

Insight

2001 Census



Falkirk Council

Basic Statistics for areas in
Falkirk Council

December 2003

Ward 22 - Herbertshire

Basic Facts	
Area (hectares)	3,853
Population resident	4,498
- in households	4,498
- in communal establishments	16
- total	4,514
Population density (persons per hectare)	1.2
People working in area	1,827
Households	2,004
Average household size	2.24
Housing stock	2,067
Vacancy rate	3.0%

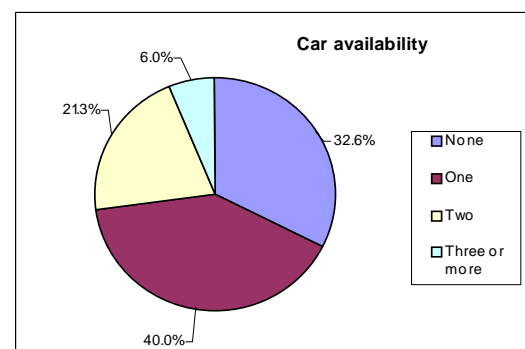
Resident population					
Age group	Males	Females	Total	%	Falkirk %
0-4	121	108	229	5.1%	5.7%
5-11	195	178	373	8.3%	8.9%
12-15	95	95	190	4.2%	4.9%
16-19	113	97	210	4.7%	4.8%
20-24	131	144	275	6.1%	5.6%
25-44	639	613	1,252	27.7%	29.6%
45-59	477	528	1,005	22.3%	19.6%
60-64	124	113	237	5.3%	5.4%
65-74	191	227	418	9.3%	8.7%
75-84	110	150	260	5.8%	5.2%
85+	20	45	65	1.4%	1.6%
Total	2,216	2,298	4,514	100.0%	100.0%

Ethnicity			
Ethnic group	No.	%	Falkirk %
White	4,468	99.0%	99.0%
Indian	3	0.1%	0.1%
Pakistani	32	0.7%	0.5%
Chinese	0	0.0%	0.1%
Other (including mixed)	11	0.2%	0.3%
Total	4,514	100.0%	100.0%

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	35	747	9	1
16-59	230	2,273	191	37
60-84	277	432	190	11
85+	34	10	21	0
Total	576	3,462	411	49

Care providers					
Age group	1-19 hours/week	20+ hours/week	Total	%	Falkirk %
0-15	8	1	9	1.8%	2.2%
16-59	258	130	388	78.4%	76.3%
60+	33	65	98	19.8%	21.5%
Total	299	196	495	100.0%	100.0%

Car availability			
No. of cars/vans	No. of households	%	Falkirk %
None	654	32.6%	30.8%
One	802	40.0%	44.0%
Two	427	21.3%	20.9%
Three or more	121	6.0%	4.4%
Total	2,004	100.0%	100.0%

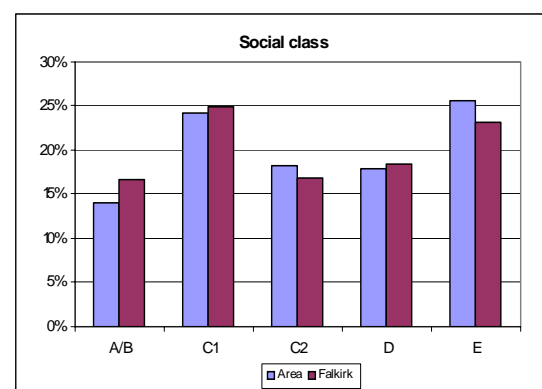


Economic activity					
Economic activity	Males	Females	Total	%	Falkirk %
Economically active	1,237	1,008	2,245	66.1%	65.9%
Employed full-time	872	541	1,413	41.6%	43.1%
Employed part-time	46	321	367	10.8%	11.4%
Self employed	169	60	229	6.7%	5.2%
Unemployed	119	41	160	4.7%	3.8%
Full-time student	31	45	76	2.2%	2.4%
Economically inactive	438	714	1,152	33.9%	34.1%
Retired	191	275	466	13.7%	14.5%
Student	48	47	95	2.8%	2.5%
Looking after home/family	8	188	196	5.8%	5.4%
Permanently sick/disabled	133	126	259	7.6%	7.9%
Other	58	78	136	4.0%	3.8%
Total	1,675	1,722	3,397	100.0%	100.0%

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

Social class			
Class	No.	%	Falkirk %
A/B Higher & intermediate managerial/admin/professional	518	14.0%	16.6%
C1 Supervisory, clerical, junior managerial/admin/professional	896	24.2%	24.9%
C2 Skilled manual	677	18.3%	16.9%
D Semi-skilled, unskilled	665	17.9%	18.5%
E Unemployed, on benefits, lowest grade workers	950	25.6%	23.2%
Total	3,706	100.0%	100.0%

Note: This table includes people aged 16+ in households



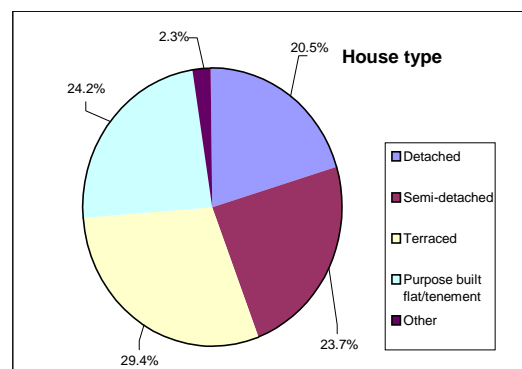
Qualifications – highest level of attainment			
Qualifications*	No.	%	Falkirk %
None	1,205	35.5%	34.3%
Group 1 O Grade, Standard Grade	1,019	30.0%	29.2%
Group 2 Highers, ONC, SVQ Level 3	546	16.1%	14.9%
Group 3 HND, HNC, SVQ Levels 4 & 5	218	6.4%	7.4%
Group 4 First or higher degree, professional qualification	409	12.0%	14.1%
Total	3,397	100.0%	100.0%

* or equivalent

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Travel to work or study				
Means of travel	Working		Studying	
	No.	%	No.	%
Train etc	29	1.4%	5	0.6%
Bus, minibus, coach	150	7.5%	163	19.3%
Car driver or passenger, taxi or minicab	1,514	75.4%	301	35.6%
Motorcycle	9	0.4%	1	0.1%
Bicycle	14	0.7%	3	0.4%
On foot	178	8.9%	341	40.4%
Other	20	1.0%	9	1.1%
Works/studies at or from home	95	4.7%	22	2.6%
Total	2,009	100.0%	845	100.0%
Not working or studying	1,660			

House type			
Type	No.	%	Falkirk %
House or bungalow			
Detached	411	20.5%	17.0%
Semi-detached	474	23.7%	28.0%
Terraced	589	29.4%	24.2%
Flat, maisonette or apartment			
Purpose built flat/tenement	484	24.2%	29.4%
Converted or shared house	13	0.6%	0.8%
In a commercial building	17	0.8%	0.6%
Other	16	0.8%	0.1%
Total	2,004	100.0%	100.0%

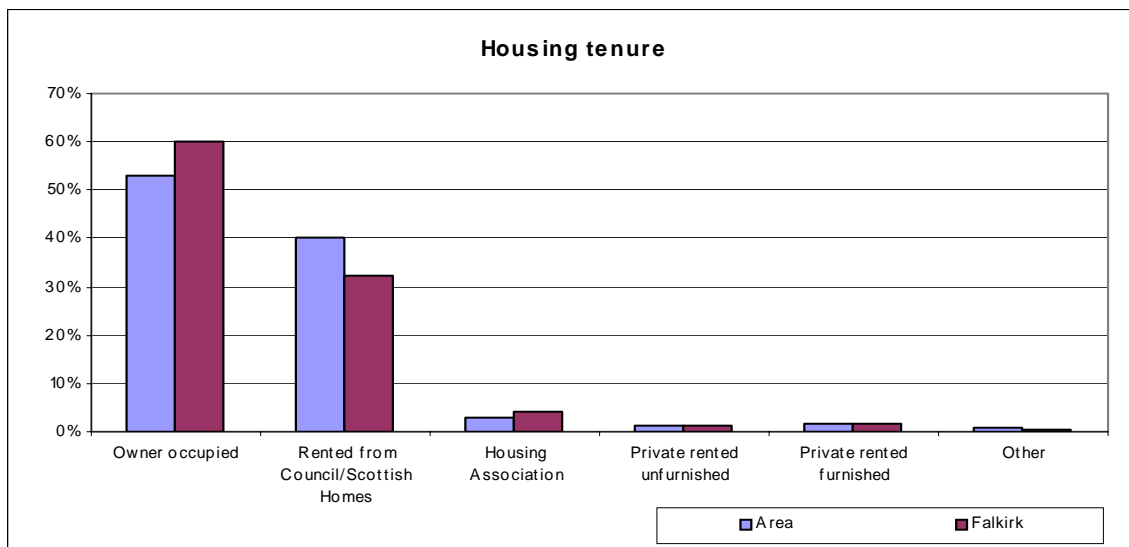


Housing amenity			
	No.	%	Falkirk %
Overcrowded*	207	10.3%	8.4%
With no central heating	60	3.0%	2.7%
Does not have sole use of bath/shower/toilet	4	0.2%	0.1%
Lowest floor level of access			
Basement	4	0.2%	0.6%
Ground	1,683	84.0%	81.1%
First	234	11.7%	12.8%
Second	48	2.4%	2.9%
Third or fourth	34	1.7%	1.6%
Fifth or above	1	0.0%	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	1,063	53.0%	60.0%
Rented from Council/Scottish Homes	802	40.0%	32.5%
Housing Association	55	2.7%	4.1%
Private rented unfurnished	29	1.4%	1.3%
Private rented furnished	35	1.7%	1.6%
Other*	20	1.0%	0.6%
Total	2,004	100.0%	100.0%

* including rent free



Household type			
<i>Type</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Falkirk %</i>
Single adult – non-pensioner	352	17.6%	16.7%
Single pensioner adult	298	14.9%	14.7%
Lone "parent" with children under 16	127	6.3%	5.9%
Other households with children under 16	367	18.3%	21.3%
Two non-pensioner adults, no children	327	16.3%	17.1%
Two adults, at least one pensioner, no children	266	13.3%	13.0%
Three or more, all adults	267	13.3%	11.4%
Total	2,004	100.0%	100.0%

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