

County	Local Authority/Borough	Total empty homes	Percentage of homes empty	Who owns the empty homes?			
				Local Council ²	Housing Association ²	Other public body ²	Private Landlord ²
Cheshire	Chester	1,956	3.54%	3	299	35	1,619
	Congleton	1,285	3.20%	0	232	0	1,053
	Crewe and Nantwich	2,012	3.92%	0	197	0	1,815
	Ellesmere Port and Neston	798	2.26%	50	12	0	736
	Halton	1,339	2.52%	2	278	0	1,059
	Macclesfield	2,393	3.41%	3	92	4	2,294
	Vale Royal	1,053	1.95%	0	96	12	945
	Warrington	2,635	3.09%	165	106	0	2,364
	Cheshire Total		13,471	3.03%	223	1,312	51
Cumbria	Allerdale	1,647	3.75%	0	160	0	1,487
	Barrow-in-Furness	1,119	3.39%	38	2	0	1,079
	Carlisle	1,712	3.55%	0	26	0	1,686
	Copeland	1,012	3.12%	0	162	0	850
	Eden	301	1.22%	0	7	0	294
	South Lakeland	1,734	3.38%	44	11	1	1,678
Cumbria Total		7,525	3.22%	82	368	1	7,074
Greater Manchester	Bolton	2,799	2.37%	336	56	0	2,407
	Bury	2,988	3.72%	181	41	101	2,665
	Manchester	12,500	6.00%	1,830	908	10	9,752
	Oldham	5,314	5.72%	668	61	0	4,585
	Rochdale	3,255	3.63%	184	414	0	2,657
	Salford	5,264	5.18%	695	217	0	4,352
	Stockport	4,247	3.40%	197	65	0	3,985
	Tameside	4,998	5.14%	0	542	0	4,456
Trafford	2,485	2.61%	0	276	0	2,209	

	Wigan	4,603	3.39%	324	134	10	4,135
Greater Manchester Total		48,453	4.24%	4,415	2,714	121	41,203
Lancashire	Blackburn with Darwen	3,424	5.80%	2	271	0	3,151
	Blackpool	3,221	4.68%	178	27	0	3,016
	Burnley	3,008	7.47%	0	109	0	2,899
	Chorley	451	1.01%	0	42	0	409
	Fylde	1,673	4.71%	0	13	0	1,660
	Hyndburn	2,307	6.36%	0	207	0	2,100
	Lancaster	2,197	3.64%	37	76	0	2,084
	Pendle	2,617	6.65%	0	76	0	2,541
	Preston	2,659	4.50%	0	316	389	1,954
	Ribble Valley	921	3.77%	5	7	0	909
	Rossendale	1,668	5.54%	0	90	0	1,578
	South Ribble	1,181	2.52%	0	38	0	1,143
	West Lancashire	560	1.19%	60	27	0	473
	Wyre	1,794	3.68%	0	44	0	1,750
Lancashire Total		27,681	4.32%	282	1,343	389	25,667
Merseyside	Knowsley	1,366	2.12%	0	499	17	850
	Liverpool	14,825	7.02%	1,072	2,071	0	11,682
	Sefton	7,510	6.06%	367	265	0	6,878
	St Helens	2,418	3.10%	0	447	0	1,971
	Wirral	5,744	3.99%	0	591	0	5,153
Merseyside Total		31,863	5.13%	1,439	3,873	17	26,534
NORTH WEST TOTAL		128,993	4.18%	6,441	9,610	579	112,363

Private homes empty more than 6 months	Number of properties brought back into use (2006/7)
1,133	57
783	17
956	59
347	61
602	2
988	24
393	107
1,309	29
6,511	356
831	25
760	4
913	246
700	0
294	2
1,224	25
4,722	302
1,227	89
1,353	39
4,986	380
2,472	105
1,571	..
2,595	416
2,198	70
1,497	56
903	20

2,388	56
21,190	1,231
1,312	110
1,437	34
1,630	..
409	13
837	11
1,318	87
735	46
1,815	19
1,426	45
365	20
763	35
237	36
258	18
514	19
13,056	493
435	131
10,396	909
2,466	95
1,033	46
1,641	120
15,971	1,301
61,450	3,683