

**Table 3: Components of population change for the 2016-based principal and variant projections for Scotland, 2016 to 2041**

Variant	Estimated population 30 June 2016	Total Births 2016-2041	Total Deaths 2016-2041	Natural change (births minus deaths) 2016-2041	Net migration between Scotland and the rest of the UK 2016-2041	Net migration between Scotland and overseas 2016-2041	Estimated population 30 June 2041	Population change	
								Number	%
<b>Principal projection</b>	<b>5,404,700</b>	<b>1,385,300</b>	<b>1,499,700</b>	<b>-114,400</b>	<b>191,300</b>	<b>211,600</b>	<b>5,693,200</b>	<b>288,500</b>	<b>5.3</b>
High population	5,404,700	1,556,800	1,458,900	97,900	197,800	419,900	6,120,300	715,600	13.2
High Migration	5,404,700	1,445,600	1,506,100	-60,500	195,100	419,900	5,959,200	554,500	10.3
High Fertility	5,404,700	1,492,200	1,500,000	-7,800	193,700	211,600	5,802,200	397,500	7.4
High Life expectancy	5,404,700	1,385,500	1,452,600	-67,100	191,500	211,600	5,740,700	336,000	6.2
Low Life expectancy	5,404,700	1,385,000	1,573,100	-188,100	191,100	211,600	5,619,300	214,600	4.0
Low Fertility	5,404,700	1,254,300	1,499,300	-245,000	188,700	211,600	5,560,000	155,300	2.9
Low Migration	5,404,700	1,324,900	1,493,300	-168,400	187,400	3,500	5,427,200	22,500	0.4
Low population	5,404,700	1,200,300	1,565,700	-365,400	184,700	3,500	5,227,500	-177,200	-3.3
Natural change only	5,404,700	1,253,500	1,491,900	-238,400	0	0	5,166,400	-238,300	-4.4

**Note**

All figures relate to the cumulative projected totals from 2016 to 2041 and are summed to the nearest 100. Totals may not sum due to rounding.