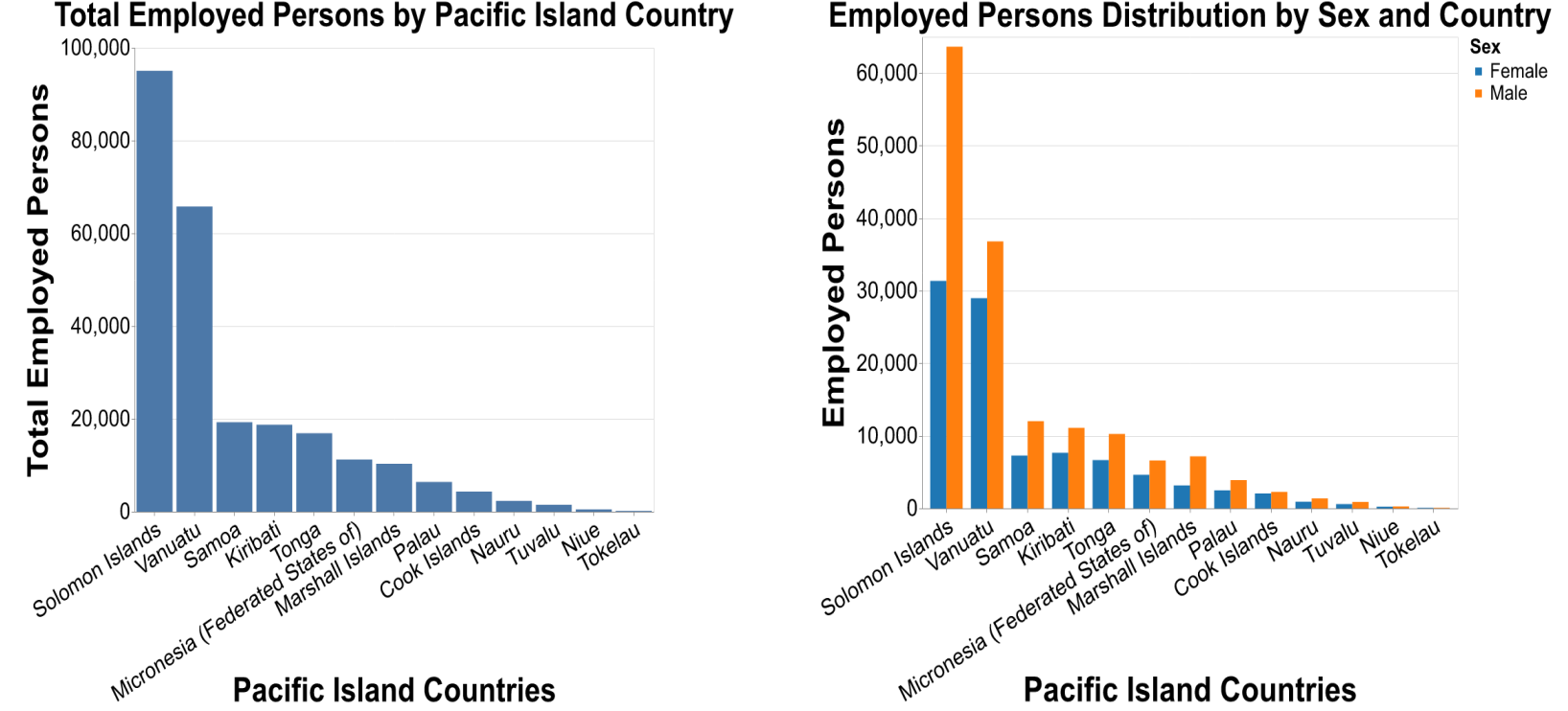


How Do Gender Roles Shape Employment Patterns Across Pacific Island Economies?

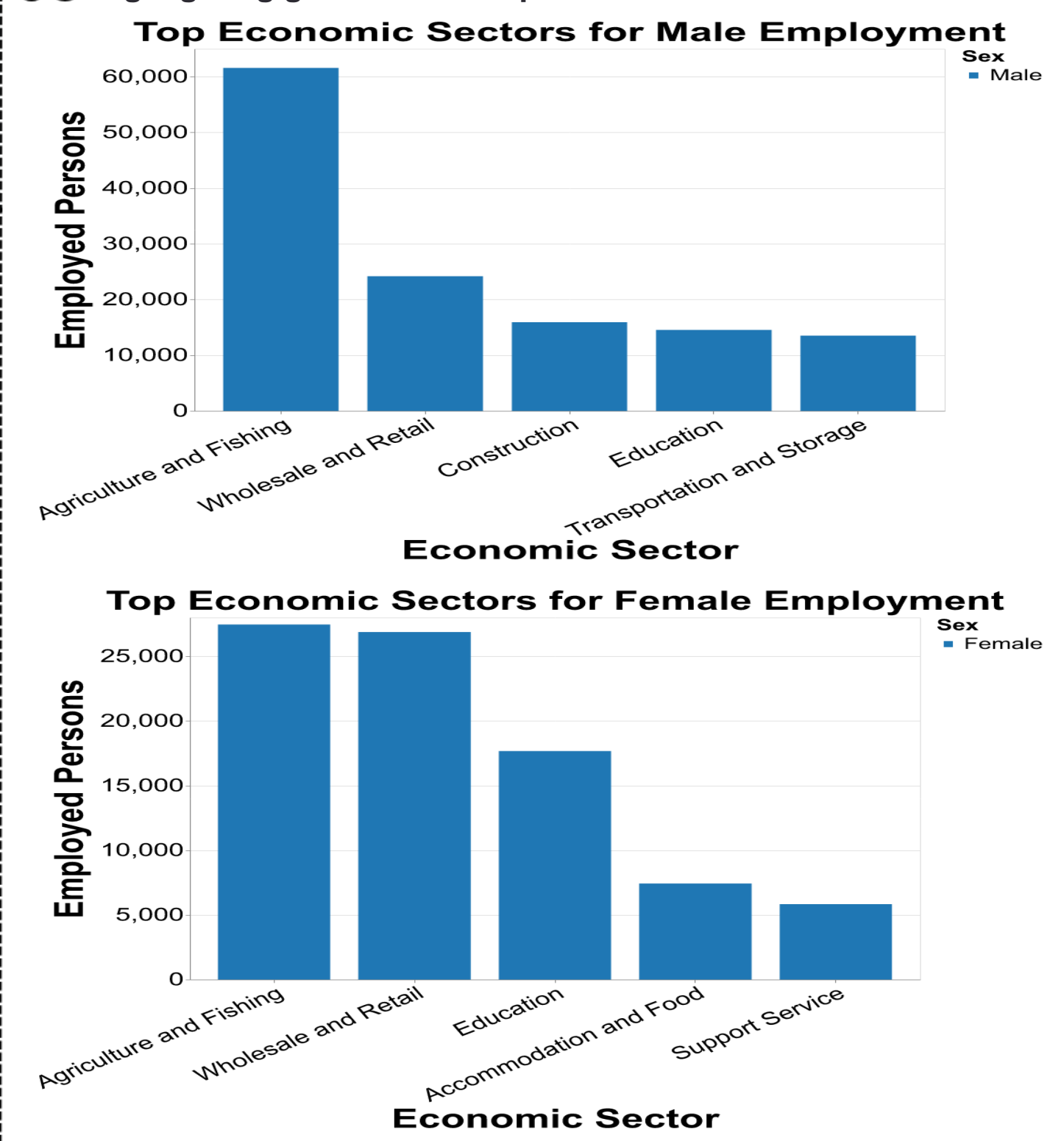
INTRODUCTION

This poster analyzes employment patterns across Pacific Island countries by gender. It presents total employment and gender distribution by country and economic sector. The data highlights gender dominance in specific sectors like agriculture and education. The goal is to understand workforce composition and gender roles in these economies.

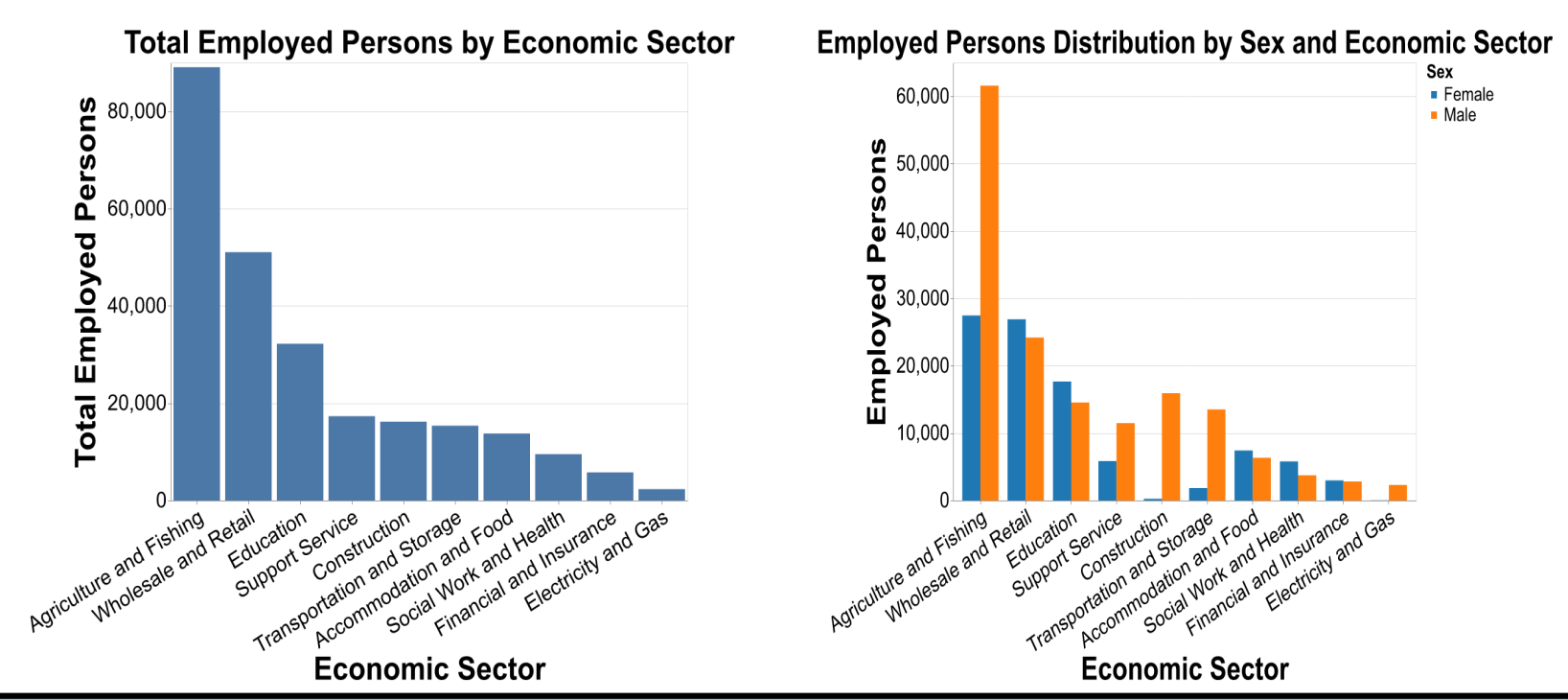
01 Employment totals and gender distribution vary significantly across Pacific Island countries.



03 Males and females dominate different economic sectors, highlighting gendered labor patterns.



02 Economic sectors show diverse employment totals and distinct gender distributions.



CONCLUSION

Employment across Pacific Island countries is unevenly distributed, with Solomon Islands leading in total employment, reflecting population and economic size disparities. The economy heavily depends on agriculture and fishing, underscoring vulnerability to sector-specific shocks. Gender disparities are pronounced: males dominate physically demanding sectors like construction and agriculture, while females prevail in education and social services. This entrenched occupational segregation likely stems from cultural norms and limits economic inclusivity. Addressing these imbalances is crucial for fostering equitable workforce participation and enhancing economic resilience in the region.