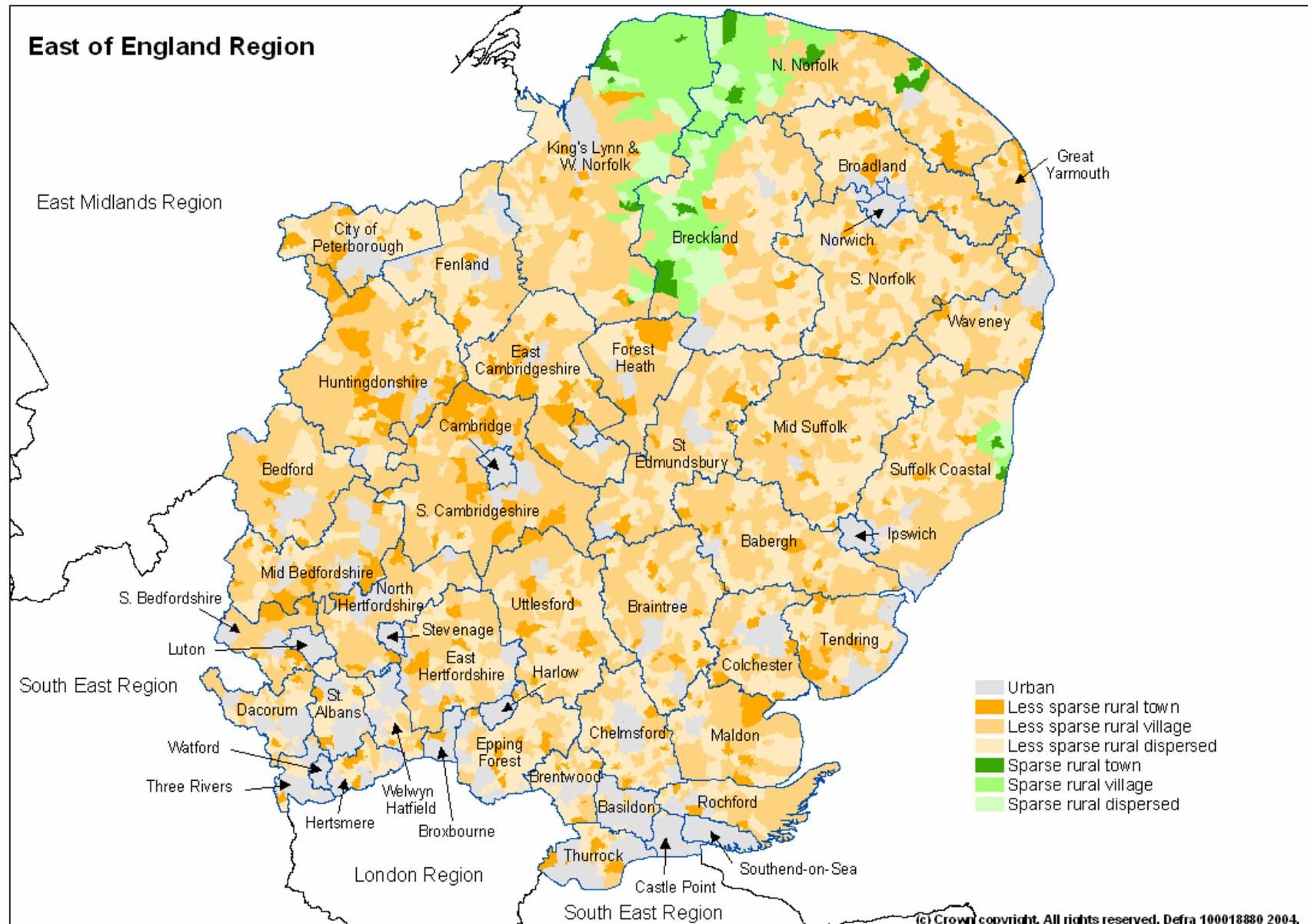


# **Welwyn Hatfield**

## **Census 2001 and Access to Services Focus on Rural Areas**

Welwyn Hatfield is in the East of England Government Office Region

Map of the Government Office Region showing Authority boundaries and shaded by Output Area according to the urban / rural definition.



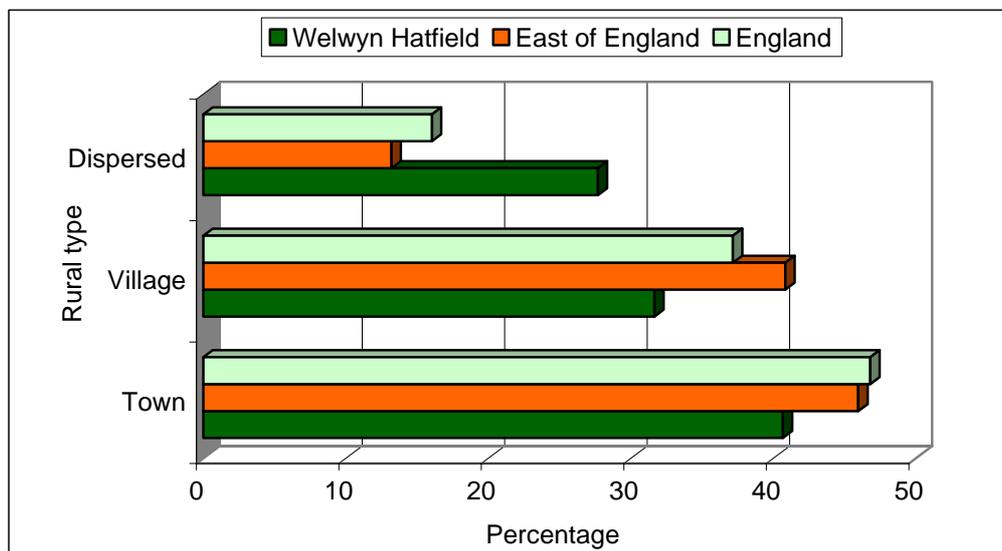
## Population

In Welwyn Hatfield 12.8% of people live in rural areas, compared with 31% in the Government Office Region. Within the rural areas all people live in less sparse areas

	Welwyn Hatfield			East of England		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Urban	41,316	43,710	85,026	1,812,091	1,904,428	3,716,519
Rural	6,047	6,480	12,527	826,244	845,377	1,671,621
Less Sparse	6,047	6,480	12,527	785,328	801,861	1,587,189
Town	2,459	2,573	5,032	359,564	375,106	734,670
Village	1,914	2,007	3,921	320,104	322,590	642,694
Dispersed	1,674	1,900	3,574	105,660	104,165	209,825
Sparse	-	-	-	40,916	43,516	84,432
Town	-	-	-	20,159	22,619	42,778
Village	-	-	-	17,315	17,330	34,645
Dispersed	-	-	-	3,442	3,567	7,009
Total	47,363	50,190	97,553	2,638,335	2,749,805	5,388,140
Percentage rural	12.8	12.9	12.8	31.3	30.7	31.0

Source table from the Census: UV03 Gender

Proportion of the population of the Authority living in rural towns, villages and dispersed areas compared with the Government Office Region and England.



Source table from the Census: UV03 Gender

## Age

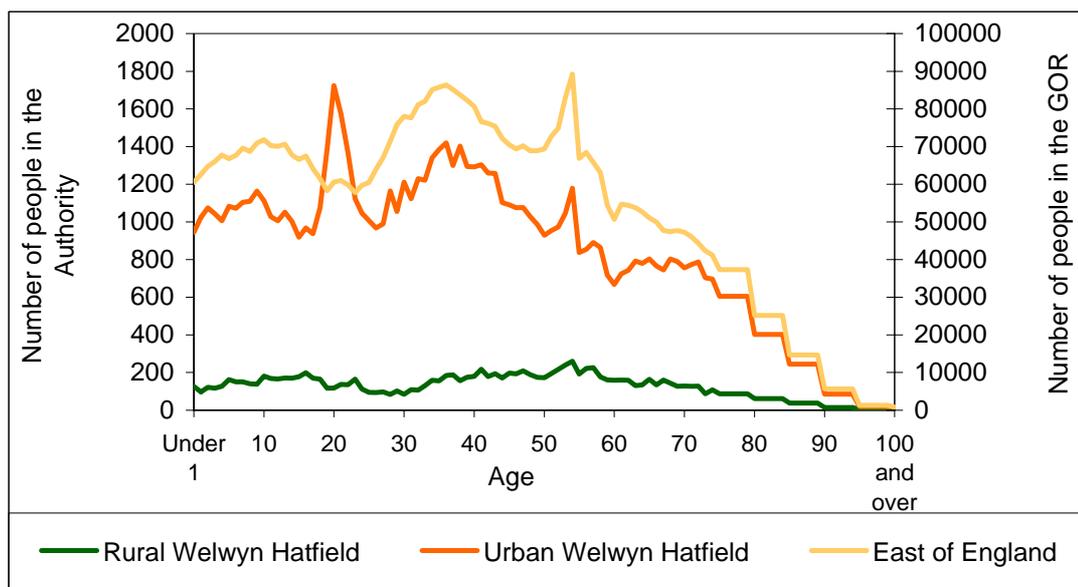
In Welwyn Hatfield 1.4% of the population live in rural areas and are under 10 years old. 3.1% of the Authority's population live in rural areas and are under 19 years of age. 1.7% are aged 70 or over and live in rural areas.

### Total population within the Authority, broken down by age.

Age	Total	Totals		Rural breakdown						% Rural
		Urban	Rural	Towns		Villages		Dispersed		
				Less sparse	Sparse	Less sparse	Sparse	Less sparse	Sparse	
Under 10	11,958	10,627	1,331	536	-	418	-	377	-	11.1
10 to 19	12,170	10,485	1,685	591	-	510	-	584	-	13.8
20 to 29	13,157	12,017	1,140	355	-	442	-	343	-	8.7
30 to 39	14,376	12,925	1,451	529	-	467	-	455	-	10.1
40 to 49	13,380	11,475	1,905	740	-	616	-	549	-	14.2
50 to 59	11,308	9,246	2,062	845	-	642	-	575	-	18.2
60 to 69	9,088	7,617	1,471	682	-	463	-	326	-	16.2
70 to 79	7,756	6,742	1,014	508	-	263	-	243	-	13.1
80 to 89	3,732	3,233	499	231	-	134	-	134	-	13.4
90 and over	639	538	101	32	-	27	-	42	-	15.8
	97,564	84,905	12,659	5,049	-	3,982	-	3,628	-	13.0

Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

### Age of the population in urban/rural parts of the Authority and totals for the Government Office Region.

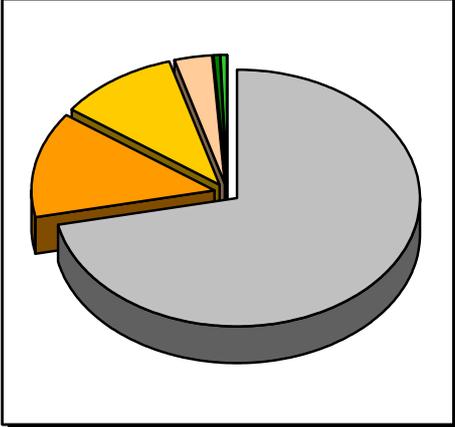
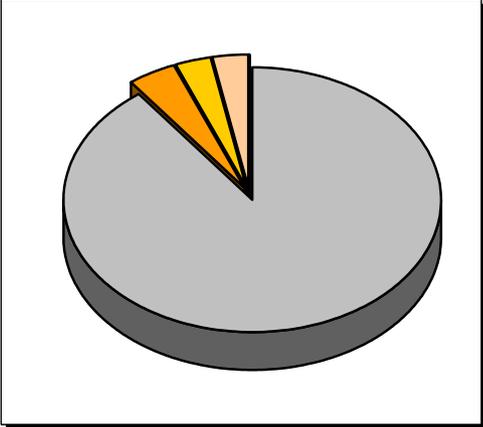


Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

Proportion of children under 5 split by the urban rural definition, for the Authority and the Government Office Region

Authority:  
Welwyn Hatfield  
Number of under 5's: 5,700

Government Office Region:  
East of England  
Number of under 5's: 321,800



- Urban
- Less Sparse Rural Town
- Less Sparse Rural Village
- Less Sparse Rural Dispersed
- Sparse Rural Town
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Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

## Marital Status

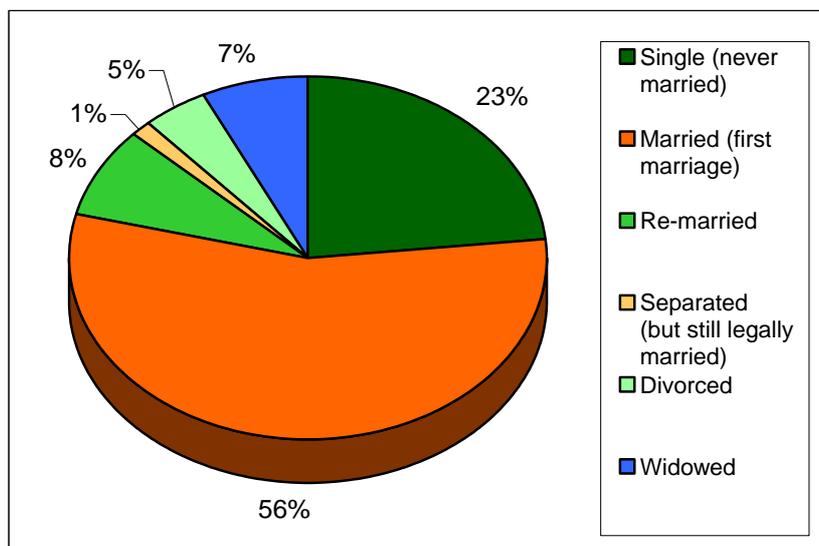
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted from the original "single – never married" figures on the marital status to estimated figures on the marital status of people aged 16 or over.

### Estimated number of people in the Authority and Government Office Region aged 16 or over, by marital status

	Single (never married)	Married (first marriage)	Re-married	Separated (but still legally married)	Divorced	Widowed
<b>Welwyn Hatfield</b>						
Urban	21,591	29,090	4,814	1,476	5,585	5,738
Rural	2,379	5,648	793	144	463	733
Less Sparse	2,379	5,648	793	144	463	733
Town	757	2,526	297	50	150	330
Village	829	1,667	259	41	175	211
Dispersed	793	1,455	237	53	138	192
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>23,970</b>	<b>34,738</b>	<b>5,607</b>	<b>1,620</b>	<b>6,048</b>	<b>6,471</b>
<b>East of England</b>						
Urban	862,966	1,308,517	222,193	71,158	250,994	240,260
Rural	304,904	678,852	129,621	27,105	101,174	107,957
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,167,870</b>	<b>1,987,369</b>	<b>351,814</b>	<b>98,263</b>	<b>352,168</b>	<b>348,217</b>

Source tables from the Census: UV04 Age and UV07 Marital Status

### Estimated proportions of people aged 16 or over in rural parts of the Authority, by marital status.



Source tables from the Census: UV04 Age and UV07 Marital Status

## Household composition

In Welwyn Hatfield 11.9% of households are in rural areas. 20.4% of rural households are single person households. 4.9% of rural households are lone parent family households.

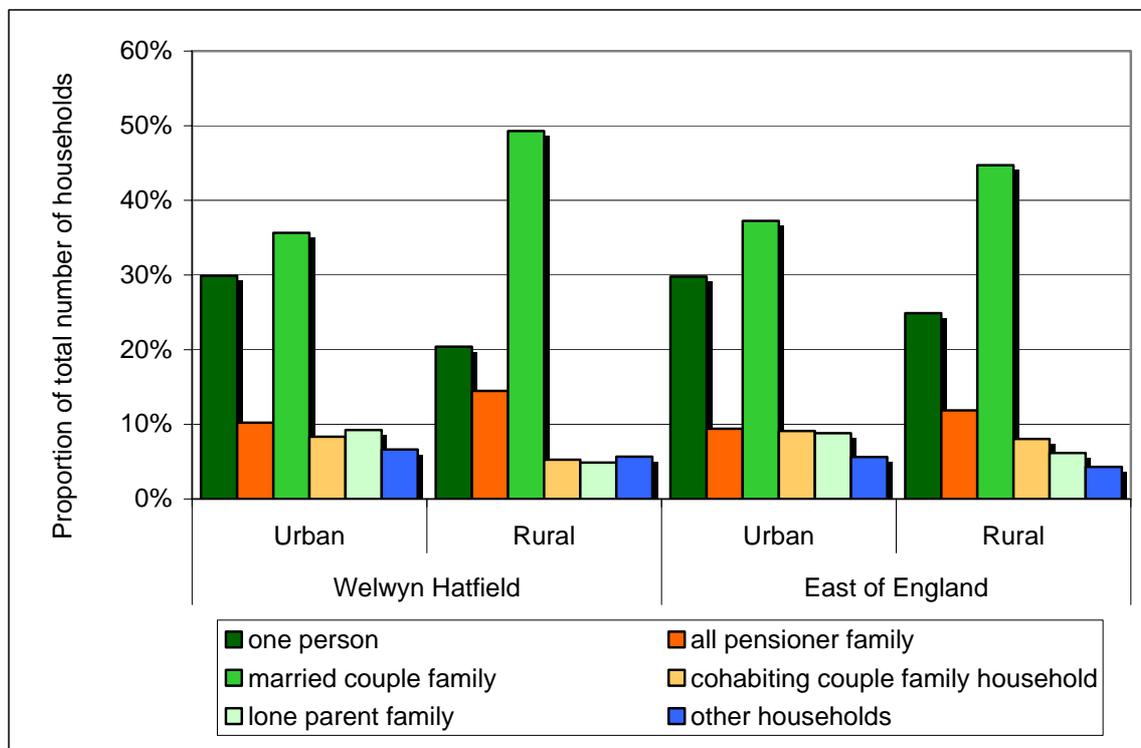
### Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban Total	Rural						% rural	
		Total	Less sparse			Sparse			
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	35,013	4,750	2,041	1,442	1,267	-	-	-	11.9
One person household	10,466	969	436	265	268	-	-	-	8.5
pensioner	5,500	630	322	166	142	-	-	-	10.3
other	4,966	339	114	99	126	-	-	-	6.4
All pensioner family	3,583	688	355	193	140	-	-	-	16.1
Married couple family	12,483	2,341	1,002	712	627	-	-	-	15.8
no children	4,222	807	354	222	231	-	-	-	16.0
with one dependent child	2,131	417	161	146	110	-	-	-	16.4
with two or more dependent children	4,098	716	319	226	171	-	-	-	14.9
all children non-dependent	2,032	401	168	118	115	-	-	-	16.5
Cohabiting couple family	2,921	250	87	85	78	-	-	-	7.9
no children	1,567	154	56	54	44	-	-	-	8.9
with one dependent child	563	38	13	15	10	-	-	-	6.3
two or more dependent children	641	52	18	16	18	-	-	-	7.5
all children non-dependent	150	6	-	-	6	-	-	-	3.8
Lone parent family	3,238	232	71	92	69	-	-	-	6.7
with one dependent child	1,103	66	23	24	19	-	-	-	5.6
with two or more dependant children	1,074	49	15	17	17	-	-	-	4.4
all children non-dependent	1,061	117	33	51	33	-	-	-	9.9
Other households	2,322	270	90	95	85	-	-	-	10.4
with one dependent child	266	38	16	15	7	-	-	-	12.5
with two or more dependent children	282	46	14	15	17	-	-	-	14.0
all student	569	15	3	6	6	-	-	-	2.6
all pensioner	93	18	6	6	6	-	-	-	16.2
other	1,112	153	51	53	49	-	-	-	12.1

Source table from the Census: UV65 Household Composition (households)

A dependent child is a person in a household aged 0 to 15 (whether or not in a family) or a person aged 16 to 18 who is a full-time student in a family with parent(s).

Percentage of households by composition of household for the Authority and the Government Office Region.



Source table from the Census: UV65 Household Composition (households)

**Classification of household deprivation**

The classification of household deprivation on the Census is independent of the English Indices of Multiple Deprivation published by the Office of the Deputy Prime Minister. Four dimensions from the Census returns have been identified as giving an indication of household deprivation. Households are considered deprived if one or more of the following definitions applies to that household:

**Employment** – any member of the household aged 16-74 who is not a full-time student is classified as either unemployed or permanently sick.

**Education** – no member of the household aged 16 to pensionable age has at least 5 GCSE’s (grade A to C) or equivalent AND no member of the household aged 16 to 18 is in full-time education.

**Health and disability** – any member of the household has general health ‘not good’ in the year before the census or has a limiting long term illness.

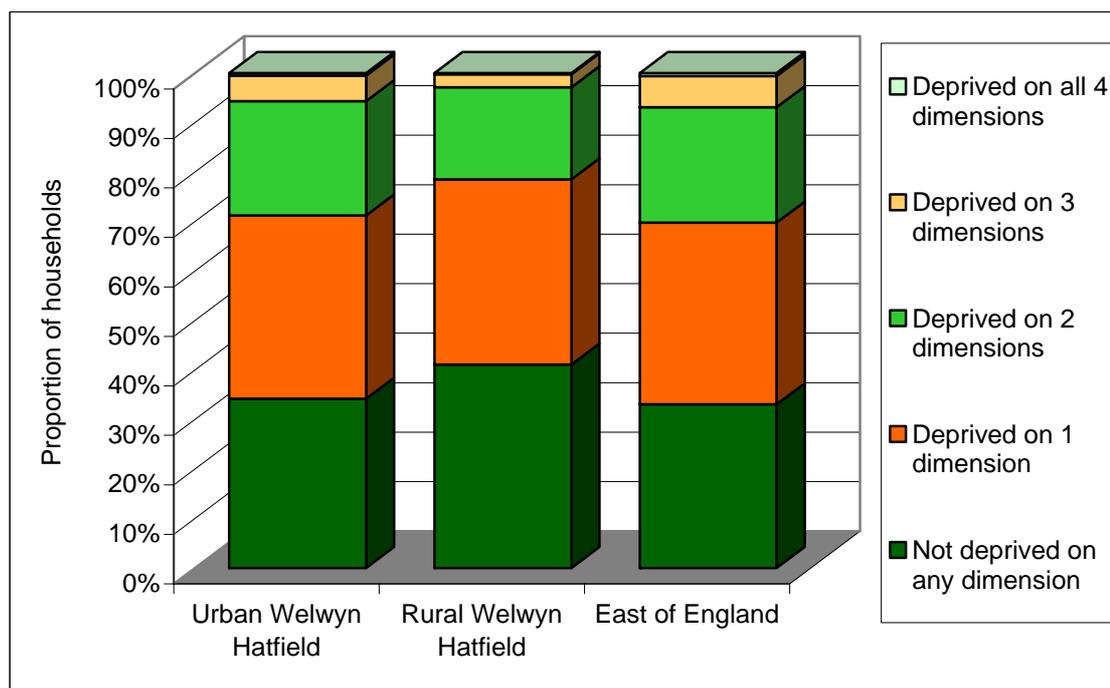
**Housing** – The household’s accommodation is either overcrowded, or is in a shared dwelling, or does not have sole use of bath/shower and toilet, or has no central heating.

### Classification of household deprivation (number of households)

	Welwyn Hatfield					East of England	
	Not deprived on any dimension	Deprived on 1 dimension	Deprived on 2 dimensions	Deprived on 3 dimensions	Deprived on all 4 dimensions	Not deprived on any dimension	Deprived on 1 or more dimensions
<b>Urban</b>	<b>12,018</b>	<b>13,010</b>	<b>8,108</b>	<b>1,817</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>503,710</b>	<b>1,045,520</b>
<b>Rural</b>	<b>1,956</b>	<b>1,779</b>	<b>885</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>234,574</b>	<b>448,212</b>
Less Sparse	1,956	1,779	885	124	12	225,807	419,404
Town	766	808	413	45	-	104,454	201,479
Village	629	511	266	36	3	91,914	166,962
Dispersed	561	460	206	43	9	29,439	50,963
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	8,767	28,808
Town	-	-	-	-	-	4,169	15,415
Village	-	-	-	-	-	3,806	11,073
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	792	2,320

Source table from the Census: UV67 Classification of household deprivation

### Comparison of household deprivation in urban and rural parts of the Authority



Source table from the Census: UV67 Classification of household deprivation

### Health and provision of unpaid care

There were two measure of 'health' on the Census. In one measure respondents were asked to rate their general level of health over the last twelve months as 'good', 'fairly good' or 'not good'. The other measure was to ask respondents whether they (in their opinion) had a limiting long-term

illness (LLTI). LLTI covers any long-term illness, health problem or disability that limits daily activities or the work a person can do.

Perception of health over the 12 months preceding the Census (number of people)

	Welwyn Hatfield				East of England			
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good
Urban	59,904	18,553	6,569	7.7	2,602,963	823,403	290,153	7.8
Rural	9,531	2,351	645	5.1	1,187,681	364,537	119,404	7.1

Source table from the Census: UV20 General health

Occurrence of limiting long-term illnesses (LLTI) (number of people)

	Welwyn Hatfield			East of England			England
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	71,687	13,339	15.7	3,110,092	606,427	16.3	18.2
Rural	10,917	1,610	12.9	1,404,880	266,741	16.0	17.0

Source table from the Census: UV22 Long-term limiting illness

Number of people providing unpaid care

	Welwyn Hatfield			% providing some unpaid care	
	1 to 19 hours per week	20 to 49 hours per week	50 or more hours per week	Welwyn Hatfield	East of England
Urban	5,976	687	1,416	9.5	9.3
Rural	1,130	93	162	11.1	10.4
Towns	511	50	76	12.7	9.9
Villages	322	18	47	9.9	10.7
Dispersed	297	25	39	10.1	10.8

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

## Qualifications

In Welwyn Hatfield 23% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 27.9% in the Region as a whole. 11.2% of the people with no such qualifications are in rural parts of the Authority.

### Number of people aged 16 to 74 by qualification level

	Number of people aged 16-74 within the authority that responded to the questions on qualification levels. (please see the footnotes)						Percentage with no qualifications	
	None	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4/5	Other	Authority	GOR
Urban	14,387	10,607	12,397	6,763	13,173	4,079	23.4	28.2
Rural	1,810	1,356	2,152	970	2,262	597	19.8	27.3
Less Sparse	1,810	1,356	2,152	970	2,262	597	19.8	26.9
Town	695	560	882	358	848	289	19.1	27.0
Village	549	434	653	363	753	163	18.8	26.9
Dispersed	566	362	617	249	661	145	21.8	26.3
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>16,197</b>	<b>11,963</b>	<b>14,549</b>	<b>7,733</b>	<b>15,435</b>	<b>4,676</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>27.9</b>
<b>Percentage rural</b>	<b>11.2</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>12.8</b>		

Source table from the Census: UV24 Qualifications

#### Footnotes

**None:** No academic, vocational or professional qualifications

**Level 1:** 1+ 'O' levels/CSE/GCSE (any grade), NVQ level 1, Foundation GNVQ

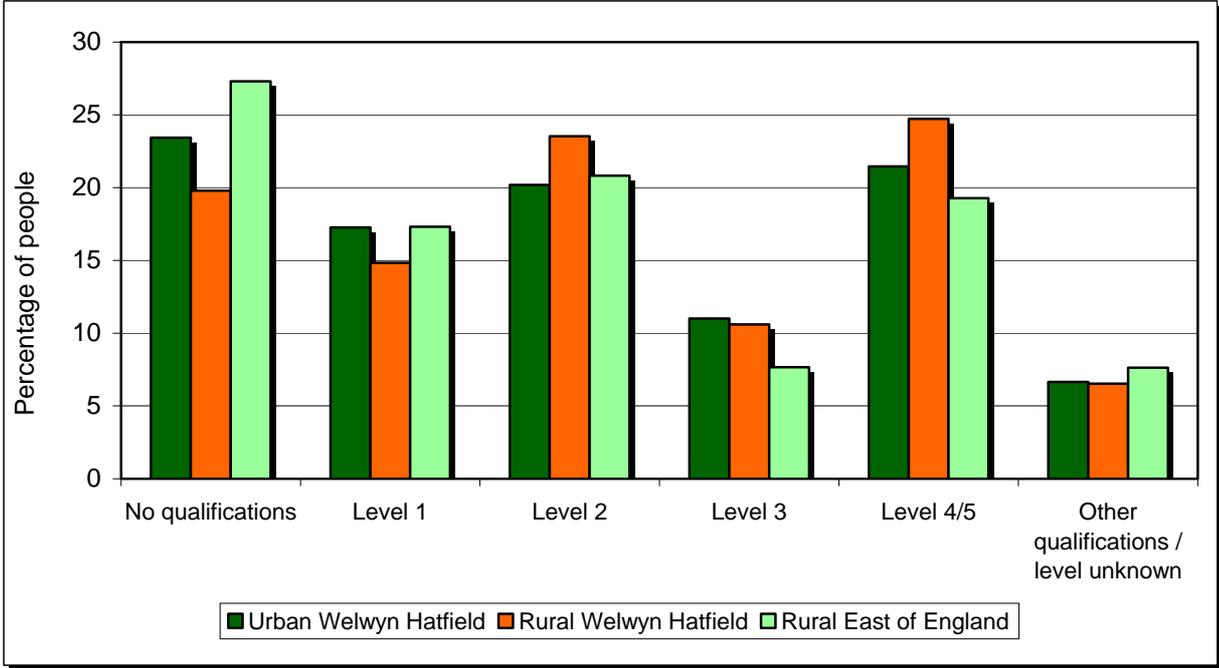
**Level 2:** 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

**Level 3:** 2+ 'A' levels, 4+ AS levels, Higher School Certificate, NVQ level 3, Advanced GNVQ

**Level 4/5:** First degree, Higher degree, NVQ levels 4-5, HND, HNC, Qualified Teacher Status, Qualified Medical Doctor, Qualified Dentist, Qualified Nurse, Midwife, Health Visitor

**Other:** Other qualifications or level unknown e.g. City and Guilds, RSA/OCR, BTEC/Edexcel, other professional qualifications.

Percentage of people aged 16 to 74 with each level of qualification in the Authority and the rural part of the Government Office Region.



Source table from the Census: UV24 Qualifications

## National Statistics Socio-Economic Classification (NS-SeC)

In this table all people aged 16 to 74 are classified according to their type of occupation using the National Statistics Socio-Economic Classification. Further details of this classification system are available from the National Statistics web site at:

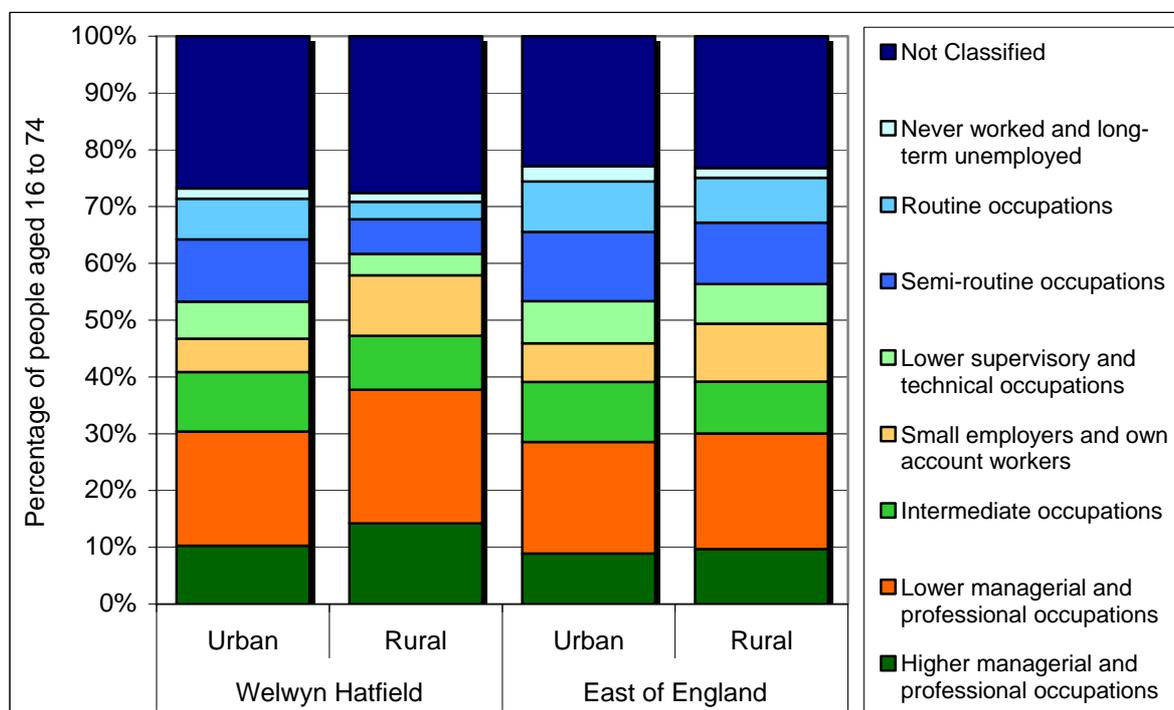
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### Number of people in the Authority aged 16 to 74 by NS-SeC classification

	Welwyn Hatfield					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Urban	Rural	
		Total	Towns	Villages			Dispersed
Higher managerial and professional occupations	6,305	1,299	522	403	374	237,932	117,399
Lower managerial and professional occupations	12,340	2,150	857	660	633	524,473	246,828
Intermediate occupations	6,452	870	406	253	211	283,271	110,712
Small employers and own account workers	3,595	973	357	345	271	181,377	123,856
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	4,018	342	113	114	115	198,061	84,381
Semi-routine occupations	6,726	560	225	178	157	326,421	131,219
Routine occupations	4,406	282	92	90	100	237,157	95,721
Never worked and long-term unemployed	1,102	140	34	38	68	71,321	21,034
Not Classified	16,470	2,525	1,030	831	664	612,488	281,445

Source table from the Census: UV31 National Statistics Socio-economic classification

### Percentage of people in the Authority aged 16 to 74 by NS-SeC classification



Source table from the Census: UV31 National Statistics Socio-economic classification

## Economic activity and average number of hours worked

In rural Welwyn Hatfield 35.6% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 45.5% of those people are retired, 18.6% are students and 21.8% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 31.7% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban Welwyn Hatfield and 31% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

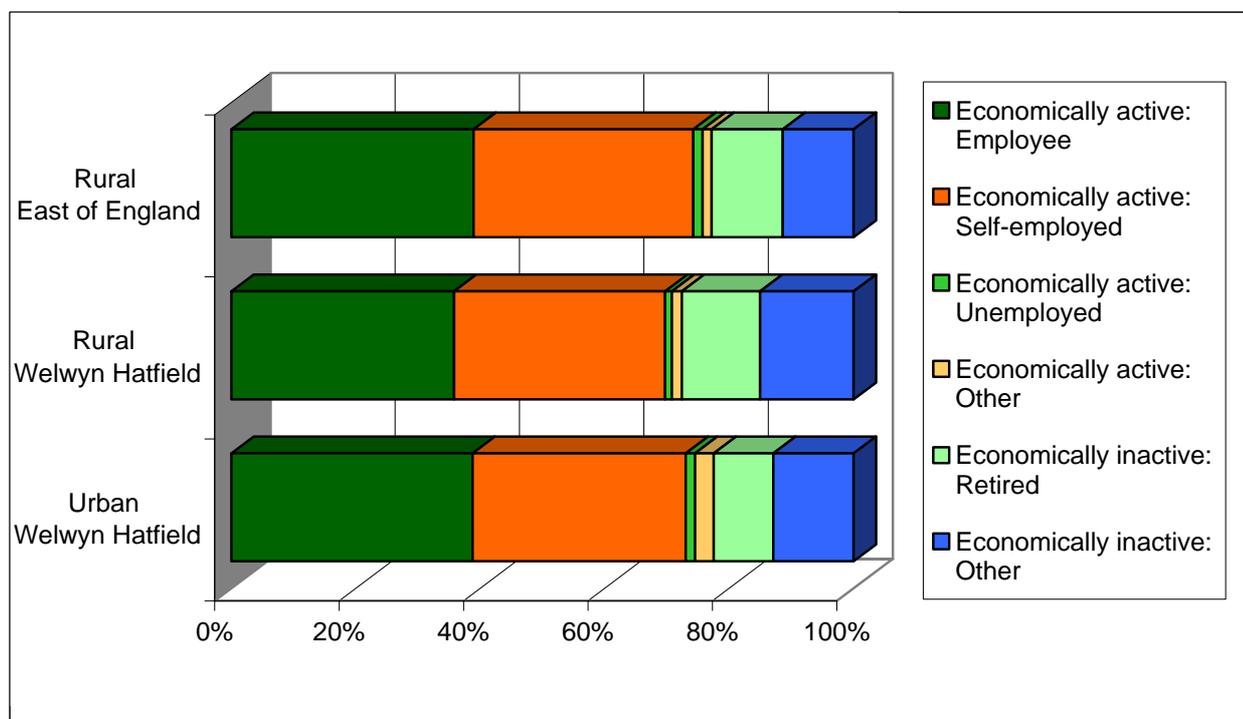
### Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

	Welwyn Hatfield					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Economically active	41,955	5,899	2,287	1,887	1,725	1,853,291	836,272
Employee	33,547	4,221	1,681	1,309	1,231	1,498,764	640,866
Part-time	7,102	991	427	298	266	331,265	153,475
Full-time	26,445	3,230	1,254	1,011	965	1,167,499	487,391
Self-employed with employees	1,312	591	202	223	166	69,566	52,976
Part-time	176	92	28	36	28	9,422	8,045
Full-time	1,136	499	174	187	138	60,144	44,931
Self-employed without employees	3,198	771	292	245	234	142,773	93,568
Part-time	961	290	111	88	91	38,002	27,724
Full-time	2,237	481	181	157	143	104,771	65,844
Unemployed	1,294	127	46	37	44	76,095	24,944
Full-time Students	2,604	189	66	73	50	66,093	23,918
Economically inactive	19,469	3,256	1,339	1,030	887	818,491	375,727
Retired	8,273	1,481	739	429	313	355,001	188,194
Student	4,167	605	139	246	220	103,595	36,694
Looking after home/family	3,392	710	285	236	189	179,900	81,974
Permanently sick/disabled	2,228	167	63	40	64	110,475	41,193
Other	1,409	293	113	79	101	69,520	27,672
% economically active	68.3	64.4	63.1	64.7	66.0	69.4	69.0
% economically inactive	31.7	35.6	36.9	35.3	34.0	30.6	31.0

Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

For the Census part-time working is defined as working 30 hours a week or less. Full-time is defined as working 31 or more hours a week.

Percentage of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity



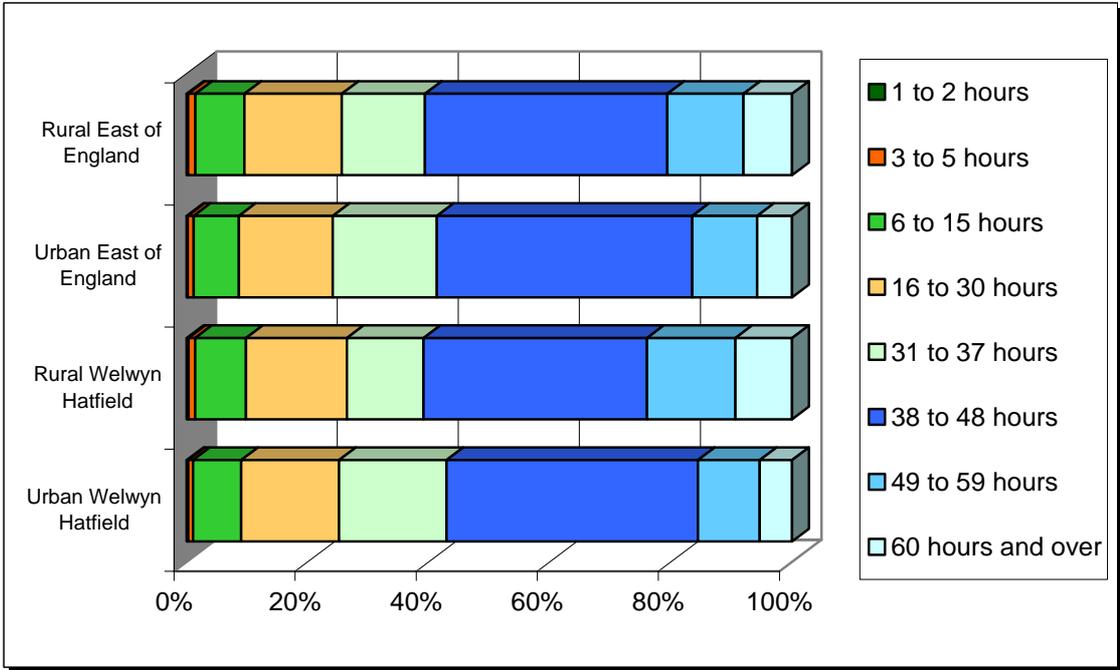
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

Number of people aged 16 to 74 in employment by number of hours worked per week

	Part-time				Full-time				Percent	
	1 to 2 hours	3 to 5 hours	6 to 15 hours	16 to 30 hours	31 to 37 hours	38 to 48 hours	49 to 59 hours	60 hours and over	Part-time	Full-time
<b>Welwyn Hatfield</b>										
Urban	99	327	3,208	6,537	7,160	16,783	4,115	2,163	25.2	74.8
Rural	18	62	484	960	729	2,127	840	540	26.5	73.5
Less Sparse	18	62	484	960	729	2,127	840	540	26.5	73.5
Town	6	20	218	385	318	800	322	172	28.1	71.9
Village	9	29	138	304	229	686	268	188	25.9	74.1
Dispersed	3	13	128	271	182	641	250	180	24.9	75.1
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>3,692</b>	<b>7,497</b>	<b>7,889</b>	<b>18,910</b>	<b>4,955</b>	<b>2,703</b>	<b>25.3</b>	<b>74.7</b>
Percentage rural	15.4	15.9	13.1	12.8	9.2	11.2	17.0	20.0		
<b>East of England</b>										
Urban	3,371	16,971	132,374	274,374	304,704	746,565	189,444	102,102	24.1	75.9
Rural	1,790	9,742	65,716	130,039	111,243	323,843	101,807	64,905	25.6	74.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,161</b>	<b>26,713</b>	<b>198,090</b>	<b>404,413</b>	<b>415,947</b>	<b>1,070,408</b>	<b>291,251</b>	<b>167,007</b>	<b>24.6</b>	<b>75.4</b>

Source table from the Census: UV41 Hours worked

Percentage of people in rural and urban parts of the Authority aged 16 to 74 in employment by number of hours worked.



Source table from the Census: UV41 Hours worked

**Employment by industry type**

The three most common industries employing people aged 16 to 74 in rural Welwyn Hatfield are: "Real estate, renting and business activities", "Wholesale and retail trade; repairs" and "Manufacturing"

## Number of people aged 16 to 74 in employment by industry type

	Welwyn Hatfield					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	326	89	21	32	36	15,447	33,642
Fishing	9	-	-	-	-	307	319
Mining and quarrying	45	3	-	-	3	3,438	2,020
Manufacturing	5,906	575	202	203	170	257,105	116,062
Electricity, gas and water supply	311	42	12	12	18	11,105	5,152
Construction	2,359	429	170	134	125	130,690	65,730
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	7,749	949	339	306	304	315,780	130,112
Hotels and restaurants	1,594	206	56	76	74	72,609	34,720
Transport, storage and communications	3,234	320	144	102	74	140,776	50,471
Financial Intermediation	1,718	521	266	137	118	113,132	36,685
Real estate, renting and business activities	6,257	1,156	454	353	349	237,379	105,898
Public administration and defence, social security	1,741	185	85	60	40	86,580	46,440
Education	3,099	466	177	143	146	128,071	61,240
Health and social work	4,057	482	184	182	116	170,908	78,846
Other community, social & personal service activities	1,960	342	134	110	98	83,321	37,258
Private households with employed persons	36	6	-	3	3	1,345	1,239
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	12	3	-	3	-	2,191	3,384

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

## Accommodation and tenure

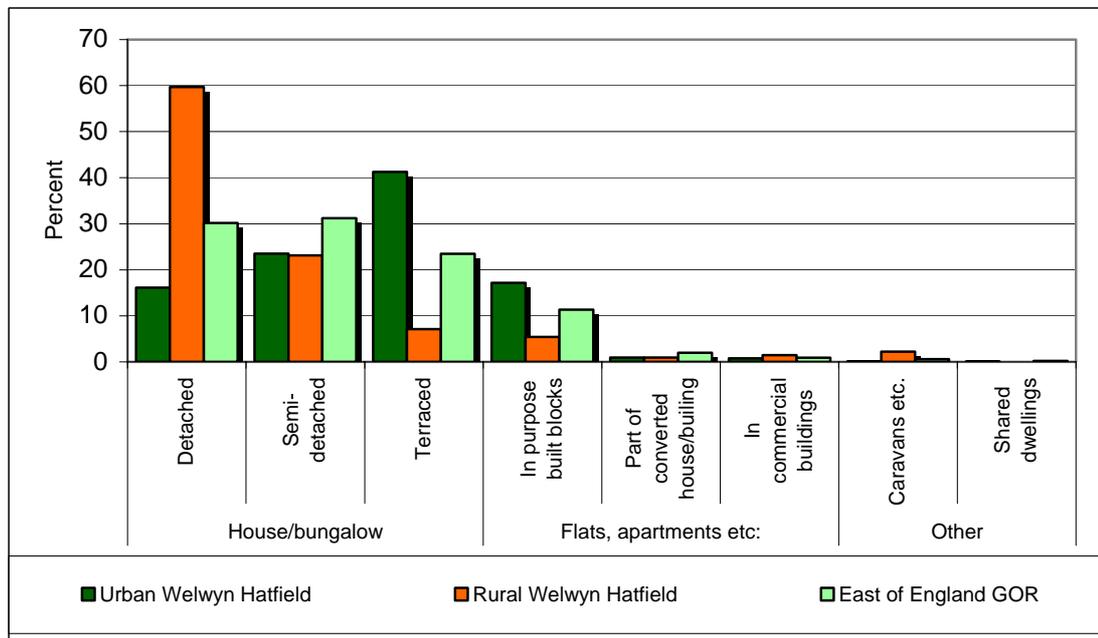
In rural Welwyn Hatfield 89.9% of households live in houses or bungalows, 7.9% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 2.2% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban Welwyn Hatfield 80.9% of households live in houses or bungalows, 18.9% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.2% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures.

## Number of households in the Authority and Government Office Region by accommodation type

	Welwyn Hatfield					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
<b>In an unshared dwelling</b>	<b>35,780</b>	<b>4,917</b>	<b>2,071</b>	<b>1,526</b>	<b>1,320</b>	<b>1,590,181</b>	<b>716,484</b>
House or bungalow	28,968	4,420	1,896	1,322	1,202	1,295,916	666,578
Detached	5,775	2,934	1,401	796	737	361,440	336,170
Semi-detached	8,422	1,136	456	375	305	491,333	230,199
Terraced (including end-terrace)	14,771	350	39	151	160	443,143	100,209
Flat; maisonette or apartment	6,758	387	172	125	90	288,461	41,400
In a purpose-built block of flats	6,145	267	148	58	61	233,688	28,983
Part of a converted or shared house	340	47	-	24	23	38,758	7,212
In a commercial building	273	73	24	43	6	16,015	5,205
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	54	110	3	79	28	5,804	8,506
<b>In a shared dwelling</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4,825</b>	<b>580</b>

Source table from the Census: UV56 Accommodation Type (Households)

Percentage of households in the Authority and the Government Office Region by type of accommodation.



Source table from the Census: UV56 Accommodation Type (Households)

In rural Welwyn Hatfield 85.1% of households live in owned accommodation, 4.9% live in social rented accommodation and 7.1% live in private rented accommodation.

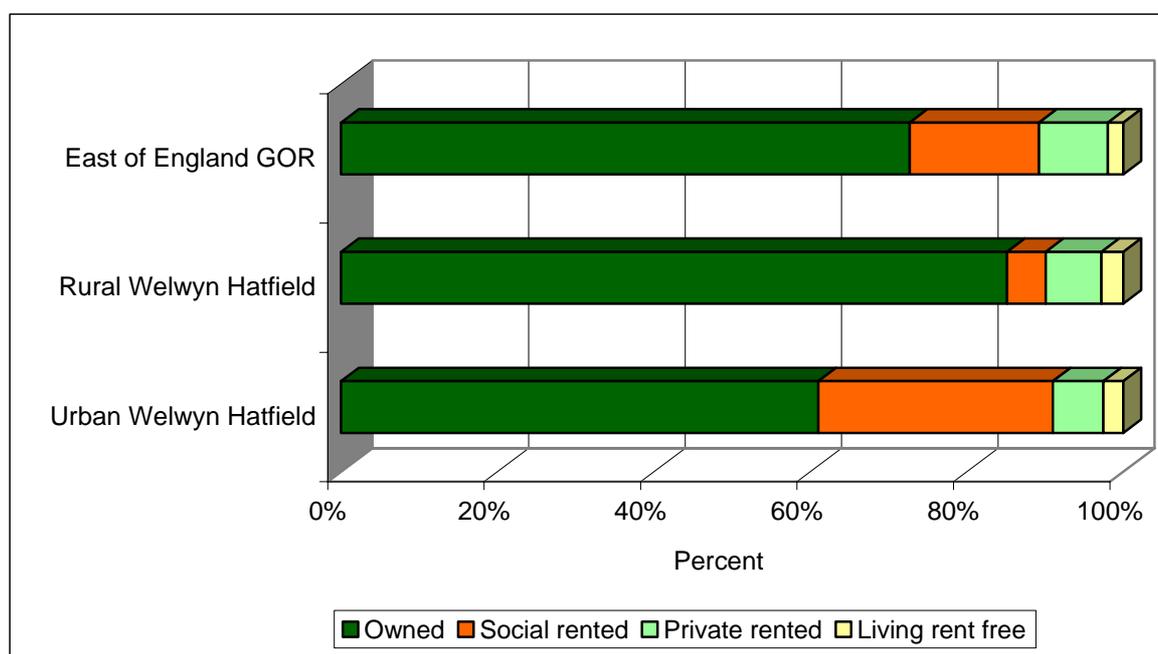
In urban Welwyn Hatfield 61% of households live in owned accommodation, 30% live in social rented accommodation and 6.5% live in private rented accommodation.

Number of households in the Authority and Government Office Region by tenure

	Welwyn Hatfield					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
<b>Owned</b>	<b>21,438</b>	<b>4,039</b>	<b>1,904</b>	<b>1,171</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>1,100,484</b>	<b>522,307</b>
Owns outright	8,108	2,111	1,076	583	452	438,959	245,508
Owns with a mortgage or loan	13,060	1,922	828	582	512	652,659	274,316
Shared ownership	270	6	-	6	-	8,866	2,483
<b>Social rented</b>	<b>10,541</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>288,603</b>	<b>80,045</b>
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	8,987	179	26	107	46	208,250	50,682
Other social rented	1,554	55	-	15	40	80,353	29,363
<b>Private rented</b>	<b>2,268</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>135,678</b>	<b>60,979</b>
Private landlord or letting agency	1,939	277	71	95	111	119,341	49,589
Employer of a household member	91	38	3	7	28	3,472	4,206
Relative or friend of a household member	118	12	3	9	-	8,644	4,074
Other	120	12	-	6	6	4,221	3,110
<b>Living rent free</b>	<b>895</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>24,605</b>	<b>19,410</b>

Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

## Percentage of households by tenure



Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

## Car ownership

8% of households in rural Welwyn Hatfield do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 22.3%.

## Number of households by car/van availability to the household and the total number of cars\*

	Welwyn Hatfield					East of England		Authority	GOR
	No car or van	1 car or van	2 cars or vans	3 cars or vans	4 or more cars or vans	No car or van	1 or more cars or vans	Total number of cars or vans	
Urban	7,819	15,269	9,548	1,879	601	354,763	1,194,445	42,619	1,811,338
Rural	379	1,552	2,002	554	277	87,147	595,610	8,469	1,020,332
Less Sparse	379	1,552	2,002	554	277	80,485	564,689	8,469	973,594
Town	187	720	847	200	87	48,319	257,640	3,394	419,308
Village	104	420	628	197	96	26,176	232,661	2,696	413,467
Dispersed	88	412	527	157	94	5,990	74,388	2,379	140,819
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	6,662	30,921	-	46,738
Town	-	-	-	-	-	4,413	15,150	-	21,624
Village	-	-	-	-	-	1,841	13,076	-	20,787
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	408	2,695	-	4,327
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,198</b>	<b>16,821</b>	<b>11,550</b>	<b>2,433</b>	<b>878</b>	<b>441,910</b>	<b>1,790,055</b>	<b>51,088</b>	<b>2,831,670</b>
Percentage rural	4.6	9.2	17.3	22.8	31.5	19.7	33.3	16.6	36.0

Source table from the Census: UV62 Cars or Vans

\*(includes any company car or van if it is available for private use)

## **Access to Service**

The following tables give figures on the distance from rural households to ten types of services:

- 1.** Cash machines / ATMs
- 2.** Banks
- 3.** GPs
- 4.** Jobcentres
- 5.** Libraries
- 6.** Petrol stations
- 7.** Post offices
- 8.** Supermarkets
- 9.** Primary Schools
- 10.** Secondary Schools

## Distance to Cash Machines / ATMs and Banks

<b>Cash Machines / ATMs</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a cash machine / ATM										
Less Sparse	4,204	663	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
Town	2,055	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,055
Village	1,070	440	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,510
Dispersed	1,079	223	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,302
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	4,204	663	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
% of rural households										
in the Authority	86.4	13.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	59.7	23.2	12.5	3.7	0.8	0.1	-	-	-	100.0

<b>Banks</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a bank										
Less Sparse	1,983	2,576	308	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
Town	1,558	497	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,055
Village	21	1,280	209	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,510
Dispersed	404	799	99	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,302
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	1,983	2,576	308	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
% of rural households										
in the Authority	40.7	52.9	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	30.8	26.8	22.4	13.0	5.4	1.2	0.4	-	-	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

## Distance to GPs and Jobcentres

<b>GPs</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a GP										
Less Sparse	3,570	1,046	251	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
Town	2,055	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,055
Village	681	624	205	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,510
Dispersed	834	422	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,302
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	3,570	1,046	251	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
% of rural households										
in the Authority	73.4	21.5	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	46.3	30.6	16.8	4.9	1.2	0.1	-	-	-	100.0
<b>Jobcentres</b>										
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a jobcentre										
Less Sparse	132	417	2,700	1,618	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
Town	-	-	1,136	919	-	-	-	-	-	2,055
Village	-	84	1,000	426	-	-	-	-	-	1,510
Dispersed	132	333	564	273	-	-	-	-	-	1,302
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	132	417	2,700	1,618	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
% of rural households										
in the Authority	2.7	8.6	55.5	33.2	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	4.0	9.9	19.1	20.4	18.3	12.7	9.8	4.5	1.5	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

## Distance to Libraries and Petrol Stations

<b>Libraries</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a library										
Less Sparse	3,815	864	188	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
Town	2,055	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,055
Village	965	372	173	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,510
Dispersed	795	492	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,302
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	3,815	864	188	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
% of rural households										
in the Authority	78.4	17.8	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	38.7	24.8	20.4	10.9	4.2	1.0	0.1	-	-	100.0

<b>Petrol Stations</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a petrol station										
Less Sparse	3,717	1,119	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
Town	1,916	139	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,055
Village	774	713	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,510
Dispersed	1,027	267	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,302
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	3,717	1,119	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
% of rural households										
in the Authority	76.4	23.0	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	58.4	28.8	10.0	2.2	0.4	0.1	-	-	-	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

## Distance to Post Offices and Supermarkets

<b>Post Offices</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a post office										
Less Sparse	4,314	552	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
Town	2,055	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,055
Village	1,240	269	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,510
Dispersed	1,019	283	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,302
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	4,314	552	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
% of rural households										
in the Authority	88.6	11.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	84.4	14.1	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0

<b>Supermarkets</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a supermarket										
Less Sparse	2,138	2,531	198	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
Town	1,558	497	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,055
Village	36	1,343	131	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,510
Dispersed	544	691	67	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,302
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	2,138	2,531	198	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
% of rural households										
in the Authority	43.9	52.0	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	35.1	28.4	20.1	10.3	4.1	1.4	0.5	0.1	-	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

## Distance to Primary Schools and Secondary Schools

<b>Primary Schools</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a primary school										
Less Sparse	4,674	193	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
Town	2,055	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,055
Village	1,428	82	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,510
Dispersed	1,191	111	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,302
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	4,674	193	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
% of rural households										
in the Authority	96.0	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	82.9	15.3	1.8	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	100.0

<b>Secondary Schools</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a secondary school										
Less Sparse	1,910	1,542	1,415	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
Town	497	663	895	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,055
Village	735	410	365	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,510
Dispersed	678	469	155	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,302
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	1,910	1,542	1,415	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,867
% of rural households										
in the Authority	39.2	31.7	29.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	31.0	29.0	22.7	10.7	4.5	1.9	0.2	-	-	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

**Further information:**

All the information in this document, except the tables on “Access to Services”, has been calculated from the 2001 Census Univariate Tables for Census Output Areas published by the Office of National Statistics (<http://www.statistics.gov.uk>). Further information about the Census is available at: <http://www.statistics.gov.uk/census2001/default.asp>

There are slight differences (e.g. in total population) between tables because of imputation for non-response and disclosure issues when using Output Area data. Overall the 2001 Census achieved a 98% response rate. For further information on the quality of data at Local Authority level please see: <http://www.statistics.gov.uk/census2001/la.asp>

Each Output Area in England and Wales has been classified using the harmonised urban / rural definition published by the ONS on 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2004 in Bulletin 2004/14 ([http://www.statistics.gov.uk/geography/bulletins/bulletin2004\\_14.asp](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/geography/bulletins/bulletin2004_14.asp)). The Output Area urban/rural data was then aggregated to provide the urban / rural totals for the Local Authority, Government Office Regions and England. More information about the urban / rural definition is available at: <http://www.statistics.gov.uk/geography/nrudp.asp>

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