Saline, Fife

Population 1,097

Saline is located in Fife. Although Saline was a weaving village and did not become a mining village in the 20th century many from Saline worked in nearby pits. It is today a residential community with new private housing.

This type of small town is a suburban or commuter locality with a prevalence of higher income and private housing. A large proportion of the population are over 45, and many are retired. Many people own their home. There is also a high proportion of people in professional employment and a high proportion of residents are educated to HNC level or above. Many residents own two or more cars.

Saline is a dependent town.

Its most similar towns are Wemyss Bay, Skelmorlie, Dennyloanhead, and Waterfoot.

To gain more insight into Saline, compare it to any of the other towns included in USP.

Inter-relationships

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Combining inter-relationships and typology, Saline is grouped with 4 other towns. It has similarities to these towns in terms of the number of hospitals, children in secondary schools, jobs, shops, GP's and dentists, and diversity of retail offer. It also has similarities in the distance travelled to work, and the distance travelled to study.

Saline differs most from its group in the number of charities.

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### Population

**Population 2011**

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Employment

Jobs

84

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Jobs change 2009 to 2014

-5%

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Employment type (% working full time vs part time aged 16-74)

Occupation (% aged 16-74)

Social Grade (% households aged 16-64)
Sector Diversity

Distance travelled to work

Public

Education (% all people aged 16 and over)

Children in primary schools

86

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Commuter Flow Map

Coloured and grey lines/pins show the main and smaller commuter flows, respectively, between this town and the other towns in Scotland.

Commercial

Number of people per shop

366

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Social

Distance travelled to study
Number of residents per charity

110

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Connectivity and environment assets

Average download speed (MBs)

14

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