

Details of data collections that ceased or were reduced during the period May 2010 – April 2015

SDL Collection ref.	Dept.	Return	Former NIs	Notes
Collections which ceased during the period 2010-15				
	Various	Place Survey	NIs 1, 4, 5 6, 17, 21, 22, 27, 41, 42, 119 138 & 139	The Place Survey was cancelled with effect from 10 August 2010.
	BIS	Survey of business satisfaction with local authority regulation services	NI 182	This is no longer a Departmental Strategic Objective and therefore no need to collect the data.
	DCLG	Tenant Satisfaction Survey (STATUS)	NI 160	Cancelled with effect from 10 August 2010.
	DCLG	Local authority VFM gains	NI 179	Cancelled with effect from 18 October 2010
	DCLG	Self-assessment data on Building resilience to violent extremism	NI 35	Formally announced December 2010.
	DCLG	Supporting People Local System data	NI 141 & 142	Data collection ceased May 2011 (final submission of 2010/11 data).
007-00	DCLG	Mortgage Rescue Scheme return		No longer required
015-00	DCLG	Housing Revenue Account Subsidy Claim forms: second advance and base data forms		The final instances of these forms were completed at the end August 2011. No further instances of these collections will be required following the reform of HRA subsidy in 2012/13.
018-00				
004-00	DCLG	Housing Strategy Statistical Appendix (HSSA),		Removed was replaced by a new collection Local Authority Housing Statistics (SDL ref 252)
005-00		HRA Business Plan Statistical Appendix (BPSA)		
008-00		Housing Monitoring (P1B)		
016-00	DCLG	Housing Revenue Account Subsidy Claim form - advance final		Final collection was made in 2012
017-00	DCLG	Housing Revenue Account Subsidy Claim form - auditor final		Final collection was made in 2012

024-00	DCLG	Annual Monitoring Reports (local development framework)		The collection of annual monitoring reports by DCLG ceased on 15 January 2012 when Localism Act section 113 came into force. Councils are still required to prepare report and publish 'authorities' monitoring reports.
031-00	DCLG	Business Improvement Districts Outturn (BIDO)		No longer required
034-00	DCLG	Business Improvement Districts (BID) Revenue Account		No longer required
039-00	DCLG	Capital forecast return (CFR)		Cancelled from Dec 2014.
047-00	DCLG	NNDR mid-year forecast		No longer required from 2014
053-00	DCLG	Quarterly Return of Wages and Salaries (QRW)		No longer required
168-00	DCLG	Housing Capital Receipts pooling - signed paper return		The signed paper return for the auditing of pooled housing receipts is being integrated into the existing LOGASNet collection of pooled housing receipts data (Ref 167-01), that it will be part of the same process and could therefore be regarded as the same data collection.
169-00	DCLG	Disabled Facilities Grant		Collection no longer be required following the removal of ringfencing in 2011/12.
184-00	DCLG	County Matters Planning Fees statistical returns (FEE 2)		Whole form stopped with effect from 1 April 2014
066-00	DCLG/ TSA	National Register of Social Housing (NROSH)		Collection from local authorities discontinued in June 2011.
242-00	DCLG/AC	Fraud and Corruption Survey		Ceases on closure of Audit Commission
	DECC	Fuel Poverty	NI 187	DECC statisticians have developed a methodology that more accurately measures fuel poverty at a local authority level, and which doesn't impose a burden on local authorities. Local authorities are therefore no longer obliged to collect data for NI 187 unless they wish to for their own purposes.
077-00	DEFRA	Fixed penalty notices issued for 15 low-level environmental offences		Previously collected data on FPNs for environmental offences, litter and dog fouling - number of fines issued etc. Discontinued from 2010.

	DEFRA	Self assessment matrices on Planning to adapt to climate change	NI 188	Letter to chief execs 11/11/10. "We have concluded that whilst local authorities may wish to continue to collect the self assessment data for their own adaptation purposes, they should no longer be required to report the data to central Government. We will not, therefore, require authorities to submit Year 3 self-assessment matrices at the end of this financial year; but we would be happy to hear about the further progress you are making on adaptation."
	DEFRA	Air quality - NOx and primary PM10 emissions through local authority's estate and operations	NI 194	Authorities are no longer required to report this data annually to the online spreadsheet. Please note that NI194 exists separately from local authority obligations under Local Air Quality Management, as prescribed under Article IV of the Environment Act 1995, and local authorities are still required to assess and report on air quality under the Review & Assessment criteria as set down in the Air Quality (England) Regulations 2000 and Policy and Technical Guidance 09.
	DEFRA	Cleanliness National Indicator	NI 195	Local collection of NI 195 (cleanliness indicator) data has been discontinued, but collection at national level will be continued by Keep Britain Tidy.
	DEFRA	Achievement in meeting standards for the control system for animal health (self assessment tool used as data collection)	NI 190	Cancelled with effect from April 2011.
070-00	DEFRA	Animal Movement Licensing System (AMLS)		LAs will no longer have to input EU-required sheep/goat/deer movement information into AMLS from 1 April 2014 (500,000-600,000 movements annually) because this will in future be undertaken by Defra-funded commercial contractors. The estimated cost of the data inputting service carried out by LAs is in the region of £2m pa. The RSG has already been reduced to reflect this saving
244-00	DEFRA/EA	Flood risk management capacity		Whilst the information is still needed in order to continue to monitor changes in the capacity (staff resources) needed in LLFAs to implement their responsibilities under the FWMA, it is now collected through a voluntary survey
085-00	DfE	Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service (CAMHS)		Mental health services available to children and young people
089-00	DfE	Missing from Care and Home		Self assessment by local authorities about services provided regarding runaway children
094-00	DfE	Children's Centres and other parts of the Early Intervention Grant		Data collection was not required

	DfE	IISaM Programme benefits survey		Was linked to ContactPoint, which was closed in August 2010
	DfE	Partners Survey		
	DfE	'Priority' schools absence data		
	DfE	Youth Taskforce project monitoring		
	DfE	Positive Activities for Young People (provision of)		
	DfE	TellUs Survey	NIs 50, 69, 110, 115 & 199	Cancelled with effect from August 2010.
	DfE	National disabled children's services parental survey	NI 54	Announced 10 September 2010
	DfE	Extending the Two Year Old Pilot		
	DfE	School and Local Authority Target Setting (SaLTs)		Final collection Spring 2011.
	DfE	Diploma Funding (forecasts and take-up)		Diploma Formula Grant now being paid through the Dedicated Schools Grant.
114-00	DfE	Special Educational Needs – new information needs arising from the Green Paper		Removed as will not be required
116-00	DfE	Standards Fund monitoring		Final collection was in Autumn 2011 (about usage of the Grant in 2010-11).
188-00	DfE	Institution level data for maintained schools converting to academy status		Removed as LAs do not have a role in collecting this data
201-00	DfE/ GTC	Fee Collection – Salary Deduction Process		Final collection finished in September 2011.
204-00	DfE/YPLA	Young Apprenticeships (YA)		There are no new starts to the Young Apprenticeship programme. Final data collected 2012
205-00	DfE/YPLA	Education Business Partnership Services (EBPS)		Programme ceased at the end of 2010/11.
	DfE/YPLA	Young Apprenticeships (YA)		There are no new starts to the Young Apprenticeship programme. Final data collected 2012
	DfT	Congestion: average journey time per mile during the morning peak	NI 167	Local authority involvement in data collection depended upon the type of authority and which of the three variants of the indicator was being used. Raw journey time data was generally provided by DfT.

	DfT	Access to services by public transport, walking and cycling	NI 175	Cancelled with effect from January 2011.
	DfT	Local bus and light rail journeys originating in the authority area	NI 177	Cancelled with effect from January 2011.
	DfT	Urban congestion target delivery plan		
	DfT	Congestion monitoring		
	DfT	LTP2: change in area wide traffic mileage		
128-00	DfT	Civil Parking Enforcement Survey		Following a review by the CLIP-TS and stakeholders a decision was taken to stop collection of this dataset and remove it from the Single Data List.
174-00	DH/HSCIC	Register of deaf or hard of hearing people (SSDA910)		National collection no longer required.
134-00	DH/HSCIC	Referrals, Assessments and Packages of care (RAP) return		Final Collection of 2013/14 data to be made in 2014/15. Following this the collection will no longer run, replacement collection known as Short and Long Term Support (SALT) will run in 2015/16 collecting 2014/15 data in its first year.
136-00	DH/HSCIC	Adult Social Care Combined Activity Return (ASCCAR)		Final Collection of 2013/14 data to be made in 2014/15. Following this the collection will no longer run, replacement collection known as Short and Long Term (SALT) will run in 2015/16 collecting 2014/15 data in its first year.
133-00	DH/HSCIC	Personal Social Services Expenditure (PSSEX1) return		Final Collection of 2013/14 data to be made in 2014/15. Following this the collection will no longer run, replacement collection known as Adult Social Care – Finance Report (ASC-FR) will run in 2015/16 collecting 2014/15 data in its first year.
175-00	DH/HSCIC	Grant Funded Services (GFS1) return		
176-00	DH/HSCIC	Personal Social Services Staffing (SSDS001) return		
137-00	DH/HSCIC	Abuse of Vulnerable Adults (AVA) return		
255-00	DH/PHE	Collation of KT31 annual contraception data return		Is being fully integrated into the Sexual and Reproductive Health Activity Dataset (SRHAD) from April 2014,

	DH (CQC)	Social Care Services Self-Assessment		The Self-Assessment of councils' social care services, formerly required by the Care Quality Commission as part of the annual performance assessment process, has been removed following the abolition of this assessment.
141-00	DH (CQC)	Capturing Regulatory Information on a Local Level (CRILL)		The CRILL return will be discontinued following advice of the LG challenge group to the Single Data List. The regulatory quality ratings scheme on social care providers on which this collection is based is subject to reform.
	DH	User-reported dignity or respect in their treatment	NI 128	Data on this indicator is no longer collected specifically and the measure is therefore dropped.
156-00	YJB/MOJ	Young people within the Youth Justice System receiving a conviction in court who are sentenced to custody	NI 43	No longer be manually collected from local authorities (YOTs) From April 2011 moved to automatic collection from YOT case management system by the Youth Justice Board.
	YJB/MOJ	Ethnic composition of offenders on Youth Justice System disposals	NI 44	No longer be manually collected from local authorities (YOTs) From April 2011 moved to automatic collection from YOT case management system by the Youth Justice Board.
	YJB/MOJ	Young offenders engagement in suitable education, employment or training	NI 45	No longer manually collected from local authorities (YOTs) From April 2011 moved to automatic collection from YOT case management system by the Youth Justice Board.
	YJB/MOJ	Rate of proven re-offending by young offenders	NI 19	No longer collected Also the official source for Youth offending data moved from collection from YOTs to use of centrally sourced admin data from the MoJ extract of the Police National Computer.
	YJB/MOJ	Young offenders in suitable accommodation	NI46	No longer manually collected from local authorities (YOTs),. From April 2011 moved to automatic collection from YOT case management system by the Youth Justice Board.
	YJB/MOJ	First time entrants	NI111	No longer manually collected from local authorities (YOTs),. From April 2011 moved to automatic collection from YOT case management system by the Youth Justice Board.
153-00	DWP/HSE	LPG pipework inspection	DWP/HSE	Campaign has now concluded
249-00	EC	Electoral Registration supporting data		Although not part of the Single Data List Electoral Commission data requirements are appended to the list for completeness

230-00	EC	Annual Financial Information return		Although not part of the Single Data List Electoral Commission data requirements are appended to the list for completeness
231-00	EC	Electoral administration plans		Although not part of the Single Data List Electoral Commission data requirements are appended to the list for completeness
Collections which were partially ceased or reduced				
021-00	DCLG	PSF General Development Control statistical returns		The planning fees collected question (021-12) was dropped from the PSF return, with the remaining return becoming the 'PS1/2
026-00, 028-00, 032-00	DCLG	Revenue Account (RA), Revenue Outturn (RO), Revenue Summary (RS)		Deleted capital items and net total costs columns, from Feb 2015
029-00	DCLG	Trading service return (TSR)		Reduced from 5 columns to 1 column, from May 2015
030-00	DCLG	Subjective analysis return (SAR)		Running expenses section frequency reduced from annual to every 3 years from May 2015
037-00 and 038-00	DCLG	Capital Outturn Return (COR4 and COR5)		Deleted 9 items from COR4 and part C from COR5 from May 2015
042-00	DCLG	Council Tax Requirement (CTR)		Deleted 7 items from the form from Feb 2015
045-00	DCLG	Council tax base (CTB)		Deleted supplementary form 3 – discount disregards, from Sept 2015
061-00	DCLG	Fire and rescue service non-financial annual returns		80% reduction in the number of data cells required. Data on promotions, training and emergency call numbers will no longer be collected.
207-00	DCMS/ GC	Gambling Licensing Authority Returns		Collection was changed from quarterly to annual, reduced from 35 fields to 20 fields, and is now collected through an online system rather than through a paper return.
075-00	DEFRA	Annual statistical survey for local authorities' statutory Local Authority Pollution Control function (LPCSS)		Five sections of the survey are being dropped. These relate to the recording of substantial changes to permits, the undertaking of periodic reviews by local authorities, and the provision of certain information broken down by industry sector.
082-00	DEFRA	WasteDataFlow - LA waste management statistics		Questions relating to home composting and waste collection infrastructure removed. Reporting frequency for some other collections reduced.

245-00	DEFRA/EA	Strategic Overview of Flood and Coastal Erosion risk		Number of properties estimated to be at risk from local flooding sources - This data line was included to help understand the scale of the problem especially from surface water. However, this information is not currently collected by the EA as since the publication of the surface water maps in December 2013 it no longer serves a purpose.
159-00	DfE	Percentage of schools providing access to extended services	NI 88	Module that collected this data removed from the School Census.
104-00	DfE	Parental Responsibility (Attendance)		Behaviour element has been removed
113-00	DfE	Section 251 financial return		A significant change was made to the 2011-12 collection with a new cut-down data-entry-only excel workbook issued. This would reduce the amount of data entry LAs need to make. The collection also moved to using the Department's centralised data collection and management system for education (COLLECT). The COLLECT system then generates the reports that LAs have used to publish Budget data in previous years, they are able to collate this information into a workbook for publication. This system negates the need for around 40% of the fields previously collected in the workbooks
087-00	DfE	Children in Need Census		Some data items and modules no longer required from 2011/12 (e.g. Service Provision module, Open Case, LAC adopted flag, Asylum-Seeking Child)
159-00	DfE	School Census		The number of pupil-level items has been reduced by about a third with the removal of the ContactPoint module. Other data items no longer required include: Gifted and Talented Indicator, Usual mode of travel, Gender of Pupils (Entry to School and Entry to Sixth Form), Class Activity for Secondary schools.
127-00	DfT	Blue Badge Parking Survey		The number of questions for 2013/14 were reduced by over two-thirds, from around 60 data items to under 20. This is because much of the data needed can be obtained from the new Blue Badge Improvement Service (BBIS) database which local authorities can download and return to DfT Further changes in 2015/16 means that the number of questions has been reduced to 4 questions.
125-00	DfT	Taxi Survey		The number of data items were reduced by half in 2011/12.
121-00	DfT	Concessionary Travel Survey		A number of significant changes were made to reduce the burden on authorities for the 2013/14 survey. These included removing the requirement for local authorities to supply forecasts, and removing one detailed question. The cumulative impact of these

				changes was to reduce the size and complexity of the return by approximately 50 per cent.
125-00	DfT	Taxi Survey		Following a review by the CLIP-TS group in June 2013 it was decided that that this survey will be commissioned only "as required" with data not collected any more frequently than once every other year.
140-00	DH/HSCIS	Carers Survey		There was a significant reduction between the pilot survey and actual survey.
154-00	DWP/ HSE	Health & Safety Enforcement Data (LAE1)		Number of data items reduced from 160 to 20 in 2010/11.
183-00	HMT (DCLG)	Whole of Government Accounts (WGA)		Additional workbook pages required for the 2010-11 return to accommodate changes in accounting practices will not be required for the 2011-12 and subsequent returns.
190-00	FSA	Food Hygiene (LAEMS)		Since April 2014 the FSA has removed the need to complete some fields. Although the LAEMS system may not be immediately updated to remove these fields, these are not part of the LAEMS validation and sign-off process. This means that LAs do not have to provide the information but, at this stage, they do not need to devote any resource (time/ expenditure) to removing these fields from their xml report.
191-00	FSA	Food Standards (LAEMS)		Since April 2014 the FSA has removed the need to complete some fields. Although the LAEMS system may not be immediately updated to remove these fields, these are not part of the LAEMS validation and sign-off process. This means that LAs do not have to provide the information but, at this stage, they do not need to devote any resource (time/ expenditure) to removing these fields from their xml report.
193-00	FSA	Central List of Feed Business Establishments		During 2014/15 the FSA is continuing to develop an improved system for the collation, publication and maintenance of the lists of establishments. This is expected to reduce burdens on Local Authorities, using exception reporting where possible and with the future possibility of linking to the Animal Feed Data returns.
194-00	FSA	Approved Food Premises		During 2014/15, the FSA will continue to develop an improved system for the collation, publication and maintenance of the lists of establishments. This is expected to reduce burdens on Local Authorities, using exception reporting where possible.
195-00	FSA	Imported Food Safeguard Measures		Since July 2014 the FSA now obtains most of this information on a quarterly basis directly from the Commissions web based electronic pre- notification system TRACES.
196-00	FSA	Animal Feed Data returns		During 2014/15 the FSA is continuing to develop an improved system for the collation, publication and maintenance of the lists of establishments with the future possibility of linking to the Central List of Feed Business Establishments.

180-00	MoJ/ YJB	Youth Justice Management Information System (YJMIS)		<p>The number of summary tables was reduced from 32 to 9 from 1st April 2011 (i.e. removed National Indicator tables NI 43, 44, 45, 46, 19, 111, Prevention programme, tables P1a, P1b, P3 & P4. ISSP Q4a & Q4b, Deter Cohort, D1,D2, D3,D4, D5 & D6, IRS, I1, I2, I3, I4 and I5).</p> <p>The 9 summary tables were reduced by a further five in 2014 (removed Prevention Tables P1, P2 and Knife Crime tables K1a, K1b and K2).</p>
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