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9.14 Households with regular use of car(s): 1951-2006

For details of household car ownership by region and area type, see Table 9.15

Year	Percentage					All Households
	No car	One car	Two cars	Three or more cars		
1951	86	13	1	-		100
1952	84	14	1	-		100
1953	83	16	1	-		100
1954	81	17	2	-		100
1955	80	19	2	-		100
1956	78	20	2	-		100
1957	76	22	2	-		100
1958	74	24	2	-		100
1959	73	25	2	-		100
1960	71	27	2	-		100
1961	69	29	2	-		100
1962	67	30	3	-		100
1963	64	33	3	-		100
1964	62	34	4	-		100
1965	59	36	5	-		100
1966	55	39	6	-		100
1967	53	41	6	-		100
1968	51	43	6	-		100
1969	49	45	6	-		100
1970	48	45	6	1		100
1971	48	44	7	1		100
1972	48	44	8	1		100
1973	46	43	9	1		100
1974	45	44	10	1		100
1975	44	45	10	1		100
1976	45	44	10	1		100
1977	43	45	10	1		100
1978	44	45	10	1		100
1979	43	44	11	2		100
1980	41	44	13	2		100
1981	40	45	13	2		100
1982	40	44	13	2		100
1983	39	44	14	2		100
1984	39	44	14	3		100
1985	38	45	15	3		100
1986	38	45	15	3		100
1987	36	45	16	3		100
1988	35	44	17	3		100
1989	34	44	18	4		100
1990	33	44	19	4		100
1991	32	45	19	4		100
1992	32	45	20	4		100
1993	31	45	20	4		100
1994	32	45	20	4		100
1995	30	45	21	4		100
1996	30	45	21	4		100
1997	30	45	21	5		100
1998	28	44	23	5		100
1999	28	44	22	5		100
2000	27	45	23	5		100
2001	26	45	23	5		100
2002	26	44	24	5		100
2003	26	44	25	5		100
2004	25	44	25	5		100
2005 ^R	25	44	25	5		100
2006	24	44	26	6		100

Note: Data from 1961 onward are derived from household surveys.
Figures for earlier years are estimates.

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Source - Family Expenditure Survey, ONS;
General Household Survey, ONS;
National Travel Survey, DfT

9.15 Private motoring: households with regular use of cars

Historic details from 1951 are available in Table 9.14

(a) 1991-2006					Percentage
	<u>No car</u>	<u>One car</u>	<u>Two cars</u>	<u>Three or more cars</u>	<u>All Households</u>
Combined survey data ¹					
1991	32	45	19	4	100
2001	26	45	23	5	100
2002	26	44	24	5	100
2003	26	44	25	5	100
2004	25	44	25	5	100
2005 ^R	25	44	25	5	100
2006	24	44	26	6	100
Census data					
1991	33	44	19	4	100
2001	27	44	23	6	100

(b) By Government Office Region: 2006 ¹					Percentage
	<u>No car</u>	<u>One car</u>	<u>Two or more cars</u>	<u>All Households</u>	
North East	31	45	23		100
North West	27	43	31		100
Yorkshire and the Humber	25	45	30		100
East Midlands	19	45	36		100
West Midlands	23	42	36		100
East of England	17	42	41		100
London	36	46	18		100
South East	18	43	39		100
South West	17	45	37		100
England	24	44	33		100
Wales	22	45	33		100
Scotland	29	45	26		100
Great Britain	24	44	32		100

(c) By area type: 2007					Percentage/number
	<u>Cars per Household</u>	<u>No car</u>	<u>One car</u>	<u>Two or more cars</u>	<u>All Households</u>
London Boroughs	0.77	43	41	16	100
Metropolitan areas	1.01	31	42	27	100
Other urban areas with population:					
Over 250 thousand	1.08	27	44	29	100
25 to 250 thousand	1.16	23	44	32	100
10 to 25 thousand	1.17	22	46	32	100
3 to 10 thousand	1.31	19	42	40	100
Rural areas	1.54	10	38	51	100
Great Britain	1.14	25	43	32	100

¹ Based on combined survey data sources - Family Expenditure Survey, ONS; General Household Survey, ONS; National Travel Survey, DfT.

9.16 Private motoring: full car driving licence holders by age and gender: 1975/1976-2007

Percentage/number (millions)									
Year	Age							All adults	Estimated number of licence holders
	17-20	21-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70 or over		
(a) All adults									
1975/1976	28	59	67	60	50	35	15	48	19.4
1985/1986	33	63	74	71	60	47	27	57	24.3
1989/1991	43	72	77	78	67	54	32	64	27.8
1992/1994	48	75	82	79	72	57	33	67	29.3
1995/1997 ¹	43	74	81	81	75	63	38	69	30.3
1998/2000	41	75	84	83	77	67	39	71	31.4
2002	33	67	82	84	81	70	44	70	31.9
2003	29	67	82	83	80	72	44	70	32.1
2004	27	65	82	83	80	72	46	70	32.2
2005	32	66	82	84	82	74	51	72	33.3
2006	34	67	82	84	82	76	50	72	33.7
2007	38	66	81	83	82	75	52	71	33.8
(b) Male									
1975/1976	36	78	85	83	75	58	32	69	13.4
1985/1986	37	73	86	87	81	72	51	74	15.1
1989/1991	52	82	88	89	85	78	58	80	16.7
1992/1994	54	83	91	88	88	81	59	81	17.0
1995/1997 ¹	50	80	88	89	89	83	65	81	17.2
1998/2000	44	80	89	91	88	83	65	82	17.4
2002	35	71	88	90	89	85	68	80	17.5
2003	33	73	87	90	91	87	69	81	17.8
2004	30	68	87	89	90	86	72	79	17.7
2005	37	69	86	90	90	88	73	81	18.1
2006	37	71	86	89	91	90	76	81	18.4
2007	41	69	86	88	90	87	75	80	18.4
(c) Female									
1975/1976	20	43	48	37	24	15	4	29	6.0
1985/1986	29	54	62	56	41	24	11	41	9.2
1989/1991	35	64	67	66	49	33	15	49	11.1
1992/1994	42	68	73	70	57	37	16	54	12.2
1995/1997 ¹	36	67	74	73	62	45	21	57	13.1
1998/2000	38	69	78	76	67	53	22	60	14.0
2002	31	62	76	78	73	55	27	61	14.4
2003	25	62	77	77	70	58	26	61	14.3
2004	24	62	77	77	71	58	28	61	14.5
2005	27	62	77	79	73	61	35	63	15.2
2006	31	63	78	79	74	63	31	63	15.3
2007	34	62	76	78	74	63	36	63	15.4

1 Figures for 1995 onwards are based on weighted data

9.17 Annual mileage of 4-wheeled cars by type of car and trip purpose: 2007

	Miles/percentage				
	Business Mileage	Commuting mileage	Other private mileage	Total mileage	Proportion of cars in sample
All company cars	8,060	6,100	5,830	19,990	5
Self-employed business car	5,030	3,640	4,580	13,260	3
Household car used for work	3,670	3,810	4,720	12,200	12
Other household car	60	2,320	5,080	7,460	80
All private cars	690	2,550	5,020	8,260	95
All cars	1,070	2,740	5,060	8,870	100

	Business Mileage	Commuting mileage	Other private mileage	Total mileage	Proportion of company cars in sample
All 4-wheeled cars:					
1995/1997 ^R	1,710	2,830	5,160	9,700	7
1998/2000 ^R	1,590	2,940	5,030	9,550	8
2002	1,250	2,780	5,140	9,170	7
2003	1,230	2,840	5,160	9,230	6
2004	1,140	2,850	5,170	9,160	6
2005	1,090	2,840	5,080	9,010	6
2006	1,040	2,770	4,960	8,770	5
2007	1,070	2,740	5,060	8,870	5

9.18 Private motoring: Car driving tests: 1997-2007/08

	Thousands/rate										
	1997 ^{2,3}	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08
Applications received¹	1,206	1,286	1,205	1,263	1,315	1,468	1,526	1,675	1,847	1,883	1,878
Tests conducted	1,122	1,166	1,130	1,015	1,216	1,344	1,399	1,668	1,834	1,784	1,769
Passed:											
Male	257	267	256	229	273	300	304	365	411	405	412
Female	269	268	240	214	254	283	295	340	370	367	370
Total	526	535	496	443	527	583	598	706	781	773	782
Pass rate, by sex:											
Male	52	51	48	48	47	47	46	46	46	46	47
Female	43	42	40	40	40	40	40	39	40	41	41
Total	47	46	44	44	43	43	43	42	43	43	44

- 1 These are gross figures and take no account of applications which do not mature into a test due to cancellations etc.
- 2 Figures for 1996 and 1997 calculated on calendar year. Figures for following years calculated on financial years basis
- 3 Theory Test introduced

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Source - DSA