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Unemployment by Constituency, December 2006

This paper shows the number of people claiming Jobseeker's Allowance recorded as resident in each constituency in the United Kingdom in December 2006, together with comparisons with the levels in December 2005 and December 1997. This paper also presents residence-based unemployment rates for all 646 constituencies in the United Kingdom.

Includes unemployment rates by constituency map.

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Summary of main points

This Research Paper summarises data for UK parliamentary constituencies from the monthly count of Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) claimants. It includes rates showing the number of JSA claimants as a proportion of the estimated economically active population of working age in each constituency in 2001 (Please see Research Paper 05/08, *Unemployment by constituency: Revised rates*, for details). It also includes changes in the number of JSA claimants compared with one year earlier and with 1997.

Data for the current constituencies are not available before January 1996.

The political parties shown against each seat are as they stand currently.

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I Introduction

This Research Paper provides the latest data on the monthly count of Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) claimants in each parliamentary constituency in the United Kingdom. It includes rates showing the number of claimants as a proportion of the estimated economically active population of working age resident in each constituency in 2001.¹ For the purposes of this paper, unemployment means the number of JSA claimants resident in each constituency.

The Office for National Statistics also publishes unemployment data for parliamentary constituencies. These data may be found on the NOMIS website.² For an explanation of the different measures of unemployment, and for an exposition of the methodology used to calculate the unemployment rates displayed in this paper please see Library Research Paper 05/08.³

This paper displays the latest levels and rates for the resident male, female and total population of each constituency. Section II A displays these data alphabetically by constituency. The 25 constituencies with the highest and lowest rates respectively are shown in section II B. Ranked listings of constituencies by country are then provided in section III. In section IV, the latest total claimant levels are compared with levels from 1997. Additionally, the change in level on the past year for each constituency is displayed in section IV. Data for current constituencies exists back to January 1996⁴, and are available upon request from the Economic Policy & Statistics Section [extension 2464]. This paper also provides a map that shows the latest residence-based claimant count rates for each constituency in the United Kingdom expressed as quintile groups.

The rates presented in this paper 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.

Notes to tables:

1. A comparison of current levels with those in 1997 is not available for the new Westminster Parliamentary Constituencies in Scotland, which have stood since the May 2005 General Election. Figures are only available for these constituencies since February 2004. Unavailable figures are denoted in Tables IV and V by a '..'.
2. The Boundary Commission reviews in 1995 defined 659 constituencies in the United Kingdom. These were defined in terms of electoral wards as they stood at the time of the review. For the purposes of the unemployment statistics however, constituencies represent a best-fit of frozen 1991 wards to the new constituencies.

Boundary alterations between 1991 and 1995 mean that there are inevitably approximations to 1995 boundaries in many constituencies. In some cases, however, the changes to ward boundaries were substantial and some wards are now split between constituencies. These constituencies are indicated with an '(a)' in the following tables.

Four wards with populations below the 1991 Census confidentiality threshold have had their data 'exported' to a ward which is in another constituency. In these cases, the data for the

¹ Library papers published before January 2005 calculated rates using 1997-based economically active population denominators. Therefore, these rates are not comparable with those published from January 2005 onwards. See Library Research Paper 05/08 for further details.

² <http://www.nomisweb.co.uk/reports/lmp/pca/contents.aspx>

³ <http://www.parliament.uk/commons/lib/research/rp2005/rp05-008.pdf>

⁴ Data for new Westminster Parliamentary Constituencies in Scotland are only available from February 2004 onwards.

'exported' ward are included in the constituency to which the ward has been transferred. Constituencies losing data in this way are indicated by '(b)', whereas those gaining data as a result are indicated by '(c)'.⁵

3. The following abbreviations for parties have been used:

LAB	Labour	DU	Democratic Unionist Party
CON	Conservative	SDLP	Social Democratic and Labour Party
LD	Liberal Democrat	SF	Sinn Fein
PC	Plaid Cymru	IND	Independent
SNP	Scottish National Party	RES	Respect
SPKR	Speaker	VAC	Vacant
UU	Ulster Unionist Party		

The denominators used in this paper are derived from the 2001 Census. Census data for England and Wales are published by the Office for National Statistics. Census data for Scotland are published by the General Register Office for Scotland. Census data for Northern Ireland are published by the Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency. Census data are © Crown copyright.

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⁵ Data are transferred from Bath to Wansdyke (one ward), Hereford to Leominster (one ward) and Clywd South to Clwyd West (two wards).

**II Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency,
United Kingdom, December 2006
A. (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing**

Rank by overall unemployment rate					Party	Claimants			Rate			
UK	Eng	Wal	Scot	NI		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
214	-	18	-	-	Aberavon	LAB	692	202	894	5.1%	1.9%	3.7%
368	-	-	39	-	Aberdeen North	LAB	934	232	1,166	3.9%	1.2%	2.7%
586	-	-	57	-	Aberdeen South	LAB	472	144	616	1.8%	0.7%	1.3%
182	-	-	20	-	Airdrie and Shotts	LAB	1,152	365	1,517	5.7%	2.2%	4.1%
596	481	-	-	-	Aldershot	CON	612	211	823	1.6%	0.7%	1.3%
216	168	-	-	-	Aldridge - Brownhills	CON	1,000	370	1,370	4.9%	2.3%	3.7%
495	388	-	-	-	Altrincham & Sale West	CON	607	213	820	2.5%	1.1%	1.9%
420	-	34	-	-	Alyn & Deeside	LAB	706	212	918	3.3%	1.2%	2.4%
371	290	-	-	-	Amber Valley	LAB	837	332	1,169	3.4%	1.7%	2.7%
210	-	-	24	-	Angus	SNP	1,057	388	1,445	5.0%	2.3%	3.8%
290	-	-	32	-	Argyll and Bute	LD	975	388	1,363	4.1%	2.1%	3.2%
603	488	-	-	-	Arundel & South Downs	CON	348	156	504	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
292	228	-	-	-	Ashfield	LAB	1,012	365	1,377	4.2%	1.9%	3.2%
484	377	-	-	-	Ashford	CON	689	278	967	2.5%	1.3%	2.0%
227	178	-	-	-	Ashton under Lyne	LAB	1,208	394	1,602	5.0%	2.0%	3.6%
577	463	-	-	-	Aylesbury	CON	584	200	784	1.8%	0.8%	1.4%
117	-	-	11	-	Ayr, Carrick and Cumnock	LAB	1,624	473	2,097	7.4%	2.6%	5.2%
575	461	-	-	-	Banbury	CON	578	252	830	1.7%	0.9%	1.4%
502	-	-	52	-	Banff and Buchan	SNP	541	214	755	2.3%	1.2%	1.8%
109	95	-	-	-	Barking (a)	LAB	1,312	539	1,851	6.6%	3.5%	5.3%
181	149	-	-	-	Barnsley Central	LAB	1,015	356	1,371	5.5%	2.4%	4.1%
175	145	-	-	-	Barnsley East & Mexborough	LAB	1,107	362	1,469	5.6%	2.3%	4.2%
365	285	-	-	-	Barnsley West & Penistone	LAB	701	313	1,014	3.4%	1.8%	2.7%
251	196	-	-	-	Barrow & Furness	LAB	1,003	296	1,299	4.8%	1.8%	3.4%
293	229	-	-	-	Basilston	LAB	1,094	423	1,517	4.1%	2.0%	3.2%
550	437	-	-	-	Basingstoke (a)	CON	670	237	907	2.1%	0.9%	1.6%
322	254	-	-	-	Bassetlaw	LAB	874	310	1,184	3.9%	1.7%	3.0%
518	407	-	-	-	Bath (a)(b)	LD	564	200	764	2.4%	1.0%	1.8%
291	227	-	-	-	Batley & Spen	LAB	984	304	1,288	4.4%	1.7%	3.2%
265	208	-	-	-	Battersea	LAB	1,291	560	1,851	4.4%	2.2%	3.3%
611	496	-	-	-	Beaconsfield	CON	346	160	506	1.4%	0.8%	1.2%
395	307	-	-	-	Beckenham	CON	920	369	1,289	3.3%	1.6%	2.5%
177	146	-	-	-	Bedford	LAB	1,442	491	1,933	5.5%	2.4%	4.1%
339	-	-	-	9	Belfast East	DU	778	189	967	4.2%	1.2%	2.8%
56	-	-	-	3	Belfast North	DU	1,659	415	2,074	9.9%	3.0%	6.7%
349	-	-	-	11	Belfast South	SDLP	972	263	1,235	4.2%	1.2%	2.8%
9	-	-	-	1	Belfast West	SF	2,412	534	2,946	14.9%	4.1%	10.1%
477	-	-	50	-	Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk	LD	647	218	865	2.8%	1.1%	2.0%
238	184	-	-	-	Berwick-upon-Tweed	LD	793	323	1,116	4.5%	2.3%	3.5%
8	8	-	-	-	Bethnal Green & Bow	RES	3,707	1,288	4,995	12.3%	6.7%	10.1%
381	297	-	-	-	Beverley & Holderness	CON	859	334	1,193	3.4%	1.6%	2.6%
427	333	-	-	-	Bexhill & Battle	CON	569	225	794	3.0%	1.5%	2.3%
419	327	-	-	-	Bexleyheath & Crayford	CON	655	306	961	2.9%	1.7%	2.4%
457	358	-	-	-	Billericay	CON	774	304	1,078	2.7%	1.4%	2.1%
14	13	-	-	-	Birkenhead	LAB	2,115	633	2,748	13.0%	4.4%	9.0%
63	55	-	-	-	Birmingham, Edgbaston	LAB	1,990	599	2,589	9.2%	3.4%	6.6%
13	12	-	-	-	Birmingham, Erdington	LAB	2,611	820	3,431	12.4%	4.9%	9.1%
92	81	-	-	-	Birmingham, Hall Green	LAB	1,405	527	1,932	7.4%	3.4%	5.6%
4	4	-	-	-	Birmingham, Hodge Hill	LAB	2,569	761	3,330	15.5%	6.4%	11.7%
1	1	-	-	-	Birmingham, Ladywood	IND	5,773	1,634	7,407	26.2%	11.1%	20.1%
68	60	-	-	-	Birmingham, Northfield	LAB	1,546	547	2,093	8.5%	3.6%	6.2%
16	15	-	-	-	Birmingham, Perry Barr	LAB	2,777	878	3,655	12.0%	4.9%	8.9%
87	77	-	-	-	Birmingham, Selly Oak	LAB	1,718	642	2,360	7.6%	3.4%	5.7%
2	2	-	-	-	Birmingham, Sparkbrook & Small Heath	LAB	4,330	1,313	5,643	18.0%	9.3%	14.8%
42	39	-	-	-	Birmingham, Yardley	LD	1,670	599	2,269	9.5%	4.4%	7.3%
243	189	-	-	-	Bishop Auckland	LAB	996	315	1,311	4.8%	1.9%	3.5%

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UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
589	474	-	-	-	Blaby	CON	450	210	660	1.6%	0.9%	1.3%
114	99	-	-	-	Blackburn	LAB	1,593	460	2,053	6.9%	2.8%	5.2%
192	155	-	-	-	Blackpool North & Fleetwood	LAB	1,260	329	1,589	5.9%	1.8%	4.0%
86	76	-	-	-	Blackpool South	LAB	1,844	550	2,394	8.1%	2.9%	5.8%
62	-	1	-	-	Blaenau Gwent	IND	1,327	450	1,777	8.8%	3.8%	6.6%
350	275	-	-	-	Blaydon	LAB	771	248	1,019	3.9%	1.5%	2.8%
170	141	-	-	-	Blyth Valley	LAB	1,233	394	1,627	5.9%	2.2%	4.2%
380	296	-	-	-	Bognor Regis & Littlehampton	CON	733	272	1,005	3.5%	1.6%	2.6%
226	177	-	-	-	Bolsover	LAB	1,007	365	1,372	4.8%	2.2%	3.6%
167	138	-	-	-	Bolton North East	LAB	1,283	389	1,672	5.9%	2.2%	4.3%
130	110	-	-	-	Bolton South East	LAB	1,396	437	1,833	6.4%	2.6%	4.7%
485	378	-	-	-	Bolton West	LAB	606	202	808	2.7%	1.1%	2.0%
28	26	-	-	-	Bootle	LAB	1,823	586	2,409	11.3%	4.2%	8.0%
163	135	-	-	-	Boston & Skegness	CON	1,219	465	1,684	5.6%	2.7%	4.3%
492	385	-	-	-	Bosworth	CON	607	270	877	2.4%	1.3%	1.9%
398	310	-	-	-	Bournemouth East	CON	726	227	953	3.5%	1.3%	2.5%
348	274	-	-	-	Bournemouth West	CON	774	231	1,005	3.8%	1.4%	2.8%
594	479	-	-	-	Bracknell	CON	569	212	781	1.7%	0.8%	1.3%
69	61	-	-	-	Bradford North	LAB	1,873	532	2,405	8.5%	3.2%	6.2%
151	127	-	-	-	Bradford South	LAB	1,475	459	1,934	6.2%	2.4%	4.5%
31	29	-	-	-	Bradford West	LAB	2,218	689	2,907	9.9%	4.7%	7.8%
440	343	-	-	-	Braintree	CON	812	365	1,177	2.8%	1.6%	2.3%
403	-	33	-	-	Brecon & Radnorshire	LD	514	208	722	3.1%	1.6%	2.5%
71	63	-	-	-	Brent East	LD	2,118	855	2,973	7.9%	4.0%	6.2%
278	217	-	-	-	Brent North	LAB	929	453	1,382	3.8%	2.5%	3.2%
22	20	-	-	-	Brent South	LAB	2,372	1,005	3,377	10.5%	5.6%	8.4%
383	299	-	-	-	Brentford & Isleworth	LAB	1,036	520	1,556	3.1%	1.9%	2.6%
600	485	-	-	-	Brentwood & Ongar	CON	331	153	484	1.5%	0.9%	1.2%
326	-	26	-	-	Bridgend	LAB	739	249	988	4.0%	1.6%	2.9%
424	330	-	-	-	Bridgwater	CON	738	280	1,018	3.1%	1.4%	2.3%
286	225	-	-	-	Brigg & Goole	LAB	876	369	1,245	4.0%	2.2%	3.2%
161	134	-	-	-	Brighton, Kemptown	LAB	1,306	433	1,739	5.8%	2.5%	4.3%
186	152	-	-	-	Brighton, Pavilion	LAB	1,357	535	1,892	5.3%	2.6%	4.1%
165	136	-	-	-	Bristol East	LAB	1,443	536	1,979	5.7%	2.6%	4.3%
428	334	-	-	-	Bristol North West	LAB	903	303	1,206	3.2%	1.3%	2.3%
283	222	-	-	-	Bristol South	LAB	1,115	370	1,485	4.4%	1.8%	3.2%
382	298	-	-	-	Bristol West	LD	1,079	394	1,473	3.5%	1.5%	2.6%
407	317	-	-	-	Bromley & Chislehurst	CON	767	310	1,077	3.2%	1.6%	2.4%
397	309	-	-	-	Bromsgrove	CON	810	278	1,088	3.4%	1.4%	2.5%
462	361	-	-	-	Broxbourne	CON	669	302	971	2.6%	1.5%	2.1%
472	370	-	-	-	Broxtowe	LAB	675	281	956	2.7%	1.3%	2.1%
642	527	-	-	-	Buckingham	CON	245	111	356	1.0%	0.5%	0.8%
289	226	-	-	-	Burnley	LAB	953	313	1,266	4.4%	1.7%	3.2%
429	335	-	-	-	Burton	LAB	789	309	1,098	3.0%	1.5%	2.3%
376	293	-	-	-	Bury North	LAB	888	265	1,153	3.7%	1.3%	2.6%
402	314	-	-	-	Bury South	LAB	751	266	1,017	3.3%	1.4%	2.5%
519	408	-	-	-	Bury St Edmunds	CON	614	260	874	2.2%	1.2%	1.8%
264	-	22	-	-	Caernarfon	PC	639	203	842	4.5%	1.8%	3.3%
155	-	5	-	-	Caerphilly	LAB	1,266	382	1,648	6.2%	2.3%	4.4%
194	-	-	22	-	Cairnness, Sutherland and Easter Ross	LD	806	283	1,089	5.2%	2.4%	4.0%
360	282	-	-	-	Calder Valley	LAB	936	366	1,302	3.6%	1.6%	2.7%
19	17	-	-	-	Camberwell & Peckham	LAB	2,295	911	3,206	11.3%	5.3%	8.6%
338	267	-	-	-	Cambridge	LD	915	321	1,236	3.8%	1.7%	2.9%
320	252	-	-	-	Cannock Chase	LAB	1,025	373	1,398	3.9%	1.8%	3.0%
441	344	-	-	-	Canterbury	CON	704	273	977	3.0%	1.4%	2.3%
213	-	17	-	-	Cardiff Central	LD	1,008	251	1,259	5.6%	1.6%	3.7%
535	-	40	-	-	Cardiff North	LAB	468	159	627	2.3%	0.9%	1.6%

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UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
156	-	6	-	-	Cardiff South & Penarth	LAB	1,315	358	1,673	6.4%	2.1%	4.4%
201	-	14	-	-	Cardiff West	LAB	1,065	274	1,339	5.7%	1.7%	3.9%
315	249	-	-	-	Carlisle	LAB	814	265	1,079	4.2%	1.6%	3.0%
391	-	32	-	-	Carmarthen East & Dinefwr	PC	522	197	719	3.3%	1.6%	2.6%
336	-	28	-	-	Carmarthen West & South Pembrokeshire	LAB	632	209	841	4.0%	1.6%	2.9%
370	289	-	-	-	Carshalton & Wallington	LD	827	415	1,242	3.2%	2.0%	2.7%
501	394	-	-	-	Castle Point	CON	530	237	767	2.2%	1.3%	1.9%
142	-	-	16	-	Central Ayrshire	LAB	1,370	492	1,862	6.2%	2.6%	4.6%
498	391	-	-	-	Central Suffolk & North Ipswich	CON	600	231	831	2.4%	1.2%	1.9%
449	-	36	-	-	Ceredigion	LD	490	182	672	2.9%	1.3%	2.2%
562	449	-	-	-	Charnwood	CON	498	233	731	1.9%	1.1%	1.5%
304	239	-	-	-	Chatham & Aylesford	LAB	1,075	416	1,491	4.0%	2.0%	3.1%
615	500	-	-	-	Cheadle	LD	338	131	469	1.5%	0.7%	1.1%
324	256	-	-	-	Cheltenham	LD	1,040	287	1,327	4.2%	1.4%	2.9%
595	480	-	-	-	Chesham & Amersham	CON	414	122	536	1.7%	0.7%	1.3%
415	324	-	-	-	Chester, City of	LAB	768	244	1,012	3.4%	1.3%	2.4%
174	144	-	-	-	Chesterfield	LD	1,326	424	1,750	5.7%	2.2%	4.2%
516	406	-	-	-	Chichester	CON	563	210	773	2.4%	1.1%	1.8%
279	218	-	-	-	Chingford & Woodford Green	CON	886	390	1,276	4.0%	2.2%	3.2%
329	260	-	-	-	Chipping Barnet	CON	952	421	1,373	3.6%	2.0%	2.9%
467	365	-	-	-	Chorley	LAB	795	257	1,052	2.9%	1.1%	2.1%
585	471	-	-	-	Christchurch	CON	345	125	470	1.8%	0.8%	1.3%
363	284	-	-	-	Cities of London & Westminster	CON	1,229	587	1,816	3.1%	2.1%	2.7%
261	205	-	-	-	Cleethorpes	LAB	1,032	372	1,404	4.4%	2.0%	3.4%
435	-	35	-	-	Clwyd South (a)(b)	LAB	553	189	742	3.0%	1.3%	2.3%
311	-	25	-	-	Clwyd West (c)(a)	CON	656	193	849	4.3%	1.5%	3.0%
212	-	-	25	-	Coatbridge, Chryston and Bellshill	LAB	1,153	334	1,487	5.4%	1.8%	3.7%
366	286	-	-	-	Colchester	LD	964	392	1,356	3.4%	1.8%	2.7%
372	291	-	-	-	Colne Valley	LAB	916	338	1,254	3.6%	1.6%	2.6%
536	423	-	-	-	Congleton	CON	529	208	737	2.1%	1.0%	1.6%
275	-	24	-	-	Conwy	LAB	759	199	958	4.8%	1.5%	3.3%
231	181	-	-	-	Copeland	LAB	878	239	1,117	5.0%	1.8%	3.6%
384	300	-	-	-	Corby	LAB	894	347	1,241	3.3%	1.6%	2.6%
606	491	-	-	-	Cotswold	CON	345	156	501	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
48	44	-	-	-	Coventry North East	LAB	2,374	759	3,133	9.5%	3.9%	7.1%
143	120	-	-	-	Coventry North West	LAB	1,650	527	2,177	6.2%	2.5%	4.6%
104	90	-	-	-	Coventry South	LAB	1,744	489	2,233	7.4%	2.7%	5.4%
513	404	-	-	-	Crawley	LAB	692	247	939	2.4%	1.0%	1.8%
343	270	-	-	-	Crewe & Nantwich	LAB	901	339	1,240	3.7%	1.7%	2.8%
281	220	-	-	-	Crosby	LAB	809	242	1,051	4.7%	1.6%	3.2%
253	198	-	-	-	Croydon Central	CON	1,374	588	1,962	4.4%	2.3%	3.4%
105	91	-	-	-	Croydon North	LAB	2,219	915	3,134	7.1%	3.3%	5.3%
505	397	-	-	-	Croydon South	CON	632	282	914	2.3%	1.3%	1.8%
364	-	-	38	-	Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East	LAB	887	263	1,150	3.9%	1.3%	2.7%
191	-	12	-	-	Cynon Valley	LAB	730	242	972	5.5%	2.2%	4.0%
99	86	-	-	-	Dagenham	LAB	1,406	557	1,963	6.9%	3.5%	5.4%
153	129	-	-	-	Darlington	LAB	1,325	374	1,699	6.3%	2.1%	4.4%
452	353	-	-	-	Dartford	LAB	734	299	1,033	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%
571	457	-	-	-	Daventry	CON	640	256	896	1.9%	1.0%	1.5%
375	-	31	-	-	Delyn	LAB	624	225	849	3.5%	1.6%	2.6%
327	258	-	-	-	Denton & Reddish	LAB	948	296	1,244	4.1%	1.5%	2.9%
294	230	-	-	-	Derby North	LAB	1,128	365	1,493	4.3%	1.7%	3.2%
84	74	-	-	-	Derby South	LAB	1,998	693	2,691	7.7%	3.4%	5.8%
607	492	-	-	-	Devizes	CON	452	201	653	1.4%	0.8%	1.2%
257	202	-	-	-	Dewsbury	LAB	968	314	1,282	4.5%	1.9%	3.4%
308	243	-	-	-	Don Valley	LAB	919	291	1,210	4.2%	1.7%	3.1%
100	87	-	-	-	Doncaster Central	LAB	1,557	479	2,036	7.5%	2.8%	5.4%

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136	116	-	-	-	Doncaster North	LAB	1,220	417	1,637	6.3%	2.7%	4.7%
207	164	-	-	-	Dover	LAB	1,155	374	1,529	5.2%	2.1%	3.8%
85	75	-	-	-	Dudley North	LAB	1,772	571	2,343	7.7%	3.3%	5.8%
157	131	-	-	-	Dudley South	LAB	1,360	457	1,817	5.8%	2.5%	4.4%
127	107	-	-	-	Dulwich & West Norwood	LAB	1,843	790	2,633	6.4%	3.2%	4.9%
229	-	-	27	-	Dumfries and Galloway	LAB	1,149	400	1,549	4.9%	2.1%	3.6%
412	-	-	44	-	Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale	CON	650	268	918	3.1%	1.6%	2.4%
199	-	-	23	-	Dundee East	SNP	1,159	332	1,491	5.7%	1.9%	3.9%
90	-	-	6	-	Dundee West	LAB	1,717	455	2,172	8.4%	2.5%	5.7%
235	-	-	29	-	Dunfermline and West Fife	LD	1,188	396	1,584	5.0%	1.9%	3.6%
401	313	-	-	-	Durham, City of	LAB	716	231	947	3.4%	1.3%	2.5%
241	187	-	-	-	Ealing North (a)	LAB	1,371	642	2,013	4.3%	2.5%	3.5%
172	142	-	-	-	Ealing Southall	LAB	1,785	786	2,571	5.2%	2.9%	4.2%
134	114	-	-	-	Ealing, Acton & Shepherd's Bush	LAB	1,954	796	2,750	6.0%	3.0%	4.7%
187	153	-	-	-	Easington	LAB	941	330	1,271	5.5%	2.3%	4.1%
270	-	-	-	6	East Antrim	DU	998	303	1,301	4.6%	1.7%	3.3%
546	433	-	-	-	East Devon	CON	389	166	555	2.0%	1.1%	1.6%
570	-	-	56	-	East Dunbartonshire	LD	447	147	594	2.1%	0.8%	1.5%
32	30	-	-	-	East Ham	LAB	2,554	1,065	3,619	8.9%	5.9%	7.8%
573	459	-	-	-	East Hampshire	CON	502	194	696	1.8%	0.9%	1.4%
430	-	-	46	-	East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow	LAB	855	268	1,123	3.3%	1.2%	2.3%
204	-	-	-	5	East Londonderry	DU	1,064	400	1,464	4.9%	2.4%	3.8%
517	-	-	55	-	East Lothian	LAB	546	203	749	2.4%	1.0%	1.8%
515	-	-	54	-	East Renfrewshire	LAB	553	200	753	2.5%	1.0%	1.8%
638	523	-	-	-	East Surrey	CON	339	120	459	1.2%	0.5%	0.9%
514	405	-	-	-	East Worthing & Shoreham	CON	543	212	755	2.4%	1.1%	1.8%
247	192	-	-	-	East Yorkshire	CON	1,020	421	1,441	4.4%	2.3%	3.5%
248	193	-	-	-	Eastbourne	CON	1,032	364	1,396	4.7%	2.0%	3.5%
563	450	-	-	-	Eastleigh	LD	543	243	786	1.9%	1.0%	1.5%
256	201	-	-	-	Eccles	LAB	1,115	306	1,421	4.8%	1.6%	3.4%
478	373	-	-	-	Eddisbury	CON	613	255	868	2.6%	1.3%	2.0%
222	-	-	26	-	Edinburgh East	LAB	1,248	364	1,612	5.5%	1.7%	3.7%
237	-	-	30	-	Edinburgh North and Leith	LAB	1,292	452	1,744	5.0%	2.0%	3.6%
482	-	-	51	-	Edinburgh South	LAB	597	222	819	2.8%	1.1%	2.0%
316	-	-	34	-	Edinburgh South West	LAB	1,056	398	1,454	4.1%	1.7%	3.0%
438	-	-	47	-	Edinburgh West	LD	750	213	963	3.3%	1.1%	2.3%
43	40	-	-	-	Edmonton	LAB	1,996	945	2,941	8.8%	5.1%	7.2%
342	269	-	-	-	Ellesmere Port & Neston	LAB	910	265	1,175	4.0%	1.4%	2.8%
528	416	-	-	-	Elmet	LAB	558	187	745	2.3%	0.9%	1.7%
149	125	-	-	-	Eltham	LAB	1,145	502	1,647	5.7%	3.0%	4.5%
138	117	-	-	-	Enfield North	LAB	1,449	639	2,088	5.7%	3.2%	4.6%
242	188	-	-	-	Enfield, Southgate	CON	1,035	478	1,513	4.3%	2.5%	3.5%
414	323	-	-	-	Epping Forest	CON	730	377	1,107	2.8%	1.9%	2.4%
610	495	-	-	-	Epsom & Ewell	CON	382	175	557	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
323	255	-	-	-	Erewash	LAB	1,083	422	1,505	3.8%	1.8%	2.9%
79	70	-	-	-	Erith & Thamesmead	LAB	1,875	829	2,704	7.5%	4.1%	6.0%
628	513	-	-	-	Esher & Walton	CON	341	148	489	1.2%	0.7%	1.0%
446	349	-	-	-	Exeter	LAB	889	294	1,183	3.1%	1.2%	2.2%
303	-	-	33	-	Falkirk	LAB	1,133	375	1,508	4.3%	1.7%	3.1%
328	259	-	-	-	Falmouth & Camborne	LD	833	327	1,160	3.8%	1.8%	2.9%
580	466	-	-	-	Fareham	CON	455	183	638	1.8%	0.9%	1.4%
496	389	-	-	-	Faversham & Mid Kent	CON	561	243	804	2.3%	1.3%	1.9%
234	183	-	-	-	Feltham & Heston	LAB	1,199	570	1,769	4.2%	2.7%	3.6%
276	-	-	-	7	Fermanagh & South Tyrone	SF	904	344	1,248	4.0%	2.2%	3.3%
299	235	-	-	-	Finchley & Golders Green	LAB	1,152	555	1,707	3.8%	2.3%	3.1%
173	143	-	-	-	Folkestone & Hythe	CON	1,330	446	1,776	5.6%	2.3%	4.2%
454	355	-	-	-	Forest of Dean	CON	597	278	875	2.7%	1.6%	2.2%

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37	-	-	-	2	Foyle	SDLP	2,410	648	3,058	10.3%	3.7%	7.5%
552	439	-	-	-	Fylde	CON	493	163	656	2.2%	0.9%	1.6%
285	224	-	-	-	Gainsborough	CON	881	349	1,230	4.1%	2.1%	3.2%
215	167	-	-	-	Gateshead East & Washington West	LAB	1,057	316	1,373	5.3%	1.9%	3.7%
439	342	-	-	-	Gedling	LAB	753	252	1,005	3.2%	1.2%	2.3%
356	280	-	-	-	Gillingham	LAB	972	379	1,351	3.5%	1.8%	2.7%
55	-	-	3	-	Glasgow Central	LAB	1,745	458	2,203	9.6%	3.2%	6.7%
46	-	-	2	-	Glasgow East	LAB	1,891	510	2,401	10.6%	3.2%	7.1%
137	-	-	14	-	Glasgow North	LAB	1,172	360	1,532	6.9%	2.3%	4.6%
17	-	-	1	-	Glasgow North East	SPKR	2,180	632	2,812	12.9%	4.2%	8.8%
73	-	-	5	-	Glasgow North West	LAB	1,608	417	2,025	9.3%	2.7%	6.1%
162	-	-	18	-	Glasgow South	LAB	1,318	428	1,746	6.1%	2.3%	4.3%
57	-	-	4	-	Glasgow South West	LAB	1,683	463	2,146	10.0%	3.0%	6.7%
120	-	-	12	-	Glenrothes	LAB	1,588	502	2,090	7.2%	2.7%	5.1%
346	272	-	-	-	Gloucester	LAB	1,147	361	1,508	3.9%	1.5%	2.8%
643	-	-	58	-	Gordon	LD	265	110	375	1.0%	0.5%	0.8%
504	396	-	-	-	Gosport	CON	595	239	834	2.3%	1.2%	1.8%
460	-	37	-	-	Gower	LAB	504	176	680	2.9%	1.2%	2.1%
480	375	-	-	-	Grantham & Stamford	CON	663	291	954	2.5%	1.4%	2.0%
260	204	-	-	-	Gravesham	CON	1,039	485	1,524	4.1%	2.5%	3.4%
58	51	-	-	-	Great Grimsby	LAB	1,931	618	2,549	9.0%	3.7%	6.7%
47	43	-	-	-	Great Yarmouth	LAB	2,043	779	2,822	9.0%	4.5%	7.1%
80	71	-	-	-	Greenwich & Woolwich	LAB	1,763	785	2,548	7.5%	4.1%	6.0%
584	470	-	-	-	Guildford	CON	497	174	671	1.8%	0.8%	1.3%
29	27	-	-	-	Hackney North & Stoke Newington	LAB	2,539	1,054	3,593	10.3%	5.1%	7.9%
11	10	-	-	-	Hackney South & Shoreditch	LAB	3,166	1,316	4,482	12.4%	6.2%	9.6%
118	101	-	-	-	Halesowen & Rowley Regis	LAB	1,492	526	2,018	6.8%	3.1%	5.1%
128	108	-	-	-	Halifax	LAB	1,588	500	2,088	6.6%	2.6%	4.8%
533	421	-	-	-	Haltemprice & Howden	CON	482	192	674	2.2%	1.1%	1.7%
159	133	-	-	-	Halton	LAB	1,226	370	1,596	6.2%	2.2%	4.4%
246	191	-	-	-	Hammersmith & Fulham	CON	1,656	737	2,393	4.4%	2.3%	3.5%
209	165	-	-	-	Hampstead & Highgate	LAB	1,433	623	2,056	4.9%	2.5%	3.8%
526	414	-	-	-	Harborough	CON	556	239	795	2.2%	1.1%	1.7%
272	213	-	-	-	Harlow	LAB	1,050	439	1,489	4.2%	2.2%	3.3%
525	413	-	-	-	Harrogate & Knaresborough	LD	517	199	716	2.3%	1.0%	1.7%
262	206	-	-	-	Harrow East	LAB	1,139	615	1,754	3.9%	2.6%	3.4%
400	312	-	-	-	Harrow West	LAB	867	367	1,234	3.1%	1.7%	2.5%
60	53	-	-	-	Hartlepool	LAB	1,932	545	2,477	9.4%	3.2%	6.6%
133	113	-	-	-	Harwich	CON	1,297	479	1,776	6.1%	2.9%	4.7%
125	106	-	-	-	Hastings & Rye	LAB	1,548	543	2,091	6.6%	2.9%	4.9%
307	242	-	-	-	Havant	CON	919	319	1,238	4.2%	1.8%	3.1%
193	156	-	-	-	Hayes & Harlington	LAB	1,092	544	1,636	4.8%	3.0%	4.0%
532	420	-	-	-	Hazel Grove	LD	504	159	663	2.4%	0.9%	1.7%
379	295	-	-	-	Hemel Hempstead	CON	894	375	1,269	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%
255	200	-	-	-	Hemsworth	LAB	979	302	1,281	4.7%	1.8%	3.4%
197	158	-	-	-	Hendon	LAB	1,386	603	1,989	5.0%	2.7%	3.9%
636	521	-	-	-	Henley	CON	296	113	409	1.2%	0.6%	0.9%
444	347	-	-	-	Hereford (a)(b)	LD	705	287	992	2.9%	1.5%	2.3%
598	483	-	-	-	Hertford & Stortford	CON	447	210	657	1.5%	0.9%	1.3%
494	387	-	-	-	Hertsmere	CON	600	265	865	2.4%	1.3%	1.9%
548	435	-	-	-	Hexham	CON	406	149	555	2.1%	0.9%	1.6%
340	268	-	-	-	Heywood & Middleton	LAB	922	361	1,283	3.8%	1.8%	2.8%
464	362	-	-	-	High Peak	LAB	728	271	999	2.8%	1.3%	2.1%
581	467	-	-	-	Hitchin & Harpenden	CON	405	187	592	1.6%	1.0%	1.4%
72	64	-	-	-	Holborn & St Pancras	LAB	1,961	839	2,800	7.7%	4.2%	6.1%
448	351	-	-	-	Hornchurch	CON	580	246	826	2.8%	1.5%	2.2%
123	104	-	-	-	Hornsey & Wood Green	LD	2,040	879	2,919	6.4%	3.3%	5.0%

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612	497	-	-	-	Horsham	CON	441	175	616	1.5%	0.7%	1.2%
220	172	-	-	-	Houghton & Washington East	LAB	1,133	348	1,481	5.2%	1.9%	3.7%
268	211	-	-	-	Hove	LAB	1,085	446	1,531	4.3%	2.2%	3.3%
96	84	-	-	-	Huddersfield	LAB	1,567	514	2,081	7.6%	3.1%	5.5%
530	418	-	-	-	Huntingdon	CON	717	258	975	2.2%	1.0%	1.7%
367	287	-	-	-	Hyndburn	LAB	833	248	1,081	3.7%	1.4%	2.7%
271	212	-	-	-	Ilford North	CON	983	458	1,441	4.0%	2.4%	3.3%
91	80	-	-	-	Ilford South (a)	LAB	1,931	821	2,752	6.9%	4.0%	5.7%
103	-	-	9	-	Inverclyde	LAB	1,587	406	1,993	8.1%	2.3%	5.4%
463	-	-	49	-	Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey	LD	679	232	911	2.9%	1.2%	2.1%
148	124	-	-	-	Ipswich	LAB	1,460	445	1,905	6.1%	2.4%	4.5%
184	151	-	-	-	Isle of Wight	CON	1,661	643	2,304	5.4%	2.5%	4.1%
54	50	-	-	-	Islington North	LAB	2,218	994	3,212	8.8%	4.5%	6.8%
89	79	-	-	-	Islington South & Finsbury	LAB	1,598	788	2,386	6.8%	4.2%	5.7%
244	-	20	-	-	Islwyn	LAB	692	272	964	4.5%	2.2%	3.5%
95	83	-	-	-	Jarrow	LAB	1,557	433	1,990	7.9%	2.7%	5.5%
331	262	-	-	-	Keighley	LAB	896	315	1,211	3.8%	1.7%	2.9%
461	360	-	-	-	Kensington & Chelsea	CON	842	491	1,333	2.3%	1.8%	2.1%
423	329	-	-	-	Kettering	CON	900	332	1,232	3.1%	1.4%	2.4%
122	-	-	13	-	Kilmarnock and Loudoun	LAB	1,661	505	2,166	7.0%	2.6%	5.0%
520	409	-	-	-	Kingston & Surbiton	LD	736	282	1,018	2.3%	1.1%	1.7%
53	49	-	-	-	Kingston upon Hull East	LAB	2,109	656	2,765	9.1%	3.8%	6.9%
33	31	-	-	-	Kingston upon Hull North	LAB	2,352	733	3,085	10.4%	4.2%	7.7%
25	23	-	-	-	Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle	LAB	2,384	664	3,048	11.4%	4.1%	8.2%
499	392	-	-	-	Kingswood	LAB	710	269	979	2.5%	1.1%	1.9%
110	-	-	10	-	Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath	LAB	1,727	528	2,255	7.4%	2.7%	5.2%
102	89	-	-	-	Knowsley North & Sefton East	LAB	1,540	551	2,091	7.4%	3.1%	5.4%
88	78	-	-	-	Knowsley South	LAB	1,775	559	2,334	8.1%	2.9%	5.7%
524	-	-	-	18	Lagan Valley	DU	630	202	832	2.3%	0.9%	1.7%
288	-	-	31	-	Lanark and Hamilton East	LAB	1,056	356	1,412	4.4%	1.8%	3.2%
547	434	-	-	-	Lancaster & Wyre	CON	520	183	703	2.2%	0.9%	1.6%
6	6	-	-	-	Leeds Central	LAB	3,109	929	4,038	14.7%	5.4%	10.6%
35	33	-	-	-	Leeds East	LAB	1,924	597	2,521	10.5%	3.9%	7.5%
221	173	-	-	-	Leeds North East	LAB	1,081	359	1,440	5.2%	2.0%	3.7%
416	325	-	-	-	Leeds North West	LD	776	241	1,017	3.4%	1.2%	2.4%
135	115	-	-	-	Leeds West	LAB	1,497	454	1,951	6.7%	2.4%	4.7%
64	56	-	-	-	Leicester East	LAB	1,696	831	2,527	7.9%	4.8%	6.5%
39	36	-	-	-	Leicester South	LAB	2,369	799	3,168	9.7%	4.3%	7.4%
59	52	-	-	-	Leicester West	LAB	2,014	704	2,718	9.0%	3.8%	6.7%
232	182	-	-	-	Leigh	LAB	1,164	366	1,530	4.9%	1.9%	3.6%
569	456	-	-	-	Leominster (c)(a)	CON	424	186	610	1.8%	1.0%	1.5%
466	364	-	-	-	Lewes	LD	548	210	758	2.8%	1.3%	2.1%
124	105	-	-	-	Lewisham East	LAB	1,418	496	1,914	6.6%	2.9%	5.0%
94	82	-	-	-	Lewisham West	LAB	1,720	738	2,458	7.2%	3.7%	5.6%
77	68	-	-	-	Lewisham, Deptford	LAB	1,967	763	2,730	8.0%	3.7%	6.0%
98	85	-	-	-	Leyton & Wanstead	LAB	1,722	636	2,358	7.1%	3.3%	5.4%
523	412	-	-	-	Lichfield	CON	503	189	692	2.3%	1.1%	1.7%
183	150	-	-	-	Lincoln	LAB	1,328	383	1,711	5.8%	2.1%	4.1%
233	-	-	28	-	Linlithgow and East Falkirk	LAB	1,309	431	1,740	5.0%	1.9%	3.6%
51	47	-	-	-	Liverpool, Garston	LAB	1,730	620	2,350	9.3%	4.0%	6.9%
3	3	-	-	-	Liverpool, Riverside	LAB	3,146	1,026	4,172	17.3%	6.6%	12.4%
10	9	-	-	-	Liverpool, Walton	LAB	2,535	791	3,326	13.7%	5.2%	9.9%
23	21	-	-	-	Liverpool, Wavertree	LAB	2,355	778	3,133	11.8%	4.4%	8.4%
18	16	-	-	-	Liverpool, West Derby	LAB	2,265	807	3,072	11.7%	5.0%	8.6%
319	-	-	35	-	Livingston	LAB	1,176	377	1,553	4.2%	1.5%	3.0%
171	-	8	-	-	Llanelli	LAB	946	298	1,244	5.8%	2.2%	4.2%
413	322	-	-	-	Loughborough	LAB	762	272	1,034	3.2%	1.4%	2.4%

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300	236	-	-	-	Louth & Horncastle	CON	832	370	1,202	3.8%	2.2%	3.1%
521	410	-	-	-	Ludlow	CON	424	204	628	2.1%	1.3%	1.7%
223	174	-	-	-	Luton North	LAB	1,149	479	1,628	4.6%	2.5%	3.7%
112	97	-	-	-	Luton South	LAB	1,752	655	2,407	6.5%	3.4%	5.2%
578	464	-	-	-	Macclesfield	CON	460	154	614	1.9%	0.8%	1.4%
553	440	-	-	-	Maidenhead	CON	545	171	716	2.1%	0.9%	1.6%
529	417	-	-	-	Maidstone & The Weald	CON	602	213	815	2.2%	1.0%	1.7%
295	231	-	-	-	Makerfield	LAB	984	334	1,318	4.3%	1.8%	3.2%
471	369	-	-	-	Maldon & East Chelmsford	CON	625	272	897	2.5%	1.5%	2.1%
49	45	-	-	-	Manchester, Blackley	LAB	1,694	478	2,172	9.5%	3.6%	7.0%
5	5	-	-	-	Manchester, Central	LAB	2,892	787	3,679	15.0%	5.5%	10.9%
34	32	-	-	-	Manchester, Gorton	LAB	1,891	582	2,473	10.3%	4.1%	7.6%
259	203	-	-	-	Manchester, Withington	LD	1,100	376	1,476	4.6%	1.9%	3.4%
249	194	-	-	-	Mansfield	LAB	1,015	304	1,319	4.9%	1.8%	3.5%
211	166	-	-	-	Medway	LAB	1,165	463	1,628	4.7%	2.5%	3.8%
269	-	23	-	-	Meirionnydd Nant Conwy	PC	410	168	578	4.2%	2.2%	3.3%
224	175	-	-	-	Meriden	CON	1,295	454	1,749	5.0%	2.1%	3.7%
81	-	2	-	-	Merthyr Tydfil & Rhymney	LAB	1,246	374	1,620	8.2%	3.1%	6.0%
602	487	-	-	-	Mid Bedfordshire	CON	407	183	590	1.5%	0.9%	1.2%
625	510	-	-	-	Mid Dorset & North Poole	LD	321	104	425	1.4%	0.5%	1.0%
483	376	-	-	-	Mid Norfolk	CON	685	269	954	2.5%	1.3%	2.0%
630	515	-	-	-	Mid Sussex	CON	328	126	454	1.3%	0.6%	1.0%
476	-	-	-	17	Mid Ulster	SF	499	218	717	2.4%	1.5%	2.0%
491	384	-	-	-	Mid Worcestershire	CON	594	287	881	2.3%	1.4%	1.9%
15	14	-	-	-	Middlesbrough	LAB	2,674	685	3,359	12.7%	4.2%	9.0%
154	130	-	-	-	Middlesbrough South & East Cleveland	LAB	1,442	427	1,869	6.2%	2.3%	4.4%
422	-	-	45	-	Midlothian	LAB	695	245	940	3.3%	1.3%	2.4%
317	250	-	-	-	Milton Keynes South West	LAB	1,225	484	1,709	3.8%	1.9%	3.0%
168	139	-	-	-	Mitcham & Morden	LAB	1,432	610	2,042	5.4%	2.8%	4.2%
637	522	-	-	-	Mole Valley	CON	281	110	391	1.2%	0.6%	0.9%
481	-	39	-	-	Monmouth	CON	471	201	672	2.5%	1.3%	2.0%
475	-	38	-	-	Montgomeryshire	LD	389	153	542	2.6%	1.3%	2.1%
373	-	-	40	-	Moray	SNP	755	353	1,108	3.1%	2.0%	2.6%
219	171	-	-	-	Morecambe & Lunesdale	LAB	1,070	345	1,415	5.2%	2.0%	3.7%
411	321	-	-	-	Morley & Rothwell	LAB	877	303	1,180	3.3%	1.3%	2.4%
140	-	-	15	-	Motherwell and Wishaw	LAB	1,364	392	1,756	6.6%	2.2%	4.6%
160	-	-	17	-	Na h-Eileanan an Iar	SNP	417	106	523	6.1%	2.0%	4.3%
196	-	13	-	-	Neath	LAB	863	286	1,149	5.4%	2.2%	4.0%
590	475	-	-	-	New Forest East	CON	375	164	539	1.6%	0.9%	1.3%
609	494	-	-	-	New Forest West	CON	273	130	403	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
425	331	-	-	-	Newark	CON	706	278	984	3.0%	1.5%	2.3%
579	465	-	-	-	Newbury	CON	539	182	721	1.8%	0.8%	1.4%
158	132	-	-	-	Newcastle upon Tyne Central	LAB	1,286	394	1,680	6.2%	2.3%	4.4%
70	62	-	-	-	Newcastle upon Tyne East & Wallsend	LAB	1,707	509	2,216	8.8%	3.1%	6.2%
267	210	-	-	-	Newcastle upon Tyne North	LAB	986	256	1,242	4.9%	1.5%	3.3%
432	337	-	-	-	Newcastle-under-Lyme	LAB	657	247	904	3.0%	1.4%	2.3%
208	-	16	-	-	Newport East	LAB	959	298	1,257	5.2%	2.0%	3.8%
188	-	10	-	-	Newport West	LAB	1,077	341	1,418	5.7%	2.2%	4.1%
287	-	-	-	8	Newry & Armagh	SF	973	332	1,305	4.1%	1.9%	3.2%
503	395	-	-	-	Normanton	LAB	578	205	783	2.5%	1.0%	1.8%
341	-	-	-	10	North Antrim	DU	886	392	1,278	3.5%	2.0%	2.8%
93	-	-	7	-	North Ayrshire and Arran	LAB	1,695	567	2,262	7.8%	3.1%	5.6%
306	241	-	-	-	North Cornwall	LD	991	495	1,486	3.7%	2.3%	3.1%
404	315	-	-	-	North Devon	LD	737	291	1,028	3.2%	1.6%	2.4%
640	525	-	-	-	North Dorset	CON	254	119	373	1.1%	0.6%	0.9%
406	-	-	-	14	North Down	UU	751	225	976	3.4%	1.3%	2.4%
274	215	-	-	-	North Durham	LAB	995	287	1,282	4.7%	1.6%	3.3%

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566	453	-	-	-	North East Bedfordshire	CON	464	238	702	1.7%	1.1%	1.5%
345	271	-	-	-	North East Cambridgeshire	CON	935	464	1,399	3.3%	2.1%	2.8%
353	277	-	-	-	North East Derbyshire	LAB	845	317	1,162	3.6%	1.7%	2.7%
450	-	-	48	-	North East Fife	LD	581	206	787	3.0%	1.3%	2.2%
634	519	-	-	-	North East Hampshire	CON	309	151	460	1.1%	0.7%	0.9%
564	451	-	-	-	North East Hertfordshire	CON	470	209	679	1.9%	1.0%	1.5%
453	354	-	-	-	North East Milton Keynes	CON	924	332	1,256	2.9%	1.3%	2.2%
559	446	-	-	-	North Essex	CON	472	179	651	2.0%	1.0%	1.5%
374	292	-	-	-	North Norfolk	LD	785	301	1,086	3.4%	1.7%	2.6%
436	340	-	-	-	North Shropshire	CON	728	282	1,010	2.9%	1.5%	2.3%
76	67	-	-	-	North Southwark & Bermondsey	LD	2,477	1,056	3,533	7.4%	4.2%	6.0%
469	367	-	-	-	North Swindon	LAB	657	333	990	2.5%	1.6%	2.1%
131	111	-	-	-	North Thanet	CON	1,348	469	1,817	6.4%	2.7%	4.7%
139	118	-	-	-	North Tyneside	LAB	1,397	442	1,839	6.5%	2.4%	4.6%
386	302	-	-	-	North Warwickshire	LAB	854	357	1,211	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%
433	338	-	-	-	North West Cambridgeshire	CON	881	320	1,201	3.0%	1.4%	2.3%
282	221	-	-	-	North West Durham	LAB	918	294	1,212	4.4%	1.8%	3.2%
627	512	-	-	-	North West Hampshire (a)	CON	353	170	523	1.2%	0.7%	1.0%
474	372	-	-	-	North West Leicestershire	LAB	600	279	879	2.5%	1.5%	2.1%
301	237	-	-	-	North West Norfolk	CON	994	372	1,366	4.1%	1.9%	3.1%
613	498	-	-	-	North Wiltshire	CON	422	199	621	1.4%	0.9%	1.2%
250	195	-	-	-	Northampton North	LAB	1,187	439	1,626	4.6%	2.0%	3.4%
377	294	-	-	-	Northampton South	CON	1,170	385	1,555	3.6%	1.4%	2.6%
632	517	-	-	-	Northavon	LD	327	184	511	1.1%	0.8%	1.0%
297	233	-	-	-	Norwich North	LAB	1,141	368	1,509	4.3%	1.7%	3.2%
141	119	-	-	-	Norwich South	LAB	1,494	421	1,915	6.5%	2.3%	4.6%
40	37	-	-	-	Nottingham East	LAB	2,204	600	2,804	10.3%	3.6%	7.3%
26	24	-	-	-	Nottingham North	LAB	2,157	752	2,909	10.8%	4.8%	8.2%
111	96	-	-	-	Nottingham South	LAB	1,577	437	2,014	7.1%	2.7%	5.2%
302	238	-	-	-	Nuneaton	LAB	1,076	373	1,449	4.1%	1.8%	3.1%
344	-	-	36	-	Ochil and South Perthshire	LAB	878	326	1,204	3.7%	1.7%	2.8%
236	-	19	-	-	Ogmore	LAB	744	284	1,028	4.6%	2.2%	3.6%
487	380	-	-	-	Old Bexley & Sidcup	CON	536	281	817	2.3%	1.5%	1.9%
273	214	-	-	-	Oldham East & Saddleworth	LAB	1,189	411	1,600	4.5%	1.9%	3.3%
121	103	-	-	-	Oldham West & Royton	LAB	1,598	484	2,082	6.8%	2.7%	5.0%
508	-	-	53	-	Orkney and Shetland	LD	264	111	375	2.3%	1.2%	1.8%
447	350	-	-	-	Orpington	CON	752	318	1,070	2.8%	1.5%	2.2%
313	247	-	-	-	Oxford East	LAB	1,081	343	1,424	4.2%	1.6%	3.0%
616	501	-	-	-	Oxford West & Abingdon	LD	401	171	572	1.4%	0.8%	1.1%
389	-	-	42	-	Paisley and Renfrewshire North	LAB	851	253	1,104	3.7%	1.2%	2.6%
179	-	-	19	-	Paisley and Renfrewshire South	LAB	1,288	349	1,637	6.2%	1.9%	4.1%
312	246	-	-	-	Pendle	LAB	851	306	1,157	3.9%	1.8%	3.0%
604	489	-	-	-	Penrith & The Border	CON	391	121	512	1.7%	0.6%	1.2%
387	-	-	41	-	Perth and North Perthshire	SNP	827	269	1,096	3.6%	1.4%	2.6%
147	123	-	-	-	Peterborough	CON	1,492	529	2,021	5.9%	2.7%	4.5%
305	240	-	-	-	Plymouth, Devonport	LAB	1,009	339	1,348	4.2%	1.7%	3.1%
166	137	-	-	-	Plymouth, Sutton	LAB	1,361	396	1,757	5.9%	2.2%	4.3%
180	148	-	-	-	Pontefract & Castleford	LAB	1,127	353	1,480	5.7%	2.2%	4.1%
358	-	30	-	-	Pontypridd	LAB	793	287	1,080	3.7%	1.6%	2.7%
537	424	-	-	-	Poole	CON	455	166	621	2.2%	1.0%	1.6%
12	11	-	-	-	Poplar & Canning Town	LAB	3,696	1,267	4,963	11.9%	6.0%	9.5%
385	301	-	-	-	Portsmouth North	LAB	811	293	1,104	3.4%	1.5%	2.6%
202	161	-	-	-	Portsmouth South	LD	1,404	452	1,856	5.2%	2.1%	3.9%
332	-	27	-	-	Preseli Pembrokeshire	CON	586	241	827	3.7%	1.9%	2.9%
150	126	-	-	-	Preston	LAB	1,502	436	1,938	6.2%	2.3%	4.5%
542	429	-	-	-	Pudsey	LAB	559	206	765	2.2%	0.9%	1.6%
393	305	-	-	-	Putney	CON	811	373	1,184	3.3%	1.7%	2.5%

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591	476	-	-	-	Rayleigh	CON	401	170	571	1.6%	0.9%	1.3%
442	345	-	-	-	Reading East	CON	954	282	1,236	3.0%	1.2%	2.3%
409	319	-	-	-	Reading West	LAB	881	362	1,243	3.0%	1.6%	2.4%
78	69	-	-	-	Redcar	LAB	1,762	467	2,229	8.6%	2.8%	6.0%
369	288	-	-	-	Redditch	LAB	820	324	1,144	3.5%	1.7%	2.7%
106	92	-	-	-	Regent's Park & Kensington North	LAB	2,173	1,024	3,197	6.6%	3.8%	5.3%
624	509	-	-	-	Reigate	CON	316	127	443	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%
126	-	3	-	-	Rhondda	LAB	962	335	1,297	6.5%	2.9%	4.9%
635	520	-	-	-	Ribble Valley	CON	317	111	428	1.3%	0.5%	0.9%
557	444	-	-	-	Richmond	CON	497	198	695	1.9%	1.1%	1.6%
555	442	-	-	-	Richmond Park	LD	613	254	867	2.0%	1.0%	1.6%
82	72	-	-	-	Rochdale	LD	1,834	585	2,419	7.9%	3.3%	5.9%
119	102	-	-	-	Rochford & Southend East	CON	1,605	509	2,114	7.0%	2.8%	5.1%
418	326	-	-	-	Romford	CON	591	289	880	2.9%	1.7%	2.4%
626	511	-	-	-	Romsey	LD	311	136	447	1.2%	0.7%	1.0%
352	-	-	37	-	Ross, Skye and Lochaber	LD	543	273	816	3.3%	2.1%	2.7%
458	359	-	-	-	Rossendale & Darwen	LAB	727	220	947	3.0%	1.1%	2.1%
354	278	-	-	-	Rother Valley	LAB	863	288	1,151	3.7%	1.5%	2.7%
132	112	-	-	-	Rotherham	LAB	1,173	370	1,543	6.4%	2.6%	4.7%
486	379	-	-	-	Rugby & Kenilworth	CON	707	297	1,004	2.5%	1.3%	2.0%
490	383	-	-	-	Ruislip - Northwood	CON	535	239	774	2.4%	1.3%	1.9%
605	490	-	-	-	Runnymede & Weybridge	CON	432	150	582	1.6%	0.7%	1.2%
583	469	-	-	-	Rushcliffe	CON	524	184	708	1.8%	0.8%	1.3%
185	-	-	21	-	Rutherglen and Hamilton West	LAB	1,348	410	1,758	5.9%	2.0%	4.1%
614	499	-	-	-	Rutland & Melton	CON	382	155	537	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
511	402	-	-	-	Ryedale	CON	474	229	703	2.2%	1.3%	1.8%
618	503	-	-	-	Saffron Walden	CON	408	148	556	1.4%	0.7%	1.1%
67	59	-	-	-	Salford	LAB	1,441	400	1,841	8.6%	3.1%	6.2%
629	514	-	-	-	Salisbury	CON	383	148	531	1.2%	0.6%	1.0%
152	128	-	-	-	Scarborough & Whitby	CON	1,378	492	1,870	6.1%	2.6%	4.5%
144	121	-	-	-	Scunthorpe	LAB	1,217	394	1,611	6.1%	2.6%	4.5%
309	244	-	-	-	Sedgefield	LAB	832	294	1,126	4.1%	1.8%	3.0%
488	381	-	-	-	Selby	LAB	670	278	948	2.5%	1.2%	1.9%
588	473	-	-	-	Sevenoaks	CON	359	174	533	1.6%	1.0%	1.3%
310	245	-	-	-	Sheffield, Attercliffe	LAB	1,009	277	1,286	4.3%	1.5%	3.0%
66	58	-	-	-	Sheffield, Brightside	LAB	1,591	451	2,042	8.8%	3.2%	6.3%
36	34	-	-	-	Sheffield, Central	LAB	2,082	660	2,742	10.0%	4.2%	7.5%
538	425	-	-	-	Sheffield, Hallam	LD	401	161	562	2.2%	1.0%	1.6%
169	140	-	-	-	Sheffield, Heeley	LAB	1,171	390	1,561	5.8%	2.3%	4.2%
443	346	-	-	-	Sheffield, Hillsborough	LAB	815	271	1,086	3.1%	1.2%	2.3%
396	308	-	-	-	Sherwood	LAB	809	332	1,141	3.2%	1.6%	2.5%
388	303	-	-	-	Shipley	CON	839	287	1,126	3.5%	1.4%	2.6%
493	386	-	-	-	Shrewsbury & Atcham	CON	651	228	879	2.6%	1.1%	1.9%
203	162	-	-	-	Sittingbourne & Sheppey	LAB	1,183	475	1,658	4.8%	2.6%	3.8%
592	477	-	-	-	Skipton & Ripon	CON	425	185	610	1.6%	0.9%	1.3%
549	436	-	-	-	Sleaford & North Hykeham	CON	522	221	743	2.0%	1.1%	1.6%
239	185	-	-	-	Slough	LAB	1,391	550	1,941	4.4%	2.3%	3.5%
497	390	-	-	-	Solihull	LD	603	274	877	2.3%	1.3%	1.9%
608	493	-	-	-	Somerton & Frome (a)	LD	395	163	558	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
459	-	-	-	16	South Antrim	DU	747	286	1,033	2.7%	1.4%	2.1%
617	502	-	-	-	South Cambridgeshire	CON	411	141	552	1.5%	0.7%	1.1%
500	393	-	-	-	South Derbyshire	LAB	694	278	972	2.4%	1.2%	1.9%
405	316	-	-	-	South Dorset	LAB	731	251	982	3.3%	1.4%	2.4%
378	-	-	-	13	South Down	SDLP	875	295	1,170	3.4%	1.6%	2.6%
582	468	-	-	-	South East Cambridgeshire	CON	537	230	767	1.7%	0.9%	1.4%
451	352	-	-	-	South East Cornwall	LD	671	317	988	2.7%	1.6%	2.2%
408	318	-	-	-	South Holland & The Deepings	CON	723	348	1,071	2.9%	1.8%	2.4%

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527	415	-	-	-	South Norfolk	CON	623	220	843	2.2%	1.0%	1.7%
509	400	-	-	-	South Ribble	LAB	651	196	847	2.6%	0.9%	1.8%
30	28	-	-	-	South Shields	LAB	2,043	606	2,649	10.8%	4.1%	7.8%
465	363	-	-	-	South Staffordshire	CON	687	229	916	2.8%	1.2%	2.1%
531	419	-	-	-	South Suffolk	CON	506	197	703	2.2%	1.1%	1.7%
355	279	-	-	-	South Swindon	LAB	965	401	1,366	3.5%	1.8%	2.7%
230	180	-	-	-	South Thanet	LAB	946	294	1,240	5.0%	1.9%	3.6%
455	356	-	-	-	South West Bedfordshire	CON	706	341	1,047	2.6%	1.6%	2.2%
621	506	-	-	-	South West Devon	CON	319	139	458	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%
593	478	-	-	-	South West Hertfordshire	CON	433	179	612	1.6%	0.8%	1.3%
426	332	-	-	-	South West Norfolk	CON	827	402	1,229	2.7%	1.8%	2.3%
639	524	-	-	-	South West Surrey	CON	310	108	418	1.2%	0.5%	0.9%
252	197	-	-	-	Southampton, Itchen	LAB	1,262	380	1,642	4.7%	1.8%	3.4%
314	248	-	-	-	Southampton, Test	LAB	1,096	350	1,446	4.0%	1.7%	3.0%
321	253	-	-	-	Southend West	CON	829	302	1,131	3.9%	1.8%	3.0%
347	273	-	-	-	Southport	LD	833	254	1,087	4.0%	1.4%	2.8%
556	443	-	-	-	Spelthorne	CON	521	208	729	2.0%	1.0%	1.6%
574	460	-	-	-	St Albans	CON	457	172	629	1.8%	0.9%	1.4%
263	207	-	-	-	St Helens North	LAB	1,024	346	1,370	4.6%	1.9%	3.4%
129	109	-	-	-	St Helens South	LAB	1,326	421	1,747	6.7%	2.6%	4.8%
240	186	-	-	-	St Ives	LD	1,042	394	1,436	4.6%	2.2%	3.5%
362	283	-	-	-	Stafford	LAB	872	298	1,170	3.6%	1.5%	2.7%
544	431	-	-	-	Staffordshire Moorlands	LAB	493	176	669	2.1%	1.0%	1.6%
298	234	-	-	-	Stalybridge & Hyde	LAB	953	328	1,281	4.3%	1.8%	3.1%
410	320	-	-	-	Stevenage	LAB	836	288	1,124	3.2%	1.4%	2.4%
390	-	-	43	-	Stirling	LAB	793	234	1,027	3.7%	1.3%	2.6%
330	261	-	-	-	Stockport	LAB	947	289	1,236	4.1%	1.5%	2.9%
83	73	-	-	-	Stockton North	LAB	1,710	512	2,222	8.2%	3.0%	5.9%
218	170	-	-	-	Stockton South	LAB	1,285	423	1,708	5.1%	2.0%	3.7%
107	93	-	-	-	Stoke-on-Trent Central	LAB	1,363	417	1,780	7.3%	2.8%	5.3%
178	147	-	-	-	Stoke-on-Trent North	LAB	1,002	354	1,356	5.5%	2.5%	4.1%
198	159	-	-	-	Stoke-on-Trent South	LAB	1,151	476	1,627	5.0%	2.6%	3.9%
561	448	-	-	-	Stone	CON	438	204	642	1.9%	1.1%	1.5%
217	169	-	-	-	Stourbridge	LAB	1,141	388	1,529	4.9%	2.1%	3.7%
417	-	-	-	15	Strangford	DU	843	267	1,110	3.3%	1.3%	2.4%
541	428	-	-	-	Stratford-on-Avon	CON	639	216	855	2.2%	0.9%	1.6%
101	88	-	-	-	Streatham	LAB	2,390	1,021	3,411	6.8%	3.6%	5.4%
284	223	-	-	-	Stretford & Urmston	LAB	1,059	300	1,359	4.6%	1.5%	3.2%
545	432	-	-	-	Stroud	LAB	571	207	778	2.1%	1.0%	1.6%
506	398	-	-	-	Suffolk Coastal	CON	572	197	769	2.4%	1.1%	1.8%
108	94	-	-	-	Sunderland North	LAB	1,422	381	1,803	7.6%	2.5%	5.3%
75	66	-	-	-	Sunderland South	LAB	1,684	448	2,132	8.8%	2.8%	6.1%
633	518	-	-	-	Surrey Heath	CON	361	143	504	1.2%	0.6%	0.9%
534	422	-	-	-	Sutton & Cheam	LD	560	206	766	2.2%	1.0%	1.7%
468	366	-	-	-	Sutton Coldfield	CON	656	261	917	2.7%	1.3%	2.1%
190	-	11	-	-	Swansea East	LAB	953	322	1,275	5.5%	2.3%	4.0%
164	-	7	-	-	Swansea West	LAB	958	269	1,227	6.1%	2.1%	4.3%
421	328	-	-	-	Tamworth	LAB	803	305	1,108	3.1%	1.5%	2.4%
572	458	-	-	-	Tatton	CON	396	147	543	1.9%	0.9%	1.4%
543	430	-	-	-	Taunton (a)	LD	573	244	817	2.1%	1.0%	1.6%
522	411	-	-	-	Teignbridge	LD	596	236	832	2.3%	1.1%	1.7%
225	176	-	-	-	Telford	LAB	1,063	402	1,465	4.7%	2.3%	3.7%
554	441	-	-	-	Tewkesbury	CON	515	183	698	2.1%	0.9%	1.6%
228	179	-	-	-	Thurrock	LAB	1,376	561	1,937	4.6%	2.4%	3.6%
558	445	-	-	-	Tiverton & Honiton	CON	550	191	741	2.1%	0.9%	1.6%
565	452	-	-	-	Tonbridge & Malling	CON	447	179	626	1.9%	1.0%	1.5%
280	219	-	-	-	Tooting	LAB	1,237	498	1,735	4.3%	2.0%	3.2%

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UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
189	154	-	-	-	Torbay	LD	1,292	410	1,702	5.6%	2.2%	4.0%
206	-	15	-	-	Torfaen	LAB	973	344	1,317	5.1%	2.2%	3.8%
431	336	-	-	-	Torrige & West Devon	CON	725	352	1,077	2.8%	1.7%	2.3%
445	348	-	-	-	Totnes	CON	599	273	872	2.8%	1.6%	2.2%
7	7	-	-	-	Tottenham	LAB	3,688	1,453	5,141	13.5%	6.7%	10.5%
394	306	-	-	-	Truro & St Austell	LD	824	327	1,151	3.3%	1.6%	2.5%
601	486	-	-	-	Tunbridge Wells	CON	408	128	536	1.7%	0.7%	1.2%
551	438	-	-	-	Twickenham	LD	612	271	883	2.0%	1.1%	1.6%
21	19	-	-	-	Tyne Bridge	LAB	2,124	540	2,664	12.0%	3.9%	8.4%
254	199	-	-	-	Tynemouth	LAB	1,022	305	1,327	4.9%	1.7%	3.4%
351	276	-	-	-	Upminster	CON	594	289	883	3.3%	2.0%	2.8%
361	-	-	-	12	Upper Bann	DU	912	292	1,204	3.6%	1.5%	2.7%
359	281	-	-	-	Uxbridge	CON	738	346	1,084	3.3%	1.9%	2.7%
176	-	9	-	-	Vale of Clwyd	LAB	895	292	1,187	5.8%	2.2%	4.2%
258	-	21	-	-	Vale of Glamorgan	LAB	1,091	334	1,425	4.8%	1.7%	3.4%
619	504	-	-	-	Vale of York	CON	355	168	523	1.3%	0.8%	1.1%
61	54	-	-	-	Vauxhall	LAB	2,871	1,101	3,972	8.6%	4.1%	6.6%
277	216	-	-	-	Wakefield	LAB	1,119	368	1,487	4.4%	1.8%	3.3%
74	65	-	-	-	Wallasey	LAB	1,678	549	2,227	8.6%	3.2%	6.1%
45	42	-	-	-	Walsall North	LAB	2,050	725	2,775	9.3%	4.3%	7.1%
27	25	-	-	-	Walsall South	LAB	2,084	721	2,805	10.3%	4.9%	8.0%
41	38	-	-	-	Walthamstow	LAB	2,390	901	3,291	9.6%	4.5%	7.3%
116	100	-	-	-	Wansbeck	LAB	1,395	465	1,860	7.2%	2.8%	5.2%
620	505	-	-	-	Wansdyke (c)(a)	LAB	325	152	477	1.3%	0.7%	1.1%
622	507	-	-	-	Wantage	CON	379	155	534	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%
38	35	-	-	-	Warley	LAB	1,854	597	2,451	10.0%	4.1%	7.4%
333	263	-	-	-	Warrington North	LAB	1,007	322	1,329	4.0%	1.5%	2.9%
473	371	-	-	-	Warrington South	LAB	733	250	983	2.8%	1.2%	2.1%
399	311	-	-	-	Warwick & Leamington	LAB	1,009	320	1,329	3.4%	1.3%	2.5%
470	368	-	-	-	Watford	LAB	833	285	1,118	2.8%	1.2%	2.1%
113	98	-	-	-	Waveney	LAB	1,663	559	2,222	6.9%	3.0%	5.2%
623	508	-	-	-	Wealden	CON	352	151	503	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%
205	163	-	-	-	Weaver Vale	LAB	1,188	400	1,588	5.3%	2.1%	3.8%
325	257	-	-	-	Wellingborough	CON	1,088	448	1,536	3.7%	1.9%	2.9%
507	399	-	-	-	Wells	CON	569	242	811	2.3%	1.2%	1.8%
456	357	-	-	-	Welwyn Hatfield	CON	674	267	941	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%
245	190	-	-	-	Wentworth	LAB	982	314	1,296	4.8%	1.9%	3.5%
646	-	-	59	-	West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine	LD	189	75	264	0.8%	0.4%	0.6%
50	46	-	-	-	West Bromwich East	LAB	1,815	594	2,409	9.3%	4.0%	7.0%
44	41	-	-	-	West Bromwich West	LAB	2,125	680	2,805	9.4%	4.1%	7.1%
489	382	-	-	-	West Chelmsford	CON	715	299	1,014	2.4%	1.3%	1.9%
568	455	-	-	-	West Derbyshire	CON	468	188	656	1.9%	1.0%	1.5%
576	462	-	-	-	West Dorset	CON	364	152	516	1.8%	0.9%	1.4%
97	-	-	8	-	West Dunbartonshire	LAB	1,783	571	2,354	7.9%	2.9%	5.5%
24	22	-	-	-	West Ham	LAB	2,475	924	3,399	10.4%	5.3%	8.2%
200	160	-	-	-	West Lancashire	LAB	1,210	439	1,649	5.3%	2.2%	3.9%
540	427	-	-	-	West Suffolk	CON	597	282	879	1.9%	1.2%	1.6%
115	-	-	-	4	West Tyrone	SF	1,260	524	1,784	6.2%	3.7%	5.2%
539	426	-	-	-	West Worcestershire	CON	435	185	620	2.0%	1.1%	1.6%
567	454	-	-	-	Westbury	CON	516	232	748	1.8%	1.0%	1.5%
644	528	-	-	-	Westmorland & Lonsdale	LD	232	81	313	1.0%	0.4%	0.8%
434	339	-	-	-	Weston-Super-Mare	CON	731	274	1,005	3.0%	1.4%	2.3%
195	157	-	-	-	Wigan	LAB	1,095	377	1,472	5.3%	2.3%	4.0%
560	447	-	-	-	Wimbledon	CON	540	257	797	1.9%	1.1%	1.5%
597	482	-	-	-	Winchester	LD	487	173	660	1.7%	0.7%	1.3%
587	472	-	-	-	Windsor	CON	465	192	657	1.7%	0.9%	1.3%
337	266	-	-	-	Wirral South	LAB	742	214	956	4.1%	1.4%	2.9%

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266	209	-	-	-	Wirral West	LAB	883	239	1,122	4.9%	1.5%	3.3%
645	529	-	-	-	Witney	CON	281	109	390	1.0%	0.5%	0.8%
599	484	-	-	-	Woking	CON	451	177	628	1.6%	0.8%	1.2%
631	516	-	-	-	Wokingham	CON	366	129	495	1.3%	0.6%	1.0%
52	48	-	-	-	Wolverhampton North East	LAB	1,784	641	2,425	8.9%	4.2%	6.9%
20	18	-	-	-	Wolverhampton South East	LAB	1,826	639	2,465	10.9%	5.2%	8.5%
65	57	-	-	-	Wolverhampton South West	LAB	1,899	613	2,512	8.6%	3.6%	6.4%
641	526	-	-	-	Woodspring	CON	268	104	372	1.1%	0.5%	0.8%
335	265	-	-	-	Worcester	LAB	1,028	348	1,376	3.9%	1.6%	2.9%
334	264	-	-	-	Workington	LAB	844	243	1,087	4.0%	1.4%	2.9%
296	232	-	-	-	Worsley	LAB	1,009	351	1,360	4.3%	1.8%	3.2%
510	401	-	-	-	Worthing West	CON	505	170	675	2.5%	1.0%	1.8%
479	374	-	-	-	Wrekin, The	CON	651	252	903	2.5%	1.3%	2.0%
357	-	29	-	-	Wrexham	LAB	661	194	855	3.9%	1.4%	2.7%
437	341	-	-	-	Wycombe	CON	871	290	1,161	3.0%	1.3%	2.3%
392	304	-	-	-	Wyre Forest	IND	847	338	1,185	3.3%	1.6%	2.5%
146	122	-	-	-	Wythenshawe & Sale East	LAB	1,498	486	1,984	6.3%	2.4%	4.5%
512	403	-	-	-	Yeovil (a)	LD	632	189	821	2.5%	0.9%	1.8%
145	-	4	-	-	Ynys-Mon	LAB	960	311	1,271	6.1%	2.5%	4.5%
318	251	-	-	-	York, City of	LAB	1,147	367	1,514	4.2%	1.5%	3.0%
United Kingdom							681,717	241,741	923,458	4.5%	2.0%	3.3%

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UK	Eng	Wal	Scot	NI		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
1	1	-	-	-	Birmingham, Ladywood	IND	5,773	1,634	7,407	26.2%	11.1%	20.1%
2	2	-	-	-	Birmingham, Sparkbrook & Small Heath	LAB	4,330	1,313	5,643	18.0%	9.3%	14.8%
3	3	-	-	-	Liverpool, Riverside	LAB	3,146	1,026	4,172	17.3%	6.6%	12.4%
4	4	-	-	-	Birmingham, Hodge Hill	LAB	2,569	761	3,330	15.5%	6.4%	11.7%
5	5	-	-	-	Manchester, Central	LAB	2,892	787	3,679	15.0%	5.5%	10.9%
6	6	-	-	-	Leeds Central	LAB	3,109	929	4,038	14.7%	5.4%	10.6%
7	7	-	-	-	Tottenham	LAB	3,688	1,453	5,141	13.5%	6.7%	10.5%
8	8	-	-	-	Bethnal Green & Bow	RES	3,707	1,288	4,995	12.3%	6.7%	10.1%
9	-	-	-	1	Belfast West	SF	2,412	534	2,946	14.9%	4.1%	10.1%
10	9	-	-	-	Liverpool, Walton	LAB	2,535	791	3,326	13.7%	5.2%	9.9%
11	10	-	-	-	Hackney South & Shoreditch	LAB	3,166	1,316	4,482	12.4%	6.2%	9.6%
12	11	-	-	-	Poplar & Canning Town	LAB	3,696	1,267	4,963	11.9%	6.0%	9.5%
13	12	-	-	-	Birmingham, Erdington	LAB	2,611	820	3,431	12.4%	4.9%	9.1%
14	13	-	-	-	Birkenhead	LAB	2,115	633	2,748	13.0%	4.4%	9.0%
15	14	-	-	-	Middlesbrough	LAB	2,674	685	3,359	12.7%	4.2%	9.0%
16	15	-	-	-	Birmingham, Perry Barr	LAB	2,777	878	3,655	12.0%	4.9%	8.9%
17	-	-	1	-	Glasgow North East	SPKR	2,180	632	2,812	12.9%	4.2%	8.8%
18	16	-	-	-	Liverpool, West Derby	LAB	2,265	807	3,072	11.7%	5.0%	8.6%
19	17	-	-	-	Camberwell & Peckham	LAB	2,295	911	3,206	11.3%	5.3%	8.6%
20	18	-	-	-	Wolverhampton South East	LAB	1,826	639	2,465	10.9%	5.2%	8.5%
21	19	-	-	-	Tyne Bridge	LAB	2,124	540	2,664	12.0%	3.9%	8.4%
22	20	-	-	-	Brent South	LAB	2,372	1,005	3,377	10.5%	5.6%	8.4%
23	21	-	-	-	Liverpool, Wavertree	LAB	2,355	778	3,133	11.8%	4.4%	8.4%
24	22	-	-	-	West Ham	LAB	2,475	924	3,399	10.4%	5.3%	8.2%
25	23	-	-	-	Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle	LAB	2,384	664	3,048	11.4%	4.1%	8.2%
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622	507	-	-	-	Wantage	CON	379	155	534	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%
623	508	-	-	-	Wealden	CON	352	151	503	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%
624	509	-	-	-	Reigate	CON	316	127	443	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%
625	510	-	-	-	Mid Dorset & North Poole	LD	321	104	425	1.4%	0.5%	1.0%
626	511	-	-	-	Romsey	LD	311	136	447	1.2%	0.7%	1.0%
627	512	-	-	-	North West Hampshire (a)	CON	353	170	523	1.2%	0.7%	1.0%
628	513	-	-	-	Esher & Walton	CON	341	148	489	1.2%	0.7%	1.0%
629	514	-	-	-	Salisbury	CON	383	148	531	1.2%	0.6%	1.0%
630	515	-	-	-	Mid Sussex	CON	328	126	454	1.3%	0.6%	1.0%
631	516	-	-	-	Wokingham	CON	366	129	495	1.3%	0.6%	1.0%
632	517	-	-	-	Northavon	LD	327	184	511	1.1%	0.8%	1.0%
633	518	-	-	-	Surrey Heath	CON	361	143	504	1.2%	0.6%	0.9%
634	519	-	-	-	North East Hampshire	CON	309	151	460	1.1%	0.7%	0.9%
635	520	-	-	-	Ribble Valley	CON	317	111	428	1.3%	0.5%	0.9%
636	521	-	-	-	Henley	CON	296	113	409	1.2%	0.6%	0.9%
637	522	-	-	-	Mole Valley	CON	281	110	391	1.2%	0.6%	0.9%
638	523	-	-	-	East Surrey	CON	339	120	459	1.2%	0.5%	0.9%
639	524	-	-	-	South West Surrey	CON	310	108	418	1.2%	0.5%	0.9%
640	525	-	-	-	North Dorset	CON	254	119	373	1.1%	0.6%	0.9%
641	526	-	-	-	Woodspring	CON	268	104	372	1.1%	0.5%	0.8%
642	527	-	-	-	Buckingham	CON	245	111	356	1.0%	0.5%	0.8%
643	-	-	58	-	Gordon	LD	265	110	375	1.0%	0.5%	0.8%
644	528	-	-	-	Westmorland & Lonsdale	LD	232	81	313	1.0%	0.4%	0.8%
645	529	-	-	-	Witney	CON	281	109	390	1.0%	0.5%	0.8%
646	-	-	59	-	West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine	LD	189	75	264	0.8%	0.4%	0.6%
United Kingdom							681,717	241,741	923,458	4.5%	2.0%	3.3%

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1	1	Birmingham, Ladywood	IND	5,773	1,634	7,407	26.2%	11.1%	20.1%
2	2	Birmingham, Sparkbrook & Small Heath	LAB	4,330	1,313	5,643	18.0%	9.3%	14.8%
3	3	Liverpool, Riverside	LAB	3,146	1,026	4,172	17.3%	6.6%	12.4%
4	4	Birmingham, Hodge Hill	LAB	2,569	761	3,330	15.5%	6.4%	11.7%
5	5	Manchester, Central	LAB	2,892	787	3,679	15.0%	5.5%	10.9%
6	6	Leeds Central	LAB	3,109	929	4,038	14.7%	5.4%	10.6%
7	7	Tottenham	LAB	3,688	1,453	5,141	13.5%	6.7%	10.5%
8	8	Bethnal Green & Bow	RES	3,707	1,288	4,995	12.3%	6.7%	10.1%
10	9	Liverpool, Walton	LAB	2,535	791	3,326	13.7%	5.2%	9.9%
11	10	Hackney South & Shoreditch	LAB	3,166	1,316	4,482	12.4%	6.2%	9.6%
12	11	Poplar & Canning Town	LAB	3,696	1,267	4,963	11.9%	6.0%	9.5%
13	12	Birmingham, Erdington	LAB	2,611	820	3,431	12.4%	4.9%	9.1%
14	13	Birkenhead	LAB	2,115	633	2,748	13.0%	4.4%	9.0%
15	14	Middlesbrough	LAB	2,674	685	3,359	12.7%	4.2%	9.0%
16	15	Birmingham, Perry Barr	LAB	2,777	878	3,655	12.0%	4.9%	8.9%
18	16	Liverpool, West Derby	LAB	2,265	807	3,072	11.7%	5.0%	8.6%
19	17	Camberwell & Peckham	LAB	2,295	911	3,206	11.3%	5.3%	8.6%
20	18	Wolverhampton South East	LAB	1,826	639	2,465	10.9%	5.2%	8.5%
21	19	Tyne Bridge	LAB	2,124	540	2,664	12.0%	3.9%	8.4%
22	20	Brent South	LAB	2,372	1,005	3,377	10.5%	5.6%	8.4%
23	21	Liverpool, Wavertree	LAB	2,355	778	3,133	11.8%	4.4%	8.4%
24	22	West Ham	LAB	2,475	924	3,399	10.4%	5.3%	8.2%
25	23	Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle	LAB	2,384	664	3,048	11.4%	4.1%	8.2%
26	24	Nottingham North	LAB	2,157	752	2,909	10.8%	4.8%	8.2%
27	25	Walsall South	LAB	2,084	721	2,805	10.3%	4.9%	8.0%
28	26	Bootle	LAB	1,823	586	2,409	11.3%	4.2%	8.0%
29	27	Hackney North & Stoke Newington	LAB	2,539	1,054	3,593	10.3%	5.1%	7.9%
30	28	South Shields	LAB	2,043	606	2,649	10.8%	4.1%	7.8%
31	29	Bradford West	LAB	2,218	689	2,907	9.9%	4.7%	7.8%
32	30	East Ham	LAB	2,554	1,065	3,619	8.9%	5.9%	7.8%
33	31	Kingston upon Hull North	LAB	2,352	733	3,085	10.4%	4.2%	7.7%
34	32	Manchester, Gorton	LAB	1,891	582	2,473	10.3%	4.1%	7.6%
35	33	Leeds East	LAB	1,924	597	2,521	10.5%	3.9%	7.5%
36	34	Sheffield, Central	LAB	2,082	660	2,742	10.0%	4.2%	7.5%
38	35	Warley	LAB	1,854	597	2,451	10.0%	4.1%	7.4%
39	36	Leicester South	LAB	2,369	799	3,168	9.7%	4.3%	7.4%
40	37	Nottingham East	LAB	2,204	600	2,804	10.3%	3.6%	7.3%
41	38	Walthamstow	LAB	2,390	901	3,291	9.6%	4.5%	7.3%
42	39	Birmingham, Yardley	LD	1,670	599	2,269	9.5%	4.4%	7.3%
43	40	Edmonton	LAB	1,996	945	2,941	8.8%	5.1%	7.2%
44	41	West Bromwich West	LAB	2,125	680	2,805	9.4%	4.1%	7.1%
45	42	Walsall North	LAB	2,050	725	2,775	9.3%	4.3%	7.1%
47	43	Great Yarmouth	LAB	2,043	779	2,822	9.0%	4.5%	7.1%
48	44	Coventry North East	LAB	2,374	759	3,133	9.5%	3.9%	7.1%
49	45	Manchester, Blackley	LAB	1,694	478	2,172	9.5%	3.6%	7.0%
50	46	West Bromwich East	LAB	1,815	594	2,409	9.3%	4.0%	7.0%
51	47	Liverpool, Garston	LAB	1,730	620	2,350	9.3%	4.0%	6.9%
52	48	Wolverhampton North East	LAB	1,784	641	2,425	8.9%	4.2%	6.9%
53	49	Kingston upon Hull East	LAB	2,109	656	2,765	9.1%	3.8%	6.9%
54	50	Islington North	LAB	2,218	994	3,212	8.8%	4.5%	6.8%
58	51	Great Grimsby	LAB	1,931	618	2,549	9.0%	3.7%	6.7%
59	52	Leicester West	LAB	2,014	704	2,718	9.0%	3.8%	6.7%
60	53	Hartlepool	LAB	1,932	545	2,477	9.4%	3.2%	6.6%
61	54	Vauxhall	LAB	2,871	1,101	3,972	8.6%	4.1%	6.6%
63	55	Birmingham, Edgbaston	LAB	1,990	599	2,589	9.2%	3.4%	6.6%
64	56	Leicester East	LAB	1,696	831	2,527	7.9%	4.8%	6.5%

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65	57	Wolverhampton South West	LAB	1,899	613	2,512	8.6%	3.6%	6.4%
66	58	Sheffield, Brightside	LAB	1,591	451	2,042	8.8%	3.2%	6.3%
67	59	Salford	LAB	1,441	400	1,841	8.6%	3.1%	6.2%
68	60	Birmingham, Northfield	LAB	1,546	547	2,093	8.5%	3.6%	6.2%
69	61	Bradford North	LAB	1,873	532	2,405	8.5%	3.2%	6.2%
70	62	Newcastle upon Tyne East & Wallsend	LAB	1,707	509	2,216	8.8%	3.1%	6.2%
71	63	Brent East	LD	2,118	855	2,973	7.9%	4.0%	6.2%
72	64	Holborn & St Pancras	LAB	1,961	839	2,800	7.7%	4.2%	6.1%
74	65	Wallasey	LAB	1,678	549	2,227	8.6%	3.2%	6.1%
75	66	Sunderland South	LAB	1,684	448	2,132	8.8%	2.8%	6.1%
76	67	North Southwark & Bermondsey	LD	2,477	1,056	3,533	7.4%	4.2%	6.0%
77	68	Lewisham, Deptford	LAB	1,967	763	2,730	8.0%	3.7%	6.0%
78	69	Redcar	LAB	1,762	467	2,229	8.6%	2.8%	6.0%
79	70	Erith & Thamesmead	LAB	1,875	829	2,704	7.5%	4.1%	6.0%
80	71	Greenwich & Woolwich	LAB	1,763	785	2,548	7.5%	4.1%	6.0%
82	72	Rochdale	LD	1,834	585	2,419	7.9%	3.3%	5.9%
83	73	Stockton North	LAB	1,710	512	2,222	8.2%	3.0%	5.9%
84	74	Derby South	LAB	1,998	693	2,691	7.7%	3.4%	5.8%
85	75	Dudley North	LAB	1,772	571	2,343	7.7%	3.3%	5.8%
86	76	Blackpool South	LAB	1,844	550	2,394	8.1%	2.9%	5.8%
87	77	Birmingham, Selly Oak	LAB	1,718	642	2,360	7.6%	3.4%	5.7%
88	78	Knowsley South	LAB	1,775	559	2,334	8.1%	2.9%	5.7%
89	79	Islington South & Finsbury	LAB	1,598	788	2,386	6.8%	4.2%	5.7%
91	80	Ilford South (a)	LAB	1,931	821	2,752	6.9%	4.0%	5.7%
92	81	Birmingham, Hall Green	LAB	1,405	527	1,932	7.4%	3.4%	5.6%
94	82	Lewisham West	LAB	1,720	738	2,458	7.2%	3.7%	5.6%
95	83	Jarrow	LAB	1,557	433	1,990	7.9%	2.7%	5.5%
96	84	Huddersfield	LAB	1,567	514	2,081	7.6%	3.1%	5.5%
98	85	Leyton & Wanstead	LAB	1,722	636	2,358	7.1%	3.3%	5.4%
99	86	Dagenham	LAB	1,406	557	1,963	6.9%	3.5%	5.4%
100	87	Doncaster Central	LAB	1,557	479	2,036	7.5%	2.8%	5.4%
101	88	Streatham	LAB	2,390	1,021	3,411	6.8%	3.6%	5.4%
102	89	Knowsley North & Sefton East	LAB	1,540	551	2,091	7.4%	3.1%	5.4%
104	90	Coventry South	LAB	1,744	489	2,233	7.4%	2.7%	5.4%
105	91	Croydon North	LAB	2,219	915	3,134	7.1%	3.3%	5.3%
106	92	Regent's Park & Kensington North	LAB	2,173	1,024	3,197	6.6%	3.8%	5.3%
107	93	Stoke-on-Trent Central	LAB	1,363	417	1,780	7.3%	2.8%	5.3%
108	94	Sunderland North	LAB	1,422	381	1,803	7.6%	2.5%	5.3%
109	95	Barking (a)	LAB	1,312	539	1,851	6.6%	3.5%	5.3%
111	96	Nottingham South	LAB	1,577	437	2,014	7.1%	2.7%	5.2%
112	97	Luton South	LAB	1,752	655	2,407	6.5%	3.4%	5.2%
113	98	Waveney	LAB	1,663	559	2,222	6.9%	3.0%	5.2%
114	99	Blackburn	LAB	1,593	460	2,053	6.9%	2.8%	5.2%
116	100	Wansbeck	LAB	1,395	465	1,860	7.2%	2.8%	5.2%
118	101	Halesowen & Rowley Regis	LAB	1,492	526	2,018	6.8%	3.1%	5.1%
119	102	Rochford & Southend East	CON	1,605	509	2,114	7.0%	2.8%	5.1%
121	103	Oldham West & Royton	LAB	1,598	484	2,082	6.8%	2.7%	5.0%
123	104	Hornsey & Wood Green	LD	2,040	879	2,919	6.4%	3.3%	5.0%
124	105	Lewisham East	LAB	1,418	496	1,914	6.6%	2.9%	5.0%
125	106	Hastings & Rye	LAB	1,548	543	2,091	6.6%	2.9%	4.9%
127	107	Dulwich & West Norwood	LAB	1,843	790	2,633	6.4%	3.2%	4.9%
128	108	Halifax	LAB	1,588	500	2,088	6.6%	2.6%	4.8%
129	109	St Helens South	LAB	1,326	421	1,747	6.7%	2.6%	4.8%
130	110	Bolton South East	LAB	1,396	437	1,833	6.4%	2.6%	4.7%
131	111	North Thanet	CON	1,348	469	1,817	6.4%	2.7%	4.7%
132	112	Rotherham	LAB	1,173	370	1,543	6.4%	2.6%	4.7%
133	113	Harwich	CON	1,297	479	1,776	6.1%	2.9%	4.7%

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134	114	LAB	1,954	796	2,750	6.0%	3.0%	4.7%
135	115	LAB	1,497	454	1,951	6.7%	2.4%	4.7%
136	116	LAB	1,220	417	1,637	6.3%	2.7%	4.7%
138	117	LAB	1,449	639	2,088	5.7%	3.2%	4.6%
139	118	LAB	1,397	442	1,839	6.5%	2.4%	4.6%
141	119	LAB	1,494	421	1,915	6.5%	2.3%	4.6%
143	120	LAB	1,650	527	2,177	6.2%	2.5%	4.6%
144	121	LAB	1,217	394	1,611	6.1%	2.6%	4.5%
146	122	LAB	1,498	486	1,984	6.3%	2.4%	4.5%
147	123	CON	1,492	529	2,021	5.9%	2.7%	4.5%
148	124	LAB	1,460	445	1,905	6.1%	2.4%	4.5%
149	125	LAB	1,145	502	1,647	5.7%	3.0%	4.5%
150	126	LAB	1,502	436	1,938	6.2%	2.3%	4.5%
151	127	LAB	1,475	459	1,934	6.2%	2.4%	4.5%
152	128	CON	1,378	492	1,870	6.1%	2.6%	4.5%
153	129	LAB	1,325	374	1,699	6.3%	2.1%	4.4%
154	130	LAB	1,442	427	1,869	6.2%	2.3%	4.4%
157	131	LAB	1,360	457	1,817	5.8%	2.5%	4.4%
158	132	LAB	1,286	394	1,680	6.2%	2.3%	4.4%
159	133	LAB	1,226	370	1,596	6.2%	2.2%	4.4%
161	134	LAB	1,306	433	1,739	5.8%	2.5%	4.3%
163	135	CON	1,219	465	1,684	5.6%	2.7%	4.3%
165	136	LAB	1,443	536	1,979	5.7%	2.6%	4.3%
166	137	LAB	1,361	396	1,757	5.9%	2.2%	4.3%
167	138	LAB	1,283	389	1,672	5.9%	2.2%	4.3%
168	139	LAB	1,432	610	2,042	5.4%	2.8%	4.2%
169	140	LAB	1,171	390	1,561	5.8%	2.3%	4.2%
170	141	LAB	1,233	394	1,627	5.9%	2.2%	4.2%
172	142	LAB	1,785	786	2,571	5.2%	2.9%	4.2%
173	143	CON	1,330	446	1,776	5.6%	2.3%	4.2%
174	144	LD	1,326	424	1,750	5.7%	2.2%	4.2%
175	145	LAB	1,107	362	1,469	5.6%	2.3%	4.2%
177	146	LAB	1,442	491	1,933	5.5%	2.4%	4.1%
178	147	LAB	1,002	354	1,356	5.5%	2.5%	4.1%
180	148	LAB	1,127	353	1,480	5.7%	2.2%	4.1%
181	149	LAB	1,015	356	1,371	5.5%	2.4%	4.1%
183	150	LAB	1,328	383	1,711	5.8%	2.1%	4.1%
184	151	CON	1,661	643	2,304	5.4%	2.5%	4.1%
186	152	LAB	1,357	535	1,892	5.3%	2.6%	4.1%
187	153	LAB	941	330	1,271	5.5%	2.3%	4.1%
189	154	LD	1,292	410	1,702	5.6%	2.2%	4.0%
192	155	LAB	1,260	329	1,589	5.9%	1.8%	4.0%
193	156	LAB	1,092	544	1,636	4.8%	3.0%	4.0%
195	157	LAB	1,095	377	1,472	5.3%	2.3%	4.0%
197	158	LAB	1,386	603	1,989	5.0%	2.7%	3.9%
198	159	LAB	1,151	476	1,627	5.0%	2.6%	3.9%
200	160	LAB	1,210	439	1,649	5.3%	2.2%	3.9%
202	161	LD	1,404	452	1,856	5.2%	2.1%	3.9%
203	162	LAB	1,183	475	1,658	4.8%	2.6%	3.8%
205	163	LAB	1,188	400	1,588	5.3%	2.1%	3.8%
207	164	LAB	1,155	374	1,529	5.2%	2.1%	3.8%
209	165	LAB	1,433	623	2,056	4.9%	2.5%	3.8%
211	166	LAB	1,165	463	1,628	4.7%	2.5%	3.8%
215	167	LAB	1,057	316	1,373	5.3%	1.9%	3.7%
216	168	CON	1,000	370	1,370	4.9%	2.3%	3.7%
217	169	LAB	1,141	388	1,529	4.9%	2.1%	3.7%
218	170	LAB	1,285	423	1,708	5.1%	2.0%	3.7%

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219	171	Morecambe & Lunesdale	LAB	1,070	345	1,415	5.2%	2.0%	3.7%
220	172	Houghton & Washington East	LAB	1,133	348	1,481	5.2%	1.9%	3.7%
221	173	Leeds North East	LAB	1,081	359	1,440	5.2%	2.0%	3.7%
223	174	Luton North	LAB	1,149	479	1,628	4.6%	2.5%	3.7%
224	175	Meriden	CON	1,295	454	1,749	5.0%	2.1%	3.7%
225	176	Telford	LAB	1,063	402	1,465	4.7%	2.3%	3.7%
226	177	Bolsover	LAB	1,007	365	1,372	4.8%	2.2%	3.6%
227	178	Ashton under Lyne	LAB	1,208	394	1,602	5.0%	2.0%	3.6%
228	179	Thurrock	LAB	1,376	561	1,937	4.6%	2.4%	3.6%
230	180	South Thanet	LAB	946	294	1,240	5.0%	1.9%	3.6%
231	181	Copeland	LAB	878	239	1,117	5.0%	1.8%	3.6%
232	182	Leigh	LAB	1,164	366	1,530	4.9%	1.9%	3.6%
234	183	Feltham & Heston	LAB	1,199	570	1,769	4.2%	2.7%	3.6%
238	184	Berwick-upon-Tweed	LD	793	323	1,116	4.5%	2.3%	3.5%
239	185	Slough	LAB	1,391	550	1,941	4.4%	2.3%	3.5%
240	186	St Ives	LD	1,042	394	1,436	4.6%	2.2%	3.5%
241	187	Ealing North (a)	LAB	1,371	642	2,013	4.3%	2.5%	3.5%
242	188	Enfield, Southgate	CON	1,035	478	1,513	4.3%	2.5%	3.5%
243	189	Bishop Auckland	LAB	996	315	1,311	4.8%	1.9%	3.5%
245	190	Wentworth	LAB	982	314	1,296	4.8%	1.9%	3.5%
246	191	Hammersmith & Fulham	CON	1,656	737	2,393	4.4%	2.3%	3.5%
247	192	East Yorkshire	CON	1,020	421	1,441	4.4%	2.3%	3.5%
248	193	Eastbourne	CON	1,032	364	1,396	4.7%	2.0%	3.5%
249	194	Mansfield	LAB	1,015	304	1,319	4.9%	1.8%	3.5%
250	195	Northampton North	LAB	1,187	439	1,626	4.6%	2.0%	3.4%
251	196	Barrow & Furness	LAB	1,003	296	1,299	4.8%	1.8%	3.4%
252	197	Southampton, Itchen	LAB	1,262	380	1,642	4.7%	1.8%	3.4%
253	198	Croydon Central	CON	1,374	588	1,962	4.4%	2.3%	3.4%
254	199	Tynemouth	LAB	1,022	305	1,327	4.9%	1.7%	3.4%
255	200	Hemsworth	LAB	979	302	1,281	4.7%	1.8%	3.4%
256	201	Eccles	LAB	1,115	306	1,421	4.8%	1.6%	3.4%
257	202	Dewsbury	LAB	968	314	1,282	4.5%	1.9%	3.4%
259	203	Manchester, Withington	LD	1,100	376	1,476	4.6%	1.9%	3.4%
260	204	Gravesham	CON	1,039	485	1,524	4.1%	2.5%	3.4%
261	205	Cleethorpes	LAB	1,032	372	1,404	4.4%	2.0%	3.4%
262	206	Harrow East	LAB	1,139	615	1,754	3.9%	2.6%	3.4%
263	207	St Helens North	LAB	1,024	346	1,370	4.6%	1.9%	3.4%
265	208	Battersea	LAB	1,291	560	1,851	4.4%	2.2%	3.3%
266	209	Wirral West	LAB	883	239	1,122	4.9%	1.5%	3.3%
267	210	Newcastle upon Tyne North	LAB	986	256	1,242	4.9%	1.5%	3.3%
268	211	Hove	LAB	1,085	446	1,531	4.3%	2.2%	3.3%
271	212	Ilford North	CON	983	458	1,441	4.0%	2.4%	3.3%
272	213	Harlow	LAB	1,050	439	1,489	4.2%	2.2%	3.3%
273	214	Oldham East & Saddleworth	LAB	1,189	411	1,600	4.5%	1.9%	3.3%
274	215	North Durham	LAB	995	287	1,282	4.7%	1.6%	3.3%
277	216	Wakefield	LAB	1,119	368	1,487	4.4%	1.8%	3.3%
278	217	Brent North	LAB	929	453	1,382	3.8%	2.5%	3.2%
279	218	Chingford & Woodford Green	CON	886	390	1,276	4.0%	2.2%	3.2%
280	219	Tooting	LAB	1,237	498	1,735	4.3%	2.0%	3.2%
281	220	Crosby	LAB	809	242	1,051	4.7%	1.6%	3.2%
282	221	North West Durham	LAB	918	294	1,212	4.4%	1.8%	3.2%
283	222	Bristol South	LAB	1,115	370	1,485	4.4%	1.8%	3.2%
284	223	Stretford & Urmston	LAB	1,059	300	1,359	4.6%	1.5%	3.2%
285	224	Gainsborough	CON	881	349	1,230	4.1%	2.1%	3.2%
286	225	Brigg & Goole	LAB	876	369	1,245	4.0%	2.2%	3.2%
289	226	Burnley	LAB	953	313	1,266	4.4%	1.7%	3.2%
291	227	Batley & Spen	LAB	984	304	1,288	4.4%	1.7%	3.2%

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292	228	Ashfield	LAB	1,012	365	1,377	4.2%	1.9%	3.2%
293	229	Basildon	LAB	1,094	423	1,517	4.1%	2.0%	3.2%
294	230	Derby North	LAB	1,128	365	1,493	4.3%	1.7%	3.2%
295	231	Makerfield	LAB	984	334	1,318	4.3%	1.8%	3.2%
296	232	Worsley	LAB	1,009	351	1,360	4.3%	1.8%	3.2%
297	233	Norwich North	LAB	1,141	368	1,509	4.3%	1.7%	3.2%
298	234	Stalybridge & Hyde	LAB	953	328	1,281	4.3%	1.8%	3.1%
299	235	Finchley & Golders Green	LAB	1,152	555	1,707	3.8%	2.3%	3.1%
300	236	Louth & Horncastle	CON	832	370	1,202	3.8%	2.2%	3.1%
301	237	North West Norfolk	CON	994	372	1,366	4.1%	1.9%	3.1%
302	238	Nuneaton	LAB	1,076	373	1,449	4.1%	1.8%	3.1%
304	239	Chatham & Aylesford	LAB	1,075	416	1,491	4.0%	2.0%	3.1%
305	240	Plymouth, Devonport	LAB	1,009	339	1,348	4.2%	1.7%	3.1%
306	241	North Cornwall	LD	991	495	1,486	3.7%	2.3%	3.1%
307	242	Havant	CON	919	319	1,238	4.2%	1.8%	3.1%
308	243	Don Valley	LAB	919	291	1,210	4.2%	1.7%	3.1%
309	244	Sedgefield	LAB	832	294	1,126	4.1%	1.8%	3.0%
310	245	Sheffield, Attercliffe	LAB	1,009	277	1,286	4.3%	1.5%	3.0%
312	246	Pendle	LAB	851	306	1,157	3.9%	1.8%	3.0%
313	247	Oxford East	LAB	1,081	343	1,424	4.2%	1.6%	3.0%
314	248	Southampton, Test	LAB	1,096	350	1,446	4.0%	1.7%	3.0%
315	249	Carlisle	LAB	814	265	1,079	4.2%	1.6%	3.0%
317	250	Milton Keynes South West	LAB	1,225	484	1,709	3.8%	1.9%	3.0%
318	251	York, City of	LAB	1,147	367	1,514	4.2%	1.5%	3.0%
320	252	Cannock Chase	LAB	1,025	373	1,398	3.9%	1.8%	3.0%
321	253	Southend West	CON	829	302	1,131	3.9%	1.8%	3.0%
322	254	Bassetlaw	LAB	874	310	1,184	3.9%	1.7%	3.0%
323	255	Erewash	LAB	1,083	422	1,505	3.8%	1.8%	2.9%
324	256	Cheltenham	LD	1,040	287	1,327	4.2%	1.4%	2.9%
325	257	Wellingborough	CON	1,088	448	1,536	3.7%	1.9%	2.9%
327	258	Denton & Reddish	LAB	948	296	1,244	4.1%	1.5%	2.9%
328	259	Falmouth & Camborne	LD	833	327	1,160	3.8%	1.8%	2.9%
329	260	Chipping Barnet	CON	952	421	1,373	3.6%	2.0%	2.9%
330	261	Stockport	LAB	947	289	1,236	4.1%	1.5%	2.9%
331	262	Keighley	LAB	896	315	1,211	3.8%	1.7%	2.9%
333	263	Warrington North	LAB	1,007	322	1,329	4.0%	1.5%	2.9%
334	264	Workington	LAB	844	243	1,087	4.0%	1.4%	2.9%
335	265	Worcester	LAB	1,028	348	1,376	3.9%	1.6%	2.9%
337	266	Wirral South	LAB	742	214	956	4.1%	1.4%	2.9%
338	267	Cambridge	LD	915	321	1,236	3.8%	1.7%	2.9%
340	268	Heywood & Middleton	LAB	922	361	1,283	3.8%	1.8%	2.8%
342	269	Ellesmere Port & Neston	LAB	910	265	1,175	4.0%	1.4%	2.8%
343	270	Crewe & Nantwich	LAB	901	339	1,240	3.7%	1.7%	2.8%
345	271	North East Cambridgeshire	CON	935	464	1,399	3.3%	2.1%	2.8%
346	272	Gloucester	LAB	1,147	361	1,508	3.9%	1.5%	2.8%
347	273	Southport	LD	833	254	1,087	4.0%	1.4%	2.8%
348	274	Bournemouth West	CON	774	231	1,005	3.8%	1.4%	2.8%
350	275	Blaydon	LAB	771	248	1,019	3.9%	1.5%	2.8%
351	276	Upminster	CON	594	289	883	3.3%	2.0%	2.8%
353	277	North East Derbyshire	LAB	845	317	1,162	3.6%	1.7%	2.7%
354	278	Rother Valley	LAB	863	288	1,151	3.7%	1.5%	2.7%
355	279	South Swindon	LAB	965	401	1,366	3.5%	1.8%	2.7%
356	280	Gillingham	LAB	972	379	1,351	3.5%	1.8%	2.7%
359	281	Uxbridge	CON	738	346	1,084	3.3%	1.9%	2.7%
360	282	Calder Valley	LAB	936	366	1,302	3.6%	1.6%	2.7%
362	283	Stafford	LAB	872	298	1,170	3.6%	1.5%	2.7%
363	284	Cities of London & Westminster	CON	1,229	587	1,816	3.1%	2.1%	2.7%

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365	285	Barnsley West & Penistone	LAB	701	313	1,014	3.4%	1.8%	2.7%
366	286	Colchester	LD	964	392	1,356	3.4%	1.8%	2.7%
367	287	Hyndburn	LAB	833	248	1,081	3.7%	1.4%	2.7%
369	288	Redditch	LAB	820	324	1,144	3.5%	1.7%	2.7%
370	289	Carshalton & Wallington	LD	827	415	1,242	3.2%	2.0%	2.7%
371	290	Amber Valley	LAB	837	332	1,169	3.4%	1.7%	2.7%
372	291	Colne Valley	LAB	916	338	1,254	3.6%	1.6%	2.6%
374	292	North Norfolk	LD	785	301	1,086	3.4%	1.7%	2.6%
376	293	Bury North	LAB	888	265	1,153	3.7%	1.3%	2.6%
377	294	Northampton South	CON	1,170	385	1,555	3.6%	1.4%	2.6%
379	295	Hemel Hempstead	CON	894	375	1,269	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%
380	296	Bognor Regis & Littlehampton	CON	733	272	1,005	3.5%	1.6%	2.6%
381	297	Beverley & Holderness	CON	859	334	1,193	3.4%	1.6%	2.6%
382	298	Bristol West	LD	1,079	394	1,473	3.5%	1.5%	2.6%
383	299	Brentford & Isleworth	LAB	1,036	520	1,556	3.1%	1.9%	2.6%
384	300	Corby	LAB	894	347	1,241	3.3%	1.6%	2.6%
385	301	Portsmouth North	LAB	811	293	1,104	3.4%	1.5%	2.6%
386	302	North Warwickshire	LAB	854	357	1,211	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%
388	303	Shipley	CON	839	287	1,126	3.5%	1.4%	2.6%
392	304	Wyre Forest	IND	847	338	1,185	3.3%	1.6%	2.5%
393	305	Putney	CON	811	373	1,184	3.3%	1.7%	2.5%
394	306	Truro & St Austell	LD	824	327	1,151	3.3%	1.6%	2.5%
395	307	Beckenham	CON	920	369	1,289	3.3%	1.6%	2.5%
396	308	Sherwood	LAB	809	332	1,141	3.2%	1.6%	2.5%
397	309	Bromsgrove	CON	810	278	1,088	3.4%	1.4%	2.5%
398	310	Bournemouth East	CON	726	227	953	3.5%	1.3%	2.5%
399	311	Warwick & Leamington	LAB	1,009	320	1,329	3.4%	1.3%	2.5%
400	312	Harrow West	LAB	867	367	1,234	3.1%	1.7%	2.5%
401	313	Durham, City of	LAB	716	231	947	3.4%	1.3%	2.5%
402	314	Bury South	LAB	751	266	1,017	3.3%	1.4%	2.5%
404	315	North Devon	LD	737	291	1,028	3.2%	1.6%	2.4%
405	316	South Dorset	LAB	731	251	982	3.3%	1.4%	2.4%
407	317	Bromley & Chislehurst	CON	767	310	1,077	3.2%	1.6%	2.4%
408	318	South Holland & The Deepings	CON	723	348	1,071	2.9%	1.8%	2.4%
409	319	Reading West	LAB	881	362	1,243	3.0%	1.6%	2.4%
410	320	Stevenage	LAB	836	288	1,124	3.2%	1.4%	2.4%
411	321	Morley & Rothwell	LAB	877	303	1,180	3.3%	1.3%	2.4%
413	322	Loughborough	LAB	762	272	1,034	3.2%	1.4%	2.4%
414	323	Epping Forest	CON	730	377	1,107	2.8%	1.9%	2.4%
415	324	Chester, City of	LAB	768	244	1,012	3.4%	1.3%	2.4%
416	325	Leeds North West	LD	776	241	1,017	3.4%	1.2%	2.4%
418	326	Romford	CON	591	289	880	2.9%	1.7%	2.4%
419	327	Bexleyheath & Crayford	CON	655	306	961	2.9%	1.7%	2.4%
421	328	Tamworth	LAB	803	305	1,108	3.1%	1.5%	2.4%
423	329	Kettering	CON	900	332	1,232	3.1%	1.4%	2.4%
424	330	Bridgwater	CON	738	280	1,018	3.1%	1.4%	2.3%
425	331	Newark	CON	706	278	984	3.0%	1.5%	2.3%
426	332	South West Norfolk	CON	827	402	1,229	2.7%	1.8%	2.3%
427	333	Bexhill & Battle	CON	569	225	794	3.0%	1.5%	2.3%
428	334	Bristol North West	LAB	903	303	1,206	3.2%	1.3%	2.3%
429	335	Burton	LAB	789	309	1,098	3.0%	1.5%	2.3%
431	336	Torridge & West Devon	CON	725	352	1,077	2.8%	1.7%	2.3%
432	337	Newcastle-under-Lyme	LAB	657	247	904	3.0%	1.4%	2.3%
433	338	North West Cambridgeshire	CON	881	320	1,201	3.0%	1.4%	2.3%
434	339	Weston-Super-Mare	CON	731	274	1,005	3.0%	1.4%	2.3%
436	340	North Shropshire	CON	728	282	1,010	2.9%	1.5%	2.3%
437	341	Wycombe	CON	871	290	1,161	3.0%	1.3%	2.3%

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439	342	Gedling	LAB	753	252	1,005	3.2%	1.2%	2.3%
440	343	Braintree	CON	812	365	1,177	2.8%	1.6%	2.3%
441	344	Canterbury	CON	704	273	977	3.0%	1.4%	2.3%
442	345	Reading East	CON	954	282	1,236	3.0%	1.2%	2.3%
443	346	Sheffield, Hillsborough	LAB	815	271	1,086	3.1%	1.2%	2.3%
444	347	Hereford (a)(b)	LD	705	287	992	2.9%	1.5%	2.3%
445	348	Totnes	CON	599	273	872	2.8%	1.6%	2.2%
446	349	Exeter	LAB	889	294	1,183	3.1%	1.2%	2.2%
447	350	Orpington	CON	752	318	1,070	2.8%	1.5%	2.2%
448	351	Hornchurch	CON	580	246	826	2.8%	1.5%	2.2%
451	352	South East Cornwall	LD	671	317	988	2.7%	1.6%	2.2%
452	353	Dartford	LAB	734	299	1,033	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%
453	354	North East Milton Keynes	CON	924	332	1,256	2.9%	1.3%	2.2%
454	355	Forest of Dean	CON	597	278	875	2.7%	1.6%	2.2%
455	356	South West Bedfordshire	CON	706	341	1,047	2.6%	1.6%	2.2%
456	357	Welwyn Hatfield	CON	674	267	941	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%
457	358	Billericay	CON	774	304	1,078	2.7%	1.4%	2.1%
458	359	Rossendale & Darwen	LAB	727	220	947	3.0%	1.1%	2.1%
461	360	Kensington & Chelsea	CON	842	491	1,333	2.3%	1.8%	2.1%
462	361	Broxbourne	CON	669	302	971	2.6%	1.5%	2.1%
464	362	High Peak	LAB	728	271	999	2.8%	1.3%	2.1%
465	363	South Staffordshire	CON	687	229	916	2.8%	1.2%	2.1%
466	364	Lewes	LD	548	210	758	2.8%	1.3%	2.1%
467	365	Chorley	LAB	795	257	1,052	2.9%	1.1%	2.1%
468	366	Sutton Coldfield	CON	656	261	917	2.7%	1.3%	2.1%
469	367	North Swindon	LAB	657	333	990	2.5%	1.6%	2.1%
470	368	Watford	LAB	833	285	1,118	2.8%	1.2%	2.1%
471	369	Maldon & East Chelmsford	CON	625	272	897	2.5%	1.5%	2.1%
472	370	Broxtowe	LAB	675	281	956	2.7%	1.3%	2.1%
473	371	Warrington South	LAB	733	250	983	2.8%	1.2%	2.1%
474	372	North West Leicestershire	LAB	600	279	879	2.5%	1.5%	2.1%
478	373	Eddisbury	CON	613	255	868	2.6%	1.3%	2.0%
479	374	Wrekin, The	CON	651	252	903	2.5%	1.3%	2.0%
480	375	Grantham & Stamford	CON	663	291	954	2.5%	1.4%	2.0%
483	376	Mid Norfolk	CON	685	269	954	2.5%	1.3%	2.0%
484	377	Ashford	CON	689	278	967	2.5%	1.3%	2.0%
485	378	Bolton West	LAB	606	202	808	2.7%	1.1%	2.0%
486	379	Rugby & Kenilworth	CON	707	297	1,004	2.5%	1.3%	2.0%
487	380	Old Bexley & Sidcup	CON	536	281	817	2.3%	1.5%	1.9%
488	381	Selby	LAB	670	278	948	2.5%	1.2%	1.9%
489	382	West Chelmsford	CON	715	299	1,014	2.4%	1.3%	1.9%
490	383	Ruislip - Northwood	CON	535	239	774	2.4%	1.3%	1.9%
491	384	Mid Worcestershire	CON	594	287	881	2.3%	1.4%	1.9%
492	385	Bosworth	CON	607	270	877	2.4%	1.3%	1.9%
493	386	Shrewsbury & Atcham	CON	651	228	879	2.6%	1.1%	1.9%
494	387	Hertsmere	CON	600	265	865	2.4%	1.3%	1.9%
495	388	Altrincham & Sale West	CON	607	213	820	2.5%	1.1%	1.9%
496	389	Faversham & Mid Kent	CON	561	243	804	2.3%	1.3%	1.9%
497	390	Solihull	LD	603	274	877	2.3%	1.3%	1.9%
498	391	Central Suffolk & North Ipswich	CON	600	231	831	2.4%	1.2%	1.9%
499	392	Kingswood	LAB	710	269	979	2.5%	1.1%	1.9%
500	393	South Derbyshire	LAB	694	278	972	2.4%	1.2%	1.9%
501	394	Castle Point	CON	530	237	767	2.2%	1.3%	1.9%
503	395	Normanton	LAB	578	205	783	2.5%	1.0%	1.8%
504	396	Gosport	CON	595	239	834	2.3%	1.2%	1.8%
505	397	Croydon South	CON	632	282	914	2.3%	1.3%	1.8%
506	398	Suffolk Coastal	CON	572	197	769	2.4%	1.1%	1.8%

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507	399	Wells	CON	569	242	811	2.3%	1.2%	1.8%
509	400	South Ribble	LAB	651	196	847	2.6%	0.9%	1.8%
510	401	Worthing West	CON	505	170	675	2.5%	1.0%	1.8%
511	402	Ryedale	CON	474	229	703	2.2%	1.3%	1.8%
512	403	Yeovil (a)	LD	632	189	821	2.5%	0.9%	1.8%
513	404	Crawley	LAB	692	247	939	2.4%	1.0%	1.8%
514	405	East Worthing & Shoreham	CON	543	212	755	2.4%	1.1%	1.8%
516	406	Chichester	CON	563	210	773	2.4%	1.1%	1.8%
518	407	Bath (a)(b)	LD	564	200	764	2.4%	1.0%	1.8%
519	408	Bury St Edmunds	CON	614	260	874	2.2%	1.2%	1.8%
520	409	Kingston & Surbiton	LD	736	282	1,018	2.3%	1.1%	1.7%
521	410	Ludlow	CON	424	204	628	2.1%	1.3%	1.7%
522	411	Teignbridge	LD	596	236	832	2.3%	1.1%	1.7%
523	412	Lichfield	CON	503	189	692	2.3%	1.1%	1.7%
525	413	Harrogate & Knaresborough	LD	517	199	716	2.3%	1.0%	1.7%
526	414	Harborough	CON	556	239	795	2.2%	1.1%	1.7%
527	415	South Norfolk	CON	623	220	843	2.2%	1.0%	1.7%
528	416	Elmet	LAB	558	187	745	2.3%	0.9%	1.7%
529	417	Maidstone & The Weald	CON	602	213	815	2.2%	1.0%	1.7%
530	418	Huntingdon	CON	717	258	975	2.2%	1.0%	1.7%
531	419	South Suffolk	CON	506	197	703	2.2%	1.1%	1.7%
532	420	Hazel Grove	LD	504	159	663	2.4%	0.9%	1.7%
533	421	Haltemprice & Howden	CON	482	192	674	2.2%	1.1%	1.7%
534	422	Sutton & Cheam	LD	560	206	766	2.2%	1.0%	1.7%
536	423	Congleton	CON	529	208	737	2.1%	1.0%	1.6%
537	424	Poole	CON	455	166	621	2.2%	1.0%	1.6%
538	425	Sheffield, Hallam	LD	401	161	562	2.2%	1.0%	1.6%
539	426	West Worcestershire	CON	435	185	620	2.0%	1.1%	1.6%
540	427	West Suffolk	CON	597	282	879	1.9%	1.2%	1.6%
541	428	Stratford-on-Avon	CON	639	216	855	2.2%	0.9%	1.6%
542	429	Pudsey	LAB	559	206	765	2.2%	0.9%	1.6%
543	430	Taunton (a)	LD	573	244	817	2.1%	1.0%	1.6%
544	431	Staffordshire Moorlands	LAB	493	176	669	2.1%	1.0%	1.6%
545	432	Stroud	LAB	571	207	778	2.1%	1.0%	1.6%
546	433	East Devon	CON	389	166	555	2.0%	1.1%	1.6%
547	434	Lancaster & Wyre	CON	520	183	703	2.2%	0.9%	1.6%
548	435	Hexham	CON	406	149	555	2.1%	0.9%	1.6%
549	436	Sleaford & North Hykeham	CON	522	221	743	2.0%	1.1%	1.6%
550	437	Basingstoke (a)	CON	670	237	907	2.1%	0.9%	1.6%
551	438	Twickenham	LD	612	271	883	2.0%	1.1%	1.6%
552	439	Fylde	CON	493	163	656	2.2%	0.9%	1.6%
553	440	Maidenhead	CON	545	171	716	2.1%	0.9%	1.6%
554	441	Tewkesbury	CON	515	183	698	2.1%	0.9%	1.6%
555	442	Richmond Park	LD	613	254	867	2.0%	1.0%	1.6%
556	443	Spelthorne	CON	521	208	729	2.0%	1.0%	1.6%
557	444	Richmond	CON	497	198	695	1.9%	1.1%	1.6%
558	445	Tiverton & Honiton	CON	550	191	741	2.1%	0.9%	1.6%
559	446	North Essex	CON	472	179	651	2.0%	1.0%	1.5%
560	447	Wimbledon	CON	540	257	797	1.9%	1.1%	1.5%
561	448	Stone	CON	438	204	642	1.9%	1.1%	1.5%
562	449	Charnwood	CON	498	233	731	1.9%	1.1%	1.5%
563	450	Eastleigh	LD	543	243	786	1.9%	1.0%	1.5%
564	451	North East Hertfordshire	CON	470	209	679	1.9%	1.0%	1.5%
565	452	Tonbridge & Malling	CON	447	179	626	1.9%	1.0%	1.5%
566	453	North East Bedfordshire	CON	464	238	702	1.7%	1.1%	1.5%
567	454	Westbury	CON	516	232	748	1.8%	1.0%	1.5%
568	455	West Derbyshire	CON	468	188	656	1.9%	1.0%	1.5%

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UK	Eng		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
569	456	Leominster (c)(a)	CON	424	186	610	1.8%	1.0%	1.5%
571	457	Daventry	CON	640	256	896	1.9%	1.0%	1.5%
572	458	Tatton	CON	396	147	543	1.9%	0.9%	1.4%
573	459	East Hampshire	CON	502	194	696	1.8%	0.9%	1.4%
574	460	St Albans	CON	457	172	629	1.8%	0.9%	1.4%
575	461	Banbury	CON	578	252	830	1.7%	0.9%	1.4%
576	462	West Dorset	CON	364	152	516	1.8%	0.9%	1.4%
577	463	Aylesbury	CON	584	200	784	1.8%	0.8%	1.4%
578	464	Macclesfield	CON	460	154	614	1.9%	0.8%	1.4%
579	465	Newbury	CON	539	182	721	1.8%	0.8%	1.4%
580	466	Fareham	CON	455	183	638	1.8%	0.9%	1.4%
581	467	Hitchin & Harpenden	CON	405	187	592	1.6%	1.0%	1.4%
582	468	South East Cambridgeshire	CON	537	230	767	1.7%	0.9%	1.4%
583	469	Rushcliffe	CON	524	184	708	1.8%	0.8%	1.3%
584	470	Guildford	CON	497	174	671	1.8%	0.8%	1.3%
585	471	Christchurch	CON	345	125	470	1.8%	0.8%	1.3%
587	472	Windsor	CON	465	192	657	1.7%	0.9%	1.3%
588	473	Sevenoaks	CON	359	174	533	1.6%	1.0%	1.3%
589	474	Blaby	CON	450	210	660	1.6%	0.9%	1.3%
590	475	New Forest East	CON	375	164	539	1.6%	0.9%	1.3%
591	476	Rayleigh	CON	401	170	571	1.6%	0.9%	1.3%
592	477	Skipton & Ripon	CON	425	185	610	1.6%	0.9%	1.3%
593	478	South West Hertfordshire	CON	433	179	612	1.6%	0.8%	1.3%
594	479	Bracknell	CON	569	212	781	1.7%	0.8%	1.3%
595	480	Chesham & Amersham	CON	414	122	536	1.7%	0.7%	1.3%
596	481	Aldershot	CON	612	211	823	1.6%	0.7%	1.3%
597	482	Winchester	LD	487	173	660	1.7%	0.7%	1.3%
598	483	Hertford & Stortford	CON	447	210	657	1.5%	0.9%	1.3%
599	484	Woking	CON	451	177	628	1.6%	0.8%	1.2%
600	485	Brentwood & Ongar	CON	331	153	484	1.5%	0.9%	1.2%
601	486	Tunbridge Wells	CON	408	128	536	1.7%	0.7%	1.2%
602	487	Mid Bedfordshire	CON	407	183	590	1.5%	0.9%	1.2%
603	488	Arundel & South Downs	CON	348	156	504	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
604	489	Penrith & The Border	CON	391	121	512	1.7%	0.6%	1.2%
605	490	Runnymede & Weybridge	CON	432	150	582	1.6%	0.7%	1.2%
606	491	Cotswold	CON	345	156	501	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
607	492	Devizes	CON	452	201	653	1.4%	0.8%	1.2%
608	493	Somerton & Frome (a)	LD	395	163	558	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
609	494	New Forest West	CON	273	130	403	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
610	495	Epsom & Ewell	CON	382	175	557	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
611	496	Beaconsfield	CON	346	160	506	1.4%	0.8%	1.2%
612	497	Horsham	CON	441	175	616	1.5%	0.7%	1.2%
613	498	North Wiltshire	CON	422	199	621	1.4%	0.9%	1.2%
614	499	Rutland & Melton	CON	382	155	537	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
615	500	Cheadle	LD	338	131	469	1.5%	0.7%	1.1%
616	501	Oxford West & Abingdon	LD	401	171	572	1.4%	0.8%	1.1%
617	502	South Cambridgeshire	CON	411	141	552	1.5%	0.7%	1.1%
618	503	Saffron Walden	CON	408	148	556	1.4%	0.7%	1.1%
619	504	Vale of York	CON	355	168	523	1.3%	0.8%	1.1%
620	505	Wansdyke (c)(a)	LAB	325	152	477	1.3%	0.7%	1.1%
621	506	South West Devon	CON	319	139	458	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%
622	507	Wantage	CON	379	155	534	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%
623	508	Wealden	CON	352	151	503	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%
624	509	Reigate	CON	316	127	443	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%
625	510	Mid Dorset & North Poole	LD	321	104	425	1.4%	0.5%	1.0%
626	511	Romsey	LD	311	136	447	1.2%	0.7%	1.0%
627	512	North West Hampshire (a)	CON	353	170	523	1.2%	0.7%	1.0%

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Rank by overall unemployment rate

UK	Eng	Party	Claimants			Rate			
			Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
628	513	Esher & Walton	CON	341	148	489	1.2%	0.7%	1.0%
629	514	Salisbury	CON	383	148	531	1.2%	0.6%	1.0%
630	515	Mid Sussex	CON	328	126	454	1.3%	0.6%	1.0%
631	516	Wokingham	CON	366	129	495	1.3%	0.6%	1.0%
632	517	Northavon	LD	327	184	511	1.1%	0.8%	1.0%
633	518	Surrey Heath	CON	361	143	504	1.2%	0.6%	0.9%
634	519	North East Hampshire	CON	309	151	460	1.1%	0.7%	0.9%
635	520	Ribble Valley	CON	317	111	428	1.3%	0.5%	0.9%
636	521	Henley	CON	296	113	409	1.2%	0.6%	0.9%
637	522	Mole Valley	CON	281	110	391	1.2%	0.6%	0.9%
638	523	East Surrey	CON	339	120	459	1.2%	0.5%	0.9%
639	524	South West Surrey	CON	310	108	418	1.2%	0.5%	0.9%
640	525	North Dorset	CON	254	119	373	1.1%	0.6%	0.9%
641	526	Woodspring	CON	268	104	372	1.1%	0.5%	0.8%
642	527	Buckingham	CON	245	111	356	1.0%	0.5%	0.8%
644	528	Westmorland & Lonsdale	LD	232	81	313	1.0%	0.4%	0.8%
645	529	Witney	CON	281	109	390	1.0%	0.5%	0.8%
England				567,432	205,306	772,738	4.4%	2.0%	3.3%

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B. Wales (not seasonally adjusted)

Rank by overall unemployment rate			Claimants			Rate			
UK	Wales		Party	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
62	1	Blaenau Gwent	IND	1,327	450	1,777	8.8%	3.8%	6.6%
81	2	Merthyr Tydfil & Rhymney	LAB	1,246	374	1,620	8.2%	3.1%	6.0%
126	3	Rhondda	LAB	962	335	1,297	6.5%	2.9%	4.9%
145	4	Ynys-Mon	LAB	960	311	1,271	6.1%	2.5%	4.5%
155	5	Caerphilly	LAB	1,266	382	1,648	6.2%	2.3%	4.4%
156	6	Cardiff South & Penarth	LAB	1,315	358	1,673	6.4%	2.1%	4.4%
164	7	Swansea West	LAB	958	269	1,227	6.1%	2.1%	4.3%
171	8	Llanelli	LAB	946	298	1,244	5.8%	2.2%	4.2%
176	9	Vale of Clwyd	LAB	895	292	1,187	5.8%	2.2%	4.2%
188	10	Newport West	LAB	1,077	341	1,418	5.7%	2.2%	4.1%
190	11	Swansea East	LAB	953	322	1,275	5.5%	2.3%	4.0%
191	12	Cynon Valley	LAB	730	242	972	5.5%	2.2%	4.0%
196	13	Neath	LAB	863	286	1,149	5.4%	2.2%	4.0%
201	14	Cardiff West	LAB	1,065	274	1,339	5.7%	1.7%	3.9%
206	15	Torfaen	LAB	973	344	1,317	5.1%	2.2%	3.8%
208	16	Newport East	LAB	959	298	1,257	5.2%	2.0%	3.8%
213	17	Cardiff Central	LD	1,008	251	1,259	5.6%	1.6%	3.7%
214	18	Aberavon	LAB	692	202	894	5.1%	1.9%	3.7%
236	19	Ogmore	LAB	744	284	1,028	4.6%	2.2%	3.6%
244	20	Islwyn	LAB	692	272	964	4.5%	2.2%	3.5%
258	21	Vale of Glamorgan	LAB	1,091	334	1,425	4.8%	1.7%	3.4%
264	22	Caernarfon	PC	639	203	842	4.5%	1.8%	3.3%
269	23	Meirionnydd Nant Conwy	PC	410	168	578	4.2%	2.2%	3.3%
275	24	Conwy	LAB	759	199	958	4.8%	1.5%	3.3%
311	25	Clwyd West (c)(a)	CON	656	193	849	4.3%	1.5%	3.0%
326	26	Bridgend	LAB	739	249	988	4.0%	1.6%	2.9%
332	27	Preseli Pembrokeshire	CON	586	241	827	3.7%	1.9%	2.9%
336	28	Cardiff North	LAB	632	209	841	4.0%	1.6%	2.9%
357	29	Wrexham	LAB	661	194	855	3.9%	1.4%	2.7%
358	30	Pontypridd	LAB	793	287	1,080	3.7%	1.6%	2.7%
375	31	Delyn	LAB	624	225	849	3.5%	1.6%	2.6%
391	32	Cardiff North East & Dinefwr	PC	522	197	719	3.3%	1.6%	2.6%
403	33	Brecon & Radnorshire	LD	514	208	722	3.1%	1.6%	2.5%
420	34	Alyn & Deeside	LAB	706	212	918	3.3%	1.2%	2.4%
435	35	Clwyd South (a)(b)	LAB	553	189	742	3.0%	1.3%	2.3%
449	36	Ceredigion	LD	490	182	672	2.9%	1.3%	2.2%
460	37	Gower	LAB	504	176	680	2.9%	1.2%	2.1%
475	38	Montgomeryshire	LD	389	153	542	2.6%	1.3%	2.1%
481	39	Monmouth	CON	471	201	672	2.5%	1.3%	2.0%
535	40	Cardiff North	LAB	468	159	627	2.3%	0.9%	1.6%
Wales				31,838	10,364	42,202	4.7%	1.9%	3.4%

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Rank by overall unemployment rate			Party	Claimants			Rate		
UK	Scot			Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
17	1	Glasgow North East	SPKR	2,180	632	2,812	12.9%	4.2%	8.8%
46	2	Glasgow East	LAB	1,891	510	2,401	10.6%	3.2%	7.1%
55	3	Glasgow Central	LAB	1,745	458	2,203	9.6%	3.2%	6.7%
57	4	Glasgow South West	LAB	1,683	463	2,146	10.0%	3.0%	6.7%
73	5	Glasgow North West	LAB	1,608	417	2,025	9.3%	2.7%	6.1%
90	6	Dundee West	LAB	1,717	455	2,172	8.4%	2.5%	5.7%
93	7	North Ayrshire and Arran	LAB	1,695	567	2,262	7.8%	3.1%	5.6%
97	8	West Dunbartonshire	LAB	1,783	571	2,354	7.9%	2.9%	5.5%
103	9	Inverclyde	LAB	1,587	406	1,993	8.1%	2.3%	5.4%
110	10	Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath	LAB	1,727	528	2,255	7.4%	2.7%	5.2%
117	11	Ayr, Carrick and Cumnock	LAB	1,624	473	2,097	7.4%	2.6%	5.2%
120	12	Glenrothes	LAB	1,588	502	2,090	7.2%	2.7%	5.1%
122	13	Kilmarnock and Loudoun	LAB	1,661	505	2,166	7.0%	2.6%	5.0%
137	14	Glasgow North	LAB	1,172	360	1,532	6.9%	2.3%	4.6%
140	15	Motherwell and Wishaw	LAB	1,364	392	1,756	6.6%	2.2%	4.6%
142	16	Central Ayrshire	LAB	1,370	492	1,862	6.2%	2.6%	4.6%
160	17	Na h-Eileanan an Iar	SNP	417	106	523	6.1%	2.0%	4.3%
162	18	Glasgow South	LAB	1,318	428	1,746	6.1%	2.3%	4.3%
179	19	Paisley and Renfrewshire South	LAB	1,288	349	1,637	6.2%	1.9%	4.1%
182	20	Airdrie and Shotts	LAB	1,152	365	1,517	5.7%	2.2%	4.1%
185	21	Rutherglen and Hamilton West	LAB	1,348	410	1,758	5.9%	2.0%	4.1%
194	22	Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross	LD	806	283	1,089	5.2%	2.4%	4.0%
199	23	Dundee East	SNP	1,159	332	1,491	5.7%	1.9%	3.9%
210	24	Angus	SNP	1,057	388	1,445	5.0%	2.3%	3.8%
212	25	Coatbridge, Chryston and Bellshill	LAB	1,153	334	1,487	5.4%	1.8%	3.7%
222	26	Edinburgh East	LAB	1,248	364	1,612	5.5%	1.7%	3.7%
229	27	Dumfries and Galloway	LAB	1,149	400	1,549	4.9%	2.1%	3.6%
233	28	Linlithgow and East Falkirk	LAB	1,309	431	1,740	5.0%	1.9%	3.6%
235	29	Dunfermline and West Fife	LD	1,188	396	1,584	5.0%	1.9%	3.6%
237	30	Edinburgh North and Leith	LAB	1,292	452	1,744	5.0%	2.0%	3.6%
288	31	Lanark and Hamilton East	LAB	1,056	356	1,412	4.4%	1.8%	3.2%
290	32	Argyll and Bute	LD	975	388	1,363	4.1%	2.1%	3.2%
303	33	Falkirk	LAB	1,133	375	1,508	4.3%	1.7%	3.1%
316	34	Edinburgh South West	LAB	1,056	398	1,454	4.1%	1.7%	3.0%
319	35	Livingston	LAB	1,176	377	1,553	4.2%	1.5%	3.0%
344	36	Ochil and South Perthshire	LAB	878	326	1,204	3.7%	1.7%	2.8%
352	37	Ross, Skye and Lochaber	LD	543	273	816	3.3%	2.1%	2.7%
364	38	Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East	LAB	887	263	1,150	3.9%	1.3%	2.7%
368	39	Aberdeen North	LAB	934	232	1,166	3.9%	1.2%	2.7%
373	40	Moray	SNP	755	353	1,108	3.1%	2.0%	2.6%
387	41	Perth and North Perthshire	SNP	827	269	1,096	3.6%	1.4%	2.6%
389	42	Paisley and Renfrewshire North	LAB	851	253	1,104	3.7%	1.2%	2.6%
390	43	Stirling	LAB	793	234	1,027	3.7%	1.3%	2.6%
412	44	Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale	CON	650	268	918	3.1%	1.6%	2.4%
422	45	Midlothian	LAB	695	245	940	3.3%	1.3%	2.4%
430	46	East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow	LAB	855	268	1,123	3.3%	1.2%	2.3%
438	47	Edinburgh West	LD	750	213	963	3.3%	1.1%	2.3%
450	48	North East Fife	LD	581	206	787	3.0%	1.3%	2.2%
463	49	Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey	LD	679	232	911	2.9%	1.2%	2.1%
477	50	Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk	LD	647	218	865	2.8%	1.1%	2.0%
482	51	Edinburgh South	LAB	597	222	819	2.8%	1.1%	2.0%
502	52	Banff and Buchan	SNP	541	214	755	2.3%	1.2%	1.8%
508	53	Orkney and Shetland	LD	264	111	375	2.3%	1.2%	1.8%
515	54	East Renfrewshire	LAB	553	200	753	2.5%	1.0%	1.8%
517	55	East Lothian	LAB	546	203	749	2.4%	1.0%	1.8%
570	56	East Dunbartonshire	LD	447	147	594	2.1%	0.8%	1.5%

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			Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
586	57	LAB	472	144	616	1.8%	0.7%	1.3%
643	58	LD	265	110	375	1.0%	0.5%	0.8%
646	59	LD	189	75	264	0.8%	0.4%	0.6%
Scotland			62,874	19,942	82,816	4.9%	1.8%	3.5%

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D. Northern Ireland (not seasonally adjusted)

Rank by overall unemployment rate			Claimants			Rate			
UK	NI	Party	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
9	1	Belfast West	SF	2,412	534	2,946	14.9%	4.1%	10.1%
37	2	Foyle	SDLP	2,410	648	3,058	10.3%	3.7%	7.5%
56	3	Belfast North	DU	1,659	415	2,074	9.9%	3.0%	6.7%
115	4	West Tyrone	SF	1,260	524	1,784	6.2%	3.7%	5.2%
204	5	East Londonderry	DU	1,064	400	1,464	4.9%	2.4%	3.8%
270	6	East Antrim	DU	998	303	1,301	4.6%	1.7%	3.3%
276	7	Fermanagh & South Tyrone	SF	904	344	1,248	4.0%	2.2%	3.3%
287	8	Newry & Armagh	SF	973	332	1,305	4.1%	1.9%	3.2%
339	9	Belfast East	DU	778	189	967	4.2%	1.2%	2.8%
341	10	North Antrim	DU	886	392	1,278	3.5%	2.0%	2.8%
349	11	Belfast South	SDLP	972	263	1,235	4.2%	1.2%	2.8%
361	12	Upper Bann	DU	912	292	1,204	3.6%	1.5%	2.7%
378	13	South Down	SDLP	875	295	1,170	3.4%	1.6%	2.6%
406	14	North Down	UU	751	225	976	3.4%	1.3%	2.4%
417	15	Strangford	DU	843	267	1,110	3.3%	1.3%	2.4%
459	16	South Antrim	DU	747	286	1,033	2.7%	1.4%	2.1%
476	17	Mid Ulster	SF	499	218	717	2.4%	1.5%	2.0%
524	18	Lagan Valley	DU	630	202	832	2.3%	0.9%	1.7%
Northern Ireland				19,573	6,129	25,702	4.8%	1.9%	3.6%

IV Change in Unemployed Claimants December 1997-2006 and December 2005-2006
United Kingdom Constituencies
A. (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in UK (1 = largest fall)			Party	Claimants			Change 97-06		Change 05-06	
05-06	97-06			Dec-97	Dec-05	Dec-06	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
26	154	Aberavon	LAB	1,539	1,018	894	-645	-41.9%	-124	-12.2%
146	..	Aberdeen North	LAB	..	1,202	1,166	..	..	-36	-3.0%
3	..	Aberdeen South	LAB	..	761	616	..	..	-145	-19.1%
176	..	Airdrie and Shotts	LAB	..	1,541	1,517	..	..	-24	-1.6%
110	516	Aldershot	CON	928	870	823	-105	-11.3%	-47	-5.4%
605	519	Aldridge - Brownhills	CON	1,537	1,150	1,370	-167	-10.9%	220	19.1%
612	356	Altrincham & Sale West	CON	1,141	685	820	-321	-28.1%	135	19.7%
130	261	Alyn & Deeside	LAB	1,404	958	918	-486	-34.6%	-40	-4.2%
408	345	Amber Valley	LAB	1,636	1,085	1,169	-467	-28.5%	84	7.7%
233	..	Angus	SNP	..	1,432	1,445	..	..	13	0.9%
268	..	Argyll and Bute	LD	..	1,332	1,363	..	..	31	2.3%
363	537	Arundel & South Downs	CON	549	476	504	-45	-8.2%	28	5.9%
214	141	Ashfield	LAB	2,411	1,375	1,377	-1,034	-42.9%	2	0.1%
171	151	Ashford	CON	1,674	984	967	-707	-42.2%	-17	-1.7%
556	417	Ashton under Lyne	LAB	2,085	1,402	1,602	-483	-23.2%	200	14.3%
434	328	Aylesbury	CON	1,115	724	784	-331	-29.7%	60	8.3%
142	..	Ayr, Carrick and Cumnock	LAB	..	2,168	2,097	..	..	-71	-3.3%
579	505	Banbury	CON	946	717	830	-116	-12.3%	113	15.8%
41	..	Banff and Buchan	SNP	..	841	755	..	..	-86	-10.2%
115	520	Barking (a)	LAB	2,076	1,951	1,851	-225	-10.8%	-100	-5.1%
392	121	Barnsley Central	LAB	2,475	1,282	1,371	-1,104	-44.6%	89	6.9%
555	78	Barnsley East & Mexborough	LAB	2,847	1,286	1,469	-1,378	-48.4%	183	14.2%
181	73	Barnsley West & Penistone	LAB	1,976	1,029	1,014	-962	-48.7%	-15	-1.5%
73	79	Barrow & Furness	LAB	2,508	1,402	1,299	-1,209	-48.2%	-103	-7.3%
423	348	Basildon	LAB	2,120	1,404	1,517	-603	-28.4%	113	8.0%
241	499	Basingstoke (a)	CON	1,043	896	907	-136	-13.0%	11	1.2%
248	66	Bassetlaw	LAB	2,332	1,167	1,184	-1,148	-49.2%	17	1.5%
369	35	Bath (a)(b)	LD	1,662	721	764	-898	-54.0%	43	6.0%
473	370	Batley & Spen	LAB	1,778	1,174	1,288	-490	-27.6%	114	9.7%
67	193	Battersea	LAB	3,035	2,011	1,851	-1,184	-39.0%	-160	-8.0%
74	400	Beaconsfield	CON	675	546	506	-169	-25.0%	-40	-7.3%
9	194	Beckenham	CON	2,112	1,536	1,289	-823	-39.0%	-247	-16.1%
533	536	Bedford	LAB	2,111	1,710	1,933	-178	-8.4%	223	13.0%
155	12	Belfast East	DU	2,554	993	967	-1,587	-62.1%	-26	-2.6%
174	115	Belfast North	DU	3,763	2,108	2,074	-1,689	-44.9%	-34	-1.6%
59	10	Belfast South	SDLP	3,367	1,355	1,235	-2,132	-63.3%	-120	-8.9%
249	123	Belfast West	SF	5,316	2,900	2,946	-2,370	-44.6%	46	1.6%
179	..	Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk	LD	..	878	865	..	..	-13	-1.5%
577	200	Berwick-upon-Tweed	LD	1,817	966	1,116	-701	-38.6%	150	15.5%
289	502	Bethnal Green & Bow	RES	5,710	4,849	4,995	-715	-12.5%	146	3.0%
296	213	Beverley & Holderness	CON	1,924	1,154	1,193	-731	-38.0%	39	3.4%
477	390	Bexhill & Battle	CON	1,079	723	794	-285	-26.4%	71	9.8%
202	289	Bexleyheath & Crayford	CON	1,431	966	961	-470	-32.8%	-5	-0.5%
152	326	Billericay	CON	1,537	1,108	1,078	-459	-29.9%	-30	-2.7%
565	273	Birkenhead	LAB	4,150	2,395	2,748	-1,402	-33.8%	353	14.7%
457	479	Birmingham, Edgbaston	LAB	3,049	2,371	2,589	-460	-15.1%	218	9.2%
390	556	Birmingham, Erdington	LAB	3,525	3,211	3,431	-94	-2.7%	220	6.9%
294	464	Birmingham, Hall Green	LAB	2,369	1,870	1,932	-437	-18.4%	62	3.3%
514	564	Birmingham, Hodge Hill	LAB	3,323	2,966	3,330	7	0.2%	364	12.3%
337	562	Birmingham, Ladywood	IND	7,452	7,057	7,407	-45	-0.6%	350	5.0%
128	531	Birmingham, Northfield	LAB	2,301	2,187	2,093	-208	-9.0%	-94	-4.3%
316	569	Birmingham, Perry Barr	LAB	3,566	3,514	3,655	89	2.5%	141	4.0%
312	439	Birmingham, Selly Oak	LAB	2,974	2,271	2,360	-614	-20.6%	89	3.9%
353	507	Birmingham, Sparkbrook & Small Heath	LAB	6,408	5,352	5,643	-765	-11.9%	291	5.4%
419	572	Birmingham, Yardley	LD	2,206	2,102	2,269	63	2.9%	167	7.9%

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209	125	Bishop Auckland	LAB	2,360	1,313	1,311	-1,049	-44.4%	-2	-0.2%
173	512	Blaby	CON	746	671	660	-86	-11.5%	-11	-1.6%
320	484	Blackburn	LAB	2,406	1,970	2,053	-353	-14.7%	83	4.2%
587	277	Blackpool North & Fleetwood	LAB	2,394	1,363	1,589	-805	-33.6%	226	16.6%
403	352	Blackpool South	LAB	3,336	2,224	2,394	-942	-28.2%	170	7.6%
266	413	Blaenau Gwent	IND	2,319	1,737	1,777	-542	-23.4%	40	2.3%
367	52	Blaydon	LAB	2,091	962	1,019	-1,072	-51.3%	57	5.9%
493	364	Blyth Valley	LAB	2,252	1,466	1,627	-625	-27.8%	161	11.0%
350	547	Bognor Regis & Littlehampton	CON	1,062	954	1,005	-57	-5.4%	51	5.3%
251	257	Bolsover	LAB	2,108	1,349	1,372	-736	-34.9%	23	1.7%
285	495	Bolton North East	LAB	1,935	1,624	1,672	-263	-13.6%	48	3.0%
238	550	Bolton South East	LAB	1,925	1,815	1,833	-92	-4.8%	18	1.0%
191	483	Bolton West	LAB	947	816	808	-139	-14.7%	-8	-1.0%
330	206	Bootle	LAB	3,906	2,302	2,409	-1,497	-38.3%	107	4.6%
636	486	Boston & Skegness	CON	1,971	1,352	1,684	-287	-14.6%	332	24.6%
571	576	Bosworth	CON	818	760	877	59	7.2%	117	15.4%
518	72	Bournemouth East	CON	1,858	848	953	-905	-48.7%	105	12.4%
527	36	Bournemouth West	CON	2,179	891	1,005	-1,174	-53.9%	114	12.8%
22	533	Bracknell	CON	858	897	781	-77	-9.0%	-116	-12.9%
292	320	Bradford North	LAB	3,446	2,331	2,405	-1,041	-30.2%	74	3.2%
526	399	Bradford South	LAB	2,584	1,715	1,934	-650	-25.2%	219	12.8%
310	376	Bradford West	LAB	3,995	2,801	2,907	-1,088	-27.2%	106	3.8%
259	425	Braintree	CON	1,516	1,154	1,177	-339	-22.4%	23	2.0%
139	227	Brecon & Radnorshire	LD	1,144	747	722	-422	-36.9%	-25	-3.3%
328	279	Brent East	LD	4,475	2,846	2,973	-1,502	-33.6%	127	4.5%
151	306	Brent North	LAB	2,005	1,422	1,382	-623	-31.1%	-40	-2.8%
205	305	Brent South	LAB	4,901	3,387	3,377	-1,524	-31.1%	-10	-0.3%
122	258	Brentford & Isleworth	LAB	2,389	1,629	1,556	-833	-34.9%	-73	-4.5%
232	127	Brentwood & Ongar	CON	869	480	484	-385	-44.3%	4	0.8%
52	129	Bridgend	LAB	1,763	1,089	988	-775	-44.0%	-101	-9.3%
627	39	Bridgwater	CON	2,203	834	1,018	-1,185	-53.8%	184	22.1%
432	217	Brigg & Goole	LAB	1,996	1,150	1,245	-751	-37.6%	95	8.3%
84	165	Brighton, Kemptown	LAB	2,972	1,865	1,739	-1,233	-41.5%	-126	-6.8%
94	53	Brighton, Pavilion	LAB	3,814	2,018	1,892	-1,922	-50.4%	-126	-6.2%
530	310	Bristol East	LAB	2,866	1,752	1,979	-887	-30.9%	227	13.0%
609	296	Bristol North West	LAB	1,767	1,011	1,206	-561	-31.7%	195	19.3%
336	91	Bristol South	LAB	2,816	1,415	1,485	-1,331	-47.3%	70	4.9%
580	71	Bristol West	LD	2,874	1,272	1,473	-1,401	-48.7%	201	15.8%
62	395	Bromley & Chislehurst	CON	1,445	1,175	1,077	-368	-25.5%	-98	-8.3%
44	451	Bromsgrove	CON	1,357	1,206	1,088	-269	-19.8%	-118	-9.8%
126	488	Broxbourne	CON	1,136	1,015	971	-165	-14.5%	-44	-4.3%
606	297	Broxtowe	LAB	1,399	802	956	-443	-31.7%	154	19.2%
504	319	Buckingham	CON	511	319	356	-155	-30.3%	37	11.6%
394	566	Burnley	LAB	1,248	1,183	1,266	18	1.4%	83	7.0%
357	108	Burton	LAB	2,007	1,040	1,098	-909	-45.3%	58	5.6%
538	581	Bury North	LAB	1,017	1,017	1,153	136	13.4%	136	13.4%
384	430	Bury South	LAB	1,297	954	1,017	-280	-21.6%	63	6.6%
645	458	Bury St Edmunds	CON	1,078	662	874	-204	-18.9%	212	32.0%
165	9	Caernarfon	PC	2,304	859	842	-1,462	-63.5%	-17	-2.0%
216	336	Caerphilly	LAB	2,322	1,645	1,648	-674	-29.0%	3	0.2%
168	..	Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross	LD	..	1,110	1,089	..	..	-21	-1.9%
596	404	Calder Valley	LAB	1,733	1,102	1,302	-431	-24.9%	200	18.1%
46	243	Camberwell & Peckham	LAB	4,984	3,547	3,206	-1,778	-35.7%	-341	-9.6%
422	285	Cambridge	LD	1,847	1,144	1,236	-611	-33.1%	92	8.0%
317	359	Cannock Chase	LAB	1,943	1,344	1,398	-545	-28.0%	54	4.0%
64	67	Canterbury	CON	1,921	1,064	977	-944	-49.1%	-87	-8.2%

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112	119	Cardiff Central	LD	2,276	1,330	1,259	-1,017	-44.7%	-71	-5.3%
43	196	Cardiff North	LAB	1,024	696	627	-397	-38.8%	-69	-9.9%
221	176	Cardiff South & Penarth	LAB	2,807	1,666	1,673	-1,134	-40.4%	7	0.4%
134	76	Cardiff West	LAB	2,598	1,392	1,339	-1,259	-48.5%	-53	-3.8%
88	177	Carlisle	LAB	1,810	1,154	1,079	-731	-40.4%	-75	-6.5%
211	143	Carmarthen East & Dinefwr	PC	1,255	720	719	-536	-42.7%	-1	-0.1%
28	3	Carmarthen West & South Pembrokeshire	LAB	2,466	956	841	-1,625	-65.9%	-115	-12.0%
78	462	Carshalton & Wallington	LD	1,525	1,335	1,242	-283	-18.6%	-93	-7.0%
361	113	Castle Point	CON	1,395	725	767	-628	-45.0%	42	5.8%
55	..	Central Ayrshire	LAB	..	2,049	1,862	..	..	-187	-9.1%
581	335	Central Suffolk & North Ipswich	CON	1,172	716	831	-341	-29.1%	115	16.1%
148	25	Ceredigion	LD	1,510	692	672	-838	-55.5%	-20	-2.9%
226	482	Charnwood	CON	858	727	731	-127	-14.8%	4	0.6%
413	460	Chatham & Aylesford	LAB	1,834	1,383	1,491	-343	-18.7%	108	7.8%
400	160	Cheadle	LD	805	437	469	-336	-41.7%	32	7.3%
273	354	Cheltenham	LD	1,847	1,295	1,327	-520	-28.2%	32	2.5%
89	568	Chesham & Amersham	CON	524	573	536	12	2.3%	-37	-6.5%
410	189	Chester, City of	LAB	1,676	939	1,012	-664	-39.6%	73	7.8%
301	252	Chesterfield	LD	2,697	1,691	1,750	-947	-35.1%	59	3.5%
306	373	Chichester	CON	1,064	746	773	-291	-27.3%	27	3.6%
342	492	Chingford & Woodford Green	CON	1,487	1,214	1,276	-211	-14.2%	62	5.1%
280	473	Chipping Barnet	CON	1,654	1,335	1,373	-281	-17.0%	38	2.8%
615	412	Chorley	LAB	1,378	878	1,052	-326	-23.7%	174	19.8%
412	138	Christchurch	CON	830	436	470	-360	-43.4%	34	7.8%
12	150	Cities of London & Westminster	CON	3,148	2,131	1,816	-1,332	-42.3%	-315	-14.8%
100	56	Cleethorpes	LAB	2,806	1,493	1,404	-1,402	-50.0%	-89	-6.0%
30	133	Clwyd South (a)(b)	LAB	1,317	843	742	-575	-43.7%	-101	-12.0%
120	191	Clwyd West (c)(a)	CON	1,394	890	849	-545	-39.1%	-41	-4.6%
387	..	Coatbridge, Chryston and Bellshill	LAB	..	1,392	1,487	..	..	95	6.8%
532	478	Colchester	LD	1,604	1,200	1,356	-248	-15.5%	156	13.0%
600	332	Colne Valley	LAB	1,777	1,059	1,254	-523	-29.4%	195	18.4%
386	436	Congleton	CON	932	690	737	-195	-20.9%	47	6.8%
71	21	Conwy	LAB	2,192	1,037	958	-1,234	-56.3%	-79	-7.6%
99	18	Copeland	LAB	2,566	1,188	1,117	-1,449	-56.5%	-71	-6.0%
489	490	Corby	LAB	1,449	1,122	1,241	-208	-14.4%	119	10.6%
340	476	Cotswold	CON	601	477	501	-100	-16.6%	24	5.0%
614	545	Coventry North East	LAB	3,343	2,615	3,133	-210	-6.3%	518	19.8%
630	548	Coventry North West	LAB	2,293	1,761	2,177	-116	-5.1%	416	23.6%
629	497	Coventry South	LAB	2,569	1,814	2,233	-336	-13.1%	419	23.1%
460	481	Crawley	LAB	1,105	859	939	-166	-15.0%	80	9.3%
623	427	Crewe & Nantwich	LAB	1,584	1,026	1,240	-344	-21.7%	214	20.9%
352	159	Crosby	LAB	1,804	997	1,051	-753	-41.7%	54	5.4%
58	245	Croydon Central	CON	3,042	2,154	1,962	-1,080	-35.5%	-192	-8.9%
187	327	Croydon North	LAB	4,458	3,172	3,134	-1,324	-29.7%	-38	-1.2%
40	317	Croydon South	CON	1,315	1,023	914	-401	-30.5%	-109	-10.7%
111	..	Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East	LAB	..	1,215	1,150	..	..	-65	-5.3%
32	120	Cynon Valley	LAB	1,755	1,102	972	-783	-44.6%	-130	-11.8%
189	575	Dagenham	LAB	1,843	1,985	1,963	120	6.5%	-22	-1.1%
418	145	Darlington	LAB	2,963	1,574	1,699	-1,264	-42.7%	125	7.9%
103	112	Dartford	LAB	1,879	1,096	1,033	-846	-45.0%	-63	-5.7%
523	559	Daventry	CON	911	795	896	-15	-1.6%	101	12.7%
102	358	Delyn	LAB	1,180	902	849	-331	-28.1%	-53	-5.9%
436	366	Denton & Reddish	LAB	1,720	1,148	1,244	-476	-27.7%	96	8.4%
334	268	Derby North	LAB	2,262	1,425	1,493	-769	-34.0%	68	4.8%
204	331	Derby South	LAB	3,814	2,700	2,691	-1,123	-29.4%	-9	-0.3%
345	271	Devizes	CON	988	621	653	-335	-33.9%	32	5.2%

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449	429	Dewsbury	LAB	1,635	1,179	1,282	-353	-21.6%	103	8.7%
75	68	Don Valley	LAB	2,376	1,303	1,210	-1,166	-49.1%	-93	-7.1%
91	111	Doncaster Central	LAB	3,704	2,176	2,036	-1,668	-45.0%	-140	-6.4%
101	128	Doncaster North	LAB	2,925	1,740	1,637	-1,288	-44.0%	-103	-5.9%
157	156	Dover	LAB	2,628	1,567	1,529	-1,099	-41.8%	-38	-2.4%
308	549	Dudley North	LAB	2,464	2,260	2,343	-121	-4.9%	83	3.7%
347	560	Dudley South	LAB	1,838	1,727	1,817	-21	-1.1%	90	5.2%
61	204	Dulwich & West Norwood	LAB	4,279	2,873	2,633	-1,646	-38.5%	-240	-8.4%
184	..	Dumfries and Galloway	LAB	..	1,570	1,549	..	..	-21	-1.3%
138	..	Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale	CON	..	952	918	..	..	-34	-3.6%
217	..	Dundee East	SNP	..	1,488	1,491	..	..	3	0.2%
267	..	Dundee West	LAB	..	2,123	2,172	..	..	49	2.3%
65	..	Dunfermline and West Fife	LD	..	1,725	1,584	..	..	-141	-8.2%
368	42	Durham, City of	LAB	2,033	894	947	-1,086	-53.4%	53	5.9%
302	420	Ealing North (a)	LAB	2,605	1,945	2,013	-592	-22.7%	68	3.5%
182	421	Ealing Southall	LAB	3,323	2,607	2,571	-752	-22.6%	-36	-1.4%
250	171	Ealing, Acton & Shepherd's Bush	LAB	4,653	2,704	2,750	-1,903	-40.9%	46	1.7%
382	205	Easington	LAB	2,061	1,193	1,271	-790	-38.3%	78	6.5%
123	86	East Antrim	DU	2,495	1,362	1,301	-1,194	-47.9%	-61	-4.5%
634	46	East Devon	CON	1,180	448	555	-625	-53.0%	107	23.9%
284	..	East Dunbartonshire	LD	..	577	594	..	..	17	2.9%
483	465	East Ham	LAB	4,434	3,277	3,619	-815	-18.4%	342	10.4%
210	250	East Hampshire	CON	1,075	697	696	-379	-35.3%	-1	-0.1%
137	..	East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow	LAB	..	1,166	1,123	..	..	-43	-3.7%
21	24	East Londonderry	DU	3,307	1,685	1,464	-1,843	-55.7%	-221	-13.1%
291	..	East Lothian	LAB	..	726	749	..	..	23	3.2%
288	..	East Renfrewshire	LAB	..	731	753	..	..	22	3.0%
56	222	East Surrey	CON	732	505	459	-273	-37.3%	-46	-9.1%
197	408	East Worthing & Shoreham	CON	1,000	760	755	-245	-24.5%	-5	-0.7%
405	281	East Yorkshire	CON	2,164	1,338	1,441	-723	-33.4%	103	7.7%
162	475	Eastbourne	CON	1,675	1,425	1,396	-279	-16.7%	-29	-2.0%
380	513	Eastleigh	LD	888	738	786	-102	-11.5%	48	6.5%
378	405	Eccles	LAB	1,889	1,335	1,421	-468	-24.8%	86	6.4%
515	485	Eddisbury	CON	1,017	773	868	-149	-14.7%	95	12.3%
97	..	Edinburgh East	LAB	..	1,715	1,612	..	..	-103	-6.0%
332	..	Edinburgh North and Leith	LAB	..	1,666	1,744	..	..	78	4.7%
271	..	Edinburgh South	LAB	..	800	819	..	..	19	2.4%
263	..	Edinburgh South West	LAB	..	1,423	1,454	..	..	31	2.2%
163	..	Edinburgh West	LD	..	983	963	..	..	-20	-2.0%
315	538	Edmonton	LAB	3,199	2,828	2,941	-258	-8.1%	113	4.0%
584	298	Ellesmere Port & Neston	LAB	1,718	1,009	1,175	-543	-31.6%	166	16.5%
282	105	Elmet	LAB	1,375	724	745	-630	-45.8%	21	2.9%
338	324	Eltham	LAB	2,352	1,569	1,647	-705	-30.0%	78	5.0%
300	509	Enfield North	LAB	2,366	2,018	2,088	-278	-11.7%	70	3.5%
147	343	Enfield, Southgate	CON	2,118	1,559	1,513	-605	-28.6%	-46	-3.0%
569	409	Epping Forest	CON	1,461	962	1,107	-354	-24.2%	145	15.1%
215	403	Epsom & Ewell	CON	742	556	557	-185	-24.9%	1	0.2%
420	435	Erewash	LAB	1,907	1,394	1,505	-402	-21.1%	111	8.0%
218	340	Erith & Thamesmead	LAB	3,801	2,698	2,704	-1,097	-28.9%	6	0.2%
144	239	Esher & Walton	CON	763	505	489	-274	-35.9%	-16	-3.2%
498	50	Exeter	LAB	2,446	1,063	1,183	-1,263	-51.6%	120	11.3%
194	..	Falkirk	LAB	..	1,519	1,508	..	..	-11	-0.7%
177	11	Falmouth & Camborne	LD	3,119	1,178	1,160	-1,959	-62.8%	-18	-1.5%
140	447	Fareham	CON	798	660	638	-160	-20.1%	-22	-3.3%
472	140	Faversham & Mid Kent	CON	1,408	733	804	-604	-42.9%	71	9.7%
188	471	Feltham & Heston	LAB	2,142	1,789	1,769	-373	-17.4%	-20	-1.1%

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95	7	Fermanagh & South Tyrone	SF	3,453	1,329	1,248	-2,205	-63.9%	-81	-6.1%
33	392	Finchley & Golders Green	LAB	2,310	1,935	1,707	-603	-26.1%	-228	-11.8%
446	219	Folkestone & Hythe	CON	2,843	1,634	1,776	-1,067	-37.5%	142	8.7%
573	330	Forest of Dean	CON	1,241	758	875	-366	-29.5%	117	15.4%
54	94	Foyle	SDLP	5,779	3,368	3,058	-2,721	-47.1%	-310	-9.2%
224	424	Fylde	CON	846	653	656	-190	-22.5%	3	0.5%
578	426	Gainsborough	CON	1,573	1,063	1,230	-343	-21.8%	167	15.7%
559	231	Gateshead East & Washington West	LAB	2,166	1,200	1,373	-793	-36.6%	173	14.4%
550	180	Gedling	LAB	1,678	881	1,005	-673	-40.1%	124	14.1%
463	407	Gillingham	LAB	1,794	1,235	1,351	-443	-24.7%	116	9.4%
242	..	Glasgow Central	LAB	..	2,176	2,203	..	..	27	1.2%
427	..	Glasgow East	LAB	..	2,220	2,401	..	..	181	8.2%
255	..	Glasgow North	LAB	..	1,503	1,532	..	..	29	1.9%
366	..	Glasgow North East	SPKR	..	2,655	2,812	..	..	157	5.9%
439	..	Glasgow North West	LAB	..	1,868	2,025	..	..	157	8.4%
461	..	Glasgow South	LAB	..	1,597	1,746	..	..	149	9.3%
278	..	Glasgow South West	LAB	..	2,087	2,146	..	..	59	2.8%
34	..	Glenrothes	LAB	..	2,369	2,090	..	..	-279	-11.8%
257	226	Gloucester	LAB	2,391	1,479	1,508	-883	-36.9%	29	2.0%
23	..	Gordon	LD	..	430	375	..	..	-55	-12.8%
500	109	Gosport	CON	1,524	749	834	-690	-45.3%	85	11.3%
2	63	Gower	LAB	1,343	851	680	-663	-49.4%	-171	-20.1%
305	350	Grantham & Stamford	CON	1,331	921	954	-377	-28.3%	33	3.6%
166	238	Gravesham	CON	2,378	1,554	1,524	-854	-35.9%	-30	-1.9%
114	221	Great Grimsby	LAB	4,066	2,688	2,549	-1,517	-37.3%	-139	-5.2%
192	361	Great Yarmouth	LAB	3,915	2,847	2,822	-1,093	-27.9%	-25	-0.9%
63	142	Greenwich & Woolwich	LAB	4,461	2,776	2,548	-1,913	-42.9%	-228	-8.2%
272	501	Guildford	CON	769	655	671	-98	-12.7%	16	2.4%
269	100	Hackney North & Stoke Newington	LAB	6,675	3,511	3,593	-3,082	-46.2%	82	2.3%
297	290	Hackney South & Shoreditch	LAB	6,674	4,334	4,482	-2,192	-32.8%	148	3.4%
525	582	Halesowen & Rowley Regis	LAB	1,737	1,790	2,018	281	16.2%	228	12.7%
608	401	Halifax	LAB	2,784	1,751	2,088	-696	-25.0%	337	19.2%
156	167	Haltemprice & Howden	CON	1,150	692	674	-476	-41.4%	-18	-2.6%
374	163	Halton	LAB	2,734	1,502	1,596	-1,138	-41.6%	94	6.3%
133	162	Hammersmith & Fulham	CON	4,104	2,491	2,393	-1,711	-41.7%	-98	-3.9%
70	101	Hampstead & Highgate	LAB	3,816	2,229	2,056	-1,760	-46.1%	-173	-7.8%
48	529	Harborough	CON	875	878	795	-80	-9.1%	-83	-9.5%
610	517	Harlow	LAB	1,676	1,247	1,489	-187	-11.2%	242	19.4%
358	321	Harrogate & Knaresborough	LD	1,025	678	716	-309	-30.1%	38	5.6%
207	466	Harrow East	LAB	2,141	1,757	1,754	-387	-18.1%	-3	-0.2%
79	448	Harrow West	LAB	1,543	1,326	1,234	-309	-20.0%	-92	-6.9%
494	149	Hartlepool	LAB	4,303	2,229	2,477	-1,826	-42.4%	248	11.1%
560	372	Harwich	CON	2,446	1,551	1,776	-670	-27.4%	225	14.5%
496	267	Hastings & Rye	LAB	3,171	1,880	2,091	-1,080	-34.1%	211	11.2%
474	280	Havant	CON	1,861	1,128	1,238	-623	-33.5%	110	9.8%
25	555	Hayes & Harlington	LAB	1,686	1,864	1,636	-50	-3.0%	-228	-12.2%
535	274	Hazel Grove	LD	1,001	586	663	-338	-33.8%	77	13.1%
470	583	Hemel Hempstead	CON	1,084	1,158	1,269	185	17.1%	111	9.6%
346	235	Hemsworth	LAB	2,012	1,218	1,281	-731	-36.3%	63	5.2%
36	385	Hendon	LAB	2,715	2,235	1,989	-726	-26.7%	-246	-11.0%
512	377	Henley	CON	562	365	409	-153	-27.2%	44	12.1%
93	185	Hereford (a)(b)	LD	1,647	1,059	992	-655	-39.8%	-67	-6.3%
322	452	Hertford & Stortford	CON	816	630	657	-159	-19.5%	27	4.3%
119	489	Hertsmere	CON	1,011	907	865	-146	-14.4%	-42	-4.6%
234	64	Hexham	CON	1,095	550	555	-540	-49.3%	5	0.9%
341	107	Heywood & Middleton	LAB	2,357	1,221	1,283	-1,074	-45.6%	62	5.1%

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561	384	LAB	1,365	872	999	-366	-26.8%	127	14.6%
541	316	CON	852	522	592	-260	-30.5%	70	13.4%
13	148	LAB	4,865	3,259	2,800	-2,065	-42.4%	-459	-14.1%
258	391	CON	1,120	810	826	-294	-26.3%	16	2.0%
158	201	LD	4,752	2,987	2,919	-1,833	-38.6%	-68	-2.3%
231	565	CON	609	611	616	7	1.1%	5	0.8%
486	190	LAB	2,444	1,340	1,481	-963	-39.4%	141	10.5%
246	174	LAB	2,576	1,511	1,531	-1,045	-40.6%	20	1.3%
570	295	LAB	3,066	1,806	2,081	-985	-32.1%	275	15.2%
618	467	CON	1,190	812	975	-215	-18.1%	163	20.1%
131	437	LAB	1,367	1,127	1,081	-286	-20.9%	-46	-4.1%
471	456	CON	1,778	1,314	1,441	-337	-19.0%	127	9.7%
254	441	LAB	3,464	2,703	2,752	-712	-20.6%	49	1.8%
170	..	LAB	..	2,030	1,993	..	..	-37	-1.8%
24	..	LD	..	1,042	911	..	..	-131	-12.6%
509	453	LAB	2,365	1,704	1,905	-460	-19.5%	201	11.8%
492	69	CON	4,520	2,080	2,304	-2,216	-49.0%	224	10.8%
125	124	LAB	5,795	3,360	3,212	-2,583	-44.6%	-148	-4.4%
15	82	LAB	4,598	2,763	2,386	-2,212	-48.1%	-377	-13.6%
35	491	LAB	1,125	1,089	964	-161	-14.3%	-125	-11.5%
543	329	LAB	2,829	1,752	1,990	-839	-29.7%	238	13.6%
324	293	LAB	1,791	1,160	1,211	-580	-32.4%	51	4.4%
57	96	CON	2,488	1,464	1,333	-1,155	-46.4%	-131	-8.9%
625	563	CON	1,235	1,013	1,232	-3	-0.2%	219	21.6%
199	..	LAB	..	2,179	2,166	..	..	-13	-0.6%
29	260	LD	1,559	1,157	1,018	-541	-34.7%	-139	-12.0%
164	402	LAB	3,685	2,822	2,765	-920	-25.0%	-57	-2.0%
270	322	LAB	4,408	3,014	3,085	-1,323	-30.0%	71	2.4%
186	428	LAB	3,892	3,085	3,048	-844	-21.7%	-37	-1.2%
586	369	LAB	1,352	840	979	-373	-27.6%	139	16.5%
14	..	LAB	..	2,616	2,255	..	..	-361	-13.8%
431	202	LAB	3,404	1,932	2,091	-1,313	-38.6%	159	8.2%
283	122	LAB	4,213	2,268	2,334	-1,879	-44.6%	66	2.9%
121	27	DU	1,865	872	832	-1,033	-55.4%	-40	-4.6%
393	..	LAB	..	1,320	1,412	..	..	92	7.0%
195	26	CON	1,579	708	703	-876	-55.5%	-5	-0.7%
421	461	LAB	4,966	3,740	4,038	-928	-18.7%	298	8.0%
517	346	LAB	3,528	2,244	2,521	-1,007	-28.5%	277	12.3%
377	220	LAB	2,298	1,353	1,440	-858	-37.3%	87	6.4%
299	192	LD	1,668	983	1,017	-651	-39.0%	34	3.5%
438	355	LAB	2,715	1,800	1,951	-764	-28.1%	151	8.4%
154	585	LAB	2,120	2,596	2,527	407	19.2%	-69	-2.7%
107	574	LAB	3,016	3,352	3,168	152	5.0%	-184	-5.5%
105	558	LAB	2,775	2,882	2,718	-57	-2.1%	-164	-5.7%
522	525	LAB	1,698	1,358	1,530	-168	-9.9%	172	12.7%
85	95	CON	1,143	653	610	-533	-46.6%	-43	-6.6%
230	303	LD	1,101	752	758	-343	-31.2%	6	0.8%
90	284	LAB	2,864	2,046	1,914	-950	-33.2%	-132	-6.5%
150	282	LAB	3,680	2,531	2,458	-1,222	-33.2%	-73	-2.9%
51	117	LAB	4,944	3,010	2,730	-2,214	-44.8%	-280	-9.3%
309	351	LAB	3,288	2,274	2,358	-930	-28.3%	84	3.7%
20	229	CON	1,094	797	692	-402	-36.7%	-105	-13.2%
314	136	LAB	3,030	1,646	1,711	-1,319	-43.5%	65	3.9%
480	..	LAB	..	1,582	1,740	..	..	158	10.0%
318	398	LAB	3,150	2,259	2,350	-800	-25.4%	91	4.0%
329	292	LAB	6,178	3,987	4,172	-2,006	-32.5%	185	4.6%

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414	333	Liverpool, Walton	LAB	4,709	3,083	3,326	-1,383	-29.4%	243	7.9%
453	342	Liverpool, Wavertree	LAB	4,402	2,875	3,133	-1,269	-28.8%	258	9.0%
467	264	Liverpool, West Derby	LAB	4,681	2,805	3,072	-1,609	-34.4%	267	9.5%
564	..	Livingston	LAB	..	1,355	1,553	..	..	198	14.6%
398	244	Llanelli	LAB	1,931	1,160	1,244	-687	-35.6%	84	7.2%
448	375	Loughborough	LAB	1,421	951	1,034	-387	-27.2%	83	8.7%
466	237	Louth & Horncastle	CON	1,879	1,098	1,202	-677	-36.0%	104	9.5%
444	234	Ludlow	CON	987	578	628	-359	-36.4%	50	8.7%
491	457	Luton North	LAB	2,008	1,470	1,628	-380	-18.9%	158	10.7%
497	515	Luton South	LAB	2,716	2,163	2,407	-309	-11.4%	244	11.3%
344	179	Macclesfield	CON	1,027	584	614	-413	-40.2%	30	5.1%
311	518	Maidenhead	CON	805	689	716	-89	-11.1%	27	3.9%
159	236	Maidstone & The Weald	CON	1,277	833	815	-462	-36.2%	-18	-2.2%
478	450	Makerfield	LAB	1,645	1,200	1,318	-327	-19.9%	118	9.8%
574	386	Maldon & East Chelmsford	CON	1,223	777	897	-326	-26.7%	120	15.4%
313	278	Manchester, Blackley	LAB	3,270	2,090	2,172	-1,098	-33.6%	82	3.9%
462	283	Manchester, Central	LAB	5,508	3,364	3,679	-1,829	-33.2%	315	9.4%
356	158	Manchester, Gorton	LAB	4,248	2,343	2,473	-1,775	-41.8%	130	5.5%
265	28	Manchester, Withington	LD	3,306	1,443	1,476	-1,830	-55.4%	33	2.3%
229	110	Mansfield	LAB	2,407	1,309	1,319	-1,088	-45.2%	10	0.8%
124	387	Medway	LAB	2,218	1,704	1,628	-590	-26.6%	-76	-4.5%
256	16	Meirionnydd Nant Conwy	PC	1,402	567	578	-824	-58.8%	11	1.9%
510	371	Meriden	CON	2,410	1,563	1,749	-661	-27.4%	186	11.9%
281	414	Merthyr Tydfil & Rhymney	LAB	2,114	1,575	1,620	-494	-23.4%	45	2.9%
545	431	Mid Bedfordshire	CON	752	519	590	-162	-21.5%	71	13.7%
537	30	Mid Dorset & North Poole	LD	944	375	425	-519	-55.0%	50	13.3%
440	291	Mid Norfolk	CON	1,413	880	954	-459	-32.5%	74	8.4%
37	363	Mid Sussex	CON	629	510	454	-175	-27.8%	-56	-11.0%
11	1	Mid Ulster	SF	2,842	845	717	-2,125	-74.8%	-128	-15.1%
343	541	Mid Worcestershire	CON	950	838	881	-69	-7.3%	43	5.1%
572	214	Middlesbrough	LAB	5,413	2,910	3,359	-2,054	-37.9%	449	15.4%
531	144	Middlesbrough South & East Cleveland	LAB	3,262	1,654	1,869	-1,393	-42.7%	215	13.0%
222	..	Midlothian	LAB	..	936	940	..	..	4	0.4%
598	579	Milton Keynes South West	LAB	1,523	1,444	1,709	186	12.2%	265	18.4%
68	474	Mitcham & Morden	LAB	2,457	2,218	2,042	-415	-16.9%	-176	-7.9%
484	455	Mole Valley	CON	484	354	391	-93	-19.2%	37	10.5%
239	77	Monmouth	CON	1,303	665	672	-631	-48.4%	7	1.1%
279	423	Montgomeryshire	LD	699	527	542	-157	-22.5%	15	2.8%
76	..	Moray	SNP	..	1,192	1,108	..	..	-84	-7.0%
365	126	Morecambe & Lunesdale	LAB	2,547	1,336	1,415	-1,132	-44.4%	79	5.9%
481	309	Morley & Rothwell	LAB	1,709	1,072	1,180	-529	-31.0%	108	10.1%
327	..	Motherwell and Wishaw	LAB	..	1,681	1,756	..	..	75	4.5%
381	..	Na h-Eileanan an Iar	SNP	..	491	523	..	..	32	6.5%
118	294	Neath	LAB	1,697	1,207	1,149	-548	-32.3%	-58	-4.8%
261	103	New Forest East	CON	996	528	539	-457	-45.9%	11	2.1%
395	19	New Forest West	CON	924	376	403	-521	-56.4%	27	7.2%
132	106	Newark	CON	1,815	1,025	984	-831	-45.8%	-41	-4.0%
425	587	Newbury	CON	591	667	721	130	22.0%	54	8.1%
442	90	Newcastle upon Tyne Central	LAB	3,186	1,547	1,680	-1,506	-47.3%	133	8.6%
542	181	Newcastle upon Tyne East & Wallsend	LAB	3,693	1,953	2,216	-1,477	-40.0%	263	13.5%
593	61	Newcastle upon Tyne North	LAB	2,463	1,055	1,242	-1,221	-49.6%	187	17.7%
349	362	Newcastle-under-Lyme	LAB	1,253	859	904	-349	-27.9%	45	5.2%
508	315	Newport East	LAB	1,813	1,125	1,257	-556	-30.7%	132	11.7%
143	242	Newport West	LAB	2,206	1,466	1,418	-788	-35.7%	-48	-3.3%
98	2	Newry & Armagh	SF	4,206	1,388	1,305	-2,901	-69.0%	-83	-6.0%
220	55	Normanton	LAB	1,569	780	783	-786	-50.1%	3	0.4%

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86	22	North Antrim	DU	2,924	1,368	1,278	-1,646	-56.3%	-90	-6.6%
83	..	North Ayrshire and Arran	LAB	..	2,426	2,262	-164	-6.8%
562	32	North Cornwall	LD	3,278	1,297	1,486	-1,792	-54.7%	189	14.6%
161	74	North Devon	LD	1,998	1,050	1,028	-970	-48.5%	-22	-2.1%
426	135	North Dorset	CON	661	345	373	-288	-43.6%	28	8.1%
127	48	North Down	UU	2,029	1,020	976	-1,053	-51.9%	-44	-4.3%
201	116	North Durham	LAB	2,324	1,289	1,282	-1,042	-44.8%	-7	-0.5%
506	506	North East Bedfordshire	CON	800	629	702	-98	-12.3%	73	11.6%
362	422	North East Cambridgeshire	CON	1,806	1,322	1,399	-407	-22.5%	77	5.8%
212	161	North East Derbyshire	LAB	1,994	1,162	1,162	-832	-41.7%	0	0.0%
53	..	North East Fife	LD	..	867	787	..	..	-80	-9.2%
277	406	North East Hampshire	CON	611	448	460	-151	-24.7%	12	2.7%
549	472	North East Hertfordshire	CON	819	596	679	-140	-17.1%	83	13.9%
594	570	North East Milton Keynes	CON	1,222	1,066	1,256	34	2.8%	190	17.8%
178	323	North Essex	CON	930	661	651	-279	-30.0%	-10	-1.5%
495	209	North Norfolk	LD	1,756	977	1,086	-670	-38.2%	109	11.2%
553	445	North Shropshire	CON	1,266	885	1,010	-256	-20.2%	125	14.1%
66	314	North Southwark & Bermondsey	LD	5,108	3,847	3,533	-1,575	-30.8%	-314	-8.2%
454	573	North Swindon	LAB	959	908	990	31	3.2%	82	9.0%
183	216	North Thanet	CON	2,922	1,842	1,817	-1,105	-37.8%	-25	-1.4%
563	187	North Tyneside	LAB	3,050	1,605	1,839	-1,211	-39.7%	234	14.6%
482	480	North Warwickshire	LAB	1,426	1,097	1,211	-215	-15.1%	114	10.4%
613	544	North West Cambridgeshire	CON	1,282	1,003	1,201	-81	-6.3%	198	19.7%
262	99	North West Durham	LAB	2,254	1,187	1,212	-1,042	-46.2%	25	2.1%
49	440	North West Hampshire (a)	CON	659	577	523	-136	-20.6%	-54	-9.4%
576	388	North West Leicestershire	LAB	1,195	761	879	-316	-26.4%	118	15.5%
274	307	North West Norfolk	CON	1,981	1,333	1,366	-615	-31.0%	33	2.5%
622	374	North Wiltshire	CON	854	515	621	-233	-27.3%	106	20.6%
304	446	Northampton North	LAB	2,036	1,570	1,626	-410	-20.1%	56	3.6%
501	493	Northampton South	CON	1,811	1,396	1,555	-256	-14.1%	159	11.4%
528	210	Northavon	LD	826	453	511	-315	-38.1%	58	12.8%
401	379	Norwich North	LAB	2,073	1,406	1,509	-564	-27.2%	103	7.3%
451	233	Norwich South	LAB	3,013	1,759	1,915	-1,098	-36.4%	156	8.9%
469	223	Nottingham East	LAB	4,462	2,559	2,804	-1,658	-37.2%	245	9.6%
568	504	Nottingham North	LAB	3,316	2,528	2,909	-407	-12.3%	381	15.1%
402	272	Nottingham South	LAB	3,047	1,874	2,014	-1,033	-33.9%	140	7.5%
620	535	Nuneaton	LAB	1,583	1,204	1,449	-134	-8.5%	245	20.3%
141	..	Ochil and South Perthshire	LAB	..	1,245	1,204	..	..	-41	-3.3%
96	208	Ogmore	LAB	1,664	1,094	1,028	-636	-38.2%	-66	-6.0%
552	225	Old Bexley & Sidcup	CON	1,296	716	817	-479	-37.0%	101	14.1%
643	523	Oldham East & Saddleworth	LAB	1,778	1,240	1,600	-178	-10.0%	360	29.0%
644	557	Oldham West & Royton	LAB	2,130	1,595	2,082	-48	-2.3%	487	30.5%
106	..	Orkney and Shetland	LD	..	397	375	..	..	-22	-5.5%
10	469	Orpington	CON	1,301	1,269	1,070	-231	-17.8%	-199	-15.7%
585	344	Oxford East	LAB	1,993	1,222	1,424	-569	-28.5%	202	16.5%
635	313	Oxford West & Abingdon	LD	827	461	572	-255	-30.8%	111	24.1%
116	..	Paisley and Renfrewshire North	LAB	..	1,161	1,104	..	..	-57	-4.9%
276	..	Paisley and Renfrewshire South	LAB	..	1,595	1,637	..	..	42	2.6%
591	508	Pendle	LAB	1,312	989	1,157	-155	-11.8%	168	17.0%
588	97	Penrith & The Border	CON	955	439	512	-443	-46.4%	73	16.6%
172	..	Perth and North Perthshire	SNP	..	1,115	1,096	..	..	-19	-1.7%
511	503	Peterborough	CON	2,305	1,806	2,021	-284	-12.3%	215	11.9%
264	17	Plymouth, Devonport	LAB	3,105	1,318	1,348	-1,757	-56.6%	30	2.3%
247	14	Plymouth, Sutton	LAB	4,476	1,732	1,757	-2,719	-60.7%	25	1.4%
433	312	Pontefract & Castleford	LAB	2,141	1,367	1,480	-661	-30.9%	113	8.3%
325	172	Pontypridd	LAB	1,827	1,034	1,080	-747	-40.9%	46	4.4%

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286	38	Poole	CON	1,344	603	621	-723	-53.8%	18	3.0%
399	554	Poplar & Canning Town	LAB	5,135	4,626	4,963	-172	-3.3%	337	7.3%
507	275	Portsmouth North	LAB	1,665	989	1,104	-561	-33.7%	115	11.6%
505	146	Portsmouth South	LD	3,227	1,663	1,856	-1,371	-42.5%	193	11.6%
8	4	Preseli Pembrokeshire	CON	2,380	989	827	-1,553	-65.3%	-162	-16.4%
321	311	Preston	LAB	2,804	1,859	1,938	-866	-30.9%	79	4.2%
479	360	Pudsey	LAB	1,063	696	765	-298	-28.0%	69	9.9%
60	153	Putney	CON	2,041	1,298	1,184	-857	-42.0%	-114	-8.8%
243	80	Rayleigh	CON	1,102	564	571	-531	-48.2%	7	1.2%
245	561	Reading East	CON	1,246	1,220	1,236	-10	-0.8%	16	1.3%
212	577	Reading West	LAB	1,118	1,243	1,243	125	11.2%	0	0.0%
275	186	Redcar	LAB	3,697	2,173	2,229	-1,468	-39.7%	56	2.6%
5	259	Redditch	LAB	1,752	1,386	1,144	-608	-34.7%	-242	-17.5%
136	203	Regent's Park & Kensington North	LAB	5,199	3,321	3,197	-2,002	-38.5%	-124	-3.7%
145	276	Reigate	CON	668	457	443	-225	-33.7%	-14	-3.1%
72	256	Rhondda	LAB	1,994	1,401	1,297	-697	-35.0%	-104	-7.4%
175	380	Ribble Valley	CON	587	435	428	-159	-27.1%	-7	-1.6%
557	132	Richmond	CON	1,236	608	695	-541	-43.8%	87	14.3%
19	134	Richmond Park	LD	1,537	1,000	867	-670	-43.6%	-133	-13.3%
375	514	Rochdale	LD	2,731	2,276	2,419	-312	-11.4%	143	6.3%
404	155	Rochford & Southend East	CON	3,635	1,963	2,114	-1,521	-41.8%	151	7.7%
443	454	Romford	CON	1,092	810	880	-212	-19.4%	70	8.6%
503	175	Romsey	LD	752	401	447	-305	-40.6%	46	11.5%
69	..	Ross, Skye and Lochaber	LD	..	886	816	..	..	-70	-7.9%
236	498	Rossendale & Darwen	LAB	1,089	938	947	-142	-13.0%	9	1.0%
27	41	Rother Valley	LAB	2,472	1,310	1,151	-1,321	-53.4%	-159	-12.1%
7	37	Rotherham	LAB	3,343	1,854	1,543	-1,800	-53.8%	-311	-16.8%
364	325	Rugby & Kenilworth	CON	1,433	948	1,004	-429	-29.9%	56	5.9%
129	418	Ruislip - Northwood	CON	1,005	808	774	-231	-23.0%	-34	-4.2%
252	444	Runnymede & Weybridge	CON	730	572	582	-148	-20.3%	10	1.7%
599	58	Rushcliffe	CON	1,410	598	708	-702	-49.8%	110	18.4%
287	..	Rutherglen and Hamilton West	LAB	..	1,707	1,758	..	..	51	3.0%
82	381	Rutland & Melton	CON	736	576	537	-199	-27.0%	-39	-6.8%
540	232	Ryedale	CON	1,108	620	703	-405	-36.6%	83	13.4%
441	183	Saffron Walden	CON	924	512	556	-368	-39.8%	44	8.6%
520	416	Salford	LAB	2,397	1,636	1,841	-556	-23.2%	205	12.5%
602	34	Salisbury	CON	1,161	448	531	-630	-54.3%	83	18.5%
485	241	Scarborough & Whitby	CON	2,911	1,693	1,870	-1,041	-35.8%	177	10.5%
348	300	Scunthorpe	LAB	2,349	1,531	1,611	-738	-31.4%	80	5.2%
237	168	Sedgefield	LAB	1,920	1,115	1,126	-794	-41.4%	11	1.0%
397	164	Selby	LAB	1,623	884	948	-675	-41.6%	64	7.2%
203	83	Sevenoaks	CON	1,023	535	533	-490	-47.9%	-2	-0.4%
383	75	Sheffield, Attercliffe	LAB	2,497	1,207	1,286	-1,211	-48.5%	79	6.5%
429	102	Sheffield, Brightside	LAB	3,779	1,888	2,042	-1,737	-46.0%	154	8.2%
326	84	Sheffield, Central	LAB	5,259	2,625	2,742	-2,517	-47.9%	117	4.5%
536	20	Sheffield, Hallam	LD	1,286	496	562	-724	-56.3%	66	13.3%
293	51	Sheffield, Heeley	LAB	3,217	1,512	1,561	-1,656	-51.5%	49	3.2%
379	44	Sheffield, Hillsborough	LAB	2,321	1,020	1,086	-1,235	-53.2%	66	6.5%
638	166	Sherwood	LAB	1,947	899	1,141	-806	-41.4%	242	26.9%
225	393	Shipley	CON	1,521	1,120	1,126	-395	-26.0%	6	0.5%
372	338	Shrewsbury & Atcham	CON	1,237	828	879	-358	-28.9%	51	6.2%
167	301	Sittingbourne & Sheppey	LAB	2,414	1,690	1,658	-756	-31.3%	-32	-1.9%
490	286	Skipton & Ripon	CON	911	551	610	-301	-33.0%	59	10.7%
227	247	Sleaford & North Hykeham	CON	1,151	738	743	-408	-35.4%	5	0.7%
546	511	Slough	LAB	2,194	1,706	1,941	-253	-11.5%	235	13.8%
450	415	Solihull	LD	1,144	806	877	-267	-23.3%	71	8.8%

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607	59	Somerton & Frome (a)	LD	1,110	468	558	-552	-49.7%	90	19.2%
190	57	South Antrim	DU	2,061	1,044	1,033	-1,028	-49.9%	-11	-1.1%
445	339	South Cambridgeshire	CON	776	508	552	-224	-28.9%	44	8.7%
109	207	South Derbyshire	LAB	1,574	1,028	972	-602	-38.2%	-56	-5.4%
513	114	South Dorset	LAB	1,785	875	982	-803	-45.0%	107	12.2%
38	8	South Down	SDLP	3,208	1,312	1,170	-2,038	-63.5%	-142	-10.8%
407	443	South East Cambridgeshire	CON	964	712	767	-197	-20.4%	55	7.7%
592	47	South East Cornwall	LD	2,072	842	988	-1,084	-52.3%	146	17.3%
619	586	South Holland & The Deepings	CON	878	891	1,071	193	22.0%	180	20.2%
228	224	South Norfolk	CON	1,339	837	843	-496	-37.0%	6	0.7%
415	470	South Ribble	LAB	1,028	785	847	-181	-17.6%	62	7.9%
521	299	South Shields	LAB	3,868	2,353	2,649	-1,219	-31.5%	296	12.6%
223	270	South Staffordshire	CON	1,386	912	916	-470	-33.9%	4	0.4%
566	173	South Suffolk	CON	1,187	612	703	-484	-40.8%	91	14.9%
428	540	South Swindon	LAB	1,474	1,263	1,366	-108	-7.3%	103	8.2%
39	60	South Thanet	LAB	2,466	1,389	1,240	-1,226	-49.7%	-149	-10.7%
240	542	South West Bedfordshire	CON	1,124	1,035	1,047	-77	-6.9%	12	1.2%
502	6	South West Devon	CON	1,273	411	458	-815	-64.0%	47	11.4%
31	341	South West Hertfordshire	CON	860	695	612	-248	-28.8%	-83	-11.9%
437	396	South West Norfolk	CON	1,648	1,134	1,229	-419	-25.4%	95	8.4%
219	240	South West Surrey	CON	651	417	418	-233	-35.8%	1	0.2%
185	211	Southampton, Itchen	LAB	2,654	1,663	1,642	-1,012	-38.1%	-21	-1.3%
355	88	Southampton, Test	LAB	2,749	1,370	1,446	-1,303	-47.4%	76	5.5%
544	92	Southend West	CON	2,143	995	1,131	-1,012	-47.2%	136	13.7%
642	62	Southport	LD	2,148	844	1,087	-1,061	-49.4%	243	28.8%
18	528	Spelthorne	CON	805	841	729	-76	-9.4%	-112	-13.3%
354	438	St Albans	CON	795	596	629	-166	-20.9%	33	5.5%
303	251	St Helens North	LAB	2,115	1,323	1,370	-745	-35.2%	47	3.6%
447	254	St Helens South	LAB	2,690	1,607	1,747	-943	-35.1%	140	8.7%
603	15	St Ives	LD	3,502	1,209	1,436	-2,066	-59.0%	227	18.8%
595	532	Stafford	LAB	1,286	992	1,170	-116	-9.0%	178	17.9%
193	131	Staffordshire Moorlands	LAB	1,190	674	669	-521	-43.8%	-5	-0.7%
339	318	Stalybridge & Hyde	LAB	1,840	1,220	1,281	-559	-30.4%	61	5.0%
626	368	Stevenage	LAB	1,553	923	1,124	-429	-27.6%	201	21.8%
196	..	Stirling	LAB	..	1,034	1,027	..	..	-7	-0.7%
547	246	Stockport	LAB	1,916	1,086	1,236	-680	-35.5%	150	13.8%
519	87	Stockton North	LAB	4,229	1,977	2,222	-2,007	-47.5%	245	12.4%
583	157	Stockton South	LAB	2,935	1,469	1,708	-1,227	-41.8%	239	16.3%
153	432	Stoke-on-Trent Central	LAB	2,262	1,829	1,780	-482	-21.3%	-49	-2.7%
319	521	Stoke-on-Trent North	LAB	1,508	1,302	1,356	-152	-10.1%	54	4.1%
539	524	Stoke-on-Trent South	LAB	1,807	1,435	1,627	-180	-10.0%	192	13.4%
575	334	Stone	CON	906	556	642	-264	-29.1%	86	15.5%
424	552	Stourbridge	LAB	1,592	1,415	1,529	-63	-4.0%	114	8.1%
149	70	Strangford	DU	2,169	1,143	1,110	-1,059	-48.8%	-33	-2.9%
589	442	Stratford-on-Avon	CON	1,076	733	855	-221	-20.5%	122	16.6%
117	197	Streatham	LAB	5,569	3,587	3,411	-2,158	-38.8%	-176	-4.9%
373	218	Stretford & Urmston	LAB	2,177	1,280	1,359	-818	-37.6%	79	6.2%
206	195	Stroud	LAB	1,274	780	778	-496	-38.9%	-2	-0.3%
406	40	Suffolk Coastal	CON	1,652	714	769	-883	-53.5%	55	7.7%
476	182	Sunderland North	LAB	2,999	1,642	1,803	-1,196	-39.9%	161	9.8%
487	130	Sunderland South	LAB	3,799	1,928	2,132	-1,667	-43.9%	204	10.6%
77	477	Surrey Heath	CON	601	542	504	-97	-16.1%	-38	-7.0%
6	367	Sutton & Cheam	LD	1,059	924	766	-293	-27.7%	-158	-17.1%
616	383	Sutton Coldfield	CON	1,254	764	917	-337	-26.9%	153	20.0%
108	253	Swansea East	LAB	1,964	1,349	1,275	-689	-35.1%	-74	-5.5%
17	199	Swansea West	LAB	1,999	1,417	1,227	-772	-38.6%	-190	-13.4%

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135	357	Tamworth	LAB	1,541	1,151	1,108	-433	-28.1%	-43	-3.7%
551	287	Tatton	CON	810	476	543	-267	-33.0%	67	14.1%
641	29	Taunton (a)	LD	1,815	636	817	-998	-55.0%	181	28.5%
385	31	Teignbridge	LD	1,843	780	832	-1,011	-54.9%	52	6.7%
548	546	Telford	LAB	1,563	1,286	1,465	-98	-6.3%	179	13.9%
376	378	Tewkesbury	CON	959	656	698	-261	-27.2%	42	6.4%
456	449	Thurrock	LAB	2,419	1,776	1,937	-482	-19.9%	161	9.1%
534	178	Tiverton & Honiton	CON	1,243	655	741	-502	-40.4%	86	13.1%
335	170	Tonbridge & Malling	CON	1,060	597	626	-434	-40.9%	29	4.9%
80	54	Tooting	LAB	3,480	1,864	1,735	-1,745	-50.1%	-129	-6.9%
499	118	Torbay	LD	3,077	1,529	1,702	-1,375	-44.7%	173	11.3%
529	394	Torfaen	LAB	1,768	1,167	1,317	-451	-25.5%	150	12.9%
416	98	Torrige & West Devon	CON	2,007	998	1,077	-930	-46.3%	79	7.9%
411	45	Totnes	CON	1,861	809	872	-989	-53.1%	63	7.8%
92	266	Tottenham	LAB	7,815	5,494	5,141	-2,674	-34.2%	-353	-6.4%
360	23	Truro & St Austell	LD	2,626	1,088	1,151	-1,475	-56.2%	63	5.8%
42	85	Tunbridge Wells	CON	1,028	595	536	-492	-47.9%	-59	-9.9%
50	288	Twickenham	LD	1,316	974	883	-433	-32.9%	-91	-9.3%
307	169	Tyne Bridge	LAB	4,538	2,570	2,664	-1,874	-41.3%	94	3.7%
198	93	Tynemouth	LAB	2,513	1,335	1,327	-1,186	-47.2%	-8	-0.6%
351	463	Upminster	CON	1,084	838	883	-201	-18.5%	45	5.4%
235	65	Upper Bann	DU	2,374	1,193	1,204	-1,170	-49.3%	11	0.9%
290	534	Uxbridge	CON	1,190	1,052	1,084	-106	-8.9%	32	3.0%
331	382	Vale of Clwyd	LAB	1,626	1,134	1,187	-439	-27.0%	53	4.7%
323	212	Vale of Glamorgan	LAB	2,303	1,365	1,425	-878	-38.1%	60	4.4%
582	255	Vale of York	CON	805	450	523	-282	-35.0%	73	16.2%
47	147	Vauxhall	LAB	6,903	4,394	3,972	-2,931	-42.5%	-422	-9.6%
260	198	Wakefield	LAB	2,426	1,457	1,487	-939	-38.7%	30	2.1%
617	302	Wallasey	LAB	3,238	1,855	2,227	-1,011	-31.2%	372	20.1%
554	494	Walsall North	LAB	3,230	2,431	2,775	-455	-14.1%	344	14.2%
597	500	Walsall South	LAB	3,216	2,372	2,805	-411	-12.8%	433	18.3%
391	539	Walthamstow	LAB	3,563	3,078	3,291	-272	-7.6%	213	6.9%
488	349	Wansbeck	LAB	2,598	1,682	1,860	-738	-28.4%	178	10.6%
646	152	Wansdyke (c)(a)	LAB	825	340	477	-348	-42.2%	137	40.3%
637	397	Wantage	CON	716	425	534	-182	-25.4%	109	25.6%
464	496	Warley	LAB	2,835	2,240	2,451	-384	-13.5%	211	9.4%
558	433	Warrington North	LAB	1,688	1,162	1,329	-359	-21.3%	167	14.4%
632	410	Warrington South	LAB	1,296	795	983	-313	-24.2%	188	23.6%
601	487	Warwick & Leamington	LAB	1,555	1,122	1,329	-226	-14.5%	207	18.4%
104	459	Watford	LAB	1,377	1,186	1,118	-259	-18.8%	-68	-5.7%
388	228	Waveney	LAB	3,516	2,080	2,222	-1,294	-36.8%	142	6.8%
16	304	Wealden	CON	730	581	503	-227	-31.1%	-78	-13.4%
459	347	Weaver Vale	LAB	2,220	1,453	1,588	-632	-28.5%	135	9.3%
604	571	Wellingborough	CON	1,494	1,293	1,536	42	2.8%	243	18.8%
639	139	Wells	CON	1,429	638	811	-618	-43.2%	173	27.1%
516	584	Welwyn Hatfield	CON	793	838	941	148	18.7%	103	12.3%
160	33	Wentworth	LAB	2,849	1,324	1,296	-1,553	-54.5%	-28	-2.1%
1	..	West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine	LD	..	413	264	..	..	-149	-36.1%
458	527	West Bromwich East	LAB	2,662	2,206	2,409	-253	-9.5%	203	9.2%
417	553	West Bromwich West	LAB	2,913	2,599	2,805	-108	-3.7%	206	7.9%
409	389	West Chelmsford	CON	1,378	941	1,014	-364	-26.4%	73	7.8%
396	248	West Derbyshire	CON	1,015	612	656	-359	-35.4%	44	7.2%
567	49	West Dorset	CON	1,071	449	516	-555	-51.8%	67	14.9%
200	..	West Dunbartonshire	LAB	..	2,367	2,354	..	..	-13	-0.5%
333	353	West Ham	LAB	4,736	3,246	3,399	-1,337	-28.2%	153	4.7%
455	308	West Lancashire	LAB	2,389	1,512	1,649	-740	-31.0%	137	9.1%

IV Change in Unemployed Claimants December 1997-2006 and December 2005-2006
United Kingdom Constituencies
A. (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in UK (1 = largest fall)

05-06	97-06	Party	Claimants			Change 97-06		Change 05-06		
			Dec-97	Dec-05	Dec-06	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
640	269	West Suffolk	CON	1,331	686	879	-452	-34.0%	193	28.1%
81	43	West Tyrone	SF	3,820	1,914	1,784	-2,036	-53.3%	-130	-6.8%
524	263	West Worcestershire	CON	945	550	620	-325	-34.4%	70	12.7%
253	104	Westbury	CON	1,381	735	748	-633	-45.8%	13	1.8%
435	5	Westmorland & Lonsdale	LD	876	289	313	-563	-64.3%	24	8.3%
633	215	Weston-Super-Mare	CON	1,619	812	1,005	-614	-37.9%	193	23.8%
465	419	Wigan	LAB	1,909	1,345	1,472	-437	-22.9%	127	9.4%
4	137	Wimbledon	CON	1,409	976	797	-612	-43.4%	-179	-18.3%
298	468	Winchester	LD	805	638	660	-145	-18.0%	22	3.4%
371	411	Windsor	CON	863	619	657	-206	-23.9%	38	6.1%
628	188	Wirral South	LAB	1,585	782	956	-629	-39.7%	174	22.3%
611	265	Wirral West	LAB	1,709	938	1,122	-587	-34.3%	184	19.6%
621	262	Witney	CON	596	324	390	-206	-34.6%	66	20.4%
169	580	Woking	CON	558	640	628	70	12.5%	-12	-1.9%
113	578	Wokingham	CON	443	522	495	52	11.7%	-27	-5.2%
468	543	Wolverhampton North East	LAB	2,590	2,214	2,425	-165	-6.4%	211	9.5%
389	551	Wolverhampton South East	LAB	2,585	2,307	2,465	-120	-4.6%	158	6.8%
452	567	Wolverhampton South West	LAB	2,468	2,307	2,512	44	1.8%	205	8.9%
624	89	Woodspring	CON	706	306	372	-334	-47.3%	66	21.6%
590	522	Worcester	LAB	1,530	1,178	1,376	-154	-10.1%	198	16.8%
45	13	Workington	LAB	2,772	1,203	1,087	-1,685	-60.8%	-116	-9.6%
359	510	Worsley	LAB	1,539	1,287	1,360	-179	-11.6%	73	5.7%
370	337	Worthing West	CON	951	637	675	-276	-29.0%	38	6.0%
295	526	Wrekin, The	CON	1,001	874	903	-98	-9.8%	29	3.3%
87	230	Wrexham	LAB	1,351	915	855	-496	-36.7%	-60	-6.6%
244	530	Wycombe	CON	1,277	1,146	1,161	-116	-9.1%	15	1.3%
208	434	Wyre Forest	IND	1,504	1,187	1,185	-319	-21.2%	-2	-0.2%
430	365	Wythenshawe & Sale East	LAB	2,745	1,834	1,984	-761	-27.7%	150	8.2%
631	249	Yeovil (a)	LD	1,270	664	821	-449	-35.4%	157	23.6%
180	81	Ynys-Mon	LAB	2,451	1,290	1,271	-1,180	-48.1%	-19	-1.5%
475	184	York, City of	LAB	2,515	1,379	1,514	-1,001	-39.8%	135	9.8%
United Kingdom				1,391,380	892,710	923,458	-467,922	-33.6%	30,748	3.4%

IV Change in Unemployed Claimants December 1997-2006 and December 2005-2006 United Kingdom Constituencies B. (not seasonally adjusted) - greatest changes

Rank by % change in UK (1 = largest fall)		Party	Claimants			Change 97-06		Change 05-06		
05-06	97-06		Dec-97	Dec-05	Dec-06	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
1	..	West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine	LD	..	413	264	..	..	-149	-36.1%
2	63	Gower	LAB	1,343	851	680	-663	-49.4%	-171	-20.1%
3	..	Aberdeen South	LAB	..	761	616	..	..	-145	-19.1%
4	137	Wimbledon	CON	1,409	976	797	-612	-43.4%	-179	-18.3%
5	259	Redditch	LAB	1,752	1,386	1,144	-608	-34.7%	-242	-17.5%
6	367	Sutton & Cheam	LD	1,059	924	766	-293	-27.7%	-158	-17.1%
7	37	Rotherham	LAB	3,343	1,854	1,543	-1,800	-53.8%	-311	-16.8%
8	4	Preseli Pembrokeshire	CON	2,380	989	827	-1,553	-65.3%	-162	-16.4%
9	194	Beckenham	CON	2,112	1,536	1,289	-823	-39.0%	-247	-16.1%
10	469	Orpington	CON	1,301	1,269	1,070	-231	-17.8%	-199	-15.7%
11	1	Mid Ulster	SF	2,842	845	717	-2,125	-74.8%	-128	-15.1%
12	150	Cities of London & Westminster	CON	3,148	2,131	1,816	-1,332	-42.3%	-315	-14.8%
13	148	Holborn & St Pancras	LAB	4,865	3,259	2,800	-2,065	-42.4%	-459	-14.1%
14	..	Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath	LAB	..	2,616	2,255	..	..	-361	-13.8%
15	82	Islington South & Finsbury	LAB	4,598	2,763	2,386	-2,212	-48.1%	-377	-13.6%
16	304	Wealden	CON	730	581	503	-227	-31.1%	-78	-13.4%
17	199	Swansea West	LAB	1,999	1,417	1,227	-772	-38.6%	-190	-13.4%
18	528	Spelthorne	CON	805	841	729	-76	-9.4%	-112	-13.3%
19	134	Richmond Park	LD	1,537	1,000	867	-670	-43.6%	-133	-13.3%
20	229	Lichfield	CON	1,094	797	692	-402	-36.7%	-105	-13.2%
21	24	East Londonderry	DU	3,307	1,685	1,464	-1,843	-55.7%	-221	-13.1%
22	533	Bracknell	CON	858	897	781	-77	-9.0%	-116	-12.9%
23	..	Gordon	LD	..	430	375	..	..	-55	-12.8%
24	..	Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey	LD	..	1,042	911	-131	-12.6%
25	555	Hayes & Harlington	LAB	1,686	1,864	1,636	-50	-3.0%	-228	-12.2%
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622	374	North Wiltshire	CON	854	515	621	-233	-27.3%	106	20.6%
623	427	Crewe & Nantwich	LAB	1,584	1,026	1,240	-344	-21.7%	214	20.9%
624	89	Woodspring	CON	706	306	372	-334	-47.3%	66	21.6%
625	563	Kettering	CON	1,235	1,013	1,232	-3	-0.2%	219	21.6%
626	368	Stevenage	LAB	1,553	923	1,124	-429	-27.6%	201	21.8%
627	39	Bridgwater	CON	2,203	834	1,018	-1,185	-53.8%	184	22.1%
628	188	Wirral South	LAB	1,585	782	956	-629	-39.7%	174	22.3%
629	497	Coventry South	LAB	2,569	1,814	2,233	-336	-13.1%	419	23.1%
630	548	Coventry North West	LAB	2,293	1,761	2,177	-116	-5.1%	416	23.6%
631	249	Yeovil (a)	LD	1,270	664	821	-449	-35.4%	157	23.6%
632	410	Warrington South	LAB	1,296	795	983	-313	-24.2%	188	23.6%
633	215	Weston-Super-Mare	CON	1,619	812	1,005	-614	-37.9%	193	23.8%
634	46	East Devon	CON	1,180	448	555	-625	-53.0%	107	23.9%
635	313	Oxford West & Abingdon	LD	827	461	572	-255	-30.8%	111	24.1%
636	486	Boston & Skegness	CON	1,971	1,352	1,684	-287	-14.6%	332	24.6%
637	397	Wantage	CON	716	425	534	-182	-25.4%	109	25.6%
638	166	Sherwood	LAB	1,947	899	1,141	-806	-41.4%	242	26.9%
639	139	Wells	CON	1,429	638	811	-618	-43.2%	173	27.1%
640	269	West Suffolk	CON	1,331	686	879	-452	-34.0%	193	28.1%
641	29	Taunton (a)	LD	1,815	636	817	-998	-55.0%	181	28.5%
642	62	Southport	LD	2,148	844	1,087	-1,061	-49.4%	243	28.8%
643	523	Oldham East & Saddleworth	LAB	1,778	1,240	1,600	-178	-10.0%	360	29.0%
644	557	Oldham West & Royton	LAB	2,130	1,595	2,082	-48	-2.3%	487	30.5%
645	458	Bury St Edmunds	CON	1,078	662	874	-204	-18.9%	212	32.0%
646	152	Wansdyke (c)(a)	LAB	825	340	477	-348	-42.2%	137	40.3%
United Kingdom				1,391,380	892,710	923,458	-467,922	-33.6%	30,748	3.4%

V Illustrative maps

A. Notes

The Library is currently piloting a Geographic Information System (GIS) that enables it to produce maps of unemployment data by constituency. This addition of illustrative maps to this paper is intended to make the interpretation of unemployment data easier. However, the following notes should be borne in mind when drawing conclusions from these maps:

- The map overleaf (page 50) shows residence-based claimant count rates for December 2006 for constituencies in the United Kingdom, with an expanded view of constituencies in London.
- The 646 constituencies in the United Kingdom have been divided into five equally sized bands, also known as 'quintile groups', each of which contain approximately 126 constituencies (20% of the total in the United Kingdom).
- These groups have been colour-coded, from red – the 20% of constituencies with the highest unemployment rates – through to yellow/light green – the 20% with the lowest unemployment rates.
- It is important to note that the range of unemployment rates covered by each band is different. For example, in December 2006 the top quintile (coloured red) is made up of constituencies with unemployment rates ranging from 4.8% to 20.1%, while the bottom quintile (coloured yellow/light green) is made up of constituencies with unemployment rates ranging from 0.6% to 1.8% (all rounded).
- Note also that 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.

Further maps may be introduced to this paper in the future, depending on feedback and interest. Please contact the authors of this paper with any comments or suggestions.

B. Map of unemployment by constituency, December 2006

Please see overleaf (page 50).

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Unemployment by Constituency, December 2006

constituencies in United Kingdom

residence-based claimant count rate, expressed as quintile groups (20% bands)

