

# Stonehouse, South Lanarkshire

Population 5,506

Stonehouse is to be found in South Lanarkshire. It is the site of an old settlement from the Iron Age which developed in the 1800s as a weaving town and later as a mining town. It was intended as a site for a new town in the 1970s but plans were abandoned due to lack of interest from industry. It has an animal feeds production plant (Galloway and Macleod). The town is primarily residential and has local services. New housing has been built for commuters.

This type of medium-sized town is extremely mixed in terms of demographics. There is a particularly wide range of people, housing and activities. The number of older couples with no children are higher than average. There is a mix of professional and non-professional jobs, and part-time and self-employment are both important for a significant proportion of residents. Socioeconomic status is higher than in other kinds of town and there is a mix of professionals and nonprofessionals, those with higher and lower educational attainment.

Stonehouse is a dependent to interdependent town.

Its most similar towns are [Moodiesburn](#), [Kirkmuirhill and Blackwood](#), [Lennoxtown](#), and [Elderslie](#).

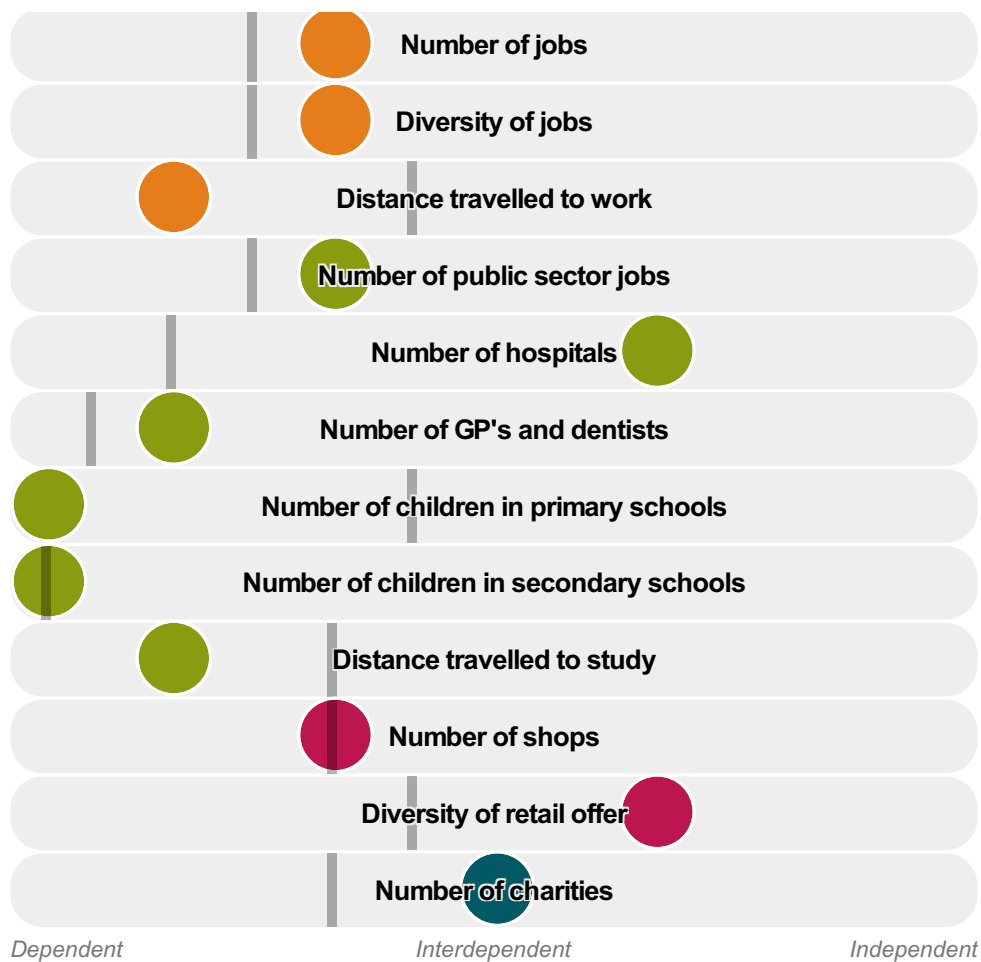
To gain more insight into Stonehouse, compare it to any of the other towns included in USP.

## Inter-relationships

*Dependent*

*Interdependent*

*Independent*



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Combining inter-relationships and typology, Stonehouse is grouped with 9 other towns. It has similarities to these towns in terms of the number of children in secondary schools, jobs, public sector jobs, shops, and GP's and dentists. It also has similarities in the diversity of jobs.

It differs in terms of the number of hospitals. It also differs in the distance travelled to work. Stonehouse differs most from its group in the number of children in primary schools.

- Employment
- Public
- Commercial
- Social
- ▬ Average for the category

## Change

### Population change 2001 to 2011

6%

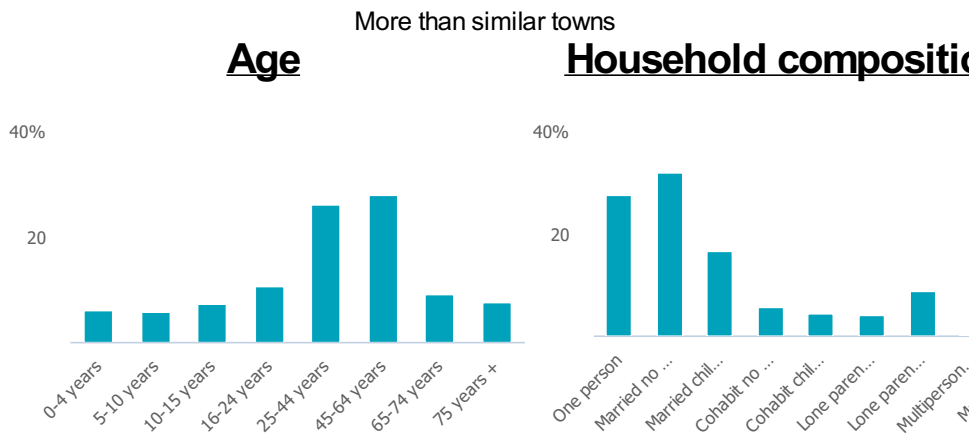
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## Population

# Employment

## Population 2011

6k



## Jobs

871

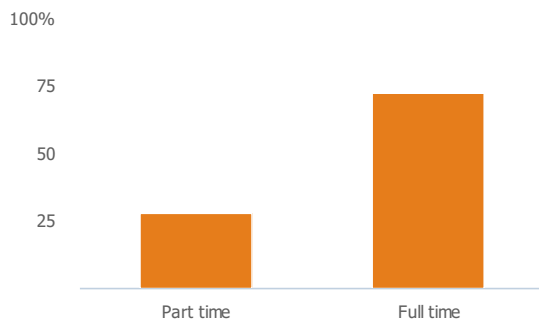
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## Jobs change 2009 to 2014

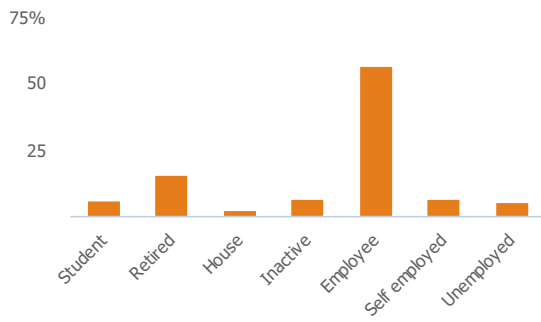
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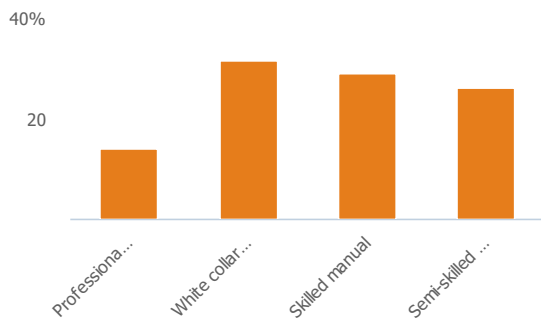
## Employment type(% working full time vs part time aged 16-74)



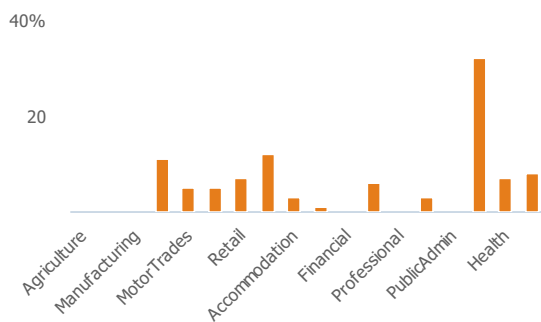
## Occupation (% aged 16-74)



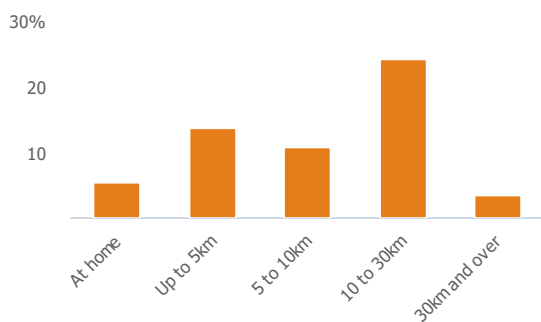
### Social Grade (% households aged 16-64)



### Sector Diversity

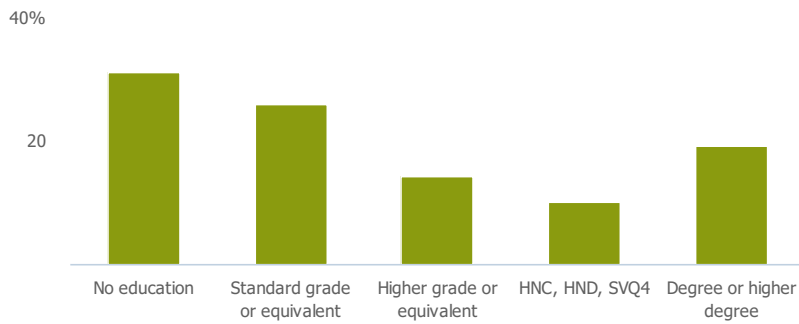


### Distance travelled to work



## Public

### Education (% all people aged 16 and over)



## Children in primary schools

0

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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

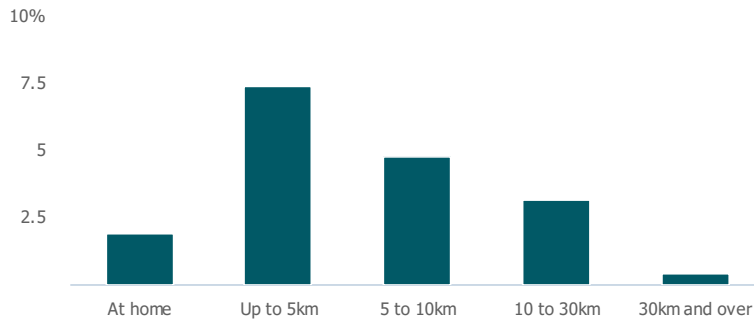
### Number of people per shop

178

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## Social

### Distance travelled to study



### Number of residents per charity

367

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## Connectivity and environment assets

### Average download speed (MBs)

24

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