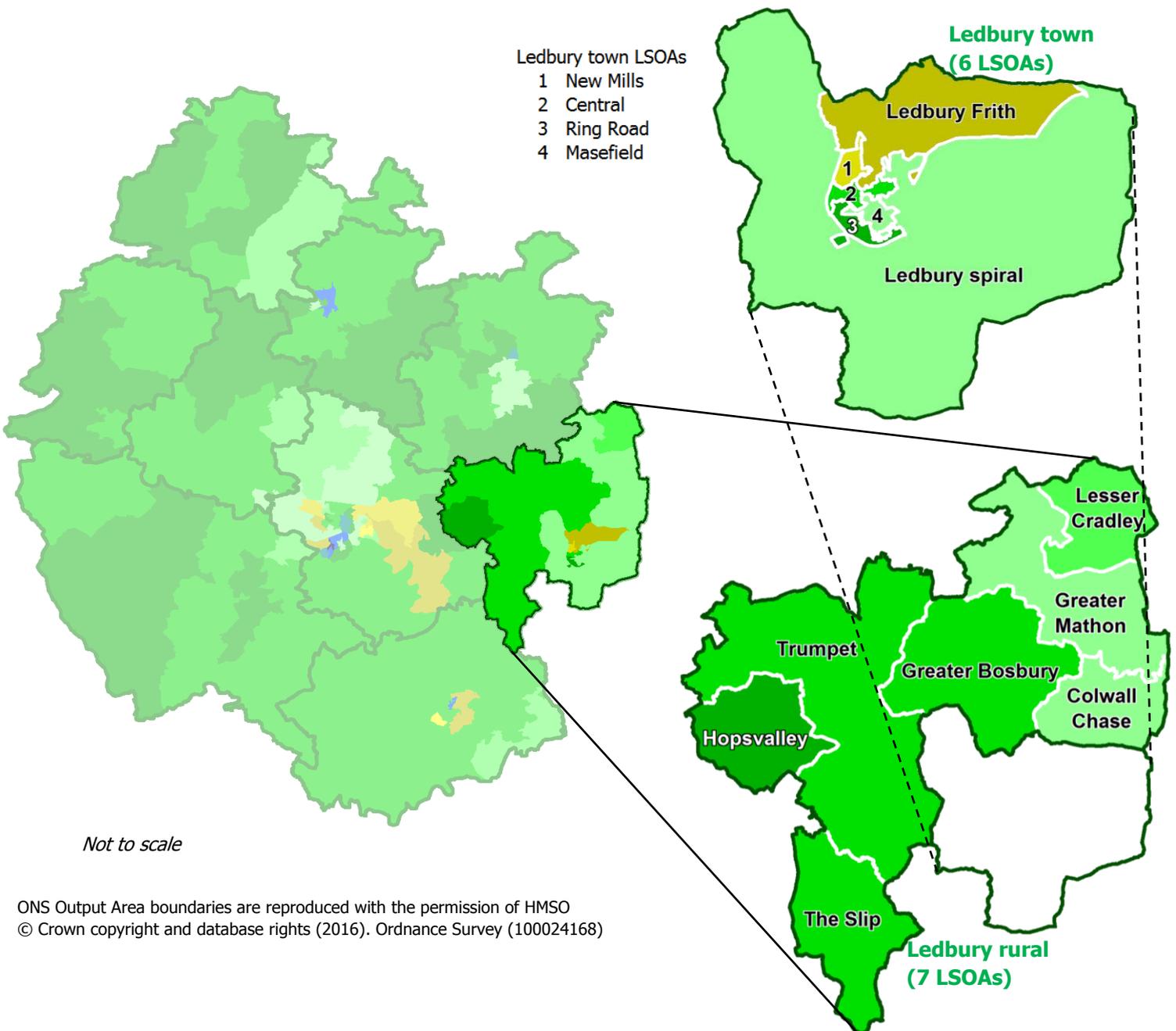


# 2015 Indices of Deprivation for Herefordshire

## Ledbury locality profile

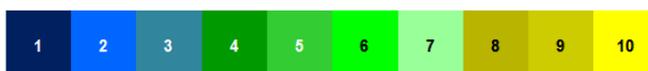
The Ledbury locality has relatively low levels of deprivation. However, it is deprived in terms of housing condition, availability of central heating and access to services, largely affecting the rural surroundings.

Overall, the Ledbury locality has the lowest levels of education deprivation in the county, particularly for children and young people, although 'Ring Road' is one of the *most* deprived 20 per cent LSOAs in England in this respect.



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Deciles



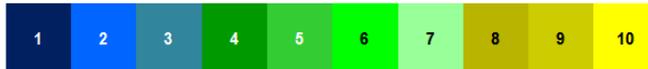
Ranging from the *most* deprived 10 per cent to the *least* deprived 10 per cent of LSOAs in England

Most deprived

Least deprived

# Distribution of Ledbury's 13 LSOAs by English decile for the overall index and domains of deprivation.

## Deciles

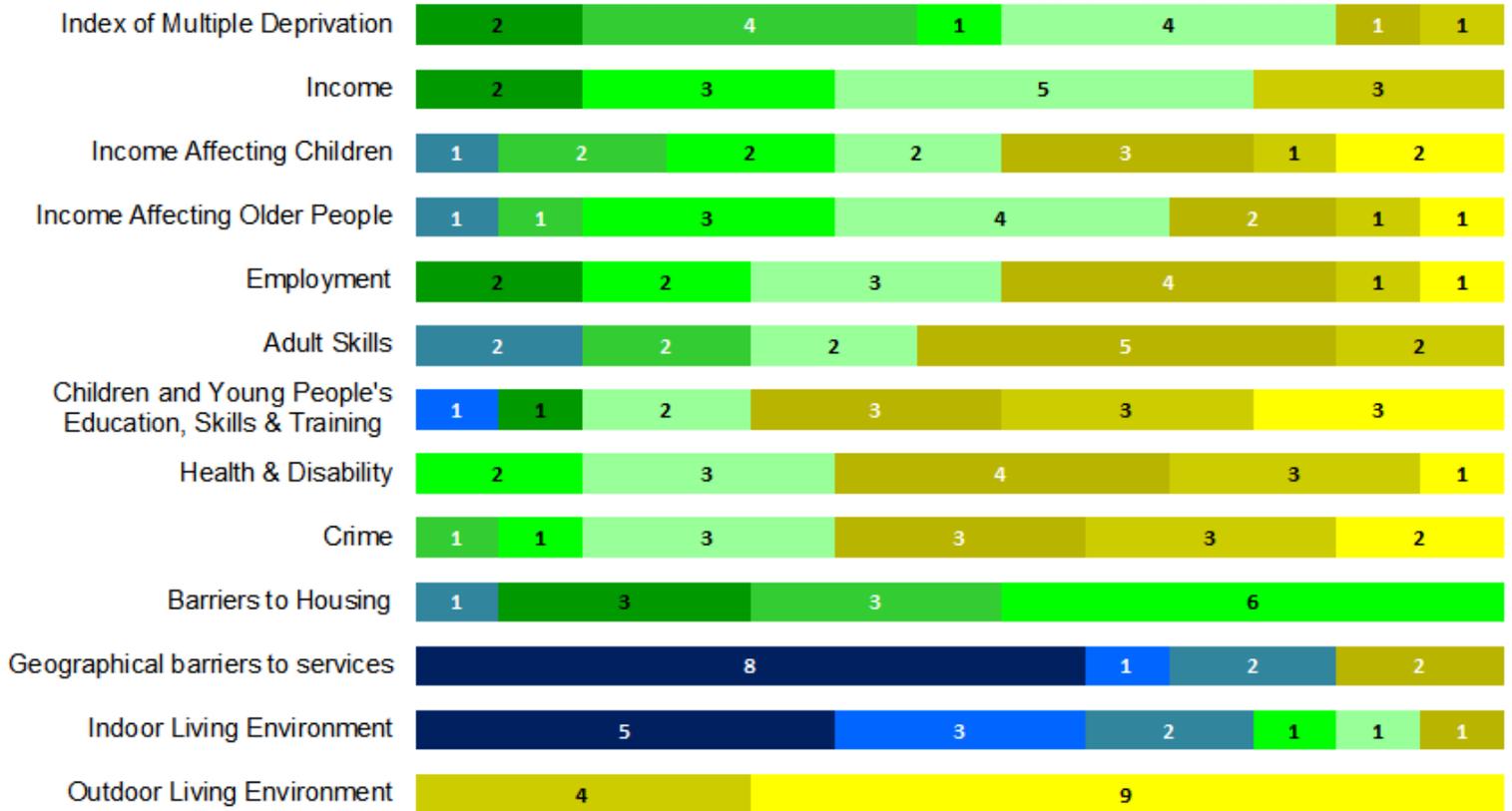


Ranging from the *most* deprived 10 per cent to the *least* deprived 10 per cent of LSOAs in England

**Most deprived** ←

→ **Least deprived**

*Numbers in the chart refer to the number of LSOAs within that decile*



*The relative positions of lower super output areas (LSOAs) in the county compared to all others in England; useful if wanting to highlight issues to organisations from outside the county – e.g. to Government or when applying for national funding.*

## Overall Index of Multiple Deprivation (IMD)



Ledbury town experiences lower than average levels of deprivation and of its six LSOAs, 'New Mills' is one of the 20 per cent *least* deprived in England.

As with Herefordshire as a whole, Ledbury rural experiences average levels of deprivation.

## Income - overall



**Nine per cent of the locality's population are living in income deprived households, compared to 11 per cent countywide.**

10 per cent of people in Ledbury town are living in income deprived households. It has lower than average levels of deprivation and 'New Mills' & 'Spiral' are amongst the 20 per cent *least* deprived LSOAs in England.

Eight per cent of people living in Ledbury rural are living in income deprived households. No areas within the sub-locality are deprived and 'Greater Mathon' is one of the 20 per cent *least* deprived LSOAs in England.

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## Income - children (<16) & older people (60+)



**11 per cent of children and 12 per cent of older people in the locality live in income deprived households, compared to 14 per cent and 13 per cent countywide.**

 12 per cent of children and 13 per cent of older people in Ledbury town live in income deprived households. Although the town experiences lower than average levels of deprivation, 'Ring Road' is one of the 25 per cent *most* deprived LSOAs in England for income deprived children (28 per cent) and 'Central' is in the top 25 per cent for income deprived older people (26 per cent). 'New Mills' & 'Spiral' are amongst the 20 per cent and 10 per cent *least* deprived, respectively.

 Nine per cent of children and 10 per cent of older people in Ledbury rural live in income deprived households. Lower levels of deprivation, for both age groups, exist in Ledbury Rural and no areas are amongst the *most* deprived in England. 'Trumpet' & 'Lesser Cradley' are amongst the 25 per cent *least* deprived LSOAs in England and 'Greater Mathon' is one of the lowest 10 per cent.

## Employment



**Seven per cent of the locality's working age population are living in employment deprivation, compared to nine per cent countywide.**

 Eight per cent of Ledbury town's working age population are living in employment deprivation. The town experiences lower than average levels of deprivation with no areas that are particularly deprived. 'Spiral' & 'New Mills' are amongst the 25 per cent and 10 per cent *least* deprived LSOAs in England, respectively.

 Seven per cent of Ledbury rural's working age population are living in employment deprivation. The sub-locality experiences relatively low levels of deprivation and no areas are deprived. Three of the sub-locality's seven LSOAs are amongst the 25 per cent *least* deprived in England, including 'Trumpet', which is one of the lowest 10 per cent.

## Adult skills (qualifications & the ability to speak English)



 Ledbury town experiences average levels of deprivation.

 Ledbury rural has low levels of deprivation and no areas within the sub-locality are deprived. Four of the sub-locality's seven LSOAs are amongst the 25 per cent *least* deprived in England.

## Children & young people's education & skills (attainment & school attendance)



 Levels of deprivation in Ledbury town are relatively low and two of its six LSOAs ('New Mills' & 'Spiral') are amongst the 20 per cent *least* deprived in England. However, 'Ring Road' is one of the 20 per cent *most* deprived.

 Ledbury rural has relatively low levels of deprivation and no areas within the sub-locality are deprived.

## Health and Disability



 Ledbury town has relatively low levels of deprivation and no areas within the sub-locality are deprived. 'Frith' is one of the least deprived 25 per cent of LSOAs in England and 'New Mills' is one of the lowest 10 per cent.

 Ledbury rural has relatively low levels of deprivation and no areas within the sub-locality are deprived. 'Slip', 'Trumpet' & 'Greater Mathon' are amongst the 20 per cent *least* deprived LSOAs in England

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### Crime (violent crimes, burglaries, thefts and criminal damage)



 Ledbury town has low levels of deprivation. 'New Mills' is one of the 10 per cent *least* deprived LSOAs in England.

 Ledbury rural has relatively low levels of deprivation. Five out of its seven LSOAs are amongst the 25 per cent *least* deprived in England, including 'Greater Bosbury' which is one of the 10 per cent least deprived.

### Barriers to housing (affordability, homelessness & overcrowding)



 As with much of urban Herefordshire, Ledbury town has slightly above average levels of deprivation and 'Ledbury Central' is one of the 25 per cent most deprived LSOAs in England.

 As with the rest of rural Herefordshire, Ledbury rural experiences average levels of deprivation.

### Geographical barriers to services (distance to schools, GPs, shops, etc)



 Ledbury town has slightly above average levels of deprivation, although the picture is mixed across the town. While central areas have relatively good access to services, four of the town's six LSOAs extend into the rural surroundings, and are in the 25 per cent *most* deprived in England, including 'New Mills' & 'Spiral' which are two of the 10 per cent most deprived.

 As is the case for the whole of rural Herefordshire, Ledbury rural is very deprived; with the exception of 'Colwall Chase', all of its LSOAs are amongst the 10 per cent most deprived in England.

### Indoor living environment (house condition & availability of heating)



 Ledbury town has slightly above average levels of deprivation although the picture is mixed across the town. Three of its six LSOAs are amongst the *most* deprived 25 per cent in England.

 As with much of Herefordshire, particularly the rural areas, Ross rural is very deprived. With the exception of 'Colwall Chase', all of its LSOAs are amongst the 20 per cent least deprived in England, of which five are in the lowest 10 per cent (excluding 'Lesser Cradley').

### Outdoor living environment (air quality & road traffic accidents)



 As with Herefordshire as a whole, Ledbury town has very low levels of deprivation. All six of its LSOAs are amongst the 20 per cent least deprived in England, of which all but 'Masefield' & 'Spiral' are in the lowest 10 per cent.

 As with Ledbury town and the county as a whole, Ledbury rural has very low levels of deprivation. All seven of its LSOAs are amongst the 20 per cent least deprived in England, of which all but 'The Slip' & 'Lesser Cradley' are in the lowest 10 per cent.

A summary report, data and guidance notes are available from [Indices of Deprivation pages](#) of the [Facts & Figures about Herefordshire](#) website

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