



# Employment Bulletin

## A Monthly Analysis of Employment, Unemployment and Jobs

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### July 2016

Unemployment according to the Government's preferred measure was 1.64 million in the three months to June 2016, down 52,000 from the previous three months and down 207,000 from the same period a year ago. The unemployment rate was 4.9%, down 0.2% from the previous three months and down 0.7% from a year earlier.

The unemployment rate for 18-24 year olds was 11.8% in the three months to June 2016, down 0.4% on the quarter and down 2.4% on the year. There were 481,000 unemployed young people aged from 18 to 24 in the quarter to June 2016. This is down by 20,000 on the quarter and down by 103,000 over the year. Comparisons of youth unemployment over time are complicated by the fact that unemployment rates are calculated as the number of unemployed people divided by the economically active population which excludes those

**Key Facts**

- \* **Claimant count in Nottinghamshire falls by 388 over the month.**
- \* **Jobless total now 11,902.**
- \* **Claimant count rates in July (residence based);**  
**United Kingdom 1.4%**  
**East Midlands 1.2%**  
**Nottinghamshire 1.7%**  
**County 1.1%**  
**City 2.8%**
- \* **LFS Unemployment in the United Kingdom 1,640,000 or 4.9% of the workforce.**

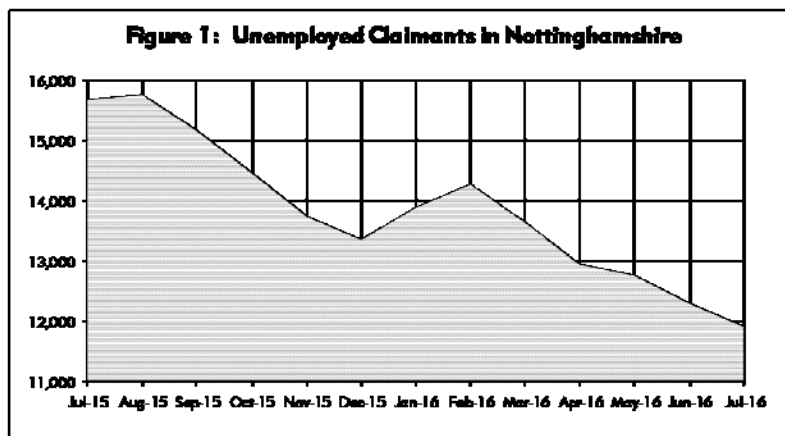
not seeking or available for work. Unemployment rates are not the proportion of the total population who are unemployed. They are the proportion of the economically active population (those in work plus those seeking and available to work) who are unemployed. The long-term

increase in the proportion of young people going into full-time education reduces the size of the economically active population and therefore increases the unemployment rate.

The seasonally adjusted claimant figure for the United Kingdom decreased by 18,700 last month to 566,200 and was down 163,600 over the year.

The number of people in employment aged 16 and over increased by 172,000 over the quarter to reach 31.75 million. The employment rate for those aged 16 to 64 is now 74.5%, the highest since comparable records began in 1971.

The number of people in full-time employment increased by 101,000 on the quarter to



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reach 23.22 million. The number of people in part-time employment was 8.53 million in the three months to June 2016, up 71,000 on the previous quarter and up 231,000 on the year.

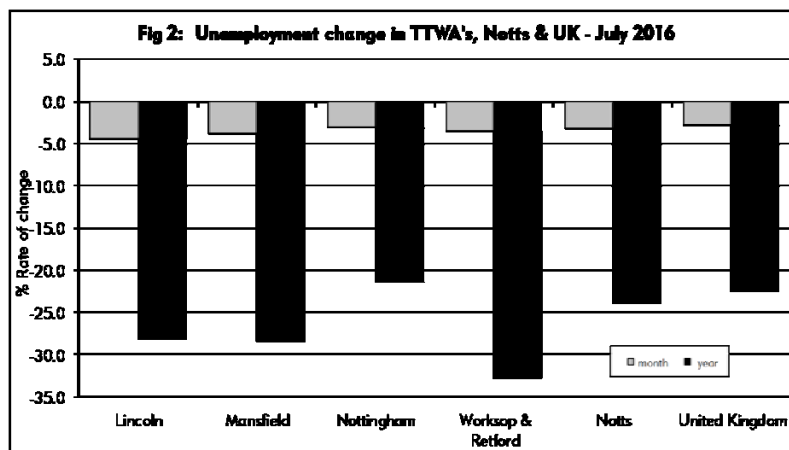
In the three months to June 2016, there were 8.84 million economically inactive people aged from 16 to 64, down 58,000 from the previous quarter and down 179,000 from a year earlier.

Average total pay (including bonuses) was £501 per week in June 2016. Over the year total pay for employees in Great Britain increased by 2.4%. Average regular pay (excluding bonuses) was £472 per week in June 2016. Over the year regular pay for employees in Great Britain rose by 2.3%. Between June 2015 and June 2016 there was a 0.5% increase in the Consumer Prices Index.

There were 741,000 job vacancies in the three months to July 2016, down 7,000 from the previous three months but up 2,000 more than a year earlier.

There were 2.2 unemployed people per vacancy in the period from April to June 2016, unchanged on the quarter but down by 0.3 on the year.

In the three months to June 2016, 111,000 people became redundant in the three months prior to their Labour



Force Survey interview. This is up 1,000 from the previous three months but down 1,000 on the year. The redundancy rate was 4.2 per 1,000 employees, unchanged from the previous three months but down 0.1% from a year earlier.

The unadjusted JSA claimant figure for the United Kingdom has decreased by 15,297 over the month to 561,324. The proportion unemployed calculated on the residence base now stands at 1.4% of the population aged 16-64.

The number of claimants in Nottinghamshire decreased by 388 between June and July 2016. The total of 11,902 is 3,768 less than it was a year ago (see figure 1).

The proportion unemployed in Nottinghamshire is now 1.7%. This is higher than the East Midlands (1.2%) and

the United Kingdom (1.4%).

Between June and July 2016, unemployment decreased in all of the four Travel To Work Areas in the County (figure 2). Lincoln experienced the largest decrease with a rate of change of -4.4%, followed by Mansfield with -3.8%, Worksop & Retford with -3.5% and Nottingham with -3.1%.

Compared with July 2015, all of the four TTWA's in the County have reduced numbers of claimants. The largest change has been in Worksop & Retford with a rate of change of -32.8% followed by Mansfield with -28.5%, Lincoln with -28.1% and Nottingham with -21.4%.

Unemployment decreased in all of the seven Local Authority Districts in the County over the month. The largest decreases were in Rushcliffe with -5.6% and Ashfield with -5.2%. Unemployment in the City of

**Table 1: Claimant Count, July 2016**

Area	No. of Claimants			Change over		Claimant Count Rate		
	Male	Female	Total	Month	Year	Male	Female	Total
UK seasonally adjusted	353,400	212,800	566,200	-18,700	-163,600	1.7	1.0	1.4
United Kingdom	345,985	215,339	561,324	-15,297	-162,656	1.7	1.0	1.4
East Midlands	21,170	13,022	34,192	-1,619	-13,202	1.5	0.9	1.2
Notts County (a)	3,513	2,185	5,698	-241	-2,237	1.4	0.9	1.1
Nottm City (b)	4,189	2,015	6,204	-147	-1,531	3.7	1.9	2.8
Nottinghamshire (a+b)	7,702	4,200	11,902	-388	-3,768	2.1	1.2	1.7

The rates shown in tables 1-4 are supplied by ONS. They are calculated by expressing the claimant count figures as a proportion of the resident population aged 16-64 derived from the latest mid-year population figures.

Nottingham decreased by 147 over the month resulting in a rate of change of -2.3%.

The rates of change have varied throughout the County over the year, from -36.1% in Mansfield to -20.6% in Gedling. Nottingham City changed by -19.8% over the year.

Unemployment decreased in seven of the eight Parliamentary Constituencies in the County during July. Sherwood and Ashfield recorded the largest decreases,

experiencing rates of change of -6.7% and -5.4%. Over the month Nottingham East has changed by -1.9%, Nottingham North by -2.4% and Nottingham South by -2.8%.

All of the eight Parliamentary Constituencies in the County have decreased numbers of claimants compared with the same period last year resulting in rates of change ranging from -24.3% in Ashfield and Broxtowe to -36.1% in Mansfield. The three Nottingham

Constituencies have rates of change of -21.9% in Nottingham East, -20.4% in Nottingham North and -15.2% in Nottingham South.

**Table 2: Claimant Count by Travel To Work Areas in Nottinghamshire, July 2016**

Travel To Work Area	No. of Claimants			Change over		Claimant Count Rate		
	Male	Female	Total	Month	Year	Male	Female	Total
Lincoln	1,861	1,073	2,934	-135	-1,148	1.7	1.0	1.3
Mansfield	1,534	975	2,509	-100	-999	1.6	1.0	1.3
Nottingham	6,444	3,319	9,763	-309	-2,656	2.4	1.3	1.8
Worksop & Retford	468	336	804	-29	-393	1.3	0.9	1.1

Proportions for Travel To Work Areas are currently unavailable from ONS.

**Table 3: Claimant Count by Local Authority Districts in Nottinghamshire, July 2016**

District	No. of Claimants			Change over		Claimant Count Rate		
	Male	Female	Total	Month	Year	Male	Female	Total
Ashfield	726	484	1,210	-66	-356	1.9	1.2	1.6
Bassetlaw	423	310	733	-38	-355	1.2	0.9	1.0
Broxtowe	445	275	720	-38	-258	1.3	0.8	1.0
Gedling	589	309	898	-29	-233	1.7	0.8	1.2
Mansfield	614	358	972	-29	-550	1.8	1.1	1.4
Newark & Sherwood	413	296	709	-14	-322	1.1	0.8	1.0
Nottingham**	4,189	2,015	6,204	-147	-1,531	3.7	1.9	2.8
Rushcliffe	303	153	456	-27	-163	0.9	0.4	0.7

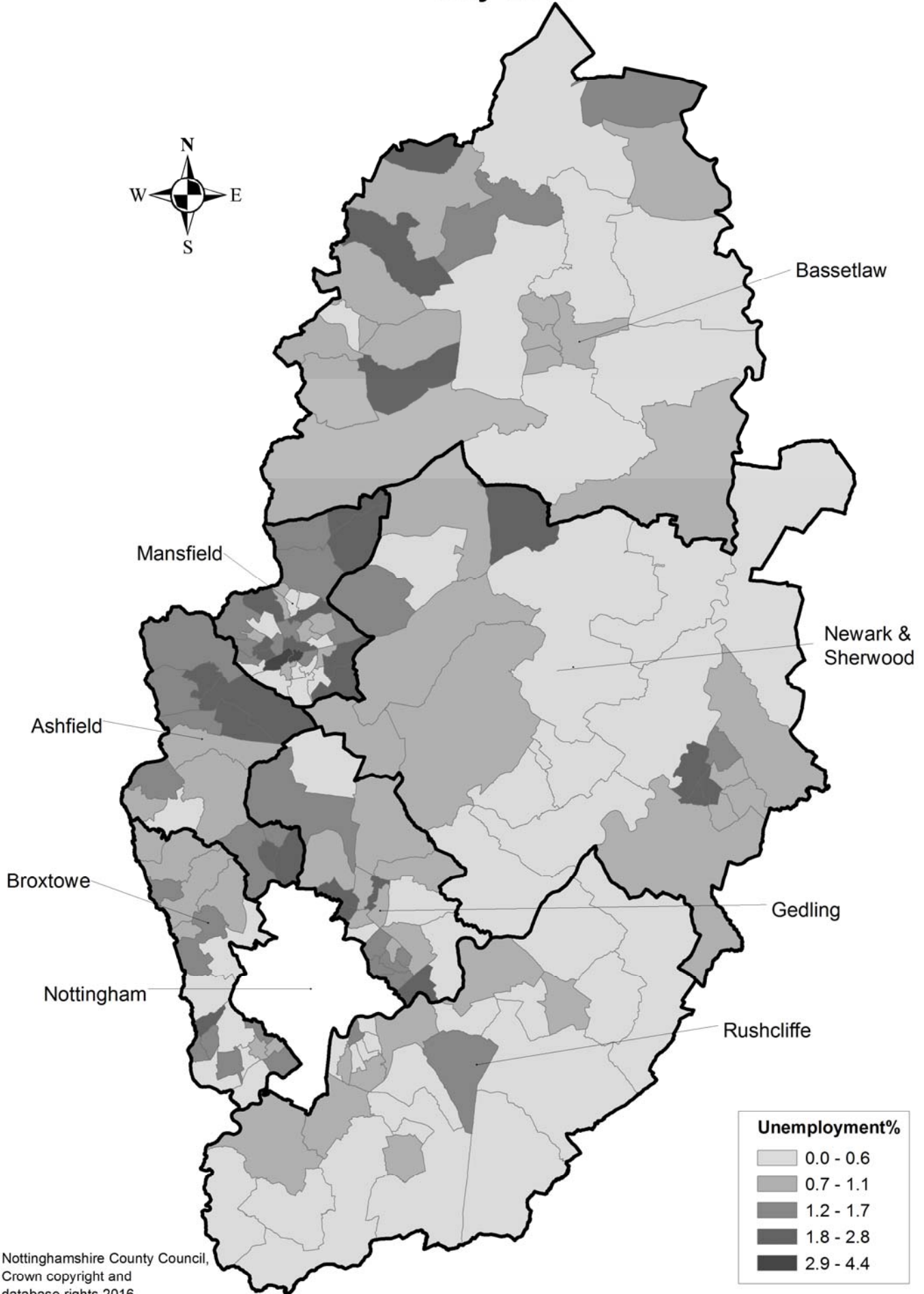
\*Figures relating to the Unitary Authority of Nottingham City in tables 3 & 4 are shown in italics.

**Table 4: Claimant Count by Parliamentary Constituencies in Nottinghamshire, July 2016**

Constituency	No. of Claimants			Change over		Claimant Count Rate		
	Male	Female	Total	Month	Year	Male	Female	Total
Ashfield	561	400	961	-55	-308	1.7	1.2	1.5
Bassetlaw	404	295	699	-39	-350	1.2	0.9	1.1
Broxtowe	375	221	596	-24	-191	1.2	0.7	1.0
Gedling	527	263	790	-23	-204	1.8	0.9	1.3
Mansfield	614	358	972	-29	-550	1.8	1.1	1.4
Newark	310	218	528	4	-201	1.0	0.7	0.9
Nottingham East	1,735	687	2,422	-48	-681	4.5	1.9	3.3
Nottingham North	1,389	843	2,232	-54	-573	4.8	2.6	3.7
Nottingham South	1,065	485	1,550	-45	-277	2.4	1.2	1.8
Rushcliffe	270	135	405	-21	-131	0.9	0.4	0.7
Sherwood	452	295	747	-54	-302	1.5	1.0	1.2

Proportions for Parliamentary Constituencies are calculated using the mid-2013 resident 16-64 age population.

# Unemployment Rates in Nottinghamshire Wards July 2016



**\*\* PERSONS \*\* NOTTINGHAMSHIRE WARD UNEMPLOYMENT ESTIMATES - JULY 2016**

**WARD RATES RANKED IN DESCENDING ORDER**

<b>DISTRICT</b>	<b>WARD</b>	<b>NUMBER</b>	<b>EST. %</b>
Mansfield	Portland	77	4.4
Mansfield	Newgate	77	3.8
Mansfield	Ransom Wood	51	2.8
Gedling	Killisick	45	2.8
Mansfield	Carr Bank	61	2.6
Newark & Sherwood	Castle	73	2.4
Mansfield	Ladybrook	55	2.4
Mansfield	Oak Tree	46	2.4
Mansfield	Broomhill	47	2.3
Bassetlaw	Worksop South East	119	2.2
Gedling	Netherfield and Colwick	117	2.2
Mansfield	Woodhouse	47	2.2
Ashfield	Sutton in Ashfield East	179	2.1
Ashfield	Hucknall East	122	2.1
Newark & Sherwood	Devon	70	2.0
Broxtowe	Stapleford North	56	2.0
Mansfield	Meden	32	2.0
Ashfield	Sutton in Ashfield Central	136	1.9
Gedling	Bonington	83	1.9
Gedling	Daybrook	63	1.9
Newark & Sherwood	Boughton	59	1.9
Bassetlaw	Harworth	84	1.8
Ashfield	Hucknall Central	84	1.8
Ashfield	Kirkby in Ashfield East	76	1.8
Newark & Sherwood	Magnus	63	1.8
Mansfield	Peafields	32	1.8
Mansfield	Netherfield	31	1.8
Bassetlaw	Langold	28	1.8
Broxtowe	Eastwood South	97	1.7
Ashfield	Hucknall North	73	1.7
Gedling	Valley	47	1.7
Mansfield	Market Warsop	34	1.7
Mansfield	Racecourse	33	1.7
Ashfield	Hucknall West	94	1.6
Ashfield	Kirkby in Ashfield West	72	1.6
Gedling	Phoenix	52	1.6
Gedling	Newstead	24	1.6
Ashfield	Sutton in Ashfield North	104	1.5
Gedling	Carlton	66	1.5
Broxtowe	Cossall and Kimberley	63	1.5
Mansfield	Bull Farm and Pleasley Hill	32	1.5
Mansfield	Penniment	26	1.5
Mansfield	Woodlands	23	1.5
Broxtowe	Beeston North	59	1.4
Broxtowe	Stapleford South West	53	1.4
Newark & Sherwood	Bridge	49	1.4
Bassetlaw	Ranskill	20	1.4
Ashfield	Sutton in Ashfield West	100	1.3
Broxtowe	Chilwell West	63	1.3
Rushcliffe	Trent Bridge	48	1.3
Broxtowe	Stapleford South East	41	1.3
Gedling	Carlton Hill	60	1.2

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Gedling	Porchester	56	1.2
Rushcliffe	Cotgrave	54	1.2
Ashfield	Selston	49	1.2
Broxtowe	Beeston Rylands	47	1.2
Newark & Sherwood	Clipstone	36	1.2
Mansfield	Yeoman Hill	29	1.2
Mansfield	Warsop Carrs	25	1.2
Mansfield	Brick Kiln	24	1.2
Mansfield	Newlands	24	1.2
Bassetlaw	Misterton	18	1.2
Bassetlaw	Worksop North West	60	1.1
Gedling	Calverton	47	1.1
Bassetlaw	East Retford East	46	1.1
Newark & Sherwood	Ollerton	45	1.1
Bassetlaw	Worksop North East	39	1.1
Bassetlaw	Carlton	38	1.1
Newark & Sherwood	Balderton West	34	1.1
Gedling	Kingswell	33	1.1
Ashfield	Jacksdale	22	1.1
Mansfield	Ling Forest	17	1.1
Ashfield	Kirkby in Ashfield Central	48	1.0
Newark & Sherwood	Rainworth	45	1.0
Gedling	St Marys	45	1.0
Bassetlaw	Worksop South	44	1.0
Bassetlaw	Worksop East	37	1.0
Broxtowe	Beeston Central	36	1.0
Rushcliffe	Gamston	34	1.0
Bassetlaw	East Retford South	28	1.0
Gedling	St James	25	1.0
Bassetlaw	Tuxford and Trent	25	1.0
Mansfield	Park Hall	19	1.0
Mansfield	Abbott	14	1.0
Broxtowe	Brinsley	14	1.0
Ashfield	Woodhouse	43	0.9
Newark & Sherwood	Farndon	34	0.9
Rushcliffe	Trent	27	0.9
Rushcliffe	Keyworth South	26	0.9
Newark & Sherwood	Blidworth	25	0.9
Mansfield	Sandhurst	19	0.9
Newark & Sherwood	Winthorpe	15	0.9
Broxtowe	Awsorth	13	0.9
Bassetlaw	Blyth	11	0.9
Newark & Sherwood	Beacon	42	0.8
Rushcliffe	Ruddington	34	0.8
Gedling	Gedling	33	0.8
Bassetlaw	East Retford North	30	0.8
Bassetlaw	East Retford West	26	0.8
Broxtowe	Nuthall West and Greasley (Watnall)	24	0.8
Rushcliffe	Lutterell	19	0.8
Mansfield	Maun Valley	15	0.8
Bassetlaw	Beckingham	10	0.8
Gedling	Bestwood Village	10	0.8

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Rushcliffe	Gotham	10	0.8
Newark & Sherwood	Farnsfield and Bilsthorpe	36	0.7
Gedling	Mapperley Plains	31	0.7
Broxtowe	Greasley (Giltbrook and Newthorpe)	28	0.7
Broxtowe	Beeston West	27	0.7
Newark & Sherwood	Balderton North	19	0.7
Rushcliffe	Bingham East	18	0.7
Rushcliffe	Edwalton Village	15	0.7
Mansfield	Holly	14	0.7
Broxtowe	Eastwood North and Greasley (Beauvale)	13	0.7
Bassetlaw	Welbeck	8	0.7
Gedling	Woodborough	7	0.7
Broxtowe	Bramcote	24	0.6
Rushcliffe	Lady Bay	23	0.6
Gedling	Woodthorpe	23	0.6
Newark & Sherwood	Edwinstowe	20	0.6
Broxtowe	Nuthall East and Strelley	19	0.6
Rushcliffe	Bingham West	18	0.6
Rushcliffe	Wiverton	14	0.6
Mansfield	Sherwood	11	0.6
Mansfield	Manor	9	0.6
Mansfield	Berry Hill	7	0.6
Bassetlaw	Worksop North	32	0.5
Rushcliffe	Leake	19	0.5
Rushcliffe	Melton	16	0.5
Broxtowe	Chilwell East	15	0.5
Gedling	Burton Joyce and Stoke Bardolph	11	0.5
Mansfield	Eakring	8	0.5
Mansfield	Lindhurst	8	0.5
Bassetlaw	Rampton	8	0.5
Ashfield	Underwood	8	0.5
Bassetlaw	Sturton	7	0.5
Rushcliffe	Nevile	6	0.5
Rushcliffe	Oak	6	0.5
Gedling	Ravenshead	14	0.4
Rushcliffe	Abbey	12	0.4
Rushcliffe	Musters	11	0.4
Rushcliffe	Manvers	10	0.4
Mansfield	Kingsway	8	0.4
Gedling	Lambley	6	0.4
Broxtowe	Trowell	6	0.4
Broxtowe	Attenborough	5	0.4
Newark & Sherwood	Caunton	5	0.4
Newark & Sherwood	Southwell East	5	0.4
Rushcliffe	Thoroton	5	0.4
Bassetlaw	Clayworth	4	0.4
Rushcliffe	Keyworth North	3	0.4
Broxtowe	Toton and Chilwell Meadows	17	0.3
Rushcliffe	Compton Acres	11	0.3
Newark & Sherwood	Lowdham	11	0.3
Mansfield	Kings Walk	6	0.3
Newark & Sherwood	Southwell West	6	0.3

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Bassetlaw	Sutton	6	0.3
Mansfield	Oakham	5	0.3
Rushcliffe	Soar Valley	5	0.3
Rushcliffe	Stanford	5	0.3
Bassetlaw	Everton	4	0.3
Newark & Sherwood	Southwell North	4	0.3
Newark & Sherwood	Sutton-on-Trent	4	0.3
Newark & Sherwood	Collingham and Meering	5	0.2
Rushcliffe	Cranmer	4	0.2
Mansfield	Grange Farm	3	0.2
Mansfield	Hornby	3	0.2
Newark & Sherwood	Muskham	3	0.2
Rushcliffe	Wolds	3	0.2
Bassetlaw	East Markham	#	#
Rushcliffe	Tollerton	#	#
Newark & Sherwood	Trent	#	#
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bulwell</i>	<i>525</i>	<i>4.9</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Dales</i>	<i>442</i>	<i>4.4</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>St Ann's</i>	<i>542</i>	<i>4.0</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Berridge</i>	<i>434</i>	<i>4.0</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Wollaton West</i>	<i>556</i>	<i>3.6</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Aspley</i>	<i>440</i>	<i>3.4</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bridge</i>	<i>351</i>	<i>3.2</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Arboretum</i>	<i>327</i>	<i>3.2</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bestwood</i>	<i>320</i>	<i>3.0</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Leen Valley</i>	<i>296</i>	<i>2.7</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Clifton South</i>	<i>213</i>	<i>2.5</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Radford and Park</i>	<i>455</i>	<i>2.4</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Sherwood</i>	<i>161</i>	<i>2.4</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bilborough</i>	<i>287</i>	<i>2.3</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Clifton North</i>	<i>237</i>	<i>2.3</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Mapperley</i>	<i>184</i>	<i>2.2</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Basford</i>	<i>189</i>	<i>2.0</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Wollaton East and Lenton Abbey</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>1.1</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bulwell Forest</i>	<i>88</i>	<i>0.9</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Dunkirk and Lenton</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>0.7</i>

# These figures are suppressed as value is 1 or 2.

**New Disclosure Control Procedures with JSA Claimant Count Data**

The procedure follows an interim review of the confidentiality of JSA claimant count data, and is required for compliance with the National Statistics Code of Practice for Data Access and Confidentiality.

The procedure is the primary suppression of any cell count of 1 or 2, which is instead denoted by the symbol '#'. A true value of zero continues to be shown as 0.





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