

**Table 3.8** Live births, numbers and fertility rates by marital status of parents, type of registration and administrative area, Scotland, 2007

Area	Live births								
	Numbers						All live births per 1,000 women aged 15-44	Percentage of live births	
	All live births	To married parents	Total	To unmarried parents		Sole registration		- to unmarried parents	- registered solely or jointly but with different parental addresses
				Joint registration	Different address				
			Same address	Different address					
<b>Scotland</b>	<b>57,781</b>	<b>29,404</b>	<b>28,377</b>	<b>18,774</b>	<b>6,215</b>	<b>3,388</b>	<b>54.8</b>	<b>49.1</b>	<b>16.6</b>
<b>Council areas</b>									
Aberdeen City	2,417	1,316	1,101	759	191	151	52.3	45.6	14.1
Aberdeenshire	2,690	1,693	997	800	124	73	60.0	37.1	7.3
Angus	1,152	572	580	440	70	70	59.4	50.3	12.2
Argyll & Bute	741	390	351	262	61	28	50.1	47.4	12.0
Clackmannanshire	634	319	315	216	61	38	63.9	49.7	15.6
Dumfries & Galloway	1,507	728	779	558	125	96	59.8	51.7	14.7
Dundee City	1,668	626	1,042	667	225	150	53.8	62.5	22.5
East Ayrshire	1,304	550	754	454	184	116	55.0	57.8	23.0
East Dunbartonshire	892	601	291	209	61	21	47.0	32.6	9.2
East Lothian	1,101	601	500	368	90	42	62.1	45.4	12.0
East Renfrewshire	893	643	250	158	58	34	54.3	28.0	10.3
Edinburgh, City of	5,056	2,937	2,119	1,502	317	300	43.9	41.9	12.2
Eilean Siar	263	159	104	59	32	13	60.2	39.5	17.1
Falkirk	1,892	966	926	621	193	112	61.2	48.9	16.1
Fife	4,076	2,014	2,062	1,436	378	248	56.7	50.6	15.4
Glasgow City	7,154	3,117	4,037	2,276	1,183	578	51.2	56.4	24.6
Highland	2,332	1,183	1,149	873	159	117	60.0	49.3	11.8
Inverclyde	857	363	494	261	185	48	53.8	57.6	27.2
Midlothian	937	512	425	293	97	35	59.2	45.4	14.1
Moray	1,001	585	416	304	66	46	65.4	41.6	11.2
North Ayrshire	1,528	585	943	566	264	113	57.7	61.7	24.7
North Lanarkshire	4,045	1,879	2,166	1,311	622	233	59.0	53.5	21.1
Orkney Islands	190	106	84	68	10	6	54.6	44.2	8.4
Perth & Kinross	1,391	770	621	478	92	51	54.5	44.6	10.3
Renfrewshire	1,898	909	989	583	261	145	54.7	52.1	21.4
Scottish Borders	1,170	646	524	394	69	61	59.8	44.8	11.1
Shetland Islands	244	133	111	89	13	9	60.8	45.5	9.0
South Ayrshire	1,029	491	538	341	130	67	51.6	52.3	19.1
South Lanarkshire	3,452	1,856	1,596	1,032	388	176	55.3	46.2	16.3
Stirling	878	516	362	246	80	36	47.6	41.2	13.2
West Dunbartonshire	1,105	442	663	396	203	64	58.4	60.0	24.2
West Lothian	2,284	1,196	1,088	754	223	111	63.7	47.6	14.6
<b>NHS Board areas</b>									
Ayrshire & Arran	3,861	1,626	2,235	1,361	578	296	55.0	57.9	22.6
Borders	1,169	646	523	393	69	61	59.8	44.7	11.1
Dumfries & Galloway	1,507	728	779	558	125	96	59.8	51.7	14.7
Fife	4,076	2,014	2,062	1,436	378	248	56.7	50.6	15.4
Forth Valley	3,405	1,801	1,604	1,084	334	186	57.5	47.1	15.3
Grampian	6,108	3,594	2,514	1,863	381	270	57.4	41.2	10.7
Greater Glasgow & Clyde	13,751	6,615	7,136	4,150	2,051	935	52.8	51.9	21.7
Highland	3,072	1,572	1,500	1,135	220	145	57.3	48.8	11.9
Lanarkshire	6,548	3,198	3,350	2,076	910	364	56.8	51.2	19.5
Lothian	9,378	5,245	4,133	2,918	727	488	50.8	44.1	13.0
Orkney	190	106	84	68	10	6	54.6	44.2	8.4
Shetland	244	133	111	89	13	9	60.8	45.5	9.0
Tayside	4,209	1,967	2,242	1,584	387	271	55.4	53.3	15.6
Western Isles	263	159	104	59	32	13	60.2	39.5	17.1