



Employment Bulletin

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Unemployment according to the Government’s preferred measure was 1.38 million in the three months to October 2018, up 20,000 from the previous three months but down 49,000 from the same period a year ago. The unemployment rate was 4.1%, unchanged from the previous three months but down 0.2% from a year earlier.

The unemployment rate for 18-24 year olds was 10.2% in the three months to October 2018, up 0.3% on the quarter but down 0.4% on the year. There were 403,000 unemployed young people aged from 18 to 24 in the quarter to October 2018. This is up 14,000 on the quarter but down 14,000 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

Key Facts

- * **Claimant count in Nottinghamshire decreases by 120 over the month.**
- * **Jobless total now 14,590.**
- * **Claimant count rates in November (residence based);**
United Kingdom 2.3%
East Midlands 1.8%
Nottinghamshire 2.0%
County 1.6%
City 2.8%
- * **LFS Unemployment in the United Kingdom 1,380,000 or 4.1% of the workforce.**

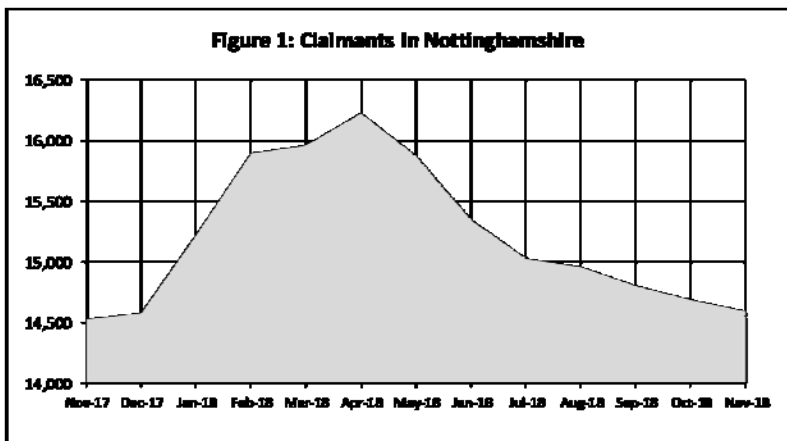
which excludes those not seeking or available for work. Unemployment rates are not the proportion of the total population who are unemployed. They are the proportion of the economically active population (those in work plus those seeking and available to work) who are

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 count figure for the United Kingdom increased by 21,873 last month to 992,612 and was up 169,862 over the year.

The number of people in employment aged 16 and over increased by 79,000 over the quarter to reach 32.47 million. The employment rate for those aged 16 to 64 is now 75.7%.

The number of people in full-time employment increased by 110,000 on the quarter to reach 23.97 million. The number of people in part-time



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employment was 8.51 million in the three months to October 2018, down 31,000 on the previous quarter and down 32,000 on the year.

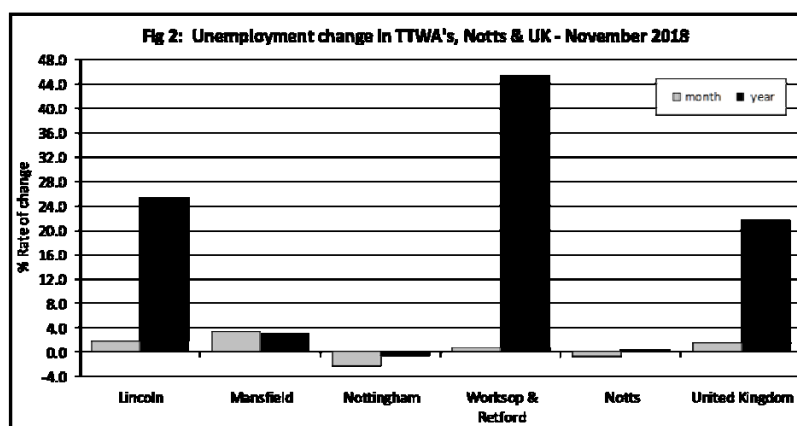
In the three months to October 2018, there were 8.66 million economically inactive people aged from 16 to 64, down 95,000 from the previous quarter and down 195,000 from a year earlier.

Average total pay (including bonuses) was £528 per week in October 2018. Over the year total pay for employees in Great Britain increased by 3.3%. Average regular pay (excluding bonuses) was £495 per week in October 2018. Over the year regular pay for employees in Great Britain rose by 3.3%. Between October 2017 and October 2018 there was a 2.2% increase in the Consumer Prices Index.

There were 848,000 job vacancies in the three months to November 2018, up 10,000 from the previous three months and up 40,000 from a year earlier.

There were 1.6 unemployed people per vacancy in the period from August to October 2018, unchanged on the quarter but down by 0.2 on the year.

In the three months to October 2018, 83,000 people became redundant in the three months prior to their Labour Force Survey interview. This is down 4,000 from the previous three months and down 17,000 on the



year. The redundancy rate was 3.0 per 1,000 employees, down 0.1 from the previous three months and down 0.7 from a year earlier.

The Employment Bulletin uses the Claimant Count rather than the count of JSA claimants. This experimental series counts the number of people claiming Jobseeker's Allowance plus those who claim Universal Credit and are required to seek work and be available for work. It replaces the number of people claiming Jobseeker's Allowance as the headline indicator of the number of people claiming benefits principally for the reason of being unemployed.

The unadjusted claimant count figure for the United Kingdom has increased by 13,925 over the month to 962,735. The proportion unemployed calculated on the residence base now stands at 2.3% of the population aged 16-64.

The number of claimants in Nottinghamshire decreased by 120 between October and November 2018. The total of 14,590 is 40 more than it was a year ago (see figure 1).

The proportion unemployed in Nottinghamshire is now 2.0%. This is higher than the East Midlands (1.8%) but below the United Kingdom (2.3%).

Between October and November 2018, unemployment increased in three of the four Travel To Work Areas in the County (figure 2). Mansfield had the largest rate of change with 3.3% followed by Lincoln with 1.7% and Worksop & Retford with 0.6%. Nottingham had fewer claimants and experienced a change of -2.2% over the month.

Compared with November 2017 three of the four TTWA's in the County have increased numbers of claimants. The largest change has been in Worksop & Retford with a rate of change of

Table 1: Claimant Count, November 2018

Area	No. of Claimants			Change over		Claimant Count Rate		
	Male	Female	Total	Month	Year	Male	Female	Total
UK seasonally adjusted	592,891	399,721	992,612	21,873	169,862	2.9	1.9	2.4
United Kingdom	570,465	392,270	962,735	13,925	170,790	2.8	1.9	2.3
East Midlands	32,405	22,325	54,730	980	8,570	2.2	1.5	1.8
Notts County (a)	4,950	3,250	8,195	140	570	2.0	1.3	1.6
Nottm City (b)	4,155	2,235	6,395	-260	-530	3.5	2.0	2.8
Nottinghamshire (a+b)	9,105	5,485	14,590	-120	40	2.5	1.5	2.0

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.

45.4% followed by Lincoln with 25.4% and Mansfield with 3.0%. Nottingham experienced a change of -0.6% over the year.

Unemployment increased in four of the seven Local Authority Districts in the County over the month. The largest increases were in Mansfield with 7.4%, followed by Newark & Sherwood with 4.0%, Ashfield with 1.3% and Bassetlaw with 0.5%. The largest reduction in unemployment was in Rushcliffe which changed by -2.7% over the month.

Unemployment in the City of Nottingham decreased by 260 over the month resulting in a rate of change of -3.9%.

The rates of change have varied throughout the County over the year, from -19.7% in Rushcliffe to 42.7% in Bassetlaw. Nottingham City changed by -7.7% over the year.

Unemployment increased in five of the eight Parliamentary Constituencies in the County during November. Mansfield recorded the largest increase, experiencing a rate of change of

7.4%, and Rushcliffe the largest decrease with -4.0%. Over the month Nottingham East has changed by -4.2%, Nottingham North by -2.6% and Nottingham South by -5.6%.

Over the year the rates of change range from -23.0% in Rushcliffe to 43.4% in Bassetlaw. The three Nottingham Constituencies have rates of change of -8.1% in Nottingham East, -3.7% in Nottingham North and -13.0% in Nottingham South.

Table 2: Claimant Count by Travel To Work Areas in Nottinghamshire, November 2018

Travel To Work Area	No. of Claimants			Change over		Claimant Count Rate		
	Male	Female	Total	Month	Year	Male	Female	Total
Lincoln	2,935	1,855	4,790	80	970	2.7	1.6	2.1
Mansfield	1,975	1,335	3,305	105	95	2.1	1.4	1.7
Nottingham	7,445	4,390	11,840	-265	-70	2.7	1.6	2.2
Worksop & Retford	1,055	740	1,800	10	560	2.8	2.0	2.4

Table 3: Claimant Count by Local Authority Districts in Nottinghamshire, November 2018

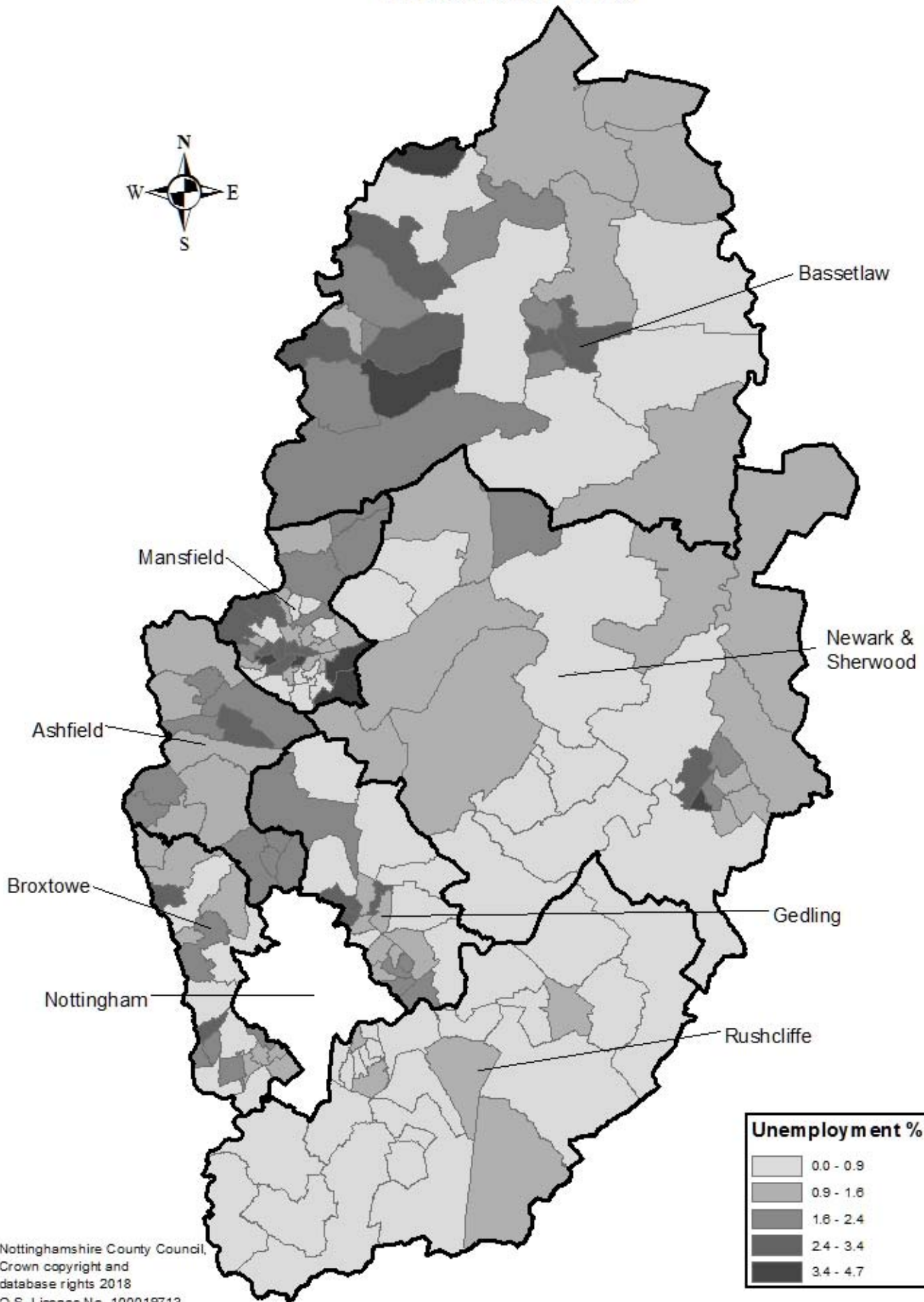
District	No. of Claimants			Change over		Claimant Count Rate		
	Male	Female	Total	Month	Year	Male	Female	Total
Ashfield	925	580	1,505	20	65	2.4	1.5	1.9
Bassetlaw	965	675	1,640	10	490	2.7	1.9	2.3
Broxtowe	645	405	1,050	0	25	1.8	1.2	1.5
Gedling	660	445	1,110	-5	45	1.9	1.2	1.5
Mansfield	800	510	1,315	90	-30	2.4	1.5	1.9
Newark & Sherwood	620	445	1,070	40	100	1.7	1.2	1.5
<i>Nottingham**</i>	<i>4,155</i>	<i>2,235</i>	<i>6,395</i>	<i>-260</i>	<i>-530</i>	<i>3.5</i>	<i>2.0</i>	<i>2.8</i>
Rushcliffe	325	185	510	-15	-125	0.9	0.5	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, November 2018

Constituency	No. of Claimants			Change over		Claimant Count Rate		
	Male	Female	Total	Month	Year	Male	Female	Total
Ashfield	775	530	1,305	35	145	2.4	1.6	2.0
Bassetlaw	940	650	1,585	10	480	2.9	2.0	2.4
Broxtowe	500	310	810	-15	-35	1.6	1.0	1.3
Gedling	595	385	980	-10	25	2.1	1.3	1.7
Mansfield	800	510	1,315	90	-30	2.4	1.5	1.9
Newark	500	370	865	20	165	1.6	1.2	1.4
<i>Nottingham East</i>	<i>1,700</i>	<i>755</i>	<i>2,450</i>	<i>-105</i>	<i>-215</i>	<i>4.1</i>	<i>2.0</i>	<i>3.1</i>
<i>Nottingham North</i>	<i>1,460</i>	<i>1,005</i>	<i>2,465</i>	<i>-65</i>	<i>-95</i>	<i>5.0</i>	<i>3.1</i>	<i>4.0</i>
<i>Nottingham South</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>480</i>	<i>1,475</i>	<i>-90</i>	<i>-220</i>	<i>2.1</i>	<i>1.2</i>	<i>1.7</i>
Rushcliffe	280	155	435	-20	-130	1.0	0.5	0.7
Sherwood	555	340	895	25	-50	1.8	1.1	1.5

Unemployment Rates in Nottinghamshire Wards November 2018



**** PERSONS ** NOTTINGHAMSHIRE WARD UNEMPLOYMENT ESTIMATES - NOVEMBER 2018**

WARD RATES RANKED IN DESCENDING ORDER

DISTRICT	WARD	NUMBER	EST. %
Bassetlaw	Worksop South East	255	4.7
Mansfield	Newgate	100	4.4
Mansfield	Ladybrook	95	4.0
Bassetlaw	Harworth	185	3.9
Mansfield	Ransom Wood	90	3.9
Mansfield	Oak Tree	80	3.8
Newark & Sherwood	Devon	130	3.6
Mansfield	Portland	65	3.4
Bassetlaw	Worksop North West	175	3.3
Broxtowe	Eastwood South	195	3.2
Mansfield	Carr Bank	85	3.2
Bassetlaw	Langold	55	3.2
Bassetlaw	East Retford West	110	3.1
Gedling	Killisick	50	3.1
Newark & Sherwood	Castle	105	3.0
Bassetlaw	East Retford East	110	2.9
Gedling	Daybrook	90	2.8
Mansfield	Broomhill	65	2.8
Gedling	Bonington	115	2.7
Ashfield	Kirkby in Ashfield East	115	2.7
Mansfield	Bull Farm and Pleasley Hill	55	2.6
Mansfield	Woodlands	50	2.6
Bassetlaw	Worksop East	95	2.5
Broxtowe	Stapleford North	75	2.5
Mansfield	Woodhouse	50	2.5
Ashfield	Sutton in Ashfield East	210	2.4
Ashfield	Hucknall East	150	2.4
Bassetlaw	East Retford South	60	2.4
Gedling	Newstead	35	2.4
Newark & Sherwood	Bridge	80	2.3
Newark & Sherwood	Magnus	80	2.3
Gedling	Netherfield and Colwick	120	2.2
Ashfield	Hucknall Central	100	2.2
Ashfield	Selston	95	2.2
Bassetlaw	Carlton	80	2.2
Gedling	Valley	60	2.2
Bassetlaw	Ranskill	25	2.2
Ashfield	Sutton in Ashfield Central	150	2.1
Broxtowe	Chilwell West	90	2.1
Ashfield	Jacksdale	50	2.1
Mansfield	Meden	35	2.1
Mansfield	Netherfield	30	2.1
Bassetlaw	Worksop South	90	2.0
Broxtowe	Stapleford South West	80	2.0
Broxtowe	Stapleford South East	60	2.0
Broxtowe	Cossall and Kimberley	85	1.9
Broxtowe	Beeston North	70	1.9

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Bassetlaw	East Retford North	70	1.9
Bassetlaw	Worksop North East	65	1.9
Mansfield	Penniment	30	1.9
Ashfield	Hucknall West	110	1.8
Ashfield	Kirkby in Ashfield West	80	1.8
Ashfield	Hucknall North	75	1.8
Gedling	Phoenix	55	1.8
Mansfield	Peafields	30	1.8
Bassetlaw	Welbeck	15	1.8
Gedling	Carlton	85	1.7
Newark & Sherwood	Boughton	60	1.7
Mansfield	Market Warsop	45	1.7
Ashfield	Sutton in Ashfield North	115	1.6
Newark & Sherwood	Ollerton	70	1.6
Gedling	St Marys	65	1.6
Mansfield	Brick Kiln	35	1.6
Mansfield	Newlands	35	1.6
Bassetlaw	Beckingham	20	1.6
Rushcliffe	Nevile	15	1.6
Newark & Sherwood	Beacon	85	1.5
Gedling	Carlton Hill	80	1.5
Broxtowe	Beeston Rylands	50	1.5
Newark & Sherwood	Balderton North	45	1.5
Gedling	Kingswell	45	1.5
Mansfield	Yeoman Hill	40	1.5
Bassetlaw	Tuxford and Trent	30	1.5
Newark & Sherwood	Winthorpe	25	1.5
Ashfield	Sutton in Ashfield West	110	1.4
Ashfield	Kirkby in Ashfield Central	65	1.4
Gedling	Mapperley Plains	60	1.4
Broxtowe	Beeston Central	55	1.4
Newark & Sherwood	Balderton West	50	1.4
Bassetlaw	Misterton	25	1.4
Mansfield	Park Hall	25	1.4
Bassetlaw	Worksop North	80	1.3
Gedling	St James	30	1.3
Mansfield	Warsop Carrs	30	1.3
Mansfield	Abbott	20	1.3
Broxtowe	Awsworth	20	1.3
Ashfield	Woodhouse	60	1.2
Rushcliffe	Cotgrave	55	1.2
Newark & Sherwood	Blidworth	40	1.2
Mansfield	Racecourse	35	1.2
Broxtowe	Eastwood North and Greasley (Beauvale)	25	1.2
Mansfield	Sandhurst	25	1.2
Ashfield	Underwood	20	1.2
Broxtowe	Brinsley	15	1.2

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Bassetlaw	Clayworth	15	1.2
Broxtowe	Beeston West	40	1.1
Gedling	Gedling	40	1.1
Rushcliffe	Trent Bridge	40	1.1
Mansfield	Maun Valley	20	1.1
Bassetlaw	Everton	15	1.1
Newark & Sherwood	Rainworth	55	1.0
Gedling	Porchester	50	1.0
Newark & Sherwood	Farnsfield and Bilsthorpe	45	1.0
Broxtowe	Nuthall West and Greasley (Watnall)	35	1.0
Broxtowe	Chilwell East	30	1.0
Rushcliffe	Bingham East	25	1.0
Newark & Sherwood	Collingham and Meering	25	1.0
Rushcliffe	Edwalton Village	20	1.0
Mansfield	Kingsway	20	1.0
Mansfield	Ling Forest	15	1.0
Newark & Sherwood	Sutton-on-Trent	10	1.0
Gedling	Calverton	45	0.9
Newark & Sherwood	Clipstone	35	0.9
Broxtowe	Greasley (Giltbrook and Newthorpe)	35	0.9
Rushcliffe	Bingham West	30	0.9
Rushcliffe	Lady Bay	30	0.9
Broxtowe	Nuthall East and Strelley	25	0.9
Mansfield	Manor	15	0.9
Bassetlaw	Sturton	15	0.9
Gedling	Bestwood Village	10	0.9
Newark & Sherwood	Caunton	10	0.9
Rushcliffe	Keyworth North	10	0.9
Newark & Sherwood	Farndon	35	0.8
Rushcliffe	Keyworth South	30	0.8
Broxtowe	Bramcote	25	0.8
Rushcliffe	Gamston	25	0.8
Rushcliffe	Melton	25	0.8
Rushcliffe	Trent	25	0.8
Rushcliffe	Lutterell	20	0.8
Gedling	Burton Joyce and Stoke Bardolph	15	0.8
Mansfield	Sherwood	15	0.8
Gedling	Lambley	10	0.8
Newark & Sherwood	Southwell North	10	0.8
Bassetlaw	Sutton	10	0.8
Gedling	Woodthorpe	30	0.7
Newark & Sherwood	Edwinstowe	25	0.7
Rushcliffe	Wiverton	20	0.7
Bassetlaw	Blyth	15	0.7
Rushcliffe	Musters	15	0.7
Gedling	Woodborough	10	0.7
Rushcliffe	Gotham	5	0.7

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Newark & Sherwood	Muskham	5	0.7
Rushcliffe	Ruddington	25	0.6
Rushcliffe	Abbey	20	0.6
Mansfield	Lindhurst	15	0.6
Mansfield	Grange Farm	10	0.6
Rushcliffe	Oak	10	0.6
Mansfield	Oakham	10	0.6
Bassetlaw	Rampton	10	0.6
Newark & Sherwood	Southwell East	10	0.6
Rushcliffe	Compton Acres	15	0.5
Rushcliffe	Leake	15	0.5
Newark & Sherwood	Lowdham	15	0.5
Gedling	Ravenshead	15	0.5
Broxtowe	Toton and Chilwell Meadows	15	0.5
Bassetlaw	East Markham	10	0.5
Mansfield	Holly	10	0.5
Rushcliffe	Soar Valley	10	0.5
Mansfield	Berry Hill	5	0.5
Rushcliffe	Stanford	5	0.5
Newark & Sherwood	Southwell West	10	0.4
Broxtowe	Attenborough	5	0.4
Mansfield	Eakring	5	0.4
Mansfield	Hornby	5	0.4
Broxtowe	Trowell	5	0.4
Mansfield	Kings Walk	10	0.3
Rushcliffe	Cranmer	5	0.3
Rushcliffe	Manvers	5	0.3
Newark & Sherwood	Trent	5	0.3
Rushcliffe	Thoroton	0	0.3
Rushcliffe	Wolds	0	0.2
Rushcliffe	Tollerton	0	0.0
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bulwell</i>	<i>520</i>	<i>5.3</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Aspley</i>	<i>540</i>	<i>5.0</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bestwood</i>	<i>520</i>	<i>4.7</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Berridge</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>3.7</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bilborough</i>	<i>365</i>	<i>3.7</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Dales</i>	<i>380</i>	<i>3.6</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Sherwood</i>	<i>580</i>	<i>3.5</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Arboretum</i>	<i>445</i>	<i>3.3</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Basford</i>	<i>325</i>	<i>3.2</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Mapperley</i>	<i>280</i>	<i>2.8</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Leen Valley</i>	<i>175</i>	<i>2.7</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>St Ann's</i>	<i>270</i>	<i>2.6</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Clifton South</i>	<i>200</i>	<i>2.5</i>

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DISTRICT	WARD	NUMBER	EST. %
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bridge</i>	<i>300</i>	<i>2.2</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Bulwell Forest</i>	<i>195</i>	<i>2.2</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Clifton North</i>	<i>190</i>	<i>2.2</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Radford and Park</i>	<i>380</i>	<i>2.1</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Wollaton West</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>1.1</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Dunkirk and Lenton</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>0.9</i>
<i>Nottingham</i>	<i>Wollaton East and Lenton Abbey</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>0.6</i>

Claimant count.

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All data are rounded to the nearest 5 and may not precisely add to the sum of the number of people claiming JSA, published on Nomis, and the number of people claiming Universal Credit required to seek work, published by DWP, due to independent rounding.



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