

# # Birmingham remains top destination for Londoners



In October 2016 we [\[reported on internal migration statistics which showed more people were leaving London for Birmingham\]](http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-37385265) than anywhere else in the country.

## ## Get the data

- \* [\[Internal migration - Detailed estimates dataset by origin and destination local authorities, sex and single year of age - Office for National Statistics\]](https://www.ons.gov.uk/peoplepopulationandcommunity/populationandmigration/migrationwithinthek/datasets/internalmigrationbyoriginanddestinationlocalauthoritiessexandsingleyearofagedetailedestimatesdataset) (<https://www.ons.gov.uk/peoplepopulationandcommunity/populationandmigration/migrationwithinthek/datasets/internalmigrationbyoriginanddestinationlocalauthoritiessexandsingleyearofagedetailedestimatesdataset>)
- \* [\[Internal migration - Matrices of moves between Local Authorities and Regions \(including the countries of Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland\) - Office for National Statistics\]](https://www.ons.gov.uk/peoplepopulationandcommunity/populationandmigration/migrationwithinthek/datasets/matricesofinternalmigrationmovesbetweenlocalauthoritiesandregionsincludingthecountriesofwales,scotlandandnorthernireland) (<https://www.ons.gov.uk/peoplepopulationandcommunity/populationandmigration/migrationwithinthek/datasets/matricesofinternalmigrationmovesbetweenlocalauthoritiesandregionsincludingthecountriesofwales,scotlandandnorthernireland>)

## ## Visualisation

- \* Bar chart: Most popular places to move from London
- \* Bar chart: 10 London boroughs with the most moves to Birmingham
- \* Infographic: London and Birmingham compared

An [\[experimental network graph showing the strength of connections between regions can be found here\]](https://fusiontables.googleusercontent.com/embedviz?containerId=googft-gviz-canvas&viz=GVIZ&t=GRAPH&gc=false&gd=true&sdb=1&rmax=100000&q=select+col0,+col1,+col2+from+1W6G1UJAmWTirUbJgMNmwU8JpDNw346K7pKIW2unt&qrs=+where+col0+%3E%3D+&qre=+and+col0+%3C%3D+&qe&uiversion=2&state=%7B%22ps%22:%221_7_-1e_1_6_1_-5_8_-v_-k_5_-x_p_1_-8_-5_3_-e_e_4_-3_-q_2_8_1_9_-k_-13_a_-f_x_0_1_13_b_-1j_-r_%22,%22cx%22:7.539677225572175,%22cy%22:-3.055784814765822,%22sw%22:607.9921586076417,%22sh%22:258.35799106228035,%22z%22:1.99812876666846%7D&gco_forceIFrame=true&gco_hasLabelsColumn=true&width=800&height=500) ([https://fusiontables.googleusercontent.com/embedviz?containerId=googft-gviz-canvas&viz=GVIZ&t=GRAPH&gc=false&gd=true&sdb=1&rmax=100000&q=select+col0,+col1,+col2+from+1W6G1UJAmWTirUbJgMNmwU8JpDNw346K7pKIW2unt&qrs=+where+col0+%3E%3D+&qre=+and+col0+%3C%3D+&qe&uiversion=2&state=%7B%22ps%22:%221\\_7\\_-1e\\_1\\_6\\_1\\_-5\\_8\\_-v\\_-k\\_5\\_-x\\_p\\_1\\_-8\\_-5\\_3\\_-e\\_e\\_4\\_-3\\_-q\\_2\\_8\\_1\\_9\\_-k\\_-13\\_a\\_-f\\_x\\_0\\_1\\_13\\_b\\_-1j\\_-r\\_%22,%22cx%22:7.539677225572175,%22cy%22:-3.055784814765822,%22sw%22:607.9921586076417,%22sh%22:258.35799106228035,%22z%22:1.99812876666846%7D&gco\\_forceIFrame=true&gco\\_hasLabelsColumn=true&width=800&height=500](https://fusiontables.googleusercontent.com/embedviz?containerId=googft-gviz-canvas&viz=GVIZ&t=GRAPH&gc=false&gd=true&sdb=1&rmax=100000&q=select+col0,+col1,+col2+from+1W6G1UJAmWTirUbJgMNmwU8JpDNw346K7pKIW2unt&qrs=+where+col0+%3E%3D+&qre=+and+col0+%3C%3D+&qe&uiversion=2&state=%7B%22ps%22:%221_7_-1e_1_6_1_-5_8_-v_-k_5_-x_p_1_-8_-5_3_-e_e_4_-3_-q_2_8_1_9_-k_-13_a_-f_x_0_1_13_b_-1j_-r_%22,%22cx%22:7.539677225572175,%22cy%22:-3.055784814765822,%22sw%22:607.9921586076417,%22sh%22:258.35799106228035,%22z%22:1.99812876666846%7D&gco_forceIFrame=true&gco_hasLabelsColumn=true&width=800&height=500))



Another version of the same network graph [\[can be seen in Flourish\]](https://public.flourish.studio/visualisation/445790/) (<https://public.flourish.studio/visualisation/445790/>)