



**Table 1 Summary of Planning Permissions Granted, Q1 2004 - Q2 2012**

Period	Number of Permissions					Total Floor Area (000 sq.m ) <sup>1</sup>				
	New Construction		Extension	Alteration and Conversion	Total	New Construction		Extension	Total	
	Dwellings	Other				Dwellings	Other			
2004	Q 1	6,887	1,545	2,820	587	11,839	3,156	940	364	4,461
	Q 2	7,563	1,660	3,511	652	13,386	3,344	1,156	398	4,898
	Q 3	7,100	1,899	4,076	731	13,806	3,172	1,007	467	4,646
	Q 4	5,962	1,613	3,061	605	11,241	3,123	1,155	436	4,714
	<b>Year</b>	<b>27,512</b>	<b>6,717</b>	<b>13,468</b>	<b>2,575</b>	<b>50,272</b>	<b>12,795</b>	<b>4,258</b>	<b>1,665</b>	<b>18,719</b>
2005	Q 1	6,170	1,571	3,028	586	11,355	3,299	985	427	4,711
	Q 2	6,722	2,068	3,845	672	13,307	3,764	1,478	488	5,730
	Q 3	6,485	2,189	4,476	778	13,928	3,219	1,327	530	5,076
	Q 4	5,957	1,871	3,533	653	12,014	2,883	1,167	427	4,478
	<b>Year</b>	<b>25,334</b>	<b>7,699</b>	<b>14,882</b>	<b>2,689</b>	<b>50,604</b>	<b>13,165</b>	<b>4,957</b>	<b>1,872</b>	<b>19,995</b>
2006	Q 1	5,890	1,822	3,575	603	11,890	2,999	1,151	444	4,595
	Q 2	5,595	2,494	4,137	666	12,892	2,737	1,612	475	4,824
	Q 3	6,035	2,965	4,759	756	14,515	2,981	1,764	593	5,337
	Q 4	5,254	3,172	3,883	653	12,962	2,374	1,697	461	4,532
	<b>Year</b>	<b>22,774</b>	<b>10,453</b>	<b>16,354</b>	<b>2,678</b>	<b>52,259</b>	<b>11,091</b>	<b>6,224</b>	<b>1,973</b>	<b>19,288</b>
2007	Q 1	5,709	4,995	4,033	651	15,388	2,952	2,272	570	5,793
	Q 2	5,636	6,229	4,751	695	17,311	3,409	2,668	643	6,719
	Q 3	5,880	5,411	5,210	837	17,338	3,165	2,748	725	6,638
	Q 4	5,028	2,767	3,841	694	12,330	2,680	1,626	529	4,835
	<b>Year</b>	<b>22,253</b>	<b>19,402</b>	<b>17,835</b>	<b>2,877</b>	<b>62,367</b>	<b>12,206</b>	<b>9,314</b>	<b>2,467</b>	<b>23,985</b>
2008	Q 1	4,777	2,104	3,523	651	11,055	2,645	1,359	509	4,514
	Q 2	4,722	2,050	3,743	700	11,215	2,901	1,425	444	4,770
	Q 3	4,253	1,774	4,166	711	10,904	2,263	1,265	470	3,998
	Q 4	3,739	1,616	3,003	619	8,977	2,028	1,102	387	3,517
	<b>Year</b>	<b>17,491</b>	<b>7,544</b>	<b>14,435</b>	<b>2,681</b>	<b>42,151</b>	<b>9,837</b>	<b>5,151</b>	<b>1,810</b>	<b>16,799</b>
2009	Q 1	3,275	1,231	2,499	481	7,486	2,090	870	459	3,419
	Q 2	2,689	1,158	2,405	504	6,756	1,753	872	281	2,906
	Q 3	2,505	1,218	2,433	499	6,655	1,273	915	278	2,466
	Q 4	1,911	908	1,885	433	5,137	812	408	179	1,399
	<b>Year</b>	<b>10,380</b>	<b>4,515</b>	<b>9,222</b>	<b>1,917</b>	<b>26,034</b>	<b>5,928</b>	<b>3,065</b>	<b>1,197</b>	<b>10,190</b>
2010	Q 1	1,768	775	1,617	359	4,519	844	303	181	1,328
	Q 2	1,513	772	1,996	394	4,675	776	553	232	1,561
	Q 3	1,634	866	2,319	453	5,272	727	415	271	1,412
	Q 4	1,432	792	1,778	371	4,373	514	254	186	955
	<b>Year</b>	<b>6,347</b>	<b>3,205</b>	<b>7,710</b>	<b>1,577</b>	<b>18,839</b>	<b>2,861</b>	<b>1,525</b>	<b>870</b>	<b>5,256</b>
2011	Q 1	1,277	700	1,637	405	4,019	599	376	202	1,177
	Q 2	1,264	721	1,866	393	4,244	560	452	209	1,222
	Q 3	1,271	862	1,896	417	4,446	465	288	216	969
	Q 4	955	681	1,312	335	3,283	357	214	137	708
	<b>Year</b>	<b>4,767</b>	<b>2,964</b>	<b>6,711</b>	<b>1,550</b>	<b>15,992</b>	<b>1,982</b>	<b>1,330</b>	<b>765</b>	<b>4,077</b>
2012	Q 1	957	695	1,339	377	3,368	279	283	173	734
	Q 2	942	828	1,549	353	3,672	284	341	199	824

<sup>1</sup> For categories where floor area is a relevant measure

**Table 2 Summary of Planning Permissions granted, Q2 2012, classified by region, county and type of development**

Planning Region and County	Number of Permissions					Total Floor Area (000 sq.m)			
	New Construction		Extension	Alteration and Conversion	Total	New Construction		Extension	Total <sup>1</sup>
	Dwellings	Other				Dwellings	Other		
<b>Border, Midland and Western</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>1,121</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>237</b>
<b>Border</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>120</b>
Cavan	13	15	28	5	61	3	4	6	13
Donegal	75	32	80	7	194	22	9	8	39
Leitrim	2	6	8	6	22	-	-	1	1
Louth	29	31	41	9	110	10	24	3	37
Monaghan	24	16	19	7	66	8	8	1	17
Sligo	21	14	18	5	58	5	1	7	13
<b>Midland</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>46</b>
Laois	17	15	21	10	63	4	6	1	12
Longford	6	8	20	4	38	2	4	1	7
Offaly	23	12	21	4	60	7	5	4	16
Westmeath	25	13	19	2	59	6	2	3	11
<b>West</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>71</b>
Galway City	8	11	13	5	37	3	1	1	5
Galway <sup>2</sup>	53	51	64	20	188	16	6	5	27
Mayo	46	17	41	3	107	12	6	6	23
Roscommon	16	24	16	2	58	6	6	3	15
<b>Southern and Eastern</b>	<b>584</b>	<b>563</b>	<b>1,140</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>2,551</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>587</b>
<b>Dublin</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>673</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>167</b>
Dublin City	21	59	170	69	319	18	69	27	114
Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown	23	3	90	8	124	13	1	6	20
Fingal	18	18	68	42	146	3	12	6	21
South Dublin	7	13	52	12	84	8	-	4	12
<b>Mid-East</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>64</b>
Kildare	21	16	48	9	94	5	1	14	20
Meath	41	24	47	10	122	13	6	7	26
Wicklow	24	28	62	5	119	5	7	5	18
<b>Mid-West</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>69</b>
Clare	34	29	36	6	105	9	2	5	15
Limerick City	1	6	17	9	33	-	-	1	1
Limerick <sup>2</sup>	34	38	62	10	144	17	10	14	41
North Tipperary	20	29	28	10	87	5	3	3	11
<b>South-East</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>147</b>
Carlow	15	11	21	6	53	4	-	1	5
Kilkenny	25	25	35	4	89	6	10	6	22
South Tipperary	14	30	30	5	79	3	5	3	10
Waterford City	-	8	22	3	33	-	-	2	2
Waterford <sup>2</sup>	21	29	28	3	81	6	15	2	23
Wexford	51	31	51	10	143	13	66	5	84
<b>South-West</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>696</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>140</b>
Cork City	12	19	30	13	74	2	5	2	9
Cork <sup>2</sup>	150	108	174	17	449	36	36	28	101
Kerry	52	39	69	13	173	13	9	9	31
<b>State</b>	<b>942</b>	<b>828</b>	<b>1,549</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>3,672</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>824</b>

<sup>1</sup> For categories where floor area is a relevant measure

<sup>2</sup> Excluding cities

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**Table 3(a) Number of Planning Permissions granted, Q2 2012, classified by region, type of development and functional category**

Type of Development and Planning Region	Functional Category								Total
	Dwellings	Commercial Buildings	Buildings for Agriculture	Industrial Buildings	Govt-, Health and Education	Other Buildings for Social Use	Civil Eng.	Other	
<b>New Construction</b>									
<b>Border, Midland and Western</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>623</b>
Border	164	6	34	7	6	3	24	34	278
Midland	71	5	17	-	1	3	5	17	119
West	123	8	24	2	5	6	29	29	226
<b>Southern and Eastern</b>	<b>584</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>1,147</b>
Dublin	69	10	1	3	4	2	15	58	162
Mid-East	86	6	13	2	-	5	9	33	154
Mid-West	89	2	28	4	1	1	22	44	191
South-East	126	5	41	4	5	6	26	47	260
South West	214	8	43	6	9	6	49	45	380
<b>State</b>	<b>942</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>1,770</b>
<b>Extension</b>									
<b>Border, Midland and Western</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>18</b>	-	-	<b>409</b>
Border	138	6	11	6	23	10	-	-	194
Midland	59	-	5	1	11	5	-	-	81
West	103	6	5	5	12	3	-	-	134
<b>Southern and Eastern</b>	<b>918</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>25</b>	-	-	<b>1,140</b>
Dublin	328	16	-	8	19	9	-	-	380
Mid-East	124	4	5	4	16	4	-	-	157
Mid-West	113	4	6	6	13	1	-	-	143
South-East	137	7	11	3	21	8	-	-	187
South West	216	12	17	6	19	3	-	-	273
<b>State</b>	<b>1,218</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>43</b>	-	-	<b>1,549</b>
<b>Alteration and Conversion</b>									
<b>Border, Midland and Western</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>8</b>	-	-	<b>89</b>
Border	8	20	1	3	5	2	-	-	39
Midland	5	7	-	2	4	2	-	-	20
West	13	7	-	1	5	4	-	-	30
<b>Southern and Eastern</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>19</b>	-	-	<b>264</b>
Dublin	42	53	-	7	20	9	-	-	131
Mid-East	4	10	1	-	9	-	-	-	24
Mid-West	10	13	1	1	7	3	-	-	35
South-East	4	15	1	3	3	5	-	-	31
South West	14	20	2	1	4	2	-	-	43
<b>State</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>27</b>	-	-	<b>353</b>
<b>All Developments</b>									
<b>Border, Midland and Western</b>	<b>684</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>1,121</b>
Border	310	32	46	16	34	15	24	34	511
Midland	135	12	22	3	16	10	5	17	220
West	239	21	29	8	22	13	29	29	390
<b>Southern and Eastern</b>	<b>1,576</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>2,551</b>
Dublin	439	79	1	18	43	20	15	58	673
Mid-East	214	20	19	6	25	9	9	33	335
Mid-West	212	19	35	11	21	5	22	44	369
South-East	267	27	53	10	29	19	26	47	478
South West	444	40	62	13	32	11	49	45	696
<b>State</b>	<b>2,260</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>3,672</b>

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**Table 3(b) Total Floor Area Planned (000 sq.m) in new construction and extensions,  
Q2 2012, classified by region and functional category**

Type of Development and Planning Region	Functional Category						Total <sup>1</sup>
	Dwellings	Commercial Buildings	Buildings for Agriculture	Industrial Buildings	Govt., Health and Education	Other Buildings for Social Use	
<b>New Construction</b>							
<b>Border, Midland and Western</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>188</b>
Border	49	2	17	4	24	1	95
Midland	19	1	12	-	1	2	36
West	36	1	9	0	6	3	56
<b>Southern and Eastern</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>437</b>
Dublin	42	73	1	0	4	4	124
Mid-East	24	3	9	1	-	2	38
Mid-West	31	1	13	1	0	1	45
South-East	32	1	79	1	15	2	129
South West	51	6	28	2	11	3	101
<b>State</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>625</b>
<b>Extension</b>							
<b>Border, Midland and Western</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>49</b>
Border	8	1	5	7	3	1	25
Midland	4	-	2	0	3	1	9
West	6	1	1	4	2	1	15
<b>Southern and Eastern</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>150</b>
Dublin	14	2	-	15	9	2	43
Mid-East	8	1	2	5	8	2	26
Mid-West	9	1	3	6	5	0	23
South-East	7	4	2	1	3	1	18
South West	14	4	9	1	12	0	39
<b>State</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>199</b>
<b>Total New Construction and Extension</b>							
<b>Border, Midland and Western</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>237</b>
Border	57	2	22	10	27	2	120
Midland	23	1	14	0	4	3	46
West	43	2	10	4	8	4	71
<b>Southern and Eastern</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>587</b>
Dublin	56	75	1	15	14	6	167
Mid-East	32	4	11	6	8	3	64
Mid-West	39	2	15	6	5	1	69
South-East	39	5	81	2	18	3	147
South West	65	10	36	3	23	4	140
<b>State</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>824</b>

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**Table 4 Summary of Planning Permissions Granted for new houses and apartments, Q1 2008- Q2 2012**

Period	All Houses				of which Multi-Development Houses				of which One-Off Houses				Apartments			
	Number of Permissions	Number of Units	Floor Area (000 m <sup>2</sup> )	Average Floor Area per Unit (m <sup>2</sup> )	Number of Permissions	Number of Units	Floor Area (000 m <sup>2</sup> )	Average Floor Area per Unit (m <sup>2</sup> )	Number of Permissions	Number of Units	Floor Area (000 m <sup>2</sup> )	Average Floor Area per Unit (m <sup>2</sup> )	Number of Permissions	Number of Units	Floor Area (000 m <sup>2</sup> )	Average Floor Area per Unit (m <sup>2</sup> )
2008 Q 1	4,448	13,301	2,191	164.7	436	9,289	1,221	131.4	4,012	4,012	970	241.7	317	5,281	442	83.8
Q 2	4,393	12,598	2,238	177.7	429	8,634	1,259	145.8	3,964	3,964	979	247.0	317	7,344	632	86.0
Q 3	3,980	11,532	1,913	165.9	364	7,916	1,012	127.8	3,616	3,616	901	249.1	259	3,761	331	87.9
Q 4	3,476	10,375	1,717	165.5	314	7,213	918	127.3	3,162	3,162	799	252.6	246	3,392	285	83.9
<b>Year</b>	<b>16,297</b>	<b>47,806</b>	<b>8,059</b>	<b>168.6</b>	<b>1,543</b>	<b>33,052</b>	<b>4,410</b>	<b>133.4</b>	<b>14,754</b>	<b>14,754</b>	<b>3,649</b>	<b>247.3</b>	<b>1,139</b>	<b>19,778</b>	<b>1,690</b>	<b>85.4</b>
2009 Q 1	3,025	10,256	1,687	164.5	282	7,513	995	132.4	2,743	2,743	692	252.4	237	3,921	382	97.4
Q 2	2,475	7,739	1,273	164.5	237	5,501	707	128.5	2,238	2,238	566	252.9	202	5,092	467	91.7
Q 3	2,304	5,362	963	179.6	196	3,254	434	133.3	2,108	2,108	529	251.1	195	3,222	306	94.9
Q 4	1,763	3,457	669	193.4	139	1,833	252	137.7	1,624	1,624	416	256.3	137	1,507	131	87.0
<b>Year</b>	<b>9,567</b>	<b>26,814</b>	<b>4,592</b>	<b>171.3</b>	<b>854</b>	<b>18,101</b>	<b>2,388</b>	<b>131.9</b>	<b>8,713</b>	<b>8,713</b>	<b>2,203</b>	<b>252.8</b>	<b>771</b>	<b>13,742</b>	<b>1,286</b>	<b>93.6</b>
2010 Q 1	1,664	3,585	667	186.2	112	2,033	280	137.5	1,552	1,552	388	249.9	92	1,925	163	84.5
Q 2	1,395	3,043	548	180.0	95	1,743	219	125.4	1,300	1,300	329	253.2	115	2,335	228	97.6
Q 3	1,537	2,817	552	196.0	94	1,374	192	139.4	1,443	1,443	361	249.9	89	1,824	167	91.6
Q 4	1,362	2,159	441	204.4	75	872	122	139.7	1,287	1,287	319	248.2	65	790	71	90.4
<b>Year</b>	<b>5,958</b>	<b>11,604</b>	<b>2,208</b>	<b>190.3</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>6,022</b>	<b>813</b>	<b>135.5</b>	<b>5,582</b>	<b>5,582</b>	<b>1,397</b>	<b>250.3</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>6,874</b>	<b>629</b>	<b>91.5</b>
2011 Q 1	1,205	3,075	528	171.7	78	1,948	246	126.2	1,127	1,127	282	250.3	67	592	65	109.2
Q 2	1,197	2,599	487	187.3	71	1,473	204	138.8	1,126	1,126	282	250.7	63	711	70	98.9
Q 3	1,207	1,887	389	206.4	83	763	111	145.9	1,124	1,124	278	247.5	56	625	73	117.5
Q 4	907	1,537	302	196.3	41	671	86	128.6	866	866	216	248.8	43	619	54	87.9
<b>Year</b>	<b>4,516</b>	<b>9,098</b>	<b>1,706</b>	<b>187.5</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>4,855</b>	<b>648</b>	<b>133.4</b>	<b>4,243</b>	<b>4,243</b>	<b>1,058</b>	<b>249.4</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>2,547</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>103.2</b>
2012 Q 1	902	1,263	268	212.4	34	395	53	134.7	868	868	215	247.8	49	92	7	80.8
Q 2	875	1,166	257	220.0	45	336	48	143.2	830	830	208	251.2	62	240	24	101.8

## Background Notes

### Scope and Background

Details of the scope and background of this series were given in the March 1973 Statistical Bulletin. The Planning and Development Acts 1963 - 2000, imposes certain requirements on builders, developers and all other persons who propose to build or develop and specifies that a planning permission must be obtained from the relevant Planning Authority.

Local authority building (including housing) is exempt in the case where construction takes place in the Authorities' own area. Therefore, works undertaken by a local authority outside its functional area come within the scope of the Acts, and need planning permission. Planning permission is also needed for development by the State, except where the consultation procedures provided for in the Local Government (Planning and Development) Act, 1993 obtain (e.g. national security, public safety or order, the administration of justice etc). This series only provides coverage where development is subject to the requirement to obtain planning permission.

This series is also available using the interactive tables in Statbank on [www.cso.ie](http://www.cso.ie).

### Regions

The Local Government Act 1991 (Regional Authorities) (Establishment) Order, 1993, which came into operation on 1 January 1994, established eight new Regions. The CSO has adopted these in place of the old Planning Regions as the basis for the regional breakdown of planning permissions data.

### Classification

Planning permissions are classified by type of development, local authority district and by regional authority. A distinction is made between residential and non-residential building and civil engineering.

### Coverage

Only final grants of permission or approvals are covered, i.e. only works which involve construction. The following permissions are excluded since they do not entail construction per se:

- Changes of a technical and business nature as distinct from a building or structural nature;
- Outline permission;
- Retention of an existing building;
- Changes to existing plan;
- Bye-law permission;
- Refusals - permissions subsequently granted on appeal by An Bord Pleanála are included.

### Rounding

As the figures for floor area have been rounded there may be slight discrepancies between the sum of the constituent items and the totals shown.

Estimates are included where complete details of floor area size are not available.

**NUTS2 and NUTS3 regions**

The regional classifications in this release are based on the NUTS (Nomenclature of Territorial Units) classification used by Eurostat. The NUTS3 regions correspond to the eight Regional Authorities established under the Local Government Act, 1991 (Regional Authorities) (Establishment) Order, 1993, which came into operation on 1 January 1994. The NUTS2 regions, which were proposed by Government and agreed by Eurostat in 1999, are groupings of the NUTS3 regions. The composition of the regions is set out below.

**Border, Midlands and Western NUTS2 Region**

<b>Border</b>	Cavan Donegal Leitrim Louth Monaghan Sligo
<b>Midland</b>	Laois Longford Offaly Westmeath
<b>West</b>	Galway City Galway County Mayo Roscommon

**Eastern and Southern NUTS2 Region**

<b>Dublin</b>	Dublin City Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown Fingal South Dublin
<b>Mid-East</b>	Kildare Meath Wicklow
<b>Mid-West</b>	Clare Limerick City Limerick County North Tipperary
<b>South-East</b>	Carlow Kilkenny South Tipperary Waterford City Waterford County Wexford
<b>South-West</b>	Cork City Cork County Kerry