

Cultural and community services

Sport and Leisure Management - the number of attendances per 1,000 population for all pools

Attendance figures indicate the extent to which pools are used.

This indicator does not record the number of users; a particular figure may reflect high usage by a small number of individuals or low usage by a large number of individuals. The indicator may also conceal wide variations in usage between different facilities within a council.

Points to bear in mind

Important factors that influence attendance levels include:

- number and size of facilities available for use
- the age, quality and range of these facilities
- the extent to which facilities and activities are publicised
- the opening hours, variety, programming and cost of activities on offer
- the location of pools in relation to other competing leisure facilities.

The characteristics of the catchment area for a facility may also have an influence on this indicator.

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Council	Rank in 07/08		PI measurement			Better ✓ or worse X since 05/06		
	1-32	✓1-8 X 25-32	05/06	06/07	07/08	5-9%	10-14%	>15%
Aberdeen City	18		<u>3306</u>	3285	3473			
Aberdeenshire	20		3165	3172	3248			
Angus	23		3767	3911	3016			X
Argyll & Bute	3	✓	4576	5349	5516			✓
Clackmannanshire	21		2303	2852	3216			✓
Dumfries & Galloway	26	X	2849	2945	2880			
Dundee City	13		4061	4157	3893			
East Ayrshire	29	X	2568	2689	2507			
East Dunbartonshire	16		3157	2983	3521		✓	
East Lothian	9		5006	3526	4333		X	
East Renfrewshire	24		2994	3117	2911			
Eilean Siar	8	✓	4841	4567	4351		X	
Falkirk	27	X	3028	2804	2814	X		
Fife	25	X	3417	3271	2904			X
Glasgow City	30	X	1809	2287	2358			✓
Highland	5	✓	5423	5060	5332			
Inverclyde	12		3785	3735	4009	✓		
Midlothian	14		3363	3196	3839		✓	
Moray	4	✓	4638	5566	5428			✓
North Ayrshire	28	X	2824	2812	2656	X		
North Lanarkshire	19		2975	2967	3337		✓	
Orkney Islands	2	✓	5510	5899	6051	✓		
Perth & Kinross	11		4146	4159	4052			
Renfrewshire	22		3140	3194	3048			
Scottish Borders	7	✓	4033	4290	4570		✓	
Shetland Islands	1	✓	15626	<u>704</u>	12402			X
South Ayrshire	17		3203	3293	3494	✓		
South Lanarkshire	6	✓	4531	4793	4610			
Stirling	31	X	2619	2631	2034			X
West Dunbartonshire	10		3875	4081	4205	✓		
West Lothian	15		3931	4069	3611	X		
			Scotland					
			3463	3476	3520			

Ranked performance	05/06	06/07	07/08
Highest ranked performance	15626	5899	12402
Upper quartile	4339	4158	4342
Median	3417	3285	3521
Lower quartile	3011	2956	2964
Lowest ranked performance	1809	704	2034

Data features	Symbol	05/06	06/07	07/08
PI not applicable	(-)	0	0	0
No service	(NS)	0	0	0

Count of councils showing significant change since 2005/06	
Improvement	
5-9%	4
10-14%	4
>15%	4
Decline	
5-9%	3
10-14%	2
>15%	4

Unreliable/Unreported Data in 2007/2008

Council	05/06	06/07	07/08
City of Edinburgh	<u>3554</u>	<u>3803</u>	<u>3870</u>

Reason for Unreliable Determination in 2007/2008

City of Edinburgh - Incomplete information supplied. Community school usage still not recorded accurately). Note - plans to develop this in future are in place.

Notes

An underlined PI measurement indicates unreliable data.

Cultural and community services

Sport and Leisure Management - the number of attendances per 1,000 population for all pools

The following councils were ranked 25th or below in 2005/06:

Clackmannanshire
Dumfries & Galloway
East Ayrshire
Glasgow City
North Ayrshire
Stirling

The following councils did not make any material improvement in their performance by 2007/08:

Dumfries & Galloway
East Ayrshire
North Ayrshire
Stirling

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Indoor facilities – the number of attendances per 1,000 population

This indicator relates to all activities provided by the council at purpose built indoor sports and recreational facilities other than pools. Attendance figures indicate the extent to which indoor leisure facilities are used. This indicator does not record the number of users; a particular figure may reflect high usage by a small number of individuals or low usage by a large number of individuals.

Points to bear in mind

Important factors that influence attendance levels include:

- the age, quality, size and range of facilities available
- the extent to which facilities and activities are publicised
- the variety, scheduling and cost of activities on offer
- the location of pools in relation to other competing leisure facilities.

When a council has more than one leisure facility, the level of attendance at any facility may vary considerably from the average attendance for that council.

The indicator may also conceal wide variations in usage between different facilities within a council.

Cultural and community services

Indoor facilities - the number of attendances per 1,000 population

Council	Rank in 07/08		PI measurement			Better ✓ or worse ✗ since 05/06		
	1-32	✓1-8 ✗ 25-32	05/06	06/07	07/08	5-9%	10-14%	>15%
Aberdeen City	14		<u>2776</u>	4401	4707			
Aberdeenshire	30	✗	771	799	873		✓	
Angus	6	✓	6620	7991	7830			✓
Argyll & Bute	28	✗	1371	1365	1393			
Clackmannanshire	5	✓	<u>7308</u>	7874	8178			
Dumfries & Galloway	17		4276	4396	4375			
Dundee City	8	✓	5879	5928	6112			
East Ayrshire	12		4907	4869	5254	✓		
East Dunbartonshire	7	✓	4135	4237	6540			✓
East Lothian	21		3380	3364	4051			✓
East Renfrewshire	22		3554	3744	3768	✓		
Eilean Siar	9		5197	5835	5728		✓	
Falkirk	23		3922	3805	3756			
Fife	25	✗	5117	4131	3463			✗
Glasgow City	19		4542	4315	4228	✗		
Highland	26	✗	2722	2753	3400			✓
Inverclyde	4	✓	8466	8397	8803			
Midlothian	3	✓	9656	9355	8958	✗		
Moray	10		2455	2796	5481			✓
North Ayrshire	18		4284	4364	4326			
North Lanarkshire	11		4788	4083	5469		✓	
Orkney Islands	2	✓	9448	9543	9161			
Perth & Kinross	27	✗	3235	3348	3269			
Renfrewshire	16		3542	3108	4585			✓
Scottish Borders	29	✗	824	925	881	✓		
Shetland Islands	1	✓	19171	<u>778</u>	14966			✗
South Ayrshire	15		4543	4759	4602			
South Lanarkshire	20		3461	4136	4222			✓
Stirling	31	✗	104	102	411			✓
West Dunbartonshire	24		3924	4140	3667	✗		
West Lothian	13		4977	5406	4897			
			Scotland					
			4156	4085	4372			

Ranked performance	05/06	06/07	07/08
Highest ranked performance	19171	9543	14966
Upper quartile	5157	5138	5920
Median	4276	4140	4585
Lower quartile	3308	3228	3712
Lowest ranked performance	104	102	411

Data features	Symbol	05/06	06/07	07/08
PI not applicable	(-)	0	0	0
No service	(NS)	0	0	0

Count of councils showing significant change since 2005/06	
Improvement	
5-9%	3
10-14%	3
>15%	8
Decline	
5-9%	3
10-14%	-
>15%	2

Unreliable/Unreported Data in 2007/2008

Council	05/06	06/07	07/08
City of Edinburgh	<u>3231</u>	<u>3157</u>	<u>3431</u>

Reason for Unreliable Determination in 2007/2008

City of Edinburgh - Incomplete information supplied. Community school usage still not recorded accurately). Note - plans to develop this in future are in place.

Notes

An underlined PI measurement indicates unreliable data.

Cultural and community services

Indoor facilities - the number of attendances per 1,000 population

The following councils were ranked 25th or below in 2005/06:

Aberdeenshire
Argyll & Bute
Moray
Scottish Borders
Stirling

The following councils did not make any material improvement in their performance by 2007/08:

Argyll & Bute

Cultural and community services

Museum services - the number of visits to/usages of council funded or part funded museums per 1,000 population

The indicator reports:

- visits by members of the public, including group visits and schools visits
- enquiries (through whatever medium) that mean the public gain knowledge from/about the museum collections
- outreach visits by museum staff to specific audiences.

Points to bear in mind

Increasing usage by both personal visitors and through other enquiries are important indicators of the value of museum services.

The indicator shows the usage of museums whether managed or supported by councils – reflecting the different mechanisms by which the service is delivered and supported in each council's area.

Cultural and community services

Museum services - the number of visits to/usages of council funded or part funded museums per 1,000 population

Council	Rank in 07/08		PI measurement			Better ✓ or worse ✗ since 05/06		
	1-32	✓1-8 ✗ 25-32	05/06	06/07	07/08	5-9%	10-14%	>15%
Aberdeen City	4	✓	-	<u>2082</u>	2771			
Angus	13		-	769	897			
Argyll & Bute	NS		-	NS	NS			
Clackmannanshire	23		-	435	388			
Dumfries & Galloway	3	✓	-	3191	2844			
Dundee City	14		-	911	862			
East Ayrshire	7	✓	-	2060	2376			
East Dunbartonshire	25	✗	-	210	255			
East Lothian	5	✓	-	2377	2642			
East Renfrewshire	NS		-	NS	NS			
City of Edinburgh	10		-	1569	1599			
Falkirk	8	✓	-	1747	2013			
Fife	17		-	735	714			
Glasgow City	1	✓	-	7898	7157			
Highland	9		-	1074	1766			
Inverclyde	21		-	<u>863</u>	539			
Midlothian	12		-	967	1175			
Moray	24		-	313	353			
North Ayrshire	20		-	841	623			
North Lanarkshire	26	✗	-	346	169			
Orkney Islands	6	✓	-	<u>167</u>	2509			
Perth & Kinross	15		-	543	788			
Renfrewshire	22		-	355	500			
Scottish Borders	16		-	745	747			
Shetland Islands	2	✓	-	<u>261</u>	5198			
South Lanarkshire	27	✗	-	99	107			
Stirling	18		-	550	670			
West Dunbartonshire	11		-	1194	1474			
West Lothian	19		-	651	642			
			Scotland					
			-	1844	1834			

Ranked performance	05/06	06/07	07/08
Highest ranked performance	-	7898	7157
Upper quartile	-	1382	2195
Median	-	769	862
Lower quartile	-	395	581
Lowest ranked performance	-	99	107

Data features	Symbol	05/06	06/07	07/08
PI not applicable	(-)	29	0	0
No service	(NS)	0	2	2

Count of councils showing significant change since 2005/06	
Improvement	
5-9%	-
10-14%	-
>15%	-
Decline	
5-9%	-
10-14%	-
>15%	-

Unreliable/Unreported Data in 2007/2008

Council	05/06	06/07	07/08
Aberdeenshire	-	537	<u>468</u>
Eilean Siar	-	<u>2243</u>	<u>81</u>
South Ayrshire	-	<u>365</u>	<u>368</u>

Reason for Unreliable Determination in 2007/2008

Aberdeenshire - The council was unable to back-up the figures for this SPI and were recording visits only.

Eilean Siar - The SPI only records figures for the museum in Stornoway (which was closed for 10 months of the year). There were no counts at the other museums due to failure to get message across to (mainly voluntary staff) to carry out sample counts.

South Ayrshire - No data detailing enquiries received or outreach visits made was collected.

Notes

An underlined PI measurement indicates unreliable data.

Cultural and community services

Museum services - the number of visits to/usages of council funded or part funded museums that were in person per 1,000 population

The indicator reports only personal visits to museums by members of the public.

Points to bear in mind

Increasing usage by both personal visitors and through other enquiries are important indicators of the value of museum services.

The indicator shows the usage of museums whether managed or supported by councils – reflecting the different mechanisms by which the service is delivered and supported in each council's area.

Cultural and community services

Museum services - the number of visits to/usages of council funded or part funded museums that were in person per 1,000 population

Council	Rank in 07/08		PI measurement			Better ✓ or worse X since 05/06		
	1-32	✓1-8 X 25-32	05/06	06/07	07/08	5-9%	10-14%	>15%
Aberdeen City	4	✓	-	<u>1985</u>	1857			
Angus	14		-	613	678			
Argyll & Bute	NS		-	NS	NS			
Clackmannanshire	20		-	434	388			
Dumfries & Galloway	6	✓	-	1348	1419			
Dundee City	9		-	867	836			
East Ayrshire	5	✓	-	1676	1658			
East Dunbartonshire	24		-	189	223			
East Lothian	22		-	293	308			
East Renfrewshire	NS		-	NS	NS			
City of Edinburgh	7	✓	-	1323	1307			
Falkirk	10		-	732	759			
Fife	13		-	691	684			
Glasgow City	1	✓	-	7806	7094			
Highland	8	✓	-	766	995			
Inverclyde	17		-	<u>519</u>	486			
Midlothian	16		-	442	492			
Moray	23		-	287	255			
North Ayrshire	21		-	254	338			
North Lanarkshire	25	X	-	338	124			
Orkney Islands	3	✓	-	<u>158</u>	2458			
Perth & Kinross	12		-	503	739			
Renfrewshire	19		-	311	450			
Scottish Borders	11		-	736	745			
Shetland Islands	2	✓	-	<u>245</u>	3687			
South Lanarkshire	26	X	-	95	103			
Stirling	18		-	340	464			
West Dunbartonshire	27	X	-	80	80			
West Lothian	15		-	631	559			
			Scotland					
			-	1574	1497			

Ranked performance	05/06	06/07	07/08
Highest ranked performance	-	7806	7094
Upper quartile	-	751	1151
Median	-	503	678
Lower quartile	-	290	363
Lowest ranked performance	-	80	80

Data features	Symbol	05/06	06/07	07/08
PI not applicable	(-)	29	0	0
No service	(NS)	0	2	2

Count of councils showing significant change since 2005/06	
Improvement	
5-9%	-
10-14%	-
>15%	-
Decline	
5-9%	-
10-14%	-
>15%	-

Unreliable/Unreported Data in 2007/2008

Council	05/06	06/07	07/08
Aberdeenshire	-	537	<u>468</u>
Eilean Siar	-	<u>1634</u>	<u>66</u>
South Ayrshire	-	<u>365</u>	<u>368</u>

Reason for Unreliable Determination in 2007/2008

Aberdeenshire - The council was unable to back-up the figures for this SPI and were recording visits only.

Eilean Siar - The SPI only records figures for the museum in Stornoway (which was closed for 10 months of the year). There were no counts at the other museums due to failure to get message across to (mainly voluntary staff) to carry out sample counts.

South Ayrshire - No data detailing enquiries received or outreach visits made was collected.

Notes

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Cultural and community services

Stock turnover – the percentage of the national target met for replenishing lending stock for adults

This indicator measures the changes in library stock.

Points to bear in mind

The COSLA report '*Standards for the Public Library Service in Scotland*', published in 1995, recommends that "annual additions of adult material should be 280 items per 1,000 of the population".

Factors likely to affect the performance of councils include:

- the purchasing policy of a council
- the demand for library stock
- levels of investment in the lending stock.

Cultural and community services

Stock turnover – the percentage of the national target met for replenishing lending stock for adults

Council	Rank in 07/08		PI measurement			Better ✓ or worse ✗ since 05/06		
	1-32	✓1-8 ✗ 25-32	05/06	06/07	07/08	5-9%	10-14%	>15%
Aberdeen City	19		61.5	47.8	57.6	✗		
Aberdeenshire	24		82.2	89.9	53.6			✗
Angus	29	✗	44.2	56.3	50.3		✓	
Argyll & Bute	28	✗	35.7	35.8	51.4			✓
Clackmannanshire	10		72.2	74.1	72.5			
Dumfries & Galloway	31	✗	84.7	50.0	30.8			✗
Dundee City	16		67.6	66.0	62.8	✗		
East Ayrshire	4	✓	66.2	73.1	82.6			✓
East Dunbartonshire	5	✓	57.6	72.4	80.4			✓
East Lothian	15		51.2	54.7	63.2			✓
East Renfrewshire	20		51.7	54.7	57.5		✓	
City of Edinburgh	18		<u>50.2</u>	<u>46.2</u>	59.9			
Eilean Siar	23		35.9	26.1	53.8			✓
Falkirk	2	✓	75.2	78.3	91.4			✓
Fife	13		58.0	64.7	69.2			✓
Glasgow City	8	✓	65.1	83.1	74.4		✓	
Highland	9		82.0	70.9	73.2		✗	
Inverclyde	32	✗	20.5	20.9	20.1			
Midlothian	24		26.9	115.2	53.6			✓
Moray	6	✓	82.3	77.4	79.3			
North Ayrshire	3	✓	93.0	94.1	90.1			
North Lanarkshire	22		65.7	51.6	56.7		✗	
Orkney Islands	14		79.4	64.6	65.4			✗
Perth & Kinross	27	✗	65.6	69.1	52.1			✗
Renfrewshire	7	✓	90.9	74.2	75.3			✗
Scottish Borders	21		61.8	49.0	57.2	✗		
Shetland Islands	1	✓	142.0	122.6	127.6		✗	
South Ayrshire	26	✗	55.4	47.9	52.2	✗		
South Lanarkshire	30	✗	64.1	47.4	46.4			✗
Stirling	11		73.5	72.8	70.7			
West Dunbartonshire	17		55.4	66.1	61.2		✓	
West Lothian	11		79.0	82.1	70.7		✗	
			Scotland					
			66.4	66.9	63.6			

Ranked performance	05/06	06/07	07/08
Highest ranked performance	142.0	122.6	127.6
Upper quartile	79.1	75.0	73.5
Median	65.4	66.1	62.0
Lower quartile	54.5	49.8	53.6
Lowest ranked performance	20.5	20.9	20.1

Data features	Symbol	05/06	06/07	07/08
PI not applicable	(-)	0	0	0
No service	(NS)	0	0	0

Count of councils showing significant change since 2005/06	
Improvement	
5-9%	-
10-14%	4
>15%	8
Decline	
5-9%	4
10-14%	4
>15%	6

Notes

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Cultural and community services

Stock turnover – the percentage of the national target met for replenishing lending stock for adults

The following councils were ranked 25th or below in 2005/06:

Angus
Argyll & Bute
East Lothian
East Renfrewshire
Eilian Siar
Inverclyde
Midlothian

The following councils did not make any material improvement in their performance by 2007/08:

Inverclyde

Cultural and community services

Stock turnover – the percentage of the national target met for replenishing lending stock for children and teenagers

This indicator measures the changes in library stock.

Points to bear in mind

The COSLA report '*Standards for the Public Library Service in Scotland*', published in 1995, recommends that "annual additions of children's and teenage material should be 100 items per 1,000 of the population".

Factors likely to affect the performance of councils include:

- the purchasing policy of a council
- the demand for library stock
- levels of investment in the lending stock.

Cultural and community services

Stock turnover – the percentage of the national target met for replenishing lending stock for children and teenagers

Council	Rank in 07/08		PI measurement			Better ✓ or worse ✗ since 05/06		
	1-32	✓1-8 ✗ 25-32	05/06	06/07	07/08	5-9%	10-14%	>15%
Aberdeen City	25	✗	72.4	52.4	54.7			✗
Angus	22		64.2	60.8	57.4		✗	
Argyll & Bute	27	✗	36.1	35.9	48.3			✓
Clackmannanshire	26	✗	73.6	49.8	52.9			✗
Dumfries & Galloway	21		48.1	43.7	57.9			✓
Dundee City	13		83.4	84.3	76.8	✗		
East Ayrshire	12		73.1	74.4	83.0		✓	
East Dunbartonshire	3	✓	84.4	111.0	101.6			✓
East Lothian	10		61.1	75.8	86.6			✓
East Renfrewshire	15		64.4	66.2	70.8	✓		
City of Edinburgh	7	✓	<u>76.2</u>	<u>86.1</u>	87.8			✓
Eilean Siar	23		51.9	42.7	56.0	✓		
Falkirk	14		63.7	59.3	72.8		✓	
Fife	2	✓	84.7	70.3	120.8			✓
Glasgow City	5	✓	92.0	94.6	92.5			
Highland	11		74.2	66.4	86.3			✓
Inverclyde	31	✗	15.0	16.3	15.9	✓		
Midlothian	20		10.0	150.1	58.1			✓
Moray	4	✓	86.3	119.0	101.0			✓
North Ayrshire	9		89.2	59.6	87.1			
North Lanarkshire	6	✓	45.9	50.4	88.4			✓
Orkney Islands	16		97.0	65.9	70.4			✗
Perth & Kinross	30	✗	70.1	95.8	43.6			✗
Renfrewshire	28	✗	63.8	44.1	46.6			✗
Scottish Borders	29	✗	58.5	43.1	45.8			✗
Shetland Islands	1	✓	272.1	253.1	275.4			
South Ayrshire	19		69.5	42.8	60.1		✗	
South Lanarkshire	17		73.9	41.8	65.0		✗	
Stirling	8	✓	78.9	74.5	87.4		✓	
West Dunbartonshire	18		58.8	67.6	60.8			
West Lothian	24		93.7	44.0	55.5			✗
			Scotland					
			77.0	64.0	77.6			

Ranked performance	05/06	06/07	07/08
Highest ranked performance	272.1	253.1	275.4
Upper quartile	83.9	80.1	87.3
Median	72.4	65.9	70.4
Lower quartile	60.0	44.1	55.8
Lowest ranked performance	10.0	16.3	15.9

Data features	Symbol	05/06	06/07	07/08
PI not applicable	(-)	0	0	0
No service	(NS)	0	0	0

Count of councils showing significant change since 2005/06	
Improvement	
5-9%	3
10-14%	3
>15%	10
Decline	
5-9%	1
10-14%	3
>15%	7

Unreliable/Unreported Data in 2007/2008

Council	05/06	06/07	07/08
Aberdeenshire	175.7	FTR	<u>122.8</u>

Reason for Unreliable Determination in 2007/2008

Aberdeenshire - Children's lending stock figures included both public and school libraries which does not comply with SPI definition.

Notes

An underlined PI measurement indicates unreliable data.

Cultural and community services

Stock turnover – the percentage of the national target met for replenishing lending stock for children and teenagers

The following councils were ranked 25th or below in 2005/06:

Argyll & Bute
Dumfries & Galloway
Eilian Siar
Inverclyde
Midlothian
North Lanarkshire
Scottish Borders

The following councils did not make any material improvement in their performance by 2007/08:

Scottish Borders

Cultural and community services

Use of libraries – the number of visits to libraries per 1,000 population

This indicator shows the number of people visiting libraries during the year, whether to borrow books or for the wide range of other services provided.

It indicates the extent to which library services are reaching their potential service users.

Cultural and community services

Use of libraries – the number of visits to libraries per 1,000 population

Council	Rank in 07/08		PI measurement			Better ✓ or worse ✗ since 05/06		
	1-32	✓1-8 ✗ 25-32	05/06	06/07	07/08	5-9%	10-14%	>15%
Aberdeen City	10		-	6307	6110			
Aberdeenshire	18		-	5256	4991			
Angus	14		-	<u>4395</u>	5416			
Argyll & Bute	30	✗	-	3284	3180			
Clackmannanshire	3	✓	-	8621	8323			
Dumfries & Galloway	9		-	6427	6371			
Dundee City	2	✓	-	9569	9680			
East Ayrshire	26	✗	-	4550	4444			
East Dunbartonshire	27	✗	-	4328	4070			
East Lothian	22		-	4966	4868			
East Renfrewshire	15		-	5548	5356			
City of Edinburgh	11		-	6173	5977			
Eilean Siar	1	✓	-	<u>9538</u>	9754			
Falkirk	23		-	4993	4822			
Fife	19		-	4888	4969			
Glasgow City	5	✓	-	7242	7710			
Highland	17		-	5194	4993			
Inverclyde	31	✗	-	2628	2699			
Midlothian	12		-	4637	5792			
Moray	6	✓	-	7244	7361			
North Ayrshire	13		-	5670	5588			
North Lanarkshire	16		-	5247	5009			
Orkney Islands	8	✓	-	6295	6892			
Perth & Kinross	24		-	4920	4792			
Renfrewshire	25	✗	-	4891	4496			
Scottish Borders	29	✗	-	3493	3354			
Shetland Islands	4	✓	-	8024	8045			
South Ayrshire	7	✓	-	5538	7250			
South Lanarkshire	20		-	5269	4924			
West Dunbartonshire	21		-	5156	4887			
West Lothian	28	✗	-	4771	4027			
			Scotland					
			-	5641	5623			

Ranked performance	05/06	06/07	07/08
Highest ranked performance	-	9569	9754
Upper quartile	-	6301	6632
Median	-	5247	5009
Lower quartile	-	4830	4807
Lowest ranked performance	-	2628	2699

Data features	Symbol	05/06	06/07	07/08
PI not applicable	(-)	31	0	0
No service	(NS)	0	0	0

Count of councils showing significant change since 2005/06	
Improvement	
5-9%	-
10-14%	-
>15%	-
Decline	
5-9%	-
10-14%	-
>15%	-

Unreliable/Unreported Data in 2007/2008

Council	05/06	06/07	07/08
Stirling	-	<u>6357</u>	<u>6104</u>

Reason for Unreliable Determination in 2007/2008

Stirling - Assessed as unreliable last year and no new system has been put in place: Assessed as unreliable due to an unacceptably small sample count of visitors (1 week per quarter).

Notes

An underlined PI measurement indicates unreliable data.

Cultural and community services

Use of libraries – the number of borrowers as a percentage of the resident population

This indicator shows the number of people who actively borrowed books and other items of media during the year, expressed as a percentage of the resident population.

It indicates the extent to which library lending services are reaching their potential service users.

Cultural and community services

Use of libraries – the number of borrowers as a percentage of the resident population

Council	Rank in 07/08		PI measurement			Better ✓ or worse ✗ since 05/06		
	1-32	✓1-8 ✗ 25-32	05/06	06/07	07/08	5-9%	10-14%	>15%
Aberdeen City	4	✓	29.2	29.2	28.5			
Aberdeenshire	21		23.0	20.2	18.9			✗
Angus	11		25.7	24.0	21.8			✗
Argyll & Bute	29	✗	17.4	17.1	15.5		✗	
Clackmannanshire	20		21.5	20.9	19.6	✗		
Dumfries & Galloway	25	✗	26.7	26.6	17.9			✗
Dundee City	9		24.2	23.3	23.3			
East Ayrshire	28	✗	18.7	17.9	17.7	✗		
East Dunbartonshire	14		23.9	22.3	21.1		✗	
East Lothian	13		23.3	22.3	21.3	✗		
East Renfrewshire	5	✓	30.7	28.4	27.9	✗		
City of Edinburgh	15		23.3	22.0	21.0	✗		
Falkirk	18		24.1	21.7	20.0			✗
Fife	22		20.2	18.8	18.8	✗		
Glasgow City	19		18.9	19.3	19.7			
Highland	12		22.8	21.9	21.5	✗		
Inverclyde	25	✗	14.5	13.2	17.9			✓
Midlothian	6	✓	21.9	22.0	24.5		✓	
Moray	3	✓	31.5	29.8	29.5	✗		
North Ayrshire	9		24.9	24.5	23.3	✗		
North Lanarkshire	25	✗	19.1	18.1	17.9	✗		
Orkney Islands	2	✓	34.7	32.4	31.2		✗	
Perth & Kinross	24		27.9	19.7	18.1			✗
Renfrewshire	17		23.8	22.3	20.5		✗	
Scottish Borders	30	✗	17.3	16.7	15.2		✗	
Shetland Islands	1	✓	35.4	35.1	34.7			
South Ayrshire	31	✗	25.3	19.4	12.8			✗
South Lanarkshire	16		23.9	22.0	20.7		✗	
Stirling	7	✓	26.5	24.6	23.4		✗	
West Dunbartonshire	23		20.9	20.2	18.4		✗	
West Lothian	7	✓	27.3	25.7	23.4		✗	
			Scotland					
			23.1	21.7	20.6			

Ranked performance	05/06	06/07	07/08
Highest ranked performance	35.4	35.1	34.7
Upper quartile	26.6	24.6	23.4
Median	23.9	22.0	20.7
Lower quartile	21.2	19.6	18.3
Lowest ranked performance	14.5	13.2	12.8

Data features	Symbol	05/06	06/07	07/08
PI not applicable	(-)	0	0	0
No service	(NS)	0	0	0

Count of councils showing significant change since 2005/06		
Improvement		
5-9%	-	
10-14%	1	
>15%	1	
Decline		
5-9%	10	
10-14%	9	
>15%	6	

Unreliable/Unreported Data in 2007/2008

Council	05/06	06/07	07/08
Eilean Siar	46.3	33.1	<u>23.2</u>

Reason for Unreliable Determination in 2007/2008

Eilean Siar - The SPI is based only on the two libraries that have the automated Dynix library management system.

Notes

An underlined PI measurement indicates unreliable data.

Cultural and community services

Use of libraries – the number of borrowers as a percentage of the resident population

The following councils were ranked 25th or below in 2005/06:

Argyll & Bute
East Ayrshire
Fife
Glasgow City
Inverclyde
North Lanarkshire
Scottish Borders
West Dunbartonshire

The following councils did not make any material improvement in their performance by 2007/08:

Argyll & Bute
East Ayrshire
Fife
Glasgow City
North Lanarkshire
Scottish Borders
West Dunbartonshire

Cultural and community services

Learning centre and learning access points - number of users as a percentage of the resident population

This indicator reflects the use being made of the learning opportunities and access to electronic information provided through councils' library services in conjunction with the New Opportunities Fund as part of the government's commitment to life-long learning and improving information technology and communications skills. The proportion of the population using the learning centres and access points will reflect the extent to which each council is developing its provision across its area in accordance with the needs of its population.

Learning centres or access points' are terminals provided either in clusters or singly within the council's public libraries (including mobile libraries) for the provision of a range of electronic resources that must be networked and include:

- office packages covering word processing, spreadsheet and database applications
- information resources including CD Rom, disk and database services
- Internet and e-mail facilities.

They include only those in public library facilities and exclude provision for schools.

Cultural and community services

Learning centre and learning access points - number of users as a percentage of the resident population

Council	Rank in 07/08		PI measurement			Better ✓ or worse ✗ since 05/06		
	1-32	✓1-8 ✗ 25-32	05/06	06/07	07/08	5-9%	10-14%	>15%
Aberdeen City	6	✓	12.4	15.9	17.1			✓
Aberdeenshire	13		8.5	11.0	12.4			✓
Angus	8	✓	11.1	12.9	14.7			✓
Argyll & Bute	27	✗	6.9	6.6	7.3	✓		
Clackmannanshire	10		9.3	11.3	13.0			✓
Dumfries & Galloway	16		21.7	9.9	9.1			✗
Dundee City	9		12.6	12.4	13.1			
East Ayrshire	30	✗	5.1	6.1	5.5	✓		
East Dunbartonshire	26	✗	10.1	7.0	7.8			✗
East Lothian	29	✗	6.8	6.7	6.8			
East Renfrewshire	22		10.0	9.2	8.5			✗
City of Edinburgh	20		10.8	9.8	8.8			✗
Eilean Siar	5	✓	11.7	18.9	21.0			✓
Falkirk	24		10.3	8.9	7.9			✗
Fife	21		7.7	7.6	8.7		✓	
Glasgow City	11		<u>26.6</u>	12.2	12.5			
Highland	7	✓	10.8	<u>12.6</u>	15.0			✓
Inverclyde	23		8.2	8.1	8.4			
Midlothian	11		8.9	9.8	12.5			✓
Moray	4	✓	15.9	16.5	21.4			✓
North Ayrshire	15		8.6	8.9	9.4	✓		
North Lanarkshire	31	✗	5.4	5.2	4.9	✗		
Orkney Islands	1	✓	13.4	35.0	39.4			✓
Perth & Kinross	18		9.0	9.4	8.9			
Renfrewshire	28	✗	7.6	6.9	6.9	✗		
Scottish Borders	16		9.1	10.4	9.1			
Shetland Islands	2	✓	21.1	26.0	23.6		✓	
South Ayrshire	24		7.1	9.0	7.9		✓	
South Lanarkshire	3	✓	17.4	20.5	22.8			✓
Stirling	14		11.4	11.1	10.9			
West Dunbartonshire	18		8.9	9.2	8.9			
West Lothian	32	✗	4.7	<u>4.7</u>	4.5			
			Scotland					
			10.1	10.7	11.0			

Ranked performance	05/06	06/07	07/08
Highest ranked performance	26.6	35.0	39.4
Upper quartile	11.9	12.5	13.5
Median	9.7	9.8	9.1
Lower quartile	8.1	8.0	7.9
Lowest ranked performance	4.7	4.7	4.5

Data features	Symbol	05/06	06/07	07/08
PI not applicable	(-)	0	0	0
No service	(NS)	0	0	0

Count of councils showing significant change since 2005/06	
Improvement	
5-9%	3
10-14%	3
>15%	10
Decline	
5-9%	2
10-14%	-
>15%	5

Notes

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Cultural and community services

Learning centre and learning access points - number of users as a percentage of the resident population

The following councils were ranked 25th or below in 2005/06:

Argyll & Bute
East Ayrshire
East Lothian
North Lanarkshire
Renfrewshire
South Ayrshire
West Lothian

The following councils did not make any material improvement in their performance by 2007/08:

East Lothian
North Lanarkshire
Renfrewshire
West Lothian

Cultural and community services

Learning centre and learning access points - number of time terminals are used per 1,000 population

This indicator reflects the use being made of the learning opportunities and access to electronic information provided through councils' library services in conjunction with the New Opportunities Fund as part of the government's commitment to life-long learning and improving information technology and communications skills. The number of times terminals are accessed will be the number of times/sessions each terminal is logged on to or opened by a user, whether registered or not.

Learning centres or access points' are terminals provided either in clusters or singly within the council's public libraries (including mobile libraries) for the provision of a range of electronic resources that must be networked and include:

- office packages covering word processing, spreadsheet and database applications
- information resources including CD Rom, disk and database services
- Internet and e-mail facilities.

They include only those in public library facilities and exclude provision for schools.

Cultural and community services

Learning centre and learning access points - number of times terminals are used per 1,000 population

Council	Rank in 07/08		PI measurement			Better ✓ or worse ✗ since 05/06		
	1-32	✓1-8 ✗ 25-32	05/06	06/07	07/08	5-9%	10-14%	>15%
Aberdeen City	2	✓	1737.1	2023.2	1910.1	✓		
Aberdeenshire	32	✗	407.2	391.5	338.7			✗
Angus	19		859.9	802.8	760.6		✗	
Argyll & Bute	30	✗	471.6	486.5	471.3			
Clackmannanshire	22		621.5	741.1	598.8			
Dumfries & Galloway	12		1077.9	1088.1	1048.8			
Dundee City	5	✓	1314.8	1304.9	1354.2			
East Ayrshire	27	✗	460.1	547.1	549.3			✓
East Dunbartonshire	26	✗	1210.6	570.4	549.7			✗
East Lothian	16		743.2	757.5	798.8	✓		
East Renfrewshire	10		850.0	917.8	1120.8			✓
City of Edinburgh	29	✗	733.4	629.8	525.0			✗
Eilean Siar	6	✓	1458.3	1646.8	1334.5	✗		
Falkirk	21		514.8	565.6	640.7			✓
Fife	15		789.1	835.6	845.1	✓		
Glasgow City	1	✓	<u>1407.0</u>	1733.2	2029.6			
Highland	13		644.2	<u>658.5</u>	913.0			✓
Inverclyde	24		613.6	552.8	556.1	✗		
Midlothian	7	✓	983.3	966.6	1234.2			✓
Moray	4	✓	1030.1	1273.3	1424.7			✓
North Ayrshire	14		848.8	884.0	868.1			
North Lanarkshire	28	✗	407.6	509.6	532.8			✓
Orkney Islands	3	✓	912.3	1364.1	1486.4			✓
Perth & Kinross	20		725.9	748.4	680.8	✗		
Renfrewshire	25	✗	638.9	609.5	554.5		✗	
Scottish Borders	18		825.4	783.6	790.7			
Shetland Islands	9		1307.0	1254.5	1128.2		✗	
South Ayrshire	8	✓	1132.5	1124.1	1161.4			
South Lanarkshire	31	✗	527.1	510.8	444.3			✗
Stirling	17		784.1	769.0	792.9			
West Dunbartonshire	11		989.9	1071.0	1078.9	✓		
West Lothian	23		526.8	<u>561.0</u>	564.8	✓		
Scotland								
			776.7	916.7	926.3			

Ranked performance	05/06	06/07	07/08
Highest ranked performance	1737.1	2023.2	2029.6
Upper quartile	1042.1	1097.1	1136.5
Median	807.3	776.3	795.9
Lower quartile	619.5	569.2	555.7
Lowest ranked performance	407.2	391.5	338.7

Data features	Symbol	05/06	06/07	07/08
PI not applicable	(-)	0	0	0
No service	(NS)	0	0	0

Count of councils showing significant change since 2005/06	
Improvement	
5-9%	5
10-14%	-
>15%	8
Decline	
5-9%	3
10-14%	3
>15%	4

Notes

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Cultural and community services

Learning centre and learning access points - number of time terminals are used per 1,000 population

The following councils were ranked 25th or below in 2005/06:

Aberdeenshire
Argyll & Bute
East Ayrshire
Falkirk
North Lanarkshire
South Lanarkshire
West Lothian

The following councils did not make any material improvement in their performance by 2007/08:

Aberdeenshire
Argyll & Bute
South Lanarkshire