

Table 5 : 2007-08 Council taxes (Band D for 2 adults and average per dwelling): by class of authority

	Average council tax for the authority excluding parish precepts (Band D) ^(a)		Average council tax for the authority including parish precepts (Band D) ^(a)		Average council tax for area of billing authority (Band D) ^(a)		Average council tax per dwelling in the area ^(b)	
	£ (Column 1)	% change (Column 2)	£ (Column 3)	% change (Column 4)	£ (Column 5)	% change (Column 6)	£ (Column 7)	% change (Column 8)
ENGLAND	1,305	4.2	1,321	4.2	1,321	4.2	1,101	4.3
Class of authority:								
Inner London boroughs including City	787	2.0	787	2.0	1,090	2.9	995	3.0
Outer London boroughs	1,057	3.7	1,057	3.7	1,361	4.1	1,275	3.8
London boroughs	955	3.1	955	3.1	1,258	3.6	1,167	3.5
Greater London Authority	304	5.3	304	5.3	-	-	-	-
Metropolitan districts	1,120	3.8	1,124	3.8	1,284	3.8	919	4.0
Metropolitan police authorities	107	4.8	107	4.8	-	-	-	-
Metropolitan fire and rescue authorities	51	3.6	51	3.6	-	-	-	-
Shire unitary authorities	1,089	3.9	1,103	3.9	1,302	4.1	1,024	4.3
Shire counties	1,005	4.4	1,005	4.4	-	-	-	-
Shire districts	152	3.4	180	3.7	1,362	4.5	1,192	4.7
Shire police authorities	141	5.7	141	5.7	-	-	-	-
Shire fire and rescue authorities	60	4.4	60	4.4	-	-	-	-

(a) Amounts shown for council taxes (Band D) are for 2 adults before Council Tax Benefit or discounts.

(b) Amounts shown for average council tax per dwelling are before Council Tax Benefit but include reductions due to discounts.