

Key Transport Statistics

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for more details of all figures apart from the spending plans.

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	Scotland	GB
Households: 1 + cars (%)	69	74
Vehicles (per 100 population)	48	56
Roads (km per 1,000 population)	10.7	6.7
Road traffic (veh-km per head per year)		
Motorways	1,200	1,670
A roads	4,355	3,874
All roads (M, A and minor)	8,406	8,619
Road casualties killed or seriously injured (per 1,000 population per year)	0.60	0.59
Passenger journeys (per head per year)		
Local bus	89	78
Rail	13.1	17.5
Air	4.4	3.6

2004 Scottish Household Survey

Full driving licence	(%)	Households	(%)
All (17+)	65	1 car	43
Men	76	2 cars	19
Women	57	3+ cars	3

% shares (main modes)	Travel to work	Travel to school
Car (driver/passenger)	67	22
Bus	13	24
Rail	3	1
Bicycle	2	1
Walk	13	51

Scottish Executive Transport Spending Plans 2005-06 to 2007-08

	2005-06 plans		2006-07 plans		2007-08 plans	
	£ million	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	2007-08	2007-08
Rail Services in Scotland		259.30	263.90	269.50		
Ferry Services in Scotland		59.70	59.70	61.60		
Bus Services in Scotland		61.60	62.60	63.80		
Concessionary Fares		13.00	109.00	113.00		
Air Services in Scotland		40.40	41.00	41.50		
Integrated Transport Fund		223.90	270.49	321.29		
British Waterways Scotland		8.90	10.90	11.40		
Freight Facilities Private Sector		15.40	12.90	12.90		
Other Public Transport		32.85	39.54	39.01		
Other Grants to Local Authorities		26.30	64.20	64.20		
Motorways and Trunk Roads ¹		746.29	859.10	891.76		
Total		1,487.70	1,793.33	1,889.96		
¹ The Motorways and trunk roads line comprises:						
Construction, repairs and maintenance, etc.		2005-06	2006-07	2007-08		
Depreciation		264.96	339.10	329.60		
Cost of capital charge		51.60	51.60	51.60		
Total Motorways and Trunk Roads		429.73	468.41	510.56		
Source: <i>The Scottish Executive Draft Budget 2005-06</i> published October 2004		746.29	859.10	891.76		

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	2005-06		2006-07		2007-08	
	£ million	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	2007-08	2007-08
Road network and road traffic – 2004						
Total length of road network (kilometres)		54,543	3,432	3,432	6.3%	6.3%
of which: Motorways (including slip roads)		539	539	539	100%	100%
A roads		10,311	2,893	2,893	28%	28%
Total volume of road traffic (vehicle-kilometres)		42,691	15,976	15,976	37%	37%
Cars		33,674	12,388	12,388	37%	37%
Heavy Goods Vehicles		2,615	2,615	2,615	62%	62%

	1995/1996		1998/2000		2002/2003	
	Average distance travelled per person per year (miles)	1995/1996	1998/2000	2002/2003	Trunk % of All	Trunk % of All
Scottish residents travel within GB: from National Travel Survey						
Walk		251	175	191		
Bicycle		17	31	26		
Driver of car, van or lorry		1,921	3,530	3,136		
Passenger in car, van or lorry		1,306	1,947	1,999		
Other private transport (e.g. motorcycle, private hire bus)		177	185	177		
Local bus		427	429	356		
Surface rail		285	479	313		
Taxi/minicab		62	75	52		
Other public transport (e.g. air, ferry, non-local bus)		206	358	415		
All modes		4,652	7,210	6,667		

NB: some results may be subject to large percentage sampling errors, being based on small numbers of cases – hence the apparent fluctuations in the 'Surface rail' figures; for example, the All modes estimate of 7,210 for 1998/2000 has a 95% confidence interval of +/-383 miles, so the apparent fall in 2002/2003 may just reflect sampling variability.

Main trends in Scottish Transport

as at August 2005

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for more details

	Latest available figures	10 years ago (e.g. 94)	Previous year (e.g. 03)	Latest year (e.g. 04)	% change over:	
					1 year	10 years
Vehicles licensed (millions)	2004	1.90	2.38	2.45	3%	29%
New vehicle registrations (thousands)	2004	170	262	263	0%	55%
Households with car (%: NTS etc.)	2003	59	66	69
Road traffic (million vehicle-kilometres)						
Motorways	2004	4,147	5,856	6,094	4%	47%
A roads	2004	19,153	21,826	22,115	1%	15%
Minor roads (B, C, unclassified)	2004	12,700	14,356	14,482	1%	14%
All roads	2004	36,000	42,038	42,691	2%	19%
Road accident casualties						
Killed	2004	363	331	307	-7%	-15%
Killed or seriously injured	2004	5,571	3,279	3,048	-7%	-45%
All casualties (including "slight" injuries)	2004	22,573	18,729	18,404	-2%	-18%
Children killed or seriously injured	2004	1,029	431	382	-11%	-63%
Passenger numbers (millions)						
Local bus (boardings)	2003-04	525	445	449	1%	-14%
Rail (ScotRail services)	2004-05	49.2	62.3	68.7	10%	40%
Air (terminal passengers)	2004	11.8	21.1	22.6	7%	91%
Freight lifted (million tonnes)						
Road	2004	156	153	173
Rail	2003-04	5.0	9.1	8.3	-9%	66%
Coastwise traffic	2003	24.5	19.2	19.5	2%	..
Pipelines	2004	24.1	27.7	27.6	0%	15%
Travel to work (%: Autumn Labour Force Survey)						
Car (or van/minibus/works van)	2004	66	70	69
Public transport (bus, rail, u/g)	2004	17	15	15
Walk	2004	14	12	12



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Transport Statistics Publications

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Scottish Transport Statistics
has summary and 12 chapters on road vehicles,
road traffic, rail, air, water, personal travel, etc.

Household Transport:
some Scottish Household Survey (SHS) results.

Transport across Scotland (biennial) –
gives main SHS results for local authority areas.

SHS Travel Diary Results

Travel by Scottish Residents:
some National Travel Survey Results (triennial) –
gives some Scottish results of GB NTS.

Bus and Coach Statistics

Road Accidents Scotland –
over 200 pages, detailed tables of "final" figures.

Key Road Accident Statistics –
24 pages, gives "provisional" figures for latest year.

Transport Statistics Web Site

www.scotland.gov.uk/transtat

Excel spreadsheet versions of tables
www.scotland.gov.uk/transtat/sheets

Updated versions of some "STS" tables
www.scotland.gov.uk/transtat/stsupdate

Extra road accident statistics tables
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