**River Tame, West Midlands**

* The River Tame is the main river of the West Midlands, and the most important tributary of the [River Trent](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Trent&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgXOnfciPC97jadC7YL8lOv-lDL0g) . [[ 1 ]](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Tame,_West_Midlands&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiFPQUJCQetdWdj80StFIGY3q3kFw#cite_note-0) The Tame is about 40 km from source at [Oldbury](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Oldbury,_West_Midlands&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhxzF5AqV-futyjAjCad3XkCTYRrw) to its confluence with the Trent near [Alrewas](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Alrewas&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhig5kzklnnFfL8edFNNuUgQzgTLg) , but the main river length of the entire catchment, ie the Tame and its main tributaries, is about 285 km.De rivier de Tame is de belangrijkste rivier van de West Midlands, en de belangrijkste zijrivier van de [rivier de Trent](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Trent&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgXOnfciPC97jadC7YL8lOv-lDL0g).
* Tame Het is ongeveer 40 km van de bron op [Oldbury](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Oldbury,_West_Midlands&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhxzF5AqV-futyjAjCad3XkCTYRrw) aan de samenvloeiing met de Trent in de buurt [Alrewas](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Alrewas&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhig5kzklnnFfL8edFNNuUgQzgTLg) , maar de rivier de Main lengte van het gehele stroomgebied, dat wil zeggen de Tame en zijn belangrijkste zijrivieren, is ongeveer 285 km.

**[** [**edit**](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php%3Ftitle%3DRiver_Tame,_West_Midlands%26action%3Dedit%26section%3D1&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhj_3AcGRV1dydEMx_ZwTp8d_tuFNA) **] EtymologyEtymologie**

* The name derives from the [Celtic language](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Celtic_language&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhggLuNDct-I4RJJut7Nvoe6xFPGQA) , although it may have even earlier roots.De naam is afgeleid van het [Keltische taal](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Celtic_language&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhggLuNDct-I4RJJut7Nvoe6xFPGQA) , maar het kan ook eerder zijn wortels. It is usually thought to mean "dark", [[ 2 ]](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Tame,_West_Midlands&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiFPQUJCQetdWdj80StFIGY3q3kFw#cite_note-1) by analogy with the Sanskrit word tamas , meaning darkness.
* Het wordt meestal gedacht dat betekent "donker", naar analogie met het Sanskriet woord Tamas, wat betekent duisternis. Other possibilities are "slow moving", or "flowing" [[ 3 ]](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Tame,_West_Midlands&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiFPQUJCQetdWdj80StFIGY3q3kFw#cite_note-2) although the precise meaning is uncertain.
* Andere mogelijkheden zijn "traag", of "vloeien", hoewel de precieze betekenis is onzeker. The name is shared with the [River Tame, Greater Manchester](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Tame,_Greater_Manchester&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgffQa2c-uG5fogrKu9SbHAcshGGQ) , and it is likely that the [River Thame](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Thame&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhMH5wmOUE4Us7F4Mmm9g6DqBqtNQ) , the [River Thames](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Thames&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh172BtmF8j9gwKWNlff4WwnP5Q8g) , the [River Teme](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Teme&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhld6l6wwihvvnt5brW64zC-kDmGQ) , the [River Team](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Team&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgVZehALqRsG9iQR5hvuvhYEDhWsg) , and the [River Tamar](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Tamar&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgAzSTbyAww-VwI8PR8ySl6-b-cnw) all share the derivation.
* De naam wordt gedeeld met de [rivier de Tame, Greater Manchester](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Tame,_Greater_Manchester&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgffQa2c-uG5fogrKu9SbHAcshGGQ) en het is waarschijnlijk dat de [rivier Thame](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Thame&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhMH5wmOUE4Us7F4Mmm9g6DqBqtNQ) , de [Theems](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Thames&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh172BtmF8j9gwKWNlff4WwnP5Q8g) , de [rivier Teme](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Teme&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhld6l6wwihvvnt5brW64zC-kDmGQ) , de [River Team](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Team&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgVZehALqRsG9iQR5hvuvhYEDhWsg) , en de [rivier de Tamar](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Tamar&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgAzSTbyAww-VwI8PR8ySl6-b-cnw) alle delen van de afleiding.

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* Birmingham and the parishes in the centre and north of the modern conurbation were probably colonised by the [Tomsaete](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tomsaete&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjvHHi7jTZcaG9pMVyjqfLVIzQUPQ) or Tomsæte'' ("Tame-dwellers"), an [Anglian](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Anglian&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjTV97RuiGxVg6xcZ3lNLKaEXPIyQ) tribe living in the valley of the Tame at the time of the [Roman occupation](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Roman_conquest_of_Britain&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg7v-zL2phxDE0v2KFT8c3WttGyUw) [[ 4 ]](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Tame,_West_Midlands&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiFPQUJCQetdWdj80StFIGY3q3kFw#cite_note-3) and around [Tamworth](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tamworth&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjmwHfSbBhPiVXZqtSlgApZ7fxMYw) during the Kingdom of [Mercia](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mercia&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhhMMs-FhpTLUqq83vicMWB-hxQXw) . [[ 5 ]](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Tame,_West_Midlands&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiFPQUJCQetdWdj80StFIGY3q3kFw#cite_note-4) They migrated up the valleys of the Trent and Tame from the [Humber Estuary](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Humber_Estuary&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgoayeVkOY5GpLoOmmzjCSAoWE8hg) and later formed Mercia. [[ 6 ]](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Tame,_West_Midlands&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiFPQUJCQetdWdj80StFIGY3q3kFw#cite_note-5)Birmingham en de parochies in het midden en noorden van het moderne agglomeratie waren waarschijnlijk gekoloniseerd door de [Tomsaete](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tomsaete&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjvHHi7jTZcaG9pMVyjqfLVIzQUPQ) of Tomsæte''("Tame-inwoners"), een [Anglian](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Anglian&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjTV97RuiGxVg6xcZ3lNLKaEXPIyQ) stam woont in de vallei van de tamme ten tijde van de [Romeinse bezetting](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Roman_conquest_of_Britain&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg7v-zL2phxDE0v2KFT8c3WttGyUw) en rond [Tamworth](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tamworth&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjmwHfSbBhPiVXZqtSlgApZ7fxMYw) tijdens het koninkrijk van [Mercia](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mercia&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhhMMs-FhpTLUqq83vicMWB-hxQXw).
* Ze trokken de valleien van de Trent en Tame uit de [Humber-estuarium](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Humber_Estuary&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgoayeVkOY5GpLoOmmzjCSAoWE8hg) en later gevormd Mercia.