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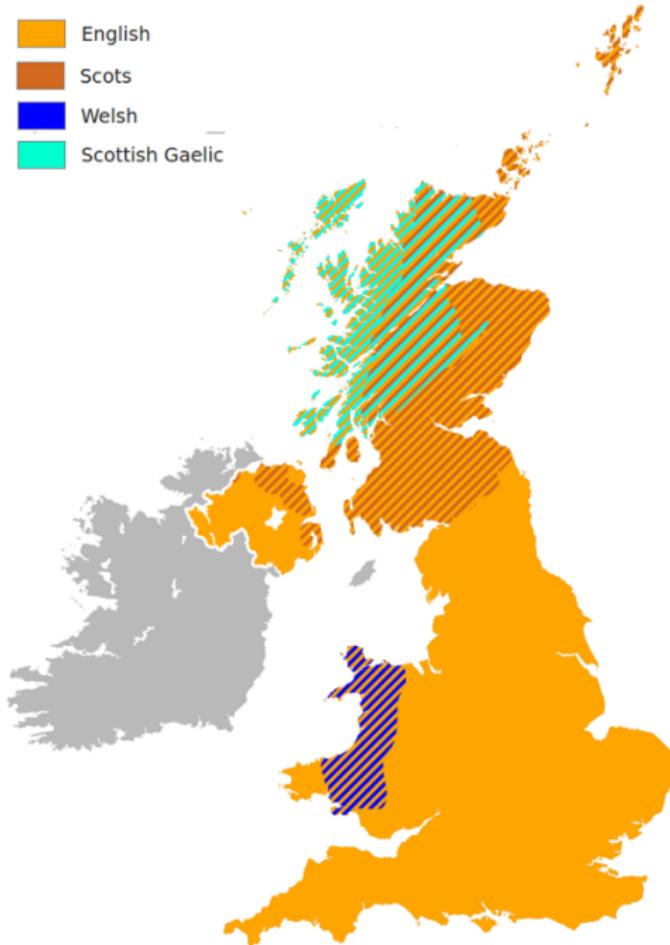
## Nancy Currier Dorian (1936)

- 1958 B.A. — Connecticut College for Women (the major field: German)
- 1961 M.A. — University of Michigan (Linguistics)
- 1965 Ph.D. — University of Michigan (Linguistics)
- Employment: Bryn Mawr College, University of Pennsylvania, University of Kiel. Now she is a Professor Emeritus of Linguistics in German & Anthropology Bryn Mawr College
- She has several awards for her Gaelic studies
- She wrote 6 books (we are reading the fifth) and about 70 articles
- Fieldwork
  - Gaelic (1965 2 m.; 1967 3 m.; 1968 4 m.; 1972 1 m.)
  - German, Berks County Pennsylvania (1976–83)
  - Disability status precluded on-site fieldwork after 1983. Fieldwork with East Sutherland Gaelic resumed, by tape recording and long-distance telephone, in 1990, and with Berks County Pennsylvania German, by long-distance telephone, in 1994.

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social organization and social setting  
by N. C. Dorian (2010)

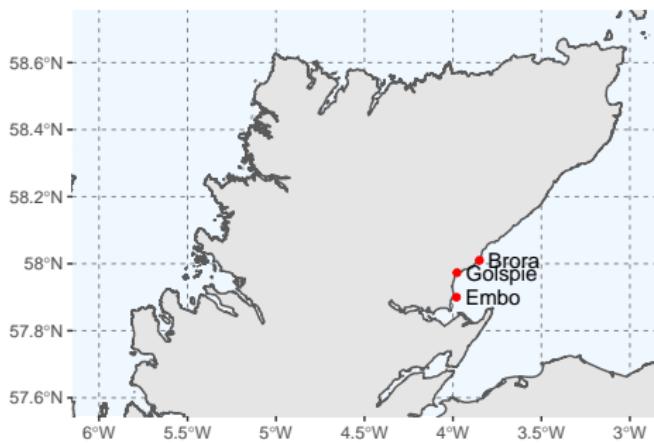
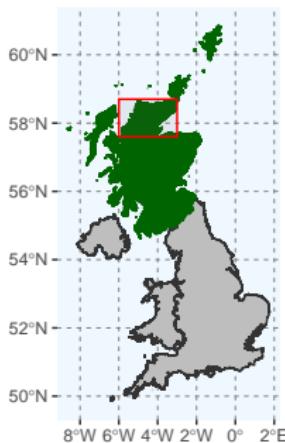
# Languages of the UK

- English
- Scots
- Welsh
- Scottish Gaelic



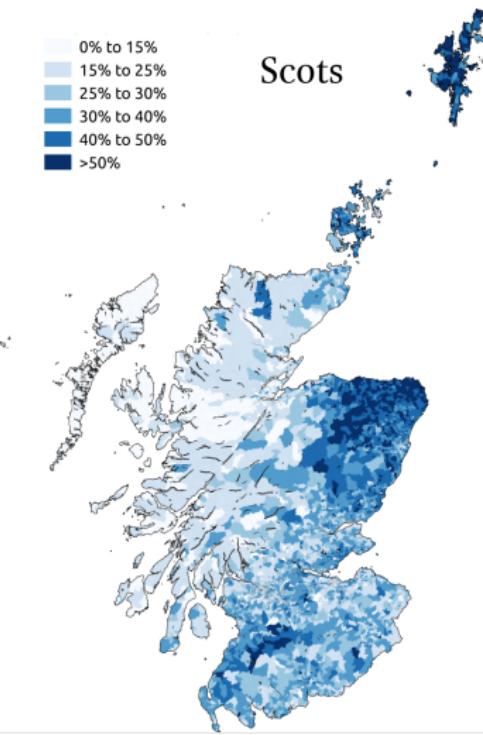
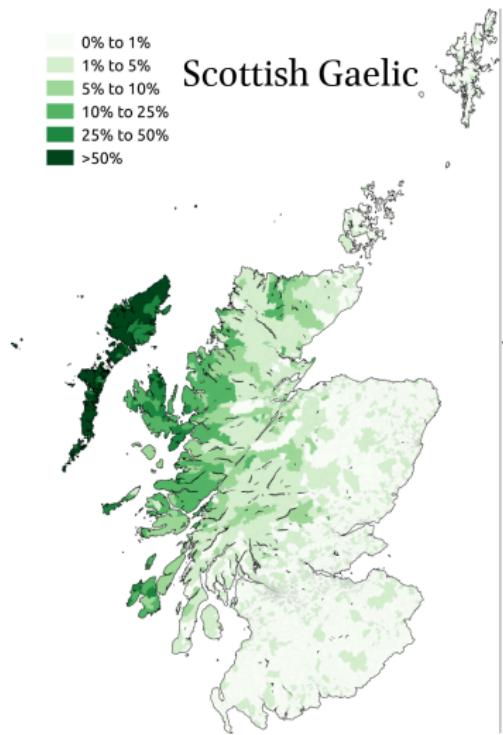
# East Sutherland Gaelic

This book is about **East Sutherland fisherfolk Gaelic**, a cluster of dialects that came into being in the early years of the XIX century. Now this dialect is present in fishing villages on the eastern coast of **Sutherland**, especially in Brora, Golspie, and Embo.



# Scottish Gaelic and Scots according the 2011 census

- Scottish Gaelic (Celtic, scot1245), Highland English
- Standard English,
- Scots (Germanic, scot1243), Scottish dialect of English



# Chapter 2. The East Sutherland Fishing Communities

## References

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