

Population and Migration Statistics Committee (PAMS) (Scotland)

Statistical Information Services update

National Records of Scotland (NRS)

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1. Introduction

The purpose of this paper is to inform members of the Population and Migration Statistics (PAMS) committee about recent developments in the Statistical Information Services branch at the National Records of Scotland (NRS). It gives an update on progress since the last meeting of the committee (23 November 2011) as well as an outline of future plans.

2. Progress since last meeting

2.1 The following regular publications have been published since the last meeting:

Population by Country of Birth & Nationality – quarterly update	24-Nov-11
Quarterly update to migration between Scotland & the rest of UK	24-Nov-11
Births, Marriages and Deaths: third quarter 2011	8-Dec-11
Babies' First Names - 2011	20-Dec-11
Electoral Statistics, Scotland 2011	22-Feb-12
Population By Country of Birth and Nationality for Scottish Areas - quarterly update	23-Feb-12
Quarterly update to migration between Scotland & the rest of UK	23-Feb-12
Population Projections for Scottish Areas, 2010-based	29-Feb-12
Births, Deaths and Other Vital Events: 2011 (preliminary)	08-Mar-12
Births, Deaths and Other Vital Events: fourth quarter 2011	08-Mar-12
Monthly Data on Deaths Registered in Scotland - 4th quarter 2011	08-Mar-12
Weekly Data on Births and Deaths Registered in Scotland – 4th quarter 2011	08-Mar-12

2.2 The following other additions have been added to the NRS website:

2.2.1 [Population pyramids of Scotland](#) showing the changing age and sex structure of the country for the years 1981-2035, using both estimated and projected population data. These charts will be particularly useful for users who are interested in the changing demographics of Scotland.

2.2.2 [‘Age-standardised’ death rates](#) for Scotland as a whole, for 1979 onwards were calculated using the European Standard Population (ESP), in order to show trends in mortality from particular causes after taking account of changes in the distribution by age of the Scottish population.

3. Future work

- 3.1 New web pages are currently being designed for the Beyond 2011 project. These should be up on the National Records of Scotland (NRS) website in the near future. There will also be some new pages designed for the census which will include news and updates.
- 3.2 Work on the NRS website is still ongoing.
- 3.3 Planned [NRS web publications](#) (next 12 months):

Population By Country of Birth and Nationality for Scottish Areas - quarterly update	24-May-12
Quarterly update to migration between Scotland and the rest of UK	24-May-12
Mid-2010 Population Estimates for Settlements and Localities in Scotland	24-May-12
Mid - 2011 Population Estimates Scotland	31-May-12
Estimates of Households and Dwellings in Scotland, 2011	Jun-12
Household Projections for Scotland - 2010 based	Jun-12
Births, Deaths and Other Vital Events: first quarter 2012	07-Jun-12
Monthly Data on Deaths Registered in Scotland - 1st quarter 2012	07-Jun-12
Weekly Data on Births and Deaths Registered in Scotland - 1st quarter 2012	07-Jun-12
Population Projections for Scotland's Strategic Development Plan Areas and National Parks (2010-based)	Jul-12
Total Migration To Or From An Area (mid 2011 update)	Jul-12
Local Area Migration - 2011	Aug-12
Drug-related deaths in Scotland in 2011	Aug-12
Population By Country of Birth and Nationality for Scottish Areas - quarterly update	Aug-12
Quarterly update to migration between Scotland and the rest of UK	Aug-12
Vital Events Reference Tables 2011	Aug-12
Scotland's Population 2011: The Registrar General's Annual Review of Demographic Trends	Aug-12
Deaths from various causes	Aug-12
Births, Deaths and Other Vital Events: second quarter 2012	13-Sep-12
Monthly Data on Deaths Registered in Scotland - second quarter 2012	13-Sep-12
Weekly Data on Births and Deaths Registered in Scotland - second quarter 2012	13-Sep-12
Winter Mortality in Scotland, 2011/12	Oct-12
Population By Country of Birth and Nationality for Scottish Areas - quarterly update	Nov-12
Quarterly update to migration between Scotland and the rest of UK	Nov-12
Babies' First Names - 2012	Dec-12
Births, Deaths and Other Vital Events: third quarter 2012	13-Dec-12
Monthly Data on Deaths Registered in Scotland - third quarter 2012	13-Dec-12

Weekly Data on Births and Deaths Registered in Scotland - third quarter 2012	13-Dec-12
Population By Country of Birth and Nationality for Scottish Areas - quarterly update	Feb-13
Quarterly update to migration between Scotland and the rest of UK	Feb-13
Electoral Statistics, Scotland 2012	Feb-13
Births, Deaths and Other Vital Events: fourth quarter 2012	14-Mar-13
Monthly Data on Deaths Registered in Scotland - fourth quarter 2012	14-Mar-13
Weekly Data on Births and Deaths Registered in Scotland - fourth quarter 2012	14-Mar-13

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