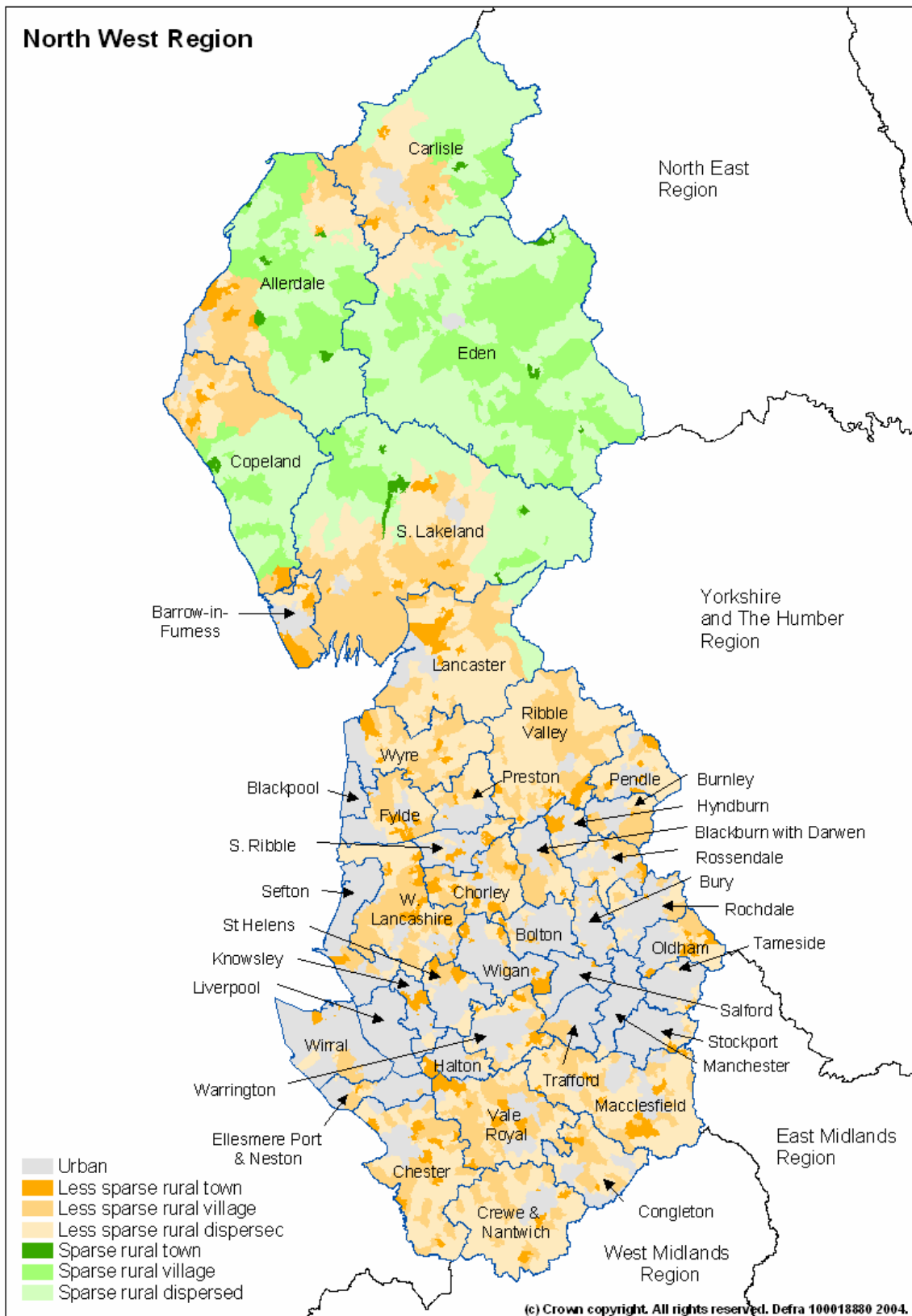


Congleton

Census 2001 and Access to Services Focus on Rural Areas

Congleton 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.



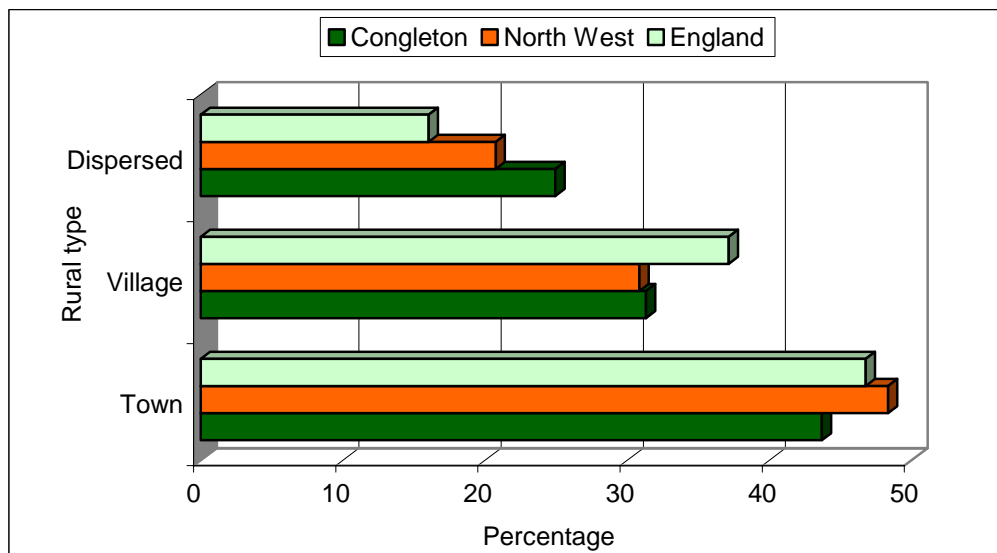
Population

In Congleton 19.3% of people live in rural areas, compared with 12.1% in the Government Office Region. Within the rural areas all people live in less sparse areas

	Congleton			North West		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Urban	35,736	37,400	73,136	2,857,341	3,056,872	5,914,213
Rural	8,748	8,771	17,519	401,613	413,938	815,551
Less Sparse	8,748	8,771	17,519	349,155	359,674	708,829
Town	3,824	3,876	7,700	176,812	186,076	362,888
Village	2,741	2,730	5,471	103,718	105,497	209,215
Dispersed	2,183	2,165	4,348	68,625	68,101	136,726
Sparse	-	-	-	52,458	54,264	106,722
Town	-	-	-	17,418	18,617	36,035
Village	-	-	-	20,279	20,795	41,074
Dispersed	-	-	-	14,761	14,852	29,613
Total	44,484	46,171	90,655	3,258,954	3,470,810	6,729,764
Percentage rural	19.7	19.0	19.3	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

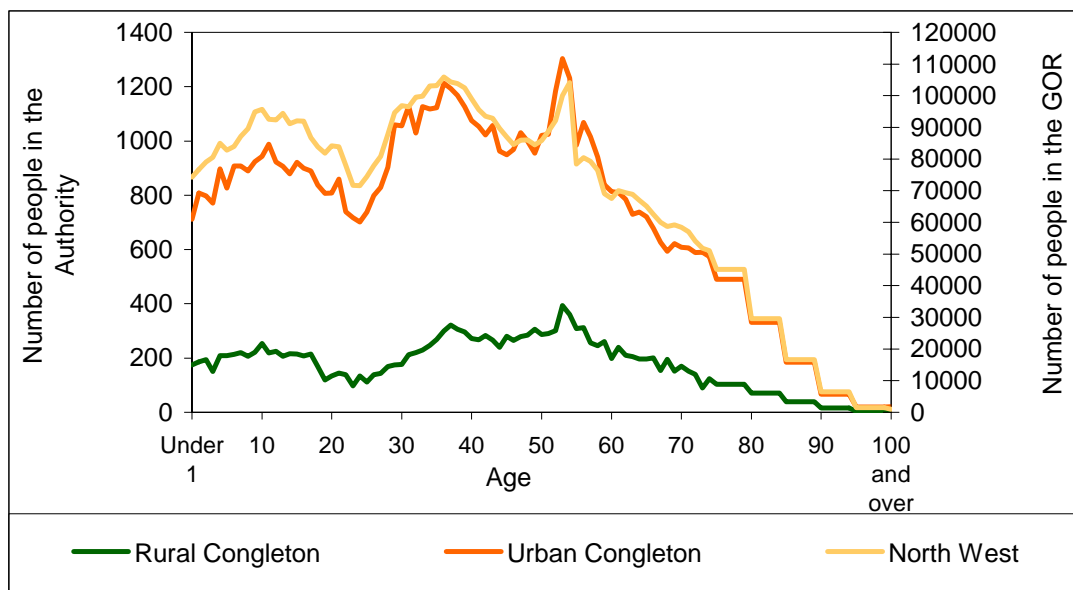
In Congleton 2.2% of the population live in rural areas and are under 10 years old. 4.4% of the Authority's population live in rural areas and are under 19 years of age. 2% are aged 70 or over and live in rural areas.

Total population within the Authority, broken down by age.

Age	Total	Totals		Rural breakdown						% Rural
		Urban	Rural	Towns		Villages		Dispersed		
				Less sparse	Sparse	Less sparse	Sparse	Less sparse	Sparse	
Under 10	10,424	8,440	1,984	871	-	630	-	483	-	19.0
10 to 19	11,042	8,995	2,047	921	-	641	-	485	-	18.5
20 to 29	9,537	8,152	1,385	675	-	382	-	328	-	14.5
30 to 39	13,858	11,281	2,577	1,145	-	792	-	640	-	18.6
40 to 49	12,816	10,073	2,743	1,153	-	891	-	699	-	21.4
50 to 59	13,628	10,613	3,015	1,269	-	946	-	800	-	22.1
60 to 69	9,063	7,117	1,946	800	-	646	-	500	-	21.5
70 to 79	6,611	5,419	1,192	511	-	384	-	297	-	18.0
80 to 89	3,128	2,579	549	278	-	150	-	121	-	17.6
90 and over	561	453	108	69	-	19	-	20	-	19.3
	90,668	73,122	17,546	7,692	-	5,481	-	4,373	-	19.4

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.

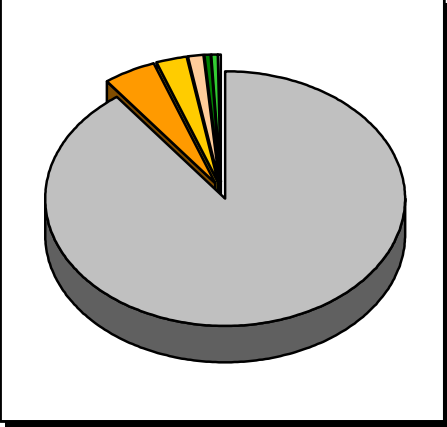
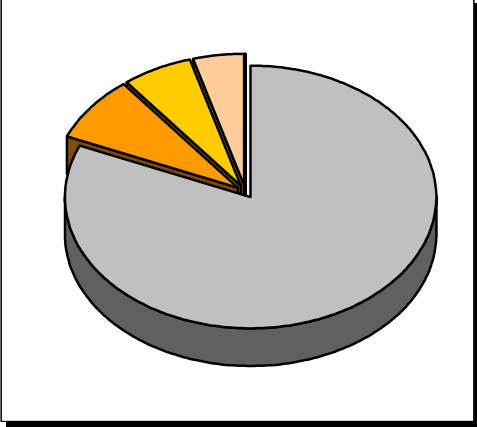


Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

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

Authority:
 Congleton
 Number of under 5's: 4,900

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

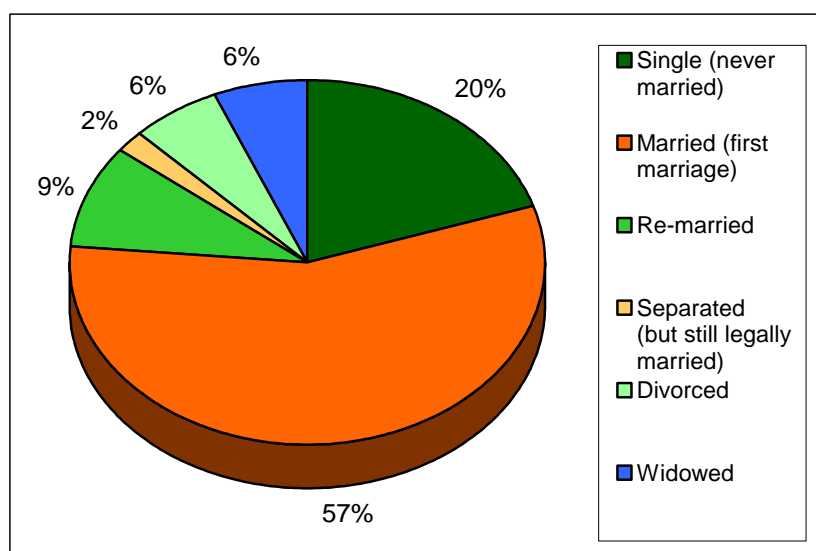
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted 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
Congleton						
Urban	14,720	29,239	4,685	1,150	4,289	5,054
Rural	2,840	8,009	1,315	257	869	914
Less Sparse	2,840	8,009	1,315	257	869	914
Town	1,291	3,476	543	102	372	444
Village	823	2,498	431	96	284	274
Dispersed	726	2,035	341	59	213	196
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	17,560	37,248	6,000	1,407	5,158	5,968
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 Congleton 18.6% of households are in rural areas. 20.4% of rural households are single person households. 5% of rural households are lone parent family households.

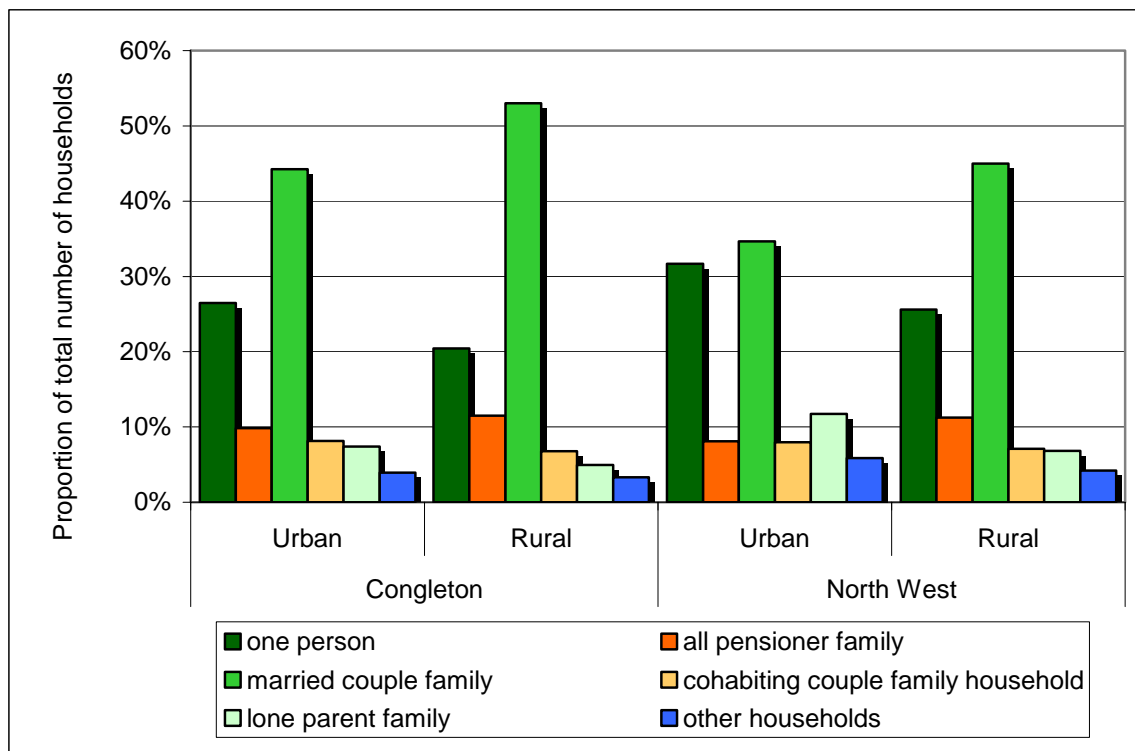
Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban Total	Rural							% rural
		Total	Less sparse			Sparse			
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	30,341	6,953	3,097	2,167	1,689	-	-	-	18.6
One person household	8,032	1,421	701	429	291	-	-	-	15.0
pensioner	4,292	767	399	231	137	-	-	-	15.2
other	3,740	654	302	198	154	-	-	-	14.9
All pensioner family	2,980	799	345	259	195	-	-	-	21.1
Married couple family	13,424	3,687	1,614	1,149	924	-	-	-	21.5
no children	4,896	1,434	589	480	365	-	-	-	22.7
with one dependent child	2,357	622	291	189	142	-	-	-	20.9
with two or more dependent children	3,968	1,053	488	311	254	-	-	-	21.0
all children non-dependent	2,203	578	246	169	163	-	-	-	20.8
Cohabiting couple family	2,469	472	188	147	137	-	-	-	16.0
no children	1,460	297	124	88	85	-	-	-	16.9
with one dependent child	488	81	32	21	28	-	-	-	14.2
two or more dependent children	427	76	26	32	18	-	-	-	15.1
all children non-dependent	94	18	6	6	6	-	-	-	16.1
Lone parent family	2,248	345	168	108	69	-	-	-	13.3
with one dependent child	768	119	61	36	22	-	-	-	13.4
with two or more dependant children	642	80	40	31	9	-	-	-	11.1
all children non-dependent	838	146	67	41	38	-	-	-	14.8
Other households	1,188	229	81	75	73	-	-	-	16.2
with one dependent child	191	47	15	16	16	-	-	-	19.7
with two or more dependent children	160	45	12	15	18	-	-	-	22.0
all student	153	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	1.9
all pensioner	105	24	6	15	3	-	-	-	18.6
other	579	110	48	29	33	-	-	-	16.0

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.

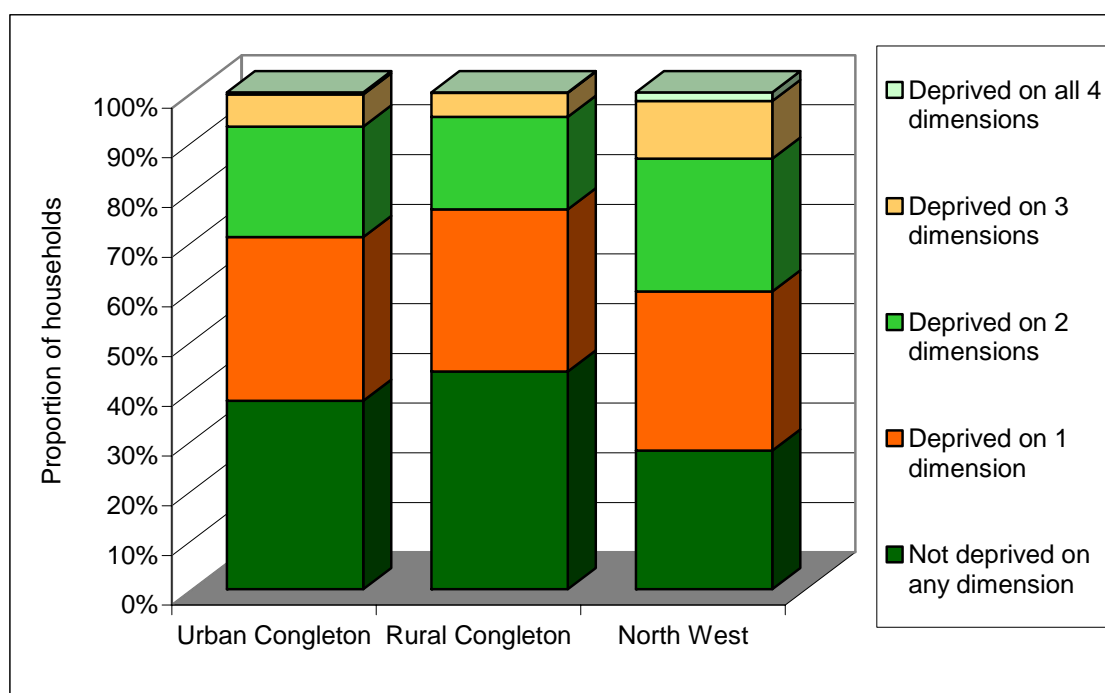
Housing – The household’s accommodation is either overcrowded, or is in a shared dwelling, or does not have sole use of bath/shower and toilet, or has no central heating.

Classification of household deprivation (number of households)

	Congleton					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	11,475	9,965	6,740	1,937	147	668,918	1,810,526
Rural	3,067	2,285	1,301	335	12	115,466	217,854
Less Sparse	3,067	2,285	1,301	335	12	101,747	186,768
Town	1,387	1,067	553	105	3	49,918	102,318
Village	943	686	434	131	6	31,797	53,524
Dispersed	737	532	314	99	3	20,032	30,926
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	13,719	31,086
Town	-	-	-	-	-	4,366	11,456
Village	-	-	-	-	-	5,404	11,904
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	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)

	Congleton				North West			
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good
Urban	51,878	15,375	5,883	8.0	3,927,251	1,319,675	667,281	11.3
Rural	13,051	3,306	1,163	6.6	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)

	Congleton			North West			England
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	60,972	12,164	16.6	4,665,344	1,248,870	21.1	18.2
Rural	15,087	2,432	13.9	669,811	145,738	17.9	17.0

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

Number of people providing unpaid care

	Congleton			% providing some unpaid care	
	1 to 19 hours per week	20 to 49 hours per week	50 or more hours per week	Congleton	North West
Urban	5,674	695	1,249	10.4	10.7
Rural	1,448	167	319	11.0	11.3
Towns	590	65	118	10.0	11.2
Villages	487	56	131	12.3	11.6
Dispersed	371	46	70	11.2	11.3

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

Qualifications

In Congleton 24.3% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 31.9% in the Region as a whole. 16.8% 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	13,465	8,461	11,471	4,635	11,797	3,819	25.1	32.7
Rural	2,728	1,815	2,852	1,079	3,657	924	20.9	25.9
Less Sparse	2,728	1,815	2,852	1,079	3,657	924	20.9	25.7
Town	1,092	836	1,269	492	1,589	369	19.3	27.5
Village	863	526	888	313	1,207	287	21.1	24.1
Dispersed	773	453	695	274	861	268	23.3	23.5
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	16,193	10,276	14,323	5,714	15,454	4,743	24.3	31.9
Percentage rural	16.8	17.7	19.9	18.9	23.7	19.5		

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

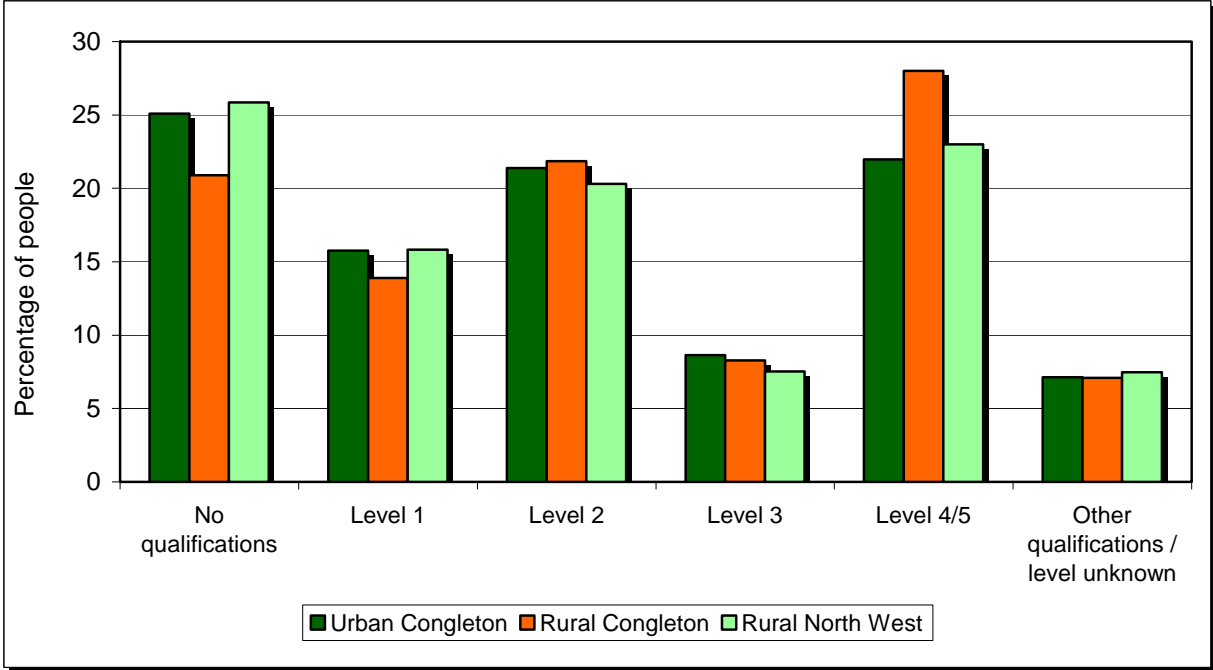
Level 2: 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

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:

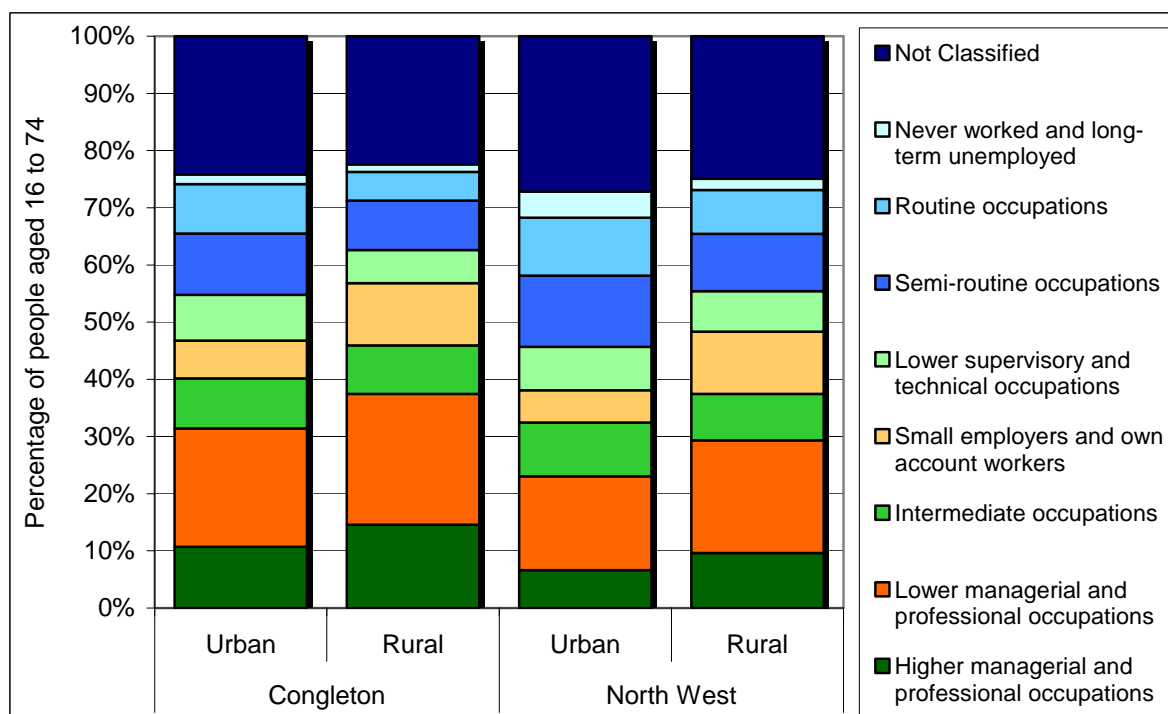
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Number of people in the Authority aged 16 to 74 by NS-SeC classification

	Congleton					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Urban	Rural	
		Total	Towns	Villages			Dispersed
Higher managerial and professional occupations	5,741	1,905	826	597	482	282,429	57,874
Lower managerial and professional occupations	11,085	2,993	1,362	916	715	693,924	118,348
Intermediate occupations	4,691	1,114	572	304	238	399,725	48,561
Small employers and own account workers	3,510	1,424	429	449	546	239,611	65,478
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	4,287	756	371	206	179	319,481	42,526
Semi-routine occupations	5,763	1,129	518	346	265	528,820	60,146
Routine occupations	4,635	654	293	174	187	429,382	45,832
Never worked and long-term unemployed	891	170	52	78	40	195,075	11,787
Not Classified	12,946	2,937	1,243	1,010	684	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 Congleton 30% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 51.4% of those people are retired, 11.3% are students and 21.4% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 30.9% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban Congleton and 32.7% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

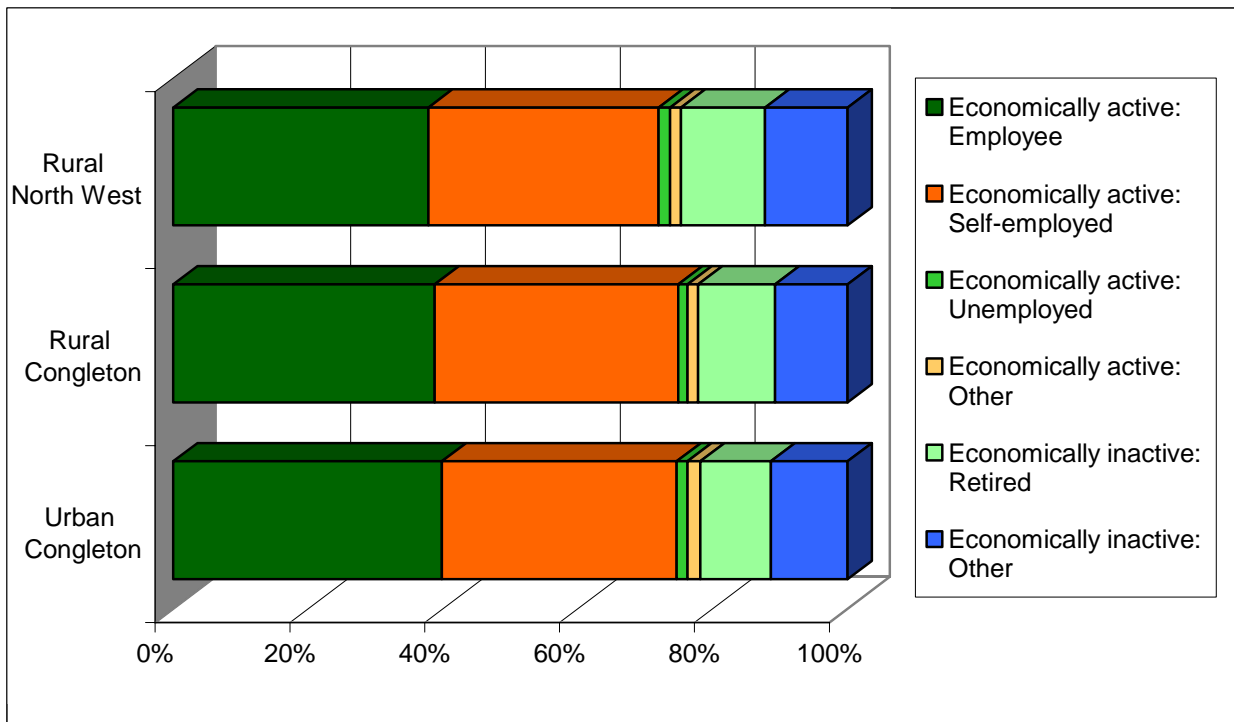
Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

	Congleton					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural				Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed		
Economically active	37,097	9,134	3,989	2,752	2,393	2,688,790	404,196
Employee	30,277	6,857	3,225	2,037	1,595	2,149,650	301,075
Part-time	6,416	1,518	698	445	375	501,022	73,498
Full-time	23,861	5,339	2,527	1,592	1,220	1,648,628	227,577
Self-employed with employees	1,560	710	174	214	322	101,466	32,491
Part-time	216	112	22	41	49	14,275	4,584
Full-time	1,344	598	152	173	273	87,191	27,907
Self-employed without employees	2,581	1,044	352	341	351	165,655	44,067
Part-time	793	303	108	114	81	44,229	12,291
Full-time	1,788	741	244	227	270	121,426	31,776
Unemployed	1,227	245	108	76	61	161,961	13,511
Full-time Students	1,452	278	130	84	64	110,058	13,052
Economically inactive	16,590	3,915	1,650	1,346	919	1,549,992	196,410
Retired	7,947	2,014	876	700	438	591,909	99,163
Student	2,366	444	207	121	116	201,847	21,901
Looking after home/family	2,913	838	333	282	223	264,178	31,824
Permanently sick/disabled	2,284	404	141	170	93	345,729	29,164
Other	1,080	215	93	73	49	146,329	14,358
% economically active	69.1	70.0	70.7	67.2	72.3	63.4	67.3
% economically inactive	30.9	30.0	29.3	32.8	27.7	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



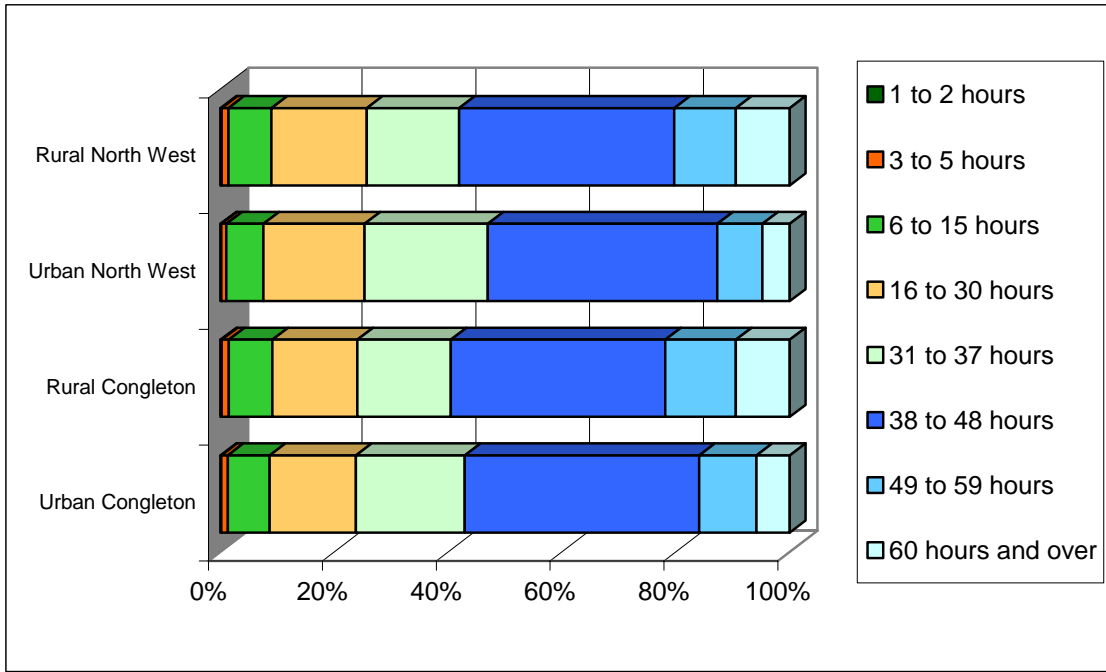
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

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
Congleton										
Urban	57	400	2,628	5,414	6,828	14,714	3,587	2,086	23.8	76.2
Rural	18	112	678	1,323	1,451	3,337	1,099	837	24.1	75.9
Less Sparse	18	112	678	1,323	1,451	3,337	1,099	837	24.1	75.9
Town	3	51	325	547	735	1,545	437	227	23.9	76.1
Village	9	20	187	431	385	1,012	344	265	24.4	75.6
Dispersed	6	41	166	345	331	780	318	345	23.9	76.1
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	75	512	3,306	6,737	8,279	18,051	4,686	2,923	23.9	76.1
Percentage rural	24.0	21.9	20.5	19.6	17.5	18.5	23.5	28.6		
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 Congleton are: "Manufacturing", "Real estate, renting and business activities" and "Wholesale and retail trade; repairs"

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

	Congleton					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	523	460	55	143	262	16,068	19,460
Fishing	3	3	-	3	-	217	168
Mining and quarrying	198	48	30	3	15	3,324	1,365
Manufacturing	8,027	1,519	719	443	357	426,845	62,999
Electricity, gas and water supply	179	43	25	15	3	19,045	3,370
Construction	2,030	504	214	167	123	160,625	27,616
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	5,799	1,344	588	407	349	455,970	60,830
Hotels and restaurants	1,516	378	158	122	98	124,994	23,920
Transport, storage and communications	2,307	587	272	177	138	176,194	20,651
Financial Intermediation	1,518	483	242	149	92	97,186	11,904
Real estate, renting and business activities	4,509	1,390	612	410	368	270,755	42,372
Public administration and defence, social security	1,249	278	136	78	64	143,818	20,779
Education	2,900	682	327	199	156	195,905	34,634
Health and social work	3,428	772	351	237	184	304,953	42,254
Other community, social & personal service activities	1,475	357	141	114	102	113,565	16,613
Private households with employed persons	18	15	9	6	-	882	312
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	-	-	-	-	-	174	30

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

Accommodation and tenure

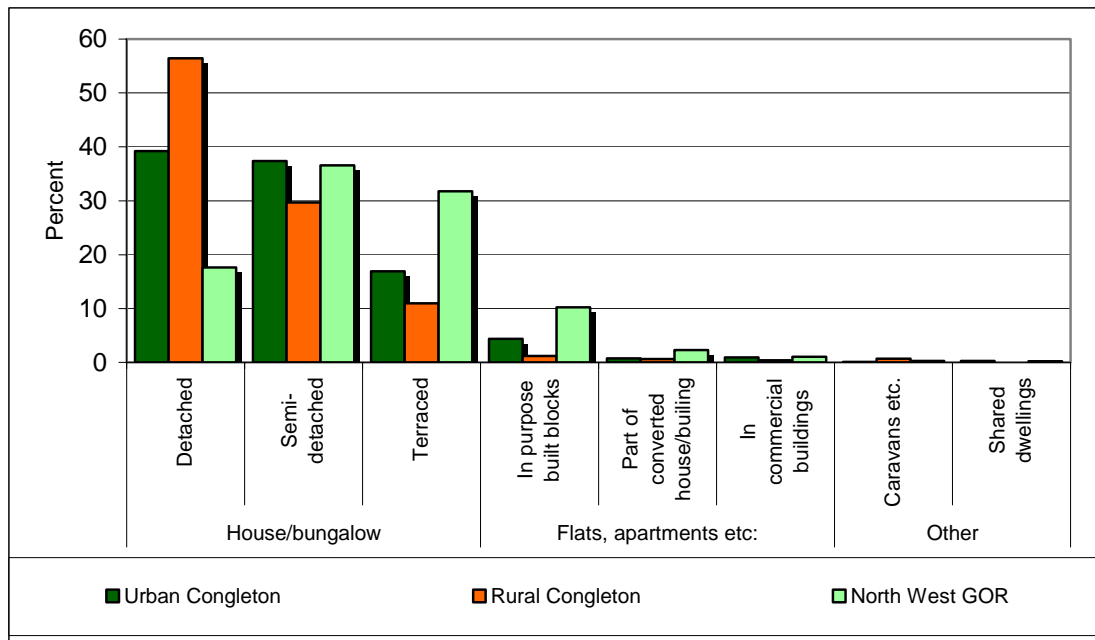
In rural Congleton 97.1% of households live in houses or bungalows, 2.2% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.7% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban Congleton 93.5% of households live in houses or bungalows, 6.1% 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

	Congleton					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
In an unshared dwelling	31,028	7,205	3,184	2,269	1,752	2,589,512	353,802
House or bungalow	29,087	6,993	3,062	2,198	1,733	2,207,267	327,562
Detached	12,200	4,065	1,594	1,364	1,107	384,651	135,585
Semi-detached	11,620	2,138	1,096	587	455	963,397	114,882
Terraced (including end-terrace)	5,267	790	372	247	171	859,219	77,095
Flat; maisonette or apartment	1,901	161	84	58	19	379,123	21,208
In a purpose-built block of flats	1,373	87	67	17	3	289,319	12,693
Part of a converted or shared house	238	44	4	27	13	63,382	5,056
In a commercial building	290	30	13	14	3	26,422	3,459
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	40	51	38	13	-	3,122	5,032
In a shared dwelling	82	-	-	-	-	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 Congleton 85.2% of households live in owned accommodation, 6.3% live in social rented accommodation and 6.6% live in private rented accommodation.

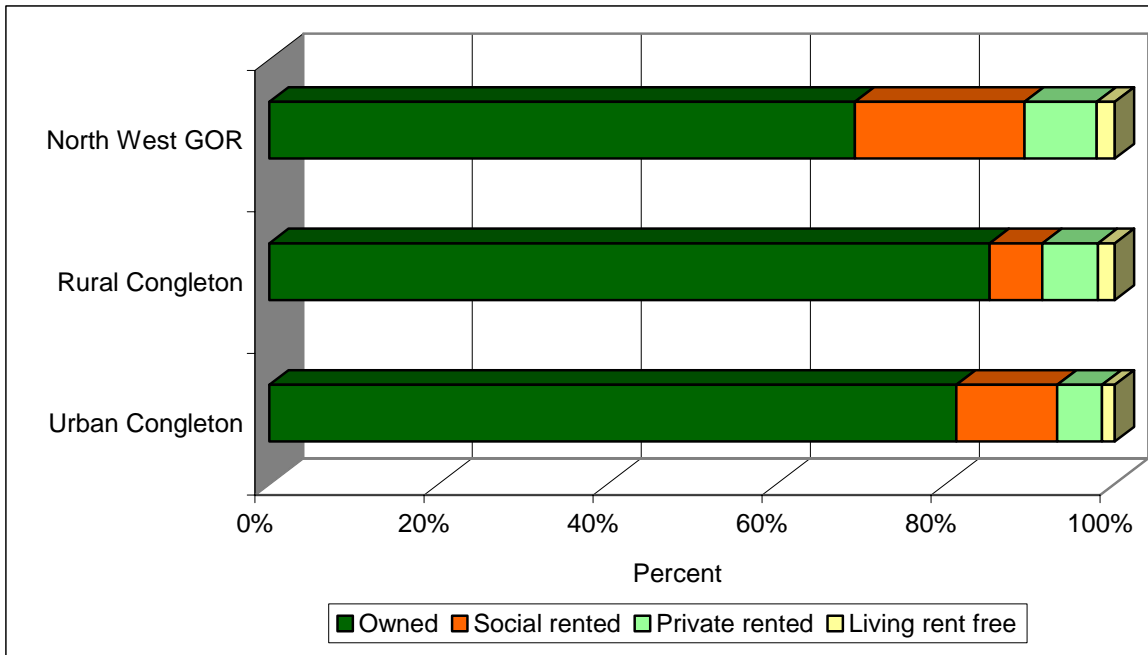
In urban Congleton 81.3% of households live in owned accommodation, 11.9% live in social rented accommodation and 5.3% live in private rented accommodation.

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

	Congleton					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Owned	24,639	5,970	2,752	1,866	1,352	1,679,846	268,077
Owns outright	10,327	2,699	1,142	880	677	705,548	132,073
Owns with a mortgage or loan	14,237	3,253	1,598	980	675	959,303	134,616
Shared ownership	75	18	12	6	-	14,995	1,388
Social rented	3,614	438	188	163	87	533,769	30,752
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	869	118	49	38	31	363,543	18,102
Other social rented	2,745	320	139	125	56	170,226	12,650
Private rented	1,606	460	136	115	209	213,075	26,974
Private landlord or letting agency	1,353	384	117	97	170	193,149	22,349
Employer of a household member	29	12	-	3	9	1,974	1,020
Relative or friend of a household member	172	43	16	9	18	14,117	2,419
Other	52	21	3	6	12	3,835	1,186
Living rent free	455	139	37	41	61	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

7.7% of households in rural Congleton do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 16.1%.

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

	Congleton					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	4,881	12,662	10,204	1,954	563	802,309	1,677,445	41,368	2,401,542
Rural	539	2,451	3,040	697	259	47,446	285,952	11,762	475,052
Less Sparse	539	2,451	3,040	697	259	40,770	247,839	11,762	413,747
Town	298	1,209	1,297	242	63	27,983	124,224	4,796	194,686
Village	151	762	968	214	100	8,974	76,400	3,780	131,242
Dispersed	90	480	775	241	96	3,813	47,215	3,186	87,819
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	6,676	38,113	-	61,305
Town	-	-	-	-	-	3,845	12,006	-	17,090
Village	-	-	-	-	-	1,992	15,317	-	25,275
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	839	10,790	-	18,940
Total	5,420	15,113	13,244	2,651	822	849,755	1,963,397	53,130	2,876,594
Percentage rural	9.9	16.2	23.0	26.3	31.5	5.6	14.6	22.1	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	4,190	2,437	288	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
Town	3,074	126	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,200
Village	490	1,529	141	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,160
Dispersed	626	782	147	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,555
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	4,190	2,437	288	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
% of rural households										
in the Authority	60.6	35.2	4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	3,154	3,318	443	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
Town	2,346	854	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,200
Village	356	1,658	146	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,160
Dispersed	452	806	297	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,555
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	3,154	3,318	443	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
% of rural households										
in the Authority	45.6	48.0	6.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	3,277	3,202	436	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
Town	2,216	984	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,200
Village	609	1,379	172	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,160
Dispersed	452	839	264	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,555
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	3,277	3,202	436	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
% of rural households										
in the Authority	47.4	46.3	6.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	244	1,319	2,363	1,901	1,047	41	-	-	-	6,915
Town	-	-	1,723	1,351	126	-	-	-	-	3,200
Village	93	695	229	288	855	-	-	-	-	2,160
Dispersed	151	624	411	262	66	41	-	-	-	1,555
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	244	1,319	2,363	1,901	1,047	41	-	-	-	6,915
% of rural households										
in the Authority	3.5	19.1	34.2	27.5	15.1	0.6	-	-	-	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	3,145	3,314	456	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
Town	2,346	854	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,200
Village	353	1,648	159	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,160
Dispersed	446	812	297	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,555
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	3,145	3,314	456	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
% of rural households										
in the Authority	45.5	47.9	6.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	4,785	2,090	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
Town	3,074	126	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,200
Village	831	1,329	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,160
Dispersed	880	635	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,555
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	4,785	2,090	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
% of rural households										
in the Authority	69.2	30.2	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	5,737	1,103	75	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
Town	3,200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,200
Village	1,583	502	75	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,160
Dispersed	954	601	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,555
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	5,737	1,103	75	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
% of rural households										
in the Authority	83.0	16.0	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	3,697	2,947	271	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
Town	2,414	786	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,200
Village	612	1,468	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,160
Dispersed	671	693	191	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,555
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	3,697	2,947	271	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
% of rural households										
in the Authority	53.5	42.6	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	6,027	881	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
Town	3,200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,200
Village	1,708	452	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,160
Dispersed	1,119	429	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,555
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	6,027	881	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
% of rural households										
in the Authority	87.2	12.7	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	2,929	3,484	497	5	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
Town	2,216	984	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,200
Village	275	1,612	273	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,160
Dispersed	438	888	224	5	-	-	-	-	-	1,555
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	2,929	3,484	497	5	-	-	-	-	-	6,915
% of rural households										
in the Authority	42.4	50.4	7.2	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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