

### Classification of authorities

<p><b>Rural</b> – authorities with a predominantly rural composition</p>	<p>Carmarthenshire Ceredigion Conwy Denbighshire Gwynedd Isle of Anglesey Monmouthshire Pembrokeshire Powys</p>
<p><b>Urban</b> – the most heavily populated areas</p>	<p>Cardiff Newport Swansea</p>
<p><b>Valley</b> – populated areas confined by a unique physical environment.</p>	<p>Blaenau Gwent Caerphilly Merthyr Tydfil Rhondda Cynon Taf Torfaen</p>
<p><b>Other</b> – authorities which contain a mixture of rural and urban characteristics</p>	<p>Bridgend Flintshire Neath Port Talbot Vale of Glamorgan Wrexham</p>