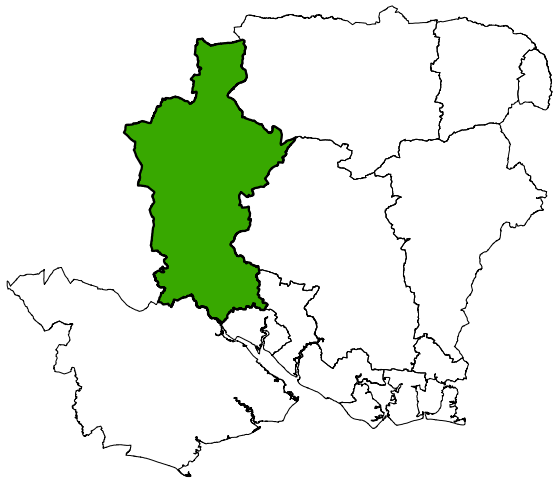
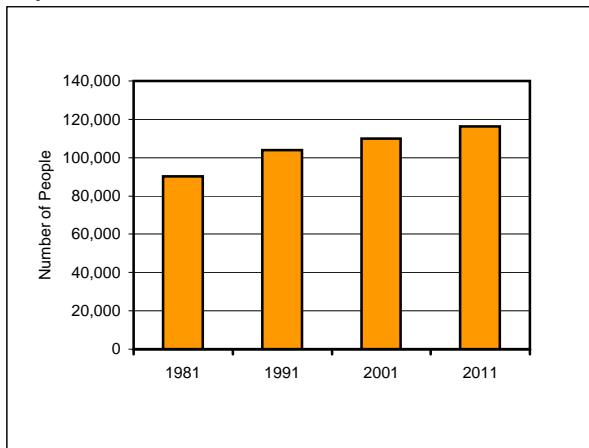


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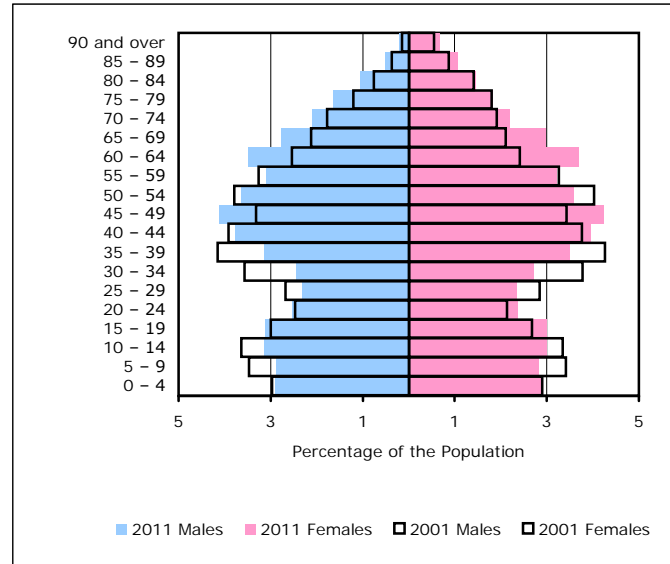


Population



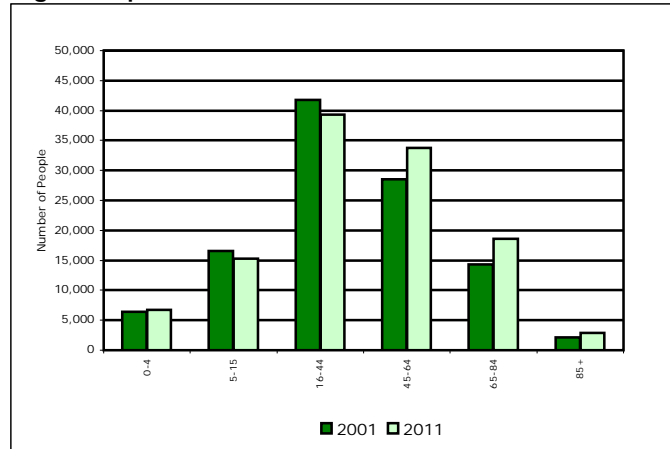
The 2011 Census population of Test Valley is 116,400. The population has increased by 6,600 since 2001, approximately 6.0%.

Age Profile



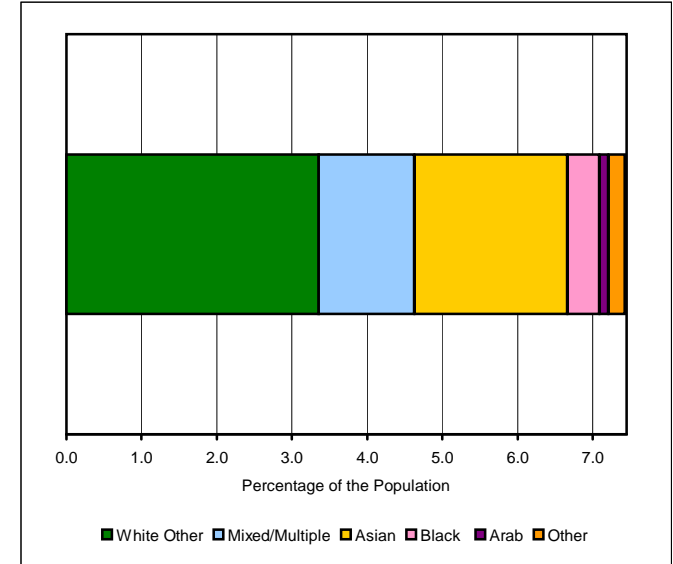
Between 2001 and 2011 there has been a decrease in the percentage of the working age population from 64.0% to 62.7%. There has been a particularly large decline amongst young adults aged 25-39 (from 21.3% to 16.4%).

Age Groups



Most growth since 2001 has been in the oldest age groups, the 65 and over's increased by 29.8%. There was also a small increase in children aged 0-4 years (4.0%).

Ethnicity



92.6% of Test Valley's resident population are estimated to be of ethnic group 'White British'¹, those in other ethnic groups increased from 4.3% to 7.4% over the period.

Dependency Ratios²

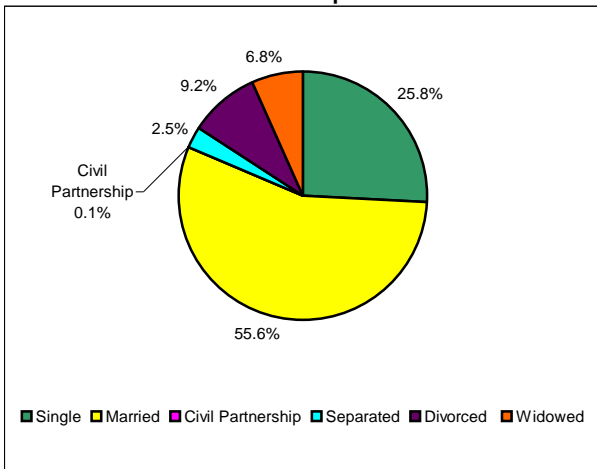
	2001	2011
Total Dependency	56.2	59.4
Child Dependency	32.7	30.1
Old Age Dependency	23.5	29.3

Total Dependency has risen due to the increasing numbers of older people, whilst child dependency has declined.

Population Density

There are 1.9 people per hectare living in Test Valley. This is below both the South East and England and Wales population densities of 4.5 and 3.7 respectively.

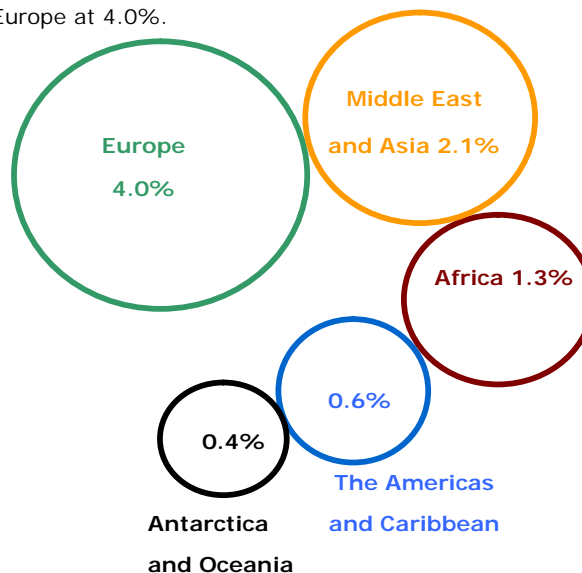
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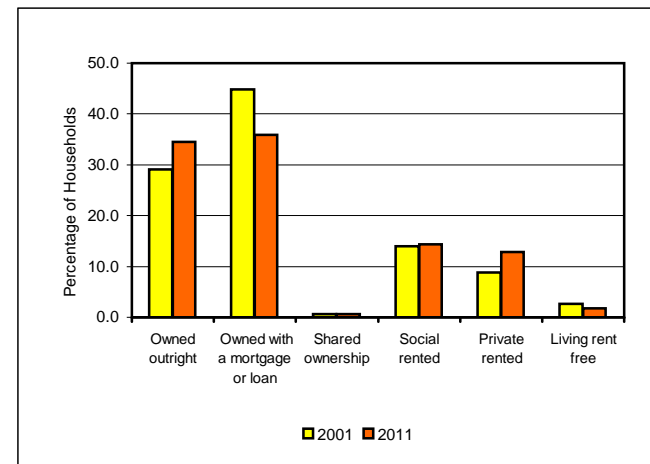
55.6% of the adult³ population are married, a decline from 58.4% in 2001. Those that are single (never married) account for 25.8%, a decrease from 23.5% in 2001.

Country of Birth

91.7% of Test Valley's population were born in the UK, a reduction from 94.0% in 2001. The next biggest region is Europe at 4.0%.



Tenure



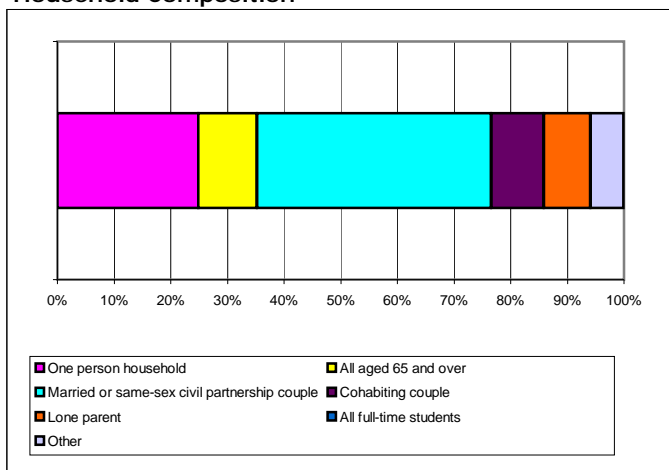
Between 2001 and 2011 the percentage of rented households increased, alongside shared and outright ownership. The percentage of households owned with a mortgage or a loan decreased by 20.0% over the period.

Religion

Religion	2001 (%)	2011 (%)
Christian	78.1	65.7
Buddhist	0.1	0.3
Hindu	0.2	0.4
Jewish	0.1	0.1
Muslim	0.3	0.6
Sikh	0.2	0.3
Other	0.3	0.4
No Religion	14.2	25.1
Not Stated	6.3	7.1

Christianity remains the largest religion in Test Valley at 65.7% however it has experienced a large decline since 2001. The percentage with no religion has increased by 76.6%.

Household Composition



Households comprised of married or civil partners account for 41.4%. One person households account for 24.9%, of which almost half (48.1%) are occupied by those aged 65 and over.

Source - The source used is the Office for National Statistics (ONS) Census data for the years 1981 to 2011.

¹White British includes those describing their ethnicity as English, Welsh, Scottish, Northern Irish or British.

²The Total Dependency Ratio is the number of children (aged 0-15) and retired people (aged 65 and over) to every 100 people of working age. The Child Ratio is the number of children and retired people to every 100 people of working age.

The Old Age Ratio is the number of retired people per 100 of working age.

³Marital and Civil Partnership status refers to the population aged 16 and over.

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