

Table SS.12

**Number of pensioners in receipt of the Minimum Income Guarantee, receiving the single and married couple rates in bands of £5 up to the full amount in 2026**

| Amount        | As at end January |           |            | As at end February |           |            | As at end March |           |            | As at end April |           |            | As at end May |           |            | As at end June |           |            |
|---------------|-------------------|-----------|------------|--------------------|-----------|------------|-----------------|-----------|------------|-----------------|-----------|------------|---------------|-----------|------------|----------------|-----------|------------|
|               | Singles           | Couples   | Total      | Singles            | Couples   | Total      | Singles         | Couples   | Total      | Singles         | Couples   | Total      | Singles       | Couples   | Total      | Singles        | Couples   | Total      |
| £166 - £170   | -                 | 5         | 5          | -                  | 5         | 5          | -               | 5         | 5          | 5               | -         | 5          | -             | 5         | 5          | -              | 5         | 5          |
| £161 - £165   | -                 | -         | -          | -                  | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -             | -         | -          | -              | -         | -          |
| £156 - £160   | -                 | -         | -          | -                  | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -             | -         | -          | -              | -         | -          |
| £151 - £155   | -                 | -         | -          | -                  | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -             | -         | -          | -              | -         | -          |
| £146 - £150   | -                 | -         | -          | -                  | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -             | -         | -          | -              | -         | -          |
| £141 - £145   | -                 | -         | -          | -                  | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -             | -         | -          | -              | -         | -          |
| £136 - £140   | -                 | -         | -          | -                  | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -             | -         | -          | -              | -         | -          |
| £131 - £135   | -                 | -         | -          | -                  | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -             | -         | -          | -              | -         | -          |
| £126 - £130   | -                 | -         | -          | -                  | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -             | -         | -          | -              | -         | -          |
| £121 - £125   | 58                | -         | 58         | 58                 | -         | 58         | 58              | -         | 58         | 58              | -         | 58         | 58            | -         | 58         | 58             | -         | 58         |
| £116 - £120   | 1                 | -         | 1          | 1                  | -         | 1          | 1               | -         | 1          | 1               | -         | 1          | 1             | -         | 1          | 1              | -         | 1          |
| £111 - £115   | -                 | -         | -          | -                  | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -             | -         | -          | -              | -         | -          |
| £106 - £110   | 1                 | -         | 1          | 1                  | -         | 1          | 1               | -         | 1          | 1               | -         | 1          | 1             | -         | 1          | 1              | -         | 1          |
| £101 - £105   | -                 | -         | -          | -                  | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -             | -         | -          | 2              | -         | 2          |
| £96 - £100    | -                 | -         | -          | -                  | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -             | -         | -          | -              | -         | -          |
| £91 - £95     | -                 | -         | -          | -                  | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -             | -         | -          | -              | -         | -          |
| £86 - £90     | -                 | -         | -          | -                  | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -               | -         | -          | -             | -         | -          | -              | -         | -          |
| £81 - £85     | 1                 | -         | 1          | 1                  | -         | 1          | 1               | -         | 1          | 1               | -         | 1          | 1             | -         | 1          | 1              | -         | 1          |
| £76 - £80     | 3                 | -         | 3          | 3                  | -         | 3          | 3               | -         | 3          | 2               | -         | 2          | 2             | -         | 2          | 2              | -         | 2          |
| £71 - £75     | 1                 | -         | 1          | 1                  | -         | 1          | 1               | -         | 1          | 1               | -         | 1          | 1             | -         | 1          | 1              | -         | 1          |
| £66 - £70     | 3                 | 1         | 4          | 2                  | 2         | 4          | 2               | 2         | 4          | 3               | 2         | 5          | 3             | 2         | 5          | 4              | 2         | 6          |
| £61 - £65     | 5                 | 2         | 7          | 5                  | 2         | 7          | 5               | 2         | 7          | 5               | 2         | 7          | 5             | 2         | 7          | 5              | 2         | 7          |
| £56 - £60     | 21                | 1         | 22         | 21                 | 1         | 22         | 21              | 1         | 22         | 21              | 1         | 22         | 21            | 1         | 22         | 21             | 1         | 22         |
| £51 - £55     | 22                | -         | 22         | 22                 | -         | 22         | 22              | -         | 22         | 22              | -         | 22         | 22            | -         | 22         | 23             | -         | 23         |
| £46 - £50     | 21                | 2         | 23         | 21                 | 2         | 23         | 21              | 2         | 23         | 22              | 2         | 24         | 22            | 2         | 24         | 23             | 2         | 25         |
| £41 - £45     | 17                | 1         | 18         | 17                 | 1         | 18         | 16              | 1         | 17         | 17              | 1         | 18         | 17            | 1         | 18         | 18             | 1         | 19         |
| £36 - £40     | 9                 | -         | 9          | 10                 | -         | 10         | 11              | -         | 11         | 12              | -         | 12         | 12            | -         | 12         | 11             | -         | 11         |
| £31 - £35     | 15                | 3         | 18         | 15                 | 3         | 18         | 15              | 3         | 18         | 14              | 3         | 17         | 13            | 3         | 16         | 13             | 3         | 16         |
| £26 - £30     | 26                | 2         | 28         | 28                 | 1         | 29         | 27              | 3         | 30         | 26              | 3         | 29         | 26            | 3         | 29         | 26             | 3         | 29         |
| £21 - £25     | 11                | -         | 11         | 11                 | -         | 11         | 11              | -         | 11         | 10              | -         | 10         | 10            | -         | 10         | 10             | -         | 10         |
| £16 - £20     | 13                | -         | 13         | 13                 | -         | 13         | 12              | -         | 12         | 12              | -         | 12         | 11            | -         | 11         | 11             | -         | 11         |
| £11 - £15     | 50                | 2         | 52         | 50                 | 2         | 52         | 50              | 2         | 52         | 48              | 2         | 50         | 48            | 2         | 50         | 48             | 2         | 50         |
| £6 - £10      | 4                 | 1         | 5          | 4                  | 1         | 5          | 5               | -         | 5          | 6               | -         | 6          | 6             | -         | 6          | 6              | -         | 6          |
| £0 - £5       | 10                | 1         | 11         | 10                 | 1         | 11         | 10              | 1         | 11         | 11              | 1         | 12         | 11            | 1         | 12         | 11             | 1         | 12         |
| <b>Totals</b> | <b>292</b>        | <b>21</b> | <b>313</b> | <b>294</b>         | <b>21</b> | <b>315</b> | <b>293</b>      | <b>22</b> | <b>315</b> | <b>298</b>      | <b>17</b> | <b>315</b> | <b>291</b>    | <b>22</b> | <b>313</b> | <b>296</b>     | <b>22</b> | <b>318</b> |

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