

Statistical bulletin

Public sector employment, UK: June 2017

The official measure of people employed in the UK public sector, including private sector estimates, based on the difference between total UK employment and public sector employment.



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1 . Main points

- Total UK public sector employment in June 2017 was 5.440 million, up 15,000 on the previous quarter and 14,000 on the previous year.
- Central government employment was up 28,000 on the previous quarter at 3.021 million, the highest since comparable records began in 1999.
- Local government employment was down 12,000 at 2.115 million, the lowest since comparable records began in 1999.
- Civil Service employment was up 4,000 on the previous quarter at 423,000.
- Private sector employment was up 167,000 on the previous quarter at 26.696 million, the highest since comparable records began in 1999.
- Of all people in work, 16.9% were employed in the public sector, the lowest percentage since comparable records began in 1999.

2 . Things you need to know about this release

This bulletin presents the latest quarterly estimates of UK public sector employment (PSE). The public sector comprises central government, local government and public corporations as defined for the UK National Accounts.

These statistics are used mainly to monitor changes in the number of people employed in the UK public and private sector and to inform policy making across government. They are the official measure of UK public sector employment.

Estimates of PSE are presented by sector classification, industry and region. Civil Service employment is shown by government department and agency. Employment in executive non-departmental public bodies (NDPBs) is aggregated by sponsoring department.

Whilst this bulletin focuses on headcount estimates of PSE, full-time equivalent estimates (based on the number of hours worked divided by the standard full-time hours) are available in the [accompanying PSE datasets](#).

The PSE estimates are point-in-time employment estimates and relate to a specific day in the published month.

The main source of PSE is the Quarterly Public Sector Employment Survey, which aims to obtain complete coverage of local authorities and the Civil Service, and coverage of all public bodies with 20 or more employees. It is difficult to achieve complete coverage for local and central government, for example, in the education sector. Further information can be found in the [Quality and Methodology Information](#) report.

All [time series](#) in this release, except for the regional series, are seasonally adjusted to aid interpretation. Relationships that hold in the unadjusted series do not necessarily hold for the seasonally adjusted series. For example, total PSE equals the sum total of all public sector industry estimates before seasonal adjustment, but this is not necessarily true after seasonal adjustment.

Comparisons of public and private sector employment over time are complicated by a number of major reclassifications, where bodies employing large numbers of people have moved between the public and private sectors. We produce estimates of public and private sector employment excluding the effects of major reclassifications to help you understand underlying trends in employment. We publish these alongside estimates of total public and private sector employment in [Tables 5, 6a and 7a of the PSE datasets](#).

Consistent with the [revisions policy for public sector employment statistics](#), the statistics are subject to revisions. Revisions can be made for a variety of reasons, the most common include:

- to account for late information from respondents
- to account for recent classifications to the public sector
- to update seasonal factors (updated quarterly and reviewed annually)

Tables 1R to 5R in the [public sector employment dataset](#) illustrate the size of the revisions in each category.

The [UK Statistics Authority](#) has designated these statistics as [National Statistics](#), in accordance with the [Statistics and Registration Service Act 2007](#) and signifying compliance with the [Code of Practice for Official Statistics](#).

3 . Public sector employment rises

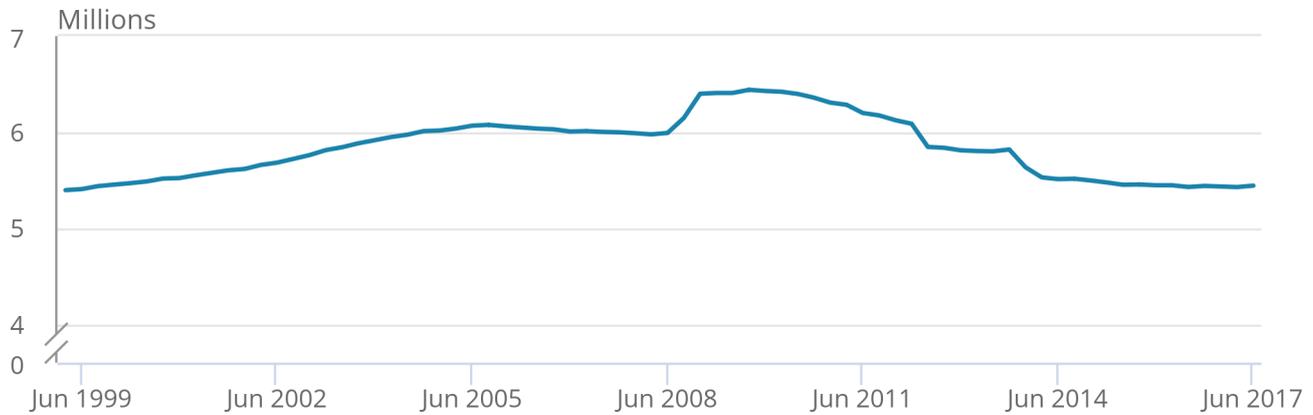
June 2017 has seen a growth in total UK public sector employment (PSE) compared with the previous quarter and the previous year. There were 5.440 million employees in the public sector, up 15,000 (0.3%) on March 2017 and 14,000 (0.3%) on June 2016.

Of all people in work, 16.9% were employed in the public sector, a fall of 0.1 percentage points on the previous quarter and the lowest percentage since comparable records began in 1999.

Looking longer-term, PSE has been generally falling for the last 7 years, as shown in Figure 1. There are now 1 million fewer employees in the public sector compared with the peak level of 6.440 million in September 2009.

Figure 1: Total UK public sector employment, March 1999 to June 2017, seasonally adjusted

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Source: Office for National Statistics

Notes:

1. September 2008: Housing associations in England reclassified to public sector.
2. December 2008: Lloyds Banking Group and Royal Bank of Scotland moved to public sector.
3. June 2012: English colleges moved to private sector.
4. December 2013: Royal Mail plc moved to private sector.
5. March 2014: Lloyds Banking Group moved back to the private sector.

4 . Central government employment continues to rise whilst employment in local government and public corporations falls

Central government employment continued to rise in June 2017, as shown in Figure 2. At 3.021 million, it was up 28,000 (0.9%) on the quarter and 108,000 (3.7%) on the year. Academy conversions and increases in the NHS and the Civil Service contributed to the rise. The latest level is the highest shown since comparable records began in 1999.

Local government employment fell for the 15th consecutive quarter. It decreased by 12,000 (0.6%) on the quarter and 82,000 (3.7%) on the year to reach 2.115 million. Academy conversions account for the majority of the decrease. June 2017 has seen local government employment at its lowest since comparable records began in 1999.

Public corporations employment has fallen to its lowest level of 304,000. It decreased 1,000 (0.3%) on the quarter and 12,000 (3.8%) on the year.

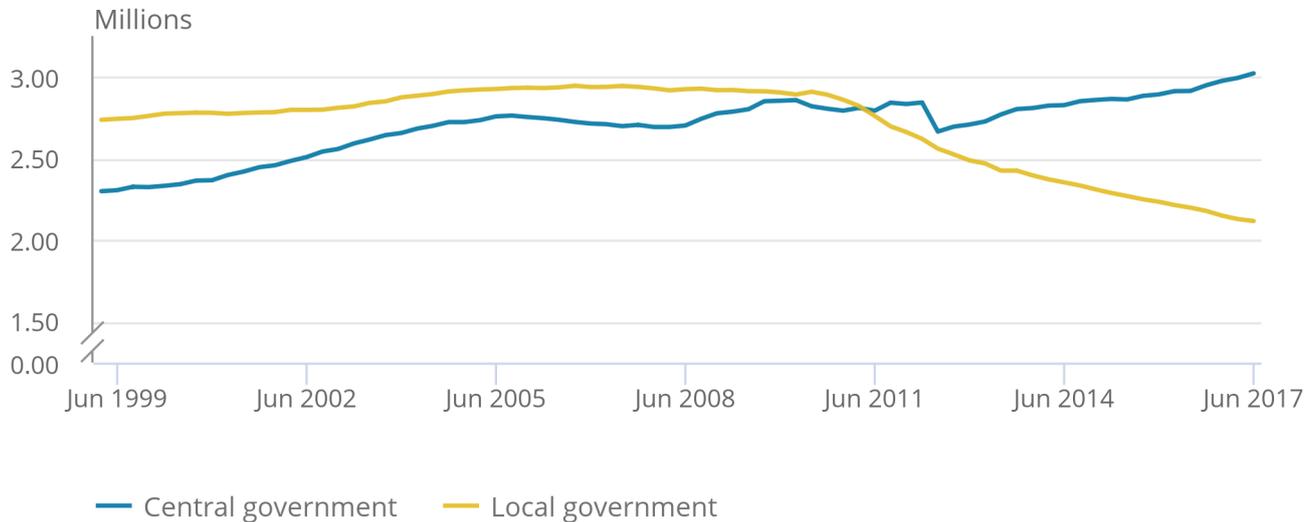
The impact of academies

There is an ongoing shift of employment from local government to central government, as a result of local authority maintained schools converting to academy status. Academies are classified to central government, whereas local authority maintained schools are classified to local government. As a result, whenever a local authority maintained school becomes an academy, its employees move from local government to central government.

In June 2017 around 18,000 employees for the quarter and 65,000 for the year transferred over to academies.

Figure 2: UK public sector employment in local and central government, March 1999 to June 2017, seasonally adjusted

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Source: Office for National Statistics

Notes:

1. July 2010: Academies Act 2010 passed.
2. June 2012: English colleges moved to the private sector.

5 . NHS employment continues to rise

NHS employment increased by 14,000 (0.9%) on the quarter and 37,000 (2.3%) on the year. At 1.621 million it is the highest level since comparable records began and accounts for 30% of total public sector employment (PSE).

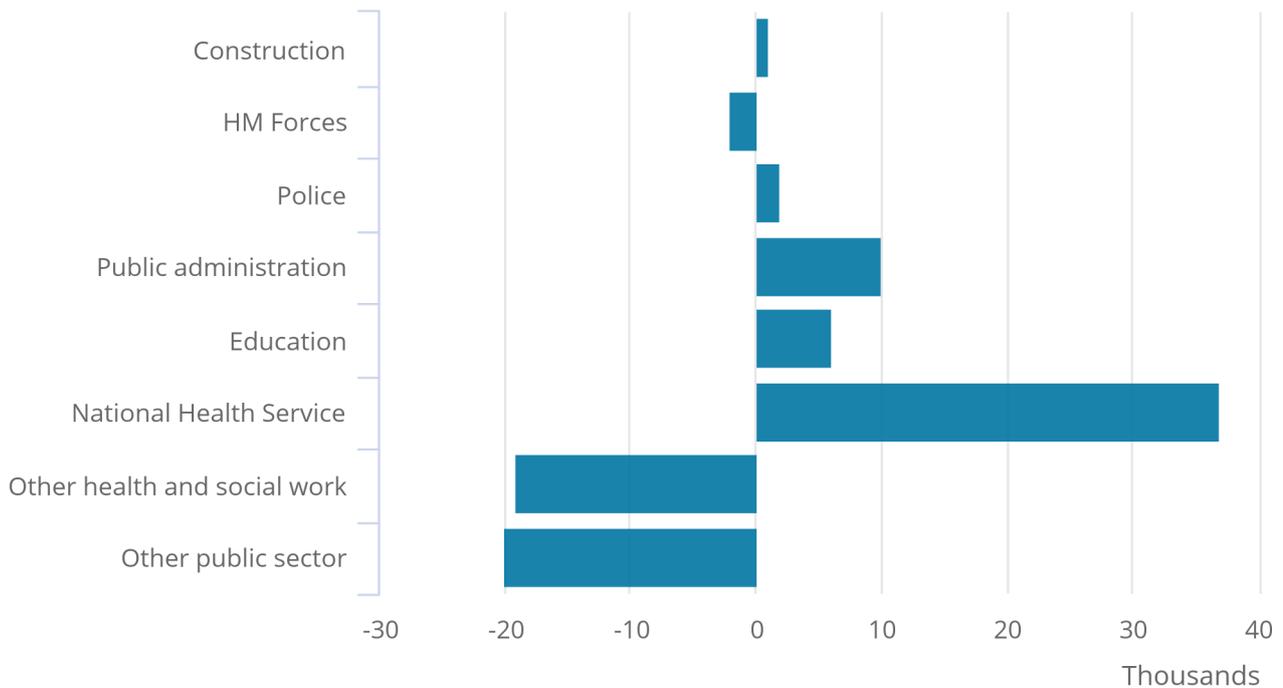
Public administration has seen an increase for the third consecutive quarter. In June 2017, it increased by 7,000 (0.7%) on the quarter and 10,000 (1.0%) on the year to reach 1.013 million.

Employment in “other health and social work” has fallen every quarter for 5 years. It was down 4,000 (1.5%) on the quarter and 19,000 (6.9%) on the previous year. At 257,000 it’s the lowest figure shown since the series began.

Employment in the category “other public sector” fell this quarter to its lowest level since comparable records began in 1999. At 594,000 it was down 3,000 (0.5%) on the quarter and 20,000 (3.3%) on the previous year.

Figure 3: Change in UK public sector employment, by industry, June 2016 to June 2017, seasonally adjusted

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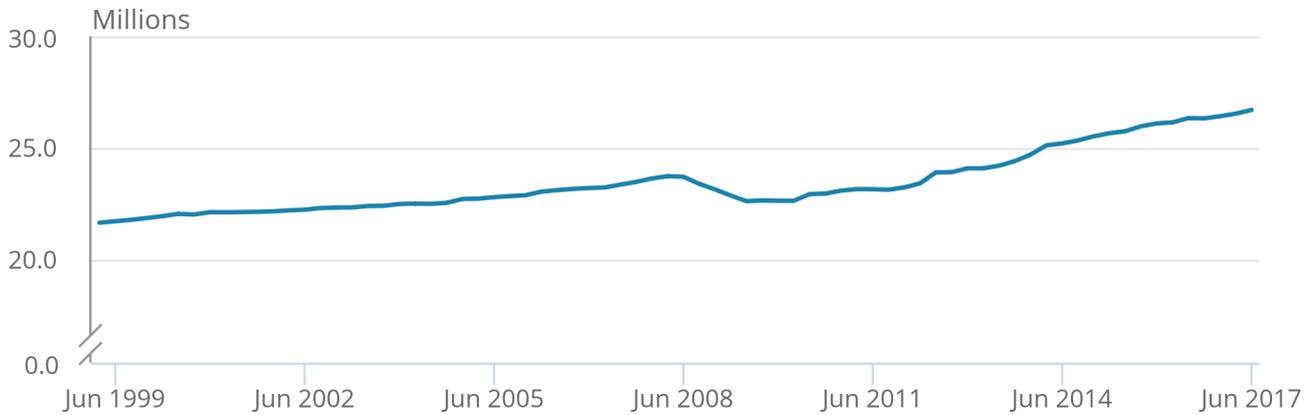
6 . Private sector employment reaches record high

Private sector employment estimates are derived as the difference between total UK employment estimates sourced from the Labour Force Survey and the public sector employment estimates collected from public sector organisations.

Figure 4 shows private sector employment reached a new record high in June 2017. At 26.696 million, it was up 167,000 (0.6%) on the quarter and 365,000 (1.4%) on the year.

Figure 4: UK Private sector employment, March 1999 to June 2017, seasonally adjusted

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Source: Office for National Statistics

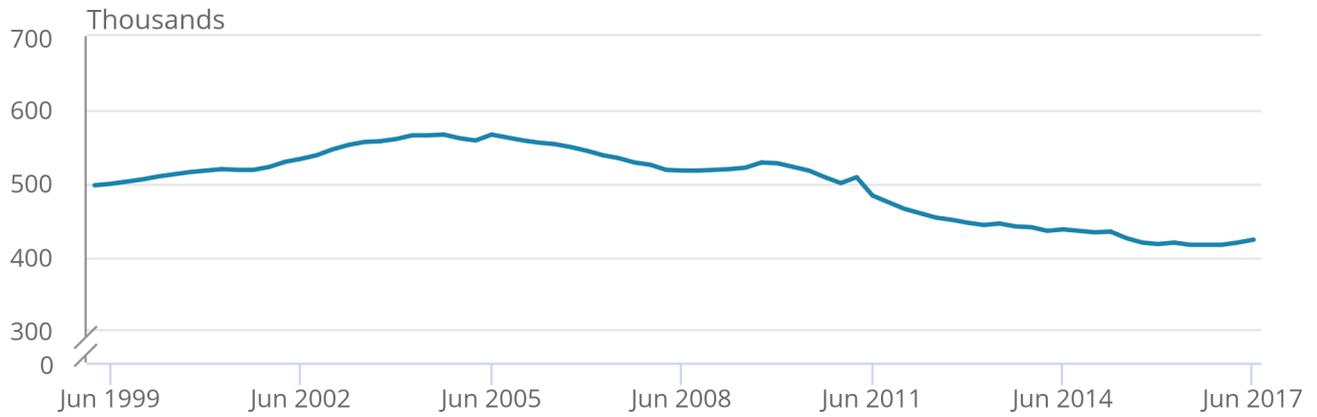
7. Civil Service employment increases over the quarter

At June 2017, employment in the Home Civil Service increased by 4,000 (1.0%) on the quarter and 7,000 (1.7%) on the previous year taking it to 423,000 in total.

Civil Service employment last peaked at 566,000 in June 2005. Since then it has generally been falling steadily although it has increased in the two most recent quarters, as shown in Figure 5.

Figure 5: Employment in the Home Civil Service, UK, March 1999 to June 2017

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Source: Office for National Statistics

Machinery of government changes in the period since 1 July 2016 are listed in Table 1.

Table 1: Machinery of government changes, UK: 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017

Organisation name	Details
Scottish Fiscal Commission	The Scottish Fiscal Commission was established as a non-ministerial department on 1 April 2017.
Her Majesty's Prison and Probation Service	The National Offender Management Service became Her Majesty's Prison and Probation Service on 3 April 2017. Around 600 employees transferred from Her Majesty's Prison and Probation Service to the Ministry of Justice.
Education and Skills Funding Agency	On 1 April 2017, the Education Funding Agency and the Skills Funding Agency merged to form the Education and Skills Funding Agency.
HM Revenue and Customs	Around 60 employees transferred from HM Revenue and Customs to Cabinet Office between April and June 2017.
Rural Payments Agency	Around 200 employees transferred from the Rural Payments Agency to the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs on 1 April 2017.
Foreign and Commonwealth Office	Around 40 employees transferred from the Foreign and Commonwealth Office to FCO Services on 1 April 2017.
Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy	Around 150 employees transferred from the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy to the Government Legal Department as of 1 April 2017. Around 80 employees transferred from the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy to the Insolvency Service between April and June 2017.
Legal Aid Agency	Around 100 employees transferred from the Legal Aid Agency to the Ministry of Justice between April and June 2017.
The Royal Parks	As of 16 March 2017, The Royal Parks agency transferred from being an executive agency under Department for Culture, Media and Sport and is no longer part of the Civil Service.
Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy	Around 300 staff transferred from the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy to the Department for Education between January and March 2017.
Cabinet Office	Around 90 staff transferred from The Office for Civil Society, previously held under Cabinet Office, to the Department for Culture, Media and Sport on 1 January 2017.
FCO Services	Around 90 staff transferred from FCO Services to the Ministry of Defence (excluding trading funds) on 1 January 2017.

Department for Exiting the European Union (DExEU)

The Department for Exiting the European Union (DExEU) was formed in July 2016. DExEU employment has been reported separately for the first time in this release. The total DExEU headcount was approximately 350 as at 31 March 2017. As all DExEU employees are on loan, some still remain on home department records. To avoid double counting, DExEU has only reported the employees officially transferred as at 31 March 2017.

Animal and Plant Health Agency

Around 90 staff transferred from the Animal and Plant Health Agency to the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs between September and December 2016.

Oil and Gas Authority

On 1 October 2016, the Oil and Gas Authority became a government owned company and ceased to be part of the Civil Service.

Home Office

Around 90 staff transferred from the Home Office to the Cabinet Office between July and September 2016.

Skills Funding Agency

In July 2016, the sponsoring department of the Skills Funding Agency changed from Business, Innovation and Skills (former) to the Department for Education.

Department for International Trade

In July 2016, the Department for International Trade was formed by combining the former UK Trade and Investment elements of the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) and the former Department for Business, Innovation and Skills (BIS). Around 700 staff transferred in from BIS and around 200 staff transferred in from the FCO.

Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy

In July 2016, the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy was formed by combining the Department for Business, Innovation and Skills and the Department of Energy and Climate Change.

Source: Office for National Statistics

8 . Links to related statistics

The quarterly Civil Service statistics in this release are the official measure of Civil Service employment. More detailed statistics on the Civil Service population, such as regional analyses, diversity and earnings statistics, can be found in the annual [Civil Service statistics](#) release.

Estimates of [public sector employment \(PSE\) in Scotland](#) are published quarterly by the Scottish government on the same day as the UK PSE release.

Estimates of public and private sector jobs in Northern Ireland are published by the Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency (NISRA) in the [Northern Ireland Quarterly Employment Survey](#) release.

The [UK labour market release](#) provides a comprehensive picture of the structure and size of the UK labour market each month, covering employment, unemployment, economic inactivity and other employment statistics.

9 . Quality and methodology

The [Public sector employment Quality and Methodology Information document](#) contains important information on:

- the strengths and limitations of the data and how it compares with related data
- uses and users of the data
- how the output was created
- the quality of the output including the accuracy of the data

Response rates

The primary source of the PSE statistics is the Quarterly Public Sector Employment Survey (QPSES), which comprises three separate data collections: local authorities in England and Wales, public corporations and non-departmental public bodies (NDPBs) in Great Britain and the home Civil Service. Our targets for response before the results are compiled are 90% for Local Authorities and Public Bodies QPSES and 100% for Civil Service QPSES. Response rates for the latest period are shown in Table 2.

Table 2: Response rates for sources of UK public sector employment, June 2017

	Response (% of questionnaires returned)	Response (% of employment returned)
Local Authorities Survey	94	95
Public Bodies Survey	91	93
Civil Service Survey	100	100
Other Sources (see below)	100	100

Source: Office for National Statistics

So that estimates of total public sector employment can be made, it is necessary for further information to be gathered from external sources, listed in Table 3.

Table 3: External sources of data for UK public sector employment statistics, June 2017

External source	Geographic coverage	Source
Central government		
HM Forces	UK	Ministry of Defence: Defence Statistics
National Health Service	England	NHS Digital
	Wales	NHS Wales Informatics Service
	Scotland	Scottish Government
	Northern Ireland	Department of Finance and Personnel
Academies	England	School Workforce Census and list of all open academies (Department for Education)
Police (including civilians)	Scotland	Scottish Government
Police (British Transport Police)	England and Wales	Home Office
Other central government	Great Britain	Quarterly Public Sector Employment Survey (ONS)
	Northern Ireland	Department of Finance and Personnel
Local government		
Local authorities	England and Wales	Quarterly Public Sector Employment Survey (ONS)
	Scotland	Joint Staffing Watch (Scottish Government)
	Northern Ireland	Department of Finance and Personnel
Police (including civilians)	England and Wales	Home Office
	Northern Ireland	Department of Finance and Personnel
Public corporations		
	Great Britain	Quarterly Public Sector Employment Survey (ONS)
	Northern Ireland	Department of Finance and Personnel
Housing associations	England	Homes and Communities Agency

Source: Office for National Statistics

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1 Public sector employment by sector classification; Headcount^{1 2}

United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted

	General government					
	Central government ^{3 4 5 6 7}	Local government ⁸	Total general government	Total public corporations ⁹	Total public sector ^{3 4 5 6 7 8 9}	Of which: Civil Service ^{4 10}
	G6NQ	G6NT	G6NW	G7AR	G7AU	G7D6
1999	2,304	2,742	5,046	358	5,404	499
2000	2,341	2,777	5,118	366	5,484	512
2001	2,418	2,778	5,196	378	5,574	518
2002	2,507	2,797	5,304	376	5,680	533
2003	2,615	2,840	5,455	386	5,841	556
2004	2,699	2,894	5,593	378	5,971	565
2005	2,757	2,925	5,682	384	6,066	566
2006	2,736	2,935	5,671	364	6,035	553
2007	2,697	2,944	5,641	360	6,001	534
2008	2,701	2,924	5,625	365	5,990	517
2009	2,801	2,912	5,713	694	6,407	521
2010	2,819	2,908	5,727	670	6,397	517
2011	2,792	2,760	5,552	646	6,198	483
2012	2,664	2,559	5,223	621	5,844	453
2013	2,769	2,424	5,193	605	5,798	445
2014	2,826	2,352	5,178	330	5,508	437
2015	2,861	2,268	5,129	320	5,449	425
2016	2,913 [†]	2,197 [†]	5,110 [†]	316	5,426 [†]	416
2017	3,021	2,115	5,136	304	5,440	423
1999 Mar	2,298	2,736	5,034	359	5,393	497
Jun	2,304	2,742	5,046	358	5,404	499
Sep	2,325	2,747	5,072	363	5,435	502
Dec	2,323	2,760	5,083	368	5,451	505
2000 Mar	2,331	2,774	5,105	361	5,466	509
Jun	2,341	2,777	5,118	366	5,484	512
Sep	2,363	2,780	5,143	371	5,514	515
Dec	2,365	2,779	5,144	375	5,519	517
2001 Mar	2,397	2,773	5,170	378	5,548	519
Jun	2,418	2,778	5,196	378	5,574	518
Sep	2,445	2,781	5,226	374	5,600	518
Dec	2,457	2,783	5,240	374	5,614	522
2002 Mar	2,484	2,797	5,281	375	5,656	529
Jun	2,507	2,797	5,304	376	5,680	533
Sep	2,541	2,798	5,339	380	5,719	538
Dec	2,557	2,810	5,367	392	5,759	546
2003 Mar	2,591	2,818	5,409	402	5,811	552
Jun	2,615	2,840	5,455	386	5,841	556
Sep	2,642	2,849	5,491	391	5,882	557
Dec	2,655	2,874	5,529	385	5,914	560
2004 Mar	2,682	2,884	5,566	381	5,947	565
Jun	2,699	2,894	5,593	378	5,971	565
Sep	2,722	2,910	5,632	377	6,009	566
Dec	2,722	2,917	5,639	376	6,015	561
2005 Mar	2,734	2,922	5,656	380	6,036	558
Jun	2,757	2,925	5,682	384	6,066	566
Sep	2,762	2,931	5,693	381	6,074	562
Dec	2,753	2,933	5,686	373	6,059	558
2006 Mar	2,746	2,931	5,677	370	6,047	555
Jun	2,736	2,935	5,671	364	6,035	553
Sep	2,723	2,945	5,668	360	6,028	549
Dec	2,713	2,937	5,650	355	6,005	544
2007 Mar	2,709	2,938	5,647	362	6,009	538
Jun	2,697	2,944	5,641	360	6,001	534
Sep	2,705	2,938	5,643	354	5,997	528
Dec	2,692	2,929	5,621	366	5,987	525
2008 Mar	2,692	2,917	5,609	366	5,975	518
Jun	2,701	2,924	5,625	365	5,990	517
Sep	2,742	2,927	5,669	477	6,146	517
Dec	2,776	2,918	5,694	705	6,399	518
2009 Mar	2,786	2,919	5,705	702	6,407	519
Jun	2,801	2,912	5,713	694	6,407	521
Sep	2,850	2,911	5,761	679	6,440	528
Dec	2,853	2,904	5,757	671	6,428	527
2010 Mar	2,857	2,891	5,748	672	6,420	522
Jun	2,819	2,908	5,727	670	6,397	517
Sep	2,804	2,890	5,694	664	6,358	508
Dec	2,792	2,859	5,651	655	6,306	500
2011 Mar	2,809	2,821	5,630	654	6,284	508
Jun	2,792	2,760	5,552	646	6,198	483
Sep	2,841	2,696	5,537	636	6,173	474
Dec	2,833	2,661	5,494	629	6,123	465
2012 Mar	2,842	2,619	5,461	625	6,086	459
Jun	2,664	2,559	5,223	621	5,844	453
Sep	2,694	2,524	5,218	617	5,835	450
Dec	2,707	2,487	5,194	615	5,809	446
2013 Mar	2,726	2,468	5,194	607	5,801	443
Jun	2,769	2,424	5,193	605	5,798	445
Sep	2,802	2,424	5,226	591	5,817	441
Dec	2,808	2,395	5,203	429	5,632	440
2014 Mar	2,823	2,371	5,194	332	5,526	435
Jun	2,826	2,352	5,178	330	5,508	437
Sep	2,850	2,333	5,183	329	5,512	435
Dec	2,858	2,309	5,167	327	5,494	433
2015 Mar	2,864	2,287	5,151	322	5,473	434
Jun	2,861	2,268	5,129	320	5,449	425
Sep	2,883	2,248	5,131	321	5,452	419
Dec	2,892	2,233	5,125	319	5,444	417
2016 Mar	2,912	2,213	5,125	319	5,444	419
Jun	2,913 [†]	2,197 [†]	5,110 [†]	316	5,426 [†]	416
Sep	2,948	2,177	5,125	312	5,437	416
Dec	2,975	2,148	5,123	308	5,431	416
2017 Mar	2,993	2,127	5,120	305 [†]	5,425	419
Jun	3,021	2,115	5,136	304	5,440	423

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Change on quarter to:							
2016	Jun	1 [†]	-16 [†]	-15 [†]	-3	-18 [†]	-3
	Sep	35	-20	15	-4	11	0
	Dec	27	-29	-2	-4	-6	0
2017	Mar	18	-21	-3	-3 [†]	-6	3
	Jun	28	-12	16	-1	15	4
% change on quarter to:							
2016	Jun	0.0 [†]	-0.7 [†]	-0.3 [†]	-0.9	-0.3	-0.7
	Sep	1.2	-0.9	0.3	-1.3	0.2 [†]	0.0
	Dec	0.9	-1.3	0.0	-1.3	-0.1	0.0
2017	Mar	0.6	-1.0	-0.1	-1.0 [†]	-0.1	0.7
	Jun	0.9	-0.6	0.3	-0.3	0.3	1.0
Change on year to:							
2016	Jun	52 [†]	-71 [†]	-19 [†]	-4	-23 [†]	-9
	Sep	65	-71	-6	-9	-15	-3
	Dec	83	-85	-2	-11	-13	-1
2017	Mar	81	-86	-5	-14 [†]	-19	0
	Jun	108	-82	26	-12	14	7
% change on year to:							
2016	Jun	1.8 [†]	-3.1 [†]	-0.4 [†]	-1.3	-0.4 [†]	-2.1
	Sep	2.3	-3.2	-0.1	-2.8	-0.3	-0.7
	Dec	2.9	-3.8	0.0	-3.4	-0.2	-0.2
2017	Mar	2.8	-3.9	-0.1	-4.4 [†]	-0.3	0.0
	Jun	3.7	-3.7	0.5	-3.8	0.3	1.7

Source: Office for National Statistics

- 1 Rounded estimates have been used in this table to calculate the comparisons between periods.
 - 2 Annual figures relate to June quarter.
 - 3 Police (England & Wales) are based on projections.
 - 4 Estimates for March 2011 include 15,000 temporary staff employed in connection with the 2011 Census.
 - 5 Network Rail is included in the private sector before December 2002. From December 2002 onwards it is included in the public sector (except for the period from June 2003 to March 2004, when it is included in the private sector).
 - 6 Welsh further education colleges were reclassified to the private sector on 27 January 2015. They are included in the private sector from March 2015 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
 - 7 Community Rehabilitation Companies moved to the private sector on 1 February 2015. They are included in the private sector from March 2015 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
 - 8 Royal Mail plc is included in the private sector from December 2013 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
Lloyds Banking Group plc is included in the public sector from December 2008 to December 2013 but in the private sector for earlier and subsequent periods.
Royal Bank of Scotland plc is included in the public sector from December 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.
Northern Rock is included in the public sector from December 2007 until December 2011 but in the private sector for earlier and later time periods.
Bradford and Bingley is included in the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.
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2 Public sector employment by industry; Headcount ¹

		United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted							
		Public administration, defence, compulsory social security				Health and social work			
		Construction ²	HM Forces ³	Police (including civilians) ⁴	Public administration ⁵	Education ^{6,7}	National Health Service ⁸	Other health and social work ^{2,9}	Other public sector ^{2,10}
		G7ER	G7EU	G7EX	G7F2	G7F5	G7FG	G7FJ	G7FM
1999		107	218	227	1,172	1,386	1,179	389	730
2000		104	217	225	1,178	1,440	1,204	385	733
2001		95	214	229	1,185	1,466	1,249	372	767
2002		81	214	238	1,212	1,472	1,308	364	789
2003		76	223	248	1,257	1,530	1,374	345	789
2004		77	218	264	1,270	1,568	1,429	357	787
2005		72	210	272	1,287	1,582	1,480	365	798
2006		67	204	274	1,282	1,608	1,477	358	767
2007		60	197	283	1,269	1,622	1,444	356	773
2008		53	193	286	1,225	1,635	1,463	353	786
2009		52	197	294	1,208	1,654	1,528	388	1,093
2010		47	197	292	1,199	1,685	1,558	391	1,036
2011		43	193	277	1,119	1,660	1,530	375	1,008
2012		42	186	266	1,077	1,469	1,503	350	959
2013		40	175	261	1,072	1,501	1,505	329	920
2014		39	164	256	1,059	1,518	1,528	308	641
2015		35	159	254	1,020	1,518	1,551	291	627
2016		34	158	246	1,003	1,515 †	1,584	276	614 †
2017		35	156	248	1,013	1,521	1,621 †	257 †	594
1999	Mar	108	217	228	1,163	1,385	1,173	391	730
	Jun	107	218	227	1,172	1,386	1,179	389	730
	Sep	112	218	226	1,177	1,385	1,185	394	730
	Dec	111	217	226	1,181	1,396	1,190	399	737
2000	Mar	107	217	225	1,184	1,410	1,197	397	732
	Jun	104	217	225	1,178	1,440	1,204	385	733
	Sep	100	216	226	1,177	1,452	1,213	377	748
	Dec	99	215	227	1,177	1,457	1,223	375	750
2001	Mar	97	215	228	1,181	1,466	1,235	371	756
	Jun	95	214	229	1,185	1,466	1,249	372	767
	Sep	87	214	231	1,188	1,463	1,263	373	770
	Dec	84	214	234	1,197	1,467	1,278	363	780
2002	Mar	83	214	236	1,204	1,474	1,292	366	789
	Jun	81	214	238	1,212	1,472	1,308	364	789
	Sep	80	215	240	1,215	1,499	1,325	352	784
	Dec	77	215	242	1,236	1,510	1,341	341	800
2003	Mar	79	221	246	1,246	1,518	1,359	341	804
	Jun	76	223	248	1,257	1,530	1,374	345	789
	Sep	80	222	252	1,260	1,534	1,391	348	788
	Dec	80	221	256	1,258	1,557	1,408	358	781
2004	Mar	79	219	260	1,267	1,562	1,426	358	779
	Jun	77	218	264	1,270	1,568	1,429	357	787
	Sep	75	216	265	1,279	1,572	1,444	361	789
	Dec	75	214	267	1,278	1,576	1,456	363	790
2005	Mar	73	212	271	1,280	1,581	1,467	364	793
	Jun	72	210	272	1,287	1,582	1,480	365	798
	Sep	69	208	271	1,284	1,593	1,485	358	797
	Dec	68	206	274	1,284	1,600	1,488	360	784
2006	Mar	67	205	274	1,285	1,604	1,483	358	779
	Jun	67	204	274	1,282	1,608	1,477	358	767
	Sep	61	203	276	1,283	1,612	1,461	358	763
	Dec	61	202	279	1,280	1,612	1,448	355	770
2007	Mar	61	199	282	1,275	1,618	1,448	356	774
	Jun	60	197	283	1,269	1,622	1,444	356	773
	Sep	60	195	284	1,269	1,629	1,446	349	756
	Dec	57	196	284	1,257	1,635	1,447	347	767
2008	Mar	55	194	286	1,234	1,630	1,449	352	780
	Jun	53	193	286	1,225	1,635	1,463	353	786
	Sep	53	193	287	1,208	1,647	1,486	385	875
	Dec	53	194	289	1,210	1,651	1,506	387	1,112
2009	Mar	52	196	293	1,209	1,662	1,506	388	1,105
	Jun	52	197	294	1,208	1,654	1,528	388	1,093
	Sep	49	199	296	1,220	1,657	1,543	395	1,070
	Dec	50	199	295	1,212	1,673	1,554	395	1,051
2010	Mar	49	199	295	1,213	1,670	1,559	391	1,046
	Jun	47	197	292	1,199	1,685	1,558	391	1,036
	Sep	47	196	290	1,180	1,665	1,550	386	1,030
	Dec	45	196	286	1,174	1,659	1,546	382	1,019
2011	Mar	44	194	282	1,164	1,660	1,541	382	1,021
	Jun	43	193	277	1,119	1,660	1,530	375	1,008
	Sep	42	191	273	1,109	1,670	1,522	365	991
	Dec	41	190	270	1,093	1,665	1,515	367	980
2012	Mar	41	187	268	1,081	1,683	1,508	356	966
	Jun	42	186	266	1,077	1,469	1,503	350	959
	Sep	42	183	264	1,070	1,469	1,502	342	953
	Dec	42	179	263	1,068	1,470	1,505	337	945
2013	Mar	41	178	261	1,071	1,478	1,508	334	933
	Jun	40	175	261	1,072	1,501	1,505	329	920
	Sep	40	174	259	1,073	1,516	1,511	328	910
	Dec	39	169	258	1,061	1,522	1,516	323	745
2014	Mar	39	167	257	1,059	1,521	1,523	319	642
	Jun	39	164	256	1,059	1,518	1,528	308	641
	Sep	39	163	256	1,053	1,514	1,534	305	639
	Dec	38	162	255	1,045	1,520	1,538	301	636
2015	Mar	36	161	255	1,034	1,516	1,545	295	630
	Jun	35	159	254	1,020	1,518	1,551	291	627
	Sep	34	159	252	1,016	1,515	1,558	286	624
	Dec	34	159	250	1,014	1,516	1,566	283	621
2016	Mar	35	158	248	1,009	1,517	1,573	278	624
	Jun	34	158	246	1,003	1,515 †	1,584	276	614 †
	Sep	33	158	245	1,002	1,524	1,592	268	612
	Dec	35	157	243	1,003	1,522	1,603	262	603
2017	Mar	36	157	245 †	1,006 †	1,520	1,607 †	261	597
	Jun	35	156	248	1,013	1,521	1,621	257	594

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		G7ER	G7EU	G7EX	G7F2	G7F5	G7FG	G7FJ	G7FM
Change on quarter to:									
2016	Jun	-1	0	-2	-6	-2 †	11	-2	-10 †
	Sep	-1	0	-1	-1	9	8	-8	-2
	Dec	2	-1	-2	1	-2	11	-6	-9
2017	Mar	1	0	2 †	3 †	-2	4 †	-1	-6
	Jun	-1	-1	3	7	1	14	-4	-3
% change on quarter to:									
2016	Jun	-2.9	0.0	-0.8	-0.6	-0.1 †	0.7	-0.7	-1.6 †
	Sep	-2.9	0.0	-0.4	-0.1	0.6	0.5	-2.9	-0.3
	Dec	6.1	-0.6	-0.8	0.1	-0.1	0.7	-2.2	-1.5
2017	Mar	2.9	0.0	0.8 †	0.3 †	-0.1	0.2 †	-0.4	-1.0
	Jun	-2.8	-0.6	1.2	0.7	0.1	0.9	-1.5	-0.5
Change on year to:									
2016	Jun	-1	-1	-8	-17	-3 †	33	-15	-13 †
	Sep	-1	-1	-7	-14	9	34	-18	-12
	Dec	1	-2	-7	-11	6	37	-21	-18
2017	Mar	1	-1	-3 †	-3 †	3	34 †	-17	-27
	Jun	1	-2	2	10	6	37	-19	-20
% change on year to:									
2016	Jun	-2.9	-0.6	-3.1	-1.7	-0.2 †	2.1	-5.2	-2.1 †
	Sep	-2.9	-0.6	-2.8	-1.4	0.6	2.2	-6.3	-1.9
	Dec	2.9	-1.3	-2.8	-1.1	0.4	2.4	-7.4	-2.9
2017	Mar	2.9	-0.6	-1.2 †	-0.3 †	0.2	2.2 †	-6.1	-4.3
	Jun	2.9	-1.3	0.8	1.0	0.4	2.3	-6.9	-3.3

Source: Office for National Statistics

¹ Rounded estimates have been used in this table to calculate the comparisons between periods.

² English housing associations are classified to the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.

³ HM Forces series exclude locally engaged staff. The series also excludes mobilised reservists prior to 1996 as statistics are not available. Prior to June 2008, March = 1 March, June = 1 June, September = 1 September, December = 1 December. From June 2008 onwards March = 1 April, June = 1 July, September = 1 October, December = 1 January.

⁴ Police (England and Wales) are based on projections and subject to revision.

⁵ Estimates for March 2011 include temporary staff with a FTE of approximately 8,000 employed in connection with the 2011 Census.

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⁸ Data for the NHS are subject to revisions.

⁹ Community Rehabilitation Companies moved to the private sector on 1 February 2015. They are included in the private sector from March 2015 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.

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† Indicates earliest revision

3 Public sector employment by sector classification; Full-time equivalent ^{1 2}

United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted

	General government						Of which: Civil Service ^{4 10}
	Central government ^{3 4 5 6 7}	Local government ⁸	Total general government	Total public corporations ⁹	Total public sector ^{3 4 5 6 7 8 9}		
	G7FP	G7FS	G7FV	G7FY	G7G3	G7G6	
1999	1,965	2,002	3,967	339	4,306	477	
2000	1,994	2,016	4,010	346	4,356	488	
2001	2,056	2,010	4,066	357	4,423	493	
2002	2,130	2,030	4,160	357	4,517	506	
2003	2,218	2,066	4,284	364	4,648	525	
2004	2,299	2,110	4,409	356	4,765	534	
2005	2,345	2,142	4,487	361	4,848	532	
2006	2,330	2,172	4,502	341	4,843	519	
2007	2,318	2,183	4,501	335	4,836	500	
2008	2,330	2,169	4,499	340	4,839	484	
2009	2,423	2,173	4,596	639	5,235	487	
2010	2,445	2,177	4,622	618	5,240	481	
2011	2,416	2,067	4,483	596	5,079	447	
2012	2,333	1,924	4,257	574	4,831	418	
2013	2,419	1,827	4,246	560	4,806	410	
2014	2,465	1,776	4,241	309	4,550	403	
2015	2,495	1,714	4,209	299	4,508	392	
2016	2,532 [†]	1,661	4,193 [†]	295	4,488 [†]	384	
2017	2,618	1,602	4,220	284	4,504	392	
1999 Mar	1,963	1,999	3,962	339	4,301	475	
1999 Jun	1,965	2,002	3,967	339	4,306	477	
1999 Sep	1,979	2,004	3,983	343	4,326	480	
1999 Dec	1,980	2,009	3,989	348	4,337	482	
2000 Mar	1,989	2,015	4,004	340	4,344	485	
2000 Jun	1,994	2,016	4,010	346	4,356	488	
2000 Sep	2,010	2,019	4,029	350	4,379	491	
2000 Dec	2,013	2,017	4,030	353	4,383	493	
2001 Mar	2,041	2,007	4,048	356	4,404	494	
2001 Jun	2,056	2,010	4,066	357	4,423	493	
2001 Sep	2,077	2,015	4,092	353	4,445	492	
2001 Dec	2,087	2,018	4,105	353	4,458	496	
2002 Mar	2,113	2,027	4,140	355	4,495	502	
2002 Jun	2,130	2,030	4,160	357	4,517	506	
2002 Sep	2,157	2,030	4,187	362	4,549	510	
2002 Dec	2,172	2,043	4,215	371	4,586	516	
2003 Mar	2,200	2,051	4,251	379	4,630	521	
2003 Jun	2,218	2,066	4,284	364	4,648	525	
2003 Sep	2,246	2,074	4,320	369	4,689	527	
2003 Dec	2,252	2,091	4,343	362	4,705	529	
2004 Mar	2,285	2,100	4,385	358	4,743	534	
2004 Jun	2,299	2,110	4,409	356	4,765	534	
2004 Sep	2,321	2,119	4,440	354	4,794	534	
2004 Dec	2,316	2,124	4,440	355	4,795	529	
2005 Mar	2,328	2,138	4,466	358	4,824	525	
2005 Jun	2,345	2,142	4,487	361	4,848	532	
2005 Sep	2,352	2,159	4,511	359	4,870	530	
2005 Dec	2,343	2,158	4,501	351	4,852	525	
2006 Mar	2,337	2,164	4,501	347	4,848	521	
2006 Jun	2,330	2,172	4,502	341	4,843	519	
2006 Sep	2,330	2,176	4,506	336	4,842	515	
2006 Dec	2,336	2,183	4,519	331	4,850	510	
2007 Mar	2,334	2,180	4,514	337	4,851	504	
2007 Jun	2,318	2,183	4,501	335	4,836	500	
2007 Sep	2,328	2,184	4,512	330	4,842	495	
2007 Dec	2,318	2,172	4,490	343	4,833	491	
2008 Mar	2,318	2,166	4,484	342	4,826	485	
2008 Jun	2,330	2,169	4,499	340	4,839	484	
2008 Sep	2,366	2,179	4,545	445	4,990	483	
2008 Dec	2,395	2,174	4,569	651	5,220	484	
2009 Mar	2,420	2,179	4,599	646	5,245	485	
2009 Jun	2,423	2,173	4,596	639	5,235	487	
2009 Sep	2,471	2,173	4,644	625	5,269	493	
2009 Dec	2,473	2,175	4,648	617	5,265	493	
2010 Mar	2,480	2,159	4,639	619	5,258	487	
2010 Jun	2,445	2,177	4,622	618	5,240	481	
2010 Sep	2,430	2,162	4,592	611	5,203	473	
2010 Dec	2,420	2,135	4,555	604	5,159	465	
2011 Mar	2,431	2,111	4,542	609	5,151	465	
2011 Jun	2,416	2,067	4,483	596	5,079	447	
2011 Sep	2,456	2,022	4,478	588	5,066	439	
2011 Dec	2,447	1,994	4,441	581	5,022	430	
2012 Mar	2,456	1,966	4,422	578	5,000	424	
2012 Jun	2,333	1,924	4,257	574	4,831	418	
2012 Sep	2,355	1,902	4,257	570	4,827	415	
2012 Dec	2,366	1,881	4,247	569	4,816	411	
2013 Mar	2,383	1,863	4,246	562	4,808	409	
2013 Jun	2,419	1,827	4,246	560	4,806	410	
2013 Sep	2,450	1,830	4,280	548	4,828	407	
2013 Dec	2,453	1,806	4,259	398	4,657	405	
2014 Mar	2,467	1,786	4,253	310	4,563	401	
2014 Jun	2,465	1,776	4,241	309	4,550	403	
2014 Sep	2,487	1,762	4,249	308	4,557	401	
2014 Dec	2,492	1,746	4,238	305	4,543	400	
2015 Mar	2,500	1,728	4,228	301	4,529	400	
2015 Jun	2,495	1,714	4,209	299	4,508	392	
2015 Sep	2,510	1,699	4,209	300	4,509	387	
2015 Dec	2,516	1,689	4,205	298	4,503	386	
2016 Mar	2,536	1,675	4,211	298	4,509	387	
2016 Jun	2,532 [†]	1,661	4,193 [†]	295	4,488 [†]	384	
2016 Sep	2,563	1,646	4,209	290	4,499	385	
2016 Dec	2,573	1,626	4,199	287	4,486	385	
2017 Mar	2,600	1,611 [†]	4,211	285	4,496	389	
2017 Jun	2,618	1,602	4,220	284	4,504	392	

3 Public sector employment by sector classification; Full-time equivalent^{1 2}

United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted

		General government			Total public corporations ⁸	Total public sector ^{3 4 5 6 7 8 9}	Of which: Civil Service ^{4 10}
		Central government ^{3 4 5 6 7}	Local government ³	Total general government			
		G7FP	G7FS	G7FV	G7FY	G7G3	G7G6
Change on quarter to:							
2016	Jun	-4 [†]	-14	-18 [†]	-3	-21 [†]	-3
	Sep	31	-15	16	-5	11	1
	Dec	10	-20	-10	-3	-13	0
2017	Mar	27	-15 [†]	12	-2	10	4
	Jun	18	-9	9	-1	8	3
% change on quarter to:							
2016	Jun	-0.2 [†]	-0.8 [†]	-0.4 [†]	-1.0 [†]	-0.5 [†]	-0.8 [†]
	Sep	1.2	-0.9	0.4	-1.7	0.2	0.3
	Dec	0.4	-1.2	-0.2	-1.0	-0.3	0.0
2017	Mar	1.0	-0.9	0.3	-0.7	0.2	1.0
	Jun	0.7	-0.6	0.2	-0.4	0.2	0.8
Change on year to:							
2016	Jun	37 [†]	-53	-16 [†]	-4	-20 [†]	-8
	Sep	53	-53	0	-10	-10	-2
	Dec	57	-63	-6	-11	-17	-1
2017	Mar	64	-64 [†]	0	-13	-13	2
	Jun	86	-59	27	-11	16	8
% change on year to:							
2016	Jun	1.5 [†]	-3.1	-0.4 [†]	-1.3	-0.4	-2.0
	Sep	2.1	-3.1	0.0	-3.3	-0.2	-0.5
	Dec	2.3	-3.7	-0.1	-3.7	-0.4	-0.3
2017	Mar	2.5	-3.8 [†]	0.0	-4.4	-0.3	0.5
	Jun	3.4	-3.6	0.6	-3.7	0.4	2.1

Source: Office for National Statistics

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		G9BC	G7G9	G7GC	G7GF	G7GI	G7GL	G7GR	G7K2
1999	-	-	218	220	988	948	970	276	610
2000	-	-	217	218	994	982	990	272	611
2001	-	-	214	222	998	997	1,025	263	638
2002	-	-	214	230	1,020	1,007	1,075	259	655
2003	-	-	223	240	1,056	1,049	1,126	245	656
2004	-	-	218	254	1,069	1,076	1,179	254	659
2005	-	-	210	262	1,081	1,090	1,221	261	673
2006	-	-	204	264	1,077	1,121	1,224	260	644
2007	-	-	197	272	1,062	1,132	1,220	257	652
2008	-	-	193	275	1,025	1,143	1,245	256	667
2009	-	-	197	283	1,015	1,164	1,304	290	948
2010	-	-	197	281	1,010	1,193	1,335	293	903
2011	-	-	193	266	940	1,183	1,313	282	878
2012	-	-	186	255	903	1,067	1,293	265	838
2013	-	-	175	250	900	1,099	1,297	252	809
2014	-	-	164	246	888	1,113	1,323	235	555
2015	-	-	159	243	853	1,119	1,346	222	545
2016	-	-	158	236	842	1,112 †	1,376 †	211	533
2017	-	-	156	235	853	1,114	1,411	196	516
1999	Mar	-	217	221	984	945	967	276	611
	Jun	-	218	220	988	948	970	276	610
	Sep	-	218	219	989	944	975	279	609
	Dec	-	217	219	996	950	979	282	616
2000	Mar	-	217	218	1,000	957	984	279	610
	Jun	-	217	218	994	982	990	272	611
	Sep	-	216	219	990	989	996	266	622
	Dec	-	215	219	994	994	1,004	265	624
2001	Mar	-	215	221	997	997	1,014	263	629
	Jun	-	214	222	998	997	1,025	263	638
	Sep	-	214	224	998	997	1,036	264	640
	Dec	-	214	226	1,008	1,001	1,048	257	646
2002	Mar	-	214	228	1,014	1,004	1,062	258	653
	Jun	-	214	230	1,020	1,007	1,075	259	655
	Sep	-	215	232	1,021	1,023	1,088	249	653
	Dec	-	215	234	1,040	1,033	1,101	242	666
2003	Mar	-	221	237	1,048	1,039	1,114	241	671
	Jun	-	223	240	1,056	1,049	1,126	245	656
	Sep	-	222	243	1,060	1,049	1,142	247	657
	Dec	-	221	247	1,060	1,065	1,152	253	651
2004	Mar	-	219	251	1,067	1,071	1,173	255	650
	Jun	-	218	254	1,069	1,076	1,179	254	659
	Sep	-	216	256	1,076	1,076	1,190	257	661
	Dec	-	214	258	1,074	1,077	1,198	258	664
2005	Mar	-	212	261	1,075	1,085	1,210	260	668
	Jun	-	210	262	1,081	1,090	1,221	261	673
	Sep	-	208	263	1,080	1,102	1,226	259	672
	Dec	-	206	264	1,079	1,108	1,228	260	658
2006	Mar	-	205	262	1,078	1,115	1,224	259	655
	Jun	-	204	264	1,077	1,121	1,224	260	644
	Sep	-	203	266	1,077	1,121	1,221	262	642
	Dec	-	202	268	1,075	1,128	1,221	259	649
2007	Mar	-	199	272	1,068	1,130	1,223	258	652
	Jun	-	197	272	1,062	1,132	1,220	257	652
	Sep	-	195	273	1,063	1,141	1,222	256	642
	Dec	-	196	273	1,051	1,141	1,224	252	653
2008	Mar	-	194	274	1,033	1,140	1,226	255	663
	Jun	-	193	275	1,025	1,143	1,245	256	667
	Sep	-	193	276	1,014	1,156	1,262	289	751
	Dec	-	194	278	1,017	1,161	1,277	290	966
2009	Mar	-	196	281	1,016	1,170	1,290	291	960
	Jun	-	197	283	1,015	1,164	1,304	290	948
	Sep	-	199	284	1,027	1,168	1,320	297	929
	Dec	-	199	283	1,024	1,184	1,331	297	911
2010	Mar	-	199	283	1,019	1,178	1,337	293	908
	Jun	-	197	281	1,010	1,193	1,335	293	903
	Sep	-	196	279	992	1,177	1,328	292	896
	Dec	-	196	275	984	1,174	1,324	287	887
2011	Mar	-	194	271	971	1,178	1,320	287	895
	Jun	-	193	266	940	1,183	1,313	282	878
	Sep	-	191	262	929	1,195	1,306	277	866
	Dec	-	190	259	914	1,194	1,301	277	856
2012	Mar	-	187	257	905	1,210	1,295	270	845
	Jun	-	186	255	903	1,067	1,293	265	838
	Sep	-	183	253	896	1,070	1,292	261	833
	Dec	-	179	252	895	1,075	1,297	257	828
2013	Mar	-	178	251	897	1,079	1,299	255	818
	Jun	-	175	250	900	1,099	1,297	252	809
	Sep	-	174	248	899	1,112	1,305	251	800
	Dec	-	169	247	888	1,116	1,311	247	649
2014	Mar	-	167	246	887	1,116	1,318	245	556
	Jun	-	164	246	888	1,113	1,323	235	555
	Sep	-	163	245	882	1,113	1,329	233	553
	Dec	-	162	244	876	1,118	1,334	229	550
2015	Mar	-	161	245	867	1,117	1,340	225	547
	Jun	-	159	243	853	1,119	1,346	222	545
	Sep	-	159	241	852	1,111	1,352	219	542
	Dec	-	159	240	852	1,112	1,359	216	539
2016	Mar	-	158	238	849	1,113	1,367	212	542
	Jun	-	158	236	842	1,112 †	1,376 †	211	533
	Sep	-	158	235	842	1,115	1,384	205	530
	Dec	-	157	233	843	1,115	1,389	201	523
2017	Mar	-	157	235 †	847 †	1,114	1,399	200	519
	Jun	-	156	235	853	1,114	1,411	196	516

4 Public sector employment by industry; Full-time equivalent ¹

		United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted							
		Public administration, defence, compulsory social security				Health and social work			
		Construction ²	HM Forces ³	Police (including civilians) ⁴	Public administration ⁵	Education ^{6,7}	National Health Service ⁸	Other health and social work ^{2,9}	Other public sector ^{2,10}
		G9BC	G7G9	G7GC	G7GF	G7GI	G7GL	G7GR	G7K2
Change on quarter to:									
2016	Jun	-	0	-2	-7	-1 †	9 †	-1	-9
	Sep	-	0	-1	0	3	8	-6	-3
	Dec	-	-1	-2	1	0	5	-4	-7
2017	Mar	-	0	2 †	4 †	-1	10	-1	-4
	Jun	-	-1	0	6	0	12	-4	-3
% change on quarter to:									
2016	Jun	-	0.0	-0.8	-0.8	-0.1 †	0.7	-0.5	-1.7
	Sep	-	0.0	-0.4	0.0	0.3	0.6 †	-2.8	-0.6
	Dec	-	-0.6	-0.9	0.1	0.0	0.4	-2.0	-1.3
2017	Mar	-	0.0	0.9 †	0.5 †	-0.1	0.7	-0.5	-0.8
	Jun	-	-0.6	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.9	-2.0	-0.6
Change on year to:									
2016	Jun	-	-1	-7	-11	-7 †	30 †	-11	-12
	Sep	-	-1	-6	-10	4	32	-14	-12
	Dec	-	-2	-7	-9	3	30	-15	-16
2017	Mar	-	-1	-3 †	-2 †	1	32	-12	-23
	Jun	-	-2	-1	11	2	35	-15	-17
% change on year to:									
2016	Jun	-	-0.6	-2.9	-1.3	-0.6 †	2.2 †	-5.0	-2.2
	Sep	-	-0.6	-2.5	-1.2	0.4	2.4	-6.4	-2.2
	Dec	-	-1.3	-2.9	-1.1	0.3	2.2	-6.9	-3.0
2017	Mar	-	-0.6	-1.3 †	-0.2 †	0.1	2.3	-5.7	-4.2
	Jun	-	-1.3	-0.4	1.3	0.2	2.5	-7.1	-3.2

Source: Office for National Statistics

¹ Rounded estimates have been used in this table to calculate the comparisons between periods.

² English housing associations are classified to the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.

³ HM Forces series exclude locally engaged staff. The series also excludes mobilised reservists prior to 1996 as statistics are not available. Prior to June 2008, March = 1 March, June = 1 June, September = 1 September, December = 1 December. From June 2008 onwards March = 1 April, June = 1 July, September = 1 October, December = 1 January.

⁴ Police (England and Wales) are based on projections and subject to revision.

⁵ Estimates for March 2011 include temporary staff with a FTE of approximately 8,000 employed in connection with the 2011 Census.

⁶ English further education colleges and English sixth form college corporations classified to public sector from 1993 to 31 March 2012. They are therefore included in public sector estimates from 1993 to March 2012, but not in subsequent quarters.

⁷ Welsh further education colleges were reclassified to the private sector on 27 January 2015. They are included in the private sector from March 2015 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.

⁸ Data for the NHS are subject to revisions.

⁹ Community Rehabilitation Companies moved to the private sector on 1 February 2015. They are included in the private sector from March 2015 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.

¹⁰ Royal Mail plc is included in the private sector from December 2013 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.

Lloyds Banking Group plc is included in the public sector from December 2008 to December 2013 but in the private sector for earlier and subsequent periods.

Royal Bank of Scotland plc is included in the public sector from December 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.

Network Rail is included in the private sector before December 2002. From December 2002 onwards it is included in the public sector (except for the period from June 2003 to March 2004, when it is included in the private sector).

Northern Rock is included in the public sector from December 2007 until December 2011 but in the private sector for earlier and later time periods.

Bradford and Bingley is included in the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.

† Indicates earliest revision

5 Public and private sector employment; Headcount ^{1 2}

United Kingdom, seasonally adjusted

	Public Sector		Private Sector		Total employment (thousands) ⁷	Public sector excluding effects of major reclassifications ⁹⁹		Private sector excluding effects of major reclassifications ⁹⁹		
	Headcount (thousands) ³	Percentage ⁴	Headcount (thousands) ⁵	Percentage ⁶		Headcount (thousands)	Percentage	Headcount (thousands)	Percentage	
	G7AU	G9BZ	G7K5	G9C2		G7GO	MFY7	MFY9	MFZ2	MFY5
1999	5,404	19.9	21,711	80.1	27,115	4,968	18.3	22,147	81.7	
2000	5,484	19.9	22,044	80.1	27,528	5,049	18.3	22,479	81.7	
2001	5,574	20.1	22,125	79.9	27,699	5,137	18.5	22,562	81.5	
2002	5,680	20.4	22,228	79.6	27,908	5,227	18.7	22,681	81.3	
2003	5,841	20.7	22,395	79.3	28,236	5,423	19.2	22,813	80.8	
2004	5,971	21.0	22,493	79.0	28,464	5,544	19.5	22,920	80.5	
2005	6,066	21.0	22,789	79.0	28,855	5,643	19.6	23,212	80.4	
2006	6,035	20.7	23,105	79.3	29,140	5,619	19.3	23,521	80.7	
2007	6,001	20.4	23,351	79.6	29,352	5,575	19.0	23,777	81.0	
2008	5,990	20.2	23,706	79.8	29,696	5,552	18.7	24,144	81.3	
2009	6,407	22.1	22,611	77.9	29,018	5,615	19.4	23,403	80.6	
2010	6,397	21.8	22,928	78.2	29,325	5,624	19.2	23,701	80.8	
2011	6,198	21.1	23,147	78.9	29,345	5,442	18.5	23,903	81.5	
2012	5,844	19.6	23,901	80.4	29,745	5,305	17.8	24,440	82.2	
2013	5,798	19.3	24,198	80.7	29,996	5,271	17.6	24,725	82.4	
2014	5,508	17.9	25,196	82.1	30,704	5,258	17.1	25,446	82.9	
2015	5,449	17.5	25,742	82.5	31,191	5,216	16.7	25,975	83.3	
2016	5,426 [†]	17.1	26,331 [†]	82.9	31,757	5,195 [†]	16.4	26,562 [†]	83.6	
2017	5,440	16.9	26,696	83.1	32,136	5,220	16.2	26,916	83.8	
1999	Mar	5,393	19.9	21,649	80.1	27,042	4,956	18.3	22,086	81.7
	Jun	5,404	19.9	21,711	80.1	27,115	4,968	18.3	22,147	81.7
	Sep	5,435	20.0	21,777	80.0	27,212	4,991	18.3	22,221	81.7
	Dec	5,451	20.0	21,856	80.0	27,307	5,018	18.4	22,289	81.6
2000	Mar	5,466	19.9	21,940	80.1	27,406	5,029	18.3	22,377	81.7
	Jun	5,484	19.9	22,044	80.1	27,528	5,049	18.3	22,479	81.7
	Sep	5,514	20.0	22,014	80.0	27,528	5,072	18.4	22,456	81.6
	Dec	5,519	20.0	22,118	80.0	27,637	5,081	18.4	22,556	81.6
2001	Mar	5,548	20.1	22,115	79.9	27,663	5,107	18.5	22,556	81.5
	Jun	5,574	20.1	22,125	79.9	27,699	5,137	18.5	22,562	81.5
	Sep	5,600	20.2	22,135	79.8	27,735	5,155	18.6	22,580	81.4
	Dec	5,614	20.2	22,155	79.8	27,769	5,159	18.6	22,610	81.4
2002	Mar	5,656	20.3	22,200	79.7	27,856	5,200	18.7	22,656	81.3
	Jun	5,680	20.4	22,228	79.6	27,908	5,227	18.7	22,681	81.3
	Sep	5,719	20.4	22,304	79.6	28,023	5,260	18.8	22,763	81.2
	Dec	5,759	20.5	22,322	79.5	28,081	5,326	19.0	22,755	81.0
2003	Mar	5,811	20.6	22,331	79.4	28,142	5,375	19.1	22,767	80.9
	Jun	5,841	20.7	22,395	79.3	28,236	5,423	19.2	22,813	80.8
	Sep	5,882	20.8	22,403	79.2	28,285	5,457	19.3	22,828	80.7
	Dec	5,914	20.8	22,485	79.2	28,399	5,499	19.4	22,900	80.6
2004	Mar	5,947	20.9	22,502	79.1	28,449	5,530	19.4	22,919	80.6
	Jun	5,971	21.0	22,493	79.0	28,464	5,544	19.5	22,920	80.5
	Sep	6,009	21.1	22,535	78.9	28,544	5,584	19.6	22,960	80.4
	Dec	6,015	20.9	22,711	79.1	28,726	5,581	19.4	23,145	80.6
2005	Mar	6,036	21.0	22,723	79.0	28,759	5,610	19.5	23,149	80.5
	Jun	6,066	21.0	22,789	79.0	28,855	5,643	19.6	23,212	80.4
	Sep	6,074	21.0	22,839	79.0	28,913	5,642	19.5	23,271	80.5
	Dec	6,059	20.9	22,875	79.1	28,934	5,632	19.5	23,302	80.5
2006	Mar	6,047	20.8	23,038	79.2	29,085	5,625	19.3	23,460	80.7
	Jun	6,035	20.7	23,105	79.3	29,140	5,619	19.3	23,521	80.7
	Sep	6,028	20.7	23,161	79.3	29,189	5,600	19.2	23,589	80.8
	Dec	6,005	20.6	23,197	79.4	29,202	5,569	19.1	23,633	80.9
2007	Mar	6,009	20.6	23,223	79.4	29,232	5,578	19.1	23,654	80.9
	Jun	6,001	20.4	23,351	79.6	29,352	5,575	19.0	23,777	81.0
	Sep	5,997	20.3	23,473	79.7	29,470	5,560	18.9	23,910	81.1
	Dec	5,987	20.2	23,627	79.8	29,614	5,541	18.7	24,073	81.3
2008	Mar	5,975	20.1	23,731	79.9	29,706	5,537	18.6	24,169	81.4
	Jun	5,990	20.2	23,706	79.8	29,696	5,552	18.7	24,144	81.3
	Sep	6,146	20.8	23,389	79.2	29,535	5,581	18.9	23,954	81.1
	Dec	6,399	21.7	23,140	78.3	29,539	5,599	19.0	23,940	81.0
2009	Mar	6,407	21.9	22,865	78.1	29,272	5,606	19.2	23,666	80.8
	Jun	6,407	22.1	22,611	77.9	29,018	5,615	19.4	23,403	80.6
	Sep	6,440	22.1	22,644	77.9	29,084	5,641	19.4	23,443	80.6
	Dec	6,428	22.1	22,629	77.9	29,057	5,648	19.4	23,409	80.6
2010	Mar	6,420	22.1	22,628	77.9	29,048	5,643	19.4	23,405	80.6
	Jun	6,397	21.8	22,928	78.2	29,325	5,624	19.2	23,701	80.8
	Sep	6,358	21.7	22,950	78.3	29,308	5,570	19.0	23,738	81.0
	Dec	6,306	21.5	23,085	78.5	29,391	5,536	18.8	23,855	81.2
2011	Mar	6,284	21.3	23,152	78.7	29,436	5,515	18.7	23,921	81.3
	Jun	6,198	21.1	23,147	78.9	29,345	5,442	18.5	23,903	81.5
	Sep	6,173	21.1	23,124	78.9	29,297	5,409	18.5	23,888	81.5
	Dec	6,123	20.9	23,228	79.1	29,351	5,373	18.3	23,978	81.7
2012	Mar	6,086	20.6	23,409	79.4	29,495	5,338	18.1	24,157	81.9
	Jun	5,844	19.6	23,901	80.4	29,745	5,305	17.8	24,440	82.2
	Sep	5,835	19.6	23,910	80.4	29,745	5,286	17.8	24,459	82.2
	Dec	5,809	19.4	24,082	80.6	29,891	5,269	17.6	24,622	82.4
2013	Mar	5,801	19.4	24,082	80.6	29,883	5,266	17.6	24,617	82.4
	Jun	5,798	19.3	24,198	80.7	29,996	5,271	17.6	24,725	82.4
	Sep	5,817	19.2	24,404	80.8	30,221	5,287	17.5	24,934	82.5
	Dec	5,632	18.6	24,699	81.4	30,331	5,272	17.4	25,059	82.6
2014	Mar	5,526	18.0	25,112	82.0	30,638	5,264	17.2	25,374	82.8
	Jun	5,508	17.9	25,196	82.1	30,704	5,258	17.1	25,446	82.9
	Sep	5,512	17.9	25,330	82.1	30,842	5,245	17.0	25,597	83.0
	Dec	5,494	17.7	25,514	82.3	31,008	5,239	16.9	25,769	83.1
2015	Mar	5,473	17.6	25,653	82.4	31,126	5,228	16.8	25,898	83.2
	Jun	5,449	17.5	25,742	82.5	31,191	5,216	16.7	25,975	83.3
	Sep	5,452	17.4	25,965	82.6	31,417	5,201	16.6	26,216	83.4
	Dec	5,444	17.3	26,093	82.7	31,537	5,202	16.5	26,335	83.5
2016	Mar	5,444	17.2	26,139	82.8	31,583	5,201	16.5	26,382	83.5
	Jun	5,426 [†]	17.1	26,331 [†]	82.9	31,757	5,195 [†]	16.4	26,562 [†]	83.6
	Sep	5,437	17.1	26,318	82.9	31,755	5,202	16.4	26,553	83.6
	Dec	5,431	17.1	26,415	82.9	31,846	5,198	16.3	26,648	83.7
2017	Mar	5,425	17.0	26,529	83.0	31,954	5,197	16.3 [†]	26,757	83.7 [†]
	Jun	5,440	16.9	26,696	83.1	32,136	5,220	16.2	26,916	83.8

5 Public and private sector employment; Headcount^{1 2}

United Kingdom, seasonally adjusted

	Public Sector		Private Sector		Total employment (thousands) ⁷	Public sector excluding effects of major reclassifications ⁹⁹		Private sector excluding effects of major reclassifications ⁹⁹	
	Headcount (thousands) ³	Percentage ⁴	Headcount (thousands) ⁵	Percentage ⁶		Headcount (thousands)	Percentage	Headcount (thousands)	Percentage
	G7AU	G9BZ	G7K5	G9C2		G7GO	MFY7	MFY9	MFZ2	MFY5
Change on quarter to:									
2016 Jun	-18 †	-0.1	192 †	0.1	174	-6 †	-0.1	180 †	0.1
Sep	11	0.0	-13	0.0	-2	7	0.0	-9	0.0
Dec	-6	0.0	97	0.0	91	-4	-0.1	95	0.1
2017 Mar	-6	-0.1	114	0.1	108	-1	0.0 †	109	0.0 †
Jun	15	-0.1	167	0.1	182	23	-0.1	159	0.1
% change on quarter to:									
2016 Jun	-0.3	..	0.7	..	0.6	-0.1 †	..	0.7	..
Sep	0.2 †	..	0.0	..	0.0	0.1	..	0.0	..
Dec	-0.1	..	0.4	..	0.3	-0.1	..	0.4	..
2017 Mar	-0.1	..	0.4	..	0.3	0.0	..	0.4	..
Jun	0.3	..	0.6	..	0.6	0.4	..	0.6	..
Change on year to:									
2016 Jun	-23 †	-0.4	589 †	0.4	566	-21 †	-0.3	587 †	0.3
Sep	-15	-0.3	353	0.3	338	1	-0.2	337	0.2
Dec	-13	-0.2	322	0.2	309	-4	-0.2	313	0.2
2017 Mar	-19	-0.2	390	0.2	371	-4	-0.2 †	375	0.2 †
Jun	14	-0.2	365	0.2	379	25	-0.2	354	0.2
% change on year to:									
2016 Jun	-0.4 †	..	2.3	..	1.8	-0.4 †	..	2.3 †	..
Sep	-0.3	..	1.4	..	1.1	0.0	..	1.3	..
Dec	-0.2	..	1.2	..	1.0	-0.1	..	1.2	..
2017 Mar	-0.3	..	1.5	..	1.2	-0.1	..	1.4	..
Jun	0.3	..	1.4	..	1.2	0.5	..	1.3	..

Sources: Labour Force Survey and estimates from public sector organisations;
Office for National Statistics

1 Rounded estimates have been used in this table to calculate the comparisons between periods.

2 Annual figures relate to June quarter.

3 Estimates for December 2007 onwards are based partly on projections.

4 Represents G7AU/G7GO*100.

5 Estimated as the difference between LFS total employment and the data from public sector organisations.

6 Represents G7K5/G7GO*100.

7 Labour Force Survey - All in Employment aged 16 and over. Data refers to May-July for annual data from 1992 - 2004, for March to February - April, June to May - July, September to August - October and December to November - January. Quarterly and annual changes may differ slightly from those published elsewhere due to rounding conventions.

8 In recent years the public and private sector employment series have been affected by a number of major reclassifications where bodies employing large numbers of people have moved between the public and private sectors. These major reclassifications are as follows:
English further education colleges and English sixth form college corporations classified to public sector from 1993 to 31 March 2012. They are therefore included in public sector estimates from 1993 to March 2012, but not in subsequent quarters.

Royal Mail plc is included in the private sector from December 2013 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.

Lloyds Banking Group plc is included in the public sector from December 2008 to December 2013 but in the private sector for earlier and subsequent periods.

Royal Bank of Scotland plc is included in the public sector from December 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.

Network Rail is included in the private sector before December 2002. From December 2002 onwards it is included in the public sector (except for the period from June 2003 to March 2004, when it is included in the private sector).

Northern Rock is included in the public sector from December 2007 until December 2011 but in the private sector for earlier and later time periods.

Bradford and Bingley is included in the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.

Welsh further education colleges are included in the private sector from March 2015 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.

English housing associations are classified to the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.

9 The series shown in this table for public and private sector employment excluding the effects of major reclassifications show all of the above mentioned bodies included in the private sector for all time periods.

† Indicates earliest revision

6 Regional public sector employment ^{1 2 3 4}

Headcount (thousands), not seasonally adjusted

Area Code	Region																
	United Kingdom ^{6,7}		United Kingdom (seasonally adjusted) ^{6,7}	Great Britain ⁸	England	North East	North West	Yorkshire and The Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East	London	South East	South West	Wales	Scotland ⁹	Northern Ireland ^{10,11}
	K02000001	K02000001	K03000001	E92000001	E12000001	E12000002	E12000003	E12000004	E12000005	E12000006	E12000007	E12000008	E12000009	W92000004	S92000003	N92000002	
2008	5,983	5,990	5,723	4,777	291	695	527	377	511	454	733	681	509	345	601	223	
2009	6,402	6,407	6,136	5,140	302	743	568	399	548	485	812	732	550	356	639	230	
2010	6,394	6,397	6,139	5,154	299	738	572	398	547	487	831	732	551	352	632	227	
2011	6,194	6,198	5,946	5,000	282	708	553	393	530	480	802	720	532	341	604	222	
2012	5,842	5,844	5,598	4,673	263	663	512	363	499	451	763	675	486	337	588	218	
2013	5,794	5,798	5,551	4,631	258	659	507	359	491	436	772	670	478	335	585	218	
2014	5,512	5,508	5,275	4,412	244	622	472	348	470	424	742	643	446	315	548	212	
2015	5,453	5,449	5,223	4,383	238	618	466	341	466	422	743	645	444	295	545	211	
2016	5,428	5,426	5,206	4,369	238	617	464	340	459	424	738	644	445	292	545	206	
2017	5,443	5,440	5,222	4,384	237	617	463	343	463	427	744	644	446	294	544	205	
2008 Mar	5,981	5,975	5,718	4,773	291	694	528	376	510	455	733	678	509	345	600	225	
Jun	5,983	5,990	5,723	4,777	291	695	527	377	511	454	733	681	509	345	601	223	
Sep	6,120	6,146	5,865	4,919	296	710	542	383	529	464	763	709	523	345	600	219	
Dec	6,424	6,399	6,166	5,160	303	747	574	400	550	473	810	750	553	358	648	228	
2009 Mar	6,414	6,407	6,149	5,143	302	743	574	399	549	467	810	747	552	358	647	230	
Jun	6,402	6,407	6,136	5,140	302	743	568	399	548	485	812	732	550	356	639	230	
Sep	6,412	6,440	6,148	5,156	303	742	571	396	550	485	819	737	554	356	637	228	
Dec	6,451	6,428	6,194	5,197	302	745	579	399	549	487	833	741	563	358	639	230	
2010 Mar	6,428	6,420	6,169	5,179	302	742	574	401	547	487	831	738	557	354	636	229	
Jun	6,394	6,397	6,139	5,154	299	738	572	398	547	487	831	732	551	352	632	227	
Sep	6,329	6,358	6,079	5,105	293	733	564	398	544	483	818	729	543	349	625	222	
Dec	6,327	6,306	6,078	5,105	291	728	556	400	547	488	818	735	542	349	625	224	
2011 Mar	6,296	6,284	6,052	5,085	289	724	562	398	542	487	811	732	540	346	621	223	
Jun	6,194	6,198	5,946	5,000	282	708	553	393	530	480	802	720	532	341	604	222	
Sep	6,145	6,173	5,901	4,968	279	703	544	391	528	478	799	717	530	337	596	218	
Dec	6,142	6,123	5,899	4,967	280	702	545	392	529	478	799	717	526	339	594	218	
2012 Mar	6,097	6,086	5,851	4,919	277	698	538	389	528	474	795	713	508	340	592	219	
Jun	5,842	5,844	5,598	4,673	263	663	512	363	499	451	763	675	486	337	588	218	
Sep	5,807	5,835	5,566	4,650	261	664	508	362	496	441	764	675	479	333	583	215	
Dec	5,830	5,809	5,587	4,670	263	666	512	364	496	438	767	680	484	335	583	218	
2013 Mar	5,812	5,801	5,571	4,652	261	662	511	361	491	440	764	683	479	335	584	218	
Jun	5,794	5,798	5,551	4,631	258	659	507	359	491	436	772	670	478	335	585	218	
Sep	5,789	5,817	5,548	4,632	257	647	501	362	490	435	779	677	484	333	583	216	
Dec	5,638	5,632	5,400	4,505	251	633	488	353	482	430	755	655	458	326	570	213	
2014 Mar	5,540	5,526	5,303	4,436	246	626	475	351	472	426	744	648	448	318	549	213	
Jun	5,512	5,508	5,275	4,412	244	622	472	348	470	424	742	643	446	315	548	212	
Sep	5,488	5,512	5,254	4,396	242	620	469	344	468	422	742	643	446	313	545	211	
Dec	5,499	5,494	5,263	4,405	242	619	470	344	469	424	744	649	444	312	546	213	
2015 Mar	5,485	5,473	5,251	4,407	240	620	470	344	468	425	746	649	446	297	547	212	
Jun	5,453	5,449	5,223	4,383	238	618	466	341	466	422	743	645	444	295	545	211	
Sep	5,430	5,452	5,208	4,372	240	616	462	341	463	420	741	644	444	291	545	207	
Dec	5,449	5,444	5,225	4,389	241	618	464	341	465	425	743	647	445	291	545	207	
2016 Mar	5,456	5,444	5,232	4,392	241	620	466	341	463	426	743	647	446	293	546	207	
Jun	5,428	5,426	5,206	4,369	238	617	464	340	459	424	738	644	445	292	545	206	
Sep	5,419	5,437	5,202	4,369	236	615	465	340	461	424	739	641	447	290	542	202	
Dec	5,435	5,431	5,213	4,380	237	617	466	341	460	425	740	644	448	291	542	205	
2017 Mar	5,436	5,425	5,214	4,377	237	618	462	341	460	426	741	644	448	294	543	206	
Jun	5,443	5,440	5,222	4,384	237	617	463	343	463	427	744	644	446	294	544	205	
Change on year to:																	
2017 Jun	15	14	15	15	-1	0	-1	3	4	2	6	0	1	1	-1	-1	
% change	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	-0.5	0.1	-0.2	1.0	0.9	0.6	0.8	0.0	0.2	0.5	-0.2	-0.4	
% of total employment ⁵																	
2016 Jun	17.1	17.1	17.0	16.4	20.9	18.5	18.4	15.4	17.5	15.2	14.5	15.2	16.5	20.8	20.7	25.2	
2017 Mar	17.0	17.0	16.9	16.3	20.1	18.0	18.2	16.1	17.5	15.6	14.3	15.2	16.3	21.4	20.7	25.4	
2017 Jun	16.9	16.9	16.8	16.2	20.3	18.0	18.3	16.1	17.4	15.3	14.0	15.0	16.4	21.6	20.3	25.4	

Source: Office for National Statistics

- Annual figures relate to June quarter.
- Estimates are based on where people are employed.
- Quarterly changes in employment may be due to seasonal effects.
- In recent years the public and private sector employment series have been affected by a number of major reclassifications where bodies employing large numbers of people have moved between the public and private sectors. These major reclassifications are as follows:
Further Education corporations and Sixth Form College corporations in England are included in the private sector from June 2012 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
Royal Mail plc is included in the private sector from December 2013 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
Lloyds Banking Group plc is included in the public sector from December 2008 to December 2013 but in the private sector for earlier and subsequent periods.
Royal Bank of Scotland plc is included in the public sector from December 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.
Network Rail is included in the private sector before December 2002. From December 2002 onwards it is included in the public sector (except for the period from June 2003 to March 2004, when it is included in the private sector).
Northern Rock is included in the public sector from December 2007 until December 2011 but in the private sector for earlier and later time periods.
Bradford and Bingley is included in the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.
English further education colleges and English sixth form college corporations classified to the public sector from 1993 to 31 March 2012. They are therefore included in public sector estimates from 1993 to March 2012, and to the private sector thereafter.
Welsh further education colleges are included in the private sector from March 2015 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
English housing associations are classified to the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.
- Figures use Labour Force Survey (LFS) - All in employment aged 16 and over by region of workplace as a denominator. Data refer March to February-April, June to May-July, September to August-October and December to November-January.
- Includes public sector employees who could not be assigned to a region.
- UK rates based on total employment that includes overseas employees, those who did not state their region of workplace when surveyed under the Labour Force Survey and public sector employees that could not be assigned to a region.
- The estimate for Great Britain is the sum total of England, Wales and Scotland.
- Estimates of public sector employment for Scotland are supplied by Scottish Government and match those produced by Scottish Government for June (Q2) 2017.
For further details see <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Labour-Market/PublicSectorEmployment>
- Estimates of public sector employment for Northern Ireland will differ to those published by the Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency which exclude HM Forces personnel. Further details can be found at <https://www.nisra.gov.uk/statistics/labour-market-and-social-welfare/quarterly-employment-survey>
- The use of workplace based LFS estimates of total employment may overestimate the proportion of public sector employment for Northern Ireland.

6a Regional public sector employment excluding effects of major reclassifications 1 2 3 4 5

Headcount (thousands), not seasonally adjusted

		Region															
All employees		United Kingdom ^{7,8}	United Kingdom (seasonally adjusted) ^{7,8}	Great Britain ⁹	England	North East	North West	Yorkshire and The Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East	London	South East	South West	Wales	Scotland ¹⁰	Northern Ireland ^{11,12}
Area Code		K02000001	K03000001	K03000001	E92000001	E12000001	E12000002	E12000003	E12000004	E12000005	E12000006	E12000007	E12000008	E12000009	W92000004	S92000003	N92000002
2008		5,547	5,552	5,294	4,385	266	642	486	347	468	426	675	608	467	326	583	219
2009		5,609	5,615	5,356	4,450	267	647	493	356	467	439	688	612	479	327	580	221
2010		5,617	5,624	5,375	4,476	266	642	498	356	468	425	708	634	479	325	574	218
2011		5,436	5,442	5,200	4,336	251	617	476	352	454	418	679	627	462	313	551	213
2012		5,299	5,305	5,066	4,218	244	602	462	338	447	410	666	613	436	309	539	210
2013		5,265	5,271	5,034	4,191	239	600	462	335	441	395	677	609	433	309	534	211
2014		5,252	5,258	5,017	4,183	233	586	456	338	441	404	686	612	427	301	533	210
2015		5,210	5,216	4,982	4,158	228	583	450	331	437	401	689	614	425	292	532	209
2016		5,191	5,195	4,972	4,151	230	582	450	330	431	404	686	613	427	290	530	203
2017		5,217	5,220	4,998	4,176	229	584	450	333	436	407	695	614	428	292	530	203
2008	Mar	5,547	5,537	5,293	4,384	266	640	487	347	468	427	676	606	467	326	582	221
	Jun	5,547	5,552	5,294	4,385	266	642	486	347	468	426	675	608	467	326	583	219
	Sep	5,567	5,581	5,320	4,411	266	639	493	349	469	425	680	622	470	326	583	214
	Dec	5,608	5,599	5,363	4,451	267	649	497	355	467	427	683	625	480	327	585	219
2009	Mar	5,617	5,606	5,364	4,449	267	647	498	356	468	422	685	626	481	328	586	221
	Jun	5,609	5,615	5,356	4,450	267	647	493	356	467	439	688	612	479	327	580	221
	Sep	5,627	5,641	5,376	4,471	268	646	497	354	470	439	694	620	483	327	577	220
	Dec	5,656	5,648	5,413	4,504	266	650	503	356	469	441	707	622	491	329	579	221
2010	Mar	5,655	5,643	5,407	4,504	269	646	500	360	469	425	709	641	486	326	578	221
	Jun	5,617	5,624	5,375	4,476	266	642	498	356	468	425	708	634	479	325	574	218
	Sep	5,557	5,570	5,319	4,431	260	639	489	357	465	421	695	632	472	321	568	214
	Dec	5,543	5,536	5,310	4,428	259	634	485	358	469	424	692	637	470	321	563	215
2011	Mar	5,528	5,515	5,298	4,413	257	631	484	356	464	425	688	637	470	318	567	215
	Jun	5,436	5,442	5,200	4,336	251	617	476	352	454	418	679	627	462	313	551	213
	Sep	5,396	5,409	5,165	4,312	249	612	468	350	453	417	677	624	461	309	544	210
	Dec	5,379	5,373	5,148	4,297	249	609	468	349	453	415	675	623	456	310	541	210
2012	Mar	5,352	5,338	5,118	4,266	248	608	465	348	453	413	673	620	436	311	542	211
	Jun	5,299	5,305	5,066	4,218	244	602	462	338	447	410	666	613	436	309	539	210
	Sep	5,273	5,286	5,045	4,203	242	604	460	338	445	401	669	614	431	306	536	208
	Dec	5,274	5,269	5,044	4,204	243	604	462	337	443	396	670	616	433	306	533	210
2013	Mar	5,280	5,266	5,050	4,206	241	603	463	338	440	399	670	622	430	308	536	211
	Jun	5,265	5,271	5,034	4,191	239	600	462	335	441	395	677	609	433	309	534	211
	Sep	5,274	5,287	5,045	4,206	239	590	459	338	442	396	686	617	439	306	533	209
	Dec	5,277	5,272	5,044	4,205	239	590	461	340	444	405	682	615	430	305	533	210
2014	Mar	5,278	5,264	5,043	4,206	236	590	460	340	442	406	687	616	429	303	534	210
	Jun	5,252	5,258	5,017	4,183	233	586	456	338	441	404	686	612	427	301	533	210
	Sep	5,231	5,245	4,999	4,169	232	585	453	334	438	401	687	612	427	299	531	209
	Dec	5,244	5,239	5,010	4,180	232	584	455	333	439	404	690	618	425	298	532	210
2015	Mar	5,242	5,228	5,011	4,182	230	585	455	334	439	404	692	618	427	295	533	210
	Jun	5,210	5,216	4,982	4,158	228	583	450	331	437	401	689	614	425	292	532	209
	Sep	5,187	5,201	4,967	4,148	230	581	447	331	434	400	687	613	425	289	531	205
	Dec	5,207	5,202	4,986	4,166	232	583	448	331	436	404	689	616	426	288	531	205
2016	Mar	5,214	5,201	4,993	4,170	232	585	451	331	434	405	690	616	427	291	532	205
	Jun	5,191	5,195	4,972	4,151	230	582	450	330	431	404	686	613	427	290	530	203
	Sep	5,186	5,202	4,971	4,154	227	582	450	330	433	404	688	611	429	288	528	200
	Dec	5,205	5,198	4,986	4,167	229	584	452	332	432	406	689	614	430	289	529	203
2017	Mar	5,208	5,197	4,988	4,166	229	585	448	332	432	406	691	614	429	292	530	204
	Jun	5,217	5,220	4,998	4,176	229	584	450	333	436	407	695	614	428	292	530	203
Change on year to:																	
	2017 Jun	26	25	26	25	-1	2	0	4	5	3	9	1	2	2	0	-1
	% change	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	-0.4	0.3	0.0	1.1	1.2	0.8	1.3	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.0	-0.4
% of total employment ⁶																	
	2016 Jun	16.4	16.4	16.2	15.6	20.1	17.5	17.8	15.0	16.4	14.5	13.4	14.5	15.9	20.7	20.2	25.0
	2017 Mar	16.3	16.3	16.2	15.5	19.4	17.0	17.7	15.6	16.5	14.9	13.3	14.5	15.7	21.2	20.2	25.1
	2017 Jun	16.2	16.2	16.1	15.4	19.6	17.0	17.8	15.7	16.4	14.6	13.1	14.3	15.7	21.4	19.8	25.2

Source: Office for National Statistics

1 For analysis purposes, employment of bodies subject to major reclassifications over the series have been excluded from the estimates in this table to provide a trend on a consistent basis.

2 In recent years the public and private sector employment series have been affected by a number of major reclassifications where bodies employing large numbers of people have moved between the public and private sectors. These major reclassifications are as follows:
 Further Education corporations and Sixth Form College corporations in England are included in the private sector from June 2012 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
 Royal Mail plc is included in the private sector from December 2013 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
 Lloyds Banking Group plc is included in the public sector from December 2008 to December 2013 but in the private sector for earlier and subsequent periods.
 Royal Bank of Scotland plc is included in the public sector from December 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.
 Network Rail is included in the private sector before December 2002. From December 2002 onwards it is included in the public sector (except for the period from June 2003 to March 2004, when it is included in the private sector).
 Northern Rock is included in the public sector from December 2007 until December 2011 but in the private sector for earlier and later time periods.
 Bradford and Bingley is included in the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.
 English further education colleges and English sixth form college corporations classified to the public sector from 1993 to 31 March 2012. They are therefore included in public sector estimates from 1993 to March 2012, and to the private sector thereafter.
 Welsh further education colleges are included in the private sector from March 2015 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
 English housing associations are classified to the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.

3 Annual figures relate to June quarter.

4 Estimates are based on where people are employed.

5 Quarterly changes in employment may be due to seasonal effects.

6 Figures use Labour Force Survey (LFS) - All in employment aged 16 and over by region of workplace as a denominator. Data refer March to February-April, June to May-July, September to August-October and December to November-January.

7 Includes public sector employees who could not be assigned to a region.

8 UK rates based on total employment that includes overseas employees, those who did not state their region of workplace when surveyed under the Labour Force Survey and public sector employees that could not be assigned to a region.

9 The estimate for Great Britain is the sum total of England, Wales and Scotland.

10 Estimates of public sector employment for Scotland are supplied by Scottish Government and match those produced by Scottish Government for June (Q2) 2017.
 For further details see <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Labour-Market/PublicSectorEmployment>

11 Estimates of public sector employment for Northern Ireland will differ to those published by the Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency which exclude HM Forces personnel. Further details can be found at <https://www.nisra.gov.uk/statistics/labour-market-and-social-welfare/quarterly-employment-survey>

12 The use of workplace based LFS estimates of total employment may overestimate the proportion of public sector employment for Northern Ireland.

7 Regional private sector employment ^{1 2 3 4 5}

Headcount (thousands), not seasonally adjusted

		Region														
All employees		United Kingdom (seasonally adjusted) ⁷	Great Britain ⁸	England	North East	North West	Yorkshire and The Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East	London	South East	South West	Wales	Scotland ⁹	Northern Ireland ^{10 11}
Area Code	K02000001	K0200001	K0300001	E9200001	E1200001	E1200002	E1200003	E1200004	E1200005	E1200006	E1200007	E1200008	E1200009	W9200004	S9200003	N9200002
2008	23,703	23,706	22,953	19,995	849	2,513	1,898	1,630	1,980	2,109	3,534	3,417	2,064	1,018	1,941	547
2009	22,607	22,611	21,903	19,099	771	2,430	1,810	1,630	1,870	2,026	3,368	3,261	1,933	958	1,846	511
2010	22,922	22,928	22,139	19,347	826	2,479	1,793	1,576	1,949	2,069	3,416	3,249	1,992	967	1,825	538
2011	23,142	23,147	22,400	19,520	812	2,486	1,832	1,636	1,888	2,152	3,473	3,277	1,964	979	1,901	563
2012	23,893	23,901	22,996	20,119	843	2,565	1,837	1,688	1,971	2,124	3,680	3,571	2,060	986	1,892	551
2013	24,190	24,198	23,264	20,318	837	2,542	1,895	1,645	1,974	2,173	3,833	3,388	2,033	994	1,952	568
2014	25,176	25,196	24,319	21,248	864	2,608	1,999	1,722	2,076	2,262	4,044	3,504	2,169	1,021	2,051	577
2015	25,720	25,742	24,867	21,742	877	2,696	2,040	1,807	2,095	2,284	4,154	3,517	2,272	1,069	2,056	589
2016	26,309	26,331	25,462	22,265	903	2,713	2,062	1,860	2,163	2,367	4,361	3,591	2,246	1,112	2,085	609
2017	26,679	26,696	25,852	22,647	930	2,812	2,064	1,782	2,200	2,364	4,561	3,655	2,278	1,070	2,136	601
2008 Mar	23,646	23,731	22,898	19,933	839	2,493	1,892	1,647	2,003	2,106	3,554	3,345	2,053	1,004	1,960	552
Jun	23,703	23,706	22,953	19,995	849	2,513	1,898	1,630	1,980	2,109	3,534	3,417	2,064	1,018	1,941	547
Sep	23,497	23,389	22,769	19,802	842	2,470	1,884	1,657	1,941	2,111	3,470	3,384	2,043	1,010	1,957	548
Dec	23,146	23,140	22,435	19,578	817	2,464	1,834	1,638	1,916	2,095	3,497	3,310	2,006	967	1,890	523
2009 Mar	22,775	22,865	22,072	19,252	795	2,443	1,799	1,631	1,889	2,068	3,410	3,264	1,953	954	1,866	509
Jun	22,607	22,611	21,903	19,099	771	2,430	1,810	1,630	1,870	2,026	3,368	3,261	1,933	958	1,846	511
Sep	22,751	22,644	22,047	19,251	787	2,461	1,808	1,668	1,916	2,040	3,407	3,232	1,933	919	1,876	524
Dec	22,636	22,629	21,903	19,150	800	2,430	1,815	1,606	1,921	2,045	3,372	3,220	1,940	920	1,832	527
2010 Mar	22,534	22,628	21,770	19,053	810	2,426	1,791	1,569	1,891	2,027	3,392	3,218	1,928	938	1,779	533
Jun	22,922	22,928	22,139	19,347	826	2,479	1,793	1,576	1,949	2,069	3,416	3,249	1,992	967	1,825	538
Sep	23,061	22,950	22,299	19,463	816	2,473	1,770	1,603	1,932	2,100	3,504	3,251	2,015	971	1,864	535
Dec	23,085	23,085	22,316	19,479	804	2,471	1,804	1,599	1,892	2,144	3,502	3,270	1,992	968	1,870	532
2011 Mar	23,054	23,152	22,275	19,434	788	2,441	1,779	1,605	1,904	2,171	3,524	3,250	1,971	975	1,866	549
Jun	23,142	23,147	22,400	19,520	812	2,486	1,832	1,636	1,888	2,152	3,473	3,277	1,964	979	1,901	563
Sep	23,236	23,124	22,479	19,588	806	2,515	1,805	1,629	1,922	2,125	3,513	3,278	1,997	985	1,906	570
Dec	23,222	23,228	22,451	19,584	822	2,477	1,808	1,625	1,942	2,128	3,528	3,272	1,982	983	1,884	570
2012 Mar	23,315	23,409	22,458	19,624	833	2,475	1,791	1,646	1,929	2,125	3,581	3,274	1,971	959	1,874	554
Jun	23,893	23,901	22,996	20,119	843	2,565	1,837	1,688	1,971	2,124	3,680	3,511	2,060	986	1,892	551
Sep	24,021	23,910	23,097	20,223	859	2,544	1,887	1,705	1,993	2,119	3,737	3,318	2,062	969	1,905	560
Dec	24,069	24,082	23,186	20,322	848	2,552	1,872	1,687	2,053	2,152	3,816	3,295	2,047	963	1,901	548
2013 Mar	23,997	24,082	23,090	20,180	844	2,546	1,871	1,670	1,991	2,106	3,815	3,306	2,031	972	1,938	556
Jun	24,190	24,198	23,264	20,318	837	2,542	1,895	1,645	1,974	2,173	3,833	3,388	2,033	994	1,952	568
Sep	24,514	24,404	23,599	20,598	846	2,545	1,930	1,704	2,020	2,240	3,874	3,374	2,066	1,028	1,973	564
Dec	24,697	24,699	23,839	20,810	855	2,549	1,947	1,675	2,048	2,237	3,937	3,441	2,122	1,042	1,987	568
2014 Mar	25,030	25,112	24,181	21,149	878	2,596	1,987	1,705	2,057	2,260	4,024	3,463	2,180	1,024	2,009	581
Jun	25,176	25,196	24,319	21,248	864	2,608	1,999	1,722	2,076	2,262	4,044	3,504	2,169	1,021	2,051	577
Sep	25,434	25,330	24,578	21,516	896	2,662	2,027	1,773	2,100	2,266	4,103	3,485	2,204	1,014	2,048	589
Dec	25,509	25,514	24,695	21,619	900	2,692	2,030	1,756	2,130	2,268	4,143	3,506	2,192	1,027	2,050	578
2015 Mar	25,575	25,653	24,745	21,635	904	2,698	2,013	1,766	2,111	2,265	4,135	3,517	2,228	1,035	2,074	586
Jun	25,720	25,742	24,867	21,742	877	2,696	2,040	1,807	2,095	2,284	4,154	3,517	2,272	1,069	2,056	589
Sep	26,084	25,965	25,204	22,069	892	2,745	2,048	1,808	2,142	2,324	4,231	3,597	2,282	1,064	2,071	598
Dec	26,088	26,093	25,239	22,063	896	2,751	2,043	1,823	2,135	2,317	4,243	3,611	2,214	1,104	2,072	600
2016 Mar	26,063	26,139	25,196	22,077	908	2,718	2,029	1,834	2,143	2,299	4,320	3,601	2,225	1,101	2,018	616
Jun	26,309	26,331	25,462	22,265	903	2,713	2,062	1,860	2,163	2,367	4,361	3,591	2,246	1,112	2,085	609
Sep	26,409	26,318	25,601	22,457	929	2,732	2,105	1,864	2,221	2,317	4,404	3,607	2,279	1,103	2,042	614
Dec	26,410	26,415	25,570	22,423	926	2,758	2,068	1,824	2,224	2,341	4,433	3,577	2,272	1,095	2,053	602
2017 Mar	26,447	26,529	25,603	22,441	942	2,824	2,072	1,781	2,166	2,306	4,450	3,605	2,294	1,081	2,082	604
Jun	26,679	26,696	25,852	22,647	930	2,812	2,064	1,782	2,200	2,364	4,561	3,655	2,278	1,070	2,136	601

Change on year to:

2017 Jun	370	365	390	381	27	99	2	-78	37	-3	200	64	32	-42	51	-8
% change	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.7	3.0	3.7	0.1	-4.2	1.7	-0.1	4.6	1.8	1.4	-3.8	2.4	-1.4
% of total employment ⁶																
2016 Jun	82.9	82.9	83.0	83.6	79.1	81.5	81.6	84.6	82.5	84.8	85.5	84.8	83.5	79.2	79.3	74.8
2017 Mar	83.0	83.0	83.1	83.7	79.9	82.0	81.8	83.9	82.5	84.4	85.7	84.8	83.7	78.6	79.3	74.6
2017 Jun	83.1	83.1	83.2	83.8	79.7	82.0	81.7	83.9	82.6	84.7	86.0	85.0	83.6	78.4	79.7	74.6

Source: Office for National Statistics

- Annual figures relate to June quarter.
- Estimates are based on where people are employed.
- Quarterly changes in employment may be due to seasonal effects.
- Estimated as the difference between Labour Force Survey (LFS) - All in employment aged 16 and over by region of workplace and data from public sector organisations. LFS data refer March to February-April, June to May-July, September to August-October and December to November-January.
- In recent years the public and private sector employment series have been affected by a number of major reclassifications where bodies employing large numbers of people have moved between the public and private sectors. These major reclassifications are as follows:
Further Education corporations and Sixth Form College corporations in England are included in the private sector from June 2012 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
Royal Mail plc is included in the private sector from December 2013 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
Lloyds Banking Group plc is included in the public sector from December 2008 to December 2013 but in the private sector for earlier and subsequent periods.
Royal Bank of Scotland plc is included in the public sector from December 2009 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.
Network Rail is included in the private sector before December 2002. From December 2002 onwards it is included in the public sector (except for the period from June 2003 to March 2004, when it is included in the private sector).
Northern Rock is included in the public sector from December 2007 until December 2011 but in the private sector for earlier and later time periods.
Bradford and Bingley is included in the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.
English further education colleges and English sixth form college corporations classified to the public sector from 1993 to 31 March 2012. They are therefore included in public sector estimates from 1993 to March 2012, and to the private sector thereafter.
Welsh further education colleges are included in the private sector from March 2015 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
English housing associations are classified to the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.
- Figures use Labour Force Survey (LFS) - All in employment aged 16 and over by region of workplace as a denominator. Data refer March to February-April, June to May-July, September to August-October and December to November-January.
- UK estimates include overseas employees and those who did not state their region of workplace when surveyed as part of the Labour Force Survey.
- The estimate for Great Britain is the sum total of England, Wales and Scotland.
- Estimates of private sector employment for Scotland are supplied by Scottish Government and match those produced by Scottish Government for June (Q2) 2017.
For further details see <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Labour-Market/PublicSectorEmployment>
- Estimates of public sector employment used to derive private sector employment estimates for Northern Ireland will differ to those published by the Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency which exclude HM Forces personnel.
- The use of workplace based LFS estimates of total employment may underestimate derived private sector employment for Northern Ireland.

7a Regional private sector employment excluding effects of major reclassifications 1 2 3 4 5 6

Headcount (thousands), not seasonally adjusted

All employees	Region															
	United Kingdom ^a	United Kingdom (seasonally adjusted) ^a	Great Britain ^b	England	North East	North West	Yorkshire and The Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East	London	South East	South West	Wales	Scotland ¹⁰	Northern Ireland ^{11,12}
	K02000001	K02000001	K03000001	E92000001	E12000001	E12000002	E12000003	E12000004	E12000005	E12000006	E12000007	E12000008	E12000009	W92000004	S92000003	N92000002
2008	24,139	24,144	23,382	20,386	874	2,567	1,939	1,860	2,023	2,136	3,592	3,489	2,106	1,037	1,958	551
2009	23,400	23,403	22,683	19,790	806	2,526	1,885	1,673	1,951	2,072	3,491	3,382	2,004	987	1,906	520
2010	23,699	23,701	22,902	20,025	858	2,575	1,866	1,677	2,028	2,131	3,539	3,347	2,064	995	1,883	546
2011	23,900	23,903	23,145	20,184	843	2,578	1,909	1,677	1,965	2,214	3,595	3,370	2,033	1,007	1,954	571
2012	24,436	24,440	23,528	20,574	862	2,626	1,887	1,712	2,023	2,166	3,778	3,413	2,109	1,013	1,940	559
2013	24,719	24,725	23,781	20,758	855	2,600	1,940	1,669	2,024	2,214	3,929	3,449	2,078	1,020	2,003	576
2014	25,436	25,446	24,577	21,477	874	2,644	2,014	1,733	2,105	2,283	4,100	3,535	2,188	1,035	2,065	579
2015	25,963	25,975	25,108	21,967	887	2,731	2,056	1,818	2,124	2,305	4,208	3,549	2,291	1,071	2,070	591
2016	26,546	26,562	25,697	22,483	912	2,747	2,077	1,870	2,192	2,387	4,414	3,621	2,285	1,114	2,099	611
2017	26,905	26,916	26,076	22,855	939	2,845	2,078	1,792	2,228	2,383	4,611	3,684	2,296	1,072	2,149	603
2008 Mar	24,080	24,169	23,323	20,322	864	2,546	1,933	1,677	2,046	2,134	3,611	3,417	2,095	1,024	1,978	557
2008 Jun	24,139	24,144	23,382	20,386	874	2,567	1,939	1,860	2,023	2,136	3,592	3,489	2,106	1,037	1,958	551
2008 Sep	24,050	23,954	23,314	20,310	872	2,541	1,933	1,692	2,001	2,150	3,553	3,471	2,097	1,030	1,975	552
2008 Dec	23,962	23,940	23,237	20,287	853	2,562	1,911	1,682	1,998	2,141	3,625	3,435	2,079	998	1,953	532
2009 Mar	23,572	23,666	22,857	19,946	830	2,539	1,875	1,674	1,970	2,113	3,534	3,386	2,024	984	1,927	518
2009 Jun	23,400	23,403	22,683	19,790	806	2,526	1,885	1,673	1,951	2,072	3,491	3,382	2,004	987	1,906	520
2009 Sep	23,539	23,443	22,819	19,936	822	2,557	1,882	1,710	1,995	2,085	3,532	3,349	2,003	948	1,836	532
2009 Dec	23,431	23,409	22,684	19,843	836	2,526	1,890	1,649	2,002	2,091	3,497	3,340	2,013	949	1,892	535
2010 Mar	23,307	23,405	22,531	19,728	843	2,521	1,864	1,610	1,970	2,089	3,515	3,316	1,999	966	1,837	542
2010 Jun	23,699	23,701	22,902	20,025	858	2,575	1,866	1,617	2,028	2,131	3,539	3,347	2,064	995	1,883	546
2010 Sep	23,833	23,738	23,058	20,137	849	2,566	1,845	1,644	2,010	2,162	3,627	3,348	2,086	999	1,922	543
2010 Dec	23,869	23,855	23,085	20,158	836	2,566	1,875	1,641	1,971	2,209	3,629	3,368	2,064	996	1,931	540
2011 Mar	23,822	23,921	23,029	20,106	820	2,535	1,857	1,647	1,981	2,233	3,647	3,345	2,041	1,003	1,920	558
2011 Jun	23,900	23,903	23,145	20,184	843	2,578	1,909	1,677	1,965	2,214	3,595	3,370	2,033	1,007	1,954	571
2011 Sep	23,985	23,888	23,215	20,245	836	2,606	1,881	1,670	1,997	2,186	3,634	3,370	2,065	1,012	1,958	579
2011 Dec	23,985	23,978	23,202	20,254	853	2,570	1,885	1,667	2,018	2,191	3,652	3,366	2,052	1,011	1,937	578
2012 Mar	24,060	24,157	23,190	20,278	862	2,565	1,864	1,687	2,003	2,186	3,703	3,367	2,042	988	1,925	562
2012 Jun	24,436	24,440	23,528	20,574	862	2,626	1,887	1,712	2,023	2,166	3,778	3,413	2,109	1,013	1,940	559
2012 Sep	24,555	24,459	23,619	20,670	878	2,603	1,936	1,729	2,044	2,159	3,831	3,379	2,110	996	1,953	568
2012 Dec	24,625	24,622	23,729	20,788	868	2,614	1,922	1,713	2,106	2,195	3,913	3,359	2,098	991	1,950	556
2013 Mar	24,529	24,617	23,611	20,626	864	2,605	1,920	1,694	2,041	2,147	3,909	3,367	2,080	999	1,986	563
2013 Jun	24,719	24,725	23,781	20,758	855	2,600	1,940	1,669	2,024	2,214	3,929	3,449	2,078	1,020	2,003	576
2013 Sep	25,029	24,934	24,102	21,024	864	2,602	1,971	1,728	2,068	2,279	3,966	3,435	2,111	1,054	2,023	571
2013 Dec	25,058	25,059	24,196	21,110	867	2,593	1,974	1,688	2,086	2,261	4,011	3,481	2,149	1,062	2,023	572
2014 Mar	25,292	25,374	24,440	21,379	888	2,632	2,002	1,715	2,087	2,291	4,080	3,495	2,200	1,038	2,023	584
2014 Jun	25,436	25,446	24,577	21,477	874	2,644	2,014	1,733	2,105	2,283	4,100	3,535	2,188	1,035	2,065	579
2014 Sep	25,692	25,597	24,833	21,743	906	2,697	2,043	1,783	2,130	2,286	4,159	3,516	2,224	1,028	2,061	591
2014 Dec	25,764	25,769	24,948	21,844	910	2,727	2,045	1,767	2,159	2,289	4,198	3,537	2,211	1,041	2,063	580
2015 Mar	25,818	25,898	24,985	21,860	914	2,733	2,028	1,776	2,141	2,285	4,189	3,548	2,247	1,037	2,088	588
2015 Jun	25,963	25,975	25,108	21,967	887	2,731	2,056	1,818	2,124	2,305	4,208	3,549	2,291	1,071	2,070	591
2015 Sep	26,307	26,216	25,445	22,293	902	2,780	2,063	1,818	2,171	2,345	4,285	3,628	2,301	1,067	2,085	600
2015 Dec	26,330	26,335	25,478	22,286	935	2,786	2,058	1,833	2,164	2,338	4,297	3,642	2,233	1,106	2,086	603
2016 Mar	26,305	26,382	25,435	22,299	918	2,753	2,044	1,844	2,172	2,319	4,373	3,631	2,244	1,103	2,032	618
2016 Jun	26,546	26,562	25,697	22,483	912	2,747	2,077	1,870	2,192	2,387	4,414	3,621	2,285	1,114	2,099	611
2016 Sep	26,642	26,553	25,832	22,672	938	2,766	2,119	1,874	2,249	2,337	4,455	3,637	2,297	1,105	2,055	616
2016 Dec	26,640	26,648	25,798	22,635	934	2,791	2,082	1,834	2,252	2,361	4,484	3,607	2,291	1,097	2,066	605
2017 Mar	26,675	26,577	25,829	22,651	951	2,858	2,086	1,791	2,194	2,325	4,500	3,635	2,312	1,083	2,095	606
2017 Jun	26,905	26,916	26,076	22,855	939	2,845	2,078	1,792	2,228	2,383	4,611	3,684	2,296	1,072	2,149	603
Change on year to:																
2017 Jun	359	354	379	372	27	98	2	-78	35	-3	197	63	31	-42	50	-8
% change	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.7	3.0	3.6	0.1	-4.2	1.6	-0.1	4.5	1.7	1.4	-3.8	2.4	-1.4
% of total employment ⁷																
2016 Jun	83.6	83.6	83.8	84.4	79.9	82.5	82.2	85.0	83.6	85.5	86.6	85.5	84.1	79.3	79.8	75.0
2017 Mar	83.7	83.7	83.8	84.5	80.6	83.0	82.3	84.4	83.5	85.1	86.7	85.5	84.3	78.8	79.8	74.9
2017 Jun	83.8	83.8	83.9	84.6	80.4	83.0	82.2	84.3	83.6	85.4	86.9	85.7	84.3	78.6	80.2	74.8

Source: Office for National Statistics

1 For analysis purposes, employment of bodies subject to major reclassifications over the series have been included in the estimates in this table to provide a trend on a consistent basis.

2 In recent years the public and private sector employment series have been affected by a number of major reclassifications where bodies employing large numbers of people have moved between the public and private sectors. These major reclassifications are as follows:
 Further Education corporations and Sixth Form College corporations in England are included in the private sector from June 2012 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
 Royal Mail plc is included in the private sector from December 2013 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
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 Welsh further education colleges are included in the private sector from March 2015 but in the public sector for earlier time periods.
 English housing associations are classified to the public sector from September 2008 but in the private sector for earlier time periods.

3 Annual figures relate to June quarter.

4 Estimates are based on where people are employed.

5 Quarterly changes in employment may be due to seasonal effects.

6 Estimated as the difference between Labour Force Survey total employment (all in employment aged 16 and over) and data from public sector organisations. LFS data refer March to February-April, June to May-July, September to August-October and December to November-January.

7 Figures use Labour Force Survey (LFS) - All in employment aged 16 and over by region of workplace as a denominator. Data refer March to February-April, June to May-July, September to August-October and December to November-January.

8 UK estimates include overseas employees and those who did not state their region of workplace when surveyed as part of the Labour Force Survey.

9 The estimate for Great Britain is the sum total of England, Wales and Scotland.

10 Estimates of private sector employment for Scotland are supplied by Scottish Government and match those produced by Scottish Government for June (Q2) 2017 where our revisions policy allows. For further details see <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Labour/Market/PublicSector/Employment>

11 Estimates of public sector employment used to derive private sector employment estimates for Northern Ireland will differ to those published by the Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency which exclude HM Forces personnel.

12 The use of workplace based LFS estimates of total employment may underestimate derived private sector employment for Northern Ireland.

8 Civil Service employment by department ^{1 2}

Headcount, Great Britain, not seasonally adjusted

	June 2017						Total	March 2017	Change on Quarter
	Male			Female					
	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total			
Permanent Employees									
Attorney General's departments	2,780	220	3,000	3,340	1,870	5,210	8,210	8,020	190
Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy	6,470	670	7,140	4,860	2,680	7,540	14,670	14,450	220
Cabinet Office	1,340	50	1,390	1,180	180	1,370	2,760	2,530	230
Other Cabinet Office agencies	340	10	350	370	60	430	780	780	..
Charity Commission	120	20	140	100	60	160	290	290	..
Communities and Local Government	920	100	1,020	690	280	960	1,990	2,160	-170
Culture, Media and Sport	300	10	310	290	50	340	650	620	30
Defence	31,960	1,440	33,400	16,190	4,090	20,270	53,670	53,780	-110
Education	2,100	60	2,150	2,360	690	3,050	5,200	5,250	-50
Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	2,860	220	3,080	2,380	1,210	3,590	6,670	6,700	-30
ESTYN	40	10	50	50	10	70	110	120	..
Exiting the European Union	160	..	170	160	10	170	340	210	130
Export Credits Guarantee Department	170	..	170	90	20	100	270	260	10
Food Standards Agency	650	40	690	270	50	320	1,010	1,040	-30
Foreign and Commonwealth Office	3,080	30	3,110	2,010	230	2,230	5,340	5,390	-50
Health	2,530	150	2,670	3,690	1,100	4,790	7,470	7,490	-20
HM Revenue and Customs	28,320	4,100	32,420	22,880	17,030	39,910	72,320	72,200	130
HM Treasury ^{3 4}	930	30	950	690	140	830	1,790	1,760	30
Chancellor's other departments ^{3 4}	180	..	190	130	30	160	350	340	10
Home Office	11,840	1,100	12,940	9,360	4,920	14,280	27,220	27,180	40
International Development	920	40	960	1,050	170	1,220	2,180	2,110	80
International Trade	690	10	690	480	60	530	1,220	1,060	160
Justice	28,730	2,700	31,430	26,280	10,050	36,330	67,760	67,090	670
The National Archives	270	20	290	240	50	280	570	580	-10
National Crime Agency	2,670	40	2,710	1,420	310	1,720	4,430	4,450	-20
Northern Ireland Office	40	0	40	50	10	60	90	90	0
Office for Standards in Education	550	30	570	950	220	1,160	1,730	1,520	220
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets	400	10	410	300	40	350	750	790	-40
Office of Qualifications and Examinations Regulation	80	..	80	100	10	110	190	200	-10
Office of Rail and Road	170	10	180	90	30	110	290	290	..
OFWAT	90	10	100	70	20	90	190	180	10
Scotland Office	50	..	50	50	10	60	110	110	..
Transport	6,980	710	7,690	3,900	2,350	6,250	13,940	13,890	50
UK Statistics Authority	1,210	620	1,820	1,200	1,060	2,270	4,090	3,960	130
UK Supreme Court	20	0	20	20	..	20	40	40	..
Wales Office	20	0	20	20	..	20	40	40	..
Work and Pensions	24,420	4,160	28,580	28,200	29,330	57,530	86,100	86,020	80
Central Government Departments Total	164,350	16,600	180,950	135,470	78,410	213,890	394,830	392,950	1,880
Scottish Government	7,800	650	8,450	5,920	2,170	8,090	16,540	16,550	-10
Welsh Government	2,040	150	2,200	2,250	900	3,150	5,350	5,370	-20
TOTAL	174,190	17,400	191,590	143,650	81,480	225,130	416,720	414,870	1,850

	June 2017						Total	March 2017	Change on Quarter
	Male			Female					
	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total			
Temporary/Casual Employees									
Attorney General's departments	70	..	80	130	..	130	210	230	-20
Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy	90	10	100	80	20	100	190	160	30
Cabinet Office	20	..	20	20	..	20	50	50	..
Other Cabinet Office agencies	10	0	10	20	0	20	30	40	-10
Charity Commission	..	0	..	10	..	10	10	20	-10
Communities and Local Government	70	..	70	70	..	70	140	20	120
Culture, Media and Sport	10	0	10	10	..	10	20	20	..
Defence	60	..	70	20	10	20	90	80	10
Education	120	..	120	140	10	150	280	90	190
Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	100	10	100	160	20	180	280	100	190
ESTYN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Exiting the European Union	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Export Credits Guarantee Department	10	0	10	..	0	..	10	10	..
Food Standards Agency	10	0	10	10	0	10	20	20	..
Foreign and Commonwealth Office	10	40	50	10	10	10	70	10	60
Health	150	20	160	240	70	310	470	500	-30
HM Revenue and Customs	110	10	110	70	30	100	210	230	-20
HM Treasury ^{3 4}	30	0	30	20	..	20	50	70	-10
Chancellor's other departments ^{3 4}	10	..	10	10	0	10	20	20	0
Home Office	550	400	950	520	180	700	1,650	930	720
International Development	60	..	60	50	..	50	100	120	-10
International Trade	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Justice	100	10	120	180	10	190	310	210	90
The National Archives	10	0	10	10	..	10	10	20	-10
National Crime Agency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Ireland Office	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Office for Standards in Education	..	0	..	..	10	..	10	..	..
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets	50	..	60	50	0	50	100	100	10
Office of Qualifications and Examinations Regulation	0	..	..	..	0	..	10	0	10
Office of Rail and Road	0	..	..	..	..	..	10	10	..
OFWAT	..	..	..	0	..	..	10	10	..
Scotland Office	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transport	120	20	140	130	20	160	290	270	20
UK Statistics Authority	70	..	70	30	..	40	100	90	20
UK Supreme Court	..	0	..	10	..	10	10	10	0
Wales Office	..	0	..	..	0	..	..	..	0
Work and Pensions	280	70	340	260	90	360	700	740	-40
Central Government Departments Total	2,110	590	2,690	2,250	490	2,740	5,430	4,150	1,280
Scottish Government	220	20	240	260	30	280	520	420	100
Welsh Government	10	0	10	20	..	20	20	30	..
TOTAL	2,330	600	2,940	2,520	520	3,040	5,980	4,600	1,380

	June 2017						Total	March 2017	Change on Quarter
	Male			Female					
	Full-time	Part-time	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Total			
All Employees	176,520	18,010	194,530	146,170	82,000	228,170	422,700	419,470	3,230

Source: Office for National Statistics

- Numbers are rounded to the nearest ten, and numbers less than five are represented by ".". Data not available are represented by "..".
- Department totals include Executive Agencies, Ministerial and Non-Ministerial Departments.
- Debt Management Office has moved under HM Treasury department from Chancellor's other departments' hierarchy.
- Government Internal Audit Agency has moved under HM Treasury department from Chancellor's other departments' hierarchy.

8 ..continued, Civil Service employment by department

Full-time equivalents, Great Britain, not seasonally adjusted

	June 2017			March 2017	Change on Quarter
	Male	Female	Total	Total	Total
Permanent Employees					
Attorney General's departments	2,940	4,670	7,610	7,440	170
Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy	6,930	6,770	13,700	13,520	190
Cabinet Office	1,380	1,320	2,700	2,480	230
Other Cabinet Office agencies	350	410	760	760	..
Charity Commission	130	140	270	270	..
Communities and Local Government	990	890	1,880	2,040	-160
Culture, Media and Sport	300	330	630	610	30
Defence	32,940	19,080	52,020	52,170	-150
Education	2,140	2,860	5,010	5,050	-40
Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	3,010	3,230	6,240	6,280	-40
ESTYN	50	60	110	110	..
Exiting the European Union	170	170	340	210	130
Export Credits Guarantee Department	170	100	270	260	10
Food Standards Agency	670	310	980	1,010	-30
Foreign and Commonwealth Office	3,090	2,160	5,250	5,290	-40
Health	2,620	4,450	7,070	7,110	-40
HM Revenue and Customs	31,100	34,590	65,690	65,500	190
HM Treasury ^{3,4}	940	790	1,730	1,710	20
Chancellor's other departments ^{3,4}	190	150	330	330	10
Home Office	12,610	12,780	25,390	25,370	20
International Development	950	1,170	2,120	2,050	80
International Trade	690	520	1,210	1,050	160
Justice	30,300	32,840	63,140	62,550	590
The National Archives	280	270	550	550	..
National Crime Agency	2,700	1,630	4,330	4,350	-20
Northern Ireland Office	40	50	90	90	0
Office for Standards in Education	570	1,100	1,660	1,470	200
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets	400	340	740	780	-40
Office of Qualifications and Examinations Regulation	80	110	190	190	-10
Office of Rail and Road	180	110	280	280	..
OFWAT	90	90	180	180	..
Scotland Office	50	60	110	110	..
Transport	7,450	5,440	12,880	12,830	60
UK Statistics Authority	1,590	1,890	3,490	3,360	120
UK Supreme Court	20	20	40	40	..
Wales Office	20	20	30	40	..
Work and Pensions	27,460	49,010	76,470	76,370	100
Central Government Departments Total	175,580	189,900	365,480	363,740	1,740
Scottish Government	8,200	7,430	15,620	15,640	-20
Welsh Government	2,150	2,900	5,050	5,070	-20
TOTAL	185,930	200,220	386,150	384,450	1,700

	June 2017			March 2017	Change on Quarter
	Male	Female	Total	Total	Total
Temporary/Casual Employees					
Attorney General's departments	80	130	210	230	-20
Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy	90	90	180	160	30
Cabinet Office	20	20	40	50	..
Other Cabinet Office agencies	10	20	30	40	-10
Charity Commission	..	10	10	20	-10
Communities and Local Government	70	70	140	20	120
Culture, Media and Sport	10	10	20	20	0
Defence	70	20	90	80	10
Education	120	150	270	90	180
Environment, Food and Rural Affairs	100	180	280	90	180
ESTYN	0	0	0	0	0
Exiting the European Union	0	0	0	0	0
Export Credits Guarantee Department	10	..	10	10	..
Food Standards Agency	10	10	20	20	..
Foreign and Commonwealth Office	30	10	50	10	40
Health	150	260	410	420	-10
HM Revenue and Customs	110	90	200	220	-20
HM Treasury ^{3,4}	30	20	50	60	-10
Chancellor's other departments ^{3,4}	10	10	20	20	0
Home Office	770	620	1,380	770	610
International Development	60	50	100	120	-10
International Trade	0	0	0	0	0
Justice	110	190	300	210	90
The National Archives	10	10	10	20	-10
National Crime Agency	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Ireland Office	0	0	0	0	0
Office for Standards in Education	..	10	10	..	..
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets	60	50	100	100	10
Office of Qualifications and Examinations Regulation	0	..	..	0	..
Office of Rail and Road	0	..	..	..	..
OFWAT	..	..	10	10	..
Scotland Office	0	0	0	0	0
Transport	130	150	270	260	20
UK Statistics Authority	70	40	100	80	20
UK Supreme Court	..	10	10	10	0
Wales Office	..	..	..	..	0
Work and Pensions	320	320	640	700	-60
Central Government Departments Total	2,430	2,540	4,970	3,820	1,150
Scottish Government	230	270	500	400	100
Welsh Government	10	20	20	20	..
TOTAL	2,670	2,830	5,500	4,240	1,250

	June 2017			March 2017	Change on Quarter
	Male	Female	Total	Total	Total
All Employees	188,600	203,050	391,640	388,690	2,960

Source: Office for National Statistics

- 1 Numbers are rounded to the nearest ten, and numbers less than five are represented by "...". Data not available are represented by "..".
- 2 Department totals include Executive Agencies, Ministerial and Non-Ministerial Departments.
- 3 Debt Management Office has moved under HM Treasury department from Chancellor's other departments' hierarchy.
- 4 Government Internal Audit Agency has moved under HM Treasury department from Chancellor's other departments' hierarchy.

9 Civil Service employment by department and agency ¹

	June 2017		March 2017		Change on Quarter	
	Headcount	Full Time Equivalent	Headcount	Full Time Equivalent	Headcount	Full Time Equivalent
Attorney General's departments						
Attorney General's Office	40	40	40	40	..	..
Crown Prosecution Service	5,980	5,520	5,980	5,530	..	-10
HM Crown Prosecution Service Inspectorate	30	30	30	30	..	..
Serious Fraud Office	390	380	410	400	-20	-20
Government Legal Department ²	1,990	1,850	1,800	1,680	190	170
Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy						
Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy ^{2,3}	2,900	2,800	2,770	2,690	130	110
Advisory Conciliation and Arbitration Service	820	750	820	750	..	..
Companies House	900	820	890	820	..	..
Competition and Markets Authority	580	550	570	550	10	10
Insolvency Service ³	1,470	1,390	1,390	1,320	70	70
Land Registry	4,810	4,340	4,810	4,340	..	..
Met Office	2,120	2,020	2,090	2,000	30	30
UK Intellectual Property Office	1,160	1,090	1,180	1,110	-10	-20
UK Space Agency	110	110	90	90	20	20
Cabinet Office						
Cabinet Office (excluding agencies) ⁸	2,800	2,750	2,580	2,520	230	220
Other Cabinet Office agencies						
Crown Commercial Service	710	700	720	710	-10	-10
Government in Parliament	100	100	100	100	..	..
Charity Commission						
Charity Commission	300	280	310	290	-10	-10
Communities and Local Government						
Department for Communities and Local Government (excluding agencies)	1,420	1,380	1,450	1,410	-40	-40
Planning Inspectorate	660	600	670	600	-10	..
Queen Elizabeth II Centre	50	50	50	50	..	..
Culture, Media and Sport						
Department for Culture, Media and Sport (excluding agencies)	670	650	640	630	30	30
Defence						
Ministry of Defence (excluding trading funds)	38,220	37,010	38,430	37,240	-200	-230
Defence Equipment and Support	10,980	10,700	10,820	10,550	160	150
Defence Science and Technology Laboratory	3,700	3,570	3,760	3,620	-60	-50
UK Hydrographic Office	860	830	860	830	..	..
Education						
Department for Education (excluding agencies)	3,500	3,370	3,230	3,100	270	270
Education and Skills Funding Agency ⁴	1,520	1,480	0	0	1,520	1,480
Education Funding Agency ⁴	0	0	1,040	1,010	-1,040	-1,010
National College for Teaching and Leadership	330	320	310	300	20	20
Skills Funding Agency ⁴	0	0	640	630	-640	-630
Standards and Testing Agency	120	120	120	110	10	10
Environment, Food and Rural Affairs						
Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (excluding agencies) ⁵	2,300	2,210	1,940	1,860	360	350
Animal and Plant Health Agency	2,270	2,110	2,240	2,090	30	20
Centre for Environment, Fisheries and Aquaculture Science	560	530	550	520	10	10
Rural Payments Agency ⁷	1,680	1,520	1,920	1,760	-240	-240
Veterinary Medicines Directorate	150	150	150	150	0	0
ESTYN						
ESTYN	110	110	120	110	..	..
Exiting the European Union						
Department for Exiting the European Union ⁶	340	340	210	210	130	130
Export Credits Guarantee Department						
Export Credits Guarantee Department	280	280	270	270	10	10
Food Standards Agency						
Food Standards Agency	1,030	1,000	1,060	1,030	-30	-30
Foreign and Commonwealth Office						
Foreign and Commonwealth Office (excluding agencies) ⁷	4,460	4,400	4,500	4,420	-40	-20
FCO Services ⁷	860	820	810	790	40	30
Wilton Park Executive Agency	90	80	90	80	0	..
Health						
Department of Health (excluding agencies)	1,320	1,270	1,360	1,300	-40	-40
Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency	1,320	1,270	1,300	1,250	20	10
Public Health England	5,300	4,950	5,330	4,970	-30	-20
HM Revenue and Customs						
HM Revenue and Customs (excluding agencies) ⁸	68,880	62,510	68,710	62,270	170	240
Valuation Office Agency	3,660	3,380	3,710	3,440	-60	-60
HM Treasury						
HM Treasury (excluding agencies)	1,280	1,240	1,260	1,230	..	..
Debt Management Office ⁹	110	110	110	110	..	..
Government Internal Audit Agency ¹⁰	420	400	430	410	-10	-10
Office for Budget Responsibility	30	30	30	30	..	..
Chancellor's other departments						
Government Actuary's Department	170	160	170	170	..	-10
National Savings and Investments	200	200	190	180	10	10
Home Office						
Home Office	28,860	26,770	28,110	26,140	760	630
International Development						
Department for International Development	2,290	2,220	2,220	2,160	60	60
International Trade						
Department for International Trade	1,220	1,210	1,060	1,050	160	160

9 Civil Service employment by department and agency ¹

	June 2017		March 2017		Change on Quarter	
	Headcount	Full Time Equivalent	Headcount	Full Time Equivalent	Headcount	Full Time Equivalent
Justice						
Ministry of Justice (excluding agencies) ^{11 13}	3,510	3,420	2,650	2,580	860	840
Criminal Injuries Compensation Authority	310	290	310	290	..	-10
HM Courts and Tribunals Service	15,810	14,000	15,780	13,990	30	10
Legal Aid Agency ¹¹	1,340	1,270	1,410	1,340	-70	-70
HM Prison and Probation Service ^{12 13}	45,960	43,400	46,020	43,490	-60	-90
The Office of the Public Guardian	1,130	1,060	1,140	1,070	-10	-10
The National Archives						
The National Archives	580	560	600	570	-10	-10
National Crime Agency						
National Crime Agency	4,430	4,330	4,450	4,350	-20	-20
Northern Ireland Office						
Northern Ireland Office	90	90	90	90	0	0
Office for Standards in Education						
Office for Standards in Education	1,740	1,670	1,520	1,470	220	200
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets						
Office of Gas and Electricity Markets	860	840	890	880	-30	-30
Office of Qualifications and Examinations Regulation						
Office of Qualifications and Examinations Regulation	200	190	200	190	..	..
Office of Rail and Road						
Office of Rail and Road	300	280	300	280	..	0
OFWAT						
OFWAT	190	180	190	180	..	..
Scotland Office						
Scotland Office (incl. Office of the Advocate General for Scotland)	110	110	110	110	..	..
Transport						
Department for Transport (excluding agencies)	2,320	2,260	2,260	2,190	60	60
Driver and Vehicle Licensing Agency	6,040	5,350	6,050	5,370	-10	-20
Driver and Vehicle Standards Agency	4,680	4,420	4,650	4,390	-30	-30
Maritime and Coastguard Agency	1,030	980	1,040	990	-10	-10
Vehicle Certification Agency	160	150	150	140	10	10
UK Statistics Authority						
UK Statistics Authority	4,190	3,590	4,040	3,450	150	140
UK Supreme Court						
UK Supreme Court	50	50	50	50	..	..
Wales Office						
Wales Office	40	30	40	40	..	..
Work and Pensions						
Department for Work and Pensions	84,120	74,630	84,050	74,550	70	80
The Health and Safety Executive	2,680	2,490	2,710	2,520	-30	-30
Scottish Government						
Scottish Government (excluding agencies)	5,540	5,300	5,460	5,210	90	80
Accountant in Bankruptcy	140	120	140	120	..	..
Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal	1,720	1,580	1,740	1,600	-20	-20
Disclosure Scotland	320	300	330	310	-10	-10
Education Scotland	270	260	270	260	..	..
Food Standards Scotland	170	160	170	170	..	..
National Records of Scotland	400	370	380	360	20	20
Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator	50	50	50	50	..	..
Registers of Scotland	1,140	1,080	1,130	1,080	10	10
Revenue Scotland	50	50	50	50	10	10
Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service	1,710	1,550	1,690	1,530	20	30
Scottish Fiscal Commission ¹⁴	20	20	0	0	20	20
Scottish Housing Regulator	50	50	50	50	..	..
Scottish Prison Service	4,550	4,340	4,560	4,370	-20	-30
Scottish Public Pensions Agency	310	280	310	280	..	..
Student Awards Agency for Scotland	240	240	250	240	-10	-10
Transport Scotland	400	390	400	380	..	..
Welsh Government						
Welsh Government	5,370	5,070	5,390	5,090	-20	-20
Total employment	422,700	391,640	419,470	388,690	3,230	2,960

Source: Office for National Statistics

- Numbers are rounded to the nearest ten, and numbers less than five are represented by "..".
- Approximately 150 employees transferred from the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy to the Government Legal Department as of 1 April 2017.
- Approximately 80 employees transferred from the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy to the Insolvency Service between April and June 2017.
- On 1 April 2017, the Education Funding Agency and the Skills Funding Agency merged to form the Education and Skills Funding Agency.
- Approximately 200 employees transferred from the Rural Payments Agency to Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs on 1 April 2017.
- The total DExEU headcount was approximately 440 as at 30 June 2017. As all DExEU employees are on loan, some still remain on home department records. To avoid double counting, DExEU has only reported the employees officially transferred as at 30 June 2017.
- Approximately 40 employees transferred from the Foreign and Commonwealth Office to FCO Services on the 1 April 2017.
- Approximately 60 employees transferred from HM Revenue and Customs to the Cabinet Office between April and June 2017.
- Debt Management Office has moved under HM Treasury department from Chancellor's other departments' hierarchy.
- Government Internal Audit Agency has moved under HM Treasury department from Chancellor's other departments' hierarchy.
- Approximately 100 employees transferred from the Legal Aid Agency to the Ministry of Justice between April and June 2017.
- The National Offender Management Service became Her Majesty's Prison and Probation Service on 3 April 2017.
- Approximately 600 employees transferred from Her Majesty's Prison and Probation Service to Ministry of Justice between April and June 2017.
- The Scottish Fiscal Commission was established as a non-ministerial department on 1 April 2017.

10 Employment in Executive NDPBs ^{1 2 3}

Permanent Employees	June 2017		March 2017		Change on Quarter	
	Headcount	Full Time Equivalent	Headcount	Full Time Equivalent	Headcount	Full Time Equivalent
Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy	9,640	9,280	9,800	9,430	-150	-150
Cabinet Office	860	800	860	800	..	-10
Communities and Local Government	890	870	870	860	30	10
Culture, Media and Sport	10,680	9,720	10,670	9,740	10	-20
Defence	520	430	510	420	20	20
Education	4,740	4,500	4,650	4,420	90	80
Environment, Food and Rural Affairs ⁴	14,380	13,530	14,370	13,520	..	10
Foreign and Commonwealth Office	1,500	1,470	1,480	1,450	20	20
Health	11,180	10,700	11,050	10,570	140	120
Home Office	2,170	2,060	2,140	2,040	30	30
Justice	2,070	1,970	2,030	1,910	40	70
Transport	1,540	1,510	1,550	1,510	..	..
Work and Pensions	930	900	880	840	50	60
Central Government Departments Total	61,110	57,750	60,840	57,500	270	250
Scottish Government	11,080	10,170	10,990	10,020	90	150
Welsh Assembly	2,930	2,720	2,930	2,720	10	10
TOTAL	75,120	70,650	74,760	70,240	360	410

Temporary Employees	June 2017		March 2017		Change on Quarter	
	Headcount	Full Time Equivalent	Headcount	Full Time Equivalent	Headcount	Full Time Equivalent
Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy	370	360	300	290	70	70
Cabinet Office	20	20	40	40	-20	-10
Communities and Local Government	20	20	30	30	-10	-10
Culture, Media and Sport	1,470	680	1,400	650	70	30
Defence	110	30	130	50	-20	-20
Education	220	210	230	220	-10	-10
Environment, Food and Rural Affairs ⁴	410	390	380	370	20	20
Foreign and Commonwealth Office	0	0	0	0	0	0
Health	1,530	990	1,460	930	80	60
Home Office	130	100	160	130	-30	-30
Justice	50	40	40	40	..	..
Transport	10	10	10	10	..	..
Work and Pensions	20	20	40	40	-20	-20
Central Government Departments Total	4,360	2,880	4,220	2,790	140	90
Scottish Government	920	750	720	590	190	160
Welsh Assembly	450	100	370	80	90	20
TOTAL	5,730	3,720	5,310	3,450	410	260

All NDPB Employees	80,850	74,370	80,070	73,700	780	670
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Source: Office for National Statistics

- 1 Includes Executive NDPBs with an employment of greater than 20.
- 2 Numbers are rounded to the nearest ten.
- 3 These figures do not include employees of ACAS, Health and Safety Executive, Criminal Injuries Compensation Authority, Office for Budget Responsibility and Civil Service Commission. These are Crown NDPBs, the employees of which are included as part of Civil Service headcounts.
- 4 Environment Agency includes all regional divisions.

1R Public sector employment by sector classification; Headcount - Revisions ^{1 2}

United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted

	General government					
	Central government	Local government	Total general government	Total public corporations	Total public sector	Of which: Civil Service
	G6NQ	G6NT	G6NW	G7AR	G7AU	G7D6
1999	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001	-	-	-	-	-	-
2002	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004	-	-	-	-	-	-
2005	-	-	-	-	-	-
2006	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007	-	-	-	-	-	-
2008	-	-	-	-	-	-
2009	-	-	-	-	-	-
2010	-	-	-	-	-	-
2011	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016	-5	1	-4	-	-4	-
2017	..	..	..	..	..	..
1999 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
1999 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
1999 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
1999 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2002 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2002 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2002 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2002 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2005 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2005 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2005 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2005 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2006 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2006 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2006 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2006 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2008 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2008 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2008 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2008 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2009 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2009 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2009 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2009 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2010 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2010 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2010 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2010 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2011 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2011 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2011 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2011 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016 Jun	-5	1	-4	-	-4	-
2016 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017 Mar	-2	4	2	-1	1	-
2017 Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..

1R Public sector employment by sector classification; Headcount - Revisions ^{1 2}

United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted

		General government			Total public corporations	Total public sector	Of which: Civil Service
		Central government	Local government	Total general government			
		G6NQ	G6NT	G6NW	G7AR	G7AU	G7D6
Change on quarter to:							
2016	Jun	-5	1	-4	-	-4	-
	Sep	5	-1	4	-	4	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-2	4	2	-1	1	-
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..
% change on quarter to:							
2016	Jun	-0.2	0.1	-0.1	-	-	-
	Sep	0.2	-	0.1	-	0.1	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-0.1	0.2	-	-0.4	-	-
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..
Change on year to:							
2016	Jun	-5	1	-4	-	-4	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-2	4	2	-1	1	-
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..
% change on year to:							
2016	Jun	-0.2	0.1	-0.1	-	-0.1	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-0.1	0.2	-	-0.3	0.1	-
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..

Source: Office for National Statistics

- 1 Rounded estimates have been used in this table to calculate the comparisons between periods.
- 2 Annual figures relate to June quarter.

2R Public sector employment by industry; Headcount - Revisions ¹

		United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted							
		Public administration, defence, compulsory social security				Health and social work			
		Construction	HM Forces	Police (including civilians)	Public administration	Education	National Health Service	Other health and social work	Other public sector
		G7ER	G7EU	G7EX	G7F2	G7F5	G7FG	G7FJ	G7FM
Change on quarter to:									
2016	Jun	-	-	-	-	-5	-	-	1
	Sep	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-1
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-	-	4	1	-1	3	-	-
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
% change on quarter to:									
2016	Jun	-	-	-	-	-0.3	-	-	0.2
	Sep	-	-	-	-	0.3	-	-	-0.1
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-	-	1.6	0.1	-	0.1	-	-
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Change on year to:									
2016	Jun	-	-	-	-	-5	-	-	1
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-	-	4	1	-1	3	-	-
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
% change on year to:									
2016	Jun	-	-	-	-	-0.3	-	-	0.1
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-	-	1.6	0.1	-0.1	0.2	-	-
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Source: Office for National Statistics

¹ Rounded estimates have been used in this table to calculate the comparisons between periods.

3R Public sector employment by sector classification; Full-time equivalent - Revisions ^{1 2}

United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted

	General government					
	Central government	Local government	Total general government	Total public corporations	Total public sector	Of which: Civil Service
	G7FP	G7FS	G7FV	G7FY	G7G3	G7G6
1999	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001	-	-	-	-	-	-
2002	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004	-	-	-	-	-	-
2005	-	-	-	-	-	-
2006	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007	-	-	-	-	-	-
2008	-	-	-	-	-	-
2009	-	-	-	-	-	-
2010	-	-	-	-	-	-
2011	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016	-4	-	-4	-	-4	-
2017	..	..	..	..	..	..
1999 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
1999 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
1999 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
1999 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2002 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2002 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2002 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2002 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2005 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2005 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2005 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2005 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2006 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2006 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2006 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2006 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2008 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2008 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2008 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2008 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2009 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2009 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2009 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2009 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2010 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2010 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2010 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2010 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2011 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2011 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2011 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2011 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015 Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016 Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016 Jun	-4	-	-4	-	-4	-
2016 Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016 Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017 Mar	-2	1	-1	-	-1	-
2017 Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..

3R Public sector employment by sector classification; Full-time equivalent - Revisions ^{1 2}

United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted

		General government			Total public corporations	Total public sector	Of which: Civil Service
		Central government	Local government	Total general government			
		G7FP	G7FS	G7FV	G7FY	G7G3	G7G6
Change on quarter to:							
2016	Jun	-4	-	-4	-	-4	-
	Sep	4	-	4	-	4	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-2	1	-1	-	-1	-
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..
% change on quarter to:							
2016	Jun	-1.3	0.1	-0.7	0.7	-0.7	-1.1
	Sep	0.8	0.3	0.6	-0.7	0.5	0.3
	Dec	-0.7	-0.2	-0.5	-0.3	-0.5	-1.0
2017	Mar	1.0	-0.9	0.3	-0.7	0.2	1.0
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..
Change on year to:							
2016	Jun	-4	-	-4	-	-4	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-2	1	-1	-	-1	-
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..
% change on year to:							
2016	Jun	-0.1	-	-0.1	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-
	Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..

Source: Office for National Statistics

¹ Rounded estimates have been used in this table to calculate the comparisons between periods.

² Annual figures relate to June quarter.

4R Public sector employment by industry; Full-time equivalent - Revisions ¹

		United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted							
		Public administration, defence, compulsory social security				Health and social work			
		Construction	HM Forces	Police (including civilians)	Public administration	Education	National Health Service	Other health and social work	Other public sector
		G9BC	G7G9	G7GC	G7GF	G7GI	G7GL	G7GR	G7K2
1999		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2002		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2005		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2006		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2008		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2009		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2010		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2011		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016		-	-	-	-	-4	-1	-	-
2017		-	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1999	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2000	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2001	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2002	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2003	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2004	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2005	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2006	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2007	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2008	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2009	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2010	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2011	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2012	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2013	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2014	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2015	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016	Mar	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Jun	-	-	-	-	-4	-1	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-	-	3	-1	-2	2	-	-
	Jun	-	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

4R Public sector employment by industry; Full-time equivalent - Revisions ¹

		United Kingdom (thousands), seasonally adjusted							
		Public administration, defence, compulsory social security				Health and social work			
		Construction	HM Forces	Police (including civilians)	Public administration	Education	National Health Service	Other health and social work	Other public sector
		G9BC	G7G9	G7GC	G7GF	G7GI	G7GL	G7GR	G7K2
Change on quarter to:									
2016	Jun	-	-	-	-	-4	-1	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-	-	3	-1	-2	2	-	-
	Jun	-	-	..	..	..	..	..	..
% change on quarter to:									
2016	Jun	-	-	-	-	-0.4	-	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	0.4	0.1	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-	-	1.3	-0.1	-0.2	0.1	-	-
	Jun	-	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Change on year to:									
2016	Jun	-	-	-	-	-4	-1	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-	-	3	-1	-2	2	-	-
	Jun	-	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
% change on year to:									
2016	Jun	-	-	-	-	-0.3	-0.1	-	-
	Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017	Mar	-	-	1.2	-0.1	-0.2	0.1	-	-
	Jun	-	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Source: Office for National Statistics

¹ Rounded estimates have been used in this table to calculate the comparisons between periods.

5R Public and private sector employment; Headcount - Revisions ^{1 2}

United Kingdom, seasonally adjusted

	Public Sector		Private Sector		Total employment (thousands)	Public sector excluding effects of major reclassifications		Private sector excluding effects of major reclassifications	
	Headcount (thousands)	Percentage	Headcount (thousands)	Percentage		Headcount (thousands)	Percentage	Headcount (thousands)	Percentage
	G7AU	G9BZ	G7K5	G9C2	G7GO	MFY7	MFY9	MFZ2	MFY5
Change on quarter to:									
2016 Jun	-4	-	4	-	-	-6	-	6	-
Sep	4	-	-4	-	-	6	-	-6	-
Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017 Mar	1	-	-1	-	-	5	0.1	-5	-0.1
Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
% change on quarter to:									
2016 Jun	-	..	-	..	-	-0.1	..	-	..
Sep	0.1	..	-	..	-	0.1	..	-	..
Dec	-	..	-	..	-	-	..	-	..
2017 Mar	-	..	-	..	-	0.1	..	-	..
Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Change on year to:									
2016 Jun	-4	-	4	-	-	-6	-	6	-
Sep	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2017 Mar	1	-	-1	-	-	5	0.1	-5	-0.1
Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
% change on year to:									
2016 Jun	-0.1	..	-	..	-	-0.1	..	0.1	..
Sep	-	..	-	..	-	-	..	-	..
Dec	-	..	-	..	-	-	..	-	..
2017 Mar	0.1	..	-	..	-	0.1	..	-	..
Jun	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Sources: Labour Force Survey and estimates from public sector organisations;
Office for National Statistics

¹ Rounded estimates have been used in this table to calculate the comparisons between periods.

² Annual figures relate to June quarter.