

Cost of Living Dashboard

At a glance

- Interactive dashboard to visualise multiple cost-of-living data metrics at a glance
- Ability to focus on specific locations and to analyse data at data zone level
- Tailored to meet exact requirements

What this dashboard is used for

- Smart Data Foundry cost of living dashboards join together financial well-being indicators with contextual information to help local authorities understand the difficulties faced by their citizens in the current cost of living crisis.
- Local authorities can use the dashboards to deploy targeted support based on identified local needs, contexts and circumstances.

Key features and benefits

Features

- Intuitive design: co-created and piloted with East Renfrewshire Council
- Indicators derived from de-identified current account data available at postcode level and contextual information
- Data displayed at data zone level
- Ability to expand use cases and functionality by integrating public or Government owned data sets

Benefits

- Real world financial data from NatWest Group 1.2m de-identified records
- ▲ Enables specific council intervention and targeted support
- Data that spans multiple years to allow for a year-on-year comparison for key metrics
- Quarterly data updates to keep insights up to date and relevant

Core data attributes

Name	Source
Overdraft use (%)	Smart Data Foundry
Living beyond means (%)	Smart Data Foundry
Overdraft use (%)	Smart Data Foundry
Essential expenditure above threshold (%)	Smart Data Foundry
Overdraft use (%)	Smart Data Foundry
Essential expenditure above threshold (%)	statistics.gov.scot
Essential expenditure above threshold (%)	scotlandscensus.gov.uk
Mean property size (m2)	statistics.gov.scot
Homes with an EPC less than C (%)	statistics.gov.scot
School attainment	statistics.gov.scot
Property sale price	statistics.gov.scot
Youth population	statistics.gov.scot
Disability	scotlandscensus.gov.uk

Example Smart Data Foundry Cost of Living Dashboard

