

Table 1 Total number of electoral registrations, by Electorate, 2000 to 2008

Electorate	2000 ¹	2001 ¹	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
UK Parliament	3,992,034	4,001,018	3,966,801	3,887,059	3,857,997	3,857,852	3,861,207	3,872,901	3,887,571	3,885,148
Attainers	47,413	48,313	47,188	48,640	47,031	45,785	47,504	47,665	47,295	43,970
Service voters	18,226	17,705	16,289	3,067	2,100	1,707	1,576	1,656	1,993	2,043
Voluntary patients ²	219	315	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Overseas electors	837	787	972	766	681	754	1,192	787	924	792
Local Government and Scottish Parliament	4,009,424	4,019,192	3,985,313	3,905,553	3,877,194	3,878,963	3,884,464	3,902,706	3,926,262	3,930,244
Attainers	47,480	48,354	47,232	48,697	47,115	45,891	47,588	47,810	47,484	44,204
Service voters	18,226	17,705	16,289	3,067	2,100	1,707	1,576	1,656	1,993	2,043
Voluntary patients ²	219	315	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Peers	65	56	57	53	54	54	56	57	56	52
Citizens of the European Union	18,162	18,905	19,427	19,207	19,851	17,160	24,393	30,535	39,559	45,836
European Parliament ³	3,996,419	4,005,828	3,971,441	3,892,645	3,864,289	3,862,557	3,866,070	3,878,016	3,891,523	3,888,895
Attainers	47,480	48,354	47,232	48,697	47,115	45,891	47,523	47,665	47,303	44,001
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Citizens of the European Union	4,500	4,804	4,799	5,532	6,238	4,705	4,806	5,058	3,893	3,691

1 The reference date for 2000 and 2001 is 16th February. For recent years, the reference date is 1st December

2 Since 2002 voluntary patients are no longer counted separately and are now included in the main body of the electorate.

3 The total figures for the European Parliamentary electorate were revised in September 2008. Previously published tables did not include Overseas electors in this total.