



Census 2011 – Population Aged 20-64

At present the population data has been released in 5 year age groups therefore it is not possible to analyse the “working age” population of Shropshire. The single year of age data which will enable us to do this will be released over the coming months.

However, the 20-64 age group covers a large part of our working age population and details of this are below.

Highest ranking Electoral Wards

Table 1 below shows all the Electoral Wards in Shropshire which have over 3,000 people aged 20-64 years. Bayston Hill, Column & Sutton Electoral Ward has the highest number of 20-64 year olds (6,706).

Table 2 lists those Electoral Wards where 20-64 year olds make up 60% or more of the total population. Quarry & Coton Hill Electoral Ward has the highest proportion of 20-24 year olds (68%)

Table 1

Electoral Ward Name	20-64 Population	Ranking (Highest to Lowest)
Bayston Hill, Column and Sutton	6706	1
Oswestry East	5376	2
Market Drayton West	4982	3
Church Stretton and Craven Arms	4600	4
Wem	4562	5
Whitchurch North	4063	6
Cleobury Mortimer	4006	7
Bridgnorth West and Tasley	3926	8
Bridgnorth East and Astley Abbots	3921	9
Gobowen, Selattyn and Weston Rhyn	3915	10
Shifnal South and Cosford	3273	11
Quarry and Coton Hill	3045	12

Table 2

Electoral Ward Name	Percentage of Population Aged 20-24
Quarry and Coton Hill	68%
Bowbrook	64%
Battlefield	64%
Shifnal South and Cosford	62%
Belle Vue	62%
Bagley	61%
Radbroke	60%
Castlefields and Ditherington	60%
Chirbury and Worthen	60%

Lowest Ranking Electoral Wards

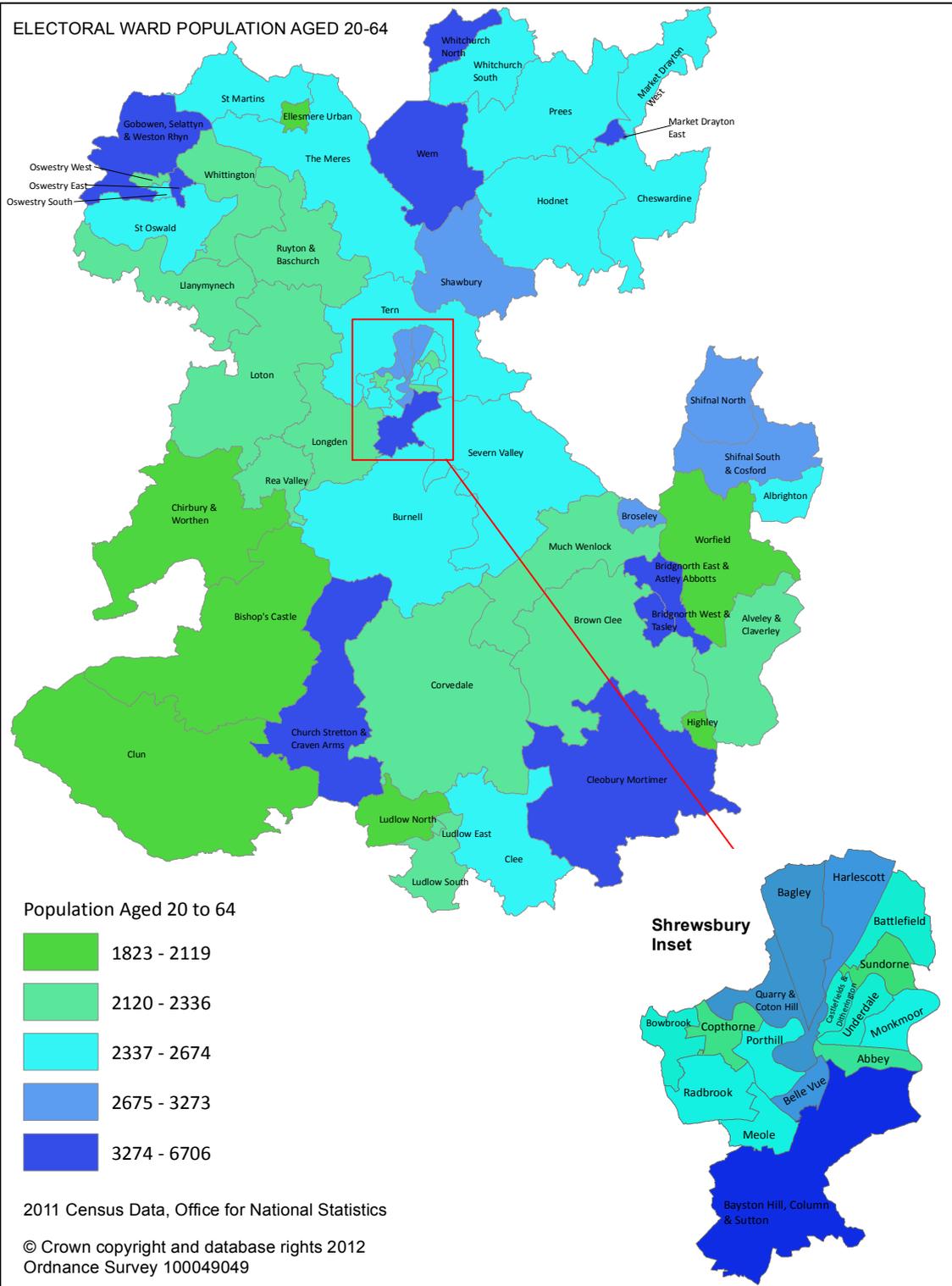
Two Electoral Wards in Shropshire have a 20-64 year old population which is less than 2,000, Chirbury & Worthen Electoral Ward and Ludlow North Electoral Ward.

However, it should be noted that although Chirbury & Worthen has a lower number of 20-64 year olds they do equal 60% of the total population of the Electoral Ward.

Table 3

Electoral Ward	20-64 Population	Ranking (Lowest to Highest)
Chirbury and Worthen	1823	1
Ludlow North	1931	2
Highley	2014	3
Clun	2074	4
Bishop's Castle	2079	5
Worfield	2108	6
Ellesmere Urban	2119	7
Abbey	2148	8
Corvedale	2190	9
Oswestry West	2194	10

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