

Socio-Economic Profile 2:

Commuting Flows



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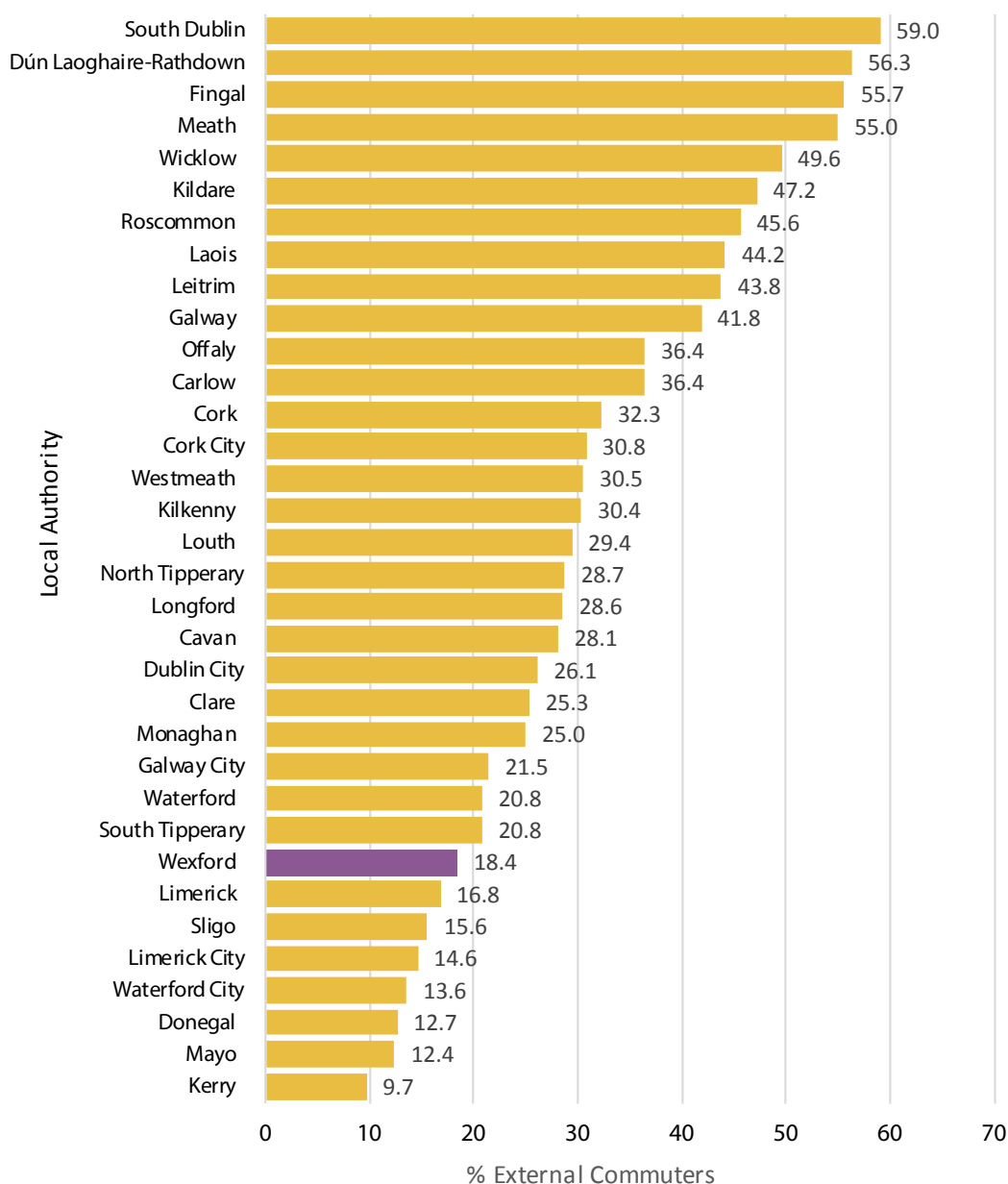
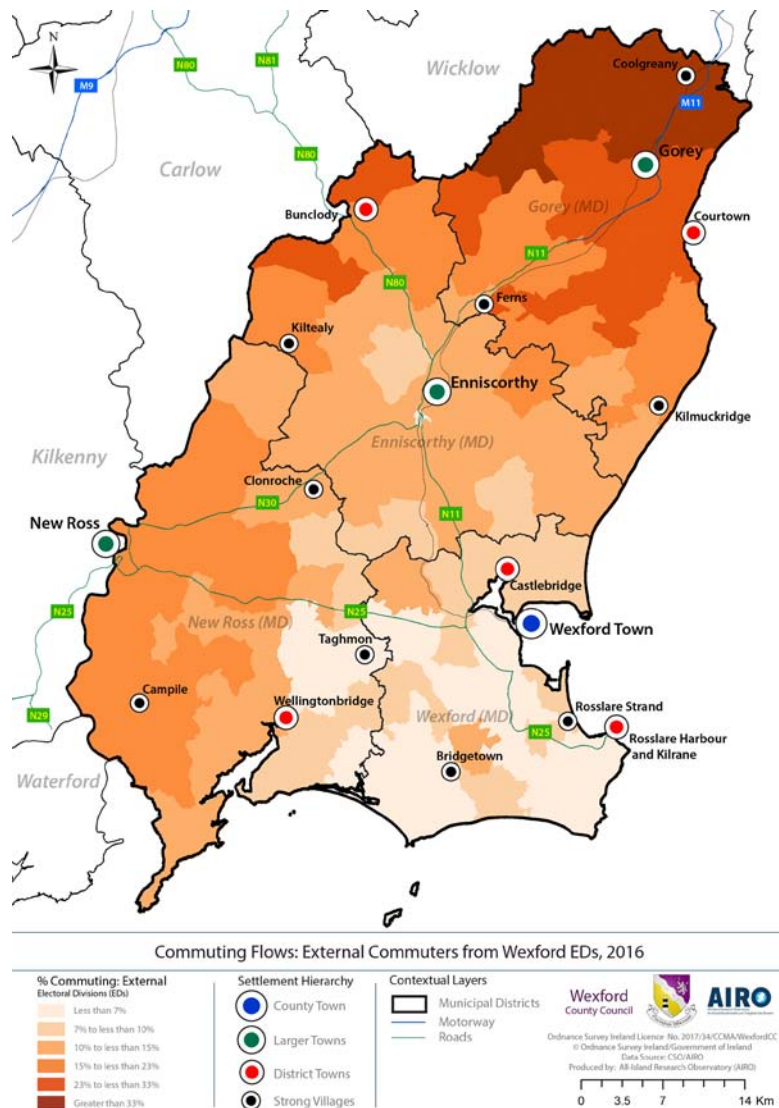


Figure 1: External Commuter Flows (Source: CSO & AIRO)

- According to the CSO Place of Work Census of Anonymised Records (POWSCAR) 2016, there was a total of 56,820 people at work residing within Wexford. Of these, 65.8% (37,372) were employed within the county, 19.4% (11,001) had no fixed place of work (either Blank destination or Mobile workers) and the final 14.9% (8,447) commute to employment destinations outside of the county boundary.
- Excluding those without a fixed place of work, Wexford has an 'Outbound' commuting rate of 18.4%. This is the 8th lowest rate of all local authorities. Highest rates are within the Dublin local authorities and immediate commuter counties such as Meath, Wicklow, Kildare. The accompanying map on Outbound Commuter Flows details the distribution within Wexford at the Electoral Division (ED) level. Highest rate are predominantly in the north of the county (Gorey MD) where interactions are highest with destinations in Wicklow and Dublin and then along the south-west coast where interactions as highest with Waterford City and County.
- The graphic on the next page details the destination of all Wexford outbound commuters. Key employment destinations are Wicklow (2,361), Waterford City and County (1,259) and Dublin City (1,222). A full socio-demographic profile of external commuters is provided in the following pages.



Map 1: External Commuter Flows from Wexford EDs (Source: CSO POWSCAR & AIRO)

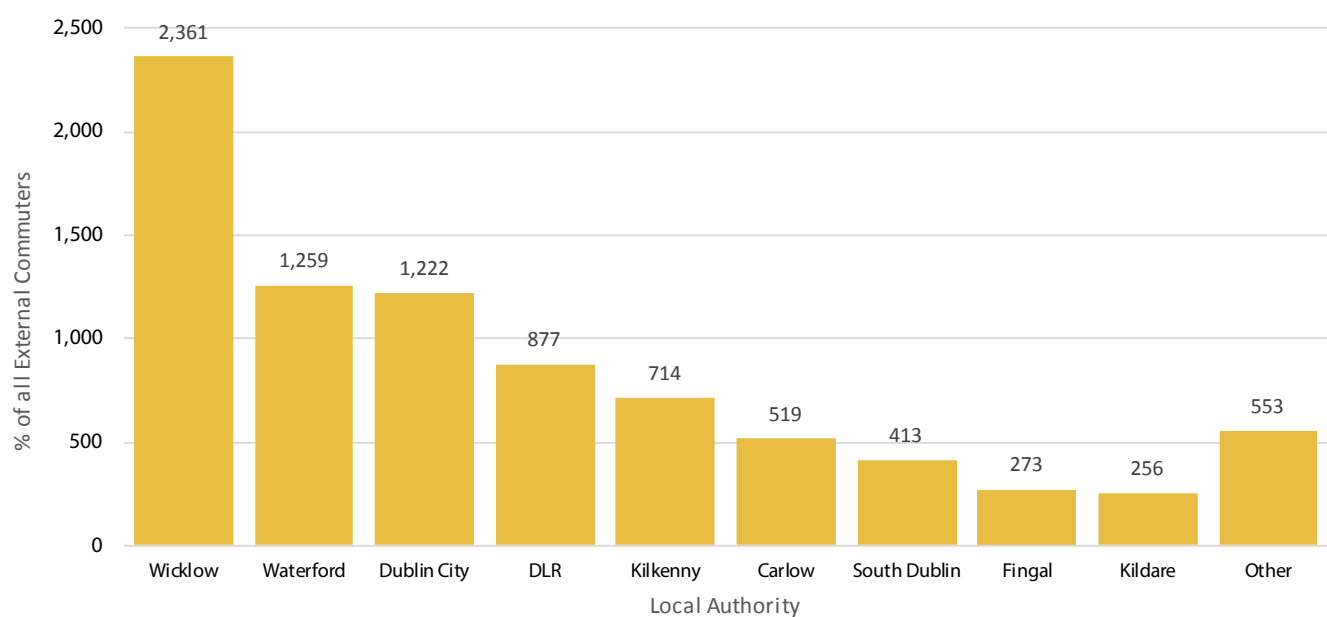
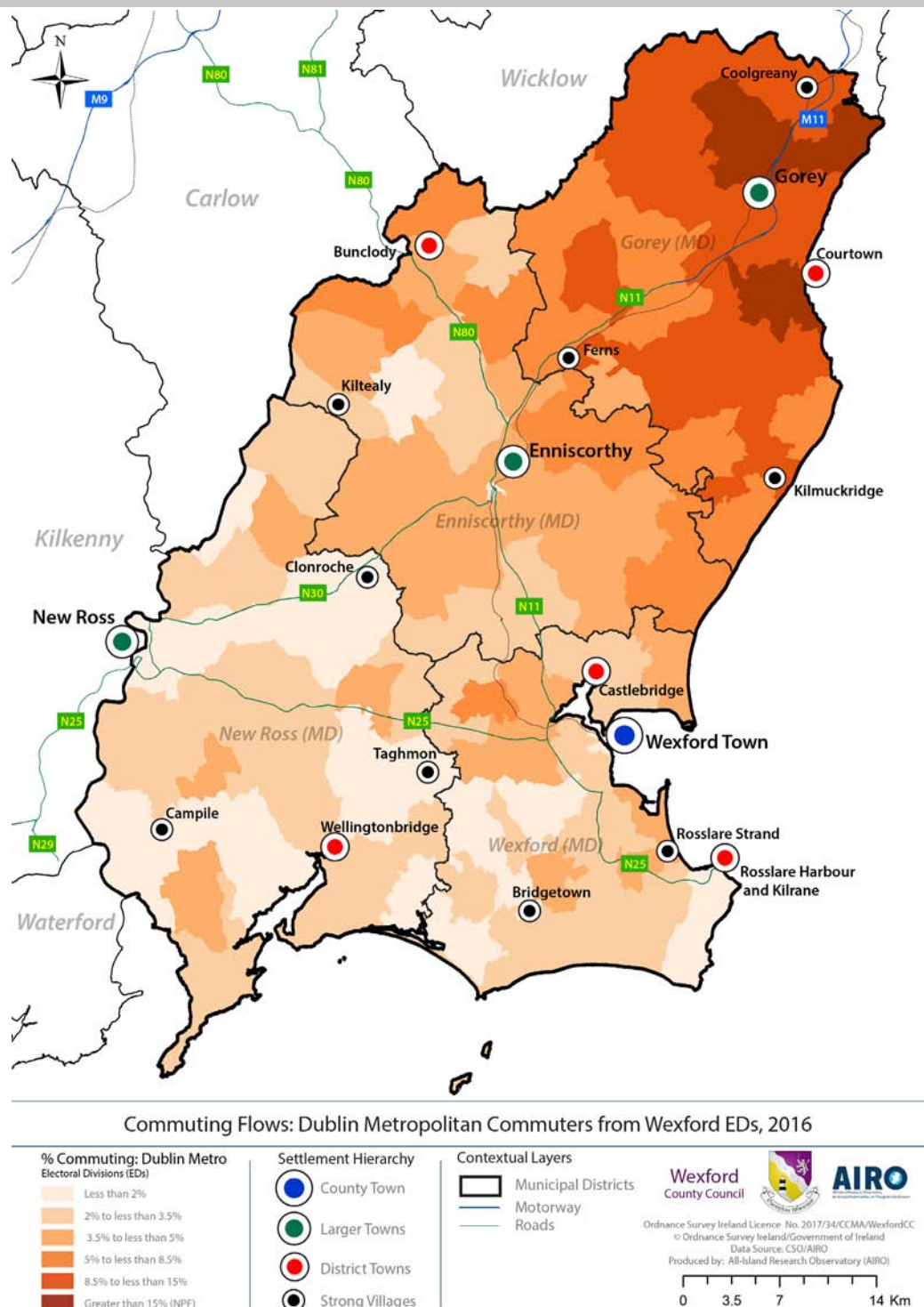


Figure 2: External Commuter Flows from County Wexford (Source: CSO POWSCAR & AIRO)



Map 2: Commuter Flows from Wexford EDs to Dublin Metropolitan Area (Source: CSO POWSCAR & AIRO)

- Commuter flows to the Dublin Metropolitan Area (as identified in the NTA Transport Strategy for the Greater Dublin Area) are an important part of the Wexford economic baseline and large parts of the county are under the influence of the extensive employment opportunities available in the metropolitan area. In total, 2,745 Wexford resident workers are employed within the metropolitan area and accounts for 4.8% of all resident workers or approximately 6% of all workers with a fixed job location.
- The above map details the percentage of all resident workers (56,820) who commute to the Dublin Metropolitan Area. Highest rates are primarily within the Gorey MD and in areas north of Enniscorthy. A number of EDs also have rates in excess of 15% which is the cut-off rate for inclusion within the City Hinterland region as defined within the National Planning Framework.

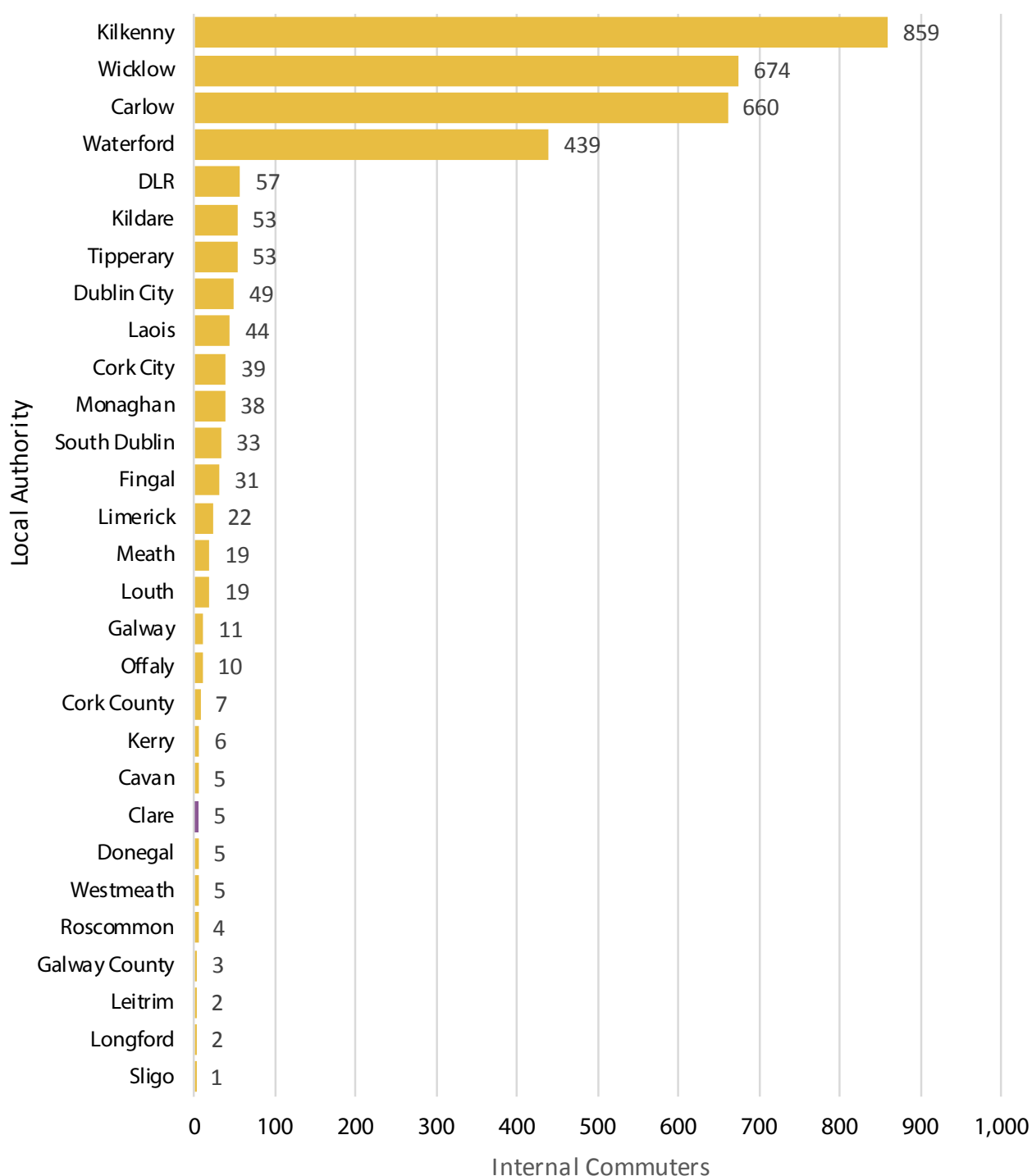
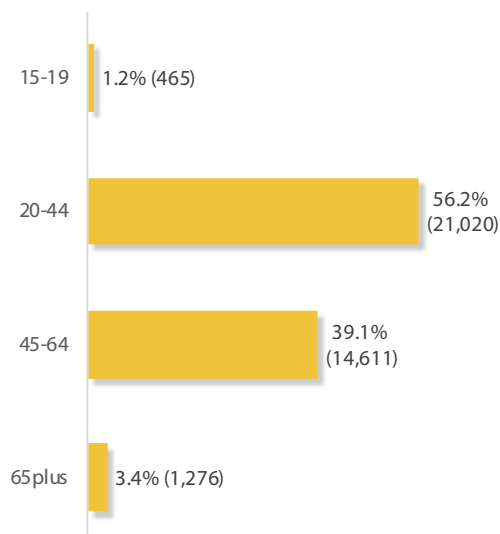


Figure 2: Inbound Commuter Flows, 2016 (Source: CSO & AIRO)

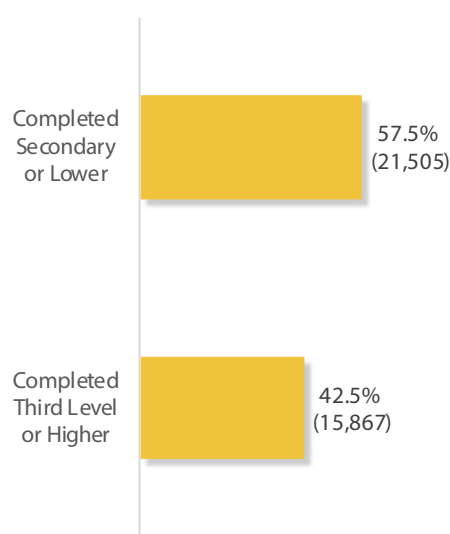
- According to the results from POWSCAR 2016, there are a total of 37,372 resident Wexford workers who are employed within the county. In addition to this there are also a total of 3,156 in-bound commuters who travel from outside the county to jobs located within Wexford. As such, the total number of jobs located within Wexford is 40,528.
- The top graphic details the origin of all in-bound commuters to Wexford. The largest origin local authorities are as follows: Kilkenny (859), Wicklow (674), Carlow (660), Waterford (439), DLR (57), Tipperary (53) and Kildare (53). The remaining local authorities account for 361 jobs. The following pages will provide a detailed socio-demographic breakdown of those who commute in and out of Wexford for employment opportunities.

Persons living and working in Wexford: 37,372

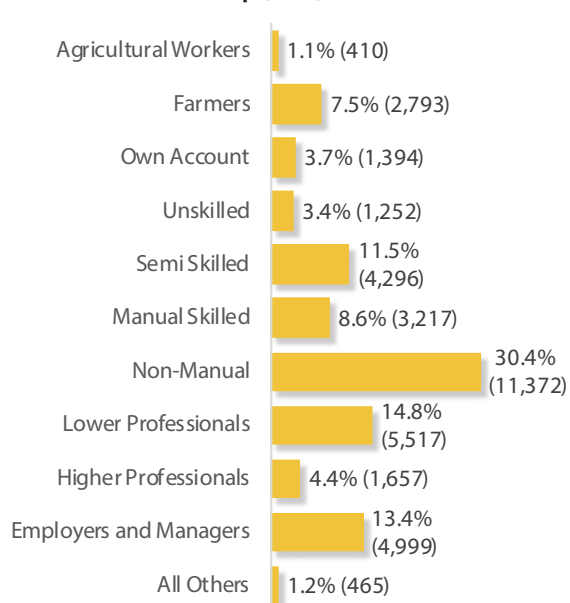
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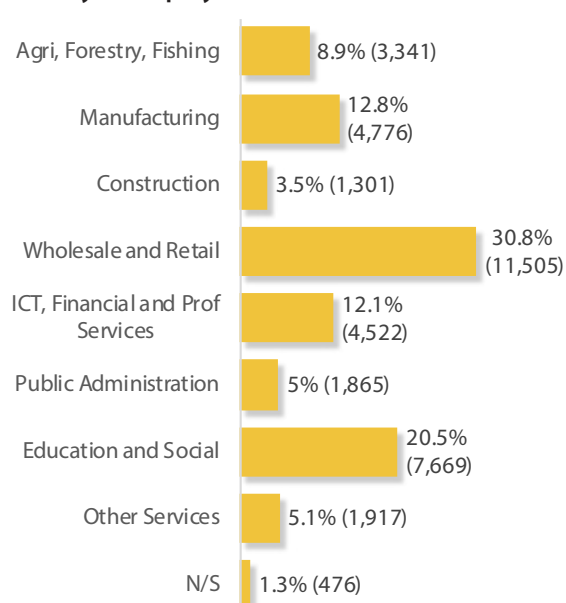
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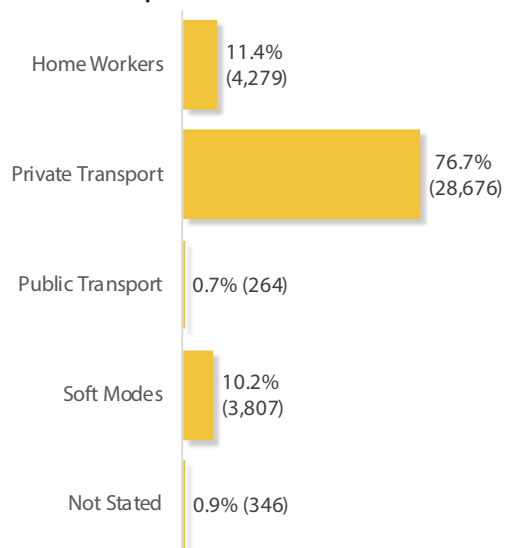
Socio-Economic Group (SEG)



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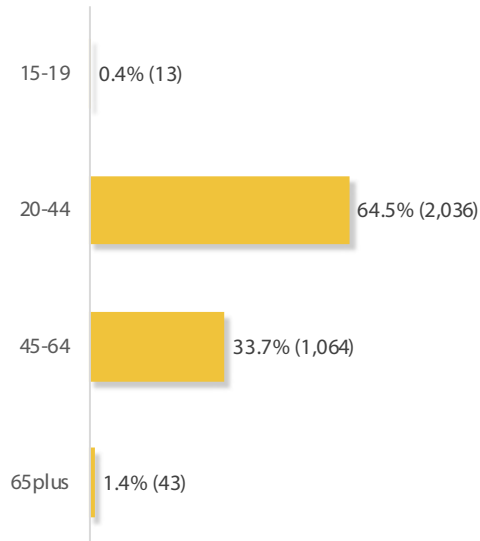


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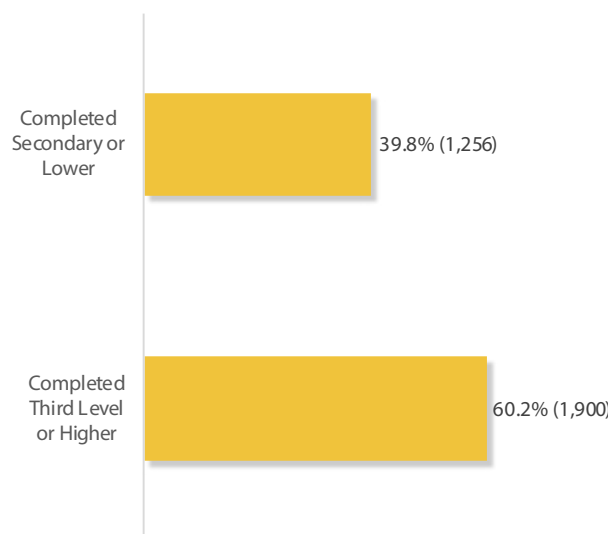


Persons working in Wexford and living elsewhere: 3,156

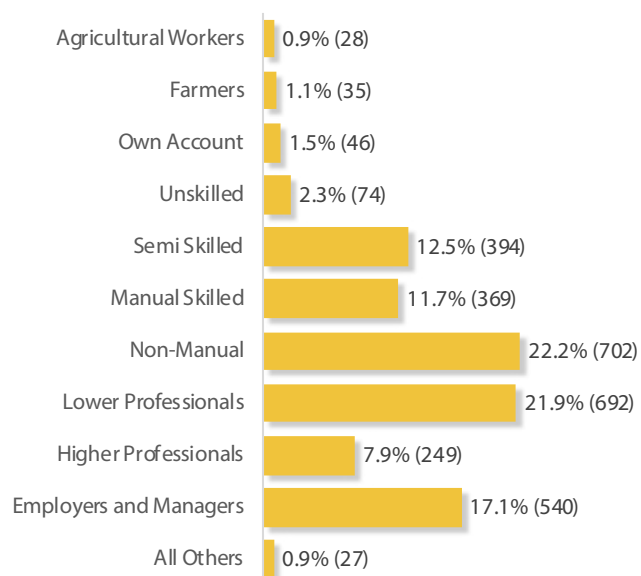
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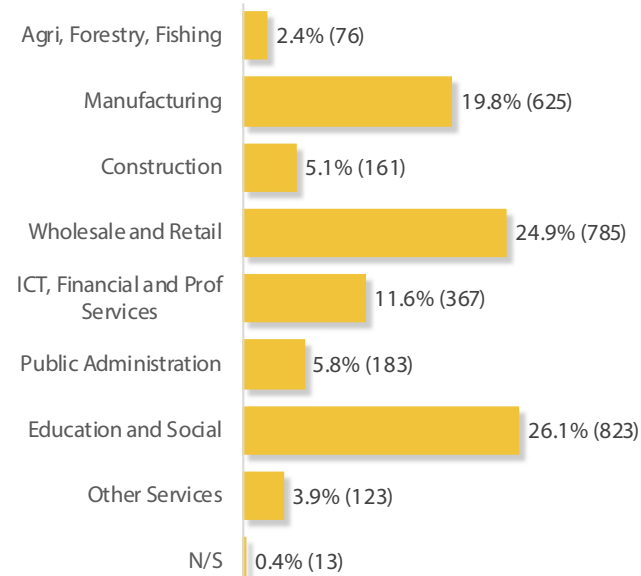
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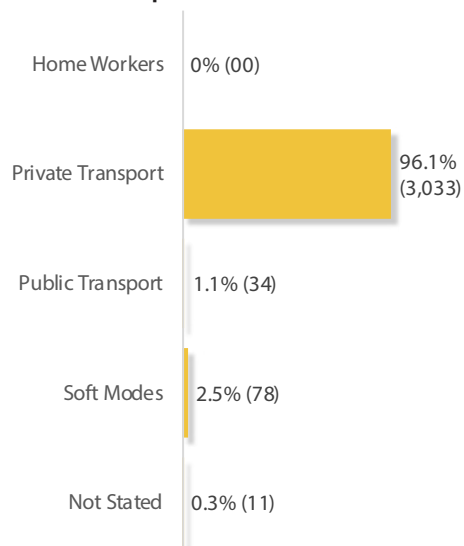
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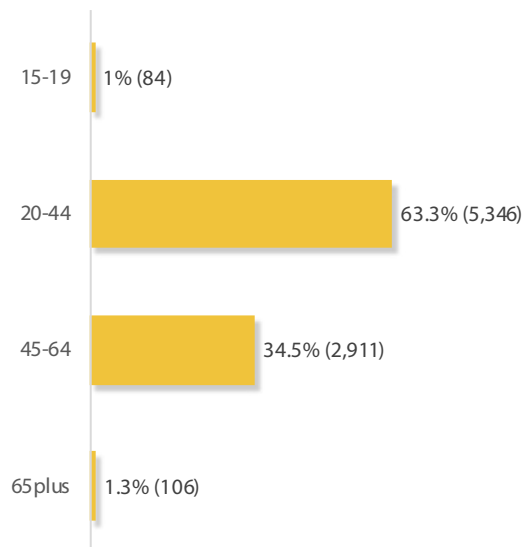


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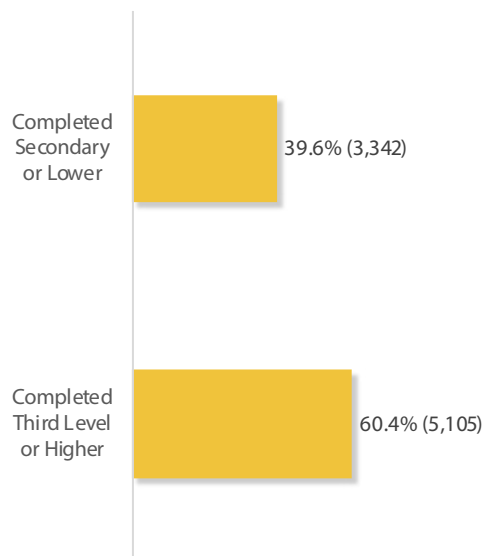


Persons living in Wexford and working elsewhere: 8,447 (excludes 5,096 Blank and 5,905 Mobile)

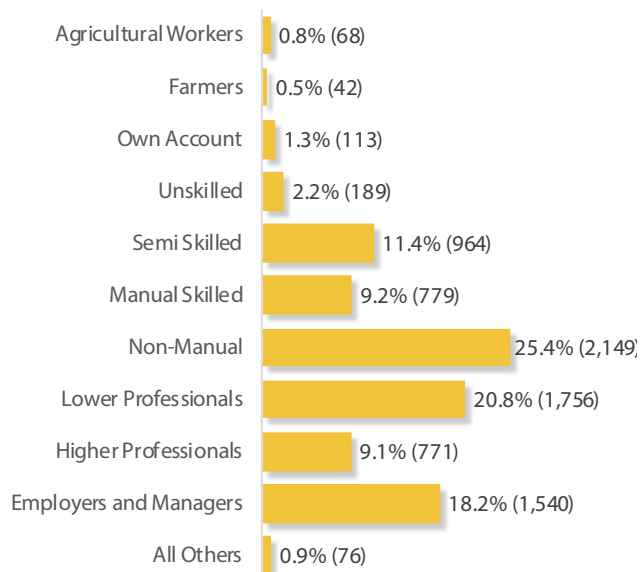
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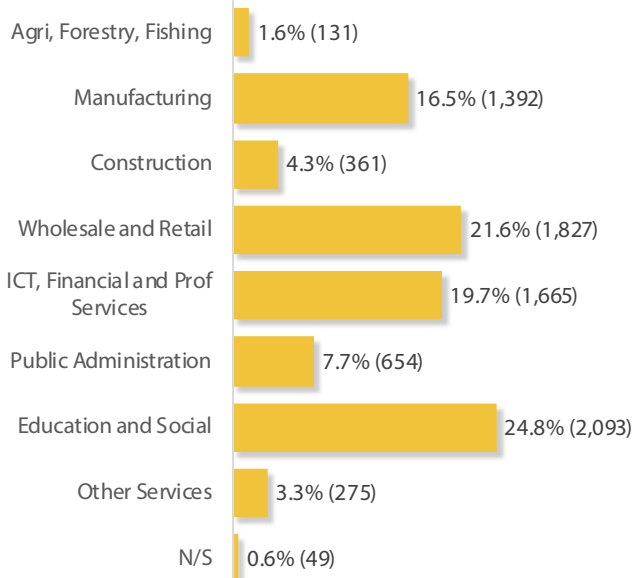
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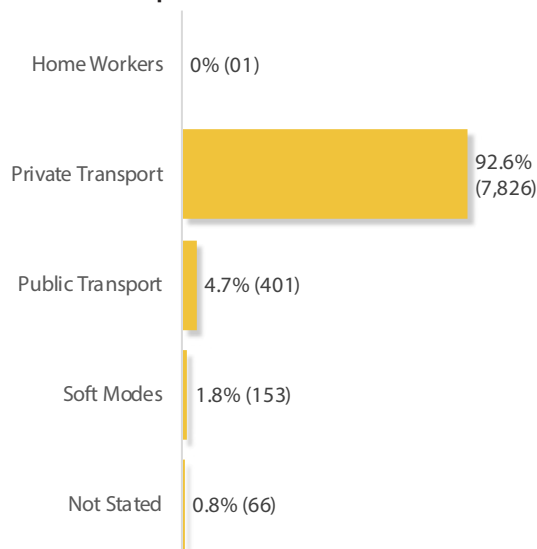
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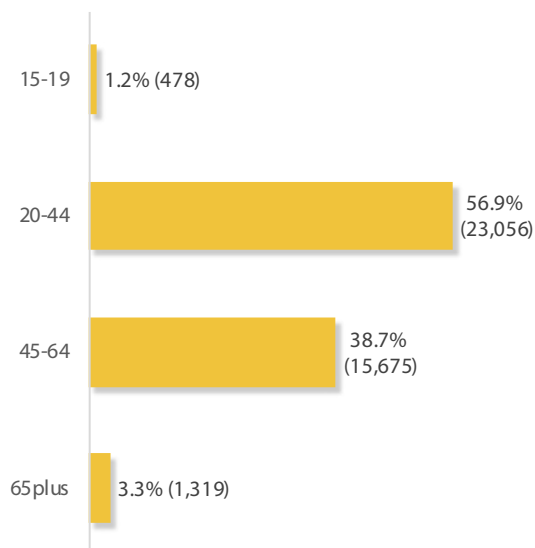


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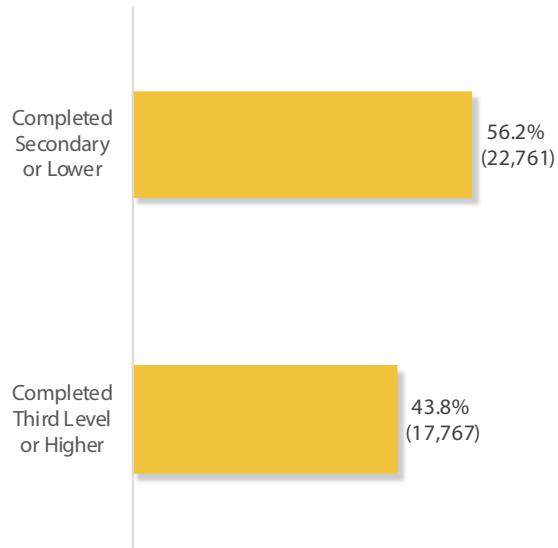


Total Jobs located in Wexford: 40,528

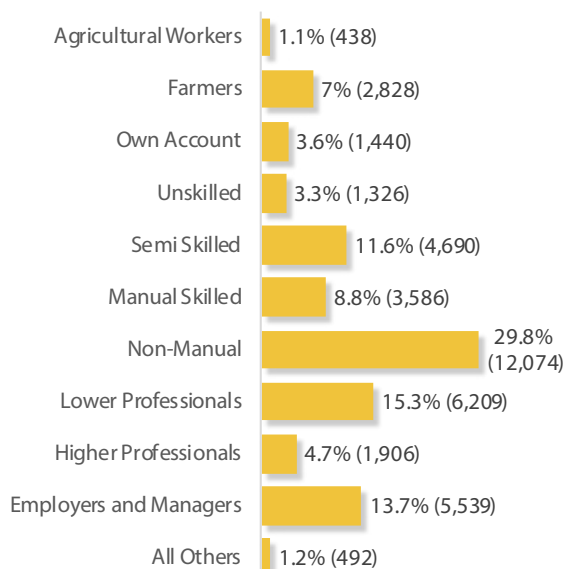
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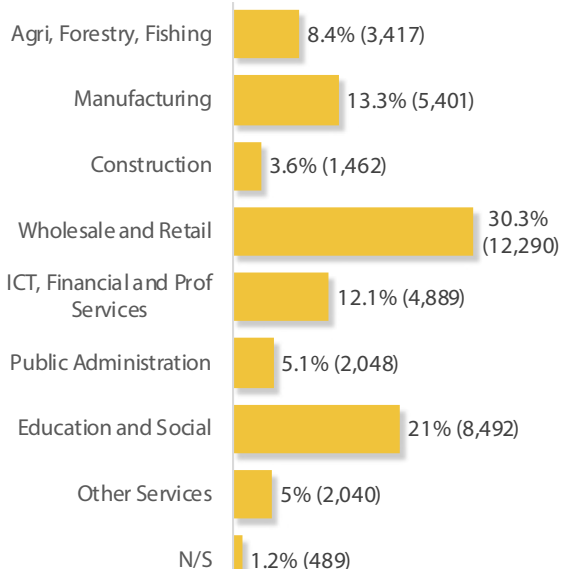
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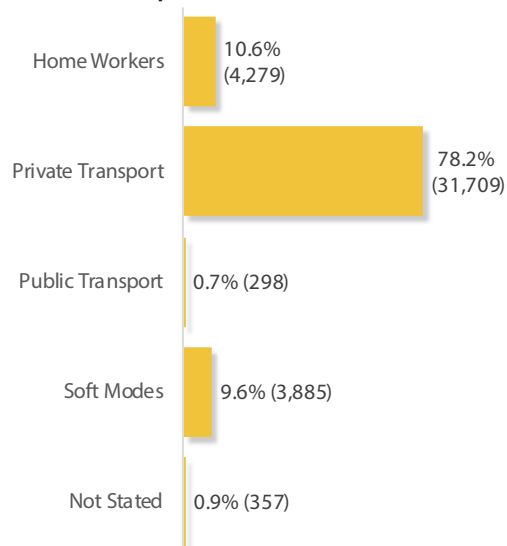
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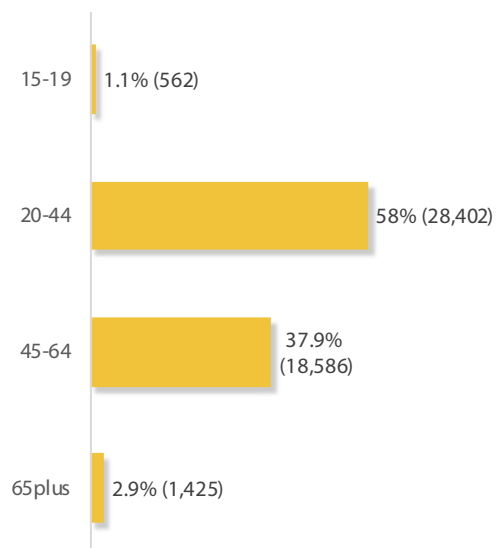


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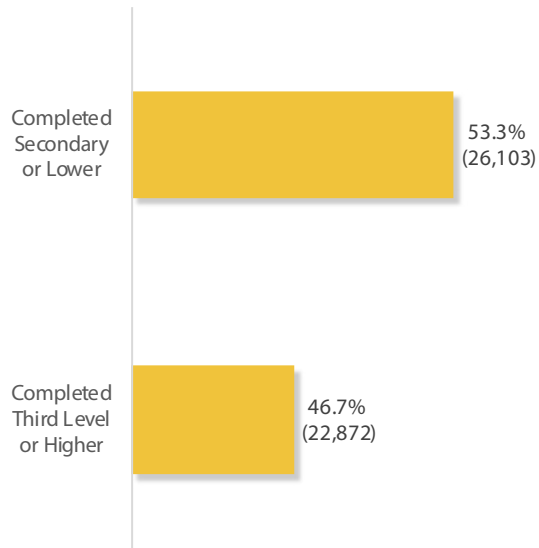


All Wexford related employment (In and Out): 48,975

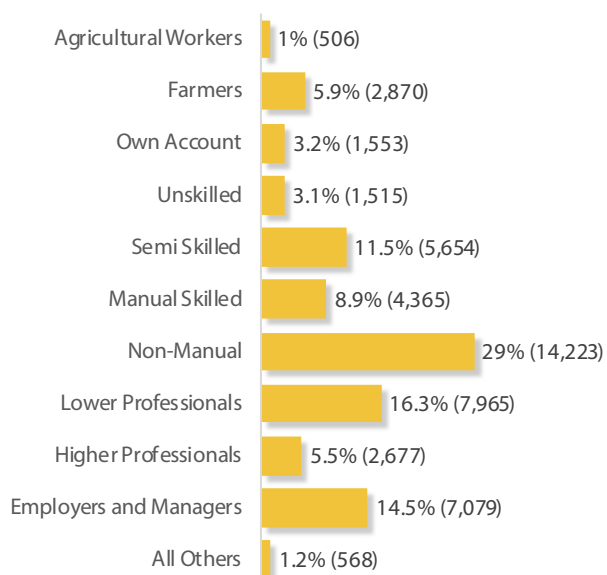
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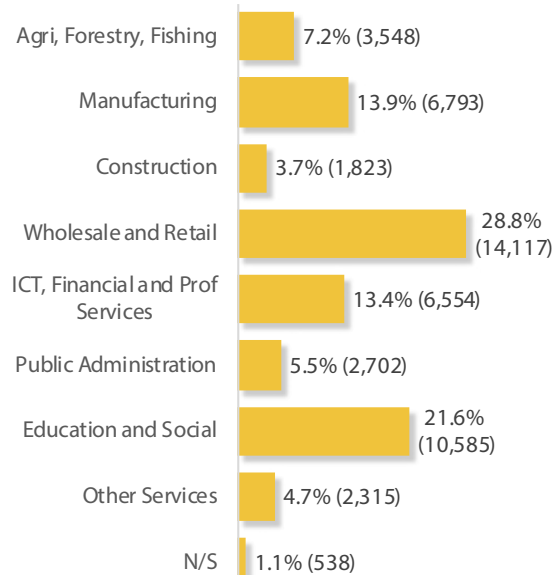
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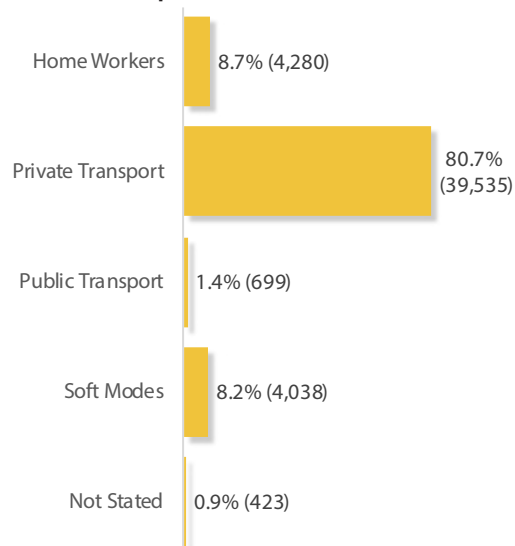
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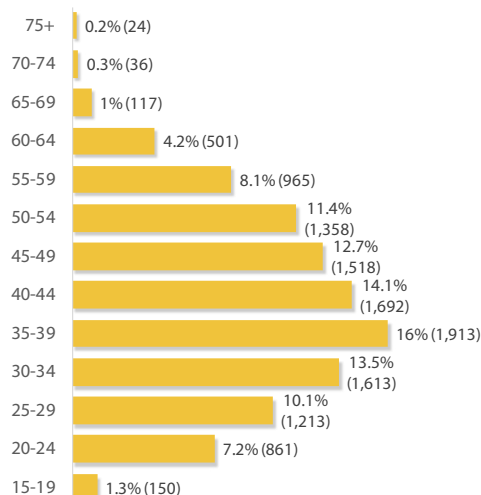
SOCIO-ECONOMIC PROFILE 2 – Settlement Profiles

Jobs in Settlement  **11,907**
30%  **of all Jobs in Wexford**

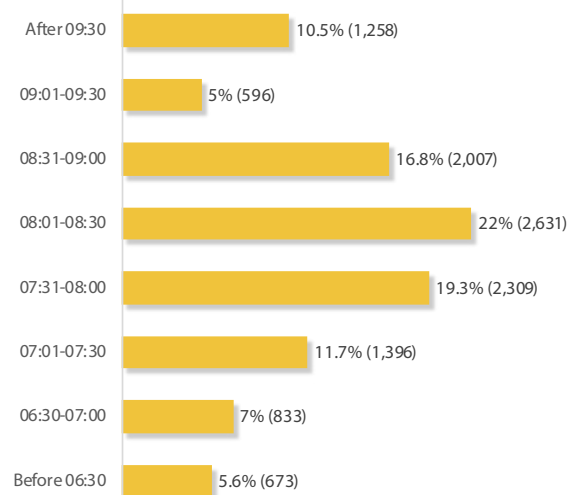
Net Flow of Jobs +/-
+4,251

+ is an importer of workers
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Age Profile of Workers



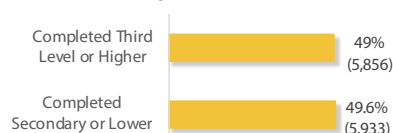
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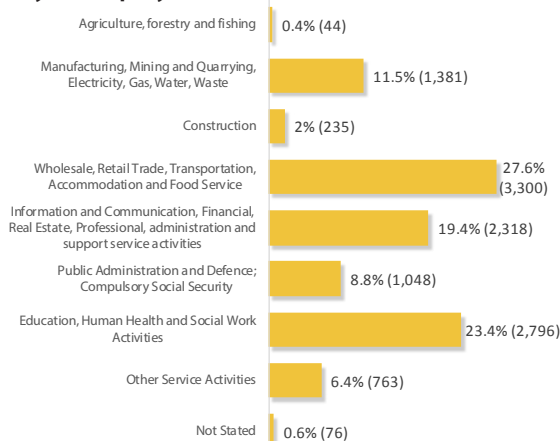
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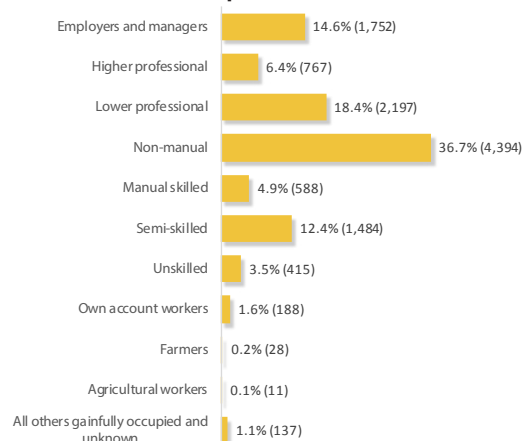
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Industry of Employment



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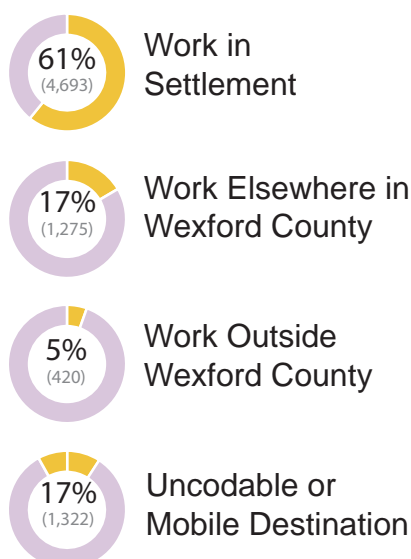


- According to the 2016 Census, there are 7,710 people residing in the Wexford Town settlement* area who are classed as being 'At Work'. Of these workers, a total of 61% (4,639) are employed in Wexford Town, 17% (1,275) are employed elsewhere in Wexford, 5% (420) commute out of the county for employment and the remaining 17% (1,322) are either Mobile workers or have a blank or un-codeable destination.
- An additional 7,268 workers commute into Wexford Town for employment every day. Of these, 6,712 (56% of total) commute from elsewhere in Wexford and the remaining 516 (5% of total) commute from outside the county. The total number of jobs with a fixed location in Wexford Town is therefore 11,907 and represents a net daily gain in working population of +4,251. The total number of jobs based in Wexford Town represents 30% of all jobs located in the county.
- The graphics above provide a profile of all jobs located in Wexford Town: Age Profile, Departure Time, Gender, Education Attainment, Industry of Employment and Socio Economic Group.

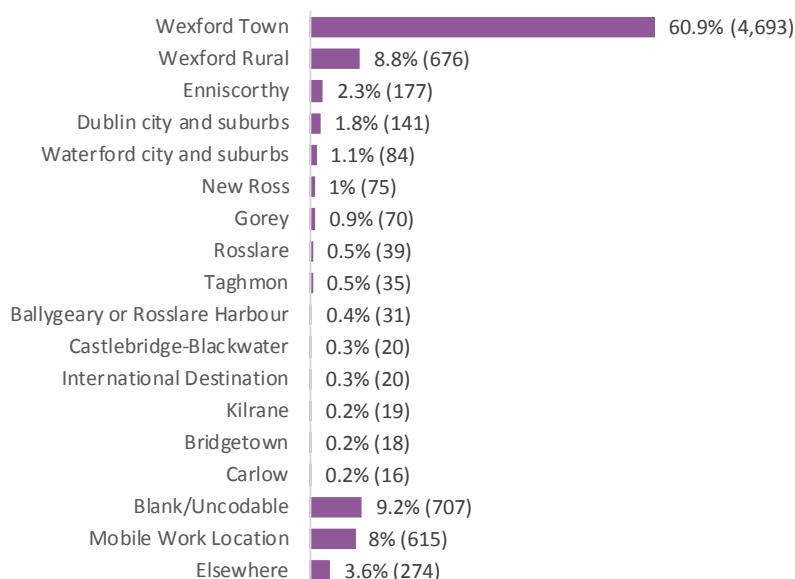


Where are Wexford Town resident workers (7,710) employed?

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Destination of Wexford Town Residents Workers - by CSO Settlements*

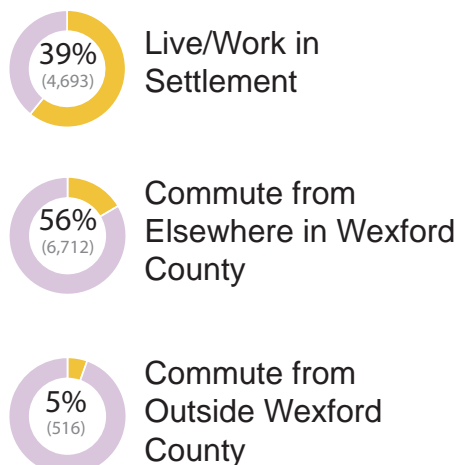


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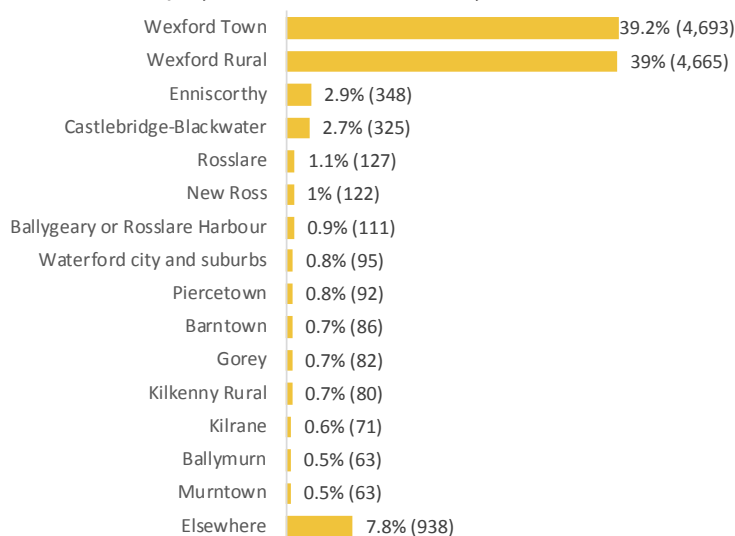
Where do Wexford Town workers come from? (11,907)



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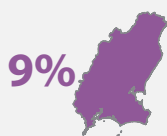
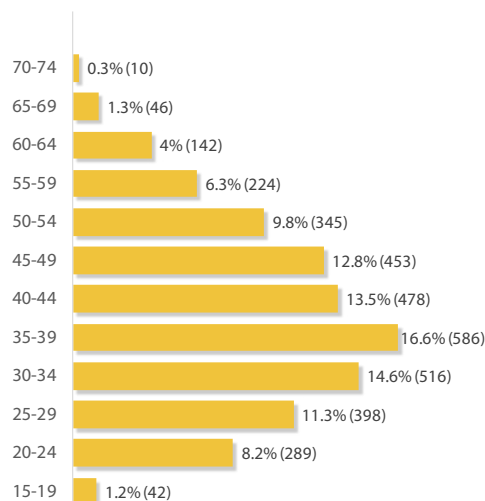
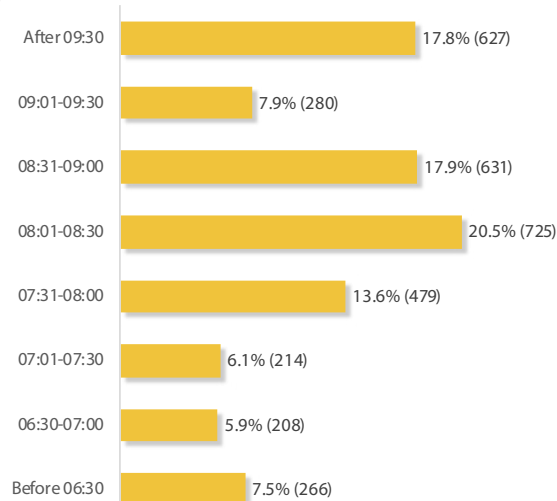
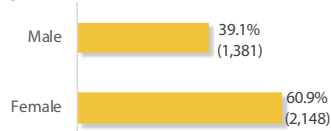
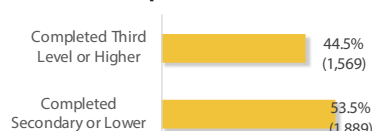
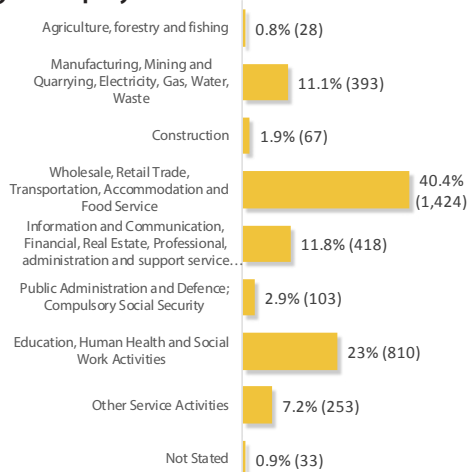
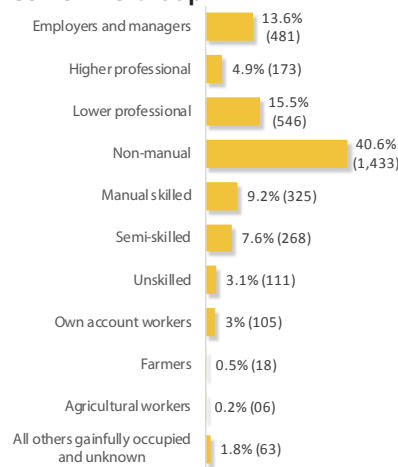
Origin of those employed in Wexford Town -- by CSO Settlements*



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- The graphics above provide an overview of the commuting patterns to and from the Wexford Town settlement as of April 2016. The profiles detail flows to/from: the settlement, elsewhere in the county, outside the county and flows to other main settlements.
- The top graphic details the destination of those 'At Work' and resident within the settlement and provides metrics on internal flows (61%), flows to elsewhere in the county (17%), external flows (5%) and then flows to other key settlements (see list of settlements). The bottom graphic provides similar detail but is focussed on work trips into the settlement. This graphic effectively tells you the origin of those working in the settlement and is complemented with the additional jobs profile data from the previous page.

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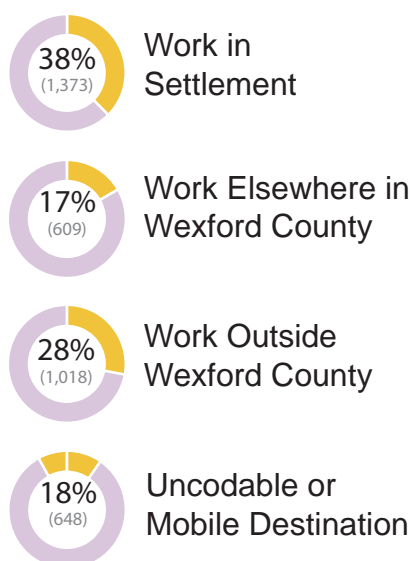
Jobs in Settlement**3,529****9%****of all Jobs in Wexford****Net Flow of Jobs +/-****-119****+ is an importer of workers****- is an exporter of workers****Age Profile of Workers****Departure Time for Work****Gender Split****Education Completed****Industry of Employment****Socio-Economic Group**

- According to the 2016 Census, there are 3,648 people residing in the Gorey settlement* area who are classed as being 'At Work'. Of these workers, a total of 38% (1,373) are employed in Gorey, 17% (609) are employed elsewhere in Wexford, 28% (1,018) commute out of the county for employment and the remaining 18% (648) are either Mobile workers or have a blank or un-codeable destination.
- An additional 2,156 workers commute into Gorey for employment every day. Of these, 1,782 (50% of total) commute from elsewhere in Wexford and the remaining 374 (11% of total) commute from outside the county. The total number of jobs with a fixed location in Gorey is therefore 3,529 and represents a net daily loss in working population of -119. The total number of jobs based in Gorey represents 9% of all jobs located in the county.
- The graphics above provide a profile of all jobs located in Gorey: Age Profile, Departure Time, Gender, Education Attainment, Industry of Employment and Socio Economic Group.

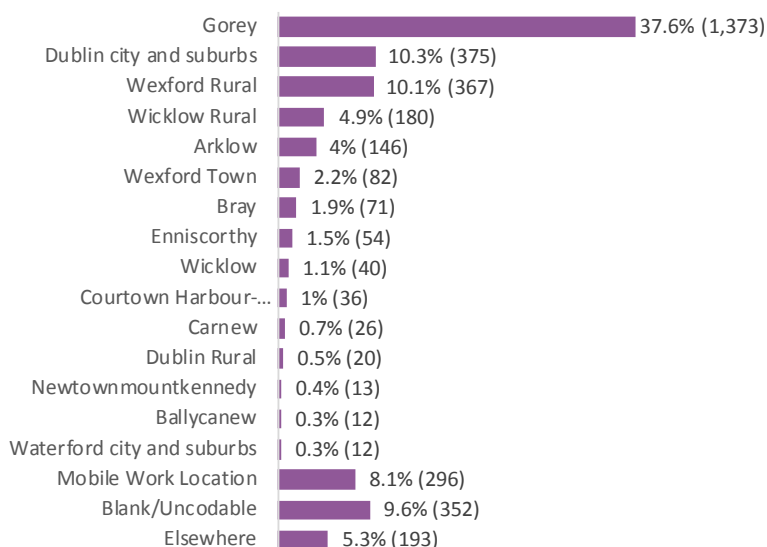


Where are Gorey resident workers (3,648) employed?

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Destination of Gorey Residents Workers - by CSO Settlements*

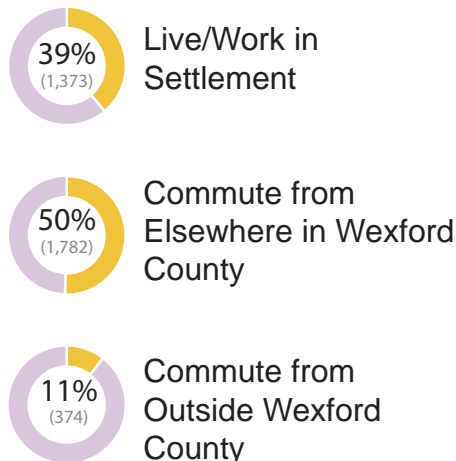


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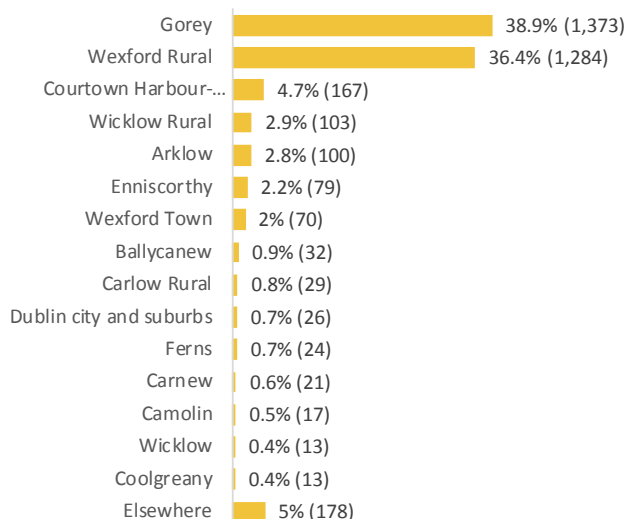
Where do Gorey workers come from? (3,529)



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Origin of those employed in Gorey - by CSO Settlements*



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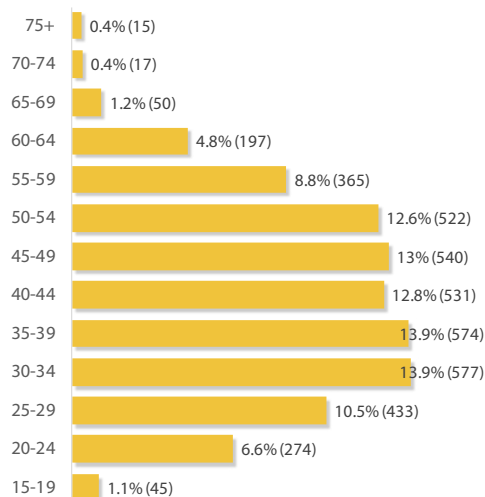
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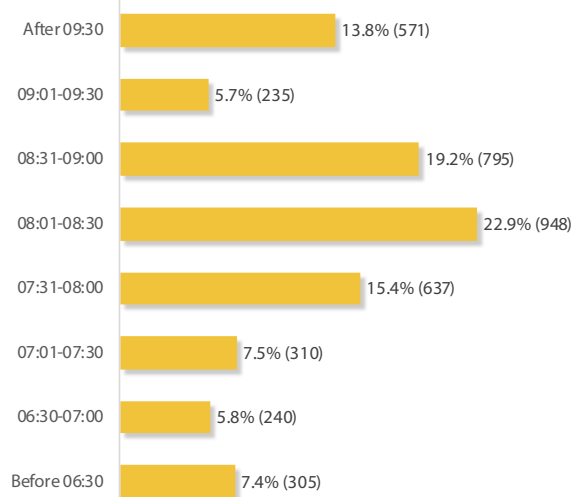
Jobs in Settlement  **4,140**
10%  **of all Jobs in Wexford**

Net Flow of Jobs +/-
+415
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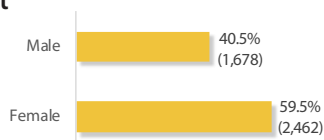
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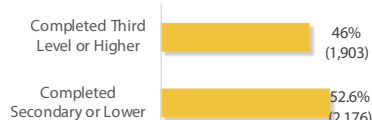
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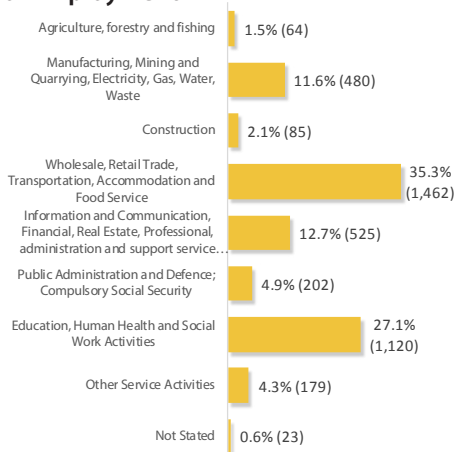
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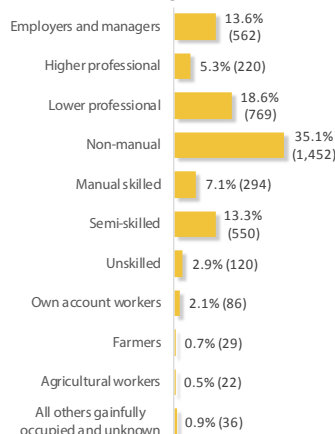
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Industry of Employment



Socio-Economic Group

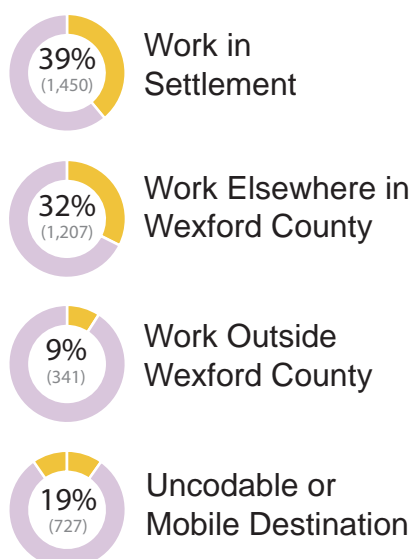


- According to the 2016 Census, there are 3,725 people residing in the Enniscorthy settlement* area who are classed as being 'At Work'. Of these workers, a total of 39% (1,450) are employed in Enniscorthy, 32% (1,207) are employed elsewhere in Wexford, 9% (341) commute out of the county for employment and the remaining 19% (727) are either Mobile workers or have a blank or un-codeable destination.
- An additional 2,690 workers commute into Enniscorthy for employment every day. Of these, 2,424 (59% of total) commute from elsewhere in Wexford and the remaining 266 (6% of total) commute from outside the county. The total number of jobs with a fixed location in Enniscorthy is therefore 4,140 and represents a net daily gain in working population of +415. The total number of jobs based in Wexford Town represents 10% of all jobs located in the county.
- The above graphics provide a profile of all jobs located in Enniscorthy: Age Profile, Departure Time, Gender, Education Attainment, Industry of Employment and Socio Economic Group.

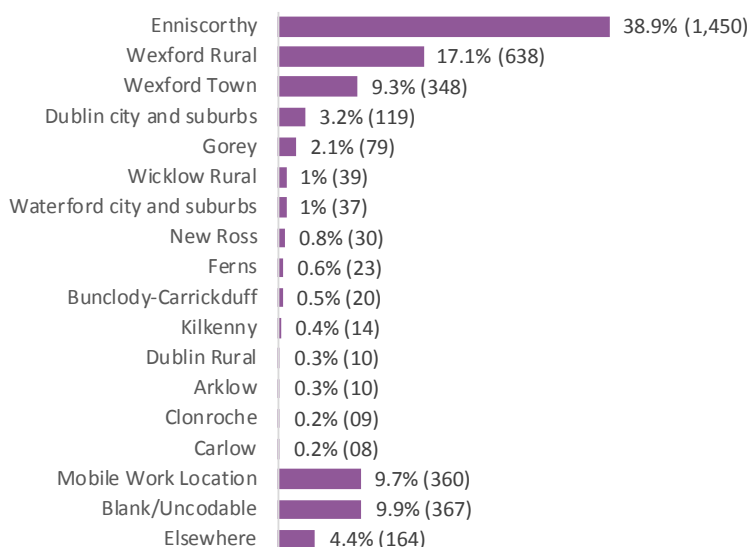


Where are Enniscorthy resident workers (3,725) employed?

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Destination of Enniscorthy Residents Workers - by CSO Settlements*

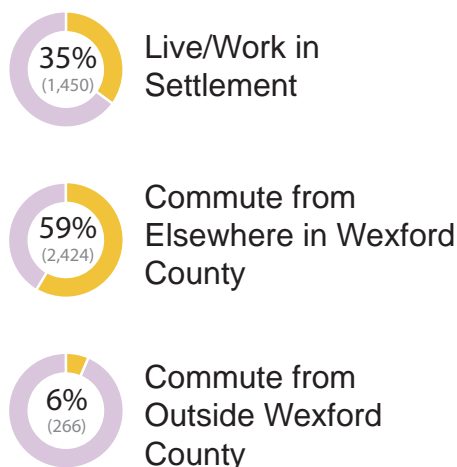


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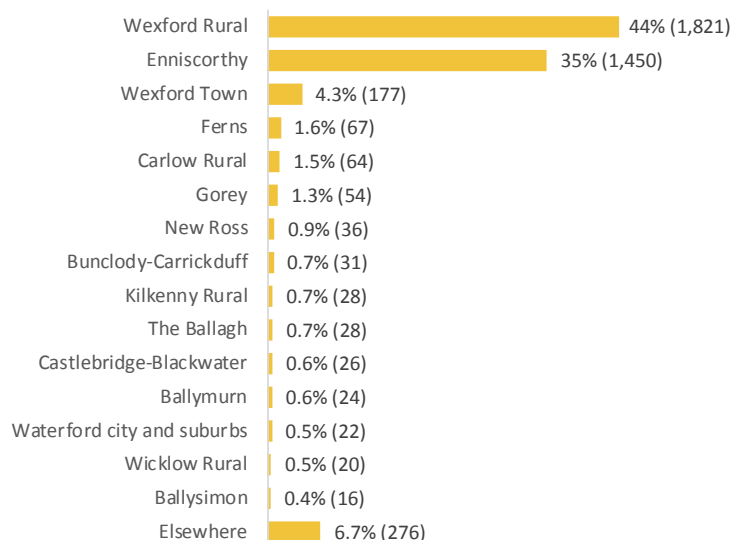
Where do Enniscorthy workers come from? (4,140)



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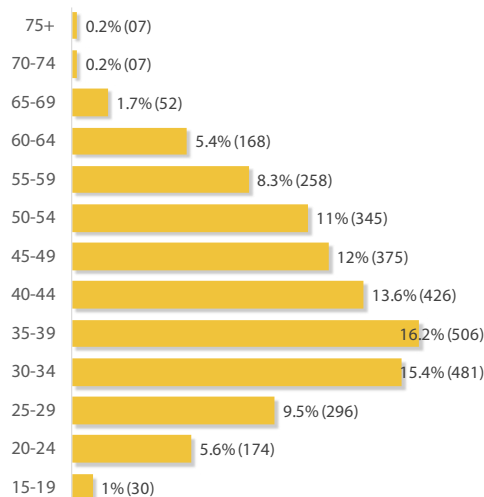
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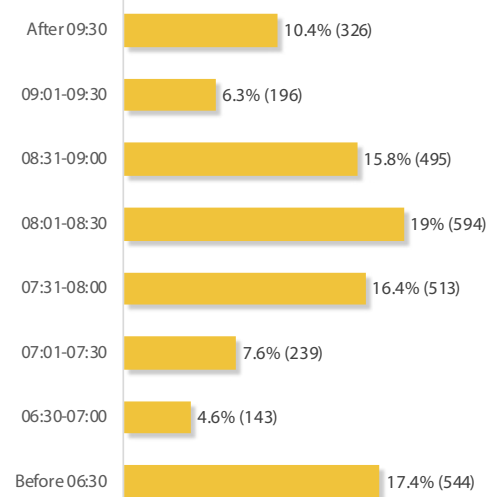
Jobs in Settlement  **3,125**
8%  **of all Jobs in Wexford**

Net Flow of Jobs +/-
+201
 + is an importer of workers
 - is an exporter of workers

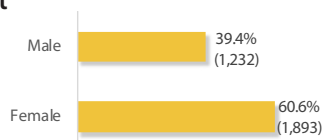
Age Profile of Workers



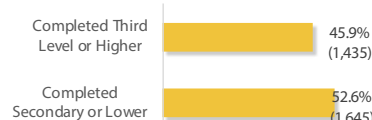
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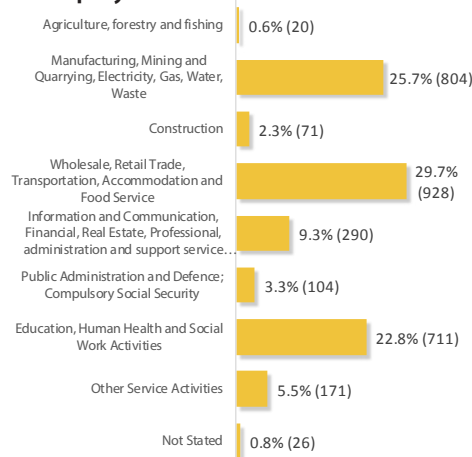
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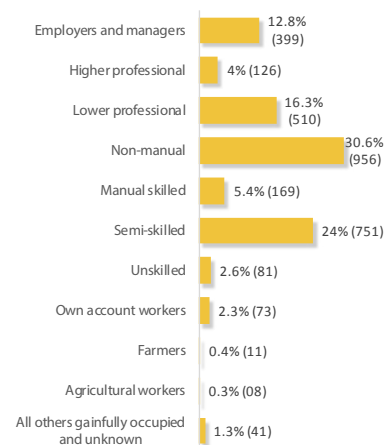
Education Completed



Industry of Employment



Socio-Economic Group

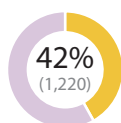


- According to the 2016 Census, there are 2,915 people residing in the New Ross settlement* area who are classed as being 'At Work'. Of these workers, a total of 42% (1,220) are employed in New Ross, 19% (551) are employed elsewhere in Wexford, 18% (537) commute out of the county for employment and the remaining 21% (607) are either Mobile workers or have a blank or un-codeable destination.
- An additional 1,905 workers commute into New Ross for employment every day. Of these, 1,205 (39% of total) commute from elsewhere in Wexford and the remaining 700 (22% of total) commute from outside the county. The total number of jobs with a fixed location in New Ross is therefore 3,125 and represents a net daily gain in working population of +201. The total number of jobs based in New Ross represents 8% of all jobs located in the county.
- The above graphics provide a profile of all jobs located in New Ross: Age Profile, Departure Time, Gender, Education Attainment, Industry of Employment and Socio Economic Group.

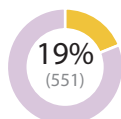


Where are New Ross resident workers (2,915) employed?

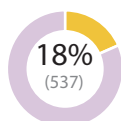
Summary of Flows



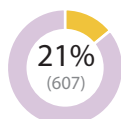
Work in Settlement



Work Elsewhere in Wexford County

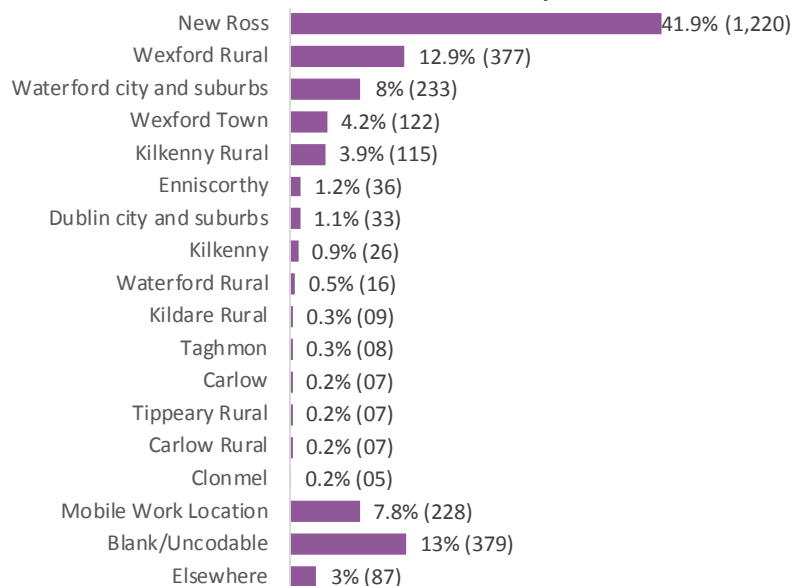


Work Outside Wexford County



Uncodable or Mobile Destination

Destination of New Ross Residents Workers - by CSO Settlements*

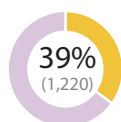


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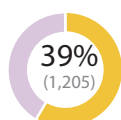
Where do New Ross workers come from? (3,125)



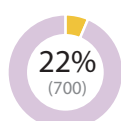
Summary of Flows



Live/Work in Settlement

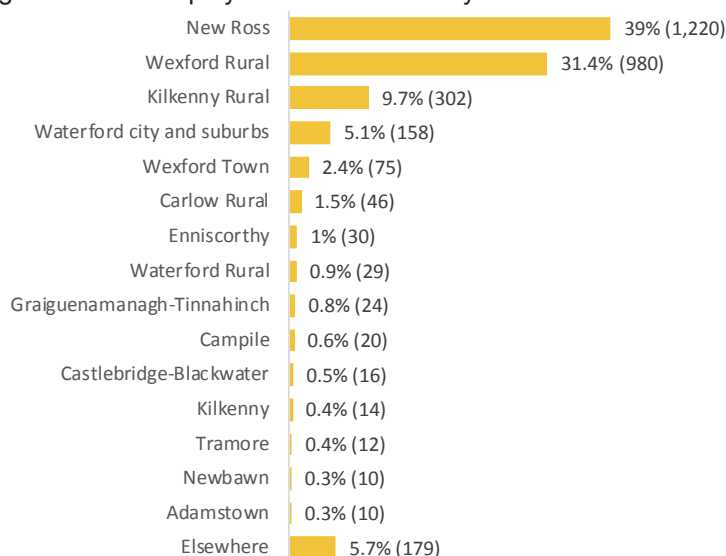


Commute from Elsewhere in Wexford County



Commute from Outside Wexford County

Origin of those employed in New Ross - by CSO Settlements*



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