

Table P1(a): Population and vital events, Scotland, annual averages 1855-60 to 2006-10

| Year | Estimated population ('000s) | | | Live births | | | | | | | Multiple births ¹ | | | Adoptions |
|-----------|------------------------------|---------|---------|-------------|-------------------|--------|---------|-------------------------|----------------------|------|------------------------------|---------------|------------------|-----------|
| | Both sexes | Males | Females | Both sexes | Rate ³ | Males | Females | Males per 1,000 females | To unmarried parents | | Twins | Triplets etc. | % of maternities | Number |
| | | | | | | | | | Number | % | | | | |
| 1855-60 | 3,018.4 | 1,433.3 | 1,585.1 | 102,462 | 34.1 | 52,655 | 49,807 | 1,057 | 8,953 | 8.7 | 1,282 | 16 | 1.26 | ... |
| 1861-65 | 3,127.1 | 1,483.2 | 1,644.0 | 109,764 | 35.1 | 56,336 | 53,428 | 1,054 | 10,742 | 9.8 | 1,298 | 13 | 1.21 | ... |
| 1866-70 | 3,275.6 | 1,559.6 | 1,716.0 | 114,394 | 34.9 | 58,676 | 55,718 | 1,053 | 11,270 | 9.9 | 1,393 | 13 | 1.24 | ... |
| 1871-75 | 3,441.4 | 1,645.6 | 1,795.8 | 120,376 | 35.0 | 61,964 | 58,412 | 1,061 | 10,941 | 9.1 | 1,416 | 13 | 1.20 | ... |
| 1876-80 | 3,628.7 | 1,743.5 | 1,885.2 | 126,086 | 34.8 | 64,648 | 61,438 | 1,052 | 10,711 | 8.5 | 1,430 | 14 | 1.16 | ... |
| 1881-85 | 3,799.2 | 1,830.9 | 1,968.3 | 126,409 | 33.3 | 64,805 | 61,604 | 1,052 | 10,453 | 8.3 | 1,417 | 14 | 1.15 | ... |
| 1886-90 | 3,943.9 | 1,902.3 | 2,041.6 | 123,977 | 31.4 | 63,674 | 60,303 | 1,056 | 9,973 | 8.0 | 1,378 | 13 | 1.13 | ... |
| 1891-95 | 4,122.5 | 1,992.7 | 2,129.8 | 125,800 | 30.5 | 64,558 | 61,242 | 1,054 | 9,326 | 7.4 | 1,420 | 13 | 1.15 | ... |
| 1896-1900 | 4,345.1 | 2,107.9 | 2,237.2 | 130,209 | 30.0 | 66,554 | 63,655 | 1,046 | 8,870 | 6.8 | 1,465 | 16 | 1.15 | ... |
| 1901-05 | 4,535.7 | 2,203.5 | 2,332.2 | 132,399 | 29.2 | 67,565 | 64,834 | 1,042 | 8,609 | 6.5 | 1,599 | 17 | 1.24 | ... |
| 1906-10 | 4,679.9 | 2,271.0 | 2,408.9 | 128,987 | 27.6 | 65,811 | 63,176 | 1,042 | 9,125 | 7.1 | 1,609 | 14 | 1.27 | ... |
| 1911-15 | 4,748.3 | 2,301.3 | 2,447.0 | 120,654 | 25.4 | 61,607 | 59,047 | 1,043 | 8,698 | 7.2 | 1,538 | 15 | 1.30 | ... |
| 1916-20 | 4,823.8 | 2,318.7 | 2,505.1 | 109,750 | 22.8 | 56,269 | 53,481 | 1,052 | 8,315 | 7.6 | 1,491 | 10 | 1.39 | ... |
| 1921-25 | 4,879.6 | 2,344.3 | 2,535.3 | 112,245 | 23.0 | 57,516 | 54,729 | 1,051 | 7,606 | 6.8 | 1,459 | 10 | 1.33 | ... |
| 1926-30 | 4,845.1 | 2,323.5 | 2,521.6 | 96,674 | 20.0 | 49,419 | 47,255 | 1,046 | 7,059 | 7.3 | 1,228 | 11 | 1.30 | ... |
| 1931-35 | 4,905.1 | 2,359.6 | 2,545.5 | 89,306 | 18.2 | 45,739 | 43,567 | 1,050 | 6,195 | 6.9 | 1,076 | 12 | 1.23 | 512 |
| 1936-40 | 4,956.8 | 2,365.2 | 2,591.5 | 87,734 | 17.6 | 44,945 | 42,789 | 1,050 | 5,397 | 6.2 | 1,118 | 8 | 1.28 | 972 |
| 1941-45 | 4,711.9 | 2,086.8 | 2,625.1 | 91,593 | 19.4 | 47,055 | 44,538 | 1,056 | 6,964 | 7.6 | 1,263 | 15 | 1.36 | 1,618 |
| 1946-50 | 5,054.3 | 2,409.3 | 2,644.9 | 101,222 | 20.0 | 52,146 | 49,076 | 1,063 | 5,819 | 5.7 | 1,413 | 17 | 1.39 | 1,862 |
| 1951-55 | 5,103.6 | 2,437.8 | 2,665.8 | 91,366 | 17.9 | 46,952 | 44,414 | 1,057 | 4,259 | 4.7 | 1,272 | 12 | 1.39 | 1,453 |
| 1956-60 | 5,145.2 | 2,461.6 | 2,683.6 | 98,663 | 19.2 | 50,677 | 47,986 | 1,056 | 4,140 | 4.2 | 1,291 | 11 | 1.31 | 1,364 |
| 1961-65 | 5,201.0 | 2,496.4 | 2,704.5 | 102,642 | 19.7 | 52,862 | 49,780 | 1,062 | 5,304 | 5.2 | 1,219 | 12 | 1.19 | 1,775 |
| 1966-70 | 5,204.3 | 2,500.0 | 2,704.2 | 93,033 | 17.9 | 47,996 | 45,037 | 1,066 | 6,653 | 7.2 | 983 | 10 | 1.06 | 2,129 |
| 1971-75 | 5,234.7 | 2,516.0 | 2,718.7 | 75,541 | 14.4 | 38,838 | 36,703 | 1,058 | 6,575 | 8.7 | 751 | 6 | 0.99 | 1,768 |
| 1976-80 | 5,213.9 | 2,509.3 | 2,704.5 | 65,758 | 12.6 | 33,860 | 31,898 | 1,061 | 6,587 | 10.0 | 614 | 6 | 0.94 | 1,423 |
| 1981-85 | 5,151.9 | 2,481.1 | 2,670.8 | 66,422 | 12.9 | 34,023 | 32,399 | 1,050 | 10,085 | 15.2 | 647 | 7 | 0.99 | 1,080 |
| 1986-90 | 5,089.5 | 2,449.8 | 2,639.7 | 65,544 | 12.9 | 33,661 | 31,882 | 1,056 | 15,849 | 24.2 | 711 | 12 | 1.11 | 932 |
| 1991-95 | 5,093.5 | 2,449.0 | 2,644.5 | 63,571 | 12.5 | 32,491 | 31,081 | 1,045 | 19,762 | 31.1 | 778 | 20 | 1.26 | 749 |
| 1996-2000 | 5,077.5 | 2,439.4 | 2,638.1 | 56,856 | 11.2 | 29,195 | 27,660 | 1,055 | 22,283 | 39.2 | 775 | 20 | 1.41 | 483 |
| 2001-05 | 5,078.6 | 2,443.1 | 2,635.6 | 52,914 | 10.4 | 27,152 | 25,762 | 1,054 | 23,995 | 45.3 | 786 | 10 | 1.52 | 431 |
| 2006-10 | 5,200.0 | 2,513.4 | 2,686.6 | 58,270 | 11.2 | 29,755 | 28,515 | 1,043 | 28,851 | 49.5 | 907 | 11 | 1.59 | 440 |

Footnotes

1) Live births only, prior to 1939. The 'Multiple births' columns show the number of multiple birth events rather than the number of babies born. The 'live births' columns show the number of babies.

3) Rate per 1,000 population.

Table P1(a) (continued)

| Stillbirths ² | | Infant deaths | | Deaths | | | | | | Marriages | | Civil Partnerships ⁶ | | Year |
|--------------------------|-------------------|---------------|-------------------|------------|-------------------|--------|-------------------|---------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|---------------------------------|--------|-----------|
| Number | Rate ⁴ | Number | Rate ⁵ | Both sexes | | Males | | Females | | Number | Rate ³ | Male | Female | |
| | | | | Number | Rate ³ | Number | Rate ³ | Number | Rate ³ | | | | | |
| ... | ... | 12,250 | 119.6 | 62,644 | 20.8 | 31,139 | 21.7 | 31,505 | 19.8 | 20,645 | 6.8 | ... | ... | 1855-60 |
| ... | ... | 13,166 | 119.9 | 69,265 | 22.1 | 34,380 | 23.2 | 34,885 | 21.2 | 22,013 | 7.0 | ... | ... | 1861-65 |
| ... | ... | 13,971 | 122.1 | 71,974 | 22.0 | 35,823 | 23.0 | 36,151 | 21.1 | 22,832 | 7.0 | ... | ... | 1866-70 |
| ... | ... | 15,314 | 127.2 | 77,988 | 22.7 | 38,961 | 23.7 | 39,027 | 21.7 | 25,754 | 7.5 | ... | ... | 1871-75 |
| ... | ... | 14,921 | 118.3 | 74,801 | 20.6 | 37,463 | 21.5 | 37,338 | 19.8 | 24,956 | 6.9 | ... | ... | 1876-80 |
| ... | ... | 14,864 | 117.6 | 74,396 | 19.6 | 37,041 | 20.2 | 37,355 | 19.0 | 26,176 | 6.9 | ... | ... | 1881-85 |
| ... | ... | 14,943 | 120.5 | 74,320 | 18.8 | 36,729 | 19.3 | 37,591 | 18.4 | 25,702 | 6.5 | ... | ... | 1886-90 |
| ... | ... | 15,895 | 126.4 | 78,350 | 19.0 | 38,797 | 19.5 | 39,553 | 18.6 | 27,962 | 6.8 | ... | ... | 1891-95 |
| ... | ... | 16,857 | 129.5 | 78,021 | 17.9 | 39,070 | 18.5 | 38,951 | 17.4 | 31,771 | 7.3 | ... | ... | 1896-1900 |
| ... | ... | 15,881 | 119.9 | 77,313 | 17.1 | 38,716 | 17.6 | 38,597 | 16.6 | 31,838 | 7.0 | ... | ... | 1901-05 |
| ... | ... | 14,501 | 112.4 | 75,534 | 16.1 | 37,596 | 16.6 | 37,938 | 15.8 | 31,811 | 6.8 | ... | ... | 1906-10 |
| ... | ... | 13,604 | 112.8 | 74,466 | 15.7 | 37,253 | 16.2 | 37,213 | 15.2 | 33,857 | 7.1 | ... | ... | 1911-15 |
| ... | ... | 10,869 | 99.0 | 72,365 | 15.0 | 36,455 | 15.7 | 35,910 | 14.3 | 37,437 | 7.8 | ... | ... | 1916-20 |
| ... | ... | 10,299 | 91.8 | 67,652 | 13.9 | 33,843 | 14.4 | 33,809 | 13.3 | 34,720 | 7.1 | ... | ... | 1921-25 |
| ... | ... | 8,260 | 85.4 | 66,017 | 13.6 | 33,106 | 14.3 | 32,911 | 13.1 | 32,605 | 6.7 | ... | ... | 1926-30 |
| ... | ... | 7,212 | 80.8 | 64,839 | 13.2 | 32,498 | 13.8 | 32,341 | 12.7 | 34,986 | 7.1 | ... | ... | 1931-35 |
| ... | ... | 6,650 | 75.8 | 67,166 | 13.5 | 34,259 | 14.4 | 32,907 | 12.7 | 42,941 | 8.6 | ... | ... | 1936-40 |
| 3,393 | 35.7 | 6,202 | 67.7 | 66,302 | 13.8 | 34,230 | 15.7 | 32,072 | 12.2 | 43,772 | 8.5 | ... | ... | 1941-45 |
| 3,047 | 29.2 | 4,789 | 47.3 | 63,854 | 12.6 | 32,281 | 13.4 | 31,573 | 11.9 | 43,206 | 8.5 | ... | ... | 1946-50 |
| 2,390 | 25.5 | 3,009 | 32.9 | 61,838 | 12.1 | 31,533 | 12.9 | 30,305 | 11.4 | 41,718 | 8.2 | ... | ... | 1951-55 |
| 2,307 | 22.9 | 2,755 | 27.9 | 61,965 | 12.0 | 31,835 | 12.9 | 30,130 | 11.2 | 41,671 | 8.1 | ... | ... | 1956-60 |
| 2,000 | 19.1 | 2,568 | 25.0 | 63,309 | 12.2 | 32,786 | 13.1 | 30,523 | 11.3 | 40,235 | 7.7 | ... | ... | 1961-65 |
| 1,415 | 15.0 | 1,970 | 21.2 | 62,797 | 12.1 | 32,069 | 12.8 | 30,728 | 11.4 | 42,832 | 8.2 | ... | ... | 1966-70 |
| 939 | 12.3 | 1,421 | 18.8 | 63,808 | 12.2 | 32,529 | 12.9 | 31,279 | 11.5 | 41,404 | 7.9 | ... | ... | 1971-75 |
| 529 | 8.0 | 900 | 13.7 | 64,343 | 12.3 | 32,250 | 12.9 | 32,094 | 11.9 | 37,801 | 7.3 | ... | ... | 1976-80 |
| 389 | 5.8 | 695 | 10.5 | 63,723 | 12.4 | 31,315 | 12.6 | 32,408 | 12.1 | 35,756 | 6.9 | ... | ... | 1981-85 |
| 350 | 5.3 | 550 | 8.4 | 62,796 | 12.3 | 30,466 | 12.4 | 32,330 | 12.2 | 35,440 | 7.0 | ... | ... | 1986-90 |
| 382 | 6.0 | 418 | 6.6 | 61,171 | 12.0 | 29,271 | 12.0 | 31,900 | 12.1 | 32,866 | 6.5 | ... | ... | 1991-95 |
| 327 | 5.7 | 316 | 5.6 | 59,478 | 11.7 | 28,352 | 11.6 | 31,126 | 11.8 | 29,965 | 5.9 | ... | ... | 1996-2000 |
| 297 | 5.6 | 275 | 5.2 | 57,178 | 11.3 | 27,239 | 11.1 | 29,939 | 11.4 | 30,648 | 6.0 | ... | ... | 2001-05 |
| 311 | 5.3 | 245 | 4.2 | 54,920 | 10.6 | 26,288 | 10.5 | 28,632 | 10.7 | 28,934 | 5.6 | 316 | 329 | 2006-10 |

Footnotes

2) The Still-Birth (Definition) Act 1992 re-defined stillbirths, from 1 October 1992, to include losses between 24 and 27 weeks gestation.

3) Rate per 1,000 population.

4) Rate per 1,000 live and still births.

5) Rate per 1,000 live births.

6) The Civil Partnership Act 2004 came into effect in December 2005 so an annual average for 2001-05 would not be meaning