**Scottish Council Areas 2001 to 2011 Census Profile Comparator Tool**
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**Highland**

**Introduction:**
Scotland's Censuses for 2001 and 2011 collected a wealth of statistics and information to support our understanding of Scotland's people and places. The profiles in this tool present a selection of interesting graphs and tables to allow comparison between 2001 and 2011 for each of the 32 Council Areas. If you want to find out more about the data used to create these profiles, or would like to find out more about the census in Scotland, please visit www.scotlandscensus.gov.uk or get in touch with us:
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[Click here to find an excel version of the tool.](#)

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**Total Population of Council Area:**
- 2001: 208,914
- 2011: 232,132

**Total number of households in Council Area:**
- 2001: 89,533
- 2011: 102,091

**Total population by five year age bands**

**Highland 2001**

**Highland 2011**

**Percentage of total population by ethnic group**

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<tr>
<th>Ethnic Group</th>
<th>Highland 2001</th>
<th>Highland 2011</th>
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<tr>
<td>White: Scottish</td>
<td>85%</td>
<td>80%</td>
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<td>White: Other</td>
<td>13%</td>
<td>15%</td>
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<td>White: Irish</td>
<td>1%</td>
<td>1%</td>
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<td>White: Other British</td>
<td>1%</td>
<td>3%</td>
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<td>Mixed or multiple ethnic groups</td>
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<td>Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British</td>
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<td>1%</td>
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<td>African, Caribbean or Black</td>
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<td>Other ethnic groups</td>
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**Households by household size (number of occupants)**

**Households by type of tenure**

**Populations economically active by age**

**Key**

**Method of travel to work for those in employment**

*Excludes full-time students*
### Percentage of population providing unpaid care

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<td>Highland 2001</td>
<td>9%</td>
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### Hours of unpaid care given per week

- 1 to 19 hours: Highland 2001 - 66%, Highland 2011 - 59%
- 20 to 49 hours: Highland 2001 - 11%, Highland 2011 - 16%
- 50 or more hours: Highland 2001 - 22%, Highland 2011 - 25%

### Religion

- Christian: Highland 2001 - 67%, Highland 2011 - 54%
- Muslim: Highland 2001 - 0%, Highland 2011 - 1%
- Other religion: Highland 2001 - 1%, Highland 2011 - 1%
- No religion: Highland 2001 - 27%, Highland 2011 - 37%
- Not stated: Highland 2001 - 5%, Highland 2011 - 8%

### Limiting long-term health condition or disability

- Limited: Highland 2001 - 82%, Highland 2011 - 81%
- Not limited: Highland 2001 - 18%, Highland 2011 - 19%

### Industry

- A, B, D, E: Agriculture, Energy and Water
- C: Manufacturing
- F: Construction
- G, I: Distribution, Hotels and Restaurants
- H, J: Transport and Communication
- K, L, M, N: Financial, Real Estate, Professional and Administrative Activities
- O, P, Q: Public Administration, Education and Health
- R, S, T, U: Other

### Number of hours worked per week

- 1 to 19 hours: Highland 2001 - 8%, Highland 2011 - 7%
- 20 to 49 hours: Highland 2001 - 9%, Highland 2011 - 6%
- 50 or more hours: Highland 2001 - 10%, Highland 2011 - 10%

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Further information on the 2011 Census, including explanations of variables, can be found on the Scotland’s Census website: http://www.scotlandscensus.gov.uk/
Metadata

This sheet includes information on the following variables: (click for links to appropriate metadata)

- Age
- Car or van availability
- Economic activity
- Ethnicity
- Hours worked
- Household size
- Industry
- Long-term health problem or disability
- Method of travel to work
- Provision of unpaid care
- Religion
- Sex
- Students
- Tenure

The data and tables used in this profile can be found on the Census Data Explorer:

http://www.scotlandscensus.gov.uk/ods-web/home.html