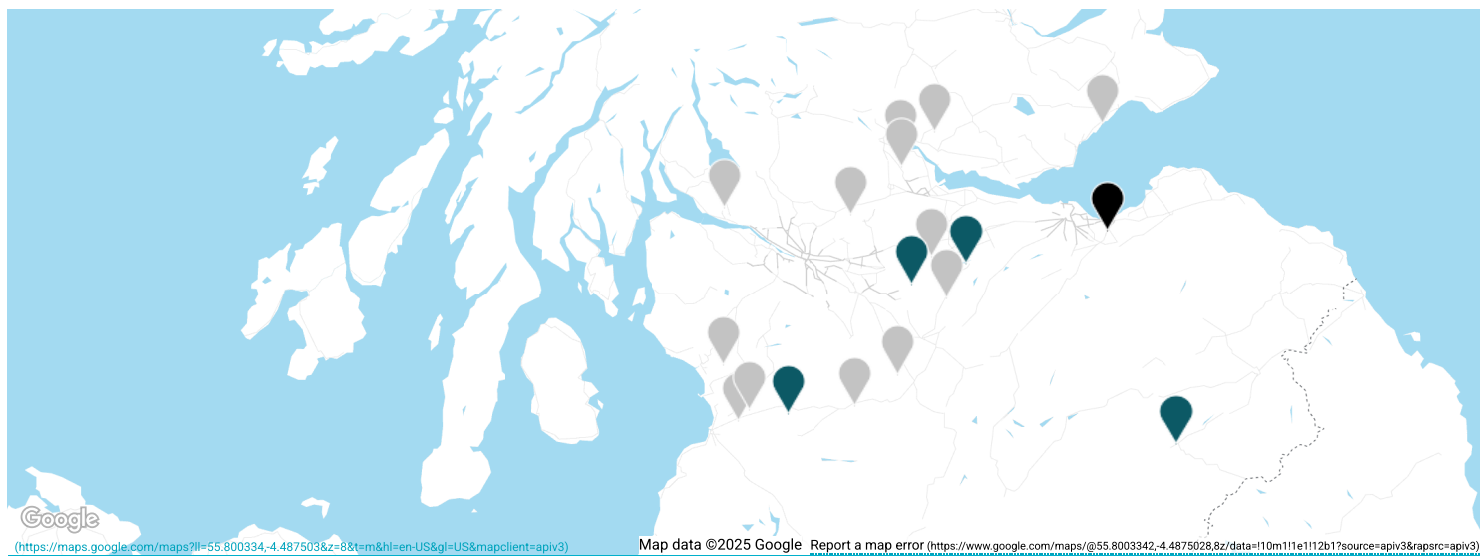




Whitecraig

EAST LOTHIAN

POPULATION **1,253**

Whitecraig is a former mining town in East Lothian. Public housing was built to house miners. There is little employment today in the town and most resident commute for work. Services are limited.

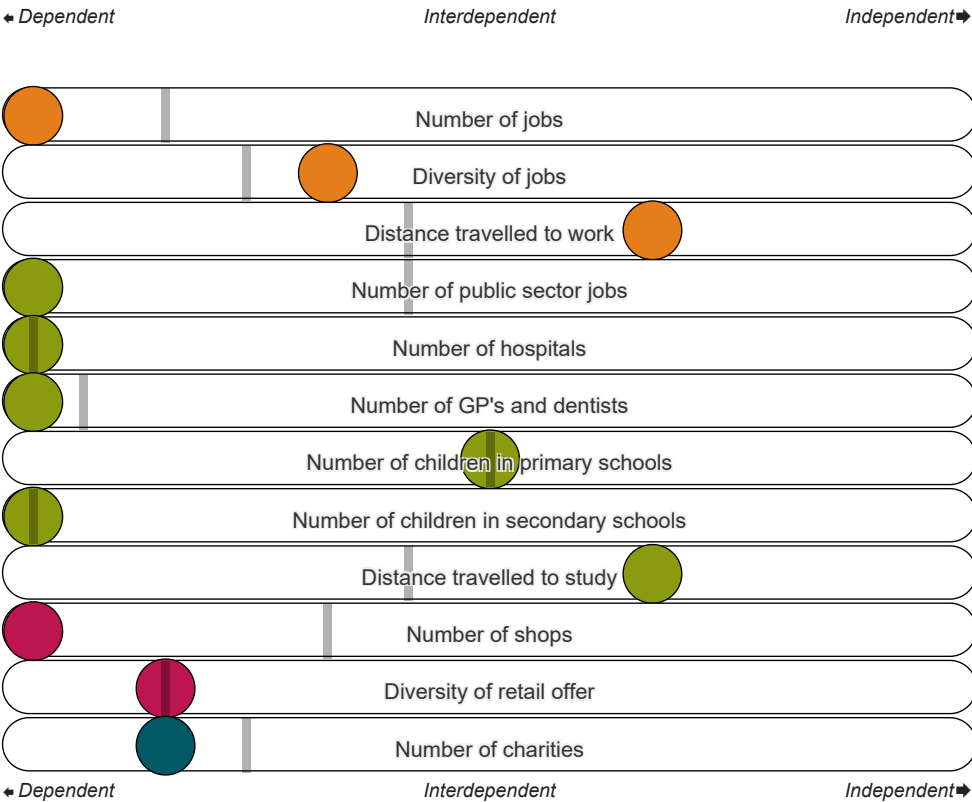
In this, and similar small towns, people experience more challenging circumstances with higher rates of unemployment, poorer health, lack of a car, lower levels of education and lower social grades than other groups. A higher proportion live in social rented housing. There is a higher proportion of single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

Whitecraig is a dependent to interdependent town.

Its most similar towns are [Addiewell](#), [Allanton](#), [Burnfoot](#), and [Catrine](#).

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

Inter-relationships



Whitecraig is a **dependent to interdependent** town.

Combining inter-relationships and typology, Whitecraig is grouped with 17 other towns. It has similarities to these towns in terms of the number of charities, hospitals, children in primary schools, children in secondary schools, jobs, GP's and dentists, and diversity of retail offer. It also has similarities in the diversity of jobs.

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

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

Population change 2011 to 2022**5%**

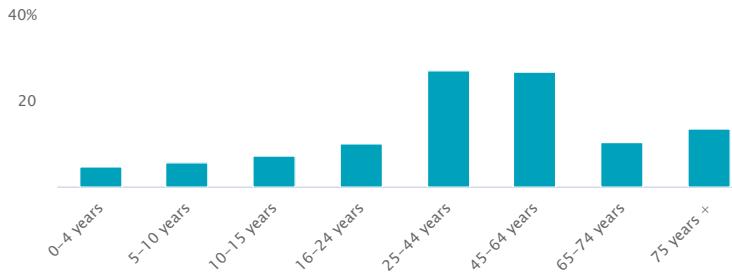
▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Household change 2011 to 2022**4%**

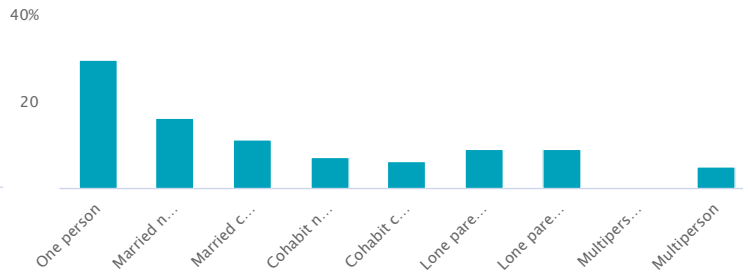
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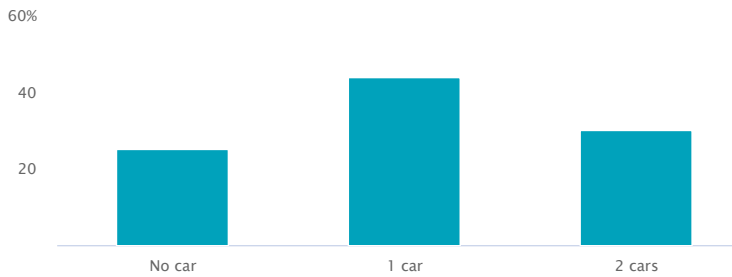
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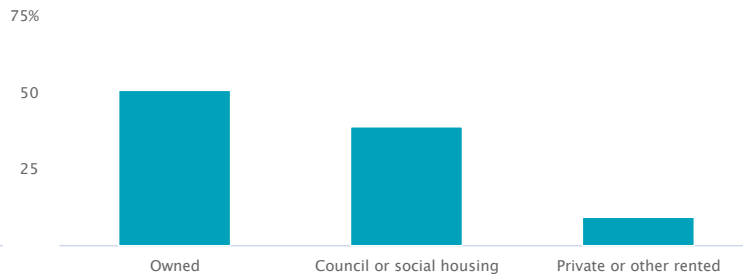
Household composition



Car ownership



Tenure



Population 2022

1k

▼ Less
than similar towns

Households 2022

544

▼ Less
than similar towns

Population change 2011 to 2022

5%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Household change 2011 to 2022

4%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Very bad health

3%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

No central heating

1%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Occupancy rating of bedrooms 1 or less

5%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Disabled

9%

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population



Employment

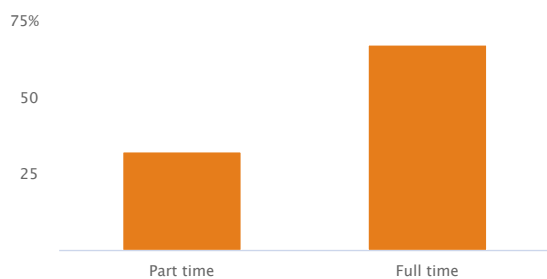
Jobs

100

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

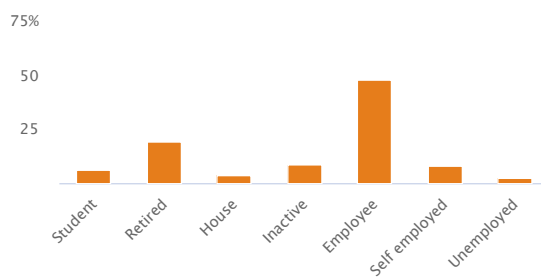
Employment type

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



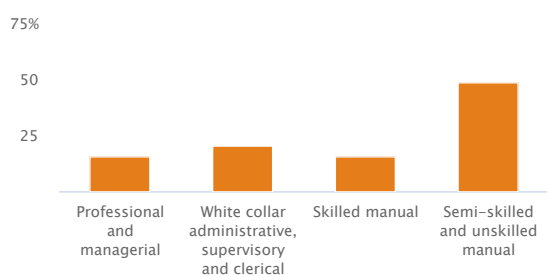
Occupation

(% aged 16-74)

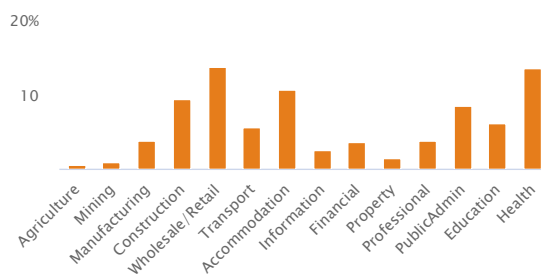


Social Grade

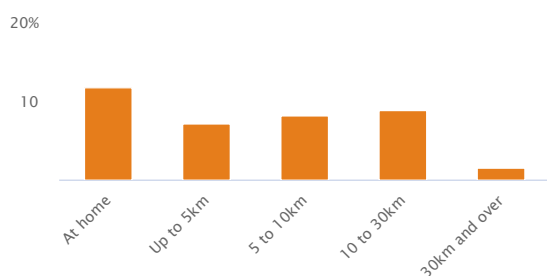
(% households aged 16-64)



Sector Diversity

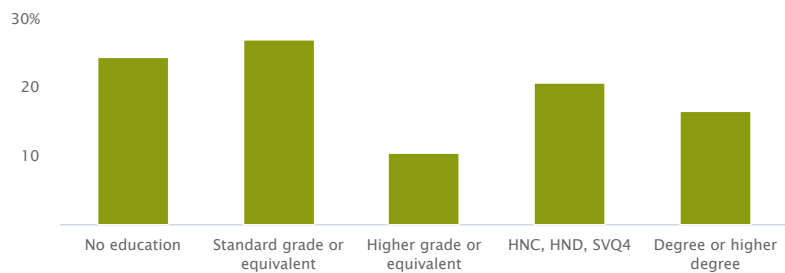


Distance travelled to work



Education

(% all people aged 16 and over)



Children in primary schools

104

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population

Children in secondary schools

0

▼ Less
than 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

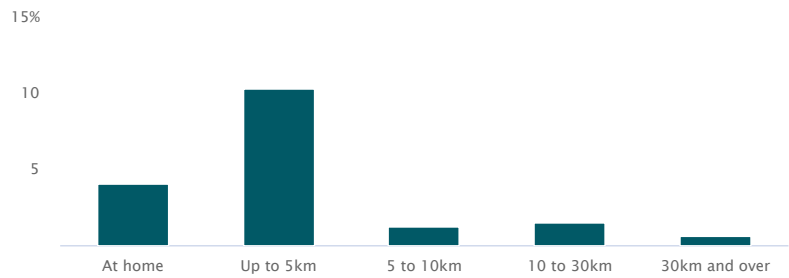
Number of people per shop**626**

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Diversity of retail offer (%)**0**

▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Distance travelled to study



Number of residents per charity



▼ Less
than similar towns per head of population

Environment Indicators

Households with D, E, F
energy performance
certificate rating

18%

▲ 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 (£)

319k

▲ More
than similar towns per head of population