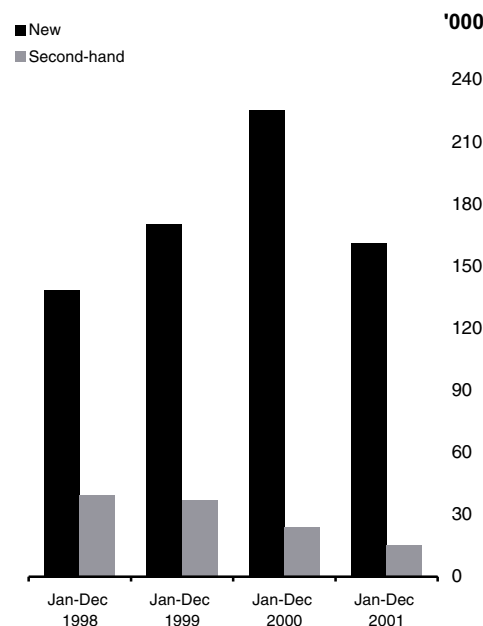




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Vehicles Licensed for the First Time December 2001

	New Private Cars	All New Vehicles
Dec 2001	2,480	4,064
Dec 2000	3,486	5,638
Dec 1999	4,003	5,904
Jan - Dec 2001	160,911	207,444
Jan - Dec 2000	225,269	274,991
Jan - Dec 1999	170,322	213,600

Decrease in new private cars licensed

There were 2,480 new private cars licensed in December, 2001 compared with 3,486 in December, 2000, a decrease of 28.9%. In the year 2001, there were 160,911 new private cars licensed which represents a decrease of 28.6% on 2000 but only a decrease of 5.5% on 1999. *See Table 1 and graph.*

First licensing of second-hand private cars decreased by 541 (-37%) on the same month last year and decreased by 8,765 (-36.5%) in the year 2001 when compared with 2000.

New goods vehicles licensed decreased by 315 (-24.1%) in December, 2001 when compared with December 2000, and decreased by 2,984 (-8.9%) in the year 2001 in comparison with 2000.

The vehicle licensing figures also show that:

- In the year 2001, the total number of all vehicles licensed was 236,864 compared with 314,292 in the year 2000, a decrease of 24.6%.
- There was a decrease of 27.9% in the total number of new vehicles licensed in December, 2001 in comparison with the corresponding month in 2000. *See Table 1.*
- The highest number of new private cars licensed in December, classified by make are Fiat (378) followed by Opel (270), Ford (241), Toyota (239), Nissan (222) and Volkswagen (219). *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

	December			January – December		
	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001
New vehicles						
Private cars	4,003	3,486	2,480	170,322	225,269	160,911
Goods vehicles	1,289	1,306	991	30,066	33,606	30,622
Tractors	118	143	110	2,762	2,817	2,681
Motor cycles	261	334	293	4,955	6,871	6,919
Exempt vehicles	98	140	107	2,664	3,321	3,709
Other new vehicles	135	229	83	2,831	3,107	2,602
Total new vehicles	5,904	5,638	4,064	213,600	274,991	207,444
Second-hand vehicles						
Private cars	2,581	1,464	923	36,878	24,003	15,238
Goods vehicles	610	419	423	9,285	6,983	5,959
Tractors	191	145	158	3,332	2,785	2,447
Others	334	310	309	5,524	5,530	5,776
Total second-hand vehicles	3,716	2,338	1,813	55,019	39,301	29,420
Total all vehicles	9,620	7,976	5,877	268,619	314,292	236,864

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

Make	New	Second Hand	Make	New	Second Hand
Alfa Romeo	48	3	Nissan	222	71
Audi	35	23	Opel	270	11
Austin/Rover	63	35	Peugeot/Talbot	112	47
BMW	58	41	Renault	127	35
Citroen	55	21	Saab	16	7
Daewoo	29	1	Seat	45	10
Daihatsu	8	1	Skoda	42	4
Fiat	378	19	Subaru	3	13
Ford	241	104	Suzuki	14	17
Honda	16	59	Toyota	239	85
Hyundai	67	4	Vauxhall	0	84
Isuzu	1	3	Volkswagen	219	55
Mazda	51	17	Volvo	27	12
Mercedes-Benz	34	48	Other Makes	35	36
Mitsubishi	25	57			
Total				2,480	923

Table 3 Number of Vehicles by Taxation Class and Quarter

Taxation Class	2000				2001			
	Qtr 1	Qtr 2	Qtr 3	Qtr 4	Qtr 1	Qtr 2	Qtr 3	Qtr 4
New vehicles								
Private cars	79,644	78,853	47,052	19,720	60,933	54,153	31,966	13,859
Goods vehicles	9,855	9,931	8,504	5,316	10,154	8,721	6,920	4,827
Tractors	833	869	633	482	748	766	705	462
Motor cycles	1,478	1,923	1,974	1,496	1,787	1,931	1,853	1,348
Exempt vehicles	901	809	951	660	1,052	1,006	1,029	622
Others	803	849	772	683	850	776	594	382
Total new vehicles	93,514	93,234	59,886	28,357	75,524	67,353	43,067	21,500
Second-hand vehicles								
Private cars	6,954	6,345	5,719	4,985	4,415	4,082	3,673	3,068
Goods vehicles	1,909	1,883	1,658	1,533	1,561	1,566	1,425	1,407
Tractors	743	860	698	484	595	649	636	567
Others	1,245	1,551	1,592	1,142	1,268	1,758	1,529	1,221
Total second-hand vehicles	10,851	10,639	9,667	8,144	7,839	8,055	7,263	6,263
Total all classes	104,365	103,873	69,553	36,501	83,363	75,408	50,330	27,763

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

Taxation Class	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
New vehicles								
Private cars	77,773	82,730	109,333	125,818	138,538	170,322	225,269	160,911
Goods vehicles	12,845	13,790	16,445	18,895	23,811	30,066	33,606	30,622
Tractors	1,830	2,108	2,233	1,848	2,318	2,762	2,817	2,681
Motor cycles	1,837	1,911	2,412	2,717	3,117	4,955	6,871	6,919
Exempt vehicles	1,178	1,489	1,887	2,042	2,481	2,664	3,321	3,709
Others	1,222	1,451	1,654	1,766	2,259	2,831	3,107	2,602
Total new vehicles	96,685	103,479	133,964	153,086	172,524	213,600	274,991	207,444
Second-hand vehicles								
Private cars	38,863	41,865	44,500	41,554	39,565	36,878	24,003	15,238
Goods vehicles	3,501	3,912	4,927	4,888	5,388	9,285	6,983	5,959
Tractors	3,814	3,627	3,627	3,065	3,040	3,332	2,785	2,447
Others	3,335	3,715	4,138	4,263	4,643	5,524	5,530	5,776
Total second-hand Vehicles	49,513	53,119	57,192	53,770	52,636	55,019	39,301	29,420
Total all classes	146,198	156,598	191,156	206,856	225,160	268,619	314,292	236,864

Table 5 New Private Cars by Engine Capacity in each Licensing Authority, December 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	14	11	9	1	6	10	0	0	51
Cavan	1	6	7	10	1	3	4	0	0	32
Clare	0	11	4	10	2	6	7	0	1	41
Donegal	2	7	11	30	6	7	17	1	1	82
Galway	0	8	16	13	3	22	26	0	2	90
Kerry	0	2	3	6	2	2	14	0	0	29
Kildare	0	6	19	18	4	11	24	1	1	84
Kilkenny	0	1	4	11	2	3	3	0	0	24
Laoighis	0	1	3	5	2	2	5	0	0	18
Leitrim	0	0	1	2	1	0	3	0	0	7
Limerick County	1	4	41	13	5	7	11	1	3	86
Longford	0	1	6	1	8	4	2	0	0	22
Louth	0	4	14	18	1	6	16	1	0	60
Mayo	0	4	10	17	2	12	7	0	0	52
Meath	0	5	14	24	5	5	21	0	1	75
Monaghan	0	1	0	3	0	5	4	0	0	13
Offaly	0	0	7	4	1	3	5	0	0	20
Roscommon	0	1	7	6	10	7	4	0	0	35
Sligo	0	16	9	4	0	16	9	1	1	56
Tipperary N.R.	0	3	4	3	1	2	7	0	1	21
Tipperary S.R.	0	5	3	31	0	0	8	1	1	49
Waterford County	0	1	5	3	1	3	1	0	0	14
Westmeath	0	2	11	11	3	5	10	0	0	42
Wexford	0	12	10	18	1	3	9	1	0	54
Wicklow	0	15	13	19	7	13	15	2	2	86
Cork County & CB ¹	2	21	43	46	15	31	51	3	0	212
Dublin County & CB ¹	2	111	244	180	46	173	273	17	29	1,075
Limerick CB ¹	0	3	4	4	3	5	4	1	0	24
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	3	5	0	2	8	5	3	26
Total	8	265	527	524	133	364	578	35	46	2,480

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Table 6 New Goods Vehicles by Unladen Weight in each Licensing Authority, December 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	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4
Cavan	0	0	3	1	8	2	1	1	16
Clare	1	0	6	1	6	3	0	3	20
Donegal	0	0	6	3	9	2	0	0	20
Galway	0	0	11	4	22	10	0	2	49
Kerry	0	0	3	1	4	0	1	0	9
Kildare	0	2	16	8	17	6	0	7	56
Kilkenny	0	0	5	2	5	0	3	2	17
Laoighis	0	0	5	2	7	3	0	4	21
Leitrim	0	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	6
Limerick County	1	0	8	2	4	2	3	4	24
Longford	0	0	2	0	5	1	0	0	8
Louth	0	0	5	2	8	6	1	2	24
Mayo	0	2	6	2	12	6	3	2	33
Meath	0	0	9	7	16	7	1	1	41
Monaghan	0	0	3	0	4	1	0	3	11
Offaly	0	1	4	3	8	3	0	2	21
Roscommon	0	0	5	1	4	0	0	0	10
Sligo	1	0	7	2	5	6	2	3	26
Tipperary N.R.	1	0	2	2	3	3	1	1	13
Tipperary S.R.	0	0	3	0	6	0	0	0	9
Waterford County	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	4
Westmeath	0	1	3	4	5	6	1	0	20
Wexford	0	0	6	9	8	8	0	3	34
Wicklow	0	1	8	4	13	4	1	0	31
Cork County & CB ¹	1	0	21	6	22	3	2	4	59
Dublin County & CB ¹	1	3	102	40	141	52	20	32	391
Limerick CB ¹	0	0	1	2	2	3	0	1	9
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	5
Total	6	11	257	110	349	140	40	78	991

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Table 7 New Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity, Exempt and Other New Vehicles by Class in each Licensing Authority, December 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	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Cavan	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Clare	3	2	0	0	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Donegal	2	0	0	0	2	4	2	0	0	0	0	6
Galway	2	4	0	6	12	5	0	0	3	0	0	8
Kerry	1	1	0	1	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	2
Kildare	8	3	1	1	13	1	1	0	1	1	1	5
Kilkenny	2	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	3
Laoighis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Limerick County	2	2	1	0	5	2	0	0	0	6	5	13
Longford	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Louth	4	1	0	0	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Mayo	1	0	0	1	2	7	0	0	1	0	0	8
Meath	4	3	2	1	10	3	1	1	0	0	0	5
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	3
Offaly	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	2
Roscommon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sligo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Tipperary N.R.	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	3
Tipperary S.R.	1	0	0	0	1	5	1	0	0	1	0	7
Waterford County	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Westmeath	3	2	0	1	6	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
Wexford	3	2	2	2	9	1	0	0	1	2	1	5
Wicklow	1	3	1	1	6	0	0	0	1	1	0	2
Cork County & CB ¹	7	8	0	0	15	9	1	0	1	2	2	15
Dublin County & CB ¹	102	51	9	18	180	47	6	3	14	6	2	78
Limerick CB ¹	2	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waterford CB ¹	3	4	0	0	7	3	0	1	1	0	0	5
Total	156	88	16	33	293	107	15	7	23	26	12	190

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

Make	Exempt Vehicles	Public Service Vehicles		Machines or contrivances	Other classes
		Small	Large		
Austin/Rover	0	0	0	0	0
BMW	0	0	0	0	0
Caterpillar	0	0	0	1	0
Chrysler/Talbot	0	1	0	0	0
Daihatsu	0	0	0	0	0
Deutz	0	0	0	0	0
Fiat/Lancia/Magirus	4	3	1	0	0
Ford	18	1	8	1	0
Hino	0	0	0	0	0
Honda	0	0	0	0	0
Hyster	0	0	0	0	0
Hyundai	3	3	0	0	0
Isuzu	0	0	0	0	0
Iveco	0	0	0	1	0
JCB	0	0	0	9	4
Mazda	1	0	0	0	0
Massey Ferguson	0	0	0	0	0
Mercedes-Benz	5	3	0	1	0
Mitsubishi	1	0	0	0	0
Nissan	12	1	0	1	0
Opel	11	3	0	0	0
Peugeot	2	1	0	0	0
Renault	9	0	1	1	0
Subaru	0	0	0	0	0
Suzuki	0	0	0	0	0
Toyota	28	2	0	1	0
Volkswagen/Audi	8	2	1	0	0
Volvo	2	0	0	5	1
Other makes	3	2	12	5	7
Total	107	22	23	26	12

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

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	Austin/ Rover	BMW	Citroen	Daewoo	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Isuzu	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	2
Cavan	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	1
Clare	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	4	0	1	0	2	1	0	2
Donegal	0	2	13	1	4	1	0	6	4	3	1	0	0	2	0	12
Galway	2	0	6	0	4	1	0	11	9	1	1	0	1	0	0	8
Kerry	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	9	1	0	0	2	0	0	1
Kildare	1	0	1	3	1	2	0	11	8	0	2	0	2	2	0	8
Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Laoighis	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
Leitrim	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Limerick County	0	0	4	1	0	1	0	43	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	6
Longford	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	12
Louth	2	0	5	2	1	1	0	11	1	1	2	0	8	0	0	2
Mayo	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	7	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Meath	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	7	5	0	7	0	4	0	1	7
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Offaly	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
Roscommon	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	4	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	10
Sligo	4	1	0	2	2	0	0	9	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	4
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1
Tipperary S.R.	0	0	2	1	3	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Waterford County	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Westmeath	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	10	0	0	2	0	2	0	2	5
Wexford	0	2	0	0	1	1	6	8	1	0	0	0	7	1	0	1
Wicklow	2	1	1	2	3	0	0	8	6	1	3	0	0	0	0	14
Cork County & CB ¹	2	0	5	3	0	1	0	45	45	1	5	0	5	2	1	20
Dublin County & CB ¹	26	26	19	33	22	12	2	154	122	7	34	1	14	25	9	86
Limerick CB ¹	1	0	0	0	3	1	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5
Waterford CB ¹	2	1	0	8	1	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	48	35	63	58	55	29	8	378	241	16	67	1	51	34	25	222

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Table 9 New Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, December 2001
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Authority	Opel	Peugeot/ Talbot	Renault	Saab	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	24	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	12	0	0	51
Cavan	2	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	2	10	0	0	32
Clare	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	11	7	0	0	41
Donegal	4	1	1	1	9	1	0	0	6	8	0	2	82
Galway	4	4	4	0	0	2	0	0	21	5	2	4	90
Kerry	1	1	4	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	3	0	29
Kildare	4	2	10	2	4	5	0	1	4	10	1	0	84
Kilkenny	2	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	4	0	0	24
Laoighis	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	18
Leitrim	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	7
Limerick County	8	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	5	6	0	2	86
Longford	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	22
Louth	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	14	3	0	0	60
Mayo	10	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	15	3	0	0	52
Meath	7	4	5	0	2	9	0	1	3	7	1	0	75
Monaghan	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	13
Offaly	0	2	4	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	20
Roscommon	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	1	7	0	1	0	35
Sligo	22	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	56
Tipperary N.R.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	1	0	21
Tipperary S.R.	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	29	3	3	0	49
Waterford County	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	14
Westmeath	7	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	2	6	0	0	42
Wexford	6	6	4	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	2	2	54
Wicklow	11	7	4	0	6	3	0	0	6	8	0	0	86
Cork County & CB ¹	7	4	6	1	3	0	0	1	40	12	1	2	212
Dublin County & CB ¹	132	60	64	12	15	12	1	4	61	90	11	21	1,075
Limerick CB ¹	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	1	0	24
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	26
Total	270	112	127	16	45	42	3	14	239	219	27	35	2,480

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

Authority	Austin/ Rover	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat/ Magirus	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan	Opel
Carlow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cavan	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	4	1	0	1	2	0	0
Clare	2	3	1	0	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
Donegal	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	2	3	0	1
Galway	1	4	0	0	1	8	0	4	2	0	3	4	3	0
Kerry	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Kildare	1	4	0	0	1	3	0	3	0	0	2	7	4	0
Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	2	0
Laoighis	1	3	1	0	1	3	0	0	1	0	1	2	1	0
Leitrim	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Limerick County	0	3	1	0	0	2	1	1	0	1	2	1	1	0
Longford	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Louth	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	4	5	0	2	2	1	0
Mayo	1	0	0	0	2	5	0	3	1	0	0	1	1	1
Meath	0	6	0	0	1	2	0	4	0	1	0	6	3	2
Monaghan	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0
Offaly	0	1	0	0	0	5	0	2	0	1	1	2	1	0
Roscommon	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Sligo	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	1	4	0	0
Tipperary N.R.	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	1	1	2	0
Tipperary S.R.	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waterford County	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Westmeath	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	3	0	1	4	2	0
Wexford	0	6	0	0	5	5	0	4	2	0	4	0	2	0
Wicklow	1	0	0	0	1	5	0	4	1	1	1	1	2	0
Cork County & CB ¹	1	7	0	0	0	6	0	2	1	0	1	3	5	3
Dublin County & CB ¹	8	20	1	1	10	83	7	21	10	0	27	25	35	9
Limerick CB ¹	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	18	64	6	3	31	148	9	69	34	5	52	76	67	20

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Table 10 New Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, December 2001
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Authority	Peugeot	Renault/ Dodge	Scania	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4
Cavan	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	16
Clare	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	20
Donegal	2	0	0	3	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	20
Galway	2	2	0	1	0	0	1	7	2	2	2	49
Kerry	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	9
Kildare	5	6	3	5	0	0	0	4	5	2	1	56
Kilkenny	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	17
Laoighis	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	21
Leitrim	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Limerick County	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	3	24
Longford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	8
Louth	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	24
Mayo	1	4	2	2	0	0	0	2	4	0	3	33
Meath	6	3	0	2	0	0	0	3	1	0	1	41
Monaghan	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	11
Offaly	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	1	21
Roscommon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	10
Sligo	1	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	26
Tipperary N.R.	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	13
Tipperary S.R.	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	9
Waterford County	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4
Westmeath	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Wexford	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	34
Wicklow	4	0	0	1	0	0	1	5	2	0	1	31
Cork County & CB ¹	5	4	0	5	0	0	0	2	8	3	3	59
Dublin County & CB ¹	17	17	0	4	0	0	1	26	35	8	26	391
Limerick CB ¹	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	9
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	5
Total	58	53	15	33	0	0	4	67	85	22	52	991

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

Authority	Honda	Kawasaki	MBK	Piaggio/ Vespa	Suzuki	Yamaha	Other makes	Total
Carlow	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Cavan	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Clare	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	5
Donegal	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Galway	9	0	0	0	2	1	0	12
Kerry	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	3
Kildare	3	0	1	3	1	1	4	13
Kilkenny	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Laoighis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Limerick County	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	5
Longford	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Louth	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	5
Mayo	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Meath	2	0	0	2	2	3	1	10
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Offaly	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Roscommon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sligo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Tipperary S.R.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Waterford County	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Westmeath	1	0	0	0	3	0	2	6
Wexford	4	0	0	0	0	4	1	9
Wicklow	1	0	0	0	3	1	1	6
Cork County & CB ¹	6	0	0	0	2	5	2	15
Dublin County & CB ¹	14	3	14	39	41	17	52	180
Limerick CB ¹	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	4
Waterford CB ¹	3	0	1	0	0	1	2	7
Total	52	3	16	48	58	42	74	293

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

Make	Engine Capacity (cc)				Total
	Up to 75	75 to 150	150 to 250	Over 250	
Honda	22	14	4	12	52
Kawasaki	0	1	0	2	3
MBK	15	1	0	0	16
Piaggio/Vespa	28	16	3	1	48
Suzuki	27	21	1	9	58
Yamaha	12	22	6	2	42
Other makes	52	13	2	7	74
Total	156	88	16	33	293

Table 13 New Private Cars by Engine Capacity and Make, December 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	24	23	1	0	48
Audi	0	0	0	2	0	13	19	0	1	35
Austin/Rover	0	0	1	24	0	0	33	0	5	63
BMW	0	0	0	0	0	1	33	14	10	58
Citroen	0	0	12	16	0	5	22	0	0	55
Daewoo	3	0	0	24	0	1	0	0	1	29
Daihatsu	0	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Fiat	2	0	296	1	0	71	8	0	0	378
Ford	0	0	84	48	0	33	76	0	0	241
Honda	3	0	0	9	0	2	2	0	0	16
Hyundai	0	2	0	13	0	6	45	0	1	67
Isuzu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Mazda	0	0	4	16	9	4	18	0	0	51
Mercedes-Benz	0	0	0	1	0	0	27	5	1	34
Mitsubishi	0	0	16	0	0	2	5	0	2	25
Nissan	0	50	0	1	124	30	11	2	4	222
Opel	0	66	30	78	0	56	37	3	0	270
Peugeot/Talbot	0	2	46	24	0	11	24	3	2	112
Renault	0	0	23	38	0	31	35	0	0	127
Saab	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	1	0	16
Seat	0	12	0	21	0	3	9	0	0	45
Skoda	0	0	1	27	0	1	13	0	0	42
Subaru	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	3
Suzuki	0	6	2	3	0	0	3	0	0	14
Toyota	0	58	10	93	0	37	32	6	3	239
Volkswagen	0	63	0	76	0	24	56	0	0	219
Volvo	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	0	3	27
Other makes	0	0	0	9	0	7	7	0	12	35
Total	8	265	527	524	133	364	578	35	46	2,480

Table 14 New Goods Vehicles by Unladen Weight and Make, December 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	0	0	0	0	10	8	0	0	18
Citroen	0	0	49	8	4	3	0	0	64
Daf	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	6
Daihatsu	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3
Fiat/Magirus	0	2	3	16	7	3	0	0	31
Ford	0	0	44	0	90	14	0	0	148
Hino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	9
Isuzu	0	0	0	1	27	36	5	0	69
Iveco	0	0	0	0	1	22	9	2	34
Mazda	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	5
Mercedes-Benz	0	0	0	2	15	21	6	8	52
Mitsubishi	1	0	0	8	49	14	4	0	76
Nissan	0	0	0	42	20	5	0	0	67
Opel	1	0	9	0	9	1	0	0	20
Peugeot	0	7	34	7	7	3	0	0	58
Renault/Dodge	0	1	25	0	17	3	2	5	53
Scania	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	14	15
Seat	1	0	32	0	0	0	0	0	33
Skoda	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subaru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Suzuki	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	4
Toyota	0	0	3	11	53	0	0	0	67
Volkswagen	0	0	53	12	17	3	0	0	85
Volvo	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	18	22
Other makes	2	1	5	0	15	4	6	19	52
Total	6	11	257	110	349	140	40	78	991

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

Taxation class	Type of Fuel			Total
	Petrol	Diesel	Other	
Private cars	2,184	295	1	2,480
Goods vehicles	4	987	0	991
Tractors	1	109	0	110
Motor cycles	292	0	1	293
Exempt vehicles	66	41	0	107
Public service vehicles	5	40	0	45
Small	5	17	0	22
Large	0	23	0	23
Machines or contrivances	0	25	1	26
Other classes	0	12	0	12
Total	2,552	1,509	3	4,064

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

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	Austin/ Rover	BMW	Citroen	Daewoo	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Isuzu	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan	Opel
Carlow	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Cavan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Clare	0	1	3	2	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	1	2	0	4	3	0
Donegal	0	4	2	0	1	0	0	1	10	5	0	0	2	0	1	3	1
Galway	0	4	4	1	3	0	0	3	13	6	0	0	2	4	1	3	0
Kerry	0	2	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
Kildare	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	4	2	0	0	0	1	5	8	0
Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	0
Laoighis	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Limerick County	0	2	4	2	1	1	0	1	5	1	1	0	0	2	1	3	0
Longford	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Louth	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	5	0	2	0
Mayo	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	3	0	0	0	2	1	4	2
Meath	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	2	2	1	1
Monaghan	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0
Offaly	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Roscommon	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Sligo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	1
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Tipperary S.R.	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	5	5	0	0	0	2	1	0	0
Waterford County	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Westmeath	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	1	1	3	0
Wexford	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	3	1	1	0
Wicklow	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	2	3	2	0
Cork County & CB ¹	0	0	6	4	1	0	0	1	8	7	1	0	2	1	2	5	1
Dublin County & CB ¹	1	4	5	19	4	0	1	5	15	19	2	1	7	14	32	26	3
Limerick CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	3	23	35	41	21	1	1	19	104	59	4	3	17	48	57	71	11

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Table 16 Second-hand Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, December 2001
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Authority	Peugeot/ Talbot	Renault	Saab	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Vauxhall	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	10
Cavan	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	9
Clare	2	2	0	1	0	0	1	2	2	2	0	1	33
Donegal	9	1	0	2	0	3	0	8	14	8	0	5	80
Galway	3	5	1	1	0	1	2	2	3	2	0	2	66
Kerry	5	2	1	0	0	2	0	1	3	2	2	5	33
Kildare	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	4	2	3	0	1	39
Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	10
Laoighis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	10
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	8
Limerick County	2	4	0	0	0	1	0	2	3	3	0	1	40
Longford	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	10
Louth	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	2	20
Mayo	2	2	0	0	1	0	1	1	6	0	0	2	35
Meath	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	3	2	0	0	25
Monaghan	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	2	1	0	14
Offaly	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	4	1	1	0	0	11
Roscommon	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	18
Sligo	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	0	0	15
Tipperary N.R.	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	1	1	0	12
Tipperary S.R.	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	3	4	0	1	0	28
Waterford County	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	1	0	9
Westmeath	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	21
Wexford	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	2	1	0	22
Wicklow	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	4	1	4	28
Cork County & CB ¹	4	1	0	0	0	2	1	4	7	6	1	1	66
Dublin County & CB ¹	10	7	1	3	2	4	2	24	11	11	1	6	240
Limerick CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	6
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	5
Total	47	35	7	10	4	13	17	85	84	55	12	36	923

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

Authority	Austin/ Rover	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat/ Magirus	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cavan	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Clare	1	1	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	3	0
Donegal	2	4	0	0	1	10	1	3	0	0	2	2	0
Galway	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	4	0
Kerry	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	2	0
Kildare	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	1	0
Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0
Laoighis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Limerick County	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Longford	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Louth	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	1	0
Mayo	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	2	0	0	0	1	0
Meath	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	2	3	0
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Offaly	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Roscommon	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Sligo	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	4	0
Tipperary S.R.	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	1	1	2
Waterford County	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Westmeath	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
Wexford	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0
Cork County & CB ¹	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	11	0	0	0	6	0
Dublin County & CB ¹	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	6	0	0	7	4	0
Limerick CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	4	9	1	3	1	60	3	43	1	1	24	40	6

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Table 17 Second-hand Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, December 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	1	2	2	7
Cavan	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	8
Clare	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	16
Donegal	2	2	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	3	8	46
Galway	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	2	20
Kerry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	11
Kildare	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	14
Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5
Laoighis	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	13
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4
Limerick County	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	6	3	17
Longford	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	7
Louth	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	2	16
Mayo	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	5	20
Meath	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	2	16
Monaghan	1	1	8	0	0	0	1	2	0	6	1	26
Offaly	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	8
Roscommon	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	7
Sligo	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	3	10
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	16
Tipperary S.R.	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	11
Waterford County	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	7
Westmeath	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	9
Wexford	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	3	13
Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	8
Cork County & CB ¹	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	5	33
Dublin County & CB ¹	0	0	4	0	0	0	5	1	0	1	14	48
Limerick CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	5
Waterford CB ¹	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Total	6	14	42	0	0	1	27	14	6	42	75	423

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 '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

Machines or Contrivances: Vehicles included under this category in Tables 7 and 8 are mobile machines, forklifts, excavators and diggers.