

UK Election declaration times

There will be a total of 650 constituency results in Britain's General Election on May 7. First results are expected after 23:00 local time, 22:00GMT, with most declarations due overnight



■ **23:00-00:30** – Race to be first to declare – **Houghton & Sunderland South** and three other results expected

■ **00:30-01:30** – **Declarations: 14 seats.** Results include **Durham** and **West Tyrone** in Northern Ireland

■ **02:00-02:30** – **Declarations: 41.** Expected to include four Belfast seats

■ **02:30-03:00** – **Declarations: 32.** Including two Westminster seats

■ **03:00-04:00** – **Declarations: 173.** Results include Labour-held marginals **Hampstead and Kilburn** (0.08% swing will lose seat), **Bolton West** (0.1%), and **Derby North** (0.1%); Conservative marginals **Thurrock** (0.7%), **Stockton South** (0.7%); and Liberal Democrat marginal **Solihull** (0.3%)

■ **04:00-05:00** – **Declarations: 204.** Flood of results includes Labour's **Southampton Itchen** (held by just 0.2% in 2010), and **Wirral South** (0.7%); Tory-held **Sherwood** (0.4%) and **Broxtowe** (0.7%). Lib Dem marginal **Dorset Mid and Poole North** (0.6% swing) is also at risk. UKIP faces a tough battle in **Rochester & Strood**



■ **05:00-06:00** – **Declarations: 108.** Results from Bradford, Liverpool and six Birmingham constituencies, including Labour's battleground of **Birmingham Edgbaston** (held by 1.5%); Conservative-held marginals **Hendon** (0.2%), and **Sherwood** (0.4%)

■ **06:00-07:00** – **Declarations: 52.** Battles include **Thanet South** – three-way marginal where UKIP's **Nigel Farage** (left) is fighting for a seat.

While nearly four million people could vote for UKIP – more voters than in Scotland and Wales combined – UKIP could end up with just one seat, **Clacton**, where **Douglas Carswell** won a huge victory last autumn

■ **07:00-08:00** – **Declarations: 16.** Birmingham Hall Green, Portsmouth and two Milton Keynes seats. No more results expected until 12:00

■ **12:00-13:00** – **Declarations: 7.** Final results with Con-Lib Dem marginal seat of **St Ives** (3.7% or 1,719 votes) expected to be called at 1pm