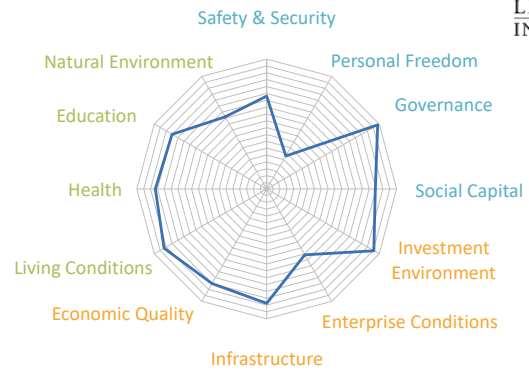
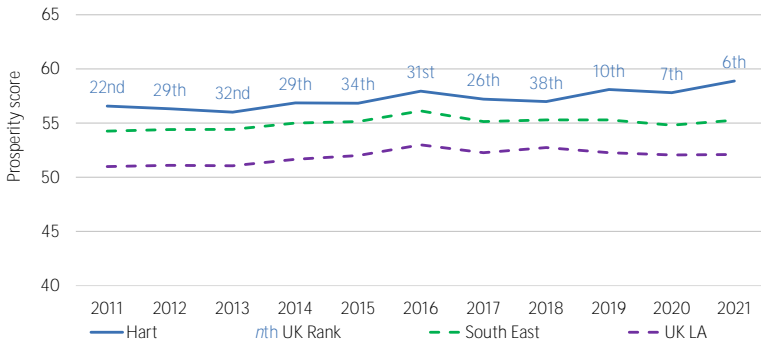


# Hart: Prosperity score 58.9 (6th)
















































































## Prosperity over time



## Breakdown of performance

	2011	Score 10-year trend	2021	Rank - UK LA (1 to 379) 2021	10-year rank change	Rank - South East (1 to 64) 2021
<b>Prosperity score</b>	56.6		58.9	6	▲ 16	5
<b>Inclusive Societies</b>	60.2		60.5	15	▲ 44	4
Safety & Security	69.0		68.5	109	▲ 40	27
Personal Freedom	56.7		58.0	269	▲ 21	51
Governance	59.7		64.4	6	▲ 32	2
Social Capital	55.4		51.1	63	▼ 20	29
<b>Open Economies</b>	50.1		55.3	19	▲ 52	3
Investment Environment	46.4		61.4	19	▲ 126	6
Enterprise Conditions	49.9		43.1	158	▲ 4	32
Infrastructure	47.3		62.8	46	▲ 82	4
Economic Quality	56.9		54.0	61	▼ 46	22
<b>Empowered People</b>	59.4		60.8	28	▼ 13	13
Living Conditions	67.6		69.1	34	▲ 20	17
Health	65.7		55.1	55	▼ 42	23
Education	56.3		63.0	61	▲ 5	9
Natural Environment	48.0		56.0	137	▼ 29	22

Hart (6th): Pillar and element scores

Pillar		2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021		2021 UK LA Rank 10-yr rank change		South East Rank 2021		Pillar		2011 Prosperity score 10-yr trend 2021		2021 UK LA Rank 10-yr rank change		South East Rank 2021	
	<b>Safety &amp; Security</b>	69.0		68.5	109	▲ 40	27		<b>Personal Freedom</b>	56.7		58.0	269	▲ 21	51
Violent Crime	50%	64.4		64.6	94	▲ 150	29	Social Tolerance	60%	47.2		50.0	269	▲ 21	51
Property Crime	30%	67.2		69.6	116	▼ 35	11	Agency	10%	71.0		71.7	1	▲ -	1
Civil Disorder	15%	77.6		71.3	175	▼ 57	42	Freedom of Assembly and Association	10%	78.9		80.9	1	▲ -	1
Terrorism	5%	100.0		92.4	257	▼ 256	44	Freedom of Speech and Access to Information	10%	78.4		72.6	1	▲ -	1
								Absence of Legal Discrimination	10%	55.4		55.1	1	▲ -	1
	<b>Governance</b>	59.7		64.4	6	▲ 32	2		<b>Social Capital</b>	55.4		51.1	63	▼ 20	29
Quality of Local Democracy	35%	58.2		50.0	68	▼ 33	3	Personal Support	10%	45.1		52.6	157	▼ 9	1
Government Integrity	30%	69.8		69.8	12	▲ -	1	Family Relationships	30%	69.0		58.1	82	▼ 60	28
Government Effectiveness	35%	52.6		74.2	82	▲ 186	23	Social Networks	15%	49.0		38.0	269	▼ 34	51
								Institutional Trust	20%	45.0		39.8	90	▼ 26	38
								Civic and Social Participation	25%	55.5		59.0	46	▲ 39	21
	<b>Investment Environment</b>	46.4		61.4	19	▲ 126	6		<b>Enterprise Conditions</b>	49.9		43.1	158	▲ 4	32
Financing Services	20%	59.8		42.5	98	▼ 48	26	Domestic Market Contestability	30%	51.0		55.2	116	▼ 2	32
Investment Demand	30%	21.8		70.1	1	▲ 320	1	Business Environment	40%	51.2		38.9	166	▼ 20	15
Capital Supply	50%	55.7		63.8	108	▲ -	42	Labour Market Flexibility	30%	47.1		36.4	222	▲ 21	40
	<b>Infrastructure</b>	47.3		62.8	46	▲ 82	4		<b>Economic Quality</b>	56.9		54.0	61	▼ 46	22
Communications	40%	34.7		68.4	39	▲ 92	7	Labour Force Engagement	20%	64.7		64.9	26	▼ 24	6
Electricity & Gas	10%	66.6		57.7	123	▲ 14	12	Dynamism	20%	30.7		21.7	272	▼ 104	56
Water	5%	62.9		59.2	180	▼ 61	21	Productivity and Competitiveness	30%	75.8		75.4	11	▼ 7	4
Transport	45%	52.5		59.4	84	▲ 44	12	Fiscal Sustainability	20%	40.0		40.7	139	▲ 147	26
								Macroeconomic Stability	10%	70.5		59.2	261	▼ 94	47
	<b>Living Conditions</b>	67.6		69.1	34	▲ 20	17		<b>Health</b>	65.7		55.1	55	▼ 42	23
Material Resources	30%	82.7		75.2	74	▼ 51	24	Behavioural and Physiological Risk Factors	15%	64.5		75.4	9	▲ 51	4
Shelter	25%	70.8		75.6	13	▼ 9	7	Preventative Interventions	15%	75.3		76.5	76	▼ 24	4
Digital Connectedness	15%	68.1		65.2	221	▼ 121	52	Care Systems	15%	53.5		30.9	296	▼ 62	61
Access to Local Amenities	15%	41.9		38.3	310	▲ 7	58	Mental Health	15%	75.5		48.8	147	▼ 98	35
Protection from Harm	15%	57.5		80.6	15	▲ 203	2	Physical Health	20%	65.0		36.8	197	▼ 125	39
								Longevity	20%	62.0		65.0	63	▼ 10	21
	<b>Education</b>	56.3		63.0	61	▲ 5	9		<b>Natural Environment</b>	48.0		56.0	137	▼ 29	22
Pre-primary education	10%	79.8		58.5	77	▲ 8	4	Emissions	30%	47.6		59.4	151	▼ 100	33
Primary education	30%	68.0		57.8	98	▲ 8	6	Exposure to Air Pollution	25%	39.5		54.6	198	▲ 43	17
Secondary education	30%	38.0		66.0	145	▲ 38	21	Forest, Land and Soil	20%	53.8		52.6	43	▼ 3	16
Tertiary education provision	10%	33.8		34.4	331	▲ 12	46	Flooding and Water Management	10%	54.9		54.9	338	▲ -	57
Adult skills	20%	65.6		83.2	9	▲ 2	4	Waste Management	15%	50.6		57.2	97	▼ 18	27

















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				Value		UK LA Rank						Value		UK LA Rank					
				2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021					2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021		
<b>Communications (39th)</b>				<b>40%</b>		34.7	68.4	131	39	<b>Electricity &amp; Gas (123rd)</b>				<b>10%</b>		66.6	57.7	137	123
Download speed	OFC	Mbps	1.0	7.2		93.7	166	36	Properties not connected to gas network	BEIS	percentage	1.0	9.5		7.6	142	113		
Upload speed	OFC	Mbps	0.5	3.6		17.6	90	23	Annual electricity cost	BEIS	£ / year	0.5	499.3		611.4	1	12		
Superfast broadband availability	OFC	percentage	1.0	68.0		94.8	130	224	Annual gas cost	BEIS	£ / year	0.5	609.7		582.7	44	44		
<b>Water (180th)</b>				<b>5%</b>		62.9	59.2	119	180	<b>Transport (84th)</b>				<b>45%</b>		52.5	59.4	128	84
Water leakage	DW, NIW, SWater	litres / property	1.0	87.0		85.0	65	16	Principal road condition	DfT	percentage	0.5	8.0		3.0	329	132		
Water costs	DW, NIW, SWater	£	1.0	211.0		229.0	216	313	Non-principal road condition	DfT	percentage	0.5	10.0		4.0	283	93		
Loss of water supply	DW	seconds / property	1.0	211.0		215.0	172	213	Journey delay	DfT	seconds / vehicle mile	0.5	26.7		25.5	96	86		
									Urban congestion	INRIX	hours / year	0.5	23.5		24.0	45	50		
									Connectedness index	ORS	number / national average	1.5	1.1		1.1	112	112		
									Passengers using rail stations	DfT, NIDI	passenger journeys per capita	1.0	16.6		18.0	93	102		
									Proximity to nearest major rail station	DfT	minutes	0.5	66.0		66.0	241	241		
									Proximity to nearest airport	DfT	minutes	0.5	129.0		129.0	318	318		
									Electric car charging	DfT	number / 100,000 population	0.5	47.8		67.0	44	31		



				Value			UK LA Rank						Value			UK LA Rank							
				2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021					2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021						
<b>Labour Force Engagement (26th)</b>				<b>20%</b>			64.7		64.9	2	26	<b>Dynamism (272nd)</b>				<b>20%</b>			30.7		21.7	168	272
Unemployment rate	ONS	percentage	2.0	4.1		1.7	19	6	New business density	ONS	number / 10,000 population	2.0	65.1		53.6	66	119						
NEET rate	ONS, NISRA g:s SW	percentage	1.0	4.8		5.9	121	258	Second-year business survival rates	ONS	number / 10,000 population	1.0	50.3		46.4	55	89						
Job satisfaction	US	percentage	1.0	88.5		88.5	286	201	Patent applications	IPD	number / 100 population	0.5	3.3		3.1	129	98						
Female economic activity rate	ONS	percentage	1.0	80.4		85.6	19	19	High-growth density	ONS	number / 10,000 population	1.0	2.2		1.0	98	347						
Male economic activity rate	ONS	percentage	1.0	94.7		96.1	3	1	R&D tax credit use	BEIS	percentage	1.0	4.3		4.1	281	316						
Part-time employment share	ONS	percentage	1.0	22.4		28.8	67	300	Innovation voucher use	BEIS	percentage	1.0	4.7		4.4	314	276						
Non-permanent employment share	ONS	percentage	1.0	4.4		6.2	151	314															
<b>Productivity and Competitiveness (11th)</b>				<b>30%</b>			75.8		75.4	4	11	<b>Fiscal Sustainability (139th)</b>				<b>20%</b>			40.0		40.7	286	139
Workforce Herfindahl Index	ONS	scale, 0-1	1.0	1.0		0.9	96	224	Reserve to expenditure ratio	MHCLG: NIAO g:s AW	percentage	1.0	23.0		200.9	227	32						
High-tech business share	ONS	percentage	1.0	17.5		18.3	5	11	Financial pressure	MHCLG: NIAO g:s AW	percentage	1.0	25.7		32.9	85	94						
Tradables index	ONS, NISRA	£ / worker	1.0	0.054		0.055	143	218	Spending power per dwelling	MHCLG: NIAO g:s AW	£ / household	1.0	1,657.2		1,597.5	287	246						
Public sector share	ONS, NISRA	percentage	1.0	11.6		7.9	21	15	Public works investment	PWLB	£ per capita	1.0	2.8		2.2	285	332						
Export turnover	BEIS	scale, 1-8	1.0	3.4		3.1	63	114															
GVA per Hour	ONS	£ / hour	1.0	42.4		54.8	1	1															
<b>Macroeconomic Stability (261st)</b>				<b>10%</b>			70.5		59.2	167	261												
GVA per capita growth	ONS	percentage	2.0	3.5		3.2	187	135															
Inactivity shock	ONS	percentage	1.0	0.1		0.0	1	1															
Economic shrinkage	ONS	percentage	1.0	1.0		2.0	39	229															
SME growth	BEIS	scale, 1-8	1.0	4.3		4.1	216	251															
SME profits	BEIS	percentage	1.0	81.2		70.1	138	296															





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				Value				UK LA Rank		Value				UK LA Rank			
				2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021	2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021	2011	2021		
<b>Behavioural and Physiological Risk Factors (9th)</b>				<b>15%</b>				<b>64.5</b>		<b>75.4</b>		<b>60</b>		<b>9</b>			
Overweight and obese (Adult)	PHOF: NISRA: g.s SW	percentage	1.0	59.3		57.5	114	58	Bowel cancer screening	PHOF: NISRA: SPHO: PHW	percentage	1.0	67.0		72.9	9	1
Overweight and obese (Child)	PHOF: NISRA: g.s SW	percentage	1.0	16.6		16.8	35	41	Breast cancer screening	PHOF: NISRA: SPHO: PHW	percentage	1.0	80.5		81.1	108	14
Physical activity	PHOF: NISRA: g.s SW	percentage	0.5	70.0		72.1	79	70	Cervical cancer screening	NHS: NISRA: PHS: PHW	percentage	1.0	74.9		77.0	127	84
5-a-day consumption	PHOF: NISRA: g.s SW	percentage	0.5	54.7		62.8	263	36	6-in-1 vaccination coverage	PHOF: NISRA: g.s SW	percentage	1.0	96.8		95.7	194	172
Smoking	PHOF: NISRA: g.s SW	percentage	1.0	14.9		3.4	51	1	MMR vaccination coverage	PHOF: NISRA: g.s SW	percentage	1.0	92.8		92.6	199	335
Drug misuse mortality	ONS: NISRA: NRS	deaths / 100,000 population	1.0	6.6		3.1	285	42	HPV vaccination coverage	PHOF: NISRA: g.s	percentage	1.0	94.3		92.1	84	65
Alcohol misuse mortality	ONS	deaths / 100,000 population	1.0	8.2		8.7	46	79	Dental checks	US	percentage	0.5	71.0		71.0	74	74
Hypertension prevalence	PHOF: NISRA: PHS: SW	percentage	0.5	14.2		15.7	149	240									
<b>Care Systems (296th)</b>				<b>15%</b>				<b>53.5</b>		<b>30.9</b>		<b>234</b>		<b>296</b>			
A&E performance	NHS: H-ni: PHS: SW	percentage	1.0	92.6		43.0	70	295	Suicide mortality rate	ONS: NISRA: NRS	deaths / 100,000 population	1.5	5.5		7.2	78	82
Referral to treatment performance	NHS: PHS	percentage	1.0	78.6		66.0	257	368	Psychosis prevalence	PHOF: NISRA: PHS: SW	percentage	1.0	0.7		0.8	62	82
Cancer treatment performance	NHS: H-ni: SW: PHS	percentage	1.0	89.0		92.0	61	7	Depression prevalence	PHOF: PHS: SW	percentage	1.0	6.6		13.3	187	291
Care home beds	LG: RQIA: SW	beds / 100 population aged 75+	1.0	7.7		7.5	335	308	Self-reported anxiety	ONS	percentage	0.5	25.7		25.7	329	309
Satisfaction with local healthcare	US	scale, 1-7	0.5	5.6		5.6	182	66	Mental health limiting work	US	scale, 0-4	0.5	0.5		0.8	1	46
<b>Physical Health (197th)</b>				<b>20%</b>				<b>65.0</b>		<b>36.8</b>		<b>72</b>		<b>197</b>			
Prevalence of cardiovascular conditions	PHOF: NISRA: PHS: SW	percentage	2.0	1.7		2.1	94	151	Stillbirths	ONS: NISRA: NRS	stillbirths / 1,000 live and stillbirths	1.0	5.0		3.1	272	62
Prevalence of respiratory conditions	PHOF: NISRA: PHS: SW	percentage	1.0	3.4		3.8	52	72	Infant mortality	ONS: NISRA: NRS	deaths / 1,000 live births	1.0	3.0		4.3	112	275
Diabetes mellitus prevalence	PHOF: NISRA: PHS: SW	percentage	15	5.1		6.7	100	146	1-19 mortality	ONS: NISRA: NRS	number / 100,000 population	0.5	32.4		26.6	341	340
Cancer prevalence	PHOF: NISRA: PHS: SW	percentage	1.0	1.8		3.4	82	193	20-64 mortality	ONS: NISRA: NRS	number / 100,000 population	1.0	127.8		156.4	4	25
Chronic kidney disease prevalence	PHOF: NISRA: PHS: SW	percentage	1.0	4.1		3.9	151	145	Life expectancy at 65	ONS	years	1.0	21.1		21.7	5	11
Prevalence of musculoskeletal conditions	PHOF: NISRA: PHS: SW	percentage	1.0	0.4		1.2	46	332									
Dementia prevalence	PHOF: NISRA: PHS: SW	percentage	1.0	0.7		0.9	279	250									
Disability	ONS	percentage	1.0	13.0		21.3	25	171									
<b>Preventative Interventions (76th)</b>				<b>15%</b>				<b>75.3</b>		<b>76.5</b>		<b>52</b>		<b>76</b>			
<b>Mental Health (147th)</b>				<b>15%</b>				<b>75.5</b>		<b>48.8</b>		<b>49</b>		<b>147</b>			
<b>Longevity (63rd)</b>				<b>20%</b>				<b>62.0</b>		<b>65.0</b>		<b>53</b>		<b>63</b>			





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				Value		UK LA Rank						Value		UK LA Rank					
				2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021					2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021		
<b>Emissions (151st)</b>				<b>30%</b>	47.6		59.4	51	151	<b>Exposure to Air Pollution (198th)</b>				<b>25%</b>	39.5		54.6	241	198
CO2 emissions (Industry and Commerce)	DEFRA	tonnes / million E GVA	1.0	62.6		32.1	15	47	Coarse particulate matter concentration	DEFRA	µg / m3	1.0	17.0		13.9	207	199		
CO2 emissions (Domestic)	DEFRA	tonnes / person	1.0	2.6		1.6	258	280	Fine particulate matter concentration	DEFRA	µg / m3	1.0	12.1		9.4	276	250		
CO2 emissions (Transport)	DEFRA	tonnes / million E GVA	1.0	100.2		66.7	150	131	Deaths from air pollution	PHE	percentage	1.0	5.4		4.8	223	161		
NOx concentrations	DEFRA	µg / m3	1.0	17.5		14.1	176	213											
NO2 concentrations	DEFRA	µg / m3	1.0	12.7		10.7	181	213											
Non-domestic energy efficiency	MHCLG	percentage	1.0	45.9		48.0	26	196											
<b>Forest, Land and Soil (43rd)</b>				<b>20%</b>	53.8		52.6	40	43	<b>Flooding and Water Management (338th)</b>				<b>10%</b>	54.9		54.9	338	338
CO2 emissions from land use changes	DEFRA	kilotonnes / square mile	1.0	-254.6		-312.0	24	23	High flood risk	EA	properties / 1000 population	1.0	6.2		6.2	323	323		
Size of nearest green space	ONS	m2	1.0	562,908		562,908	49	49	Medium flood risk	EA	properties / 1000 population	1.0	33.8		33.8	359	359		
Private outdoor spaces	ONS	m2 / square mile	0.5	202,221		202,221	173	173	Bathing water quality (Insufficient Data)			1.0							
Popularity of woodland area	FR	percentage	0.3	77.0		63.0	23	66											
New planting of woodland	FR	ha new woodland / 100,000 ha	0.3	17.6		17.9	33	33											
Restocking of woodland	FR	ha restocked woodland / 100,000 ha	0.3	21.3		21.0	66	66											
<b>Waste Management (97th)</b>				<b>15%</b>	50.6		57.2	79	97										
Waste	DEFRA	tonnes / population	1.0	0.3		0.3	25	35											
Recycled waste	DEFRA	percentage	1.0	35.1		41.7	202	182											

Source Code	Source Name
BEIS	Department for Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy
BES	British Election Study
BVA	BVA Group
BVCA	British Venture Capital Association
CS: NIDO: g.s	Crime Survey: Northern Ireland Department of Justice: Scottish Government
DEFRA	Department for Environment, Food & Rural Affairs
DFE: g.s: SW	Department for Education: Scottish Government: Statistics for Wales
DW	Discover Water
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DfE	Department for Education
DfT	Department for Transport
DfT: NISRA: g.s: SW	Department for Transport: Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency: Scottish Government: Statistics for Wales
EA	Environment Agency
EC: EONI	Electoral Commission: Electoral Office for Northern Ireland
EEA	European Environment Agency
FCA	Financial Conduct Authority
FH	Freedom House
FR	Forest Research
GSI	Global Slavery Index
GTD	Global Terrorism Database
Gallup	Gallup Dailies
HCL	House of Commons Library
HMRC	Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs
HOFF	Home Office
HSE	Health and Safety Executive
INRIX	INRIX Global Traffic Scorecard
IPO	Intellectual Property Office
Kell	Kellogg's
LG: RQIA: SW	Local Government Association: The Regulation and Quality Improvement Authority: Statistics for Wales
LGA	Local Government Association
LGA: g.s: g.w	Local Government Association: Scottish Government: Welsh Government
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OCd	Open Council Data
OfCOM	Ofcom
ONS	Office for National Statistics
ONS: NISRA	Office for National Statistics: Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency
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ONS: NRS	Office for National Statistics: National Records Scotland
ONS: g.s	Office for National Statistics: Scottish Government
ORS	Open Route Service
PHE	Public Health England
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PHOF: NISRA: g.s: SW	Public Health Outcomes Framework: Northern Ireland Statistics and Research Agency: Scottish Government: Statistics for Wales
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PRC	Pew Research Center
PWLB	Public Works Loans Board
RF	Resolution Foundation
Rsf	Reporters Without Borders
SE	Sport England
SMC	Social Metrics Commission
TEC: NIE	The Elections Centre: Northern Ireland Elections
UKF	UK Finance
US	Understanding Society
VDEM	Varieties of Democracy
WJP	World Justice Project (Rule of Law Index)
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