

Table 1: Household estimates for Scotland by local authority area, June 1991-2010

Local authority	1991	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	Change 2009-2010		Change 2005-2010	
												Number	%	Number	%
Scotland	2,042,809	2,195,033	2,211,025	2,229,535	2,249,160	2,271,353	2,291,415	2,314,359	2,332,457	2,345,304	2,357,424	12,119	0.5%	86,071	3.8%
Aberdeen City	89,949	96,944	97,424	97,924	98,635	99,269	100,735	102,195	102,899	103,438	103,677	239	0.2%	4,408	4.4%
Aberdeenshire	80,473	90,902	92,317	93,727	95,597	97,401	98,774	100,191	101,516	102,626	103,770	1,144	1.1%	6,369	6.5%
Angus	43,806	46,948	47,175	47,591	48,122	48,625	49,091	49,565	49,974	50,343	50,568	225	0.4%	1,943	4.0%
Argyll & Bute	37,657	39,037	39,270	39,988	40,220	40,769	41,093	41,233	41,414	41,422	41,609	187	0.5%	840	2.1%
Clackmannanshire ¹	18,857	20,572	20,747	20,979	21,296	21,610	21,937	22,316	22,624	22,850	22,953	104	0.5%	1,343	6.2%
Dumfries & Galloway	59,300	63,899	64,264	65,019	65,703	66,465	66,779	67,282	67,851	68,161	68,408	246	0.4%	1,943	2.9%
Dundee City ²	67,028	66,851	67,267	67,385	67,726	67,747	67,762	68,858	69,589	70,213	70,401	187	0.3%	2,653	3.9%
East Ayrshire	48,779	50,404	50,634	50,967	51,282	51,459	51,899	52,376	53,027	53,459	53,722	263	0.5%	2,263	4.4%
East Dunbartonshire	39,479	42,254	42,242	42,260	42,399	42,592	42,652	42,702	42,833	42,915	43,010	95	0.2%	419	1.0%
East Lothian	34,245	38,232	38,647	38,966	39,356	39,749	40,417	41,240	41,935	42,385	42,798	413	1.0%	3,048	7.7%
East Renfrewshire	32,212	35,024	35,164	35,329	35,431	35,512	35,532	35,636	35,636	35,799	35,995	196	0.5%	483	1.4%
Edinburgh, City of	188,714	204,956	206,361	207,552	209,094	211,731	213,633	216,524	217,654	218,774	220,195	1,421	0.6%	8,464	4.0%
Eilean Siar	10,980	11,283	11,224	11,302	11,381	11,486	11,597	11,706	11,816	11,893	12,018	124	1.0%	532	4.6%
Falkirk	56,780	62,689	63,534	64,394	65,391	65,879	66,651	67,379	67,808	68,223	68,655	432	0.6%	2,776	4.2%
Fife	138,659	150,530	151,760	152,888	154,072	155,890	156,919	158,175	159,475	160,372	161,274	902	0.6%	5,385	3.5%
Glasgow City	272,092	271,953	272,710	274,115	276,300	278,162	278,892	280,425	281,187	281,743	282,196	453	0.2%	4,034	1.5%
Highland	79,707	89,637	90,673	91,904	93,211	94,941	96,327	98,048	99,721	100,906	101,833	927	0.9%	6,892	7.3%
Inverclyde	36,407	36,698	36,569	36,558	36,692	36,692	36,691	36,588	36,562	36,595	36,502	-93	-0.3%	-190	-0.5%
Midlothian	29,988	32,939	33,032	33,142	33,282	33,422	33,698	33,909	34,211	34,820	35,270	451	1.3%	1,849	5.5%
Moray	32,662	35,870	36,230	36,513	36,980	37,484	37,997	38,521	38,815	38,954	39,207	253	0.7%	1,723	4.6%
North Ayrshire ³	54,443	58,781	59,256	59,692	59,833	60,321	60,840	61,044	61,504	61,814	62,006	193	0.3%	1,686	2.8%
North Lanarkshire	121,587	132,765	134,564	136,214	137,672	139,343	140,976	142,431	143,439	143,896	144,865	968	0.7%	5,522	4.0%
Orkney Isles	7,735	8,344	8,427	8,515	8,640	8,790	8,869	8,982	9,073	9,206	9,308	102	1.1%	518	5.9%
Perth & Kinross	51,692	58,370	58,943	59,885	60,804	61,613	62,625	63,233	64,354	64,654	64,780	126	0.2%	3,167	5.1%
Renfrewshire	70,537	75,773	76,329	76,947	76,751	77,012	77,549	78,182	78,753	79,026	79,054	29	0.0%	2,042	2.7%
Scottish Borders	43,473	47,463	47,976	48,506	49,067	49,534	50,034	50,705	51,270	51,640	51,983	343	0.7%	2,449	4.9%
Shetland	8,467	9,111	9,136	9,201	9,276	9,376	9,443	9,498	9,586	9,704	9,829	125	1.3%	453	4.8%
South Ayrshire	45,410	48,804	49,083	49,522	49,881	50,311	50,505	50,883	51,133	51,255	51,526	271	0.5%	1,215	2.4%
South Lanarkshire	116,407	126,626	127,576	128,411	129,620	131,065	132,975	134,555	135,547	136,389	137,228	839	0.6%	6,163	4.7%
Stirling	31,139	35,544	35,961	36,454	36,658	36,958	37,164	37,328	37,555	37,789	38,048	260	0.7%	1,090	2.9%
West Dunbartonshire	38,933	40,768	40,593	40,599	40,529	40,835	41,123	41,298	41,449	41,471	41,578	107	0.3%	743	1.8%
West Lothian	55,212	65,062	65,939	67,085	68,259	69,309	70,236	71,351	72,248	72,569	73,158	589	0.8%	3,849	5.6%

Figures for 1991 to 2001 are based on the number of households recorded in the 1991 and 2001 Censuses and the mid-year population estimates.

Figures for 2002 onwards are based on the number of occupied dwellings (Table 9), adjusted to the number of households recorded in the 2001 Census and adjusted from September to June.

1. The household estimates figure for Clackmannanshire for 2009 has been corrected due to an error in the Council Tax Base figures for 'long-term empty' properties and 'disregarded adults'. This results in a reduction of 118 households in 2009.

2. To ensure consistency with other councils, figures for Dundee City council for the years 2007 to 2009 have been revised. This results in increases of 581, 1,208 and 986 households in Dundee for 2007 to 2009 respectively when compared with previously published figures. This is because of a clarification of how certain council tax exemption categories were recorded and a resulting change in how these figures are included in the household estimate calculation. 2010 household estimates for Dundee are treated in the same way.

3. Figures on dwellings for North Ayrshire Council Tax returns were adjusted in 2002 and 2003, following a manual check of Council Tax discounts by the Council. This has also had a small effect on the 2004 household estimates for North Ayrshire. The revised figures were first produced for the "Estimates of households and dwellings in Scotland, 2007" publication.

Note that the local authority area figures may not add up to the Scotland total due to rounding.

Source: Council Tax Base Return 2010 and 2010 neighbourhood level collection of council tax information.

See Sources, Methods and Definitions for more information