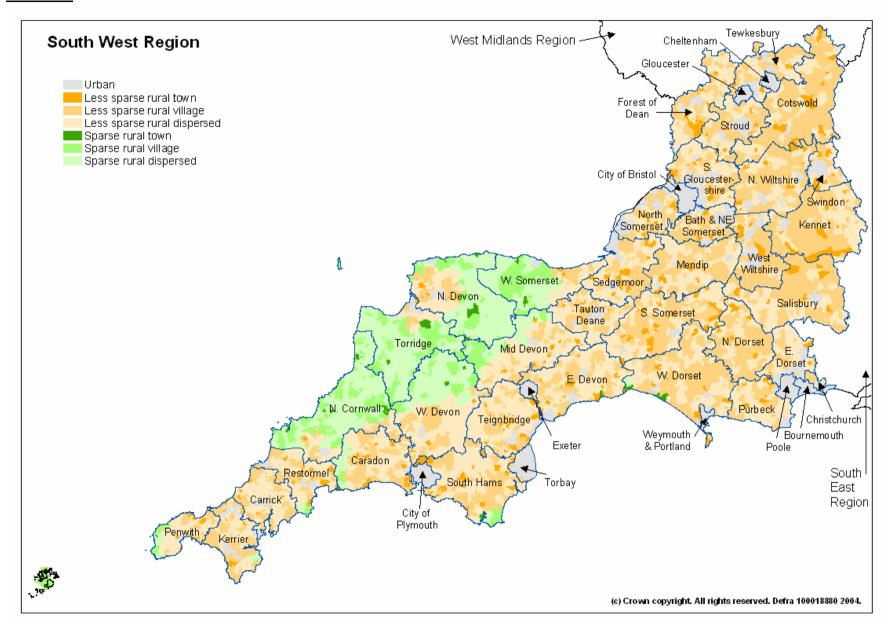
## **Taunton Deane**

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

Taunton Deane 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**

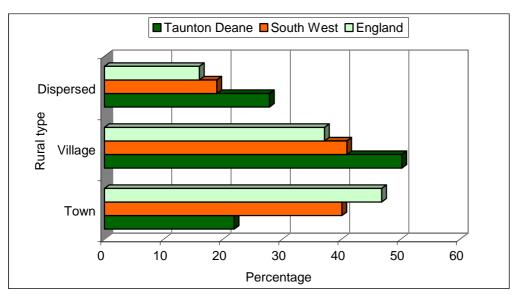
In Taunton Deane 30.5% of people live in rural areas, compared with 34.1% in the Government Office Region. Within the rural areas all people live in less sparse areas

		Taunton Deane	
	Male	Female	Total
Urban	33,810	37,276	71,086
Rural	15,394	15,819	31,213
Less Sparse	15,394	15,819	31,213
Town	3,373	3,259	6,632
Village	7,731	8,160	15,891
Dispersed	4,290	4,400	8,690
Sparse	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-
Total	49,204	53,095	102,299
Percentage rural	31.3	29.8	30.5

	South West	
Male	Female	Total
1,573,248	1,675,391	3,248,639
823,167	856,628	1,679,795
740,487	769,735	1,510,222
303,384	326,123	629,507
304,709	309,304	614,013
132,394	134,308	266,702
82,680	86,893	169,573
26,686	29,649	56,335
32,142	33,614	65,756
23,852	23,630	47,482
2,396,415	2,532,019	4,928,434
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

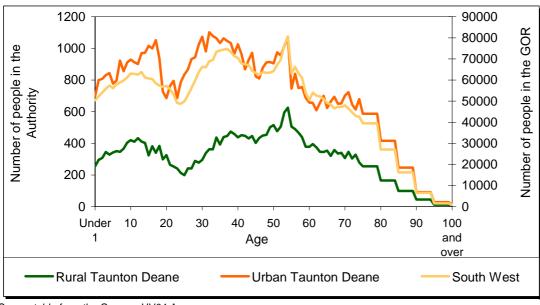
In Taunton Deane 3.3% of the population live in rural areas and are under 10 years old. 7% of the Authority's population live in rural areas and are under 19 years of age. 4.4% are aged 70 or over and live in rural areas.

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

	Total	Tot	als			Rural bre	akdown			
Age				То	wns	Villa	ages	Dispe	ersed	% Rural
, igo		Urban	Rural	Less sparse	Sparse	Less sparse	Sparse	Less sparse	Sparse	70 Italai
Under 10	11,587	8,245	3,342	722	-	1,737	-	883	-	28.8
10 to 19	13,221	9,416	3,805	917	-	1,780	-	1,108	-	28.8
20 to 29	10,863	8,315	2,548	766	-	1,132	-	650	-	23.5
30 to 39	14,449	10,442	4,007	928	-	2,061	-	1,018	-	27.7
40 to 49	13,549	9,093	4,456	929	-	2,291	-	1,236	-	32.9
50 to 59	13,692	8,692	5,000	892	-	2,566	-	1,542	-	36.5
60 to 69	10,109	6,562	3,547	601	-	1,905	-	1,041	-	35.1
70 to 79	9,139	6,298	2,841	581	-	1,584	-	676	-	31.1
80 to 89	4,641	3,315	1,326	265	-	688	-	373	-	28.6
90 and over	917	612	305	59	-	143	-	103	-	33.3
_	102,167	70,990	31,177	6,660	-	15,887	-	8,630	-	30.5

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.

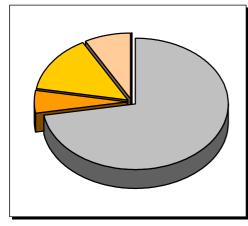


Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

## <u>Proportion of children under 5 split by the urban rural definition, for the Authority and the Government Office Region</u>

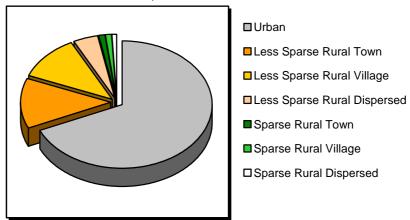
Authority: Taunton Deane

Number of under 5's: 5,600



Government Office Region: South West

Number of under 5's: 270,100



Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

#### **Marital Status**

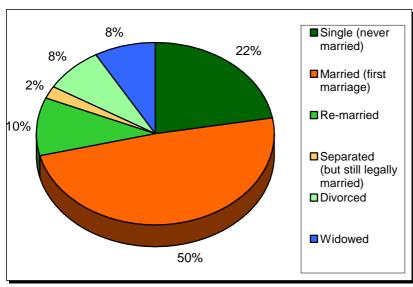
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted 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	Married (first	Re-married	Separated	Divorced	Widowed
	(never	marriage)		(but still legally		
	married)			married)		
Taunton Deane						
Urban	15,883	23,586	4,963	1,391	5,762	5,551
Rural	5,685	12,464	2,562	566	2,052	2,144
Less Sparse	5,685	12,464	2,562	566	2,052	2,144
Town	1,514	2,254	464	144	484	477
Village	2,619	6,648	1,294	274	1,068	1,107
Dispersed	1,552	3,562	804	148	500	560
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	21,568	36,050	7,525	1,957	7,814	7,695
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 Taunton Deane 28.9% of households are in rural areas. 25.4% of rural households are single person households. 6.3% of rural households are lone parent family households.

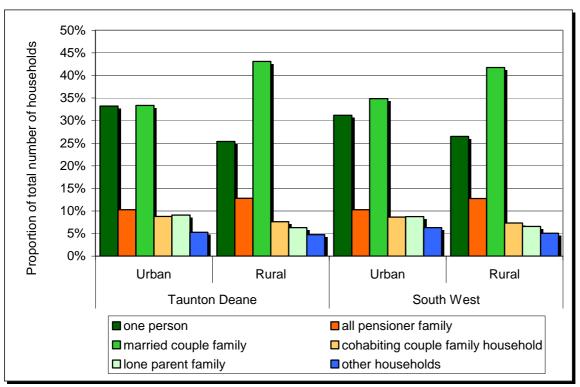
## Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban				Rural				% rural
	Total	Total		Less spar	se		Sparse		
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	31,193	12,692	2,650	6,709	3,333	-	-	-	28.9
One person household	10,359	3,224	810	1,714	700	-	-	-	23.7
pensioner	5,455	1,808	488	954	366	-	-	-	24.9
other	4,904	1,416	322	760	334	-	-	-	22.4
All pensioner family	3,200	1,627	279	921	427	-	-	-	33.7
Married couple family	10,404	5,471	1,016	2,852	1,603	-	-	-	34.5
no children	3,991	2,251	393	1,183	675	-	-	-	36.1
with one dependent child	1,810	826	161	435	230	-	-	-	31.3
with two or more dependent children	3,147	1,605	329	829	447	-	-	-	33.8
all children non-dependent	1,456	789	133	405	251	-	-	-	35.1
Cohabiting couple family	2,746	967	223	513	231	-	-	-	26.0
no children	1,624	607	136	339	132	-	-	-	27.2
with one dependent child	501	142	35	63	44	-	-	-	22.1
two or more dependent children	504	175	43	86	46	-	-	-	25.8
all children non-dependent	117	43	9	25	9	-	-	-	26.9
Lone parent family	2,840	800	226	385	189	-	-	-	22.0
with one dependent child	1,019	275	73	132	70	-	-	-	21.3
with two or more dependant children	995	240	91	103	46	-	-	-	19.4
all children non-dependent	826	285	62	150	73	-	-	-	25.7
Other households	1,644	603	96	324	183	-	-	-	26.8
with one dependent child	256	127	18	63	46	-	-	-	33.2
with two or more dependent children	215	98	15	53	30	-	-	-	31.3
all student	25	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	10.7
all pensioner	161	70	9	46	15	-	-	-	30.3
other	987	305	54	159	92	-	-	-	23.6

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).

## <u>Percentage of households by composition of household for the Authority and the Government Office Region.</u>



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.

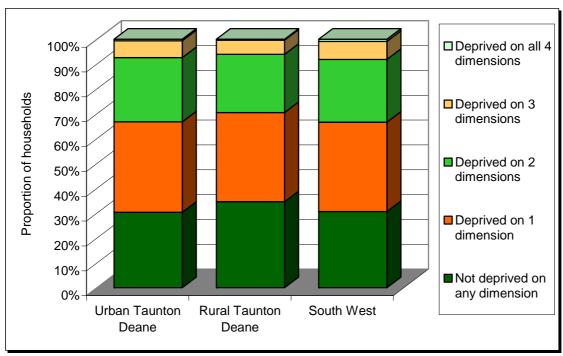
**Housing** – The household's accommodation is either overcrowded, or is in a shared dwelling, or does not have sole use of bath/shower and toilet, or has no central heating.

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

			Taunton Deane	)		South West		
	Not deprived	Deprived on	Deprived on	Deprived on	Deprived on	Not deprived	Deprived on	
	on any	1	2	3	all 4	on any	1 or more	
	dimension	dimension	dimensions	dimensions	dimensions	dimension	dimensions	
Urban	9,444	11,348	8,053	2,103	203	420,809	967,571	
Rural	4,403	4,564	2,979	724	53	218,870	478,677	
Less Sparse	4,403	4,564	2,979	724	53	201,392	423,372	
Town	833	986	646	185	10	79,760	190,243	
Village	2,357	2,392	1,619	338	18	84,988	164,573	
Dispersed	1,213	1,186	714	201	25	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)

		Taunto	n Deane		South West				
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	
Urban	48,321	16,632	6,134	8.6	2,218,568	742,285	287,789	8.9	
Rural	22,190	6,657	2,366	7.6	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)

	Taunton Deane					England	
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	57,879	13,207	18.6	2,651,662	596,977	18.4	18.2
Rural	25,847	5,366	17.2	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

		Taunton Dea	ane	% providing some unpaid care			
	1 to 19 hours per week	rs per hours per 50 or mo		Taunton Deane	South West		
Urban	4,949	621	1,299	9.7	9.7		
Rural	2,534	317	513	10.8	10.7		
Towns	493	65	115	10.1	10.1		
Villages	1,281	159	279	10.8	10.9		
Dispersed	760	93	119	11.2	11.4		

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

#### Qualifications

In Taunton Deane 25.4% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 26.2% in the Region as a whole. 28% of the people with no such qualifications are in rural parts of the Authority.

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

		people age stions on qu		Percentage qualifica				
	None	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4/5	Other	Authority	GOR
Urban	13,326	9,312	11,749	3,581	8,822	3,482	26.5	26.6
Rural	5,186	3,426	5,181	1,908	5,333	1,579	22.9	25.4
Less Sparse	5,186	3,426	5,181	1,908	5,333	1,579	22.9	24.9
Town	1,141	802	1,112	414	981	339	23.8	27.0
Village	2,596	1,755	2,573	892	2,847	834	22.6	23.6
Dispersed	1,449	869	1,496	602	1,505	406	22.9	22.9
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	18,512	12,738	16,930	5,489	14,155	5,061	25.4	26.2
Percentage rural	28.0	26.9	30.6	34.8	37.7	31.2		

Source table from the Census: UV24 Qualifications

#### <u>Footnotes</u>

None: No academic, vocational or professional qualifications

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

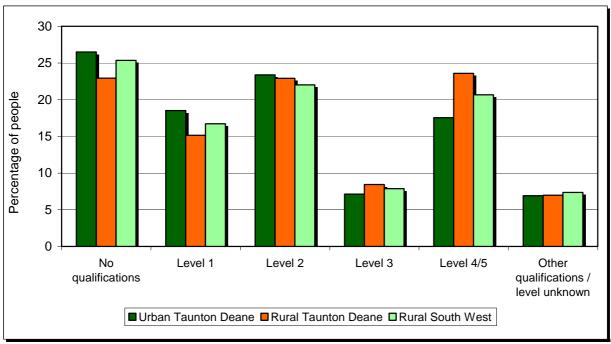
Level 2: 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

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:

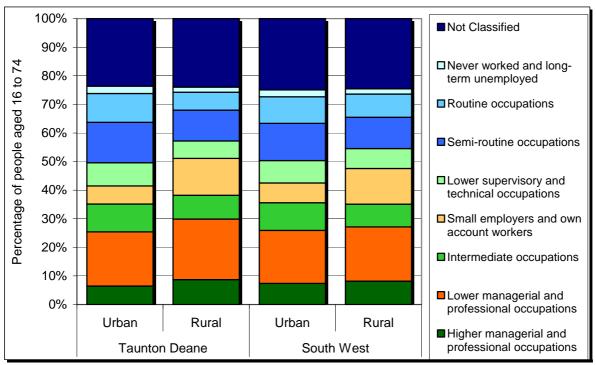
http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods\_quality/ns\_sec/default.asp

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

		Ta	aunton Dea	ine				
	Urban		R	ural		South West		
	Total	Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed	Urban	Rural	
Higher managerial and professional occupations	3,253	1,973	316	1,035	622	172,613	98,502	
Lower managerial and professional occupations	9,516	4,784	950	2,546	1,288	430,712	229,245	
Intermediate occupations	4,919	1,883	482	961	440	225,521	96,445	
Small employers and own account workers	3,163	2,913	436	1,421	1,056	160,287	149,988	
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	4,086	1,374	368	696	310	182,915	84,353	
Semi-routine occupations	7,124	2,435	720	1,157	558	302,430	132,462	
Routine occupations	5,053	1,413	367	742	304	216,782	97,434	
Never worked and long-term unemployed	1,275	406	112	163	131	55,805	22,711	
Not Classified	11,887	5,414	1,028	2,803	1,583	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 Taunton Deane 31.5% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 54.1% of those people are retired, 9.9% are students and 18.2% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 31.3% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban Taunton Deane and 33.1% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

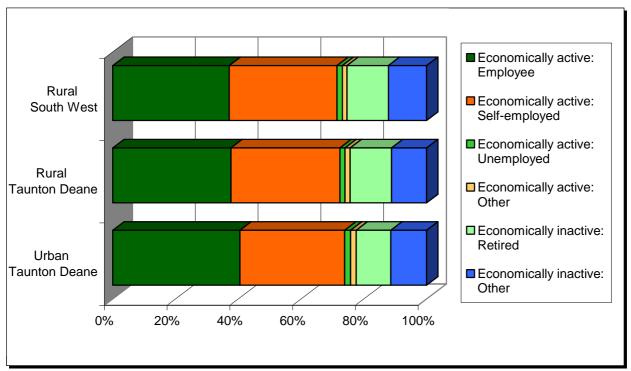
#### Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

		T	aunton Dea	ane		South \	Vest
	Urban		R	ural			
	Total	Total	Towns	Villlages	Dispersed	Urban	Rural
Economically active	34,564	15,473	3,378	7,783	4,312	1,578,843	807,291
Employee	28,414	10,986	2,695	5,623	2,668	1,264,662	584,349
Part-time	7,372	3,094	678	1,624	792	311,659	155,960
Full-time	21,042	7,892	2,017	3,999	1,876	953,003	428,389
Self-employed with employees	1,243	1,295	167	632	496	61,374	61,186
Part-time	187	212	20	98	94	8,927	9,295
Full-time	1,056	1,083	147	534	402	52,447	51,891
Self-employed without employees	2,328	2,241	328	1,090	823	121,846	111,802
Part-time	657	711	112	354	245	35,359	34,920
Full-time	1,671	1,530	216	736	578	86,487	76,882
Unemployed	1,329	461	91	237	133	64,209	26,673
Full-time Students	1,250	490	97	201	192	66,752	23,281
Economically inactive	15,752	7,109	1,402	3,715	1,992	748,376	399,854
Retired	7,732	3,844	730	2,118	996	339,213	207,867
Student	1,697	701	112	325	264	100,808	37,055
Looking after home/family	2,704	1,296	233	664	399	137,067	78,681
Permanently sick/disabled	2,453	765	213	378	174	112,958	46,645
Other	1,166	503	114	230	159	58,330	29,606
% economically active	68.7	68.5	70.7	67.7	68.4	67.8	66.9
% economically inactive	31.3	31.5	29.3	32.3	31.6	32.2	33.1

ource 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



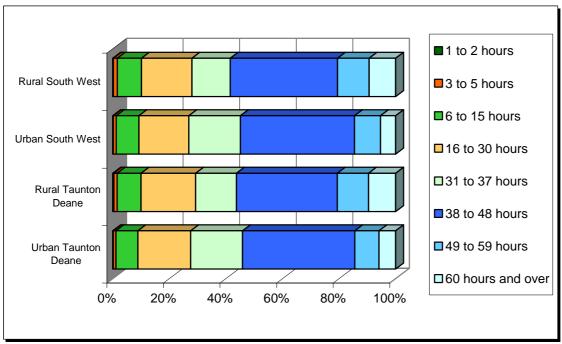
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

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

		Par	t-time			Full-	time		Per	cent
	1 to 2	3 to 5	6 to 15	16 to 30	31 to 37	38 to 48	49 to 59	60 hours	Part-	
	hours	hours	hours	hours	hours	hours	hours	and over	time	Full-time
Taunton Deane										
Urban	72	300	2,570	6,175	6,066	13,128	2,833	1,942	27.6	72.4
Rural	60	176	1,261	2,893	2,155	5,332	1,655	1,434	29.3	70.7
Less Sparse	60	176	1,261	2,893	2,155	5,332	1,655	1,434	29.3	70.7
Town	18	31	224	619	497	1,385	296	214	27.2	72.8
Village	33	86	650	1,452	1,144	2,612	855	687	29.5	70.5
Dispersed	9	59	387	822	514	1,335	504	533	30.7	69.3
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	132	476	3,831	9,068	8,221	18,460	4,488	3,376	28.1	71.9
Percentage rural	45.5	37.0	32.9	31.9	26.2	28.9	36.9	42.5		
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

## <u>Percentage of people in rural and urban parts of the Authority aged 16 to 74 in employment by</u> 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 Taunton Deane are: "Wholesale and retail trade; repairs",

<sup>&</sup>quot;Health and social work" and

<sup>&</sup>quot;Real estate, renting and business activities"

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

		Т					
	Urban		F	Rural		South	West
	Total	Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed	Urban	Rural
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	501	978	76	444	458	13,459	43,438
Fishing	15	6	-	3	3	815	1,057
Mining and quarrying	24	30	6	12	12	3,615	4,042
Manufacturing	3,720	1,435	316	762	357	217,486	101,405
Electricity, gas and water supply	261	153	38	79	36	12,432	5,163
Construction	2,362	1,140	255	555	330	105,430	60,001
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	6,694	2,433	527	1,209	697	269,224	122,601
Hotels and restaurants	1,422	646	129	320	197	80,968	47,048
Transport, storage and communications	1,795	629	138	321	170	101,920	39,618
Financial Intermediation	1,055	447	89	241	117	75,167	22,279
Real estate, renting and business activities	3,247	1,684	301	850	533	172,599	88,606
Public administration and defence, social security	2,735	1,344	561	573	210	101,287	59,723
Education	2,706	1,290	239	695	356	110,346	62,442
Health and social work	4,941	2,009	463	1,074	472	169,903	82,219
Other community, social & personal service activities	1,580	773	148	403	222	71,644	37,244
Private households with employed persons	18	12	3	6	3	990	1,503
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	9	9	-	6	3	291	407

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

#### Accommodation and tenure

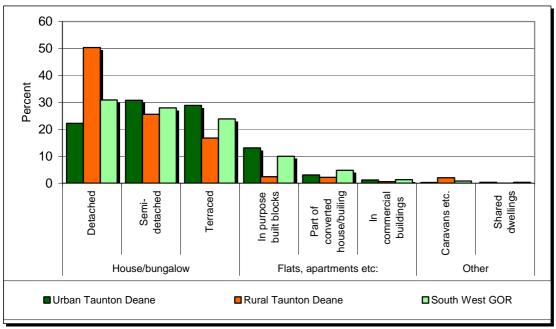
In rural Taunton Deane 92.7% of households live in houses or bungalows, 5.2% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 2.1% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban Taunton Deane 81.9% of households live in houses or bungalows, 17.4% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.7% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures.

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

		Т	aunton Dea	ane			
	Urban		Rı	ıral		South	West
	Total	Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed	Urban	Rural
In an unshared dwelling	31,890	13,241	2,761	6,970	3,510	1,433,038	745,652
House or bungalow	26,222	12,279	2,509	6,518	3,252	1,131,402	676,403
Detatched	7,123	6,672	945	3,390	2,337	336,839	338,969
Semi-detatched	9,859	3,390	734	1,962	694	410,139	200,545
Terraced (including end-terrace)	9,240	2,217	830	1,166	221	384,424	136,889
Flat; maisonette or apartment	5,572	692	252	327	113	295,069	58,022
In a purpose-built block of flats	4,200	322	144	156	22	186,322	32,048
Part of a converted or shared house	987	290	64	141	85	88,332	17,026
In a commercial building	385	80	44	30	6	20,415	8,948
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	96	270	-	125	145	6,567	11,227
In a shared dwelling	116	7	3	4	-	6,650	722

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

## <u>Percentage of households in the Authority and the Government Office Region by type of accommodation.</u>



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

In rural Taunton Deane 78.5% of housholds live in owned accommodation, 9.4% live in social rented accommodation and 9.5% live in private rented accommodation.

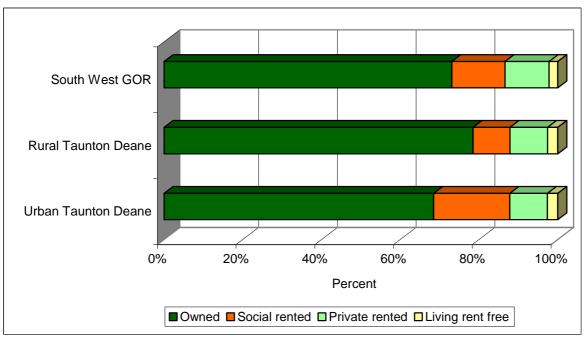
In urban Taunton Deane 68.5% of housholds live in owned accommodation, 19.4% live in social rented accommodation and 9.5% live in private rented accommodation.

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

		Ta	aunton Dea	ane		South	Most
	Urban		Rı	ural		300111	West
	Total	Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed	Urban	Rural
Owned	21,314	9,989	1,985	5,361	2,643	999,166	525,149
Owns outright	9,304	5,063	913	2,713	1,437	435,402	275,489
Owns with a mortgage or loan	11,846	4,862	1,066	2,602	1,194	554,310	246,083
Shared ownership	164	64	6	46	12	9,454	3,577
Social rented	6,026	1,194	376	682	136	208,139	73,999
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	4,854	1,043	330	592	121	127,183	34,158
Other social rented	1,172	151	46	90	15	80,956	39,841
Private rented	2,965	1,215	246	529	440	154,446	78,351
Private landlord or letting agency	2,589	1,018	206	453	359	136,977	63,204
Employer of a household member	78	18	6	9	3	3,511	5,070
Relative or friend of a household member	195	102	28	34	40	10,290	5,683
Other	103	77	6	33	38	3,668	4,394
Living rent free	825	332	59	154	119	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

9.3% of households in rural Taunton Deane do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 23.2%.

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

		Т	aunton De	ane		South	n 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		nber of cars vans
Urban	7,225	15,558	6,874	1,166	341	327,572	1,060,914	34,393	1,567,787
Rural	1,188	5,309	4,766	1,069	414	93,948	603,633	19,930	998,192
Less Sparse	1,188	5,309	4,766	1,069	414	82,665	542,100	19,930	901,436
Town	401	1,241	833	140	51	50,244	219,876	3,543	337,797
Village	583	2,894	2,498	564	204	24,836	224,759	10,522	386,031
Dispersed	204	1,174	1,435	365	159	7,585	97,465	5,865	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	8,413	20,867	11,640	2,235	755	421,520	1,664,547	54,323	2,565,979
Percentage rural	14.1	25.4	40.9	47.8	54.8	22.3	36.3	36.7	38.9

Source table from the Census: UV62 Cars or Vans

<sup>\*(</sup>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 Au	thority with	in X km of	a cash mac	hine / ATM						
Less Sparse	5,590	4,439	1,736	366	35	-	-	-	-	12,166
Town	2,303	64	385	-	18	-	-	-	-	2,770
Village	2,147	3,335	832	131	3	-	-	-	-	6,448
Dispersed	1,140	1,040	519	235	14	-	-	-	-	2,948
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	5,590	4,439	1,736	366	35	-	-	-	-	12,166
% of rural households										
in the Authority	45.9	36.5	14.3	3.0	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 Au	thority with	in X km of a	a bank							
Less Sparse	2,215	3,488	2,993	3,005	424	41	-	-	-	12,166
Town	1,068	749	354	599	-	-	-	-	-	2,770
Village	780	1,855	1,857	1,737	178	41	-	-	-	6,448
Dispersed	367	884	782	669	246	-	-	-	-	2,948
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	2,215	3,488	2,993	3,005	424	41	-	-	-	12,166
% of rural households										
in the Authority	18.2	28.7	24.6	24.7	3.5	0.3	-	-	=	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

## 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 Au	thority with	in X km of a	a GP							
Less Sparse	5,550	3,624	2,362	577	53	-	-	-	-	12,166
Town	2,201	178	348	29	14	-	-	-	-	2,770
Village	2,375	2,542	1,356	172	3	-	-	-	-	6,448
Dispersed	974	904	658	376	36	-	-	-	-	2,948
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	5,550	3,624	2,362	577	53	-	-	-	-	12,166
% of rural households										
in the Authority	45.6	29.8	19.4	4.7	0.4	-	-	-	=	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 Au	thority with	in X km of a	a jobcentre							
Less Sparse	107	2,702	3,331	2,085	2,723	1,137	81	-	-	12,166
Town	-	456	788	488	1,038	-	-	-	-	2,770
Village	83	1,646	1,907	1,021	957	778	56	-	-	6,448
Dispersed	24	600	636	576	728	359	25	-	-	2,948
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	107	2,702	3,331	2,085	2,723	1,137	81	-	-	12,166
% of rural households										
in the Authority	0.9	22.2	27.4	17.1	22.4	9.3	0.7	-	=	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

## **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 Au	thority with	in X km of a	a library							-
Less Sparse	2,627	4,732	2,642	1,105	886	174	-	-	-	12,166
Town	1,526	840	404	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,770
Village	611	2,985	1,601	551	567	133	-	-	-	6,448
Dispersed	490	907	637	554	319	41	-	-	-	2,948
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	•	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	=	-
Rural Total	2,627	4,732	2,642	1,105	886	174	-	-	-	12,166
% of rural households										
in the Authority	21.6	38.9	21.7	9.1	7.3	1.4	-	-	-	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 Au	thority with	in X km of a	a petrol sta	tion						
Less Sparse	6,809	4,526	830	1	-	-	-	-	-	12,166
Town	2,411	359	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,770
Village	2,962	3,010	475	1	-	-	-	-	-	6,448
Dispersed	1,436	1,157	355	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,948
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	6,809	4,526	830	1	-	-	-	-	-	12,166
% of rural households										
in the Authority	56.0	37.2	6.8	-	-	-	-	-	=	100.0
in the Government Office Region	62.1	29.1	7.4	1.2	0.1	-	-	=	0.1	100.0

## 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 Au	thority with	in X km of a	a post office	)						
Less Sparse	9,610	2,422	132	2	-	-	-	-	-	12,166
Town	2,723	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,770
Village	5,104	1,260	84	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,448
Dispersed	1,783	1,115	48	2	-	-	-	-	-	2,948
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	9,610	2,422	132	2	-	-	-	-	-	12,166
% of rural households										
in the Authority	79.0	19.9	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	=	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	4,371	3,839	1,983	1,537	260	176	-	-	-	12,166
Town	2,166	256	348	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,770
Village	1,528	2,674	994	1,034	85	133	-	-	-	6,448
Dispersed	677	909	641	503	175	43	-	-	-	2,948
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	4,371	3,839	1,983	1,537	260	176	-	-	-	12,166
% of rural households										
in the Authority	35.9	31.6	16.3	12.6	2.1	1.4	-	-	=	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

## 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	9,790	2,277	97	2	-	-	-	-	-	12,166
Town	2,729	5	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,770
Village	5,020	1,426	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,448
Dispersed	2,041	846	59	2	-	-	-	-	-	2,948
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	9,790	2,277	97	2	-	-	-	-	-	12,166
% of rural households										
in the Authority	80.5	18.7	0.8	-	-	-	-	-	=	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	3,061	2,936	2,659	2,785	533	192	-	-	-	12,166
Town	1,589	280	297	599	5	-	-	-	-	2,770
Village	815	1,988	1,788	1,371	332	154	-	-	-	6,448
Dispersed	657	668	574	815	196	38	-	-	-	2,948
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	3,061	2,936	2,659	2,785	533	192	-	-	-	12,166
% of rural households										
in the Authority	25.2	24.1	21.9	22.9	4.4	1.6	-	-	-	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

#### 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 (<a href="http://www.statistics.gov.uk">http://www.statistics.gov.uk</a>). Further information about the Census is available at: <a href="http://www.statistics.gov.uk/census2001/default.asp">http://www.statistics.gov.uk/census2001/default.asp</a>

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: <a href="http://www.statistics.gov.uk/census2001/la.asp">http://www.statistics.gov.uk/census2001/la.asp</a>

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 (<a href="http://www.statistics.gov.uk/geography/bulletins/bulletins/bulletins/bulletin2004\_14.asp">http://www.statistics.gov.uk/geography/bulletins/bulletins/bulletin2004\_14.asp</a>). 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: <a href="http://www.statistics.gov.uk/geography/nrudp.asp">http://www.statistics.gov.uk/geography/nrudp.asp</a>

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