

Table 4**Increased winter mortality in Scotland 1990/91 - 2006/07**

| Period | Number of deaths registered | | | Seasonal difference ² | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|
| | Preceding | | Following | (actual) | (rounded) |
| | Winter period (Aug - Mar) | Winter period (Apr - Nov) | Winter period (Jul) | | |
| 1990/91 | 21,859 | 19,103 | 19,752 | 2,432 | 2,430 |
| 1991/92 | 22,217 | 19,305 | 19,352 | 2,889 | 2,890 |
| 1992/93 | 22,416 | 19,417 | 19,929 | 2,743 | 2,740 |
| 1993/94 | 22,504 | 21,104 | 18,732 | 2,586 | 2,590 |
| 1994/95 | 21,510 | 19,103 | 19,301 | 2,308 | 2,310 |
| 1995/96 | 22,821 | 19,074 | 19,260 | 3,654 | 3,650 |
| 1996/97 | 22,438 | 18,585 | 19,005 | 3,643 | 3,640 |
| 1997/98 | 21,320 | 18,311 | 19,105 | 2,612 | 2,610 |
| 1998/99 | 23,163 | 18,856 | 17,973 | 4,749 | 4,750 |
| 1999/2000 | 23,379 | 18,407 | 17,974 | 5,189 | 5,190 |
| 2000/01 | 20,388 | 18,061 | 18,281 | 2,217 | 2,220 |
| 2001/02 | 20,366 | 18,239 | 18,815 | 1,839 | 1,840 |
| 2002/03 | 21,058 | 18,599 | 18,499 | 2,509 | 2,510 |
| 2003/04 | 21,024 | 18,616 | 17,749 | 2,842 | 2,840 |
| 2004/05 | 20,658 | 18,064 | 17,736 | 2,758 | 2,760 |
| 2005/06 | 19,651 | 17,619 | 18,127 | 1,778 | 1,780 |
| 2006/07 ¹ | 20,382 | 17,526 | 17,738 | 2,750 | 2,750 |

1. Data for 2006/07 are provisional

2. Is the number of deaths in the winter period less the average of the preceding period plus the following period.