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WHO WE ARE			HOW WE LIVE		
Key Population Statistics (all usual residents)	Number	Per cent	Households (all household spaces)	Number	Per cent
All People	92,028	-	All Household spaces	42,119	-
All Males	44,751	48.6	Household spaces with at least one resident	40,434	96.0
All Females	47,277	51.4	Household spaces with no residents	1,685	4.0
Number of people per hectare*	9.8	-	Average Household size	2.3	-
Number of people per square kilometre*	980.4	-			
			Overcrowded households (all households)	Number	Per cent
Population by Age (all usual residents)	Number	Per cent	Occupancy rating of -1 or worse (rooms)	1,744	4.3
0 – 15 years	17,800	19.3	Households without central heating	580	1.4
0 – 4	5,698	6.2			
5 – 15	12,102	13.2	Accommodation Type (all household spaces)	Number	Per cent
16 – 64 years	58,630	63.7	Whole house or bungalow	36,445	86.5
16 – 24	10,976	11.9	Detached	6,963	16.5
25 – 64	47,654	51.8	Semi-detached	13,714	32.6
65 + years	15,598	16.9	Terraced	15,768	37.4
65 – 74	8,174	8.9	Flat maisonette or apartment	5,565	13.2
75 +	7,424	8.1	Caravan/other mobile or temporary structure	109	0.3
Health (all usual residents)	Number	Per cent	Household by Tenure (all households)	Number	Per cent
Day-to-day activities limited a lot	11,137	12.1	Owned outright	11,090	27.4
Day-to-day activities limited a little	10,178	11.1	Owned with a mortgage or loan	13,104	32.4
Day-to-day activities not limited	70,713	76.8	Shared ownership (part owned & part rented)	200	0.5
General health is very good	39,816	43.3	Social rented	9,515	23.5
General health is good	30,117	32.7	Private rented including living rent free	6,525	16.1
General health is fair	14,607	15.9			
General health is bad	5,789	6.3	Household Composition (all households)	Number	Per cent
General health is very bad	1,699	1.8	One person household	13,392	33.1
			Aged 65 and over	5,544	13.7
Religion (all usual residents)	Number	Per cent	Other	7,848	19.4
Christian	64,349	69.9	One family only	25,251	62.4
Buddhist	152	0.2	All aged 65 and over	3,069	7.6
Hindu	168	0.2	Married/same-sex civil partnership couple	12,577	31.1
Jewish	9	0.0	Cohabiting couple	4,210	10.4
Muslim	689	0.7	Lone parent	5,395	13.3
Sikh	97	0.1	Other household type	1,791	4.4
Other	178	0.2			
No Religion	20,507	22.3	Marital & Civil Partnership Status (aged 16+)	Number	Per cent
Not stated	5,879	6.4	Single (never married/registered in a SSCP*)	25,531	34.4
			Married	33,211	44.7
Ethnic Group (all usual residents)	Number	Per cent	In a Registered SSCP	116	0.2
White	89,899	97.7	Separated	1,771	2.4
Mixed / multiple	550	0.6	Divorced or Formerly in a SSCP	7,392	10.0
Asian / Asian British	1,304	1.4	Widowed or Surviving Partner from a SSCP	6,207	8.4
Black / African / Caribbean / Black British	170	0.2			
Other	105	0.1	Car or Van Availability (all households)	Number	Per cent
			No cars or vans in household	14,268	35.3
			1 car or van in household	16,573	41.0
			2 cars or vans in household	7,662	18.9
			3 cars or vans in household	1,535	3.8
			4 or more cars or vans in household	396	1.0
			Average number of cars per household	0.9	-



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WHAT WE DO			Industry (aged 16-74 in employment)	Number	Per cent
Provision of Unpaid Care (all usual residents)	Number	Per cent	Agriculture, forestry & fishing	139	0.4
People providing unpaid care	9,924	10.8	Mining & quarrying	267	0.7
Providing 1 – 19 hours	5,325	5.8	Manufacturing	4,410	11.7
Providing 20 – 49 hours	1,555	1.7	Elec, gas, steam & air conditioning supply	666	1.8
Providing 50 + hours	3,044	3.3	Water sply; sewage, wste mgmt & remediaton	539	1.4
People providing no unpaid care	82,104	89.2	Construction	3,764	10.0
			Whsale & ret trade; repair motor vehicles...	5,657	15.0
Highest Level of Qualification (aged 16+)	Number	Per cent	Transport & Storage	1,575	4.2
No qualifications	22,758	30.7	Accommodation & Food Svc Activities	1,938	5.1
Level 1 qualifications	10,057	13.5	Information & Communication	645	1.7
Level 2 qualifications	11,992	16.2	Financial & Insurance Activities	789	2.1
Apprenticeship	4,076	5.5	Real Estate	588	1.6
Level 3 qualifications	9,276	12.5	Professional, Scientific & Technical	1,511	4.0
Level 4 qualifications and above	13,063	17.6	Administrative & Support Service	1,603	4.2
Other qualifications	3,006	4.0	Pub Admin & Def; Compulsory Soc Sec	2,552	6.8
			Education	3,641	9.6
Weekly Hours Worked (aged 16 - 74 in employment)	Number	Per cent	Human Health & Social Work	5,829	15.4
15 hours or less (part-time)	3,247	8.6	Other	1,654	4.4
16-30 hours (part-time)	8,939	23.7			
31-48 hours (full-time)	21,662	57.4	Occupation (aged 16-74 in employment)	Number	Per cent
49 hours or more (full-time)	3,919	10.4	Managers, Directors and Senior Officials	3,035	8.0
			Professional Occupations	4,921	13.0
			Associate Professional and Technical	3,958	10.5
Method of Travel to Work (aged 16-74 in employment)	Number	Per cent	Administrative and Secretarial Occupations	3,853	10.2
Car/van/taxi/motorcycle	27,965	74.0	Skilled Trades Occupations	5,126	13.6
Public transport	3,106	8.2	Caring, Leisure and Other Service Occupations	4,359	11.5
On foot	4,514	12.0	Sales and Customer Service Occupations	3,880	10.3
Bicycle	723	1.9	Process, Plant and Machine Operatives	3,879	10.3
Work from home	1,045	2.8	Elementary Occupations	4,756	12.6
Other	414	1.1			
			Socio-Economic Classification (aged 16-74 in employment)	Number	Per cent
Economic Activity (aged 16-74)	Number	Per cent	Higher Managerial, Admin & Prof Occupations	3,632	5.4
Economically Active	43,513	65.1	Lower Managerial, Admin & Prof Occupations	11,273	16.9
Employees part-time	10,092	15.1	Intermediate Occupations	7,989	12.0
Employees full-time	22,635	33.9	Small Employers & Own Account Workers	4,318	6.5
Self-employed	3,805	5.7	Lower Supervisory & Technical Occupations	5,956	8.9
Unemployed	5,194	7.8	Semi-Routine Occupations	11,981	17.9
Full-time student	1,787	2.7	Routine Occupations	11,032	16.5
Economically Inactive	23,291	34.9	Never Worked and Long-Term Unemployed	5,919	8.9
Retired	10,621	15.9	Not Classified	4,704	7.0
Student (Including Full-Time Students)	3,042	4.6			
Looking After Home or Family	3,265	4.9			
Long-Term Sick or Disabled	4,733	7.1			
Other	1,630	2.4			

*SSCP – Same-Sex Civil Partnership.

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