

Table 102 Local authority and housing association lettings to new tenants in England

Thousands

	1980/81	1985/86	1990/91	1995/96	1996/97	1997/98	1998/99	1999/00	2000/01	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	2015/16	2016/17
Local authorities	275	247	240	250	260	259	249	236	222	197	191	162	149	133	124	111	107	110	102	99	95	95	87	84	78
Housing associations	42	51	62	114	107	112	112	111	112	118	117	104	108	96	96	97	105	104	129	121	118	123	125	121	109
Total	317	298	302	364	367	371	361	347	334	315	308	266	257	229	222	208	212	214	231	220	213	218	212	205	187

Sources: See Tables 98 & 99.

Notes: From 2003/04 local authority lettings exclude non-secure lettings to homeless households (see Table 98).

New housing association tenants include former council tenants transferring to housing associations, but exclude lettings of supported accommodation (and former supported housing tenants taking up general needs tenancies). Similarly new local authority tenants include transfers of former housing association tenants.

The definition of supported housing changed from 2004/05 resulting in a reduction in recorded housing association general needs lettings (see Table 100).