



Scotland's People Local Authority Tables

The Composition and Characteristics of Households in Scotland

Scottish Borders (2019) compared to Scotland (2019)

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Table 2.1: Age of all household members by year

Column percentages, Persons

Another breakdown of this table can be found at the [Scottish Surveys Core Questions](#)

Scottish Borders

Age	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
0-15	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17
16-24	10	9	9	9	9	9	7	9
25-34	8	9	9	9	9	9	11	9
35-44	13	13	12	11	11	11	10	10
45-59	23	23	24	24	23	23	24	24
60-74	20	21	19	23	23	21	20	20
75+	8	9	10	8	9	11	11	11
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	540	560	580	520	530	510	540	580

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Age	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
0-15	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17
16-24	12	12	12	11	11	11	11	11
25-34	13	13	13	13	13	13	14	14
35-44	13	13	13	12	12	12	12	12
45-59	21	22	22	22	21	22	22	22
60-74	16	16	16	17	17	17	17	17
75+	7	7	7	8	8	8	8	8
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	23240	23530	23410	22610	22760	23080	22610	22990

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Table 2.2: Gender of all household members by year

Column percentages, Persons

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Scottish Borders

Gender	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Man/Boy	49	49	49	48	48	48	49	49
Woman/Girl	51	51	51	52	52	52	51	51
Identified in another way	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	540	560	580	520	530	510	540	580

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Gender	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Man/Boy	48	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
Woman/Girl	52	52	51	51	51	51	51	51
Identified in another way	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	23240	23530	23410	22610	22760	23080	22610	22990

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Table 2.3: All household members with a long-term physical or mental health condition by year**Column percentages, Persons**

This question was changed in 2014, so this data is no longer comparable with previous years. Therefore, 2013 data is not presented here.

[Another breakdown of this table can be found at the Scottish Surveys Core Questions](#)

Scottish Borders

Long-term physical or mental health condition	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Yes	22	22	20	20	21	22
No	78	78	80	80	79	78
All	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	580	510	520	510	540	580

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Long-term physical or mental health condition	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Yes	22	23	22	22	23	24
No	78	77	78	78	77	76
All	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	23290	22520	22670	23000	22500	22860

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Table 2.4: Age of adults by year

Column percentages, Adults

Scottish Borders

Age	1999/2000	2001/2002	2003/2004	2005/2006	2007/2008	2009/2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
16-34	26	24	23	22	23	22	*	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22
35-44	19	19	19	19	19	18	*	16	15	14	13	13	13	13	12
45-59	26	26	27	28	27	26	*	29	27	28	30	27	27	30	31
60-74	21	21	20	21	21	23	*	23	26	23	25	29	26	24	23
75+	9	9	11	10	10	11	*	10	10	12	10	9	13	12	13
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	*	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	570	610	630	600	530	540	*	240	250	250	220	230	220	230	240

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Age	1999/2000	2001/2002	2003/2004	2005/2006	2007/2008	2009/2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
16-34	31	30	30	29	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	29
35-44	19	19	19	19	18	18	17	16	16	16	15	15	15	15	15
45-59	24	24	25	25	24	25	25	25	26	26	26	26	26	26	26
60-74	18	18	18	18	19	19	19	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	21
75+	8	8	9	8	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	10	10	10
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	28340	28680	28750	28260	24610	24980	12890	9890	9920	9800	9410	9640	9810	9700	9780

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Table 2.5: Gender of adults by year

Column percentages, Adults

Scottish Borders

Gender	1999/2000	2001/2002	2003/2004	2005/2006	2007/2008	2009/2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Man/Boy	47	48	48	48	48	48	*	48	48	48	48	48	48	48	48
Woman/Girl	53	52	52	52	52	52	*	52	52	52	52	52	52	52	52
Identified in another way	-	-	-	-	-	-	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	*	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	570	610	630	600	530	540	*	240	250	250	220	230	220	230	240

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Gender	1999/2000	2001/2002	2003/2004	2005/2006	2007/2008	2009/2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Man/Boy	47	47	47	48	48	48	48	48	48	48	48	48	48	48	48
Woman/Girl	53	53	53	52	52	52	52	52	52	52	52	52	52	52	52
Identified in another way	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	28340	28690	28750	28260	24610	24980	12890	9890	9920	9800	9410	9640	9810	9700	9780

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Table 2.6: Adults with a long-term physical or mental health condition by year

Column percentages, Adults

The question asked in its current form was introduced in 2012 and so not directly comparable with the previous years

[Another breakdown of this table can be found at the Scottish Surveys Core Questions](#)

Scottish Borders

Long-term physical or mental health condition	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Yes, limiting	26	21	26	26	26	23	25	20
Yes, but not limiting	5	9	7	8	5	9	4	6
None	69	70	67	66	70	68	70	75
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	90	250	250	220	230	210	230	240

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Long-term physical or mental health condition	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Yes, limiting	22	22	23	23	24	22	23	24
Yes, but not limiting	5	6	7	6	7	6	7	6
None	73	72	70	71	70	72	70	70
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	3200	9860	9750	9370	9610	9760	9660	9740

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Table 2.7: Ethnicity of adults by year

Column percentages, Adults

Another breakdown of this table can be found at the [Scottish Surveys Core Questions](#)

Scottish Borders

Ethnicity	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
White Scottish/British	98	96	95	96	95	93	93
White other	2	4	5	3	4	5	6
Any Mixed or Multiple Ethnic Groups	-	-	0	1	1	-	-
Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British	0	0	-	-	0	1	-
African	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Caribbean or Black	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Ethnic Group	-	0	-	0	1	1	-
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	250	250	220	230	220	230	240

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Scotland

Ethnicity	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
White Scottish/British	92	91	91	91	90	89	89
White other	5	5	5	5	6	7	7
Any Mixed or Multiple Ethnic Groups	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British	2	2	2	2	3	3	3
African	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Caribbean or Black	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Ethnic Group	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Don't know	-	0	0	0	-	0	0
Refused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	9920	9800	9410	9640	9810	9700	9780

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Table 2.8: Economic status of all adults aged 16-64

Column percentages, Adults

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Scottish Borders, 2019

Economic status	All adults	Adults aged 16 to 64
Self employed	11	15
Employed full time	31	44
Employed part time	14	19
Looking after the home or family	2	3
Permanently retired from work	30	5
Unemployed and seeking work	3	4
At school	1	1
In further/higher education	2	3
Government work or training scheme	-	-
Permanently sick or disabled	3	3
Unable to work because of short-term illness or injury	1	2
Other	-	-
Refused	-	-
All	100	100
Base	240	140

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Scotland, 2019

Economic status	All adults	Adults aged 16 to 64
Self employed	7	8
Employed full time	38	49
Employed part time	11	13
Looking after the home or family	4	5
Permanently retired from work	24	5
Unemployed and seeking work	3	4
At school	1	2
In further/higher education	5	6
Government work or training scheme	0	0
Permanently sick or disabled	4	5
Unable to work because of short-term illness or injury	1	1
Other	0	1
Refused	0	0
All	100	100
Base	9780	6590

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Table 2.9: Economic status of adults by year - selected groups

Column percentages, Adults

Scottish Borders

Economic status	1999/2000	2001/2002	2003/2004	2005/2006	2007/2008	2009/2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Self employed	6	7	7	6	8	12	*	8	13	11	11	12	6	7	11
Employed full time	36	36	36	38	36	34	*	36	27	34	30	29	30	29	31
Employed part time	14	14	11	13	13	10	*	18	16	10	11	9	16	19	14
Looking after the home or family	8	7	8	4	5	6	*	5	5	2	7	4	5	3	2
Permanently retired from work	27	27	28	26	27	27	*	26	30	28	29	32	32	30	30
Unemployed and seeking work	3	1	1	3	2	3	*	3	3	4	6	3	2	3	3
At school	2	3	2	2	1	2	*	-	1	6	2	3	4	2	1
In further/higher education	2	2	3	2	4	3	*	1	2	1	1	4	1	1	2
Government work or training scheme	0	0	-	-	0	-	*	0	-	0	-	-	1	-	-
Permanently sick or disabled	2	2	3	4	3	3	*	3	3	3	3	3	3	5	3
Unable to work because of short-term illness or injury	1	1	0	1	1	0	*	0	0	1	0	-	0	1	1
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	*	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	570	610	630	600	530	540	*	240	250	250	220	230	220	230	240

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Economic status	1999/2000	2001/2002	2003/2004	2005/2006	2007/2008	2009/2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Self employed	5	5	5	5	6	6	6	6	6	5	6	6	6	6	7
Employed full time	37	38	38	38	38	36	37	36	37	38	38	37	38	38	38
Employed part time	10	10	10	11	10	11	11	11	10	11	11	10	11	10	11
Looking after the home or family	8	8	7	6	6	5	5	5	6	5	5	5	5	4	4
Permanently retired from work	23	23	23	23	23	23	24	24	24	24	24	25	24	24	24
Unemployed and seeking work	5	4	4	4	3	5	5	5	5	4	4	3	3	4	3
At school	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1
In further/higher education	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	6	6	6	5	5	5
Government work or training scheme	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Permanently sick or disabled	5	5	5	5	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	5	4
Unable to work because of short-term illness or injury	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1
Other	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	28340	28690	28750	28260	24610	24980	12890	9890	9920	9800	9410	9640	9810	9700	9780

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Table 2.10: Sexual orientation of adults by year

Column percentages, Adults

Another breakdown of this table can be found at the [Scottish Surveys Core Questions](#)

Scottish Borders

Sexual orientation	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Heterosexual/Straight	*	98	98	98	98	99	100	98	100
Gay/Lesbian	*	1	1	1	1	1	-	1	-
Bisexual	*	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-
Other	*	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Refused	*	-	0	-	2	-	-	0	-
All	*	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	*	240	250	250	220	230	220	230	240

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Sexual orientation	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Heterosexual/Straight	98	98	99	98	98	98	98	98	97
Gay/Lesbian	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
Bisexual	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Refused	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	12890	9890	9920	9800	9410	9640	9810	9700	9780

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Table 2.11: Religious belonging of adults by year

Column percentages, Adults

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Scottish Borders

Religious and ethnic belonging	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
None	42	38	*	44	45	49	54	53	58	61	64
Church of Scotland	41	44	*	41	36	37	28	29	27	22	20
Roman Catholic	4	5	*	5	6	4	7	6	8	7	3
Other Christian	11	12	*	9	12	9	10	10	7	9	12
Another religion	2	1	*	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1
All	100	100	*	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	280	260	*	240	250	250	220	230	220	230	240

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Religious and ethnic belonging	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
None	40	42	42	43	46	47	50	51	52	51	56
Church of Scotland	34	33	32	30	28	28	25	24	23	22	20
Roman Catholic	15	15	16	16	15	14	14	14	14	14	13
Other Christian	8	7	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	10	8
Another religion	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	3	3
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	12540	12440	12890	9890	9920	9800	9410	9640	9810	9700	9780

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Table 2.12: Marital status of adults by year

Column percentages, Adults

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Scottish Borders

Marital status	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Single, never been married/in civil partnership	28	26	29	25	23	30	27
Married/Civil partnership	54	57	52	57	59	56	55
Divorced/Separated	10	10	13	11	11	9	11
Widowed/Bereaved civil partner	7	7	7	6	7	6	7
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	250	250	220	230	220	230	240

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Marital status	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Single, never been married/in civil partnership	34	35	35	36	36	37	36
Married/Civil partnership	48	47	47	47	47	47	48
Divorced/Separated	10	10	11	10	10	10	9
Widowed/Bereaved civil partner	8	7	7	7	7	6	7
Refused	0	-	-	0	0	0	-
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	9920	9800	9410	9640	9810	9700	9780

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Table 2.13: Current marital status of adults by age

Column percentages, Adults

Scottish Borders, 2019

Marital status	16-24	25-34	35-44	45-59	60-74	75+	All
Single, never been married/in civil partnership	*	*	*	16	6	3	26.701
Married/Civil partnership	*	*	*	69	69	45	55.310
Divorced/Separated	*	*	*	12	19	12	10.898
Widowed/Bereaved civil partner	*	*	*	2	5	40	7.091
Refused	*	*	*	-	-	-	-
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100.000
Base	10	20	40	60	60	50	240

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Scotland, 2019

Marital status	16-24	25-34	35-44	45-59	60-74	75+	All
Single, never been married/in civil partnership	97	67	35	22	10	6	36.314
Married/Civil partnership	3	30	58	61	65	44	47.578
Divorced/Separated	1	2	7	15	15	7	9.102
Widowed/Bereaved civil partner	-	0	0	2	10	44	7.006
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100.000
Base	620	1320	1420	2410	2540	1470	9780

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Table 2.14: Age of adults by marital status

Row percentages, Adults

Scottish Borders, 2019

Marital status	16-24	25-34	35-44	45-59	60-74	75+	All	Base
Single, never been married/in civil partnership	36	27	13	19	5	1	100.000	60
Married/Civil partnership	2	6	15	38	29	10	100.000	110
Divorced/Separated	-	*	*	*	*	*	100.000	40
Widowed/Bereaved civil partner	-	-	-	*	*	*	100.000	30
All	10	11	12	31	23	13	100.000	240

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Scotland, 2019

Marital status	16-24	25-34	35-44	45-59	60-74	75+	All	Base
Single, never been married/in civil partnership	29	34	14	15	6	2	100.000	3180
Married/Civil partnership	1	12	18	33	28	9	100.000	4060
Divorced/Separated	1	4	11	43	34	7	100.000	1280
Widowed/Bereaved civil partner	-	1	1	8	30	60	100.000	1260
All	11	18	15	26	21	10	100.000	9780

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Table 2.15: Household type of households by year

Column percentages, Households

It should be noted that the definition of a single parent does not make any distinction between situations where a child has regular contact and/or partly resides with their other parent and a child who solely resides with and is cared for by one parent

Another breakdown of this table can be found at the Scottish Surveys Core Questions

Scottish Borders

Household type	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Single adult	20	19	17	16	16	16	18	19
Small adult	14	14	18	22	21	18	22	21
Single parent	4	5	4	5	5	2	2	3
Small family	13	12	12	11	9	12	13	11
Large family	6	5	5	5	7	6	4	5
Large adult	7	7	10	7	5	10	6	5
Older smaller	19	23	19	20	19	19	19	18
Single pensioner	17	15	15	14	17	17	15	18
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	260	270	270	240	250	240	260	270

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Household type	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Single adult	19	18	19	20	21	20	22	20
Small adult	18	17	17	20	20	19	20	20
Single parent	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	4
Small family	12	13	12	12	12	13	12	13
Large family	6	5	6	5	5	5	5	5
Large adult	10	10	10	9	9	10	9	9
Older smaller	15	15	15	13	13	13	14	14
Single pensioner	15	16	16	15	14	14	14	14
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	10640	10650	10630	10330	10470	10680	10530	10580

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Table 2.16: Households with children by year

Column percentages, Households

It should be noted that the definition of a single parent does not make any distinction between situations where a child has regular contact and/or partly resides with their other parent and a child who solely resides with and is cared for by one parent

Scottish Borders

Household type	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Single parent	17	23	*	23	25	*	*	17
Small family	57	55	*	54	42	*	*	57
Large family	26	22	*	23	33	*	*	25
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	60	60	50	50	60	50	50	60

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Scotland

Household type	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Single parent	23	22	22	22	24	21	22	19
Small family	52	55	54	54	55	56	55	57
Large family	24	23	25	24	22	23	23	23
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	2460	2560	2510	2440	2420	2390	2260	2440

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Table 2.17: Property type of households by year

Column percentages, Households

Scottish Borders

Property type	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
A house or bungalow	75	74	73	73	77	76	77	76
A flat, maisonette or apartment (including four-in-a-block or conversion)	24	25	26	27	23	23	23	23
A room or rooms	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	1
A caravan, mobile home or a houseboat	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Some other kind of accommodation	-	0	-	-	-	0	0	1
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	260	270	270	240	250	240	260	270

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Property type	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
A house or bungalow	65	64	64	65	64	66	66	66
A flat, maisonette or apartment (including four-in-a-block or conversion)	34	35	35	35	35	34	33	34
A room or rooms	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A caravan, mobile home or a houseboat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Some other kind of accommodation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	10640	10650	10630	10330	10470	10680	10530	10580

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Table 2.18: Tenure of households by year**Column percentages, Households****Another breakdown of this table can be found at the Scottish Surveys Core Questions****Scottish Borders**

Tenure	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Owner occupied	63	61	64	58	65	66	63	58
Social rented	18	22	22	26	19	19	22	22
Private rented	17	12	12	16	12	12	12	18
Other	2	5	2	-	3	3	4	2
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	260	270	270	240	250	240	260	270

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Tenure	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Owner occupied	63	61	60	61	61	62	62	62
Social rented	23	23	24	23	23	22	23	24
Private rented	13	13	14	14	15	15	14	14
Other	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	10640	10650	10630	10330	10470	10680	10530	10580

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Table 2.19: Scottish Index of Multiple Deprivation of households by year

Column percentages, Households

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Scottish Borders

SIMD Quintiles	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
1 - Most Deprived	6	3	6	5	6	4	5	5
2	15	18	15	19	15	14	17	19
3	35	33	31	31	39	40	31	39
4	39	39	42	40	34	32	37	31
5 - 20% Least Deprived	6	6	6	5	7	10	10	7
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	260	270	270	240	250	240	260	270

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Scotland

SIMD Quintiles	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
1 - Most Deprived	21	21	21	21	22	21	21	21
2	21	20	20	20	21	20	20	21
3	20	21	20	21	20	20	20	20
4	20	19	20	20	19	19	20	20
5 - 20% Least Deprived	18	19	18	18	19	20	19	19
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	10640	10650	10630	10330	10470	10680	10530	10580

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Table 2.20: Urban rural split of households by year

Column percentages, Households

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Scottish Borders

Urban/rural classification	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Large urban areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other urban areas	28	27	30	26	25	24	26	23
Accessible small towns	18	21	22	25	21	22	22	23
Remote small towns	6	5	5	4	9	9	8	5
Accessible rural	32	33	33	34	39	37	38	42
Remote rural	15	14	9	10	7	8	7	6
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	260	270	270	240	250	240	260	270

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Urban/rural classification	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Large urban areas	40	40	36	36	36	35	35	35
Other urban areas	30	30	34	35	35	36	35	35
Accessible small towns	8	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
Remote small towns	4	4	4	3	4	4	4	4
Accessible rural	11	11	11	11	11	10	11	11
Remote rural	7	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	10640	10650	10630	10330	10470	10680	10530	10580

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Table 2.21: Household income of households by year

Column percentages, Households

Scottish Borders

Total Income	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
GBP 0 - GBP 6000	4	2	6	3	3	3	3	2
GBP 6,001 - GBP 10,000	12	11	10	8	13	8	10	9
GBP 10,001 - GBP 15,000	18	21	18	22	14	19	12	16
GBP 15,001 - GBP 20,000	14	14	8	16	12	17	11	17
GBP 20,001 - GBP 25,000	13	12	14	17	14	13	13	12
GBP 25,001 - GBP 30,000	8	7	12	9	8	7	11	8
GBP 30,001 - GBP 40,000	15	19	17	13	18	14	16	14
GBP 40,001+	16	14	15	11	18	19	24	21
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	250	250	270	240	250	230	240	260

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Scotland

Total Income	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
GBP 0 - GBP 6000	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2
GBP 6,001 - GBP 10,000	11	10	10	9	9	8	7	7
GBP 10,001 - GBP 15,000	19	19	18	18	17	15	15	15
GBP 15,001 - GBP 20,000	16	16	16	16	15	15	15	15
GBP 20,001 - GBP 25,000	13	12	12	12	13	12	12	12
GBP 25,001 - GBP 30,000	10	10	10	9	10	10	10	9
GBP 30,001 - GBP 40,000	13	13	13	15	14	15	14	15
GBP 40,001+	16	17	18	18	20	22	24	24
All	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base	10260	10320	10330	9980	10080	10300	10090	10140

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