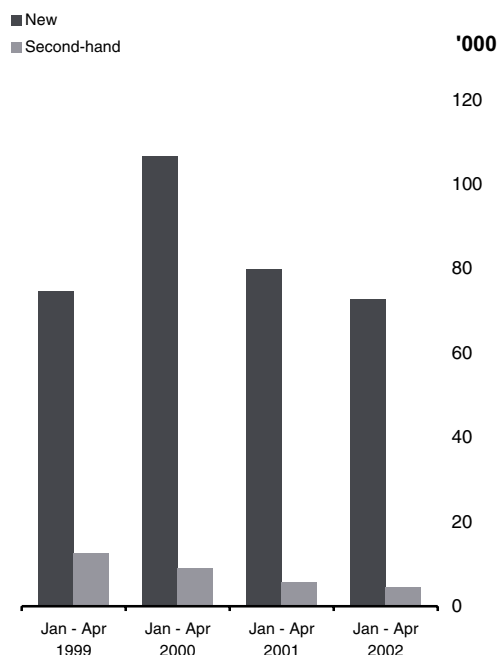




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## Vehicles Licensed for the First Time April 2002

	New Private Cars	All New Vehicles
<b>Apr 2002</b>	17,215	21,881
<b>Apr 2001</b>	19,027	23,400
<b>Apr 2000</b>	27,147	31,540
<b>Jan - Apr 2002</b>	72,758	89,700
<b>Jan - Apr 2001</b>	79,959	98,923
<b>Jan - Apr 2000</b>	106,791	125,054

### Decrease in new private cars licensed

There were 17,215 new private cars licensed in April, 2002, compared with 19,027 in April, 2001, a decrease of 9.5%. In the first four months of 2002, there were 72,758 new private cars licensed, a decrease of 9% on the corresponding period last year. See *Table 1 and graph*.

First licensing of second-hand private cars decreased by 239 (-17.7%) on the same month last year and decreased by 1,328 (-23%) in the year to date.

New goods vehicles licensed increased by 146 (4.8%) in April, 2002 when compared with April, 2001, and decreased by 1,748 (-13.3%) in the first four months of 2002 by comparison with the same period last year.

The vehicle licensing figures also show that:

- ◆ In the period January-April 2002, the total number of all vehicles licensed was 98,529 compared with 109,356 in the same period last year, a decrease of 9.9%
- ◆ There was a decrease of 6.5% in the total number of new vehicles licensed in April, 2002 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 Volkswagen (2,064) followed by Toyota (1,931), Nissan (1,910), Ford (1,736), Renault (1,445) and Opel (1,262). 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**

Taxation Class	April			January - April		
	2000	2001	2002	2000	2001	2002
<b>New vehicles</b>						
Private cars	27,147	19,027	17,215	106,791	79,959	72,758
Goods vehicles	3,075	3,028	3,174	12,930	13,182	11,434
Tractors	271	222	282	1,104	970	1,087
Motor cycles	528	603	574	2,006	2,390	1,997
Exempt vehicles	239	272	408	1,140	1,324	1,481
Other	280	248	228	1,083	1,098	943
<b>Total new vehicles</b>	<b>31,540</b>	<b>23,400</b>	<b>21,881</b>	<b>125,054</b>	<b>98,923</b>	<b>89,700</b>
<b>Second-hand vehicles</b>						
Private cars	2,024	1,351	1,112	8,978	5,766	4,438
Goods vehicles	601	506	465	2,510	2,066	1,699
Tractors	276	202	198	1,019	797	770
Other	408	536	597	1,653	1,804	1,922
<b>Total second-hand vehicles</b>	<b>3,309</b>	<b>2,595</b>	<b>2,372</b>	<b>14,160</b>	<b>10,433</b>	<b>8,829</b>
<b>Total all vehicles</b>	<b>34,849</b>	<b>25,995</b>	<b>24,253</b>	<b>139,214</b>	<b>109,356</b>	<b>98,529</b>

**Table 2 Number of New and Second-Hand Private Cars classified by make, April 2002**

Make	New	Second Hand	Make	New	Second Hand
Alfa Romeo	148	6	Mitsubishi	201	56
Audi	338	39	Nissan	1,910	51
BMW	504	53	Opel	1,262	6
Citroen	483	31	Peugeot/Talbot	918	79
Daewoo	183	4	Renault	1,445	35
Daihatsu	22	4	Saab	96	12
Fiat	890	19	Seat	290	6
Ford	1,736	114	Skoda	474	2
Honda	328	56	Subaru	35	11
Hyundai	386	10	Suzuki	167	15
Isuzu	5	2	Toyota	1,931	134
Land Rover	150	9	Vauxhall	0	98
Mazda	199	27	Volkswagen	2,064	61
Mercedes-Benz	382	60	Volvo	207	18
MG/Rover	222	44	Other Makes	239	50
			<b>Total</b>	<b>17,215</b>	<b>1,112</b>

**Table 3 Number of Vehicles by Taxation Class and Quarter**

Taxation Class	2001				2002
	Qtr 1	Qtr 2	Qtr 3	Qtr 4	Qtr 1
New vehicles					
Private cars	60,932	54,151	31,966	13,859	55,543
Goods vehicles	10,154	8,721	6,920	4,827	8,260
Tractors	748	766	705	462	805
Motor cycles	1,787	1,931	1,853	1,348	1,423
Exempt vehicles	1,052	1,006	1,029	622	1,073
Other	850	776	594	382	715
<b>Total new vehicles</b>	<b>75,523</b>	<b>67,351</b>	<b>43,067</b>	<b>21,500</b>	<b>67,819</b>
Second-hand vehicles					
Private cars	4,415	4,081	3,673	3,068	3,326
Goods vehicles	1,560	1,566	1,425	1,407	1,234
Tractors	595	649	636	567	572
Other	1,268	1,758	1,529	1,221	1,325
<b>Total second-hand vehicles</b>	<b>7,838</b>	<b>8,054</b>	<b>7,263</b>	<b>6,263</b>	<b>6,457</b>
<b>Total all classes</b>	<b>83,361</b>	<b>75,405</b>	<b>50,330</b>	<b>27,763</b>	<b>74,276</b>

**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	160,908
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	2,816	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
Other	1,222	1,451	1,654	1,766	2,259	2,831	3,107	2,602
<b>Total new vehicles</b>	<b>96,685</b>	<b>103,479</b>	<b>133,964</b>	<b>153,086</b>	<b>172,524</b>	<b>213,600</b>	<b>274,990</b>	<b>207,441</b>
Second-hand vehicles								
Private cars	38,863	41,865	44,500	41,554	39,565	36,878	24,003	15,237
Goods vehicles	3,501	3,912	4,927	4,888	5,388	9,285	6,983	5,958
Tractors	3,814	3,627	3,627	3,065	3,040	3,332	2,786	2,447
Other	3,335	3,715	4,138	4,263	4,643	5,524	5,530	5,776
<b>Total second-hand vehicles</b>	<b>49,513</b>	<b>53,119</b>	<b>57,192</b>	<b>53,770</b>	<b>52,636</b>	<b>55,019</b>	<b>39,302</b>	<b>29,418</b>
<b>Total all classes</b>	<b>146,198</b>	<b>156,598</b>	<b>191,156</b>	<b>206,856</b>	<b>225,160</b>	<b>268,619</b>	<b>314,292</b>	<b>236,859</b>

**Table 5 New Private Cars by Engine Capacity in each Licensing Authority, April 2002**

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	20	32	55	8	31	52	1	6	<b>205</b>
Cavan	0	15	28	63	8	46	88	4	3	<b>255</b>
Clare	0	32	56	99	22	40	105	3	17	<b>374</b>
Donegal	3	28	65	124	16	44	134	5	10	<b>429</b>
Galway	7	39	94	200	45	131	244	13	27	<b>800</b>
Kerry	0	26	40	95	12	46	78	3	4	<b>304</b>
Kildare	1	79	124	238	22	103	195	7	30	<b>799</b>
Kilkenny	1	21	40	90	15	45	88	5	7	<b>312</b>
Laoighis	1	36	23	62	18	25	56	6	5	<b>232</b>
Leitrim	0	5	12	25	8	10	20	0	1	<b>81</b>
Limerick County	0	30	65	173	15	59	122	3	14	<b>481</b>
Longford	0	6	15	39	3	16	37	3	2	<b>121</b>
Louth	2	26	77	114	24	46	103	3	12	<b>407</b>
Mayo	1	28	90	88	7	42	111	1	7	<b>375</b>
Meath	2	42	88	187	28	88	169	12	23	<b>639</b>
Monaghan	0	12	27	70	2	22	58	2	6	<b>199</b>
Offaly	0	25	36	66	13	34	71	4	3	<b>252</b>
Roscommon	0	16	21	36	14	25	52	2	1	<b>167</b>
Sligo	1	19	47	65	11	37	65	1	4	<b>250</b>
Tipperary N.R.	1	15	35	79	14	39	49	2	6	<b>240</b>
Tipperary S.R.	2	18	45	69	16	24	87	3	7	<b>271</b>
Waterford County	3	11	23	62	13	31	45	1	3	<b>192</b>
Westmeath	0	14	40	84	12	27	80	4	10	<b>271</b>
Wexford	1	31	62	150	15	100	175	9	18	<b>561</b>
Wicklow	0	28	71	100	12	56	83	1	10	<b>361</b>
Cork County & CB <sup>1</sup>	4	152	393	686	83	475	618	57	65	<b>2,533</b>
Dublin County & CB <sup>1</sup>	11	374	1,052	1,335	216	923	1,409	140	217	<b>5,677</b>
Limerick CB <sup>1</sup>	1	14	24	57	9	27	30	5	2	<b>169</b>
Waterford CB <sup>1</sup>	2	18	43	75	6	49	52	5	8	<b>258</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>1,180</b>	<b>2,768</b>	<b>4,586</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>2,641</b>	<b>4,476</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>17,215</b>

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**Table 6 New Goods Vehicles by Unladen Weight in each Licensing Authority, April 2002**

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	1	0	7	4	23	9	0	3	47
Cavan	8	1	11	2	21	3	4	0	50
Clare	4	0	18	9	46	7	2	5	91
Donegal	1	1	26	8	55	7	2	8	108
Galway	2	2	60	17	84	24	4	12	205
Kerry	0	0	18	3	40	4	1	4	70
Kildare	0	2	38	15	65	24	5	6	155
Kilkenny	0	0	12	10	23	6	3	5	59
Laoighis	0	0	13	7	10	13	3	0	46
Leitrim	2	0	5	1	9	1	0	0	18
Limerick County	3	0	21	10	58	17	6	5	120
Longford	3	0	6	1	17	6	1	1	35
Louth	1	0	11	8	24	16	5	14	79
Mayo	5	0	18	7	50	8	2	4	94
Meath	1	0	35	16	73	25	6	7	163
Monaghan	1	0	5	5	26	8	3	6	54
Offaly	3	0	17	6	14	4	3	1	48
Roscommon	1	1	5	6	11	6	1	4	35
Sligo	3	1	20	2	29	4	3	4	66
Tipperary N.R.	2	0	10	4	21	7	0	1	45
Tipperary S.R.	1	2	9	8	18	5	4	5	52
Waterford County	1	0	7	4	16	7	6	3	44
Westmeath	7	0	19	6	23	4	1	1	61
Wexford	2	1	30	16	64	12	2	11	138
Wicklow	1	0	13	6	48	8	4	4	84
Cork County & CB <sup>1</sup>	1	6	94	43	183	38	9	25	399
Dublin County & CB <sup>1</sup>	2	5	177	78	351	47	18	40	718
Limerick CB <sup>1</sup>	0	1	16	3	22	7	3	0	52
Waterford CB <sup>1</sup>	3	0	4	1	22	5	2	1	38
<b>Total</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>1,446</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>3,174</b>

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**Table 7 New Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity, Exempt and Other New Vehicles by Class in each Licensing Authority, April 2002**

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	3	4	0	3	10	3	2	0	0	1	0	6
Cavan	1	2	0	1	4	7	0	0	3	0	0	10
Clare	4	4	2	3	13	12	4	0	1	0	1	18
Donegal	0	1	0	1	2	26	2	1	0	1	0	30
Galway	5	4	0	1	10	37	8	0	0	1	3	49
Kerry	3	1	0	3	7	12	4	0	4	1	1	22
Kildare	12	13	1	10	36	11	5	1	4	3	0	24
Kilkenny	5	0	0	7	12	9	1	0	1	5	0	16
Laoighis	2	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	2	0	3
Leitrim	0	1	0	1	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	4
Limerick County	4	4	2	2	12	22	0	0	3	6	1	32
Longford	2	1	0	2	5	3	0	0	0	1	0	4
Louth	4	2	0	4	10	19	2	1	1	0	0	23
Mayo	1	3	0	2	6	9	0	0	1	2	1	13
Meath	3	4	1	7	15	8	2	1	1	2	3	17
Monaghan	0	1	0	1	2	5	1	0	1	4	0	11
Offaly	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	5
Roscommon	0	1	0	0	1	4	3	0	3	1	1	12
Sligo	0	1	2	1	4	7	0	0	0	1	0	8
Tipperary N.R.	0	1	0	2	3	5	2	0	0	1	0	8
Tipperary S.R.	5	1	0	2	8	9	0	0	0	0	0	9
Waterford County	1	3	0	4	8	9	0	0	0	4	1	14
Westmeath	0	2	0	2	4	6	2	1	0	0	0	9
Wexford	4	5	1	9	19	9	1	0	3	4	0	17
Wicklow	3	6	2	8	19	6	2	2	1	1	0	12
Cork County & CB <sup>1</sup>	12	25	4	19	60	61	7	1	4	16	3	92
Dublin County & CB <sup>1</sup>	138	70	6	71	285	90	19	5	26	13	2	155
Limerick CB <sup>1</sup>	0	2	0	1	3	6	0	0	0	1	1	8
Waterford CB <sup>1</sup>	4	4	0	3	11	4	1	0	0	0	0	5
Total	216	166	21	171	574	408	68	13	57	72	18	636

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**Table 8 Exempt and Other New Vehicles by Class and Make,  
April 2002**

Make	Exempt Vehicles	Public Service Vehicles		Machines or contrivances	Other classes
		Small	Large		
Audi	8	0	0	0	0
BMW	3	0	0	0	0
Caterpillar	0	0	0	2	1
Fiat	10	4	1	0	0
Ford	71	8	11	3	2
Honda	6	0	0	0	0
Hyundai	18	2	0	0	0
Isuzu	1	0	0	1	0
Iveco	1	0	0	1	1
JCB	0	0	0	19	0
Mazda	5	1	0	0	0
Massey Ferguson	0	0	0	3	0
Mercedes-Benz	15	3	7	0	1
MG/Rover	2	0	0	0	0
Mitsubishi	5	2	0	0	0
Nissan	40	8	0	0	0
Opel	26	1	0	0	0
Peugeot	6	2	0	0	0
Renault	38	0	0	1	0
Suzuki	7	0	0	0	0
Toyota	65	16	0	6	1
Volkswagen	32	7	1	2	0
Volvo	6	0	20	2	1
Other makes	43	27	17	32	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>18</b>

**Table 9 New Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2002**

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	BMW	Citroen	Daewoo	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Isuzu	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	MG/ Rover	Mitsubishi
Carlow	1	3	5	5	0	0	9	18	0	7	0	0	4	6	0	4
Cavan	0	6	3	6	5	0	3	25	8	9	0	2	5	2	2	9
Clare	3	6	8	9	1	0	7	32	8	12	0	7	8	7	8	6
Donegal	5	6	13	5	4	1	7	20	10	20	0	9	7	13	9	9
Galway	4	11	28	17	12	0	19	81	14	37	0	6	12	15	11	10
Kerry	0	2	5	7	1	0	15	36	5	1	0	2	3	4	5	6
Kildare	5	21	27	35	11	1	23	65	11	15	0	13	8	14	11	5
Kilkenny	2	6	7	10	4	1	5	33	7	11	0	3	2	3	0	12
Laoighis	0	3	4	8	7	0	3	20	4	3	0	3	0	3	2	0
Leitrim	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	0	1	0	1	0	2	1	0
Limerick County	4	10	13	9	1	0	14	54	14	13	1	6	2	9	5	2
Longford	0	4	2	1	2	0	2	5	2	6	0	1	2	5	0	1
Louth	0	9	7	11	4	0	22	38	5	9	0	4	6	6	8	0
Mayo	2	1	5	6	2	0	19	61	12	3	0	1	2	9	3	6
Meath	0	9	20	17	6	1	25	41	11	21	1	4	8	24	15	8
Monaghan	0	4	2	2	1	0	6	10	5	5	0	0	6	7	1	1
Offaly	1	4	4	5	1	1	8	38	4	2	0	2	0	5	1	3
Roscommon	1	7	0	3	0	1	6	21	4	1	0	0	0	3	0	1
Sligo	1	3	8	8	2	0	20	35	3	6	0	1	4	1	1	7
Tipperary N.R.	1	9	0	7	3	1	10	24	5	6	0	0	7	3	2	2
Tipperary S.R.	2	6	7	8	8	2	6	31	0	2	0	2	3	4	2	3
Waterford County	2	7	4	5	9	0	7	13	5	1	0	1	3	2	2	7
Westmeath	0	5	7	6	6	1	14	19	6	4	0	1	3	4	9	3
Wexford	4	10	23	16	4	0	12	72	13	9	1	6	11	6	6	9
Wicklow	2	6	4	12	11	1	22	29	9	8	0	11	6	8	3	4
Cork County & CB <sup>1</sup>	10	30	79	125	18	2	111	256	41	36	0	29	27	41	30	17
Dublin County & CB <sup>1</sup>	95	137	205	125	52	8	484	611	110	117	2	28	56	168	80	45
Limerick CB <sup>1</sup>	0	6	5	5	1	0	5	26	3	7	0	1	0	4	2	0
Waterford CB <sup>1</sup>	2	7	9	10	7	1	4	17	9	14	0	6	4	4	3	21
<b>Total</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>890</b>	<b>1,736</b>	<b>328</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>382</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>201</b>

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**Table 9 New Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2002**  
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Authority	Nissan	Opel	Peugeot	Renault	Saab	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	26	10	14	23	1	1	7	0	0	31	26	2	2	205
Cavan	23	16	8	17	0	7	10	0	2	46	37	2	2	255
Clare	34	22	26	14	0	9	14	1	5	56	61	4	6	374
Donegal	38	42	32	21	2	12	21	0	5	55	49	3	11	429
Galway	88	81	32	34	1	7	40	1	5	110	97	18	9	800
Kerry	35	19	18	25	2	6	16	0	5	40	42	3	1	304
Kildare	62	43	42	83	3	10	37	1	14	124	100	8	7	799
Kilkenny	33	31	12	12	0	5	6	1	7	35	50	9	5	312
Laoighis	51	28	7	8	0	8	10	2	7	23	25	1	2	232
Leitrim	8	12	2	7	0	2	1	0	0	12	23	0	1	81
Limerick County	37	44	40	32	1	9	15	0	1	65	71	8	1	481
Longford	11	9	9	3	0	1	6	1	3	14	31	0	0	121
Louth	53	31	30	41	1	9	9	1	2	55	35	3	8	407
Mayo	27	26	20	14	1	6	16	0	5	46	75	5	2	375
Meath	64	28	35	59	2	11	31	2	7	96	84	3	6	639
Monaghan	6	41	12	22	2	11	2	1	1	17	23	1	10	199
Offaly	42	12	16	14	1	11	5	0	5	37	28	0	2	252
Roscommon	17	19	3	9	0	5	5	0	0	27	30	2	2	167
Sligo	31	20	11	8	0	7	12	0	0	31	28	1	1	250
Tipperary N.R.	24	21	16	14	0	2	8	0	4	35	34	1	1	240
Tipperary S.R.	28	12	12	16	1	7	8	0	2	31	58	7	3	271
Waterford County	29	5	10	11	2	6	6	0	4	22	26	0	3	192
Westmeath	22	26	14	15	2	14	6	1	3	32	43	2	3	271
Wexford	121	27	31	30	9	11	9	1	10	44	53	5	8	561
Wicklow	34	18	33	19	3	6	14	4	7	26	52	4	5	361
Cork County & CB <sup>1</sup>	259	192	64	457	11	28	44	5	23	292	253	18	35	2,533
Dublin County & CB <sup>1</sup>	671	407	348	408	47	74	107	12	35	479	579	90	97	5,677
Limerick CB <sup>1</sup>	19	7	7	6	1	1	3	0	2	31	23	2	2	169
Waterford CB <sup>1</sup>	17	13	14	23	3	4	6	1	3	19	28	5	4	258
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,910</b>	<b>1,262</b>	<b>918</b>	<b>1,445</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>474</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>1,931</b>	<b>2,064</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>17,215</b>

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**Table 10 New Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2002**

Authority	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	1	0	0	1	9	0	7	1	3	1	1	1	2
Cavan	5	1	0	1	5	0	3	1	0	0	5	4	1
Clare	9	0	0	2	14	1	4	0	3	3	2	10	3
Donegal	3	2	0	3	18	2	5	2	2	1	3	14	4
Galway	29	1	0	1	20	4	14	3	4	1	9	13	7
Kerry	3	0	0	1	10	0	4	0	2	3	1	8	2
Kildare	19	1	0	5	10	4	13	4	1	1	2	16	8
Kilkenny	3	0	0	1	8	0	0	2	0	1	6	10	2
Laoighis	4	1	0	3	6	0	4	3	0	0	3	2	4
Leitrim	2	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	2
Limerick County	7	2	0	4	18	0	8	1	6	1	6	15	2
Longford	4	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	1	0	5	0
Louth	4	0	0	2	9	0	4	3	0	1	13	3	5
Mayo	9	1	0	1	14	0	2	0	0	0	4	4	4
Meath	12	4	0	7	17	0	13	5	2	0	6	20	9
Monaghan	1	0	0	1	9	0	5	4	1	0	2	6	0
Offaly	3	0	0	2	3	0	4	2	0	0	4	2	4
Roscommon	0	0	0	1	7	4	3	0	0	1	4	3	2
Sligo	12	0	0	2	6	0	0	1	1	0	7	4	3
Tipperary N.R.	5	0	0	1	7	0	3	0	1	3	0	5	1
Tipperary S.R.	7	3	0	4	4	0	1	0	1	1	5	5	3
Waterford County	1	1	0	0	4	0	1	2	1	1	1	7	3
Westmeath	11	1	0	3	6	0	2	2	0	2	2	7	3
Wexford	10	0	0	9	14	2	6	5	1	4	6	12	9
Wicklow	3	1	0	6	9	1	8	0	6	2	4	7	6
Cork County & CB <sup>1</sup>	40	15	0	21	33	0	21	6	6	8	12	37	18
Dublin County & CB <sup>1</sup>	29	8	0	23	114	11	27	18	8	5	26	63	50
Limerick CB <sup>1</sup>	12	0	0	2	10	0	2	3	2	0	2	4	1
Waterford CB <sup>1</sup>	3	0	0	0	4	0	1	4	2	0	2	6	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>159</b>

<sup>1</sup> County Borough

**Table 10 New Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2002**  
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Authority	Opel	Peugeot	Renault	Scania	Seat	Skoda	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	1	0	3	2	0	0	0	6	6	1	1	47
Cavan	4	3	3	0	1	0	0	8	5	0	0	50
Clare	2	1	0	2	2	0	1	10	18	3	1	91
Donegal	4	7	2	3	3	0	1	10	16	2	1	108
Galway	2	4	5	2	13	0	0	29	33	5	6	205
Kerry	2	2	13	2	4	0	0	2	7	1	3	70
Kildare	7	2	16	0	5	0	0	25	12	0	4	155
Kilkenny	1	0	4	1	4	0	0	3	8	2	3	59
Laoighis	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	4	8	0	1	46
Leitrim	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	18
Limerick County	5	7	6	2	5	0	0	8	12	0	5	120
Longford	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	4	6	2	1	35
Louth	0	2	7	7	0	0	0	7	5	5	2	79
Mayo	3	3	4	1	2	0	0	20	17	2	3	94
Meath	5	0	11	3	5	0	2	17	20	2	3	163
Monaghan	1	2	2	6	1	0	0	5	3	3	2	54
Offaly	1	4	5	0	2	0	0	4	4	0	4	48
Roscommon	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	35
Sligo	4	2	4	6	1	0	0	5	6	0	2	66
Tipperary N.R.	1	1	3	1	0	0	0	5	5	0	3	45
Tipperary S.R.	2	0	7	0	1	0	0	3	3	0	2	52
Waterford County	1	0	5	0	1	0	0	3	10	1	1	44
Westmeath	4	0	4	0	1	0	0	7	5	0	1	61
Wexford	7	6	8	4	3	0	2	15	10	1	4	138
Wicklow	1	5	4	0	3	0	1	7	3	1	6	84
Cork County & CB <sup>1</sup>	22	11	20	2	18	1	0	49	43	9	7	399
Dublin County & CB <sup>1</sup>	81	28	37	11	22	0	0	71	63	7	16	718
Limerick CB <sup>1</sup>	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	2	52
Waterford CB <sup>1</sup>	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	5	0	0	38
<b>Total</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>3,174</b>

<sup>1</sup> County Borough

**Table 11 New Motor Cycles by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2002**

Authority	Honda	Kawasaki	MBK	Piaggio/ Vespa	Suzuki	Yamaha	Other makes	<b>Total</b>
Carlow	2	0	0	1	2	2	3	<b>10</b>
Cavan	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	<b>4</b>
Clare	2	0	0	0	1	7	3	<b>13</b>
Donegal	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	<b>2</b>
Galway	3	0	0	1	3	1	2	<b>10</b>
Kerry	4	0	1	0	0	2	0	<b>7</b>
Kildare	9	2	1	3	4	5	12	<b>36</b>
Kilkenny	5	0	1	0	0	2	4	<b>12</b>
Laoighis	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	<b>3</b>
Leitrim	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	<b>2</b>
Limerick County	4	0	0	0	2	4	2	<b>12</b>
Longford	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	<b>5</b>
Louth	3	0	0	0	2	0	5	<b>10</b>
Mayo	3	0	0	0	0	2	1	<b>6</b>
Meath	4	0	1	1	3	2	4	<b>15</b>
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	<b>2</b>
Offaly	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Roscommon	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>1</b>
Sligo	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	<b>4</b>
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	<b>3</b>
Tipperary S.R.	1	0	0	0	3	4	0	<b>8</b>
Waterford County	3	0	0	0	2	1	2	<b>8</b>
Westmeath	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	<b>4</b>
Wexford	5	0	1	1	3	2	7	<b>19</b>
Wicklow	2	0	1	0	7	3	6	<b>19</b>
Cork County & CB <sup>1</sup>	25	1	1	1	16	7	9	<b>60</b>
Dublin County & CB <sup>1</sup>	53	6	10	40	48	51	77	<b>285</b>
Limerick CB <sup>1</sup>	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	<b>3</b>
Waterford CB <sup>1</sup>	4	0	1	1	1	1	3	<b>11</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>574</b>

<sup>1</sup> County Borough**Table 12 New Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity and Make, April 2002**

Make	Engine Capacity (cc)				Total
	Up to 75	75 to 150	150 to 250	Over 250	
Honda	27	43	1	72	<b>143</b>
Kawasaki	0	2	0	8	<b>10</b>
MBK	17	1	0	0	<b>18</b>
Piaggio/Vespa	33	13	3	1	<b>50</b>
Suzuki	32	40	3	32	<b>107</b>
Yamaha	20	41	13	29	<b>103</b>
Other makes	87	26	1	29	<b>143</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>574</b>

**Table 13 New Private Cars by Engine Capacity and Make, April 2002**

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	102	45	0	1	<b>148</b>
Audi	0	0	0	7	0	105	207	0	19	<b>338</b>
BMW	0	0	0	0	0	0	295	93	116	<b>504</b>
Citroen	0	0	43	118	0	103	212	2	5	<b>483</b>
Daewoo	39	0	0	101	0	25	13	0	5	<b>183</b>
Daihatsu	0	11	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>22</b>
Fiat	1	0	796	0	0	54	38	0	1	<b>890</b>
Ford	0	0	332	554	0	231	608	3	8	<b>1,736</b>
Honda	1	0	0	181	0	38	108	0	0	<b>328</b>
Hyundai	0	16	0	125	0	55	185	0	5	<b>386</b>
Isuzu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	<b>5</b>
Land Rover	0	0	0	0	0	0	111	0	39	<b>150</b>
Mazda	0	0	14	106	1	24	49	0	5	<b>199</b>
Mercedes-Benz	0	0	0	15	0	0	239	40	88	<b>382</b>
MG/Rover	0	0	16	148	0	7	48	0	3	<b>222</b>
Mitsubishi	0	0	115	0	0	40	22	0	24	<b>201</b>
Nissan	0	318	0	1	663	597	220	84	27	<b>1,910</b>
Opel	0	313	178	455	0	182	124	10	0	<b>1,262</b>
Peugeot	0	0	359	366	0	67	120	6	0	<b>918</b>
Renault	0	0	306	482	0	446	209	0	2	<b>1,445</b>
Saab	0	0	0	0	0	0	82	13	1	<b>96</b>
Seat	0	50	10	119	0	17	94	0	0	<b>290</b>
Skoda	0	0	1	278	0	42	153	0	0	<b>474</b>
Subaru	0	0	0	0	0	16	17	0	2	<b>35</b>
Suzuki	0	19	22	70	0	12	44	0	0	<b>167</b>
Toyota	0	410	34	782	1	293	353	40	18	<b>1,931</b>
Volkswagen	0	43	531	647	21	136	648	0	38	<b>2,064</b>
Volvo	0	0	0	0	0	4	185	5	13	<b>207</b>
Other makes	3	0	0	31	1	45	47	9	103	<b>239</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>1,180</b>	<b>2,768</b>	<b>4,586</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>2,641</b>	<b>4,476</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>17,215</b>

**Table 14 New Goods Vehicles by Unladen Weight and Make, April 2002**

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	
Citroen	0	2	215	29	3	2	0	0	<b>251</b>
Daf	0	0	0	0	0	1	17	24	<b>42</b>
Daihatsu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Fiat	0	6	2	72	21	6	0	0	<b>107</b>
Ford	0	2	56	7	283	48	0	0	<b>396</b>
Hino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	<b>29</b>
Isuzu	2	1	4	3	69	83	5	0	<b>167</b>
Iveco	2	0	0	0	6	40	14	10	<b>72</b>
Land Rover	0	0	0	3	27	23	0	0	<b>53</b>
Mazda	0	0	0	5	36	0	0	0	<b>41</b>
Mercedes-Benz	0	0	7	3	46	41	25	16	<b>138</b>
Mitsubishi	3	0	1	9	255	24	4	0	<b>296</b>
Nissan	0	2	0	58	77	22	0	0	<b>159</b>
Opel	17	0	80	2	69	3	0	0	<b>171</b>
Peugeot	15	5	44	22	9	2	0	0	<b>97</b>
Renault	1	3	51	2	94	15	11	3	<b>180</b>
Scania	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	47	<b>55</b>
Seat	0	0	96	1	1	0	0	0	<b>98</b>
Skoda	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	<b>1</b>
Suzuki	0	0	0	5	3	0	0	0	<b>8</b>
Toyota	16	1	3	28	287	5	0	0	<b>340</b>
Volkswagen	0	1	152	51	126	12	0	0	<b>342</b>
Volvo	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	37	<b>47</b>
Other makes	3	0	14	5	34	5	9	14	<b>84</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>1,446</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>3,174</b>

**Table 15 All New Vehicles by Class and Type of Fuel**

Taxation class	April 2002				January - April 2002			
	Type of Fuel			Total	Type of Fuel			Total
	Petrol	Diesel	Other		Petrol	Diesel	Other	
Private cars	14,418	2,795	2	<b>17,215</b>	61,092	11,661	5	<b>72,758</b>
Goods vehicles	9	3,165	0	<b>3,174</b>	61	11,373	0	<b>11,434</b>
Tractors	2	280	0	<b>282</b>	13	1,074	0	<b>1,087</b>
Motor cycles	571	1	2	<b>574</b>	1,994	1	2	<b>1,997</b>
Exempt vehicles	278	130	0	<b>408</b>	960	521	0	<b>1,481</b>
Public service vehicles	21	117	0	<b>138</b>	68	478	0	<b>546</b>
Small	21	60	0	<b>81</b>	68	256	0	<b>324</b>
Large	0	57	0	<b>57</b>	0	222	0	<b>222</b>
Machines or contrivances	0	72	0	<b>72</b>	0	289	1	<b>290</b>
Other classes	2	16	0	<b>18</b>	9	98	0	<b>107</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>15,301</b>	<b>6,576</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>21,881</b>	<b>64,197</b>	<b>25,495</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>89,700</b>

**Table 16 Second-hand Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2002**

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	BMW	Citroen	Daewoo	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Isuzu	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	MG/ Rover	Mitsubishi
Carlow	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Cavan	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	1
Clare	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	2
Donegal	0	4	2	2	0	0	3	5	7	1	0	1	1	2	7	0
Galway	0	3	3	3	0	0	3	9	3	1	0	1	2	7	3	1
Kerry	0	2	1	3	0	1	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4
Kildare	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	6	1	2	1	1	3	2	4	3
Kilkenny	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	0
Laoighis	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Leitrim	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Limerick County	0	3	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1
Longford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Louth	0	1	2	3	1	1	0	4	0	1	0	0	1	3	2	0
Mayo	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	10	2	0	0	2	0	2	2	1
Meath	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	4	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	5
Monaghan	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0
Offaly	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Roscommon	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Sligo	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Tipperary S.R.	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	3	3	0	0	0	2	2	0	2
Waterford County	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Westmeath	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	1
Wexford	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Wicklow	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0
Cork County & CB <sup>1</sup>	0	3	6	4	1	0	1	9	5	1	0	0	3	4	4	6
Dublin County & CB <sup>1</sup>	4	12	25	3	0	0	2	15	18	2	1	2	9	23	3	25
Limerick CB <sup>1</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
Waterford CB <sup>1</sup>	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>56</b>

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**Table 16 Second-hand Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2002**  
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Authority	Nissan	Opel	Peugeot/ Talbot	Renault	Saab	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Vauxhall	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	7
Cavan	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	15
Clare	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	5	1	0	0	29
Donegal	3	3	11	3	0	1	0	1	0	18	20	7	1	6	109
Galway	5	1	4	3	0	1	0	1	0	3	3	4	0	2	66
Kerry	0	0	6	3	0	0	0	0	3	6	2	4	0	6	49
Kildare	5	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	10	4	2	0	4	56
Kilkenny	3	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	1	1	21
Laoighis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	1	0	0	15
Leitrim	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	1	15
Limerick County	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	3	0	1	22
Longford	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	6
Louth	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	6	6	3	0	3	43
Mayo	1	1	5	2	0	0	0	1	0	8	10	2	1	4	56
Meath	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	2	0	0	29
Monaghan	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	2	4	1	0	21
Offaly	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	12
Roscommon	2	0	3	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	1	2	2	23
Sligo	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	1	0	19
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	11
Tipperary S.R.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	20
Waterford County	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	5	6	0	1	0	27
Westmeath	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	12
Wexford	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	4	3	0	0	0	25
Wicklow	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	1	2	23
Cork County & CB <sup>1</sup>	7	0	10	3	2	0	1	0	3	17	8	3	5	4	110
Dublin County & CB <sup>1</sup>	10	0	13	6	5	1	0	2	4	29	10	15	4	9	252
Limerick CB <sup>1</sup>	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	12
Waterford CB <sup>1</sup>	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>1,112</b>

<sup>1</sup> County Borough

**Table 17 Second-hand Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2002**

Authority	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cavan	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0
Clare	1	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	8	0
Donegal	2	0	1	1	13	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	0
Galway	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	1
Kerry	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	3	0
Kildare	1	0	0	0	3	0	8	0	0	0	2	7	0
Kilkenny	1	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0
Laoighis	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Limerick County	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1
Longford	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Louth	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	0
Mayo	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Meath	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	4	2	0
Monaghan	2	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1
Offaly	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	1
Roscommon	1	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sligo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	5	2	0
Tipperary S.R.	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
Waterford County	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Westmeath	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0
Wexford	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	2	4	0
Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
Cork County & CB <sup>1</sup>	1	0	0	0	4	0	10	0	1	0	1	4	0
Dublin County & CB <sup>1</sup>	0	0	0	0	5	0	2	0	1	0	5	5	1
Limerick CB <sup>1</sup>	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waterford CB <sup>1</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>7</b>

<sup>1</sup> County Borough

**Table 17 Second-hand Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, April 2002**  
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Authority	Peugeot	Renault	Scania	Skoda	Suzuki	Toyota	Vauxhall	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	5
Cavan	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	8	5	21
Clare	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	1	1	3	23
Donegal	2	3	2	0	0	2	4	0	3	6	44
Galway	0	2	2	0	0	1	0	1	4	8	27
Kerry	0	1	1	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	15
Kildare	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	5	30
Kilkenny	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8
Laoighis	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	7
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	0	1	8
Limerick County	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	1	3	15
Longford	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	5
Louth	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	2	3	1	17
Mayo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	13
Meath	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	7	22
Monaghan	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	19
Offaly	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	9
Roscommon	0	1	4	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	14
Sligo	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	6
Tipperary N.R.	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	6	2	21
Tipperary S.R.	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	7
Waterford County	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Westmeath	0	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	14
Wexford	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	14
Wicklow	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	5
Cork County & CB <sup>1</sup>	0	3	1	0	0	2	2	1	7	5	42
Dublin County & CB <sup>1</sup>	0	1	6	0	0	2	1	0	2	15	46
Limerick CB <sup>1</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Waterford CB <sup>1</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>465</b>

<sup>1</sup> 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 31<sup>st</sup> of October 1999, detailed information on agricultural vehicles is no longer published in accordance with Commission Decision 92/157/EEC as upheld on 28<sup>th</sup> 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 are mobile machines, forklifts, excavators and diggers.