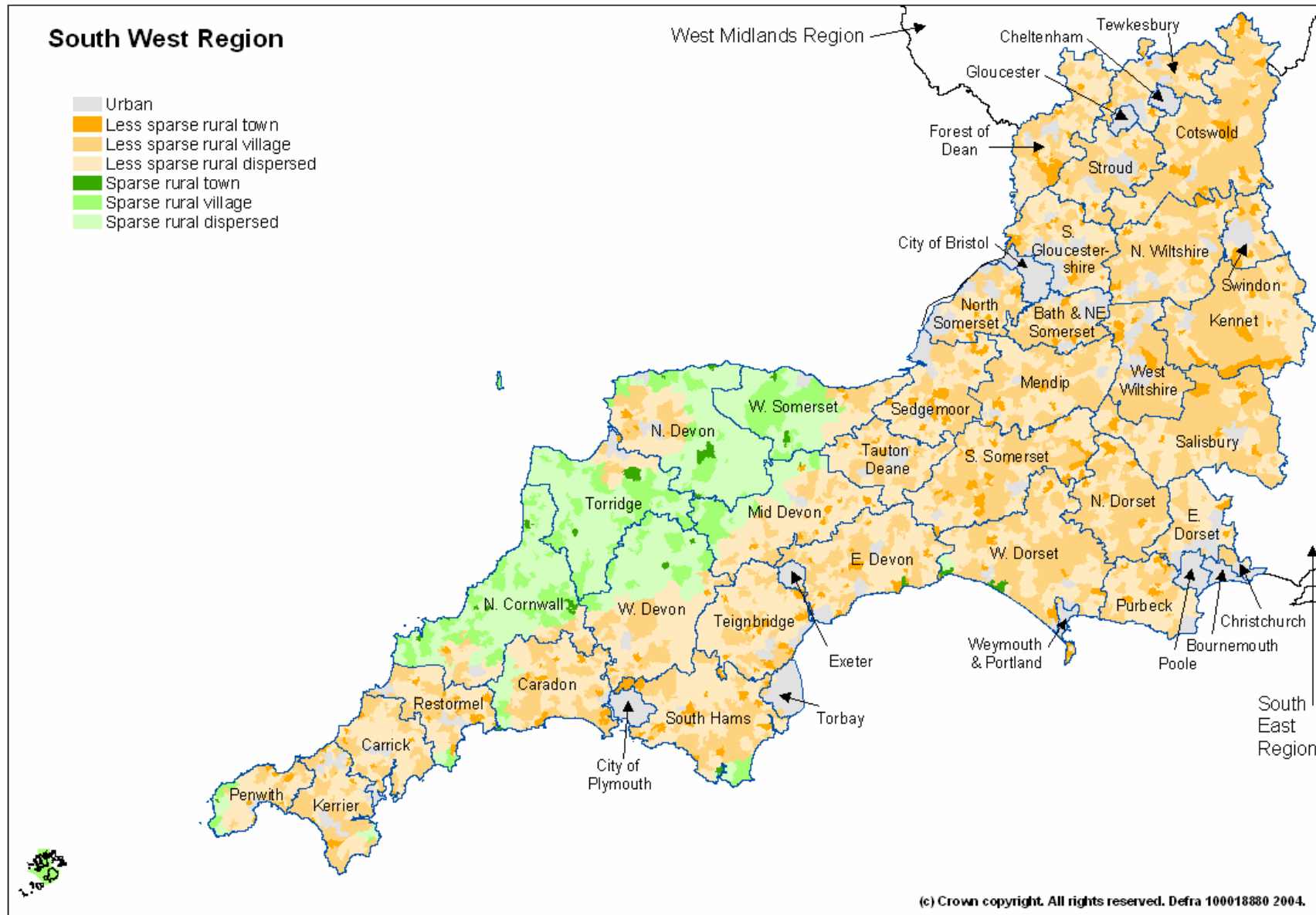


South Gloucestershire

Census 2001 and Access to Services Focus on Rural Areas

South Gloucestershire is in the South West Government Office Region

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



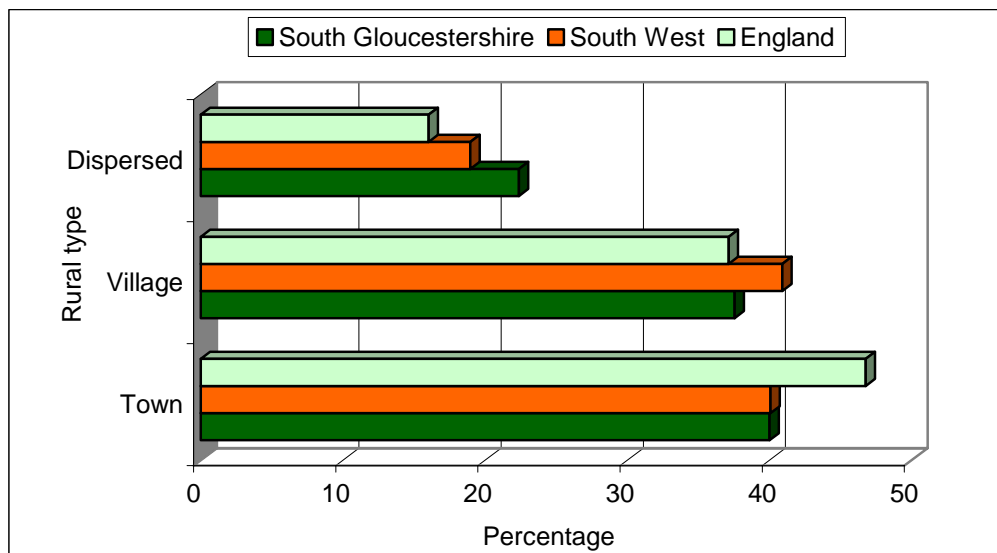
Population

In South Gloucestershire 14% of people live in rural areas, compared with 34.1% in the Government Office Region. Within the rural areas all people live in less sparse areas

	South Gloucestershire			South West		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Urban	104,096	107,182	211,278	1,573,248	1,675,391	3,248,639
Rural	17,345	17,018	34,363	823,167	856,628	1,679,795
Less Sparse	17,345	17,018	34,363	740,487	769,735	1,510,222
Town	6,944	6,762	13,706	303,384	326,123	629,507
Village	6,518	6,328	12,846	304,709	309,304	614,013
Dispersed	3,883	3,928	7,811	132,394	134,308	266,702
Sparse	-	-	-	82,680	86,893	169,573
Town	-	-	-	26,686	29,649	56,335
Village	-	-	-	32,142	33,614	65,756
Dispersed	-	-	-	23,852	23,630	47,482
Total	121,441	124,200	245,641	2,396,415	2,532,019	4,928,434
Percentage rural	14.3	13.7	14.0	34.3	33.8	34.1

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

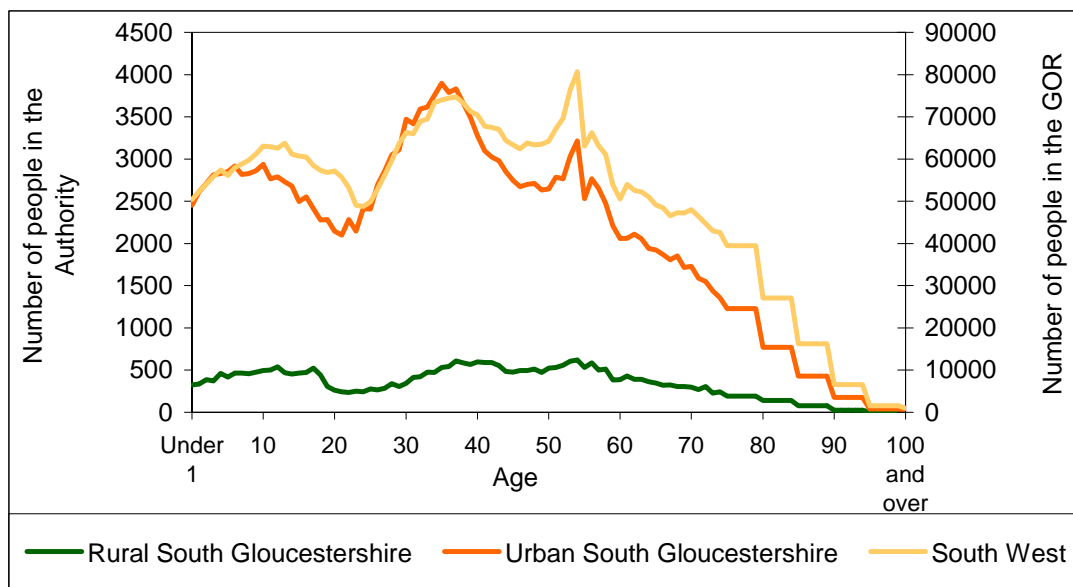
In South Gloucestershire 1.7% of the population live in rural areas and are under 10 years old. 3.6% of the Authority's population live in rural areas and are under 19 years of age. 1.5% are aged 70 or over and live in rural areas.

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	31,864	27,699	4,165	1,725	-	1,566	-	874	-	13.1
10 to 19	30,584	25,921	4,663	2,008	-	1,621	-	1,034	-	15.2
20 to 29	27,916	25,208	2,708	1,143	-	916	-	649	-	9.7
30 to 39	41,495	36,536	4,959	1,994	-	1,910	-	1,055	-	12.0
40 to 49	33,966	28,702	5,264	2,043	-	2,051	-	1,170	-	15.5
50 to 59	32,423	27,076	5,347	2,008	-	1,990	-	1,349	-	16.5
60 to 69	22,964	19,396	3,568	1,327	-	1,405	-	836	-	15.5
70 to 79	16,120	13,804	2,316	935	-	885	-	496	-	14.4
80 to 89	7,086	6,001	1,085	436	-	423	-	226	-	15.3
90 and over	1,277	1,114	163	59	-	60	-	44	-	12.8
	245,695	211,457	34,238	13,678	-	12,827	-	7,733	-	13.9

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.

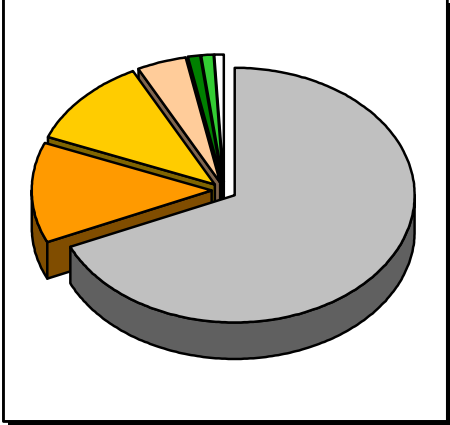
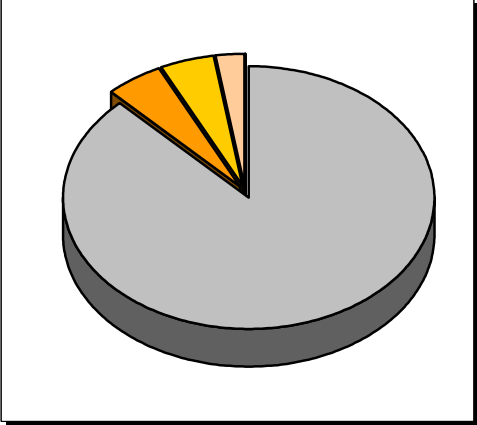


Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

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

Authority:
South Gloucestershire
Number of under 5's: 15,400

Government Office Region:
South West
Number of under 5's: 270,100



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

Marital Status

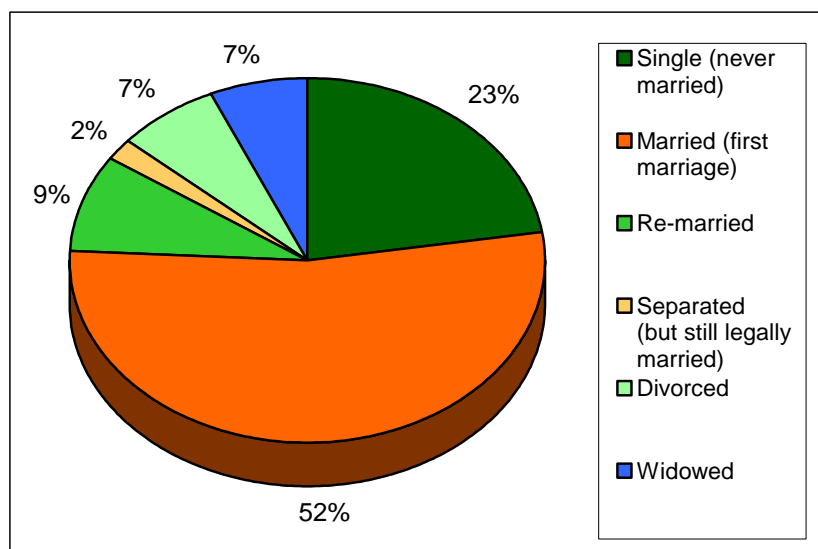
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted 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
South Gloucestershire						
Urban	43,609	82,395	13,087	3,437	13,045	11,610
Rural	6,143	14,511	2,409	507	1,892	1,824
Less Sparse	6,143	14,511	2,409	507	1,892	1,824
Town	2,443	5,635	930	204	795	755
Village	2,179	5,470	950	173	724	705
Dispersed	1,521	3,406	529	130	373	364
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	49,752	96,906	15,496	3,944	14,937	13,434
South West						
Urban	764,046	1,100,964	222,833	59,476	242,746	233,408
Rural	304,978	665,392	138,855	27,079	110,016	120,677
Total	1,069,024	1,766,356	361,688	86,555	352,762	354,085

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 South Gloucestershire 13.3% of households are in rural areas. 21% of rural households are single person households. 6.4% of rural households are lone parent family households.

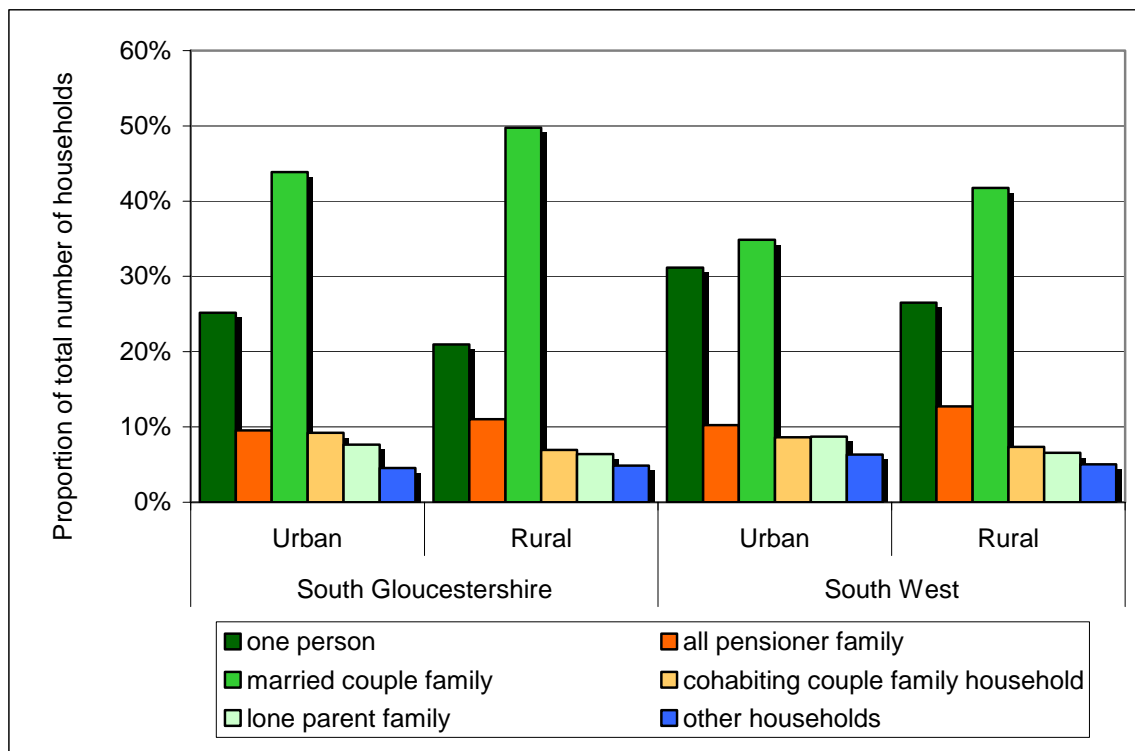
Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban Total	Rural							% rural
		Total	Less sparse			Sparse			
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	85,885	13,165	5,353	4,883	2,929	-	-	-	13.3
One person household	21,611	2,762	1,211	1,021	530	-	-	-	11.3
pensioner	9,866	1,452	647	559	246	-	-	-	12.8
other	11,745	1,310	564	462	284	-	-	-	10.0
All pensioner family	8,189	1,452	586	561	305	-	-	-	15.1
Married couple family	37,675	6,549	2,584	2,445	1,520	-	-	-	14.8
no children	13,411	2,527	972	943	612	-	-	-	15.9
with one dependent child	5,951	925	379	341	205	-	-	-	13.5
with two or more dependent children	12,330	2,159	890	819	450	-	-	-	14.9
all children non-dependent	5,983	938	343	342	253	-	-	-	13.6
Cohabiting couple family	7,935	915	384	305	226	-	-	-	10.3
no children	4,929	551	221	195	135	-	-	-	10.1
with one dependent child	1,301	153	76	33	44	-	-	-	10.5
two or more dependent children	1,374	181	69	68	44	-	-	-	11.6
all children non-dependent	331	30	18	9	3	-	-	-	8.3
Lone parent family	6,579	843	383	284	176	-	-	-	11.4
with one dependent child	2,162	234	113	73	48	-	-	-	9.8
with two or more dependant children	2,299	275	127	93	55	-	-	-	10.7
all children non-dependent	2,118	334	143	118	73	-	-	-	13.6
Other households	3,896	644	205	267	172	-	-	-	14.2
with one dependent child	608	127	36	54	37	-	-	-	17.3
with two or more dependent children	580	111	26	55	30	-	-	-	16.1
all student	122	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
all pensioner	248	48	15	18	15	-	-	-	16.2
other	2,338	358	128	140	90	-	-	-	13.3

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.

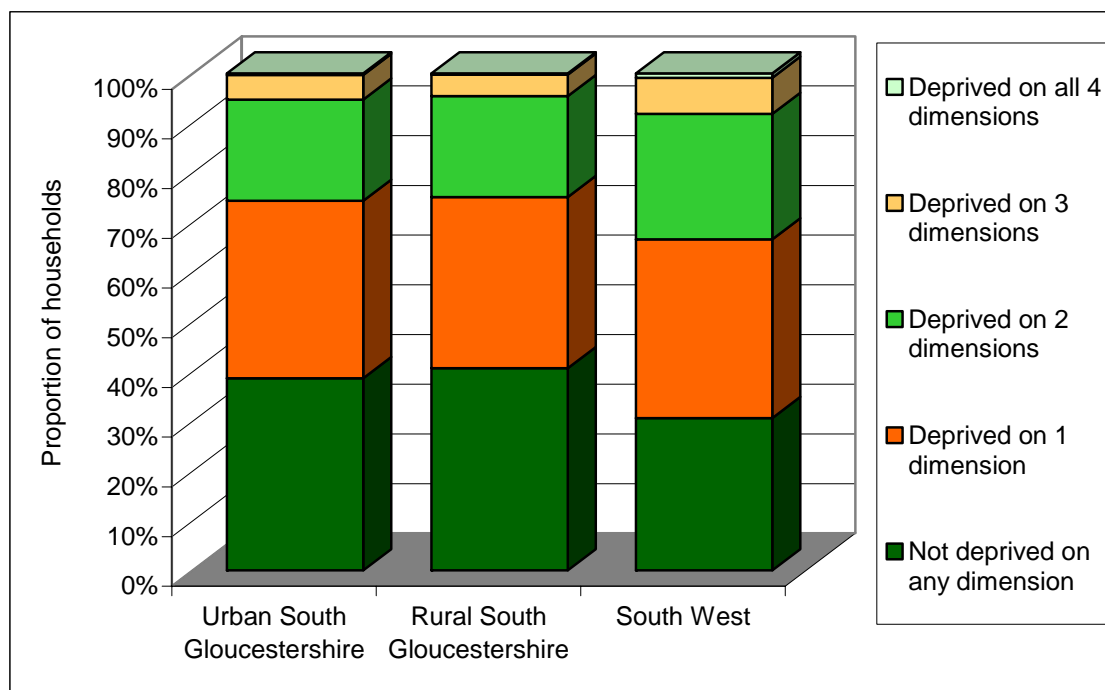
Housing – The household’s accommodation is either overcrowded, or is in a shared dwelling, or does not have sole use of bath/shower and toilet, or has no central heating.

Classification of household deprivation (number of households)

	South Gloucestershire					South West	
	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
Urban	33,196	30,656	17,498	4,236	293	420,809	967,571
Rural	5,353	4,528	2,668	566	38	218,870	478,677
Less Sparse	5,353	4,528	2,668	566	38	201,392	423,372
Town	2,182	1,880	1,081	187	8	79,760	190,243
Village	1,999	1,645	996	228	15	84,988	164,573
Dispersed	1,172	1,003	591	151	15	36,644	68,556
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	17,478	55,305
Town	-	-	-	-	-	5,512	19,948
Village	-	-	-	-	-	6,837	21,415
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	5,129	13,942

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)

	South Gloucestershire				South West			
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good
Urban	152,528	43,785	14,967	7.1	2,218,568	742,285	287,789	8.9
Rural	25,361	6,802	2,200	6.4	1,174,981	373,193	131,626	7.8

Source table from the Census: UV20 General health

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

	South Gloucestershire			South West			England
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	180,404	30,874	14.6	2,651,662	596,977	18.4	18.2
Rural	29,541	4,822	14.0	1,384,738	295,057	17.6	17.0

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

Number of people providing unpaid care

	South Gloucestershire			% providing some unpaid care	
	1 to 19 hours per week	20 to 49 hours per week	50 or more hours per week	South Gloucestershire	South West
Urban	15,125	1,871	3,542	9.7	9.7
Rural	2,769	270	481	10.2	10.7
Towns	1,046	116	199	9.9	10.1
Villages	979	92	197	9.9	10.9
Dispersed	744	62	85	11.4	11.4

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

Qualifications

In South Gloucestershire 23.7% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 26.2% in the Region as a whole. 13.6% 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	36,712	31,635	35,000	12,489	27,587	10,583	23.8	26.6
Rural	5,784	4,108	5,495	1,938	6,121	1,621	23.1	25.4
Less Sparse	5,784	4,108	5,495	1,938	6,121	1,621	23.1	24.9
Town	2,204	1,745	2,190	778	2,297	677	22.3	27.0
Village	2,186	1,424	2,023	713	2,446	557	23.4	23.6
Dispersed	1,394	939	1,282	447	1,378	387	23.9	22.9
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	42,496	35,743	40,495	14,427	33,708	12,204	23.7	26.2
Percentage rural	13.6	11.5	13.6	13.4	18.2	13.3		

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

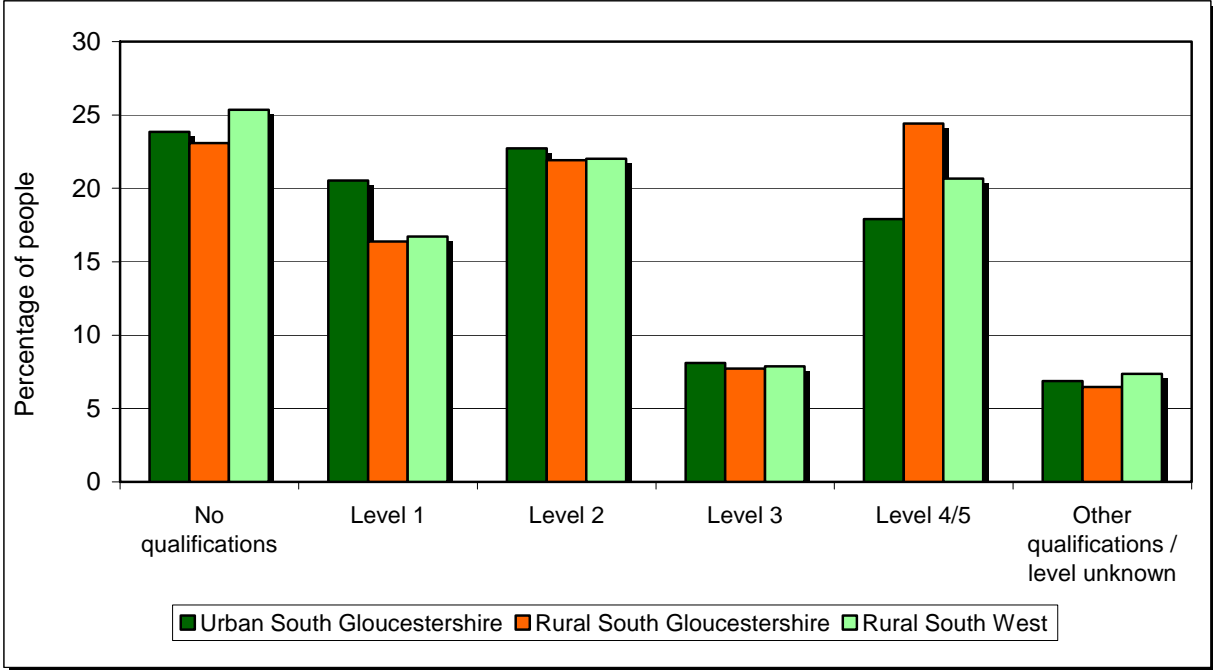
Level 2: 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

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:

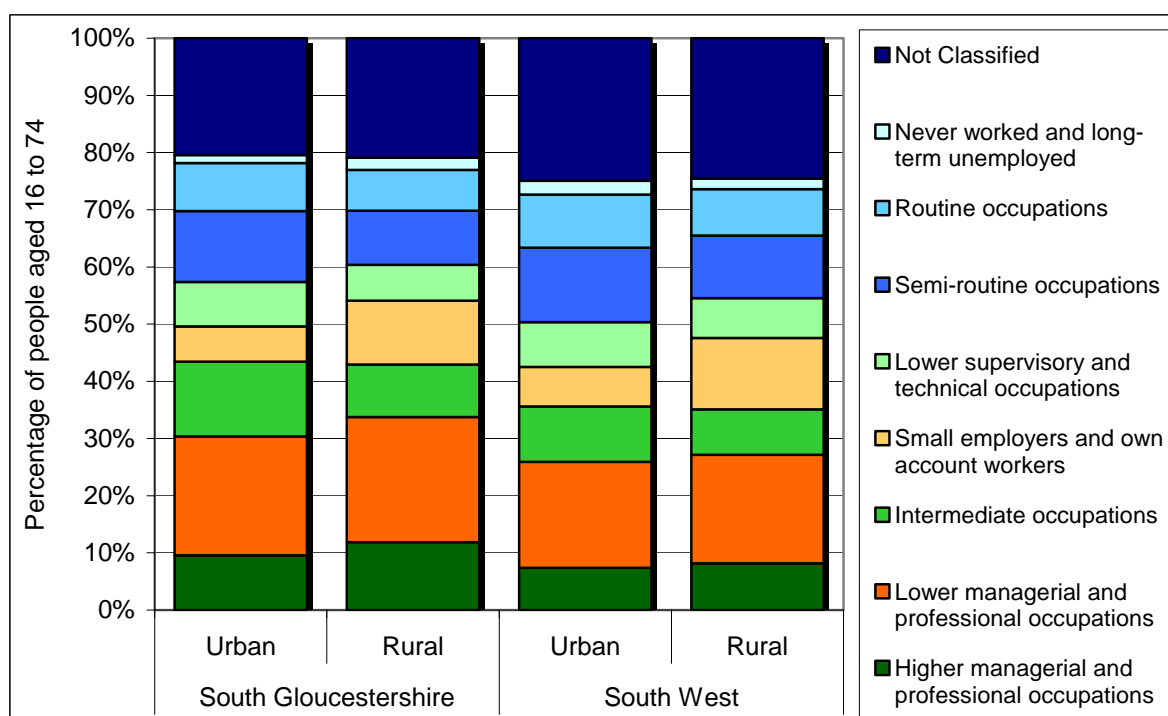
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Number of people in the Authority aged 16 to 74 by NS-SeC classification

	South Gloucestershire					South West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Urban	Rural	
		Total	Towns	Villages			Dispersed
Higher managerial and professional occupations	14,770	2,985	1,139	1,171	675	172,613	98,502
Lower managerial and professional occupations	32,063	5,512	2,245	2,070	1,197	430,712	229,245
Intermediate occupations	20,087	2,319	1,115	752	452	225,521	96,445
Small employers and own account workers	9,490	2,806	725	1,101	980	160,287	149,988
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	12,033	1,573	675	595	303	182,915	84,353
Semi-routine occupations	19,088	2,389	996	840	553	302,430	132,462
Routine occupations	12,952	1,791	776	659	356	216,782	97,434
Never worked and long-term unemployed	2,149	532	241	155	136	55,805	22,711
Not Classified	31,487	5,264	2,008	2,026	1,230	580,458	296,375

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 South Gloucestershire 29.4% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 48.9% of those people are retired, 9.8% are students and 20.4% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 26.2% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban South Gloucestershire and 33.1% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

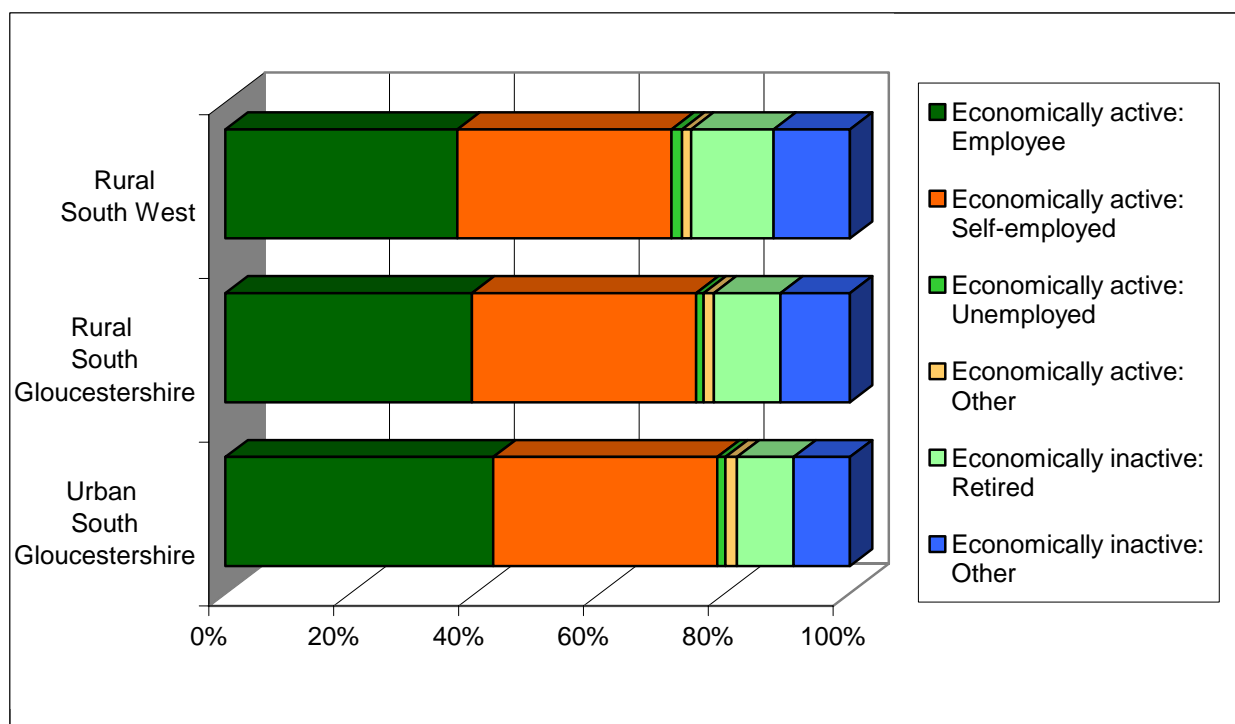
Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

	South Gloucestershire					South West	
	Urban Total	Rural				Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed		
Economically active	113,592	17,708	7,002	6,636	4,070	1,578,843	807,291
Employee	95,721	13,367	5,752	4,901	2,714	1,264,662	584,349
Part-time	22,934	3,254	1,347	1,185	722	311,659	155,960
Full-time	72,787	10,113	4,405	3,716	1,992	953,003	428,389
Self-employed with employees	3,559	1,333	286	565	482	61,374	61,186
Part-time	441	206	40	91	75	8,927	9,295
Full-time	3,118	1,127	246	474	407	52,447	51,891
Self-employed without employees	7,360	2,036	570	810	656	121,846	111,802
Part-time	1,853	633	190	252	191	35,359	34,920
Full-time	5,507	1,403	380	558	465	86,487	76,882
Unemployed	2,827	415	173	151	91	64,209	26,673
Full-time Students	4,125	557	221	209	127	66,752	23,281
Economically inactive	40,375	7,370	2,882	2,723	1,765	748,376	399,854
Retired	20,262	3,606	1,438	1,380	788	339,213	207,867
Student	3,881	723	253	255	215	100,808	37,055
Looking after home/family	8,257	1,504	554	559	391	137,067	78,681
Permanently sick/disabled	5,131	640	220	262	158	112,958	46,645
Other	2,844	897	417	267	213	58,330	29,606
% economically active	73.8	70.6	70.8	70.9	69.8	67.8	66.9
% economically inactive	26.2	29.4	29.2	29.1	30.2	32.2	33.1

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



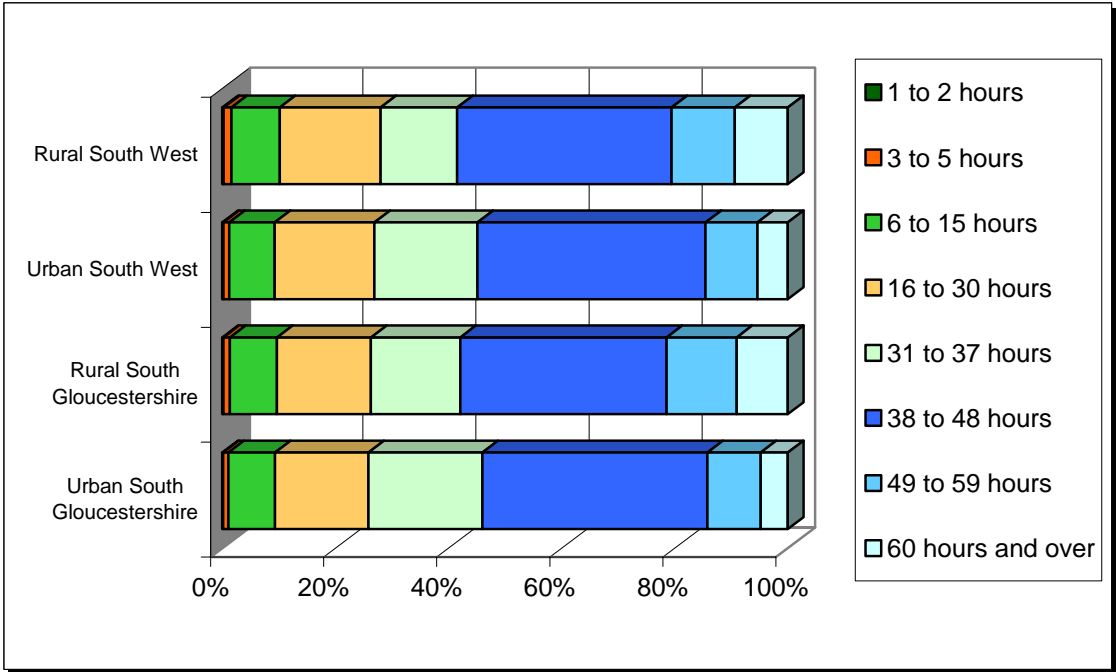
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

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
South Gloucestershire										
Urban	156	1,022	9,113	18,275	22,253	43,986	10,402	5,307	25.8	74.2
Rural	30	204	1,436	2,869	2,717	6,294	2,138	1,561	26.3	73.7
Less Sparse	30	204	1,436	2,869	2,717	6,294	2,138	1,561	26.3	73.7
Town	12	53	565	1,135	1,207	2,623	810	417	25.9	74.1
Village	9	100	510	1,065	1,010	2,327	808	631	26.1	73.9
Dispersed	9	51	361	669	500	1,344	520	513	27.5	72.5
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	186	1,226	10,549	21,144	24,970	50,280	12,540	6,868	25.9	74.1
Percentage rural	16.1	16.6	13.6	13.6	10.9	12.5	17.0	22.7		
South West										
Urban	2,813	15,886	121,221	265,551	274,646	608,590	138,049	80,737	26.9	73.1
Rural	2,063	10,596	66,442	138,809	105,570	295,028	87,099	72,964	28.0	72.0
Total	4,876	26,482	187,663	404,360	380,216	903,618	225,148	153,701	27.3	72.7

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 South Gloucestershire are: "Wholesale and retail trade; repairs", "Real estate, renting and business activities" and "Manufacturing"

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

	South Gloucestershire					South West	
	Urban	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
	Total	Total	Towns	Villages			
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	657	720	76	273	371	13,459	43,438
Fishing	6	-	-	-	-	815	1,057
Mining and quarrying	206	96	51	30	15	3,615	4,042
Manufacturing	16,690	2,377	1,071	797	509	217,486	101,405
Electricity, gas and water supply	837	198	101	58	39	12,432	5,163
Construction	8,342	1,319	431	530	358	105,430	60,001
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	19,692	2,617	1,110	912	595	269,224	122,601
Hotels and restaurants	3,590	783	272	320	191	80,968	47,048
Transport, storage and communications	8,690	1,079	492	388	199	101,920	39,618
Financial Intermediation	8,349	764	352	274	138	75,167	22,279
Real estate, renting and business activities	14,275	2,475	969	966	540	172,599	88,606
Public administration and defence, social security	6,926	1,058	414	470	174	101,287	59,723
Education	6,729	1,323	563	480	280	110,346	62,442
Health and social work	11,121	1,722	677	657	388	169,903	82,219
Other community, social & personal service activities	4,305	686	247	263	176	71,644	37,244
Private households with employed persons	30	35	9	20	6	990	1,503
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	15	3	-	3	-	291	407

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

Accommodation and tenure

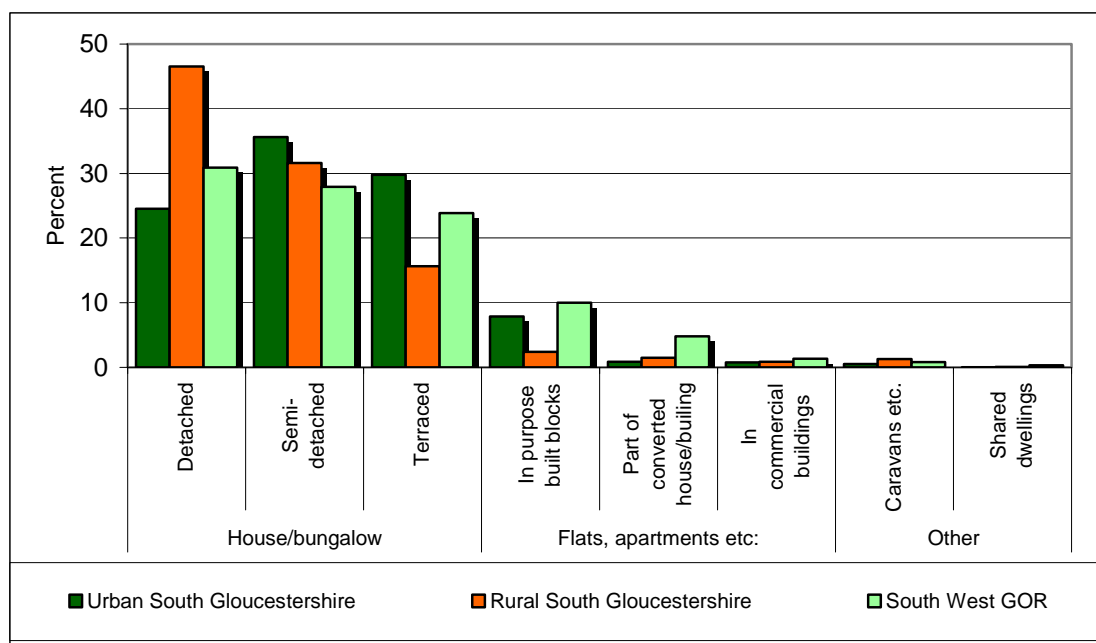
In rural South Gloucestershire 93.8% of households live in houses or bungalows, 4.8% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 1.4% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban South Gloucestershire 89.9% of households live in houses or bungalows, 9.5% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.6% 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

	South Gloucestershire					South West	
	Urban	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
	Total	Total	Towns	Villages			
In an unshared dwelling	87,290	13,492	5,451	5,012	3,029	1,433,038	745,652
House or bungalow	78,515	12,672	5,120	4,749	2,803	1,131,402	676,403
Detached	21,423	6,287	2,089	2,500	1,698	336,839	338,969
Semi-detached	31,081	4,272	1,944	1,504	824	410,139	200,545
Terraced (including end-terrace)	26,011	2,113	1,087	745	281	384,424	136,889
Flat; maisonette or apartment	8,292	642	261	214	167	295,069	58,022
In a purpose-built block of flats	6,878	323	169	76	78	186,322	32,048
Part of a converted or shared house	750	202	52	87	63	88,332	17,026
In a commercial building	664	117	40	51	26	20,415	8,948
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	483	178	70	49	59	6,567	11,227
In a shared dwelling	23	15	3	8	4	6,650	722

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 South Gloucestershire 81.2% of households live in owned accommodation, 7.8% live in social rented accommodation and 7.9% live in private rented accommodation.

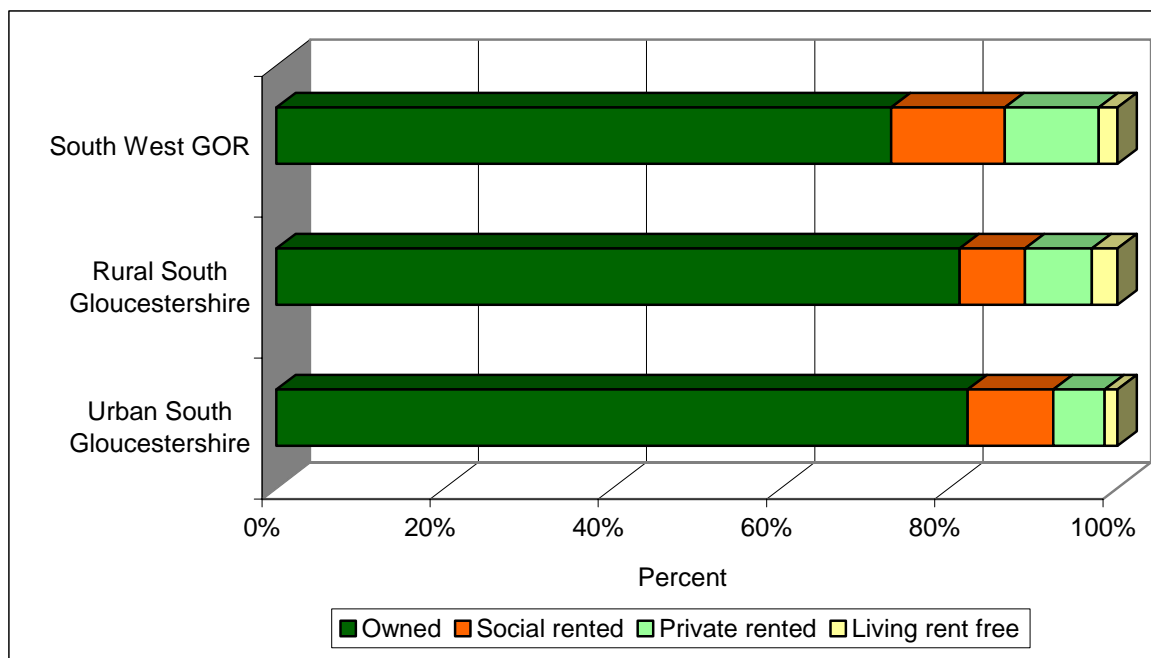
In urban South Gloucestershire 82.2% of households live in owned accommodation, 10.2% live in social rented accommodation and 6.1% live in private rented accommodation.

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

	South Gloucestershire					South West	
	Urban Total	Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed	Urban	Rural
Owned	70,610	10,695	4,609	3,836	2,250	999,166	525,149
Owns outright	26,121	4,763	1,896	1,707	1,160	435,402	275,489
Owns with a mortgage or loan	44,030	5,874	2,686	2,110	1,078	554,310	246,083
Shared ownership	459	58	27	19	12	9,454	3,577
Social rented	8,731	1,025	413	436	176	208,139	73,999
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	6,673	921	385	395	141	127,183	34,158
Other social rented	2,058	104	28	41	35	80,956	39,841
Private rented	5,230	1,046	253	433	360	154,446	78,351
Private landlord or letting agency	4,640	870	211	345	314	136,977	63,204
Employer of a household member	99	26	-	19	7	3,511	5,070
Relative or friend of a household member	388	108	36	42	30	10,290	5,683
Other	103	42	6	27	9	3,668	4,394
Living rent free	1,317	401	90	182	129	26,724	19,867

Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

Percentage of households by tenure



Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

Car ownership

8.6% of households in rural South Gloucestershire do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 14.2%.

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

	South Gloucestershire					South West		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	12,187	39,443	27,506	5,244	1,526	327,572	1,060,914	116,867	1,567,787
Rural	1,133	4,703	5,434	1,366	525	93,948	603,633	22,034	998,192
Less Sparse	1,133	4,703	5,434	1,366	525	82,665	542,100	22,034	901,436
Town	505	2,091	2,147	446	158	50,244	219,876	8,409	337,797
Village	438	1,687	2,039	515	203	24,836	224,759	8,204	386,031
Dispersed	190	925	1,248	405	164	7,585	97,465	5,421	177,608
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	11,283	61,533	-	96,756
Town	-	-	-	-	-	6,097	19,383	-	27,250
Village	-	-	-	-	-	3,824	24,406	-	38,428
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	1,362	17,744	-	31,078
Total	13,320	44,146	32,940	6,610	2,051	421,520	1,664,547	138,901	2,565,979
Percentage rural	8.5	10.7	16.5	20.7	25.6	22.3	36.3	15.9	38.9

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

Cash Machines / ATMs	<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	7,139	4,821	919	33	-	-	-	-	-	12,912
Town	3,548	1,618	217	33	-	-	-	-	-	5,416
Village	2,118	2,114	612	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,844
Dispersed	1,473	1,089	90	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,652
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	7,139	4,821	919	33	-	-	-	-	-	12,912
% of rural households										
in the Authority	55.3	37.3	7.1	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	58.8	25.3	10.9	3.6	1.0	0.4	-	-	-	100.0

Banks	<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	1,545	5,534	3,443	2,375	15	-	-	-	-	12,912
Town	732	2,203	1,582	899	-	-	-	-	-	5,416
Village	120	2,269	1,169	1,286	-	-	-	-	-	4,844
Dispersed	693	1,062	692	190	15	-	-	-	-	2,652
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	1,545	5,534	3,443	2,375	15	-	-	-	-	12,912
% of rural households										
in the Authority	12.0	42.9	26.7	18.4	0.1	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	37.2	24.4	20.1	11.4	4.2	2.2	0.4	0.2	0.1	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

Distance to GPs and Jobcentres

GPs	<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	4,083	6,096	2,084	649	-	-	-	-	-	12,912
Town	1,766	3,013	616	21	-	-	-	-	-	5,416
Village	1,104	2,173	971	596	-	-	-	-	-	4,844
Dispersed	1,213	910	497	32	-	-	-	-	-	2,652
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	4,083	6,096	2,084	649	-	-	-	-	-	12,912
% of rural households										
in the Authority	31.6	47.2	16.1	5.0	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	47.3	28.3	16.5	5.8	1.5	0.5	0.1	-	-	100.0

Jobcentres	<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	67	1,627	2,630	5,076	3,147	349	16	-	-	12,912
Town	-	-	1,252	2,717	1,444	3	-	-	-	5,416
Village	-	955	720	1,724	1,343	102	-	-	-	4,844
Dispersed	67	672	658	635	360	244	16	-	-	2,652
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	67	1,627	2,630	5,076	3,147	349	16	-	-	12,912
% of rural households										
in the Authority	0.5	12.6	20.4	39.3	24.4	2.7	0.1	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	8.2	13.1	19.5	17.5	13.8	11.3	7.4	4.3	5.0	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

Distance to Libraries and Petrol Stations

Libraries	<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	1,331	4,928	4,103	2,392	158	-	-	-	-	12,912
Town	522	1,848	2,060	986	-	-	-	-	-	5,416
Village	202	1,983	1,380	1,127	152	-	-	-	-	4,844
Dispersed	607	1,097	663	279	6	-	-	-	-	2,652
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	1,331	4,928	4,103	2,392	158	-	-	-	-	12,912
% of rural households										
in the Authority	10.3	38.2	31.8	18.5	1.2	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	40.8	23.5	19.4	10.3	3.6	1.7	0.4	0.1	0.2	100.0

Petrol Stations	<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	8,544	3,591	777	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,912
Town	4,441	929	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,416
Village	2,315	1,885	644	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,844
Dispersed	1,788	777	87	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,652
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	8,544	3,591	777	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,912
% of rural households										
in the Authority	66.2	27.8	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	62.1	29.1	7.4	1.2	0.1	-	-	-	0.1	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

Distance to Post Offices and Supermarkets

Post Offices	<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	11,141	1,641	130	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,912
Town	5,416	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,416
Village	3,766	975	103	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,844
Dispersed	1,959	666	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,652
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	11,141	1,641	130	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,912
% of rural households										
in the Authority	86.3	12.7	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	84.5	13.7	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0

Supermarkets	<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	2,075	4,708	4,317	1,479	327	6	-	-	-	12,912
Town	908	2,011	2,213	284	-	-	-	-	-	5,416
Village	414	1,836	1,284	1,007	297	6	-	-	-	4,844
Dispersed	753	861	820	188	30	-	-	-	-	2,652
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	2,075	4,708	4,317	1,479	327	6	-	-	-	12,912
% of rural households										
in the Authority	16.1	36.5	33.4	11.5	2.5	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	37.2	23.8	18.8	10.7	5.3	2.6	1.0	0.5	0.2	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

Distance to Primary Schools and Secondary Schools

Primary Schools	<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	10,897	1,946	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,912
Town	5,326	90	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,416
Village	3,435	1,369	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,844
Dispersed	2,136	487	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,652
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	10,897	1,946	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,912
% of rural households										
in the Authority	84.4	15.1	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	82.1	15.2	2.5	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	100.0

Secondary Schools	<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	2,353	5,896	2,647	1,843	173	-	-	-	-	12,912
Town	1,059	2,680	971	706	-	-	-	-	-	5,416
Village	398	2,267	1,123	902	154	-	-	-	-	4,844
Dispersed	896	949	553	235	19	-	-	-	-	2,652
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	2,353	5,896	2,647	1,843	173	-	-	-	-	12,912
% of rural households										
in the Authority	18.2	45.7	20.5	14.3	1.3	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	30.4	24.0	23.7	13.5	5.2	2.1	0.6	0.2	0.4	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 2nd August 2004 in Bulletin 2004/14 (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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