

Report for Aberdeenshire: Identity

Description	Aberdeenshire		Scotland	
	Percentage	Number	Percentage	Number

Identity

All people	100.0%	252,973	100.0%	5,295,403
White - Scottish	82.2%	207,936	84.0%	4,445,678
White - Other British	12.3%	31,158	7.9%	417,109
White - Irish	0.5%	1,162	1.0%	54,090
White - Polish	1.2%	3,020	1.2%	61,201
White - Other	2.2%	5,661	1.9%	102,117
Asian, Asian Scottish or Asian British	0.8%	2,037	2.7%	140,678
Other ethnic groups	0.8%	1,999	1.4%	74,530

National identity

All people	100.0%	252,973	100.0%	5,295,403
Scottish identity only	61.3%	155,007	62.4%	3,306,138
British identity only	9.0%	22,674	8.4%	443,275
Scottish and British identities only	17.7%	44,690	18.3%	968,759
Scottish and any other identities	1.9%	4,829	1.9%	102,028
English identity only	3.6%	9,134	2.3%	120,990
Any other combination of UK identities (UK only)	2.7%	6,888	2.0%	104,434
Other identity	3.6%	9,144	4.4%	234,062
Other identity and at least one UK identity	0.2%	607	0.3%	15,717

Religion

All people	100.0%	252,973	100.0%	5,295,403
Church of Scotland	36.3%	91,888	32.4%	1,717,871
Roman Catholic	4.8%	12,136	15.9%	841,053
Other Christian	7.6%	19,101	5.5%	291,275
Muslim	0.3%	691	1.4%	76,737
Other religions	0.6%	1,517	1.1%	59,312
No religion	42.8%	108,376	36.7%	1,941,116
Not stated	7.6%	19,264	7.0%	368,039

Country of birth

All people	100.0%	252,973	100.0%	5,295,403
Scotland (inc UK part not specified)	80.5%	203,656	83.3%	4,411,884
England	12.5%	31,561	8.7%	459,486
Wales	0.5%	1,285	0.3%	17,381
Northern Ireland	0.5%	1,366	0.7%	36,655
Republic Of Ireland	0.2%	572	0.4%	22,952
Other EU countries	3.0%	7,524	2.6%	137,285
Other countries	2.8%	7,009	4.0%	209,760

Length of residence in UK

All people born outside the UK	100.0%	15,047	100.0%	369,284
resident in UK for less than 2 years	16.8%	2,526	22.1%	81,615
resident in UK for 2 years or more but less than 5 years	23.8%	3,588	21.7%	80,234
resident in UK for 5 years or more but less than 10 years	19.2%	2,884	18.8%	69,340
resident in UK for 10 years or more	40.2%	6,049	37.4%	138,095

Language

All people aged 3 and over	100.0%	243,826	100.0%	5,118,223
Speaks English well or very well	98.2%	239,361	98.6%	5,044,683
Does not speak English well	1.5%	3,716	1.2%	62,128
Does not speak English at all	0.3%	749	0.2%	11,412
Able to speak Gaelic		1,405		57,602
Able to speak Scots		119,078		1,541,693
Uses a language other than English at home		24,162		377,676