

**Table 3.8** Live births, numbers and fertility rates by marital status of parents, type of registration and administrative area, Scotland, 2005

Area	Live births								
	All live births	To married parents	Numbers				All live births per 1,000 women aged 15-44	Percentage of live births	
			Total	To unmarried parents		Sole registration		- to unmarried parents	- registered solely or jointly but with different parental addresses
				Joint registration	Different address				
Same address	Different address								
<b>SCOTLAND</b>	<b>54,386</b>	<b>28,769</b>	<b>25,617</b>	<b>16,692</b>	<b>5,736</b>	<b>3,189</b>	<b>51.5</b>	<b>47.1</b>	<b>16.4</b>
<b>Council areas</b>									
Aberdeen City	2,061	1,086	975	668	195	112	45.3	47.3	14.9
Aberdeenshire	2,465	1,662	803	623	103	77	55.8	32.6	7.3
Angus	1,095	553	542	410	77	55	55.9	49.5	12.1
Argyll & Bute	773	435	338	254	57	27	51.3	43.7	10.9
Clackmannanshire	528	249	279	188	63	28	53.9	52.8	17.2
Dumfries & Galloway	1,407	678	729	508	136	85	54.6	51.8	15.7
Dundee City	1,545	591	954	661	171	122	49.5	61.7	19.0
East Ayrshire	1,258	605	653	407	162	84	52.7	51.9	19.6
East Dunbartonshire	930	649	281	178	73	30	47.0	30.2	11.1
East Lothian	1,054	615	439	312	76	51	61.1	41.7	12.0
East Renfrewshire	898	670	228	147	57	24	52.6	25.4	9.0
Edinburgh, City of	4,691	2,807	1,884	1,287	329	268	41.7	40.2	12.7
Eilean Siar	233	164	69	49	14	6	52.3	29.6	8.6
Falkirk	1,738	959	779	543	155	81	56.1	44.8	13.6
Fife	3,831	1,940	1,891	1,292	362	237	53.1	49.4	15.6
Glasgow City	6,833	3,081	3,752	1,981	1,136	635	48.9	54.9	25.9
Highland	2,233	1,189	1,044	780	143	121	57.7	46.8	11.8
Inverclyde	902	380	522	268	179	75	54.5	57.9	28.2
Midlothian	867	481	386	247	88	51	54.6	44.5	16.0
Moray	878	495	383	287	48	48	56.4	43.6	10.9
North Ayrshire	1,379	617	762	446	216	100	51.1	55.3	22.9
North Lanarkshire	3,834	1,881	1,953	1,221	516	216	55.2	50.9	19.1
Orkney Islands	180	96	84	70	7	7	51.9	46.7	7.8
Perth & Kinross	1,347	790	557	415	82	60	54.2	41.4	10.5
Renfrewshire	1,869	910	959	573	275	111	52.8	51.3	20.7
Scottish Borders	1,047	623	424	318	49	57	53.7	40.5	10.1
Shetland Islands	227	141	86	72	10	4	54.9	37.9	6.2
South Ayrshire	976	484	492	312	121	59	47.7	50.4	18.4
South Lanarkshire	3,322	1,815	1,507	961	393	153	52.9	45.4	16.4
Stirling	873	539	334	228	74	32	48.3	38.3	12.1
West Dunbartonshire	1,000	416	584	340	170	74	51.7	58.4	24.4
West Lothian	2,112	1,168	944	646	199	99	59.3	44.7	14.1
<b>NHS Board areas</b>									
Argyll & Clyde	4,296	2,081	2,215	1,333	628	254	52.6	51.6	20.5
Greater Glasgow Part	3,523	1,646	1,877	1,079	571	227	52.9	53.3	22.7
Highland Part	773	435	338	254	57	27	51.3	43.7	10.9
Ayrshire & Arran	3,613	1,706	1,907	1,165	499	243	50.7	52.8	20.5
Borders	1,047	623	424	318	49	57	53.7	40.5	10.1
Dumfries & Galloway	1,407	678	729	508	136	85	54.6	51.8	15.7
Fife	3,831	1,940	1,891	1,292	362	237	53.1	49.4	15.6
Forth Valley	3,136	1,745	1,391	958	292	141	53.3	44.4	13.8
Grampian	5,404	3,243	2,161	1,578	346	237	51.3	40.0	10.8
Greater Glasgow	9,787	4,943	4,844	2,647	1,424	773	49.7	49.5	22.4
Highland	2,233	1,189	1,044	780	143	121	57.7	46.8	11.8
Lanarkshire	6,283	3,216	3,067	1,945	804	318	53.8	48.8	17.9
Lothian	8,723	5,071	3,652	2,491	692	469	48.1	41.9	13.3
Orkney	180	96	84	70	7	7	51.9	46.7	7.8
Shetland	227	141	86	72	10	4	54.9	37.9	6.2
Tayside	3,986	1,933	2,053	1,486	330	237	52.7	51.5	14.2
Western Isles	233	164	69	49	14	6	52.3	29.6	8.6