



Youth JSA Claimants: August 2012

City***	Percentage point change in youth claimant count rate		Youth Claimant Count Rate % Aug 2012**	City***	Percentage point change in youth claimant count rate		Youth Claimant Count Rate % Aug 2012**
	Feb 08 - Aug 12*	Aug 11 - Aug 12			Feb 08 - Aug 12*	Aug 11 - Aug 12	
Doncaster	5.2	-0.1	10.6%	Milton Keynes	2.7	-0.6	5.9%
Barnsley	4.7	0.1	10.3%	Northampton	2.7	-0.1	5.8%
Bradford	4.6	0.5	9.0%	Bristol	2.6	0.0	4.4%
Belfast	4.5	0.0	8.2%	Manchester	2.6	-0.1	6.5%
Hull	4.4	0.2	10.6%	Nottingham	2.6	-0.4	6.2%
Dundee	4.0	-0.3	8.8%	Leeds	2.4	0.1	5.3%
Swindon	4.0	0.2	6.6%	Newcastle	2.2	0.1	7.2%
Wakefield	4.0	0.0	8.6%	Plymouth	2.2	-0.5	5.0%
Rochdale	4.0	-0.6	9.7%	Cardiff	2.2	-0.2	5.1%
Huddersfield	3.8	0.1	7.7%	Luton	2.2	-0.6	5.6%
Newport	3.7	-0.2	8.9%	Edinburgh	2.1	-0.2	4.4%
Derby	3.7	-0.4	7.5%	Birkenhead	2.0	-0.7	7.8%
Glasgow	3.7	-0.5	8.1%	Blackpool	2.0	-0.3	6.3%
Peterborough	3.7	0.2	8.7%	Stoke	2.0	-0.2	6.6%
Burnley	3.6	0.3	7.9%	Hastings	1.8	-0.9	8.3%
Gloucester	3.6	0.5	6.5%	Liverpool	1.8	-0.3	8.3%
Grimsby	3.5	-1.5	9.8%	London	1.8	-0.9	5.3%
Mansfield	3.5	-0.4	8.3%	Swansea	1.8	-0.9	5.1%
Middlesbrough	3.5	-0.2	10.2%	Aldershot	1.7	-1.2	3.3%
Wigan	3.4	-0.1	8.5%	Norwich	1.7	-0.3	4.5%
Worthing	3.4	-0.3	5.9%	Coventry	1.6	-0.9	5.5%
Birmingham	3.4	-0.7	9.7%	Portsmouth	1.5	-0.1	4.0%
Telford	3.3	-0.4	7.5%	Reading	1.5	-0.5	2.9%
Ipswich	3.2	-0.7	7.8%	Crawley	1.4	-0.6	3.5%
Leicester	3.2	0.0	6.5%	Bournemouth	1.4	-0.3	3.1%
Sheffield	3.2	-0.2	6.8%	Preston	1.4	-0.2	4.5%
Sunderland	3.2	-0.6	9.2%	Brighton	1.2	-0.5	4.1%
Chatham	3.1	0.2	7.0%	Aberdeen	1.1	-0.5	2.8%
Blackburn	3.0	0.4	8.1%	Southampton	0.9	-0.4	3.1%
Southend	2.9	0.1	6.3%	York	0.8	-0.5	2.6%
Warrington	2.9	-0.4	6.3%	Cambridge	0.2	-0.1	1.3%
Bolton	2.8	-1.2	7.6%	Oxford	0.1	-0.6	1.2%
UK	2.5	-0.3	6.1%				

*February 2008 - the lowest point on the UK claimant count series - is used here as the initial measurement point to take into account the extended duration of the recession.

**The Youth claimant count rate is calculated as a percentage of all young people (Aged 16-24)

***Cities are defined as Primary Urban Areas.

Source: ONS (from Nomis on 12 September 2012)

Note: A methodological improvement means that these figures are not directly comparable to Youth JSA tables published by Centre for Cities before April 2012.

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