

Table 95a Rough sleepers in England

	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	2010 ¹	2010 ²	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
London	285	327	302	249	317	415	446	557	543	742	940	964
South East	203	178	172	157	213	310	430	442	532	609	827	956
South West	161	173	137	131	138	270	337	301	308	362	509	536
East of England	96	85	67	72	169	206	242	276	296	302	423	604
East Midlands	116	161	90	80	108	121	188	137	206	193	208	255
West Midlands	109	81	71	73	105	182	207	230	223	186	249	289
Yorkshire & The Humber	71	85	83	59	72	115	150	157	129	126	161	176
North East	63	53	38	38	35	49	32	62	25	35	32	41
North West	131	106	78	89	90	100	149	147	152	189	220	313
England	1,235	1,249	1,038	948	1,247	1,768	2,181	2,309	2,414	2,744	3,569	4,134

Sources: Local authority counts as collated by the Audit Commission (to 2007/08) and the Department for Communities and Local Government (2010 onwards).

Notes: 1. Summer 2010 count using 'old' methodology.

2. Autumn 2010 count and onwards using revised methodology; see: www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/6009/1713784.pdf

Table 95b Rough sleepers in England by area

Street count

Authority	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010 ¹	2010 ²	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Westminster	237	234	227	169	169	133	175	133	173	112	111	110	147	128	106	131	140	265	265	260
Brighton and Hove	44	43	26	20	9	9	9	9	12	12	10	6	12	14	37	43	50	41	78	144
Exeter	27	19	19	10	7	18	8	8	6	10	15	5	6	21	29	30	23	34	27	41
Kensington and Chelsea	23	28	14	15	6	6	10	12	10	13	12	13	13	32	19	27	23	34	24	14
City of London	41	36	40	30	41	36	22	12	25	45	48	38	29	20	18	21	35	50	48	50
Lambeth	20	46	47	23	12	11	12	7	9	15	11	13	9	13	18	21	21	18	27	17
Bournemouth	44	18	21	14	7	4	12	7	8	5	11	6	6	12	16	11	16	31	47	39
Cambridge	30	21	21	16	19	9	3	7	2	6	0	1	6	6	12	20	9	10	18	40
Southwark	31	26	7	13	2	17	6	7	6	11	5	15	3	29	10	25	24	22	32	32
Tower Hamlets	31	10	6	9	2	11	5	..	3	12	7	17	7	11	9	7	4	6	12	11
Birmingham	56	43	23	19	2	14	7	7	8	5	6	4	6	9	9	8	14	20	36	55
Liverpool	17	30	19	13	19	19	10	8	9	12	13	9	3	3	9	6	6	8	15	21
Oxford	39	52	31	24	7	5	7	5	11	11	10	5	16	11	8	12	19	26	39	33
Camden	59	66	54	38	28	13	5	17	10	6	4	6	5	11	7	5	4	5	15	17

Source: Department for Communities and Local Government.

Notes 1. Summer 2010 count using 'old' methodology.

2. Autumn 2010 and subsequent counts using revised methodology as for Table 95a.

3. Authorities shown are those with the highest counts in 1998-2010 of those that had rough sleepers on the date of survey in 2011. Some figures are estimates rather than street counts.

4. A full list of LA returns and how they were collected is available at www.gov.uk/government/collections/homelessness-statistics#rough-sleeping