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# Mapping the “Big Society”: capacities and resources

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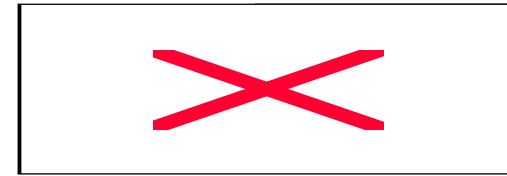
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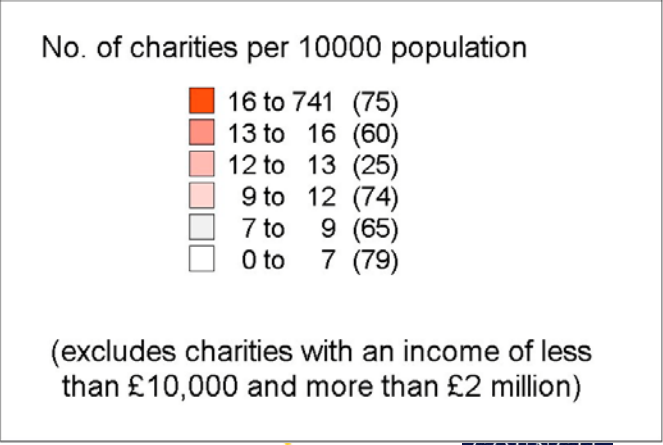
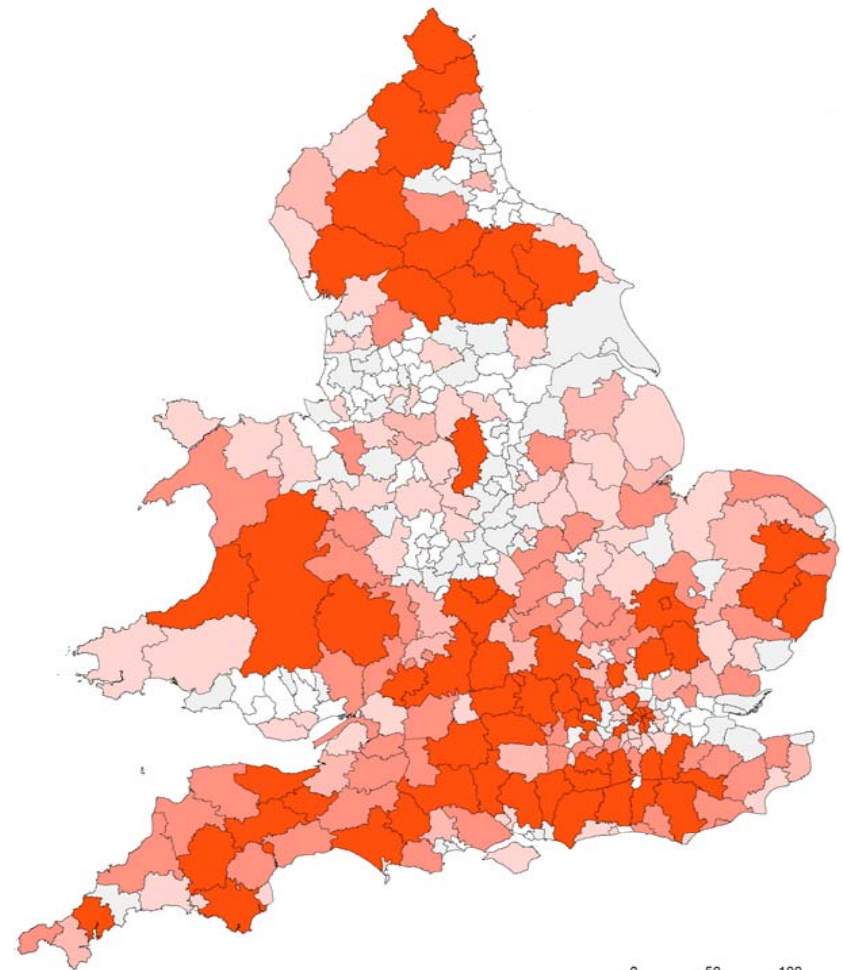
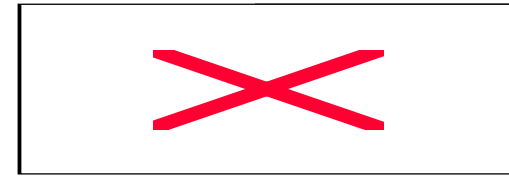
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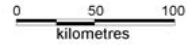
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# Charity deserts?

## Density of charities to population for local authorities in England and Wales

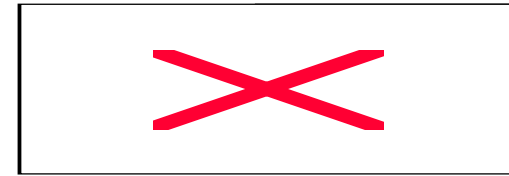


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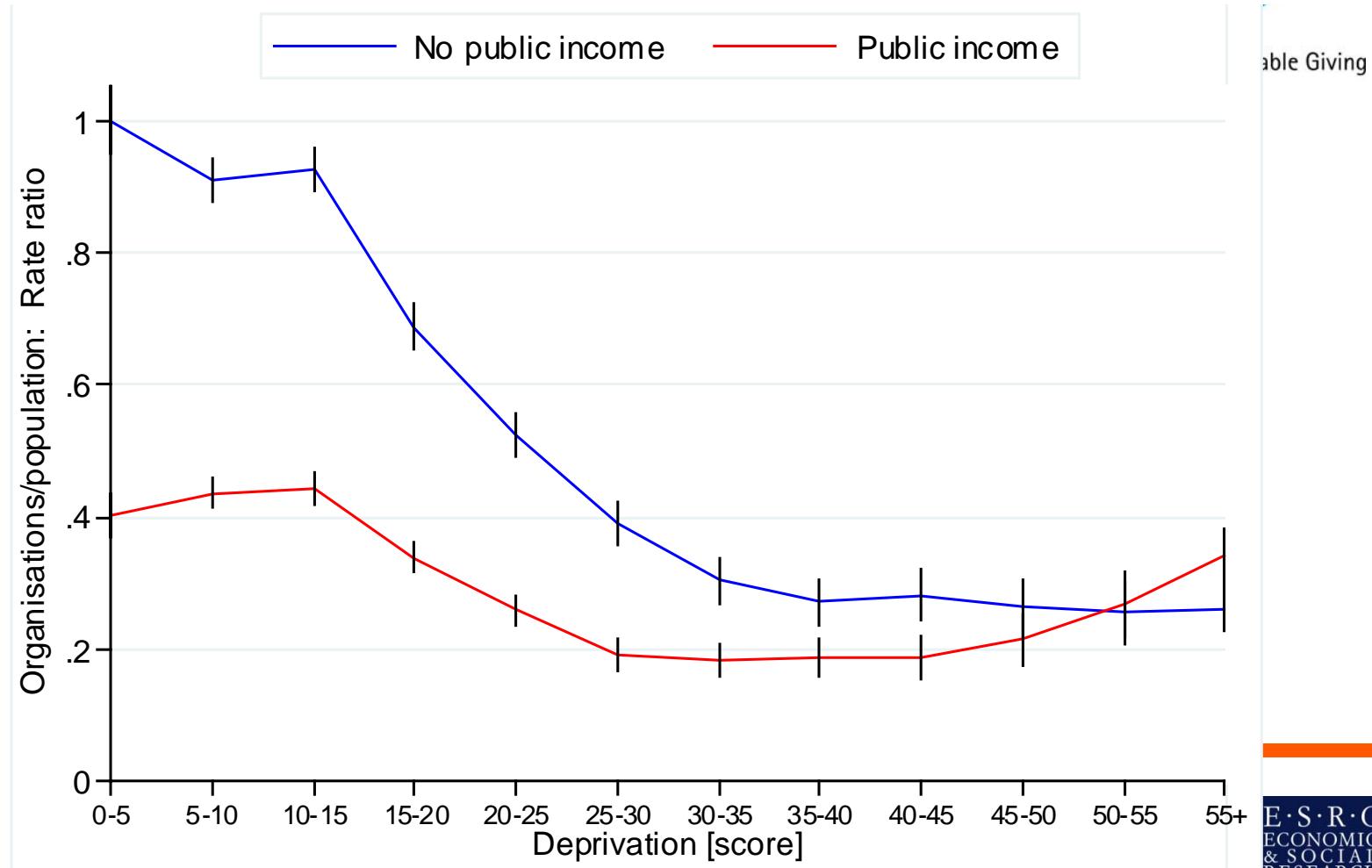


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# Local organisations

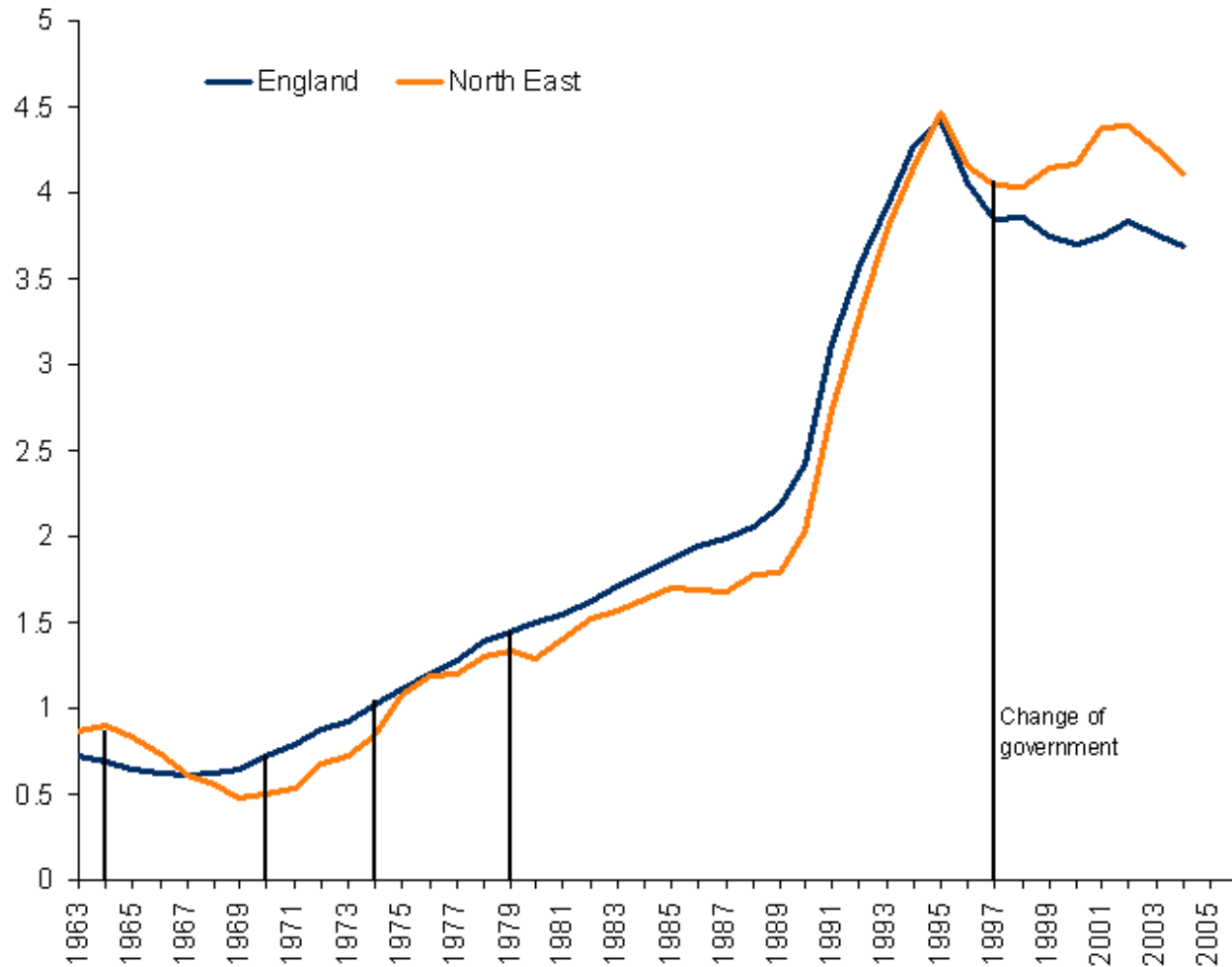


Prevalence of neighbourhood organisations by level of deprivation



# Foundation of Charities

Charity foundations 1963-2006: percentage of charities founded, by year, England and NE compared



# Volunteering

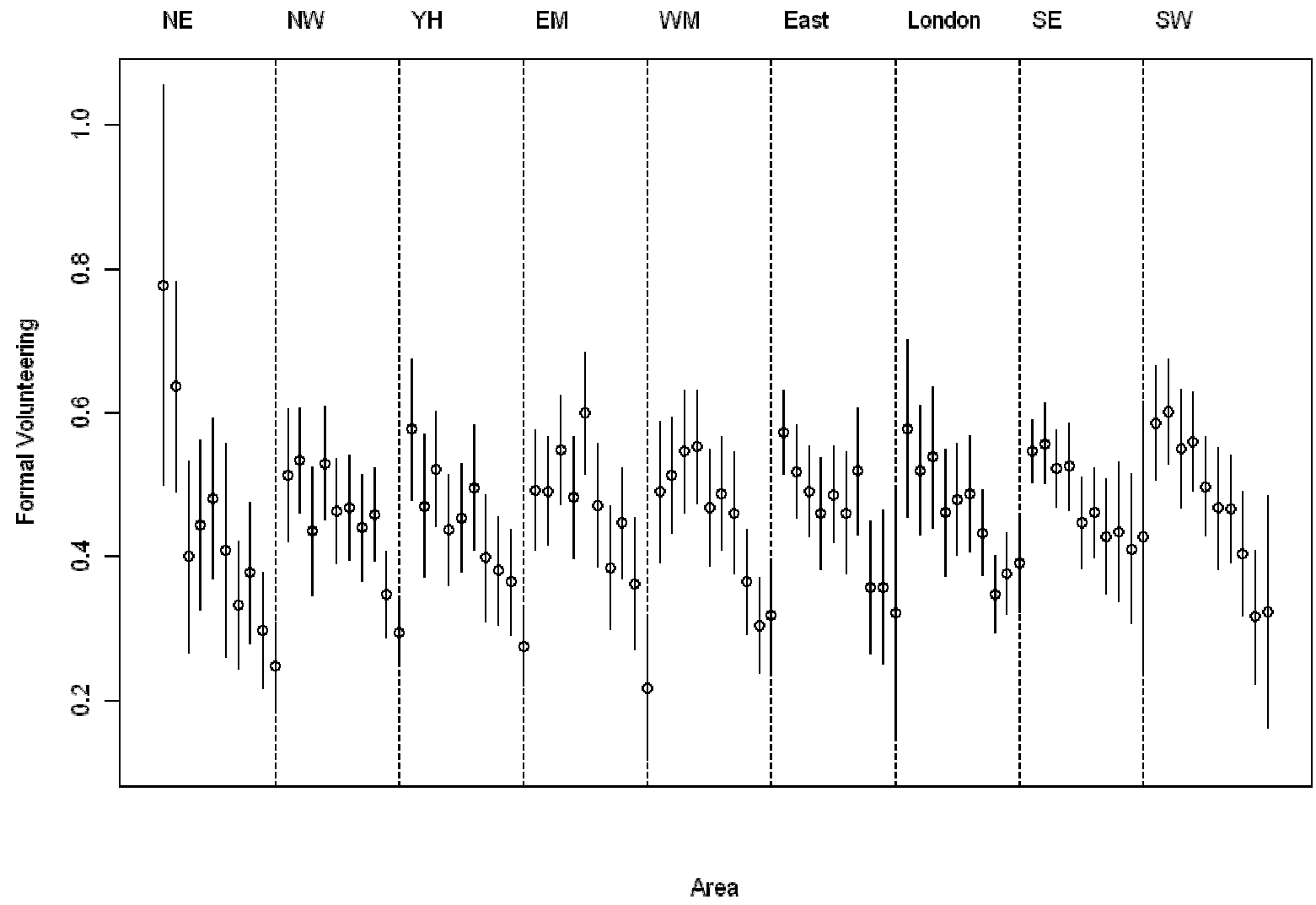
## Trends and variations in volunteering rates

- Long-run stability in volunteering rates
- Difficulties of mapping at a local scale – lack of reliable local surveys
- Place Surveys – some LA – level indicators draw on under 100 respondents
- Regional variations – reflect composition not context
- Variations between places limited once we allow for the mix of people who live there
- More useful to focus on the mix of paid and unpaid work / help that people do / give, and the shares of it across social groups, than on headline rates



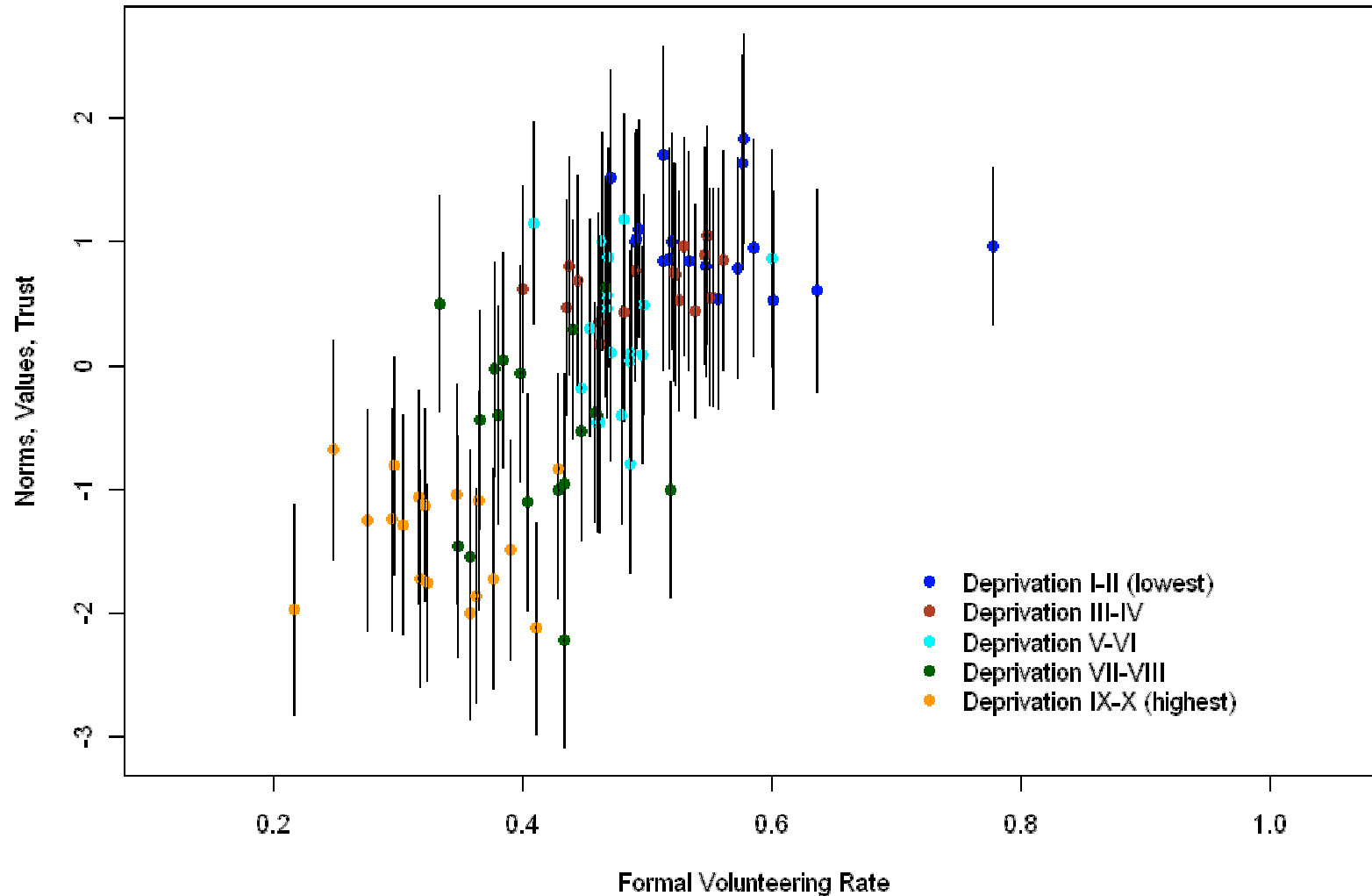
# Volunteering

Area variation in volunteering rates: ranked by levels of deprivation



# Volunteering

Volunteering rates and social capital by level of deprivation





# Civic Core

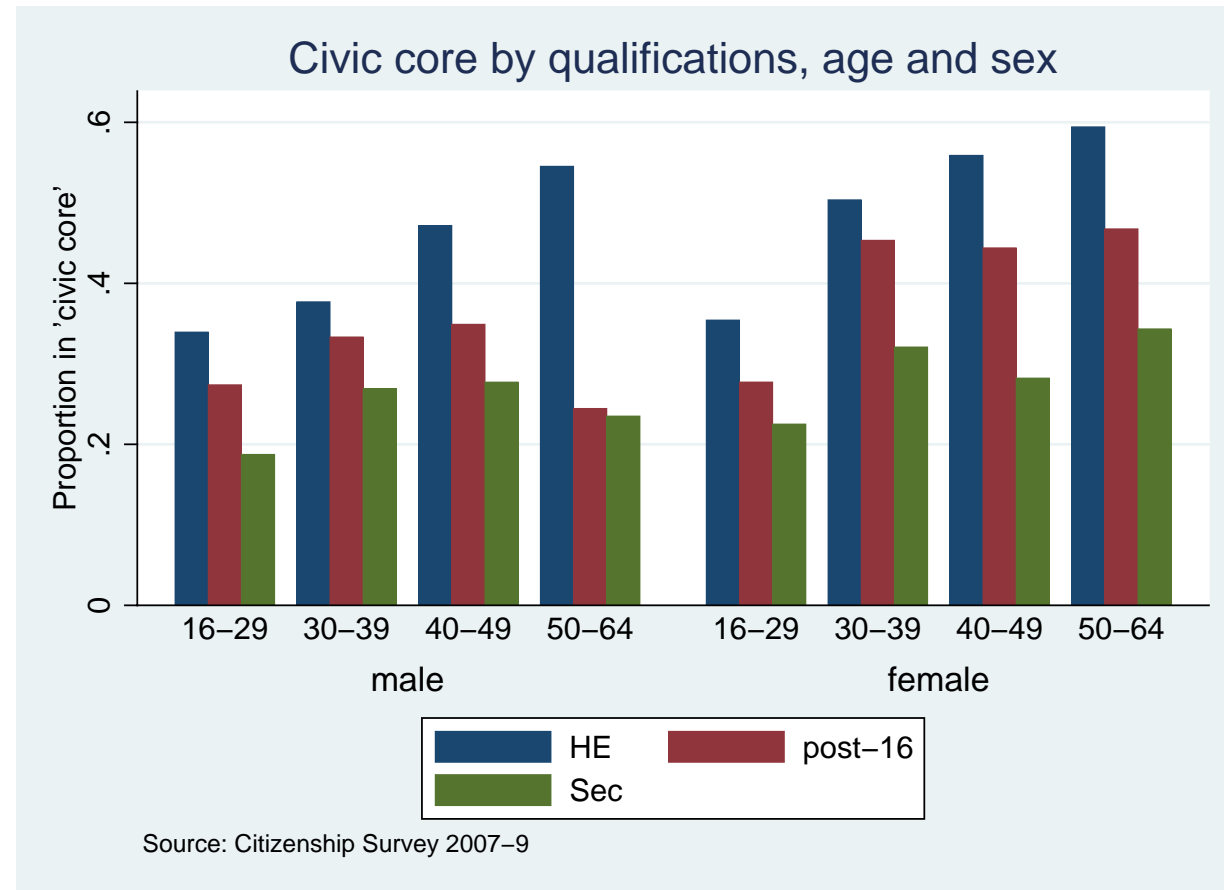
## Civic core by qualifications, age and sex



### Civic Core:

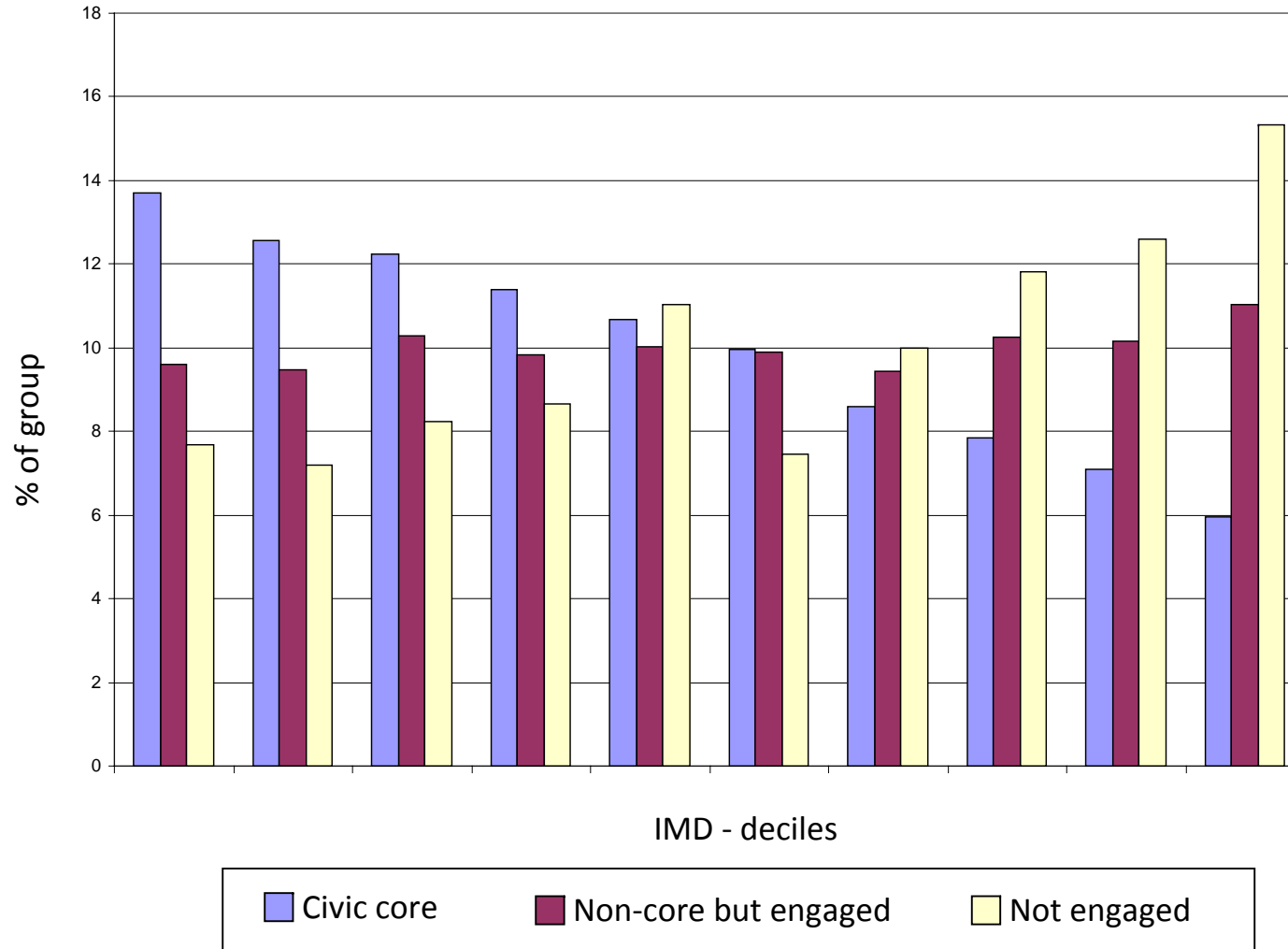
The subset of people who collectively provide over 2/3 of at least ONE of the following:

- Unpaid help
- Donations to charity
- Participation in a range of civic organisations
- (after Reed and Selbee, 2001)



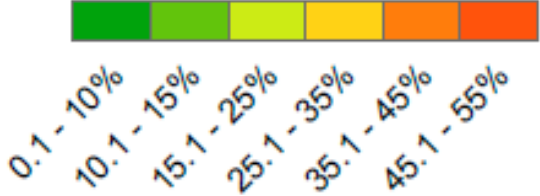
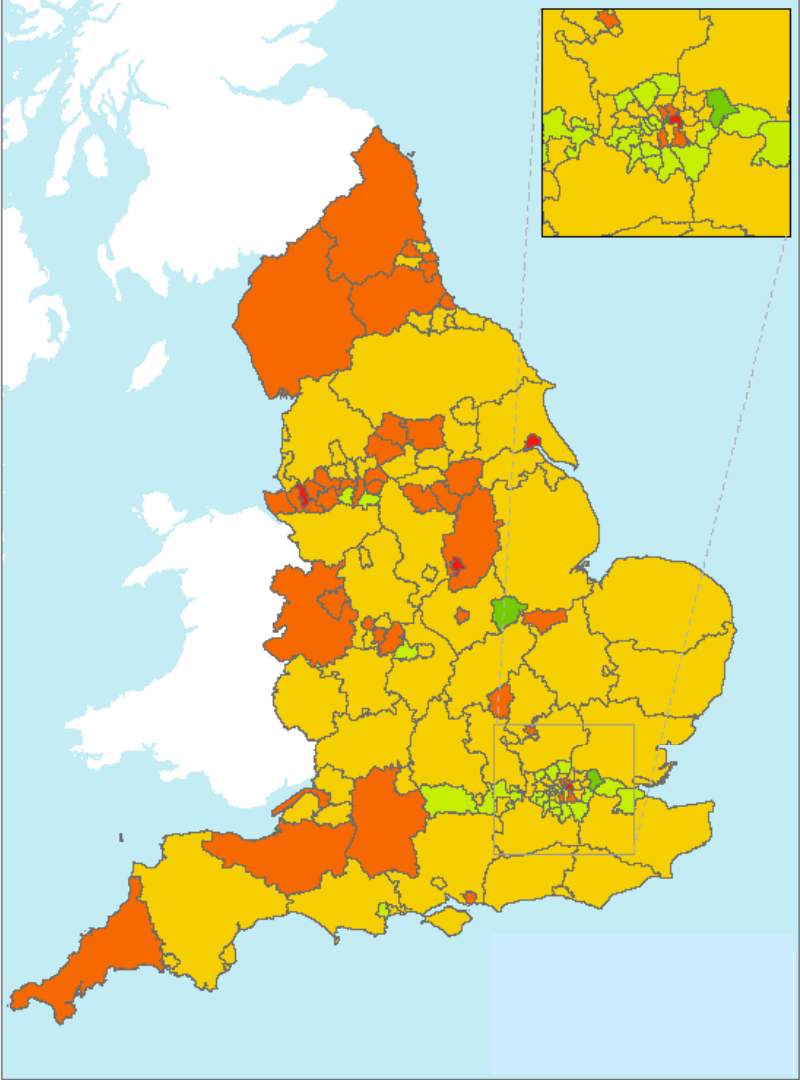
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## Distribution of core and non-core groups by IMD



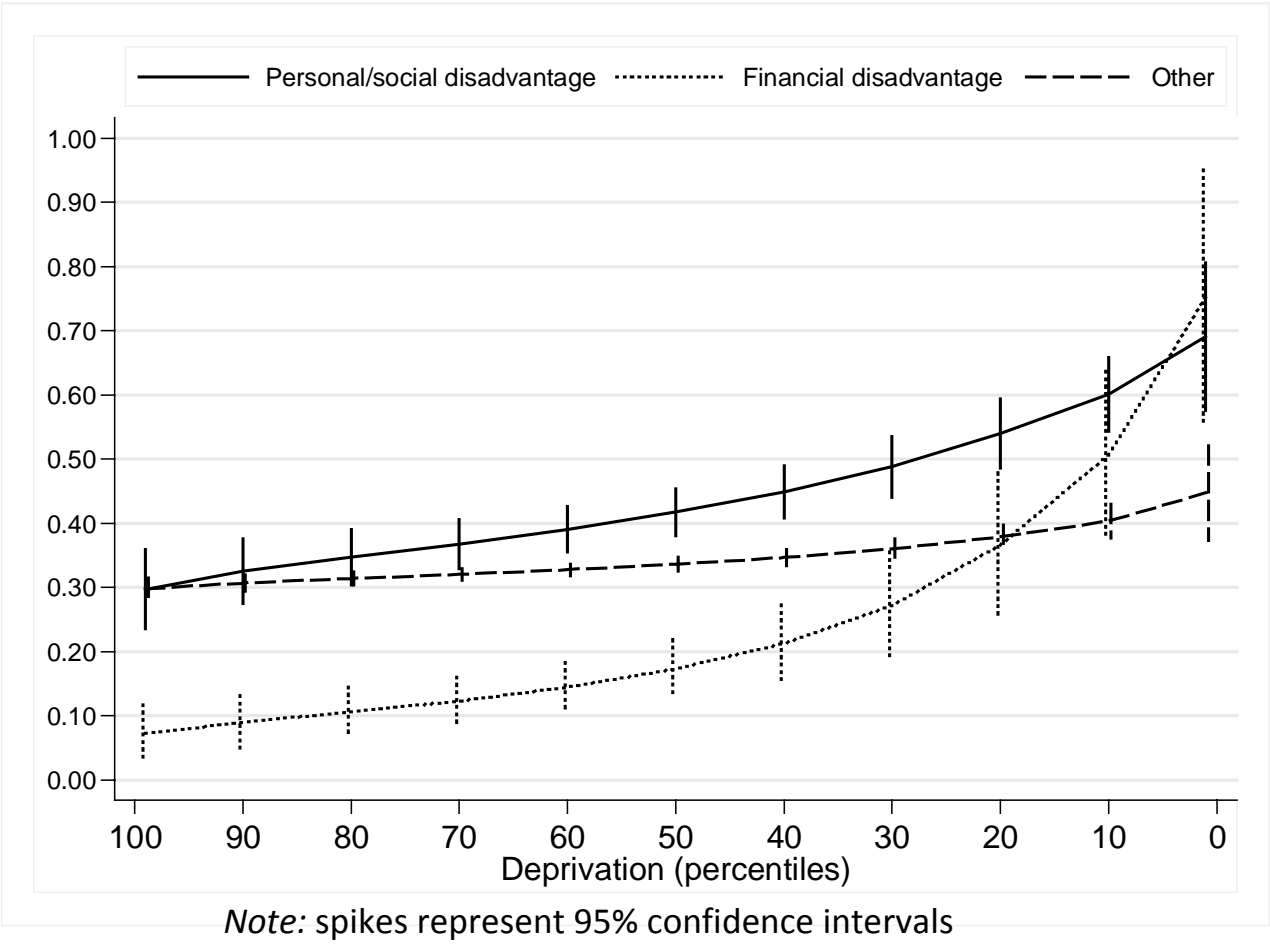
# Public Funding

## Proportion of TSOs receiving public funding



# Public Funding

Probabilities of receiving public income for organisations working at the **neighbourhood level**, by beneficiary group and deprivation





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