

Table 2: Comparison of Census and rolled-forward estimates by Council area, Census Day 2011 ¹

	Rolled-forward estimates	2011 Census Estimates	Difference: 2011 Census minus rolled-forward estimates from 2001 ²	Difference as percentage of Census estimates ²	2011 Census Counts ³	2011 Census response rate (%) ⁴	2001 Census response rate (%) ⁴
Scotland	5,246,000	5,295,400	49,400	0.9	4,959,000	93.7	96.1
Council areas							
Aberdeen City	221,030	222,790	1,760	0.8	208,800	93.7	97.5
Aberdeenshire	245,810	252,970	7,160	2.8	241,600	95.5	98.5
Angus	110,250	115,980	5,730	4.9	109,800	94.7	99.0
Argyll & Bute	89,120	88,170	-950	-1.1	83,200	94.4	93.3
Clackmannanshire	50,910	51,440	530	1.0	49,100	95.5	97.5
Dumfries & Galloway	147,850	151,320	3,470	2.3	144,500	95.5	96.7
Dundee City	145,780	147,270	1,490	1.0	135,000	91.7	94.7
East Ayrshire	120,140	122,770	2,630	2.1	116,500	95.0	96.0
East Dunbartonshire	104,470	105,030	560	0.5	99,600	94.9	97.4
East Lothian	97,870	99,720	1,850	1.9	95,900	96.2	97.8
East Renfrewshire	89,270	90,570	1,300	1.4	85,400	94.3	96.8
Edinburgh, City of	492,630	476,630	-16,000	-3.4	434,300	91.1	93.9
Eilean Siar	25,870	27,680	1,810	6.6	26,100	94.2	99.1
Falkirk	154,830	155,990	1,160	0.7	148,300	95.1	95.7
Fife	367,140	365,200	-1,940	-0.5	347,500	95.2	96.0
Glasgow City	600,440	593,250	-7,190	-1.2	527,700	89.0	92.0
Highland	220,980	232,130	11,150	4.8	218,200	94.0	98.1
Inverclyde	79,570	81,490	1,920	2.4	75,800	93.0	97.0
Midlothian	81,920	83,190	1,270	1.5	79,900	96.1	96.9
Moray	87,430	93,300	5,870	6.3	87,800	94.1	97.0
North Ayrshire	135,270	138,150	2,880	2.1	130,600	94.5	97.2
North Lanarkshire	326,530	337,730	11,200	3.3	316,500	93.7	97.3
Orkney Islands	19,960	21,350	1,390	6.5	20,000	93.7	99.0
Perth & Kinross	148,890	146,650	-2,240	-1.5	138,400	94.4	98.0
Renfrewshire	170,780	174,910	4,130	2.4	163,700	93.6	96.9
Scottish Borders	112,030	113,870	1,840	1.6	109,800	96.4	97.8
Shetland Islands	22,310	23,170	860	3.7	22,100	95.5	97.9
South Ayrshire	111,160	112,800	1,640	1.5	107,500	95.4	97.2
South Lanarkshire	312,140	313,830	1,690	0.5	300,600	95.8	97.0
Stirling	90,120	90,250	130	0.1	84,900	94.1	95.5
West Dunbartonshire	90,640	90,720	80	0.1	85,100	93.8	95.0
West Lothian	172,860	175,120	2,260	1.3	164,700	94.1	95.5

Footnotes

1) Population estimates given in this table have been rounded to the nearest ten.

2) The difference in the number of people estimated by the two sources, and shown as a percentage of the population estimated by the census.

3) The numbers of individual census forms completed and processed by National Records of Scotland in 2011 before any estimation and adjustment to account for missing forms took place. As published in census quality assurance packs.

4) The 2001 and 2011 response rates indicate the number of completed individual census forms returned as a proportion of the total estimated population. The response rate for 2011 is as published in the census release 1/

Source: National Records of Scotland