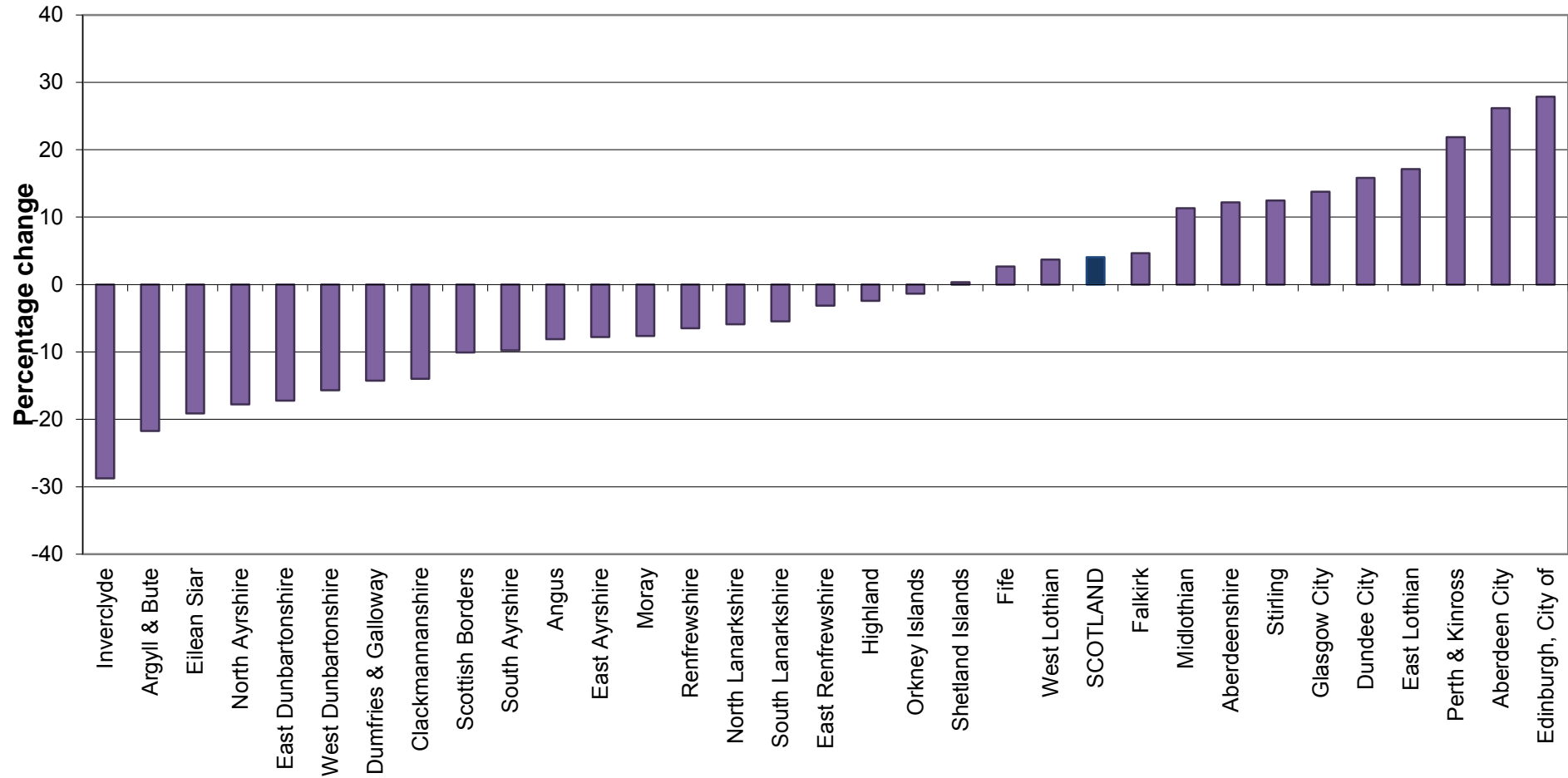


**Figure 4b: Projected percentage change in population of working age<sup>1</sup> (2012-based), by Council area, 2012-2037**



**Footnote**

1) Between 2012 and 2018, State Pension age (SPA) will change from 65 years for men and 61 years for women, to 65 years for both sexes. Then between 2019 and 2020, SPA will change from 65 years to 66 years for both men and women. Between 2034 and 2036, SPA will increase to 67 years for both sexes.