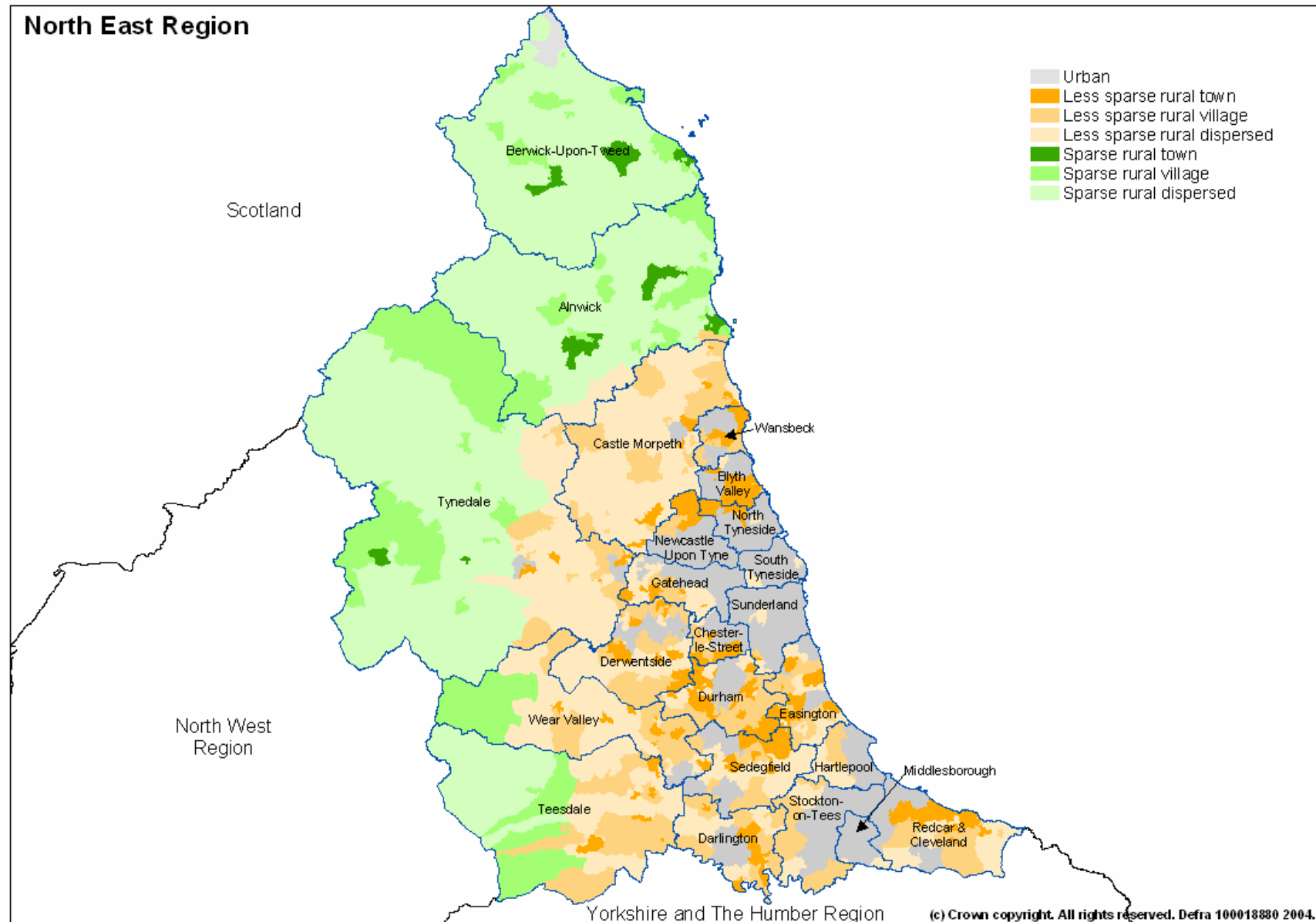


Darlington

Census 2001 and Access to Services Focus on Rural Areas

Darlington is in the North East Government Office Region

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



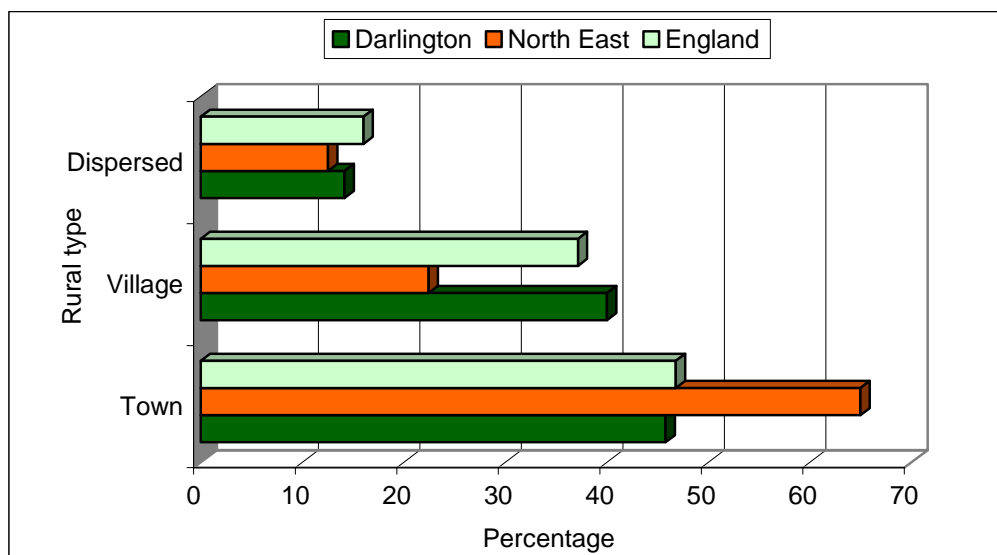
Population

In Darlington 12% of people live in rural areas, compared with 18.9% in the Government Office Region. Within the rural areas all people live in less sparse areas

	Darlington			North East		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Urban	41,285	44,797	86,082	985,586	1,053,291	2,038,877
Rural	5,675	6,081	11,756	232,993	243,572	476,565
Less Sparse	5,675	6,081	11,756	199,805	208,981	408,786
Town	2,599	2,759	5,358	139,605	148,646	288,251
Village	2,272	2,559	4,831	39,839	40,682	80,521
Dispersed	804	763	1,567	20,361	19,653	40,014
Sparse	-	-	-	33,188	34,591	67,779
Town	-	-	-	11,803	12,964	24,767
Village	-	-	-	12,486	13,049	25,535
Dispersed	-	-	-	8,899	8,578	17,477
Total	46,960	50,878	97,838	1,218,579	1,296,863	2,515,442
Percentage rural	12.1	12.0	12.0	19.1	18.8	18.9

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

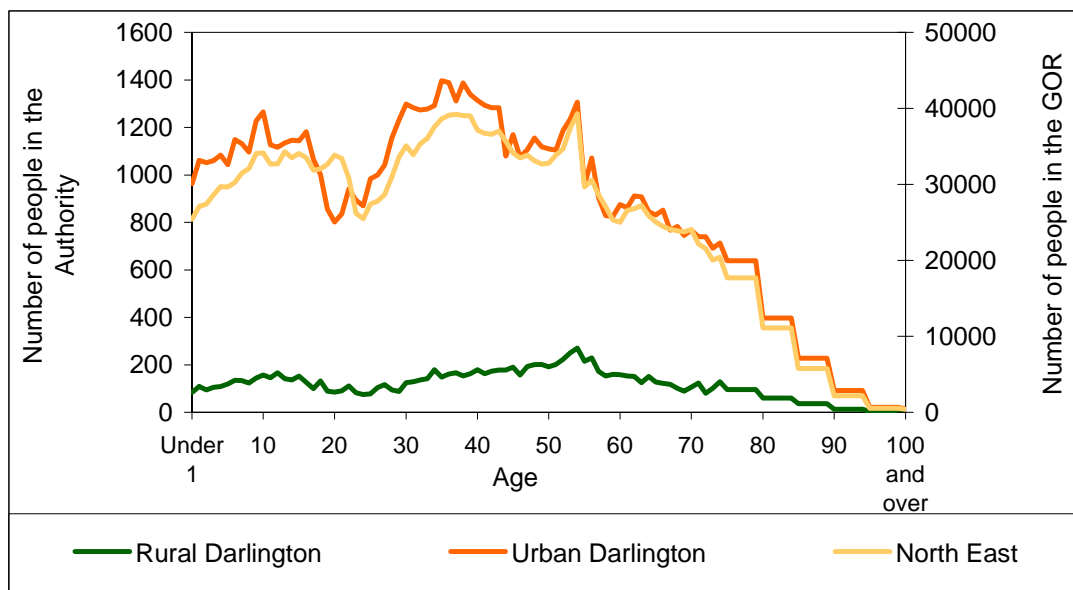
In Darlington 1.2% of the population live in rural areas and are under 10 years old. 2.6% of the Authority's population live in rural areas and are under 19 years of age. 1.6% are aged 70 or over and live in rural areas.

Total population within the Authority, broken down by age.

Age	Total	Totals		Rural breakdown						% Rural
		Urban	Rural	Towns		Villages		Dispersed		
				Less sparse	Sparse	Less sparse	Sparse	Less sparse	Sparse	
Under 10	12,024	10,868	1,156	551	-	395	-	210	-	9.6
10 to 19	12,385	11,038	1,347	644	-	511	-	192	-	10.9
20 to 29	10,672	9,747	925	461	-	329	-	135	-	8.7
30 to 39	14,750	13,248	1,502	676	-	568	-	258	-	10.2
40 to 49	13,694	11,877	1,817	809	-	718	-	290	-	13.3
50 to 59	12,594	10,526	2,068	922	-	874	-	272	-	16.4
60 to 69	9,672	8,377	1,295	617	-	547	-	131	-	13.4
70 to 79	7,860	6,842	1,018	439	-	511	-	68	-	13.0
80 to 89	3,611	3,126	485	169	-	296	-	20	-	13.4
90 and over	674	581	93	30	-	63	-	-	-	13.8
	97,936	86,230	11,706	5,318	-	4,812	-	1,576	-	12.0

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.

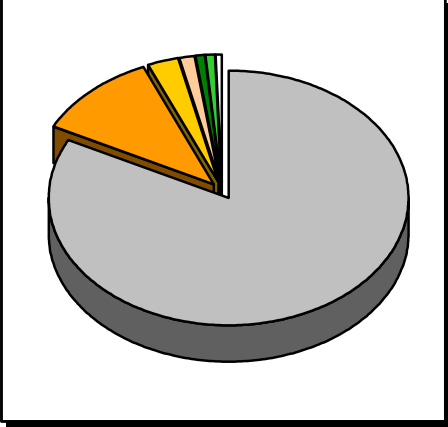
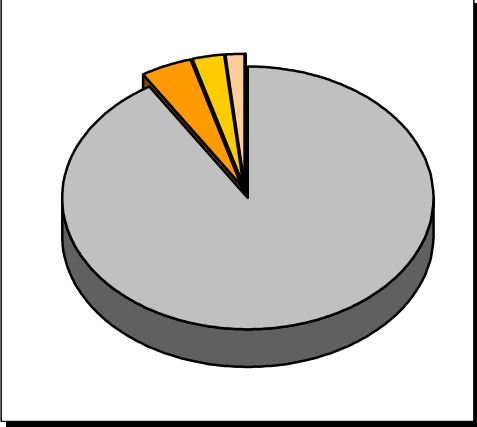


Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

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

Authority:
Darlington
Number of under 5's: 5,800

Government Office Region:
North East
Number of under 5's: 138,300



- 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

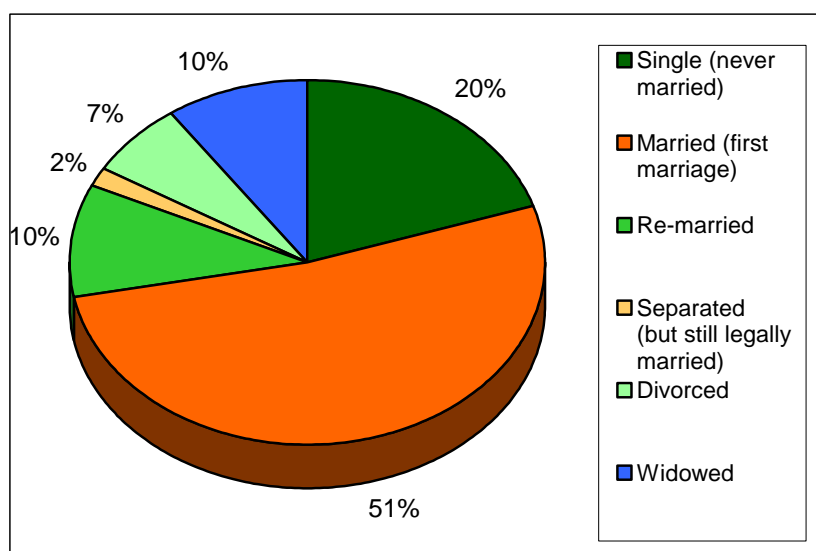
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted 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
Darlington						
Urban	18,742	29,065	5,442	1,970	6,692	6,378
Rural	1,932	5,035	973	164	642	953
Less Sparse	1,932	5,035	973	164	642	953
Town	871	2,354	427	84	274	375
Village	814	1,969	425	62	297	527
Dispersed	247	712	121	18	71	51
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	20,674	34,100	6,415	2,134	7,334	7,331
North East						
Urban	490,313	700,236	107,193	40,673	140,684	151,387
Rural	94,428	187,000	30,713	8,371	30,777	36,475
Total	584,741	887,236	137,906	49,044	171,461	187,862

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 Darlington 11.2% of households are in rural areas. 23.4% of rural households are single person households. 6.5% of rural households are lone parent family households.

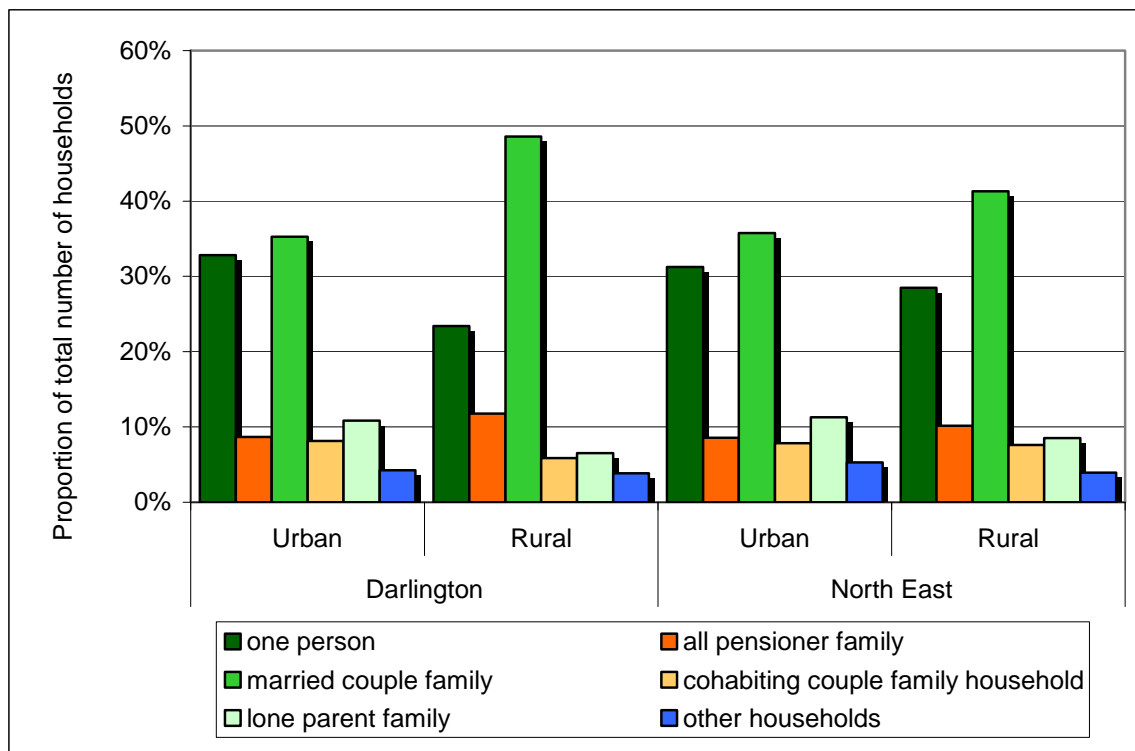
Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban Total	Rural							% rural
		Total	Less sparse			Sparse			
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	37,558	4,748	2,187	1,972	589	-	-	-	11.2
One person household	12,331	1,111	529	487	95	-	-	-	8.3
pensioner	6,001	641	306	302	33	-	-	-	9.7
other	6,330	470	223	185	62	-	-	-	6.9
All pensioner family	3,260	559	264	255	40	-	-	-	14.6
Married couple family	13,243	2,306	1,078	873	355	-	-	-	14.8
no children	4,945	974	455	391	128	-	-	-	16.5
with one dependent child	2,453	366	173	135	58	-	-	-	13.0
with two or more dependent children	3,707	602	292	200	110	-	-	-	14.0
all children non-dependent	2,138	364	158	147	59	-	-	-	14.5
Cohabiting couple family	3,067	279	90	141	48	-	-	-	8.3
no children	1,569	182	60	89	33	-	-	-	10.4
with one dependent child	727	46	12	25	9	-	-	-	6.0
two or more dependent children	657	36	6	24	6	-	-	-	5.2
all children non-dependent	114	15	12	3	-	-	-	-	11.6
Lone parent family	4,064	310	153	128	29	-	-	-	7.1
with one dependent child	1,499	97	50	38	9	-	-	-	6.1
with two or more dependant children	1,478	86	47	30	9	-	-	-	5.5
all children non-dependent	1,087	127	56	60	11	-	-	-	10.5
Other households	1,593	183	73	88	22	-	-	-	10.3
with one dependent child	334	24	12	9	3	-	-	-	6.7
with two or more dependent children	294	28	12	13	3	-	-	-	8.7
all student	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
all pensioner	156	27	6	18	3	-	-	-	14.8
other	800	104	43	48	13	-	-	-	11.5

Source table from the Census: UV65 Household Composition (households)

A dependent child is a person in a household aged 0 to 15 (whether or not in a family) or a person aged 16 to 18 who is a full-time student in a family with parent(s).

Percentage of households by composition of household for the Authority and the Government Office Region.



Source table from the Census: UV65 Household Composition (households)

Classification of household deprivation

The classification of household deprivation on the Census is independent of the English Indices of Multiple Deprivation published by the Office of the Deputy Prime Minister. Four dimensions from the Census returns have been identified as giving an indication of household deprivation. Households are considered deprived if one or more of the following definitions applies to that household:

Employment – any member of the household aged 16-74 who is not a full-time student is classified as either unemployed or permanently sick.

Education – no member of the household aged 16 to pensionable age has at least 5 GCSE’s (grade A to C) or equivalent AND no member of the household aged 16 to 18 is in full-time education.

Health and disability – any member of the household has general health ‘not good’ in the year before the census or has a limiting long term illness.

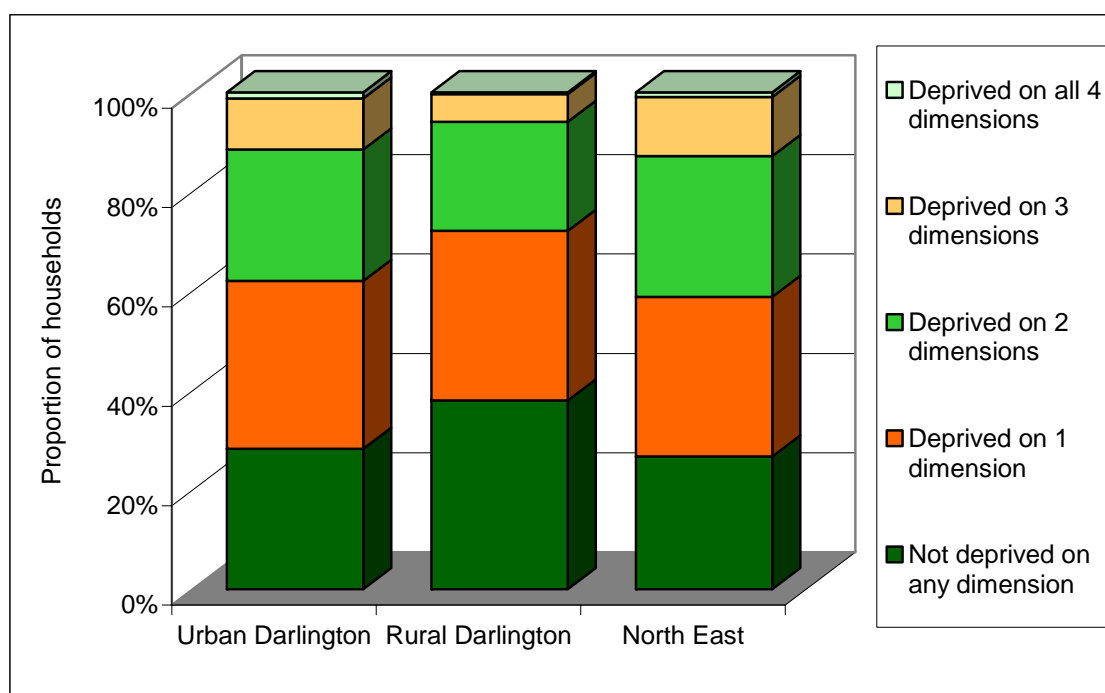
Housing – The household’s accommodation is either overcrowded, or is in a shared dwelling, or does not have sole use of bath/shower and toilet, or has no central heating.

Classification of household deprivation (number of households)

	Darlington					North East	
	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	10,624	12,658	9,925	3,866	476	227,843	635,637
Rural	1,814	1,628	1,047	267	18	57,136	145,692
Less Sparse	1,814	1,628	1,047	267	18	48,293	124,908
Town	843	750	494	123	6	32,074	92,188
Village	711	673	464	114	6	10,552	22,746
Dispersed	260	205	89	30	6	5,667	9,974
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	8,843	20,784
Town	-	-	-	-	-	2,943	8,096
Village	-	-	-	-	-	3,401	7,829
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	2,499	4,859

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)

	Darlington				North East			
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good
Urban	56,653	20,635	8,794	10.2	1,312,301	481,358	245,218	12.0
Rural	8,272	2,464	1,020	8.7	305,600	114,805	56,159	11.8

Source table from the Census: UV20 General health

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

	Darlington			North East			England
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	68,320	17,762	20.6	1,575,672	463,205	22.7	18.2
Rural	9,544	2,212	18.8	368,078	108,487	22.8	17.0

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

Number of people providing unpaid care

	Darlington			% providing some unpaid care	
	1 to 19 hours per week	20 to 49 hours per week	50 or more hours per week	Darlington	North East
Urban	5,619	1,023	2,081	10.1	10.9
Rural	956	120	251	11.3	11.5
Towns	453	73	118	12.0	11.5
Villages	394	44	103	11.2	11.6
Dispersed	109	3	30	9.1	11.3

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

Qualifications

In Darlington 32% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 34.7% in the Region as a whole. 9.4% 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	20,286	10,688	12,196	4,100	9,397	4,781	33.0	35.0
Rural	2,116	1,256	1,772	615	2,134	739	24.5	33.6
Less Sparse	2,116	1,256	1,772	615	2,134	739	24.5	34.2
Town	970	582	810	290	984	348	24.3	36.1
Village	916	484	723	224	815	315	26.3	30.7
Dispersed	230	190	239	101	335	76	19.6	27.7
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	22,402	11,944	13,968	4,715	11,531	5,520	32.0	34.7
Percentage rural	9.4	10.5	12.7	13.0	18.5	13.4		

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

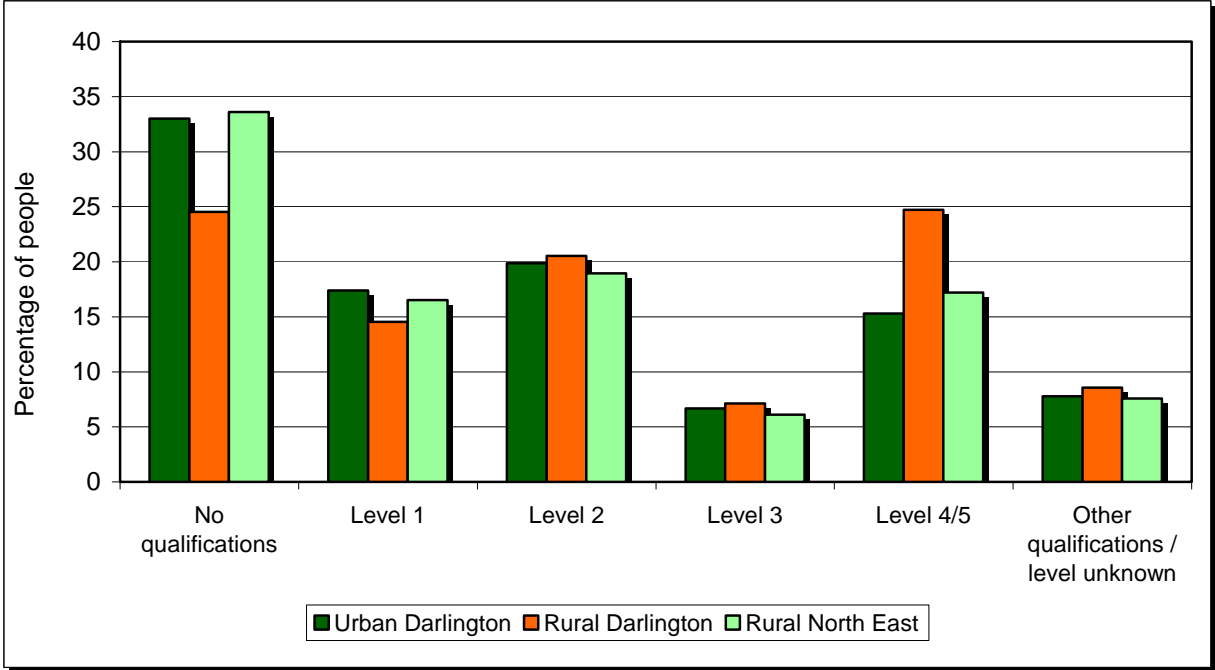
Level 2: 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

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:

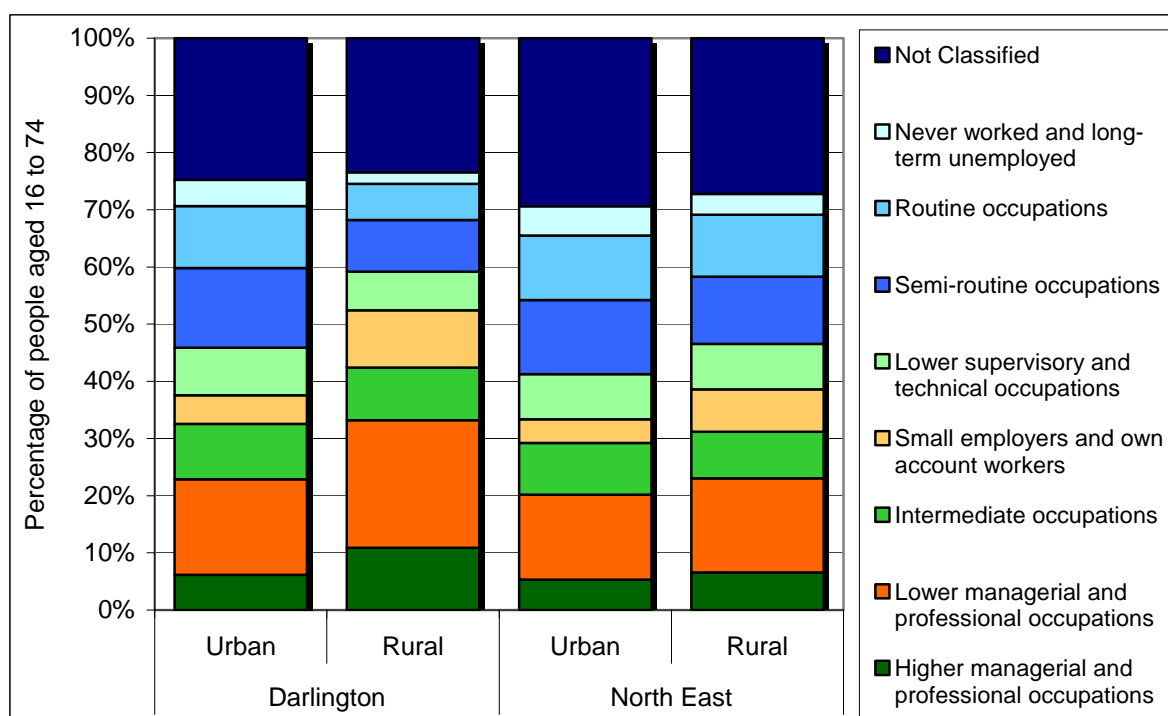
http://www.statistics.gov.uk/methods_quality/ns_sec/default.asp

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

	Darlington					North East	
	Urban Total	Rural			Urban	Rural	
		Total	Towns	Villages			Dispersed
Higher managerial and professional occupations	3,802	937	429	347	161	79,199	23,036
Lower managerial and professional occupations	10,281	1,925	874	758	293	219,748	57,416
Intermediate occupations	5,977	790	403	276	111	133,936	28,450
Small employers and own account workers	3,092	864	260	413	191	61,830	25,853
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	5,114	584	275	236	73	116,959	27,839
Semi-routine occupations	8,584	778	403	287	88	191,634	41,138
Routine occupations	6,691	541	278	204	59	167,107	37,777
Never worked and long-term unemployed	2,800	175	54	103	18	76,372	12,638
Not Classified	15,278	2,021	1,011	833	177	435,323	95,159

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 Darlington 31.2% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 52.3% of those people are retired, 8.3% are students and 17.6% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 34.9% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban Darlington and 37.4% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

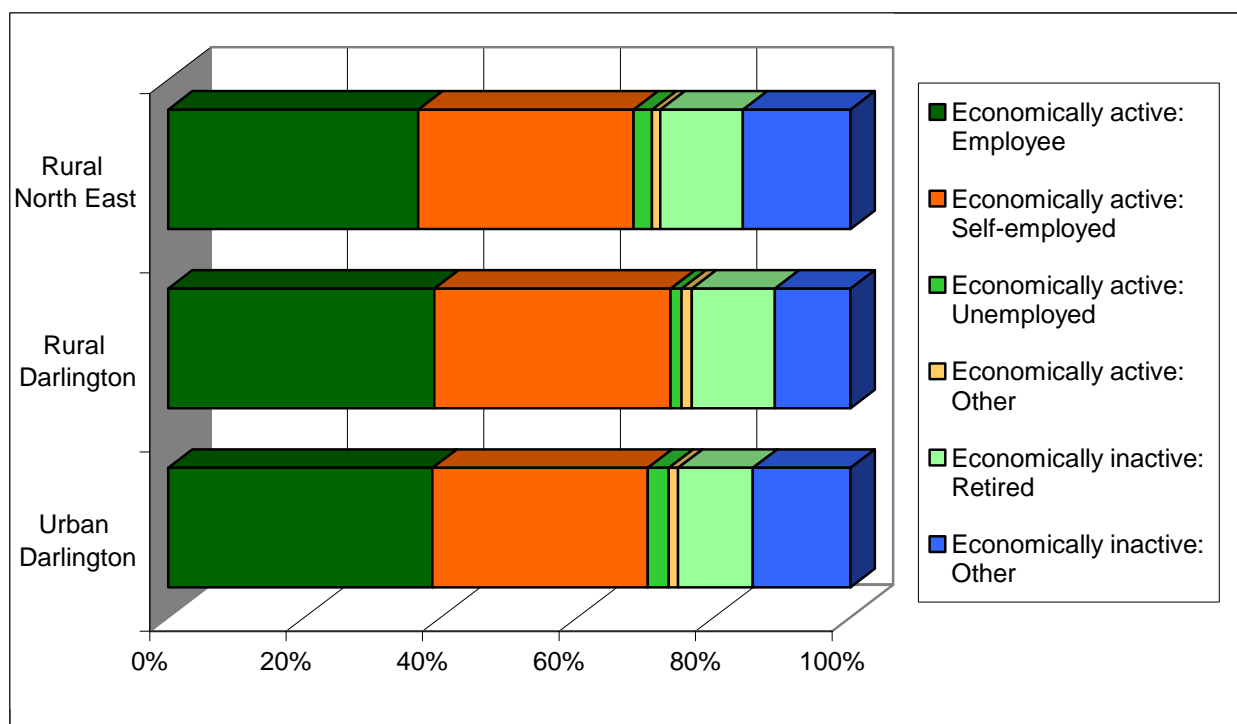
Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

	Darlington					North East	
	Urban Total	Rural				Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed		
Economically active	40,036	5,953	2,696	2,362	895	904,180	218,888
Employee	32,901	4,522	2,158	1,753	611	730,191	171,680
Part-time	8,148	1,066	527	410	129	177,264	40,193
Full-time	24,753	3,456	1,631	1,343	482	552,927	131,487
Self-employed with employees	1,314	510	160	231	119	27,755	12,428
Part-time	200	87	28	34	25	4,062	1,723
Full-time	1,114	423	132	197	94	23,693	10,705
Self-employed without employees	2,043	561	193	239	129	39,932	16,422
Part-time	621	186	71	75	40	11,757	4,406
Full-time	1,422	375	122	164	89	28,175	12,016
Unemployed	2,600	184	91	73	20	70,319	12,700
Full-time Students	1,178	176	94	66	16	35,983	5,658
Economically inactive	21,442	2,694	1,297	1,126	271	577,901	130,528
Retired	9,284	1,408	715	584	109	218,253	56,731
Student	1,768	224	118	76	30	75,681	11,074
Looking after home/family	4,106	473	218	185	70	98,074	22,363
Permanently sick/disabled	4,336	406	169	194	43	134,674	29,661
Other	1,948	183	77	87	19	51,219	10,699
% economically active	65.1	68.8	67.5	67.7	76.8	61.0	62.6
% economically inactive	34.9	31.2	32.5	32.3	23.2	39.0	37.4

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



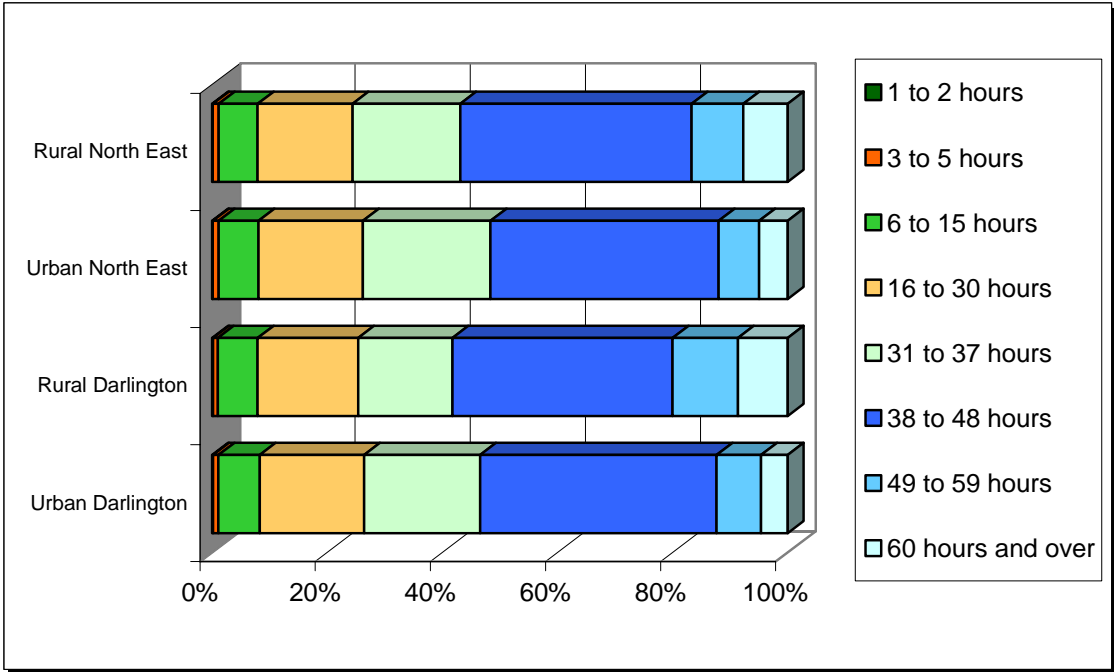
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

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
Darlington										
Urban	69	348	2,667	6,755	7,523	15,303	2,883	1,727	26.4	73.6
Rural	12	44	399	1,000	938	2,192	649	497	25.4	74.6
Less Sparse	12	44	399	1,000	938	2,192	649	497	25.4	74.6
Town	6	19	206	457	478	1,007	249	164	26.6	73.4
Village	3	19	143	395	349	837	287	237	24.7	75.3
Dispersed	3	6	50	148	111	348	113	96	23.7	76.3
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	81	392	3,066	7,755	8,461	17,495	3,532	2,224	26.3	73.7
Percentage rural	14.8	11.2	13.0	12.9	11.1	12.5	18.4	22.3		
North East										
Urban	1,241	8,138	57,301	150,271	183,457	327,868	58,215	41,060	26.2	73.8
Rural	321	2,091	13,868	33,814	38,449	82,539	18,419	15,841	24.4	75.6
Total	1,562	10,229	71,169	184,085	221,906	410,407	76,634	56,901	25.9	74.1

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 Darlington are: "Wholesale and retail trade; repairs", "Manufacturing" and "Health and social work"

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

	Darlington					North East	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	230	243	34	133	76	4,107	7,661
Fishing	-	-	-	-	-	162	184
Mining and quarrying	84	33	12	18	3	3,663	2,025
Manufacturing	6,157	849	454	291	104	141,746	33,763
Electricity, gas and water supply	210	50	18	15	17	8,612	1,829
Construction	2,730	435	181	176	78	59,878	15,693
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	6,937	868	389	360	119	137,240	29,977
Hotels and restaurants	1,887	307	116	148	43	41,900	10,776
Transport, storage and communications	3,639	425	197	155	73	57,626	12,250
Financial Intermediation	1,158	194	88	76	30	26,492	4,955
Real estate, renting and business activities	3,291	616	272	235	109	76,339	18,261
Public administration and defence, social security	2,422	373	180	138	55	61,236	15,549
Education	2,466	490	239	191	60	65,289	17,593
Health and social work	4,565	678	341	253	84	105,853	25,747
Other community, social & personal service activities	1,427	213	76	102	35	37,065	9,004
Private households with employed persons	9	3	-	3	-	207	123
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	12	-	-	-	-	108	24

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

Accommodation and tenure

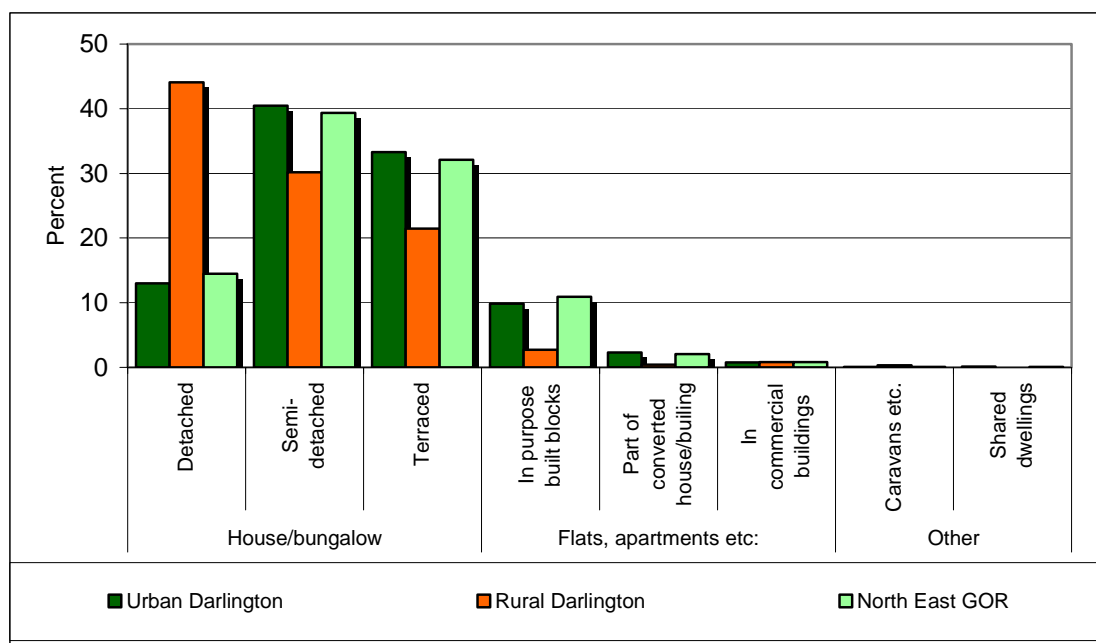
In rural Darlington 95.7% of households live in houses or bungalows, 4% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.3% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban Darlington 86.8% of households live in houses or bungalows, 13% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.3% 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

	Darlington					North East	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
In an unshared dwelling	39,333	4,991	2,306	2,062	623	899,957	214,813
House or bungalow	34,171	4,777	2,224	1,945	608	757,034	202,099
Detached	5,123	2,200	865	882	453	109,710	52,067
Semi-detached	15,935	1,505	777	633	95	358,869	80,289
Terraced (including end-terrace)	13,113	1,072	582	430	60	288,455	69,743
Flat; maisonette or apartment	5,116	198	76	110	12	142,141	12,210
In a purpose-built block of flats	3,895	137	51	86	-	113,958	8,073
Part of a converted or shared house	911	21	9	3	9	21,084	2,196
In a commercial building	310	40	16	21	3	7,099	1,941
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	46	16	6	7	3	782	504
In a shared dwelling	53	-	-	-	-	1,159	138

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 Darlington 82.5% of households live in owned accommodation, 7.6% live in social rented accommodation and 8.2% live in private rented accommodation.

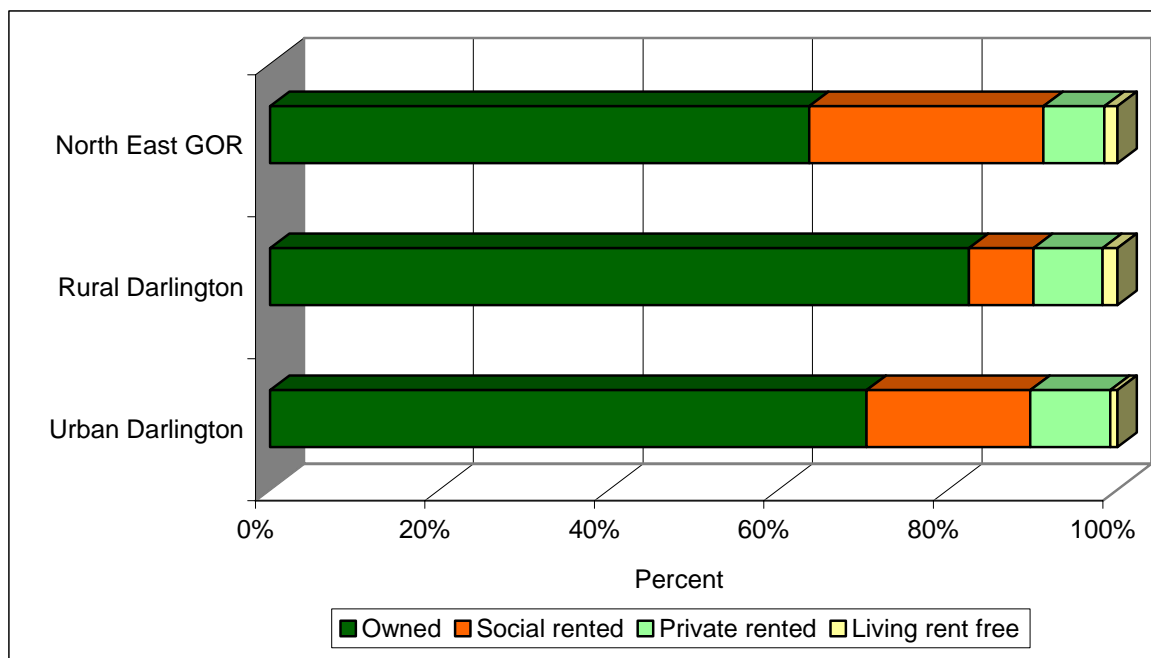
In urban Darlington 70.4% of households live in owned accommodation, 19.3% live in social rented accommodation and 9.4% live in private rented accommodation.

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

	Darlington					North East	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Owned	26,425	3,936	1,887	1,570	479	540,140	138,247
Owns outright	10,427	1,811	876	756	179	208,159	61,306
Owns with a mortgage or loan	15,848	2,115	1,005	810	300	328,036	76,279
Shared ownership	150	10	6	4	-	3,945	662
Social rented	7,255	363	169	188	6	251,572	43,142
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	5,686	333	165	165	3	202,294	36,348
Other social rented	1,569	30	4	23	3	49,278	6,794
Private rented	3,540	389	136	166	87	60,433	16,439
Private landlord or letting agency	3,207	320	115	130	75	53,047	13,868
Employer of a household member	49	15	-	12	3	739	544
Relative or friend of a household member	244	30	15	9	6	5,097	1,421
Other	40	24	6	15	3	1,550	606
Living rent free	313	84	21	47	16	11,273	4,934

Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

Percentage of households by tenure



Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

Car ownership

13.2% of households in rural Darlington do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 33.5%.

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

	Darlington					North East		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	12,588	17,301	6,509	900	239	331,103	532,382	34,095	729,360
Rural	631	1,848	1,789	368	128	52,133	150,858	7,082	226,774
Less Sparse	631	1,848	1,789	368	128	46,465	126,903	7,082	190,571
Town	341	902	780	137	53	37,986	86,387	3,100	123,633
Village	264	773	721	159	53	6,318	26,997	2,925	43,519
Dispersed	26	173	288	72	22	2,161	13,519	1,057	23,419
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	5,668	23,955	-	36,203
Town	-	-	-	-	-	3,351	7,674	-	10,489
Village	-	-	-	-	-	1,726	9,510	-	14,629
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	591	6,771	-	11,085
Total	13,219	19,149	8,298	1,268	367	383,236	683,240	41,177	956,134
Percentage rural	4.8	9.7	21.6	29.0	34.9	13.6	22.1	17.2	23.7

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	3,961	870	56	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
Town	2,234	66	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,300
Village	1,323	646	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,983
Dispersed	404	158	42	-	-	-	-	-	-	604
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	3,961	870	56	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
% of rural households										
in the Authority	81.1	17.8	1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	69.9	19.0	6.0	2.6	1.5	0.7	0.3	-	-	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	164	3,220	1,178	325	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
Town	129	1,408	763	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,300
Village	5	1,471	310	197	-	-	-	-	-	1,983
Dispersed	30	341	105	128	-	-	-	-	-	604
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	164	3,220	1,178	325	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
% of rural households										
in the Authority	3.4	65.9	24.1	6.7	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	44.7	32.6	12.7	6.2	1.9	1.0	0.7	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	2,824	1,544	509	10	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
Town	1,637	494	169	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,300
Village	892	887	204	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,983
Dispersed	295	163	136	10	-	-	-	-	-	604
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	2,824	1,544	509	10	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
% of rural households										
in the Authority	57.8	31.6	10.4	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	52.1	31.3	11.5	3.7	1.0	0.3	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	4	581	2,931	1,120	251	-	-	-	-	4,887
Town	-	361	1,779	155	5	-	-	-	-	2,300
Village	4	166	1,030	620	163	-	-	-	-	1,983
Dispersed	-	54	122	345	83	-	-	-	-	604
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	4	581	2,931	1,120	251	-	-	-	-	4,887
% of rural households										
in the Authority	0.1	11.9	60.0	22.9	5.1	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	7.9	24.6	26.8	14.5	9.4	5.3	4.0	3.4	4.0	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	10	456	3,784	637	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
Town	-	120	2,172	8	-	-	-	-	-	2,300
Village	4	288	1,295	396	-	-	-	-	-	1,983
Dispersed	6	48	317	233	-	-	-	-	-	604
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	10	456	3,784	637	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
% of rural households										
in the Authority	0.2	9.3	77.4	13.0	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	54.0	25.0	11.2	5.6	2.8	1.0	0.4	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	3,361	1,457	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
Town	1,303	997	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,300
Village	1,659	324	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,983
Dispersed	399	136	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	604
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	3,361	1,457	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
% of rural households										
in the Authority	68.8	29.8	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	68.6	24.5	4.8	1.3	0.4	0.2	-	-	-	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	4,309	561	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
Town	2,275	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,300
Village	1,583	386	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,983
Dispersed	451	150	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	604
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	4,309	561	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
% of rural households										
in the Authority	88.2	11.5	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	87.5	10.7	1.5	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	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	216	3,078	1,442	151	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
Town	188	1,287	825	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,300
Village	5	1,449	464	65	-	-	-	-	-	1,983
Dispersed	23	342	153	86	-	-	-	-	-	604
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	216	3,078	1,442	151	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
% of rural households										
in the Authority	4.4	63.0	29.5	3.1	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	50.1	28.4	11.7	5.1	2.5	1.1	0.8	0.2	0.2	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	4,172	701	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
Town	2,265	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,300
Village	1,543	426	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,983
Dispersed	364	240	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	604
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	4,172	701	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
% of rural households										
in the Authority	85.4	14.3	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	89.1	9.4	1.2	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	1,495	1,518	1,799	75	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
Town	840	720	740	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,300
Village	623	682	677	1	-	-	-	-	-	1,983
Dispersed	32	116	382	74	-	-	-	-	-	604
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	1,495	1,518	1,799	75	-	-	-	-	-	4,887
% of rural households										
in the Authority	30.6	31.1	36.8	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	35.2	40.0	14.0	6.3	2.2	1.1	0.8	0.3	0.1	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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