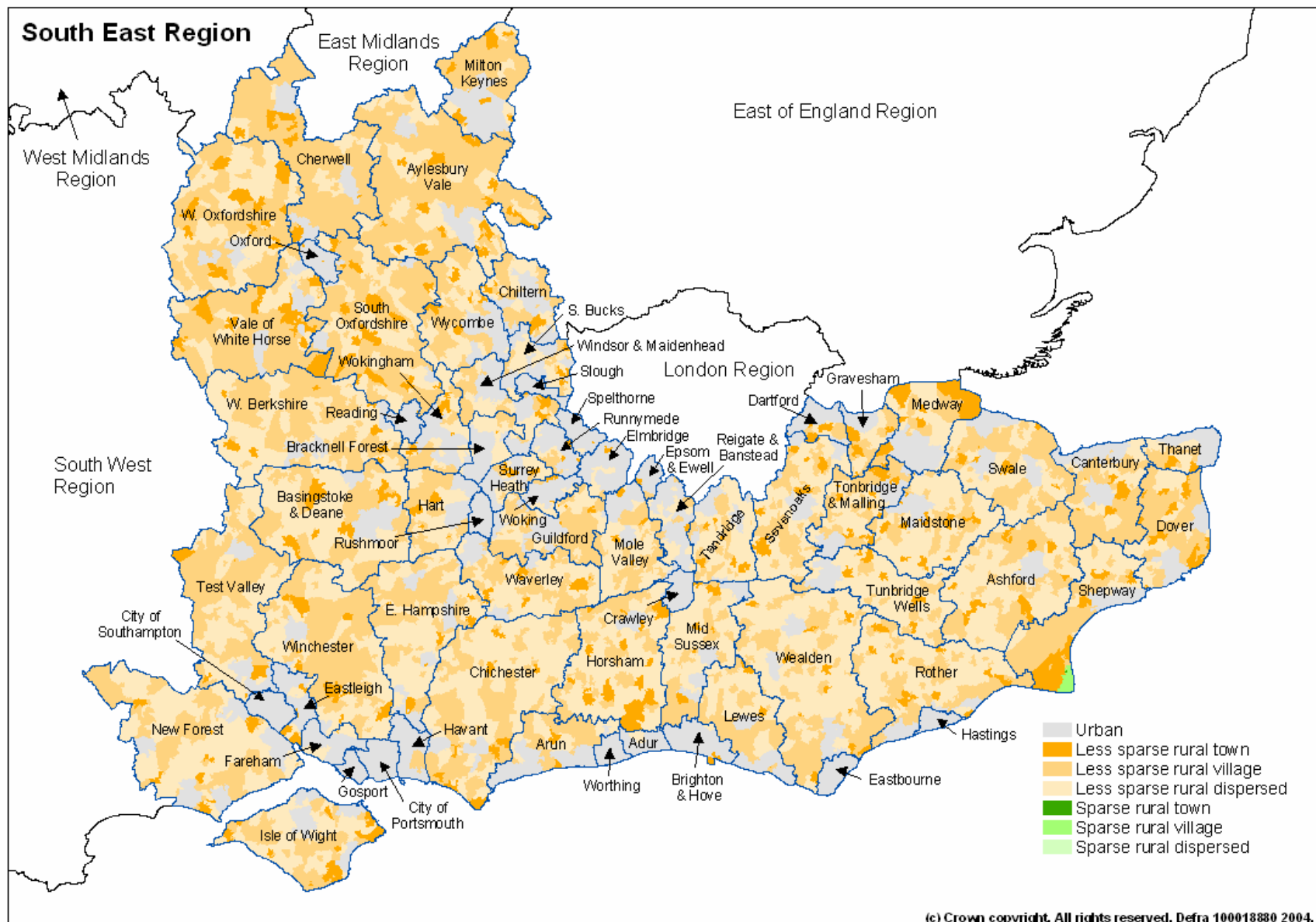


# **West Oxfordshire**

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

West Oxfordshire is in the South East Government Office Region

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



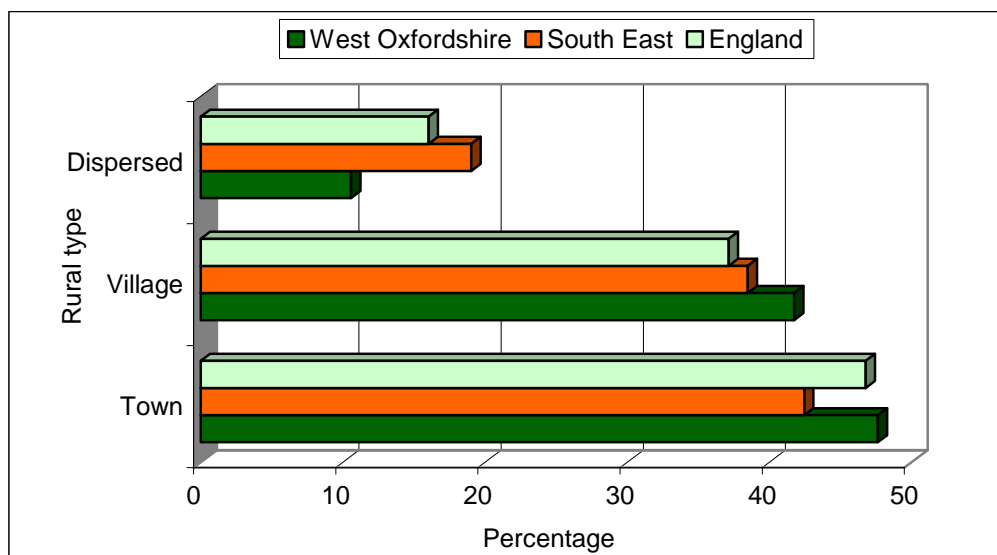
## Population

In West Oxfordshire 61% of people live in rural areas, compared with 22.4% in the Government Office Region. Within the rural areas all people live in less sparse areas

	West Oxfordshire			South East		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Urban	18,701	18,595	37,296	3,025,510	3,180,658	6,206,168
Rural	28,390	29,954	58,344	879,645	914,832	1,794,477
Less Sparse	28,390	29,954	58,344	878,911	914,059	1,792,970
Town	13,528	14,364	27,892	373,428	398,650	772,078
Village	11,854	12,456	24,310	338,028	346,602	684,630
Dispersed	3,008	3,134	6,142	167,455	168,807	336,262
Sparse	-	-	-	734	773	1,507
Town	-	-	-	137	146	283
Village	-	-	-	597	627	1,224
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	47,091	48,549	95,640	3,905,155	4,095,490	8,000,645
Percentage rural	60.3	61.7	61.0	22.5	22.3	22.4

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

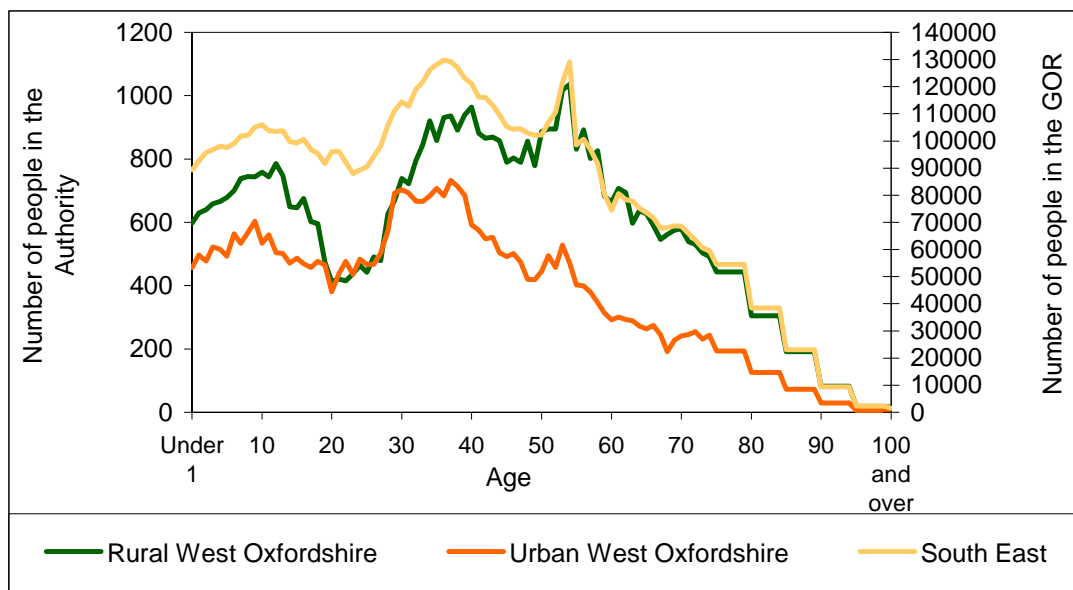
In West Oxfordshire 7.1% of the population live in rural areas and are under 10 years old. 14.1% of the Authority's population live in rural areas and are under 19 years of age. 8.2% are aged 70 or over and live in rural areas.

### 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	12,031	5,232	6,799	3,371	-	2,773	-	655	-	56.5
10 to 19	11,606	4,928	6,678	3,116	-	2,802	-	760	-	57.5
20 to 29	9,777	4,917	4,860	2,520	-	1,925	-	415	-	49.7
30 to 39	15,513	6,936	8,577	4,339	-	3,392	-	846	-	55.3
40 to 49	13,538	5,079	8,459	3,803	-	3,669	-	987	-	62.5
50 to 59	13,003	4,238	8,765	3,964	-	3,782	-	1,019	-	67.4
60 to 69	8,849	2,650	6,199	2,861	-	2,642	-	696	-	70.1
70 to 79	7,047	2,187	4,860	2,394	-	1,986	-	480	-	69.0
80 to 89	3,479	992	2,487	1,238	-	1,014	-	235	-	71.5
90 and over	702	180	522	251	-	213	-	58	-	74.4
	95,545	37,339	58,206	27,857	-	24,198	-	6,151	-	60.9

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.

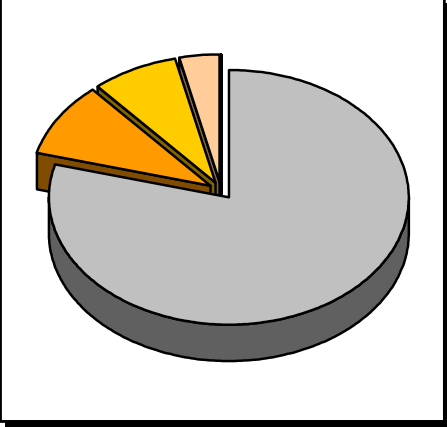
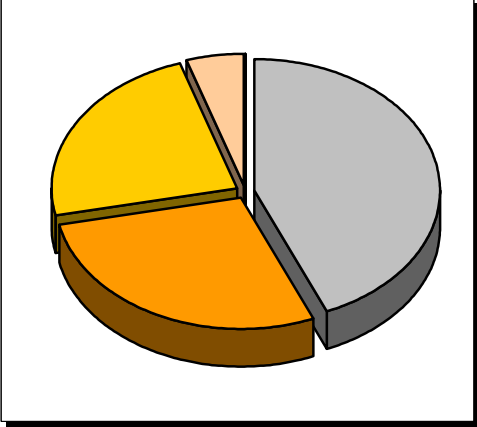


Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

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

Authority:  
West Oxfordshire  
Number of under 5's: 5,700

Government Office Region:  
South East  
Number of under 5's: 472,500



- Urban
- Less Sparse Rural Town
- Less Sparse Rural Village
- Less Sparse Rural Dispersed
- Sparse Rural Town
- Sparse Rural Village
- Sparse Rural Dispersed

Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

## Marital Status

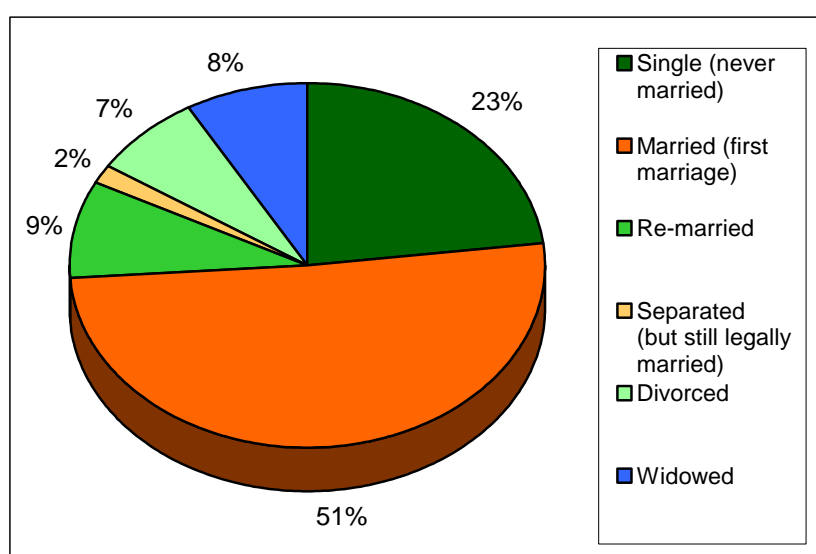
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted 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>West Oxfordshire</b>						
Urban	7,880	13,918	2,337	608	2,480	1,786
Rural	10,944	23,945	4,086	811	3,512	3,916
Less Sparse	10,944	23,945	4,086	811	3,512	3,916
Town	5,406	11,159	1,798	383	1,804	1,947
Village	4,386	10,279	1,772	340	1,345	1,586
Dispersed	1,152	2,507	516	88	363	383
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,824</b>	<b>37,863</b>	<b>6,423</b>	<b>1,419</b>	<b>5,992</b>	<b>5,702</b>
<b>South East</b>						
Urban	1,484,269	2,144,729	394,163	117,467	419,736	402,101
Rural	334,414	720,409	138,401	29,317	105,734	115,963
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,818,683</b>	<b>2,865,138</b>	<b>532,564</b>	<b>146,784</b>	<b>525,470</b>	<b>518,064</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 West Oxfordshire 62.9% of households are in rural areas. 26.1% of rural households are single person households. 5.8% of rural households are lone parent family households.

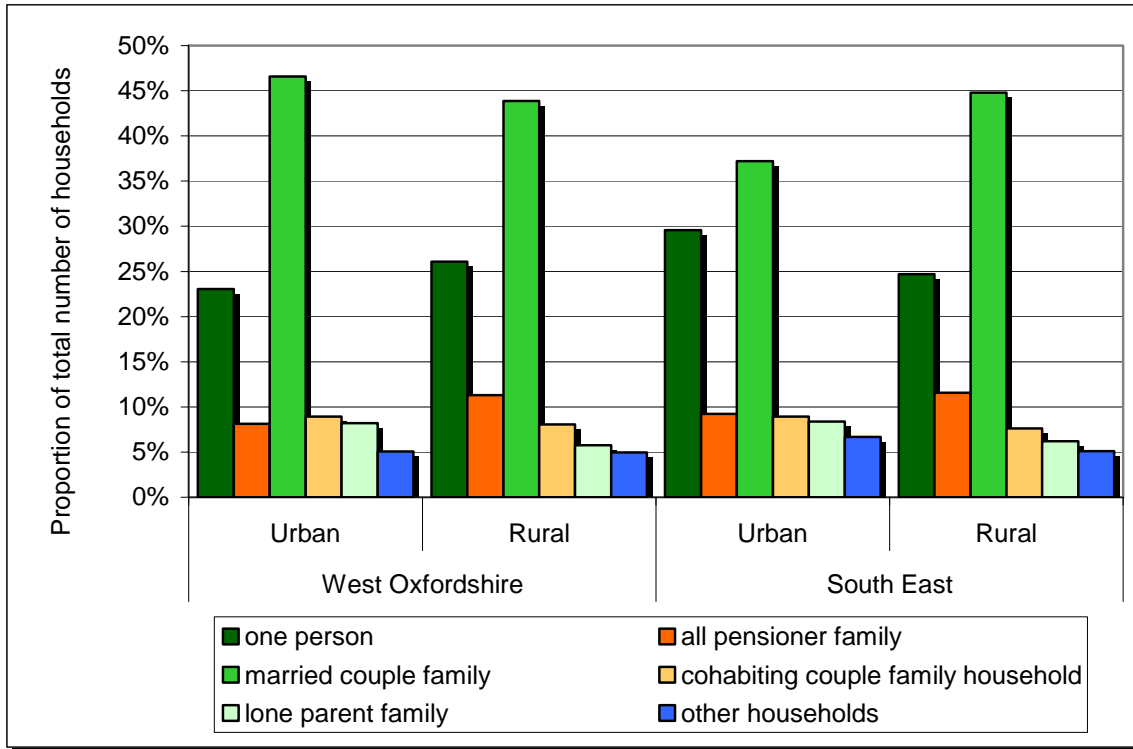
### Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban Total	Rural						% rural	
		Total	Less sparse			Sparse			
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	14,208	24,121	11,779	9,805	2,537	-	-	-	62.9
One person household	3,275	6,288	3,318	2,330	640	-	-	-	65.8
pensioner	1,534	3,610	1,940	1,353	317	-	-	-	70.2
other	1,741	2,678	1,378	977	323	-	-	-	60.6
All pensioner family	1,157	2,724	1,297	1,158	269	-	-	-	70.2
Married couple family	6,619	10,584	4,868	4,565	1,151	-	-	-	61.5
no children	2,142	4,151	1,840	1,810	501	-	-	-	66.0
with one dependent child	1,204	1,646	764	701	181	-	-	-	57.8
with two or more dependent children	2,352	3,190	1,509	1,366	315	-	-	-	57.6
all children non-dependent	921	1,597	755	688	154	-	-	-	63.4
Cohabiting couple family	1,269	1,941	958	763	220	-	-	-	60.5
no children	784	1,234	603	488	143	-	-	-	61.1
with one dependent child	184	309	153	132	24	-	-	-	62.7
two or more dependent children	247	332	181	107	44	-	-	-	57.3
all children non-dependent	54	66	21	36	9	-	-	-	55.0
Lone parent family	1,166	1,391	777	497	117	-	-	-	54.4
with one dependent child	392	434	245	154	35	-	-	-	52.5
with two or more dependant children	377	356	222	110	24	-	-	-	48.6
all children non-dependent	397	601	310	233	58	-	-	-	60.2
Other households	722	1,193	561	492	140	-	-	-	62.3
with one dependent child	94	216	96	94	26	-	-	-	69.7
with two or more dependent children	96	186	93	63	30	-	-	-	66.0
all student	6	12	6	6	-	-	-	-	66.7
all pensioner	34	114	39	48	27	-	-	-	77.0
other	492	665	327	281	57	-	-	-	57.5

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.

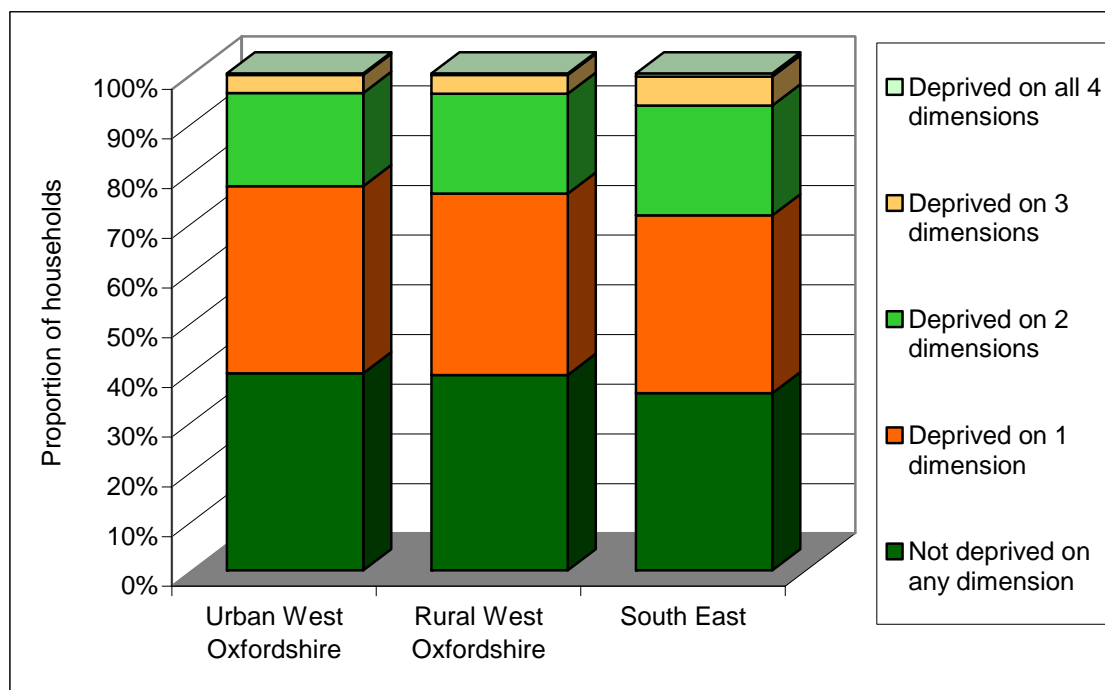


### Classification of household deprivation (number of households)

	West Oxfordshire					South East	
	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>5,653</b>	<b>5,359</b>	<b>2,672</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>894,858</b>	<b>1,671,844</b>
<b>Rural</b>	<b>9,485</b>	<b>8,796</b>	<b>4,858</b>	<b>907</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>277,521</b>	<b>443,090</b>
Less Sparse	9,485	8,796	4,858	907	75	277,406	442,550
Town	4,485	4,231	2,544	472	37	116,111	204,884
Village	3,970	3,617	1,880	344	31	107,661	165,481
Dispersed	1,030	948	434	91	7	53,634	72,185
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	115	540
Town	-	-	-	-	-	18	109
Village	-	-	-	-	-	97	431
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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)

	West Oxfordshire				South East			
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good
Urban	27,942	7,232	2,122	5.7	4,403,973	1,347,133	455,062	7.3
Rural	42,629	11,930	3,786	6.5	1,316,463	363,635	114,377	6.4

Source table from the Census: UV20 General health

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

	West Oxfordshire			South East			England
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	32,712	4,584	12.3	5,233,076	973,093	15.7	18.2
Rural	49,871	8,473	14.5	1,530,170	264,307	14.7	17.0

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

Number of people providing unpaid care

	West Oxfordshire			% providing some unpaid care	
	1 to 19 hours per week	20 to 49 hours per week	50 or more hours per week	West Oxfordshire	South East
Urban	2,097	237	505	7.6	9.0
Rural	4,706	470	789	10.2	10.1
Towns	2,225	231	390	10.2	9.8
Villages	1,949	201	328	10.2	10.3
Dispersed	532	38	71	10.5	10.2

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

## Qualifications

In West Oxfordshire 21.9% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 23.9% in the Region as a whole. 61.3% 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	5,840	5,880	6,561	2,335	4,589	1,660	21.7	24.4
Rural	9,232	6,308	9,183	3,293	11,427	2,530	22.0	22.4
Less Sparse	9,232	6,308	9,183	3,293	11,427	2,530	22.0	22.4
Town	4,475	3,145	4,406	1,467	5,169	1,210	22.5	24.1
Village	3,871	2,560	3,806	1,404	4,911	1,052	22.0	22.0
Dispersed	886	603	971	422	1,347	268	19.7	19.3
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	15,072	12,188	15,744	5,628	16,016	4,190	21.9	23.9
Percentage rural	61.3	51.8	58.3	58.5	71.3	60.4		

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

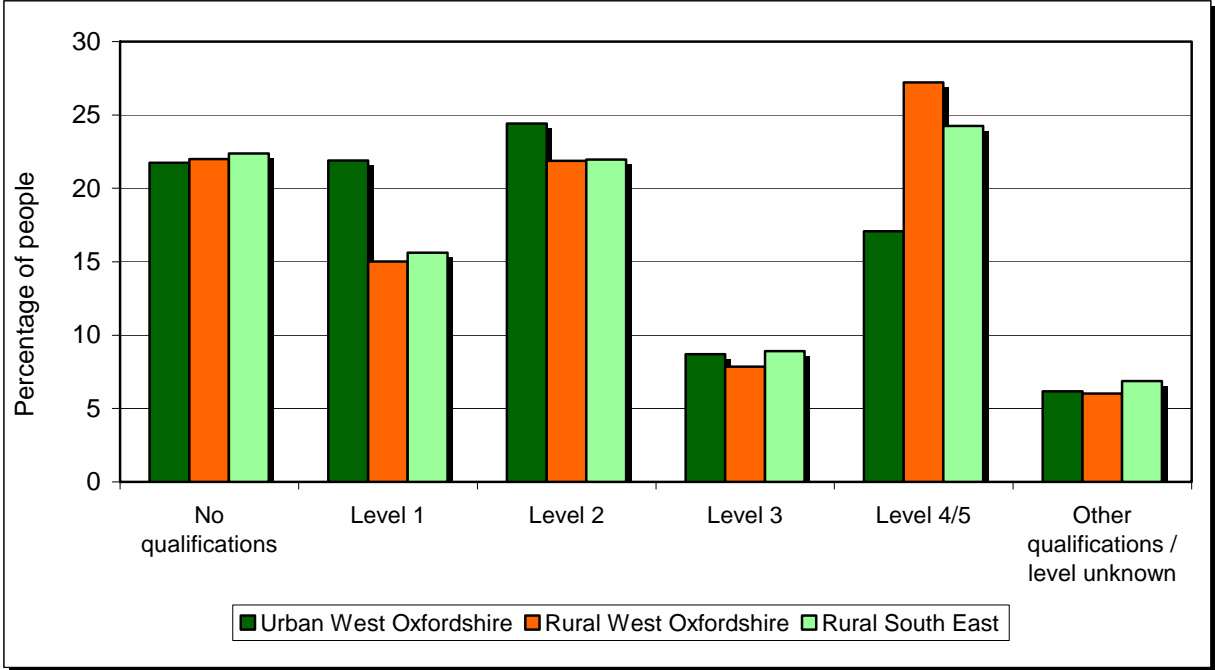
**Level 2:** 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

**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:

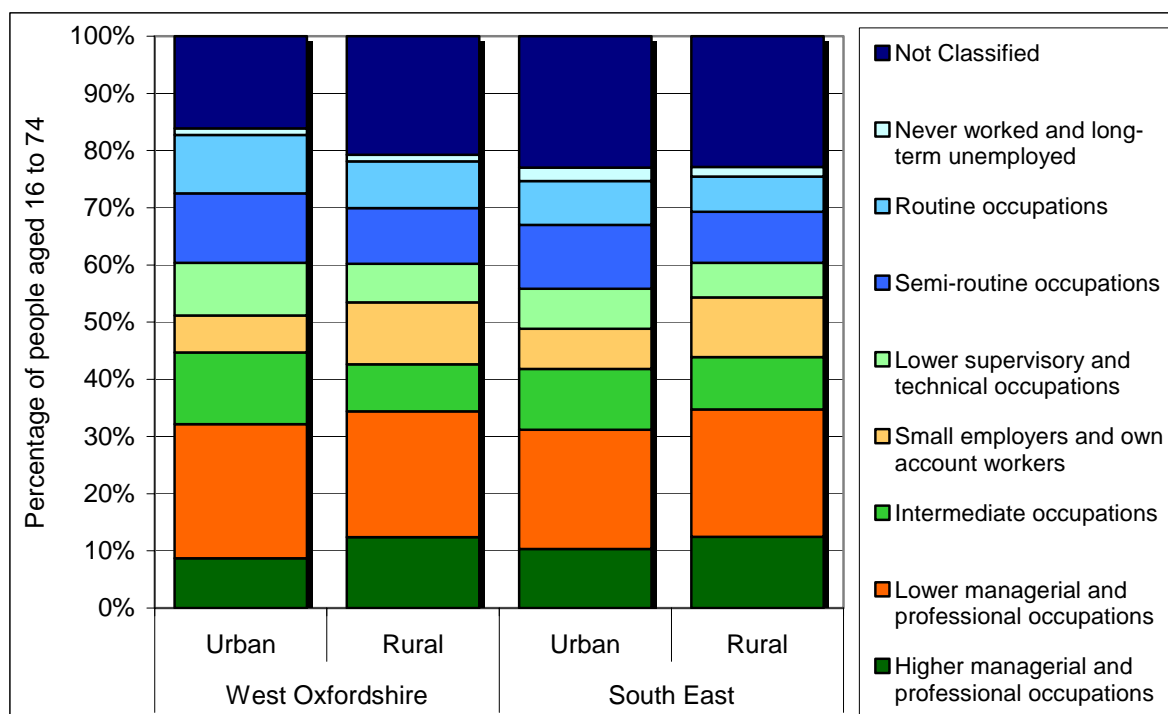
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### Number of people in the Authority aged 16 to 74 by NS-SeC classification

	West Oxfordshire					South East	
	Urban Total	Rural			Urban	Rural	
		Total	Towns	Villages			Dispersed
Higher managerial and professional occupations	2,330	5,212	2,318	2,289	605	461,351	161,117
Lower managerial and professional occupations	6,298	9,236	4,299	3,931	1,006	932,373	288,729
Intermediate occupations	3,360	3,450	1,776	1,376	298	476,167	117,990
Small employers and own account workers	1,740	4,545	1,866	2,014	665	311,829	135,783
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	2,463	2,851	1,468	1,094	289	315,985	77,885
Semi-routine occupations	3,254	4,080	2,071	1,594	415	496,792	115,350
Routine occupations	2,738	3,431	1,824	1,326	281	343,728	80,000
Never worked and long-term unemployed	309	483	201	231	51	103,870	21,453
Not Classified	4,324	8,710	4,016	3,788	906	1,028,126	296,344

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 West Oxfordshire 27.5% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 52.5% of those people are retired, 10.3% are students and 22.2% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 21.2% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban West Oxfordshire and 30.6% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

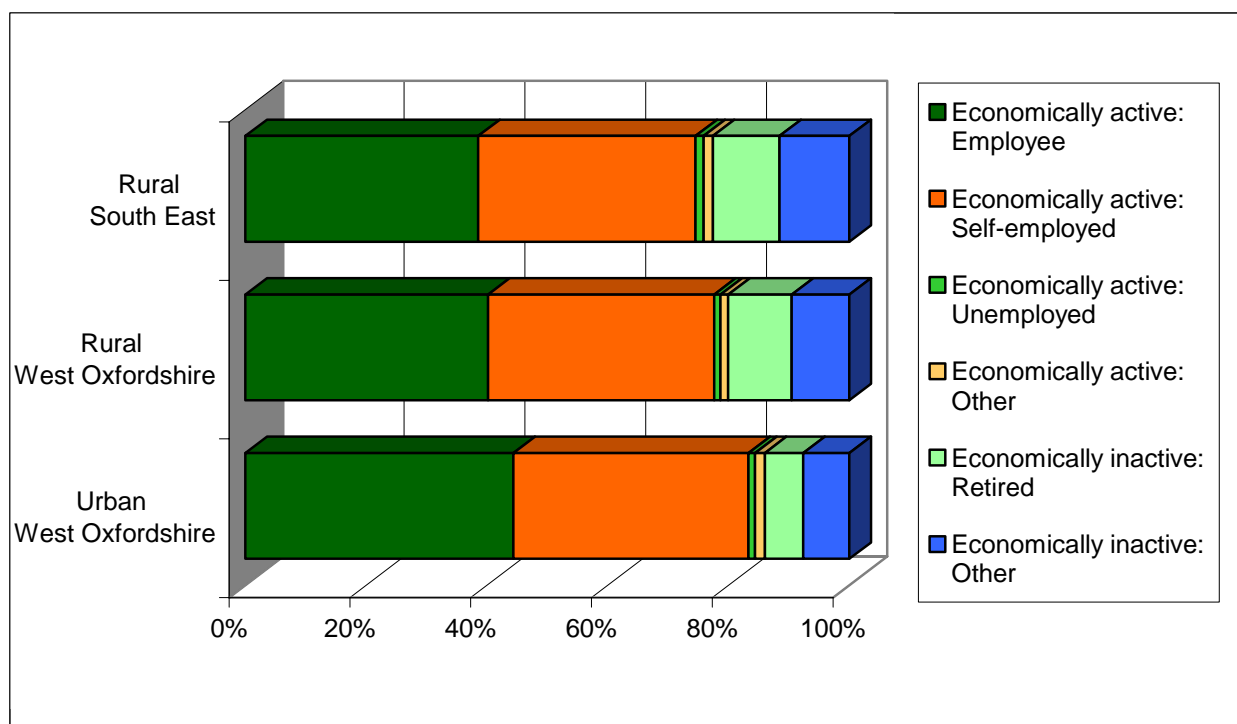
### Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

	West Oxfordshire					South East	
	Urban	Rural				Urban	Rural
	Total	Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed		
Economically active	21,194	30,398	14,554	12,559	3,285	3,138,371	899,331
Employee	18,072	23,124	11,500	9,366	2,258	2,520,096	675,484
Part-time	3,545	5,431	2,692	2,213	526	545,708	157,638
Full-time	14,527	17,693	8,808	7,153	1,732	1,974,388	517,846
Self-employed with employees	688	2,069	780	935	354	119,414	60,992
Part-time	95	308	111	132	65	17,437	9,504
Full-time	593	1,761	669	803	289	101,977	51,488
Self-employed without employees	1,333	3,853	1,614	1,726	513	259,523	112,498
Part-time	399	1,331	564	568	199	74,434	37,294
Full-time	934	2,522	1,050	1,158	314	185,089	75,204
Unemployed	433	601	292	238	71	110,115	23,253
Full-time Students	668	751	368	294	89	129,223	27,104
Economically inactive	5,698	11,540	5,296	5,028	1,216	1,332,898	395,949
Retired	2,586	6,054	2,853	2,616	585	579,666	193,269
Student	614	1,186	507	546	133	195,738	44,813
Looking after home/family	1,393	2,558	1,090	1,145	323	285,622	91,906
Permanently sick/disabled	642	938	493	372	73	162,934	36,059
Other	463	804	353	349	102	108,938	29,902
% economically active	78.8	72.5	73.3	71.4	73.0	70.2	69.4
% economically inactive	21.2	27.5	26.7	28.6	27.0	29.8	30.6

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



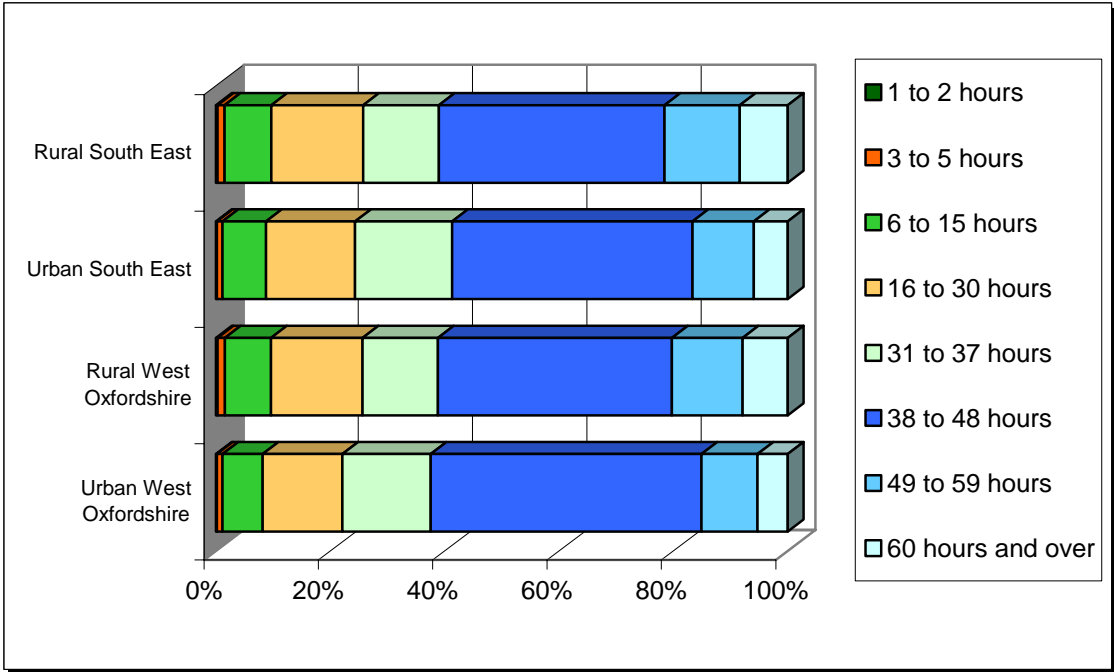
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

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>West Oxfordshire</b>										
Urban	33	206	1,459	2,883	3,208	9,806	2,035	1,096	22.1	77.9
Rural	76	402	2,391	4,762	3,910	12,182	3,668	2,356	25.7	74.3
Less Sparse	76	402	2,391	4,762	3,910	12,182	3,668	2,356	25.7	74.3
Town	45	226	1,129	2,259	2,059	5,942	1,637	953	25.7	74.3
Village	28	131	991	1,976	1,529	4,999	1,552	1,091	25.4	74.6
Dispersed	3	45	271	527	322	1,241	479	312	26.4	73.6
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>3,850</b>	<b>7,645</b>	<b>7,118</b>	<b>21,988</b>	<b>5,703</b>	<b>3,452</b>	<b>24.2</b>	<b>75.8</b>
Percentage rural	69.7	66.1	62.1	62.3	54.9	55.4	64.3	68.3		
<b>South East</b>										
Urban	5,598	29,763	228,995	470,238	511,859	1,266,030	323,512	179,271	24.4	75.6
Rural	2,382	10,839	71,496	140,432	115,526	344,523	115,176	73,417	25.8	74.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,980</b>	<b>40,602</b>	<b>300,491</b>	<b>610,670</b>	<b>627,385</b>	<b>1,610,553</b>	<b>438,688</b>	<b>252,688</b>	<b>24.7</b>	<b>75.3</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 West Oxfordshire 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

	West Oxfordshire					South East	
	Urban	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
	Total	Total	Towns	Villages			
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	243	1,082	299	506	277	27,285	28,865
Fishing	6	12	-	12	-	541	311
Mining and quarrying	18	98	43	42	13	5,342	1,848
Manufacturing	3,390	4,354	2,218	1,734	402	371,703	99,934
Electricity, gas and water supply	132	173	75	92	6	22,488	5,557
Construction	1,374	2,365	1,177	988	200	211,619	65,707
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	3,513	4,455	2,195	1,813	447	504,852	130,940
Hotels and restaurants	725	1,332	670	518	144	129,515	37,695
Transport, storage and communications	1,070	1,373	646	598	129	256,859	59,531
Financial Intermediation	569	769	351	341	77	157,096	41,068
Real estate, renting and business activities	2,452	4,699	2,168	1,977	554	460,568	145,557
Public administration and defence, social security	2,956	1,294	628	546	120	181,049	49,562
Education	1,418	3,054	1,472	1,301	281	232,185	72,975
Health and social work	1,789	2,929	1,510	1,116	303	298,491	83,761
Other community, social & personal service activities	1,059	1,693	755	714	224	150,932	47,183
Private households with employed persons	15	111	27	52	32	3,724	2,646
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	6	-	-	-	-	871	337

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

## Accommodation and tenure

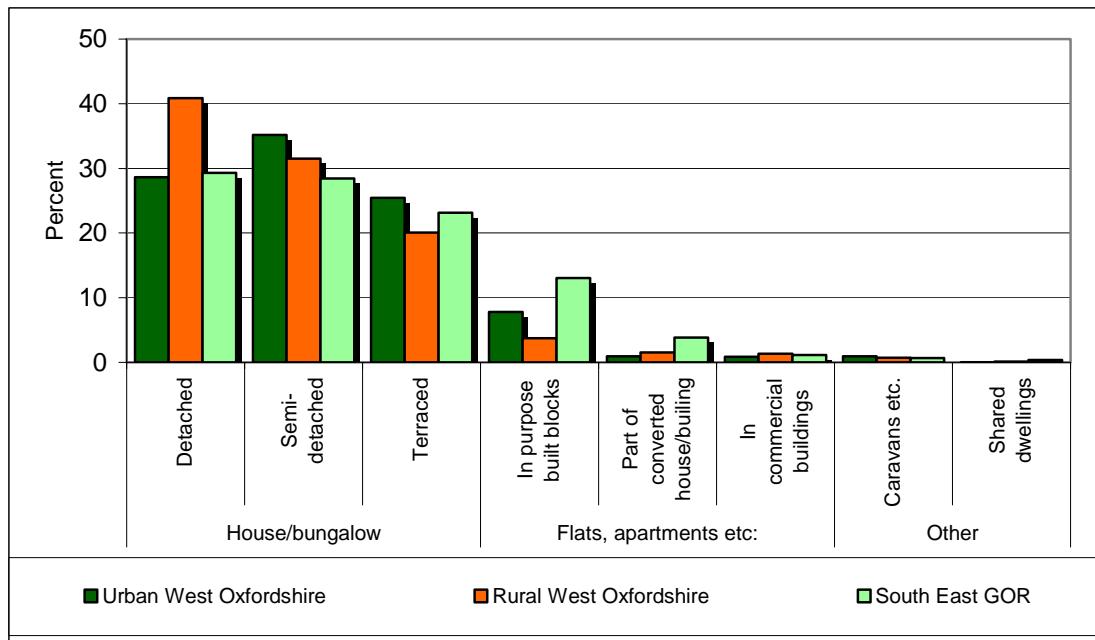
In rural West Oxfordshire 92.5% of households live in houses or bungalows, 6.7% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.9% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban West Oxfordshire 89.3% of households live in houses or bungalows, 9.7% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 1% 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

	West Oxfordshire					South East	
	Urban	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
	Total	Total	Towns	Villages			
<b>In an unshared dwelling</b>	<b>14,804</b>	<b>25,281</b>	<b>12,140</b>	<b>10,373</b>	<b>2,768</b>	<b>2,636,761</b>	<b>751,637</b>
House or bungalow	13,227	23,406	10,937	9,881	2,588	2,076,368	674,182
Detached	4,243	10,345	3,886	4,930	1,529	653,823	342,291
Semi-detached	5,211	7,981	3,986	3,229	766	746,350	221,521
Terraced (including end-terrace)	3,773	5,080	3,065	1,722	293	676,195	110,370
Flat; maisonette or apartment	1,434	1,689	1,200	355	134	550,501	63,736
In a purpose-built block of flats	1,158	955	772	138	45	400,404	42,406
Part of a converted or shared house	145	391	175	155	61	117,658	13,930
In a commercial building	131	343	253	62	28	32,439	7,400
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	143	186	3	137	46	9,892	13,719
<b>In a shared dwelling</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12,185</b>	<b>928</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 West Oxfordshire 74.4% of households live in owned accommodation, 11.9% live in social rented accommodation and 10.2% live in private rented accommodation.

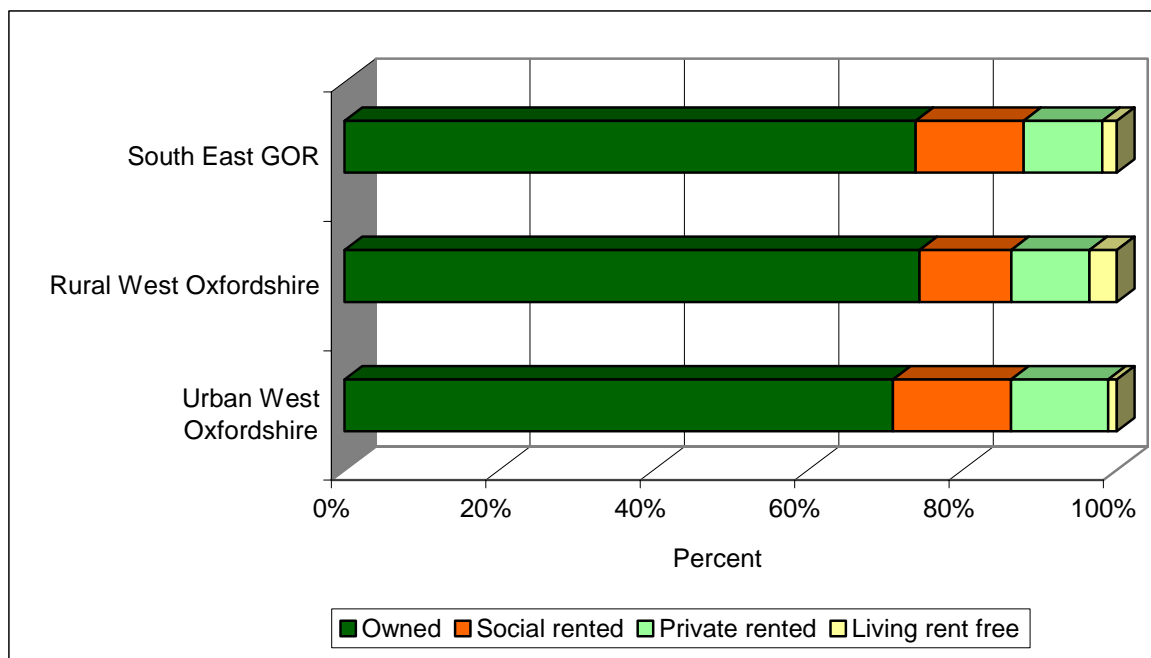
In urban West Oxfordshire 71% of households live in owned accommodation, 15.3% live in social rented accommodation and 12.6% live in private rented accommodation.

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

	West Oxfordshire					South East	
	Urban Total	Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed	Urban	Rural
<b>Owned</b>	<b>10,126</b>	<b>17,967</b>	<b>8,768</b>	<b>7,543</b>	<b>1,656</b>	<b>1,875,258</b>	<b>556,134</b>
Owns outright	3,517	8,481	3,967	3,613	901	764,086	264,079
Owns with a mortgage or loan	6,505	9,366	4,736	3,893	737	1,089,453	288,072
Shared ownership	104	120	65	37	18	21,719	3,983
<b>Social rented</b>	<b>2,179</b>	<b>2,867</b>	<b>1,709</b>	<b>1,006</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>381,845</b>	<b>77,446</b>
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	558	1,161	666	428	67	208,516	33,304
Other social rented	1,621	1,706	1,043	578	85	173,329	44,142
<b>Private rented</b>	<b>1,792</b>	<b>2,450</b>	<b>1,071</b>	<b>918</b>	<b>461</b>	<b>268,379</b>	<b>65,706</b>
Private landlord or letting agency	971	2,068	902	768	398	236,252	51,769
Employer of a household member	401	128	50	55	23	8,716	6,109
Relative or friend of a household member	76	175	82	62	31	15,226	3,966
Other	344	79	37	33	9	8,185	3,862
<b>Living rent free</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>852</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>41,448</b>	<b>21,260</b>

Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

## Percentage of households by tenure



Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

## Car ownership

12.4% of households in rural West Oxfordshire do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 14.3%.

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

	West Oxfordshire					South East		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	2,048	6,664	4,451	840	302	555,758	2,011,160	19,423	3,135,430
Rural	2,984	9,616	8,736	2,070	719	82,969	637,585	36,500	1,135,906
Less Sparse	2,984	9,616	8,736	2,070	719	82,893	637,002	36,500	1,135,016
Town	1,864	5,016	3,839	806	247	48,392	272,635	16,163	453,915
Village	938	3,682	3,883	984	351	26,301	246,822	15,986	451,260
Dispersed	182	918	1,014	280	121	8,200	117,545	4,351	229,841
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	76	583	-	890
Town	-	-	-	-	-	12	117	-	167
Village	-	-	-	-	-	64	466	-	723
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,032</b>	<b>16,280</b>	<b>13,187</b>	<b>2,910</b>	<b>1,021</b>	<b>638,727</b>	<b>2,648,745</b>	<b>55,923</b>	<b>4,271,336</b>
Percentage rural	59.3	59.1	66.2	71.1	70.4	13.0	24.1	65.3	26.6

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	11,789	7,735	3,294	1,877	22	-	-	-	-	24,717
Town	8,416	2,546	510	575	-	-	-	-	-	12,047
Village	2,868	4,347	2,028	815	22	-	-	-	-	10,080
Dispersed	505	842	756	487	-	-	-	-	-	2,590
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>11,789</b>	<b>7,735</b>	<b>3,294</b>	<b>1,877</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24,717</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	47.7	31.3	13.3	7.6	0.1	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	58.3	28.1	10.1	3.0	0.5	-	-	-	-	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	8,375	5,340	4,974	3,601	2,321	106	-	-	-	24,717
Town	7,168	905	1,497	577	1,899	1	-	-	-	12,047
Village	896	3,720	2,870	2,371	223	-	-	-	-	10,080
Dispersed	311	715	607	653	199	105	-	-	-	2,590
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>8,375</b>	<b>5,340</b>	<b>4,974</b>	<b>3,601</b>	<b>2,321</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24,717</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	33.9	21.6	20.1	14.6	9.4	0.4	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	35.0	30.7	22.5	8.5	2.9	0.5	-	-	-	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	11,313	6,616	5,101	1,672	15	-	-	-	-	24,717
Town	9,109	894	1,405	639	-	-	-	-	-	12,047
Village	1,554	4,816	2,942	753	15	-	-	-	-	10,080
Dispersed	650	906	754	280	-	-	-	-	-	2,590
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>11,313</b>	<b>6,616</b>	<b>5,101</b>	<b>1,672</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24,717</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	45.8	26.8	20.6	6.8	0.1	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	50.4	31.5	14.2	3.5	0.4	-	-	-	-	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	24	672	1,723	7,023	1,991	4,703	2,608	2,118	3,855	24,717
Town	-	-	617	3,723	820	2,835	956	603	2,493	12,047
Village	-	450	970	2,802	952	1,635	1,155	1,049	1,067	10,080
Dispersed	24	222	136	498	219	233	497	466	295	2,590
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>1,723</b>	<b>7,023</b>	<b>1,991</b>	<b>4,703</b>	<b>2,608</b>	<b>2,118</b>	<b>3,855</b>	<b>24,717</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	0.1	2.7	7.0	28.4	8.1	19.0	10.6	8.6	15.6	100.0
in the Government Office Region	1.3	11.8	21.6	19.7	17.7	11.3	7.8	4.2	4.5	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	12,357	7,177	3,811	1,372	-	-	-	-	-	24,717
Town	10,413	1,021	3	610	-	-	-	-	-	12,047
Village	1,330	5,108	3,086	556	-	-	-	-	-	10,080
Dispersed	614	1,048	722	206	-	-	-	-	-	2,590
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>12,357</b>	<b>7,177</b>	<b>3,811</b>	<b>1,372</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24,717</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	50.0	29.0	15.4	5.6	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	40.9	29.7	20.1	7.4	1.6	0.3	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	13,124	5,716	5,744	133	-	-	-	-	-	24,717
Town	7,949	1,752	2,346	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,047
Village	4,253	3,037	2,657	133	-	-	-	-	-	10,080
Dispersed	922	927	741	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,590
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>13,124</b>	<b>5,716</b>	<b>5,744</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24,717</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	53.1	23.1	23.2	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	60.3	30.4	8.4	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	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	21,880	2,820	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	24,717
Town	12,015	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,047
Village	8,288	1,792	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,080
Dispersed	1,577	996	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,590
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>21,880</b>	<b>2,820</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24,717</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	88.5	11.4	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	84.9	13.9	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	10,752	4,906	6,588	2,445	26	-	-	-	-	24,717
Town	8,517	835	1,841	854	-	-	-	-	-	12,047
Village	1,546	3,475	3,880	1,165	14	-	-	-	-	10,080
Dispersed	689	596	867	426	12	-	-	-	-	2,590
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>10,752</b>	<b>4,906</b>	<b>6,588</b>	<b>2,445</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24,717</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	43.5	19.8	26.7	9.9	0.1	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	32.1	32.0	22.7	9.8	2.7	0.7	-	-	-	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	18,538	3,327	2,852	-	-	-	-	-	-	24,717
Town	9,403	267	2,377	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,047
Village	7,784	1,945	351	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,080
Dispersed	1,351	1,115	124	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,590
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	18,538	3,327	2,852	-	-	-	-	-	-	24,717
% of rural households										
in the Authority	75.0	13.5	11.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	85.1	13.6	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	7,353	4,150	5,932	4,879	2,356	47	-	-	-	24,717
Town	6,213	772	1,859	1,375	1,828	-	-	-	-	12,047
Village	918	2,799	3,456	2,631	276	-	-	-	-	10,080
Dispersed	222	579	617	873	252	47	-	-	-	2,590
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	7,353	4,150	5,932	4,879	2,356	47	-	-	-	24,717
% of rural households										
in the Authority	29.7	16.8	24.0	19.7	9.5	0.2	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	25.8	33.2	25.5	11.6	3.6	0.3	-	-	-	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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