

# **Unemployment by Constituency November 1996**

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Official monthly unemployment rates for parliamentary constituencies only exist for those few constituencies which are self-contained labour markets. This paper presents up-to-date residence-based unemployment rates not published elsewhere for all 651 constituencies in the UK, using figures for the number of unemployed claimants from the monthly count and data for the economically active population from the 1991 Census of Population.

In May 1996 the Office for National Statistics moved to a 1991 ward base for the unemployment statistics. This means that for many constituencies it is no longer possible to make direct comparisons with previously published data. As a result, this Paper no longer includes a table on changes in the level of unemployment in recent years. Research Paper 96/63 provides a guide to the methodology and to which constituencies are affected by the change in the geographical base.

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## I Introduction

Official monthly 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 published elsewhere. These use figures for the number of unemployed claimants from the monthly count and figures for the number of people economically active derived from the 1991 Census of Population.

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, as they take no account of people's ability to seek work outside the constituency in which they live. For a full exposition of the methodology used to calculate these rates, see the Research Paper 96/63.

The data contained in this Paper are generally not comparable with figures published in this series of Papers of this series prior to May 1996. This is because in May 1996 the ONS changed the geographical basis of the monthly claimant count. Previously, the monthly figures have related to parliamentary constituencies defined in terms of frozen 1981 wards. From the April 1996 figures onwards, data are based on constituencies defined in terms of frozen 1991 wards. Whilst figures for January, February and March 1996 were re-released on the new basis, back-runs of figures for dates prior to 1996 will not be published. For many constituencies therefore, there will be a discontinuity in the figures at the end of 1995. For this reason it is no longer possible to produce tables showing the change in the number of claimants 1 year, 3 years and 5 years ago.

Notes to tables:

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
VAC	Vacant seat		

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2. The data from the 1991 Census of Population used for the denominators in calculating residence-based unemployment rates were obtained from the dataset known as the Local Base Statistics. In the case of the Censuses for England and Wales, and Northern Ireland, the raw data relate to areas known as "Enumeration Districts". These data are first aggregated into electoral wards and then wards are aggregated to form constituency totals. In Scotland the raw data relate to "Output Areas". These figures are not available at a ward level but are aggregated directly into higher level geographical areas such as constituencies and districts.

There is inevitably a time-lag between changes in electoral ward boundaries being incorporated into parliamentary constituencies. This means that wards are not always coterminous with constituencies. Where this is the case, wards have been best-fitted to constituencies on the basis of the constituency where the majority of the population are thought to live. Those constituencies where such a process has been employed are denoted "\*\*\*" in all the tables in this paper.

3. Wirral South is currently vacant.

## II Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, November 1999 United Kingdom constituencies

### A. (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall

unemployment rate

UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI	Party	Claimants			Rate		
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
270		19			LAB	1,577	398	1,975	10.1%	3.6%	7.4%
358			49		LAB	1,766	415	2,181	8.8%	2.6%	6.1%
421			59		CON	1,460	477	1,937	6.9%	2.9%	5.1%
641	514				CON	1,144	399	1,543	2.9%	1.4%	2.3%
459	345				CON	1,469	500	1,969	6.1%	2.9%	4.7%
556	433				CON	1,169	415	1,584	4.9%	2.2%	3.7%
446		34			LAB	1,447	457	1,904	6.4%	2.8%	4.9%
440	330				CON	1,656	543	2,199	6.4%	2.9%	4.9%
322			45		SNP	1,883	698	2,581	8.4%	4.1%	6.5%
233			34		LD	1,749	664	2,413	9.8%	5.2%	7.9%
439	329				CON	1,703	516	2,219	6.7%	2.6%	4.9%
294	217				LAB	2,455	674	3,129	9.5%	3.6%	7.0%
416	309				CON	1,863	524	2,387	6.9%	2.7%	5.2%
348	258				LAB	1,830	533	2,363	8.5%	3.2%	6.2%
592	467				CON	1,386	474	1,860	4.2%	1.9%	3.2%
217			32		CON	2,377	788	3,165	10.8%	4.7%	8.2%
611	485				CON	1,183	447	1,630	3.7%	1.9%	3.0%
539			68		SNP	1,243	391	1,634	4.9%	2.4%	3.9%
115	92				LAB	2,318	755	3,073	13.0%	6.1%	10.2%
227	166				LAB	2,134	483	2,617	11.4%	3.5%	8.0%
175	129				LAB	2,096	474	2,570	12.1%	4.0%	8.8%
317	233				LAB	1,874	590	2,464	8.7%	3.7%	6.6%
274	203				LAB	2,593	627	3,220	10.1%	3.5%	7.3%
249	183				CON	2,580	858	3,438	9.8%	4.6%	7.6%
612	486				CON	1,326	487	1,813	3.8%	1.8%	2.9%
264	196				LAB	2,432	663	3,095	10.0%	3.9%	7.4%
234	170				LD	2,261	789	3,050	10.6%	4.5%	7.8%
395	293				CON	2,176	585	2,761	7.5%	2.8%	5.5%
147	111				CON	3,372	1,323	4,695	12.5%	5.6%	9.3%
627	500				CON	875	322	1,197	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%
251	185				CON	2,286	784	3,070	10.1%	4.4%	7.6%
106			9		DUP	2,417	725	3,142	14.0%	5.5%	10.3%
29			3		UUP	3,658	728	4,386	21.1%	5.8%	14.7%
44			4		UUP	3,097	1,279	4,376	17.8%	8.8%	13.7%
10			1		SDLP	4,735	745	5,480	26.4%	5.9%	17.9%
295	218				LD	1,728	568	2,296	9.1%	4.1%	7.0%
5	5				LAB	5,112	1,376	6,488	25.4%	10.9%	19.8%
488	372				CON	1,588	616	2,204	5.6%	2.8%	4.4%
418	311				CON	1,222	435	1,657	6.7%	3.1%	5.1%
469	354				CON	1,277	489	1,766	5.9%	3.0%	4.6%
513	395				CON	1,651	629	2,280	5.1%	2.7%	4.1%
42	36				LAB	4,146	1,000	5,146	19.6%	6.2%	13.8%
174	128				CON	2,017	677	2,694	11.8%	5.0%	8.8%
114	91				LAB	2,540	779	3,319	13.4%	5.7%	10.2%
231	168				CON	2,299	641	2,940	10.8%	4.0%	7.9%
58	47				LAB	3,233	870	4,103	16.7%	6.6%	12.6%
11	10				LAB	4,810	1,492	6,302	23.8%	9.8%	17.7%
153	117				LAB	3,105	899	4,004	12.6%	4.8%	9.2%
82	68				LAB	3,785	1,079	4,864	14.8%	5.9%	11.1%
188	141				LAB	2,842	942	3,784	11.6%	4.9%	8.7%
2	2				LAB	4,892	1,342	6,234	26.3%	12.0%	21.0%
8	8				LAB	4,346	1,193	5,539	23.0%	10.4%	18.3%
196	145				LAB	2,135	716	2,851	11.1%	5.1%	8.6%
316	232				LAB	2,350	555	2,905	9.3%	3.0%	6.7%
635	508				CON	1,019	416	1,435	3.1%	1.7%	2.5%

## II Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, November 1999 United Kingdom constituencies

### A. (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall

unemployment rate					Party	Claimants			Rate		
UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI		Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
277	206				LAB	2,594	556	3,150	10.2%	3.1%	7.2%
172	126				CON	2,367	599	2,966	12.7%	4.0%	8.9%
225	164				CON	2,247	568	2,815	11.6%	3.6%	8.0%
195		13			LAB	2,079	469	2,548	11.8%	3.9%	8.6%
319	235				LAB	2,102	549	2,651	9.2%	3.1%	6.6%
246	180				LAB	2,275	740	3,015	10.3%	4.3%	7.6%
268	199				LAB	2,288	573	2,861	10.0%	3.6%	7.4%
368	275				IND	1,785	417	2,202	8.5%	2.6%	5.9%
312	230				LAB	2,211	494	2,705	9.5%	2.9%	6.7%
506	388				CON	1,514	407	1,921	5.9%	2.1%	4.2%
415	308				CON	1,971	696	2,667	6.5%	3.3%	5.2%
40	34				LAB	4,613	1,050	5,663	20.0%	6.1%	14.1%
638	511				CON	923	388	1,311	2.9%	1.6%	2.4%
181	134				CON	2,869	832	3,701	12.0%	4.5%	8.7%
293	216				CON	2,392	661	3,053	9.6%	3.6%	7.0%
14	13				LAB	4,961	1,321	6,282	23.1%	8.8%	17.2%
107	87				LAB	3,437	849	4,286	14.3%	4.8%	10.3%
291	214				LAB	2,577	658	3,235	10.0%	3.3%	7.1%
57	46				LAB	3,913	1,092	5,005	16.6%	6.8%	12.7%
467	352				CON	1,800	658	2,458	5.8%	3.0%	4.7%
448		35			CON	1,017	427	1,444	5.8%	3.5%	4.9%
36	31				LAB	4,525	1,593	6,118	19.0%	8.3%	14.2%
224	163				CON	2,314	955	3,269	10.0%	5.5%	8.0%
31	26				LAB	4,479	1,526	6,005	19.4%	8.3%	14.4%
311	229				CON	2,489	934	3,423	8.8%	4.1%	6.7%
579	454				CON	1,099	373	1,472	4.4%	2.1%	3.4%
384		31			LAB	1,477	459	1,936	7.6%	3.1%	5.7%
296	219				CON	2,181	738	2,919	8.9%	4.3%	7.0%
284	210				CON	2,740	881	3,621	9.3%	4.2%	7.2%
276	205				CON	2,857	875	3,732	9.4%	4.2%	7.3%
50	40				CON	3,546	1,226	4,772	17.5%	8.0%	13.4%
52	42				CON	3,511	1,331	4,842	17.2%	8.2%	13.2%
177	130				LAB	2,865	872	3,737	11.9%	4.7%	8.8%
337	249				CON	2,249	636	2,885	8.7%	3.2%	6.3%
179	132				LAB	2,988	806	3,794	11.9%	4.4%	8.8%
156	118				CON	3,080	1,182	4,262	12.1%	5.7%	9.2%
541	419				CON	1,316	527	1,843	4.9%	2.6%	3.9%
483	368				CON	1,665	616	2,281	5.7%	2.9%	4.5%
470	355				CON	1,629	615	2,244	5.9%	3.0%	4.6%
640	513				CON	640	262	902	2.8%	1.6%	2.3%
568	443				LAB	1,240	317	1,557	5.2%	1.7%	3.6%
365	272				CON	2,163	732	2,895	7.7%	3.6%	6.0%
565	441				CON	1,264	414	1,678	4.9%	2.0%	3.6%
453	340				CON	1,501	525	2,026	6.3%	2.8%	4.8%
574	449				CON	1,550	588	2,138	4.3%	2.3%	3.5%
108		2			PC	2,037	615	2,652	13.4%	5.8%	10.3%
210		15			LAB	2,468	576	3,044	11.5%	3.7%	8.2%
140			15		LD	1,340	454	1,794	11.8%	5.9%	9.4%
477	362				CON	1,617	589	2,206	6.0%	2.8%	4.6%
342	253				LAB	1,895	647	2,542	8.3%	3.7%	6.3%
456	342				LAB	1,734	581	2,315	6.1%	2.9%	4.8%
336	248				CON	2,115	658	2,773	8.5%	3.5%	6.3%
160		9			LAB	2,364	743	3,107	12.5%	4.9%	9.2%
493		37			CON	1,077	366	1,443	5.9%	2.4%	4.3%
134		7			LAB	2,878	648	3,526	13.8%	4.2%	9.7%



## II Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, November 1999 United Kingdom constituencies

### A. (not seasonally adjusted) - alphabetical listing

Rank by overall

unemployment rate

UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI	Party	Claimants			Rate		
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
130		5			LAB	2,780	668	3,448	13.9%	4.3%	9.7%
326	239				LAB	1,800	491	2,291	9.2%	3.1%	6.5%
328		25			LAB	1,831	623	2,454	8.2%	3.9%	6.4%
128			13		LAB	2,519	678	3,197	13.2%	4.9%	9.8%
407	302				CON	1,760	600	2,360	7.0%	3.1%	5.3%
406	301				CON	1,679	621	2,300	6.5%	3.5%	5.3%
164			24		LAB	2,357	783	3,140	11.9%	5.2%	9.0%
532	413				CON	1,545	571	2,116	5.0%	2.6%	4.0%
310		23			PC	1,727	611	2,338	8.5%	4.3%	6.7%
621	494				CON	874	337	1,211	3.6%	1.8%	2.8%
509	391				CON	1,716	692	2,408	5.1%	2.9%	4.2%
329	241				CON	1,643	846	2,489	7.7%	4.9%	6.4%
389	288				LD	2,174	696	2,870	7.5%	3.1%	5.6%
598	473				CON	1,166	406	1,572	4.1%	1.9%	3.1%
646	519				CON	767	256	1,023	2.9%	1.3%	2.2%
250	184				LAB	2,609	764	3,373	10.3%	4.0%	7.6%
593	468				CON	1,120	402	1,522	4.2%	2.0%	3.2%
320	236				CON	1,720	604	2,324	8.5%	4.0%	6.5%
471	356				CON	1,324	461	1,785	6.1%	2.7%	4.6%
413	307				CON	1,301	440	1,741	6.9%	3.1%	5.2%
490	373				CON	1,745	548	2,293	5.9%	2.4%	4.4%
517	399				LD	1,064	387	1,451	5.2%	2.6%	4.1%
614	487				CON	1,165	459	1,624	3.6%	1.9%	2.9%
362	269				CON	1,823	535	2,358	8.2%	3.2%	6.0%
350	259				LAB	1,854	507	2,361	8.6%	3.0%	6.2%
237			35		LAB	1,843	528	2,371	10.8%	4.0%	7.8%
167		10			CON	2,433	711	3,144	12.3%	4.6%	8.9%
374		29			LAB	1,516	532	2,048	7.3%	3.6%	5.8%
158			21		LAB	2,116	454	2,570	13.5%	3.7%	9.2%
323			46		LAB	1,990	529	2,519	8.9%	3.2%	6.5%
454	341				CON	1,625	598	2,223	6.2%	3.0%	4.8%
595	470				CON	1,062	407	1,469	4.0%	2.1%	3.2%
121		4			CON	2,220	633	2,853	13.9%	5.0%	10.0%
186	139				LAB	2,351	664	3,015	11.5%	4.7%	8.7%
512	394				CON	1,456	486	1,942	5.4%	2.4%	4.1%
142	109				LAB	2,988	812	3,800	12.8%	4.8%	9.4%
299	221				LAB	1,665	525	2,190	9.2%	3.9%	7.0%
116	93				LAB	2,299	626	2,925	13.6%	5.2%	10.1%
409	304				CON	1,472	555	2,027	6.7%	3.3%	5.3%
540	418				CON	1,679	523	2,202	5.3%	2.1%	3.9%
412	306				LAB	1,902	590	2,492	6.9%	3.0%	5.2%
396	294				CON	2,076	750	2,826	7.2%	3.3%	5.5%
241	175				CON	2,149	692	2,841	10.3%	4.3%	7.7%
182	135				CON	2,988	1,051	4,039	11.7%	5.1%	8.7%
119	95				LAB	2,868	1,070	3,938	13.1%	6.1%	10.0%
572	447				CON	1,141	390	1,531	4.6%	2.1%	3.5%
378			52		LAB	1,442	423	1,865	8.0%	2.9%	5.8%
168			25		LAB	2,097	667	2,764	11.6%	5.1%	8.9%
146			17		LAB	2,273	653	2,926	12.7%	4.9%	9.3%
189		11			LAB	1,851	443	2,294	12.0%	4.0%	8.7%
243	177				LAB	2,160	610	2,770	10.3%	4.0%	7.7%
192	143				LAB	2,829	698	3,527	12.0%	4.0%	8.6%
386	285				CON	2,130	715	2,845	7.3%	3.4%	5.6%
629	502				CON	886	434	1,320	3.0%	2.0%	2.6%
463	349				CON	1,487	412	1,899	6.6%	2.3%	4.7%

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Rank by overall

unemployment rate

UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI	Party	Claimants			Rate			
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
397		33			Delyn	LAB	1,594	532	2,126	7.1%	3.2%	5.5%
361	268				Denton and Reddish	LAB	2,079	607	2,686	8.3%	3.2%	6.1%
283	209				Derby North	CON	2,553	818	3,371	9.5%	4.1%	7.2%
69	57				Derby South	LAB	3,821	1,058	4,879	15.7%	6.1%	11.7%
615	488				Devizes ***	CON	1,273	529	1,802	3.5%	2.0%	2.9%
422	313				Dewsbury	LAB	1,807	529	2,336	6.8%	2.7%	5.1%
216	156				Don Valley	LAB	2,929	815	3,744	10.9%	4.3%	8.2%
76	63				Doncaster Central	LAB	3,612	946	4,558	15.4%	5.6%	11.3%
124	98				Doncaster North	LAB	3,461	800	4,261	13.5%	4.6%	9.8%
245	179				Dover	CON	2,584	675	3,259	10.4%	3.8%	7.6%
199	146				Dudley East	LAB	2,997	941	3,938	10.7%	5.0%	8.4%
462	348				Dudley West	LAB	2,046	750	2,796	5.9%	3.0%	4.7%
79	66				Dulwich	LAB	2,830	1,128	3,958	15.0%	6.9%	11.2%
211			30		Dumbarton	LAB	2,377	708	3,085	11.1%	4.4%	8.2%
359			50		Dumfries	CON	1,765	636	2,401	7.8%	3.7%	6.1%
80			6		Dundee East	LAB	3,059	834	3,893	15.9%	5.4%	11.2%
104			10		Dundee West	LAB	2,790	798	3,588	14.9%	5.0%	10.3%
203			28		Dunfermline East	LAB	2,063	590	2,653	11.1%	4.5%	8.4%
324			47		Dunfermline West	LAB	1,673	479	2,152	8.9%	3.4%	6.5%
218	157				Ealing Acton	CON	2,745	1,079	3,824	10.7%	5.1%	8.2%
232	169				Ealing North	CON	2,723	990	3,713	10.4%	4.8%	7.9%
229	167				Ealing Southall	LAB	2,993	972	3,965	10.7%	4.4%	7.9%
289	212				Easington	LAB	2,009	431	2,440	10.2%	2.9%	7.1%
176				12	East Antrim	UUP	2,598	809	3,407	11.4%	5.1%	8.8%
628	501				East Berkshire ***	CON	1,336	437	1,773	3.4%	1.5%	2.6%
626	499				East Hampshire	CON	1,222	458	1,680	3.2%	1.7%	2.6%
398			54		East Kilbride	LAB	1,785	609	2,394	7.3%	3.1%	5.5%
201	148				East Lindsey	CON	2,762	1,033	3,795	10.3%	5.6%	8.4%
60				8	East Londonderry	UUP	4,467	1,264	5,731	15.7%	7.0%	12.3%
420			58		East Lothian	LAB	1,677	450	2,127	7.2%	2.5%	5.1%
625	498				East Surrey	CON	759	275	1,034	3.4%	1.7%	2.7%
367	274				Eastbourne	CON	1,850	577	2,427	8.3%	3.1%	6.0%
564	440				Eastleigh	LD	1,760	525	2,285	4.9%	2.0%	3.6%
486			63		Eastwood	CON	1,325	469	1,794	5.7%	2.7%	4.4%
344	255				Eccles	LAB	1,934	497	2,431	8.8%	2.9%	6.3%
500	382				Eddisbury	CON	1,485	502	1,987	5.5%	2.6%	4.3%
197			27		Edinburgh Central	LAB	2,196	792	2,988	11.8%	4.8%	8.5%
288			41		Edinburgh East	LAB	1,633	418	2,051	10.5%	3.2%	7.1%
154			18		Edinburgh Leith	LAB	2,661	756	3,417	13.3%	4.4%	9.2%
385			53		Edinburgh Pentlands	CON	1,646	460	2,106	8.1%	2.7%	5.6%
306			43		Edinburgh South	LAB	1,733	518	2,251	9.8%	3.4%	6.9%
538			67		Edinburgh West	CON	1,132	291	1,423	5.8%	1.8%	4.0%
99	83				Edmonton	CON	3,305	1,127	4,432	13.6%	6.3%	10.5%
408	303				Ellesmere Port and Neston	LAB	1,868	539	2,407	7.1%	2.8%	5.3%
492	375				Elmet	CON	1,496	487	1,983	5.8%	2.4%	4.3%
165	121				Eltham	CON	2,161	688	2,849	11.9%	5.0%	8.9%
275	204				Enfield North	CON	2,536	810	3,346	9.7%	4.1%	7.3%
302	223				Enfield Southgate	CON	2,087	829	2,916	8.7%	4.5%	6.9%
430	320				Epping Forest	CON	1,600	593	2,193	6.3%	3.2%	5.0%
600	475				Epsom and Ewell	CON	1,054	358	1,412	4.1%	1.8%	3.1%
393	291				Erewash	CON	2,135	708	2,843	7.2%	3.3%	5.5%
202	149				Erith and Crayford	CON	2,503	865	3,368	10.8%	5.1%	8.4%
631	504				Esher	CON	694	299	993	3.1%	1.8%	2.6%
343	254				Exeter	CON	2,373	728	3,101	8.7%	3.3%	6.3%
282			39		Falkirk East	LAB	1,840	532	2,372	9.8%	3.7%	7.2%

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265			37		Falkirk West	LAB	1,799	509	2,308	10.3%	3.7%	7.4%
152	116				Falmouth and Camborne	CON	2,790	850	3,640	12.1%	5.2%	9.2%
580	455				Fareham	CON	1,360	489	1,849	4.3%	2.1%	3.4%
259	192				Faversham	CON	3,000	974	3,974	9.5%	4.6%	7.5%
262	195				Feltham and Heston	LAB	3,157	1,071	4,228	9.7%	4.4%	7.4%
53				7	Fermanagh and South Tyrone	UUP	4,042	1,063	5,105	16.2%	7.4%	13.0%
327	240				Finchley	CON	1,692	751	2,443	8.0%	4.5%	6.5%
180	133				Folkestone and Hythe	CON	2,917	740	3,657	12.0%	4.3%	8.8%
17				2	Foyle	SDLP	6,082	1,295	7,377	22.2%	7.3%	16.4%
161	119				Fulham	CON	2,723	1,257	3,980	12.0%	6.0%	9.1%
605	479				Fylde ***	CON	822	278	1,100	4.0%	1.8%	3.0%
411	305				Gainsborough and Horncastle	CON	1,625	647	2,272	6.3%	3.7%	5.3%
286			40		Galloway and Upper Nithsdale	CON	1,681	597	2,278	8.9%	4.5%	7.1%
223	162				Gateshead East	LAB	2,442	586	3,028	11.4%	3.6%	8.1%
400	296				Gedling	CON	1,845	654	2,499	7.2%	3.2%	5.4%
388	287				Gillingham	CON	2,029	753	2,782	6.9%	3.7%	5.6%
300	222				Glanford and Scunthorpe	LAB	2,405	697	3,102	9.1%	3.8%	6.9%
314			44		Glasgow Cathcart	LAB	1,409	360	1,769	9.7%	3.0%	6.7%
45			4		Glasgow Central	LAB	2,936	686	3,622	19.2%	6.1%	13.7%
73			5		Glasgow Garscadden	LAB	2,008	378	2,386	17.7%	4.0%	11.5%
100			8		Glasgow Govan	LAB	2,124	514	2,638	15.2%	4.6%	10.5%
118			12		Glasgow Hillhead	LAB	2,495	840	3,335	13.8%	5.6%	10.1%
38			3		Glasgow Maryhill	LAB	2,912	842	3,754	19.6%	7.2%	14.1%
102			9		Glasgow Pollok	LAB	2,291	541	2,832	14.7%	4.6%	10.4%
27			2		Glasgow Provan	LAB	2,546	521	3,067	22.0%	6.0%	15.1%
162			23		Glasgow Rutherglen	LAB	2,195	527	2,722	12.9%	4.0%	9.1%
157			20		Glasgow Shettleston	LAB	2,182	448	2,630	13.3%	3.6%	9.2%
26			1		Glasgow Springburn	LAB	3,148	757	3,905	22.2%	6.6%	15.2%
357	266				Gloucester	CON	2,549	806	3,355	8.2%	3.4%	6.1%
563			70		Gordon	LD	1,399	666	2,065	4.3%	2.8%	3.6%
502	384				Gosport	CON	1,386	549	1,935	5.3%	2.9%	4.3%
347		26			Gower	LAB	1,476	492	1,968	8.2%	3.6%	6.2%
494	376				Grantham	CON	1,646	669	2,315	5.3%	3.0%	4.3%
278	207				Gravesham ***	CON	2,505	832	3,337	9.2%	4.4%	7.2%
85	71				Great Grimsby	LAB	3,715	828	4,543	15.2%	4.9%	11.0%
91	76				Great Yarmouth	CON	3,304	1,085	4,389	13.8%	6.5%	10.8%
281			38		Greenock and Port Glasgow	LAB	1,797	360	2,157	10.9%	2.7%	7.2%
70	58				Greenwich	LAB	2,572	930	3,502	15.2%	7.0%	11.6%
632	505				Guildford	CON	966	332	1,298	3.3%	1.5%	2.5%
3	3				Hackney North and Stoke Newington	LAB	6,406	2,375	8,781	26.7%	12.7%	20.6%
4	4				Hackney South and Shoreditch	LAB	6,555	2,167	8,722	27.8%	11.3%	20.4%
447	336				Halesowen and Stourbridge	CON	1,740	656	2,396	6.1%	3.1%	4.9%
279	208				Halifax	LAB	2,617	742	3,359	10.1%	3.6%	7.2%
166	122				Halton	LAB	3,160	937	4,097	11.9%	4.8%	8.9%
238			36		Hamilton	LAB	2,342	574	2,916	11.0%	3.6%	7.8%
43	37				Hammersmith	LAB	3,873	1,549	5,422	18.2%	8.5%	13.7%
141	108				Hampstead and Highgate	LAB	2,947	1,475	4,422	11.8%	6.7%	9.4%
633	506				Harborough	CON	906	377	1,283	3.1%	1.7%	2.5%
399	295				Harlow	CON	1,871	733	2,604	6.8%	3.6%	5.4%
527	408				Harrogate	CON	1,334	606	1,940	5.0%	2.8%	4.0%
370	277				Harrow East	CON	2,234	893	3,127	7.5%	3.9%	5.9%
479	364				Harrow West	CON	1,592	638	2,230	5.8%	3.0%	4.5%
83	69				Hartlepool	LAB	3,697	799	4,496	15.6%	4.7%	11.1%
187	140				Harwich	CON	2,654	751	3,405	11.6%	4.6%	8.7%
135	105				Hastings and Rye	CON	3,175	917	4,092	13.2%	5.0%	9.7%

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394	292					Havant	2,121	522	2,643	7.7%	2.6%	5.5%
363	270					Hayes and Harlington	1,851	637	2,488	7.8%	3.7%	6.0%
588	463					Hazel Grove	1,065	287	1,352	4.5%	1.6%	3.3%
254	188					Hemsworth	1,968	515	2,483	10.3%	3.7%	7.6%
273	202					Hendon North	1,884	685	2,569	9.6%	4.5%	7.4%
290	213					Hendon South	1,737	716	2,453	8.8%	4.8%	7.1%
647	520					Henley ***	725	271	996	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%
387	286					Hereford	1,776	723	2,499	7.0%	3.9%	5.6%
622	495					Hertford and Stortford	1,019	452	1,471	3.3%	2.0%	2.7%
566	442					Hertsmere	1,292	456	1,748	4.7%	2.2%	3.6%
491	374					Hexham	1,103	435	1,538	5.4%	2.9%	4.4%
292	215					Heywood and Middleton	1,954	600	2,554	9.5%	3.8%	7.0%
516	398					High Peak	1,458	481	1,939	5.4%	2.4%	4.1%
33	28					Holborn and St Pancras	4,505	1,710	6,215	19.1%	8.6%	14.3%
503	385					Holland with Boston	1,309	451	1,760	5.4%	2.6%	4.3%
468	353					Honiton ***	1,361	505	1,866	6.0%	2.9%	4.7%
458	344					Hornchurch	1,403	500	1,903	6.0%	3.0%	4.7%
68	56					Hornsey and Wood Green	4,616	1,987	6,603	15.1%	7.7%	11.7%
643	516					Horsham	937	344	1,281	2.9%	1.4%	2.3%
266	197					Houghton and Washington	2,883	772	3,655	10.3%	3.6%	7.4%
117	94					Hove	3,010	1,122	4,132	13.1%	6.2%	10.1%
145	110					Huddersfield	2,822	848	3,670	12.6%	5.1%	9.4%
606	480					Huntingdon	1,510	616	2,126	3.7%	2.1%	3.0%
535	415					Hyndburn	1,160	326	1,486	5.5%	2.0%	4.0%
334	246					Ilford North	1,764	626	2,390	8.2%	3.9%	6.4%
122	96					Ilford South	2,857	957	3,814	12.7%	6.0%	9.9%
228			33			Inverness, Nairn and Lochaber	2,669	925	3,594	10.4%	4.7%	8.0%
285	211					Ipswich ***	2,450	669	3,119	9.7%	3.7%	7.1%
136	106					Isle of Wight	3,834	1,344	5,178	12.3%	5.8%	9.5%
16	15					Islington North	5,197	2,154	7,351	21.8%	10.4%	16.5%
28	24					Islington South and Finsbury	4,248	1,709	5,957	19.2%	9.7%	15.0%
390		32				Islwyn	1,264	365	1,629	7.5%	2.9%	5.5%
126	100					Jarrow	2,789	698	3,487	13.5%	4.6%	9.8%
424	315					Keighley	1,551	558	2,109	6.6%	3.1%	5.1%
92	77					Kensington	2,717	1,288	4,005	13.2%	7.7%	10.7%
537	417					Kettering	1,354	456	1,810	5.2%	2.3%	4.0%
159			22			Kilmarnock and Loudoun	2,660	847	3,507	12.2%	5.1%	9.2%
602			72			Kincardine and Deeside	965	413	1,378	3.7%	2.2%	3.1%
105	86					Kingston-upon-Hull East	3,353	793	4,146	14.1%	4.9%	10.3%
64	52					Kingston-upon-Hull North	4,045	1,016	5,061	16.2%	5.8%	11.9%
61	49					Kingston-upon-Hull West	3,123	846	3,969	16.3%	6.3%	12.2%
480	365					Kingston-upon-Thames	1,236	473	1,709	5.8%	2.9%	4.5%
402	298					Kingswood	1,913	620	2,533	7.2%	3.0%	5.4%
110			11			Kirkcaldy	2,432	778	3,210	13.6%	5.7%	10.2%
46	38					Knowsley North	3,005	803	3,808	18.5%	6.9%	13.6%
67	55					Knowsley South	3,506	882	4,388	16.5%	5.6%	11.8%
280				15		Lagan Valley	2,627	817	3,444	9.3%	4.2%	7.2%
353	262					Lancaster	1,581	501	2,082	8.3%	3.4%	6.1%
171	125					Langbaugh	3,301	947	4,248	11.8%	4.7%	8.9%
32	27					Leeds Central	4,032	974	5,006	20.1%	6.6%	14.4%
74	61					Leeds East	3,353	877	4,230	15.9%	5.5%	11.5%
269	200					Leeds North East	2,177	767	2,944	9.9%	4.3%	7.4%
364	271					Leeds North West	1,638	612	2,250	7.9%	3.7%	6.0%
240	174					Leeds West	2,582	637	3,219	10.9%	3.5%	7.7%
219	158					Leicester East	2,311	856	3,167	10.6%	5.0%	8.1%

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125	99				LAB	3,348	958	4,306	13.4%	5.0%	9.8%
123	97				LAB	3,237	868	4,105	13.8%	4.8%	9.9%
379	281				LAB	1,974	511	2,485	7.9%	2.8%	5.7%
528	409				CON	1,251	500	1,751	4.8%	2.8%	4.0%
436	326				CON	1,614	504	2,118	6.7%	2.7%	5.0%
19	17				LAB	4,892	1,721	6,613	22.0%	9.2%	16.2%
89	75				LAB	2,976	981	3,957	14.7%	6.1%	10.9%
59	48				LAB	3,782	1,218	5,000	17.2%	6.7%	12.4%
41	35				LAB	4,102	1,319	5,421	18.9%	7.8%	14.0%
149	113				CON	3,490	1,014	4,504	12.4%	4.9%	9.3%
429			60		LAB	1,644	433	2,077	7.1%	2.4%	5.0%
553	430				LD	1,253	443	1,696	5.0%	2.2%	3.8%
34	29				LAB	3,890	1,026	4,916	20.0%	6.8%	14.3%
78	65				LAB	2,843	757	3,600	15.7%	5.5%	11.3%
56	45				LD	3,239	1,006	4,245	17.7%	6.6%	12.7%
1	1				LAB	4,369	1,207	5,576	30.7%	11.6%	22.6%
39	33				LAB	4,513	1,141	5,654	19.9%	6.6%	14.1%
37	32				LAB	3,535	904	4,439	19.7%	6.7%	14.2%
410			56		LAB	1,747	527	2,274	7.3%	2.7%	5.3%
193		12			LAB	2,134	703	2,837	11.1%	5.1%	8.6%
496	378				CON	1,514	541	2,055	5.6%	2.6%	4.3%
578	453				CON	1,105	398	1,503	4.2%	2.2%	3.4%
206	152				CON	3,172	930	4,102	10.7%	4.7%	8.3%
609	483				CON	1,177	346	1,523	4.1%	1.6%	3.0%
452	339				CON	1,766	579	2,345	6.3%	2.8%	4.8%
423	314				LAB	1,767	553	2,320	6.7%	2.8%	5.1%
98	82				LAB	2,671	641	3,312	14.8%	4.8%	10.5%
13	12				LAB	4,253	984	5,237	23.7%	8.4%	17.6%
22	20				LAB	4,045	1,175	5,220	21.6%	8.6%	16.1%
65	53				LAB	3,310	1,153	4,463	16.0%	6.9%	11.9%
75	62				LAB	2,777	628	3,405	16.3%	4.9%	11.4%
247	181				LAB	2,448	663	3,111	10.5%	3.8%	7.6%
298	220				CON	2,201	757	2,958	8.7%	4.5%	7.0%
198		14			PC	1,150	434	1,584	10.5%	5.6%	8.5%
318	234				CON	2,537	869	3,406	8.5%	4.0%	6.6%
143		8			LAB	2,391	482	2,873	13.3%	3.8%	9.4%
585	460				CON	1,419	598	2,017	4.0%	2.4%	3.3%
434	324				CON	1,989	656	2,645	6.4%	3.0%	5.0%
514	396				CON	1,537	548	2,085	5.2%	2.6%	4.1%
554	431				CON	1,321	500	1,821	4.7%	2.4%	3.8%
623	496				CON	1,106	368	1,474	3.6%	1.6%	2.7%
433	323				CON	2,101	846	2,947	6.3%	3.3%	5.0%
15	14				LAB	4,553	1,018	5,571	23.6%	7.6%	17.0%
489			64		LAB	1,421	343	1,764	6.4%	1.9%	4.4%
49				6	DUP	4,333	1,099	5,432	16.9%	7.5%	13.5%
530	411				CON	1,359	465	1,824	5.2%	2.4%	4.0%
428	319				CON	1,817	561	2,378	6.7%	2.8%	5.0%
190	142				CON	2,811	981	3,792	11.3%	5.1%	8.6%
649	522				CON	689	219	908	2.8%	1.2%	2.1%
191			26		LAB	2,031	513	2,544	11.8%	4.1%	8.6%
301			42		LAB	1,657	402	2,059	9.8%	3.1%	6.9%
449		36			CON	1,246	460	1,706	6.2%	3.1%	4.9%
613		38			LD	544	208	752	3.6%	2.0%	2.9%
371			51		SNP	1,748	622	2,370	7.1%	3.9%	5.8%
214	155				CON	2,005	559	2,564	11.2%	4.2%	8.2%

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351	260				LAB	1,939	545	2,484	8.5%	3.1%	6.1%
215			31		LAB	2,350	529	2,879	11.5%	3.6%	8.2%
155			19		LAB	2,143	491	2,634	13.2%	4.0%	9.2%
287		21			LAB	1,726	444	2,170	9.8%	3.5%	7.1%
519	401				CON	1,211	423	1,634	5.3%	2.5%	4.1%
375	278				CON	1,806	662	2,468	7.2%	3.7%	5.8%
637	510				LD	991	362	1,353	3.0%	1.5%	2.4%
438	328				LAB	1,524	484	2,008	6.6%	2.8%	4.9%
88	74				LAB	2,707	758	3,465	15.2%	5.4%	10.9%
54	43				LAB	3,178	856	4,034	18.0%	6.3%	12.9%
236	172				LAB	2,505	654	3,159	11.1%	3.6%	7.8%
35	30				LAB	3,953	1,145	5,098	18.1%	8.2%	14.2%
9	9				LAB	3,922	1,166	5,088	23.7%	10.1%	18.1%
24	22				LAB	3,724	1,160	4,884	20.7%	8.9%	15.7%
272		20			LAB	1,898	559	2,457	9.7%	4.0%	7.4%
212		16			LAB	2,219	635	2,854	11.2%	4.3%	8.2%
48			5		SDLP	4,279	1,055	5,334	17.4%	7.1%	13.5%
450	337				LAB	1,546	513	2,059	6.4%	2.7%	4.8%
138			11		DUP	3,073	908	3,981	12.0%	5.5%	9.5%
360	267				CON	2,215	835	3,050	7.7%	3.9%	6.1%
485	370				CON	1,797	613	2,410	5.7%	2.7%	4.4%
148	112				LD	2,971	1,202	4,173	11.2%	6.5%	9.3%
345	256				LD	1,959	717	2,676	7.9%	4.0%	6.3%
610	484				CON	968	421	1,389	3.6%	2.2%	3.0%
263			14		UKU	2,217	897	3,114	9.2%	5.0%	7.4%
303	224				LAB	2,462	583	3,045	9.7%	3.1%	6.9%
403	299				CON	1,923	731	2,654	6.6%	3.6%	5.3%
346	257				LAB	2,105	669	2,774	8.2%	3.6%	6.3%
414			57		LD	1,200	464	1,664	6.5%	3.4%	5.2%
543	421				CON	1,548	566	2,114	4.9%	2.5%	3.9%
432	322				CON	1,998	751	2,749	6.3%	3.2%	5.0%
392	290				CON	1,667	563	2,230	7.0%	3.4%	5.5%
546	424				CON	1,405	550	1,955	4.7%	2.6%	3.9%
455			61		CON	1,200	494	1,694	5.9%	3.2%	4.8%
96	80				CON	3,126	811	3,937	14.6%	5.1%	10.6%
495	377				LAB	1,492	561	2,053	5.4%	2.8%	4.3%
252	186				LAB	2,110	519	2,629	10.5%	3.6%	7.6%
650	523				CON	682	281	963	2.2%	1.3%	1.8%
520	402				CON	1,441	488	1,929	5.3%	2.5%	4.1%
377	280				CON	1,980	643	2,623	7.5%	3.4%	5.8%
645	518				CON	1,000	320	1,320	3.0%	1.3%	2.2%
582	457				CON	1,395	578	1,973	4.1%	2.4%	3.4%
401	297				CON	2,028	637	2,665	7.3%	2.9%	5.4%
481	366				CON	1,909	629	2,538	6.0%	2.6%	4.5%
601	476				CON	1,295	547	1,842	3.8%	2.2%	3.1%
354	263				CON	1,893	620	2,513	8.0%	3.6%	6.1%
151	115				LAB	2,843	815	3,658	12.6%	4.8%	9.2%
18	16				LAB	4,644	1,749	6,393	22.0%	9.8%	16.4%
25	23				LAB	4,955	1,393	6,348	21.2%	7.9%	15.4%
97	81				LAB	3,535	771	4,306	15.1%	4.4%	10.6%
84	70				LAB	3,445	977	4,422	15.0%	5.7%	11.0%
461	347				LAB	1,625	592	2,217	6.0%	3.0%	4.7%
373		28			LAB	1,418	334	1,752	8.1%	2.6%	5.8%
475	360				CON	1,080	404	1,484	5.9%	2.9%	4.6%
235	171				LAB	2,532	594	3,126	11.2%	3.4%	7.8%

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unemployment rate

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335	247				LAB	1,790	495	2,285	8.8%	3.2%	6.4%
548			69		LD	623	194	817	4.9%	2.3%	3.9%
521	403				CON	1,167	346	1,513	5.5%	2.2%	4.1%
321	237				LAB	2,001	640	2,641	9.0%	3.5%	6.5%
587	462				CON	1,053	391	1,444	4.2%	2.0%	3.3%
144			16		LAB	2,104	593	2,697	13.6%	4.5%	9.4%
208			29		LAB	1,911	485	2,396	11.9%	3.8%	8.3%
12	11				LAB	4,698	1,640	6,338	23.9%	10.2%	17.7%
95		1			LAB	3,473	1,005	4,478	13.7%	5.9%	10.6%
511	393				LAB	1,297	323	1,620	5.8%	1.9%	4.2%
562	439				CON	1,200	519	1,719	4.4%	2.7%	3.7%
405			55		SNP	1,655	537	2,192	7.2%	2.9%	5.3%
261	194				CON	3,309	1,047	4,356	9.9%	4.2%	7.5%
184	137				LAB	2,818	851	3,669	11.0%	5.1%	8.7%
30	25				CON	3,419	1,107	4,526	18.8%	8.6%	14.6%
331	243				CON	1,979	775	2,754	8.1%	4.2%	6.4%
271	201				LAB	2,301	565	2,866	10.2%	3.5%	7.4%
380		30			LAB	1,760	475	2,235	8.0%	2.8%	5.7%
444	334				CON	1,832	541	2,373	6.6%	2.6%	4.9%
332	244				CON	2,491	781	3,272	8.5%	3.6%	6.4%
101	84				CON	3,681	1,032	4,713	13.9%	5.5%	10.4%
131	103				LAB	3,025	755	3,780	13.5%	4.6%	9.7%
603	477				CON	1,058	378	1,436	4.1%	1.8%	3.1%
257	190				CON	2,191	927	3,118	9.8%	4.8%	7.5%
536	416				CON	1,126	380	1,506	5.2%	2.3%	4.0%
497	379				CON	1,716	485	2,201	5.8%	2.3%	4.3%
508	390				CON	1,606	473	2,079	5.6%	2.2%	4.2%
77	64				LAB	3,357	738	4,095	15.8%	4.9%	11.3%
624	497				CON	971	330	1,301	3.5%	1.6%	2.7%
534			66		LAB	1,167	340	1,507	5.5%	2.0%	4.0%
213		17			LAB	1,994	505	2,499	11.0%	4.1%	8.2%
636	509				CON	765	268	1,033	3.3%	1.5%	2.5%
571	446				CON	1,348	656	2,004	4.0%	2.9%	3.6%
466	351				CON	1,270	589	1,859	5.8%	3.3%	4.7%
242	176				LD	2,596	699	3,295	10.6%	3.8%	7.7%
504	386				CON	1,629	586	2,215	5.4%	2.7%	4.3%
472	357				CON	1,242	384	1,626	6.1%	2.6%	4.6%
594	469				CON	1,319	469	1,788	4.1%	2.0%	3.2%
575	450				LAB	1,372	384	1,756	4.8%	1.7%	3.5%
139			14		LD	2,529	888	3,417	11.7%	6.1%	9.5%
267	198				LAB	2,519	669	3,188	10.1%	3.7%	7.4%
94	79				LAB	3,118	722	3,840	14.8%	4.8%	10.6%
524			65		LD	809	296	1,105	5.2%	2.5%	4.0%
545	423				CON	1,383	599	1,982	4.7%	2.7%	3.9%
570	445				CON	942	375	1,317	4.5%	2.3%	3.6%
482	367				CON	1,649	590	2,239	5.8%	2.8%	4.5%
630	503				CON	1,012	398	1,410	3.2%	1.7%	2.6%
576	451				CON	1,328	552	1,880	4.3%	2.4%	3.5%
604	478				CON	1,077	455	1,532	3.6%	2.2%	3.1%
109	88				LAB	2,492	589	3,081	14.2%	4.7%	10.2%
583	458				CON	1,299	426	1,725	4.4%	2.0%	3.4%
226	165				CON	2,605	880	3,485	10.5%	4.7%	8.0%
417	310				LAB	1,457	387	1,844	7.1%	2.5%	5.2%
473	358				CON	1,604	601	2,205	5.7%	3.0%	4.6%
558	435				CON	1,290	442	1,732	4.8%	2.3%	3.7%

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256	189				LAB	2,411	721	3,132	10.1%	4.1%	7.5%
63	51				LAB	3,563	823	4,386	16.9%	5.4%	12.1%
6	6				LAB	4,580	1,209	5,789	26.0%	10.1%	19.5%
341	252				CON	1,748	807	2,555	7.7%	4.5%	6.3%
137	107				LAB	3,015	868	3,883	12.9%	5.0%	9.5%
356	265				LAB	2,238	823	3,061	8.0%	3.7%	6.1%
369	276				LAB	2,111	619	2,730	8.0%	3.2%	5.9%
498	380				CON	1,428	464	1,892	5.8%	2.4%	4.3%
549	426				CON	1,116	376	1,492	5.1%	2.2%	3.8%
544	422				CON	1,340	423	1,763	5.2%	2.2%	3.9%
616	489				CON	948	435	1,383	3.4%	2.1%	2.8%
305	226				CON	2,762	823	3,585	9.2%	3.7%	6.9%
573	448				CON	1,254	506	1,760	4.4%	2.3%	3.5%
499	381				CON	1,341	579	1,920	5.1%	3.2%	4.3%
349				17	UUP	2,087	747	2,834	7.8%	3.9%	6.2%
442	332				CON	2,101	698	2,799	6.2%	3.0%	4.9%
487	371				CON	1,752	602	2,354	5.7%	2.6%	4.4%
330	242				CON	2,208	722	2,930	8.3%	3.8%	6.4%
120				10	SDLP	3,434	1,161	4,595	12.1%	6.5%	10.0%
618	491				CON	1,103	443	1,546	3.5%	1.9%	2.8%
313	231				CON	2,040	851	2,891	8.1%	4.8%	6.7%
523	405				LAB	1,412	556	1,968	4.9%	2.8%	4.1%
352	261				CON	2,032	819	2,851	7.5%	4.2%	6.1%
501	383				CON	1,561	629	2,190	5.2%	3.0%	4.3%
586	461				CON	1,250	464	1,714	4.3%	2.0%	3.3%
55	44				LAB	3,295	863	4,158	17.3%	6.4%	12.8%
531	412				CON	1,613	632	2,245	4.9%	2.7%	4.0%
515	397				CON	1,707	584	2,291	5.3%	2.5%	4.1%
169	123				CON	2,428	693	3,121	11.9%	4.7%	8.9%
577	452				CON	1,361	581	1,942	4.1%	2.4%	3.4%
599	474				CON	1,279	538	1,817	3.8%	2.2%	3.1%
608	482				CON	1,125	357	1,482	3.9%	1.7%	3.0%
478	363				CON	1,641	656	2,297	5.4%	3.2%	4.5%
642	515				CON	777	277	1,054	2.9%	1.4%	2.3%
557	434				CON	1,340	538	1,878	4.7%	2.5%	3.7%
170	124				LAB	3,079	793	3,872	11.9%	4.4%	8.9%
248	182				CON	2,713	750	3,463	10.4%	3.9%	7.6%
71	59				CON	3,199	935	4,134	15.3%	6.2%	11.5%
244	178				CON	2,234	738	2,972	10.0%	4.5%	7.7%
304	225				CON	2,067	726	2,793	9.2%	4.0%	6.9%
20	18				LD	4,541	1,466	6,007	21.9%	9.0%	16.2%
591	466				CON	1,183	452	1,635	4.1%	2.1%	3.2%
634	507				CON	959	328	1,287	3.3%	1.5%	2.5%
309	228				LAB	2,260	655	2,915	9.1%	3.6%	6.8%
204	150				LAB	2,645	724	3,369	11.4%	4.2%	8.3%
111	89				CON	2,920	1,141	4,061	12.5%	7.0%	10.2%
542	420				CON	1,414	510	1,924	5.0%	2.4%	3.9%
589	464				CON	1,127	455	1,582	4.0%	2.2%	3.2%
355	264				LAB	2,071	633	2,704	8.3%	3.3%	6.1%
584	459				CON	1,098	511	1,609	3.9%	2.5%	3.3%
419	312				CON	1,888	608	2,496	6.7%	3.0%	5.1%
338			48		CON	1,669	523	2,192	8.6%	3.4%	6.3%
427	318				LAB	1,561	404	1,965	7.1%	2.4%	5.0%
86	72				LAB	3,640	924	4,564	15.1%	5.3%	11.0%
200	147				CON	3,166	949	4,115	11.3%	4.5%	8.4%



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unemployment rate

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258	191				LAB	2,290	601	2,891	10.3%	3.7%	7.5%
431	321				LAB	1,799	515	2,314	6.7%	2.6%	5.0%
426	317				LAB	1,750	506	2,256	6.9%	2.6%	5.0%
307				16	UUP	2,234	843	3,077	8.6%	4.5%	6.8%
617	490				LAB	1,083	479	1,562	3.4%	2.0%	2.8%
465			62		LAB	1,435	465	1,900	6.3%	2.6%	4.7%
51	41				LAB	4,087	1,610	5,697	17.7%	8.2%	13.3%
62	50				LAB	3,073	952	4,025	16.3%	6.7%	12.1%
522	404				CON	1,520	612	2,132	5.0%	2.8%	4.1%
476	361				CON	1,751	624	2,375	5.7%	2.9%	4.6%
81	67				LAB	3,633	799	4,432	15.7%	4.8%	11.2%
72	60				LAB	3,775	855	4,630	16.4%	5.0%	11.5%
533	414				CON	941	355	1,296	5.2%	2.5%	4.0%
525	406				CON	1,261	496	1,757	5.2%	2.6%	4.0%
560	437				CON	1,181	541	1,722	4.6%	2.6%	3.7%
230		18			LAB	2,279	469	2,748	11.5%	3.2%	7.9%
133		6			LAB	2,333	637	2,970	13.3%	4.8%	9.7%
445	335				CON	2,402	777	3,179	6.5%	2.8%	4.9%
559	436				CON	1,234	432	1,666	4.8%	2.3%	3.7%
391	289				CON	1,968	661	2,629	7.3%	3.2%	5.5%
376	279				CON	1,866	663	2,529	7.5%	3.5%	5.8%
333	245				CON	2,043	852	2,895	8.2%	4.2%	6.4%
460	346				LAB	2,206	680	2,886	6.3%	2.6%	4.7%
253	187				LAB	2,612	797	3,409	9.9%	4.3%	7.6%
550	427				CON	1,196	457	1,653	4.7%	2.5%	3.8%
552	429				CON	1,468	537	2,005	4.7%	2.4%	3.8%
127	101				LAB	3,522	1,304	4,826	13.2%	5.7%	9.8%
132	104				CON	3,067	848	3,915	13.5%	4.8%	9.7%
315		24			LAB	1,901	531	2,432	9.0%	3.5%	6.7%
366	273				LD	1,964	745	2,709	7.4%	4.0%	6.0%
7	7				LAB	7,000	2,277	9,277	25.1%	10.5%	18.8%
222	161				LD	2,541	926	3,467	10.2%	5.1%	8.1%
561	438				CON	1,453	417	1,870	5.0%	1.9%	3.7%
567			71		LD	663	240	903	4.8%	2.2%	3.6%
505	387				CON	1,398	540	1,938	5.5%	2.7%	4.2%
21	19				LAB	4,087	801	4,888	22.9%	6.4%	16.1%
194	144				CON	2,880	818	3,698	11.9%	4.4%	8.6%
443	333				CON	1,467	476	1,943	6.4%	2.9%	4.9%
255				13	UUP	2,395	716	3,111	9.9%	4.2%	7.6%
484	369				CON	1,463	534	1,997	5.8%	2.8%	4.5%
297		22			CON	2,254	718	2,972	9.1%	4.0%	7.0%
23	21				LAB	5,442	2,007	7,449	21.4%	9.2%	15.8%
260	193				LAB	2,562	754	3,316	10.1%	4.0%	7.5%
87	73				LAB	3,324	930	4,254	15.2%	5.4%	10.9%
205	151				LAB	3,044	828	3,872	11.6%	4.1%	8.3%
178	131				LAB	2,985	828	3,813	11.5%	4.8%	8.8%
129	102				LAB	3,055	854	3,909	12.9%	5.2%	9.8%
66	54				LAB	2,898	992	3,890	15.7%	6.9%	11.9%
150	114				LAB	2,682	692	3,374	13.1%	4.3%	9.3%
555	432				CON	1,356	544	1,900	4.7%	2.5%	3.7%
381	282				CON	1,479	599	2,078	7.2%	3.7%	5.7%
639	512				CON	800	334	1,134	2.9%	1.7%	2.4%
93	78				LAB	2,484	814	3,298	13.9%	6.3%	10.7%
220	159				LAB	2,193	683	2,876	10.4%	4.8%	8.1%
437	327				LAB	1,952	554	2,506	6.7%	2.6%	4.9%

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441	331				LAB	1,869	642	2,511	6.4%	2.9%	4.9%
529	410				CON	1,413	497	1,910	5.3%	2.4%	4.0%
518	400				CON	1,647	493	2,140	5.6%	2.2%	4.1%
163	120				CON	3,287	1,105	4,392	11.5%	5.5%	9.0%
620	493				CON	974	368	1,342	3.5%	1.8%	2.8%
526	407				CON	1,502	525	2,027	5.2%	2.4%	4.0%
383	284				CON	1,652	718	2,370	6.8%	4.1%	5.7%
597	472				CON	1,134	385	1,519	4.1%	1.9%	3.1%
183	136				LAB	2,694	642	3,336	12.1%	4.0%	8.7%
207	153				LAB	2,263	701	2,964	10.8%	4.7%	8.3%
112	90				SPKR	2,688	850	3,538	12.9%	6.2%	10.2%
581	456				CON	1,070	443	1,513	4.1%	2.4%	3.4%
510	392				CON	1,101	452	1,553	5.2%	2.8%	4.2%
457	343				CON	1,718	676	2,394	5.8%	3.3%	4.8%
569	444				CON	1,464	482	1,946	4.7%	2.1%	3.6%
339	250				LAB	2,303	744	3,047	8.4%	3.6%	6.3%
551	428				CON	1,575	589	2,164	4.8%	2.4%	3.8%
90			7		LAB	1,189	279	1,468	14.2%	5.4%	10.9%
185	138				CON	3,177	1,396	4,573	11.0%	5.9%	8.7%
596	471				CON	1,015	352	1,367	4.2%	1.8%	3.2%
340	251				CON	2,202	751	2,953	8.1%	3.8%	6.3%
239	173				LAB	2,583	745	3,328	10.3%	4.1%	7.7%
425	316				CON	1,635	629	2,264	6.6%	3.2%	5.1%
619	492				CON	1,109	347	1,456	3.7%	1.6%	2.8%
607	481				CON	1,276	413	1,689	4.0%	1.7%	3.0%
382	283				VAC	1,582	517	2,099	7.7%	3.2%	5.7%
325	238				CON	1,737	612	2,349	8.6%	3.8%	6.5%
644	517				CON	910	381	1,291	2.8%	1.6%	2.3%
648	521				CON	953	298	1,251	2.8%	1.2%	2.1%
651	524				CON	807	255	1,062	2.2%	0.9%	1.7%
173	127				LAB	2,692	739	3,431	11.6%	4.7%	8.8%
103	85				LAB	2,699	741	3,440	13.5%	5.6%	10.3%
209	154				CON	2,480	807	3,287	10.8%	4.8%	8.2%
590	465				CON	1,175	456	1,631	4.1%	2.1%	3.2%
47	39				LAB	3,760	1,233	4,993	17.9%	7.8%	13.6%
404	300				CON	1,941	662	2,603	6.9%	3.2%	5.3%
221	160				LAB	2,228	610	2,838	11.0%	4.2%	8.1%
451	338				LAB	1,730	480	2,210	6.6%	2.4%	4.8%
474	359				CON	1,521	452	1,973	6.3%	2.4%	4.6%
372		27			LAB	1,683	538	2,221	7.6%	3.3%	5.8%
547	425				CON	1,567	462	2,029	5.1%	2.1%	3.9%
435	325				CON	1,463	421	1,884	7.0%	2.5%	5.0%
464	350				CON	1,685	590	2,275	6.0%	2.8%	4.7%
507	389				LD	1,372	529	1,901	5.2%	2.8%	4.2%
113		3			PC	2,339	712	3,051	13.0%	6.0%	10.2%
308	227				LAB	2,601	763	3,364	9.6%	3.5%	6.8%
United Kingdom						1,424,065	447,333	1,871,398	9.0%	3.8%	6.8%

## II Residence-based unemployment rates by parliamentary constituency, November 1999 United Kingdom constituencies

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

Rank by overall

unemployment rate					Claimants			Rate					
UK	Eng	Wal	Scot	NI	Party	Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All		
1	1					Liverpool Riverside	LAB	4,369	1,207	5,576	30.7%	11.6%	22.6%
2	2					Birmingham Small Heath	LAB	4,892	1,342	6,234	26.3%	12.0%	21.0%
3	3					Hackney North and Stoke Newington	LAB	6,406	2,375	8,781	26.7%	12.7%	20.6%
4	4					Hackney South and Shoreditch	LAB	6,555	2,167	8,722	27.8%	11.3%	20.4%
5	5					Bethnal Green and Stepney	LAB	5,112	1,376	6,488	25.4%	10.9%	19.8%
6	6					Sheffield Central	LAB	4,580	1,209	5,789	26.0%	10.1%	19.5%
7	7					Tottenham	LAB	7,000	2,277	9,277	25.1%	10.5%	18.8%
8	8					Birmingham Sparkbrook	LAB	4,346	1,193	5,539	23.0%	10.4%	18.3%
9	9					Newham North West	LAB	3,922	1,166	5,088	23.7%	10.1%	18.1%
10				1		Belfast West	SDLP	4,735	745	5,480	26.4%	5.9%	17.9%
11	10					Birmingham Ladywood	LAB	4,810	1,492	6,302	23.8%	9.8%	17.7%
12	11					Peckham	LAB	4,698	1,640	6,338	23.9%	10.2%	17.7%
13	12					Manchester Central	LAB	4,253	984	5,237	23.7%	8.4%	17.6%
14	13					Bow and Poplar	LAB	4,961	1,321	6,282	23.1%	8.8%	17.2%
15	14					Middlesbrough	LAB	4,553	1,018	5,571	23.6%	7.6%	17.0%
16	15					Islington North	LAB	5,197	2,154	7,351	21.8%	10.4%	16.5%
17				2		Foyle	SDLP	6,082	1,295	7,377	22.2%	7.3%	16.4%
18	16					Norwood	LAB	4,644	1,749	6,393	22.0%	9.8%	16.4%
19	17					Lewisham Deptford	LAB	4,892	1,721	6,613	22.0%	9.2%	16.2%
20	18					Southwark and Bermondsey	LD	4,541	1,466	6,007	21.9%	9.0%	16.2%
21	19					Tyne Bridge	LAB	4,087	801	4,888	22.9%	6.4%	16.1%
22	20					Manchester Gorton	LAB	4,045	1,175	5,220	21.6%	8.6%	16.1%
23	21					Vauxhall	LAB	5,442	2,007	7,449	21.4%	9.2%	15.8%
24	22					Newham South	LAB	3,724	1,160	4,884	20.7%	8.9%	15.7%
25	23					Nottingham East	LAB	4,955	1,393	6,348	21.2%	7.9%	15.4%
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627	500					Beaconsfield ***	CON	875	322	1,197	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%
628	501					East Berkshire ***	CON	1,336	437	1,773	3.4%	1.5%	2.6%
629	502					Daventry	CON	886	434	1,320	3.0%	2.0%	2.6%
630	503					Rutland and Melton	CON	1,012	398	1,410	3.2%	1.7%	2.6%
631	504					Esher	CON	694	299	993	3.1%	1.8%	2.6%
632	505					Guildford	CON	966	332	1,298	3.3%	1.5%	2.5%
633	506					Harborough	CON	906	377	1,283	3.1%	1.7%	2.5%
634	507					St Albans	CON	959	328	1,287	3.3%	1.5%	2.5%
635	508					Blaby	CON	1,019	416	1,435	3.1%	1.7%	2.5%
636	509					Ribble Valley ***	CON	765	268	1,033	3.3%	1.5%	2.5%
637	510					Newbury	LD	991	362	1,353	3.0%	1.5%	2.4%
638	511					Bosworth	CON	923	388	1,311	2.9%	1.6%	2.4%
639	512					Wantage	CON	800	334	1,134	2.9%	1.7%	2.4%
640	513					Buckingham	CON	640	262	902	2.8%	1.6%	2.3%
641	514					Aldershot	CON	1,144	399	1,543	2.9%	1.4%	2.3%
642	515					South West Surrey	CON	777	277	1,054	2.9%	1.4%	2.3%
643	516					Horsham	CON	937	344	1,281	2.9%	1.4%	2.3%
644	517					Witney	CON	910	381	1,291	2.8%	1.6%	2.3%
645	518					North West Surrey ***	CON	1,000	320	1,320	3.0%	1.3%	2.2%
646	519					Chesham and Amersham ***	CON	767	256	1,023	2.9%	1.3%	2.2%
647	520					Henley ***	CON	725	271	996	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%
648	521					Woking	CON	953	298	1,251	2.8%	1.2%	2.1%
649	522					Mole Valley	CON	689	219	908	2.8%	1.2%	2.1%
650	523					North West Hampshire ***	CON	682	281	963	2.2%	1.3%	1.8%
651	524					Wokingham	CON	807	255	1,062	2.2%	0.9%	1.7%
						United Kingdom		2,854,018	898,372	3,752,390	9.0%	3.8%	6.8%

### III Residence-based unemployment rates, November 1996 ranked listing of constituencies by country

#### A. England (not seasonally adjusted)

Rank by overall

unemployment rate

UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI	Party	Claimants			Rate		
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
1	1				LAB	4,369	1,207	5,576	30.7%	11.6%	22.6%
2	2				LAB	4,892	1,342	6,234	26.3%	12.0%	21.0%
3	3				LAB	6,406	2,375	8,781	26.7%	12.7%	20.6%
4	4				LAB	6,555	2,167	8,722	27.8%	11.3%	20.4%
5	5				LAB	5,112	1,376	6,488	25.4%	10.9%	19.8%
6	6				LAB	4,580	1,209	5,789	26.0%	10.1%	19.5%
7	7				LAB	7,000	2,277	9,277	25.1%	10.5%	18.8%
8	8				LAB	4,346	1,193	5,539	23.0%	10.4%	18.3%
9	9				LAB	3,922	1,166	5,088	23.7%	10.1%	18.1%
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14	13				LAB	4,961	1,321	6,282	23.1%	8.8%	17.2%
15	14				LAB	4,553	1,018	5,571	23.6%	7.6%	17.0%
16	15				LAB	5,197	2,154	7,351	21.8%	10.4%	16.5%
18	16				LAB	4,644	1,749	6,393	22.0%	9.8%	16.4%
19	17				LAB	4,892	1,721	6,613	22.0%	9.2%	16.2%
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22	20				LAB	4,045	1,175	5,220	21.6%	8.6%	16.1%
23	21				LAB	5,442	2,007	7,449	21.4%	9.2%	15.8%
24	22				LAB	3,724	1,160	4,884	20.7%	8.9%	15.7%
25	23				LAB	4,955	1,393	6,348	21.2%	7.9%	15.4%
28	24				LAB	4,248	1,709	5,957	19.2%	9.7%	15.0%
30	25				CON	3,419	1,107	4,526	18.8%	8.6%	14.6%
31	26				LAB	4,479	1,526	6,005	19.4%	8.3%	14.4%
32	27				LAB	4,032	974	5,006	20.1%	6.6%	14.4%
33	28				LAB	4,505	1,710	6,215	19.1%	8.6%	14.3%
34	29				LAB	3,890	1,026	4,916	20.0%	6.8%	14.3%
35	30				LAB	3,953	1,145	5,098	18.1%	8.2%	14.2%
36	31				LAB	4,525	1,593	6,118	19.0%	8.3%	14.2%
37	32				LAB	3,535	904	4,439	19.7%	6.7%	14.2%
39	33				LAB	4,513	1,141	5,654	19.9%	6.6%	14.1%
40	34				LAB	4,613	1,050	5,663	20.0%	6.1%	14.1%
41	35				LAB	4,102	1,319	5,421	18.9%	7.8%	14.0%
42	36				LAB	4,146	1,000	5,146	19.6%	6.2%	13.8%
43	37				LAB	3,873	1,549	5,422	18.2%	8.5%	13.7%
46	38				LAB	3,005	803	3,808	18.5%	6.9%	13.6%
47	39				LAB	3,760	1,233	4,993	17.9%	7.8%	13.6%
50	40				CON	3,546	1,226	4,772	17.5%	8.0%	13.4%
51	41				LAB	4,087	1,610	5,697	17.7%	8.2%	13.3%
52	42				CON	3,511	1,331	4,842	17.2%	8.2%	13.2%
54	43				LAB	3,178	856	4,034	18.0%	6.3%	12.9%
55	44				LAB	3,295	863	4,158	17.3%	6.4%	12.8%
56	45				LD	3,239	1,006	4,245	17.7%	6.6%	12.7%
57	46				LAB	3,913	1,092	5,005	16.6%	6.8%	12.7%
58	47				LAB	3,233	870	4,103	16.7%	6.6%	12.6%
59	48				LAB	3,782	1,218	5,000	17.2%	6.7%	12.4%
61	49				LAB	3,123	846	3,969	16.3%	6.3%	12.2%
62	50				LAB	3,073	952	4,025	16.3%	6.7%	12.1%
63	51				LAB	3,563	823	4,386	16.9%	5.4%	12.1%
64	52				LAB	4,045	1,016	5,061	16.2%	5.8%	11.9%
65	53				LAB	3,310	1,153	4,463	16.0%	6.9%	11.9%
66	54				LAB	2,898	992	3,890	15.7%	6.9%	11.9%

### III Residence-based unemployment rates, November 1996 ranked listing of constituencies by country

#### A. England (not seasonally adjusted)

Rank by overall

unemployment rate

UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI	Party	Claimants			Rate		
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
67	55				LAB	3,506	882	4,388	16.5%	5.6%	11.8%
68	56				LAB	4,616	1,987	6,603	15.1%	7.7%	11.7%
69	57				LAB	3,821	1,058	4,879	15.7%	6.1%	11.7%
70	58				LAB	2,572	930	3,502	15.2%	7.0%	11.6%
71	59				CON	3,199	935	4,134	15.3%	6.2%	11.5%
72	60				LAB	3,775	855	4,630	16.4%	5.0%	11.5%
74	61				LAB	3,353	877	4,230	15.9%	5.5%	11.5%
75	62				LAB	2,777	628	3,405	16.3%	4.9%	11.4%
76	63				LAB	3,612	946	4,558	15.4%	5.6%	11.3%
77	64				LAB	3,357	738	4,095	15.8%	4.9%	11.3%
78	65				LAB	2,843	757	3,600	15.7%	5.5%	11.3%
79	66				LAB	2,830	1,128	3,958	15.0%	6.9%	11.2%
81	67				LAB	3,633	799	4,432	15.7%	4.8%	11.2%
82	68				LAB	3,785	1,079	4,864	14.8%	5.9%	11.1%
83	69				LAB	3,697	799	4,496	15.6%	4.7%	11.1%
84	70				LAB	3,445	977	4,422	15.0%	5.7%	11.0%
85	71				LAB	3,715	828	4,543	15.2%	4.9%	11.0%
86	72				LAB	3,640	924	4,564	15.1%	5.3%	11.0%
87	73				LAB	3,324	930	4,254	15.2%	5.4%	10.9%
88	74				LAB	2,707	758	3,465	15.2%	5.4%	10.9%
89	75				LAB	2,976	981	3,957	14.7%	6.1%	10.9%
91	76				CON	3,304	1,085	4,389	13.8%	6.5%	10.8%
92	77				CON	2,717	1,288	4,005	13.2%	7.7%	10.7%
93	78				LAB	2,484	814	3,298	13.9%	6.3%	10.7%
94	79				LAB	3,118	722	3,840	14.8%	4.8%	10.6%
96	80				CON	3,126	811	3,937	14.6%	5.1%	10.6%
97	81				LAB	3,535	771	4,306	15.1%	4.4%	10.6%
98	82				LAB	2,671	641	3,312	14.8%	4.8%	10.5%
99	83				CON	3,305	1,127	4,432	13.6%	6.3%	10.5%
101	84				CON	3,681	1,032	4,713	13.9%	5.5%	10.4%
103	85				LAB	2,699	741	3,440	13.5%	5.6%	10.3%
105	86				LAB	3,353	793	4,146	14.1%	4.9%	10.3%
107	87				LAB	3,437	849	4,286	14.3%	4.8%	10.3%
109	88				LAB	2,492	589	3,081	14.2%	4.7%	10.2%
111	89				CON	2,920	1,141	4,061	12.5%	7.0%	10.2%
112	90				SPKR	2,688	850	3,538	12.9%	6.2%	10.2%
114	91				LAB	2,540	779	3,319	13.4%	5.7%	10.2%
115	92				LAB	2,318	755	3,073	13.0%	6.1%	10.2%
116	93				LAB	2,299	626	2,925	13.6%	5.2%	10.1%
117	94				CON	3,010	1,122	4,132	13.1%	6.2%	10.1%
119	95				LAB	2,868	1,070	3,938	13.1%	6.1%	10.0%
122	96				LAB	2,857	957	3,814	12.7%	6.0%	9.9%
123	97				LAB	3,237	868	4,105	13.8%	4.8%	9.9%
124	98				LAB	3,461	800	4,261	13.5%	4.6%	9.8%
125	99				LAB	3,348	958	4,306	13.4%	5.0%	9.8%
126	100				LAB	2,789	698	3,487	13.5%	4.6%	9.8%
127	101				LAB	3,522	1,304	4,826	13.2%	5.7%	9.8%
129	102				LAB	3,055	854	3,909	12.9%	5.2%	9.8%
131	103				LAB	3,025	755	3,780	13.5%	4.6%	9.7%
132	104				CON	3,067	848	3,915	13.5%	4.8%	9.7%
135	105				CON	3,175	917	4,092	13.2%	5.0%	9.7%
136	106				CON	3,834	1,344	5,178	12.3%	5.8%	9.5%
137	107				LAB	3,015	868	3,883	12.9%	5.0%	9.5%
141	108				LAB	2,947	1,475	4,422	11.8%	6.7%	9.4%

### III Residence-based unemployment rates, November 1996 ranked listing of constituencies by country

#### A. England (not seasonally adjusted)

Rank by overall

unemployment rate

UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI	Party	Claimants			Rate		
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
142	109				LAB	2,988	812	3,800	12.8%	4.8%	9.4%
145	110				LAB	2,822	848	3,670	12.6%	5.1%	9.4%
147	111				CON	3,372	1,323	4,695	12.5%	5.6%	9.3%
148	112				LD	2,971	1,202	4,173	11.2%	6.5%	9.3%
149	113				CON	3,490	1,014	4,504	12.4%	4.9%	9.3%
150	114				LAB	2,682	692	3,374	13.1%	4.3%	9.3%
151	115				LAB	2,843	815	3,658	12.6%	4.8%	9.2%
152	116				CON	2,790	850	3,640	12.1%	5.2%	9.2%
153	117				LAB	3,105	899	4,004	12.6%	4.8%	9.2%
156	118				CON	3,080	1,182	4,262	12.1%	5.7%	9.2%
161	119				CON	2,723	1,257	3,980	12.0%	6.0%	9.1%
163	120				CON	3,287	1,105	4,392	11.5%	5.5%	9.0%
165	121				CON	2,161	688	2,849	11.9%	5.0%	8.9%
166	122				LAB	3,160	937	4,097	11.9%	4.8%	8.9%
169	123				CON	2,428	693	3,121	11.9%	4.7%	8.9%
170	124				LAB	3,079	793	3,872	11.9%	4.4%	8.9%
171	125				CON	3,301	947	4,248	11.8%	4.7%	8.9%
172	126				CON	2,367	599	2,966	12.7%	4.0%	8.9%
173	127				LAB	2,692	739	3,431	11.6%	4.7%	8.8%
174	128				CON	2,017	677	2,694	11.8%	5.0%	8.8%
175	129				LAB	2,096	474	2,570	12.1%	4.0%	8.8%
177	130				LAB	2,865	872	3,737	11.9%	4.7%	8.8%
178	131				LAB	2,985	828	3,813	11.5%	4.8%	8.8%
179	132				LAB	2,988	806	3,794	11.9%	4.4%	8.8%
180	133				CON	2,917	740	3,657	12.0%	4.3%	8.8%
181	134				CON	2,869	832	3,701	12.0%	4.5%	8.7%
182	135				CON	2,988	1,051	4,039	11.7%	5.1%	8.7%
183	136				LAB	2,694	642	3,336	12.1%	4.0%	8.7%
184	137				LAB	2,818	851	3,669	11.0%	5.1%	8.7%
185	138				CON	3,177	1,396	4,573	11.0%	5.9%	8.7%
186	139				LAB	2,351	664	3,015	11.5%	4.7%	8.7%
187	140				CON	2,654	751	3,405	11.6%	4.6%	8.7%
188	141				LAB	2,842	942	3,784	11.6%	4.9%	8.7%
190	142				CON	2,811	981	3,792	11.3%	5.1%	8.6%
192	143				LAB	2,829	698	3,527	12.0%	4.0%	8.6%
194	144				CON	2,880	818	3,698	11.9%	4.4%	8.6%
196	145				LAB	2,135	716	2,851	11.1%	5.1%	8.6%
199	146				LAB	2,997	941	3,938	10.7%	5.0%	8.4%
200	147				CON	3,166	949	4,115	11.3%	4.5%	8.4%
201	148				CON	2,762	1,033	3,795	10.3%	5.6%	8.4%
202	149				CON	2,503	865	3,368	10.8%	5.1%	8.4%
204	150				LAB	2,645	724	3,369	11.4%	4.2%	8.3%
205	151				LAB	3,044	828	3,872	11.6%	4.1%	8.3%
206	152				CON	3,172	930	4,102	10.7%	4.7%	8.3%
207	153				LAB	2,263	701	2,964	10.8%	4.7%	8.3%
209	154				CON	2,480	807	3,287	10.8%	4.8%	8.2%
214	155				CON	2,005	559	2,564	11.2%	4.2%	8.2%
216	156				LAB	2,929	815	3,744	10.9%	4.3%	8.2%
218	157				CON	2,745	1,079	3,824	10.7%	5.1%	8.2%
219	158				LAB	2,311	856	3,167	10.6%	5.0%	8.1%
220	159				LAB	2,193	683	2,876	10.4%	4.8%	8.1%
221	160				LAB	2,228	610	2,838	11.0%	4.2%	8.1%
222	161				LD	2,541	926	3,467	10.2%	5.1%	8.1%
223	162				LAB	2,442	586	3,028	11.4%	3.6%	8.1%

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224	163				CON	2,314	955	3,269	10.0%	5.5%	8.0%
225	164				CON	2,247	568	2,815	11.6%	3.6%	8.0%
226	165				CON	2,605	880	3,485	10.5%	4.7%	8.0%
227	166				LAB	2,134	483	2,617	11.4%	3.5%	8.0%
229	167				LAB	2,993	972	3,965	10.7%	4.4%	7.9%
231	168				CON	2,299	641	2,940	10.8%	4.0%	7.9%
232	169				CON	2,723	990	3,713	10.4%	4.8%	7.9%
234	170				LD	2,261	789	3,050	10.6%	4.5%	7.8%
235	171				LAB	2,532	594	3,126	11.2%	3.4%	7.8%
236	172				LAB	2,505	654	3,159	11.1%	3.6%	7.8%
239	173				LAB	2,583	745	3,328	10.3%	4.1%	7.7%
240	174				LAB	2,582	637	3,219	10.9%	3.5%	7.7%
241	175				CON	2,149	692	2,841	10.3%	4.3%	7.7%
242	176				LD	2,596	699	3,295	10.6%	3.8%	7.7%
243	177				LAB	2,160	610	2,770	10.3%	4.0%	7.7%
244	178				CON	2,234	738	2,972	10.0%	4.5%	7.7%
245	179				CON	2,584	675	3,259	10.4%	3.8%	7.6%
246	180				LAB	2,275	740	3,015	10.3%	4.3%	7.6%
247	181				LAB	2,448	663	3,111	10.5%	3.8%	7.6%
248	182				CON	2,713	750	3,463	10.4%	3.9%	7.6%
249	183				CON	2,580	858	3,438	9.8%	4.6%	7.6%
250	184				LAB	2,609	764	3,373	10.3%	4.0%	7.6%
251	185				CON	2,286	784	3,070	10.1%	4.4%	7.6%
252	186				LAB	2,110	519	2,629	10.5%	3.6%	7.6%
253	187				LAB	2,612	797	3,409	9.9%	4.3%	7.6%
254	188				LAB	1,968	515	2,483	10.3%	3.7%	7.6%
256	189				LAB	2,411	721	3,132	10.1%	4.1%	7.5%
257	190				CON	2,191	927	3,118	9.8%	4.8%	7.5%
258	191				LAB	2,290	601	2,891	10.3%	3.7%	7.5%
259	192				CON	3,000	974	3,974	9.5%	4.6%	7.5%
260	193				LAB	2,562	754	3,316	10.1%	4.0%	7.5%
261	194				CON	3,309	1,047	4,356	9.9%	4.2%	7.5%
262	195				LAB	3,157	1,071	4,228	9.7%	4.4%	7.4%
264	196				LAB	2,432	663	3,095	10.0%	3.9%	7.4%
266	197				LAB	2,883	772	3,655	10.3%	3.6%	7.4%
267	198				LAB	2,519	669	3,188	10.1%	3.7%	7.4%
268	199				LAB	2,288	573	2,861	10.0%	3.6%	7.4%
269	200				CON	2,177	767	2,944	9.9%	4.3%	7.4%
271	201				LAB	2,301	565	2,866	10.2%	3.5%	7.4%
273	202				CON	1,884	685	2,569	9.6%	4.5%	7.4%
274	203				LAB	2,593	627	3,220	10.1%	3.5%	7.3%
275	204				CON	2,536	810	3,346	9.7%	4.1%	7.3%
276	205				CON	2,857	875	3,732	9.4%	4.2%	7.3%
277	206				LAB	2,594	556	3,150	10.2%	3.1%	7.2%
278	207				CON	2,505	832	3,337	9.2%	4.4%	7.2%
279	208				LAB	2,617	742	3,359	10.1%	3.6%	7.2%
283	209				CON	2,553	818	3,371	9.5%	4.1%	7.2%
284	210				CON	2,740	881	3,621	9.3%	4.2%	7.2%
285	211				LAB	2,450	669	3,119	9.7%	3.7%	7.1%
289	212				LAB	2,009	431	2,440	10.2%	2.9%	7.1%
290	213				CON	1,737	716	2,453	8.8%	4.8%	7.1%
291	214				LAB	2,577	658	3,235	10.0%	3.3%	7.1%
292	215				LAB	1,954	600	2,554	9.5%	3.8%	7.0%
293	216				CON	2,392	661	3,053	9.6%	3.6%	7.0%

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294	217				Ashfield	LAB	2,455	674	3,129	9.5%	3.6%	7.0%
295	218				Berwick-upon-Tweed	LD	1,728	568	2,296	9.1%	4.1%	7.0%
296	219				Bridgwater	CON	2,181	738	2,919	8.9%	4.3%	7.0%
298	220				Medway	CON	2,201	757	2,958	8.7%	4.5%	7.0%
299	221				Coventry North West	LAB	1,665	525	2,190	9.2%	3.9%	7.0%
300	222				Glanford and Scunthorpe	LAB	2,405	697	3,102	9.1%	3.8%	6.9%
302	223				Enfield Southgate	CON	2,087	829	2,916	8.7%	4.5%	6.9%
303	224				North Durham	LAB	2,462	583	3,045	9.7%	3.1%	6.9%
304	225				Southport	CON	2,067	726	2,793	9.2%	4.0%	6.9%
305	226				Slough	CON	2,762	823	3,585	9.2%	3.7%	6.9%
308	227				York	LAB	2,601	763	3,364	9.6%	3.5%	6.8%
309	228				St Helens North	LAB	2,260	655	2,915	9.1%	3.6%	6.8%
311	229				Brentford and Isleworth	CON	2,489	934	3,423	8.8%	4.1%	6.7%
312	230				Bolton South East	LAB	2,211	494	2,705	9.5%	2.9%	6.7%
313	231				South East Cornwall	CON	2,040	851	2,891	8.1%	4.8%	6.7%
316	232				Bishop Auckland	LAB	2,350	555	2,905	9.3%	3.0%	6.7%
317	233				Barnsley West and Penistone	LAB	1,874	590	2,464	8.7%	3.7%	6.6%
318	234				Meriden	CON	2,537	869	3,406	8.5%	4.0%	6.6%
319	235				Blaydon	LAB	2,102	549	2,651	9.2%	3.1%	6.6%
320	236				Chingford	CON	1,720	604	2,324	8.5%	4.0%	6.5%
321	237				Oxford East ***	LAB	2,001	640	2,641	9.0%	3.5%	6.5%
325	238				Wirral West	CON	1,737	612	2,349	8.6%	3.8%	6.5%
326	239				Carlisle	LAB	1,800	491	2,291	9.2%	3.1%	6.5%
327	240				Finchley	CON	1,692	751	2,443	8.0%	4.5%	6.5%
329	241				Chelsea	CON	1,643	846	2,489	7.7%	4.9%	6.4%
330	242				South Dorset	CON	2,208	722	2,930	8.3%	3.8%	6.4%
331	243				Plymouth Sutton	CON	1,979	775	2,754	8.1%	4.2%	6.4%
332	244				Portsmouth North	CON	2,491	781	3,272	8.5%	3.6%	6.4%
333	245				The City of London and Westminster	CON	2,043	852	2,895	8.2%	4.2%	6.4%
334	246				Ilford North	CON	1,764	626	2,390	8.2%	3.9%	6.4%
335	247				Oldham West	LAB	1,790	495	2,285	8.8%	3.2%	6.4%
336	248				Canterbury	CON	2,115	658	2,773	8.5%	3.5%	6.3%
337	249				Bristol North West	CON	2,249	636	2,885	8.7%	3.2%	6.3%
339	250				West Lancashire	LAB	2,303	744	3,047	8.4%	3.6%	6.3%
340	251				Weston-Super-Mare	CON	2,202	751	2,953	8.1%	3.8%	6.3%
341	252				Sheffield Hallam	CON	1,748	807	2,555	7.7%	4.5%	6.3%
342	253				Cambridge	LAB	1,895	647	2,542	8.3%	3.7%	6.3%
343	254				Exeter	CON	2,373	728	3,101	8.7%	3.3%	6.3%
344	255				Eccles	LAB	1,934	497	2,431	8.8%	2.9%	6.3%
345	256				North Devon	LD	1,959	717	2,676	7.9%	4.0%	6.3%
346	257				North East Derbyshire	LAB	2,105	669	2,774	8.2%	3.6%	6.3%
348	258				Ashton-under-Lyne	LAB	1,830	533	2,363	8.5%	3.2%	6.2%
350	259				City of Durham	LAB	1,854	507	2,361	8.6%	3.0%	6.2%
351	260				Morley and Leeds South	LAB	1,939	545	2,484	8.5%	3.1%	6.1%
352	261				South Hams	CON	2,032	819	2,851	7.5%	4.2%	6.1%
353	262				Lancaster	CON	1,581	501	2,082	8.3%	3.4%	6.1%
354	263				Norwich North	CON	1,893	620	2,513	8.0%	3.6%	6.1%
355	264				Stalybridge and Hyde	LAB	2,071	633	2,704	8.3%	3.3%	6.1%
356	265				Sheffield Hillsborough	LAB	2,238	823	3,061	8.0%	3.7%	6.1%
357	266				Gloucester	CON	2,549	806	3,355	8.2%	3.4%	6.1%
360	267				North Bedfordshire	CON	2,215	835	3,050	7.7%	3.9%	6.1%
361	268				Denton and Reddish	LAB	2,079	607	2,686	8.3%	3.2%	6.1%
362	269				City of Chester	CON	1,823	535	2,358	8.2%	3.2%	6.0%
363	270				Hayes and Harlington	CON	1,851	637	2,488	7.8%	3.7%	6.0%



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364	271				Leeds North West	CON	1,638	612	2,250	7.9%	3.7%	6.0%
365	272				Burton	CON	2,163	732	2,895	7.7%	3.6%	6.0%
366	273				Torridge and West Devon	LD	1,964	745	2,709	7.4%	4.0%	6.0%
367	274				Eastbourne	CON	1,850	577	2,427	8.3%	3.1%	6.0%
368	275				Bolton North East	IND	1,785	417	2,202	8.5%	2.6%	5.9%
369	276				Sherwood	LAB	2,111	619	2,730	8.0%	3.2%	5.9%
370	277				Harrow East	CON	2,234	893	3,127	7.5%	3.9%	5.9%
375	278				Newark	CON	1,806	662	2,468	7.2%	3.7%	5.8%
376	279				Teignbridge	CON	1,866	663	2,529	7.5%	3.5%	5.8%
377	280				North West Norfolk	CON	1,980	643	2,623	7.5%	3.4%	5.8%
379	281				Leigh	LAB	1,974	511	2,485	7.9%	2.8%	5.7%
381	282				Wanstead and Woodford	CON	1,479	599	2,078	7.2%	3.7%	5.7%
382	283				Wirral South	VAC	1,582	517	2,099	7.7%	3.2%	5.7%
383	284				Wells	CON	1,652	718	2,370	6.8%	4.1%	5.7%
386	285				Dartford ***	CON	2,130	715	2,845	7.3%	3.4%	5.6%
387	286				Hereford	CON	1,776	723	2,499	7.0%	3.9%	5.6%
388	287				Gillingham	CON	2,029	753	2,782	6.9%	3.7%	5.6%
389	288				Cheltenham ***	LD	2,174	696	2,870	7.5%	3.1%	5.6%
391	289				Taunton	CON	1,968	661	2,629	7.3%	3.2%	5.5%
392	290				North Norfolk	CON	1,667	563	2,230	7.0%	3.4%	5.5%
393	291				Erewash	CON	2,135	708	2,843	7.2%	3.3%	5.5%
394	292				Havant	CON	2,121	522	2,643	7.7%	2.6%	5.5%
395	293				Batley and Spen	CON	2,176	585	2,761	7.5%	2.8%	5.5%
396	294				Crosby	CON	2,076	750	2,826	7.2%	3.3%	5.5%
399	295				Harlow	CON	1,871	733	2,604	6.8%	3.6%	5.4%
400	296				Gedling	CON	1,845	654	2,499	7.2%	3.2%	5.4%
401	297				Northampton North ***	CON	2,028	637	2,665	7.3%	2.9%	5.4%
402	298				Kingswood	LAB	1,913	620	2,533	7.2%	3.0%	5.4%
403	299				North East Cambridgeshire ***	CON	1,923	731	2,654	6.6%	3.6%	5.3%
404	300				Worcester ***	CON	1,941	662	2,603	6.9%	3.2%	5.3%
406	301				Castle Point	CON	1,679	621	2,300	6.5%	3.5%	5.3%
407	302				Carshalton and Wallington	CON	1,760	600	2,360	7.0%	3.1%	5.3%
408	303				Ellesmere Port and Neston	LAB	1,868	539	2,407	7.1%	2.8%	5.3%
409	304				Coventry South West	CON	1,472	555	2,027	6.7%	3.3%	5.3%
411	305				Gainsborough and Horncastle	CON	1,625	647	2,272	6.3%	3.7%	5.3%
412	306				Crewe and Nantwich	LAB	1,902	590	2,492	6.9%	3.0%	5.2%
413	307				Chislehurst	CON	1,301	440	1,741	6.9%	3.1%	5.2%
415	308				Boothferry	CON	1,971	696	2,667	6.5%	3.3%	5.2%
416	309				Ashford	CON	1,863	524	2,387	6.9%	2.7%	5.2%
417	310				Sedgefield	LAB	1,457	387	1,844	7.1%	2.5%	5.2%
418	311				Bexhill and Battle	CON	1,222	435	1,657	6.7%	3.1%	5.1%
419	312				Stevenage	CON	1,888	608	2,496	6.7%	3.0%	5.1%
422	313				Dewsbury	LAB	1,807	529	2,336	6.8%	2.7%	5.1%
423	314				Makerfield	LAB	1,767	553	2,320	6.7%	2.8%	5.1%
424	315				Keighley	CON	1,551	558	2,109	6.6%	3.1%	5.1%
425	316				Wimbledon	CON	1,635	629	2,264	6.6%	3.2%	5.1%
426	317				Stoke-on-Trent South	LAB	1,750	506	2,256	6.9%	2.6%	5.0%
427	318				Stockport	LAB	1,561	404	1,965	7.1%	2.4%	5.0%
428	319				Milton Keynes South-West	CON	1,817	561	2,378	6.7%	2.8%	5.0%
430	320				Epping Forest	CON	1,600	593	2,193	6.3%	3.2%	5.0%
431	321				Stoke-on-Trent North	LAB	1,799	515	2,314	6.7%	2.6%	5.0%
432	322				North Luton	CON	1,998	751	2,749	6.3%	3.2%	5.0%
433	323				Mid Worcestershire ***	CON	2,101	846	2,947	6.3%	3.3%	5.0%
434	324				Mid Kent	CON	1,989	656	2,645	6.4%	3.0%	5.0%

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435	325				Wyre	CON	1,463	421	1,884	7.0%	2.5%	5.0%
436	326				Lewes	CON	1,614	504	2,118	6.7%	2.7%	5.0%
437	327				Warrington North	LAB	1,952	554	2,506	6.7%	2.6%	4.9%
438	328				Newcastle-under-Lyme	LAB	1,524	484	2,008	6.6%	2.8%	4.9%
439	329				Arundel	CON	1,703	516	2,219	6.7%	2.6%	4.9%
440	330				Amber Valley	CON	1,656	543	2,199	6.4%	2.9%	4.9%
441	331				Warrington South	LAB	1,869	642	2,511	6.4%	2.9%	4.9%
442	332				South Colchester and Maldon ***	CON	2,101	698	2,799	6.2%	3.0%	4.9%
443	333				Upminster	CON	1,467	476	1,943	6.4%	2.9%	4.9%
444	334				Poole	CON	1,832	541	2,373	6.6%	2.6%	4.9%
445	335				Swindon	CON	2,402	777	3,179	6.5%	2.8%	4.9%
447	336				Halesowen and Stourbridge	CON	1,740	656	2,396	6.1%	3.1%	4.9%
450	337				Normanton	LAB	1,546	513	2,059	6.4%	2.7%	4.8%
451	338				Worsley	LAB	1,730	480	2,210	6.6%	2.4%	4.8%
452	339				Maidstone	CON	1,766	579	2,345	6.3%	2.8%	4.8%
453	340				Bury South	CON	1,501	525	2,026	6.3%	2.8%	4.8%
454	341				Colne Valley	CON	1,625	598	2,223	6.2%	3.0%	4.8%
456	342				Cannock and Burntwood	LAB	1,734	581	2,315	6.1%	2.9%	4.8%
457	343				West Gloucestershire	CON	1,718	676	2,394	5.8%	3.3%	4.8%
458	344				Hornchurch	CON	1,403	500	1,903	6.0%	3.0%	4.7%
459	345				Aldridge - Brownhills	CON	1,469	500	1,969	6.1%	2.9%	4.7%
460	346				The Wrekin	LAB	2,206	680	2,886	6.3%	2.6%	4.7%
461	347				Nuneaton	LAB	1,625	592	2,217	6.0%	3.0%	4.7%
462	348				Dudley West	LAB	2,046	750	2,796	5.9%	3.0%	4.7%
463	349				Davyhulme	CON	1,487	412	1,899	6.6%	2.3%	4.7%
464	350				Wyre Forest	CON	1,685	590	2,275	6.0%	2.8%	4.7%
466	351				Richmond-upon-Thames and Barnes	CON	1,270	589	1,859	5.8%	3.3%	4.7%
467	352				Braintree ***	CON	1,800	658	2,458	5.8%	3.0%	4.7%
468	353				Honiton ***	CON	1,361	505	1,866	6.0%	2.9%	4.7%
469	354				Bexleyheath	CON	1,277	489	1,766	5.9%	3.0%	4.6%
470	355				Broxtowe	CON	1,629	615	2,244	5.9%	3.0%	4.6%
471	356				Chipping Barnet	CON	1,324	461	1,785	6.1%	2.7%	4.6%
472	357				Romford	CON	1,242	384	1,626	6.1%	2.6%	4.6%
473	358				Selby	CON	1,604	601	2,205	5.7%	3.0%	4.6%
474	359				Worthing	CON	1,521	452	1,973	6.3%	2.4%	4.6%
475	360				Old Bexley and Sidcup	CON	1,080	404	1,484	5.9%	2.9%	4.6%
476	361				Suffolk Coastal ***	CON	1,751	624	2,375	5.7%	2.9%	4.6%
477	362				Calder Valley	CON	1,617	589	2,206	6.0%	2.8%	4.6%
478	363				South West Norfolk ***	CON	1,641	656	2,297	5.4%	3.2%	4.5%
479	364				Harrow West	CON	1,592	638	2,230	5.8%	3.0%	4.5%
480	365				Kingston-upon-Thames	CON	1,236	473	1,709	5.8%	2.9%	4.5%
481	366				Northampton South ***	CON	1,909	629	2,538	6.0%	2.6%	4.5%
482	367				Rushcliffe	CON	1,649	590	2,239	5.8%	2.8%	4.5%
483	368				Broxbourne	CON	1,665	616	2,281	5.7%	2.9%	4.5%
484	369				Uxbridge	CON	1,463	534	1,997	5.8%	2.8%	4.5%
485	370				North Colchester ***	CON	1,797	613	2,410	5.7%	2.7%	4.4%
487	371				South Derbyshire	CON	1,752	602	2,354	5.7%	2.6%	4.4%
488	372				Beverley	CON	1,588	616	2,204	5.6%	2.8%	4.4%
490	373				Chorley	CON	1,745	548	2,293	5.9%	2.4%	4.4%
491	374				Hexham	CON	1,103	435	1,538	5.4%	2.9%	4.4%
492	375				Elmet	CON	1,496	487	1,983	5.8%	2.4%	4.3%
494	376				Grantham	CON	1,646	669	2,315	5.3%	3.0%	4.3%
495	377				North Warwickshire	LAB	1,492	561	2,053	5.4%	2.8%	4.3%
496	378				Loughborough	CON	1,514	541	2,055	5.6%	2.6%	4.3%

### III Residence-based unemployment rates, November 1996 ranked listing of constituencies by country

#### A. England (not seasonally adjusted)

Rank by overall

unemployment rate

UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI	Party	Claimants			Rate		
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
497	379				CON	1,716	485	2,201	5.8%	2.3%	4.3%
498	380				CON	1,428	464	1,892	5.8%	2.4%	4.3%
499	381				CON	1,341	579	1,920	5.1%	3.2%	4.3%
500	382				CON	1,485	502	1,987	5.5%	2.6%	4.3%
501	383				CON	1,561	629	2,190	5.2%	3.0%	4.3%
502	384				CON	1,386	549	1,935	5.3%	2.9%	4.3%
503	385				CON	1,309	451	1,760	5.4%	2.6%	4.3%
504	386				CON	1,629	586	2,215	5.4%	2.7%	4.3%
505	387				CON	1,398	540	1,938	5.5%	2.7%	4.2%
506	388				CON	1,514	407	1,921	5.9%	2.1%	4.2%
507	389				LD	1,372	529	1,901	5.2%	2.8%	4.2%
508	390				CON	1,606	473	2,079	5.6%	2.2%	4.2%
509	391				CON	1,716	692	2,408	5.1%	2.9%	4.2%
510	392				CON	1,101	452	1,553	5.2%	2.8%	4.2%
511	393				LAB	1,297	323	1,620	5.8%	1.9%	4.2%
512	394				CON	1,456	486	1,942	5.4%	2.4%	4.1%
513	395				CON	1,651	629	2,280	5.1%	2.7%	4.1%
514	396				CON	1,537	548	2,085	5.2%	2.6%	4.1%
515	397				CON	1,707	584	2,291	5.3%	2.5%	4.1%
516	398				CON	1,458	481	1,939	5.4%	2.4%	4.1%
517	399				LD	1,064	387	1,451	5.2%	2.6%	4.1%
518	400				CON	1,647	493	2,140	5.6%	2.2%	4.1%
519	401				CON	1,211	423	1,634	5.3%	2.5%	4.1%
520	402				CON	1,441	488	1,929	5.3%	2.5%	4.1%
521	403				CON	1,167	346	1,513	5.5%	2.2%	4.1%
522	404				CON	1,520	612	2,132	5.0%	2.8%	4.1%
523	405				LAB	1,412	556	1,968	4.9%	2.8%	4.1%
525	406				CON	1,261	496	1,757	5.2%	2.6%	4.0%
526	407				CON	1,502	525	2,027	5.2%	2.4%	4.0%
527	408				CON	1,334	606	1,940	5.0%	2.8%	4.0%
528	409				CON	1,251	500	1,751	4.8%	2.8%	4.0%
529	410				CON	1,413	497	1,910	5.3%	2.4%	4.0%
530	411				CON	1,359	465	1,824	5.2%	2.4%	4.0%
531	412				CON	1,613	632	2,245	4.9%	2.7%	4.0%
532	413				CON	1,545	571	2,116	5.0%	2.6%	4.0%
533	414				CON	941	355	1,296	5.2%	2.5%	4.0%
535	415				LAB	1,160	326	1,486	5.5%	2.0%	4.0%
536	416				CON	1,126	380	1,506	5.2%	2.3%	4.0%
537	417				CON	1,354	456	1,810	5.2%	2.3%	4.0%
540	418				CON	1,679	523	2,202	5.3%	2.1%	3.9%
541	419				CON	1,316	527	1,843	4.9%	2.6%	3.9%
542	420				CON	1,414	510	1,924	5.0%	2.4%	3.9%
543	421				CON	1,548	566	2,114	4.9%	2.5%	3.9%
544	422				CON	1,340	423	1,763	5.2%	2.2%	3.9%
545	423				CON	1,383	599	1,982	4.7%	2.7%	3.9%
546	424				CON	1,405	550	1,955	4.7%	2.6%	3.9%
547	425				CON	1,567	462	2,029	5.1%	2.1%	3.9%
549	426				CON	1,116	376	1,492	5.1%	2.2%	3.8%
550	427				CON	1,196	457	1,653	4.7%	2.5%	3.8%
551	428				CON	1,575	589	2,164	4.8%	2.4%	3.8%
552	429				CON	1,468	537	2,005	4.7%	2.4%	3.8%
553	430				LD	1,253	443	1,696	5.0%	2.2%	3.8%
554	431				CON	1,321	500	1,821	4.7%	2.4%	3.8%
555	432				CON	1,356	544	1,900	4.7%	2.5%	3.7%

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#### A. England (not seasonally adjusted)

Rank by overall

unemployment rate

UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI	Party	Claimants			Rate		
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All
556	433				CON	1,169	415	1,584	4.9%	2.2%	3.7%
557	434				CON	1,340	538	1,878	4.7%	2.5%	3.7%
558	435				CON	1,290	442	1,732	4.8%	2.3%	3.7%
559	436				CON	1,234	432	1,666	4.8%	2.3%	3.7%
560	437				CON	1,181	541	1,722	4.6%	2.6%	3.7%
561	438				CON	1,453	417	1,870	5.0%	1.9%	3.7%
562	439				CON	1,200	519	1,719	4.4%	2.7%	3.7%
564	440				LD	1,760	525	2,285	4.9%	2.0%	3.6%
565	441				CON	1,264	414	1,678	4.9%	2.0%	3.6%
566	442				CON	1,292	456	1,748	4.7%	2.2%	3.6%
568	443				LAB	1,240	317	1,557	5.2%	1.7%	3.6%
569	444				CON	1,464	482	1,946	4.7%	2.1%	3.6%
570	445				CON	942	375	1,317	4.5%	2.3%	3.6%
571	446				CON	1,348	656	2,004	4.0%	2.9%	3.6%
572	447				CON	1,141	390	1,531	4.6%	2.1%	3.5%
573	448				CON	1,254	506	1,760	4.4%	2.3%	3.5%
574	449				CON	1,550	588	2,138	4.3%	2.3%	3.5%
575	450				LAB	1,372	384	1,756	4.8%	1.7%	3.5%
576	451				CON	1,328	552	1,880	4.3%	2.4%	3.5%
577	452				CON	1,361	581	1,942	4.1%	2.4%	3.4%
578	453				CON	1,105	398	1,503	4.2%	2.2%	3.4%
579	454				CON	1,099	373	1,472	4.4%	2.1%	3.4%
580	455				CON	1,360	489	1,849	4.3%	2.1%	3.4%
581	456				CON	1,070	443	1,513	4.1%	2.4%	3.4%
582	457				CON	1,395	578	1,973	4.1%	2.4%	3.4%
583	458				CON	1,299	426	1,725	4.4%	2.0%	3.4%
584	459				CON	1,098	511	1,609	3.9%	2.5%	3.3%
585	460				CON	1,419	598	2,017	4.0%	2.4%	3.3%
586	461				CON	1,250	464	1,714	4.3%	2.0%	3.3%
587	462				CON	1,053	391	1,444	4.2%	2.0%	3.3%
588	463				CON	1,065	287	1,352	4.5%	1.6%	3.3%
589	464				CON	1,127	455	1,582	4.0%	2.2%	3.2%
590	465				CON	1,175	456	1,631	4.1%	2.1%	3.2%
591	466				CON	1,183	452	1,635	4.1%	2.1%	3.2%
592	467				CON	1,386	474	1,860	4.2%	1.9%	3.2%
593	468				CON	1,120	402	1,522	4.2%	2.0%	3.2%
594	469				CON	1,319	469	1,788	4.1%	2.0%	3.2%
595	470				CON	1,062	407	1,469	4.0%	2.1%	3.2%
596	471				CON	1,015	352	1,367	4.2%	1.8%	3.2%
597	472				CON	1,134	385	1,519	4.1%	1.9%	3.1%
598	473				CON	1,166	406	1,572	4.1%	1.9%	3.1%
599	474				CON	1,279	538	1,817	3.8%	2.2%	3.1%
600	475				CON	1,054	358	1,412	4.1%	1.8%	3.1%
601	476				CON	1,295	547	1,842	3.8%	2.2%	3.1%
603	477				CON	1,058	378	1,436	4.1%	1.8%	3.1%
604	478				CON	1,077	455	1,532	3.6%	2.2%	3.1%
605	479				CON	822	278	1,100	4.0%	1.8%	3.0%
606	480				CON	1,510	616	2,126	3.7%	2.1%	3.0%
607	481				CON	1,276	413	1,689	4.0%	1.7%	3.0%
608	482				CON	1,125	357	1,482	3.9%	1.7%	3.0%
609	483				CON	1,177	346	1,523	4.1%	1.6%	3.0%
610	484				CON	968	421	1,389	3.6%	2.2%	3.0%
611	485				CON	1,183	447	1,630	3.7%	1.9%	3.0%
612	486				CON	1,326	487	1,813	3.8%	1.8%	2.9%

### III Residence-based unemployment rates, November 1996 ranked listing of constituencies by country

#### A. England (not seasonally adjusted)

Rank by overall

unemployment rate

UK	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI	Party	Claimants			Rate			
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
614	487				Cirencester and Tewkesbury ***	CON	1,165	459	1,624	3.6%	1.9%	2.9%
615	488				Devizes ***	CON	1,273	529	1,802	3.5%	2.0%	2.9%
616	489				Skipton and Ripon	CON	948	435	1,383	3.4%	2.1%	2.8%
617	490				Stratford-on-Avon	LAB	1,083	479	1,562	3.4%	2.0%	2.8%
618	491				South East Cambridgeshire	CON	1,103	443	1,546	3.5%	1.9%	2.8%
619	492				Winchester	CON	1,109	347	1,456	3.7%	1.6%	2.8%
620	493				Wealden	CON	974	368	1,342	3.5%	1.8%	2.8%
621	494				Cheadle	CON	874	337	1,211	3.6%	1.8%	2.8%
622	495				Hertford and Stortford	CON	1,019	452	1,471	3.3%	2.0%	2.7%
623	496				Mid Sussex	CON	1,106	368	1,474	3.6%	1.6%	2.7%
624	497				Reigate	CON	971	330	1,301	3.5%	1.6%	2.7%
625	498				East Surrey	CON	759	275	1,034	3.4%	1.7%	2.7%
626	499				East Hampshire	CON	1,222	458	1,680	3.2%	1.7%	2.6%
627	500				Beaconsfield ***	CON	875	322	1,197	3.3%	1.7%	2.6%
628	501				East Berkshire ***	CON	1,336	437	1,773	3.4%	1.5%	2.6%
629	502				Daventry	CON	886	434	1,320	3.0%	2.0%	2.6%
630	503				Rutland and Melton	CON	1,012	398	1,410	3.2%	1.7%	2.6%
631	504				Esher	CON	694	299	993	3.1%	1.8%	2.6%
632	505				Guildford	CON	966	332	1,298	3.3%	1.5%	2.5%
633	506				Harborough	CON	906	377	1,283	3.1%	1.7%	2.5%
634	507				St Albans	CON	959	328	1,287	3.3%	1.5%	2.5%
635	508				Blaby	CON	1,019	416	1,435	3.1%	1.7%	2.5%
636	509				Ribble Valley ***	CON	765	268	1,033	3.3%	1.5%	2.5%
637	510				Newbury	LD	991	362	1,353	3.0%	1.5%	2.4%
638	511				Bosworth	CON	923	388	1,311	2.9%	1.6%	2.4%
639	512				Wantage	CON	800	334	1,134	2.9%	1.7%	2.4%
640	513				Buckingham	CON	640	262	902	2.8%	1.6%	2.3%
641	514				Aldershot	CON	1,144	399	1,543	2.9%	1.4%	2.3%
642	515				South West Surrey	CON	777	277	1,054	2.9%	1.4%	2.3%
643	516				Horsham	CON	937	344	1,281	2.9%	1.4%	2.3%
644	517				Witney	CON	910	381	1,291	2.8%	1.6%	2.3%
645	518				North West Surrey ***	CON	1,000	320	1,320	3.0%	1.3%	2.2%
646	519				Chesham and Amersham ***	CON	767	256	1,023	2.9%	1.3%	2.2%
647	520				Henley ***	CON	725	271	996	2.8%	1.4%	2.2%
648	521				Woking	CON	953	298	1,251	2.8%	1.2%	2.1%
649	522				Mole Valley	CON	689	219	908	2.8%	1.2%	2.1%
650	523				North West Hampshire ***	CON	682	281	963	2.2%	1.3%	1.8%
651	524				Wokingham	CON	807	255	1,062	2.2%	0.9%	1.7%
					England		1,157,740	370,882	1,528,622	8.7%	3.8%	6.6%

### III Residence-based unemployment rates, November 1996 ranked listing of constituencies by country

#### B. Wales (not seasonally adjusted)

Rank by overall  
unemployment rate

GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI	Party	Claimants			Rate			
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
95		1			Pembroke	LAB	3,473	1,005	4,478	13.7%	5.9%	10.6%
108		2			Caernarfon	PC	2,037	615	2,652	13.4%	5.8%	10.3%
113		3			Ynys Mon	PC	2,339	712	3,051	13.0%	6.0%	10.2%
121		4			Conwy	CON	2,220	633	2,853	13.9%	5.0%	10.0%
130		5			Cardiff West	LAB	2,780	668	3,448	13.9%	4.3%	9.7%
133		6			Swansea West	LAB	2,333	637	2,970	13.3%	4.8%	9.7%
134		7			Cardiff South and Penarth	LAB	2,878	648	3,526	13.8%	4.2%	9.7%
143		8			Merthyr Tydfil and Rhymer	LAB	2,391	482	2,873	13.3%	3.8%	9.4%
160		9			Cardiff Central	LAB	2,364	743	3,107	12.5%	4.9%	9.2%
167		10			Clwyd North West	CON	2,433	711	3,144	12.3%	4.6%	8.9%
189		11			Cynon Valley	LAB	1,851	443	2,294	12.0%	4.0%	8.7%
193		12			Llanelli	LAB	2,134	703	2,837	11.1%	5.1%	8.6%
195		13			Blaenau Gwent	LAB	2,079	469	2,548	11.8%	3.9%	8.6%
198		14			Meirionnydd nant Conwy	PC	1,150	434	1,584	10.5%	5.6%	8.5%
210		15			Caerphilly	LAB	2,468	576	3,044	11.5%	3.7%	8.2%
212		16			Newport West	LAB	2,219	635	2,854	11.2%	4.3%	8.2%
213		17			Rhondda	LAB	1,994	505	2,499	11.0%	4.1%	8.2%
230		18			Swansea East	LAB	2,279	469	2,748	11.5%	3.2%	7.9%
270		19			Aberavon	LAB	1,577	398	1,975	10.1%	3.6%	7.4%
272		20			Newport East	LAB	1,898	559	2,457	9.7%	4.0%	7.4%
287		21			Neath	LAB	1,726	444	2,170	9.8%	3.5%	7.1%
297		22			Vale of Glamorgan	CON	2,254	718	2,972	9.1%	4.0%	7.0%
310		23			Ceredigion and Pembroke North	PC	1,727	611	2,338	8.5%	4.3%	6.7%
315		24			Torfaen	LAB	1,901	531	2,432	9.0%	3.5%	6.7%
328		25			Cardiff North	LAB	1,831	623	2,454	8.2%	3.9%	6.4%
347		26			Gower	LAB	1,476	492	1,968	8.2%	3.6%	6.2%
372		27			Wrexham	LAB	1,683	538	2,221	7.6%	3.3%	5.8%
373		28			Ogmore	LAB	1,418	334	1,752	8.1%	2.6%	5.8%
374		29			Clwyd South West	LAB	1,516	532	2,048	7.3%	3.6%	5.8%
380		30			Pontypridd	LAB	1,760	475	2,235	8.0%	2.8%	5.7%
384		31			Bridgend	LAB	1,477	459	1,936	7.6%	3.1%	5.7%
390		32			Islwyn	LAB	1,264	365	1,629	7.5%	2.9%	5.5%
397		33			Delyn	LAB	1,594	532	2,126	7.1%	3.2%	5.5%
446		34			Alyn and Deeside	LAB	1,447	457	1,904	6.4%	2.8%	4.9%
448		35			Brecon and Radnor	CON	1,017	427	1,444	5.8%	3.5%	4.9%
449		36			Monmouth	CON	1,246	460	1,706	6.2%	3.1%	4.9%
493		37			Cardiff North	CON	1,077	366	1,443	5.9%	2.4%	4.3%
613		38			Montgomery	LD	544	208	752	3.6%	2.0%	2.9%
Wales							71,855	20,617	92,472	9.9%	3.9%	7.4%

### III Residence-based unemployment rates, November 1996 ranked listing of constituencies by country

#### C. Scotland (not seasonally adjusted)

Rank by overall  
unemployment rate

GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI	Party	Claimants			Rate			
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
26			1		Glasgow Springburn	LAB	3,148	757	3,905	22.2%	6.6%	15.2%
27			2		Glasgow Provan	LAB	2,546	521	3,067	22.0%	6.0%	15.1%
38			3		Glasgow Maryhill	LAB	2,912	842	3,754	19.6%	7.2%	14.1%
45			4		Glasgow Central	LAB	2,936	686	3,622	19.2%	6.1%	13.7%
73			5		Glasgow Garscadden	LAB	2,008	378	2,386	17.7%	4.0%	11.5%
80			6		Dundee East	LAB	3,059	834	3,893	15.9%	5.4%	11.2%
90			7		Western Isles	LAB	1,189	279	1,468	14.2%	5.4%	10.9%
100			8		Glasgow Govan	LAB	2,124	514	2,638	15.2%	4.6%	10.5%
102			9		Glasgow Pollok	LAB	2,291	541	2,832	14.7%	4.6%	10.4%
104			10		Dundee West	LAB	2,790	798	3,588	14.9%	5.0%	10.3%
110			11		Kirkcaldy	LAB	2,432	778	3,210	13.6%	5.7%	10.2%
118			12		Glasgow Hillhead	LAB	2,495	840	3,335	13.8%	5.6%	10.1%
128			13		Carrick, Cumnock and Doon Valley	LAB	2,519	678	3,197	13.2%	4.9%	9.8%
139			14		Ross, Cromarty and Skye	LD	2,529	888	3,417	11.7%	6.1%	9.5%
140			15		Caithness and Sutherland	LD	1,340	454	1,794	11.8%	5.9%	9.4%
144			16		Paisley North	LAB	2,104	593	2,697	13.6%	4.5%	9.4%
146			17		Cunninghame South	LAB	2,273	653	2,926	12.7%	4.9%	9.3%
154			18		Edinburgh Leith	LAB	2,661	756	3,417	13.3%	4.4%	9.2%
155			19		Motherwell South	LAB	2,143	491	2,634	13.2%	4.0%	9.2%
157			20		Glasgow Shettleston	LAB	2,182	448	2,630	13.3%	3.6%	9.2%
158			21		Clydebank and Milngavie	LAB	2,116	454	2,570	13.5%	3.7%	9.2%
159			22		Kilmarnock and Loudoun	LAB	2,660	847	3,507	12.2%	5.1%	9.2%
162			23		Glasgow Rutherglen	LAB	2,195	527	2,722	12.9%	4.0%	9.1%
164			24		Central Fife	LAB	2,357	783	3,140	11.9%	5.2%	9.0%
168			25		Cunninghame North	LAB	2,097	667	2,764	11.6%	5.1%	8.9%
191			26		Monklands East	LAB	2,031	513	2,544	11.8%	4.1%	8.6%
197			27		Edinburgh Central	LAB	2,196	792	2,988	11.8%	4.8%	8.5%
203			28		Dunfermline East	LAB	2,063	590	2,653	11.1%	4.5%	8.4%
208			29		Paisley South	LAB	1,911	485	2,396	11.9%	3.8%	8.3%
211			30		Dumbarton	LAB	2,377	708	3,085	11.1%	4.4%	8.2%
215			31		Motherwell North	LAB	2,350	529	2,879	11.5%	3.6%	8.2%
217			32		Ayr	CON	2,377	788	3,165	10.8%	4.7%	8.2%
228			33		Inverness, Nairn and Lochaber	LD	2,669	925	3,594	10.4%	4.7%	8.0%
233			34		Argyll and Bute	LD	1,749	664	2,413	9.8%	5.2%	7.9%
237			35		Clackmannan	LAB	1,843	528	2,371	10.8%	4.0%	7.8%
238			36		Hamilton	LAB	2,342	574	2,916	11.0%	3.6%	7.8%
265			37		Falkirk West	LAB	1,799	509	2,308	10.3%	3.7%	7.4%
281			38		Greenock and Port Glasgow	LAB	1,797	360	2,157	10.9%	2.7%	7.2%
282			39		Falkirk East	LAB	1,840	532	2,372	9.8%	3.7%	7.2%
286			40		Galloway and Upper Nithsdale	CON	1,681	597	2,278	8.9%	4.5%	7.1%
288			41		Edinburgh East	LAB	1,633	418	2,051	10.5%	3.2%	7.1%
301			42		Monklands West	LAB	1,657	402	2,059	9.8%	3.1%	6.9%
306			43		Edinburgh South	LAB	1,733	518	2,251	9.8%	3.4%	6.9%
314			44		Glasgow Cathcart	LAB	1,409	360	1,769	9.7%	3.0%	6.7%
322			45		Angus East	SNP	1,883	698	2,581	8.4%	4.1%	6.5%
323			46		Clydesdale	LAB	1,990	529	2,519	8.9%	3.2%	6.5%
324			47		Dunfermline West	LAB	1,673	479	2,152	8.9%	3.4%	6.5%
338			48		Stirling	CON	1,669	523	2,192	8.6%	3.4%	6.3%
358			49		Aberdeen North	LAB	1,766	415	2,181	8.8%	2.6%	6.1%
359			50		Dumfries	CON	1,765	636	2,401	7.8%	3.7%	6.1%
371			51		Moray	SNP	1,748	622	2,370	7.1%	3.9%	5.8%
378			52		Cumbernauld and Kilsyth	LAB	1,442	423	1,865	8.0%	2.9%	5.8%

### III Residence-based unemployment rates, November 1996 ranked listing of constituencies by country

#### C. Scotland (not seasonally adjusted)

Rank by overall  
unemployment rate

GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI	Party	Claimants			Rate			
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
385			53		Edinburgh Pentlands	CON	1,646	460	2,106	8.1%	2.7%	5.6%
398			54		East Kilbride	LAB	1,785	609	2,394	7.3%	3.1%	5.5%
405			55		Perth and Kinross	SNP	1,655	537	2,192	7.2%	2.9%	5.3%
410			56		Livingston	LAB	1,747	527	2,274	7.3%	2.7%	5.3%
414			57		North East Fife	LD	1,200	464	1,664	6.5%	3.4%	5.2%
420			58		East Lothian	LAB	1,677	450	2,127	7.2%	2.5%	5.1%
421			59		Aberdeen South	CON	1,460	477	1,937	6.9%	2.9%	5.1%
429			60		Linlithgow	LAB	1,644	433	2,077	7.1%	2.4%	5.0%
455			61		North Tayside	CON	1,200	494	1,694	5.9%	3.2%	4.8%
465			62		Strathkelvin and Bearsden	LAB	1,435	465	1,900	6.3%	2.6%	4.7%
486			63		Eastwood	CON	1,325	469	1,794	5.7%	2.7%	4.4%
489			64		Midlothian	LAB	1,421	343	1,764	6.4%	1.9%	4.4%
524			65		Roxburgh and Berwickshire	LD	809	296	1,105	5.2%	2.5%	4.0%
534			66		Renfrew West and Inverclyde	LAB	1,167	340	1,507	5.5%	2.0%	4.0%
538			67		Edinburgh West	CON	1,132	291	1,423	5.8%	1.8%	4.0%
539			68		Banff and Buchan	SNP	1,243	391	1,634	4.9%	2.4%	3.9%
548			69		Orkney and Shetland	LD	623	194	817	4.9%	2.3%	3.9%
563			70		Gordon	LD	1,399	666	2,065	4.3%	2.8%	3.6%
567			71		Tweeddale, Ettrick and Lauderdale	LD	663	240	903	4.8%	2.2%	3.6%
602			72		Kincardine and Deeside	CON	965	413	1,378	3.7%	2.2%	3.1%
Scotland							136,695	39,683	176,378	10.0%	3.8%	7.3%



**III Residence-based unemployment rates, November 1996**  
**ranked listing of constituencies by country**

**D. Northern Ireland (not seasonally adjusted)**

Rank by overall

unemployment rate

GB	Eng	Wal	Sco	NI	Party	Claimants			Rate			
						Male	Female	All	Male	Female	All	
10				1	Belfast West	SDLP	4,735	745	5,480	26.4%	5.9%	17.9%
17				2	Foyle	SDLP	6,082	1,295	7,377	22.2%	7.3%	16.4%
29				3	Belfast North	UUP	3,658	728	4,386	21.1%	5.8%	14.7%
44				4	Belfast South	UUP	3,097	1,279	4,376	17.8%	8.8%	13.7%
48				5	Newry and Armagh	SDLP	4,279	1,055	5,334	17.4%	7.1%	13.5%
49				6	Mid-Ulster	DUP	4,333	1,099	5,432	16.9%	7.5%	13.5%
53				7	Fermanagh and South Tyrone	UUP	4,042	1,063	5,105	16.2%	7.4%	13.0%
60				8	East Londonderry	UUP	4,467	1,264	5,731	15.7%	7.0%	12.3%
106				9	Belfast East	DUP	2,417	725	3,142	14.0%	5.5%	10.3%
120				10	South Down	SDLP	3,434	1,161	4,595	12.1%	6.5%	10.0%
138				11	North Antrim	DUP	3,073	908	3,981	12.0%	5.5%	9.5%
176				12	East Antrim	UUP	2,598	809	3,407	11.4%	5.1%	8.8%
255				13	Upper Bann	UUP	2,395	716	3,111	9.9%	4.2%	7.6%
263				14	North Down	UKU	2,217	897	3,114	9.2%	5.0%	7.4%
280				15	Lagan Valley	UUP	2,627	817	3,444	9.3%	4.2%	7.2%
307				16	Strangford	UUP	2,234	843	3,077	8.6%	4.5%	6.8%
349				17	South Antrim	UUP	2,087	747	2,834	7.8%	3.9%	6.2%
					Northern Ireland		57,775	16,151	73,926	14.2%	5.9%	10.8%

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