

# 2011 Census results



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## Economy Profile Ellesmere Port Locality

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## Introduction

This profile is one of six themed profiles which show 2011 Census results. There are five profiles which focus on particular topics and a sixth 'overview profile' which brings together all the key results from the 2011 Census for the chosen geography. The profiles are:

- Overview
- Economy
- Environment
- Health and Wellbeing
- Housing
- People and Population.

Profiles are available for a range of geographies including Cheshire and Warrington authorities, wards and lower super output areas.

They have been produced in partnership by the Local Authorities in Cheshire and Warrington as part of a suite of products to help inform people of the main results from the 2011 Census.

The full range of 2011 Census products produced by the partnership includes (for each of the Local Authorities):

- A 2011 Census Ward Atlas with maps and tables comparing and ranking wards
- A report comparing change between the results of the 2001 and 2011 Census
- A range of Spotlight reports (detailed themed reports due in 2014).

The 2011 Census products and 2011 Census tables are available via:

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### **Guidance note on small numbers**

The Office for National Statistics (ONS) used a process called statistical disclosure control to ensure no individuals could be identified in any published 2011 Census tables. ONS swapped some Census records between different areas to protect information supplied by individuals. In practice, this means where a result is a small number, there is an uncertainty as to whether this is a true value.

## Economic activity

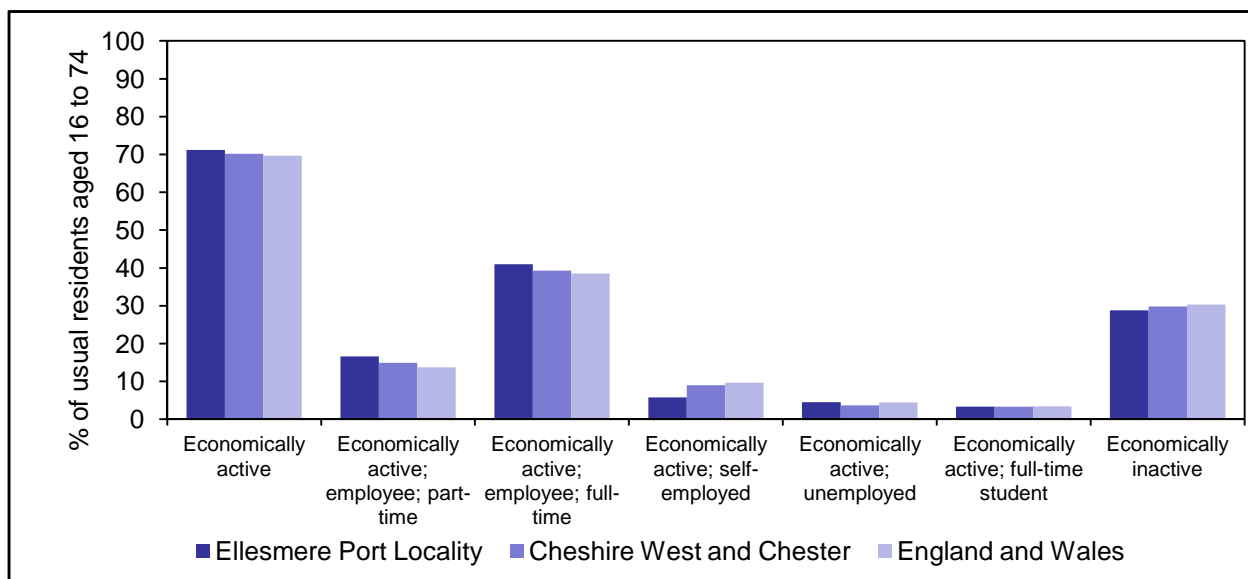
A person aged 16 to 74 was economically active if, in the week before the census, they were:

- in employment, as an employee or self-employed,
- not in employment, but were seeking work and ready to start work within two weeks, or
- not in employment, but waiting to start a job already obtained and available.

**Table 1: Economic activity - All usual residents aged 16-74**

	Ellesmere Port Locality		Cheshire West and Chester		England and Wales	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Economically active	31,502	71.2	170,778	70.2	28,659,869	69.7
Economically active; employee; part-time	7,335	16.6	36,206	14.9	5,646,290	13.7
Economically active; employee; full-time	18,139	41.0	95,642	39.3	15,815,912	38.5
Economically active; self-employed	2,546	5.8	21,856	9.0	3,987,661	9.7
Economically active; unemployed	2,004	4.5	8,949	3.7	1,799,536	4.4
Economically active; full-time student	1,478	3.3	8,125	3.3	1,410,470	3.4
Economically inactive	12,742	28.8	72,377	29.8	12,466,671	30.3
Economically inactive; retired	6,815	15.4	39,893	16.4	5,682,192	13.8
Economically inactive; student	1,412	3.2	10,746	4.4	2,389,711	5.8
Economically inactive; looking after home or family	1,600	3.6	8,620	3.5	1,781,530	4.3
Economically inactive; long-term sick or disabled	2,189	4.9	9,574	3.9	1,714,894	4.2
Economically inactive; other	726	1.6	3,544	1.5	898,344	2.2
Base for table	Ellesmere Port Locality		Cheshire West and Chester		England and Wales	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74	44,244		243,155		41,126,540	

**Chart 1: Economic activity - All usual residents aged 16-74**



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## Economic activity - males

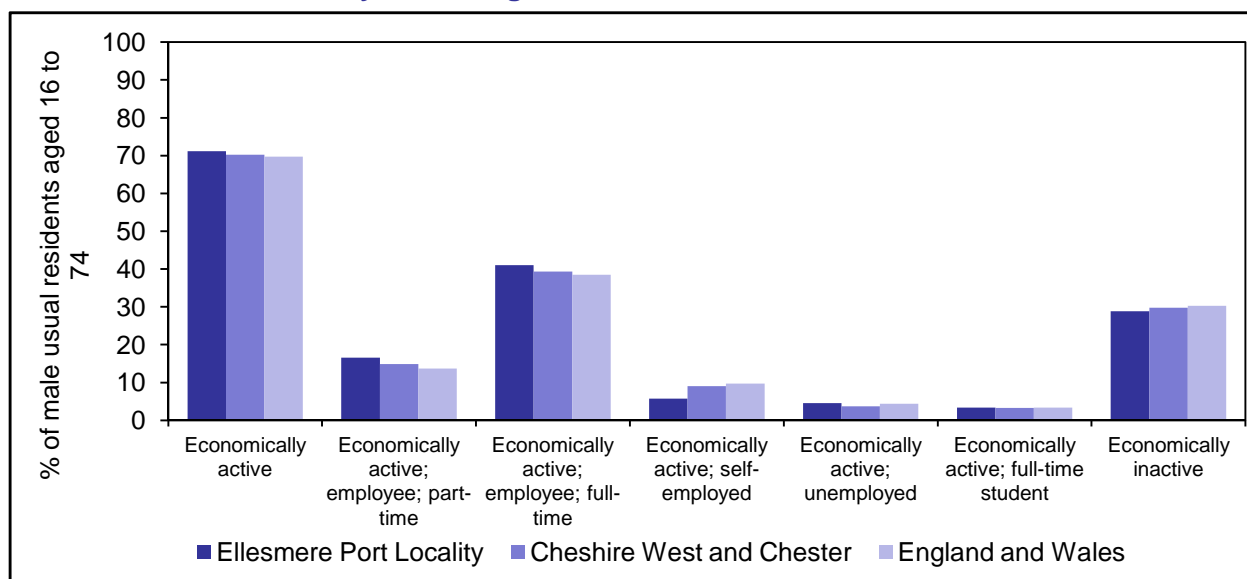
A male aged 16 to 74 was economically active if, in the week before the census, they were:

- in employment, as an employee or self-employed,
- not in employment, but were seeking work and ready to start work within two weeks, or
- not in employment, but waiting to start a job already obtained and available.

**Table 2: Economic activity - Males aged 16-74**

	Ellesmere Port Locality		Cheshire West and Chester		England and Wales	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Economically active	16,398	75.7	89,389	74.9	15,275,803	74.9
Economically active; employee; part-time	1,392	6.4	6,990	5.9	1,242,570	6.1
Economically active; employee; full-time	11,239	51.9	58,455	49.0	9,495,236	46.6
Economically active; self-employed	1,788	8.3	14,972	12.6	2,809,690	13.8
Economically active; unemployed	1,302	6.0	5,522	4.6	1,076,521	5.3
Economically active; full-time student	677	3.1	3,450	2.9	651,786	3.2
Economically inactive	5,265	24.3	29,902	25.1	5,115,588	25.1
Economically inactive; retired	2,971	13.7	17,494	14.7	2,428,289	11.9
Economically inactive; student	721	3.3	5,133	4.3	1,217,475	6.0
Economically inactive; looking after home or family	177	0.8	814	0.7	167,204	0.8
Economically inactive; long-term sick or disabled	1,102	5.1	4,930	4.1	896,251	4.4
Economically inactive; other	294	1.4	1,531	1.3	406,369	2.0
Base for table	Ellesmere Port Locality		Cheshire West and Chester		England and Wales	
All males aged 16 to 74	21,663		119,291		20,391,391	

**Chart 2: Economic activity - Males aged 16-74**



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## Economic activity - females

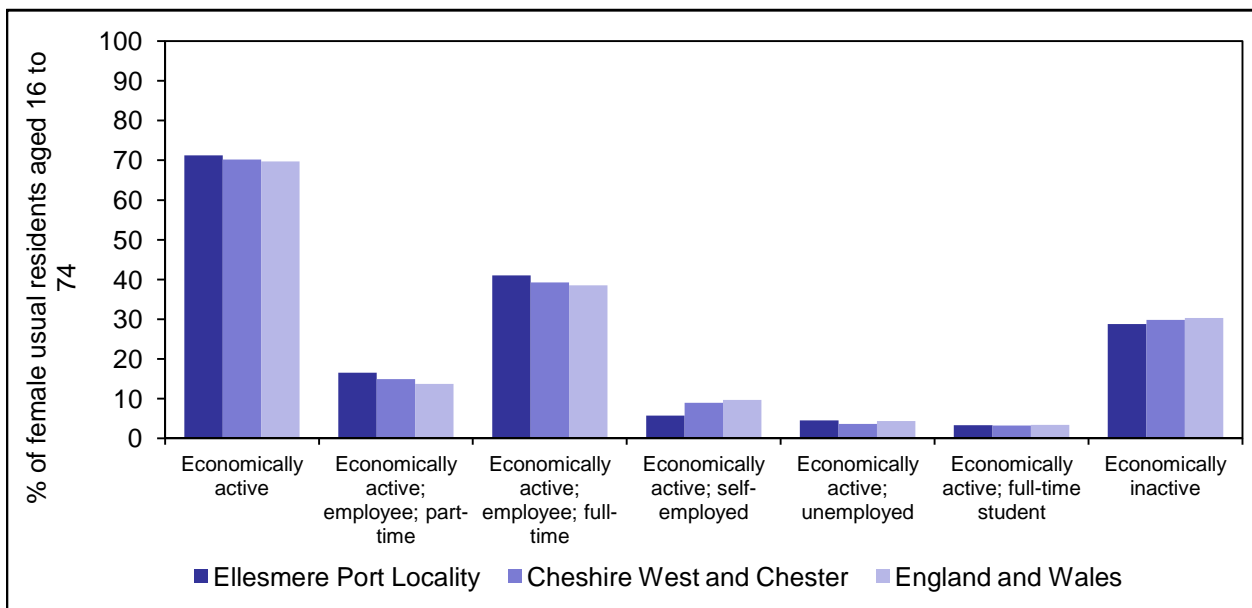
A female aged 16 to 74 was economically active if, in the week before the census, they were:

- in employment, as an employee or self-employed,
- not in employment, but were seeking work and ready to start work within two weeks, or
- not in employment, but waiting to start a job already obtained and available.

**Table 3: Economic activity - Females aged 16-74**

	Ellesmere Port Locality		Cheshire West and Chester		England and Wales	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Economically active	15,104	66.9	81,389	65.7	13,384,066	64.5
Economically active; employee; part-time	5,943	26.3	29,216	23.6	4,403,720	21.2
Economically active; employee; full-time	6,900	30.6	37,187	30.0	6,320,676	30.5
Economically active; self-employed	758	3.4	6,884	5.6	1,177,971	5.7
Economically active; unemployed	702	3.1	3,427	2.8	723,015	3.5
Economically active; full-time student	801	3.5	4,675	3.8	758,684	3.7
Economically inactive	7,477	33.1	42,475	34.3	7,351,083	35.5
Economically inactive; retired	3,844	17.0	22,399	18.1	3,253,903	15.7
Economically inactive; student	691	3.1	5,613	4.5	1,172,236	5.7
Economically inactive; looking after home or family	1,423	6.3	7,806	6.3	1,614,326	7.8
Economically inactive; long-term sick or disabled	1,087	4.8	4,644	3.7	818,643	3.9
Economically inactive; other	432	1.9	2,013	1.6	491,975	2.4
Base for table	Ellesmere Port Locality		Cheshire West and Chester		England and Wales	
All females aged 16 to 74	22,581		123,864		20,735,149	

**Chart 3: Economic activity - Females aged 16-74**



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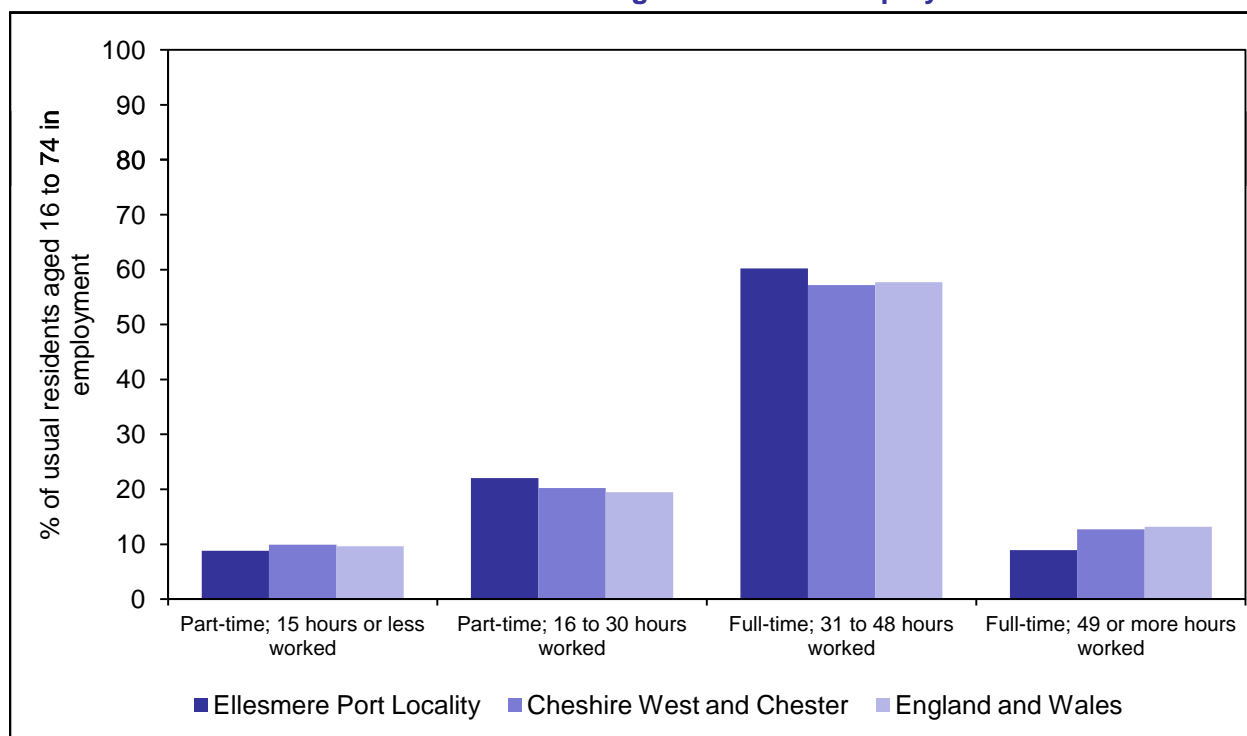
## Hours worked

This table shows the number of hours worked by all usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment in the week before the Census in their main job. People in employment includes full-time and part-time employees, those who are self-employed and also full-time students who were economically active and in employment. (Some economically active students were not in employment at the time of the 2011 Census but were waiting to start a job already obtained).

**Table 4: Hours worked - All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment**

	Ellesmere Port Locality		Cheshire West and Chester		England and Wales	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Part-time; 15 hours or less worked	2,569	8.8	15,902	9.9	2,543,578	9.6
Part-time; 16 to 30 hours worked	6,431	22.1	32,408	20.2	5,175,078	19.5
Full-time; 31 to 48 hours worked	17,551	60.2	91,529	57.2	15,293,318	57.7
Full-time; 49 or more hours worked	2,598	8.9	20,299	12.7	3,514,362	13.2
Base for table	Ellesmere Port Locality		Cheshire West and Chester		England and Wales	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment	29,149		160,138		26,526,336	

**Chart 4: Hours worked - All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment**



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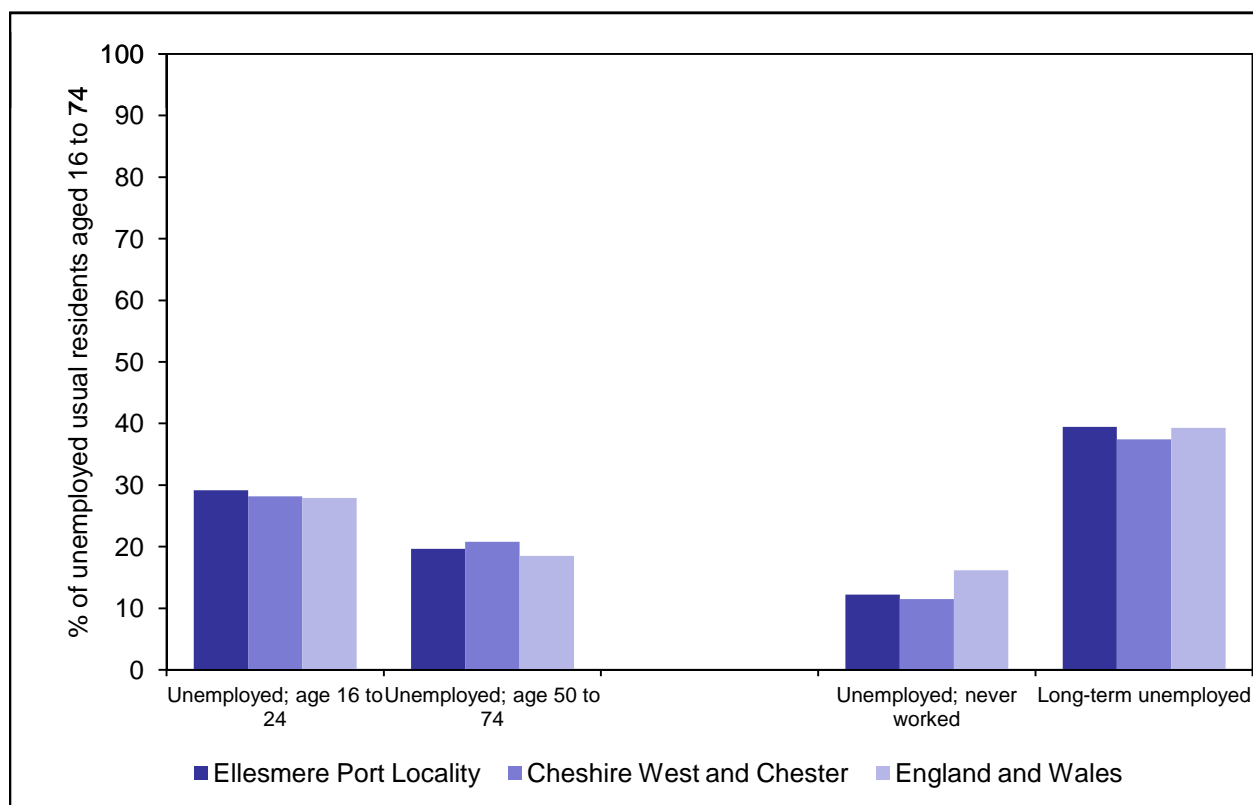
## Unemployment

This table shows some of the different groups of unemployed residents at the time of the 2011 Census. A person aged 16 to 74 was classified as unemployed if they were not in employment, were available to start work in the two weeks following the 2011 Census, and were either looking for work in the previous four weeks or were waiting to start a new job. A person was defined as long-term unemployed at the time of the 2011 Census if they were unemployed and the year they last worked was 2009 or earlier.

**Table 5: Unemployment - All unemployed usual residents aged 16-74**

	Ellesmere Port Locality		Cheshire West and Chester		England and Wales	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Unemployed; age 16 to 24	584	29.1	2,520	28.2	502,438	27.9
Unemployed; age 50 to 74	394	19.7	1,859	20.8	332,683	18.5
Unemployed; never worked	245	12.2	1,028	11.5	291,072	16.2
Long-term unemployed	791	39.5	3,351	37.4	706,924	39.3
Base for table	Ellesmere Port Locality		Cheshire West and Chester		England and Wales	
Unemployed usual residents (aged 16 to 74)	2,004		8,949		1,799,536	

**Chart 5: Unemployment - All unemployed usual residents aged 16-74**



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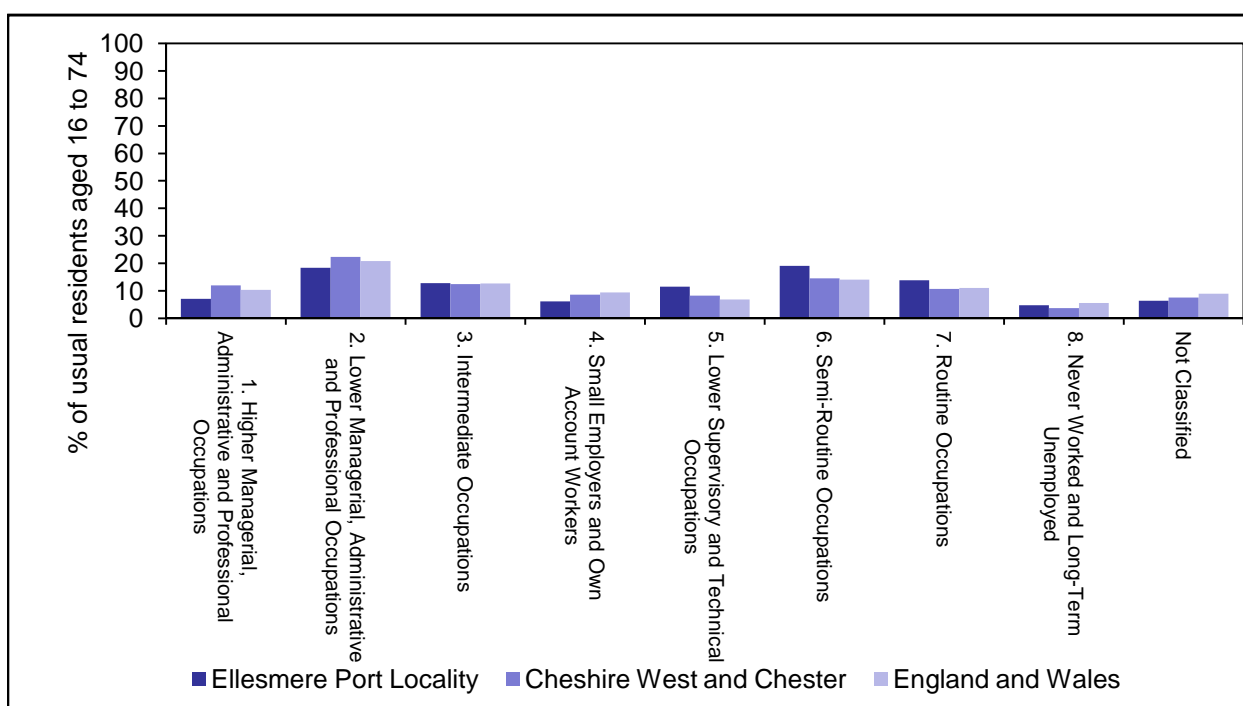
## Socio economic classification (NS-SEC)

The National Statistics Socio-economic Classification (NS-SEC) provides an indication of socioeconomic position based on occupation. It is an Office for National Statistics standard classification.

**Table 6: Socio economic classification (NS-SEC) - All usual residents aged 16 to 74**

	Ellesmere Port Locality		Cheshire West and Chester		England and Wales	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
1. Higher Managerial, Administrative and Professional Occupations	3,149	7.1	29,109	12.0	4,220,766	10.3
2. Lower Managerial, Administrative and Professional Occupations	8,149	18.4	54,169	22.3	8,571,458	20.8
3. Intermediate Occupations	5,664	12.8	30,076	12.4	5,240,440	12.7
4. Small Employers and Own Account Workers	2,724	6.2	20,978	8.6	3,872,779	9.4
5. Lower Supervisory and Technical Occupations	5,075	11.5	20,083	8.3	2,857,185	6.9
6. Semi-Routine Occupations	8,437	19.1	35,208	14.5	5,789,519	14.1
7. Routine Occupations	6,103	13.8	25,970	10.7	4,564,916	11.1
8. Never Worked and Long-Term Unemployed	2,108	4.8	9,021	3.7	2,301,614	5.6
Not Classified	2,835	6.4	18,541	7.6	3,707,863	9.0
<b>Base for table</b>	<b>Ellesmere Port Locality</b>		<b>Cheshire West and Chester</b>		<b>England and Wales</b>	
<b>All usual residents aged 16 to 74</b>	<b>44,244</b>		<b>243,155</b>		<b>41,126,540</b>	

**Chart 6: Socio economic classification (NS-SEC) - All usual residents aged 16 to 74**



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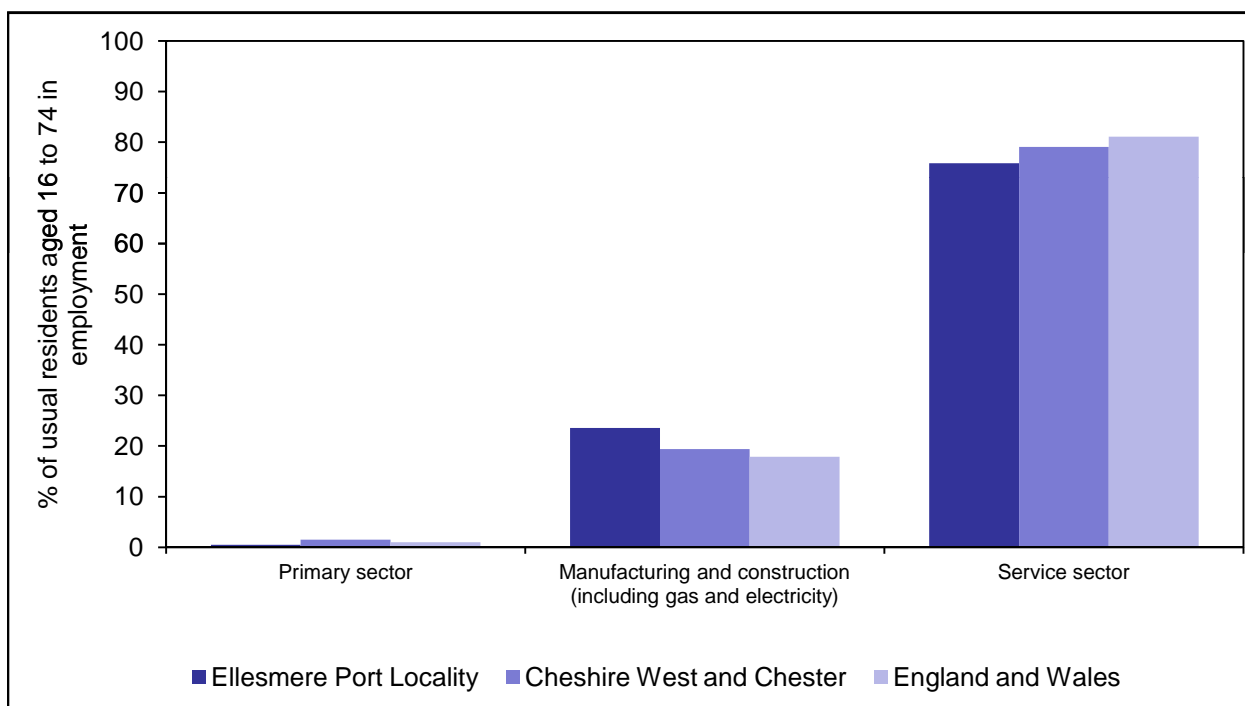
## Industry

The following table shows the industry in which people aged 16 to 74 worked grouped by sector. This relates to their main job, and is derived from information provided on the main activity of their employer or business. This was used by the Office for National Statistics to assign responses to an industry code based on the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) 2007. Census table KS605EW contains a full list of the SIC 2007 codes.

**Table 7: Industry - All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment**

	Ellesmere Port Locality		Cheshire West and Chester		England and Wales	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Primary sector	152	0.5	2,437	1.5	273,764	1.0
Manufacturing and construction (including gas and electricity)	6,879	23.6	31,025	19.4	4,751,894	17.9
Service sector	22,118	75.9	126,676	79.1	21,500,678	81.1
Base for table	Ellesmere Port Locality		Cheshire West and Chester		England and Wales	
All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment	29,149		160,138		26,526,336	

**Chart 7: Industry - All usual residents aged 16 to 74 in employment**



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