



# Population Bulletin 2005/6



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# Milton Keynes Population Bulletin 2005/2006

## Introduction

The 2005/2006 Milton Keynes Population Bulletin provides a comprehensive update of demographic information for Milton Keynes. It has been updated to incorporate all the information available to date from the 2001 Census and subsequent revisions to the census population estimates.

The 2001 Census count for April 2001 in Milton Keynes was 207,057 people, but the 2001 mid-year estimate of the population of Milton Keynes borough was 212,710. Most of the difference in population was assumed to be in the city area, rather than the rural area. This had the effect of significantly altering the current and projected population of Milton Keynes Borough.

Some data are not available at national level for comparison to local data. These include average household size and 2001-census based labour market projections. Consequently these areas have not been updated. As national comparators become available, local data will be produced. There were expected in Summer 2005, but they have been delayed. It is hoped that they will now be in time to form part of the next population forecast.

This year's projections are based on housing completion forecasts which are different to English Partnerships' and developer forecasts for the City and the proposed Eastern and Western Expansion Areas. This is because lower than forecast completions from 2001 meant that more dwellings had been added to annual targets to 2011. 'Reasonable' levels have been set showing a level of increase to 3,000 per annum by 2008/09. Completion rates are then forecast to remain around this level until 2010/11. Assuming housing levels specified in the MKSM study are achieved, growth will remain in excess of 2,400 dwellings per year until 2031.

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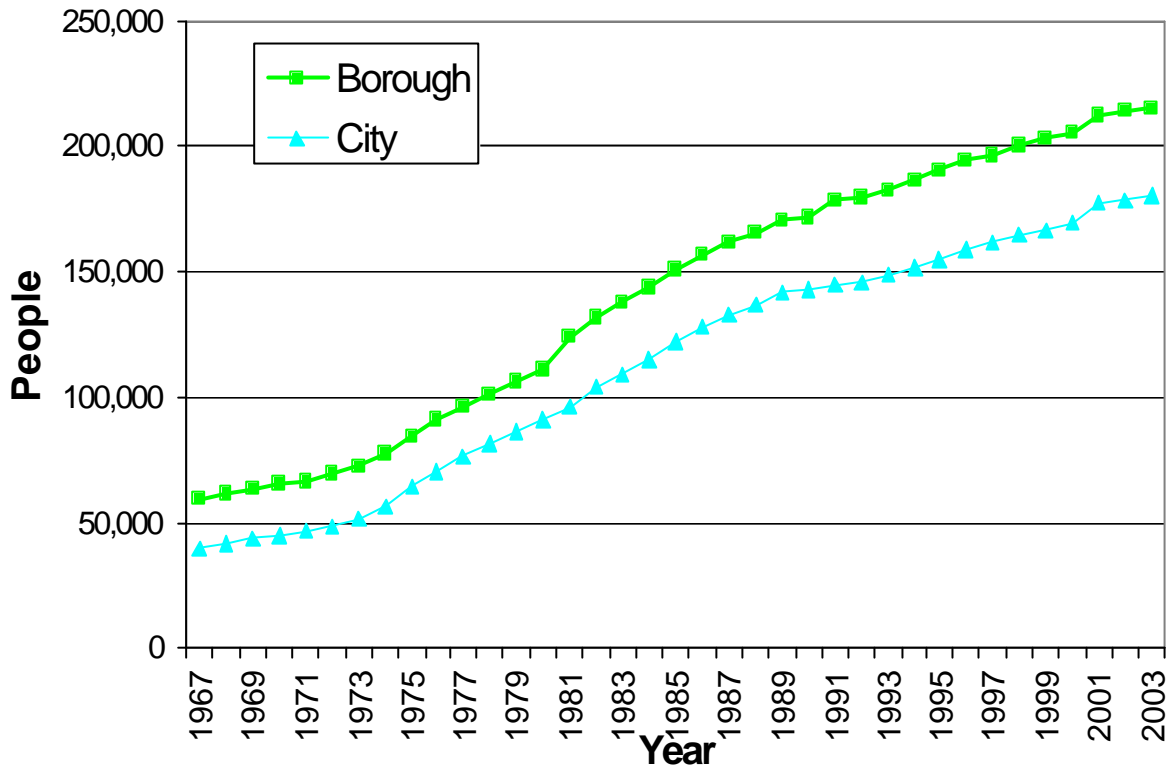


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## Past Population Growth

The Borough of Milton Keynes is one of the fastest growing districts in the country. Between 1981 and 2001, its population increased by 64.4%, whereas the population of England increased by only 5.0% (Source: 1981 and 2001 Censuses - Crown Copyright). Going further back, since the designation of the new town in 1967, the Borough's population is now more than three times (364%) what it was and is currently estimated to be around 218,600 (MKC estimate for June 2005).

### Milton Keynes Past Population Growth



Most of this growth is focused in the new city, which continues to be amongst the fastest growing urban areas in the country. The city's population is now over four times (450%) larger than in 1967 and is currently estimated to be 181,680 (June 2004). The main points to note are:-



In 1967, when Milton Keynes New Town was designated, the area had a mainly rural population of around 40,000.



Despite the fact that the development of Milton Keynes had only just started, the 1971 Census revealed a population of some 46,500 in the city. By the time of the 1981 Census, this had more than doubled to a population of 95,800.



The 1991 Census results showed that the population of Milton Keynes New City had continued to grow at a rate amongst the fastest of all the districts of England and Wales to 144,700 people.



By 2001 the Milton Keynes City area had grown to 177,500 people.

## Past Population Growth

June	Milton Keynes City	Milton Keynes Borough
1967	40,000	60,000
1968	42,000	62,000
1969	43,500	63,500
1970	45,000	65,000
1971 Census	46,500	66,800
1972	49,000	69,300
1973	52,000	72,300
1974	57,000	77,300
1975	64,000	84,300
1976	70,500	90,800
1977	76,000	96,300
1978	81,000	101,300
1979	86,000	106,300
1980	91,000	111,300
1981 Census	95,800	124,300
1982	103,800	132,300
1983	109,500	138,000
1984	115,500	144,000
1985	122,500	151,000
1986	128,400	156,900
1987	133,000	161,500
1988	137,300	165,800
1989	141,800	170,300
1990	143,250	171,750
1991 Census *	144,700	178,270
1992	145,800	179,670
1993	148,570	182,750
1994	151,420	186,390
1995	155,050	190,430
1996	158,590	194,310
1997	161,730	196,920
1998	164,260	200,010
1999	166,980	202,920
2000	169,370	205,370
2001 Census**	177,500	212,710
2002	179,041	214,140
2003	180,597	215,710

Sources: 1971, 1981, 1991 and 2001 Censuses and output from the Milton Keynes Population Projection Model

Notes: \* 1991 Census figures allow for the Census Validation Survey  
 \*\* 2001 revised mid year estimate figures for the Borough have been split on the basis of dwellings to give an estimate of the city's population

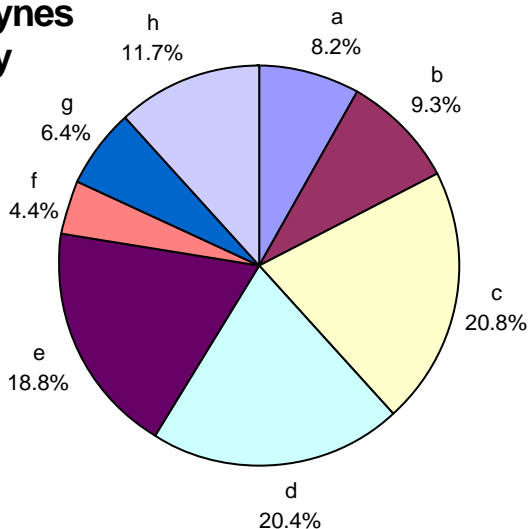
Figures for non-census years in the Borough have been interpolated from published mid-year estimates.

# Household Composition

The 2001 Census gives information on household composition in Milton Keynes. In the new city, the number of families with two or more adults and dependent children decreased by about 5% compared with 1991, whereas single parent families showed an increase of 2.6%, so that it is now above the national average of 6.5%.

Single person households have risen between 1991-2001, making up around 27% of all household types in the Borough. Of these, almost 10% contain a single elderly person.

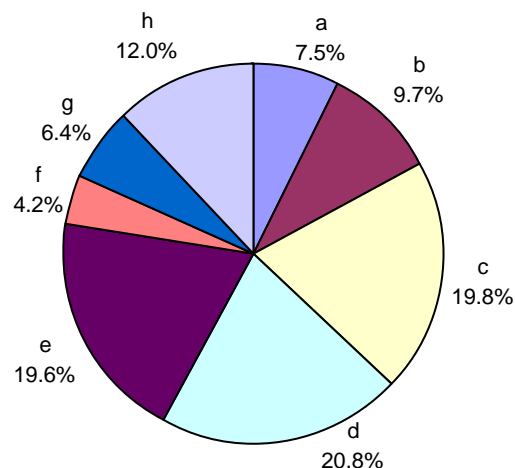
## Milton Keynes City



### Key Category

- a Single adult with dependent children
- b 1 Adult Pensionable Age No Dependent Children
- c 1 Adult Under Pensionable Age No Dependent Children
- d Married Couple With Dependent Children
- e Married Couple Without Dependent Children
- f Co-habiting Couple With Dependent Children
- g Co-habiting Couple Without Dependent Children
- h Other Household

## Milton Keynes Borough

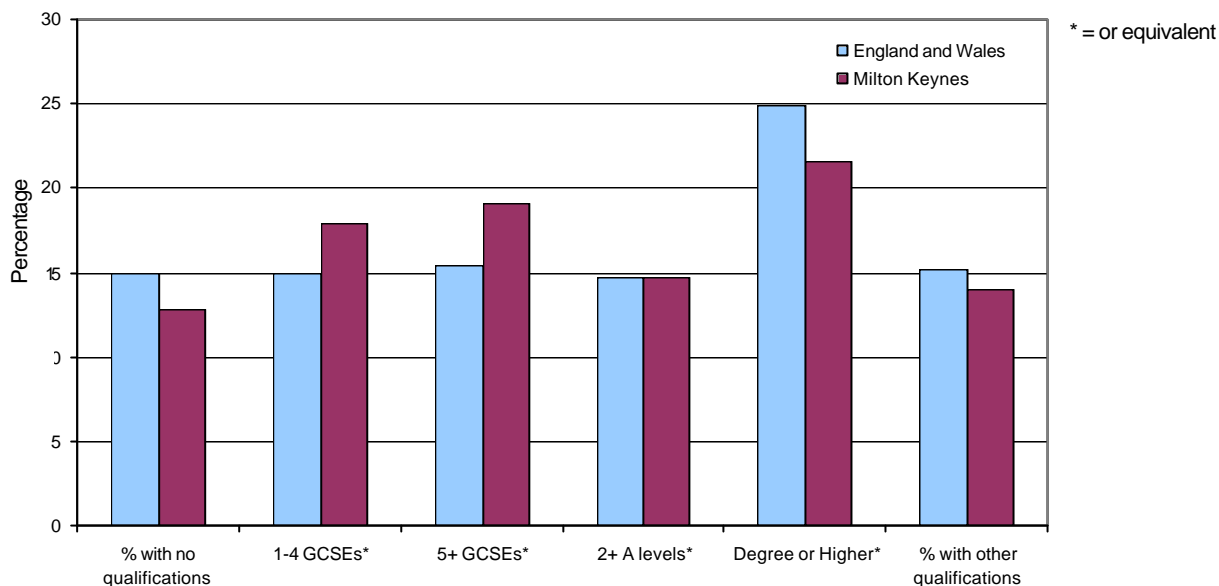


## Household Composition

	City		Borough	
	1991	2001	1991	2001
<b>Households with dependent children:</b>				
Percentage				
Two or more adults	32.2	27.1	32.5	27.2
Single adults	5.6	8.2	5.0	7.5
<b>Single adult households without dependent children:</b>				
Pensionable Age or over	9.7	9.3	10.0	9.7
Under pensionable age	14.3	20.8	13.6	19.8
<b>Two or more adults without children:</b>				
Pensionable Age or over	11.7	5.7	12.2	6.3
Under pensionable age	26.5	28.9	26.7	29.4
	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>
Number of Occupied Households	54,709	69,290	67,205	83,361

# Socio-Economic Profile, Health, and Qualifications

## Qualifications - Milton Keynes and England and Wales 2003



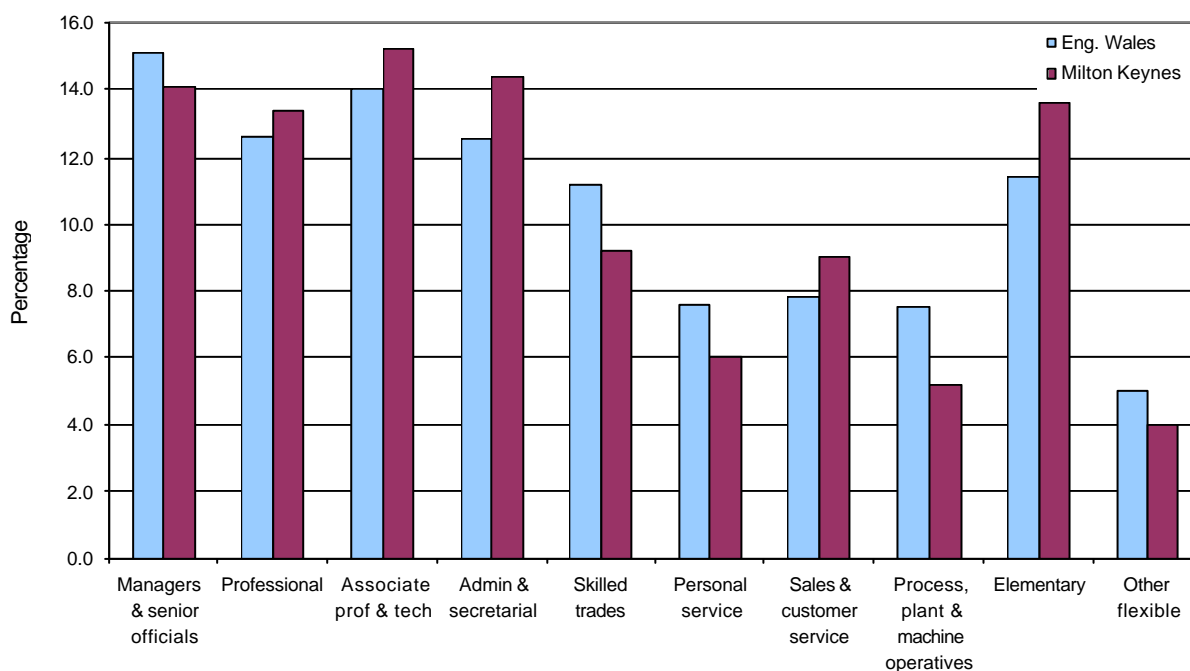
(Source: Labour Force Survey 2003)

## Health - Milton Keynes and England and Wales 2001

	People with limiting long-term illness		Percentage of People Whose Health Was:		
	All People	Working age Population	Good	Fairly good	Not good
Milton Keynes	14.1	7.3	72.5	20.4	7.1
England and Wales	18.2	8.3	68.6	22.2	9.2

(Source: 2001 Census)

## Occupations\* - Milton Keynes and England and Wales 2004/5



(Source: Annual Population Survey 2004/5. \* % of those in Employment)

# Minority Ethnic Groups in Milton Keynes

The 2001 Census information on ethnicity in Milton Keynes Borough suggested that around 13.2% of the population are from a black and minority ethnic group. In addition 9.3% of the population in 2001 classified themselves as being non-white, this compares to 9.1% in England as a whole.

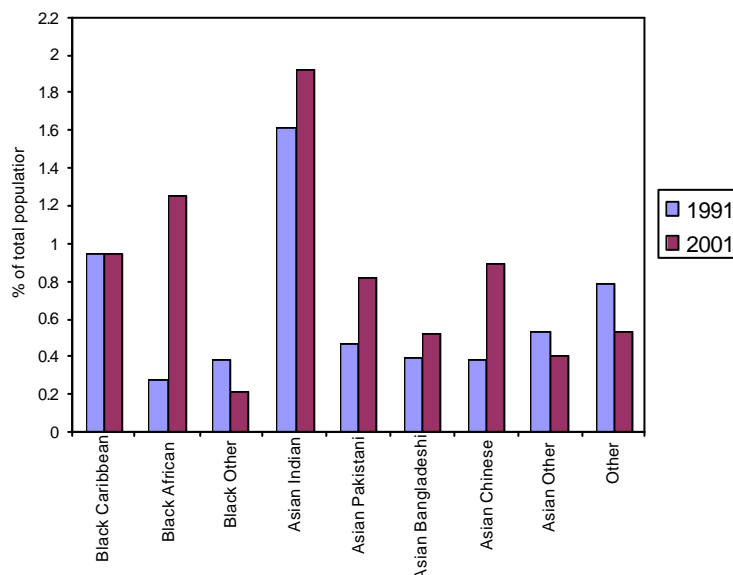
Ethnic Composition Milton Keynes 2001			
		Persons	%
White	British	179,694	86.8
	Irish	2,918	1.4
	Other White	5,240	2.5
Mixed Ethnicity		3,716	1.8
Asian or Asian British	Indian	3,967	1.9
	Pakistani	1,682	0.8
	Bangladeshi	1,072	0.5
	Other Asian	850	0.4
Black or Black British	Caribbean	1,956	0.9
	African	2,596	1.3
	Other Black	434	0.2
Chinese or other ethnic group	Chinese	1,835	0.9
	Other ethnic group	1097	0.5
<b>Total</b>		<b>207,057</b>	<b>100</b>

Asian groups are the biggest minority ethnic group with a total of 7,571 people (3.7%). Over 50% of the Asian group are Indian who make up 1.9% of the total Milton Keynes population. Black or Black British ethnic groups account for 2.4% of Milton Keynes population of which Black African is the largest group.

There are 1,835 Chinese in Milton Keynes accounting for 0.9% of the population, this is relatively high compared to the England figure of 0.45%. The Mixed ethnic group is a new classification added to the 2001 census. The figures indicate that 1.8% of Milton Keynes' population classify themselves as mixed. White and Black Caribbean is the largest group within Mixed, accounting for 0.7% of the population.

The Census is carried out every 10 years therefore it enables comparison of the ethnic make up through time. The proportion of minority ethnic groups in Milton Keynes rose from 5.8% in 1991 to 9.3% in 2001. As the graph below shows the growth in minority ethnic group was not spread evenly.

**Black and Minority Ethnic Population 1991 and 2001**





The largest percentage increase was within the Black African ethnic group. This rose from 499 (0.28%) to 2596 (1.25%) between 1991 and 2001. A high increase was also observed in the number of Chinese, which has increased to 1,835 or 0.89%. The Asian Indian ethnic group has also continued to grow within MK. In 1991 it was the largest minority ethnic group in MK with 2,861 and has grown to 3,967, which is 40% higher than in 1991.

The 2001 census created a new ethnic category 'Mixed' which was not in the 1991 census. Therefore the rise in ethnic minority groups may partly be as a result of the addition of this category. In addition this may account for the decrease in 'Black other', and 'other' categories.

Anecdotal evidence has suggested that some Milton Keynes estates house particular minority ethnic communities, and the data can confirm this but also shows the following estates having a much greater ethnic diversity than previously known.

### The Ten Estates with the Largest Black and Minority Ethnic Population in Milton Keynes

	Total BME	Mixed	Indian	Pakistani	Bangladeshi	Other Asian	Black Caribbean	Black African	Other Black	Chinese	Other Ethnic Group
Granby	26.8	3.8	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	18.5	1.4	0.0	0.0
Central Milton Keynes	26.7	3.5	4.6	0.8	0.2	0.7	2.9	9.4	0.3	3.4	0.9
Loughton Lodge	20.2	3.9	3.3	2.4	0.0	2.7	0.9	1.2	0.0	2.7	3.3
Fishermead	20.1	4.1	2.2	1.0	1.0	0.7	2.5	5.2	0.8	2.0	0.6
Kents Hill	19.7	3.4	3.5	1.2	0.4	0.7	0.7	1.5	0.1	5.1	2.9
Conniburrow	18.2	3.9	1.8	1.2	0.4	0.6	1.8	6.1	0.4	1.1	0.8
Central Bletchley	18.1	1.4	1.4	0.4	11.4	0.4	1.0	0.9	0.1	0.6	0.6
Oldbrook	17.1	2.5	3.8	1.0	0.5	1.0	2.3	2.6	0.4	2.1	0.8
Springfield	15.7	2.8	4.9	3.7	0.0	0.6	1.1	1.3	0.4	0.6	0.3
Willen Park	15.6	1.6	5.5	2.1	0.0	1.4	0.9	0.1	0.1	1.7	2.2

### Ethnicity and Age in Milton Keynes

The January 2005 Pupil Level Annual Schools Census (PLASC) data has been used to reveal the following. Overall in Milton Keynes, Black and Minority Ethnic groups represent about 20.7% of Pupils. This compares with the 2004 PLASC findings of 19% of the total MK population in Black and Minority Ethnic groups.

According to the PLASC data, there is a higher than average proportion of minority ethnic groups in Nursery and Reception years, accounting for 25.5% of all pupils. Of those of Primary School age 22% come from minority ethnic groups, and 17.5% of those of Secondary school age come from minority ethnic groups.

In the sixth forms there are higher percentages (22%) of black and minority ethnic groups than in compulsory secondary education (17.5%).

Ethnic Group	Pupils	%
White British	28,227	77.7
White Other	1,159	3.2
Mixed	1,514	4.2
Asian: Indian	788	2.2
Asian: Pakistani	656	1.8
Asian: Bangladeshi	469	1.3
Asian: Other	349	1.0
Black African	1,430	3.9
Black Caribbean	273	0.8
Black Other	266	0.7
Chinese	304	0.8
Any Other Group	299	0.8
Refused/Unknown	607	1.7
<b>Total Pupils</b>	<b>36,341</b>	<b>100</b>

The Mixed Group of pupils includes Mixed White & Asian (163), Mixed White & Black (685), and Mixed Other (651).

The Black African Group is now the largest minority ethnic group (apart from the combined Mixed group) accounting for 3.9% of Pupils. This is followed by the White other group (3.2%).

Indian pupils make up the largest population in the Asian ethnic group with 788 pupils forming 2.2% of the pupil population in Milton Keynes. Pakistanis make up 1.8% of the pupil population and Bangladeshi's 1.3%.

Chinese pupils form just 0.8% of the Milton Keynes pupil population, this is similar to proportions by Black Caribbean pupils (0.8%), Asian Other (1%), Black Other (0.7%) and Other (0.8%).

# Estimated Tenure in Milton Keynes April 2005

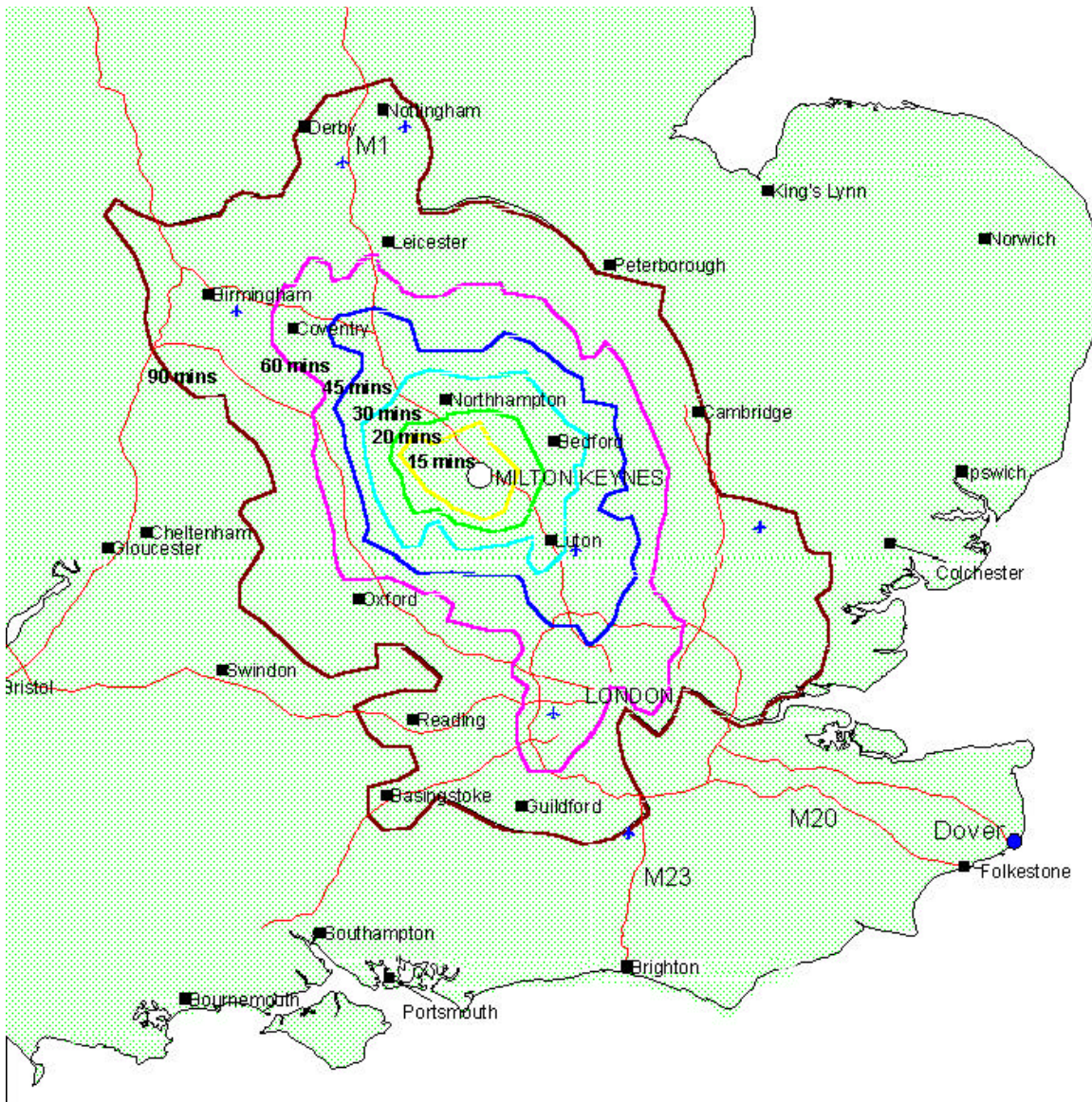
Tenure	Owner Occupied*	Register Social Landlord			Milton Keynes Council		Total Stock
		Rented	Shared Ownership	Reduced Cost Sale	Rented	Shared Ownership	
Astwood	72	0	0	0	3	0	75
Bancroft/Bancroft Park	498	0	10	0	0	38	546
Beanhill	224	40	36	0	509	2	811
Blakelands	301	0	21	0	0	65	387
Bletchley	10963	215	210	0	3313	3	14704
BlueBridge	276	0	0	0	0	1	277
Bolbeck Park	248	8	2	0	65	67	390
Bow Brickhill	217	0	0	0	16	0	233
Bradville	1138	62	42	0	315	8	1565
Bradwell	895	16	44	0	193	68	1216
Bradwell Abbey	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Bradwell Common	889	89	54	0	134	84	1250
Broughton	141	72	48	0	0	0	261
Browns Wood	401	115	71	0	0	0	587
Caldecotte	421	25	30	0	1	0	477
Calverton	99	3	0	0	0	0	102
Campbell Park	227	44	36	0	0	0	307
Castlethorpe	352	12	35	0	30	0	429
Central Milton Keynes	549	164	1	0	170	1	885
Chicheley	42	0	0	0	9	0	51
Clifton Reynes	54	0	0	0	0	0	54
Coffee Hall	322	246	3	0	356	2	929
Cold Brayfield	42	0	0	0	0	0	42
Conniburrow	816	153	2	0	317	9	1297
Crownhill	637	211	111	0	14	69	1042
Downhead Park	491	0	15	0	36	65	607
Downs Barn	663	67	22	0	177	25	954
Eaglestone	654	106	0	0	167	17	944
Emberton/Petsoe End	241	1	0	0	29	0	271
Emerson Valley	1491	248	208	0	44	81	2072
Fishermead	862	241	22	0	483	16	1624
Fullers Slade	283	11	0	0	312	1	607
Furzton	1613	311	273	0	65	114	2376
Gayhurst	57	0	0	0	0	0	57
Giffard Park	665	2	41	0	0	106	814
Grange Farm	268	111	79	17	0	0	475
Great Holm	947	13	2	0	44	199	1205
Great Linford	1128	107	6	0	296	2	1539
Greenleys	498	51	27	0	258	13	847
Hanslope and Long Street	869	14	1	0	93	0	977
Hardmead	24	0	0	0	6	0	30
Haversham/Little Linford	319	8	0	0	3	0	330
Heelands	943	164	25	0	225	48	1405
Hodge Lea	237	75	2	0	169	16	499
Kents Hill	731	153	157	0	0	0	1041
Kiln Farm	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Kingsmead	384	0	3	0	0	0	387
Lathbury	49	0	0	0	0	0	49
Lavendon	485	19	0	0	28	0	532

Tenure	Owner Occupied*	Register Social Landlord			Milton Keynes Council		Total Stock
		Rented	Shared Ownership	Reduced Cost Sale	Rented	Shared Ownership	
Leadenhall	72	112	77	10	0	10	281
Little Brickhill	139	8	0	0	29	0	176
Loughton	934	121	55	0	56	35	1201
Loughton Lodge	36	0	0	0	0	0	36
Medbourne	288	8	64	0	0	0	360
Milton Keynes Village/Middleton	812	87	55	0	14	0	968
Monkston	1091	248	98	0	0	0	1437
Monkston Park	78	0	0	0	0	0	78
Moulsoe	74	11	0	0	17	0	102
Neath Hill	556	36	4	0	168	2	766
Netherfield	311	116	0	0	716	0	1143
New Bradwell	893	92	0	0	299	0	1284
Newport Pagnell	5761	76	21	0	317	0	6175
Newton Blossomville	87	0	0	0	9	0	96
North Crawley	299	0	0	0	20	0	319
Oakhill	72	0	0	0	0	0	72
Old Farm Park	529	192	82	0	0	0	803
Oldbrook	1434	314	95	0	168	125	2136
Olney	2417	41	3	0	156	0	2617
Peartree Bridge	246	91	42	0	41	0	420
Pennyland	297	13	0	0	93	4	407
Ravenstone	87	0	0	0	5	0	92
Shenley Brook End	897	280	36	0	7	0	1220
Shenley Church End	1074	135	181	0	35	31	1456
Shenley Lodge	724	311	169	0	45	63	1312
Sherington	340	0	1	0	44	0	385
Simpson	240	35	1	0	25	0	301
Springfield	720	43	4	0	192	3	962
Stacey Bushes	225	149	0	0	272	0	646
Stantonbury/Stantonbury Fields	1046	158	0	0	264	0	1468
Stoke Goldington	225	0	0	0	29	0	254
Stony Stratford**	2464	7	1	0	288	1	2761
Tattenhoe	1148	122	113	70	0	0	1453
Tinkers Bridge	241	14	0	0	155	0	410
Two Mile Ash	1418	1	128	0	43	226	1816
Tyringham and Filgrave	89	0	0	0	2	0	91
Walnut Tree	1149	177	408	0	0	0	1734
Walton/Walton Hall & Park	210	0	48	0	0	0	258
Warrington	14	0	0	0	0	0	14
Wavendon/Cross End + Lower End	302	9	13	0	32	0	356
Wavendon Gate	676	152	125	0	0	0	953
Westcroft	364	135	14	0	41	0	554
Western Expansion Area/SCE Parish	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Weston Underwood	98	0	0	0	2	0	100
Willen	503	2	50	0	22	31	608
Willen Park	233	1	34	0	10	32	310
Woburn Sands	955	0	9	0	80	0	1044
Wolverton / Old Wolverton	2316	34	2	0	322	1	2675
Woolstone	329	0	5	0	3	16	353
Woughton Park	73	0	1	0	0	0	74
Woughton-on-the-Green	162	59	3	0	11	8	243
<b>Milton Keynes</b>	<b>68477</b>	<b>6567</b>	<b>3581</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>11912</b>	<b>1708</b>	<b>92342</b>

\* Includes Private Rented

\*\* Includes Galley Hill

# Drive Times From Milton Keynes



Drive Time	Population mid-2004
15 minutes	258,750
20 minutes	468,761
30 minutes	1,014,893
45 minutes	1,735,835
60 minutes	7,444,700
90 minutes	17,673,900

These population figures are approximate because they use the Registrar General's mid-2004 population estimates for districts, and minimal account is taken of fractions of districts included in the isochrones.

# Projections to 2011

These population projections are not based on the agreed forecasts of housing completions in the Borough up to 2011 because these were believed to be unrealistic. This was because shortfalls in previous years housing completions forecasts had been added to future years totals.

Instead, realistic annual completions were estimated. To translate this into individual sites, all developments of 10 or fewer dwellings were expected to complete on time. All other forecasts were apportioned down to meet the annual total. Dwellings which were not expected to be completed under this methodology were carried forwards to the following year, when the same methodology was applied again. Thus the development rates for different areas are approximate and will be subject to change. It is hoped that revised, realistic completion estimates will be agreed sometime in 2006, which will then feed in to the next population forecasts. It is hoped that these will be published in less than one year's time. At the moment these are the agreed population forecasts to 2011 for the expanded city and the East and West flanks, which include the eastern and western expansion areas.

East Flank: - Broughton & Atterbury, Middleton/Milton Keynes Village, Monkston, Monkston Park, Oakgrove, Eastern Expansion Area.

West Flank: - Crownhill, Emerson Valley, Furzton, Grange Farm, Kingsmead, Medbourne, Oakhill, Oxley Park, Shenley Brook End, Shenley Church End, Shenley Lodge, Tattenhoe, Tattenhoe Park, Westcroft, Western Expansion Area.

The population projections were produced by the Milton Keynes Population Model November 2005 using PopGroup and HouseGroup forecasting software. They are shown in detail on pages 20 to 25.

# Future Population Growth

The high rate of population growth experienced up to now in Milton Keynes is expected to continue. Between 2005 and 2011, over 16,000 houses are anticipated to be built in the Borough, allowing for a projected growth in population of around 28,800 people, though clearly the rate and timing of development is dependent on future housing market conditions. See page 19 for anticipated housing growth 2005-2011 plus post 2011 under the Milton Keynes & South Midlands growth strategy. Also, see pages 20-21 for estate/settlement projections, and pages 22 and 23 for the parish and ward figures to 2011.



The population of the Borough of Milton Keynes is expected to increase by 28,820 people, to 247,480 by the year 2011, an increase of 13%.

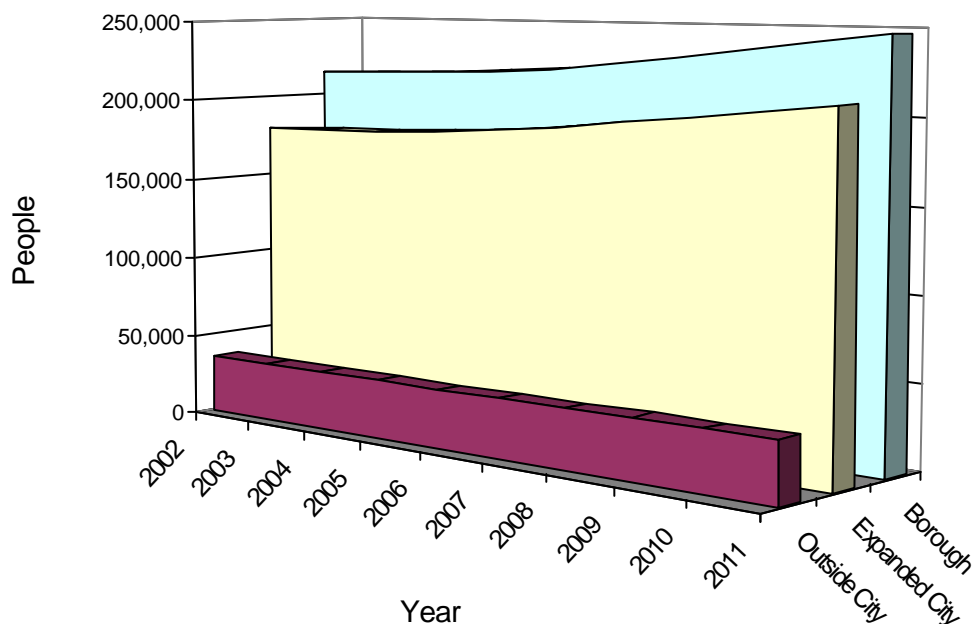


The majority of the growth will occur in the expanded city, which will reach a population of 210,510 by 2011.

## Future Population Growth (figures to nearest 10)

End of June	Milton Keynes Expanded City	Outside city	Milton Keynes Borough	East Flank	West Flank
2001	177,500	35,200	212,710	3,180	23,940
2002	179,040	35,110	214,140	4,080	24,920
2003	180,600	35,140	215,710	4,830	25,920
2004	181,690	35,140	216,850	5,890	29,140
2005	183,310	35,340	218,660	5,770	30,120
2006	186,140	35,510	221,650	6,470	31,250
2007	190,330	35,870	226,200	6,880	31,990
2008	195,050	36,240	231,290	7,240	32,920
2009	200,130	36,680	236,810	7,760	34,410
2010	205,250	36,930	242,180	8,220	36,260
2011	210,510	36,970	247,480	8,740	38,500

Details of the ages, in 5-year age groups, by male, female and total, are given for the future populations of the Borough on pages 24-25.



Source: Milton Keynes Population Model November 2005

# Components of Growth

The two components of population growth are natural growth and net migration:

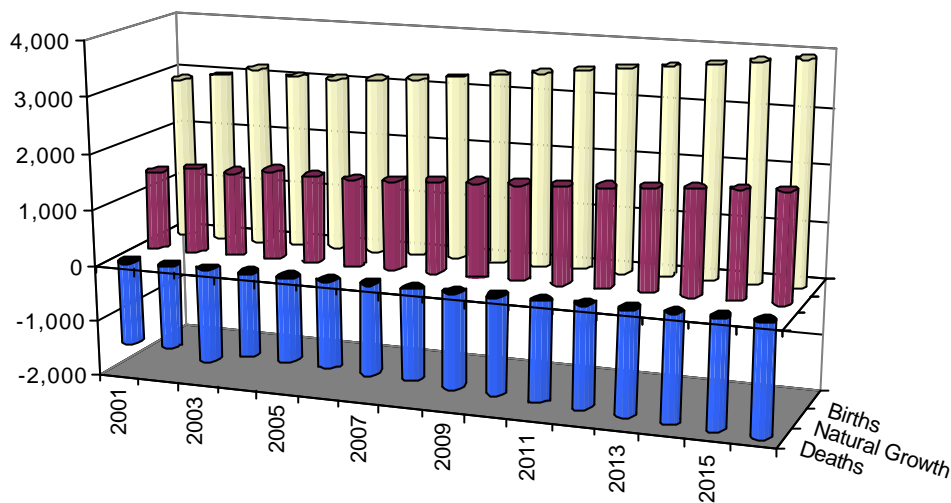
**natural growth = total number of births less total number of deaths**

**net migration = total newcomers less total leavers**

## Natural Growth

The 2001 census population estimates for Milton Keynes Council area indicate that the growth seen between 1991 and 2001 was at least 28,800 people, a growth rate of 17%. Milton Keynes was the fastest growth area in the South East, and one of the fastest growing in England & Wales, a situation which is forecast to continue

**Borough Growth**

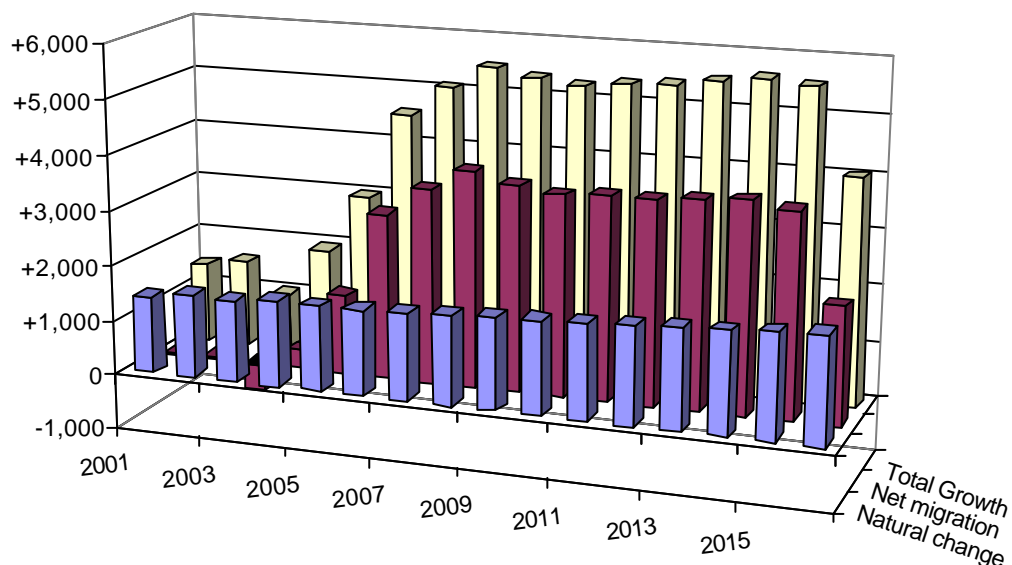


Source: Milton Keynes Population Model November 2005

## Net Migration

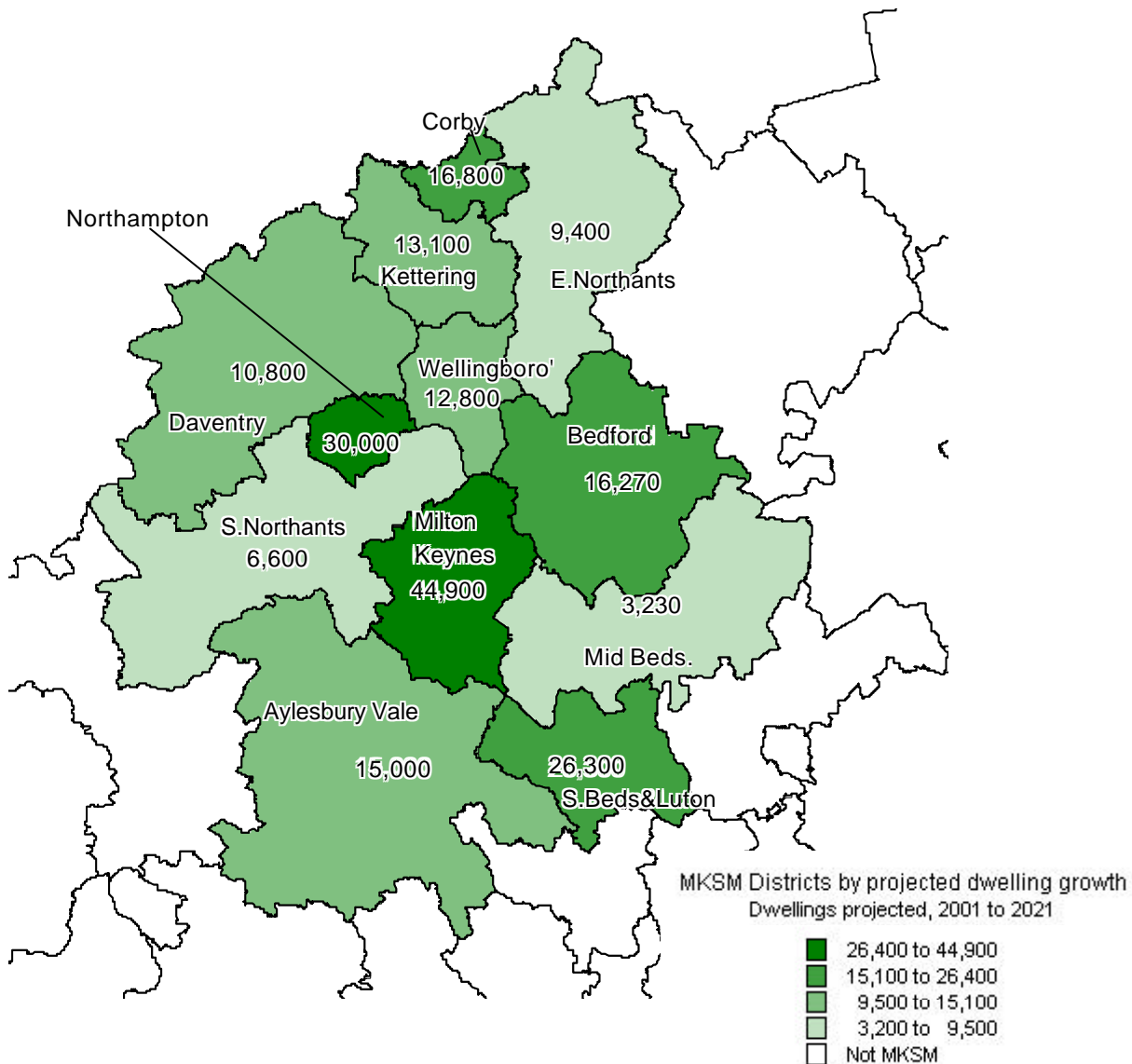
According to the population estimates, the growth of Milton Keynes is due to the number of newcomers to the Borough being considerably greater than the number of leavers, resulting in net in-migration. This is combined with high Natural Growth. Net migration is set to accelerate as the housebuilding programme accelerates. It is forecast to continue beyond 2016, with an average net inward migration in excess of 2,400 people annually into the Borough.

**Natural Growth + Net Migration = Total Growth**



Source: Milton Keynes Population Model November 2005

## Growth in the MKSM study area



### Growth to 2031:

These projections illustrate the aging that will be expected to occur in the population between 2001 and 2031. This will occur independently of the growth. However, large numbers of younger in-migrants may help to offset the impact of this. Even with high numbers of in-migrants, the population is expected to change such that over 22% of the population will be aged 60 plus by 2031. This compares to around 14% in 2001.

Age Group	2001	2006	2011	2016	2021	2026	2031
0-4	14,352	15,384	17,317	19,347	20,515	21,133	20,690
5-16	36,723	35,496	37,634	41,691	45,979	49,695	52,190
17-24	21,548	22,399	24,532	24,572	24,284	27,307	29,685
25-34	35,386	33,266	38,556	44,250	44,606	43,107	43,867
35-59	75,660	81,888	88,059	96,072	103,987	112,387	118,272
60+	29,038	33,214	41,380	49,061	56,606	65,523	75,006
<b>Total</b>	<b>212,707</b>	<b>221,647</b>	<b>247,478</b>	<b>274,993</b>	<b>295,977</b>	<b>319,152</b>	<b>339,709</b>



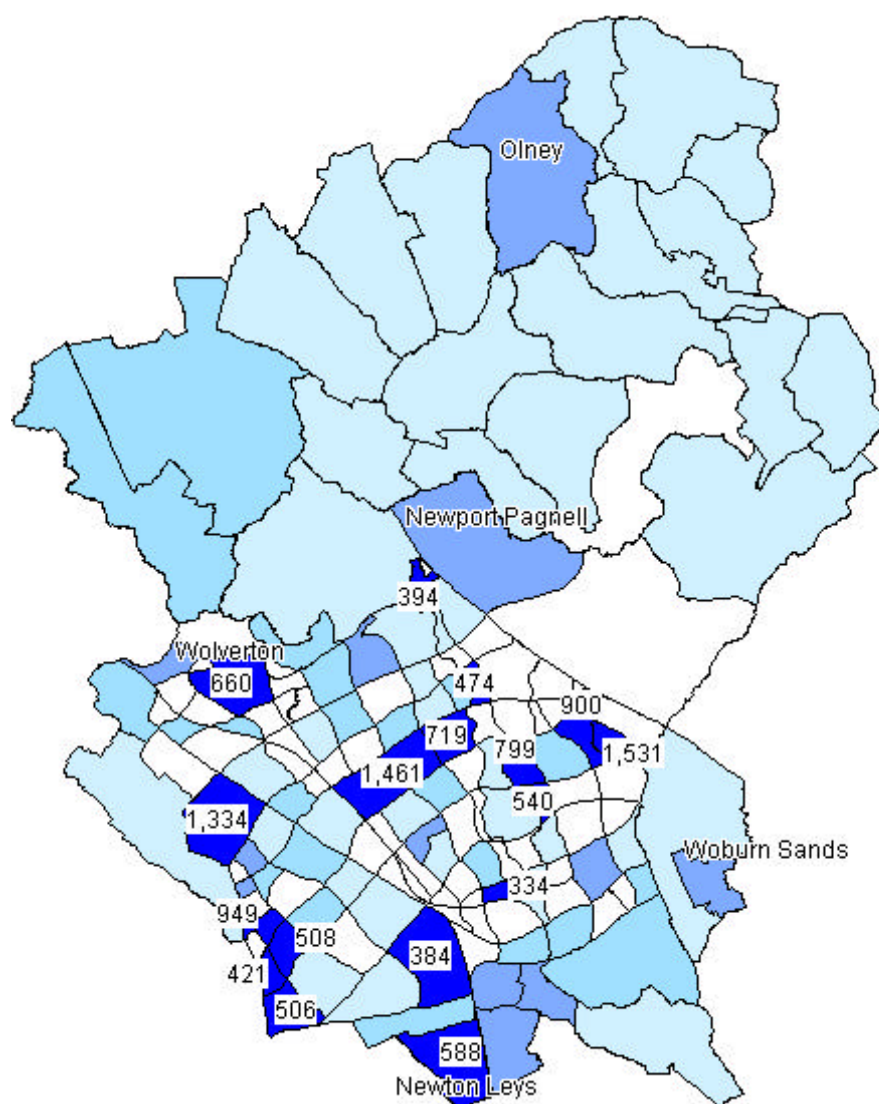
The top map indicates levels of dwellings that the MKSM study has indicated should be built in each Local Authority between 2001 and 2021. Some of these were already planned, in each Local Plan. This shows Milton Keynes at the heart of the growth area. As Milton Keynes has a history of dealing with rapid growth, Milton Keynes is the target location for the highest growth. Tentative projections of the level of population growth this is likely to mean are given below the map for Milton Keynes. However, the certainty and confidence associated with the projections must be assumed to become less with increasing time.

The map below shows the areas in the city where the largest numbers of dwellings are planned from 2005. The numbers are the adjusted totals that were used in the production of the population forecast, although they may not tally with newly agreed forecasts there are shown as indicative. Most of the planned expansion will occur in the City area, which will form a focus. Some of the areas where growth was already planned will now see higher density settlements.

Changes in the planned programme of expansion mean that work is unlikely to commence in the Western and Eastern expansion areas until 2007. Areas where growth is likely to commence within the city include the east of Milton Keynes around Monkston, Monkston Park, Broughton and Atterbury, Middleton/Milton Keynes Village; and the South-Western part of the city, including Tattenhoe, Kingsmead, Oxley Park, Grange Farm, Westcroft and Medbourne. Development will gather pace in Bletchley, particularly in the Newton Leys development, from 2007.

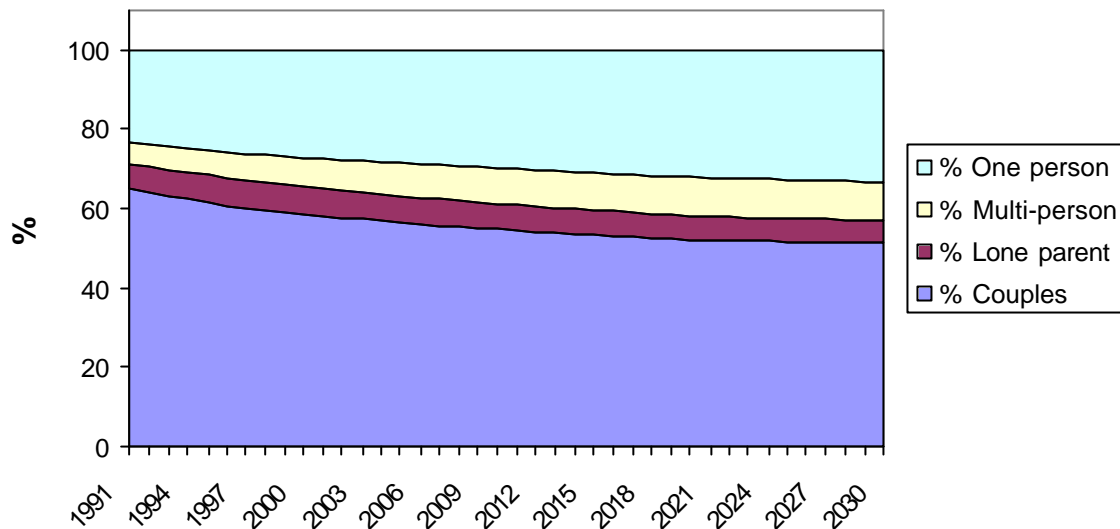
In the rest of the borough the main settlements of Newport Pagnell and Olney will also see fairly substantial growth over the same period.

### Dwellings forecast to 2011



# Households and Household Size

## Differences in projected household types over time



Nationally, average household size has fallen from **2.90** persons in 1971 to around **2.32** persons in 2002 for **England**. The decline since the 1970s can be largely attributed to an increase in the number of single person households, itself a result of divorce/separation, the greater economic independence of people enabling them to live alone, as well as an increase in the elderly population and a nationally declining birth rate.

The reduction in household size is set to continue, both nationally and in Milton Keynes. It is notable that the number of single-person households is set to rise dramatically, accounting for much of the fall in average size. In 1991 only 24% of households in Milton Keynes comprised a single person. By 2001 28% of households were single-person, and this trend is set to continue into the future. By 2027 it is forecast that 33% of all households in Milton Keynes will contain a single person. This is more marked in the rural area, where over 35% of households are expected to be single person. Using these forecasts, the average household size in Milton Keynes is expected to fall to just 2.1 in 2030. This can be understood by looking at the change in household types which has been observed since 1991, and is projected to continue into the future. However changes in the type of property types built, or if a new university is situated in Milton Keynes, may alter the projected household types. Updated data on future projections are expected from the Office of the Deputy Prime Minister, and will be incorporated into the next Population Bulletin.

## Growth in Households

Households are derived from dwellings by taking into account vacancy and sharing rates. The current number of households in the borough is estimated at 93,300 and this is expected to increase by some 17,255 households, or 18% by 2011. This is a result of a continuing stream of net inward migration resulting from the accelerated housebuilding programme together with a slight reduction in average household size and a reduction in the number of vacant properties. If the growth specified in the Milton Keynes & South Midlands study takes place the number of households is expected to increase to around 125,000 by 2016. This is an increase of 31,700 households from 2004 or 34%.

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Rural	17,553	17,770	18,079	18,468	18,905	19,365	19,831	20,285	20,713	21,127	21,533	21,938	22,327
Urban	75,818	76,960	78,562	80,630	82,936	85,397	87,876	90,341	92,822	95,312	97,811	100,303	102,818
Borough	93,371	94,730	96,640	99,098	101,842	104,761	107,707	110,626	113,535	116,439	119,344	122,240	125,145

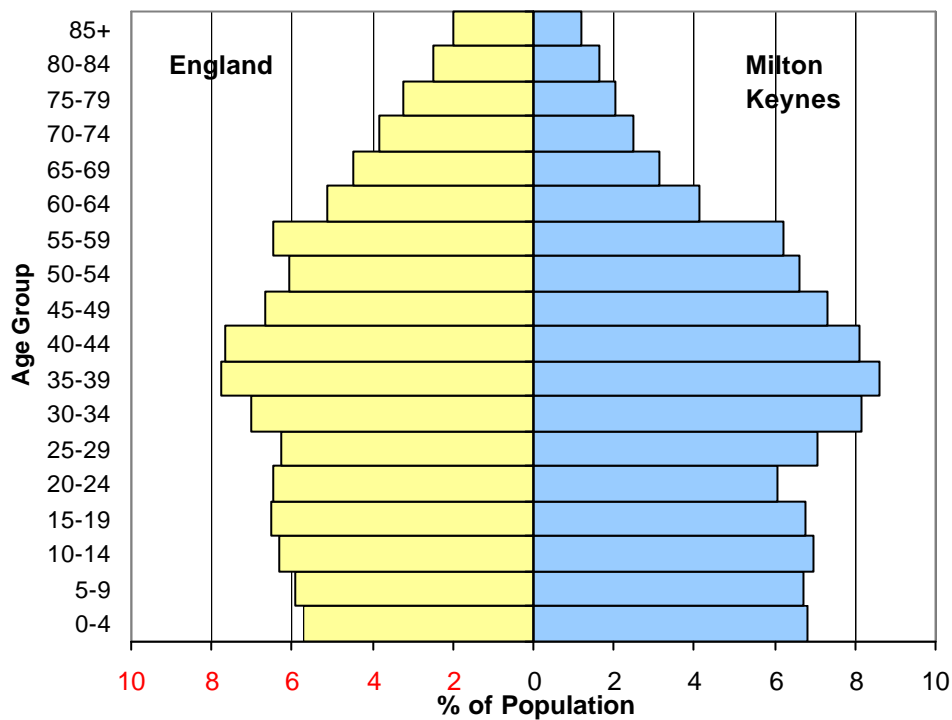
Source: Milton Keynes Population Model November 2005

# Age Structure

The charts below show the age structure of the population of Milton Keynes Borough in 2004 and 2011 compared with England. The borough's population age profile is younger than that for England as a whole, with half of the borough's population aged under 35 years old (the median age). Nationally, half of the population is aged less than 38. The 30-44 year olds in Milton Keynes Borough can be seen as the largest proportion of the population.

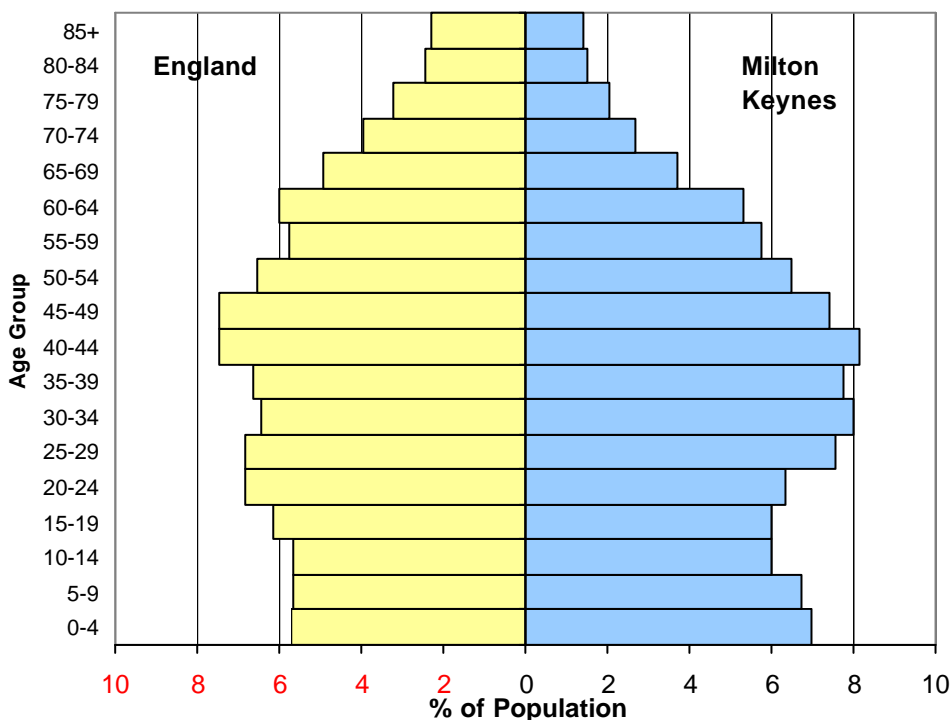
By 2011, the borough's population will have changed. The median age will be around 36 years because of migration and births to current residents. The age profile will still be younger than for England, which will have a corresponding value of about 40 years for the median. The 40-44 age will be the single largest age band in the Borough. The number of 50-54 year olds will have seen a large increase in the Borough, and the number of over 60 year olds will experience a very large jump. There will also be a peak in the 25-29 year olds, and a larger 0-4 age group.

## 2005



Sources: Government Actuary's 2004-based population projections for England, Milton Keynes Population Model 2005

## 2011



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# Age Groups in the BOROUGH

The graph below illustrates the changes expected up to 2011 for specific age groups in **Milton Keynes Borough**. Changes compared with national trends are highlighted below, to 2011 and in the longer term to 2031. Long-term forecasts are more speculative however and rely on a number of assumptions.

## Early Years, 0 to 4 Years Old



The **Borough's** number of children in their early years is expected to increase from 14,860 in 2005 to 17,320 in the year 2011, an increase of 39%. In contrast, the national 2004-based projections show a 2% increase between now and 2011 for the 0 to 4 year olds. Initial estimates to 2031 show a 5% increase in this age group nationally from 2005, compared to an increase of 39% in Milton Keynes.

## School Age Population



There will be a 5% increase in the number of children aged 5 to 16 in the **Borough** between 2005 and 2011, climbing to 37,020 in 2011. In contrast, the figures for England show a 5% drop over the same period. Between 2005 and 2031 nationally this fall will be 1%, compared to a 46% increase in the age group in Milton Keynes

## Young Adults, 17 to 24 Years Old



The young adults in the **Borough** are expected to increase in number from 22,049 in 2005 to 24,532 in 2011, an increase of 11%. This percentage increase is much larger than that expected in England as a whole, of 6%. Between 2005 and 2031 national projections anticipate this age group contracting by 2%. Milton Keynes goes against the national trend with a forecast increase of 35%.

## Adults, 25 to 34 Years Old



The number of people aged 25 to 34 in the **Borough** is expected to increase over the period 2005 to 2011 from 33,248 to 38,556, a rise of 16%. For England, an increase of 3% is expected over the same period. Between 2005 and 2031 a 5% increase is expected in this group, whereas in Milton Keynes it is forecast to increase by 32%.

## Mature Adults, 35 to 59 Years Old



An increase of 9% is expected in the number of the **Borough's** 35-59 year olds, rising from 80,580 in 2005 to 88,060 in 2011. A more modest increase is expected for this age group nationally, which will rise by just 1% in the same period, and 2% between 2005 and 2031. In Milton Keynes this group may grow by 47%

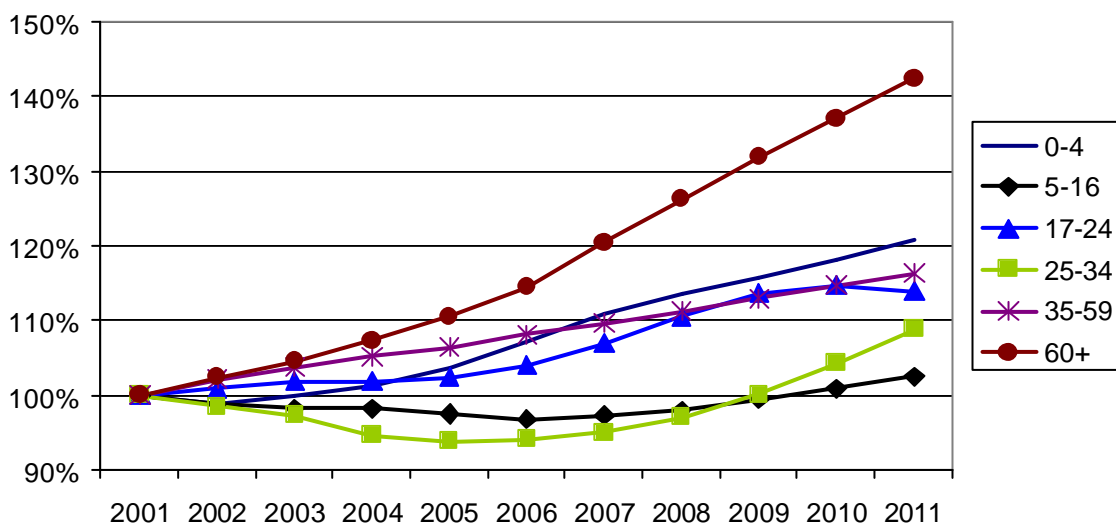
## Older People, Aged 60 and Over



There are currently 32,090 people aged 60 and over in the **Borough**, and this number is expected to increase by 29% to 41,380 by 2011. The corresponding percentage increase nationally is 12%. This group shows the largest increase between 2005 and 2031 of 53% nationally, and over 130% in Milton Keynes.

## Growth by Age Group for Milton Keynes Borough

Percentage growth, age groups in Milton Keynes



## Future Housing Growth

April	Milton Keynes Expanded City	Outside city	Milton Keynes Borough
2001	72,440	14,760	87,200
2002	73,870	14,800	88,670
2003	74,950	14,840	89,800
2004	76,030	14,950	90,980
2005	77,260	15,080	92,340
2006	78,920	15,240	94,160
2007	81,220	15,440	96,660
2008	83,770	15,590	99,360
2009	86,610	15,750	102,360
2010	89,490	15,870	105,360
2011	92,430	15,930	108,360

### Future Growth:

Future Growth	Total	Annual Average
Growth 2011-16	14,840	2,970
Growth 2016-21	11,000	2,200
Growth 2021-2031	23,700	2,370

Please note: Figures are rounded to the nearest 10 so may not sum exactly.

Housing figures to 2011 are based on agreed forecasts of housing completions. However, as past estimates of completions have been higher than what has been achieved, realistic annual totals were imposed for the purposes of the population forecasts. The reductions in completion rates have been applied across the board to all developments of more than 10 dwellings.

Figures post-2011 are from the Milton Keynes and South Midlands (MKSM) growth strategy which envisages Milton Keynes a major Regional centre. The figures for 2011 to 2016 have been inflated to include dwellings delayed from pre-2011.

# Population Growth by Estate & Settlement

Settlements	Population at end June								
	2001	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Ashland	10	10	0	60	210	380	620	730	770
Bancroft	940	920	930	930	930	920	920	910	910
Bancroft Park	300	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290
Beanhill	2,100	2,080	2,090	2,090	2,080	2,070	2,060	2,050	2,040
Blakelands	1,060	1,030	1,040	1,030	1,040	1,040	1,030	1,030	1,020
Blue Bridge	580	560	570	560	560	560	560	550	550
Bolbeck Park	660	640	650	640	640	640	640	630	630
Bradville	3,700	3,600	3,630	3,780	3,820	3,810	3,790	3,770	3,750
Bradwell	2,840	2,750	2,770	2,760	2,750	2,740	2,730	2,720	2,700
Bradwell Common	3,290	3,180	3,200	3,190	3,180	3,170	3,150	3,130	3,120
Brickfields	5,220	5,170	4,970	5,010	5,040	5,030	5,010	4,980	4,950
Broughton & Atterbury	240	320	370	710	1,310	1,600	1,700	1,770	1,770
Browns Wood	1,210	1,230	1,240	1,240	1,230	1,230	1,220	1,220	1,210
Caldecotte	1,200	1,220	1,230	1,220	1,220	1,260	1,350	1,390	1,400
Campbell Park	310	310	310	310	310	450	610	810	1,020
Central Bletchley	3,650	3,610	4,000	4,070	4,330	4,370	4,380	4,370	4,340
Central Milton Keynes	1,430	1,400	1,450	1,440	1,980	2,610	3,010	3,380	3,740
Coffee Hall	1,890	1,870	1,880	1,880	1,870	1,870	1,860	1,850	1,840
Conniburrow	3,530	3,410	3,430	3,420	3,480	3,460	3,440	3,430	3,410
Crownhill	2,500	2,680	2,700	2,730	2,730	2,720	2,700	2,690	2,670
Denbigh East	420	410	390	390	390	390	390	410	480
Downhead Park	1,450	1,470	1,480	1,470	1,570	1,610	1,620	1,610	1,600
Downs Barn	2,560	2,590	2,610	2,600	2,610	2,600	2,590	2,580	2,560
Eaglestone	2,110	2,090	2,100	2,100	2,090	2,080	2,070	2,060	2,050
Eastern Expansion Area	0	0	0	0	370	890	1,530	2,460	3,510
Emerson Valley	3,930	4,670	4,710	4,690	4,680	4,660	4,630	4,610	4,590
Fishermead	4,140	4,040	4,050	4,100	4,130	4,130	4,110	4,090	4,070
Far Bletchley	6,850	6,780	6,460	6,440	6,430	6,410	6,370	6,340	6,310
Fenny Stratford	1,290	1,270	1,710	1,710	1,750	1,790	1,880	2,020	2,070
Fullers Slade	1,890	1,870	1,870	1,860	1,850	1,920	1,930	1,950	1,940
Furzton	5,460	5,700	5,730	5,720	5,720	5,700	5,670	5,640	5,610
Galley Hill	910	900	900	900	900	890	890	880	880
Giffard Park	1,720	1,670	1,680	1,670	1,670	1,670	1,670	1,660	1,650
Granby	300	290	550	550	550	550	540	540	540
Grange Farm	440	480	1,120	1,370	1,500	1,520	1,520	1,510	1,510
Great Holm	2,830	3,040	3,060	3,080	3,070	3,060	3,070	3,050	3,040
Great Linford	4,230	4,100	4,130	4,120	4,110	4,100	4,070	4,050	4,030
Greenleys	2,160	2,170	2,180	2,180	2,170	2,160	2,150	2,140	2,130
Heelands	3,290	3,180	3,200	3,250	3,250	3,240	3,230	3,210	3,190
Hodge Lea	1,360	1,370	1,370	1,400	1,420	1,430	1,420	1,410	1,400
Kents Hill	2,550	2,600	2,610	2,600	2,600	2,590	2,570	2,560	2,550
Kingsmead	620	740	810	910	950	1,040	1,220	1,430	1,640
Leadenhall	500	490	480	700	720	740	750	740	740
Loughton	2,800	3,000	2,990	3,000	3,000	3,000	2,990	2,970	2,960
Loughton Lodge	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70
Medbourne	440	470	500	550	550	570	580	570	570
Middleton/Milton Keynes Village	1,720	2,320	2,350	2,340	2,350	2,380	2,360	2,350	2,340
Monkston	2,380	3,220	3,240	3,230	3,220	3,210	3,190	3,170	3,160
Monkston Park	60	80	180	900	1,300	1,390	1,430	1,420	1,420
Neath Hill	2,030	2,050	2,070	2,060	2,050	2,050	2,040	2,030	2,020
Netherfield	2,780	2,750	2,770	2,780	2,920	2,940	2,940	2,920	2,910
New Bradwell	2,860	2,870	2,880	2,920	2,940	2,980	2,960	2,940	2,930
Newton Leys	0	0	0	0	0	270	630	990	1,360
Northern Expansion Area	0	0	0	0	90	310	580	800	900
Oakgrove	0	0	0	0	0	270	770	1,270	1,830
Oakhill	0	0	170	350	530	560	570	560	560
Old Farm Park	1,980	2,020	2,030	2,050	2,140	2,180	2,190	2,190	2,180
Oldbrook	4,810	4,690	4,720	4,730	4,720	4,700	4,670	4,650	4,630
Oxley Park	0	0	0	110	310	680	1,140	1,590	2,180
Peartree Bridge	700	950	960	960	950	950	950	940	940
Pennyland	1,390	1,350	1,360	1,360	1,350	1,350	1,340	1,330	1,320

# Population Growth by Estate & Settlement

Settlements	Population at end June								
	2001	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Shenley Brook End	2,890	3,430	3,460	3,440	3,440	3,430	3,410	3,430	3,440
Shenley Church End	3,620	3,880	3,870	3,940	3,940	3,920	3,900	3,880	3,860
Shenley Lodge	2,810	2,930	2,950	2,940	2,940	2,940	2,920	2,910	2,890
Simpson	960	960	960	980	1,000	1,000	990	990	980
Springfield	2,220	2,170	2,180	2,180	2,170	2,160	2,150	2,140	2,130
Stacey Bushes	1,270	1,280	1,290	1,280	1,280	1,280	1,270	1,260	1,260
Stantonbury	3,680	3,580	3,610	3,600	3,590	3,580	3,740	3,960	4,210
Stony Stratford	5,090	5,030	5,060	5,060	5,060	5,080	5,110	5,090	5,090
Tattenhoe	2,770	3,290	3,320	3,300	3,310	3,290	3,280	3,260	3,240
Tattenhoe Park	0	0	0	0	0	80	350	730	1,160
Tinkers Bridge	1,010	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	990	990	980	980
Two Mile Ash	4,050	4,010	4,040	4,030	4,010	4,000	3,980	3,960	3,940
Walnut Tree	3,850	3,920	3,940	3,950	3,990	4,060	4,110	4,130	4,140
Walton Park	690	700	720	710	710	710	700	700	700
Walton Hall	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Water Eaton	8,540	8,440	8,120	8,100	8,160	8,250	8,250	8,220	8,190
Wavendon Gate	2,170	2,210	2,220	2,220	2,220	2,210	2,200	2,190	2,180
West Bletchley	9,300	9,440	9,350	9,390	9,530	9,640	9,780	9,890	10,010
Westcroft	890	1,060	800	1,200	1,360	1,410	1,480	1,490	1,500
Western Expansion Area	0	0	0	0	60	400	1,040	1,950	3,080
Willen	1,430	1,440	1,450	1,450	1,440	1,440	1,430	1,420	1,420
Willen Park	790	800	810	800	930	1,470	1,800	1,930	1,990
Wolverton	6,410	6,450	6,480	6,490	6,510	6,710	7,090	7,570	7,880
Wolverton Mill	0	0	0	20	210	290	310	320	340
Woolstone	770	750	760	760	760	760	750	750	740
Woughton-on-the-Green	410	560	560	560	560	560	560	550	550
Woughton Park	90	130	130	130	130	130	130	120	120
<b>MK City</b>	<b>177,450</b>	<b>181,480</b>	<b>183,310</b>	<b>186,140</b>	<b>190,330</b>	<b>195,050</b>	<b>200,130</b>	<b>205,250</b>	<b>210,510</b>
Astwood	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160	160
Bow Brickhill	580	580	590	590	590	610	630	650	650
Broughton Rural	40	40	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
Calverton	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270
Castlethorpe	940	950	960	970	990	990	1,000	1,000	1,000
Chicheley	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120
Clifton Reynes	140	140	140	160	160	160	160	160	160
Cold Brayfield	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70
Emberton	620	620	620	620	630	630	630	630	620
Gayhurst	130	130	130	130	130	140	140	140	130
Hanslope	2,170	2,190	2,140	2,150	2,190	2,220	2,250	2,270	2,270
Hardmead	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80
Haversham/Little Linford	840	840	840	850	860	860	870	860	860
Lathbury	140	140	140	140	140	140	150	140	140
Lavendon	1,170	1,190	1,190	1,200	1,200	1,210	1,210	1,210	1,210
Little Brickhill	400	410	410	410	410	410	410	410	410
Moulsoe	290	290	300	290	290	290	290	290	290
Newport Pagnell	15,020	14,750	14,840	14,840	14,950	15,050	15,100	15,110	15,060
Newton Blossomville	200	200	210	210	210	210	210	210	210
North Crawley	710	720	720	720	720	720	720	720	720
Olney	6,060	6,150	6,050	6,140	6,300	6,410	6,560	6,600	6,620
Ravenstone	200	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210
Sherington	930	940	950	950	950	950	960	960	960
Stoke Goldington	540	550	550	570	570	580	580	580	580
Tyringham & Filgrave	190	190	180	210	210	210	220	220	210
Warrington	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
Wavendon	610	620	630	630	620	630	630	640	640
Weston Underwood	210	220	220	220	220	220	220	220	220
Woburn Sands	2,370	2,410	2,420	2,410	2,430	2,490	2,630	2,800	2,870
<b>MK Rural</b>	<b>35,260</b>	<b>35,250</b>	<b>35,340</b>	<b>35,510</b>	<b>35,870</b>	<b>36,240</b>	<b>36,680</b>	<b>36,930</b>	<b>36,970</b>
<b>MK Total</b>	<b>212,700</b>	<b>216,730</b>	<b>218,660</b>	<b>221,650</b>	<b>226,200</b>	<b>231,290</b>	<b>236,810</b>	<b>242,180</b>	<b>247,480</b>

# Population Projections by Parish to 2011

Parish	Population at end June								
	2001	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Astwood	200	200	190	200	200	200	200	200	200
Bletchley & Fenny Stratford	14,200	14,040	14,790	14,830	15,190	15,630	16,080	16,560	16,990
Bow Brickhill	590	590	590	600	600	620	640	660	660
Bradwell	9,360	9,050	9,100	9,140	9,120	9,090	9,040	9,000	8,950
Bradwell Abbey	6,640	6,620	6,670	6,680	6,680	6,670	6,630	6,600	6,570
Broughton and Milton Keynes	1,930	2,590	2,760	3,080	4,030	5,100	6,290	7,710	9,270
Calverton	270	270	270	270	300	470	790	1,240	1,810
Campbell Park	13,600	13,310	13,390	13,440	13,450	13,560	13,650	13,770	13,920
Castlethorpe	960	970	980	990	1,010	1,010	1,020	1,020	1,020
Central Milton Keynes	1,430	1,400	1,450	1,440	1,980	2,600	3,010	3,380	3,740
Chicheley	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	120
Clifton Reynes	140	140	140	160	150	160	160	160	160
Cold Brayfield	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70
Emberton	620	620	620	620	630	630	630	630	620
Gayhurst	130	130	130	130	130	130	140	140	130
Great Linford	19,300	18,980	19,110	19,060	19,330	19,860	20,110	20,130	20,100
Hanslope	2,210	2,220	2,180	2,190	2,230	2,250	2,290	2,310	2,310
Hardmead	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80
Haversham/Little Linford	830	830	830	840	940	1,150	1,430	1,640	1,740
Lathbury	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140	140
Lavendon	1,290	1,310	1,320	1,320	1,320	1,330	1,330	1,330	1,330
Little Brickhill	440	450	460	450	450	450	460	460	450
Loughton	5,940	6,360	6,370	6,410	6,400	6,390	6,390	6,350	6,320
Monkston & Kents Hill	4,960	5,860	6,000	6,690	7,070	7,140	7,150	7,110	7,080
Moulsoe	330	330	340	340	330	330	330	330	330
New Bradwell	2,990	3,000	3,010	3,050	3,080	3,110	3,090	3,080	3,060
Newport Pagnell	14,900	14,640	14,720	14,730	14,830	14,930	14,980	14,990	14,950
Newton Blossomville	280	280	290	290	290	300	300	300	300
North Crawley	780	790	790	790	790	790	790	790	790
Olney	6,000	6,090	6,000	6,080	6,240	6,350	6,490	6,530	6,560
Ravenstone	200	210	210	210	210	210	210	210	210
Shenley Brook End	19,250	21,670	21,620	22,070	22,250	22,400	22,820	23,350	23,910
Shenley Church End	6,960	7,460	8,310	8,980	9,520	10,110	10,860	11,710	12,810
Sherington	950	960	970	970	970	970	980	980	970
Simpson	960	960	950	1,030	1,200	1,370	1,600	1,700	1,730
Stantonbury	9,010	8,760	8,850	8,970	8,990	8,970	9,100	9,290	9,510
Stoke Goldington	570	580	580	600	610	610	610	610	610
Stony Stratford	7,840	7,750	7,780	7,760	7,760	7,840	7,880	7,870	7,850
Tyringham & Filgrave	190	190	180	210	210	210	220	220	210
Walton	11,050	11,240	11,320	11,330	11,460	11,590	11,720	11,750	11,750
Warrington	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
Wavendon	770	780	790	790	790	790	800	800	810
West Bletchley	21,130	21,140	20,550	20,610	20,760	20,840	20,920	20,970	21,040
Weston Underwood	220	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230
Woburn Sands	2,350	2,380	2,400	2,390	2,410	2,470	2,610	2,770	2,840
Wolverton	8,520	8,560	8,610	8,630	8,840	9,100	9,490	9,970	10,280
Woughton	11,990	12,320	12,380	12,610	12,740	12,750	12,710	12,640	12,570
<b>Total</b>	<b>212,740</b>	<b>216,720</b>	<b>218,690</b>	<b>221,670</b>	<b>226,180</b>	<b>231,170</b>	<b>236,640</b>	<b>241,950</b>	<b>247,150</b>



## Population Projections by Ward to 2011

Ward	Population at end June								
	2001	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Bletchley & Fenny Stratford	11,530	11,430	11,460	11,570	11,950	12,130	12,400	12,610	12,710
Bradwell	12,850	12,430	12,320	12,250	12,210	12,100	11,990	11,900	11,760
Campbell Park	13,460	13,080	13,090	13,060	13,740	14,510	14,990	15,400	15,810
Danesborough	4,000	4,050	4,030	4,040	4,040	4,090	4,220	4,350	4,420
Denbigh	7,820	8,030	8,080	8,070	8,190	8,270	8,410	8,520	8,610
Eaton Manor	8,350	8,130	8,050	7,970	8,000	8,300	8,580	8,870	9,170
Emerson Valley	11,080	13,120	13,790	14,620	14,920	15,230	15,860	16,550	17,260
Furzton	8,250	8,640	8,610	8,600	8,630	8,610	8,560	8,500	8,430
Hanslope Park	3,990	4,010	4,020	4,050	4,190	4,430	4,690	4,910	5,000
Linford North	8,870	8,640	8,550	8,490	8,420	8,340	8,260	8,190	8,140
Linford South	8,530	8,700	8,630	8,550	8,710	9,470	10,040	10,490	10,930
Loughton Park	12,830	13,770	14,650	15,380	15,890	16,620	17,640	18,830	20,400
Middleton	5,620	7,560	8,160	9,320	10,950	12,330	13,740	15,330	17,020
Newport Pagnell North	7,640	7,520	7,470	7,420	7,370	7,320	7,270	7,210	7,150
Newport Pagnell South	7,500	7,430	7,510	7,510	7,590	7,640	7,640	7,620	7,550
Olney	8,170	8,260	8,320	8,450	8,600	8,690	8,810	8,820	8,830
Sherington	3,950	3,990	4,010	4,060	4,070	4,070	4,050	4,030	4,010
Stantonbury	9,220	8,970	9,080	9,140	9,120	9,070	9,160	9,300	9,470
Stony Stratford	12,030	11,960	11,890	11,850	11,810	11,870	11,900	11,880	11,840
Walton Park	13,560	13,720	13,700	13,760	13,970	14,160	14,280	14,360	14,310
Whaddon	8,830	8,810	8,760	8,750	8,760	8,740	8,680	8,630	8,580
Wolverton	14,070	14,100	14,030	14,080	14,310	14,560	14,900	15,280	15,550
Woughton	10,540	10,390	10,440	10,680	10,750	10,740	10,710	10,610	10,520
<b>Total</b>	<b>212,710</b>	<b>216,730</b>	<b>218,660</b>	<b>221,650</b>	<b>226,200</b>	<b>231,290</b>	<b>236,800</b>	<b>242,180</b>	<b>247,480</b>

The parish boundaries changed in April 2001, and the ward boundaries in May 2002. Figures have also been adjusted following receipt of parish data from the 2001 census. However, census population counts were found to have been an underestimate of the population of Milton Keynes. The population was revised upwards for 2001, in line with official figures. The distribution of the additional population has been carried out locally, informed by local data sources.

Bletchley and Fenny Stratford, Campbell Park, and Newport Pagnell parishes have comparable population sizes of around 14 to 15 thousand people. Great Linford parish has a larger population, as do Shenley Brook End and West Bletchley parishes. All are forecast to exhibit growth to 2011. Broughton & Milton Keynes parish will exhibit high growth in population because of the Eastern expansion area. Shenley Church End will also show strong population growth.

For the wards, Wolverton ward is currently the largest in terms of population, but Loughton Park ward is set to become the largest by 2006. The expansion expected in Stony Stratford ward is now expected to be delayed and take full effect post-2011. The Eastern expansion area means that Middleton ward will show high growth.

**Note: Future dwelling forecasts are uncertain and have been adjusted from previous years. As a result there are significant differences which may alter again in the future as dwelling completion forecasts are altered.**

# Population Projections

## Milton Keynes Borough

### 2001-2005

2002	Males	Females	Persons
0-4	7,210	6,980	14,180
5-9	7,920	7,090	15,000
10-14	8,020	7,370	15,380
15-19	7,750	6,750	14,500
20-24	6,700	6,530	13,230
25-29	8,280	7,970	16,250
30-34	9,410	9,200	18,610
35-39	9,610	9,080	18,680
40-44	8,500	8,290	16,790
45-49	7,780	7,680	15,460
50-54	7,380	7,210	14,590
55-59	6,050	5,710	11,770
60-64	3,970	3,890	7,860
65-69	3,020	3,200	6,220
70-74	2,450	2,960	5,410
75-79	1,880	2,650	4,530
80-84	1,170	2,080	3,250
85-89	450	1,120	1,580
90+	220	620	830
<b>Total</b>	<b>107,770</b>	<b>106,370</b>	<b>214,140</b>

2004	Males	Females	Persons
0-4	7,400	7,100	14,500
5-9	7,630	7,120	14,760
10-14	7,970	7,230	15,200
15-19	7,900	7,030	14,940
20-24	6,840	6,250	13,090
25-29	7,830	7,610	15,440
30-34	9,150	8,910	18,050
35-39	9,640	9,240	18,880
40-44	8,930	8,460	17,390
45-49	7,980	7,780	15,760
50-54	7,170	7,220	14,400
55-59	6,660	6,470	13,130
60-64	4,420	4,240	8,670
65-69	3,260	3,340	6,610
70-74	2,490	2,940	5,430
75-79	1,900	2,580	4,480
80-84	1,320	2,300	3,620
85-89	470	1,080	1,550
90+	200	630	820
<b>Total</b>	<b>109,190</b>	<b>107,550</b>	<b>216,730</b>

2001	Males	Females	Persons
0-4	7,270	7,080	14,350
5-9	8,100	7,190	15,290
10-14	7,880	7,260	15,140
15-19	7,710	6,740	14,440
20-24	6,720	6,670	13,390
25-29	8,540	8,190	16,730
30-34	9,450	9,200	18,660
35-39	9,410	8,860	18,270
40-44	8,430	8,190	16,610
45-49	7,620	7,660	15,280
50-54	7,560	7,310	14,870
55-59	5,500	5,120	10,620
60-64	3,860	3,780	7,640
65-69	2,930	3,130	6,060
70-74	2,370	2,960	5,330
75-79	1,920	2,660	4,580
80-84	1,090	1,930	3,020
85-89	450	1,160	1,610
90+	220	570	790
<b>Total</b>	<b>107,040</b>	<b>105,670</b>	<b>212,710</b>

2003	Males	Females	Persons
0-4	7,270	7,080	14,350
5-9	7,760	7,070	14,830
10-14	8,020	7,350	15,370
15-19	7,880	6,880	14,760
20-24	6,700	6,410	13,110
25-29	8,170	7,690	15,860
30-34	9,350	9,180	18,530
35-39	9,730	9,140	18,870
40-44	8,680	8,390	17,070
45-49	7,840	7,710	15,550
50-54	7,250	7,190	14,440
55-59	6,470	6,160	12,640
60-64	4,150	4,040	8,190
65-69	3,140	3,290	6,430
70-74	2,480	2,960	5,430
75-79	1,910	2,620	4,530
80-84	1,250	2,180	3,430
85-89	450	1,050	1,500
90+	200	630	830
<b>Total</b>	<b>108,690</b>	<b>107,020</b>	<b>215,710</b>

2005	Males	Females	Persons
0-4	7,640	7,230	14,870
5-9	7,560	7,090	14,650
10-14	8,010	7,200	15,200
15-19	7,680	7,090	14,770
20-24	7,030	6,210	13,240
25-29	7,680	7,740	15,410
30-34	9,180	8,660	17,840
35-39	9,530	9,340	18,870
40-44	9,120	8,590	17,710
45-49	8,130	7,820	15,940
50-54	7,240	7,240	14,480
55-59	6,810	6,770	13,580
60-64	4,620	4,450	9,070
65-69	3,370	3,470	6,840
70-74	2,500	2,950	5,450
75-79	1,900	2,610	4,510
80-84	1,360	2,270	3,630
85-89	510	1,210	1,730
90+	210	650	860
<b>Total</b>	<b>110,070</b>	<b>108,580</b>	<b>218,660</b>

## Population Projections - Milton Keynes Borough 2006-2011

2006	Males	Females	Persons
0-4	7,930	7,450	15,380
5-9	7,350	7,070	14,420
10-14	8,000	7,120	15,120
15-19	7,640	6,960	14,590
20-24	7,330	6,430	13,760
25-29	7,800	7,970	15,770
30-34	9,040	8,450	17,490
35-39	9,650	9,440	19,100
40-44	9,340	8,800	18,140
45-49	8,220	7,940	16,150
50-54	7,260	7,310	14,580
55-59	6,950	6,970	13,920
60-64	4,920	4,780	9,700
65-69	3,440	3,590	7,020
70-74	2,550	2,930	5,480
75-79	1,960	2,690	4,650
80-84	1,350	2,190	3,540
85-89	580	1,360	1,940
90+	200	680	880
<b>Total</b>	<b>111,520</b>	<b>110,120</b>	<b>221,650</b>

2007	Males	Females	Persons
0-4	8,170	7,740	15,900
5-9	7,410	7,090	14,510
10-14	7,900	7,090	14,990
15-19	7,710	7,010	14,720
20-24	7,710	6,800	14,510
25-29	8,030	8,150	16,170
30-34	9,080	8,410	17,490
35-39	9,760	9,440	19,200
40-44	9,600	9,080	18,680
45-49	8,330	8,110	16,450
50-54	7,420	7,420	14,840
55-59	6,820	6,910	13,720
60-64	5,420	5,400	10,820
65-69	3,540	3,710	7,260
70-74	2,630	3,010	5,640
75-79	2,050	2,740	4,780
80-84	1,340	2,180	3,520
85-89	640	1,480	2,120
90+	210	670	880
<b>Total</b>	<b>113,760</b>	<b>112,440</b>	<b>226,200</b>

2008	Males	Females	Persons
0-4	8,350	7,950	16,300
5-9	7,590	7,250	14,830
10-14	7,850	7,130	14,980
15-19	7,740	7,070	14,810
20-24	8,020	7,180	15,200
25-29	8,290	8,320	16,610
30-34	9,290	8,400	17,690
35-39	9,810	9,530	19,340
40-44	9,890	9,300	19,190
45-49	8,490	8,310	16,800
50-54	7,560	7,550	15,110
55-59	6,770	6,970	13,740
60-64	5,810	5,860	11,670
65-69	3,720	3,870	7,580
70-74	2,750	3,130	5,880
75-79	2,090	2,770	4,860
80-84	1,350	2,190	3,540
85-89	700	1,590	2,290
90+	200	660	860
<b>Total</b>	<b>116,260</b>	<b>115,030</b>	<b>231,290</b>

2009	Males	Females	Persons
0-4	8,500	8,090	16,590
5-9	7,880	7,500	15,370
10-14	7,810	7,230	15,030
15-19	7,780	7,040	14,820
20-24	8,220	7,560	15,780
25-29	8,620	8,470	17,100
30-34	9,590	8,750	18,340
35-39	9,900	9,360	19,250
40-44	9,990	9,570	19,560
45-49	8,850	8,500	17,350
50-54	7,720	7,730	15,450
55-59	6,770	7,080	13,850
60-64	6,020	6,260	12,280
65-69	4,000	4,100	8,090
70-74	2,910	3,220	6,130
75-79	2,130	2,800	4,930
80-84	1,370	2,200	3,570
85-89	730	1,690	2,420
90+	210	680	880
<b>Total</b>	<b>118,980</b>	<b>117,830</b>	<b>236,800</b>

2010	Males	Females	Persons
0-4	8,660	8,280	16,940
5-9	8,200	7,800	16,010
10-14	7,770	7,250	15,020
15-19	7,870	7,030	14,900
20-24	8,030	7,770	15,800
25-29	9,150	8,630	17,780
30-34	9,830	9,240	19,080
35-39	10,160	9,240	19,400
40-44	9,990	9,770	19,760
45-49	9,140	8,680	17,810
50-54	7,900	7,840	15,740
55-59	6,890	7,180	14,070
60-64	6,210	6,610	12,820
65-69	4,220	4,350	8,570
70-74	3,060	3,370	6,420
75-79	2,150	2,830	4,980
80-84	1,390	2,240	3,630
85-89	760	1,680	2,430
90+	230	770	1,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>121,620</b>	<b>120,550</b>	<b>242,180</b>

2011	Males	Females	Persons
0-4	8,860	8,460	17,320
5-9	8,580	8,120	16,700
10-14	7,610	7,280	14,890
15-19	7,910	6,990	14,900
20-24	8,020	7,660	15,680
25-29	9,670	9,100	18,760
30-34	10,120	9,670	19,790
35-39	10,130	9,120	19,250
40-44	10,220	9,960	20,180
45-49	9,440	8,930	18,370
50-54	8,030	8,000	16,030
55-59	6,950	7,280	14,230
60-64	6,370	6,840	13,200
65-69	4,530	4,700	9,220
70-74	3,130	3,490	6,630
75-79	2,210	2,830	5,040
80-84	1,440	2,330	3,770
85-89	760	1,640	2,400
90+	260	860	1,120
<b>Total</b>	<b>124,230</b>	<b>123,250</b>	<b>247,480</b>