

Census 2021

What's changed across The Humber

Census 2021 took place during a national lockdown. The government advice at the time was to stay at home.

Source: Census 2021



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Data for those aged 0+ unless specified

What's happened since the last Census?





**In The Humber,
our total population
has grown by 2.0%**

The population in England has
grown by 6.6% to 56.5 million

In 2011
the
population
was
917,647

In 2021
the
population
has grown to
935,875

What impact have these changes had on parts of our community that are **more likely to experience inactivity?**

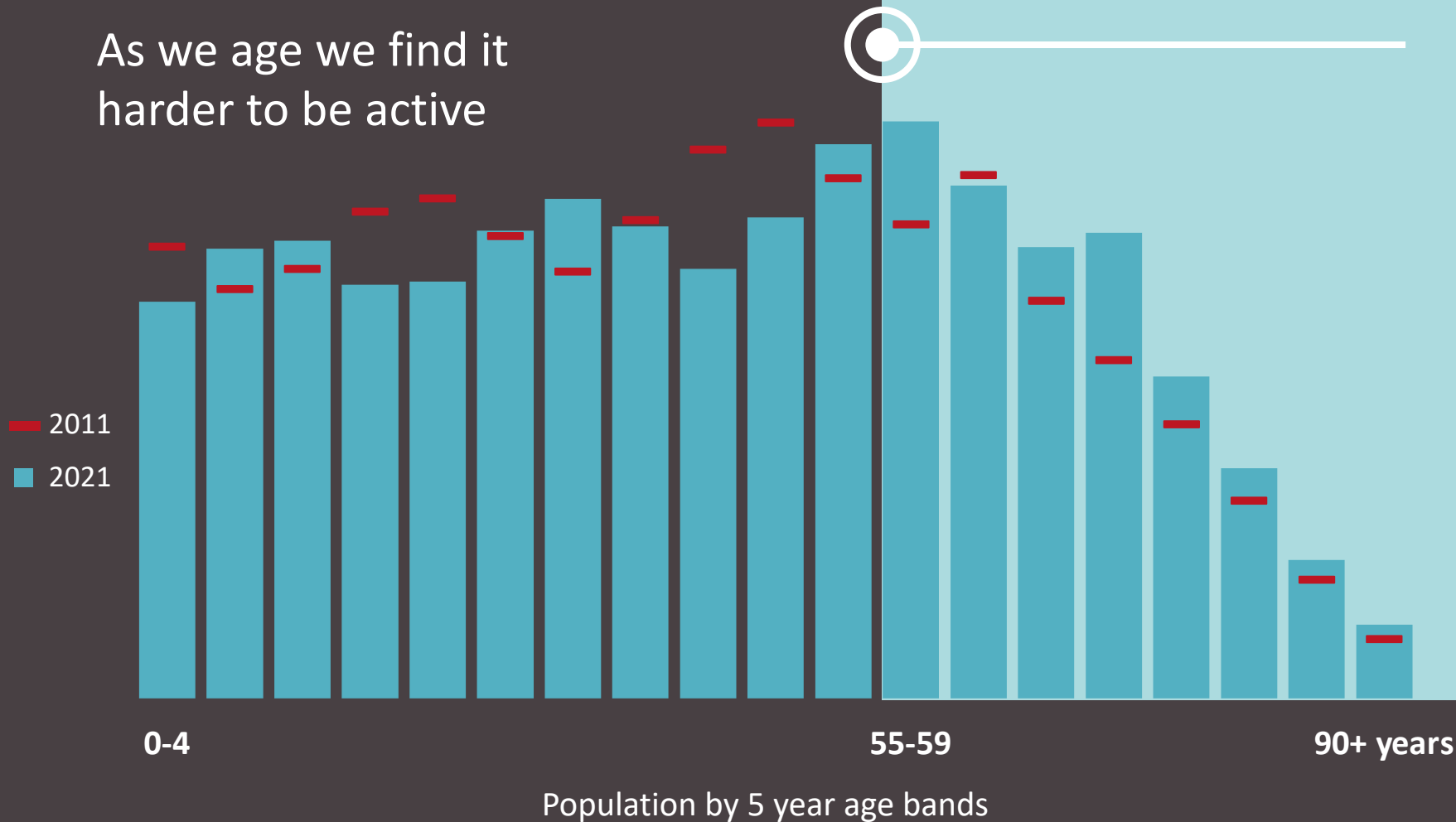


Our population is ageing

As we age we find it harder to be active

The 55+ population has gone up by **17%**

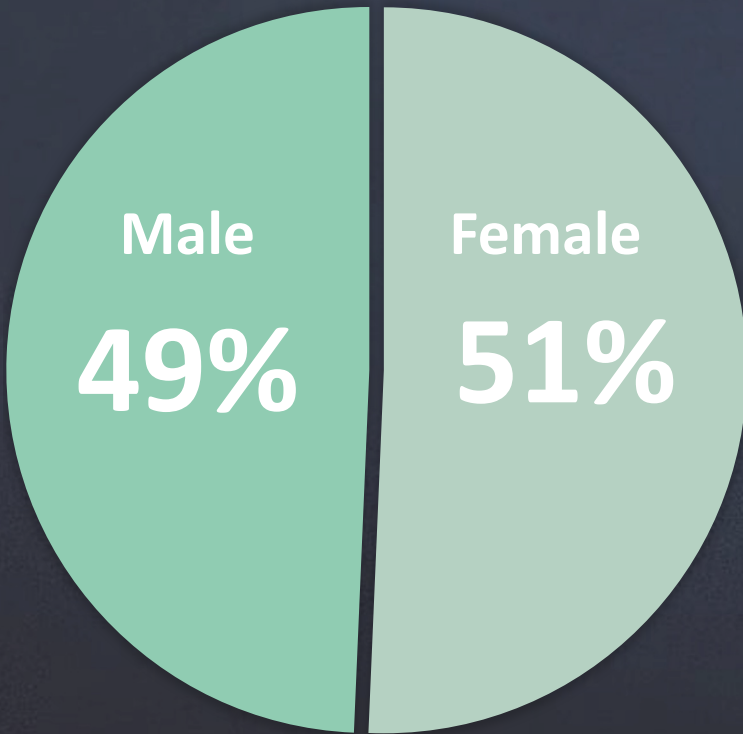
That's an extra **47,200** people



Enough to fill 590 London double decker buses

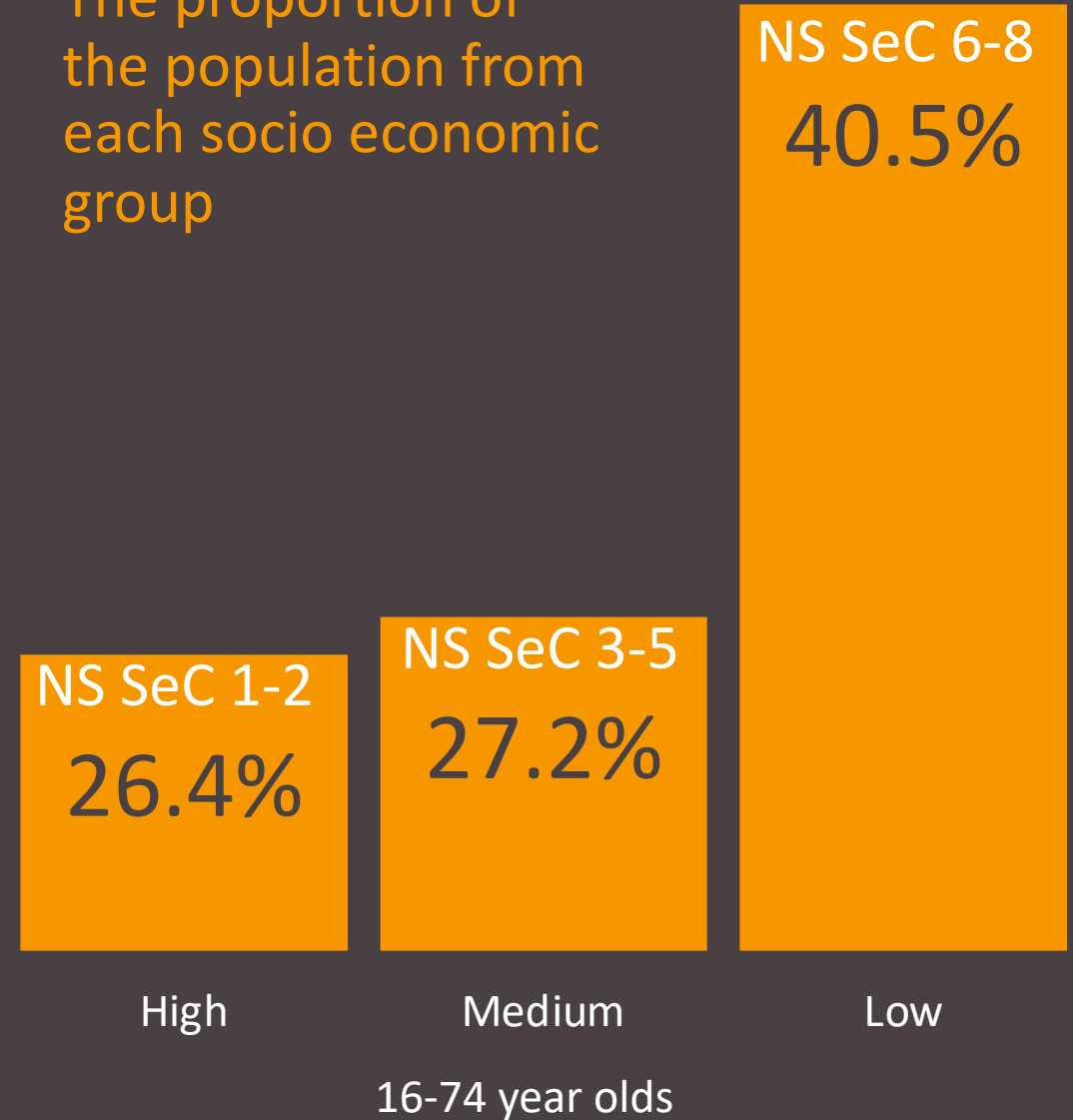


Gender remains fairly evenly split



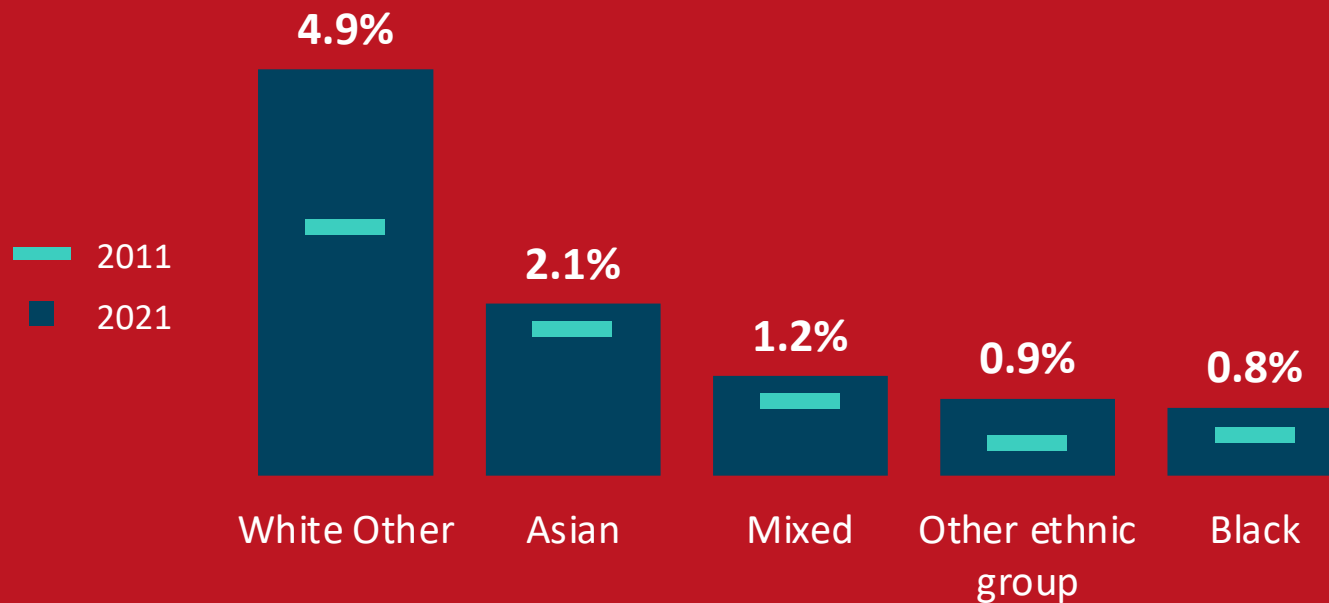
Around 4 in 10 of our population are in lower socio economic groups (NS SeC 6-8)

The proportion of the population from each socio economic group



Our population is now more ethnically diverse

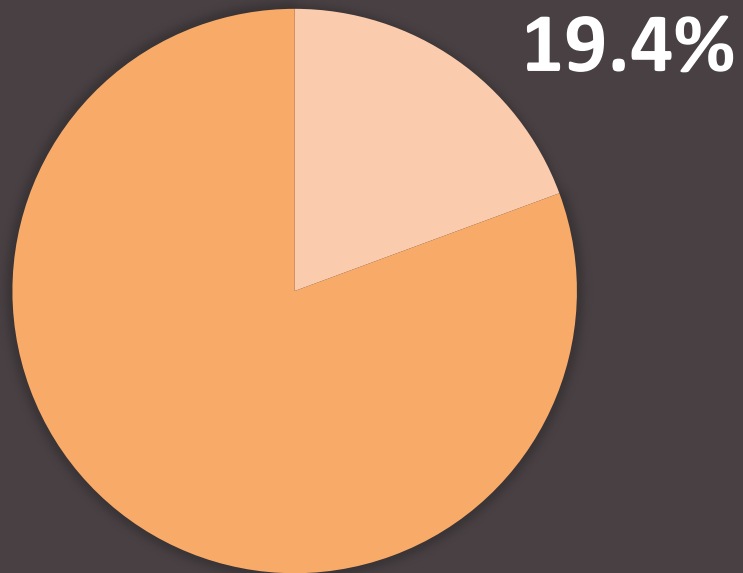
The populations of these ethnic groups have all risen



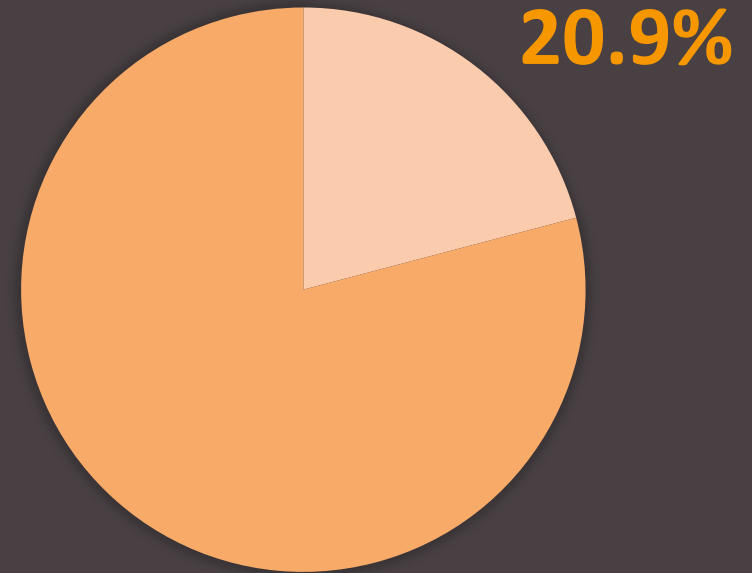
The proportion of White British people now makes up 90.2% of the population. A reduction of 3.3% since 2011



More of us are experiencing a physical or mental health condition or illness



2011



2021

More people reported attaining a higher level of qualification (level 2 or above)



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Percentage of people aged 16+ with
a level 2 or higher qualification

57.9%

2011

67.1%

2021

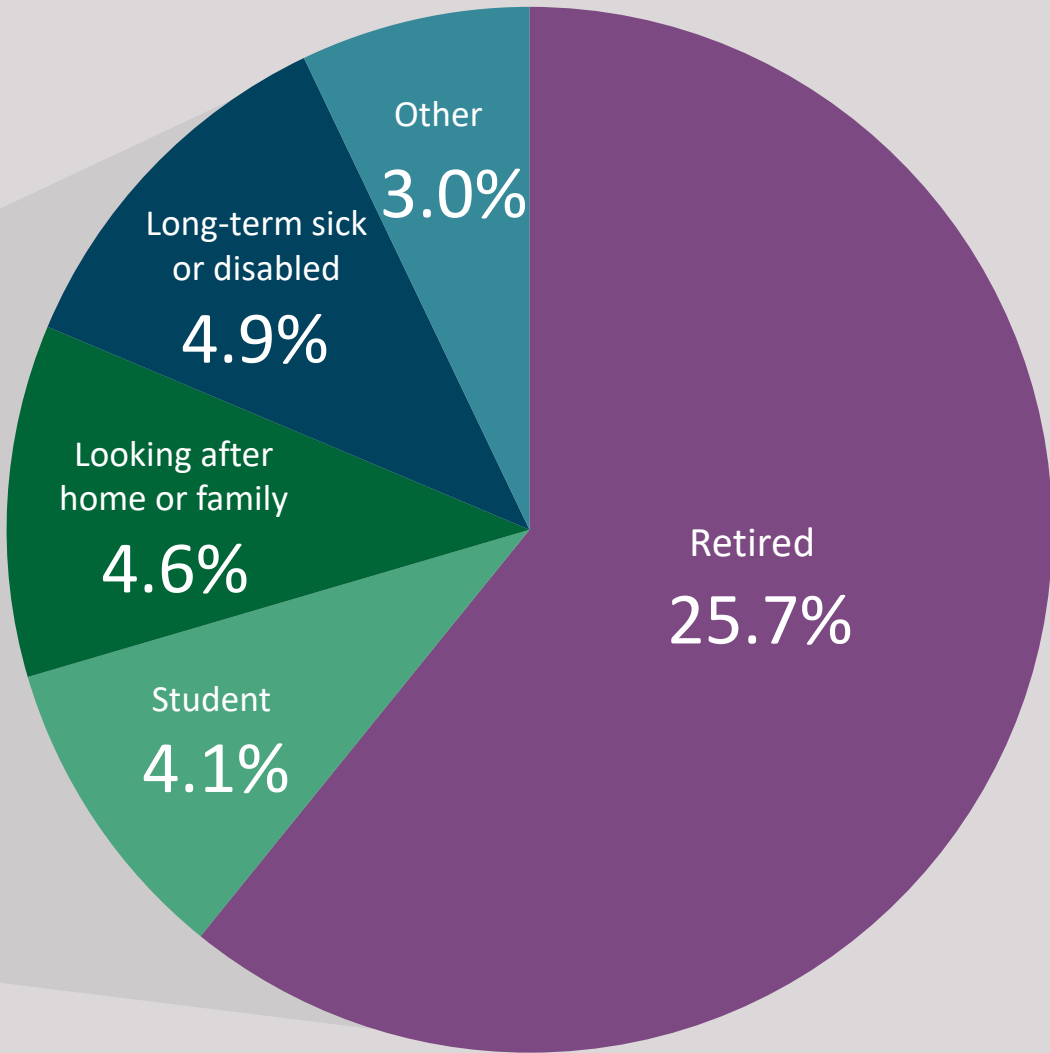
There are 35,900 more people* classed as economically inactive

And within this, most are retired



Economically inactive
42.2%

Aged 16+



Retired
25.7%

Long-term sick
or disabled
4.9%

Looking after
home or family
4.6%

Student
4.1%

Other
3.0%

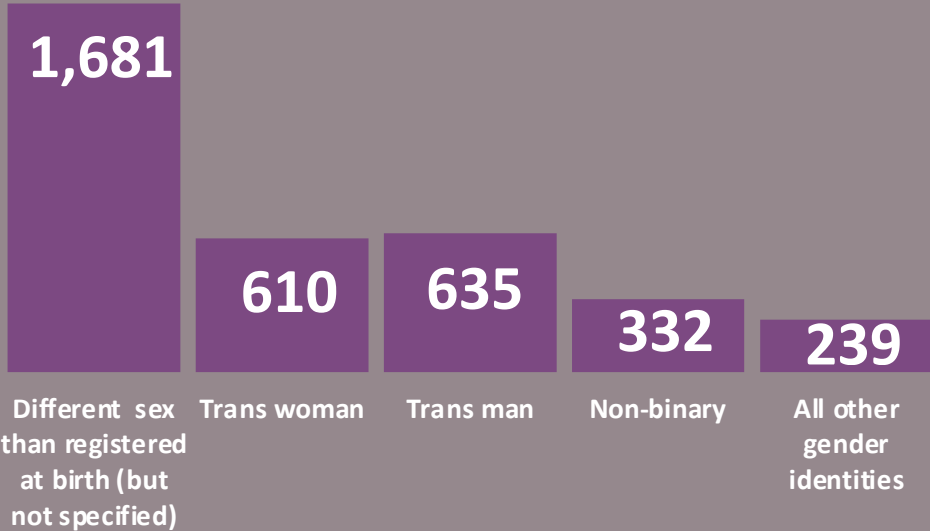
*Compared to 2011

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This year people were given the option of answering new questions about...

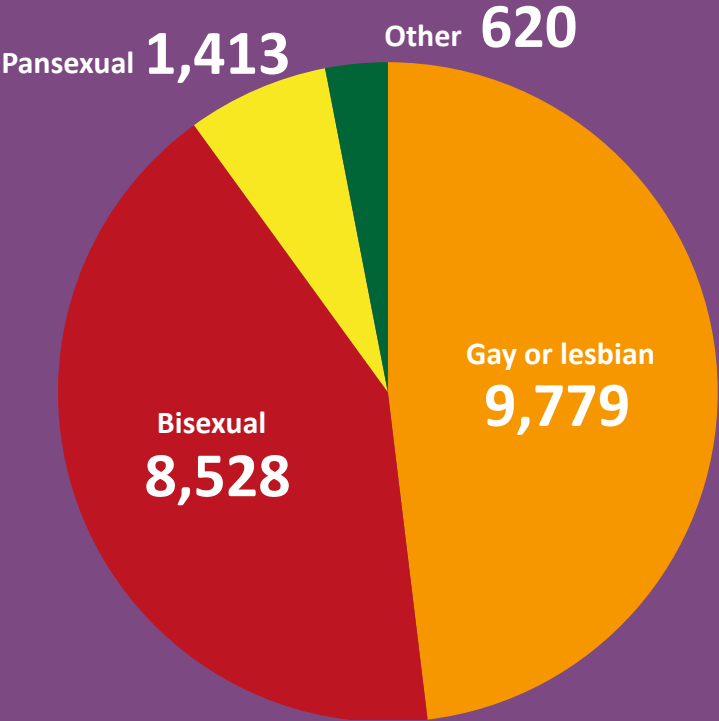
Gender identity

Around 721,000 selected 'same sex as registered at birth' and 44,000 did not answer. The remaining were made up of the following:



Sexual orientation

Around 693,000 people selected 'straight or heterosexual' and 55,000 did not answer. The remaining questions were answered as:



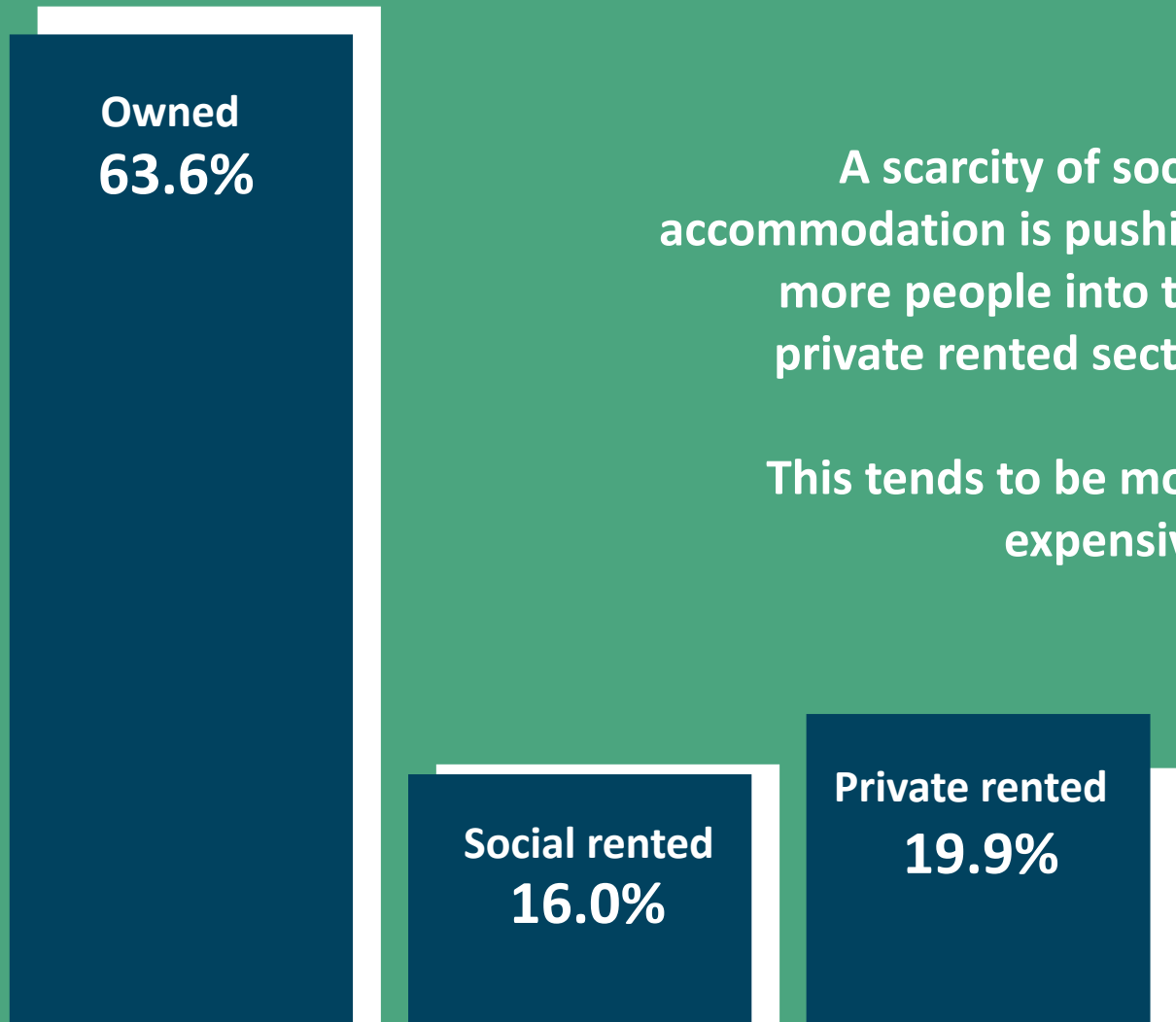
**How we live has
changed**





Less of us are owning our own homes.
More of us are renting than ever.

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A scarcity of social accommodation is pushing more people into the private rented sector.

This tends to be more expensive.

■ 2011 ■ 2021

More of us are **living alone**

Older adults* living alone now account for around **1 in 7** households (14.3%)



This was 12.8% in 2011

7.1% of all households are **lone parents** living with dependent children

Not all of our households have the things they need



96,800

households don't have access to a vehicle

This can limit access to services



8,800

households are overcrowded

There are not enough bedrooms for the number of people living under one roof



5,200

households have no central heating

This can be linked to poor health



**There has been a change
in how some of us work...**

1 in 5 people are now
working from home
(18.4%)

...and get to work

14,500 are no longer walking or
cycling to work

It is important to remember
that Census 2021 took place
during a national lockdown

The government advice at the
time was for people to work
from home (if they could) and
avoid public transport

Since 2021 working patterns
continue to evolve, with
hybrid work spaces becoming
more commonplace

An aerial photograph of a dense residential neighborhood, likely in the UK, featuring rows of terraced houses with dark roofs and brick walls. A central street runs through the middle of the image, with several cars parked along the sides. The houses are closely packed, and the overall scene is a typical urban residential area. The word "Summary" is overlaid in a large, bold, orange font in the center of the image.

Summary

Population summary

- Our total population has grown by 2.0% and is now almost 935,875 people. The national increase was 6.6%.
- The 55+ population has gone up by 16.6%. That's an extra 47,200 people. The national increase was 17.8%

Demographic summary

- Gender remains fairly evenly split, 49% male and 51% female. This is the same nationally
- Around 4 in 10 of our population (40.5%) are in lower socio economic groups (NS SeC 6-8), compared to 3 in 10 (31.8%) nationally
- Our population is now more ethnically diverse. Black, Mixed and White Other ethnic groups have seen the biggest growth locally. This reflects the national ethnic change
- 42.2% of our population are classed as economically inactive (compared to 39.1% nationally). The majority of these are retired (25.7%). This is higher than national (21.5%) and has grown at a faster rate (1.5% increase locally, 0.3% nationally)
- 1 in 7 of our older adults (65+) are living alone, compared to 1 in 8 nationally
- 7.1% of all our households are lone parents living with dependent children. This is the same nationally
- 18.4% of people are now working from home, compared to 31.5% nationally



APPENDIX

ONS Data tables

The Humber

	2011	2021	Change
Population	917,647	935,875	2.0%
Households	396,019	410,537	3.7%
Female	50.7%	50.7%	0.0%
Male	49.3%	49.3%	0.0%
Aged 0-15 Years	7.3%	7.7%	0.4%
Aged 16-34 Years	11.5%	10.6%	-0.9%
Aged 35-54 Years	38.3%	33.6%	-4.7%
Aged 55-74 Years	31.3%	34.8%	3.6%
Aged 75+	11.7%	13.3%	1.6%
Limiting illness	19.4%	20.9%	1.5%
No limiting illness	80.6%	79.1%	-1.5%
Asian	1.8%	2.1%	0.3%
Black	0.5%	0.8%	0.3%
Mixed	0.9%	1.2%	0.3%
White British	93.5%	90.2%	-3.3%
White Other	3.0%	4.9%	1.9%
Other ethnic group	0.4%	0.9%	0.5%

England

	2011	2021	Change
Population	53,012,456	56,490,048	6.6%
Households	22,063,368	23,436,082	6.2%
Female	50.8%	51.0%	0.2%
Male	49.2%	49.0%	-0.2%
Aged 0-15 Years	18.9%	18.6%	-0.3%
Aged 16-34 Years	25.4%	24.2%	-1.2%
Aged 35-54 Years	27.8%	26.4%	-1.4%
Aged 55-74 Years	20.2%	22.4%	2.1%
Aged 75+	7.7%	8.6%	0.8%
Limiting illness	17.6%	17.3%	-0.3%
No limiting illness	82.4%	82.7%	0.3%
Asian	7.8%	9.6%	1.8%
Black	3.5%	4.2%	0.7%
Mixed	2.3%	3.0%	0.7%
White British	79.8%	73.5%	-6.2%
White Other	5.7%	7.5%	1.8%
Other ethnic group	1.0%	2.2%	1.1%

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	2011	2021	Change
2011 NS Sec 1-2	24.9%		
2011 NS Sec 3-5	29.2%		
2011 NS Sec 6-8	38.5%		
2011 NS Sec 9	7.5%		
2021 NS Sec 1-2		26.4%	
2021 NS Sec 3-5		27.2%	
2021 NS Sec 6-8		40.5%	
2021 NS Sec 9		5.8%	

Not comparable. This variable is derived from the occupation variable. 2021 cannot be compared with 2011 because the classifications in the occupation variable have changed.

2 or above qual	57.9%	67.1%	9.2%
Level 1 or no qual	42.1%	32.9%	-9.2%

Economically active	61.6%	57.8%	-3.8%
In employment	56.0%	54.5%	-1.5%
Unemployed	5.6%	3.3%	-2.3%
Economically inactive	38.4%	42.2%	3.8%
Retired	24.1%	25.7%	1.5%
Student	4.2%	4.1%	-0.2%
Looking after home	3.8%	4.6%	0.8%
Long-term sick	4.1%	4.9%	0.7%
Other	2.1%	3.0%	0.9%

England

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		7.7%	

	64.2%	72.2%	8.0%
	35.8%	27.8%	-8.0%

	63.6%	60.9%	-2.7%
	58.9%	57.4%	-1.5%
	4.7%	3.5%	-1.2%
	36.4%	39.1%	2.7%
	21.2%	21.5%	0.3%
	5.3%	5.6%	0.4%
	4.0%	4.8%	0.8%
	3.8%	4.1%	0.3%
	2.2%	3.1%	1.0%

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Gender identity

2021

The same as sex registered at birth	93.8%
Different from birth but not specified	0.2%
Trans woman	0.1%
Trans man	0.1%
Non-binary	0.0%
All other gender identities	0.0%
Not answered	5.8%

Sexual orientation

Straight or Heterosexual	90.2%
Gay or Lesbian	1.3%
Bisexual	1.1%
Pansexual	0.2%
Other	0.1%
Not answered	7.2%

England

2021

93.5%
0.2%
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0.0%
6.0%

89.4%
1.5%
1.3%
0.2%
0.1%
7.5%

The Humber

Tenure	2011	2021	Change
Owned	65.3%	63.6%	-1.8%
Shared ownership	0.3%	0.4%	0.1%
Social rented	16.6%	16.0%	-0.6%
Private rented	16.3%	19.9%	3.5%

Household composition

One-person household Aged 65+	12.8%	14.3%	1.5%
Lone parent with dependent children	7.2%	7.1%	-0.1%

Deprivation

No cars or vans in household	27.0%	23.6%	-3.5%
Not enough bedrooms	2.8%	2.1%	-0.7%
No central heating	2.8%	1.3%	-1.5%

Method of travel

Work mainly at or from home	4.1%	18.4%	14.2%
Driving a car or van	63.6%	57.0%	-6.6%
Bicycle	5.2%	4.3%	-1.0%
On foot	11.1%	8.6%	-2.5%

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