



## 2011 Census town profile: Stotfold & Astwick (best fit)

Best fit means that the boundaries used do not exactly match the Stotfold and Astwick parish boundaries

Total population: 6,950

Households: 2,900

Dwellings: 3,020

Population density: 7.7 people per hectare

Area: 900 hectares

### Age group, all people

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
0-4	450	6.5	6.3	6.3
5-15	880	12.7	13.3	12.6
16-17	150	2.2	2.6	2.5
18-64	4,250	61.2	62.1	62.3
65-84	1,130	16.3	13.8	14.1
85+	100	1.4	1.8	2.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,950</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

### Gender, all people

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
Male	3,410	49.1	49.5	49.2
Female	3,540	50.9	50.5	50.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,950</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

### Ethnic origin, all people

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
White British	6,390	91.9	89.7	79.8
White Other	220	3.2	4.2	5.7
Mixed	110	1.6	1.9	2.2
Asian	160	2.3	2.6	7.7
Black	60	0.9	1.4	3.4
Other	10	0.1	0.3	1.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,950</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

### Country of birth, all people

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
UK	6,530	94.0	92.1	86.2
Ireland	60	0.9	1.0	0.8
EU (pre 2004)	70	1.0	1.4	1.7
EU (acc.)	40	0.6	1.1	2.1
Other	250	3.6	4.4	9.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,950</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

EU (acc.) = accession states, joining EU from 2004

### Marital status, people aged 16+

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
Single	1,470	26.2	29.2	34.6
Married	3,120	55.5	52.5	46.6
Civil partnership	10	0.2	0.1	0.2
Separated / Divorced	660	11.7	11.9	11.7
Widowed	360	6.4	6.3	6.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,630</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

### Religion, all people

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
Christian	4,360	62.7	62.2	59.4
Other religion	160	2.3	2.6	8.7
No religion	1,970	28.3	28.4	24.7
Not stated	460	6.6	6.8	7.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,950</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

### General health, all people

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
Very good health	3,420	49.2	49.1	47.2
Good health	2,500	36.0	35.5	34.2
Fairly good health	790	11.4	11.5	13.1
Bad health	180	2.6	3.0	4.2
Very bad health	50	0.7	0.8	1.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,950</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

### Housing tenure, all households

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
Owned	2,280	78.8	73.3	64.2
Socially rented	330	11.5	13.4	17.7
Private rented	280	9.7	13.2	18.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,900</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

'Owned' includes shared ownership; 'Private rented' includes living rent free.

## Dwelling type, all household spaces

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
Detached	930	30.8	28.2	22.3
Semi-det	1,300	43.0	33.8	30.7
Terraced	500	16.6	25.3	24.5
Flat etc	290	9.6	11.7	22.1
Caravan etc	0	0.0	1.0	0.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,020</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

## Economic activity, all people 16-74

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
<b>Econ active</b>	<b>3,880</b>	<b>75.8</b>	<b>74.7</b>	<b>69.9</b>
Employee - PT	750	14.7	14.0	13.7
Employee - FT	2,270	44.3	43.6	38.6
Self employed	600	11.7	11.0	9.8
Unemployed	140	2.6	3.5	4.4
FT student	130	2.5	2.8	3.4
<b>Econ inactive</b>	<b>1,240</b>	<b>24.2</b>	<b>25.3</b>	<b>30.1</b>
Retired	780	15.2	13.5	13.7
Student	150	2.9	4.2	5.8
Look / home	180	3.5	3.9	4.4
Sick / disabled	80	1.6	2.4	4.0
Other	50	1.0	1.3	2.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,120</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

Econ = Economically; PT = Part time; FT = Full time; Look/home = Looking after home

## Top three industries of employment

	No.	%
1. Wholesale & retail	700	18.8
2. Construction	430	11.5
3. Manufacturing	400	10.7

**Total 16-74 in employ**      **3,730**      **100**

Shows industries for residents, not workers.

## Qualifications, all people 16+

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
No quals	1,070	19.0	19.4	22.5
Level 1 or 2	1,900	33.7	31.9	28.5
Apprenticeship	320	5.7	4.7	3.6
Level 3	650	11.5	12.6	12.4
Level 4+	1,490	26.5	27.3	27.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,630</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

Level 1/2 = GCSE, level 3 = A level, level 4+ = degree. Total includes 'other' qualifications.

## Household composition, all households

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
1 person - pensioner	350	12.1	11.2	12.4
1 person - other	370	12.6	14.7	17.9
Couple - no children	630	21.6	20.5	17.6
Couple + dep children	690	23.9	23.1	19.3
Couple + non dep ch	230	7.8	7.3	6.1
LP + dep children	150	5.2	6.5	7.1
LP + non dep children	90	3.0	3.1	3.5
All aged 65 and over	290	10.0	8.7	8.4
All other households	110	3.8	4.9	7.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,900</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

LP = lone parent; dep = dependent; ch = children; couple includes married and cohabiting

## Amenities and cars, all households

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
Overcrowded*	90	3.1	4.6	8.7
No central heating	50	1.7	1.7	2.7
No car or van	290	10.0	13.2	25.8
2 or more cars or vans	1,520	52.4	46.7	32.0
Total number of cars	4,660	-	-	-
<b>Total households</b>	<b>2,900</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

\* Occupancy rating of -1 (one room too few). Takes account of no. of rooms, and people by relationship, age and gender.

## Socio-economic classification, all people 16-74

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
Managerial / professional	1,880	36.6	35.9	31.3
Intermediate	830	16.3	14.8	12.8
Small employers	620	12.2	10.5	9.4
Lower supervisor/technical	390	7.5	7.2	6.9
Routine & semi-routine	1,040	20.2	21.8	25.0
Never worked	100	2.0	3.1	5.6
Not classified	270	5.3	6.8	9.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,120</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

## Method of travel to work, all people 16-74 in employ

	No.	%	CBC %	Eng %
Work at home	200	5.4	6.0	5.4
Car	2,990	80.2	74.3	62.0
Train	220	6.0	6.4	5.3
Foot	170	4.7	8.1	10.7
Other	140	3.8	5.1	16.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,730</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

Method of longest part, by distance, of journey to work.

Source: Office for National Statistics

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Please note i) Percentages are calculated to one decimal place, ii) Numbers are rounded to the nearest 10

iii) Totals may not sum exactly due to rounding

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