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## Electoral Division Health Profile - Ballon, Carlow

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# 1 Key Points

- Ballon, Carlow covers a total **area** of **9.8 square kilometers** and has a **population density of 80.5** persons per square kilometer. The population density of Ireland as a whole is 73.3.
- The **Age Dependency Ratio** of this Electoral Division (ED) is **57.3**. This compares to 53.2 nationally. The Age Dependency Ratio is the amount of people outside of working age (0-14 and 65+) per 100 people of working age (15-64).
- Ballon, Carlow has a total of **788 persons** and **193 families** living in private households.
- There are a total of **170 persons aged 0-14** in this ED and **117 persons aged over 65**.
- There are a total of **182 persons living with a disability** in this ED, representing **23.1 percent** of the population. This compares with 21.5 percent nationally
- **18** people in this ED have **bad or very bad general health**. This represents **2.3 percent** of the population. 1.7 percent of the population have bad or very bad general health nationally.
- There are a total of **41 carers** in this ED, representing **5.2 percent** of the population. This compares with 5.8 percent of the population that are carers nationally.
- **8.9 percent** of this ED **smoke tobacco products**. 13.1 percent of people nationally smoke tobacco products
- There are **8 short term unemployed** and **20 long term unemployed** people in this ED. These represent 1.3 and 3.2 percent of the population respectively.
- **2.0 percent** of the population of Ballon, Carlow are **unskilled**. 3.1 percent of people in the state are unskilled.
- **21.6 percent** of those aged 15+ in this ED have a **highest level of education of lower secondary or lower**. This compares with 23 percent nationally.
- **25.9 percent** of families with children in this ED have **lone parents**. This stands at 24.8 nationally.
- **13.7 percent** of this ED were **born outside Ireland** (20 percent nationally).
- **Households rented from a Local Authority** comprise **6.8 percent** of households in this ED. This stands at 8.3 percent nationally

## 2 Population

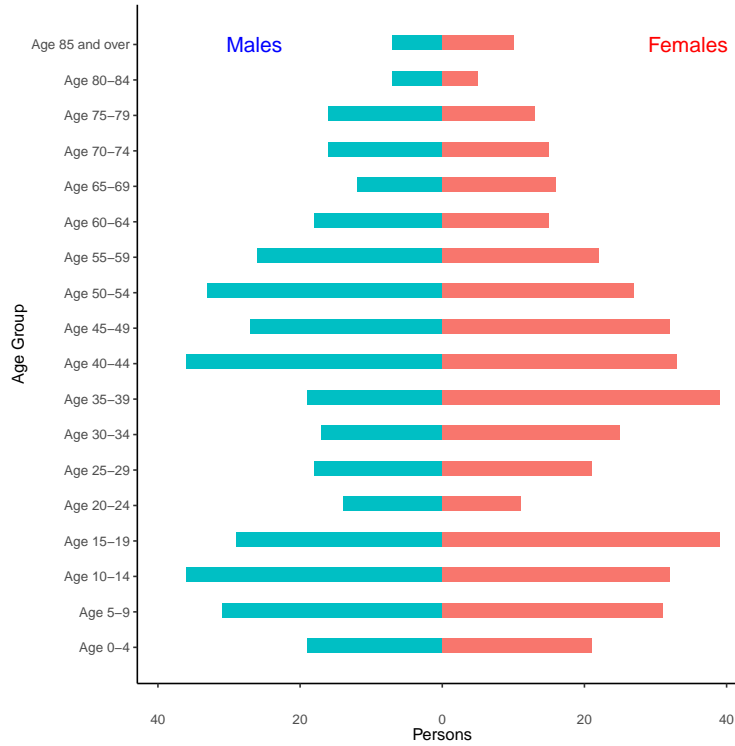


Figure 2: Persons by Age Group and Gender for Ballon, Carlow; Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

Age	Females		Males		Both Sexes			
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>% (ED)</i>	<i>% (AC)</i>	<i>% (State)</i>
0-14	84	20.6	86	22.6	170	21.6	19.9	19.7
15-64	264	64.9	237	62.2	501	63.6	65.1	65.3
65+	59	14.5	58	15.2	117	14.8	15.0	15.1
Age 0-4	21	5.2	19	5.0	40	5.1	5.7	5.7
Age 5-9	31	7.6	31	8.1	62	7.9	6.6	6.7
Age 10-14	32	7.9	36	9.4	68	8.6	7.6	7.3
Age 15-19	39	9.6	29	7.6	68	8.6	7.0	6.6
Age 20-24	11	2.7	14	3.7	25	3.2	6.1	6.0
Age 25-29	21	5.2	18	4.7	39	4.9	5.3	5.7
Age 30-34	25	6.1	17	4.5	42	5.3	6.0	6.5
Age 35-39	39	9.6	19	5.0	58	7.4	7.3	7.4
Age 40-44	33	8.1	36	9.4	69	8.8	7.9	8.0
Age 45-49	32	7.9	27	7.1	59	7.5	7.3	7.3
Age 50-54	27	6.6	33	8.7	60	7.6	6.7	6.6
Age 55-59	22	5.4	26	6.8	48	6.1	6.1	6.0
Age 60-64	15	3.7	18	4.7	33	4.2	5.4	5.3
Age 65-69	16	3.9	12	3.1	28	3.6	4.7	4.6
Age 70-74	15	3.7	16	4.2	31	3.9	4.0	3.9
Age 75-79	13	3.2	16	4.2	29	3.7	3.0	3.0
Age 80-84	5	1.2	7	1.8	12	1.5	1.9	1.9
Age 85 and over	10	2.5	7	1.8	17	2.2	1.4	1.6
All Ages	407	100.0	381	100.0	788	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 1: Population Breakdown by Age and Sex for Ballon, Carlow; Census 2022. Percentage breakdowns for Administrative County (AC) and State are provided for comparison purposes.

### 3 Disability

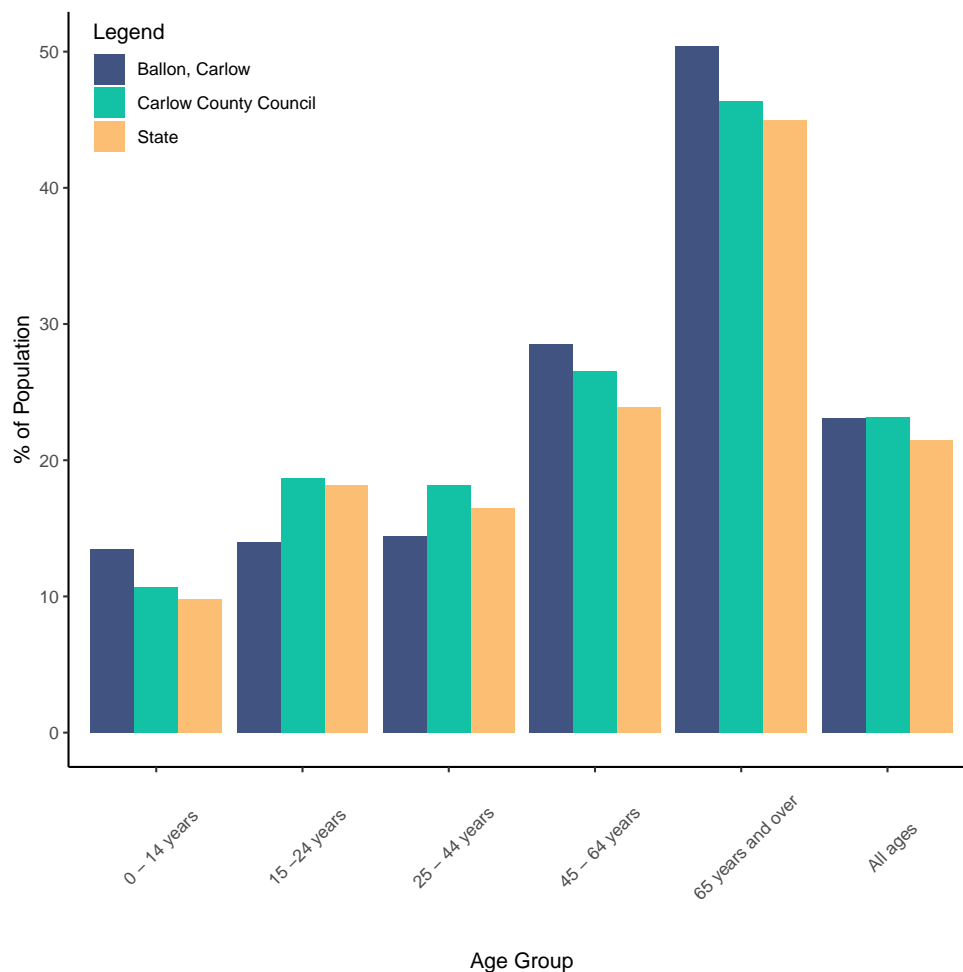


Figure 3: Percentage of Population with any Disability by Age Group for Ballon, Carlow; Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

Age Group	Ballon, Carlow		Carlow County Council		State
	Population		With any Disability		
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
0-14	170	23	13.5	10.7	9.8
15-24	93	13	14.0	18.7	18.2
25-44	208	30	14.4	18.2	16.5
45-64	200	57	28.5	26.6	23.9
65 years and over	117	59	50.4	46.4	45.0
All Ages	788	182	23.1	23.1	21.5

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## 4 General Health

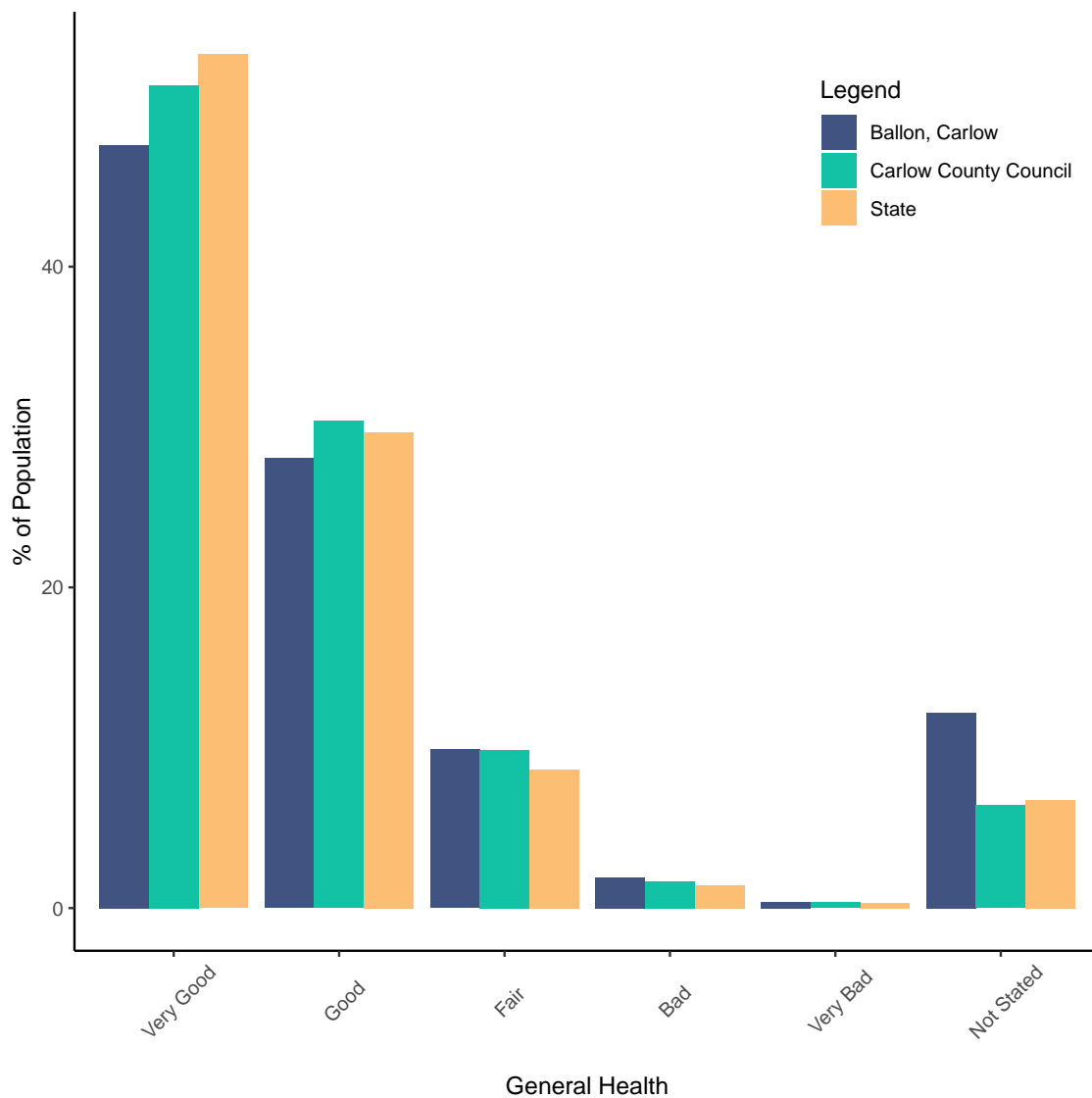


Figure 4: Population Breakdown (%) by General Health for Ballon, Carlow; Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

General Health	Ballon, Carlow		Carlow County Council	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%
Very Good	375	47.6	51.3	53.2
Good	221	28.0	30.4	29.7
Fair	78	9.9	9.9	8.6
Bad	15	1.9	1.7	1.4
Very Bad	3	0.4	0.4	0.3
Not Stated	96	12.2	6.4	6.7
Total	788	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 3: Population by General Health for Ballon, Carlow; Census 2022. Percentage breakdowns for Administrative County and State are also provided for comparison purposes.

5 Carers

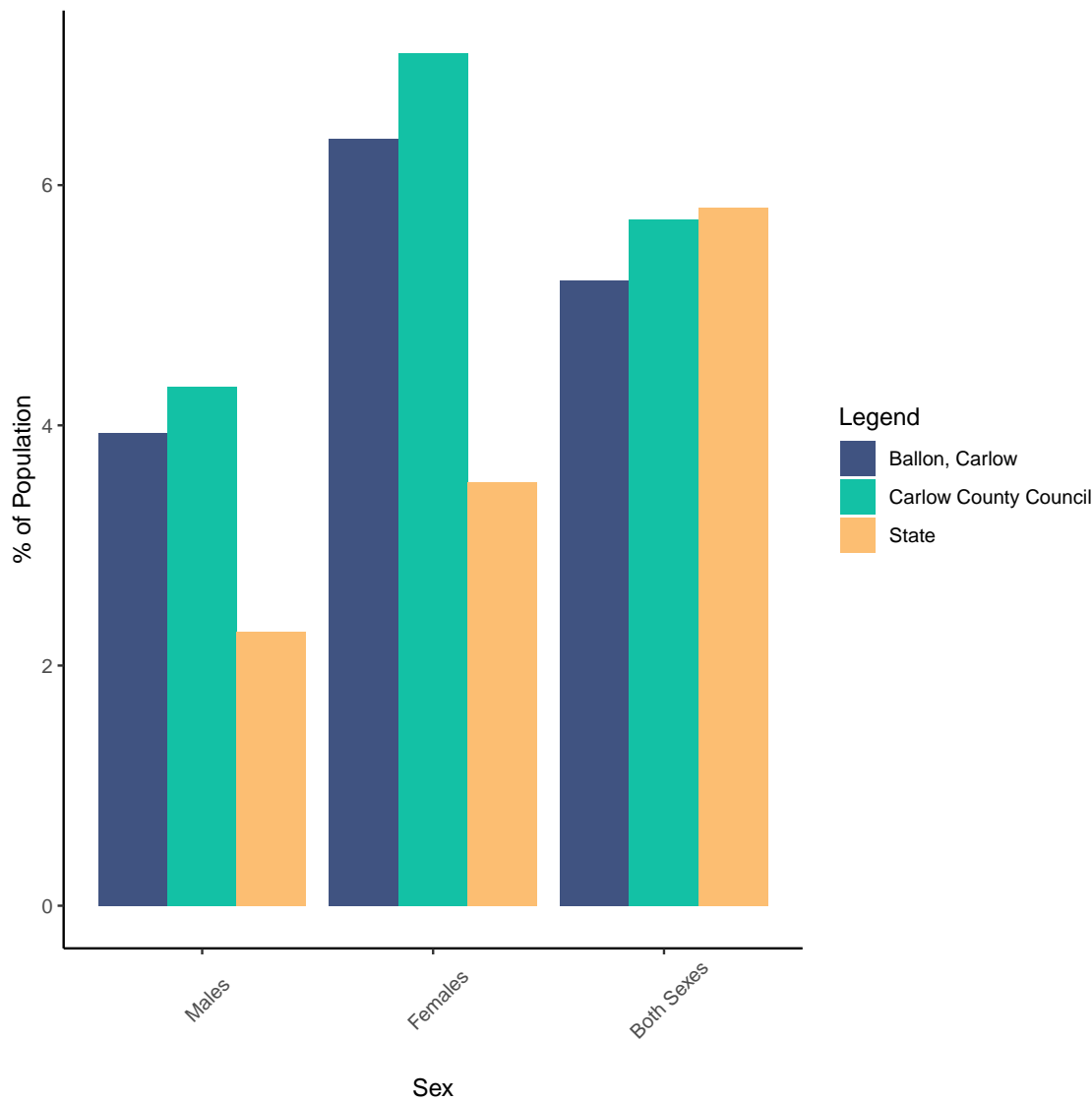


Figure 5: Carers as a Percentage of the Population of Males/Females/Both Sexes for Ballon, Carlow; Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

Ballon, Carlow		Carlow County Council		State
Age Group	Population	Carers		
	Persons	Persons	%	%
Males	381	15	3.9	4.3
Females	407	26	6.4	7.1
Both Sexes	788	41	5.2	5.7

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Table 4: Carers by Sex for Ballon, Carlow; Census 2022. Percentage Breakdowns for Administrative County and State are also provided for comparison purposes.

6 Volunteers

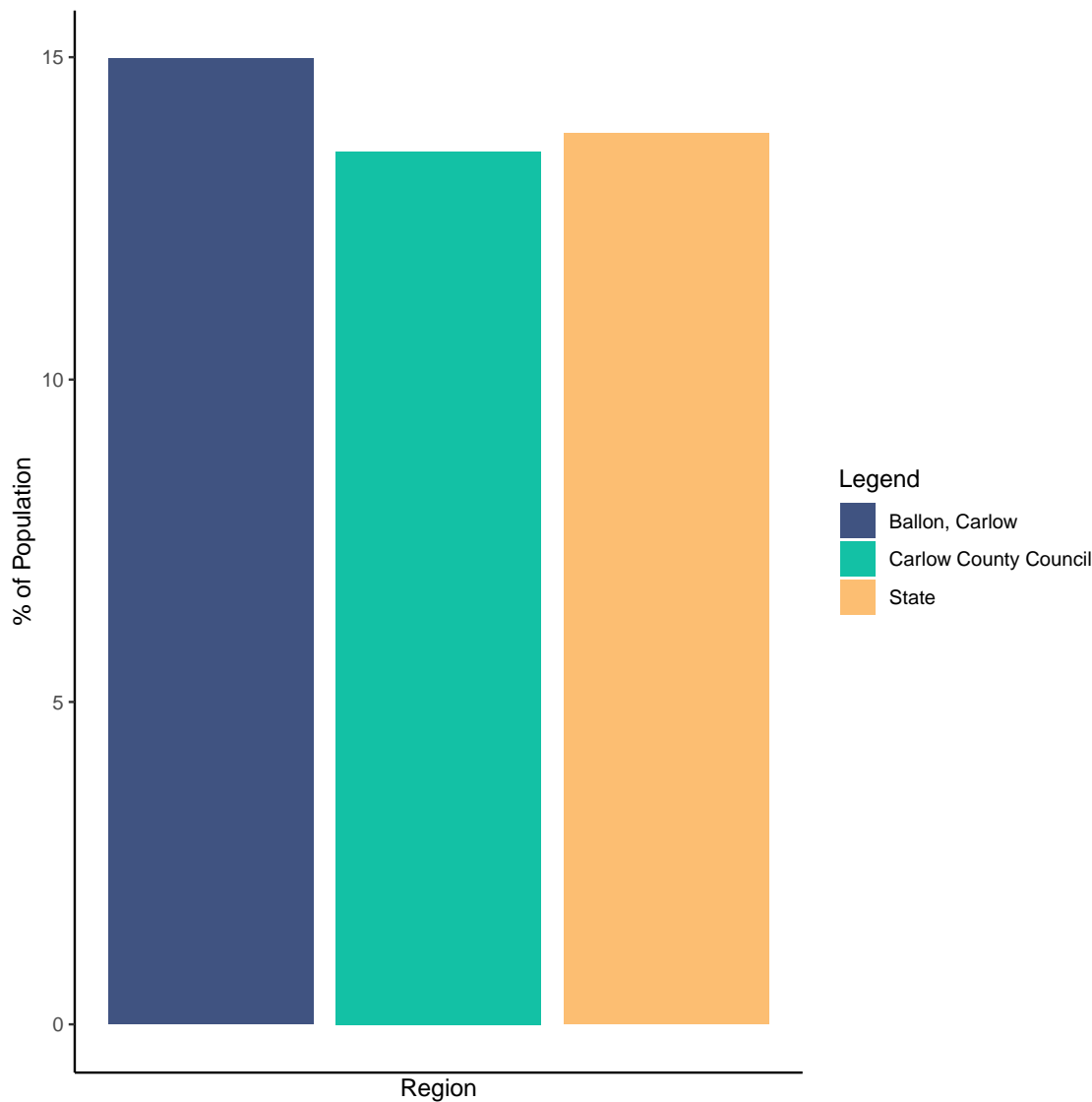


Figure 6: Volunteers as a Percentage of the Population for Ballon, Carlow; Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

Ballon, Carlow		Carlow County Council		State
Population		Volunteers		
Persons	Persons	%	%	%
788	118	15.0	13.5	13.8

Table 5: Volunteers for Ballon, Carlow; Census 2022. Percentage Breakdowns for Administrative County and State are also provided for comparison purposes.



## 7 Smoking

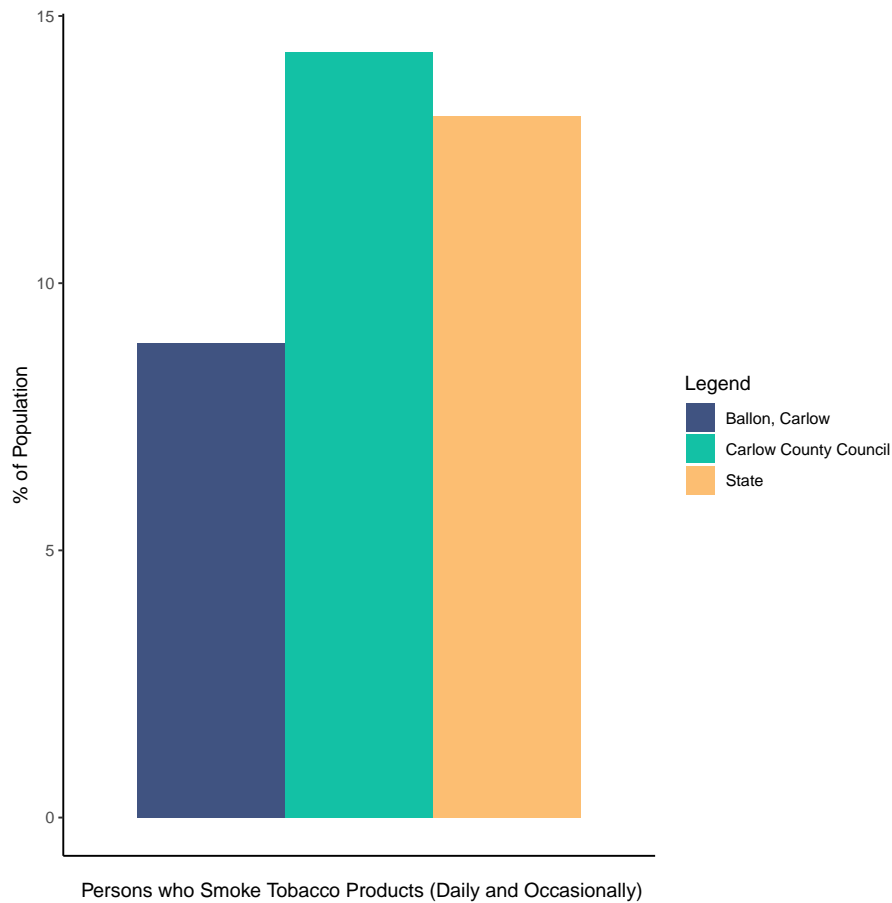


Figure 7: Percentage of the Population who Smoke Tobacco Products (Daily and Occasionally) for Ballon, Carlow; Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

Smoking Status	Ballon, Carlow		Carlow County Council	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%
Smoke Tobacco Products (Daily and Occasionally)	70	8.9	14.3	13.1
Don't Smoke Tobacco Products (Never and have given up)	622	78.9	78.4	79.4
Smoking Status Not Stated	96	12.2	7.3	7.5
All Persons	788	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 6: Smoking Status of Ballon, Carlow; Census 2022. Percentage breakdowns for Administrative County and State are also provided for comparison purposes.

## 8 Principal Economic Status

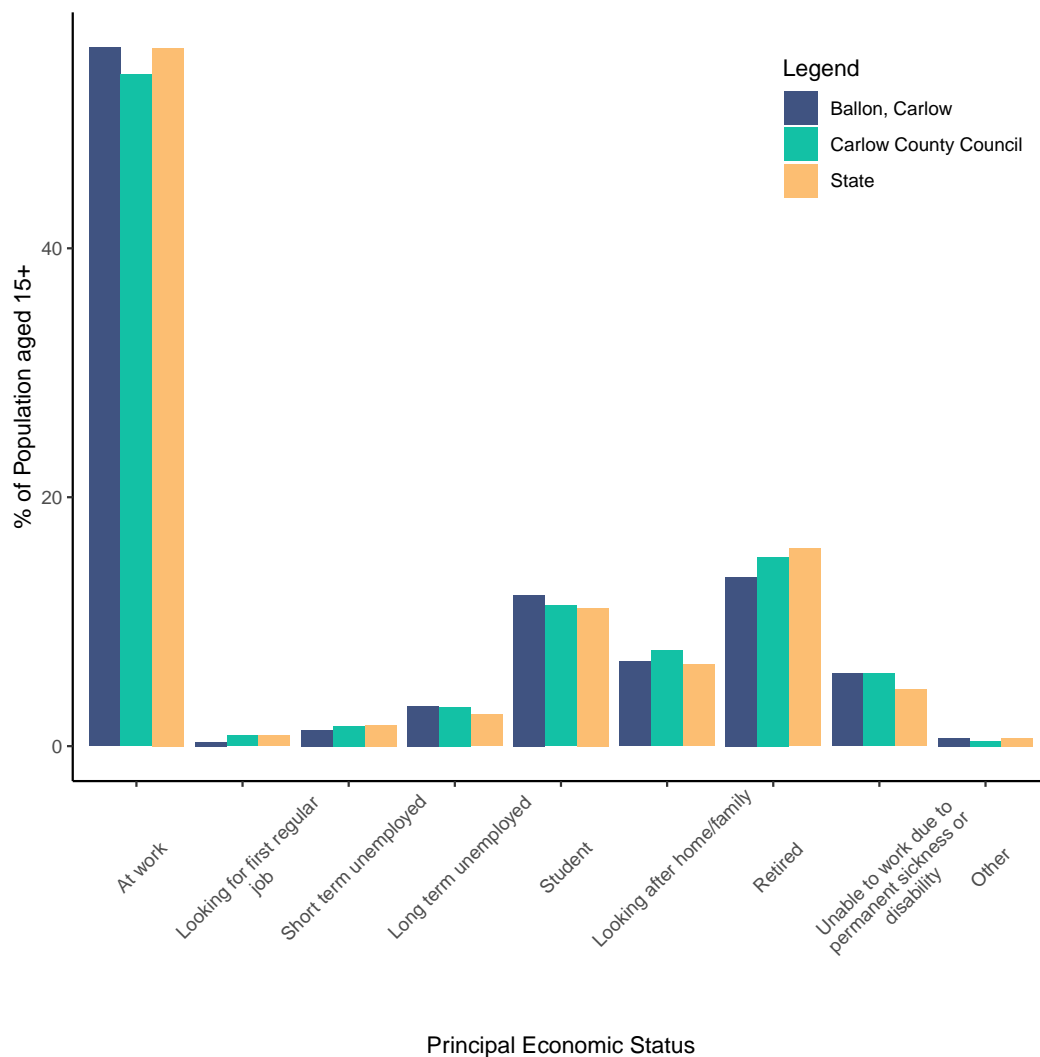


Figure 8: Percentage of Population Aged 15+ by Principal Economic Status for Ballon, Carlow, Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

Principal Economic Status	Ballon, Carlow		Carlow Count...	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%
At Work	347	56.1	54.0	56.1
Looking for first regular job	2	0.3	0.9	0.8
Short term unemployed	8	1.3	1.6	1.7
Long term unemployed	20	3.2	3.1	2.6
Student	75	12.1	11.3	11.1
Looking after home/family	42	6.8	7.7	6.6
Retired	84	13.6	15.2	15.9
Unable to work due to permanent sickness or disability	36	5.8	5.8	4.6
Other	4	0.6	0.4	0.7
Total	618	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 7: Population aged 15+ by Principal Economic Status for Ballon, Carlow; Census 2022. Percentage breakdowns for Administrative County and State are also provided for comparison purposes.

## 9 Social Class

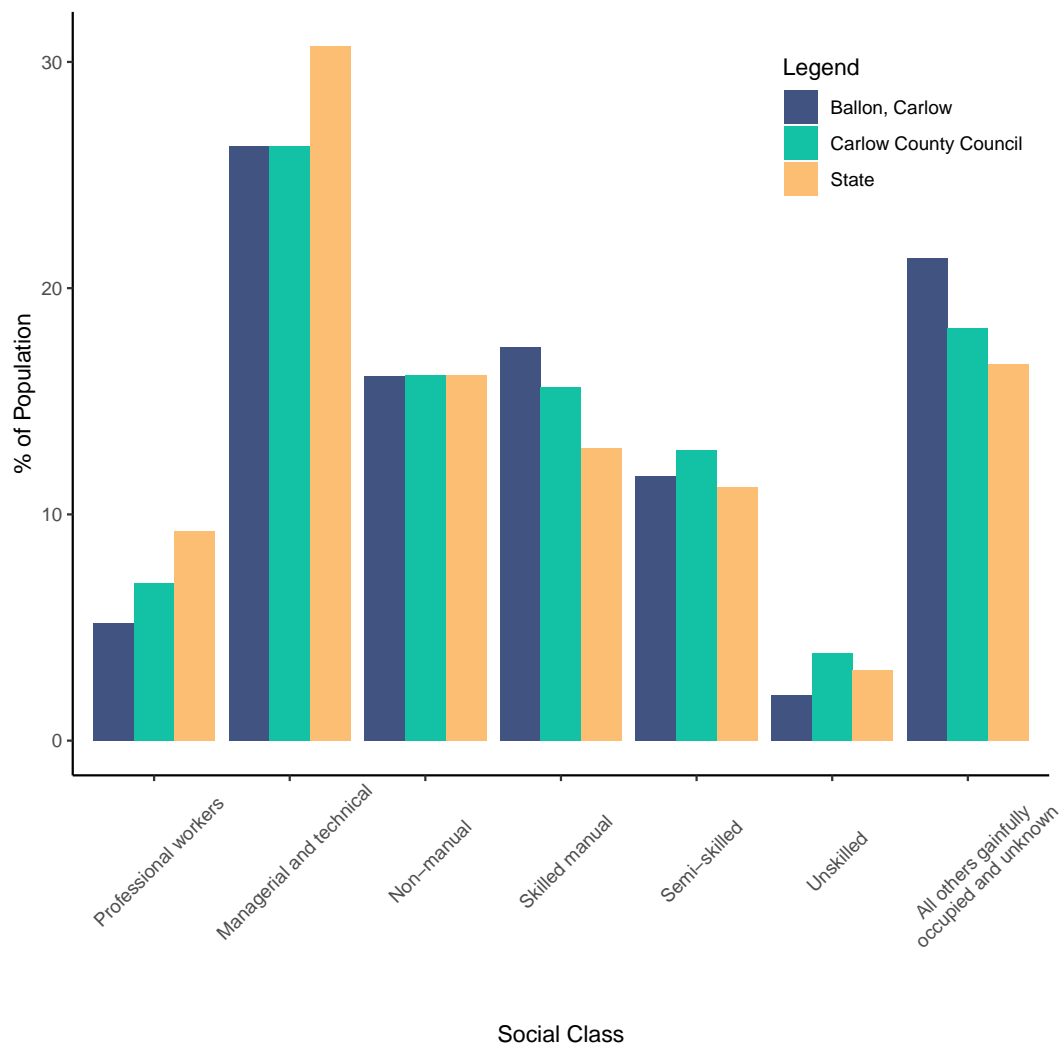


Figure 9: Percentage of Population Aged 15+ by Social Class for Ballon, Carlow, Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

Social Class	Ballon, Carlow		Carlow County Council	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%
Professional workers	41	5.2	7.0	9.3
Managerial and technical	207	26.3	26.3	30.7
Non-manual	127	16.1	16.2	16.2
Skilled manual	137	17.4	15.6	12.9
Semi-skilled	92	11.7	12.8	11.2
Unskilled	16	2.0	3.9	3.1
All others gainfully occupied and unknown	168	21.3	18.2	16.6
Total	788	100.0	100.0	100.0

<https://data.cso.ie/table/SAP2022T9T1ED>

Table 8: Population aged 15+ by Social Class for Ballon, Carlow; Census 2022. Percentage breakdowns for Administrative County and State are also provided for comparison purposes.

## 10 Education

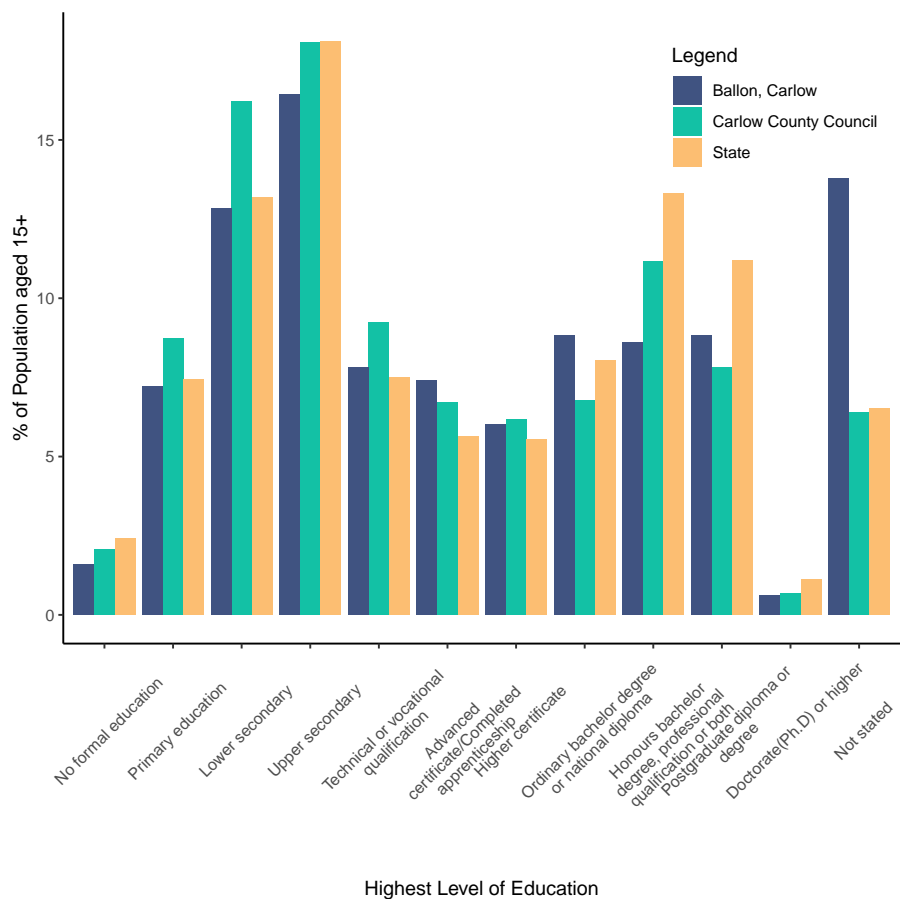


Figure 10: Percentage of Population Aged 15+ by Highest Level of Education Completed for Ballon, Carlow; Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

Highest Level of Education Completed	Ballon, Carlow		Carlow County Council	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%
No formal education	8	1.6	2.1	2.4
Primary education	36	7.2	8.7	7.4
Lower secondary	64	12.8	16.2	13.2
Upper secondary	82	16.4	18.1	18.1
Technical or vocational qualification	39	7.8	9.2	7.5
Advanced certificate/Completed apprenticeship	37	7.4	6.7	5.6
Higher certificate	30	6.0	6.2	5.5
Ordinary bachelor degree or national diploma	44	8.8	6.8	8.1
Honours bachelor degree, professional qualification or both	43	8.6	11.2	13.3
Postgraduate diploma or degree	44	8.8	7.8	11.2
Doctorate(Ph.D) or higher	3	0.6	0.7	1.1
Not stated	69	13.8	6.4	6.5
Total	499	100.0	100.0	100.0

<https://data.cso.ie/table/SAP2022T10T4ED>

Table 9: Population aged 15+ by Highest Level of Education Completed for Ballon, Carlow; Census 2022. Percentage breakdowns for Administrative County and State are also provided for comparison purposes.

## 11 Families

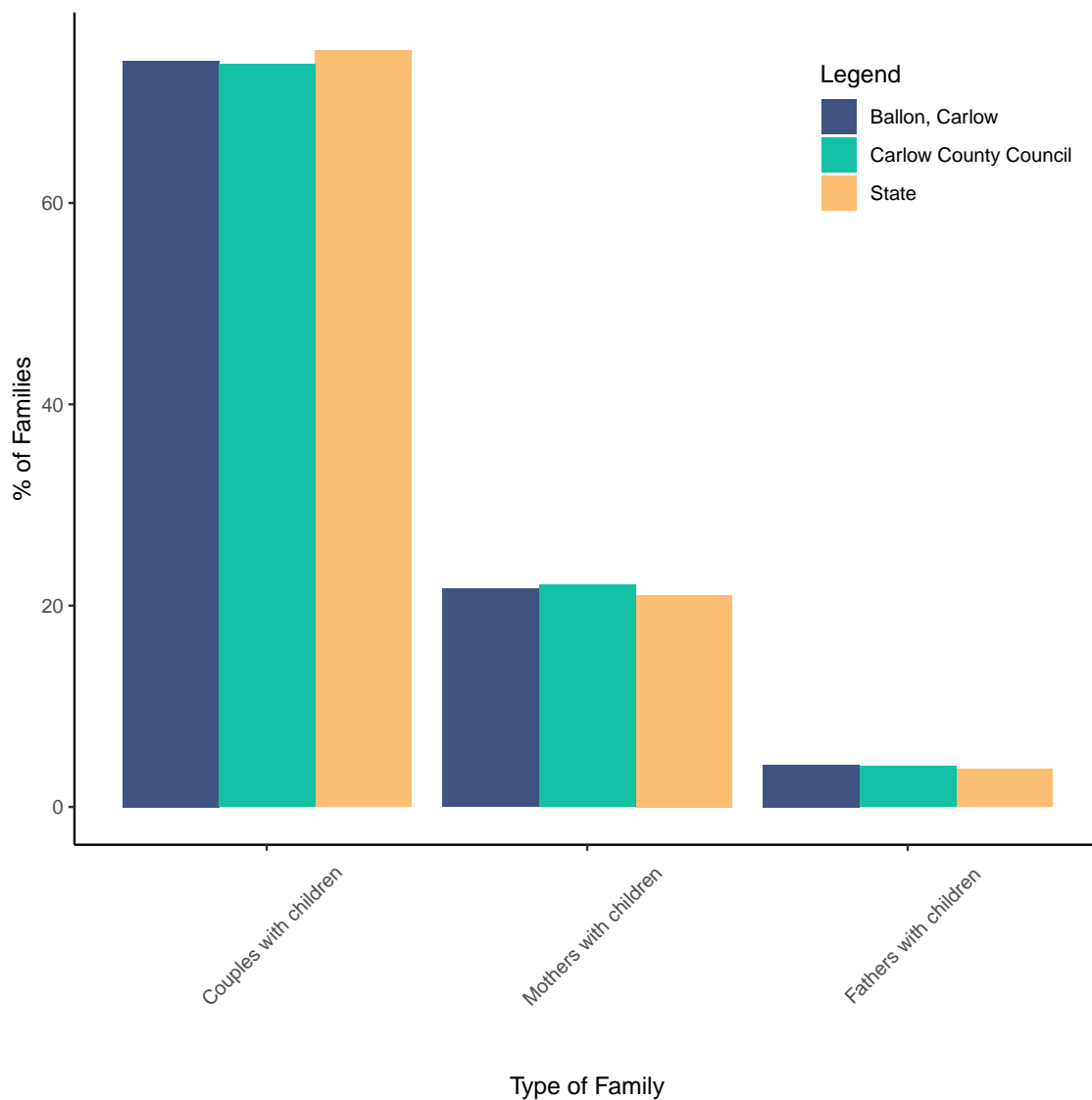


Figure 11: Percentage of Families with Children by Family Type for Ballon, Carlow; Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

Type of Family	Ballon, Carlow		Carlow County Council	State
	<i>Families</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
Couples with Children	106	74.1	73.8	75.2
Mothers with Children	31	21.7	22.1	21.1
Fathers with Children	6	4.2	4.1	3.8
All Families	143	100.0	100.0	100.0

<https://data.cso.ie/table/SAP2022T4T3ED>

Table 10: Families with Children by Family Type for Ballon, Carlow; 2022. Percentage breakdowns for Administrative County and State are also provided for comparison purposes.

## 12 Birthplace

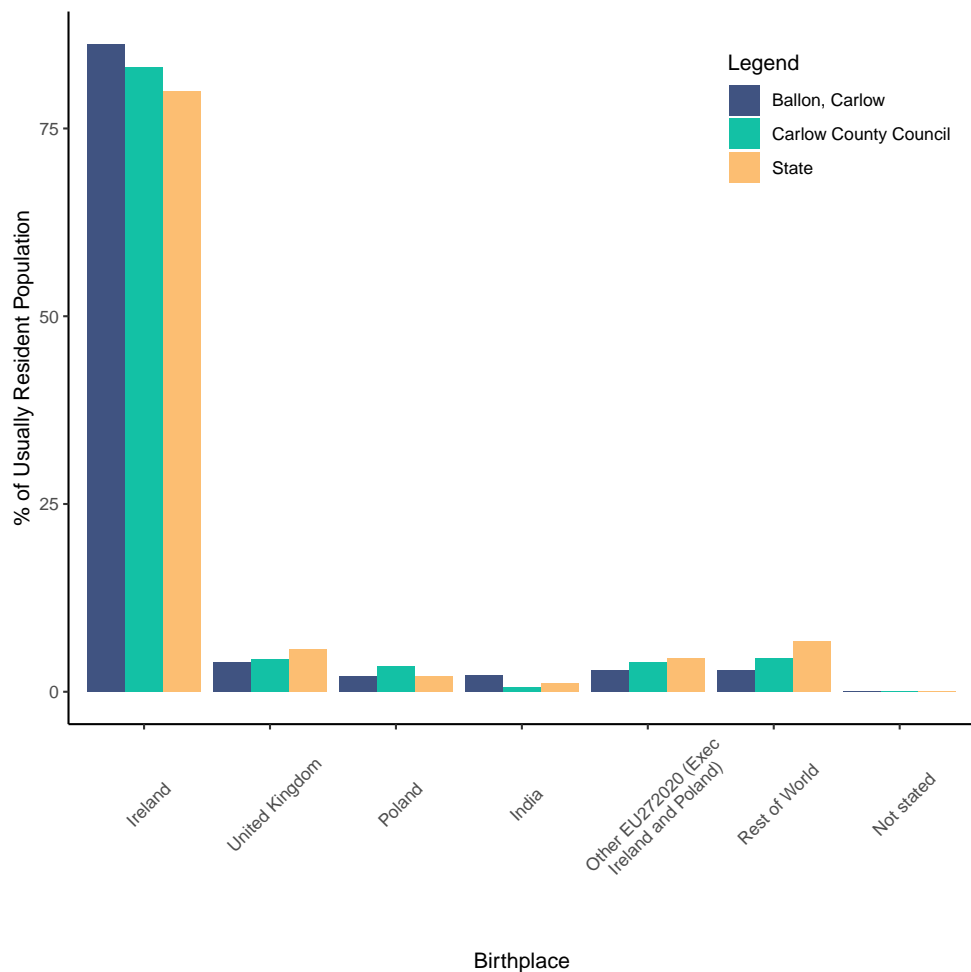


Figure 12: Percentage of Usually Resident Population by Birthplace for Ballon, Carlow; Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

Birthplace	Ballon, Carlow		Carlow County Council	State
	<i>Persons</i>	%	%	%
Ireland	678	86.3	83.2	80.0
United Kingdom	31	3.9	4.3	5.7
Poland	16	2.0	3.4	2.1
India	17	2.2	0.6	1.1
Other EU272020 (Exec Ireland and Poland)	22	2.8	4.0	4.4
Rest of World	22	2.8	4.5	6.7
Not stated	0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total	786	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 11: Usually Resident Population By Birthplace for Ballon, Carlow, Census 2022. Percentage breakdowns for Administrative County and State are also provided for comparison purposes.

## 13 Households - Type of Occupancy

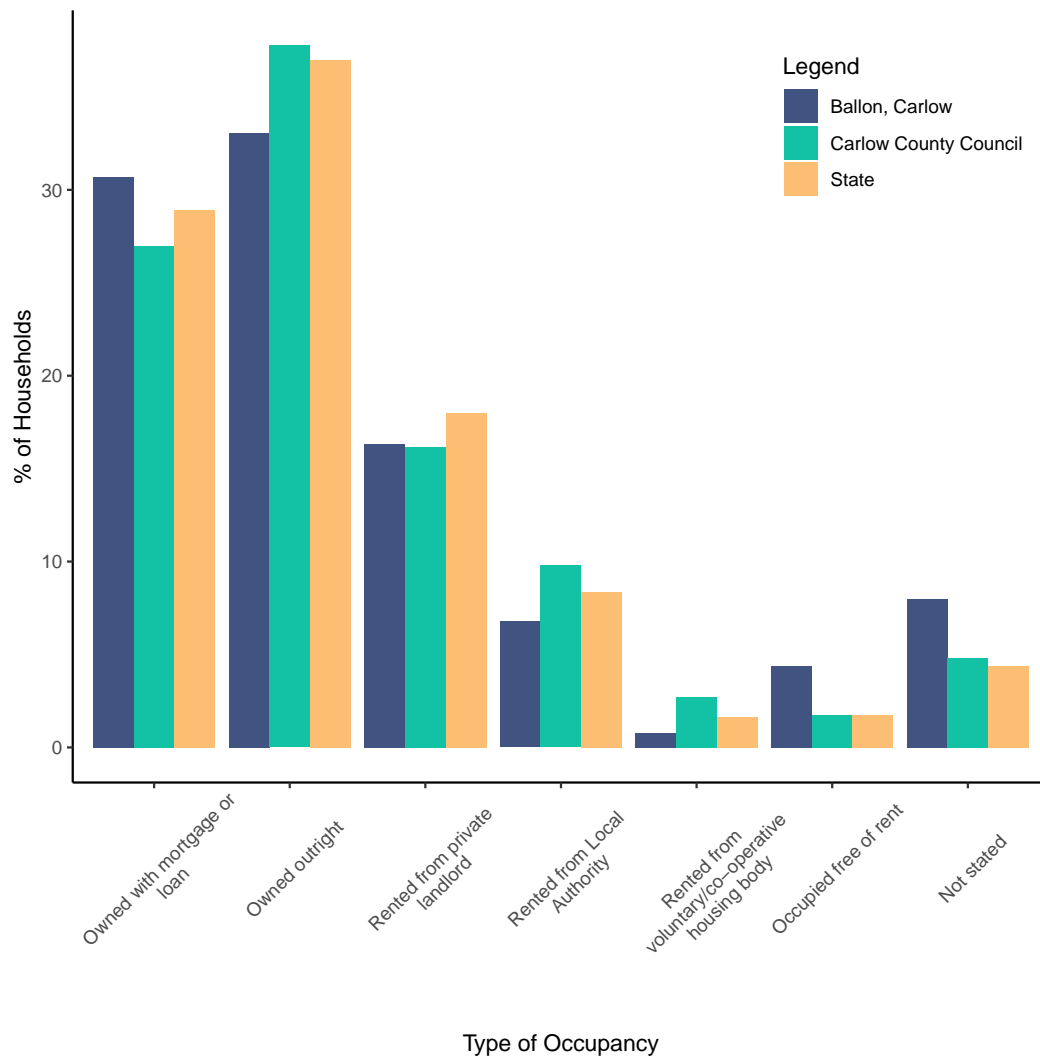


Figure 13: Percentage of Households by Type of Occupancy for Ballon, Carlow, Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

Type of Occupancy	Ballon, Carlow		Carlow County Council	State
	<i>Households</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
Owned with mortgage or loan	77	30.7	27.0	28.9
Owned outright	83	33.1	37.8	37.0
Rented from private landlord	41	16.3	16.2	18.0
Rented from Local Authority	17	6.8	9.8	8.3
Rented from voluntary/co-operative housing body	2	0.8	2.7	1.6
Occupied free of rent	11	4.4	1.7	1.7
Not stated	20	8.0	4.8	4.4
Total	251	100.0	100.0	100.0

<https://data.cso.ie/table/SAP2022T6T3ED>

Table 12: Percentage of Households by Type of Occupancy for Ballon, Carlow; Census 2022. Percentage breakdowns for Administrative County and State are also provided for comparison purposes.

## 14 Transport

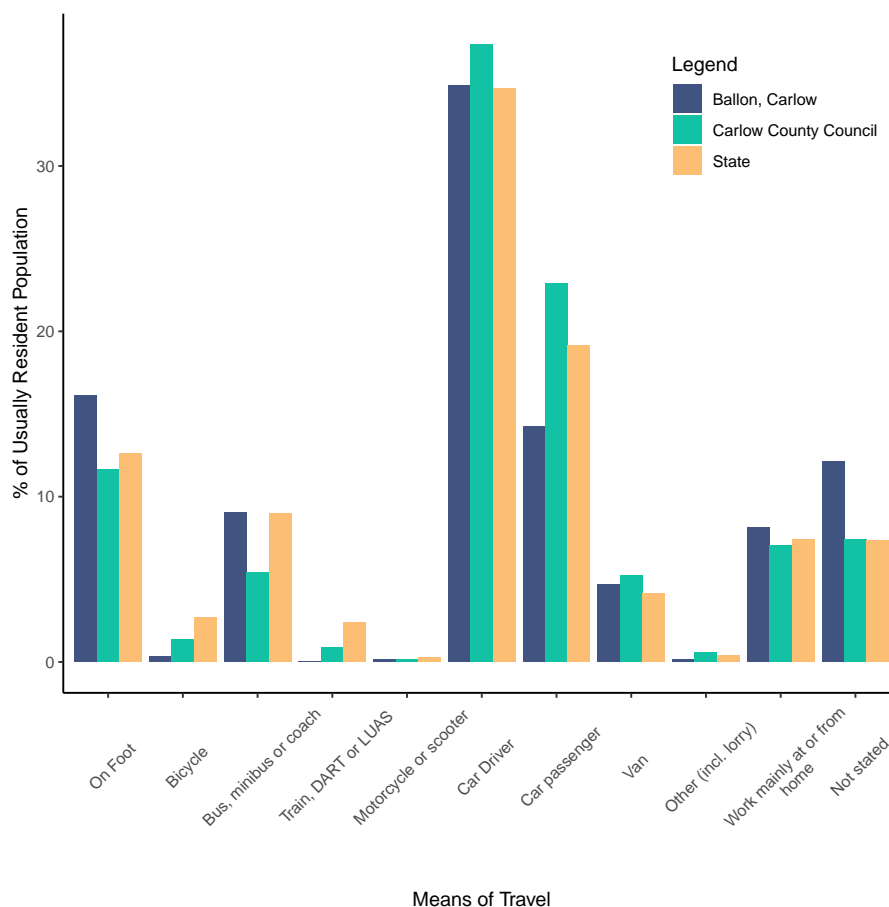


Figure 14: Percentage of Usually Resident Population by Means of Travel to Work, School, College or Childcare for Ballon, Carlow, Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

Means of travel	Ballon, Carlow		Carlow County Council	State
	<i>Persons</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
On Foot	93	16.1	11.7	12.6
Bicycle	2	0.3	1.3	2.7
Bus, minibus or coach	52	9.0	5.4	9.0
Train, DART or LUAS	0	0.0	0.9	2.4
Motorcycle or scooter	1	0.2	0.2	0.3
Car Driver	201	34.9	37.3	34.7
Car passenger	82	14.2	22.9	19.1
Van	27	4.7	5.2	4.1
Other (incl. lorry)	1	0.2	0.6	0.4
Work mainly at or from home	47	8.2	7.0	7.4
Not stated	70	12.2	7.4	7.4
Total	576	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 13: Percentage of Usually Resident Population by Means of Travel to Work, School, College or Childcare for Ballon, Carlow; Census 2022. Percentage breakdowns for Administrative County and State are also provided for comparison purposes.



15 Renewable Energy

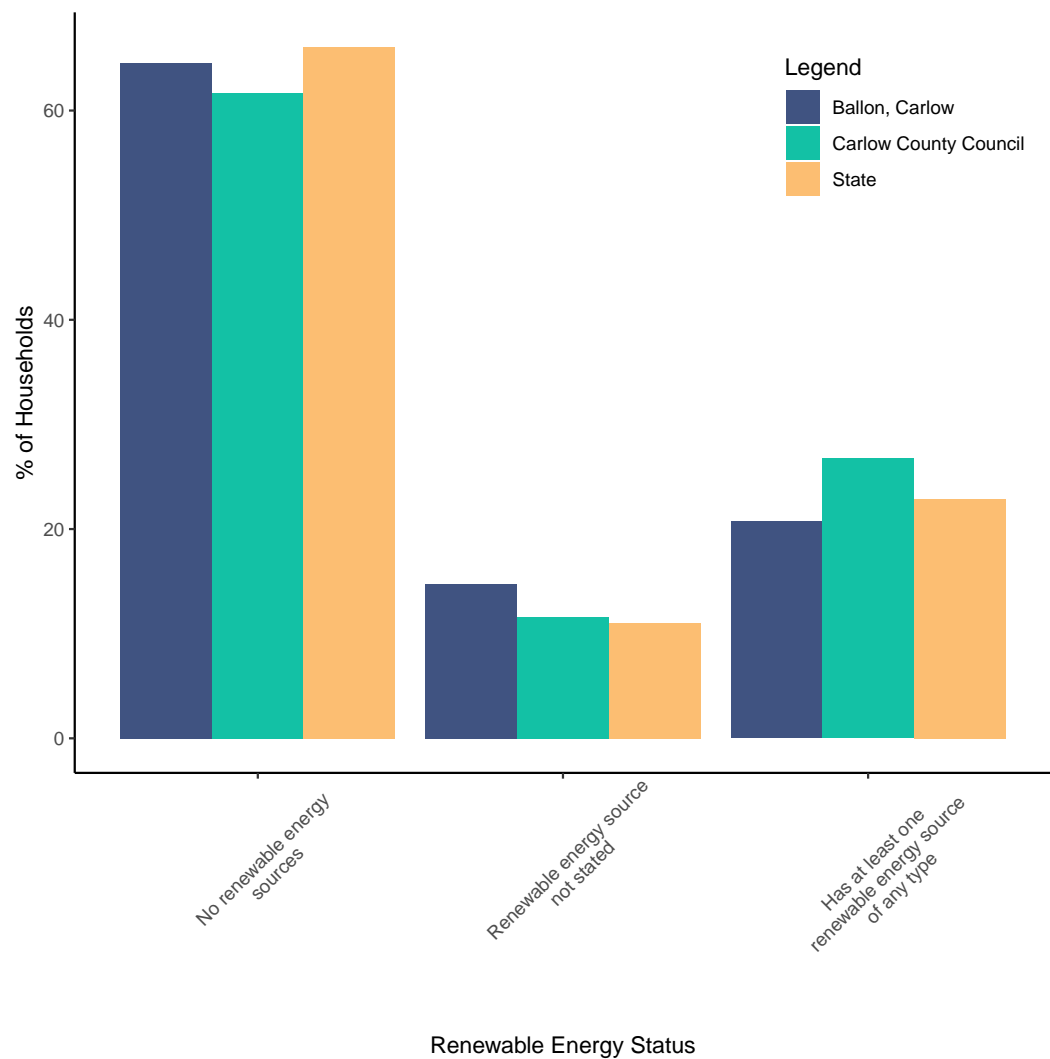


Figure 15: Percentage of Households by Renewable Energy Source for Ballon, Carlow, Administrative County and State; Census 2022.

Renewable Energy Source	Ballon, Carlow		Carlow County Council	State
	Households	%	%	%
No renewable energy sources	162	64.5	61.7	66.1
Renewable energy source not stated	37	14.7	11.6	11.0
Has at least one renewable energy source of any type	52	20.7	26.7	22.9
All households	251	100.0	100.0	100.0

<https://data.cso.ie/table/SAP2022T6T10ED>

Table 14: Percentage of Households by Renewable Energy Source for Ballon, Carlow; Census 2022. Percentage breakdowns for Administrative County and State are also provided for comparison purposes.

## 16 Detailed Tables

	Ballon, Carlow	Carlow Count...	State
<b>Age (Percentage of population (excl. Dependency ratios))</b>			
Age Dependency Ratio	57.3	53.6	53.2
Youth Dependency Ratio	33.9	30.5	30.1
Old Age Dependency Ratio	23.4	23.1	23.1
0-14	21.5	19.7	19.6
15-64	63.6	65.1	65.4
65+	14.9	15	15
<b>Education (Percentage of those aged 15+)</b>			
No formal education	1.6	2.1	2.4
Primary education	7.2	8.7	7.4
Lower secondary	12.8	16.2	13.2
Upper secondary	16.4	18.1	18.1
Technical or vocational qualification	7.8	9.2	7.5
Advanced certificate/Completed apprenticeship	7.4	6.7	5.6
Higher certificate	6.0	6.2	5.5
Ordinary bachelor degree or national diploma	8.8	6.8	8.1
Hns bach. degree, prof. qual. or both	8.6	11.2	13.3
Postgraduate diploma or degree	8.8	7.8	11.2
Doctorate(Ph.D) or higher	0.6	0.7	1.1
<b>Employment (Percentage of those aged 15+)</b>			
At work	56.1	54.0	56.1
Looking for first regular job	0.3	0.9	0.8
short Term Unemployed	1.3	1.6	1.7
Long Term Unemployed	3.2	3.1	2.6
Student	12.1	11.3	11.1
Looking after home/family	6.8	7.7	6.6
Retired	13.6	15.2	15.9
Unable to work - perm. sickness or disability	5.8	5.8	4.6
<b>Employment (Percentage of those at work)</b>			
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	5.2	6.3	3.5
Building and construction	7.5	7.0	5.8
Manufacturing industries	15.9	14.7	11.8
Commerce and trade	19.3	22.4	23.8
Transport and communications	5.2	6.3	9.2
Public administration	4.0	5.6	5.7
Professional services	23.1	22.4	24.5
<b>Social Class (Percentage of population)</b>			
Professional workers	5.2	7.0	9.3
Managerial and technical	26.3	26.3	30.7
Non-manual	16.1	16.2	16.2
Skilled manual	17.4	15.6	12.9
Semi-skilled	11.7	12.8	11.2
Unskilled	2.0	3.9	3.1

	Ballon, Carlow	Carlow Count...	State
<b>Families (Percentage of family units)</b>			
Families without children	25.9	29.3	30.8
Families with 1 child	26.4	28.0	27.1
Families with 2 children	26.4	25.7	25.3
Families with 3 children	16.6	12.6	12.3
Families with 4 children	3.6	3.5	3.5
Families with 5 or more children	1.0	0.9	1.0
Couples with children	54.9	52.2	52.0
Lone parent (mother)	16.1	15.6	14.6
Lone parent (father)	3.1	2.9	2.6
Pre-family families	6.7	7.4	9.3
Empty nest families	9.3	10.1	9.4
Retired families	9.8	11.8	12.0
Per-school families	6.2	7.9	8.1
Early school families	11.4	9.5	9.9
Pre-adolescent families	12.4	12.2	11.9
Adolescent families	19.2	13.6	12.3
Adult families	54.9	27.4	27.0
Families with youngest child aged 0 - 4	18.2	23.4	14.6
Families with youngest child aged 5 - 9	23.8	17.7	18.1
Families with youngest child aged 10 - 14	21.0	17.4	16.9
Families with youngest child aged 15 - 19	14.0	14.0	13.6
Families with youngest child aged 20 and over	23.1	27.4	27.5
<b>Health (Percentage of population)</b>			
Very good general health	47.6	51.3	53.2
Good general health	28.0	30.4	29.7
Fair general health	9.9	9.9	8.6
Bad general health	1.9	1.7	1.4
Very bad general health	0.4	0.4	0.3
Persons who smoke	8.9	14.3	13.1
With a disability (to some or to a great extent)	23.1	23.1	21.5
<b>Household composition (Percentage of Private Households)</b>			
Married couple households	13.1	14.7	14.9
Cohabiting couple households	4.4	4.0	4.3
Married couple with children households	35.9	29.0	29.4
Cohabiting couple with children households	4.0	5.0	4.3
One parent family (father) with children households	2.4	1.7	1.5
One parent family (mother) and children households	11.2	9.2	8.5
Couple and others households	0.8	1.4	1.5
Two or more non-related persons households	6.0	4.7	5.4
1 person households	14.7	22.8	23.1
2 person households	29.1	28.1	29.0
3 person households	19.9	18.5	17.9
4 person households	17.1	17.1	16.9
5 person households	13.5	9.3	8.9
6 person households	3.6	3.2	3.0
7 person households	1.6	0.8	0.8
8 or more person households	0.4	0.4	0.4
<b>Housing (Percentage of permanent dwellings)</b>			
Occupied	91.0	90.7	87.4
Temporarily absent	1.1	1.1	1.6
Unoccupied holiday homes	0.7	1.2	3.2
Other vacant dwellings	7.2	7.0	7.7

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<b>Housing (Percentage of permanent private households)</b>			
Owned with mortgage or loan	30.7	27.0	28.9
Owned outright	33.1	37.8	37.0
Rented from private landlord	16.3	16.2	18.0
Rented from Local Authority	6.8	9.8	8.3
Rented from voluntary/co-operative housing body	0.8	2.7	1.6
Occupied free of rent	4.4	1.7	1.7
1 room	0.4	0.3	0.5
2 rooms	0.8	2.3	3.9
3 rooms	2.8	6.2	8.0
4 rooms	6.8	10.5	11.0
5 rooms	26.7	27.2	23.8
6 rooms	28.7	20.1	19.9
7 rooms	13.5	13.7	14.0
8 or more rooms	13.1	16.0	15.8
No central heating	1.2	1.1	1.2
Public main water supply	86.9	69.3	80.1
Group scheme with public source water supply	5.2	2.3	4.3
Group scheme with private source water supply	0.4	2.3	3.4
Other private source water supply	4.4	24.2	9.9
No water supply	0.0	0.2	0.1
<b>Housing (Percentage of private households)</b>			
House/Bungalow	96.8	92.7	86.7
Flat/Apartment	3.2	6.9	13.0
Bed-Sit	0.0	0.0	0.1
Caravan/Mobile home	0.0	0.3	0.2
Built Pre 1919	11.6	9.3	8.4
Built 1919 - 1945	4.0	5.9	6.2
Built 1946 - 1960	2.8	6.3	7.2
Built 1961 - 1970	2.0	5.4	6.7
Built 1971 - 1980	7.2	10.5	12.2
Built 1981 - 1990	6.8	9.2	10.1
Built 1991 - 2000	9.6	15.9	14.5
Built 2001 - 2010	47.4	27.3	24.5
Built 2011 - 2015	2.8	2.9	2.7
Built 2016 or later	2.4	4.5	5.1
<b>Marital Status (Percentage of population)</b>			
Single	51.8	53.2	53.9
Married (incl. same sex civil partnership)	38.8	37.1	37.1
Separated	2.4	2.5	2.3
Divorced	2.7	3.0	2.6
Widowed	4.3	4.2	4.1
<b>Migration and ethnicity (Percentage of population)</b>			
Speak english not well	0.8	1.7	1.6
Speak english not at all	0.0	0.4	0.3
<b>Occupation (Percentage of those at work or unemployed)</b>			
Managers, directors and senior officials	5.3	6.9	7.7
Professional occupations	17.6	15.4	20.3
Associate professional and technical occupations	8.0	9.9	11.7
Administrative and secretarial occupations	7.5	8.3	9.2
Skilled trades occupations	18.9	16.7	12.6
Caring, leisure and other service occupations	6.7	7.7	7.4
Sales and customer service occupations	5.9	6.5	6.2
Process, plant and machine operatives	7.5	8.2	6.9
Elementary occupations	7.2	9.3	8.2

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<b>Migration and ethnicity (Percentage of usually resident population)</b>			
Ireland - Birthplace	86.3	83.2	80.0
UK - Birthplace	3.9	4.3	5.7
Poland - Birthplace	2.0	3.4	2.1
India - Birthplace	2.2	0.6	1.1
Other EU28 - Birthplace	2.8	4.0	4.4
Rest of world - Birthplace	2.8	4.5	6.7
White Irish	77.0	78.5	76.6
White Irish Traveller	0.1	0.9	0.6
Other White	4.7	9.9	9.9
Black or Black Irish	0.8	1.2	1.5
Asian or Asian Irish	2.5	2.2	3.3
Other ethnic or cultural background	2.0	1.6	2.0
Usual residence 1 year before census day - Outside Ireland	0.9	1.0	1.8
<b>Socio-economic group of ref. person (percentage of private households)</b>			
A Employers and managers	9.6	10.9	12.9
B Higher professional	0.0	1.1	1.5
C Lower professional	3.6	4.5	6.3
D Non-manual	31.5	29.8	34.2
E Manual skilled	13.5	11.1	8.5
F Semi-skilled	8.4	8.8	7.7
G Unskilled	2.8	3.8	3.2
H Own account workers	3.6	3.6	4.0
I Farmers	4.8	4.3	3.1
J Agricultural workers	2.4	1.7	1.2
Z All others gainfully occupied and unknown	19.9	20.3	17.5
<b>Transport (Percentage of population aged 5+)</b>			
No motor car (percentage of households)	5.6	11.3	13.4
<i>Travel to work, school, College or childcare:</i>			
On Foot	16.1	11.7	12.6
By Bicycle	0.3	1.3	2.7
By Bus, minibuss or coach	9.0	5.4	9.0
By Train, DART or LUAS	0.0	0.9	2.4
By Motorcycle or scooter	0.2	0.2	0.3
Car driver	34.9	37.3	34.7
Car passenger	14.2	22.9	19.1
By Van	4.7	5.2	4.1
By Other (incl. lorry)	0.2	0.6	0.4
Work mainly at or from home	8.2	7.0	7.4
Journey time to work, school or college is Under 15 mins	32.6	35.7	29.4
Journey time to work, school or college is 1/4 hour - under 1/2 hour	27.8	25.6	28.1
Journey time to work, school or college is 1/2 hour - under 3/4 hour	12.1	12.9	17.3
Journey time to work, school or college is 3/4 hour - under 1 hour	3.0	4.5	5.9
Journey time to work, school or college is 1 hour - under 1 1/2 hours	5.2	6.8	6.1
Journey time to work, school or college is 1 1/2 hours and over	3.2	3.6	2.5
<b>Other</b>			
Has renewable energy source (percentage of permanent private households)	20.7	26.7	22.9
Volunteers (percentage of population)	15.0	13.5	13.8
No internet connection	6.4	10.6	8.7