

**Table 7: Average household size, by council area, 2014 - 2039**

Council area	Year						Overall change	
	2014	2019	2024	2029	2034	2039	2014-2039	
<b>Scotland</b>	<b>2.17</b>	<b>2.13</b>	<b>2.09</b>	<b>2.07</b>	<b>2.04</b>	<b>2.01</b>	<b>-0.15</b>	<b>-7%</b>
Aberdeen City	2.09	2.08	2.06	2.04	2.01	1.98	-0.11	-5%
Aberdeenshire	2.38	2.35	2.33	2.31	2.30	2.28	-0.10	-4%
Angus	2.18	2.13	2.10	2.08	2.06	2.04	-0.14	-6%
Argyll and Bute	2.06	2.00	1.97	1.95	1.93	1.91	-0.15	-7%
City of Edinburgh	2.07	2.06	2.02	1.98	1.95	1.92	-0.15	-7%
Clackmannanshire	2.15	2.11	2.07	2.05	2.03	2.01	-0.14	-7%
Dumfries and Galloway	2.15	2.10	2.07	2.04	2.02	2.00	-0.15	-7%
Dundee City	2.05	2.02	2.00	1.97	1.94	1.91	-0.14	-7%
East Ayrshire	2.22	2.17	2.13	2.11	2.08	2.05	-0.17	-8%
East Dunbartonshire	2.36	2.30	2.27	2.25	2.22	2.20	-0.16	-7%
East Lothian	2.28	2.24	2.21	2.19	2.17	2.14	-0.14	-6%
East Renfrewshire	2.42	2.38	2.36	2.33	2.30	2.27	-0.15	-6%
Falkirk	2.24	2.20	2.17	2.14	2.12	2.10	-0.15	-6%
Fife	2.19	2.16	2.14	2.12	2.10	2.08	-0.11	-5%
Glasgow City	2.03	1.98	1.95	1.92	1.89	1.86	-0.16	-8%
Highland	2.17	2.12	2.09	2.06	2.04	2.02	-0.15	-7%
Inverclyde	2.11	2.05	2.02	1.99	1.96	1.94	-0.17	-8%
Midlothian	2.33	2.30	2.28	2.27	2.24	2.23	-0.10	-4%
Moray	2.24	2.17	2.13	2.10	2.07	2.04	-0.19	-9%
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North Ayrshire	2.15	2.09	2.05	2.02	1.99	1.97	-0.18	-9%
North Lanarkshire	2.26	2.20	2.15	2.11	2.08	2.05	-0.20	-9%
Orkney Islands	2.12	2.05	2.01	1.97	1.95	1.92	-0.20	-10%
Perth and Kinross	2.19	2.16	2.13	2.11	2.09	2.07	-0.12	-5%
Renfrewshire	2.09	2.02	1.99	1.96	1.93	1.90	-0.19	-9%
Scottish Borders	2.12	2.09	2.06	2.04	2.02	2.00	-0.12	-6%
Shetland Islands	2.26	2.20	2.15	2.11	2.08	2.06	-0.21	-9%
South Ayrshire	2.14	2.10	2.06	2.03	2.00	1.98	-0.16	-8%
South Lanarkshire	2.19	2.14	2.10	2.07	2.04	2.01	-0.19	-8%
Stirling	2.27	2.22	2.17	2.15	2.13	2.10	-0.17	-7%
West Dunbartonshire	2.10	2.04	2.00	1.97	1.94	1.91	-0.20	-9%
West Lothian	2.34	2.29	2.25	2.22	2.19	2.17	-0.17	-7%

**Notes**

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 2014-based household projections.