

# Insight

2001 Census



Falkirk Council

Basic Statistics for areas in  
Falkirk Council

December 2003

## Ward 12 – Dundas/Kerse

| Basic Facts                              |       |
|--|-------|
| Area (hectares)                          | 416   |
| Population resident                      |       |
| - in households                          | 4,412 |
| - in communal establishments             | 26    |
| - total                                  | 4,438 |
| Population density (persons per hectare) | 10.7  |
| People working in area                   | 4,394 |
| Households                               | 2,119 |
| Average household size                   | 2.08  |
| Housing stock                            | 2,167 |
| Vacancy rate                             | 2.2%  |

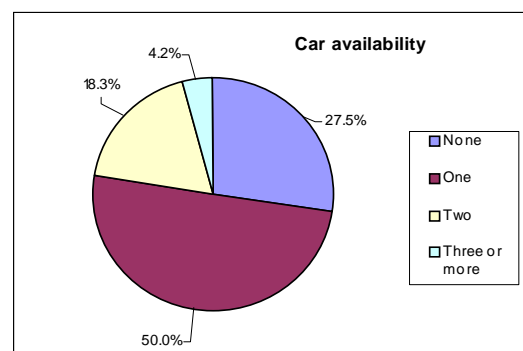
| Resident population |              |              |              |               |               |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Age group           | Males        | Females      | Total        | %             | Falkirk %     |
| 0-4                 | 104          | 124          | 228          | 5.1%          | 5.7%          |
| 5-11                | 153          | 155          | 308          | 6.9%          | 8.9%          |
| 12-15               | 88           | 93           | 181          | 4.1%          | 4.9%          |
| 16-19               | 94           | 86           | 180          | 4.1%          | 4.8%          |
| 20-24               | 108          | 127          | 235          | 5.3%          | 5.6%          |
| 25-44               | 675          | 665          | 1,340        | 30.2%         | 29.6%         |
| 45-59               | 361          | 402          | 763          | 17.2%         | 19.6%         |
| 60-64               | 127          | 150          | 277          | 6.2%          | 5.4%          |
| 65-74               | 227          | 298          | 525          | 11.8%         | 8.7%          |
| 75-84               | 116          | 190          | 306          | 6.9%          | 5.2%          |
| 85+                 | 27           | 68           | 95           | 2.1%          | 1.6%          |
| <b>Total</b>        | <b>2,080</b> | <b>2,358</b> | <b>4,438</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |

| Ethnicity               |              |               |               |
|-------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Ethnic group            | No.          | %             | Falkirk %     |
| White                   | 4,412        | 99.4%         | 99.0%         |
| Indian                  | 5            | 0.1%          | 0.1%          |
| Pakistani               | 1            | 0.0%          | 0.5%          |
| Chinese                 | 5            | 0.1%          | 0.1%          |
| Other (including mixed) | 15           | 0.3%          | 0.3%          |
| <b>Total</b>            | <b>4,438</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |

| Health status |                                 |                               |                                 |                               |
|---------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Age group     | Good/fairly good                |                               | Not good                        |                               |
|               | With limiting long term illness | No limiting long term illness | With limiting long term illness | No limiting long term illness |
| 0-15          | 29                              | 678                           | 5                               | 5                             |
| 16-59         | 166                             | 2,212                         | 103                             | 35                            |
| 60-84         | 300                             | 585                           | 190                             | 17                            |
| 85+           | 38                              | 22                            | 26                              | 1                             |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>533</b>                      | <b>3,497</b>                  | <b>324</b>                      | <b>58</b>                     |

| Care providers |                 |                |            |               |               |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|------------|---------------|---------------|
| Age group      | 1-19 hours/week | 20+ hours/week | Total      | %             | Falkirk %     |
| 0-15           | 7               | 0              | 7          | 1.7%          | 2.2%          |
| 16-59          | 221             | 67             | 288        | 68.1%         | 76.3%         |
| 60+            | 84              | 44             | 128        | 30.3%         | 21.5%         |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>312</b>      | <b>111</b>     | <b>423</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |

| Car availability |                   |               |               |
|------------------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|
| No. of cars/vans | No. of households | %             | Falkirk %     |
| None             | 583               | 27.5%         | 30.8%         |
| One              | 1,060             | 50.0%         | 44.0%         |
| Two              | 388               | 18.3%         | 20.9%         |
| Three or more    | 88                | 4.2%          | 4.4%          |
| <b>Total</b>     | <b>2,119</b>      | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |

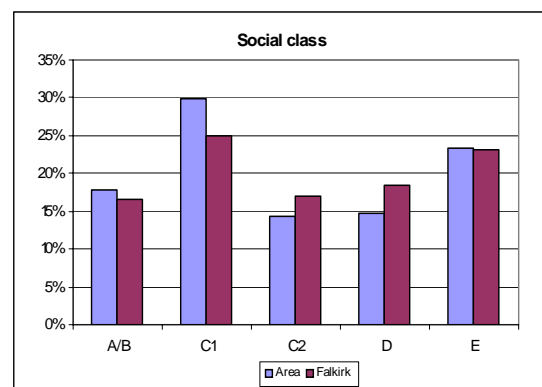


| Economic activity            |              |              |              |               |               |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Economic activity            | Males        | Females      | Total        | %             | Falkirk %     |
| <b>Economically active</b>   | <b>1,163</b> | <b>1,010</b> | <b>2,173</b> | <b>65.5%</b>  | <b>65.9%</b>  |
| Employed full-time           | 923          | 563          | 1,486        | 44.8%         | 43.1%         |
| Employed part-time           | 27           | 320          | 347          | 10.5%         | 11.4%         |
| Self employed                | 115          | 47           | 162          | 4.9%          | 5.2%          |
| Unemployed                   | 62           | 34           | 96           | 2.9%          | 3.8%          |
| Full-time student            | 36           | 46           | 82           | 2.5%          | 2.4%          |
| <b>Economically inactive</b> | <b>429</b>   | <b>718</b>   | <b>1,147</b> | <b>34.5%</b>  | <b>34.1%</b>  |
| Retired                      | 265          | 405          | 670          | 20.2%         | 14.5%         |
| Student                      | 32           | 32           | 64           | 1.9%          | 2.5%          |
| Looking after home/family    | 6            | 143          | 149          | 4.5%          | 5.4%          |
| Permanently sick/disabled    | 94           | 78           | 172          | 5.2%          | 7.9%          |
| Other                        | 32           | 60           | 92           | 2.8%          | 3.8%          |
| <b>Total</b>                 | <b>1,592</b> | <b>1,728</b> | <b>3,320</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |

Note: This table refers to people aged 16-74 only

| Social class   |              |               |               |
|--|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Class  | No.          | %             | Falkirk %     |
| A/B Higher & intermediate managerial/admin/professional        | 660          | 17.9%         | 16.6%         |
| C1 Supervisory, clerical, junior managerial/admin/professional | 1,101        | 29.8%         | 24.9%         |
| C2 Skilled manual  | 532          | 14.4%         | 16.9%         |
| D Semi-skilled, unskilled                                      | 541          | 14.6%         | 18.5%         |
| E Unemployed, on benefits, lowest grade workers                | 861          | 23.3%         | 23.2%         |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>3,695</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |

Note: This table includes people aged 16+ in households



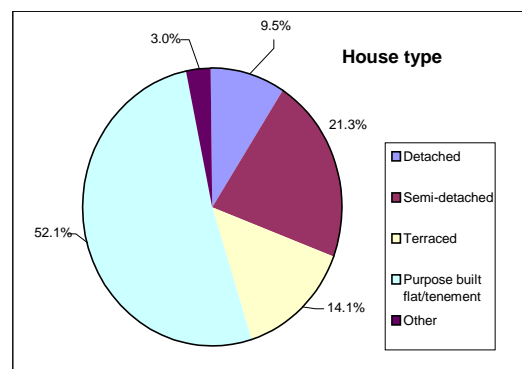
| Qualifications – highest level of attainment               |              |               |               |
|--|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Qualifications*  | No.          | %             | Falkirk %     |
| None   | 980          | 29.5%         | 34.3%         |
| Group 1 O Grade, Standard Grade                            | 986          | 29.7%         | 29.2%         |
| Group 2 Highers, ONC, SVQ Level 3                          | 559          | 16.8%         | 14.9%         |
| Group 3 HND, HNC, SVQ Levels 4 & 5                         | 316          | 9.5%          | 7.4%          |
| Group 4 First or higher degree, professional qualification | 479          | 14.4%         | 14.1%         |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>3,320</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |

\* or equivalent

Note: This table refers to people aged 16-74 only

| Travel to work or study                  |              |               |            |               |
|--|--------------|---------------|------------|---------------|
| Means of travel                          | Working      |               | Studying   |               |
|  | No.          | %             | No.        | %             |
| Train etc                                | 57           | 2.9%          | 25         | 3.6%          |
| Bus, minibus, coach                      | 100          | 5.0%          | 152        | 21.7%         |
| Car driver or passenger, taxi or minicab | 1,456        | 73.0%         | 184        | 26.3%         |
| Motorcycle                               | 9            | 0.5%          | 1          | 0.1%          |
| Bicycle                                  | 66           | 3.3%          | 6          | 0.9%          |
| On foot                                  | 224          | 11.2%         | 291        | 41.6%         |
| Other                                    | 19           | 1.0%          | 7          | 1.0%          |
| Works/studies at or from home            | 64           | 3.2%          | 34         | 4.9%          |
| <b>Total</b>                             | <b>1,995</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>700</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |
| Not working or studying                  | 1,743        |               |            |               |

| House type                    |              |               |               |
|-------------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Type                          | No.          | %             | Falkirk %     |
| House or bungalow             |              |               |               |
| Detached                      | 202          | 9.5%          | 17.0%         |
| Semi-detached                 | 452          | 21.3%         | 28.0%         |
| Terraced                      | 299          | 14.1%         | 24.2%         |
| Flat, maisonette or apartment |              |               |               |
| Purpose built flat/tenement   | 1,103        | 52.1%         | 29.4%         |
| Converted or shared house     | 33           | 1.6%          | 0.8%          |
| In a commercial building      | 28           | 1.3%          | 0.6%          |
| Other                         | 2            | 0.1%          | 0.1%          |
| <b>Total</b>                  | <b>2,119</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>100.0%</b> |

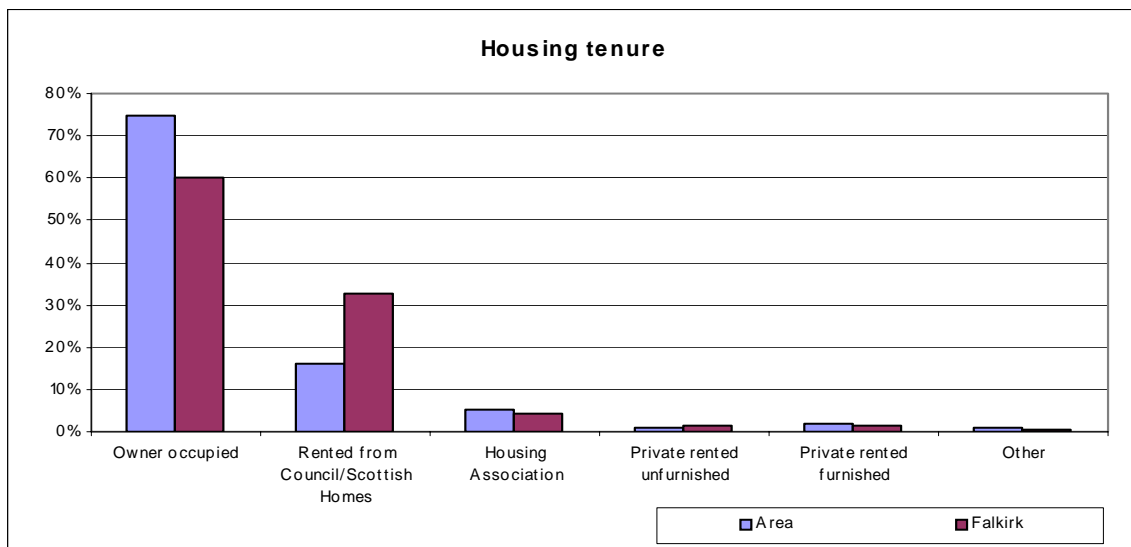


| Housing amenity                              |       |       |           |
|--|-------|-------|-----------|
|  | No.   | %     | Falkirk % |
| Overcrowded*                                 | 134   | 6.3%  | 8.4%      |
| With no central heating                      | 72    | 3.4%  | 2.7%      |
| Does not have sole use of bath/shower/toilet | 1     | 0.0%  | 0.1%      |
| Lowest floor level of access                 |       |       |           |
| Basement                                     | 4     | 0.2%  | 0.6%      |
| Ground                                       | 1,455 | 68.7% | 81.1%     |
| First  | 503   | 23.7% | 12.8%     |
| Second                                       | 96    | 4.5%  | 2.9%      |
| Third or fourth                              | 58    | 2.7%  | 1.6%      |
| Fifth or above                               | 3     | 0.1%  | 1.1%      |

\* Below occupancy norm i.e. one or more rooms fewer than required by the household

| Housing tenure                     |              |               |                  |
|------------------------------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| <i>Tenure</i>                      | <i>No.</i>   | <i>%</i>      | <i>Falkirk %</i> |
| Owner occupied                     | 1,583        | 74.7%         | 60.0%            |
| Rented from Council/Scottish Homes | 340          | 16.0%         | 32.5%            |
| Housing Association                | 114          | 5.4%          | 4.1%             |
| Private rented unfurnished         | 19           | 0.9%          | 1.3%             |
| Private rented furnished           | 43           | 2.0%          | 1.6%             |
| Other*                             | 20           | 0.9%          | 0.6%             |
| <b>Total</b>                       | <b>2,119</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>100.0%</b>    |

\* including rent free



| Household type                                  |              |               |                  |
|---|--------------|---------------|------------------|
| <i>Type</i>                                     | <i>No.</i>   | <i>%</i>      | <i>Falkirk %</i> |
| Single adult – non-pensioner                    | 398          | 18.8%         | 16.7%            |
| Single pensioner adult                          | 412          | 19.4%         | 14.7%            |
| Lone "parent" with children under 16            | 73           | 3.4%          | 5.9%             |
| Other households with children under 16         | 376          | 17.7%         | 21.3%            |
| Two non-pensioner adults, no children           | 343          | 16.2%         | 17.1%            |
| Two adults, at least one pensioner, no children | 331          | 15.6%         | 13.0%            |
| Three or more, all adults                       | 186          | 8.8%          | 11.4%            |
| <b>Total</b>                                    | <b>2,119</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>100.0%</b>    |

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