

Unemployment Bulletin

May 2013



Introduction

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.

Tables 1 to 7 use Claimant Count data and Table 8 shows the Unemployment (LFS ILO definition) figures.

Table 1: Resident-Based Claimant Count (JSA) Proportions: May 2013

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	3.3%	4.3%	2.4%	21,374	-648	-1,772	3.4%(-0.1)	3.7%(-0.4)
Leicestershire County	2.1%	2.7%	1.5%	8,823	-354	-1,278	2.2%(-0.1)	2.4%(-0.3)
Leicester City	5.6%	7.3%	4.0%	12,551	-294	-494	5.8%(-0.2)	5.9%(-0.3)
Rutland	1.3%	1.6%	1.0%	305	-21	-19	1.4%(-0.1)	1.4%(-0.1)
East Midlands	3.5%	4.6%	2.4%	102,214	-3,483	-8,621	3.6%(-0.1)	3.8%(-0.3)
UK	3.7%	4.8%	2.5%	1,495,758	-42,818	-94,950	3.8%(-0.1)	3.9%(-0.2)

Source: Office for National Statistics (Nomis)

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

National Statistics will release the June 2013 unemployment figures on Wednesday 17th July 2013.

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: May 2013

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	2.5%	1,511	1,590	1,759	2.7%(-0.2)	3.0(-0.5)
Oadby & Wigston	2.5%	883	895	975	2.5%(0.0)	2.8(-0.3)
Hinckley & Bosworth	2.4%	1,588	1,652	1,737	2.5%(-0.1)	2.6(-0.2)
Melton	2.3%	723	738	724	2.3%(0.0)	2.3(0.0)
Charnwood	2.1%	2,307	2,396	2,729	2.2%(-0.1)	2.5(-0.4)
Blaby	1.9%	1,113	1,173	1,340	2.0%(-0.1)	2.3(-0.4)
Harborough	1.3%	698	733	837	1.4%(-0.1)	1.6(-0.3)

Source: Office for National Statistics (Nomis)

Table 3: Resident-Based Claimant Count (JSA) Proportions: in Market Towns; May 2013

Market Towns	Claimant Count Proportion (working age)	Total Claimant Count	Previous months Proportion (change)	Previous years Proportion
Melton Mowbray	3.1%	525	3.2%(-0.1)	3.1%(0.0)
Coalville	2.9%	765	3.1%(-0.2)	3.3%(-0.4)
Wigston	3.0%	396	3.1%(-0.1)	3.4%(-0.4)
Hinckley (inc. Burbage & Earl Shilton)	2.8%	1,024	2.9%(-0.1)	3.0%(-0.2)
Loughborough (including Hathern)	2.2%	1,034	2.4%(-0.2)	2.8%(-0.6)
Oadby	1.9%	299	1.9%(0.0)	2.0%(-0.1)
Oakham	1.8%	124	1.9%(-0.1)	1.6%(0.2)
Ashby de la Zouch	1.7%	162	1.6%(0.1)	2.1%(-0.4)
Market Harborough	1.5%	204	1.6%(-0.1)	1.9%(-0.4)

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; May 2013

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	195	55	15	35	460	140	60	150
Charnwood	405	65	25	35	995	325	135	310
Harborough	130	35	5	15	330	65	30	85
Hinckley & Bosworth	290	95	30	50	615	220	75	205
Melton	135	40	20	25	275	75	50	110
NW Leicestershire	235	75	25	65	565	205	80	255
Oadby & Wigston	170	60	20	20	335	110	40	125
Leicester City	1,905	720	270	420	4,210	1,795	860	2,355
Leicestershire County	1,560	430	145	245	3,575	1,145	470	1,240
Rutland	60	15	5	10	145	20	15	35
Leicester Shire	3,465	1,150	415	665	7,785	2,940	1,325	3,590

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 Count (JSA) by Ethnicity; April 2013.

Area	White	Mixed	Black or Black British	Asian or Asian British	Chinese or Other Ethnic Group	'Non White'	Prefer not to say / Unknown
Blaby	1,015	25	25	65	15	130	35
Charnwood	1,995	40	30	205	40	310	90
Harborough	670	5	5	25	5	45	25
Hinckley & Bosworth	1,535	15	10	25	10	55	60
Melton	715	5	0	5	0	10	10
NW Leicestershire	1,520	10	10	5	10	35	35
Oadby & Wigston	645	30	20	175	5	230	15
Leicester City	6,830	480	1,265	3,285	455	5,485	525
Leicestershire County	8,095	125	105	510	80	815	260
Leicester Shire	14,925	600	1,370	3,795	535	6,300	795
East Midlands	86,405	2,260	4,630	5,950	1,835	14,675	4,530
Great Britain	1,150,380	29,060	97,790	80,200	32,695	239,745	81,810

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

Table 6: Resident-based Claimant Count (JSA) Proportions by Ethnicity; April 2013.

Area	White	Mixed	Black or Black British	Asian or Asian British	Chinese or Other Ethnic Group	'Non White'
Blaby	1.2%	1.8%	2.3%	1.0%	1.9%	1.3%
Charnwood	1.4%	1.5%	1.5%	1.6%	1.0%	1.5%
Harborough	0.9%	0.5%	0.6%	0.8%	0.8%	0.8%
Hinckley & Bosworth	1.6%	1.3%		0.7%	1.4%	0.9%
Melton	1.5%	0.8%	0.0%	0.5%	0.0%	0.5%
NW Leicestershire	1.8%	1.1%	2.0%	0.3%	1.0%	0.8%
Oadby & Wigston	1.4%	2.7%	1.8%	2.1%	0.7%	2.1%
Leicester City	3.5%	5.5%	10.9%	4.1%	4.8%	5.0%
Leicestershire County	1.4%	1.5%	1.6%	1.4%	1.0%	1.3%
Leicester Shire	1.9%	3.4%	7.6%	3.2%	3.1%	3.7%
East Midlands	2.2%	3.2%	6.5%	2.5%	3.1%	3.3%

Source: Office for National Statistics (Nomis). Proportions calculated by Leicestershire County Council using ONS mid-2009 experimental estimates of population by ethnic group and old working age population, published May 2010..

Table 7: Claimant Count (JSA) by Ethnicity, Gender and Age; April 2013.

	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'	14,925	15,250	15,950	20	2,680	5,145	1,785	10	1,480	2,870	935
'Non-white'	6,295	6,355	6,595	0	1,035	2,325	655	0	580	1,290	410
Leicester City											
'White'	6,830	6,895	6,880	10	1,260	2,415	760	5	665	1,305	410
'Non-white'	5,480	5,500	5,645	0	890	2,045	575	0	500	1,115	355
Leicestershire County											
'White'	8,100	8,355	9,070	5	1,425	2,730	1,025	5	815	1,565	530
'Non-white'	815	860	950	0	140	285	80	0	80	175	55

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; January 2012 - December 2012

Area	January 2012 - December 2012		January 2011 - December 2011	
	ILO Unemployment Rate (working age)	Total Persons ILO Unemployed	ILO Unemployment Rate (working age)	Total Persons ILO Unemployed
United Kingdom	8.0%	2,475,400	8.1%	2,483,700
East Midlands	8.0%	178,900	8.3%	184,500
Leicester Shire	7.9%	37,800	8.8%	41,900
Leicester City	14.0%	21,200	14.1%	20,700
Leicestershire County	5.1%	16,600	6.4%	21,200

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; November 2012

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	5,090	8.5	5,180	8.7	22%	9%	11%	17%	42%
Charnwood	10,440	9.5	10,650	9.5	23%	9%	11%	17%	40%
Harborough	3,710	6.9	3,790	7.3	22%	8%	10%	18%	41%
Hinckley & Bosworth	6,600	9.8	6,850	10.2	22%	9%	11%	17%	41%
Melton	2,730	8.5	2,720	8.7	24%	9%	11%	19%	37%
NW Leicestershire	6,640	11.1	6,850	11.9	22%	8%	11%	17%	41%
Oadby and Wigston	3,540	10.0	3,590	9.6	23%	9%	12%	17%	40%
Leicester City	39,500	17.7	40,230	19.4	23%	10%	13%	18%	37%
Leicestershire County	38,750	9.3	39,620	9.5	23%	10%	13%	18%	37%
Rutland	1,510	6.6	1,500	6.4	23%	9%	11%	17%	40%
East Midlands	396,950	13.6	407,070	14.1	22%	9%	12%	17%	40%
Great Britain	5,621,910	14.1	5,762,500	14.7	22%	9%	12%	17%	40%

Source: Department of Work and Pension (Nomis) - May 2012

Table 10: Benefit Claimants by Statistical Group - Main reason for claiming benefit; November 2012

Statistical group	East Midlands		Leicester City		Leicestershire County	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Employment and Support Allowance & Incapacity Benefits	171,010	5.9	15,880	7.1	16,350	3.9
Job Seeker	100,820	3.5	12,030	5.4	8,880	2.1
Lone Parent	35,000	1.2	3,800	1.7	3,180	0.8
Carer	38,300	1.3	3,630	1.6	4,160	1.0
Disabled	34,760	1.2	2,440	1.1	4,090	1.0
Others on income related benefit	11,380	0.4	1,320	0.6	1,220	0.3
Bereaved	5,670	0.2	390	0.2	880	0.2
Total	396,950	13.6	39,500	17.7	38,750	9.3

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	71	76	80	3.4	1.6	2.5
2	31UBFZ	Cosby with South Whetstone	37	35	41	1.2	1.2	1.2
3	31UBGA	Countesthorpe	57	60	83	1.6	1.1	1.3
4	31UBGB	Croft Hill	20	16	29	1.4	1.5	1.4
5	31UBGC	Ellis	56	62	67	2.1	1.3	1.7
6	31UBGD	Enderby and St. John's	63	68	67	2.7	1.8	2.2
7	31UBGE	Fairstone	56	57	66	3.0	1.0	2.0
8	31UBGF	Forest	56	67	72	1.6	0.9	1.2
9	31UBGG	Millfield	44	41	49	3.6	2.3	2.9
10	31UBGH	Muxloe	30	30	38	1.7	0.8	1.2
11	31UBGJ	Narborough and Littlethorpe	47	51	73	1.9	0.8	1.4
12	31UBGK	Normanton	19	24	31	1.7	0.6	1.2
13	31UBGL	North Whetstone	65	66	86	2.6	1.3	1.9
14	31UBGM	Pastures	43	46	45	1.4	1.4	1.4
15	31UBGN	Ravenhurst and Fosse	152	158	167	4.7	1.9	3.3
16	31UBGP	Saxondale	111	120	118	2.5	1.9	2.2
17	31UBGQ	Stanton and Flamville	81	83	104	2.2	1.3	1.8
18	31UBGR	Winstanley	105	113	124	2.5	1.7	2.1
		Blaby District	1,113	1,173	1,340	2.4	1.4	1.9

These figures are suppressed as value is 1 or 2.

Source: Office for National Statistics

**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	3IUCGG Anstey	91	100	97	2.8	1.9	2.3
2	3IUCGH Barrow and Sileby West	60	53	69	2.0	1.0	1.5
3	3IUCGJ Birstall Wanlip	78	75	62	2.8	1.8	2.3
4	3IUCGK Birstall Watermead	96	97	104	2.8	1.9	2.4
5	3IUCGL East Goscote	19	20	28	1.2	0.8	1.0
6	3IUCGM Forest Bradgate	15	18	29	0.8	0.5	0.7
7	3IUCGN Loughborough Ashby*	78	82	114	1.6	0.5	1.1
8	3IUCGP Loughborough Dishley and Hathern*	89	99	102	3.0	1.2	2.1
9	3IUCGQ Loughborough Garendon*	61	67	89	2.2	0.9	1.6
10	3IUCGR Loughborough Hastings*	253	261	316	8.0	3.7	5.9
11	3IUCGS Loughborough Lemington*	180	184	226	5.0	2.8	4.0
12	3IUCGT Loughborough Nanpantan*	16	21	29	0.7	#	0.4
13	3IUCGU Loughborough Outwoods*	23	25	36	0.9	0.5	0.7
14	3IUCGW Loughborough Shelthorpe*	148	144	190	3.7	2.2	3.0
15	3IUCGX Loughborough Southfields*	82	85	79	1.9	1.0	1.5
16	3IUCGY Loughborough Storer*	104	123	124	2.3	1.7	2.0
17	3IUCGZ Mountsorrel	103	109	105	3.3	1.3	2.2
18	3IUCHA Queniborough	35	33	34	3.0	0.9	2.0
19	3IUCHB Quorn and Mountsorrel Castle	67	70	73	1.8	1.4	1.6
20	3IUCHC Rothley and Thurcaston	52	53	55	1.7	1.0	1.4
21	3IUCHD Shepshed East	90	79	97	2.6	1.5	2.1
22	3IUCHE Shepshed West	78	85	83	2.5	1.0	1.8
23	3IUCHF Sileby	87	92	115	2.5	1.1	1.8
24	3IUCHG Syston East	105	105	108	3.0	2.4	2.7
25	3IUCHH Syston West	85	84	106	2.4	1.6	2.0
26	3IUCHJ The Wolds	18	22	18	0.7	1.1	0.9
27	3IUCHK Thurmaston	172	186	219	3.4	2.3	2.9
28	3IUCHL Wreake Villages	22	24	22	1.6	0.9	1.2
	Charnwood Borough	2,307	2,396	2,729	2.7	1.5	2.1
	*Loughborough including Hathern	1034	1091	1305	2.9	1.5	2.2

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

Source: Office for National Statistics

**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	12	13	9	2.0	#	1.1
2	31UDGE Bosworth	19	19	23	1.3	1.1	1.2
3	31UDGF Broughton Astley - Astley	29	28	20	2.2	1.6	1.9
4	31UDGG Broughton Astley - Broughton	16	21	23	0.9	0.9	0.9
5	31UDGH Broughton Astley - Primethorpe	17	18	25	2.1	0.8	1.4
6	31UDGJ Broughton Astley - Sutton	25	24	21	2.8	1.0	1.9
7	31UDGK Dunton	11	13	16	1.3	#	0.7
8	31UDGL Fleckney	33	35	50	1.4	0.7	1.0
9	31UDGM Glen	43	40	36	2.2	1.1	1.7
10	31UDGN Kibworth	53	61	64	1.8	1.0	1.4
11	31UDGP Lubenham	18	15	19	0.9	0.8	0.8
12	31UDGQ Lutterworth Brookfield	8	10	10	0.4	0.7	0.6
13	31UDGR Lutterworth Orchard	23	29	20	1.9	1.6	1.8
14	31UDGS Lutterworth Springs	28	24	33	3.4	0.6	2.0
15	31UDGT Lutterworth Swift	20	22	37	1.5	1.0	1.3
16	31UDGU Market Harborough - Great Bowden*	79	76	98	2.4	1.2	1.8
17	31UDGW Market Harborough - Little Bowden*	25	30	35	1.1	0.4	0.8
18	31UDGX Market Harborough - Logan*	31	31	30	1.2	1.4	1.3
19	31UDGY Market Harborough - Welland*	69	77	94	2.4	1.4	1.9
20	31UDGZ Misterton	10	14	21	1.1	#	0.6
21	31UDHA Nevill	8	10	13	0.7	0.4	0.6
22	31UDHB Peatling	9	9	17	0.6	0.7	0.6
23	31UDHC Thurnby and Houghton	81	88	88	2.8	1.5	2.1
24	31UDHD Tilton	12	13	16	1.4	0.5	0.9
25	31UDHE Ullesthorpe	19	13	19	1.8	0.7	1.3
	Harborough District	698	733	837	1.7	0.9	1.3
	* Market Harborough	204	214	257	1.8	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	23	20	36	1.5	0.6	1.1
2	31UEFW Barlestone Nailstone & Osbaston	39	40	42	1.8	1.8	1.8
3	31UEFX Barwell	200	199	196	4.7	2.1	3.4
4	31UEFY Burbage St. Catherines & Lash Hill*	95	98	107	3.5	2.2	2.9
5	31UEFZ Burbage Sketchley and Stretton*	85	79	78	2.0	1.0	1.5
6	31UEGA Cadeby Carlton & Market Bosworth	18	21	26	1.3	0.4	0.8
7	31UEGB Earl Shilton*	251	254	274	5.5	2.6	4.1
8	31UEGC Groby	63	63	73	1.9	1.0	1.5
9	31UEGD Hinckley Castle*	175	172	164	4.6	3.5	4.1
10	31UEGE Hinckley Clarendon*	134	147	144	2.6	2.1	2.4
11	31UEGF Hinckley De Montfort*	130	142	155	2.6	1.5	2.1
12	31UEGG Hinckley Trinity*	154	176	164	4.9	2.3	3.6
13	31UEGH Markfield Stanton and Fieldhead	46	55	65	1.9	0.9	1.3
14	31UEGJ Newbold Verdon with Desford & Peckleton	82	91	101	2.2	1.0	1.6
15	31UEGK Ratby Bagworth and Thornton	76	79	97	2.4	1.1	1.7
16	31UEGL Twycross & Witherley with Sheepy	17	16	15	1.2	0.7	0.9
	Hinckley & Bosworth District	1,588	1,652	1,737	3.1	1.7	2.4
	* Hinckley (inc. Burbage & Earl Shilton)	1024	1068	1086	3.6	2.1	2.8

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			Leicester City					
			Total	Last month	Last year	Male %	Female %	Total %
Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)							
1	00FNNF	Abbey	617	650	721	8.6	5.2	6.9
2	00FNNG	Aylestone	331	351	335	6.5	3.0	4.7
3	00FNNH	Beaumont Leys	766	770	818	9.1	4.9	6.9
4	00FNNJ	Belgrave	425	443	504	6.5	4.8	5.6
5	00FNNK	Braunstone Park & Rowley Fields	837	838	853	10.0	5.4	7.6
6	00FNNL	Castle	859	892	850	7.0	2.8	4.9
7	00FNNM	Charnwood	685	695	683	11.2	6.1	8.5
8	00FNNN	Coleman	601	589	615	8.8	4.3	6.6
9	00FNNP	Evington	260	278	264	5.2	3.0	4.1
10	00FNNQ	Eyres Monsell	552	580	541	10.4	5.8	8.0
11	00FNNR	Fosse	512	523	492	7.4	4.5	6.0
12	00FNNS	Freemen	558	584	551	10.4	4.9	7.5
13	00FNNT	Humberstone and Hamilton	493	513	528	5.0	3.6	4.3
14	00FNNU	Knighton	298	313	301	4.0	2.0	3.0
15	00FNNW	Latimer	383	401	461	4.6	4.3	4.5
16	00FNNX	New Parks	797	813	854	10.5	5.4	7.8
17	00FNNY	Rushey Mead	449	453	509	5.0	3.3	4.2
18	00FNNZ	Spinney Hills	1131	1138	1184	10.4	5.6	8.0
19	00FNPA	Stoneygate	879	877	838	8.6	4.7	6.7
20	00FNPB	Thurncourt	308	302	335	6.7	3.8	5.2
21	00FNPC	Westcotes	529	557	519	9.1	4.5	6.9
22	00FNPD	Western Park	281	285	289	6.1	2.5	4.3
		Leicester	12,551	12,845	13,045	7.3	4.0	5.6

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Melton Borough

Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)	Total	Last month	Last year	Male	Female	Total
					%	%	%
1	3IUGFT Asfordby	48	51	57	3.1	1.6	2.4
2	3IUGFU Bottesford	18	18	30	1.5	0.3	0.9
3	3IUGFW Croxton Kerrial	18	17	8	2.0	1.0	1.5
4	3IUGFX Frisby-on-the-Wreake	7	6	9	#	0.9	0.6
5	3IUGFY Gaddesby	13	12	10	2.0	0.6	1.3
6	3IUGFZ Long Clawson and Stathern	34	40	36	1.2	1.4	1.3
7	3IUGGA Melton Craven*	96	93	90	6.0	2.3	4.2
8	3IUGGB Melton Dorian*	85	90	69	2.6	2.3	2.4
9	3IUGGC Melton Egerton*	119	125	113	6.7	3.3	5.0
10	3IUGGD Melton Newport*	79	81	78	4.1	1.1	2.6
11	3IUGGE Melton Sysonby*	92	91	89	3.0	2.5	2.7
12	3IUGGF Melton Warwick*	54	54	75	3.1	1.8	2.5
13	3IUGGG Old Dalby	16	12	14	1.4	1.2	1.3
14	3IUGGH Somerby	10	12	14	1.2	0.5	0.9
15	3IUGGJ Waltham-on-the-Wolds	14	15	15	1.9	1.0	1.4
16	3IUGGK Wymondham	20	21	17	2.3	1.6	1.9
	Melton Borough	723	738	724	2.9	1.6	2.3
	* Melton Mowbray	525	534	514	4.0	2.2	3.1

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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	22	17	1.4	1.4	1.4
2	3IUHGA	Ashby Castle*	17	16	20	1.5	0.0	1.1
3	3IUHGB	Ashby Holywell*	89	83	99	3.2	2.2	2.7
4	3IUHGC	Ashby Ivanhoe*	56	53	82	3.0	1.1	2.0
5	3IUHGD	Bardon**	29	43	60	1.4	1.2	1.3
6	3IUHGE	Breedon	17	22	22	1.5	0.8	1.1
7	3IUHGF	Castle Donington	82	92	100	2.3	1.4	1.8
8	3IUHGG	Coalville**	155	171	148	5.4	3.5	4.5
9	3IUHGH	Greenhill**	215	218	250	6.8	3.6	5.2
10	3IUHGJ	Hugglescote**	84	91	74	3.3	2.2	2.8
11	3IUHGK	Ibstock and Heather	121	130	154	3.7	1.7	2.7
12	3IUHGL	Kegworth and Whatton	46	56	58	2.2	0.9	1.6
13	3IUHGM	Measham	98	98	114	4.4	1.7	3.0
14	3IUHGN	Moira	66	68	68	2.7	1.9	2.3
15	3IUHGP	Oakthorpe and Donisthorpe	35	45	55	2.3	1.8	2.0
16	3IUHGQ	Ravenstone and Packington	31	32	28	2.9	0.0	2.1
17	3IUHGR	Snibston**	97	105	134	3.5	2.3	2.9
18	3IUHGS	Thringstone**	71	72	80	4.0	1.3	2.7
19	3IUHGT	Valley	69	67	84	3.3	1.6	2.4
20	3IUHGU	Whitwick**	114	106	112	3.4	2.0	2.7
		NW Leicestershire District	1,511	1,590	1,759	3.3	1.8	2.5
		* Ashby de la Zouch	162	152	201	2.2	1.1	1.7
		** Coalville	765	806	858	3.7	2.2	2.9

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Oadby & Wigston Borough

			Total	Last month	Last year	Male %	Female %	Total %
Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)							
1	31UJFL	Oadby Brocks Hill*	52	53	44	2.4	1.9	2.2
2	31UJFM	Oadby Grange*	46	44	55	1.0	0.8	0.9
3	31UJFN	Oadby St. Peter's*	75	73	83	3.3	2.7	3.0
4	31UJFP	Oadby Uplands*	71	67	79	3.4	1.6	2.5
5	31UJFQ	Oadby Woodlands*	55	58	49	2.3	1.2	1.7
6	31UJFR	South Wigston	188	192	209	5.0	2.7	3.8
7	31UJFS	Wigston All Saints**	79	80	109	2.9	1.3	2.1
8	31UJFT	Wigston Fields**	144	145	144	4.2	2.6	3.4
9	31UJFU	Wigston Meadowcourt**	97	99	117	3.2	1.4	2.3
10	31UJFW	Wigston St. Wolstan's**	76	84	86	2.4	1.5	1.9
		Oadby & Wigston Borough	883	895	975	3.2	1.8	2.5
		* Oadby	299	295	310	2.3	1.6	1.9
		** Wigston	396	408	456	3.9	2.0	3.0

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			Rutland				
Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)	Total	Last month	Last year	Male %	Female %	Total %
1	00FPMS Braunston and Belton	8	7	6	1.2	0.7	1.0
2	00FPMT Cottesmore	12	19	14	0.4	0.7	0.6
3	00FPMU Exton	6	6	12	0.6	#	0.5
4	00FPMW Greetham	7	10	13	0.4	#	0.4
5	00FPMX Ketton	15	13	20	1.2	0.8	1.0
6	00FPMY Langham	7	9	16	1.2	#	0.9
7	00FPMZ Lyddington	8	9	7	1.7	#	1.0
8	00FPNA Martinsthorpe	9	9	7	2.3	#	1.4
9	00FPNB Normanton	18	20	19	0.8	1.0	0.9
10	00FPNC Oakham North East*	35	29	25	2.5	1.0	1.8
11	00FPND Oakham North West*	47	53	45	2.9	2.1	2.5
12	00FPNE Oakham South East*	18	23	19	2.4	0.4	1.4
13	00FPNF Oakham South West*	24	26	23	2.4	1.4	1.9
14	00FPNG Ryhall and Casterton	25	28	31	1.5	1.3	1.4
15	00FPNH Uppingham	58	56	56	2.5	1.6	2.1
16	00FPNJ Whissendine	8	9	11	1.5	#	1.0
	Rutland	305	326	324	1.6	1.0	1.3
	*Oakham	124	131	112	2.4	1.2	1.8

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