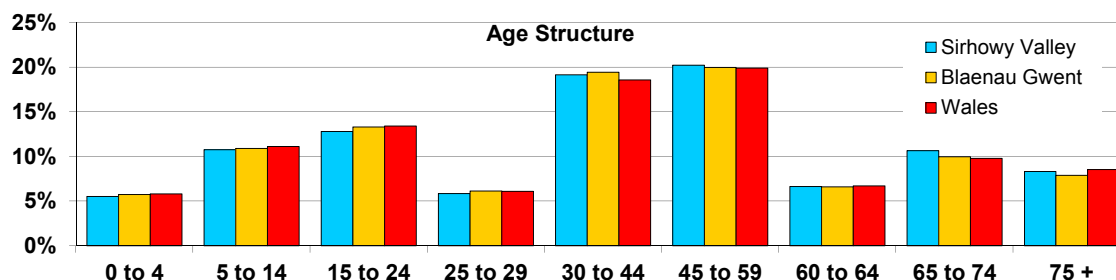


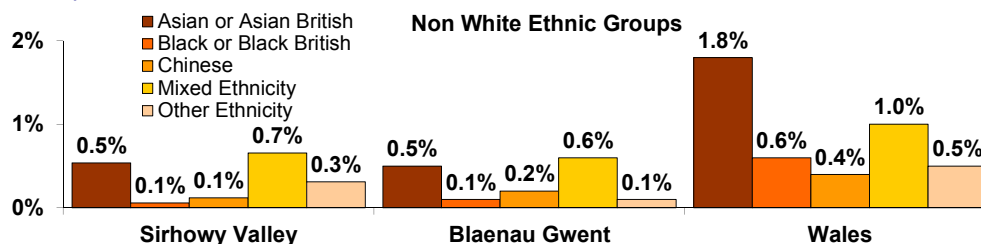
## Census 2011 Statistics Overview Sirhowy Valley Profile

Note: Bold value in a grey cell highlight a notable difference for the ward compared to Blaenau Gwent or Wales

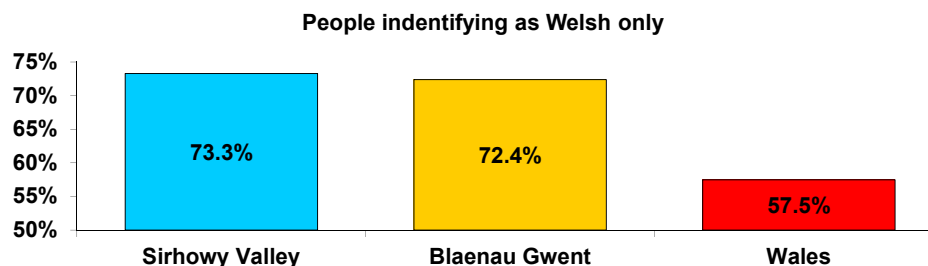
Population	Sirhowy Valley	Blaenau Gwent	Wales
Total	15,103	69,814	3,063,456
Males	7,317	34,325	1,504,228
Females	7,786	35,489	1,559,228
Age Structure	Sirhowy Valley	Blaenau Gwent	Wales
0 to 4	5.5%	5.8%	5.8%
5 to 14	10.8%	10.9%	11.1%
15 to 24	12.8%	13.3%	13.4%
25 to 29	5.9%	6.1%	6.1%
30 to 44	19.2%	19.4%	18.6%
45 to 59	20.2%	20.0%	19.9%
60 to 64	6.7%	6.6%	6.7%
65 to 74	10.7%	10.0%	9.8%
75 +	8.3%	7.9%	8.6%
Mean age of population	41.1	40.5	40.6
Median age of population	42.0	41.0	41.0



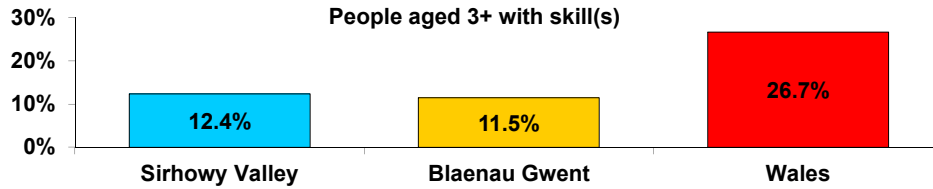
Ethnic Groups	Sirhowy Valley	Blaenau Gwent	Wales
White	98.3%	98.4%	95.6%
Asian or Asian British	0.5%	0.5%	1.8%
Black or Black British	0.1%	0.1%	0.6%
Chinese	0.1%	0.2%	0.4%
Mixed Ethnicity	0.7%	0.6%	1.0%
Other Ethnicity	0.3%	0.1%	0.5%



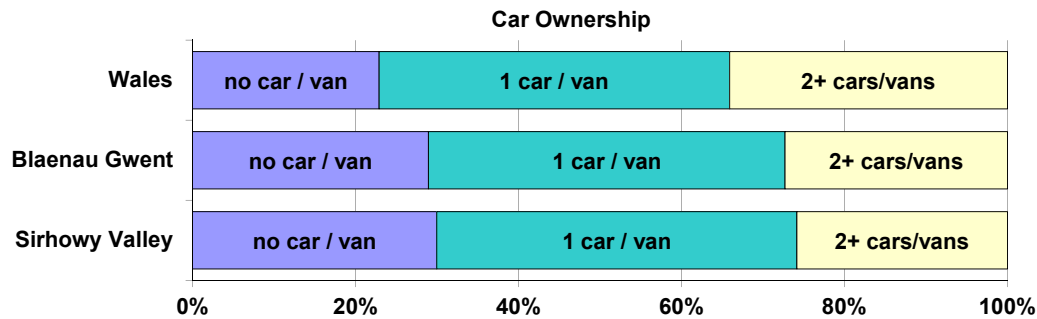
Identity	Sirhowy Valley	Blaenau Gwent	Wales
People indentifying as Welsh only	73.3%	72.4%	57.5%



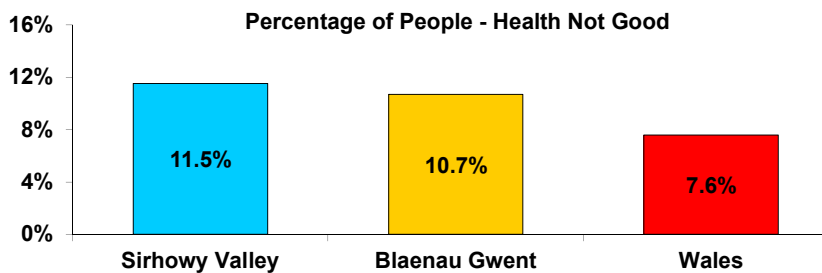
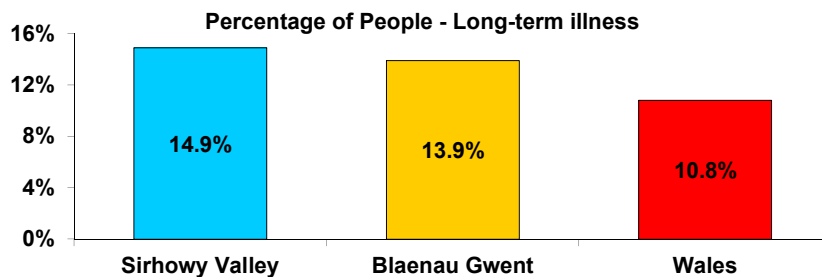
Knowledge of Welsh	Sirhowy Valley	Blaenau Gwent	Wales
People aged 3+ with skill(s)	12.4%	11.5%	26.7%
Understands spoken Welsh only	2.3%	2.2%	5.3%
Speaks Welsh only	1.5%	1.5%	2.7%
Speaks and Reads only	0.5%	0.6%	1.5%
Speaks, reads and writes Welsh	5.9%	5.5%	14.6%
Other Combinations of Welsh	2.1%	1.7%	2.5%



Car Ownership per Household	Sirhowy Valley	Blaenau Gwent	Wales
no car / van	30.0%	29.0%	22.9%
1 car / van	44.2%	43.8%	43.0%
2+ cars/vans	25.8%	27.3%	34.1%
All cars/vans in the area	6,998	32,478	1,597,823

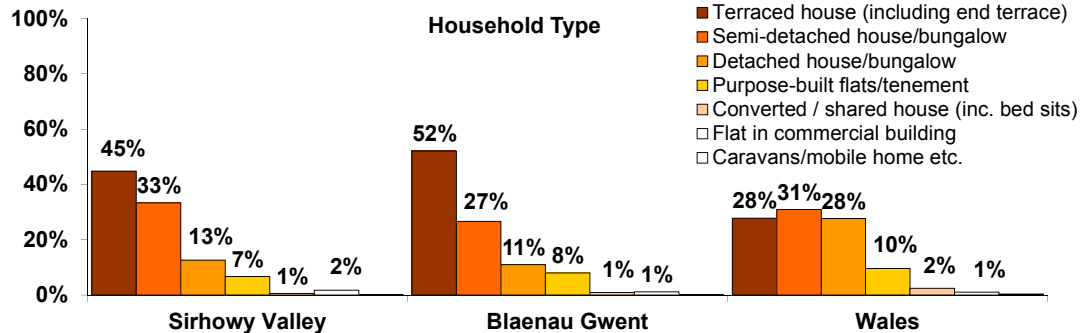


Health	Sirhowy Valley	Blaenau Gwent	Wales
People with long-term illness	29.2%	27.2%	22.7%
Working age with long-term illness	14.9%	13.9%	10.8%
People whose health was good	70.9%	72.5%	77.7%
People whose health was not good	11.5%	10.7%	7.6%
People who provide unpaid care	12.9%	12.5%	12.1%

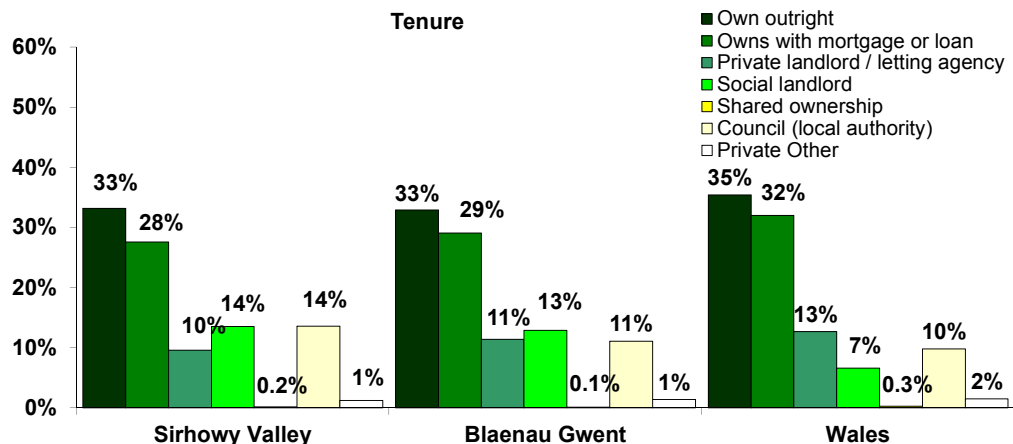


Housing Spaces	Sirhowy Valley	Blaenau Gwent	Wales
Household spaces with residents	6,731	30,416	1,302,676
Vacant household spaces	271	1,536	82,845

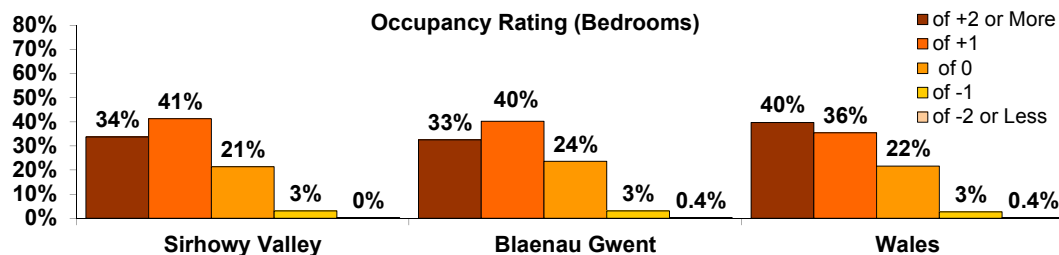
Household Type	Sirhowy Valley	Blaenau Gwent	Wales
Detached house/bungalow	12.7%	11.0%	27.7%
Semi-detached house/bungalow	33.3%	26.7%	31.0%
Terraced house (including end terrace)	44.9%	52.2%	27.8%
Purpose-built flats/tenement	6.7%	8.0%	9.6%
Converted / shared house (inc. bed sits)	0.6%	0.9%	2.4%
Flat in commercial building	1.7%	1.2%	1.0%
Caravans/mobile home etc.	0.1%	0.1%	0.4%



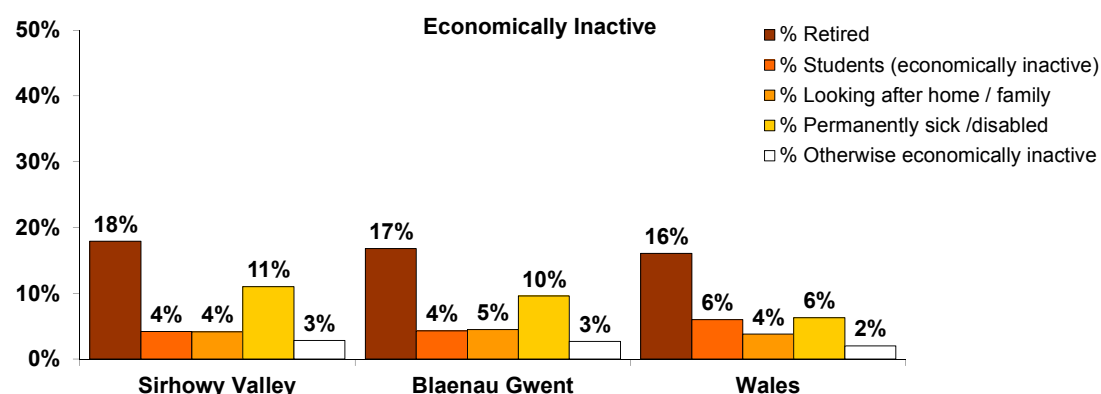
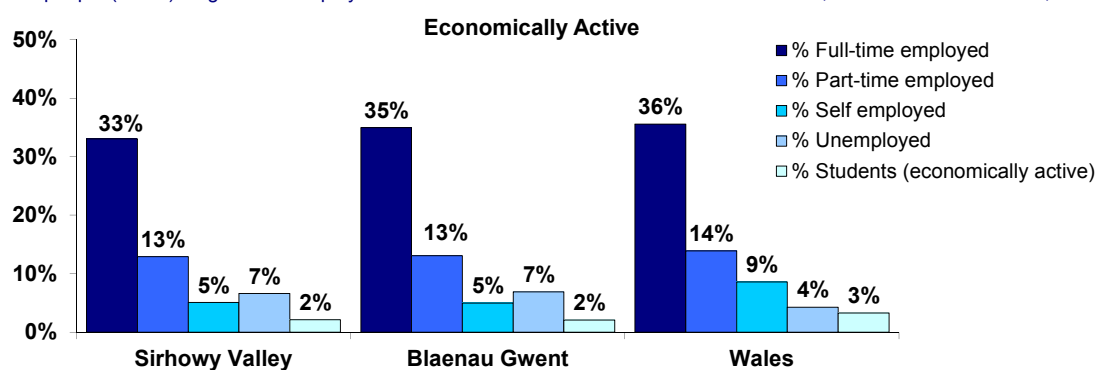
Household Tenure	Sirhowy Valley	Blaenau Gwent	Wales
<b>Owner occupied households</b>	<b>60.9%</b>	<b>62.1%</b>	<b>67.7%</b>
Own outright	33.2%	32.9%	35.4%
Owens with mortgage or loan	27.6%	29.1%	32.0%
Shared ownership	0.2%	0.1%	0.3%
<b>Rented households</b>	<b>38.0%</b>	<b>36.8%</b>	<b>30.6%</b>
Council (local authority)	13.6%	11.1%	9.8%
Social landlord	13.6%	12.9%	6.6%
Private landlord / letting agency	9.6%	11.4%	12.7%
Private Other	1.2%	1.4%	1.5%



Occupancy Rating (Bedrooms)	Sirhowy Valley	Blaenau Gwent	Wales
<b>All Households</b>	<b>6,731</b>	<b>30,416</b>	<b>1,302,676</b>
of +2 or More	33.8%	32.6%	39.8%
of +1	41.4%	40.3%	35.5%
of 0	21.5%	23.7%	21.6%
of -1	3.1%	3.1%	2.7%
of -2 or Less	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%



Economic Activity	Sirhowy Valley	Blaenau Gwent	Wales
<b>All people aged 16-74</b>	<b>11,195</b>	<b>51,809</b>	<b>2,245,166</b>
% Full-time employed	33.1%	35.0%	35.6%
% Part-time employed	12.9%	13.1%	13.9%
% Self employed	5.1%	5.0%	8.6%
<b>(Sub tot - % employed)</b>	<b>51.1%</b>	<b>53.1%</b>	<b>58.1%</b>
% Unemployed	6.6%	6.9%	4.3%
% Students (economically active)	2.1%	2.1%	3.3%
% Retired	17.9%	16.8%	16.1%
% Students (economically inactive)	4.2%	4.3%	6.0%
% Looking after home / family	4.2%	4.5%	3.8%
% Permanently sick /disabled	11.0%	9.6%	6.3%
% Otherwise economically inactive	2.8%	2.7%	2.0%
<b>People (16-74) economically active</b>	<b>59.9%</b>	<b>62.1%</b>	<b>65.7%</b>
<b>People (16-74) economically inactive</b>	<b>40.1%</b>	<b>37.9%</b>	<b>34.2%</b>
No. of people (16-74) unemployed	741	3,575	96,542
No. of people (16-74) long term unemployed	328	1,583	38,428



Qualifications	Sirhowy Valley	Blaenau Gwent	Wales
People (16-74) with no qualifications	38.5%	36.0%	25.9%
People (16-74) qualified degree level +	15.1%	15.2%	24.5%

