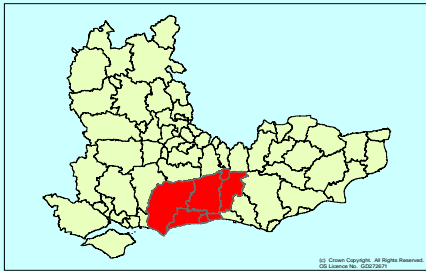


**Key Facts:**

**West Sussex**



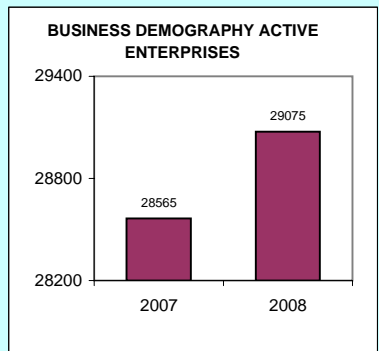
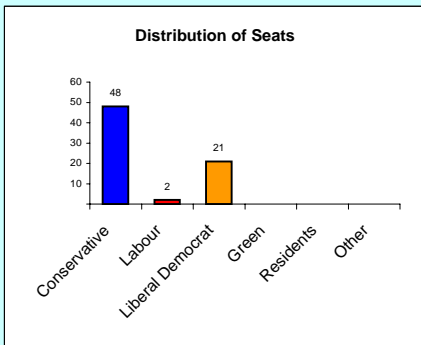
Size, Population and Character	
Area (sq km)	1,991
Population, thousands (Mid 2008)	782
Pop.Change 1998 - 2008 (%)	5.5
Proportion Rural (% of Area)	85.5

County Council	
Chief Executive:	Mark Hammond
Leader:	Henry Smith
Website:	www.westsussex.gov.uk
CPA Rating (at March 2008)	3 Star (Improving Well)

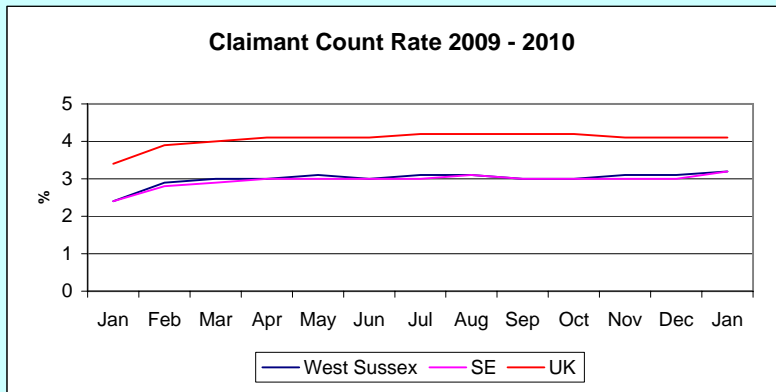
Main Employment by Sector (%) 2008			
	County	SE	England
Banking, finance and insurance, etc	21.0	24.0	22.7
Construction	3.9	4.5	4.6
Distribution, hotels and restaurants	25.1	24.6	23.5
Manufacturing	9.7	8.1	10.1
Other services	5.2	5.6	5.3
Public admin, education & health	24.7	25.6	26.4
Transport and communications	9.5	5.9	6.0
<b>Total Employees (Number)</b>	<b>332954</b>	<b>3,757,709</b>	<b>23,073,713</b>

Political Make - Up (as at 04/06/09)	
Control	Con

**Business**



Claimant Count (Residence based)	
Jan-10	
Number	14479
Rate %	3.2



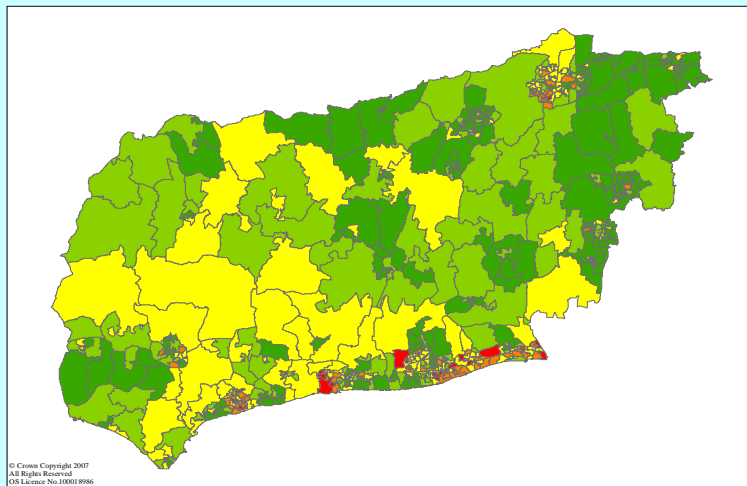
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Planning	
Major Designations	hectares
Green Belt	10
AONB (estimated)	99700

Education		
Local Education Authority:	West Sussex	
	LEA	SE
<b>GCSE Attainment 2008/9 (Pro)</b>		
5 A* to C grades (%)	67.7	69.5
5 A to G grades (%)	94.2	93.9
No Passes (%)	1	1.2
<b>Key Stage 2 (proportion reaching level 4 or above) 2008/9 (Pro)</b>		
Maths	78	78
English	80	80
<b>Key stage 3 (proportion reaching level 5 or above) 2007/8 Updated</b>		
Maths	79	78
English	78	75
Science	76	73
<b>Total participation in education and work based learning 2007</b>		
16 year olds (%)	87	86
17 year olds (%)	78	77

## Indices of Deprivation 2007

Super Output Areas by National Rank  
of Index of Multiple Deprivation



Rank of Average of SOA Scores (of 149, 1 = most deprived)	147
No of SOAs in worst 20% nationally	19

### Key National Rank

<span style="color: red;">■</span>	1 - 6496
<span style="color: orange;">■</span>	6497 - 12992
<span style="color: yellow;">■</span>	12993 - 19488
<span style="color: lightgreen;">■</span>	19487 - 25984
<span style="color: green;">■</span>	25985 - 32482

Police Force Area	Crime		
	Sussex	(April 2008 - March 2009)	
Offence	Number	per 1000 population	Change % 06/07 - 07/08
Burglary dwelling	4132	2.7	-2.6
Robbery	1034	0.7	15.0
Sexual offences	1378	0.9	3.8
Theft from a vehicle	7620	5.0	-6.5
Theft of a motor vehicle	2529	1.6	-11.3
Violence against the person	20266	13.2	-19.2

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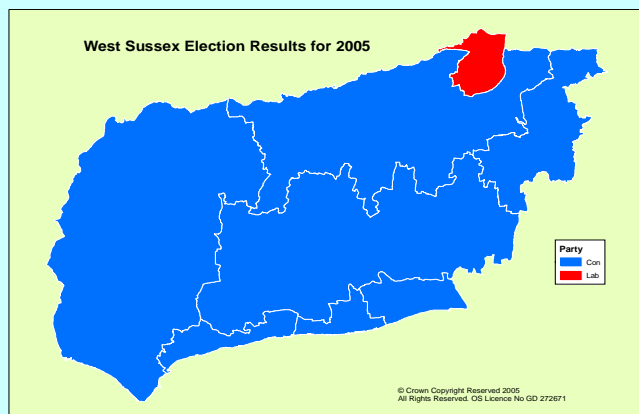
### Dwelling Stock 2008

Type	County	SE	England
<b>Total Dwelling stock</b>	<b>464012</b>	<b>3603644</b>	<b>22493857</b>
Percentage of Total Dwelling Stock owned by Local Authority	4.2	5.1	8.3
Percentage of Total Dwelling Stock owned by Registered Social Landlords	7.5	8.7	9.5
Percentage of Total Dwelling Stock that are 'Other public sector'	0.5	0.6	0.3
Percentage of Total Dwelling Stock that are owner occupied and private rented	87.8	85.7	81.8

### Households Accepted as Homeless and in Priority Need 2007/08

	County	SE
Total Households, thousands	328	3368
Numbers accepted as homeless and in priority need (2007/08)	457	5510
Numbers accepted as homeless and in priority need/1000 households	1.4	1.6
Numbers in Temporary Accommodation at end June 2008	648	5890

### Parliamentary Constituencies



MP	Majority
<b>Arundel and South Downs</b> Nick Herbert (Con)	11309
<b>Bognor Regis and Littlehampton</b>  Mr Nick Gibb (Con)	7822
<b>Chichester</b> Mr Andrew Tyrie (Con)	10860
<b>Crawley Borough</b> Laura Moffatt (Lab)	37
<b>East Worthing and Shoreham</b>  Tim Loughton (Con)	8183
<b>Horsham</b> Rt Hon Francis Maude (Con)	12627
<b>Mid Sussex</b> Hon Nicholas Soames (Con)	5890
<b>Worthing West</b> Peter Bottomley (Con)	9378