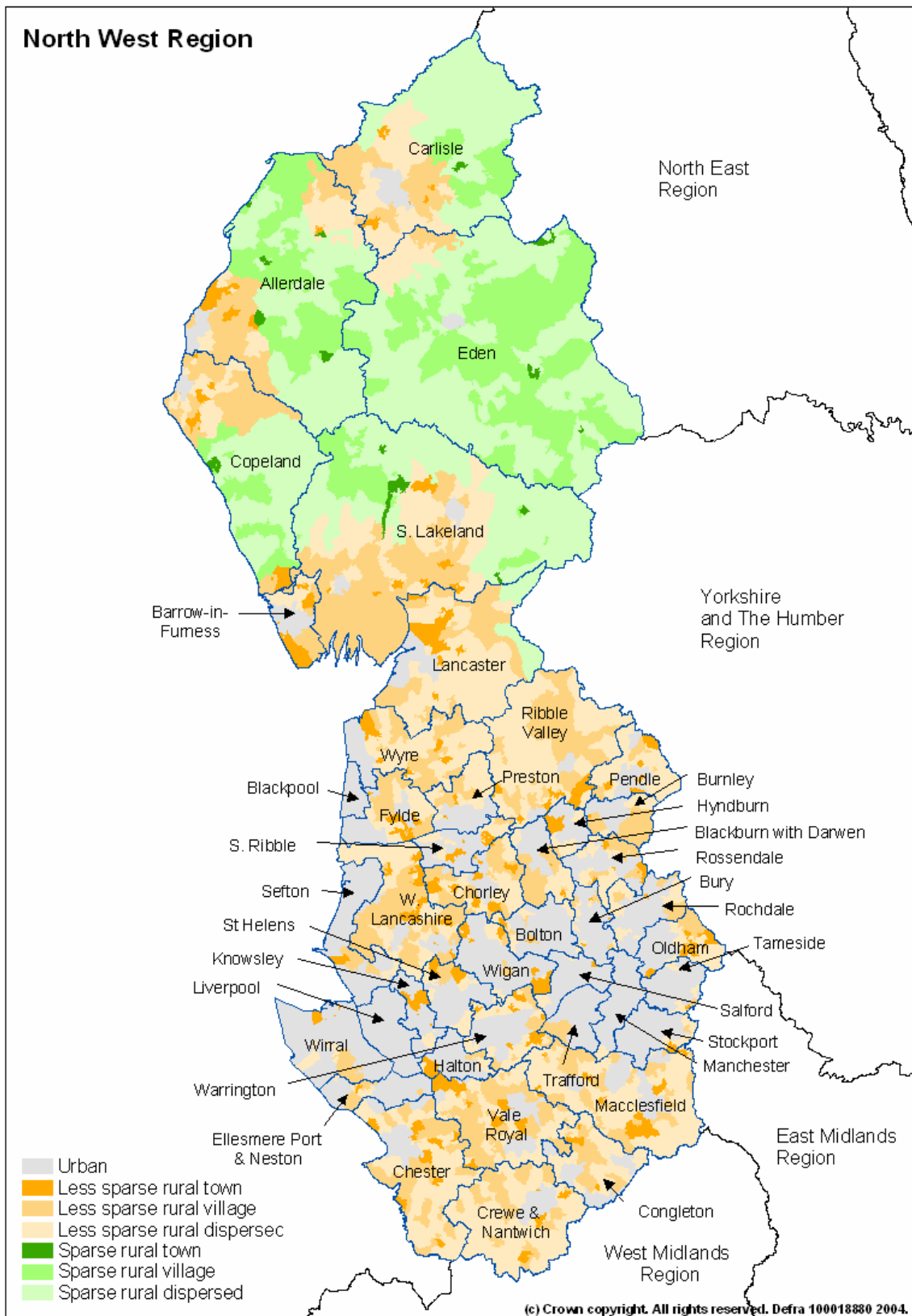


Lancaster

Census 2001 and Access to Services Focus on Rural Areas

Lancaster is in the North West Government Office Region

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



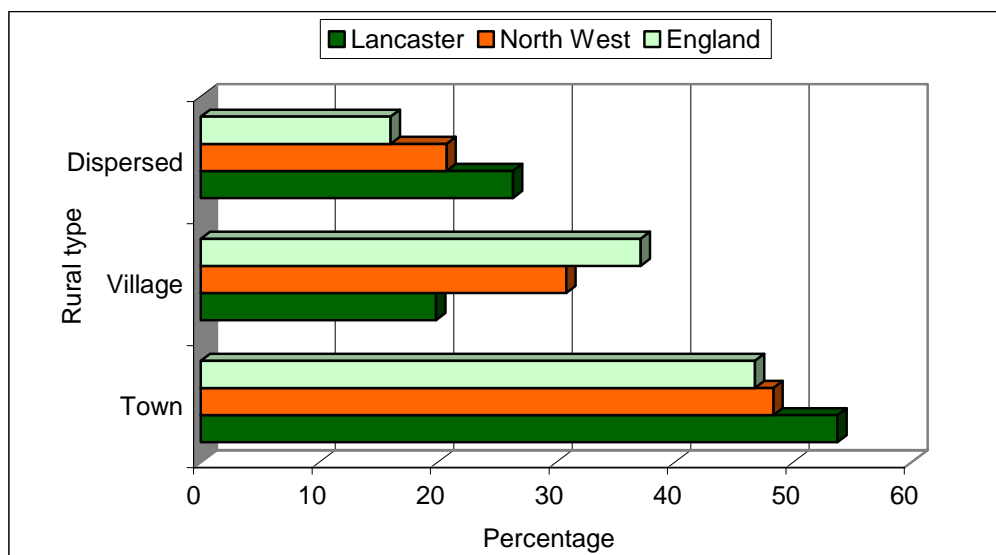
Population

In Lancaster 28.7% of people live in rural areas, compared with 12.1% in the Government Office Region. Within the rural areas 2% live in sparse rural areas.

	Lancaster			North West		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Urban	45,374	50,147	95,521	2,857,341	3,056,872	5,914,213
Rural	18,731	19,662	38,393	401,613	413,938	815,551
Less Sparse	18,309	19,233	37,542	349,155	359,674	708,829
Town	10,069	10,583	20,652	176,812	186,076	362,888
Village	3,722	3,984	7,706	103,718	105,497	209,215
Dispersed	4,518	4,666	9,184	68,625	68,101	136,726
Sparse	422	429	851	52,458	54,264	106,722
Town	-	-	-	17,418	18,617	36,035
Village	-	-	-	20,279	20,795	41,074
Dispersed	422	429	851	14,761	14,852	29,613
Total	64,105	69,809	133,914	3,258,954	3,470,810	6,729,764
Percentage rural	29.2	28.2	28.7	12.3	11.9	12.1

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

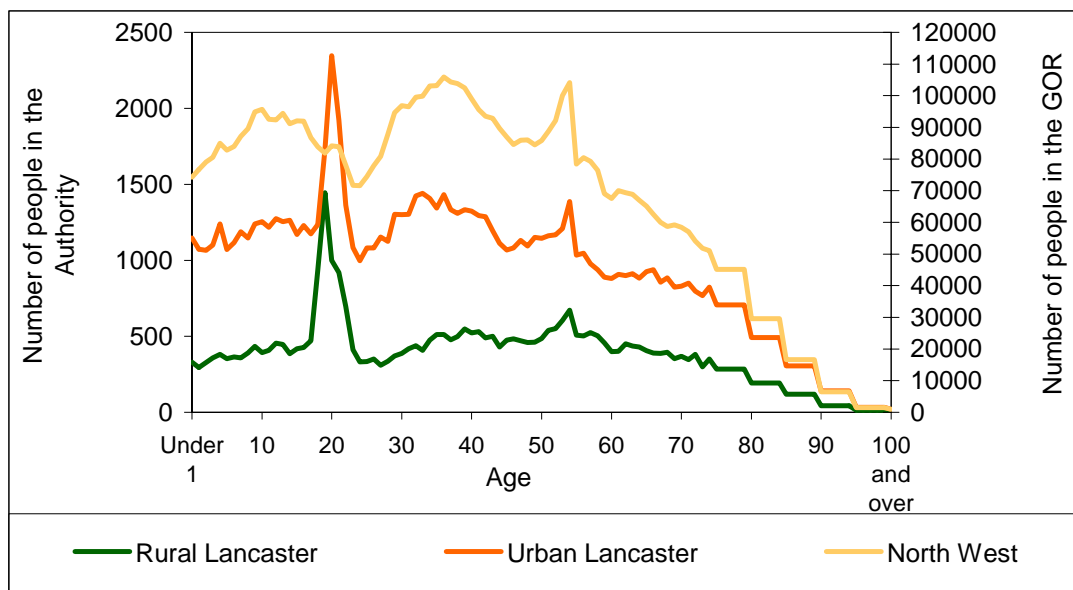
In Lancaster 2.7% of the population live in rural areas and are under 10 years old. 7% of the Authority's population live in rural areas and are under 19 years of age. 3.7% are aged 70 or over and live in rural areas.

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	14,984	11,390	3,594	2,164	-	763	-	583	84	24.0
10 to 19	18,596	12,810	5,786	2,630	-	827	-	2,228	101	31.1
20 to 29	18,524	13,459	5,065	1,901	-	536	-	2,571	57	27.3
30 to 39	18,310	13,635	4,675	2,749	-	996	-	805	125	25.5
40 to 49	16,563	11,740	4,823	2,755	-	1,043	-	901	124	29.1
50 to 59	16,312	10,961	5,351	2,972	-	1,393	-	835	151	32.8
60 to 69	12,964	8,914	4,050	2,297	-	1,019	-	630	104	31.2
70 to 79	10,772	7,606	3,166	1,942	-	786	-	385	53	29.4
80 to 89	5,537	3,982	1,555	1,043	-	311	-	170	31	28.1
90 and over	1,171	885	286	191	-	47	-	45	3	24.4
	133,733	95,382	38,351	20,644	-	7,721	-	9,153	833	28.7

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.

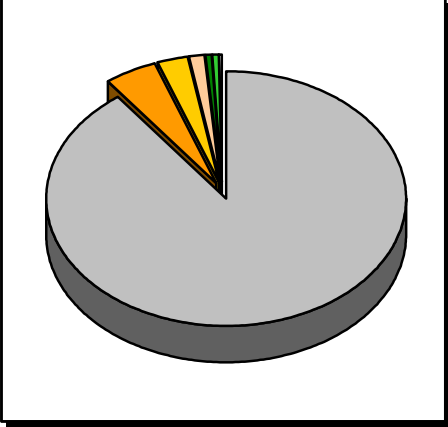
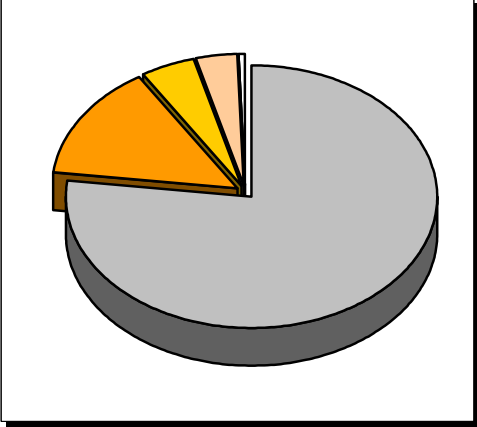


Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

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

Authority:
Lancaster
Number of under 5's: 7,400

Government Office Region:
North West
Number of under 5's: 395,700



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

Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

Marital Status

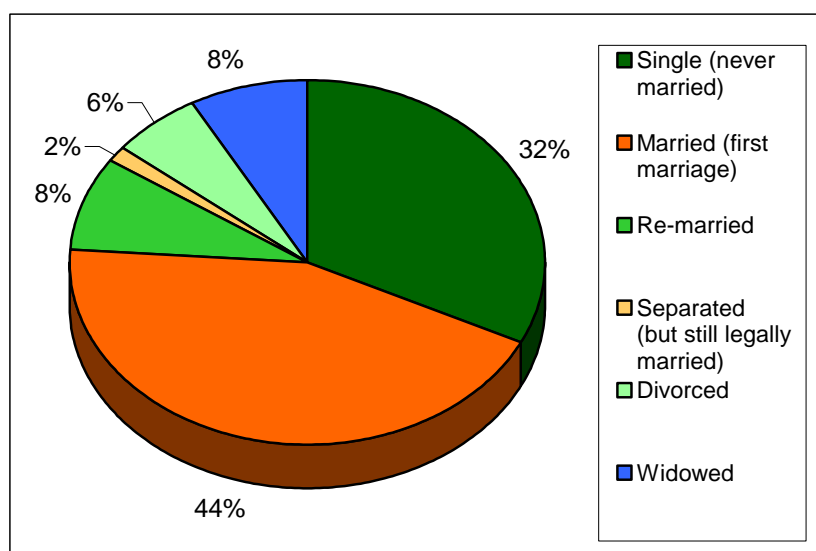
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted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

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

	Single (never married)	Married (first marriage)	Re-married	Separated (but still legally married)	Divorced	Widowed
Lancaster						
Urban	25,388	27,919	6,501	1,973	7,530	7,386
Rural	10,378	14,177	2,709	495	1,974	2,565
Less Sparse	10,243	13,782	2,639	488	1,930	2,520
Town	4,135	8,110	1,604	295	1,192	1,681
Village	1,317	3,362	639	121	433	536
Dispersed	4,791	2,310	396	72	305	303
Sparse	135	395	70	7	44	45
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	135	395	70	7	44	45
Total	35,766	42,096	9,210	2,468	9,504	9,951
North West						
Urban	1,452,501	1,948,404	316,260	119,689	411,366	424,007
Rural	156,173	338,184	56,434	11,492	46,752	56,125
Total	1,608,674	2,286,588	372,694	131,181	458,118	480,132

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 Lancaster 25.8% of households are in rural areas. 26.3% of rural households are single person households. 7% of rural households are lone parent family households.

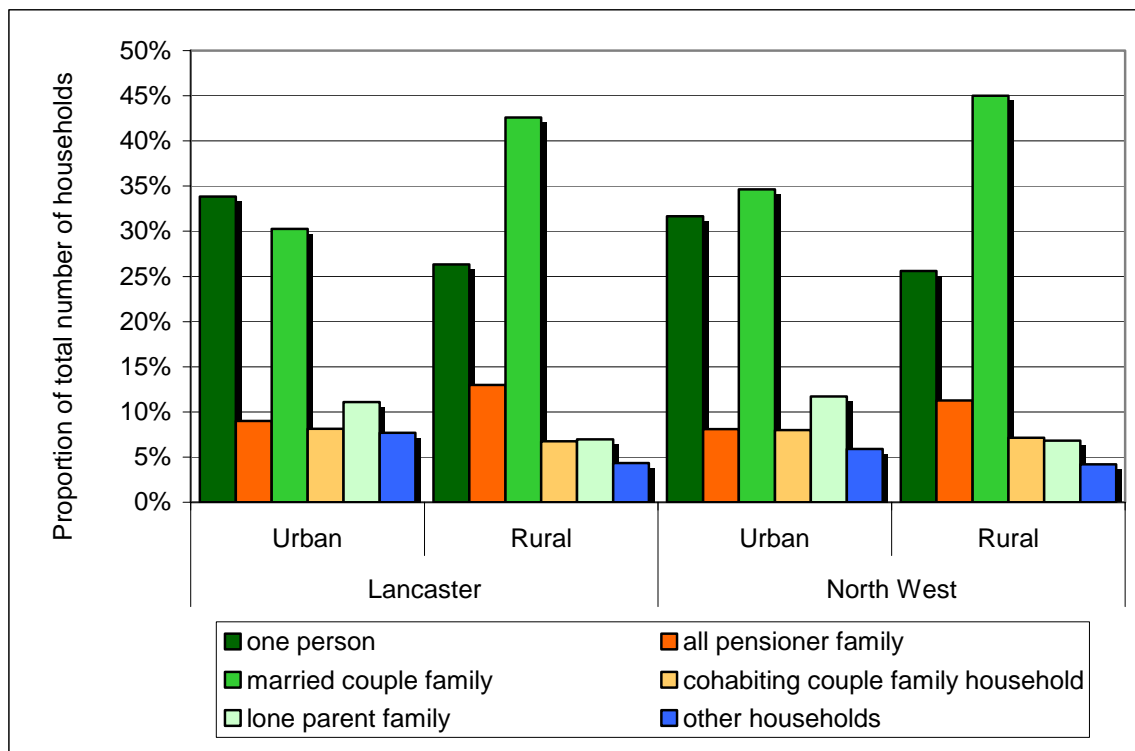
Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban Total	Rural						% rural	
		Total	Less sparse			Sparse			
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	41,388	14,418	8,612	3,387	2,070	-	-	349	25.8
One person household	14,002	3,798	2,364	909	453	-	-	72	21.3
pensioner	6,861	2,164	1,391	519	217	-	-	37	24.0
other	7,141	1,634	973	390	236	-	-	35	18.6
All pensioner family	3,719	1,871	1,145	458	228	-	-	40	33.5
Married couple family	12,525	6,143	3,503	1,464	999	-	-	177	32.9
no children	4,841	2,549	1,436	657	384	-	-	72	34.5
with one dependent child	2,239	937	540	203	167	-	-	27	29.5
with two or more dependent children	3,682	1,743	1,009	376	308	-	-	50	32.1
all children non-dependent	1,763	914	518	228	140	-	-	28	34.1
Cohabiting couple family	3,366	975	589	235	134	-	-	17	22.5
no children	1,814	567	318	146	95	-	-	8	23.8
with one dependent child	723	208	135	52	18	-	-	3	22.3
two or more dependent children	703	161	109	25	21	-	-	6	18.6
all children non-dependent	126	39	27	12	-	-	-	-	23.6
Lone parent family	4,590	1,003	655	187	136	-	-	25	17.9
with one dependent child	1,870	345	223	66	44	-	-	12	15.6
with two or more dependant children	1,610	301	200	57	41	-	-	3	15.8
all children non-dependent	1,110	357	232	64	51	-	-	10	24.3
Other households	3,186	628	356	134	120	-	-	18	16.5
with one dependent child	386	130	72	34	21	-	-	3	25.2
with two or more dependent children	378	82	56	10	13	-	-	3	17.8
all student	826	34	22	6	3	-	-	3	4.0
all pensioner	169	84	54	15	12	-	-	3	33.2
other	1,427	298	152	69	71	-	-	6	17.3

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.

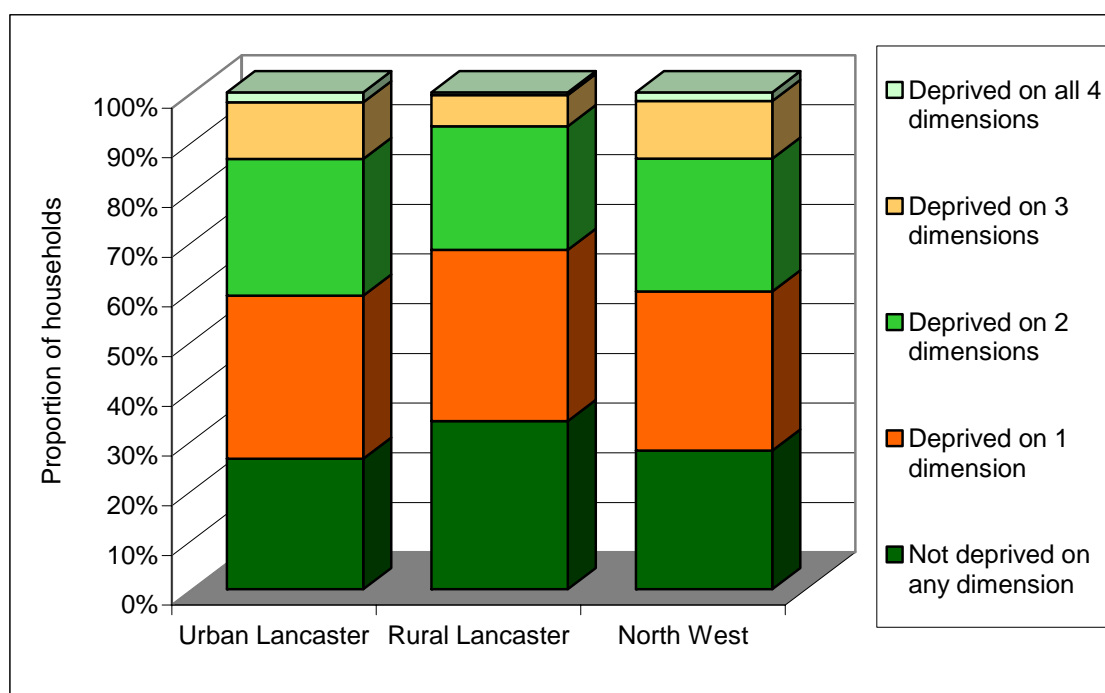
Housing – The household’s accommodation is either overcrowded, or is in a shared dwelling, or does not have sole use of bath/shower and toilet, or has no central heating.

Classification of household deprivation (number of households)

	Lancaster					North West	
	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	10,892	13,593	11,392	4,708	850	668,918	1,810,526
Rural	4,877	4,954	3,583	901	84	115,466	217,854
Less Sparse	4,751	4,834	3,516	877	84	101,747	186,768
Town	2,828	2,948	2,223	543	56	49,918	102,318
Village	1,124	1,182	847	204	16	31,797	53,524
Dispersed	799	704	446	130	12	20,032	30,926
Sparse	126	120	67	24	-	13,719	31,086
Town	-	-	-	-	-	4,366	11,456
Village	-	-	-	-	-	5,404	11,904
Dispersed	126	120	67	24	-	3,949	7,726

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)

	Lancaster				North West			
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good
Urban	63,038	22,231	10,252	10.7	3,927,251	1,319,675	667,281	11.3
Rural	27,175	8,206	3,012	7.8	573,932	171,792	69,831	8.6

Source table from the Census: UV20 General health

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

	Lancaster			North West			England
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	75,436	20,085	21.0	4,665,344	1,248,870	21.1	18.2
Rural	31,776	6,617	17.2	669,811	145,738	17.9	17.0

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

Number of people providing unpaid care

	Lancaster			% providing some unpaid care	
	1 to 19 hours per week	20 to 49 hours per week	50 or more hours per week	Lancaster	North West
Urban	6,074	1,063	2,226	9.8	10.7
Rural	3,156	358	715	11.0	11.3
Towns	1,697	203	426	11.3	11.2
Villages	787	85	172	13.5	11.6
Dispersed	672	70	117	8.6	11.3

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

Qualifications

In Lancaster 26.7% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 31.9% in the Region as a whole. 23.9% of the people with no such qualifications are in rural parts of the Authority.

Number of people aged 16 to 74 by qualification level

	Number of people aged 16-74 within the authority that responded to the questions on qualification levels. (please see the footnotes)						Percentage with no qualifications	
	None	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4/5	Other	Authority	GOR
Urban	19,762	11,054	12,716	7,787	12,263	4,780	28.9	32.7
Rural	6,191	3,894	5,296	4,469	7,177	1,975	21.3	25.9
Less Sparse	6,057	3,792	5,156	4,415	7,011	1,933	21.4	25.7
Town	3,815	2,357	3,101	1,004	3,396	1,196	25.7	27.5
Village	1,285	819	1,088	403	1,707	422	22.4	24.1
Dispersed	957	616	967	3,008	1,908	315	12.3	23.5
Sparse	134	102	140	54	166	42	21.0	21.0
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	134	102	140	54	166	42	21.0	21.0
Total	25,953	14,948	18,012	12,256	19,440	6,755	26.7	31.9
Percentage rural	23.9	26.1	29.4	36.5	36.9	29.2		

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

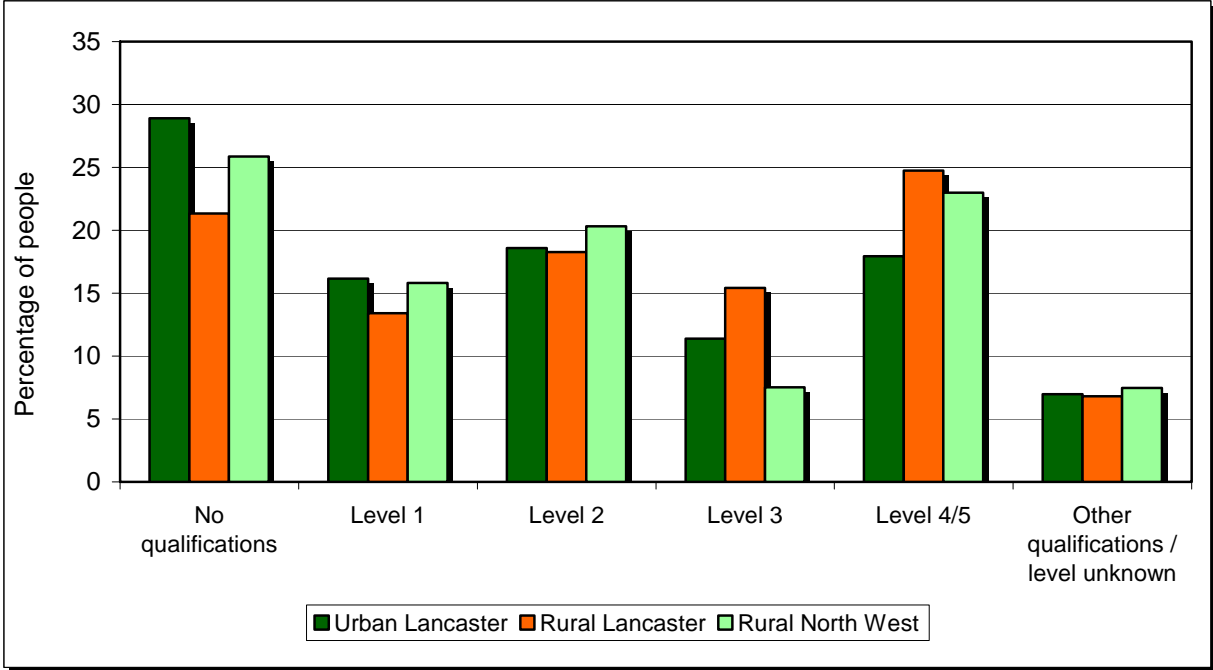
Level 2: 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

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:

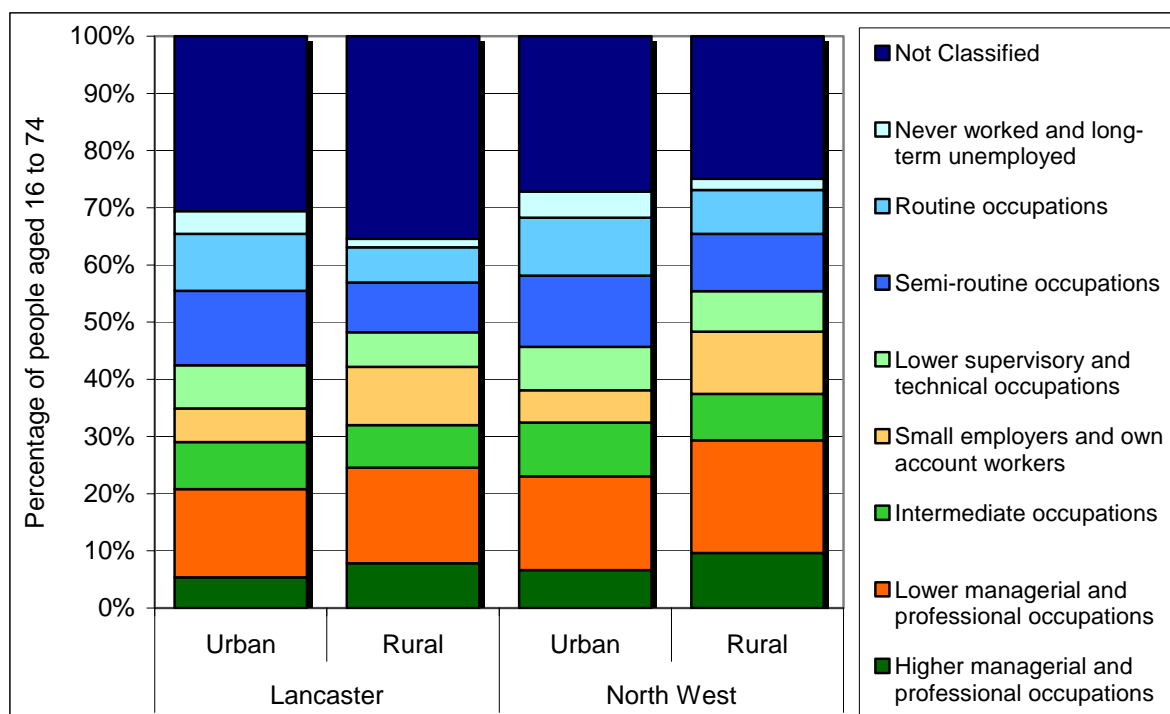
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Number of people in the Authority aged 16 to 74 by NS-SeC classification

	Lancaster					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Urban	Rural	
		Total	Towns	Villages			Dispersed
Higher managerial and professional occupations	3,706	2,271	1,198	591	482	282,429	57,874
Lower managerial and professional occupations	10,529	4,850	2,835	1,141	874	693,924	118,348
Intermediate occupations	5,620	2,155	1,350	459	346	399,725	48,561
Small employers and own account workers	4,029	2,959	1,290	736	933	239,611	65,478
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	5,166	1,752	1,157	329	266	319,481	42,526
Semi-routine occupations	8,893	2,525	1,623	523	379	528,820	60,146
Routine occupations	6,834	1,775	1,236	290	249	429,382	45,832
Never worked and long-term unemployed	2,722	430	240	82	108	195,075	11,787
Not Classified	20,924	10,272	3,948	1,544	4,780	1,150,366	149,759

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 Lancaster 39.5% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 40.2% of those people are retired, 35.1% are students and 11% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 38% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban Lancaster and 32.7% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

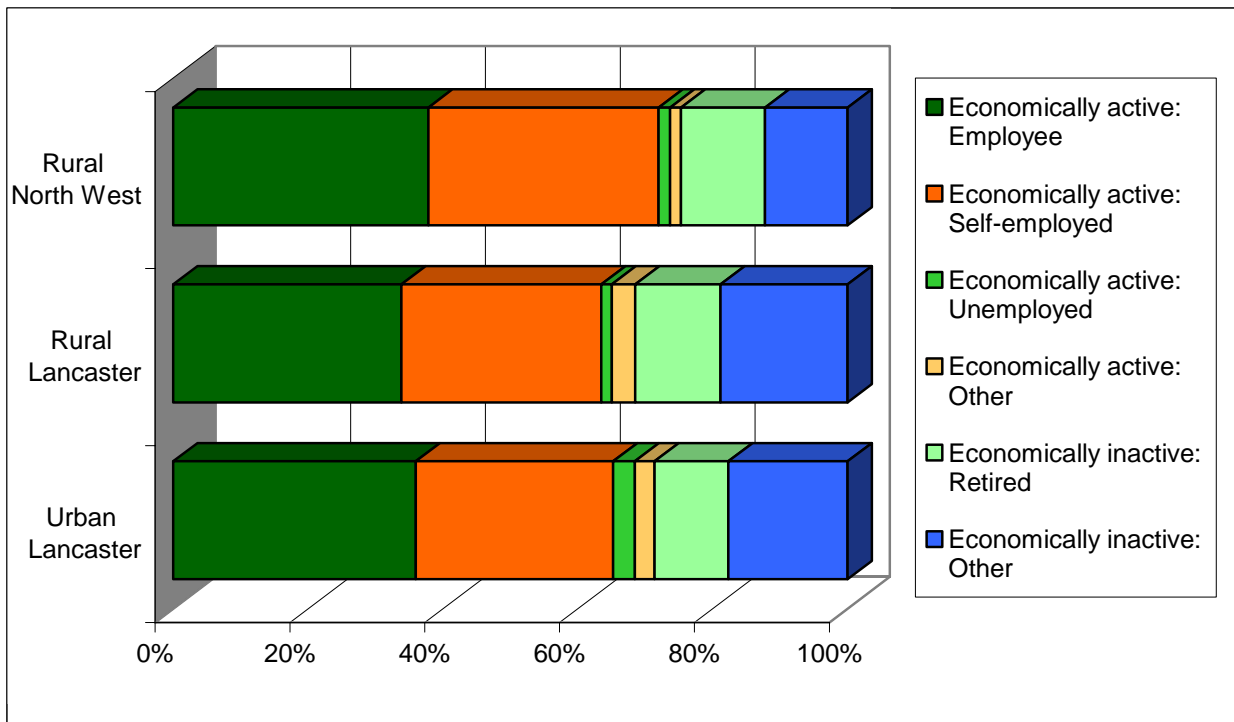
Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

	Lancaster					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Economically active	42,460	17,553	9,927	3,741	3,885	2,688,790	404,196
Employee	32,631	12,336	7,701	2,630	2,005	2,149,650	301,075
Part-time	8,787	3,574	2,223	767	584	501,022	73,498
Full-time	23,844	8,762	5,478	1,863	1,421	1,648,628	227,577
Self-employed with employees	1,572	1,346	574	359	413	101,466	32,491
Part-time	228	210	90	57	63	14,275	4,584
Full-time	1,344	1,136	484	302	350	87,191	27,907
Self-employed without employees	2,694	2,035	890	523	622	165,655	44,067
Part-time	754	599	270	169	160	44,229	12,291
Full-time	1,940	1,436	620	354	462	121,426	31,776
Unemployed	2,912	568	358	121	89	161,961	13,511
Full-time Students	2,651	1,268	404	108	756	110,058	13,052
Economically inactive	25,970	11,475	4,964	1,984	4,527	1,549,992	196,410
Retired	9,943	4,609	2,742	1,184	683	591,909	99,163
Student	5,339	4,032	566	180	3,286	201,847	21,901
Looking after home/family	3,725	1,259	727	267	265	264,178	31,824
Permanently sick/disabled	4,790	1,057	599	264	194	345,729	29,164
Other	2,173	518	330	89	99	146,329	14,358
% economically active	62.0	60.5	66.7	65.3	46.2	63.4	67.3
% economically inactive	38.0	39.5	33.3	34.7	53.8	36.6	32.7

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



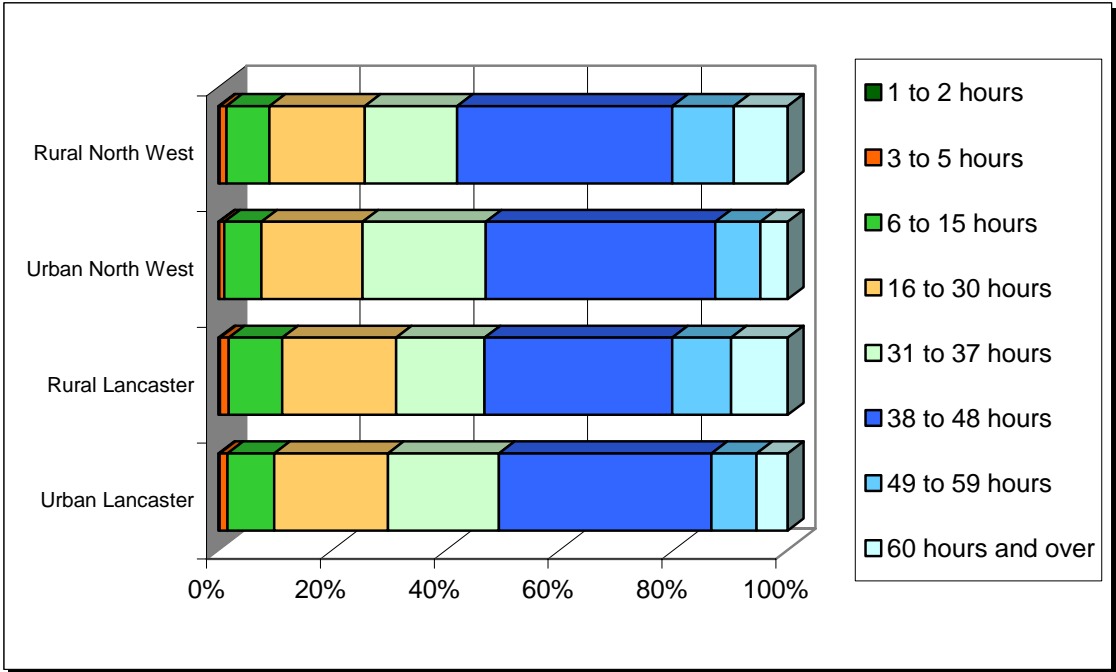
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

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
Lancaster										
Urban	88	526	3,205	7,823	7,629	14,597	3,109	2,136	29.8	70.2
Rural	42	263	1,572	3,352	2,604	5,526	1,732	1,672	31.2	68.8
Less Sparse	39	253	1,521	3,268	2,567	5,421	1,680	1,574	31.1	68.9
Town	27	119	778	1,944	1,623	3,394	947	672	30.2	69.8
Village	6	53	318	688	562	1,137	417	421	29.6	70.4
Dispersed	6	81	425	636	382	890	316	481	35.7	64.3
Sparse	3	10	51	84	37	105	52	98	33.6	66.4
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	3	10	51	84	37	105	52	98	33.6	66.4
Total	130	789	4,777	11,175	10,233	20,123	4,841	3,808	30.2	69.8
Percentage rural	32.3	33.3	32.9	30.0	25.4	27.5	35.8	43.9		
North West										
Urban	3,678	22,316	163,446	446,293	543,956	1,011,129	198,946	120,990	25.3	74.7
Rural	890	4,535	29,498	65,036	63,325	147,008	42,180	36,779	25.7	74.3
Total	4,568	26,851	192,944	511,329	607,281	1,158,137	241,126	157,769	25.4	74.6

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 Lancaster are: "Wholesale and retail trade; repairs", "Health and social work" and "Education"

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

	Lancaster					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	367	853	176	230	447	16,068	19,460
Fishing	9	9	-	3	6	217	168
Mining and quarrying	111	131	91	28	12	3,324	1,365
Manufacturing	4,670	1,645	1,009	344	292	426,845	62,999
Electricity, gas and water supply	1,022	360	240	91	29	19,045	3,370
Construction	2,616	1,147	702	234	211	160,625	27,616
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	6,795	2,567	1,455	525	587	455,970	60,830
Hotels and restaurants	2,686	1,073	533	189	351	124,994	23,920
Transport, storage and communications	2,680	967	603	224	140	176,194	20,651
Financial Intermediation	1,026	376	237	86	53	97,186	11,904
Real estate, renting and business activities	2,961	1,386	725	330	331	270,755	42,372
Public administration and defence, social security	2,000	1,165	850	172	143	143,818	20,779
Education	4,367	2,029	1,079	513	437	195,905	34,634
Health and social work	5,729	2,213	1,380	466	367	304,953	42,254
Other community, social & personal service activities	2,121	841	426	172	243	113,565	16,613
Private households with employed persons	15	15	9	-	6	882	312
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	-	-	-	-	-	174	30

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

Accommodation and tenure

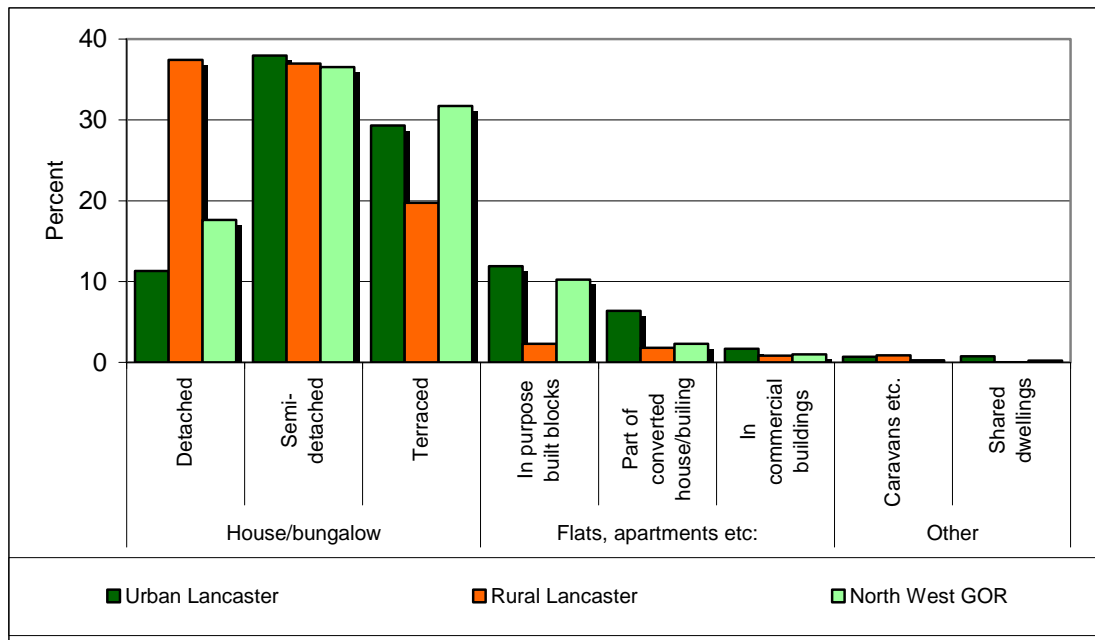
In rural Lancaster 94.1% of households live in houses or bungalows, 4.9% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.9% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban Lancaster 78.6% of households live in houses or bungalows, 20% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 1.5% 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

	Lancaster					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
In an unshared dwelling	43,447	15,091	8,909	3,567	2,615	2,589,512	353,802
House or bungalow	34,405	14,209	8,367	3,443	2,399	2,207,267	327,562
Detached	4,951	5,650	2,722	1,581	1,347	384,651	135,585
Semi-detached	16,621	5,578	3,742	1,109	727	963,397	114,882
Terraced (including end-terrace)	12,833	2,981	1,903	753	325	859,219	77,095
Flat; maisonette or apartment	8,744	747	480	112	155	379,123	21,208
In a purpose-built block of flats	5,201	346	245	38	63	289,319	12,693
Part of a converted or shared house	2,799	271	154	48	69	63,382	5,056
In a commercial building	744	130	81	26	23	26,422	3,459
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	298	135	62	12	61	3,122	5,032
In a shared dwelling	339	3	3	-	-	6,905	232

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 Lancaster 83.8% of households live in owned accommodation, 4.8% live in social rented accommodation and 9.1% live in private rented accommodation.

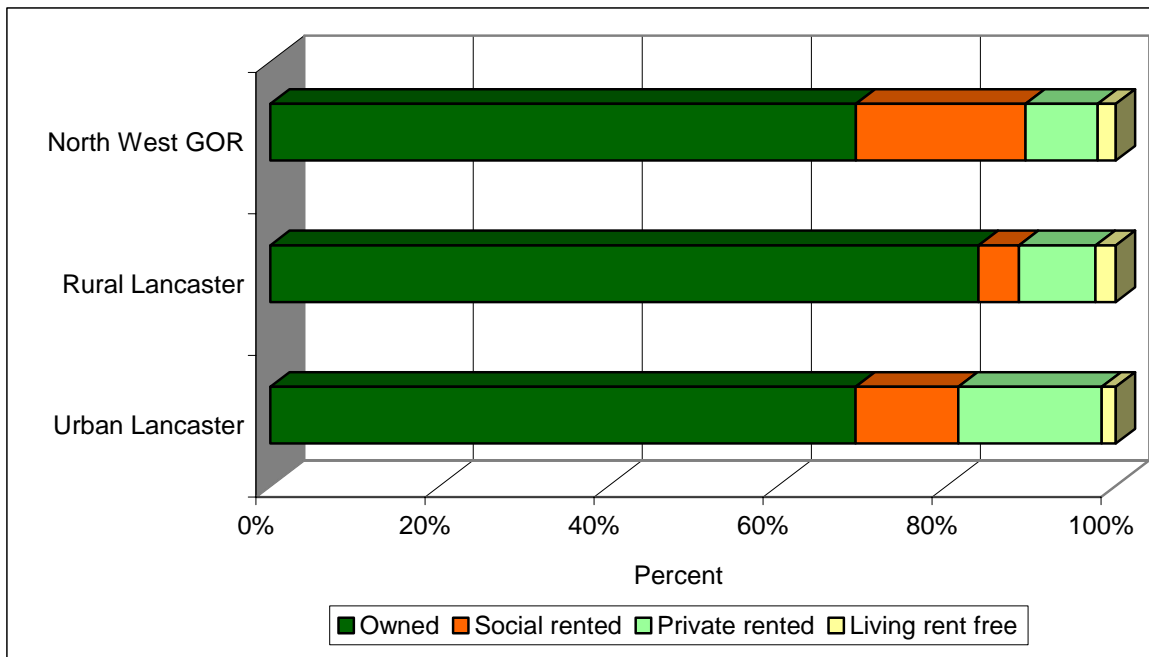
In urban Lancaster 69.2% of households live in owned accommodation, 12.1% live in social rented accommodation and 17% live in private rented accommodation.

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

	Lancaster					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Owned	28,722	12,081	7,409	2,856	1,816	1,679,846	268,077
Owns outright	13,028	6,322	3,686	1,597	1,039	705,548	132,073
Owns with a mortgage or loan	15,423	5,716	3,695	1,247	774	959,303	134,616
Shared ownership	271	43	28	12	3	14,995	1,388
Social rented	5,039	686	496	123	67	533,769	30,752
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	3,176	577	439	77	61	363,543	18,102
Other social rented	1,863	109	57	46	6	170,226	12,650
Private rented	7,050	1,310	546	326	438	213,075	26,974
Private landlord or letting agency	6,428	1,079	468	277	334	193,149	22,349
Employer of a household member	87	51	9	12	30	1,974	1,020
Relative or friend of a household member	460	107	45	25	37	14,117	2,419
Other	75	73	24	12	37	3,835	1,186
Living rent free	682	341	152	82	107	52,722	7,416

Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

Percentage of households by tenure



Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

Car ownership

13.5% of households in rural Lancaster do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 33.2%.

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

	Lancaster					North 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	Total number of cars or vans	
Urban	13,771	19,413	6,971	1,049	246	802,309	1,677,445	37,618	2,401,542
Rural	1,943	6,468	4,674	1,023	323	47,446	285,952	20,315	475,052
Less Sparse	1,920	6,343	4,532	988	309	40,770	247,839	19,742	413,747
Town	1,335	4,058	2,549	525	135	27,983	124,224	11,325	194,686
Village	373	1,485	1,190	264	84	8,974	76,400	5,023	131,242
Dispersed	212	800	793	199	90	3,813	47,215	3,394	87,819
Sparse	23	125	142	35	14	6,676	38,113	573	61,305
Town	-	-	-	-	-	3,845	12,006	-	17,090
Village	-	-	-	-	-	1,992	15,317	-	25,275
Dispersed	23	125	142	35	14	839	10,790	573	18,940
Total	15,714	25,881	11,645	2,072	569	849,755	1,963,397	57,933	2,876,594
Percentage rural	12.4	25.0	40.1	49.4	56.8	5.6	14.6	35.1	16.5

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	10,322	2,592	383	683	10	-	-	-	-	13,990
Town	7,687	1,153	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,846
Village	1,617	838	239	638	-	-	-	-	-	3,332
Dispersed	1,018	601	138	45	10	-	-	-	-	1,812
Sparse	10	196	84	4	-	-	-	-	-	294
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	10	196	84	4	-	-	-	-	-	294
Rural Total	10,332	2,788	467	687	10	-	-	-	-	14,284
% of rural households										
in the Authority	72.3	19.5	3.3	4.8	0.1	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	80.0	10.6	4.3	2.5	1.1	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.2	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	5,091	6,347	1,704	821	18	9	-	-	-	13,990
Town	4,110	4,637	99	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,846
Village	411	922	1,257	742	-	-	-	-	-	3,332
Dispersed	570	788	348	79	18	9	-	-	-	1,812
Sparse	15	165	114	-	-	-	-	-	-	294
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	15	165	114	-	-	-	-	-	-	294
Rural Total	5,106	6,512	1,818	821	18	9	-	-	-	14,284
% of rural households										
in the Authority	35.7	45.6	12.7	5.7	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	37.8	37.7	13.6	4.6	3.2	1.9	0.7	0.3	0.2	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	3,671	5,932	2,399	1,461	489	32	6	-	-	13,990
Town	3,034	4,002	1,400	410	-	-	-	-	-	8,846
Village	276	1,359	580	697	420	-	-	-	-	3,332
Dispersed	361	571	419	354	69	32	6	-	-	1,812
Sparse	10	161	113	10	-	-	-	-	-	294
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	10	161	113	10	-	-	-	-	-	294
Rural Total	3,681	6,093	2,512	1,471	489	32	6	-	-	14,284
% of rural households										
in the Authority	25.8	42.7	17.6	10.3	3.4	0.2	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	62.7	24.6	6.1	2.6	1.3	1.7	0.7	0.2	0.2	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	256	1,213	2,956	3,537	3,130	1,529	776	307	286	13,990
Town	175	943	2,280	2,804	1,986	658	-	-	-	8,846
Village	-	-	409	596	730	487	592	301	217	3,332
Dispersed	81	270	267	137	414	384	184	6	69	1,812
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	266	294
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	266	294
Rural Total	256	1,213	2,956	3,537	3,130	1,529	776	335	552	14,284
% of rural households										
in the Authority	1.8	8.5	20.7	24.8	21.9	10.7	5.4	2.3	3.9	100.0
in the Government Office Region	9.9	29.2	28.2	12.2	6.3	3.0	3.6	1.1	6.6	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	9,567	1,439	854	1,860	221	46	3	-	-	13,990
Town	8,034	77	44	691	-	-	-	-	-	8,846
Village	867	885	507	958	115	-	-	-	-	3,332
Dispersed	666	477	303	211	106	46	3	-	-	1,812
Sparse	10	157	120	7	-	-	-	-	-	294
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	10	157	120	7	-	-	-	-	-	294
Rural Total	9,577	1,596	974	1,867	221	46	3	-	-	14,284
% of rural households										
in the Authority	67.0	11.2	6.8	13.1	1.5	0.3	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	61.7	21.4	6.7	3.9	3.0	1.7	0.7	0.4	0.4	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	9,598	4,167	180	38	7	-	-	-	-	13,990
Town	7,510	1,311	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,846
Village	1,132	2,115	84	1	-	-	-	-	-	3,332
Dispersed	956	741	71	37	7	-	-	-	-	1,812
Sparse	14	203	77	-	-	-	-	-	-	294
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	14	203	77	-	-	-	-	-	-	294
Rural Total	9,612	4,370	257	38	7	-	-	-	-	14,284
% of rural households										
in the Authority	67.3	30.6	1.8	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	74.1	18.5	3.9	1.8	0.9	0.2	0.3	0.1	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	13,248	684	43	15	-	-	-	-	-	13,990
Town	8,846	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,846
Village	3,050	281	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3,332
Dispersed	1,352	403	43	14	-	-	-	-	-	1,812
Sparse	143	119	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	294
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	143	119	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	294
Rural Total	13,391	803	75	15	-	-	-	-	-	14,284
% of rural households										
in the Authority	93.7	5.6	0.5	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	93.0	5.6	1.0	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	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	5,705	5,634	1,388	1,122	126	12	3	-	-	13,990
Town	4,222	4,419	205	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,846
Village	799	620	961	865	87	-	-	-	-	3,332
Dispersed	684	595	222	257	39	12	3	-	-	1,812
Sparse	-	74	216	4	-	-	-	-	-	294
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	74	216	4	-	-	-	-	-	294
Rural Total	5,705	5,708	1,604	1,126	126	12	3	-	-	14,284
% of rural households										
in the Authority	39.9	40.0	11.2	7.9	0.9	0.1	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	58.1	27.1	7.4	2.9	2.2	1.3	0.6	0.2	0.3	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	11,805	2,169	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	13,990
Town	7,801	1,045	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,846
Village	2,751	581	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,332
Dispersed	1,253	543	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,812
Sparse	185	95	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	294
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	185	95	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	294
Rural Total	11,990	2,264	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	14,284
% of rural households										
in the Authority	83.9	15.8	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	91.1	6.1	2.0	0.6	0.1	-	-	-	-	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	3,597	5,769	3,376	896	313	30	9	-	-	13,990
Town	2,483	4,270	1,855	238	-	-	-	-	-	8,846
Village	830	890	1,031	393	188	-	-	-	-	3,332
Dispersed	284	609	490	265	125	30	9	-	-	1,812
Sparse	-	142	90	33	29	-	-	-	-	294
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	142	90	33	29	-	-	-	-	294
Rural Total	3,597	5,911	3,466	929	342	30	9	-	-	14,284
% of rural households										
in the Authority	25.2	41.4	24.3	6.5	2.4	0.2	0.1	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	44.7	31.8	14.3	4.5	1.9	1.0	0.7	0.5	0.6	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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