

Unemployment Bulletin

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Introduction

The population figures used to calculate residence-based proportions (rates) have changed from working age (16-59f/64m) to aged 16-64 for both males and females. This change affects rates for July 2010 so rates are not currently comparable to previous dates.

The Unemployment Bulletin provides a monthly update of the latest unemployment and benefit data for Leicester and Leicestershire. The data is sourced from Nomis (www.nomisweb.co.uk) which contains data from the Office for National Statistics, the Department of Work and Pensions and other official sources. Some figures have been calculated by Leicestershire County Council and where this is the case it is stated in the source.

There are a number of ways of measuring unemployment and this bulletin mainly focuses on the Claimant Count which is a measure of the number or proportion of people receiving Job Seekers Allowance (JSA) and National Insurance Credits at Jobcentre Plus local offices. This is not an official measure of unemployment but it is the only indicative statistic available for areas smaller than Local Authorities.

Official estimates of unemployment in the UK are obtained from the Labour Force Survey (LFS) using the internationally agreed International Labour Organisation (ILO) definition. The ILO definition is based on the number of people without jobs who are looking for work and are available to start work (and includes people whether or not they are eligible to receive unemployment related benefits). The LFS unemployment figures which are subject to sampling differences are not reliable at small areas. The Claimant Count is released on a monthly basis and is available down to ward level, so is used as a more current indicator of unemployment levels. Using the two sources together provides a more comprehensive picture of the labour market.

People who are not claimants can appear among the unemployed if they are not entitled to unemployment related benefits. Similarly, claimants of unemployment related benefits may not appear in the measure of unemployment if they stated that they are not seeking or are not available to start work.

Table 1: Resident-Based Claimant Count (JSA) Proportions: October 2010

Area	Claimant Count Proportion (working age)			Total Claimant Count	Change since last month	Change since last year	Previous months Proportion (change)	Previous years Proportion (change)
	Total	Male	Female					
Leicester Shire	3.2%	4.3%	2.0%	19,689	-952	-5,533	3.3%(-0.1)	4.3%(1.1)
Leicestershire County	2.1%	2.8%	1.4%	8,669	-380	-3,155	2.2%(-0.1)	3.0%(0.9)
Leicester City	5.3%	7.4%	3.3%	11,020	-572	-2,378	5.6%(-0.3)	7.0%(1.7)
Rutland	1.2%	1.4%	0.9%	274	-15	-94	1.2%(0.0)	1.6%(0.4)
East Midlands	3.2%	4.5%	2.0%	93,197	-2,728	-18,401	3.3%(-0.1)	4.1%(0.9)
UK	3.5%	4.9%	2.1%	1,416,785	-22,816	-165,770	3.6%(-0.1)	4.2%(0.7)

Source: Office for National Statistics (Nomis)

Note: Leicester Shire comprises the areas of Leicestershire County and Leicester City only.

National Statistics will release the November 2010 unemployment figures on Wednesday 15th December 2010.

Archived Unemployment Bulletins and other reports produced by Leicestershire County Council are available on the Leicestershire Statistics and Research Online website, www.lsr-online.org

Table 2: Resident-Based Claimant Count (JSA) Proportions: October 2010.

Districts	Claimant Count Proportion (working age)	Total Claimant Count	Total last month	Total last year	Previous months Proportion (change)	Previous years Proportion (change)
NW Leicestershire	2.4%	1,369	1,418	1,746	2.4%(0.0)	3.2%(-0.8)
Oadby & Wigston	2.3%	852	903	1,122	2.4%(-0.1)	3.2%(-0.9)
Hinckley & Bosworth	2.3%	1,538	1,600	2,075	2.4%(-0.1)	3.2%(-0.9)
Charnwood	2.2%	2,469	2,460	3,296	2.2%(0.0)	3.0%(-0.8)
Blaby	2.0%	1,173	1,317	1,650	2.2%(-0.2)	2.9%(-0.9)
Melton	1.7%	526	573	776	1.9%(-0.2)	2.6%(-0.9)
Harborough	1.4%	742	778	1,159	1.5%(-0.1)	2.3%(-0.9)

Source: Office for National Statistics (Nomis)

Table 3: Resident-Based Claimant Count (JSA) Proportions: in Market Towns; October 2010.

Market Towns	Claimant Count Proportion (working age)	Total Claimant Count	Previous months Proportion (change)	Previous years Proportion
Wigston	2.7%	357	2.8%(-0.1)	3.2%(0.5)
Hinckley (inc. Burbage & Earl Shilton)	2.7%	977	2.8%(-0.1)	3.8%(1.1)
Coalville	2.6%	668	2.6%(0.0)	3.6%(-1.0)
Loughborough (including Hathern)	2.6%	1,188	2.5%(1.0)	3.0%(-0.4)
Melton Mowbray	2.0%	345	2.3%(-0.3)	3.3%(-1.3)
Oadby	1.9%	303	2.1%(-0.2)	2.7%(-0.8)
Oakham	1.6%	106	1.7%(-0.1)	1.8%(-0.2)
Market Harborough	1.5%	212	1.6%(0.1)	2.7%(-1.2)
Ashby de la Zouch	1.2%	122	1.4%(-0.2)	2.8%(-1.6)

Source: Office for National Statistics (Nomis); Market Town geographies defined by Leicestershire County Council and figures calculated using ONS Claimant Count (JSA) figures and denominators

Table 4: Claimant Count (JSA) by Age and Duration; October 2010.

Area	18-24 years old				Over 25 years old			
	Up to 6 months	6-12 months	13-18 months	Over 18 months	Up to 6 months	6-12 months	13-18 months	Over 18 months
Blaby	265	35	15	15	515	145	70	110
Charnwood	690	45	15	30	1,080	260	145	195
Harborough	180	20	5	5	350	85	50	50
Hinckley & Bosworth	420	45	20	25	605	185	95	140
Melton	120	10	10	5	225	65	40	45
NW Leicestershire	325	45	20	20	560	145	110	135
Oadby & Wigston	225	30	10	10	330	100	65	80
Leicester City	2,305	290	160	190	4,025	1,435	1,045	1,540
Leicestershire County	2,225	230	100	110	3,670	985	575	760
Rutland	65	5	5	0	125	30	20	25
Leicester Shire	4,530	520	260	300	7,695	2,420	1,615	2,300

Source: Office for National Statistics (Nomis) Note: Figures are rounded to the nearest 5.

Claimant Count (JSA) by Ethnicity

JSA benefit data have been published by the Office for National Statistics (ONS) for many years as a key labour market indicator. In November 2006 ONS published JSA claimant data by ethnicity for the first time. The data is available for the detailed ethnic groups down to Local Authority level and is backdated to April 2005.

JSA claimant data by ethnicity has been included in Tables 5, 6, and 7 of this bulletin. The JSA data by ethnicity used in these table is a month in arrears of the other Claimant Count data in the other tables in the bulletin.

For more information, please see; www.nomisweb.co.uk/articles/news/files/DWP_Ethnicity_JSA.pdf

Table 5: Claimant County (JSA) by Ethnicity; September 2010.

Area	White	Mixed	Black or Black British	Asian or Asian British	Chinese or Other Ethnic Group	'Non White'	Prefer not to say / Unknown
Blaby	1,100	20	20	105	10	155	60
Charnwood	1,965	35	20	255	40	350	145
Harborough	685	5	10	25	0	40	55
Hinckley & Bosworth	1,380	10	10	15	10	45	170
Melton	545	5	0	5	0	10	10
NW Leicestershire	1,325	10	5	5	5	20	70
Oadby & Wigston	630	20	20	180	5	225	45
							0
Leicester City	5,845	370	1,165	3,120	340	4,990	735
Leicestershire County	7,630	110	85	585	65	845	545
Leicester Shire	13,470	480	1,245	3,705	405	5,835	1,280
							0
East Midlands	77,360	1,850	3,905	5,745	1,190	12,695	5,570
Great Britain	1,063,770	24,940	88,990	79,025	26,825	219,780	93,180

Note: Figures are rounded to the nearest 5.

Sources: Office for National Statistics (Nomis)

Table 6: Resident-based Claimant Count (JSA) Proportions by Ethnicity; September 2010.

Area	White	Mixed	Black or Black British	Asian or Asian British	Chinese or Other Ethnic Group	'Non White'
Blaby	1.3%	1.8%	2.5%	2.6%	1.7%	2.4%
Charnwood	1.4%	1.8%	1.4%	2.3%	1.4%	2.0%
Harborough	0.9%	0.6%	2.5%	1.3%	0.0%	1.1%
Hinckley & Bosworth	1.4%	1.1%	2.5%	0.6%	2.0%	1.0%
Melton	1.1%	1.7%	0.0%	0.8%	0.0%	0.8%
NW Leicestershire	1.5%	1.4%	1.3%	0.4%	1.3%	0.7%
Oadby & Wigston	1.4%	2.5%	2.5%	2.4%	0.8%	2.3%
Leicester City	3.3%	5.2%	9.4%	3.7%	8.9%	4.7%
Leicestershire County	1.3%	1.7%	2.0%	2.0%	1.2%	1.9%
Leicester Shire	1.8%	3.6%	7.5%	3.3%	4.5%	3.8%
East Midlands	1.9%	3.3%	6.7%	2.9%	3.1%	3.6%

Source: Office for National Statistics (Nomis). Proportions calculated by Leicestershire County Council using ONS mid-2005 experimental estimates of population by ethnic group and old working age population, published October 2007.

Table 7: Claimant Count (JSA) by Ethnicity, Gender and Age; September 2010.

	Total	Previous month	Previous year	Male				Female			
				Aged <18	Aged 18-24	Aged 25-49	Aged 50+	Aged < 18	Aged 18-24	Aged 25-49	Aged 50+
Leicester Shire											
'White'	13,465	13,860	16,780	20	2,535	5,175	1600	15	1,420	2,060	640
'Non-white'	5,840	5,835	6,447	0	920	2,380	560	0	645	1,030	305
Leicester City											
'White'	5,845	5,975	6,825	15	1,090	2,400	630	10	570	890	240
'Non-white'	4,995	4,980	5,475	0	775	2,070	490	0	545	855	260
Leicestershire County											
'White'	7,625	7,895	9,960	5	1,440	2,775	970	5	855	1,175	400
'Non-white'	840	855	985	0	145	310	70	0	95	175	45

Source: Office for National Statistics (Nomis)

Unemployment: International Labour Organisation (ILO) Definition

Official estimates of unemployment in the UK are obtained from the Labour Force Survey (LFS) using the internationally agreed International Labour Organisation (ILO) definition. The ILO definition is based on the number of people without jobs who are looking for and available to start work. The LFS unemployment figures which are subject to sampling differences are not available for smaller areas. The Claimant Count is released on a monthly basis and is available down to ward level, so is used as a more current indicator of unemployment levels.

Table 8: Unemployment Rates: ILO Definition; April 2009 - March 2010

Area	April 2009 - March 2010		April 2008 - March 2009	
	ILO Unemployment Rate (working age)	Total Persons ILO Unemployed	ILO Unemployment Rate (working age)	Total Persons ILO Unemployed
United Kingdom	8.0%	2,428,800	6.3%	1,902,300
East Midlands	7.4%	165,400	6.5%	144,800
Leicester Shire	7.9%	37,600	7.2%	34,700
Leicester City	10.9%	15,000	12.7%	17,800
Leicestershire County	6.7%	22,600	5.0%	16,900

Source: Labour Force Survey/Annual Population Survey, Office for National Statistics (Nomis)

Other Department for Work and Pensions Benefits Statistics

Job Seekers Allowance is one of a number of types of benefit which is related to worklessness, and recipients of this benefit constitute the most visible group of people who are out of work. However, many people have been diverted away from Job Seekers Allowance on to other benefits, the largest number being onto Incapacity Benefit. Nationally, the number of people claiming Incapacity Benefit is over three times the number of people out of work and claiming JSA.

The government recently published a Green Paper on welfare reform in which it is argued that to meet the goal of reaching a UK employment rate of 80%, more people on inactive benefits must be moved into work, particularly those who have been on benefits for a long time.

One method of classifying benefit claimants is by breaking them down into statistical groups. This presents the main reason why an individual is claiming benefit. Benefits are arranged hierarchically and claimants are assigned to the top most benefit which they receive. In this way each claimant only appears once, even though they may claim more than one benefit - the total number of working-age people who are claiming one or more key benefits is often used as a proxy for worklessness.

These figures are provided by the Department for Work and Pensions and are updated quarterly.

Table 9: Working-age people claiming one or more key DWP benefit by duration; May 2010

Area	Number	All benefits			Duration (proportion of all claimants)				
		Rate	Previous year number	Previous year rate	<6mths	6mths - 1yr	1yr - 2yrs	2yrs - 5yrs	+5yrs
Blaby	5,350	9.0	5,440	9.6	22%	11%	12%	16%	40%
Charnwood	10,750	9.6	11,100	10.2	21%	11%	12%	17%	39%
Harborough	3,740	7.2	4,040	8.2	23%	11%	13%	16%	38%
Hinckley &	7,000	10.4	7,260	11.2	23%	11%	13%	17%	37%
Melton	2,770	8.9	2,870	9.6	22%	11%	12%	16%	39%
NW Leicestershire	6,880	11.9	7,070	12.8	23%	11%	13%	17%	36%
Oadby and	3,640	9.7	3,740	10.8	25%	11%	13%	16%	36%
Leicester City	40,830	19.8	41,050	21.4	23%	11%	13%	17%	36%
Leicestershire	40,130	9.6	41,510	10.4	23%	9%	11%	17%	40%
Rutland	1,490	6.4	1,550	6.8	21%	11%	14%	18%	36%
East Midlands	404,410	14.0	411,900	15.0	26%	11%	9%	15%	39%
Great Britain	5,731,460	14.7	5,818,730	15.7	25%	10%	9%	15%	40%

Source: Department of Work and Pension (Nomis)
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Table 10: Benefit Claimants by Statistical Group - Main reason for claiming benefit; May 2010

Statistical group	East Midlands		Leicester City		Leicestershire County	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Employment and Support Allowance & Incapacity Benefits	180,700	6.3%	16,550	8.0%	17,140	4.1%
Job Seeker	96,430	3.3%	11,690	5.7%	9,250	2.2%
Lone Parent	44,460	1.5%	5,330	2.6%	3,950	0.9%
Carer	33,200	1.2%	3,190	1.5%	3,710	0.9%
Disabled	30,440	1.1%	2,230	1.1%	3,680	0.9%
Others on income related benefit	13,040	0.5%	1,430	0.7%	1,450	0.3%
Bereaved	6,140	0.2%	420	0.2%	950	0.2%
Total	404,410	14.0%	40,830	19.8%	40,130	9.6%

Source: Department of Work and Pension (Nomis)

Note: Benefits are arranged hierarchically and claimants are assigned to the top most benefit they receive. Each claimant appears once only, even though some claim more than one benefit, permitting the estimation of the total number of people claiming one or more benefits. The Statistical Group hierarchy is a) Jobseeker b) ESA & Incapacity benefits c) Lone parents d) Carers e) Other income-related benefits f) Disabled g) Bereaved h) Housing Benefit i) receiving State Pension only. Thus a person who is a lone parent and receives Incapacity Benefit would be classified as receiving incapacity benefits. This is only one of the possible ways in which claimants could be classified and alternative classifications are possible.

For more information about DWP statistics and research www.dwp.gov.uk/asd/data_guide.asp

Definitions

Claimant Count - the count of claimants of unemployment related benefits is based on the administrative records of people claiming these benefits. Since October 1996 this has been the number of people claiming Job Seekers Allowance (JSA). The publication of claimant count figures is normally five weeks after the date to which they refer. The claimant count is accurate down to very small geographic areas and is unaffected by sampling variability since it is a 100% count. This means it can be used as an indicator of those without work down to small areas.

Resident-based Claimant Count Proportions - express the number of claimants resident in an area as a percentage of the working age population resident in that area. Claimant count rates can also be expressed as a proportion of the workforce jobs in an area, however in smaller areas using workforce job-based rates can cause distortions in the rates caused by commuting patterns. Using resident-based proportions avoids this distortion.

Unemployment (LFS ILO definition) - The definition of unemployment is internationally agreed and recommended by the International Labour Organisation (ILO) - an agency of the United Nations. Many countries use this definition. By this definition unemployed people are:

- without a job, want a job, have actively sought work in the last 4 weeks and are available to start work in the next 2 weeks, or
- out of work, have found a job and are waiting to start it in the next 2 weeks

Unemployment Rate (LFS ILO definition) - expresses the number of unemployed people resident in an area as a percentage of the economically active working age population resident in that area.

Labour Force Survey - The Labour Force Survey is a random sample survey which is carried out throughout the UK. It is conducted every three months using around 53,000 households. The survey collects information about the personal circumstances and work of everyone living in these households. The Office for National Statistics (ONS) uses the Labour Force Survey as its source for unemployment data. Unemployment is measured through questions asked in the survey and not by interviewing everybody in the country. Answers are then weighted to represent everyone. As with any sample survey there is sampling variability and this is high for areas below regional level. Therefore, the figures are not reliable for small areas. Each month the ONS releases statistics on the number of people who are unemployed in the United Kingdom for the latest available 3-month rolling period.

Economically Active - people aged 16 or over who are either in employment or are unemployed (LFS ILO definition)

Economically Inactive - people aged 16 or over who are neither in employment nor unemployed (LFS ILO definition) - e.g. they do not have a job and do not want a job. This group includes, for example, those who are looking after the family and/or home or retired.

Working Age Population - Working age is defined as 16-64 for males and females. The working age population figures are derived from mid-year 2006 population estimates. This

Benefit Claimants Statistical Group - Benefits are arranged hierarchically and claimants are assigned to the top most benefit they receive. Each claimant appears once only, even though some claim more than one benefit, permitting the estimation of the total number of people claiming one or more benefits. The Statistical Group hierarchy is a) Jobseeker b) Incapacity benefits c) Lone parents d) Carers e) Other income-related benefits f) Disabled g) Bereaved h) Housing Benefit i) receiving State Pension only. Thus a person who is a lone parent and receives Incapacity Benefit would be classified as receiving incapacity benefits. The total number of working-age people who are claiming one or more key benefits is often used as a proxy for worklessness. This is only one of the possible ways in which claimants could be classified and alternative classifications are possible.

For further information on unemployment statistics please refer to the document entitled 'How exactly is unemployment measured?' which is produced by the Office for National Statistics:

www.statistics.gov.uk/downloads/theme_labour/unemployment.pdf

For further information about Department of Work and Pensions statistics and research:

www.dwp.gov.uk/asd/data_guide.asp

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**Claimant Count (JSA) Ward Data
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			Blaby District					
			Total	Last month	Last year	Male %	Female %	Total %
Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)							
1	31UBFY	Blaby South	65	84	92	3.4	1.1	2.2
2	31UBFZ	Cosby with South Whetstone	49	53	66	2.3	0.9	1.6
3	31UBGA	Countesthorpe	54	65	94	1.4	1.0	1.2
4	31UBGB	Croft Hill	25	27	30	1.7	1.9	1.8
5	31UBGC	Ellis	63	64	81	2.4	1.5	1.9
6	31UBGD	Enderby and St. John's	71	73	97	4.0	1.2	2.6
7	31UBGE	Fairstone	70	75	80	3.8	1.3	2.5
8	31UBGF	Forest	55	71	106	1.4	1.0	1.2
9	31UBGG	Millfield	42	42	57	4.1	2.1	3.1
10	31UBGH	Muxloe	40	47	59	2.1	1.1	1.6
11	31UBGJ	Narborough and Littlethorpe	56	63	85	2.0	1.2	1.6
12	31UBGK	Normanton	24	25	33	1.4	1.4	1.4
13	31UBGL	North Whetstone	54	64	92	2.1	1.1	1.6
14	31UBGM	Pastures	49	53	72	1.9	1.2	1.5
15	31UBGN	Ravenhurst and Fosse	153	176	195	4.9	1.6	3.3
16	31UBGP	Saxondale	92	106	145	2.2	1.3	1.8
17	31UBGQ	Stanton and Flamville	94	108	114	2.3	1.7	2.0
18	31UBGR	Winstanley	117	121	152	3.4	1.6	2.5
		Blaby District	1,173	1,317	1,650	2.6	1.3	2.0

These figures are suppressed as value is 1 or 2.

Source: Office for National Statistics

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**Claimant Count (JSA) Ward Data
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Charnwood Borough

Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)	Total	Last month	Last year	Male %	Female %	Total %
1	31UCGG Anstey	90	90	122	3.6	1.0	2.3
2	31UCGH Barrow and Sileby West	57	53	103	1.8	1.1	1.4
3	31UCGJ Birstall Wanlip	74	80	83	2.7	1.9	2.3
4	31UCGK Birstall Watermead	85	96	134	2.5	1.6	2.0
5	31UCGL East Goscote	28	28	44	1.8	1.0	1.4
6	31UCGM Forest Bradgate	34	34	39	2.1	1.0	1.6
7	31UCGN Loughborough Ashby*	112	104	136	2.2	1.3	1.8
8	31UCGP Loughborough Dishley and Hathern*	90	79	129	2.8	1.5	2.2
9	31UCGQ Loughborough Garendon*	83	74	113	2.9	1.0	2.0
10	31UCGR Loughborough Hastings*	246	245	276	8.6	2.7	5.7
11	31UCGS Loughborough Lemyngton*	210	207	248	6.4	2.6	4.6
12	31UCGT Loughborough Nanpantan*	21	35	32	0.5	0.5	0.5
13	31UCGU Loughborough Outwoods*	37	34	75	1.3	0.8	1.1
14	31UCGW Loughborough Shelthorpe*	165	159	221	4.7	2.1	3.4
15	31UCGX Loughborough Southfields*	102	99	113	2.6	1.3	2.0
16	31UCGY Loughborough Storer*	122	122	144	2.9	1.7	2.3
17	31UCGZ Mountsorrel	115	105	158	3.5	1.4	2.4
18	31UCHA Queniborough	20	20	30	1.4	0.7	1.1
19	31UCHB Quorn and Mountsorrel Castle	64	74	97	2.1	1.0	1.6
20	31UHC Rothley and Thurcaston	48	55	66	2.0	0.5	1.2
21	31UCHD Shepshed East	89	75	123	2.7	1.0	1.9
22	31UCHE Shepshed West	89	89	119	2.6	1.4	2.0
23	31UCHF Sileby	125	132	172	3.6	1.6	2.6
24	31UCHG Syston East	87	81	106	2.6	1.9	2.2
25	31UCHH Syston West	93	93	126	2.7	1.7	2.2
26	31UCHJ The Wolds	21	19	33	1.4	0.8	1.1
27	31UCHK Thurmaston	141	161	230	3.4	1.3	2.4
28	31UHL Wreake Villages	21	17	24	1.9	0.3	1.1
	Charnwood Borough	2,469	2,460	3,296	3.0	1.4	2.2
	*Loughborough including Hathern	1188	1158	1487	3.4	1.6	2.6

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Market Town geographies defined by Leicestershire County Council and figures calculated using ONS Claimant Count (JSA) figures and denominators.

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**Claimant Count (JSA) Ward Data
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Harborough District

Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)	Harborough District			Male	Female	Total
		Total	Last month	Last year	%	%	%
1	31UDGD Billesdon	8	9	12	1.1	#	0.7
2	31UDGE Bosworth	27	25	35	1.8	1.7	1.7
3	31UDGF Broughton Astley - Astley	15	23	31	1.4	0.5	1.0
4	31UDGG Broughton Astley - Broughton	27	26	30	2.1	0.9	1.5
5	31UDGH Broughton Astley - Primethorpe	19	16	31	2.1	1.0	1.6
6	31UDGJ Broughton Astley - Sutton	18	18	44	1.6	1.0	1.3
7	31UDGK Dunton	9	11	23	0.9	#	0.6
8	31UDGL Fleckney	49	51	86	2.0	1.1	1.5
9	31UDGM Glen	27	38	51	1.0	1.0	1.0
10	31UDGN Kibworth	58	63	70	2.4	0.7	1.5
11	31UDGP Lubenham	20	21	40	0.8	1.3	1.0
12	31UDGQ Lutterworth Brookfield	13	12	29	0.6	1.0	0.8
13	31UDGR Lutterworth Orchard	26	25	28	2.8	1.0	1.9
14	31UDGS Lutterworth Springs	30	31	36	3.2	1.0	2.1
15	31UDGT Lutterworth Swift	25	22	49	1.4	1.8	1.6
16	31UDGU Market Harborough - Great Bowden*	66	73	121	2.1	0.9	1.5
17	31UDGW Market Harborough - Little Bowden*	46	45	67	1.2	1.8	1.5
18	31UDGX Market Harborough - Logan*	27	30	44	1.6	0.5	1.0
19	31UDGY Market Harborough - Welland*	73	75	112	3.0	1.2	2.1
20	31UDGZ Misterton	13	14	30	1.1	0.5	0.8
21	31UDHA Nevill	14	13	22	1.7	0.4	1.1
22	31UDHB Peatling	18	23	27	1.1	1.4	1.2
23	31UDHC Thurnby and Houghton	84	87	94	3.0	1.5	2.3
24	31UDHD Tilton	12	11	18	1.4	0.5	0.9
25	31UDHE Ullesthorpe	18	16	29	1.7	0.7	1.2
	Harborough District	742	778	1,159	1.8	1.0	1.4
	* Market Harborough	212	223	344	2.0	1.1	1.5

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Hinckley & Bosworth Borough

Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)	Total	Last month	Last year	Male %	Female %	Total %
1	31UEFU Ambien	25	31	42	1.3	0.8	1.1
2	31UEFW Barlestone Nailstone & Osbaston	35	39	36	2.4	0.8	1.6
3	31UEFX Barwell	170	169	238	4.0	1.8	2.9
4	31UEFY Burbage St. Catherines & Lash Hill*	86	98	111	3.3	1.7	2.5
5	31UEFZ Burbage Sketchley and Stretton*	73	85	115	1.6	0.9	1.2
6	31UEGA Cadeby Carlton & Market Bosworth	31	30	34	2.1	0.8	1.5
7	31UEGB Earl Shilton*	254	250	321	5.5	2.9	4.2
8	31UEGC Groby	73	72	85	2.5	0.8	1.7
9	31UEGD Hinckley Castle*	146	151	163	4.5	2.0	3.3
10	31UEGE Hinckley Clarendon*	136	128	197	2.8	1.7	2.3
11	31UEGF Hinckley De Montfort*	131	145	212	2.8	1.4	2.1
12	31UEGG Hinckley Trinity*	151	159	182	5.1	1.9	3.5
13	31UEGH Markfield Stanton and Fieldhead	49	55	83	1.8	1.1	1.4
14	31UEGJ Newbold Verdon with Desford & Peckleton	79	81	110	1.9	1.1	1.5
15	31UEGK Ratby Bagworth and Thornton	80	89	119	2.5	1.3	1.9
16	31UEGL Twycross & Witherley with Sheepy	19	18	27	1.6	0.4	1.0
	Hinckley & Bosworth District	1,538	1,600	2,075	3.1	1.5	2.3
	* Hinckley (inc. Burbage & Earl Shilton)	977	1016	1301	3.6	1.8	2.7

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			Leicester City					
Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)		Total	Last month	Last year	Male %	Female %	Total %
1	00FNNF	Abbey	616	636	732	10.6	4.1	7.3
2	00FNNG	Aylestone	290	304	374	6.0	2.4	4.2
3	00FNNH	Beaumont Leys	757	768	869	10.0	4.0	6.9
4	00FNNJ	Belgrave	409	416	489	6.6	4.6	5.6
5	00FNNK	Braunstone Park & Rowley Fields	687	728	877	8.9	4.1	6.4
6	00FNNL	Castle	756	825	856	7.4	2.6	5.0
7	00FNNM	Charnwood	563	612	655	10.8	4.1	7.4
8	00FNNN	Coleman	510	539	639	8.3	3.7	6.0
9	00FNNP	Evington	222	247	338	4.6	2.7	3.6
10	00FNNQ	Eyres Monsell	430	446	510	8.9	4.1	6.4
11	00FNNR	Fosse	391	422	477	6.3	3.2	4.8
12	00FNNS	Freemen	468	466	595	9.8	3.6	6.5
13	00FNNT	Humberstone and Hamilton	450	459	552	5.8	3.9	4.9
14	00FNNU	Knighton	292	311	330	4.2	1.8	3.0
15	00FNNW	Latimer	349	388	453	4.8	3.8	4.3
16	00FNNX	New Parks	725	758	874	10.4	4.4	7.3
17	00FNNY	Rushey Mead	400	427	490	4.6	3.0	3.8
18	00FNNZ	Spinney Hills	1040	1088	1233	11.0	4.2	7.6
19	00FNPA	Stoneygate	664	708	854	7.8	2.8	5.4
20	00FNPB	Thurncourt	266	288	366	6.4	2.9	4.6
21	00FNPC	Westcotes	436	458	495	8.2	3.7	6.1
22	00FNPD	Western Park	299	298	340	6.4	2.8	4.6
		Leicester	11,020	11,592	13,398	7.4	3.3	5.3

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Melton Borough

Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)	Total	Last month	Last year	Male	Female	Total
					%	%	%
1	3IUGFT Asfordby	29	44	52	1.7	1.1	1.4
2	3IUGFU Bottesford	25	30	39	1.5	0.8	1.2
3	3IUGFW Croxton Kerrial	17	14	19	2.4	0.5	1.4
4	3IUGFX Frisby-on-the-Wreake	10	9	11	0.5	1.2	0.9
5	3IUGFY Gaddesby	9	12	14	1.1	0.6	0.9
6	3IUGFZ Long Clawson and Stathern	37	30	24	1.9	0.9	1.4
7	3IUGGA Melton Craven*	52	57	75	2.5	1.9	2.3
8	3IUGGB Melton Dorian*	66	62	104	2.5	1.3	1.9
9	3IUGGC Melton Egerton*	82	81	110	4.7	2.2	3.4
10	3IUGGD Melton Newport*	43	52	77	2.0	0.9	1.5
11	3IUGGE Melton Sysonby*	49	64	87	2.1	0.8	1.4
12	3IUGGF Melton Warwick*	53	63	77	3.6	1.2	2.4
13	3IUGGG Old Dalby	10	15	27	0.8	0.8	0.8
14	3IUGGH Somerby	12	13	19	1.4	0.7	1.0
15	3IUGGJ Waltham-on-the-Wolds	13	9	14	1.4	1.2	1.3
16	3IUGGK Wymondham	19	18	27	2.8	0.8	1.8
	Melton Borough	526	573	776	2.3	1.1	1.7
	* Melton Mowbray	345	379	530	2.8	1.3	2.0

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North West Leicestershire District

Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)	Total	Last month	Last year	Male %	Female %	Total %
1	3IUHFZ Appleby	17	20	28	1.7	0.7	1.3
2	3IUHGA Ashby Castle*	10	13	20	0.8	0.0	0.6
3	3IUHGB Ashby Holywell*	60	69	95	2.8	1.0	1.9
4	3IUHGC Ashby Ivanhoe*	52	59	83	2.2	1.5	1.9
5	3IUHGD Bardon**	38	35	54	1.8	1.8	1.8
6	3IUHGE Breedon	25	21	27	1.8	1.4	1.6
7	3IUHGF Castle Donington	101	114	133	3.1	1.3	2.2
8	3IUHGG Coalville**	121	125	158	5.1	2.2	3.7
9	3IUHGH Greenhill**	198	206	196	5.9	3.3	4.6
10	3IUHGJ Hugglescote**	60	61	85	2.4	1.5	1.9
11	3IUHGK Ibstock and Heather	98	109	145	2.9	1.4	2.2
12	3IUHGL Kegworth and Whatton	41	43	65	1.6	1.2	1.4
13	3IUHGM Measham	98	104	109	4.1	1.7	2.9
14	3IUHGN Moira	67	65	81	2.8	1.6	2.2
15	3IUHGP Oakthorpe and Donisthorpe	44	40	44	3.9	1.3	2.6
16	3IUHGQ Ravenstone and Packington	29	27	37	2.9	0.0	1.8
17	3IUHGR Snibston**	96	88	102	3.4	2.2	2.8
18	3IUHGS Thringstone**	71	72	86	3.1	1.9	2.5
19	3IUHGT Valley	59	61	91	2.7	1.4	2.1
20	3IUHGU Whitwick**	84	86	107	2.3	1.6	2.0
	NW Leicestershire District	1,369	1,418	1,746	3.1	1.6	2.4
	* Ashby de la Zouch	122	141	198	1.7	0.8	1.2
	** Coalville	668	673	788	3.2	1.9	2.6

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Oadby & Wigston Borough

Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)	Total	Last month	Last year	Male	Female	Total
					%	%	
1	31UJFL Oadby Brocks Hill*	52	58	63	2.6	1.9	2.2
2	31UJFM Oadby Grange*	40	52	61	0.9	0.8	0.8
3	31UJFN Oadby St. Peter's**	94	95	105	5.6	2.8	4.1
4	31UJFP Oadby Uplands*	60	62	82	2.7	1.8	2.2
5	31UJFQ Oadby Woodlands*	57	60	77	2.2	1.5	1.8
6	31UJFR South Wigston	192	197	251	6.1	2.0	4.0
7	31UJFS Wigston All Saints**	79	86	87	2.9	1.3	2.1
8	31UJFT Wigston Fields**	114	126	173	3.8	1.9	2.9
9	31UJFU Wigston Meadowcourt**	83	92	113	2.8	1.1	1.9
10	31UJFW Wigston St. Wolstan's**	81	75	110	2.9	1.3	2.1
	Oadby & Wigston Borough	852	903	1,122	3.0	1.5	2.3
	* Oadby	303	327	388	2.3	1.6	1.9
	** Wigston	357	379	483	3.7	1.7	2.7

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			Rutland					
Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)		Total	Last month	Last year	Male %	Female %	Total %
1	00FPMS	Braunston and Belton	9	12	14	1.1	1.3	1.2
2	00FPMT	Cottesmore	13	15	20	1.1	#	0.7
3	00FPMU	Exton	6	11	12	0.3	0.6	0.4
4	00FPMW	Greetham	9	7	17	0.5	0.9	0.6
5	00FPMX	Ketton	17	18	28	1.2	1.0	1.1
6	00FPMY	Langham	12	11	13	1.5	1.4	1.4
7	00FPMZ	Lyddington	7	8	10	1.5	#	0.8
8	00FPNA	Martinsthorpe	7	8	15	1.7	#	1.0
9	00FPNB	Normanton	17	18	31	1.1	0.6	0.9
10	00FPNC	Oakham North East*	27	24	31	1.8	0.9	1.3
11	00FPND	Oakham North West*	35	39	35	2.2	1.3	1.8
12	00FPNE	Oakham South East*	18	25	20	2.5	#	1.2
13	00FPNF	Oakham South West*	26	25	31	1.9	1.8	1.9
14	00FPNG	Ryhall and Casterton	28	24	25	1.7	1.3	1.5
15	00FPNH	Uppingham	34	35	48	1.2	1.1	1.1
16	00FPNJ	Whissendine	9	9	18	1.2	0.9	1.0
		Rutland	274	289	368	1.4	0.9	1.2
		*Oakham	106	113	117	2.1	1.0	1.6

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