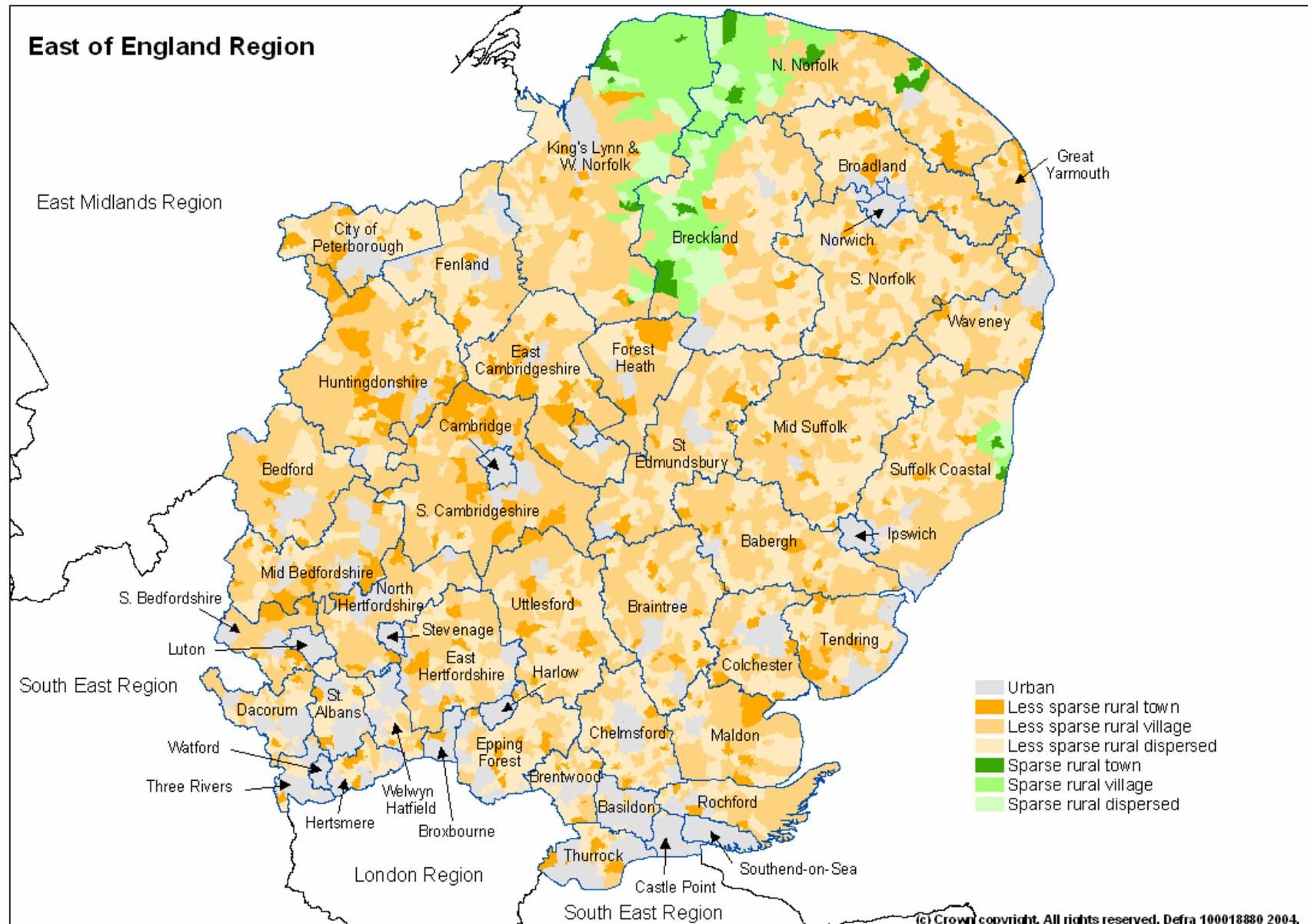


**Hertsmere**

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

Hertsmere 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.



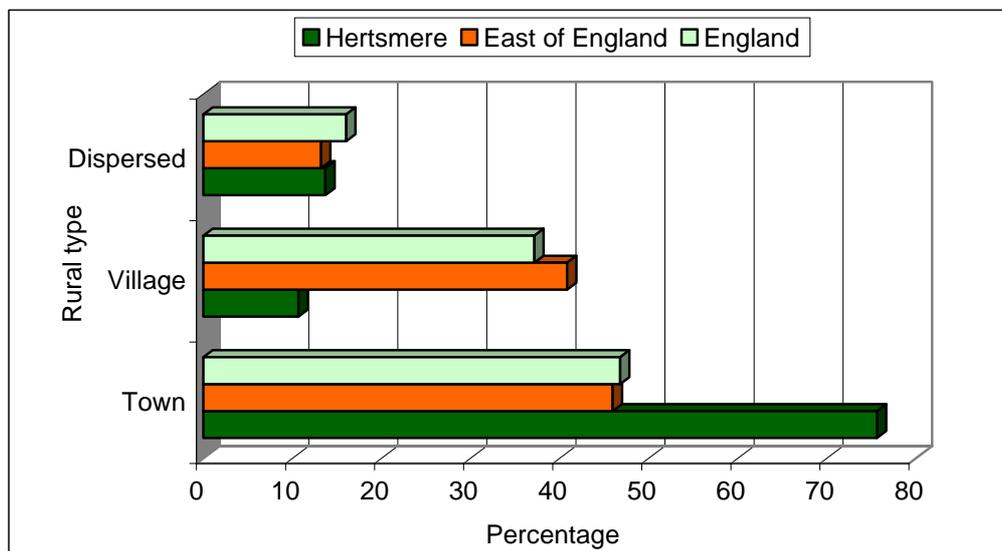
## Population

In Hertsmere 19% 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

	Hertsmere			East of England		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Urban	36,784	39,695	76,479	1,812,091	1,904,428	3,716,519
Rural	8,784	9,187	17,971	826,244	845,377	1,671,621
Less Sparse	8,784	9,187	17,971	785,328	801,861	1,587,189
Town	6,643	6,921	13,564	359,564	375,106	734,670
Village	938	991	1,929	320,104	322,590	642,694
Dispersed	1,203	1,275	2,478	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	45,568	48,882	94,450	2,638,335	2,749,805	5,388,140
Percentage rural	19.3	18.8	19.0	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

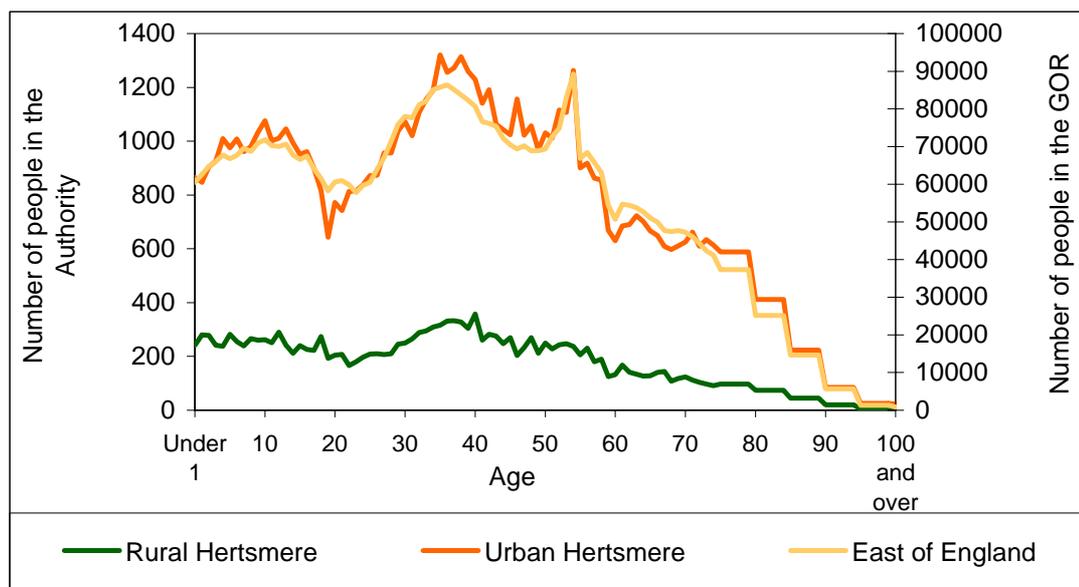
In Hertsmere 2.7% of the population live in rural areas and are under 10 years old. 5.3% of the Authority's population live in rural areas and are under 19 years of age. 1.8% are aged 70 or over and live in rural areas.

### 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	12,092	9,512	2,580	2,051	-	266	-	263	-	21.3
10 to 19	11,812	9,400	2,412	1,664	-	198	-	550	-	20.4
20 to 29	10,712	8,676	2,036	1,413	-	206	-	417	-	19.0
30 to 39	14,987	11,966	3,021	2,410	-	308	-	303	-	20.2
40 to 49	13,506	10,895	2,611	2,062	-	266	-	283	-	19.3
50 to 59	11,871	9,734	2,137	1,578	-	284	-	275	-	18.0
60 to 69	7,903	6,563	1,340	1,058	-	149	-	133	-	17.0
70 to 79	7,100	6,087	1,013	745	-	148	-	120	-	14.3
80 to 89	3,767	3,174	593	438	-	68	-	87	-	15.7
90 and over	705	574	131	91	-	6	-	34	-	18.6
	94,455	76,581	17,874	13,510	-	1,899	-	2,465	-	18.9

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.

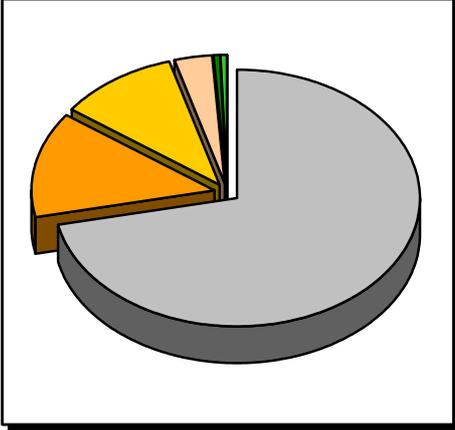
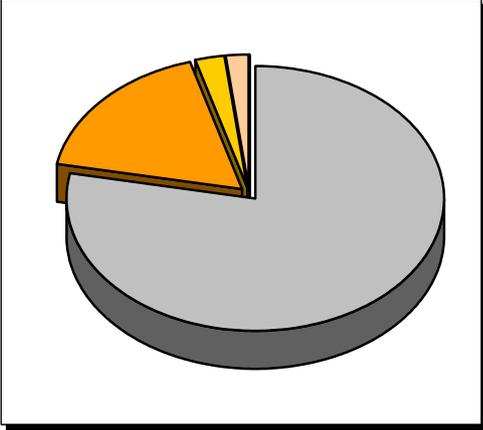


Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

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

Authority:  
Hertsmere  
Number of under 5's: 5,900

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

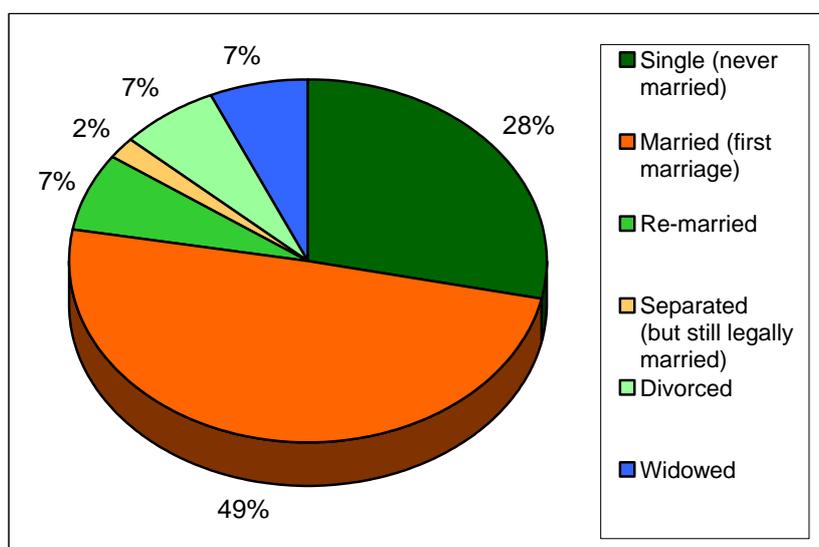
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted 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>Hertsmere</b>						
Urban	16,841	28,524	3,797	1,301	4,993	5,434
Rural	3,945	6,858	956	284	911	935
Less Sparse	3,945	6,858	956	284	911	935
Town	2,682	5,458	716	202	677	684
Village	431	693	133	39	133	104
Dispersed	832	707	107	43	101	147
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,786</b>	<b>35,382</b>	<b>4,753</b>	<b>1,585</b>	<b>5,904</b>	<b>6,369</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 Hertsmere 17.4% of households are in rural areas. 23.3% of rural households are single person households. 7.2% of rural households are lone parent family households.

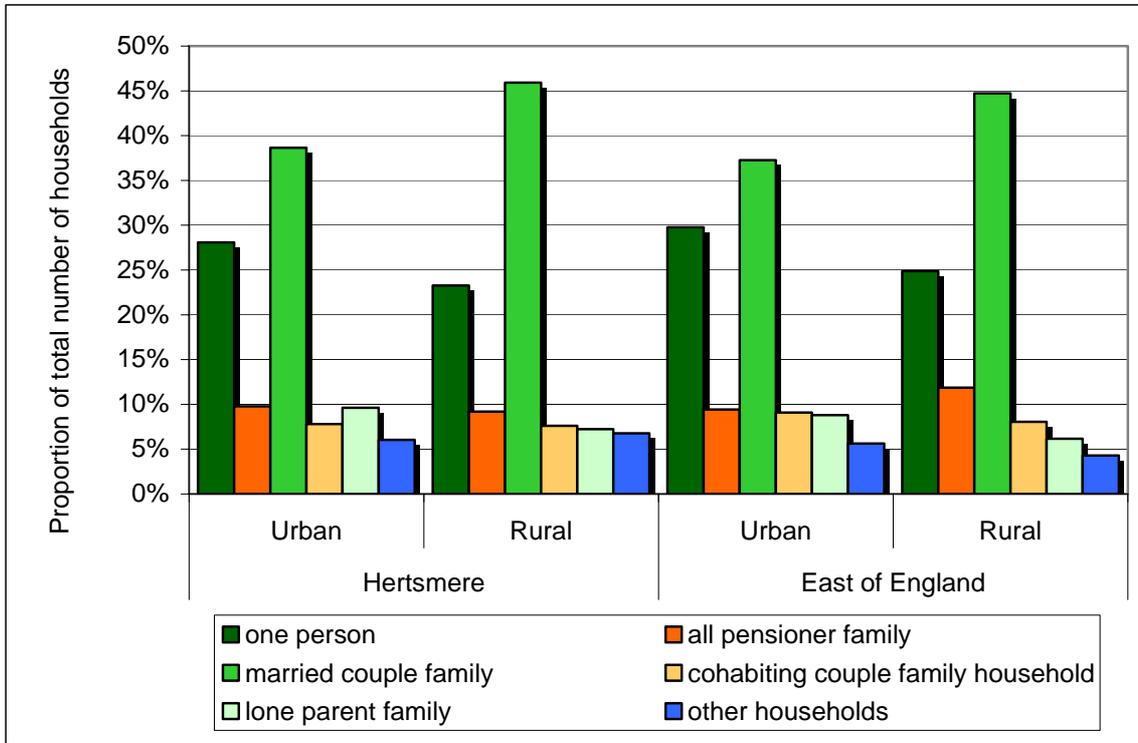
### Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban	Rural						% rural	
	Total	Total	Less sparse			Sparse			
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	31,286	6,592	5,104	808	680	-	-	-	17.4
One person household	8,784	1,534	1,149	218	167	-	-	-	14.9
pensioner	4,738	671	505	116	50	-	-	-	12.4
other	4,046	863	644	102	117	-	-	-	17.6
All pensioner family	3,062	607	476	77	54	-	-	-	16.5
Married couple family	12,095	3,027	2,379	316	332	-	-	-	20.0
no children	3,694	948	724	122	102	-	-	-	20.4
with one dependent child	2,262	561	454	49	58	-	-	-	19.9
with two or more dependent children	3,981	1,142	920	102	120	-	-	-	22.3
all children non-dependent	2,158	376	281	43	52	-	-	-	14.8
Cohabiting couple family	2,443	501	383	71	47	-	-	-	17.0
no children	1,397	320	247	41	32	-	-	-	18.6
with one dependent child	482	81	58	14	9	-	-	-	14.4
two or more dependent children	455	82	66	10	6	-	-	-	15.3
all children non-dependent	109	18	12	6	-	-	-	-	14.2
Lone parent family	3,012	477	360	78	39	-	-	-	13.7
with one dependent child	915	176	139	31	6	-	-	-	16.1
with two or more dependant children	863	135	109	20	6	-	-	-	13.5
all children non-dependent	1,234	166	112	27	27	-	-	-	11.9
Other households	1,890	446	357	48	41	-	-	-	19.1
with one dependent child	307	80	68	6	6	-	-	-	20.7
with two or more dependent children	369	120	105	12	3	-	-	-	24.5
all student	46	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	11.5
all pensioner	130	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	4.4
other	1,038	234	172	30	32	-	-	-	18.4

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.

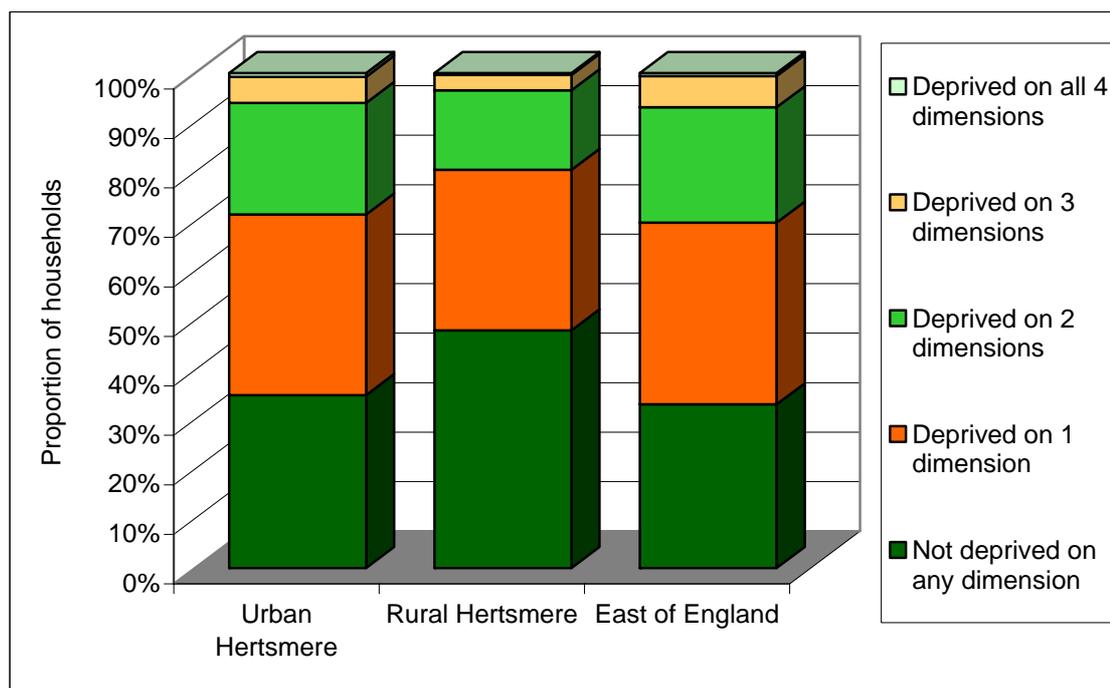
**Housing** – The household’s accommodation is either overcrowded, or is in a shared dwelling, or does not have sole use of bath/shower and toilet, or has no central heating.

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

	Hertsmere					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>10,930</b>	<b>11,417</b>	<b>7,056</b>	<b>1,645</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>503,710</b>	<b>1,045,520</b>
<b>Rural</b>	<b>3,185</b>	<b>2,151</b>	<b>1,066</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>234,574</b>	<b>448,212</b>
Less Sparse	3,185	2,151	1,066	207	24	225,807	419,404
Town	2,558	1,623	776	168	18	104,454	201,479
Village	300	286	185	30	6	91,914	166,962
Dispersed	327	242	105	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)

	Hertsmere				East of England			
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good
Urban	55,113	15,942	5,424	7.1	2,602,963	823,403	290,153	7.8
Rural	14,013	3,128	829	4.6	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)

	Hertsmere			East of England			England
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	64,697	11,782	15.4	3,110,092	606,427	16.3	18.2
Rural	15,868	2,103	11.7	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

	Hertsmere			% providing some unpaid care	
	1 to 19 hours per week	20 to 49 hours per week	50 or more hours per week	Hertsmere	East of England
Urban	5,447	664	1,257	9.6	9.3
Rural	1,201	152	190	8.6	10.4
Towns	912	108	144	8.6	9.9
Villages	138	15	32	9.6	10.7
Dispersed	151	29	14	7.8	10.8

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

## Qualifications

In Hertsmere 23.6% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 27.9% in the Region as a whole. 13.5% 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	13,692	9,786	11,721	4,482	11,106	3,496	25.2	28.2
Rural	2,133	1,697	2,726	1,435	4,061	615	16.8	27.3
Less Sparse	2,133	1,697	2,726	1,435	4,061	615	16.8	26.9
Town	1,545	1,235	2,059	955	3,279	445	16.2	27.0
Village	325	256	297	127	304	81	23.4	26.9
Dispersed	263	206	370	353	478	89	15.0	26.3
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>15,825</b>	<b>11,483</b>	<b>14,447</b>	<b>5,917</b>	<b>15,167</b>	<b>4,111</b>	<b>23.6</b>	<b>27.9</b>
<b>Percentage rural</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>18.9</b>	<b>24.3</b>	<b>26.8</b>	<b>15.0</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

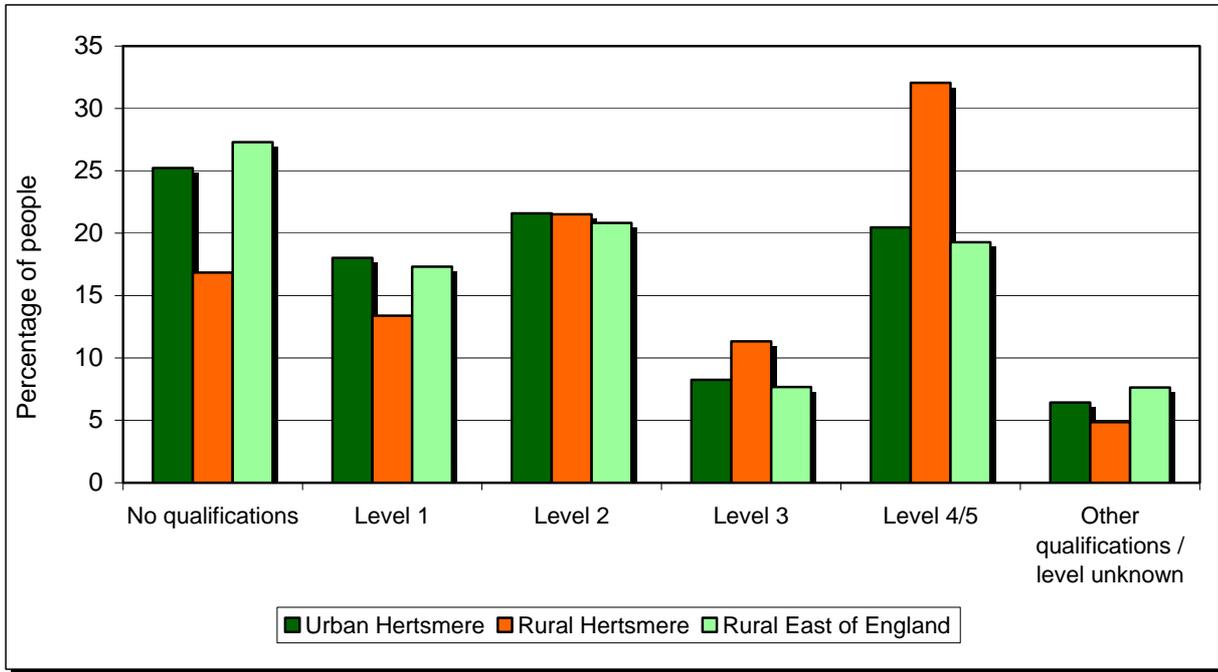
**Level 2:** 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

**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:

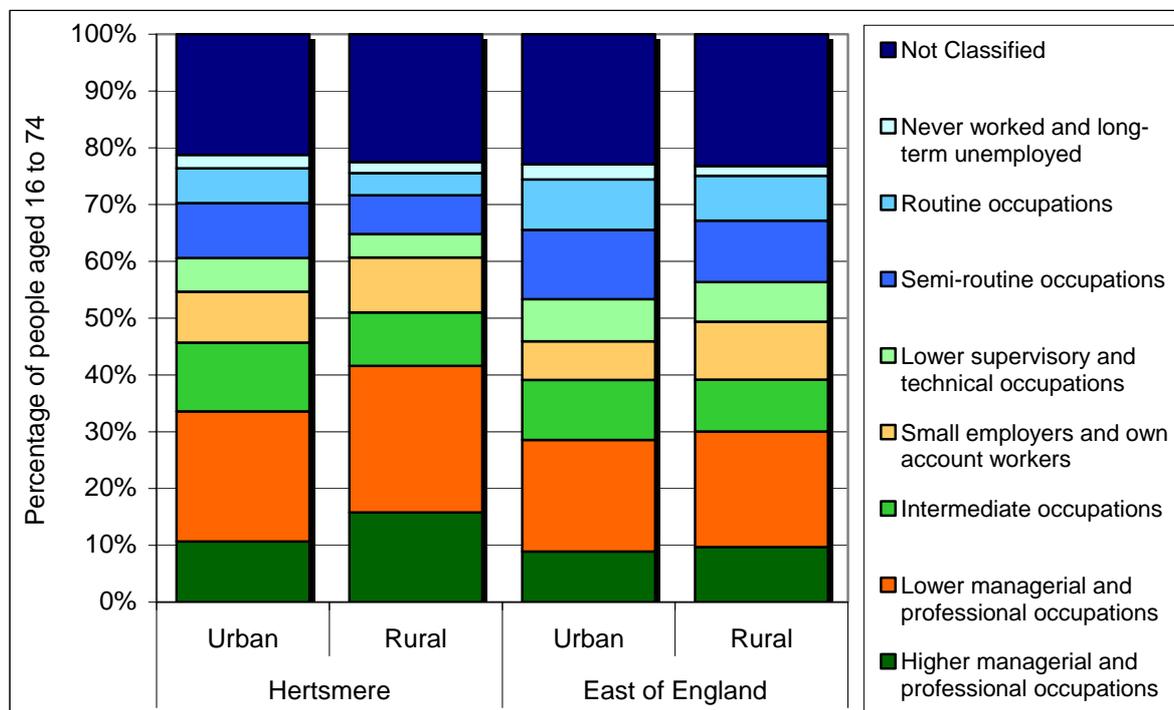
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### Number of people in the Authority aged 16 to 74 by NS-SeC classification

	Hertsmere					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Urban	Rural	
		Total	Towns	Villages			Dispersed
Higher managerial and professional occupations	5,784	2,003	1,665	146	192	237,932	117,399
Lower managerial and professional occupations	12,449	3,280	2,599	310	371	524,473	246,828
Intermediate occupations	6,574	1,198	932	127	139	283,271	110,712
Small employers and own account workers	4,876	1,225	902	172	151	181,377	123,856
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	3,220	527	369	96	62	198,061	84,381
Semi-routine occupations	5,263	871	635	119	117	326,421	131,219
Routine occupations	3,322	493	358	86	49	237,157	95,721
Never worked and long-term unemployed	1,286	245	173	36	36	71,321	21,034
Not Classified	11,539	2,862	1,920	291	651	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 Hertsmere 28.9% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 35.5% of those people are retired, 21.2% are students and 27.6% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 28.7% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban Hertsmere and 31% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

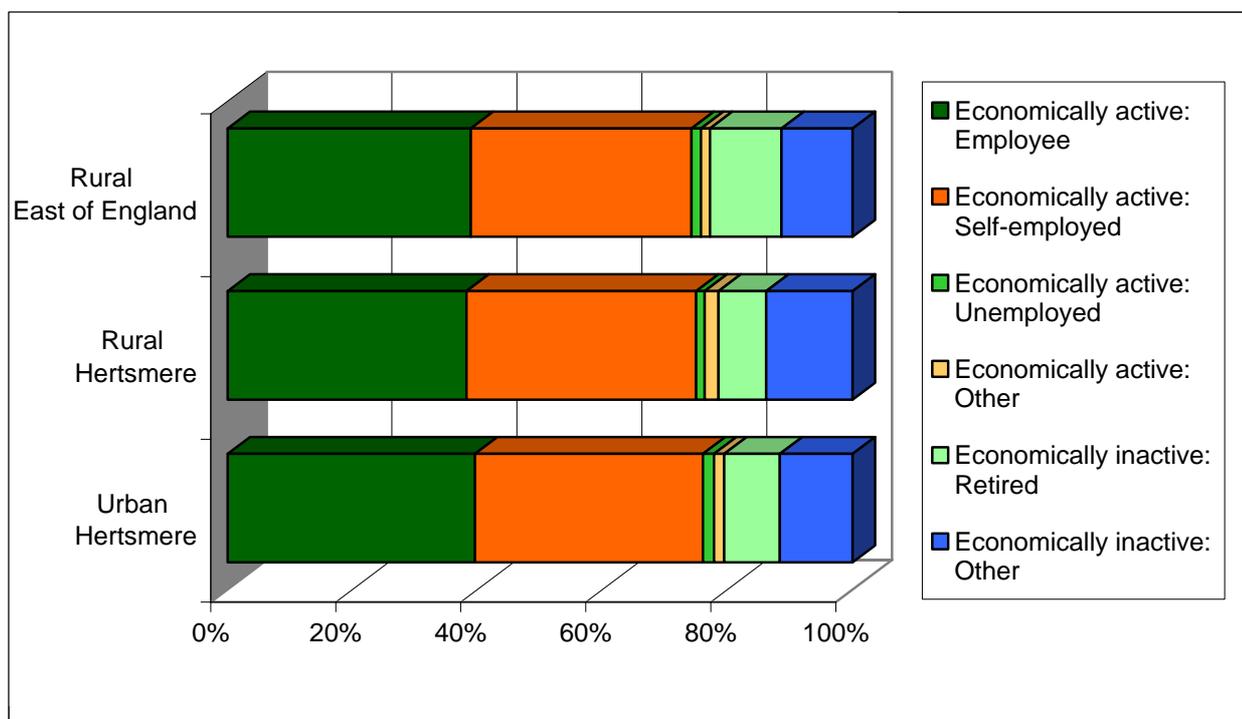
### Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

	Hertsmere					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Economically active	38,728	8,984	6,822	965	1,197	1,853,291	836,272
Employee	30,051	6,504	5,037	705	762	1,498,764	640,866
Part-time	6,452	1,351	1,067	123	161	331,265	153,475
Full-time	23,599	5,153	3,970	582	601	1,167,499	487,391
Self-employed with employees	1,997	770	595	77	98	69,566	52,976
Part-time	308	101	77	12	12	9,422	8,045
Full-time	1,689	669	518	65	86	60,144	44,931
Self-employed without employees	4,086	1,100	842	132	126	142,773	93,568
Part-time	1,207	394	313	36	45	38,002	27,724
Full-time	2,879	706	529	96	81	104,771	65,844
Unemployed	1,345	233	174	29	30	76,095	24,944
Full-time Students	1,249	377	174	22	181	66,093	23,918
Economically inactive	15,602	3,652	2,665	428	559	818,491	375,727
Retired	6,768	1,297	1,019	165	113	355,001	188,194
Student	1,920	775	402	54	319	103,595	36,694
Looking after home/family	3,687	1,009	816	108	85	179,900	81,974
Permanently sick/disabled	1,871	286	225	37	24	110,475	41,193
Other	1,356	285	203	64	18	69,520	27,672
% economically active	71.3	71.1	71.9	69.3	68.2	69.4	69.0
% economically inactive	28.7	28.9	28.1	30.7	31.8	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



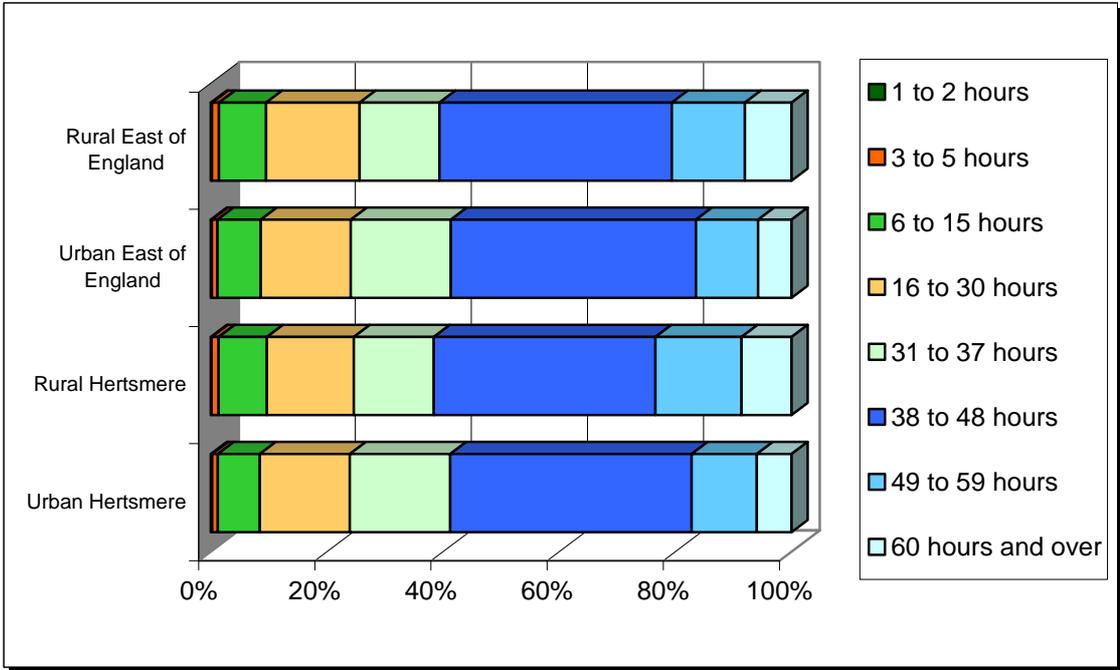
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

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>Hertsmere</b>										
Urban	94	359	2,705	5,772	6,443	15,500	4,192	2,231	23.9	76.1
Rural	13	106	726	1,305	1,201	3,332	1,293	753	24.6	75.4
Less Sparse	13	106	726	1,305	1,201	3,332	1,293	753	24.6	75.4
Town	13	82	512	999	935	2,577	995	542	24.1	75.9
Village	-	-	68	116	149	396	126	75	19.8	80.2
Dispersed	-	24	146	190	117	359	172	136	31.5	68.5
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	107	465	3,431	7,077	7,644	18,832	5,485	2,984	24.1	75.9
Percentage rural	12.1	22.8	21.2	18.4	15.7	17.7	23.6	25.2		
<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
Total	5,161	26,713	198,090	404,413	415,947	1,070,408	291,251	167,007	24.6	75.4

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 Hertsmere are: "Real estate, renting and business activities", "Wholesale and retail trade; repairs" and "Health and social work"

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

	Hertsmere					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	263	133	57	33	43	15,447	33,642
Fishing	-	-	-	-	-	307	319
Mining and quarrying	33	24	21	-	3	3,438	2,020
Manufacturing	3,423	653	492	83	78	257,105	116,062
Electricity, gas and water supply	192	27	24	-	3	11,105	5,152
Construction	2,611	429	322	61	46	130,690	65,730
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	6,979	1,449	1,115	161	173	315,780	130,112
Hotels and restaurants	1,380	340	210	40	90	72,609	34,720
Transport, storage and communications	3,183	593	453	75	65	140,776	50,471
Financial Intermediation	2,452	643	539	57	47	113,132	36,685
Real estate, renting and business activities	6,314	1,924	1,557	167	200	237,379	105,898
Public administration and defence, social security	1,840	302	237	33	32	86,580	46,440
Education	2,775	737	481	76	180	128,071	61,240
Health and social work	3,395	875	706	82	87	170,908	78,846
Other community, social & personal service activities	2,363	572	426	59	87	83,321	37,258
Private households with employed persons	35	18	15	-	3	1,345	1,239
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	18	3	3	-	-	2,191	3,384

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

## Accommodation and tenure

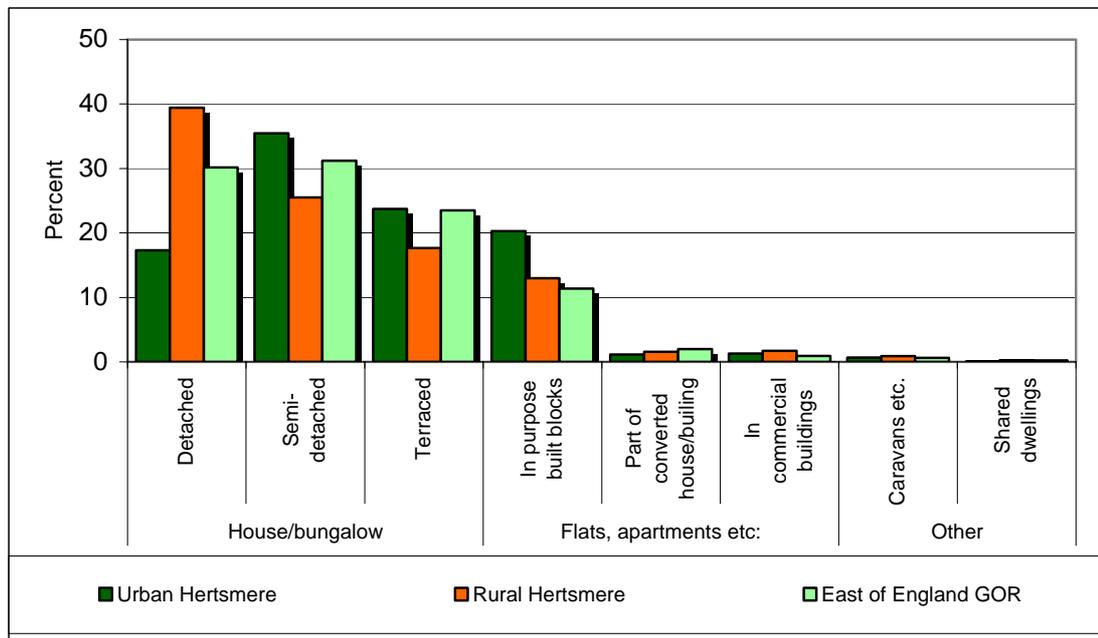
In rural Hertsmere 82.6% of households live in houses or bungalows, 16.3% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 1.1% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban Hertsmere 76.5% of households live in houses or bungalows, 22.7% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.7% 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

	Hertsmere					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
<b>In an unshared dwelling</b>	<b>31,898</b>	<b>6,802</b>	<b>5,277</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>708</b>	<b>1,590,181</b>	<b>716,484</b>
House or bungalow	24,421	5,633	4,354	681	598	1,295,916	666,578
Detached	5,524	2,688	2,204	197	287	361,440	336,170
Semi-detached	11,321	1,740	1,241	276	223	491,333	230,199
Terraced (including end-terrace)	7,576	1,205	909	208	88	443,143	100,209
Flat; maisonette or apartment	7,260	1,109	915	129	65	288,461	41,400
In a purpose-built block of flats	6,479	885	764	112	9	233,688	28,983
Part of a converted or shared house	365	107	66	8	33	38,758	7,212
In a commercial building	416	117	85	9	23	16,015	5,205
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	217	60	8	7	45	5,804	8,506
<b>In a shared dwelling</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</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 Hertsmere 77.8% of households live in owned accommodation, 10.8% live in social rented accommodation and 8.2% live in private rented accommodation.

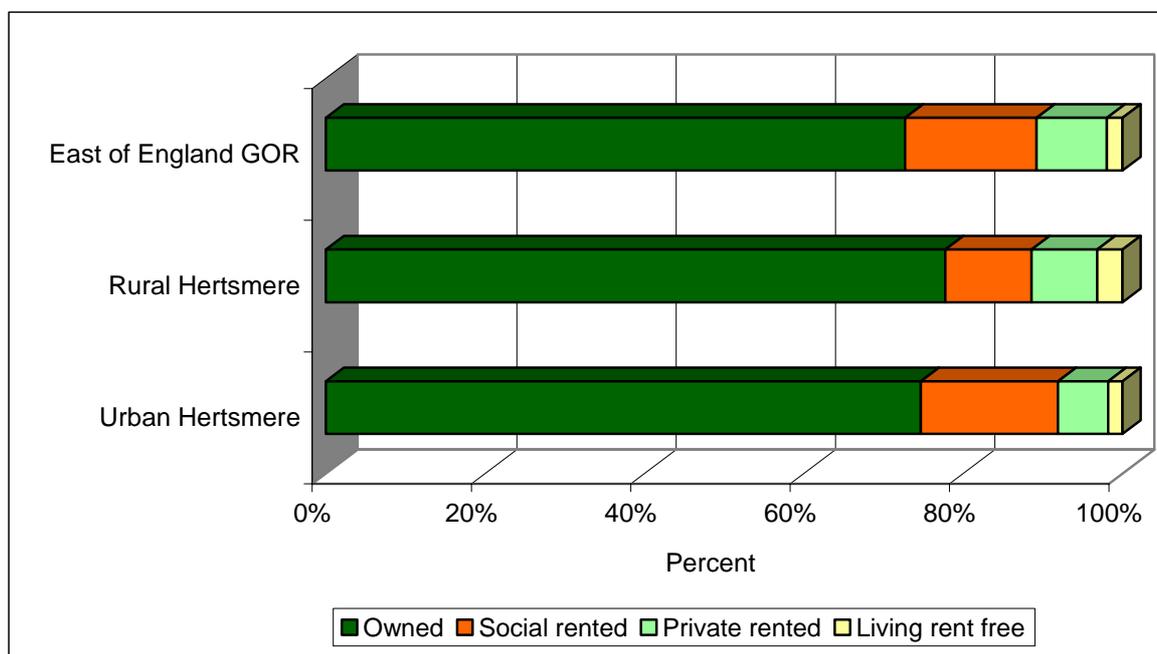
In urban Hertsmere 74.7% of households live in owned accommodation, 17.2% live in social rented accommodation and 6.3% live in private rented accommodation.

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

	Hertsmere					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
<b>Owned</b>	<b>23,333</b>	<b>5,148</b>	<b>4,175</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>1,100,484</b>	<b>522,307</b>
Owns outright	9,882	2,089	1,648	220	221	438,959	245,508
Owns with a mortgage or loan	13,104	2,947	2,424	310	213	652,659	274,316
Shared ownership	347	112	103	3	6	8,866	2,483
<b>Social rented</b>	<b>5,374</b>	<b>716</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>288,603</b>	<b>80,045</b>
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	719	72	39	18	15	208,250	50,682
Other social rented	4,655	644	486	142	16	80,353	29,363
<b>Private rented</b>	<b>1,963</b>	<b>545</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>135,678</b>	<b>60,979</b>
Private landlord or letting agency	1,503	432	291	55	86	119,341	49,589
Employer of a household member	179	60	21	15	24	3,472	4,206
Relative or friend of a household member	135	41	29	3	9	8,644	4,074
Other	146	12	9	-	3	4,221	3,110
<b>Living rent free</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>92</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

10% of households in rural Hertsmere do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 19.2%.

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

	Hertsmere					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	6,003	13,190	9,463	1,935	647	354,763	1,194,445	40,708	1,811,338
Rural	665	2,505	2,628	589	231	87,147	595,610	10,559	1,020,332
Less Sparse	665	2,505	2,628	589	231	80,485	564,689	10,559	973,594
Town	482	1,941	2,085	444	181	48,319	257,640	8,241	419,308
Village	145	309	268	64	21	26,176	232,661	1,127	413,467
Dispersed	38	255	275	81	29	5,990	74,388	1,191	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>6,668</b>	<b>15,695</b>	<b>12,091</b>	<b>2,524</b>	<b>878</b>	<b>441,910</b>	<b>1,790,055</b>	<b>51,267</b>	<b>2,831,670</b>
<b>Percentage rural</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>16.0</b>	<b>21.7</b>	<b>23.3</b>	<b>26.3</b>	<b>19.7</b>	<b>33.3</b>	<b>20.6</b>	<b>36.0</b>

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	6,584	98	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
Town	5,262	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,262
Village	774	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	793
Dispersed	548	79	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	627
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	6,584	98	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
% of rural households										
in the Authority	98.5	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	4,019	2,608	55	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
Town	3,703	1,559	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,262
Village	-	767	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	793
Dispersed	316	282	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	627
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	4,019	2,608	55	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
% of rural households										
in the Authority	60.1	39.0	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	6,083	599	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
Town	5,247	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,262
Village	380	413	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	793
Dispersed	456	171	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	627
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	6,083	599	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
% of rural households										
in the Authority	91.0	9.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	46.3	30.6	16.8	4.9	1.2	0.1	-	-	-	100.0

<b>Jobcentres</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 jobcentre										
Less Sparse	336	1,609	4,736	1	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
Town	289	1,029	3,944	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,262
Village	-	325	468	-	-	-	-	-	-	793
Dispersed	47	255	324	1	-	-	-	-	-	627
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	336	1,609	4,736	1	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
% of rural households										
in the Authority	5.0	24.1	70.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	3,779	2,903	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
Town	3,408	1,854	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,262
Village	33	760	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	793
Dispersed	338	289	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	627
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	3,779	2,903	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
% of rural households										
in the Authority	56.6	43.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	5,304	1,378	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
Town	4,269	993	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,262
Village	512	281	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	793
Dispersed	523	104	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	627
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	5,304	1,378	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
% of rural households										
in the Authority	79.4	20.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	6,544	138	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
Town	5,262	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,262
Village	700	93	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	793
Dispersed	582	45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	627
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	6,544	138	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
% of rural households										
in the Authority	97.9	2.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	824	5,858	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
Town	579	4,683	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,262
Village	7	786	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	793
Dispersed	238	389	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	627
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	824	5,858	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
% of rural households										
in the Authority	12.3	87.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	6,666	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
Town	5,262	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,262
Village	788	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	793
Dispersed	616	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	627
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	6,666	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
% of rural households										
in the Authority	99.8	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	709	4,382	1,591	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
Town	263	3,548	1,451	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,262
Village	247	546	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	793
Dispersed	199	288	140	-	-	-	-	-	-	627
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	709	4,382	1,591	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,682
% of rural households										
in the Authority	10.6	65.6	23.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	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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