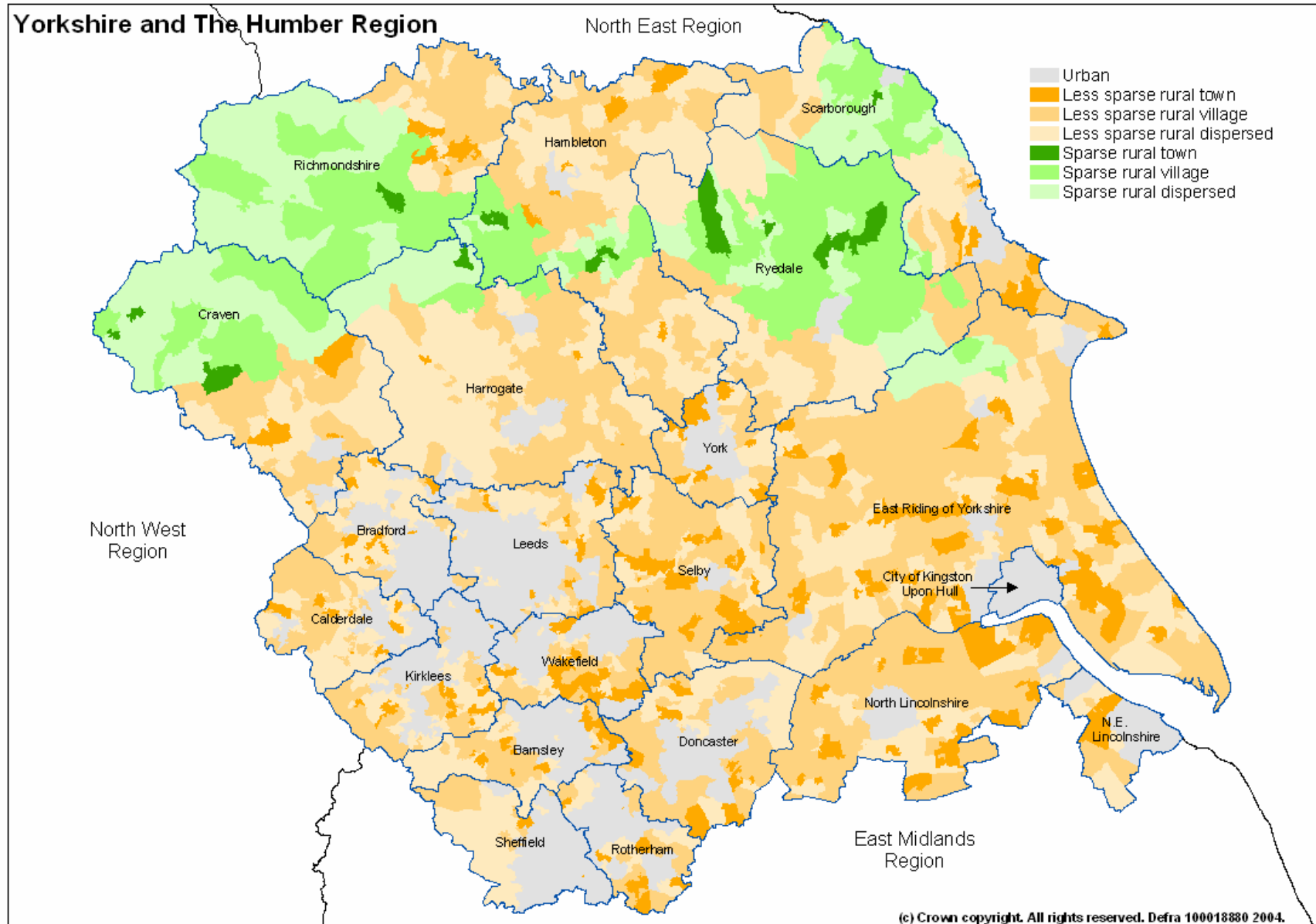


Harrogate

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Harrogate is in the Yorkshire and The Humber Government Office Region

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



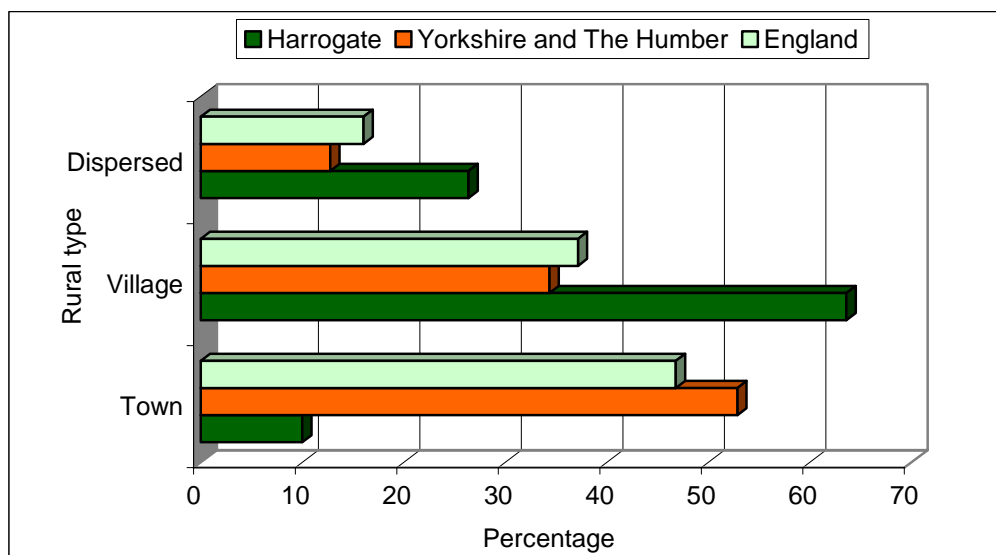
Population

In Harrogate 32.5% of people live in rural areas, compared with 20% in the Government Office Region. Within the rural areas 9% live in sparse rural areas.

	Harrogate			Yorkshire and The Humber		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Urban	48,621	53,492	102,113	1,921,741	2,047,723	3,969,464
Rural	24,562	24,661	49,223	490,203	505,166	995,369
Less Sparse	22,543	22,481	45,024	446,866	459,522	906,388
Town	1,891	2,090	3,981	242,672	257,852	500,524
Village	14,537	14,095	28,632	147,355	146,029	293,384
Dispersed	6,115	6,296	12,411	56,839	55,641	112,480
Sparse	2,019	2,180	4,199	43,337	45,644	88,981
Town	566	669	1,235	16,472	18,226	34,698
Village	1,090	1,139	2,229	21,068	21,577	42,645
Dispersed	363	372	735	5,797	5,841	11,638
Total	73,183	78,153	151,336	2,411,944	2,552,889	4,964,833
Percentage rural	33.6	31.6	32.5	20.3	19.8	20.0

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

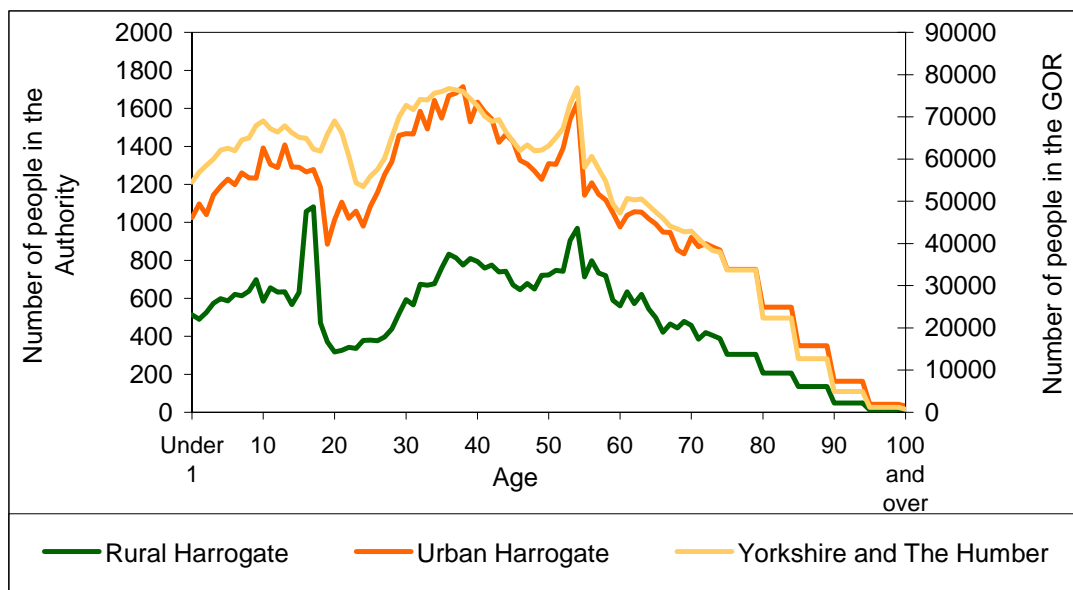
In Harrogate 3.9% of the population live in rural areas and are under 10 years old. 8.3% of the Authority's population live in rural areas and are under 19 years of age. 3.7% are aged 70 or over and live in rural areas.

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	17,508	11,650	5,858	439	112	3,445	305	1,481	76	33.5
10 to 19	19,274	12,591	6,683	479	137	4,148	238	1,571	110	34.7
20 to 29	15,269	11,452	3,817	367	97	2,124	179	981	69	25.0
30 to 39	22,966	15,798	7,168	620	152	4,070	374	1,854	98	31.2
40 to 49	21,378	14,199	7,179	550	165	4,079	323	1,971	91	33.6
50 to 59	20,483	12,843	7,640	543	157	4,350	322	2,117	151	37.3
60 to 69	14,961	9,720	5,241	402	155	3,031	238	1,327	88	35.0
70 to 79	11,745	8,167	3,578	334	135	2,137	171	769	32	30.5
80 to 89	6,235	4,522	1,713	225	95	989	77	314	13	27.5
90 and over	1,376	1,069	307	51	14	175	6	58	3	22.3
	151,195	102,011	49,184	4,010	1,219	28,548	2,233	12,443	731	32.5

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.

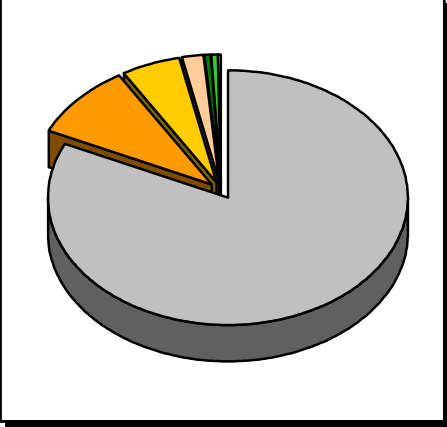
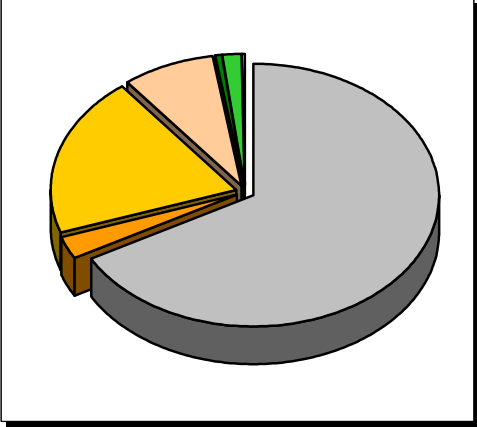


Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

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

Authority:
Harrogate
Number of under 5's: 8,200

Government Office Region:
Yorkshire and The Humber
Number of under 5's: 292,000



- 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

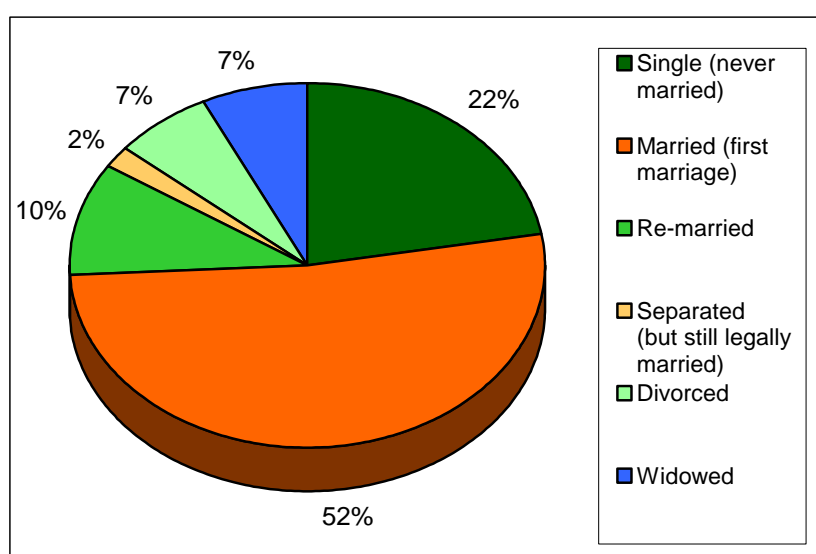
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted 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
Harrogate						
Urban	22,234	36,548	6,971	1,822	7,332	7,561
Rural	8,836	20,631	3,912	756	2,678	2,854
Less Sparse	8,084	18,922	3,587	688	2,441	2,571
Town	689	1,517	295	72	283	381
Village	5,335	12,005	2,237	422	1,514	1,624
Dispersed	2,060	5,400	1,055	194	644	566
Sparse	752	1,709	325	68	237	283
Town	240	481	79	13	72	136
Village	383	926	185	43	120	115
Dispersed	129	302	61	12	45	32
Total	31,070	57,179	10,883	2,578	10,010	10,415
Yorkshire and The Humber						
Urban	945,890	1,335,462	235,228	74,195	276,508	278,953
Rural	182,681	402,571	75,937	15,486	60,800	65,269
Total	1,128,571	1,738,033	311,165	89,681	337,308	344,222

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 Harrogate 30.7% of households are in rural areas. 23.1% of rural households are single person households. 5.6% of rural households are lone parent family households.

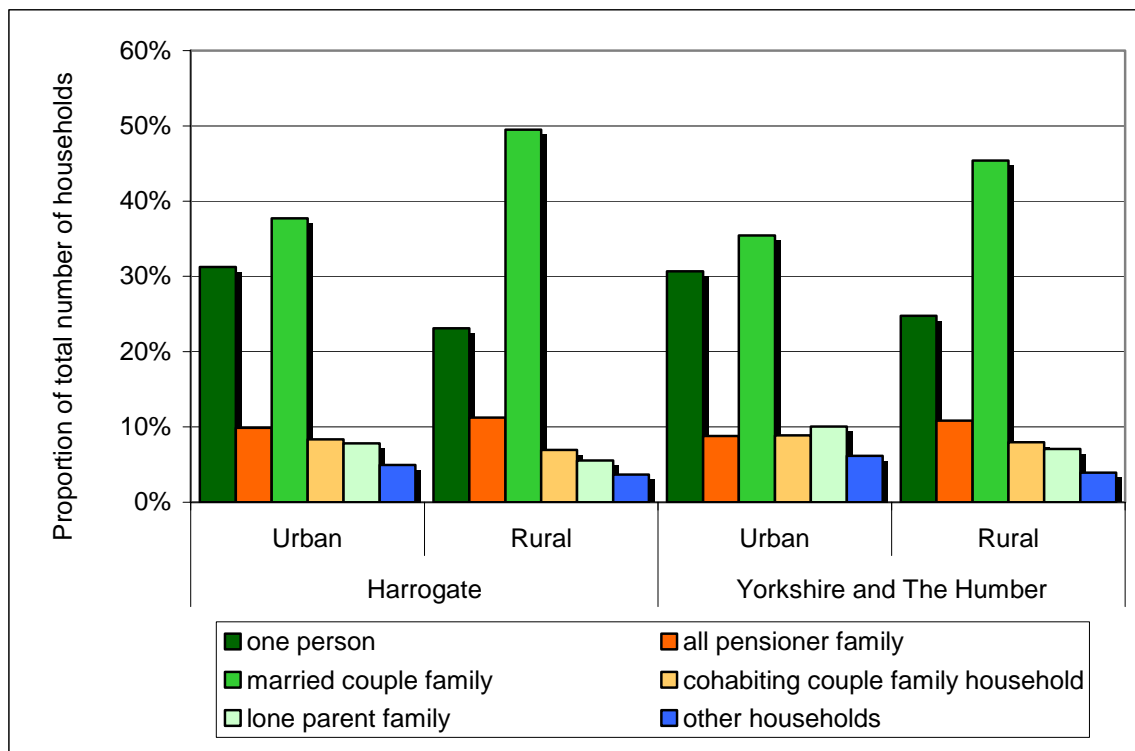
Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban Total	Rural							% rural
		Total	Less sparse			Sparse			
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	43,699	19,348	1,752	11,061	4,753	583	900	299	30.7
One person household	13,664	4,469	553	2,476	966	207	208	59	24.6
pensioner	6,936	2,464	325	1,408	471	132	107	21	26.2
other	6,728	2,005	228	1,068	495	75	101	38	23.0
All pensioner family	4,321	2,174	175	1,320	484	70	101	24	33.5
Married couple family	16,485	9,576	693	5,547	2,563	196	430	147	36.7
no children	6,149	3,965	276	2,309	1,069	78	176	57	39.2
with one dependent child	2,823	1,484	119	862	390	31	65	17	34.5
with two or more dependent children	5,354	2,879	204	1,670	775	59	128	43	35.0
all children non-dependent	2,159	1,248	94	706	329	28	61	30	36.6
Cohabiting couple family	3,652	1,342	136	732	331	38	69	36	26.9
no children	2,324	893	94	491	228	20	42	18	27.8
with one dependent child	618	178	18	99	40	6	9	6	22.4
two or more dependent children	584	205	18	118	39	9	15	6	26.0
all children non-dependent	126	66	6	24	24	3	3	6	34.4
Lone parent family	3,411	1,074	112	634	209	45	57	17	23.9
with one dependent child	1,264	348	39	214	58	14	17	6	21.6
with two or more dependant children	1,046	292	31	171	53	15	14	8	21.8
all children non-dependent	1,101	434	42	249	98	16	26	3	28.3
Other households	2,166	713	83	352	200	27	35	16	24.8
with one dependent child	308	106	13	51	24	6	9	3	25.6
with two or more dependent children	311	143	21	76	33	-	10	3	31.5
all student	75	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
all pensioner	168	81	9	42	21	6	3	-	32.5
other	1,304	383	40	183	122	15	13	10	22.7

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.

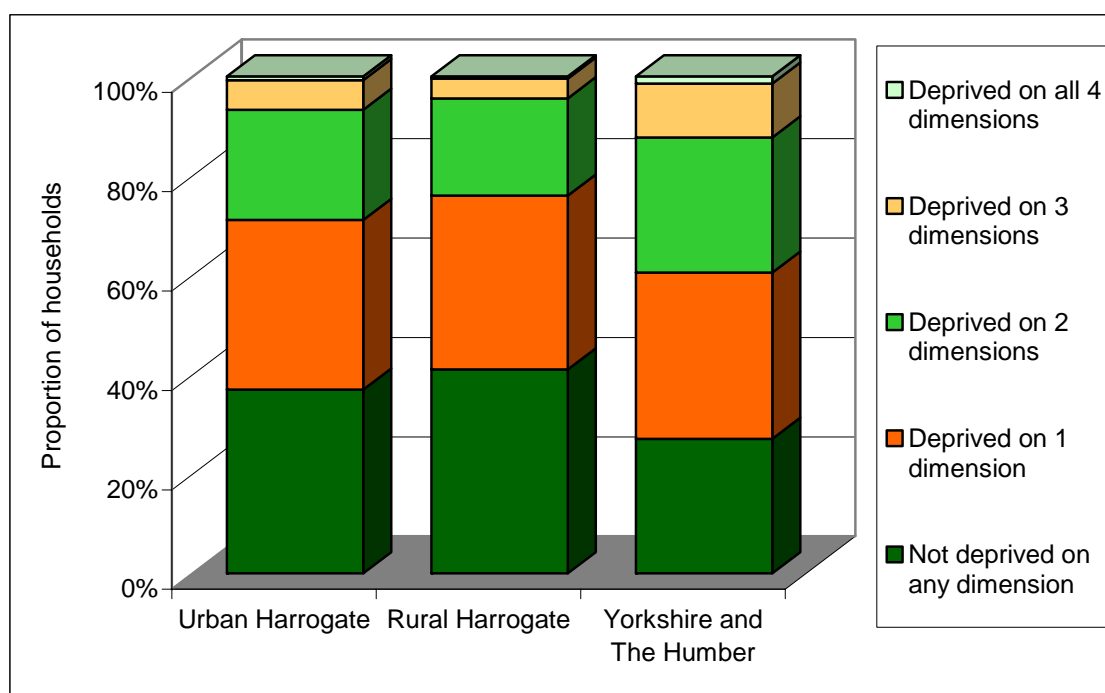
Housing – The household’s accommodation is either overcrowded, or is in a shared dwelling, or does not have sole use of bath/shower and toilet, or has no central heating.

Classification of household deprivation (number of households)

	Harrogate					Yorkshire and The Humber	
	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	16,148	14,906	9,667	2,595	351	422,815	1,235,292
Rural	7,982	6,792	3,811	772	91	136,673	270,097
Less Sparse	7,368	6,151	3,415	671	73	125,219	243,649
Town	614	613	442	70	3	65,456	143,035
Village	4,622	3,896	2,145	408	48	42,779	73,547
Dispersed	2,132	1,642	828	193	22	16,984	27,067
Sparse	614	641	396	101	18	11,454	26,448
Town	162	218	169	27	-	4,093	11,276
Village	347	309	172	64	12	5,738	12,161
Dispersed	105	114	55	10	6	1,623	3,011

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)

	Harrogate				Yorkshire and The Humber			
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good
Urban	72,211	21,941	7,961	7.8	2,630,046	914,764	424,657	10.7
Rural	36,973	9,305	2,945	6.0	694,507	214,442	86,423	8.7

Source table from the Census: UV20 General health

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

	Harrogate			Yorkshire and The Humber			England
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	85,113	17,000	16.6	3,177,585	791,879	19.9	18.2
Rural	42,632	6,591	13.4	819,964	175,405	17.6	17.0

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

Number of people providing unpaid care

	Harrogate			% providing some unpaid care	
	1 to 19 hours per week	20 to 49 hours per week	50 or more hours per week	Harrogate	Yorkshire and The Humber
Urban	7,163	867	1,508	9.3	10.3
Rural	3,902	406	692	10.2	10.9
Towns	405	44	93	10.4	10.8
Villages	2,423	265	422	10.1	10.9
Dispersed	1,074	97	177	10.3	11.0

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

Qualifications

In Harrogate 21.7% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 33.1% in the Region as a whole. 31.8% 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	16,160	11,689	16,201	6,596	17,643	4,820	22.1	34.5
Rural	7,525	5,794	7,987	3,111	9,486	2,217	20.8	27.9
Less Sparse	6,705	5,312	7,342	2,884	8,791	2,050	20.3	27.8
Town	639	506	590	213	617	254	22.7	29.9
Village	4,173	3,555	4,661	1,763	5,619	1,271	19.8	25.6
Dispersed	1,893	1,251	2,091	908	2,555	525	20.5	24.7
Sparse	820	482	645	227	695	167	27.0	27.0
Town	255	130	179	62	168	55	30.0	30.0
Village	415	259	350	113	399	86	25.6	25.6
Dispersed	150	93	116	52	128	26	26.5	26.5
Total	23,685	17,483	24,188	9,707	27,129	7,037	21.7	33.1
Percentage rural	31.8	33.1	33.0	32.0	35.0	31.5		

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

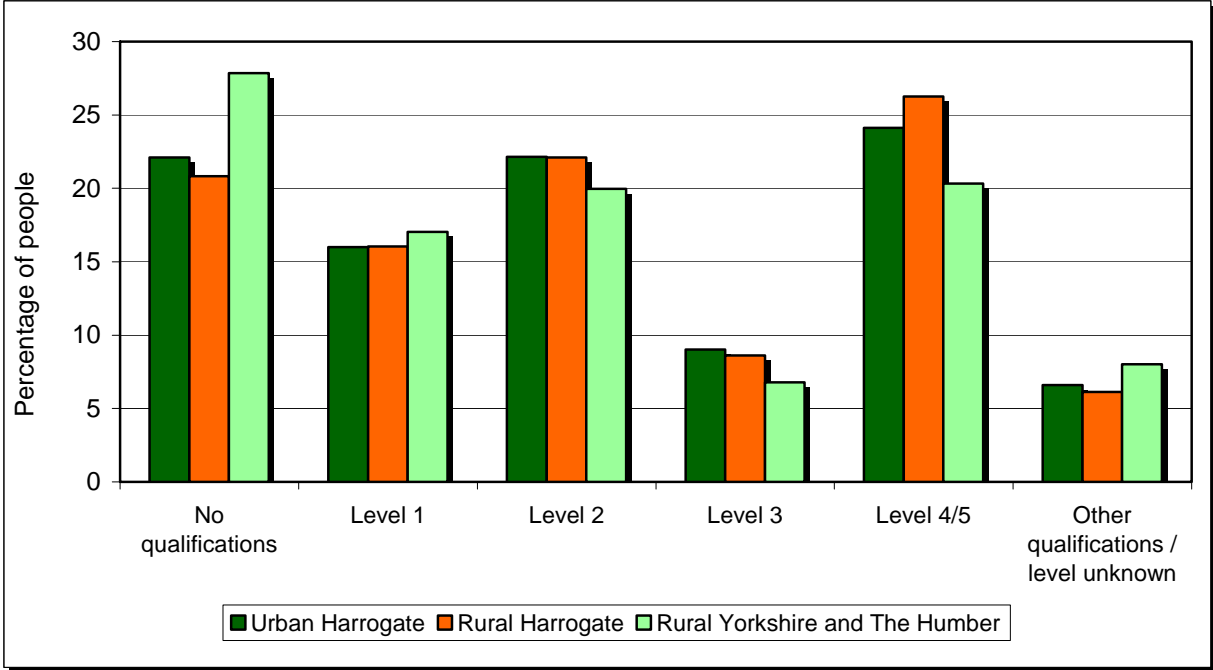
Level 2: 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

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:

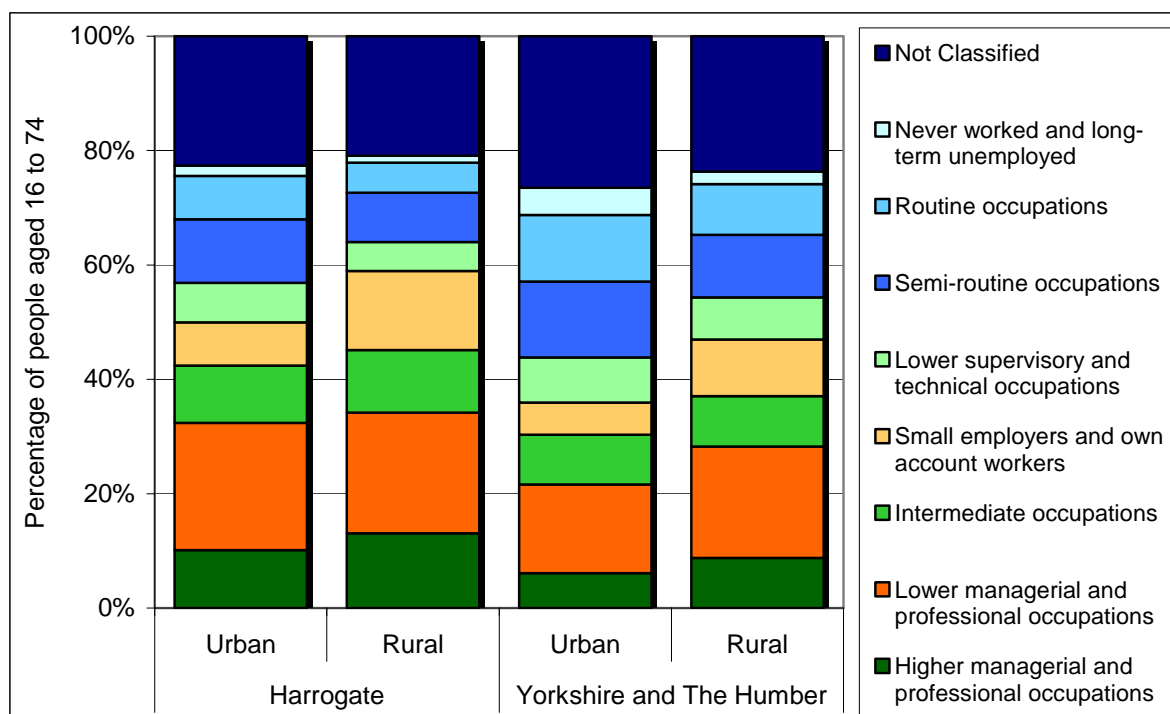
http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/ns_sec/default.asp

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

	Harrogate					Yorkshire and The Humber	
	Urban Total	Rural			Urban	Rural	
		Total	Towns	Villages			Dispersed
Higher managerial and professional occupations	7,383	4,718	324	3,148	1,246	173,126	63,964
Lower managerial and professional occupations	16,297	7,632	680	4,829	2,123	442,238	141,715
Intermediate occupations	7,296	3,945	309	2,791	845	247,830	63,888
Small employers and own account workers	5,533	4,992	443	2,797	1,752	159,812	72,332
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	5,038	1,830	269	1,094	467	223,681	53,252
Semi-routine occupations	8,139	3,100	445	1,891	764	378,652	79,712
Routine occupations	5,526	1,919	337	1,134	448	331,622	64,783
Never worked and long-term unemployed	1,311	424	31	258	135	134,877	15,618
Not Classified	16,529	7,550	816	4,737	1,997	754,327	172,351

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 Harrogate 28% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 51.9% of those people are retired, 9.9% are students and 23.5% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 29% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban Harrogate and 31.8% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

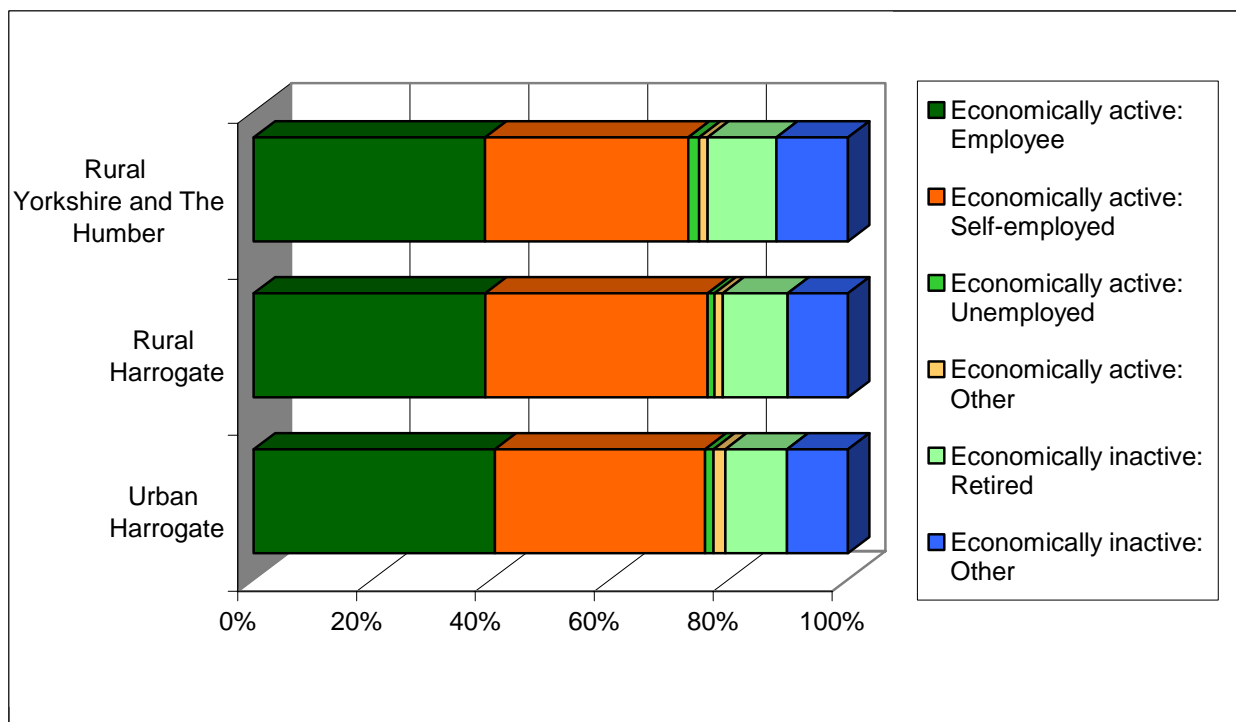
Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

	Harrogate					Yorkshire and The Humber	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Economically active	51,957	25,996	2,622	16,244	7,130	1,832,405	496,140
Employee	41,591	18,630	1,994	11,983	4,653	1,465,473	380,949
Part-time	9,797	4,284	445	2,688	1,151	366,073	94,617
Full-time	31,794	14,346	1,549	9,295	3,502	1,099,400	286,332
Self-employed with employees	2,418	2,591	185	1,504	902	66,923	34,814
Part-time	356	373	25	224	124	9,982	5,024
Full-time	2,062	2,218	160	1,280	778	56,941	29,790
Self-employed without employees	4,450	3,570	303	2,017	1,250	108,623	48,458
Part-time	1,402	1,075	83	621	371	29,310	13,665
Full-time	3,048	2,495	220	1,396	879	79,313	34,793
Unemployed	1,469	544	67	338	139	114,575	17,940
Full-time Students	2,029	661	73	402	186	76,811	13,979
Economically inactive	21,182	10,088	1,048	6,391	2,649	1,014,359	231,364
Retired	10,628	5,232	603	3,354	1,275	396,864	113,234
Student	2,445	999	93	571	335	150,832	23,018
Looking after home/family	3,830	2,371	200	1,512	659	186,878	43,511
Permanently sick/disabled	2,822	833	87	545	201	183,735	34,006
Other	1,457	653	65	409	179	96,050	17,595
% economically active	71.0	72.0	71.4	71.8	72.9	64.4	68.2
% economically inactive	29.0	28.0	28.6	28.2	27.1	35.6	31.8

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



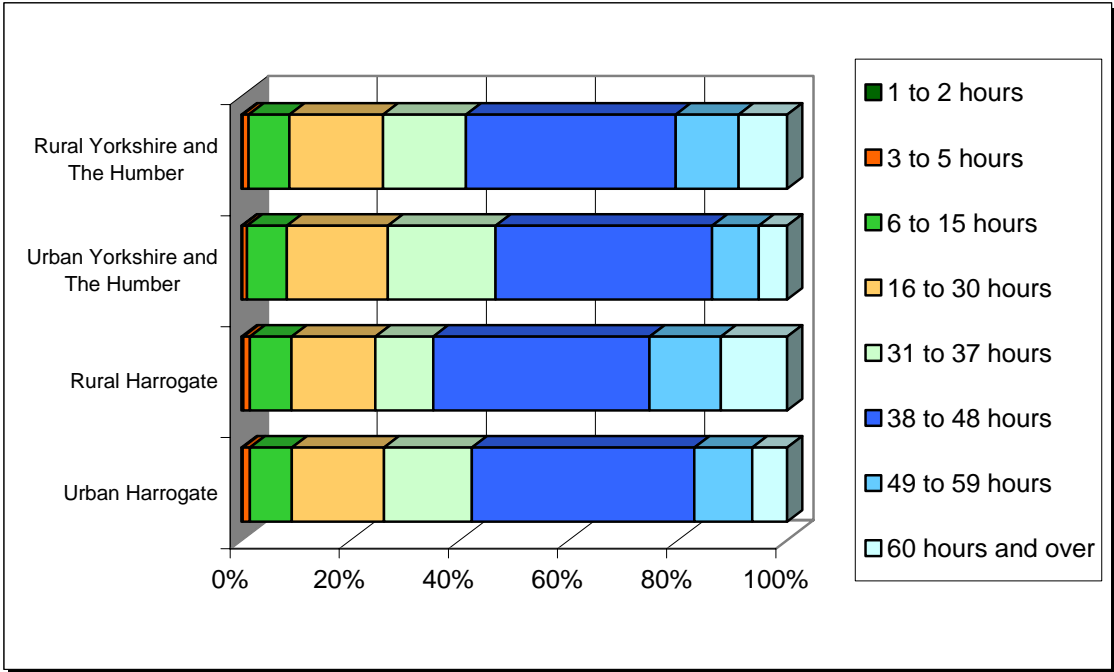
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

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
Harrogate										
Urban	111	663	3,886	8,468	8,116	20,504	5,325	3,232	26.1	73.9
Rural	81	306	1,947	3,905	2,687	10,086	3,319	3,095	24.5	75.5
Less Sparse	72	287	1,775	3,571	2,448	9,349	3,038	2,778	24.5	75.5
Town	3	28	147	291	223	864	241	179	23.7	76.3
Village	39	169	1,100	2,236	1,611	6,126	1,952	1,531	24.0	76.0
Dispersed	30	90	528	1,044	614	2,359	845	1,068	25.7	74.3
Sparse	9	19	172	334	239	737	281	317	25.3	74.7
Town	-	6	43	89	82	210	69	77	24.0	76.0
Village	9	8	97	174	127	403	152	150	25.7	74.3
Dispersed	-	5	32	71	30	124	60	90	26.2	73.8
Total	192	969	5,833	12,373	10,803	30,590	8,644	6,327	25.6	74.4
Percentage rural	42.2	31.6	33.4	31.6	24.9	33.0	38.4	48.9		
Yorkshire and The Humber										
Urban	2,502	15,432	123,824	315,735	336,589	676,806	145,890	88,945	26.8	73.2
Rural	1,062	5,275	35,607	81,725	72,360	183,270	54,934	42,584	25.9	74.1
Total	3,564	20,707	159,431	397,460	408,949	860,076	200,824	131,529	26.6	73.4

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 Harrogate are: "Wholesale and retail trade; repairs", "Real estate, renting and business activities" and "Public administration and defence, social security"

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

	Harrogate					Yorkshire and The Humber	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	852	2,142	98	1,103	941	12,256	22,353
Fishing	9	18	3	3	12	681	267
Mining and quarrying	114	58	12	34	12	6,170	2,987
Manufacturing	5,072	2,419	338	1,459	622	305,799	72,931
Electricity, gas and water supply	301	141	6	90	45	13,848	3,742
Construction	3,096	1,558	225	917	416	118,576	34,584
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	9,105	3,737	459	2,288	990	314,291	76,390
Hotels and restaurants	3,122	1,360	192	759	409	86,167	23,977
Transport, storage and communications	2,314	1,066	142	668	256	110,228	26,616
Financial Intermediation	2,472	980	91	629	260	72,805	16,695
Real estate, renting and business activities	6,882	3,393	266	2,146	981	168,004	48,039
Public administration and defence, social security	3,813	2,969	168	2,301	500	85,119	34,080
Education	4,097	1,820	163	1,135	522	135,475	41,021
Health and social work	6,411	2,350	247	1,517	586	201,276	51,531
Other community, social & personal service activities	2,424	1,165	114	748	303	74,682	20,842
Private households with employed persons	73	71	9	44	18	745	458
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	141	160	7	47	106	252	217

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

Accommodation and tenure

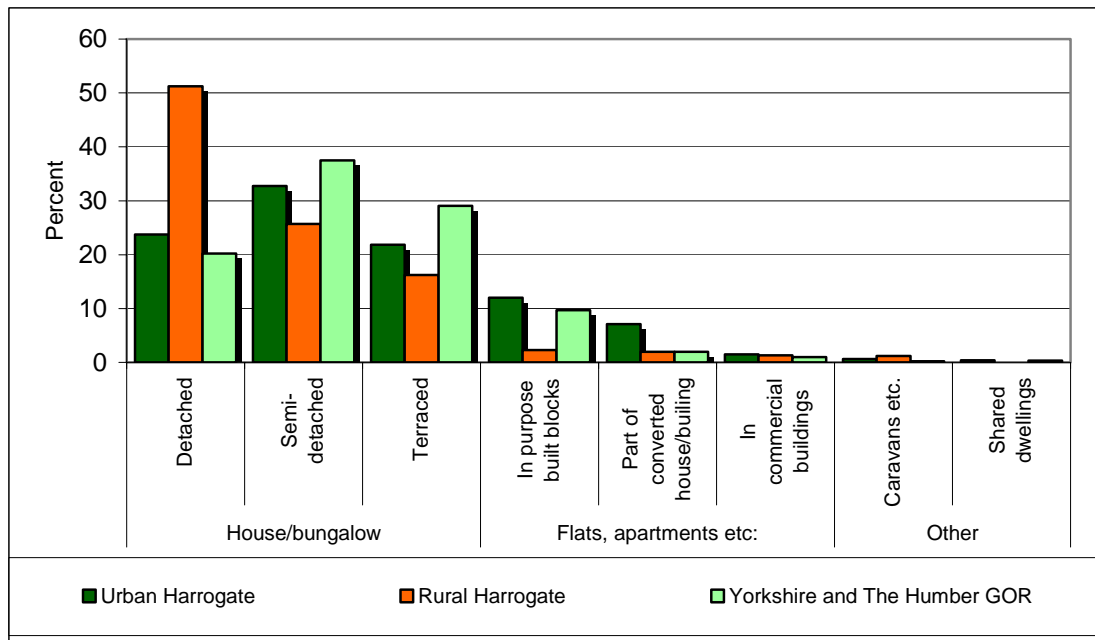
In rural Harrogate 93.2% of households live in houses or bungalows, 5.6% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 1.2% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban Harrogate 78.3% of households live in houses or bungalows, 20.6% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 1.1% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures.

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

	Harrogate					Yorkshire and The Humber	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
In an unshared dwelling	45,198	20,701	2,497	12,744	5,460	1,726,036	427,242
House or bungalow	35,546	19,295	2,117	12,158	5,020	1,471,523	402,077
Detached	10,765	10,607	768	6,541	3,298	265,349	170,782
Semi-detached	14,864	5,323	723	3,471	1,129	664,909	144,684
Terraced (including end-terrace)	9,917	3,365	626	2,146	593	541,265	86,611
Flat; maisonette or apartment	9,353	1,155	375	486	294	251,696	22,531
In a purpose-built block of flats	5,449	476	196	184	96	196,336	13,899
Part of a converted or shared house	3,228	403	72	196	135	38,263	4,754
In a commercial building	676	276	107	106	63	17,097	3,878
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	299	251	5	100	146	2,817	2,634
In a shared dwelling	185	3	3	-	-	7,157	248

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 Harrogate 75.1% of households live in owned accommodation, 7.3% live in social rented accommodation and 13.2% live in private rented accommodation.

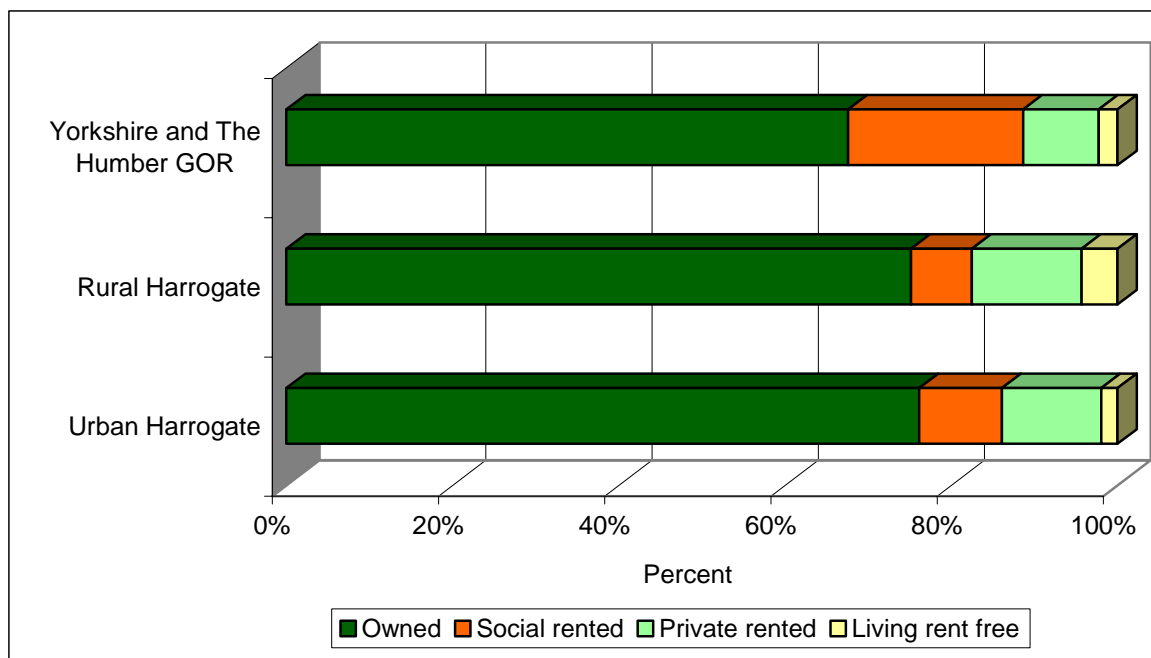
In urban Harrogate 76.1% of households live in owned accommodation, 9.9% live in social rented accommodation and 11.9% live in private rented accommodation.

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

	Harrogate					Yorkshire and The Humber	
	Urban Total	Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed	Urban	Rural
Owned	33,222	14,636	1,628	9,238	3,770	1,082,927	313,096
Owns outright	14,414	7,334	745	4,561	2,028	445,025	143,997
Owns with a mortgage or loan	18,566	7,211	863	4,624	1,724	629,608	167,772
Shared ownership	242	91	20	53	18	8,294	1,327
Social rented	4,339	1,426	308	978	140	387,537	46,788
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	2,760	1,076	256	714	106	321,280	35,490
Other social rented	1,579	350	52	264	34	66,257	11,298
Private rented	5,211	2,574	314	1,369	891	151,153	36,799
Private landlord or letting agency	4,559	2,057	268	1,048	741	133,203	29,769
Employer of a household member	199	216	10	147	59	1,965	2,308
Relative or friend of a household member	294	130	27	61	42	10,035	2,746
Other	159	171	9	113	49	5,950	1,976
Living rent free	861	840	80	427	333	36,605	10,307

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 Harrogate do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 21.5%.

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

	Harrogate					Yorkshire and The Humber		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	9,390	20,291	11,595	1,862	499	558,255	1,099,878	51,297	1,544,155
Rural	1,805	7,448	7,798	1,750	612	67,661	339,101	31,019	546,604
Less Sparse	1,585	6,678	7,196	1,626	558	61,826	306,993	28,442	495,714
Town	327	763	531	93	30	43,663	164,860	2,230	251,308
Village	945	4,262	4,572	993	327	13,866	102,414	17,844	174,133
Dispersed	313	1,653	2,093	540	201	4,297	39,719	8,368	70,273
Sparse	220	770	602	124	54	5,835	32,108	2,577	50,890
Town	128	288	137	20	3	3,433	11,941	634	17,154
Village	77	374	347	74	34	2,042	15,888	1,441	26,192
Dispersed	15	108	118	30	17	360	4,279	502	7,544
Total	11,195	27,739	19,393	3,612	1,111	625,916	1,438,979	82,316	2,090,759
Percentage rural	16.1	26.9	40.2	48.4	55.1	10.8	23.6	37.7	26.1

Source table from the Census: UV62 Cars or Vans

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

Access to Service

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

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

Distance to Cash Machines / ATMs and Banks

Cash Machines / ATMs	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a cash machine / ATM										
Less Sparse	7,257	5,092	3,322	1,269	77	16	-	-	-	17,033
Town	1,749	56	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	1,814
Village	3,555	4,029	2,631	897	38	-	-	-	-	11,150
Dispersed	1,953	1,007	691	372	39	7	-	-	-	4,069
Sparse	1,271	258	254	14	3	32	13	-	-	1,845
Town	682	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	682
Village	536	177	192	-	-	-	-	-	-	905
Dispersed	53	81	62	14	3	32	13	-	-	258
Rural Total	8,528	5,350	3,576	1,283	80	48	13	-	-	18,878
% of rural households										
in the Authority	45.2	28.3	18.9	6.8	0.4	0.3	0.1	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	69.2	16.7	8.9	3.3	1.4	0.4	0.1	-	-	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	3,501	4,121	4,373	3,592	1,411	35	-	-	-	17,033
Town	1,701	-	113	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,814
Village	834	3,009	3,746	2,636	924	1	-	-	-	11,150
Dispersed	966	1,112	514	956	487	34	-	-	-	4,069
Sparse	733	96	455	506	10	32	13	-	-	1,845
Town	680	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	682
Village	-	13	393	492	7	-	-	-	-	905
Dispersed	53	81	62	14	3	32	13	-	-	258
Rural Total	4,234	4,217	4,828	4,098	1,421	67	13	-	-	18,878
% of rural households										
in the Authority	22.4	22.3	25.6	21.7	7.5	0.4	0.1	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	41.2	28.0	16.9	8.1	4.2	1.1	0.3	0.1	-	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

Distance to GPs and Jobcentres

GPs	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a GP										
Less Sparse	4,478	4,825	5,365	2,132	212	7	-	14	-	17,033
Town	1,687	-	113	-	-	-	-	14	-	1,814
Village	1,821	3,458	4,358	1,455	58	-	-	-	-	11,150
Dispersed	970	1,367	894	677	154	7	-	-	-	4,069
Sparse	724	82	567	414	13	32	13	-	-	1,845
Town	671	2	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	682
Village	-	13	491	401	-	-	-	-	-	905
Dispersed	53	67	76	13	4	32	13	-	-	258
Rural Total	5,202	4,907	5,932	2,546	225	39	13	14	-	18,878
% of rural households										
in the Authority	27.6	26.0	31.4	13.5	1.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	53.6	25.1	13.6	5.0	2.0	0.6	0.1	-	-	100.0

Jobcentres	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a jobcentre										
Less Sparse	22	1,536	1,710	1,837	1,941	1,393	2,266	3,525	2,803	17,033
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	251	882	681	1,814
Village	-	1,086	1,397	1,524	1,438	893	1,574	1,758	1,480	11,150
Dispersed	22	450	313	313	503	500	441	885	642	4,069
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	1,829	1,845
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	682	682
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	889	905
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	258	258
Rural Total	22	1,536	1,710	1,837	1,941	1,393	2,266	3,541	4,632	18,878
% of rural households										
in the Authority	0.1	8.1	9.1	9.7	10.3	7.4	12.0	18.8	24.5	100.0
in the Government Office Region	5.6	13.3	19.8	15.7	12.7	11.7	8.3	3.8	9.1	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	3,238	3,972	4,576	4,000	1,232	15	-	-	-	17,033
Town	1,701	-	113	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,814
Village	561	2,881	3,833	2,956	916	3	-	-	-	11,150
Dispersed	976	1,091	630	1,044	316	12	-	-	-	4,069
Sparse	733	96	447	514	10	32	13	-	-	1,845
Town	680	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	682
Village	-	13	385	500	7	-	-	-	-	905
Dispersed	53	81	62	14	3	32	13	-	-	258
Rural Total	3,971	4,068	5,023	4,514	1,242	47	13	-	-	18,878
% of rural households										
in the Authority	21.0	21.5	26.6	23.9	6.6	0.2	0.1	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	53.3	21.5	12.7	7.5	3.7	1.0	0.2	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	6,881	6,980	2,594	506	65	7	-	-	-	17,033
Town	1,701	113	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,814
Village	3,381	5,476	2,022	233	38	-	-	-	-	11,150
Dispersed	1,799	1,391	572	273	27	7	-	-	-	4,069
Sparse	857	351	428	161	3	37	8	-	-	1,845
Town	682	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	682
Village	128	264	365	148	-	-	-	-	-	905
Dispersed	47	87	63	13	3	37	8	-	-	258
Rural Total	7,738	7,331	3,022	667	68	44	8	-	-	18,878
% of rural households										
in the Authority	41.0	38.8	16.0	3.5	0.4	0.2	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	65.0	24.9	8.0	1.6	0.4	0.1	-	-	-	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

Distance to Post Offices and Supermarkets

Post Offices	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a post office										
Less Sparse	12,426	4,184	370	53	-	-	-	-	-	17,033
Town	1,814	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,814
Village	7,948	3,057	145	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,150
Dispersed	2,664	1,127	225	53	-	-	-	-	-	4,069
Sparse	1,635	153	51	6	-	-	-	-	-	1,845
Town	680	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	682
Village	875	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	905
Dispersed	80	121	51	6	-	-	-	-	-	258
Rural Total	14,061	4,337	421	59	-	-	-	-	-	18,878
% of rural households										
in the Authority	74.5	23.0	2.2	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	87.6	10.4	1.8	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	100.0

Supermarkets	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a supermarket										
Less Sparse	2,990	4,063	3,423	3,170	1,208	818	346	948	67	17,033
Town	1,020	-	-	113	-	-	-	681	-	1,814
Village	955	3,251	2,845	2,416	863	542	227	51	-	11,150
Dispersed	1,015	812	578	641	345	276	119	216	67	4,069
Sparse	731	100	462	497	10	-	8	37	-	1,845
Town	680	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	682
Village	-	15	400	483	7	-	-	-	-	905
Dispersed	51	83	62	14	3	-	8	37	-	258
Rural Total	3,721	4,163	3,885	3,667	1,218	818	354	985	67	18,878
% of rural households										
in the Authority	19.7	22.1	20.6	19.4	6.5	4.3	1.9	5.2	0.4	100.0
in the Government Office Region	42.5	26.7	13.7	7.5	5.2	1.7	0.8	1.2	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	13,179	3,431	333	8	34	48	-	-	-	17,033
Town	1,711	103	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,814
Village	8,743	2,252	104	3	10	38	-	-	-	11,150
Dispersed	2,725	1,076	229	5	24	10	-	-	-	4,069
Sparse	1,389	375	36	-	8	37	-	-	-	1,845
Town	672	2	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	682
Village	610	288	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	905
Dispersed	107	85	21	-	8	37	-	-	-	258
Rural Total	14,568	3,806	369	8	42	85	-	-	-	18,878
% of rural households										
in the Authority	77.2	20.2	2.0	-	0.2	0.5	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	88.3	9.8	1.7	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	3,350	3,298	4,297	4,223	1,788	50	-	27	-	17,033
Town	1,674	-	-	113	-	-	-	27	-	1,814
Village	772	2,296	3,850	3,049	1,162	21	-	-	-	11,150
Dispersed	904	1,002	447	1,061	626	29	-	-	-	4,069
Sparse	-	-	203	598	919	95	30	-	-	1,845
Town	-	-	-	81	601	-	-	-	-	682
Village	-	-	203	485	198	19	-	-	-	905
Dispersed	-	-	-	32	120	76	30	-	-	258
Rural Total	3,350	3,298	4,500	4,821	2,707	145	30	27	-	18,878
% of rural households										
in the Authority	17.7	17.5	23.8	25.5	14.3	0.8	0.2	0.1	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	33.3	34.2	16.8	7.8	5.3	1.7	0.4	0.2	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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