

Table 9 Number of private households, persons in private households and average number of persons per private household in each province, county and city

Province, county and city	Number of private households	Persons in private households	Average number of persons per private household
Leinster	897,455	2,461,148	2.7
Carlow	19,436	54,187	2.8
Dublin	466,992	1,237,934	2.7
<i>of which</i>			
Dublin City	208,008	499,659	2.4
Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown	75,819	202,594	2.7
Fingal	93,146	271,958	2.9
South Dublin	90,019	263,723	2.9
Kildare	70,763	208,522	2.9
Kilkenny	33,679	94,342	2.8
Laois	28,020	79,751	2.8
Longford	14,453	38,986	2.7
Louth	43,972	122,339	2.8
Meath	62,201	184,336	3.0
Offaly	26,750	76,274	2.9
Westmeath	30,739	84,869	2.8
Wexford	52,652	144,349	2.7
Wicklow	47,798	135,259	2.8
Munster	454,454	1,226,772	2.7
Clare	42,648	115,587	2.7
Cork	188,019	512,300	2.7
<i>of which</i>			
Cork City	47,163	115,461	2.4
Cork County	140,856	396,839	2.8
Kerry	53,306	140,975	2.6
Limerick	69,649	187,560	2.7
<i>of which</i>			
Limerick City	22,367	55,327	2.5
Limerick County	47,282	132,233	2.8
North Tipperary	25,703	70,170	2.7
South Tipperary	32,794	87,919	2.7
Waterford	42,335	112,261	2.7
<i>of which</i>			
Waterford City	18,221	45,554	2.5
Waterford County	24,114	66,707	2.8
Connacht	197,253	530,252	2.7
Galway	88,678	243,226	2.7
<i>of which</i>			
Galway City	27,726	70,918	2.6
Galway County	60,952	172,308	2.8
Leitrim	12,308	31,556	2.6
Mayo	48,070	128,492	2.7
Roscommon	23,672	63,311	2.7
Sligo	24,525	63,667	2.6
Ulster (part of)	105,046	292,237	2.8
Cavan	25,818	72,625	2.8
Donegal	57,964	159,139	2.7
Monaghan	21,264	60,473	2.8
State	1,654,208	4,510,409	2.7

Table 10 Persons, males and females enumerated in communal establishments, classified by type of establishment

Type of establishment	Number of establishments	Persons	Males	Females
Hospital	267	18,514	8,480	10,034
Nursing home/Children's home	1,266	28,395	10,541	17,854
Educational establishment	131	4,711	2,565	2,146
Religious community	471	5,065	1,699	3,366
Defence establishment	26	678	638	40
Prison	14	4,557	4,376	181
Shelter or refuge (incl. accommodation for homeless persons)	187	5,057	3,337	1,720
Hotel	787	33,936	16,803	17,133
Boarding house, guest house or B&B	675	4,169	2,083	2,086
Tourist/Youth hostel or campsite	122	3,331	1,572	1,759
Civilian ship, boat or barge	27	335	308	27
Other	62	1,149	581	568
Total	4,035	109,897	52,983	56,914

Table 11 Number of private households, classified by composition and size

Composition of private households	Total private households	Number of persons in household												Total persons			
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12 or more				
		Number of private households															
One person	392,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	392,000
Husband and wife	240,146	-	240,146	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	480,292
Cohabiting couple	73,111	-	73,111	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	146,222
Husband and wife with children (of any age)	522,959	-	-	168,392	196,386	109,853	36,421	8,504	2,289	684	263	107	60	2,147,067	2,147,067		
Cohabiting couple with children (of any age)	54,911	-	-	27,431	17,852	6,573	2,122	613	210	69	21	14	6	206,327	206,327		
Lone mother with children (of any age)	155,264	-	83,760	45,355	17,826	5,854	1,771	481	141	47	17	7	5	420,011	420,011		
Lone father with children (of any age)	24,497	-	15,489	6,100	2,097	605	149	42	8	4	-	1	2	62,014	62,014		
Husband and wife with other persons	13,095	-	-	10,376	1,884	554	222	41	11	4	2	-	1	43,209	43,209		
Cohabiting couple with other persons	8,602	-	-	5,886	1,963	542	166	30	10	5	-	-	-	29,551	29,551		
Husband and wife with children (of any age) and other persons	26,226	-	-	-	8,551	9,042	5,502	2,047	690	239	91	44	20	136,077	136,077		
Cohabiting couple with children (of any age) and other persons	4,233	-	-	-	2,018	1,360	574	186	64	15	8	5	3	20,437	20,437		
Lone mother with children (of any age) and other persons	15,190	-	-	8,440	4,223	1,666	607	158	53	25	9	4	5	56,134	56,134		
Lone father with children (of any age) and other persons	2,986	-	-	1,735	813	279	112	27	11	7	1	1	-	10,885	10,885		
Two family units with or without other persons	18,317	-	-	-	5,570	5,915	4,014	1,721	712	256	71	31	27	97,384	97,384		
Three or more family units with or without other persons	452	-	-	-	-	-	109	120	104	45	35	17	22	3,554	3,554		
Non-family households containing related persons	39,611	-	30,143	6,651	2,005	559	190	46	11	3	2	-	1	92,664	92,664		
Non-family households not containing related persons	62,608	-	36,622	15,644	6,948	2,300	816	158	61	26	19	2	12	166,581	166,581		
Not stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Total private households	1,654,208	392,000	479,271	296,010	266,136	145,102	52,775	14,174	4,375	1,429	539	233	164	4,510,409	4,510,409		

Table 13 The elderly population, distinguishing the number and percentage living alone in private households

Age group and sex	Persons in private households	Persons living alone	
		Total	As a percentage of persons in the age group in private households
Aged 65 years and over			
Persons	491,168	136,295	27.7
Males	227,906	48,840	21.4
Females	263,262	87,455	33.2
Aged 70 years and over			
Persons	323,907	103,716	32.0
Males	144,581	34,257	23.7
Females	179,326	69,459	38.7
Aged 75 years and over			
Persons	199,236	73,129	36.7
Males	84,116	22,066	26.2
Females	115,120	51,063	44.4
Aged 80 years and over			
Persons	104,697	43,287	41.3
Males	40,482	12,016	29.7
Females	64,215	31,271	48.7
Aged 85 years and over			
Persons	43,264	19,109	44.2
Males	14,977	5,011	33.5
Females	28,287	14,098	49.8

Table 14 Family units in private households, classified by type of family unit and number of children

Type of family unit	Total family units	Number of children in family unit								Number of children	
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7 or more		
		Number of family units									
Husband and wife without children	261,652	261,652	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cohabiting couple without children	83,292	83,292	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Husband and wife with children (of any age)											
All children under 15 years	266,969	-	80,072	111,665	56,011	15,636	2,810	567	208	552,973	
All children aged 15 years and over	201,499	-	103,899	67,418	23,596	5,339	989	209	49	337,433	
Remainder	90,214	-	-	29,104	35,885	17,328	5,263	1,682	952	278,908	
Total	558,682	-	183,971	208,187	115,492	38,303	9,062	2,458	1,209	1,169,314	
Cohabiting couple with children (of any age)											
All children under 15 years	49,005	-	27,050	15,512	4,782	1,245	300	88	28	79,636	
All children aged 15 years and over	5,717	-	3,810	1,481	328	82	13	3	-	8,167	
Remainder	5,547	-	-	2,187	1,892	905	341	129	93	16,862	
Total	60,269	-	30,860	19,180	7,002	2,232	654	220	121	104,665	
Lone mother with children (of any age)											
All children under 15 years	83,476	-	50,550	23,169	7,292	1,897	445	100	23	129,347	
All children aged 15 years and over	81,206	-	55,489	19,427	4,968	1,045	217	44	16	114,895	
Remainder	21,602	-	-	8,973	7,351	3,437	1,254	384	203	63,867	
Total	186,284	-	106,039	51,569	19,611	6,379	1,916	528	242	308,109	
Lone father with children (of any age)											
All children under 15 years	6,136	-	3,912	1,595	472	125	26	4	2	9,186	
All children aged 15 years and over	20,753	-	14,814	4,500	1,118	267	41	10	3	28,526	
Remainder	2,142	-	-	921	775	296	102	33	15	6,175	
Total	29,031	-	18,726	7,016	2,365	688	169	47	20	43,887	
Total family units	1,179,210	344,944	339,596	285,952	144,470	47,602	11,801	3,253	1,592	1,625,975	

Table 15A Family units with one child only in private households, classified by type of family unit and age group of child

Type of family unit	Total	Age group of child				
		0 - 4 years	5 - 9 years	10 - 14 years	15 - 19 years	20 years and over
Husband and wife	183,971	52,109	14,772	13,191	20,086	83,813
Cohabiting couple	30,860	19,886	4,490	2,674	1,842	1,968
Lone mother	106,039	22,489	15,588	12,473	11,203	44,286
Lone father	18,726	1,210	1,192	1,510	2,503	12,311

Table 15B Family units with two or more children in private households, classified by type of family unit, age group of youngest child and age group of eldest child

Type of family unit and age group of youngest child	Total	Age group of eldest child				
		0 - 4 years	5 - 9 years	10 - 14 years	15 - 19 years	20 years and over
Husband and wife						
Age group of youngest child						
0 - 4 years	128,358	35,938	58,660	24,084	7,913	1,763
5 - 9 years	79,244	—	16,122	39,234	18,051	5,837
10 - 14 years	69,509	—	—	12,859	36,689	19,961
15 - 19 years	53,518	—	—	—	12,227	41,291
20 years and over	44,082	—	—	—	—	44,082
Total	374,711	35,938	74,782	76,177	74,880	112,934
Cohabiting couple						
Age group of youngest child						
0 - 4 years	19,108	5,620	7,759	3,976	1,484	269
5 - 9 years	5,570	—	1,224	2,623	1,312	411
10 - 14 years	2,824	—	—	753	1,445	626
15 - 19 years	1,277	—	—	—	415	862
20 years and over	630	—	—	—	—	630
Total	29,409	5,620	8,983	7,352	4,656	2,798
Lone mother						
Age group of youngest child						
0 - 4 years	22,002	3,872	9,196	5,696	2,558	680
5 - 9 years	17,495	—	3,267	7,817	4,694	1,717
10 - 14 years	15,031	—	—	3,078	7,710	4,243
15 - 19 years	11,370	—	—	—	3,115	8,255
20 years and over	14,347	—	—	—	—	14,347
Total	80,245	3,872	12,463	16,591	18,077	29,242
Lone father						
Age group of youngest child						
0 - 4 years	979	196	418	214	81	70
5 - 9 years	1,410	—	315	667	322	106
10 - 14 years	1,977	—	—	414	1,011	552
15 - 19 years	2,226	—	—	—	557	1,669
20 years and over	3,713	—	—	—	—	3,713
Total	10,305	196	733	1,295	1,971	6,110