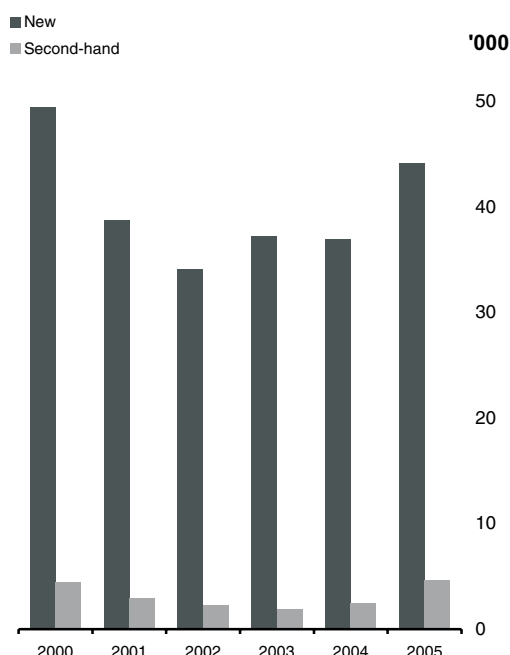




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New Private Cars All New Vehicles

Feb 2005	24,153	30,090
Feb 2004	20,074	24,679
Feb 2003	20,182	25,029
Jan-Feb 2005	44,155	54,169
Jan-Feb 2004	36,944	45,542
Jan-Feb 2003	37,233	46,272

Increase in new private cars licensed

There were 24,153 new private cars licensed in February, 2005 compared with 20,074 in February, 2004, an increase of 20.3% . *See Table 1 and graph.*

First licensing of second-hand private cars increased by 1,380 (104%) on the same month last year.

The number of new goods vehicles licensed was 4,460 in February, 2005 compared with 3,297 in the corresponding month last year, an increase of 35.3%.

The vehicle licensing figures also show that:

- ◆ The total number of all vehicles licensed in February increased by 26.3% when compared with the same month in 2004.
- ◆ The total number of all new vehicles licensed during February was 30,090 compared with 24,679 during the same month in 2004 – an increase of 21.9%
- ◆ The highest number of new private cars licensed in February, classified by make are Toyota (3,444) followed by Ford (2,856), Nissan (1,942), Volkswagen (1,803), Opel (1,628) and Renault (1,537). *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	February			January - February		
	2003	2004	2005	2003	2004	2005
New vehicles						
Private cars	20,182	20,074	24,153	37,233	36,944	44,155
Goods vehicles	3,344	3,297	4,460	6,053	5,825	7,394
Tractors	280	261	329	735	532	576
Motor cycles	466	326	294	902	652	540
Exempt vehicles	490	440	536	836	1,023	892
Other	267	281	318	513	566	612
Total new vehicles	25,029	24,679	30,090	46,272	45,542	54,169
Second-hand vehicles						
Private cars	928	1,322	2,702	1,897	2,455	4,626
Goods vehicles	449	612	767	900	1,085	1,428
Tractors	247	215	267	615	425	518
Motor cycles	227	218	210	453	393	385
Other	226	213	387	509	434	670
Total second-hand vehicles	2,077	2,580	4,333	4,374	4,792	7,627
Total all vehicles	27,106	27,259	34,423	50,646	50,334	61,796

Table 2 Number of New and Second-Hand Private Cars classified by make, February 2005

Make	New	Second Hand	Make	New	Second Hand
Alfa Romeo	78	4	Mitsubishi	371	104
Audi	575	152	Nissan	1,942	170
BMW	769	230	Opel	1,628	29
Citroen	690	48	Peugeot/Talbot	1,417	118
Daewoo	2	5	Renault	1,537	103
Daihatsu	46	6	Saab	157	20
Fiat	357	30	Seat	425	23
Ford	2,856	165	Skoda	847	17
Honda	497	139	Subaru	75	20
Hyundai	998	32	Suzuki	556	22
Isuzu	8	3	Toyota	3,444	410
Land Rover	187	23	Vauxhall	0	182
Mazda	700	39	Volkswagen	1,803	270
Mercedes-Benz	812	175	Volvo	393	30
MG/Rover	138	44	Other Makes	845	89
			Total	24,153	2,702

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	Qtr 4
New vehicles								
Private cars	55,797	46,029	29,002	12,164	58,086	48,804	31,126	11,619
Goods vehicles	9,211	9,581	7,176	4,564	9,259	9,106	7,635	5,165
Tractors	991	889	646	444	816	802	713	550
Motor cycles	1,360	1,570	1,265	798	988	1,152	1,069	624
Exempt vehicles	1,404	1,165	1,008	445	1,695	1,428	1,348	628
Other	787	848	606	359	927	883	659	425
Total new vehicles	69,550	60,082	39,703	18,774	71,771	62,175	42,550	19,011
Second-hand vehicles								
Private cars	2,909	3,255	3,522	3,786	3,930	4,980	5,648	6,833
Goods vehicles	1,371	1,538	1,584	1,801	1,683	1,865	2,069	2,331
Tractors	836	850	711	647	690	852	788	691
Other	1,459	1,974	1,886	1,378	1,347	2,081	2,132	1,432
Total second-hand vehicles	6,575	7,617	7,703	7,612	7,650	9,778	10,637	11,287
Total all classes	76,125	67,699	47,406	26,386	79,421	71,953	53,187	30,298

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

Taxation Class	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
New vehicles								
Private cars	125,818	138,538	170,322	225,269	160,908	150,485	142,992	149,635
Goods vehicles	18,895	23,811	30,066	33,606	30,622	28,412	30,532	31,165
Tractors	1,848	2,318	2,762	2,816	2,681	2,868	2,970	2,881
Motor cycles	2,717	3,117	4,955	6,871	6,919	5,596	4,993	3,833
Exempt vehicles	2,042	2,481	2,664	3,321	3,709	4,114	4,022	5,099
Other	1,766	2,259	2,831	3,107	2,602	2,268	2,600	2,894
Total new vehicles	153,086	172,524	213,600	274,990	207,441	193,743	188,109	195,507
Second-hand vehicles								
Private cars	41,554	39,565	36,878	24,003	15,237	13,352	13,472	21,391
Goods vehicles	4,888	5,388	9,285	6,983	5,958	5,285	6,294	7,948
Tractors	3,065	3,040	3,332	2,786	2,447	2,436	3,044	3,021
Other	4,263	4,643	5,524	5,530	5,776	6,031	6,697	6,992
Total second-hand vehicles	53,770	52,636	55,019	39,302	29,418	27,104	29,507	39,352
Total all classes	206,856	225,160	268,619	314,292	236,859	220,847	217,616	234,859

Table 5 New Private Cars by Engine Capacity in each Licensing Authority, February 2005

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	38	70	16	46	66	2	12	264
Cavan	0	11	32	75	15	61	98	11	14	317
Clare	0	30	58	174	29	116	162	13	18	600
Donegal	0	28	79	170	16	104	131	8	16	552
Galway	0	41	93	269	41	220	287	16	44	1,011
Kerry	1	28	69	149	24	96	123	7	20	517
Kildare	0	63	148	337	38	203	248	23	52	1,112
Kilkenny	0	19	56	160	24	112	103	5	20	499
Laois	0	19	34	96	35	55	100	8	8	355
Leitrim	1	9	27	30	4	18	36	0	2	127
Limerick County	0	37	93	237	34	181	184	16	32	814
Longford	0	6	16	39	9	31	48	0	8	157
Louth	1	38	78	194	38	108	123	12	17	609
Mayo	0	16	62	158	19	98	160	12	13	538
Meath	0	38	118	306	41	175	244	20	46	988
Monaghan	1	13	27	86	10	46	67	6	4	260
Offaly	0	15	45	107	10	111	95	14	7	404
Roscommon	0	28	22	150	18	86	116	7	7	434
Sligo	0	17	40	80	22	61	83	5	11	319
North Tipperary	0	19	50	120	19	71	105	3	7	394
South Tipperary	1	17	51	150	18	94	101	7	20	459
Waterford County	1	10	35	91	19	57	64	7	6	290
Westmeath	1	28	68	116	33	52	106	13	19	436
Wexford	1	24	100	206	38	120	179	12	36	716
Wicklow	2	36	86	207	31	106	131	13	24	636
Cork City & County	0	208	366	824	234	594	669	42	117	3,054
Dublin City & County	3	361	950	1,950	379	1,504	1,904	155	340	7,546
Limerick City	0	10	58	88	15	42	50	2	10	275
Waterford City	1	19	131	121	13	83	73	6	23	470
Total	14	1,202	3,030	6,760	1,242	4,651	5,856	445	953	24,153

Table 6 New Goods Vehicles by Unladen Weight in each Licensing Authority, February 2005

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	14	12	21	8	2	1	58
Cavan	1	0	19	12	31	9	3	1	76
Clare	0	0	22	19	67	12	1	16	137
Donegal	3	0	16	16	51	12	3	7	108
Galway	1	2	41	33	118	29	3	17	244
Kerry	0	0	18	16	61	18	0	8	121
Kildare	0	2	37	27	102	38	6	16	228
Kilkenny	0	0	14	11	36	26	3	12	102
Laois	0	0	13	8	27	20	0	5	73
Leitrim	0	0	7	6	9	8	0	4	34
Limerick County	0	0	26	27	61	34	4	10	162
Longford	0	0	8	8	25	6	0	2	49
Louth	0	0	13	14	54	12	3	9	105
Mayo	1	0	22	76	44	17	1	8	169
Meath	0	1	32	21	97	23	2	15	191
Monaghan	0	0	6	13	21	7	0	15	62
Offaly	0	0	15	6	41	4	0	5	71
Roscommon	1	0	9	20	32	5	2	9	78
Sligo	0	0	9	6	43	4	4	7	73
North Tipperary	0	0	15	12	35	3	1	6	72
South Tipperary	0	0	22	15	39	13	2	4	95
Waterford County	0	0	7	7	27	7	2	4	54
Westmeath	0	0	13	10	44	12	1	3	83
Wexford	0	1	21	23	88	36	10	22	201
Wicklow	0	0	11	20	43	16	0	3	93
Cork City & County	3	2	92	81	248	42	7	33	508
Dublin City & County	4	2	269	158	503	112	26	59	1,133
Limerick City	0	0	8	7	18	6	0	2	41
Waterford City	0	0	6	5	19	7	1	1	39
Total	14	10	805	689	2,005	546	87	304	4,460

Table 7 New Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity, Exempt and Other New Vehicles by Class in each Licensing Authority, February 2005

Authority	Motor cycles							Public Service Vehicles						Total
	Engine Capacity (cc)						Total	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			2000 cc & under	2001 cc & over				
Carlow	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	1	0	2	1	8
Cavan	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	12	0	0	5	1	1	19
Clare	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	15	2	0	2	4	3	26
Donegal	0	1	0	2	1	0	4	21	2	0	2	2	3	30
Galway	5	0	0	0	1	0	6	32	3	0	6	3	5	49
Kerry	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	14	7	2	5	12	2	42
Kildare	3	2	0	2	5	2	14	10	1	1	3	5	6	26
Kilkenny	2	1	0	0	0	2	5	17	0	0	3	9	9	38
Laois	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	8	1	0	0	3	0	12
Leitrim	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Limerick County	3	0	0	0	1	2	6	13	2	0	2	3	3	23
Longford	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	3
Louth	0	1	0	3	0	0	4	19	4	0	0	1	0	24
Mayo	1	0	0	1	2	0	4	23	2	0	0	4	0	29
Meath	0	1	0	2	9	0	12	21	6	0	2	4	2	35
Monaghan	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	9	0	0	3	4	0	16
Offaly	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	1	0	2	0	8
Roscommon	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	4	0	0	1	2	15
Sligo	2	0	1	0	1	0	4	13	1	0	0	1	2	17
North Tipperary	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	4	1	0	0	3	3	11
South Tipperary	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	10	0	0	0	2	0	12
Waterford County	0	1	0	0	2	2	5	15	0	0	1	5	1	22
Westmeath	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	9	1	0	0	1	0	11
Wexford	4	3	0	4	1	1	13	13	0	0	0	13	1	27
Wicklow	1	6	0	2	3	2	14	9	1	0	1	6	0	17
Cork City & County	9	10	1	2	4	6	32	80	7	0	3	26	3	119
Dublin City & County	54	35	8	12	18	12	139	132	24	7	13	10	6	192
Limerick City	0	2	1	0	0	0	3	8	1	0	1	0	0	10
Waterford City	1	2	0	0	2	4	9	7	2	0	1	0	0	10
Total	87	71	12	33	55	36	294	536	72	12	54	127	53	854

**Table 8 Exempt and Other New Vehicles by Class and Make,
February 2005**

Make	Exempt Vehicles	Public Service Vehicles		Machines or contrivances	Other classes
		Small	Large		
Audi	7	0	0	0	0
BMW	7	0	0	0	0
Caterpillar	0	0	0	3	0
Fiat	4	1	0	0	1
Ford	87	6	16	3	4
Honda	15	0	0	0	0
Hyundai	22	5	0	2	0
Isuzu	2	0	0	3	0
Iveco	6	0	1	3	0
JCB	0	0	0	35	2
Mazda	9	1	0	1	0
Massey Ferguson	0	0	0	0	0
Mercedes-Benz	18	7	16	4	2
MG/Rover	1	0	0	0	0
Mitsubishi	9	1	0	3	0
Nissan	61	6	0	0	1
Opel	27	3	0	0	0
Peugeot	16	2	0	0	0
Renault	48	0	0	2	0
Suzuki	9	1	0	0	0
Toyota	84	19	0	3	0
Volkswagen	44	8	0	4	1
Volvo	6	1	3	4	0
Other makes	54	23	18	57	42
Total	536	84	54	127	53

Table 9 New Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, February 2005

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	BMW	Citroen	Daewoo	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Isuzu	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	MG/ Rover	Mitsubishi
Carlow	0	9	6	2	0	0	13	40	3	9	0	1	11	8	1	3
Cavan	1	7	7	6	0	1	3	19	6	16	0	4	10	16	5	7
Clare	0	15	10	15	0	2	1	91	5	23	0	9	27	13	7	10
Donegal	0	11	16	14	0	5	1	43	15	21	1	4	13	11	9	6
Galway	1	28	23	30	0	1	6	127	22	33	1	14	23	35	6	8
Kerry	2	10	2	11	0	1	3	77	16	22	0	10	14	15	1	11
Kildare	2	26	28	40	0	1	8	143	18	38	2	12	30	35	10	14
Kilkenny	1	25	11	23	0	2	1	54	9	22	0	6	13	9	2	18
Laois	0	7	5	6	0	0	4	40	11	16	0	1	19	16	2	2
Leitrim	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	17	2	4	0	1	2	2	0	3
Limerick County	5	23	14	23	0	0	9	124	8	31	0	7	19	23	1	8
Longford	0	4	3	4	0	2	1	7	2	5	0	1	11	3	1	0
Louth	0	8	14	15	0	0	4	77	13	24	0	5	29	17	3	10
Mayo	0	14	11	16	0	0	8	79	10	21	0	1	12	15	2	7
Meath	2	19	25	31	1	1	14	92	16	46	0	9	33	50	6	14
Monaghan	0	6	3	1	1	1	1	20	4	15	0	0	17	5	3	4
Offaly	0	10	3	12	0	1	2	42	9	11	0	1	20	10	3	9
Roscommon	0	8	5	5	0	3	0	51	3	14	0	1	4	12	0	3
Sligo	0	5	19	4	0	1	1	34	8	21	0	0	8	5	4	10
North Tipperary	0	4	6	19	0	1	0	30	9	22	0	4	22	6	1	3
South Tipperary	0	22	18	23	0	0	4	73	9	21	0	4	13	11	1	7
Waterford County	3	6	4	11	0	0	5	25	4	10	0	1	17	3	0	1
Westmeath	0	7	5	10	0	1	4	46	10	18	0	2	8	22	3	13
Wexford	0	17	24	36	0	1	17	73	22	30	0	6	33	18	8	18
Wicklow	1	16	12	10	0	0	13	70	16	25	0	9	23	13	6	6
Cork City & County	14	87	56	59	0	8	64	479	48	109	0	23	89	55	10	23
Dublin City & County	44	168	392	250	0	12	164	796	186	356	4	46	152	361	41	91
Limerick City	2	6	8	3	0	0	5	55	8	9	0	1	9	9	0	4
Waterford City	0	6	38	10	0	1	1	32	5	6	0	4	19	14	2	58
Total	78	575	769	690	2	46	357	2,856	497	998	8	187	700	812	138	371

Table 9 New Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, February 2005
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Authority	Nissan	Opel	Peugeot	Renault	Saab	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	23	12	17	10	3	3	7	2	1	47	21	2	10	264
Cavan	23	20	21	19	3	8	8	0	5	54	26	1	21	317
Clare	39	29	20	31	3	6	20	0	39	111	52	11	11	600
Donegal	24	51	30	28	1	20	35	6	23	84	43	14	23	552
Galway	68	68	69	53	7	4	54	4	12	165	91	28	30	1,011
Kerry	33	16	23	32	3	7	42	0	22	80	36	12	16	517
Kildare	59	51	68	75	6	22	51	1	40	186	84	11	51	1,112
Kilkenny	31	29	23	21	2	16	15	4	16	71	54	3	18	499
Laois	34	27	23	36	1	6	17	0	19	39	18	0	6	355
Leitrim	6	22	6	3	0	2	16	0	3	17	15	1	2	127
Limerick County	49	100	65	34	4	2	29	0	18	100	99	9	10	814
Longford	12	2	13	6	1	0	21	2	8	21	15	0	12	157
Louth	50	23	36	53	3	20	27	1	13	96	32	2	34	609
Mayo	28	35	24	34	2	9	27	2	12	87	49	15	18	538
Meath	51	39	66	68	7	24	58	0	27	163	89	3	34	988
Monaghan	12	39	26	8	1	13	3	0	6	39	19	1	12	260
Offaly	23	59	22	23	2	10	14	2	12	62	29	6	7	404
Roscommon	27	24	47	35	0	6	14	1	4	130	27	0	10	434
Sligo	23	26	15	29	2	2	26	0	9	42	18	5	2	319
North Tipperary	24	32	32	15	6	12	7	1	12	75	40	6	5	394
South Tipperary	26	30	23	29	0	7	10	1	6	57	35	11	18	459
Waterford County	37	16	9	17	3	13	5	2	18	45	18	1	16	290
Westmeath	37	25	17	38	4	8	14	1	11	60	45	2	25	436
Wexford	40	40	41	73	6	19	18	2	23	64	52	5	30	716
Wicklow	52	40	33	32	5	14	29	4	13	83	62	5	44	636
Cork City & County	383	143	108	166	13	52	73	13	75	591	199	34	80	3,054
Dublin City & County	689	559	439	529	66	110	200	25	105	817	489	195	260	7,546
Limerick City	15	16	16	23	0	3	5	1	0	32	26	2	17	275
Waterford City	24	55	85	17	3	7	2	0	4	26	20	8	23	470
Total	1,942	1,628	1,417	1,537	157	425	847	75	556	3,444	1,803	393	845	24,153

Table 10 New Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, February 2005

Authority	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	4	0	0	1	9	0	2	1	0	0	2	4	5
Cavan	5	0	0	1	13	0	2	0	1	0	4	5	3
Clare	15	2	0	1	16	2	4	0	9	0	3	6	0
Donegal	6	1	0	1	12	5	6	1	5	0	3	10	3
Galway	27	6	0	3	36	3	5	0	6	0	12	5	17
Kerry	9	0	0	1	10	2	0	0	0	0	3	4	12
Kildare	15	6	0	4	21	2	18	3	3	0	8	21	13
Kilkenny	7	5	0	1	12	2	5	2	9	0	4	7	6
Laois	0	0	0	2	13	0	2	0	0	0	1	2	10
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	2	4	1	1	1	0	2	4	3
Limerick County	19	0	0	1	26	2	3	1	2	0	12	12	6
Longford	1	2	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
Louth	4	1	0	1	6	0	2	3	0	0	4	6	4
Mayo	14	1	0	3	71	1	3	1	1	0	3	3	11
Meath	12	5	0	5	12	5	10	3	5	1	5	14	14
Monaghan	0	1	0	1	8	1	1	2	0	0	1	1	12
Offaly	5	1	0	0	13	2	0	1	0	0	1	9	7
Roscommon	0	0	0	0	13	0	3	0	0	0	0	4	14
Sligo	2	0	0	0	12	0	1	0	1	0	7	0	2
North Tipperary	6	0	0	1	8	0	4	2	1	0	3	2	3
South Tipperary	12	2	0	6	12	0	3	0	1	0	4	6	3
Waterford County	3	0	0	2	4	0	1	0	2	0	1	5	9
Westmeath	2	2	0	1	7	0	2	1	0	0	4	10	9
Wexford	11	22	0	0	32	5	12	2	3	0	6	12	9
Wicklow	4	0	0	2	13	0	4	1	4	0	3	5	8
Cork City & County	40	14	0	19	74	4	14	7	8	1	8	23	31
Dublin City & County	66	20	0	29	306	15	32	17	14	0	50	51	93
Limerick City	2	0	0	1	11	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
Waterford City	2	2	0	0	7	0	1	1	1	0	1	4	4
Total	293	93	0	87	789	55	142	50	77	2	157	236	314

Table 10 New Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, February 2005
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Authority	Opel	Peugeot	Renault	Scania	Seat	Skoda	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	3	4	10	0	0	0	0	2	9	1	1	58
Cavan	0	2	14	1	2	0	0	5	10	3	5	76
Clare	1	6	6	8	1	0	1	14	33	3	6	137
Donegal	2	5	6	1	2	0	1	12	19	2	5	108
Galway	7	8	10	3	0	0	2	23	39	6	26	244
Kerry	4	5	25	3	0	0	0	10	23	3	7	121
Kildare	9	12	21	3	1	0	1	28	27	7	5	228
Kilkenny	2	3	3	2	0	0	0	10	13	5	4	102
Laois	5	5	8	1	0	0	2	9	7	2	4	73
Leitrim	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	0	34
Limerick County	6	4	7	1	0	0	1	15	36	3	5	162
Longford	1	5	3	0	0	0	0	9	11	0	4	49
Louth	3	7	16	1	1	0	0	15	15	8	8	105
Mayo	1	5	5	4	0	0	0	10	23	2	7	169
Meath	3	3	12	2	1	0	5	35	29	2	8	191
Monaghan	4	6	0	7	0	0	0	3	8	6	0	62
Offaly	2	6	6	2	0	0	0	9	4	0	3	71
Roscommon	0	5	2	10	0	0	0	8	17	0	2	78
Sligo	1	2	13	9	0	0	0	8	9	1	5	73
North Tipperary	3	4	3	1	1	0	1	12	10	3	4	72
South Tipperary	7	5	6	1	0	0	2	9	11	1	4	95
Waterford County	2	1	6	1	0	0	0	6	5	3	3	54
Westmeath	0	3	9	0	0	0	1	10	14	1	7	83
Wexford	10	10	23	2	0	0	0	17	18	2	5	201
Wicklow	3	6	10	1	0	0	0	11	14	1	3	93
Cork City & County	16	24	29	5	2	0	4	76	79	8	22	508
Dublin City & County	65	77	62	11	1	0	2	73	97	8	44	1,133
Limerick City	2	4	4	0	0	0	0	5	3	1	4	41
Waterford City	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	5	0	2	39
Total	168	230	323	80	12	0	23	451	593	82	203	4,460

Table 11 New Motor Cycles by Make in each Licensing Authority, February 2005

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	1	0	1
Cavan	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Clare	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3
Donegal	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	4
Galway	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	0	1	0	6
Kerry	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Kildare	1	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	2	2	14
Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	5
Laois	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Limerick County	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	6
Longford	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Louth	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	4
Mayo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	4
Meath	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	12
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Offaly	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Roscommon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Sligo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	4
North Tipperary	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
South Tipperary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Waterford County	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	5
Westmeath	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Wexford	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	1	1	5	0	1	0	13
Wicklow	0	3	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	1	1	3	0	2	0	14
Cork City & County	0	2	0	0	10	0	2	0	0	4	0	6	0	1	7	32
Dublin City & County	12	10	2	5	26	5	5	1	6	13	11	20	1	16	6	139
Limerick City	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	3
Waterford City	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	4	9
Total	14	19	3	6	62	6	11	2	7	23	16	57	2	38	28	294

**Table 12 New Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity and Make,
February 2005**

Make	Engine Capacity (cc)						Total
	Up to 50	51 to 125	126 to 250	251 to 600	601 to 1000	Over 1000	
Aprilia	13	0	0	1	0	0	14
BMW	0	0	0	0	4	15	19
Ducati	0	0	0	1	2	0	3
Gilera	6	0	0	0	0	0	6
Honda	5	29	4	4	16	4	62
Hyosung	2	3	1	0	0	0	6
Kawasaki	0	0	0	0	7	4	11
Lifan	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
MBK	5	2	0	0	0	0	7
Peugeot	19	2	2	0	0	0	23
Piaggio	12	3	1	0	0	0	16
Suzuki	7	18	2	21	8	1	57
Triumph	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Yamaha	10	9	2	5	11	1	38
Other makes	7	4	0	1	5	11	28
Total	87	71	12	33	55	36	294

**Table 13 Second-hand Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity and Make,
February 2005**

Make	Engine Capacity (cc)						Total
	Up to 50	51 to 125	126 to 250	251 to 600	601 to 1000	Over 1000	
Aprilia	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
BMW	0	0	1	1	4	6	12
Gilera	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Honda	4	6	9	29	38	8	94
Hyosung	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kawasaki	0	0	0	9	9	4	22
MBK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Peugeot	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Piaggio	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Suzuki	0	0	1	14	3	6	24
Triumph	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Yamaha	1	0	2	19	8	8	38
Other makes	0	2	0	3	3	10	18
Total	5	9	13	75	65	43	210

Table 14 New Private Cars by Engine Capacity and Make, February 2005

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	45	33	0	0	78
Audi	0	0	0	0	0	213	326	15	21	575
BMW	0	0	0	0	0	137	340	108	184	769
Citroen	0	0	98	327	0	204	61	0	0	690
Daewoo	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
Daihatsu	0	27	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	46
Fiat	0	0	254	50	0	40	11	0	2	357
Ford	0	0	581	1,342	0	412	516	3	2	2,856
Honda	2	0	51	189	0	62	154	39	0	497
Hyundai	0	0	161	159	0	152	523	0	3	998
Isuzu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	8
Land Rover	0	0	0	0	0	0	91	0	96	187
Mazda	0	0	42	148	0	206	304	0	0	700
Mercedes-Benz	0	0	0	4	39	0	533	104	132	812
MG/Rover	0	0	2	92	1	1	32	0	10	138
Mitsubishi	0	0	221	46	5	60	5	6	28	371
Nissan	0	313	136	1	966	270	99	134	23	1,942
Opel	0	266	150	534	0	464	209	1	4	1,628
Peugeot	0	0	421	391	0	368	235	2	0	1,417
Renault	0	0	241	607	148	435	104	1	1	1,537
Saab	0	0	0	0	0	0	149	8	0	157
Seat	0	4	141	85	19	65	111	0	0	425
Skoda	0	0	133	303	6	75	330	0	0	847
Subaru	0	0	0	0	0	27	29	0	19	75
Suzuki	1	24	18	308	2	85	118	0	0	556
Toyota	0	524	34	1,180	46	1,033	558	14	55	3,444
Volkswagen	0	7	273	696	9	128	632	0	58	1,803
Volvo	0	0	0	0	0	21	300	0	72	393
Other makes	11	37	54	297	1	148	52	10	235	845
Total	14	1,202	3,030	6,760	1,242	4,651	5,856	445	953	24,153

Table 15 New Goods Vehicles by Unladen Weight and Make, February 2005

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	3	0	233	39	17	1	0	0	293
Daf	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	69	93
Daihatsu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fiat	0	2	47	3	30	5	0	0	87
Ford	1	1	72	209	448	58	0	0	789
Hino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	55	55
Isuzu	0	0	0	0	25	115	2	0	142
Iveco	0	0	0	0	6	29	8	7	50
Land Rover	0	0	0	11	30	36	0	0	77
Mazda	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
Mercedes-Benz	1	0	0	3	76	56	6	15	157
Mitsubishi	1	0	2	1	143	82	7	0	236
Nissan	0	0	55	23	209	27	0	0	314
Opel	0	0	88	5	72	3	0	0	168
Peugeot	1	2	169	37	19	2	0	0	230
Renault	0	0	82	0	204	31	2	4	323
Scania	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	70	80
Seat	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	12
Skoda	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Suzuki	0	0	0	1	22	0	0	0	23
Toyota	3	5	29	2	368	44	0	0	451
Volkswagen	3	0	14	352	195	27	2	0	593
Volvo	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	72	82
Other makes	1	0	2	3	139	30	16	12	203
Total	14	10	805	689	2,005	546	87	304	4,460

Table 16 All New Vehicles by Class and Type of Fuel

Taxation class	February 2005				January-February 2005			
	Type of Fuel			Total	Type of Fuel			Total
	Petrol	Diesel	Other		Petrol	Diesel	Other	
Private cars	19,096	5,012	45	24,153	34,798	9,280	77	44,155
Goods vehicles	7	4,453	0	4,460	12	7,382	0	7,394
Tractors	0	329	0	329	2	574	0	576
Motor cycles	294	0	0	294	540	0	0	540
Exempt vehicles	368	168	0	536	590	302	0	892
Public service vehicles	16	122	0	138	33	206	0	239
Small	16	68	0	84	33	125	0	158
Large	0	54	0	54	0	81	0	81
Machines or contrivances	0	127	0	127	0	261	0	261
Other classes	4	49	0	53	6	106	0	112
Total	19,785	10,260	45	30,090	35,981	18,111	77	54,169

Table 17 Second-hand Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, February 2005

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	BMW	Citroen	Daewoo	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Isuzu	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	MG/ Rover	Mitsubishi
Carlow	0	7	3	1	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
Cavan	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	6	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Clare	0	4	2	0	0	0	2	9	4	0	0	0	1	6	2	1
Donegal	0	7	20	9	1	0	3	15	14	7	0	6	3	7	8	5
Galway	0	21	15	0	0	0	0	16	10	0	0	2	5	9	7	7
Kerry	1	6	7	0	0	0	1	7	4	1	0	1	0	5	0	1
Kildare	0	10	12	0	0	0	0	6	4	1	0	0	3	11	3	4
Kilkenny	1	4	4	0	0	0	0	6	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	3
Laois	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	1
Leitrim	0	2	1	1	0	0	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	2	1	1
Limerick County	0	2	6	2	0	0	1	5	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
Longford	0	1	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
Louth	0	3	3	1	0	0	2	6	3	3	0	1	1	8	0	5
Mayo	0	5	7	2	0	0	2	4	6	1	0	1	1	7	3	2
Meath	0	6	8	1	0	0	5	6	6	2	0	0	1	9	5	7
Monaghan	0	5	2	2	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	1	2	1	0	2
Offaly	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
Roscommon	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sligo	0	4	3	3	0	0	0	5	4	1	0	0	0	3	0	3
North Tipperary	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	2
South Tipperary	0	1	5	3	0	0	0	5	1	1	1	0	1	4	2	4
Waterford County	0	3	2	1	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	1	1	2	1	1
Westmeath	0	7	3	1	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	3	0	1	3
Wexford	0	3	6	4	0	1	0	6	4	1	1	0	0	6	0	1
Wicklow	0	4	9	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	2	1	5	0	4
Cork City & County	0	12	29	5	0	2	0	22	7	0	1	2	5	16	2	19
Dublin City & County	2	25	61	4	1	1	9	21	43	9	0	3	10	57	7	24
Limerick City	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Waterford City	0	1	2	3	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	4	152	230	48	5	6	30	165	139	32	3	23	39	175	44	104

Table 17 Second-hand Private Cars by Make in each Licensing Authority, February 2005
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Authority	Nissan	Opel	Peugeot/ Talbot	Renault	Saab	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Vauxhall	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	2	0	1	31
Cavan	3	1	1	0	1	1	1	2	0	5	7	5	2	0	46
Clare	1	0	4	1	2	0	0	1	0	11	4	6	0	1	62
Donegal	16	10	22	19	0	3	3	5	2	52	52	32	3	3	327
Galway	11	0	14	7	3	1	0	1	2	24	8	26	4	5	198
Kerry	4	1	2	1	1	1	0	1	1	14	6	7	1	2	76
Kildare	2	0	2	4	0	1	2	1	0	17	4	12	1	7	107
Kilkenny	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	7	4	9	2	2	51
Laois	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	4	1	1	26
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	2	5	0	1	27
Limerick County	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	19	4	9	3	3	65
Longford	1	0	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	6	2	3	0	0	26
Louth	11	0	4	9	0	1	2	0	1	5	9	10	1	3	92
Mayo	6	2	3	3	0	1	1	1	1	15	6	10	0	0	90
Meath	10	1	6	9	0	0	1	1	2	10	8	15	1	2	122
Monaghan	2	0	1	4	0	1	1	0	0	4	4	6	0	1	44
Offaly	4	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	12	1	5	0	2	46
Roscommon	2	0	4	3	1	3	1	0	0	5	2	1	1	0	33
Sligo	5	0	8	2	0	1	2	0	2	4	7	1	0	1	59
North Tipperary	7	2	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	1	0	34
South Tipperary	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	13	4	6	1	0	60
Waterford County	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	3	1	1	33
Westmeath	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	5	10	0	1	50
Wexford	5	0	6	3	0	0	0	0	1	11	4	8	1	4	76
Wicklow	7	0	3	1	3	1	0	0	0	9	0	5	0	4	63
Cork City & County	17	2	10	4	4	3	0	2	1	82	12	23	1	7	290
Dublin City & County	34	6	13	23	5	3	2	4	7	56	19	44	5	35	533
Limerick City	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	11
Waterford City	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	1	0	0	2	24
Total	170	29	118	103	20	23	17	20	22	410	182	270	30	89	2,702

Table 18 Second-hand Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, February 2005

Authority	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Cavan	5	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0
Clare	3	1	0	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	1
Donegal	12	1	2	1	30	0	1	2	1	0	4	2	1
Galway	5	2	1	0	10	0	3	0	0	0	4	8	0
Kerry	3	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	1	2	5	0
Kildare	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
Kilkenny	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	0
Laois	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0
Leitrim	1	0	0	0	3	0	4	0	0	0	0	1	0
Limerick County	3	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0
Longford	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Louth	4	0	0	1	5	0	1	0	1	0	1	3	0
Mayo	1	0	1	0	2	0	3	1	2	0	0	0	0
Meath	2	3	0	0	3	0	0	1	1	0	2	3	0
Monaghan	6	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	0
Offaly	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Roscommon	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Sligo	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	0
North Tipperary	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
South Tipperary	1	1	1	1	6	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
Waterford County	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0
Westmeath	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	1
Wexford	0	1	0	0	8	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0
Wicklow	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	0
Cork City & County	4	3	0	1	16	1	4	1	2	0	2	2	4
Dublin City & County	2	6	0	0	4	0	2	0	1	0	10	9	4
Limerick City	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Waterford City	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0
Total	64	22	6	4	140	1	26	13	9	2	37	64	12

Table 18 Second-hand Goods Vehicles by Make in each Licensing Authority, February 2005
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Authority	Peugeot	Renault	Scania	Skoda	Suzuki	Toyota	Vauxhall	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	12
Cavan	3	4	0	0	0	1	2	1	7	3	31
Clare	1	5	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	27
Donegal	4	4	1	0	0	6	2	5	2	7	88
Galway	3	1	4	0	0	3	1	1	1	3	50
Kerry	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	32
Kildare	1	1	2	0	0	4	3	1	3	2	22
Kilkenny	2	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	4	19
Laois	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	13
Leitrim	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	15
Limerick County	2	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	5	5	29
Longford	2	2	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	6	17
Louth	3	3	1	1	0	1	1	4	8	3	41
Mayo	5	1	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	2	24
Meath	1	1	2	0	0	5	1	1	7	7	40
Monaghan	2	0	2	0	0	2	0	3	1	2	24
Offaly	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	10
Roscommon	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	11
Sligo	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	14
North Tipperary	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	11
South Tipperary	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	20
Waterford County	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	10
Westmeath	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	4	12
Wexford	5	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	22
Wicklow	3	1	1	0	0	2	1	2	0	1	19
Cork City & County	6	3	3	0	0	8	1	1	8	6	76
Dublin City & County	1	4	5	0	0	5	0	2	4	11	70
Limerick City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Waterford City	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Total	48	43	28	1	0	53	19	36	55	84	767

Table 19 Second-hand Motor Cycles by Make in each Licensing Authority, February 2005

	Aprilia	BMW	Gilera	Honda	Hyosung	Kawasaki	MBK	Peugeot	Piaggio	Suzuki	Triumph	Yamaha	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
Cavan	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Clare	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	10
Donegal	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3
Galway	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	4	1	10
Kerry	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
Kildare	0	0	0	6	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	9
Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3
Laois	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Limerick County	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	7
Longford	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Louth	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Mayo	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Meath	0	1	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	8
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2
Offaly	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	6
Roscommon	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	4
Sligo	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
North Tipperary	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
South Tipperary	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	5
Waterford County	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6
Westmeath	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	1	7
Wexford	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Wicklow	0	1	0	6	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	11
Cork City & County	1	4	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	4	1	5	2	22
Dublin City & County	0	3	0	30	0	7	0	0	0	5	0	18	1	64
Limerick City	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	7
Waterford City	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4
Total	1	12	0	94	0	22	0	0	0	24	1	38	18	210

Table 20 Second-hand Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity in each Licensing Authority, February 2005

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	1	0	1	2
Cavan	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Clare	0	0	1	3	2	4	10
Donegal	0	1	0	1	0	1	3
Galway	0	1	1	1	5	2	10
Kerry	0	0	1	1	3	0	5
Kildare	0	0	2	3	4	0	9
Kilkenny	1	0	0	1	0	1	3
Laois	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Limerick County	0	0	0	3	2	2	7
Longford	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Louth	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
Mayo	0	0	1	1	0	1	3
Meath	0	1	0	2	3	2	8
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Offaly	1	0	1	0	2	2	6
Roscommon	0	0	0	2	1	1	4
Sligo	0	0	1	0	0	2	3
North Tipperary	1	0	0	0	0	2	3
South Tipperary	0	0	0	3	1	1	5
Waterford County	0	0	0	2	2	2	6
Westmeath	0	0	0	4	3	0	7
Wexford	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Wicklow	0	0	0	7	4	0	11
Cork City & County	0	2	1	7	6	6	22
Dublin City & County	2	0	4	30	19	9	64
Limerick City	0	1	0	2	4	0	7
Waterford City	0	1	0	0	1	2	4
Total	5	9	13	75	65	43	210

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.