

**Table 3.3 Live births outside marriage: age of mother and type of registration¹,
Scotland, 1995 to 2005**

Year	Type of Registration (sole or joint)	Live births by age of mother											
		Numbers						Percentages					
		All ages	Under 20	20-24	25-29	30-34	35 and over	All ages	Under 20	20-24	25-29	30-34	35 and over
1995	Total	20,266	3,930	6,872	5,139	2,930	1,395	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Joint	16,207	2,710	5,548	4,268	2,474	1,207	80.0	69.0	80.7	83.1	84.4	86.5
	Sole	4,059	1,220	1,324	871	456	188	20.0	31.0	19.3	16.9	15.6	13.5
1996	Total	21,360	4,228	6,792	5,538	3,164	1,638	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Joint	17,164	2,993	5,421	4,610	2,729	1,411	80.4	70.8	79.8	83.2	86.3	86.1
	Sole	4,196	1,235	1,371	928	435	227	19.6	29.2	20.2	16.8	13.7	13.9
1997	Total	22,388	4,529	6,884	5,710	3,463	1,802	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Joint	18,163	3,205	5,535	4,843	3,030	1,550	81.1	70.8	80.4	84.8	87.5	86.0
	Sole	4,225	1,324	1,349	867	433	252	18.9	29.2	19.6	15.2	12.5	14.0
1998	Total	22,319	4,538	6,651	5,588	3,606	1,936	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Joint	18,241	3,270	5,373	4,788	3,134	1,676	81.7	72.1	80.8	85.7	86.9	86.6
	Sole	4,078	1,268	1,278	800	472	260	18.3	27.9	19.2	14.3	13.1	13.4
1999	Total	22,722	4,521	6,774	5,607	3,828	1,992	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Joint	18,791	3,333	5,548	4,857	3,333	1,720	82.7	73.7	81.9	86.6	87.1	86.3
	Sole	3,931	1,188	1,226	750	495	272	17.3	26.3	18.1	13.4	12.9	13.7
2000	Total	22,625	4,397	6,667	5,463	3,859	2,239	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Joint	18,881	3,214	5,565	4,748	3,399	1,955	83.5	73.1	83.5	86.9	88.1	87.3
	Sole	3,744	1,183	1,102	715	460	284	16.5	26.9	16.5	13.1	11.9	12.7
2001	Total	22,760	4,226	6,810	5,369	3,991	2,364	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Joint	19,218	3,152	5,710	4,690	3,561	2,105	84.4	74.6	83.8	87.4	89.2	89.0
	Sole	3,542	1,074	1,100	679	430	259	15.6	25.4	16.2	12.6	10.8	11.0
2002	Total	22,534	4,017	6,970	5,105	4,019	2,423	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Joint	19,280	3,059	5,940	4,531	3,593	2,157	85.6	76.2	85.2	88.8	89.4	89.0
	Sole	3,254	958	1,030	574	426	266	14.4	23.8	14.8	11.2	10.6	11.0
2003	Total	23,864	3,994	7,378	5,414	4,275	2,803	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Joint	20,542	3,039	6,292	4,822	3,860	2,529	86.1	76.1	85.3	89.1	90.3	90.2
	Sole	3,322	955	1,086	592	415	274	13.9	23.9	14.7	10.9	9.7	9.8
2004	Total	25,202	3,991	7,800	5,831	4,458	3,122	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Joint	21,844	3,029	6,713	5,230	4,040	2,832	86.7	75.9	86.1	89.7	90.6	90.7
	Sole	3,358	962	1,087	601	418	290	13.3	24.1	13.9	10.3	9.4	9.3
2005	Total	25,617	4,000	7,907	5,929	4,425	3,356	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Joint	22,428	3,104	6,879	5,335	4,041	3,069	87.6	77.6	87.0	90.0	91.3	91.4
	Sole	3,189	896	1,028	594	384	287	12.4	22.4	13.0	10.0	8.7	8.6

¹ See Notes and Definitions.