

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: January 2011

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	3.4%	4.6%	2.2%	21,003	1,335	-3,604	3.2%(0.2)	4.2%(-0.8)
Leicestershire County	2.3%	3.0%	1.5%	9,479	644	-2,095	2.1%(0.2)	2.9%(-0.6)
Leicester City	5.6%	7.7%	3.4%	11,524	691	-1,509	5.2%(0.4)	6.8%(-1.2)
Rutland	1.4%	1.7%	1.0%	318	11	-81	1.3%(0.1)	1.7%(-0.3)
East Midlands	3.5%	4.8%	2.1%	99,934	5,815	-15,284	3.3%(0.2)	4.2%(-0.7)
UK	3.7%	5.2%	2.3%	1,505,068	79,876	-148,957	3.6%(0.1)	4.3%(-0.6)

Source: Office for National Statistics (Nomis)

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

National Statistics will release the February 2011 unemployment figures on Wednesday 16th March 2011.

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: January 2011.

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	2.6%	1,525	1,406	1,806	2.4%(0.2)	3.3%(-0.7)
Hinckley & Bosworth	2.5%	1,700	1,544	2,069	2.3%(0.2)	3.2%(-0.7)
Charnwood	2.4%	2,670	2,530	3,161	2.3%(0.1)	2.9%(-0.5)
Oadby & Wigston	2.3%	877	823	1,089	2.2%(0.1)	3.1%(-0.8)
Blaby	2.1%	1,246	1,189	1,544	2.0%(0.1)	2.7%(-0.6)
Melton	2.1%	646	578	794	1.9%(0.2)	2.7%(-0.6)
Harborough	1.6%	815	765	1,111	1.5%(1.0)	2.2%(-0.6)

Source: Office for National Statistics (Nomis)

Table 3: Resident-Based Claimant Count (JSA) Proportions: in Market Towns; January 2011.

Market Towns	Claimant Count Proportion (working age)	Total Claimant Count	Previous months Proportion (change)	Previous years Proportion
Hinckley (inc. Burbage & Earl Shilton)	3.0%	1,088	2.7%(0.3)	3.7%(-0.7)
Coalville	2.9%	758	2.7%(0.2)	3.8%(-0.9)
Wigston	2.7%	363	2.7%(0.0)	3.2%(-0.5)
Loughborough (including Hathern)	2.7%	1,233	2.5%(0.2)	3.2%(-0.5)
Melton Mowbray	2.6%	444	2.4%(0.2)	3.2%(-0.6)
Oadby	1.9%	301	1.8%(0.1)	2.5%(-0.6)
Oakham	1.7%	118	1.8%(-0.1)	2.1%(-0.4)
Market Harborough	1.7%	233	1.6%(0.1)	2.6%(-0.9)
Ashby de la Zouch	1.5%	144	1.3%(0.2)	2.5%(-1.0)

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; January 2011.

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	295	30	5	15	590	140	65	100
Charnwood	700	60	10	20	1,320	250	115	175
Harborough	175	25	0	5	425	85	45	55
Hinckley & Bosworth	435	60	10	30	750	175	95	130
Melton	170	10	5	5	320	45	35	50
NW Leicestershire	385	55	10	20	695	125	95	130
Oadby & Wigston	225	25	5	5	395	95	50	70
Leicester City	2,435	300	75	170	4,925	1,310	810	1,455
Leicestershire County	2,385	265	45	95	4,490	915	505	705
Rutland	70	5	0	0	165	35	15	25
Leicester Shire	4,820	565	120	265	9,410	2,230	1,315	2,160

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; December 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	1,010	15	20	85	10	130	50
Charnwood	2,085	35	20	230	40	325	120
Harborough	665	5	10	25	5	40	60
Hinckley & Bosworth	1,355	10	10	20	5	50	130
Melton	560	5	0	5	0	10	5
NW Leicestershire	1,335	10	5	5	5	25	50
Oadby & Wigston	595	20	15	160	5	195	35
Leicester City	5,685	350	1,090	2,705	335	4,485	640
Leicestershire County	7,600	100	75	530	65	775	450
Leicester Shire	13,285	450	1,170	3,235	405	5,260	1,090
East Midlands	76,945	1,810	3,725	5,200	1,170	11,900	4,990
Great Britain	1,065,310	24,620	86,865	73,550	26,600	211,635	86,745

Note: Figures are rounded to the nearest 5.

Sources: Office for National Statistics (Nomis)

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

Area	White	Mixed	Black or Black British	Asian or Asian British	Chinese or Other Ethnic Group	'Non White'
Blaby	1.2%	1.4%	2.5%	2.1%	1.7%	2.0%
Charnwood	1.5%	1.8%	1.4%	2.1%	1.4%	1.9%
Harborough	0.9%	0.6%	2.5%	1.3%	1.3%	1.1%
Hinckley & Bosworth	1.4%	1.1%	2.5%	0.8%	1.0%	1.2%
Melton	1.2%	1.7%	0.0%	0.8%	0.0%	0.8%
NW Leicestershire	1.5%	1.4%	1.3%	0.4%	1.3%	0.9%
Oadby & Wigston	1.3%	2.5%	1.9%	2.1%	0.8%	2.0%
Leicester City	3.2%	4.9%	8.8%	3.2%	8.8%	4.2%
Leicestershire County	1.3%	1.6%	1.7%	1.8%	1.2%	1.7%
Leicester Shire	1.7%	3.3%	7.0%	2.9%	4.5%	3.5%
East Midlands	1.9%	3.2%	6.4%	2.6%	3.1%	3.4%

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; December 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'	13,285	12,995	16,200	20	2,590	5,050	1,535	10	1,320	2,110	650
'Non-white'	5,255	5,370	5,920	0	810	2,200	525	0	510	910	300
Leicester City											
'White'	5,685	5,575	6,780	5	1,110	2,310	590	5	540	890	235
'Non-white'	4,480	4,575	5,080	0	670	1,920	455	0	435	750	250
Leicestershire County											
'White'	7,600	7,420	9,405	15	1,480	2,740	945	5	780	1,220	415
'Non-white'	780	795	835	0	140	280	70	0	75	160	55

Source: Office for National Statistics (Nomis)

Unemployment: International Labour Organisation (ILO) Definition

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Table 8: Unemployment Rates: ILO Definition; July 2009 - June 2010

Area	July 2009 - June 2010	July 2008 - June 2009		
	ILO Unemployment Rate (working age)	Total Persons ILO Unemployed	ILO Unemployment Rate (working age)	Total Persons ILO Unemployed
United Kingdom	7.8%	2,384,600	7.0%	2,095,900
East Midlands	7.3%	161,800	7.0%	155,500
Leicester Shire	8.3%	39,000	7.5%	35,400
Leicester City	11.8%	16,300	12.8%	17,900
Leicestershire County	6.8%	22,800	5.3%	17,500

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 & Bosworth	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 Wigston	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 County	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) - May 2010

DWP have delayed the release of August 2010 benefit data and due to be released on 16th March 2010.

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)

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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	76	75	79	3.6	1.7	2.6
2	31UBFZ	Cosby with South Whetstone	46	46	58	1.8	1.1	1.5
3	31UBGA	Countesthorpe	56	48	99	1.5	1.0	1.3
4	31UBGB	Croft Hill	29	28	31	2.0	2.2	2.1
5	31UBGC	Ellis	59	61	63	2.4	1.2	1.8
6	31UBGD	Enderby and St. John's	72	64	93	3.9	1.5	2.6
7	31UBGE	Fairstone	74	64	84	3.9	1.4	2.7
8	31UBGF	Forest	51	54	87	1.5	0.8	1.1
9	31UBGG	Millfield	45	44	61	4.9	1.8	3.4
10	31UBGH	Muxloe	43	50	50	2.4	1.0	1.7
11	31UBGJ	Narborough and Littlethorpe	64	63	82	2.5	1.2	1.8
12	31UBGK	Normanton	28	32	26	1.8	1.5	1.7
13	31UBGL	North Whetstone	65	68	106	2.7	1.1	1.9
14	31UBGM	Pastures	45	45	73	1.6	1.2	1.4
15	31UBGN	Ravenhurst and Fosse	153	143	182	5.1	1.4	3.3
16	31UBGP	Saxondale	125	102	131	3.0	1.8	2.5
17	31UBGQ	Stanton and Flamville	97	94	114	2.5	1.6	2.1
18	31UBGR	Winstanley	118	108	125	3.3	1.7	2.5
		Blaby District	1,246	1,189	1,544	2.8	1.4	2.1

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	96	96	113	3.9	1.1	2.4
2	31UCGH Barrow and Sileby West	63	60	104	2.2	1.0	1.6
3	31UCGJ Birstall Wanlip	73	75	73	2.9	1.6	2.3
4	31UCGK Birstall Watermead	85	83	126	2.6	1.5	2.0
5	31UCGL East Goscote	32	30	40	2.5	0.8	1.6
6	31UCGM Forest Bradgate	26	27	31	1.6	0.7	1.2
7	31UCGN Loughborough Ashby*	112	112	127	2.1	1.4	1.8
8	31UCGP Loughborough Dishley and Hathern*	110	92	125	3.4	1.9	2.6
9	31UCGQ Loughborough Garendon*	81	74	97	2.5	1.3	1.9
10	31UCGR Loughborough Hastings*	265	268	282	8.9	3.4	6.2
11	31UCGS Loughborough Lemyngton*	202	191	228	5.9	2.6	4.4
12	31UCGT Loughborough Nanpantan*	20	30	29	0.6	0.3	0.5
13	31UCGU Loughborough Outwoods*	37	35	68	1.4	0.7	1.1
14	31UCGW Loughborough Shelthorpe*	172	151	207	4.9	2.2	3.5
15	31UCGX Loughborough Southfields*	115	107	114	2.8	1.6	2.2
16	31UCGY Loughborough Storer*	119	121	149	2.8	1.7	2.3
17	31UCGZ Mountsorrel	128	115	157	3.8	1.7	2.7
18	31UCHA Queniborough	27	22	31	1.7	1.2	1.4
19	31UCHB Quorn and Mountsorrel Castle	67	63	93	2.3	1.0	1.7
20	31UHC Rothley and Thurcaston	63	50	71	2.2	1.1	1.6
21	31UCHD Shepshed East	102	97	121	3.0	1.3	2.2
22	31UCHE Shepshed West	91	92	125	2.8	1.3	2.0
23	31UCHF Sileby	139	140	178	4.1	1.6	2.8
24	31UCHG Syston East	96	94	110	2.7	2.3	2.5
25	31UCHH Syston West	110	100	114	3.2	2.0	2.6
26	31UCHJ The Wolds	19	23	21	1.0	1.0	1.0
27	31UCHK Thurmaston	194	156	202	4.5	2.0	3.2
28	31UHL Wreake Villages	26	26	25	1.7	1.0	1.4
	Charnwood Borough	2,670	2,530	3,161	3.2	1.6	2.4
	*Loughborough including Hathern	1233	1181	1426	3.5	1.7	2.7

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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)	Total	Last month	Last year	Male	Female	Total
					%	%	%
1	31UDGD Billesdon	17	15	15	2.4	0.7	1.5
2	31UDGE Bosworth	22	20	35	1.9	0.9	1.4
3	31UDGF Broughton Astley - Astley	14	16	19	1.2	0.7	0.9
4	31UDGG Broughton Astley - Broughton	18	17	35	1.4	0.6	1.0
5	31UDGH Broughton Astley - Primethorpe	17	16	37	2.1	0.7	1.4
6	31UDGJ Broughton Astley - Sutton	23	16	30	2.1	1.2	1.7
7	31UDGK Dunton	17	12	25	1.6	0.6	1.1
8	31UDGL Fleckney	49	47	83	1.7	1.3	1.5
9	31UDGM Glen	34	32	42	1.3	1.3	1.3
10	31UDGN Kibworth	74	61	69	3.0	0.9	1.9
11	31UDGP Lubenham	26	28	22	1.3	1.3	1.3
12	31UDGQ Lutterworth Brookfield	16	14	24	1.0	1.0	1.0
13	31UDGR Lutterworth Orchard	27	24	30	2.2	1.8	2.0
14	31UDGS Lutterworth Springs	29	31	45	3.1	1.0	2.1
15	31UDGT Lutterworth Swift	26	22	50	1.9	1.4	1.6
16	31UDGU Market Harborough - Great Bowden*	83	77	111	2.5	1.2	1.9
17	31UDGW Market Harborough - Little Bowden*	42	41	66	1.4	1.4	1.4
18	31UDGX Market Harborough - Logan*	32	30	46	1.9	0.6	1.2
19	31UDGY Market Harborough - Welland*	76	75	108	3.2	1.2	2.2
20	31UDGZ Misterton	17	14	30	1.4	0.7	1.0
21	31UDHA Nevill	14	15	20	1.7	0.4	1.1
22	31UDHB Peatling	20	21	23	1.4	1.4	1.4
23	31UDHC Thurnby and Houghton	92	94	99	3.1	1.9	2.5
24	31UDHD Tilton	17	14	15	2.0	0.6	1.3
25	31UDHE Ullesthorpe	13	13	32	1.1	0.7	0.9
	Harborough District	815	765	1,111	2.0	1.1	1.6
	* Market Harborough	233	223	331	2.3	1.1	1.7

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Hinckley & Bosworth Borough

Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)	Total	Last month	Last year	Male	Female	Total
					%	%	
1	31UEFU Ambien	31	23	39	1.6	1.1	1.3
2	31UEFW Barlestone Nailstone & Osbaston	33	34	33	1.6	1.3	1.5
3	31UEFX Barwell	212	187	267	5.2	1.9	3.6
4	31UEFY Burbage St. Catherines & Lash Hill*	105	97	119	4.0	2.0	3.0
5	31UEFZ Burbage Sketchley and Stretton*	76	64	95	1.5	1.1	1.3
6	31UEGA Cadeby Carlton & Market Bosworth	23	24	32	1.6	0.6	1.1
7	31UEGB Earl Shilton*	266	256	291	5.7	3.1	4.4
8	31UEGC Groby	75	68	73	2.3	1.1	1.7
9	31UEGD Hinckley Castle*	171	158	178	5.5	2.1	3.9
10	31UEGE Hinckley Clarendon*	152	141	188	3.3	1.8	2.5
11	31UEGF Hinckley De Montfort*	145	125	229	3.0	1.7	2.4
12	31UEGG Hinckley Trinity*	173	151	180	5.8	2.3	4.0
13	31UEGH Markfield Stanton and Fieldhead	49	50	91	1.8	1.1	1.4
14	31UEGJ Newbold Verdon with Desford & Peckleton	72	67	113	1.8	0.9	1.4
15	31UEGK Ratby Bagworth and Thornton	93	78	116	2.7	1.7	2.2
16	31UEGL Twycross & Witherley with Sheepy	24	21	25	1.7	0.8	1.3
	Hinckley & Bosworth District	1,700	1,544	2,069	3.4	1.7	2.5
	* Hinckley (inc. Burbage & Earl Shilton)	1088	992	1280	4.0	2.0	3.0

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			Leicester City					
			Total	Last month	Last year	Male %	Female %	Total %
Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)							
1	00FNNF	Abbey	659	617	691	11.0	4.7	7.8
2	00FNNG	Aylestone	289	279	378	6.3	2.1	4.2
3	00FNNH	Beaumont Leys	763	725	851	10.1	4.0	7.0
4	00FNNJ	Belgrave	435	389	477	6.8	5.1	5.9
5	00FNNK	Braunstone Park & Rowley Fields	732	704	877	9.5	4.4	6.8
6	00FNNL	Castle	803	752	859	8.1	2.6	5.4
7	00FNNM	Charnwood	581	577	644	11.2	4.2	7.6
8	00FNNN	Coleman	538	508	605	8.7	4.0	6.3
9	00FNNP	Evington	237	211	295	5.2	2.6	3.9
10	00FNNQ	Eyres Monsell	490	445	519	10.5	4.4	7.3
11	00FNNR	Fosse	392	368	476	6.4	3.0	4.8
12	00FNNS	Freemen	495	461	593	10.2	3.8	6.9
13	00FNNNT	Humberstone and Hamilton	474	429	536	6.4	3.8	5.1
14	00FNNU	Knighon	280	274	312	4.2	1.6	2.9
15	00FNNW	Latimer	400	350	426	5.5	4.3	4.9
16	00FNNX	New Parks	762	750	896	10.9	4.7	7.7
17	00FNNY	Rushey Mead	406	388	473	4.6	3.2	3.9
18	00FNNZ	Spinney Hills	1027	965	1150	10.9	4.0	7.5
19	00FNPA	Stoneygate	719	673	814	8.2	3.3	5.8
20	00FNPB	Thurncourt	292	257	352	7.4	2.8	5.0
21	00FNPC	Westcotes	440	419	482	8.5	3.5	6.1
22	00FNPD	Western Park	310	292	327	6.5	3.0	4.8
		Leicester	11,524	10,833	13,033	7.7	3.4	5.6

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**Claimant Count (JSA) Ward Data
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Melton Borough

Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)	Melton Borough			Male	Female	Total
		Total	Last month	Last year	%	%	%
1	3IUGFT Asfordby	39	34	63	2.6	1.1	1.9
2	3IUGFU Bottesford	28	25	45	1.7	0.9	1.3
3	3IUGFW Croxton Kerrial	14	15	23	1.9	0.5	1.2
4	3IUGFX Frisby-on-the-Wreake	17	10	15	1.6	1.4	1.5
5	3IUGFY Gaddesby	9	9	16	0.9	0.8	0.9
6	3IUGFZ Long Clawson and Stathern	34	34	30	1.6	1.0	1.3
7	3IUGGA Melton Craven*	67	67	73	3.6	2.2	2.9
8	3IUGGB Melton Dorian*	65	63	92	2.7	1.1	1.9
9	3IUGGC Melton Egerton*	105	98	119	6.7	2.2	4.4
10	3IUGGD Melton Newport*	67	57	70	3.0	1.5	2.3
11	3IUGGE Melton Sysonby*	72	59	77	2.9	1.3	2.1
12	3IUGGF Melton Warwick*	68	56	76	4.1	2.1	3.1
13	3IUGGG Old Dalby	13	12	25	1.2	0.8	1.0
14	3IUGGH Somerby	18	14	20	2.1	1.0	1.6
15	3IUGGJ Waltham-on-the-Wolds	10	10	19	1.0	1.0	1.0
16	3IUGGK Wymondham	20	15	31	3.0	0.8	1.9
	Melton Borough	646	578	794	2.8	1.3	2.1
	* Melton Mowbray	444	400	507	3.7	1.6	2.6

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**Claimant Count (JSA) Ward Data
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North West Leicestershire District

Code		Wards (resident-based proportions)	Total	Last month	Last year	Male %	Female %	Total %
1	3IUHFZ	Appleby	19	17	26	1.9	0.9	1.4
2	3IUHGA	Ashby Castle*	14	11	20	1.2	0.0	0.8
3	3IUHGB	Ashby Holywell*	72	64	85	3.0	1.7	2.3
4	3IUHGC	Ashby Ivanhoe*	58	51	76	2.9	1.3	2.1
5	3IUHGD	Bardon**	42	44	52	2.0	1.9	2.0
6	3IUHGE	Breedon	22	23	23	1.5	1.4	1.4
7	3IUHGF	Castle Donington	98	87	148	2.9	1.4	2.1
8	3IUHGG	Coalville**	135	131	156	6.0	2.2	4.1
9	3IUHGH	Greenhill**	233	216	235	7.0	3.8	5.4
10	3IUHGJ	Hugglescote**	70	69	95	2.8	1.7	2.3
11	3IUHGK	Ibstock and Heather	103	98	155	3.0	1.5	2.3
12	3IUHGL	Kegworth and Whatton	59	50	62	2.9	1.0	2.0
13	3IUHGM	Measham	97	101	114	4.5	1.3	2.9
14	3IUHGN	Moira	76	64	75	3.0	2.0	2.5
15	3IUHGP	Oakthorpe and Donisthorpe	44	45	55	3.4	1.7	2.6
16	3IUHGQ	Ravenstone and Packington	33	29	31	2.5	0.0	2.1
17	3IUHGR	Snibston**	102	89	95	3.6	2.4	3.0
18	3IUHGS	Thringstone**	73	67	87	3.2	2.0	2.6
19	3IUHGT	Valley	72	59	104	3.3	1.8	2.5
20	3IUHGU	Whitwick**	103	91	112	2.8	2.1	2.4
NW Leicestershire District			1,525	1,406	1,806	3.4	1.8	2.6
* Ashby de la Zouch			144	126	181	2.0	1.0	1.5
** Coalville			758	707	832	3.7	2.1	2.9

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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*	53	52	64	2.8	1.8	2.3
2	31UJFM Oadby Grange*	45	46	56	1.1	0.8	0.9
3	31UJFN Oadby St. Peter's**	82	82	112	4.3	3.0	3.6
4	31UJFP Oadby Uplands*	64	50	67	3.1	1.7	2.4
5	31UJFQ Oadby Woodlands*	57	54	63	2.2	1.5	1.8
6	31UJFR South Wigston	213	184	238	6.5	2.4	4.4
7	31UJFS Wigston All Saints**	92	83	94	3.6	1.3	2.4
8	31UJFT Wigston Fields**	116	121	185	3.8	2.0	2.9
9	31UJFU Wigston Meadowcourt**	87	79	105	2.7	1.3	2.0
10	31UJFW Wigston St. Wolstan's**	68	72	105	2.4	1.1	1.8
	Oadby & Wigston Borough	877	823	1,089	3.1	1.6	2.3
	* Oadby	301	284	362	2.3	1.6	1.9
	** Wigston	363	355	489	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	10	6	14	1.9	0.8	1.3
2	00FPMT	Cottesmore	13	13	27	0.8	0.5	0.7
3	00FPMU	Exton	8	7	12	0.4	0.8	0.6
4	00FPMW	Greetham	9	8	17	0.5	0.9	0.6
5	00FPMX	Ketton	25	17	25	1.8	1.4	1.6
6	00FPMY	Langham	11	11	16	1.5	1.2	1.3
7	00FPMZ	Lyddington	8	9	7	1.3	0.7	1.0
8	00FPNA	Martinsthorpe	10	8	10	2.0	0.8	1.4
9	00FPNB	Normanton	18	18	34	1.2	0.6	0.9
10	00FPNC	Oakham North East*	30	28	36	2.1	0.9	1.5
11	00FPND	Oakham North West*	33	39	40	2.2	1.1	1.7
12	00FPNE	Oakham South East*	25	24	22	2.9	0.7	1.7
13	00FPNF	Oakham South West*	30	30	36	2.3	2.0	2.2
14	00FPNG	Ryhall and Casterton	34	36	38	2.2	1.4	1.8
15	00FPNH	Uppingham	41	42	45	1.7	1.0	1.4
16	00FPNJ	Whissendine	13	11	20	1.7	1.3	1.5
		Rutland	318	307	399	1.7	1.0	1.4
		*Oakham	118	121	134	2.4	1.1	1.7

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