



This profile contains a selection of key statistics taken from the 2001 Census for the Hemsworth area. The 2001 Census was taken on the 29th April 2001 and the subsequent results provide the most comprehensive survey of the UK population. Detailed data is available down to small area levels, the smallest being census output areas which contain around 125 households. The Hemsworth area lies within the Hemsworth and South Kirkby electoral wards and the boundaries used to create this profile are illustrated in the adjoining map. Please note that the statistics in this profile are based on a non-standard geographical area and are derived by amalgamating Census Output Areas.

The following data tables compare the neighbourhood profile of Hemsworth to that of the Wakefield District and national averages. Percentages are calculated on a base figure for each category or sub-category, which appears in italic type at the top of each appropriate section. Please note that in some cases the data shown in this summary may have been rounded and figures shown may differ slightly from those published elsewhere. Due to rounding of percentages, the addition of categories may not sum to exactly 100 per cent in all cases. It should also be noted that in some cases, different tables might show different counts for the same population, due to disclosure protection measures used to prevent the inadvertent disclosure of information about identifiable individuals. Figures quoted should therefore be used for guidance only.

A series of area profiles has been prepared by the Council's spatial policy group, for further information

regarding availability, please contact the spatial policy group or visit www.wakefield.org.uk/census2001. Further profiles and data can be found at the National Statistics website at www.statistics.gov.uk.

CENSUS 2001 KEY STATISTICS

	Hemsworth	%	Wakefield District %	England %
POPULATION				
<i>All People</i>	9,145			
Residents living in households	9,106	99.6	98.7	98.2
Residents living in communal establishments	37	0.4	1.3	1.8
Males	4,516	49.4	48.6	48.7
Females	4,629	50.6	51.4	51.3
Aged 0-4	507	5.5	5.7	6.0
5-15	1,404	15.4	14.8	14.2
16 to 74	6,630	72.5	72.4	72.3
75 and over	611	6.7	7.1	7.5
HEALTH				
<i>All People</i>	9,145			
Limiting long-term illness ⁱ	2,689	29.4	22.4	17.9
General health ⁱⁱ 'not good'	1,566	17.1	12.3	9.0
General health 'fairly good'	2,135	23.3	23.1	22.2
General health 'good'	5,444	59.5	64.6	68.8
People providing unpaid care ⁱⁱⁱ	1,191	13.0	11.1	9.9
Providing unpaid care 50+ hours per week	331	3.6	2.7	2.0

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CENSUS 2001 NEIGHBOURHOOD PROFILE

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	Hemsworth	%	Wakefield District %	England %
PEOPLE PLACES AND FAMILIES				
<i>Marital status (all people aged 16 and over)</i>	7,240			
Single people (never married)	1,968	27.2	26.1	30.2
Married or re-married people	3,776	52.2	53.4	50.9
Separated or divorced	855	11.8	11.7	10.6
Widowed	641	8.9	8.8	8.3
<i>Transport (all households)</i>	3,841			
Households without car/van	1,408	36.7	30.6	26.8
Household with 1 car or van	1,681	43.8	44.6	43.7
Household with 2 or more cars/vans	752	19.6	24.8	29.5
<i>Composition (all households)</i>	3,874			
One person households	1,130	29.2	28.3	30.0
Married couple households	1,436	37.1	39.6	36.5
Cohabiting couple households	348	9.0	9.4	8.3
Households with dependent children ^{iv}	1,227	31.7	30.9	29.4
Lone parent households	445	11.5	9.7	9.5
Lone parent households with dependent children ^{iv}	293	7.6	6.6	6.4
Pensioner only households	957	24.7	23.6	23.7
Pensioners living alone	589	15.2	14.5	14.4
ETHNICITY AND RELIGION				
<i>All People</i>				
<i>Ethnic Group</i>	9,151			
White	9,072	99.1	97.7	90.9
Other	79	0.9	2.3	9.1
<i>Country of Birth</i>	9,162			
Born in UK	9,002	98.3	97.5	90.7
Born elsewhere in EU	63	0.7	0.8	2.4
Born outside EU	97	1.1	1.7	6.9
<i>Religion</i>	9,139			
Christian	7,378	80.7	78.2	71.7
Other	45	0.5	1.6	6.0
No religion	846	9.3	11.7	14.6
Religion not stated	870	9.5	8.3	7.7
WORK				
<i>All people aged 16-74</i>	6,626			
<i>Economically active</i>	3,752	56.6	64.3	66.9
Full-time ^v employees	2,212	33.4	40.1	40.8
Part-time ^{vi} employees	852	12.9	12.9	11.8
Self-employed	311	4.7	5.8	8.3
Unemployed	260	3.9	3.5	3.3
Full-time student	117	1.8	1.9	2.6
<i>Economically inactive</i>	2,874	43.4	35.7	33.1
Retired	982	14.8	14.4	13.5
Permanently sick or disabled	903	13.6	8.3	5.3
Looking after home/family	504	7.6	6.5	6.5
Student	211	3.2	3.1	4.7
Other	274	4.1	3.4	3.1
<i>Qualifications</i>				
Degree level or higher ^{vii}	500	7.5	12.5	19.9
No qualifications	3,210	48.4	39.1	28.9
<i>Travel to work (all people aged 16-74 in employment)</i>	3,492			
Car, van, motorcycle, taxi	2,317	66.4	68.1	62.7
Public transport ^{viii}	432	12.4	11.5	14.9
Bicycle or foot	483	13.8	12.2	12.8

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	Hemsworth	%	Wakefield District %	England %
Occupation (all people aged 16-74 in employment)	3,488			
Managers and senior officials	321	9.2	12.3	15.3
Professional	151	4.3	7.6	11.2
Associate professional & technical	301	8.6	11.6	13.8
Administrative & secretarial	371	10.6	12.0	13.4
Skilled trades	454	13.0	12.3	11.5
Personal service occupations	343	9.8	7.1	6.9
Sales and customer service	275	7.9	8.7	7.7
Process, plant & machine operatives	486	13.9	11.9	8.4
Elementary	786	22.5	16.4	11.8
Industry (all people aged 16-74 in employment)	3,462			
Agriculture	41	1.2	0.8	1.5
Energy	66	1.9	2.3	1.0
Manufacturing	503	14.5	16.7	14.8
Construction	304	8.8	7.5	6.8
Wholesale, retail trade; repair of motor vehicles	868	25.1	21.7	16.8
Hotels & Catering	152	4.4	4.5	4.7
Transport, storage & communication	234	6.8	6.8	7.1
Finance & business services	305	8.8	12.4	18.0
Public administration & defence	176	5.1	5.8	5.7
Education	227	6.6	6.7	7.7
Health and social work	426	12.3	10.9	10.7
Other ^{ix}	160	4.6	4.0	5.2
HOUSING				
Households (all household spaces)	4,038			
Detached	715	17.7	20.1	22.5
Semi-detached	1,974	48.9	45.0	31.6
Terraced	1,057	26.2	24.5	25.8
Flat	292	7.2	10.3	19.7
Non permanent accommodation ^x	-	0.0	0.2	0.4
Vacant households	177	4.4	3.1	3.2
Tenure (all household tenures)	3,857			
Owner-occupied	2,315	60.0	65.2	68.7
Rented from Council ^{xi}	1,081	28.0	25.7	13.2
Rented from Housing Association or Registered Social Landlord ^{xii}	87	2.3	2.2	6.1
Private or other rented	374	9.7	6.9	12.0
Amenities (all households with residents)	3,850			
Households with central heating & sole use of bath/shower and toilet	3,686	95.7	93.3	91.1

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- i Limiting long-term illness covers any long-term illness; health problem or disability that limits daily activities or work.
- ii General health refers to health over the 12 months prior to Census day (29 April 2001)
- iii 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.
- iv A dependent child is a person in a household aged 0 - 15 (whether or not in a family) or a person aged 16 - 18 who is a full-time student and in a family with parent(s).
- v working 31 or more hours a week
- vi working 30 or less hours a week
- vii First Degree, Higher degree; NVQ levels 4 and 5; HNC; HND; Qualified Teacher Status; Qualified Medical Doctor; Qualified Dentist; Qualified Nurse; Midwife; Health Visitor.
- viii Defined as Underground metro light rail or tram; train and bus minibus or coach.
- ix Other includes: other community; social and personal service activities; private households with employed persons and extra-territorial organisations and bodies.
- x Households in non permanent accommodation (caravans, houseboats)
- xi Includes Housing Co-operative and Charitable Trust
- xii Includes employer of a household member and relative or friend of a household member and living rent free