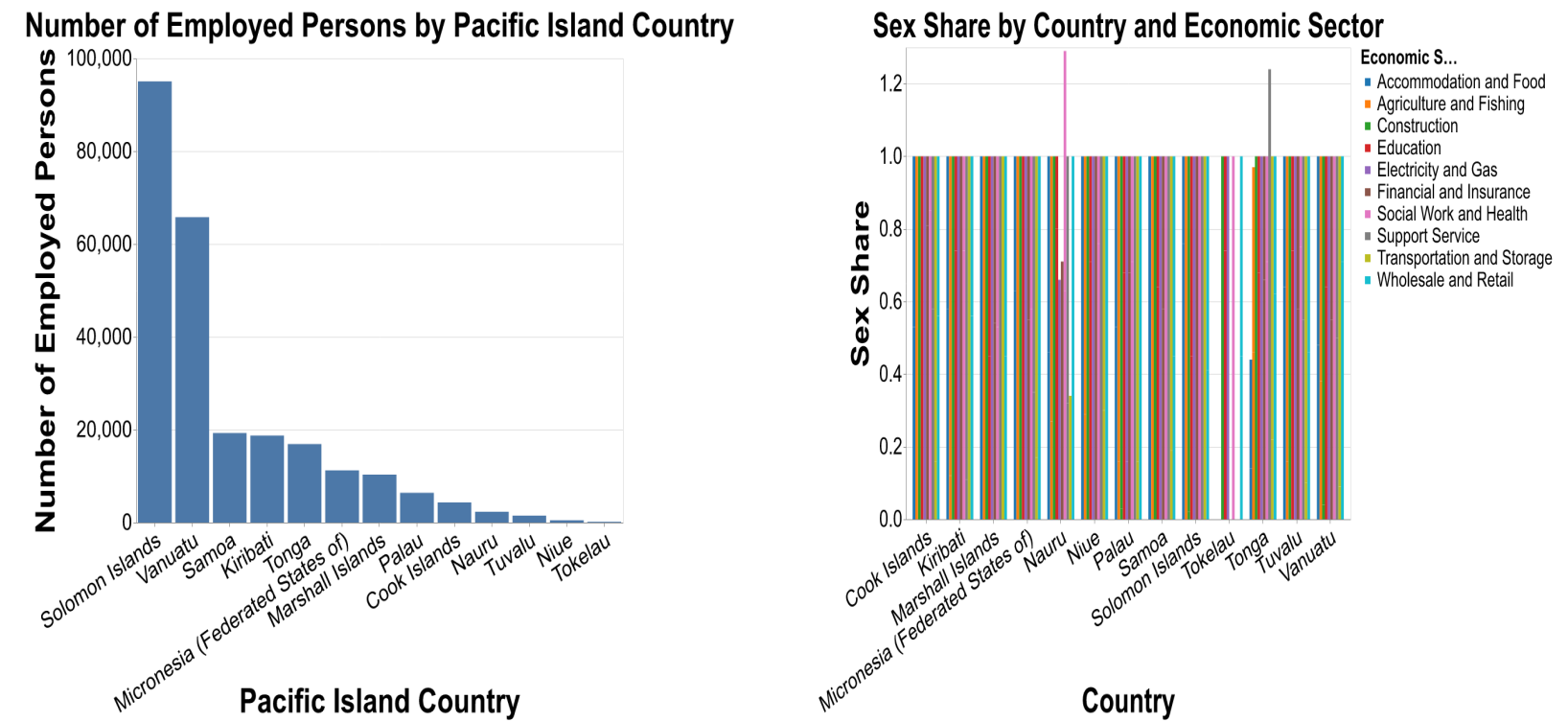


How Do Gender and Sector Shape Employment Patterns Across Pacific Island Nations?

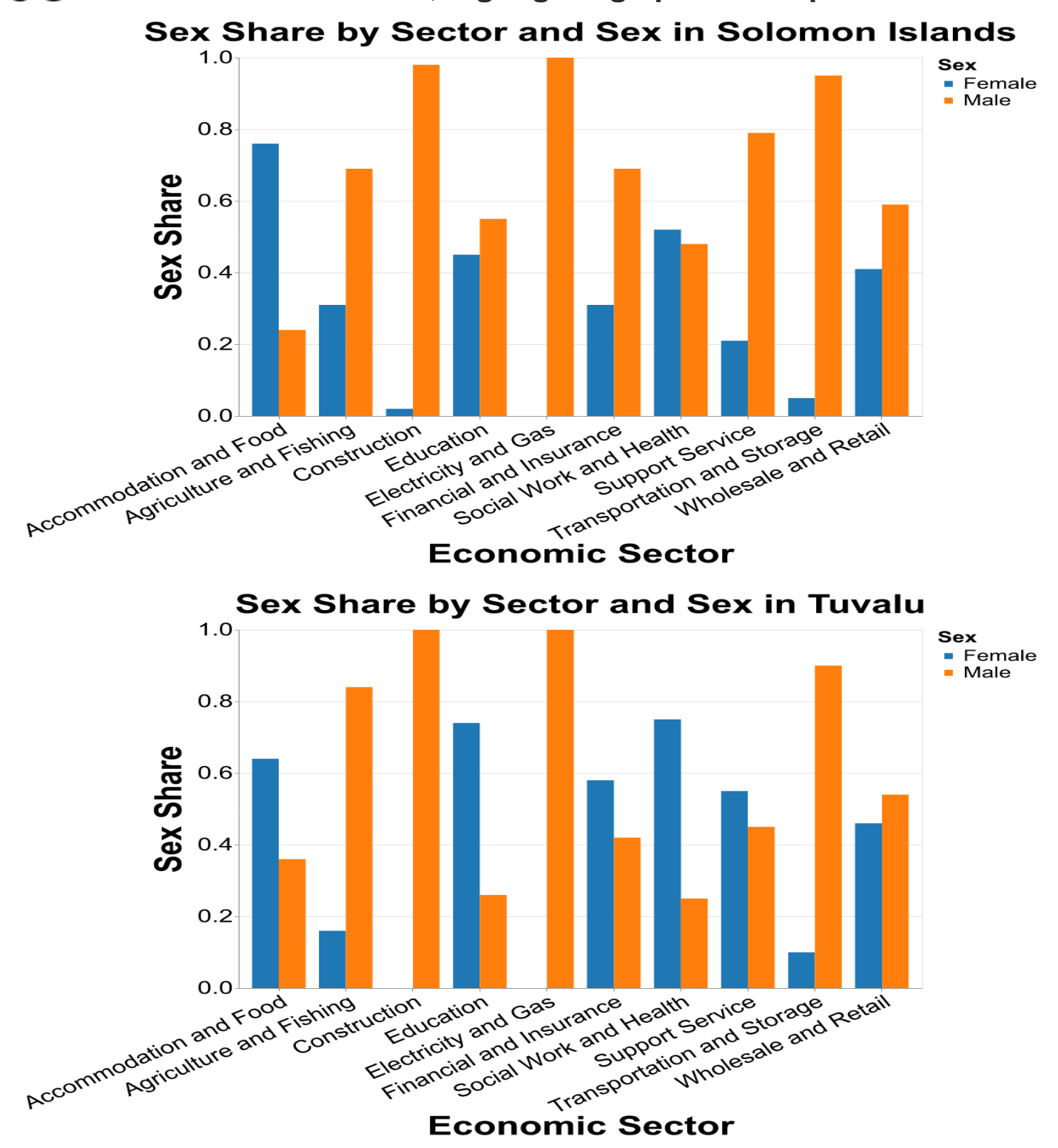
INTRODUCTION

This poster presents employment and gender distribution across Pacific Island countries. It analyzes sectoral employment by sex to reveal workforce patterns. Key sectors in Solomon Islands and Tuvalu highlight gender share differences. The findings aim to inform policies for equitable employment opportunities.

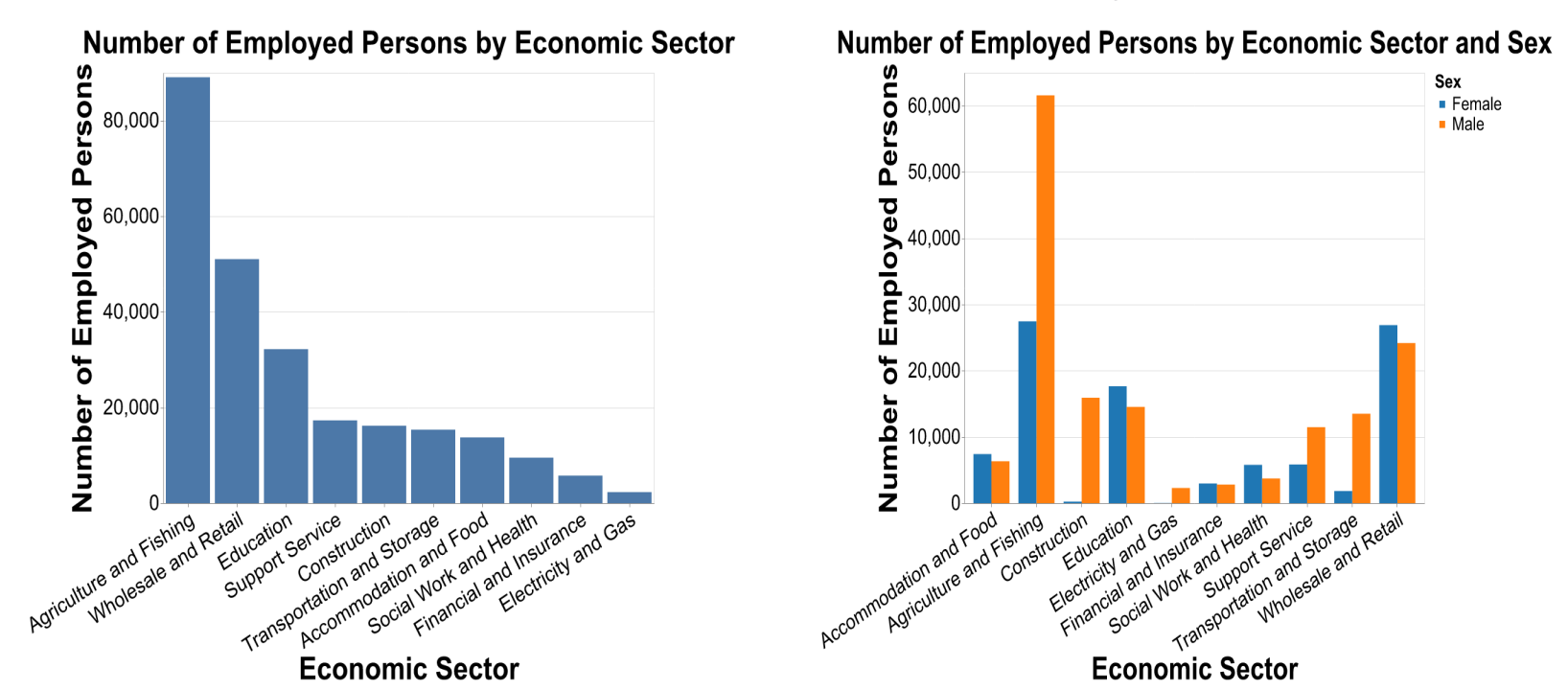
01 Employment numbers and gender distribution vary significantly across Pacific Island countries and economic sectors.



03 Solomon Islands and Tuvalu reveal unique gender shares within their economic sectors, highlighting specific disparities.



02 Economic sectors show distinct employment numbers, with clear differences in the number of men and women employed.



CONCLUSION

Employment across Pacific Island countries is unevenly concentrated, with Solomon Islands and Vanuatu leading in total employment, underscoring economic centralization. Sectoral analysis reveals a heavy reliance on agriculture and fishing, exposing vulnerabilities to environmental and market shifts. Gender disparities are pronounced: males dominate sectors like construction and electricity, while females prevail in health and social work, reflecting entrenched societal roles. Notably, Solomon Islands exhibits low female participation across sectors, whereas Tuvalu shows similar patterns, highlighting persistent barriers. Addressing these imbalances is crucial for fostering inclusive economic growth and resilience in the region.