

Table P1(b): Population and vital events, Scotland, 1971 to 2015

Year	Estimated population ('000s)			Live births							Multiple births ¹		
	Both sexes	Males	Females	Both sexes	Rate ³	Males	Females	Males per 1,000 females	To unmarried parents		Twins	Triplets etc.	% of maternities
									Number	%			
1971	5,235.6	2,515.7	2,719.9	86,728	16.6	44,467	42,261	1,052	7,029	8.1	903	4	1.04
1972	5,230.6	2,513.3	2,717.3	78,550	15.0	40,280	38,270	1,053	6,661	8.5	801	9	1.03
1973	5,233.9	2,515.4	2,718.5	74,392	14.2	38,601	35,791	1,079	6,520	8.8	747	9	1.08
1974	5,240.8	2,519.3	2,721.5	70,093	13.4	35,824	34,269	1,045	6,349	9.1	677	5	0.98
1975	5,232.4	2,516.3	2,716.1	67,943	13.0	35,017	32,926	1,064	6,314	9.3	625	3	0.92
1976	5,233.4	2,517.3	2,716.1	64,895	12.4	33,501	31,394	1,067	6,025	9.3	595	8	0.93
1977	5,226.2	2,514.8	2,711.4	62,342	11.9	31,993	30,349	1,054	5,968	9.6	589	3	1.00
1978	5,212.3	2,508.7	2,703.6	64,295	12.3	33,059	31,236	1,058	6,304	9.8	589	7	0.93
1979	5,203.6	2,505.0	2,698.6	68,366	13.1	35,351	33,015	1,071	6,960	10.2	638	7	0.95
1980	5,193.9	2,500.9	2,693.0	68,892	13.3	35,395	33,497	1,057	7,678	11.1	658	4	1.02
1981	5,180.2	2,494.9	2,685.3	69,054	13.3	35,283	33,771	1,045	8,447	12.2	611	7	0.90
1982	5,164.5	2,487.3	2,677.2	66,196	12.8	33,911	32,285	1,050	9,395	14.2	603	7	0.92
1983	5,148.1	2,479.1	2,669.0	65,078	12.6	33,656	31,422	1,071	9,581	14.7	676	3	1.05
1984	5,138.9	2,474.6	2,664.3	65,106	12.7	33,144	31,962	1,037	10,640	16.3	665	10	1.04
1985	5,127.9	2,469.5	2,658.4	66,676	13.0	34,120	32,556	1,048	12,362	18.5	682	9	1.04
1986	5,111.8	2,462.3	2,649.4	65,812	12.9	33,874	31,938	1,061	13,547	20.6	721	10	1.12
1987	5,099.0	2,455.4	2,643.6	66,241	13.0	33,970	32,271	1,053	15,125	22.8	721	10	1.11
1988	5,077.4	2,444.3	2,633.1	66,212	13.0	34,060	32,152	1,059	16,224	24.5	706	10	1.09
1989	5,078.2	2,443.2	2,635.0	63,480	12.5	32,504	30,976	1,049	16,476	26.0	677	15	1.10
1990	5,081.3	2,443.9	2,637.4	65,973	13.0	33,898	32,075	1,057	17,873	27.1	731	17	1.14
1991	5,083.3	2,444.5	2,638.8	67,024	13.2	34,419	32,605	1,056	19,517	29.1	709	26	1.10
1992	5,085.6	2,445.3	2,640.3	65,789	12.9	33,610	32,179	1,044	19,950	30.3	808	15	1.26
1993	5,092.5	2,448.4	2,644.0	63,337	12.4	32,374	30,963	1,046	19,855	31.3	780	10	1.26
1994	5,102.2	2,453.3	2,648.9	61,656	12.1	31,399	30,257	1,038	19,224	31.2	778	17	1.30
1995	5,103.7	2,453.4	2,650.3	60,051	11.8	30,652	29,399	1,043	20,266	33.7	816	30	1.42
1996	5,092.2	2,447.0	2,645.2	59,296	11.6	30,523	28,773	1,061	21,360	36.0	800	29	1.41
1997	5,083.3	2,442.3	2,641.0	59,440	11.7	30,516	28,924	1,055	22,388	37.7	791	21	1.38
1998	5,077.1	2,439.0	2,638.1	57,319	11.3	29,496	27,823	1,060	22,319	38.9	810	20	1.46
1999	5,072.0	2,436.5	2,635.4	55,147	10.9	28,246	26,901	1,050	22,722	41.2	738	12	1.37
2000	5,062.9	2,431.9	2,631.0	53,076	10.5	27,196	25,880	1,051	22,625	42.6	737	19	1.44
2001	5,064.2	2,433.7	2,630.5	52,527	10.4	26,786	25,741	1,041	22,760	43.3	776	16	1.52
2002	5,066.0	2,435.6	2,630.4	51,270	10.1	26,218	25,052	1,047	22,534	44.0	742	10	1.48
2003	5,068.5	2,438.1	2,630.4	52,432	10.3	26,906	25,526	1,054	23,864	45.5	810	8	1.58
2004	5,084.3	2,446.6	2,637.7	53,957	10.6	27,769	26,188	1,060	25,202	46.7	757	8	1.43
2005	5,110.2	2,461.3	2,648.9	54,386	10.6	28,083	26,303	1,068	25,617	47.1	843	8	1.58
2006	5,133.1	2,475.1	2,658.0	55,690	10.8	28,473	27,217	1,046	26,584	47.7	858	10	1.58
2007	5,170.0	2,496.6	2,673.4	57,781	11.2	29,694	28,087	1,057	28,377	49.1	882	11	1.56
2008	5,202.9	2,515.3	2,687.6	60,041	11.5	30,570	29,471	1,037	30,055	50.1	953	9	1.62
2009	5,231.9	2,532.0	2,699.9	59,046	11.3	30,165	28,881	1,044	29,710	50.3	922	15	1.60
2010	5,262.2	2,548.2	2,714.0	58,791	11.2	29,872	28,919	1,033	29,528	50.2	919	12	1.60
2011	5,299.9	2,570.3	2,729.6	58,590	11.1	30,111	28,479	1,057	29,888	51.0	852	10	1.49
2012	5,313.6	2,577.1	2,736.5	58,027	10.9	29,713	28,314	1,049	29,795	51.3	866	8	1.52
2013	5,327.7	2,586.5	2,741.2	56,014	10.5	28,828	27,186	1,060	28,816	51.4	822	12	1.50
2014	5,347.6	2,596.4	2,751.2	56,725	10.6	29,056	27,669	1,050	28,821	50.8	863	11	1.56
2015 ⁷				55,100	10.3	28,354	26,746	1,060	28,210	51.2	806	16	1.51

Footnotes

1) 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 (2015 rates based on 2014 mid-year population estimates).

7) Provisional.

Table P1(b) (continued)

Year	Adoptions		Stillbirths ²		Infant deaths		Deaths				
	Number	Number	Rate ⁴	Number	Rate ⁵	Both sexes		Males		Females	
						Number	Rate ³	Number	Rate ³	Number	Rate ³
1971	1,904	1,155	13.1	1,722	19.9	61,614	11.8	31,585	12.6	30,029	11.0
1972	1,691	1,053	13.2	1,477	18.8	65,017	12.4	33,215	13.2	31,802	11.7
1973	1,900	873	11.6	1,412	19.0	64,545	12.3	32,954	13.1	31,591	11.6
1974	1,664	850	12.0	1,326	18.9	64,740	12.4	32,722	13.0	32,018	11.8
1975	1,680	765	11.1	1,168	17.2	63,125	12.1	32,168	12.8	30,957	11.4
1976	1,612	629	9.6	959	14.8	65,253	12.5	32,983	13.1	32,270	11.9
1977	1,604	553	8.8	1,004	16.1	62,294	11.9	31,280	12.4	31,014	11.4
1978	1,356	524	8.1	830	12.9	65,123	12.5	32,432	12.9	32,691	12.1
1979	1,144	475	6.9	878	12.8	65,747	12.6	32,884	13.1	32,863	12.2
1980	1,400	463	6.7	831	12.1	63,299	12.2	31,669	12.7	31,630	11.7
1981	1,116	436	6.3	780	11.3	63,828	12.3	31,700	12.7	32,128	12.0
1982	1,212	386	5.8	753	11.4	65,022	12.6	31,801	12.8	33,221	12.4
1983	1,164	379	5.8	646	9.9	63,454	12.3	31,196	12.6	32,258	12.1
1984	972	378	5.8	672	10.3	62,345	12.1	30,731	12.4	31,614	11.9
1985	936	366	5.5	624	9.4	63,967	12.5	31,147	12.6	32,820	12.3
1986	1,068	385	5.8	581	8.8	63,467	12.4	31,111	12.6	32,356	12.2
1987	1,056	339	5.1	563	8.5	62,014	12.2	30,384	12.4	31,630	12.0
1988	868	356	5.3	543	8.2	61,957	12.2	30,195	12.4	31,762	12.1
1989	848	319	5.0	554	8.7	65,017	12.8	31,025	12.7	33,992	12.9
1990	821	349	5.3	510	7.7	61,527	12.1	29,617	12.1	31,910	12.1
1991	815	368	5.5	473	7.1	61,041	12.0	29,312	12.0	31,729	12.0
1992	823	349	5.3	449	6.8	60,937	12.0	29,334	12.0	31,603	12.0
1993	805	409	6.4	412	6.5	64,049	12.6	30,504	12.5	33,545	12.7
1994	664	381	6.1	382	6.2	59,328	11.6	28,416	11.6	30,912	11.7
1995	640	396	6.6	375	6.2	60,500	11.9	28,791	11.7	31,709	12.0
1996	580	381	6.4	365	6.2	60,654	11.9	29,209	11.9	31,445	11.9
1997	470	318	5.3	316	5.3	59,494	11.7	28,305	11.6	31,189	11.8
1998	490	351	6.1	320	5.6	59,164	11.7	28,132	11.5	31,032	11.8
1999	486	286	5.2	276	5.0	60,281	11.9	28,605	11.7	31,676	12.0
2000	391	297	5.6	305	5.7	57,799	11.4	27,511	11.3	30,288	11.5
2001	469	301	5.7	290	5.5	57,382	11.3	27,324	11.2	30,058	11.4
2002	385	278	5.4	270	5.3	58,103	11.5	27,743	11.4	30,360	11.5
2003	467	296	5.6	265	5.1	58,472	11.5	27,832	11.4	30,640	11.6
2004	393	317	5.8	266	4.9	56,187	11.1	26,775	10.9	29,412	11.2
2005	439	292	5.3	284	5.2	55,747	10.9	26,522	10.8	29,225	11.0
2006	418	296	5.3	248	4.5	55,093	10.7	26,251	10.6	28,842	10.9
2007	441	327	5.6	272	4.7	55,986	10.8	26,895	10.8	29,091	10.9
2008	422	325	5.4	253	4.2	55,700	10.7	26,504	10.5	29,196	10.9
2009	455	317	5.3	235	4.0	53,856	10.3	25,828	10.2	28,028	10.4
2010	466	291	4.9	218	3.7	53,967	10.3	25,963	10.2	28,004	10.3
2011	496	299	5.1	238	4.1	53,661	10.1	25,913	10.1	27,748	10.2
2012	495	274	4.7	217	3.7	54,937	10.3	26,015	10.1	28,922	10.6
2013	489	234	4.2	186	3.3	54,700	10.3	26,325	10.2	28,375	10.4
2014	455	228	4.0	207	3.6	54,239	10.1	26,289	10.2	27,950	10.2
2015 ⁷	504	211	3.8	175	3.2	57,573	10.8	27,902	10.7	29,671	10.8

Footnotes

2) The Still-Birth (Definition) Act 1992 re-defined stillbirths, from 1 October 1992, to include losses between 24 and 27 weeks gestation. Revisions have been made to earlier years to exclude a very small number of stillbirths below 24 weeks gestation.

3) Rate per 1,000 population (2015 rates based on 2014 mid-year population estimates).

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

5) Rate per 1,000 live births.

7) Provisional.

Table P1(b) (continued)

Year	Marriages ⁶				Civil Partnerships ⁷	
	Total	Rate ³	Opposite Sex	Same Sex	Male	Female
1971	42,500	8.1	42,500	...	...	...
1972	42,139	8.1	42,139	...	...	...
1973	42,018	8.0	42,018	...	...	...
1974	41,174	7.9	41,174	...	...	...
1975	39,191	7.5	39,191	...	...	...
1976	37,543	7.2	37,543	...	...	...
1977	37,288	7.1	37,288	...	...	...
1978	37,814	7.3	37,814	...	...	...
1979	37,860	7.3	37,860	...	...	...
1980	38,501	7.4	38,501	...	...	...
1981	36,237	7.0	36,237	...	...	...
1982	34,942	6.8	34,942	...	...	...
1983	34,962	6.8	34,962	...	...	...
1984	36,253	7.1	36,253	...	...	...
1985	36,385	7.1	36,385	...	...	...
1986	35,790	7.0	35,790	...	...	...
1987	35,813	7.0	35,813	...	...	...
1988	35,599	7.0	35,599	...	...	...
1989	35,326	7.0	35,326	...	...	...
1990	34,672	6.8	34,672	...	...	...
1991	33,762	6.6	33,762	...	...	...
1992	35,057	6.9	35,057	...	...	...
1993	33,366	6.6	33,366	...	...	...
1994	31,480	6.2	31,480	...	...	...
1995	30,663	6.0	30,663	...	...	...
1996	30,241	5.9	30,241	...	...	...
1997	29,611	5.8	29,611	...	...	...
1998	29,668	5.8	29,668	...	...	...
1999	29,940	5.9	29,940	...	...	...
2000	30,367	6.0	30,367	...	...	...
2001	29,621	5.8	29,621	...	...	...
2002	29,826	5.9	29,826	...	...	...
2003	30,757	6.1	30,757	...	...	...
2004	32,154	6.3	32,154	...	...	...
2005	30,881	6.0	30,881	...	53	31
2006	29,898	5.8	29,898	...	580	467
2007	29,866	5.8	29,866	...	339	349
2008	28,903	5.6	28,903	...	245	280
2009	27,524	5.3	27,524	...	219	279
2010	28,480	5.4	28,480	...	197	268
2011	29,135	5.5	29,135	...	227	327
2012	30,534	5.7	30,534	...	257	317
2013	27,547	5.2	27,547	...	217	313
2014	29,069	5.4	28,702	367	193	243
2015 ⁷	29,691	5.6	28,020	1,671	33	31

Footnotes

3) Rate per 1,000 population (2015 rates based on 2014 mid-year population estimates).

6) Same sex marriages came into effect on 16 December 2014.

7) Provisional.