

Table 7: Age and sex structure of administrative areas, mid-2016

	Persons				Males				Females				Sex Ratio ³
	Median age	% under 16	% working age ¹	% pensionable age ²	Median age	% under 16	% working age ¹	% pensionable age ²	Median age	% under 16	% working age ¹	% pensionable age ²	
Scotland	41	17	63	20	40	18	65	17	43	16	61	23	0.95
Council areas													
Aberdeen City	36	15	69	16	35	15	71	13	37	15	66	20	0.99
Aberdeenshire	43	19	61	20	42	19	64	17	43	18	59	23	0.99
Angus	46	17	59	25	44	17	61	21	47	16	56	28	0.95
Argyll and Bute	48	15	58	27	46	15	62	23	50	15	54	31	0.99
City of Edinburgh	36	15	68	16	35	16	71	13	36	14	66	19	0.95
Clackmannanshire	44	18	61	21	43	18	64	18	45	17	59	24	0.96
Dumfries and Galloway	48	16	57	27	47	17	60	24	49	15	55	30	0.94
Dundee City	37	16	65	19	35	17	67	16	38	15	63	22	0.93
East Ayrshire	44	17	61	21	43	18	63	18	45	17	59	24	0.94
East Dunbartonshire	46	17	59	24	44	19	61	20	47	16	57	27	0.94
East Lothian	44	18	60	21	43	19	62	18	44	17	59	24	0.92
East Renfrewshire	43	20	59	21	41	21	61	17	45	19	57	25	0.91
Falkirk	42	18	62	20	41	19	64	17	43	17	60	23	0.96
Fife	43	17	61	22	42	18	63	19	44	16	59	25	0.94
Glasgow City	35	16	69	15	34	17	71	12	36	15	67	18	0.95
Highland	45	17	60	23	44	18	62	20	46	16	57	26	0.96
Inverclyde	45	16	62	22	43	18	64	18	46	15	59	26	0.92
Midlothian	42	19	61	20	41	20	63	17	43	18	59	23	0.93
Moray	44	17	60	22	42	18	63	19	45	17	58	26	0.98
Na h-Eileanan Siar	48	16	57	27	47	17	61	23	49	15	54	31	0.97
North Ayrshire	45	17	60	23	44	18	62	20	46	16	58	26	0.91
North Lanarkshire	41	19	63	18	39	20	65	15	42	18	61	21	0.94
Orkney Islands	47	16	59	25	46	17	62	22	47	15	57	28	0.99
Perth and Kinross	46	16	59	24	44	17	62	21	47	15	57	28	0.96
Renfrewshire	43	17	63	20	41	18	65	17	44	16	60	23	0.93
Scottish Borders	48	17	58	26	47	17	60	23	48	16	55	29	0.94
Shetland Islands	43	18	61	21	42	19	64	18	43	18	59	23	1.03
South Ayrshire	47	16	58	26	46	17	60	23	48	15	56	29	0.91
South Lanarkshire	43	17	62	20	42	18	65	17	44	16	60	24	0.93
Stirling	41	17	63	20	40	18	65	17	42	16	62	23	0.93
West Dunbartonshire	43	18	63	20	41	19	65	16	44	16	61	23	0.91
West Lothian	40	20	63	17	39	21	65	15	41	19	61	20	0.96
NHS Board areas⁴													
Ayrshire and Arran	45	16	61	23	44	17	63	19	46	15	59	26	0.92
Borders	48	17	58	26	47	17	60	23	48	16	55	29	0.94
Dumfries and Galloway	48	18	61	21	47	18	64	18	49	17	59	24	0.96
Fife	43	16	69	15	42	17	71	12	44	15	67	18	0.95
Forth Valley	42	16	65	19	41	17	67	16	43	15	63	22	0.94
Grampian	40	17	64	19	39	17	67	16	41	16	62	22	0.99
Greater Glasgow and Clyde	39	18	61	21	37	18	63	18	40	17	59	24	0.93
Highland	46	16	60	25	45	16	63	21	47	15	57	28	0.95
Lanarkshire	42	18	63	19	41	19	65	16	43	17	60	22	0.94
Lothian	38	19	61	21	37	20	63	17	39	18	59	24	0.95
Orkney	47	16	59	25	46	17	62	22	47	15	57	28	0.99
Shetland	43	18	61	21	42	19	64	18	43	18	59	23	1.03
Tayside	43	16	58	25	41	17	61	22	44	15	56	29	0.95
Western Isles	48	18	62	20	47	19	64	17	49	17	60	23	0.96

Footnotes

1) Working age at 30 June 2016 is defined as men aged 16 to 64 and women aged 16 to approximately 63 years and 86 days.

2) Pensionable age at 30 June 2016 was 65 for men and approximately 63 years and 67 days for women.

3) The sex ratio is the male population divided by the female population.

4) April 2014 NHS Board areas.