

Unemployment - Claimant Count 1992-2007

	Northumberland	Rate (%)	North East	Rate (%)	England	Rate (%)
Apr-07	5,016	2.7	52,094	3.3	767,702	2.4
Apr-06	5,091	2.7	51,830	3.3	813,412	2.6
Apr-05	4,630	2.5	47,122	3.0	711,695	2.3
Apr-04	4,718	2.5	49,979	3.2	731,500	2.4
Apr-03	5,376	2.9	56,059	3.6	782,546	2.5
Apr-02	5,494	2.9	61,896	4.0	788,389	2.6
Apr-01	6,091	3.3	66,087	4.3	803,354	2.6
Apr-00	7,058	3.8	76,654	4.9	917,435	3.0
Apr-99	7,766	4.2	85,832	5.5	1,057,939	3.5
Apr-98	7,639	4.1	87,376	5.6	1,118,639	3.7
Apr-97	9,086	4.9	97,842	6.3	1,374,279	4.6
Apr-96	11,835	6.4	125,717	8.0	1,830,258	6.2
Apr-95	12,481	6.7	133,718	8.5	1,972,497	6.7
Apr-94	13,780	7.4	144,944	9.2	2,273,430	7.7
Apr-93	13,378	7.2	151,722	9.6	2,512,529	8.6
Apr-92	12,118	6.6	139,095	8.8	2,268,541	7.7

Source: Nomis, Claimant count with rates and proportions

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Rate: Proportion of resident working age population estimates

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Unemployment - Claimant Count by District, April 2007

	Male	Rate (%)	Female	Rate (%)	Total	Rate (%)
Alnwick	291	2.9	115	1.3	406	2.1
Berwick-upon-Tweed	220	2.8	87	1.2	307	2.1
Blyth Valley	1,223	4.7	440	1.8	1,663	3.3
Castle Morpeth	421	2.6	161	1.2	582	2.0
Tynedale	341	1.8	138	0.8	479	1.3
Wansbeck	1,186	6.0	393	2.2	1,579	4.2
Northumberland	3,682	3.7	1,334	1.5	5,016	2.7
North East	39,470	4.8	12,624	1.7	52,094	3.3
England	558,933	3.4	208,769	1.4	767,702	2.4
United Kingdom	671,478	3.4	247,034	1.4	918,512	2.4

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Rate: Proportion of resident working age population estimates

Proportions for dates in 2007 are calculated using the 2006 resident working age population

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Unemployment in Northumberland Settlements, April 2004
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Unitary Authorities and Counties - North East
Claimant Numbers and Rates, April 2007

Unitary Authority	Number (April 2007)	Rate (%)	2007 Rank	2006 Rank	2005 Rank	2004 Rank	2003 Rank	2002 Rank
Darlington	1,843	3.1	5	3	3	4	4	3
Durham	7,278	2.3	1	1	1	1	1	1
Gateshead	3,594	3.1	4	5	5	3	3	5
Hartlepool	2,558	4.6	10	10	10	10	10	10
Middlesbrough	4,379	5.1	12	12	11	12	12	12
Newcastle-upon-Tyne	6,088	3.4	7	7	7	7	8	7
North Tyneside	3,779	3.1	3	4	8	5	5	4
Northumberland	5,016	2.7	2	2	2	2	2	2
Redcar and Cleveland	3,164	3.8	9	9	9	9	9	9
South Tyneside	4,372	4.7	11	11	12	11	11	11
Stockton on Tees	3,848	3.2	6	6	4	8	7	8
Sunderland	6,175	3.5	8	8	6	6	6	6
North East	52,094	3.3						
England	767,702	2.4						

Proportions for dates from 2005 onwards are calculated using the 2004 resident working age population.

Claimant count with rates and proportions.

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Unemployment - Claimant Count: Duration, April 2007

	<6 Months	Rate (%)	6-12 Months	Rate (%)	12-24 Months	Rate (%)	>24 Months	Rate (%)
Alnwick	270	1.5	70	0.3	45	0.3	15	0.0
Berwick-upon-Tweed	225	1.6	45	0.3	30	0.2	5	0.0
Blyth Valley	1,135	2.1	315	0.6	160	0.3	50	0.0
Castle Morpeth	385	1.4	120	0.4	55	0.2	20	0.0
Tynedale	320	0.9	70	0.2	45	0.0	35	0.0
Wansbeck	1,025	2.7	320	0.9	165	0.4	70	0.2
Northumberland	3,370	1.8	935	0.5	500	0.3	190	0.0
North East	34,490	2.2	9,415	0.6	5,785	0.3	2,200	0.1
England	492,795	1.6	141,845	0.5	93,280	0.3	36,830	0.1
United Kingdom	592,950	1.6	167,665	0.5	109,995	0.3	44,150	0.1

Source: Claimant count - age and duration

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Rate: Proportion of resident working age population estimates

*data rounded to nearest 5 (disclosure control)

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Unemployment - Claimant Count: Age, April 2007

	All ages	16-24	%	25-34	%	35-49	%	50+	%
Alnwick	405	535	32	75	19	110	28	90	22
Berwick-upon-Tweed	305	385	25	70	23	90	30	65	21
Blyth Valley	1,660	2,275	37	385	23	380	23	280	17
Castle Morpeth	580	770	33	110	19	160	28	115	20
Tynedale	480	600	25	95	20	130	28	130	27
Wansbeck	1,575	2,170	38	345	22	415	26	220	14
Northumberland	5,000	6,725	35	1,085	22	1,290	26	900	18
North East	51,895	69,520	34	11,990	23	13,885	27	8,395	16
England	764,745	999,990	31	180,780	24	223,520	24	125,205	16
United Kingdom	914,765	1,199,260	31	215,995	24	264,790	29	149,490	16

Source: claimant count - age and duration

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Percentage given is that of particular age as a proportion of all ages within that particular gender.

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Benefit Claimants - Working Age Population, May 2007

	Male	Female	Total
Alnwick	1,200	1,100	2,300
Berwick-upon-Tweed	1,000	1,000	2,000
Blyth Valley	4,700	4,400	9,100
Castle Morpeth	1,900	1,600	3,500
Tynedale	1,800	1,700	3,500
Wansbeck	4,200	3,600	7,800
Northumberland	14,900	13,300	28,200
North East	156,100	144,200	300,300
England	2,133,000	2,209,800	4,342,800
Great Britain	2,572,500	2,642,400	5,215,000

Source: Nomis, Department of Work & Pensions Benefit Data, May 2007
Benefit claimants counts are rounded to the nearest 100 and are subject to sampling variation

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**Benefit Claimants by Age (Working Age Population),
May 2007**

	Under 25	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-59	60-64	Total
Alnwick	300	300	400	600	500	300	2,300
Berwick-upon-Tweed	200	300	400	500	400	300	2,000
Blyth Valley	1,300	1,500	1,900	2,000	1,500	900	9,100
Castle Morpeth	500	500	700	700	600	400	3,500
Tynedale	400	500	700	900	600	400	3,500
Wansbeck	1,200	1,300	1,600	1,700	1,300	800	7,800
Northumberland	3,700	4,300	5,600	6,400	4,900	3,200	28,200
North East	42,500	49,400	63,000	70,200	46,500	28,700	300,300
England	592,300	775,900	1,012,800	989,100	609,600	360,400	4,342,800
Great Britain	700,900	918,600	1,205,600	1,199,000	747,300	440,200	5,215,000

Source: Nomis, Department of Work & Pensions Benefit Data, May 2007

* Figures under 500 are subject to high sampling variation and should be used with caution.

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Economic Activity Rate, Jan 2006- Dec2006

	Economic activity rate - working age	Economic activity rate males - working age	Economic activity rate females - working age
Alnwick	78.7	86.6	70.5
Berwick-upon-Tweed	73.6	84.9	59.4
Blyth Valley	77.6	81.3	73.6
Castle Morpeth	76.1	82.9	69.2
Tynedale	83.1	85.1	81.0
Wansbeck	80.8	82.5	78.
Northumberland	78.8	83.3	74.1
North East	76.0	80.0	73.3
England	78.6	83.6	73.3
United Kingdom	78.4	83.2	71.8

Source: Annual Population Survey, Nomis

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Employment (Working Age), April 2006-March 2007

	% in employment who are employees	% in employment who are self-employed	% in employment working full-time	% in employment working part-time
Alnwick	89.1	10.9	85.0	15.0
Berwick-upon-Tweed	73.2	26.8	75.9	24.1
Blyth Valley	87.9	11.1	72.2	27.8
Castle Morpeth	91.3	8.0	78.7	21.3
Tynedale	84.5	15.5	71.4	28.6
Wansbeck	93.2	5.4	80.7	19.3
Northumberland	87.8	11.6	76.3	23.7
North East	90.3	8.9	75.6	24.3
England	86.6	12.8	76.1	23.9
United Kingdom	86.8	12.6	76.1	23.8

Source: Annual Population Survey, Nomis

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Occupational Structure of all economically active residents in employment April 2006-March 2007

	Northumberland		North East		England		United Kingdom	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Managers and Senior officials	20,500	14.6	141,300	12.7	3,683,200	15.5	4,246,400	15.0
Professional occupations	17,600	12.5	124,600	11.2	3,109,000	13.1	3,658,600	12.9
Associate professional & technical	19,700	14.0	152,000	13.6	3,422,600	14.4	4,027,800	14.2
Administrative and secretarial	18,200	12.9	137,800	12.3	2,865,700	12.0	3,410,100	12.0
Skilled trades	15,200	10.8	124,100	11.1	2,569,100	10.8	3,138,900	11.1
Personal service	14,400	10.2	92,300	8.3	1,892,600	7.9	2,284,000	8.1
Sales and Customer services	10,200	7.2	105,100	9.4	1,802,800	7.6	2,168,000	7.7
Process plant & Machine operatives	10,800	7.6	98,800	8.8	1,684,000	7.1	2,056,400	7.3
Elementary Occupations	14,200	10.0	136,500	12.2	2,711,300	11.4	3,244,600	11.5
Total	140,800	100	1,112,500	100	23,740,300	100	28,234,800	100

Source: Annual Population Survey,
Nomis

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