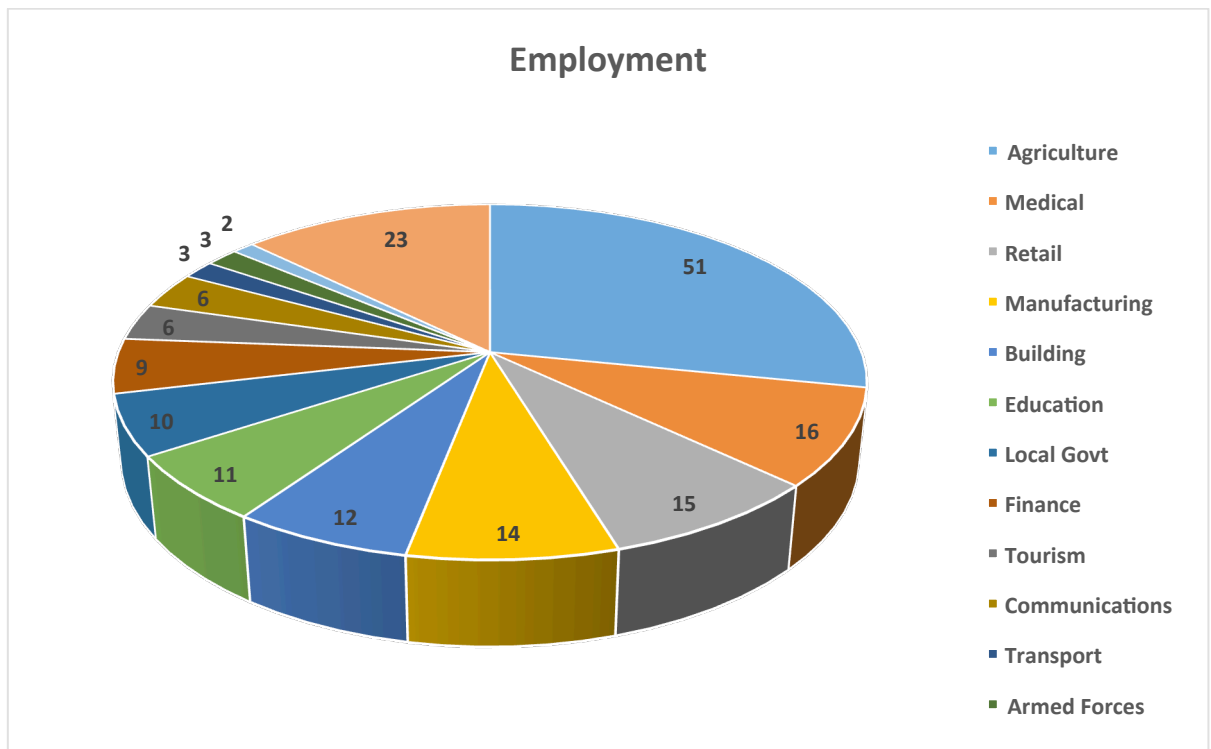


12 EMPLOYMENT

- We asked about type of employment/distance travelled/transport method. No particularly clear picture emerged.
- Car (at 42%) was most common form of transport in our isolated area; 12% walked to work/school.
- Agriculture, unsurprisingly, (51 people) is the most common employment. Retail, Medical, Manufacturing, Local Government, Education, Building were next (10-20 people). Finance, Tourism, Communications, Transport, Armed Forces and the Arts employ 1-10.



- **Local businesses and diversification need to be openly encouraged (*see Business section*)**
- **What can we do to encourage young talent?**
- **Explore available grants**
- **Changes in Government policy might help.**
- **Small scale business units favoured by 38%**
 - **where?**
- **Redundant farm units/Newtown/near A303 suggested**