

Working class vote key to Tory wins

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Ongoing FT analysis of the results finds that the clearest link with the Conservatives' overnight success was the size of a constituency's working-class population, John Burn-Murdoch reports. The higher the share of workers in low-skilled jobs, the better the Tories fared relative to Labour and the Lib Dems. This statistical link was stronger than the links with numbers of graduates or voting patterns in the 2016 EU referendum.

