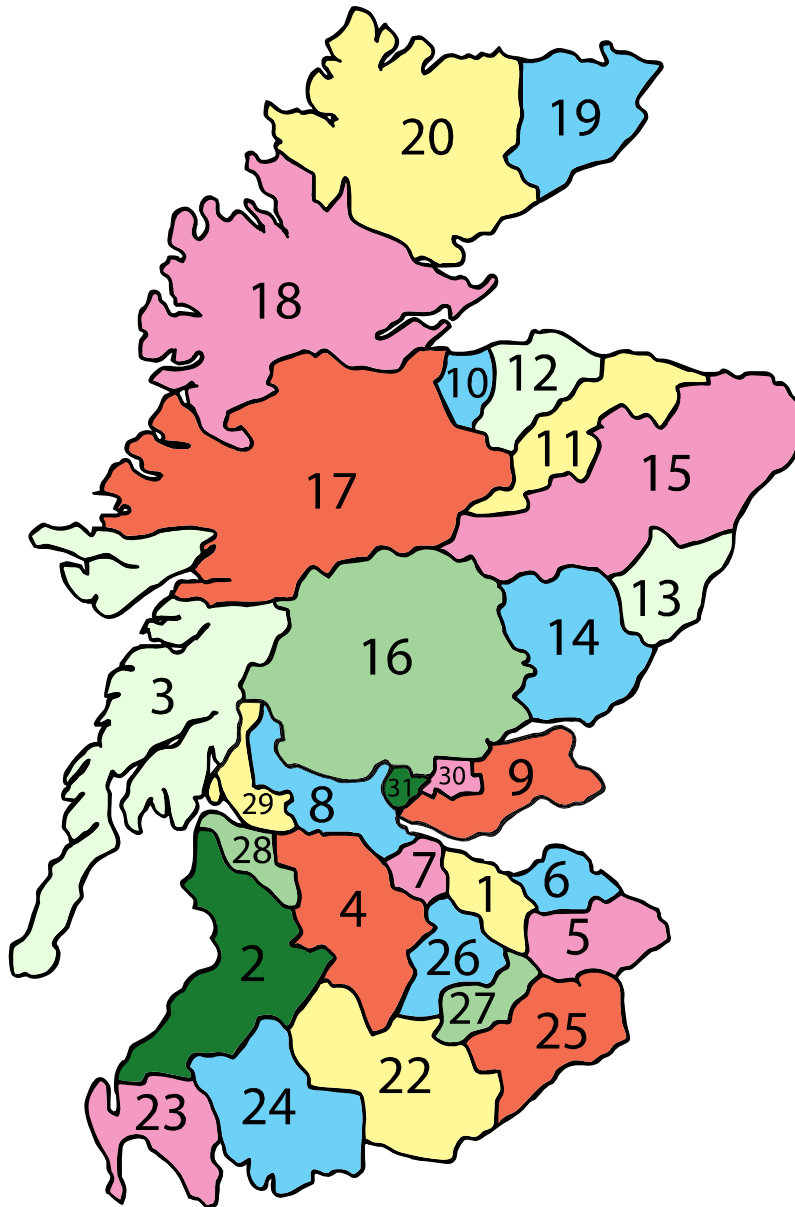


Counties of Scotland

Since 1996, Scotland has 32 council areas (Counties and Shires). Historically, Scotland was divided into 34 counties or shires. Although these no longer have any administrative function, they are still used to some extent in Scotland for cultural and geographical purposes, and some of the current council areas are named after them.

Below there are the 31 historical mainland counties (shires), which excludes the island groups of Shetland, Orkney and Bute. Can you match up the number to the county?



15	Aberdeenshire	22	Dumfries	4	Lanarkshire	25	Roxburghshire
14	Angus	29	Dunbarton	1	Midlothian	27	Selkirkshire
3	Argyll	6	East Lothian	12	Moray	8	Stirlingshire
2	Ayrshire	9	Fife	10	Nairnshire	20	Sutherland
11	Banffshire	17	Inverness	26	Peebles	7	West Lothian
5	Berwickshire	13	Kincardineshire	16	Perth	23	Wigtownshire
19	Caithness	30	Kinross	28	Renfrew	25	Roxburghshire
31	Clackmannanshire	24	Kirkcudbright	18	Ross and Cromarty		