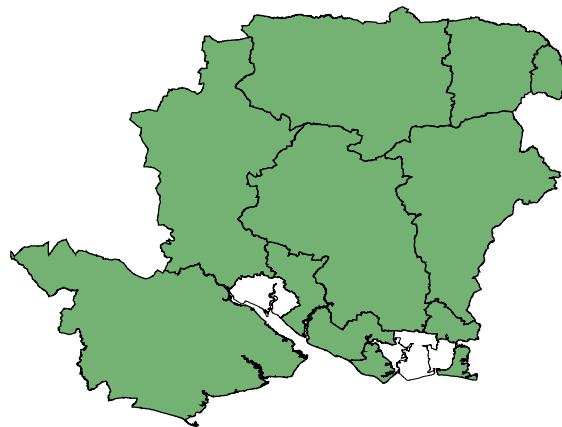
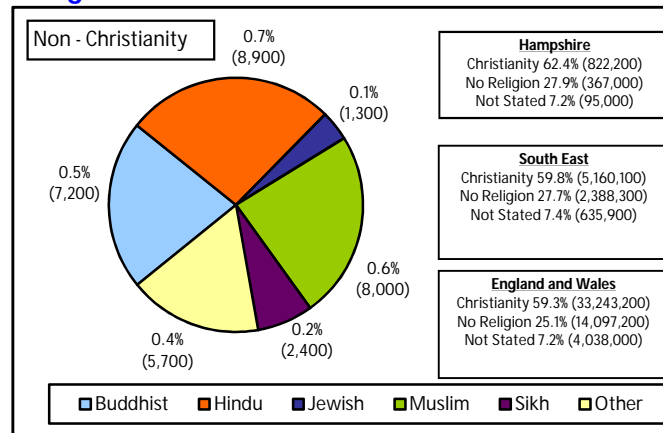


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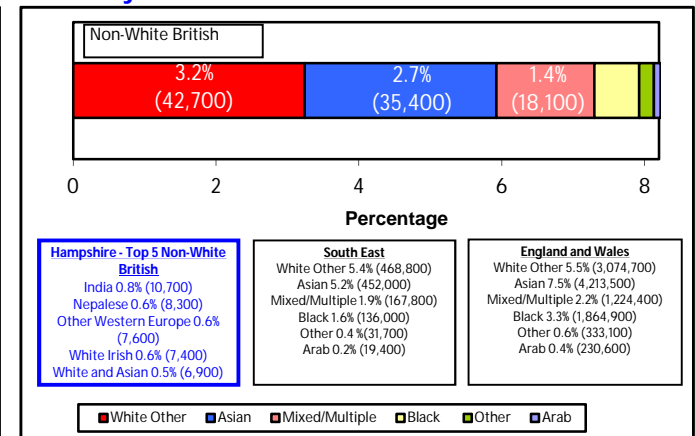


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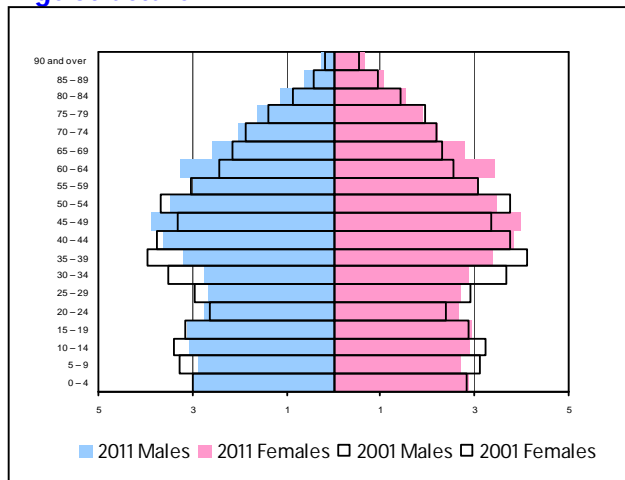
Christianity remains the largest religion in Hampshire at 62.4%. Hinduism is the next biggest religion at 0.7% followed closely by Muslim (0.6%) and Buddhism (0.5%). A large percentage said that they had no religion (27.9%), whilst 7.2% did not state any religion at all.

Ethnicity



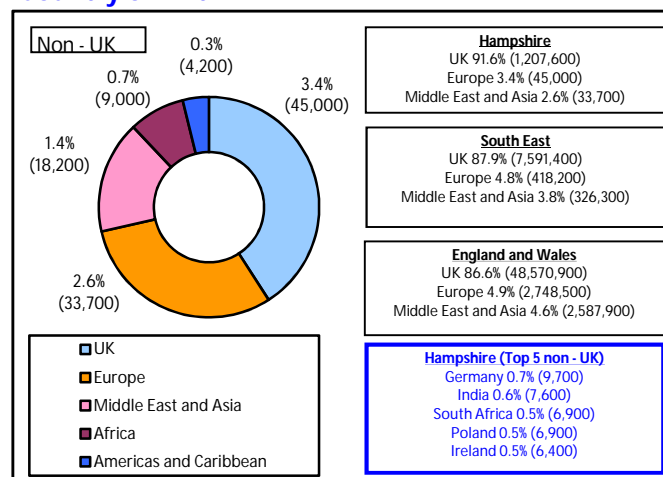
91.8% of Hampshire's resident population are 'White British'. Those in other ethnic groups account for 8.2%. The ethnic group 'White Other' accounts for 3.2% including both White Irish and Polish individuals, amongst others. The Asian ethnic group accounts for 2.7% encompassing Indian and Nepalese ethnicities, with others.

Age Structure



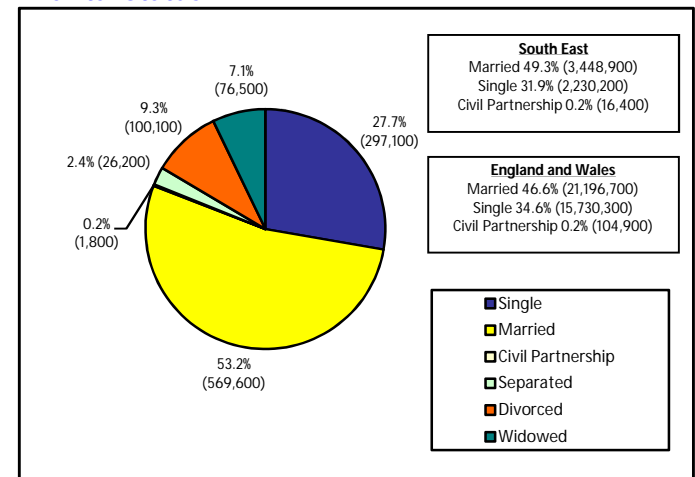
Between 2001 and 2011 the working age population has remained stable at 64%. However there has been a large decline amongst young adults aged 25-39 (from 21.6% to 18.9%). Hampshire has an ageing population.

Country of Birth



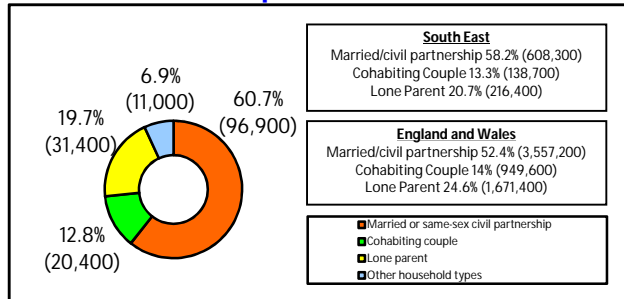
91.6% of Hampshire's population were born in the UK. At 3.4% Europe is the next largest, including Poland, Germany and Ireland in the top 5 above. The Middle East and Asia follows at 2.6% with India (0.6%) most prominent. Africa accounts for 1.4%, with South Africa at 0.5%.

Marital Status



53.2% of the population are married whilst 27.7% are single. Following the Civil Partnership Act of 2004, civil partnerships are now included. For Hampshire, they are 0.2% - the same as the South East and England and Wales. The proportion of widowed individuals stands at 7.1%.

Households with Dependent Children

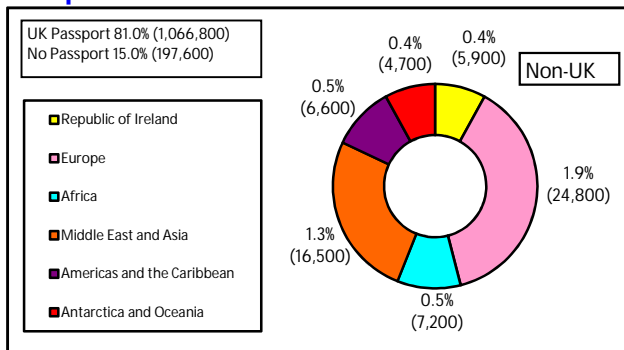


In Hampshire, 159,800 households have dependent children. Of these, 60.7% are married/civil partnership households, 12.8% are cohabiting couples whilst 19.7% are lone parent.

Of these lone parent households with dependent children, 89.4% (27,900) are female headed households. Many of these female lone parents are in part-time employment (40% 11,130).

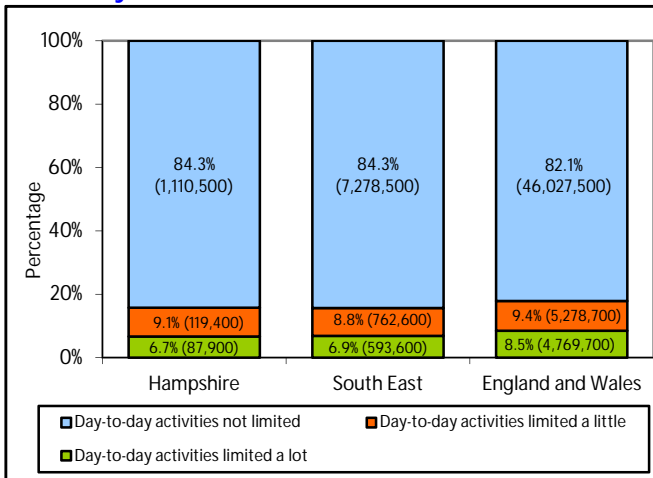
In Hampshire, 2.6% (14,000) of households with dependent children have no adults in employment, whilst 4% (22,000) have one person with a long term health problem or disability.

Passports Held



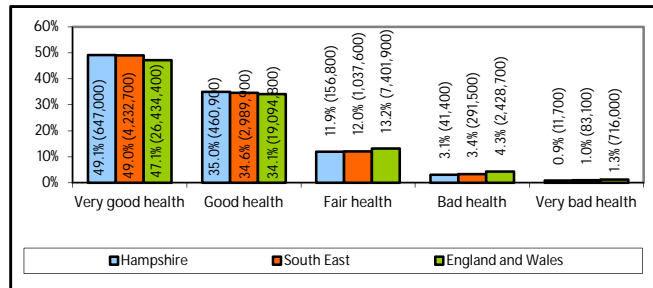
81.0% of people in Hampshire have a British passport whilst 15.0% state they have no passport. Individuals with European passports stand at 1.9% followed closely by those with passports from the Middle East and Asian countries (1.3%).

Disability



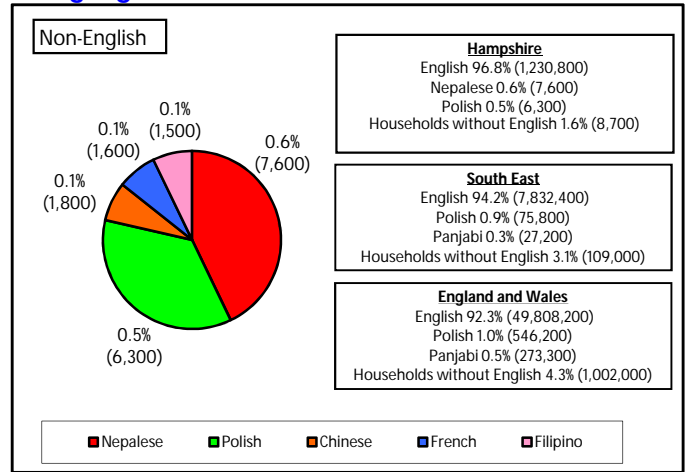
In Hampshire, 84.3% of the population state their daily activities are 'not limited' by a long term illness whilst 9.1% are 'limited a little' and 6.7% are 'limited a lot' by their illness. The proportion of Hampshire's population who are 'limited a lot' is below both the South East and England and Wales.

General Health



Self defined general health in the county is also high with 49.1% of the population choosing to describe themselves as being in very good health with less than 1% seeing themselves as having very bad health. With regards to economic inactivity as a result of long term sickness and disability, Hampshire experiences a low rate of 2.6% compared to the South East (2.9%) and England and Wales (4.2%).

Language



In Hampshire 96.8% of people (aged 3+) state English as their 'main language'. Other than English, Nepalese (0.6%) and Polish (0.5%) are the next most common main languages. In Hampshire 1.6% of all households are shown to contain no individuals with English as a main language.

Notes: 1 - White British includes those describing their ethnicity as English, Welsh,

Scottish, Northern Irish or British.

2 - Marital and Civil Partnership status refers to the population aged 16 and over.

3 - A long term health problem or disability is one that limits a person's day-to-day activities and has lasted, or is expected to last at least 12 months, including problems related to old age.

4 - General health is a self-assessment of a person's general state of health. People were asked whether their health was very good, good, fair, bad or very bad. This is not based on a person's health over any specified period of time.

5 - Language data refers to the population aged over 3 years.

Data for some Protected Characteristics - gender reassignment, sexual orientation, pregnancy and maternity are not included in the 2011 Census.

Source: Data used is from the Office for National Statistics (ONS) 2011 Census

<http://www.hants.gov.uk/census2011>

For more information please contact Hampshire County Council's Demography team.

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