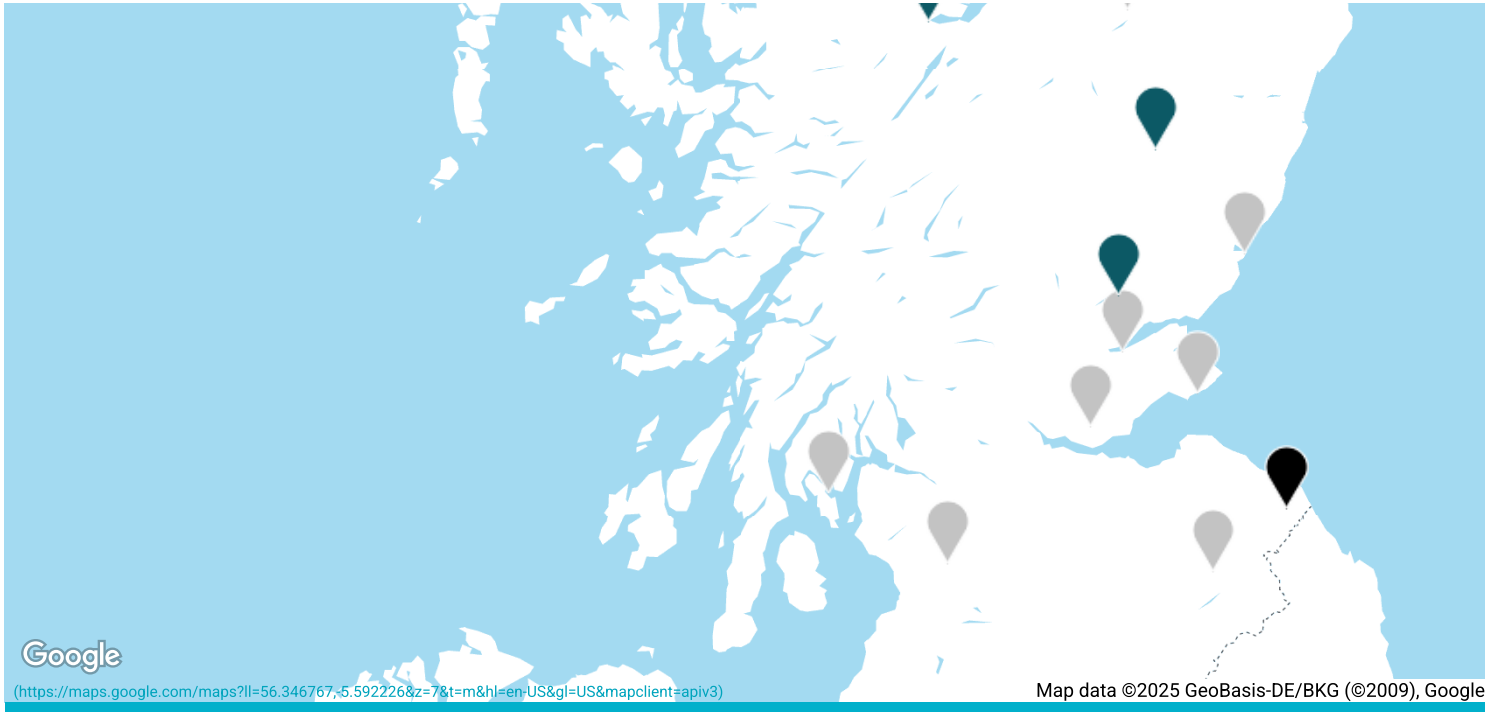




Chirnside

SCOTTISH BORDERS

POPULATION **1,584**

Chirnside is located in Scottish Borders. Since the 1840s there has been a paper mill in Chirnside. It is now run by Ahlstrom and produces biodegradable tea bags.

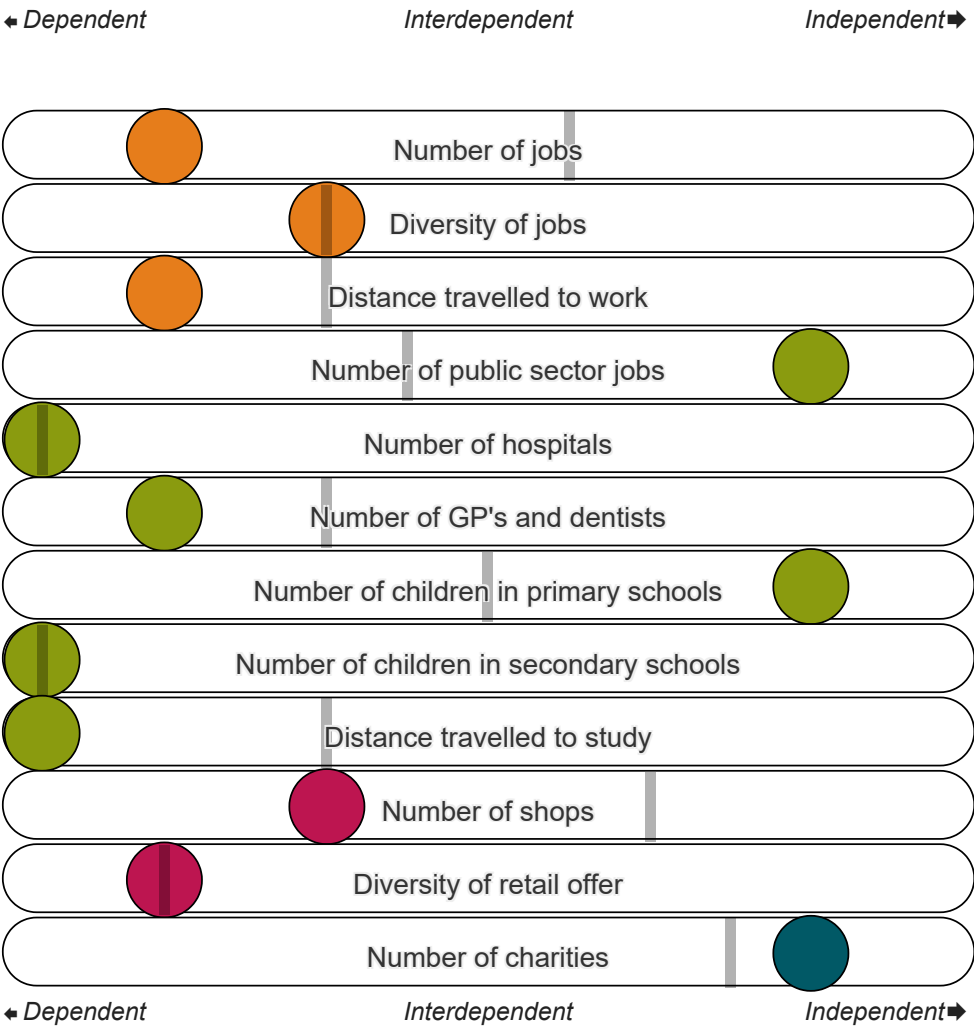
In small towns like this one, and similar, this population includes older people, some still in work often in less well paid sectors. It also includes a significant inactive population, some in poorer health. There is a higher proportion of single households and car ownership is lower.

Chirnside is an interdependent to dependent town.

Its most similar towns are [Balintore](#), [Ballater](#), [Beaully](#), and [Coupar Angus](#).

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

Inter-relationships



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

Combining inter-relationships and typology, Chirnside is grouped with 15 other towns. It has similarities to these towns in terms of the number of charities, hospitals, children in secondary schools, and diversity of retail offer. It also has similarities in the diversity of jobs, and the distance travelled to work.

It differs in terms of the number of children in primary schools, jobs, public sector jobs, and shops. Chirnside differs most from its group in the distance travelled to study.

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

Population change 2011 to 2022**9%**

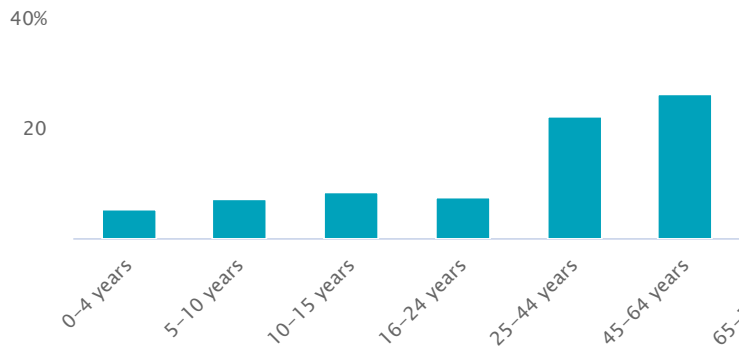
▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Household change 2011 to 2022**11%**

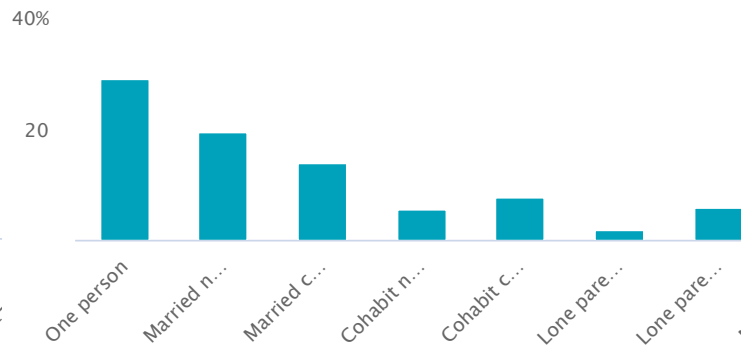
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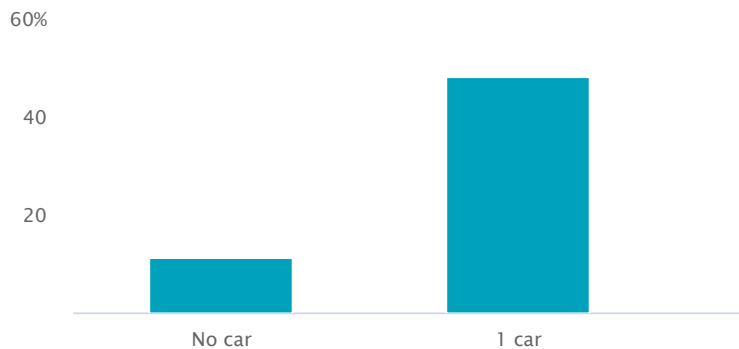
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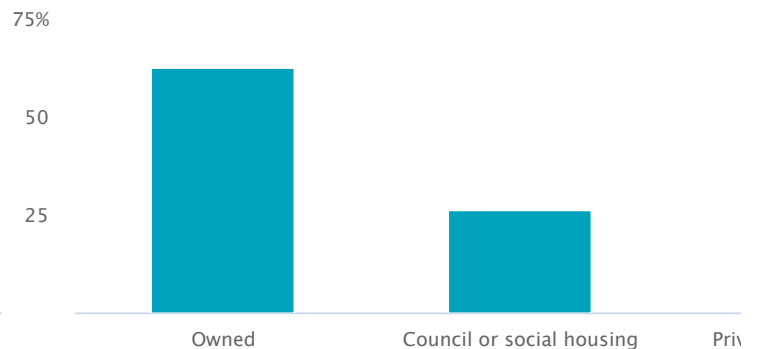
Household composition



Car ownership



Tenure



Population 2022

2k

▲ More
than similar towns

Households 2022

684

▼ Less
than similar towns

Population change 2011 to 2022

9%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Household change 2011 to 2022

11%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Very bad health

2%

▼ Less

No central heating

2%

▼ Less

than similar towns per head of population

Occupancy rating of bedrooms 1 or less

1%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

than similar towns per head of population

Disabled

5%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Employment

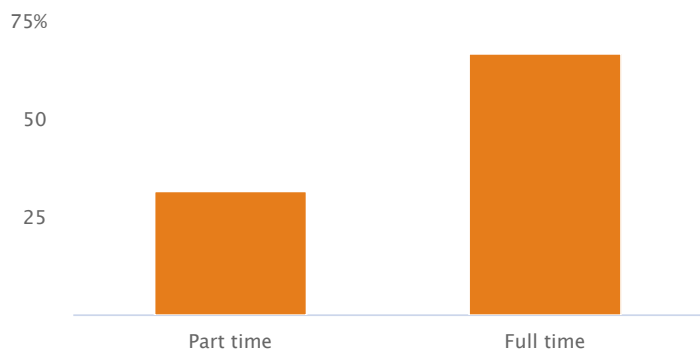
Jobs

150

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

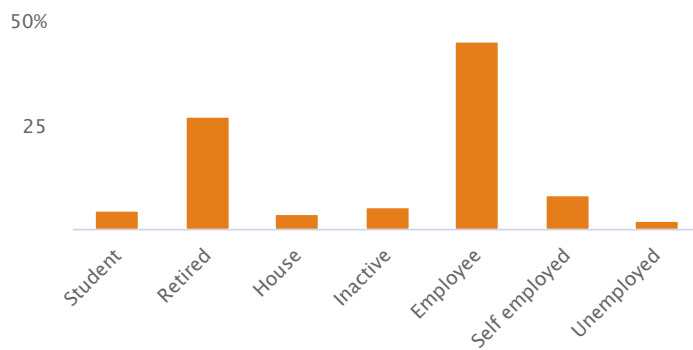
Employment type

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



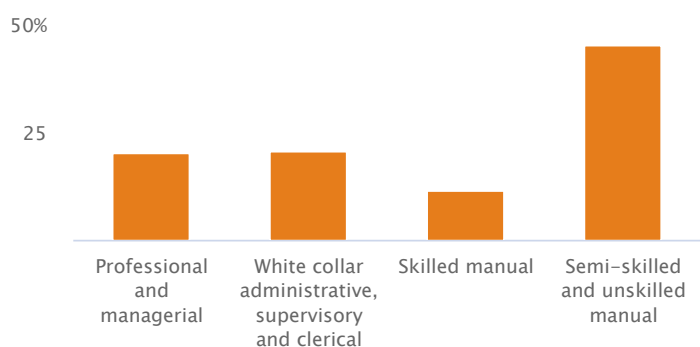
Occupation

(% aged 16-74)

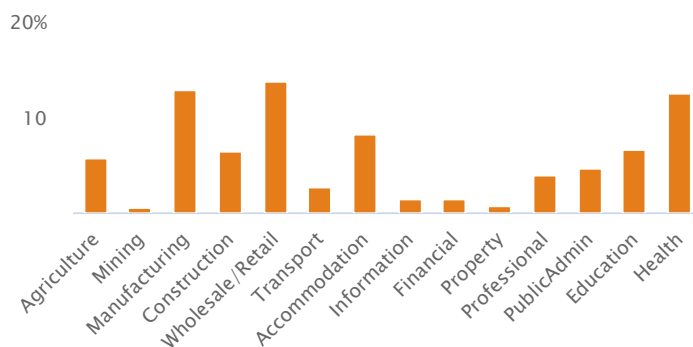


Social Grade

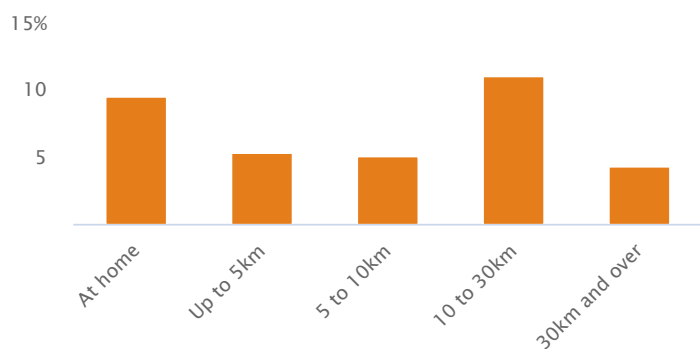
(% households aged 16-64)



Sector Diversity

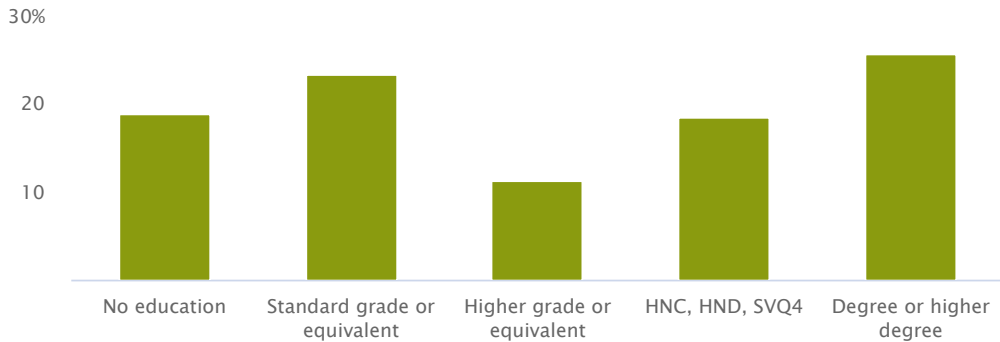


Distance travelled to work



Education

(% all people aged 16 and over)



Children in primary schools

168

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Children in secondary schools

0

The same
as similar towns per head of population

Hospitals

0

The same
as similar towns per head of population

GP's and dentists

1

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population



Commercial

Number of people per shop

264

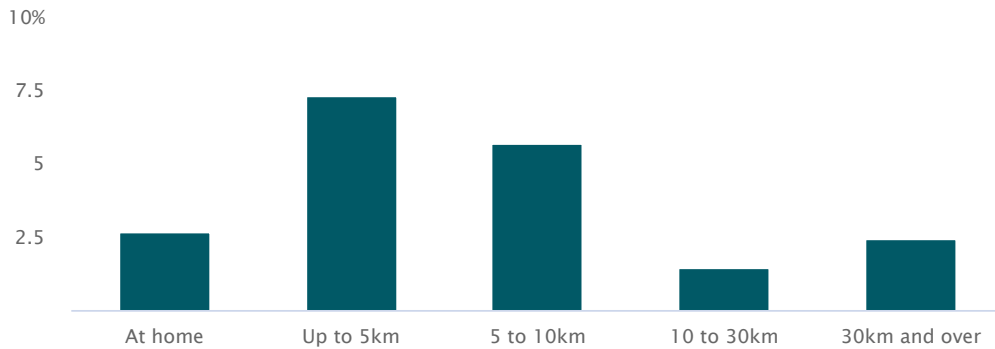
▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Diversity of retail offer (%)

100

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Distance travelled to study.



Number of residents per charity.

226

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population



Environment Indicators

Households with D, E, F energy performance certificate rating

27%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Households with green energy heating system

10%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Average house price (£)

193k

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population