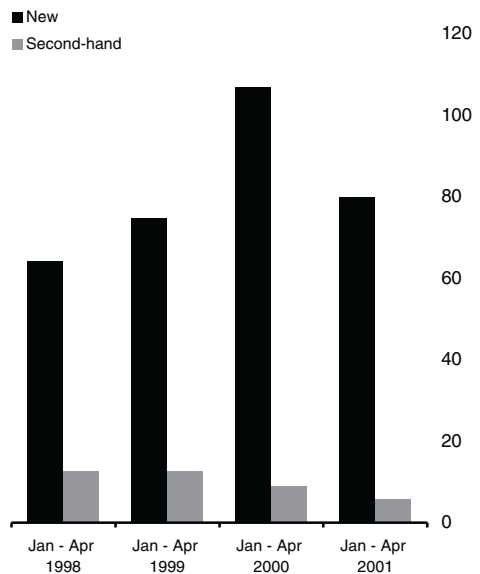




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Vehicles Licensed for the First Time April 2001

	New Private Cars	All New Vehicles
Apr 2001	19,027	23,400
Apr 2000	27,147	31,540
Apr 1999	18,190	22,375
Jan - Apr 2001	79,960	98,924
Jan - Apr 2000	106,791	125,054
Jan - Apr 1999	74,649	90,382

Decrease in new private cars licensed

There were 19,027 new private cars licensed in April, 2001 compared with 27,147 in April, 2000, a decrease of 29.9%. In the first four months of 2001, there were 79,960 new private cars licensed, a decrease of 25.1% on the corresponding period last year. *See Table 1 and graph.*

First licensing of second-hand private cars decreased by 673 (-33.3%) on the same month last year and decreased by 3,212 (-35.8 %) in the year to date.

New goods vehicles licensed decreased by 47 (-1.5%) in April, 2001 when compared with April, 2000, and increased by 252 (1.9%) in the first four months of 2001 by comparison with the same period last year.

The vehicle licensing figures also show that:

- ◆ In the period January-April 2001, the total number of all vehicles licensed was 109,358 compared with 139,214 in the same period last year, a decrease of 21.4%.
- ◆ There was a decrease of 25.8% in the total number of new vehicles licensed in April, 2001 in comparison with the corresponding month last year. *See Table 1.*
- ◆ The highest number of new private cars licensed in April, classified by make are Ford (2,264) followed by Toyota (2,133), Opel (2,054), Nissan (1,964) Volkswagen (1,805) and Renault (1,514). *See Tables 2 and 9.*

The licensing figures refer to vehicles taxed for road use only and are classified by taxation class.

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Table 1 Number of Vehicles classified by Taxation Class

	April			January – April		
	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001
New vehicles						
Private cars	18,190	27,147	19,027	74,649	106,791	79,960
Goods vehicles	2,998	3,075	3,028	11,464	12,930	13,182
Tractors	312	271	222	1,032	1,104	970
Motor cycles	373	528	603	1,373	2,006	2,390
Exempt vehicles	241	239	272	894	1,140	1,324
Other new vehicles	261	280	248	970	1,083	1,098
Total new vehicles	22,375	31,540	23,400	90,382	125,054	98,924
Second-hand vehicles						
Private cars	3,296	2,024	1,351	12,633	8,978	5,766
Goods vehicles	881	601	506	2,787	2,510	2,067
Tractors	271	276	202	1,063	1,019	797
Others	488	408	536	1,634	1,653	1,804
Total second-hand vehicles	4,936	3,309	2,595	18,117	14,160	10,434
Total all vehicles	27,311	34,849	25,995	108,499	139,214	109,358

Table 2 Number of New and Second-Hand Private Cars classified by make, April 2001

Make	New	Second Hand	Make	New	Second Hand
Alfa Romeo	237	4	Nissan	1,964	126
Audi	233	29	Opel	2,054	6
Austin/Rover	257	46	Peugeot/Talbot	857	66
BMW	464	49	Renault	1,514	54
Citroen	308	39	Saab	98	8
Daewoo	155	0	Seat	395	6
Daihatsu	58	8	Skoda	426	4
Fiat	1,397	24	Subaru	37	15
Ford	2,264	118	Suzuki	178	28
Honda	352	88	Toyota	2,133	180
Hyundai	440	6	Vauxhall	0	123
Isuzu	7	5	Volkswagen	1,805	72
Mazda	270	41	Volvo	273	12
Mercedes-Benz	471	57	Other Makes	91	36
Mitsubishi	289	101			
			Total	19,027	1,351

Table 3 Number of Vehicles by Taxation Class and Quarter

Taxation Class	2000				2001
	Qtr 1	Qtr 2	Qtr 3	Qtr 4	Qtr1
New vehicles					
Private cars	79,644	78,853	47,052	19,720	60,933
Goods vehicles	9,855	9,931	8,504	5,316	10,154
Tractors	833	869	633	482	748
Motor cycles	1,478	1,923	1,974	1,496	1,787
Exempt vehicles	901	809	951	660	1,052
Others	803	849	772	683	850
Total new vehicles	93,514	93,234	59,886	28,357	75,524
Second-hand vehicles					
Private cars	6,954	6,345	5,719	4,985	4,415
Goods vehicles	1,909	1,883	1,658	1,533	1,561
Tractors	743	860	698	484	595
Others	1,245	1,551	1,592	1,142	1,268
Total second-hand vehicles	10,851	10,639	9,667	8,144	7,839
Total all classes	104,365	103,873	69,553	36,501	83,363

Table 4 Number of Vehicles by Taxation Class and Year of First Licence

Taxation Class	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
New vehicles								
Private cars	60,792	77,773	82,730	109,333	125,818	138,538	170,322	225,269
Goods vehicles	9,887	12,845	13,790	16,445	18,895	23,811	30,066	33,606
Tractors	1,338	1,830	2,108	2,233	1,848	2,318	2,762	2,817
Motor cycles	1,914	1,837	1,911	2,412	2,717	3,117	4,955	6,871
Exempt vehicles	1,261	1,178	1,489	1,887	2,042	2,481	2,664	3,321
Others	772	1,222	1,451	1,654	1,766	2,259	2,831	3,107
Total new vehicles	75,964	96,685	103,479	133,964	153,086	172,524	213,600	274,991
Second-hand vehicles								
Private cars	26,560	38,863	41,865	44,500	41,554	39,565	36,878	24,003
Goods vehicles	3,259	3,501	3,912	4,927	4,888	5,388	9,285	6,983
Tractors	3,483	3,814	3,627	3,627	3,065	3,040	3,332	2,785
Others	2,587	3,335	3,715	4,138	4,263	4,643	5,524	5,530
Total second-hand vehicles	35,889	49,513	53,119	57,192	53,770	52,636	55,019	39,301
Total all classes	111,853	146,198	156,598	191,156	206,856	225,160	268,619	314,292

Table 5 New Private Cars by Engine Capacity in each Licensing Authority, April 2001

Authority	Engine Capacity (cc)									Total
	Up to 900	901 to 1000	1001 to 1300	1301 to 1400	1401 to 1500	1501 to 1600	1601 to 2000	2001 to 2400	2401 & over	
Carlow	0	16	44	57	6	28	68	0	2	221
Cavan	3	32	21	60	15	32	54	1	2	220
Clare	2	53	50	135	24	70	89	8	8	439
Donegal	0	60	64	121	15	48	92	1	12	413
Galway	3	86	92	286	26	109	167	14	24	807
Kerry	2	38	45	84	20	41	70	4	7	311
Kildare	1	98	124	217	33	113	176	9	27	798
Kilkenny	3	27	48	87	11	28	79	4	5	292
Laoighis	2	54	23	67	12	31	67	3	7	266
Leitrim	0	4	9	20	1	8	13	0	5	60
Limerick County	0	61	50	185	18	110	177	6	14	621
Longford	0	19	15	24	12	9	44	2	4	129
Louth	0	71	72	111	24	54	100	5	7	444
Mayo	0	52	45	100	12	41	85	4	11	350
Meath	2	48	109	167	32	73	135	6	20	592
Monaghan	0	29	29	57	5	15	47	2	5	189
Offaly	2	39	40	51	11	20	59	6	4	232
Roscommon	1	36	29	43	42	25	41	4	6	227
Sligo	1	50	39	90	17	28	40	0	2	267
Tipperary N.R.	0	46	27	58	6	20	45	8	3	213
Tipperary S.R.	0	27	44	80	9	34	57	1	9	261
Waterford County	0	29	25	48	14	13	21	2	0	152
Westmeath	1	35	36	57	9	27	63	8	6	242
Wexford	1	66	81	104	16	56	156	18	13	511
Wicklow	5	84	90	141	24	58	115	3	14	534
Cork County & CB ¹	3	310	436	670	88	408	544	46	41	2,546
Dublin County & CB ¹	23	884	1,521	1,495	310	1,025	1,531	113	220	7,122
Limerick CB ¹	2	17	27	69	9	48	39	3	12	226
Waterford CB ¹	1	54	46	69	10	66	86	5	5	342
Total	58	2,425	3,281	4,753	831	2,638	4,260	286	495	19,027

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Table 6 New Goods Vehicles by Unladen Weight in each Licensing Authority, April 2001

Authority	Unladen Weight (kg)								Total
	Up to 812	813 to 1016	1017 to 1269	1270 to 1524	1525 to 2032	2033 to 4064	4065 to 8128	8129 & over	
Carlow	0	1	11	8	16	4	0	4	44
Cavan	0	1	15	5	28	4	2	5	60
Clare	5	0	19	14	34	2	5	9	88
Donegal	0	0	33	10	22	3	1	4	73
Galway	0	0	31	15	46	18	0	5	115
Kerry	0	1	12	7	25	5	1	3	54
Kildare	0	0	33	20	69	26	2	14	164
Kilkenny	1	1	17	11	20	4	0	5	59
Laoighis	0	0	8	1	23	3	0	3	38
Leitrim	0	0	5	3	6	0	1	0	15
Limerick County	1	1	20	9	36	12	8	11	98
Longford	0	1	7	1	11	0	0	0	20
Louth	0	3	23	17	32	9	1	3	88
Mayo	0	0	32	12	28	18	1	9	100
Meath	0	0	38	19	56	15	1	9	138
Monaghan	0	0	13	5	17	3	1	3	42
Offaly	0	1	7	5	13	5	1	2	34
Roscommon	0	0	11	12	16	4	0	0	43
Sligo	0	0	14	2	19	4	4	1	44
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	14	9	15	7	0	3	48
Tipperary S.R.	1	2	11	14	18	5	2	2	55
Waterford County	0	0	6	6	20	5	0	1	38
Westmeath	0	1	11	17	27	5	0	2	63
Wexford	1	2	19	20	43	11	2	13	111
Wicklow	0	0	15	13	35	13	0	4	80
Cork County & CB ¹	0	5	90	57	144	29	17	42	384
Dublin County & CB ¹	0	10	206	107	361	78	27	52	841
Limerick CB ¹	0	0	8	11	23	8	0	1	51
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	11	7	12	8	1	1	40
Total	9	30	740	437	1,215	308	78	211	3,028

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Table 7 New Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity, Exempt and Other New Vehicles by Class in each Licensing Authority, April 2001

Authority	Motor cycles					Exempt Vehicles	Public Service Vehicles			Machines or contrivances	Other classes	Total
	Engine Capacity (cc)				Small		Large					
	Up to 75	75 to 150	150 to 250	Over 250	Total			2000 cc & under	2001 cc & over			
Carlow	5	0	0	1	6	4	1	0	0	2	0	7
Cavan	3	1	1	1	6	3	0	0	2	0	0	5
Clare	3	2	1	0	6	10	2	2	1	1	1	17
Donegal	3	2	0	0	5	8	2	1	0	0	1	12
Galway	7	1	0	5	13	20	3	0	2	1	1	27
Kerry	2	2	1	1	6	5	1	2	3	5	0	16
Kildare	15	6	2	9	32	12	0	0	2	4	2	20
Kilkenny	6	2	0	0	8	2	2	0	3	1	0	8
Laoighis	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leitrim	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	3
Limerick County	4	2	3	1	10	8	1	0	2	1	3	15
Longford	0	1	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	3
Louth	14	2	1	5	22	13	2	0	3	1	1	20
Mayo	0	3	0	1	4	11	1	0	1	1	4	18
Meath	5	4	2	7	18	10	4	1	0	7	8	30
Monaghan	0	1	0	0	1	5	0	0	1	3	0	9
Offaly	0	1	1	0	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	4
Roscommon	0	1	0	0	1	5	2	0	0	2	1	10
Sligo	1	2	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	1	0	3
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	1	0	7
Tipperary S.R.	2	4	0	2	8	9	0	0	1	1	0	11
Waterford County	3	3	0	2	8	3	1	0	0	1	1	6
Westmeath	1	2	0	3	6	1	0	0	0	2	0	3
Wexford	1	1	0	2	4	7	0	0	2	7	2	18
Wicklow	11	5	2	13	31	3	1	0	2	2	0	8
Cork County & CB ¹	19	18	1	12	50	38	4	2	4	26	3	77
Dublin County & CB ¹	155	80	18	62	315	76	32	5	23	13	2	151
Limerick CB ¹	6	5	1	0	12	6	1	0	2	0	0	9
Waterford CB ¹	7	8	3	5	23	1	0	0	1	0	1	3
Total	274	159	37	133	603	272	63	13	57	84	31	520

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**Table 8 Exempt and Other New Vehicles by Class and Make,
April 2001**

Make	Exempt Vehicles	Public Service Vehicles		Machines or contrivances	Other classes
		Small	Large		
Austin/Rover	7	1	0	0	0
BMW	2	0	0	0	0
Caterpillar	0	0	0	0	0
Chrysler/Talbot	0	0	0	1	0
Daihatsu	0	0	0	0	0
Deutz	0	0	0	0	0
Fiat/Lancia/Magirus	16	10	2	0	2
Ford	34	9	6	6	2
Hino	0	0	0	0	0
Honda	4	0	0	0	0
Hyster	0	0	0	0	0
Hyundai	5	4	0	0	0
Isuzu	0	0	0	2	0
Iveco	0	0	0	1	0
JCB	0	0	0	26	0
Mazda	3	1	0	0	0
Massey Ferguson	0	0	0	3	0
Mercedes-Benz	10	4	10	4	2
Mitsubishi	4	1	0	2	0
Nissan	52	10	0	0	0
Opel	19	2	0	0	1
Peugeot	4	2	0	1	0
Renault	23	0	0	1	0
Subaru	0	0	0	0	0
Suzuki	2	0	0	0	0
Toyota	27	12	2	5	1
Volkswagen/Audi	27	7	3	3	1
Volvo	4	0	17	0	0
Other makes	29	13	17	29	22
Total	272	76	57	84	31

Table 9 New Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2001

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	Austin/ Rover	BMW	Citroen	Daewoo	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Isuzu	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	2	7	0	7	4	0	1	10	20	5	5	0	3	1	2	16
Cavan	0	2	2	1	7	7	0	2	29	4	2	0	2	3	2	38
Clare	2	3	17	13	10	4	0	18	50	7	5	0	6	10	4	41
Donegal	2	5	15	9	9	5	2	10	28	12	16	0	13	11	5	33
Galway	2	6	11	13	16	4	1	29	76	6	12	2	8	15	9	48
Kerry	1	1	5	4	4	4	1	12	49	3	5	0	3	5	9	41
Kildare	4	12	20	20	14	10	0	42	100	12	22	4	12	18	14	66
Kilkenny	1	8	7	10	2	4	1	12	37	6	7	0	4	7	11	29
Laoighis	3	2	1	6	6	3	1	5	23	6	1	0	1	5	3	31
Leitrim	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	12	2	1	0	1	2	1	4
Limerick County	6	7	8	8	5	0	1	19	81	17	12	0	4	13	3	30
Longford	0	6	0	3	1	0	0	11	12	3	1	0	3	1	1	22
Louth	4	5	7	9	10	1	0	24	39	9	9	0	12	8	0	62
Mayo	3	9	2	5	3	4	0	13	51	8	2	0	0	13	8	27
Meath	5	6	10	8	15	6	1	31	34	12	15	1	15	24	23	58
Monaghan	1	1	0	6	0	1	1	2	22	5	5	0	7	4	1	10
Offaly	0	4	1	6	5	4	0	9	26	3	4	0	5	4	5	35
Roscommon	2	0	0	1	0	1	1	11	20	1	5	0	1	8	1	69
Sligo	1	2	1	1	5	2	0	16	39	6	2	0	3	0	5	30
Tipperary N.R.	0	1	1	0	6	1	1	4	13	8	3	0	7	4	2	29
Tipperary S.R.	0	3	4	4	5	1	0	12	48	4	3	0	7	7	4	14
Waterford County	2	0	0	1	5	5	1	13	11	1	5	0	1	1	2	27
Westmeath	1	4	1	7	1	2	1	19	25	3	2	0	3	3	4	32
Wexford	4	2	5	12	24	4	24	31	100	10	12	0	15	11	14	31
Wicklow	10	7	13	5	12	10	0	34	48	13	12	0	8	10	8	59
Cork County & CB ¹	31	30	28	71	40	7	0	135	286	38	78	0	42	48	21	194
Dublin County & CB ¹	146	90	89	214	94	60	18	853	943	129	173	0	82	222	81	850
Limerick CB ¹	0	5	5	10	2	2	0	10	25	10	14	0	1	7	2	18
Waterford CB ¹	4	5	2	10	3	3	2	10	17	9	7	0	1	6	44	20
Total	237	233	257	464	308	155	58	1,397	2,264	352	440	7	270	471	289	1,964

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Table 9 New Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2001
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Authority	Opel	Peugeot/ Talbot	Renault	Saab	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	37	16	23	0	3	4	1	2	22	28	2	0	221
Cavan	20	12	8	0	9	6	0	0	36	26	0	2	220
Clare	24	14	8	4	9	8	1	4	118	55	3	1	439
Donegal	57	31	26	1	18	18	0	7	36	43	0	1	413
Galway	99	30	130	1	10	24	0	5	165	70	10	5	807
Kerry	21	17	23	1	16	7	0	9	28	38	4	0	311
Kildare	50	38	65	1	36	41	2	9	101	74	6	5	798
Kilkenny	24	12	15	1	7	9	2	5	17	50	3	1	292
Laoighis	70	6	2	1	9	9	0	5	38	28	1	0	266
Leitrim	9	3	3	0	0	3	0	1	10	6	0	0	60
Limerick County	103	22	120	7	17	10	0	2	57	56	13	0	621
Longford	3	5	5	1	1	9	1	1	9	29	0	1	129
Louth	59	31	36	3	13	8	1	4	39	48	1	2	444
Mayo	31	13	15	0	10	8	0	4	67	50	2	2	350
Meath	32	39	40	3	8	43	0	9	86	67	0	1	592
Monaghan	56	6	15	1	8	0	0	1	18	16	2	0	189
Offaly	30	13	17	1	2	3	2	2	26	23	2	0	232
Roscommon	14	8	12	0	1	6	0	1	43	17	2	2	227
Sligo	76	15	8	1	2	3	0	0	22	23	3	1	267
Tipperary N.R.	13	15	9	3	7	9	2	10	35	28	1	1	213
Tipperary S.R.	20	12	15	1	4	10	3	1	53	22	4	0	261
Waterford County	17	4	11	1	3	5	0	6	15	15	0	0	152
Westmeath	25	12	21	1	7	6	0	0	26	33	1	2	242
Wexford	41	19	26	8	17	9	4	10	29	43	5	1	511
Wicklow	37	31	41	0	12	14	4	5	80	57	3	1	534
Cork County & CB ¹	228	83	374	14	41	30	2	36	437	188	54	10	2,546
Dublin County & CB ¹	778	334	400	41	118	114	6	38	460	623	115	51	7,122
Limerick CB ¹	32	5	14	0	5	2	1	0	21	32	2	1	226
Waterford CB ¹	48	11	32	2	2	8	5	1	39	17	34	0	342
Total	2,054	857	1,514	98	395	426	37	178	2,133	1,805	273	91	19,027

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Table 10 New Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2001

Authority	Austin/ Rover	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat/ Magirus	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan	Opel
Carlow	0	2	1	0	2	10	0	1	0	0	4	2	5	0
Cavan	1	1	1	0	1	14	1	4	0	0	2	1	4	7
Clare	3	11	3	0	1	16	0	4	1	0	1	3	4	0
Donegal	0	5	0	0	2	13	1	3	1	0	3	1	4	0
Galway	3	16	1	0	2	19	0	10	0	0	9	4	6	0
Kerry	0	2	2	0	3	10	0	1	2	1	1	3	4	1
Kildare	1	6	1	0	1	27	7	13	4	1	8	13	13	1
Kilkenny	1	4	0	0	1	6	2	4	0	0	5	2	5	4
Laoighis	1	2	0	0	0	10	1	3	0	0	1	2	1	0
Leitrim	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Limerick County	4	4	3	0	2	18	2	7	3	1	6	8	2	2
Longford	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	1
Louth	4	5	1	0	1	9	0	6	0	0	1	3	7	1
Mayo	0	5	0	0	2	25	1	5	3	0	2	4	8	0
Meath	2	14	0	1	4	10	3	12	3	1	10	7	3	3
Monaghan	1	1	0	0	1	8	0	0	1	0	3	3	3	1
Offaly	0	2	1	0	0	3	0	4	1	1	2	1	2	0
Roscommon	1	2	0	0	4	13	0	3	0	2	1	0	3	1
Sligo	0	2	0	0	1	13	0	2	0	0	3	1	2	1
Tipperary N.R.	0	2	0	0	4	8	1	4	1	0	0	2	1	1
Tipperary S.R.	1	3	0	0	2	9	0	4	2	0	1	3	7	2
Waterford County	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	3	4	5	2
Westmeath	0	2	0	1	10	9	0	4	2	2	1	3	2	1
Wexford	0	7	1	0	7	22	2	6	2	0	8	6	12	5
Wicklow	4	0	0	0	1	9	1	7	1	0	5	5	7	1
Cork County & CB ¹	10	26	14	0	18	61	1	21	5	3	8	15	16	7
Dublin County & CB ¹	13	42	16	3	23	178	3	43	19	6	34	38	69	24
Limerick CB ¹	1	2	1	0	0	11	0	1	1	0	2	1	5	1
Waterford CB ¹	2	5	0	0	1	6	0	5	2	1	0	1	4	2
Total	53	176	46	5	95	543	26	179	54	19	126	138	204	70

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Table 10 New Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2001
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Authority	Peugeot	Renault/ Dodge	Scania	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	4	6	0	3	44
Cavan	0	2	3	1	0	0	0	9	6	0	2	60
Clare	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	9	16	2	6	88
Donegal	10	3	2	10	0	0	1	4	9	0	1	73
Galway	3	4	2	4	0	0	0	18	11	2	1	115
Kerry	0	7	1	0	0	0	0	9	6	1	0	54
Kildare	6	10	2	5	0	0	0	30	11	2	2	164
Kilkenny	0	3	2	4	0	0	1	6	8	0	1	59
Laoighis	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	6	0	0	38
Leitrim	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	15
Limerick County	6	4	0	4	0	0	0	5	9	5	3	98
Longford	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	5	5	0	0	20
Louth	10	11	1	4	0	0	0	19	4	1	0	88
Mayo	7	3	6	8	0	0	0	8	9	2	2	100
Meath	9	4	2	6	0	0	1	24	12	2	5	138
Monaghan	3	3	2	1	0	0	0	3	6	1	1	42
Offaly	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	1	1	2	34
Roscommon	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	5	0	1	43
Sligo	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	4	4	2	1	44
Tipperary N.R.	1	2	0	4	0	0	3	5	6	1	2	48
Tipperary S.R.	4	3	0	1	0	0	0	6	2	0	5	55
Waterford County	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	6	5	0	1	38
Westmeath	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	8	12	0	1	63
Wexford	2	6	1	2	0	0	1	7	10	1	3	111
Wicklow	5	7	1	2	0	0	1	10	6	2	5	80
Cork County & CB ¹	20	20	15	13	0	0	2	51	33	18	7	384
Dublin County & CB ¹	46	43	16	24	0	0	3	89	68	9	32	841
Limerick CB ¹	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	17	5	0	0	51
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	2	2	1	1	40
Total	154	150	61	107	1	0	15	380	285	53	88	3,028

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Table 11 New Motor Cycles by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2001

Authority	Honda	Kawasaki	MBK	Piaggio/ Vespa	Suzuki	Yamaha	Other makes	Total
Carlow	1	0	0	0	0	1	4	6
Cavan	2	0	0	0	1	0	3	6
Clare	1	0	1	1	2	0	1	6
Donegal	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	5
Galway	3	0	0	1	6	3	0	13
Kerry	4	0	0	0	1	1	0	6
Kildare	4	1	2	2	9	6	8	32
Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	8
Laoighis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Leitrim	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Limerick County	3	0	0	0	1	5	1	10
Longford	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Louth	9	1	5	1	3	2	1	22
Mayo	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	4
Meath	6	1	0	1	5	3	2	18
Monaghan	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Offaly	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Roscommon	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Sligo	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	3
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tipperary S.R.	3	0	1	0	2	2	0	8
Waterford County	3	0	1	0	2	1	1	8
Westmeath	1	0	0	0	3	1	1	6
Wexford	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	4
Wicklow	5	1	2	1	7	7	8	31
Cork County & CB ¹	20	0	4	2	14	9	1	50
Dublin County & CB ¹	51	7	18	50	78	51	60	315
Limerick CB ¹	2	0	0	1	2	4	3	12
Waterford CB ¹	8	0	2	3	6	3	1	23
Total	136	12	36	64	147	109	99	603

¹ County Borough**Table 12 New Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity and Make, April 2001**

Make	Engine Capacity (cc)				Total
	Up to 75	75 to 150	150 to 250	Over 250	
Honda	52	44	3	37	136
Kawasaki	0	1	0	11	12
MBK	36	0	0	0	36
Piaggio/Vespa	45	10	8	1	64
Suzuki	46	56	14	31	147
Yamaha	21	40	8	40	109
Other makes	74	8	4	13	99
Total	274	159	37	133	603

Table 13 New Private Cars by Engine Capacity and Make, April 2001

Make	Engine Capacity (cc)									Total
	Up to 900	901 to 1000	1001 to 1300	1301 to 1400	1401 to 1500	1501 to 1600	1601 to 2000	2001 to 2400	2401 & over	
Alfa Romeo	0	0	0	0	0	112	120	3	2	237
Audi	0	0	0	8	1	80	135	3	6	233
Austin/Rover	0	0	4	94	0	9	109	0	41	257
BMW	0	0	0	0	0	1	262	91	110	464
Citroen	0	0	61	109	0	43	93	2	0	308
Daewoo	33	0	0	74	0	13	27	0	8	155
Daihatsu	0	41	16	0	0	0	0	0	1	58
Fiat	21	0	1,270	1	0	77	28	0	0	1,397
Ford	0	0	629	475	0	449	703	5	3	2,264
Honda	4	0	0	209	0	45	94	0	0	352
Hyundai	0	42	0	165	0	90	139	1	3	440
Isuzu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	7
Mazda	0	0	28	125	5	23	87	0	2	270
Mercedes-Benz	0	0	0	12	0	1	274	57	127	471
Mitsubishi	0	0	175	0	0	35	49	1	29	289
Nissan	0	707	0	14	811	188	205	12	27	1,964
Opel	0	574	184	807	0	304	162	21	2	2,054
Peugeot/Talbot	0	3	410	167	0	17	230	14	16	857
Renault	0	0	416	625	0	392	80	1	0	1,514
Saab	0	0	0	0	0	0	87	11	0	98
Seat	0	105	0	185	0	17	87	1	0	395
Skoda	0	0	2	261	0	37	126	0	0	426
Subaru	0	0	0	0	0	10	25	0	2	37
Suzuki	0	30	38	63	0	5	42	0	0	178
Toyota	0	595	48	695	3	424	305	23	40	2,133
Volkswagen	0	328	0	663	11	246	518	35	4	1,805
Volvo	0	0	0	0	0	19	242	5	7	273
Other makes	0	0	0	1	0	1	31	0	58	91
Total	58	2,425	3,281	4,753	831	2,638	4,260	286	495	19,027

Table 14 New Goods Vehicles by Unladen Weight and Make, April 2001

Make	Unladen Weight (kg)								Total
	Up to 812	813 to 1016	1017 to 1269	1270 to 1524	1525 to 2032	2033 to 4064	4065 to 8128	8129 & over	
Austin/Rover	1	0	0	3	23	26	0	0	53
Citroen	0	0	141	21	13	1	0	0	176
Daf	0	0	0	0	1	1	14	30	46
Daihatsu	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5
Fiat/Magirus	0	5	3	64	16	7	0	0	95
Ford	0	9	75	10	402	47	0	0	543
Hino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	26
Isuzu	1	0	0	3	86	85	4	0	179
Iveco	0	0	0	1	2	24	18	9	54
Mazda	0	0	0	13	6	0	0	0	19
Mercedes-Benz	1	0	0	2	62	32	9	20	126
Mitsubishi	1	0	0	13	86	36	2	0	138
Nissan	1	2	1	131	52	17	0	0	204
Opel	1	2	52	1	13	1	0	0	70
Peugeot	2	4	108	27	12	1	0	0	154
Renault/Dodge	0	7	89	1	36	10	2	5	150
Scania	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	55	61
Seat	0	0	107	0	0	0	0	0	107
Skoda	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Subaru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Suzuki	0	0	0	8	7	0	0	0	15
Toyota	0	0	14	61	300	5	0	0	380
Volkswagen	1	0	148	74	51	11	0	0	285
Volvo	0	0	0	1	0	0	8	44	53
Other makes	0	0	2	3	42	4	15	22	88
Total	9	30	740	437	1,215	308	78	211	3,028

Table 15 All New Vehicles by Class and Type of Fuel, April 2001

Taxation class	Type of Fuel			Total
	Petrol	Diesel	Other	
Private cars	16,740	2,287	0	19,027
Goods vehicles	12	3,016	0	3,028
Tractors	6	216	0	222
Motor cycles	603	0	0	603
Exempt vehicles	176	96	0	272
Public service vehicles	20	113	0	133
Small	20	56	0	76
Large	0	57	0	57
Machines or contrivances	0	84	0	84
Other classes	1	30	0	31
Total	17,558	5,842	0	23,400

Table 16 Second-hand Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2001

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	Austin/ Rover	BMW	Citroen	Daewoo	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Isuzu	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan	Opel
Carlow	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Cavan	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	0
Clare	0	1	3	1	1	0	0	2	8	2	1	0	0	1	3	5	1
Donegal	0	2	3	2	8	0	1	5	15	8	0	0	1	3	3	8	1
Galway	0	2	3	5	2	0	0	0	7	4	0	2	1	2	1	1	0
Kerry	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	1	7	0	0	0	0	2	4	2	0
Kildare	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	2	6	3	0	0	1	4	5	4	0
Kilkenny	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	2	2	0	1	2	1	4	0
Laoighis	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
Leitrim	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Limerick County	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	3	1	0	0
Longford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
Louth	0	1	0	4	1	0	0	1	8	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	1
Mayo	0	1	3	1	3	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	2	1	5	0
Meath	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	1	3	4	1	0	3	0	5	8	1
Monaghan	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Offaly	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Roscommon	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	4	0
Sligo	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	3	0	2	0
Tipperary N.R.	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0
Tipperary S.R.	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	0
Waterford County	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	0
Westmeath	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	2	3	0
Wexford	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	1
Wicklow	1	2	2	1	2	0	1	0	3	6	0	1	2	3	7	0	0
Cork County & CB ¹	0	2	3	6	2	0	0	2	12	11	1	0	3	4	5	10	0
Dublin County & CB ¹	2	8	10	19	8	0	5	4	18	35	0	2	18	21	55	53	1
Limerick CB ¹	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Total	4	29	46	49	39	0	8	24	118	88	6	5	41	57	101	126	6

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Table 16 Second-hand Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2001
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Authority	Peugeot/ Talbot	Renault	Saab	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Vauxhall	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	6
Cavan	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	1	15
Clare	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	2	0	1	0	44
Donegal	8	7	1	3	0	1	1	13	36	11	0	4	145
Galway	3	3	1	0	1	0	2	4	3	6	2	1	56
Kerry	7	1	0	0	0	1	1	5	5	4	1	0	46
Kildare	1	2	0	0	1	1	3	7	1	2	0	1	47
Kilkenny	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	9	2	0	0	0	35
Laoighis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	16
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	4	2	0	0	14
Limerick County	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	2	1	1	2	31
Longford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	6
Louth	1	6	0	0	1	0	1	5	3	3	0	3	44
Mayo	4	3	0	0	0	0	1	3	5	2	0	0	38
Meath	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	8	3	1	1	2	52
Monaghan	3	1	0	0	0	1	1	3	5	3	1	1	23
Offaly	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	11
Roscommon	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	20
Sligo	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	3	2	0	0	22
Tipperary N.R.	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	1	0	0	17
Tipperary S.R.	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	1	3	1	1	21
Waterford County	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	7	1	1	1	1	23
Westmeath	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	4	2	1	0	0	23
Wexford	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	2	6	0	0	1	31
Wicklow	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	1	2	0	1	41
Cork County & CB ¹	5	5	2	0	0	4	5	26	11	7	1	4	131
Dublin County & CB ¹	7	14	2	0	0	1	4	51	10	18	1	12	379
Limerick CB ¹	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	6
Total	66	54	8	6	4	15	28	180	123	72	12	36	1,351

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Table 17 Second-hand Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2001

Authority	Austin/ Rover	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat/ Magirus	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Cavan	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0
Clare	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Donegal	2	0	0	0	1	10	0	0	0	0	5	2	0
Galway	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	2	0	1	3	3	0
Kerry	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Kildare	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	3	2	0
Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	1	0
Laoighis	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Leitrim	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Limerick County	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	3	2	0
Longford	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Louth	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	4	4	0
Mayo	0	1	0	0	0	4	1	0	1	0	1	3	0
Meath	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Offaly	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Roscommon	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sligo	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0
Tipperary N.R.	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	0
Tipperary S.R.	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	0
Waterford County	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0
Westmeath	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1
Wexford	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	0
Wicklow	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	3	4	0
Cork County & CB ¹	1	1	0	1	0	5	0	9	0	0	4	10	0
Dublin County & CB ¹	1	2	2	0	0	3	0	4	0	0	13	8	0
Limerick CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Total	7	8	3	4	2	55	4	29	2	2	53	62	1

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Table 17 Second-hand Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2001
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Authority	Peugeot	Renault/ Dodge	Scania	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Vauxhall	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	4
Cavan	0	1	6	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	7	22
Clare	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	10
Donegal	0	1	4	0	0	1	3	3	5	4	4	45
Galway	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	5	5	26
Kerry	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	11
Kildare	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	19
Kilkenny	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	10
Laoighis	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5
Limerick County	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	3	1	18
Longford	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	6
Louth	0	3	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	8	5	35
Mayo	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	5	0	6	2	28
Meath	2	1	5	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	4	18
Monaghan	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	10
Offaly	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	1	8
Roscommon	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9
Sligo	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	1	1	0	1	12
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	11
Tipperary S.R.	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	5	18
Waterford County	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	9
Westmeath	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	7
Wexford	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	12
Wicklow	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	15
Cork County & CB ¹	0	1	6	0	0	0	1	1	0	4	7	51
Dublin County & CB ¹	0	3	12	0	0	0	1	1	0	6	20	76
Limerick CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	4
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	6	14	59	0	0	1	18	19	13	52	92	506

¹ County Borough

Background Notes

Source The vehicle licensing figures are compiled from data supplied by the Department of Environment and Local Government, Vehicle Registration Unit. These data provide details on the number of private cars, goods vehicles, motor cycles, and other vehicles licensed for the first time in each county and county borough, classified by make and size, during a given month.

History The release titled 'Particulars of Vehicles Licensed for the First Time' commenced in January 1993. It replaced the series previously published as 'Particulars of Vehicles Registered and Licensed for the First Time'.

In January 1993, separate systems for vehicle registration and licensing were introduced. The Office of the Revenue Commissioners became responsible for the compilation of vehicle registrations while the Department of the Environment and Local Government retained responsibility for vehicle licensing.

The licensing process where applicable follows the registration process. Registration and licensing figures may differ in a given month for a number of reasons, some of which are outlined below:

- Vehicles which under the previous system would have been licensed in the latter part of a particular month may not now be licensed until a later month because of the time lapse between registration and first licensing.
- Vehicles which are not used in a public place (e.g. tractors for use exclusively on the land) are registered but may not need to be licensed

From 31st of October 1999, detailed information on agricultural vehicles is no longer published in accordance with Commission Decision 92/157/EEC as upheld on 28th May 1998.

Definitions **Second-hand:** The term 'second-hand vehicles' in this release, refers to imported used vehicles which are licensed for use in a public place, in this country, for the first time.

Exempt: The term 'exempt vehicles' in this release, refers to vehicles which are licensed for the first time but are exempt from liability to pay road tax. Exempt vehicles can be divided into four main categories:

- State owned
- Diplomatic
- Fire services
- Disabled drivers