

Table F: Projected percentage change in population (2014-based), by age structure and council area, 2014 to 2039

Area	All ages	Children (aged 0 to 15)	Working age	Pensionable age and over
Scotland	6.6	1.4	1.2	28.3
Council areas (ordered by projected total population change for all ages)				
Na h-Eileanan Siar	-13.7	-27.9	-20.7	11.0
Inverclyde	-12.0	-16.0	-21.0	16.8
Argyll and Bute	-8.0	-12.9	-17.8	16.6
North Ayrshire	-7.5	-14.1	-16.7	22.0
West Dunbartonshire	-6.7	-12.1	-14.5	23.8
Dumfries and Galloway	-4.7	-8.8	-12.9	16.1
East Ayrshire	-3.9	-9.1	-10.9	21.2
Clackmannanshire	-3.0	-9.6	-12.5	32.0
South Ayrshire	-2.2	-7.5	-10.8	21.1
Shetland Islands	-0.7	-11.3	-8.2	32.2
North Lanarkshire	-0.4	-9.0	-6.6	30.6
Renfrewshire	0.3	-2.6	-7.0	25.8
Orkney Islands	2.4	-6.7	-4.2	25.2
Scottish Borders	2.7	-0.1	-7.4	27.9
Highland	3.4	-6.5	-4.4	31.5
Angus	3.5	-2.7	-3.5	25.2
South Lanarkshire	3.6	-3.3	-4.3	34.2
Moray	4.1	-8.1	-2.9	33.3
Fife	5.4	1.6	-1.2	27.5
East Dunbartonshire	5.9	4.4	-3.2	30.4
Dundee City	5.9	8.2	4.6	8.5
Glasgow City	6.7	3.9	3.9	22.2
Falkirk	8.4	-0.6	2.2	36.5
West Lothian	8.6	-1.9	1.5	47.9
Stirling	10.7	4.1	5.9	31.6
Perth and Kinross	12.2	6.1	6.0	32.0
East Renfrewshire	13.3	14.4	7.1	30.2
Aberdeen City	17.1	19.4	15.7	20.5
East Lothian	17.8	12.3	11.2	41.9
Aberdeenshire	19.7	14.3	16.5	35.2
City of Edinburgh	20.7	15.7	18.1	36.2
Midlothian	25.7	25.0	22.4	36.3

Note

Working age and pensionable age and over estimated from State Pension Age. As set out in the 2014 Pensions Act, between 2014 and 2018, the state pension age will rise from 62 to 65 for women. Then between 2019 and 2020, it will rise from 65 years to 66 years for both men and women. A further rise in state pension age to 67 will take place between 2026 and 2028. Between 2044 and 2046, state pension age will increase from 67 to 68. The UK Government plan to review state pension age every five years in line with life expectancy and other factors.