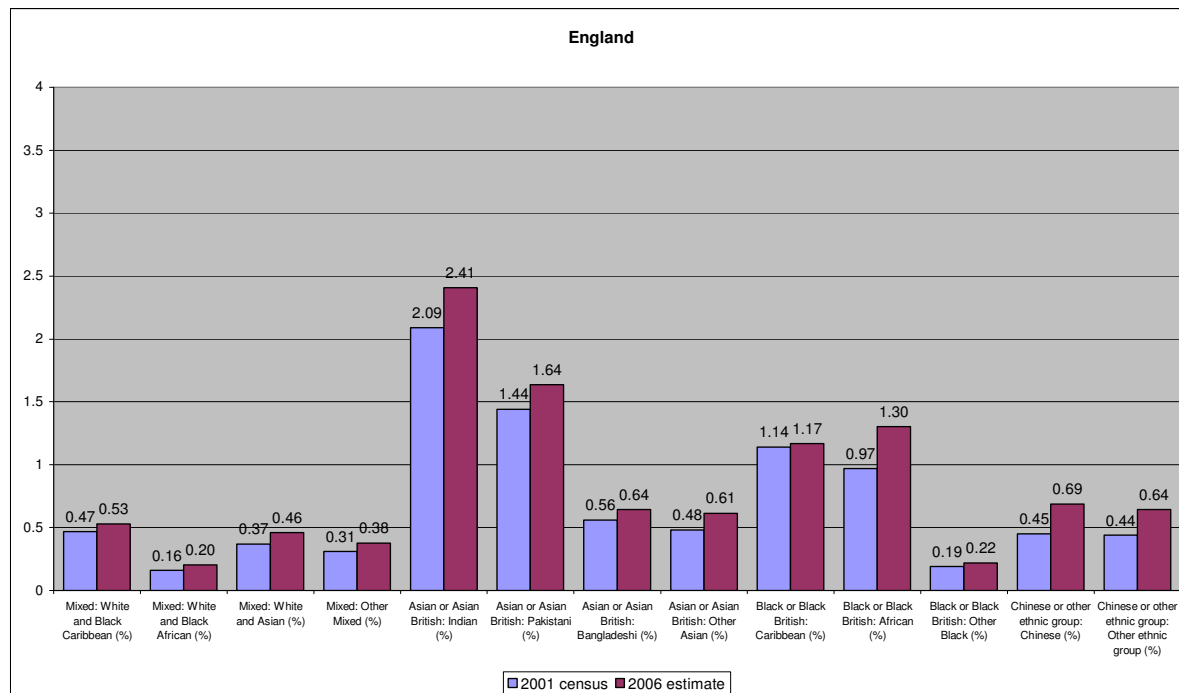


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The following charts show the ethnic breakdown of the non-White populations of England and West Midlands, according to 2001 Census data and projections for 2006.



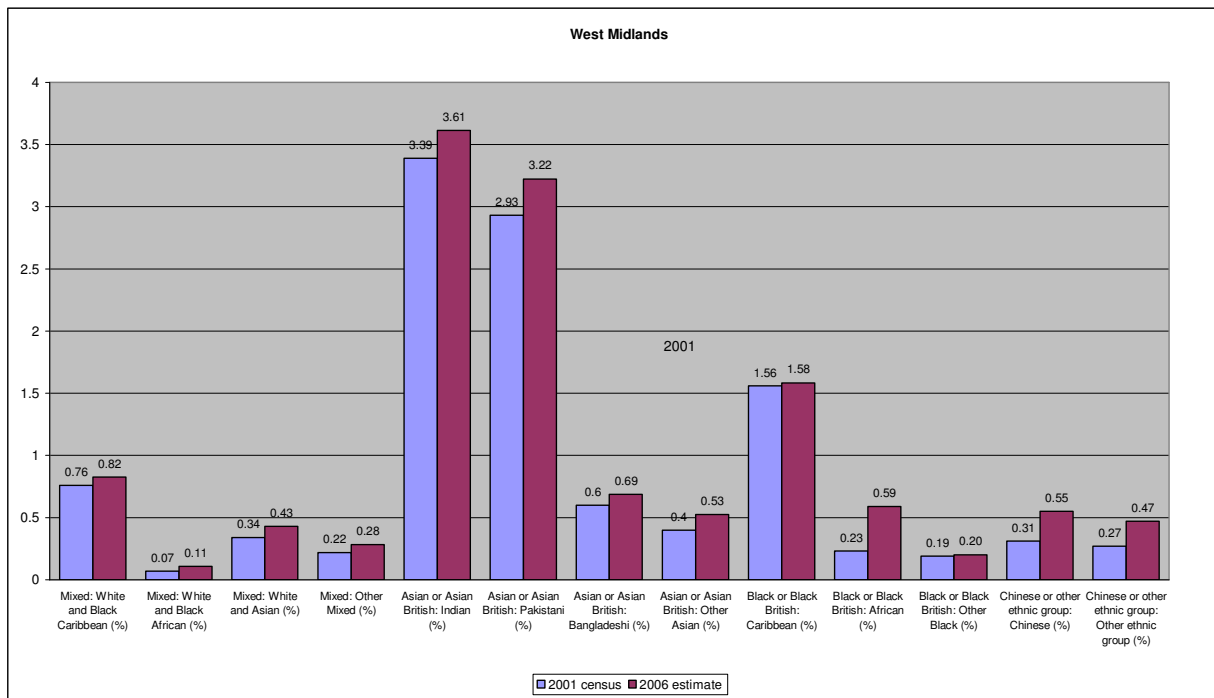
Figures for White groups were as follows:

Area	England	
	2001 census	2006 estimate
White: British (%)	86.99	84.72
White: Irish (%)	1.27	1.17
White: Other White (%)	2.66	3.22

The following table shows how the population of the West Midlands is predicted to change to 2031, taking into account both natural change factors (births and deaths) and migration (including both internal migration, within the UK and external migration, between other countries):

COMPONENT	Projected population (thousands) by year									
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2016	2021	2026	2031
Population	5366.7	5389.9	5417.3	5445.9	5475.9	5506.4	5662.5	5823.9	5976.5	6113.7
Natural Change		17.7	18.1	19.5	20.8	21.7	23.0	22.2	18.7	15.4
Births		69.8	69.8	70.7	71.5	72.1	72.6	72.6	71.5	71.7
Deaths		52.1	51.7	51.2	50.8	50.4	49.6	50.4	52.8	56.3
All Migration Net		5.7	9.3	9.2	9.1	8.8	8.9	10.0	10.7	11.0
Internal Migration In		84.9	85.8	86.8	87.7	88.4	90.7	91.4	93.5	96.4
Internal Migration Out		87.5	88.2	89.0	89.6	90.1	91.2	90.8	92.1	94.8
International and Cross Border Migration In		46.7	50.2	50.3	50.4	50.4	50.4	50.4	50.4	50.4
International and Cross Border Migration Out		38.5	38.5	39.0	39.4	39.9	41.0	41.0	41.0	41.0

These figures clearly demonstrate that natural factors are considerably more significant and account for much higher rates of increase amongst the West Midlands population than migration.



Figures for White groups were as follows:

Area	West Midlands	
	2001 census	2006 estimate
White: British (%)	86.15	84.06
White: Irish (%)	1.39	1.25
White: Other White (%)	1.2	1.60