Gatehouse of Fleet

DUMFRIES AND GALLOWAY

POPULATION **1,016**

gatehouse of Fleet is an historic town buit at the lowest bridging point. Historically it was a coaching town with cotton mills. A small amount of housing to meet local needs has been built increasing the population very slightly. It is a UNESCO Biosphere Community. Toruism and local service provision are mainstays.

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.

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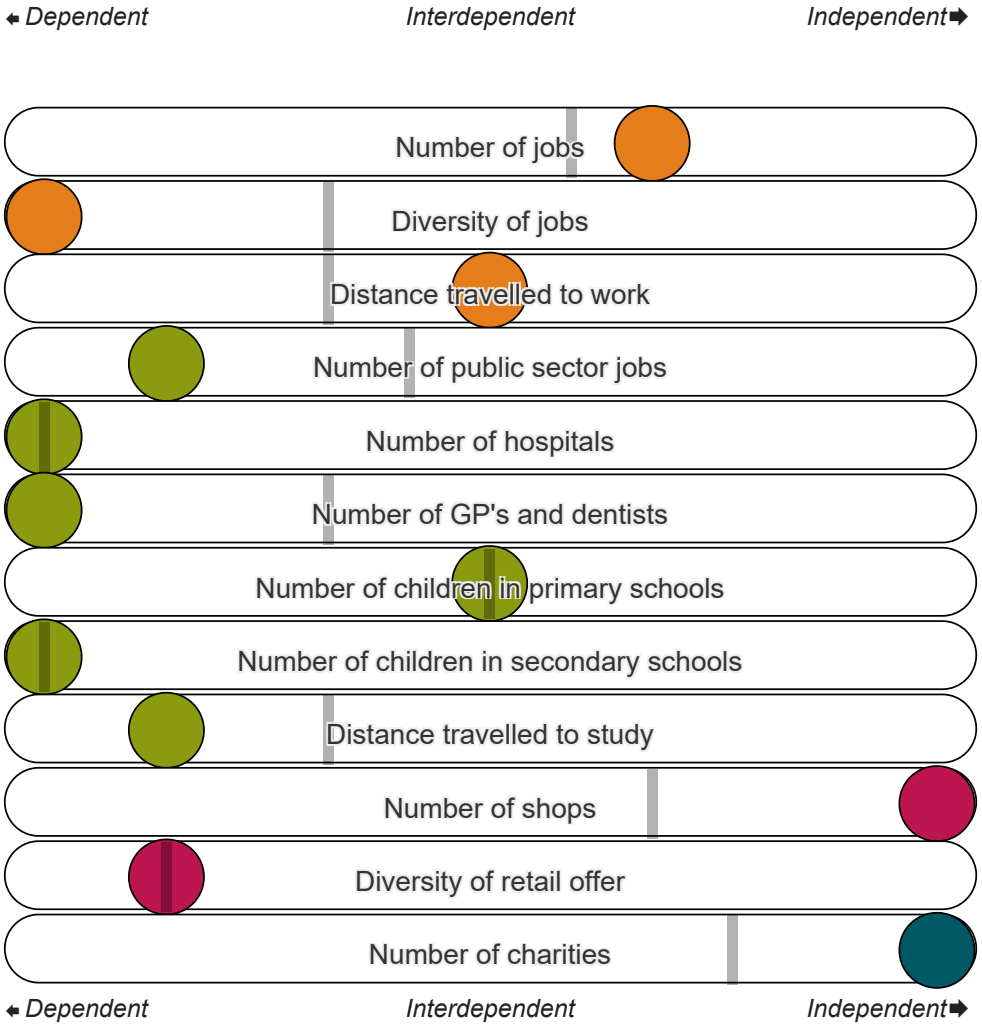
Its most similar towns are Balintore, Ballater, Beauly, and Chirnside.

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

Inter-relationships



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

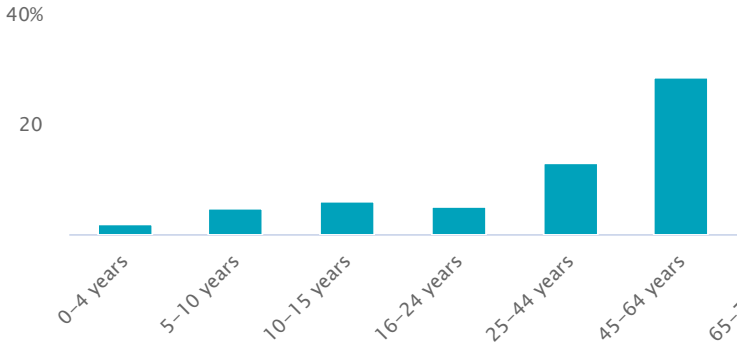
It differs in terms of the number of public sector jobs, and shops. Gatehouse of Fleet differs most from its group in the number of GP's and dentists; and the diversity of jobs.

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

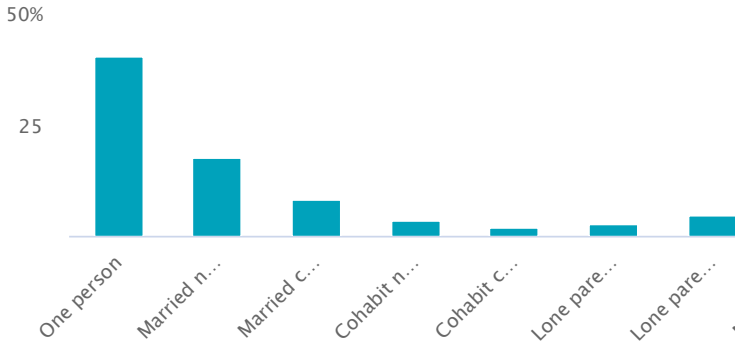
Change

Population

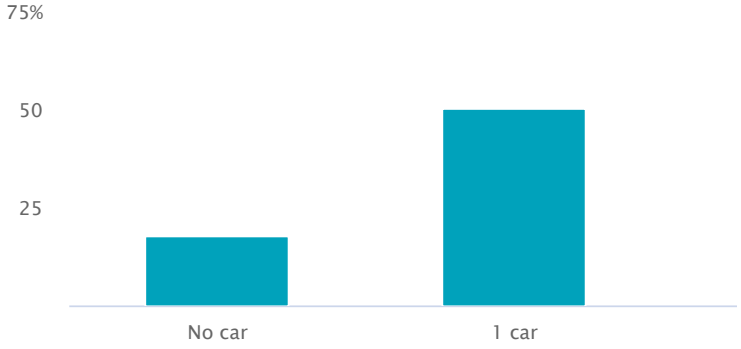
Age



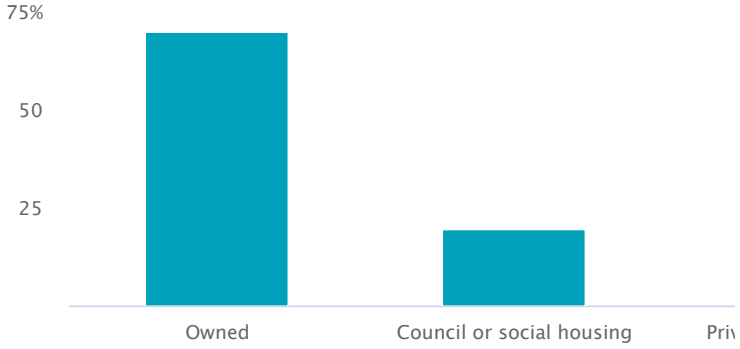
Household composition



Car ownership



Tenure



Population 2022

1k

▼ Less
than similar towns

Households 2022

499

▼ Less
than similar towns

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

Disabled

1%

▲ More

than similar towns per head of population

7%

▲ More

than similar towns per head of population

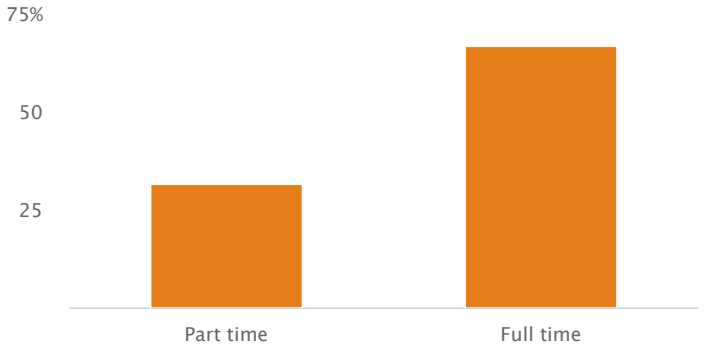
Employment

Jobs

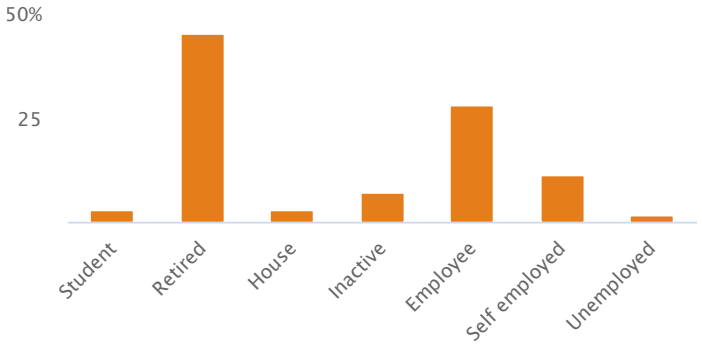
250

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

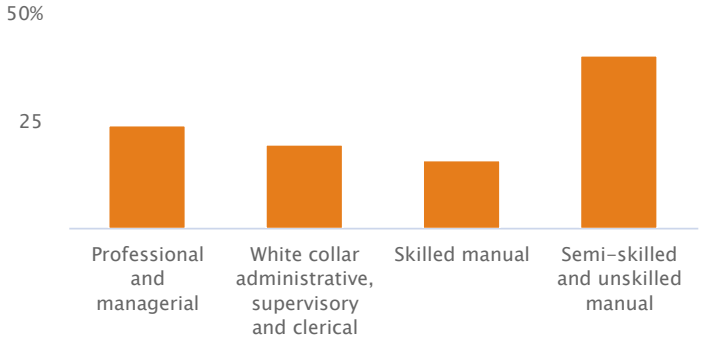
Employment type
(% working full time vs part time aged 16-74)



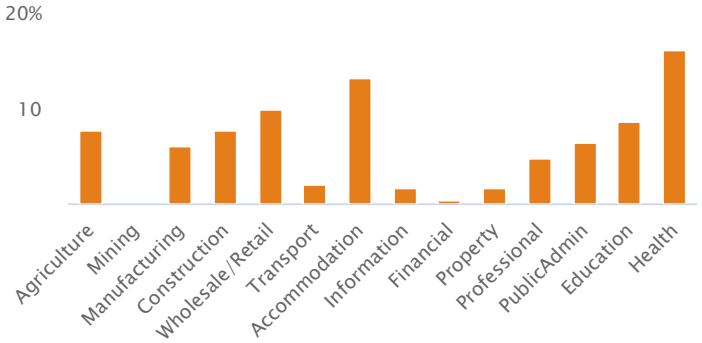
Occupation
(% aged 16-74)



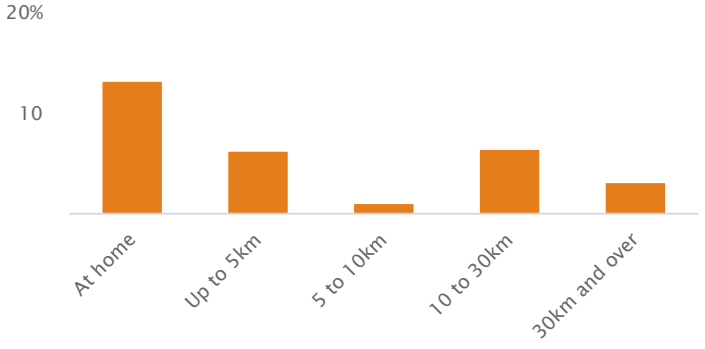
Social Grade
(% households aged 16-64)



Sector Diversity

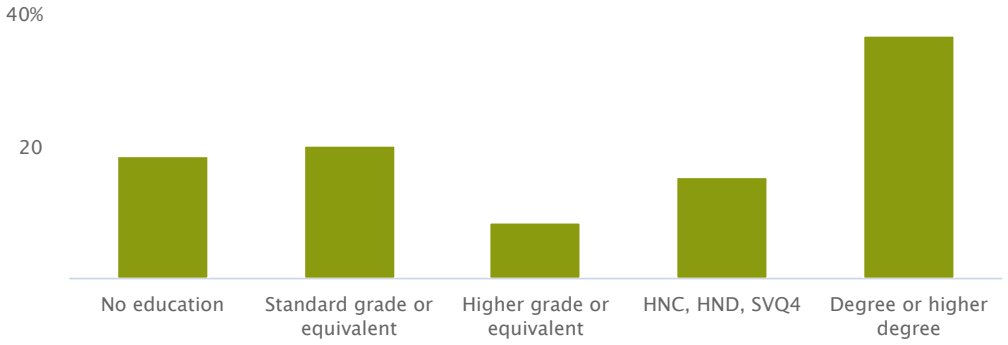


Distance travelled to work



Public

Education
(% all people aged 16 and over)



Children in primary schools

81

▼ Less
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

0

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Commercial

Number of people per shop

60

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

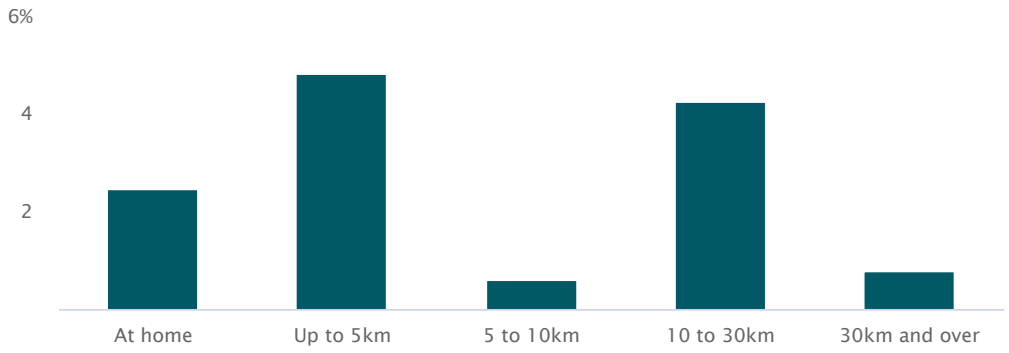
Diversity of retail offer (%)

0

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Social

Distance travelled to study



Number of residents per charity

73

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Environment Indicators

Households with D, E, F energy performance certificate rating

28%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Households with green energy heating system

2%

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Average house price (£)

224k

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population