Withdrawn

This publication has been withdrawn. It is no longer current.
Guidance for Users

Using DWP National Statistics

DWP Department for Work and Pensions

Information Directorate

© Crown Copyright 2011
Summary

The best benefit statistics to use are sourced from the new published Work and Pensions Longitudinal Study (WPLS)\(^1\). These data are based on 100% of claimants and cover information such as age and gender of claimant, duration of their spell on benefit and geographical locations of claimants.

If you require more detailed breakdowns specific to one benefit (for example type of JSA in payment) you may need to rely on our 5% sample data which has more detail but less comprehensive coverage.

Please use the WPLS data first and only rely on the sample data if the information you need is not available on the WPLS. DWP recommends that, where the detail is only available on the 5% sample data, the proportions derived should be applied to the overall 100% total for the benefit.

The primary source of statistics is now an internet-based Tabulation Tool. This document describes how to use the information held within the WPLS Tabulation Tool in conjunction with the 5% sample Tabulation Tool.

\(^1\) Some benefits and services are not yet covered by the WPLS e.g. Housing Benefit, Council Tax Benefit and Industrial Injuries Benefit.
Should I use the 5% sample Tabulation Tool or the WPLS Tabulation Tool to obtain DWP statistics?

There are two key principles to guide this decision:

1. **Users should obtain statistics exclusively from the WPLS Tabulation Tool whenever possible.**

   This is because the WPLS data, as from 27th October 2005, is the DWP’s key data source for many benefit statistics. These data are used to produce headline National Statistics. WPLS data are based on 100% of claimants.

2. **If it is necessary to use the 5% sample Tabulation Tool, it should NOT be used in isolation, but in conjunction with the WPLS Tabling Tool.**

   It is sometimes necessary to use 5% sample data because:

   - Only limited information is available from the WPLS Tabulation Tool prior to August 1999 for Working Age benefits and pre-May 2002 for pensioner benefits.
   - Certain variables appear only in the 5% sample data and not in the WPLS 100% data.
   - Therefore for more detailed breakdowns specific to one benefit (for example type of JSA in payment) you may need to rely on our 5% sample data which has more detail but less comprehensive coverage.

**Which variables are available?**

Two annexes to this document provide lists of variables and the dates for which they are available.

- **Annex A** Variables on WPLS 100% Tabling Tool
- **Annex B** Variables on 5% sample Tabulation Tool
To obtain total caseload – flow chart

Go to WPLS Tabulation Tool and select benefit/scheme

Is the date for which you require the caseload August 1999 or later (May 2002 for some benefits)?

Yes

Produce the table from the WPLS Tabulation Tool

No

Use the ‘Long Time Series’, which may be found in the list of ‘Useful Resources’ for each benefit. This list is located beneath the table selection area.
To obtain statistics other than total caseload - flowchart

Does the variable(s) appear in the WPLS Tabulation Tool for the year of interest? (See Annex A)

Yes → Obtain table from WPLS Tabulation Tool

No → Does the variable(s) appear in the WPLS Tabulation Tool for later years but not for the (earlier) year of interest?

Yes → Does a time series for the variable exist in Other Resources, Long Time Series?

Yes → Obtain table from the Long Time Series

No → Obtain table for variable(s) from the 5% sample Tabulation Tool. Combine with caseload from WPLS Tabulation Tool. (See Example 1 below)

No → Contact DWP and request special analysis

* If the variables appear in the WPLS Tabulation Tool but not in the combination desired please contact DWP to request a special analysis
Combining 5% and WPLS data

You will need to use 5% sample data in conjunction with WPLS data if a variable is available in the 5% sample data but not the WPLS data. The basic principle in combining the two, is that the caseload should be obtained from the WPLS data. To this, percentages taken from the 5% sample data are applied.

There are 4 steps for combining 5% sample and WPLS data:

Step 1  Obtain the caseload at the relevant date from the WPLS Tabulation Tool or, for earlier years, the long time series spreadsheet (available from the WPLS Tabulation Tool under ‘Useful Resources and Sites’)

Step 2  From the 5% sample Tabulation Tool, produce a table for the relevant date and variable.

Step 3  Calculate the proportional distribution of the variable for the 5% total cases.

Step 4  Apply the proportions to the WPLS caseload.

Example 1: combining 5% and WPLS data

Bereavement Benefit, number of dependants, February 2003

It is necessary to combine 5% and WPLS statistics because the variable showing number of dependants appears in the 5% data but not the WPLS data.

Step 1  Obtain caseload from the WPLS Tabulation Tool.

For Bereavement Benefit this is:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Caseload (Thousands)</th>
<th>Total</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>FEB03</td>
<td>46.3</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
**Step 2** Obtain information about the number of dependants from 5% sample Tabulation Tool for March 2003*.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Number of dependants</th>
<th>Total Caseload (Thousands)</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Total</td>
<td>44.4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>No dependants</td>
<td>24.1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1 dependant</td>
<td>10.7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2 dependants</td>
<td>7.1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3 dependants</td>
<td>2.0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4 dependants</td>
<td>*0.3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5 dependants or more</td>
<td>*0.1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Unknown</td>
<td>-</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

*Note: State Pension, Widow’s Benefit and Bereavement Benefit. The data extraction dates for 5% data (March and September) and WPLS data (February, May, August and November) are different. The convention which users should adopt for these benefits is: when combining 5% and WPLS 100% data, utilise only **WPLS data for February and August**. Apply the proportions obtained from the 5% sample data for the following month, that is March and September.
**Step 3** Convert the distribution of the variable from the 5% sample data to proportions:

E.g. proportion with 1 dependant =
10.7 (number with one dependant) ÷ 44.4 (total caseload from 5% sample)
= 0.241

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th></th>
<th>Number of cases (thousands)</th>
<th>Expressed as a proportion of total cases</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>Total (from 5% sample Tabulation Tool)</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>No dependants</td>
<td>24.1</td>
<td>0.543</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1 dependant</td>
<td>10.7</td>
<td>0.241</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2 dependants</td>
<td>7.1</td>
<td>0.16</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3 dependants</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>0.045</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4 dependants</td>
<td>* 0.3</td>
<td>0.007</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5 dependants or more</td>
<td>* 0.1</td>
<td>0.002</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Unknown</td>
<td>-</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Step 4** Apply these proportions to the caseload figure obtained from WPLS 100% data.

E.g. Total (WPLS) with 1 dependant
= proportion calculated at (3) above x WPLS caseload
= 0.241 x 46.3
= 11.16 thousand

Thus the number of Bereavement Benefit claimants with 1 dependant at February 2003 is 11.16 thousand

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th></th>
<th>Proportion of total cases</th>
<th>Calculated WPLS Caseload (Thousands)</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td>1</td>
<td>46.3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>No dependants</td>
<td>0.543</td>
<td>25.13</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1 dependant</td>
<td>0.241</td>
<td>11.16</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2 dependants</td>
<td>0.16</td>
<td>7.4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3 dependants</td>
<td>0.045</td>
<td>2.09</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4 dependants</td>
<td>0.007</td>
<td>0.31</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5 dependants or more</td>
<td>0.002</td>
<td>0.1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Unknown</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
**Important note: CLAIM DURATION**

For the majority of variables, the proportions obtained from the 5% and WPLS data are very similar. It is therefore deemed safe to apply the 5% proportions to the WPLS data.

However the distributions obtained for the **claim duration** variable differ between the two data sources. This is because information relating to many recently started claims is received too late for inclusion in the 5% sample data, but is included in the WPLS. The WPLS therefore includes a greater number of recently started claims and a greater proportion of claims of short duration (with compensating smaller proportions of cases in the longer duration bands).

Consequently, for some benefits, a time series of duration will show a sharp change in distribution, occurring between the last quarter for which 5% proportions are applied to WPLS totals, and the first quarter when duration information is obtainable from the WPLS.

A small number of variables related to duration will also be affected. These are:

**Incapacity Benefit (IB) - amount in payment, and IB rate in payment.** For IB, the rate of payment increases as the claim duration becomes longer. Compared to the 5% sample data, the WPLS records a greater number of recent claims and consequently a greater proportion of cases in the lower amount bands and short term rate.

**Income Support - age distribution.**

It is known that IS claimants in the youngest age band have shorter claim durations than claimants in older age bands. Because the WPLS is better able to record recent and short claims, the WPLS will consequently show an elevated proportion of younger claimants compared to 5% data.
Annex A

WPLS data (based on 100% of cases) available on the Tabulation Tool

Attendance Allowance - cases in payment

Data available from: May 2002
Analysis available for: Average weekly amount of benefit
Caseload (Thousands)
Breakdowns available: AA award type
Age of claimant
Duration of current claim (days)
Gender of claimant
Region
Local Authority of claimant
Main Disabling Condition
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster)
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
Time Series

Attendance Allowance – all entitled cases

Data available from: May 2002
Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)
Breakdowns available: AA award type
Age of claimant
Duration of current claim (days)
Gender of claimant
Region
Local Authority of claimant
Main Disabling Condition
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster)
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
Time Series
Bereavement Benefit

Data available from: May 2002
Analysis available for: Average weekly amount of benefit
Caseload (Thousands)
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant
Duration of current claim (days)
Gender of claimant
Region
Local Authority of claimant
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster)
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
Time Series
Total weekly amount of benefit
Type of BB
Type of dependent

Carer's Allowance - cases in payment

Data available from: August 2003
Analysis available for: Average weekly amount of benefit
Caseload (Thousands)
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant
Duration of current claim (days)
Gender of claimant
Region
Local Authority of claimant
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster)
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
Time Series
Total weekly amount of benefit
Working Age/Pension Age split
WPLS data

**Carer's Allowance – all entitled cases**

Data available from: August 1999  
Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)  
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant, Duration of current claim (days), Entitled/Receiving Payment, Gender of claimant, Region, Local Authority of claimant, Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster), Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant, Time Series, Total weekly amount of benefit, Working Age/Pension Age split

**Disability Living Allowance - cases in payment**

Data available from: May 2002  
Analysis available for: Average weekly amount of benefit, Caseload (Thousands)  
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant, Care Award Type, Duration of current claim (days), Gender of claimant, Region, Local Authority of claimant, Mobility Award Type, Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster), Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant, Time Series, Working Age/Pension Age split
Disability Living Allowance – all entitled cases

Data available from: May 2002
Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant
Care Award Type
Duration of current claim (days)
Gender of claimant
Region
Local Authority of claimant
Mobility Award Type
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
(Westminster)
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
Time Series
Working Age/Pension Age split

Employment and Support Allowance

Data available from: November 2008
Analysis available for: Average weekly amount of benefit
Caseload (Thousands)
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant
Duration of current claim (days)
Ethnicity of claimant
Ethnicity of claimant - summary
Gender of claimant
IB ICD (disease) code
IB ICD (disease) summary code
Local Authority of claimant
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
(Westminster)
Region
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
Time Series
Total weekly amount of benefit
Incapacity Benefit

Data available from: August 1999
Analysis available for: Average weekly amount of benefit
Caseload (Thousands)
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant
Claimant/Beneficiary
Duration of current claim (days)
Gender of claimant
Region
IB ICD (disease) code
IB ICD (disease) summary code
IB rate in payment
Local Authority of claimant
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
(Westminster)
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
Time Series
Total weekly amount of benefit
Type of dependent
Working Age/Pension Age split

Incapacity Benefit/Severe Disablement Allowance - combined information

Data available from: August 1999
Analysis available for: Average weekly amount of benefit
Caseload (Thousands)
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant
Claimant/Beneficiary
Duration of current claim (days)
Gender of claimant
Region
IB ICD (disease) code
IB ICD (disease) summary code
IB rate in payment
Local Authority of claimant
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
(Westminster)
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
Time Series
Total weekly amount of benefit
Type of dependent
Working Age/Pension Age split
**Income Support**

- **Data available from:** August 1999
- **Analysis available for:** Average weekly amount of benefit, Caseload (Thousands)
- **Breakdowns available:** Age of claimant, Age of youngest child dependant, Duration of current claim (days), Gender of claimant, Region, Local Authority of claimant, Number of children, Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster), Partner flag, Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant, Statistical Group, Time Series, Total weekly amount of benefit, MIG/Non MIG, Under 60/60 and over split

**Jobseeker’s Allowance**

- **Data available from:** August 1999
- **Analysis available for:** Average weekly amount of benefit
- **Breakdowns available:** Caseload (Thousands), Age of claimant, Age of youngest child dependant, Ethnicity of claimant, Ethnicity of claimant - summary, Gender of claimant, Region, Local Authority of claimant, Number of children, Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster), Partner flag, Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant, Time Series, Total weekly amount of benefit
Pension Credit

Data available from: November 2003
Analysis available for: Average weekly amount of benefit
Caseload – number of beneficiaries (Thousands)
Caseload – number of claimants (Thousands)

Breakdowns available: Age of claimant
Duration of current claim (days)
Gender of claimant
Region
Local Authority of claimant
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster)
Partner flag
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
Time Series
Total weekly amount of benefit
Type of Pension Credit

State Pension

Data available from: May 2002
Analysis available for: Average weekly amount of benefit
Caseload (Thousands)

Breakdowns available: Age of claimant
Category of pension
Country code for abroad cases
Gender of claimant
Region
Local Authority of claimant
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster)
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
Time Series
Total weekly amount of benefit
Type of dependent
WPLS data

**Widow’s Benefit**

Data available from: August 1999  
Analysis available for: Average weekly amount of benefit  
Caseload (Thousands)  
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant  
Duration of current claim (days)  
Region  
Local Authority of claimant  
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster)  
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant  
Time Series  
Total weekly amount of benefit  
Type of dependent  
Type of WB

**Client Group - All ages**

Data available from: May 2002  
Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)  
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant  
Benefit combination  
Duration of oldest current claim (days)  
Gender of claimant  
Region  
Local Authority of claimant  
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster)  
Partner flag  
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant  
Statistical Group  
Time Series

**Pension Age Client Group**

Data available from: May 2002  
Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)  
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant  
Benefit combination  
Gender of claimant  
Region  
Local Authority of claimant  
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster)  
Pensioner Statistical Group  
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant  
Statistical Group  
Time Series
Working Age Client Group

Data available from: August 1999
Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant
Age of youngest child dependant
Benefit combination
Duration of oldest current claim (days)
Gender of claimant
Region
Local Authority of claimant
Number of children
Parliamentary Constituency of claimant (Westminster)
Partner flag
Scottish Parliamentary Constituency of claimant
Statistical Group
Time Series

Working Age percentage of population (LA only)

Data available from/to: August 1999/February 2010
Analysis available for: Percentage of population
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant
Age of youngest child dependant
Duration of oldest current claim (days)
Gender of claimant
Local Authority of claimant
Number of children
Partner flag
Statistical Group

Working Age percentage of population

Data available from/to: August 1999/February 2010
Analysis available for: Percentage of population
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant
Age of youngest child dependant
Benefit combination
Caseload (Thousands)
Duration of oldest current claim (days)
Gender of claimant
Government Office Region
Number of children
Partner flag
Statistical Group
Time Series
Annex B

5% sample data available on the Tabulation Tool

**Attendance Allowance**

- Data available from: November 1995
- Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)
- Breakdowns available: Age, Care Rate, Gender, Region, Local Authority, Main Disabling Condition, Parliamentary Constituency, Time Series

**Bereavement Benefit**

- Data available from: September 2001
- Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands), Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)
- Breakdowns available: Age, Dependant increase, Gender, Region, Local Authority, Number of dependants, Time Series, Type of BB, Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)

**Disability Living Allowance**

- Data available from: November 1995
- Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)
- Breakdowns available: Age, Care Rate, Duration, Gender, Region, Local Authority, Main Disabling Condition, Mobility Rate, Parliamentary Constituency, Time Series
Incapacity Benefit

Data available from: May 1995
Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)
Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)
Breakdowns available: Age
Claimant or beneficiary
Diagnosis group
Duration
Gender
Region
Local Authority
Parliamentary Constituency
Partner
Time Series
Type of IB

Incapacity Benefit - Working Age claimants

Data available from: May 1995
Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)
Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)
Breakdowns available: Age
Claimant or beneficiary
Diagnosis group
Duration
Gender
Region
Local Authority
Parliamentary Constituency
Partner
Time Series
Type of IB
**Incapacity Benefit/Severe Disablement Allowance combined information**

**Data available from:** May 1995  
**Analysis available for:** Caseload (Thousands)  
Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)  
**Breakdowns available:** Age  
Claimant or beneficiary  
Diagnosis group  
Duration  
Gender  
Region  
Local Authority  
Parliamentary Constituency  
Partner  
Time Series  
Type of IB/SDA

---

**Incapacity Benefit/Severe Disablement Allowance combined - Working Age claimants**

**Data available from:** May 1995  
**Analysis available for:** Caseload (Thousands)  
Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)  
**Breakdowns available:** Age  
Claimant or beneficiary  
Diagnosis group  
Duration  
Gender  
Region  
Local Authority  
Parliamentary Constituency  
Partner  
Time Series  
Type of IB/SDA
### Income Support Claimant Information

**Data available from:** May 1997

**Analysis available for:**
- Caseload (Thousands)
- Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)

**Breakdowns available:**
- Age
- Child dependants
- Duration
- Family Type
- Gender
- Region
- Housing Requirements
- Local Authority
- Number of dependants
- Parliamentary Constituency
- Partner
- Special Circumstances
- Statistical Group
- Time Series

### Jobseeker's Allowance Claimant Information

**Data available from:** May 1997

**Analysis available for:**
- Caseload (Thousands)
- Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)

**Breakdowns available:**
- Age
- Child dependants
- Duration
- Family Type
- Gender
- Region
- Housing Requirements
- Income Based JSA
- Local Authority
- Number of dependants
- Parliamentary Constituency
- Partner
- Time Series
- Type of JSA
Pension Credit Claimant Information

Data available from: November 2003
Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)
Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)
Breakdowns available: Age
Duration
Family Type
Gender
Region
Local Authority
Special Circumstances
Time Series
Type of Pension Credit

Severe Disablement Allowance

Data available from: May 1995
Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)
Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)
Breakdowns available: Age
Claimant or beneficiary
Diagnosis group
Duration
Gender
Region
Local Authority
Parliamentary Constituency
Partner
Time Series
### Severe Disablement Allowance - Working Age claimants

**Data available from:** May 1995  
**Analysis available for:** Caseload (Thousands)  
Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)  
**Breakdowns available:** Age  
Claimant or beneficiary  
Diagnosis group  
Duration  
Gender  
Region  
Local Authority  
Parliamentary Constituency  
Partner  
Time Series

### State Pension

**Data available from:** March 1995  
**Analysis available for:** Caseload (Thousands)  
Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)  
**Breakdowns available:** Age  
Category of Pension  
Amount of Basic State Pension (%)  
Country (detailed)  
Country summary  
Gender  
Region  
Increments flag  
Local Authority  
Time Series  
Type of dependant increase  
Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)
**Widow’s Benefit**

- **Data available from:** March 1995
- **Analysis available for:** Caseload (Thousands)
- **Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)**
- **Breakdowns available:**
  - Age
  - Dependant increase
  - Region
  - Local Authority
  - Number of dependants
  - Time Series
  - Type of WB
  - Weekly amount in payment (£ per week)

**Client Group Analysis of Children in Working Age families on benefit**

- **Data available from/to:** May 1995/August 2007
- **Analysis available for:** Caseload (Thousands)
- **Breakdowns available:**
  - Age of dependant child
  - Benefit Combination
  - Benefit entitlement route
  - Duration on oldest current benefit
  - Family Type
  - Government Office Region
  - Local Authority
  - Number of child dependants
  - Out-of-work statistical group
  - Parliamentary Constituency
  - Statistical Group
  - Time Series

**Children in Working Age families on benefit - Percentage of Population**

- **Data available from/to:** May 1995/August 2007
- **Analysis available for:** Percentage of population
- **Breakdowns available:**
  - Age
  - Benefit Combination
  - Benefit entitlement route
  - Duration on oldest current benefit
  - Family Type
  - Government Office Region
  - Out-of-work statistical group
  - Statistical Group
  - Time Series
Children in Working Age families on benefit - Percentage of Population
LA only

Data available from/to: May 1995/August 2007
Analysis available for: Percentage of Population
Breakdowns available: Age
Benefit Combination
Benefit entitlement route
Duration on oldest current benefit
Family Type
Local Authority
Out-of-work statistical group
Statistical Group

Client Group analysis of Working Age families with children

Data available from/to: May 1995/August 2007
Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)
Breakdowns available: Age of claimant
Age of youngest child
Benefit Combination
Benefit entitlement route
Duration on oldest current benefit
Family Type
Gender of claimant
Government Office Region
Local Authority
Number of child dependants
Out-of-work statistical group
Parliamentary Constituency
Statistical Group
Time Series
Client Group analysis of the Working Age

Data available from/to: May 1995/August 2008
Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)
Breakdowns available:
- Age
- Benefit Combination
- Benefit entitlement route
- Duration on oldest current benefit
- Family Type
- Gender
- Government Office Region
- Local Authority
- Number of child dependants
- Out-of-work statistical group
- Parliamentary Constituency
- Statistical Group
- Time Series

Working Age benefit claimants - Percentage of population

Data available from/to: May 1995/August 2008
Analysis available for: Percentage of Population
Breakdowns available:
- Age
- Benefit Combination
- Benefit entitlement route
- Duration on oldest current benefit
- Family Type
- Gender
- Government Office Region
- Number of child dependants
- Out-of-work statistical group
- Statistical Group
- Time Series
Working Age benefit claimants - Percentage of population LA only

Data available from/to: May 1995/August 2008
Analysis available for: Percentage of population
Breakdowns available: Age
Benefit Combination
Benefit entitlement route
Duration on oldest current benefit
Family Type
Gender
Local Authority
Number of child dependants
Out-of-work statistical group
Statistical Group

Pension Age Client Group

Data available from/to: May 1996/May 2008
Analysis available for: Caseload (Thousands)
Breakdowns available: Age
Benefit combination
Gender
Government Office Region
Local Authority
Parliamentary Constituency
Statistical Group
Time Series
Type of dependant