

## 2016-based household projections for local authorities and higher administrative areas in England

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### Notes

- Household projections show the number of households there would be in England in the future if a set of assumptions about the future of household formation were realised in practice.
- The projections generally do not take into account any policy changes that have not yet occurred, nor those that have not yet been implemented.
- These projections are based on the [2016-based subnational population projections](#), [revised population estimates for England and Wales: mid-2012 to mid-2016](#) and Census data.
- These data are based on administrative geographic boundaries in place on the reference date of 30 June 2016.
- As different levels of the geographical hierarchy are combined in one file it is important to bear in mind the distinction between metropolitan county of West Midlands (code E11000005). It should also be noted that Greater London, which is often presented as counts would simply duplicate those for London region.
- Further advice on the appropriate use of these data can be obtained by emailing our Stakeholder Engagement Team ([pop.info@ons.gov.uk](mailto:pop.info@ons.gov.uk)).

### Additional information

#### Table 401:

- England: data for 1961 to 2001 reprinted from 2014-based Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government (MHCLG) household projections.
- Wales: data for 1961 to 1990 reprinted from 2014-based MHCLG Table 401. Data for 1991 to 2014 are household estimates and projections.
- Scotland: data for 1961 to 2002 reprinted from 2014-based MHCLG Table 401. Data for 2003 to 2015 are household estimates and projections.
- Northern Ireland: data for 1961 to 2015 reprinted from 2014-based MHCLG Table 401 and for 2016 to 2041 are taken from the 2016-based household projections.
- Data for Great Britain and UK is presented where possible by adding up the data from the constituent countries. These data are not available for Northern Ireland.
- Data unavailable

#### Table 411:

- Data for the years 1861 to 2001 are reprinted from 2014-based MHCLG Table 411. Data for the years 2002 to 2041 are from the 2016-based household projections.

#### Table 415:

- Components of growth are given by holding one factor constant in the household projections model and observing projected household formation. This shows how the total increase in households is driven by population growth and household formation. In some areas the changes to households in levels are small and as a result the percentage change figures should be interpreted with caution.
- The interaction term reflects the interdependency between factors in the model.

#### Table 417:

- Tables 417 and 418 have been combined in to one table, labelled table 417.

#### Table 420:

- Tables 420 and 424 have been combined in to one table, labelled table 420.

Because of rounding, figures may not sum.

### Key terms

A **household** is defined as one person living alone or a group of people (not necessarily related) living at the same address who accommodate units in an establishment where 50% or more have their own kitchens (irrespective of whether there are other co-owners) and include anyone who has no other usual residence elsewhere in the UK.

The private **household population** is the total resident population minus the communal establishment population.

The **age of household** is based on the household reference person. This is the individual that represents the household for statistical purposes.

For more information about the **household type** breakdowns in the tables, please refer to [household projections methodology a](#)

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household formation by local authority, England, mid-2014 and mid-2039

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which had an impact on observed trends.

the West Midlands region (code E12000005) and the  
alongside metropolitan counties, is not included in this table

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) Table 401. Data for 2002 to 2041 taken from the 2016-based household

and data for 2015 to 2039 are 2014-based household projections.

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are 2016-based household projections.

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