

Table 1: Household estimates for Scotland by Council area, June 1991-2013

Council area	1991	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	Change 2012-2013		Change 2003-2013	
															Number	%	Number	%
Scotland^{1,2,3,4}	2,042,809	2,194,564	2,211,430	2,230,796	2,251,260	2,274,280	2,295,182	2,318,962	2,337,962	2,351,755	2,364,835	2,376,424	2,387,207	2,401,797	14,591	0.6%	171,001	7.7%
Aberdeen City	89,949	96,948	97,393	97,857	98,526	99,120	100,521	101,916	102,577	103,077	103,285	103,423	103,934	105,047	1,113	1.1%	7,190	7.3%
Aberdeenshire	80,473	90,887	92,328	93,763	95,658	97,490	98,892	100,340	101,696	102,839	104,017	105,006	106,018	107,128	1,110	1.0%	13,364	14.3%
Angus	43,806	46,945	47,264	47,772	48,396	48,993	49,556	50,128	50,639	51,109	51,436	51,738	52,109	52,413	305	0.6%	4,641	9.7%
Argyll & Bute	37,657	39,028	39,135	39,728	39,828	40,245	40,433	40,437	40,481	40,353	40,401	40,427	40,514	40,934	420	1.0%	1,207	3.0%
Clackmannanshire	18,857	20,568	20,729	20,947	21,251	21,550	21,862	22,225	22,517	22,727	22,815	22,796	22,881	22,978	97	0.4%	2,030	9.7%
Dumfries & Galloway	59,300	63,888	64,195	64,892	65,515	66,215	66,469	66,909	67,414	67,662	67,845	68,058	68,364	68,682	318	0.5%	3,790	5.8%
Dundee City	67,028	66,854	67,133	67,109	67,310	67,188	67,060	68,011	68,594	69,067	69,105	69,150	69,263	69,500	237	0.3%	2,391	3.6%
East Ayrshire	48,779	50,399	50,639	50,981	51,305	51,494	51,941	52,425	53,079	53,519	53,793	53,927	54,143	54,453	310	0.6%	3,471	6.8%
East Dunbartonshire	39,479	42,251	42,271	42,321	42,492	42,716	42,809	42,892	43,055	43,170	43,298	43,491	43,778	44,102	324	0.7%	1,780	4.2%
East Lothian	34,245	38,227	38,623	38,924	39,294	39,668	40,313	41,112	41,783	42,211	42,602	42,997	43,429	43,682	254	0.6%	4,759	12.2%
East Renfrewshire	32,212	35,024	35,274	35,550	35,764	35,957	36,090	36,307	36,420	36,698	37,011	37,300	37,575	37,804	229	0.6%	2,254	6.3%
Edinburgh, City of	188,714	204,994	206,592	207,981	209,720	212,548	214,651	217,740	219,085	220,422	222,062	224,041	224,875	227,222	2,347	1.0%	19,241	9.3%
Eilean Siar	10,980	11,276	11,257	11,372	11,488	11,629	11,779	11,926	12,075	12,193	12,358	12,589	12,749	12,924	174	1.4%	1,552	13.6%
Falkirk	56,780	62,688	63,521	64,369	65,354	65,833	66,593	67,310	67,730	68,136	68,559	68,870	69,230	69,443	213	0.3%	5,074	7.9%
Fife	138,659	150,516	151,679	152,739	153,854	155,600	156,558	157,742	158,967	159,790	160,618	161,089	161,845	162,200	355	0.2%	9,461	6.2%
Glasgow City	272,092	271,968	273,058	274,786	277,282	279,466	280,541	282,409	283,521	284,431	285,240	285,924	286,134	286,792	658	0.2%	12,006	4.4%
Highland	79,707	89,618	90,625	91,825	93,099	94,792	96,143	97,825	99,459	100,610	101,506	102,378	103,317	104,445	1,128	1.1%	12,621	13.7%
Inverclyde	36,407	36,691	36,655	36,736	36,961	37,053	37,144	37,133	37,198	37,323	37,320	37,340	37,299	37,337	38	0.1%	601	1.6%
Midlothian	29,988	32,934	32,974	33,030	33,116	33,200	33,421	33,575	33,819	34,366	34,754	35,089	35,540	36,009	469	1.3%	2,979	9.0%
Moray	32,662	35,868	36,290	36,637	37,167	37,736	38,316	38,909	39,274	39,486	39,813	40,155	40,492	40,839	347	0.9%	4,203	11.5%
North Ayrshire	54,443	58,775	59,284	59,756	59,936	60,460	61,015	61,260	61,758	62,107	62,341	62,474	62,519	62,613	93	0.1%	2,857	4.8%
North Lanarkshire	121,587	132,755	134,602	136,304	137,815	139,541	141,229	142,742	143,810	144,331	145,361	146,148	146,905	147,554	650	0.4%	11,250	8.3%
Orkney Islands	7,735	8,339	8,457	8,582	8,744	8,934	9,052	9,206	9,338	9,514	9,659	9,761	9,859	9,945	86	0.9%	1,362	15.9%
Perth & Kinross	51,692	58,364	58,929	59,862	60,772	61,572	62,575	63,174	64,284	64,575	64,693	64,905	65,194	65,616	421	0.6%	5,753	9.6%
Renfrewshire	70,537	75,380	76,147	76,978	77,002	77,483	78,239	79,096	79,894	80,394	80,649	80,903	80,924	81,787	863	1.1%	4,809	6.2%
Scottish Borders	43,473	47,452	47,988	48,543	49,128	49,621	50,147	50,844	51,436	51,834	52,206	52,485	52,671	52,934	263	0.5%	4,391	9.0%
Shetland Islands	8,467	9,109	9,139	9,208	9,288	9,392	9,464	9,524	9,617	9,739	9,869	9,973	10,076	10,144	67	0.7%	935	10.2%
South Ayrshire	45,410	48,802	49,045	49,446	49,767	50,158	50,316	50,654	50,866	50,952	51,184	51,364	51,515	51,654	139	0.3%	2,208	4.5%
South Lanarkshire	116,407	126,638	127,691	128,633	129,946	131,494	133,504	135,190	136,298	137,259	138,219	139,308	140,225	141,129	904	0.6%	12,495	9.7%
Stirling	31,139	35,546	35,904	36,339	36,481	36,718	36,860	36,958	37,120	37,288	37,480	37,644	37,876	38,056	180	0.5%	1,717	4.7%
West Dunbartonshire	38,933	40,767	40,655	40,719	40,708	41,062	41,399	41,628	41,833	41,913	42,076	42,115	42,106	42,097	-9	0.0%	1,378	3.4%
West Lothian	55,212	65,064	65,951	67,107	68,291	69,352	70,291	71,416	72,326	72,659	73,261	73,554	73,847	74,335	488	0.7%	7,229	10.8%

Footnotes

1) Following new regulations which allow councils to increase the Council Tax on certain types of long-term empty properties, many Council areas have reviewed which properties were classified as being vacant or second homes, which led to changes in their figures. This has also had an impact on the overall number of households recorded in his table.

2) 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.

3) Figures for 2002 and onwards are based on the number of occupied dwellings (Table 9a), adjusted from September to June. They are then adjusted by an amount calculated from the differences in 2001 and in 2011 between the number of occupied dwellings and the number of households recorded in the Census.

4) Household estimates were revised following the 2011 Census. Figures from 2001 to 2012 have been adjusted slightly to improve consistency and comparability with census data. For information on this adjustment, please go to the Sources, Methods and Definitions section of the publication.

Source: Council Tax Base Return and National Records of Scotland neighbourhood level collection of Council Tax information.

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