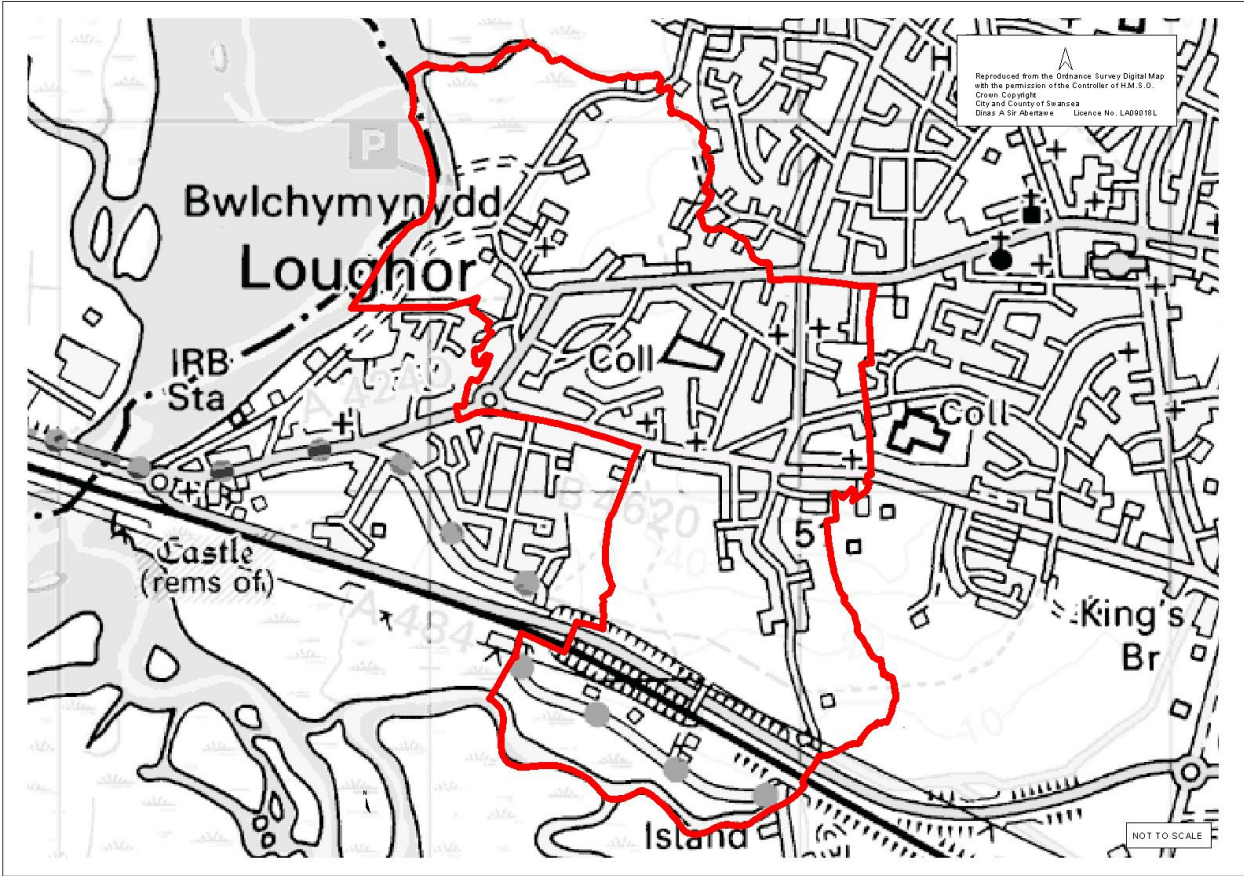




# Upper Loughor Electoral Division



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## POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

<b>Total Population<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>2,845</b>
Males	1,393
Females	1,452

People living in households	2,843
Living in communal establishments	3
Students away from home	19

<b>Land area (sq. km)</b>	1.61
<b>Population density (people per sq. km)</b>	1,767

### AGE STRUCTURE<sup>2</sup> (all people)

	Number	%
0-4	155	5.45%
5-9	180	6.33%
10-14	190	6.68%
15-19	206	7.24%
20-24	135	4.75%
25-29	166	5.83%
30-44	596	20.95%
45-59	580	20.39%
60-64	171	6.01%
65-74	263	9.24%
75-84	159	5.59%
85-89	31	1.09%
90+	13	0.46%

Average Age	39.51
Median Age	39.00

### MARITAL STATUS<sup>3</sup>

(people aged 16 and over)

Single	579
Married	1,113
Re-married	171
Separated	45
Divorced	168
Widowed	202

### KNOWLEDGE OF WELSH

(people aged 3 and over)

Understands spoken Welsh only	11.02%
Speaks Welsh	4.10%
Speaks and reads Welsh	2.36%
Speaks, reads and writes Welsh	15.66%
Other combination of skills	3.62%
No knowledge of Welsh	63.25%

## COUNTRY OF BIRTH

(all people)

Wales	87.07%
England	10.65%
Scotland	0.60%
Northern Ireland	0.25%
Republic of Ireland	0.25%
Other EU Countries	0.56%
Elsewhere	0.63%

### ETHNIC GROUP (all people)

White	99.09%
Mixed	0.47%
Asian or Asian British	0.22%
Black or Black British	0.00%
Chinese or other ethnic group	0.25%

**People identifying themselves as Welsh 16.62%**

### RELIGION<sup>4</sup> (all people)

Christian	2,180
Buddhist	7
Hindu	0
Jewish	0
Muslim	0
Sikh	0
Other religions	4
No religion	475
Religion not stated	179

## HEALTH AND PROVISION OF UNPAID CARE

### Limiting Long Term Illness (LLTI)<sup>5</sup> (all people)

People with LLTI	643
People of working age with LLTI	317

### General Health:

People whose health was good	1,861
People whose health was fairly good	644
People whose health was not good	340

### People who provide unpaid care:

1-19 hours per week	260
20-49 hours per week	63
50 or more hours per week	87

### QUALIFICATIONS<sup>6</sup> (people aged 16-74)

No qualifications	29.25%
Level 1	18.22%
Level 2	23.18%
Level 3	6.70%
Level 4/5	15.37%
Other qualifications/level unknown	7.28%

Percentages may not add up to 100%

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**ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS****ECONOMIC STATUS<sup>7</sup>** (people aged 16-74)

<b>Economically Active</b>	1,284
Employees: Full-time	814
Employees: Part-time	257
Self-employed	104
Unemployed	62
Full-time student	47

<b>Economically Inactive</b>	791
Retired	337
Student	98
Looking after home/family	111
Permanently sick/disabled	193
Other	52

**INDUSTRY<sup>8</sup>** (people aged 16-74 in employment)

Agriculture, forestry & fishing	0.74%
Energy, water & mining	1.07%
Manufacturing	19.09%
Construction	5.93%
Distribution, retail, hotels & catering	22.96%
Transport, storage & communication	4.03%
Financial and business activities	11.28%
Public administration, education & health	31.85%
Other services	3.05%

**OCCUPATION<sup>9</sup>** (people aged 16-74 in employment)

Managers & senior officials	9.64%
Professional occupations	8.81%
Associate professional & technical	12.77%
Administrative & secretarial occupations	16.56%
Skilled trades occupations	13.01%
Personal service occupations	7.83%
Sales & customer service occupations	8.40%
Process, plant & machine operatives	9.72%
Elementary occupations	13.26%

**MEANS OF TRAVEL TO WORK<sup>10</sup>**

Work mainly at or from home	6.09%
Public Transport (Train/Bus)	5.10%
Private Transport (Car/Van/Motorcycle)	69.32%
Passenger in car/van/taxi	9.95%
Bicycle/On foot/Other	9.55%

**HOURS WORKED<sup>11</sup>**

	Males	Females
Part-time: 1-15 hours	27	72
Part-time: 16-30 hours	36	177
Full-time: 31-37 hours	121	146
Full-time: 38-48 hours	386	126
Full-time: 49 or more hours	104	19

**HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS****HOUSEHOLDS & HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION<sup>12</sup>**

<b>Total Households</b>	1,147
Average household size	2.48
Average number of rooms per household	5.78
Households with over 1 person per room	37
One person households: Pensioner	157
One person households: Other	126
One family households: All pensioner	129
One family households: Married couple	489
One family households: Cohabiting couple	68
One family households: Lone parent	114
Other households	63

**HOUSEHOLD TENURE & AMENITIES<sup>13</sup>**

Owner Occupied/with mortgage	86.73%
Rented From Council (local authority)	5.85%
Rented From Housing Association/RSL	1.22%
Rented From private landlord/agency	3.75%
Other tenure	2.44%
Households without central heating	27
Households with no car or van	214
With 1 car/van	576
With 2 or more cars/vans	357
All cars/vans in the area	1,396

**ACCOMMODATION TYPE AND OCCUPANCY<sup>14</sup>****Whole house or bungalow:**

Detached	26.60%
Semi-detached	51.18%
Terraced (including end-terrace)	19.36%
Flat, maisonette or apartment	2.62%
Caravan, other mobile/temporary	0.25%

**Accommodation with no residents:**

Vacant	38
Second home/Holiday accommodation	3

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## 2001 Census Profile: Glossary

1. **Total Population:** usual resident population. Area measurements are based on the 2001 version of the OS Boundary-Line data set, and do not include inland water.
2. **Age Structure:** of resident population. 'Age' is age as at last birthday. 'Average age' (or 'mean age') is calculated by dividing the sum of each person's age in whole years by the number of people. 'Median age', calculated using the underlying single year counts, is the middle value when all ages are arranged in order from youngest to oldest.
3. **Marital Status:** 'Separated' category: Separated (but still legally married).
4. **Religion:** Current religion. Please note that missing answers for the Religion variable were not imputed.
5. **Health and Provision of Unpaid Care:**
  - a.) Limiting long-term illness covers any long-term illness; health problem or disability which limits daily activities or work.
  - b.) Working age population (in respect of LLTI data) is 16-64 inclusive for men and 16-59 inclusive for women.
  - c.) General health is a self-assessment of a person's health over the 12 months prior to Census day.
  - d.) Provision of unpaid care: looking after; giving help or support to family members; friends; neighbours or others because of long-term physical or mental ill-health or disability or problems relating to old age.
6. **Qualifications:** The highest recorded level of qualification of people aged 16-74: -  
**Level 1:** 1+'O' level passes, 1+CSE/GCSE any grades; NVQ level 1; Foundation GNVQ.  
**Level 2:** 5+ 'O' level passes; 5+ CSEs (grade 1's); 5+GCSEs (grades A-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 and 5; HNC; HND; Qualified Teacher Status; Qualified Medical Doctor; Qualified Dentist; Qualified Nurse; Midwife; Health Visitor.
7. **Economic Status:** Full-time is defined as working 31 or more hours a week; part-time 30 hours or less a week.
8. **Industry:** Coded to the UK Standard Industrial Classification of Economic Activities 1992 - UK (SIC) 92 (modified version).
9. **Occupation Groups:** Coded to the 2000 edition of the Standard Occupational Classification (SOC).
10. **Means of Travel to Work:** The means of travel used for the longest part, by distance, of the usual journey to work of all people aged 16-74 in employment. For the purposes of the data, public transport is defined as underground, metro, light rail or tram, train, bus, minibus or coach.
11. **Hours worked:** The average number of hours worked a week for the last four weeks before the Census. Full-time is defined as working 31 or more hours a week; part-time 30 hours or less a week.
12. **Households and Household Composition:** The persons per room data (occupancy rating) provides a measure of under-occupancy and overcrowding. For example a value of -1 (i.e. over 1 person per room) implies that there is one room too few and that there is overcrowding in the household. The occupancy rating assumes that every household, including one person households, requires a minimum of two common rooms (excluding bathrooms).
13. **Household Tenure and Amenities:** The 'Owner occupied' household tenure data includes; owned outright; owns with a mortgage or loan; and shared ownership (pays part rent and mortgage). The 'Housing Association / RSL (Registered Social Landlord)' category includes Housing Co-operatives and Charitable Trusts. The 'Other tenure' category includes an employer of a household member or relative or friend living rent free. Car/van data includes any company car or van if available for private use.
14. **Accommodation Type and Occupancy:** Household spaces of accommodation type or reason for having no residents.

**NB: Figures are subject to Random adjustment** applied by the Office for National Statistics (ONS) to prevent the inadvertent disclosure of information about identifiable individuals. Small counts in all tables issued for England and Wales are adjusted. In addition there was swapping of records in the output database, and broad limitations are placed on details in tables produced for small populations.

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