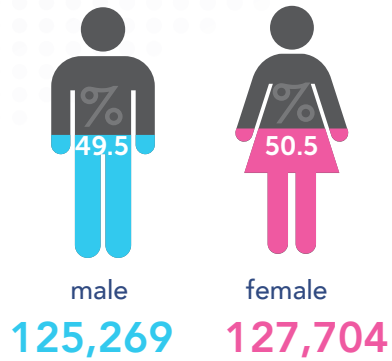
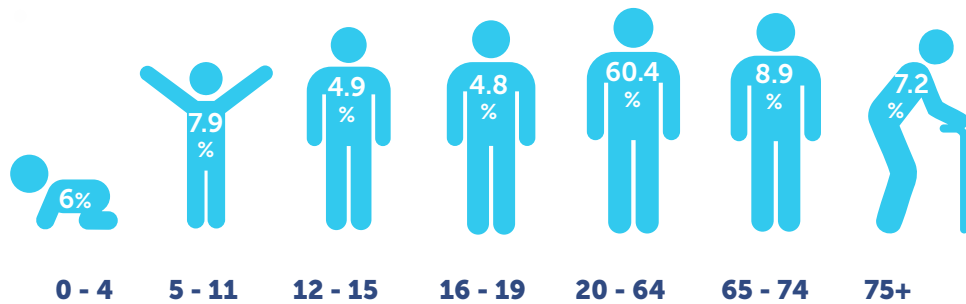


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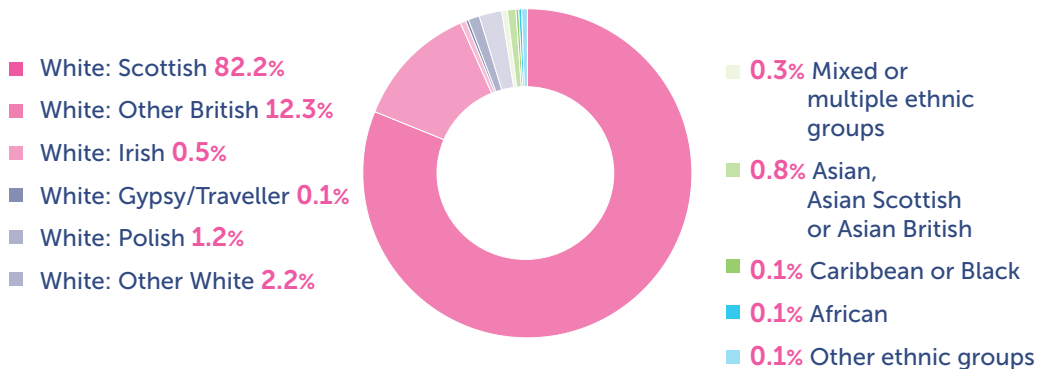
## POPULATION



## AGE



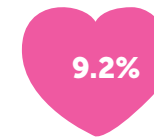
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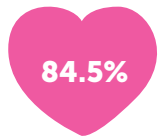
## LIMITING LONG-TERM HEALTH PROBLEMS (Day-to-Day Activities)



Day-to-day activities limited a lot

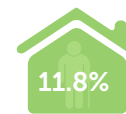


Day-to-day activities limited a little

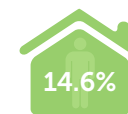


Day-to-day activities not limited

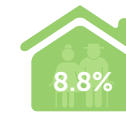
## HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION



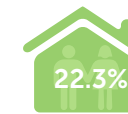
One person 65+



One person <65



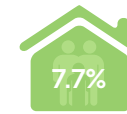
One family all 65+



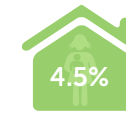
Couple, no children



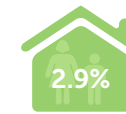
Couple, dependent children



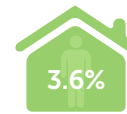
Couple, all children non-dependent



Lone parent, dependent children

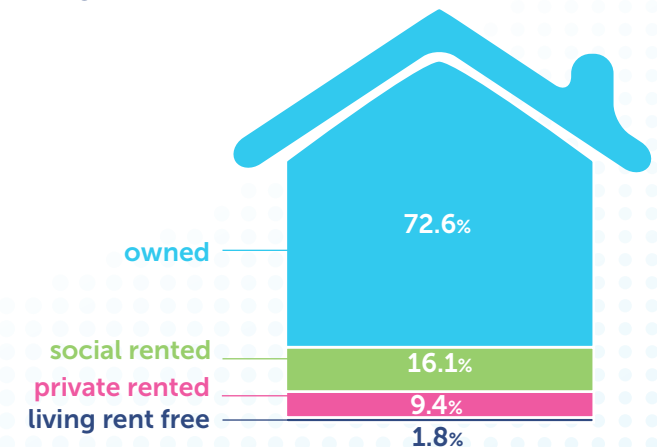


Lone parent, non-dependent children



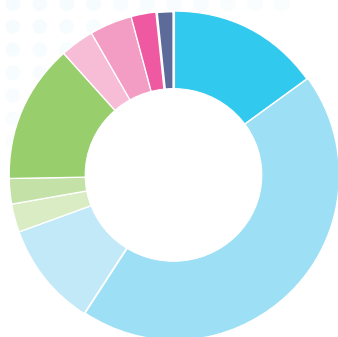
Other households

## HOUSEHOLD TENURE



## ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

- Part-time employee 15.2%
- Full-time employee 44.1%
- Self employed 10.2%
- Student (employed or looking for employment) 2.9%
- Unemployed 2.5%



- 13.6% Retired
- 3.1% Student (not employed or looking for employment)
- 4.2% Looking after home or family
- 2.7% Long term sick or disabled
- 1.4% Other

## OCCUPATION



9%

Managers, directors and senior officials



16.2%

Professional occupations



12.5%

Associate professional and technical occupations



10.7%

Administrative and secretarial occupations



17.3%

Skilled trades occupations



8.5%

Caring, leisure and other service occupations



10.3%

Elementary occupations



8.7%

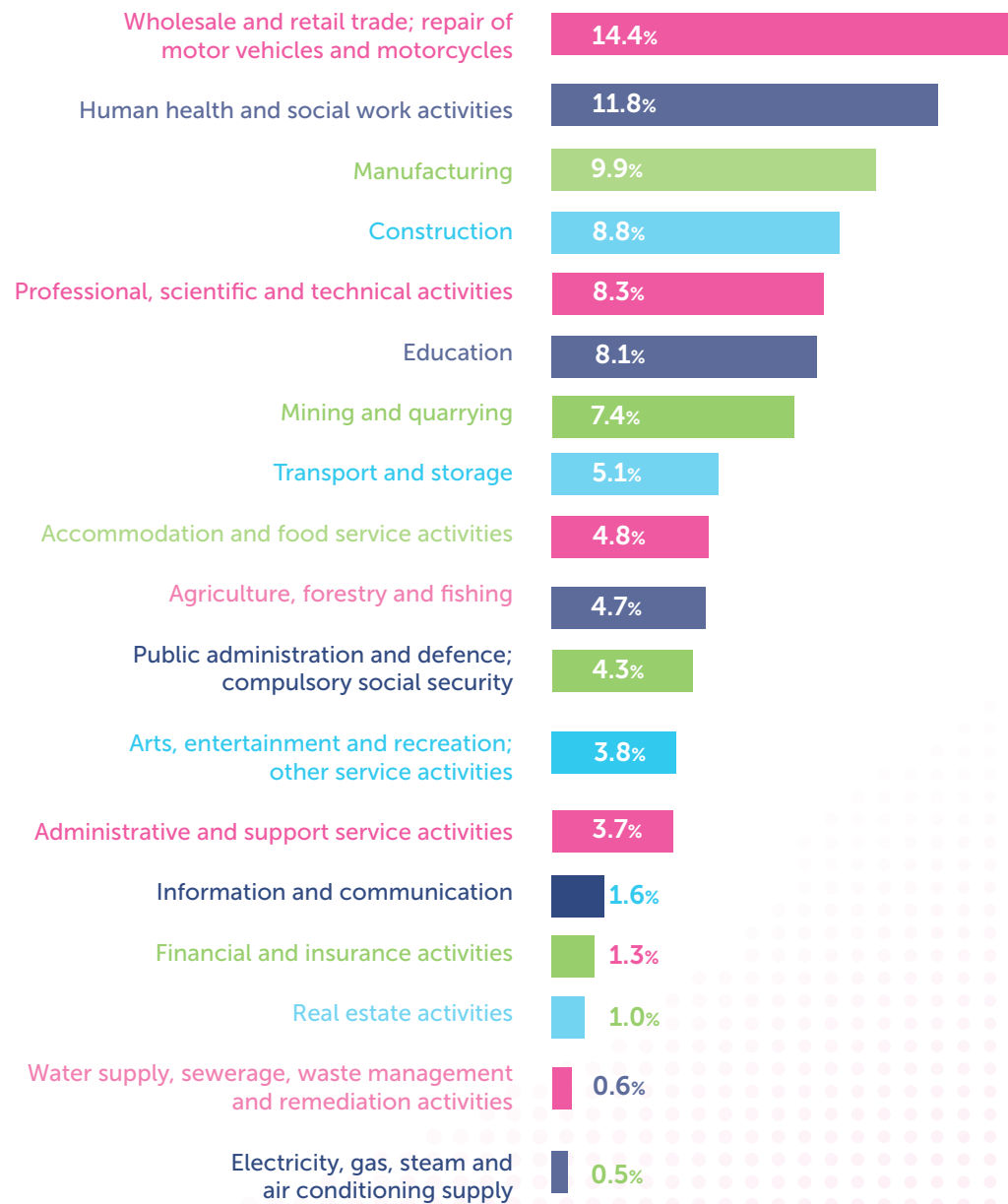
Process, plant and machine operatives



6.7%

Sales and customer service occupations

## INDUSTRY

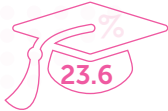


## HIGHEST QUALIFICATION

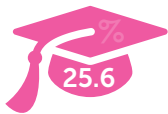
All people aged 16 and over

205,584

No qualifications



Level 1 qualifications



Level 2 qualifications



Level 3 qualifications



Level 4 qualifications



Level 1 = O Grade, Standard Grade or equivalent

Level 2 = Higher, Advanced Higher or equivalent

Level 3 = HNC, HND, SVQ level 4 or equivalent

Level 4 and above = Degree, Masters, PhD or equivalent

## METHOD OF TRAVEL TO WORK

### TRANSPORT TO PLACE OF WORK

All people aged 16 to 74

187,492



Work mainly at or from home



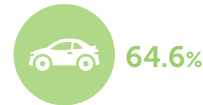
Train



Bus, minibus or coach



Taxi or minicab



Driving a car or van



Passenger in a car or van



Bicycle



Motorcycle, scooter or moped



On foot



Other

### CAR OR VAN AVAILABILITY

Number of cars or vans in household:

No cars or vans 14.3%

One car or van 40.2%

Two cars or vans 33.7%

Three cars or vans 8.4%

Four or more cars or vans 3.4%

# ABERDEENSHIRE CENSUS PROFILE 2011 NOTES

## TOTAL POPULATION

In 2011 Aberdeenshire's population numbered 252,973 and represented 4.8% of Scotland's total population of 5,295,403. Scotland's population was the highest ever recorded, as was Aberdeenshire's; Scotland's population grew by 4.6% between 2001 and 2011 whilst Aberdeenshire's grew by 11.5%, making it the fastest growing Scottish local authority over this period.

## ETHNICITY

White ethnic groups made up 98.5% of Aberdeenshire's population. 96% of these were White Scottish or White Other British. The largest group apart from these was White Polish, which made up 1.2% of Aberdeenshire's total population. The next largest ethnic group was Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British people who made up 0.8% of Aberdeenshire's total population. Aberdeenshire was less ethnically diverse than Scotland as a whole, where white ethnic groups made up 96.0% of the population. Proportionately it had a greater population of White Other British, 12.3% compared to 7.9% in Scotland, and a smaller population of Asian people, 0.8% compared to 2.7% in Scotland. The ethnicity of Aberdeenshire's population had changed a little since 2001, when white ethnic groups made up 99.3% of its population.

## AGE PROFILE

In broad terms the age profile of Aberdeenshire was similar to that of Scotland, with a slightly higher proportion of people aged 0 – 15, 18.7% compared to 17.3%. 65.2% of its population was aged 16 – 64 and 16.1% was aged 65 plus. The figures for Scotland were 65.9% and 16.8% respectively.

## HEALTH

In general, Aberdeenshire residents enjoyed good health: 84.5% reported that their day-to-day activities were not limited by any health problems; 9.2% reported they were limited a little by health problems; and 6.3% said their day-to-day activities were limited a lot. In Scotland 80.4% of people reported that their day-to-day activities were not limited and 9.6% said that they were limited a lot. Using a different measure, 2.7% of the population were long term sick or disabled compared to 5.1% of Scotland's population.

## EMPLOYMENT

69.5% of Aberdeenshire's population was employed. Aberdeenshire had a higher employment rate than Scotland (60.5%) and a lower unemployment rate, 2.5% compared to 4.8%. Of its 16 – 74 year old population 44.1% was in full-time employment and 15.2% worked part-time. A further 10.2% were self employed. Of the rest of the population 6.0% were students, half of whom were economically active, 4.2% were looking after home or family and 13.6% were retired.

## INDUSTRY

Aberdeenshire residents were employed in a wide variety of industries. The sector which employed the highest number of people, 14.4% of the working population, was 'Wholesale and retail trade, repair of motor vehicles'. This was followed by 'Human health and social work activities' at 11.8%, 'Manufacturing' at 9.9%, 'Construction' at 8.8% and 'Professional, scientific and technical activities' at 8.3%. In Scotland the industry sector which employed the most people was 'Human health and social work activities' with 15% of Scotland's working population employed there. Aberdeenshire differed from Scotland in having a noticeably

lower percentage of people employed in this sector, as well as in: 'Financial and insurance activities', 1.3% compared to 4.5% in Scotland, 'Public administration and defence', 4.3% compared to 7.0%, and 'Accommodation and food service activities', 4.8% compared to 6.3%. In contrast it had noticeably higher proportions of people employed in 'Mining and Quarrying', 7.4% compared to 1.4% in Scotland, 'Agriculture, forestry and fishing', 4.7% compared to 2.0% and 'Manufacturing', 9.9% compared to 7.7%.

## HOUSEHOLDS

There were 104,714 households in Aberdeenshire. Single person households accounted for 26.5% of all households, and around 45% of these consisted of people aged 65 or over. Couples with dependent children accounted for 23.7% of all households and lone parents with dependent children accounted for 4.5% of all households.

Aberdeenshire showed a markedly different pattern of household composition to Scotland in general. Single person households were a smaller proportion of all households, 26.5% compared to 34.7%, and couple households, with or without children, accounted for 53.8% of households compared to 41.1%. Lone parent households, with dependent or non-dependent children, accounted for 7.4% of households compared to the Scottish figure of 11.1%. Aberdeenshire had an average household size of 2.39 people. This was significantly greater than the Scottish figure of 2.19 and the second highest amongst Scottish local authorities.