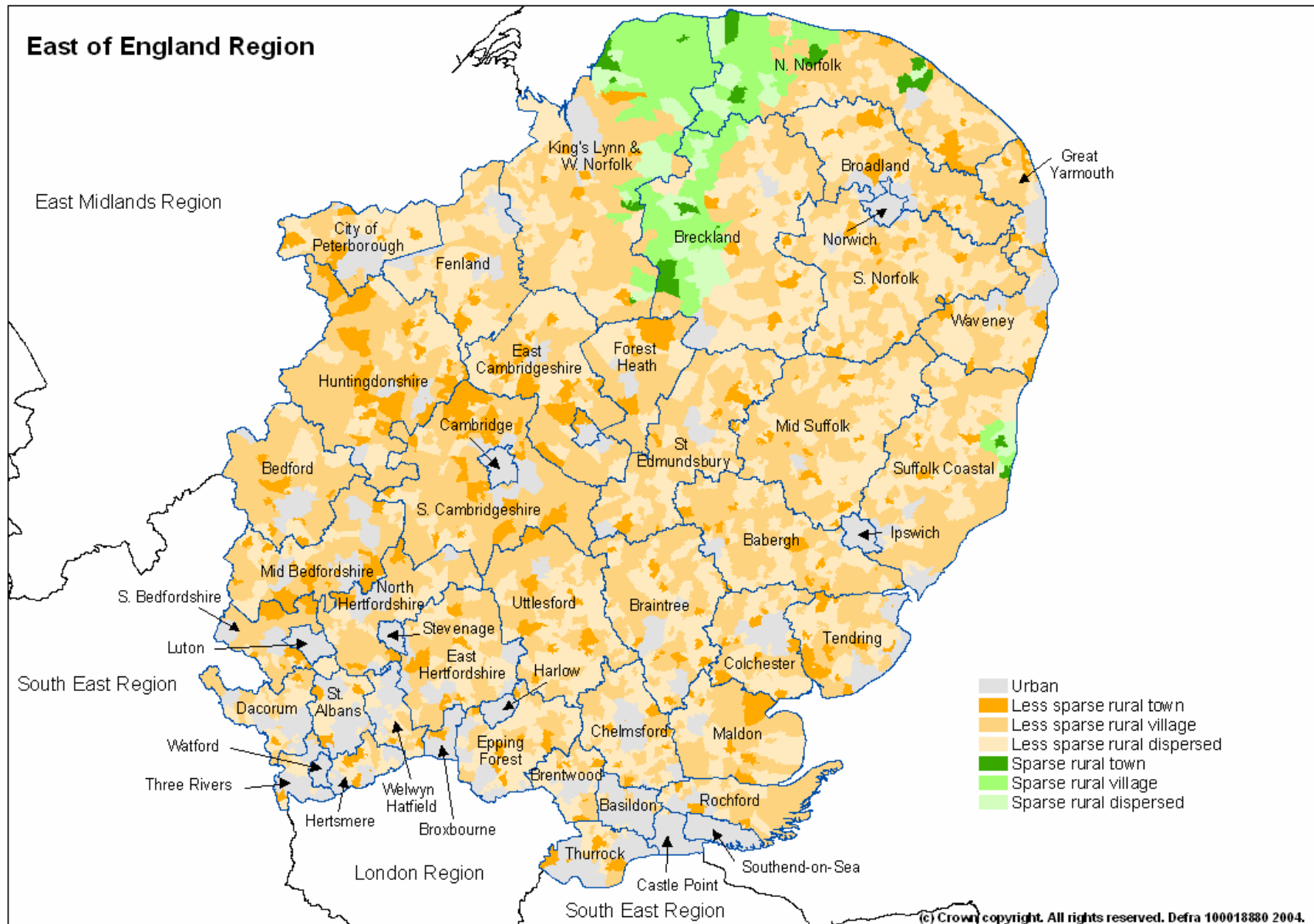


# Epping Forest

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

Epping Forest is in the East of England Government Office Region

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



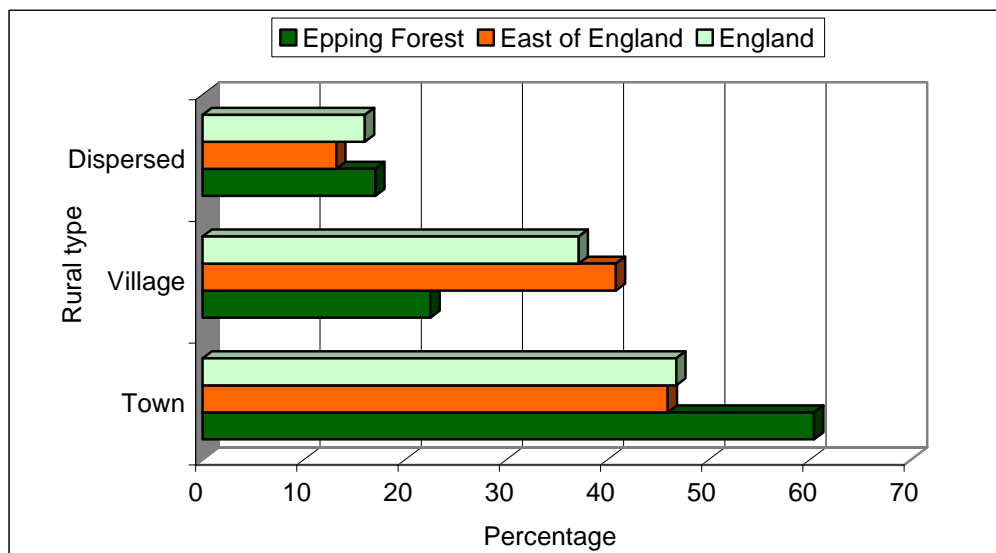
## Population

In Epping Forest 35.3% of people live in rural areas, compared with 31% in the Government Office Region. Within the rural areas all people live in less sparse areas

	Epping Forest			East of England		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Urban	37,691	40,473	78,164	1,812,091	1,904,428	3,716,519
Rural	20,917	21,815	42,732	826,244	845,377	1,671,621
Less Sparse	20,917	21,815	42,732	785,328	801,861	1,587,189
Town	12,638	13,500	26,138	359,564	375,106	734,670
Village	4,710	4,784	9,494	320,104	322,590	642,694
Dispersed	3,569	3,531	7,100	105,660	104,165	209,825
Sparse	-	-	-	40,916	43,516	84,432
Town	-	-	-	20,159	22,619	42,778
Village	-	-	-	17,315	17,330	34,645
Dispersed	-	-	-	3,442	3,567	7,009
Total	58,608	62,288	120,896	2,638,335	2,749,805	5,388,140
Percentage rural	35.7	35.0	35.3	31.3	30.7	31.0

Source table from the Census: UV03 Gender

Proportion of the population of the Authority living in rural towns, villages and dispersed areas compared with the Government Office Region and England.



Source table from the Census: UV03 Gender

## Age

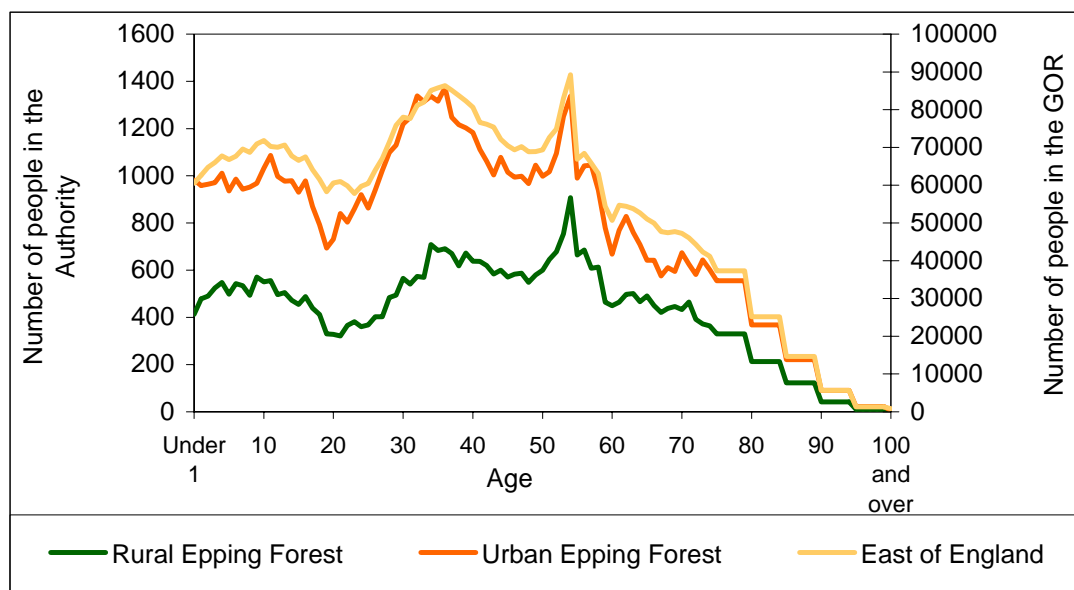
In Epping Forest 4.2% of the population live in rural areas and are under 10 years old. 8.1% of the Authority's population live in rural areas and are under 19 years of age. 4.6% are aged 70 or over and live in rural areas.

### 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	14,766	9,672	5,094	3,105	-	1,133	-	856	-	34.5
10 to 19	14,040	9,336	4,704	2,842	-	994	-	868	-	33.5
20 to 29	13,117	9,208	3,909	2,453	-	824	-	632	-	29.8
30 to 39	19,105	12,812	6,293	3,926	-	1,346	-	1,021	-	32.9
40 to 49	16,405	10,456	5,949	3,602	-	1,299	-	1,048	-	36.3
50 to 59	17,112	10,493	6,619	3,729	-	1,552	-	1,338	-	38.7
60 to 69	11,422	6,799	4,623	2,702	-	1,204	-	717	-	40.5
70 to 79	9,583	5,905	3,678	2,423	-	826	-	429	-	38.4
80 to 89	4,624	2,945	1,679	1,172	-	318	-	189	-	36.3
90 and over	838	575	263	174	-	57	-	32	-	31.4
	121,012	78,201	42,811	26,128	-	9,553	-	7,130	-	35.4

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.

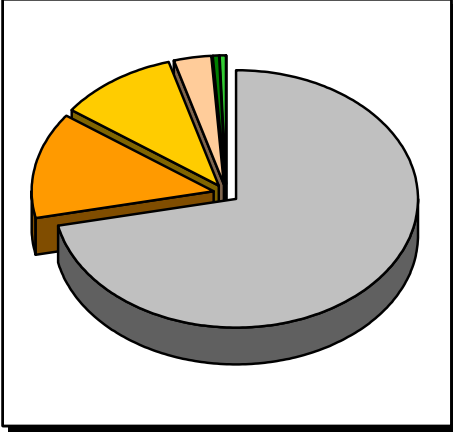
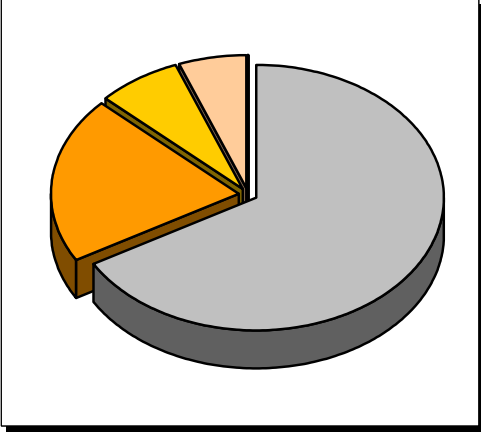


Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

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

Authority:  
Epping Forest  
Number of under 5's: 7,400

Government Office Region:  
East of England  
Number of under 5's: 321,800



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

## Marital Status

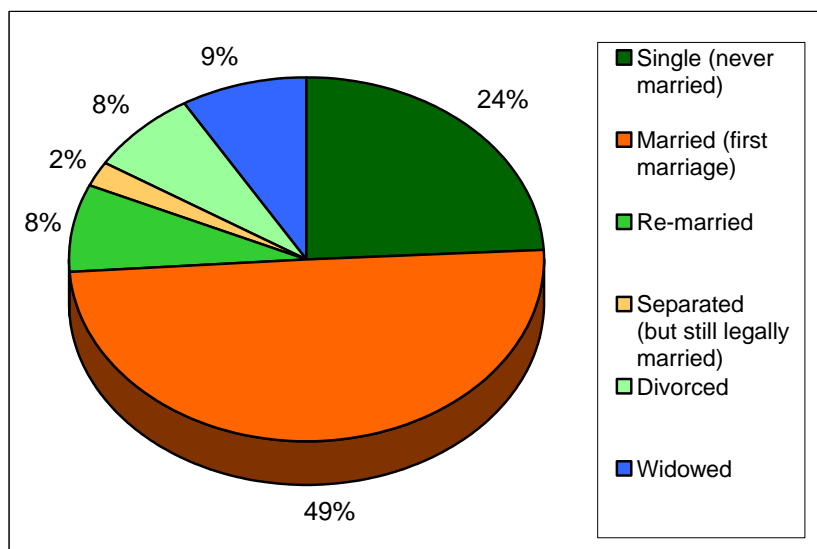
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted from the original "single – never married" figures on the marital status to estimated figures on the marital status of people aged 16 or over.

### Estimated number of people in the Authority and Government Office Region aged 16 or over, by marital status

	Single (never married)	Married (first marriage)	Re-married	Separated (but still legally married)	Divorced	Widowed
<b>Epping Forest</b>						
Urban	17,921	29,102	3,934	1,352	4,808	5,374
Rural	8,354	17,253	2,684	738	2,603	2,986
Less Sparse	8,354	17,253	2,684	738	2,603	2,986
Town	5,238	10,525	1,491	435	1,551	1,978
Village	1,755	3,754	675	176	681	670
Dispersed	1,361	2,974	518	127	371	338
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>26,275</b>	<b>46,355</b>	<b>6,618</b>	<b>2,090</b>	<b>7,411</b>	<b>8,360</b>
<b>East of England</b>						
Urban	862,966	1,308,517	222,193	71,158	250,994	240,260
Rural	304,904	678,852	129,621	27,105	101,174	107,957
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,167,870</b>	<b>1,987,369</b>	<b>351,814</b>	<b>98,263</b>	<b>352,168</b>	<b>348,217</b>

Source tables from the Census: UV04 Age and UV07 Marital Status

### Estimated proportions of people aged 16 or over in rural parts of the Authority, by marital status.



Source tables from the Census: UV04 Age and UV07 Marital Status

## Household composition

In Epping Forest 35.1% of households are in rural areas. 27.3% of rural households are single person households. 7.1% of rural households are lone parent family households.

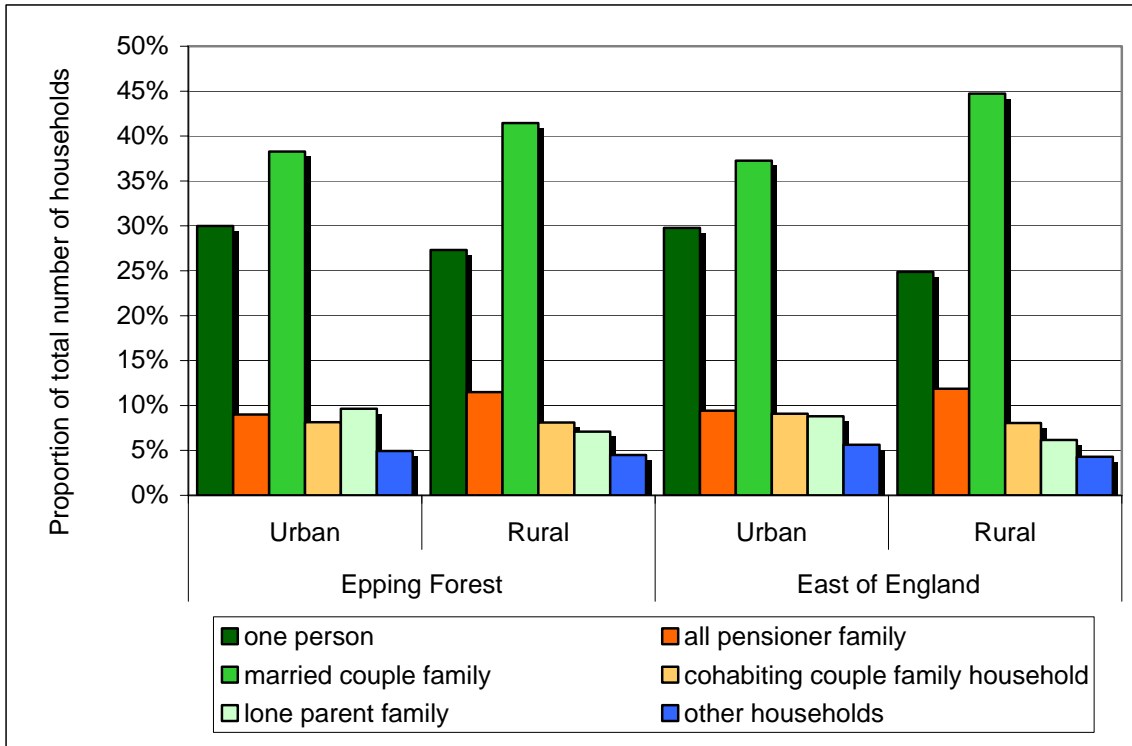
### Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban	Rural						% rural	
	Total	Total	Less sparse			Sparse			
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	32,857	17,783	11,135	3,952	2,696	-	-	-	35.1
One person household	9,855	4,860	3,235	1,126	499	-	-	-	33.0
pensioner	4,817	2,682	1,844	598	240	-	-	-	35.8
other	5,038	2,178	1,391	528	259	-	-	-	30.2
All pensioner family	2,960	2,046	1,348	452	246	-	-	-	40.9
Married couple family	12,575	7,371	4,411	1,611	1,349	-	-	-	37.0
no children	4,144	2,664	1,557	609	498	-	-	-	39.1
with one dependent child	2,178	1,137	684	229	224	-	-	-	34.3
with two or more dependent children	3,922	2,179	1,349	450	380	-	-	-	35.7
all children non-dependent	2,331	1,391	821	323	247	-	-	-	37.4
Cohabiting couple family	2,675	1,442	881	328	233	-	-	-	35.0
no children	1,525	839	519	190	130	-	-	-	35.5
with one dependent child	498	274	171	56	47	-	-	-	35.5
two or more dependent children	504	251	152	67	32	-	-	-	33.2
all children non-dependent	148	78	39	15	24	-	-	-	34.5
Lone parent family	3,172	1,264	838	254	172	-	-	-	28.5
with one dependent child	1,024	323	226	54	43	-	-	-	24.0
with two or more dependant children	985	395	261	83	51	-	-	-	28.6
all children non-dependent	1,163	546	351	117	78	-	-	-	31.9
Other households	1,620	800	422	181	197	-	-	-	33.1
with one dependent child	266	158	83	34	41	-	-	-	37.3
with two or more dependent children	330	155	68	33	54	-	-	-	32.0
all student	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
all pensioner	114	42	18	12	12	-	-	-	26.9
other	885	445	253	102	90	-	-	-	33.5

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.

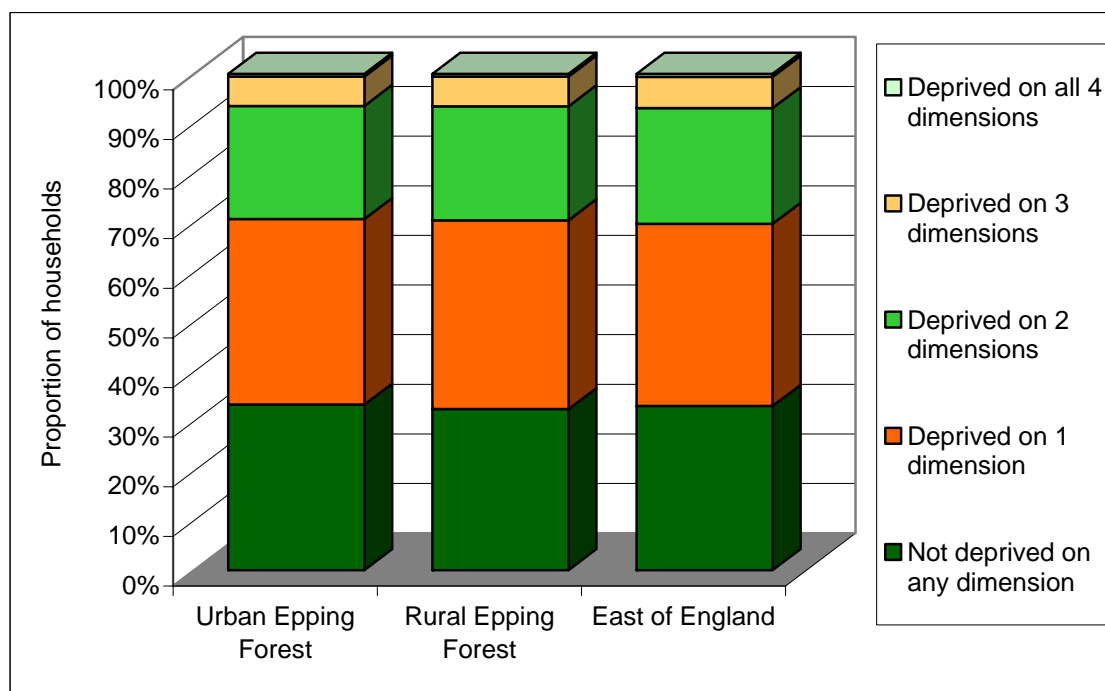


### Classification of household deprivation (number of households)

	Epping Forest					East of England	
	Not deprived on any dimension	Deprived on 1 dimension	Deprived on 2 dimensions	Deprived on 3 dimensions	Deprived on all 4 dimensions	Not deprived on any dimension	Deprived on 1 or more dimensions
<b>Urban</b>	<b>10,956</b>	<b>12,289</b>	<b>7,482</b>	<b>1,949</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>503,710</b>	<b>1,045,520</b>
<b>Rural</b>	<b>5,760</b>	<b>6,760</b>	<b>4,076</b>	<b>1,065</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>234,574</b>	<b>448,212</b>
Less Sparse	5,760	6,760	4,076	1,065	92	225,807	419,404
Town	3,629	4,206	2,600	651	36	104,454	201,479
Village	1,138	1,546	952	280	36	91,914	166,962
Dispersed	993	1,008	524	134	20	29,439	50,963
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	8,767	28,808
Town	-	-	-	-	-	4,169	15,415
Village	-	-	-	-	-	3,806	11,073
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	792	2,320

Source table from the Census: UV67 Classification of household deprivation

### Comparison of household deprivation in urban and rural parts of the Authority



Source table from the Census: UV67 Classification of household deprivation

### Health and provision of unpaid care

There were two measure of 'health' on the Census. In one measure respondents were asked to rate their general level of health over the last twelve months as 'good', 'fairly good' or 'not good'. The other measure was to ask respondents whether they (in their opinion) had a limiting long-term

illness (LLTI). LLTI covers any long-term illness, health problem or disability that limits daily activities or the work a person can do.

Perception of health over the 12 months preceding the Census (number of people)

	Epping Forest				East of England			
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good
Urban	56,370	16,075	5,719	7.3	2,602,963	823,403	290,153	7.8
Rural	30,372	9,120	3,240	7.6	1,187,681	364,537	119,404	7.1

Source table from the Census: UV20 General health

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

	Epping Forest			East of England			England
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	66,241	11,923	15.3	3,110,092	606,427	16.3	18.2
Rural	35,924	6,808	15.9	1,404,880	266,741	16.0	17.0

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

Number of people providing unpaid care

	Epping Forest			% providing some unpaid care	
	1 to 19 hours per week	20 to 49 hours per week	50 or more hours per week	Epping Forest	East of England
Urban	5,559	772	1,269	9.7	9.3
Rural	3,474	401	785	10.9	10.4
Towns	2,081	220	472	10.6	9.9
Villages	800	101	211	11.7	10.7
Dispersed	593	80	102	10.9	10.8

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

## Qualifications

In Epping Forest 29% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 27.9% in the Region as a whole. 36.1% 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	16,138	10,448	11,978	4,386	9,438	3,845	28.7	28.2
Rural	9,128	5,370	6,565	2,290	5,426	2,238	29.4	27.3
Less Sparse	9,128	5,370	6,565	2,290	5,426	2,238	29.4	26.9
Town	5,265	3,274	3,939	1,435	3,534	1,339	28.0	27.0
Village	2,371	1,197	1,396	435	1,015	534	34.1	26.9
Dispersed	1,492	899	1,230	420	877	365	28.2	26.3
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	25,266	15,818	18,543	6,676	14,864	6,083	29.0	27.9
Percentage rural	36.1	33.9	35.4	34.3	36.5	36.8		

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

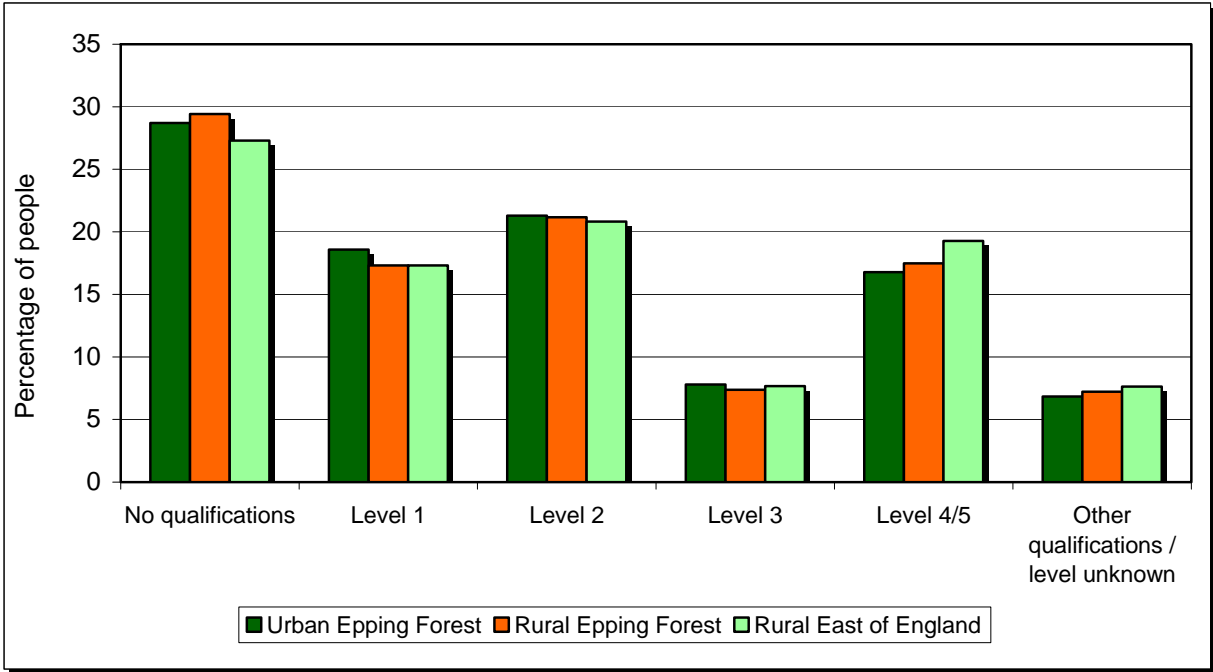
**Level 2:** 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

**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:

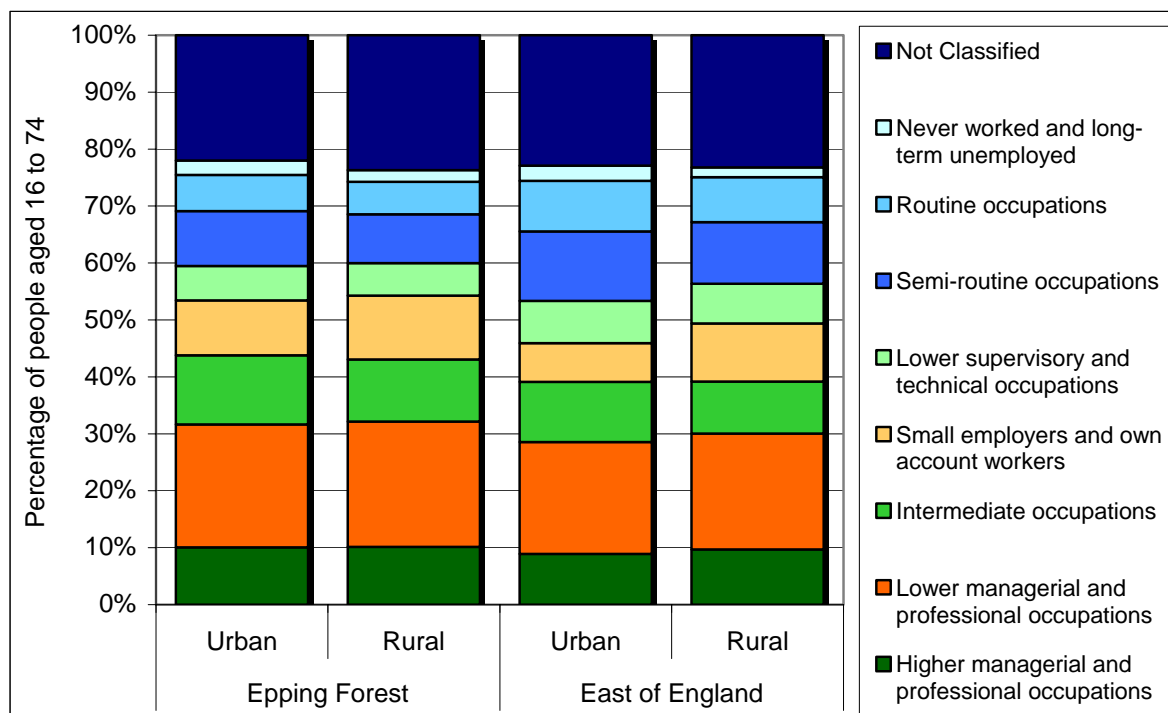
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### Number of people in the Authority aged 16 to 74 by NS-SeC classification

	Epping Forest					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Urban	Rural	
		Total	Towns	Villages			Dispersed
Higher managerial and professional occupations	5,661	3,156	1,985	577	594	237,932	117,399
Lower managerial and professional occupations	12,145	6,840	4,327	1,390	1,123	524,473	246,828
Intermediate occupations	6,844	3,391	2,159	726	506	283,271	110,712
Small employers and own account workers	5,415	3,491	1,708	902	881	181,377	123,856
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	3,401	1,772	1,119	405	248	198,061	84,381
Semi-routine occupations	5,433	2,666	1,632	604	430	326,421	131,219
Routine occupations	3,582	1,780	1,042	511	227	237,157	95,721
Never worked and long-term unemployed	1,424	633	348	181	104	71,321	21,034
Not Classified	12,391	7,372	4,575	1,646	1,151	612,488	281,445

Source table from the Census: UV31 National Statistics Socio-economic classification

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



Source table from the Census: UV31 National Statistics Socio-economic classification

## Economic activity and average number of hours worked

In rural Epping Forest 32% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 50.1% of those people are retired, 8.4% are students and 23.6% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 30.3% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban Epping Forest and 31% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

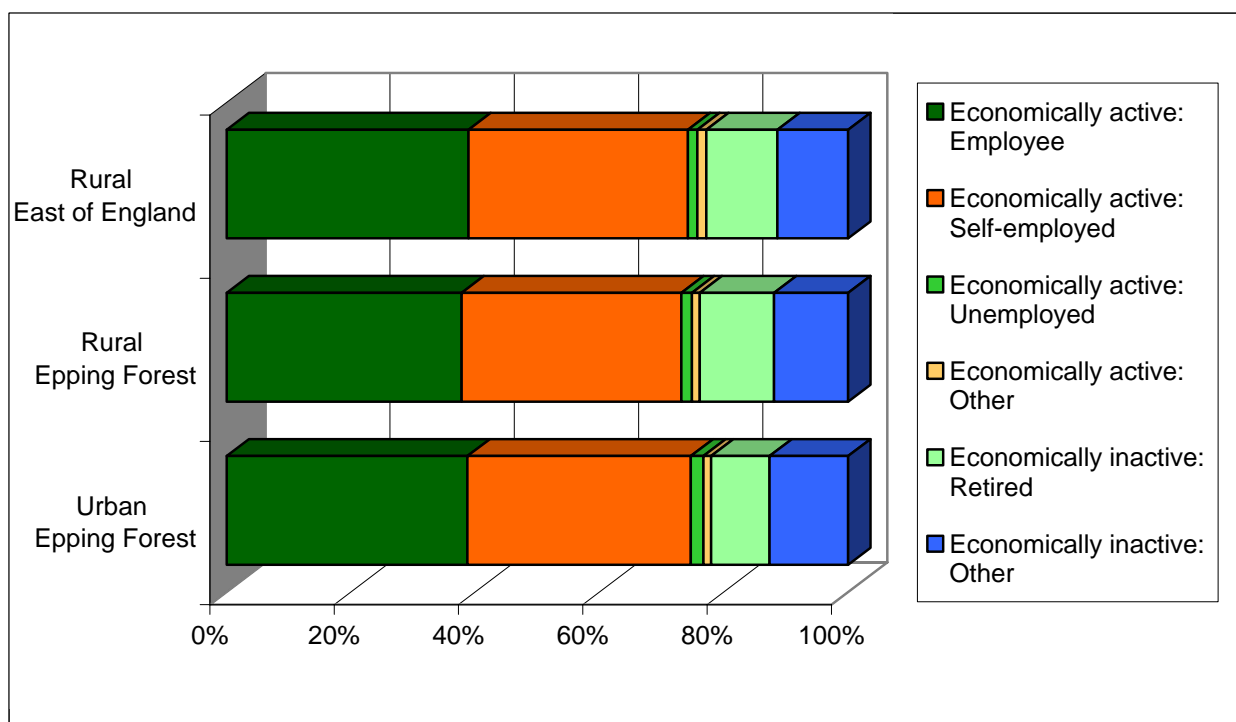
### Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

	Epping Forest					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Economically active	39,191	21,089	12,850	4,589	3,650	1,853,291	836,272
Employee	29,964	15,673	9,957	3,319	2,397	1,498,764	640,866
Part-time	6,343	3,592	2,211	800	581	331,265	153,475
Full-time	23,621	12,081	7,746	2,519	1,816	1,167,499	487,391
Self-employed with employees	2,568	1,603	721	390	492	69,566	52,976
Part-time	328	227	105	56	66	9,422	8,045
Full-time	2,240	1,376	616	334	426	60,144	44,931
Self-employed without employees	4,153	2,584	1,390	629	565	142,773	93,568
Part-time	1,122	759	406	197	156	38,002	27,724
Full-time	3,031	1,825	984	432	409	104,771	65,844
Unemployed	1,557	709	434	173	102	76,095	24,944
Full-time Students	949	520	348	78	94	66,093	23,918
Economically inactive	17,057	9,911	5,944	2,345	1,622	818,491	375,727
Retired	7,283	4,965	3,157	1,160	648	355,001	188,194
Student	1,915	836	474	173	189	103,595	36,694
Looking after home/family	4,385	2,336	1,291	538	507	179,900	81,974
Permanently sick/disabled	1,939	1,032	620	282	130	110,475	41,193
Other	1,535	742	402	192	148	69,520	27,672
% economically active	69.7	68.0	68.4	66.2	69.2	69.4	69.0
% economically inactive	30.3	32.0	31.6	33.8	30.8	30.6	31.0

Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

For the Census part-time working is defined as working 30 hours a week or less. Full-time is defined as working 31 or more hours a week.

Percentage of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity



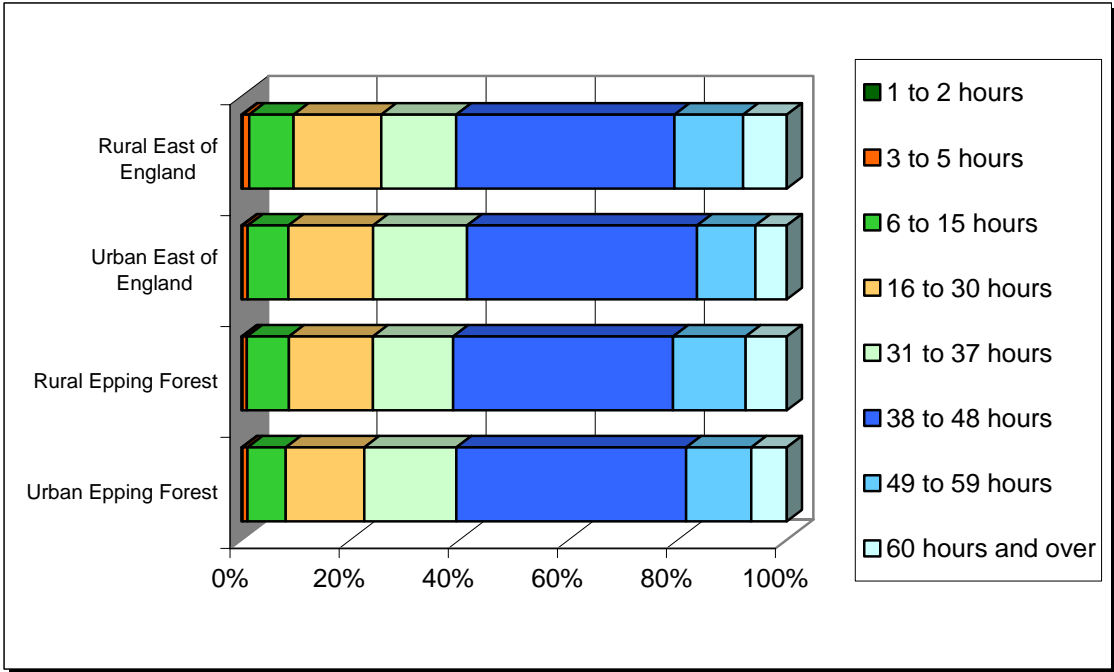
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

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

	Part-time				Full-time				Percent	
	1 to 2 hours	3 to 5 hours	6 to 15 hours	16 to 30 hours	31 to 37 hours	38 to 48 hours	49 to 59 hours	60 hours and over	Part-time	Full-time
<b>Epping Forest</b>										
Urban	78	336	2,633	5,409	6,342	15,826	4,483	2,453	22.5	77.5
Rural	42	162	1,563	3,121	2,984	8,176	2,699	1,531	24.1	75.9
Less Sparse	42	162	1,563	3,121	2,984	8,176	2,699	1,531	24.1	75.9
Town	21	92	940	1,898	1,965	5,054	1,587	790	23.9	76.1
Village	12	40	325	724	588	1,766	597	353	25.0	75.0
Dispersed	9	30	298	499	431	1,356	515	388	23.7	76.3
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	120	498	4,196	8,530	9,326	24,002	7,182	3,984	23.1	76.9
Percentage rural	35.0	32.5	37.2	36.6	32.0	34.1	37.6	38.4		
<b>East of England</b>										
Urban	3,371	16,971	132,374	274,374	304,704	746,565	189,444	102,102	24.1	75.9
Rural	1,790	9,742	65,716	130,039	111,243	323,843	101,807	64,905	25.6	74.4
Total	5,161	26,713	198,090	404,413	415,947	1,070,408	291,251	167,007	24.6	75.4

Source table from the Census: UV41 Hours worked

Percentage of people in rural and urban parts of the Authority aged 16 to 74 in employment by number of hours worked.



Source table from the Census: UV41 Hours worked

**Employment by industry type**

The three most common industries employing people aged 16 to 74 in rural Epping Forest are: "Wholesale and retail trade; repairs", "Real estate, renting and business activities" and "Manufacturing"



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

	Epping Forest					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	340	560	171	164	225	15,447	33,642
Fishing	9	3	-	-	3	307	319
Mining and quarrying	48	36	27	6	3	3,438	2,020
Manufacturing	3,971	2,224	1,333	517	374	257,105	116,062
Electricity, gas and water supply	149	94	51	27	16	11,105	5,152
Construction	3,247	1,915	1,058	465	392	130,690	65,730
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	6,332	3,190	1,857	732	601	315,780	130,112
Hotels and restaurants	1,262	768	425	215	128	72,609	34,720
Transport, storage and communications	2,929	1,382	874	295	213	140,776	50,471
Financial Intermediation	3,610	1,557	1,050	264	243	113,132	36,685
Real estate, renting and business activities	5,857	3,103	1,920	629	554	237,379	105,898
Public administration and defence, social security	1,635	1,061	773	201	87	86,580	46,440
Education	2,777	1,416	980	226	210	128,071	61,240
Health and social work	3,243	1,829	1,165	394	270	170,908	78,846
Other community, social & personal service activities	2,117	1,171	694	259	218	83,321	37,258
Private households with employed persons	27	24	9	9	6	1,345	1,239
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	3	6	6	-	-	2,191	3,384

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

## Accommodation and tenure

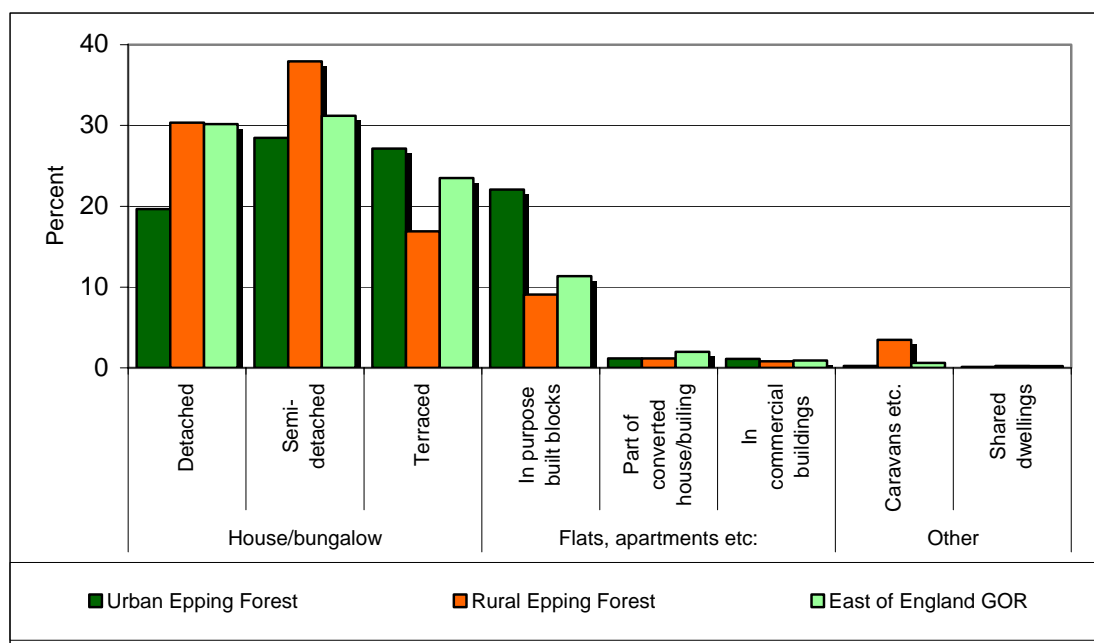
In rural Epping Forest 85.2% of households live in houses or bungalows, 11.1% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 3.7% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban Epping Forest 75.3% of households live in houses or bungalows, 24.4% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.4% 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

	Epping Forest					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
<b>In an unshared dwelling</b>	<b>33,599</b>	<b>18,205</b>	<b>11,376</b>	<b>4,047</b>	<b>2,782</b>	<b>1,590,181</b>	<b>716,484</b>
House or bungalow	25,318	15,553	9,571	3,323	2,659	1,295,916	666,578
Detached	6,609	5,541	2,561	1,382	1,598	361,440	336,170
Semi-detached	9,577	6,926	4,696	1,305	925	491,333	230,199
Terraced (including end-terrace)	9,132	3,086	2,314	636	136	443,143	100,209
Flat; maisonette or apartment	8,196	2,018	1,737	206	75	288,461	41,400
In a purpose-built block of flats	7,425	1,655	1,460	172	23	233,688	28,983
Part of a converted or shared house	398	213	151	25	37	38,758	7,212
In a commercial building	373	150	126	9	15	16,015	5,205
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	85	634	68	518	48	5,804	8,506
<b>In a shared dwelling</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4,825</b>	<b>580</b>

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

Percentage of households in the Authority and the Government Office Region by type of accommodation.



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

In rural Epping Forest 75.8% of households live in owned accommodation, 14.5% live in social rented accommodation and 7.2% live in private rented accommodation.

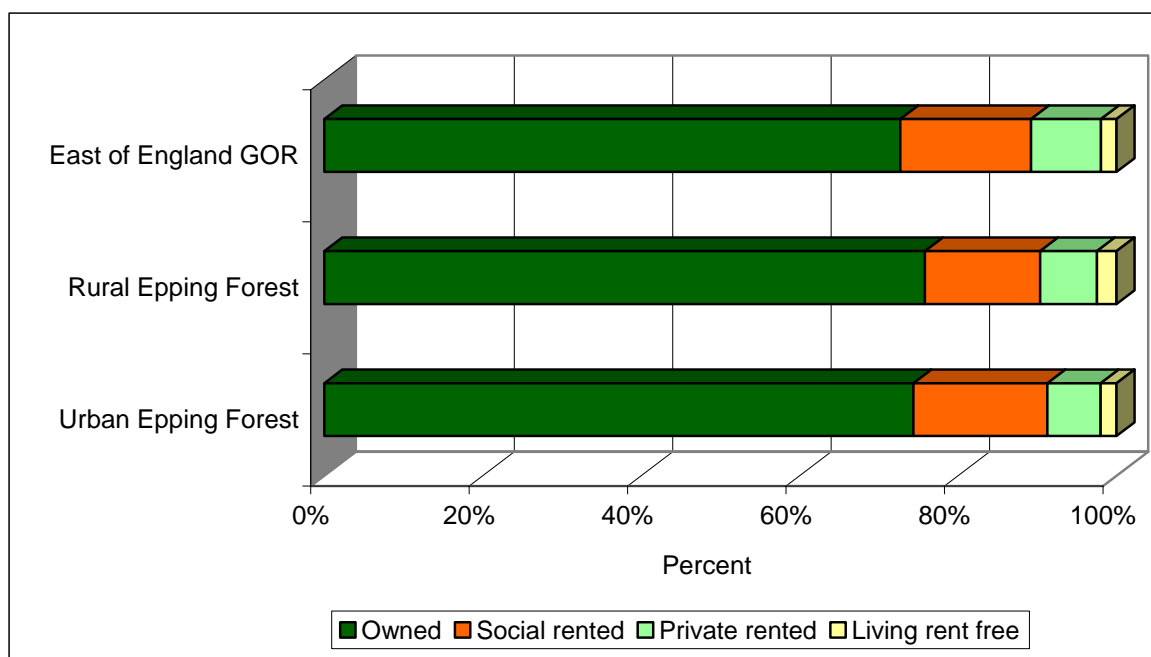
In urban Epping Forest 74.4% of households live in owned accommodation, 16.9% live in social rented accommodation and 6.7% live in private rented accommodation.

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

	Epping Forest					East of England	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
<b>Owned</b>	<b>24,414</b>	<b>13,411</b>	<b>8,279</b>	<b>3,066</b>	<b>2,066</b>	<b>1,100,484</b>	<b>522,307</b>
Owns outright	9,842	6,320	3,684	1,632	1,004	438,959	245,508
Owns with a mortgage or loan	14,436	7,044	4,571	1,417	1,056	652,659	274,316
Shared ownership	136	47	24	17	6	8,866	2,483
<b>Social rented</b>	<b>5,553</b>	<b>2,572</b>	<b>1,873</b>	<b>544</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>288,603</b>	<b>80,045</b>
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	4,852	2,104	1,495	471	138	208,250	50,682
Other social rented	701	468	378	73	17	80,353	29,363
<b>Private rented</b>	<b>2,209</b>	<b>1,269</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>135,678</b>	<b>60,979</b>
Private landlord or letting agency	1,980	1,141	681	191	269	119,341	49,589
Employer of a household member	43	30	12	6	12	3,472	4,206
Relative or friend of a household member	150	48	18	6	24	8,644	4,074
Other	36	50	12	17	21	4,221	3,110
<b>Living rent free</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>24,605</b>	<b>19,410</b>

Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

## Percentage of households by tenure



Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

## Car ownership

14% of households in rural Epping Forest do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 18.6%.

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

	Epping Forest					East of England		Authority	GOR
	No car or van	1 car or van	2 cars or vans	3 cars or vans	4 or more cars or vans	No car or van	1 or more cars or vans	Total number of cars or vans	
Urban	6,104	14,379	9,452	2,173	719	354,763	1,194,445	42,997	1,811,338
Rural	2,487	6,968	6,088	1,565	659	87,147	595,610	26,822	1,020,332
Less Sparse	2,487	6,968	6,088	1,565	659	80,485	564,689	26,822	973,594
Town	1,907	4,659	3,550	762	243	48,319	257,640	15,113	419,308
Village	433	1,571	1,389	380	176	26,176	232,661	6,295	413,467
Dispersed	147	738	1,149	423	240	5,990	74,388	5,414	140,819
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	6,662	30,921	-	46,738
Town	-	-	-	-	-	4,413	15,150	-	21,624
Village	-	-	-	-	-	1,841	13,076	-	20,787
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	408	2,695	-	4,327
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,591</b>	<b>21,347</b>	<b>15,540</b>	<b>3,738</b>	<b>1,378</b>	<b>441,910</b>	<b>1,790,055</b>	<b>69,819</b>	<b>2,831,670</b>
<b>Percentage rural</b>	<b>28.9</b>	<b>32.6</b>	<b>39.2</b>	<b>41.9</b>	<b>47.8</b>	<b>19.7</b>	<b>33.3</b>	<b>38.4</b>	<b>36.0</b>

Source table from the Census: UV62 Cars or Vans

\*(includes any company car or van if it is available for private use)

## **Access to Service**

The following tables give figures on the distance from rural households to ten types of services:

- 1.** Cash machines / ATMs
- 2.** Banks
- 3.** GPs
- 4.** Jobcentres
- 5.** Libraries
- 6.** Petrol stations
- 7.** Post offices
- 8.** Supermarkets
- 9.** Primary Schools
- 10.** Secondary Schools

## Distance to Cash Machines / ATMs and Banks

<b>Cash Machines / ATMs</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a cash machine / ATM										
Less Sparse	13,463	3,346	689	434	62	-	-	-	-	17,994
Town	11,347	7	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,392
Village	1,364	2,003	420	237	-	-	-	-	-	4,024
Dispersed	752	1,336	231	197	62	-	-	-	-	2,578
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	13,463	3,346	689	434	62	-	-	-	-	17,994
% of rural households										
in the Authority	74.8	18.6	3.8	2.4	0.3	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	59.7	23.2	12.5	3.7	0.8	0.1	-	-	-	100.0

<b>Banks</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a bank										
Less Sparse	7,944	7,303	2,214	449	84	-	-	-	-	17,994
Town	7,170	3,287	935	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,392
Village	523	2,347	913	241	-	-	-	-	-	4,024
Dispersed	251	1,669	366	208	84	-	-	-	-	2,578
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	7,944	7,303	2,214	449	84	-	-	-	-	17,994
% of rural households										
in the Authority	44.1	40.6	12.3	2.5	0.5	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	30.8	26.8	22.4	13.0	5.4	1.2	0.4	-	-	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

## Distance to GPs and Jobcentres

<b>GPs</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a GP										
Less Sparse	10,062	6,569	1,040	316	7	-	-	-	-	17,994
Town	7,964	3,365	63	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,392
Village	1,330	1,901	711	82	-	-	-	-	-	4,024
Dispersed	768	1,303	266	234	7	-	-	-	-	2,578
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>10,062</b>	<b>6,569</b>	<b>1,040</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>17,994</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	55.9	36.5	5.8	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	46.3	30.6	16.8	4.9	1.2	0.1	-	-	-	100.0

<b>Jobcentres</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a jobcentre										
Less Sparse	3	2,863	4,036	6,747	1,346	2,666	333	-	-	17,994
Town	-	1,571	2,309	5,073	384	2,052	3	-	-	11,392
Village	-	593	982	1,244	505	446	254	-	-	4,024
Dispersed	3	699	745	430	457	168	76	-	-	2,578
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2,863</b>	<b>4,036</b>	<b>6,747</b>	<b>1,346</b>	<b>2,666</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>17,994</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	-	15.9	22.4	37.5	7.5	14.8	1.9	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	4.0	9.9	19.1	20.4	18.3	12.7	9.8	4.5	1.5	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

## Distance to Libraries and Petrol Stations

<b>Libraries</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a library										
Less Sparse	9,775	7,019	790	330	80	-	-	-	-	17,994
Town	8,520	2,872	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,392
Village	939	2,393	526	166	-	-	-	-	-	4,024
Dispersed	316	1,754	264	164	80	-	-	-	-	2,578
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	9,775	7,019	790	330	80	-	-	-	-	17,994
% of rural households										
in the Authority	54.3	39.0	4.4	1.8	0.4	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	38.7	24.8	20.4	10.9	4.2	1.0	0.1	-	-	100.0

<b>Petrol Stations</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a petrol station										
Less Sparse	13,007	4,477	510	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,994
Town	9,682	1,710	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,392
Village	2,144	1,573	307	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,024
Dispersed	1,181	1,194	203	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,578
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	13,007	4,477	510	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,994
% of rural households										
in the Authority	72.3	24.9	2.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	58.4	28.8	10.0	2.2	0.4	0.1	-	-	-	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

## Distance to Post Offices and Supermarkets

<b>Post Offices</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a post office										
Less Sparse	15,345	2,529	120	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,994
Town	11,386	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,392
Village	2,745	1,274	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,024
Dispersed	1,214	1,249	115	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,578
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	15,345	2,529	120	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,994
% of rural households										
in the Authority	85.3	14.1	0.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	84.4	14.1	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
<b>Supermarkets</b>										
	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a supermarket										
Less Sparse	8,540	6,825	2,092	449	88	-	-	-	-	17,994
Town	7,137	3,282	973	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,392
Village	918	2,121	737	248	-	-	-	-	-	4,024
Dispersed	485	1,422	382	201	88	-	-	-	-	2,578
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	8,540	6,825	2,092	449	88	-	-	-	-	17,994
% of rural households										
in the Authority	47.5	37.9	11.6	2.5	0.5	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	35.1	28.4	20.1	10.3	4.1	1.4	0.5	0.1	-	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency



## Distance to Primary Schools and Secondary Schools

<b>Primary Schools</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a primary school										
Less Sparse	14,640	3,172	182	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,994
Town	10,024	1,368	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,392
Village	2,956	970	98	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,024
Dispersed	1,660	834	84	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,578
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	14,640	3,172	182	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,994
% of rural households										
in the Authority	81.4	17.6	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	82.9	15.3	1.8	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	100.0

<b>Secondary Schools</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a secondary school										
Less Sparse	6,307	5,109	2,329	934	3,017	298	-	-	-	17,994
Town	5,757	1,704	1,492	-	2,439	-	-	-	-	11,392
Village	67	2,224	593	513	413	214	-	-	-	4,024
Dispersed	483	1,181	244	421	165	84	-	-	-	2,578
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	6,307	5,109	2,329	934	3,017	298	-	-	-	17,994
% of rural households										
in the Authority	35.1	28.4	12.9	5.2	16.8	1.7	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	31.0	29.0	22.7	10.7	4.5	1.9	0.2	-	-	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

**Further information:**

All the information in this document, except the tables on “Access to Services”, has been calculated from the 2001 Census Univariate Tables for Census Output Areas published by the Office of National Statistics (<http://www.statistics.gov.uk>). Further information about the Census is available at: <http://www.statistics.gov.uk/census2001/default.asp>

There are slight differences (e.g. in total population) between tables because of imputation for non-response and disclosure issues when using Output Area data. Overall the 2001 Census achieved a 98% response rate. For further information on the quality of data at Local Authority level please see: <http://www.statistics.gov.uk/census2001/la.asp>

Each Output Area in England and Wales has been classified using the harmonised urban / rural definition published by the ONS on 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2004 in Bulletin 2004/14 ([http://www.statistics.gov.uk/geography/bulletins/bulletin2004\\_14.asp](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/geography/bulletins/bulletin2004_14.asp)). The Output Area urban/rural data was then aggregated to provide the urban / rural totals for the Local Authority, Government Office Regions and England. More information about the urban / rural definition is available at: <http://www.statistics.gov.uk/geography/nrudp.asp>

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