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HOUSING PIPELINE



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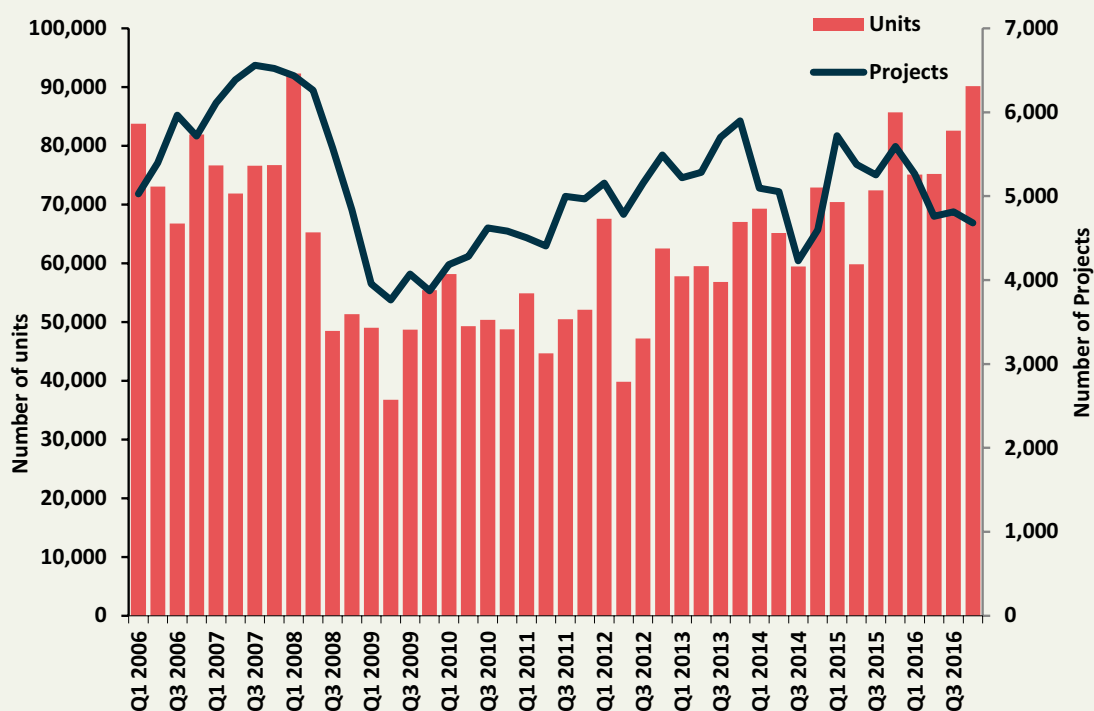


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Residential planning approvals increased during the fourth quarter of 2016. The number of units approved during the quarter was 9% up on the third quarter of 2016 and 5% higher than during the same period last year. The year on year rise was driven by an 8% increase in the number of private housing units approved and a 15% rise in social housing units approved.

Overall Glenigan recorded the approval of around 90,200 residential units during the fourth quarter of 2016: The highest quarterly total since 2008 Q1. Housing schemes of ten or more units accounted for 79,800 or 88% of approved units; the remainder being on smaller new build projects including self-build schemes, homes included within non-residential projects and the conversion of non-residential properties.

Chart 1: Residential planning approvals (Great Britain)



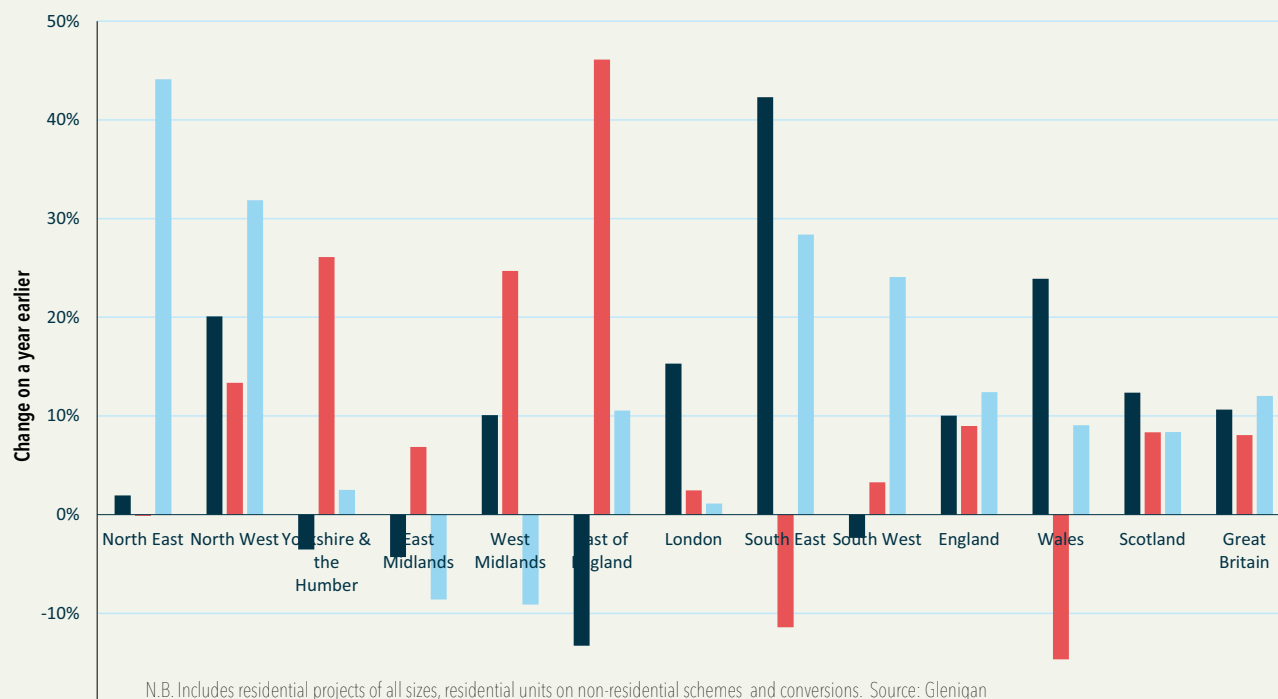
N.B. Includes residential projects of all sizes, residential units on non-residential schemes and conversions. Source: Glenigan

At 2,844, the number of private sector housing projects (schemes of 3 or more units) securing approval during the second quarter was 2% down on the July to September 2016 and only half a percent higher than during the corresponding period a year ago.

The number of units granted planning permission on private sector projects has grown more rapidly against a year ago. Over 79,500 private units were granted permission during the fourth quarter, a 15% rise on the preceding quarter and 8% higher than a year ago.

The number of social housing projects (of three or more units) rose sharply during the fourth quarter, being 42% up on the preceding three months and 10% higher than a year ago. In contrast the number of social housing units approved decreased slightly from the high of the previous three months. At 8,564, the number of social housing units approved during 2016 Q4 was 8% lower than during the previous quarter, although unit approvals remained 15% up on a year earlier.

Chart 2: Residential planning approvals by region (No. of units)



Most parts of the country have seen a firm rise in units approved compared to the fourth quarter of 2015. North East, East of England, Yorkshire & the Humber and the South West recorded the sharpest rises, being 70%, 60%, 48% and 37% up on a year ago respectively. However unit approvals were lower in the East Midlands, West Midlands, London and Scotland, with year on year declines of 49%, 33%, 23% and 6% respectively. Overall unit approvals in Great Britain during 2016 as a whole were 12% up on a year earlier. The North of England was the strongest area of growth during the year, with approvals 24% higher than during 2015.

Table 1: Number of residential units approved

	North of England	Midlands	Southern England	England - All	Wales	Scotland	Great Britain
2011	40,188	29,283	106,738	176,209	9,235	16,701	202,145
2012	48,947	26,369	119,984	195,300	6,457	15,349	217,106
2013	53,500	41,117	122,871	217,488	7,821	15,852	241,161
2014	58,241	42,120	138,949	239,310	9,690	17,812	266,812
2015	66,842	48,792	145,144	260,778	8,270	19,300	288,348
2016	83,034	44,464	165,629	293,127	9,020	20,914	323,061
	<i>Change on a year earlier</i>						
2011	-6%	-1%	0%	-2%	37%	-20%	-2%
2012	22%	-10%	12%	11%	-30%	-8%	7%
2013	9%	56%	2%	11%	21%	3%	11%
2014	9%	2%	13%	10%	24%	12%	11%
2015	15%	16%	4%	9%	-15%	8%	8%
2016	24%	-9%	14%	12%	9%	8%	12%

N.B. Residential projects of all sizes and residential units on non-residential projects and conversions.

Whilst the number of units approved in Wales rose 9%, recovering from the faltering in approvals during the previous year, approvals in the Midlands slipped back after three consecutive years of growth.

NOTES

This report is based upon an analysis of housing projects being tracked by Glenigan and held on its database of construction projects. We have now extended the range of projects covered by this report to in order to provide a more complete assessment of the residential development pipeline.

The following restrictions and filters apply to the analysis:

1. New build projects of all sizes are covered by the report (Coverage was previously restricted to approvals for 10 or more units.)
2. Housing schemes are included where the development is primarily identified as being: Apartments/flats, Bungalows, Houses/ Luxury Housing or Sheltered Housing, Key Worker Accommodation or Sheltered Housing.
3. Conversions of non-residential properties for housing are included.
4. Private and social housing data includes schemes of 3 or more units.
5. Total residential approvals include 1 & 2 unit schemes together with residential units on mixed used developments
6. Elderly people's homes, Hostels and student accommodation have been excluded from the analysis.
7. Approvals are recorded at the detailed planning stage. Where a project has secured outline planning approval and the detailed consent is being resolved through the approval of reserve matters the date of 'detailed consent' is deemed to be that of the approval of reserve matters. In the case of some projects, the reserve matters are approved piecemeal; in these circumstances the earliest approval date has been used in order to avoid double counting.

HOUSING APPROVALS

The tables provide a regional breakdown of new building planning approvals since 2009

Table 2: Number of housing units securing detailed planning approval by region & country

	North of England			Midlands			Southern England			England	Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	*MAT England
	North East	North West	Yorkshire & the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West					
Q1 2009	1,523	4,354	3,015	2,991	2,859	4,043	11,622	6,782	5,266	42,455	1,653	4,915	49,023	180,338
Q2 2009	1,622	3,329	1,978	2,943	1,523	3,733	7,612	5,633	3,612	31,985	1,090	3,682	36,757	158,740
Q3 2009	1,300	3,217	4,409	2,688	2,144	4,034	13,173	6,059	5,696	42,720	1,921	4,039	48,680	160,469
Q4 2009	2,393	3,062	4,442	2,936	6,500	4,885	7,246	7,664	5,916	45,044	1,608	8,744	55,396	162,204
Q1 2010	2,798	5,937	5,734	3,031	4,546	3,961	13,725	5,424	5,365	50,521	1,791	5,866	58,178	170,270
Q2 2010	1,927	4,589	3,496	3,502	3,905	5,397	6,984	6,929	4,829	41,558	1,472	6,253	49,283	179,843
Q3 2010	1,057	4,622	2,898	4,326	2,927	4,705	10,547	6,656	5,930	43,668	1,730	4,952	50,350	180,791
Q4 2010	984	5,556	3,098	3,531	3,845	4,335	8,213	9,716	3,892	43,170	1,756	3,821	48,747	178,917
Q1 2011	1,181	5,369	4,051	3,257	4,359	5,329	10,631	7,731	5,097	47,005	3,715	4,183	54,903	175,401
Q2 2011	2,605	3,448	3,748	3,256	2,867	3,480	5,956	5,525	7,744	38,629	1,898	4,159	44,686	172,472
Q3 2011	1,060	5,645	2,961	2,533	3,479	5,842	8,745	8,367	5,650	44,282	1,613	4,571	50,466	173,086
Q4 2011	1,538	4,637	3,945	4,710	4,822	3,701	8,083	10,243	4,614	46,293	2,009	3,788	52,090	176,209
Q1 2012	2,381	4,881	5,227	3,223	4,674	3,937	24,652	6,888	5,696	61,559	1,769	4,241	67,569	190,763
Q2 2012	1,780	4,081	2,977	2,968	2,967	3,361	4,660	7,212	5,036	35,042	1,747	3,055	39,844	187,176
Q3 2012	2,703	7,080	3,270	1,883	2,805	3,559	8,667	7,849	5,534	43,350	1,225	2,606	47,181	186,244
Q4 2012	2,338	7,092	5,137	3,212	4,637	5,221	11,676	10,511	5,525	55,349	1,716	5,447	62,512	195,300
Q1 2013	3,037	5,884	5,377	5,155	4,672	5,398	10,818	5,197	5,916	51,454	2,540	3,791	57,785	185,195
Q2 2013	2,198	6,781	5,389	6,304	4,693	4,436	8,921	8,275	6,692	53,689	1,698	4,115	59,502	203,842
Q3 2013	2,297	6,721	3,414	3,942	5,413	6,230	10,479	7,574	5,229	51,299	1,722	3,808	56,829	211,791
Q4 2013	2,437	6,361	3,604	6,452	4,486	6,484	14,919	9,122	7,181	61,046	1,861	4,138	67,045	217,488
Q1 2014	3,107	7,899	3,903	6,305	4,674	4,703	10,941	13,445	6,119	61,096	3,000	5,212	69,308	227,130
Q2 2014	1,080	6,329	4,340	4,266	4,173	5,003	15,633	10,423	7,432	58,679	2,053	4,429	65,161	232,120
Q3 2014	2,124	7,215	4,382	4,761	6,435	4,597	9,937	9,083	4,649	53,183	2,517	3,746	59,446	234,004
Q4 2014	3,851	9,479	4,532	5,582	5,924	5,249	15,530	9,976	6,229	66,352	2,120	4,425	72,897	239,310
Q1 2015	1,943	7,593	6,390	4,537	4,522	7,257	15,966	8,273	7,191	63,672	1,722	5,041	70,435	241,886
Q2 2015	2,944	6,353	5,630	4,404	5,787	5,596	8,406	8,744	5,996	53,860	2,590	3,363	59,813	237,067
Q3 2015	2,511	10,459	4,556	4,598	6,372	9,519	13,001	8,213	6,654	65,883	1,448	5,065	72,396	249,767
Q4 2015	2,751	10,651	5,061	8,808	9,764	6,198	15,948	12,796	5,386	77,363	2,510	5,831	85,704	260,778
Q1 2016	1,842	11,298	3,953	7,244	5,570	5,789	12,552	11,210	7,690	67,148	2,275	5,682	75,105	264,254
Q2 2016	5,763	9,056	4,575	3,781	7,608	7,730	11,058	9,423	9,264	68,258	1,599	5,371	75,228	278,652
Q3 2016	2,356	14,202	6,168	4,918	4,363	8,128	17,971	11,189	6,947	76,242	1,911	4,404	82,557	289,011
Q4 2016	4,665	11,670	7,486	4,483	6,497	9,934	12,343	17,000	7,401	81,479	3,235	5,457	90,171	293,127

*Moving Annual Total for England

Table 3: Number of housing projects securing detailed planning approval by region & country

	North of England			Midlands			Southern England				Wales	Scotland	Great Britain	*MAT England
	North East	North West	Yorkshire & the Humber	East Midlands	West Midlands	East of England	London	South East	South West	England				
Q1 2008	165	422	592	439	414	791	800	1,071	859	5,553	346	537	6,436	22,255
Q2 2008	184	468	473	427	374	758	735	1,125	846	5,390	347	525	6,262	22,267
Q3 2008	132	409	455	371	364	650	667	1,023	761	4,832	299	442	5,573	21,494
Q4 2008	107	361	417	345	308	592	595	831	639	4,195	234	406	4,835	19,970
Q1 2009	95	308	291	295	234	467	480	594	583	3,347	226	380	3,953	17,764
Q2 2009	86	267	271	271	240	431	424	691	541	3,222	192	349	3,763	15,596
Q3 2009	94	272	334	251	268	493	513	753	507	3,485	204	382	4,071	14,249
Q4 2009	87	272	308	240	249	501	459	693	525	3,334	182	355	3,871	13,388
Q1 2010	108	326	332	349	256	493	523	732	473	3,592	190	404	4,186	13,633
Q2 2010	100	300	299	344	282	518	512	842	487	3,684	199	401	4,284	14,095
Q3 2010	103	365	390	366	284	543	603	842	510	4,006	211	405	4,622	14,616
Q4 2010	111	370	359	344	322	529	585	883	494	3,997	208	377	4,582	15,279
Q1 2011	72	352	345	308	325	550	588	866	524	3,930	224	352	4,506	15,617
Q2 2011	93	355	334	281	311	521	545	849	555	3,844	242	319	4,405	15,777
Q3 2011	129	359	358	305	378	594	645	951	642	4,361	225	412	4,998	16,132
Q4 2011	101	367	383	341	397	556	626	975	654	4,400	236	333	4,969	16,535
Q1 2012	101	410	358	341	349	563	846	927	655	4,550	236	371	5,157	17,155
Q2 2012	172	378	337	338	341	622	478	959	607	4,232	195	356	4,783	17,543
Q3 2012	134	418	382	337	387	676	590	974	678	4,576	232	349	5,157	17,758
Q4 2012	116	434	363	371	429	669	683	1,059	750	4,874	242	375	5,491	18,232
Q1 2013	155	462	361	366	420	644	625	957	646	4,636	230	353	5,219	18,318
Q2 2013	130	489	364	390	431	719	642	967	617	4,749	218	318	5,285	18,835
Q3 2013	123	501	364	422	428	743	706	1,097	689	5,073	256	373	5,702	19,332
Q4 2013	152	486	418	443	451	785	692	1,090	751	5,268	278	352	5,898	19,726
Q1 2014	132	424	368	376	390	627	640	910	656	4,523	218	353	5,094	19,613
Q2 2014	101	447	363	374	350	661	585	928	681	4,490	228	336	5,054	19,354
Q3 2014	94	362	299	317	358	584	479	790	463	3,746	180	305	4,231	18,027
Q4 2014	116	395	308	358	371	605	529	830	548	4,060	196	341	4,597	16,819
Q1 2015	145	422	431	403	421	783	693	1,051	798	5,147	234	340	5,721	17,443
Q2 2015	128	444	355	386	396	713	653	1,032	705	4,812	220	344	5,376	17,765
Q3 2015	117	451	350	407	379	697	638	975	664	4,678	224	351	5,253	18,697
Q4 2015	128	502	365	430	495	695	688	1,019	655	4,977	251	365	5,593	19,614
Q1 2016	133	437	334	384	413	703	635	1,047	614	4,700	224	340	5,264	19,167
Q2 2016	119	388	314	353	430	674	550	890	570	4,288	193	278	4,759	18,643
Q3 2016	130	432	299	349	372	694	574	906	570	4,326	192	293	4,811	18,291
Q4 2016	114	379	329	286	373	645	595	917	541	4,179	186	315	4,680	17,493

*Moving Annual Total for England

Table 4: England – No. of housing UNITS by project size

	10 or more	3-9 units	1 & 2 Units	Misc*	Total
Q1 2009	35,685	4,720	1,866	184	42,455
Q2 2009	25,401	4,450	1,938	196	31,985
Q3 2009	35,578	4,841	2,035	266	42,720
Q4 2009	38,378	4,577	1,916	173	45,044
Q1 2010	43,246	5,097	2,039	139	50,521
Q2 2010	33,895	5,394	2,164	105	41,558
Q3 2010	35,545	5,683	2,389	51	43,668
Q4 2010	33,641	5,535	2,435	1,559	43,170
Q1 2011	39,085	5,421	2,413	86	47,005
Q2 2011	30,607	5,236	2,558	228	38,629
Q3 2011	35,878	5,191	3,094	119	44,282
Q4 2011	37,445	5,489	3,103	256	46,293
Q1 2012	51,923	6,439	2,869	328	61,559
Q2 2012	26,623	5,080	3,136	203	35,042
Q3 2012	34,307	5,721	3,244	78	43,350
Q4 2012	45,432	6,274	3,371	272	55,349
Q1 2013	42,170	6,426	2,758	100	51,454
Q2 2013	44,416	6,230	2,918	125	53,689
Q3 2013	41,060	7,005	3,050	184	51,299
Q4 2013	50,558	7,320	3,092	77	61,047
Q1 2014	51,700	6,822	2,498	76	61,096
Q2 2014	49,522	6,427	2,670	62	58,681
Q3 2014	44,781	6,586	1,772	44	53,183
Q4 2014	57,234	7,035	1,946	137	66,352
Q1 2015	52,454	7,827	2,809	582	63,672
Q2 2015	43,301	7,589	2,617	353	53,860
Q3 2015	55,796	7,416	2,489	182	65,883
Q4 2015	65,400	7,585	2,549	1,829	77,363
Q1 2016	56,713	7,227	2,412	796	67,148
Q2 2016	57,320	7,240	2,119	1,579	68,258
Q3 2016	64,518	7,931	1,827	1,966	76,242
Q4 2016	71,989	7,588	1,682	220	81,479

*These are housing units or projects that are not primarily for housing but do supply secondary housing space e.g on commercial developments.

Table 5: England – No. of housing PROJECTS by project size

	10 or more	3-9 units	1 & 2 Units	Misc*	Total
Q1 2009	635	1,040	1,658	14	3,347
Q2 2009	510	971	1,726	15	3,222
Q3 2009	606	1,044	1,816	19	3,485
Q4 2009	674	972	1,682	6	3,334
Q1 2010	765	1,060	1,756	11	3,592
Q2 2010	643	1,116	1,904	21	3,684
Q3 2010	669	1,186	2,131	20	4,006
Q4 2010	698	1,163	2,120	16	3,997
Q1 2011	736	1,144	2,035	15	3,930
Q2 2011	565	1,083	2,184	12	3,844
Q3 2011	590	1,132	2,624	15	4,361
Q4 2011	597	1,174	2,614	15	4,400
Q1 2012	778	1,310	2,442	20	4,550
Q2 2012	500	1,068	2,648	16	4,232
Q3 2012	551	1,201	2,802	22	4,576
Q4 2012	695	1,318	2,840	21	4,874
Q1 2013	827	1,354	2,438	17	4,636
Q2 2013	772	1,356	2,598	23	4,749
Q3 2013	789	1,564	2,696	24	5,073
Q4 2013	857	1,592	2,804	16	5,269
Q1 2014	745	1,513	2,243	22	4,523
Q2 2014	697	1,445	2,332	18	4,492
Q3 2014	697	1,502	1,519	28	3,746
Q4 2014	830	1,601	1,609	20	4,060
Q1 2015	837	1,833	2,456	21	5,147
Q2 2015	683	1,800	2,309	20	4,812
Q3 2015	704	1,766	2,184	24	4,678
Q4 2015	847	1,849	2,247	34	4,977
Q1 2016	799	1,750	2,134	17	4,700
Q2 2016	766	1,725	1,773	24	4,288
Q3 2016	860	1,902	1,548	16	4,326
Q4 2016	925	1,816	1,404	34	4,179

*These are housing units or projects that are not primarily for housing but do supply secondary housing space e.g on commercial developments.

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