



Youth JSA Claimants: February 2012

City	Percentage point change in youth claimant count rate Feb 08-Feb 12*	Youth claimant count rate %** Feb 2012	City	Percentage point change in youth claimant count rate Feb 08-Feb 12*	Youth claimant count rate %** Feb 2012
Hull	4.6	10.8%	Sheffield	3.4	6.8%
Grimsby	4.9	10.6%	Manchester	3.1	6.7%
Doncaster	5.6	10.3%	Nottingham	3.2	6.6%
Middlesbrough	4.2	10.2%	Warrington	3.5	6.4%
Rochdale	5.1	10.0%	Gloucester	3.5	6.3%
Barnsley	5.0	9.9%	Southend	3.2	6.3%
Birmingham	3.8	9.6%	Leicester	2.8	6.1%
Sunderland	4.1	9.6%	Milton Keynes	3.0	5.8%
Hastings	3.8	9.5%	Coventry	1.9	5.7%
Liverpool	2.6	8.9%	Northampton	2.7	5.7%
Newport	4.0	8.8%	London	2.4	5.6%
Mansfield	4.5	8.6%	Worthing	3.2	5.6%
Wigan	4.0	8.6%	Luton	2.3	5.5%
Peterborough	3.8	8.4%	Swansea	2.1	5.3%
Bradford	4.4	8.3%	Plymouth	2.3	5.3%
Wakefield	4.1	8.2%	Leeds	2.3	5.2%
Ipswich	3.7	8.0%	Cardiff	2.3	5.2%
Bolton	3.6	7.9%	Norwich	2.0	4.8%
Birkenhead	2.8	7.8%	Preston	1.8	4.8%
Burnley	4.0	7.7%	Bristol	2.8	4.6%
Telford	3.9	7.7%	Brighton	1.5	4.5%
Derby	4.1	7.7%	Edinburgh	2.3	4.5%
Dundee	3.1	7.6%	Portsmouth	2.1	4.4%
Glasgow	3.5	7.6%	Crawley	2.1	4.0%
Blackburn	3.1	7.5%	Aldershot	2.3	3.7%
Huddersfield	3.8	7.4%	Bournemouth	2.0	3.7%
Newcastle	2.5	7.3%	Southampton	1.4	3.5%
Belfast	3.9	7.3%	Reading	1.7	3.1%
Stoke	2.9	7.2%	York	1.3	2.9%
Chatham	3.4	7.0%	Aberdeen	1.3	2.9%
Blackpool	3.2	6.9%	Oxford	0.6	1.6%
Swindon	4.5	6.9%	Cambridge	0.3	1.4%
Great Britain	2.8	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)

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