Table 2.5.1 Statutory homelessness rates in 2003 and 2010

	Household population (000s)	Homelessness acceptances		Homelessness – acceptances per thousand households	
		2003	2010	2003	2010
England	21,731	135,590	42,390	6.2	2.0
Scotland	2,331	30,028	34,785	12.9	14.9
Wales	1,297	8,512	6,255	6.6	4.8
Northern Ireland	689	8,580	10,443	12.5	15.2

Sources: Homelessness numbers – Compendium Tables 90 and 104; Household projections – endnotes to

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Notes: 1. Household population figures relate to 2008. 2. Homelessness acceptances for Wales and Northern Ireland are for financial years.