



## POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

<b>Total Population</b>	<b>8,872</b>	<i>percent</i>
Males	4,300	48.5
Females	4,572	51.5
People living in households	8,802	99.2
in communal establishments	70	0.8
Land area (hectares)	357	
Population density (people per hectare)	24.8	

(all people unless stated\*)

<b>AGE STRUCTURE</b>	<i>number</i>	<i>percent</i>
0-4	447	5.0
5-15	1,019	11.5
16-24	872	9.8
25-44	2,072	23.4
45-64	2,476	27.9
65-74	1,116	12.6
75 & over	870	9.8
Mean Age: 43.4	Median Age: 45	

### MARITAL AND CIVIL PARTNERSHIP STATUS

<i>*people aged 16 and over:</i>	<i>number</i>	<i>percent</i>
Single	2,302	31.1
Married	3,497	47.2
In a registered same-sex CP	5	0.1
Separated	160	2.2
Divorced	770	10.4
Widowed	672	9.1

### KNOWLEDGE OF WELSH

<i>*people aged 3 and over:</i>	<i>number</i>	<i>percent</i>
No skills in Welsh	7,099	82.5
Understand spoken Welsh only	447	5.2
Can speak Welsh	841	9.8
Can speak but not read or write	140	1.6
Can speak & read but not write	80	0.9
Can speak, read & write Welsh	611	7.1
Other combination of skills	223	2.6

### COUNTRY OF BIRTH

	<i>number</i>	<i>percent</i>
Wales	7,732	87.2
England	711	8.0
Scotland	45	0.5
Northern Ireland	25	0.3
UK not specified	3	0.0
Ireland	32	0.4
Other EU: Member in 2001	54	0.6
Accession country 2001-2011	62	0.7
Other countries	208	2.3

### ETHNIC GROUP

	<i>number</i>	<i>percent</i>
White: Welsh/British (all gps)	8,516	96.0
White: Irish	30	0.3
White: Gypsy or Irish Traveller	2	0.0
White: Other White	98	1.1
Mixed/Multiple ethnic group	35	0.4
Asian/Asian British: Indian	17	0.2
Asian/Asian British: Pakistani	2	0.0
Asian/Asian British: Bangladeshi	1	0.0
Asian/Asian British: Chinese	17	0.2
Asian/Asian British: Other Asian	74	0.8
Black/Black British: African	39	0.4
Black/Black British: Caribbean	1	0.0
Black/Black British: Other Black	3	0.0
Other Ethnic Group: Arab	18	0.2
Other Ethnic Group: Any other	19	0.2

### RELIGION

	<i>number</i>	<i>percent</i>
Christian	5,297	59.7
Buddhist	14	0.2
Hindu	16	0.2
Jewish	4	0.0
Muslim	58	0.7
Sikh	6	0.1
Other religions	14	0.2
No religion	2,791	31.5
Religion not stated	672	7.6

### HEALTH AND PROVISION OF UNPAID CARE

<b>Long-term health problem or disability:</b>	<i>number</i>	<i>percent</i>
All people	2,551	28.8
People of working age (16-64)	1,208	22.3

#### General Health. People whose health was:

Very good	3,897	43.9
Good	2,575	29.0
Fair	1,478	16.7
Bad	699	7.9
Very bad	223	2.5

<b>People providing unpaid care:</b>	<i>number</i>	<i>percent</i>
1-19 hours per week	708	8.0
20-49 hours per week	192	2.2
50 or more hours per week	428	4.8

### QUALIFICATIONS (\*people aged 16 & over)

	<i>number</i>	<i>percent</i>
No qualifications	2,379	32.1
Level 1	1,040	14.0
Level 2	1,198	16.2
Level 3	766	10.3
Level 4 & above	1,268	17.1
Other qualifications	755	10.2

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**ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS****ECONOMIC STATUS** \*people aged 16-74: 6,536

	number	percent
<b>Economically Active</b>	<u>3,953</u>	<u>60.5</u>
Employees: Full-time	2,190	33.5
Employees: Part-time	995	15.2
Self-employed	370	5.7
Unemployed	240	3.7
Full-time student	158	2.4

<b>Economically Inactive</b>	<u>2,583</u>	<u>39.5</u>
Retired	1,355	20.7
Student	247	3.8
Looking after home or family	248	3.8
Long term sick or disabled	590	9.0
Other	143	2.2

\*people aged 16-74 in employment: 3,668

<b>INDUSTRY</b>	number	percent
Agriculture, forestry & fishing	3	0.1
Energy, utilities, mining	46	1.3
Manufacturing	285	7.8
Construction	312	8.5
Wholesale, retail, accom., food	833	22.7
Transport, storage & comms.	297	8.1
Financial, prof. & support servs	434	11.8
Public admin, educ. & health	1,290	35.2
Other services	168	4.6

<b>OCCUPATION</b>	number	percent
Mgrs, directors, senior officials	226	6.2
Professional occupations	423	11.5
Associate prof. & technical	341	9.3
Administrative & secretarial	591	16.1
Skilled trades occupations	479	13.1
Caring, leisure & other services	433	11.8
Sales & customer service occs	399	10.9
Process, plant & machine op's	307	8.4
Elementary occupations	469	12.8

<b>TRAVEL TO WORK</b>	number	percent
Work mainly at or from home	81	2.2
Public Transport (Train/Bus)	266	7.3
Private Transport (Car/m/cycle)	2,570	70.1
Passenger in car/van/taxi	405	11.0
Bicycle, On foot or Other	346	9.4

<b>HOURS WORKED</b>	number (male+female)	percent
Part-time: 1-15 hours	287	7.8
Part-time: 16-30 hours	907	24.7
Full-time: 31-48 hours	2,160	58.9
Full-time: 49 or more hours	314	8.6

**HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS****HOUSEHOLDS AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION**

	number	percent
<b>Households</b> (with residents)	<b>4,011</b>	<b>97.7</b>
Average household size		2.2
Average number of rooms per household		5.3
Average number of bedrooms per household		2.7
Households with +1 person/room	148	3.7
Hh spaces w/ no usual residents	93	2.3

<b>Household composition</b>	number	percent
One person: Aged 65 & over	592	14.8
One person households: Other	731	18.2
One family households:	<u>2,495</u>	<u>62.2</u>
All aged 65 & over	445	11.1
Married/ same-sex CP couple	1,207	30.1
Cohabiting couple	311	7.8
Lone parent households	532	13.3
Other household types	193	4.8

<b>HOUSEHOLD TENURE AND AMENITIES</b>	percent
Owned outright / with mortgage	2,569 64.0
Rented from Local Authority	735 18.3
Other social rented, incl. HA	378 9.4
Private rented	273 6.8
Other tenures	56 1.4

H'hlds without central heating	36	0.9
Households with no car or van	1,109	27.6
With 1 car/van	1,817	45.3
With 2 cars/vans	840	20.9
With 3 or more cars/vans	245	6.1
All cars/vans in the area	4,311	

<b>ACCOMMODATION TYPE</b>	number	percent
Detached	1,088	26.5
Semi-detached	1,651	40.2
Terraced (incl. end-terrace)	893	21.8
Flat, maisonette or apartment	472	11.5
Caravan, other mobile/temp.	0	0.0

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