









**Sub-Theme: Narrowing The Gaps at The Periphery** 









### **SOCIAL ENTERPRISE IN SCOTLAND**

**5,600** social enterprises // **200** new per year (net)

34% in rural areas // 64% led by women

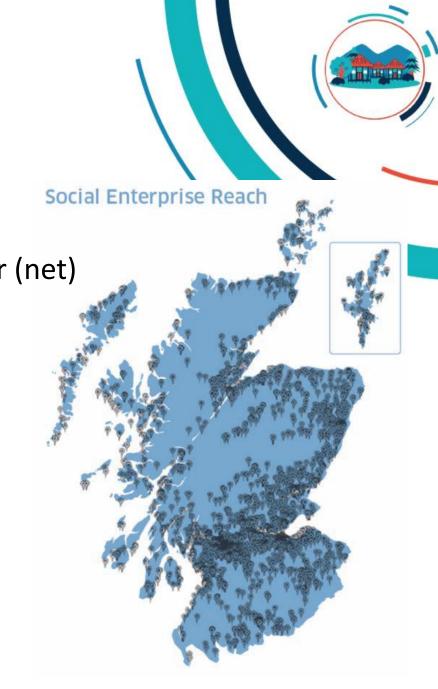
5% workforce // 112,409 employed

3% GDP // £5bn net worth



Source: 2017 Social Enterprise Census

Social Value Lab / Scottish Government









### Need

Recognition in the community of the need for the facility or service

## People

Committed, experienced, skilled people with community interest

# **BEDROCK ELEMENTS**

**KEY ELEMENTS OF SUCCESS** 

# **OPERATIONAL ELEMENTS**

#### Governance

Charitable Community Company operating in a business-like basis within local boundaries to meet community needs

#### **Assets**

Framework of development creating physical, social and human assets

## **Community Backing**

Developed by the right people addressing need to generate general support across the community that will actively back the development.

## Sustainability

Ensuring that the elements of People, Assets and Finance are kept in balance



