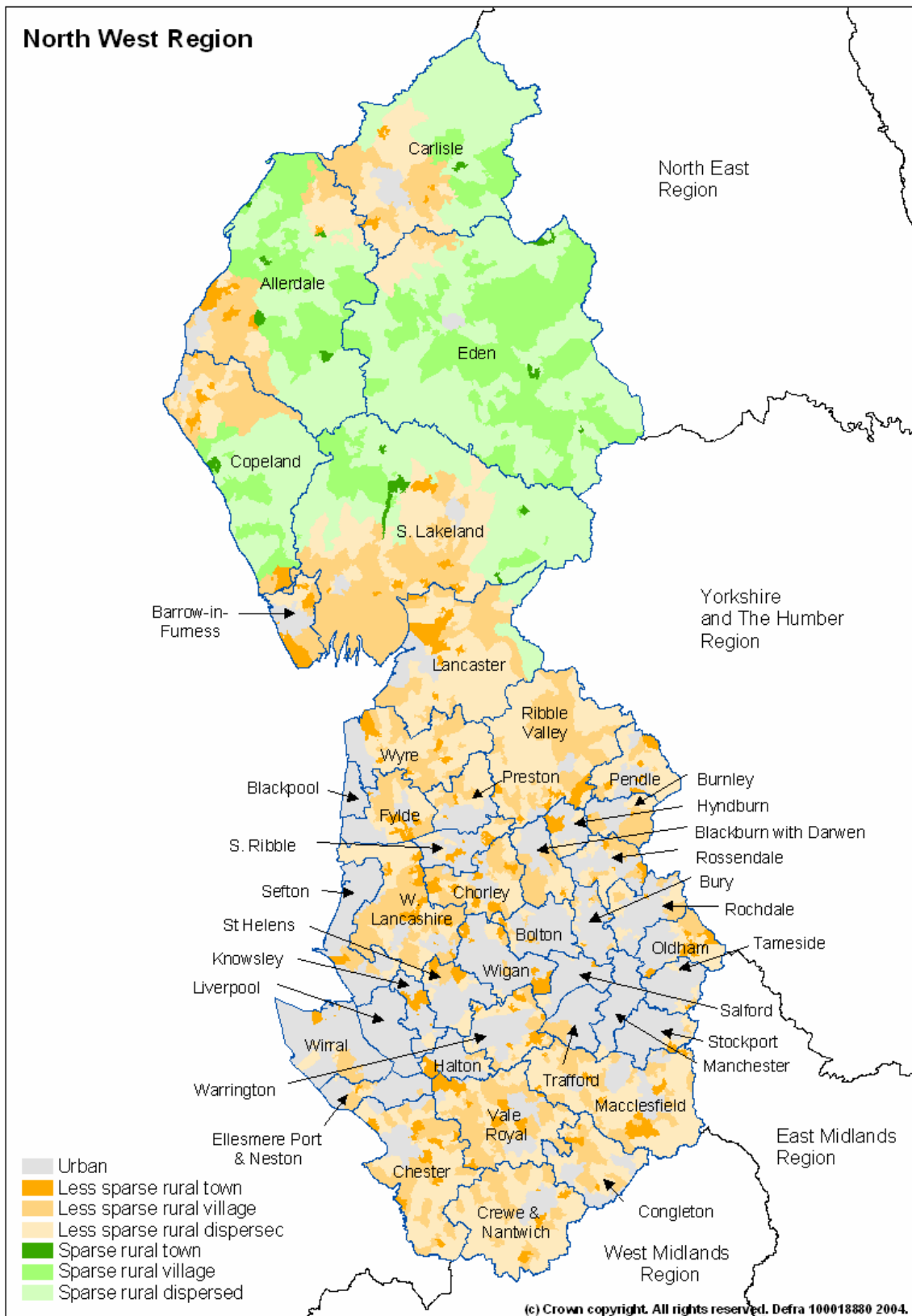


**Eden**

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

Eden is in the North West Government Office Region

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



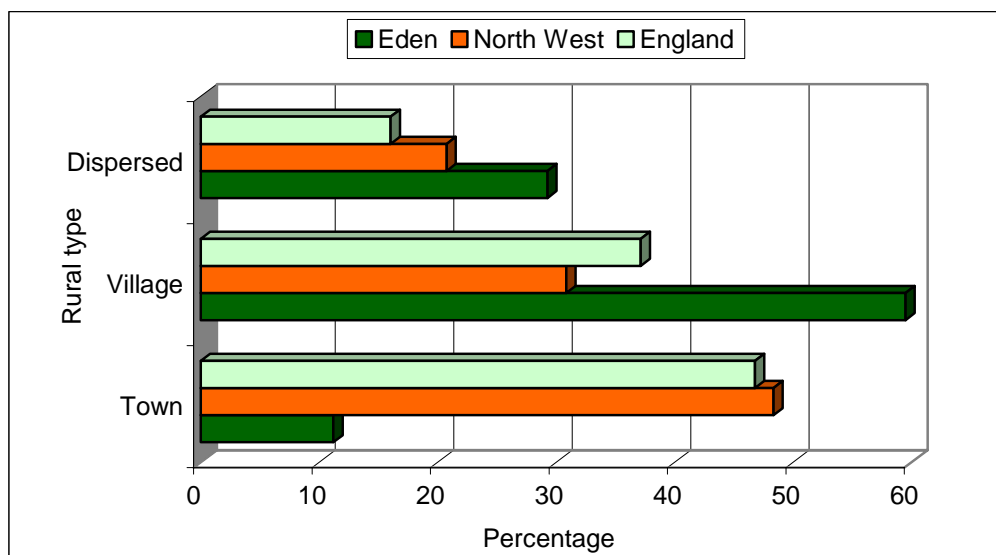
## Population

In Eden 70.9% of people live in rural areas, compared with 12.1% in the Government Office Region. Within the rural areas 93% live in sparse rural areas.

	Eden			North West		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
Urban	6,892	7,579	14,471	2,857,341	3,056,872	5,914,213
Rural	17,601	17,705	35,306	401,613	413,938	815,551
Less Sparse	1,286	1,223	2,509	349,155	359,674	708,829
Town	-	-	-	176,812	186,076	362,888
Village	580	580	1,160	103,718	105,497	209,215
Dispersed	706	643	1,349	68,625	68,101	136,726
Sparse	16,315	16,482	32,797	52,458	54,264	106,722
Town	1,974	2,135	4,109	17,418	18,617	36,035
Village	9,894	9,962	19,856	20,279	20,795	41,074
Dispersed	4,447	4,385	8,832	14,761	14,852	29,613
Total	24,493	25,284	49,777	3,258,954	3,470,810	6,729,764
Percentage rural	71.9	70.0	70.9	12.3	11.9	12.1

Source table from the Census: UV03 Gender

Proportion of the population of the Authority living in rural towns, villages and dispersed areas compared with the Government Office Region and England.

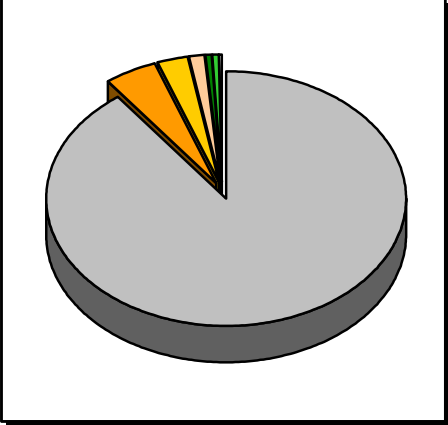
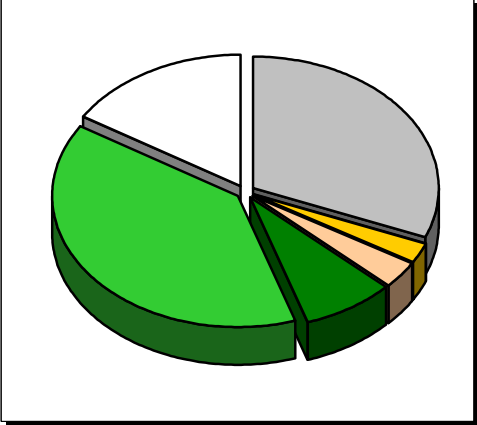


Source table from the Census: UV03 Gender

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

Authority:  
Eden  
Number of under 5's: 2,600

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



- Urban
- Less Sparse Rural Town
- Less Sparse Rural Village
- Less Sparse Rural Dispersed
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- Sparse Rural Village
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Source table from the Census: UV04 Age

## Marital Status

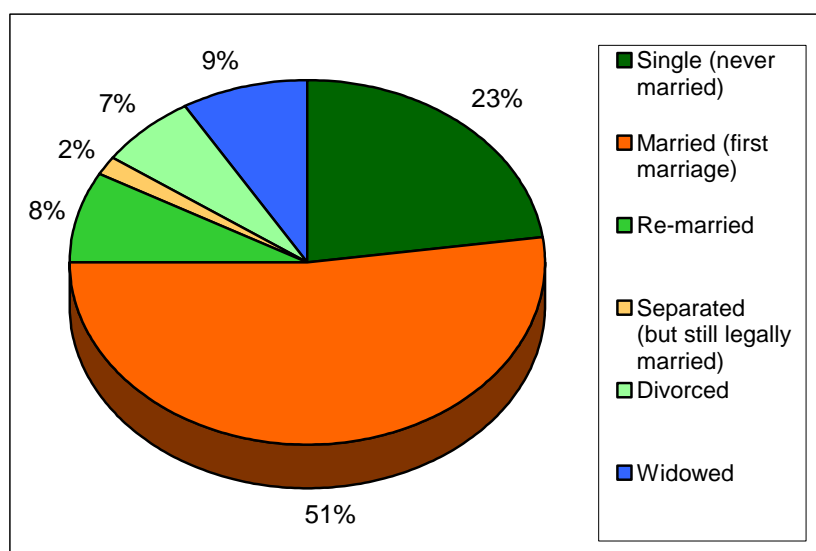
The 'Marital Status' table (UV07) classifies all people (i.e. from babies upwards) according to their marital status. To create the following table *it has been assumed* that all people aged under 16 would be in the "single – never married" category. All people under 16 years of age have been deducted 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>Eden</b>						
Urban	3,197	5,451	846	210	1,000	1,239
Rural	6,532	15,118	2,322	480	1,914	2,462
Less Sparse	428	1,112	181	35	106	165
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	192	507	89	20	54	95
Dispersed	236	605	92	15	52	70
Sparse	6,104	14,006	2,141	445	1,808	2,297
Town	840	1,489	208	72	312	434
Village	3,681	8,577	1,293	277	1,073	1,326
Dispersed	1,583	3,940	640	96	423	537
Total	9,729	20,569	3,168	690	2,914	3,701
<b>North West</b>						
Urban	1,452,501	1,948,404	316,260	119,689	411,366	424,007
Rural	156,173	338,184	56,434	11,492	46,752	56,125
Total	1,608,674	2,286,588	372,694	131,181	458,118	480,132

Source tables from the Census: UV04 Age and UV07 Marital Status

### Estimated proportions of people aged 16 or over in rural parts of the Authority, by marital status.



Source tables from the Census: UV04 Age and UV07 Marital Status

## Household composition

In Eden 69.7% of households are in rural areas. 26.2% of rural households are single person households. 6.3% of rural households are lone parent family households.

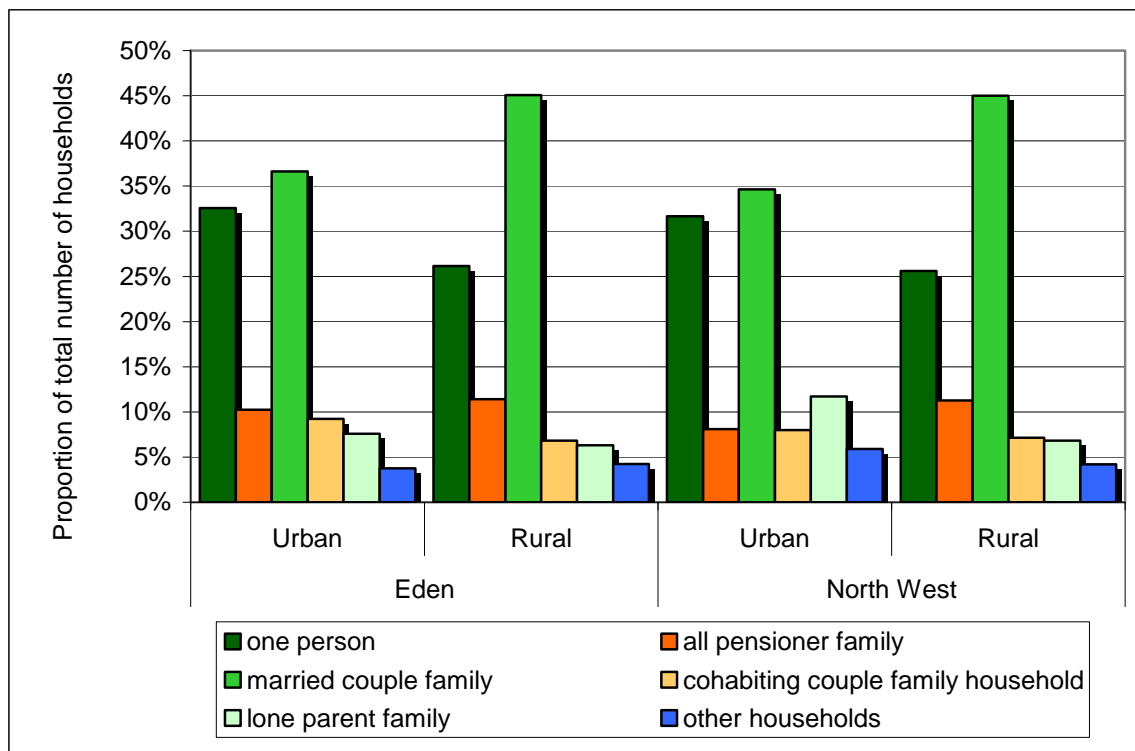
### Number of households, by composition of the household

	Urban Total	Rural						% rural	
		Total	Less sparse			Sparse			
			Town	Village	Dispersed	Town	Village	Dispersed	
Total number of households	6,407	14,720	-	468	519	1,884	8,313	3,536	69.7
One person household	2,086	3,851	-	103	102	704	2,154	788	64.9
pensioner	1,108	2,102	-	64	46	404	1,163	425	65.5
other	978	1,749	-	39	56	300	991	363	64.1
All pensioner family	656	1,680	-	47	49	185	978	421	71.9
Married couple family	2,347	6,635	-	241	288	626	3,732	1,748	73.9
no children	855	2,670	-	88	106	256	1,525	695	75.7
with one dependent child	414	1,004	-	47	36	77	570	274	70.8
with two or more dependent children	658	1,876	-	67	91	192	1,041	485	74.0
all children non-dependent	420	1,085	-	39	55	101	596	294	72.1
Cohabiting couple family	591	1,004	-	24	34	149	572	225	62.9
no children	336	567	-	18	21	66	336	126	62.8
with one dependent child	126	205	-	-	10	36	116	43	61.9
two or more dependent children	105	199	-	6	3	41	99	50	65.5
all children non-dependent	24	33	-	-	-	6	21	6	57.9
Lone parent family	486	927	-	33	26	155	523	190	65.6
with one dependent child	176	285	-	9	6	52	164	54	61.8
with two or more dependant children	133	242	-	9	3	46	128	56	64.5
all children non-dependent	177	400	-	15	17	57	231	80	69.3
Other households	241	623	-	20	20	65	354	164	72.1
with one dependent child	43	94	-	6	3	9	55	21	68.6
with two or more dependent children	31	69	-	-	3	3	42	21	69.0
all student	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	6	50.0
all pensioner	19	104	-	6	3	12	62	21	84.6
other	142	350	-	8	11	41	195	95	71.1

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.

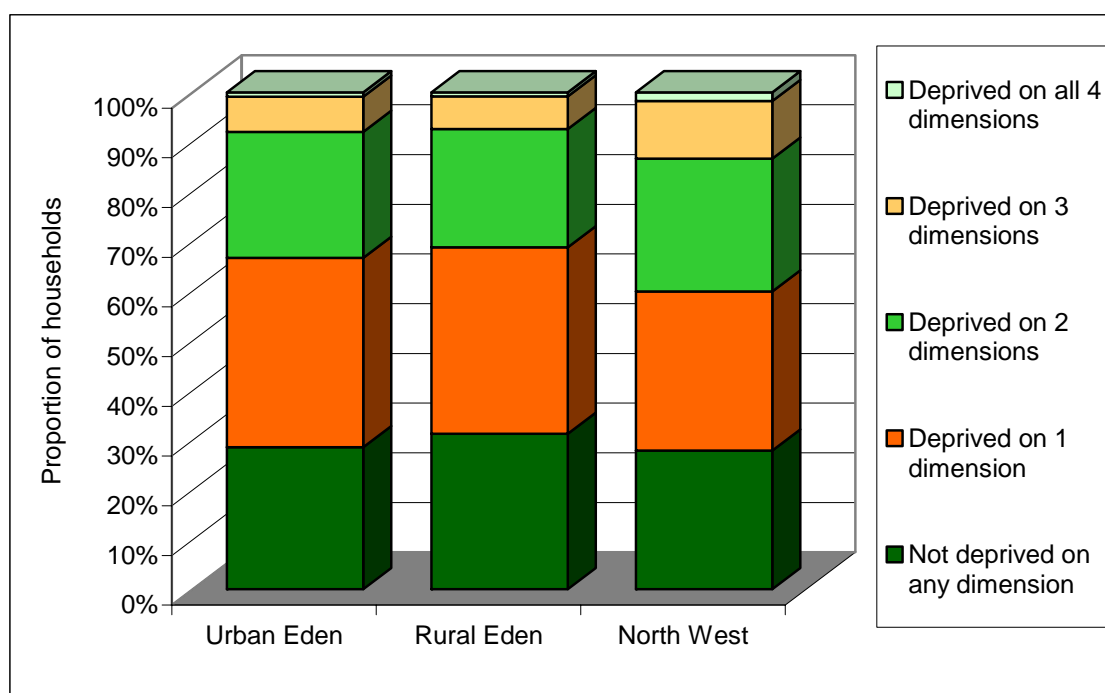
**Housing** – The household’s accommodation is either overcrowded, or is in a shared dwelling, or does not have sole use of bath/shower and toilet, or has no central heating.

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

	Eden					North West	
	Not deprived on any dimension	Deprived on 1 dimension	Deprived on 2 dimensions	Deprived on 3 dimensions	Deprived on all 4 dimensions	Not deprived on any dimension	Deprived on 1 or more dimensions
<b>Urban</b>	<b>1,836</b>	<b>2,440</b>	<b>1,628</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>668,918</b>	<b>1,810,526</b>
<b>Rural</b>	<b>4,609</b>	<b>5,526</b>	<b>3,500</b>	<b>975</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>115,466</b>	<b>217,854</b>
Less Sparse	353	353	206	62	18	101,747	186,768
Town	-	-	-	-	-	49,918	102,318
Village	171	172	96	22	6	31,797	53,524
Dispersed	182	181	110	40	12	20,032	30,926
Sparse	4,256	5,173	3,294	913	103	13,719	31,086
Town	475	749	502	153	23	4,366	11,456
Village	2,628	3,078	1,994	564	43	5,404	11,904
Dispersed	1,153	1,346	798	196	37	3,949	7,726

Source table from the Census: UV67 Classification of household deprivation

### Comparison of household deprivation in urban and rural parts of the Authority



Source table from the Census: UV67 Classification of household deprivation

### Health and provision of unpaid care

There were two measure of 'health' on the Census. In one measure respondents were asked to rate their general level of health over the last twelve months as 'good', 'fairly good' or 'not good'. The other measure was to ask respondents whether they (in their opinion) had a limiting long-term

illness (LLTI). LLTI covers any long-term illness, health problem or disability that limits daily activities or the work a person can do.

Perception of health over the 12 months preceding the Census (number of people)

	Eden				North West			
	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good	Good	Fairly good	Not good	% not good
Urban	9,741	3,476	1,254	8.7	3,927,251	1,319,675	667,281	11.3
Rural	24,959	7,654	2,693	7.6	573,932	171,792	69,831	8.6

Source table from the Census: UV20 General health

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

	Eden			North West			England
	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	No LLTI	LLTI	% with LLTI	% with LLTI
Urban	11,760	2,711	18.7	4,665,344	1,248,870	21.1	18.2
Rural	29,502	5,804	16.4	669,811	145,738	17.9	17.0

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

Number of people providing unpaid care

	Eden			% providing some unpaid care	
	1 to 19 hours per week	20 to 49 hours per week	50 or more hours per week	Eden	North West
Urban	927	136	293	9.4	10.7
Rural	2,611	304	538	9.8	11.3
Towns	267	35	70	9.1	11.2
Villages	1,617	172	329	10.1	11.6
Dispersed	727	97	139	9.5	11.3

Source table from the Census: UV21 Provision of unpaid care

## Qualifications

In Eden 28.8% of the people aged 16 to 74 have no academic, vocational or professional qualifications, compared with 31.9% in the Region as a whole. 69.9% of the people with no such qualifications are in rural parts of the Authority.

### Number of people aged 16 to 74 by qualification level

	Number of people aged 16-74 within the authority that responded to the questions on qualification levels. (please see the footnotes)						Percentage with no qualifications	
	None	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4/5	Other	Authority	GOR
Urban	3,172	2,064	2,389	663	1,484	780	30.1	32.7
Rural	7,361	4,349	5,354	1,649	5,467	1,835	28.3	25.9
Less Sparse	481	309	407	134	423	127	25.6	25.7
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27.5
Village	203	149	195	68	200	55	23.3	24.1
Dispersed	278	160	212	66	223	72	27.5	23.5
Sparse	6,880	4,040	4,947	1,515	5,044	1,708	28.5	28.5
Town	955	539	550	169	440	207	33.4	33.4
Village	4,128	2,389	3,038	905	3,188	1,066	28.1	28.1
Dispersed	1,797	1,112	1,359	441	1,416	435	27.4	27.4
Total	10,533	6,413	7,743	2,312	6,951	2,615	28.8	31.9
Percentage rural	69.9	67.8	69.1	71.3	78.7	70.2		

Source table from the Census: UV24 Qualifications

#### Footnotes

**None:** No academic, vocational or professional qualifications

**Level 1:** 1+ 'O' levels/CSE/GCSE (any grade), NVQ level 1, Foundation GNVQ

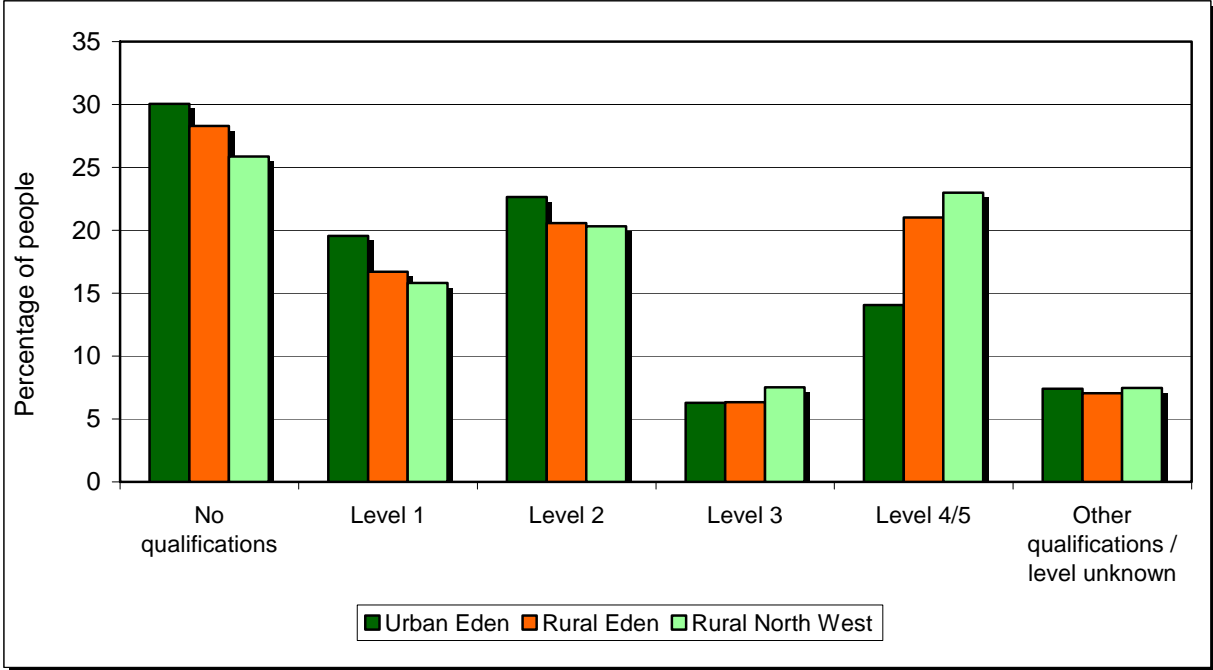
**Level 2:** 5+ 'O' levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs (grade A to C), School Certificate, 1+ 'A' levels/AS levels, NVQ level 2, Intermediate GNVQ

**Level 3:** 2+ 'A' levels, 4+ AS levels, Higher School Certificate, NVQ level 3, Advanced GNVQ

**Level 4/5:** First degree, Higher degree, NVQ levels 4-5, HND, HNC, Qualified Teacher Status, Qualified Medical Doctor, Qualified Dentist, Qualified Nurse, Midwife, Health Visitor

**Other:** Other qualifications or level unknown e.g. City and Guilds, RSA/OCR, BTEC/Edexcel, other professional qualifications.

Percentage of people aged 16 to 74 with each level of qualification in the Authority and the rural part of the Government Office Region.



Source table from the Census: UV24 Qualifications

## National Statistics Socio-Economic Classification (NS-SeC)

In this table all people aged 16 to 74 are classified according to their type of occupation using the National Statistics Socio-Economic Classification. Further details of this classification system are available from the National Statistics web site at:

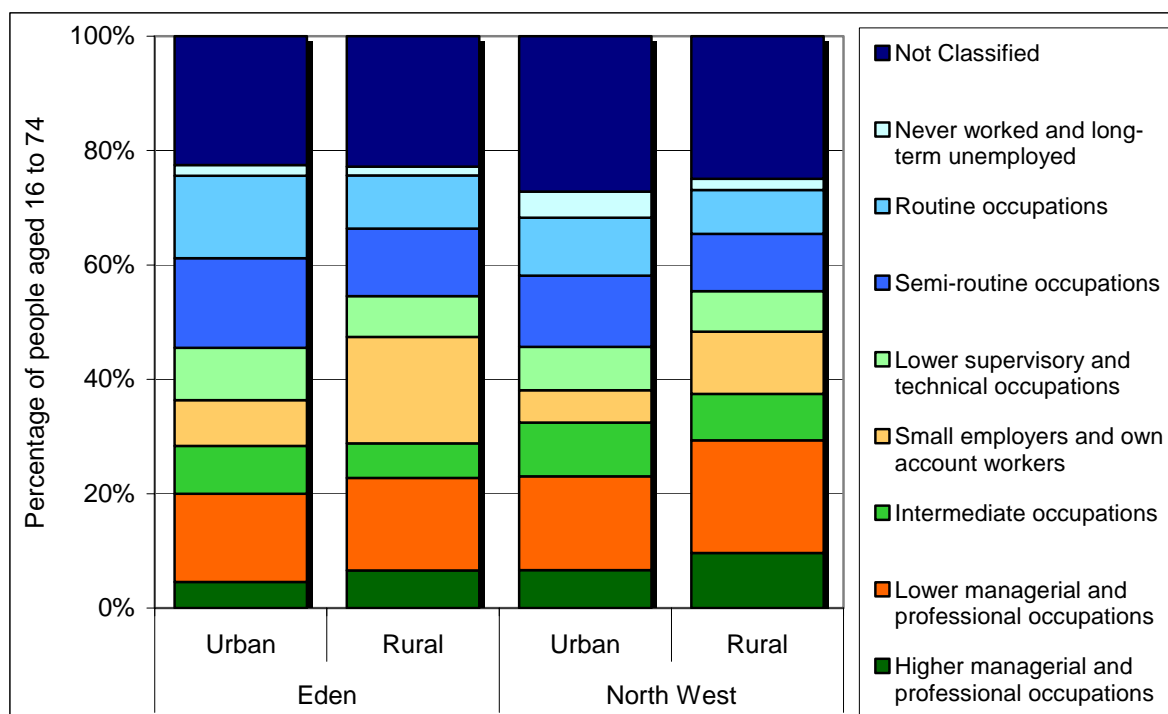
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### Number of people in the Authority aged 16 to 74 by NS-SeC classification

	Eden					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Urban	Rural	
		Total	Towns	Villages			Dispersed
Higher managerial and professional occupations	485	1,711	142	1,059	510	282,429	57,874
Lower managerial and professional occupations	1,622	4,218	366	2,675	1,177	693,924	118,348
Intermediate occupations	881	1,583	175	922	486	399,725	48,561
Small employers and own account workers	847	4,852	361	2,659	1,832	239,611	65,478
Lower supervisory and technical occupations	965	1,855	258	1,134	463	319,481	42,526
Semi-routine occupations	1,652	3,083	433	1,843	807	528,820	60,146
Routine occupations	1,523	2,425	406	1,469	550	429,382	45,832
Never worked and long-term unemployed	191	393	60	214	119	195,075	11,787
Not Classified	2,379	5,949	696	3,645	1,608	1,150,366	149,759

Source table from the Census: UV31 National Statistics Socio-economic classification

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



Source table from the Census: UV31 National Statistics Socio-economic classification

## Economic activity and average number of hours worked

In rural Eden 30.3% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive. 53.5% of those people are retired, 8.7% are students and 18.2% are looking after the home or family.

In comparison 29.4% of people aged 16 to 74 are economically inactive in urban Eden and 32.7% are economically inactive in rural parts of the Government Office Region.

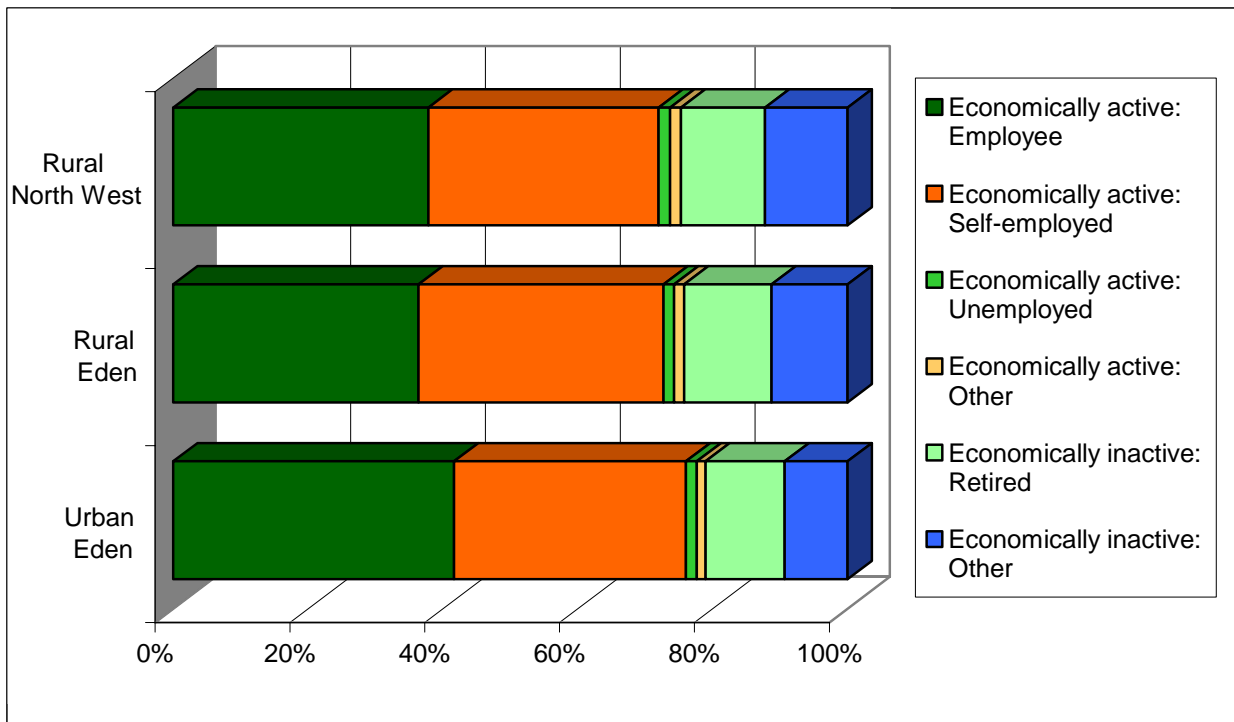
### Number of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity

	Eden					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Economically active	7,425	18,133	1,897	10,832	5,404	2,688,790	404,196
Employee	6,121	11,856	1,383	7,340	3,133	2,149,650	301,075
Part-time	1,612	3,303	410	2,005	888	501,022	73,498
Full-time	4,509	8,553	973	5,335	2,245	1,648,628	227,577
Self-employed with employees	334	2,006	147	1,087	772	101,466	32,491
Part-time	57	279	15	152	112	14,275	4,584
Full-time	277	1,727	132	935	660	87,191	27,907
Self-employed without employees	548	3,279	236	1,805	1,238	165,655	44,067
Part-time	130	766	53	429	284	44,229	12,291
Full-time	418	2,513	183	1,376	954	121,426	31,776
Unemployed	238	510	76	296	138	161,961	13,511
Full-time Students	184	482	55	304	123	110,058	13,052
Economically inactive	3,097	7,897	960	4,775	2,162	1,549,992	196,410
Retired	1,728	4,225	504	2,563	1,158	591,909	99,163
Student	208	690	75	432	183	201,847	21,901
Looking after home/family	468	1,440	165	849	426	264,178	31,824
Permanently sick/disabled	498	977	133	605	239	345,729	29,164
Other	195	565	83	326	156	146,329	14,358
% economically active	70.6	69.7	66.4	69.4	71.4	63.4	67.3
% economically inactive	29.4	30.3	33.6	30.6	28.6	36.6	32.7

Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

For the Census part-time working is defined as working 30 hours a week or less. Full-time is defined as working 31 or more hours a week.

Percentage of people aged 16 to 74 by economic activity



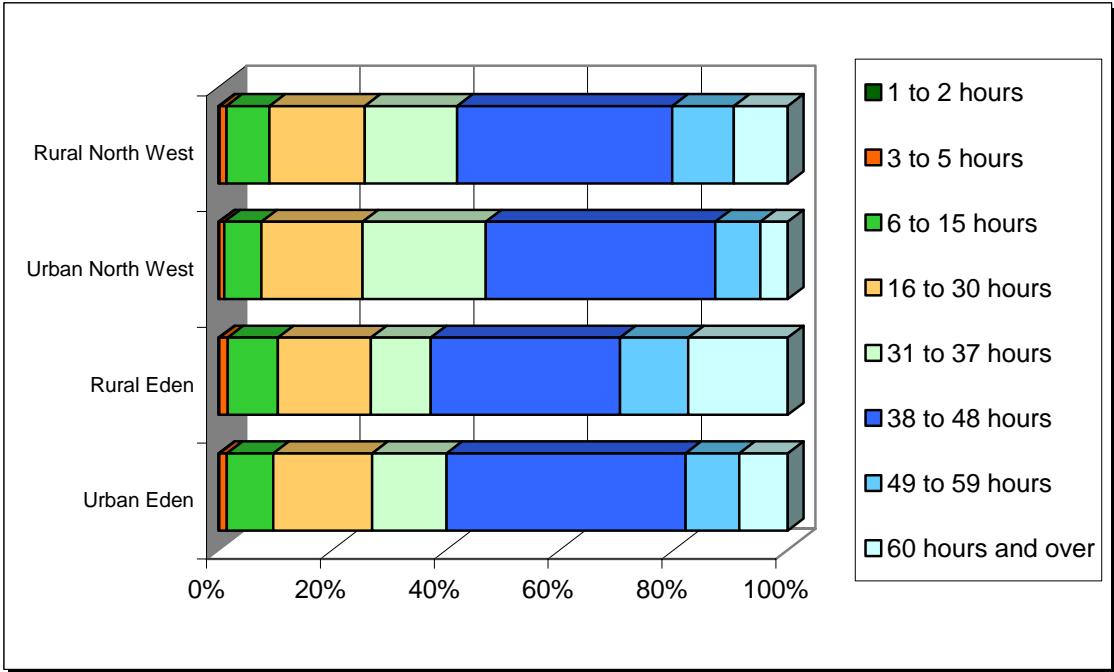
Source table from the Census: UV28 Economic activity

Number of people aged 16 to 74 in employment by number of hours worked per week

	Part-time				Full-time				Percent	
	1 to 2 hours	3 to 5 hours	6 to 15 hours	16 to 30 hours	31 to 37 hours	38 to 48 hours	49 to 59 hours	60 hours and over	Part-time	Full-time
<b>Eden</b>										
Urban	12	93	588	1,250	936	3,018	679	612	27.0	73.0
Rural	30	253	1,554	2,863	1,843	5,838	2,108	3,068	26.8	73.2
Less Sparse	6	14	107	214	149	428	150	280	25.3	74.7
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	3	46	101	89	198	64	113	24.4	75.6
Dispersed	6	11	61	113	60	230	86	167	26.0	74.0
Sparse	24	239	1,447	2,649	1,694	5,410	1,958	2,788	26.9	73.1
Town	-	30	175	319	218	665	203	207	28.8	71.2
Village	15	153	862	1,616	1,017	3,380	1,225	1,597	26.8	73.2
Dispersed	9	56	410	714	459	1,365	530	984	26.3	73.7
Total	42	346	2,142	4,113	2,779	8,856	2,787	3,680	26.8	73.2
Percentage rural	71.4	73.1	72.5	69.6	66.3	65.9	75.6	83.4		
<b>North West</b>										
Urban	3,678	22,316	163,446	446,293	543,956	1,011,129	198,946	120,990	25.3	74.7
Rural	890	4,535	29,498	65,036	63,325	147,008	42,180	36,779	25.7	74.3
Total	4,568	26,851	192,944	511,329	607,281	1,158,137	241,126	157,769	25.4	74.6

Source table from the Census: UV41 Hours worked

Percentage of people in rural and urban parts of the Authority aged 16 to 74 in employment by number of hours worked.



Source table from the Census: UV41 Hours worked

**Employment by industry type**

The three most common industries employing people aged 16 to 74 in rural Eden are: "Wholesale and retail trade; repairs", "Agriculture, hunting and forestry" and "Manufacturing"

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

	Eden					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	125	2,375	80	1,243	1,052	16,068	19,460
Fishing	6	15	-	6	9	217	168
Mining and quarrying	36	166	26	114	26	3,324	1,365
Manufacturing	814	1,816	248	1,118	450	426,845	62,999
Electricity, gas and water supply	46	95	3	71	21	19,045	3,370
Construction	629	1,421	179	863	379	160,625	27,616
Wholesale and retail trade; repairs	1,559	2,590	316	1,578	696	455,970	60,830
Hotels and restaurants	801	1,764	219	1,006	539	124,994	23,920
Transport, storage and communications	576	1,054	139	639	276	176,194	20,651
Financial Intermediation	145	316	30	184	102	97,186	11,904
Real estate, renting and business activities	551	1,400	119	852	429	270,755	42,372
Public administration and defence, social security	503	785	73	497	215	143,818	20,779
Education	417	1,396	142	858	396	195,905	34,634
Health and social work	616	1,513	145	941	427	304,953	42,254
Other community, social & personal service activities	356	806	95	495	216	113,565	16,613
Private households with employed persons	12	15	-	9	6	882	312
Extra-territorial organisations and bodies	-	-	-	-	-	174	30

Source table from the Census: UV34 Industry

## Accommodation and tenure

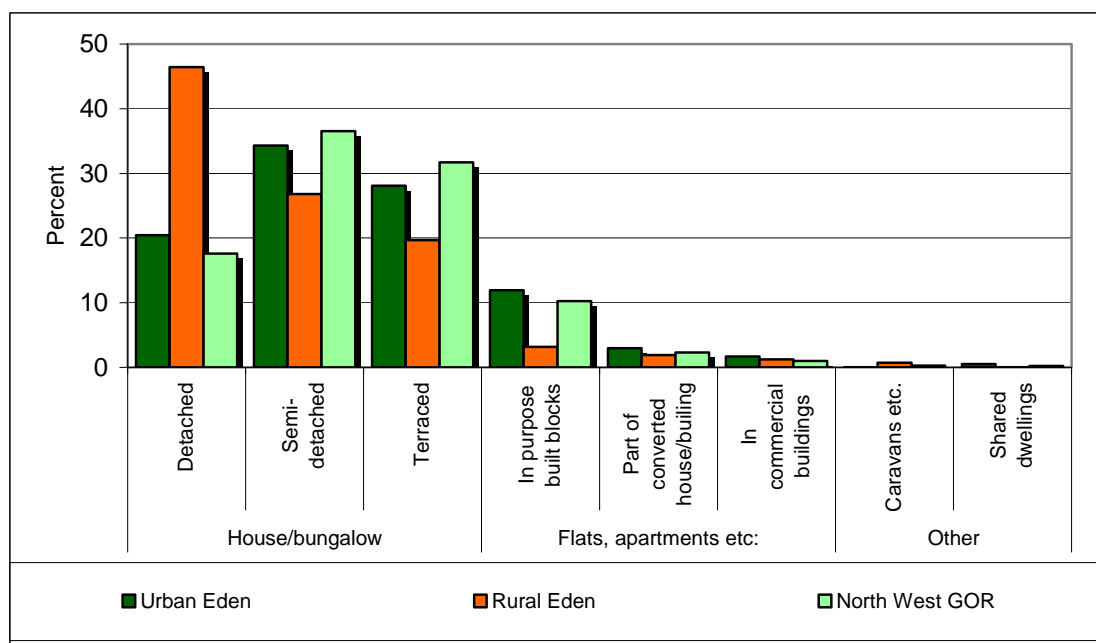
In rural Eden 92.9% of households live in houses or bungalows, 6.3% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.8% live in other types of accommodation such as shared dwellings, caravans, mobile or temporary structures. In urban Eden 82.8% of households live in houses or bungalows, 16.6% live in flats, apartments (and other similar properties) and 0.6% 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

	Eden					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
<b>In an unshared dwelling</b>	<b>6,617</b>	<b>16,733</b>	<b>2,024</b>	<b>10,006</b>	<b>4,703</b>	<b>2,589,512</b>	<b>353,802</b>
House or bungalow	5,511	15,554	1,620	9,423	4,511	2,207,267	327,562
Detached	1,359	7,773	374	4,563	2,836	384,651	135,585
Semi-detached	2,282	4,485	585	2,696	1,204	963,397	114,882
Terraced (including end-terrace)	1,870	3,296	661	2,164	471	859,219	77,095
Flat; maisonette or apartment	1,103	1,061	404	515	142	379,123	21,208
In a purpose-built block of flats	793	528	256	237	35	289,319	12,693
Part of a converted or shared house	198	322	69	174	79	63,382	5,056
In a commercial building	112	211	79	104	28	26,422	3,459
Caravan, mobile or temporary structure	3	118	-	68	50	3,122	5,032
<b>In a shared dwelling</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6,905</b>	<b>232</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 Eden 73.7% of households live in owned accommodation, 7.5% live in social rented accommodation and 14.9% live in private rented accommodation.

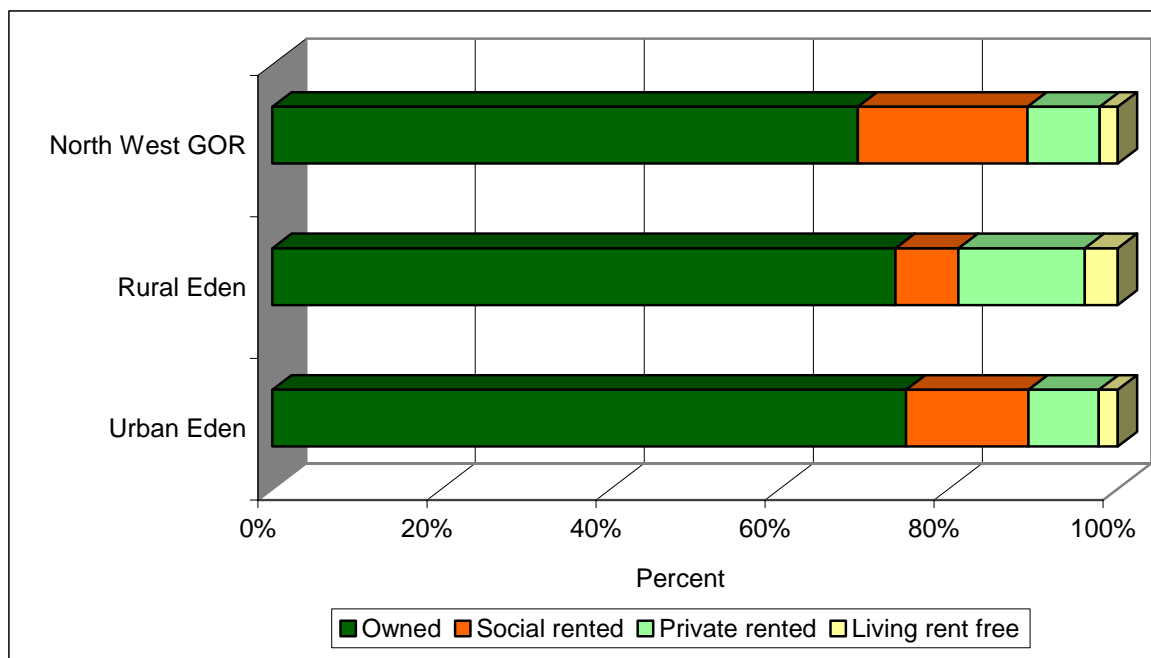
In urban Eden 75% of households live in owned accommodation, 14.5% live in social rented accommodation and 8.3% live in private rented accommodation.

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

	Eden					North West	
	Urban Total	Rural			Dispersed	Urban	Rural
		Total	Towns	Villages			
<b>Owned</b>	<b>4,799</b>	<b>10,841</b>	<b>1,206</b>	<b>6,628</b>	<b>3,007</b>	<b>1,679,846</b>	<b>268,077</b>
Owns outright	2,160	6,218	658	3,690	1,870	705,548	132,073
Owns with a mortgage or loan	2,555	4,546	524	2,897	1,125	959,303	134,616
Shared ownership	84	77	24	41	12	14,995	1,388
<b>Social rented</b>	<b>926</b>	<b>1,098</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>670</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>533,769</b>	<b>30,752</b>
Rented from Council (Local Authority)	108	121	40	75	6	363,543	18,102
Other social rented	818	977	293	595	89	170,226	12,650
<b>Private rented</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>2,198</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>1,165</b>	<b>749</b>	<b>213,075</b>	<b>26,974</b>
Private landlord or letting agency	435	1,868	246	997	625	193,149	22,349
Employer of a household member	15	66	3	31	32	1,974	1,020
Relative or friend of a household member	66	204	30	107	67	14,117	2,419
Other	18	60	5	30	25	3,835	1,186
<b>Living rent free</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>52,722</b>	<b>7,416</b>

Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

Percentage of households by tenure



Source table from the Census: UV63 Tenure (Households)

**Car ownership**

11.2% of households in rural Eden do not have a car or van available for private use. In urban parts of the Constituency it is 25%.

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

	Eden					North West		Authority	GOR
	No car or van	1 car or van	2 cars or vans	3 cars or vans	4 or more cars or vans	No car or van	1 or more cars or vans	Total number of cars or vans	
Urban	1,604	3,261	1,286	212	43	802,309	1,677,445	6,659	2,401,542
Rural	1,654	6,440	5,025	1,148	454	47,446	285,952	22,017	475,052
Less Sparse	44	386	413	106	48	40,770	247,839	1,761	413,747
Town	-	-	-	-	-	27,983	124,224	-	194,686
Village	29	203	177	35	24	8,974	76,400	788	131,242
Dispersed	15	183	236	71	24	3,813	47,215	973	87,819
Sparse	1,610	6,054	4,612	1,042	406	6,676	38,113	20,256	61,305
Town	489	962	369	56	18	3,845	12,006	1,952	17,090
Village	892	3,620	2,920	639	244	1,992	15,317	12,509	25,275
Dispersed	229	1,472	1,323	347	144	839	10,790	5,795	18,940
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,258</b>	<b>9,701</b>	<b>6,311</b>	<b>1,360</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>849,755</b>	<b>1,963,397</b>	<b>28,676</b>	<b>2,876,594</b>
<b>Percentage rural</b>	<b>50.8</b>	<b>66.4</b>	<b>79.6</b>	<b>84.4</b>	<b>91.3</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>76.8</b>	<b>16.5</b>

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	-	-	-	25	273	462	133	8	-	901
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	23	180	201	49	-	-	453
Dispersed	-	-	-	2	93	261	84	8	-	448
Sparse	4,549	1,865	1,987	2,524	2,091	759	429	3	-	14,207
Town	1,957	-	-	6	-	-	15	-	-	1,978
Village	1,597	1,205	1,533	1,953	1,762	540	117	-	-	8,707
Dispersed	995	660	454	565	329	219	297	3	-	3,522
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>4,549</b>	<b>1,865</b>	<b>1,987</b>	<b>2,549</b>	<b>2,364</b>	<b>1,221</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,108</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	30.1	12.3	13.2	16.9	15.6	8.1	3.7	0.1	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	80.0	10.6	4.3	2.5	1.1	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.2	100.0

<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	-	-	-	94	266	265	232	44	-	901
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	19	114	94	182	44	-	453
Dispersed	-	-	-	75	152	171	50	-	-	448
Sparse	3,205	1,574	1,663	2,786	1,918	1,099	1,796	166	-	14,207
Town	1,978	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,978
Village	469	1,185	1,360	2,398	1,439	548	1,287	21	-	8,707
Dispersed	758	389	303	388	479	551	509	145	-	3,522
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>3,205</b>	<b>1,574</b>	<b>1,663</b>	<b>2,880</b>	<b>2,184</b>	<b>1,364</b>	<b>2,028</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,108</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	21.2	10.4	11.0	19.1	14.5	9.0	13.4	1.4	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	37.8	37.7	13.6	4.6	3.2	1.9	0.7	0.3	0.2	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

## Distance to GPs and Jobcentres

<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	288	296	204	109	4	-	-	-	-	901
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	185	198	69	-	1	-	-	-	-	453
Dispersed	103	98	135	109	3	-	-	-	-	448
Sparse	4,536	2,253	3,049	2,624	1,081	341	318	5	-	14,207
Town	1,960	-	-	-	14	-	-	4	-	1,978
Village	1,660	1,719	2,121	1,970	768	192	277	-	-	8,707
Dispersed	916	534	928	654	299	149	41	1	-	3,522
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>4,824</b>	<b>2,549</b>	<b>3,253</b>	<b>2,733</b>	<b>1,085</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,108</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	31.9	16.9	21.5	18.1	7.2	2.3	2.1	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	62.7	24.6	6.1	2.6	1.3	1.7	0.7	0.2	0.2	100.0

<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	-	-	-	-	25	257	356	247	16	901
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	-	23	162	75	193	-	453
Dispersed	-	-	-	-	2	95	281	54	16	448
Sparse	23	874	824	1,489	1,278	1,170	1,261	1,039	6,249	14,207
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,978	1,978
Village	15	691	754	1,315	1,077	827	787	691	2,550	8,707
Dispersed	8	183	70	174	201	343	474	348	1,721	3,522
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>874</b>	<b>824</b>	<b>1,489</b>	<b>1,303</b>	<b>1,427</b>	<b>1,617</b>	<b>1,286</b>	<b>6,265</b>	<b>15,108</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	0.2	5.8	5.5	9.9	8.6	9.4	10.7	8.5	41.5	100.0
in the Government Office Region	9.9	29.2	28.2	12.2	6.3	3.0	3.6	1.1	6.6	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

## Distance to Libraries and Petrol Stations

<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	-	-	-	98	338	368	97	-	-	901
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	23	175	192	63	-	-	453
Dispersed	-	-	-	75	163	176	34	-	-	448
Sparse	3,641	1,434	1,872	3,160	1,878	1,124	1,002	96	-	14,207
Town	1,978	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,978
Village	940	980	1,398	2,696	1,515	624	554	-	-	8,707
Dispersed	723	454	474	464	363	500	448	96	-	3,522
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>3,641</b>	<b>1,434</b>	<b>1,872</b>	<b>3,258</b>	<b>2,216</b>	<b>1,492</b>	<b>1,099</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,108</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	24.1	9.5	12.4	21.6	14.7	9.9	7.3	0.6	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	61.7	21.4	6.7	3.9	3.0	1.7	0.7	0.4	0.4	100.0

<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	129	376	184	200	12	-	-	-	-	901
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	59	153	82	154	5	-	-	-	-	453
Dispersed	70	223	102	46	7	-	-	-	-	448
Sparse	6,489	2,892	3,181	1,305	322	17	-	1	-	14,207
Town	1,978	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,978
Village	3,305	2,143	2,384	779	96	-	-	-	-	8,707
Dispersed	1,206	749	797	526	226	17	-	1	-	3,522
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>6,618</b>	<b>3,268</b>	<b>3,365</b>	<b>1,505</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,108</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	43.8	21.6	22.3	10.0	2.2	0.1	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	74.1	18.5	3.9	1.8	0.9	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

## Distance to Post Offices and Supermarkets

<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	265	328	298	10	-	-	-	-	-	901
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	225	148	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	453
Dispersed	40	180	218	10	-	-	-	-	-	448
Sparse	7,603	4,771	1,530	297	3	3	-	-	-	14,207
Town	993	985	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,978
Village	5,134	2,416	1,013	144	-	-	-	-	-	8,707
Dispersed	1,476	1,370	517	153	3	3	-	-	-	3,522
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>7,868</b>	<b>5,099</b>	<b>1,828</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,108</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	52.1	33.8	12.1	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	93.0	5.6	1.0	0.3	-	-	-	-	-	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	-	-	16	305	505	54	21	-	-	901
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	10	210	233	-	-	-	-	453
Dispersed	-	-	6	95	272	54	21	-	-	448
Sparse	4,169	1,984	2,253	3,047	1,600	660	472	22	-	14,207
Town	1,978	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,978
Village	1,397	1,426	1,671	2,412	1,110	355	336	-	-	8,707
Dispersed	794	558	582	635	490	305	136	22	-	3,522
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>4,169</b>	<b>1,984</b>	<b>2,269</b>	<b>3,352</b>	<b>2,105</b>	<b>714</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,108</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	27.6	13.1	15.0	22.2	13.9	4.7	3.3	0.1	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	58.1	27.1	7.4	2.9	2.2	1.3	0.6	0.2	0.3	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

## Distance to Primary Schools and Secondary Schools

<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	414	417	69	1	-	-	-	-	-	901
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	201	252	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	453
Dispersed	213	165	69	1	-	-	-	-	-	448
Sparse	9,711	3,112	1,131	241	5	7	-	-	-	14,207
Town	1,970	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,978
Village	6,089	1,961	642	15	-	-	-	-	-	8,707
Dispersed	1,652	1,151	481	226	5	7	-	-	-	3,522
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>10,125</b>	<b>3,529</b>	<b>1,200</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15,108</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	67.0	23.4	7.9	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	100.0
in the Government Office Region	91.1	6.1	2.0	0.6	0.1	-	-	-	-	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	-	-	-	86	317	397	101	-	-	901
Town	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Village	-	-	-	23	175	192	63	-	-	453
Dispersed	-	-	-	63	142	205	38	-	-	448
Sparse	3,154	1,640	1,461	2,703	1,814	1,084	1,869	454	28	14,207
Town	1,975	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	1,978
Village	389	1,325	1,186	2,290	1,396	608	1,304	209	-	8,707
Dispersed	790	315	275	413	418	476	565	242	28	3,522
<b>Rural Total</b>	<b>3,154</b>	<b>1,640</b>	<b>1,461</b>	<b>2,789</b>	<b>2,131</b>	<b>1,481</b>	<b>1,970</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>15,108</b>
% of rural households										
in the Authority	20.9	10.9	9.7	18.5	14.1	9.8	13.0	3.0	0.2	100.0
in the Government Office Region	44.7	31.8	14.3	4.5	1.9	1.0	0.7	0.5	0.6	100.0

Source: Countryside Agency

**Further information:**

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

There are slight differences (e.g. in total population) between tables because of imputation for non-response and disclosure issues when using Output Area data. Overall the 2001 Census achieved a 98% response rate. For further information on the quality of data at Local Authority level please see: <http://www.statistics.gov.uk/census2001/la.asp>

Each Output Area in England and Wales has been classified using the harmonised urban / rural definition published by the ONS on 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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