POWER OF THE BLACK VOTE IN 2015

The Changing Face of England & Wales

Parliamentary seats and their voters

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Black and minority ethnic voters have been handed the greatest opportunity ever to effectively engage in British politics.

Our groundbreaking research clearly shows that the BME vote could easily decide over 160 seats. The Coalition Government has governed the UK with a working majority of just 83 seats. The data that we are publishing therefore speaks volumes; in a 168 marginal seats the BME electorate is larger than the majority in which the seat was won. The BME electorate could influence an even greater number of seats if, as predicted, the election contest becomes ever tighter.

What does all this mean? First and foremost it means that BME communities have a stronger political lever than ever to demand that Party bosses draw up policy plans to tackle persistent race inequalities, particularly around unemployment, education, health and housing.

What is also interesting about this data is the shift of where BME political power has been. In the past it was almost exclusively in urban, inner city areas which barely changed political hands. Today this change is not only occurring in urban areas such as Croydon, Harrow and Ealing but also outside urban areas, such as Corby, Rossendale & Darwin, Cheadle and Loughborough.

With this report we relish the challenge to inspire an often cynical electorate to engage as never before, and simultaneously to inform our political leaders that putting race equality back on the agenda is no longer an option but rather a question about their own political survival.

Simon Woolley
National Coordinator
Operation Black Vote
Every parliamentary constituency in England and Wales - all 573 - are analysed in this report by comparing the latest 2011 population census data with the results of the 2010 general election.

This exercise has revealed that 241 constituencies (42 percent) in England and Wales have BME electorates larger than the 2010 majorities of the sitting MP when measured against the 2011 census and counting only the voting electorate.

Critically, 168 of these constituencies are in marginal seats which could probably decide the next Government. These seats are listed on pages 6-7 along with 37 more which have BME electorates less than the MPs majority but where BME voters can still have a significant bearing on the election outcome, particularly in a close race. Therefore if the 2015 election is neck-and-neck there could be 205 constituencies where the BME vote could heavily influence the result.

168 seats equates to over a quarter (29 percent) of all constituencies in England and Wales. Therefore almost one-third of MP’s can be voted in or out depending on the extent that they, and their party, appeals to BME voters.

This figure debunks the stereotype that BME communities are mostly concentrated in ‘safe’ Labour seats and therefore not significant in terms of electoral impact. Although ‘inner city’ seats do indeed contain a high proportion BME communities, the overall picture across England and Wales is that many BME communities live in swing seats which will form the key battlegrounds at the forthcoming election in 2015.

It is accepted wisdom in political circles that between 100 and 130 seats will determine the result in 2015. That means the ‘Black vote’ will undoubtedly have a major impact.

Many of the 73 ‘safe’ seats with a BME electorate larger than the MP’s majority are only ‘safe’ because the sitting MP and their party enjoy the support of the BME electorate. However traditional patterns of voting are changing as British-born decendants of immigrants increasingly make political choices independent of their parents and grandparents, so these seats - the vast majority held by Labour - may not always remain safe in future. This process will almost certainly increase the power of the ‘Black vote’ over time as an ever-growing proportion become floating voters.

The concept of a ‘Black vote’ has been questioned on one level; BME communities are not homogenous in their voting patterns. Within each community and household different political choices are made, influenced by a range of factors including general policies of the parties, and issues of the day but also impacted by socio-economic status, faith, geography and the extent of local political activity.

However on another level the concept of a ‘Black vote’ is credible. The reputation of each party and, to a lesser extent, of the individual candidates in terms of how sympathetic or understanding they are towards the particular issues and challenges facing BME communities in general and specific race and faith communities has a major impact on voting.

Policies to specifically address disproportionate racial disadvantage and BME political representation matter. So while ‘race’ has been off just over half of all seats (285) have a BME population which is larger than the majorities of the sitting MP’s.
principally the result of two key factors; the significant increase in the BME electorate between the 2001 and 2011 population census, and the fact that the 2010 general election produced more marginal seats because it was a closer general election than 2005.

A third, less significant, factor is the rise in Mixed Race voters in marginal rural and town constituencies where their population where, though relatively small, nevertheless has an impact on primarily rural or semi-rural ultra-marginal seats.

Marginal seats have majorities of less than 6,000, although a handful of seats with majorities of under 7,000 qualify for this definition because they have shown a propensity to swing between different parties from one election to the next, particularly if the seat changed hands in 2010, or they are targeted as realistic prospects by the main challenging party. Three seats with current majorities of between 7,000 and 10,000 changed between parties in 2010.

This report has analysed the BME electorate; voters who will be aged 18 years and above at the 2015 general election. As the Methodology page explains, we have calculated this data on the basis of the population aged 15 years and above in the 2011 census.

If we counted the overall BME population, regardless of their age, the number of seats where the BME population exceeds the MP’s majority rises to 286, an increase of 10 percent or 27 seats. This is a significant indicator of the number of constituencies that will decide future election results.

Currently 2011 census data for parliamentary constituencies is only available for England and Wales. When Scotland becomes available Operation Black Vote plan to update this report. It is expected that this would add more marginal seats where the BME electorate is larger than the MP’s majority.
Marginals where BME vote can win it

Marginal seats ranked in order of BME impact measuring the size of MPs' 2010 majority against the size of the BME electorate. Colour-coded by the Party currently holding the seat. BME voters are projected calculations for the electorate in 2015 based on the 2011 population census (see Methodology, page 9).

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Marginals where BME vote can win it

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- **104 Enfield Southgate**: BME Voters: 21,401
- **105 Hyndburn**: BME Voters: 8,635
- **106 Cardiff S & Penarth**: BME Voters: 13,095
- **107 Gedling**: BME Voters: 5,147
- **108 Cardiff Central**: BME Voters: 12,445
- **109 Great Grimsby**: BME Voters: 18,797
- **110 Pudsey**: BME Voters: 16,724
- **111 Newcastle-Lyme**: BME Voters: 9,025
- **112 Nuneaton**: BME Voters: 9,446
- **113 Worthing West**: BME Voters: 12,514
- **114 Warwick & L'Eton**: BME Voters: 16,195
- **115 Wetherby**: BME Voters: 1,800
- **116 Wrexham**: BME Voters: 16,478
- **117 Reading West**: BME Voters: 1,557
- **118 Vauxhall**: BME Voters: 7,378
- **119 Warrington South**: BME Voters: 7,936
- **120 Cheltenham**: BME Voters: 4,399
- **121 Chesham & Amersham**: BME Voters: 1,157
- **122 Chichester**: BME Voters: 6,792
- **123 Chudleigh**: BME Voters: 7,026
- **124 Churwell**: BME Voters: 7,388
- **125 Heywood & Middleton**: BME Voters: 12,704
- **126 Chesham & Amersham**: BME Voters: 8,486
- **127 Chichester**: BME Voters: 7,104
- **128 Chingford**: BME Voters: 5,685
- **129 Colne Valley**: BME Voters: 10,012
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- **131 Milton Keynes W**: BME Voters: 7,822
- **132 Aldershot**: BME Voters: 1,036
- **133 Amber Valley**: BME Voters: 1,547
- **134 Wells**: BME Voters: 7,931
- **135 Newcastle-Tyne E**: BME Voters: 6,208
- **136 Newport West**: BME Voters: 2,500
- **137 Frost**: BME Voters: 4,719
- **138 Stalybridge & Hyde**: BME Voters: 16,850
- **139 Putney**: BME Voters: 16,850

The next seats are marginal seats where the BME Electorate is less than the MP's 2010 majority but where BME voters can still have an impact on the 2015 result.
The biggest challenge is to turn the political power of the Black community into greater rates of voting and voter registration.

Operation Black Vote has been campaigning 17 years to raise the rate of political participation among BME communities and although significant progress has been made there is still a long way to go.

18 percent of BME citizens were not registered to vote in 2010 compared to seven percent for white residents. The Online Centre for Ethnicity in Politics reports that non-registration is as high as 28 percent among Africans with the most likely community to register being Pakistani’s (15 percent).

However at election time BME electors are slightly more likely to turn out than their white counterparts. The national voter turnout in 2010 was 65.1 percent. Self-reported turnout from BME groups was mostly higher than the national average: Bangladeshi (75 percent), Pakistani (73), Indian (74), Caribbean (66) and African (60).

OBV plan to join forces with community and faith leaders in an unprecedented high profile voter registration drive ahead of the 2015 general election.

It is interesting to note that former Conservative Party donor Lord Ashcroft has spent thousands of pounds studying the BME vote because Conservatives realised they cannot win a general election without this support. The experience of the last United States presidential election, when the Republicans were faced with the prospect of never winning again without gaining support of African-Americans, is a scenario that will increasingly also apply to Britain. No party can afford to ignore the BME vote or take it for granted.

Traditionally most BME communities have voted Labour although this has been lessening with each general election. Previously over 90 percent of the BME electorate voted Labour but this was down to 68 percent at the last election according to the Runnymede Trust report ‘Ethnic Minority Voting on the 2010 UK General Election’. The same study found 16 percent supported the Conservatives and 14 percent the Liberal Democrats.

If current trends continue then future elections will see a greater proportion of BME floating voters making choices independent of the historical voting patterns of their parents or grandparents on general political issues of the day; whether parties have policies to tackle racial disadvantage; and how they are performing on BME political representation.
Methodology

BME (Black and Minority Ethnic)
The BME population are all non-white categories as defined by the 2011 Population Census. This is comprised of Asian (Indian, Pakistani, Bangladeshi, Chinese, Other Asian); Black (African, Caribbean, Black Other); Mixed (White & Black Caribbean, White & Black African, White & Asian, Other Mixed); and Other (Arab, Other Ethnic).

BME does not include Irish, Gypsy or Traveller, or Other White - the latter a rapidly growing category.

Asian
Numbers and percentages for the specific 'Asian' category on pages 16-63 do not include Chinese but do include the category of White & Asian. Chinese are included in the overall BME category (as above) and listed as the largest BME group in every constituency where that is the case.

Black
Numbers and percentages for the specific 'Black' category on pages 16-63 include the White & Black Caribbean and White & Black African groups. This is because the standard definition of 'Black' embraces those who have one Caribbean or African parent.

BME Impact

Very Significant: Where the total BME electorate is larger than the sitting MP’s majority.

Significant: Where the BME electorate is at least half the majority of the sitting MP.

Fair, Slight & Minimal: Where the BME population is less than a quarter of the majority of the sitting MP.

Age, Ethnicity & Adjusted Figures for Voters

Using the 2011 Population Census in England and Wales, this study has listed not just the overall BME population in each constituency but also included an adjusted figure for the BME electorate (voters). We made our calculations on two assumptions:

1. That everyone aged 15 years or over in 2011 will be over 18 years by the time of the 2015 election;
2. That BME people have a different age profile to that of the White people.

We calculated that 26.81 percent of the BME population will be aged under 18 years in 2015, and that 16.14 percent of the White population will be. We have factored this in to every figure of the BME electorate and Black and Asian voters.

This calculation reduces the electoral impact of BME communities compared to simply assessing the BME population. However we believe this provides the most realistic estimate of BME voters in each constituency and, if anything, is likely to be an under-estimate given that numbers of BME voters will surely rise further between 2013 and 2015, and an older White population are likely to experience more deaths than a younger BME population.

There are 40,427,470 White voters aged 15 years and over (83.86% of White total) and 5,757,304 BME non-White voters aged 15 years and over (73.19% of the BME non-White total). That means there is a gap of 10.67% between the percentage of White and BME non-White voters compared to the percentage of White and BME non-White citizens aged 0-14 years.

There are differences between the age profiles of individual BME groups however this study has used the average across all BME groups. However it is possible that BME voters in small towns and villages in marginal constituencies may likely to have a lower ratios of children to adults than inner city seats. Again our calculations may slightly underestimate the electoral impact of BME communities.

The adjusted figures are highly unlikely to over-estimate the impact of BME voters (aged 15 and above in 2011) at the 2015 general election in marginal constituencies..

Nearest Challenger

The nearest challenger is the second-placed party. Some constituencies are three-way marginals where the third-placed party could win, however this study is limited to considering only the second-placed challenger.

2010 Majority, Byelections etc.

2010 Majority figures do not include byelection results. However each former MP who has resigned or died is marked with the symbol (+), and MPs who have resigned their party’s whip or have had it removed are marked by the symbol (++). Majorities are actual not notional and do not factor in boundary changes. Senior Government ministers are denoted by the symbol (*), and senior Labour figures with the symbol (**).
BME Population

Analysis of the 2011 Population Census by constituency reveals that over one third of all seats in England and Wales have a BME population of over 10%, and one in five MPs represent a constituency where over 20% of the population are non-white.

The figures reinforce the size and political influence of BME communities. In fact will be 20 BME-majority constituencies. This counts the BME electoral however six more seats are BME majority when taking into account the overall BME population (Ealing North, Leicester South, Lewisham Deptford, Edmonton, Bethnal Green & Bow and Leyton & Wanstead). Three seats have more than 100,000 BME citizens: East Ham, West Ham and Ilford South.

However just three of the 20 BME majority seats - Ealing Southall, Bethnal Green & Bow and Leicester East - are currently represented by an MP from a BME background (in addition, Marsha Singh in Bradford West retired due to ill health after the 2010 election).

Looking at the overall BME population (all ages) 286 MPs in England and Wales represent seats where the BME population is 10% or more, while 113 (18%) seats have a BME population of 20% or more. These statistics reinforce arguments for greater BME political representation.
Individual BME Communities

In addition to the 203 marginal seats where the BME vote has a significant impact on the result (including 168 marginals where the BME electorate exceeds the MP’s majority) there are important patterns relating to individual communities.

Pakistanis make up the largest BME group in 36 constituencies where the overall BME population is over 20% of the total population. By the same measure, Indians are the largest group in 34 such seats and Bangladeshi’s in four. That means that the main ‘Asian’ groups are the dominant BME communities in 74 seats.

Africans are the fastest-growing group other than the Mixed categories. They are the largest BME community in 31 seats where the BME population exceeds 20% of the total. Caribbean’s are the largest group in six seats.

Indians make up the largest BME group in 175 constituencies in England and Wales. Of these, 60 are marginal seats. In addition, Indian’s are the largest group several ‘safe’ seats - both Labour and Conservative - which are believed to be safe precisely because the sitting MP has the support of these communities. Therefore the potential impact of Indians could be even greater than figures suggest. However although Indians are the largest group in 175 seats they are proportionally less likely to be located in marginals than some other BME groups.

Pakistanis are the largest BME group in 86 constituencies in England and Wales. Of these, over half - 45 seats - are marginals. Consequently the Pakistani community plays a very significant part in the outcome of the 2015 general election.

African

Africans are the largest BME group in 75 constituencies. 21 of these are marginals. These figures represent a significant increase compared to 2001 Census data. Africans now make up the largest BME group in seats traditionally associated with Caribbeans.

Caribbean

Caribbeans make up the largest BME group in six constituencies, but only one of these is a marginal. However in each of the six the overall BME population is over 20% of the total. In addition, Caribbeans are in second-place behind Africans in several seats, most of which are regarded as ‘safe’ Labour seats. However the category of Mixed White & Black Caribbean is the largest group in 44 constituencies, of which 20 are marginals. All these seats have a relatively low overall BME population in primarily Conservative marginal seats, but the White & Black Caribbean group could well make the difference.

Chinese

Chinese are the largest BME group in 36 seats, 17 of which are marginals. In most of these constituencies the Chinese population is fairly moderate but large enough to make the difference in key battlegrounds.

White & Asian / Asian Other

Mixed White & Asian’s are the largest BME group in 41 seats, 16 of which are marginals. Asian Other - believed to include Sri Lankans and Turkish / Kurdish - are the largest BME group in 96 constituencies, of which 33 are marginals.
The belief that Labour have a strong hold over the ‘Black vote’ - particularly African, Caribbean, Pakistani and Bangladesh communities - is not as true as it used to be.

In the 168 marginal seats identified in this report with BME electorates larger than the majorities of the sitting MPs Labour are the second-placed party in 70 of those seats. 61 of those seats are currently held by a Conservative MP. Winning these should propel Ed Miliband into Downing Street.

While some of those 70 seats will have larger BME populations than the MPs’ majority by virtue of the fact that the MP's majority is particularly small, there are also many marginal seats with considerable BME populations. For example Bedford Conservative MP’s majority of 1,353 is dwarfed by 18,916 BME voters. Similarly, the Lib Dem MP in Birmingham Yardley has a majority of 3,002 and 26,843 BME voters.

If Labour can increase their appeal to BME voters in Conservative-held marginals they will significantly increase their chances of taking power in 2015. But Labour will have to offer more by way of policies designed to specifically appeal to BME communities than is presently the case.

Labour’s Challenge

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Conservatives may have won an outright majority in 2010 if they had taken marginal seats with a high BME population. At the next election they will hope to win some of these seats to form a Conservative-only Government.

They can potentially win 64 seats in marginals where other party’s MPs have BME electorates greater than the majority. But in order to achieve this they will need to increase their appeal to BME communities, and that means changing their image.

52 of those 64 marginal seats have Labour MPs and the Conservatives will need to win at least half of these seats if they are to gain an outright majority. In addition, the Conservatives will fight their coalition partners the Liberal Democrats in 12 marginal seats where the BME electorate exceeds the majority of the sitting MP and where Conservatives are the second-placed challenger.

The fact that the Conservatives could potentially lose up to 61 seats to Labour where the BME electorate exceeds the Conservative MP’s majority, but also gain up to 56 Labour-held seats with the support of BME communities, puts David Cameron’s party at a turning point.

The Conservative’s future is literally in the hands of Black communities. Given the rise in disproportionate BME unemployment and the shrinking of the public sector where BME workers have traditionally been concentrated, the party has its’ work cut out to increase their appeal. However the increase in MPs from a BME background will have gone some way to changing their image.

Whether Conservatives can increase their appeal to BME voters will rely on what policies they can offer in 2015.
Liberal Democrats could go a long way to consolidating their numbers in the House of Commons in 2015 if they can win over the Black vote.

They could potentially win 13 seats from the Conservatives in marginal constituencies where the BME electorate is larger than the Conservative MP's 2010 majority.

Nick Clegg’s party could also lose 21 MPs in seats where the BME electorate is larger than Lib Dem MP’s majorities (seven to Labour and 14 to the Conservatives). That means, for the Lib Dems, it is all to play for.

In addition, the Lib Dems are the second-placed challenger in 18 Labour marginals where the BME vote could decide the result.

As the Party currently have 56 MPs, these numbers represent a very significant portion of their overall representation in the House of Commons.

In the past decade the Lib Dems have previously held five seats where they are currently in second place (Guildford, Leicester South, Richmond Park, Truro & Falmouth and Winchester), and where BME voters will be instrumental to winning those back.

For the Lib Dems the outcome in 2015 general election may depend on whether they can win back some of the BME support that voted for them in 2010. That surge - nicknamed ‘Cleggmania’ - pushed the Lib Dems into touching distance in many Labour and Conservative seats but their role as the junior coalition partner may have lost some of that support.

If they are to achieve this the Lib Dems will have to break from their colourblind approach.
MPs vulnerable to BME vote

Many of the most prominent politicians represent ‘safe’ seats, some of which are regarded as safe because they enjoy the support of BME constituents. However there are a number of key figures who represent marginal seats who are particularly vulnerable to the power of the Black vote.

Perhaps the leading MP who looks most vulnerable is Labour’s Shadow Chancellor Ed Balls in Morley and Outwood. He has a tiny majority of 1,101 and 3,271 BME voters.

The majority of leading Conservatives represent safe seats however several prominent Labour figures represent marginals and will hope to win over their BME electorate, including former Labour cabinet ministers Ben Bradshaw (Exeter) and Caroline Flint (Don Valley).

Former Labour ministers Geoffrey Robinson (Coventry NW) and Vernon Coaker (Gedling) are in a similar position.

For the Liberal Democrats, Home Lib Dem Home Office minister Jeremy Browne (Taunton Deane), International Development minister Lynne Featherstone (Hornsey & Wood Green), and Deputy Leader of the House Tom Brake (Carshalton & Wallington) all need to attract the BME vote if they are to retain their seats.

The seat most vulnerable to the Black vote is Hampstead and Kilburn. Labour’s MP, Glenda Jackson, is retiring so the MP in the second most vulnerable seat - who is expected to stand again - is Conservative MP Dan Byles.

There are other constituencies where the BME electorate is significant in relation to the overall electorate while the seat is classified in this study ‘fairly safe’, including seats represented by Conservative Culture Secretary Maria Miller (Basingstoke) and Labour’s former Home Secretary Jack Straw (Blackburn).
### Seat-by-seat breakdown

#### Aberconwy
- **MP:** Guto Bebb  
  **Party:** Conservative  
  **2010 Majority:** 3,398 (Ultra Marginal)  
  **Nearest challenger:** Labour  
  **BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 892  
  **Total BME Population:** 1,219 (2.2%)  
  **Asian Voters:** 363  
  **Black Voters:** 188  
  **Largest BME:** White & Black Caribbean  
  **BME Impact:** Slight

#### Aberavon
- **MP:** Hywel Francis  
  **Party:** Labour  
  **2010 Majority:** 11,039 (Safe)  
  **Nearest challenger:** Lib Dems  
  **BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 1,168  
  **Total BME Population:** 1,596 (2.4%)  
  **Asian Voters:** 606  
  **Black Voters:** 143  
  **Largest BME:** Other Asian  
  **BME Impact:** Minimal

#### Aldridge-Brownhills
- **MP:** Richard Shepherd  
  **Party:** Conservative  
  **2010 Majority:** 15,266 (Very Safe)  
  **Nearest challenger:** Labour  
  **BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 3,870  
  **Total BME Population:** 5,289 (6.9%)  
  **Asian Voters:** 2,303  
  **Black Voters:** 1,097  
  **Largest BME:** Indian  
  **BME Impact:** Slight

#### Altrincham and Sale
- **MP:** Graham Brady  
  **Party:** Conservative  
  **2010 Majority:** 11,595 (Safe)  
  **Nearest challenger:** Lib Dems  
  **BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 6,762  
  **Total BME Population:** 9,240 (9.8%)  
  **Asian Voters:** 3,695  
  **Black Voters:** 1,327  
  **Largest BME:** Indian  
  **BME Impact:** Significant

#### Alyn and Deeside
- **MP:** Mark Tami  
  **Party:** Labour  
  **2010 Majority:** 2,919 (Marginal)  
  **Nearest challenger:** Conservative  
  **BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 1,076  
  **Total BME Population:** 1,471 (1.8%)  
  **Asian Voters:** 546  
  **Black Voters:** 223  
  **Largest BME:** Chinese  
  **BME Impact:** Significant

#### Amber Valley
- **MP:** Nigel Mills  
  **Party:** Conservative  
  **2010 Majority:** 536 (Ultra Marginal)  
  **Nearest challenger:** Labour  
  **BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 1,036  
  **Total BME Population:** 1,416 (1.6%)  
  **Asian Voters:** 430  
  **Black Voters:** 387  
  **Largest BME:** White & Black Caribbean  
  **BME Impact:** Very Significant

#### Arfon
- **MP:** Hywel Williams  
  **Party:** Plaid Cymru  
  **2010 Majority:** 1,455 (Ultra Marginal)  
  **Nearest challenger:** Labour  
  **BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 2,500  
  **Total BME Population:** 3,417 (5.6%)  
  **Asian Voters:** 901  
  **Black Voters:** 334  
  **Largest BME:** Chinese  
  **BME Impact:** Very Significant

#### Ashford
- **MP:** Damien Green  
  **Party:** Conservative  
  **2010 Majority:** 17,297 (Ultra Safe)  
  **Nearest challenger:** Lib Dems  
  **BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 5,376  
  **Total BME Population:** 7,346 (6.5%)  
  **Asian Voters:** 2,945  
  **Black Voters:** 1,560  
  **Largest BME:** African  
  **BME Impact:** Fair

#### Ashfield
- **MP:** David Heyes  
  **Party:** Labour  
  **2010 Majority:** 9,094 (Fairly Safe)  
  **Nearest challenger:** Conservative  
  **BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 8,376  
  **Total BME Population:** 11,445 (12.6%)  
  **Asian Voters:** 6,305  
  **Black Voters:** 1,401  
  **Largest BME:** Pakistani  
  **BME Impact:** Significant

#### Ashton-under-Lyne
- **MP:** Gloria De Piero  
  **Party:** Labour  
  **2010 Majority:** 192 (Ultra Marginal)  
  **Nearest challenger:** Lib Dems  
  **BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 1,523  
  **Total BME Population:** 2,082 (2.0%)  
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### Beaconsfield
**MP:** Dominic Grieve*
**Party:** Conservative
**2010 Majority:** 21,782 (Ultra Safe)
**Nearest challenger:** Lib Dems
**BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 9,054
**Total BME Population:** 12,371 (12.4%)
**Asian Voters:** 6,327
**Black Voters:** 1,368
**Largest BME:** Indian
**BME Impact:** Fairly Significant

### Beckenham
**MP:** Bob Stewart
**Party:** Conservative
**2010 Majority:** 17,784 (Safe)
**Nearest challenger:** Lib Dems
**BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 8,475
**Total BME Population:** 11,580 (13.3%)
**Asian Voters:** 3,353
**Black Voters:** 3,414
**Largest BME:** Indian
**BME Impact:** Significant

### Bedford
**MP:** Richard Fuller
**Party:** Conservative
**2010 Majority:** 1,353 (Ultra Marginal)
**Nearest challenger:** Labour
**BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 18,916
**Total BME Population:** 25,846 (25.6%)
**Asian Voters:** 11,610
**Black Voters:** 5,576
**Largest BME:** Indian
**BME Impact:** Very Significant

### Berm’sy & Old Southwark
**MP:** Simon Hughes
**Party:** Lib Dems
**2010 Majority:** 8,530 (Fairly Safe)
**Nearest challenger:** Labour
**BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 38,471
**Total BME Population:** 52,566 (41.5%)
**Asian Voters:** 8,499
**Black Voters:** 21,206
**Largest BME:** African
**BME Impact:** Very Significant

### Berwick-upon-Tweed
**MP:** Sir Alan Beith
**Party:** Lib Dems
**2010 Majority:** 2,690 (Marginal)
**Nearest challenger:** Lib Dems
**BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 746
**Total BME Population:** 1,020 (1.3%)
**Asian Voters:** 344
**Black Voters:** 231
**Largest BME:** Indian
**BME Impact:** Slight

### Bethnal Green & Bow
**MP:** Rushanara Ali
**Party:** Labour
**2010 Majority:** 11,574 (Fairly Safe)
**Nearest challenger:** Lib Dems
**BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 48,675
**Total BME Population:** 66,508 (53.1%)
**Asian Voters:** 36,168
**Black Voters:** 7,593
**Largest BME:** Bangladeshi
**BME Impact:** Very Significant

### Beverley & Holderness
**MP:** Gisela Stuart
**Party:** Conservative
**2010 Majority:** 12,987 (Very Safe)
**Nearest challenger:** Lib Dems
**BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 1,096
**Total BME Population:** 1,498 (1.5%)
**Asian Voters:** 524
**Black Voters:** 286
**Largest BME:** Other Asian
**BME Impact:** Minimal

### Bexhill & Battle
**MP:** Greg Barker
**Party:** Conservative
**2010 Majority:** 12,880 (Very Safe)
**Nearest challenger:** Lib Dems
**BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 2,075
**Total BME Population:** 2,836 (2.8%)
**Asian Voters:** 1,038
**Black Voters:** 517
**Largest BME:** Other Asian
**BME Impact:** Minimal

### Bexleyheath & Crayford
**MP:** David Evennett
**Party:** Conservative
**2010 Majority:** 10,344 (Safe)
**Nearest challenger:** Labour
**BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 13,955 (15.9%)
**Asian Voters:** 3,756
**Black Voters:** 5,060
**Largest BME:** African
**BME Impact:** Significant

### Birkenhead
**MP:** Frank Field
**Party:** Labour
**2010 Majority:** 15,395 (Very Safe)
**Nearest challenger:** Conservative
**BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 2,715
**Total BME Population:** 3,710 (4.2%)
**Asian Voters:** 1,356
**Black Voters:** 554
**Largest BME:** Indian
**BME Impact:** Minimal

### Birmingham Edgbaston
**MP:** Gisela Stuart
**Party:** Labour
**2010 Majority:** 1,274 (Ultra Marginal)
**Nearest challenger:** Conservative
**BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 22,142
**Total BME Population:** 30,254 (31.3%)
**Asian Voters:** 11,136
**Black Voters:** 7,415
**Largest BME:** Indian
**BME Impact:** Very Significant

### Birmingham Erdington
**MP:** Jack Dromey
**Party:** Labour
**2010 Majority:** 3,277 (Marginal)
**Nearest challenger:** Conservative
**BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure:** 19,262
**Total BME Population:** 26,320 (26.9%)
**Asian Voters:** 7,543
**Black Voters:** 10,036
**Largest BME:** Caribbean
**BME Impact:** Very Significant
Birmingham Hall Green
MP: Roger Godsiff
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 3,799 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 54,690
Majority Seat: BME Voters 61.3%
Total BME Population: 74,726 (64.5%)
Asian Voters: 42,465
Black Voters: 6,657
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Birmingham Hodge Hill
MP: Liam Byrne**
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 10,302 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 57,291
Majority Seat: BME Voters 61.1%
Total BME Population: 78,281 (64.3%)
Asian Voters: 44,961
Black Voters: 9,615
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Birmingham Ladywood
MP: Shabana Mahmood
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 10,105 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 67,380
Majority Seat: BME Voters 70%
Total BME Population: 92,065 (72.7%)
Asian Voters: 35,479
Black Voters: 24,195
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Birmingham Northfield
MP: Richard Burden
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 2,782 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 10,508
Total BME Population: 14,358 (14.4%)
Asian Voters: 3,174
Black Voters: 5,624
Largest BME: White & Black Caribbean
BME Impact: Very Significant

Birmingham Perry Barr
MP: Khalid Mahmood
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 11,908 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 47,282
Majority Seat: BME Voters 57%
Total BME Population: 64,604 (60.3%)
Asian Voters: 30,455
Black Voters: 13,885
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Birmingham Selly Oak
MP: Steve McCabe
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 3,482 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 17,084
Total BME Population: 23,344 (22.4%)
Asian Voters: 9,036
Black Voters: 5,315
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Birmingham Yardley
MP: John Hemming
Party: Lib Dems
2010 Majority: 3,002 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 26,843
Total BME Population: 36,678 (34.4%)
Asian Voters: 19,026
Black Voters: 5,991
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Bishop Auckland
MP: Helen Goodman
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 5,218 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 794
Total BME Population: 1,085 (1.2%)
Asian Voters: 349
Black Voters: 232
Largest BME: White & Black Caribbean
BME Impact: Minimal

Blackburn
MP: Jack Straw**
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 9,856 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 31,971
Total BME Population: 43,684 (40.7%)
Asian Voters: 29,719
Black Voters: 854
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Blackley & Broughton
MP: Graham Stringer
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 12,303 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 25,903
Total BME Population: 35,394 (32%)
Asian Voters: 12,867
Black Voters: 11,663 (10.6%)
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Blackpool N & Cleverleys
MP: Paul Maynard
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 2,150 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,673
Total BME Population: 2,287 (2.7%)
Asian Voters: 839
Black Voters: 444
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Significant

Blackpool South
MP: Gordon Marsden
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 1,852 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,028
Total BME Population: 2,772 (3.4%)
Asian Voters: 901
Black Voters: 575
Largest BME: White & Black Caribbean
BME Impact: Very Significant
Blaenau Gwent
MP: Nick Smith  
Party: Labour  
2010 Majority: 10,516 (Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 778  
Total BME Population: 1,064 (1.5%)  
Asian Voters: 343  
Black Voters: 215  
Largest BME: Indian  
BME Impact: Minimal

Blyth Valley
MP: Ronnie Campbell  
Party: Labour  
2010 Majority: 6,668 (Fairly Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 807  
Total BME Population: 1,103 (1.3%)  
Asian Voters: 446  
Black Voters: 180  
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Asian Voters: 446  
Black Voters: 180  
Largest BME: Indian  
BME Impact: Minimal

Blaydon
MP: Dave Anderson  
Party: Labour  
2010 Majority: 9,117 (Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 1,162  
Total BME Population: 1,589 (1.8%)  
Asian Voters: 551  
Black Voters: 286  
Largest BME: Indian  
BME Impact: Minimal

Bolsover
MP: Dennis Skinner  
Party: Labour  
2010 Majority: 11,182 (Very Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Conservative  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 1,348  
Total BME Population: 1,842 (1.9%)  
Asian Voters: 575  
Black Voters: 535  
Largest BME: Indian  
BME Impact: Minimal

Bolton North East
MP: David Crausby  
Party: Labour  
2010 Majority: 4,084 (Marginal)  
Nearest challenger: Conservative  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 12,182  
Total BME Population: 16,645 (17.5%)  
Asian Voters: 9,175  
Black Voters: 1,923  
Largest BME: Indian  
BME Impact: Very Significant

Bolton South West
MP: Nick Gibb  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 13,063 (Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 2,456  
Total BME Population: 3,356 (3.4%)  
Asian Voters: 1,270  
Black Voters: 649  
Largest BME: Other Asian  
BME Impact: Minimal

Bolton West
MP: Julie Hiling  
Party: Labour  
2010 Majority: 21,181 (Ultra Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 778  
Total BME Population: 2,368 (2.4%)  
Asian Voters: 520  
Black Voters: 610  
Largest BME: Chinese  
BME Impact: Minimal

Bosworth
MP: David Tredinnick  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 5,032 (Fairly Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 2,280  
Total BME Population: 3,116 (3.2%)  
Asian Voters: 1,388  
Black Voters: 476  
Largest BME: Indian  
BME Impact: Significant

Bournemouth East
MP: Mark Simmonds  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 12,426 (Very Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Labour  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 2,045  
Total BME Population: 2,795 (2.7%)  
Asian Voters: 916  
Black Voters: 628  
Largest BME: Indian  
BME Impact: Minimal

Bournemouth East
MP: Tobias Ellwood  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 7,728 (Fairly Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
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Bognor Regis & L’hampton
MP: Yasmin Qureshi  
Party: Labour  
2010 Majority: 8,634 (Fairly Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Conservative  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 20,113  
Total BME Population: 27,482 (27%)  
Asian Voters: 16,303  
Black Voters: 2,410  
Largest BME: Indian  
BME Impact: Very Significant

Bootle
MP: Joe Benton  
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Black Voters: 1,495  
Largest BME: Other Asian  
BME Impact: Significant
Bournemouth West
MP: Conor Burns
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 5,583 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 5,282
Total BME Population: 7,218 (7.3%)
Asian Voters: 2,388
Black Voters: 1,187
Largest BME: Other Asian (1.4%)
BME Impact: Significant

Bracknell
MP: Phillip Lee
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 15,704 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 6,955
Total BME Population: 9,504 (9.1%)
Asian Voters: 3,855
Black Voters: 2,071
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Significant

Bradford East
MP: David Ward
Party: Lib Dems
2010 Majority: 365 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 39,063
Total BME Population: 53,374 (46.9%)
Asian Voters: 33,631
Black Voters: 3,155
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Brentford & Isleworth
MP: Mary Macleod
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 1,958 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 39,751
Total BME Population: 54,314 (42.2%)
Asian Voters: 26,581
Black Voters: 7,380
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Brentwood & Ongar
MP: Eric Pickles
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 16,921 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 3,963
Total BME Population: 5,416 (5.8%)
Asian Voters: 2,004
Black Voters: 1,167
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Slight

Brecon & Radnorshire
MP: Roger Williams
Party: Lib Dems
2010 Majority: 3,747 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,038
Total BME Population: 1,419 (2.1%)
Asian Voters: 667
Black Voters: 158
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Fair

Brent Central
MP: Sarah Teather
Party: Lib Dems
2010 Majority: 1,345 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 61,609
Majority Seat: BME Voters 57.9%
Total BME Population: 84,180 (61.2%)
Asian Voters: 24,186
Black Voters: 28,591
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

Braintree
MP: Brooks Newmark
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 16,121 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,379
Total BME Population: 3,251 (3.3%)
Asian Voters: 1,050
Black Voters: 755
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Minimal

Brentford South
MP: Gerry Sutcliffe
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 4,622 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 15,713
Total BME Population: 21,470 (21.1%)
Asian Voters: 11,565
Black Voters: 2,789
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Bradford West
MP: Marsha Singh
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 5,763 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 52,843
Majority Seat: BME Voters 59.6%
Total BME Population: 72,203 (62.9%)
Asian Voters: 46,315
Black Voters: 3,190
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Bridgend
MP: Madeleine Moon
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 2,263 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,645
Total BME Population: 2,249 (2.8%)
Asian Voters: 828
Black Voters: 365
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Significant

Bromley & Chislehurst
MP: John Levy
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 4,762 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 4,381
Total BME Population: 6,493 (6.9%)
Asian Voters: 2,412
Black Voters: 1,294
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Minimal

Buckingham
MP: John Bickley
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 15,932 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,797
Total BME Population: 4,119 (4.3%)
Asian Voters: 1,053
Black Voters: 310
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Minimal
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Changing Face of England & Wales
Buckingham  
**MP:** John Bercow*  
**Party:** None (Speaker)  
2010 Majority: 12,529 (Ultra Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Independent  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 3,064  
Total BME Population: 4,187 (4.3%)  
Asian Voters: 1,411  
Black Voters: 994  
Largest BME: White & Asian  
BME Impact: Slight

Burnley  
**MP:** Gordon Birtwistle  
**Party:** Lib Dems  
2010 Majority: 1,818 (Ultra Marginal)  
Nearest challenger: Labour  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 8,054  
Total BME Population: 11,005 (12.6%)  
Asian Voters: 7,159  
Black Voters: 387  
Largest BME: Pakistani  
BME Impact: Very Significant

Burton  
**MP:** Andrew Griffiths  
**Party:** Conservative  
2010 Majority: 6,304 (Marginal)  
Nearest challenger: Labour  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 7,776  
Total BME Population: 10,626 (10.3%)  
Asian Voters: 5,761  
Black Voters: 1,351  
Largest BME: Pakistani  
BME Impact: Very Significant

Bury North  
**MP:** David Nuttall  
**Party:** Conservative  
2010 Majority: 2,243 (Ultra Marginal)  
Nearest challenger: Labour  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 7,599  
Total BME Population: 10,383 (11.9%)  
Asian Voters: 5,796  
Black Voters: 1,023  
Largest BME: Pakistani  
BME Impact: Very Significant

Bury South  
**MP:** Ivan Lewis**  
**Party:** Labour  
2010 Majority: 3,292 (Marginal)  
Nearest challenger: Conservative  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 7,058  
Total BME Population: 9,645 (9.9%)  
Asian Voters: 3,946  
Black Voters: 1,643  
Largest BME: Pakistani  
BME Impact: Very Significant

Bury St Edmunds  
**MP:** David Ruffley  
**Party:** Conservative  
2010 Majority: 12,380 (Very Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,686  
Total BME Population: 3,671 (3.2%)  
Asian Voters: 1,168  
Black Voters: 895  
Largest BME: Other Asian  
BME Impact: Fair

Caerphilly  
**MP:** Wayne David  
**Party:** Labour  
2010 Majority: 10,755 (Very Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Conservative  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,208  
Total BME Population: 1,651 (1.9%)  
Asian Voters: 496  
Black Voters: 341  
Largest BME: Chinese  
BME Impact: Minimal

Camborne & Redruth  
**MP:** George Eustice  
**Party:** Conservative  
2010 Majority: 66 (Ultra Marginal)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,075  
Total BME Population: 1,470 (1.7%)  
Asian Voters: 426  
Black Voters: 307  
Largest BME: White & Asian  
BME Impact: Very Significant

Cambridge  
**MP:** Julian Huppert  
**Party:** Lib Dems  
2010 Majority: 6,792 (Marginal)  
Nearest challenger: Conservative  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 14,631  
Total BME Population: 19,992 (17.4%)  
Asian Voters: 7,101  
Black Voters: 2,284  
Largest BME: Chinese  
BME Impact: Very Significant

Camberwell & Peckham  
**MP:** Harriet Harman**  
**Party:** Labour  
2010 Majority: 17,187 (Ultra Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 50,552  
Majority Seat: BME Voters 51.7%  
Total BME Population: 69,072 (55.2%)  
Asian Voters: 5,950  
Black Voters: 37,806  
Largest BME: African  
BME Impact: Very Significant

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Ceredigion
MP: Mark Williams
Party: Lib Dems
2010 Majority: 8,324 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,814
Total BME Population: 2,479 (3.3%)
Asian Voters: 752
Black Voters: 394
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Slight

Charnwood
MP: Stephen Dorrell**
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 15,029 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 8,064
Total BME Population: 11,019 (11.6%)
Asian Voters: 6,547
Black Voters: 823
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Chatham & Aylesford
MP: Tracey Crouch
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 6,069 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 4,441
Total BME Population: 8,236 (8.5%)
Asian Voters: 2,723
Black Voters: 2,401
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Chelmsford
MP: Simon Burns
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 5,110 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 5,912
Total BME Population: 8,079 (7.7%)
Asian Voters: 2,889
Black Voters: 1,883
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Chelsea & Fulham
MP: Greg Hands
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 16,722 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 17,543
Total BME Population: 23,970 (22.7%)
Asian Voters: 5,819
Black Voters: 5,874
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Cheltenham
MP: Martin Horwood
Party: Lib Dems
2010 Majority: 4,920 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 4,474
Total BME Population: 6,114 (5.8%)
Asian Voters: 2,350
Black Voters: 1,023
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Significant

Chesterfield
MP: Toby Perkins
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 549 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,465
Total BME Population: 3,369 (3.6%)
Asian Voters: 1,037
Black Voters: 950
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Chichester
MP: Andrew Tyrie
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 15,877 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,408
Total BME Population: 3,291 (3.2%)
Asian Voters: 1,140
Black Voters: 649
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Minimal

Chingford & Woodford Gn
MP: Iain Duncan Smith*
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 12,963 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 17,062
Total BME Population: 23,314 (26.4%)
Asian Voters: 6,866
Black Voters: 7,328
Largest BME: Caribbean
BME Impact: Very Significant

Chesapeake & N Ipswich
MP: Daniel Poulter
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 13,786 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 3,092
Total BME Population: 4,226 (4.3%)
Asian Voters: 1,177
Black Voters: 1,247
Largest BME: White & Black Caribbean
BME Impact: Slight

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<td>Mark Field</td>
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<td>11,076 (Safe)</td>
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<td>2,583 (Ultra Marginal)</td>
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Croydon Central
MP: Jason McCartney
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 4,837 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 10,012
Total BME Population: 13,681 (12.5%)
Asian Voters: 6,886
Black Voters: 2,250
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Corby
MP: Louise Mench (nee Bagshawe)†
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 1,895 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,956
Total BME Population: 4,039 (3.7%)
Asian Voters: 1,064
Black Voters: 1,332
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

Coventry North East
MP: Bob Ainsworth**
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 11,775 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 26,654
Total BME Population: 36,420 (33%)
Asian Voters: 17,000
Black Voters: 7,377
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Croydon North
MP: Malcolm Wicks†
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 16,481 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 64,551
Total BME Population: 88,200 (64.8%)
Majority Seat: BME Voters 61.6%
Asian Voters: 23,619
Black Voters: 35,772
Largest BME: Caribbean
BME Impact: Very Significant

Croydon South
MP: Gavin Barwell
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 2,879 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 32,389
Total BME Population: 44,256 (38.6%)
Asian Voters: 10,664
Black Voters: 18,182
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

Crewe & Nantwich
MP: Edward Timpson
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 6,046 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,885
Total BME Population: 3,942 (3.7%)
Asian Voters: 1,207
Black Voters: 1,071
Largest BME: White & Black Caribbean
BME Impact: Significant

Crawley
MP: Henry Smith
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 5,928 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 15,674
Total BME Population: 21,417 (20.1%)
Asian Voters: 10,401
Black Voters: 7,377
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Croydon Central
MP: Fiona Bruce
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 7,063 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,219
Total BME Population: 1,666 (1.8%)
Asian Voters: 578
Black Voters: 289
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Minimal

Croydon North
MP: Richard Ottaway
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 15,818 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 22,488
Total BME Population: 30,727 (27.3%)
Asian Voters: 10,245
Black Voters: 9,171
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Croydon South
MP: Jamie Reed
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 3,833 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 949
Total BME Population: 1,297 (1.6%)
Asian Voters: 493
Black Voters: 208
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Fair

Crewe & Nantwich
MP: Fiona Bruce
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 3,867 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,956
Total BME Population: 4,039 (3.7%)
Asian Voters: 1,064
Black Voters: 1,332
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

Coventry North East
MP: Louise Mench (nee Bagshawe)†
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 1,175 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 26,654
Total BME Population: 36,420 (33%)
Asian Voters: 17,000
Black Voters: 7,377
Largest BME: Other Asian
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Doncaster Central
MP: Rosie Winterton
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 6,229 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 6,777
Total BME Population: 2,849 (2.9%)
Asian Voters: 3,845
Black Voters: 1,686
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Doncaster North
MP: Ed Miliband**
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 10,909 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 1,629
Total BME Population: 2,226 (2.3%)
Asian Voters: 598
Black Voters: 668
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Minimal

Don Valley
MP: Caroline Flint**
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 3,595 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 2,085
Total BME Population: 2,849 (2.9%)
Asian Voters: 949
Black Voters: 711
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Significant

Dover
MP: Charlie Elphicke
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 5,274 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 2,423
Total BME Population: 3,312 (3.4%)
Asian Voters: 1,404
Black Voters: 521
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Significant

Dudley North
MP: Ian Austin
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 10,909 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 8,624
Total BME Population: 11,784 (14.5%)
Asian Voters: 5,318
Black Voters: 2,745
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Dudley South
MP: Chris Kelly
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 3,856 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 4,476
Total BME Population: 6,116 (7.7%)
Asian Voters: 1,960
Black Voters: 1,351
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Dulwich & W Norwood
MP: Tessa Jowell**
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 9,365 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 37,618
Total BME Population: 44,860 (40.6%)
Asian Voters: 5,506
Black Voters: 27,105
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

Dwyfor Meirionnydd
MP: Elfyn Llwyd
Party: Plaid Cymru
2010 Majority: 6,367 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 741
Total BME Population: 484 (1.4%)
Asian Voters: 306
Black Voters: 245 (0.4%)
Largest BME: White & Asian
BME Impact: Minimal

Ealing Central & Acton
MP: Angie Bray
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 3,716 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 36,745
Total BME Population: 43,819 (36.7%)
Asian Voters: 15,623
Black Voters: 10,888
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Ealing North
MP: Steven Pound
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 9,301 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 50,911
Total BME Population: 60,712 (50.1%)
Asian Voters: 27,023
Black Voters: 15,274
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Ealing Southall
MP: Virendra Sharma
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 9,291 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 57,107
Total BME Population: 68,100 (69.6%)
Majority Seat: BME Voters 66.6%
Asian Voters: 42,016
Black Voters: 9,718
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Easington
MP: Grahame Morris
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 14,982 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 904
Total BME Population: 1,079 (1.3%)
Asian Voters: 472
Black Voters: 212
Largest BME: Indian
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Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 15,504 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,425
Total BME Population: 1,947 (2.0%)
Asian Voters: 512
Black Voters: 497
Largest BME: White & Black Caribbean
BME Impact: Minimal

Hammersmith
MP: Andrew Slaughter
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 3,549 (Fairly Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 31,739
Total BME Population: 43,367 (36.7%)
Asian Voters: 8,559
Black Voters: 14,485
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

Hampstead & Kilburn
MP: Glenda Jackson
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 42 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 32,802
Total BME Population: 44,819 (34.5%)
Asian Voters: 12,491
Black Voters: 11,764
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

Harborough
MP: Edward Garnier
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 9,797 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 6,819
Total BME Population: 17,230 (17.1%)
Asian Voters: 10,220
Black Voters: 1,141
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Harlow
MP: Robert Halfon
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 4,925 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 3,192
Total BME Population: 9,317 (10.1%)
Asian Voters: 2,514
Black Voters: 3,056
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

Harrow & Knaresb’
MP: Andrew Jones
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 1,039 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 3,192
Total BME Population: 4,361 (4.3%)
Asian Voters: 1,268
Black Voters: 1,009
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Harrow East
MP: Bob Blackman
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 3,403 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 46,114
Total BME Population: 63,049 (60.8%)
Majority Seat: BME Voters 57.4%
Asian Voters: 34,284
Black Voters: 7,338
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Harrow West
MP: Gareth Thomas
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 3,143 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 45,629
Total BME Population: 62,346 (59.9%)
Majority Seat: BME Voters 56.5%
Asian Voters: 33,060
Black Voters: 8,372
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Hartlepool
MP: Iain Wright
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 5,509 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,558
Total BME Population: 2,129 (2.3%)
Asian Voters: 913
Black Voters: 296
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Fair

Harwich & N Essex
MP: Bernard Jenkin
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 11,447 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,545
Total BME Population: 3,477 (3.8%)
Asian Voters: 929
Black Voters: 695
Largest BME: Chinese
BME Impact: Slight

Hastings & Rye
MP: Amber Rudd
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 1,993 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 4,399
Total BME Population: 6,010 (5.6%)
Asian Voters: 1,833
Black Voters: 1,495
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Havant
MP: David Willetts*
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 12,160 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,978
Total BME Population: 2,703 (2.9%)
Asian Voters: 920
Black Voters: 603
Largest BME: White & Asian
BME Impact: Minimal
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Llanelli
MP: Nia Griffith
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 4,701 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Plaid Cymru
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,221
Total BME Population: 5,353 (5.9%)
Asian Voters: 695
Black Voters: 232
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Slight

Loughborough
MP: Nicky Morgan
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 3,744 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 9,446
Total BME Population: 12,907 (13%)
Asian Voters: 6,200
Black Voters: 1,203
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Luton North
MP: Kelvin Hopkins
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 7,520 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 32,672
Total BME Population: 44,642 (45.1%)
Asian Voters: 21,137
Black Voters: 9,777
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Luton South
MP: Gavin Shuker
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 2,329 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 34,923
Total BME Population: 47,717 (43.3%)
Asian Voters: 23,775
Black Voters: 8,343
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Maidstone & the Weald
MP: Helen Grant*
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 5,889 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 5,024
Total BME Population: 6,864 (6.9%)
Asian Voters: 3,014
Black Voters: 1,168
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Significant

Maidenhead
MP: Theresa May*
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 16,769 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 9,667
Total BME Population: 13,209 (13%)
Asian Voters: 7,185
Black Voters: 865
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Significant

Makerfield
MP: Yvonne Fovargue
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 12,490 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,361
Total BME Population: 1,859 (1.9%)
Asian Voters: 569
Black Voters: 522
Largest BME: White & Black Caribbean
BME Impact: Minimal

Maldon
MP: John Whittingdale
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 19,407 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,645
Total BME Population: 2,248 (2.5%)
Asian Voters: 766
Black Voters: 490
Largest BME: White & Asian
BME Impact: Minimal
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North Shropshire
MP: Owen Paterson  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 15,828 (Very Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 1,393  
Total BME Population: 1,904 (1.8%)  
Asian Voters: 607  
Black Voters: 399  
Largest BME: Chinese  
BME Impact: Minimal

North Somerset
MP: Liam Fox*  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 7,862 (Fairly Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 1,633  
Total BME Population: 2,231 (2.3%)  
Asian Voters: 802  
Black Voters: 428  
Largest BME: White & Asian  
BME Impact: Slight

North Swindon
MP: Justin Tomlinson  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 13,528 (Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Labour  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 2,424  
Total BME Population: 7,849 (6.3%)  
Asian Voters: 2,501  
Black Voters: 2,188  
Largest BME: Indian  
BME Impact: Fair

North Thanet
MP: Roger Gale  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 13,528 (Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Labour  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 2,424  
Total BME Population: 3,312 (3.5%)  
Asian Voters: 1,075  
Black Voters: 765  
Largest BME: Indian  
BME Impact: Minimal

North Tyneside
MP: Mary Glindon  
Party: Labour  
2010 Majority: 12,884 (Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 747  
Total BME Population: 1,020 (1.1%)  
Asian Voters: 353  
Black Voters: 190  
Largest BME: White & Asian  
BME Impact: Minimal

North Warwickshire
MP: Dan Byles  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 54 (Ultra Marginal)  
Nearest challenger: Labour  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 2,405  
Total BME Population: 3,286 (3.3%)  
Asian Voters: 1,147  
Black Voters: 728  
Largest BME: White & Asian  
BME Impact: Minimal

N W Cambridgeshire
MP: Shailesh Vara  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 16,677 (Very Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 5,744  
Total BME Population: 7,849 (6.3%)  
Asian Voters: 2,501  
Black Voters: 2,188  
Largest BME: Indian  
BME Impact: Fair

North West Durham
MP: Pat Glass  
Party: Labour  
2010 Majority: 7,612 (Fairly Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 747  
Total BME Population: 1,020 (1.1%)  
Asian Voters: 353  
Black Voters: 190  
Largest BME: White & Asian  
BME Impact: Minimal

North West Hampshire
MP: Sir George Young  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 18,583 (Ultra Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 2,405  
Total BME Population: 3,286 (3.3%)  
Asian Voters: 1,147  
Black Voters: 728  
Largest BME: White & Asian  
BME Impact: Minimal

N W Leicestershire
MP: Andrew Bridgen  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 7,511 (Fairly Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Labour  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 1,669  
Total BME Population: 2,281 (2.4%)  
Asian Voters: 877  
Black Voters: 455  
Largest BME: Indian  
BME Impact: Slight

North West Norfolk
MP: Henry Bellingham  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 14,810 (Very Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 2,134  
Total BME Population: 2,916 (3.1%)  
Asian Voters: 1,056  
Black Voters: 546  
Largest BME: Indian  
BME Impact: Minimal

North Wiltshire
MP: James Gray  
Party: Conservative  
2010 Majority: 7,483 (Fairly Safe)  
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems  
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted  
Figure: 2,052  
Total BME Population: 2,804 (3.2%)  
Asian Voters: 973  
Black Voters: 651  
Largest BME: White & Asian  
BME Impact: Slight
Northampton North
MP: Michael Ellis
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 1,936 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 9,354
Total BME Population: 12,781 (14.8%)
Asian Voters: 3,555
Black Voters: 4,542
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

Northampton South
MP: Brian Binley
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 6,004 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 12,052
Total BME Population: 16,467 (17.6%)
Asian Voters: 4,967
Black Voters: 5,450
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

Norwich North
MP: Chloe Smith
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 3,901 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,921
Total BME Population: 3,991 (4.6%)
Asian Voters: 1,227
Black Voters: 1,740
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Norwich South
MP: Simon Wright
Party: Lib Dems
2010 Majority: 310 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 7,066
Total BME Population: 9,655 (10%)
Asian Voters: 3,027
Black Voters: 1,795
Largest BME: White & Black Caribbean
BME Impact: Very Significant

Nottingham East
MP: Chris Leslie
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 6,969 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 14,439
Total BME Population: 19,729 (20.3%)
Asian Voters: 11,680
Black Voters: 9,487
Largest BME: White & Black Caribbean
BME Impact: Very Significant

Old Bexley & Sidcup
MP: James Brokenshire
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 15,857 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 6,952
Total BME Population: 9,499 (11%)
Asian Voters: 3,155
Black Voters: 2,328
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Significant

Oldham E & Saddleworth
MP: Phil Woolas
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 103 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 22,480
Total BME Population: 30,715 (29.9%)
Asian Voters: 20,049
Black Voters: 1,749
Largest BME: Bangladeshi
BME Impact: Very Significant

Ogmore
MP: Haw Irranca-Davies
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 13,246 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 854
Total BME Population: 11,555 (1.5%)
Asian Voters: 343
Black Voters: 9,487
Largest BME: Pakistan
BME Impact: Minimal

Oldham W & Royton
MP: Michael Meacher
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 9,352 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 22,480
Total BME Population: 30,715 (29.9%)
Asian Voters: 20,049
Black Voters: 1,749
Largest BME: Bangladeshi
BME Impact: Very Significant
Orpington
MP: Jo Johnson
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 17,200 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 6,508
Total BME Population: 8,892 (10%)
Asian Voters: 2,270
Black Voters: 2,584
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Significant

Oxford East
MP: Andrew Smith
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 4,581 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 21,332
Total BME Population: 29,147 (24.1%)
Asian Voters: 10,974
Black Voters: 6,370
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Oxford W & Abingdon
MP: Nicola Blackwood
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 176 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 7,764
Total BME Population: 10,608 (10%)
Asian Voters: 3,792
Black Voters: 1,620
Largest BME: Chinese
BME Impact: Very Significant

Pendle
MP: Andrew Stephenson
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 3,585 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 13,185
Total BME Population: 18,015 (20.1%)
Asian Voters: 12,533
Black Voters: 242
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Significant

Penistone & Stocksbridge
MP: Angela Smith
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 3,049 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,476
Total BME Population: 2,017 (2.3%)
Asian Voters: 545
Black Voters: 551
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Penrith & The Border
MP: Rory Stewart
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 11,241 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 618
Total BME Population: 845 (1.0%)
Asian Voters: 302
Black Voters: 129
Largest BME: White & Asian
BME Impact: Minimal

Peterborough
MP: Stewart Jackson
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 4,861 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 19,050
Total BME Population: 26,029 (22.6%)
Asian Voters: 14,169
Black Voters: 3,020
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Significant

Plymouth Moor View
MP: Alison Seabeck
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 1,588 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,674
Total BME Population: 2,287 (2.5%)
Asian Voters: 738
Black Voters: 534
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Plymouth Sut’ & D’port
MP: Oliver Colvile
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 1,149 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 4,938
Total BME Population: 6,747 (6.1%)
Asian Voters: 1,726
Black Voters: 1,510
Largest BME: Chinese
BME Impact: Very Significant

Pontypridd
MP: Owen Smith
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 2,785 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,218
Total BME Population: 3,030 (3.8%)
Asian Voters: 886
Black Voters: 708
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Significant

Poole
MP: Robert Syms
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 7,541 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 3,058
Total BME Population: 4,178 (4.4%)
Asian Voters: 1,716
Black Voters: 574
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Significant

Poplar & Limehouse
MP: Jim Fitzpatrick
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 6,030 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 53,258
Total BME Population: 72,769 (56.5%)
Majority Seat: BME Voters: 50.9%
Asian Voters: 36,545
Black Voters: 9,221
Largest BME: Bangladeshi
BME Impact: Very Significant
Portsmouth North

MP: Penny Mordaunt
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 7,289 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 4,959
Total BME Population: 6,776 (7.0%)
Asian Voters: 2,666
Black Voters: 1,309
Largest BME: Bangladeshi
BME Impact: Significant

Portsmouth South

MP: Mike Hancock++
Party: Lib Dems
2010 Majority: 5,200 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 12,514
Total BME Population: 17,098 (15.9%)
Asian Voters: 6,295
Black Voters: 2,947
Largest BME: Bangladeshi
BME Impact: Very Significant

Preseli Pembrokes’

MP: Stephen Crabb
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 4,605 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,088
Total BME Population: 1,486 (1.9%)
Asian Voters: 601
Black Voters: 231
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Slight

Preston

MP: Mark Hendrick
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 7,733 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 22,491
Total BME Population: 22,491 (23.7%)
Asian Voters: 12,561
Black Voters: 2,221
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Putney

MP: Justine Greening*
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 10,053 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 23,032
Total BME Population: 23,032 (24.7%)
Asian Voters: 6,902
Black Voters: 6,410
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Rayleigh & Wickford

MP: Mark Francois
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 22,338 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 3,226
Total BME Population: 3,226 (3.3%)
Asian Voters: 1,007
Black Voters: 845
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Minimal

Reading East

MP: Rob Wilson
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 7,605 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 19,431
Total BME Population: 26,550 (24.4%)
Asian Voters: 11,757
Black Voters: 5,073
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Reading West

MP: Alok Sharma
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 6,004 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 14,195
Total BME Population: 19,396 (19.1%)
Asian Voters: 6,533
Black Voters: 6,418
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

Redcar

MP: Ian Swales
Party: Lib Dems
2010 Majority: 5,214 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,017
Total BME Population: 1,390 (1.6%)
Asian Voters: 407
Black Voters: 273
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Slight

Redditch

MP: Karen Lumley
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 5,821 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 4,978
Total BME Population: 6,802 (7.6%)
Asian Voters: 3,062
Black Voters: 1,467
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Significant

Reigate

MP: Crispin Blunt
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 13,591 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 7,362
Total BME Population: 10,059 (10%)
Asian Voters: 4,123
Black Voters: 1,893
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Significant
Rhondda
MP: Chris Bryant**
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 11,553 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Plaid Cymru
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 981
Total BME Population: 1,341 (1.9%)
Asian Voters: 345
Black Voters: 378
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Minimal

Ribble Valley
MP: Nigel Evans*
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 14,769 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 1,724
Total BME Population: 2,356 (2.4%)
Asian Voters: 1,042
Black Voters: 389
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Minimal

Richmond (Yorks)
MP: William Hague*
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 23,336 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 2,467
Total BME Population: 3,371 (3.1%)
Asian Voters: 1,285
Black Voters: 712
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Minimal

Richmond Park
MP: Zak Goldsmith
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 4,091 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 15,697
Total BME Population: 21,447 (18.4%)
Asian Voters: 8,675
Black Voters: 2,440
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Richmond Park
MP: Simon Danczuk
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 889 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 22,510
Total BME Population: 30,756 (28.5%)
Asian Voters: 19,909
Black Voters: 1,711
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Rochdale
MP: Andrew Rosindell
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 16,954 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 9,440
Total BME Population: 12,898 (13.5%)
Asian Voters: 3,964
Black Voters: 4,150
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Significant

Rochdale
MP: James Duddridge
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 11,050 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 6,345
Total BME Population: 8,670 (8.7%)
Asian Voters: 2,516
Black Voters: 2,540
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Significant

Rochford & Southend E
MP: Jake Berry
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 4,493 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 3,042
Total BME Population: 4,157 (4.3%)
Asian Voters: 2,131
Black Voters: 398
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Significant

Rother Valley
MP: Kevin Barron
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 5,866 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 2,098
Total BME Population: 2,867 (3.0%)
Asian Voters: 1,208
Black Voters: 528
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Fair

Rotherham
MP: Denis Macshane++
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 10,462 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 8,783
Total BME Population: 12,001 (13.4%)
Asian Voters: 6,192
Black Voters: 1,413
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Significant
Rugby
MP: Mark Pawsey
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 6,000 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 6,852
Total BME Population: 9,362 (9.7%)
Asian Voters: 3,879
Black Voters: 2,204
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Ruislip N’wood & Pinner
MP: Nick Hurd
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 19,060 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 20,283
Total BME Population: 27,714 (29.6%)
Asian Voters: 15,167
Black Voters: 2,663
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Runnymede & Weyb’ge
MP: Phillip Hammond*
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 16,509 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 8,247
Total BME Population: 11,269 (11%)
Asian Voters: 4,686
Black Voters: 1,275
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Significant

Rushcliffe
MP: Ken Clarke*
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 15,811 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 5,220
Total BME Population: 7,133 (7.5%)
Asian Voters: 3,362
Black Voters: 979
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Fair

Rutland & Melton
MP: Alan Duncan*
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 14,000 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,553
Total BME Population: 3,488 (3.5%)
Asian Voters: 1,475
Black Voters: 616
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Slight

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Asian Voters: 1,475
Black Voters: 616
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Slight

Scunthorpe
MP: Hazel Blears**
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 5,725 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 3,947
Total BME Population: 5,393 (6.1%)
Asian Voters: 2,823
Black Voters: 500
Largest BME: Bangladeshi
BME Impact: Very Significant

Scarborough & Whitby
MP: John Glen
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 5,966 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,182
Total BME Population: 2,981 (3.3%)
Asian Voters: 1,197
Black Voters: 552
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Significant

Sefton Central
MP: Bill Esterson
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 3,862 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,158
Total BME Population: 1,582 (1.9%)
Asian Voters: 449
Black Voters: 309
Largest BME: Chinese
BME Impact: Fair
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Stafford
MP: Jeremy Lefroy
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 5,460 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 4,203
Total BME Population: 5,743 (6.0%)
Asian Voters: 2,084
Black Voters: 1,315
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Significant

Staffordshire Moorlands
MP: Karen Bradley
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 6,689 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 757
Total BME Population: 1,035 (1.3%)
Asian Voters: 330
Black Voters: 131
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Significant

Stalybridge & Hyde
MP: Jonathan Reynolds
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 2,744 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 4,719
Total BME Population: 6,448 (7.0%)
Asian Voters: 3,494
Black Voters: 807
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Stoke-on-Trent Central
MP: Tristram Hunt
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 5,566 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 8,989
Total BME Population: 12,282 (14.8%)
Asian Voters: 5,793
Black Voters: 1,892
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Stoke-on-Trent North
MP: Joan Walley
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 8,235 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 7,064
Total BME Population: 9,652 (10%)
Asian Voters: 4,500
Black Voters: 852
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Significant

Stoke-on-Trent South
MP: Rob Flello
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 4,130 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 4,915
Total BME Population: 6,715 (7.5%)
Asian Voters: 3,375
Black Voters: 1,063
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Stone
MP: Bill Cash
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 13,292 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 1,246
Total BME Population: 1,702 (2.0%)
Asian Voters: 594
Black Voters: 377
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Minimal

Stourbridge
MP: Margot James
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 5,164 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 5,316
Total BME Population: 7,263 (8.1%)
Asian Voters: 3,695
Black Voters: 973
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

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Torbay
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Party: Lib Dems
2010 Majority: 4,078 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 2,021
Total BME Population: 2,762 (2.8%)
Asian Voters: 749
Black Voters: 534
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Significant

Torfaen
MP: Paul Murphy
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 9,306 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 1,171
Total BME Population: 6,503 (49.9%)
Asian Voters: 9,750
Black Voters: 28,315
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

Torridge & W Devon
MP: Geoffrey Cox
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 2,957 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 967
Total BME Population: 1,321 (1.4%)
Asian Voters: 351
Black Voters: 293
Largest BME: White & Black Caribbean
BME Impact: Fair

Tottenham
MP: David Lammy**
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 16,931 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 47,208
Total BME Population: 64,503 (49.9%)
Asian Voters: 9,750
Black Voters: 28,315
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

Truro & Falmouth
MP: Sarah Newton
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 435 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted
Figure: 1,628
Total BME Population: 2,224 (2.5%)
Asian Voters: 770
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Largest BME: White & Asian
BME Impact: Very Significant

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<td>Sharon Hodgson</td>
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West Ham
MP: Lyn Brown
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 22,534 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 75,763
Total BME Population: 103,519 (65.5%)
Majority Seat: BME Voters: 62.2%
Asian Voters: 38,221
Black Voters: 29,904
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Very Significant

W Worcesthershire
MP: Harriett Baldwin
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 6,754 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,437
Total BME Population: 1,964 (2.1%)
Asian Voters: 641
Black Voters: 351
Largest BME: Chinese
BME Impact: Minimal

West Lancashire
MP: Rosie Cooper
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 4,343 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,353
Total BME Population: 1,849 (2.0%)
Asian Voters: 638
Black Voters: 383
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Fair

West Suffolk
MP: Matthew Hancock
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 13,050 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 5,135
Total BME Population: 7,016 (6.2%)
Asian Voters: 1,784
Black Voters: 2,008
Largest BME: Other Mixed
BME Impact: Significant

Weston-Super-Mare
MP: John Penrose
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 2,691 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,377
Total BME Population: 3,259 (3.1%)
Asian Voters: 1,039
Black Voters: 720
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Significant

Westminster North
MP: Karen Buck
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 2,126 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 37,350
Total BME Population: 51,033 (43.7%)
Asian Voters: 12,526
Black Voters: 10,114
Largest BME: Arab
BME Impact: Very Significant

Winchester
MP: Steve Brine
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 3,048 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 4,019
Total BME Population: 5,491 (5.6%)
Asian Voters: 2,139
Black Voters: 669
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Windsor
MP: Adam Afriyie
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 19,054 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 9,844
Total BME Population: 13,451 (13.1%)
Asian Voters: 6,352
Black Voters: 1,857
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Significant

Wirral South
MP: Alison McGovern
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 531 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,157
Total BME Population: 1,581 (2.2%)
Asian Voters: 515
Black Voters: 258
Largest BME: Chinese
BME Impact: Very Significant

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Wirral West
MP: Esther McVey
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 2,436 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,353
Total BME Population: 1,848 (2.7%)
Asian Voters: 670
Black Voters: 247
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Significant

Witham
MP: Priti Patel
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 15,196 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,949
Total BME Population: 2,663 (3.0%)
Asian Voters: 869
Black Voters: 685
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Minimal

Witney
MP: David Cameron*
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 22,740 (Ultra Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,196
Total BME Population: 3,000 (3.2%)
Asian Voters: 1,161
Black Voters: 654
Largest BME: White & Asian
BME Impact: Minimal

Woking
MP: Jonathan Lord
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 6,807 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 12,239
Total BME Population: 16,723 (15.8%)
Asian Voters: 8,578
Black Voters: 1,682
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Wokingham
MP: John Redwood*
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 13,492 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 8,458
Total BME Population: 11,557 (11.4%)
Asian Voters: 5,222
Black Voters: 1,661
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Significant

Wolverhampton N E
MP: Emma Reynolds
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 2,484 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 15,385
Total BME Population: 21,021 (23.7%)
Asian Voters: 6,208
Black Voters: 7,770
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Wolverhampton S E
MP: Pat McFadden
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 6,593 (Fairly Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 21,582
Total BME Population: 29,488 (33.4%)
Asian Voters: 13,259
Black Voters: 6,408
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Wolverhampton S W
MP: Paul Uppal
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 691 (Ultra Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 22,067
Total BME Population: 30,152 (35.5%)
Asian Voters: 14,330
Black Voters: 5,390
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Workington
MP: Tony Cunningham
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 4,575 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 585
Total BME Population: 800 (1.0%)
Asian Voters: 299
Black Voters: 138
Largest BME: White & Asian
BME Impact: Minimal

Worsley & Eccles South
MP: Barbara Keeley
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 4,337 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 4,289
Total BME Population: 5,872 (5.9%)
Asian Voters: 1,636
Black Voters: 1,618
Largest BME: African
BME Impact: Significant

Worthing West
MP: Peter Bottomley
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 11,729 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 3,408
Total BME Population: 4,656 (4.9%)
Asian Voters: 1,773
Black Voters: 902
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Fair
Wrexham
MP: Ian Lucas
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 3,658 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,231
Total BME Population: 3,049 (4.3%)
Asian Voters: 1,258
Black Voters: 493
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Significant

Wycombe
MP: Steven Baker
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 9,560 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 21,095
Total BME Population: 28,823 (26.7%)
Asian Voters: 14,154
Black Voters: 5,422
Largest BME: Pakistani
BME Impact: Very Significant

Wyre & Preston North
MP: Ben Wallace
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 15,844
Nearest challenger: Lib Dems
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 4,218
Total BME Population: 5,763 (6.5%)
Asian Voters: 3,239
Black Voters: 530
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Fair

Wyre Forest
MP: Mark Garnier
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 2,643
Nearest challenger: Independent
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,978
Total BME Population: 2,702 (2.8%)
Asian Voters: 1,096
Black Voters: 549
Largest BME: Bangladeshi
BME Impact: Significant

Wythenshawe & Sale E
MP: Paul Goggins
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 7,575 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 9,937
Total BME Population: 13,577 (12.9%)
Asian Voters: 3,987
Black Voters: 3,745
Largest BME: Indian
BME Impact: Very Significant

Yeovil
MP: David Laws*
Party: Lib Dems
2010 Majority: 13,036 (Very Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 1,686
Total BME Population: 2,303 (2.2%)
Asian Voters: 798
Black Voters: 450
Largest BME: Other Asian
BME Impact: Minimal

Ynys Mon
MP: Albert Owen
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 2,461 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Plaid Cymru
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 901
Total BME Population: 1,231 (1.8%)
Asian Voters: 379
Black Voters: 221
Largest BME: White & Asian
BME Impact: Significant

York Central
MP: Hugh Bayley
Party: Labour
2010 Majority: 6,451 (Safe)
Nearest challenger: Conservative
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 5,551
Total BME Population: 7,584 (7.3%)
Asian Voters: 2,601
Black Voters: 1,036
Largest BME: Chinese / Other Asian
BME Impact: Significant

York Outer
MP: Julian Sturdy
Party: Conservative
2010 Majority: 3,688 (Marginal)
Nearest challenger: Labour
BME Voters in 2015 - Adjusted Figure: 2,734
Total BME Population: 3,736 (4.0%)
Asian Voters: 1,178
Black Voters: 449
Largest BME: Chinese
BME Impact: Significant

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