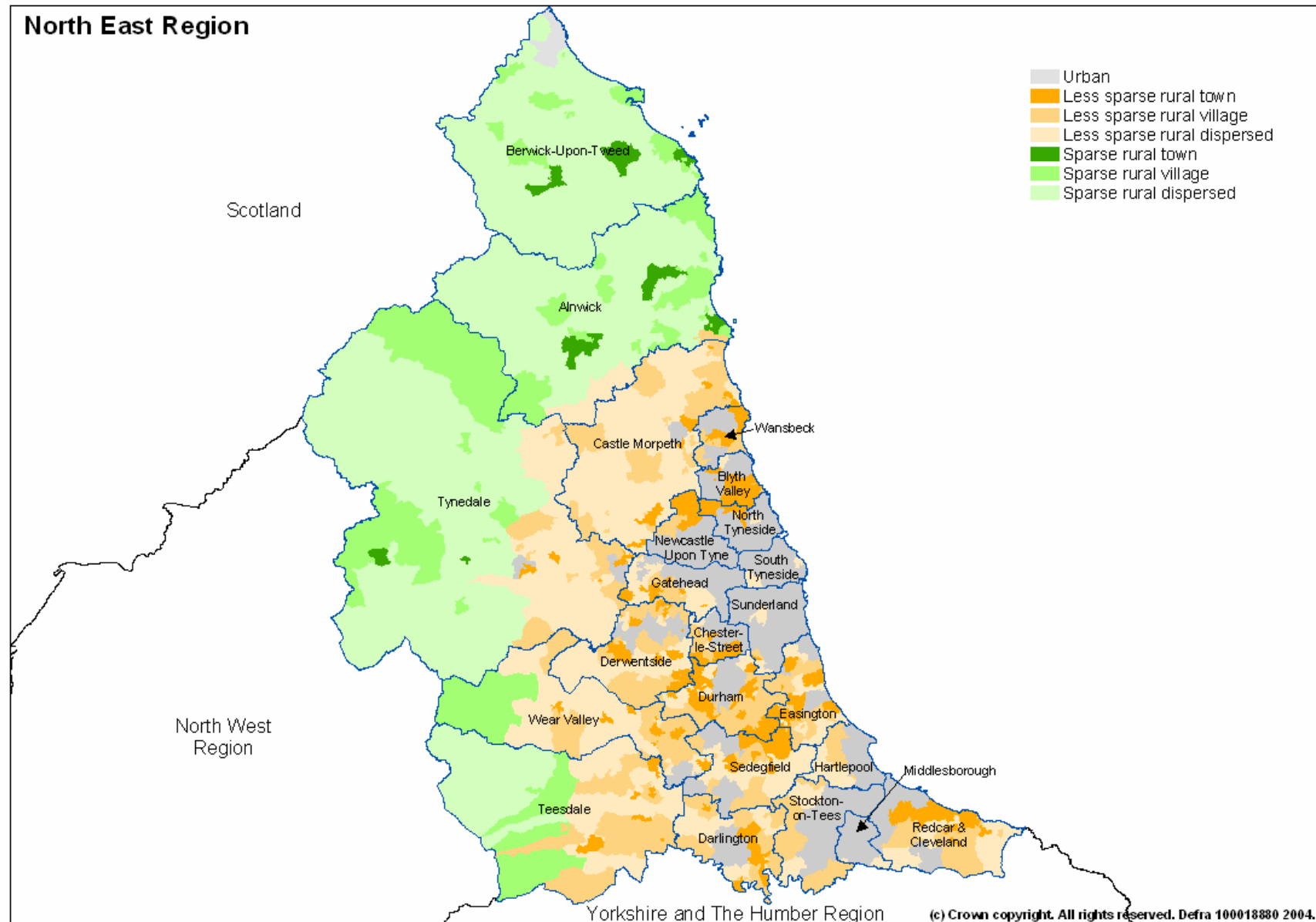


# **Sedgefield**

## **Census 2001 and Access to Services Focus on Rural Areas**

Sedgefield 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.



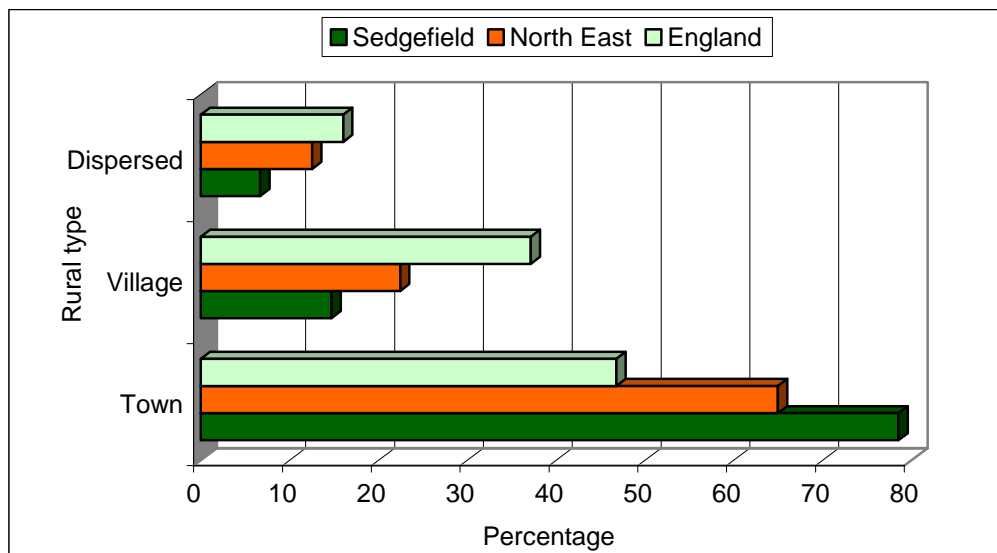
## Population

In Sedgefield 27.1% 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

	Sedgefield			North East		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Urban	30,696	32,858	63,554	985,586	1,053,291	2,038,877
Rural	11,590	12,062	23,652	232,993	243,572	476,565
Less Sparse	11,590	12,062	23,652	199,805	208,981	408,786
Town	9,106	9,551	18,657	139,605	148,646	288,251
Village	1,706	1,706	3,412	39,839	40,682	80,521
Dispersed	778	805	1,583	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	42,286	44,920	87,206	1,218,579	1,296,863	2,515,442
Percentage rural	27.4	26.9	27.1	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

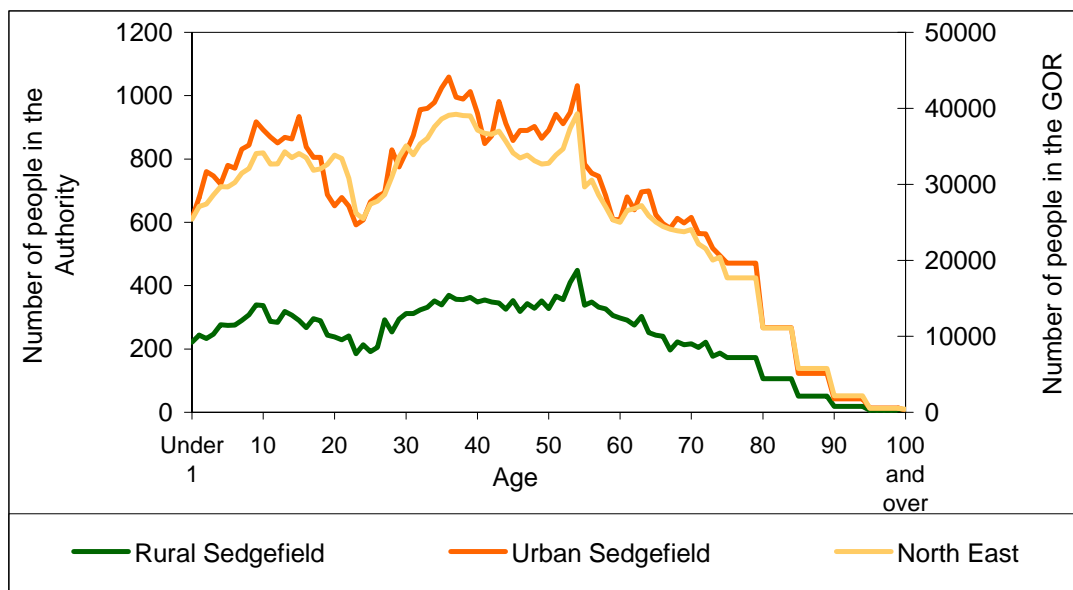
In Sedgefield 3.1% of the population live in rural areas and are under 10 years old. 6.5% of the Authority's population live in rural areas and are under 19 years of age. 3.2% are aged 70 or over and live in rural areas.

### 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	10,372	7,665	2,707	2,231	-	329	-	147	-	26.1
10 to 19	11,339	8,418	2,921	2,336	-	402	-	183	-	25.8
20 to 29	9,172	6,828	2,344	1,893	-	316	-	135	-	25.6
30 to 39	13,089	9,673	3,416	2,790	-	412	-	214	-	26.1
40 to 49	12,387	8,969	3,418	2,600	-	554	-	264	-	27.6
50 to 59	11,863	8,302	3,561	2,682	-	640	-	239	-	30.0
60 to 69	8,872	6,337	2,535	1,949	-	404	-	182	-	28.6
70 to 79	6,988	5,114	1,874	1,510	-	242	-	122	-	26.8
80 to 89	2,741	1,954	787	630	-	90	-	67	-	28.7
90 and over	420	288	132	109	-	9	-	14	-	31.4
	87,243	63,548	23,695	18,730	-	3,398	-	1,567	-	27.2

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.

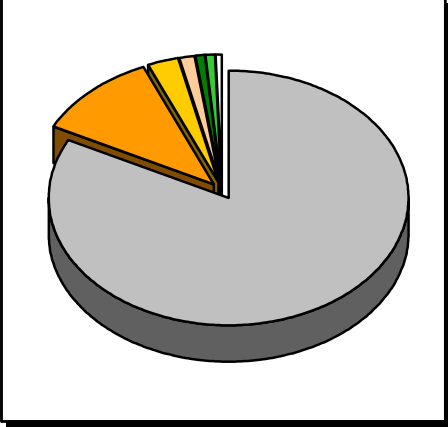
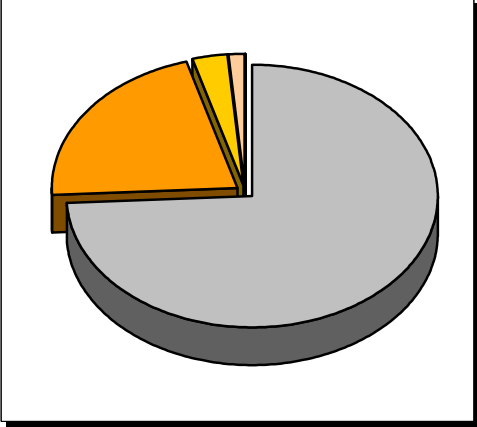


Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

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

Authority:  
Sedgefield  
Number of under 5's: 4,800

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
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Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

## Marital Status

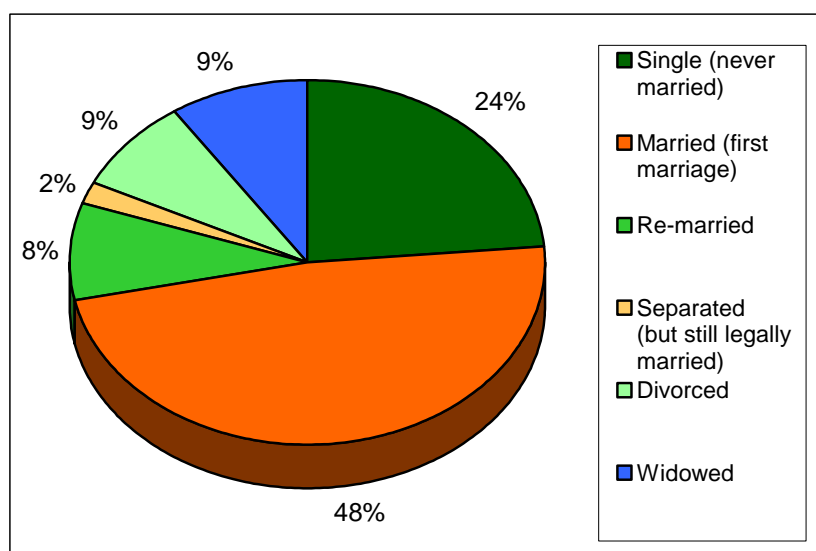
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted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

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

	Single (never married)	Married (first marriage)	Re-married	Separated (but still legally married)	Divorced	Widowed
<b>Sedgefield</b>						
Urban	12,783	22,363	4,329	1,317	5,023	4,799
Rural	4,533	9,186	1,614	364	1,636	1,783
Less Sparse	4,533	9,186	1,614	364	1,636	1,783
Town	3,594	7,016	1,263	296	1,332	1,454
Village	634	1,469	243	54	219	224
Dispersed	305	701	108	14	85	105
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,316</b>	<b>31,549</b>	<b>5,943</b>	<b>1,681</b>	<b>6,659</b>	<b>6,582</b>
<b>North East</b>						
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>584,741</b>	<b>887,236</b>	<b>137,906</b>	<b>49,044</b>	<b>171,461</b>	<b>187,862</b>

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 Sedgefield 27.1% of households are in rural areas. 28.4% of rural households are single person households. 9.4% of rural households are lone parent family households.

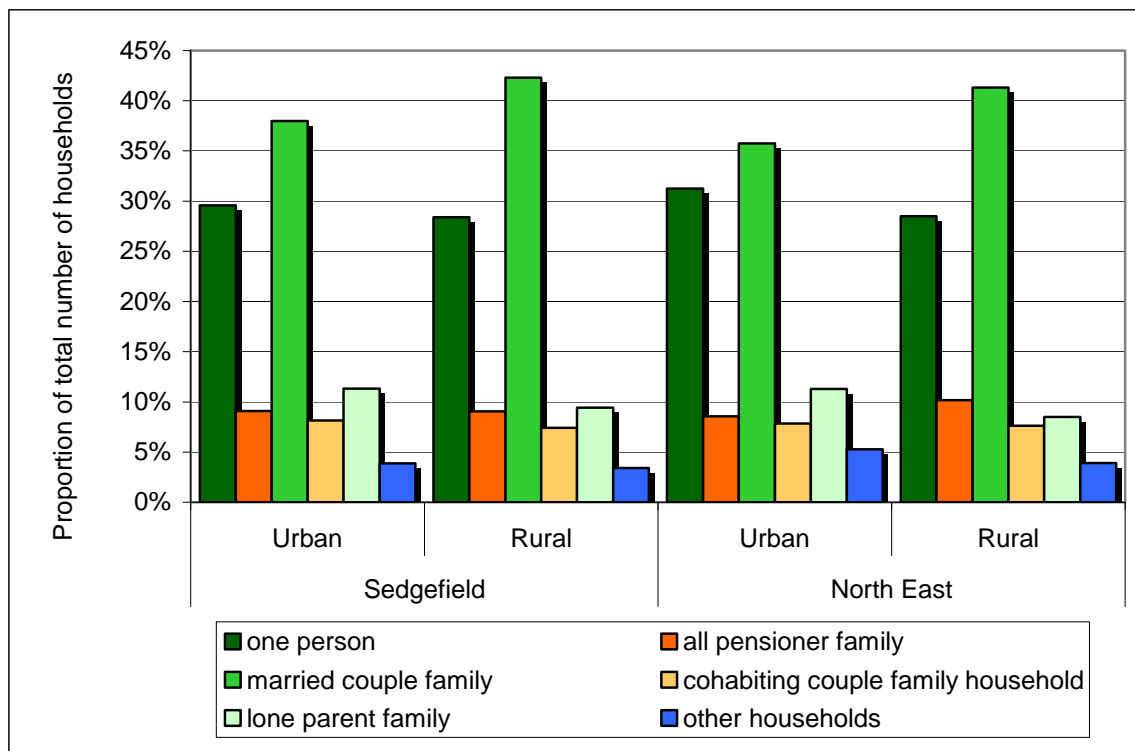
### Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban Total	Rural							% rural
		Total	Less sparse			Sparse			
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	27,362	10,174	8,107	1,456	611	-	-	-	27.1
One person household	8,093	2,891	2,405	362	124	-	-	-	26.3
pensioner	4,166	1,582	1,320	198	64	-	-	-	27.5
other	3,927	1,309	1,085	164	60	-	-	-	25.0
All pensioner family	2,489	920	722	132	66	-	-	-	27.0
Married couple family	10,393	4,304	3,304	684	316	-	-	-	29.3
no children	3,856	1,666	1,268	280	118	-	-	-	30.2
with one dependent child	2,099	739	574	115	50	-	-	-	26.0
with two or more dependent children	2,627	1,085	860	153	72	-	-	-	29.2
all children non-dependent	1,811	814	602	136	76	-	-	-	31.0
Cohabiting couple family	2,230	754	615	91	48	-	-	-	25.3
no children	1,065	341	281	42	18	-	-	-	24.3
with one dependent child	595	198	163	18	17	-	-	-	25.0
two or more dependent children	510	169	147	15	7	-	-	-	24.9
all children non-dependent	60	46	24	16	6	-	-	-	43.4
Lone parent family	3,099	959	804	119	36	-	-	-	23.6
with one dependent child	1,210	363	306	43	14	-	-	-	23.1
with two or more dependant children	927	284	246	27	11	-	-	-	23.5
all children non-dependent	962	312	252	49	11	-	-	-	24.5
Other households	1,058	346	257	68	21	-	-	-	24.6
with one dependent child	235	72	54	15	3	-	-	-	23.5
with two or more dependent children	249	51	36	12	3	-	-	-	17.0
all student	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
all pensioner	97	51	45	6	-	-	-	-	34.5
other	474	172	122	35	15	-	-	-	26.6

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.

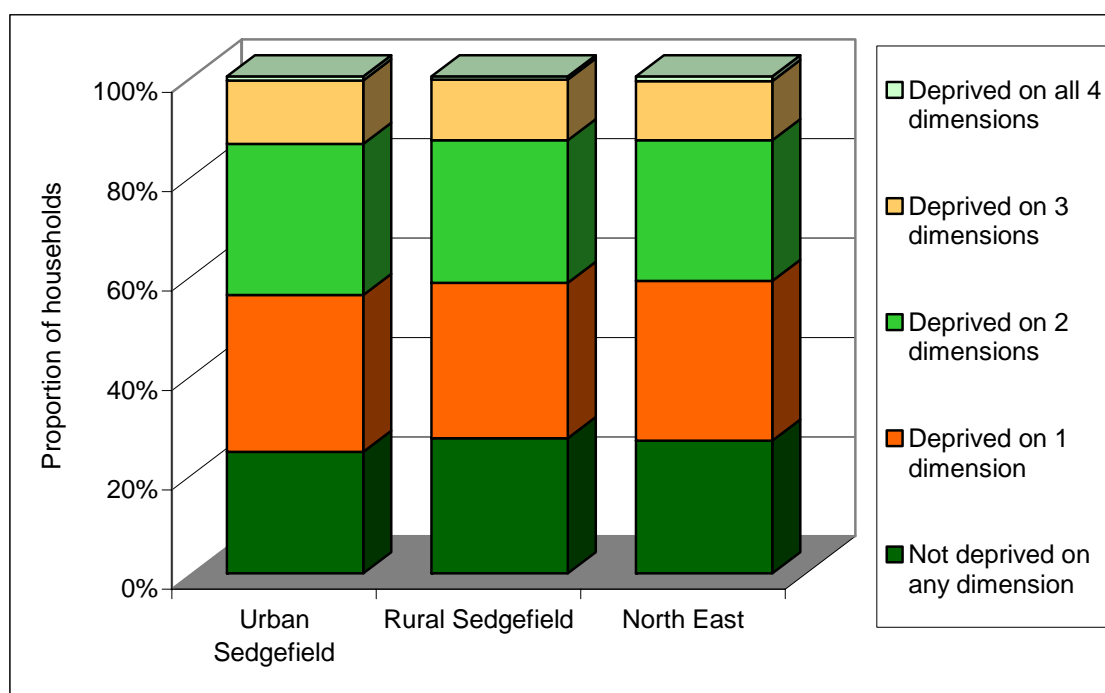


### Classification of household deprivation (number of households)

	Sedgefield					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
<b>Urban</b>	<b>6,704</b>	<b>8,653</b>	<b>8,318</b>	<b>3,504</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>227,843</b>	<b>635,637</b>
<b>Rural</b>	<b>2,757</b>	<b>3,164</b>	<b>2,908</b>	<b>1,236</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>57,136</b>	<b>145,692</b>
Less Sparse	2,757	3,164	2,908	1,236	64	48,293	124,908
Town	2,102	2,523	2,364	1,033	46	32,074	92,188
Village	470	423	403	141	8	10,552	22,746
Dispersed	185	218	141	62	10	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)

	Sedgefield				North East			
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good
Urban	39,558	15,511	8,485	13.4	1,312,301	481,358	245,218	12.0
Rural	14,937	5,605	3,110	13.1	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)

	Sedgefield			North East			England
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	47,750	15,804	24.9	1,575,672	463,205	22.7	18.2
Rural	17,796	5,856	24.8	368,078	108,487	22.8	17.0

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

Number of people providing unpaid care

	Sedgefield			% providing some unpaid care	
	1 to 19 hours per week	20 to 49 hours per week	50 or more hours per week	Sedgefield	North East
Urban	4,372	1,013	1,953	11.5	10.9
Rural	1,816	414	700	12.4	11.5
Towns	1,394	317	560	12.2	11.5
Villages	263	64	97	12.4	11.6
Dispersed	159	33	43	14.8	11.3

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

## Qualifications

In Sedgefield 37.7% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 34.7% in the Region as a whole. 25.7% 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	17,724	8,475	8,804	2,724	4,813	3,409	38.6	35.0
Rural	6,122	2,912	3,156	1,041	2,812	1,323	35.3	33.6
Less Sparse	6,122	2,912	3,156	1,041	2,812	1,323	35.3	34.2
Town	4,949	2,291	2,400	802	2,078	1,034	36.5	36.1
Village	818	426	524	177	491	195	31.1	30.7
Dispersed	355	195	232	62	243	94	30.1	27.7
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	23,846	11,387	11,960	3,765	7,625	4,732	37.7	34.7
Percentage rural	25.7	25.6	26.4	27.6	36.9	28.0		

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

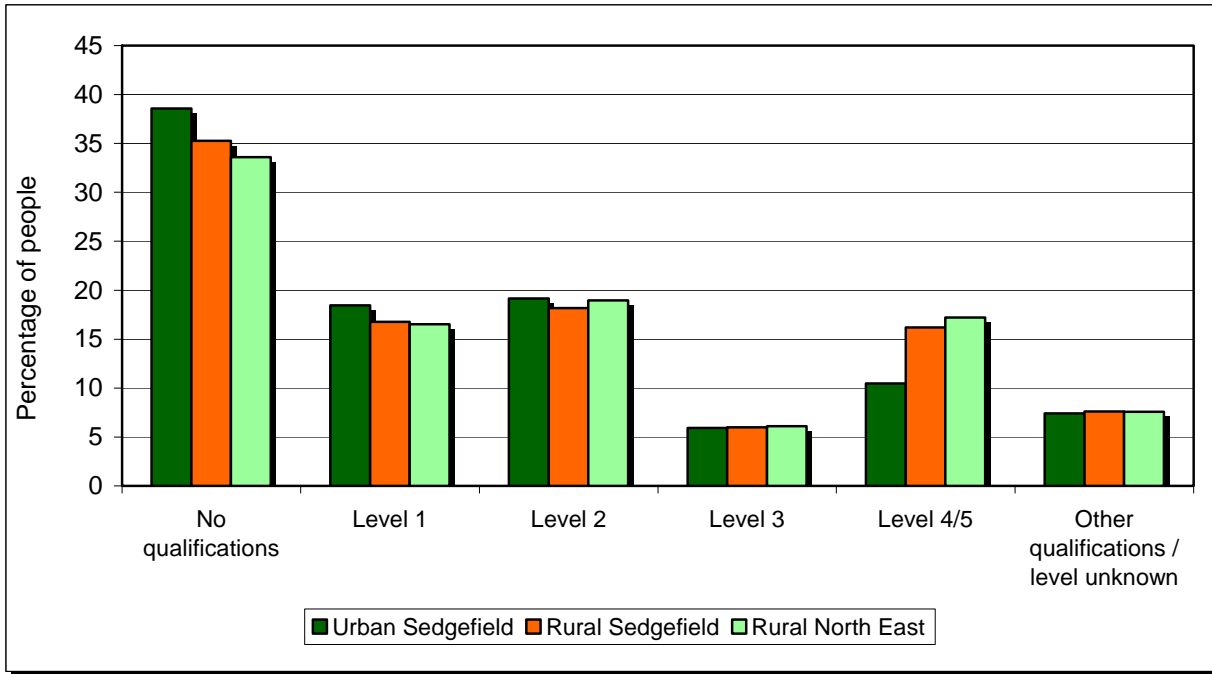
**Level 2:** 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

**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:

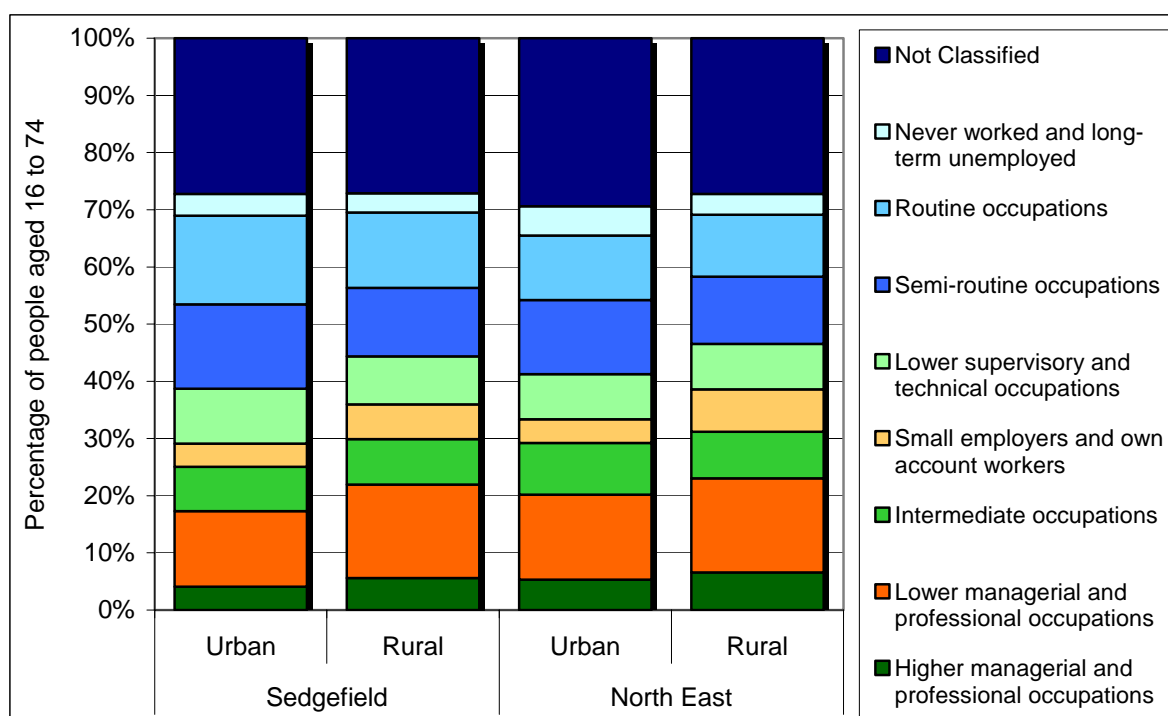
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### Number of people in the Authority aged 16 to 74 by NS-SeC classification

	Sedgefield					North East	
	Urban Total	Rural			Urban	Rural	
		Total	Towns	Villages			Dispersed
Higher managerial and professional occupations	1,876	973	694	189	90	79,199	23,036
Lower managerial and professional occupations	6,072	2,844	2,152	478	214	219,748	57,416
Intermediate occupations	3,527	1,389	1,081	226	82	133,936	28,450
Small employers and own account workers	1,881	1,060	644	260	156	61,830	25,853
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	4,401	1,458	1,155	208	95	116,959	27,839
Semi-routine occupations	6,754	2,089	1,683	300	106	191,634	41,138
Routine occupations	7,103	2,292	1,901	289	102	167,107	37,777
Never worked and long-term unemployed	1,763	589	470	79	40	76,372	12,638
Not Classified	12,474	4,723	3,809	622	292	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 Sedgefield 38% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 40.2% of those people are retired, 8.1% are students and 17% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 37.9% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban Sedgefield and 37.4% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

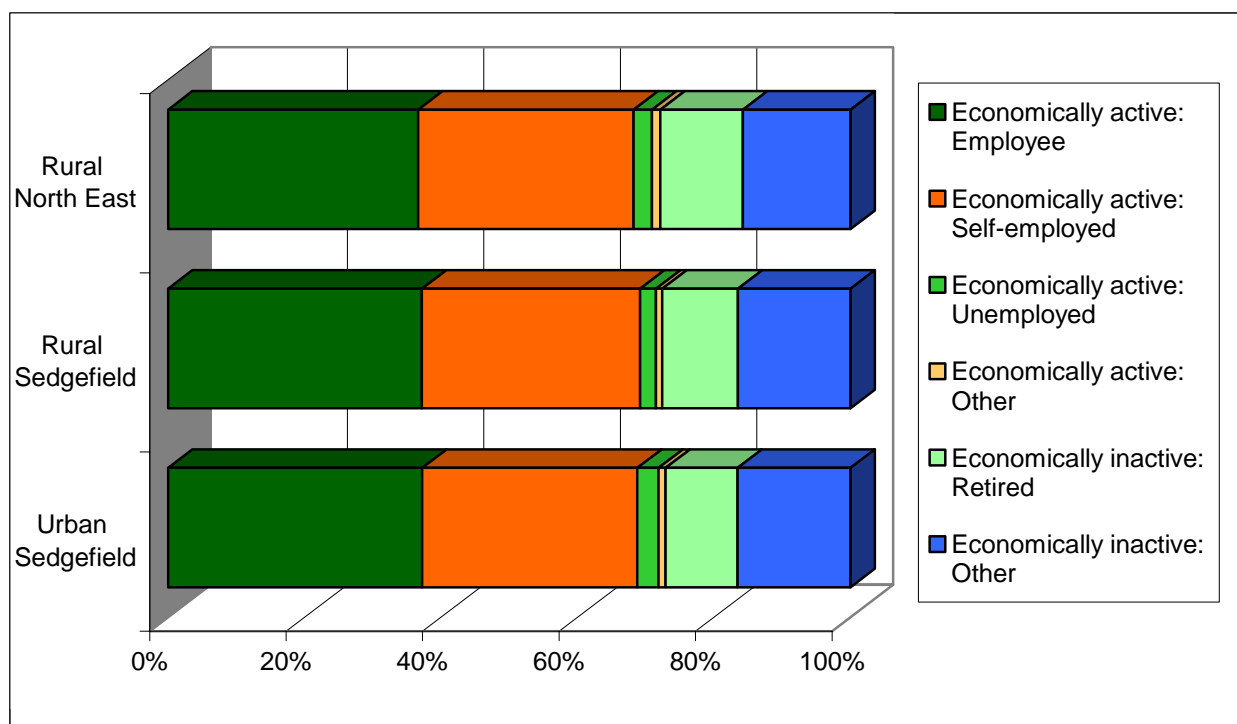
### Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

	Sedgefield					North East	
	Urban Total	Rural				Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages	Dispersed		
Economically active	28,520	10,750	8,233	1,734	783	904,180	218,888
Employee	23,908	8,891	6,963	1,369	559	730,191	171,680
Part-time	4,833	1,817	1,424	266	127	177,264	40,193
Full-time	19,075	7,074	5,539	1,103	432	552,927	131,487
Self-employed with employees	766	507	300	122	85	27,755	12,428
Part-time	98	48	30	12	6	4,062	1,723
Full-time	668	459	270	110	79	23,693	10,705
Self-employed without employees	1,179	569	353	131	85	39,932	16,422
Part-time	337	136	81	34	21	11,757	4,406
Full-time	842	433	272	97	64	28,175	12,016
Unemployed	1,994	566	450	75	41	70,319	12,700
Full-time Students	673	217	167	37	13	35,983	5,658
Economically inactive	17,377	6,591	5,306	889	396	577,901	130,528
Retired	6,761	2,650	2,087	387	176	218,253	56,731
Student	1,349	537	427	72	38	75,681	11,074
Looking after home/family	2,978	1,119	922	136	61	98,074	22,363
Permanently sick/disabled	4,832	1,800	1,484	225	91	134,674	29,661
Other	1,457	485	386	69	30	51,219	10,699
% economically active	62.1	62.0	60.8	66.1	66.4	61.0	62.6
% economically inactive	37.9	38.0	39.2	33.9	33.6	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



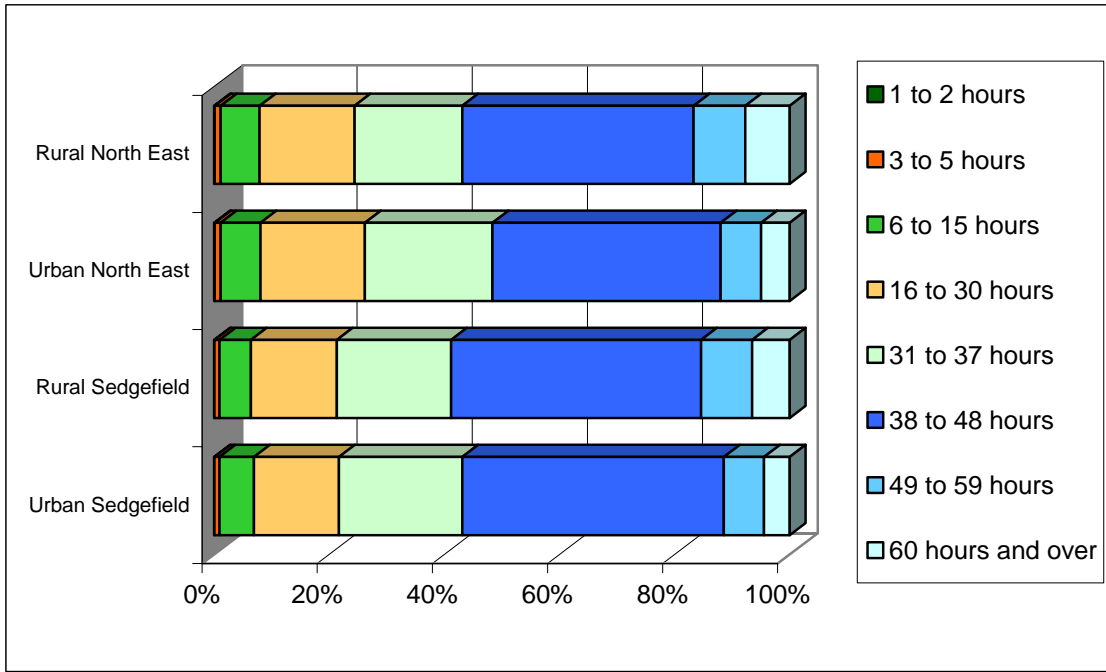
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

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
<b>Sedgefield</b>										
Urban	24	226	1,588	3,907	5,668	12,030	1,845	1,186	21.7	78.3
Rural	9	88	554	1,522	2,021	4,425	904	668	21.3	78.7
Less Sparse	9	88	554	1,522	2,021	4,425	904	668	21.3	78.7
Town	6	69	428	1,177	1,550	3,488	663	421	21.5	78.5
Village	-	16	88	228	361	644	157	154	20.1	79.9
Dispersed	3	3	38	117	110	293	84	93	21.7	78.3
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	33	314	2,142	5,429	7,689	16,455	2,749	1,854	21.6	78.4
Percentage rural	27.3	28.0	25.9	28.0	26.3	26.9	32.9	36.0		
<b>North East</b>										
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 Sedgefield are: "Manufacturing", "Health and social work" and "Wholesale and retail trade; repairs"



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

	Sedgefield					North East	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	153	253	113	54	86	4,107	7,661
Fishing	-	-	-	-	-	162	184
Mining and quarrying	92	75	63	6	6	3,663	2,025
Manufacturing	8,488	2,397	1,831	411	155	141,746	33,763
Electricity, gas and water supply	133	100	82	12	6	8,612	1,829
Construction	1,655	854	667	136	51	59,878	15,693
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	3,968	1,281	962	219	100	137,240	29,977
Hotels and restaurants	1,151	444	360	64	20	41,900	10,776
Transport, storage and communications	1,624	617	479	103	35	57,626	12,250
Financial Intermediation	558	205	154	37	14	26,492	4,955
Real estate, renting and business activities	1,830	735	541	130	64	76,339	18,261
Public administration and defence, social security	1,509	594	460	100	34	61,236	15,549
Education	1,716	809	594	142	73	65,289	17,593
Health and social work	2,550	1,413	1,160	189	64	105,853	25,747
Other community, social & personal service activities	970	384	310	47	27	37,065	9,004
Private households with employed persons	9	3	-	-	3	207	123
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	-	-	-	-	-	108	24

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

## Accommodation and tenure

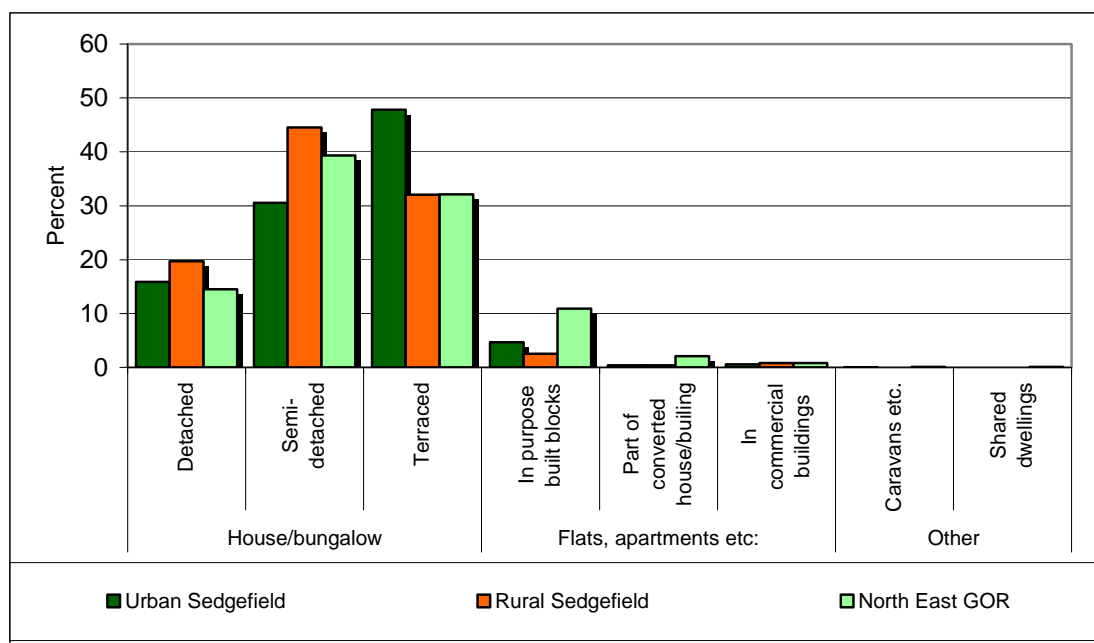
In rural Sedgefield 96.3% of households live in houses or bungalows, 3.7% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban Sedgefield 94.3% of households live in houses or bungalows, 5.7% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.1% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures.

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

	Sedgefield					North East	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
<b>In an unshared dwelling</b>	<b>28,334</b>	<b>10,586</b>	<b>8,446</b>	<b>1,496</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>899,957</b>	<b>214,813</b>
House or bungalow	26,717	10,190	8,095	1,454	641	757,034	202,099
Detached	4,505	2,082	1,190	629	263	109,710	52,067
Semi-detached	8,665	4,715	4,233	362	120	358,869	80,289
Terraced (including end-terrace)	13,547	3,393	2,672	463	258	288,455	69,743
Flat; maisonette or apartment	1,602	396	351	42	3	142,141	12,210
In a purpose-built block of flats	1,325	271	248	20	3	113,958	8,073
Part of a converted or shared house	115	42	29	13	-	21,084	2,196
In a commercial building	162	83	74	9	-	7,099	1,941
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	15	-	-	-	-	782	504
<b>In a shared dwelling</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,159</b>	<b>138</b>

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 Sedgefield 69.2% of households live in owned accommodation, 24.2% live in social rented accommodation and 5.5% live in private rented accommodation.

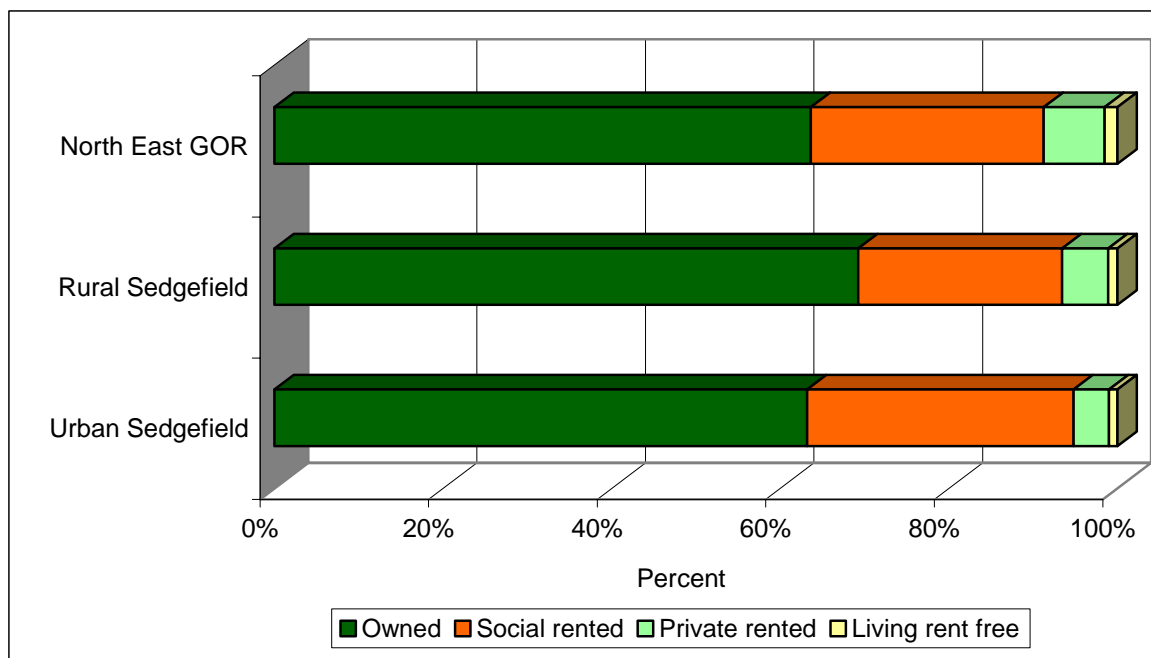
In urban Sedgefield 63.2% of households live in owned accommodation, 31.6% live in social rented accommodation and 4.2% live in private rented accommodation.

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

	Sedgefield					North East	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
	Total	Towns	Villages				
<b>Owned</b>	<b>17,289</b>	<b>7,000</b>	<b>5,338</b>	<b>1,150</b>	<b>512</b>	<b>540,140</b>	<b>138,247</b>
Owns outright	6,044	2,783	2,020	505	258	208,159	61,306
Owns with a mortgage or loan	11,148	4,196	3,303	642	251	328,036	76,279
Shared ownership	97	21	15	3	3	3,945	662
<b>Social rented</b>	<b>8,656</b>	<b>2,444</b>	<b>2,246</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>251,572</b>	<b>43,142</b>
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	7,555	2,346	2,154	183	9	202,294	36,348
Other social rented	1,101	98	92	3	3	49,278	6,794
<b>Private rented</b>	<b>1,152</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>393</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>60,433</b>	<b>16,439</b>
Private landlord or letting agency	992	486	345	74	67	53,047	13,868
Employer of a household member	14	-	-	-	-	739	544
Relative or friend of a household member	116	51	36	12	3	5,097	1,421
Other	30	15	12	3	-	1,550	606
<b>Living rent free</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>11,273</b>	<b>4,934</b>

Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

### Percentage of households by tenure



Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

### Car ownership

27.1% of households in rural Sedgefield do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 34.1%.

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

	Sedgefield					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	9,334	12,412	4,718	719	206	331,103	532,382	24,967	729,360
Rural	2,757	4,429	2,378	446	150	52,133	150,858	11,180	226,774
Less Sparse	2,757	4,429	2,378	446	150	46,465	126,903	11,180	190,571
Town	2,409	3,608	1,711	280	91	37,986	86,387	8,270	123,633
Village	268	578	458	115	20	6,318	26,997	1,925	43,519
Dispersed	80	243	209	51	39	2,161	13,519	985	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
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,091</b>	<b>16,841</b>	<b>7,096</b>	<b>1,165</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>383,236</b>	<b>683,240</b>	<b>36,147</b>	<b>956,134</b>
Percentage rural	22.8	26.3	33.5	38.3	42.1	13.6	22.1	30.9	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

<b>Cash Machines / ATMs</b>	<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	9,646	1,017	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,667
Town	8,076	524	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,600
Village	1,028	454	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,484
Dispersed	542	39	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	583
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	9,646	1,017	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,667
% of rural households										
in the Authority	90.4	9.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	69.9	19.0	6.0	2.6	1.5	0.7	0.3	-	-	100.0

<b>Banks</b>	<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	2,300	6,119	1,688	560	-	-	-	-	-	10,667
Town	2,025	4,533	1,492	550	-	-	-	-	-	8,600
Village	27	1,291	161	5	-	-	-	-	-	1,484
Dispersed	248	295	35	5	-	-	-	-	-	583
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	2,300	6,119	1,688	560	-	-	-	-	-	10,667
% of rural households										
in the Authority	21.6	57.4	15.8	5.2	-	-	-	-	-	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

<b>GPs</b>	<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	4,550	6,078	38	1	-	-	-	-	-	10,667
Town	3,985	4,615	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,600
Village	318	1,162	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,484
Dispersed	247	301	34	1	-	-	-	-	-	583
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>4,550</b>	<b>6,078</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10,667</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	42.7	57.0	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	52.1	31.3	11.5	3.7	1.0	0.3	0.1	-	-	100.0

<b>Jobcentres</b>	<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	120	2,288	4,874	1,455	1,930	-	-	-	-	10,667
Town	-	797	4,551	1,345	1,907	-	-	-	-	8,600
Village	22	1,272	138	51	1	-	-	-	-	1,484
Dispersed	98	219	185	59	22	-	-	-	-	583
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>2,288</b>	<b>4,874</b>	<b>1,455</b>	<b>1,930</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10,667</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	1.1	21.4	45.7	13.6	18.1	-	-	-	-	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

<b>Libraries</b>	<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	7,904	2,707	55	1	-	-	-	-	-	10,667
Town	7,409	1,180	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,600
Village	59	1,405	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,484
Dispersed	436	122	24	1	-	-	-	-	-	583
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>7,904</b>	<b>2,707</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10,667</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	74.1	25.4	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	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

<b>Petrol Stations</b>	<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	8,325	2,327	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,667
Town	6,938	1,662	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,600
Village	962	512	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,484
Dispersed	425	153	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	583
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>8,325</b>	<b>2,327</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10,667</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	78.0	21.8	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	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

<b>Post Offices</b>	<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	10,483	177	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,667
Town	8,600	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,600
Village	1,403	79	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,484
Dispersed	480	98	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	583
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	10,483	177	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,667
% of rural households										
in the Authority	98.3	1.7	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	87.5	10.7	1.5	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	100.0

<b>Supermarkets</b>	<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	6,531	4,079	57	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,667
Town	6,221	2,379	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,600
Village	53	1,412	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,484
Dispersed	257	288	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	583
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rural Total	6,531	4,079	57	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,667
% of rural households										
in the Authority	61.2	38.2	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	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

<b>Primary Schools</b>	<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	10,460	196	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,667
Town	8,600	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,600
Village	1,382	95	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,484
Dispersed	478	101	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	583
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>10,460</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10,667</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	98.1	1.8	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	89.1	9.4	1.2	0.2	-	-	-	-	-	100.0

<b>Secondary Schools</b>	<2km	2-4km	4-6km	6-8km	8-10km	10-12km	12-14km	14-16km	>16km	Total
Number of rural households in the Authority within X km of a secondary school										
Less Sparse	3,175	4,800	2,690	2	-	-	-	-	-	10,667
Town	2,042	4,019	2,539	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,600
Village	808	580	94	2	-	-	-	-	-	1,484
Dispersed	325	201	57	-	-	-	-	-	-	583
Sparse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>3,175</b>	<b>4,800</b>	<b>2,690</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10,667</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	29.8	45.0	25.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	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 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2004 in Bulletin 2004/14 ([http://www.statistics.gov.uk/geography/bulletins/bulletin2004\\_14.asp](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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