

2011 Census Profile

Area name: **Wincanton**

Area type: **Parish**

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Area code: **E04008770**

Population

| Population | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|---|--------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Total usually resident population | 5,272 | 100.0% | 529,972 | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Total males | 2,559 | 48.5% | 258,396 | 48.8% | 49.2% |
| Total females | 2,713 | 51.5% | 271,576 | 51.2% | 50.8% |
| Age 0-4 | 324 | 6.1% | 28,717 | 5.4% | 6.2% |
| Age 5-9 | 289 | 5.5% | 27,487 | 5.2% | 5.6% |
| Age 10-15 | 354 | 6.7% | 38,386 | 7.2% | 7.0% |
| Age 16-24 | 523 | 9.9% | 54,266 | 10.2% | 11.9% |
| Age 25-44 | 1,229 | 23.3% | 119,246 | 22.5% | 27.4% |
| Age 45-64 | 1,469 | 27.9% | 150,210 | 28.3% | 25.4% |
| Age 65-74 | 490 | 9.3% | 57,463 | 10.8% | 8.7% |
| Age 75 and over | 594 | 11.3% | 54,197 | 10.2% | 7.8% |
| Median age of population in the area | 42 | | 44 | | |
| Population density (people per hectare) | No data | | 1.5 | | 3.7 |
| People living in households | 5,199 | 98.6% | 517,124 | 97.6% | 98.2% |
| People living in communal establishments | 73 | 1.4% | 12,848 | 2.4% | 1.8% |
| Schoolchildren or full-time students aged 4+ at non term-time address | 77 | | 8,053 | | |

Identity

| Ethnic Group | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|---|--------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|-------------------|
| White Total | 5,164 | 98.0% | 519,255 | 98.0% | 86.0% |
| White: English/Welsh/Scottish/ Northern Irish/British | 4,870 | 92.4% | 501,558 | 94.6% | 80.5% |
| White: Irish | 13 | 0.2% | 2,257 | 0.4% | 0.9% |
| White: Gypsy or Irish Traveller | 10 | 0.2% | 733 | 0.1% | 0.1% |
| White: Other White | 271 | 5.1% | 14,707 | 2.8% | 4.4% |
| Black and Minority Ethnic Total | 108 | 2.0% | 10,717 | 2.0% | 14.0% |
| Mixed: White and Black Caribbean | 6 | 0.1% | 1,200 | 0.2% | 0.8% |
| Mixed: White and Black African | 11 | 0.2% | 650 | 0.1% | 0.3% |
| Mixed: White and Asian | 8 | 0.2% | 1,407 | 0.3% | 0.6% |
| Mixed: Other Mixed | 15 | 0.3% | 984 | 0.2% | 0.5% |
| Asian/Asian British: Indian | 22 | 0.4% | 1,069 | 0.2% | 2.5% |
| Asian/Asian British: Pakistani | 1 | 0.0% | 203 | 0.0% | 2.0% |
| Asian/Asian British: Bangladeshi | 10 | 0.2% | 442 | 0.1% | 0.8% |
| Asian/Asian British: Chinese | 13 | 0.2% | 1,247 | 0.2% | 0.7% |
| Asian/Asian British: Other Asian | 11 | 0.2% | 1,912 | 0.4% | 1.5% |
| Black/Black British: African | 0 | 0.0% | 607 | 0.1% | 1.8% |
| Black/Black British: Caribbean | 0 | 0.0% | 291 | 0.1% | 1.1% |
| Black/Black British: Other Black | 2 | 0.0% | 115 | 0.0% | 0.5% |
| Other ethnic group: Arab | 7 | 0.1% | 175 | 0.0% | 0.4% |
| Other ethnic group: Other | 2 | 0.0% | 415 | 0.1% | 0.6% |

| Country of Birth | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|--|-----------|-------------|----------|------------|-------------------|
| United Kingdom | 4,852 | 92.0% | 498,211 | 94.0% | 86.6% |
| Republic of Ireland | 10 | 0.2% | 1,989 | 0.4% | 0.8% |
| Other EU member countries (in March 2001) | 97 | 1.8% | 6,340 | 1.2% | 0.9% |
| Other EU Accession countries (April 2001-March 2011) | 167 | 3.2% | 8,171 | 1.5% | 1.5% |
| Other countries | 146 | 2.8% | 15,261 | 2.9% | 8.1% |

| Religion | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|---------------------|-----------|-------------|----------|------------|-------------------|
| Religion not stated | 407 | 7.7% | 42,304 | 8.0% | 7.2% |
| Christian | 3,553 | 67.4% | 339,211 | 64.0% | 59.3% |
| Buddhist | 16 | 0.3% | 1,612 | 0.3% | 0.4% |
| Hindu | 13 | 0.2% | 506 | 0.1% | 1.5% |
| Jewish | 7 | 0.1% | 337 | 0.1% | 0.5% |
| Muslim | 24 | 0.5% | 1,470 | 0.3% | 4.8% |
| Sikh | 0 | 0.0% | 100 | 0.0% | 0.8% |
| Other religions | 31 | 0.6% | 3,361 | 0.6% | 0.4% |
| No religion | 1,221 | 23.2% | 141,071 | 26.6% | 25.1% |

| Language | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|---|-----------|-------------|----------|------------|-------------------|
| Households where all people aged 16+ have English as a main language | 2,208 | 95.0% | 220,394 | 97.1% | 91.2% |
| Households where at least one but not all people aged 16+ have English as a main language | 36 | 1.5% | 2,810 | 1.2% | 3.7% |
| Households where no people aged 16+ have English as main language but at least one person aged 3 to 15 has English as a main language | 5 | 0.2% | 381 | 0.2% | 0.8% |
| No people in household have English as a main language | 76 | 3.3% | 3,404 | 1.5% | 4.3% |

| Migration | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|-----------|-----------|-------------|----------|------------|-------------------|
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| | | % | | % | % |
|--|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|
| Born in UK | 4,852 | 92.0% | 498,211 | 94.0% | 86.6% |
| Resident in UK: Less than 2 years | 65 | 1.2% | 3,964 | 0.7% | 1.7% |
| Resident in UK: 2 years or more but less than 5 years | 91 | 1.7% | 5,531 | 1.0% | 2.1% |
| Resident in UK: 5 years or more but less than 10 years | 132 | 2.5% | 6,343 | 1.2% | 2.8% |
| Resident in UK: 10 years or more | 132 | 2.5% | 15,923 | 3.0% | 6.8% |

Health and Care

| Limiting long-term illness | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|---|-----------|-------------|----------|------------|-------------------|
| People whose day-to-day activities are limited a lot | 464 | 8.8% | 43,988 | 8.3% | 8.5% |
| People whose day-to-day activities are limited a little | 550 | 10.4% | 55,676 | 10.5% | 9.4% |
| People aged 16 to 64 whose day-to-day activities are limited a lot | 155 | 2.9% | 16,901 | 3.2% | 3.7% |
| People aged 16 to 64 whose day-to-day activities are limited a little | 228 | 4.3% | 24,038 | 4.5% | 4.7% |
| General health | | | | | |
| Very good health | 2,294 | 43.5% | 241,500 | 45.6% | 47.1% |
| Good health | 1,920 | 36.4% | 187,101 | 35.3% | 34.1% |
| Fair health | 771 | 14.6% | 74,426 | 14.0% | 13.2% |
| Bad health | 224 | 4.2% | 21,227 | 4.0% | 4.3% |
| Very bad health | 63 | 1.2% | 5,718 | 1.1% | 1.3% |
| All people who provide unpaid care | | | | | |
| Total number of carers | 526 | 10.0% | 58,382 | 11.0% | 10.3% |
| 1-19 hours a week | 355 | 6.7% | 39,353 | 7.4% | 6.5% |
| 20-49 hours a week | 73 | 1.4% | 6,716 | 1.3% | 1.4% |
| 50 or more hours a week | 98 | 1.9% | 12,313 | 2.3% | 2.4% |

Economic Activity

| Economic Activity | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|---|--------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Total number of people aged 16 to 74 | 3,711 | | 381,185 | | |
| Total Economically active | 2,739 | 100.0% | 269,768 | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Employees full time | 1,546 | 56.4% | 141,278 | 52.4% | 55.2% |
| Employees part time | 583 | 21.3% | 60,626 | 22.5% | 19.7% |
| Self-employed | 436 | 15.9% | 46,782 | 17.3% | 13.9% |
| Unemployed | 97 | 3.5% | 11,350 | 4.2% | 6.3% |
| Full time student | 77 | 2.8% | 9,732 | 3.6% | 4.9% |
| Total Economically inactive | 972 | 100.0% | 111,417 | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Retired | 558 | 57.4% | 64,972 | 58.3% | 45.6% |
| Student | 99 | 10.2% | 13,422 | 12.0% | 19.2% |
| Looking after home or family | 152 | 15.6% | 13,935 | 12.5% | 14.3% |
| Longterm sick or disabled | 110 | 11.3% | 13,317 | 12.0% | 13.8% |
| Other | 53 | 5.5% | 5,771 | 5.2% | 7.2% |
| Total Unemployed | 97 | 100.0% | 11,350 | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| aged 16-24 | No data | #VALUE! | 3,466 | 30.5% | 27.9% |
| aged 50 and over | No data | #VALUE! | 2,644 | 23.3% | 18.5% |
| who have never worked | No data | #VALUE! | 1,255 | 11.1% | 16.2% |
| who are long term unemployed | No data | #VALUE! | 4,092 | 36.1% | 39.3% |

| Qualifications of people aged 16 and over | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|---|-----------|-------------|----------|------------|-------------------|
| No Qualifications | 1,077 | 25.0% | 97,590 | 22.4% | 22.7% |
| Highest level of qualification: Level 1 | 672 | 15.6% | 59,803 | 13.7% | 13.3% |
| Highest level of qualification: Level 2 | 731 | 17.0% | 74,821 | 17.2% | 15.3% |
| Highest level of qualification: Apprenticeship | 190 | 4.4% | 19,408 | 4.5% | 3.6% |
| Highest level of qualification: Level 3 | 473 | 11.0% | 52,538 | 12.1% | 12.3% |
| Highest level of qualification: Level 4 and above | 906 | 21.0% | 111,538 | 25.6% | 27.2% |
| Other qualifications / level unknown | 256 | 5.9% | 19,684 | 4.5% | 5.7% |

People in Employment

| Method of travel to work | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|---|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------|
| Total number of people aged 16 to 74 | 3,711 | 100.0% | 381,185 | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| People who work mainly at or from home | 134 | 3.6% | 20,104 | 5.3% | 3.5% |
| Who usually travel to work by: | | | | | |
| Underground; metro; light rail; tram | 3 | 0.1% | 319 | 0.1% | 2.5% |
| Train | 16 | 0.4% | 2,160 | 0.6% | 3.3% |
| Bus; Mini Bus or coach | 16 | 0.4% | 4,470 | 1.2% | 4.7% |
| Taxi | 1 | 0.0% | 553 | 0.1% | 0.3% |
| Motorcycle; scooter; moped | 11 | 0.3% | 2,488 | 0.7% | 0.5% |
| Driving a car or van | 1,698 | 45.8% | 165,198 | 43.3% | 37.1% |
| Passenger in a car or van | 117 | 3.2% | 13,462 | 3.5% | 3.3% |
| Bicycle | 49 | 1.3% | 9,917 | 2.6% | 1.9% |
| On foot | 576 | 15.5% | 36,465 | 9.6% | 6.9% |
| Other method of travel to work | 16 | 0.4% | 1,619 | 0.4% | 0.4% |
| Not in employment | 1,074 | 28.9% | 124,430 | 32.6% | 35.5% |
| Hours Worked | | | | | |
| | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
| Part time: 15 or less | 253 | 9.6% | 27,292 | 10.6% | 9.6% |
| Part time: 16 to 30 | 512 | 19.4% | 54,428 | 21.2% | 19.5% |

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|-----------------------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|
| Full time: 31 to 48 | 1,464 | 55.5% | 138,579 | 54.0% | 57.7% |
| Full time: 49 or more | 408 | 15.5% | 36,456 | 14.2% | 13.2% |

| Industry | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|--|-----------|-------------|----------|------------|-------------------|
| A Agriculture; forestry and fishing | 54 | 2.0% | 6,420 | 2.5% | 0.9% |
| B Mining and quarrying | 4 | 0.2% | 646 | 0.3% | 0.2% |
| C Manufacturing | 344 | 13.0% | 29,124 | 11.3% | 8.9% |
| D Electricity; gas, steam and air conditioning supply | 1 | 0.0% | 1,681 | 0.7% | 0.6% |
| E Water supply;sewerage,waste management+remediation activities | 22 | 0.8% | 2,213 | 0.9% | 0.7% |
| F Construction | 240 | 9.1% | 21,362 | 8.3% | 7.7% |
| G Wholesale + retail trade; repair of motor vehicles + motorcycles | 582 | 22.1% | 45,068 | 17.6% | 15.9% |
| H Transport and storage | 158 | 6.0% | 9,446 | 3.7% | 5.0% |
| I Accommodation and food service activities | 119 | 4.5% | 15,281 | 6.0% | 5.6% |
| J Information and communication | 52 | 2.0% | 6,227 | 2.4% | 4.0% |
| K Financial and insurance activities | 23 | 0.9% | 4,758 | 1.9% | 4.3% |
| L Real estate activities | 22 | 0.8% | 3,127 | 1.2% | 1.4% |
| M Professional, scientific and technical activities | 105 | 4.0% | 13,495 | 5.3% | 6.6% |
| N Administrative and support service activities | 112 | 4.2% | 10,538 | 4.1% | 4.9% |
| O Public administration and defence | 126 | 4.8% | 16,472 | 6.4% | 6.0% |
| P Education | 239 | 9.1% | 25,159 | 9.8% | 9.9% |
| Q Human health and social work | 316 | 12.0% | 33,483 | 13.0% | 12.5% |
| R/S/T/U Other | 118 | 4.5% | 12,255 | 4.8% | 5.0% |

| National Statistics Socio-Economic Classification | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|---|--------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Total number of people aged 16 to 74 | 3,711 | 100.0% | 381,185 | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| 1. Higher managerial and professional occupations | 303 | 8.2% | 35,394 | 9.3% | 10.3% |
| 2. Lower managerial and professional occupations | 710 | 19.1% | 80,961 | 21.2% | 20.8% |
| 3. Intermediate occupations | 399 | 10.8% | 45,949 | 12.1% | 12.7% |
| 4. Small employers and own account workers | 460 | 12.4% | 47,655 | 12.5% | 9.4% |
| 5. Lower supervisory and technical occupations | 351 | 9.5% | 30,116 | 7.9% | 6.9% |
| 6. Semi-routine occupations | 675 | 18.2% | 62,295 | 16.3% | 14.1% |
| 7. Routine occupations | 562 | 15.1% | 44,359 | 11.6% | 11.1% |
| Never worked and long term unemployed | 81 | 2.2% | 11,886 | 3.1% | 5.6% |
| Full-time students | 170 | 4.6% | 22,570 | 5.9% | 9.0% |
| Not classifiable for other reasons | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0.0% |

Housing and Accommodation

| Dwellings | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|--|--------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Total number of dwellings | 2,478 | 100.0% | 239,720 | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Unshared | 2,478 | 100.0% | 239,633 | 100.0% | 99.9% |
| Shared | 0 | 0.0% | 33 | 0.0% | 0.1% |
| Total number of household spaces | 2,478 | 100.0% | 239,965 | 100.00% | 100.0% |
| Occupied | 2,325 | 93.8% | 226,989 | 94.6% | 95.6% |
| Unoccupied | 153 | 6.2% | 12,976 | 5.4% | 4.4% |
| Accommodation type | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
| Detached | 714 | 28.8% | 77,435 | 32.3% | 22.6% |
| Semi-detached | 816 | 32.9% | 72,850 | 30.4% | 30.7% |
| Terraced (including end terrace) | 507 | 20.5% | 56,775 | 23.7% | 24.7% |
| Flat, maisonette or apartment: | | | | | |
| Purpose-built block of flats | 323 | 13.0% | 22,146 | 9.2% | 16.3% |
| Part of a converted or shared house (including bed-sits) | 70 | 2.8% | 6,383 | 2.7% | 4.2% |
| In commercial building | 48 | 1.9% | 2,543 | 1.1% | 1.1% |
| Caravan or other mobile or temporary structure | 0 | 0.0% | 1,833 | 0.8% | 0.4% |
| Tenure | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
| All households | 2,325 | 100.0% | 226,989 | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Owned: Owned outright | 794 | 34.2% | 85,778 | 37.8% | 30.8% |
| Owned: Owned with a mortgage or loan | 721 | 31.0% | 72,131 | 31.8% | 32.7% |
| Owned: Shared ownership (part owned and part rented) | 6 | 0.3% | 1,487 | 0.7% | 0.8% |
| Social rented: All | 338 | 14.5% | 30,730 | 13.5% | 17.6% |
| Private rented: Private landlord or letting agency | 381 | 16.4% | 29,405 | 13.0% | 15.3% |
| Private rented: Other | 41 | 1.8% | 3,853 | 1.7% | 1.4% |
| Living rent free | 44 | 1.9% | 3,605 | 1.6% | 1.4% |
| Household size | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
| Average household size (persons per household) | 2.2 | | 2.3 | | |
| Average number of rooms per household | 5.0 | | 5.8 | | |
| Average number of bedrooms per household | 2.7 | | 2.9 | | |
| Occupancy rating (rooms) of -1 or less | 131 | 5.6% | 10,615 | 4.7% | 8.5% |
| Occupancy rating (bedrooms) of -1 or less | 57 | 2.5% | 5,377 | 2.4% | 4.7% |
| Central heating | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
| Households with no central heating | 67 | 2.9% | 7,986 | 3.5% | 2.7% |

| Car availability | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|---|------------------|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| No cars or vans in household | 417 | 17.9% | 36,092 | 15.9% | 25.6% |
| One car or van in household | 1,032 | 44.4% | 98,217 | 43.3% | 42.2% |
| Two or more cars or vans in household | 876 | 37.7% | 92,680 | 40.8% | 32.1% |
| Total number of cars or vans in area | 3,034 | | 318,697 | | |
| Number of cars per household | 1.3 | | 1.4 | | |

Household Composition

| Household Composition | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
|--|------------------|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Residents aged 16+ in households | 4,232 | 100.0% | 424,511 | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| Living in a couple: Married/Registered same-sex civil partnership | 2,098 | 49.6% | 218,377 | 51.4% | 45.9% |
| Living in a couple: Cohabiting | 628 | 14.8% | 52,004 | 12.3% | 11.9% |
| Living in a couple: In a registered same-sex civil partnership or cohabiting (same-sex) | 26 | 0.6% | 2,673 | 0.6% | 0.9% |
| Single (never married nor registered a same-sex civil partnership) | 765 | 18.1% | 82,437 | 19.4% | 25.8% |
| Living Alone: Married or in a registered same-sex civil partnership | 53 | 1.3% | 4,256 | 1.0% | 1.4% |
| Separated (but still legally married or in a same-sex civil partnership) | 63 | 1.5% | 7,823 | 1.8% | 2.1% |
| Divorced or formerly in dissolved same-sex civil partnership | 267 | 6.3% | 29,271 | 6.9% | 6.6% |
| Widowed or surviving partner from a same-sex civil partnership | 358 | 8.5% | 30,343 | 7.1% | 6.3% |
| In a registered same-sex civil partnership | No data | #VALUE! | 699 | 0.2% | 0.2% |
| Total number of households | 2,325 | 100.0% | 226,989 | 100.0% | 100.0% |
| One person household | 725 | 31.2% | 67,537 | 29.8% | 30.2% |
| One person household: Aged 65 and over | 396 | 17.0% | 33,500 | 14.8% | 12.4% |
| Any type of household: All aged 65 and over | 609 | 26.2% | 58,723 | 26.3% | 20.9% |
| Married/Civil p'ship couple household: No children | 386 | 16.6% | 34,577 | 15.2% | 12.3% |
| Married/Civil p'ship couple household: With dependent children | 325 | 14.0% | 33,693 | 14.8% | 15.2% |
| Married/Civil p'ship couple household: All children non-dependent | 95 | 4.1% | 12,078 | 5.3% | 5.6% |
| Cohabiting couple household: No children | 148 | 6.4% | 11,939 | 5.3% | 5.3% |
| Cohabiting couple household: With dependent children | 114 | 4.9% | 9,424 | 4.2% | 4.1% |
| Cohabiting couple household: All children non-dependent | 6 | 0.3% | 1,027 | 0.5% | 0.5% |
| Lone parent household: With dependent children | 134 | 5.8% | 12,709 | 5.6% | 7.2% |
| Lone parent household: All children non-dependent | 67 | 2.9% | 6,341 | 2.8% | 3.5% |
| Multi-person household: All full-time students | 0 | 0.0% | 67 | 0.0% | 0.6% |
| Multi-person household: Other | 118 | 5.1% | 12,374 | 5.5% | 7.3% |
| Households with dependent children | Wincanton | Wincanton % | Somerset | Somerset % | England & Wales % |
| Households with dependent children | 613 | 26.4% | 59,753 | 26.3% | 29.1% |
| Households with dependent children: aged 0-4 | 246 | 10.6% | 22,289 | 9.8% | 11.8% |
| H/holds with no adults in employment: with dependent children | 56 | 2.4% | 6,071 | 2.7% | 4.2% |
| H/holds with no adults in employment: without dependent children | 725 | 31.2% | 73,232 | 32.3% | 29.4% |
| One person in household with a long-term health problem or disability: with dependent children | 85 | 3.7% | 8,868 | 3.9% | 4.7% |