

East and south east London

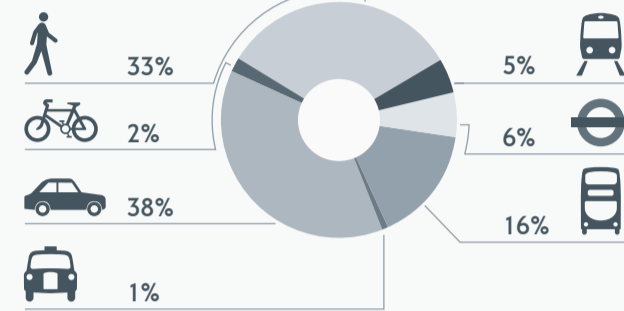
Sub-Regional Transport Plan: addressing the challenges

2014 update

Who lives and works in the east and south east sub-region?
The east and south east London sub-region consists of the London Boroughs of Barking & Dagenham, Bexley, Hackney, Havering, Lewisham, Newham, Redbridge and Tower Hamlets, together with the Royal Borough of Greenwich. They are represented via the east and south east London sub-regional transport panel, together with the London Boroughs of Bromley, Waltham Forest, Dartford Borough Council and Thurrock Unitary Council.

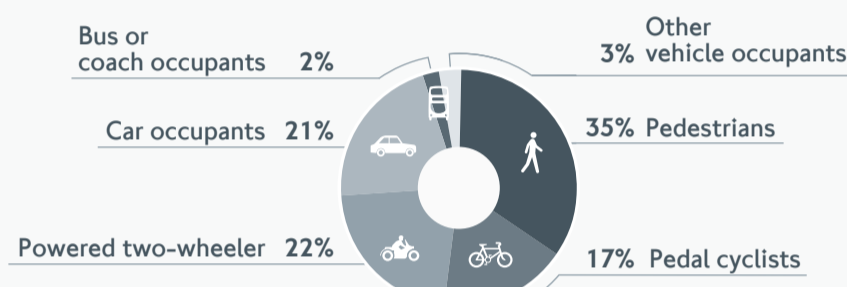


How people travel in the east and south east London sub-region?



Londoners' mode share by sub-region of trip origin, average day (seven-day week), LTDS 2012/13

Killed or seriously injured casualties for all modes in 2013 – east and south east sub-region



Challenges and priority work areas

Challenges in every sub-region

- Transform the role of cycling and walking in the sub-region
- Help meet the Mayor's CO₂ targets
- Improve air quality to meet and exceed legal requirements and ensure health benefits for Londoners

East and south east London-specific challenges

- Manage highway congestion and public transport crowding and make efficient use of the transport network
- Reduce physical barriers to travel (including proximity to the River Thames in east London) and improve resilience of the transport network
- Ensure that the benefits of existing and funded transport investment are maximised
- Support the efficient movement of goods and encourage sustainable freight movement
- Improve connectivity to, from and within key locations to support existing communities and growth

What are the priority work areas?

- Olympics Legacy and Convergence
- Transport investment for jobs and homes in opportunity areas
- Investing in area, corridor and junction studies to address challenges on the road network
- Sub-regional cycling strategy to promote increased mode share and investment
- HS1-2 link

Further information

The east Sub-Regional Transport Plan 2014/15 update provides more detail on the sub-regional projects.

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