

Unemployment by Constituency August 1995

Research Paper 95/97

13 September 1995



Official unemployment rates for parliamentary constituencies only exist for those few constituencies which are self-contained labour markets. This paper is the latest of a monthly series which presents up-to-date unemployment rates not available elsewhere, using official figures for the number of unemployed claimants and estimates of the 1988 economically active population in each GB constituency.

This edition also includes residence-based unemployment rates for constituencies in Northern Ireland. At present these are on a slightly different basis from those for constituencies in Great Britain but it is hoped to introduce a methodology common to all UK constituencies later this year.

**Jane Dyson
Economic Policy & Statistics Section**

House of Commons Library

Library Research Papers are compiled for the benefit of Members of Parliament and their personal staff. Authors are available to discuss the contents of these papers with Members and their staff but cannot advise members of the general public.

CONTENTS

	Page
A Introduction	1
B Residence-based unemployment rates, Great Britain constituencies; August 1995	2
1. highest and lowest	2
2. alphabetical listing	3
C Change in number of unemployed claimants, Great Britain constituencies; August 1990, 1992, 1994 and 1995	15
1. highest and lowest	15
2. alphabetical listing	16
D Residence-based unemployment rates, Northern Ireland constituencies; August 1995	28
E Change in number of unemployed claimants, Northern Ireland constituencies; August 1990, 1992, 1994 and 1995	28

A Introduction

Official unemployment rates for parliamentary constituencies only exist for those few constituencies which are self-contained labour markets. This paper presents up-to-date unemployment rates not available elsewhere. These use official figures for the number of unemployed claimants and, in the case of GB constituencies, estimates of the 1988 economically active population (provided by CACI (Information Services) Ltd). For Northern Ireland constituencies, figures were derived from the 1991 Census of Population for the number of people who are economically active in each constituency. At present, therefore, the unemployment rates for the seventeen constituencies in Northern Ireland are not comparable with those for constituencies in Great Britain. It is hoped to be able to introduce a set of denominators that will be comparable for all UK constituencies later this year.

These residence-based rates 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. For a full exposition of the methodology used to calculate these rates, see Background Paper No. 292.

This paper also shows the change in the number of unemployed claimants in each constituency 1 year, 3 years and 5 years ago. Seasonally adjusted figures for the number of unemployed claimants are not available below regional level so meaningful comparisons can only be made between the same months in successive years. Even these are affected by changes in the method used to compile unemployment statistics for which no adjustments have been made.

Notes:

1. The political parties shown against each constituency are as they stand currently. The following abbreviations for parties have been used:

CON	Conservative	UUP	Ulster Unionist Party
LAB	Labour	DUP	Democratic Unionist Party
LD	Liberal Democrat	SDLP	Social Democratic and
PC	Plaid Cymru		Labour Party
SNP	Scottish National Party	UPUP	Ulster Popular Unionist Party
SPKR	Speaker	UKU	United Kingdom Unionist

2. One Conservative member has resigned the party whip. Holland with Boston constituency is therefore shown as CON* in the tables.

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall
unemployment rate

GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	Party	Claimants			Rate			
					Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
1	1			Tottenham	LAB	8,501	2,744	11,245	29.9%	13.9%	23.3%
2	2			Hackney North and Stoke Newington	LAB	7,469	2,780	10,249	28.3%	15.1%	22.9%
3	3			Liverpool Riverside	LAB	4,893	1,400	6,293	29.8%	11.1%	21.7%
4	4			Hackney South and Shoreditch	LAB	7,481	2,533	10,014	27.8%	13.0%	21.6%
5	5			Southwark and Bermondsey	LD	5,456	1,955	7,411	27.2%	13.5%	21.4%
6	6			Newham North West	LAB	4,747	1,451	6,198	27.2%	12.3%	21.2%
7	7			Peckham	LAB	5,847	2,067	7,914	26.7%	13.2%	21.1%
8	8			Norwood	LAB	5,750	2,144	7,894	26.4%	13.5%	20.9%
9	9			Birmingham Small Heath	LAB	5,484	1,424	6,908	27.2%	10.9%	20.8%
10	10			Lewisham Deptford	LAB	5,814	2,015	7,829	27.0%	12.4%	20.7%
11	11			Bethnal Green and Stepney	LAB	5,934	1,578	7,512	24.7%	11.2%	19.7%
12	12			Islington North	LAB	6,084	2,580	8,664	24.6%	13.3%	19.6%
13	13			Birmingham Ladywood	LAB	5,498	1,643	7,141	25.4%	10.2%	18.9%
14	14			Vauxhall	LAB	6,373	2,386	8,759	23.8%	12.2%	18.9%
15	15			Sheffield Central	LAB	5,216	1,547	6,763	25.4%	10.1%	18.9%
16	16			Nottingham East	LAB	6,117	1,911	8,028	24.8%	10.3%	18.6%
17	17			Bow and Poplar	LAB	5,974	1,613	7,587	24.0%	10.1%	18.5%
18	18			Newham South	LAB	4,535	1,339	5,874	23.4%	10.8%	18.5%
19	19			Manchester Central	LAB	5,390	1,405	6,795	26.0%	8.7%	18.4%
20	20			Birmingham Sparkbrook	LAB	5,167	1,420	6,587	23.3%	10.2%	18.2%
21	21			Kingston-upon-Hull West	LAB	4,347	1,364	5,711	22.8%	10.8%	18.0%
22	22			Streatham	LAB	5,044	1,984	7,028	21.9%	11.7%	17.6%
23	23			Middlesbrough	LAB	5,285	1,191	6,476	23.8%	8.0%	17.5%
24	24			Tyne Bridge	LAB	4,853	997	5,850	25.7%	6.8%	17.4%
25	25			Leyton	LAB	4,996	1,619	6,615	22.1%	10.2%	17.2%
:	:			:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
610	500			Newbury	LD	1,547	645	2,192	4.6%	2.7%	3.8%
611	501			Westmorland and Lonsdale	CON	1,171	429	1,600	4.8%	2.5%	3.8%
612	502			Harborough	CON	1,372	609	1,981	4.6%	2.7%	3.8%
613	503			Blaby	CON	1,540	664	2,204	4.6%	2.7%	3.8%
614	504			North Dorset	CON	1,230	536	1,766	4.4%	2.7%	3.7%
615	505			Rutland and Melton	CON	1,397	659	2,056	4.3%	2.9%	3.7%
616	506			Chesham and Amersham	CON	1,318	451	1,769	4.7%	2.3%	3.7%
617	507			Cheadle	CON	1,189	526	1,715	4.4%	2.7%	3.7%
618	508			Beaconsfield	CON	1,249	470	1,719	4.5%	2.5%	3.7%
619	509			Henley	CON	1,186	469	1,655	4.6%	2.4%	3.7%
620	510			South West Surrey	CON	1,207	431	1,638	4.7%	2.3%	3.7%
621	511			Wantage	CON	1,272	460	1,732	4.7%	2.3%	3.7%
622	512			Bosworth	CON	1,359	686	2,045	4.2%	2.9%	3.7%
623	513			East Hampshire	CON	1,689	640	2,329	4.4%	2.4%	3.6%
624	514			Mole Valley	CON	1,116	363	1,479	4.6%	2.0%	3.5%
625	515			Aldershot	CON	1,710	575	2,285	4.4%	2.1%	3.5%
626	516			South East Cambridgeshire	CON	1,285	626	1,911	4.0%	2.7%	3.5%
627	517			Woking	CON	1,486	509	1,995	4.4%	2.1%	3.5%
628	518			Fylde	CON	994	360	1,354	4.3%	2.1%	3.4%
629	519			North West Surrey	CON	1,405	545	1,950	4.0%	2.2%	3.3%
630	520			Witney	CON	1,287	588	1,875	3.6%	2.3%	3.1%
631	521			North West Hampshire	CON	1,108	449	1,557	3.6%	2.1%	3.0%
632	522			Buckingham	CON	1,064	450	1,514	3.6%	2.1%	3.0%
633	523			Ribble Valley	CON	890	388	1,278	3.6%	2.1%	3.0%
634	524			Wokingham	CON	1,459	535	1,994	3.5%	1.9%	2.8%

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall
unemployment rate

Rank	unemployment rate			Party	Claimants			Rate			
	GB	Eng	Wal		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
319			24	Aberavon	LAB	1,701	454	2,155	10.3%	4.0%	7.7%
307			44	Aberdeen North	LAB	2,205	703	2,908	10.7%	4.3%	7.9%
394			54	Aberdeen South	CON	1,846	721	2,567	8.8%	4.3%	6.8%
625	515			Aldershot	CON	1,710	575	2,285	4.4%	2.1%	3.5%
422	329			Aldridge - Brownhills	CON	1,944	809	2,753	7.6%	4.7%	6.4%
544	439			Altrincham and Sale	CON	1,570	618	2,188	6.2%	3.4%	5.0%
398		35		Alyn and Deeside	LAB	1,751	667	2,418	8.0%	4.6%	6.7%
415	322			Amber Valley	CON	2,124	772	2,896	8.3%	4.1%	6.5%
246			34	Angus East	SNP	2,323	1076	3,399	10.3%	6.7%	8.8%
256			35	Argyll and Bute	LD	1,850	632	2,482	11.1%	5.3%	8.7%
433	340			Arundel	CON	2,224	710	2,934	8.5%	3.5%	6.3%
265	212			Ashfield	LAB	3,143	848	3,991	11.5%	4.4%	8.6%
442	347			Ashford	CON	2,311	711	3,022	8.1%	3.5%	6.2%
326	256			Ashton-under-Lyne	LAB	2,359	720	3,079	10.4%	4.1%	7.7%
553	448			Aylesbury	CON	2,105	765	2,870	6.3%	3.1%	4.9%
285		40		Ayr	CON	2,367	962	3,329	10.0%	5.8%	8.3%
558	452			Banbury	CON	1,948	813	2,761	6.0%	3.3%	4.8%
520			66	Banff and Buchan	SNP	1,497	632	2,129	6.2%	4.1%	5.4%
99	91			Barking	LAB	2,853	866	3,719	14.7%	7.4%	11.9%
163	134			Barnsley Central	LAB	2,829	739	3,568	14.0%	5.1%	10.2%
174	142			Barnsley East	LAB	2,599	610	3,209	13.6%	4.7%	10.0%
271	217			Barnsley West and Penistone	LAB	2,522	798	3,320	11.0%	5.0%	8.5%
218	177			Barrow and Furness	LAB	3,204	847	4,051	12.3%	4.7%	9.2%
173	141			Basildon	CON	3,470	1,203	4,673	12.8%	6.2%	10.0%
514	412			Basingstoke	CON	2,278	853	3,131	6.9%	3.4%	5.4%
237	191			Bassetlaw	LAB	2,975	908	3,883	11.3%	5.3%	8.9%
170	138			Bath	LD	2,892	1,142	4,034	14.1%	6.0%	10.2%
346	272			Batley and Spen	CON	2,719	805	3,524	9.9%	4.0%	7.4%
67	63			Battersea	CON	4,326	1,667	5,993	16.5%	8.7%	13.2%
618	508			Beaconsfield	CON	1,249	470	1,719	4.5%	2.5%	3.7%
233	187			Beckenham	CON	2,608	972	3,580	11.0%	6.0%	9.0%
328	258			Berwick-upon-Tweed	LD	1,847	584	2,431	9.5%	4.8%	7.7%
11	11			Bethnal Green and Stepney	LAB	5,934	1,578	7,512	24.7%	11.2%	19.7%
501	400			Beverley	CON	1,881	827	2,708	6.7%	3.9%	5.5%
421	328			Bexhill and Battle	CON	1,622	587	2,209	8.1%	4.1%	6.4%
455	360			Bexley Heath	CON	1,659	681	2,340	7.0%	4.5%	6.0%
500	399			Billericay	CON	2,205	844	3,049	6.7%	3.8%	5.5%
41	40			Birkenhead	LAB	4,824	1,301	6,125	20.2%	7.7%	15.0%
85	79			Birmingham Edgbaston	CON	3,245	1,138	4,383	16.2%	7.3%	12.3%
107	99			Birmingham Erdington	LAB	3,609	1,108	4,717	15.8%	6.5%	11.8%
199	161			Birmingham Hall Green	CON	3,120	1,043	4,163	12.6%	5.5%	9.6%
57	54			Birmingham Hodge Hill	LAB	4,115	1,128	5,243	18.9%	7.3%	14.1%
13	13			Birmingham Ladywood	LAB	5,498	1,643	7,141	25.4%	10.2%	18.9%
141	123			Birmingham Northfield	LAB	4,109	1,247	5,356	14.4%	5.8%	10.7%
87	81			Birmingham Perry Barr	LAB	4,172	1,290	5,462	16.2%	6.8%	12.2%
106	98			Birmingham Selly Oak	LAB	3,493	1,405	4,898	15.0%	7.8%	11.8%
9	9			Birmingham Small Heath	LAB	5,484	1,424	6,908	27.2%	10.9%	20.8%
20	20			Birmingham Sparkbrook	LAB	5,167	1,420	6,587	23.3%	10.2%	18.2%
186	153			Birmingham Yardley	LAB	2,539	886	3,425	12.7%	5.9%	9.7%
355	279			Bishop Auckland	LAB	2,568	657	3,225	9.8%	3.6%	7.3%
613	503			Blaby	CON	1,540	664	2,204	4.6%	2.7%	3.8%

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall
unemployment rate

GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	Party	Claimants			Rate		
					Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
253	203			LAB	3,347	751	4,098	12.5%	3.7%	8.7%
240	194			CON	2,315	586	2,901	13.1%	3.9%	8.9%
304	239			CON	2,151	562	2,713	11.4%	3.6%	7.9%
222		14		LAB	2,270	635	2,905	11.7%	5.1%	9.1%
293	230			LAB	2,657	779	3,436	11.0%	4.3%	8.1%
203	164			LAB	2,836	802	3,638	12.7%	5.0%	9.5%
197	159			LAB	2,959	824	3,783	12.3%	5.3%	9.6%
363	283			CON	2,252	649	2,901	9.8%	3.6%	7.1%
305	240			LAB	2,816	730	3,546	11.2%	3.7%	7.9%
507	406			CON	1,952	661	2,613	7.2%	3.2%	5.5%
435	342			CON	2,211	976	3,187	7.2%	4.9%	6.3%
63	59			LAB	4,976	1,270	6,246	18.4%	6.5%	13.4%
622	512			CON	1,359	686	2,045	4.2%	2.9%	3.7%
136	119			CON	3,577	1,156	4,733	15.1%	5.8%	10.9%
192	156			CON	2,876	805	3,681	13.6%	4.7%	9.6%
17	17			LAB	5,974	1,613	7,587	24.0%	10.1%	18.5%
88	82			LAB	4,218	1,286	5,504	16.5%	6.5%	12.2%
211	171			LAB	3,233	1,091	4,324	12.6%	5.3%	9.3%
46	45			LAB	5,016	1,516	6,532	19.5%	8.0%	14.6%
451	356			CON	2,356	923	3,279	7.6%	4.0%	6.1%
408		36		CON	1,262	593	1,855	6.9%	5.9%	6.6%
26	26			LAB	5,658	2,037	7,695	21.5%	10.5%	16.8%
183	151			CON	2,988	1,249	4,237	11.7%	7.1%	9.8%
35	35			LAB	5,439	1,852	7,291	20.6%	9.6%	15.9%
214	174			CON	2,966	1,218	4,184	11.2%	6.6%	9.3%
560	454			CON	1,582	546	2,128	6.0%	3.0%	4.7%
384		32		LAB	1,882	646	2,528	8.6%	4.4%	6.9%
298	235			CON	2,543	817	3,360	10.2%	4.8%	8.0%
292	229			CON	3,013	1,069	4,082	9.9%	5.4%	8.1%
290	228			CON	3,078	1,162	4,240	9.7%	5.7%	8.1%
45	44			CON	4,039	1,368	5,407	19.9%	8.3%	14.7%
43	42			CON	4,094	1,626	5,720	19.3%	9.2%	14.7%
117	108			LAB	3,420	1,125	4,545	16.3%	6.1%	11.5%
306	241			CON	3,042	1,007	4,049	10.8%	4.3%	7.9%
108	100			LAB	4,172	1,238	5,410	16.9%	5.9%	11.8%
56	53			CON	3,905	1,731	5,636	19.0%	9.0%	14.1%
463	368			CON	1,957	792	2,749	7.1%	4.2%	5.9%
425	332			CON	2,462	944	3,406	8.1%	4.1%	6.4%
454	359			CON	2,119	829	2,948	7.7%	3.9%	6.1%
632	522			CON	1,064	450	1,514	3.6%	2.1%	3.0%
444	349			LAB	2,064	533	2,597	8.8%	2.9%	6.2%
386	300			CON	2,422	849	3,271	8.6%	4.4%	6.9%
547	442			CON	1,692	620	2,312	6.5%	3.1%	5.0%
471	375			CON	1,815	739	2,554	7.5%	3.8%	5.9%
565	458			CON	1,915	834	2,749	5.6%	3.3%	4.7%
144		5		PC	1,995	574	2,569	13.2%	6.5%	10.7%
201		13		LAB	2,965	803	3,768	12.3%	5.2%	9.5%
158			18	LD	1,507	436	1,943	12.4%	6.6%	10.4%
488	388			CON	1,980	848	2,828	7.0%	3.9%	5.7%
280	224			LAB	2,306	874	3,180	11.8%	4.8%	8.4%
396	308			LAB	2,414	841	3,255	8.5%	4.3%	6.8%

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall unemployment rate				Party	Claimants			Rate			
GB	Eng	Wal	Sco		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
345	271			Canterbury	CON	2,664	858	3,522	10.0%	4.1%	7.4%
95		1		Cardiff Central	LAB	3,429	1,271	4,700	15.9%	7.4%	12.1%
361		29		Cardiff North	CON	1,709	515	2,224	9.7%	3.9%	7.2%
122		3		Cardiff South and Penarth	LAB	3,170	774	3,944	15.7%	5.3%	11.4%
96		2		Cardiff West	LAB	3,329	937	4,266	16.3%	6.1%	12.0%
312	245			Carlisle	LAB	2,110	670	2,780	10.5%	4.3%	7.8%
371		30		Carmarthen	LAB	1,963	755	2,718	8.3%	5.1%	7.1%
164			20	Carrick Cumnock and Doon Valley	LAB	2,625	811	3,436	13.4%	5.8%	10.2%
353	277			Carshalton and Wallington	CON	2,411	827	3,238	9.1%	4.6%	7.3%
392	306			Castle Point	CON	2,263	795	3,058	8.5%	4.4%	6.8%
150			15	Central Fife	LAB	2,637	983	3,620	13.0%	7.1%	10.6%
555	450			Central Suffolk	CON	1,854	722	2,576	6.0%	3.3%	4.9%
264		18		Ceredigion and Pembroke North	PC	1,920	897	2,817	9.5%	7.0%	8.6%
617	507			Cheadle	CON	1,189	526	1,715	4.4%	2.7%	3.7%
533	429			Chelmsford	CON	2,140	885	3,025	6.3%	3.6%	5.2%
139	121			Chelsea	CON	2,187	1,079	3,266	13.6%	7.5%	10.8%
314	247			Cheltenham	LD	2,889	981	3,870	10.7%	4.3%	7.8%
576	468			Chertsey and Walton	CON	1,576	598	2,174	5.7%	2.9%	4.5%
616	506			Chesham and Amersham	CON	1,318	451	1,769	4.7%	2.3%	3.7%
204	165			Chesterfield	LAB	3,325	964	4,289	12.4%	5.2%	9.5%
601	491			Chichester	CON	1,554	553	2,107	5.1%	2.5%	4.0%
261	209			Chingford	CON	2,207	855	3,062	10.4%	6.0%	8.6%
399	310			Chipping Barnet	CON	1,848	758	2,606	8.0%	4.8%	6.7%
410	317			Chislehurst	CON	1,660	595	2,255	8.0%	4.4%	6.6%
546	441			Chorley	CON	1,988	698	2,686	6.3%	3.1%	5.0%
539	434			Christchurch	LD	1,407	468	1,875	6.5%	3.0%	5.1%
588	480			Cirencester and Tewkesbury	CON	1,640	684	2,324	5.1%	2.9%	4.1%
309	243			City of Chester	CON	2,468	731	3,199	10.6%	4.2%	7.8%
321	252			City of Durham	LAB	2,216	817	3,033	9.8%	4.9%	7.7%
225			29	Clackmannan	LAB	2,113	710	2,823	11.6%	5.5%	9.1%
243		16		Clwyd North West	CON	2,525	734	3,259	11.7%	4.8%	8.8%
357		27		Clwyd South West	LAB	1,696	683	2,379	8.3%	5.5%	7.2%
166			21	Clydebank and Milngavie	LAB	2,382	722	3,104	14.1%	5.3%	10.2%
366			52	Clydesdale	LAB	2,128	696	2,824	9.0%	4.3%	7.1%
403	314			Colne Valley	CON	2,137	818	2,955	8.3%	4.3%	6.6%
580	472			Congleton	CON	1,383	661	2,044	5.0%	3.4%	4.3%
146		6		Conwy	CON	2,341	767	3,108	13.6%	6.4%	10.7%
152	129			Copeland	LAB	2,881	779	3,660	13.4%	5.9%	10.6%
376	293			Corby	CON	2,233	735	2,968	9.2%	4.1%	7.0%
133	117			Coventry North East	LAB	3,652	1,159	4,811	14.2%	6.4%	10.9%
251	201			Coventry North West	LAB	2,119	796	2,915	10.9%	5.7%	8.7%
118	109			Coventry South East	LAB	2,830	855	3,685	15.2%	6.4%	11.5%
382	298			Coventry South West	CON	1,948	836	2,784	8.3%	5.0%	6.9%
573	465			Crawley	CON	1,922	687	2,609	5.7%	2.9%	4.5%
325	255			Crewe and Nantwich	LAB	2,493	929	3,422	9.5%	5.1%	7.7%
401	312			Crosby	CON	2,593	1,134	3,727	8.0%	4.8%	6.6%
196	158			Croydon Central	CON	2,767	868	3,635	12.1%	5.8%	9.6%
127	114			Croydon North East	CON	3,585	1,314	4,899	13.8%	7.4%	11.2%
89	83			Croydon North West	LAB	3,554	1,232	4,786	15.2%	7.7%	12.2%
523	420			Croydon South	CON	1,696	620	2,316	6.3%	3.7%	5.3%
343			48	Cumbernauld and Kilsyth	LAB	1,685	679	2,364	9.5%	4.9%	7.4%

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall
unemployment rate

Rank	GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	Party	Claimants			Rate			
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
185				22	Cunninghame North	LAB	2,342	817	3,159	12.3%	6.2%	9.8%
129				11	Cunninghame South	LAB	2,547	921	3,468	14.1%	6.9%	11.0%
165			11		Cynon Valley	LAB	2,238	555	2,793	14.0%	4.9%	10.2%
188	154				Dagenham	LAB	2,784	822	3,606	12.2%	5.7%	9.7%
217	176				Darlington	LAB	3,156	824	3,980	12.7%	4.6%	9.3%
407	316				Dartford	CON	2,552	849	3,401	8.5%	3.9%	6.6%
590	482				Daventry	CON	1,356	656	2,012	4.6%	3.4%	4.1%
443	348				Davyhulme	CON	2,034	643	2,677	8.2%	3.5%	6.2%
393			34		Delyn	LAB	1,870	636	2,506	8.2%	4.5%	6.8%
383	299				Denton and Reddish	LAB	2,495	766	3,261	9.3%	3.8%	6.9%
223	181				Derby North	CON	3,064	1,043	4,107	11.6%	5.6%	9.1%
47	46				Derby South	LAB	4,666	1,387	6,053	19.0%	8.1%	14.5%
599	489				Devizes	CON	1,756	779	2,535	5.1%	2.8%	4.1%
378	294				Dewsbury	LAB	2,675	875	3,550	9.2%	4.1%	7.0%
235	189				Don Valley	LAB	3,362	1004	4,366	11.5%	5.1%	9.0%
90	84				Doncaster Central	LAB	4,208	1,149	5,357	16.3%	6.3%	12.2%
132	116				Doncaster North	LAB	3,975	1,079	5,054	14.2%	5.9%	11.0%
255	204				Dover	CON	3,040	881	3,921	11.4%	4.7%	8.7%
175	143				Dudley East	LAB	3,567	1,203	4,770	12.6%	6.3%	10.0%
427	334				Dudley West	LAB	2,786	1,077	3,863	7.8%	4.4%	6.4%
48	47				Dulwich	LAB	3,683	1,396	5,079	18.3%	9.3%	14.5%
187			23		Dumbarton	LAB	2,712	971	3,683	12.4%	6.0%	9.7%
342			47		Dumfries	CON	2,032	832	2,864	8.8%	5.4%	7.4%
124			9		Dundee East	LAB	3,188	1053	4,241	15.2%	6.4%	11.3%
159			19		Dundee West	LAB	2,970	993	3,963	14.3%	5.6%	10.3%
205			27		Dunfermline East	LAB	2,369	770	3,139	11.8%	5.8%	9.4%
318			45		Dunfermline West	LAB	1,906	714	2,620	9.5%	5.2%	7.8%
212	172				Ealing Acton	CON	3,355	1,380	4,735	11.5%	6.4%	9.3%
267	214				Ealing North	CON	3,263	1,134	4,397	10.7%	5.4%	8.5%
198	160				Ealing Southall	LAB	3,937	1,371	5,308	12.0%	6.0%	9.6%
249	199				Easington	LAB	2,628	625	3,253	11.7%	4.2%	8.8%
589	481				East Berkshire	CON	2,080	721	2,801	5.4%	2.4%	4.1%
623	513				East Hampshire	CON	1,689	640	2,329	4.4%	2.4%	3.6%
362			51		East Kilbride	LAB	2,213	896	3,109	8.9%	4.8%	7.1%
430	337				East Lindsey	CON	2,242	751	2,993	7.7%	4.2%	6.3%
495			64		East Lothian	LAB	1,804	560	2,364	7.6%	3.0%	5.6%
607	497				East Surrey	CON	1,125	398	1,523	5.0%	2.4%	3.9%
338	267				Eastbourne	CON	2,281	775	3,056	10.4%	4.1%	7.5%
529	426				Eastleigh	LD	2,392	808	3,200	6.8%	3.1%	5.2%
470			60		Eastwood	CON	1,683	799	2,482	6.9%	4.4%	5.9%
365	285				Eccles	LAB	2,352	651	3,003	9.9%	3.5%	7.1%
486	386				Eddisbury	CON	1,885	760	2,645	6.6%	4.2%	5.7%
138			14		Edinburgh Central	LAB	2,665	1065	3,730	14.6%	6.5%	10.8%
274			37		Edinburgh East	LAB	1,933	551	2,484	12.1%	4.2%	8.5%
130			12		Edinburgh Leith	LAB	3,189	981	4,170	15.5%	5.7%	11.0%
404			55		Edinburgh Pentlands	CON	1,815	605	2,420	8.9%	3.7%	6.6%
289			41		Edinburgh South	LAB	2,174	756	2,930	11.3%	4.6%	8.2%
561			69		Edinburgh West	CON	1,340	418	1,758	6.5%	2.5%	4.7%
97	89				Edmonton	CON	3,913	1,381	5,294	14.7%	7.8%	12.0%
380	296				Ellesmere Port and Neston	LAB	2,487	783	3,270	9.0%	4.1%	7.0%
512	410				Elmet	CON	1,874	688	2,562	6.8%	3.5%	5.4%

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall
unemployment rate

Rank	unemployment rate			Party	Claimants			Rate			
	GB	Eng	Wal		Sco	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
160	132			Eltham	CON	2,611	852	3,463	13.0%	6.3%	10.3%
228	183			Enfield North	CON	3,123	1,151	4,274	11.0%	6.1%	9.1%
239	193			Enfield Southgate	CON	2,554	1,038	3,592	10.6%	6.4%	8.9%
374	292			Epping Forest	CON	2,203	904	3,107	8.5%	5.0%	7.0%
583	475			Epsom and Ewell	CON	1,472	529	2,001	5.7%	2.5%	4.3%
372	290			Erewash	CON	2,794	834	3,628	9.2%	3.9%	7.0%
180	148			Erith and Crayford	CON	2,979	990	3,969	12.1%	6.4%	9.9%
602	492			Esher	CON	1,098	444	1,542	5.0%	2.7%	4.0%
273	219			Exeter	CON	2,971	1,011	3,982	11.5%	4.9%	8.5%
291			42	Falkirk East	LAB	2,078	659	2,737	10.3%	4.9%	8.1%
322			46	Falkirk West	LAB	1,862	624	2,486	9.7%	4.8%	7.7%
76	72			Falmouth and Camborne	CON	3,594	1,117	4,711	15.9%	7.6%	12.6%
564	457			Fareham	CON	1,858	689	2,547	5.9%	3.0%	4.7%
258	206			Faversham	CON	3,594	1,221	4,815	10.3%	5.8%	8.6%
191	155			Feltham and Heston	LAB	3,630	1,322	4,952	11.7%	6.5%	9.6%
331	260			Finchley	CON	2,029	897	2,926	9.0%	5.6%	7.6%
168	136			Folkestone and Hythe	CON	3,409	916	4,325	13.8%	5.2%	10.2%
101	93			Fulham	CON	3,335	1,535	4,870	15.3%	8.0%	11.9%
628	518			Fylde	CON	994	360	1,354	4.3%	2.1%	3.4%
413	320			Gainsborough and Horncastle	CON	2,003	832	2,835	7.5%	5.1%	6.5%
268			36	Galloway and Upper Nithsdale	CON	1,948	765	2,713	9.5%	6.7%	8.5%
210	170			Gateshead East	LAB	3,161	812	3,973	13.3%	4.3%	9.4%
419	326			Gedling	CON	2,231	897	3,128	8.2%	4.3%	6.5%
278	222			Gillingham	CON	3,041	1,089	4,130	11.0%	5.1%	8.4%
288	227			Glanford and Scunthorpe	LAB	2,751	852	3,603	10.2%	4.9%	8.2%
281			39	Glasgow Cathcart	LAB	1,779	608	2,387	11.1%	4.9%	8.4%
40			1	Glasgow Central	LAB	3,352	968	4,320	20.7%	7.8%	15.1%
110			7	Glasgow Garscadden	LAB	2,436	602	3,038	17.0%	5.2%	11.8%
125			10	Glasgow Govan	LAB	2,455	735	3,190	15.5%	5.9%	11.3%
79			5	Glasgow Hillhead	LAB	3,006	1,281	4,287	16.0%	8.2%	12.5%
51			3	Glasgow Maryhill	LAB	3,324	1,188	4,512	18.7%	8.7%	14.3%
123			8	Glasgow Pollock	LAB	2,805	780	3,585	15.6%	5.7%	11.4%
61			4	Glasgow Provan	LAB	2,891	693	3,584	19.2%	6.3%	13.7%
194			25	Glasgow Rutherglen	LAB	2,547	748	3,295	13.0%	5.0%	9.6%
154			17	Glasgow Shettleston	LAB	2,631	713	3,344	14.4%	5.2%	10.5%
50			2	Glasgow Springburn	LAB	3,424	945	4,369	20.2%	7.1%	14.5%
272	218			Gloucester	CON	3,292	1,017	4,309	11.6%	4.6%	8.5%
595			72	Gordon	LD	1,341	679	2,020	4.4%	3.6%	4.1%
528	425			Gosport	CON	1,832	732	2,564	6.5%	3.6%	5.3%
377		31		Gower	LAB	1,664	639	2,303	8.4%	4.9%	7.0%
479	381			Grantham	CON	2,138	939	3,077	6.7%	4.4%	5.8%
230	185			Gravesham	CON	3,236	1,023	4,259	11.5%	5.4%	9.0%
84	78			Great Grimsby	LAB	4,081	1,118	5,199	15.9%	6.8%	12.4%
182	150			Great Yarmouth	CON	3,276	974	4,250	13.2%	5.3%	9.8%
302			43	Greenock and Port Glasgow	LAB	2,275	565	2,840	10.9%	3.8%	7.9%
60	57			Greenwich	LAB	3,142	1,206	4,348	17.1%	9.1%	13.8%
596	486			Guildford	CON	1,410	544	1,954	5.3%	2.6%	4.1%
2	2			Hackney North and Stoke Newington	LAB	7,469	2,780	10,249	28.3%	15.1%	22.9%
4	4			Hackney South and Shoreditch	LAB	7,481	2,533	10,014	27.8%	13.0%	21.6%
424	331			Halesowen and Stourbridge	CON	2,303	999	3,302	7.5%	4.7%	6.4%
276	220			Halifax	LAB	3,196	988	4,184	11.6%	4.5%	8.5%

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall
unemployment rate

Rank	GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	Constituency	Party	Claimants			Rate		
							Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
171	139				Halton	LAB	3,672	1,132	4,804	13.1%	5.8%	10.0%
275			38		Hamilton	LAB	2,609	876	3,485	11.0%	5.1%	8.5%
34	34				Hammersmith	LAB	4,409	1,712	6,121	21.3%	10.0%	16.2%
71	67				Hampstead and Highgate	LAB	3,666	1,911	5,577	15.7%	9.6%	12.9%
612	502				Harborough	CON	1,372	609	1,981	4.6%	2.7%	3.8%
347	273				Harlow	CON	2,536	953	3,489	9.2%	4.8%	7.3%
537	432				Harrogate	CON	1,732	771	2,503	6.1%	3.7%	5.1%
320	251				Harrow East	CON	2,866	1,137	4,003	9.3%	5.4%	7.7%
426	333				Harrow West	CON	2,118	840	2,958	7.7%	4.5%	6.4%
72	68				Hartlepool	LAB	4,359	1,033	5,392	17.4%	6.0%	12.8%
207	167				Harwich	CON	3,227	899	4,126	12.4%	5.0%	9.4%
121	112				Hastings and Rye	CON	3,989	1,195	5,184	15.7%	6.0%	11.4%
334	263				Havant	CON	2,941	833	3,774	10.3%	4.0%	7.6%
308	242				Hayes and Harlington	CON	2,309	805	3,114	9.9%	5.0%	7.9%
571	463				Hazel Grove	CON	1,431	570	2,001	5.7%	3.1%	4.6%
277	221				Hemsworth	LAB	2,443	774	3,217	10.7%	5.1%	8.5%
279	223				Hendon North	CON	2,243	831	3,074	10.3%	5.6%	8.4%
234	188				Hendon South	CON	2,194	906	3,100	10.7%	6.4%	9.0%
619	509				Henley	CON	1,186	469	1,655	4.6%	2.4%	3.7%
367	286				Hereford	CON	2,096	935	3,031	8.2%	5.4%	7.1%
586	478				Hertford and Stortford	CON	1,636	703	2,339	5.1%	3.0%	4.2%
534	430				Hertsmere	CON	1,962	717	2,679	6.8%	3.1%	5.1%
515	413				Hexham	CON	1,278	574	1,852	6.1%	4.3%	5.4%
270	216				Heywood and Middleton	LAB	2,633	837	3,470	11.5%	4.7%	8.5%
494	394				High Peak	CON	1,858	741	2,599	6.8%	3.9%	5.6%
31	31				Holborn and St. Pancras	LAB	5,455	2,151	7,606	21.7%	10.0%	16.3%
474	377				Holland with Boston	CON*	1,748	635	2,383	7.1%	3.9%	5.8%
527	424				Honiton	CON	1,584	593	2,177	6.8%	3.3%	5.3%
459	364				Hornchurch	CON	1,836	603	2,439	7.3%	3.9%	6.0%
33	33				Hornsey and Wood Green	LAB	5,733	2,470	8,203	19.7%	11.5%	16.2%
606	496				Horsham	CON	1,580	558	2,138	4.9%	2.5%	3.9%
219	178				Houghton and Washington	LAB	3,621	1,086	4,707	11.9%	5.2%	9.2%
98	90				Hove	CON	3,680	1,433	5,113	15.4%	7.6%	12.0%
167	135				Huddersfield	LAB	3,096	1,123	4,219	13.2%	6.3%	10.2%
603	493				Huntingdon	CON	1,940	913	2,853	4.7%	3.0%	4.0%
575	467				Hyndburn	LAB	1,370	406	1,776	6.1%	2.3%	4.5%
336	265				Ilford North	CON	2,145	791	2,936	9.2%	5.1%	7.6%
111	102				Ilford South	LAB	3,409	1,187	4,596	14.5%	7.6%	11.7%
190			24		Inverness Nairn and Lochaber	LD	3,174	921	4,095	12.3%	5.6%	9.7%
252	202				Ipswich	LAB	2,902	859	3,761	12.0%	4.5%	8.7%
221	180				Isle of Wight	CON	3,854	1,225	5,079	11.1%	5.8%	9.1%
12	12				Islington North	LAB	6,084	2,580	8,664	24.6%	13.3%	19.6%
30	30				Islington South and Finsbury	LAB	4,771	1,988	6,759	20.4%	11.0%	16.3%
385		33			Islwyn	LAB	1,552	526	2,078	8.5%	4.4%	6.9%
112	103				Jarrow	LAB	3,536	900	4,436	15.5%	5.9%	11.7%
364	284				Keighley	CON	2,083	932	3,015	8.7%	5.0%	7.1%
42	41				Kensington	CON	3,104	1,501	4,605	18.4%	10.6%	14.9%
477	380				Kettering	CON	1,785	758	2,543	7.0%	4.1%	5.8%
195			26		Kilmarnock and Loudoun	LAB	2,744	1,055	3,799	12.0%	6.3%	9.6%
593			71		Kincardine and Deeside	CON	1,171	504	1,675	4.7%	3.2%	4.1%
53	50				Kingston-upon-Hull East	LAB	4,025	1,038	5,063	18.7%	7.5%	14.3%

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall
unemployment rate

GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	Party	Claimants			Rate		
					Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
58	55			LAB	4,836	1,352	6,188	18.6%	7.5%	14.1%
21	21			LAB	4,347	1,364	5,711	22.8%	10.8%	18.0%
381	297			CON	1,864	715	2,579	8.3%	4.9%	6.9%
373	291			LAB	2,630	894	3,524	9.6%	4.0%	7.0%
134			13	LAB	2,654	943	3,597	14.0%	6.7%	10.9%
73	69			LAB	3,381	883	4,264	17.4%	6.2%	12.7%
100	92			LAB	4,007	1,079	5,086	16.4%	5.9%	11.9%
368	287			CON	1,803	702	2,505	9.0%	4.6%	7.1%
137	120			CON	4,152	1,226	5,378	13.7%	6.4%	10.8%
32	32			LAB	4,541	1,291	5,832	22.6%	8.2%	16.3%
68	64			LAB	3,994	1,075	5,069	18.2%	6.4%	13.1%
262	210			CON	2,630	953	3,583	11.3%	5.2%	8.6%
344	270			CON	2,118	880	2,998	9.4%	4.9%	7.4%
209	169			LAB	3,095	941	4,036	12.9%	4.9%	9.4%
156	130			LAB	3,392	1,240	4,632	13.6%	6.4%	10.4%
104	96			LAB	4,150	1,342	5,492	15.8%	6.7%	11.9%
78	74			LAB	4,456	1,318	5,774	17.2%	6.5%	12.5%
402	313			LAB	2,393	664	3,057	8.9%	3.4%	6.6%
490	390			CON	1,620	726	2,346	6.4%	4.4%	5.6%
452	357			CON	2,122	718	2,840	8.0%	3.6%	6.1%
10	10			LAB	5,814	2,015	7,829	27.0%	12.4%	20.7%
65	61			LAB	3,612	1,232	4,844	17.1%	8.1%	13.3%
44	43			LAB	4,418	1,498	5,916	19.0%	8.9%	14.7%
25	25			LAB	4,996	1,619	6,615	22.1%	10.2%	17.2%
145	126			CON	4,037	1,300	5,337	13.2%	6.7%	10.7%
439			59	LAB	1,983	646	2,629	8.1%	3.6%	6.2%
517	415			LD	1,760	755	2,515	6.7%	3.7%	5.4%
39	39			LAB	4,374	1,291	5,665	20.7%	7.8%	15.1%
105	97			LAB	3,266	978	4,244	15.9%	6.4%	11.8%
55	52			LD	3,714	1,294	5,008	18.9%	8.3%	14.2%
3	3			LAB	4,893	1,400	6,293	29.8%	11.1%	21.7%
52	49			LAB	5,105	1,349	6,454	20.1%	6.9%	14.3%
49	48			LAB	4,028	1,097	5,125	19.8%	7.3%	14.5%
409			57	LAB	2,039	708	2,747	8.4%	4.1%	6.6%
287		21		LAB	2,114	772	2,886	9.9%	5.6%	8.2%
441	346			CON	2,108	946	3,054	7.6%	4.4%	6.2%
509	408			CON	1,608	700	2,308	6.0%	4.4%	5.4%
179	147			CON	4,047	1,147	5,194	13.1%	5.3%	9.9%
605	495			CON	1,512	508	2,020	5.1%	2.3%	3.9%
449	354			CON	2,324	789	3,113	7.8%	3.7%	6.1%
460	365			LAB	2,160	750	2,910	7.5%	3.8%	6.0%
115	106			LAB	3,405	965	4,370	16.3%	5.8%	11.6%
19	19			LAB	5,390	1,405	6,795	26.0%	8.7%	18.4%
28	28			LAB	4,081	1,228	5,309	22.4%	8.7%	16.5%
70	66			LAB	4,147	1,549	5,696	17.1%	7.8%	12.9%
116	107			LAB	3,300	861	4,161	16.4%	5.4%	11.6%
200	162			LAB	3,121	911	4,032	12.6%	5.2%	9.5%
266	213			CON	2,874	963	3,837	10.8%	5.2%	8.6%
254		17		PC	1,090	414	1,504	9.9%	6.5%	8.7%
315	248			CON	3,169	1,128	4,297	9.7%	5.0%	7.8%
162		10		LAB	2,683	672	3,355	14.0%	5.0%	10.3%

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall
unemployment rate

GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	Party	Claimants			Rate			
					Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
545	440			Mid Bedfordshire	CON	2,157	966	3,123	5.9%	3.7%	5.0%
360	282			Mid Kent	CON	2,834	998	3,832	8.9%	4.7%	7.2%
503	402			Mid Norfolk	CON	1,877	802	2,679	6.6%	3.9%	5.5%
535	431			Mid Staffordshire	CON	1,819	709	2,528	6.3%	3.4%	5.1%
597	487			Mid Sussex	CON	1,440	571	2,011	5.0%	2.8%	4.1%
423	330			Mid Worcestershire	CON	2,646	1,079	3,725	7.6%	4.6%	6.4%
23	23			Middlesbrough	LAB	5,285	1,191	6,476	23.8%	8.0%	17.5%
485			63	Midlothian	LAB	1,855	603	2,458	7.6%	3.2%	5.7%
462	367			Milton Keynes North-East	CON	2,054	700	2,754	7.5%	3.7%	5.9%
379	295			Milton Keynes South-West	CON	2,501	849	3,350	8.9%	4.3%	7.0%
120	111			Mitcham and Morden	CON	3,501	1,232	4,733	14.2%	7.3%	11.4%
624	514			Mole Valley	CON	1,116	363	1,479	4.6%	2.0%	3.5%
245			33	Monklands East	LAB	2,194	659	2,853	11.5%	5.0%	8.8%
348			49	Monklands West	LAB	1,861	626	2,487	9.5%	4.4%	7.3%
480		37		Monmouth	CON	1,524	645	2,169	6.7%	4.3%	5.8%
557		38		Montgomery	LD	775	368	1,143	5.1%	4.4%	4.8%
349			50	Moray	SNP	2,037	929	2,966	7.8%	6.5%	7.3%
247	197			Morecambe and Lunesdale	CON	2,122	650	2,772	11.6%	4.9%	8.8%
335	264			Morley and Leeds South	LAB	2,310	741	3,051	10.1%	4.3%	7.6%
242			32	Motherwell North	LAB	2,584	721	3,305	11.8%	4.7%	8.8%
227			30	Motherwell South	LAB	2,285	673	2,958	12.0%	5.0%	9.1%
311		23		Neath	LAB	1,885	508	2,393	10.3%	4.2%	7.8%
541	436			New Forest	CON	1,633	530	2,163	6.5%	3.0%	5.0%
323	253			Newark	CON	2,445	929	3,374	9.3%	5.3%	7.7%
610	500			Newbury	LD	1,547	645	2,192	4.6%	2.7%	3.8%
431	338			Newcastle-under-Lyme	LAB	1,861	698	2,559	7.9%	4.2%	6.3%
86	80			Newcastle-upon-Tyne Central	LAB	3,417	1,163	4,580	16.5%	7.0%	12.3%
36	36			Newcastle-upon-Tyne East	LAB	4,144	1,238	5,382	21.4%	8.1%	15.5%
231	186			Newcastle-upon-Tyne North	LAB	3,139	881	4,020	12.6%	4.5%	9.0%
27	27			Newham North East	LAB	4,912	1,397	6,309	21.2%	9.5%	16.6%
6	6			Newham North West	LAB	4,747	1,451	6,198	27.2%	12.3%	21.2%
18	18			Newham South	LAB	4,535	1,339	5,874	23.4%	10.8%	18.5%
189		12		Newport East	LAB	2,390	837	3,227	11.8%	6.3%	9.7%
131		4		Newport West	LAB	2,743	958	3,701	13.8%	6.9%	11.0%
466	371			Normanton	LAB	1,834	725	2,559	7.3%	3.9%	5.9%
337	266			North Bedfordshire	CON	2,968	1,070	4,038	9.5%	4.9%	7.6%
447	352			North Colchester	CON	2,543	936	3,479	7.8%	3.9%	6.1%
257	205			North Cornwall	LD	2,751	939	3,690	10.3%	5.9%	8.7%
359	281			North Devon	LD	2,365	740	3,105	9.5%	4.1%	7.2%
614	504			North Dorset	CON	1,230	536	1,766	4.4%	2.7%	3.7%
295	232			North Durham	LAB	2,937	752	3,689	11.0%	3.9%	8.1%
416	323			North East Cambridgeshire	CON	2,366	1,018	3,384	8.0%	4.5%	6.5%
294	231			North East Derbyshire	LAB	2,713	912	3,625	9.9%	5.2%	8.1%
437			58	North East Fife	LD	1,271	614	1,885	7.0%	5.1%	6.3%
473	376			North Hertfordshire	CON	2,405	865	3,270	7.5%	3.7%	5.8%
412	319			North Luton	CON	2,657	922	3,579	8.3%	4.0%	6.5%
461	366			North Norfolk	CON	1,903	656	2,559	7.7%	3.6%	6.0%
519	417			North Shropshire	CON	1,846	787	2,633	6.1%	4.1%	5.4%
478			62	North Tayside	CON	1,331	602	1,933	6.6%	4.5%	5.8%
102	94			North Thanet	CON	3,757	1,029	4,786	16.3%	6.0%	11.9%
476	379			North Warwickshire	LAB	1,957	770	2,727	6.9%	4.1%	5.8%

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall
unemployment rate

GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	Party	Claimants			Rate			
					Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
229	184			North West Durham	LAB	2,506	721	3,227	11.7%	5.1%	9.1%
631	521			North West Hampshire	CON	1,108	449	1,557	3.6%	2.1%	3.0%
502	401			North West Leicestershire	CON	1,891	706	2,597	6.7%	3.7%	5.5%
436	343			North West Norfolk	CON	2,290	788	3,078	7.8%	4.0%	6.3%
629	519			North West Surrey	CON	1,405	545	1,950	4.0%	2.2%	3.3%
551	446			North Wiltshire	CON	2,062	872	2,934	6.3%	3.3%	4.9%
351	275			Northampton North	CON	2,606	953	3,559	9.3%	4.6%	7.3%
417	324			Northampton South	CON	2,617	1018	3,635	8.0%	4.4%	6.5%
559	453			Northavon	CON	2,022	863	2,885	5.8%	3.5%	4.8%
317	250			Norwich North	CON	2,319	847	3,166	10.2%	4.7%	7.8%
74	70			Norwich South	LAB	3,522	1,167	4,689	17.9%	6.7%	12.7%
8	8			Norwood	LAB	5,750	2,144	7,894	26.4%	13.5%	20.9%
16	16			Nottingham East	LAB	6,117	1,911	8,028	24.8%	10.3%	18.6%
81	76			Nottingham North	LAB	4,336	958	5,294	17.5%	5.3%	12.4%
113	104			Nottingham South	LAB	4,018	1,207	5,225	15.7%	6.3%	11.7%
414	321			Nuneaton	LAB	2,228	807	3,035	8.0%	4.4%	6.5%
339		26		Ogmore	LAB	1,867	537	2,404	9.6%	4.3%	7.5%
508	407			Old Bexley and Sidcup	CON	1,282	518	1,800	6.4%	3.9%	5.4%
238	192			Oldham Central and Royton	LAB	3,042	849	3,891	12.4%	4.4%	8.9%
352	276			Oldham West	LAB	2,151	704	2,855	9.8%	4.1%	7.3%
567			70	Orkney and Shetland	LD	628	253	881	5.2%	3.7%	4.6%
497	396			Orpington	CON	1,571	539	2,110	6.8%	3.7%	5.6%
263	211			Oxford East	LAB	2,770	928	3,698	12.0%	4.7%	8.6%
570	462			Oxford West and Abingdon	CON	1,434	601	2,035	5.9%	3.0%	4.6%
153			16	Paisley North	LAB	2,437	808	3,245	14.0%	6.0%	10.5%
232			31	Paisley South	LAB	2,120	732	2,852	11.8%	5.3%	9.0%
7	7			Peckham	LAB	5,847	2,067	7,914	26.7%	13.2%	21.1%
147		7		Pembroke	LAB	3,496	1,069	4,565	12.9%	6.8%	10.7%
499	398			Pendle	LAB	1,748	518	2,266	7.5%	2.9%	5.5%
569	461			Penrith and the Borders	CON	1,439	645	2,084	5.2%	3.7%	4.6%
406			56	Perth and Kinross	SNP	1,937	746	2,683	8.2%	4.3%	6.6%
220	179			Peterborough	CON	4,260	1,348	5,608	12.4%	5.0%	9.1%
193	157			Plymouth Devonport	LAB	3,377	1,122	4,499	12.2%	5.9%	9.6%
29	29			Plymouth Drake	CON	3,980	1,416	5,396	22.0%	9.6%	16.4%
324	254			Plymouth Sutton	CON	2,466	1013	3,479	9.5%	5.3%	7.7%
301	237			Pontefract and Castleford	LAB	2,533	694	3,227	10.6%	4.2%	8.0%
330		25		Pontypridd	LAB	2,272	722	2,994	9.7%	4.6%	7.6%
434	341			Poole	CON	2,612	798	3,410	8.4%	3.5%	6.3%
299	236			Portsmouth North	CON	2,864	892	3,756	10.7%	4.4%	8.0%
92	86			Portsmouth South	CON	4,597	1,394	5,991	16.6%	6.4%	12.1%
119	110			Preston	LAB	3,566	1032	4,598	15.7%	5.9%	11.5%
577	469			Pudsey	CON	1,502	670	2,172	5.5%	3.2%	4.5%
206	166			Putney	CON	2,740	1,134	3,874	11.5%	6.6%	9.4%
513	411			Ravensbourne	CON	1,494	542	2,036	6.5%	3.7%	5.4%
418	325			Reading East	CON	2,540	847	3,387	8.5%	3.8%	6.5%
498	397			Reading West	CON	2,157	615	2,772	7.6%	2.9%	5.6%
64	60			Redcar	LAB	4,066	1,062	5,128	17.5%	7.0%	13.3%
584	476			Reigate	CON	1,525	494	2,019	5.7%	2.4%	4.3%
511			65	Renfrew West and Inverclyde	LAB	1,403	597	2,000	6.5%	3.9%	5.4%
224		15		Rhondda	LAB	2,365	549	2,914	12.3%	4.3%	9.1%
633	523			Ribble Valley	CON	890	388	1,278	3.6%	2.1%	3.0%

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall
unemployment rate

GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	Party	Claimants			Rate			
					Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
563	456			Richmond	CON	1,723	1007	2,730	4.8%	4.5%	4.7%
448	353			Richmond-upon-Thames and Barnes	CON	1,585	754	2,339	7.2%	4.7%	6.1%
248	198			Rochdale	LD	3,172	982	4,154	11.7%	4.8%	8.8%
505	404			Rochford	CON	2,093	767	2,860	6.8%	3.6%	5.5%
405	315			Romford	CON	1,769	574	2,343	8.0%	4.2%	6.6%
594	485			Romsey and Waterside	CON	1,709	627	2,336	5.0%	2.7%	4.1%
215			28	Ross Cromarty and Skye	LD	2,338	728	3,066	10.9%	6.4%	9.3%
566	459			Rossendale and Darwen	LAB	1,728	623	2,351	6.0%	2.8%	4.6%
250	200			Rother Valley	LAB	2,885	968	3,853	10.9%	5.5%	8.7%
109	101			Rotherham	LAB	3,572	945	4,517	15.7%	6.1%	11.8%
536			68	Roxburgh and Berwickshire	LD	968	385	1,353	6.0%	3.7%	5.1%
504	403			Rugby and Kenilworth	CON	1,883	836	2,719	6.3%	4.2%	5.5%
542	437			Ruislip - Northwood	CON	1,286	474	1,760	6.2%	3.3%	5.0%
457	362			Rushcliffe	CON	2,248	873	3,121	7.3%	4.2%	6.0%
615	505			Rutland and Melton	CON	1,397	659	2,056	4.3%	2.9%	3.7%
587	479			Ryedale	CON	1,514	688	2,202	4.8%	3.3%	4.2%
556	451			Saffron Walden	CON	1,687	716	2,403	5.7%	3.6%	4.9%
83	77			Salford East	LAB	3,658	935	4,593	17.4%	5.8%	12.4%
543	438			Salisbury	CON	1,817	715	2,532	6.4%	3.2%	5.0%
269	215			Scarborough	CON	2,723	944	3,667	10.6%	5.5%	8.5%
400	311			Sedgefield	LAB	2,004	545	2,549	8.8%	3.5%	6.7%
496	395			Selby	CON	1,907	746	2,653	6.6%	4.0%	5.6%
552	447			Sevenoaks	CON	1,721	553	2,274	6.2%	3.0%	4.9%
236	190			Sheffield Attercliffe	LAB	2,867	888	3,755	11.6%	5.1%	8.9%
77	73			Sheffield Brightside	LAB	4,019	989	5,008	17.3%	6.0%	12.6%
15	15			Sheffield Central	LAB	5,216	1,547	6,763	25.4%	10.1%	18.9%
313	246			Sheffield Hallam	CON	2,340	1121	3,461	9.2%	5.9%	7.8%
148	127			Sheffield Heeley	LAB	3,545	1,115	4,660	14.1%	6.0%	10.6%
332	261			Sheffield Hillsborough	LAB	2,768	1,066	3,834	9.5%	5.0%	7.6%
316	249			Sherwood	LAB	2,835	848	3,683	10.0%	4.4%	7.8%
481	382			Shipley	CON	1,766	779	2,545	7.2%	4.0%	5.8%
525	422			Shoreham	CON	1,588	513	2,101	7.2%	2.9%	5.3%
453	358			Shrewsbury and Atcham	CON	1,926	724	2,650	7.4%	4.1%	6.1%
591	483			Skipton and Ripon	CON	1,295	656	1,951	4.7%	3.3%	4.1%
296	233			Slough	CON	3,424	1,093	4,517	10.6%	4.6%	8.1%
574	466			Solihull	CON	1,654	748	2,402	5.3%	3.4%	4.5%
491	391			Somerton and Frome	CON	1,722	741	2,463	6.5%	4.2%	5.6%
438	344			South Colchester and Maldon	CON	2,685	990	3,675	7.7%	4.1%	6.2%
492	392			South Derbyshire	CON	2,220	803	3,023	6.8%	3.8%	5.6%
397	309			South Dorset	CON	2,453	783	3,236	8.6%	4.0%	6.8%
626	516			South East Cambridgeshire	CON	1,285	626	1,911	4.0%	2.7%	3.5%
284	226			South East Cornwall	CON	2,516	892	3,408	10.1%	5.5%	8.3%
391	305			South East Staffordshire	CON	2,315	977	3,292	7.8%	5.3%	6.8%
390	304			South Hams	CON	2,375	908	3,283	8.4%	4.6%	6.8%
489	389			South Norfolk	CON	1,895	912	2,807	6.5%	4.4%	5.6%
572	464			South Ribble	CON	1,679	697	2,376	5.5%	3.1%	4.5%
59	56			South Shields	LAB	3,961	1,089	5,050	18.4%	7.4%	13.9%
493	393			South Staffordshire	CON	2,229	985	3,214	6.4%	4.4%	5.6%
484	385			South Suffolk	CON	2,245	879	3,124	7.2%	3.7%	5.7%
208	168			South Thanet	CON	2,786	792	3,578	12.5%	5.0%	9.4%
549	444			South West Bedfordshire	CON	2,074	821	2,895	5.9%	3.5%	4.9%

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall
unemployment rate

GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	Party	Claimants			Rate			
					Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
578	470			South West Cambridgeshire	CON	1,825	793	2,618	5.4%	3.1%	4.4%
579	471			South West Hertfordshire	CON	1,665	562	2,227	5.6%	2.7%	4.4%
482	383			South West Norfolk	CON	2,088	915	3,003	6.8%	4.2%	5.8%
620	510			South West Surrey	CON	1,207	431	1,638	4.7%	2.3%	3.7%
538	433			South Worcestershire	CON	1,757	750	2,507	5.9%	3.8%	5.1%
126	113			Southampton Itchen	LAB	3,885	1,042	4,927	15.1%	5.7%	11.2%
178	146			Southampton Test	CON	3,513	1009	4,522	13.4%	5.2%	10.0%
75	71			Southend East	CON	3,694	1,116	4,810	16.7%	7.1%	12.7%
282	225			Southend West	CON	2,636	909	3,545	10.7%	5.1%	8.3%
354	278			Southport	CON	2,352	881	3,233	9.3%	4.6%	7.3%
5	5			Southwark and Bermondsey	LD	5,456	1,955	7,411	27.2%	13.5%	21.4%
585	477			Spelthorne	CON	1,551	527	2,078	5.6%	2.6%	4.3%
487	387			Stafford	CON	1,980	783	2,763	7.0%	3.8%	5.7%
609	499			Staffordshire Moorlands	CON	1,380	547	1,927	4.7%	2.7%	3.9%
329	259			Stalybridge and Hyde	LAB	2,577	932	3,509	9.7%	4.8%	7.6%
581	473			Stamford and Spalding	CON	1,306	681	1,987	4.6%	3.8%	4.3%
333	262			Stevenage	CON	2,793	966	3,759	9.7%	4.7%	7.6%
375			53	Stirling	CON	1,731	711	2,442	8.3%	5.2%	7.0%
432	339			Stockport	LAB	1,962	635	2,597	8.5%	3.5%	6.3%
80	75			Stockton North	LAB	4,463	1,211	5,674	16.1%	6.8%	12.4%
157	131			Stockton South	CON	4,015	1,235	5,250	13.2%	6.2%	10.4%
259	207			Stoke-on-Trent Central	LAB	2,807	805	3,612	11.6%	4.6%	8.6%
411	318			Stoke-on-Trent North	LAB	2,403	725	3,128	8.6%	3.7%	6.6%
467	372			Stoke-on-Trent South	LAB	2,100	685	2,785	7.6%	3.5%	5.9%
592	484			Stratford-on-Avon	CON	1,552	679	2,231	4.8%	3.1%	4.1%
472			61	Strathkelvin and Bearsden	LAB	1,716	798	2,514	7.0%	4.3%	5.9%
22	22			Streatham	LAB	5,044	1,984	7,028	21.9%	11.7%	17.6%
62	58			Stretford	LAB	4,432	1,439	5,871	18.3%	7.6%	13.6%
521	418			Stroud	CON	2,044	912	2,956	6.3%	4.0%	5.3%
604	494			St. Albans	CON	1,510	605	2,115	4.8%	2.7%	3.9%
303	238			St. Helens North	LAB	2,782	926	3,708	10.1%	4.8%	7.9%
241	195			St. Helens South	LAB	3,089	1009	4,098	11.4%	5.3%	8.9%
176	144			St. Ives	CON	2,876	1,070	3,946	11.7%	7.3%	10.0%
516	414			Suffolk Coastal	CON	2,074	771	2,845	6.7%	3.5%	5.4%
69	65			Sunderland North	LAB	4,741	1,110	5,851	17.7%	6.1%	13.0%
91	85			Sunderland South	LAB	4,303	1,159	5,462	16.5%	6.1%	12.1%
456	361			Surbiton	CON	1,377	531	1,908	7.3%	4.1%	6.0%
468	373			Sutton and Cheam	CON	1,783	645	2,428	7.3%	3.9%	5.9%
540	435			Sutton Coldfield	CON	1,620	803	2,423	5.8%	4.0%	5.0%
286		20		Swansea East	LAB	2,348	543	2,891	11.2%	3.9%	8.3%
151		8		Swansea West	LAB	2,824	842	3,666	13.9%	5.9%	10.6%
446	351			Swindon	CON	3,030	997	4,027	8.2%	3.5%	6.1%
554	449			Tatton	CON	1,642	601	2,243	6.1%	3.2%	4.9%
389	303			Taunton	CON	2,435	827	3,262	8.9%	4.1%	6.9%
420	327			Teignbridge	CON	2,109	714	2,823	8.3%	3.9%	6.4%
177	145			The City of London and Westminster	CON	2,704	1,125	3,829	13.3%	6.3%	10.0%
310	244			The Wrekin	LAB	3,286	1,125	4,411	9.3%	5.4%	7.8%
213	173			Thurrock	LAB	3,218	995	4,213	11.8%	5.5%	9.3%
506	405			Tiverton	CON	1,716	642	2,358	6.9%	3.5%	5.5%
550	445			Tonbridge and Malling	CON	1,952	749	2,701	5.9%	3.5%	4.9%
66	62			Tooting	LAB	4,441	1,717	6,158	16.8%	8.7%	13.3%

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall
unemployment rate

GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	Party	Claimants			Rate			
					Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
128	115			Torbay	CON	3,534	1,055	4,589	15.2%	5.9%	11.2%
283		19		Torfaen	LAB	2,423	690	3,113	10.7%	4.7%	8.3%
327	257			Torrige and West Devon	CON	2,545	906	3,451	9.0%	5.4%	7.7%
1	1			Tottenham	LAB	8,501	2,744	11,245	29.9%	13.9%	23.3%
244	196			Truro	LD	2,732	1,002	3,734	10.7%	5.9%	8.8%
526	423			Tunbridge Wells	CON	1,990	689	2,679	6.7%	3.3%	5.3%
530			67	Tweeddale Etrick and Lauderdale	LD	830	371	1,201	6.1%	3.9%	5.2%
483	384			Twickenham	CON	1,823	686	2,509	7.0%	3.8%	5.7%
24	24			Tyne Bridge	LAB	4,853	997	5,850	25.7%	6.8%	17.4%
161	133			Tynemouth	CON	3,550	1,069	4,619	13.8%	5.6%	10.3%
458	363			Upminster	CON	1,865	624	2,489	7.3%	3.9%	6.0%
469	374			Uxbridge	CON	1,829	637	2,466	7.4%	3.7%	5.9%
300		22		Vale of Glamorgan	CON	2,680	944	3,624	9.6%	5.4%	8.0%
14	14			Vauxhall	LAB	6,373	2,386	8,759	23.8%	12.2%	18.9%
260	208			Wakefield	LAB	2,730	984	3,714	11.0%	5.4%	8.6%
103	95			Wallasey	LAB	3,834	1,128	4,962	15.7%	6.5%	11.9%
143	125			Wallsend	LAB	4,121	1,252	5,373	14.4%	5.8%	10.7%
149	128			Walsall North	LAB	3,752	1,086	4,838	13.6%	6.0%	10.6%
140	122			Walsall South	LAB	3,596	1,161	4,757	13.5%	6.6%	10.7%
37	37			Walthamstow	LAB	3,683	1,267	4,950	19.3%	9.7%	15.4%
142	124			Wansbeck	LAB	3,121	835	3,956	14.1%	5.7%	10.7%
548	443			Wansdyke	CON	1,864	769	2,633	6.1%	3.4%	5.0%
341	269			Wanstead and Woodford	CON	1,913	800	2,713	8.8%	5.5%	7.4%
621	511			Wantage	CON	1,272	460	1,732	4.7%	2.3%	3.7%
93	87			Warley East	LAB	3,121	1013	4,134	15.6%	7.2%	12.1%
184	152			Warley West	LAB	2,685	939	3,624	12.3%	6.2%	9.8%
429	336			Warrington North	LAB	2,538	861	3,399	8.0%	4.0%	6.4%
428	335			Warrington South	LAB	2,469	876	3,345	7.8%	4.2%	6.4%
450	355			Warwick and Leamington	CON	2,124	791	2,915	7.6%	4.0%	6.1%
465	370			Watford	CON	2,387	787	3,174	7.7%	3.5%	5.9%
216	175			Waveney	CON	3,341	1,292	4,633	11.1%	6.5%	9.3%
608	498			Wealden	CON	1,374	529	1,903	4.8%	2.6%	3.9%
475	378			Wellingborough	CON	2,061	777	2,838	7.2%	3.9%	5.8%
388	302			Wells	CON	2,042	843	2,885	8.4%	4.8%	6.9%
562	455			Welwyn Hatfield	CON	1,716	645	2,361	5.9%	3.0%	4.7%
169	137			Wentworth	LAB	3,234	874	4,108	13.4%	5.4%	10.2%
181	149			West Bromwich East	LAB	2,821	965	3,786	12.5%	6.1%	9.8%
114	105			West Bromwich West	SPKR	3,337	1,071	4,408	14.8%	7.0%	11.7%
568	460			West Derbyshire	CON	1,398	626	2,024	5.3%	3.6%	4.6%
532	428			West Dorset	CON	1,437	573	2,010	6.3%	3.6%	5.2%
524	421			West Gloucestershire	CON	2,015	796	2,811	6.4%	3.7%	5.3%
522	419			West Hertfordshire	CON	2,253	696	2,949	7.2%	2.9%	5.3%
340	268			West Lancashire	LAB	2,728	953	3,681	9.3%	4.8%	7.5%
510	409			Westbury	CON	2,241	891	3,132	6.8%	3.6%	5.4%
82			6	Western Isles	LAB	1,305	334	1,639	14.5%	7.9%	12.4%
54	51			Westminster North	CON	4,230	1,827	6,057	18.3%	9.4%	14.2%
611	501			Westmorland and Lonsdale	CON	1,171	429	1,600	4.8%	2.5%	3.8%
356	280			Weston-Super-Mare	CON	2,724	974	3,698	9.1%	4.7%	7.3%
297	234			Wigan	LAB	2,869	867	3,736	10.6%	4.5%	8.0%
370	289			Wimbledon	CON	2,036	868	2,904	8.4%	5.1%	7.1%
600	490			Winchester	CON	1,500	562	2,062	5.2%	2.6%	4.1%

B Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, August 1995

2 (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall
unemployment rate

GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	Party	Claimants			Rate			
					Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
598	488			Windsor and Maidenhead	CON	1,670	586	2,256	5.2%	2.5%	4.1%
395	307			Wirral South	CON	1,968	719	2,687	8.5%	4.4%	6.8%
350	274			Wirral West	CON	2,047	850	2,897	8.8%	5.3%	7.3%
630	520			Witney	CON	1,287	588	1,875	3.6%	2.3%	3.1%
627	517			Woking	CON	1,486	509	1,995	4.4%	2.1%	3.5%
634	524			Wokingham	CON	1,459	535	1,994	3.5%	1.9%	2.8%
172	140			Wolverhampton North East	LAB	3,550	1,062	4,612	12.7%	5.9%	10.0%
94	88			Wolverhampton South East	LAB	3,124	948	4,072	15.3%	7.2%	12.1%
135	118			Wolverhampton South West	CON	3,201	1,217	4,418	13.1%	7.5%	10.9%
582	474			Woodspring	CON	1,693	681	2,374	5.3%	3.0%	4.3%
38	38			Woolwich	LAB	4,326	1,491	5,817	18.7%	9.7%	15.1%
369	288			Worcester	CON	2,441	892	3,333	8.9%	4.5%	7.1%
202	163			Workington	LAB	2,583	778	3,361	12.3%	5.4%	9.5%
464	369			Worsley	LAB	2,270	701	2,971	7.8%	3.3%	5.9%
445	350			Worthing	CON	2,065	620	2,685	8.4%	3.2%	6.2%
358		28		Wrexham	LAB	2,038	764	2,802	8.4%	5.2%	7.2%
440	345			Wycombe	CON	2,366	824	3,190	7.8%	3.9%	6.2%
531	427			Wyre	CON	1,618	457	2,075	7.0%	2.7%	5.2%
387	301			Wyre Forest	CON	2,356	915	3,271	8.2%	4.9%	6.9%
518	416			Yeovil	LD	1,788	625	2,413	6.7%	3.4%	5.4%
155		9		Ynys Mon	PC	2,369	749	3,118	12.1%	7.4%	10.5%
226	182			York	LAB	3,342	1,108	4,450	11.8%	5.4%	9.1%
Great Britain						1,684,734	573,461	2,258,195	10.5%	5.0%	8.2%

C. Change in number of unemployed claimants by parliamentary constituency, Aug 1990 - Aug 1995
 not adjusted for discontinuities

1. Highest and Lowest Changes (Aug 1994 - Aug 1995)

Rank by % change in
 GB, highest to lowest

			Party	Claimants				Change			
94-95	92-95	90-95		Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
1	7	531	Orkney and Shetland	LD	761	811	844	881	4%	9%	16%
2	53	517	Western Isles	LAB	1,385	1,717	1,601	1,639	2%	-5%	18%
3	50	261	Ceredigion and Pembroke North	PC	1,706	2,945	2,765	2,817	2%	-4%	65%
4	3	369	Tynemouth	CON	3,276	4,153	4,553	4,619	1%	11%	41%
5	63	172	Meirionnydd nant Conwy	PC	797	1,584	1,494	1,504	1%	-5%	89%
6	20	454	Newcastle-upon-Tyne East	LAB	4,200	5,251	5,356	5,382	0%	2%	28%
7	162	366	Roxburgh and Berwickshire	LD	952	1,527	1,353	1,353	0%	-11%	42%
8	114	475	Caernarfon	PC	2,057	2,819	2,574	2,569	-0%	-9%	25%
9	271	519	Llanelli	LAB	2,444	3,435	2,921	2,886	-1%	-16%	18%
10	62	432	Great Grimsby	LAB	3,975	5,474	5,277	5,199	-1%	-5%	31%
11	166	445	Kingston-upon-Hull North	LAB	4,810	6,995	6,292	6,188	-2%	-12%	29%
12	55	235	Newham South	LAB	3,405	6,157	5,976	5,874	-2%	-5%	73%
13	185	477	Kingston-upon-Hull West	LAB	4,581	6,525	5,811	5,711	-2%	-12%	25%
14	14	426	Wallsend	LAB	4,075	5,135	5,470	5,373	-2%	5%	32%
15	35	469	Newcastle-upon-Tyne Central	LAB	3,648	4,661	4,666	4,580	-2%	-2%	26%
16	86	365	Dumfries	CON	2,011	3,069	2,920	2,864	-2%	-7%	42%
17	41	358	Carlisle	LAB	1,936	2,865	2,835	2,780	-2%	-3%	44%
18	81	340	Conwy	CON	2103	3317	3171	3108	-2%	-6%	48%
19	25	215	Newham North West	LAB	3,475	6,236	6,339	6,198	-2%	-1%	78%
20	39	318	Pembroke	LAB	2,994	4,695	4,671	4,565	-2%	-3%	52%
21	161	202	Ipswich	LAB	2,075	4,244	3,855	3,761	-2%	-11%	81%
22	13	253	Hackney North and Stoke Newington	LAB	6,124	9,754	10,515	10,249	-3%	5%	67%
23	18	35	Croydon North East	CON	2,029	4,768	5,034	4,899	-3%	3%	141%
24	206	512	Kingston-upon-Hull East	LAB	4,269	5,835	5,206	5,063	-3%	-13%	19%
25	125	357	Plymouth Drake	CON	3,747	5,981	5,555	5,396	-3%	-10%	44%
:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
610	579	50	Windsor and Maidenhead	CON	963	3,263	2,864	2,256	-21%	-31%	134%
611	613	121	Devizes	CON	1,246	3,888	3,222	2,535	-21%	-35%	103%
612	552	241	Blaby	CON	1288	3,107	2,809	2,204	-22%	-29%	71%
613	532	27	Crawley	CON	1051	3,615	3,329	2,609	-22%	-28%	148%
614	631	429	North Warwickshire	LAB	2077	4,714	3,481	2,727	-22%	-42%	31%
615	628	591	Hyndburn	LAB	1775	2,964	2,279	1,776	-22%	-40%	0%
616	617	71	Woking	CON	902	3,132	2,561	1,995	-22%	-36%	121%
617	316	22	Reading West	CON	1084	3,377	3,568	2,772	-22%	-18%	156%
618	615	334	Nuneaton	LAB	2046	4,720	3,917	3,035	-23%	-36%	48%
619	529	16	Hertford and Stortford	CON	896	3,234	3,032	2,339	-23%	-28%	161%
620	525	126	Worthing	CON	1,329	3,703	3,487	2,685	-23%	-27%	102%
621	620	285	Romsey and Waterside	CON	1463	3,712	3,035	2,336	-23%	-37%	60%
622	605	12	Spelthorne	CON	785	3,135	2,712	2,078	-23%	-34%	165%
623	611	111	Cirencester and Tewkesbury	CON	1,129	3,561	3,041	2,324	-24%	-35%	106%
624	618	93	St Albans	CON	989	3,348	2,771	2,115	-24%	-37%	114%
625	601	79	East Hampshire	CON	1068	3,490	3,060	2,329	-24%	-33%	118%
626	567	80	Winchester	CON	947	2,942	2,736	2,062	-25%	-30%	118%
627	561	592	East Lothian	LAB	2364	3,361	3,156	2,364	-25%	-30%	0%
628	632	634	Greenock and Port Glasgow	LAB	4,720	5,007	3,794	2,840	-25%	-43%	-40%
629	624	32	South West Surrey	CON	671	2,665	2,199	1,638	-26%	-39%	144%
630	619	103	Guildford	CON	937	3,095	2,641	1,954	-26%	-37%	109%
631	629	33	North West Surrey	CON	801	3,263	2,703	1,950	-28%	-40%	143%
632	621	386	Bosworth	CON	1481	3,290	3,013	2,045	-32%	-38%	38%
633	634	207	Aldershot	CON	1,268	4,314	3,373	2,285	-32%	-47%	80%
634	633	209	North West Hampshire	CON	869	2,875	2,361	1,557	-34%	-46%	79%
Great Britain					1,559,626	2,734,118	2,537,178	2,258,195	-11%	-17%	45%

C. Change in number of unemployed claimants by parliamentary constituency, August 1990 - August 1995
not adjusted for discontinuities

2. Alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in
GB, highest to lowest

			Claimants				Change				
94-95	92-95	90-95	Party	Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
404	184	398	Aberavon	LAB	1,584	2,462	2,471	2,155	-13%	-12%	36%
27	9	385	Aberdeen North	LAB	2,105	2,686	3,002	2,908	-3%	8%	38%
84	5	299	Aberdeen South	CON	1,643	2,342	2,733	2,567	-6%	10%	56%
633	634	207	Aldershot	CON	1,268	4,314	3,373	2,285	-32%	-47%	80%
428	433	314	Aldridge - Brownhills	CON	1,800	3,576	3,185	2,753	-14%	-23%	53%
501	460	363	Altrincham and Sale	CON	1,532	2,882	2,588	2,188	-15%	-24%	43%
363	361	312	Alyn and Deeside	LAB	1,575	3,026	2,751	2,418	-12%	-20%	54%
164	227	323	Amber Valley	CON	1,919	3,364	3,153	2,896	-8%	-14%	51%
47	21	325	Angus East	SNP	2,258	3,336	3,554	3,399	-4%	2%	51%
95	90	423	Argyll and Bute	LD	1,877	2,666	2,649	2,482	-6%	-7%	32%
535	498	44	Arundel	CON	1,236	3,952	3,514	2,934	-17%	-26%	137%
325	199	348	Ashfield	LAB	2,725	4,589	4,509	3,991	-11%	-13%	46%
227	307	130	Ashford	CON	1,501	3,665	3,335	3,022	-9%	-18%	101%
236	407	405	Ashton-under-Lyne	LAB	2,278	3,953	3,403	3,079	-10%	-22%	35%
373	492	75	Aylesbury	CON	1,305	3,851	3,271	2,870	-12%	-25%	120%
193	141	497	Ayr	CON	2,765	3,722	3,648	3,329	-9%	-11%	20%
536	587	167	Banbury	CON	1,451	4,046	3,307	2,761	-17%	-32%	90%
467	31	373	Banff and Buchan	SNP	1,520	2,158	2,491	2,129	-15%	-1%	40%
92	254	144	Barking	LAB	1,889	4,372	3,965	3,719	-6%	-15%	97%
194	259	542	Barnsley Central	LAB	3,155	4,214	3,910	3,568	-9%	-15%	13%
342	210	548	Barnsley East	LAB	2,865	3,702	3,633	3,209	-12%	-13%	12%
99	164	509	Barnsley West and Penistone	LAB	2,788	3,751	3,544	3,320	-6%	-11%	19%
353	67	146	Barrow and Furness	LAB	2,067	4,281	4,599	4,051	-12%	-5%	96%
336	420	191	Basildon	CON	2,546	6,032	5,287	4,673	-12%	-23%	84%
491	472	37	Basingstoke	CON	1,300	4,145	3,691	3,131	-15%	-24%	141%
583	84	409	Bassetlaw	LAB	2,886	4,155	4,766	3,883	-19%	-7%	35%
221	129	216	Bath	LD	2,269	4,484	4,448	4,034	-9%	-10%	78%
123	306	381	Batley and Spen	CON	2,540	4,267	3,793	3,524	-7%	-17%	39%
228	242	249	Battersea	CON	3,553	7,011	6,614	5,993	-9%	-15%	69%
432	539	52	Beaconsfield	CON	739	2,402	1,991	1,719	-14%	-28%	133%
138	140	122	Beckenham	CON	1,761	4,002	3,868	3,580	-7%	-11%	103%
367	38	380	Berwick-upon-Tweed	LD	1,752	2,498	2,768	2,431	-12%	-3%	39%
197	70	353	Bethnal Green and Stepney	LAB	5,178	7,948	8,243	7,512	-9%	-5%	45%
119	193	341	Beverley	CON	1,836	3,102	2,913	2,708	-7%	-13%	47%
396	234	11	Bexhill and Battle	CON	822	2,579	2,528	2,209	-13%	-14%	169%
369	496	212	Bexleyheath	CON	1,308	3,149	2,665	2,340	-12%	-26%	79%
295	520	72	Billericay	CON	1,379	4,174	3,411	3,049	-11%	-27%	121%
174	264	593	Birkenhead	LAB	6,134	7,264	6,684	6,125	-8%	-16%	-0%
253	151	352	Birmingham Edgbaston	CON	3,020	4,929	4,864	4,383	-10%	-11%	45%
553	562	541	Birmingham Erdington	LAB	4,160	6,716	5,704	4,717	-17%	-30%	13%
416	336	355	Birmingham Hall Green	CON	2,885	5,133	4,798	4,163	-13%	-19%	44%
127	282	403	Birmingham Hodge Hill	LAB	3,874	6,279	5,649	5,243	-7%	-16%	35%
232	261	485	Birmingham Ladywood	LAB	5,792	8,445	7,885	7,141	-9%	-15%	23%
502	391	464	Birmingham Northfield	LAB	4,229	6,801	6,336	5,356	-15%	-21%	27%
422	369	453	Birmingham Perry Barr	LAB	4,262	6,855	6,309	5,462	-13%	-20%	28%
314	212	382	Birmingham Selly Oak	LAB	3,535	5,657	5,520	4,898	-11%	-13%	39%
322	352	536	Birmingham Small Heath	LAB	6,054	8,582	7,799	6,908	-11%	-20%	14%
191	175	450	Birmingham Sparkbrook	LAB	5,136	7,470	7,213	6,587	-9%	-12%	28%
331	378	345	Birmingham Yardley	LAB	2,331	4,316	3,872	3,425	-12%	-21%	47%
326	427	572	Bishop Auckland	LAB	3,052	4,183	3,644	3,225	-11%	-23%	6%
612	552	241	Blaby	CON	1,288	3,107	2,809	2,204	-22%	-29%	71%
457	576	603	Blackburn	LAB	4,236	5,894	4,774	4,098	-14%	-30%	-3%
420	256	435	Blackpool North	CON	2,226	3,414	3,347	2,901	-13%	-15%	30%

C. Change in number of unemployed claimants by parliamentary constituency, August 1990 - August 1995
not adjusted for discontinuities

2. Alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in
GB, highest to lowest

			Claimants				Change				
94-95	92-95	90-95	Party	Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
261	286	431	Blackpool South	CON	2,070	3,257	3,016	2,713	-10%	-17%	31%
313	92	565	Blaenau Gwent	LAB	2,688	3,124	3,273	2,905	-11%	-7%	8%
115	72	447	Blaydon	LAB	2,673	3,642	3,693	3,436	-7%	-6%	29%
134	28	417	Blyth Valley	LAB	2,735	3,670	3,928	3,638	-7%	-1%	33%
514	60	343	Bolsover	LAB	2,570	3,980	4,503	3,783	-16%	-5%	47%
398	515	598	Bolton North East	CON	2,936	3,959	3,323	2,901	-13%	-27%	-1%
372	584	594	Bolton South East	LAB	3,555	5,186	4,041	3,546	-12%	-32%	-0%
487	589	599	Bolton West	CON	2,652	3,837	3,077	2,613	-15%	-32%	-1%
149	87	224	Boothferry	CON	1,815	3,420	3,455	3,187	-8%	-7%	76%
290	405	606	Bootle	LAB	6,521	8,006	6,980	6,246	-11%	-22%	-4%
632	621	386	Bosworth	CON	1,481	3,290	3,013	2,045	-32%	-38%	38%
522	442	118	Bournemouth East	CON	2,314	6,179	5,646	4,733	-16%	-23%	105%
606	485	160	Bournemouth West	CON	1,911	4,928	4,645	3,681	-21%	-25%	93%
97	127	321	Bow and Poplar	LAB	5,014	8,421	8,098	7,587	-6%	-10%	51%
75	236	491	Bradford North	LAB	4,516	6,428	5,840	5,504	-6%	-14%	22%
39	122	416	Bradford South	LAB	3,249	4,779	4,503	4,324	-4%	-10%	33%
29	130	436	Bradford West	LAB	5,028	7,262	6,754	6,532	-3%	-10%	30%
478	511	87	Braintree	CON	1,519	4,460	3,846	3,279	-15%	-26%	116%
216	93	217	Brecon and Radnor	CON	1,044	1,996	2,044	1,855	-9%	-7%	78%
93	26	73	Brent East	LAB	3,484	7,756	8,207	7,695	-6%	-1%	121%
365	124	57	Brent North	CON	1,856	4,688	4,823	4,237	-12%	-10%	128%
317	109	148	Brent South	LAB	3,733	7,963	8,221	7,291	-11%	-8%	95%
330	292	152	Brentford and Isleworth	CON	2,151	5,041	4,730	4,184	-12%	-17%	95%
291	476	124	Brentwood and Ongar	CON	1049	2,825	2,379	2,128	-11%	-25%	103%
327	374	441	Bridgend	LAB	1,957	3,181	2,857	2,528	-12%	-21%	29%
286	240	310	Bridgwater	CON	2,185	3,928	3,752	3,360	-10%	-14%	54%
32	117	275	Bridlington	CON	2,507	4,493	4,231	4,082	-4%	-9%	63%
90	74	378	Brigg and Cleethorpes	CON	3,048	4,504	4,520	4,240	-6%	-6%	39%
225	49	140	Brighton Kemptown	CON	2,726	5,651	5,965	5,407	-9%	-4%	98%
60	59	102	Brighton Pavilion	CON	2,736	6,006	6,022	5,720	-5%	-5%	109%
307	366	234	Bristol East	LAB	2,622	5,700	5,110	4,545	-11%	-20%	73%
412	385	267	Bristol North West	CON	2,477	5,123	4,663	4,049	-13%	-21%	63%
531	439	383	Bristol South	LAB	3,906	7,049	6,476	5,410	-16%	-23%	39%
215	424	374	Bristol West	CON	4,026	7,295	6,210	5,636	-9%	-23%	40%
415	466	225	Bromsgrove	CON	1,567	3,627	3,167	2,749	-13%	-24%	75%
571	463	98	Broxbourne	CON	1,616	4,491	4,158	3,406	-18%	-24%	111%
110	172	282	Broxtowe	CON	1,833	3,339	3,164	2,948	-7%	-12%	61%
495	588	34	Buckingham	CON	623	2,220	1,786	1,514	-15%	-32%	143%
570	626	616	Burnley	LAB	2,818	4,271	3,168	2,597	-18%	-39%	-8%
260	388	313	Burton	CON	2,133	4,142	3,636	3,271	-10%	-21%	53%
540	510	488	Bury North	CON	1,887	3,144	2,777	2,312	-17%	-26%	23%
527	545	493	Bury South	CON	2,108	3,587	3,051	2,554	-16%	-29%	21%
250	454	219	Bury St Edmunds	CON	1,548	3,608	3,048	2,749	-10%	-24%	78%
8	114	475	Caernarfon	PC	2,057	2,819	2,574	2,569	-0%	-9%	25%
76	208	476	Caerphilly	LAB	3,022	4,345	4,000	3,768	-6%	-13%	25%
153	8	442	Caithness and Sutherland	LD	1,505	1,792	2,108	1,943	-8%	8%	29%
480	443	424	Calder Valley	CON	2,139	3,694	3,320	2,828	-15%	-23%	32%
434	358	223	Cambridge	LAB	1,807	3,974	3,684	3,180	-14%	-20%	76%
460	462	278	Cannock and Burntwood	LAB	2,007	4,290	3,795	3,255	-14%	-24%	62%
238	148	194	Canterbury	CON	1,926	3,944	3,895	3,522	-10%	-11%	83%
192	174	428	Cardiff Central	LAB	3,574	5,326	5,149	4,700	-9%	-12%	32%
141	154	268	Cardiff North	CON	1,361	2,505	2,404	2,224	-7%	-11%	63%
167	169	391	Cardiff South and Penarth	LAB	2,871	4,461	4,299	3,944	-8%	-12%	37%

C. Change in number of unemployed claimants by parliamentary constituency, August 1990 - August 1995
not adjusted for discontinuities

2. Alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in
GB, highest to lowest

			Party	Claimants				Change			
94-95	92-95	90-95		Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
324	156	470	Cardiff West	LAB	3,398	4,806	4,818	4,266	-11%	-11%	26%
17	41	358	Carlisle	LAB	1,936	2,865	2,835	2,780	-2%	-3%	44%
35	152	359	Carmarthen	LAB	1,896	3,058	2,826	2,718	-4%	-11%	43%
395	406	610	Carrick, Cumnock and Doon Valley	LAB	3,645	4,411	3,932	3,436	-13%	-22%	-6%
220	287	54	Carshalton and Wallington	CON	1,405	3,888	3,569	3,238	-9%	-17%	130%
268	434	58	Castle Point	CON	1,342	3,975	3,405	3,058	-10%	-23%	128%
539	202	551	Central Fife	LAB	3,239	4,169	4,342	3,620	-17%	-13%	12%
399	353	189	Central Suffolk	CON	1,403	3,203	2,951	2,576	-13%	-20%	84%
3	50	261	Ceredigion and Pembroke North	PC	1,706	2,945	2,765	2,817	2%	-4%	65%
576	480	361	Cheadle	CON	1,200	2,284	2,098	1,715	-18%	-25%	43%
560	533	204	Chelmsford	CON	1,671	4,192	3,676	3,025	-18%	-28%	81%
440	24	55	Chelsea	CON	1,422	3,245	3,791	3,266	-14%	1%	130%
537	315	201	Cheltenham	LD	2,128	4,713	4,637	3,870	-17%	-18%	82%
584	559	3	Chertsey and Walton	CON	748	3,089	2,670	2,174	-19%	-30%	191%
483	519	18	Chesham and Amersham	CON	685	2,421	2,081	1,769	-15%	-27%	158%
397	98	372	Chesterfield	LAB	3,062	4,639	4,911	4,289	-13%	-8%	40%
609	607	42	Chichester	CON	886	3,185	2,670	2,107	-21%	-34%	138%
287	277	104	Chingford	CON	1,469	3,660	3,420	3,062	-10%	-16%	108%
82	224	21	Chipping Barnet	CON	1016	3,025	2,774	2,606	-6%	-14%	156%
252	157	129	Chislehurst	CON	1,119	2,543	2,502	2,255	-10%	-11%	102%
524	501	484	Chorley	CON	2,176	3,636	3,207	2,686	-16%	-26%	23%
582	614	101	Christchurch	LD	894	2,887	2,300	1,875	-18%	-35%	110%
623	611	111	Cirencester and Tewkesbury	CON	1129	3,561	3,041	2,324	-24%	-35%	106%
389	331	456	City of Chester	CON	2,501	3,933	3,657	3,199	-13%	-19%	28%
85	136	506	City of Durham	LAB	2,543	3,383	3,231	3,033	-6%	-10%	19%
392	105	582	Clackmannan	LAB	2,782	3,074	3,230	2,823	-13%	-8%	1%
89	116	384	Clwyd North West	CON	2,357	3,582	3,474	3,259	-6%	-9%	38%
265	153	316	Clwyd South West	LAB	1,558	2,679	2,647	2,379	-10%	-11%	53%
450	272	574	Clydebank and Milngavie	LAB	2,959	3,695	3,610	3,104	-14%	-16%	5%
586	493	586	Clydesdale	LAB	2,810	3,790	3,481	2,824	-19%	-25%	0%
96	220	350	Colne Valley	CON	2,029	3,423	3,154	2,955	-6%	-14%	46%
470	499	394	Congleton	CON	1,491	2,755	2,393	2,044	-15%	-26%	37%
18	81	340	Conwy	CON	2,103	3,317	3,171	3,108	-2%	-6%	48%
69	4	211	Copeland	LAB	2,045	3,298	3,871	3,660	-5%	11%	79%
447	558	256	Corby	CON	1,777	4,196	3,451	2,968	-14%	-29%	67%
486	581	552	Coventry North East	LAB	4,313	7,004	5,665	4,811	-15%	-31%	12%
520	593	511	Coventry North West	LAB	2,452	4,306	3,475	2,915	-16%	-32%	19%
499	568	543	Coventry South East	LAB	3,267	5,259	4,356	3,685	-15%	-30%	13%
574	585	482	Coventry South West	CON	2,249	4,075	3,405	2,784	-18%	-32%	24%
613	532	27	Crawley	CON	1051	3,615	3,329	2,609	-22%	-28%	148%
488	380	371	Crewe and Nantwich	LAB	2,433	4,322	4,030	3,422	-15%	-21%	41%
144	312	499	Crosby	CON	3,105	4,531	4,036	3,727	-8%	-18%	20%
55	132	91	Croydon Central	CON	1,695	4,050	3,819	3,635	-5%	-10%	114%
23	18	35	Croydon North East	CON	2,029	4,768	5,034	4,899	-3%	3%	141%
66	42	31	Croydon North West	LAB	1,960	4,944	5,053	4,786	-5%	-3%	144%
339	300	4	Croydon South	CON	806	2,798	2,621	2,316	-12%	-17%	187%
462	432	596	Cumbernauld and Kilsyth	LAB	2,384	3,070	2,759	2,364	-14%	-23%	-1%
443	232	563	Cunninghame North	LAB	2,907	3,686	3,671	3,159	-14%	-14%	9%
337	354	571	Cunninghame South	LAB	3,261	4,314	3,924	3,468	-12%	-20%	6%
463	372	547	Cynon Valley	LAB	2,493	3,508	3,260	2,793	-14%	-20%	12%
105	288	77	Dagenham	LAB	1,641	4,331	3,855	3,606	-6%	-17%	120%
61	213	514	Darlington	LAB	3,360	4,597	4,191	3,980	-5%	-13%	18%
400	332	90	Dartford	CON	1,583	4,183	3,898	3,401	-13%	-19%	115%

C. Change in number of unemployed claimants by parliamentary constituency, August 1990 - August 1995
not adjusted for discontinuities

2. Alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in
GB, highest to lowest

			Party	Claimants				Change			
94-95	92-95	90-95		Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
604	604	123	Daventry	CON	991	3,027	2,538	2,012	-21%	-34%	103%
561	416	479	Davyhulme	CON	2,151	3,449	3,254	2,677	-18%	-22%	24%
202	233	290	Delyn	LAB	1,584	2,925	2,756	2,506	-9%	-14%	58%
357	598	555	Denton and Reddish	LAB	2,932	4,867	3,706	3,261	-12%	-33%	11%
442	158	259	Derby North	CON	2,477	4,633	4,770	4,107	-14%	-11%	66%
247	189	320	Derby South	LAB	3,973	6,927	6,707	6,053	-10%	-13%	52%
611	613	121	Devizes	CON	1,246	3,888	3,222	2,535	-21%	-35%	103%
140	251	368	Dewsbury	LAB	2,509	4,171	3,837	3,550	-7%	-15%	41%
426	195	481	Don Valley	LAB	3,519	5,005	5,049	4,366	-14%	-13%	24%
107	103	458	Doncaster Central	LAB	4,202	5,821	5,735	5,357	-7%	-8%	27%
377	273	438	Doncaster North	LAB	3,898	6,022	5,763	5,054	-12%	-16%	30%
498	46	67	Dover	CON	1,768	4,085	4,634	3,921	-15%	-4%	122%
509	411	410	Dudley East	LAB	3,553	6,140	5,668	4,770	-16%	-22%	34%
511	453	347	Dudley West	LAB	2,637	5,068	4,593	3,863	-16%	-24%	46%
65	101	206	Dulwich	LAB	2,813	5,512	5,362	5,079	-5%	-8%	81%
170	121	539	Dumbarton	LAB	3,242	4,069	4,016	3,683	-8%	-9%	14%
16	86	365	Dumfries	CON	2,011	3,069	2,920	2,864	-2%	-7%	42%
383	324	609	Dundee East	LAB	4,491	5,191	4,842	4,241	-12%	-18%	-6%
274	252	589	Dundee West	LAB	3,955	4,657	4,417	3,963	-10%	-15%	0%
438	131	528	Dunfermline East	LAB	2,694	3,493	3,641	3,139	-14%	-10%	17%
516	170	489	Dunfermline West	LAB	2,140	2,966	3,120	2,620	-16%	-12%	22%
98	75	185	Ealing Acton	CON	2,563	5,030	5,054	4,735	-6%	-6%	85%
231	147	89	Ealing North	CON	2,041	4,923	4,855	4,397	-9%	-11%	115%
206	343	158	Ealing Southall	LAB	2,752	6,566	5,841	5,308	-9%	-19%	93%
136	113	530	Easington	LAB	2,801	3,560	3,513	3,253	-7%	-9%	16%
607	570	176	East Berkshire	CON	1,494	3,999	3,542	2,801	-21%	-30%	87%
625	601	79	East Hampshire	CON	1,068	3,490	3,060	2,329	-24%	-33%	118%
458	362	533	East Kilbride	LAB	2,694	3,891	3,622	3,109	-14%	-20%	15%
492	310	524	East Lindsey	CON	2,557	3,635	3,529	2,993	-15%	-18%	17%
627	561	592	East Lothian	LAB	2,364	3,361	3,156	2,364	-25%	-30%	0%
542	448	7	East Surrey	CON	549	1,993	1,832	1,523	-17%	-24%	177%
343	409	88	Eastbourne	CON	1,417	3,929	3,460	3,056	-12%	-22%	116%
34	599	238	Eastleigh	LD	1,859	4,781	3,324	3,200	-4%	-33%	72%
201	190	550	Eastwood	CON	2,219	2,841	2,729	2,482	-9%	-13%	12%
217	503	581	Eccles	LAB	2,952	4,072	3,309	3,003	-9%	-26%	2%
425	436	474	Eddisbury	CON	2,116	3,440	3,058	2,645	-14%	-23%	25%
263	317	518	Edinburgh Central	LAB	3,157	4,545	4,148	3,730	-10%	-18%	18%
459	359	601	Edinburgh East	LAB	2,549	3,105	2,895	2,484	-14%	-20%	-3%
335	250	562	Edinburgh Leith	LAB	3,818	4,898	4,717	4,170	-12%	-15%	9%
259	257	505	Edinburgh Pentlands	CON	2,026	2,848	2,690	2,420	-10%	-15%	19%
184	216	504	Edinburgh South	LAB	2,445	3,392	3,203	2,930	-9%	-14%	20%
444	281	466	Edinburgh West	CON	1,390	2,105	2,043	1,758	-14%	-16%	26%
176	100	163	Edmonton	CON	2,754	5,745	5,778	5,294	-8%	-8%	92%
407	344	525	Ellesmere Port and Neston	LAB	2,799	4,046	3,753	3,270	-13%	-19%	17%
116	207	303	Elmet	CON	1,652	2,954	2,754	2,562	-7%	-13%	55%
237	345	228	Eltham	CON	1,980	4,287	3,828	3,463	-10%	-19%	75%
435	400	110	Enfield North	CON	2,071	5,466	4,952	4,274	-14%	-22%	106%
145	99	78	Enfield Southgate	CON	1,641	3,889	3,891	3,592	-8%	-8%	119%
199	311	59	Epping Forest	CON	1,370	3,775	3,412	3,107	-9%	-18%	127%
198	489	19	Epsom and Ewell	CON	776	2,681	2,197	2,001	-9%	-25%	158%
187	333	269	Erewash	CON	2,221	4,463	3,970	3,628	-9%	-19%	63%
79	284	190	Erith and Crayford	CON	2,162	4,757	4,219	3,969	-6%	-17%	84%
497	486	25	Esher	CON	614	2,065	1,820	1,542	-15%	-25%	151%

C. Change in number of unemployed claimants by parliamentary constituency, August 1990 - August 1995
not adjusted for discontinuities

2. Alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in
GB, highest to lowest

			Party	Claimants				Change			
94-95	92-95	90-95		Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
152	440	274	Exeter	CON	2,439	5,190	4,320	3,982	-8%	-23%	63%
473	325	621	Falkirk East	LAB	3,054	3,351	3,206	2,737	-15%	-18%	-10%
471	370	607	Falkirk West	LAB	2,606	3,121	2,911	2,486	-15%	-20%	-5%
41	225	302	Falmouth and Camborne	CON	3,026	5,469	4,916	4,711	-4%	-14%	56%
417	571	138	Fareham	CON	1,279	3,643	2,936	2,547	-13%	-30%	99%
464	290	175	Faversham	CON	2,556	5,787	5,622	4,815	-14%	-17%	88%
218	293	56	Feltham and Heston	LAB	2,160	5,975	5,457	4,952	-9%	-17%	129%
579	340	177	Finchley	CON	1,569	3,615	3,586	2,926	-18%	-19%	86%
384	16	150	Folkestone and Hythe	CON	2,218	4,178	4,939	4,325	-12%	4%	95%
168	215	244	Fulham	CON	2,859	5,637	5,309	4,870	-8%	-14%	70%
598	513	415	Fylde	CON	1,016	1,847	1,695	1,354	-20%	-27%	33%
496	255	465	Gainsborough and Horncastle	CON	2,239	3,334	3,346	2,835	-15%	-15%	27%
244	48	502	Galloway and Upper Nithsdale	CON	2,262	2,832	3,004	2,713	-10%	-4%	20%
320	204	545	Gateshead East	LAB	3,541	4,576	4,482	3,973	-11%	-13%	12%
288	270	322	Gedling	CON	2,072	3,721	3,495	3,128	-11%	-16%	51%
356	360	96	Gillingham	CON	1,953	5,166	4,692	4,130	-12%	-20%	111%
181	334	397	Glanford and Scunthorpe	LAB	2,646	4,435	3,936	3,603	-8%	-19%	36%
178	341	618	Glasgow Cathcart	LAB	2,604	2,950	2,607	2,387	-8%	-19%	-8%
348	375	623	Glasgow Central	LAB	4,935	5,437	4,897	4,320	-12%	-21%	-12%
589	482	626	Glasgow Garscadden	LAB	3,749	4,053	3,768	3,038	-19%	-25%	-19%
375	444	628	Glasgow Govan	LAB	4,091	4,170	3,637	3,190	-12%	-24%	-22%
241	177	544	Glasgow Hillhead	LAB	3,814	4,865	4,744	4,287	-10%	-12%	12%
456	401	625	Glasgow Maryhill	LAB	5,397	5,777	5,256	4,512	-14%	-22%	-16%
556	490	630	Glasgow Pollok	LAB	4,704	4,804	4,344	3,585	-17%	-25%	-24%
504	591	633	Glasgow Provan	LAB	5,244	5,274	4,248	3,584	-16%	-32%	-32%
445	457	627	Glasgow Rutherglen	LAB	4,143	4,327	3,830	3,295	-14%	-24%	-20%
594	590	632	Glasgow Shettleston	LAB	4,573	4,915	4,174	3,344	-20%	-32%	-27%
439	441	629	Glasgow Springburn	LAB	5,656	5,702	5,068	4,369	-14%	-23%	-23%
341	381	197	Gloucester	CON	2,361	5,444	4,878	4,309	-12%	-21%	83%
205	1	156	Gordon	LD	1,044	1,691	2,222	2,020	-9%	19%	93%
588	612	294	Gosport	CON	1,626	3,932	3,173	2,564	-19%	-35%	58%
321	231	457	Gower	LAB	1,806	2,687	2,599	2,303	-11%	-14%	28%
180	171	332	Grantham	CON	2,069	3,484	3,361	3,077	-8%	-12%	49%
406	262	137	Gravesham	CON	2,132	5,039	4,888	4,259	-13%	-15%	100%
10	62	432	Great Grimsby	LAB	3,975	5,474	5,277	5,199	-1%	-5%	31%
161	88	270	Great Yarmouth	CON	2,602	4,563	4,620	4,250	-8%	-7%	63%
628	632	634	Greenock and Port Glasgow	LAB	4,720	5,007	3,794	2,840	-25%	-43%	-40%
33	134	276	Greenwich	LAB	2,678	4,849	4,513	4,348	-4%	-10%	62%
630	619	103	Guildford	CON	937	3,095	2,641	1,954	-26%	-37%	109%
22	13	253	Hackney North and Stoke Newington	LAB	6,124	9,754	10,515	10,249	-3%	5%	67%
42	65	338	Hackney South and Shoreditch	LAB	6,773	10,563	10,457	10,014	-4%	-5%	48%
544	419	232	Halesowen and Stourbridge	CON	1,902	4,261	3,975	3,302	-17%	-23%	74%
364	365	462	Halifax	LAB	3,296	5,246	4,762	4,184	-12%	-20%	27%
229	350	467	Halton	LAB	3,804	5,962	5,302	4,804	-9%	-19%	26%
429	470	613	Hamilton	LAB	3,729	4,609	4,033	3,485	-14%	-24%	-7%
64	165	304	Hammersmith	LAB	3,954	6,918	6,462	6,121	-5%	-12%	55%
257	94	180	Hampstead and Highgate	LAB	3,001	6,001	6,191	5,577	-10%	-7%	86%
344	521	196	Harborough	CON	1085	2,713	2,243	1,981	-12%	-27%	83%
546	565	236	Harlow	CON	2,024	4,974	4,206	3,489	-17%	-30%	72%
121	77	141	Harrogate	CON	1,263	2,662	2,693	2,503	-7%	-6%	98%
279	305	92	Harrow East	CON	1,867	4,845	4,464	4,003	-10%	-17%	114%
358	198	38	Harrow West	CON	1,230	3,398	3,362	2,958	-12%	-13%	140%
319	111	560	Hartlepool	LAB	4,926	5,894	6,082	5,392	-11%	-9%	9%

C. Change in number of unemployed claimants by parliamentary constituency, August 1990 - August 1995
not adjusted for discontinuities

2. Alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in
GB, highest to lowest

			Claimants				Change				
94-95	92-95	90-95	Party	Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
169	163	214	Harwich	CON	2,313	4,660	4,498	4,126	-8%	-11%	78%
109	149	61	Hastings and Rye	CON	2,298	5,818	5,560	5,184	-7%	-11%	126%
354	549	254	Havant	CON	2,257	5,310	4,286	3,774	-12%	-29%	67%
262	349	15	Hayes and Harlington	CON	1,187	3,864	3,462	3,114	-10%	-19%	162%
355	449	346	Hazel Grove	CON	1,362	2,621	2,273	2,001	-12%	-24%	47%
489	327	515	Hemsworth	LAB	2,716	3,952	3,789	3,217	-15%	-19%	18%
264	159	184	Hendon North	CON	1,663	3,468	3,420	3,074	-10%	-11%	85%
359	176	66	Hendon South	CON	1,394	3,517	3,524	3,100	-12%	-12%	122%
555	564	5	Henley	CON	594	2,359	2,004	1,655	-17%	-30%	179%
376	357	231	Hereford	CON	1,745	3,772	3,456	3,031	-12%	-20%	74%
619	529	16	Hertford and Stortford	CON	896	3,234	3,032	2,339	-23%	-28%	161%
466	528	109	Hertsmere	CON	1,295	3,703	3,129	2,679	-14%	-28%	107%
37	37	305	Hexham	CON	1,199	1,889	1,928	1,852	-4%	-2%	54%
411	397	556	Heywood and Middleton	LAB	3,127	4,431	3,993	3,470	-13%	-22%	11%
114	265	327	High Peak	CON	1,733	3,083	2,792	2,599	-7%	-16%	50%
182	110	248	Holborn and St Pancras	LAB	4,507	8,308	8,310	7,606	-8%	-8%	69%
508	269	455	Holland with Boston	CON*	1,860	2,833	2,831	2,383	-16%	-16%	28%
222	399	178	Honiton	CON	1,168	2,781	2,401	2,177	-9%	-22%	86%
390	478	51	Hornchurch	CON	1,042	3,242	2,789	2,439	-13%	-25%	134%
190	76	252	Hornsey and Wood Green	LAB	4,890	8,715	8,982	8,203	-9%	-6%	68%
605	610	17	Horsham	CON	821	3,274	2,697	2,138	-21%	-35%	160%
282	146	500	Houghton and Washington	LAB	3,922	5,270	5,250	4,707	-10%	-11%	20%
72	80	128	Hove	CON	2,536	5,449	5,419	5,113	-6%	-6%	102%
28	144	433	Huddersfield	LAB	3,232	4,721	4,359	4,219	-3%	-11%	31%
332	574	164	Huntingdon	CON	1,487	4,095	3,226	2,853	-12%	-30%	92%
615	628	591	Hyndburn	LAB	1,775	2,964	2,279	1,776	-22%	-40%	0%
70	201	62	Ilford North	CON	1,308	3,381	3,109	2,936	-6%	-13%	124%
52	123	74	Ilford South	LAB	2,089	5,081	4,819	4,596	-5%	-10%	120%
345	10	315	Inverness, Nairn and Lochaber	LD	2,679	3,819	4,638	4,095	-12%	7%	53%
21	161	202	Ipswich	LAB	2,075	4,244	3,855	3,761	-2%	-11%	81%
213	186	281	Isle of Wight	CON	3,157	5,808	5,594	5,079	-9%	-13%	61%
31	66	260	Islington North	LAB	5,234	9,155	8,966	8,664	-3%	-5%	66%
160	200	342	Islington South and Finsbury	LAB	4,589	7,783	7,346	6,759	-8%	-13%	47%
419	219	492	Islwyn	LAB	1,715	2,407	2,397	2,078	-13%	-14%	21%
59	52	520	Jarrow	LAB	3,765	4,646	4,667	4,436	-5%	-5%	18%
142	248	362	Keighley	CON	2,111	3,538	3,261	3,015	-8%	-15%	43%
304	69	179	Kensington	CON	2,477	4,869	5,166	4,605	-11%	-5%	86%
362	488	155	Kettering	CON	1,314	3,406	2,893	2,543	-12%	-25%	94%
309	320	578	Kilmarnock and Loudoun	LAB	3,697	4,639	4,274	3,799	-11%	-18%	3%
219	2	218	Kincardine and Deeside	CON	943	1,480	1,846	1,675	-9%	13%	78%
24	206	512	Kingston-upon-Hull East	LAB	4,269	5,835	5,206	5,063	-3%	-13%	19%
11	166	445	Kingston-upon-Hull North	LAB	4,810	6,995	6,292	6,188	-2%	-12%	29%
13	185	477	Kingston-upon-Hull West	LAB	4,581	6,525	5,811	5,711	-2%	-12%	25%
284	298	63	Kingston-upon-Thames	CON	1,153	3,115	2,878	2,579	-10%	-17%	124%
401	430	119	Kingswood	LAB	1,723	4,575	4,039	3,524	-13%	-23%	105%
303	36	461	Kirkcaldy	LAB	2,831	3,667	4,035	3,597	-11%	-2%	27%
512	573	631	Knowsley North	LAB	5,624	6,107	5,073	4,264	-16%	-30%	-24%
245	403	614	Knowsley South	LAB	5,463	6,514	5,634	5,086	-10%	-22%	-7%
157	183	326	Lancaster	CON	1,669	2,855	2,720	2,505	-8%	-12%	50%
46	23	419	Langbaugh	CON	4,046	5,324	5,623	5,378	-4%	1%	33%
58	302	494	Leeds Central	LAB	4,838	7,054	6,135	5,832	-5%	-17%	21%
49	197	473	Leeds East	LAB	4,054	5,813	5,308	5,069	-5%	-13%	25%
133	97	422	Leeds North East	CON	2,705	3,873	3,868	3,583	-7%	-7%	32%

C. Change in number of unemployed claimants by parliamentary constituency, August 1990 - August 1995
not adjusted for discontinuities

2. Alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in
GB, highest to lowest

			Claimants				Change				
94-95	92-95	90-95	Party	Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
103	142	377	Leeds North West	CON	2,153	3,352	3,204	2,998	-6%	-11%	39%
122	226	430	Leeds West	LAB	3,078	4,688	4,343	4,036	-7%	-14%	31%
108	211	319	Leicester East	LAB	3,039	5,344	4,963	4,632	-7%	-13%	52%
212	276	392	Leicester South	LAB	4,002	6,561	6,048	5,492	-9%	-16%	37%
297	237	393	Leicester West	LAB	4,208	6,744	6,462	5,774	-11%	-14%	37%
394	556	575	Leigh	LAB	2,917	4,318	3,498	3,057	-13%	-29%	5%
448	267	159	Leominster	CON	1,217	2,786	2,728	2,346	-14%	-16%	93%
328	437	70	Lewes	CON	1,282	3,695	3,210	2,840	-12%	-23%	122%
94	95	272	Lewisham Deptford	LAB	4,794	8,429	8,354	7,829	-6%	-7%	63%
172	91	188	Lewisham East	LAB	2,633	5,205	5,285	4,844	-8%	-7%	84%
78	128	186	Lewisham West	LAB	3,203	6,574	6,287	5,916	-6%	-10%	85%
158	44	199	Leyton	LAB	3,631	6,873	7,183	6,615	-8%	-4%	82%
111	56	440	Lincoln	CON	4,131	5,595	5,730	5,337	-7%	-5%	29%
391	483	611	Linlithgow	LAB	2,790	3,513	3,008	2,629	-13%	-25%	-6%
371	464	408	Littleborough and Saddleworth	LD	1,866	3,317	2,866	2,515	-12%	-24%	35%
117	268	583	Liverpool Broadgreen	LAB	5,590	6,730	6,090	5,665	-7%	-16%	1%
171	446	620	Liverpool Garston	LAB	4,705	5,549	4,629	4,244	-8%	-24%	-10%
163	301	584	Liverpool Mossley Hill	LD	4,955	6,052	5,447	5,008	-8%	-17%	1%
251	373	622	Liverpool Riverside	LAB	7,169	7,914	6,979	6,293	-10%	-20%	-12%
246	308	608	Liverpool Walton	LAB	6,789	7,833	7,151	6,454	-10%	-18%	-5%
306	389	619	Liverpool West Derby	LAB	5,645	6,492	5,760	5,125	-11%	-21%	-9%
543	506	554	Livingston	LAB	2,468	3,727	3,306	2,747	-17%	-26%	11%
9	271	519	Llanelli	LAB	2,444	3,435	2,921	2,886	-1%	-16%	18%
159	181	230	Loughborough	CON	1,754	3,478	3,319	3,054	-8%	-12%	74%
454	371	181	Ludlow	CON	1,243	2,898	2,685	2,308	-14%	-20%	86%
386	376	243	Luton South	CON	3,046	6,538	5,933	5,194	-12%	-21%	71%
476	468	364	Macclesfield	CON	1,417	2,667	2,368	2,020	-15%	-24%	43%
340	402	24	Maidstone	CON	1,225	3,987	3,524	3,113	-12%	-22%	154%
547	572	561	Makerfield	LAB	2,659	4,166	3,510	2,910	-17%	-30%	9%
296	346	568	Manchester Blackley	LAB	4,080	5,418	4,889	4,370	-11%	-19%	7%
361	465	617	Manchester Central	LAB	7,406	8,962	7,730	6,795	-12%	-24%	-8%
77	137	487	Manchester Gorton	LAB	4,316	5,922	5,636	5,309	-6%	-10%	23%
175	58	412	Manchester Withington	LAB	4,252	5,979	6,216	5,696	-8%	-5%	34%
410	355	558	Manchester Wythenshawe	LAB	3,769	5,178	4,787	4,161	-13%	-20%	10%
433	168	420	Mansfield	LAB	3,040	4,560	4,671	4,032	-14%	-12%	33%
203	471	142	Medway	CON	1,941	5,078	4,220	3,837	-9%	-24%	98%
5	63	172	Meirionnydd nant Conwy	PC	797	1,584	1,494	1,504	1%	-5%	89%
481	517	434	Meriden	CON	3,296	5,870	5,047	4,297	-15%	-27%	30%
101	229	569	Merthyr Tydfil and Rhymney	LAB	3,141	3,902	3,583	3,355	-6%	-14%	7%
333	377	26	Mid Bedfordshire	CON	1,244	3,932	3,532	3,123	-12%	-21%	151%
299	347	106	Mid Kent	CON	1,846	4,751	4,293	3,832	-11%	-19%	108%
151	182	83	Mid Norfolk	CON	1,235	3,051	2,905	2,679	-8%	-12%	117%
563	497	263	Mid Staffordshire	CON	1,532	3,405	3,074	2,528	-18%	-26%	65%
587	580	8	Mid Sussex	CON	727	2,915	2,486	2,011	-19%	-31%	177%
469	429	213	Mid Worcestershire	CON	2,086	4,835	4,360	3,725	-15%	-23%	79%
126	73	549	Middlesbrough	LAB	5,789	6,878	6,977	6,476	-7%	-6%	12%
482	458	605	Midlothian	LAB	2,556	3,232	2,889	2,458	-15%	-24%	-4%
565	534	14	Milton Keynes North-East	CON	1048	3,827	3,353	2,754	-18%	-28%	163%
592	548	82	Milton Keynes South-West	CON	1,541	4,712	4,170	3,350	-20%	-29%	117%
91	107	45	Mitcham and Morden	CON	1,997	5,160	5,046	4,733	-6%	-8%	137%
567	608	10	Mole Valley	CON	549	2,244	1,802	1,479	-18%	-34%	169%
559	500	624	Monklands East	LAB	3,345	3,852	3,464	2,853	-18%	-26%	-15%
505	356	595	Monklands West	LAB	2,504	3,095	2,952	2,487	-16%	-20%	-1%

C. Change in number of unemployed claimants by parliamentary constituency, August 1990 - August 1995
not adjusted for discontinuities

2. Alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in
GB, highest to lowest

			Claimants				Change				
94-95	92-95	90-95	Party	Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
510	299	349	Monmouth	CON	1,487	2,620	2,578	2,169	-16%	-17%	46%
350	452	329	Montgomery	LD	764	1,499	1,296	1,143	-12%	-24%	50%
43	6	317	Moray	SNP	1,945	2,708	3,098	2,966	-4%	10%	52%
54	138	401	Morecambe and Lunesdale	CON	2,046	3,093	2,907	2,772	-5%	-10%	35%
81	326	443	Morley and Leeds South	LAB	2,365	3,737	3,246	3,051	-6%	-18%	29%
461	447	615	Motherwell North	LAB	3,573	4,322	3,856	3,305	-14%	-24%	-8%
596	551	612	Motherwell South	LAB	3,141	4,169	3,700	2,958	-20%	-29%	-6%
106	192	451	Neath	LAB	1,866	2,741	2,561	2,393	-7%	-13%	28%
548	422	95	New Forest	CON	1,014	2,794	2,609	2,163	-17%	-23%	113%
289	155	293	Newark	CON	2,139	3,801	3,770	3,374	-11%	-11%	58%
581	625	84	Newbury	LD	1013	3,588	2,688	2,192	-18%	-39%	116%
541	487	404	Newcastle-under-Lyme	LAB	1,893	3,427	3,076	2,559	-17%	-25%	35%
15	35	469	Newcastle-upon-Tyne Central	LAB	3,648	4,661	4,666	4,580	-2%	-2%	26%
6	20	454	Newcastle-upon-Tyne East	LAB	4,200	5,251	5,356	5,382	0%	2%	28%
73	108	508	Newcastle-upon-Tyne North	LAB	3,373	4,387	4,261	4,020	-6%	-8%	19%
272	150	296	Newham North East	LAB	4,007	7,094	7,028	6,309	-10%	-11%	57%
19	25	215	Newham North West	LAB	3,475	6,236	6,339	6,198	-2%	-1%	78%
12	55	235	Newham South	LAB	3,405	6,157	5,976	5,874	-2%	-5%	73%
431	303	407	Newport East	LAB	2,393	3,904	3,736	3,227	-14%	-17%	35%
360	143	360	Newport West	LAB	2,588	4,139	4,209	3,701	-12%	-11%	43%
477	278	413	Normanton	LAB	1,912	3,060	3,000	2,559	-15%	-16%	34%
468	253	210	North Bedfordshire	CON	2,256	4,746	4,726	4,038	-15%	-15%	79%
532	412	183	North Colchester	CON	1,878	4,479	4,165	3,479	-16%	-22%	85%
196	335	203	North Cornwall	LD	2,036	4,547	4,046	3,690	-9%	-19%	81%
515	541	264	North Devon	LD	1,883	4,345	3,696	3,105	-16%	-29%	65%
549	627	132	North Dorset	CON	880	2,920	2,131	1,766	-17%	-40%	101%
214	205	521	North Durham	LAB	3,133	4,249	4,064	3,689	-9%	-13%	18%
441	413	237	North East Cambridgeshire	CON	1,965	4,357	3,930	3,384	-14%	-22%	72%
302	180	396	North East Derbyshire	LAB	2,662	4,124	4,064	3,625	-11%	-12%	36%
338	32	339	North East Fife	LD	1,275	1,912	2,133	1,885	-12%	-1%	48%
503	550	153	North Hertfordshire	CON	1,682	4,608	3,874	3,270	-16%	-29%	94%
519	494	133	North Luton	CON	1,785	4,813	4,266	3,579	-16%	-26%	101%
51	187	145	North Norfolk	CON	1,304	2,928	2,683	2,559	-5%	-13%	96%
554	339	265	North Shropshire	CON	1,603	3,249	3,184	2,633	-17%	-19%	64%
83	54	400	North Tayside	CON	1,425	2,026	2,058	1,933	-6%	-5%	36%
130	33	165	North Thanet	CON	2,501	4,856	5,161	4,786	-7%	-1%	91%
614	631	429	North Warwickshire	LAB	2,077	4,714	3,481	2,727	-22%	-42%	31%
155	249	567	North West Durham	LAB	3,010	3,789	3,502	3,227	-8%	-15%	7%
634	633	209	North West Hampshire	CON	869	2,875	2,361	1,557	-34%	-46%	79%
446	414	271	North West Leicestershire	CON	1,590	3,344	3,019	2,597	-14%	-22%	63%
465	431	375	North West Norfolk	CON	2,205	3,997	3,594	3,078	-14%	-23%	40%
631	629	33	North West Surrey	CON	801	3,263	2,703	1,950	-28%	-40%	143%
575	566	131	North Wiltshire	CON	1,461	4,186	3,589	2,934	-18%	-30%	101%
318	425	174	Northampton North	CON	1,888	4,614	4,014	3,559	-11%	-23%	89%
402	531	134	Northampton South	CON	1,814	5,035	4,167	3,635	-13%	-28%	100%
526	546	229	Northavon	CON	1,650	4,052	3,445	2,885	-16%	-29%	75%
165	160	221	Norwich North	CON	1,791	3,572	3,447	3,166	-8%	-11%	77%
147	188	336	Norwich South	LAB	3,167	5,366	5,080	4,689	-8%	-13%	48%
143	43	240	Norwood	LAB	4,608	8,165	8,543	7,894	-8%	-3%	71%
113	115	411	Nottingham East	LAB	5,981	8,819	8,623	8,028	-7%	-9%	34%
316	314	460	Nottingham North	LAB	4,165	6,447	5,968	5,294	-11%	-18%	27%
281	194	402	Nottingham South	LAB	3,858	5,986	5,827	5,225	-10%	-13%	35%
618	615	334	Nuneaton	LAB	2,046	4,720	3,917	3,035	-23%	-36%	48%

C. Change in number of unemployed claimants by parliamentary constituency, August 1990 - August 1995
 not adjusted for discontinuities

2. Alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in
 GB, highest to lowest

			Claimants				Change				
94-95	92-95	90-95	Party	Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
485	523	577	Ogmore	LAB	2,320	3,298	2,829	2,404	-15%	-27%	4%
424	438	40	Old Bexley and Sidcup	CON	752	2,345	2,080	1,800	-13%	-23%	139%
545	524	570	Oldham Central and Royton	LAB	3,655	5,358	4,686	3,891	-17%	-27%	6%
455	536	564	Oldham West	LAB	2,635	3,977	3,324	2,855	-14%	-28%	8%
1	7	531	Orkney and Shetland	LD	761	811	844	881	4%	9%	16%
120	342	125	Orpington	CON	1,041	2,608	2,270	2,110	-7%	-19%	103%
224	203	143	Oxford East	LAB	1,878	4,259	4,079	3,698	-9%	-13%	97%
474	623	287	Oxford West and Abingdon	CON	1,282	3,305	2,385	2,035	-15%	-38%	59%
347	247	576	Paisley North	LAB	3,108	3,806	3,678	3,245	-12%	-15%	4%
558	297	588	Paisley South	LAB	2,846	3,444	3,462	2,852	-18%	-17%	0%
53	27	273	Peckham	LAB	4,847	7,980	8,298	7,914	-5%	-1%	63%
20	39	318	Pembroke	LAB	2,994	4,695	4,671	4,565	-2%	-3%	52%
591	595	486	Pendle	LAB	1,841	3,355	2,816	2,266	-20%	-32%	23%
44	78	246	Penrith and the Borders	CON	1,231	2,217	2,178	2,084	-4%	-6%	69%
102	68	414	Perth and Kinross	SNP	2,007	2,836	2,867	2,683	-6%	-5%	34%
430	461	308	Peterborough	CON	3,639	7,390	6,491	5,608	-14%	-24%	54%
234	387	439	Plymouth Devonport	LAB	3,470	5,695	4,971	4,499	-9%	-21%	30%
25	125	357	Plymouth Drake	CON	3,747	5,981	5,555	5,396	-3%	-10%	44%
26	295	328	Plymouth Sutton	CON	2,324	4,201	3,586	3,479	-3%	-17%	50%
388	383	540	Pontefract and Castleford	LAB	2,843	4,079	3,689	3,227	-13%	-21%	14%
305	337	478	Pontypridd	LAB	2,405	3,693	3,360	2,994	-11%	-19%	24%
562	583	107	Poole	CON	1,646	4,986	4,145	3,410	-18%	-32%	107%
256	418	208	Portsmouth North	CON	2,087	4,842	4,169	3,756	-10%	-22%	80%
146	330	257	Portsmouth South	CON	3,595	7,363	6,490	5,991	-8%	-19%	67%
266	379	559	Preston	LAB	4,172	5,803	5,117	4,598	-10%	-21%	10%
273	321	367	Pudsey	CON	1,529	2,655	2,420	2,172	-10%	-18%	42%
154	178	139	Putney	CON	1,952	4,398	4,203	3,874	-8%	-12%	98%
381	246	39	Ravensbourne	CON	847	2,387	2,324	2,036	-12%	-15%	140%
500	390	81	Reading East	CON	1,557	4,294	4,004	3,387	-15%	-21%	118%
617	316	22	Reading West	CON	1,084	3,377	3,568	2,772	-22%	-18%	156%
226	85	535	Redcar	LAB	4,490	5,492	5,658	5,128	-9%	-7%	14%
534	509	20	Reigate	CON	786	2,745	2,418	2,019	-17%	-26%	157%
552	467	573	Renfrew West and Inverclyde	LAB	1,906	2,640	2,417	2,000	-17%	-24%	5%
276	445	590	Rhondda	LAB	2,910	3,810	3,248	2,914	-10%	-24%	0%
414	535	437	Ribble Valley	CON	985	1,777	1,472	1,278	-13%	-28%	30%
30	29	251	Richmond	CON	1,627	2,755	2,823	2,730	-3%	-1%	68%
312	504	161	Richmond-upon-Thames and Barnes	CON	1,215	3,173	2,635	2,339	-11%	-26%	93%
195	393	532	Rochdale	LD	3,589	5,282	4,554	4,154	-9%	-21%	16%
249	479	47	Rochford	CON	1,210	3,802	3,171	2,860	-10%	-25%	136%
436	554	85	Romford	CON	1,084	3,304	2,716	2,343	-14%	-29%	116%
621	620	285	Romsey and Waterside	CON	1,463	3,712	3,035	2,336	-23%	-37%	60%
597	622	604	Rossendale and Darwen	LAB	2,439	3,789	2,941	2,351	-20%	-38%	-4%
423	12	459	Ross, Cromarty and Skye	LD	2,406	2,913	3,542	3,066	-13%	5%	27%
323	179	421	Rother Valley	LAB	2,906	4,382	4,350	3,853	-11%	-12%	33%
56	167	507	Rotherham	LAB	3,788	5,107	4,750	4,517	-5%	-12%	19%
7	162	366	Roxburgh and Berwickshire	LD	952	1,527	1,353	1,353	0%	-11%	42%
572	597	301	Rugby and Kenilworth	CON	1,745	4,042	3,320	2,719	-18%	-33%	56%
529	363	23	Ruislip - Northwood	CON	690	2,204	2,103	1,760	-16%	-20%	155%
311	274	258	Rushcliffe	CON	1,874	3,722	3,515	3,121	-11%	-16%	67%
490	540	283	Rutland and Melton	CON	1,281	2,875	2,423	2,056	-15%	-28%	60%
278	47	266	Ryedale	CON	1,347	2,297	2,455	2,202	-10%	-4%	63%
293	527	36	Saffron Walden	CON	997	3,317	2,687	2,403	-11%	-28%	141%
479	382	597	Salford East	LAB	4,636	5,803	5,388	4,593	-15%	-21%	-1%

C. Change in number of unemployed claimants by parliamentary constituency, August 1990 - August 1995
not adjusted for discontinuities

2. Alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in
GB, highest to lowest

			Claimants				Change				
94-95	92-95	90-95	Party	Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
374	560	247	Salisbury	CON	1,500	3,599	2,886	2,532	-12%	-30%	69%
36	64	291	Scarborough	CON	2,319	3,867	3,817	3,667	-4%	-5%	58%
292	223	529	Sedgefield	LAB	2,194	2,958	2,850	2,549	-11%	-14%	16%
403	40	242	Selby	CON	1,554	2,729	3,042	2,653	-13%	-3%	71%
387	426	60	Sevenoaks	CON	1003	2,949	2,599	2,274	-13%	-23%	127%
240	258	452	Sheffield Attercliffe	LAB	2,930	4,420	4,155	3,755	-10%	-15%	28%
275	280	522	Sheffield Brightside	LAB	4,261	5,993	5,582	5,008	-10%	-16%	18%
139	243	527	Sheffield Central	LAB	5,801	7,913	7,309	6,763	-7%	-15%	17%
40	71	418	Sheffield Hallam	CON	2,602	3,664	3,605	3,461	-4%	-6%	33%
255	245	483	Sheffield Heeley	LAB	3,770	5,463	5,172	4,660	-10%	-15%	24%
131	218	406	Sheffield Hillsborough	LAB	2,837	4,441	4,135	3,834	-7%	-14%	35%
472	126	307	Sherwood	LAB	2,388	4,087	4,314	3,683	-15%	-10%	54%
162	244	295	Shipley	CON	1,615	2,979	2,767	2,545	-8%	-15%	58%
602	575	1	Shoreham	CON	641	3,021	2,647	2,101	-21%	-30%	228%
405	351	300	Shrewsbury and Atcham	CON	1,698	3,290	3,039	2,650	-13%	-19%	56%
310	266	170	Skipton and Ripon	CON	1,032	2,315	2,196	1,951	-11%	-16%	89%
585	491	135	Slough	CON	2,257	6,053	5,552	4,517	-19%	-25%	100%
573	557	297	Solihull	CON	1,533	3,395	2,937	2,402	-18%	-29%	57%
452	563	205	Somerton and Frome	CON	1,364	3,509	2,865	2,463	-14%	-30%	81%
580	473	162	South Colchester and Maldon	CON	1,911	4,872	4,504	3,675	-18%	-25%	92%
301	319	226	South Derbyshire	CON	1,726	3,691	3,388	3,023	-11%	-18%	75%
421	386	192	South Dorset	CON	1,764	4,095	3,737	3,236	-13%	-21%	83%
521	502	64	South East Cambridgeshire	CON	858	2,591	2,279	1,911	-16%	-26%	123%
211	239	200	South East Cornwall	CON	1,872	3,984	3,753	3,408	-9%	-14%	82%
564	577	390	South East Staffordshire	CON	2,396	4,735	4,006	3,292	-18%	-30%	37%
242	275	169	South Hams	CON	1,734	3,917	3,633	3,283	-10%	-16%	89%
45	106	99	South Norfolk	CON	1,332	3,059	2,934	2,807	-4%	-8%	111%
593	596	490	South Ribble	CON	1,949	3,519	2,961	2,376	-20%	-32%	22%
80	34	472	South Shields	LAB	4,029	5,131	5,372	5,050	-6%	-2%	25%
517	469	311	South Staffordshire	CON	2,093	4,244	3,828	3,214	-16%	-24%	54%
207	408	120	South Suffolk	CON	1,533	4,014	3,438	3,124	-9%	-22%	104%
67	96	171	South Thanet	CON	1,894	3,854	3,783	3,578	-5%	-7%	89%
603	609	114	South West Bedfordshire	CON	1,411	4,431	3,650	2,895	-21%	-35%	105%
484	530	108	South West Cambridgeshire	CON	1,264	3,625	3,080	2,618	-15%	-28%	107%
566	542	30	South West Hertfordshire	CON	910	3,122	2,713	2,227	-18%	-29%	145%
135	415	306	South West Norfolk	CON	1,945	3,867	3,243	3,003	-7%	-22%	54%
629	624	32	South West Surrey	CON	671	2,665	2,199	1,638	-26%	-39%	144%
427	495	113	South Worcestershire	CON	1,221	3,373	2,900	2,507	-14%	-26%	105%
366	394	288	Southampton Itchen	LAB	3,107	6,277	5,609	4,927	-12%	-22%	59%
349	428	245	Southampton Test	CON	2,671	5,866	5,127	4,522	-12%	-23%	69%
125	83	94	Southend East	CON	2,254	5,141	5,180	4,810	-7%	-6%	113%
378	145	65	Southend West	CON	1,594	3,969	4,043	3,545	-12%	-11%	122%
223	135	387	Southport	CON	2,343	3,606	3,566	3,233	-9%	-10%	38%
63	57	233	Southwark and Bermondsey	LD	4,270	7,774	7,823	7,411	-5%	-5%	74%
622	605	12	Spelthorne	CON	785	3,135	2,712	2,078	-23%	-34%	165%
624	618	93	St Albans	CON	989	3,348	2,771	2,115	-24%	-37%	114%
294	348	553	St Helens North	LAB	3,325	4,598	4,147	3,708	-11%	-19%	12%
254	404	580	St Helens South	LAB	4,011	5,250	4,548	4,098	-10%	-22%	2%
57	384	356	St Ives	CON	2,740	4,991	4,151	3,946	-5%	-21%	44%
408	285	220	Stafford	CON	1,556	3,315	3,175	2,763	-13%	-17%	78%
382	421	344	Staffordshire Moorlands	CON	1,311	2,488	2,200	1,927	-12%	-23%	47%
258	395	468	Stalybridge and Hyde	LAB	2,785	4,472	3,899	3,509	-10%	-22%	26%
518	456	286	Stamford and Spalding	CON	1,248	2,609	2,368	1,987	-16%	-24%	59%

C. Change in number of unemployed claimants by parliamentary constituency, August 1990 - August 1995
not adjusted for discontinuities

2. Alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in
GB, highest to lowest

			Claimants				Change				
94-95	92-95	90-95	Party	Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
283	518	48	Stevenage	CON	1,592	5,143	4,194	3,759	-10%	-27%	136%
204	139	537	Stirling	CON	2,141	2,729	2,686	2,442	-9%	-11%	14%
308	263	446	Stockport	LAB	2,020	3,077	2,920	2,597	-11%	-16%	29%
74	61	498	Stockton North	LAB	4,718	5,973	6,018	5,674	-6%	-5%	20%
112	22	425	Stockton South	CON	3,973	5,191	5,638	5,250	-7%	1%	32%
86	392	351	Stoke-on-Trent Central	LAB	2,484	4,592	3,848	3,612	-6%	-21%	45%
385	547	331	Stoke-on-Trent North	LAB	2,098	4,398	3,573	3,128	-12%	-29%	49%
209	516	354	Stoke-on-Trent South	LAB	1,928	3,803	3,066	2,785	-9%	-27%	44%
590	578	100	Stratford-on-Avon	CON	1,062	3,218	2,770	2,231	-19%	-31%	110%
235	241	510	Strathkelvin and Bearsden	LAB	2,114	2,941	2,778	2,514	-10%	-15%	19%
118	30	198	Streatham	LAB	3,851	7,106	7,560	7,028	-7%	-1%	82%
230	260	557	Stretford	LAB	5,301	6,935	6,480	5,871	-9%	-15%	11%
599	603	187	Stroud	CON	1,601	4,438	3,703	2,956	-20%	-33%	85%
150	15	9	Suffolk Coastal	CON	1,029	2,723	3,085	2,845	-8%	4%	176%
71	191	602	Sunderland North	LAB	6,023	6,700	6,196	5,851	-6%	-13%	-3%
50	82	546	Sunderland South	LAB	4,875	5,836	5,721	5,462	-5%	-6%	12%
270	296	6	Surbiton	CON	687	2,304	2,125	1,908	-10%	-17%	178%
128	459	29	Sutton and Cheam	CON	989	3,194	2,617	2,428	-7%	-24%	146%
475	477	284	Sutton Coldfield	CON	1,511	3,217	2,840	2,423	-15%	-25%	60%
370	338	587	Swansea East	LAB	2,883	3,566	3,293	2,891	-12%	-19%	0%
449	313	526	Swansea West	LAB	3,144	4,460	4,263	3,666	-14%	-18%	17%
550	616	277	Swindon	CON	2,483	6,316	4,861	4,027	-17%	-36%	62%
451	364	280	Tatton	CON	1,394	2,809	2,609	2,243	-14%	-20%	61%
166	304	227	Taunton	CON	1,864	3,947	3,555	3,262	-8%	-17%	75%
380	410	105	Teignbridge	CON	1,357	3,633	3,222	2,823	-12%	-22%	108%
379	104	97	The City of London & Westminster South	CON	1,811	4,161	4,368	3,829	-12%	-8%	111%
569	507	335	The Wrekin	LAB	2,978	5,986	5,376	4,411	-18%	-26%	48%
233	221	154	Thurrock	LAB	2,174	4,884	4,654	4,213	-9%	-14%	94%
285	451	166	Tiverton	CON	1,233	3,092	2,632	2,358	-10%	-24%	91%
352	538	46	Tonbridge and Malling	CON	1,140	3,769	3,065	2,701	-12%	-28%	137%
186	118	147	Tooting	LAB	3,149	6,789	6,738	6,158	-9%	-9%	96%
183	112	157	Torbay	CON	2,376	5,018	5,014	4,589	-8%	-9%	93%
530	544	513	Torfaen	LAB	2,625	4,372	3,720	3,113	-16%	-29%	19%
368	279	222	Torridge and West Devon	CON	1,956	4,128	3,930	3,451	-12%	-16%	76%
208	51	279	Tottenham	LAB	6,946	11,773	12,379	11,245	-9%	-4%	62%
269	283	289	Truro	LD	2,356	4,473	4,158	3,734	-10%	-17%	58%
87	230	2	Tunbridge Wells	CON	871	3,123	2,855	2,679	-6%	-14%	208%
129	222	463	Tweeddale, Ettrick and Lauderdale	LD	948	1,393	1,295	1,201	-7%	-14%	27%
437	396	49	Twickenham	CON	1,070	3,199	2,909	2,509	-14%	-22%	134%
189	228	579	Tyne Bridge	LAB	5,703	6,800	6,404	5,850	-9%	-14%	3%
4	3	369	Tynemouth	CON	3,276	4,153	4,553	4,619	1%	11%	41%
494	450	41	Upminster	CON	1,045	3,263	2,936	2,489	-15%	-24%	138%
409	543	112	Uxbridge	CON	1,200	3,462	2,835	2,466	-13%	-29%	106%
132	102	370	Vale of Glamorgan	CON	2,573	3,935	3,912	3,624	-7%	-8%	41%
185	173	324	Vauxhall	LAB	5,812	9,923	9,583	8,759	-9%	-12%	51%
137	209	444	Wakefield	LAB	2,883	4,283	4,012	3,714	-7%	-13%	29%
248	238	538	Wallasey	LAB	4,359	5,796	5,499	4,962	-10%	-14%	14%
14	14	426	Wallsend	LAB	4,075	5,135	5,470	5,373	-2%	5%	32%
239	291	379	Walsall North	LAB	3,481	5,824	5,352	4,838	-10%	-17%	39%
177	289	389	Walsall South	LAB	3,458	5,717	5,194	4,757	-8%	-17%	38%
100	119	168	Walthamstow	LAB	2,607	5,463	5,286	4,950	-6%	-9%	90%
329	17	376	Wansbeck	LAB	2,836	3,841	4,472	3,956	-12%	3%	39%
298	423	117	Wansdyke	CON	1,287	3,402	2,947	2,633	-11%	-23%	105%

C. Change in number of unemployed claimants by parliamentary constituency, August 1990 - August 1995
not adjusted for discontinuities

2. Alphabetical listing

Rank by % change in
GB, highest to lowest

			Party	Claimants				Change			
94-95	92-95	90-95		Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
104	89	53	Wanstead and Woodford	CON	1171	2,913	2,900	2,713	-6%	-7%	132%
551	600	136	Wantage	CON	866	2,595	2,091	1,732	-17%	-33%	100%
315	309	399	Warley East	LAB	3,040	5,019	4,660	4,134	-11%	-18%	36%
351	398	333	Warley West	LAB	2,437	4,628	4,112	3,624	-12%	-22%	49%
300	474	495	Warrington North	LAB	2,821	4,510	3,809	3,399	-11%	-25%	20%
277	367	395	Warrington South	LAB	2,444	4,196	3,729	3,345	-10%	-20%	37%
493	526	292	Warwick and Leamington	CON	1,845	4,021	3,438	2,915	-15%	-28%	58%
601	592	69	Watford	CON	1,432	4,681	3,986	3,174	-20%	-32%	122%
68	11	151	Waveney	CON	2,380	4,337	4,900	4,633	-5%	7%	95%
608	594	43	Wealden	CON	801	2,812	2,411	1,903	-21%	-32%	138%
557	553	255	Wellingborough	CON	1,698	4,002	3,439	2,838	-17%	-29%	67%
393	417	116	Wells	CON	1,408	3,719	3,301	2,885	-13%	-22%	105%
595	630	149	Welwyn Hatfield	CON	1,209	4,012	2,951	2,361	-20%	-41%	95%
124	133	523	Wentworth	LAB	3,506	4,581	4,423	4,108	-7%	-10%	17%
453	455	471	West Bromwich East	LAB	3,017	4,970	4,404	3,786	-14%	-24%	25%
413	368	448	West Bromwich West	SPKR	3,431	5,530	5,077	4,408	-13%	-20%	28%
148	214	298	West Derbyshire	CON	1,294	2,341	2,194	2,024	-8%	-14%	56%
173	475	115	West Dorset	CON	980	2,667	2,193	2,010	-8%	-25%	105%
533	435	239	West Gloucestershire	CON	1,639	3,655	3,366	2,811	-16%	-23%	72%
513	537	28	West Hertfordshire	CON	1,197	4,109	3,509	2,949	-16%	-28%	146%
507	508	534	West Lancashire	LAB	3,220	4,998	4,372	3,681	-16%	-26%	14%
200	514	195	Westbury	CON	1,714	4,274	3,442	3,132	-9%	-27%	83%
2	53	517	Western Isles	LAB	1,385	1,717	1,601	1,639	2%	-5%	18%
525	217	173	Westminster North	CON	3,210	7,013	7,232	6,057	-16%	-14%	89%
38	79	13	Westmorland and Lonsdale	CON	608	1,705	1,666	1,600	-4%	-6%	163%
418	294	182	Weston-Super-Mare	CON	1,996	4,464	4,265	3,698	-13%	-17%	85%
506	555	600	Wigan	LAB	3,824	5,271	4,437	3,736	-16%	-29%	-2%
267	329	68	Wimbledon	CON	1,310	3,569	3,233	2,904	-10%	-19%	122%
626	567	80	Winchester	CON	947	2,942	2,736	2,062	-25%	-30%	118%
610	579	50	Windsor and Maidenhead	CON	963	3,263	2,864	2,256	-21%	-31%	134%
179	235	449	Wirral South	CON	2,094	3,138	2,935	2,687	-8%	-14%	28%
210	196	503	Wirral West	CON	2,416	3,321	3,190	2,897	-9%	-13%	20%
156	602	76	Witney	CON	853	2,814	2,035	1,875	-8%	-33%	120%
616	617	71	Woking	CON	902	3,132	2,561	1,995	-22%	-36%	121%
600	606	86	Wokingham	CON	923	3,010	2,500	1,994	-20%	-34%	116%
528	512	566	Wolverhampton North East	LAB	4,279	6,286	5,510	4,612	-16%	-27%	8%
538	481	516	Wolverhampton South East	LAB	3,439	5,432	4,882	4,072	-17%	-25%	18%
334	322	427	Wolverhampton South West	CON	3,354	5,401	4,997	4,418	-12%	-18%	32%
568	569	193	Woodspring	CON	1,297	3,389	2,893	2,374	-18%	-30%	83%
48	120	309	Woolwich	LAB	3,777	6,422	6,086	5,817	-4%	-9%	54%
280	505	330	Worcester	CON	2,234	4,522	3,717	3,333	-10%	-26%	49%
88	45	388	Workington	LAB	2,440	3,500	3,582	3,361	-6%	-4%	38%
577	586	585	Worsley	LAB	2,944	4,352	3,635	2,971	-18%	-32%	1%
620	525	126	Worthing	CON	1,329	3,703	3,487	2,685	-23%	-27%	102%
243	484	496	Wrexham	LAB	2,327	3,747	3,102	2,802	-10%	-25%	20%
188	522	127	Wycombe	CON	1,581	4,374	3,492	3,190	-9%	-27%	102%
271	323	480	Wyre	CON	1,669	2,537	2,311	2,075	-10%	-18%	24%
523	318	262	Wyre Forest	CON	1,981	3,993	3,904	3,271	-16%	-18%	65%
578	582	250	Yeovil	LD	1,438	3,518	2,957	2,413	-18%	-31%	68%
346	328	501	Ynys Mon	PC	2,599	3,832	3,534	3,118	-12%	-19%	20%
62	19	337	York	LAB	3,007	4,332	4,688	4,450	-5%	3%	48%
Great Britain					1,559,626	2,734,118	2,537,178	2,258,195	-11%	-17%	45%

D. Residence-based unemployment rates in Northern Ireland constituencies, August 1995

not seasonally adjusted

Ranked Listing

Rank	Party	Claimants			Rate			
		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
1	Belfast West	SDLP	6,093	1,128	7,221	33.9%	8.9%	23.5%
2	Foyle	SDLP	7,023	1,776	8,799	25.6%	10.0%	19.5%
3	Belfast North	UUP	4,541	1,133	5,674	26.2%	9.1%	19.1%
4	Belfast South	UUP	3,899	1,976	5,875	22.5%	13.5%	18.4%
5	Newry and Armagh	SDLP	5,183	1,538	6,721	21.1%	10.4%	17.0%
6	Mid-Ulster	DUP	4,872	1,526	6,398	19.0%	10.5%	15.9%
7	Fermanagh and South Tyrone	UUP	4,703	1,508	6,211	18.9%	10.5%	15.8%
8	East Londonderry	UUP	5,074	1,666	6,740	17.9%	9.2%	14.5%
9	Belfast East	DUP	2,812	1,037	3,849	16.3%	7.8%	12.6%
10	South Down	SDLP	4,173	1,568	5,741	14.8%	8.8%	12.4%
11	North Antrim	DUP	3,540	1,206	4,746	13.9%	7.4%	11.3%
12	East Antrim	UUP	3,119	1,124	4,243	13.7%	7.0%	11.0%
13	Lagan Valley	UUP	3,320	1,272	4,592	11.8%	6.5%	9.6%
14	Upper Bann	UUP	2,908	1,036	3,944	12.0%	6.1%	9.6%
15	North Down	UKU	2,689	1,244	3,933	11.2%	7.0%	9.4%
16	South Antrim	UUP	2,645	1,125	3,770	9.9%	5.9%	8.2%
17	Strangford	UUP	2,394	1,104	3,498	9.2%	5.8%	7.8%
Northern Ireland			68,988	22,967	91,955	17.0%	8.3%	13.5%

E. Change in the number of unemployed claimants in Northern Ireland constituencies, Aug 1990-1995

not adjusted for discontinuities

Ranked Listing

Rank by % change in
NI, highest to lowest

			Party	Claimants				Change			
94-95	92-95	90-95		Aug 1990	Aug 1992	Aug 1994	Aug 1995	1994-95	1992-95	1990-95	
1	5	4	Strangford	UUP	3,364	4,056	3,635	3,498	-4%	-14%	4%
2	4	3	South Down	SDLP	5,300	6,616	5,976	5,741	-4%	-13%	8%
3	3	2	North Down	UKU	3,623	4,287	4,126	3,933	-5%	-8%	9%
4	1	1	Belfast South	UUP	4,974	6,260	6,171	5,875	-5%	-6%	18%
5	2	6	Belfast East	DUP	3,949	4,182	4,084	3,849	-6%	-8%	-3%
6	9	11	North Antrim	DUP	5,083	5,582	5,097	4,746	-7%	-15%	-7%
7	8	8	Newry and Armagh	SDLP	7,048	7,857	7,234	6,721	-7%	-14%	-5%
8	6	5	Fermanagh and South Tyrone	UUP	6,370	7,232	6,761	6,211	-8%	-14%	-2%
9	15	12	East Antrim	UUP	4,563	5,609	4,655	4,243	-9%	-24%	-7%
10	11	9	South Antrim	UUP	3,978	4,702	4,142	3,770	-9%	-20%	-5%
11	7	7	Lagan Valley	UUP	4,763	5,364	5,062	4,592	-9%	-14%	-4%
12	12	14	Foyle	SDLP	9,863	11,037	9,717	8,799	-9%	-20%	-11%
13	10	10	East Londonderry	UUP	7,177	8,230	7,553	6,740	-11%	-18%	-6%
14	13	13	Mid-Ulster	DUP	7,035	8,030	7,190	6,398	-11%	-20%	-9%
15	17	17	Upper Bann	UUP	5,128	5,479	4,511	3,944	-13%	-28%	-23%
16	14	15	Belfast North	UUP	6,720	7,122	6,644	5,674	-15%	-20%	-16%
17	16	16	Belfast West	SDLP	9,212	9,745	8,531	7,221	-15%	-26%	-22%
Northern Ireland					98,150	111,390	101,089	91,955	-9%	-17%	-6%

Recent papers on related subjects have been:

Employment & Training

Background Paper

292	Unemployment in Parliamentary Constituencies	19.06.92
-----	----------------------------------------------	----------

Research Paper

95/93	Unemployment by Constituency: July 1995	16.08.95
-------	-----------------------------------------	----------

95/51	Employment & Training Schemes for the Unemployed	21.04.95
-------	--------------------------------------------------	----------

95/7	A Minimum Wage	17.01.95
------	----------------	----------

93/44	Census 1991: Constituency Data: Economic Activity	14.04.93
-------	---------------------------------------------------	----------

95/94	Census Data for the new parliamentary constituencies in England and Wales (two volumes)	05.09.95
-------	-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------	----------

Economic Policy & Taxation

Research Paper

95/82	Economic Indicators: July 1995	3.7.95
-------	--------------------------------	--------