

Table 4.1: Live births, stillbirths¹, perinatal, neonatal, postneonatal and infant deaths, Scotland, 1946 to 2015

| Year | Live births | Stillbirths | Perinatal deaths | Neonatal deaths | Postneonatal deaths | Infant deaths |
|-------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|---------------|
| Both sexes | | | | | | |
| 1946-50 | 101,222 | 3,047 | 5,037 | 2,643 | 2,146 | 4,789 |
| 1951-55 | 91,366 | 2,390 | 3,979 | 1,893 | 1,116 | 3,009 |
| 1956-60 | 98,663 | 2,307 | 3,917 | 1,874 | 881 | 2,755 |
| 1961-65 | 102,642 | 2,000 | 3,512 | 1,745 | 823 | 2,568 |
| 1966-70 | 93,033 | 1,415 | 2,512 | 1,280 | 690 | 1,970 |
| 1971-75 | 75,541 | 939 | 1,759 | 956 | 465 | 1,421 |
| 1976-80 | 65,758 | 529 | 1,046 | 613 | 287 | 900 |
| 1981-85 | 66,422 | 389 | 729 | 421 | 274 | 695 |
| 1986-90 | 65,544 | 350 | 598 | 309 | 241 | 550 |
| 1991-95 | 63,571 | 382 (314) | 586 (565) | 267 | 150 | 418 |
| 1996-2000 | 56,856 | 327 (248) | 478 (399) | 204 | 112 | 316 |
| 2001-05 | 52,914 | 297 (232) | 425 (361) | 179 | 96 | 275 |
| 2006-10 | 58,270 | 311 (235) | 433 (357) | 169 | 77 | 245 |
| 2011-15 | 56,891 | 249 (190) | 348 (288) | 137 | 67 | 205 |
| 1971 | 86,728 | 1,155 | 2,151 | 1,168 | 554 | 1,722 |
| 1972 | 78,550 | 1,053 | 1,888 | 974 | 503 | 1,477 |
| 1973 | 74,392 | 873 | 1,690 | 942 | 470 | 1,412 |
| 1974 | 70,093 | 850 | 1,617 | 897 | 429 | 1,326 |
| 1975 | 67,943 | 765 | 1,448 | 799 | 369 | 1,168 |
| 1976 | 64,895 | 629 | 1,199 | 666 | 293 | 959 |
| 1977 | 62,342 | 553 | 1,150 | 706 | 298 | 1,004 |
| 1978 | 64,295 | 524 | 999 | 564 | 266 | 830 |
| 1979 | 68,366 | 475 | 973 | 594 | 284 | 878 |
| 1980 | 68,892 | 463 | 909 | 535 | 296 | 831 |
| 1981 | 69,054 | 436 | 808 | 474 | 306 | 780 |
| 1982 | 66,196 | 386 | 766 | 472 | 281 | 753 |
| 1983 | 65,078 | 379 | 696 | 379 | 267 | 646 |
| 1984 | 65,106 | 379 | 718 | 416 | 256 | 672 |
| 1985 | 66,676 | 366 | 656 | 364 | 260 | 624 |
| 1986 | 65,812 | 385 | 673 | 343 | 238 | 581 |
| 1987 | 66,241 | 339 | 594 | 312 | 251 | 563 |
| 1988 | 66,212 | 357 | 594 | 300 | 243 | 543 |
| 1989 | 63,480 | 319 | 553 | 300 | 254 | 554 |
| 1990 | 65,973 | 349 | 574 | 289 | 221 | 510 |
| 1991 | 67,024 | 369 | 582 | 292 | 181 | 473 |
| 1992 | 65,789 | 356 (321) | 597 (562) | 304 | 145 | 449 |
| 1993 | 63,337 | 409 (306) | 611 (508) | 254 | 158 | 412 |
| 1994 | 61,656 | 381 (281) | 558 (458) | 246 | 136 | 382 |
| 1995 | 60,051 | 397 (294) | 582 (479) | 241 | 132 | 375 |
| 1996 | 59,296 | 381 (300) | 552 (471) | 233 | 132 | 365 |
| 1997 | 59,440 | 319 (245) | 466 (392) | 189 | 127 | 316 |
| 1998 | 57,319 | 351 (259) | 504 (412) | 206 | 114 | 320 |
| 1999 | 55,147 | 286 (220) | 422 (356) | 182 | 94 | 276 |
| 2000 | 53,076 | 298 (215) | 448 (365) | 212 | 93 | 305 |
| 2001 | 52,527 | 301 (242) | 449 (390) | 199 | 91 | 290 |
| 2002 | 51,270 | 278 (216) | 391 (329) | 163 | 107 | 270 |
| 2003 | 52,432 | 296 (237) | 424 (365) | 178 | 87 | 265 |
| 2004 | 53,957 | 317 (240) | 439 (362) | 166 | 100 | 266 |
| 2005 | 54,386 | 292 (226) | 423 (357) | 190 | 94 | 284 |
| 2006 | 55,690 | 296 (226) | 415 (345) | 172 | 76 | 248 |
| 2007 | 57,781 | 327 (240) | 456 (369) | 188 | 84 | 272 |
| 2008 | 60,041 | 325 (261) | 447 (383) | 168 | 85 | 253 |
| 2009 | 59,046 | 317 (237) | 437 (357) | 165 | 70 | 235 |
| 2010 | 58,791 | 291 (211) | 409 (329) | 150 | 68 | 218 |
| 2011 | 58,590 | 299 (222) | 409 (332) | 159 | 79 | 238 |
| 2012 | 58,027 | 274 (215) | 379 (320) | 148 | 69 | 217 |
| 2013 | 56,014 | 234 (178) | 327 (271) | 131 | 55 | 186 |
| 2014 | 56,725 | 228 (175) | 334 (281) | 137 | 70 | 207 |
| 2015 | 55,098 | 211 (158) | 291 (238) | 112 | 63 | 175 |

Footnote

1) The Still-Birth (Definition) Act 1992 re-defined stillbirths, from 1 October 1992, to include losses between 24 and 27 weeks gestation. This table includes all stillbirths registered during the year. The figures in brackets show those stillbirths with a gestation period of 28 weeks and over.

Table 4.1 (continued)

| Year | Live births | Stillbirths | Perinatal deaths | Neonatal deaths | Postneonatal deaths | Infant deaths |
|---------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|---------------|
| Males ² | | | | | | |
| 1946-50 | 52,146 | 1,606 | 2,767 | 1,527 | 1,248 | 2,775 |
| 1951-55 | 46,952 | 1,244 | 2,173 | 1,104 | 626 | 1,730 |
| 1956-60 | 50,677 | 1,162 | 2,119 | 1,109 | 489 | 1,599 |
| 1961-65 | 52,862 | 1,003 | 1,906 | 1,035 | 459 | 1,494 |
| 1966-70 | 47,996 | 717 | 1,357 | 742 | 399 | 1,141 |
| 1971-75 | 38,838 | 473 | 956 | 558 | 258 | 816 |
| 1976-80 | 33,860 | 268 | 577 | 363 | 157 | 521 |
| 1981-85 | 34,023 | 217 | 407 | 230 | 166 | 396 |
| 1986-90 | 33,661 | 133 | 328 | 177 | 147 | 323 |
| 1991-95 | 32,491 | 210 (174) | 332 (295) | 156 | 86 | 243 |
| 1996-2000 | 29,195 | 181 (136) | 268 (223) | 116 | 65 | 182 |
| 2001-05 | 27,152 | 156 (121) | 229 (194) | 102 | 55 | 157 |
| 2006-10 | 29,755 | 164 (124) | 235 (195) | 95 | 45 | 140 |
| 2011-15 | 29,212 | 122 (95) | 177 (149) | 76 | 40 | 116 |
| 1971 | 44,467 | 613 | 1,205 | 689 | 299 | 988 |
| 1972 | 40,280 | 528 | 1,013 | 561 | 272 | 833 |
| 1973 | 38,601 | 441 | 939 | 570 | 271 | 841 |
| 1974 | 35,824 | 424 | 864 | 509 | 239 | 748 |
| 1975 | 35,017 | 358 | 757 | 461 | 208 | 669 |
| 1976 | 33,501 | 324 | 670 | 396 | 172 | 568 |
| 1977 | 31,993 | 246 | 603 | 417 | 168 | 585 |
| 1978 | 33,059 | 274 | 559 | 339 | 140 | 479 |
| 1979 | 35,351 | 257 | 544 | 343 | 147 | 490 |
| 1980 | 35,395 | 237 | 507 | 322 | 159 | 481 |
| 1981 | 35,283 | 231 | 432 | 249 | 186 | 435 |
| 1982 | 33,911 | 219 | 447 | 275 | 161 | 436 |
| 1983 | 33,656 | 215 | 393 | 206 | 174 | 380 |
| 1984 | 33,144 | 224 | 419 | 234 | 155 | 389 |
| 1985 | 34,120 | 197 | 345 | 186 | 156 | 342 |
| 1986 | 33,874 | 208 | 372 | 190 | 144 | 334 |
| 1987 | 33,970 | 156 | 303 | 181 | 150 | 331 |
| 1988 | 34,060 | 186 | 331 | 181 | 143 | 324 |
| 1989 | 32,504 | 185 | 326 | 172 | 159 | 331 |
| 1990 | 33,898 | 183 | 309 | 159 | 138 | 297 |
| 1991 | 34,419 | 203 | 340 | 188 | 111 | 299 |
| 1992 | 33,610 | 198 (178) | 352 (332) | 184 | 81 | 265 |
| 1993 | 32,374 | 233 (174) | 353 (294) | 146 | 94 | 240 |
| 1994 | 31,399 | 203 (148) | 302 (247) | 137 | 75 | 212 |
| 1995 | 30,652 | 215 (165) | 311 (261) | 127 | 68 | 197 |
| 1996 | 30,523 | 215 (170) | 309 (264) | 131 | 75 | 206 |
| 1997 | 30,516 | 164 (124) | 248 (208) | 104 | 82 | 186 |
| 1998 | 29,496 | 194 (141) | 284 (231) | 117 | 66 | 183 |
| 1999 | 28,246 | 157 (121) | 240 (204) | 108 | 53 | 161 |
| 2000 | 27,196 | 173 (123) | 260 (210) | 122 | 51 | 173 |
| 2001 | 26,786 | 163 (131) | 248 (216) | 108 | 47 | 155 |
| 2002 | 26,218 | 150 (114) | 209 (173) | 97 | 70 | 167 |
| 2003 | 26,906 | 154 (115) | 226 (187) | 98 | 48 | 146 |
| 2004 | 27,769 | 172 (135) | 247 (210) | 101 | 59 | 160 |
| 2005 | 28,083 | 139 (110) | 214 (185) | 107 | 52 | 159 |
| 2006 | 28,473 | 151 (114) | 221 (184) | 97 | 48 | 145 |
| 2007 | 29,694 | 175 (133) | 251 (209) | 104 | 50 | 154 |
| 2008 | 30,570 | 177 (142) | 250 (215) | 92 | 48 | 140 |
| 2009 | 30,165 | 158 (118) | 229 (189) | 100 | 42 | 142 |
| 2010 | 29,872 | 157 (114) | 222 (179) | 84 | 35 | 119 |
| 2011 | 30,111 | 153 (115) | 216 (178) | 91 | 48 | 139 |
| 2012 | 29,713 | 136 (104) | 198 (166) | 88 | 45 | 133 |
| 2013 | 28,828 | 106 (84) | 152 (130) | 65 | 33 | 98 |
| 2014 | 29,056 | 112 (91) | 168 (147) | 72 | 38 | 110 |
| 2015 | 28,354 | 104 (81) | 149 (126) | 63 | 36 | 99 |

Footnote

2) Includes any cases for which the sex was not known.

Table 4.1 (continued)

| Year | Live births | Stillbirths | Perinatal deaths | Neonatal deaths | Postneonatal deaths | Infant deaths |
|----------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|---------------|
| Females | | | | | | |
| 1946-50 | 49,076 | 1,441 | 2,270 | 1,117 | 898 | 2,015 |
| 1951-55 | 44,414 | 1,146 | 1,807 | 789 | 490 | 1,279 |
| 1956-60 | 47,986 | 1,145 | 1,798 | 765 | 392 | 1,157 |
| 1961-65 | 49,780 | 997 | 1,606 | 710 | 364 | 1,074 |
| 1966-70 | 45,037 | 698 | 1,156 | 538 | 291 | 829 |
| 1971-75 | 36,703 | 466 | 803 | 398 | 207 | 605 |
| 1976-80 | 31,898 | 261 | 469 | 250 | 130 | 380 |
| 1981-85 | 32,399 | 172 | 322 | 191 | 108 | 299 |
| 1986-90 | 31,882 | 166 | 269 | 132 | 95 | 227 |
| 1991-95 | 31,081 | 172 (141) | 254 (223) | 111 | 65 | 176 |
| 1996-2000 | 27,660 | 146 (112) | 210 (176) | 88 | 47 | 135 |
| 2001-05 | 25,762 | 141 (111) | 196 (166) | 77 | 41 | 118 |
| 2006-10 | 28,515 | 148 (111) | 198 (161) | 73 | 32 | 105 |
| 2011-15 | 27,678 | 127 (95) | 171 (139) | 62 | 27 | 89 |
| 1971 | 42,261 | 542 | 946 | 479 | 255 | 734 |
| 1972 | 38,270 | 525 | 875 | 413 | 231 | 644 |
| 1973 | 35,791 | 432 | 751 | 372 | 199 | 571 |
| 1974 | 34,269 | 426 | 753 | 388 | 190 | 578 |
| 1975 | 32,926 | 407 | 691 | 338 | 161 | 499 |
| 1976 | 31,394 | 305 | 529 | 270 | 121 | 391 |
| 1977 | 30,349 | 307 | 547 | 289 | 130 | 419 |
| 1978 | 31,236 | 250 | 440 | 225 | 126 | 351 |
| 1979 | 33,015 | 218 | 429 | 251 | 137 | 388 |
| 1980 | 33,497 | 226 | 402 | 213 | 137 | 350 |
| 1981 | 33,771 | 205 | 376 | 225 | 120 | 345 |
| 1982 | 32,285 | 167 | 319 | 197 | 120 | 317 |
| 1983 | 31,422 | 164 | 303 | 173 | 93 | 266 |
| 1984 | 31,962 | 155 | 299 | 182 | 101 | 283 |
| 1985 | 32,556 | 169 | 311 | 178 | 104 | 282 |
| 1986 | 31,938 | 177 | 301 | 153 | 94 | 247 |
| 1987 | 32,271 | 183 | 291 | 131 | 101 | 232 |
| 1988 | 32,152 | 171 | 263 | 119 | 100 | 219 |
| 1989 | 30,976 | 134 | 227 | 128 | 95 | 223 |
| 1990 | 32,075 | 166 | 265 | 130 | 83 | 213 |
| 1991 | 32,605 | 166 | 242 | 104 | 70 | 174 |
| 1992 | 32,179 | 158 (143) | 245 (230) | 120 | 64 | 184 |
| 1993 | 30,963 | 176 (132) | 258 (214) | 108 | 64 | 172 |
| 1994 | 30,257 | 178 (133) | 256 (211) | 109 | 61 | 170 |
| 1995 | 29,399 | 182 (129) | 271 (218) | 114 | 64 | 178 |
| 1996 | 28,773 | 165 (129) | 242 (206) | 102 | 57 | 159 |
| 1997 | 28,924 | 155 (121) | 218 (184) | 85 | 45 | 130 |
| 1998 | 27,823 | 157 (118) | 220 (181) | 89 | 48 | 137 |
| 1999 | 26,901 | 129 (99) | 182 (152) | 74 | 41 | 115 |
| 2000 | 25,880 | 125 (92) | 188 (155) | 90 | 42 | 132 |
| 2001 | 25,741 | 138 (111) | 201 (174) | 91 | 44 | 135 |
| 2002 | 25,052 | 128 (102) | 182 (156) | 66 | 37 | 103 |
| 2003 | 25,526 | 142 (122) | 198 (178) | 80 | 39 | 119 |
| 2004 | 26,188 | 145 (105) | 192 (152) | 65 | 41 | 106 |
| 2005 | 26,303 | 153 (116) | 209 (172) | 83 | 42 | 125 |
| 2006 | 27,217 | 145 (112) | 194 (161) | 75 | 28 | 103 |
| 2007 | 28,087 | 152 (107) | 205 (160) | 84 | 34 | 118 |
| 2008 | 29,471 | 148 (119) | 197 (168) | 76 | 37 | 113 |
| 2009 | 28,881 | 159 (119) | 208 (168) | 65 | 28 | 93 |
| 2010 | 28,919 | 134 (97) | 187 (150) | 66 | 33 | 99 |
| 2011 | 28,479 | 146 (107) | 193 (154) | 68 | 31 | 99 |
| 2012 | 28,314 | 138 (111) | 181 (154) | 60 | 24 | 84 |
| 2013 | 27,186 | 128 (94) | 175 (141) | 66 | 22 | 88 |
| 2014 | 27,669 | 116 (84) | 166 (134) | 65 | 32 | 97 |
| 2015 | 26,744 | 107 (77) | 142 (112) | 49 | 27 | 76 |