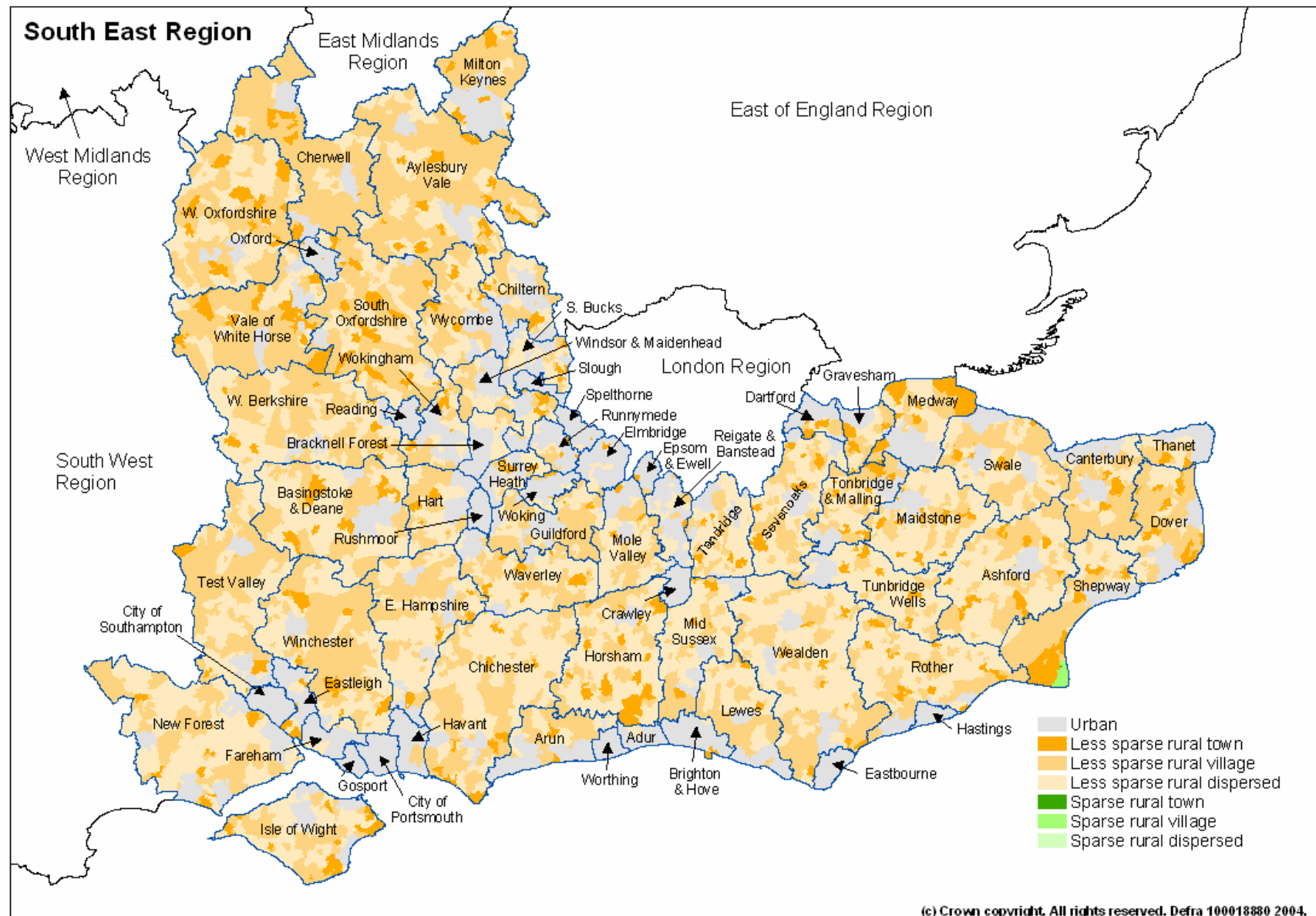


Gravesham

Census 2001 and Access to Services Focus on Rural Areas

Gravesham is in the South East Government Office Region

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



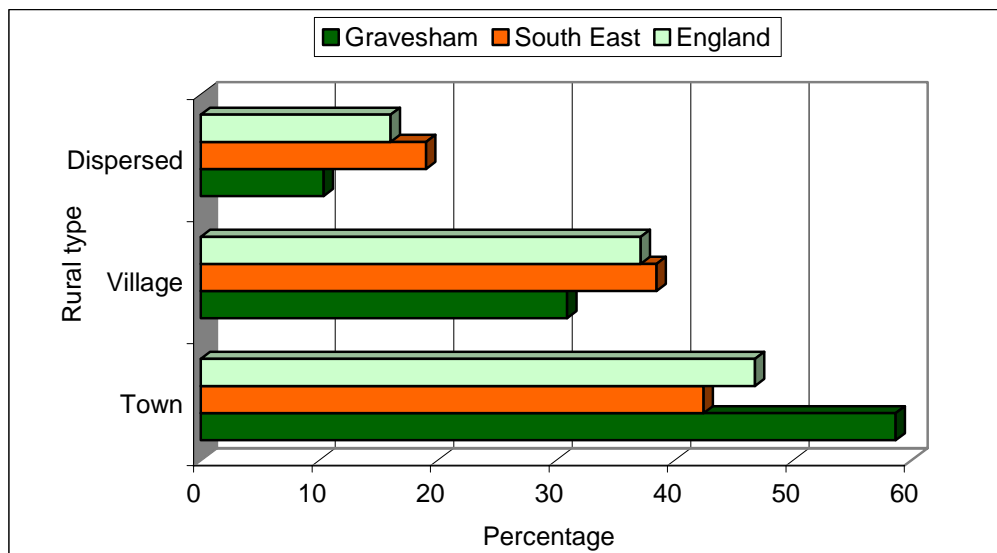
Population

In Gravesham 19.7% of people live in rural areas, compared with 22.4% in the Government Office Region. Within the rural areas all people live in less sparse areas

	Gravesham			South East		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Urban	37,613	39,210	76,823	3,025,510	3,180,658	6,206,168
Rural	9,275	9,619	18,894	879,645	914,832	1,794,477
Less Sparse	9,275	9,619	18,894	878,911	914,059	1,792,970
Town	5,442	5,643	11,085	373,428	398,650	772,078
Village	2,870	2,908	5,778	338,028	346,602	684,630
Dispersed	963	1,068	2,031	167,455	168,807	336,262
Sparse	-	-	-	734	773	1,507
Town	-	-	-	137	146	283
Village	-	-	-	597	627	1,224
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	46,888	48,829	95,717	3,905,155	4,095,490	8,000,645
Percentage rural	19.8	19.7	19.7	22.5	22.3	22.4

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

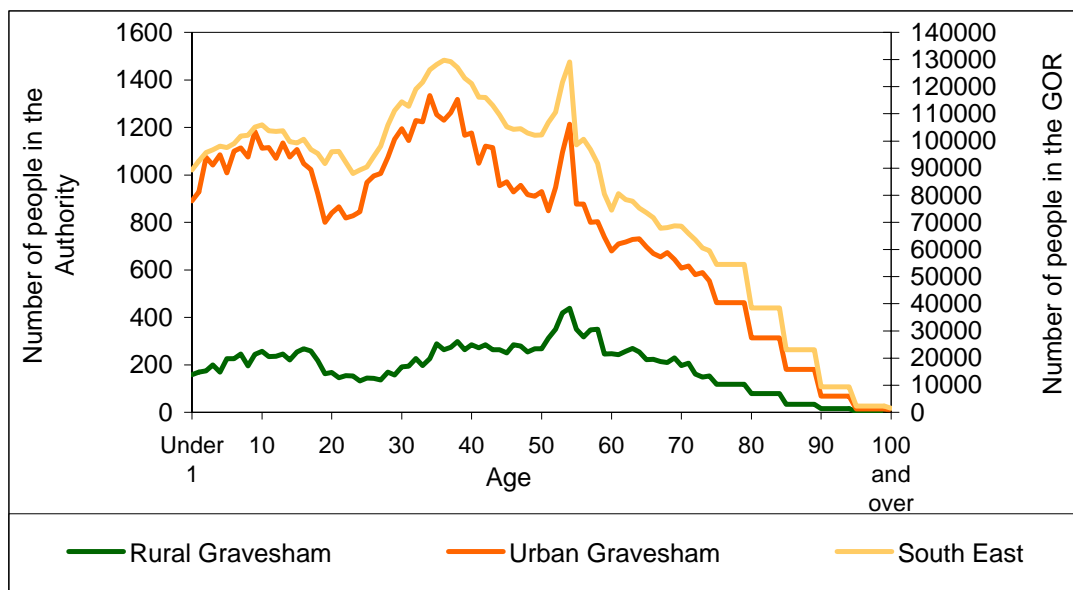
In Gravesham 2.1% of the population live in rural areas and are under 10 years old. 4.6% of the Authority's population live in rural areas and are under 19 years of age. 2.2% are aged 70 or over and live in rural areas.

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	12,506	10,499	2,007	1,250	-	529	-	228	-	16.0
10 to 19	12,759	10,405	2,354	1,348	-	690	-	316	-	18.4
20 to 29	10,895	9,390	1,505	932	-	444	-	129	-	13.8
30 to 39	14,778	12,357	2,421	1,507	-	658	-	256	-	16.4
40 to 49	12,800	10,098	2,702	1,516	-	881	-	305	-	21.1
50 to 59	12,525	9,128	3,397	1,943	-	1,096	-	358	-	27.1
60 to 69	9,269	6,901	2,368	1,383	-	769	-	216	-	25.5
70 to 79	6,710	5,255	1,455	867	-	450	-	138	-	21.7
80 to 89	3,033	2,469	564	333	-	182	-	49	-	18.6
90 and over	519	418	101	61	-	34	-	6	-	19.5
	95,794	76,920	18,874	11,140	-	5,733	-	2,001	-	19.7

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.

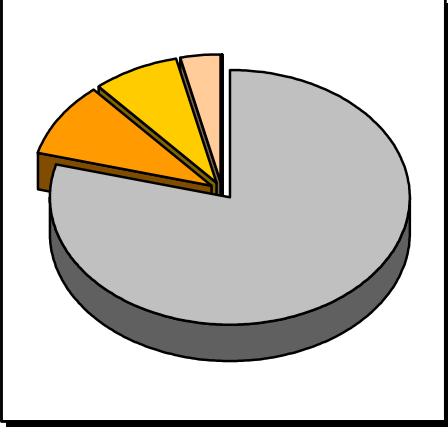
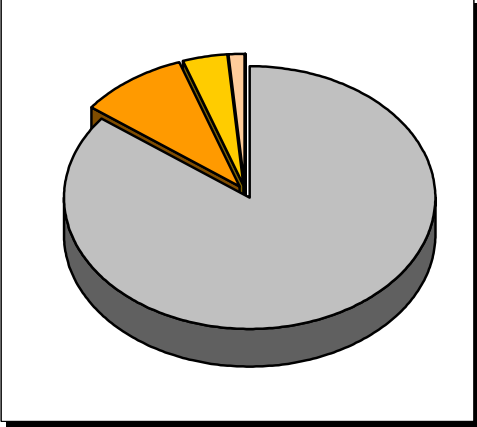


Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

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

Authority:
Gravesham
Number of under 5's: 5,900

Government Office Region:
South East
Number of under 5's: 472,500



- 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

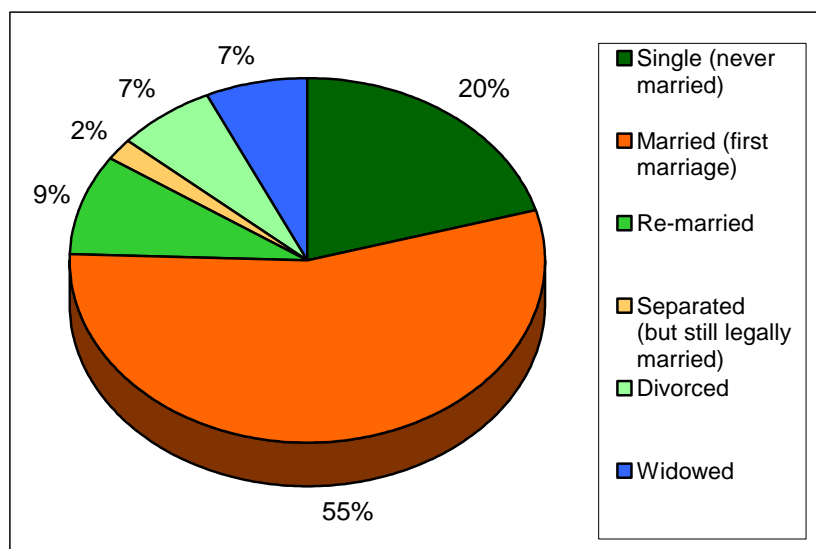
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted 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
Gravesham						
Urban	16,806	27,045	4,051	1,701	4,906	5,199
Rural	3,166	8,525	1,368	296	1,026	1,068
Less Sparse	3,166	8,525	1,368	296	1,026	1,068
Town	1,782	5,050	784	160	594	627
Village	1,005	2,631	448	91	322	332
Dispersed	379	844	136	45	110	109
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	19,972	35,570	5,419	1,997	5,932	6,267
South East						
Urban	1,484,269	2,144,729	394,163	117,467	419,736	402,101
Rural	334,414	720,409	138,401	29,317	105,734	115,963
Total	1,818,683	2,865,138	532,564	146,784	525,470	518,064

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 Gravesham 19.6% of households are in rural areas. 20.3% of rural households are single person households. 5.2% of rural households are lone parent family households.

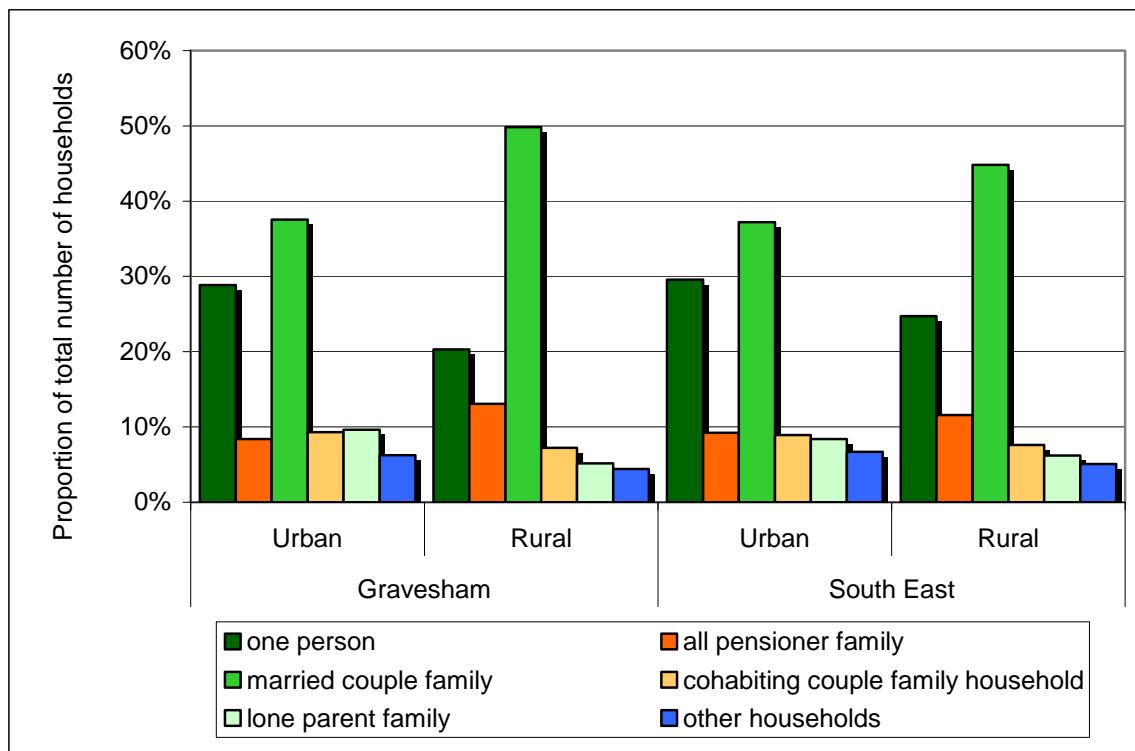
Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban Total	Rural							% rural
		Total	Less sparse			Sparse			
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	30,770	7,492	4,426	2,326	740	-	-	-	19.6
One person household	8,882	1,520	904	484	132	-	-	-	14.6
pensioner	4,507	874	523	273	78	-	-	-	16.2
other	4,375	646	381	211	54	-	-	-	12.9
All pensioner family	2,583	978	607	294	77	-	-	-	27.5
Married couple family	11,558	3,734	2,189	1,167	378	-	-	-	24.4
no children	3,641	1,440	819	467	154	-	-	-	28.3
with one dependent child	1,946	596	353	187	56	-	-	-	23.4
with two or more dependent children	3,865	1,056	636	308	112	-	-	-	21.5
all children non-dependent	2,106	642	381	205	56	-	-	-	23.4
Cohabiting couple family	2,869	543	293	184	66	-	-	-	15.9
no children	1,402	304	158	109	37	-	-	-	17.8
with one dependent child	557	104	63	32	9	-	-	-	15.7
two or more dependent children	781	105	54	34	17	-	-	-	11.9
all children non-dependent	129	30	18	9	3	-	-	-	18.9
Lone parent family	2,960	386	266	87	33	-	-	-	11.5
with one dependent child	941	91	71	13	7	-	-	-	8.8
with two or more dependant children	988	105	68	31	6	-	-	-	9.6
all children non-dependent	1,031	190	127	43	20	-	-	-	15.6
Other households	1,918	331	167	110	54	-	-	-	14.7
with one dependent child	396	57	33	15	9	-	-	-	12.6
with two or more dependent children	520	90	48	24	18	-	-	-	14.8
all student	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
all pensioner	123	32	12	17	3	-	-	-	20.6
other	876	152	74	54	24	-	-	-	14.8

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.

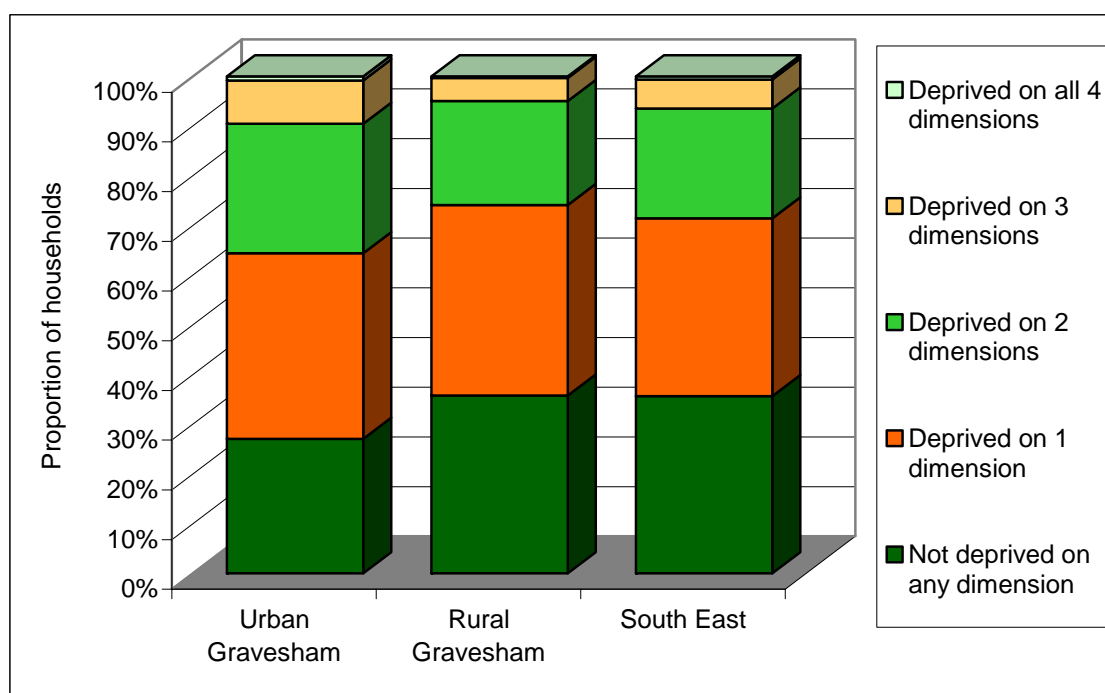
Housing – The household’s accommodation is either overcrowded, or is in a shared dwelling, or does not have sole use of bath/shower and toilet, or has no central heating.

Classification of household deprivation (number of households)

	Gravesham					South 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	8,323	11,484	8,004	2,671	266	894,858	1,671,844
Rural	2,683	2,873	1,569	346	27	277,521	443,090
Less Sparse	2,683	2,873	1,569	346	27	277,406	442,550
Town	1,548	1,721	971	175	18	116,111	204,884
Village	881	861	457	123	3	107,661	165,481
Dispersed	254	291	141	48	6	53,634	72,185
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	115	540
Town	-	-	-	-	-	18	109
Village	-	-	-	-	-	97	431
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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)

	Gravesham				South East			
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good
Urban	52,700	17,874	6,249	8.1	4,403,973	1,347,133	455,062	7.3
Rural	13,710	3,953	1,231	6.5	1,316,463	363,635	114,377	6.4

Source table from the Census: UV20 General health

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

	Gravesham			South East			England
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	63,985	12,838	16.7	5,233,076	973,093	15.7	18.2
Rural	16,127	2,767	14.6	1,530,170	264,307	14.7	17.0

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

Number of people providing unpaid care

	Gravesham			% providing some unpaid care	
	1 to 19 hours per week	20 to 49 hours per week	50 or more hours per week	Gravesham	South East
Urban	4,690	750	1,451	9.0	9.0
Rural	1,645	175	311	11.3	10.1
Towns	933	118	194	11.2	9.8
Villages	531	48	91	11.6	10.3
Dispersed	181	9	26	10.6	10.2

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

Qualifications

In Gravesham 31.4% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 23.9% in the Region as a whole. 15.8% 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	18,106	10,992	11,231	3,514	6,084	4,497	33.3	24.4
Rural	3,410	2,625	3,256	1,039	2,514	1,341	24.0	22.4
Less Sparse	3,410	2,625	3,256	1,039	2,514	1,341	24.0	22.4
Town	2,045	1,616	1,932	588	1,293	806	24.7	24.1
Village	994	725	959	334	974	405	22.6	22.0
Dispersed	371	284	365	117	247	130	24.5	19.3
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	21,516	13,617	14,487	4,553	8,598	5,838	31.4	23.9
Percentage rural	15.8	19.3	22.5	22.8	29.2	23.0		

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

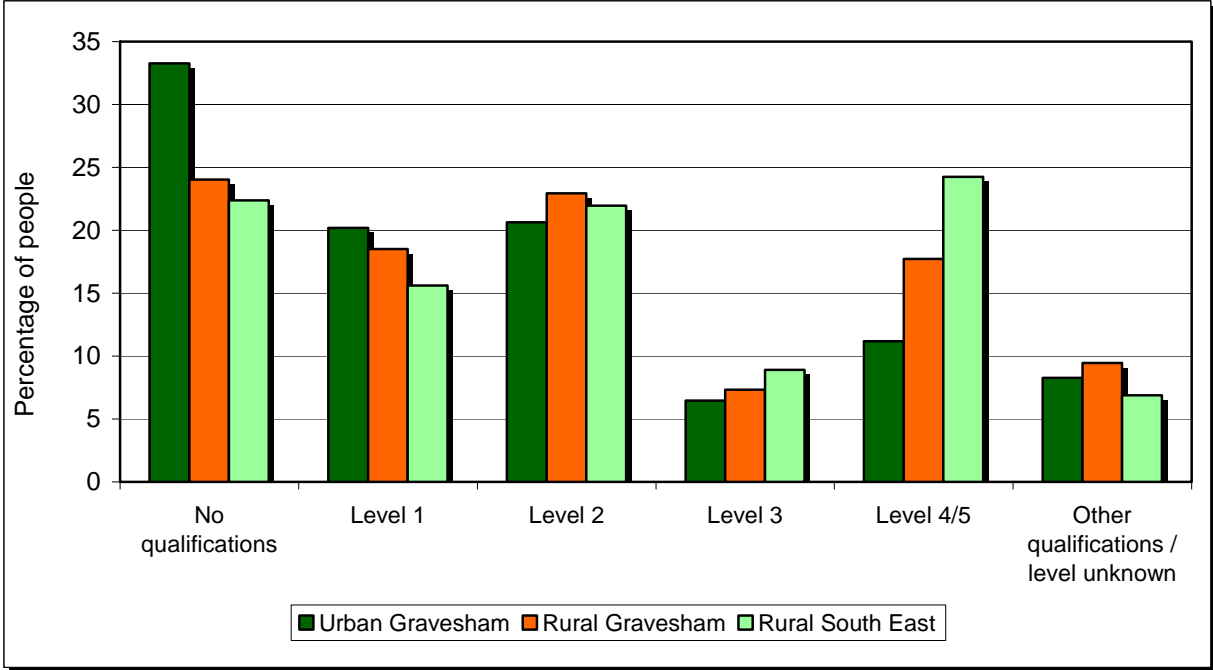
Level 2: 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

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:

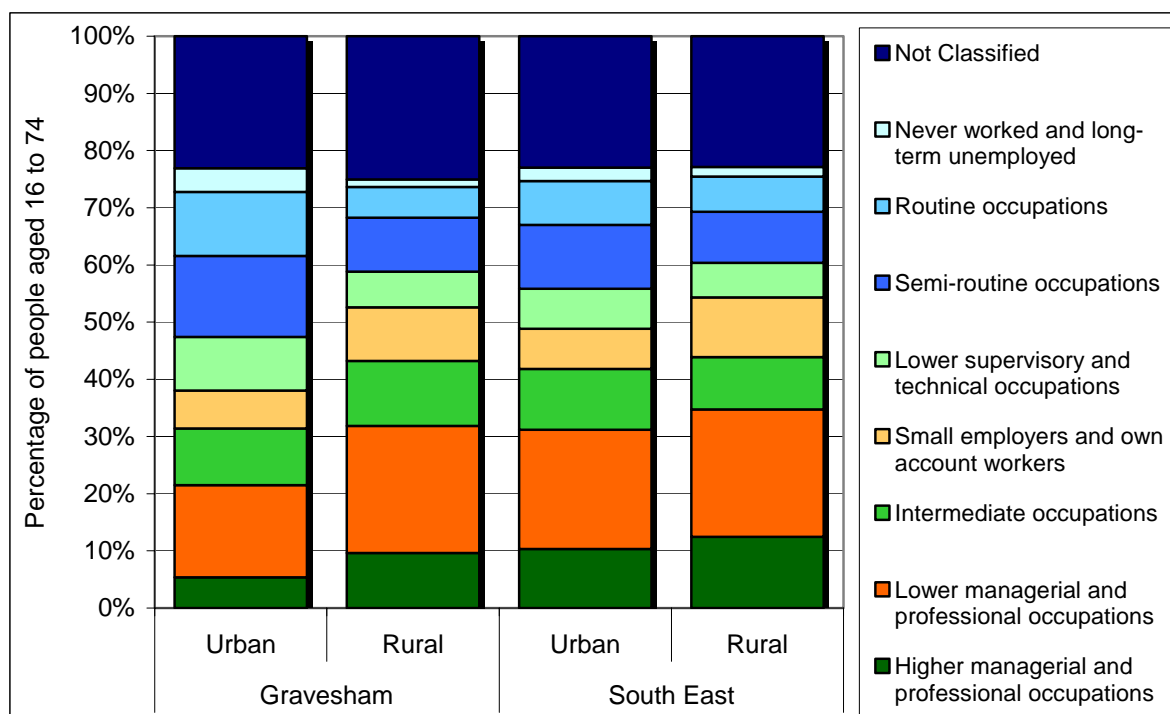
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Number of people in the Authority aged 16 to 74 by NS-SeC classification

	Gravesham					South East	
	Urban Total	Rural			Urban	Rural	
		Total	Towns	Villages			Dispersed
Higher managerial and professional occupations	2,939	1,365	715	500	150	461,351	161,117
Lower managerial and professional occupations	8,783	3,148	1,817	1,026	305	932,373	288,729
Intermediate occupations	5,387	1,614	1,015	457	142	476,167	117,990
Small employers and own account workers	3,624	1,326	667	453	206	311,829	135,783
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	5,082	883	598	218	67	315,985	77,885
Semi-routine occupations	7,711	1,339	892	346	101	496,792	115,350
Routine occupations	6,121	759	484	217	58	343,728	80,000
Never worked and long-term unemployed	2,247	185	110	52	23	103,870	21,453
Not Classified	12,568	3,549	1,998	1,121	430	1,028,126	296,344

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 Gravesham 32.3% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 54.4% of those people are retired, 10.2% are students and 20.8% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 32.2% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban Gravesham and 30.6% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

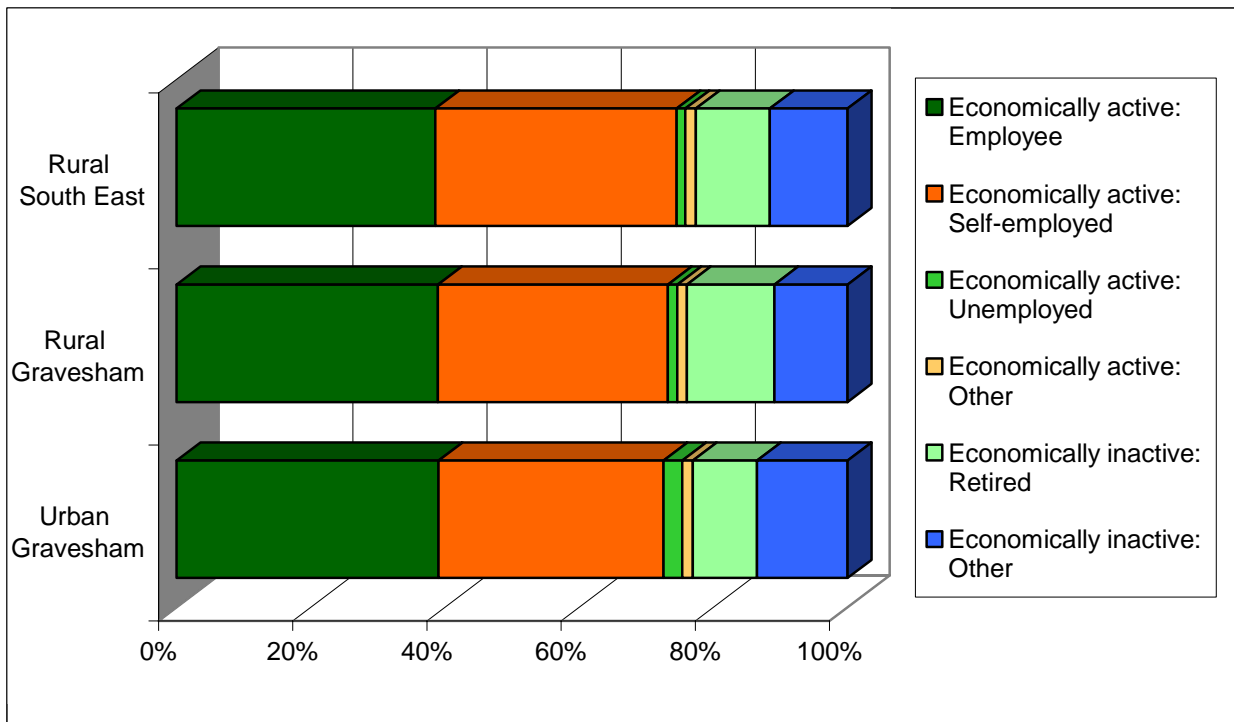
Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

	Gravesham					South East	
	Urban Total	Rural				Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed		
Economically active	36,868	9,614	5,682	2,958	974	3,138,371	899,331
Employee	29,727	7,460	4,578	2,214	668	2,520,096	675,484
Part-time	6,665	1,899	1,169	576	154	545,708	157,638
Full-time	23,062	5,561	3,409	1,638	514	1,974,388	517,846
Self-employed with employees	1,350	608	268	246	94	119,414	60,992
Part-time	162	102	41	48	13	17,437	9,504
Full-time	1,188	506	227	198	81	101,977	51,488
Self-employed without employees	2,456	999	506	342	151	259,523	112,498
Part-time	538	296	148	105	43	74,434	37,294
Full-time	1,918	703	358	237	108	185,089	75,204
Unemployed	2,118	275	163	79	33	110,115	23,253
Full-time Students	1,217	272	167	77	28	129,223	27,104
Economically inactive	17,543	4,582	2,605	1,439	538	1,332,898	395,949
Retired	7,263	2,494	1,458	795	241	579,666	193,269
Student	1,590	466	214	149	103	195,738	44,813
Looking after home/family	4,318	954	543	290	121	285,622	91,906
Permanently sick/disabled	2,667	379	217	126	36	162,934	36,059
Other	1,705	289	173	79	37	108,938	29,902
% economically active	67.8	67.7	68.6	67.3	64.4	70.2	69.4
% economically inactive	32.2	32.3	31.4	32.7	35.6	29.8	30.6

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



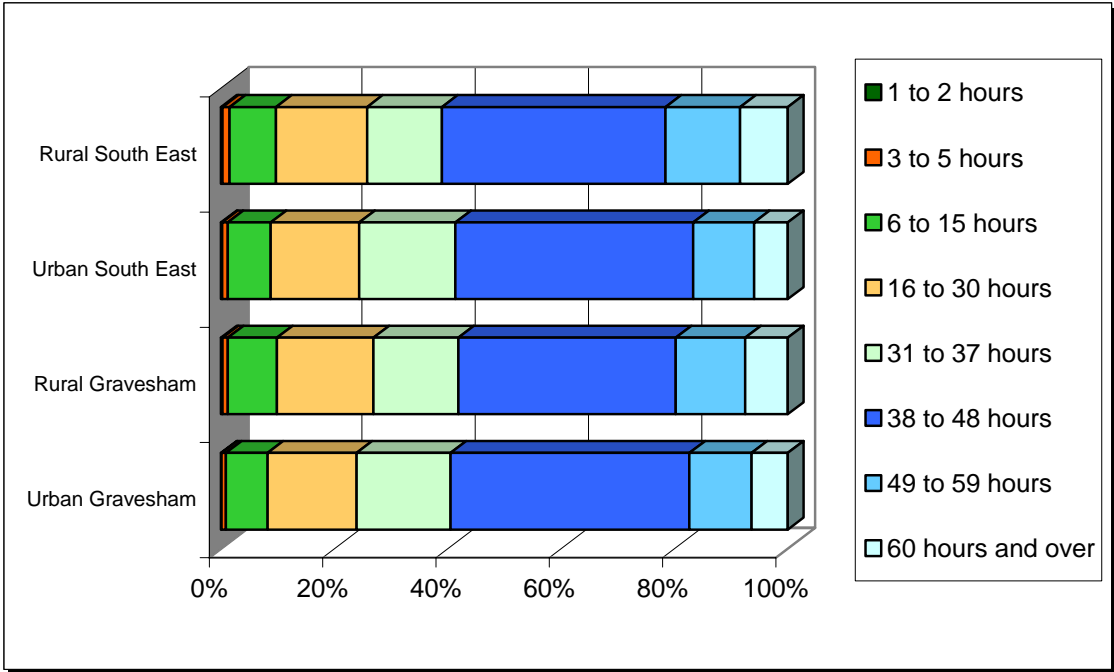
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

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
Gravesham										
Urban	30	270	2,541	5,441	5,741	14,606	3,791	2,214	23.9	76.1
Rural	24	87	807	1,584	1,392	3,567	1,141	698	26.9	73.1
Less Sparse	24	87	807	1,584	1,392	3,567	1,141	698	26.9	73.1
Town	12	52	461	965	899	2,137	617	355	27.1	72.9
Village	9	28	262	482	375	1,059	402	246	27.3	72.7
Dispersed	3	7	84	137	118	371	122	97	24.6	75.4
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	54	357	3,348	7,025	7,133	18,173	4,932	2,912	24.5	75.5
Percentage rural	44.4	24.4	24.1	22.5	19.5	19.6	23.1	24.0		
South East										
Urban	5,598	29,763	228,995	470,238	511,859	1,266,030	323,512	179,271	24.4	75.6
Rural	2,382	10,839	71,496	140,432	115,526	344,523	115,176	73,417	25.8	74.2
Total	7,980	40,602	300,491	610,670	627,385	1,610,553	438,688	252,688	24.7	75.3

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 Gravesham are: "Wholesale and retail trade; repairs", "Real estate, renting and business activities" and "Manufacturing"

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

	Gravesham					South East	
	Urban	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
	Total	Total	Towns	Villages			
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	303	131	53	56	22	27,285	28,865
Fishing	-	3	3	-	-	541	311
Mining and quarrying	87	21	15	3	3	5,342	1,848
Manufacturing	5,169	1,219	742	352	125	371,703	99,934
Electricity, gas and water supply	248	82	61	18	3	22,488	5,557
Construction	3,660	900	500	288	112	211,619	65,707
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	6,745	1,556	962	447	147	504,852	130,940
Hotels and restaurants	1,325	266	144	93	29	129,515	37,695
Transport, storage and communications	2,994	631	396	171	64	256,859	59,531
Financial Intermediation	1,822	632	384	198	50	157,096	41,068
Real estate, renting and business activities	3,730	1,273	693	446	134	460,568	145,557
Public administration and defence, social security	1,676	527	332	146	49	181,049	49,562
Education	2,336	852	487	279	86	232,185	72,975
Health and social work	2,834	803	495	233	75	298,491	83,761
Other community, social & personal service activities	1,677	405	237	132	36	150,932	47,183
Private households with employed persons	12	6	6	-	-	3,724	2,646
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	12	-	-	-	-	871	337

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

Accommodation and tenure

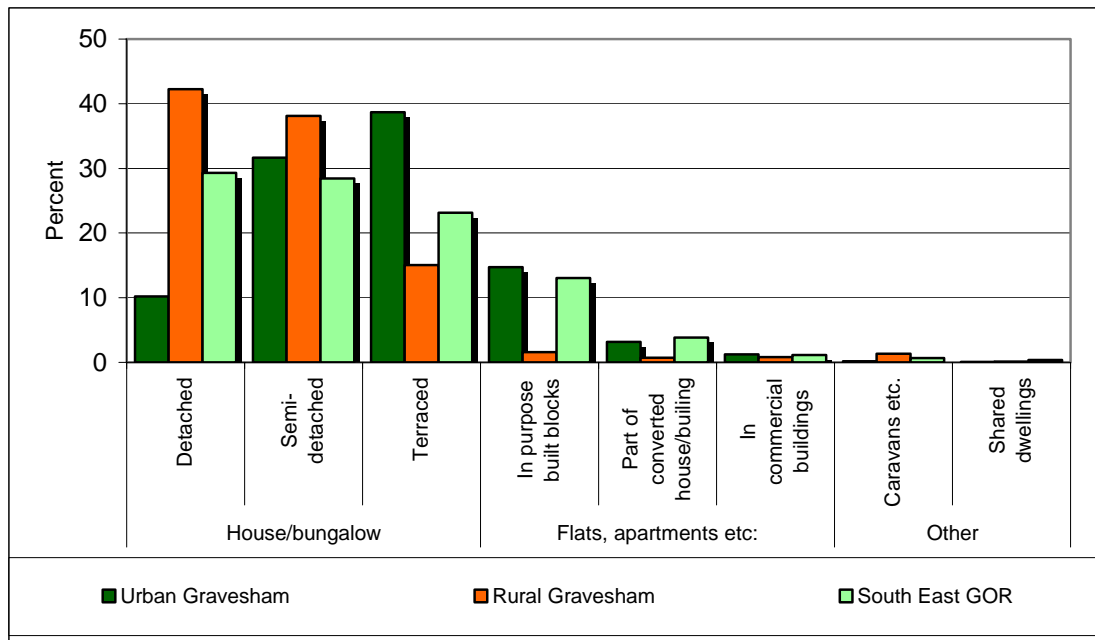
In rural Gravesham 95.4% of households live in houses or bungalows, 3.1% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 1.5% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban Gravesham 80.5% of households live in houses or bungalows, 19.2% 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

	Gravesham					South East	
	Urban	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
	Total	Total	Towns	Villages			
In an unshared dwelling	31,479	7,661	4,490	2,400	771	2,636,761	751,637
House or bungalow	25,382	7,319	4,289	2,303	727	2,076,368	674,182
Detached	3,211	3,242	1,345	1,350	547	653,823	342,291
Semi-detached	9,978	2,922	2,139	641	142	746,350	221,521
Terraced (including end-terrace)	12,193	1,155	805	312	38	676,195	110,370
Flat; maisonette or apartment	6,043	240	143	85	12	550,501	63,736
In a purpose-built block of flats	4,647	122	83	36	3	400,404	42,406
Part of a converted or shared house	1,006	54	18	30	6	117,658	13,930
In a commercial building	390	64	42	19	3	32,439	7,400
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	54	102	58	12	32	9,892	13,719
In a shared dwelling	36	10	10	-	-	12,185	928

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 Gravesham 87.9% of households live in owned accommodation, 6.9% live in social rented accommodation and 3.9% live in private rented accommodation.

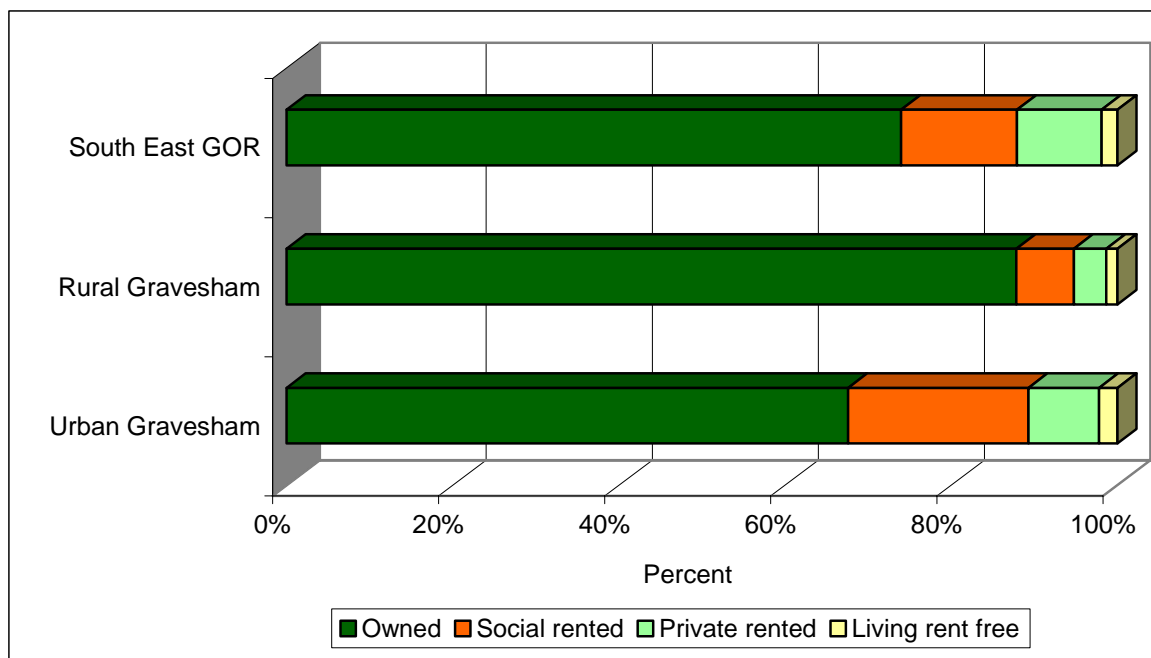
In urban Gravesham 67.6% of households live in owned accommodation, 21.7% live in social rented accommodation and 8.5% live in private rented accommodation.

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

	Gravesham					South East	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Owned	20,760	6,604	3,946	2,004	654	1,875,258	556,134
Owns outright	8,447	3,158	1,850	982	326	764,086	264,079
Owns with a mortgage or loan	12,198	3,421	2,083	1,010	328	1,089,453	288,072
Shared ownership	115	25	13	12	-	21,719	3,983
Social rented	6,670	520	303	203	14	381,845	77,446
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	5,889	451	288	149	14	208,516	33,304
Other social rented	781	69	15	54	-	173,329	44,142
Private rented	2,605	293	141	93	59	268,379	65,706
Private landlord or letting agency	2,391	235	114	75	46	236,252	51,769
Employer of a household member	27	15	6	6	3	8,716	6,109
Relative or friend of a household member	141	34	18	9	7	15,226	3,966
Other	46	9	3	3	3	8,185	3,862
Living rent free	678	100	58	34	8	41,448	21,260

Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

Percentage of households by tenure



Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

Car ownership

9.7% of households in rural Gravesham do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 27.3%.

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

	Gravesham					South 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	8,398	13,676	6,982	1,327	381	555,758	2,011,160	33,262	3,135,430
Rural	728	2,696	3,012	776	273	82,969	637,585	12,215	1,135,906
Less Sparse	728	2,696	3,012	776	273	82,893	637,002	12,215	1,135,016
Town	473	1,705	1,727	384	140	48,392	272,635	6,904	453,915
Village	206	773	963	276	104	26,301	246,822	3,985	451,260
Dispersed	49	218	322	116	29	8,200	117,545	1,326	229,841
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	76	583	-	890
Town	-	-	-	-	-	12	117	-	167
Village	-	-	-	-	-	64	466	-	723
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	9,126	16,372	9,994	2,103	654	638,727	2,648,745	45,477	4,271,336
Percentage rural	8.0	16.5	30.1	36.9	41.7	13.0	24.1	26.9	26.6

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	3,651	3,868	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
Town	2,445	1,977	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,422
Village	654	1,670	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,324
Dispersed	552	221	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	786
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	3,651	3,868	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
% of rural households										
in the Authority	48.5	51.4	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	58.3	28.1	10.1	3.0	0.5	-	-	-	-	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	2	3,437	4,047	46	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
Town	2	2,734	1,686	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,422
Village	-	620	1,662	42	-	-	-	-	-	2,324
Dispersed	-	83	699	4	-	-	-	-	-	786
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	2	3,437	4,047	46	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
% of rural households										
in the Authority	-	45.6	53.7	0.6	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	35.0	30.7	22.5	8.5	2.9	0.5	-	-	-	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

Distance to GPs and Jobcentres

GPs	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a GP										
Less Sparse	4,764	2,085	683	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
Town	3,600	322	500	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,422
Village	942	1,250	132	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,324
Dispersed	222	513	51	-	-	-	-	-	-	786
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	4,764	2,085	683	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
% of rural households										
in the Authority	63.3	27.7	9.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	50.4	31.5	14.2	3.5	0.4	-	-	-	-	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	-	233	3,441	1,650	596	1,271	341	-	-	7,532
Town	-	209	2,294	1,109	23	623	164	-	-	4,422
Village	-	12	927	527	490	242	126	-	-	2,324
Dispersed	-	12	220	14	83	406	51	-	-	786
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	-	233	3,441	1,650	596	1,271	341	-	-	7,532
% of rural households										
in the Authority	-	3.1	45.7	21.9	7.9	16.9	4.5	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	1.3	11.8	21.6	19.7	17.7	11.3	7.8	4.2	4.5	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	5,096	2,436	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
Town	3,032	1,390	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,422
Village	1,423	901	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,324
Dispersed	641	145	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	786
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	5,096	2,436	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
% of rural households										
in the Authority	67.7	32.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	40.9	29.7	20.1	7.4	1.6	0.3	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	3,824	3,688	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
Town	2,635	1,787	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,422
Village	629	1,675	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,324
Dispersed	560	226	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	786
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	3,824	3,688	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
% of rural households										
in the Authority	50.8	49.0	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	60.3	30.4	8.4	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	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	7,429	103	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
Town	4,422	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,422
Village	2,268	56	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,324
Dispersed	739	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	786
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	7,429	103	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
% of rural households										
in the Authority	98.6	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	84.9	13.9	1.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	1,271	3,342	2,919	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
Town	1,261	1,691	1,470	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,422
Village	2	1,405	917	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,324
Dispersed	8	246	532	-	-	-	-	-	-	786
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	1,271	3,342	2,919	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
% of rural households										
in the Authority	16.9	44.4	38.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	32.1	32.0	22.7	9.8	2.7	0.7	-	-	-	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

Distance to Primary Schools and Secondary Schools

Primary Schools	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a primary school										
Less Sparse	7,401	131	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
Town	4,408	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,422
Village	2,260	64	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,324
Dispersed	733	53	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	786
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	7,401	131	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
% of rural households										
in the Authority	98.3	1.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	85.1	13.6	1.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	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	2,010	4,893	629	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
Town	1,296	2,626	500	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,422
Village	595	1,607	122	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,324
Dispersed	119	660	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	786
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	2,010	4,893	629	-	-	-	-	-	-	7,532
% of rural households										
in the Authority	26.7	65.0	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	25.8	33.2	25.5	11.6	3.6	0.3	-	-	-	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

Further information:

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

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