



Employment Bulletin

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Unemployment according to the Government's preferred measure was 1.60 million in the three months to September 2016, down 37,000 from the previous three months and down 146,000 from the same period a year ago. The unemployment rate was 4.8%, down 0.1% from the previous three months and down 0.5% from a year earlier.

The unemployment rate for 18-24 year olds was 11.7% in the three months to September 2016, down 0.1% on the quarter and down 0.8% on the year. There were 473,000 unemployed young people aged from 18 to 24 in the quarter to September 2016. This is down by 8,000 on the quarter and down by 43,000 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 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.

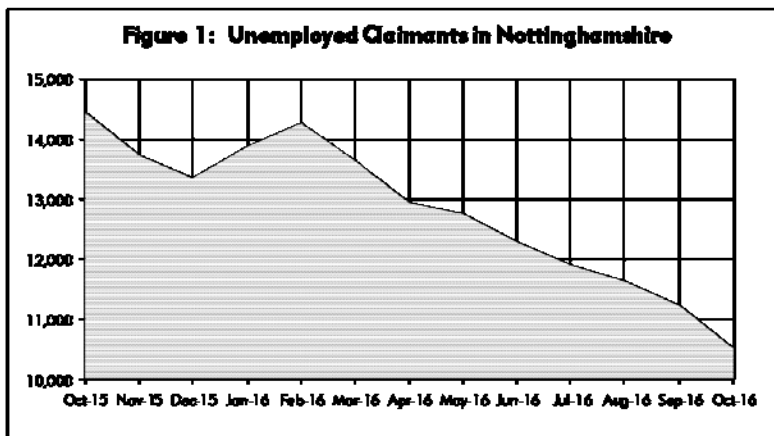
The seasonally adjusted claimant figure for the United Kingdom decreased by 10,200 last month to 541,300 and was down 154,300 over the year.

The number of people in employment aged 16 and over increased by 49,000 over the quarter to reach 31.80 million. The employment rate for those aged 16 to 64 is now 74.5%, the joint highest since comparable records began in 1971.

The number of people in full-time employment increased

Key Facts

- * **JSA Claimant count in Nottinghamshire falls by 704 over the month.**
- * **Jobless total now 10,515.**
- * **JSA Claimant count rates in October (residence based);**
United Kingdom 1.3%
East Midlands 1.0%
Nottinghamshire 1.5%
County 1.0%
City 2.4%
- * **LFS Unemployment in the United Kingdom 1,600,000 or 4.8% of the workforce.**



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by 26,000 on the quarter to reach 23.24 million. The number of people in part-time employment was 8.56 million in the three months to September 2016, up 24,000 on the previous quarter and up 110,000 on the year.

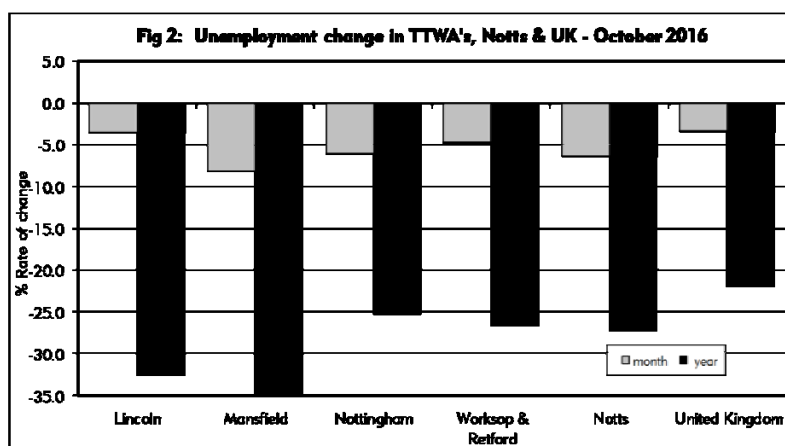
In the three months to September 2016, there were 8.89 million economically inactive people aged from 16 to 64, up 49,000 from the previous quarter but down 103,000 from a year earlier.

Average total pay (including bonuses) was £505 per week in September 2016. Over the year total pay for employees in Great Britain increased by 2.3%. Average regular pay (excluding bonuses) was £475 per week in September 2016. Over the year regular pay for employees in Great Britain rose by 2.3%. Between September 2015 and September 2016 there was a 0.6% increase in the Consumer Prices Index.

There were 757,000 job vacancies in the three months to October 2016, up 12,000 from the previous three months and up 18,000 from a year earlier.

There were 2.1 unemployed people per vacancy in the period from July to September 2016, down by 0.1 on the quarter and down by 0.2 on the year.

In the three months to



September 2016, 114,000 people became redundant in the three months prior to their Labour Force Survey interview. This is up 3,000 from the previous three months and up 3,000 on the year. The redundancy rate was 4.3 per 1,000 employees, up 0.1 from the previous three months and up 0.1 from a year earlier.

The unadjusted Jobseekers Allowance (JSA) claimant figure for the United Kingdom has decreased by 18,153 over the month to 518,064. The proportion unemployed calculated on the residence base now stands at 1.3% of the population aged 16-64.

The number of claimants in Nottinghamshire decreased by 704 between September and October 2016. The total of 10,515 is 3,938 less than it was a year ago (see figure 1).

The proportion unemployed in Nottinghamshire is now 1.5%. This is higher than the East Midlands (1.0%) and the United Kingdom (1.3%).

Between September and October 2016, unemployment decreased in all of the four Travel To Work Areas in the County (figure 2). Mansfield experienced the largest decrease with a rate of change of -8.1%, followed by Nottingham with -6.0%, Worksop & Retford with -4.7 and Lincoln with -3.5%.

Compared with October 2015, all of the four TTWA's in the County have reduced numbers of claimants. The largest change has been in Mansfield with a rate of change of -34.7% followed by Lincoln with -32.7%, Worksop & Retford with -26.6% and Nottingham with -25.3%.

Unemployment decreased in six of the seven Local Authority

Table 1: JSA Claimant Count, October 2016

Area	No. of Claimants			Change over		Claimant Count Rate		
	Male	Female	Total	Month	Year	Male	Female	Total
UK seasonally adjusted	336,600	204,700	541,300	-10,200	-154,300	1.6	1.0	1.3
United Kingdom	315,336	202,728	518,064	-18,153	-146,066	1.5	1.0	1.3
East Midlands	18,075	11,946	30,021	-1,797	-13,243	1.2	0.8	1.0
Notts County (a)	3,004	2,064	5,068	-365	-2,251	1.2	0.8	1.0
Nottm City (b)	3,619	1,828	5,447	-339	-1,687	3.2	1.7	2.4
Nottinghamshire (a+b)	6,623	3,892	10,515	-704	-3,938	1.8	1.1	1.5

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.

Districts in the County over the month. The largest decreases were in Newark & Sherwood with -9.8% and Ashfield with -9.6%.

Unemployment in Rushcliffe increased slightly over the month resulting in a rate of change of 0.9%.

Unemployment in the City of Nottingham decreased by 339 over the month resulting in a rate of change of -5.9%.

The rates of change have varied throughout the County over the year, from

-40.8% in Newark & Sherwood to -20.0% in Rushcliffe. Nottingham City changed by -23.6% over the year.

Unemployment decreased in all of the eight Parliamentary Constituencies in the County during October. Sherwood and Broxtowe recorded the largest decreases, experiencing rates of change of -9.8% and -8.8%. Over the month Nottingham East has changed by -6.4%, Nottingham North by -3.7% and Nottingham South by -8.2%.

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 -19.8% in Rushcliffe to -39.7% in Mansfield. The three Nottingham Constituencies have rates of change of -23.1% in Nottingham East, -24.0% in Nottingham North and -23.9% in Nottingham South.

Table 2: JSA Claimant Count by Travel To Work Areas in Nottinghamshire, October 2016

Travel To Work Area	No. of Claimants			Change over		Claimant Count Rate		
	Male	Female	Total	Month	Year	Male	Female	Total
Lincoln	1,618	998	2,616	-96	-1,273	1.5	0.9	1.2
Mansfield	1,232	872	2,104	-185	-1,120	1.3	0.9	1.1
Nottingham	5,549	3,044	8,593	-552	-2,910	2.1	1.1	1.6
Worksop & Retford	447	342	789	-39	-286	1.2	0.9	1.1

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

Table 3: JSA Claimant Count by Local Authority Districts in Nottinghamshire, October 2016

District	No. of Claimants			Change over		Claimant Count Rate		
	Male	Female	Total	Month	Year	Male	Female	Total
Ashfield	595	419	1,014	-108	-387	1.6	1.1	1.3
Bassetlaw	403	324	727	-33	-245	1.1	0.9	1.0
Broxtowe	365	281	646	-54	-299	1.0	0.8	0.9
Gedling	507	288	795	-46	-243	1.4	0.8	1.1
Mansfield	516	334	850	-64	-559	1.5	1.0	1.3
Newark & Sherwood	322	266	588	-64	-406	0.9	0.7	0.8
<i>Nottingham**</i>	<i>3,619</i>	<i>1,828</i>	<i>5,447</i>	<i>-339</i>	<i>-1,687</i>	<i>3.2</i>	<i>1.7</i>	<i>2.4</i>
Rushcliffe	296	152	448	4	-112	0.8	0.4	0.6

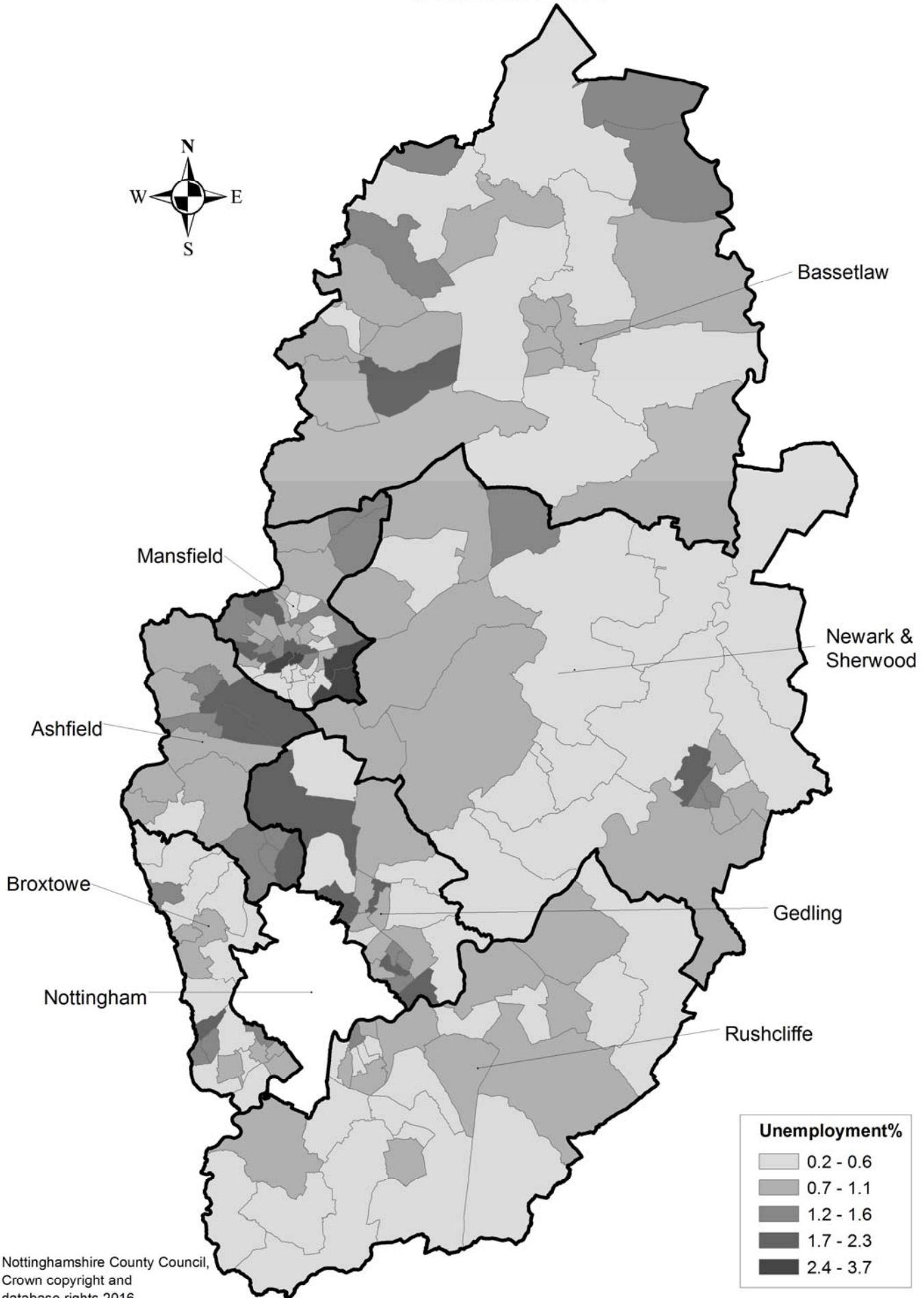
*Figures relating to the Unitary Authority of Nottingham City in tables 3 & 4 are shown in italics.

Table 4: JSA Claimant Count by Parliamentary Constituencies in Nottinghamshire, October 2016

Constituency	No. of Claimants			Change over		Claimant Count Rate		
	Male	Female	Total	Month	Year	Male	Female	Total
Ashfield	446	361	807	-75	-288	1.4	1.1	1.2
Bassetlaw	386	308	694	-33	-230	1.2	1.0	1.1
Broxtowe	314	222	536	-52	-237	1.0	0.7	0.9
Gedling	458	258	716	-36	-202	1.6	0.9	1.2
Mansfield	516	334	850	-64	-559	1.5	1.0	1.3
Newark	262	192	454	-36	-244	0.8	0.6	0.7
<i>Nottingham East</i>	<i>1,494</i>	<i>638</i>	<i>2,132</i>	<i>-145</i>	<i>-642</i>	<i>3.9</i>	<i>1.8</i>	<i>2.9</i>
<i>Nottingham North</i>	<i>1,217</i>	<i>783</i>	<i>2,000</i>	<i>-76</i>	<i>-631</i>	<i>4.2</i>	<i>2.4</i>	<i>3.3</i>
<i>Nottingham South</i>	<i>908</i>	<i>407</i>	<i>1,315</i>	<i>-118</i>	<i>-414</i>	<i>2.0</i>	<i>1.0</i>	<i>1.6</i>
Rushcliffe	249	139	388	-1	-96	0.8	0.5	0.6
Sherwood	373	250	623	-68	-395	1.3	0.8	1.0

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

Unemployment Rates in Nottinghamshire Wards October 2016



**** PERSONS ** NOTTINGHAMSHIRE WARD UNEMPLOYMENT ESTIMATES - OCTOBER 2016**

WARD RATES RANKED IN DESCENDING ORDER

DISTRICT	WARD	NUMBER	EST. %
Mansfield	Portland	65	3.7
Mansfield	Newgate	63	3.1
Mansfield	Oak Tree	55	2.9
Mansfield	Ransom Wood	50	2.7
Bassetlaw	Worksop South East	121	2.3
Mansfield	Carr Bank	52	2.2
Mansfield	Ladybrook	50	2.2
Gedling	Killisick	36	2.2
Broxtowe	Stapleford North	56	2.0
Ashfield	Sutton in Ashfield East	162	1.9
Gedling	Netherfield and Colwick	99	1.9
Newark & Sherwood	Castle	58	1.9
Ashfield	Hucknall East	104	1.8
Gedling	Daybrook	58	1.8
Gedling	Valley	50	1.8
Gedling	Bonington	75	1.7
Ashfield	Kirkby in Ashfield East	72	1.7
Mansfield	Woodhouse	36	1.7
Mansfield	Penniment	28	1.7
Gedling	Newstead	25	1.7
Ashfield	Sutton in Ashfield Central	113	1.6
Broxtowe	Eastwood South	90	1.6
Bassetlaw	Harworth	76	1.6
Ashfield	Hucknall Central	75	1.6
Newark & Sherwood	Devon	56	1.6
Gedling	Phoenix	52	1.6
Newark & Sherwood	Boughton	50	1.6
Mansfield	Broomhill	32	1.6
Newark & Sherwood	Magnus	52	1.5
Mansfield	Peafields	27	1.5
Mansfield	Meden	23	1.5
Ashfield	Hucknall West	84	1.4
Broxtowe	Stapleford South East	44	1.4
Mansfield	Bull Farm and Pleasley Hill	31	1.4
Mansfield	Racecourse	27	1.4
Gedling	Carlton	57	1.3
Ashfield	Kirkby in Ashfield West	56	1.3
Broxtowe	Beeston North	53	1.3
Rushcliffe	Trent Bridge	49	1.3
Broxtowe	Stapleford South West	48	1.3
Gedling	St James	32	1.3
Bassetlaw	Langold	20	1.3
Bassetlaw	Misterton	19	1.3
Ashfield	Hucknall North	54	1.2
Mansfield	Newlands	24	1.2
Mansfield	Netherfield	21	1.2
Mansfield	Woodlands	18	1.2
Bassetlaw	Beckingham	16	1.2
Ashfield	Sutton in Ashfield West	85	1.1
Ashfield	Sutton in Ashfield North	75	1.1
Bassetlaw	Worksop North West	59	1.1
Broxtowe	Chilwell West	55	1.1

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Gedling	Carlton Hill	54	1.1
Bassetlaw	East Retford East	49	1.1
Broxtowe	Cossall and Kimberley	48	1.1
Newark & Sherwood	Bridge	38	1.1
Bassetlaw	Carlton	38	1.1
Broxtowe	Beeston Central	37	1.1
Mansfield	Yeoman Hill	27	1.1
Mansfield	Market Warsop	23	1.1
Gedling	Porchester	45	1.0
Rushcliffe	Cotgrave	44	1.0
Gedling	St Marys	44	1.0
Bassetlaw	Worksop South	43	1.0
Ashfield	Selston	40	1.0
Bassetlaw	Worksop East	37	1.0
Bassetlaw	Worksop North East	36	1.0
Bassetlaw	East Retford North	35	1.0
Bassetlaw	East Retford West	31	1.0
Bassetlaw	East Retford South	28	1.0
Mansfield	Brick Kiln	19	1.0
Mansfield	Abbott	14	1.0
Rushcliffe	Gotham	12	1.0
Broxtowe	Beeston Rylands	35	0.9
Newark & Sherwood	Balderton West	28	0.9
Gedling	Kingswell	26	0.9
Rushcliffe	Keyworth South	25	0.9
Rushcliffe	Trent	25	0.9
Rushcliffe	Bingham East	23	0.9
Bassetlaw	Tuxford and Trent	23	0.9
Ashfield	Jacksdale	19	0.9
Mansfield	Warsop Carrs	19	0.9
Mansfield	Park Hall	18	0.9
Mansfield	Maun Valley	17	0.9
Mansfield	Ling Forest	14	0.9
Bassetlaw	Ranskill	13	0.9
Newark & Sherwood	Rainworth	38	0.8
Newark & Sherwood	Ollerton	36	0.8
Broxtowe	Beeston West	30	0.8
Rushcliffe	Gamston	28	0.8
Newark & Sherwood	Clipstone	25	0.8
Newark & Sherwood	Blidworth	24	0.8
Newark & Sherwood	Balderton North	22	0.8
Rushcliffe	Edwalton Village	18	0.8
Broxtowe	Awsorth	12	0.8
Rushcliffe	Oak	10	0.8
Newark & Sherwood	Farnsfield and Bilsthorpe	35	0.7
Ashfield	Kirkby in Ashfield Central	35	0.7
Gedling	Calverton	32	0.7
Gedling	Mapperley Plains	32	0.7
Ashfield	Woodhouse	32	0.7
Gedling	Gedling	28	0.7
Newark & Sherwood	Farndon	26	0.7
Rushcliffe	Lady Bay	24	0.7

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DISTRICT	WARD	NUMBER	EST. %
Rushcliffe	Lutterell	16	0.7
Rushcliffe	Wiverton	15	0.7
Mansfield	Sherwood	14	0.7
Bassetlaw	Sturton	9	0.7
Bassetlaw	Welbeck	8	0.7
Newark & Sherwood	Beacon	29	0.6
Rushcliffe	Ruddington	26	0.6
Broxtowe	Bramcote	24	0.6
Newark & Sherwood	Edwinstowe	19	0.6
Rushcliffe	Manvers	13	0.6
Mansfield	Sandhurst	12	0.6
Broxtowe	Eastwood North and Greasley (Beauvale)	11	0.6
Broxtowe	Brinsley	9	0.6
Bassetlaw	Blyth	8	0.6
Broxtowe	Trowell	8	0.6
Bassetlaw	Worksop North	30	0.5
Rushcliffe	Leake	21	0.5
Gedling	Woodthorpe	21	0.5
Broxtowe	Greasley (Giltbrook and Newthorpe)	20	0.5
Rushcliffe	Bingham West	17	0.5
Broxtowe	Nuthall West and Greasley (Watnall)	17	0.5
Rushcliffe	Melton	15	0.5
Mansfield	Holly	10	0.5
Mansfield	Eakring	8	0.5
Mansfield	Lindhurst	8	0.5
Mansfield	Oakham	8	0.5
Ashfield	Underwood	8	0.5
Newark & Sherwood	Winthorpe	8	0.5
Bassetlaw	Everton	7	0.5
Mansfield	Manor	7	0.5
Gedling	Woodborough	5	0.5
Rushcliffe	Keyworth North	4	0.5
Broxtowe	Toton and Chilwell Meadows	21	0.4
Rushcliffe	Compton Acres	14	0.4
Broxtowe	Chilwell East	13	0.4
Mansfield	Kings Walk	8	0.4
Mansfield	Kingsway	8	0.4
Gedling	Lambley	6	0.4
Bassetlaw	Rampton	6	0.4
Newark & Sherwood	Sutton-on-Trent	6	0.4
Mansfield	Berry Hill	5	0.4
Newark & Sherwood	Caunton	5	0.4
Newark & Sherwood	Southwell East	5	0.4
Broxtowe	Nuthall East and Strelley	11	0.3
Rushcliffe	Abbey	10	0.3
Newark & Sherwood	Lowdham	9	0.3
Rushcliffe	Musters	9	0.3
Bassetlaw	Sutton	8	0.3
Gedling	Burton Joyce and Stoke Bardolph	7	0.3
Newark & Sherwood	Collingham and Meering	7	0.3
Rushcliffe	Cranmer	6	0.3
Rushcliffe	Soar Valley	6	0.3

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DISTRICT	WARD	NUMBER	EST. %
Mansfield	Grange Farm	5	0.3
Broxtowe	Attenborough	4	0.3
Gedling	Bestwood Village	4	0.3
Bassetlaw	East Markham	4	0.3
Newark & Sherwood	Muskham	4	0.3
Rushcliffe	Nevile	4	0.3
Rushcliffe	Stanford	4	0.3
Rushcliffe	Thoroton	4	0.3
Rushcliffe	Wolds	4	0.3
Bassetlaw	Clayworth	3	0.3
Gedling	Ravenshead	7	0.2
Mansfield	Hornby	4	0.2
Newark & Sherwood	Southwell West	4	0.2
Newark & Sherwood	Southwell North	#	#
Rushcliffe	Tollerton	#	#
Newark & Sherwood	Trent	#	#
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bulwell</i>	<i>485</i>	<i>4.5</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Dales</i>	<i>378</i>	<i>3.7</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>St Ann's</i>	<i>476</i>	<i>3.5</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Berridge</i>	<i>378</i>	<i>3.5</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Wollaton West</i>	<i>524</i>	<i>3.4</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Arboretum</i>	<i>303</i>	<i>3.0</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Aspley</i>	<i>379</i>	<i>2.9</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bridge</i>	<i>313</i>	<i>2.8</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bestwood</i>	<i>290</i>	<i>2.7</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Leen Valley</i>	<i>248</i>	<i>2.3</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Clifton South</i>	<i>178</i>	<i>2.1</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Radford and Park</i>	<i>389</i>	<i>2.0</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bilborough</i>	<i>250</i>	<i>2.0</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Mapperley</i>	<i>166</i>	<i>2.0</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Sherwood</i>	<i>139</i>	<i>2.0</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Clifton North</i>	<i>192</i>	<i>1.8</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Basford</i>	<i>156</i>	<i>1.7</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Wollaton East and Lenton Abbey</i>	<i>73</i>	<i>0.8</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bulwell Forest</i>	<i>71</i>	<i>0.7</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Dunkirk and Lenton</i>	<i>59</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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