



Auchinleck

EAST AYRSHIRE

POPULATION **3,683**

Auchinleck in East Ayrshire originated in the 1700's when the forfeited estate was granted to the Boswell family. It developed as a mining town in the 19th century and in the 20th century the Barony Colliery opened. It and the associated power station closed in 1989. It retains a manufacturing base including chip board manufacturer EGGER.

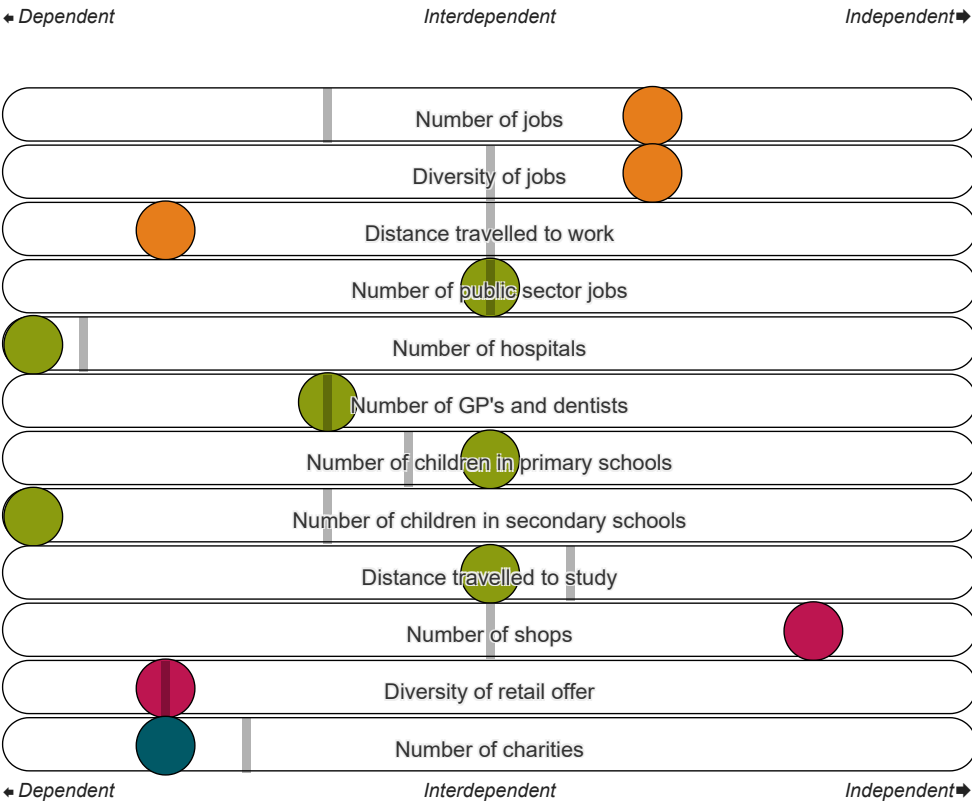
In medium towns like this one, people experience more challenging circumstances with higher rates of unemployment, poorer health, lack of a car, lower levels of education and lower social grades than other groups. A higher proportion live in social rented housing. There is a higher proportion of single person households and lone parents.

Auchinleck is an interdependent to dependent town.

Its most similar towns are [Blackburn \(West Lothian\)](#), [Cardenden and Auchterderran](#), [Drongan](#), and [Kilbirnie](#).

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

Inter-relationships



Auchinleck is an **interdependent to dependent** town.

Combining inter-relationships and typology, Auchinleck is grouped with 7 other towns. It has similarities to these towns in terms of the number of charities, hospitals, children in primary schools, public sector jobs, GP's and dentists, and diversity of retail offer. It also has similarities in the distance travelled to study.

It differs in terms of the number of jobs, and shops. It also differs in the distance travelled to work. Auchinleck differs most from its group in the number of children in secondary schools.

- Orange Employment
- Green Public
- Pink Commercial
- Teal Social
- Grey Average for the category

Population change 2011 to 2022**-4%**

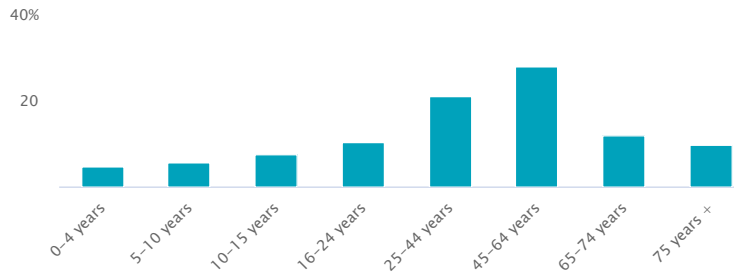
▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Household change 2011 to 2022**2%**

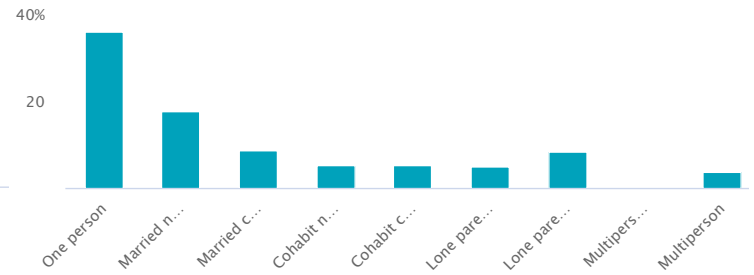
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Population

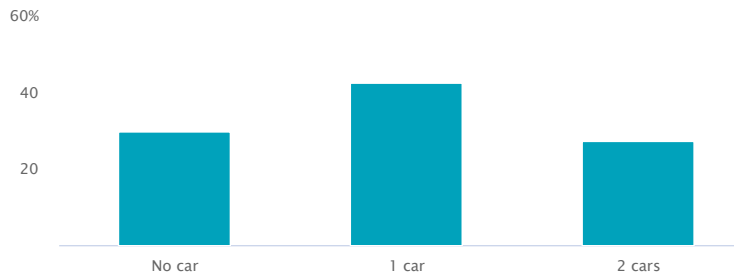
Age



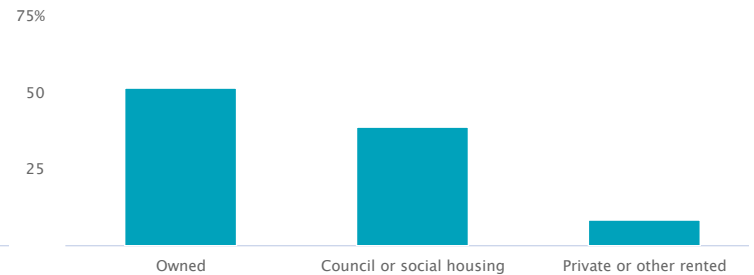
Household composition



Car ownership



Tenure



Population 2022

4k

▼ Less
than similar towns

Households 2022

2k

▼ Less
than similar towns

Population change 2011 to 2022

-4%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Household change 2011 to 2022

2%

▼ Less
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Very bad health

2%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

No central heating

1%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Occupancy rating of bedrooms 1 or less

2%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Disabled

10%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population



Employment

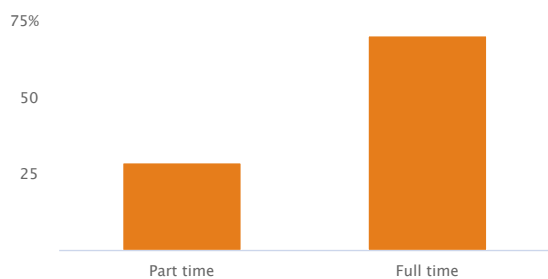
Jobs

1000

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

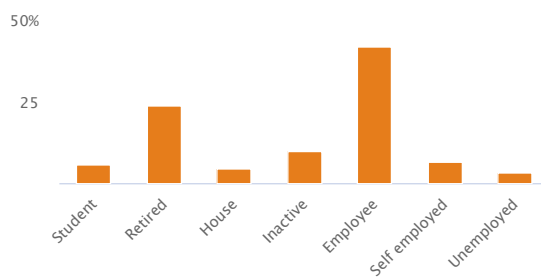
Employment type

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



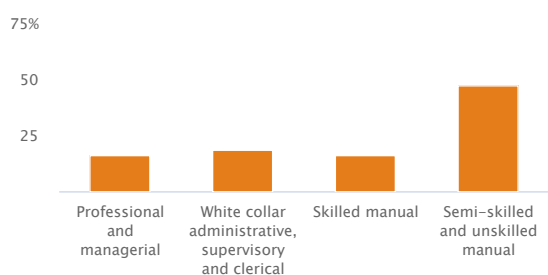
Occupation

(% aged 16-74)

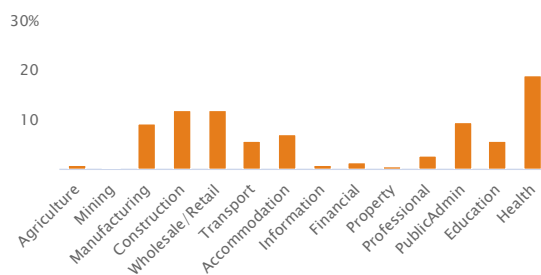


Social Grade

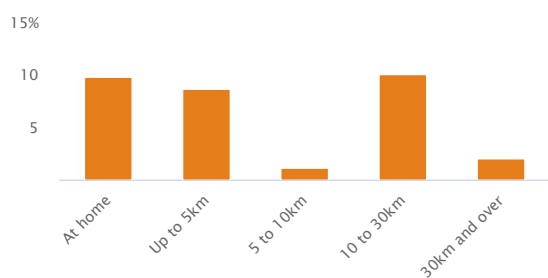
(% households aged 16-64)



Sector Diversity

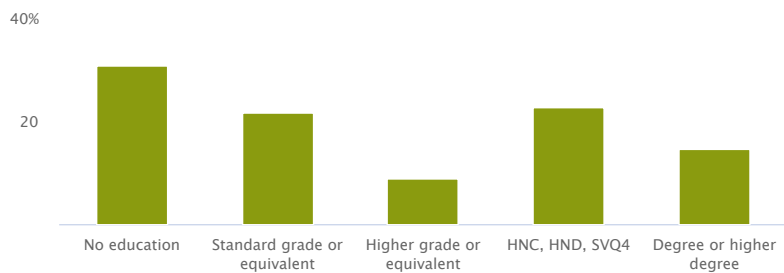


Distance travelled to work



Education

(% all people aged 16 and over)



Children in primary schools

295

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Children in secondary schools

0

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Hospitals

0

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

GP's and dentists

5

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

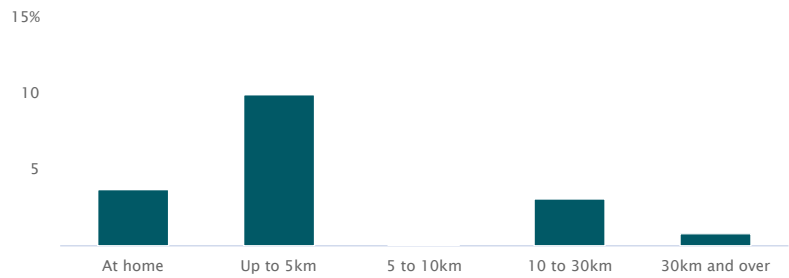
Number of people per shop**108**

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Diversity of retail offer (%)**33**

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Distance travelled to study



Number of residents per charity

614

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Environment Indicators

Households with D, E, F
energy performance
certificate rating

23%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Households with green
energy heating system

0%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Average house price (£)

108k

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population