

Cities Outlook 2009: Employment Rate 2008

Rank	Cities	Employment Rate April 2007-March 2008 (%)	Rank	Cities	Employment Rate April 2007-March 2008 (%)
1	Aldershot	85.9	33	Dundee	73.0
2	Swindon	83.5	34	Bolton	72.7
3	Gloucester	82.8	35	Newport	72.7
4	Northampton	81.8	36	Hastings	72.3
5	Reading	81.3	37	Coventry	72.0
6	Ipswich	80.8	38	Doncaster	71.7
7	Milton Keynes	79.6	39	Glasgow City	71.6
8	Crawley	79.6	40	Wigan	71.5
9	Aberdeen	79.2	41	Manchester	71.4
10	Chatham	78.3	42	Sheffield	71.4
11	York	77.9	43	Leicester	71.3
12	Warrington	77.2	44	Derby	71.1
13	Norwich	76.9	45	London	71.1
14	Portsmouth	76.7	46	Swansea	71.0
15	Bristol	76.7	47	Birkenhead	70.9
16	Preston	76.6	48	Belfast (2006 data)	70.6
17	Bournemouth	76.4	49	Sunderland	70.4
18	Southend	76.1	50	Newcastle	70.2
19	Edinburgh, City	76.0	51	Cardiff	70.1
20	Cambridge	76.0	52	Stoke	69.9
21	Brighton	75.9	53	Nottingham	69.8
22	Worthing	75.4	54	Barnsley	69.8
23	Huddersfield	75.2	55	Rochdale	69.3
24	Blackpool	74.4	56	Bradford	69.3
25	Leeds	74.4	57	Oxford	69.3
26	Grimsby	74.3	58	Middlesbrough	69.2
27	Southampton	74.0	59	Burnley	68.8
28	Telford	74.0	60	Blackburn	68.3
29	Wakefield	73.9	61	Luton	67.9
30	Plymouth	73.7	62	Birmingham	67.4
31	Mansfield	73.6	63	Hull	66.3
32	Peterborough	73.5	64	Liverpool	65.2
Great Britain		74.5			
England		74.5			

Source: NOMIS 2008, Annual Population Survey (APS) national and local authority levels (April 2007 & March 2008 data). Department for Trade and Investment (DETI), Labour Force Survey 2008 for data on Belfast (latest data available 2006).