

Table 7: Average household size, by local authority, 2010 to 2035

Local authority	Year						Overall change	
	2010	2015	2020	2025	2030	2035	2010-2035	
Scotland	2.17	2.13	2.08	2.04	1.99	1.95	-0.23	-10%
Aberdeen City	2.01	1.99	1.95	1.92	1.87	1.82	-0.19	-10%
Aberdeenshire	2.35	2.32	2.27	2.23	2.19	2.15	-0.20	-8%
Angus	2.16	2.13	2.08	2.05	2.01	1.97	-0.19	-9%
Argyll & Bute	2.08	2.04	1.99	1.96	1.94	1.91	-0.17	-8%
Clackmannanshire	2.16	2.12	2.07	2.02	1.97	1.92	-0.24	-11%
Dumfries & Galloway	2.14	2.10	2.06	2.03	1.99	1.95	-0.20	-9%
Dundee City	1.97	1.94	1.92	1.89	1.85	1.81	-0.16	-8%
East Ayrshire	2.21	2.17	2.12	2.09	2.05	2.01	-0.21	-9%
East Dunbartonshire	2.42	2.34	2.27	2.20	2.14	2.08	-0.34	-14%
East Lothian	2.23	2.22	2.19	2.16	2.15	2.13	-0.10	-5%
East Renfrewshire	2.47	2.42	2.38	2.34	2.30	2.25	-0.22	-9%
Edinburgh, City of	2.14	2.09	2.04	1.99	1.93	1.88	-0.25	-12%
Eilean Siar	2.16	2.06	1.98	1.91	1.83	1.76	-0.40	-18%
Falkirk	2.21	2.17	2.11	2.07	2.02	1.97	-0.24	-11%
Fife	2.22	2.17	2.13	2.09	2.04	1.99	-0.23	-10%
Glasgow City	2.05	1.99	1.93	1.88	1.83	1.78	-0.27	-13%
Highland	2.14	2.10	2.06	2.03	1.99	1.95	-0.19	-9%
Inverclyde	2.15	2.09	2.03	1.99	1.94	1.89	-0.26	-12%
Midlothian	2.27	2.22	2.17	2.13	2.09	2.05	-0.22	-10%
Moray	2.18	2.14	2.11	2.10	2.08	2.06	-0.12	-6%
North Ayrshire	2.16	2.11	2.06	2.02	1.97	1.93	-0.23	-11%
North Lanarkshire	2.23	2.18	2.12	2.06	2.01	1.96	-0.27	-12%
Orkney Islands	2.14	2.07	2.01	1.96	1.90	1.84	-0.30	-14%
Perth & Kinross	2.22	2.20	2.15	2.12	2.08	2.05	-0.18	-8%
Renfrewshire	2.12	2.08	2.03	1.99	1.95	1.91	-0.22	-10%
Scottish Borders	2.15	2.12	2.08	2.05	2.02	1.98	-0.17	-8%
Shetland Islands	2.25	2.17	2.08	2.00	1.93	1.85	-0.40	-18%
South Ayrshire	2.14	2.08	2.04	2.00	1.97	1.93	-0.21	-10%
South Lanarkshire	2.25	2.20	2.14	2.10	2.05	2.00	-0.25	-11%
Stirling	2.25	2.18	2.13	2.09	2.05	2.01	-0.24	-11%
West Dunbartonshire	2.16	2.12	2.07	2.02	1.98	1.93	-0.23	-11%
West Lothian	2.33	2.30	2.25	2.20	2.17	2.12	-0.20	-9%

Footnote

The average household size is calculated by dividing the private household population by the total number of households for each year. The private household population is available in table D of the "Source Data Tables" published with the 2010-based household projections.