



# Unemployment by Constituency, September 2009

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This paper shows the number of people claiming Jobseeker's Allowance recorded as resident in each constituency in the United Kingdom in September 2009, together with comparisons with the levels in September 2008 and September 1997. Residence-based unemployment rates are given for all 646 constituencies in the United Kingdom. A summary of the latest labour market data is given, along with a selection of other relevant constituency-level indicators.

The paper includes unemployment rates by constituency maps and an annual percentage change 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 2006 (see appendix 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.

Section III of the paper provides a selection of other labour market data at a constituency level, including estimates of ILO unemployment (experimental), the employment rate, vacancies notified to Jobcentre Plus and a breakdown of JSA claimants by age.



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# I Monthly Labour Market Statistics

Statistics on JSA claimants are one part of a large selection of labour market data released on a monthly basis.<sup>1</sup> This section highlights some of the key figures in the latest labour market release, as well as data of relevance to constituencies.

- Claimant count unemployment rose by 20,800 in September 2009 to 1.63 million.<sup>2</sup> This was the highest level since April 1997. It is the lowest monthly rise in claimants since May 2008.
- The wider ILO based measure of unemployment was 2.47 million in the period June-August 2009, a rise of 677,000 compared to the same period a year ago and 449,000 higher than in the same period in 1997. The current unemployment rate is 7.9%.
- The number of people who have been unemployed (ILO measure) for longer than six months increased by 55,000 over the last quarter to 1.02 million (in June-August 2009). This was 304,000 higher than in the same quarter a year ago.
- On a regional basis the highest rates of unemployment (ILO measure) are in the West Midlands (10.4%), North East (9.5%) and Wales (9.1%) (June-August 2009). Over the last year the ILO unemployment rate has increased across the UK by 2.1 percentage points. The greatest rises have been in the West Midlands (4.0 percentage points), Wales (3.2 percentage points) and Northern Ireland (2.8 percentage points).
- In June-August 2009 743,000 people aged 18-24 were unemployed (ILO measure), a rise of 17,000 on the previous quarter and a rise of 184,000 on the same quarter a year ago. The unemployment rate for those aged 18-24 is now 17.7%. A total of 946,000 people aged 24 and under were unemployed in June-August 2009.
- The number of people in employment has fallen by 45,000 over the last quarter to 28.95 million (June-August 2009); the employment rate for the working age population is 72.6%, a fall of 0.3 percentage points over the last quarter and a fall of 1.3 percentage points compared to the same quarter a year ago.
- Over the last quarter, full-time employment fell by 121,000 while part-time employment rose by 76,000. Compared to same quarter one year ago overall employment fell by 467,000, full time employment fell by 564,000 over the year while part-time employment rose by 97,000.
- In June-August 2009 21.0% of the working age population were economically inactive (7.97 million), up 50,000 on the previous quarter and up 80,000 compared to the same quarter a year ago.
- It is estimated that there were 434,000 vacancies in the three months to September 2009, no change on the previous quarter and 163,000 lower than in the same period a year ago.<sup>3</sup>
- Average earnings including bonuses rose by 1.6% in the latest quarter to August 2009 compared to the same period a year ago; average earnings excluding bonuses also increased by 1.9%.
- The claimant count (not seasonally adjusted) was higher in every constituency in September 2009 compared with September 2008. Between August and September 2009 399 constituencies have seen a fall in the claimant count, 241 have seen a rise (six were unchanged). Compared to September 1997 the claimant count is higher in 385 constituencies but lower in 201 constituencies (one with no change). 1997 data is not available for Scottish constituencies.

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<sup>1</sup> The latest release is available at: <http://www.statistics.gov.uk/pdfdir/lmsuk1009.pdf>. This page is based on data from this release as well as [http://www.statistics.gov.uk/OnlineProducts/LMS\\_FR\\_HS.asp](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/OnlineProducts/LMS_FR_HS.asp) (historical statistics) and NOMIS: <https://www.nomisweb.co.uk>. The figures used on this page are seasonally adjusted.

<sup>2</sup> Seasonally adjusted. The JSA data used in the remainder of this paper are not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>3</sup> Data on vacancies advertised through Jobcentre Plus is also available, and is the only vacancy indicator available at a local level. The total count of available vacancies available at Jobcentre Plus in Great Britain in September 2009 was 229,486. See Section III for further explanation and constituency level data.

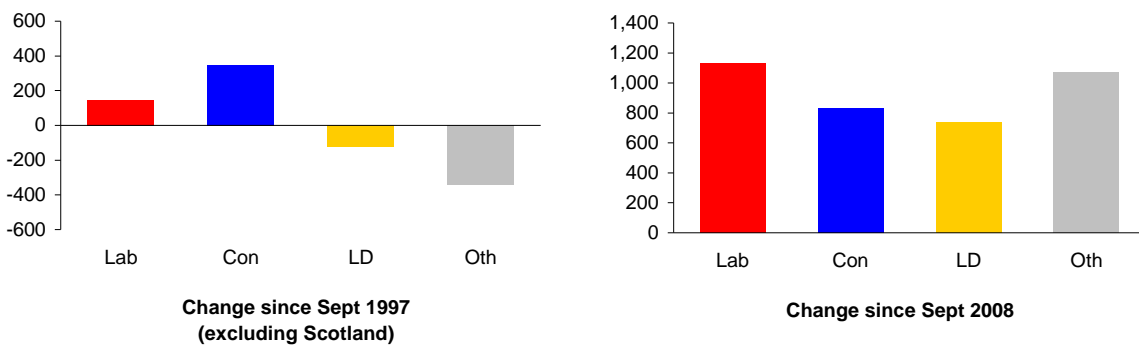
**Change in claimant count in constituencies**

The April and June 2009 editions of this paper considered the average change in JSA claimants by constituency and incumbent party (both in terms of the change in levels and percentage change). This analysis is repeated in this paper and shows both measures of change.<sup>4</sup> An analysis of the change in unemployment rates would again yield different results;<sup>5</sup> this analysis also does not take account of constituency size. Part II.D of the paper provides a breakdown of the change (levels and percentage) in claimants by constituency between September 2009 and 1997 and 2008.

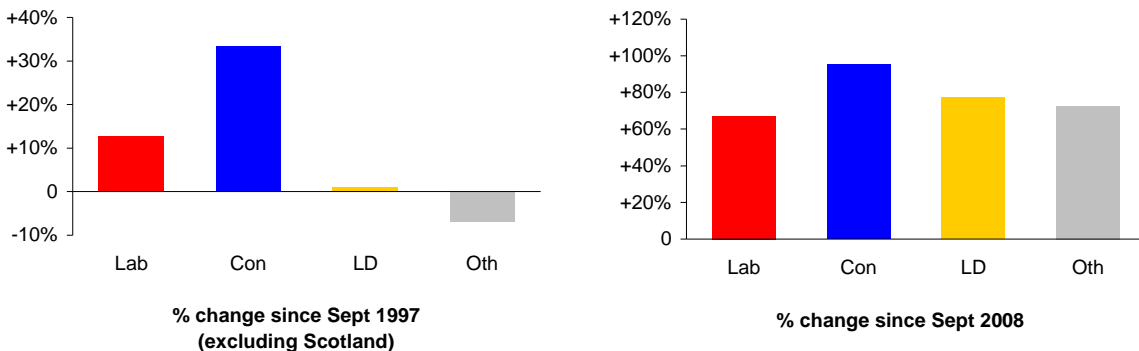
As shown in the first two charts below, when compared with September 1997 (excluding Scotland due to boundary changes) constituencies held by the Conservatives and Labour have, on average, seen a rise in claimants (of 348 and 147 respectively). Seats held by the Liberal Democrats and other party groupings (including independents) have seen small falls. When compared with September 2008 seats currently held by Labour have seen the highest average rise in claimant levels (1,134), the Liberal Democrats the lowest (739). The average rise for Conservative-held seats is 832.

However, as shown in the last two charts, when the average percentage change for constituencies is considered by incumbent party, Conservative constituencies have seen the largest average increase over the year to September 2009, followed by the Liberal Democrats (+95% and +77% respectively). Labour-held seats have seen the smallest rise (+67%). Compared to September 1997 (excluding Scotland), Conservative-held constituencies have seen on average a 33% rise in JSA claimants, compared to 13% for Labour-held constituencies, 1% for Liberal Democrat-held seats and a 7% fall on average for seats held by other parties.

**Average change in constituency claimant count levels by incumbent party, September 2009**



**Average % change in constituency claimant count levels by incumbent party, September 2009**



<sup>4</sup> Claimant count data is available to download from: [www.nomisweb.co.uk](http://www.nomisweb.co.uk); data used on this page is not seasonally adjusted.

<sup>5</sup> Constituencies with high percentage changes in levels often start with relatively low rates of unemployment, for examples see notes on page 14.



## II JSA Claimant Count by Constituency

### A. Introduction

This section of the Research Paper provides the latest data on the monthly count of Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) claimants in each parliamentary constituency in the United Kingdom. For the purposes of this paper, unemployment means the number of JSA claimants resident in each constituency.

**The methodology for calculating the rates was updated in the August 2009 edition (published 16 September 2009) in order to improve their accuracy.** The rates included in this section show the number of claimants as a proportion of the estimated economically active population of working age resident in each constituency in 2006.<sup>6</sup> Further detail on the methodology is given in the appendix. Prior to the August 2009 edition of the paper the rates were based on the 2001 population estimates.<sup>7</sup> Comparisons of rates should not be made between those published by the Library prior to September 2009 and those in the current edition. Basing the rates on the latest available population estimates means they will more accurately reflect the current situation in the constituency and the update will have a greater impact on constituencies which have seen substantial population changes since 2001.

The Office for National Statistics also publishes unemployment data for parliamentary constituencies. These data may be found on the NOMIS website<sup>8</sup> and on the ONS website.<sup>9</sup> JSA claimant count rates published by the ONS use the resident working age population and are therefore different from the rates published in this section. Rates included in PQ answers from ONS will also differ from the rates in this section. 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<sup>10</sup> and the appendix to this paper.

Data for current constituencies exist back to January 1996<sup>11</sup>, and are available upon request from the Economic Policy & Statistics Section [extension 2883].

Part B provides maps that show the latest residence-based claimant count rates for each constituency in the United Kingdom, and the annual percentage change in the claimant count for each UK constituency, expressed as quintile groups. Part E of this section provides some notes on the tables and details the copyright restrictions which apply to the data and the maps.

The rates presented in this part of the 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. While the rates are based on the latest population estimates at a constituency level, they are constrained by the use of the proportion of the population economically active in 2001. Where constituencies have seen significant socio-economic change or population growth since 2001 the methodology used to calculate the rates may be less accurate in fully reflecting current unemployment rates.

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<sup>6</sup> The denominator for the rate is calculated using the proportion of the economically active working age population in the 2001 census and the estimated resident working age population in 2006. This means the rates take account of recent population change but not any changes in the economically active population. Between 2001 and 2006 the Labour Force Survey estimates that economic activity rose by around 0.4 percentage points for the UK overall.

<sup>7</sup> Rates published prior to September 2009 were based on the 2001 economically active and 2001 population. Rates published before January 2005 calculated rates using 1997-based economically active population denominators. See Library Research Paper 05/08 for further details.

<sup>8</sup> <http://www.nomisweb.co.uk/reports/lmp/pca/contents.aspx>

<sup>9</sup> ONS Labour Market Statistics [regional statistical bulletins](#) and [regional monthly data releases](#).

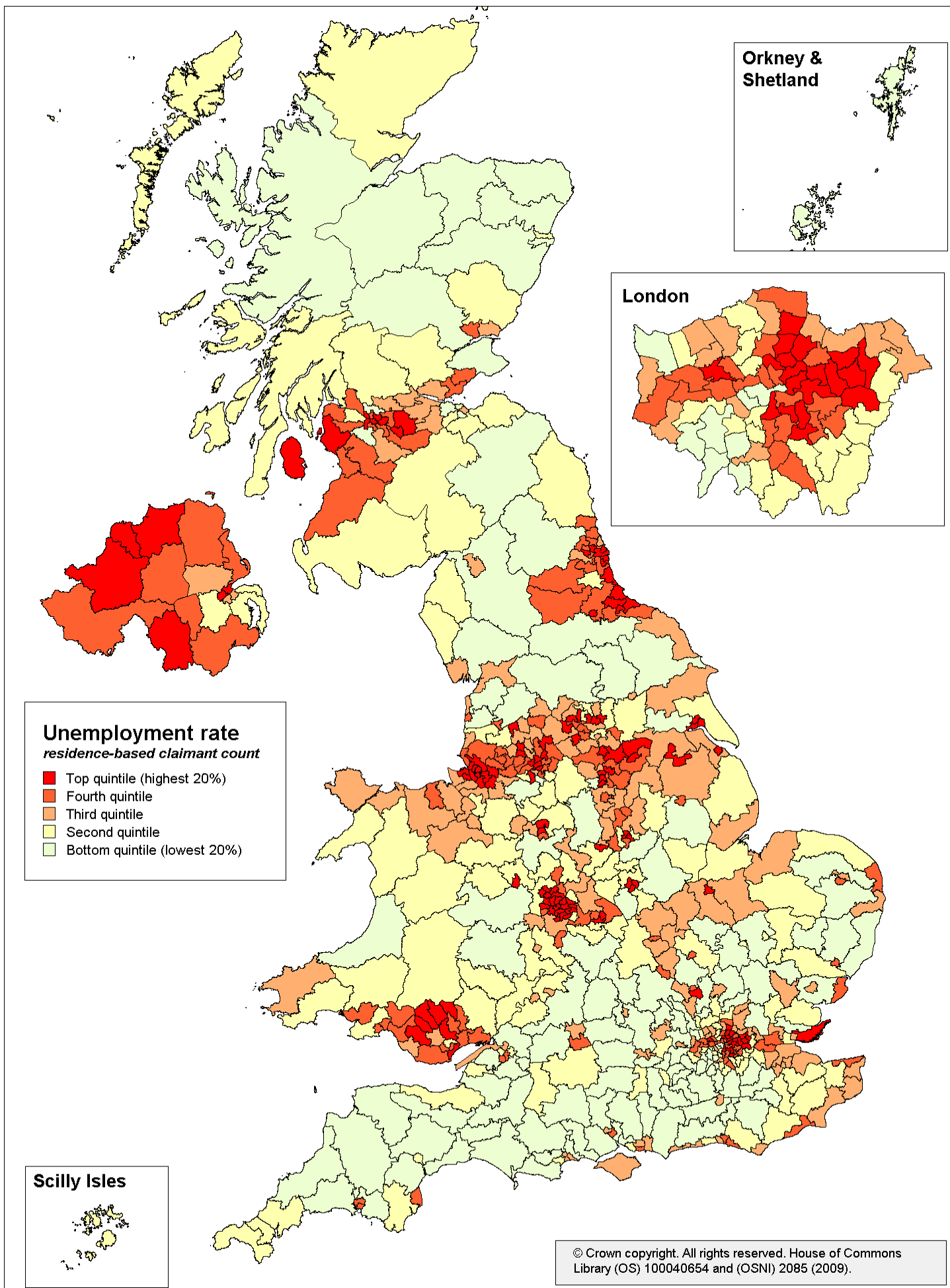
<sup>10</sup> <http://www.parliament.uk/commons/lib/research/rp2005/rp05-008.pdf>

<sup>11</sup> Data for new Westminster Parliamentary Constituencies in Scotland are only available from February 2004 onwards.

# II B. Unemployment by Constituency, September 2009

## Constituencies in United Kingdom

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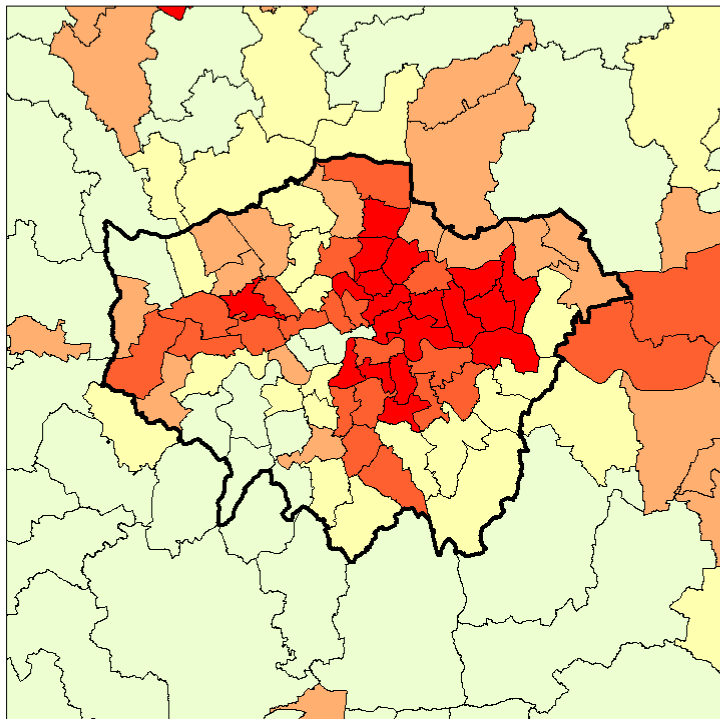


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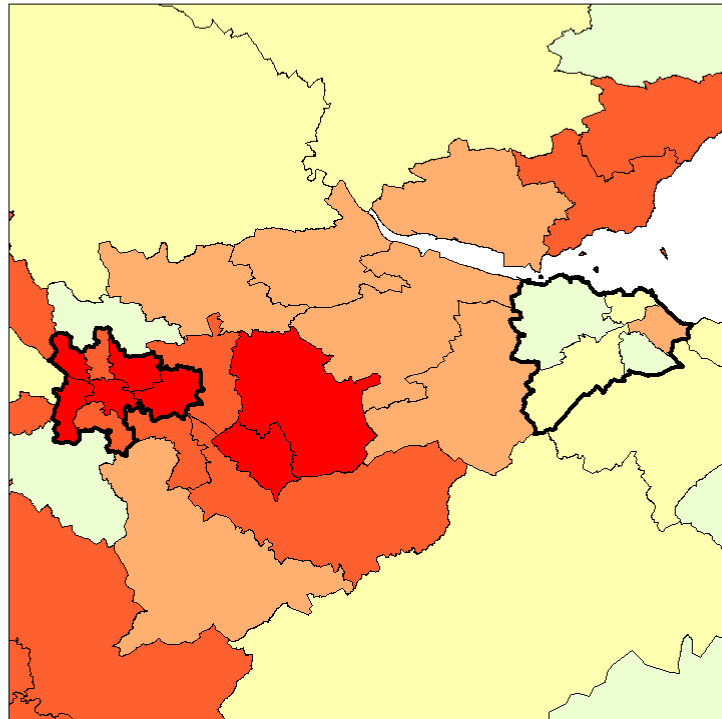
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residence-based claimant count rate, expressed as quintile groups (20% bands)

Greater London



Edinburgh and Glasgow

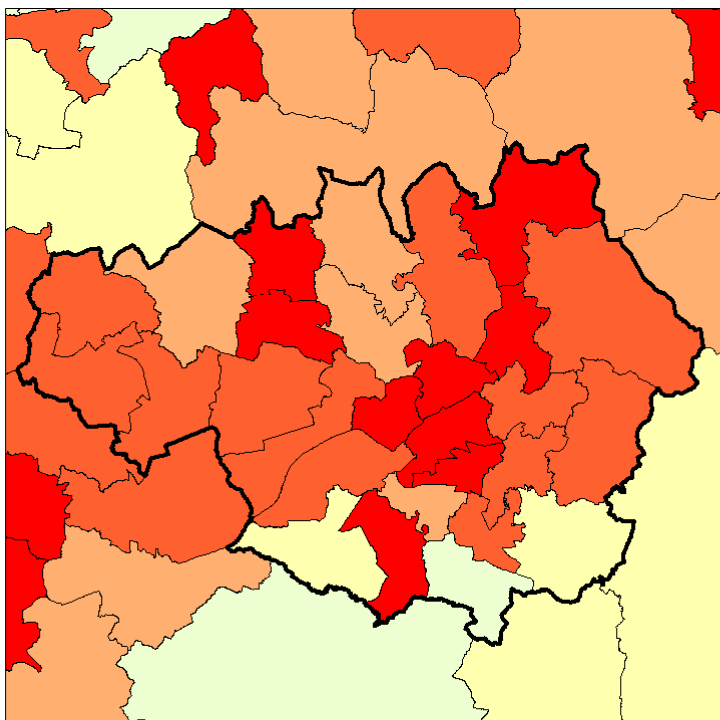


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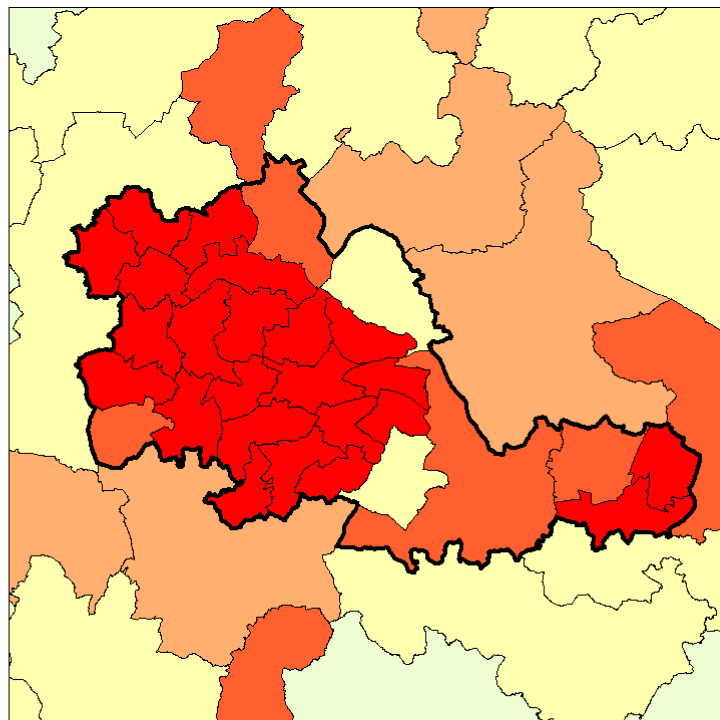
*residence-based claimant count*

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- Fourth quintile
- Third quintile
- Second quintile
- Bottom quintile (lowest 20%)

Greater Manchester



West Midlands

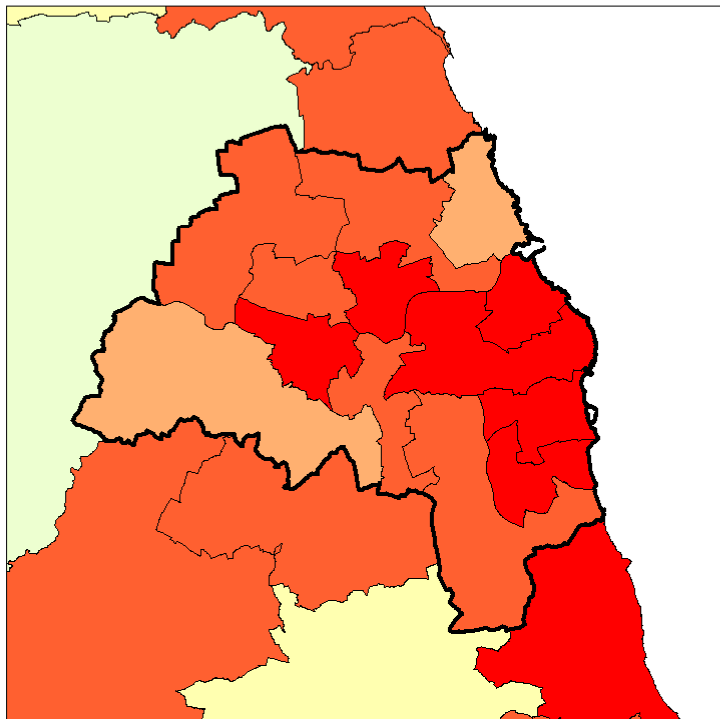


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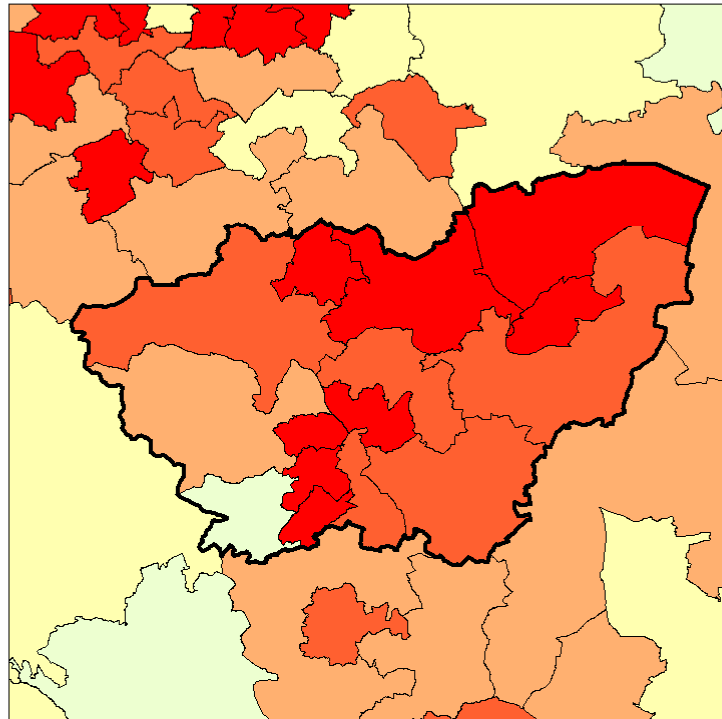
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residence-based claimant count rate, expressed as quintile groups (20% bands)

Tyne and Wear



South Yorkshire

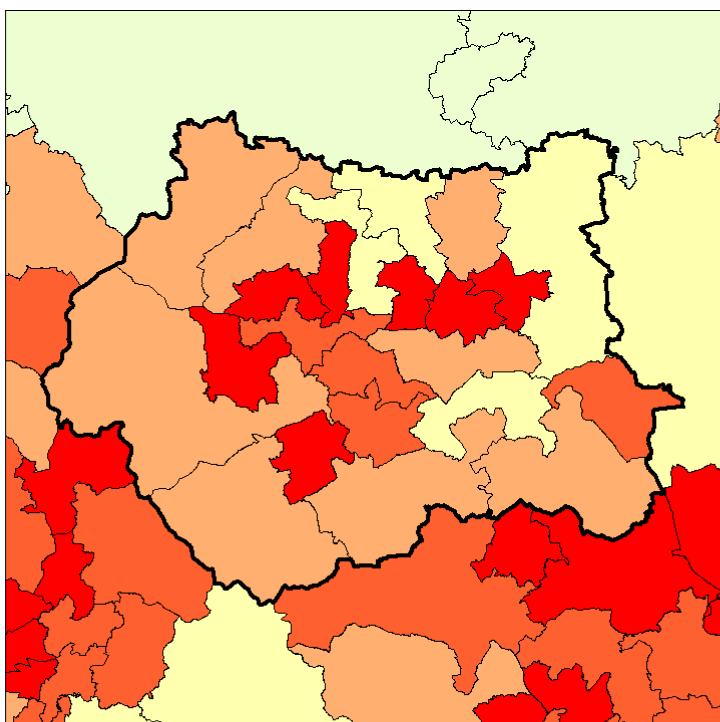


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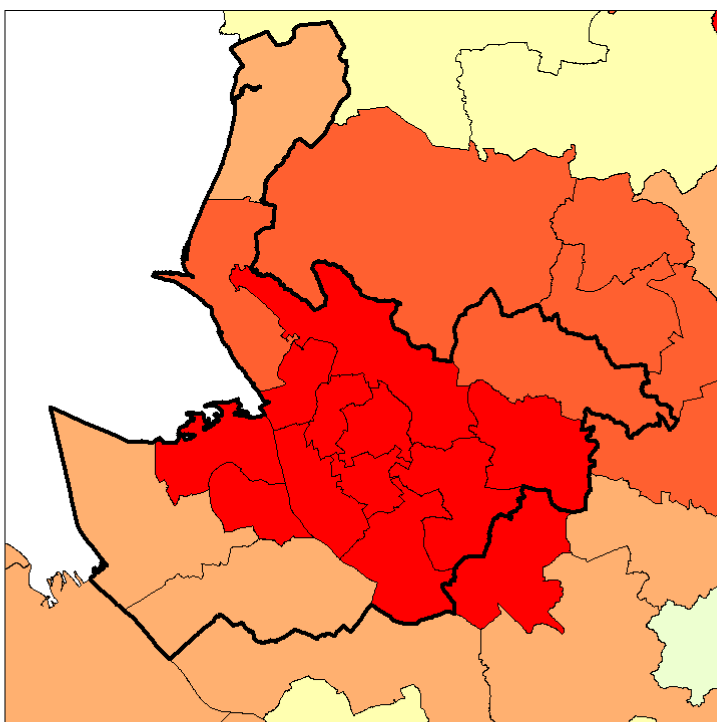
*residence-based claimant count*

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West Yorkshire



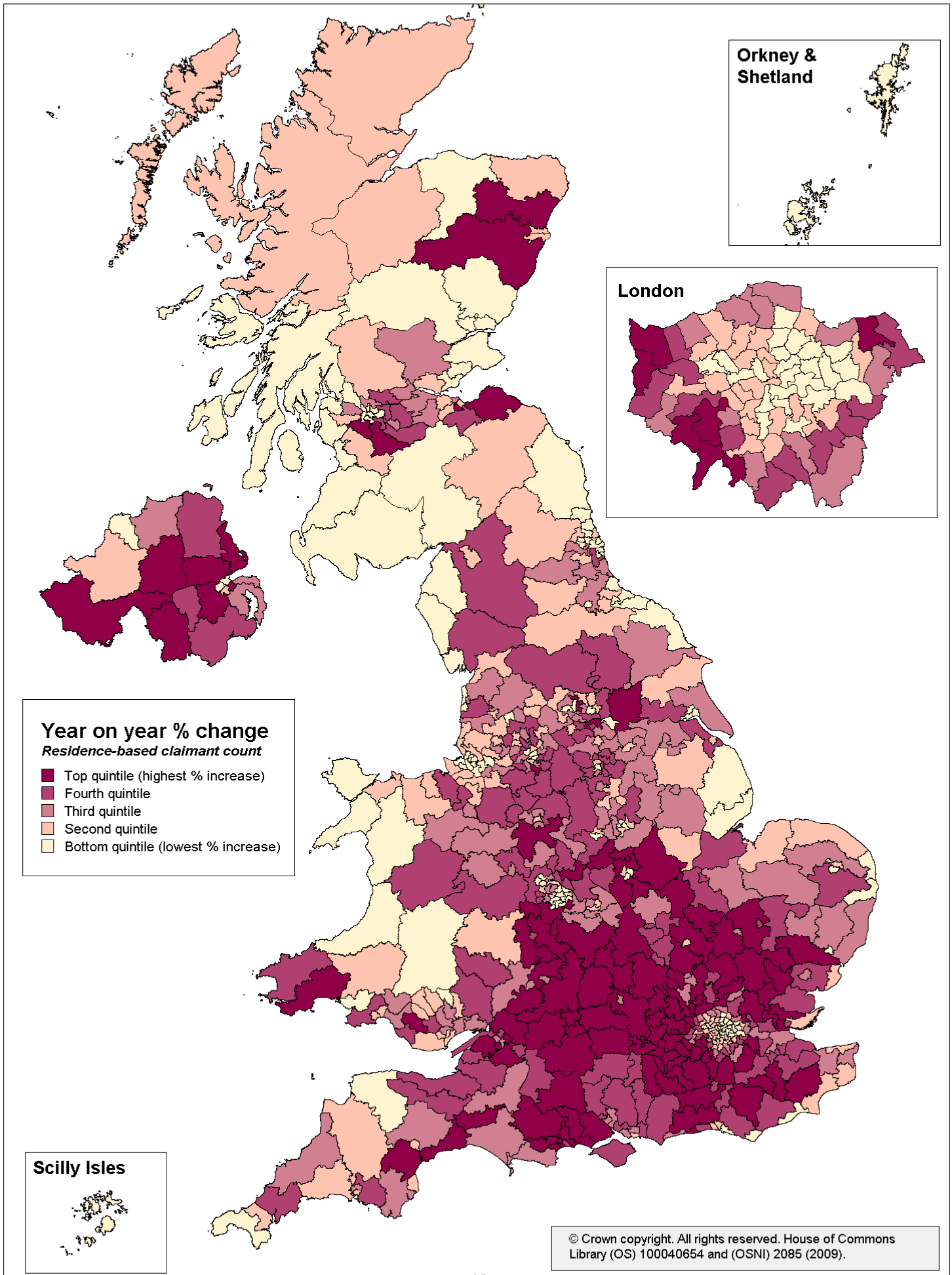
Merseyside



## II B. Percentage change in claimant count

*Constituencies in United Kingdom, September 2008 to September 2009*

Percentage increase in residence-based claimant count, expressed as quintile groups (20% bands)



## Explanatory notes

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

### Claimant count rate by constituency, September 2009 (pages 10-12)

- The maps on pages 10-12 show residence-based claimant count rates for September 2009 for constituencies in the United Kingdom, with an expanded view of constituencies in selected major conurbations and surrounding areas.
- 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 129 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 September 2009 the top quintile (coloured red) is made up of constituencies with unemployment rates ranging from 7.5% to 21.2%, while the bottom quintile (coloured yellow/light green) is made up of constituencies with unemployment rates ranging from 1.2% to 3.4% (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.

### Percentage change in claimant count levels, September 2008 to September 2009 (page 13)

- The map on page 13 shows the percentage change in residence-based claimant count levels between September 2008 and September 2009 for constituencies in the United Kingdom.
- 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 129 constituencies (20% of the total in the United Kingdom).
- These groups have been colour-coded, from reddish violet – the 20% of constituencies with the highest percentage increase in unemployment levels – through to pale yellow – the 20% with the lowest increase in unemployment levels.
- It is important to note that the range of percentage changes covered by each band is different. For example, in September 2009 the top quintile (coloured reddish violet) is made up of constituencies with changes in claimant count levels ranging from +97.8% to +161.6%, while the bottom quintile (coloured pale yellow) is made up of constituencies with changes in claimant count levels ranging from +25.4% to +55.2% (all rounded).
- Note also that constituencies with rates near the boundaries of these quintiles will be coloured differently even though their percentage changes in claimant count levels may only differ slightly from those in another, neighbouring quintile group.
- This map is based on the percentage change in the absolute level of claimants by constituency. Constituencies with relatively low absolute numbers of claimants may appear in this map in the higher quintiles and vice versa; for example, the constituency with the highest percentage rise in claimants (161.6%, 380 claimants to 994 claimants), is also one of the constituencies with the lowest unemployment rates (2.3% in September 2009); the constituency with the highest unemployment rate (21.2%) has the second lowest percentage change (25.6%, 7,184 claimants to 9,026 claimants).

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## C Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, United Kingdom, September 2009

### 1. (not seasonally adjusted) - highest and lowest

Rank by overall unemployment rate					Party	Claimants			Rate			
UK	Eng	Wal	Scot	NI		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
1	1	-	-	-	Birmingham, Ladywood	INL	6,801	2,225	9,026	26.2%	13.3%	21.2%
2	2	-	-	-	Birmingham, Sparkbrook & Small Heath	LAB	5,449	1,856	7,305	21.2%	12.5%	18.0%
3	3	-	-	-	Birmingham, Hodge Hill	LAB	3,794	1,312	5,106	21.6%	10.4%	16.9%
4	-	-	-	1	Belfast West	SF	3,741	972	4,713	22.8%	7.4%	15.9%
5	4	-	-	-	Liverpool, Riverside	LAB	3,875	1,375	5,250	19.2%	8.2%	14.2%
6	5	-	-	-	Liverpool, Walton	LAB	3,457	1,159	4,616	18.7%	7.8%	13.8%
7	6	-	-	-	Birmingham, Erdington	LAB	4,079	1,444	5,523	18.2%	8.0%	13.6%
8	7	-	-	-	Wolverhampton South East	LAB	2,817	1,169	3,986	16.6%	9.4%	13.6%
9	8	-	-	-	Middlesbrough	LAB	3,721	1,175	4,896	17.4%	7.2%	13.0%
10	9	-	-	-	Bootle	LAB	2,865	1,029	3,894	17.7%	7.3%	12.8%
11	10	-	-	-	Leeds Central	LAB	4,454	1,507	5,961	17.0%	7.2%	12.7%
12	11	-	-	-	Birkenhead	LAB	2,917	1,004	3,921	17.4%	7.0%	12.6%
13	-	1	-	-	Blaenau Gwent	IND	2,438	885	3,323	16.0%	7.4%	12.2%
14	12	-	-	-	Walsall South	LAB	3,086	1,232	4,318	15.0%	8.2%	12.1%
15	13	-	-	-	Manchester, Central	LAB	3,914	1,343	5,257	15.7%	7.3%	12.1%
16	-	2	-	-	Merthyr Tydfil & Rhymney	LAB	2,506	789	3,295	16.5%	6.5%	12.1%
17	-	-	1	-	Glasgow North East	VAC	3,150	1,062	4,212	17.2%	6.4%	12.0%
18	14	-	-	-	Birmingham, Perry Barr	LAB	3,754	1,442	5,196	15.3%	7.7%	12.0%
19	15	-	-	-	Liverpool, West Derby	IND	3,109	1,129	4,238	15.9%	7.0%	11.9%
20	16	-	-	-	Bethnal Green & Bow	RES	4,366	1,862	6,228	13.6%	8.7%	11.7%
21	17	-	-	-	Hackney South & Shoreditch	LAB	3,682	1,864	5,546	14.2%	8.6%	11.6%
22	18	-	-	-	West Bromwich West	LAB	3,392	1,284	4,676	14.8%	7.4%	11.6%
23	19	-	-	-	Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle	LAB	3,611	1,079	4,690	15.5%	6.3%	11.6%
24	20	-	-	-	Kingston upon Hull North	LAB	3,659	1,206	4,865	15.2%	6.6%	11.5%
25	21	-	-	-	Tottenham	LAB	3,966	1,920	5,886	13.3%	8.7%	11.3%
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622	-	-	55	-	Ross, Skye and Lochaber	LD	605	191	796	3.5%	1.2%	2.4%
623	510	-	-	-	North West Hampshire (a)	CON	943	396	1,339	3.1%	1.6%	2.4%
624	511	-	-	-	Esher & Walton	CON	872	406	1,278	2.9%	1.8%	2.4%
625	512	-	-	-	Northavon	LD	886	414	1,300	2.9%	1.8%	2.4%
626	513	-	-	-	Wimbledon	CON	859	450	1,309	2.8%	1.9%	2.4%
627	514	-	-	-	Romsey	LD	760	309	1,069	3.0%	1.6%	2.4%
628	515	-	-	-	Vale of York	CON	794	392	1,186	2.8%	1.8%	2.4%
629	516	-	-	-	Winchester	LD	894	359	1,253	3.0%	1.5%	2.4%
630	517	-	-	-	Mole Valley	CON	697	297	994	2.9%	1.6%	2.3%
631	518	-	-	-	South Cambridgeshire	CON	872	312	1,184	3.1%	1.4%	2.3%
632	519	-	-	-	North East Hampshire	CON	799	383	1,182	2.7%	1.8%	2.3%
633	520	-	-	-	Skipton & Ripon	CON	862	295	1,157	3.0%	1.4%	2.3%
634	521	-	-	-	Woodspring	CON	737	304	1,041	2.9%	1.5%	2.2%
635	-	-	56	-	Aberdeen South	LAB	747	320	1,067	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%
636	522	-	-	-	Buckingham	SPKR	718	340	1,058	2.7%	1.6%	2.2%
637	523	-	-	-	Ribble Valley	CON	737	296	1,033	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%
638	524	-	-	-	North Dorset	CON	641	294	935	2.5%	1.5%	2.1%
639	525	-	-	-	Penrith & The Border	CON	657	257	914	2.7%	1.3%	2.1%
640	526	-	-	-	Henley	CON	645	256	901	2.7%	1.3%	2.1%
641	527	-	-	-	Witney	CON	794	311	1,105	2.7%	1.3%	2.1%
642	528	-	-	-	West Dorset	CON	532	224	756	2.5%	1.3%	2.0%
643	529	-	-	-	Westmorland & Lonsdale	LD	416	163	579	1.8%	0.9%	1.4%
644	-	-	57	-	Orkney and Shetland	LD	198	98	296	1.7%	1.0%	1.3%
645	-	-	58	-	Gordon	LD	449	211	660	1.6%	0.9%	1.3%
646	-	-	59	-	West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine	LD	385	170	555	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
United Kingdom							1,149,365	441,747	1,591,112	7.2%	3.5%	5.5%

**C Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency,  
United Kingdom, September 2009  
2. (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing**

Rank by overall unemployment rate					Party	Claimants			Rate			
UK	Eng	Wal	Scot	NI		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
134	-	8	-	-	Aberavon	LAB	1,380	475	1,855	9.9%	4.3%	7.4%
475	-	-	41	-	Aberdeen North	LAB	1,251	411	1,662	5.3%	2.0%	3.8%
635	-	-	56	-	Aberdeen South	LAB	747	320	1,067	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%
111	-	-	8	-	Airdrie and Shotts	LAB	2,335	771	3,106	11.4%	4.2%	8.0%
504	404	-	-	-	Aldershot	CON	1,547	657	2,204	4.3%	2.4%	3.5%
174	138	-	-	-	Aldridge - Brownhills	CON	1,862	684	2,546	9.1%	4.3%	7.0%
489	393	-	-	-	Altrincham & Sale West	CON	1,139	473	1,612	4.6%	2.4%	3.6%
356	-	29	-	-	Alyn & Deeside	LAB	1,352	537	1,889	6.2%	3.1%	4.9%
347	275	-	-	-	Amber Valley	LAB	1,624	627	2,251	6.4%	3.2%	5.0%
425	-	-	37	-	Angus	SNP	1,239	447	1,686	5.9%	2.4%	4.3%
498	-	-	43	-	Argyll and Bute	LD	1,153	444	1,597	4.7%	2.2%	3.6%
597	488	-	-	-	Arundel & South Downs	CON	811	333	1,144	3.4%	1.8%	2.7%
256	202	-	-	-	Ashfield	LAB	1,960	725	2,685	7.7%	3.7%	6.0%
474	381	-	-	-	Ashford	CON	1,431	577	2,008	4.9%	2.5%	3.8%
152	122	-	-	-	Ashton under Lyne	LAB	2,423	835	3,258	9.8%	4.1%	7.2%
551	447	-	-	-	Aylesbury	CON	1,244	511	1,755	3.9%	2.0%	3.1%
225	-	-	20	-	Ayr, Carrick and Cumnock	LAB	2,001	630	2,631	9.1%	3.1%	6.2%
541	437	-	-	-	Banbury	CON	1,413	569	1,982	4.0%	2.0%	3.1%
613	-	-	54	-	Banff and Buchan	SNP	761	325	1,086	3.2%	1.7%	2.5%
118	98	-	-	-	Barking (a)	LAB	1,934	921	2,855	9.2%	5.9%	7.8%
93	80	-	-	-	Barnsley Central	LAB	2,142	775	2,917	11.3%	5.1%	8.5%
90	77	-	-	-	Barnsley East & Mexborough	LAB	2,357	808	3,165	11.4%	5.0%	8.6%
255	201	-	-	-	Barnsley West & Penistone	LAB	1,738	595	2,333	8.0%	3.4%	6.0%
366	293	-	-	-	Barrow & Furness	LAB	1,313	480	1,793	6.2%	2.9%	4.7%
250	197	-	-	-	Basildon	LAB	1,982	861	2,843	7.5%	4.1%	6.0%
488	392	-	-	-	Basingstoke (a)	CON	1,447	694	2,141	4.4%	2.7%	3.6%
336	266	-	-	-	Bassetlaw	LAB	1,526	553	2,079	6.6%	3.1%	5.1%
540	436	-	-	-	Bath (a)(b)	LD	1,043	455	1,498	4.0%	2.1%	3.2%
196	155	-	-	-	Batley & Spen	LAB	2,031	706	2,737	8.8%	3.9%	6.6%
398	321	-	-	-	Battersea	LAB	1,668	850	2,518	5.5%	3.2%	4.4%
596	487	-	-	-	Beaconsfield	CON	777	394	1,171	3.2%	2.1%	2.7%
388	313	-	-	-	Beckenham	CON	1,590	789	2,379	5.6%	3.3%	4.5%
185	146	-	-	-	Bedford	LAB	2,397	896	3,293	8.9%	4.2%	6.8%
277	-	-	14	-	Belfast East	DU	1,531	462	1,993	8.2%	2.9%	5.8%
39	-	-	3	-	Belfast North	DU	2,514	673	3,187	15.0%	4.9%	10.4%
264	-	-	13	-	Belfast South	SDLP	1,950	632	2,582	8.4%	3.1%	5.9%
4	-	-	1	-	Belfast West	SF	3,741	972	4,713	22.8%	7.4%	15.9%
517	-	-	45	-	Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk	LD	1,122	422	1,544	4.7%	1.9%	3.3%
460	368	-	-	-	Berwick-upon-Tweed	LD	903	377	1,280	5.0%	2.6%	3.9%
20	16	-	-	-	Bethnal Green & Bow	RES	4,366	1,862	6,228	13.6%	8.7%	11.7%
426	340	-	-	-	Beverley & Holderness	CON	1,476	554	2,030	5.5%	2.6%	4.2%
456	365	-	-	-	Bexhill & Battle	CON	1,005	406	1,411	5.1%	2.6%	4.0%
396	319	-	-	-	Bexleyheath & Crayford	CON	1,161	689	1,850	5.1%	3.7%	4.5%
377	303	-	-	-	Billericay	CON	1,638	716	2,354	5.7%	3.2%	4.6%
12	11	-	-	-	Birkenhead	LAB	2,917	1,004	3,921	17.4%	7.0%	12.6%
68	59	-	-	-	Birmingham, Edgbaston	LAB	2,738	949	3,687	13.0%	5.1%	9.3%
7	6	-	-	-	Birmingham, Erdington	LAB	4,079	1,444	5,523	18.2%	8.0%	13.6%
63	54	-	-	-	Birmingham, Hall Green	LAB	2,448	910	3,358	12.5%	5.7%	9.4%
3	3	-	-	-	Birmingham, Hodge Hill	LAB	3,794	1,312	5,106	21.6%	10.4%	16.9%
1	1	-	-	-	Birmingham, Ladywood	INL	6,801	2,225	9,026	26.2%	13.3%	21.2%
75	65	-	-	-	Birmingham, Northfield	LAB	2,299	827	3,126	12.4%	5.2%	9.0%
18	14	-	-	-	Birmingham, Perry Barr	LAB	3,754	1,442	5,196	15.3%	7.7%	12.0%
92	79	-	-	-	Birmingham, Selly Oak	LAB	2,623	1,021	3,644	11.3%	5.3%	8.5%
2	2	-	-	-	Birmingham, Sparkbrook & Small Heath	LAB	5,449	1,856	7,305	21.2%	12.5%	18.0%
27	23	-	-	-	Birmingham, Yardley	LD	2,725	947	3,672	15.0%	6.6%	11.3%
163	129	-	-	-	Bishop Auckland	LAB	2,078	621	2,699	9.9%	3.7%	7.1%



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525	423	-	-	-	Blaby	CON	1,184	550	1,734	4.1%	2.3%	3.3%
107	92	-	-	-	Blackburn	LAB	2,556	760	3,316	10.6%	4.5%	8.1%
328	260	-	-	-	Blackpool North & Fleetwood	LAB	1,680	457	2,137	7.4%	2.4%	5.1%
189	149	-	-	-	Blackpool South	LAB	2,189	683	2,872	9.4%	3.6%	6.8%
13	-	1	-	-	Blaenau Gwent	IND	2,438	885	3,323	16.0%	7.4%	12.2%
276	218	-	-	-	Blaydon	LAB	1,539	557	2,096	7.8%	3.3%	5.8%
203	160	-	-	-	Blyth Valley	LAB	1,855	664	2,519	8.9%	3.8%	6.5%
357	284	-	-	-	Bognor Regis & Littlehampton	CON	1,397	520	1,917	6.4%	3.0%	4.8%
269	212	-	-	-	Bolsover	LAB	1,688	585	2,273	7.7%	3.4%	5.8%
126	105	-	-	-	Bolton North East	LAB	2,227	732	2,959	10.3%	4.2%	7.6%
77	67	-	-	-	Bolton South East	LAB	2,653	932	3,585	11.8%	5.4%	9.0%
378	304	-	-	-	Bolton West	LAB	1,407	496	1,903	6.2%	2.6%	4.6%
10	9	-	-	-	Bootle	LAB	2,865	1,029	3,894	17.7%	7.3%	12.8%
322	255	-	-	-	Boston & Skegness	CON	1,537	582	2,119	6.6%	3.3%	5.2%
450	361	-	-	-	Bosworth	CON	1,358	555	1,913	5.1%	2.6%	4.0%
342	271	-	-	-	Bournemouth East	CON	1,399	522	1,921	6.7%	3.0%	5.0%
312	249	-	-	-	Bournemouth West	CON	1,458	531	1,989	7.0%	3.3%	5.4%
559	454	-	-	-	Bracknell	CON	1,337	566	1,903	3.8%	2.0%	3.0%
67	58	-	-	-	Bradford North	LAB	2,890	951	3,841	12.1%	5.5%	9.3%
133	111	-	-	-	Bradford South	LAB	2,553	926	3,479	9.9%	4.4%	7.5%
48	41	-	-	-	Bradford West	LAB	3,088	1,146	4,234	12.0%	7.2%	10.1%
387	312	-	-	-	Braintree	CON	1,757	746	2,503	5.6%	3.1%	4.5%
481	-	36	-	-	Brecon & Radnorshire	LD	778	323	1,101	4.7%	2.5%	3.7%
132	110	-	-	-	Brent East	LD	2,398	1,215	3,613	9.0%	5.6%	7.5%
360	287	-	-	-	Brent North	LAB	1,274	694	1,968	5.4%	4.0%	4.8%
73	63	-	-	-	Brent South	LAB	2,664	1,318	3,982	10.9%	6.9%	9.2%
401	324	-	-	-	Brentford & Isleworth	LAB	1,806	983	2,789	5.1%	3.5%	4.4%
549	445	-	-	-	Brentwood & Ongar	CON	830	418	1,248	3.7%	2.4%	3.1%
283	-	23	-	-	Bridgend	LAB	1,458	574	2,032	7.4%	3.6%	5.7%
437	350	-	-	-	Bridgwater	CON	1,378	483	1,861	5.5%	2.4%	4.2%
326	258	-	-	-	Brigg & Goole	LAB	1,537	577	2,114	6.6%	3.3%	5.2%
249	196	-	-	-	Brighton, Kemptown	LAB	1,793	711	2,504	7.6%	3.9%	6.0%
254	200	-	-	-	Brighton, Pavilion	LAB	1,967	879	2,846	7.6%	4.1%	6.0%
226	176	-	-	-	Bristol East	LAB	2,395	910	3,305	8.1%	3.8%	6.2%
362	289	-	-	-	Bristol North West	LAB	1,892	768	2,660	6.1%	3.1%	4.8%
233	183	-	-	-	Bristol South	LAB	2,217	802	3,019	8.1%	3.7%	6.2%
468	375	-	-	-	Bristol West	LD	1,752	707	2,459	5.0%	2.4%	3.8%
428	342	-	-	-	Bromley & Chislehurst	CON	1,233	681	1,914	5.0%	3.3%	4.2%
343	272	-	-	-	Bromsgrove	CON	1,571	649	2,220	6.4%	3.2%	5.0%
424	339	-	-	-	Broxbourne	CON	1,310	681	1,991	5.0%	3.3%	4.3%
452	362	-	-	-	Broxtowe	LAB	1,392	568	1,960	5.1%	2.6%	4.0%
636	522	-	-	-	Buckingham	SPKR	718	340	1,058	2.7%	1.6%	2.2%
222	173	-	-	-	Burnley	LAB	1,833	653	2,486	8.4%	3.6%	6.3%
358	285	-	-	-	Burton	LAB	1,699	696	2,395	6.1%	3.3%	4.8%
299	236	-	-	-	Bury North	LAB	1,838	630	2,468	7.5%	3.1%	5.5%
301	238	-	-	-	Bury South	LAB	1,676	676	2,352	7.2%	3.5%	5.5%
545	441	-	-	-	Bury St Edmunds	CON	1,174	447	1,621	4.0%	2.0%	3.1%
497	-	37	-	-	Caernarfon	PC	695	209	904	4.9%	1.9%	3.6%
108	-	6	-	-	Caerphilly	LAB	2,310	739	3,049	11.0%	4.4%	8.1%
415	-	-	35	-	Caitness, Sutherland and Easter Ross	LD	914	307	1,221	6.0%	2.4%	4.4%
323	256	-	-	-	Calder Valley	LAB	1,895	718	2,613	6.9%	3.1%	5.2%
56	49	-	-	-	Camberwell & Peckham	LAB	2,813	1,262	4,075	12.3%	6.7%	9.8%
485	390	-	-	-	Cambridge	LD	1,286	484	1,770	4.7%	2.3%	3.7%
206	162	-	-	-	Cannock Chase	LAB	2,339	813	3,152	8.7%	3.8%	6.5%
516	415	-	-	-	Canterbury	CON	1,192	449	1,641	4.5%	2.0%	3.4%
202	-	17	-	-	Cardiff Central	LD	1,779	587	2,366	9.0%	3.6%	6.6%
457	-	34	-	-	Cardiff North	LAB	1,205	427	1,632	5.5%	2.3%	4.0%

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105	-	5	-	-	Cardiff South & Penarth	LAB	2,468	864	3,332	11.0%	4.6%	8.1%
137	-	9	-	-	Cardiff West	LAB	1,921	714	2,635	10.0%	4.4%	7.4%
367	294	-	-	-	Carlisle	LAB	1,333	427	1,760	6.6%	2.5%	4.7%
465	-	35	-	-	Carmarthen East & Dinefwr	PC	813	310	1,123	5.1%	2.4%	3.9%
422	-	32	-	-	Carmarthen West & South Pembrokeshire	LAB	984	312	1,296	5.9%	2.3%	4.3%
420	337	-	-	-	Carshalton & Wallington	LD	1,376	726	2,102	5.1%	3.3%	4.3%
392	315	-	-	-	Castle Point	IND	1,332	524	1,856	5.6%	3.0%	4.5%
239	-	-	21	-	Central Ayrshire	LAB	1,931	674	2,605	8.8%	3.3%	6.1%
543	439	-	-	-	Central Suffolk & North Ipswich	CON	1,046	437	1,483	4.0%	2.1%	3.1%
592	-	40	-	-	Ceredigion	LD	620	233	853	3.5%	1.7%	2.7%
513	412	-	-	-	Charnwood	CON	1,180	496	1,676	4.3%	2.2%	3.4%
300	237	-	-	-	Chatham & Aylesford	LAB	1,960	721	2,681	7.2%	3.4%	5.5%
547	443	-	-	-	Cheadle	LD	883	356	1,239	4.0%	2.0%	3.1%
286	224	-	-	-	Cheltenham	LD	1,933	708	2,641	7.5%	3.4%	5.7%
608	497	-	-	-	Chesham & Amersham	CON	763	326	1,089	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%
402	325	-	-	-	Chester, City of	LAB	1,386	544	1,930	5.8%	2.7%	4.4%
230	180	-	-	-	Chesterfield	LD	2,001	667	2,668	8.4%	3.5%	6.2%
521	419	-	-	-	Chichester	CON	1,015	454	1,469	4.1%	2.3%	3.3%
308	245	-	-	-	Chingford & Woodford Green	CON	1,331	717	2,048	6.4%	4.2%	5.4%
419	336	-	-	-	Chipping Barnet	CON	1,306	796	2,102	4.8%	3.8%	4.3%
458	366	-	-	-	Chorley	LAB	1,521	527	2,048	5.3%	2.3%	4.0%
552	448	-	-	-	Christchurch	CON	776	301	1,077	4.0%	1.9%	3.1%
530	426	-	-	-	Cities of London & Westminster	CON	1,645	847	2,492	3.8%	2.6%	3.3%
268	211	-	-	-	Cleethorpes	LAB	1,840	658	2,498	7.6%	3.5%	5.8%
315	-	27	-	-	Clwyd South (a)(b)	LAB	1,345	453	1,798	7.1%	3.1%	5.4%
290	-	26	-	-	Clwyd West (c)(a)	CON	1,248	381	1,629	7.8%	2.9%	5.6%
178	-	-	17	-	Coatbridge, Chryston and Bellshill	LAB	2,182	774	2,956	9.9%	3.7%	6.9%
363	290	-	-	-	Colchester	LD	1,988	769	2,757	6.1%	3.0%	4.7%
305	242	-	-	-	Colne Valley	LAB	1,947	704	2,651	7.3%	3.2%	5.4%
477	383	-	-	-	Congleton	CON	1,220	461	1,681	4.9%	2.3%	3.8%
285	-	25	-	-	Conwy	LAB	1,305	372	1,677	8.1%	2.8%	5.7%
397	320	-	-	-	Copeland	LAB	1,073	347	1,420	5.9%	2.5%	4.5%
292	229	-	-	-	Corby	LAB	1,977	873	2,850	7.0%	3.9%	5.6%
590	482	-	-	-	Cotswold	CON	864	332	1,196	3.5%	1.8%	2.8%
54	47	-	-	-	Coventry North East	LAB	3,372	1,237	4,609	12.7%	6.3%	10.0%
170	135	-	-	-	Coventry North West	LAB	2,568	911	3,479	9.3%	4.2%	7.0%
123	102	-	-	-	Coventry South	LAB	2,477	865	3,342	9.9%	4.6%	7.6%
353	281	-	-	-	Crawley	LAB	1,769	808	2,577	6.1%	3.4%	4.9%
271	214	-	-	-	Crewe & Nantwich	CON	1,917	740	2,657	7.5%	3.7%	5.8%
227	177	-	-	-	Crosby	LAB	1,392	563	1,955	8.2%	3.8%	6.2%
257	203	-	-	-	Croydon Central	INC	2,282	1,131	3,413	7.2%	4.4%	5.9%
164	130	-	-	-	Croydon North	LAB	2,921	1,446	4,367	8.8%	5.1%	7.1%
464	372	-	-	-	Croydon South	CON	1,274	671	1,945	4.6%	3.0%	3.9%
313	-	-	24	-	Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East	LAB	1,760	551	2,311	7.9%	2.6%	5.4%
89	-	4	-	-	Cynon Valley	LAB	1,557	553	2,110	11.4%	5.1%	8.6%
96	83	-	-	-	Dagenham	LAB	1,971	1,026	2,997	9.9%	6.5%	8.4%
122	101	-	-	-	Darlington	LAB	2,214	734	2,948	10.4%	4.2%	7.6%
390	314	-	-	-	Dartford	LAB	1,531	716	2,247	5.6%	3.2%	4.5%
506	405	-	-	-	Daventry	CON	1,602	693	2,295	4.2%	2.4%	3.4%
344	-	28	-	-	Delyn	LAB	1,176	446	1,622	6.4%	3.1%	5.0%
190	150	-	-	-	Denton & Reddish	LAB	2,193	690	2,883	9.4%	3.5%	6.7%
282	223	-	-	-	Derby North	LAB	1,982	700	2,682	7.6%	3.3%	5.7%
104	90	-	-	-	Derby South	LAB	2,972	1,132	4,104	10.3%	5.2%	8.1%
514	413	-	-	-	Devizes	CON	1,367	561	1,928	4.2%	2.3%	3.4%
162	128	-	-	-	Dewsbury	LAB	2,041	754	2,795	9.1%	4.5%	7.1%
247	194	-	-	-	Don Valley	LAB	1,794	578	2,372	8.1%	3.4%	6.0%
72	62	-	-	-	Doncaster Central	LAB	2,853	838	3,691	12.7%	4.7%	9.2%

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94	81	-	-	-	Doncaster North	LAB	2,198	828	3,026	10.9%	5.2%	8.4%
355	283	-	-	-	Dover	LAB	1,461	511	1,972	6.6%	2.8%	4.9%
80	70	-	-	-	Dudley North	LAB	2,691	948	3,639	11.6%	5.3%	8.9%
117	97	-	-	-	Dudley South	LAB	2,350	832	3,182	10.1%	4.7%	7.8%
220	171	-	-	-	Dulwich & West Norwood	LAB	2,247	1,171	3,418	7.7%	4.7%	6.3%
410	-	-	33	-	Dumfries and Galloway	LAB	1,435	516	1,951	6.2%	2.4%	4.4%
502	-	-	44	-	Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale	CON	1,067	379	1,446	5.0%	1.9%	3.5%
319	-	-	26	-	Dundee East	SNP	1,624	502	2,126	7.9%	2.5%	5.3%
131	-	-	9	-	Dundee West	LAB	2,246	682	2,928	11.3%	3.5%	7.5%
325	-	-	27	-	Dunfermline and West Fife	LD	1,870	642	2,512	7.4%	2.8%	5.2%
399	322	-	-	-	Durham, City of	LAB	1,389	439	1,828	6.1%	2.4%	4.4%
248	195	-	-	-	Ealing North (a)	LAB	2,206	1,252	3,458	6.9%	4.9%	6.0%
211	165	-	-	-	Ealing Southall	LAB	2,672	1,305	3,977	7.6%	5.0%	6.5%
184	145	-	-	-	Ealing, Acton & Shepherd's Bush	LAB	2,782	1,349	4,131	8.2%	5.1%	6.8%
84	72	-	-	-	Easington	LAB	2,101	645	2,746	12.1%	4.5%	8.7%
188	-	-	-	8	East Antrim	DU	2,119	632	2,751	9.3%	3.5%	6.8%
599	490	-	-	-	East Devon	CON	700	281	981	3.4%	1.7%	2.7%
570	-	-	51	-	East Dunbartonshire	LD	860	342	1,202	4.1%	1.7%	2.9%
85	73	-	-	-	East Ham	LAB	2,889	1,334	4,223	9.6%	7.2%	8.7%
558	453	-	-	-	East Hampshire	CON	1,045	407	1,452	3.9%	1.9%	3.0%
341	-	-	30	-	East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow	LAB	1,857	662	2,519	7.2%	2.7%	5.0%
112	-	-	-	5	East Londonderry	DU	2,381	760	3,141	10.4%	4.6%	8.0%
487	-	-	42	-	East Lothian	LAB	1,241	430	1,671	5.3%	1.9%	3.7%
526	-	-	46	-	East Renfrewshire	LAB	1,021	416	1,437	4.5%	2.0%	3.3%
612	501	-	-	-	East Surrey	CON	892	402	1,294	3.2%	1.8%	2.6%
393	316	-	-	-	East Worthing & Shoreham	CON	1,366	576	1,942	5.8%	3.0%	4.5%
384	309	-	-	-	East Yorkshire	CON	1,456	557	2,013	5.8%	2.9%	4.6%
348	276	-	-	-	Eastbourne	CON	1,562	622	2,184	6.5%	3.1%	4.9%
533	429	-	-	-	Eastleigh	LD	1,248	502	1,750	4.2%	2.0%	3.2%
191	151	-	-	-	Eccles	LAB	2,178	726	2,904	9.1%	3.7%	6.7%
466	373	-	-	-	Eddisbury	CON	1,209	500	1,709	4.9%	2.6%	3.9%
332	-	-	29	-	Edinburgh East	LAB	1,827	608	2,435	7.7%	2.5%	5.1%
389	-	-	31	-	Edinburgh North and Leith	LAB	1,839	697	2,536	6.4%	2.5%	4.5%
566	-	-	49	-	Edinburgh South	LAB	964	368	1,332	4.2%	1.7%	3.0%
439	-	-	38	-	Edinburgh South West	LAB	1,604	582	2,186	5.8%	2.3%	4.1%
527	-	-	47	-	Edinburgh West	LD	1,116	384	1,500	4.8%	1.7%	3.3%
88	76	-	-	-	Edmonton	LAB	2,438	1,280	3,718	10.1%	6.7%	8.6%
350	278	-	-	-	Ellesmere Port & Neston	LAB	1,563	499	2,062	6.8%	2.6%	4.9%
473	380	-	-	-	Elmet	LAB	1,208	473	1,681	5.0%	2.4%	3.8%
204	161	-	-	-	Eltham	LAB	1,584	804	2,388	7.9%	4.9%	6.5%
166	132	-	-	-	Enfield North	LAB	2,203	1,143	3,346	8.3%	5.5%	7.1%
333	263	-	-	-	Enfield, Southgate	CON	1,427	820	2,247	5.7%	4.3%	5.1%
382	307	-	-	-	Epping Forest	CON	1,368	774	2,142	5.2%	3.8%	4.6%
583	475	-	-	-	Epsom & Ewell	CON	889	478	1,367	3.3%	2.2%	2.8%
244	192	-	-	-	Erewash	LAB	2,315	825	3,140	8.1%	3.6%	6.1%
124	103	-	-	-	Erith & Thamesmead	LAB	2,442	1,278	3,720	9.1%	5.8%	7.6%
624	511	-	-	-	Esher & Walton	CON	872	406	1,278	2.9%	1.8%	2.4%
484	389	-	-	-	Exeter	LAB	1,543	633	2,176	4.8%	2.3%	3.7%
317	-	-	25	-	Falkirk	LAB	2,134	669	2,803	7.8%	2.6%	5.3%
417	334	-	-	-	Falmouth & Camborne	LD	1,373	463	1,836	5.9%	2.5%	4.4%
589	481	-	-	-	Fareham	CON	900	391	1,291	3.5%	1.9%	2.8%
493	397	-	-	-	Faversham & Mid Kent	CON	1,104	446	1,550	4.6%	2.4%	3.6%
291	228	-	-	-	Feltham & Heston	LAB	1,830	979	2,809	6.4%	4.6%	5.6%
213	-	-	-	10	Fermanagh & South Tyrone	SF	2,080	729	2,809	8.1%	4.1%	6.4%
431	344	-	-	-	Finchley & Golders Green	LAB	1,409	885	2,294	4.7%	3.6%	4.2%
309	246	-	-	-	Folkestone & Hythe	CON	1,769	622	2,391	7.2%	3.1%	5.4%
433	346	-	-	-	Forest of Dean	CON	1,200	496	1,696	5.2%	2.8%	4.2%

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28	-	-	-	2	Foyle	SDLP	3,738	1,161	4,899	15.0%	6.3%	11.3%
565	460	-	-	-	Fylde	CON	928	356	1,284	3.8%	1.9%	3.0%
364	291	-	-	-	Gainsborough	CON	1,406	554	1,960	6.1%	3.0%	4.7%
181	142	-	-	-	Gateshead East & Washington West	LAB	1,881	643	2,524	9.4%	3.9%	6.9%
395	318	-	-	-	Gedling	LAB	1,467	531	1,998	6.1%	2.6%	4.5%
351	279	-	-	-	Gillingham	LAB	1,778	682	2,460	6.3%	3.1%	4.9%
71	-	-	4	-	Glasgow Central	LAB	2,602	789	3,391	12.7%	4.8%	9.2%
36	-	-	2	-	Glasgow East	SNP	2,833	844	3,677	16.0%	4.9%	10.6%
167	-	-	14	-	Glasgow North	LAB	1,756	694	2,450	9.9%	4.1%	7.1%
17	-	-	1	-	Glasgow North East	VAC	3,150	1,062	4,212	17.2%	6.4%	12.0%
82	-	-	5	-	Glasgow North West	LAB	2,439	813	3,252	12.7%	4.6%	8.8%
212	-	-	19	-	Glasgow South	LAB	2,098	745	2,843	9.0%	3.6%	6.5%
61	-	-	3	-	Glasgow South West	LAB	2,532	837	3,369	14.2%	4.9%	9.6%
144	-	-	10	-	Glenrothes	LAB	2,384	763	3,147	10.7%	3.7%	7.3%
281	222	-	-	-	Gloucester	LAB	2,427	813	3,240	7.8%	3.2%	5.7%
645	-	-	58	-	Gordon	LD	449	211	660	1.6%	0.9%	1.3%
503	403	-	-	-	Gosport	CON	1,171	445	1,616	4.5%	2.2%	3.5%
403	-	31	-	-	Gower	LAB	1,070	377	1,447	5.9%	2.6%	4.4%
435	348	-	-	-	Grantham & Stamford	LAB	1,465	626	2,091	5.2%	2.8%	4.2%
279	220	-	-	-	Gravesham	CON	1,851	809	2,660	7.1%	4.0%	5.7%
43	36	-	-	-	Great Grimsby	LAB	3,099	1,013	4,112	13.8%	5.9%	10.4%
135	112	-	-	-	Great Yarmouth	LAB	2,276	770	3,046	9.7%	4.4%	7.4%
146	118	-	-	-	Greenwich & Woolwich	LAB	2,167	1,142	3,309	8.6%	5.7%	7.3%
576	468	-	-	-	Guildford	CON	1,054	440	1,494	3.7%	1.9%	2.9%
66	57	-	-	-	Hackney North & Stoke Newington	LAB	2,867	1,471	4,338	11.3%	6.9%	9.3%
21	17	-	-	-	Hackney South & Shoreditch	LAB	3,682	1,864	5,546	14.2%	8.6%	11.6%
101	87	-	-	-	Halesowen & Rowley Regis	LAB	2,388	838	3,226	10.9%	4.9%	8.2%
98	85	-	-	-	Halifax	LAB	2,860	949	3,809	11.3%	4.7%	8.3%
546	442	-	-	-	Haltemprice & Howden	CON	912	393	1,305	3.9%	2.1%	3.1%
95	82	-	-	-	Halton	LAB	2,381	799	3,180	11.6%	4.6%	8.4%
335	265	-	-	-	Hammersmith & Fulham	CON	2,214	1,328	3,542	5.8%	4.2%	5.1%
445	356	-	-	-	Hampstead & Highgate	LAB	1,557	924	2,481	4.8%	3.3%	4.1%
482	387	-	-	-	Harborough	CON	1,253	522	1,775	4.7%	2.4%	3.7%
263	209	-	-	-	Harlow	LAB	1,848	819	2,667	7.4%	4.1%	5.9%
518	416	-	-	-	Harrogate & Knaresborough	LD	1,044	414	1,458	4.4%	2.1%	3.3%
372	299	-	-	-	Harrow East	LAB	1,641	881	2,522	5.4%	3.6%	4.6%
448	359	-	-	-	Harrow West	LAB	1,311	734	2,045	4.6%	3.3%	4.1%
46	39	-	-	-	Hartlepool	LAB	2,946	991	3,937	13.8%	5.7%	10.2%
154	123	-	-	-	Harwich	CON	2,092	772	2,864	9.4%	4.4%	7.2%
157	126	-	-	-	Hastings & Rye	LAB	2,344	800	3,144	9.6%	4.1%	7.2%
314	250	-	-	-	Havant	CON	1,601	550	2,151	7.2%	3.1%	5.4%
229	179	-	-	-	Hayes & Harlington	LAB	1,815	933	2,748	7.3%	4.8%	6.2%
436	349	-	-	-	Hazel Grove	LD	1,173	436	1,609	5.6%	2.5%	4.2%
370	297	-	-	-	Hemel Hempstead	CON	1,571	716	2,287	5.7%	3.3%	4.7%
260	206	-	-	-	Hemsworth	LAB	1,662	638	2,300	7.7%	3.7%	5.9%
311	248	-	-	-	Hendon	LAB	1,872	986	2,858	6.3%	4.2%	5.4%
640	526	-	-	-	Henley	CON	645	256	901	2.7%	1.3%	2.1%
418	335	-	-	-	Hereford (a)(b)	LD	1,422	528	1,950	5.7%	2.7%	4.4%
554	450	-	-	-	Hertford & Stortford	CON	1,135	490	1,625	3.8%	2.1%	3.0%
483	388	-	-	-	Hertsmere	CON	1,140	585	1,725	4.4%	2.8%	3.7%
563	458	-	-	-	Hexham	CON	751	301	1,052	3.8%	1.9%	3.0%
172	136	-	-	-	Heywood & Middleton	LAB	2,286	888	3,174	9.3%	4.3%	7.0%
446	357	-	-	-	High Peak	LAB	1,425	576	2,001	5.2%	2.6%	4.1%
544	440	-	-	-	Hitchin & Harpenden	CON	968	403	1,371	3.9%	2.1%	3.1%
241	190	-	-	-	Holborn & St Pancras	LAB	2,197	1,161	3,358	7.1%	4.8%	6.1%
404	326	-	-	-	Hornchurch	CON	1,083	597	1,680	5.1%	3.5%	4.4%
192	152	-	-	-	Hornsey & Wood Green	LD	2,640	1,364	4,004	8.0%	5.1%	6.7%

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577	469	-	-	-	Horsham	CON	1,105	457	1,562	3.7%	1.9%	2.9%
165	131	-	-	-	Houghton & Washington East	LAB	2,121	757	2,878	9.6%	4.1%	7.1%
316	251	-	-	-	Hove	LAB	1,673	808	2,481	6.5%	3.8%	5.3%
70	61	-	-	-	Huddersfield	LAB	2,661	961	3,622	12.1%	5.5%	9.2%
528	424	-	-	-	Huntingdon	CON	1,407	603	2,010	4.1%	2.3%	3.3%
287	225	-	-	-	Hyndburn	LAB	1,783	549	2,332	7.8%	3.0%	5.7%
296	233	-	-	-	Ilford North	CON	1,605	919	2,524	6.3%	4.5%	5.5%
115	95	-	-	-	Ilford South (a)	LAB	2,725	1,396	4,121	8.9%	6.4%	7.8%
151	-	-	11	-	Inverclyde	LAB	2,065	682	2,747	10.8%	3.7%	7.3%
555	-	-	48	-	Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey	LD	1,085	369	1,454	4.4%	1.6%	3.0%
180	141	-	-	-	Ipswich	LAB	2,334	818	3,152	9.2%	4.0%	6.9%
304	241	-	-	-	Isle of Wight	CON	2,399	803	3,202	7.3%	3.1%	5.5%
76	66	-	-	-	Islington North	LAB	2,841	1,557	4,398	11.1%	6.8%	9.0%
140	115	-	-	-	Islington South & Finsbury	LAB	2,206	1,259	3,465	8.4%	6.1%	7.4%
147	-	12	-	-	Islwyn	LAB	1,557	515	2,072	9.8%	4.1%	7.3%
113	93	-	-	-	Jarrow	LAB	2,186	711	2,897	11.0%	4.3%	7.9%
320	253	-	-	-	Keighley	LAB	1,659	626	2,285	6.8%	3.2%	5.2%
595	486	-	-	-	Kensington & Chelsea	CON	1,067	784	1,851	2.7%	2.7%	2.7%
379	305	-	-	-	Kettering	CON	1,846	723	2,569	6.0%	2.9%	4.6%
160	-	-	13	-	Kilmarnock and Loudoun	LAB	2,452	801	3,253	10.3%	3.7%	7.2%
523	421	-	-	-	Kingston & Surbiton	LD	1,361	698	2,059	3.9%	2.6%	3.3%
47	40	-	-	-	Kingston upon Hull East	LAB	3,278	1,080	4,358	13.2%	6.0%	10.2%
24	20	-	-	-	Kingston upon Hull North	LAB	3,659	1,206	4,865	15.2%	6.6%	11.5%
23	19	-	-	-	Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle	LAB	3,611	1,079	4,690	15.5%	6.3%	11.6%
463	371	-	-	-	Kingswood	LAB	1,524	641	2,165	5.1%	2.5%	3.9%
175	-	-	15	-	Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath	LAB	2,434	783	3,217	10.1%	3.6%	7.0%
79	69	-	-	-	Knowsley North & Sefton East	LAB	2,580	931	3,511	12.2%	5.1%	8.9%
87	75	-	-	-	Knowsley South	LAB	2,691	908	3,599	12.1%	4.7%	8.6%
406	-	-	-	16	Lagan Valley	DU	1,684	567	2,251	6.0%	2.5%	4.4%
252	-	-	22	-	Lanark and Hamilton East	LAB	2,047	720	2,767	8.5%	3.3%	6.0%
610	499	-	-	-	Lancaster & Wyre	CON	933	323	1,256	3.5%	1.4%	2.6%
11	10	-	-	-	Leeds Central	LAB	4,454	1,507	5,961	17.0%	7.2%	12.7%
45	38	-	-	-	Leeds East	LAB	2,757	988	3,745	13.5%	6.0%	10.2%
274	216	-	-	-	Leeds North East	LAB	1,807	685	2,492	7.8%	3.5%	5.8%
413	332	-	-	-	Leeds North West	LD	1,533	550	2,083	5.9%	2.5%	4.4%
97	84	-	-	-	Leeds West	LAB	2,884	966	3,850	11.5%	4.6%	8.4%
65	56	-	-	-	Leicester East	LAB	2,663	1,262	3,925	11.3%	6.8%	9.4%
42	35	-	-	-	Leicester South	LAB	3,425	1,249	4,674	13.5%	6.4%	10.4%
44	37	-	-	-	Leicester West	LAB	3,263	1,246	4,509	13.4%	6.4%	10.3%
173	137	-	-	-	Leigh	LAB	2,281	790	3,071	9.4%	4.1%	7.0%
588	480	-	-	-	Leominster (c)(a)	CON	828	342	1,170	3.4%	1.9%	2.8%
490	394	-	-	-	Lewes	LD	948	400	1,348	4.6%	2.4%	3.6%
187	148	-	-	-	Lewisham East	LAB	1,814	908	2,722	8.2%	5.1%	6.8%
129	108	-	-	-	Lewisham West	LAB	2,141	1,121	3,262	9.1%	5.6%	7.5%
128	107	-	-	-	Lewisham, Deptford	LAB	2,401	1,249	3,650	8.9%	5.8%	7.5%
136	113	-	-	-	Leyton & Wanstead	LAB	2,171	1,118	3,289	8.6%	5.9%	7.4%
441	353	-	-	-	Lichfield	CON	1,220	455	1,675	5.4%	2.5%	4.1%
141	116	-	-	-	Lincoln	LAB	2,482	840	3,322	9.9%	4.2%	7.4%
267	-	-	23	-	Linlithgow and East Falkirk	LAB	2,301	798	3,099	8.4%	3.1%	5.8%
62	53	-	-	-	Liverpool, Garston	LAB	2,468	837	3,305	13.0%	5.3%	9.5%
5	4	-	-	-	Liverpool, Riverside	LAB	3,875	1,375	5,250	19.2%	8.2%	14.2%
6	5	-	-	-	Liverpool, Walton	LAB	3,457	1,159	4,616	18.7%	7.8%	13.8%
32	27	-	-	-	Liverpool, Wavertree	LAB	2,984	1,121	4,105	14.5%	6.4%	10.8%
19	15	-	-	-	Liverpool, West Derby	IND	3,109	1,129	4,238	15.9%	7.0%	11.9%
330	-	-	28	-	Livingston	LAB	2,119	744	2,863	7.3%	2.8%	5.1%
208	-	19	-	-	Llanelli	LAB	1,560	432	1,992	9.2%	3.2%	6.5%
409	330	-	-	-	Loughborough	LAB	1,476	593	2,069	5.6%	2.8%	4.4%

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467	374	-	-	-	Louth & Horncastle	CON	1,127	455	1,582	4.8%	2.6%	3.9%
538	434	-	-	-	Ludlow	CON	841	312	1,153	4.1%	2.0%	3.2%
237	187	-	-	-	Luton North	LAB	1,921	805	2,726	7.6%	4.2%	6.1%
120	99	-	-	-	Luton South	LAB	2,594	1,033	3,627	9.4%	5.2%	7.7%
479	385	-	-	-	Macclesfield	CON	1,200	459	1,659	4.9%	2.3%	3.7%
515	414	-	-	-	Maidenhead	CON	1,047	500	1,547	4.1%	2.5%	3.4%
510	409	-	-	-	Maidstone & The Weald	CON	1,232	460	1,692	4.4%	2.1%	3.4%
198	157	-	-	-	Makerfield	LAB	2,064	674	2,738	8.9%	3.6%	6.6%
492	396	-	-	-	Maldon & East Chelmsford	CON	1,103	472	1,575	4.4%	2.5%	3.6%
51	44	-	-	-	Manchester, Blackley	LAB	2,639	952	3,591	12.6%	6.3%	10.0%
15	13	-	-	-	Manchester, Central	LAB	3,914	1,343	5,257	15.7%	7.3%	12.1%
49	42	-	-	-	Manchester, Gorton	LAB	2,713	980	3,693	12.9%	6.3%	10.1%
266	210	-	-	-	Manchester, Withington	LD	1,844	767	2,611	7.5%	3.9%	5.9%
240	189	-	-	-	Mansfield	LAB	1,841	598	2,439	8.4%	3.3%	6.1%
261	207	-	-	-	Medway	LAB	1,882	779	2,661	7.4%	4.0%	5.9%
499	-	38	-	-	Meirionnydd Nant Conwy	PC	475	157	632	4.7%	2.1%	3.5%
148	119	-	-	-	Meriden	CON	2,562	994	3,556	9.5%	4.6%	7.3%
16	-	2	-	-	Merthyr Tydfil & Rhymney	LAB	2,506	789	3,295	16.5%	6.5%	12.1%
601	492	-	-	-	Mid Bedfordshire	CON	968	443	1,411	3.2%	1.9%	2.7%
579	471	-	-	-	Mid Dorset & North Poole	LD	832	350	1,182	3.7%	1.9%	2.9%
548	444	-	-	-	Mid Norfolk	CON	1,104	429	1,533	3.9%	2.0%	3.1%
615	503	-	-	-	Mid Sussex	CON	827	349	1,176	3.2%	1.7%	2.5%
143	-	-	-	7	Mid Ulster	SF	2,187	698	2,885	9.3%	4.4%	7.3%
440	352	-	-	-	Mid Worcestershire	CON	1,356	575	1,931	5.2%	2.8%	4.1%
9	8	-	-	-	Middlesbrough	LAB	3,721	1,175	4,896	17.4%	7.2%	13.0%
149	120	-	-	-	Middlesbrough South & East Cleveland	LAB	2,392	692	3,084	10.2%	3.7%	7.3%
423	-	-	36	-	Midlothian	LAB	1,290	446	1,736	6.3%	2.2%	4.3%
195	154	-	-	-	Milton Keynes South West	LAB	2,869	1,198	4,067	8.4%	4.5%	6.6%
318	252	-	-	-	Mitcham & Morden	LAB	1,787	934	2,721	6.3%	4.0%	5.3%
630	517	-	-	-	Mole Valley	CON	697	297	994	2.9%	1.6%	2.3%
451	-	33	-	-	Monmouth	CON	1,002	394	1,396	5.2%	2.5%	4.0%
505	-	39	-	-	Montgomeryshire	LD	684	273	957	4.4%	2.3%	3.5%
603	-	-	52	-	Moray	SNP	827	330	1,157	3.4%	1.7%	2.6%
352	280	-	-	-	Morecambe & Lunesdale	LAB	1,492	520	2,012	6.7%	2.8%	4.9%
331	262	-	-	-	Morley & Rothwell	LAB	1,932	767	2,699	6.8%	3.2%	5.1%
100	-	-	6	-	Motherwell and Wishaw	LAB	2,488	844	3,332	11.9%	4.4%	8.3%
454	-	-	40	-	Na h-Eileanan an Iar	SNP	403	102	505	5.9%	1.7%	4.0%
205	-	18	-	-	Neath	LAB	1,410	540	1,950	8.5%	4.1%	6.5%
556	451	-	-	-	New Forest East	CON	929	360	1,289	3.9%	1.9%	3.0%
591	483	-	-	-	New Forest West	CON	702	267	969	3.6%	1.7%	2.8%
444	355	-	-	-	Newark	CON	1,323	496	1,819	5.3%	2.6%	4.1%
564	459	-	-	-	Newbury	CON	1,098	524	1,622	3.6%	2.2%	3.0%
210	164	-	-	-	Newcastle upon Tyne Central	LAB	2,011	687	2,698	8.8%	3.7%	6.5%
78	68	-	-	-	Newcastle upon Tyne East & Wallsend	LAB	2,533	789	3,322	12.4%	4.7%	8.9%
251	198	-	-	-	Newcastle upon Tyne North	LAB	1,671	553	2,224	8.3%	3.2%	6.0%
307	244	-	-	-	Newcastle-under-Lyme	LAB	1,610	567	2,177	7.2%	3.1%	5.4%
138	-	10	-	-	Newport East	LAB	1,853	632	2,485	9.9%	4.3%	7.4%
153	-	13	-	-	Newport West	LAB	1,984	660	2,644	9.8%	4.0%	7.2%
119	-	-	-	6	Newry & Armagh	SF	2,605	769	3,374	10.4%	4.1%	7.7%
400	323	-	-	-	Normanton	LAB	1,417	500	1,917	6.0%	2.5%	4.4%
243	-	-	-	12	North Antrim	DU	2,275	662	2,937	8.2%	3.2%	6.1%
109	-	-	7	-	North Ayrshire and Arran	LAB	2,572	833	3,405	11.8%	4.0%	8.1%
529	425	-	-	-	North Cornwall	LD	1,258	435	1,693	4.3%	1.9%	3.3%
586	478	-	-	-	North Devon	LD	909	317	1,226	3.7%	1.6%	2.8%
638	524	-	-	-	North Dorset	CON	641	294	935	2.5%	1.5%	2.1%
429	-	-	-	18	North Down	UU	1,305	438	1,743	5.6%	2.4%	4.2%
199	158	-	-	-	North Durham	LAB	1,883	650	2,533	8.9%	3.7%	6.6%

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509	408	-	-	-	North East Bedfordshire	CON	1,215	543	1,758	4.2%	2.4%	3.4%
345	273	-	-	-	North East Cambridgeshire	CON	1,834	822	2,656	6.0%	3.6%	5.0%
340	270	-	-	-	North East Derbyshire	LAB	1,617	519	2,136	6.9%	2.8%	5.1%
605	-	-	53	-	North East Fife	LD	776	267	1,043	3.7%	1.4%	2.6%
632	519	-	-	-	North East Hampshire	CON	799	383	1,182	2.7%	1.8%	2.3%
524	422	-	-	-	North East Hertfordshire	CON	1,092	478	1,570	4.1%	2.3%	3.3%
288	226	-	-	-	North East Milton Keynes	CON	2,475	935	3,410	7.3%	3.5%	5.6%
560	455	-	-	-	North Essex	CON	951	389	1,340	3.8%	2.0%	3.0%
459	367	-	-	-	North Norfolk	LD	1,215	425	1,640	5.1%	2.4%	3.9%
442	354	-	-	-	North Shropshire	CON	1,371	537	1,908	5.2%	2.7%	4.1%
218	169	-	-	-	North Southwark & Bermondsey	LD	2,779	1,349	4,128	7.3%	5.0%	6.4%
293	230	-	-	-	North Swindon	LAB	2,021	842	2,863	7.1%	3.7%	5.6%
159	127	-	-	-	North Thanet	CON	2,172	728	2,900	9.7%	4.0%	7.2%
182	143	-	-	-	North Tyneside	LAB	2,170	728	2,898	9.5%	3.8%	6.9%
280	221	-	-	-	North Warwickshire	LAB	1,977	764	2,741	7.4%	3.6%	5.7%
376	302	-	-	-	North West Cambridgeshire	CON	1,872	726	2,598	6.0%	2.9%	4.6%
224	175	-	-	-	North West Durham	LAB	1,817	607	2,424	8.5%	3.5%	6.2%
623	510	-	-	-	North West Hampshire (a)	CON	943	396	1,339	3.1%	1.6%	2.4%
469	376	-	-	-	North West Leicestershire	LAB	1,202	494	1,696	4.8%	2.6%	3.8%
369	296	-	-	-	North West Norfolk	CON	1,548	554	2,102	6.2%	2.8%	4.7%
535	431	-	-	-	North Wiltshire	CON	1,225	523	1,748	4.0%	2.2%	3.2%
155	124	-	-	-	Northampton North	LAB	2,487	984	3,471	9.4%	4.5%	7.2%
298	235	-	-	-	Northampton South	CON	2,609	1,019	3,628	7.2%	3.5%	5.5%
625	512	-	-	-	Northavon	LD	886	414	1,300	2.9%	1.8%	2.4%
386	311	-	-	-	Norwich North	CON	1,728	560	2,288	6.2%	2.5%	4.6%
232	182	-	-	-	Norwich South	LAB	2,126	731	2,857	8.3%	3.6%	6.2%
34	29	-	-	-	Nottingham East	LAB	3,401	1,214	4,615	13.9%	6.5%	10.7%
26	22	-	-	-	Nottingham North	LAB	3,229	1,130	4,359	15.1%	6.6%	11.3%
139	114	-	-	-	Nottingham South	LAB	2,558	860	3,418	9.6%	4.4%	7.4%
223	174	-	-	-	Nuneaton	LAB	2,111	815	2,926	8.0%	4.0%	6.2%
412	-	-	34	-	Ochil and South Perthshire	LAB	1,501	509	2,010	6.2%	2.3%	4.4%
110	-	7	-	-	Ogmore	LAB	1,793	604	2,397	10.7%	4.6%	8.0%
480	386	-	-	-	Old Bexley & Sidcup	INC	979	587	1,566	4.2%	3.1%	3.7%
217	168	-	-	-	Oldham East & Saddleworth	LAB	2,253	838	3,091	8.5%	3.8%	6.4%
91	78	-	-	-	Oldham West & Royton	LAB	2,774	863	3,637	11.4%	4.7%	8.6%
644	-	-	57	-	Orkney and Shetland	LD	198	98	296	1.7%	1.0%	1.3%
427	341	-	-	-	Orpington	CON	1,387	622	2,009	5.2%	3.0%	4.2%
385	310	-	-	-	Oxford East	LAB	1,877	630	2,507	6.3%	2.5%	4.6%
620	508	-	-	-	Oxford West & Abingdon	LD	903	381	1,284	3.2%	1.6%	2.5%
391	-	-	32	-	Paisley and Renfrewshire North	LAB	1,445	537	1,982	6.5%	2.5%	4.5%
207	-	-	18	-	Paisley and Renfrewshire South	LAB	2,025	652	2,677	9.8%	3.2%	6.5%
306	243	-	-	-	Pendle	LAB	1,571	578	2,149	6.9%	3.4%	5.4%
639	525	-	-	-	Penrith & The Border	CON	657	257	914	2.7%	1.3%	2.1%
568	-	-	50	-	Perth and North Perthshire	SNP	1,029	351	1,380	4.3%	1.6%	2.9%
103	89	-	-	-	Peterborough	CON	2,698	1,104	3,802	10.1%	5.5%	8.1%
238	188	-	-	-	Plymouth, Devonport	LAB	1,991	763	2,754	8.0%	3.8%	6.1%
145	117	-	-	-	Plymouth, Sutton	LAB	2,495	866	3,361	9.7%	4.3%	7.3%
168	133	-	-	-	Pontefract & Castleford	LAB	1,937	692	2,629	9.5%	4.1%	7.1%
284	-	24	-	-	Pontypridd	LAB	1,739	608	2,347	7.8%	3.2%	5.7%
455	364	-	-	-	Poole	CON	1,086	437	1,523	5.1%	2.6%	4.0%
33	28	-	-	-	Poplar & Canning Town	LAB	4,347	1,821	6,168	12.6%	7.8%	10.7%
361	288	-	-	-	Portsmouth North	LAB	1,590	580	2,170	6.4%	2.8%	4.8%
258	204	-	-	-	Portsmouth South	LD	2,353	865	3,218	7.9%	3.6%	5.9%
375	-	30	-	-	Preseli Pembrokeshire	CON	1,031	319	1,350	6.3%	2.5%	4.6%
186	147	-	-	-	Preston	LAB	2,389	772	3,161	9.2%	3.8%	6.8%
486	391	-	-	-	Pudsey	LAB	1,247	524	1,771	4.8%	2.4%	3.7%
501	402	-	-	-	Putney	CON	1,145	620	1,765	4.4%	2.6%	3.5%

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561	456	-	-	-	Rayleigh	CON	963	380	1,343	3.8%	1.9%	3.0%
383	308	-	-	-	Reading East	CON	1,770	744	2,514	5.6%	3.2%	4.6%
329	261	-	-	-	Reading West	LAB	1,808	770	2,578	6.4%	3.5%	5.1%
60	52	-	-	-	Redcar	LAB	2,744	863	3,607	13.4%	5.2%	9.7%
228	178	-	-	-	Redditch	LAB	1,931	755	2,686	8.0%	3.9%	6.2%
221	172	-	-	-	Regent's Park & Kensington North	LAB	2,796	1,643	4,439	7.2%	5.2%	6.3%
567	461	-	-	-	Reigate	CON	885	452	1,337	3.5%	2.2%	3.0%
59	-	3	-	-	Rhondda	LAB	1,942	616	2,558	13.0%	5.4%	9.7%
637	523	-	-	-	Ribble Valley	CON	737	296	1,033	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%
602	493	-	-	-	Richmond	CON	875	356	1,231	3.2%	1.8%	2.6%
606	495	-	-	-	Richmond Park	LD	971	556	1,527	2.9%	2.2%	2.6%
55	48	-	-	-	Rochdale	LD	3,129	1,088	4,217	12.9%	5.9%	9.9%
116	96	-	-	-	Rochford & Southend East	CON	2,427	889	3,316	10.1%	4.8%	7.8%
338	268	-	-	-	Romford	CON	1,265	631	1,896	6.1%	3.8%	5.1%
627	514	-	-	-	Romsey	LD	760	309	1,069	3.0%	1.6%	2.4%
622	-	-	55	-	Ross, Skye and Lochaber	LD	605	191	796	3.5%	1.2%	2.4%
321	254	-	-	-	Rossendale & Darwen	LAB	1,792	600	2,392	7.1%	2.9%	5.2%
197	156	-	-	-	Rother Valley	LAB	2,048	767	2,815	8.7%	4.0%	6.6%
69	60	-	-	-	Rotherham	LAB	2,463	825	3,288	12.8%	5.1%	9.3%
394	317	-	-	-	Rugby & Kenilworth	CON	1,687	660	2,347	5.8%	2.9%	4.5%
522	420	-	-	-	Ruislip - Northwood	CON	869	469	1,338	3.9%	2.6%	3.3%
619	507	-	-	-	Runnymede & Weybridge	CON	880	385	1,265	3.1%	1.7%	2.5%
585	477	-	-	-	Rushcliffe	CON	1,045	456	1,501	3.5%	1.9%	2.8%
176	-	-	16	-	Rutherglen and Hamilton West	LAB	2,466	860	3,326	10.2%	3.7%	7.0%
594	485	-	-	-	Rutland & Melton	CON	878	418	1,296	3.2%	2.0%	2.7%
593	484	-	-	-	Ryedale	CON	775	331	1,106	3.4%	1.8%	2.7%
580	472	-	-	-	Saffron Walden	CON	967	467	1,434	3.3%	2.2%	2.9%
58	51	-	-	-	Salford	LAB	2,351	761	3,112	12.6%	5.7%	9.8%
604	494	-	-	-	Salisbury	CON	1,000	421	1,421	3.2%	1.8%	2.6%
310	247	-	-	-	Scarborough & Whitby	CON	1,776	542	2,318	7.5%	2.8%	5.4%
99	86	-	-	-	Scunthorpe	LAB	2,342	701	3,043	11.2%	4.4%	8.3%
219	170	-	-	-	Sedgefield	LAB	1,750	641	2,391	8.4%	3.8%	6.3%
478	384	-	-	-	Selby	LAB	1,336	629	1,965	4.6%	2.6%	3.7%
600	491	-	-	-	Sevenoaks	CON	738	384	1,122	3.1%	2.1%	2.7%
236	186	-	-	-	Sheffield, Attercliffe	LAB	2,058	608	2,666	8.5%	3.2%	6.1%
38	32	-	-	-	Sheffield, Brightside	LAB	2,653	838	3,491	14.1%	5.7%	10.4%
52	45	-	-	-	Sheffield, Central	LAB	3,193	1,040	4,233	12.9%	5.9%	10.0%
542	438	-	-	-	Sheffield, Hallam	LD	784	329	1,113	4.0%	2.1%	3.1%
125	104	-	-	-	Sheffield, Heeley	LAB	2,193	657	2,850	10.6%	3.9%	7.6%
381	306	-	-	-	Sheffield, Hillsborough	LAB	1,742	530	2,272	6.4%	2.4%	4.6%
365	292	-	-	-	Sherwood	LAB	1,626	556	2,182	6.3%	2.7%	4.7%
349	277	-	-	-	Shipley	CON	1,674	567	2,241	6.7%	2.8%	4.9%
494	398	-	-	-	Shrewsbury & Atcham	CON	1,223	419	1,642	4.8%	2.1%	3.6%
302	239	-	-	-	Sittingbourne & Sheppey	LAB	1,804	690	2,494	7.0%	3.5%	5.5%
633	520	-	-	-	Skipton & Ripon	CON	862	295	1,157	3.0%	1.4%	2.3%
550	446	-	-	-	Sleaford & North Hykeham	CON	1,095	456	1,551	3.8%	2.1%	3.1%
297	234	-	-	-	Slough	LAB	2,096	998	3,094	6.6%	4.2%	5.5%
434	347	-	-	-	Solihull	LD	1,407	586	1,993	5.3%	2.7%	4.2%
616	504	-	-	-	Somerton & Frome (a)	LD	853	360	1,213	3.1%	1.7%	2.5%
380	-	-	-	15	South Antrim	DU	1,807	518	2,325	6.3%	2.3%	4.6%
631	518	-	-	-	South Cambridgeshire	CON	872	312	1,184	3.1%	1.4%	2.3%
447	358	-	-	-	South Derbyshire	LAB	1,656	655	2,311	5.2%	2.6%	4.1%
537	433	-	-	-	South Dorset	LAB	993	316	1,309	4.3%	1.8%	3.2%
216	-	-	-	11	South Down	SDLP	2,579	632	3,211	8.8%	3.0%	6.4%
607	496	-	-	-	South East Cambridgeshire	CON	1,076	460	1,536	3.3%	1.8%	2.6%
553	449	-	-	-	South East Cornwall	LD	1,009	415	1,424	3.9%	2.0%	3.0%
430	343	-	-	-	South Holland & The Deepings	CON	1,305	632	1,937	5.0%	3.1%	4.2%



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534	430	-	-	-	South Norfolk	CON	1,196	457	1,653	4.1%	2.0%	3.2%
496	400	-	-	-	South Ribble	LAB	1,302	425	1,727	4.9%	1.9%	3.6%
37	31	-	-	-	South Shields	LAB	2,671	987	3,658	13.7%	6.5%	10.5%
405	327	-	-	-	South Staffordshire	CON	1,336	541	1,877	5.6%	2.9%	4.4%
508	407	-	-	-	South Suffolk	CON	1,055	394	1,449	4.5%	2.1%	3.4%
200	159	-	-	-	South Swindon	LAB	2,408	950	3,358	8.4%	4.2%	6.6%
270	213	-	-	-	South Thanet	LAB	1,510	545	2,055	7.8%	3.4%	5.8%
373	300	-	-	-	South West Bedfordshire	CON	1,658	693	2,351	5.8%	3.1%	4.6%
614	502	-	-	-	South West Devon	CON	803	316	1,119	3.3%	1.6%	2.5%
574	466	-	-	-	South West Hertfordshire	CON	978	459	1,437	3.5%	2.1%	2.9%
449	360	-	-	-	South West Norfolk	CON	1,620	660	2,280	4.9%	2.8%	4.0%
618	506	-	-	-	South West Surrey	CON	756	363	1,119	3.0%	1.8%	2.5%
214	166	-	-	-	Southampton, Itchen	LAB	2,562	832	3,394	8.5%	3.6%	6.4%
278	219	-	-	-	Southampton, Test	LAB	2,175	774	2,949	7.5%	3.5%	5.7%
324	257	-	-	-	Southend West	CON	1,423	551	1,974	6.6%	3.3%	5.2%
339	269	-	-	-	Southport	LD	1,507	501	2,008	7.1%	2.7%	5.1%
511	410	-	-	-	Spelthorne	CON	1,037	548	1,585	4.1%	2.6%	3.4%
571	463	-	-	-	St Albans	CON	922	417	1,339	3.6%	2.1%	2.9%
209	163	-	-	-	St Helens North	LAB	1,992	672	2,664	8.9%	3.6%	6.5%
102	88	-	-	-	St Helens South	LAB	2,305	741	3,046	11.3%	4.4%	8.2%
507	406	-	-	-	St Ives	LD	1,046	400	1,446	4.4%	2.2%	3.4%
438	351	-	-	-	Stafford	LAB	1,343	473	1,816	5.5%	2.4%	4.1%
471	378	-	-	-	Staffordshire Moorlands	LAB	1,178	410	1,588	5.1%	2.2%	3.8%
179	140	-	-	-	Stalybridge & Hyde	LAB	2,159	745	2,904	9.4%	3.9%	6.9%
354	282	-	-	-	Stevenage	LAB	1,623	656	2,279	6.2%	3.2%	4.9%
443	-	-	39	-	Stirling	LAB	1,244	493	1,737	5.8%	2.4%	4.1%
231	181	-	-	-	Stockport	LAB	1,972	693	2,665	8.4%	3.5%	6.2%
64	55	-	-	-	Stockton North	LAB	2,839	887	3,726	13.0%	5.0%	9.4%
246	193	-	-	-	Stockton South	LAB	2,193	738	2,931	8.2%	3.4%	6.1%
53	46	-	-	-	Stoke-on-Trent Central	LAB	2,521	791	3,312	13.5%	5.4%	10.0%
106	91	-	-	-	Stoke-on-Trent North	LAB	2,070	679	2,749	10.8%	4.6%	8.1%
183	144	-	-	-	Stoke-on-Trent South	LAB	2,096	752	2,848	9.1%	4.1%	6.8%
572	464	-	-	-	Stone	CON	901	344	1,245	3.8%	1.8%	2.9%
177	139	-	-	-	Stourbridge	LAB	2,093	707	2,800	9.2%	4.0%	6.9%
414	-	-	-	17	Strangford	DU	1,601	499	2,100	5.9%	2.4%	4.4%
557	452	-	-	-	Stratford-on-Avon	CON	1,146	460	1,606	3.8%	2.0%	3.0%
156	125	-	-	-	Streatham	LAB	2,937	1,494	4,431	8.5%	5.6%	7.2%
234	184	-	-	-	Stretford & Urmston	LAB	1,983	670	2,653	8.4%	3.4%	6.2%
470	377	-	-	-	Stroud	LAB	1,371	534	1,905	4.9%	2.4%	3.8%
573	465	-	-	-	Suffolk Coastal	CON	929	352	1,281	3.7%	1.8%	2.9%
74	64	-	-	-	Sunderland North	LAB	2,338	756	3,094	12.6%	4.9%	9.1%
50	43	-	-	-	Sunderland South	LAB	2,686	817	3,503	14.2%	5.1%	10.0%
611	500	-	-	-	Surrey Heath	CON	933	422	1,355	3.2%	1.8%	2.6%
520	418	-	-	-	Sutton & Cheam	LD	1,045	504	1,549	4.0%	2.4%	3.3%
416	333	-	-	-	Sutton Coldfield	CON	1,377	591	1,968	5.6%	2.9%	4.4%
171	-	15	-	-	Swansea East	LAB	1,778	540	2,318	9.8%	3.6%	7.0%
161	-	14	-	-	Swansea West	LAB	1,559	553	2,112	9.5%	4.2%	7.1%
289	227	-	-	-	Tamworth	LAB	1,907	769	2,676	7.1%	3.7%	5.6%
519	417	-	-	-	Tatton	CON	911	351	1,262	4.3%	2.1%	3.3%
532	428	-	-	-	Taunton (a)	LD	1,252	453	1,705	4.4%	1.9%	3.2%
536	432	-	-	-	Teignbridge	LD	1,163	439	1,602	4.2%	1.9%	3.2%
127	106	-	-	-	Telford	LAB	2,251	783	3,034	10.0%	4.4%	7.5%
476	382	-	-	-	Tewkesbury	CON	1,185	507	1,692	4.8%	2.5%	3.8%
235	185	-	-	-	Thurrock	LAB	2,416	1,127	3,543	7.5%	4.4%	6.2%
598	489	-	-	-	Tiverton & Honiton	CON	946	405	1,351	3.4%	1.8%	2.7%
587	479	-	-	-	Tonbridge & Malling	CON	896	346	1,242	3.6%	1.8%	2.8%
411	331	-	-	-	Tooting	LAB	1,567	823	2,390	5.5%	3.2%	4.4%

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Rank by overall unemployment rate					Party	Claimants			Rate			
UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
242	191	-	-	-	Torbay	LD	1,999	664	2,663	8.3%	3.4%	6.1%
142	-	11	-	-	Torfaen	LAB	1,965	614	2,579	10.2%	3.9%	7.4%
531	427	-	-	-	Torrige & West Devon	CON	1,166	437	1,603	4.2%	2.0%	3.3%
495	399	-	-	-	Totnes	CON	1,021	401	1,422	4.6%	2.3%	3.6%
25	21	-	-	-	Tottenham	LAB	3,966	1,920	5,886	13.3%	8.7%	11.3%
500	401	-	-	-	Truro & St Austell	LD	1,235	470	1,705	4.6%	2.2%	3.5%
575	467	-	-	-	Tunbridge Wells	CON	871	376	1,247	3.6%	2.0%	2.9%
569	462	-	-	-	Twickenham	LD	1,025	628	1,653	3.3%	2.5%	2.9%
29	24	-	-	-	Tyne Bridge	LAB	2,925	922	3,847	15.3%	6.0%	11.2%
295	232	-	-	-	Tynemouth	LAB	1,635	571	2,206	7.6%	3.1%	5.6%
327	259	-	-	-	Upminster	CON	1,106	594	1,700	6.0%	4.1%	5.1%
194	-	-	-	9	Upper Bann	DU	2,545	789	3,334	8.8%	3.7%	6.7%
346	274	-	-	-	Uxbridge	CON	1,323	681	2,004	5.9%	3.8%	5.0%
201	-	16	-	-	Vale of Clwyd	LAB	1,543	422	1,965	9.5%	3.1%	6.6%
245	-	20	-	-	Vale of Glamorgan	LAB	1,942	728	2,670	8.0%	3.7%	6.1%
628	515	-	-	-	Vale of York	CON	794	392	1,186	2.8%	1.8%	2.4%
121	100	-	-	-	Vauxhall	LAB	3,332	1,570	4,902	9.2%	5.6%	7.7%
259	205	-	-	-	Wakefield	LAB	2,096	744	2,840	7.8%	3.5%	5.9%
83	71	-	-	-	Wallasey	LAB	2,435	813	3,248	12.3%	4.6%	8.7%
30	25	-	-	-	Walsall North	LAB	3,185	1,174	4,359	14.4%	6.9%	11.1%
14	12	-	-	-	Walsall South	LAB	3,086	1,232	4,318	15.0%	8.2%	12.1%
86	74	-	-	-	Walthamstow	LAB	2,662	1,282	3,944	10.4%	6.4%	8.6%
150	121	-	-	-	Wansbeck	LAB	1,944	686	2,630	9.9%	4.2%	7.3%
609	498	-	-	-	Wansdyke (c)(a)	LAB	828	348	1,176	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%
581	473	-	-	-	Wantage	CON	1,011	450	1,461	3.5%	1.9%	2.8%
40	33	-	-	-	Warley	LAB	2,644	1,013	3,657	13.2%	6.7%	10.4%
253	199	-	-	-	Warrington North	LAB	2,080	703	2,783	8.1%	3.4%	6.0%
371	298	-	-	-	Warrington South	LAB	1,684	564	2,248	6.4%	2.6%	4.6%
421	338	-	-	-	Warwick & Leamington	LAB	1,815	676	2,491	5.6%	2.6%	4.3%
462	370	-	-	-	Watford	LAB	1,459	672	2,131	4.8%	2.8%	3.9%
273	215	-	-	-	Waveney	LAB	1,904	689	2,593	7.5%	3.5%	5.8%
621	509	-	-	-	Wealden	CON	849	368	1,217	3.0%	1.7%	2.4%
262	208	-	-	-	Weaver Vale	LAB	1,787	700	2,487	7.8%	3.7%	5.9%
275	217	-	-	-	Wellingborough	CON	2,331	895	3,226	7.4%	3.7%	5.8%
562	457	-	-	-	Wells	CON	982	419	1,401	3.8%	2.0%	3.0%
453	363	-	-	-	Welwyn Hatfield	CON	1,373	599	1,972	5.0%	2.7%	4.0%
169	134	-	-	-	Wentworth	LAB	2,053	682	2,735	9.6%	3.9%	7.1%
646	-	-	59	-	West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine	LD	385	170	555	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
35	30	-	-	-	West Bromwich East	LAB	2,747	1,002	3,749	13.8%	6.5%	10.6%
22	18	-	-	-	West Bromwich West	LAB	3,392	1,284	4,676	14.8%	7.4%	11.6%
472	379	-	-	-	West Chelmsford	CON	1,455	665	2,120	4.7%	2.7%	3.8%
584	476	-	-	-	West Derbyshire	CON	911	335	1,246	3.6%	1.7%	2.8%
642	528	-	-	-	West Dorset	CON	532	224	756	2.5%	1.3%	2.0%
158	-	-	12	-	West Dunbartonshire	LAB	2,384	791	3,175	10.6%	3.6%	7.2%
41	34	-	-	-	West Ham	LAB	3,114	1,333	4,447	12.5%	7.5%	10.4%
215	167	-	-	-	West Lancashire	LAB	1,964	734	2,698	8.6%	3.8%	6.4%
512	411	-	-	-	West Suffolk	CON	1,368	589	1,957	4.0%	2.5%	3.4%
81	-	-	-	4	West Tyrone	SF	2,475	782	3,257	11.3%	5.2%	8.8%
491	395	-	-	-	West Worcestershire	CON	982	385	1,367	4.6%	2.4%	3.6%
461	369	-	-	-	Westbury	CON	1,503	597	2,100	5.1%	2.5%	3.9%
643	529	-	-	-	Westmorland & Lonsdale	LD	416	163	579	1.8%	0.9%	1.4%
408	329	-	-	-	Weston-Super-Mare	CON	1,534	587	2,121	5.7%	2.7%	4.4%
130	109	-	-	-	Wigan	LAB	2,132	688	2,820	10.2%	4.1%	7.5%
626	513	-	-	-	Wimbledon	CON	859	450	1,309	2.8%	1.9%	2.4%
629	516	-	-	-	Winchester	LD	894	359	1,253	3.0%	1.5%	2.4%
582	474	-	-	-	Windsor	CON	945	495	1,440	3.3%	2.2%	2.8%
374	301	-	-	-	Wirral South	LAB	1,081	412	1,493	6.2%	2.8%	4.6%

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Rank by overall unemployment rate					Claimants			Rate				
UK	Eng	Wal	Scot	NI	Party	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
334	264	-	-	-	Wirral West	LAB	1,231	460	1,691	6.9%	3.0%	5.1%
641	527	-	-	-	Witney	CON	794	311	1,105	2.7%	1.3%	2.1%
578	470	-	-	-	Woking	CON	1,039	439	1,478	3.6%	2.0%	2.9%
617	505	-	-	-	Wokingham	CON	876	442	1,318	3.0%	1.9%	2.5%
31	26	-	-	-	Wolverhampton North East	LAB	2,826	1,051	3,877	14.0%	6.9%	10.9%
8	7	-	-	-	Wolverhampton South East	LAB	2,817	1,169	3,986	16.6%	9.4%	13.6%
57	50	-	-	-	Wolverhampton South West	LAB	2,885	1,020	3,905	12.8%	5.9%	9.8%
634	521	-	-	-	Woodspring	CON	737	304	1,041	2.9%	1.5%	2.2%
303	240	-	-	-	Worcester	LAB	1,951	675	2,626	7.4%	3.1%	5.5%
432	345	-	-	-	Workington	LAB	1,197	385	1,582	5.7%	2.3%	4.2%
193	153	-	-	-	Worsley	LAB	2,218	683	2,901	9.3%	3.5%	6.7%
359	286	-	-	-	Worthing West	CON	1,339	545	1,884	6.2%	3.1%	4.8%
407	328	-	-	-	Wrekin, The	CON	1,453	538	1,991	5.6%	2.7%	4.4%
265	-	21	-	-	Wrexham	LAB	1,353	526	1,879	7.7%	3.7%	5.9%
368	295	-	-	-	Wycombe	CON	1,647	715	2,362	5.8%	3.3%	4.7%
294	231	-	-	-	Wyre Forest	IND	1,870	710	2,580	7.2%	3.5%	5.6%
114	94	-	-	-	Wythenshawe & Sale East	LAB	2,722	962	3,684	10.7%	4.6%	7.9%
539	435	-	-	-	Yeovil (a)	LD	1,098	419	1,517	4.1%	2.0%	3.2%
272	-	22	-	-	Ynys-Mon	LAB	1,197	441	1,638	7.5%	3.6%	5.8%
337	267	-	-	-	York, City of	LAB	2,036	813	2,849	6.7%	3.2%	5.1%
United Kingdom						1,149,365	441,747	1,591,112	7.2%	3.5%	5.5%	

## D Change in Unemployed Claimants September 1997-2009 and September 2008-2009 United Kingdom Constituencies

### 1. (not seasonally adjusted) - greatest changes, ordered by change 2008-2009

Rank by % change in UK (1 = largest rise)		Party	Claimants			Change 97-09		Change 08-09		
08-09	97-09		Sep-97	Sep-08	Sep-09	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
1	48	Mole Valley	CON	597	380	994	397	66.5%	614	161.6%
2	93	Windsor	CON	963	558	1,440	477	49.5%	882	158.1%
3	98	Runnymede & Weybridge	CON	852	493	1,265	413	48.5%	772	156.6%
4	144	Esher & Walton	CON	923	500	1,278	355	38.5%	778	155.6%
5	36	Wantage	CON	835	586	1,461	626	75.0%	875	149.3%
6	486	Mid Ulster	SF	3,357	1,159	2,885	-472	-14.1%	1,726	148.9%
7	99	South West Surrey	CON	754	453	1,119	365	48.4%	666	147.0%
8	227	Northavon	LD	1,039	529	1,300	261	25.1%	771	145.7%
9	1	North Swindon	LAB	1,115	1,174	2,863	1,748	156.8%	1,689	143.9%
10	2	Wokingham	CON	546	542	1,318	772	141.4%	776	143.2%
11	13	Bracknell	CON	970	786	1,903	933	96.2%	1,117	142.1%
12	39	Buckingham	SPKR	611	443	1,058	447	73.2%	615	138.8%
13	7	Daventry	CON	1,089	962	2,295	1,206	110.7%	1,333	138.6%
14	40	Reigate	CON	775	562	1,337	562	72.5%	775	137.9%
15	78	Beaconsfield	CON	759	496	1,171	412	54.3%	675	136.1%
16	19	Surrey Heath	CON	712	576	1,355	643	90.3%	779	135.2%
17	314	Mid Dorset & North Poole	LD	1,067	504	1,182	115	10.8%	678	134.5%
18	68	Spelthorne	CON	1,002	679	1,585	583	58.2%	906	133.4%
19	156	Oxford West & Abingdon	LD	946	551	1,284	338	35.7%	733	133.0%
20	280	Wansdyke (c)(a)	LAB	1,011	505	1,176	165	16.3%	671	132.9%
21	221	Stroud	LAB	1,517	821	1,905	388	25.6%	1,084	132.0%
22	45	Maidenhead	CON	918	667	1,547	629	68.5%	880	131.9%
23	116	South West Hertfordshire	CON	993	620	1,437	444	44.7%	817	131.8%
24	8	Woking	CON	709	641	1,478	769	108.5%	837	130.6%
25	343	Yeovil (a)	LD	1,425	658	1,517	92	6.5%	859	130.5%
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622	..	West Dunbartonshire	LAB	..	2,293	3,175	..	..	882	38.5%
623	488	West Ham	LAB	5,181	3,222	4,447	-734	-14.2%	1,225	38.0%
624	579	Hackney North & Stoke Newington	LAB	7,436	3,144	4,338	-3,098	-41.7%	1,194	38.0%
625	544	Camberwell & Peckham	LAB	5,482	2,959	4,075	-1,407	-25.7%	1,116	37.7%
626	..	Argyll and Bute	LD	..	1,161	1,597	..	..	436	37.6%
627	515	Knowsley South	LAB	4,435	2,621	3,599	-836	-18.9%	978	37.3%
628	..	Inverclyde	LAB	..	2,003	2,747	..	..	744	37.1%
629	..	Dundee East	SNP	..	1,553	2,126	..	..	573	36.9%
630	412	Walthamstow	LAB	4,091	2,885	3,944	-147	-3.6%	1,059	36.7%
631	389	Wansbeck	LAB	2,636	1,930	2,630	-6	-0.2%	700	36.3%
632	449	Liverpool, Walton	LAB	5,058	3,395	4,616	-442	-8.7%	1,221	36.0%
633	322	Poplar & Canning Town	LAB	5,606	4,557	6,168	562	10.0%	1,611	35.4%
634	382	Bethnal Green & Bow	RES	6,204	4,604	6,228	24	0.4%	1,624	35.3%
635	423	Liverpool, Garston	LAB	3,501	2,449	3,305	-196	-5.6%	856	35.0%
636	584	Meirionnydd Nant Conwy	PC	1,144	475	632	-512	-44.8%	157	33.1%
637	490	East Ham	LAB	4,941	3,174	4,223	-718	-14.5%	1,049	33.0%
638	523	Liverpool, Riverside	LAB	6,654	3,983	5,250	-1,404	-21.1%	1,267	31.8%
639	587	Caernarfon	PC	2,083	690	904	-1,179	-56.6%	214	31.0%
640	..	Moray	SNP	..	893	1,157	..	..	264	29.6%
641	493	Liverpool, Wavertree	LAB	4,862	3,177	4,105	-757	-15.6%	928	29.2%
642	351	Birmingham, Sparkbrook & Small Heath	LAB	6,932	5,663	7,305	373	5.4%	1,642	29.0%
643	..	Dundee West	LAB	..	2,276	2,928	..	..	652	28.6%
644	..	Dumfries and Galloway	LAB	..	1,529	1,951	..	..	422	27.6%
645	302	Birmingham, Ladywood	INL	8,031	7,184	9,026	995	12.4%	1,842	25.6%
646	585	Copeland	LAB	2,625	1,132	1,420	-1,205	-45.9%	288	25.4%
United Kingdom				1,513,537	944,716	1,591,112	77,575	5.1%	646,396	68.4%

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08-09	97-09	Party	Claimants			Change 97-09		Change 08-09		
			Sep-97	Sep-08	Sep-09	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
319	304	Aberavon	LAB	1,654	1,065	1,855	201	12.2%	790	74.2%
491	..	Aberdeen North	LAB	..	1,055	1,662	..	..	607	57.5%
415	..	Aberdeen South	LAB	..	646	1,067	..	..	421	65.2%
169	..	Airdrie and Shotts	LAB	..	1,623	3,106	..	..	1,483	91.4%
61	16	Aldershot	CON	1,138	1,034	2,204	1,066	93.7%	1,170	113.2%
130	89	Aldridge - Brownhills	CON	1,682	1,288	2,546	864	51.4%	1,258	97.7%
246	256	Altrincham & Sale West	CON	1,349	887	1,612	263	19.5%	725	81.7%
188	194	Alyn & Deeside	LAB	1,450	1,003	1,889	439	30.3%	886	88.3%
386	183	Amber Valley	LAB	1,712	1,339	2,251	539	31.5%	912	68.1%
612	..	Angus	SNP	..	1,195	1,686	..	..	491	41.1%
626	..	Argyll and Bute	LD	..	1,161	1,597	..	..	436	37.6%
64	31	Arundel & South Downs	CON	637	539	1,144	507	79.6%	605	112.2%
265	358	Ashfield	LAB	2,576	1,494	2,685	109	4.2%	1,191	79.7%
99	315	Ashford	CON	1,816	991	2,008	192	10.6%	1,017	102.6%
353	128	Ashton under Lyne	LAB	2,288	1,909	3,258	970	42.4%	1,349	70.7%
117	172	Aylesbury	CON	1,321	879	1,755	434	32.9%	876	99.7%
576	..	Ayr, Carrick and Cumnock	LAB	..	1,772	2,631	..	..	859	48.5%
86	29	Banbury	CON	1,093	966	1,982	889	81.3%	1,016	105.2%
457	..	Banff and Buchan	SNP	..	673	1,086	..	..	413	61.4%
560	275	Barking (a)	LAB	2,439	1,897	2,855	416	17.1%	958	50.5%
402	318	Barnsley Central	LAB	2,643	1,753	2,917	274	10.4%	1,164	66.4%
332	313	Barnsley East & Mexborough	LAB	2,857	1,831	3,165	308	10.8%	1,334	72.9%
290	339	Barnsley West & Penistone	LAB	2,169	1,312	2,333	164	7.6%	1,021	77.8%
555	569	Barrow & Furness	LAB	2,624	1,184	1,793	-831	-31.7%	609	51.4%
194	273	Basildon	LAB	2,426	1,516	2,843	417	17.2%	1,327	87.5%
170	33	Basingstoke (a)	CON	1,197	1,120	2,141	944	78.9%	1,021	91.2%
271	484	Bassetlaw	LAB	2,413	1,161	2,079	-334	-13.8%	918	79.1%
189	549	Bath (a)(b)	LD	2,088	796	1,498	-590	-28.3%	702	88.2%
262	132	Batley & Spen	LAB	1,947	1,522	2,737	790	40.6%	1,215	79.8%
395	561	Battersea	LAB	3,602	1,505	2,518	-1,084	-30.1%	1,013	67.3%
15	78	Beaconsfield	CON	759	496	1,171	412	54.3%	675	136.1%
259	403	Beckenham	CON	2,420	1,319	2,379	-41	-1.7%	1,060	80.4%
407	196	Bedford	LAB	2,529	1,985	3,293	764	30.2%	1,308	65.9%
74	563	Belfast East	DU	2,871	957	1,993	-878	-30.6%	1,036	108.3%
547	532	Belfast North	DU	4,167	2,091	3,187	-980	-23.5%	1,096	52.4%
409	573	Belfast South	SDLP	3,974	1,558	2,582	-1,392	-35.0%	1,024	65.7%
559	498	Belfast West	SF	5,616	3,130	4,713	-903	-16.1%	1,583	50.6%
437	..	Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk	LD	..	943	1,544	..	..	601	63.7%
528	526	Berwick-upon-Tweed	LD	1,633	831	1,280	-353	-21.6%	449	54.0%
634	382	Bethnal Green & Bow	RES	6,204	4,604	6,228	24	0.4%	1,624	35.3%
354	360	Beverley & Holderness	CON	1,956	1,190	2,030	74	3.8%	840	70.6%
250	228	Bexhill & Battle	CON	1,132	778	1,411	279	24.6%	633	81.4%
193	307	Bexleyheath & Crayford	CON	1,655	985	1,850	195	11.8%	865	87.8%
28	178	Billericay	CON	1,784	1,028	2,354	570	32.0%	1,326	129.0%
565	474	Birkenhead	LAB	4,484	2,617	3,921	-563	-12.6%	1,304	49.8%
596	338	Birmingham, Edgbaston	LAB	3,424	2,536	3,687	263	7.7%	1,151	45.4%
544	131	Birmingham, Erdington	LAB	3,918	3,619	5,523	1,605	41.0%	1,904	52.6%
540	176	Birmingham, Hall Green	LAB	2,541	2,195	3,358	817	32.2%	1,163	53.0%
581	119	Birmingham, Hodge Hill	LAB	3,546	3,460	5,106	1,560	44.0%	1,646	47.6%
645	302	Birmingham, Ladywood	INL	8,031	7,184	9,026	995	12.4%	1,842	25.6%
523	200	Birmingham, Northfield	LAB	2,418	2,023	3,126	708	29.3%	1,103	54.5%
608	211	Birmingham, Perry Barr	LAB	4,099	3,659	5,196	1,097	26.8%	1,537	42.0%
572	329	Birmingham, Selly Oak	LAB	3,334	2,451	3,644	310	9.3%	1,193	48.7%
642	351	Birmingham, Sparkbrook & Small Heath	LAB	6,932	5,663	7,305	373	5.4%	1,642	29.0%
579	65	Birmingham, Yardley	LD	2,318	2,484	3,672	1,354	58.4%	1,188	47.8%
447	296	Bishop Auckland	LAB	2,368	1,660	2,699	331	14.0%	1,039	62.6%

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79	20	Blaby	CON	915	838	1,734	819	89.5%	896	106.9%
532	249	Blackburn	LAB	2,743	2,155	3,316	573	20.9%	1,161	53.9%
590	344	Blackpool North & Fleetwood	LAB	2,009	1,458	2,137	128	6.4%	679	46.6%
592	286	Blackpool South	LAB	2,479	1,966	2,872	393	15.9%	906	46.1%
583	168	Blaenau Gwent	IND	2,487	2,256	3,323	836	33.6%	1,067	47.3%
342	427	Blaydon	LAB	2,238	1,222	2,096	-142	-6.3%	874	71.5%
571	340	Blyth Valley	LAB	2,355	1,691	2,519	164	7.0%	828	49.0%
350	34	Bognor Regis & Littlehampton	CON	1,076	1,120	1,917	841	78.2%	797	71.2%
466	374	Bolsover	LAB	2,241	1,419	2,273	32	1.4%	854	60.2%
467	139	Bolton North East	LAB	2,123	1,848	2,959	836	39.4%	1,111	60.1%
486	53	Bolton South East	LAB	2,181	2,270	3,585	1,404	64.4%	1,315	57.9%
202	61	Bolton West	LAB	1,179	1,018	1,903	724	61.4%	885	86.9%
597	434	Bootle	LAB	4,203	2,682	3,894	-309	-7.4%	1,212	45.2%
518	66	Boston & Skegness	CON	1,338	1,366	2,119	781	58.4%	753	55.1%
131	9	Bosworth	CON	923	969	1,913	990	107.3%	944	97.4%
236	418	Bournemouth East	CON	2,018	1,050	1,921	-97	-4.8%	871	83.0%
103	511	Bournemouth West	CON	2,437	986	1,989	-448	-18.4%	1,003	101.7%
11	13	Bracknell	CON	970	786	1,903	933	96.2%	1,117	142.1%
554	371	Bradford North	LAB	3,770	2,536	3,841	71	1.9%	1,305	51.5%
324	217	Bradford South	LAB	2,752	2,002	3,479	727	26.4%	1,477	73.8%
606	438	Bradford West	LAB	4,587	2,964	4,234	-353	-7.7%	1,270	42.8%
107	117	Braintree	CON	1,731	1,244	2,503	772	44.6%	1,259	101.2%
529	463	Brecon & Radnorshire	LD	1,243	715	1,101	-142	-11.4%	386	54.0%
550	534	Brent East	LD	4,738	2,375	3,613	-1,125	-23.7%	1,238	52.1%
406	477	Brent North	LAB	2,261	1,186	1,968	-293	-13.0%	782	65.9%
585	537	Brent South	LAB	5,266	2,705	3,982	-1,284	-24.4%	1,277	47.2%
142	385	Brentford & Isleworth	LAB	2,785	1,421	2,789	4	0.1%	1,368	96.3%
51	216	Brentwood & Ongar	CON	987	575	1,248	261	26.4%	673	117.0%
253	326	Bridgend	LAB	1,854	1,121	2,032	178	9.6%	911	81.3%
185	485	Bridgwater	CON	2,161	985	1,861	-300	-13.9%	876	88.9%
276	350	Brigg & Goole	LAB	1,999	1,183	2,114	115	5.8%	931	78.7%
614	543	Brighton, Kemptown	LAB	3,364	1,778	2,504	-860	-25.6%	726	40.8%
392	574	Brighton, Pavilion	LAB	4,455	1,700	2,846	-1,609	-36.1%	1,146	67.4%
306	370	Bristol East	LAB	3,234	1,883	3,305	71	2.2%	1,422	75.5%
162	258	Bristol North West	LAB	2,228	1,382	2,660	432	19.4%	1,278	92.5%
96	413	Bristol South	LAB	3,135	1,483	3,019	-116	-3.7%	1,536	103.6%
279	547	Bristol West	LD	3,387	1,378	2,459	-928	-27.4%	1,081	78.4%
168	267	Bromley & Chislehurst	CON	1,622	999	1,914	292	18.0%	915	91.6%
100	106	Bromsgrove	CON	1,512	1,096	2,220	708	46.8%	1,124	102.6%
85	112	Broxbourne	CON	1,373	970	1,991	618	45.0%	1,021	105.3%
343	245	Broxtowe	LAB	1,603	1,143	1,960	357	22.3%	817	71.5%
12	39	Buckingham	SPKR	611	443	1,058	447	73.2%	615	138.8%
495	49	Burnley	LAB	1,494	1,580	2,486	992	66.4%	906	57.3%
275	309	Burton	LAB	2,148	1,339	2,395	247	11.5%	1,056	78.9%
362	10	Bury North	LAB	1,201	1,455	2,468	1,267	105.5%	1,013	69.6%
244	94	Bury South	LAB	1,573	1,292	2,352	779	49.5%	1,060	82.0%
383	214	Bury St Edmunds	CON	1,281	963	1,621	340	26.5%	658	68.3%
639	587	Caernarfon	PC	2,083	690	904	-1,179	-56.6%	214	31.0%
373	274	Caerphilly	LAB	2,603	1,805	3,049	446	17.1%	1,244	68.9%
496	..	Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross	LD	..	777	1,221	..	..	444	57.1%
298	130	Calder Valley	LAB	1,847	1,480	2,613	766	41.5%	1,133	76.6%
625	544	Camberwell & Peckham	LAB	5,482	2,959	4,075	-1,407	-25.7%	1,116	37.7%
381	472	Cambridge	LD	2,017	1,051	1,770	-247	-12.2%	719	68.4%
174	72	Cannock Chase	LAB	2,013	1,652	3,152	1,139	56.6%	1,500	90.8%
344	521	Canterbury	CON	2,052	957	1,641	-411	-20.0%	684	71.5%
458	461	Cardiff Central	LD	2,666	1,467	2,366	-300	-11.3%	899	61.3%
286	133	Cardiff North	LAB	1,166	916	1,632	466	40.0%	716	78.2%

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436	323	Cardiff South & Penarth	LAB	3,034	2,035	3,332	298	9.8%	1,297	63.7%
427	422	Cardiff West	LAB	2,787	1,602	2,635	-152	-5.5%	1,033	64.5%
470	453	Carlisle	LAB	1,940	1,102	1,760	-180	-9.3%	658	59.7%
423	525	Carmarthen East & Dinefwr	PC	1,429	682	1,123	-306	-21.4%	441	64.7%
42	581	Carmarthen West & South Pembrokeshire	LAB	2,267	586	1,296	-971	-42.8%	710	121.2%
272	252	Carshalton & Wallington	LD	1,748	1,174	2,102	354	20.3%	928	79.0%
57	253	Castle Point	IND	1,545	867	1,856	311	20.1%	989	114.1%
517	..	Central Ayrshire	LAB	..	1,679	2,605	..	..	926	55.2%
264	312	Central Suffolk & North Ipswich	CON	1,337	825	1,483	146	10.9%	658	79.8%
616	582	Ceredigion	LD	1,506	607	853	-653	-43.4%	246	40.5%
108	63	Charnwood	CON	1,040	833	1,676	636	61.2%	843	101.2%
135	186	Chatham & Aylesford	LAB	2,044	1,361	2,681	637	31.2%	1,320	97.0%
77	166	Cheadle	LD	926	598	1,239	313	33.8%	641	107.2%
258	242	Cheltenham	LD	2,156	1,464	2,641	485	22.5%	1,177	80.4%
40	51	Chesham & Amersham	CON	658	490	1,089	431	65.5%	599	122.2%
400	399	Chester, City of	LAB	1,954	1,159	1,930	-24	-1.2%	771	66.5%
360	429	Chesterfield	LD	2,855	1,568	2,668	-187	-6.5%	1,100	70.2%
211	187	Chichester	CON	1,120	791	1,469	349	31.2%	678	85.7%
419	279	Chingford & Woodford Green	CON	1,760	1,242	2,048	288	16.4%	806	64.9%
307	320	Chipping Barnet	CON	1,908	1,199	2,102	194	10.2%	903	75.3%
399	181	Chorley	LAB	1,555	1,228	2,048	493	31.7%	820	66.8%
73	251	Christchurch	CON	893	517	1,077	184	20.6%	560	108.3%
471	530	Cities of London & Westminster	CON	3,225	1,562	2,492	-733	-22.7%	930	59.5%
256	460	Cleethorpes	LAB	2,814	1,383	2,498	-316	-11.2%	1,115	80.6%
300	165	Clwyd South (a)(b)	LAB	1,342	1,020	1,798	456	34.0%	778	76.3%
487	291	Clwyd West (c)(a)	CON	1,415	1,032	1,629	214	15.1%	597	57.8%
171	..	Coatbridge, Chryston and Bellshill	LAB	..	1,547	2,956	..	..	1,409	91.1%
349	97	Colchester	LD	1,855	1,610	2,757	902	48.6%	1,147	71.2%
205	150	Colne Valley	LAB	1,928	1,419	2,651	723	37.5%	1,232	86.8%
232	86	Congleton	CON	1,106	915	1,681	575	52.0%	766	83.7%
473	542	Conwy	LAB	2,240	1,054	1,677	-563	-25.1%	623	59.1%
646	585	Copeland	LAB	2,625	1,132	1,420	-1,205	-45.9%	288	25.4%
124	26	Corby	LAB	1,547	1,439	2,850	1,303	84.2%	1,411	98.1%
33	62	Cotswold	CON	742	532	1,196	454	61.2%	664	124.8%
448	238	Coventry North East	LAB	3,747	2,836	4,609	862	23.0%	1,773	62.5%
363	205	Coventry North West	LAB	2,707	2,052	3,479	772	28.5%	1,427	69.5%
494	289	Coventry South	LAB	2,897	2,123	3,342	445	15.4%	1,219	57.4%
132	14	Crawley	LAB	1,319	1,306	2,577	1,258	95.4%	1,271	97.3%
215	149	Crewe & Nantwich	CON	1,929	1,434	2,657	728	37.7%	1,223	85.3%
459	443	Crosby	LAB	2,128	1,213	1,955	-173	-8.1%	742	61.2%
230	390	Croydon Central	INC	3,428	1,857	3,413	-15	-0.4%	1,556	83.8%
477	458	Croydon North	LAB	4,903	2,750	4,367	-536	-10.9%	1,617	58.8%
156	171	Croydon South	CON	1,464	1,005	1,945	481	32.9%	940	93.5%
247	..	Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East	LAB	..	1,272	2,311	..	..	1,039	81.7%
450	328	Cynon Valley	LAB	1,927	1,302	2,110	183	9.5%	808	62.1%
498	114	Dagenham	LAB	2,068	1,914	2,997	929	44.9%	1,083	56.6%
539	435	Darlington	LAB	3,183	1,924	2,948	-235	-7.4%	1,024	53.2%
65	332	Dartford	LAB	2,074	1,065	2,247	173	8.3%	1,182	111.0%
13	7	Daventry	CON	1,089	962	2,295	1,206	110.7%	1,333	138.6%
165	182	Delyn	LAB	1,233	843	1,622	389	31.5%	779	92.4%
164	64	Denton & Reddish	LAB	1,808	1,498	2,883	1,075	59.5%	1,385	92.5%
429	361	Derby North	LAB	2,586	1,633	2,682	96	3.7%	1,049	64.2%
535	417	Derby South	LAB	4,309	2,670	4,104	-205	-4.8%	1,434	53.7%
38	57	Devizes	CON	1,187	865	1,928	741	62.4%	1,063	122.9%
241	75	Dewsbury	LAB	1,803	1,533	2,795	992	55.0%	1,262	82.3%
333	448	Don Valley	LAB	2,598	1,373	2,372	-226	-8.7%	999	72.8%
492	432	Doncaster Central	LAB	3,981	2,343	3,691	-290	-7.3%	1,348	57.5%

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322	379	Doncaster North	LAB	3,005	1,739	3,026	21	0.7%	1,287	74.0%
512	553	Dover	LAB	2,759	1,269	1,972	-787	-28.5%	703	55.4%
412	145	Dudley North	LAB	2,633	2,199	3,639	1,006	38.2%	1,440	65.5%
199	80	Dudley South	LAB	2,071	1,700	3,182	1,111	53.6%	1,482	87.2%
479	550	Dulwich & West Norwood	LAB	4,769	2,154	3,418	-1,351	-28.3%	1,264	58.7%
644	..	Dumfries and Galloway	LAB	..	1,529	1,951	..	..	422	27.6%
527	..	Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale	CON	..	938	1,446	..	..	508	54.2%
629	..	Dundee East	SNP	..	1,553	2,126	..	..	573	36.9%
643	..	Dundee West	LAB	..	2,276	2,928	..	..	652	28.6%
481	..	Dunfermline and West Fife	LD	..	1,587	2,512	..	..	925	58.3%
378	491	Durham, City of	LAB	2,163	1,085	1,828	-335	-15.5%	743	68.5%
183	259	Ealing North (a)	LAB	2,900	1,825	3,458	558	19.2%	1,633	89.5%
438	342	Ealing Southall	LAB	3,730	2,432	3,977	247	6.6%	1,545	63.5%
405	505	Ealing, Acton & Shepherd's Bush	LAB	5,000	2,487	4,131	-869	-17.4%	1,644	66.1%
340	231	Easington	LAB	2,212	1,597	2,746	534	24.1%	1,149	71.9%
84	395	East Antrim	DU	2,775	1,340	2,751	-24	-0.9%	1,411	105.3%
62	469	East Devon	CON	1,115	461	981	-134	-12.0%	520	112.8%
295	..	East Dunbartonshire	LD	..	679	1,202	..	..	523	77.0%
637	490	East Ham	LAB	4,941	3,174	4,223	-718	-14.5%	1,049	33.0%
234	271	East Hampshire	CON	1,238	791	1,452	214	17.3%	661	83.6%
109	..	East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow	LAB	..	1,252	2,519	..	..	1,267	101.2%
308	501	East Londonderry	DU	3,776	1,793	3,141	-635	-16.8%	1,348	75.2%
93	..	East Lothian	LAB	..	818	1,671	..	..	853	104.3%
123	..	East Renfrewshire	LAB	..	725	1,437	..	..	712	98.2%
35	67	East Surrey	CON	818	579	1,294	476	58.2%	715	123.5%
136	77	East Worthing & Shoreham	CON	1,255	986	1,942	687	54.7%	956	97.0%
446	387	East Yorkshire	CON	2,015	1,237	2,013	-2	-0.1%	776	62.7%
600	234	Eastbourne	CON	1,765	1,514	2,184	419	23.7%	670	44.3%
323	28	Eastleigh	LD	964	1,007	1,750	786	81.5%	743	73.8%
204	137	Eccles	LAB	2,079	1,554	2,904	825	39.7%	1,350	86.9%
235	184	Eddisbury	CON	1,300	933	1,709	409	31.5%	776	83.2%
408	..	Edinburgh East	LAB	..	1,468	2,435	..	..	967	65.9%
384	..	Edinburgh North and Leith	LAB	..	1,507	2,536	..	..	1,029	68.3%
126	..	Edinburgh South	LAB	..	673	1,332	..	..	659	97.9%
462	..	Edinburgh South West	LAB	..	1,360	2,186	..	..	826	60.7%
418	..	Edinburgh West	LD	..	909	1,500	..	..	591	65.0%
538	355	Edmonton	LAB	3,551	2,426	3,718	167	4.7%	1,292	53.3%
410	335	Ellesmere Port & Neston	LAB	1,909	1,245	2,062	153	8.0%	817	65.6%
225	319	Elmet	LAB	1,524	912	1,681	157	10.3%	769	84.3%
516	442	Eltham	LAB	2,598	1,539	2,388	-210	-8.1%	849	55.2%
337	241	Enfield North	LAB	2,730	1,943	3,346	616	22.6%	1,403	72.2%
380	426	Enfield, Southgate	CON	2,393	1,334	2,247	-146	-6.1%	913	68.4%
238	179	Epping Forest	CON	1,624	1,172	2,142	518	31.9%	970	82.8%
27	76	Epsom & Ewell	CON	883	596	1,367	484	54.8%	771	129.4%
304	85	Erewash	LAB	2,057	1,786	3,140	1,083	52.6%	1,354	75.8%
520	470	Erith & Thamesmead	LAB	4,234	2,406	3,720	-514	-12.1%	1,314	54.6%
4	144	Esher & Walton	CON	923	500	1,278	355	38.5%	778	155.6%
413	518	Exeter	LAB	2,720	1,315	2,176	-544	-20.0%	861	65.5%
370	..	Falkirk	LAB	..	1,658	2,803	..	..	1,145	69.1%
445	578	Falmouth & Camborne	LD	3,089	1,128	1,836	-1,253	-40.6%	708	62.8%
201	177	Fareham	CON	978	690	1,291	313	32.0%	601	87.1%
137	392	Faversham & Mid Kent	CON	1,559	787	1,550	-9	-0.6%	763	97.0%
376	305	Feltham & Heston	LAB	2,505	1,665	2,809	304	12.1%	1,144	68.7%
125	554	Fermanagh & South Tyrone	SF	3,934	1,419	2,809	-1,125	-28.6%	1,390	98.0%
443	475	Finchley & Golders Green	LAB	2,628	1,405	2,294	-334	-12.7%	889	63.3%
509	514	Folkestone & Hythe	CON	2,944	1,537	2,391	-553	-18.8%	854	55.6%
326	190	Forest of Dean	CON	1,298	977	1,696	398	30.7%	719	73.6%



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580	527	Foyle	SDLP	6,261	3,319	4,899	-1,362	-21.8%	1,580	47.6%
228	125	Fylde	CON	897	698	1,284	387	43.1%	586	84.0%
463	247	Gainsborough	CON	1,612	1,220	1,960	348	21.6%	740	60.7%
358	347	Gateshead East & Washington West	LAB	2,378	1,482	2,524	146	6.1%	1,042	70.3%
414	352	Gedling	LAB	1,896	1,208	1,998	102	5.4%	790	65.4%
245	276	Gillingham	LAB	2,103	1,352	2,460	357	17.0%	1,108	82.0%
587	..	Glasgow Central	LAB	..	2,306	3,391	..	..	1,085	47.1%
566	..	Glasgow East	SNP	..	2,458	3,677	..	..	1,219	49.6%
568	..	Glasgow North	LAB	..	1,641	2,450	..	..	809	49.3%
562	..	Glasgow North East	VAC	..	2,804	4,212	..	..	1,408	50.2%
557	..	Glasgow North West	LAB	..	2,155	3,252	..	..	1,097	50.9%
558	..	Glasgow South	LAB	..	1,885	2,843	..	..	958	50.8%
521	..	Glasgow South West	LAB	..	2,179	3,369	..	..	1,190	54.6%
552	..	Glenrothes	LAB	..	2,072	3,147	..	..	1,075	51.9%
260	260	Gloucester	LAB	2,720	1,800	3,240	520	19.1%	1,440	80.0%
67	..	Gordon	LD	..	313	660	..	..	347	110.9%
377	420	Gosport	CON	1,708	959	1,616	-92	-5.4%	657	68.5%
224	419	Gower	LAB	1,521	785	1,447	-74	-4.9%	662	84.3%
398	146	Grantham & Stamford	LAB	1,514	1,252	2,091	577	38.1%	839	67.0%
233	341	Gravesham	CON	2,488	1,448	2,660	172	6.9%	1,212	83.7%
434	401	Great Grimsby	LAB	4,166	2,509	4,112	-54	-1.3%	1,603	63.9%
602	431	Great Yarmouth	LAB	3,285	2,117	3,046	-239	-7.3%	929	43.9%
605	565	Greenwich & Woolwich	LAB	4,777	2,305	3,309	-1,468	-30.7%	1,004	43.6%
41	74	Guildford	CON	962	674	1,494	532	55.3%	820	121.7%
624	579	Hackney North & Stoke Newington	LAB	7,436	3,144	4,338	-3,098	-41.7%	1,194	38.0%
593	540	Hackney South & Shoreditch	LAB	7,393	3,798	5,546	-1,847	-25.0%	1,748	46.0%
311	60	Halesowen & Rowley Regis	LAB	1,994	1,845	3,226	1,232	61.8%	1,381	74.9%
515	189	Halifax	LAB	2,908	2,453	3,809	901	31.0%	1,356	55.3%
198	331	Haltemprice & Howden	CON	1,201	697	1,305	104	8.7%	608	87.2%
303	321	Halton	LAB	2,890	1,808	3,180	290	10.0%	1,372	75.9%
449	529	Hammersmith & Fulham	CON	4,562	2,184	3,542	-1,020	-22.4%	1,358	62.2%
502	576	Hampstead & Highgate	LAB	4,063	1,587	2,481	-1,582	-38.9%	894	56.3%
118	54	Harborough	CON	1,089	890	1,775	686	63.0%	885	99.4%
355	105	Harlow	LAB	1,815	1,564	2,667	852	46.9%	1,103	70.5%
207	264	Harrogate & Knaresborough	LD	1,229	782	1,458	229	18.6%	676	86.4%
273	378	Harrow East	LAB	2,499	1,409	2,522	23	0.9%	1,113	79.0%
252	301	Harrow West	LAB	1,818	1,128	2,045	227	12.5%	917	81.3%
586	446	Hartlepool	LAB	4,295	2,676	3,937	-358	-8.3%	1,261	47.1%
480	266	Harwich	CON	2,426	1,807	2,864	438	18.1%	1,057	58.5%
543	414	Hastings & Rye	LAB	3,277	2,060	3,144	-133	-4.1%	1,084	52.6%
242	324	Havant	CON	1,960	1,180	2,151	191	9.7%	971	82.3%
254	102	Hayes & Harlington	LAB	1,861	1,519	2,748	887	47.7%	1,229	80.9%
221	138	Hazel Grove	LD	1,152	872	1,609	457	39.7%	737	84.5%
296	24	Hemel Hempstead	CON	1,228	1,294	2,287	1,059	86.2%	993	76.7%
348	400	Hemsworth	LAB	2,330	1,343	2,300	-30	-1.3%	957	71.3%
390	415	Hendon	LAB	2,981	1,704	2,858	-123	-4.1%	1,154	67.7%
44	135	Henley	CON	644	408	901	257	39.9%	493	120.8%
248	366	Hereford (a)(b)	LD	1,901	1,074	1,950	49	2.6%	876	81.6%
29	32	Hertford & Stortford	CON	908	715	1,625	717	79.0%	910	127.3%
128	82	Hertsmere	CON	1,126	872	1,725	599	53.2%	853	97.8%
425	452	Hexham	CON	1,157	639	1,052	-105	-9.1%	413	64.6%
192	246	Heywood & Middleton	LAB	2,608	1,689	3,174	566	21.7%	1,485	87.9%
160	164	High Peak	LAB	1,492	1,038	2,001	509	34.1%	963	92.8%
68	157	Hitchin & Harpenden	CON	1,011	653	1,371	360	35.6%	718	110.0%
609	575	Holborn & St Pancras	LAB	5,264	2,369	3,358	-1,906	-36.2%	989	41.7%
299	219	Hornchurch	CON	1,337	952	1,680	343	25.7%	728	76.5%
468	524	Hornsey & Wood Green	LD	5,091	2,502	4,004	-1,087	-21.4%	1,502	60.0%

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60	11	Horsham	CON	775	732	1,562	787	101.5%	830	113.4%
240	310	Houghton & Washington East	LAB	2,592	1,578	2,878	286	11.0%	1,300	82.4%
476	500	Hove	LAB	2,968	1,562	2,481	-487	-16.4%	919	58.8%
513	325	Huddersfield	LAB	3,302	2,331	3,622	320	9.7%	1,291	55.4%
69	108	Huntingdon	CON	1,371	958	2,010	639	46.6%	1,052	109.8%
325	58	Hyndburn	LAB	1,436	1,343	2,332	896	62.4%	989	73.6%
289	229	Ilford North	CON	2,025	1,419	2,524	499	24.6%	1,105	77.9%
575	346	Ilford South (a)	LAB	3,882	2,773	4,121	239	6.2%	1,348	48.6%
628	..	Inverclyde	LAB	..	2,003	2,747	..	..	744	37.1%
493	..	Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey	LD	..	923	1,454	..	..	531	57.5%
564	254	Ipswich	LAB	2,635	2,102	3,152	517	19.6%	1,050	50.0%
147	489	Isle of Wight	CON	3,732	1,638	3,202	-530	-14.2%	1,564	95.5%
484	551	Islington North	LAB	6,138	2,780	4,398	-1,740	-28.3%	1,618	58.2%
488	562	Islington South & Finsbury	LAB	4,970	2,198	3,465	-1,505	-30.3%	1,267	57.6%
364	95	Islwyn	LAB	1,386	1,223	2,072	686	49.5%	849	69.4%
591	416	Jarrow	LAB	3,030	1,980	2,897	-133	-4.4%	917	46.3%
482	272	Keighley	LAB	1,949	1,444	2,285	336	17.2%	841	58.2%
391	560	Kensington & Chelsea	CON	2,644	1,105	1,851	-793	-30.0%	746	67.5%
293	25	Kettering	CON	1,391	1,448	2,569	1,178	84.7%	1,121	77.4%
464	..	Kilmarnock and Loudoun	LAB	..	2,027	3,253	..	..	1,226	60.5%
58	283	Kingston & Surbiton	LD	1,775	964	2,059	284	16.0%	1,095	113.6%
567	282	Kingston upon Hull East	LAB	3,749	2,917	4,358	609	16.2%	1,441	49.4%
573	333	Kingston upon Hull North	LAB	4,498	3,273	4,865	367	8.2%	1,592	48.6%
537	235	Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle	LAB	3,791	3,057	4,690	899	23.7%	1,633	53.4%
113	173	Kingswood	LAB	1,631	1,080	2,165	534	32.7%	1,085	100.5%
604	..	Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath	LAB	..	2,238	3,217	..	..	979	43.7%
503	424	Knowsley North & Sefton East	LAB	3,735	2,246	3,511	-224	-6.0%	1,265	56.3%
627	515	Knowsley South	LAB	4,435	2,621	3,599	-836	-18.9%	978	37.3%
119	311	Lagan Valley	DU	2,028	1,131	2,251	223	11.0%	1,120	99.0%
187	..	Lanark and Hamilton East	LAB	..	1,466	2,767	..	..	1,301	88.7%
347	539	Lancaster & Wyre	CON	1,671	733	1,256	-415	-24.8%	523	71.4%
577	287	Leeds Central	LAB	5,152	4,027	5,961	809	15.7%	1,934	48.0%
500	393	Leeds East	LAB	3,768	2,393	3,745	-23	-0.6%	1,352	56.5%
489	421	Leeds North East	LAB	2,635	1,581	2,492	-143	-5.4%	911	57.6%
435	317	Leeds North West	LD	1,887	1,271	2,083	196	10.4%	812	63.9%
288	175	Leeds West	LAB	2,913	2,162	3,850	937	32.2%	1,688	78.1%
533	100	Leicester East	LAB	2,654	2,552	3,925	1,271	47.9%	1,373	53.8%
589	226	Leicester South	LAB	3,734	3,187	4,674	940	25.2%	1,487	46.7%
454	180	Leicester West	LAB	3,423	2,788	4,509	1,086	31.7%	1,721	61.7%
382	73	Leigh	LAB	1,963	1,824	3,071	1,108	56.4%	1,247	68.4%
456	383	Leominster (c)(a)	CON	1,166	725	1,170	4	0.3%	445	61.4%
239	239	Lewes	LD	1,098	739	1,348	250	22.8%	609	82.4%
451	465	Lewisham East	LAB	3,082	1,680	2,722	-360	-11.7%	1,042	62.0%
556	513	Lewisham West	LAB	4,002	2,155	3,262	-740	-18.5%	1,107	51.4%
452	567	Lewisham, Deptford	LAB	5,301	2,254	3,650	-1,651	-31.1%	1,396	61.9%
561	495	Leyton & Wanstead	LAB	3,899	2,189	3,289	-610	-15.6%	1,100	50.3%
129	152	Lichfield	CON	1,223	847	1,675	452	37.0%	828	97.8%
374	377	Lincoln	LAB	3,291	1,968	3,322	31	0.9%	1,354	68.8%
356	..	Linlithgow and East Falkirk	LAB	..	1,818	3,099	..	..	1,281	70.5%
635	423	Liverpool, Garston	LAB	3,501	2,449	3,305	-196	-5.6%	856	35.0%
638	523	Liverpool, Riverside	LAB	6,654	3,983	5,250	-1,404	-21.1%	1,267	31.8%
632	449	Liverpool, Walton	LAB	5,058	3,395	4,616	-442	-8.7%	1,221	36.0%
641	493	Liverpool, Wavertree	LAB	4,862	3,177	4,105	-757	-15.6%	928	29.2%
601	504	Liverpool, West Derby	IND	5,105	2,939	4,238	-867	-17.0%	1,299	44.2%
284	..	Livingston	LAB	..	1,606	2,863	..	..	1,257	78.3%
582	456	Llanelli	LAB	2,220	1,350	1,992	-228	-10.3%	642	47.6%
121	232	Loughborough	LAB	1,669	1,041	2,069	400	24.0%	1,028	98.8%

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551	398	Louth & Horncastle	CON	1,600	1,041	1,582	-18	-1.1%	541	52.0%
222	348	Ludlow	CON	1,087	625	1,153	66	6.1%	528	84.5%
371	220	Luton North	LAB	2,170	1,613	2,726	556	25.6%	1,113	69.0%
379	262	Luton South	LAB	3,054	2,153	3,627	573	18.8%	1,474	68.5%
155	154	Macclesfield	CON	1,217	857	1,659	442	36.3%	802	93.6%
22	45	Maidenhead	CON	918	667	1,547	629	68.5%	880	131.9%
70	308	Maidstone & The Weald	CON	1,515	807	1,692	177	11.7%	885	109.7%
366	151	Makerfield	LAB	1,995	1,617	2,738	743	37.2%	1,121	69.3%
139	290	Maldon & East Chelmsford	CON	1,367	801	1,575	208	15.2%	774	96.6%
501	381	Manchester, Blackley	LAB	3,570	2,297	3,591	21	0.6%	1,294	56.3%
603	479	Manchester, Central	LAB	6,041	3,654	5,257	-784	-13.0%	1,603	43.9%
618	507	Manchester, Gorton	LAB	4,474	2,636	3,693	-781	-17.5%	1,057	40.1%
499	555	Manchester, Withington	LD	3,658	1,668	2,611	-1,047	-28.6%	943	56.5%
403	410	Mansfield	LAB	2,509	1,466	2,439	-70	-2.8%	973	66.4%
301	300	Medway	LAB	2,363	1,511	2,661	298	12.6%	1,150	76.1%
636	584	Meirionnydd Nant Conwy	PC	1,144	475	632	-512	-44.8%	157	33.1%
352	153	Meriden	CON	2,608	2,082	3,556	948	36.3%	1,474	70.8%
401	129	Merthyr Tydfil & Rhymney	LAB	2,321	1,980	3,295	974	42.0%	1,315	66.4%
34	47	Mid Bedfordshire	CON	846	630	1,411	565	66.8%	781	124.0%
17	314	Mid Dorset & North Poole	LD	1,067	504	1,182	115	10.8%	678	134.5%
341	402	Mid Norfolk	CON	1,556	892	1,533	-23	-1.5%	641	71.9%
133	115	Mid Sussex	CON	812	596	1,176	364	44.8%	580	97.3%
6	486	Mid Ulster	SF	3,357	1,159	2,885	-472	-14.1%	1,726	148.9%
88	41	Mid Worcestershire	CON	1,125	943	1,931	806	71.6%	988	104.8%
617	457	Middlesbrough	LAB	5,469	3,485	4,896	-573	-10.5%	1,411	40.5%
545	462	Middlesbrough South & East Cleveland	LAB	3,477	2,022	3,084	-393	-11.3%	1,062	52.5%
212	..	Midlothian	LAB	..	935	1,736	..	..	801	85.7%
196	6	Milton Keynes South West	LAB	1,902	2,170	4,067	2,165	113.8%	1,897	87.4%
416	425	Mitcham & Morden	LAB	2,896	1,648	2,721	-175	-6.0%	1,073	65.1%
1	48	Mole Valley	CON	597	380	994	397	66.5%	614	161.6%
203	405	Monmouth	CON	1,427	747	1,396	-31	-2.2%	649	86.9%
178	193	Montgomeryshire	LD	734	503	957	223	30.4%	454	90.3%
640	..	Moray	SNP	..	893	1,157	..	..	264	29.6%
465	516	Morecambe & Lunesdale	LAB	2,488	1,254	2,012	-476	-19.1%	758	60.4%
141	104	Morley & Rothwell	LAB	1,836	1,375	2,699	863	47.0%	1,324	96.3%
365	..	Motherwell and Wishaw	LAB	..	1,967	3,332	..	..	1,365	69.4%
417	..	Na h-Eileanan an Iar	SNP	..	306	505	..	..	199	65.0%
368	356	Neath	LAB	1,869	1,152	1,950	81	4.3%	798	69.3%
92	230	New Forest East	CON	1,038	631	1,289	251	24.2%	658	104.3%
71	380	New Forest West	CON	963	463	969	6	0.6%	506	109.3%
302	445	Newark	CON	1,983	1,033	1,819	-164	-8.3%	786	76.1%
39	5	Newbury	CON	742	728	1,622	880	118.6%	894	122.8%
594	528	Newcastle upon Tyne Central	LAB	3,454	1,848	2,698	-756	-21.9%	850	46.0%
619	483	Newcastle upon Tyne East & Wallsend	LAB	3,853	2,373	3,322	-531	-13.8%	949	40.0%
504	480	Newcastle upon Tyne North	LAB	2,562	1,423	2,224	-338	-13.2%	801	56.3%
328	123	Newcastle-under-Lyme	LAB	1,519	1,256	2,177	658	43.3%	921	73.3%
329	240	Newport East	LAB	2,025	1,435	2,485	460	22.7%	1,050	73.2%
269	316	Newport West	LAB	2,394	1,474	2,644	250	10.4%	1,170	79.4%
90	559	Newry & Armagh	SF	4,747	1,649	3,374	-1,373	-28.9%	1,725	104.6%
116	297	Normanton	LAB	1,682	960	1,917	235	14.0%	957	99.7%
217	455	North Antrim	DU	3,271	1,588	2,937	-334	-10.2%	1,349	84.9%
525	..	North Ayrshire and Arran	LAB	..	2,208	3,405	..	..	1,197	54.2%
372	552	North Cornwall	LD	2,365	1,002	1,693	-672	-28.4%	691	69.0%
536	570	North Devon	LD	1,801	799	1,226	-575	-31.9%	427	53.4%
54	285	North Dorset	CON	807	436	935	128	15.9%	499	114.4%
270	535	North Down	UU	2,289	973	1,743	-546	-23.9%	770	79.1%
388	368	North Durham	LAB	2,476	1,508	2,533	57	2.3%	1,025	68.0%

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87	22	North East Bedfordshire	CON	941	857	1,758	817	901	105.1%
282	162	North East Cambridgeshire	CON	1,976	1,489	2,656	680	1,167	78.4%
180	408	North East Derbyshire	LAB	2,193	1,125	2,136	-57	1,011	89.9%
611	..	North East Fife	LD	..	738	1,043	..	305	41.3%
43	55	North East Hampshire	CON	726	535	1,182	456	647	120.9%
80	69	North East Hertfordshire	CON	997	759	1,570	573	811	106.9%
148	4	North East Milton Keynes	CON	1,544	1,746	3,410	1,866	1,664	95.3%
200	161	North Essex	CON	995	716	1,340	345	624	87.2%
441	367	North Norfolk	LD	1,600	1,004	1,640	40	636	63.3%
345	206	North Shropshire	CON	1,490	1,113	1,908	418	795	71.4%
584	541	North Southwark & Bermondsey	LD	5,509	2,803	4,128	-1,381	1,325	47.3%
9	1	North Swindon	LAB	1,115	1,174	2,863	1,748	1,689	143.9%
474	391	North Thanet	CON	2,915	1,825	2,900	-15	1,075	58.9%
588	441	North Tyneside	LAB	3,146	1,974	2,898	-248	924	46.8%
140	46	North Warwickshire	LAB	1,642	1,395	2,741	1,099	1,346	96.5%
182	27	North West Cambridgeshire	CON	1,418	1,370	2,598	1,180	1,228	89.6%
297	396	North West Durham	LAB	2,449	1,372	2,424	-25	1,052	76.7%
184	37	North West Hampshire (a)	CON	771	708	1,339	568	631	89.1%
97	224	North West Leicestershire	LAB	1,354	834	1,696	342	862	103.4%
507	365	North West Norfolk	CON	2,045	1,351	2,102	57	751	55.6%
30	38	North Wiltshire	CON	1,009	770	1,748	739	978	127.0%
237	122	Northampton North	LAB	2,421	1,899	3,471	1,050	1,572	82.8%
150	43	Northampton South	CON	2,131	1,860	3,628	1,497	1,768	95.1%
8	227	Northavon	LD	1,039	529	1,300	261	771	145.7%
422	409	Norwich North	CON	2,351	1,388	2,288	-63	900	64.8%
534	502	Norwich South	LAB	3,436	1,858	2,857	-579	999	53.8%
519	454	Nottingham East	LAB	5,124	2,984	4,615	-509	1,631	54.7%
578	212	Nottingham North	LAB	3,440	2,948	4,359	919	1,411	47.9%
511	386	Nottingham South	LAB	3,418	2,199	3,418	0	1,219	55.4%
320	59	Nuneaton	LAB	1,807	1,680	2,926	1,119	1,246	74.2%
385	..	Ochil and South Perthshire	LAB	..	1,195	2,010	..	815	68.2%
114	148	Ogmore	LAB	1,740	1,200	2,397	657	1,197	99.8%
151	364	Old Bexley & Sidcup	INC	1,522	803	1,566	44	763	95.0%
361	91	Oldham East & Saddleworth	LAB	2,058	1,819	3,091	1,033	1,272	69.9%
497	92	Oldham West & Royton	LAB	2,423	2,318	3,637	1,214	1,319	56.9%
621	..	Orkney and Shetland	LD	..	213	296	..	83	39.0%
261	197	Orpington	CON	1,550	1,117	2,009	459	892	79.9%
309	299	Oxford East	LAB	2,216	1,432	2,507	291	1,075	75.1%
19	156	Oxford West & Abingdon	LD	946	551	1,284	338	733	133.0%
321	..	Paisley and Renfrewshire North	LAB	..	1,139	1,982	..	843	74.0%
461	..	Paisley and Renfrewshire South	LAB	..	1,664	2,677	..	1,013	60.9%
442	90	Pendle	LAB	1,426	1,316	2,149	723	833	63.3%
177	433	Penrith & The Border	CON	986	480	914	-72	434	90.4%
522	..	Perth and North Perthshire	SNP	..	893	1,380	..	487	54.5%
186	120	Peterborough	CON	2,647	2,013	3,802	1,155	1,789	88.9%
312	487	Plymouth, Devonport	LAB	3,206	1,576	2,754	-452	1,178	74.7%
397	558	Plymouth, Sutton	LAB	4,715	2,011	3,361	-1,354	1,350	67.1%
526	269	Pontefract & Castleford	LAB	2,231	1,705	2,629	398	924	54.2%
229	270	Pontypridd	LAB	1,993	1,276	2,347	354	1,071	83.9%
98	345	Poole	CON	1,433	749	1,523	90	774	103.3%
633	322	Poplar & Canning Town	LAB	5,606	4,557	6,168	562	1,611	35.4%
287	293	Portsmouth North	LAB	1,900	1,218	2,170	270	952	78.2%
411	482	Portsmouth South	LD	3,721	1,944	3,218	-503	1,274	65.5%
159	583	Preseli Pembrokeshire	CON	2,419	700	1,350	-1,069	650	92.9%
506	394	Preston	LAB	3,186	2,029	3,161	-25	1,132	55.8%
105	81	Pudsey	LAB	1,154	879	1,771	617	892	101.5%
305	517	Putney	CON	2,206	1,005	1,765	-441	760	75.6%

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37	306	Rayleigh	CON	1,198	602	1,343	145	12.1%	741	123.1%
47	50	Reading East	CON	1,513	1,151	2,514	1,001	66.2%	1,363	118.4%
48	15	Reading West	LAB	1,322	1,184	2,578	1,256	95.0%	1,394	117.7%
595	436	Redcar	LAB	3,895	2,472	3,607	-288	-7.4%	1,135	45.9%
102	143	Redditch	LAB	1,938	1,331	2,686	748	38.6%	1,355	101.8%
530	519	Regent's Park & Kensington North	LAB	5,549	2,883	4,439	-1,110	-20.0%	1,556	54.0%
14	40	Reigate	CON	775	562	1,337	562	72.5%	775	137.9%
453	278	Rhondda	LAB	2,194	1,580	2,558	364	16.6%	978	61.9%
292	201	Ribble Valley	CON	802	582	1,033	231	28.8%	451	77.5%
428	411	Richmond	CON	1,276	749	1,231	-45	-3.5%	482	64.4%
110	496	Richmond Park	LD	1,815	759	1,527	-288	-15.9%	768	101.2%
439	118	Rochdale	LD	2,927	2,579	4,217	1,290	44.1%	1,638	63.5%
420	499	Rochford & Southend East	CON	3,960	2,011	3,316	-644	-16.3%	1,305	64.9%
127	113	Romford	CON	1,308	958	1,896	588	45.0%	938	97.9%
176	244	Romsey	LD	874	561	1,069	195	22.3%	508	90.6%
510	..	Ross, Skye and Lochaber	LD	..	512	796	..	..	284	55.5%
220	21	Rossendale & Darwen	LAB	1,278	1,295	2,392	1,114	87.2%	1,097	84.7%
167	336	Rother Valley	LAB	2,614	1,465	2,815	201	7.7%	1,350	92.2%
243	437	Rotherham	LAB	3,561	1,804	3,288	-273	-7.7%	1,484	82.3%
294	126	Rugby & Kenilworth	CON	1,643	1,324	2,347	704	42.8%	1,023	77.3%
111	288	Ruislip - Northwood	CON	1,158	666	1,338	180	15.5%	672	100.9%
3	98	Runnymede & Weybridge	CON	852	493	1,265	413	48.5%	772	156.6%
263	430	Rushcliffe	CON	1,618	835	1,501	-117	-7.2%	666	79.8%
227	..	Rutherglen and Hamilton West	LAB	..	1,807	3,326	..	..	1,519	84.1%
59	44	Rutland & Melton	CON	765	607	1,296	531	69.4%	689	113.5%
387	292	Ryedale	CON	962	658	1,106	144	15.0%	448	68.1%
36	141	Saffron Walden	CON	1,032	642	1,434	402	39.0%	792	123.4%
541	284	Salford	LAB	2,684	2,035	3,112	428	15.9%	1,077	52.9%
63	277	Salisbury	CON	1,216	669	1,421	205	16.9%	752	112.4%
531	439	Scarborough & Whitby	CON	2,514	1,506	2,318	-196	-7.8%	812	53.9%
277	225	Scunthorpe	LAB	2,430	1,704	3,043	613	25.2%	1,339	78.6%
351	222	Sedgefield	LAB	1,905	1,398	2,391	486	25.5%	993	71.0%
95	294	Selby	LAB	1,723	965	1,965	242	14.0%	1,000	103.6%
45	406	Sevenoaks	CON	1,149	510	1,122	-27	-2.3%	612	120.0%
218	407	Sheffield, Attercliffe	LAB	2,733	1,442	2,666	-67	-2.5%	1,224	84.9%
404	473	Sheffield, Brightside	LAB	3,983	2,099	3,491	-492	-12.4%	1,392	66.3%
524	546	Sheffield, Central	LAB	5,808	2,741	4,233	-1,575	-27.1%	1,492	54.4%
179	566	Sheffield, Hallam	LD	1,615	585	1,113	-502	-31.1%	528	90.3%
357	494	Sheffield, Heeley	LAB	3,376	1,672	2,850	-526	-15.6%	1,178	70.5%
191	476	Sheffield, Hillsborough	LAB	2,605	1,208	2,272	-333	-12.8%	1,064	88.1%
210	369	Sherwood	LAB	2,134	1,174	2,182	48	2.2%	1,008	85.9%
280	188	Shipley	CON	1,710	1,256	2,241	531	31.1%	985	78.4%
291	303	Shrewsbury & Atcham	CON	1,463	924	1,642	179	12.2%	718	77.7%
249	397	Sittingbourne & Sheppey	LAB	2,522	1,375	2,494	-28	-1.1%	1,119	81.4%
214	257	Skipton & Ripon	CON	969	624	1,157	188	19.4%	533	85.4%
278	236	Sleaford & North Hykeham	CON	1,257	869	1,551	294	23.4%	682	78.5%
115	203	Slough	LAB	2,405	1,549	3,094	689	28.6%	1,545	99.7%
83	109	Solihull	LD	1,362	970	1,993	631	46.3%	1,023	105.5%
266	440	Somerton & Frome (a)	LD	1,316	675	1,213	-103	-7.8%	538	79.7%
89	372	South Antrim	DU	2,290	1,136	2,325	35	1.5%	1,189	104.7%
122	140	South Cambridgeshire	CON	852	597	1,184	332	39.0%	587	98.3%
152	195	South Derbyshire	LAB	1,774	1,187	2,311	537	30.3%	1,124	94.7%
369	533	South Dorset	LAB	1,713	774	1,309	-404	-23.6%	535	69.1%
166	464	South Down	SDLP	3,626	1,671	3,211	-415	-11.4%	1,540	92.2%
106	88	South East Cambridgeshire	CON	1,014	763	1,536	522	51.5%	773	101.3%
460	545	South East Cornwall	LD	1,920	884	1,424	-496	-25.8%	540	61.1%
223	3	South Holland & The Deepings	CON	848	1,050	1,937	1,089	128.4%	887	84.5%

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175	357	South Norfolk	CON	1,585	867	1,653	68	4.3%	786	90.7%
316	121	South Ribble	LAB	1,203	990	1,727	524	43.6%	737	74.4%
610	451	South Shields	LAB	4,021	2,582	3,658	-363	-9.0%	1,076	41.7%
257	261	South Staffordshire	CON	1,580	1,040	1,877	297	18.8%	837	80.5%
112	298	South Suffolk	CON	1,274	722	1,449	175	13.7%	727	100.7%
46	18	South Swindon	LAB	1,755	1,535	3,358	1,603	91.3%	1,823	118.8%
367	508	South Thanet	LAB	2,499	1,214	2,055	-444	-17.8%	841	69.3%
101	23	South West Bedfordshire	CON	1,262	1,163	2,351	1,089	86.3%	1,188	102.1%
134	520	South West Devon	CON	1,399	568	1,119	-280	-20.0%	551	97.0%
23	116	South West Hertfordshire	CON	993	620	1,437	444	44.7%	817	131.8%
330	185	South West Norfolk	CON	1,736	1,318	2,280	544	31.3%	962	73.0%
7	99	South West Surrey	CON	754	453	1,119	365	48.4%	666	147.0%
318	281	Southampton, Itchen	LAB	2,919	1,948	3,394	475	16.3%	1,446	74.2%
255	404	Southampton, Test	LAB	3,012	1,631	2,949	-63	-2.1%	1,318	80.8%
161	492	Southend West	CON	2,337	1,025	1,974	-363	-15.5%	949	92.6%
490	444	Southport	LD	2,187	1,274	2,008	-179	-8.2%	734	57.6%
18	68	Spelthorne	CON	1,002	679	1,585	583	58.2%	906	133.4%
94	124	St Albans	CON	935	657	1,339	404	43.2%	682	103.8%
475	330	St Helens North	LAB	2,438	1,677	2,664	226	9.3%	987	58.9%
599	354	St Helens South	LAB	2,901	2,105	3,046	145	5.0%	941	44.7%
549	586	St Ives	LD	3,000	950	1,446	-1,554	-51.8%	496	52.2%
375	237	Stafford	LAB	1,473	1,076	1,816	343	23.3%	740	68.8%
146	268	Staffordshire Moorlands	LAB	1,347	811	1,588	241	17.9%	777	95.8%
226	127	Stalybridge & Hyde	LAB	2,039	1,577	2,904	865	42.4%	1,327	84.1%
153	209	Stevenage	LAB	1,794	1,172	2,279	485	27.0%	1,107	94.5%
424	..	Stirling	LAB	..	1,055	1,737	..	..	682	64.6%
268	218	Stockport	LAB	2,112	1,485	2,665	553	26.2%	1,180	79.5%
396	471	Stockton North	LAB	4,245	2,229	3,726	-519	-12.2%	1,497	67.2%
485	428	Stockton South	LAB	3,130	1,853	2,931	-199	-6.4%	1,078	58.2%
469	192	Stoke-on-Trent Central	LAB	2,536	2,070	3,312	776	30.6%	1,242	60.0%
314	56	Stoke-on-Trent North	LAB	1,691	1,574	2,749	1,058	62.6%	1,175	74.7%
336	96	Stoke-on-Trent South	LAB	1,911	1,653	2,848	937	49.0%	1,195	72.3%
120	210	Stone	CON	982	626	1,245	263	26.8%	619	98.9%
219	83	Stourbridge	LAB	1,830	1,515	2,800	970	53.0%	1,285	84.8%
281	478	Strangford	DU	2,413	1,177	2,100	-313	-13.0%	923	78.4%
55	170	Stratford-on-Avon	CON	1,207	749	1,606	399	33.1%	857	114.4%
548	556	Streatham	LAB	6,214	2,909	4,431	-1,783	-28.7%	1,522	52.3%
285	327	Stretford & Urmston	LAB	2,421	1,489	2,653	232	9.6%	1,164	78.2%
21	221	Stroud	LAB	1,517	821	1,905	388	25.6%	1,084	132.0%
317	536	Suffolk Coastal	CON	1,692	735	1,281	-411	-24.3%	546	74.3%
542	388	Sunderland North	LAB	3,100	2,025	3,094	-6	-0.2%	1,069	52.8%
574	468	Sunderland South	LAB	3,981	2,357	3,503	-478	-12.0%	1,146	48.6%
16	19	Surrey Heath	CON	712	576	1,355	643	90.3%	779	135.2%
104	202	Sutton & Cheam	LD	1,204	768	1,549	345	28.7%	781	101.7%
172	160	Sutton Coldfield	CON	1,457	1,030	1,968	511	35.1%	938	91.1%
421	349	Swansea East	LAB	2,189	1,406	2,318	129	5.9%	912	64.9%
472	450	Swansea West	LAB	2,316	1,324	2,112	-204	-8.8%	788	59.5%
53	70	Tamworth	LAB	1,704	1,241	2,676	972	57.0%	1,435	115.6%
158	191	Tatton	CON	966	653	1,262	296	30.6%	609	93.3%
190	506	Taunton (a)	LD	2,065	906	1,705	-360	-17.4%	799	88.2%
81	467	Teignbridge	LD	1,820	776	1,602	-218	-12.0%	826	106.4%
274	35	Telford	LAB	1,708	1,696	3,034	1,326	77.6%	1,338	78.9%
75	84	Tewkesbury	CON	1,108	813	1,692	584	52.7%	879	108.1%
346	159	Thurrock	LAB	2,619	2,067	3,543	924	35.3%	1,476	71.4%
331	362	Tiverton & Honiton	CON	1,305	781	1,351	46	3.5%	570	73.0%
138	353	Tonbridge & Malling	CON	1,179	631	1,242	63	5.3%	611	96.8%
426	577	Tooting	LAB	3,966	1,452	2,390	-1,576	-39.7%	938	64.6%

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440	384	Torbay	LD	2,654	1,629	2,663	9	0.3%	1,034	63.5%
389	199	Torfaen	LAB	1,992	1,536	2,579	587	29.5%	1,043	67.9%
505	509	Torrige & West Devon	CON	1,959	1,026	1,603	-356	-18.2%	577	56.2%
327	481	Totnes	CON	1,642	820	1,422	-220	-13.4%	602	73.4%
615	557	Tottenham	LAB	8,256	4,184	5,886	-2,370	-28.7%	1,702	40.7%
231	564	Truro & St Austell	LD	2,460	928	1,705	-755	-30.7%	777	83.7%
31	337	Tunbridge Wells	CON	1,158	553	1,247	89	7.7%	694	125.5%
56	376	Twickenham	LD	1,637	771	1,653	16	1.0%	882	114.4%
607	512	Tyne Bridge	LAB	4,715	2,694	3,847	-868	-18.4%	1,153	42.8%
478	510	Tynemouth	LAB	2,698	1,390	2,206	-492	-18.2%	816	58.7%
216	158	Upminster	CON	1,256	919	1,700	444	35.4%	781	85.0%
149	213	Upper Bann	DU	2,632	1,708	3,334	702	26.7%	1,626	95.2%
49	87	Uxbridge	CON	1,321	922	2,004	683	51.7%	1,082	117.4%
508	263	Vale of Clwyd	LAB	1,655	1,263	1,965	310	18.7%	702	55.6%
432	295	Vale of Glamorgan	LAB	2,342	1,628	2,670	328	14.0%	1,042	64.0%
197	243	Vale of York	CON	969	633	1,186	217	22.4%	553	87.4%
569	572	Vauxhall	LAB	7,430	3,286	4,902	-2,528	-34.0%	1,616	49.2%
251	334	Wakefield	LAB	2,628	1,566	2,840	212	8.1%	1,274	81.4%
546	466	Wallasey	LAB	3,678	2,131	3,248	-430	-11.7%	1,117	52.4%
338	215	Walsall North	LAB	3,447	2,534	4,359	912	26.5%	1,825	72.0%
393	250	Walsall South	LAB	3,572	2,580	4,318	746	20.9%	1,738	67.4%
630	412	Walthamstow	LAB	4,091	2,885	3,944	-147	-3.6%	1,059	36.7%
631	389	Wansbeck	LAB	2,636	1,930	2,630	-6	-0.2%	700	36.3%
20	280	Wansdyke (c)(a)	LAB	1,011	505	1,176	165	16.3%	671	132.9%
5	36	Wantage	CON	835	586	1,461	626	75.0%	875	149.3%
514	255	Warley	LAB	3,060	2,354	3,657	597	19.5%	1,303	55.4%
394	103	Warrington North	LAB	1,885	1,663	2,783	898	47.6%	1,120	67.3%
313	107	Warrington South	LAB	1,533	1,287	2,248	715	46.6%	961	74.7%
334	134	Warwick & Leamington	LAB	1,780	1,442	2,491	711	39.9%	1,049	72.7%
78	169	Watford	LAB	1,599	1,029	2,131	532	33.3%	1,102	107.1%
613	538	Waveney	LAB	3,436	1,841	2,593	-843	-24.5%	752	40.8%
32	136	Wealden	CON	871	540	1,217	346	39.7%	677	125.4%
483	375	Weaver Vale	LAB	2,462	1,572	2,487	25	1.0%	915	58.2%
195	12	Wellingborough	CON	1,643	1,721	3,226	1,583	96.3%	1,505	87.4%
206	459	Wells	CON	1,573	751	1,401	-172	-10.9%	650	86.6%
145	17	Welwyn Hatfield	CON	1,029	1,007	1,972	943	91.6%	965	95.8%
181	447	Wentworth	LAB	2,984	1,442	2,735	-249	-8.3%	1,293	89.7%
52	..	West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine	LD	..	256	555	..	..	299	116.8%
359	208	West Bromwich East	LAB	2,943	2,203	3,749	806	27.4%	1,546	70.2%
310	110	West Bromwich West	LAB	3,197	2,673	4,676	1,479	46.3%	2,003	74.9%
76	155	West Chelmsford	CON	1,557	1,022	2,120	563	36.2%	1,098	107.4%
209	359	West Derbyshire	CON	1,199	670	1,246	47	3.9%	576	86.0%
267	568	West Dorset	CON	1,104	421	756	-348	-31.5%	335	79.6%
622	..	West Dunbartonshire	LAB	..	2,293	3,175	..	..	882	38.5%
623	488	West Ham	LAB	5,181	3,222	4,447	-734	-14.2%	1,225	38.0%
430	363	West Lancashire	LAB	2,614	1,644	2,698	84	3.2%	1,054	64.1%
144	142	West Suffolk	CON	1,411	999	1,957	546	38.7%	958	95.9%
433	531	West Tyrone	SF	4,252	1,986	3,257	-995	-23.4%	1,271	64.0%
72	204	West Worcestershire	CON	1,063	655	1,367	304	28.6%	712	108.7%
208	198	Westbury	CON	1,621	1,129	2,100	479	29.5%	971	86.0%
154	548	Westmorland & Lonsdale	LD	803	298	579	-224	-27.9%	281	94.3%
173	265	Weston-Super-Mare	CON	1,794	1,111	2,121	327	18.2%	1,010	90.9%
444	223	Wigan	LAB	2,250	1,728	2,820	570	25.3%	1,092	63.2%
143	522	Wimbledon	CON	1,655	667	1,309	-346	-20.9%	642	96.3%
163	174	Winchester	LD	945	651	1,253	308	32.6%	602	92.5%
2	93	Windsor	CON	963	558	1,440	477	49.5%	882	158.1%
455	497	Wirral South	LAB	1,776	924	1,493	-283	-15.9%	569	61.6%

**D Change in Unemployed Claimants September 1997-2009 and September 2008-2009**  
**United Kingdom constituencies**  
**2. (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing**

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

08-09	97-09	Party	Claimants			Change 97-09		Change 08-09		
			Sep-97	Sep-08	Sep-09	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
431	503	Wirral West	LAB	2,034	1,031	1,691	-343	-16.9%	660	64.0%
26	79	Witney	CON	718	480	1,105	387	53.9%	625	130.2%
24	8	Woking	CON	709	641	1,478	769	108.5%	837	130.6%
10	2	Wokingham	CON	546	542	1,318	772	141.4%	776	143.2%
570	167	Wolverhampton North East	LAB	2,898	2,599	3,877	979	33.8%	1,278	49.2%
553	147	Wolverhampton South East	LAB	2,891	2,625	3,986	1,095	37.9%	1,361	51.8%
563	163	Wolverhampton South West	LAB	2,906	2,604	3,905	999	34.4%	1,301	50.0%
50	248	Woodspring	CON	857	479	1,041	184	21.5%	562	117.3%
213	101	Worcester	LAB	1,777	1,415	2,626	849	47.8%	1,211	85.6%
598	580	Workington	LAB	2,763	1,090	1,582	-1,181	-42.7%	492	45.1%
339	52	Worsley	LAB	1,754	1,687	2,901	1,147	65.4%	1,214	72.0%
66	30	Worthing West	CON	1,048	893	1,884	836	79.8%	991	111.0%
157	42	Wrekin, The	CON	1,164	1,030	1,991	827	71.0%	961	93.3%
315	207	Wrexham	LAB	1,475	1,076	1,879	404	27.4%	803	74.6%
82	71	Wycombe	CON	1,506	1,149	2,362	856	56.8%	1,213	105.6%
91	111	Wyre Forest	IND	1,771	1,262	2,580	809	45.7%	1,318	104.4%
335	233	Wythenshawe & Sale East	LAB	2,976	2,138	3,684	708	23.8%	1,546	72.3%
25	343	Yeovil (a)	LD	1,425	658	1,517	92	6.5%	859	130.5%
620	571	Ynys-Mon	LAB	2,443	1,172	1,638	-805	-33.0%	466	39.8%
283	373	York, City of	LAB	2,807	1,598	2,849	42	1.5%	1,251	78.3%
United Kingdom				1,513,537	944,716	1,591,112	77,575	5.1%	646,396	68.4%



## E. Table notes

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 the tables 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 '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)'.<sup>12</sup>

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	INC	Independent Conservative
UKI	UK Independence Party	INL	Independent Labour

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<sup>12</sup> Data are transferred from Bath to Wansdyke (one ward), Hereford to Leominster (one ward) and Clywd South to Clwyd West (two wards).

### III Other constituency indicators

Data on the JSA claimant count is the most timely labour market indicator available at a constituency level. However a wider selection of data is available from the Office for National Statistics (ONS). Almost all data available at a constituency level is published, with longer time series, in constituency profiles on the NOMIS website.<sup>13</sup> The Library is available to provide assistance in accessing this data and advice on interpreting it. The NOMIS website also makes data available at a local authority and ward level.

This section contains a table of other constituency level data that is likely to be of current interest to Members of Parliament and their staff. The content is not fixed and may vary between months. We would welcome any comments on both the introduction of the table and the contents.

The tables show the following:

- New estimates of ILO unemployment at a constituency level as published in July 2009. **Please note these are experimental statistics and not yet 'official' statistics.** The current Annual Population Survey-based estimates produced by ONS are subject to a high level of sampling variability at a constituency level and these model-based estimates seek to reduce the sampling error by taking account of JSA claimant count movements in the same period. The data is published quarterly and the latest available is for the year to December 2008. These rates are higher than claimant-based rates as they include those people who indicate they would like to work, and are available for work, but are not claiming (or eligible for) Job Seekers Allowance. Further information on the estimates and a time series is available on the ONS website.<sup>14</sup> However, this data is still subject to sampling variability and excludes Northern Ireland.
- The estimated working-age employment rate in the year to March 2009. This figure is not experimental, is from the Annual Population Survey, and is based on a different methodology than the ILO unemployment estimates. Please note this is sample-based data and subject to sampling variability and excludes Northern Ireland.<sup>15</sup> (The employment rates published in the August 2009 edition of this paper related to all aged 16 and over.)
- The number of available unfilled vacancies notified to Jobcentre Plus. Please note that this is a snapshot taken at a single point during the month. Vacancies do not need to be notified to Jobcentre Plus (and many are not). Constituencies are not isolated labour markets and therefore any jobsearch is likely to extend beyond the boundaries of the constituency.<sup>16</sup>
- The final three columns show the number of JSA claimants broken down into three age groups. Section II presents the simple claimant total for September of 1997, 2008 and 2009, as well as a gender split for September 2009. However greater detail is available on this measure such as a breakdown by age bands and duration.<sup>17</sup>

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<sup>13</sup> <https://www.nomisweb.co.uk/>

<sup>14</sup> <http://www.statistics.gov.uk/STATBASE/Product.asp?vlnk=13574> and ONS, "[New Experimental Statistics, Estimating Unemployment at Parliamentary Constituency Level](#)", 10 July 2009

<sup>15</sup> Available to download from NOMIS.

<sup>16</sup> Available to download from NOMIS.

<sup>17</sup> Available to download from NOMIS.

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#### ILO unemployment – experimental (Jan-Dec 2008), employment rate (Apr 2008-Mar 2009), vacancies (September 2009) and JSA claimants by age (September 2009)

In alphabetical order	Party	Unemployment (exp ILO)		Employment	Vacancies	JSA Claimants by age		
		Level (000s)	Rate (%)	Rate (%)	Level	24 and under	25-49	50 and over
Aberavon	LAB	2,000	7.0	64.7	249	690	935	225
Aberdeen North	LAB	2,100	4.8	74.0	1,097	485	945	225
Aberdeen South	LAB	1,600	3.1	82.2	954	295	580	180
Airdrie and Shotts	LAB	2,600	6.4	71.6	165	980	1,680	415
Aldershot	CON	2,700	4.4	82.0	445	650	1,165	380
Aldridge - Brownhills	CON	2,600	6.0	77.9	134	785	1,250	510
Altrincham & Sale West	CON	2,100	4.3	78.6	607	495	845	270
Alyn & Deeside	LAB	2,100	4.6	78.0	411	595	990	310
Amber Valley	LAB	2,600	5.5	77.5	527	740	1,110	390
Angus	SNP	2,000	4.9	79.6	518	515	870	290
Argyll and Bute	LD	1,900	4.3	76.1	318	425	810	355
Arundel & South Downs	CON	1,400	3.1	78.4	186	315	570	255
Ashfield	LAB	3,300	6.7	72.5	397	950	1,335	400
Ashford	CON	2,500	4.0	79.9	563	660	1,005	330
Ashton under Lyne	LAB	3,500	8.0	69.7	190	1,135	1,705	415
Aylesbury	CON	2,100	3.8	86.2	236	535	915	300
Ayr, Carrick and Cumnock	LAB	2,700	6.1	70.7	245	855	1,410	365
Banbury	CON	2,500	3.6	83.7	585	600	1,075	300
Banff and Buchan	SNP	1,400	3.5	78.8	337	380	535	150
Barking (a)	LAB	3,600	8.7	61.0	233	860	1,605	385
Barnsley Central	LAB	2,900	7.8	66.5	557	1,055	1,495	360
Barnsley East & Mexborough	LAB	2,700	7.2	64.2	336	1,160	1,645	355
Barnsley West & Penistone	LAB	2,500	5.8	72.5	195	805	1,190	325
Barrow & Furness	LAB	2,500	5.3	81.3	334	660	935	195
Basildon	LAB	2,800	5.5	73.0	486	840	1,525	470
Basingstoke (a)	CON	2,500	4.2	82.4	660	600	1,165	365
Bassetlaw	LAB	2,600	5.6	74.2	789	740	1,035	280
Bath (a)(b)	LD	1,900	3.7	70.6	525	460	825	210
Batley & Spen	LAB	3,000	6.4	72.1	311	890	1,420	415
Battersea	LAB	3,300	5.9	75.7	270	545	1,600	360
Beaconsfield	CON	1,400	3.1	78.7	277	285	600	285
Beckenham	CON	2,700	4.7	81.2	68	590	1,410	375
Bedford	LAB	3,100	6.8	70.8	331	895	1,875	515
Belfast East	DU	..	..	..	..	675	1,045	250
Belfast North	DU	..	..	..	..	1,145	1,640	380
Belfast South	SDLP	..	..	..	..	885	1,400	285
Belfast West	SF	..	..	..	..	1,805	2,370	530
Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk	LD	1,800	3.8	79.7	162	500	745	285
Berwick-upon-Tweed	LD	1,900	5.3	78.5	254	390	640	220
Bethnal Green & Bow	RES	6,900	10.7	64.5	635	1,870	3,570	765
Beverley & Holderness	CON	2,500	4.7	74.4	166	665	990	370
Bexhill & Battle	CON	2,100	5.1	79.4	155	415	670	320
Bexleyheath & Crayford	CON	2,500	5.8	70.8	227	600	995	265
Billericay	CON	2,400	4.4	76.1	197	715	1,255	375
Birkenhead	LAB	3,300	10.4	58.6	320	1,215	2,195	495
Birmingham, Edgbaston	LAB	3,500	9.3	70.2	284	1,050	2,025	595
Birmingham, Erdington	LAB	4,600	10.7	69.5	318	1,675	3,035	810
Birmingham, Hall Green	LAB	3,800	8.8	65.5	147	1,170	1,705	475
Birmingham, Hodge Hill	LAB	4,700	15.7	49.9	79	1,765	2,735	600
Birmingham, Ladywood	INL	8,600	18.7	54.2	1,355	2,625	5,415	985
Birmingham, Northfield	LAB	3,100	7.9	68.3	315	1,095	1,610	400
Birmingham, Perry Barr	LAB	4,900	10.6	56.7	201	1,640	2,890	665
Birmingham, Selly Oak	LAB	3,900	10.1	59.7	320	1,195	1,925	500
Birmingham, Sparkbrook & Small Heath	LAB	6,200	17.9	44.1	376	2,410	4,085	780
Birmingham, Yardley	LD	3,700	9.6	69.6	219	1,105	1,985	570
Bishop Auckland	LAB	2,600	6.5	69.8	228	840	1,390	465

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In alphabetical order	Party	Unemployment (exp ILO)		Employment	Vacancies	JSA Claimants by age		
		Level (000s)	Rate (%)	Rate (%)	Level	24 and under	25-49	50 and over
Blaby	CON	2,200	3.5	83.2	724	565	855	315
Blackburn	LAB	3,300	7.7	61.4	410	1,125	1,780	410
Blackpool North & Fleetwood	LAB	2,700	6.2	69.3	626	685	1,140	310
Blackpool South	LAB	3,300	7.4	69.0	981	855	1,590	420
Blaenau Gwent	IND	2,800	9.2	64.4	146	1,190	1,670	450
Blaydon	LAB	2,300	5.9	72.9	403	635	1,080	345
Blyth Valley	LAB	2,800	7.1	72.6	385	795	1,250	430
Bognor Regis & Littlehampton	CON	2,300	5.0	77.7	476	575	980	360
Bolsover	LAB	2,500	6.1	76.3	396	805	1,145	310
Bolton North East	LAB	3,400	8.4	67.0	350	985	1,615	350
Bolton South East	LAB	3,600	8.5	70.9	259	1,210	1,900	470
Bolton West	LAB	2,300	5.1	74.1	191	630	980	285
Bootle	LAB	2,900	10.2	59.3	89	1,290	2,090	490
Boston & Skegness	CON	2,700	5.9	77.7	430	745	1,010	355
Bosworth	CON	2,100	4.4	74.4	242	580	955	370
Bournemouth East	CON	1,900	5.0	76.5	300	495	1,100	330
Bournemouth West	CON	2,200	5.3	71.6	600	555	1,105	330
Bracknell	CON	2,400	3.6	83.0	352	515	1,020	370
Bradford North	LAB	4,300	7.9	64.5	358	1,180	2,135	510
Bradford South	LAB	4,300	6.9	74.9	295	1,065	1,890	520
Bradford West	LAB	4,300	12.2	57.0	619	1,345	2,350	530
Braintree	CON	3,000	5.5	71.4	394	695	1,335	460
Brecon & Radnorshire	LD	1,500	4.6	76.2	220	355	525	215
Brent East	LD	3,800	7.4	76.6	200	795	2,330	485
Brent North	LAB	2,700	5.7	74.7	163	510	1,140	300
Brent South	LAB	4,400	9.0	68.2	295	1,005	2,405	565
Brentford & Isleworth	LAB	3,300	5.2	75.2	340	715	1,675	395
Brentwood & Ongar	CON	1,600	3.7	76.7	277	365	645	225
Bridgend	LAB	2,300	5.7	75.7	351	745	1,015	265
Bridgwater	CON	2,500	4.9	76.0	334	585	960	305
Brigg & Goole	LAB	2,200	4.8	74.9	271	655	1,060	395
Brighton, Kemptown	LAB	3,400	6.9	72.9	414	780	1,375	345
Brighton, Pavilion	LAB	3,400	6.5	73.1	544	825	1,710	310
Bristol East	LAB	3,600	6.1	68.6	412	970	1,945	390
Bristol North West	LAB	3,100	4.9	76.1	410	835	1,465	355
Bristol South	LAB	2,700	4.5	78.3	208	980	1,620	415
Bristol West	LD	3,000	4.5	77.6	1,428	705	1,450	300
Bromley & Chislehurst	CON	1,900	3.9	80.1	343	550	1,030	335
Bromsgrove	CON	2,100	4.2	83.0	359	710	1,075	425
Broxbourne	CON	2,300	4.4	79.2	150	585	1,095	305
Broxtowe	LAB	2,800	5.3	74.8	479	610	1,015	325
Buckingham	SPKR	1,600	2.7	80.1	166	275	540	240
Burnley	LAB	2,800	7.0	66.0	233	865	1,280	330
Burton	LAB	2,700	5.0	76.8	467	715	1,260	400
Bury North	LAB	2,800	5.9	71.4	330	910	1,215	335
Bury South	LAB	2,300	5.3	73.9	111	850	1,195	300
Bury St Edmunds	CON	2,400	4.6	81.4	468	530	790	300
Caernarfon	PC	1,400	4.6	76.7	220	310	475	125
Caerphilly	LAB	2,900	7.5	65.0	211	1,120	1,500	415
Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross	LD	1,300	3.9	77.7	129	375	600	245
Calder Valley	LAB	2,600	4.7	78.7	415	745	1,430	430
Camberwell & Peckham	LAB	4,700	11.5	65.6	129	1,105	2,385	570
Cambridge	LD	2,800	5.1	73.0	1,059	505	1,020	245
Cannock Chase	LAB	3,100	6.6	69.1	329	1,055	1,575	485
Canterbury	CON	2,600	4.7	77.4	766	550	845	245
Cardiff Central	LD	3,500	8.1	64.6	824	805	1,300	245
Cardiff North	LAB	2,200	5.0	77.0	243	610	800	210

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		Level (000s)	Rate (%)	Rate (%)	Level	24 and under	25-49	50 and over
Cardiff South & Penarth	LAB	3,300	6.8	74.0	292	1,130	1,765	420
Cardiff West	LAB	2,600	7.4	67.3	233	930	1,410	295
Carlisle	LAB	2,200	5.7	72.1	281	590	915	240
Carmarthen East & Dinefwr	PC	1,700	4.7	74.1	220	385	545	200
Carmarthen West & South Pembrokeshire	LAB	1,800	5.0	70.7	500	395	690	210
Carshalton & Wallington	LD	2,800	5.0	75.1	122	665	1,100	335
Castle Point	IND	1,900	4.3	81.0	147	580	930	330
Central Ayrshire	LAB	2,900	6.1	75.2	220	810	1,355	445
Central Suffolk & North Ipswich	CON	1,900	3.7	83.2	219	500	725	250
Ceredigion	LD	1,800	5.1	65.7	364	310	400	150
Charnwood	CON	2,000	3.5	88.6	224	535	775	360
Chatham & Aylesford	LAB	3,100	6.1	70.8	189	925	1,375	380
Cheadle	LD	1,500	3.7	76.4	356	400	605	235
Cheltenham	LD	2,600	5.6	77.7	458	700	1,470	465
Chesham & Amersham	CON	1,600	3.2	81.7	164	290	570	230
Chester, City of	LAB	2,500	4.8	79.0	1,094	580	1,050	295
Chesterfield	LD	2,800	5.9	74.3	484	880	1,420	360
Chichester	CON	2,100	4.3	83.3	515	410	755	300
Chingford & Woodford Green	CON	2,500	5.8	75.8	118	605	1,130	305
Chipping Barnet	CON	2,600	4.8	72.6	248	540	1,220	340
Chorley	LAB	2,500	4.5	81.8	954	610	1,085	335
Christchurch	CON	1,500	3.9	75.1	237	290	565	225
Cities of London & Westminster	CON	4,700	6.1	68.4	1,073	515	1,590	380
Cleethorpes	LAB	2,600	5.8	75.2	397	815	1,285	395
Clwyd South (a)(b)	LAB	2,100	5.5	73.7	70	600	930	260
Clwyd West (c)(a)	CON	1,900	5.5	75.8	175	505	850	270
Coatbridge, Chryston and Bellshill	LAB	2,700	5.8	72.8	299	965	1,570	405
Colchester	LD	3,500	5.0	79.8	598	825	1,540	385
Colne Valley	LAB	2,600	4.6	80.3	188	840	1,365	435
Congleton	CON	2,100	4.2	76.6	213	435	935	300
Conwy	LAB	2,100	6.9	67.5	410	505	880	295
Copeland	LAB	2,000	6.0	74.9	177	510	700	200
Corby	LAB	3,000	5.8	73.4	890	910	1,440	500
Cotswold	CON	1,300	2.7	83.5	284	330	610	260
Coventry North East	LAB	4,600	9.4	65.9	291	1,430	2,640	515
Coventry North West	LAB	3,400	6.5	71.5	280	1,045	1,925	495
Coventry South	LAB	3,700	7.9	64.2	788	1,055	1,815	460
Crawley	LAB	2,600	4.9	79.1	552	800	1,355	420
Crewe & Nantwich	CON	2,800	5.4	71.8	526	890	1,375	385
Crosby	LAB	1,900	5.0	79.7	203	600	990	360
Croydon Central	INC	4,400	5.9	74.9	358	1,110	1,820	480
Croydon North	LAB	4,700	7.6	69.4	305	1,205	2,550	605
Croydon South	CON	2,200	4.4	76.9	312	560	1,070	320
Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East	LAB	2,200	5.2	75.8	298	685	1,290	320
Cynon Valley	LAB	2,100	7.7	65.6	149	870	990	240
Dagenham	LAB	2,800	8.0	68.0	89	905	1,675	410
Darlington	LAB	2,800	6.9	73.4	592	865	1,620	430
Dartford	LAB	2,700	5.7	77.3	531	720	1,155	370
Daventry	CON	2,700	3.7	82.6	523	635	1,185	470
Delyn	LAB	1,600	4.6	79.7	247	540	810	270
Denton & Reddish	LAB	3,000	6.3	76.5	261	955	1,470	445
Derby North	LAB	2,900	5.5	76.4	381	880	1,445	345
Derby South	LAB	4,400	8.4	66.9	757	1,360	2,265	470
Devizes	CON	1,900	3.2	81.3	303	610	980	340
Dewsbury	LAB	2,700	6.7	68.1	254	975	1,405	405
Don Valley	LAB	2,600	6.6	70.8	279	845	1,175	350
Doncaster Central	LAB	3,700	8.6	63.4	703	1,255	1,945	485

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		Level (000s)	Rate (%)	Rate (%)	Level	24 and under	25-49	50 and over
Doncaster North	LAB	2,700	6.5	73.4	138	1,065	1,565	400
Dover	LAB	2,400	5.4	75.8	225	645	970	350
Dudley North	LAB	3,700	9.1	68.2	245	1,130	1,930	575
Dudley South	LAB	2,800	7.4	73.2	314	1,000	1,675	505
Dulwich & West Norwood	LAB	4,400	6.2	74.5	105	805	2,130	465
Dumfries and Galloway	LAB	2,300	4.8	75.7	204	650	995	305
Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale	CON	1,900	4.2	76.8	454	480	700	250
Dundee East	SNP	2,500	5.4	75.4	195	655	1,135	335
Dundee West	LAB	2,600	6.5	67.3	320	880	1,620	430
Dunfermline and West Fife	LD	2,700	5.7	76.4	193	680	1,400	420
Durham, City of	LAB	3,000	6.5	63.6	509	610	910	295
Ealing North (a)	LAB	4,400	6.5	65.9	309	930	1,950	570
Ealing Southall	LAB	4,300	7.1	78.1	234	1,100	2,345	530
Ealing, Acton & Shepherd's Bush	LAB	5,200	8.3	68.0	321	930	2,610	580
Easington	LAB	2,500	6.7	70.9	332	1,025	1,415	305
East Antrim	DU	..	..	..	..	940	1,380	390
East Devon	CON	1,400	3.2	82.4	339	320	455	205
East Dunbartonshire	LD	1,500	3.5	78.1	169	340	620	225
East Ham	LAB	5,400	11.5	57.2	232	1,250	2,400	550
East Hampshire	CON	1,800	4.2	80.1	266	465	715	270
East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow	LAB	2,000	3.9	78.9	261	775	1,255	465
East Londonderry	DU	..	..	..	..	1,090	1,635	375
East Lothian	LAB	1,700	3.5	78.9	136	535	880	245
East Renfrewshire	LAB	1,600	3.5	76.8	144	395	800	235
East Surrey	CON	2,000	3.6	81.5	229	385	630	280
East Worthing & Shoreham	CON	2,200	5.2	75.6	133	620	965	350
East Yorkshire	CON	2,300	4.4	80.4	247	620	1,030	350
Eastbourne	CON	2,800	5.6	73.6	327	615	1,150	410
Eastleigh	LD	2,200	4.0	81.1	295	505	895	345
Eccles	LAB	3,000	6.1	74.0	269	1,010	1,510	380
Eddisbury	CON	1,800	4.3	76.6	317	595	845	270
Edinburgh East	LAB	3,000	5.7	71.1	312	680	1,435	310
Edinburgh North and Leith	LAB	2,600	4.2	82.1	656	615	1,580	330
Edinburgh South	LAB	1,900	4.7	73.3	156	405	725	195
Edinburgh South West	LAB	2,500	4.3	79.4	259	650	1,220	300
Edinburgh West	LD	1,700	3.6	78.5	272	460	805	225
Edmonton	LAB	4,000	11.1	59.1	267	1,085	2,120	505
Ellesmere Port & Neston	LAB	2,600	5.7	71.4	325	645	1,115	305
Elmet	LAB	2,100	4.0	76.9	144	550	845	280
Eltham	LAB	2,700	6.2	75.8	44	805	1,275	310
Enfield North	LAB	4,200	7.9	69.5	261	1,025	1,850	475
Enfield, Southgate	CON	3,200	6.2	72.6	155	520	1,350	375
Epping Forest	CON	2,800	5.7	74.8	323	595	1,190	350
Epsom & Ewell	CON	1,700	3.2	80.6	240	415	670	280
Erewash	LAB	3,400	5.9	80.2	407	1,035	1,610	480
Erith & Thamesmead	LAB	3,900	9.3	64.6	150	1,080	2,100	540
Esher & Walton	CON	1,600	2.8	84.2	182	305	745	230
Exeter	LAB	3,200	4.8	79.7	1,408	750	1,120	300
Falkirk	LAB	2,300	4.2	79.0	443	865	1,475	435
Falmouth & Camborne	LD	2,300	5.2	63.7	211	625	915	290
Fareham	CON	2,000	4.1	78.7	253	410	615	265
Faversham & Mid Kent	CON	2,100	4.8	70.4	225	490	810	250
Feltham & Heston	LAB	3,800	6.8	68.0	358	935	1,505	360
Fermanagh & South Tyrone	SF	..	..	..	..	815	1,505	445
Finchley & Golders Green	LAB	3,500	6.3	70.1	296	480	1,445	355
Folkestone & Hythe	CON	2,700	5.6	75.8	217	665	1,280	440
Forest of Dean	CON	1,800	4.6	72.6	153	545	820	325

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Foyle	SDLP	..	..	..	..	1,670	2,655	515
Fylde	CON	1,700	4.0	74.2	389	405	650	225
Gainsborough	CON	2,700	5.7	75.7	214	650	960	340
Gateshead East & Washington West	LAB	2,800	6.5	73.2	100	870	1,300	335
Gedling	LAB	2,600	5.6	78.6	257	615	1,040	340
Gillingham	LAB	3,000	6.0	74.3	74	830	1,235	390
Glasgow Central	LAB	2,800	8.6	57.9	1,173	835	2,115	420
Glasgow East	SNP	3,000	9.2	59.4	147	1,115	2,120	430
Glasgow North	LAB	2,700	7.9	61.6	437	610	1,490	340
Glasgow North East	VAC	2,900	8.5	61.3	193	1,315	2,430	460
Glasgow North West	LAB	3,100	6.5	66.8	161	930	1,865	440
Glasgow South	LAB	2,800	5.0	74.1	101	775	1,630	420
Glasgow South West	LAB	2,900	6.0	72.3	236	1,120	1,795	435
Glenrothes	LAB	3,300	6.8	71.2	240	1,045	1,615	470
Gloucester	LAB	3,300	5.6	76.5	883	955	1,795	490
Gordon	LD	1,100	1.8	86.8	413	155	345	150
Gosport	CON	2,300	4.8	85.7	126	575	800	240
Gower	LAB	2,000	5.1	73.5	478	565	695	180
Grantham & Stamford	LAB	2,800	5.0	77.1	215	630	1,075	365
Gravesham	CON	3,000	5.9	82.0	266	860	1,375	420
Great Grimsby	LAB	3,900	9.1	69.6	375	1,360	2,200	550
Great Yarmouth	LAB	3,400	8.1	70.4	350	925	1,605	510
Greenwich & Woolwich	LAB	4,000	8.7	64.7	293	890	1,975	440
Guildford	CON	2,000	3.3	81.2	459	445	795	255
Hackney North & Stoke Newington	LAB	4,200	8.3	71.5	47	960	2,775	585
Hackney South & Shoreditch	LAB	5,500	9.8	63.3	311	1,410	3,465	660
Halesowen & Rowley Regis	LAB	3,400	7.5	71.5	300	1,005	1,695	515
Halifax	LAB	3,600	7.5	70.9	324	1,140	2,045	610
Haltemprice & Howden	CON	1,600	4.0	78.0	116	395	655	255
Halton	LAB	2,800	6.4	72.7	157	1,115	1,640	400
Hammersmith & Fulham	CON	4,700	6.8	71.2	475	785	2,210	520
Hampstead & Highgate	LAB	4,100	5.2	73.1	88	520	1,615	345
Harborough	CON	2,300	4.6	77.5	265	585	885	310
Harlow	LAB	2,700	5.9	79.5	331	690	1,495	470
Harrogate & Knaresborough	LD	1,700	3.6	81.3	727	405	785	260
Harrow East	LAB	3,400	6.0	73.4	491	650	1,450	410
Harrow West	LAB	2,900	5.8	71.5	99	510	1,195	330
Hartlepool	LAB	4,000	9.5	63.9	206	1,335	2,020	545
Harwich	CON	3,500	7.7	68.2	301	960	1,420	475
Hastings & Rye	LAB	3,600	7.4	70.8	252	960	1,715	465
Havant	CON	2,700	6.1	72.6	376	690	1,090	365
Hayes & Harlington	LAB	3,200	7.1	67.9	369	795	1,555	385
Hazel Grove	LD	1,900	4.6	78.7	348	530	810	265
Hemel Hempstead	CON	2,600	4.6	79.8	350	610	1,260	415
Hemsworth	LAB	2,700	6.5	67.1	574	900	1,100	285
Hendon	LAB	4,200	7.7	64.7	225	720	1,680	445
Henley	CON	1,400	3.2	79.6	232	240	490	170
Hereford (a)(b)	LD	2,300	4.8	80.9	419	590	1,035	320
Hertford & Stortford	CON	2,000	3.5	79.4	324	440	895	290
Hertsmere	CON	2,400	4.8	78.1	276	440	955	320
Hexham	CON	1,700	4.6	77.2	216	310	525	200
Heywood & Middleton	LAB	3,100	6.2	73.6	370	1,145	1,535	495
High Peak	LAB	2,800	5.2	83.6	205	645	1,005	345
Hitchin & Harpenden	CON	1,600	3.4	83.0	356	395	700	265
Holborn & St Pancras	LAB	4,600	8.6	60.2	735	870	1,980	495
Hornchurch	CON	1,900	4.9	81.1	140	510	855	310
Hornsey & Wood Green	LD	3,800	6.5	68.4	292	1,000	2,505	490

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Horsham	CON	2,100	3.3	85.0	338	420	835	310
Houghton & Washington East	LAB	3,000	6.5	70.7	229	1,000	1,450	425
Hove	LAB	3,400	6.9	75.9	172	630	1,485	365
Huddersfield	LAB	3,600	8.8	68.4	468	1,115	2,010	490
Huntingdon	CON	2,700	4.1	78.7	651	585	1,040	385
Hyndburn	LAB	2,900	7.0	63.3	390	820	1,215	290
Ilford North	CON	3,100	6.5	70.9	114	745	1,360	410
Ilford South (a)	LAB	4,800	9.5	63.3	340	1,280	2,255	585
Inverclyde	LAB	2,500	6.2	71.0	219	930	1,395	410
Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey	LD	1,600	3.0	84.4	552	385	805	260
Ipswich	LAB	3,400	6.6	81.2	526	970	1,755	425
Isle of Wight	CON	3,800	5.8	73.4	190	965	1,625	610
Islington North	LAB	4,600	8.0	68.6	138	1,085	2,715	580
Islington South & Finsbury	LAB	3,900	7.9	69.3	820	985	2,015	455
Islwyn	LAB	2,400	7.9	66.6	422	710	1,060	295
Jarrow	LAB	2,900	7.3	72.2	145	940	1,470	485
Keighley	LAB	2,200	5.6	77.7	382	685	1,225	370
Kensington & Chelsea	CON	3,300	4.9	68.3	391	290	1,220	320
Kettering	CON	3,500	6.0	77.1	630	800	1,285	485
Kilmarnock and Loudoun	LAB	2,700	5.7	75.1	150	1,070	1,695	480
Kingston & Surbiton	LD	3,000	4.7	75.1	426	525	1,185	340
Kingston upon Hull East	LAB	3,800	9.3	68.2	145	1,420	2,345	585
Kingston upon Hull North	LAB	4,700	10.5	56.2	89	1,655	2,635	565
Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle	LAB	3,800	9.7	70.7	647	1,310	2,740	635
Kingswood	LAB	2,200	3.8	82.0	419	765	1,055	340
Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath	LAB	3,200	6.3	79.7	253	980	1,730	495
Knowsley North & Sefton East	LAB	3,300	7.8	70.6	286	1,135	1,865	485
Knowsley South	LAB	3,100	6.8	68.8	114	1,175	1,970	440
Lagan Valley	DU	..	..	..	..	750	1,165	320
Lanark and Hamilton East	LAB	2,400	4.7	75.4	323	930	1,425	380
Lancaster & Wyre	CON	2,200	4.1	77.3	517	400	650	195
Leeds Central	LAB	5,500	10.1	63.7	1,794	1,720	3,595	630
Leeds East	LAB	3,700	9.5	63.4	513	1,140	2,125	465
Leeds North East	LAB	2,700	6.1	71.2	119	715	1,395	385
Leeds North West	LD	3,600	6.8	65.9	392	765	1,050	265
Leeds West	LAB	4,000	7.7	68.7	178	1,185	2,150	500
Leicester East	LAB	4,800	11.3	64.7	166	1,165	2,000	760
Leicester South	LAB	5,600	11.2	60.9	871	1,440	2,560	670
Leicester West	LAB	5,200	11.6	65.6	314	1,420	2,485	600
Leigh	LAB	3,000	6.5	75.0	212	1,090	1,605	360
Leominster (c)(a)	CON	1,600	3.7	77.9	193	365	560	240
Lewes	LD	1,700	4.1	80.6	273	460	670	220
Lewisham East	LAB	3,400	6.7	73.5	84	740	1,605	365
Lewisham West	LAB	3,600	8.7	66.3	139	880	1,910	450
Lewisham, Deptford	LAB	3,900	7.4	76.0	120	915	2,255	465
Leyton & Wanstead	LAB	3,200	8.1	59.9	176	845	1,980	460
Lichfield	CON	1,900	4.2	84.0	387	510	850	300
Lincoln	LAB	3,800	8.4	68.7	3,659	1,215	1,650	445
Linlithgow and East Falkirk	LAB	3,200	5.3	74.1	220	1,020	1,610	430
Liverpool, Garston	LAB	3,100	6.0	65.2	137	1,130	1,745	430
Liverpool, Riverside	LAB	4,000	14.0	47.3	893	1,550	3,110	575
Liverpool, Walton	LAB	2,900	7.9	61.7	159	1,375	2,630	580
Liverpool, Wavertree	LAB	3,100	8.3	57.8	484	1,310	2,265	515
Liverpool, West Derby	IND	3,000	8.7	62.3	72	1,410	2,275	545
Livingston	LAB	2,200	4.1	79.9	366	955	1,495	395
Llanelli	LAB	2,500	7.1	67.2	268	710	1,015	270
Loughborough	LAB	2,800	4.9	75.3	329	710	1,010	345



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Louth & Horncastle	CON	2,300	4.4	78.5	151	555	730	285
Ludlow	CON	1,600	4.1	78.2	165	345	565	240
Luton North	LAB	3,200	7.9	65.3	163	775	1,535	410
Luton South	LAB	4,300	8.2	67.2	735	1,015	2,065	540
Macclesfield	CON	1,900	4.0	80.7	397	475	890	295
Maidenhead	CON	2,000	3.7	79.0	362	410	860	275
Maidstone & The Weald	CON	2,000	4.0	80.8	417	525	895	275
Makerfield	LAB	2,900	6.4	73.8	215	1,005	1,370	350
Maldon & East Chelmsford	CON	1,800	4.0	77.5	149	445	810	315
Manchester, Blackley	LAB	3,800	9.7	57.4	273	1,230	1,970	390
Manchester, Central	LAB	5,500	13.7	52.5	1,550	1,665	3,085	500
Manchester, Gorton	LAB	5,200	13.0	47.8	188	1,225	2,090	380
Manchester, Withington	LD	3,100	6.0	76.0	354	940	1,430	240
Mansfield	LAB	2,900	6.1	76.2	314	895	1,215	310
Medway	LAB	2,900	6.0	75.8	340	885	1,350	420
Meirionnydd Nant Conwy	PC	1,100	5.7	72.2	144	190	320	120
Meriden	CON	3,800	7.2	70.4	235	1,205	1,815	525
Merthyr Tydfil & Rhymney	LAB	2,700	8.1	65.6	124	1,235	1,670	385
Mid Bedfordshire	CON	1,900	3.1	82.9	194	385	730	300
Mid Dorset & North Poole	LD	1,500	3.5	78.5	239	345	605	225
Mid Norfolk	CON	2,600	4.5	78.0	523	505	730	295
Mid Sussex	CON	1,600	3.2	85.1	285	335	595	245
Mid Ulster	SF	..	..	..	..	1,110	1,430	320
Mid Worcestershire	CON	2,300	4.1	82.2	388	545	950	435
Middlesbrough	LAB	4,400	11.0	61.7	486	1,715	2,585	550
Middlesbrough South & East Cleveland	LAB	3,400	7.2	71.7	190	1,140	1,515	400
Midlothian	LAB	1,700	4.1	79.0	152	645	820	270
Milton Keynes South West	LAB	3,400	5.4	79.7	330	1,110	2,275	665
Mitcham & Morden	LAB	3,900	6.7	74.8	72	810	1,485	415
Mole Valley	CON	1,300	3.0	75.1	205	240	510	235
Monmouth	CON	1,700	4.5	74.0	376	470	670	250
Montgomeryshire	LD	1,300	4.3	76.2	448	295	445	160
Moray	SNP	1,800	3.8	83.1	423	365	570	220
Morecambe & Lunesdale	LAB	2,700	6.2	75.8	185	640	1,055	305
Morley & Rothwell	LAB	3,100	5.6	81.0	783	800	1,460	425
Motherwell and Wishaw	LAB	2,300	6.0	68.4	226	1,055	1,830	420
Na h-Eileanan an Iar	SNP	600	4.4	77.3	50	85	245	175
Neath	LAB	2,000	6.1	69.9	187	785	935	225
New Forest East	CON	1,800	3.7	76.7	230	400	660	230
New Forest West	CON	1,400	3.8	70.1	282	255	490	215
Newark	CON	2,400	6.0	74.3	590	580	970	255
Newbury	CON	1,900	3.2	84.2	380	460	845	315
Newcastle upon Tyne Central	LAB	4,200	8.9	58.5	424	810	1,480	365
Newcastle upon Tyne East & Wallsend	LAB	4,300	10.5	69.7	181	1,020	1,775	470
Newcastle upon Tyne North	LAB	2,600	6.1	75.1	193	730	1,130	335
Newcastle-under-Lyme	LAB	2,500	5.6	74.4	353	745	1,080	325
Newport East	LAB	2,500	6.9	70.7	184	915	1,245	325
Newport West	LAB	3,000	7.6	68.3	565	925	1,390	320
Newry & Armagh	SF	..	..	..	..	1,065	1,845	445
Normanton	LAB	1,800	4.4	81.7	278	640	945	325
North Antrim	DU	..	..	..	..	990	1,485	445
North Ayrshire and Arran	LAB	3,000	7.1	70.5	132	1,115	1,760	525
North Cornwall	LD	2,400	4.4	73.8	466	510	905	275
North Devon	LD	2,100	4.2	81.8	299	385	625	205
North Dorset	CON	1,300	2.8	80.7	462	275	455	200
North Down	UU	..	..	..	..	565	895	275
North Durham	LAB	3,000	6.6	80.6	315	855	1,315	355

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North East Bedfordshire	CON	2,300	3.9	81.0	151	485	870	405
North East Cambridgeshire	CON	3,700	6.3	76.8	269	890	1,360	400
North East Derbyshire	LAB	2,500	5.1	78.8	282	710	1,040	380
North East Fife	LD	1,600	3.8	79.3	278	310	525	215
North East Hampshire	CON	1,900	3.0	85.3	233	320	620	235
North East Hertfordshire	CON	1,800	3.5	80.0	226	445	860	260
North East Milton Keynes	CON	3,300	4.7	80.6	846	915	1,910	580
North Essex	CON	1,800	3.8	75.8	271	390	695	255
North Norfolk	LD	2,500	5.8	70.3	350	515	775	350
North Shropshire	CON	2,400	5.0	74.5	330	660	930	325
North Southwark & Bermondsey	LD	5,600	7.9	66.5	520	1,075	2,440	595
North Swindon	LAB	2,200	4.1	80.6	254	820	1,555	485
North Thanet	CON	3,200	6.8	71.2	178	930	1,485	475
North Tyneside	LAB	3,400	7.4	73.1	384	875	1,535	440
North Warwickshire	LAB	2,800	4.9	74.2	569	795	1,475	465
North West Cambridgeshire	CON	2,600	4.2	80.9	404	765	1,405	430
North West Durham	LAB	2,800	5.9	75.2	310	785	1,245	395
North West Hampshire (a)	CON	2,200	3.4	82.5	419	380	670	285
North West Leicestershire	LAB	2,300	4.9	80.0	652	535	850	305
North West Norfolk	CON	2,600	5.6	72.6	456	660	1,070	365
North Wiltshire	CON	2,000	3.7	77.2	289	625	830	290
Northampton North	LAB	3,300	6.7	76.6	235	1,065	1,870	540
Northampton South	CON	3,900	5.1	79.8	818	1,065	1,945	615
Northavon	LD	1,500	2.8	84.7	963	400	645	250
Norwich North	CON	2,900	5.1	78.4	221	715	1,230	335
Norwich South	LAB	3,600	7.7	68.4	682	905	1,525	420
Nottingham East	LAB	4,000	8.7	71.6	494	1,510	2,580	510
Nottingham North	LAB	5,300	10.1	62.6	213	1,600	2,275	470
Nottingham South	LAB	4,200	8.9	56.1	1,225	1,145	1,855	410
Nuneaton	LAB	2,700	5.7	76.8	367	920	1,530	485
Ochil and South Perthshire	LAB	2,100	4.3	74.6	174	570	1,140	280
Ogmore	LAB	2,300	7.3	66.7	168	870	1,195	325
Old Bexley & Sidcup	INC	2,100	4.4	75.7	60	505	800	270
Oldham East & Saddleworth	LAB	3,500	7.3	69.6	138	1,110	1,590	390
Oldham West & Royton	LAB	4,200	9.4	64.3	451	1,310	1,920	410
Orkney and Shetland	LD	600	2.5	85.6	68	85	145	65
Orpington	CON	2,600	4.9	68.4	137	650	1,020	340
Oxford East	LAB	3,900	5.6	76.7	398	700	1,450	350
Oxford West & Abingdon	LD	2,000	3.4	81.8	538	365	685	230
Paisley and Renfrewshire North	LAB	2,200	4.7	80.2	247	640	1,065	270
Paisley and Renfrewshire South	LAB	2,600	6.4	71.7	159	805	1,490	375
Pendle	LAB	2,700	6.2	71.7	270	770	1,080	295
Penrith & The Border	CON	1,400	2.9	79.5	198	310	440	165
Perth and North Perthshire	SNP	1,800	3.8	77.6	342	425	695	240
Peterborough	CON	3,900	8.3	69.8	790	1,145	2,090	565
Plymouth, Devonport	LAB	2,800	5.9	73.0	109	1,035	1,340	365
Plymouth, Sutton	LAB	3,500	6.8	68.5	559	1,110	1,795	440
Pontefract & Castleford	LAB	2,900	6.4	74.8	360	910	1,365	350
Pontypridd	LAB	2,700	5.5	72.4	308	905	1,150	290
Poole	CON	1,500	3.7	80.8	507	415	820	285
Poplar & Canning Town	LAB	7,500	12.1	56.7	466	1,805	3,645	710
Portsmouth North	LAB	2,600	4.8	78.6	384	765	1,090	315
Portsmouth South	LD	4,200	7.8	69.3	711	935	1,860	410
Preseli Pembrokehire	CON	1,500	4.7	74.7	258	430	710	210
Preston	LAB	4,300	7.8	65.5	1,019	1,030	1,750	370
Pudsey	LAB	2,200	4.1	83.1	451	510	960	290
Putney	CON	3,000	4.9	74.3	143	425	1,080	250

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In alphabetical order	Party	Unemployment (exp ILO)		Employment	Vacancies	JSA Claimants by age		
		Level (000s)	Rate (%)	Rate (%)	Level	24 and under	25-49	50 and over
Rayleigh	CON	1,900	3.9	77.3	143	390	660	280
Reading East	CON	2,800	4.8	77.1	733	685	1,465	365
Reading West	LAB	2,900	5.3	77.3	299	755	1,400	415
Redcar	LAB	3,800	9.7	64.8	171	1,285	1,835	460
Redditch	LAB	2,600	6.0	74.1	245	765	1,400	520
Regent's Park & Kensington North	LAB	6,600	8.0	62.1	122	1,090	2,685	655
Reigate	CON	1,700	3.7	80.0	305	400	690	240
Rhondda	LAB	2,400	8.5	61.7	123	1,030	1,230	285
Ribble Valley	CON	1,700	3.3	81.0	499	325	510	195
Richmond	CON	1,900	3.8	81.9	343	420	585	215
Richmond Park	LD	2,500	4.1	72.6	256	345	885	290
Rochdale	LD	3,800	8.8	65.2	298	1,500	2,225	490
Rochford & Southend East	CON	2,900	7.0	69.3	492	925	1,870	505
Romford	CON	2,000	4.7	72.4	331	550	1,045	300
Romsey	LD	1,800	3.3	78.7	227	350	495	215
Ross, Skye and Lochaber	LD	1,000	3.5	82.3	190	175	410	210
Rossendale & Darwen	LAB	2,500	5.3	71.1	208	870	1,160	360
Rother Valley	LAB	2,900	6.6	75.0	514	965	1,420	425
Rotherham	LAB	3,500	9.5	60.1	323	1,135	1,740	405
Rugby & Kenilworth	CON	2,600	4.5	77.4	686	670	1,235	440
Ruislip - Northwood	CON	1,800	4.0	78.1	190	350	745	230
Runnymede & Weybridge	CON	1,800	3.3	71.2	353	335	700	240
Rushcliffe	CON	2,200	3.9	79.9	372	450	780	265
Rutherglen and Hamilton West	LAB	2,500	5.0	75.4	130	1,025	1,795	460
Rutland & Melton	CON	1,900	3.8	77.2	479	385	660	245
Ryedale	CON	1,700	3.8	80.8	246	345	545	210
Saffron Walden	CON	1,800	3.3	82.7	218	400	715	310
Salford	LAB	3,100	9.2	67.2	476	1,005	1,780	320
Salisbury	CON	1,700	3.0	81.8	419	485	680	255
Scarborough & Whitby	CON	2,800	5.8	74.3	429	650	1,275	380
Scunthorpe	LAB	2,800	6.7	71.7	300	1,025	1,570	440
Sedgefield	LAB	2,600	5.9	72.9	290	795	1,215	370
Selby	LAB	2,400	4.2	78.2	650	595	1,015	345
Sevenoaks	CON	1,700	3.8	75.2	198	335	575	210
Sheffield, Attercliffe	LAB	2,800	6.3	71.7	513	880	1,335	430
Sheffield, Brightside	LAB	2,900	8.8	70.6	137	1,235	1,835	400
Sheffield, Central	LAB	5,000	10.4	58.6	1,177	1,435	2,335	435
Sheffield, Hallam	LD	1,700	4.6	67.3	114	420	515	170
Sheffield, Heeley	LAB	2,900	5.9	73.0	134	955	1,495	385
Sheffield, Hillsborough	LAB	2,400	4.3	81.4	130	785	1,070	400
Sherwood	LAB	2,700	4.8	78.2	388	730	1,155	285
Shipley	CON	2,500	4.8	82.3	127	630	1,240	370
Shrewsbury & Atcham	CON	2,100	4.2	82.2	446	560	835	245
Sittingbourne & Sheppey	LAB	2,900	5.8	78.6	460	905	1,235	350
Skipton & Ripon	CON	1,600	3.0	78.0	262	320	585	250
Sleaford & North Hykeham	CON	2,200	3.9	83.2	280	570	720	265
Slough	LAB	3,700	6.6	72.2	572	870	1,760	460
Solihull	LD	2,300	4.7	73.3	519	665	990	340
Somerton & Frome (a)	LD	1,700	3.1	79.1	402	405	575	230
South Antrim	DU	..	..	..	..	755	1,210	340
South Cambridgeshire	CON	1,800	3.7	79.3	402	325	620	240
South Derbyshire	LAB	2,800	4.4	78.5	262	785	1,140	375
South Dorset	LAB	1,700	3.8	76.7	181	355	705	240
South Down	SDLP	..	..	..	..	1,150	1,665	370
South East Cambridgeshire	CON	2,100	3.0	86.5	403	420	810	300
South East Cornwall	LD	2,200	4.2	78.7	324	480	670	270
South Holland & The Deepings	CON	2,500	5.1	75.3	243	600	975	360

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In alphabetical order	Party	Unemployment (exp ILO)		Employment	Vacancies	JSA Claimants by age		
		Level (000s)	Rate (%)	Rate (%)	Level	24 and under	25-49	50 and over
South Norfolk	CON	2,100	3.9	76.9	237	525	800	325
South Ribble	LAB	2,500	4.9	78.7	399	555	870	295
South Shields	LAB	3,600	9.3	66.4	182	1,150	1,895	615
South Staffordshire	CON	1,900	4.0	81.6	135	595	930	350
South Suffolk	CON	1,700	3.4	82.4	253	430	730	285
South Swindon	LAB	2,900	5.4	79.8	658	980	1,795	590
South Thanet	LAB	2,700	6.4	73.3	252	645	1,045	355
South West Bedfordshire	CON	2,500	4.5	84.1	299	695	1,225	430
South West Devon	CON	1,600	3.3	78.8	361	400	520	205
South West Hertfordshire	CON	1,800	3.6	78.9	325	385	765	285
South West Norfolk	CON	2,800	4.8	80.7	626	690	1,180	400
South West Surrey	CON	1,400	3.2	76.3	189	260	630	230
Southampton, Itchen	LAB	3,500	6.1	75.1	678	990	1,900	505
Southampton, Test	LAB	3,600	6.0	75.9	475	865	1,660	420
Southend West	CON	2,100	4.9	79.3	315	535	1,120	315
Southport	LD	2,100	4.8	75.8	542	580	1,090	325
Spelthorne	CON	1,800	3.6	82.5	355	435	880	260
St Albans	CON	1,700	3.3	77.3	352	345	765	235
St Helens North	LAB	2,600	6.1	70.3	241	850	1,450	355
St Helens South	LAB	3,100	8.1	64.8	192	1,005	1,660	375
St Ives	LD	2,000	4.2	75.5	252	430	745	265
Stafford	LAB	2,500	5.0	77.2	342	580	950	270
Staffordshire Moorlands	LAB	2,000	4.6	79.8	113	470	805	290
Stalybridge & Hyde	LAB	3,000	6.6	72.2	135	1,000	1,510	375
Stevenage	LAB	2,700	5.1	82.9	308	675	1,220	380
Stirling	LAB	2,000	4.5	75.9	277	530	925	260
Stockport	LAB	3,000	6.4	71.7	462	845	1,440	370
Stockton North	LAB	3,600	8.6	68.0	229	1,300	1,920	480
Stockton South	LAB	3,600	7.0	71.8	395	1,005	1,435	475
Stoke-on-Trent Central	LAB	3,500	9.3	64.6	1,114	1,090	1,800	395
Stoke-on-Trent North	LAB	2,600	7.6	69.7	70	970	1,420	335
Stoke-on-Trent South	LAB	2,500	5.7	76.5	195	975	1,460	395
Stone	CON	1,600	3.7	82.8	440	360	610	265
Stourbridge	LAB	2,800	6.4	74.5	254	830	1,455	515
Strangford	DU	..	..	..	..	695	1,055	330
Stratford-on-Avon	CON	2,000	3.2	82.1	619	370	865	375
Streattham	LAB	5,000	8.4	70.8	126	965	2,800	655
Stretford & Urmston	LAB	2,900	6.6	72.0	692	845	1,450	360
Stroud	LAB	1,900	3.4	82.3	423	545	960	395
Suffolk Coastal	CON	2,400	4.5	78.8	649	430	590	260
Sunderland North	LAB	3,400	9.9	69.9	449	1,035	1,635	420
Sunderland South	LAB	3,600	9.7	67.4	1,035	1,130	1,885	480
Surrey Heath	CON	1,700	2.8	86.2	251	385	720	245
Sutton & Cheam	LD	1,600	3.6	81.0	149	390	915	235
Sutton Coldfield	CON	2,300	4.2	82.2	251	565	1,015	390
Swansea East	LAB	2,700	7.8	64.0	336	865	1,195	255
Swansea West	LAB	2,600	8.3	60.2	1,363	690	1,160	255
Tamworth	LAB	2,700	4.9	80.4	430	810	1,355	485
Tatton	CON	1,800	4.0	77.5	511	355	655	245
Taunton (a)	LD	2,100	3.6	78.1	680	595	830	270
Teignbridge	LD	2,000	3.2	83.3	897	520	780	295
Telford	LAB	2,700	6.0	74.5	457	1,070	1,580	385
Tewkesbury	CON	1,900	3.3	83.2	627	475	895	320
Thurrock	LAB	4,000	6.7	73.3	495	1,040	1,935	550
Tiverton & Honiton	CON	1,800	3.2	82.9	354	445	645	255
Tonbridge & Malling	CON	1,700	3.6	79.1	645	360	635	240
Tooting	LAB	3,300	5.7	84.2	95	535	1,500	345

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In alphabetical order	Party	Unemployment (exp ILO)		Employment	Vacancies	JSA Claimants by age		
		Level (000s)	Rate (%)	Rate (%)	Level	24 and under	25-49	50 and over
Torbay	LD	2,700	5.9	73.7	588	820	1,380	445
Torfaen	LAB	2,900	8.0	64.4	533	1,050	1,225	295
Torrige & West Devon	CON	2,400	4.2	78.7	309	505	755	335
Totnes	CON	2,100	4.6	77.6	224	425	705	290
Tottenham	LAB	6,200	11.8	56.4	445	1,545	3,565	765
Truro & St Austell	LD	2,500	4.4	72.5	588	515	885	305
Tunbridge Wells	CON	1,800	4.2	75.2	328	365	655	225
Twickenham	LD	2,400	3.9	77.5	323	380	960	310
Tyne Bridge	LAB	4,100	10.9	64.4	1,023	1,125	2,140	510
Tynemouth	LAB	2,400	5.6	76.2	268	665	1,120	390
Upminster	CON	2,000	5.1	80.5	65	550	875	280
Upper Bann	DU	..	..	..	..	1,190	1,710	390
Uxbridge	CON	2,200	5.7	68.2	216	555	1,135	300
Vale of Clwyd	LAB	2,200	6.8	68.7	370	630	1,060	270
Vale of Glamorgan	LAB	3,100	6.4	75.3	328	965	1,345	350
Vale of York	CON	1,700	3.0	79.6	720	355	600	220
Vauxhall	LAB	6,100	10.1	66.7	227	1,205	3,025	665
Wakefield	LAB	3,000	5.5	74.6	184	895	1,495	440
Wallasey	LAB	2,600	7.4	69.7	801	1,090	1,715	435
Walsall North	LAB	4,000	10.3	60.1	234	1,500	2,180	670
Walsall South	LAB	3,600	9.2	66.4	86	1,470	2,260	585
Walthamstow	LAB	5,000	9.9	67.2	309	995	2,435	500
Wansbeck	LAB	3,000	7.2	75.1	300	870	1,355	350
Wansdyke (c)(a)	LAB	1,700	3.1	83.5	291	375	590	205
Wantage	CON	1,700	3.1	80.0	283	445	750	265
Warley	LAB	3,800	10.8	61.1	274	1,190	1,965	490
Warrington North	LAB	2,900	6.1	75.0	265	845	1,510	410
Warrington South	LAB	2,400	4.3	82.0	257	610	1,290	345
Warwick & Leamington	LAB	3,100	4.9	75.1	248	670	1,350	455
Watford	LAB	2,600	4.9	74.0	240	555	1,220	350
Waveney	LAB	2,800	5.7	75.8	231	935	1,230	410
Wealden	CON	1,900	3.6	79.1	222	365	605	245
Weaver Vale	LAB	3,000	7.3	71.9	214	775	1,345	365
Wellingborough	CON	3,900	5.8	78.7	205	995	1,640	590
Wells	CON	1,900	3.7	81.5	196	445	695	260
Welwyn Hatfield	CON	2,300	4.1	77.8	188	625	995	350
Wentworth	LAB	3,000	7.0	72.8	179	960	1,390	380
West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine	LD	1,000	2.0	83.0	170	155	275	120
West Bromwich East	LAB	3,700	11.1	59.1	162	1,235	1,965	545
West Bromwich West	LAB	3,800	9.9	59.3	153	1,495	2,475	710
West Chelmsford	CON	2,600	4.0	80.4	145	610	1,115	380
West Derbyshire	CON	1,800	3.5	75.9	136	335	610	285
West Dorset	CON	1,300	2.9	78.3	127	220	395	145
West Dunbartonshire	LAB	3,100	6.8	70.5	119	930	1,750	495
West Ham	LAB	4,800	10.2	61.0	110	1,305	2,595	535
West Lancashire	LAB	3,100	6.1	74.0	101	845	1,450	400
West Suffolk	CON	2,600	3.9	84.6	93	610	985	345
West Tyrone	SF	..	..	..	..	1,095	1,770	375
West Worcestershire	CON	1,500	3.7	77.5	145	445	650	265
Westbury	CON	2,800	4.8	79.8	136	650	1,100	345
Westmorland & Lonsdale	LD	1,200	2.5	80.0	127	165	320	95
Weston-Super-Mare	CON	2,500	4.5	81.0	119	610	1,115	390
Wigan	LAB	2,900	6.3	75.7	110	1,035	1,410	370
Wimbledon	CON	2,100	3.5	80.9	101	275	795	240
Winchester	LD	1,900	3.4	83.9	93	360	645	240
Windsor	CON	1,700	3.0	82.7	84	325	845	270
Wirral South	LAB	1,600	4.2	74.8	76	465	765	260

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		Level (000s)	Rate (%)	Rate (%)	Level	24 and under	25-49	50 and over
Wirral West	LAB	1,800	5.2	72.0	215	565	815	300
Witney	CON	1,800	3.0	82.6	352	350	565	195
Woking	CON	1,900	3.3	81.9	398	420	810	245
Wokingham	CON	1,800	3.2	80.7	326	335	705	285
Wolverhampton North East	LAB	3,600	9.5	66.6	221	1,325	2,010	535
Wolverhampton South East	LAB	3,400	12.9	57.5	312	1,275	2,075	630
Wolverhampton South West	LAB	3,500	8.8	68.8	336	1,170	2,160	570
Woodspring	CON	1,500	2.7	81.2	371	310	525	210
Worcester	LAB	2,700	5.4	78.0	545	795	1,385	450
Workington	LAB	1,900	4.7	80.0	306	500	835	240
Worsley	LAB	3,000	6.5	74.1	115	1,025	1,510	360
Worthing West	CON	2,000	4.5	75.8	201	535	980	370
Wrekin, The	CON	2,300	4.8	76.5	251	670	1,025	295
Wrexham	LAB	2,000	5.5	78.2	298	595	1,015	270
Wycombe	CON	2,900	5.8	73.5	723	670	1,275	405
Wyre Forest	IND	2,600	5.6	70.6	205	835	1,300	445
Wythenshawe & Sale East	LAB	4,000	6.7	71.8	491	1,295	1,965	430
Yeovil (a)	LD	1,800	3.3	84.3	370	500	760	260
Ynys-Mon	LAB	2,100	6.8	68.9	123	500	870	265
York, City of	LAB	3,600	5.6	77.1	1,059	880	1,565	385

## Appendix: Change in methodology for unemployment rates

The methodology for the rates presented in this paper was updated in the August 2009 edition (published 16 September 2009). The House of Commons Library calculates unemployment rates ("Library rates") based on JSA claimants as a proportion of the economically active population. ILO unemployment rates are based on the economically active population and library rates are intended as an up-to-date indicator closer to the ILO indicator and better reflecting the potential workforce in a constituency. In labour market statistics the population can be divided into the 'economically active' and the 'economically inactive'. Those who are active are in work or seeking work, those who are inactive are not in work and not seeking work.<sup>18</sup>

Claimant count rates published by ONS are based on the overall working age resident population. ONS also publish ILO rates based on the Annual Population Survey (APS) but these are subject to a time lag and sampling variability. They have recently published experimental data improving these estimates and these are presented in section III of this paper.

The denominators used by the Library (the economically active population in each constituency) in editions of this paper prior to the August 2009 edition were based on the proportion of the economically active population in the 2001 census and 2001 population estimates. The denominators now in use are based on the proportion of the economically active population in the 2001 census and 2006 population estimates.<sup>19</sup> Between 2001 and 2006 the working age population of the UK rose by 3.6%.

We use census estimates of economic activity rates as alternative, and more recent, indicators of economic activity from the Labour Force Survey/Annual Population Survey can be subject to relatively high levels of sampling variability. However, it should be noted that economic activity in the 2001 census was recorded as being around 2% lower than the Labour Force Survey was recording at the time.<sup>20</sup> In revising our denominators we did not taken into account the change in economic activity between 2001 and 2006. Nationally, economic activity rose by around 0.4 percentage points (according to the LFS); regionally there have been greater variations, as there has been if economic activity is considered by sex. Readers should be aware that in constituencies that have seen significant socio-economic change or population growth since 2001 the methodology used to calculate the rates may be less accurate in fully reflecting current unemployment rates.

### Effect of the new denominators

In general the new denominators mean that Library unemployment rates fall. Rankings are broadly similar apart from in constituencies where there has been substantial population change.

The new denominators are on average 3.9% higher. 582 constituencies see a rise in the denominator and 45 see a rise of 10% or more. The largest rise is in Manchester, Central (29.2%), where the population has increased rapidly in recent years. 64 constituencies see a fall in the denominator, with the largest fall being 3.9%. The accuracy of using the 2001 estimates of the economically active is likely to reduce where the population change has been particularly significant as, for example, a rise in the population may be due to development or regeneration which in turn may alter the socio-economic balance in the constituency.

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<sup>18</sup> See: <http://www.ons.gov.uk/about-statistics/user-guidance/lm-guide/concepts/index.html>

<sup>19</sup> The denominators have been created by individually calculating the economically active male and female populations using 2001 census data and 2006 population estimates. The total population is based on the sum of these two calculations.

<sup>20</sup> ONS, *Census 2001 Quality report for England and Wales*, p.75

denominators. Most rates fall (64 increase) - an outcome to be expected due to the overall rise in the population.

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**Distribution of change in rates and ranks due to new denominators,  
July 2009 claimant data**

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**Rates**

20 constituencies where % point change > -1.0  
54 constituencies where % point change is between -1.0 and -0.5  
330 constituencies where % point change is between -0.1 and -0.5  
232 constituencies where % point change is between -0.1 and +0.1  
10 constituencies where % point change is >+0.1

**Ranks**

7 constituencies where rank change > -30  
141 constituencies where rank change is between -30 and -10  
375 constituencies where rank change is between -10 and +10  
94 constituencies where rank change is between +10 and +30  
29 constituencies where rank change > +30

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In terms of rates, 20 constituencies see a decrease of more than 1 percentage point (only 3 decrease by more than 1.5 percentage points, with a maximum decrease of 3.4 percentage points in Manchester, Central). 562 constituencies see a change of between -0.5 and +0.1 percentage points. Of the 10 constituencies seeing a rise greater than 0.1 percentage points, none rise by more than 0.2 percentage points.

In terms of the change in rankings, all but 36 constituencies see their rank change by no more than 30 places, with 375 (58% of constituencies) seeing a change in rank of up to +/- 10.

The tables in the following pages compare the ranks and rates using the old and new denominators and the July 2009 JSA data released on 12 August 2009. The first two columns show the new and old rankings based on 646 constituencies where a higher ranking indicates a higher unemployment rate. The first six columns to the right of the constituency name show the new and old rates for all persons as well as for males and females. The final two columns show the change in rank and rate (for all persons) between the old and new methodology.

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Rank by overall employment rate			Old Rates			New Rates			Change		
New	Old		Party	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Rate (total)	Rank
130	133	Aberavon	LAB	10.4%	4.4%	7.8%	10.0%	4.2%	7.5%	-0.3%	-3
469	479	Aberdeen North	LAB	5.4%	2.1%	3.9%	5.5%	2.0%	3.8%	0.0%	-10
636	634	Aberdeen South	LAB	2.9%	1.5%	2.3%	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%	-0.1%	2
113	113	Airdrie and Shotts	LAB	11.1%	4.5%	8.2%	11.0%	4.1%	7.8%	-0.4%	0
502	529	Aldershot	CON	4.2%	2.4%	3.4%	4.4%	2.4%	3.5%	0.1%	-27
171	193	Aldridge - Brownhills	CON	9.2%	3.9%	6.9%	9.3%	4.0%	7.0%	0.1%	-22
503	509	Altrincham & Sale West	CON	4.8%	2.1%	3.6%	4.7%	2.1%	3.5%	-0.1%	-6
368	382	Alyn & Deeside	LAB	6.1%	3.0%	4.7%	6.0%	3.0%	4.7%	0.0%	-14
336	340	Amber Valley	LAB	6.8%	3.2%	5.2%	6.5%	3.2%	5.1%	-0.2%	-4
361	364	Angus	SNP	6.5%	2.9%	4.9%	6.7%	2.7%	4.8%	-0.1%	-3
477	469	Argyll and Bute	LD	5.0%	2.7%	4.0%	4.9%	2.5%	3.8%	-0.2%	8
598	600	Arundel & South Downs	CON	3.5%	1.8%	2.8%	3.4%	1.8%	2.7%	-0.1%	-2
245	238	Ashfield	LAB	8.3%	3.6%	6.2%	7.9%	3.5%	6.0%	-0.3%	7
498	486	Ashford	CON	4.9%	2.4%	3.8%	4.6%	2.2%	3.5%	-0.3%	12
180	186	Ashton under Lyne	LAB	9.6%	3.9%	7.0%	9.3%	3.8%	6.8%	-0.2%	-6
553	565	Aylesbury	CON	3.9%	1.9%	3.0%	4.0%	1.9%	3.1%	0.0%	-12
221	224	Ayr, Carrick and Cumnock	LAB	9.0%	3.5%	6.5%	9.1%	3.2%	6.2%	-0.3%	-3
546	544	Banbury	CON	4.2%	2.0%	3.3%	4.0%	2.0%	3.1%	-0.1%	2
601	596	Banff and Buchan	SNP	3.4%	2.0%	2.8%	3.4%	1.8%	2.7%	-0.1%	5
116	120	Barking (a)	LAB	9.7%	5.9%	8.1%	9.2%	5.7%	7.7%	-0.4%	-4
79	79	Barnsley Central	LAB	12.1%	5.1%	8.9%	11.7%	5.0%	8.7%	-0.2%	0
80	77	Barnsley East & Mexborough	LAB	12.2%	5.0%	9.0%	11.7%	4.8%	8.6%	-0.4%	3
255	259	Barnsley West & Penistone	LAB	8.4%	3.3%	6.1%	8.0%	3.3%	5.9%	-0.2%	-4
384	396	Barrow & Furness	LAB	6.3%	2.5%	4.6%	6.2%	2.5%	4.6%	0.0%	-12
237	273	Basildon	LAB	7.7%	3.9%	6.0%	7.7%	3.9%	6.0%	0.1%	-36
484	488	Basingstoke (a)	CON	4.7%	2.6%	3.8%	4.6%	2.6%	3.7%	-0.1%	-4
338	345	Bassetlaw	LAB	7.0%	2.9%	5.2%	6.8%	2.8%	5.0%	-0.1%	-7
552	537	Bath (a)(b)	LD	4.4%	2.1%	3.4%	4.0%	1.9%	3.1%	-0.3%	15
210	219	Batley & Spen	LAB	8.9%	3.7%	6.6%	8.6%	3.6%	6.4%	-0.2%	-9
409	417	Battersea	LAB	5.4%	3.3%	4.4%	5.4%	3.2%	4.3%	-0.1%	-8
596	605	Beaconsfield	CON	3.2%	2.1%	2.7%	3.2%	2.1%	2.7%	0.0%	-9
400	398	Beckenham	CON	5.9%	3.1%	4.6%	5.7%	3.0%	4.5%	-0.1%	2
176	176	Bedford	LAB	9.4%	4.3%	7.1%	9.1%	4.1%	6.9%	-0.2%	0
309	315	Belfast East	DU	7.8%	2.6%	5.4%	7.7%	2.6%	5.3%	-0.1%	-6
43	61	Belfast North	DU	14.6%	4.2%	9.9%	14.7%	4.3%	10.0%	0.1%	-18
268	288	Belfast South	SDLP	8.3%	2.9%	5.7%	8.3%	3.1%	5.8%	0.1%	-20
4	4	Belfast West	SF	22.6%	7.1%	15.6%	22.2%	7.0%	15.4%	-0.2%	0
494	478	Berwickshire, Roxburgh and Selkirk	LD	5.1%	2.4%	3.9%	5.0%	2.1%	3.6%	-0.3%	16
441	450	Berwick-upon-Tweed	LD	5.5%	2.5%	4.2%	5.4%	2.4%	4.1%	-0.1%	-9
19	18	Bethnal Green & Bow	RES	14.2%	9.2%	12.2%	13.3%	8.3%	11.3%	-0.9%	1
446	440	Beverley & Holderness	CON	5.7%	2.4%	4.2%	5.4%	2.4%	4.1%	-0.2%	6
456	455	Bexhill & Battle	CON	5.4%	2.6%	4.1%	5.1%	2.5%	4.0%	-0.2%	1
417	427	Bexleyheath & Crayford	CON	5.1%	3.4%	4.4%	5.0%	3.4%	4.3%	-0.1%	-10
382	392	Billericay	CON	6.0%	3.0%	4.7%	5.8%	3.0%	4.6%	-0.1%	-10
9	12	Birkenhead	LAB	18.3%	7.0%	13.0%	17.7%	6.9%	12.7%	-0.3%	-3
75	83	Birmingham, Edgbaston	LAB	12.3%	4.8%	8.9%	12.5%	4.6%	8.8%	-0.1%	-8
7	8	Birmingham, Erdington	LAB	19.2%	7.8%	14.1%	18.0%	7.2%	13.2%	-0.9%	-1
72	76	Birmingham, Hall Green	LAB	12.2%	5.3%	9.2%	11.9%	5.1%	8.9%	-0.3%	-4
3	3	Birmingham, Hodge Hill	LAB	22.4%	9.6%	17.1%	21.1%	9.1%	16.1%	-1.0%	0
1	1	Birmingham, Ladywood	INL	29.5%	13.7%	23.2%	25.1%	12.0%	20.0%	-3.2%	0
86	88	Birmingham, Northfield	LAB	12.2%	4.7%	8.8%	12.0%	4.5%	8.5%	-0.2%	-2
20	20	Birmingham, Perry Barr	LAB	15.5%	7.3%	12.0%	14.7%	6.9%	11.3%	-0.7%	0
109	115	Birmingham, Selly Oak	LAB	11.0%	4.7%	8.1%	10.6%	4.6%	7.9%	-0.3%	-6
2	2	Birmingham, Sparkbrook & Small Heath	LAB	22.4%	11.8%	18.5%	20.9%	11.2%	17.4%	-1.1%	0
27	27	Birmingham, Yardley	LD	15.1%	6.7%	11.4%	14.6%	6.4%	11.0%	-0.4%	0
137	151	Bishop Auckland	LAB	10.6%	3.7%	7.5%	10.5%	3.6%	7.4%	-0.1%	-14

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528	535	Blaby	CON	4.4%	2.2%	3.4%	4.2%	2.1%	3.3%	-0.1%	-7
108	108	Blackburn	LAB	11.0%	4.5%	8.3%	10.5%	4.4%	8.0%	-0.3%	0
310	303	Blackpool North & Fleetwood	LAB	8.1%	2.6%	5.6%	7.6%	2.5%	5.3%	-0.3%	7
162	170	Blackpool South	LAB	10.1%	3.8%	7.2%	9.8%	3.7%	7.1%	-0.1%	-8
13	16	Blaenau Gwent	IND	16.3%	7.1%	12.3%	16.2%	7.0%	12.2%	-0.1%	-3
276	300	Blaydon	LAB	7.7%	3.2%	5.6%	7.8%	3.3%	5.7%	0.1%	-24
194	222	Blyth Valley	LAB	9.0%	3.6%	6.5%	9.0%	3.7%	6.6%	0.0%	-28
346	350	Bognor Regis & Littlehampton	CON	6.7%	3.0%	5.0%	6.5%	3.0%	4.9%	-0.1%	-4
246	251	Bolsover	LAB	8.1%	3.7%	6.1%	7.8%	3.6%	6.0%	-0.2%	-5
151	174	Bolton North East	LAB	9.9%	3.8%	7.2%	9.9%	3.8%	7.2%	0.0%	-23
93	95	Bolton South East	LAB	11.6%	4.8%	8.6%	11.2%	4.7%	8.4%	-0.2%	-2
389	402	Bolton West	LAB	6.2%	2.6%	4.6%	6.2%	2.6%	4.6%	0.0%	-13
10	13	Bootle	LAB	17.9%	6.9%	12.7%	17.8%	6.9%	12.7%	-0.1%	-3
328	329	Boston & Skegness	CON	6.9%	3.3%	5.3%	6.6%	3.2%	5.1%	-0.2%	-1
450	451	Bosworth	CON	5.4%	2.6%	4.2%	5.2%	2.5%	4.0%	-0.1%	-1
326	344	Bournemouth East	CON	7.0%	3.0%	5.2%	6.9%	3.0%	5.1%	0.0%	-18
306	306	Bournemouth West	CON	7.5%	3.0%	5.5%	7.3%	3.0%	5.4%	-0.1%	0
559	560	Bracknell	CON	3.9%	2.0%	3.1%	3.8%	1.9%	3.0%	-0.1%	-1
64	60	Bradford North	LAB	13.1%	5.6%	9.9%	12.1%	5.3%	9.3%	-0.6%	4
125	114	Bradford South	LAB	11.1%	4.5%	8.1%	10.3%	4.2%	7.6%	-0.6%	11
45	32	Bradford West	LAB	13.5%	7.4%	11.1%	11.7%	6.8%	9.9%	-1.2%	13
396	381	Braintree	CON	5.9%	3.3%	4.8%	5.6%	3.1%	4.5%	-0.3%	15
483	494	Brecon & Radnorshire	LD	4.8%	2.4%	3.7%	4.7%	2.4%	3.7%	0.0%	-11
142	165	Brent East	LD	9.0%	5.3%	7.3%	8.9%	5.3%	7.3%	0.0%	-23
371	407	Brent North	LAB	5.1%	3.7%	4.5%	5.3%	3.9%	4.7%	0.2%	-36
74	67	Brent South	LAB	11.6%	6.9%	9.5%	10.7%	6.4%	8.8%	-0.7%	7
434	434	Brentford & Isleworth	LAB	5.2%	3.2%	4.3%	4.9%	3.1%	4.1%	-0.2%	0
571	567	Brentwood & Ongar	CON	3.6%	2.2%	3.0%	3.5%	2.2%	2.9%	-0.1%	4
274	263	Bridgend	LAB	8.1%	3.6%	6.1%	7.6%	3.4%	5.7%	-0.3%	11
429	436	Bridgwater	CON	5.8%	2.4%	4.3%	5.6%	2.4%	4.2%	-0.1%	-7
330	322	Brigg & Goole	LAB	7.0%	3.3%	5.4%	6.6%	3.2%	5.1%	-0.3%	8
243	240	Brighton, Kemptown	LAB	8.0%	3.8%	6.2%	7.7%	3.7%	6.0%	-0.2%	3
269	271	Brighton, Pavilion	LAB	7.6%	4.0%	6.0%	7.4%	3.9%	5.8%	-0.2%	-2
204	154	Bristol East	LAB	10.0%	4.3%	7.4%	8.6%	3.8%	6.5%	-1.0%	50
348	337	Bristol North West	LAB	7.1%	3.0%	5.3%	6.5%	2.9%	4.9%	-0.4%	11
215	205	Bristol South	LAB	9.1%	3.9%	6.8%	8.5%	3.6%	6.4%	-0.4%	10
480	449	Bristol West	LD	5.5%	2.6%	4.2%	4.9%	2.3%	3.7%	-0.5%	31
431	438	Bromley & Chislehurst	CON	5.1%	3.2%	4.3%	5.0%	3.2%	4.2%	-0.1%	-7
363	367	Bromsgrove	CON	6.5%	3.0%	4.9%	6.3%	2.9%	4.8%	-0.1%	-4
418	433	Broxbourne	CON	5.2%	3.3%	4.3%	5.1%	3.2%	4.3%	-0.1%	-15
462	453	Broxtowe	LAB	5.5%	2.5%	4.1%	5.1%	2.4%	3.9%	-0.2%	9
639	638	Buckingham	SPKR	2.8%	1.5%	2.2%	2.6%	1.4%	2.1%	-0.1%	1
199	223	Burnley	LAB	9.1%	3.5%	6.5%	9.0%	3.5%	6.5%	0.0%	-24
347	347	Burton	LAB	6.6%	3.2%	5.1%	6.2%	3.1%	4.9%	-0.2%	0
321	336	Bury North	LAB	7.3%	2.8%	5.3%	7.1%	2.8%	5.2%	-0.1%	-15
311	308	Bury South	LAB	7.4%	3.3%	5.5%	7.1%	3.2%	5.3%	-0.2%	3
561	556	Bury St Edmunds	CON	3.9%	2.1%	3.1%	3.7%	2.0%	3.0%	-0.1%	5
492	505	Caernarfon	PC	5.1%	1.7%	3.6%	5.0%	1.7%	3.6%	0.0%	-13
106	113	Caerphilly	LAB	11.4%	4.2%	8.2%	11.2%	4.2%	8.1%	-0.1%	-6
411	413	Caithness, Sutherland and Easter Ross	LD	5.9%	2.5%	4.4%	6.0%	2.3%	4.3%	-0.1%	-2
329	325	Calder Valley	LAB	7.3%	3.1%	5.4%	6.9%	3.0%	5.1%	-0.2%	4
65	53	Camberwell & Peckham	LAB	13.4%	6.5%	10.2%	11.9%	6.0%	9.2%	-1.0%	12
489	462	Cambridge	LD	5.4%	2.4%	4.1%	4.8%	2.1%	3.6%	-0.4%	27
193	207	Cannock Chase	LAB	9.1%	3.7%	6.7%	8.9%	3.6%	6.6%	-0.2%	-14
531	500	Canterbury	CON	5.0%	2.1%	3.7%	4.4%	1.9%	3.3%	-0.4%	31
224	211	Cardiff Central	LD	9.3%	3.6%	6.6%	8.5%	3.4%	6.2%	-0.5%	13
486	474	Cardiff North	LAB	5.5%	2.2%	3.9%	5.0%	2.1%	3.7%	-0.3%	12

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112	100	Cardiff South & Penarth	LAB	11.8%	4.6%	8.5%	10.7%	4.3%	7.8%	-0.7%	12
145	156	Cardiff West	LAB	10.3%	4.0%	7.4%	10.0%	4.0%	7.2%	-0.2%	-11
358	356	Carlisle	LAB	7.1%	2.5%	5.0%	6.8%	2.4%	4.8%	-0.2%	2
460	467	Carmarthen East & Dinefwr	PC	5.4%	2.4%	4.0%	5.2%	2.3%	3.9%	-0.1%	-7
442	447	Carmarthen West & South Pembrokeshire	LAB	6.1%	1.9%	4.2%	5.9%	1.9%	4.1%	-0.1%	-5
416	410	Carshalton & Wallington	LD	5.5%	3.3%	4.5%	5.2%	3.1%	4.3%	-0.2%	6
402	424	Castle Point	IND	5.6%	2.8%	4.4%	5.6%	2.9%	4.4%	0.0%	-22
220	225	Central Ayrshire	LAB	8.9%	3.7%	6.5%	8.9%	3.4%	6.2%	-0.3%	-5
550	546	Central Suffolk & North Ipswich	CON	4.1%	2.1%	3.3%	3.9%	2.0%	3.1%	-0.2%	4
586	588	Ceredigion	LD	3.7%	1.8%	2.9%	3.6%	1.8%	2.8%	-0.1%	-2
495	502	Charnwood	CON	4.8%	2.3%	3.7%	4.6%	2.3%	3.6%	-0.1%	-7
304	312	Chatham & Aylesford	LAB	7.3%	3.2%	5.5%	7.2%	3.2%	5.4%	-0.1%	-8
563	587	Cheadle	LD	3.8%	1.7%	2.9%	3.9%	1.8%	3.0%	0.1%	-24
285	282	Cheltenham	LD	7.8%	3.3%	5.8%	7.5%	3.3%	5.6%	-0.2%	3
606	615	Chesham & Amersham	CON	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%	0.0%	-9
378	380	Chester, City of	LAB	6.5%	2.7%	4.8%	6.2%	2.7%	4.6%	-0.2%	-2
256	264	Chesterfield	LD	8.4%	3.1%	6.0%	8.2%	3.1%	5.9%	-0.1%	-8
523	534	Chichester	CON	4.3%	2.3%	3.4%	4.2%	2.3%	3.3%	-0.1%	-11
312	346	Chingford & Woodford Green	CON	6.1%	4.0%	5.1%	6.4%	4.0%	5.3%	0.2%	-34
443	448	Chipping Barnet	CON	4.8%	3.4%	4.2%	4.6%	3.4%	4.1%	-0.1%	-5
461	466	Chorley	LAB	5.5%	2.2%	4.0%	5.4%	2.1%	3.9%	-0.1%	-5
544	555	Christchurch	CON	4.2%	1.8%	3.1%	4.1%	1.9%	3.1%	0.0%	-11
540	507	Cities of London & Westminster	CON	4.1%	2.9%	3.6%	3.7%	2.5%	3.2%	-0.4%	33
277	281	Cleethorpes	LAB	7.7%	3.4%	5.8%	7.5%	3.3%	5.7%	-0.2%	-4
316	314	Clwyd South (a)(b)	LAB	7.3%	3.1%	5.5%	7.0%	3.1%	5.3%	-0.2%	2
299	298	Clwyd West (c)(a)	CON	7.8%	3.0%	5.6%	7.5%	3.0%	5.5%	-0.2%	1
181	161	Coatbridge, Chryston and Bellshill	LAB	9.9%	4.3%	7.3%	9.6%	3.9%	6.8%	-0.5%	20
364	317	Colchester	LD	7.1%	3.3%	5.4%	6.2%	2.9%	4.7%	-0.7%	47
319	321	Colne Valley	LAB	7.5%	3.0%	5.4%	7.2%	2.9%	5.2%	-0.2%	-2
479	495	Congleton	CON	4.9%	2.3%	3.7%	4.8%	2.3%	3.7%	0.0%	-16
302	309	Conwy	LAB	7.8%	2.7%	5.5%	7.6%	2.7%	5.4%	-0.1%	-7
395	397	Copeland	LAB	6.2%	2.5%	4.6%	6.1%	2.4%	4.5%	-0.1%	-2
262	246	Corby	LAB	7.9%	4.0%	6.2%	7.5%	3.8%	5.9%	-0.3%	16
599	599	Cotswold	CON	3.5%	1.7%	2.8%	3.4%	1.7%	2.7%	-0.1%	0
54	56	Coventry North East	LAB	13.4%	5.6%	10.0%	12.6%	5.5%	9.6%	-0.4%	-2
172	175	Coventry North West	LAB	9.6%	4.0%	7.2%	9.4%	3.9%	6.9%	-0.2%	-3
128	123	Coventry South	LAB	10.7%	4.4%	8.0%	10.1%	4.2%	7.5%	-0.4%	5
354	369	Crawley	LAB	6.1%	3.4%	4.9%	6.1%	3.4%	4.9%	0.0%	-15
287	280	Crewe & Nantwich	CON	7.7%	3.6%	5.9%	7.3%	3.4%	5.6%	-0.3%	7
213	245	Crosby	LAB	8.3%	3.8%	6.2%	8.5%	4.0%	6.4%	0.2%	-32
282	294	Croydon Central	INC	7.0%	4.0%	5.7%	7.0%	4.0%	5.6%	0.0%	-12
183	183	Croydon North	LAB	8.9%	5.0%	7.1%	8.4%	4.9%	6.8%	-0.3%	0
472	485	Croydon South	CON	4.6%	2.8%	3.8%	4.6%	2.8%	3.8%	0.0%	-13
297	305	Cumbernauld, Kilsyth and Kirkintilloch East	LAB	7.9%	2.9%	5.5%	8.1%	2.8%	5.5%	0.0%	-8
82	90	Cynon Valley	LAB	11.8%	5.0%	8.7%	11.6%	5.0%	8.6%	-0.1%	-8
92	107	Dagenham	LAB	9.9%	6.2%	8.3%	10.1%	6.2%	8.4%	0.1%	-15
131	142	Darlington	LAB	10.7%	3.8%	7.6%	10.6%	3.8%	7.5%	-0.1%	-11
421	408	Dartford	LAB	5.8%	2.9%	4.5%	5.5%	2.7%	4.2%	-0.3%	13
504	482	Daventry	CON	4.8%	2.5%	3.8%	4.4%	2.3%	3.5%	-0.3%	22
355	372	Delyn	LAB	6.6%	2.7%	4.9%	6.5%	2.7%	4.9%	0.0%	-17
192	212	Denton & Reddish	LAB	9.4%	3.4%	6.6%	9.3%	3.4%	6.6%	-0.1%	-20
271	284	Derby North	LAB	7.8%	3.2%	5.8%	7.9%	3.2%	5.8%	0.0%	-13
102	85	Derby South	LAB	11.6%	5.4%	8.9%	10.4%	5.0%	8.1%	-0.8%	17
526	525	Devizes	CON	4.3%	2.2%	3.4%	4.2%	2.2%	3.3%	-0.1%	1
169	171	Dewsbury	LAB	9.4%	4.4%	7.2%	9.0%	4.3%	7.0%	-0.2%	-2
228	250	Don Valley	LAB	8.4%	3.3%	6.2%	8.3%	3.3%	6.2%	0.0%	-22
61	58	Doncaster Central	LAB	14.0%	4.9%	9.9%	13.0%	4.7%	9.3%	-0.6%	3

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83	87	Doncaster North	LAB	11.6%	5.3%	8.8%	11.2%	5.2%	8.6%	-0.2%	-4
352	362	Dover	LAB	6.6%	2.8%	4.9%	6.6%	2.8%	4.9%	-0.1%	-10
88	96	Dudley North	LAB	11.5%	4.9%	8.6%	11.3%	4.8%	8.5%	-0.1%	-8
126	149	Dudley South	LAB	10.1%	4.2%	7.5%	10.1%	4.2%	7.5%	0.1%	-23
241	267	Dulwich & West Norwood	LAB	7.5%	4.3%	6.0%	7.4%	4.3%	6.0%	0.0%	-26
397	388	Dumfries and Galloway	LAB	6.3%	2.8%	4.7%	6.3%	2.5%	4.5%	-0.2%	9
487	473	Dumfriesshire, Clydesdale and Tweeddale	CON	5.2%	2.3%	3.9%	5.1%	2.0%	3.6%	-0.3%	14
284	275	Dundee East	SNP	8.5%	3.0%	6.0%	8.5%	2.7%	5.6%	-0.3%	9
101	104	Dundee West	LAB	11.9%	4.3%	8.3%	12.2%	4.0%	8.2%	-0.2%	-3
294	260	Dunfermline and West Fife	LD	8.3%	3.5%	6.1%	7.9%	3.1%	5.6%	-0.5%	34
388	373	Durham, City of	LAB	6.8%	2.5%	4.9%	6.2%	2.4%	4.6%	-0.3%	15
273	283	Ealing North (a)	LAB	6.8%	4.4%	5.8%	6.8%	4.4%	5.8%	0.0%	-10
222	239	Ealing Southall	LAB	7.4%	4.6%	6.2%	7.3%	4.7%	6.2%	0.0%	-17
205	210	Ealing, Acton & Shepherd's Bush	LAB	8.2%	4.7%	6.7%	7.9%	4.7%	6.5%	-0.2%	-5
85	93	Easington	LAB	12.3%	4.2%	8.7%	12.1%	4.2%	8.5%	-0.1%	-8
211	213	East Antrim	DU	9.3%	3.3%	6.6%	8.9%	3.3%	6.4%	-0.2%	-2
608	601	East Devon	CON	3.6%	1.7%	2.7%	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%	-0.1%	7
577	577	East Dunbartonshire	LD	3.9%	1.9%	2.9%	4.0%	1.8%	2.9%	0.0%	0
91	89	East Ham	LAB	10.0%	6.8%	8.8%	9.5%	6.7%	8.4%	-0.4%	2
557	575	East Hampshire	CON	3.9%	1.8%	3.0%	3.9%	1.8%	3.0%	0.0%	-18
323	326	East Kilbride, Strathaven and Lesmahagow	LAB	7.2%	3.2%	5.4%	7.3%	3.0%	5.2%	-0.2%	-3
117	129	East Londonderry	DU	10.7%	4.2%	7.9%	10.2%	4.2%	7.7%	-0.2%	-12
481	465	East Lothian	LAB	5.5%	2.3%	4.0%	5.3%	2.1%	3.7%	-0.3%	16
537	541	East Renfrewshire	LAB	4.5%	2.0%	3.3%	4.5%	1.8%	3.2%	-0.1%	-4
619	622	East Surrey	CON	3.2%	1.6%	2.5%	3.1%	1.6%	2.4%	0.0%	-3
392	395	East Worthing & Shoreham	CON	6.1%	2.9%	4.6%	5.9%	2.8%	4.5%	-0.1%	-3
390	375	East Yorkshire	CON	6.4%	2.8%	4.8%	6.0%	2.7%	4.5%	-0.3%	15
353	332	Eastbourne	CON	7.1%	3.2%	5.3%	6.5%	2.9%	4.9%	-0.5%	21
536	539	Eastleigh	LD	4.4%	2.1%	3.3%	4.2%	2.0%	3.2%	-0.1%	-3
197	200	Eccles	LAB	9.2%	3.8%	6.8%	8.9%	3.7%	6.5%	-0.2%	-3
448	454	Eddisbury	CON	5.3%	2.6%	4.1%	5.2%	2.6%	4.0%	-0.1%	-6
333	307	Edinburgh East	LAB	7.9%	2.9%	5.5%	7.7%	2.6%	5.1%	-0.4%	26
375	331	Edinburgh North and Leith	LAB	7.3%	3.1%	5.3%	6.6%	2.6%	4.6%	-0.7%	44
579	554	Edinburgh South	LAB	4.3%	1.8%	3.1%	4.1%	1.6%	2.9%	-0.2%	25
427	403	Edinburgh South West	LAB	6.3%	2.5%	4.6%	6.0%	2.3%	4.2%	-0.4%	24
538	522	Edinburgh West	LD	4.8%	1.9%	3.4%	4.7%	1.7%	3.2%	-0.2%	16
105	99	Edmonton	LAB	10.3%	6.2%	8.5%	9.7%	6.0%	8.1%	-0.4%	6
314	327	Ellesmere Port & Neston	LAB	7.4%	2.9%	5.4%	7.3%	2.9%	5.3%	-0.1%	-13
478	487	Elmet	LAB	5.1%	2.2%	3.8%	5.0%	2.2%	3.8%	0.0%	-9
219	243	Eltham	LAB	7.6%	4.5%	6.2%	7.7%	4.5%	6.2%	0.1%	-24
175	173	Enfield North	LAB	8.6%	5.4%	7.2%	8.2%	5.2%	6.9%	-0.3%	2
340	349	Enfield, Southgate	CON	6.1%	3.8%	5.1%	5.9%	3.8%	5.0%	-0.1%	-9
398	401	Epping Forest	CON	5.4%	3.5%	4.6%	5.3%	3.4%	4.5%	-0.1%	-3
602	602	Epsom & Ewell	CON	3.3%	2.0%	2.7%	3.2%	2.0%	2.7%	-0.1%	0
260	278	Erewash	LAB	8.0%	3.3%	5.9%	7.9%	3.3%	5.9%	-0.1%	-18
141	125	Erith & Thamesmead	LAB	9.9%	5.5%	7.9%	9.1%	5.1%	7.3%	-0.6%	16
628	621	Esher & Walton	CON	3.0%	1.8%	2.5%	2.8%	1.7%	2.3%	-0.2%	7
470	435	Exeter	LAB	5.7%	2.7%	4.3%	5.0%	2.5%	3.8%	-0.5%	35
300	279	Falkirk	LAB	8.1%	3.3%	5.9%	7.8%	2.9%	5.4%	-0.5%	21
423	409	Falmouth & Camborne	LD	6.0%	2.6%	4.5%	5.6%	2.5%	4.2%	-0.2%	14
593	606	Fareham	CON	3.4%	1.9%	2.7%	3.4%	1.9%	2.7%	0.0%	-13
517	531	Faversham & Mid Kent	CON	4.4%	2.1%	3.4%	4.3%	2.1%	3.4%	0.0%	-14
290	302	Feltham & Heston	LAB	6.4%	4.5%	5.6%	6.3%	4.5%	5.6%	0.0%	-12
234	187	Fermanagh & South Tyrone	SF	8.9%	4.2%	6.9%	7.7%	3.7%	6.1%	-0.9%	47
440	456	Finchley & Golders Green	LAB	4.7%	3.4%	4.1%	4.6%	3.4%	4.1%	0.0%	-16
325	324	Folkestone & Hythe	CON	7.2%	3.1%	5.4%	6.9%	3.0%	5.1%	-0.2%	1
406	416	Forest of Dean	CON	5.8%	2.7%	4.4%	5.6%	2.7%	4.4%	0.0%	-10

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24	26	Foyle	SDLP	15.8%	6.3%	11.7%	14.8%	6.0%	11.1%	-0.6%	-2
576	566	Fylde	CON	4.0%	1.9%	3.0%	3.7%	1.9%	2.9%	-0.1%	10
376	353	Gainsborough	CON	6.4%	3.3%	5.0%	5.9%	3.0%	4.6%	-0.4%	23
182	202	Gateshead East & Washington West	LAB	9.6%	3.4%	6.8%	9.6%	3.5%	6.8%	0.0%	-20
407	420	Gedling	LAB	6.1%	2.5%	4.4%	6.0%	2.5%	4.4%	0.0%	-13
349	357	Gillingham	LAB	6.4%	3.0%	5.0%	6.4%	3.0%	4.9%	-0.1%	-8
62	47	Glasgow Central	LAB	14.3%	5.6%	10.4%	12.7%	4.9%	9.3%	-1.2%	15
35	38	Glasgow East	SNP	15.7%	5.4%	10.8%	15.9%	5.0%	10.6%	-0.3%	-3
148	144	Glasgow North	LAB	10.3%	4.6%	7.6%	10.0%	4.3%	7.2%	-0.3%	4
14	11	Glasgow North East	VAC	18.5%	6.8%	13.0%	17.2%	6.1%	11.9%	-1.1%	3
81	64	Glasgow North West	LAB	13.7%	5.3%	9.7%	12.3%	4.6%	8.6%	-1.0%	17
203	184	Glasgow South	LAB	9.7%	4.0%	7.0%	9.0%	3.6%	6.5%	-0.6%	19
49	42	Glasgow South West	LAB	15.3%	5.5%	10.6%	14.4%	4.9%	9.7%	-0.9%	7
111	111	Glenrothes	LAB	11.3%	4.5%	8.2%	11.2%	4.1%	7.8%	-0.4%	0
267	253	Gloucester	LAB	8.5%	3.2%	6.1%	8.1%	3.1%	5.8%	-0.3%	14
645	645	Gordon	LD	1.8%	0.9%	1.4%	1.8%	0.9%	1.4%	-0.1%	0
508	513	Gosport	CON	4.5%	2.2%	3.5%	4.5%	2.2%	3.5%	-0.1%	-5
405	405	Gower	LAB	6.1%	2.6%	4.5%	5.9%	2.6%	4.4%	-0.1%	0
435	430	Grantham & Stamford	LAB	5.5%	2.9%	4.4%	5.2%	2.8%	4.1%	-0.2%	5
295	292	Gravesham	CON	7.2%	3.7%	5.7%	7.0%	3.6%	5.5%	-0.1%	3
42	46	Great Grimsby	LAB	14.1%	5.7%	10.5%	13.5%	5.5%	10.0%	-0.4%	-4
138	145	Great Yarmouth	LAB	10.0%	4.3%	7.5%	9.7%	4.2%	7.4%	-0.2%	-7
168	153	Greenwich & Woolwich	LAB	9.1%	5.4%	7.4%	8.5%	5.1%	7.0%	-0.4%	15
600	598	Guildford	CON	3.5%	1.8%	2.8%	3.4%	1.8%	2.7%	-0.1%	2
70	74	Hackney North & Stoke Newington	LAB	11.5%	6.5%	9.2%	11.2%	6.4%	9.0%	-0.2%	-4
23	28	Hackney South & Shoreditch	LAB	13.9%	8.4%	11.4%	13.7%	8.2%	11.2%	-0.2%	-5
120	139	Halesowen & Rowley Regis	LAB	10.2%	4.3%	7.6%	10.2%	4.3%	7.6%	0.0%	-19
99	94	Halifax	LAB	11.8%	4.7%	8.6%	11.1%	4.5%	8.2%	-0.5%	5
534	536	Haltemprice & Howden	CON	4.4%	2.1%	3.4%	4.2%	2.1%	3.2%	-0.1%	-2
89	91	Halton	LAB	12.4%	4.5%	8.7%	11.9%	4.3%	8.4%	-0.3%	-2
342	354	Hammersmith & Fulham	CON	6.0%	3.9%	5.0%	5.8%	3.9%	5.0%	-0.1%	-12
457	428	Hampstead & Highgate	LAB	5.1%	3.5%	4.4%	4.6%	3.2%	3.9%	-0.4%	29
475	476	Harborough	CON	5.1%	2.4%	3.9%	4.9%	2.4%	3.8%	-0.1%	-1
231	255	Harlow	LAB	7.8%	4.0%	6.1%	7.8%	4.0%	6.1%	0.0%	-24
539	542	Harrogate & Knaresborough	LD	4.5%	2.0%	3.3%	4.2%	1.9%	3.2%	-0.1%	-3
401	393	Harrow East	LAB	5.5%	3.5%	4.6%	5.3%	3.4%	4.4%	-0.2%	8
451	461	Harrow West	LAB	4.8%	3.2%	4.1%	4.7%	3.2%	4.0%	0.0%	-10
50	54	Hartlepool	LAB	14.0%	5.2%	10.0%	13.5%	5.0%	9.7%	-0.3%	-4
139	134	Harwich	CON	10.1%	4.6%	7.7%	9.6%	4.4%	7.3%	-0.4%	5
156	162	Hastings & Rye	LAB	9.8%	4.2%	7.3%	9.5%	4.1%	7.1%	-0.2%	-6
315	333	Havant	CON	7.3%	3.0%	5.3%	7.2%	3.0%	5.3%	0.0%	-18
232	214	Hayes & Harlington	LAB	8.0%	4.9%	6.6%	7.3%	4.6%	6.1%	-0.5%	18
425	452	Hazel Grove	LD	5.6%	2.4%	4.1%	5.6%	2.5%	4.2%	0.1%	-27
365	378	Hemel Hempstead	CON	6.0%	3.3%	4.8%	5.9%	3.3%	4.7%	-0.1%	-13
249	257	Hemsworth	LAB	8.1%	3.6%	6.1%	7.9%	3.5%	5.9%	-0.2%	-8
308	296	Hendon	LAB	6.9%	4.1%	5.7%	6.5%	3.9%	5.4%	-0.3%	12
635	640	Henley	CON	2.8%	1.3%	2.1%	2.9%	1.3%	2.2%	0.1%	-5
408	415	Hereford (a)(b)	LD	5.9%	2.6%	4.4%	5.8%	2.5%	4.4%	-0.1%	-7
555	557	Hertford & Stortford	CON	4.0%	2.0%	3.1%	3.9%	2.0%	3.0%	-0.1%	-2
491	497	Hertsmere	CON	4.5%	2.7%	3.7%	4.4%	2.7%	3.6%	-0.1%	-6
580	582	Hexham	CON	3.9%	1.7%	2.9%	3.8%	1.8%	2.9%	0.0%	-2
160	179	Heywood & Middleton	LAB	9.5%	4.2%	7.1%	9.4%	4.2%	7.1%	0.0%	-19
420	423	High Peak	LAB	5.9%	2.5%	4.4%	5.7%	2.5%	4.2%	-0.2%	-3
554	563	Hitchin & Harpenden	CON	3.9%	1.9%	3.0%	3.9%	2.0%	3.1%	0.0%	-9
257	178	Holborn & St Pancras	LAB	8.4%	5.5%	7.1%	6.9%	4.6%	5.9%	-1.2%	79
380	384	Hornchurch	CON	5.8%	3.4%	4.7%	5.6%	3.4%	4.6%	-0.1%	-4
207	217	Hornsey & Wood Green	LD	8.3%	4.5%	6.6%	8.0%	4.5%	6.5%	-0.1%	-10

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572	568	Horsham	CON	3.9%	1.9%	3.0%	3.8%	1.9%	2.9%	-0.1%	4
149	164	Houghton & Washington East	LAB	10.2%	3.8%	7.3%	10.0%	3.8%	7.2%	-0.1%	-15
327	339	Hove	LAB	6.5%	3.6%	5.2%	6.5%	3.6%	5.1%	-0.1%	-12
68	66	Huddersfield	LAB	13.0%	5.3%	9.5%	12.2%	5.2%	9.1%	-0.4%	2
518	511	Huntingdon	CON	4.5%	2.3%	3.6%	4.2%	2.2%	3.4%	-0.2%	7
250	265	Hyndburn	LAB	8.5%	3.0%	6.0%	8.3%	3.0%	5.9%	-0.1%	-15
305	295	Ilford North	CON	6.5%	4.5%	5.7%	6.3%	4.3%	5.4%	-0.3%	10
134	118	Ilford South (a)	LAB	9.5%	6.1%	8.1%	8.7%	5.8%	7.5%	-0.6%	16
114	126	Inverclyde	LAB	11.2%	4.2%	7.9%	11.4%	4.0%	7.7%	-0.2%	-12
515	492	Inverness, Nairn, Badenoch and Strathspey	LD	5.2%	2.1%	3.7%	4.9%	1.8%	3.4%	-0.4%	23
185	167	Ipswich	LAB	9.8%	4.0%	7.2%	9.2%	3.7%	6.7%	-0.5%	18
332	330	Isle of Wight	CON	7.0%	3.2%	5.3%	6.6%	3.1%	5.1%	-0.2%	2
87	92	Islington North	LAB	10.8%	6.4%	8.7%	10.6%	6.2%	8.5%	-0.3%	-5
164	131	Islington South & Finsbury	LAB	9.2%	6.1%	7.8%	8.2%	5.5%	7.0%	-0.8%	33
118	130	Islwyn	LAB	10.6%	4.5%	7.9%	10.2%	4.4%	7.7%	-0.2%	-12
104	109	Jarrow	LAB	11.6%	4.2%	8.2%	11.4%	4.1%	8.1%	-0.1%	-5
322	319	Keighley	LAB	7.2%	3.2%	5.4%	6.9%	3.1%	5.2%	-0.2%	3
617	603	Kensington & Chelsea	CON	2.8%	2.6%	2.7%	2.6%	2.5%	2.5%	-0.2%	14
362	348	Kettering	CON	6.7%	3.1%	5.1%	6.2%	3.0%	4.8%	-0.3%	14
154	152	Kilmarnock and Loudoun	LAB	10.1%	4.3%	7.5%	10.1%	3.9%	7.1%	-0.3%	2
533	519	Kingston & Surbiton	LD	4.1%	2.7%	3.5%	3.8%	2.5%	3.3%	-0.2%	14
44	44	Kingston upon Hull East	LAB	14.1%	5.8%	10.6%	13.1%	5.5%	9.9%	-0.7%	0
26	23	Kingston upon Hull North	LAB	16.0%	6.3%	11.8%	15.0%	5.9%	11.1%	-0.7%	3
21	15	Kingston upon Hull West & Hessle	LAB	16.8%	6.5%	12.3%	15.1%	6.0%	11.3%	-1.1%	6
453	444	Kingswood	LAB	5.6%	2.5%	4.2%	5.4%	2.4%	4.0%	-0.2%	9
124	116	Kirkcaldy and Cowdenbeath	LAB	11.1%	4.5%	8.1%	10.8%	4.0%	7.6%	-0.5%	8
77	81	Knowsley North & Sefton East	LAB	12.5%	4.7%	8.9%	12.3%	4.6%	8.8%	-0.1%	-4
73	78	Knowsley South	LAB	12.9%	4.5%	9.0%	12.8%	4.3%	8.8%	-0.1%	-5
426	411	Lagan Valley	DU	6.1%	2.5%	4.5%	5.8%	2.3%	4.2%	-0.2%	15
244	234	Lanark and Hamilton East	LAB	8.5%	3.6%	6.3%	8.4%	3.3%	6.0%	-0.3%	10
611	590	Lancaster & Wyre	CON	3.9%	1.6%	2.9%	3.5%	1.5%	2.6%	-0.3%	21
11	5	Leeds Central	LAB	21.4%	8.5%	15.6%	17.2%	7.0%	12.7%	-3.0%	6
37	29	Leeds East	LAB	15.7%	6.3%	11.4%	14.1%	5.8%	10.4%	-1.0%	8
291	252	Leeds North East	LAB	8.3%	3.6%	6.1%	7.4%	3.4%	5.6%	-0.6%	39
404	359	Leeds North West	LD	6.7%	2.9%	4.9%	5.9%	2.6%	4.4%	-0.5%	45
94	73	Leeds West	LAB	13.2%	4.7%	9.2%	11.8%	4.3%	8.4%	-0.9%	21
67	59	Leicester East	LAB	12.3%	6.8%	9.9%	11.3%	6.4%	9.1%	-0.8%	8
46	52	Leicester South	LAB	13.4%	6.1%	10.2%	12.9%	5.8%	9.8%	-0.4%	-6
51	50	Leicester West	LAB	13.8%	6.2%	10.4%	12.7%	5.9%	9.7%	-0.7%	1
179	185	Leigh	LAB	9.6%	3.9%	7.0%	9.3%	3.8%	6.9%	-0.2%	-6
588	594	Leominster (c)(a)	CON	3.6%	1.8%	2.8%	3.5%	1.8%	2.8%	0.0%	-6
490	496	Lewes	LD	4.8%	2.4%	3.7%	4.6%	2.4%	3.6%	-0.1%	-6
202	206	Lewisham East	LAB	8.4%	4.7%	6.7%	8.1%	4.5%	6.5%	-0.3%	-4
153	181	Lewisham West	LAB	8.7%	5.1%	7.1%	8.9%	5.1%	7.1%	0.1%	-28
157	141	Lewisham, Deptford	LAB	9.3%	5.5%	7.6%	8.6%	5.3%	7.1%	-0.5%	16
152	163	Leyton & Wanstead	LAB	8.7%	5.4%	7.3%	8.5%	5.5%	7.2%	-0.1%	-11
410	425	Lichfield	CON	5.7%	2.7%	4.4%	5.6%	2.7%	4.3%	-0.1%	-15
144	132	Lincoln	LAB	10.7%	4.3%	7.8%	9.8%	4.0%	7.3%	-0.6%	12
272	231	Linlithgow and East Falkirk	LAB	8.6%	3.6%	6.3%	8.2%	3.1%	5.8%	-0.5%	41
48	57	Liverpool, Garston	LAB	13.8%	5.3%	10.0%	13.5%	5.3%	9.8%	-0.2%	-9
6	6	Liverpool, Riverside	LAB	21.1%	8.4%	15.2%	19.0%	7.7%	13.9%	-1.3%	0
5	9	Liverpool, Walton	LAB	19.3%	7.2%	13.8%	19.2%	7.3%	13.9%	0.1%	-4
31	36	Liverpool, Wavertree	LAB	15.4%	5.9%	10.9%	14.9%	5.9%	10.8%	-0.2%	-5
15	19	Liverpool, West Derby	IND	16.6%	6.5%	12.0%	16.4%	6.5%	11.9%	-0.1%	-4
331	320	Livingston	LAB	7.5%	3.0%	5.4%	7.3%	2.8%	5.1%	-0.3%	11
212	220	Llanelli	LAB	9.5%	2.9%	6.6%	9.2%	2.9%	6.4%	-0.2%	-8
422	390	Loughborough	LAB	6.1%	2.9%	4.7%	5.5%	2.7%	4.2%	-0.4%	32

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454	442	Louth & Horncastle	CON	5.3%	2.7%	4.2%	5.0%	2.6%	4.0%	-0.2%	12
542	552	Ludlow	CON	4.0%	2.1%	3.2%	4.0%	2.1%	3.2%	0.0%	-10
240	268	Luton North	LAB	7.6%	3.9%	6.0%	7.5%	4.0%	6.0%	0.0%	-28
140	148	Luton South	LAB	9.4%	4.9%	7.5%	9.2%	4.8%	7.3%	-0.2%	-8
476	491	Macclesfield	CON	5.0%	2.2%	3.7%	5.0%	2.3%	3.8%	0.0%	-15
509	514	Maidenhead	CON	4.2%	2.6%	3.5%	4.2%	2.5%	3.5%	0.0%	-5
522	524	Maidstone & The Weald	CON	4.5%	2.0%	3.4%	4.4%	2.0%	3.3%	-0.1%	-2
208	227	Makerfield	LAB	8.8%	3.5%	6.4%	8.7%	3.6%	6.4%	0.0%	-19
485	503	Maldon & East Chelmsford	CON	4.6%	2.4%	3.7%	4.6%	2.5%	3.7%	0.0%	-18
56	35	Manchester, Blackley	LAB	14.3%	6.4%	11.0%	12.2%	5.5%	9.4%	-1.5%	21
18	7	Manchester, Central	LAB	19.5%	8.8%	14.9%	15.0%	6.8%	11.5%	-3.4%	11
53	39	Manchester, Gorton	LAB	14.3%	6.3%	10.8%	12.5%	5.7%	9.6%	-1.2%	14
296	301	Manchester, Withington	LD	7.3%	3.6%	5.6%	7.1%	3.6%	5.5%	-0.1%	-5
254	247	Mansfield	LAB	8.5%	3.3%	6.2%	8.1%	3.2%	5.9%	-0.3%	7
261	262	Medway	LAB	7.8%	3.8%	6.1%	7.5%	3.7%	5.9%	-0.2%	-1
512	516	Meirionnydd Nant Conwy	PC	4.7%	2.0%	3.5%	4.5%	2.0%	3.4%	-0.1%	-4
146	157	Meriden	CON	9.9%	4.4%	7.4%	9.5%	4.4%	7.2%	-0.2%	-11
16	22	Merthyr Tydfil & Rhymney	LAB	16.3%	6.3%	11.9%	16.3%	6.2%	11.8%	-0.1%	-6
595	576	Mid Bedfordshire	CON	3.8%	1.9%	3.0%	3.5%	1.7%	2.7%	-0.3%	19
573	591	Mid Dorset & North Poole	LD	3.7%	1.8%	2.9%	3.8%	1.9%	2.9%	0.1%	-18
524	530	Mid Norfolk	CON	4.4%	2.1%	3.4%	4.2%	2.1%	3.3%	-0.1%	-6
614	619	Mid Sussex	CON	3.3%	1.6%	2.5%	3.3%	1.6%	2.5%	0.0%	-5
158	124	Mid Ulster	SF	10.3%	4.6%	7.9%	9.1%	4.2%	7.1%	-0.9%	34
412	426	Mid Worcestershire	CON	5.7%	2.8%	4.4%	5.5%	2.8%	4.3%	-0.1%	-14
12	14	Middlesbrough	LAB	17.6%	6.4%	12.7%	17.3%	6.4%	12.6%	-0.1%	-2
159	177	Middlesbrough South & East Cleveland	LAB	10.1%	3.4%	7.1%	10.0%	3.5%	7.1%	0.0%	-18
439	446	Midlothian	LAB	6.0%	2.2%	4.2%	6.1%	2.1%	4.1%	-0.1%	-7
200	190	Milton Keynes South West	LAB	8.9%	4.3%	6.9%	8.4%	4.1%	6.5%	-0.4%	10
335	313	Mitcham & Morden	LAB	6.7%	3.9%	5.5%	6.3%	3.6%	5.1%	-0.4%	22
633	636	Mole Valley	CON	2.8%	1.5%	2.2%	2.8%	1.5%	2.3%	0.0%	-3
471	472	Monmouth	CON	5.2%	2.4%	3.9%	5.0%	2.4%	3.8%	-0.1%	-1
501	498	Montgomeryshire	LD	4.9%	2.2%	3.7%	4.6%	2.1%	3.5%	-0.2%	3
549	547	Moray	SNP	4.0%	2.2%	3.2%	3.9%	2.0%	3.1%	-0.1%	2
341	328	Morecambe & Lunesdale	LAB	7.4%	2.8%	5.3%	6.9%	2.7%	5.0%	-0.4%	13
317	293	Morley & Rothwell	LAB	7.8%	3.2%	5.7%	7.2%	3.0%	5.3%	-0.4%	24
95	86	Motherwell and Wishaw	LAB	12.1%	5.0%	8.8%	11.9%	4.5%	8.3%	-0.5%	9
436	431	Na h-Eileanan an Iar	SNP	6.1%	2.0%	4.3%	6.1%	1.8%	4.1%	-0.2%	5
191	201	Neath	LAB	9.0%	4.0%	6.8%	8.7%	3.9%	6.6%	-0.2%	-10
568	573	New Forest East	CON	3.9%	1.8%	3.0%	3.9%	1.8%	2.9%	0.0%	-5
574	570	New Forest West	CON	3.9%	1.9%	3.0%	3.8%	1.9%	2.9%	-0.1%	4
432	422	Newark	CON	5.7%	2.8%	4.4%	5.3%	2.7%	4.2%	-0.2%	10
545	549	Newbury	CON	4.1%	2.1%	3.2%	3.9%	2.1%	3.1%	-0.1%	-4
214	189	Newcastle upon Tyne Central	LAB	9.5%	3.8%	6.9%	8.7%	3.5%	6.4%	-0.6%	25
71	72	Newcastle upon Tyne East & Wallsend	LAB	12.9%	4.9%	9.2%	12.3%	4.7%	8.9%	-0.4%	-1
225	249	Newcastle upon Tyne North	LAB	8.6%	3.3%	6.2%	8.6%	3.4%	6.2%	0.0%	-24
320	323	Newcastle-under-Lyme	LAB	7.5%	2.8%	5.4%	7.2%	2.8%	5.2%	-0.2%	-3
133	143	Newport East	LAB	10.3%	4.2%	7.6%	10.0%	4.2%	7.5%	-0.1%	-10
121	122	Newport West	LAB	11.1%	4.3%	8.0%	10.4%	4.1%	7.6%	-0.4%	-1
123	110	Newry & Armagh	SF	10.9%	4.5%	8.2%	10.2%	4.1%	7.6%	-0.6%	13
394	399	Normanton	LAB	6.3%	2.5%	4.6%	6.2%	2.5%	4.5%	-0.1%	-5
263	233	North Antrim	DU	8.4%	3.4%	6.3%	7.8%	3.2%	5.8%	-0.4%	30
100	97	North Ayrshire and Arran	LAB	12.0%	4.6%	8.6%	12.0%	4.1%	8.2%	-0.4%	3
525	512	North Cornwall	LD	4.7%	2.0%	3.5%	4.4%	1.9%	3.3%	-0.2%	13
566	558	North Devon	LD	4.1%	1.8%	3.1%	3.9%	1.7%	3.0%	-0.1%	8
640	639	North Dorset	CON	2.7%	1.4%	2.1%	2.6%	1.3%	2.0%	-0.1%	1
433	437	North Down	UU	5.7%	2.4%	4.3%	5.5%	2.4%	4.1%	-0.1%	-4
189	218	North Durham	LAB	9.2%	3.4%	6.6%	9.3%	3.5%	6.7%	0.1%	-29

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497	481	North East Bedfordshire	CON	4.8%	2.6%	3.8%	4.4%	2.4%	3.6%	-0.3%	16
360	343	North East Cambridgeshire	CON	6.4%	3.6%	5.2%	5.9%	3.4%	4.8%	-0.4%	17
343	358	North East Derbyshire	LAB	6.9%	2.5%	4.9%	6.8%	2.6%	5.0%	0.0%	-15
587	553	North East Fife	LD	4.2%	1.9%	3.2%	3.9%	1.6%	2.8%	-0.3%	34
627	625	North East Hampshire	CON	3.0%	1.7%	2.4%	2.9%	1.6%	2.3%	-0.1%	2
521	517	North East Hertfordshire	CON	4.6%	2.2%	3.5%	4.4%	2.1%	3.3%	-0.2%	4
279	276	North East Milton Keynes	CON	7.8%	3.7%	6.0%	7.3%	3.5%	5.7%	-0.3%	3
556	548	North Essex	CON	4.0%	2.1%	3.2%	3.8%	2.0%	3.0%	-0.2%	8
445	457	North Norfolk	LD	5.4%	2.4%	4.1%	5.3%	2.5%	4.1%	0.0%	-12
447	441	North Shropshire	CON	5.4%	2.7%	4.2%	5.1%	2.6%	4.0%	-0.2%	6
230	198	North Southwark & Bermondsey	LD	8.1%	5.1%	6.8%	7.2%	4.7%	6.1%	-0.7%	32
265	235	North Swindon	LAB	8.1%	3.9%	6.2%	7.6%	3.6%	5.8%	-0.4%	30
165	155	North Thanet	CON	10.3%	3.9%	7.4%	9.7%	3.7%	7.0%	-0.4%	10
177	166	North Tyneside	LAB	10.2%	3.9%	7.3%	9.6%	3.7%	6.9%	-0.4%	11
266	277	North Warwickshire	LAB	7.9%	3.5%	5.9%	7.7%	3.5%	5.8%	-0.1%	-11
372	351	North West Cambridgeshire	CON	6.5%	3.3%	5.0%	6.0%	3.0%	4.7%	-0.4%	21
188	191	North West Durham	LAB	9.4%	3.8%	6.9%	9.1%	3.6%	6.7%	-0.2%	-3
615	612	North West Hampshire (a)	CON	3.2%	1.9%	2.7%	3.1%	1.8%	2.5%	-0.1%	3
459	458	North West Leicestershire	LAB	5.5%	2.3%	4.1%	5.2%	2.3%	3.9%	-0.2%	1
369	377	North West Norfolk	CON	6.4%	2.9%	4.8%	6.2%	2.8%	4.7%	-0.1%	-8
532	540	North Wiltshire	CON	4.2%	2.1%	3.3%	4.2%	2.1%	3.3%	-0.1%	-8
163	169	Northampton North	LAB	9.8%	4.1%	7.2%	9.5%	4.1%	7.1%	-0.2%	-6
278	232	Northampton South	CON	8.4%	3.6%	6.3%	7.5%	3.3%	5.7%	-0.6%	46
613	617	Northavon	LD	3.2%	1.8%	2.6%	3.1%	1.8%	2.5%	0.0%	-4
377	374	Norwich North	CON	6.7%	2.6%	4.9%	6.4%	2.5%	4.6%	-0.2%	3
229	196	Norwich South	LAB	9.3%	3.8%	6.8%	8.3%	3.4%	6.1%	-0.7%	33
41	30	Nottingham East	LAB	15.4%	6.3%	11.4%	13.5%	5.6%	10.1%	-1.3%	11
25	21	Nottingham North	LAB	16.0%	6.8%	11.9%	15.0%	6.2%	11.1%	-0.9%	4
173	105	Nottingham South	LAB	10.9%	4.7%	8.3%	9.1%	3.9%	6.9%	-1.4%	68
226	241	Nuneaton	LAB	8.3%	3.6%	6.2%	8.2%	3.6%	6.2%	0.0%	-15
387	365	Ochil and South Perthshire	LAB	6.7%	2.8%	4.9%	6.5%	2.4%	4.6%	-0.4%	22
103	103	Ogmore	LAB	11.2%	4.7%	8.4%	10.8%	4.5%	8.1%	-0.3%	0
488	504	Old Bexley & Sidcup	INC	4.3%	2.9%	3.7%	4.2%	2.9%	3.6%	0.0%	-16
238	266	Oldham East & Saddleworth	LAB	8.1%	3.5%	6.0%	8.1%	3.5%	6.0%	0.0%	-28
97	101	Oldham West & Royton	LAB	11.5%	4.5%	8.4%	11.1%	4.4%	8.2%	-0.2%	-4
644	643	Orkney and Shetland	LD	1.9%	1.0%	1.5%	1.9%	0.9%	1.4%	-0.1%	1
463	480	Orpington	CON	5.0%	2.5%	3.9%	5.0%	2.5%	3.9%	0.1%	-17
386	335	Oxford East	LAB	7.5%	2.7%	5.3%	6.5%	2.3%	4.6%	-0.7%	51
629	628	Oxford West & Abingdon	LD	3.1%	1.6%	2.4%	3.0%	1.5%	2.3%	-0.1%	1
359	363	Paisley and Renfrewshire North	LAB	6.9%	2.7%	4.9%	7.1%	2.5%	4.8%	-0.1%	-4
196	197	Paisley and Renfrewshire South	LAB	9.6%	3.6%	6.8%	9.7%	3.3%	6.5%	-0.2%	-1
298	297	Pendle	LAB	7.5%	3.3%	5.7%	7.2%	3.2%	5.5%	-0.2%	1
641	641	Penrith & The Border	CON	2.7%	1.2%	2.0%	2.6%	1.2%	2.0%	-0.1%	0
543	521	Perth and North Perthshire	SNP	4.8%	1.9%	3.5%	4.5%	1.7%	3.1%	-0.3%	22
119	127	Peterborough	CON	10.2%	5.0%	7.9%	9.7%	5.0%	7.7%	-0.3%	-8
242	248	Plymouth, Devonport	LAB	8.3%	3.5%	6.2%	8.0%	3.4%	6.0%	-0.2%	-6
143	117	Plymouth, Sutton	LAB	11.1%	4.3%	8.1%	9.8%	4.0%	7.3%	-0.8%	26
147	150	Pontefract & Castleford	LAB	10.2%	4.3%	7.5%	9.8%	4.1%	7.2%	-0.3%	-3
293	285	Pontypridd	LAB	7.9%	3.2%	5.8%	7.6%	3.1%	5.6%	-0.2%	8
430	445	Poole	CON	5.6%	2.5%	4.2%	5.5%	2.5%	4.2%	0.0%	-15
34	25	Poplar & Canning Town	LAB	14.1%	8.2%	11.7%	12.8%	7.4%	10.6%	-1.1%	9
373	360	Portsmouth North	LAB	6.5%	2.9%	4.9%	6.3%	2.7%	4.7%	-0.3%	13
252	209	Portsmouth South	LD	8.8%	3.9%	6.7%	7.9%	3.4%	5.9%	-0.8%	43
383	389	Preseli Pembrokeshire	CON	6.5%	2.4%	4.7%	6.3%	2.4%	4.6%	-0.1%	-6
174	158	Preston	LAB	10.2%	3.8%	7.4%	9.5%	3.6%	6.9%	-0.5%	16
466	470	Pudsey	LAB	5.4%	2.4%	4.0%	5.2%	2.3%	3.9%	-0.1%	-4
511	501	Putney	CON	4.6%	2.7%	3.7%	4.3%	2.4%	3.4%	-0.3%	10



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582	585	Rayleigh	CON	3.7%	1.8%	2.9%	3.7%	1.8%	2.9%	0.0%	-3
370	385	Reading East	CON	6.0%	3.0%	4.7%	5.9%	3.0%	4.7%	0.0%	-15
301	334	Reading West	LAB	6.6%	3.6%	5.3%	6.8%	3.7%	5.4%	0.1%	-33
60	70	Redcar	LAB	13.0%	4.8%	9.3%	13.0%	4.8%	9.3%	0.0%	-10
209	226	Redditch	LAB	8.5%	4.0%	6.5%	8.4%	4.0%	6.4%	-0.1%	-17
259	192	Regent's Park & Kensington North	LAB	8.1%	5.4%	6.9%	6.9%	4.6%	5.9%	-1.0%	67
584	581	Reigate	CON	3.5%	2.2%	2.9%	3.4%	2.1%	2.8%	-0.1%	3
55	69	Rhondda	LAB	13.0%	5.0%	9.5%	13.0%	5.0%	9.5%	0.0%	-14
637	637	Ribble Valley	CON	3.0%	1.3%	2.2%	2.9%	1.3%	2.2%	-0.1%	0
607	604	Richmond	CON	3.5%	1.7%	2.7%	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%	-0.1%	3
604	597	Richmond Park	LD	3.2%	2.3%	2.8%	3.0%	2.2%	2.6%	-0.2%	7
58	63	Rochdale	LD	13.0%	5.5%	9.7%	12.3%	5.4%	9.3%	-0.4%	-5
110	119	Rochford & Southend East	CON	10.7%	4.8%	8.1%	10.2%	4.7%	7.8%	-0.3%	-9
356	370	Romford	CON	5.9%	3.7%	4.9%	5.8%	3.6%	4.9%	0.0%	-14
624	627	Romsey	LD	3.1%	1.6%	2.4%	3.1%	1.5%	2.4%	0.0%	-3
618	609	Ross, Skye and Lochaber	LD	3.7%	1.4%	2.7%	3.6%	1.2%	2.4%	-0.2%	9
318	316	Rossendale & Darwen	LAB	7.4%	3.0%	5.4%	7.2%	2.9%	5.3%	-0.2%	2
218	229	Rother Valley	LAB	8.6%	3.7%	6.4%	8.4%	3.7%	6.3%	-0.1%	-11
69	62	Rotherham	LAB	13.2%	5.5%	9.8%	12.4%	4.9%	9.0%	-0.7%	7
381	391	Rugby & Kenilworth	CON	6.2%	2.8%	4.7%	6.0%	2.8%	4.6%	-0.1%	-10
527	543	Ruislip - Northwood	CON	3.9%	2.6%	3.3%	3.9%	2.6%	3.3%	0.0%	-16
620	614	Runnymede & Weybridge	CON	3.2%	1.8%	2.6%	3.0%	1.7%	2.4%	-0.1%	6
590	592	Rushcliffe	CON	3.7%	1.8%	2.8%	3.6%	1.8%	2.8%	-0.1%	-2
178	138	Rutherglen and Hamilton West	LAB	10.6%	4.3%	7.6%	9.9%	3.7%	6.9%	-0.7%	40
560	559	Rutland & Melton	CON	3.9%	2.0%	3.1%	3.8%	2.0%	3.0%	-0.1%	1
591	589	Ryedale	CON	3.8%	1.7%	2.9%	3.7%	1.7%	2.8%	-0.1%	2
562	569	Saffron Walden	CON	3.6%	2.2%	3.0%	3.5%	2.2%	3.0%	0.0%	-7
63	55	Salford	LAB	13.4%	5.6%	10.0%	12.0%	5.4%	9.3%	-0.8%	8
612	618	Salisbury	CON	3.3%	1.6%	2.6%	3.3%	1.6%	2.6%	0.0%	-6
313	311	Scarborough & Whitby	CON	7.8%	2.7%	5.5%	7.5%	2.7%	5.3%	-0.2%	2
84	82	Scunthorpe	LAB	12.0%	4.9%	8.9%	11.5%	4.7%	8.6%	-0.3%	2
190	203	Sedgefield	LAB	9.3%	3.6%	6.8%	9.0%	3.6%	6.6%	-0.1%	-13
499	484	Selby	LAB	5.0%	2.4%	3.8%	4.6%	2.3%	3.5%	-0.3%	15
594	595	Sevenoaks	CON	3.3%	2.1%	2.8%	3.3%	2.0%	2.7%	-0.1%	-1
236	242	Sheffield, Attercliffe	LAB	8.7%	3.0%	6.2%	8.5%	3.0%	6.1%	-0.1%	-6
39	45	Sheffield, Brightside	LAB	14.6%	5.3%	10.5%	14.1%	5.2%	10.2%	-0.3%	-6
66	41	Sheffield, Central	LAB	14.3%	5.8%	10.6%	12.1%	5.1%	9.1%	-1.5%	25
564	562	Sheffield, Hallam	LD	4.1%	1.9%	3.1%	3.9%	1.8%	3.0%	-0.1%	2
135	140	Sheffield, Heeley	LAB	10.7%	3.8%	7.6%	10.4%	3.8%	7.4%	-0.2%	-5
385	386	Sheffield, Hillsborough	LAB	6.6%	2.4%	4.7%	6.4%	2.4%	4.6%	-0.1%	-1
379	387	Sherwood	LAB	6.4%	2.6%	4.7%	6.3%	2.5%	4.6%	-0.1%	-8
339	342	Shipley	CON	7.2%	2.8%	5.2%	6.9%	2.7%	5.0%	-0.2%	-3
474	490	Shrewsbury & Atcham	CON	5.1%	2.1%	3.8%	5.1%	2.1%	3.8%	0.0%	-16
303	289	Sittingbourne & Sheppey	LAB	7.4%	3.5%	5.7%	7.0%	3.4%	5.4%	-0.3%	14
634	631	Skipton & Ripon	CON	3.0%	1.4%	2.3%	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%	-0.1%	3
541	528	Sleaford & North Hykeham	CON	4.5%	2.0%	3.4%	4.1%	1.9%	3.2%	-0.2%	13
283	290	Slough	LAB	6.9%	4.1%	5.7%	6.8%	4.1%	5.6%	-0.1%	-7
455	463	Solihull	LD	5.2%	2.6%	4.0%	5.1%	2.6%	4.0%	-0.1%	-8
605	611	Somerton & Frome (a)	LD	3.4%	1.8%	2.7%	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%	-0.1%	-6
403	394	South Antrim	DU	6.4%	2.4%	4.6%	6.1%	2.3%	4.4%	-0.2%	9
626	624	South Cambridgeshire	CON	3.3%	1.4%	2.4%	3.2%	1.3%	2.3%	-0.1%	2
444	414	South Derbyshire	LAB	5.8%	2.8%	4.4%	5.3%	2.6%	4.1%	-0.4%	30
513	518	South Dorset	LAB	4.8%	1.9%	3.5%	4.6%	1.9%	3.4%	-0.1%	-5
233	194	South Down	SDLP	9.6%	3.1%	6.9%	8.5%	2.8%	6.1%	-0.8%	39
610	607	South East Cambridgeshire	CON	3.5%	1.6%	2.7%	3.4%	1.6%	2.6%	-0.1%	3
551	551	South East Cornwall	LD	4.3%	1.9%	3.2%	4.1%	1.8%	3.1%	-0.1%	0
415	406	South Holland & The Deepings	CON	5.5%	3.2%	4.5%	5.2%	3.1%	4.3%	-0.2%	9

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547	550	South Norfolk	CON	4.2%	2.0%	3.2%	4.0%	1.9%	3.1%	-0.1%	-3
493	499	South Ribble	LAB	5.3%	1.8%	3.7%	5.1%	1.8%	3.6%	-0.1%	-6
32	34	South Shields	LAB	14.7%	6.3%	11.0%	14.3%	6.2%	10.7%	-0.3%	-2
414	443	South Staffordshire	CON	5.4%	2.7%	4.2%	5.5%	2.8%	4.3%	0.1%	-29
507	515	South Suffolk	CON	4.6%	2.1%	3.5%	4.5%	2.1%	3.5%	0.0%	-8
184	188	South Swindon	LAB	9.0%	4.3%	6.9%	8.8%	4.2%	6.8%	-0.2%	-4
289	286	South Thanet	LAB	7.7%	3.3%	5.7%	7.5%	3.2%	5.6%	-0.2%	3
374	371	South West Bedfordshire	CON	6.4%	3.0%	4.9%	6.1%	2.8%	4.7%	-0.2%	3
609	613	South West Devon	CON	3.4%	1.7%	2.6%	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%	0.0%	-4
583	583	South West Hertfordshire	CON	3.6%	2.0%	2.9%	3.5%	2.0%	2.8%	-0.1%	0
438	418	South West Norfolk	CON	5.5%	3.0%	4.4%	5.1%	2.8%	4.1%	-0.3%	20
625	632	South West Surrey	CON	2.8%	1.6%	2.3%	2.9%	1.6%	2.3%	0.0%	-7
201	172	Southampton, Itchen	LAB	9.7%	3.9%	7.2%	8.8%	3.5%	6.5%	-0.7%	29
280	269	Southampton, Test	LAB	7.8%	3.6%	6.0%	7.5%	3.3%	5.7%	-0.3%	11
345	366	Southend West	CON	6.5%	3.0%	4.9%	6.4%	3.0%	4.9%	0.0%	-21
324	338	Southport	LD	7.5%	2.7%	5.2%	7.3%	2.6%	5.1%	-0.1%	-14
519	538	Spelthorne	CON	4.0%	2.5%	3.3%	4.0%	2.5%	3.4%	0.0%	-19
578	578	St Albans	CON	3.7%	2.0%	2.9%	3.7%	2.0%	2.9%	0.0%	0
198	221	St Helens North	LAB	9.1%	3.4%	6.5%	9.1%	3.4%	6.5%	0.0%	-23
98	102	St Helens South	LAB	11.9%	4.2%	8.4%	11.6%	4.1%	8.2%	-0.2%	-4
510	510	St Ives	LD	4.7%	2.2%	3.6%	4.5%	2.1%	3.5%	-0.1%	0
449	460	Stafford	LAB	5.5%	2.3%	4.1%	5.4%	2.3%	4.0%	0.0%	-11
464	477	Staffordshire Moorlands	LAB	5.3%	2.1%	3.9%	5.3%	2.1%	3.9%	0.0%	-13
195	204	Stalybridge & Hyde	LAB	9.2%	3.8%	6.8%	8.9%	3.7%	6.6%	-0.2%	-9
351	361	Stevenage	LAB	6.4%	3.1%	4.9%	6.3%	3.1%	4.9%	0.0%	-10
428	419	Stirling	LAB	5.9%	2.7%	4.4%	5.9%	2.4%	4.2%	-0.2%	9
239	261	Stockport	LAB	8.3%	3.4%	6.1%	8.2%	3.3%	6.0%	-0.1%	-22
76	75	Stockton North	LAB	12.8%	4.7%	9.2%	12.3%	4.5%	8.8%	-0.4%	1
270	258	Stockton South	LAB	8.5%	3.2%	6.1%	8.0%	3.0%	5.8%	-0.3%	12
52	65	Stoke-on-Trent Central	LAB	13.2%	5.0%	9.6%	13.2%	5.1%	9.6%	0.0%	-13
107	106	Stoke-on-Trent North	LAB	11.3%	4.5%	8.3%	10.8%	4.4%	8.0%	-0.3%	1
166	182	Stoke-on-Trent South	LAB	9.5%	4.0%	7.1%	9.4%	4.0%	7.0%	0.0%	-16
565	574	Stone	CON	4.0%	1.7%	3.0%	3.9%	1.7%	3.0%	0.0%	-9
186	216	Stourbridge	LAB	8.9%	3.7%	6.6%	9.0%	3.8%	6.7%	0.1%	-30
437	439	Strangford	DU	5.9%	2.2%	4.3%	5.6%	2.2%	4.1%	-0.1%	-2
558	564	Stratford-on-Avon	CON	4.1%	1.8%	3.0%	4.0%	1.8%	3.0%	0.0%	-6
167	195	Streatham	LAB	8.3%	5.1%	6.8%	8.4%	5.3%	7.0%	0.2%	-28
258	270	Stretford & Urmston	LAB	8.3%	3.2%	6.0%	8.1%	3.2%	5.9%	-0.1%	-12
468	475	Stroud	LAB	5.2%	2.4%	3.9%	5.1%	2.3%	3.8%	-0.1%	-7
567	561	Suffolk Coastal	CON	4.1%	1.8%	3.1%	3.9%	1.8%	3.0%	-0.1%	6
59	71	Sunderland North	LAB	13.2%	4.5%	9.3%	13.3%	4.6%	9.3%	0.0%	-12
36	48	Sunderland South	LAB	14.8%	5.2%	10.4%	14.9%	5.2%	10.5%	0.1%	-12
621	626	Surrey Heath	CON	3.0%	1.7%	2.4%	3.0%	1.7%	2.4%	0.0%	-5
516	523	Sutton & Cheam	LD	4.3%	2.3%	3.4%	4.2%	2.3%	3.4%	-0.1%	-7
413	421	Sutton Coldfield	CON	5.8%	2.7%	4.4%	5.8%	2.6%	4.3%	-0.1%	-8
161	159	Swansea East	LAB	10.3%	3.9%	7.4%	9.8%	3.7%	7.1%	-0.3%	2
155	160	Swansea West	LAB	10.1%	4.1%	7.4%	9.6%	4.0%	7.1%	-0.2%	-5
281	287	Tamworth	LAB	7.4%	3.6%	5.7%	7.3%	3.6%	5.7%	-0.1%	-6
520	533	Tatton	CON	4.5%	2.1%	3.4%	4.4%	2.1%	3.4%	0.0%	-13
529	526	Taunton (a)	LD	4.7%	1.9%	3.4%	4.5%	1.9%	3.3%	-0.1%	3
530	527	Teignbridge	LD	4.7%	1.9%	3.4%	4.4%	1.8%	3.3%	-0.1%	3
129	146	Telford	LAB	10.1%	4.2%	7.5%	10.1%	4.2%	7.5%	0.0%	-17
482	489	Tewkesbury	CON	5.0%	2.2%	3.8%	4.9%	2.2%	3.7%	0.0%	-7
223	208	Thurrock	LAB	8.3%	4.6%	6.7%	7.7%	4.3%	6.2%	-0.5%	15
592	580	Tiverton & Honiton	CON	3.9%	1.8%	2.9%	3.6%	1.7%	2.8%	-0.2%	12
585	572	Tonbridge & Malling	CON	3.9%	1.9%	3.0%	3.6%	1.8%	2.8%	-0.2%	13
419	432	Tooting	LAB	5.3%	3.2%	4.3%	5.3%	3.1%	4.3%	-0.1%	-13

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275	274	Torbay	LD	8.3%	3.1%	6.0%	7.9%	3.0%	5.7%	-0.2%	1
127	137	Torfaen	LAB	10.6%	4.0%	7.6%	10.4%	4.0%	7.5%	-0.1%	-10
514	508	Torridge & West Devon	CON	4.6%	2.2%	3.6%	4.4%	2.1%	3.4%	-0.2%	6
500	506	Totnes	CON	4.9%	2.1%	3.6%	4.7%	2.1%	3.5%	-0.1%	-6
30	31	Tottenham	LAB	14.1%	8.0%	11.4%	12.9%	7.8%	10.8%	-0.6%	-1
496	483	Truro & St Austell	LD	5.0%	2.3%	3.8%	4.7%	2.2%	3.6%	-0.2%	13
570	584	Tunbridge Wells	CON	3.7%	1.9%	2.9%	3.7%	1.9%	2.9%	0.0%	-14
575	579	Twickenham	LD	3.4%	2.3%	2.9%	3.4%	2.3%	2.9%	0.0%	-4
22	17	Tyne Bridge	LAB	16.8%	6.4%	12.2%	15.6%	5.9%	11.2%	-1.0%	5
292	291	Tynemouth	LAB	7.9%	3.2%	5.7%	7.6%	3.1%	5.6%	-0.1%	1
337	341	Upminster	CON	6.2%	4.0%	5.2%	6.0%	3.9%	5.0%	-0.1%	-4
217	180	Upper Bann	DU	9.5%	3.9%	7.1%	8.4%	3.5%	6.3%	-0.8%	37
366	379	Uxbridge	CON	5.7%	3.6%	4.8%	5.7%	3.6%	4.7%	0.0%	-13
206	199	Vale of Clwyd	LAB	9.8%	3.2%	6.8%	9.3%	3.1%	6.5%	-0.3%	7
264	254	Vale of Glamorgan	LAB	8.3%	3.5%	6.1%	7.9%	3.4%	5.8%	-0.3%	10
630	629	Vale of York	CON	3.0%	1.6%	2.4%	2.8%	1.6%	2.3%	-0.1%	1
150	136	Vauxhall	LAB	9.5%	5.3%	7.6%	8.8%	5.1%	7.2%	-0.5%	14
253	244	Wakefield	LAB	8.3%	3.5%	6.2%	7.9%	3.4%	5.9%	-0.3%	9
78	84	Wallasey	LAB	12.6%	4.6%	8.9%	12.4%	4.5%	8.7%	-0.2%	-6
29	37	Walsall North	LAB	14.2%	6.5%	10.9%	14.2%	6.4%	10.8%	-0.1%	-8
17	24	Walsall South	LAB	15.0%	7.3%	11.8%	14.7%	7.3%	11.6%	-0.2%	-7
90	98	Walthamstow	LAB	10.6%	5.9%	8.5%	10.4%	5.9%	8.4%	-0.1%	-8
122	135	Wansbeck	LAB	10.6%	4.2%	7.6%	10.4%	4.2%	7.6%	-0.1%	-13
616	616	Wansdyke (c)(a)	LAB	3.4%	1.5%	2.6%	3.4%	1.5%	2.5%	0.0%	0
597	610	Wantage	CON	3.4%	1.8%	2.7%	3.4%	1.8%	2.7%	0.0%	-13
47	49	Warley	LAB	13.5%	6.3%	10.4%	12.6%	6.1%	9.8%	-0.6%	-2
235	256	Warrington North	LAB	8.4%	3.4%	6.1%	8.3%	3.4%	6.1%	-0.1%	-21
367	376	Warrington South	LAB	6.6%	2.6%	4.8%	6.5%	2.6%	4.7%	-0.1%	-9
424	400	Warwick & Leamington	LAB	6.1%	2.7%	4.6%	5.6%	2.5%	4.2%	-0.3%	24
458	471	Watford	LAB	4.9%	2.8%	4.0%	4.9%	2.7%	3.9%	0.0%	-13
248	237	Waveney	LAB	8.1%	3.8%	6.2%	7.7%	3.7%	5.9%	-0.3%	11
622	623	Wealden	CON	3.2%	1.5%	2.4%	3.1%	1.5%	2.4%	0.0%	-1
227	236	Weaver Vale	LAB	8.4%	3.6%	6.2%	8.3%	3.6%	6.2%	-0.1%	-9
251	230	Wellingborough	CON	8.1%	4.1%	6.3%	7.5%	3.8%	5.9%	-0.4%	21
548	545	Wells	CON	4.2%	2.0%	3.3%	4.0%	1.9%	3.1%	-0.1%	3
467	429	Welwyn Hatfield	CON	5.5%	2.9%	4.4%	4.9%	2.6%	3.9%	-0.5%	38
170	168	Wentworth	LAB	10.0%	3.9%	7.2%	9.6%	3.8%	7.0%	-0.3%	2
646	646	West Aberdeenshire and Kincardine	LD	1.6%	0.9%	1.3%	1.6%	0.8%	1.2%	-0.1%	0
40	51	West Bromwich East	LAB	13.5%	6.2%	10.3%	13.3%	6.0%	10.2%	-0.2%	-11
28	33	West Bromwich West	LAB	14.4%	6.5%	11.1%	14.2%	6.3%	10.8%	-0.3%	-5
473	464	West Chelmsford	CON	5.1%	2.7%	4.0%	4.8%	2.6%	3.8%	-0.2%	9
581	586	West Derbyshire	CON	3.8%	1.7%	2.9%	3.8%	1.8%	2.9%	0.0%	-5
642	642	West Dorset	CON	2.7%	1.2%	2.0%	2.6%	1.2%	2.0%	-0.1%	0
115	121	West Dunbartonshire	LAB	11.3%	4.4%	8.0%	11.3%	4.1%	7.7%	-0.3%	-6
38	43	West Ham	LAB	12.9%	7.4%	10.6%	12.4%	7.2%	10.2%	-0.4%	-5
187	215	West Lancashire	LAB	9.1%	3.7%	6.6%	9.1%	3.8%	6.7%	0.1%	-28
506	493	West Suffolk	CON	4.5%	2.7%	3.7%	4.1%	2.5%	3.5%	-0.3%	13
96	80	West Tyrone	SF	11.5%	5.1%	8.9%	10.7%	4.7%	8.3%	-0.6%	16
505	520	West Worcestershire	CON	4.4%	2.2%	3.5%	4.4%	2.3%	3.5%	0.0%	-15
465	459	Westbury	CON	5.2%	2.6%	4.1%	5.0%	2.5%	3.9%	-0.2%	6
643	644	Westmorland & Lonsdale	LD	1.8%	1.0%	1.5%	1.8%	1.0%	1.4%	0.0%	-1
399	368	Weston-Super-Mare	CON	6.5%	2.9%	4.9%	5.9%	2.7%	4.5%	-0.4%	31
136	147	Wigan	LAB	10.3%	4.1%	7.5%	10.1%	4.1%	7.4%	-0.1%	-11
623	620	Wimbledon	CON	2.9%	2.0%	2.5%	2.8%	1.9%	2.4%	-0.1%	3
632	633	Winchester	LD	2.9%	1.5%	2.3%	2.9%	1.5%	2.3%	0.0%	-1
589	593	Windsor	CON	3.4%	2.1%	2.8%	3.4%	2.0%	2.8%	-0.1%	-4
350	383	Wirral South	LAB	6.5%	2.7%	4.7%	6.6%	2.9%	4.9%	0.2%	-33

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**Alphabetical listing of constituencies, United Kingdom**

Rank by overall employment rate			Old Rates			New Rates			Change		
New	Old		Party	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Rate (total)	Rank
334	355	Wirral West	LAB	6.9%	2.8%	5.0%	7.0%	2.9%	5.1%	0.1%	-21
638	635	Witney	CON	2.9%	1.4%	2.2%	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%	-0.1%	3
569	571	Woking	CON	3.8%	2.0%	3.0%	3.7%	2.0%	2.9%	-0.1%	-2
603	608	Wokingham	CON	3.2%	2.0%	2.7%	3.2%	1.9%	2.6%	-0.1%	-5
33	40	Wolverhampton North East	LAB	14.1%	6.4%	10.8%	14.0%	6.4%	10.7%	-0.1%	-7
8	10	Wolverhampton South East	LAB	16.5%	8.7%	13.2%	16.4%	8.6%	13.1%	-0.1%	-2
57	68	Wolverhampton South West	LAB	12.6%	5.5%	9.5%	12.3%	5.5%	9.4%	-0.1%	-11
631	630	Woodspring	CON	3.2%	1.4%	2.4%	3.0%	1.4%	2.3%	-0.1%	1
286	299	Worcester	LAB	7.7%	3.1%	5.6%	7.6%	3.1%	5.6%	0.0%	-13
452	468	Workington	LAB	5.5%	2.1%	4.0%	5.5%	2.1%	4.0%	0.0%	-16
216	228	Worsley	LAB	9.0%	3.3%	6.4%	8.8%	3.3%	6.3%	-0.1%	-12
357	352	Worthing West	CON	6.6%	3.1%	5.0%	6.3%	3.0%	4.8%	-0.2%	5
393	404	Wrekin, The	CON	5.8%	2.8%	4.5%	5.9%	2.8%	4.5%	0.0%	-11
307	310	Wrexham	LAB	7.4%	3.2%	5.5%	7.2%	3.2%	5.4%	-0.1%	-3
391	412	Wycombe	CON	5.5%	3.0%	4.4%	5.6%	3.1%	4.5%	0.1%	-21
288	304	Wyre Forest	IND	7.3%	3.4%	5.5%	7.3%	3.4%	5.6%	0.0%	-16
132	128	Wythenshawe & Sale East	LAB	11.0%	4.2%	7.9%	10.3%	4.0%	7.5%	-0.4%	4
535	532	Yeovil (a)	LD	4.3%	2.2%	3.4%	4.1%	2.1%	3.2%	-0.2%	3
247	272	Ynys-Mon	LAB	8.0%	3.3%	6.0%	7.9%	3.4%	5.9%	-0.1%	-25
344	318	York, City of	LAB	7.4%	3.2%	5.4%	6.6%	2.9%	4.9%	-0.5%	26