

**Table 2.8** Projected population and projected births (2002 based)<sup>1</sup>, by administrative area, 2002 to 2018

Area	Estimated population as at 30 June 2002	Projected population at 30 June			Projected births, mid-year to mid-year		
		2008	2013	2018	2007-08	2012-13	2017-18
<b>SCOTLAND</b>	<b>5,054,800</b>	<b>5,006,674</b>	<b>4,970,025</b>	<b>4,935,272</b>	<b>48,438</b>	<b>48,302</b>	<b>48,923</b>
<b>Council areas</b>							
Aberdeen City	209,270	199,967	192,329	184,427	1,902	1,801	1,715
Aberdeenshire	227,280	227,456	226,516	224,878	2,038	1,947	1,969
Angus	108,130	104,925	101,808	98,228	848	752	692
Argyll & Bute	91,030	90,074	89,635	89,465	741	782	841
Clackmannanshire	47,930	47,123	46,218	45,125	424	378	362
Dumfries & Galloway	147,310	143,894	140,477	136,656	1,115	1,055	1,037
Dundee City	144,180	135,872	129,596	123,506	1,369	1,344	1,305
East Ayrshire	119,740	116,351	113,416	110,363	1,067	1,020	999
East Dunbartonshire	107,310	104,835	102,919	101,082	949	1,003	1,035
East Lothian	90,750	94,464	97,725	101,304	894	944	1,042
East Renfrewshire	89,630	91,446	93,043	94,851	906	968	1,033
Edinburgh, City of	448,080	452,194	457,351	463,238	4,469	4,562	4,582
Eilean Siar	26,200	24,598	23,224	21,725	192	164	132
Falkirk	145,560	147,448	149,043	150,588	1,385	1,369	1,399
Fife	350,700	352,665	354,088	355,349	3,271	3,268	3,300
Glasgow City	577,350	561,033	551,988	546,857	6,616	7,017	7,297
Highland	208,140	205,952	203,241	199,887	1,802	1,701	1,674
Inverclyde	83,600	79,929	77,030	74,177	743	710	699
Midlothian	80,500	82,267	83,960	85,782	862	879	921
Moray	86,740	84,374	82,143	79,969	760	729	766
North Ayrshire	135,650	132,446	129,518	126,252	1,225	1,162	1,136
North Lanarkshire	321,350	319,059	316,858	314,364	3,385	3,304	3,316
Orkney	19,210	18,536	17,911	17,196	135	117	106
Perth & Kinross	135,160	136,389	137,166	137,888	1,185	1,171	1,208
Renfrewshire	171,940	166,820	162,406	157,865	1,647	1,583	1,576
Scottish Borders	107,400	108,515	109,095	109,442	889	841	844
Shetland	21,940	21,979	22,105	22,214	230	234	239
South Ayrshire	111,670	109,095	106,954	104,852	920	918	927
South Lanarkshire	302,110	299,612	297,147	294,509	2,887	2,879	2,906
Stirling	86,150	88,783	91,267	94,010	823	883	951
West Dunbartonshire	92,830	89,731	87,593	85,577	907	910	899
West Lothian	159,960	168,842	176,255	183,646	1,852	1,907	2,015
<b>Health board areas</b>							
Argyll & Clyde	418,750	407,367	398,612	390,007	3,801	3,738	3,769
Ayrshire & Arran	367,060	357,892	349,888	341,467	3,212	3,100	3,062
Borders	107,400	108,515	109,095	109,442	889	841	844
Dumfries & Galloway	147,310	143,894	140,477	136,656	1,115	1,055	1,037
Fife	350,620	352,665	354,088	355,349	3,271	3,268	3,300
Forth Valley	279,370	283,354	286,528	289,723	2,632	2,630	2,712
Grampian	523,290	511,797	500,988	489,274	4,700	4,477	4,450
Greater Glasgow	866,080	846,550	835,547	828,976	9,432	9,969	10,355
Highland	208,140	205,952	203,241	199,887	1,802	1,701	1,674
Lanarkshire	552,910	548,622	544,460	539,764	5,548	5,449	5,478
Lothian	779,100	797,767	815,291	833,970	8,077	8,292	8,560
Orkney	19,210	18,536	17,911	17,196	135	117	106
Shetland	21,940	21,979	22,105	22,214	230	234	239
Tayside	387,420	377,186	368,570	359,622	3,402	3,267	3,205
Western Isles	26,200	24,598	23,224	21,725	192	164	132

<sup>1</sup> More detailed figures may be found on the GROS website - see **Contact Points** for further information.