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Scottish Transport Statistics

contains further detail:

<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/analysis/statistics>

	Scotland	GB
Households: 1 + cars (%)	70	75
Vehicles (per 100 population)	51	56
Roads (km per 1,000 population)	10.6	6.5
Road traffic (veh-km per head per year)		
Motorways	1,245	1,624
A roads	4,211	3,630
All roads (M, A and minor)	8,328	8,202
Road casualties killed or seriously injured (per 1,000 population per year)	0.42	0.41
Passenger journeys (per head per year)		
Local bus (2010)	84	85
Rail (2009)	16.4	17.9
Air (2010)	4.0	3.4

2010 Scottish Household Survey

Full driving licence	(%)	Households	(%)
All (17+)	68	1 car	44
Men	76	2 cars	22
Women	60	3+ cars	4

% shares (main modes)	Travel to work	Travel to school
Car (driver/passenger)	67	23
Bus	11	24
Rail	4	0.3
Bicycle	2	1
Walk	13	50

Transport Spending Plans (Budget) 2009-10 to 2011-12

£ million	2009-10 plans	2010-11 plans	2011-12 plans
Rail Services in Scotland	660.7	667.5	711.4
Ferry Services in Scotland	103.1	102.7	109.0
Bus Services in Scotland	66.0	63.2	60.8
Concessionary Fares	205.3	184.8	194.5
Air Services in Scotland	41.1	34.4	35.3
Major Public Transport Projects	171.1	130.7	53.0
British Waterways Scotland	11.8	11.5	10.0
Freight Facilities Private Sector	15.4	10.3	2.9
Other Transport Agency Programmes	22.0	28.2	21.6
Other Transport Directorate Programmes	39.4	32.6	33.4
Motorways and Trunk Roads ¹	1,201.8	590.2	830.6
Total	2,537.7	1,856.1	2,062.5
¹ Comprises:			
£ million			
Construction, repairs and maintenance, etc.	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
Depreciation	547.7	498.7	750.0
Cost of capital charge	65.0	91.5	80.6
Source: 2009-10 & 2010-11 Spring Budget Revisions, 2011-12 Autumn Budget Revision to the Budget	589.1	0.0	0.0

Road network and road traffic – 2010	All roads	Trunk roads	Trunk % of all
Total length of road network (kilometres)	55,515	3,405	6.1%
of which:	559	559	100%
Motorways (including slip roads)	10,261	2,847	28%
A roads	43,488	16,222	37%
Total volume of road traffic (vehicle-kilometres)	33,591	12,243	36%
of which:	2,550	1,614	63%
Cars			
Heavy Goods Vehicles			

Average distance travelled per person per year (miles)	1998/1999	2004/2005	2009/2010
Scottish residents travel within GB: from National Travel Survey			
Walk	226	169	153
Bicycle	37	25	34
Driver of car, van or lorry	3,652	3,549	3,484
Passenger in car, van or lorry	2,139	2,072	1,822
Other private transport (e.g. motorcycle, private hire bus)	250	172	227
Local bus	480	441	489
Surface rail	509	465	391
Taxi/minicab	75	61	57
Other public transport (e.g. air, ferry, non-local bus)	345	379	354
All modes	7,713	7,332	7,010

NB: survey results may be subject to large percentage sampling errors due to small numbers of cases

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as at December 2011

	Latest available figures	10 years ago (e.g. 00)	Previous year (e.g. 09)	Latest year (e.g. 10)	% change over:	
					one year	ten years
Vehicles licensed (millions)		2.19	2.68	2.69	0%	23%
New vehicle registrations (thousands)	2010	220	216	209	-3%	-5%
Households with car (%: SHS etc.)	2010	64	69	70	1%	9%
Road traffic (million vehicle-kilometres)						
Motorways	2010	5,405	6,633	6,503	-2%	20%
A roads	2010	20,531	22,327	21,992	-2%	7%
Minor roads (B, C, unclassified)	2010	13,625	15,258	14,992	-2%	10%
All roads	2010	39,561	44,219	43,488	-2%	10%
Road accident casualties						
Killed	2010	326	216	208	-4%	-36%
Killed or seriously injured	2010	3,894	2,502	2,172	-13%	-44%
All casualties (incl "slight" injuries)	2010	20,517	15,043	13,334	-11%	-35%
Children killed or seriously injured	2010	561	258	227	-12%	-60%
Passenger numbers (millions)						
Local bus (boardings) ¹	2010-11	458	467	438	-6%	..
Rail (ScotRail services) ²	2010-11	63.16	76.93	78.29	2%	..
Air (terminal passengers)	2010	16.8	22.5	20.9	-7%	25%
Freight lifted (million tonnes)						
Road	2010	159	132	132	0%	..
Rail	2009-10	8.2	10.4	9.7	-7%	17%
Coastwise traffic	2009	35.3	23.3	19.8	-15%	..
Pipelines	2010	28.1	27.6	27.6	0%	-2%
Travel to work (%: SHS)						
Car (or van/minibus/works van)	2010	67	67	67
Public transport (bus, rail, w/g)	2010	15	16	14
Active (walking/cycling)	2010	15	15	16

1. Figures prior to 2004/05 are not comparable.

2. Figures from 2003/04 onwards revised to reflect new methodology for estimating zonecard journeys.

Transport Statistics publications

are available on the TS Web site:

<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/analysis/statistics>

*Scottish Transport Statistics: compendium
Transport and Travel In Scotland*

*Household Transport: SHS data
SHS Travel Diary Results
SHS Local Area webtables*

NTS - Scotland results: webtables

Bus and Coach Statistics (SHS & Dft data)

*Reported Road Casualties Scotland
Key Reported Road Casualty Stats: summary*

Transport Statistics Web Site

<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/analysis/statistics>

Updated versions of some STS tables
[http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/analysis/statistics/
publications/scottish-transport-statistics-previous-editions](http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/analysis/statistics/publications/scottish-transport-statistics-previous-editions)

Extra road accident statistics tables
[http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/analysis/statistics/datasets/
RoadAccidentTables](http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/analysis/statistics/datasets/RoadAccidentTables)