

Isle of Wight

Census 2001 and Access to Services Focus on Rural Areas

Isle of Wight 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.



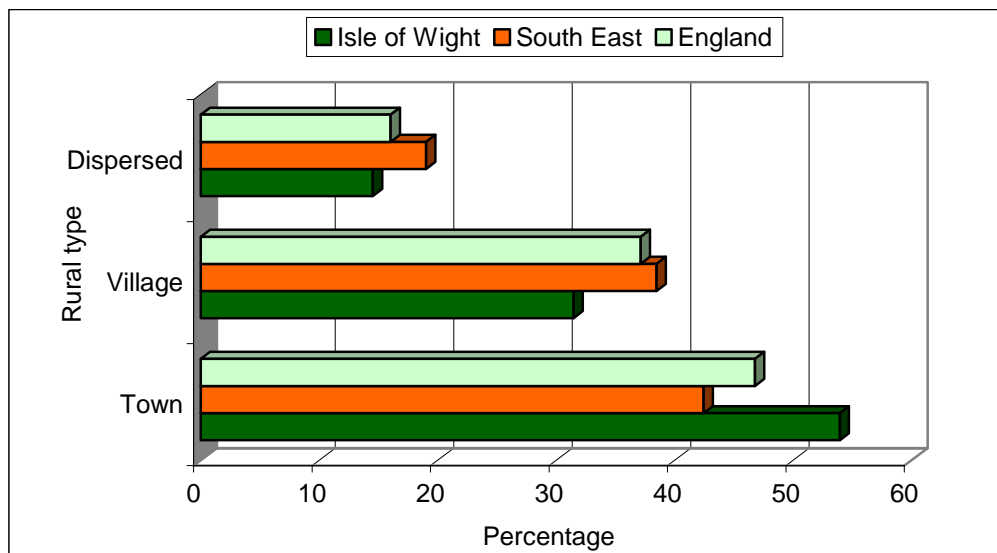
Population

In Isle of Wight 36.3% 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

	Isle of Wight			South East		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Urban	40,829	43,760	84,589	3,025,510	3,180,658	6,206,168
Rural	22,868	25,274	48,142	879,645	914,832	1,794,477
Less Sparse	22,868	25,274	48,142	878,911	914,059	1,792,970
Town	12,340	14,028	26,368	373,428	398,650	772,078
Village	7,200	7,723	14,923	338,028	346,602	684,630
Dispersed	3,328	3,523	6,851	167,455	168,807	336,262
Sparse	-	-	-	734	773	1,507
Town	-	-	-	137	146	283
Village	-	-	-	597	627	1,224
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	63,697	69,034	132,731	3,905,155	4,095,490	8,000,645
Percentage rural	35.9	36.6	36.3	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 Isle of Wight 3.3% of the population live in rural areas and are under 10 years old. 7.3% of the Authority's population live in rural areas and are under 19 years of age. 7.2% 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	14,098	9,734	4,364	2,524	-	1,254	-	586	-	31.0
10 to 19	15,875	10,581	5,294	2,915	-	1,607	-	772	-	33.3
20 to 29	11,693	8,655	3,038	1,745	-	866	-	427	-	26.0
30 to 39	16,778	11,795	4,983	2,807	-	1,482	-	694	-	29.7
40 to 49	16,845	10,820	6,025	3,107	-	1,937	-	981	-	35.8
50 to 59	19,756	11,656	8,100	4,101	-	2,661	-	1,338	-	41.0
60 to 69	15,439	8,796	6,643	3,554	-	2,201	-	888	-	43.0
70 to 79	13,563	7,662	5,901	3,428	-	1,783	-	690	-	43.5
80 to 89	7,266	4,233	3,033	1,819	-	859	-	355	-	41.7
90 and over	1,475	811	664	377	-	179	-	108	-	45.0
	132,788	84,743	48,045	26,377	-	14,829	-	6,839	-	36.2

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.

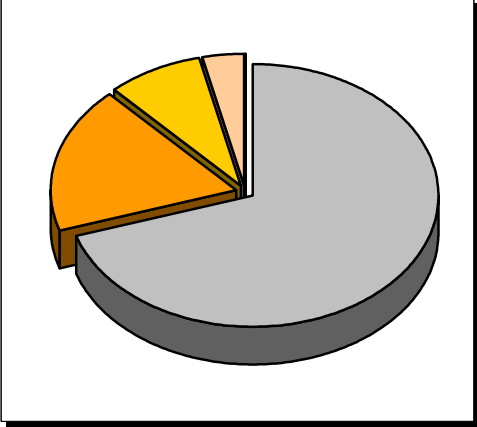


Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

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

Authority:
Isle of Wight
Number of under 5's: 6,500

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

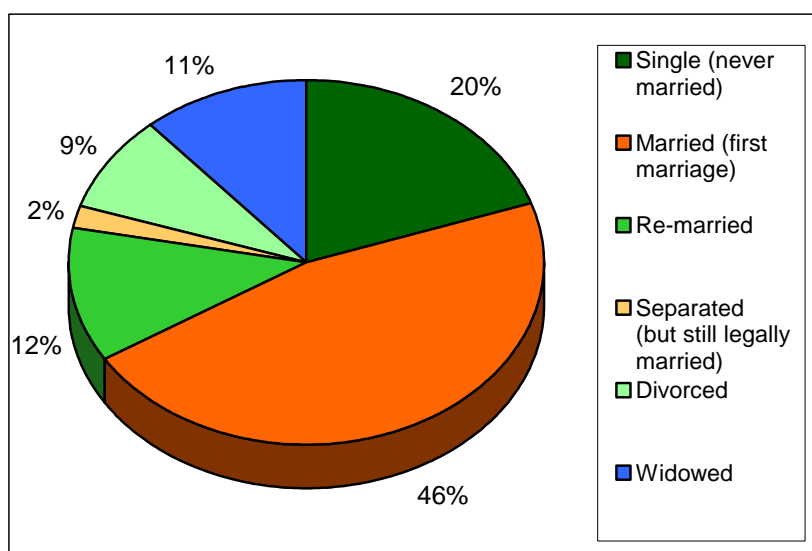
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted 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
Isle of Wight						
Urban	18,078	26,803	6,747	1,779	7,385	7,281
Rural	7,971	18,712	4,833	813	3,466	4,641
Less Sparse	7,971	18,712	4,833	813	3,466	4,641
Town	4,492	9,690	2,501	496	2,020	2,777
Village	2,336	6,185	1,619	230	996	1,312
Dispersed	1,143	2,837	713	87	450	552
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	26,049	45,515	11,580	2,592	10,851	11,922
South East						
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
Total	1,818,683	2,865,138	532,564	146,784	525,470	518,064

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 Isle of Wight 37% of households are in rural areas. 29.8% of rural households are single person households. 7.1% of rural households are lone parent family households.

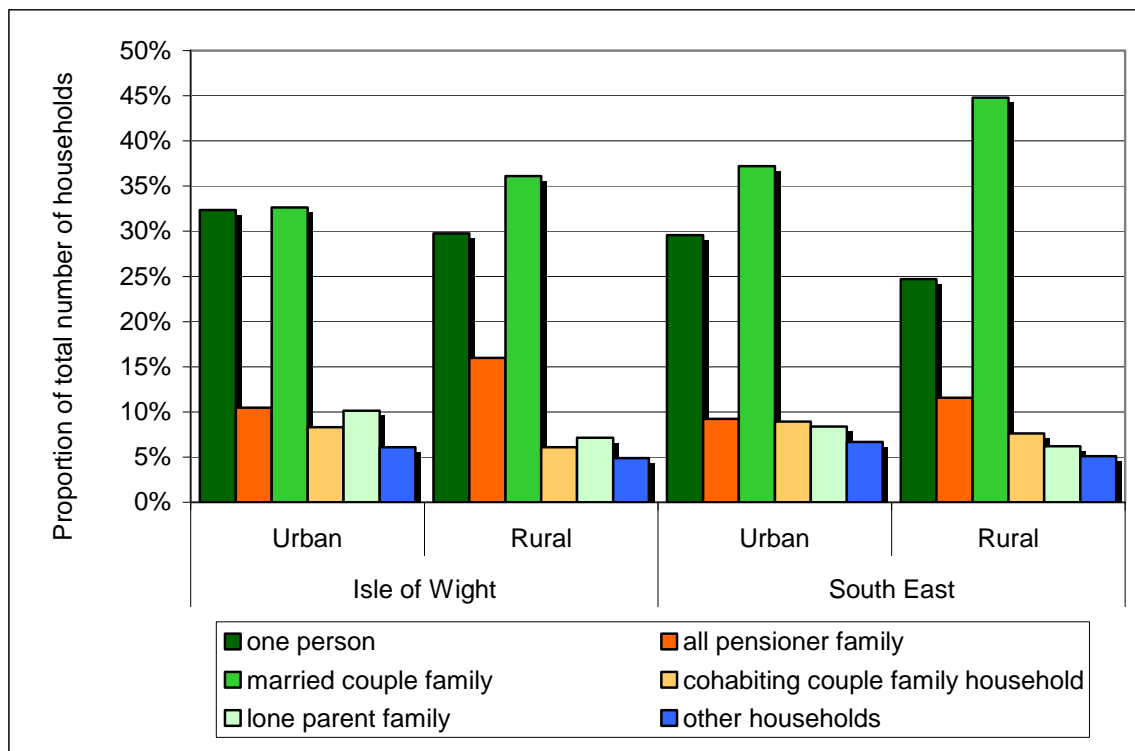
Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban Total	Rural						% rural	
		Total	Less sparse			Sparse			
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	36,215	21,273	12,027	6,438	2,808	-	-	-	37.0
One person household	11,719	6,334	3,996	1,677	661	-	-	-	35.1
pensioner	6,489	4,066	2,602	1,090	374	-	-	-	38.5
other	5,230	2,268	1,394	587	287	-	-	-	30.2
All pensioner family	3,794	3,400	1,887	1,109	404	-	-	-	47.3
Married couple family	11,812	7,685	3,879	2,580	1,226	-	-	-	39.4
no children	4,675	3,686	1,826	1,285	575	-	-	-	44.1
with one dependent child	1,845	1,095	548	360	187	-	-	-	37.2
with two or more dependent children	3,645	1,874	991	586	297	-	-	-	34.0
all children non-dependent	1,647	1,030	514	349	167	-	-	-	38.5
Cohabiting couple family	3,007	1,295	733	381	181	-	-	-	30.1
no children	1,551	749	404	231	114	-	-	-	32.6
with one dependent child	619	255	165	60	30	-	-	-	29.2
two or more dependent children	711	264	155	78	31	-	-	-	27.1
all children non-dependent	126	27	9	12	6	-	-	-	17.6
Lone parent family	3,675	1,517	982	365	170	-	-	-	29.2
with one dependent child	1,329	517	334	116	67	-	-	-	28.0
with two or more dependant children	1,197	434	299	100	35	-	-	-	26.6
all children non-dependent	1,149	566	349	149	68	-	-	-	33.0
Other households	2,208	1,042	550	326	166	-	-	-	32.1
with one dependent child	383	207	113	68	26	-	-	-	35.1
with two or more dependent children	383	141	67	40	34	-	-	-	26.9
all student	27	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	10.0
all pensioner	223	161	91	55	15	-	-	-	41.9
other	1,192	530	276	163	91	-	-	-	30.8

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.

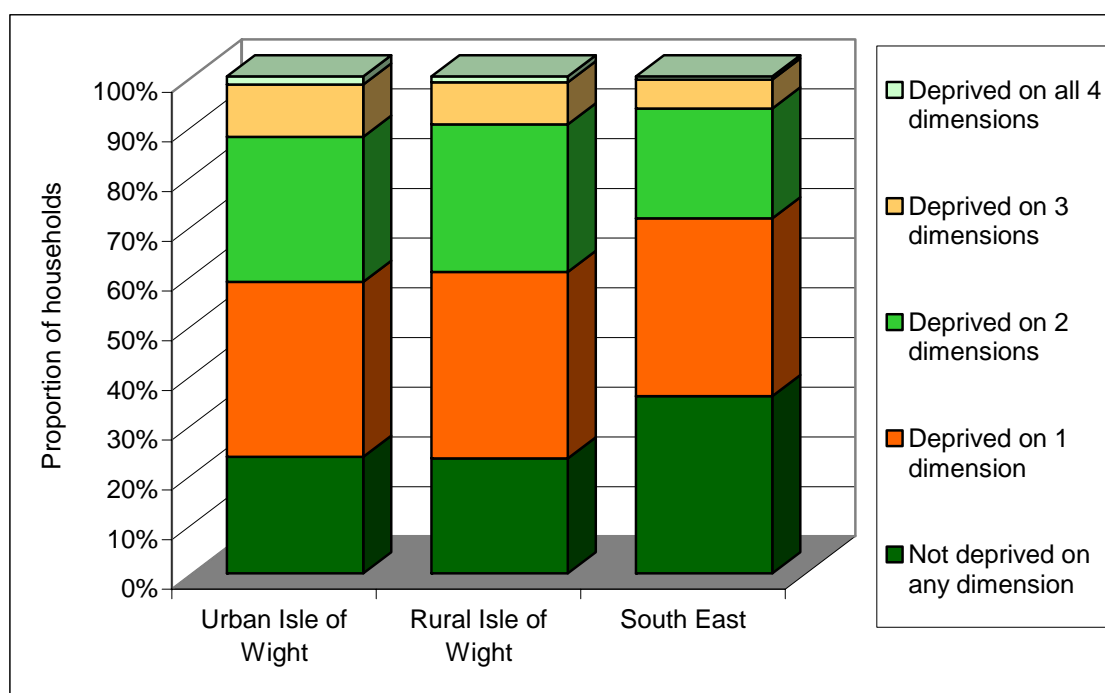
Housing – The household’s accommodation is either overcrowded, or is in a shared dwelling, or does not have sole use of bath/shower and toilet, or has no central heating.

Classification of household deprivation (number of households)

	Isle of Wight					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
Urban	8,451	12,707	10,534	3,807	585	894,858	1,671,844
Rural	4,955	8,040	6,357	1,810	263	277,521	443,090
Less Sparse	4,955	8,040	6,357	1,810	263	277,406	442,550
Town	2,524	4,498	3,796	1,102	188	116,111	204,884
Village	1,601	2,508	1,828	515	45	107,661	165,481
Dispersed	830	1,034	733	193	30	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)

	Isle of Wight				South East			
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good
Urban	55,120	21,238	8,231	9.7	4,403,973	1,347,133	455,062	7.3
Rural	31,236	12,224	4,682	9.7	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)

	Isle of Wight			South East			England
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	66,545	18,044	21.3	5,233,076	973,093	15.7	18.2
Rural	37,037	11,105	23.1	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

	Isle of Wight			% providing some unpaid care	
	1 to 19 hours per week	20 to 49 hours per week	50 or more hours per week	Isle of Wight	South East
Urban	5,686	923	2,001	10.2	9.0
Rural	3,923	536	1,281	11.9	10.1
Towns	2,072	291	716	11.7	9.8
Villages	1,263	158	433	12.4	10.3
Dispersed	588	87	132	11.8	10.2

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

Qualifications

In Isle of Wight 30.2% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 23.9% in the Region as a whole. 34.9% 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	18,344	11,612	12,353	3,883	8,087	5,109	30.9	24.4
Rural	9,853	5,654	7,034	2,110	6,172	3,179	29.0	22.4
Less Sparse	9,853	5,654	7,034	2,110	6,172	3,179	29.0	22.4
Town	5,625	3,113	3,649	1,122	2,996	1,662	31.0	24.1
Village	2,997	1,781	2,285	632	2,078	1,049	27.7	22.0
Dispersed	1,231	760	1,100	356	1,098	468	24.6	19.3
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	28,197	17,266	19,387	5,993	14,259	8,288	30.2	23.9
Percentage rural	34.9	32.7	36.3	35.2	43.3	38.4		

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

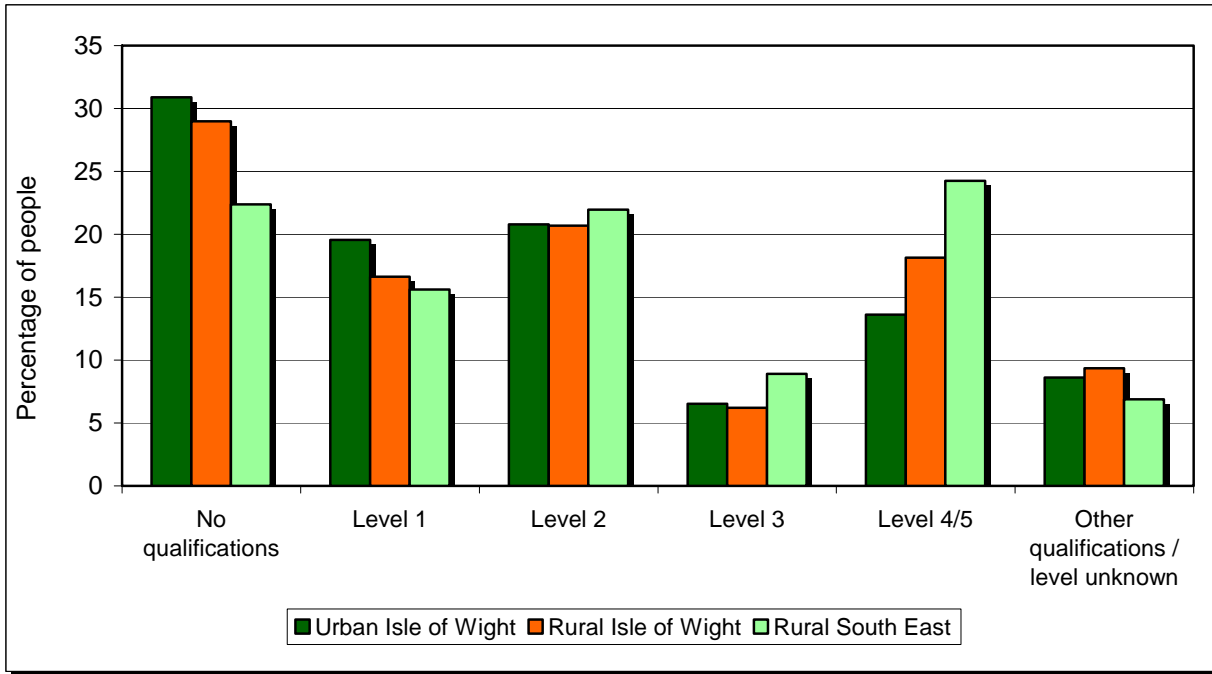
Level 2: 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

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:

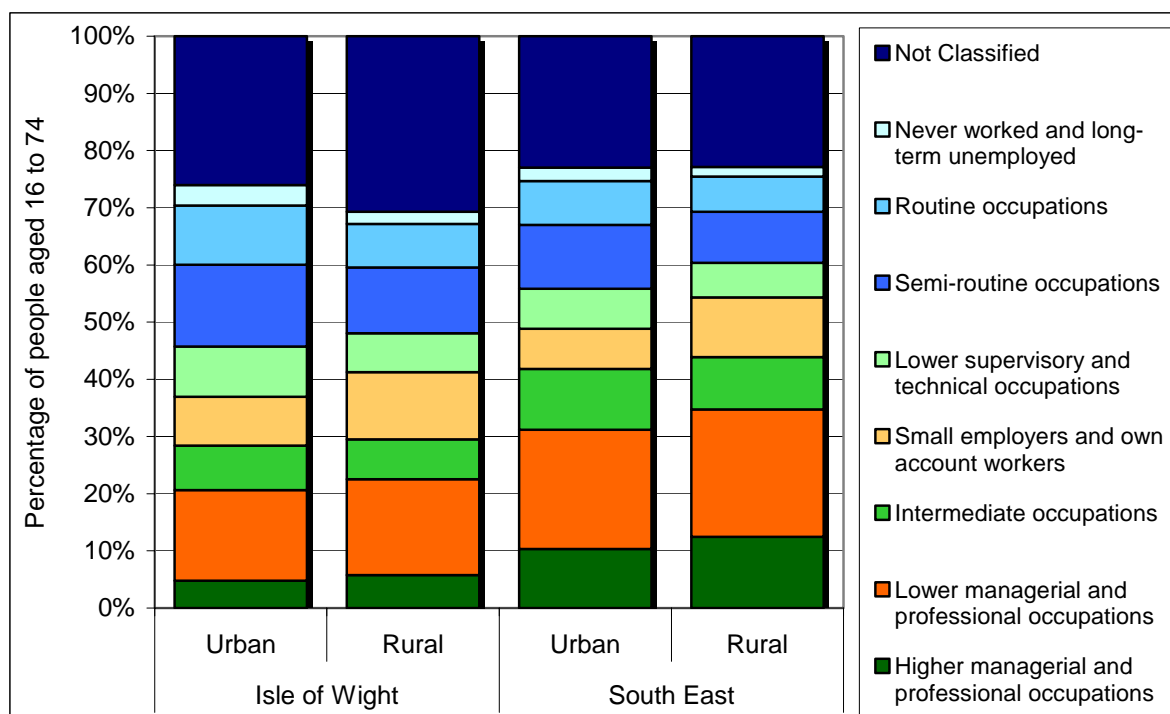
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Number of people in the Authority aged 16 to 74 by NS-SeC classification

	Isle of Wight					South East	
	Urban Total	Rural			Urban	Rural	
		Total	Towns	Villages			Dispersed
Higher managerial and professional occupations	2,841	1,964	876	673	415	461,351	161,117
Lower managerial and professional occupations	9,418	5,675	2,933	1,833	909	932,373	288,729
Intermediate occupations	4,614	2,372	1,262	769	341	476,167	117,990
Small employers and own account workers	5,076	3,976	1,868	1,263	845	311,829	135,783
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	5,202	2,317	1,291	755	271	315,985	77,885
Semi-routine occupations	8,484	3,889	2,260	1,202	427	496,792	115,350
Routine occupations	6,149	2,580	1,545	755	280	343,728	80,000
Never worked and long-term unemployed	2,117	729	432	211	86	103,870	21,453
Not Classified	15,452	10,401	5,721	3,322	1,358	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 Isle of Wight 40.6% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 57.3% of those people are retired, 7.2% are students and 16.2% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 36.2% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban Isle of Wight and 30.6% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

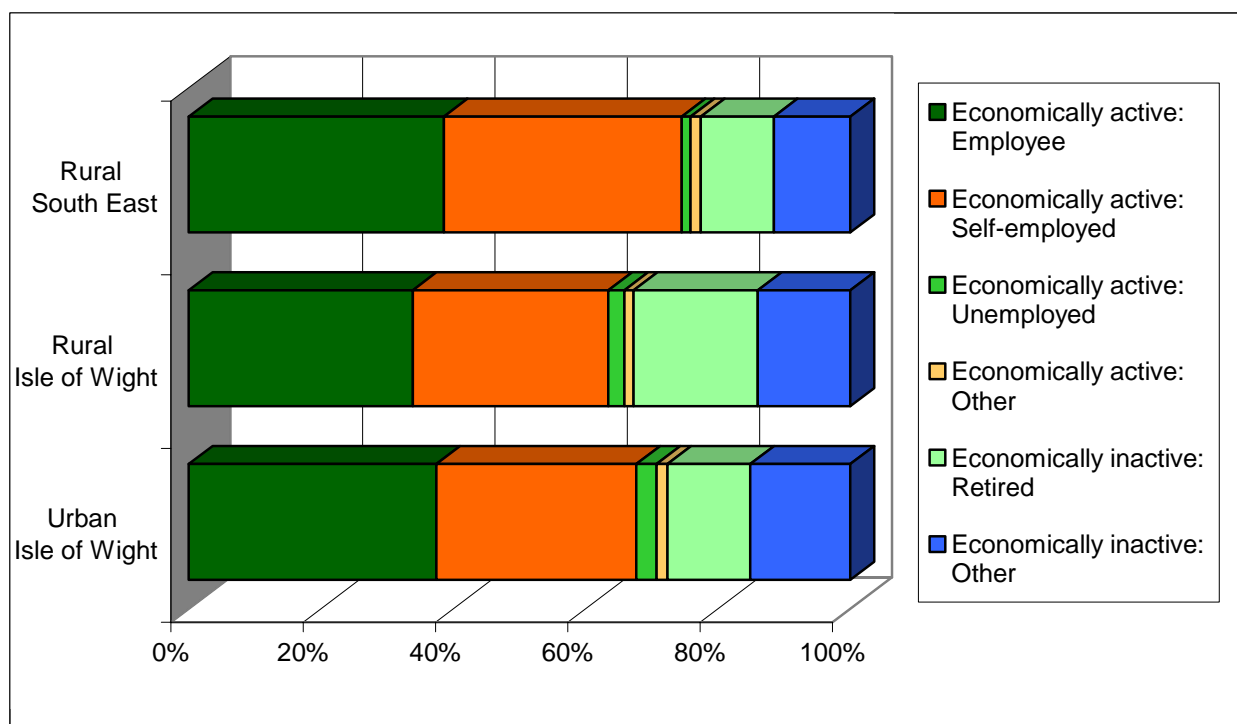
Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

	Isle of Wight					South East	
	Urban Total	Rural				Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed		
Economically active	37,938	20,212	10,573	6,442	3,197	3,138,371	899,331
Employee	29,104	14,253	7,683	4,524	2,046	2,520,096	675,484
Part-time	8,966	4,511	2,476	1,386	649	545,708	157,638
Full-time	20,138	9,742	5,207	3,138	1,397	1,974,388	517,846
Self-employed with employees	1,852	1,641	699	553	389	119,414	60,992
Part-time	279	251	119	79	53	17,437	9,504
Full-time	1,573	1,390	580	474	336	101,977	51,488
Self-employed without employees	3,341	2,715	1,290	873	552	259,523	112,498
Part-time	1,013	951	457	314	180	74,434	37,294
Full-time	2,328	1,764	833	559	372	185,089	75,204
Unemployed	2,353	1,026	603	300	123	110,115	23,253
Full-time Students	1,288	577	298	192	87	129,223	27,104
Economically inactive	21,486	13,791	7,589	4,379	1,823	1,332,898	395,949
Retired	9,746	7,906	4,300	2,589	1,017	579,666	193,269
Student	1,805	991	522	306	163	195,738	44,813
Looking after home/family	4,051	2,232	1,228	694	310	285,622	91,906
Permanently sick/disabled	3,547	1,831	1,081	525	225	162,934	36,059
Other	2,337	831	458	265	108	108,938	29,902
% economically active	63.8	59.4	58.2	59.5	63.7	70.2	69.4
% economically inactive	36.2	40.6	41.8	40.5	36.3	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



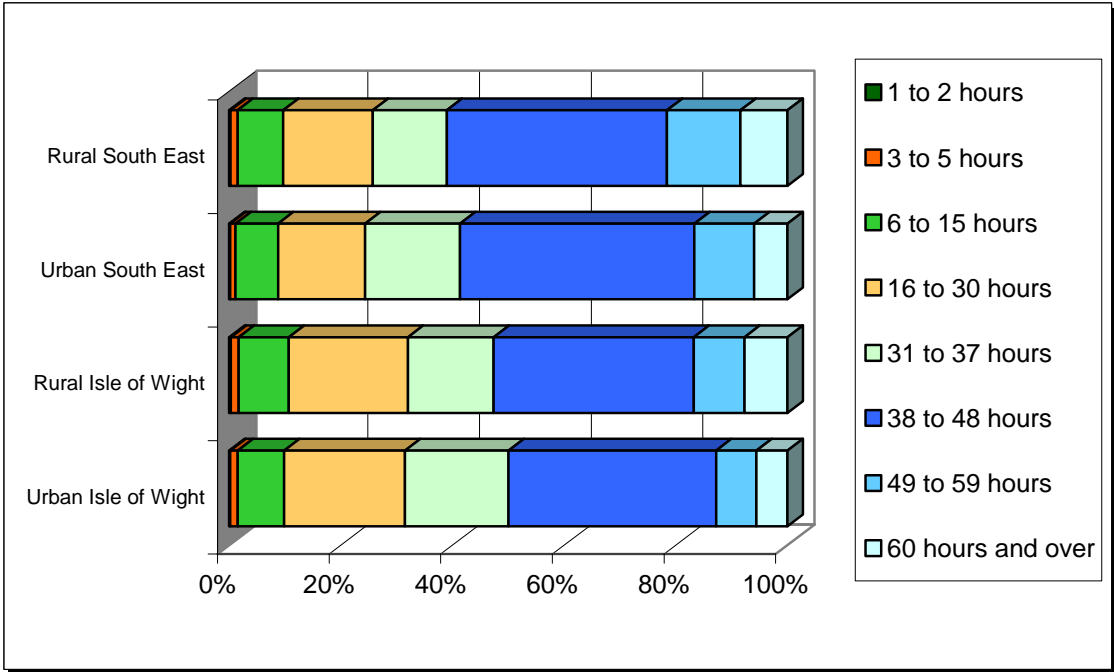
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

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
Isle of Wight										
Urban	72	475	2,935	7,656	6,576	13,152	2,563	1,959	31.5	68.5
Rural	57	266	1,715	4,076	2,930	6,845	1,736	1,471	32.0	68.0
Less Sparse	57	266	1,715	4,076	2,930	6,845	1,736	1,471	32.0	68.0
Town	27	151	892	2,178	1,552	3,601	850	660	32.8	67.2
Village	21	86	544	1,283	959	2,189	552	498	31.5	68.5
Dispersed	9	29	279	615	419	1,055	334	313	30.5	69.5
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	129	741	4,650	11,732	9,506	19,997	4,299	3,430	31.7	68.3
Percentage rural	44.2	35.9	36.9	34.7	30.8	34.2	40.4	42.9		
South East										
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
Total	7,980	40,602	300,491	610,670	627,385	1,610,553	438,688	252,688	24.7	75.3

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 Isle of Wight are: "Wholesale and retail trade; repairs", "Health and social work" and "Manufacturing"

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

	Isle of Wight					South East	
	Urban	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
	Total	Total	Towns	Villages			
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	602	700	242	254	204	27,285	28,865
Fishing	15	36	24	3	9	541	311
Mining and quarrying	36	45	21	15	9	5,342	1,848
Manufacturing	4,671	2,081	1,046	684	351	371,703	99,934
Electricity, gas and water supply	180	102	39	45	18	22,488	5,557
Construction	2,535	1,566	858	473	235	211,619	65,707
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	6,269	2,888	1,527	925	436	504,852	130,940
Hotels and restaurants	3,434	1,872	1,059	591	222	129,515	37,695
Transport, storage and communications	2,082	1,054	559	332	163	256,859	59,531
Financial Intermediation	684	373	201	116	56	157,096	41,068
Real estate, renting and business activities	2,941	1,867	911	607	349	460,568	145,557
Public administration and defence, social security	2,252	1,104	585	366	153	181,049	49,562
Education	2,793	1,643	880	509	254	232,185	72,975
Health and social work	4,736	2,582	1,327	833	422	298,491	83,761
Other community, social & personal service activities	2,122	1,245	670	380	195	150,932	47,183
Private households with employed persons	30	21	15	6	-	3,724	2,646
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	9	9	6	3	-	871	337

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

Accommodation and tenure

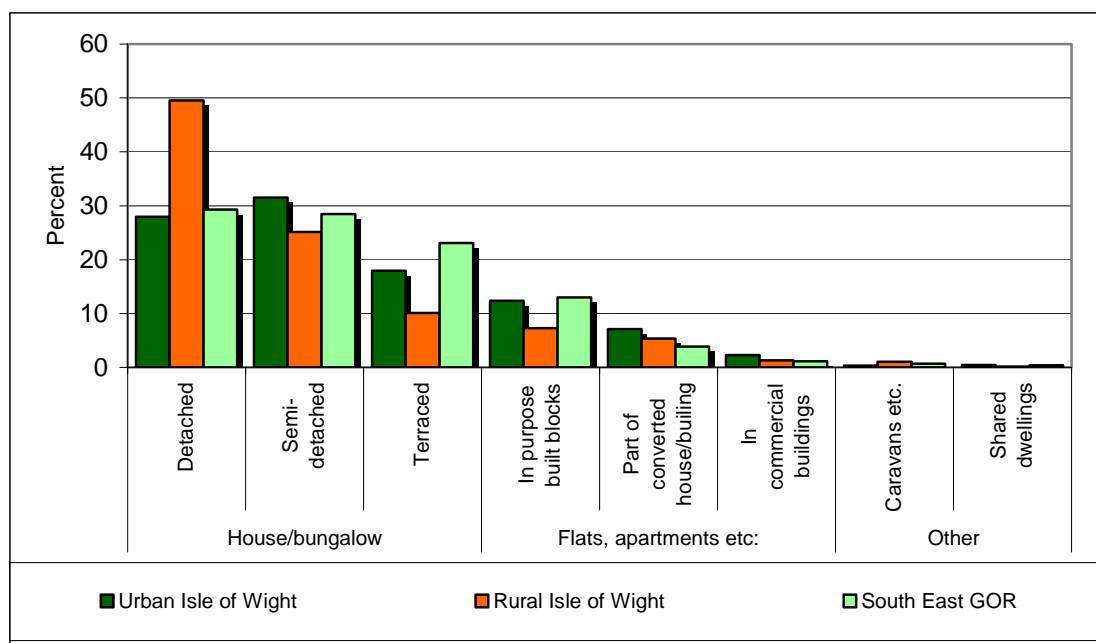
In rural Isle of Wight 84.8% of households live in houses or bungalows, 13.9% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 1.3% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban Isle of Wight 77.4% of households live in houses or bungalows, 21.8% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.8% 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

	Isle of Wight					South East	
	Urban	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
	Total	Total	Towns	Villages			
In an unshared dwelling	37,774	23,598	13,253	7,271	3,074	2,636,761	751,637
House or bungalow	29,381	20,049	10,628	6,641	2,780	2,076,368	674,182
Detached	10,599	11,721	5,750	4,008	1,963	653,823	342,291
Semi-detached	11,964	5,944	3,273	2,052	619	746,350	221,521
Terraced (including end-terrace)	6,818	2,384	1,605	581	198	676,195	110,370
Flat; maisonette or apartment	8,262	3,298	2,585	494	219	550,501	63,736
In a purpose-built block of flats	4,687	1,721	1,389	268	64	400,404	42,406
Part of a converted or shared house	2,691	1,268	954	183	131	117,658	13,930
In a commercial building	884	309	242	43	24	32,439	7,400
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	131	251	40	136	75	9,892	13,719
In a shared dwelling	180	45	42	3	-	12,185	928

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 Isle of Wight 81.1% of households live in owned accommodation, 8.1% live in social rented accommodation and 9% live in private rented accommodation.

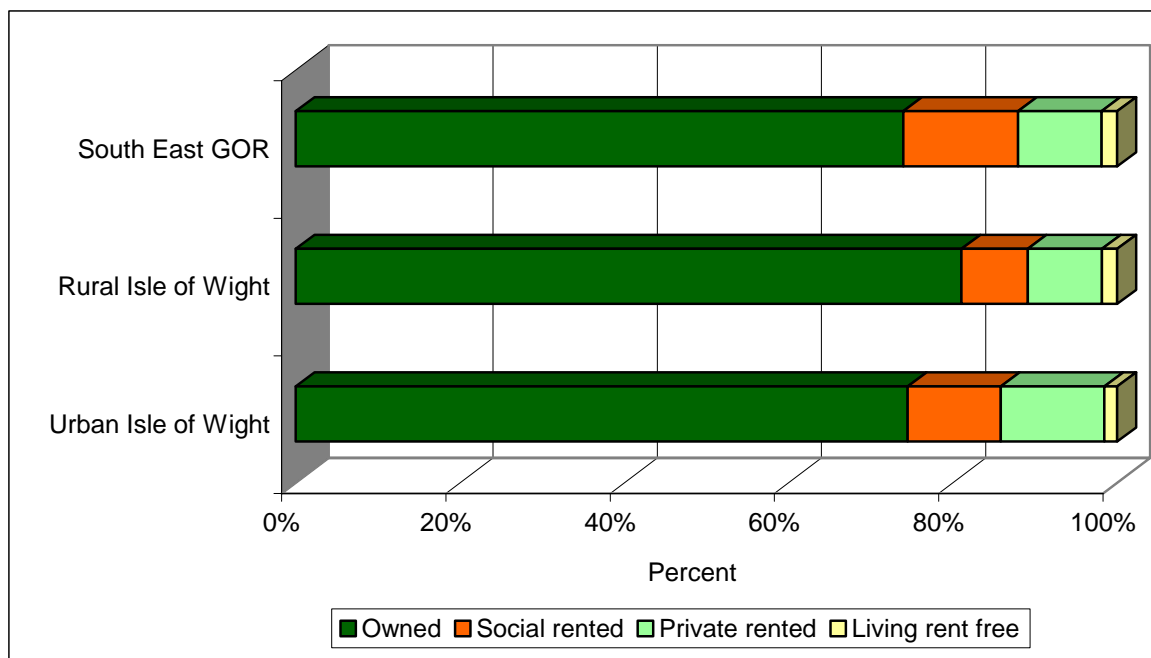
In urban Isle of Wight 74.5% of households live in owned accommodation, 11.3% live in social rented accommodation and 12.6% live in private rented accommodation.

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

	Isle of Wight					South East	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Owned	26,903	17,324	9,445	5,434	2,445	1,875,258	556,134
Owns outright	13,401	10,565	5,763	3,297	1,505	764,086	264,079
Owns with a mortgage or loan	13,258	6,581	3,552	2,106	923	1,089,453	288,072
Shared ownership	244	178	130	31	17	21,719	3,983
Social rented	4,092	1,724	1,237	467	20	381,845	77,446
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	436	99	78	18	3	208,516	33,304
Other social rented	3,656	1,625	1,159	449	17	173,329	44,142
Private rented	4,557	1,932	1,188	474	270	268,379	65,706
Private landlord or letting agency	4,077	1,641	1,046	364	231	236,252	51,769
Employer of a household member	75	48	18	21	9	8,716	6,109
Relative or friend of a household member	345	213	112	77	24	15,226	3,966
Other	60	30	12	12	6	8,185	3,862
Living rent free	558	394	203	128	63	41,448	21,260

Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

Percentage of households by tenure



Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

Car ownership

18.7% of households in rural Isle of Wight do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 28.2%.

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

	Isle of Wight					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	10,202	17,270	6,965	1,307	380	555,758	2,011,160	36,755	3,135,430
Rural	3,990	10,115	5,600	1,245	436	82,969	637,585	26,984	1,135,906
Less Sparse	3,990	10,115	5,600	1,245	436	82,893	637,002	26,984	1,135,016
Town	2,846	5,910	2,663	513	155	48,392	272,635	13,455	453,915
Village	896	3,015	1,971	449	156	26,301	246,822	8,994	451,260
Dispersed	248	1,190	966	283	125	8,200	117,545	4,535	229,841
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	76	583	-	890
Town	-	-	-	-	-	12	117	-	167
Village	-	-	-	-	-	64	466	-	723
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	14,192	27,385	12,565	2,552	816	638,727	2,648,745	63,739	4,271,336
Percentage rural	28.1	36.9	44.6	48.8	53.4	13.0	24.1	42.3	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

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	17,624	4,790	731	71	-	-	-	-	-	23,216
Town	11,635	1,652	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,320
Village	4,102	2,435	444	57	-	-	-	-	-	7,038
Dispersed	1,887	703	254	14	-	-	-	-	-	2,858
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	17,624	4,790	731	71	-	-	-	-	-	23,216
% of rural households										
in the Authority	75.9	20.6	3.1	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	58.3	28.1	10.1	3.0	0.5	-	-	-	-	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	10,769	6,299	4,370	818	929	31	-	-	-	23,216
Town	7,986	3,343	1,554	-	437	-	-	-	-	13,320
Village	2,012	1,981	2,092	595	358	-	-	-	-	7,038
Dispersed	771	975	724	223	134	31	-	-	-	2,858
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	10,769	6,299	4,370	818	929	31	-	-	-	23,216
% of rural households										
in the Authority	46.4	27.1	18.8	3.5	4.0	0.1	-	-	-	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

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	11,016	6,751	4,587	850	12	-	-	-	-	23,216
Town	8,077	3,689	1,553	1	-	-	-	-	-	13,320
Village	1,952	2,138	2,244	692	12	-	-	-	-	7,038
Dispersed	987	924	790	157	-	-	-	-	-	2,858
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	11,016	6,751	4,587	850	12	-	-	-	-	23,216
% of rural households										
in the Authority	47.5	29.1	19.8	3.7	0.1	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	50.4	31.5	14.2	3.5	0.4	-	-	-	-	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	48	5,400	7,426	4,385	4,920	952	85	-	-	23,216
Town	-	3,692	4,014	2,696	2,508	410	-	-	-	13,320
Village	33	924	2,413	1,377	1,886	405	-	-	-	7,038
Dispersed	15	784	999	312	526	137	85	-	-	2,858
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	48	5,400	7,426	4,385	4,920	952	85	-	-	23,216
% of rural households										
in the Authority	0.2	23.3	32.0	18.9	21.2	4.1	0.4	-	-	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

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	11,560	7,262	4,021	372	1	-	-	-	-	23,216
Town	8,293	3,767	1,260	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,320
Village	2,376	2,534	1,879	248	1	-	-	-	-	7,038
Dispersed	891	961	882	124	-	-	-	-	-	2,858
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	11,560	7,262	4,021	372	1	-	-	-	-	23,216
% of rural households										
in the Authority	49.8	31.3	17.3	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	40.9	29.7	20.1	7.4	1.6	0.3	0.1	-	-	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	17,953	4,933	330	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,216
Town	10,884	2,436	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,320
Village	5,155	1,630	253	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,038
Dispersed	1,914	867	77	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,858
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	17,953	4,933	330	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,216
% of rural households										
in the Authority	77.3	21.2	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	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

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	22,464	671	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,216
Town	13,294	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,320
Village	6,806	232	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,038
Dispersed	2,364	413	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,858
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	22,464	671	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,216
% of rural households										
in the Authority	96.8	2.9	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	84.9	13.9	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	8,651	6,221	6,324	1,036	959	25	-	-	-	23,216
Town	6,006	3,482	3,394	1	437	-	-	-	-	13,320
Village	1,885	2,015	1,900	840	398	-	-	-	-	7,038
Dispersed	760	724	1,030	195	124	25	-	-	-	2,858
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	8,651	6,221	6,324	1,036	959	25	-	-	-	23,216
% of rural households										
in the Authority	37.3	26.8	27.2	4.5	4.1	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

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	20,859	2,164	182	11	-	-	-	-	-	23,216
Town	13,244	62	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,320
Village	5,637	1,374	16	11	-	-	-	-	-	7,038
Dispersed	1,978	728	152	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,858
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	20,859	2,164	182	11	-	-	-	-	-	23,216
% of rural households										
in the Authority	89.8	9.3	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	85.1	13.6	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	11,051	7,471	2,701	1,312	681	-	-	-	-	23,216
Town	7,873	4,373	622	9	443	-	-	-	-	13,320
Village	2,267	1,854	1,769	991	157	-	-	-	-	7,038
Dispersed	911	1,244	310	312	81	-	-	-	-	2,858
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	11,051	7,471	2,701	1,312	681	-	-	-	-	23,216
% of rural households										
in the Authority	47.6	32.2	11.6	5.7	2.9	-	-	-	-	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 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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