

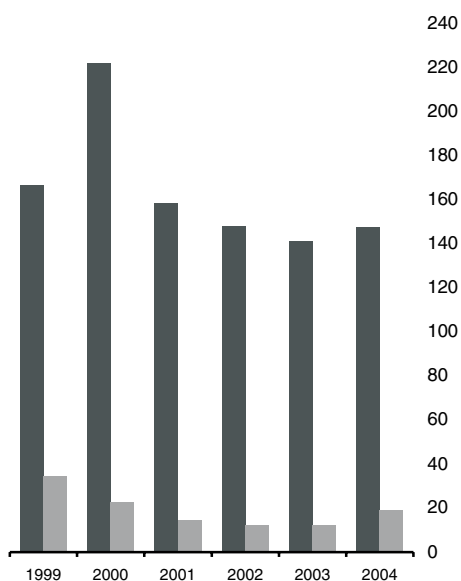


Vehicles Licensed for the First Time November 2004

Private Cars Licensed Jan-Nov

■ New
■ Second-hand

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New Private Cars All New Vehicles

Nov 2004	3,763	6,540
Nov 2003	3,781	6,021
Nov 2002	4,497	7,366
Jan-Nov 2004	147,664	191,934
Jan-Nov 2003	140,980	184,527
Jan-Nov 2002	147,719	189,099

Decrease in new private cars licensed

There were 3,763 new private cars licensed in November, 2004 compared with 3,781 in November, 2003, a decrease of 0.5%. In January to November of 2004, there were 147,664 new private cars licensed, an increase of 4.7% on the corresponding period last year. *See Table 1 and graph.*

First licensing of second-hand private cars increased by 1,211 (99.8%) on the same month last year and increased by 6,948 (56.7 %) in the year to date.

New goods vehicles licensed increased by 370 (23.4%) in November, 2004 when compared with November, 2003, and increased by 592 (2%) in the period January to November 2004 by comparison with the same period last year.

The vehicle licensing figures also show that:

- ◆ In the period January-November 2004, the total number of all vehicles licensed was 227,738 compared with 211,643 in the same period last year, an increase of 7.6%.
- ◆ The highest number of new private cars licensed in November, classified by make are Ford (482) followed by Opel (327), Toyota (308), Volkswagen (307), Peugeot (239) and Nissan (224). *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	November			January - November		
	2002	2003	2004	2002	2003	2004
New vehicles						
Private cars	4,497	3,781	3,763	147,719	140,980	147,664
Goods vehicles	1,842	1,581	1,951	27,145	29,453	30,045
Tractors	197	140	205	2,725	2,824	2,727
Motor cycles	421	260	238	5,343	4,810	3,701
Exempt vehicles	268	144	223	4,002	3,938	4,996
Other	141	115	160	2,165	2,522	2,801
Total new vehicles	7,366	6,021	6,540	189,099	184,527	191,934
Second-hand vehicles						
Private cars	1,184	1,214	2,425	12,226	12,251	19,199
Goods vehicles	553	609	910	4,788	5,727	7,216
Tractors	190	230	256	2,226	2,840	2,798
Motorcycles	259	204	217	3,212	3,294	2,967
Other	206	232	332	2,455	3,004	3,624
Total second-hand vehicles	2,392	2,489	4,140	24,907	27,116	35,804
Total all vehicles	9,758	8,510	10,680	214,006	211,643	227,738

Table 2 Number of New and Second-Hand Private Cars classified by make, November 2004

Make	New	Second Hand	Make	New	Second Hand
Alfa Romeo	13	5	Mitsubishi	46	122
Audi	106	126	Nissan	224	159
BMW	195	197	Opel	327	18
Citroen	102	47	Peugeot/Talbot	239	114
Daewoo	35	12	Renault	157	85
Daihatsu	9	7	Saab	43	16
Fiat	129	27	Seat	82	18
Ford	482	182	Skoda	97	14
Honda	60	113	Subaru	23	24
Hyundai	163	20	Suzuki	70	27
Isuzu	2	9	Toyota	308	394
Land Rover	48	24	Vauxhall	0	169
Mazda	94	26	Volkswagen	307	184
Mercedes-Benz	94	145	Volvo	89	27
MG/Rover	58	47	Other Makes	161	67
			Total	3,763	2,425

Table 3 Number of Vehicles by Taxation Class and Quarter

Taxation Class	2003				2004		
	Qtr 1	Qtr 2	Qtr 3	Qtr 4	Qtr 1	Qtr 2	Qtr 3
New vehicles							
Private cars	55,797	46,029	29,002	12,164	58,109	48,829	31,133
Goods vehicles	9,211	9,581	7,176	4,564	9,261	9,109	7,637
Tractors	991	889	646	444	816	802	713
Motor cycles	1,360	1,570	1,265	798	988	1,152	1,069
Exempt vehicles	1,404	1,165	1,008	445	1,701	1,432	1,348
Other	787	848	606	359	929	883	660
Total new vehicles	69,550	60,082	39,703	18,774	71,804	62,207	42,560
Second-hand vehicles							
Private cars	2,909	3,255	3,522	3,786	3,935	4,982	5,653
Goods vehicles	1,371	1,538	1,584	1,801	1,684	1,865	2,071
Tractors	836	850	711	647	690	853	788
Other	1,459	1,974	1,886	1,378	1,349	2,082	2,133
Total second-hand vehicles	6,575	7,617	7,703	7,612	7,658	9,782	10,645
Total all classes	76,125	67,699	47,406	26,386	79,462	71,989	53,205

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

Taxation Class	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
New vehicles								
Private cars	109,333	125,818	138,538	170,322	225,269	160,908	150,485	142,992
Goods vehicles	16,445	18,895	23,811	30,066	33,606	30,622	28,412	30,532
Tractors	2,233	1,848	2,318	2,762	2,816	2,681	2,868	2,970
Motor cycles	2,412	2,717	3,117	4,955	6,871	6,919	5,596	4,993
Exempt vehicles	1,887	2,042	2,481	2,664	3,321	3,709	4,114	4,022
Other	1,654	1,766	2,259	2,831	3,107	2,602	2,268	2,600
Total new vehicles	133,964	153,086	172,524	213,600	274,990	207,441	193,743	188,109
Second-hand vehicles								
Private cars	44,500	41,554	39,565	36,878	24,003	15,237	13,352	13,472
Goods vehicles	4,927	4,888	5,388	9,285	6,983	5,958	5,285	6,294
Tractors	3,627	3,065	3,040	3,332	2,786	2,447	2,436	3,044
Other	4,138	4,263	4,643	5,524	5,530	5,776	6,031	6,697
Total second-hand vehicles	57,192	53,770	52,636	55,019	39,302	29,418	27,104	29,507
Total all classes	191,156	206,856	225,160	268,619	314,292	236,859	220,847	217,616

Table 5 New Private Cars by Engine Capacity in each Licensing Authority, November 2004

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	0	3	4	1	4	5	0	1	18
Cavan	0	3	11	6	2	6	17	0	1	46
Clare	0	1	7	21	0	12	16	4	3	64
Donegal	0	6	9	21	1	10	19	0	2	68
Galway	0	7	7	31	8	20	40	2	8	123
Kerry	0	4	7	11	7	7	14	1	3	54
Kildare	0	7	23	36	5	28	42	1	14	156
Kilkenny	1	3	9	8	3	7	12	0	4	47
Laois	0	2	4	7	1	3	5	0	1	23
Leitrim	0	1	0	2	1	2	9	0	1	16
Limerick County	0	8	23	20	1	51	23	1	3	130
Longford	0	2	2	11	1	4	6	0	0	26
Louth	0	3	13	16	2	14	18	3	2	71
Mayo	0	2	13	16	0	10	20	2	2	65
Meath	0	5	26	30	1	30	52	1	13	158
Monaghan	0	2	3	2	1	3	6	1	1	19
Offaly	0	3	8	7	1	53	13	1	4	90
Roscommon	0	2	3	23	0	10	10	0	2	50
Sligo	0	1	10	7	1	8	16	2	2	47
North Tipperary	0	2	5	10	1	6	12	0	1	37
South Tipperary	0	1	10	9	0	12	21	0	3	56
Waterford County	0	3	4	12	2	4	10	0	3	38
Westmeath	0	2	4	16	0	5	21	0	4	52
Wexford	0	1	15	14	0	15	23	1	5	74
Wicklow	0	9	15	32	8	16	25	5	6	116
Cork City & County	2	20	40	82	12	68	124	10	18	376
Dublin City & County	4	37	280	340	76	263	502	35	118	1,655
Limerick City	0	0	1	10	2	7	19	0	2	41
Waterford City	0	2	5	8	0	17	10	1	4	47
Total	7	139	560	812	138	695	1,110	71	231	3,763

Table 6 New Goods Vehicles by Unladen Weight in each Licensing Authority, November 2004

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	7	4	7	12	0	2	32
Cavan	0	0	9	3	17	5	1	0	35
Clare	0	0	7	6	15	2	0	4	34
Donegal	0	0	12	7	14	5	1	5	44
Galway	0	1	21	5	42	9	4	9	91
Kerry	0	1	1	9	15	7	1	2	36
Kildare	0	0	21	16	34	17	4	5	97
Kilkenny	0	1	8	5	9	5	1	9	38
Laois	0	0	1	5	5	3	0	6	20
Leitrim	0	0	4	1	3	1	0	0	9
Limerick County	0	0	9	4	19	7	5	3	47
Longford	0	0	2	1	4	2	0	2	11
Louth	0	1	6	2	22	8	4	9	52
Mayo	0	0	11	6	15	9	0	4	45
Meath	1	1	19	15	46	8	2	11	103
Monaghan	0	0	3	4	13	5	0	3	28
Offaly	0	0	8	1	14	2	1	2	28
Roscommon	1	0	4	2	10	2	0	0	19
Sligo	1	0	3	3	12	6	0	1	26
North Tipperary	0	0	2	1	7	2	1	2	15
South Tipperary	0	0	9	8	11	6	0	2	36
Waterford County	1	1	3	1	3	6	1	1	17
Westmeath	1	0	5	2	15	3	1	0	27
Wexford	0	0	19	7	20	11	1	8	66
Wicklow	1	0	12	7	23	13	2	6	64
Cork City & County	0	1	28	16	87	30	9	15	186
Dublin City & County	2	2	148	79	323	96	28	35	713
Limerick City	0	0	2	1	1	6	1	4	15
Waterford City	0	0	2	3	11	1	0	0	17
Total	8	9	386	224	817	289	68	150	1,951

Table 7 New Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity, Exempt and Other New Vehicles by Class in each Licensing Authority, November 2004

Authority	Motor cycles							Public Service Vehicles						Total
	Engine Capacity (cc)						Exempt Vehicles	Small		Large	Machines or contrivances	Other classes		
	Up to 50	51 to 125	126 to 250	251 to 600	601 to 1000	Over 1000		Total	2000 cc & under				2001 cc & over	
Carlow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	3	0	7
Cavan	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	2	0	5
Clare	1	0	0	1	1	0	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	6
Donegal	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	5	1	0	1	0	0	7
Galway	5	0	1	1	1	0	8	14	0	1	1	11	0	27
Kerry	1	1	1	1	0	0	4	8	2	0	0	3	2	15
Kildare	1	6	1	0	3	2	13	6	1	1	1	3	3	15
Kilkenny	1	0	1	0	0	1	3	2	0	0	1	1	0	4
Laois	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
Leitrim	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Limerick County	1	0	1	0	1	0	3	3	0	0	1	0	1	5
Longford	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Louth	2	1	0	1	1	0	5	11	0	0	0	1	1	13
Mayo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	3	8
Meath	3	1	0	0	3	2	9	7	2	0	0	2	1	12
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Offaly	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	3	0	8
Roscommon	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	4
Sligo	1	2	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	1	4
North Tipperary	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	5	1	7
South Tipperary	0	1	0	0	0	3	4	2	0	0	0	1	0	3
Waterford County	0	1	0	0	2	0	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	2
Westmeath	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	7	1	0	0	1	0	9
Wexford	3	3	0	0	0	0	6	4	0	0	0	5	0	9
Wicklow	1	1	0	1	2	0	5	1	1	0	2	2	0	6
Cork City & County	11	9	0	0	3	3	26	32	2	0	1	19	7	61
Dublin City & County	55	29	7	6	16	10	123	84	16	0	4	13	12	129
Limerick City	0	2	0	1	0	1	4	3	0	0	0	3	0	6
Waterford City	1	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	2	1	0	5
Total	93	62	12	14	34	23	238	223	31	2	15	80	32	383

**Table 8 Exempt and Other New Vehicles by Class and Make,
November 2004**

Make	Exempt Vehicles	Public Service Vehicles		Machines or contrivances	Other classes
		Small	Large		
Audi	7	0	0	0	0
BMW	4	0	0	0	0
Caterpillar	0	0	0	1	0
Fiat	3	0	0	1	0
Ford	29	2	9	0	1
Honda	5	0	0	0	0
Hyundai	9	1	0	0	0
Isuzu	1	0	0	1	0
Iveco	3	0	0	3	3
JCB	1	0	0	19	0
Mazda	2	0	0	0	0
Massey Ferguson	1	0	0	2	0
Mercedes-Benz	9	0	4	7	0
MG/Rover	0	0	0	0	0
Mitsubishi	4	0	0	1	0
Nissan	17	1	0	1	0
Opel	9	1	0	3	0
Peugeot	3	1	0	0	0
Renault	16	2	0	1	1
Suzuki	2	0	0	0	0
Toyota	27	5	0	1	1
Volkswagen	22	5	0	5	0
Volvo	4	0	0	1	5
Other makes	45	15	2	33	21
Total	223	33	15	80	32

Table 9 New Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, November 2004

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	BMW	Citroen	Daewoo	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Isuzu	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	MG/ Rover	Mitsubishi
Carlow	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
Cavan	2	1	0	3	0	0	3	6	0	2	0	0	3	1	1	0
Clare	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	4	1	2	0	2	2	3	9	2
Donegal	0	2	2	1	0	1	0	6	4	3	0	2	2	1	1	2
Galway	1	2	2	5	4	0	2	12	0	8	0	3	1	3	6	1
Kerry	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	7	0	3	0	2	0	2	1	1
Kildare	0	3	15	2	3	0	6	10	3	8	0	2	7	3	1	3
Kilkenny	0	3	1	1	2	1	0	3	0	3	0	2	0	0	1	3
Laois	0	1	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leitrim	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Limerick County	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	12	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	2
Longford	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Louth	0	2	1	4	0	0	1	4	0	4	0	1	3	1	1	0
Mayo	0	2	1	2	1	0	0	21	1	4	0	0	1	1	1	0
Meath	0	2	12	6	4	1	2	5	1	6	0	3	9	3	3	4
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1
Offaly	0	3	4	3	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	3	1	0	1
Roscommon	0	1	0	1	1	0	2	5	1	3	1	0	0	2	0	0
Sligo	0	1	8	2	0	0	0	4	1	3	0	0	2	0	0	1
North Tipperary	0	1	1	2	1	1	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
South Tipperary	0	0	3	2	1	0	6	5	0	5	0	1	2	1	0	0
Waterford County	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	1	0	3	0
Westmeath	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	1	2	0
Wexford	1	1	3	1	0	0	1	3	1	1	0	2	4	2	0	1
Wicklow	0	4	2	0	4	1	5	9	2	4	0	3	4	0	2	0
Cork City & County	0	9	24	3	5	1	12	76	4	17	0	3	16	9	2	1
Dublin City & County	9	60	87	57	6	2	84	275	35	72	1	20	27	48	22	23
Limerick City	0	2	5	0	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	10	0	0
Waterford City	0	1	11	1	0	1	1	1	1	2	0	2	0	1	1	0
Total	13	106	195	102	35	9	129	482	60	163	2	48	94	94	58	46

Table 9 New Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, November 2004
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Authority	Nissan	Opel	Peugeot	Renault	Saab	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	0	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	18
Cavan	2	0	2	3	0	3	3	0	0	6	1	1	3	46
Clare	3	1	2	2	1	2	2	1	5	11	3	1	1	64
Donegal	1	2	5	3	0	8	3	2	0	4	7	1	5	68
Galway	9	11	8	5	2	2	3	0	1	11	11	1	9	123
Kerry	8	5	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	12	6	0	0	54
Kildare	8	15	5	8	1	4	5	0	5	14	11	5	9	156
Kilkenny	2	1	2	4	1	1	0	1	1	3	6	2	3	47
Laois	2	1	4	0	0	1	3	0	1	2	0	0	1	23
Leitrim	1	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	4	0	1	16
Limerick County	2	57	15	2	2	0	4	0	2	12	9	3	2	130
Longford	1	2	2	1	0	0	1	2	0	11	2	0	2	26
Louth	4	6	9	2	0	7	2	0	0	7	6	0	6	71
Mayo	1	4	5	0	0	3	2	2	0	7	3	2	1	65
Meath	3	6	17	5	0	3	8	0	7	18	14	1	15	158
Monaghan	2	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	1	3	0	1	19
Offaly	0	48	3	2	0	2	0	0	0	7	7	0	1	90
Roscommon	2	9	3	3	0	0	2	0	1	5	7	0	1	50
Sligo	3	1	3	1	2	1	3	1	1	4	3	1	1	47
North Tipperary	3	1	4	3	1	0	1	0	0	5	5	1	1	37
South Tipperary	0	3	3	5	0	0	0	0	3	4	2	6	4	56
Waterford County	3	1	2	4	0	4	2	1	3	3	2	1	2	38
Westmeath	2	5	3	1	0	1	2	0	0	2	17	1	4	52
Wexford	2	2	5	11	3	6	2	0	2	6	6	0	8	74
Wicklow	18	8	7	5	0	1	4	2	4	8	16	0	3	116
Cork City & County	16	66	13	15	1	3	8	2	8	30	15	6	11	376
Dublin City & County	123	68	109	61	29	23	30	8	21	106	133	55	61	1,655
Limerick City	3	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	4	1	2	41
Waterford City	0	1	1	6	0	3	3	1	3	4	1	0	1	47
Total	224	327	239	157	43	82	97	23	70	308	307	89	161	3,763

Table 10 New Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, November 2004

Authority	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	2	0	0	3	5	0	2	3	0	0	0	3	4
Cavan	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	5	4
Clare	4	0	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	2
Donegal	4	1	0	1	7	0	2	3	0	0	1	1	1
Galway	6	2	0	4	12	0	3	3	1	0	2	4	6
Kerry	2	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0
Kildare	2	1	0	1	25	0	5	2	3	0	0	5	7
Kilkenny	5	2	0	0	8	0	1	0	1	0	4	1	1
Laois	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	2
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Limerick County	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	1	2	0	8	3	0
Longford	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Louth	1	1	0	1	4	1	4	2	0	0	4	2	6
Mayo	6	2	0	1	2	0	4	0	0	0	2	2	5
Meath	6	1	0	2	16	2	3	1	0	0	3	3	7
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	3
Offaly	4	0	0	0	3	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	2
Roscommon	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4
Sligo	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	5	0	1	0	2
North Tipperary	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
South Tipperary	3	0	0	1	6	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	2
Waterford County	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	2	1
Westmeath	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	5	2
Wexford	8	5	0	5	7	0	2	3	3	0	2	2	4
Wicklow	4	0	0	2	6	0	2	2	3	1	1	7	9
Cork City & County	7	6	0	8	35	2	11	2	0	0	5	9	7
Dublin City & County	50	18	0	13	207	2	28	14	10	1	36	31	65
Limerick City	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
Waterford City	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Total	121	43	0	47	375	10	81	43	32	2	77	95	152

Table 10 New Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, November 2004
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Authority	Opel	Peugeot	Renault	Scania	Seat	Skoda	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	3	2	0	0	32
Cavan	4	2	6	1	1	0	0	2	4	0	2	35
Clare	2	1	3	1	0	0	0	2	8	1	2	34
Donegal	1	4	3	2	2	0	0	7	2	0	2	44
Galway	3	4	1	5	0	0	0	8	11	3	13	91
Kerry	0	0	5	0	0	0	1	8	8	1	1	36
Kildare	4	3	14	2	1	0	0	6	11	2	3	97
Kilkenny	2	1	1	5	2	0	0	3	0	0	1	38
Laois	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	4	1	1	20
Leitrim	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	9
Limerick County	4	5	0	2	0	0	0	3	9	1	2	47
Longford	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	11
Louth	0	4	3	4	1	0	1	3	3	3	4	52
Mayo	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	5	8	0	2	45
Meath	1	4	8	0	5	0	0	19	12	3	7	103
Monaghan	2	0	1	3	0	0	0	1	9	0	2	28
Offaly	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	3	3	0	3	28
Roscommon	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	1	19
Sligo	0	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	6	0	1	26
North Tipperary	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	2	15
South Tipperary	4	3	2	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	3	36
Waterford County	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	17
Westmeath	3	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	5	0	1	27
Wexford	4	2	4	0	3	0	0	2	7	0	3	66
Wicklow	1	2	1	5	1	0	0	2	7	1	7	64
Cork City & County	6	5	12	4	4	0	0	19	21	6	17	186
Dublin City & County	47	19	32	10	3	0	1	62	36	3	25	713
Limerick City	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	15
Waterford City	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	17
Total	99	73	110	50	28	0	4	177	195	30	107	1,951

Table 11 New Motor Cycles by Make in each Licensing Authority, November 2004

Authority	Aprilia	BMW	Ducati	Gilera	Honda	Hyosung	Kawasaki	Lifan	MBK	Peugeot	Piaggio	Suzuki	Triumph	Yamaha	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cavan	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
Clare	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3
Donegal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Galway	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	1	8
Kerry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	4
Kildare	0	3	1	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	1	13
Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	3
Laois	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Leitrim	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
12 Limerick County	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
Longford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Louth	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	5
Mayo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meath	1	2	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	9
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Offaly	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Roscommon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Sligo	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
North Tipperary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
South Tipperary	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	4
Waterford County	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Westmeath	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Wexford	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	6
Wicklow	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5
Cork City & County	1	2	0	2	9	0	0	0	1	4	0	2	0	4	1	26
Dublin City & County	10	12	2	13	17	3	4	0	6	10	9	19	0	8	10	123
Limerick City	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	4
Waterford City	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Total	14	22	4	20	44	4	11	0	9	19	11	36	0	28	16	238

**Table 12 New Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity and Make,
November 2004**

Make	Engine Capacity (cc)						Total
	Up to 50	51 to 125	126 to 250	251 to 600	601 to 1000	Over 1000	
Aprilia	10	3	0	0	1	0	14
BMW	0	0	0	0	6	16	22
Ducati	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
Gilera	18	0	2	0	0	0	20
Honda	6	26	0	7	5	0	44
Hyosung	3	0	1	0	0	0	4
Kawasaki	0	0	0	2	7	2	11
Lifan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MBK	8	1	0	0	0	0	9
Peugeot	18	1	0	0	0	0	19
Piaggio	4	4	3	0	0	0	11
Suzuki	12	12	2	4	5	1	36
Triumph	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yamaha	9	9	3	1	3	3	28
Other makes	5	6	1	0	3	1	16
Total	93	62	12	14	34	23	238

**Table 13 Second-hand Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity and Make,
November 2004**

Make	Engine Capacity (cc)						Total
	Up to 50	51 to 125	126 to 250	251 to 600	601 to 1000	Over 1000	
Aprilia	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
BMW	0	0	0	0	4	7	11
Gilera	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Honda	1	1	10	36	31	14	93
Hyosung	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kawasaki	0	0	1	7	4	4	16
MBK	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Peugeot	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Piaggio	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Suzuki	0	2	0	10	17	8	37
Triumph	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Yamaha	1	4	4	14	10	2	35
Other makes	0	4	1	6	5	4	20
Total	4	11	17	73	73	39	217

Table 14 New Private Cars by Engine Capacity and Make, November 2004

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	9	4	0	0	13
Audi	0	0	0	0	0	41	52	5	8	106
BMW	0	0	0	0	0	24	94	21	56	195
Citroen	0	0	20	21	0	39	22	0	0	102
Daewoo	3	0	6	19	0	1	0	0	6	35
Daihatsu	0	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Fiat	0	0	114	7	0	6	1	0	1	129
Ford	0	0	109	161	0	50	158	2	2	482
Honda	1	0	0	23	0	11	23	2	0	60
Hyundai	0	0	26	17	0	30	87	0	3	163
Isuzu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Land Rover	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	0	22	48
Mazda	0	0	6	26	0	21	40	0	1	94
Mercedes-Benz	0	0	0	3	0	0	59	7	25	94
MG/Rover	0	0	2	41	2	2	10	0	1	58
Mitsubishi	0	0	31	2	0	4	1	0	8	46
Nissan	0	38	29	0	104	13	8	26	6	224
Opel	0	21	12	98	0	154	41	1	0	327
Peugeot	0	0	81	56	0	59	42	1	0	239
Renault	0	0	16	43	21	46	30	0	1	157
Saab	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	2	0	43
Seat	0	3	35	10	0	9	25	0	0	82
Skoda	0	0	23	36	0	2	36	0	0	97
Subaru	0	0	0	0	0	5	15	0	3	23
Suzuki	0	1	8	31	2	16	12	0	0	70
Toyota	0	53	1	94	8	81	61	3	7	308
Volkswagen	0	0	29	103	1	37	131	0	6	307
Volvo	0	0	0	0	0	0	74	0	15	89
Other makes	3	18	8	21	0	35	17	1	58	161
Total	7	139	560	812	138	695	1,110	71	231	3,763

Table 15 New Goods Vehicles by Unladen Weight and Make, November 2004

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	0	99	14	5	3	0	0	121
Daf	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	30	43
Daihatsu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fiat	0	3	26	7	9	2	0	0	47
Ford	0	0	33	91	204	47	0	0	375
Hino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	10
Isuzu	0	0	0	0	22	54	5	0	81
Iveco	0	0	0	0	3	14	12	14	43
Land Rover	0	0	0	8	17	7	0	0	32
Mazda	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
Mercedes-Benz	2	0	1	0	28	33	8	5	77
Mitsubishi	1	0	0	0	49	43	2	0	95
Nissan	0	0	46	8	85	13	0	0	152
Opel	0	0	53	1	42	3	0	0	99
Peugeot	1	1	50	11	8	2	0	0	73
Renault	1	2	29	2	58	10	4	4	110
Scania	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	48	50
Seat	0	0	26	2	0	0	0	0	28
Skoda	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Suzuki	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	4
Toyota	2	3	8	6	141	17	0	0	177
Volkswagen	0	0	14	73	87	21	0	0	195
Volvo	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	25	30
Other makes	0	0	1	0	55	20	17	14	107
Total	8	9	386	224	817	289	68	150	1,951

Table 16 All New Vehicles by Class and Type of Fuel

Taxation class	November 2004				January-November 2004			
	Type of Fuel			Total	Type of Fuel			Total
	Petrol	Diesel	Other		Petrol	Diesel	Other	
Private cars	2,807	948	8	3,763	119,695	27,744	225	147,664
Goods vehicles	6	1,945	0	1,951	95	29,947	3	30,045
Tractors	2	203	0	205	64	2,663	0	2,727
Motor cycles	237	0	1	238	3,693	0	8	3,701
Exempt vehicles	113	110	0	223	3,413	1,575	8	4,996
Public service vehicles	5	43	0	48	98	1,053	2	1,153
Small	5	28	0	33	98	528	2	628
Large	0	15	0	15	0	525	0	525
Machines or contrivances	0	79	1	80	0	1,190	4	1,194
Other classes	0	32	0	32	27	427	0	454
Total	3,170	3,360	10	6,540	127,085	64,599	250	191,934

Table 17 Second-hand Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, November 2004

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	BMW	Citroen	Daewoo	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Isuzu	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	MG/ Rover	Mitsubishi
Carlow	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Cavan	0	3	3	0	0	1	1	6	0	0	0	0	2	3	2	1
Clare	0	6	3	2	0	0	1	10	8	1	0	2	1	3	2	5
Donegal	1	8	19	5	0	0	2	22	13	2	1	4	2	7	4	2
Galway	1	7	9	5	1	0	2	13	6	1	1	4	3	8	1	6
Kerry	0	5	8	1	0	0	1	7	0	0	2	1	0	7	3	5
Kildare	1	8	13	1	0	0	0	6	4	0	0	0	0	6	0	6
Kilkenny	0	4	3	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	3	1	1
Laois	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	1	4	1	1
Leitrim	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Limerick County	0	1	6	0	0	0	2	15	3	0	0	2	0	6	0	1
Longford	0	4	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	4	0	2
Louth	0	6	6	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	1	0	1	4	1	1
Mayo	0	5	5	2	0	1	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	2
Meath	0	3	4	1	0	1	0	5	5	2	0	0	0	6	3	8
Monaghan	0	5	4	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1
Offaly	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Roscommon	0	1	1	3	1	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sligo	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	2	7	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
North Tipperary	0	0	2	3	0	2	0	3	1	0	0	1	2	3	0	2
South Tipperary	0	5	5	1	1	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	5
Waterford County	0	0	5	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	2
Westmeath	0	2	3	2	0	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	3	2	5
Wexford	0	6	6	3	0	0	1	7	4	0	0	0	2	2	1	3
Wicklow	0	4	5	3	0	1	1	6	5	1	0	0	1	6	3	3
Cork City & County	0	14	22	3	3	1	6	18	7	1	2	3	3	8	7	14
Dublin City & County	2	21	52	9	0	0	8	22	38	8	2	5	6	51	6	45
Limerick City	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waterford City	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Total	5	126	197	47	12	7	27	182	113	20	9	24	26	145	47	122

Table 17 Second-hand Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, November 2004
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Authority	Nissan	Opel	Peugeot/ Talbot	Renault	Saab	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Vauxhall	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	3	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	1	4	0	1	0	1	20
Cavan	3	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	5	5	3	0	1	44
Clare	5	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	4	11	4	9	1	1	86
Donegal	9	3	15	10	1	3	2	3	6	44	43	23	1	1	256
Galway	8	0	13	8	1	1	2	2	0	33	13	20	5	3	177
Kerry	2	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	4	9	6	8	1	4	79
Kildare	9	1	0	4	0	1	0	2	0	22	2	11	1	3	101
Kilkenny	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	9	2	0	1	1	33
Laois	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1	2	0	1	35
Leitrim	2	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	1	21
Limerick County	4	0	0	4	1	0	0	1	0	18	7	6	1	2	80
Longford	1	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	1	1	2	1	29
Louth	6	0	6	1	0	1	0	0	0	19	11	5	0	2	78
Mayo	3	1	1	4	0	1	0	1	1	14	6	6	2	0	70
Meath	11	1	13	2	1	0	0	1	0	15	4	2	1	1	90
Monaghan	1	1	4	2	0	0	0	1	1	5	8	2	0	0	41
Offaly	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	7	2	3	0	0	30
Roscommon	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	3	0	0	25
Sligo	2	0	4	0	0	1	0	1	1	8	5	4	2	0	44
North Tipperary	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	3	0	0	30
South Tipperary	5	1	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	7	1	5	0	3	51
Waterford County	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	5	5	1	0	0	29
Westmeath	2	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	8	1	4	0	1	42
Wexford	2	3	8	4	2	0	1	0	1	5	8	4	0	2	75
Wicklow	4	0	5	7	0	1	0	0	0	12	1	0	0	5	74
Cork City & County	10	1	5	7	0	2	1	3	1	54	12	14	2	4	228
Dublin City & County	57	4	12	17	7	4	3	7	2	57	15	39	7	29	535
Limerick City	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	9
Waterford City	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	1	0	0	13
Total	159	18	114	85	16	18	14	24	27	394	169	184	27	67	2,425

Table 18 Second-hand Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, November 2004

Authority	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	3	2	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Cavan	1	1	1	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	0
Clare	6	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0
Donegal	10	0	1	0	21	0	1	3	3	0	2	3	0
Galway	1	0	0	0	11	0	4	1	1	0	4	5	1
Kerry	4	1	0	0	14	0	2	0	0	0	3	1	1
Kildare	0	2	0	0	3	0	1	3	1	0	1	6	0
Kilkenny	1	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0
Laois	2	2	0	0	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Leitrim	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Limerick County	2	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	1
Longford	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	3	1	0	2	4	0
Louth	2	1	0	0	7	0	2	2	0	0	3	3	1
Mayo	4	0	1	0	9	0	4	0	0	0	1	3	0
Meath	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	1	1	0	2	4	0
Monaghan	6	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	4	3	0
Offaly	1	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	2	1	0
Roscommon	0	1	1	0	4	0	1	0	1	0	2	5	1
Sligo	0	0	1	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	1
North Tipperary	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0
South Tipperary	1	0	1	0	4	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	0
Waterford County	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0
Westmeath	1	1	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	7	0
Wexford	2	1	0	0	4	0	1	2	0	0	3	1	0
Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	0
Cork City & County	6	2	1	0	15	1	1	4	0	1	4	10	4
Dublin City & County	2	6	0	0	8	0	1	3	1	0	10	11	5
Limerick City	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Waterford City	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	58	26	7	0	144	1	27	28	11	1	57	89	15

Table 18 Second-hand Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, November 2004
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Authority	Peugeot	Renault	Scania	Skoda	Suzuki	Toyota	Vauxhall	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9
Cavan	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	3	6	1	29
Clare	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	23
Donegal	11	1	3	0	0	11	6	4	3	8	91
Galway	2	4	3	0	0	1	5	1	6	6	56
Kerry	2	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	4	38
Kildare	0	2	1	0	0	3	0	0	3	6	32
Kilkenny	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	19
Laois	2	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	19
Leitrim	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	3	11
Limerick County	1	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	4	8	29
Longford	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	19
Louth	2	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	6	0	34
Mayo	4	1	3	0	0	1	2	1	1	4	39
Meath	1	2	3	0	0	7	0	2	6	7	41
Monaghan	5	2	3	0	0	3	1	5	3	5	45
Offaly	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	14
Roscommon	1	2	2	0	0	2	1	0	2	1	27
Sligo	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	18
North Tipperary	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	12
South Tipperary	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	17
Waterford County	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	10
Westmeath	2	1	1	0	0	3	1	0	5	5	33
Wexford	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	2	4	4	28
Wicklow	0	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	0	4	15
Cork City & County	3	4	2	0	0	10	0	3	7	9	87
Dublin City & County	5	7	8	0	0	6	0	4	10	22	109
Limerick City	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	4
Waterford City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Total	51	41	39	1	1	65	23	32	76	117	910

Table 19 Second-hand Motor Cycles by Make in each Licensing Authority, November 2004

	Aprilia	BMW	Gilera	Honda	Hyosung	Kawasaki	MBK	Peugeot	Piaggio	Suzuki	Triumph	Yamaha	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3
Cavan	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Clare	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	5
Donegal	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Galway	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	2	0	10
Kerry	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Kildare	0	1	0	10	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	4	3	22
Kilkenny	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Laois	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Limerick County	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	7
Longford	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
Louth	0	1	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	7
Mayo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meath	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	8
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Offaly	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	4
Roscommon	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
Sligo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Tipperary	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	5
South Tipperary	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
Waterford County	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	4
Westmeath	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Wexford	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Wicklow	0	1	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	10
Cork City & County	0	1	0	11	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	7	5	30
Dublin City & County	2	4	0	32	0	4	0	0	0	7	0	14	7	70
Limerick City	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	4
Waterford City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
Total	2	11	0	93	0	16	2	0	0	37	1	35	20	217

Table 20 Second-hand Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity in each Licensing Authority, November 2004

Authority	Engine Capacity (cc)						Total
	Up to 50	51 to 125	126 to 250	251 to 600	601 to 1000	Over 1000	
Carlow	0	0	0	0	1	2	3
Cavan	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Clare	0	0	0	2	3	0	5
Donegal	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Galway	0	1	1	2	2	4	10
Kerry	0	0	1	0	2	1	4
Kildare	0	0	3	8	8	3	22
Kilkenny	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Laois	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Limerick County	0	1	0	1	3	2	7
Longford	0	0	0	2	1	0	3
Louth	0	0	0	1	4	2	7
Mayo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meath	0	0	1	3	3	1	8
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Offaly	1	0	1	0	0	2	4
Roscommon	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
Sligo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Tipperary	0	0	0	0	4	1	5
South Tipperary	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
Waterford County	0	0	0	1	2	1	4
Westmeath	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
Wexford	1	0	0	1	1	2	5
Wicklow	0	0	1	2	5	2	10
Cork City & County	1	0	2	10	9	8	30
Dublin City & County	0	6	5	34	20	5	70
Limerick City	0	0	0	0	3	1	4
Waterford City	0	2	1	0	0	0	3
Total	4	11	17	73	73	39	217

Background Notes

Source The vehicle licensing figures are compiled from data supplied by the Department of Environment, Heritage 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 are mobile machines, forklifts, excavators and diggers.