

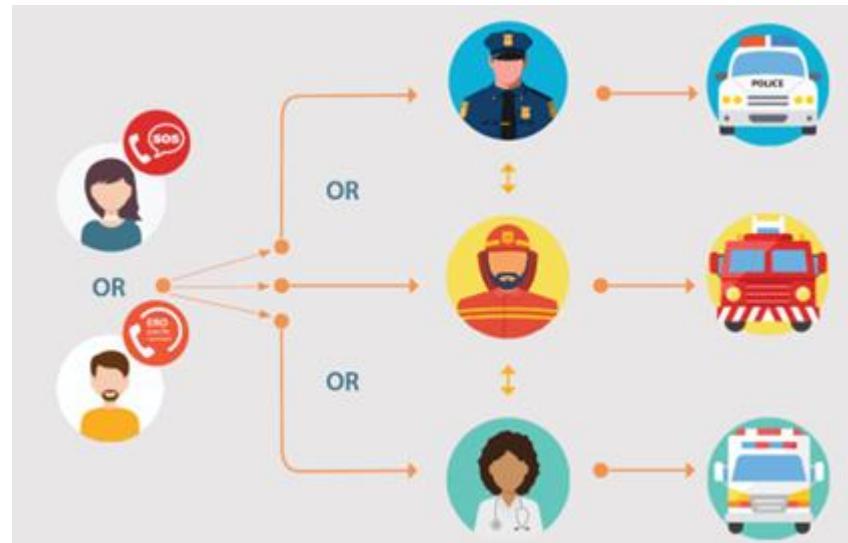
Data Analytics Brainstation

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Hypothesis

The number of incidents and the response time are higher in urban areas compared to rural areas in the UK.



Data

- ▶ Annual incident data
- ✓ Year: between 2010-2011 and 2023-2024
- ✓ Fire type: Primary, Dwellings, Other buildings, Road vehicles, Other outdoors
- ✓ Location: 44 FRS location, Annual urban/rural category, Metropolitan/Non-metropolitan category and England
- ✓ Number of incidents
- ✓ Total response time
- ✓ Call handling
- ✓ Crew turnout time
- ✓ Drive time
- ▶ Fire and Rescue Service (FRS)
- ✓ 46 FRS (2 FRS record not included in incident data)
- ✓ FRS name
- ✓ Urban/ Rural Category: Predominantly Urban, Significantly Rural, Predominantly Rural
- ✓ Metropolitan/Non-metropolitan category: Metropolitian, Non-metropolitan

Predominantly rural: 50% or more of their area is 'rural'

Significantly rural: less than 74% of their area is 'urban' and 26% or more of their area is 'rural'

Predominantly urban: 74% or more of their area is 'urban'

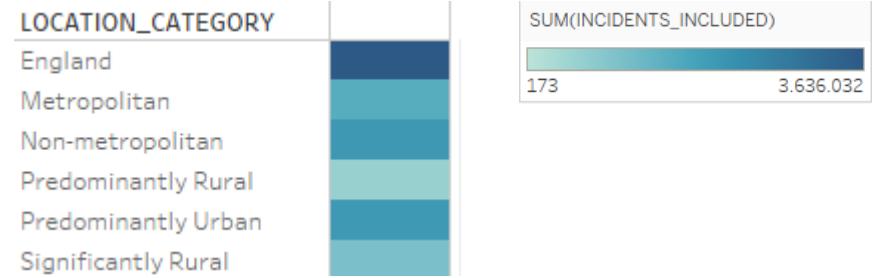
Table Creation

```
1 • CREATE SCHEMA uk_fire_database;
2 • USE uk_fire_database;
3 • Ⓜ CREATE TABLE data_annual(
4     year_ending_quarter text DEFAULT NULL,
5     fire_type text DEFAULT NULL,
6     location_category text DEFAULT NULL,
7     incidents_included double DEFAULT NULL,
8     total_response_time float DEFAULT NULL,
9     call_handling_time float DEFAULT NULL,
10    crew_turnout_time float DEFAULT NULL,
11    drive_time float DEFAULT NULL,
12    PRIMARY KEY (location_category)
13 );
1
2 • Ⓜ CREATE TABLE `uk_fire_database`.`frs` (
3     frs_name text ,
4     urban_rural_category text DEFAULT NULL,
5     met_nonmet_category text DEFAULT NULL,
6     PRIMARY KEY (frs_name(255))
7 );
```

Initial Analysis

```
1 • SELECT SUM(INCIDENTS_INCLUDED)
2     FROM uk_fire_database.kitap1
3     WHERE LOCATION_CATEGORY NOT IN ("England","Predominantly Rural","Significantly Rural","Predominantly Urban");
4
5 • SELECT SUM(INCIDENTS_INCLUDED)
6     FROM uk_fire_database.kitap1
7     WHERE LOCATION_CATEGORY ="England";
8
9 • SELECT SUM(INCIDENTS_INCLUDED)
10    FROM uk_fire_database.kitap1
11    WHERE LOCATION_CATEGORY IN ("Cambridgeshire","Cornwall","Cumbria", "Devon and Somerset", "Durham","Isles Of Scilly",
12    "Lincolnshire","Norfolk","North Yorkshire","Norfolk","North Yorkshire","Northumberland","Oxfordshire","Shropshire",
13    "Suffolk");
14
15 • SELECT SUM(INCIDENTS_INCLUDED)
16     FROM uk_fire_database.kitap1
17     WHERE LOCATION_CATEGORY ="Predominantly Rural";
18
19 • SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT LOCATION_CATEGORY)
20     FROM uk_fire_database.kitap1;
```

Incidents

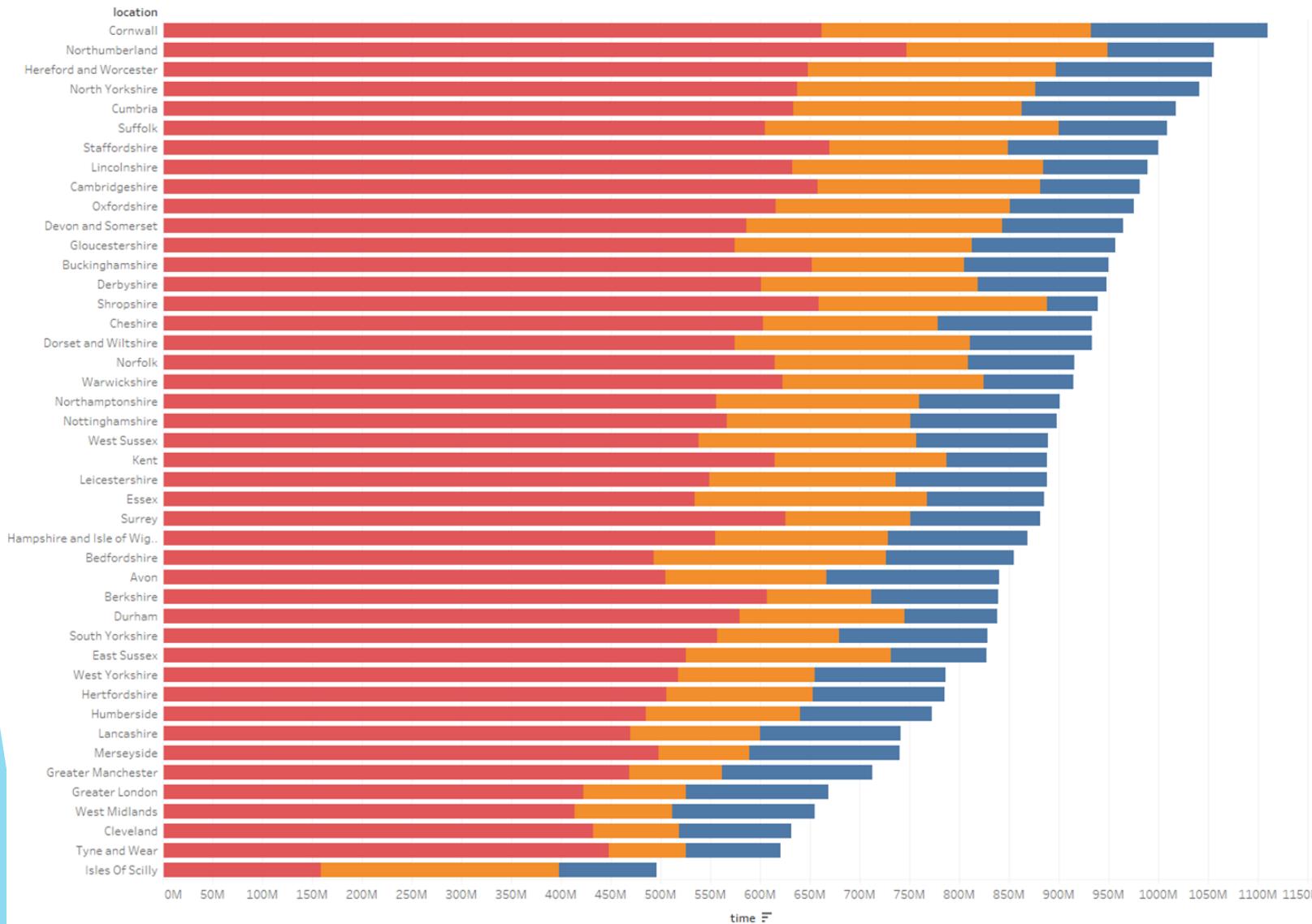


Met/Non-met category	Urban/Rural category1	LOCATION_CATEGORY	INCIDENTS_INCLUDED
Metropolitan	Predominantly Urban	Greater London	173
		Greater Manchester	507.200
		Merseyside	
		South Yorkshire	
		Tyne and Wear	
		West Midlands	
		West Yorkshire	
Non-metropolitan	Predominantly Rural	Cambridgeshire	
		Cornwall	
		Cumbria	
		Devon and Somerset	
		Durham	
		Isles Of Scilly	
		Lincolnshire	
		Norfolk	
		North Yorkshire	
		Northumberland	
		Oxfordshire	
		Shropshire	
		Suffolk	
	Predominantly Urban	Avon	
		Berkshire	
		Cleveland	
		Hertfordshire	
		Lancashire	
		Nottinghamshire	
		Surrey	
	Significantly Rural	Bedfordshire	
		Buckinghamshire	
		Cheshire	
		Derbyshire	
		Dorset and Wiltshire	
		East Sussex	
		Essex	
		Gloucestershire	
		Hampshire and Isle Of Wi..	
		Hereford and Worcester	
		Humbershire	
		Kent	
		Leicestershire	
		Northamptonshire	
		Staffordshire	
		Warwickshire	
		West Sussex	

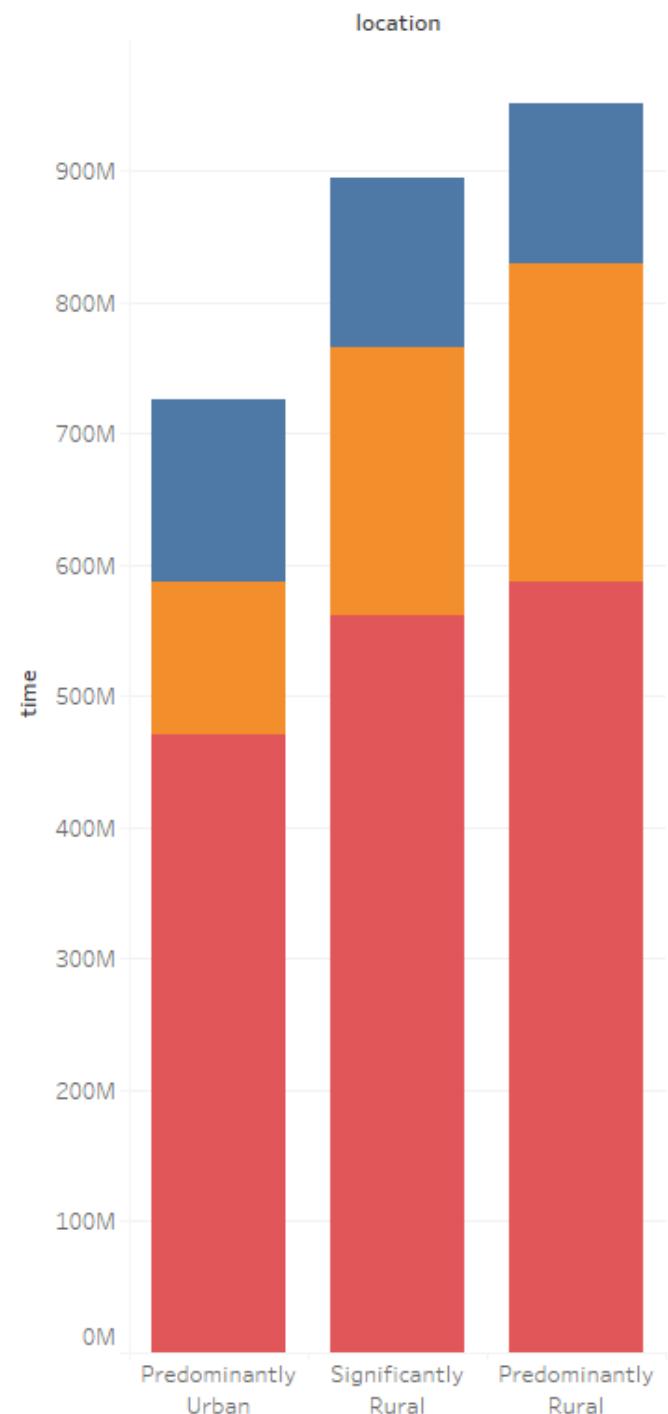
- Number of incidents Urban/Rural
- Number of incidents Metropolitan/Non-metropolitan

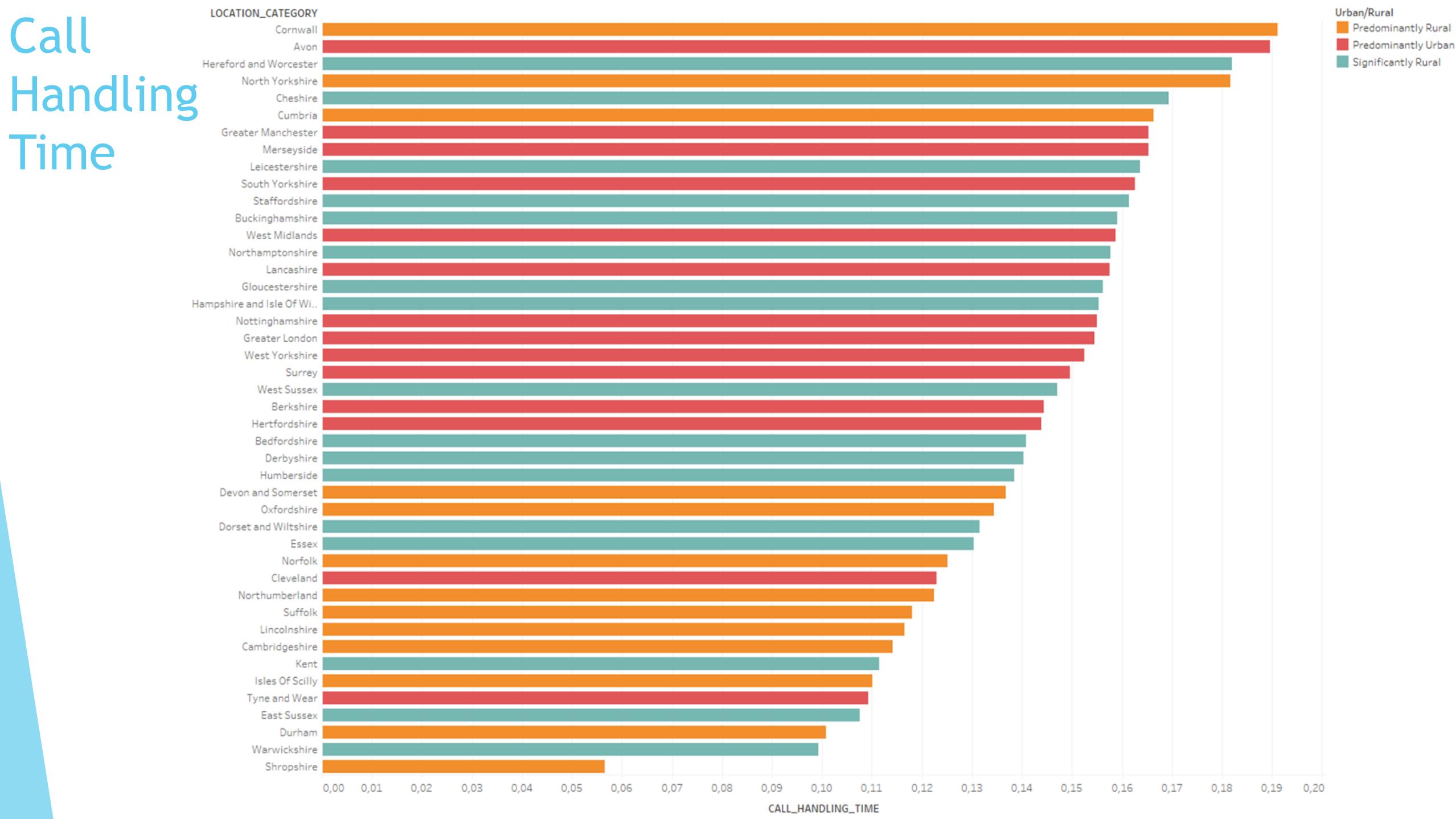
Response Time

<Response Time Over Year Based On Location>

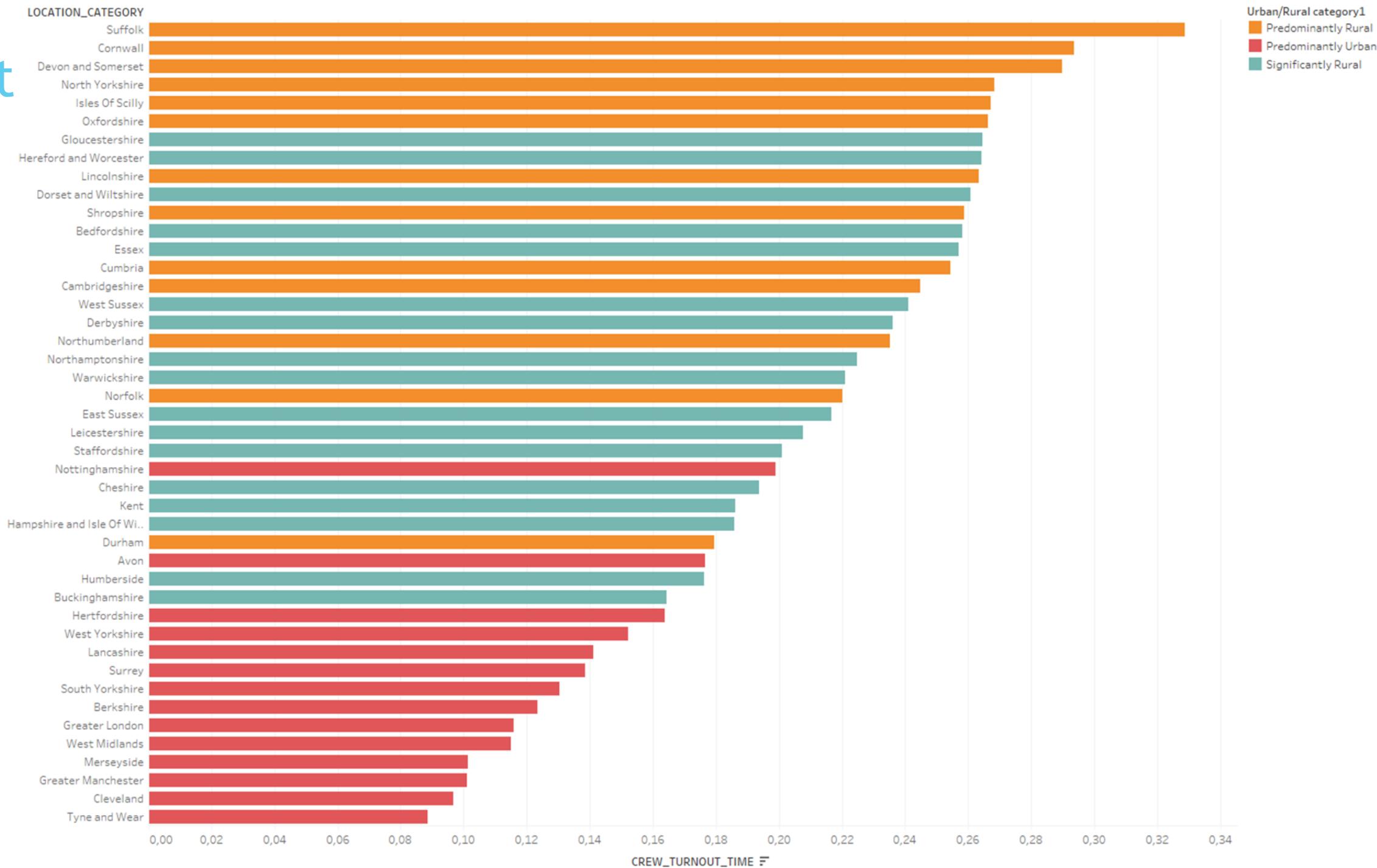


Sum of time for each location. Color shows details about flag. The view is filtered on location, which keeps 44 of 50 members.

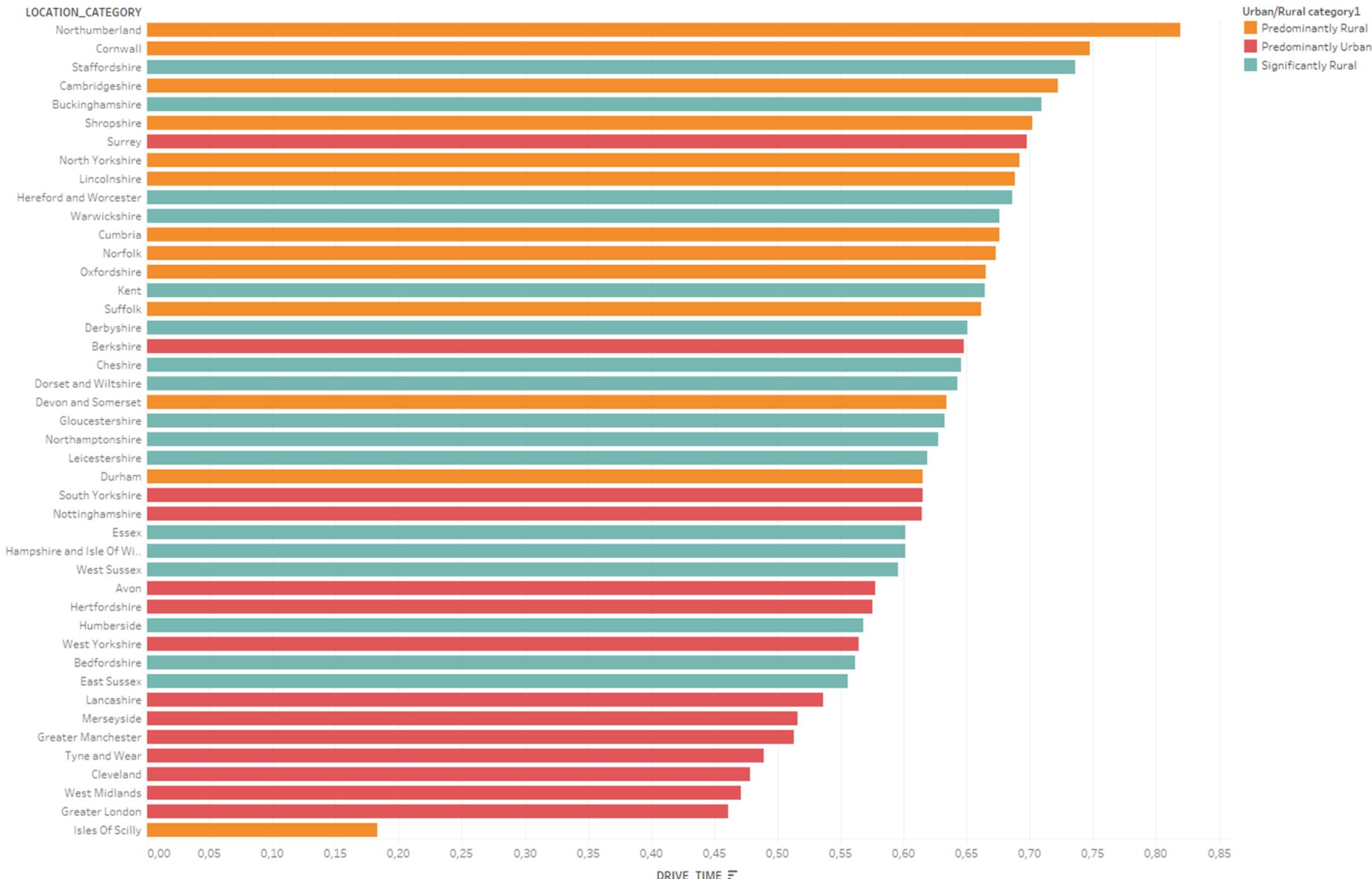




Crew Turnout Time



Drive Time



SQL Codes

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1
2 •   with calls as (
3     SELECT FINANCIAL_YEAR, FIRE_TYPE, LOCATION_CATEGORY, INCIDENTS INCLUDED, CALL_HANDLING_TIME AS time, "calls" as flag
4     FROM uk_fire_database.kitap1)
5
6   ,crew as(
7     SELECT FINANCIAL_YEAR, FIRE_TYPE, LOCATION_CATEGORY, INCIDENTS INCLUDED, CREW_TURNOUT_TIME AS time, "crew" as flag
8     FROM uk_fire_database.kitap1)
9
10  ,drive as(
11    SELECT FINANCIAL_YEAR, FIRE_TYPE, LOCATION_CATEGORY, INCIDENTS INCLUDED, DRIVE_TIME AS time, "drive" as flag
12    FROM uk_fire_database.kitap1)
13
14
15  SELECT * FROM calls UNION
16  SELECT * FROM drive UNION
17  SELECT * FROM crew
18
19
20
21 •   SELECT k.*
22     FROM `kitap1` k
23     INNER JOIN `uk_fire_database`.`frs` f ON k.`LOCATION_CATEGORY` = f.`frs_name`;
```

References

- ▶ 1 Rural Urban classifications of Fire and Rescue Service as defined by Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (DEFRA):
- ▶ <https://eena.org/>
- ▶ <https://www.gov.uk/government/statistical-data-sets/fire-statistics-data-tables#response-times>