# Once a week participation in sport 



APS9Q2<br>(Apr 2014-Apr 2015)

15.49m adults ( $16+\mathrm{yrs}$ ) are regularly playing sport in England


Source: Sport England's Active People results for the 12 months to the period shown on the chart. Dotted line showed between APS1 and APS2 where there was no data collection \% shows change in the rate of participation between dates shown, arrow shows if this change is statistically significant

## 3.8 m young people (16-25yrs) and 11.69 m adults (26+yrs) play sport weekly in England



### 1.56 million disabled people (16+ yrs) are playing sport weekly in England



Source: Sport England's Active People results for the 12 months to the period shown on the chart. Dotted line showed between APS1 and APS2 where there was no data collection LTLID means Long term limiting illness or disability

## Gender: 8.63 million men (16+ yrs) and 6.86 million women (16+ yrs) are playing sport weekly in England

Once a week sport participation (1 x 30) by gender, millions


## Differences in participation are at their greatest amongst 16-40

 year olds

Participant numbers have grown faster amongst the 26+ age group. Within this age group, male participation has grown more than female participation.


There are marked gender differences in the popularity of some sports


## The popularity of different sports has changed over time



## Ethnicity: 2.92 million of BME origin (16+yrs) are playing sport weekly in England



