

Bishop's Castle Town Centre Monthly Report for Visit Shropshire

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Summary

The monthly footfall in Bishop's Castle town centre has seen a 0.3% increase on June 2026, and a -14.2% decrease with respect to July 2025.

Footfall

Footfall is measured by the volume of sample unique phones visiting Bishop's Castle town centre which is then extrapolated to represent the actual volume of visitors. The % change against previous month (June 2026) and previous year (July 2025) is represented in (Fig.1) and monthly totals in (Fig. 2) and daily levels in (Fig. 3)

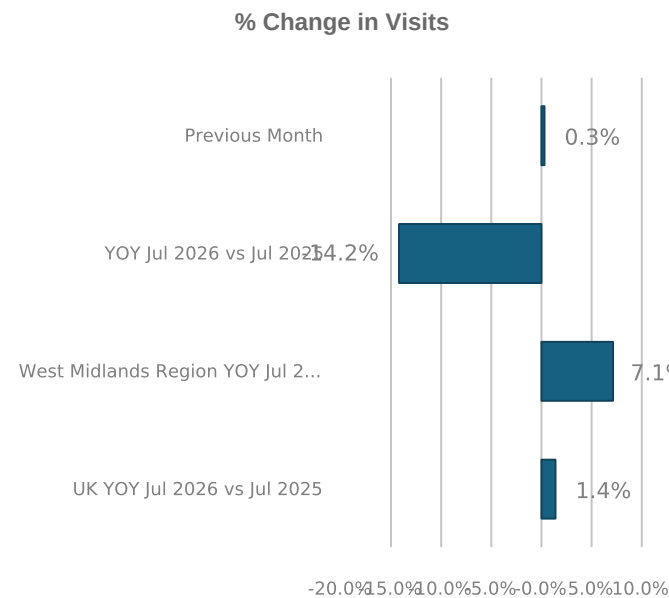


Fig.1 % change in total visits to the town centre

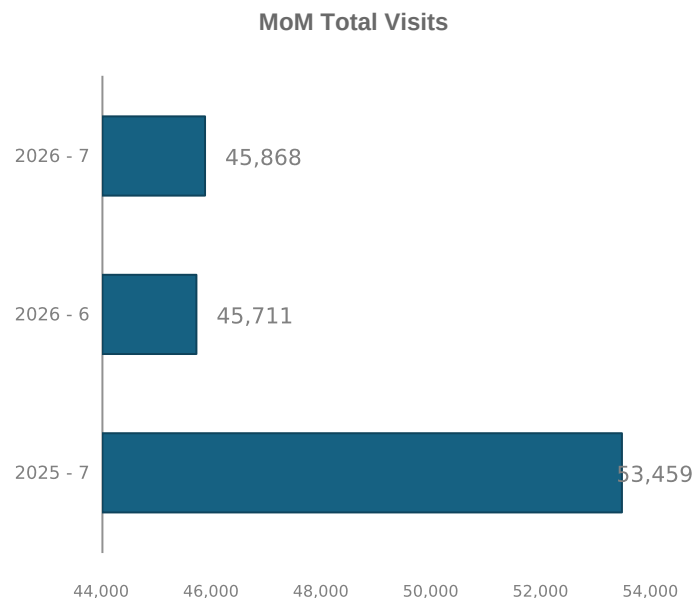


Fig.2 Total visits to the town centre

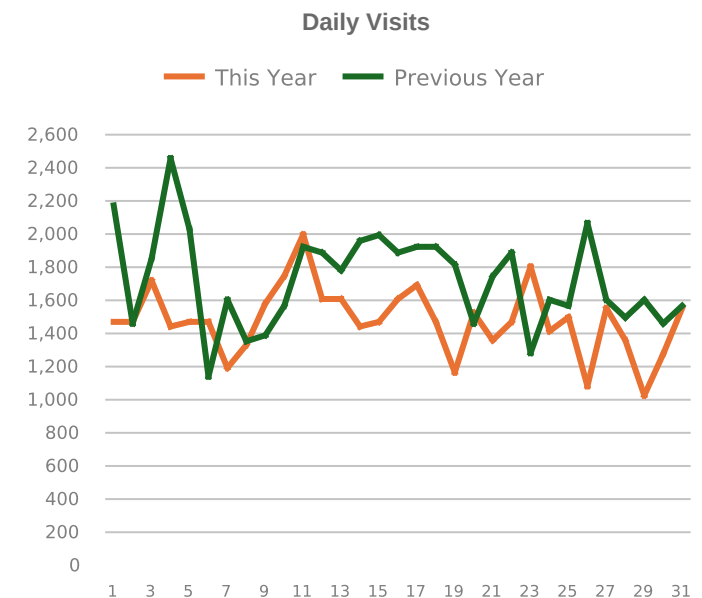


Fig.3 Number of daily visits to the town centre

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Visitors to Streets

The following charts provide footfall by streets in Bishop's Castle town centre. High Street is the busiest road with 32,305 visits in July 2026 (Fig .4), this was 0.6% higher than July 2025 (Fig. 5) and 0.5% higher than in June 2026. High Street attracts the most visitors with 46.7 % of all street visits. (Fig .6)

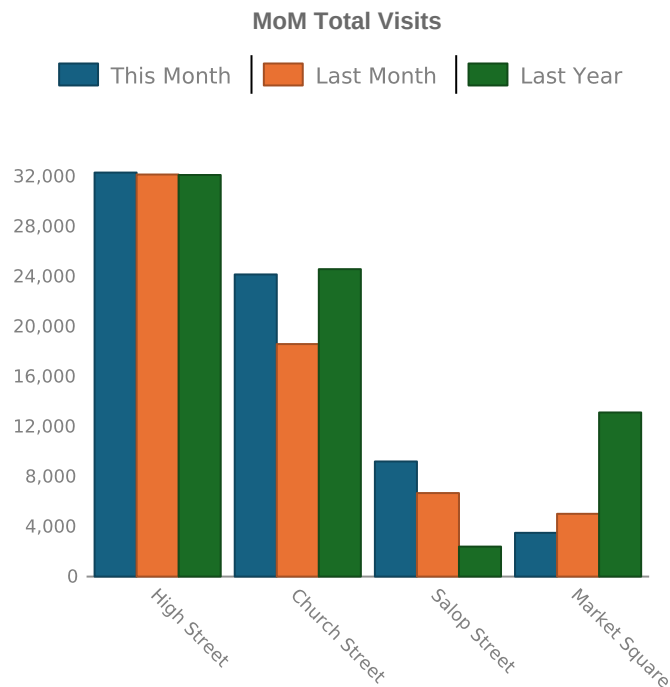


Fig.4 Total visits to street

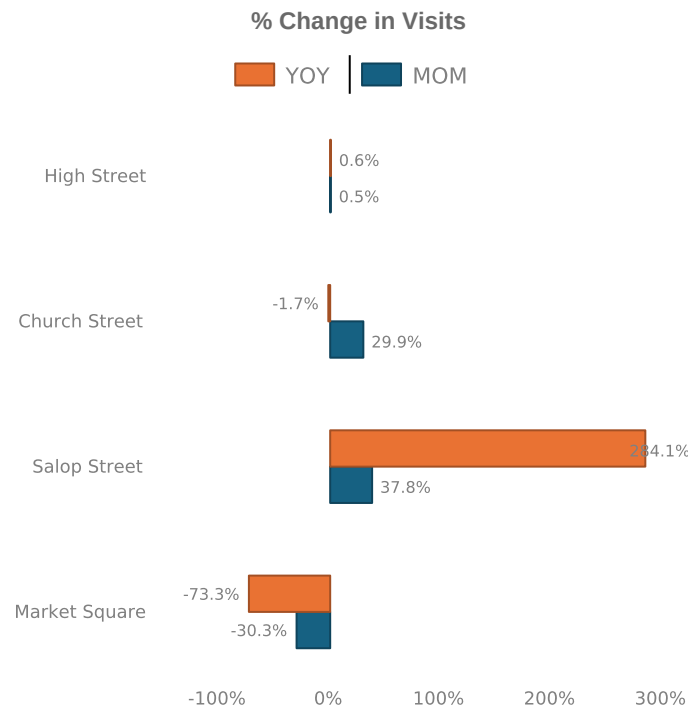


Fig.5 % in visits to street

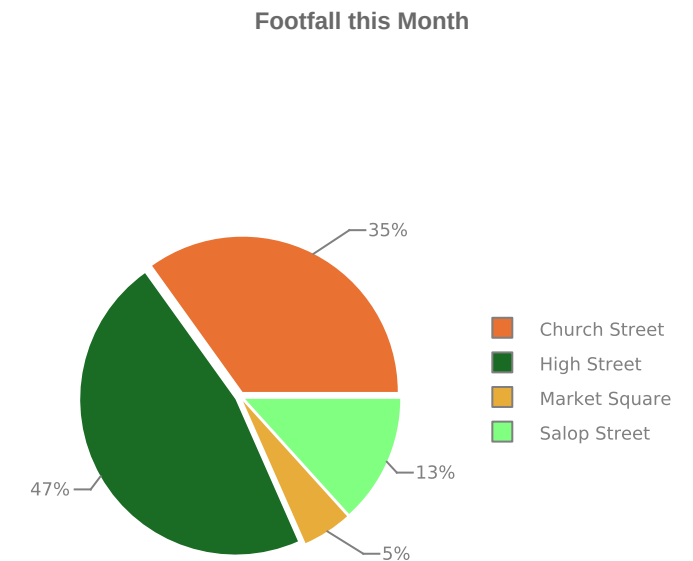


Fig.6 % footfall by street

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How Long do Visitors Stay For?

Average dwell time in Bishop's Castle town centre was 90 Minutes in July 2026 (Fig. 7) a decrease of 6 minutes compared to July 2025.

The percentage of visitors by dwell minutes has shown 30.3% of all visitors in July 2026 (Fig. 8) dwelling for 60 – 90 minutes and short 6 - 12 minutes dwell times of 17.0% of all visitors.

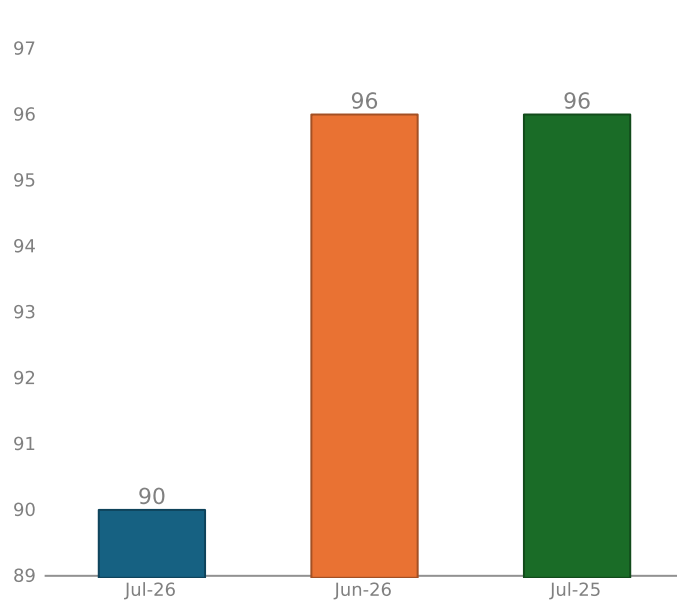


Fig.7 Average dwell time (minutes) in the town centre

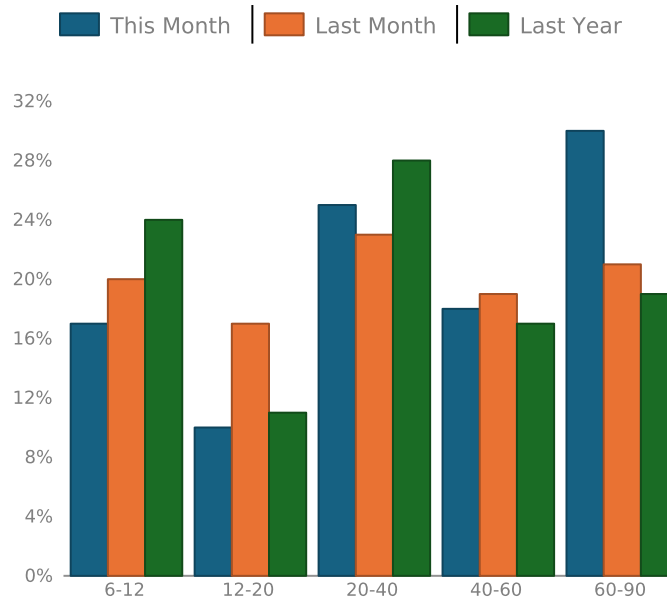


Fig.8 % of visitors by dwell time (minutes)

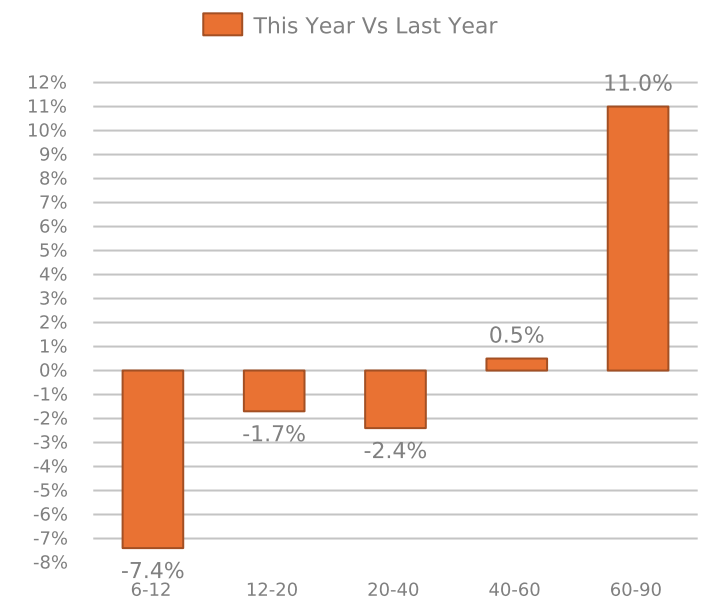


Fig.9 Change in % of visitors by dwell time (minutes)

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Where Do Visitors Come From?

The total number of visitors to Bishop's Castle town centre has decreased from 7,770 in July 2025 to 5,693 in July 2026. The proportion of visitors residing within 3 miles has fallen from 66.98% (Fig . 12) in June 2026 to 64.82% in July 2026.

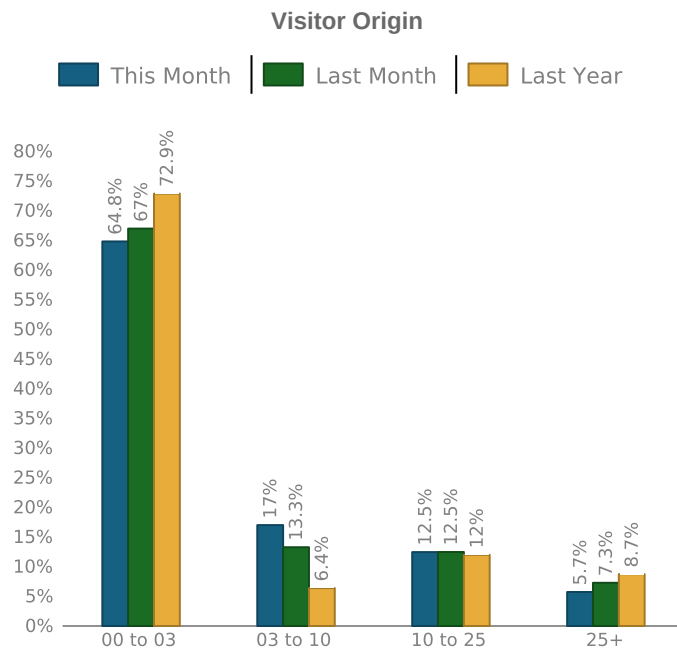


Fig.10 % volume of visitors by origin distance (miles)

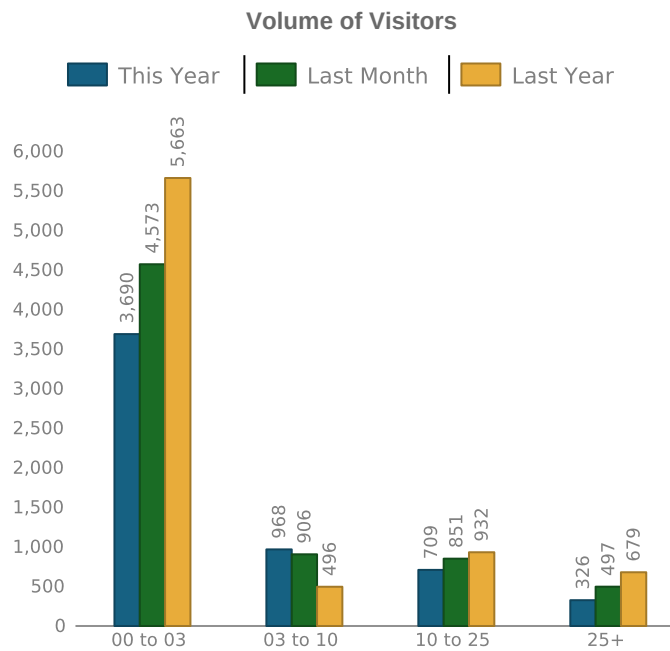


Fig.11 Volume of visitors by origin distance (miles)

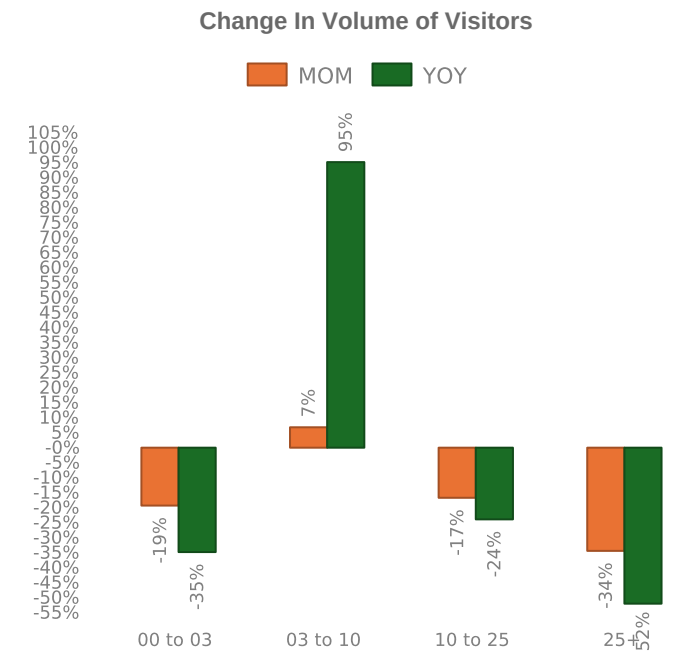


Fig.12 % of visitors by visitor origin distance (miles)

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Where do visitors with the highest spend potential come from?

SY9 postcode (Fig. 13) provides the highest volume of high spend visitors, totalling 700 in July 2026. Postcode SY3 (Fig. 14) has the largest number of potential high spend visitors totalling 9,892. Currently 25 high spend visitors are from this postcode. In July 2026 20% of all visitors to Bishop's Castle were classified as high spend potential, 57% medium and 23% low spend potential.

Postcodes providing largest number of High Spend Visitors

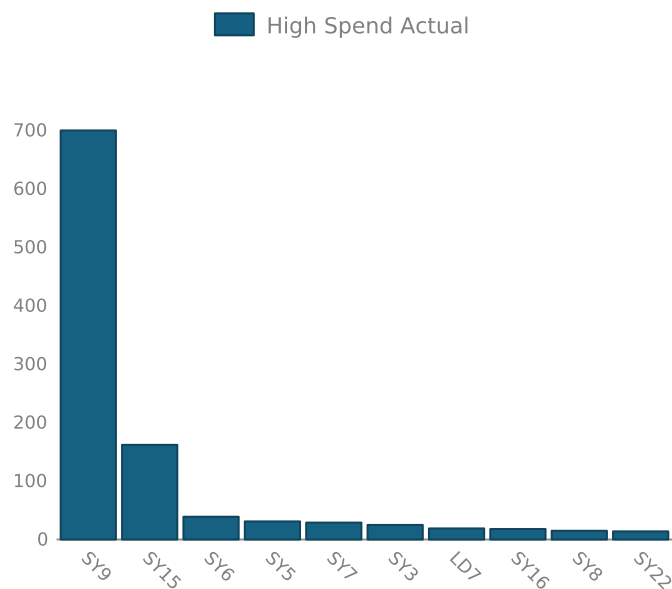


Fig.13 Visitors by postcode district

Postcodes with the largest High Spend Visitor Opportunity

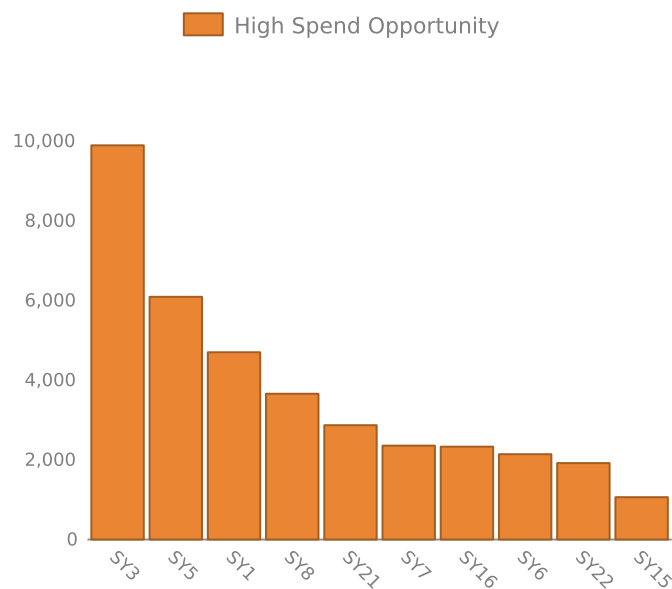


Fig.14 Visitors by postcode district

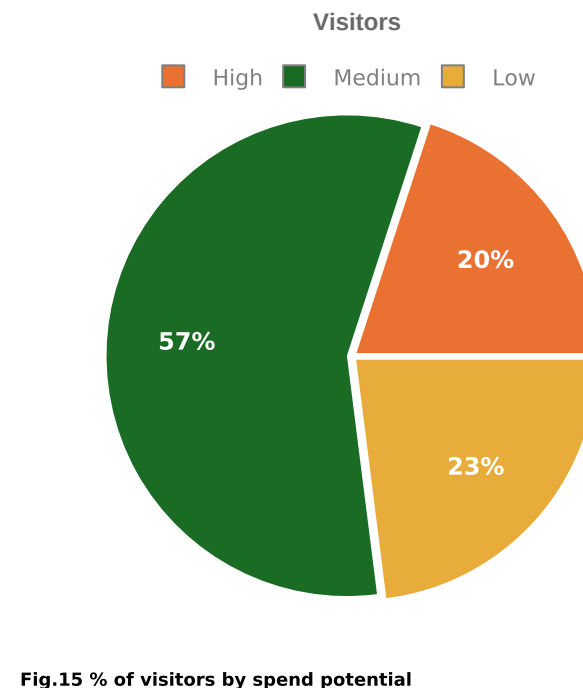


Fig.15 % of visitors by spend potential

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What is the Index of Multiple Deprivation Decile Profile of Visitors from 0 to 10 miles?

In July 2026, the largest number of visitors came from IMD decile 4 areas(Fig.16), contributing 5,550 visitors(Fig.17). The postcode district contributing the largest number of visitors was SY9 which ranked in IMD decile 5(Fig.18).

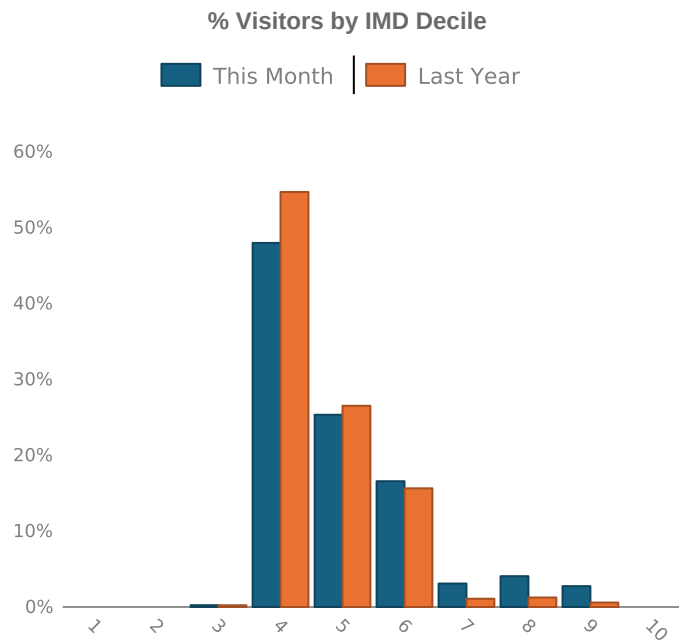


Fig.16 % of Visitors by Index of Multiple Deprivation Decile

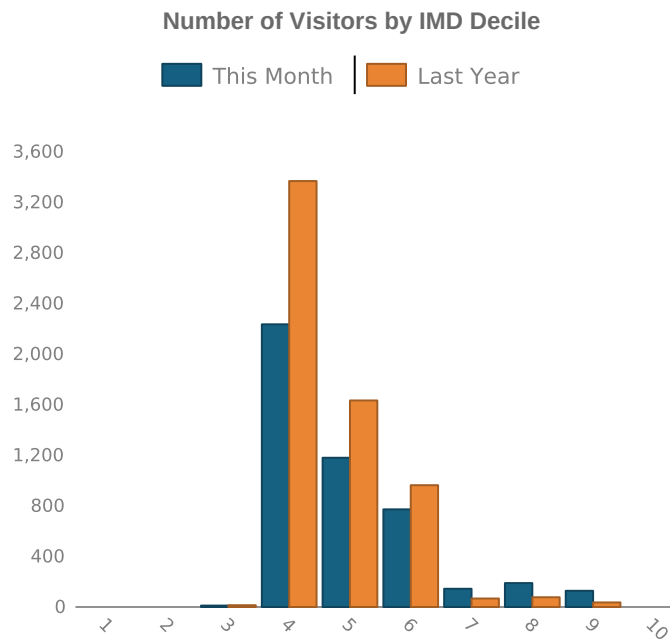


Fig.17 Visitors by Index of Multiple Deprivation Decile

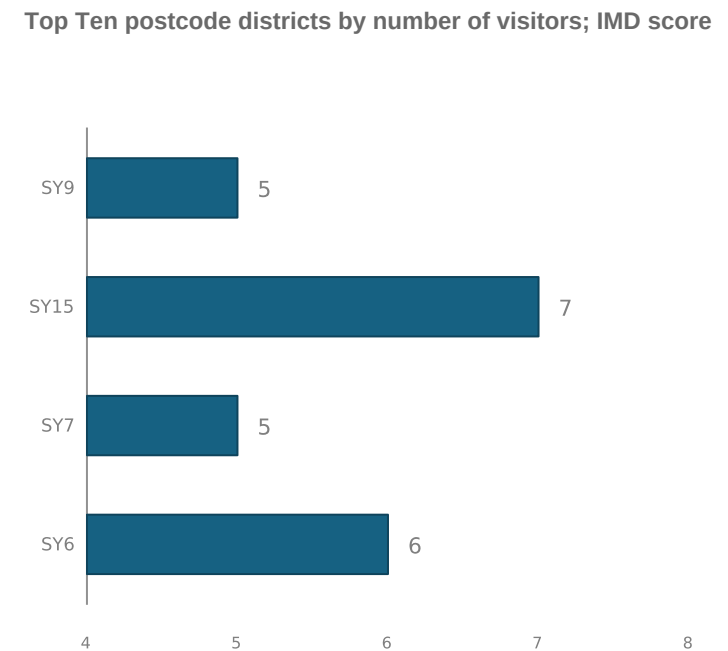


Fig.18 Top Ten postcode districts by number of visitors; IMD score

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What is the disposable income of your visitors?

The average income of the outcode contributing the most visitors is £33,800 (Fig.19). The £36,400 income group experienced the greatest increase in visitor volume, rising by a 12% share of the nearest 10 postcode districts(Fig.20)

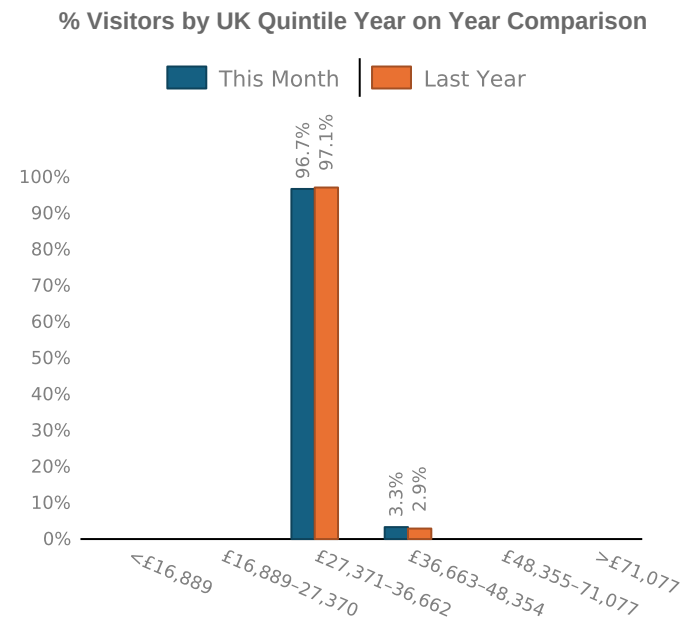


Fig.19 % Visitors by UK Disposable Income Quintile

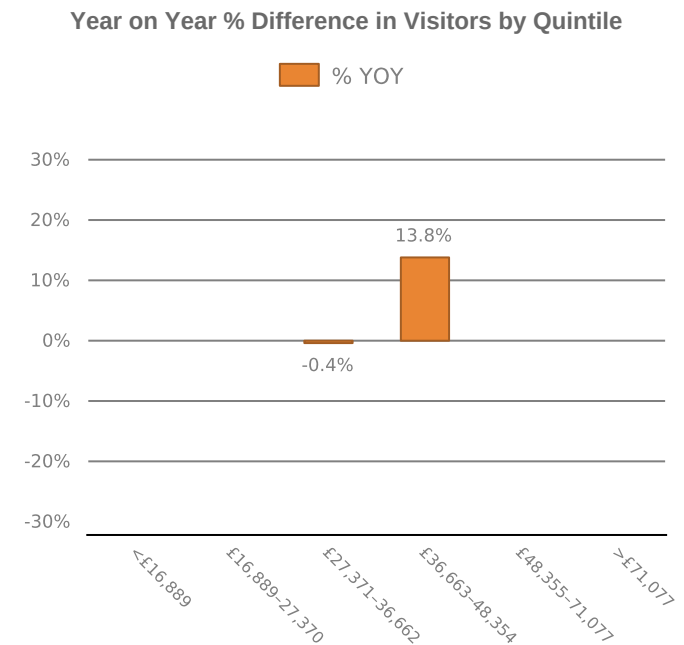


Fig.20 % Difference in Visitors by income Quintile