	..	..	..
Barrow and Furness	1,232	696	536	-52	-4.0	3.1	191	310	-30	-8.8	270	10	3.8	..	..	..
Basildon and Billericay	1,007	731	276	-76	-7.0	2.2	296	235	15	6.8	230	-30	-11.5	..	..	..
Basingstoke	651	611	40	-20	-3.0	1.1	536	110	-5	-4.3	185	10	5.7	105	5	5.0
Bassetlaw	998	738	260	-155	-13.4	2.0	339	230	-50	-17.9	210	-15	-6.7	..	..	..
Bath	610	328	282	-62	-9.2	1.4	472	130	-25	-16.1	135	-25	-15.6	..	..	..
Batley and Spen	1,399	1,028	371	-162	-10.4	2.7	228	340	-20	-5.6	290	-15	-4.9	300	-45	-13.0
Battersea	1,206	1,044	162	-88	-6.8	1.7	387	150	-50	-25.0	340	25	7.9	..	..	..
Beaconsfield	374	319	55	-3	-0.8	0.8	604	50	0	0.0	115	5	4.5	55	-10	-15.4
Beckenham	407	349	58	17	4.4	0.9	568	60	-10	-14.3	130	15	13.0	50	-20	-28.6
Bedford	1,749	1,446	303	-88	-4.8	3.4	147	315	-20	-6.0	455	10	2.2	..	..	..
Belfast East	1,848	1,848	0	-252	-12.0	4.1	82	415	-75	-15.3	445	15	3.5	555	-205	-27.0



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Belfast North	3,228	3,228	0	-627	-16.3	7.3	8	760	-180	-19.1	700	-30	-4.1	1,075	-455	-29.7
Belfast South	1,873	1,873	0	-381	-16.9	3.2	165	395	-110	-21.8	380	10	2.7	510	-200	-28.2
Belfast West	3,084	3,084	0	-641	-17.2	8.1	4	815	-240	-22.7	660	-55	-7.7	1,160	-345	-22.9
Bermondsey and Old Southwark	1,443	1,368	75	-904	-38.5	1.8	367	175	-245	-58.3	465	-100	-17.7	470	-255	-35.2
Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk	973	661	312	32	3.4	2.2	311	240	-15	-5.9	240	25	11.6	..	..	..
Berwick-upon-Tweed	677	626	51	-19	-2.7	1.9	348	120	-40	-25.0	225	20	9.8	165	-10	-5.7
Bethnal Green and Bow	2,301	1,912	389	-228	-9.0	3.2	166	390	-135	-25.7	685	75	12.3	..	..	..
Beverley and Holderness	733	642	91	-81	-10.0	1.5	417	175	-20	-10.3	190	-10	-5.0	185	-35	-15.9
Bexhill and Battle	571	417	154	-11	-1.9	1.3	476	140	10	7.7	160	-5	-3.0	..	..	..
Bexleyheath and Crayford	722	621	101	-84	-10.4	1.6	405	135	-55	-28.9	165	5	3.1	130	-10	-7.1
Birkenhead	1,946	806	1,140	-203	-9.4	4.9	45	440	-115	-20.7	375	-50	-11.8	..	..	..
Birmingham, Edgbaston	2,343	1,888	455	64	2.8	5.1	39	430	-5	-1.1	540	45	9.1	..	..	..
Birmingham, Erdington	3,349	2,662	687	272	8.8	7.4	7	670	-5	-0.7	815	145	21.6	..	..	..
Birmingham, Hall Green	3,038	2,177	861	-68	-2.2	6.3	11	670	40	6.3	575	-5	-0.9	..	..	..
Birmingham, Hodge Hill	3,898	3,052	846	-115	-2.9	8.6	3	865	-130	-13.1	745	120	19.2	..	..	..
Birmingham, Ladywood	5,724	4,898	826	-34	-0.6	9.9	1	990	15	1.5	1,185	110	10.2	..	..	..
Birmingham, Northfield	2,500	2,004	496	236	10.4	5.4	25	570	10	1.8	495	85	20.7	..	..	..
Birmingham, Perry Barr	3,703	3,093	610	181	5.1	7.6	6	670	30	4.7	805	110	15.8	..	..	..
Birmingham, Selly Oak	2,025	1,494	531	83	4.3	4.3	72	450	25	5.9	395	10	2.6	..	..	..
Birmingham, Yardley	2,545	1,930	615	36	1.4	5.3	29	520	105	25.3	560	25	4.7	..	..	..
Bishop Auckland	1,278	994	284	-81	-6.0	3.2	167	310	15	5.1	315	-5	-1.6	355	-40	-10.1
Blackburn	2,147	1,282	865	28	1.3	4.9	50	485	-80	-14.2	415	5	1.2	..	..	..
Blackley and Broughton	2,937	1,892	1,045	260	9.7	6.1	14	565	-25	-4.2	530	100	23.3	..	..	..
Blackpool North and Cleveleys	1,431	705	726	11	0.8	3.9	104	270	35	14.9	360	0	0.0	..	..	..
Blackpool South	2,039	997	1,042	104	5.4	5.6	22	380	5	1.3	480	35	7.9	..	..	..
Blaenau Gwent	1,647	1,336	311	-138	-7.7	5.3	30	425	-40	-8.6	360	25	7.5	490	-130	-21.0
Blaydon	1,049	740	309	-29	-2.7	2.5	261	240	30	14.3	280	15	5.7	185	-100	-35.1
Blyth Valley	1,588	1,463	125	41	2.7	4.0	86	355	-50	-12.3	400	65	19.4	440	-25	-5.4
Bognor Regis and Littlehampton	723	547	176	-1	-0.1	1.6	414	120	-25	-17.2	230	15	7.0	110	-30	-21.4
Bolsover	848	667	181	-48	-5.4	1.9	360	205	-45	-18.0	190	-5	-2.6	185	-40	-17.8
Bolton North East	2,252	1,244	1,008	236	11.7	5.2	36	515	25	5.1	450	75	20.0	..	..	..
Bolton South East	2,356	1,246	1,110	199	9.2	5.2	35	575	25	4.5	405	40	11.0	..	..	..
Bolton West	1,222	559	663	150	14.0	2.6	235	330	70	26.9	240	0	0.0	..	..	..
Bootle	2,737	1,302	1,435	-77	-2.7	6.0	16	560	-85	-13.2	575	5	0.9	..	..	..
Boston and Skegness	1,105	846	259	5	0.5	2.3	286	240	-20	-7.7	300	55	22.4	..	..	..

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Bosworth	686	544	142	43	6.7	1.3	475	145	0	0.0	175	15	9.4	..	..	..
Bournemouth East	1,014	751	263	70	7.4	1.9	358	165	5	3.1	280	70	33.3	180	-25	-12.2
Bournemouth West	933	662	271	101	12.1	1.9	362	180	10	5.9	240	45	23.1	155	-15	-8.8
Bracknell	546	412	134	-23	-4.0	0.9	561	85	-10	-10.5	145	-10	-6.5	95	15	18.8
Bradford East	2,513	2,155	358	-466	-15.6	5.1	40	525	-170	-24.5	560	-15	-2.6	715	-220	-23.5
Bradford South	1,773	1,489	284	-354	-16.6	3.7	121	375	-95	-20.2	375	-65	-14.8	495	-220	-30.8
Bradford West	2,671	2,221	450	-503	-15.8	5.7	17	600	-125	-17.2	525	-30	-5.4	755	-300	-28.4
Braintree	618	511	107	-48	-7.2	1.2	496	135	-5	-3.6	165	5	3.1	110	-30	-21.4
Brecon and Radnorshire	341	274	67	-101	-22.9	1.1	526	70	-45	-39.1	120	10	9.1	85	-15	-15.0
Brent Central	2,936	2,397	539	-460	-13.5	4.1	79	370	-70	-15.9	845	-50	-5.6	..	..	..
Brent North	1,289	937	352	-110	-7.9	2.0	342	200	-55	-21.6	365	0	0.0	..	..	..
Brentford and Isleworth	798	621	177	-642	-44.6	1.1	520	110	-130	-54.2	220	-105	-32.3	..	..	..
Brentwood and Ongar	395	326	69	-32	-7.5	0.8	584	70	-10	-12.5	125	10	8.7	..	..	..
Bridgend	904	689	215	4	0.4	2.4	278	200	-10	-4.8	230	15	7.0	195	10	5.4
Bridgwater and West Somerset	793	543	250	-81	-9.3	1.6	412	175	-45	-20.5	195	10	5.4	..	..	..
Brigg and Goole	968	788	180	-4	-0.4	2.2	294	215	-10	-4.4	255	20	8.5	250	-30	-10.7
Brighton, Kemptown	979	795	184	-103	-9.5	2.2	313	180	-75	-29.4	250	10	4.2	195	-40	-17.0
Brighton, Pavilion	880	727	153	-230	-20.7	1.5	436	160	-110	-40.7	200	5	2.6	160	-20	-11.1
Bristol East	1,115	932	183	-129	-10.4	2.2	305	185	-50	-21.3	265	-5	-1.9	240	-20	-7.7
Bristol North West	976	816	160	-104	-9.6	2.0	335	195	-75	-27.8	225	10	4.7	190	-35	-15.6
Bristol South	1,176	941	235	-127	-9.7	2.1	327	270	-45	-14.3	260	0	0.0	240	-60	-20.0
Bristol West	1,729	1,471	258	-130	-7.0	2.4	266	245	-70	-22.2	375	10	2.7	..	..	..
Broadland	325	255	70	-29	-8.2	0.7	613	80	-20	-20.0	100	20	25.0	55	-15	-21.4
Bromley and Chislehurst	666	568	98	-54	-7.5	1.5	437	115	-20	-14.8	170	5	3.0	115	-40	-25.8
Bromsgrove	555	434	121	7	1.3	1.2	499	120	-20	-14.3	135	-5	-3.6	135	-20	-12.9
Broxbourne	728	612	116	-97	-11.8	1.4	442	135	-40	-22.9	205	35	20.6	135	-65	-32.5
Broxtowe	782	620	162	-34	-4.2	1.6	403	185	10	5.7	170	10	6.3	175	-10	-5.4
Buckingham	259	213	46	-44	-14.5	0.5	645	40	-5	-11.1	80	-20	-20.0	40	-20	-33.3
Burnley	1,671	822	849	200	13.6	4.2	75	370	15	4.2	360	55	18.0	..	..	..
Burton	638	415	223	-163	-20.3	1.3	490	135	-30	-18.2	145	-40	-21.6	..	..	..
Bury North	1,439	816	623	89	6.6	3.4	144	340	-10	-2.9	305	30	10.9	..	..	..
Bury South	1,493	772	721	128	9.4	3.1	177	330	-5	-1.5	330	55	20.0	..	..	..
Bury St Edmunds	641	489	152	-6	-0.9	1.1	524	115	0	0.0	190	15	8.6	..	..	..
Caerphilly	1,520	1,188	332	-213	-12.3	3.7	119	375	-80	-17.6	330	5	1.5	..	..	..
Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross	786	581	205	28	3.7	2.8	216	135	-25	-15.6	225	50	28.6	..	..	..

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Calder Valley	912	624	288	45	5.2	1.7	383	205	30	17.1	250	25	11.1	..	..	..
Camberwell and Peckham	2,561	2,335	226	-277	-9.8	3.7	114	345	-110	-24.2	735	30	4.3	665	-250	-27.3
Camborne and Redruth	861	658	203	114	15.3	2.2	303	190	50	35.7	225	30	15.4	..	..	..
Cambridge	652	603	49	-67	-9.3	1.1	519	105	-15	-12.5	195	25	14.7	155	25	19.2
Cannock Chase	678	519	159	-78	-10.3	1.4	461	150	-50	-25.0	165	0	0.0	170	0	0.0
Canterbury	793	680	113	155	24.3	1.5	418	145	-10	-6.5	225	85	60.7	145	20	16.0
Cardiff Central	1,460	1,264	196	-115	-7.3	3.3	151	290	-55	-15.9	280	20	7.7	365	-65	-15.1
Cardiff North	724	607	117	-83	-10.3	1.6	401	160	-25	-13.5	165	-25	-13.2	170	-25	-12.8
Cardiff South and Penarth	1,927	1,680	247	-160	-7.7	3.4	142	385	-80	-17.2	400	-10	-2.4	490	-125	-20.3
Cardiff West	1,540	1,346	194	-288	-15.8	3.4	145	300	-130	-30.2	320	-5	-1.5	470	-95	-16.8
Carlisle	819	392	427	50	6.5	1.9	350	180	15	9.1	180	0	0.0	..	..	..
Carmarthen East and Dinefwr	699	581	118	25	3.7	2.2	298	170	15	9.7	185	15	8.8	205	15	7.9
Carmarthen West and South Pembrokeshire	907	772	135	-4	-0.4	2.6	234	165	-40	-19.5	250	20	8.7	280	40	16.7
Carshalton and Wallington	341	335	6	-430	-55.8	0.7	625	40	-110	-73.3	125	-60	-32.4	160	-50	-23.8
Castle Point	647	443	204	5	0.8	1.6	411	155	-5	-3.1	160	25	18.5	..	..	..
Central Ayrshire	1,522	1,131	391	-6	-0.4	3.7	122	335	-20	-5.6	360	0	0.0	..	..	..
Central Devon	410	338	72	-12	-2.8	1.0	557	75	-15	-16.7	140	15	12.0	60	-15	-20.0
Central Suffolk and North Ipswich	504	396	108	5	1.0	1.1	533	100	-10	-9.1	130	5	4.0	110	-25	-18.5
Ceredigion	464	361	103	-15	-3.1	1.4	447	100	-20	-16.7	150	30	25.0	110	-25	-18.5
Charnwood	356	288	68	-104	-22.6	0.7	611	60	-20	-25.0	100	-25	-20.0	35	-40	-53.3
Chatham and Aylesford	1,197	992	205	-231	-16.2	2.3	282	265	-70	-20.9	260	-45	-14.8	385	-15	-3.8
Cheadle	570	290	280	0	0.0	1.3	481	110	-15	-12.0	130	-10	-7.1	..	..	..
Chelmsford	846	671	175	-131	-13.4	1.5	433	170	-55	-24.4	215	0	0.0	155	-15	-8.8
Chelsea and Fulham	1,006	760	246	-26	-2.5	1.8	374	125	-20	-13.8	305	55	22.0	..	..	..
Cheltenham	748	520	228	-62	-7.7	1.4	464	150	-35	-18.9	175	-10	-5.4	..	..	..
Chesham and Amersham	347	280	67	-14	-3.9	0.8	595	60	0	0.0	110	0	0.0	45	-10	-18.2
Chesterfield	954	686	268	-151	-13.7	2.1	322	240	-70	-22.6	210	10	5.0	..	..	..
Chichester	582	447	135	28	5.1	1.2	498	90	-15	-14.3	175	25	16.7	100	-25	-20.0
Chingford and Woodford Green	957	732	225	-40	-4.0	2.1	319	155	-55	-26.2	245	40	19.5	..	..	..
Chippenham	556	394	162	-14	-2.5	1.1	515	115	-30	-20.7	140	0	0.0	..	..	..
Chipping Barnet	987	741	246	-3	-0.3	1.7	388	165	10	6.5	265	20	8.2	..	..	..
Chorley	1,003	528	475	141	16.4	2.0	332	245	20	8.9	250	65	35.1	..	..	..
Christchurch	342	257	85	49	16.7	1.0	549	50	-15	-23.1	110	45	69.2	45	-25	-35.7
Cities of London and Westminster	1,135	1,019	116	-93	-7.6	1.8	378	105	-65	-38.2	360	30	9.1	300	-95	-24.1
City of Chester	821	356	465	45	5.8	1.7	382	160	5	3.2	180	-35	-16.3	..	..	..

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City of Durham	822	624	198	25	3.1	1.9	353	170	-15	-8.1	210	35	20.0	175	-65	-27.1
Clacton	1,417	1,063	354	142	11.1	4.5	66	315	45	16.7	375	35	10.3	..	..	..
Cleethorpes	1,152	851	301	-154	-11.8	2.6	237	255	-45	-15.0	295	-10	-3.3	280	-45	-13.8
Clwyd South	732	531	201	-93	-11.3	2.1	328	185	-15	-7.5	160	-30	-15.8	..	..	..
Clwyd West	817	583	234	9	1.1	2.5	258	165	-25	-13.2	225	30	15.4	..	..	..
Coatbridge, Chryston and Bellshill	1,535	1,021	514	-203	-11.7	3.1	176	350	-55	-13.6	355	-20	-5.3	..	..	..
Colchester	1,114	893	221	135	13.8	1.9	357	260	40	18.2	235	35	17.5	..	..	..
Colne Valley	1,058	782	276	-134	-11.2	1.9	347	245	-20	-7.5	235	-5	-2.1	200	-90	-31.0
Congleton	509	283	226	48	10.4	1.2	506	120	15	14.3	125	25	25.0	..	..	..
Copeland	954	517	437	68	7.7	2.5	246	255	-10	-3.8	215	15	7.5	..	..	..
Corby	1,056	749	307	23	2.2	1.8	364	225	15	7.1	260	20	8.3	..	..	..
Coventry North East	1,857	1,558	299	-16	-0.9	3.4	149	295	15	5.4	425	35	9.0	405	-145	-26.4
Coventry North West	1,156	977	179	-111	-8.8	2.2	297	225	-25	-10.0	250	-25	-9.1	255	-60	-19.0
Coventry South	1,268	1,076	192	-84	-6.2	2.5	252	230	20	9.5	260	-5	-1.9	275	-105	-27.6
Crawley	944	791	153	25	2.7	1.6	406	180	35	24.1	250	25	11.1	170	-10	-5.6
Crewe and Nantwich	1,059	569	490	58	5.8	2.0	337	265	25	10.4	235	20	9.3	..	..	..
Croydon Central	1,074	1,074	0	-468	-30.4	1.8	366	160	-155	-49.2	305	-50	-14.1	350	40	12.9
Croydon North	1,786	1,742	44	-609	-25.4	2.5	249	280	-200	-41.7	495	-85	-14.7	520	-25	-4.6
Croydon South	533	533	0	-259	-32.7	0.9	566	70	-65	-48.1	160	-45	-22.0	115	-15	-11.5
Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East	1,077	786	291	-216	-16.7	2.5	254	245	-75	-23.4	235	-30	-11.3	..	..	..
Cynon Valley	1,153	1,050	103	-158	-12.1	3.7	116	310	-70	-18.4	230	0	0.0	335	-85	-20.2
Dagenham and Rainham	1,543	1,247	296	-25	-1.6	3.1	182	320	-5	-1.5	370	50	15.6	335	-45	-11.8
Darlington	1,863	1,533	330	90	5.1	4.2	76	410	40	10.8	445	65	17.1	445	-75	-14.4
Dartford	767	638	129	-94	-10.9	1.4	467	155	-45	-22.5	170	-15	-8.1	110	-60	-35.3
Daventry	595	434	161	64	12.1	1.3	494	110	30	37.5	190	30	18.8	..	..	..
Delyn	699	500	199	-37	-5.0	2.1	323	160	-50	-23.8	185	-5	-2.6	..	..	..
Denton and Reddish	1,317	602	715	97	8.0	3.1	183	295	-15	-4.8	245	-10	-3.9	..	..	..
Derby North	821	663	158	-116	-12.4	1.6	398	180	-45	-20.0	180	-10	-5.3	130	-45	-25.7
Derby South	1,503	1,246	257	-249	-14.2	2.9	208	295	-95	-24.4	330	-15	-4.3	275	-150	-35.3
Derbyshire Dales	247	197	50	10	4.2	0.7	628	50	5	11.1	75	10	15.4	45	-5	-10.0
Devizes	455	325	130	58	14.6	0.9	578	105	5	5.0	110	15	15.8	..	..	..
Dewsbury	1,275	1,009	266	-216	-14.5	2.5	264	310	-100	-24.4	255	15	6.3	285	-100	-26.0
Don Valley	1,344	1,077	267	-113	-7.8	3.0	200	340	-70	-17.1	325	25	8.3	320	-55	-14.7
Doncaster Central	2,038	1,652	386	-324	-13.7	3.9	101	435	-105	-19.4	440	-40	-8.3	500	-100	-16.7
Doncaster North	1,756	1,434	322	-285	-14.0	3.8	108	395	-145	-26.9	385	-30	-7.2	435	-105	-19.4

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Dover	1,177	1,041	136	55	4.9	2.6	236	235	-30	-11.3	350	60	20.7	..	..	..
Dudley North	1,760	1,406	354	57	3.3	4.7	56	365	-45	-11.0	450	80	21.6	..	..	..
Dudley South	1,498	1,158	340	107	7.7	4.0	92	325	-35	-9.7	310	65	26.5	..	..	..
Dulwich and West Norwood	1,921	1,746	175	-100	-4.9	3.0	192	235	-60	-20.3	550	20	3.8	510	-165	-24.4
Dumfries and Galloway	1,037	723	314	-149	-12.6	2.4	280	290	-15	-4.9	245	-5	-2.0	..	..	..
Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale	675	479	196	-88	-11.5	1.6	399	135	-25	-15.6	200	20	11.1	..	..	..
Dundee East	1,392	1,110	282	-16	-1.1	3.2	161	340	-20	-5.6	320	45	16.4	350	-40	-10.3
Dundee West	2,305	1,783	522	108	4.9	5.6	21	555	5	0.9	500	80	19.0	630	-55	-8.0
Dunfermline and West Fife	1,191	1,099	92	-138	-10.4	2.3	283	255	-75	-22.7	275	15	5.8	240	-105	-30.4
Dwyfor Meirionnydd	393	295	98	12	3.1	1.5	438	75	5	7.1	110	5	4.8	120	-10	-7.7
Ealing Central and Acton	1,724	1,428	296	-8	-0.5	2.6	231	185	0	0.0	465	50	12.0	..	..	..
Ealing North	1,644	1,383	261	-44	-2.6	2.7	220	255	-5	-1.9	405	15	3.8	415	-10	-2.4
Ealing, Southall	1,528	1,226	302	-68	-4.3	3.2	168	205	-35	-14.6	385	30	8.5	310	-5	-1.6
Easington	1,498	1,152	346	-10	-0.7	4.0	89	375	-100	-21.1	320	80	33.3	310	-40	-11.4
East Antrim	1,524	1,524	0	-70	-4.4	3.6	132	410	-5	-1.2	375	20	5.6	500	35	7.5
East Devon	350	289	61	17	5.1	0.8	592	50	-5	-9.1	105	15	16.7	35	-5	-12.5
East Dunbartonshire	451	318	133	-51	-10.2	1.1	512	105	-15	-12.5	120	-10	-7.7	80	-15	-15.8
East Ham	1,856	1,656	200	-216	-10.4	2.5	250	340	-55	-13.9	505	40	8.6	380	-140	-26.9
East Hampshire	356	321	35	16	4.7	0.8	605	50	-15	-23.1	115	20	21.1	60	5	9.1
East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow	1,084	826	258	-236	-17.9	2.1	317	250	-75	-23.1	300	-20	-6.3	245	-50	-16.9
East Londonderry	2,127	2,127	0	-211	-9.0	4.8	52	550	-105	-16.0	450	15	3.4	900	35	4.0
East Lothian	765	474	291	-333	-30.3	1.5	425	175	-90	-34.0	175	-70	-28.6	..	..	..
East Renfrewshire	614	504	110	-88	-12.5	1.4	455	120	-60	-33.3	145	5	3.6	110	5	4.8
East Surrey	387	356	31	-102	-20.9	0.7	617	55	-40	-42.1	125	-25	-16.7	85	-25	-22.7
East Worthing and Shoreham	658	520	138	107	19.4	1.4	463	120	20	20.0	180	10	5.9	110	-10	-8.3
East Yorkshire	813	697	116	-160	-16.4	1.8	368	145	-80	-35.6	230	0	0.0	265	-80	-23.2
Eastbourne	1,023	765	258	-92	-8.3	2.1	324	240	10	4.3	270	-10	-3.6	..	..	..
Eastleigh	459	333	126	4	0.9	0.8	590	95	25	35.7	125	-10	-7.4	..	..	..
Eddisbury	520	230	290	20	4.0	1.3	485	125	20	19.0	120	-15	-11.1	..	..	..
Edinburgh East	1,200	885	315	-55	-4.4	2.5	256	210	-5	-2.3	285	10	3.6	..	..	..
Edinburgh North and Leith	1,371	996	375	-29	-2.1	2.1	320	195	-45	-18.8	320	45	16.4	..	..	..
Edinburgh South	645	435	210	10	1.6	1.5	423	130	0	0.0	145	20	16.0	..	..	..
Edinburgh South West	1,185	851	334	-76	-6.0	2.3	293	230	-20	-8.0	260	-5	-1.9	..	..	..
Edinburgh West	711	533	178	-37	-4.9	1.5	430	115	-25	-17.9	185	15	8.8	..	..	..
Edmonton	2,088	1,729	359	-135	-6.1	4.0	87	365	-75	-17.0	525	30	6.1	520	-50	-8.8

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Ellesmere Port and Neston	1,018	540	478	101	11.0	2.4	269	225	15	7.1	235	30	14.6	..	..	..
Elmet and Rothwell	485	442	43	-70	-12.6	1.0	544	105	-20	-16.0	130	-5	-3.7	80	-25	-23.8
Eltham	1,089	927	162	18	1.7	2.4	273	225	-20	-8.2	280	60	27.3	200	-40	-16.7
Enfield North	1,583	1,296	287	64	4.2	3.2	173	290	10	3.6	400	25	6.7	330	-30	-8.3
Enfield, Southgate	967	795	172	8	0.8	1.9	355	145	15	11.5	285	50	21.3	175	5	2.9
Epping Forest	734	660	74	-57	-7.2	1.5	429	95	-45	-32.1	205	25	13.9	160	-45	-22.0
Epsom and Ewell	346	299	47	-37	-9.7	0.7	630	55	-15	-21.4	110	15	15.8	35	-20	-36.4
Erewash	1,158	903	255	-22	-1.9	2.4	275	260	-25	-8.8	280	25	9.8	..	..	..
Erith and Thamesmead	1,588	1,379	209	-53	-3.2	2.8	214	285	-30	-9.5	390	55	16.4	295	-70	-19.2
Esher and Walton	283	248	35	-31	-9.9	0.5	643	40	-5	-11.1	95	-10	-9.5	35	-15	-30.0
Exeter	774	627	147	37	5.0	1.4	462	130	0	0.0	200	40	25.0	110	-5	-4.3
Falkirk	1,450	1,012	438	-65	-4.3	2.5	248	300	-20	-6.3	360	25	7.5	..	..	..
Fareham	403	356	47	4	1.0	0.8	591	80	10	14.3	120	20	20.0	50	0	0.0
Faversham and Mid Kent	678	506	172	60	9.7	1.5	428	160	-5	-3.0	185	40	27.6	..	..	..
Feltham and Heston	816	620	196	-784	-49.0	1.2	497	140	-170	-54.8	220	-125	-36.2	..	..	..
Fermanagh & South Tyrone	1,709	1,709	0	-347	-16.9	3.5	134	335	-105	-23.9	465	10	2.2	630	-115	-15.4
Filton and Bradley Stoke	533	452	81	-26	-4.7	1.0	545	95	-35	-26.9	135	20	17.4	90	-10	-10.0
Finchley and Golders Green	1,198	989	209	-25	-2.0	1.9	352	120	-5	-4.0	325	20	6.6	..	..	..
Folkestone and Hythe	1,301	1,153	148	92	7.6	2.5	253	255	-5	-1.9	395	95	31.7	310	-40	-11.4
Forest of Dean	595	446	149	20	3.5	1.4	444	135	0	0.0	175	10	6.1	..	..	..
Foyle	4,143	4,143	0	-912	-18.0	9.6	2	1,105	-175	-13.7	840	-50	-5.6	2,140	-10	-0.5
Fylde	617	321	296	57	10.2	1.6	396	130	10	8.3	155	10	6.9	..	..	..
Gainsborough	1,118	937	181	-90	-7.5	2.5	247	260	-85	-24.6	270	15	5.9	410	15	3.8
Garston and Halewood	1,955	988	967	-205	-9.5	4.3	70	430	-70	-14.0	460	-50	-9.8	..	..	..
Gateshead	2,047	1,533	514	-67	-3.2	4.4	67	390	-95	-19.6	480	55	12.9	450	-160	-26.2
Gedling	931	813	118	-46	-4.7	2.0	344	205	-30	-12.8	230	10	4.5	225	-25	-10.0
Gillingham and Rainham	1,144	909	235	-100	-8.0	2.3	288	245	-50	-16.9	275	-20	-6.8	320	-10	-3.0
Glasgow Central	2,071	1,554	517	-235	-10.2	4.5	62	375	-15	-3.8	425	5	1.2	..	..	..
Glasgow East	2,086	1,488	598	-121	-5.5	5.1	42	480	-45	-8.6	425	10	2.4	..	..	..
Glasgow North	1,460	1,110	350	-195	-11.8	3.9	98	275	-45	-14.1	310	-5	-1.6	355	-5	-1.4
Glasgow North East	2,368	1,732	636	-230	-8.9	6.1	15	470	-90	-16.1	520	0	0.0	..	..	..
Glasgow North West	1,813	1,269	544	-158	-8.0	4.3	73	365	-25	-6.4	385	0	0.0	..	..	..
Glasgow South	1,553	1,071	482	-104	-6.3	3.4	146	310	-25	-7.5	330	-5	-1.5	..	..	..
Glasgow South West	2,094	1,462	632	-330	-13.6	5.1	38	455	-75	-14.2	450	-25	-5.3	..	..	..
Glenrothes	1,668	1,558	110	-223	-11.8	4.0	95	435	-75	-14.7	355	-30	-7.8	295	-30	-9.2



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Gordon	883	757	126	404	84.3	1.6	410	110	40	57.1	280	165	143.5	75	30	66.7
Gosport	527	485	42	-180	-25.5	1.1	523	120	-65	-35.1	140	-25	-15.2	70	-45	-39.1
Gower	635	452	183	-104	-14.1	1.8	372	145	-20	-12.1	180	5	2.9	125	15	13.6
Grantham and Stamford	813	624	189	-79	-8.9	1.5	427	180	-15	-7.7	210	-10	-4.5	..	..	..
Gravesham	1,254	974	280	16	1.3	2.4	265	265	-25	-8.6	325	40	14.0	..	..	..
Great Grimsby	2,335	1,739	596	-282	-10.8	5.5	23	510	-85	-14.3	525	10	1.9	705	-35	-4.7
Great Yarmouth	1,211	1,197	14	-340	-21.9	2.8	215	260	-140	-35.0	335	10	3.1	350	-35	-9.1
Greenwich and Woolwich	1,947	1,728	219	66	3.5	3.1	181	315	5	1.6	440	65	17.3	410	-15	-3.5
Guildford	383	345	38	-35	-8.4	0.7	621	55	-15	-21.4	130	-5	-3.7	70	-10	-12.5
Hackney North and Stoke Newington	2,325	2,191	134	-133	-5.4	3.3	159	285	-10	-3.4	695	70	11.2	550	-160	-22.5
Hackney South and Shoreditch	2,425	2,258	167	-277	-10.3	3.5	138	310	-85	-21.5	695	30	4.5	615	-205	-25.0
Halesowen and Rowley Regis	1,335	1,044	291	110	9.0	3.2	162	250	15	6.4	340	85	33.3	..	..	..
Halifax	1,633	1,148	485	-310	-16.0	3.3	156	405	10	2.5	340	-30	-8.1	..	..	..
Haltemprice and Howden	443	389	54	-112	-20.2	1.0	542	95	-35	-26.9	120	-25	-17.2	120	-15	-11.1
Halton	1,600	665	935	-36	-2.2	3.5	135	415	-40	-8.8	275	10	3.8	..	..	..
Hammersmith	2,305	1,629	676	-71	-3.0	3.6	131	315	-30	-8.7	640	90	16.4	..	..	..
Hampstead and Kilburn	1,729	1,551	178	-107	-5.8	2.3	287	160	-60	-27.3	550	85	18.3	..	..	..
Harborough	467	378	89	-44	-8.6	0.9	560	80	-35	-30.4	140	10	7.7	..	..	..
Harlow	1,000	899	101	-108	-9.7	2.1	329	160	-25	-13.5	295	-15	-4.8	230	-80	-25.8
Harrogate and Knaresborough	459	206	253	54	13.3	0.9	572	85	5	6.3	130	5	4.0	..	..	..
Harrow East	733	609	124	-90	-10.9	1.4	452	100	-45	-31.0	200	5	2.6	130	-25	-16.1
Harrow West	920	766	154	-140	-13.2	1.7	389	130	-40	-23.5	235	15	6.8	145	-70	-32.6
Hartlepool	2,684	1,989	695	487	22.2	6.3	10	635	135	27.0	590	150	34.1	..	..	..
Harwich and North Essex	747	570	177	67	9.9	1.8	376	180	-10	-5.3	175	30	20.7	..	..	..
Hastings and Rye	1,387	1,169	218	-169	-10.9	2.8	211	260	-90	-25.7	375	30	8.7	..	..	..
Havant	795	721	74	-84	-9.6	1.9	361	180	-40	-18.2	235	30	14.6	200	-45	-18.4
Hayes and Harlington	1,504	1,350	154	23	1.6	2.6	243	250	-45	-15.3	355	65	22.4	225	-65	-22.4
Hazel Grove	705	364	341	-18	-2.5	1.9	351	170	5	3.0	180	0	0.0	..	..	..
Hemel Hempstead	862	672	190	-58	-6.3	1.6	408	165	-5	-2.9	235	-10	-4.1	170	-45	-20.9
Hemsworth	954	883	71	-268	-21.9	2.2	310	200	-125	-38.5	235	0	0.0	200	-40	-16.7
Hendon	1,369	1,056	313	-66	-4.6	2.1	314	215	-45	-17.3	350	25	7.7	..	..	..
Henley	231	181	50	-4	-1.7	0.5	648	30	0	0.0	80	5	6.7	..	..	..
Hereford and South Herefordshire	626	405	221	136	27.8	1.3	484	140	20	16.7	180	60	50.0	..	..	..
Hertford and Stortford	478	420	58	-78	-14.0	0.8	589	70	-30	-30.0	140	20	16.7	65	-45	-40.9

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Hertsmere	737	590	147	-18	-2.4	1.5	435	120	-10	-7.7	220	25	12.8	130	-25	-16.1
Hexham	409	373	36	-75	-15.5	1.1	514	65	-40	-38.1	125	-5	-3.8	85	-40	-32.0
Heywood and Middleton	1,727	724	1,003	177	11.4	3.5	140	405	15	3.8	310	10	3.3	..	..	..
High Peak	596	419	177	-64	-9.7	1.3	487	140	10	7.7	155	-30	-16.2	..	..	..
Hitchin and Harpenden	469	411	58	-65	-12.2	0.9	562	65	-15	-18.8	160	-5	-3.0	100	-20	-16.7
Holborn and St Pancras	1,814	1,652	162	38	2.1	2.6	233	265	-40	-13.1	550	110	25.0	370	-80	-17.8
Hornchurch and Upminster	946	822	124	-58	-5.8	1.9	359	180	-35	-16.3	240	20	9.1	185	-70	-27.5
Hornsey and Wood Green	1,620	1,493	127	-174	-9.7	2.2	301	225	-30	-11.8	470	55	13.3	365	-155	-29.8
Horsham	413	342	71	11	2.7	0.8	603	60	5	9.1	125	0	0.0	50	-10	-16.7
Houghton and Sunderland South	1,482	1,134	348	4	0.3	3.6	126	365	-55	-13.1	345	70	25.5	350	-45	-11.4
Hove	952	771	181	-43	-4.3	1.7	384	165	10	6.5	265	30	12.8	175	-20	-10.3
Huddersfield	1,778	1,420	358	-244	-12.1	3.9	105	410	-10	-2.4	370	-25	-6.3	435	-120	-21.6
Huntingdon	428	358	70	-76	-15.1	0.7	616	75	-35	-31.8	115	-20	-14.8	40	-20	-33.3
Hyndburn	1,383	648	735	84	6.5	3.3	157	370	-10	-2.6	280	55	24.4	..	..	..
Ilford North	802	685	117	-200	-20.0	1.5	415	130	-65	-33.3	215	-15	-6.5	150	-65	-30.2
Ilford South	1,536	1,332	204	-249	-13.9	2.4	270	260	-90	-25.7	365	0	0.0	275	-95	-25.7
Inverclyde	1,482	1,123	359	-106	-6.7	4.0	84	305	-60	-16.4	380	0	0.0	320	-15	-4.5
Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey	968	482	486	188	24.1	1.8	365	195	30	18.2	225	55	32.4	..	..	..
Ipswich	1,480	1,254	226	-140	-8.6	2.6	240	260	-55	-17.5	360	10	2.9	390	-120	-23.5
Isle of Wight	1,240	1,034	206	19	1.6	2.1	326	275	30	12.2	360	50	16.1	260	-75	-22.4
Islington North	1,934	1,722	212	-143	-6.9	3.2	172	270	-80	-22.9	540	80	17.4	540	-95	-15.0
Islington South and Finsbury	1,526	1,339	187	-155	-9.2	2.5	263	265	-95	-26.4	415	100	31.7	370	-100	-21.3
Islwyn	1,268	950	318	-45	-3.4	3.6	130	320	-5	-1.5	265	10	3.9	..	..	..
Jarrow	1,685	1,489	196	87	5.4	4.2	78	350	-35	-9.1	475	105	28.4	410	-75	-15.5
Keighley	986	815	171	-241	-19.6	2.2	309	180	-115	-39.0	255	-25	-8.9	250	-105	-29.6
Kenilworth and Southam	180	134	46	-17	-8.6	0.5	649	30	0	0.0	60	-5	-7.7	..	..	..
Kensington	1,267	1,025	242	-133	-9.5	2.2	302	155	-60	-27.9	425	40	10.4	..	..	..
Kettering	978	708	270	-21	-2.1	2.0	338	230	10	4.5	215	-20	-8.5	..	..	..
Kilmarnock and Loudoun	1,857	1,659	198	-207	-10.0	4.0	94	365	-95	-20.7	465	25	5.7	565	-105	-15.7
Kingston and Surbiton	898	781	117	-21	-2.3	1.4	468	125	-30	-19.4	250	30	13.6	190	10	5.6
Kingston upon Hull East	2,054	1,837	217	-321	-13.5	4.6	59	465	-125	-21.2	455	-15	-3.2	580	-285	-32.9
Kingston upon Hull North	2,219	2,035	184	-347	-13.5	4.9	46	510	-145	-22.1	420	-10	-2.3	645	-270	-29.5
Kingston upon Hull West and Hessle	2,165	1,989	176	-394	-15.4	5.0	44	435	-155	-26.3	520	5	1.0	615	-245	-28.5
Kingswood	613	525	88	6	1.0	1.3	483	155	0	0.0	135	15	12.5	120	-20	-14.3
Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath	1,984	1,853	131	-93	-4.5	4.3	71	440	-60	-12.0	450	65	16.9	435	-135	-23.7

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Knowsley	2,448	1,005	1,443	-93	-3.7	5.2	34	605	-55	-8.3	500	-10	-2.0	..	..	..
Lagan Valley	1,363	1,363	0	-235	-14.7	2.7	223	315	-105	-25.0	330	-25	-7.0	425	-70	-14.1
Lanark and Hamilton East	1,407	1,072	335	-161	-10.3	2.9	207	335	-35	-9.5	310	-5	-1.6	350	-85	-19.5
Lancaster and Fleetwood	932	459	473	67	7.7	2.3	284	225	10	4.7	190	20	11.8	..	..	..
Leeds Central	3,674	3,294	380	-644	-14.9	5.2	31	715	-225	-23.9	705	-15	-2.1	905	-350	-27.9
Leeds East	2,020	1,773	247	-556	-21.6	4.6	61	440	-225	-33.8	400	-60	-13.0	505	-175	-25.7
Leeds North East	1,126	979	147	-261	-18.8	2.4	276	210	-45	-17.6	280	-55	-16.4	250	-125	-33.3
Leeds North West	660	560	100	-111	-14.4	1.6	407	135	-25	-15.6	140	0	0.0	120	-70	-36.8
Leeds West	1,940	1,687	253	-348	-15.2	3.9	99	400	-115	-22.3	400	-25	-5.9	465	-200	-30.1
Leicester East	1,223	1,034	189	-285	-18.9	2.4	277	215	-55	-20.4	315	-50	-13.7	240	-110	-31.4
Leicester South	1,574	1,384	190	-428	-21.4	3.0	201	285	-100	-26.0	380	-65	-14.6	335	-230	-40.7
Leicester West	1,569	1,358	211	-388	-19.8	3.1	189	325	-50	-13.3	310	-45	-12.7	310	-150	-32.6
Leigh	1,624	803	821	53	3.4	3.2	170	345	-45	-11.5	340	10	3.0	..	..	..
Lewes	513	348	165	-38	-6.9	1.3	489	130	-10	-7.1	130	0	0.0	..	..	..
Lewisham East	1,751	1,571	180	-68	-3.7	3.1	175	270	-75	-21.7	495	65	15.1	370	-100	-21.3
Lewisham West and Penge	1,767	1,590	177	-23	-1.3	2.9	204	265	-25	-8.6	490	65	15.3	355	-100	-22.0
Lewisham, Deptford	2,097	1,929	168	-57	-2.6	3.1	187	285	-65	-18.6	590	70	13.5	465	-130	-21.8
Leyton and Wanstead	1,385	1,144	241	-110	-7.4	2.4	271	215	-60	-21.8	365	25	7.4	..	..	..
Lichfield	343	224	119	28	8.9	0.8	602	85	-5	-5.6	105	35	50.0	..	..	..
Lincoln	1,593	1,324	269	-175	-9.9	2.8	210	385	-65	-14.4	335	-25	-6.9	485	-50	-9.3
Linlithgow and East Falkirk	1,446	1,036	410	-12	-0.8	2.5	255	360	15	4.3	325	20	6.6	..	..	..
Liverpool, Riverside	2,658	1,426	1,232	-195	-6.8	4.7	58	505	-55	-9.8	510	-35	-6.4	..	..	..
Liverpool, Walton	2,692	972	1,720	39	1.5	6.5	9	620	-35	-5.3	465	-50	-9.7	..	..	..
Liverpool, Wavertree	2,288	1,335	953	-193	-7.8	5.2	32	465	-65	-12.3	445	-5	-1.1	..	..	..
Liverpool, West Derby	2,131	972	1,159	-91	-4.1	5.0	43	470	-40	-7.8	435	-20	-4.4	..	..	..
Livingston	1,185	884	301	-86	-6.8	2.1	318	280	-65	-18.8	240	-5	-2.0	185	-25	-11.9
Llanelli	1,073	855	218	-51	-4.5	2.9	203	265	-5	-1.9	270	10	3.8	..	..	..
Loughborough	633	438	195	39	6.6	1.3	488	140	35	33.3	165	-5	-2.9	..	..	..
Louth and Horncastle	673	531	142	-109	-13.9	1.7	392	145	-40	-21.6	170	-15	-8.1	140	-60	-30.0
Ludlow	392	268	124	14	3.7	1.0	546	85	5	6.3	120	5	4.3	..	..	..
Luton North	1,035	952	83	-189	-15.4	2.2	304	200	-30	-13.0	280	0	0.0	225	-80	-26.2
Luton South	1,467	1,339	128	-233	-13.7	2.6	241	250	-45	-15.3	345	-35	-9.2	350	-110	-23.9
Macclesfield	648	329	319	-45	-6.5	1.4	446	125	-5	-3.8	175	-15	-7.9	..	..	..
Maidenhead	402	301	101	-49	-10.9	0.8	601	65	-10	-13.3	130	-5	-3.7	60	-15	-20.0
Maidstone and The Weald	702	534	168	-49	-6.5	1.3	479	145	-25	-14.7	180	0	0.0	..	..	..

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Makerfield	1,315	634	681	83	6.7	2.8	218	335	-25	-6.9	270	50	22.7	..	..	..
Maldon	444	340	104	-93	-17.3	1.0	547	80	-45	-36.0	130	0	0.0	80	-10	-11.1
Manchester Central	3,111	1,886	1,225	269	9.5	4.6	60	600	50	9.1	605	100	19.8	..	..	..
Manchester, Gorton	2,412	1,500	912	91	3.9	4.9	51	465	5	1.1	455	40	9.6	..	..	..
Manchester, Withington	1,259	712	547	29	2.4	2.4	279	265	25	10.4	280	30	12.0	..	..	..
Mansfield	1,285	1,001	284	-243	-15.9	2.5	251	335	-35	-9.5	245	-25	-9.3	315	-135	-30.0
Meon Valley	354	319	35	4	1.1	0.8	596	65	-20	-23.5	120	35	41.2	50	-25	-33.3
Meriden	1,489	1,089	400	75	5.3	2.9	205	380	-15	-3.8	310	50	19.2	..	..	..
Merthyr Tydfil and Rhymney	1,453	1,179	274	-58	-3.8	4.2	74	325	-105	-24.4	330	40	13.8	..	..	..
Mid Bedfordshire	393	349	44	-80	-16.9	0.7	612	75	-5	-6.3	115	-5	-4.2	..	..	..
Mid Derbyshire	363	296	67	47	14.9	0.9	580	70	-5	-6.7	120	35	41.2	35	-15	-30.0
Mid Dorset and North Poole	320	223	97	8	2.6	0.8	587	65	0	0.0	90	0	0.0	30	-25	-45.5
Mid Norfolk	562	403	159	-51	-8.3	1.2	504	135	-10	-6.9	145	0	0.0	..	..	..
Mid Sussex	297	228	69	6	2.1	0.5	642	50	15	42.9	90	5	5.9	35	-10	-22.2
Mid Ulster	1,163	1,163	0	-462	-28.4	2.5	245	305	-135	-30.7	275	-35	-11.3	325	-40	-11.0
Mid Worcestershire	512	389	123	-12	-2.3	1.1	522	105	-25	-19.2	140	5	3.7	115	0	0.0
Middlesbrough	3,206	2,851	355	300	10.3	7.7	5	690	55	8.7	705	165	30.6	750	-195	-20.6
Middlesbrough South and East Cleveland	1,685	1,499	186	162	10.6	4.0	85	365	-10	-2.7	445	160	56.1	405	-90	-18.2
Midlothian	842	555	287	-46	-5.2	2.0	341	205	-35	-14.6	160	-25	-13.5	..	..	..
Milton Keynes North	1,177	986	191	-255	-17.8	1.7	385	180	-60	-25.0	310	-15	-4.6	250	-10	-3.8
Milton Keynes South	1,171	1,004	167	-235	-16.7	1.7	386	195	-25	-11.4	280	-35	-11.1	255	-45	-15.0
Mitcham and Morden	1,353	1,225	128	-178	-11.6	2.4	268	215	-55	-20.4	360	5	1.4	345	-50	-12.7
Mole Valley	252	225	27	-31	-11.0	0.6	641	25	-10	-28.6	100	-5	-4.8	60	0	0.0
Monmouth	555	402	153	-50	-8.3	1.4	449	125	-40	-24.2	185	35	23.3	..	..	..
Montgomeryshire	409	292	117	-30	-6.8	1.4	471	115	-5	-4.2	105	-5	-4.5	105	-10	-8.7
Moray	954	775	179	155	19.4	2.0	334	200	20	11.1	235	65	38.2	..	..	..
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Morley and Outwood	798	694	104	-154	-16.2	1.5	422	165	-55	-25.0	220	-5	-2.2	160	-55	-25.6
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New Forest East	354	271	83	-56	-13.7	0.8	597	75	-20	-21.1	105	5	5.0	60	-5	-7.7
New Forest West	279	225	54	3	1.1	0.8	598	55	-10	-15.4	90	15	20.0	30	-5	-14.3
Newark	651	524	127	-86	-11.7	1.3	478	160	-25	-13.5	175	0	0.0	160	-20	-11.1
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Newcastle upon Tyne Central	2,326	1,854	472	126	5.7	5.4	27	450	-10	-2.2	525	65	14.1	..	..	..
Newcastle upon Tyne East	1,660	1,285	375	125	8.1	3.4	143	330	-5	-1.5	365	70	23.7	..	..	..
Newcastle upon Tyne North	1,106	794	312	94	9.3	2.6	242	255	20	8.5	265	55	26.2	..	..	..
Newcastle-under-Lyme	665	450	215	-69	-9.4	1.6	413	145	15	11.5	175	-5	-2.8	..	..	..
Newport East	1,375	1,112	263	-179	-11.5	3.6	124	275	-125	-31.3	275	25	10.0	350	-170	-32.7
Newport West	1,619	1,293	326	-176	-9.8	4.0	96	350	-80	-18.6	330	-5	-1.5	395	-190	-32.5
Newry & Armagh	1,867	1,867	0	-505	-21.3	3.6	129	415	-125	-23.1	480	-90	-15.8	610	-205	-25.2
Newton Abbot	463	363	100	10	2.2	1.2	510	110	20	22.2	130	-15	-10.3	75	10	15.4
Normanton, Pontefract and Castleford	1,277	1,189	88	-393	-23.5	2.4	274	290	-120	-29.3	315	-20	-6.0	260	-145	-35.8
North Antrim	1,860	1,860	0	-256	-12.1	3.6	123	440	-95	-17.8	440	25	6.0	735	10	1.4
North Ayrshire and Arran	2,198	1,598	600	0	0.0	5.2	37	480	25	5.5	510	20	4.1	..	..	..
North Cornwall	564	399	165	89	18.7	1.4	451	130	20	18.2	140	30	27.3	..	..	..
North Devon	465	356	109	115	32.9	1.1	535	90	15	20.0	140	35	33.3	45	-20	-30.8
North Dorset	293	232	61	-30	-9.3	0.6	632	60	-25	-29.4	85	0	0.0	40	0	0.0
North Down	1,256	1,256	0	-261	-17.2	3.0	195	280	-85	-23.3	330	-15	-4.3	385	-150	-28.0
North Durham	1,286	987	299	85	7.1	3.1	190	330	15	4.8	300	45	17.6	295	-80	-21.3
North East Bedfordshire	604	532	72	-115	-16.0	1.1	532	120	-5	-4.0	175	-25	-12.5	..	..	..
North East Cambridgeshire	728	661	67	-55	-7.0	1.3	482	180	-40	-18.2	165	-35	-17.5	100	-35	-25.9
North East Derbyshire	691	533	158	-118	-14.6	1.6	409	160	-45	-22.0	170	5	3.0	..	..	..
North East Fife	649	610	39	-13	-2.0	1.8	363	120	-25	-17.2	215	20	10.3	160	15	10.3
North East Hampshire	252	226	26	17	7.2	0.5	647	30	5	20.0	90	15	20.0	35	-5	-12.5
North East Hertfordshire	565	507	58	-68	-10.7	1.2	508	90	-5	-5.3	190	5	2.7	150	-5	-3.2
North East Somerset	417	248	169	-27	-6.1	1.0	555	100	-40	-28.6	110	5	4.8	..	..	..
North Herefordshire	478	351	127	56	13.3	1.2	505	100	-5	-4.8	150	40	36.4	..	..	..
North Norfolk	415	295	120	-50	-10.8	1.2	503	115	10	9.5	120	-10	-7.7	80	-15	-15.8
North Shropshire	677	441	236	-96	-12.4	1.3	477	175	-15	-7.9	185	-10	-5.1	..	..	..
North Somerset	277	177	100	16	6.1	0.6	640	65	20	44.4	80	0	0.0	..	..	..
North Swindon	793	577	216	-36	-4.3	1.4	469	175	5	2.9	190	5	2.7	..	..	..
North Thanet	1,516	1,252	264	177	13.2	3.6	127	320	-10	-3.0	420	115	37.7	390	-25	-6.0
North Tyneside	1,890	1,583	307	173	10.1	3.6	128	370	-30	-7.5	515	120	30.4	..	..	..
North Warwickshire	688	517	171	46	7.2	1.5	416	140	-5	-3.4	170	15	9.7	135	-15	-10.0
North West Cambridgeshire	753	621	132	-185	-19.7	1.1	518	150	-65	-30.2	165	-20	-10.8	90	-65	-41.9
North West Durham	1,096	848	248	15	1.4	2.5	257	250	-40	-13.8	290	60	26.1	255	-25	-8.9
North West Hampshire	371	313	58	23	6.6	0.7	618	65	10	18.2	130	20	18.2	60	10	20.0
North West Leicestershire	552	417	135	-161	-22.6	1.2	509	125	-40	-24.2	130	-35	-21.2	110	-55	-33.3

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North West Norfolk	606	535	71	-119	-16.4	1.4	459	125	-65	-34.2	170	5	3.0	90	-100	-52.6
North Wiltshire	390	283	107	-11	-2.7	0.9	581	80	-5	-5.9	125	25	25.0	..	..	..
Northampton North	1,063	886	177	-97	-8.4	2.4	272	205	-45	-18.0	285	5	1.8	245	-35	-12.5
Northampton South	1,445	1,197	248	-91	-5.9	2.8	212	240	5	2.1	385	30	8.5	360	-65	-15.3
Norwich North	801	649	152	-81	-9.2	1.8	369	175	-30	-14.6	200	5	2.6	195	-45	-18.8
Norwich South	1,051	834	217	-85	-7.5	2.1	321	210	-55	-20.8	240	0	0.0	220	-60	-21.4
Nottingham East	2,647	2,470	177	-387	-12.8	5.3	28	535	-95	-15.1	515	-35	-6.4	780	-90	-10.3
Nottingham North	2,503	2,286	217	-334	-11.8	5.7	19	570	-170	-23.0	450	-15	-3.2	840	-130	-13.4
Nottingham South	1,725	1,595	130	-101	-5.5	3.5	137	340	-70	-17.1	350	10	2.9	490	-65	-11.7
Nuneaton	1,007	768	239	-114	-10.2	2.2	299	170	-55	-24.4	240	30	14.3	..	..	..
Ochil and South Perthshire	1,055	833	222	-21	-2.0	2.2	312	255	-15	-5.6	260	25	10.6	..	..	..
Ogmore	1,042	822	220	-30	-2.8	2.9	202	235	-75	-24.2	225	10	4.7	240	10	4.3
Old Bexley and Sidcup	421	349	72	-70	-14.3	1.0	558	85	-35	-29.2	95	-10	-9.5	60	-20	-25.0
Oldham East and Saddleworth	1,934	1,012	922	245	14.5	4.1	80	440	-30	-6.4	355	60	20.3	..	..	..
Oldham West and Royton	2,188	1,198	990	153	7.5	4.8	53	550	-60	-9.8	435	95	27.9	..	..	..
Orkney and Shetland	229	143	86	85	59.0	1.0	556	55	30	120.0	70	30	75.0	..	..	..
Orpington	425	364	61	-9	-2.1	1.0	550	85	-10	-10.5	105	5	5.0	60	-25	-29.4
Oxford East	841	615	226	98	13.2	1.4	460	125	30	31.6	220	40	22.2	..	..	..
Oxford West and Abingdon	416	284	132	49	13.4	0.8	600	65	0	0.0	130	25	23.8	..	..	..
Paisley and Renfrewshire North	1,080	755	325	-177	-14.1	2.5	262	210	-40	-16.0	270	-10	-3.6	220	-20	-8.3
Paisley and Renfrewshire South	1,666	1,238	428	-248	-13.0	4.0	97	320	-45	-12.3	430	-15	-3.4	410	-5	-1.2
Pendle	1,206	661	545	158	15.1	3.0	196	275	0	0.0	230	35	17.9	..	..	..
Penistone and Stocksbridge	771	665	106	-20	-2.5	1.8	371	160	-15	-8.6	210	10	5.0	..	..	..
Penrith and The Border	356	204	152	34	10.6	0.9	574	65	0	0.0	105	15	16.7	..	..	..
Perth and North Perthshire	807	751	56	-38	-4.5	1.6	397	185	-25	-11.9	190	5	2.7	105	-35	-25.0
Peterborough	1,204	973	231	-344	-22.2	2.1	325	285	-90	-24.0	230	-55	-19.3	190	-105	-35.6
Plymouth, Moor View	1,123	974	149	44	4.1	2.7	227	270	-45	-14.3	255	45	21.4	190	-5	-2.6
Plymouth, Sutton and Devonport	2,168	1,909	259	136	6.7	3.8	109	420	-20	-4.5	490	105	27.3	445	0	0.0
Pontypridd	825	778	47	-138	-14.3	2.1	316	175	-85	-32.7	195	5	2.6	215	-5	-2.3
Poole	648	462	186	32	5.2	1.4	465	150	15	11.1	175	30	20.7	100	-5	-4.8
Poplar and Limehouse	2,394	1,876	518	3	0.1	3.0	194	485	-45	-8.5	555	60	12.1	..	..	..
Portsmouth North	723	660	63	-142	-16.4	1.4	448	130	-50	-27.8	200	-5	-2.4	150	-50	-25.0
Portsmouth South	1,173	1,087	86	-220	-15.8	2.2	300	185	-25	-11.9	305	-25	-7.6	..	..	..
Preseli Pembrokeshire	956	790	166	9	1.0	2.7	226	220	-10	-4.3	260	40	18.2	280	35	14.3
Preston	1,794	925	869	78	4.5	4.0	88	390	-10	-2.5	340	-10	-2.9	..	..	..



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Pudsey	569	487	82	-82	-12.6	1.2	500	110	-30	-21.4	160	25	18.5	100	-15	-13.0
Putney	858	717	141	-35	-3.9	1.6	404	115	-5	-4.2	230	30	15.0	..	..	..
Rayleigh and Wickford	479	360	119	-32	-6.3	1.0	553	120	-20	-14.3	105	-10	-8.7	..	..	..
Reading East	830	698	132	36	4.5	1.4	453	110	35	46.7	215	-5	-2.3	175	10	6.1
Reading West	924	752	172	65	7.6	1.7	390	135	15	12.5	280	60	27.3	180	-10	-5.3
Redcar	2,199	2,006	193	184	9.1	5.6	20	455	-20	-4.2	530	125	30.9	540	-215	-28.5
Redditch	889	655	234	39	4.6	2.0	343	200	25	14.3	220	30	15.8	..	..	..
Reigate	430	385	45	-74	-14.7	0.8	588	75	-20	-21.1	135	10	8.0	90	-30	-25.0
Rhondda	1,342	1,242	100	-6	-0.4	4.5	63	315	-90	-22.2	320	80	33.3	380	-70	-15.6
Ribble Valley	520	259	261	52	11.1	1.1	528	115	0	0.0	120	5	4.3	..	..	..
Richmond (Yorks)	454	303	151	24	5.6	0.8	586	90	-10	-10.0	120	15	14.3	..	..	..
Richmond Park	748	614	134	-9	-1.2	1.2	501	110	0	0.0	240	35	17.1	165	-5	-2.9
Rochdale	2,239	1,239	1,000	209	10.3	4.8	54	575	70	13.9	395	45	12.9	..	..	..
Rochester and Strood	1,212	1,007	205	-89	-6.8	2.2	306	230	-105	-31.3	335	20	6.3	345	0	0.0
Rochford and Southend East	1,477	1,130	347	42	2.9	3.0	197	355	-20	-5.3	325	20	6.6	..	..	..
Romford	896	787	109	-128	-12.5	1.8	373	170	-10	-5.6	205	-5	-2.4	205	-25	-10.9
Romsey and Southampton North	324	236	88	-27	-7.7	0.8	593	55	-5	-8.3	100	10	11.1	..	..	..
Ross, Skye and Lochaber	419	288	131	20	5.0	1.3	492	60	-10	-14.3	135	5	3.8	..	..	..
Rossendale and Darwen	1,330	730	600	148	12.5	2.8	213	300	10	3.4	305	35	13.0	..	..	..
Rother Valley	1,027	863	164	-64	-5.9	2.3	291	235	-25	-9.6	265	30	12.8	240	-85	-26.2
Rotherham	1,818	1,550	268	-320	-15.0	4.4	68	360	-120	-25.0	365	-20	-5.2	500	-220	-30.6
Rugby	730	384	346	-92	-11.2	1.5	431	150	-35	-18.9	185	-10	-5.1	..	..	..
Ruislip, Northwood and Pinner	504	418	86	-32	-6.0	1.1	527	65	-10	-13.3	140	5	3.7	85	5	6.3
Runnymede and Weybridge	352	321	31	-12	-3.3	0.7	627	45	10	28.6	115	-5	-4.2	50	-15	-23.1
Rushcliffe	477	426	51	-33	-6.5	1.0	552	80	-25	-23.8	130	-5	-3.7	130	20	18.2
Rutherglen and Hamilton West	1,590	1,166	424	-428	-21.2	3.0	198	355	-140	-28.3	355	-45	-11.3	390	-75	-16.1
Rutland and Melton	431	343	88	-19	-4.2	0.9	582	80	-5	-5.9	135	15	12.5	..	..	..
Saffron Walden	345	290	55	-62	-15.2	0.7	631	50	-20	-28.6	110	-20	-15.4	70	-10	-12.5
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Salisbury	409	280	129	78	23.6	0.9	575	90	-5	-5.3	95	10	11.8	..	..	..
Scarborough and Whitby	903	731	172	-24	-2.6	2.0	331	150	10	7.1	275	40	17.0	..	..	..
Scunthorpe	1,658	1,282	376	26	1.6	3.8	111	350	-15	-4.1	400	90	29.0	460	-5	-1.1
Sedgefield	1,136	874	262	-34	-2.9	2.9	206	295	-55	-15.7	255	50	24.4	235	-60	-20.3
Sefton Central	583	244	339	-47	-7.5	1.5	420	150	-35	-18.9	145	-25	-14.7	..	..	..
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Sevenoaks	404	344	60	-22	-5.2	0.9	569	65	-5	-7.1	120	-5	-4.0	60	-30	-33.3
Sheffield Central	1,884	1,706	178	-173	-8.4	3.2	164	310	-65	-17.3	375	-5	-1.3	605	-30	-4.7
Sheffield South East	1,424	1,241	183	-7	-0.5	3.2	171	300	-55	-15.5	340	65	23.6	350	-65	-15.7
Sheffield, Brightside and Hillsborough	2,736	2,459	277	-216	-7.3	5.7	18	600	-85	-12.4	520	30	6.1	..	..	..
Sheffield, Hallam	449	388	61	6	1.4	1.0	540	95	10	11.8	145	30	26.1	125	-10	-7.4
Sheffield, Heeley	2,046	1,815	231	-231	-10.1	4.5	65	445	-125	-21.9	455	35	8.3	660	-80	-10.8
Sherwood	961	801	160	-59	-5.8	2.1	330	220	-65	-22.8	215	30	16.2	255	-25	-8.9
Shipley	842	675	167	-164	-16.3	1.7	381	165	-40	-19.5	255	-5	-1.9	210	-75	-26.3
Shrewsbury and Atcham	633	448	185	-100	-13.6	1.3	493	120	-20	-14.3	195	20	11.4	..	..	..
Sittingbourne and Sheppey	1,595	1,187	408	128	8.7	3.0	193	425	-15	-3.4	380	85	28.8	..	..	..
Skipton and Ripon	371	229	142	-16	-4.1	0.8	599	65	-10	-13.3	120	0	0.0	..	..	..
Sleaford and North Hykeham	600	481	119	-50	-7.7	1.1	521	145	-60	-29.3	150	15	11.1	..	..	..
Slough	1,244	1,007	237	-10	-0.8	1.8	370	175	0	0.0	305	10	3.4	200	-55	-21.6
Solihull	511	346	165	34	7.1	1.1	534	115	15	15.0	170	45	36.0	..	..	..
Somerton and Frome	420	306	114	32	8.2	0.9	583	105	10	10.5	125	20	19.0	..	..	..
South Antrim	1,299	1,299	0	-79	-5.7	2.6	230	355	-25	-6.6	300	10	3.4	380	-45	-10.6
South Basildon and East Thurrock	1,068	721	347	-35	-3.2	2.2	308	285	5	1.8	220	-15	-6.4	..	..	..
South Cambridgeshire	301	258	43	-31	-9.3	0.5	644	45	-15	-25.0	85	-10	-10.5	50	0	0.0
South Derbyshire	376	233	143	-56	-13.0	0.8	606	110	0	0.0	85	0	0.0	35	-25	-41.7
South Dorset	583	450	133	58	11.0	1.4	458	125	5	4.2	165	50	43.5	95	0	0.0
South Down	1,635	1,635	0	-446	-21.4	3.3	160	390	-145	-27.1	400	-45	-10.1	525	-170	-24.5
South East Cambridgeshire	373	340	33	-89	-19.3	0.6	638	50	-15	-23.1	120	-10	-7.7	70	0	0.0
South East Cornwall	552	412	140	25	4.7	1.4	466	130	-10	-7.1	170	35	25.9	75	-10	-11.8
South Holland and The Deepings	692	546	146	-89	-11.4	1.4	457	145	-55	-27.5	185	30	19.4	155	-50	-24.4
South Leicestershire	369	310	59	-115	-23.8	0.7	620	80	-5	-5.9	90	-35	-28.0	60	-30	-33.3
South Norfolk	437	342	95	-52	-10.6	0.9	565	95	-15	-13.6	115	0	0.0	90	-15	-14.3
South Northamptonshire	397	328	69	-31	-7.2	0.7	624	75	-10	-11.8	120	-10	-7.7	85	5	6.3
South Ribble	686	328	358	58	9.2	1.4	440	180	15	9.1	140	10	7.7	..	..	..
South Shields	2,436	2,208	228	47	2.0	6.2	12	485	-50	-9.3	690	110	19.0	655	-110	-14.4
South Staffordshire	614	498	116	-73	-10.6	1.3	480	135	-25	-15.6	175	15	9.4	175	-35	-16.7
South Suffolk	428	344	84	19	4.6	1.0	551	70	-20	-22.2	115	-15	-11.5	75	-15	-16.7
South Swindon	940	695	245	-59	-5.9	1.7	395	210	-5	-2.3	220	-25	-10.2	..	..	..
South Thanet	1,610	1,334	276	193	13.6	3.7	115	355	25	7.6	420	100	31.3	380	-85	-18.3
South West Bedfordshire	597	537	60	-91	-13.2	1.1	531	105	-35	-25.0	165	10	6.5	90	-65	-41.9
South West Devon	403	344	59	50	14.2	1.0	559	85	-10	-10.5	105	30	40.0	40	-5	-11.1

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South West Hertfordshire	489	404	85	-37	-7.0	0.9	563	85	-20	-19.0	145	-10	-6.5	100	0	0.0
South West Norfolk	671	518	153	61	10.0	1.3	474	145	-10	-6.5	180	20	12.5	..	..	..
South West Surrey	308	271	37	-50	-14.0	0.6	635	40	-10	-20.0	105	5	5.0	45	-10	-18.2
South West Wiltshire	606	443	163	72	13.5	1.3	491	120	0	0.0	160	20	14.3	..	..	..
Southampton, Itchen	1,085	770	315	27	2.6	2.0	340	235	5	2.2	260	45	20.9	..	..	..
Southampton, Test	1,060	757	303	-40	-3.6	1.9	356	200	-25	-11.1	260	5	2.0	..	..	..
Southend West	666	453	213	-56	-7.8	1.5	432	140	-20	-12.5	190	25	15.2	..	..	..
Southport	932	484	448	-29	-3.0	2.3	289	175	-35	-16.7	230	-10	-4.2	..	..	..
Spelthorne	498	445	53	-12	-2.4	1.0	554	85	5	6.3	140	0	0.0	80	-20	-20.0
St Albans	546	403	143	18	3.4	1.0	541	85	10	13.3	155	5	3.3	..	..	..
St Austell and Newquay	790	540	250	53	7.2	1.7	391	160	-5	-3.0	205	30	17.1	..	..	..
St Helens North	1,729	716	1,013	-95	-5.2	3.8	107	450	-25	-5.3	330	5	1.5	..	..	..
St Helens South and Whiston	1,888	785	1,103	-155	-7.6	4.0	93	475	-75	-13.6	350	-35	-9.1	..	..	..
St Ives	536	386	150	116	27.6	1.4	450	95	-5	-5.0	155	50	47.6	60	0	0.0
Stafford	476	327	149	-40	-7.8	1.0	543	115	-20	-14.8	115	-5	-4.2	55	-30	-35.3
Staffordshire Moorlands	326	271	55	10	3.2	0.9	573	55	-5	-8.3	100	15	17.6	70	-25	-26.3
Stalybridge and Hyde	1,655	767	888	183	12.4	3.7	117	395	-5	-1.3	375	50	15.4	..	..	..
Stevenage	851	760	91	-201	-19.1	1.7	393	125	-85	-40.5	275	-15	-5.2	245	-95	-27.9
Stirling	867	577	290	17	2.0	2.0	345	215	35	19.4	215	10	4.9	..	..	..
Stockport	1,660	856	804	96	6.1	3.8	113	350	10	2.9	315	-15	-4.5	..	..	..
Stockton North	2,174	1,864	310	40	1.9	5.1	41	450	-95	-17.4	485	85	21.3	560	-85	-13.2
Stockton South	1,566	1,317	249	112	7.7	3.1	184	330	-30	-8.3	345	75	27.8	320	-90	-22.0
Stoke-on-Trent Central	1,298	1,149	149	-74	-5.4	3.4	150	265	-20	-7.0	270	-10	-3.6	355	-50	-12.3
Stoke-on-Trent North	1,264	1,103	161	-146	-10.4	2.9	209	250	-45	-15.3	275	15	5.8	..	..	..
Stoke-on-Trent South	785	662	123	-135	-14.7	1.9	346	160	-100	-38.5	180	5	2.9	135	-40	-22.9
Stone	271	207	64	-21	-7.2	0.7	623	50	-10	-16.7	85	5	6.3	..	..	..
Stourbridge	1,303	971	332	125	10.6	3.1	188	275	-5	-1.8	360	90	33.3	..	..	..
Strangford	1,571	1,571	0	-233	-12.9	3.7	118	380	-90	-19.1	425	25	6.3	605	-80	-11.7
Stratford-on-Avon	150	88	62	-21	-12.3	0.4	650	25	0	0.0	45	-10	-18.2	..	..	..
Streatham	1,982	1,775	207	-187	-8.6	2.7	224	235	-30	-11.3	620	40	6.9	550	-140	-20.3
Stretford and Urmston	1,523	825	698	239	18.6	3.1	178	305	30	10.9	350	85	32.1	..	..	..
Stroud	450	309	141	6	1.4	0.9	577	105	-10	-8.7	115	0	0.0	..	..	..
Suffolk Coastal	386	266	120	22	6.0	0.9	576	70	5	7.7	135	15	12.5	..	..	..
Sunderland Central	1,930	1,550	380	-104	-5.1	4.0	90	375	-125	-25.0	540	75	16.1	475	-80	-14.4
Surrey Heath	351	291	60	17	5.1	0.6	634	40	-15	-27.3	120	20	20.0	35	-15	-30.0

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Sutton and Cheam	383	367	16	-283	-42.5	0.7	607	40	-80	-66.7	130	-45	-25.7	115	-50	-30.3
Sutton Coldfield	635	451	184	82	14.8	1.4	456	130	10	8.3	170	25	17.2	..	..	..
Swansea East	1,433	1,092	341	4	0.3	3.8	110	375	5	1.4	310	20	6.9	375	40	11.9
Swansea West	1,396	1,134	262	-17	-1.2	3.9	102	295	-40	-11.9	290	20	7.4	340	-25	-6.8
Tamworth	488	347	141	126	34.8	1.0	539	85	0	0.0	115	45	64.3	..	..	..
Tatton	361	159	202	16	4.6	0.9	564	65	0	0.0	100	0	0.0	..	..	..
Taunton Deane	786	613	173	51	6.9	1.4	441	170	5	3.0	210	35	20.0	..	..	..
Telford	1,166	833	333	-11	-0.9	2.7	229	250	-60	-19.4	220	20	10.0	..	..	..
Tewkesbury	572	449	123	-3	-0.5	1.1	517	120	-10	-7.7	180	25	16.1	..	..	..
The Cotswolds	328	248	80	-22	-6.3	0.7	614	70	0	0.0	100	-15	-13.0	..	..	..
The Wrekin	536	373	163	11	2.1	1.2	502	140	5	3.7	130	25	23.8	..	..	..
Thirsk and Malton	391	261	130	-19	-4.6	0.8	585	75	5	7.1	115	-20	-14.8	..	..	..
Thornbury and Yate	302	258	44	-35	-10.4	0.7	610	75	-10	-11.8	75	-10	-11.8	35	-40	-53.3
Thurrock	1,641	1,243	398	-36	-2.1	2.6	239	335	-25	-6.9	355	15	4.4	..	..	..
Tiverton and Honiton	509	400	109	74	17.0	1.1	516	95	10	11.8	135	20	17.4	65	-5	-7.1
Tonbridge and Malling	530	439	91	-21	-3.8	1.1	529	100	-10	-9.1	160	10	6.7	120	-20	-14.3
Tooting	1,038	890	148	-134	-11.4	1.7	394	125	-45	-26.5	315	40	14.5	..	..	..
Torbay	1,197	1,024	173	-61	-4.8	2.7	225	210	-35	-14.3	380	20	5.6	265	-85	-24.3
Torfaen	1,216	790	426	-133	-9.9	3.2	174	370	-40	-9.8	240	15	6.7	..	..	..
Torrige and West Devon	598	481	117	-13	-2.1	1.4	470	140	-5	-3.4	165	-10	-5.7	115	-35	-23.3
Totnes	379	305	74	19	5.3	1.1	530	75	-10	-11.8	110	0	0.0	60	-15	-20.0
Tottenham	3,055	2,862	193	-159	-4.9	4.5	64	430	-40	-8.5	915	125	15.8	835	-85	-9.2
Truro and Falmouth	699	501	198	92	15.2	1.6	402	145	10	7.4	200	45	29.0	120	-10	-7.7
Tunbridge Wells	469	374	95	14	3.1	0.9	570	75	10	15.4	135	15	12.5	75	5	7.1
Twickenham	760	670	90	24	3.3	1.2	495	105	5	5.0	235	15	6.8	160	-5	-3.0
Tynemouth	1,188	967	221	4	0.3	2.4	267	225	-40	-15.1	325	70	27.5	200	-60	-23.1
Upper Bann	2,000	2,000	0	-492	-19.7	3.5	133	470	-190	-28.8	475	-10	-2.1	685	-185	-21.3
Uxbridge and South Ruislip	790	670	120	51	6.9	1.4	445	125	10	8.7	185	35	23.3	115	5	4.5
Vale of Clwyd	1,013	710	303	-70	-6.5	3.2	163	255	-20	-7.3	220	10	4.8	255	-30	-10.5
Vale of Glamorgan	1,169	1,044	125	-174	-13.0	2.5	259	255	-65	-20.3	300	-5	-1.6	340	-40	-10.5
Vauxhall	2,262	2,081	181	-194	-7.9	3.1	186	265	-100	-27.4	745	105	16.4	675	-115	-14.6
Wakefield	1,311	1,251	60	-207	-13.6	2.8	217	235	-60	-20.3	345	-15	-4.2	385	-90	-18.9
Wallasey	1,370	619	751	-83	-5.7	3.3	152	350	-25	-6.7	265	-35	-11.7	..	..	..
Walsall North	2,030	1,635	395	-66	-3.1	4.7	55	445	-50	-10.1	435	45	11.5	600	-110	-15.5
Walsall South	1,870	1,497	373	-27	-1.4	4.3	69	370	-80	-17.8	425	100	30.8	480	-125	-20.7

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Walthamstow	2,050	1,620	430	-211	-9.3	3.5	136	350	-85	-19.5	500	0	0.0	..	..	..
Wansbeck	1,623	1,470	153	-80	-4.7	4.2	77	375	-70	-15.7	370	10	2.8	525	-85	-13.9
Wantage	353	260	93	35	11.0	0.6	637	60	-5	-7.7	105	20	23.5	..	..	..
Warley	2,074	1,698	376	75	3.8	4.9	49	430	-15	-3.4	480	95	24.7	540	-60	-10.0
Warrington North	1,254	598	656	-161	-11.4	2.6	232	285	-105	-26.9	255	-25	-8.9	..	..	..
Warrington South	978	471	507	-100	-9.3	1.8	380	210	-50	-19.2	230	20	9.5	..	..	..
Warwick and Leamington	456	352	104	-34	-6.9	0.9	567	70	0	0.0	135	5	3.8	70	-20	-22.2
Washington and Sunderland West	1,749	1,398	351	-82	-4.5	4.1	81	410	-70	-14.6	410	40	10.8	475	-75	-13.6
Watford	971	821	150	-63	-6.1	1.5	424	165	-20	-10.8	275	20	7.8	145	-55	-27.5
Waveney	1,146	777	369	20	1.8	2.6	244	275	15	5.8	295	45	18.0	..	..	..
Wealden	365	270	95	7	2.0	0.7	608	80	0	0.0	105	10	10.5	75	0	0.0
Weaver Vale	967	480	487	12	1.3	2.3	290	225	-10	-4.3	200	0	0.0	..	..	..
Wellingborough	1,168	893	275	-201	-14.7	2.2	307	245	-75	-23.4	290	-5	-1.7	240	-30	-11.1
Wells	571	425	146	27	5.0	1.2	507	115	0	0.0	185	25	15.6	..	..	..
Welwyn Hatfield	836	683	153	-59	-6.6	1.5	426	145	-35	-19.4	230	10	4.5	170	-35	-17.1
Wentworth and Dearne	1,501	1,235	266	-128	-7.9	3.3	153	345	-60	-14.8	330	25	8.2	..	..	..
West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine	731	640	91	356	94.9	1.4	443	115	55	91.7	235	130	123.8	65	35	116.7
West Bromwich East	2,114	1,819	295	13	0.6	5.2	33	400	-85	-17.5	490	35	7.7	770	-70	-8.3
West Bromwich West	2,121	1,775	346	76	3.7	4.9	48	450	-45	-9.1	495	95	23.8	695	-65	-8.6
West Dorset	296	226	70	0	0.0	0.7	619	55	-10	-15.4	90	0	0.0	30	-15	-33.3
West Dunbartonshire	2,037	1,445	592	-150	-6.9	4.7	57	470	-5	-1.1	465	-20	-4.1	..	..	..
West Ham	2,539	2,226	313	-515	-16.9	3.0	199	385	-230	-37.4	660	50	8.2	530	-250	-32.1
West Lancashire	1,222	535	687	228	22.9	2.7	221	290	25	9.4	260	10	4.0	..	..	..
West Suffolk	617	444	173	-3	-0.5	1.0	538	140	-5	-3.4	155	0	0.0	..	..	..
West Tyrone	2,132	2,132	0	-398	-15.7	5.4	26	535	-95	-15.1	490	-15	-3.0	965	-150	-13.5
West Worcestershire	469	370	99	13	2.9	1.1	513	115	-5	-4.2	120	-15	-11.1	90	-10	-10.0
Westminster North	1,429	1,245	184	-132	-8.5	2.3	285	185	-25	-11.9	405	10	2.5	..	..	..
Westmorland and Lonsdale	234	112	122	33	16.4	0.6	639	40	10	33.3	65	10	18.2	..	..	..
Weston-Super-Mare	874	592	282	-15	-1.7	1.8	375	205	15	7.9	225	5	2.3	..	..	..
Wigan	1,969	1,027	942	241	13.9	4.0	91	445	55	14.1	420	75	21.7	..	..	..
Wimbledon	561	494	67	-34	-5.7	1.1	537	75	-20	-21.1	145	-5	-3.3	125	-25	-16.7
Winchester	320	257	63	34	11.9	0.7	622	45	-5	-10.0	115	35	43.8	..	..	..
Windsor	426	357	69	1	0.2	0.8	594	45	0	0.0	130	-5	-3.7	65	10	18.2
Wirral South	480	191	289	-124	-20.5	1.5	439	110	-45	-29.0	110	-35	-24.1	..	..	..
Wirral West	502	219	283	-75	-13.0	1.6	400	125	-30	-19.4	125	-10	-7.4	..	..	..

## Claimant data by constituency: People claiming JSA or not in work and claiming Universal Credit (UC), June 2016

**Notes:** Figures include JSA claimants and people not in work claiming Universal Credit (UC). UC figures are provisional. Some people claiming UC may no longer be seeking work.

**Claimant rate** is the proportion of the economically active population aged 16-64 (as estimated by the Library) who are claiming JSA or not in work and claiming UC.

**Claims by age group:** Data on JSA claimants by age group are rounded to the nearest five. Data on UC claimants not in work by age are unrounded but small figures are suppressed.

**Claim duration:** Data on claims over 12 months are for JSA claimants only. Data on the length of time someone has been not in work and claiming UC are currently not available. Cells are left blank if there were people in the constituency claiming UC a year ago.

	Claimant levels			All claimants		Claimant rate		Claims by age group					Claim duration (JSA only)			
	All	JSA only	UC only	Annual change		All claimants		18-24		50 and over			Claiming > 12 months			
	Jun-16			level	%	Jun-16	Rank	Jun-16	Annual change	Jun-16	Annual change	Jun-16	Annual change	Jun-16	Annual change	
						%	1=highest	level	%	level	%	level	%	level	%	
<b>United Kingdom</b>	<b>742,063</b>	<b>576,621</b>	<b>165,442</b>	<b>-36,216</b>	<b>-4.7</b>	<b>2.4</b>		<b>151,645</b>	<b>-19,285</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>179,195</b>	<b>10,775</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>169,715</b>	<b>-36,390</b>	<b>-17.7</b>
Witham	572	448	124	-31	-5.1	1.3	486	125	0	0.0	160	-15	-8.6	..	..	..
Witney	351	271	80	-33	-8.6	0.6	636	65	-15	-18.8	100	-5	-4.8	..	..	..
Woking	346	302	44	-42	-10.8	0.6	633	45	-5	-10.0	90	-10	-10.0	50	-20	-28.6
Wokingham	363	291	72	9	2.5	0.7	629	60	10	20.0	120	15	14.3	60	15	33.3
Wolverhampton North East	2,264	2,049	215	44	2.0	5.5	24	460	-25	-5.2	500	90	22.0	675	-125	-15.6
Wolverhampton South East	2,484	2,199	285	-2	-0.1	6.2	13	500	-115	-18.7	570	85	17.5	785	-140	-15.1
Wolverhampton South West	1,962	1,742	220	-8	-0.4	4.9	47	360	-60	-14.3	460	70	17.9	610	-110	-15.3
Worcester	993	775	218	-81	-7.5	1.9	349	220	-45	-17.0	250	15	6.4	225	-20	-8.2
Workington	1,013	529	484	-9	-0.9	2.7	219	240	-65	-21.3	225	25	12.5	..	..	..
Worsley and Eccles South	1,863	920	943	271	17.0	3.9	103	440	-10	-2.2	390	95	32.2	..	..	..
Worthing West	630	499	131	66	11.7	1.5	434	135	35	35.0	180	25	16.1	105	-15	-12.5
Wrexham	774	535	239	-166	-17.7	2.2	295	190	-20	-9.5	175	-40	-18.6	..	..	..
Wycombe	865	744	121	-161	-15.7	1.5	421	140	-35	-20.0	260	25	10.6	190	-30	-13.6
Wyre and Preston North	364	186	178	26	7.7	0.9	579	80	0	0.0	85	10	13.3	..	..	..
Wyre Forest	699	531	168	-7	-1.0	1.5	419	150	25	20.0	195	25	14.7	125	-55	-30.6
Wythenshawe and Sale East	1,817	896	921	108	6.3	3.5	139	395	-30	-7.1	350	30	9.4	..	..	..
Yeovil	606	475	131	80	15.2	1.1	511	140	5	3.7	160	35	28.0	..	..	..
Ynys Mon	1,158	936	222	-92	-7.4	3.7	120	260	-40	-13.3	290	5	1.8	..	..	..
York Central	596	391	205	-89	-13.0	1.0	548	115	-25	-17.9	155	-20	-11.4	..	..	..
York Outer	231	155	76	-25	-9.8	0.5	646	45	-5	-10.0	65	-20	-23.5	..	..	..
North East	47,339	39,005	8,334	1,603	3.5	3.8		10,230	-765	-7.0	11,575	2,040	21.4	11,265	-2,135	-15.9
North West	107,279	54,450	52,829	4,018	3.9	3.2		24,160	-805	-3.2	22,095	1,250	6.0	..	..	..
Yorkshire and The Humber	71,861	59,999	11,862	-10,006	-12.2	2.8		15,290	-3,480	-18.5	16,405	-75	-0.5	..	..	..
East Midlands	43,889	35,811	8,078	-4,527	-9.4	1.9		9,440	-1,600	-14.5	10,355	20	0.2	10,280	-2,135	-17.2
West Midlands	79,224	62,831	16,393	310	0.4	3.0		16,120	-930	-5.5	18,165	2,065	12.8	..	..	..
East	44,308	36,002	8,306	-3,628	-7.6	1.5		8,850	-1,275	-12.6	11,580	165	1.4	8,745	-2,165	-19.8
London	102,676	88,632	14,044	-10,798	-9.5	2.3		15,310	-3,955	-20.5	28,295	1,770	6.7	..	..	..
South East	56,366	46,010	10,356	-1,656	-2.9	1.3		10,505	-950	-8.3	15,660	1,160	8.0	10,870	-1,775	-14.0
South West	37,162	28,688	8,474	604	1.7	1.4		7,580	-515	-6.4	9,700	1,020	11.8	..	..	..
England	590,110	451,428	138,682	-24,070	-3.9	2.2		117,490	-14,270	-10.8	143,835	9,420	7.0	..	..	..
Wales	41,009	32,415	8,594	-3,009	-6.8	2.9		9,485	-1,630	-14.7	9,445	375	4.1	..	..	..
Scotland	75,262	57,096	18,166	-2,338	-3.0	2.8		16,000	-1,295	-7.5	17,655	1,225	7.5	..	..	..
Northern Ireland	35,682	35,682	0	-6,808	-16.0	4.2		8,670	-2,085	-19.4	8,260	-245	-2.9	13,115	-2,345	-15.2

## 4. Information about sources, methods and copyright

### 4.1 Sources and copyright

The original sources for the data in this paper are the Office for National Statistics (ONS) and the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP). Changes over time, rankings and the 'claimant rate' have been calculated by the Library. The specific source for data is shown below:

- JSA claimant count: non-seasonally adjusted data, downloaded from NOMIS: <https://www.nomisweb.co.uk/>. As unemployment has a seasonal pattern, comparisons should be made using the same month in each year. Data for constituencies are available from 2004 onwards.
- Universal Credit claimants: non-seasonally adjusted data, downloaded from DWP Stat-Xplore: <https://stat-xplore.dwp.gov.uk/>. These are designated as experimental statistics, as they are new official statistics still undergoing evaluation.
- Claimant rate is the number of claimants as a proportion of the resident economically active population aged 16 to 64, as estimated by the Library (see section 4.2 for more details). These rates are higher than the population-based rates published by ONS on the NOMIS site: the Library's claimant rates are the percentage of the *economically active* population in this age range rather than the whole population in the age range (as used by ONS).
- Age breakdowns (combined figures for JSA and Universal Credit claimants) and data on JSA claimants by duration of claim are also available from NOMIS.

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## 4.2 Treatment of Universal Credit

From December 2014, the headline claimant count and rate shown in this paper includes (i) people claiming JSA, as well as (ii) people not in employment and claiming Universal Credit. Previous editions of *Unemployment by Constituency* showed the number of people claiming Jobseeker's Allowance only.

Universal Credit is a new benefit which is replacing income-based JSA and certain other benefits. The rollout of Universal Credit commenced in April 2013 (starting with jobseekers attending Ashton-under-Lyne jobcentre in Tameside) and is progressing in stages. As a consequence, the number of JSA claimants alone may no longer give an accurate reflection of the number of people looking for work in the constituencies affected.

People claiming Universal Credit may continue to receive it upon entering employment, therefore the figures in this paper only include those Universal Credit claimants who are out of work.

The group of out-of-work Universal Credit claimants may include some people who are no longer seeking work.<sup>6</sup> This means the combined JSA/Universal Credit series as published by the Library may slightly overestimate the total number of unemployed claimants.

### Changes over time

Data on out-of-work Universal Credit claimants by constituency are available as a time-series from November 2013 onwards.

### Data by age group

From July 2015 claimant count data by age group has also included Universal Credit claimants who are out of work. Previous editions of *Unemployment by Constituency* showed the number of people claiming Jobseeker's Allowance only.

### Data by duration of claim

Data on the length of time Universal Credit claimants have been out of work are currently not published at the constituency level. Therefore in the data table in section 3 of this paper, statistics on the number of people claiming for over 12 months include JSA claimants only. Statistics are only provided for those constituencies where there was no one claiming Universal Credit a year ago.

From November 2015, ONS has published a combined series for JSA claimants and out of work Universal Credit claimants on the NOMIS website. Figures are rounded to the nearest five. Unrounded figures for the overall claimant count may still be obtained by adding the count of JSA claimants as published on NOMIS to the count of out-of-work

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<sup>6</sup> All claimants currently on Universal Credit were looking for work when they started receiving the benefit, even if they have since stopped looking or have entered employment. This is because the rollout of Universal Credit has so far been confined to jobseekers.



Universal Credit claimants published on Stat-Xplore), as is done in this paper.

**Further details** on Universal Credit and JSA claimants are provided in a Library note, [Unemployment by Constituency: changes in methodology, 2014](#). A list of jobcentres where Universal Credit has been introduced is provided in the DWP [Universal Credit statistical release](#) (Table 4.1).<sup>7</sup>

### 4.3 Claimant rate methodology

The claimant rate shown in this paper is calculated by the Library and shows the number of claimants as a proportion of the estimated economically active population aged 16-64 in each constituency. The ONS publishes a different rate alongside the claimant count data, which uses the total resident population aged 16-64. The 'ONS rate' is the rate used in Written Answers.

The Library revised the methodology used to calculate constituency claimant rates in the January 2016 edition of *Unemployment by Constituency*, following the release of new constituency population estimates for mid-2014 and to reflect changes in economic activity since the 2011 Census.

- Denominators have been recalculated to reflect mid-year population estimates for 2014 and are scaled so that they sum to the denominator for the relevant country or region of the UK.
- It is assumed that economic activity rates in each constituency increase and decrease in line with the trend at the regional level. Regional figures are taken from the ONS Annual Population Survey for periods up to January-December 2014. The denominators do not take account of more recent changes in economic activity since January-December 2014.

The claimant rates included in this month's paper are not comparable with the rates shown in editions of *Unemployment by Constituency* prior to January 2016. A consistent time series back to May 2010 can be found on the Library's [Constituency Profiles](#).

Further details of the methodology used to calculate rates are provided in Library standard note, [Unemployment by constituency: changes in methodology, 2016](#). The denominators used to calculate constituency claimant rates were previously updated in the [December 2014](#), [June 2014](#) and [July 2013](#) editions of *Unemployment by Constituency*, following previous releases of constituency data from the 2011 Census.

The rates presented here should be regarded more as a social measure of relative deprivation than as an economic measure of the mismatch between the supply of and demand for labour, as they take no account of people's ability to seek work outside the constituency in which they live.

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<sup>7</sup> <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/universal-credit-statistics>

## 4.4 Notes and abbreviations

Changes in benefit rules and welfare-to-work schemes affect the number of people claiming Jobseekers Allowance. These include:

- Some new jobseekers are claiming Universal Credit rather than Jobseeker's Allowance since the commencement of the Universal Credit pathfinder on 29 April 2013. This applies to new jobseekers who are single and attending certain jobcentres. From July 2014, some [couples](#) are also able to claim Universal Credit. More details are provided in section 4.2.
- From late-2008 to mid-2011, and from May 2012, changes in eligibility rules resulted in fewer lone parents (mostly women) being able to claim Lone Parent Income Support. This led to more lone parents claiming Jobseeker's Allowance while they looked for work.
- From April 2011, reassessments of Incapacity Benefit claimants have led to some people being declared ineligible for disability benefits. Some will then claim Jobseekers Allowance instead. ONS suggests that the effect of this on monthly changes to the claimant count is likely to be small.
- Since 2010, changes in the way benefits are paid to certain individuals on welfare-to-work programmes have affected the number of long-term claimants of JSA, particularly young people. Previously, some individuals were moved from claiming JSA on to a Training Allowance when on certain schemes; once they finished the scheme they returned to JSA (if they remained unemployed) but were counted as a new claimant, thereby breaking the original claim's duration. Since 2011, many fewer people have been moved from JSA to a Training Allowance. This has resulted in the statistics showing a higher number of longer-term JSA claimants. A DWP note, [The effect of policy changes on the youth claimant count](#), gives more details.<sup>8</sup>

The following notes should be borne in mind when drawing conclusions from the maps:

- The maps on pages 8-10 show residence-based claimant count rates for constituencies in the United Kingdom, with an expanded view of constituencies in selected major conurbations and surrounding areas.
- The map on page 11 shows the percentage change in residence-based claimant count levels over the past year for constituencies in the United Kingdom.
- In both maps the constituencies in the United Kingdom have been divided into five equally sized bands, also known as 'quintile groups', each of which contain approximately 130 constituencies (20% of the total in the United Kingdom). The range in each group is shown on the map, but these ranges are not equal.
- Constituencies with rates near the boundaries of these quintiles will be coloured differently even though their unemployment rates may only differ slightly from those in another, neighbouring quintile group.

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<sup>8</sup> <http://www.dwp.gov.uk/docs/youth-claimant-count.pdf>

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- Considering the percentage change does not take account of the absolute level of claimants by constituency. Constituencies with relatively low absolute numbers of claimants could see high percentage changes and vice versa.

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