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Abstract

In this paper attention is directed at the effects of the ageing of the Scottish population. Expenditure patterns vary with the average age of household members. Data from Family Spending is used to disaggregate the household column of the Scottish input-output table into three sub-sectors (a) Younger households (Age of head of household less than 65), (b) Mature households (Age of head of household between 65 and 74) and (c) Older households (Age of head of household 75 or more). A comparison of the published Type II multipliers with those using the disaggregated household sector is made. The second part of the paper uses household projections produced by the Registrar General for Scotland to forecast the relative changes that might be expected (*ceteris paribus*) in the three household expenditure columns. Alterations in the relative frequency of each type of household will have implications for individual industries. Holding total income constant, an increase in older households and a decrease in younger households would increase final demand for some commodities and lower it for others. Given the implicit multiplier effects, the industries that are relatively advantaged by the demographic change are identified.

Keywords: Input-Output, Household projections, Scottish economy

JEL Classification: C67, D57, J11, R15

1. Introduction

Recently increased attention has been directed towards the challenges that face developed countries due to ageing and in some cases declining populations (see, for example, Börsch-Supan, 2004, Fertig and Schmidt, 2004, Onofri, 2004, and Poole and Wheelock, 2005). Much of the research has concentrated on the labour market effects and has highlighted potential problems arising in the pensions market. Although it is recognised that this “pensions time-bomb” may prove to be a substantial problem that developed economies need to solve there are other facets to the ageing of the population that may prove to be beneficial to some.

The expenditure patterns of the young and the elderly in our society differ. Retirees do not exhibit the same consumption patterns as those in employment. Parents with young children have different requirements to those whose children are older and may indeed have left home. Any ageing of the population will shift patterns of demand away from the patterns exhibited by younger persons and towards those exhibited by older persons thus increasing the demand for some goods and services whilst lowering the demand for others. This changed pattern of demand and the consequent multiplier effects throughout the domestic economy will present opportunities for expansion in some sectors whilst admittedly give rise to contraction in others. An obvious way to analyse these possibilities is by using an input-output framework, though it should be immediately noted that this framework will only reflect demand considerations and cannot, without substantial modification, reflect supply side adjustments. This paper explores this facet of ageing using data for the Scottish economy. The Scottish Executive has regularly produced input-output tables for the Scottish economy. In this study, primarily to ease reconciliation of different data sets, the tables analysed are those calculated for the year 2001.¹ Note that throughout this paper a commodity by commodity framework is adopted for the analysis.

In the first stage of the paper an analysis is made of the effects of disaggregating the household sector in the Scottish input-output tables into three categories according to the age of the reference person in the household. It is shown that although the expenditure patterns of households with differently aged reference persons do vary this has little effect on the properties of the disaggregated input-

¹ <http://www.scotland.gov.uk/about/FCSD/OCEA/00014713/index.aspx>

output table. The disaggregation is effected in the following section and the implications for the input-output table properties discussed in Section 3.

The second purpose of the exercise is to be able to shed light on some of the possible economic consequences of the ageing of the Scottish population. The projected changes in household structure and distribution can be used to construct new household demand columns within the input-output framework in order to estimate the possible consequences for sectors within Scotland. Section 4 of this paper describes how the household projections lead to projections of consumer demand vectors and comments on the results of applying these to the input-output table. The final section of the paper offers some comments on the approach adopted and the possible policy implications of the work.

2. Disaggregating the Household Sector

The set of input-output tables published by the Scottish Executive for 2001 gives details for some 128 intermediate sectors in the economy as well as for a six way disaggregation of primary inputs and a ten way disaggregation of final demand. However, only one column of these tables pertains to the household sector. The household expenditure column, in terms of the demand for domestically produced commodities, is given in Table 1. Because attention here is directed at the effects of the ageing of the population it is important to differentiate between households on the basis of the age of their members. If one wishes to examine the distributional effects of Scotland's demographic make-up it is necessary to disaggregate the column measuring the final demand by households into separate components. Similar disaggregations exist in the literature. Batey, Madden and Weekes (1987) disaggregate the household demand column into columns for the employed, the unemployed and for migrant workers. The Scottish Executive disaggregated the household demand column in the 1999 tables to reflect households with different incomes.

The disaggregation of the household expenditure column is done in several stages. First, information from the Expenditure and Food Survey is used to provide a household expenditure breakdown by age of head of household for Scotland using COICOP ² headings. Second, these are reclassified into Input-Output

² European Standard Classification Of Individual Consumption By Purpose

commodity headings by means of a UK correspondence table. Third, wholesale, retail, motor vehicle and catering margins are calculated for each commodity, subtracted from the expenditure on that commodity and added to the commodities corresponding to the four margin sectors. Finally the household expenditure column in the original table is divided in proportion to the age of head of household specific figures obtained in the previous stage. Each part of the process is discussed in greater detail below.

2.1 ESTIMATING EXPENDITURE PATTERNS DISAGGREGATED BY THE AGE OF THE HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD.

ONS Family Spending 2000 – 2001³ provides a detailed breakdown of the estimated average weekly expenditure of Scottish households into 127 commodity groupings. However as the conversion matrix used in the second stage of the process below contains only 39 COICOP larger commodity groups it was not necessary to work with the highly disaggregated data.

Further the same publication gives a detailed breakdown of the expenditure patterns of households according to the age of the reference person of the household, though this time for the UK as a whole rather than for Scotland. In this paper the reference person is taken to be equivalent to the head of the household although it is recognised that this may not always be the case. Five divisions are reported for households; where the age of the reference person is below 30, between 30 and 49, between 50 and 65, between 65 and 74 and finally 75 and over. In what follows the most important distinction is between those households where the age of the reference person is greater than 65 and those where it is not. Thus the expenditure estimates for the first three groups may be combined (using suitable weights) to give the expenditure patterns for households where the reference person is under the male retirement age. The three way division of households that is used will be referred to as (1) Younger households (Age of reference person less than 65), (2) Mature households (Age of reference person between 65 and 74) and (3) Older households (Age of reference person 75 or more).

By assuming, for each of the 39 COICOP larger commodity groups that the relative relationship between any sub group and the whole population is the same in Scotland as it is in the UK as a whole one may estimate the expenditure patterns of

³ <http://www.statistics.gov.uk/StatBase/ssdataset.asp?vlnk=5636&Pos=4&ColRank=2&Rank=272>

Scottish households disaggregated by the age of the reference person. If X_{UK} is the expenditure on a commodity group in the UK, X_S is the expenditure on the same commodity group in Scotland and $X_{UK,k}$ is the expenditure of UK households in group k ($k = 1, \dots, 5$) then

$$X_{S,k} = X_S \cdot \left(\frac{X_{UK,k}}{X_{UK}} \right)$$

Although the application of this exercise will be to make a distinction between the retired and non-retired in the work force, it is recognised that the use of a disaggregation based on the age of the reference person introduces a margin of error, for it need not be that the reference person in mature and older households is retired. Regrettably data for households with retired persons is not available at a suitable level of commodity disaggregation.

Two of the commodity groups proved problematic. The first was Imputed rentals for housing. Understandably this is not recorded in the Expenditure and Food Survey. This category of expenditure was proxied by the COICIOP commodity class Mortgage interest payments, water, council tax etc. The second was Financial Services n.e.c. which was taken to be equivalent to Bank, building society, post office, credit card charges.

Finally the figures for average weekly expenditure were multiplied by the number of households of the corresponding category to give total weekly expenditures by each of the household groups (Younger, Mature and Older). The resultant estimates are given in Table 2.

2.2 CONVERTING TO THE IO COMMODITY CLASSIFICATION.

The Office for National Statistics use a correspondence matrix to convert from COICOP categories of expenditure to the commodity framework adopted in the UK Input-Output tables. Fractions of the expenditures in each of the thirty-nine COICOP commodity groups are allocated to one of the 123 distinct input-output commodity classifications. There is no separate conversion table for Scotland so the UK correspondence matrix was used to apportion the Scottish expenditures across the Input-Output commodities. This resulted in a 3 x 123 matrix of expenditures where the columns are for younger, mature and older households. To these 123 commodities were added four commodities for which there was no household expenditure in 2001. Finally the expenditures on Alcoholic drink were divided

between Spirits and wines and Beer and ales by means of figures from *Family Spending*. This gave a 3 x 128 matrix of estimated expenditures.

2.3 ADJUSTMENT FOR MARGINS

Expenditure figures derived from *Family Spending* relate to amounts spent on average by households on commodities. In a number of respects these do not correspond to figures that are typically included in input-output tables. First, the expenditure estimates include both domestically produced commodities and imported commodities. Second, expenditure estimates for any good are likely to include an element of reward for services which are incurred in selling the good to the customer. The Office for National Statistics and the Scottish Executive identify four production activities that tend to be rewarded for their services indirectly in this way; Motor vehicle distribution and repair and automotive fuel retail, Wholesale distribution, Retail distribution and Hotels, catering and pubs etc. In order to make the disaggregated household estimates conform to the input-output accounting framework it is necessary to adjust the figures for these two factors.

The Scottish Executive have provided a breakdown of household expenditure on commodities into expenditures on domestically produced commodities, imports from the Rest of the United Kingdom and Imports from the Rest of the World. Assuming that, for each commodity, the propensity to import (both from the Rest of the UK and from the Rest of the World) is the same across the different types of household, the expenditure estimates can be split into expenditure on domestically produced commodities, imports from the Rest of the UK and Imports from the Rest of the World. For each household type the imports may be summed to give totals for the Rest of the UK and for the Rest of the World. The Scottish Executive have provided tables whereby the margins for the four distribution activities can be subtracted from the expenditures on individual commodities and from total imports from the Rest of the UK and from total imports the Rest of the World. These margins are subtracted from the estimated expenditure figures for individual commodities and added to expenditure on the relevant distribution sector.

2.4 THE DISAGGREGATION OF THE INPUT-OUTPUT HOUSEHOLD EXPENDITURE COLUMN.

The estimates obtained in the manner described above may be used as relative expenditures by the three household groups and the implied ratios applied to the input-output household expenditure column in order to disaggregate that column

into expenditures by younger, mature and older households. The resultant disaggregation is shown in Table 3.

3 The Effect of Disaggregating the Household Column

Disaggregating the household column into the expenditures for the three different types of household has little effect on the properties of the table. Under the assumption that the wages and salaries row in the table (entitled Compensation of Employees) should be allocated entirely to the working age households and not to the retired households, the only difference in the Type 2 multipliers derived from the table arises through altered consumption induced effects that arise because the expenditure patterns of the working age households are different from those of the retired households. However, as working age households account for the large majority of household expenditure, approximately 86%, this effect is slight being less than 0.5% in the case of income multipliers. In future work it is hoped to disaggregate working age households further in which case, assuming a suitable division of compensation of employees can be found, greater differences may become noticeable.

It is though worth highlighting the major differences in expenditure patterns between the three sets of households. Contrasting only those commodities for which expenditures are relatively high, the older the reference person of the household the greater is the average propensity to consume out of total expenditure for Insurance and pension schemes, Gas distribution, Electricity production and distribution, Water supply, Sewage and sanitary services and Health and veterinary services and the lower is the propensity to consume out of total expenditure for Railway transport, Other land transport and Ancillary transport services. Broadly speaking one may conclude that expenditure on utilities and health related services increases and expenditure on public transport decrease as proportions of total expenditure as the age of the reference person in the household increases.

4 Household Projections, final demand changes and commodity production.

Household projections for Scotland are produced by the General Register Office for Scotland⁴. Currently such forecasts are made until 2016. In this latter part of the paper an attempt is made to estimate the effect the projected change in the distribution of the type of households in Scotland might have on individual production sectors in the economy.

In the analysis that follows the number of households in Scotland is disaggregated by the age of the head of the household [three categories: below 65; From 65 to 74; Above 74] and by the composition of the household or household type [Four categories: One adult - No children; Two or more adults - No children; One adult – One or more children; Two or more adults – one or more children]. In order to provide a starting point for the analysis this twelve way disaggregation of the data for 2001, the year for which the input-output table used is constructed, is taken from the census results of that year.

Although the projections for 2016 are published in a comparable fashion the disaggregation is not complete. For households consisting of adults only a complete disaggregation by age of head of household is given. It is therefore a straight forward matter to extract the relevant figures for 2016 for cases where the age of the head of the household is below 65, between 65 and 74 and 75 or above. However the projections for households with children do not contain sufficient information to allow for a similar division between differently aged heads of household. In order to estimate the number of mature and older households with children two alternative assumptions are considered. First, it is assumed that the ratio of the number of mature (or older) one parent households with children to the number of mature (or older) one parent childless households remains constant between 2001 and 2016. Second, it is assumed that the ratio of the number of mature (or older) two parent households with children to the number of mature (or older) two parent households without children remains constant. As can be seen in Table 4 these assumptions result in rather different estimates. As a result the average of the two estimates is taken as the final estimate of the relevant populations.

Mature and older households comprised 25.3% of total Scottish households in 2001, by 2016 it is forecast that these categories will comprise 27.7% of Scottish

⁴ <http://www.gro-scotland.gov.uk/statistics/library/household-estimates-projections/2002-based-household-projections.html>

households. Perhaps more striking is the forecast that the proportion of all households that are households with one adult is likely to rise from 38.5% to 46.3%.

In conjunction with the earlier results of Section 2 of this paper, these projections may be used to produce forecasts of household expenditures in 2016 disaggregated by the category of household (younger, mature and older). In order to estimate the expenditures by, for example, older households one could multiply the expenditures in 2001 by the ratio of the projected number of older households in 2016 to the number of older households in 2001. However that procedure would neglect any consequences of the changing composition, with respect to household size, of older households between the two years. Recognising that, normally, households with fewer members will consume less, one way to take account of this, at least partially, is to weight the different sizes of households differently. The weights used in this exercise are given in Table 5. Although the original McClements scores are based on ten categories of person, because the household projection differentiate only four categories of household the scores have to be combined. This is done using data on Scottish households taken from the British Household Panel Survey.

These weights are then used to adjust the raw household figures to allow for variations in household size and composition. These figures together with the percentage changes in the McClements adjusted household numbers are given in Table 6.

By multiplying the three household expenditure columns of the disaggregated input-output table by the rates of growth given for the McClements adjusted figures in Table 6, one may investigate the implications for different production sectors within Scotland of the projected change in household age and composition. However it should be noted that in doing so the total household expenditure figures would go up. It might be argued that as average household size declines average expenditures per household might increase, but in order to eliminate effects due to this the figures are scaled so that the net effect on total household expenditure is zero. Thus what is measured is the effect of changing household composition on, firstly, final demand and, secondly, commodity outputs. The largest effects are shown in Table 7. As might be expected the commodities for which final demand alters most are, by and large, the commodities that are affected most overall. It should be noted that the overall effect on the production of a commodity may be less than the change in final

demand as the system reflects all changes in final demand and their multiplier effects. Although the particular values reported in Table 7 should not be regarded as precise forecasts the results are interesting. The results suggest that the effect of the changing age structure and composition of households in Scotland might lead to increasing demand for Utilities, Social work services, Health and Insurance services. On the other hand the changes are estimated to have a marked negative effect on domestic demand for Hotels, catering and pubs etc., Letting of dwellings and Education.

5. Conclusion

The results of the analysis in this paper depend on the assumptions implicit in the input-output framework that is used. Especially in evaluating the effects of the changing demographic structure of the Scottish population between 2001 and 2016 these assumptions are likely to be questionable. New technologies, changes in relative prices and changing patterns of behaviour may all act to confound the results. It is also pertinent to ask to what extent pension provision will allow households to maintain the lifestyles they would wish. Although therefore the results of the paper should be taken, at best, in a qualitative sense there is a message for policy makers in them. Agencies responsible for stimulating the Scottish economy might note that changing demographics is likely to increase demand for some commodities and services whilst reducing the demand for others. Other considerations aside, this suggests that there are some industries which will face increased demand for their outputs in the future. However it is not just Scottish domestic demand for these commodities and services which will increase. Given that the UK as a whole is likely to face a similar demographic future as Scotland, increased demand for these commodities and services will be at least UK wide. To the extent that such commodities and services are tradable, it might be beneficial if such sectors were supported so that they were in a position to take advantage of this increased demand. On the other hand intervention to support or foster development in those sectors for which the demographic projection suggests demand will fall is possible unwise.

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Table 1: Scottish Household Final Expenditure on Domestically Produced Commodities 2001

| COMMODITY | EXPENDITURE £m |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 Agriculture | 100.23 |
| 2.1 Forestry Planting | 0.00 |
| 2.2 Forestry Harvesting | 6.41 |
| 3.1 Sea Fishing | 6.28 |
| 3.2 Fish Farming | 0.00 |
| 4 Coal Extraction etc | 2.20 |
| 5 Extraction - Oil and Gas | 0.00 |
| 6 Extraction - Metal Ores | 0.00 |
| 7 Other Mining and Quarrying | 0.00 |
| 8 Meat Processing | 55.01 |
| 9 Fish and Fruit Processing | 93.37 |
| 10 Oils and Fats | 0.85 |
| 11 Dairy Products | 54.46 |
| 12 Grain Milling and Starch | 1.76 |
| 13 Animal Feeding Stuffs | 0.80 |
| 14 Bread, Biscuits, etc | 69.50 |
| 15 Sugar | 0.03 |
| 16 Confectionery | 26.88 |
| 17 Miscellaneous Foods | 36.72 |
| 18.1 Spirits and Wines, etc | 11.83 |
| 18.2 Beer Brewing | 13.86 |
| 19 Soft Drinks | 129.12 |
| 20 Tobacco | 0.00 |
| 21 Textile Fibres | 0.01 |
| 22 Textile Weaving | 0.00 |
| 23 Textile Finishing | 0.91 |
| 24 Made-up Textiles | 21.72 |
| 25 Carpets and Rugs | 2.55 |
| 26 Other Textiles | 0.20 |
| 27 Knitted Goods | 24.78 |
| 28 Wearing Apparel | 38.57 |
| 29 Leather Tanning | 1.39 |
| 30 Footwear | 0.12 |
| 31 Timber and Wood Products | 16.97 |
| 32 Pulp, Paper and Board | 0.00 |
| 33 Paper and Board Products | 0.61 |
| 34 Printing and Publishing | 77.97 |
| 35 Oil Process, Nuclear Fuel | 273.90 |
| 36 Industrial Gases | 0.00 |
| 37 Inorganic Chemicals | 0.00 |
| 38 Organic Chemicals | 0.00 |
| 39 Fertilisers | 0.34 |
| 40 Synthetic Resins | 0.00 |
| 41 Pesticides | 0.01 |
| 42 Paints, Dyes, Printing Ink, etc | 0.29 |
| 43 Pharmaceuticals | 0.27 |
| 44 Soap and Toilet Preparations | 6.60 |

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| 45 | Chemical Products nes | 4.11 |
| 46 | Man-Made Fibres | 0.00 |
| 47 | Rubber Products | 1.84 |
| 48 | Plastic Products | 2.39 |
| 49 | Glass and Glass Products | 1.50 |
| 50 | Ceramic Goods | 5.05 |
| 51 | Structural Clay Products | 0.00 |
| 52 | Cement, Lime and Plaster | 0.64 |
| 53 | Articles of Concrete etc | 1.82 |
| 54 | Iron and Steel | 0.00 |
| 55 | Non-ferrous Metals | 0.01 |
| 56 | Metal Castings | 0.00 |
| 57 | Structural Metal Products | 0.00 |
| 58 | Metal Containers, etc | 0.05 |
| 59 | Metal Forging, Pressing, etc | 0.00 |
| 60 | Cutlery and Tools | 0.01 |
| 61 | Metal Goods nes | 0.23 |
| 62 | Mech Power Transmission Equipment | 0.14 |
| 63 | General Purpose Machinery | 9.06 |
| 64 | Agricultural Machinery | 0.00 |
| 65 | Machine Tools | 0.48 |
| 66 | Special Purpose Machinery | 0.00 |
| 67 | Weapons and Ammunition | 0.00 |
| 68 | Domestic Appliances nes | 17.16 |
| 69 | Office Machinery | 19.81 |
| 70 | Electric Motors and Generators | 17.50 |
| 71 | Insulated Wire and Cable | 0.00 |
| 72 | Electrical Equipment nes | 0.32 |
| 73 | Electronic Components | 0.00 |
| 74 | Transmitters for TV, Radio and Phone | 0.10 |
| 75 | Receivers for TV and Radio | 7.38 |
| 76 | Medical and Precision Instruments | 0.96 |
| 77 | Motor Vehicles | 14.70 |
| 78 | Shipbuilding and Repair | 12.14 |
| 79 | Other Transport Equipment | 22.78 |
| 80 | Aircraft and Spacecraft | 0.00 |
| 81 | Furniture | 10.17 |
| 82 | Jewellery and Related Products | 12.29 |
| 83 | Sports Goods and Toys | 5.16 |
| 84 | Miscellaneous Manufacturing nes | 8.95 |
| 85 | Electricity Production and Distribution | 458.98 |
| 86 | Gas Distribution | 466.47 |
| 87 | Water Supply | 241.07 |
| 88 | Construction | 183.38 |
| 89 | Distribution and Motor Repair, etc | 1191.18 |
| 90 | Wholesale Distribution | 1311.67 |
| 91 | Retail Distribution | 6400.98 |
| 92 | Hotels, Catering, Pubs, etc | 2777.89 |
| 93 | Railways | 210.09 |
| 94 | Other Land Transport | 589.62 |
| 95 | Water Transport | 49.00 |
| 96 | Air Transport | 38.76 |

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| 97 | Transport Services | 118.55 |
| 98 | Postal Services | 66.96 |
| 99 | Telecommunications | 668.82 |
| 100.1 | Banking | 80.50 |
| 100.2 | Other Financial Institutions | 0.00 |
| 101 | Insurance and Pension Funds | 561.69 |
| 102.1 | Auxiliary Financial Services nes | 103.14 |
| 102.2 | Auxiliary to Insurance | 0.00 |
| 103 | Owning and Dealing in Real Estate | 0.00 |
| 104 | Letting of Dwellings | 6665.87 |
| 105 | Estate Agent Activities | 16.17 |
| 106 | Renting of Machinery | 523.29 |
| 107 | Computing Services | 0.00 |
| 108 | Research and Development | 0.00 |
| 109 | Legal Activities | 26.11 |
| 110 | Accountancy Services | 5.67 |
| 111 | Market Research | 0.00 |
| 112 | Architectural etc Activities | 25.68 |
| 113 | Advertising | 8.06 |
| 114 | Other Business Services | 18.43 |
| 115 | Public Administration | 127.37 |
| 116 | Education | 271.41 |
| 117 | Health and Veterinary Services | 186.58 |
| 118 | Social Work | 164.89 |
| 119 | Sanitary Services | 217.64 |
| 120 | Membership Organisations | 77.77 |
| 121 | Recreational Services | 710.88 |
| 122 | Other Service Activities | 385.20 |
| 123 | Private Households with employed persons | 119.14 |
| | Imports from Rest of UK | 10478.44 |
| | Imports from Rest of World | 6848.27 |
| | Taxes less subsidies on products | 4222.67 |

Source: Scottish Input Output Tables 2001,
<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/about/FCSD/OCEA/00014713/index.aspx>

Table 2: Estimated Scottish Weekly Household Expenditure by age classification (£th)

| COMMODITY GROUP | Younger Hhlds | Mature Hhlds | Older Hhlds |
|---------------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Food | 67699.84 | 10052.28 | 6368.85 |
| Non-alcoholic drinks | 7370.66 | 925.61 | 511.36 |
| Alcoholic drinks | 12530.74 | 1281.29 | 763.28 |
| Tobacco and narcotics | 15403.49 | 1488.59 | 590.40 |
| Clothing | 37185.27 | 3198.18 | 1507.26 |
| Footwear | 8767.21 | 693.19 | 338.21 |
| Actual rentals for housing | 35556.00 | 3817.59 | 4234.39 |
| Imputed rent | 81080.25 | 4510.85 | 2642.65 |
| Maintenance and repair of dwelling | 8389.46 | 1342.96 | 754.38 |
| Water supply and misc servs for dwelling | 682.87 | 128.78 | 102.27 |
| Electricity, gas and other fuels | 20822.50 | 3585.39 | 2612.88 |
| Furn and furnish, carpets and floor cover | 29774.44 | 2618.60 | 1835.93 |
| Household textiles | 3631.67 | 407.79 | 246.23 |
| Household appliances | 9759.07 | 1094.67 | 839.17 |
| Glassware, tableware and household utensils | 2236.12 | 259.27 | 86.24 |
| Tools and equipment for house and garden | 5808.83 | 641.87 | 236.51 |
| Gds and sevs for routine hhld maint | 6287.08 | 939.62 | 910.83 |
| Medical products, appliances and equipment | 3716.51 | 732.06 | 326.34 |
| Out-patient services | 1701.05 | 334.30 | 193.82 |
| In-patient hospital services | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Purchase of vehicles | 43618.47 | 3531.03 | 1304.68 |
| Operation of personal transport | 39089.94 | 3910.09 | 1473.10 |
| Transport services | 17994.72 | 1192.15 | 592.27 |
| Communication | 17731.67 | 1716.70 | 1074.78 |
| Audio-visual, photo and info proc equip | 15887.58 | 991.61 | 434.58 |
| Oth maj durables for rec and culture | 822.61 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Oth rec items and equip, gardens and pets | 16152.19 | 1713.91 | 778.88 |
| Recreational and cultural services | 29363.58 | 3228.64 | 1202.97 |
| Newspapers, books and stationery | 11494.73 | 1700.58 | 1061.55 |
| Package holidays | 19671.71 | 3030.52 | 990.25 |
| Education | 8141.12 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Catering services | 54184.05 | 3845.89 | 1835.80 |
| Accommodation services | 4438.04 | 683.49 | 211.14 |
| Personal care | 14601.55 | 1627.57 | 988.60 |
| Personal effects | 5343.00 | 370.23 | 316.07 |
| Social protection | 4046.25 | 78.71 | 816.14 |
| Insurance | 17110.30 | 2215.85 | 1374.13 |
| Financial Services n.e.s | 737.08 | 40.67 | 35.60 |
| Other services | 6896.21 | 711.77 | 187.75 |
| TOTAL | 684673.96 | 69121.03 | 40116.29 |

SOURCE: Derived from Botting, B. (ed), 2003

Table 3: Disaggregated Household Expenditure by Commodity

| COMMODITY | Younger Hhlds | Mature Hhlds | Older Hhlds |
|----------------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Agriculture | 81.6 | 11.5 | 7.1 |
| Forestry Planting | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Forestry Harvesting | 5.4 | 0.6 | 0.3 |
| Sea Fishing | 5.1 | 0.7 | 0.5 |
| Fish Farming | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Coal extraction | 1.7 | 0.3 | 0.2 |
| Oil and gas extraction | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Metal ores extraction | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other mining and quarrying | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Meat processing | 44.3 | 6.6 | 4.2 |
| Fish and fruit processing | 75.5 | 11.0 | 6.9 |
| Oils and fats | 0.7 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Dairy products | 43.8 | 6.5 | 4.1 |
| Grain milling and starch | 1.4 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Animal feed | 0.7 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| Bread, biscuits etc | 55.9 | 8.3 | 5.3 |
| Sugar | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Confectionery | 21.6 | 3.2 | 2.0 |
| Other food products | 29.9 | 4.2 | 2.6 |
| Spirits & Wines | 10.2 | 1.0 | 0.6 |
| Beers and Ales | 11.9 | 1.2 | 0.7 |
| Soft drinks and mineral waters | 108.1 | 13.6 | 7.5 |
| Tobacco products | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Textile fibres | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Textile weaving | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Textile finishing | 0.8 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| MadeUp textiles | 18.5 | 2.0 | 1.2 |
| Carpets and rugs | 2.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Other textiles | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Knitted goods | 22.0 | 1.9 | 0.9 |
| Wearing apparel and fur products | 34.2 | 2.9 | 1.4 |
| Leather goods | 1.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Footwear | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Wood and wood products | 14.1 | 1.9 | 1.0 |
| Pulp, paper and paperboard | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Paper and paperboard products | 0.5 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| Printing and publishing | 65.4 | 8.0 | 4.6 |
| Coke ovens, refined petroleum & nuclear fuel | 238.7 | 24.9 | 10.3 |
| Industrial gases and dyes | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Inorganic chemicals | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Organic chemicals | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Fertilisers | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Plastics & synthetic resins etc | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Pesticides | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Paints, varnishes, printing ink etc | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

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| Pharmaceuticals | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Soap and toilet preparations | 5.4 | 0.7 | 0.5 |
| Other chemical products | 3.8 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Man0made fibres | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Rubber products | 1.5 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Plastic products | 2.0 | 0.3 | 0.1 |
| Glass and glass products | 1.3 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Ceramic goods | 4.4 | 0.5 | 0.2 |
| Structural clay products | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Cement, lime and plaster | 0.5 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| Articles of concrete, stone etc | 1.5 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Iron and steel | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Non0ferrous metals | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Metal castings | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Structural metal products | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Metal boilers and radiators | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Metal forging, pressing, etc | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Cutlery, tools etc | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other metal products | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Mechanical power equipment | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| General purpose machinery | 7.6 | 0.9 | 0.6 |
| Agricultural machinery | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Machine tools | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Special purpose machinery | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Weapons and ammunition | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Domestic appliances nec | 14.4 | 1.6 | 1.2 |
| Office machinery & computers | 18.2 | 1.1 | 0.5 |
| Electric motors and generators etc | 15.2 | 1.7 | 0.6 |
| Insulated wire and cable | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Electrical equipment nec | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Electronic components | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Transmitters for TV, radio and phone | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Receivers for TV and radio | 6.8 | 0.4 | 0.2 |
| Medical and precision instruments | 0.8 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Motor vehicles | 13.2 | 1.1 | 0.4 |
| Shipbuilding and repair | 12.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other transport equipment | 20.7 | 1.5 | 0.6 |
| Aircraft and spacecraft | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Furniture | 8.8 | 0.8 | 0.5 |
| Jewellery and related products | 10.9 | 0.7 | 0.6 |
| Sports goods and toys | 4.5 | 0.5 | 0.2 |
| Miscellaneous manufacturing nec & recycling | 7.7 | 0.8 | 0.5 |
| Electricity production and distribution | 353.7 | 60.9 | 44.4 |
| Gas distribution | 359.5 | 61.9 | 45.1 |
| Water supply | 180.1 | 34.0 | 27.0 |
| Construction | 146.7 | 23.5 | 13.2 |
| Motor vehicle distribution and repair, automotive fuel retail | 1041.0 | 105.1 | 45.1 |
| Wholesale distribution | 1124.4 | 120.4 | 66.8 |
| Retail distribution | 5492.7 | 583.6 | 324.7 |
| Hotels, catering, pubs etc | 2496.2 | 192.2 | 89.5 |

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| Railway transport | 191.1 | 12.7 | 6.3 |
| Other land transport | 536.4 | 35.5 | 17.7 |
| Water transport | 44.6 | 3.0 | 1.5 |
| Air transport | 35.3 | 2.3 | 1.2 |
| Ancillary transport services | 105.9 | 8.9 | 3.7 |
| Postal and courier services | 57.8 | 5.6 | 3.5 |
| Telecommunications | 577.9 | 55.9 | 35.0 |
| Banking | 72.9 | 4.0 | 3.5 |
| Other Financial Institutions | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Insurance and pension funds | 463.9 | 60.4 | 37.4 |
| Auxiliary to Baking | 93.5 | 5.2 | 4.5 |
| Auxiliary to Insurance | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Owning and dealing in real estate | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Letting of dwellings | 5899.0 | 420.4 | 346.4 |
| Estate agent activities | 14.3 | 1.5 | 0.4 |
| Renting of machinery etc | 466.4 | 41.5 | 15.4 |
| Computer services | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Research and development | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Legal activities | 23.1 | 2.4 | 0.6 |
| Accountancy services | 5.0 | 0.5 | 0.1 |
| Market research, management consultancy | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Architectural activities and technical consultancy | 22.6 | 2.3 | 0.8 |
| Advertising | 7.1 | 0.7 | 0.2 |
| Other business services | 16.1 | 1.7 | 0.6 |
| Public administration and defence | 108.3 | 12.6 | 6.5 |
| Education | 270.6 | 0.6 | 0.2 |
| Health and veterinary services | 150.8 | 18.2 | 17.5 |
| Social work activities | 135.0 | 2.6 | 27.2 |
| Sewage and sanitary services | 162.6 | 30.7 | 24.4 |
| Membership organisations nec | 68.6 | 7.0 | 2.1 |
| Recreational services | 618.0 | 67.8 | 25.1 |
| Other service activities | 332.4 | 35.4 | 17.4 |
| Private households with employed persons | 93.1 | 11.6 | 14.5 |
| TOTAL | 22825.7 | 2157.7 | 1338.8 |
| RUK Imports | 8956.8 | 973.8 | 547.8 |
| ROW Imports | 5951.2 | 591.6 | 305.4 |
| TOTAL | 37733.7 | 3723.2 | 2192.0 |
| Taxes on Products | 3650.4 | 360.2 | 212.1 |
| TOTAL | 41384.2 | 4083.4 | 2404.0 |

TABLE 4: Household Estimates and Projections**2001**

| | 1 Adult only | 1 Adult & Children | 2 or more Adults & Children | 2 or more Adults |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|
| Head 65 or less | 424694 | 120969 | 444896 | 647197 |
| Head between 65 and 75 | 130115 | 785 | 1921 | 186059 |
| Head 75 or over | 166021 | 802 | 419 | 68368 |

Taken from Census.

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a) Assuming constant one adult only to one adult & children ratio for mature and older households

| | 1 Adult only | 1 Adult & Children | 2 or more Adults & Children | 2 or more Adults |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|
| Head 65 or less | 582660 | 170479 | 349481 | 619520 |
| Head between 65 and 75 | 149460 | 902 | 3058 | 198010 |
| Head 75 or over | 198520 | 959 | 1731 | 106320 |

b) Assuming constant two or more adult only to two or more adults & children ratio for mature and older households

| | 1 Adult only | 1 Adult & Children | 2 or more Adults & Children | 2 or more Adults |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|
| Head 65 or less | 582660 | 168386 | 351574 | 619520 |
| Head between 65 and 75 | 149460 | 1916 | 2044 | 198010 |
| Head 75 or over | 198520 | 2038 | 652 | 106320 |

c) Final Estimates – Average of preceding two.

| | 1 Adult only | 1 Adult & Children | 2 Adults & Children | 2 or more Adults |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| Head 65 or less | 582660 | 169433 | 350527 | 619520 |
| Head between 65 and 75 | 149460 | 1409 | 2551 | 198010 |
| Head 75 or over | 198520 | 1499 | 1191 | 106320 |

TABLE 5: McClements Scale

| Household Member | McClements Scores |
|----------------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Head of Household | 0.61 |
| Spouse of head of household | 0.39 |
| First "other" adult | 0.46 |
| Each additional "other" adults | 0.36 |
| Each child ≥ 13 years, < 16 years | 0.27 |
| Each child ≥ 11 years, < 13 years | 0.25 |
| Each child ≥ 8 years, < 11 years | 0.23 |
| Each child ≥ 5 years, < 8 years | 0.21 |
| Each child ≥ 2 years, < 5 years | 0.18 |
| Each child less than 2 years | 0.09 |
| | |
| Household Type | |
| One adult | 0.61 |
| One adult with one or more children | 0.935233 |
| Two or more adults | 1.045862 |
| Two or more adults with one or more children | 1.356229 |

TABLE 6: McClements adjusted household numbers.

| | | Younger | Mature | Older |
|----------|---------------------|---------|--------|--------|
| 2001 | Actual | 1637756 | 318880 | 235610 |
| | McClements Adjusted | 1652457 | 277302 | 174095 |
| 2016 | Actual | 1722140 | 351430 | 307530 |
| | McClements Adjusted | 1637209 | 303039 | 235311 |
| % Change | Actual | 5.15 | 10.21 | 30.16 |
| | McClements Adjusted | - 0.92 | 9.28 | 35.16 |

TABLE 7: Significant Final Demand and commodity production changes

| Sector | Final Demand | Commodity Production |
|------------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| Electricity Production and Distribution | 9.92 | 22.08 |
| Gas Distribution | 10.08 | 14.94 |
| Social Work | 5.67 | 7.84 |
| Sanitary Services | 6.08 | 7.08 |
| Water Supply | 6.73 | 6.65 |
| Health and Veterinary Services | 3.17 | 5.30 |
| Insurance and Pension Funds | 4.59 | 4.59 |
| Retail Distribution | 5.01 | 4.09 |
| Private Households with employed persons | 3.22 | 3.20 |
| Agriculture | 1.04 | 2.32 |
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| Railways | - 2.07 | - 2.11 |
| Recreational Service | - 3.11 | - 3.22 |
| Renting of Machinery | - 4.24 | - 4.15 |
| Distribution and Motor Repair etc. | - 4.95 | - 5.29 |
| Other Land Transport | - 5.82 | - 5.97 |
| Education | - 7.14 | - 7.08 |
| Letting of Dwellings | - 10.90 | - 11.91 |
| Hotels, Catering, Pubs, etc | - 22.61 | - 22.98 |