

# Unemployment Bulletin

## October 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](http://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: October 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	2.8%	3.4%	2.1%	17,633	-1,415	-4,434	3.0%(-0.2)	3.5%(-0.7)
Leicestershire County	1.7%	2.1%	1.3%	7,037	-571	-2,389	1.8%(-0.1)	2.3%(-0.6)
Leicester City	4.7%	5.8%	3.7%	10,596	-844	-2,045	5.1%(-0.4)	5.7%(-1.0)
Rutland	1.0%	1.1%	0.9%	225	-31	-96	1.1%(-0.1)	1.4%(-0.4)
East Midlands	2.9%	3.6%	2.1%	83,582	-4,712	-21,021	3.0%(-0.1)	3.6%(-0.7)
UK	3.1%	4.0%	2.2%	1,268,751	-55,974	-278,674	3.2%(-0.1)	3.8%(-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 2013 unemployment figures on Wednesday 18th December 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](http://www.lsr-online.org)

**Table 2: Resident-Based Claimant Count (JSA) Proportions: October 2013**

Districts	Claimant Count Proportion (working age)	Total Claimant Count	Total last month	Total last year	Previous months Proportion (change)	Previous years Proportion (change)
Oadby & Wigston	2.2%	787	814	941	2.3%(-0.1)	2.5%(-0.3)
NW Leicestershire	2.1%	1,220	1,345	1,634	2.3%(-0.2)	2.8%(-0.7)
Hinckley & Bosworth	1.9%	1,288	1,394	1,594	2.1%(-0.2)	2.4%(-0.5)
Blaby	1.6%	942	1,043	1,269	1.8%(-0.2)	2.1%(-0.5)
Melton	1.6%	514	544	710	1.7%(-0.1)	2.3%(-0.7)
Charnwood	1.6%	1,764	1,898	2,520	1.7%(-0.1)	2.2%(-0.6)
Harborough	1.0%	522	570	758	1.1%(-0.1)	1.5%(-0.5)

Source: Office for National Statistics (Nomis)

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

Market Towns	Claimant Count Proportion (working age)	Total Claimant Count	Previous months Proportion (change)	Previous years Proportion
Wigston	2.6%	347	2.6%(0.0)	3.1%(-0.5)
Coalville	2.4%	638	2.7%(-0.3)	3.2%(-0.8)
Hinckley (inc. Burbage & Earl Shilton)	2.3%	831	2.5%(-0.2)	2.8%(-0.5)
Melton Mowbray	2.2%	378	2.4%(-0.2)	3.0%(-0.8)
Oadby	1.7%	258	1.8%(-0.1)	2.0%(-0.3)
Loughborough (including Hathern)	1.6%	798	1.8%(-0.2)	2.6%(-1.0)
Ashby de la Zouch	1.2%	121	1.4%(-0.2)	1.5%(-0.3)
Oakham	1.1%	77	1.3%(-0.2)	1.5%(-0.4)
Market Harborough	0.9%	126	1.2%(-0.3)	1.5%(-0.6)

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 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	200	30	20	30	350	110	55	145
Charnwood	330	35	25	25	750	195	120	280
Harborough	110	15	5	10	235	55	25	60
Hinckley & Bosworth	240	60	30	45	475	160	85	190
Melton	90	35	10	20	170	60	25	105
NW Leicestershire	215	35	30	45	435	150	90	220
Oadby & Wigston	170	20	25	25	285	115	40	105
Leicester City	1,760	450	270	315	3,340	1,415	825	2,210
Leicestershire County	1,355	235	140	200	2,700	845	445	1,105
Rutland	50	5	5	5	95	25	5	30
Leicester Shire	3,115	680	405	515	6,040	2,265	1,270	3,315

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](http://www.nomisweb.co.uk/articles/news/files/DWP_Ethnicity_JSA.pdf)

**Table 5: Claimant Count (JSA) by Ethnicity; September 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	885	15	20	75	10	125	35
Charnwood	1,545	30	20	195	40	285	65
Harborough	515	5	5	25	5	45	15
Hinckley & Bosworth	1,255	10	15	20	10	50	85
Melton	520	5	0	5	0	15	5
NW Leicestershire	1,285	10	10	5	5	30	30
Oadby & Wigston	565	20	15	190	5	230	15
Leicester City	5,890	395	1,230	3,155	380	5,160	390
Leicestershire County	6,570	100	85	515	75	780	255
Leicester Shire	12,460	495	1,315	3,670	455	5,940	645
East Midlands	71,140	1,945	4,125	5,645	1,605	13,320	3,755
Great Britain	968,570	26,015	88,505	75,885	29,655	220,060	72,035

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 2013.**

Area	White	Mixed	Black or Black British	Asian or Asian British	Chinese or Other Ethnic Group	'Non White'
Blaby	1.1%	1.1%	1.8%	1.1%	1.3%	1.2%
Charnwood	1.1%	1.2%	1.0%	1.5%	1.0%	1.3%
Harborough	0.7%	0.5%	0.6%	0.8%	0.8%	0.8%
Hinckley & Bosworth	1.3%	0.8%	1.9%	0.6%	1.4%	0.8%
Melton	1.1%	0.8%	0.0%	0.5%	0.0%	0.7%
NW Leicestershire	1.5%	1.1%	2.0%	0.3%	0.5%	0.7%
Oadby & Wigston	1.2%	1.8%	1.4%	2.3%	0.7%	2.1%
Leicester City	3.0%	4.5%	10.6%	4.0%	4.0%	4.7%
Leicestershire County	1.1%	1.2%	1.3%	1.4%	0.9%	1.3%
Leicester Shire	1.6%	2.8%	7.3%	3.1%	2.6%	3.5%
East Midlands	1.8%	2.7%	5.8%	2.4%	2.7%	3.0%

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; September 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'	12,460	13,205	14,895	15	2,180	4,115	1,435	5	1,340	2,535	835
'Non-white'	5,935	6,060	6,640	0	960	2,090	615	0	595	1,295	380
Leicester City											
'White'	5,895	6,155	6,600	5	1,030	2,015	640	5	620	1,220	360
'Non-white'	5,165	5,240	5,710	0	825	1,825	540	0	520	1,125	330
Leicestershire County											
'White'	6,575	7,060	8,290	5	1,150	2,100	795	5	725	1,315	480
'Non-white'	775	830	935	0	135	265	75	0	75	170	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; July 2012 - June 2013**

Area	July 2012 - June 2013	July 2011 - June 2012		
	ILO Unemployment Rate (working age)	Total Persons ILO Unemployed	ILO Unemployment Rate (working age)	Total Persons ILO Unemployed
United Kingdom	8.0%	2,474,700	8.2%	2,522,700
East Midlands	8.1%	180,500	8.3%	185,100
Leicester Shire	8.7%	41,600	8.6%	41,500
Leicester City	15.4%	23,000	13.5%	20,100
Leicestershire County	5.7%	18,600	6.4%	21,400

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 2013**

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	5,000	8.5	5,250	8.8	21%	9%	11%	17%	42%
Charnwood	10,310	9.2	10,770	9.8	20%	10%	11%	17%	41%
Harborough	3,600	6.7	3,830	7.2	19%	9%	10%	19%	43%
Hinckley & Bosworth	6,650	9.9	6,810	10.1	21%	10%	11%	17%	41%
Melton	2,720	8.6	2,760	8.6	22%	10%	11%	19%	37%
NW Leicestershire	6,560	11.1	6,840	11.5	19%	10%	11%	18%	42%
Oadby and Wigston	3,520	10.1	3,630	10.3	21%	11%	11%	18%	40%
Leicester City	39,410	17.7	40,720	18.3	21%	11%	13%	19%	37%
Leicestershire County	38,360	9.2	39,900	9.6	21%	11%	13%	19%	37%
Rutland	1,480	6.6	1,500	6.5	20%	10%	11%	18%	41%
East Midlands	392,110	13.5	407,640	14.0	20%	10%	11%	18%	41%
Great Britain	5,527,060	13.9	5,738,660	14.4	20%	10%	11%	18%	41%

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

**Table 10: Benefit Claimants by Statistical Group - Main reason for claiming benefit; May 2013**

Statistical group	East Midlands		Leicester City		Leicestershire County	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Employment and Support Allowance & Incapacity Benefits	167,770	5.8	15,720	7.0	16,190	3.9
Job Seeker	97,250	3.3	12,110	5.4	8,480	2.0
Lone Parent	34,490	1.2	3,670	1.6	3,120	0.7
Carer	39,840	1.4	3,710	1.7	4,330	1.0
Disabled	36,140	1.2	2,510	1.1	4,180	1.0
Others on income related benefit	10,870	0.4	1,270	0.6	1,180	0.3
Bereaved	5,750	0.2	410	0.2	890	0.2
Total	392,110	13.5	39,410	17.7	38,360	9.2

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](http://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](http://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](http://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	69	77	89	2.6	2.2	2.4
2	31UBFZ	Cosby with South Whetstone	23	30	52	0.7	0.8	0.8
3	31UBGA	Countesthorpe	60	64	88	1.5	1.4	1.4
4	31UBGB	Croft Hill	18	21	23	1.7	0.9	1.3
5	31UBGC	Ellis	44	54	62	1.5	1.2	1.4
6	31UBGD	Enderby and St. John's	52	59	68	2.0	1.6	1.8
7	31UBGE	Fairstone	50	57	69	2.7	0.9	1.8
8	31UBGF	Forest	46	46	62	1.4	0.6	1.0
9	31UBGG	Millfield	32	32	49	1.9	2.4	2.1
10	31UBGH	Muxloe	24	29	30	1.3	0.7	1.0
11	31UBGJ	Narborough and Littlethorpe	41	43	65	1.5	0.8	1.2
12	31UBGK	Normanton	17	15	21	1.2	0.9	1.1
13	31UBGL	North Whetstone	53	64	69	2.3	0.9	1.6
14	31UBGM	Pastures	37	40	47	1.0	1.3	1.2
15	31UBGN	Ravenhurst and Fosse	129	141	176	3.3	2.3	2.8
16	31UBGP	Saxondale	90	100	114	2.0	1.5	1.8
17	31UBGQ	Stanton and Flamville	76	81	100	1.8	1.5	1.7
18	31UBGR	Winstanley	81	90	117	1.6	1.6	1.6
		Blaby District	942	1,043	1,301	1.9	1.3	1.6

# 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**

			<b>Total</b>	<b>Last month</b>	<b>Last year</b>	<b>Male %</b>	<b>Female %</b>	<b>Total %</b>
<b>Code</b>	<b>Wards (resident-based proportions)</b>							
1	31UCGG	Anstey	72	84	86	2.2	1.5	1.8
2	31UCGH	Barrow and Sileby West	49	54	74	1.2	1.2	1.2
3	31UCGJ	Birstall Wanlip	46	51	80	1.3	1.4	1.4
4	31UCGK	Birstall Watermead	83	81	98	2.3	1.8	2.1
5	31UCGL	East Goscote	17	17	26	1.4	0.4	0.9
6	31UCGM	Forest Bradgate	18	18	25	1.1	0.5	0.8
7	31UCGN	Loughborough Ashby*	66	71	100	1.0	0.8	0.9
8	31UCGP	Loughborough Dishley and Hathern*	64	70	106	2.0	1.0	1.5
9	31UCGQ	Loughborough Garendon*	46	52	94	1.4	1.0	1.2
10	31UCGR	Loughborough Hastings*	207	200	307	6.7	2.9	4.8
11	31UCGS	Loughborough Lemington*	148	148	188	4.3	2.1	3.3
12	31UCGT	Loughborough Nanpantan*	16	19	28	0.6	0.2	0.4
13	31UCGU	Loughborough Outwoods*	18	22	41	0.6	0.5	0.5
14	31UCGW	Loughborough Shelthorpe*	98	111	169	2.4	1.6	2.0
15	31UCGX	Loughborough Southfields*	49	49	83	1.2	0.6	0.9
16	31UCGY	Loughborough Storer*	86	91	126	1.9	1.4	1.7
17	31UCGZ	Mountsorrel	68	85	97	2.0	1.0	1.5
18	31UCHA	Queniborough	19	19	32	1.4	0.8	1.1
19	31UCHB	Quorn and Mountsorrel Castle	47	50	63	1.4	0.9	1.2
20	31UHC	Rothley and Thurcaston	40	49	50	1.1	1.0	1.1
21	31UCHD	Shepshed East	68	74	84	1.8	1.3	1.6
22	31UCHE	Shepshed West	63	64	86	1.8	1.0	1.4
23	31UCHF	Sileby	68	82	88	1.6	1.1	1.4
24	31UCHG	Syston East	79	79	101	2.3	1.7	2.0
25	31UCHH	Syston West	67	82	109	1.9	1.2	1.5
26	31UCHJ	The Wolds	13	10	12	0.4	0.9	0.7
27	31UCHK	Thurmaston	133	152	216	2.7	1.7	2.2
28	31UACL	Wreake Villages	16	14	20	1.2	0.5	0.9
		<b>Charnwood Borough</b>	<b>1,764</b>	<b>1,898</b>	<b>2,589</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.6</b>
		*Loughborough including Hathern	798	833	1242	2.1	1.2	1.7

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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	14	9	1.8	#	1.1
2	31UDGE	Bosworth	12	12	16	1.2	0.4	0.8
3	31UDGF	Broughton Astley - Astley	21	21	30	1.4	1.3	1.4
4	31UDGG	Broughton Astley - Broughton	14	17	32	0.6	0.9	0.8
5	31UDGH	Broughton Astley - Primethorpe	11	13	23	1.0	0.8	0.9
6	31UDGJ	Broughton Astley - Sutton	22	27	27	1.7	1.6	1.7
7	31UDGK	Dunton	10	6	19	0.7	0.6	0.7
8	31UDGL	Fleckney	25	31	44	1.1	0.5	0.8
9	31UDGM	Glen	31	30	37	1.9	0.5	1.2
10	31UDGN	Kibworth	38	43	58	1.1	0.9	1.0
11	31UDGP	Lubenham	12	9	23	0.6	0.5	0.5
12	31UDGQ	Lutterworth Brookfield	7	7	12	0.5	0.4	0.5
13	31UDGR	Lutterworth Orchard	13	14	18	1.1	0.9	1.0
14	31UDGS	Lutterworth Springs	16	15	26	1.3	1.0	1.1
15	31UDGT	Lutterworth Swift	22	24	28	1.5	1.3	1.4
16	31UDGU	Market Harborough - Great Bowden*	35	53	77	1.1	0.5	0.8
17	31UDGW	Market Harborough - Little Bowden*	19	26	27	0.9	0.3	0.6
18	31UDGX	Market Harborough - Logan*	18	26	33	1.1	0.4	0.8
19	31UDGY	Market Harborough - Welland*	54	55	84	2.1	0.9	1.5
20	31UDGZ	Misterton	13	10	20	1.2	0.4	0.8
21	31UDHA	Nevill	10	10	10	1.3	#	0.7
22	31UDHB	Peatling	9	8	15	#	1.0	0.6
23	31UDHC	Thurnby and Houghton	74	73	98	2.6	1.3	1.9
24	31UDHD	Tilton	11	13	14	1.0	0.8	0.9
25	31UDHE	Ullesthorpe	13	13	20	0.9	0.9	0.9
		Harborough District	522	570	800	1.2	0.7	1.0
		* Market Harborough	126	160	221	1.3	0.5	0.9

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**Hinckley & Bosworth Borough**

			<b>Total</b>	<b>Last month</b>	<b>Last year</b>	<b>Male %</b>	<b>Female %</b>	<b>Total %</b>
<b>Code</b>	<b>Wards (resident-based proportions)</b>							
1	31UEFU	Ambien	20	17	33	1.2	0.6	0.9
2	31UEFW	Barlestone Nailstone & Osbaston	34	34	42	1.5	1.6	1.6
3	31UEFX	Barwell	168	171	206	3.7	2.0	2.8
4	31UEFY	Burbage St. Catherines & Lash Hill*	64	73	114	1.2	1.0	1.1
5	31UEFZ	Burbage Sketchley and Stretton*	93	88	82	3.4	2.2	2.8
6	31UEGA	Cadeby Carlton & Market Bosworth	10	12	22	0.6	0.4	0.5
7	31UEGB	Earl Shilton*	203	230	261	4.1	2.5	3.3
8	31UEGC	Groby	49	53	73	1.5	0.8	1.1
9	31UEGD	Hinckley Castle*	126	148	163	3.1	2.8	2.9
10	31UEGE	Hinckley Clarendon*	101	107	145	1.9	1.7	1.8
11	31UEGF	Hinckley De Montfort*	120	132	167	2.5	1.3	1.9
12	31UEGG	Hinckley Trinity*	124	137	145	3.9	1.9	2.9
13	31UEGH	Markfield Stanton and Fieldhead	36	40	41	1.2	0.9	1.0
14	31UEGJ	Newbold Verdon with Desford & Peckleton	68	75	102	1.7	1.0	1.3
15	31UEGK	Ratby Bagworth and Thornton	61	66	68	1.7	1.1	1.4
16	31UEGL	Twycross & Witherley with Sheepy	11	11	15	0.9	0.3	0.6
		Hinckley & Bosworth District	1,288	1,394	1,679	2.4	1.5	1.9
		* Hinckley (inc. Burbage & Earl Shilton)	831	915	1077	2.7	1.8	2.3

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			Leicester City					
			Total	Last month	Last year	Male %	Female %	Total %
Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)							
1	00FNNF	Abbey	540	584	709	7.2	4.8	6.0
2	00FNNG	Aylestone	288	316	341	5.5	2.8	4.1
3	00FNNH	Beaumont Leys	651	709	786	7.5	4.4	5.9
4	00FNNJ	Belgrave	353	366	461	5.0	4.3	4.7
5	00FNNK	Braunstone Park & Rowley Fields	666	696	829	7.8	4.4	6.0
6	00FNNL	Castle	724	781	824	5.8	2.4	4.1
7	00FNNM	Charnwood	581	616	667	9.1	5.5	7.2
8	00FNNN	Coleman	506	547	636	7.1	4.0	5.5
9	00FNNP	Evington	245	274	275	4.5	3.2	3.8
10	00FNNQ	Eyres Monsell	462	484	564	7.9	5.6	6.7
11	00FNNR	Fosse	407	435	502	5.5	4.0	4.8
12	00FNNS	Freemen	472	512	586	8.6	4.3	6.4
13	00FNNT	Humberstone and Hamilton	393	428	496	3.7	3.2	3.4
14	00FNNU	Knighton	279	293	287	3.4	2.2	2.8
15	00FNNW	Latimer	313	364	455	3.9	3.5	3.7
16	00FNNX	New Parks	654	718	785	8.0	4.9	6.4
17	00FNNY	Rushey Mead	380	403	451	4.1	3.0	3.5
18	00FNNZ	Spinney Hills	972	1,079	1,134	8.2	5.6	6.9
19	00FNPA	Stoneygate	768	828	915	7.4	4.2	5.9
20	00FNPB	Thurncourt	255	289	338	5.7	3.0	4.3
21	00FNPC	Westcotes	445	474	510	7.0	4.6	5.8
22	00FNPD	Western Park	242	244	277	4.4	3.0	3.7
		Leicester	10,596	11,440	12,828	5.8	3.7	4.7

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**Melton Borough**

Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)	Melton Borough			Male	Female	Total
		Total	Last month	Last year	%	%	%
1	3IUGFT Asfordby	34	37	62	2.0	1.3	1.7
2	3IUGFU Bottesford	13	14	25	1.1	#	0.6
3	3IUGFW Croxton Kerrial	6	12	10	0.5	0.5	0.5
4	3IUGFX Frisby-on-the-Wreake	#	3	10	#	0.0	#
5	3IUGFY Gaddesby	9	10	10	1.6	#	0.9
6	3IUGFZ Long Clawson and Stathern	29	30	35	1.2	1.0	1.1
7	3IUGGA Melton Craven*	59	66	97	3.7	1.5	2.6
8	3IUGGB Melton Dorian*	60	55	68	1.8	1.6	1.7
9	3IUGGC Melton Egerton*	89	95	101	4.7	2.7	3.7
10	3IUGGD Melton Newport*	61	62	76	2.6	1.5	2.0
11	3IUGGE Melton Sysonby*	74	79	82	2.8	1.6	2.2
12	3IUGGF Melton Warwick*	35	39	70	2.4	0.8	1.6
13	3IUGGG Old Dalby	7	8	10	0.5	0.7	0.6
14	3IUGGH Somerby	12	12	14	1.0	1.1	1.1
15	3IUGGJ Waltham-on-the-Wolds	12	10	13	1.2	1.2	1.2
16	3IUGGK Wymondham	12	12	14	1.5	0.8	1.2
	Melton Borough	514	544	697	2.1	1.2	1.6
	* Melton Mowbray	378	396	494	0.6	0.5	2.2

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**North West Leicestershire District**

Code		Wards (resident-based proportions)	Total	Last month	Last year	Male %	Female %	Total %
1	3IUHFZ	Appleby	12	14	15	1.3	0.5	0.9
2	3IUHGA	Ashby Castle*	11	13	17	0.9	0.0	0.7
3	3IUHGB	Ashby Holywell*	68	76	89	2.6	1.5	2.1
4	3IUHGC	Ashby Ivanhoe*	42	46	65	2.1	1.0	1.5
5	3IUHGD	Bardon**	36	44	44	1.7	1.6	1.6
6	3IUHGE	Breedon	13	17	17	1.2	0.5	0.9
7	3IUHGF	Castle Donington	57	64	108	1.6	0.9	1.3
8	3IUHGG	Coalville**	137	146	144	5.0	2.9	3.9
9	3IUHGH	Greenhill**	175	183	225	5.5	3.0	4.2
10	3IUHGJ	Hugglescote**	62	73	76	2.8	1.3	2.0
11	3IUHGK	Ibstock and Heather	101	109	121	3.4	1.2	2.3
12	3IUHGL	Kegworth and Whatton	39	40	51	1.6	1.0	1.3
13	3IUHGM	Measham	73	81	93	3.1	1.4	2.3
14	3IUHGN	Moira	59	63	76	2.3	1.8	2.0
15	3IUHGP	Oakthorpe and Donisthorpe	31	28	46	2.3	1.3	1.8
16	3IUHGQ	Ravenstone and Packington	23	32	27	1.6	0.0	1.6
17	3IUHGR	Snibston**	82	93	99	2.9	2.0	2.4
18	3IUHGS	Thringstone**	56	59	72	2.6	1.6	2.1
19	3IUHGT	Valley	53	52	71	2.3	1.4	1.9
20	3IUHGU	Whitwick**	90	112	92	2.6	1.6	2.1
		NW Leicestershire District	1,220	1,345	1,548	2.6	1.5	2.1
		* Ashby de la Zouch	121	135	171	1.6	0.9	1.2
		** Coalville	638	710	752	3.1	1.8	2.4

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**Oadby & Wigston Borough**

			<b>Total</b>	<b>Last month</b>	<b>Last year</b>	<b>Male %</b>	<b>Female %</b>	<b>Total %</b>
<b>Code</b>	<b>Wards (resident-based proportions)</b>							
<b>1</b>	31UJFL	Oadby Brocks Hill*	32	46	45	1.5	1.2	1.3
<b>2</b>	31UJFM	Oadby Grange*	52	63	55	1.2	0.8	1.0
<b>3</b>	31UJFN	Oadby St. Peter's*	70	73	88	4.0	1.7	2.8
<b>4</b>	31UJFP	Oadby Uplands*	56	54	71	2.5	1.4	2.0
<b>5</b>	31UJFQ	Oadby Woodlands*	48	52	71	2.2	0.8	1.5
<b>6</b>	31UJFR	South Wigston	182	180	203	4.5	2.9	3.7
<b>7</b>	31UJFS	Wigston All Saints**	77	80	92	2.6	1.5	2.0
<b>8</b>	31UJFT	Wigston Fields**	132	125	144	3.9	2.3	3.1
<b>9</b>	31UJFU	Wigston Meadowcourt**	70	74	108	2.2	1.1	1.6
<b>10</b>	31UJFW	Wigston St. Wolstan's**	68	67	81	2.2	1.2	1.7
		<b>Oadby &amp; Wigston Borough</b>	<b>787</b>	<b>814</b>	<b>958</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.2</b>
		* Oadby	258	288	330	2.1	1.2	1.7
		** Wigston	347	346	425	3.4	1.8	2.6

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			Rutland				
Code	Wards (resident-based proportions)	Total	Last month	Last year	Male	Female	Total
					%	%	
1	00FPMS Braunston and Belton	4	7	7	#	#	0.5
2	00FPMT Cottesmore	15	19	20	0.6	0.8	0.7
3	00FPMU Exton	#	6	14	#	0.0	#
4	00FPMW Greetham	7	8	11	0.3	1.0	0.4
5	00FPMX Ketton	13	16	20	1.2	0.5	0.9
6	00FPMY Langham	#	5	10	#	0.0	#
7	00FPMZ Lyddington	10	9	7	1.9	#	1.2
8	00FPNA Martinsthorpe	6	7	6	1.3	#	0.9
9	00FPNB Normanton	15	17	19	0.3	1.2	0.7
10	00FPNC Oakham North East*	24	29	21	1.1	1.3	1.2
11	00FPND Oakham North West*	38	39	44	2.5	1.6	2.0
12	00FPNE Oakham South East*	5	9	21	0.5	#	0.4
13	00FPNF Oakham South West*	10	14	26	0.8	0.8	0.8
14	00FPNG Ryhall and Casterton	26	19	28	1.6	1.3	1.4
15	00FPNH Uppingham	39	44	57	1.5	1.3	1.4
16	00FPNJ Whissendine	9	8	9	1.0	1.2	1.1
	Rutland	225	256	320	1.1	0.9	1.0
	*Oakham	77	91	112	1.3	1.0	1.1

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