

**Table 8.3 Divorces, by ground and duration of marriage, Scotland, 2003**

Duration of marriage (years)	Total	Ground for divorce						All grounds for divorce	Nullity of marriage
		Adultery	Behaviour	Desertion	Non-cohabitation		Other grounds		
					2 years and consent	5 years			
<b>All durations</b>	<b>10,928</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>1,537</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>6,014</b>	<b>2,950</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10,927</b>	<b>1</b>
0	11	-	10	1	-	-	-	11	-
1	63	6	56	-	-	-	-	62	1
2	217	10	79	-	128	-	-	217	-
3	399	19	77	3	300	-	-	399	-
4	451	18	77	-	356	-	-	451	-
5	502	11	87	3	373	28	-	502	-
6	533	20	77	1	366	69	-	533	-
7	452	14	67	1	290	80	-	452	-
8	490	11	59	-	334	86	-	490	-
9	473	15	48	1	307	101	1	473	-
10	463	20	71	1	270	101	-	463	-
11	422	19	72	1	223	107	-	422	-
12	459	17	77	-	236	129	-	459	-
13	426	14	66	3	235	108	-	426	-
14	452	16	71	1	230	133	1	452	-
15	376	20	55	2	194	105	-	376	-
16	364	16	41	-	182	125	-	364	-
17	348	18	51	1	170	108	-	348	-
18	344	10	48	-	177	109	-	344	-
19	341	12	41	1	172	115	-	341	-
0-4	1,141	53	299	4	784	-	-	1,140	1
5-9	2,450	71	338	6	1,670	364	1	2,450	-
10-14	2,222	86	357	6	1,194	578	1	2,222	-
15-19	1,773	76	236	4	895	562	-	1,773	-
20-24	1,447	52	147	2	673	573	-	1,447	-
25-29	952	35	83	-	437	397	-	952	-
30+	943	28	77	1	361	476	-	943	-