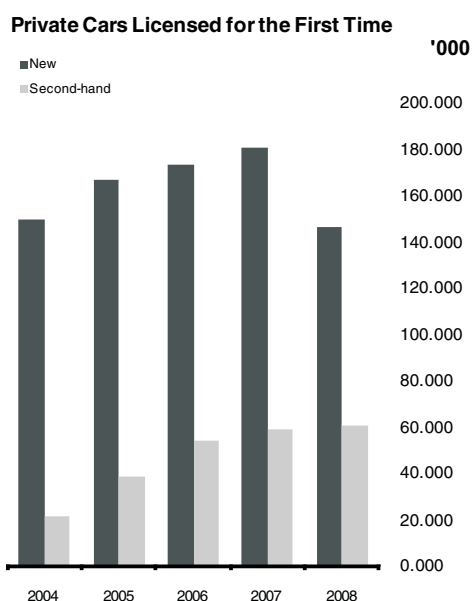




Vehicles Licensed for the First Time 2008



	New Private Cars	All New Vehicles
2008	146,470	194,817
2007	180,754	246,446
2006	173,273	233,727

Decrease of 19.0% in new private cars licensed for the first time

The number of *new private cars* licensed for the first time in 2008 was 146,470, a decrease of 19.0% on the figure for 2007. *See Table 1 and graph.*

There were 60,091 *second-hand¹ private cars* licensed in 2008, compared with 58,719 in 2007 - an increase of 2.3%.

The number of *new goods vehicles* licensed in 2008 was 31,459 compared with 46,043 in 2007 - a decrease of 31.7%.

The vehicle licensing figures also showed that:

- The total number of all vehicles licensed in 2008 was 282,557 compared with 333,996 in 2007 - a decrease of 15.4%.
- The highest number of *new private cars* licensed in 2008 classified by make was Toyota (20,474) followed by Ford (18,403), Volkswagen (15,700), Opel (12,418) and Nissan (11,127). *See Table 9.*

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

¹ The term 'second-hand' refers to imported used vehicles. (See definitions at back of release).

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Table 1 All Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Class, 1998 - 2008

Taxation Class	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
New vehicles											
Private cars	138,538	170,322	225,269	160,908	150,485	142,992	149,635	166,270	173,273	180,754	146,470
Goods vehicles	23,811	30,066	33,606	30,622	28,412	30,532	31,165	38,396	43,619	46,043	31,459
Tractors	2,318	2,762	2,816	2,681	2,868	2,970	2,881	3,168	3,687	4,442	4,154
Motor cycles	3,117	4,955	6,871	6,919	5,596	4,993	3,833	3,240	3,206	3,522	3,194
Exempt vehicles	2,481	2,664	3,321	3,709	4,114	4,022	5,099	4,851	6,169	7,422	6,286
Public service vehicles	1,380	1,795	1,774	1,335	1,149	1,081	1,181	1,400	1,732	1,956	1,614
Small	991	1,109	873	843	713	599	652	902	1,033	1,283	893
Large	389	686	901	492	436	482	529	498	699	673	721
Machines or Contrivances	739	709	1,003	938	819	1,123	1,241	1,359	1,327	1,445	906
Other classes	140	327	330	329	300	396	472	600	714	862	734
Total new vehicles	172,524	213,600	274,990	207,441	193,743	188,109	195,507	219,284	233,727	246,446	194,817
Second-hand vehicles											
Private cars	39,565	36,878	24,003	15,237	13,352	13,472	21,391	38,207	54,244	58,719	60,091
Goods vehicles	5,388	9,285	6,983	5,958	5,285	6,294	7,948	11,590	15,228	14,785	13,133
Tractors	3,040	3,332	2,786	2,447	2,436	3,044	3,021	3,327	3,601	3,492	3,412
Other classes	4,643	5,524	5,530	5,776	6,031	6,697	6,992	8,176	9,340	10,554	11,104
Total second-hand vehicles	52,636	55,019	39,302	29,418	27,104	29,507	39,352	61,300	82,413	87,550	87,740
Total all classes	225,160	268,619	314,292	236,859	220,847	217,616	234,859	280,584	316,140	333,996	282,557

Table 2 All New Vehicles Licensed for the First Time in each Authority, 1998 - 2008

Authority	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Carlow	1,795	2,535	3,136	2,197	2,233	2,166	2,218	2,523	2,919	3,268	2,619
Cavan	1,946	2,334	3,315	2,477	2,308	2,263	2,506	2,989	3,241	3,465	2,676
Clare	4,267	5,107	6,080	4,522	4,032	3,979	4,329	4,783	5,119	5,526	4,470
Donegal	3,807	4,769	6,103	4,688	4,727	4,156	4,435	5,024	5,446	6,014	4,465
Galway	7,750	9,155	11,734	8,351	8,570	8,065	8,624	9,463	10,265	10,839	8,403
Kerry	3,883	4,424	6,129	4,077	4,099	3,829	4,067	4,865	5,412	5,651	4,513
Kildare	6,879	9,058	12,135	9,357	8,654	8,431	9,042	10,004	10,651	11,130	8,697
Kilkenny	3,244	4,003	5,132	3,563	3,433	3,278	3,447	4,053	4,415	4,996	3,910
Laois	2,178	2,568	3,433	2,404	2,385	2,326	2,507	3,028	3,134	3,509	3,034
Leitrim	644	865	1,231	868	890	849	883	994	1,182	1,223	940
Limerick County	5,931	6,506	9,157	6,220	6,019	5,731	6,334	6,888	7,525	8,193	6,190
Longford	1,023	1,288	1,632	1,261	1,271	1,224	1,220	1,494	1,523	1,776	1,381
Louth	3,821	5,040	6,700	5,110	4,725	4,426	4,525	5,150	5,647	6,018	4,725
Mayo	3,477	4,384	5,937	4,216	4,136	4,189	4,494	5,458	5,962	5,780	4,314
Meath	5,602	7,180	9,245	7,423	6,951	7,226	7,752	8,933	9,456	9,996	7,641
Monaghan	1,753	2,217	2,938	2,023	2,107	1,920	2,019	2,381	2,726	2,705	2,071
Offaly	2,283	2,990	4,100	2,798	2,803	2,702	2,933	3,244	3,516	3,751	3,038
Roscommon	1,952	2,429	3,361	2,453	2,585	2,523	2,978	3,670	3,533	4,154	3,277
Sligo	2,240	2,914	3,503	2,444	2,496	2,290	2,350	2,657	2,835	2,918	2,359
North Tipperary	2,577	3,045	3,811	2,592	2,616	2,547	2,637	3,176	3,982	4,295	3,574
South Tipperary	3,024	3,612	5,002	3,201	3,197	3,278	3,314	3,685	3,511	3,753	2,992
Waterford County	1,964	2,470	3,193	2,070	2,158	1,942	2,079	2,510	3,240	3,637	2,746
Westmeath	2,845	3,476	4,435	3,053	3,118	3,077	3,144	3,537	4,028	4,201	3,147
Wexford	5,133	6,418	8,218	6,358	6,033	5,673	6,407	7,516	8,927	8,789	7,121
Wicklow	4,639	5,978	7,879	5,866	5,075	5,057	5,161	5,812	6,398	6,782	5,284
Cork City & County	21,284	27,841	35,801	25,697	24,053	25,131	26,330	28,568	30,114	31,767	25,026
Dublin City & County	61,679	74,385	93,752	76,307	67,779	64,415	64,287	70,492	72,997	76,716	60,159
Limerick City	2,058	2,894	3,532	2,601	2,171	2,074	2,097	2,259	2,022	1,940	2,387
Waterford City	2,846	3,715	4,366	3,244	3,119	3,342	3,388	4,128	4,001	3,654	3,658
Total	172,524	213,600	274,990	207,441	193,743	188,109	195,507	219,284	233,727	246,446	194,817

Table 3 New Private Cars Licensed for the First Time by Engine Capacity (cc), 1998 - 2008

Engine Capacity (cc)	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
New private cars											
Up to 1000 cc	16,190	24,714	34,800	19,750	10,971	9,561	8,613	8,396	9,196	6,410	4,697
1001 to 1300 cc	24,148	31,834	44,684	25,429	25,403	24,638	22,433	20,425	21,508	21,941	16,921
1301 to 1400 cc	40,559	52,261	67,667	40,959	39,905	37,457	38,534	44,545	44,854	48,525	39,512
1401 to 1500 cc	1,998	1,021	3,341	7,389	5,822	5,682	6,581	8,426	7,306	7,591	8,624
1501 to 1600 cc	21,463	22,578	27,029	21,638	21,343	20,338	25,867	32,602	34,183	37,054	28,045
1601 to 2400 cc	31,067	34,427	43,194	41,469	42,451	40,198	41,006	43,342	45,707	48,938	42,292
2401 cc & over	3,113	3,487	4,554	4,274	4,590	5,118	6,601	8,534	10,519	10,295	6,379
Total	138,538	170,322	225,269	160,908	150,485	142,992	149,635	166,270	173,273	180,754	146,470

Table 4 New Goods Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Unladen Weight, 1998 - 2008

Unladen Weight	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
New goods vehicles											
Up to 812 kg	54	71	119	198	479	167	76	339	610	173	175
813 to 1016 kg	998	1,468	802	246	222	193	184	70	29	30	53
1017 to 1269 kg	5,892	7,751	9,815	7,815	6,833	6,446	6,411	5,865	5,200	4,686	2,952
1270 to 1524 kg	3,487	4,231	4,894	4,211	2,427	2,174	2,972	5,212	6,779	6,141	4,534
1525 to 2032 kg	8,783	10,617	11,295	11,663	12,569	14,625	13,967	17,299	19,001	20,390	13,726
2033 to 4064 kg	1,984	2,501	3,017	3,159	3,181	3,982	4,370	5,705	7,678	10,404	6,967
4065 to 8128 kg	590	866	974	967	785	711	793	850	867	899	623
8129 kg & over	2,023	2,561	2,690	2,363	1,916	2,234	2,392	3,056	3,455	3,320	2,429
Total	23,811	30,066	33,606	30,622	28,412	30,532	31,165	38,396	43,619	46,043	31,459

Table 5 Number of New Private Cars Licensed for the First Time by Engine Capacity in each Licensing Authority, 2008

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	1	41	204	469	151	362	551	67	68	1,914
Cavan	0	65	226	463	156	317	516	68	71	1,882
Clare	0	107	343	864	196	655	805	98	108	3,176
Donegal	13	96	392	818	212	471	856	103	131	3,092
Galway	6	258	527	1,590	331	1,152	1,602	213	301	5,980
Kerry	5	96	345	876	215	681	769	74	99	3,160
Kildare	2	181	680	1,764	453	1,308	1,702	240	391	6,721
Kilkenny	5	62	289	787	194	490	673	80	112	2,692
Laois	2	68	214	562	159	485	562	76	64	2,192
Leitrim	2	22	103	162	48	91	201	18	15	662
Limerick County	2	134	585	1,264	220	939	1,069	137	177	4,527
Longford	1	47	83	256	68	189	281	33	30	988
Louth	1	159	406	1,061	185	700	866	102	141	3,621
Mayo	3	103	282	829	155	560	736	91	89	2,848
Meath	2	141	542	1,515	399	1,049	1,553	197	291	5,689
Monaghan	2	30	152	397	86	214	428	44	31	1,384
Offaly	7	75	241	627	195	442	564	63	62	2,276
Roscommon	0	71	334	871	153	499	546	80	58	2,612
Sligo	1	45	189	457	93	308	468	48	48	1,657
North Tipperary	2	99	263	703	193	550	715	87	63	2,675
South Tipperary	1	65	200	555	106	377	501	54	80	1,939
Waterford County	3	64	286	553	154	423	500	51	74	2,108
Westmeath	1	76	301	601	197	413	657	81	92	2,419
Wexford	4	203	607	1,276	487	1,104	1,280	185	191	5,337
Wicklow	1	110	470	1,073	276	718	949	107	268	3,972
Cork City & County	12	631	2,229	5,689	1,238	3,844	4,463	543	659	19,308
Dublin City & County	24	1,327	5,600	11,775	2,081	8,781	13,341	1,244	2,502	46,675
Limerick City	0	86	319	664	56	331	336	19	52	1,863
Waterford City	0	132	509	991	167	592	530	69	111	3,101
Total	103	4,594	16,921	39,512	8,624	28,045	38,020	4,272	6,379	146,470

Table 6 Number of New Goods Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Unladen Weight in each Licensing Authority, 2008

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	4	0	31	69	172	171	6	27	480
Cavan	1	1	50	66	246	115	9	29	517
Clare	10	0	58	116	390	120	12	66	772
Donegal	9	8	109	78	375	173	14	72	838
Galway	4	0	111	238	717	286	20	113	1,489
Kerry	1	1	52	117	378	157	10	53	769
Kildare	6	0	111	164	630	302	24	117	1,354
Kilkenny	1	0	50	126	212	246	17	100	752
Laois	2	1	33	73	167	167	13	60	516
Leitrim	1	0	24	22	86	39	0	11	183
Limerick County	3	0	71	133	390	335	22	114	1,068
Longford	0	0	15	39	114	69	2	30	269
Louth	7	0	74	110	340	133	34	46	744
Mayo	4	0	82	133	367	207	12	42	847
Meath	1	3	95	193	584	374	20	122	1,392
Monaghan	3	1	23	78	195	89	7	95	491
Offaly	3	0	51	52	204	112	20	41	483
Roscommon	1	0	27	53	172	116	0	27	396
Sligo	1	0	31	45	203	95	22	43	440
North Tipperary	1	0	42	60	261	96	11	58	529
South Tipperary	1	1	66	86	209	177	11	72	623
Waterford County	3	0	25	49	171	79	3	20	350
Westmeath	9	0	33	65	249	114	8	32	510
Wexford	1	0	75	125	450	305	24	180	1,160
Wicklow	1	1	52	115	303	327	19	45	863
Cork City & County	17	1	285	490	1,627	620	101	289	3,430
Dublin City & County	80	35	1,186	1,524	4,204	1,733	170	498	9,430
Limerick City	0	0	51	58	146	108	8	13	384
Waterford City	0	0	39	57	164	102	4	14	380
Total	175	53	2,952	4,534	13,726	6,967	623	2,429	31,459

Table 7 Number of New Motor Cycles by Engine Capacity, Exempt and Other New Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Class in each Licensing Authority, 2008

Authority	Motor cycles							Public Service Vehicles						Total
	Engine Capacity (cc)						Exempt Vehicles	Small			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	Large				
Carlow	2	8	2	4	5	1	22	56	10	4	1	20	11	102
Cavan	2	2	3	3	10	1	21	110	3	1	14	5	13	146
Clare	6	19	4	6	11	15	61	223	13	2	12	14	17	281
Donegal	6	9	2	3	5	2	27	260	17	0	35	14	40	366
Galway	15	21	3	11	19	18	87	427	46	3	26	32	42	576
Kerry	9	22	2	4	6	8	51	191	31	11	55	51	21	360
Kildare	16	24	7	22	51	51	171	161	27	9	35	43	34	309
Kilkenny	2	19	1	4	9	23	58	99	11	9	30	27	11	187
Laois	2	5	0	5	7	16	35	79	18	2	10	33	15	157
Leitrim	0	4	0	1	1	1	7	47	2	1	0	0	2	52
Limerick County	9	15	5	2	12	15	58	232	12	4	15	53	54	370
Longford	3	1	2	1	1	2	10	41	4	1	6	3	1	56
Louth	7	15	3	3	7	12	47	193	15	3	7	20	13	251
Mayo	2	6	5	5	9	3	30	277	7	2	24	16	34	360
Meath	8	25	10	8	37	30	118	188	27	4	3	40	31	293
Monaghan	2	3	0	0	4	1	10	95	1	3	7	11	4	121
Offaly	6	9	0	2	6	5	28	85	8	4	7	17	18	139
Roscommon	2	3	0	0	7	1	13	98	8	0	2	11	11	130
Sligo	17	2	3	4	8	3	37	90	7	2	10	7	13	129
North Tipperary	4	8	0	2	6	11	31	90	3	5	10	28	24	160
South Tipperary	3	11	1	3	6	15	39	126	5	1	8	31	22	193
Waterford County	11	13	5	0	12	17	58	70	4	2	7	28	9	120
Westmeath	6	7	2	1	7	3	26	55	9	1	6	18	15	104
Wexford	16	19	6	8	9	23	81	149	15	4	12	61	25	266
Wicklow	21	30	14	12	35	46	158	103	19	5	21	45	22	215
Cork City & County	55	97	11	30	75	78	346	1,016	81	17	69	142	97	1,422
Dublin City & County	291	442	110	100	299	229	1,471	1,556	302	69	280	128	126	2,461
Limerick City	7	9	1	0	6	3	26	88	5	2	9	5	2	111
Waterford City	19	11	5	6	7	19	67	81	7	5	0	3	7	103
Total	549	859	207	250	677	652	3,194	6,286	717	176	721	906	734	9,540

**Table 8 Number of Exempt and Other New Vehicles Licensed
for the First Time by Class and Make, 2008**

Make	Exempt Vehicles	Public Service Vehicles		Machines or contrivances	Other classes
		Small	Large		
Audi	127	6	0	0	0
BMW	109	5	0	0	0
Caterpillar	0	0	0	21	0
Fiat	132	62	1	2	31
Ford	1,100	101	134	21	75
Honda	169	2	0	0	1
Hyundai	232	41	0	6	0
Isuzu	0	0	0	2	0
Iveco	37	0	44	22	1
JCB	2	0	0	300	2
Mazda	109	6	0	1	1
Massey Ferguson	2	0	0	5	1
Mercedes-Benz	228	62	164	38	36
MG/Rover	0	0	0	0	0
Mitsubishi	93	0	0	6	1
Nissan	496	29	1	4	1
Opel	320	27	0	0	0
Peugeot	113	7	0	0	1
Renault	257	13	1	8	3
Suzuki	113	1	0	0	1
Toyota	1,112	138	0	8	3
Volkswagen	579	108	5	2	13
Volvo	85	1	139	29	11
Other makes	871	284	232	431	552
Total	6,286	893	721	906	734

Table 9 New Private Cars Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, 2008

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	BMW	Chevrolet	Citroen	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Kia	Land Rover	Lexus	Mazda	Mercedes- Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	1	81	47	23	39	8	36	246	19	78	43	7	8	155	55	43	136
Cavan	0	94	33	28	47	8	6	191	30	55	47	8	6	42	66	41	137
Clare	3	71	108	11	50	19	15	483	39	118	59	38	18	183	58	51	212
Donegal	1	75	81	16	20	23	8	272	63	119	181	43	30	57	65	63	162
Galway	4	214	200	38	109	11	30	714	124	191	83	60	59	152	159	61	413
Kerry	5	53	78	35	57	16	12	405	54	104	33	38	7	159	71	39	208
Kildare	8	367	276	26	155	22	50	778	139	259	162	103	71	145	169	75	410
Kilkenny	1	118	91	26	63	3	11	248	70	162	111	27	12	57	40	88	211
Laois	9	56	33	5	39	4	23	323	61	100	102	15	10	51	46	15	163
Leitrim	0	18	6	5	15	2	4	53	8	24	10	6	2	6	20	15	20
Limerick County	3	134	183	34	64	19	117	827	82	149	104	47	34	80	120	44	267
Longford	0	37	14	8	8	4	6	87	11	57	13	5	4	34	22	19	63
Louth	2	117	92	36	52	16	44	408	65	112	140	25	11	131	96	17	210
Mayo	0	92	52	21	53	5	25	431	53	82	34	13	15	48	54	47	170
Meath	7	194	212	86	67	10	64	540	101	166	186	70	24	207	204	87	403
Monaghan	0	38	42	5	23	1	3	113	22	45	12	6	2	71	41	23	59
Offaly	0	81	39	5	63	8	17	262	36	65	38	10	11	133	57	64	185
Roscommon	0	73	39	17	18	7	13	249	58	149	55	8	18	23	28	28	314
Sligo	1	57	73	4	46	4	22	140	20	64	27	3	6	51	32	15	87
North Tipperary	1	78	89	4	57	23	9	285	83	101	109	16	7	97	56	40	218
South Tipperary	2	68	80	35	50	7	37	266	40	60	61	12	10	80	46	26	114
Waterford County	5	85	53	38	30	8	27	193	41	54	35	9	15	111	56	36	189
Westmeath	1	70	69	36	56	15	19	236	30	107	56	15	10	92	76	34	157
Wexford	2	71	154	35	130	8	54	666	116	172	258	51	27	237	73	75	585
Wicklow	4	132	115	71	34	15	73	363	85	149	100	93	30	130	105	55	423
Cork City & County	38	538	740	66	240	48	215	3,040	345	509	522	122	177	576	396	169	1,660
Dublin City & County	219	1,835	2,524	241	705	110	847	6,262	1,098	1,872	813	454	399	1,028	1,821	531	3,727
Limerick City	4	34	25	200	11	2	3	186	27	37	224	3	3	72	46	9	85
Waterford City	2	47	129	36	32	2	10	136	136	27	10	79	4	56	43	90	139
Total	323	4,928	5,677	1,191	2,333	428	1,800	18,403	3,056	5,187	3,628	1,386	1,030	4,264	4,121	1,900	11,127

Table 9 New Private Cars Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, 2008
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Authority	Opel	Peugeot	Renault	Saab	Ssangyong	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	110	78	69	4	3	29	61	8	34	192	208	74	19	1,914
Cavan	191	26	79	4	5	44	104	4	28	353	193	6	6	1,882
Clare	200	88	101	18	2	45	54	3	105	565	386	43	30	3,176
Donegal	321	112	112	10	1	92	137	21	124	452	330	74	27	3,092
Galway	441	187	151	28	10	67	206	6	102	1,169	752	141	98	5,980
Kerry	198	109	133	4	5	68	200	14	107	566	322	49	11	3,160
Kildare	384	233	360	37	3	135	215	7	171	957	766	143	95	6,721
Kilkenny	185	126	95	10	4	66	92	4	54	334	309	42	32	2,692
Laois	187	69	83	4	1	61	113	4	81	320	183	18	13	2,192
Leitrim	116	11	18	3	0	14	53	0	14	93	119	3	4	662
Limerick County	338	179	130	12	5	25	117	7	53	687	535	69	62	4,527
Longford	44	36	15	1	2	6	55	5	17	247	152	11	5	988
Louth	281	187	117	6	6	75	125	2	63	619	481	52	33	3,621
Mayo	168	153	79	8	1	46	91	8	55	601	352	65	26	2,848
Meath	443	186	280	35	16	74	236	7	121	872	634	73	84	5,689
Monaghan	203	53	24	11	2	60	96	1	34	229	138	10	17	1,384
Offaly	179	125	79	2	1	61	36	1	52	356	279	13	18	2,276
Roscommon	309	38	90	7	1	31	93	3	43	482	383	26	9	2,612
Sligo	141	65	47	4	3	59	89	26	38	272	227	19	15	1,657
North Tipperary	179	107	106	16	1	49	72	9	40	474	280	37	32	2,675
South Tipperary	147	68	74	3	4	8	36	7	26	283	211	53	25	1,939
Waterford County	193	83	99	17	7	35	50	5	78	293	203	34	26	2,108
Westmeath	163	63	162	19	4	61	40	1	42	382	333	39	31	2,419
Wexford	306	198	392	61	10	242	118	21	110	683	348	31	103	5,337
Wicklow	242	178	98	18	10	109	119	23	88	500	455	67	88	3,972
Cork City & County	1,573	424	742	95	22	339	573	21	460	3,278	1,767	402	211	19,308
Dublin City & County	4,258	1,795	1,574	441	31	684	938	119	543	4,992	4,884	1,063	867	46,675
Limerick City	316	33	41	10	1	16	10	1	32	159	229	18	26	1,863
Waterford City	602	429	532	8	2	23	37	4	32	64	241	105	44	3,101
Total	12,418	5,439	5,882	896	163	2,624	4,166	342	2,747	20,474	15,700	2,780	2,057	146,470

Table 10 New Goods Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, 2008

Authority	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	23	3	0	12	53	2	7	6	7	1	24	31	43
Cavan	27	3	0	5	57	1	2	1	2	0	36	29	32
Clare	34	1	0	8	118	9	3	7	20	3	35	57	50
Donegal	25	23	0	6	142	3	10	3	24	0	24	42	59
Galway	50	22	1	17	249	6	15	13	38	2	94	62	102
Kerry	28	3	0	11	143	10	6	4	16	1	28	28	40
Kildare	44	12	0	25	165	11	21	22	31	1	71	49	113
Kilkenny	42	14	0	8	98	18	20	9	21	0	44	43	51
Laois	12	3	0	11	97	8	4	5	14	0	26	18	41
Leitrim	9	0	0	4	21	1	1	0	1	1	4	9	13
Limerick County	33	13	0	7	207	5	12	19	25	5	97	77	60
Longford	6	3	0	3	31	0	2	6	7	0	4	25	15
Louth	19	6	0	23	92	4	15	10	11	1	74	25	62
Mayo	28	4	0	25	161	6	14	4	13	0	20	30	80
Meath	39	16	0	33	168	6	19	23	42	4	91	56	98
Monaghan	9	1	0	4	66	1	3	4	11	1	34	25	26
Offaly	29	10	0	15	63	6	5	14	7	4	26	23	50
Roscommon	12	5	0	7	52	4	5	2	8	1	9	13	35
Sligo	18	1	0	6	52	1	7	0	9	0	47	22	20
North Tipperary	21	12	0	9	60	4	5	8	5	2	17	22	49
South Tipperary	53	6	0	20	79	10	5	5	11	2	27	21	46
Waterford County	7	1	0	13	37	0	7	1	8	0	12	15	58
Westmeath	22	3	0	11	59	1	6	3	13	0	28	26	51
Wexford	36	67	0	31	142	11	16	46	40	3	83	53	65
Wicklow	4	6	0	29	134	6	25	18	43	10	43	62	105
Cork City & County	85	103	0	137	600	21	68	31	41	5	124	110	238
Dublin City & County	495	181	0	328	2,350	58	118	135	171	8	683	291	692
Limerick City	13	3	0	3	131	0	6	1	7	5	35	5	19
Waterford City	23	1	0	5	56	0	11	6	34	1	10	29	32
Total	1,246	526	1	816	5,683	213	438	406	680	61	1,850	1,298	2,345

Table 10 New Goods Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, 2008
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Authority	Opel	Peugeot	Renault	Scania	Seat	Skoda	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	14	13	33	4	0	0	1	81	80	3	39	480
Cavan	20	14	35	14	3	0	0	123	80	5	28	517
Clare	22	27	33	17	2	0	2	109	146	17	52	772
Donegal	34	44	47	23	1	0	5	137	123	12	51	838
Galway	51	62	65	40	2	0	4	211	256	28	99	1,489
Kerry	23	24	74	13	3	0	6	114	126	14	54	769
Kildare	89	24	79	39	3	0	5	266	140	40	104	1,354
Kilkenny	24	16	34	21	2	0	2	85	117	19	64	752
Laois	27	12	29	13	1	0	3	53	69	21	49	516
Leitrim	16	6	4	8	0	0	1	38	31	1	14	183
Limerick County	42	34	29	12	2	0	3	132	136	30	88	1,068
Longford	6	10	7	15	0	0	2	46	51	5	25	269
Louth	29	46	36	13	0	0	0	126	101	21	30	744
Mayo	20	42	35	16	2	0	1	141	145	12	48	847
Meath	56	27	76	63	1	0	4	250	196	25	99	1,392
Monaghan	12	19	11	54	1	0	0	87	73	37	12	491
Offaly	10	20	17	8	2	0	0	73	49	9	43	483
Roscommon	17	7	17	9	0	0	0	85	81	4	23	396
Sligo	21	10	21	38	2	0	1	70	60	2	32	440
North Tipperary	18	15	11	24	2	0	2	102	83	12	46	529
South Tipperary	32	13	26	12	1	0	0	96	83	25	50	623
Waterford County	12	6	18	2	1	0	0	68	46	10	28	350
Westmeath	23	6	27	16	3	0	3	89	76	5	39	510
Wexford	68	33	92	19	3	0	5	149	109	9	80	1,160
Wicklow	31	28	16	14	4	0	1	131	84	10	59	863
Cork City & County	152	109	137	77	8	0	14	585	450	85	250	3,430
Dublin City & County	634	226	718	80	7	0	5	709	828	67	646	9,430
Limerick City	61	3	8	5	1	0	0	26	30	0	22	384
Waterford City	22	9	32	1	2	0	1	26	54	8	17	380
Total	1,586	905	1,767	670	59	0	71	4,208	3,903	536	2,191	31,459

Table 11 New Motor Cycles Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, 2008

Authority	Aprilia	BMW	Ducati	Gilera	Harley Davidson	Honda	Hyosung	Kawasaki	Kee-way	Lifan	MBK	Peugeot	Piaggio	Suzuki	Triumph	Yamaha	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	1	0	0	0	8	0	0	5	0	0	1	1	2	0	4	0	22
Cavan	3	0	0	0	0	5	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	3	2	21
Clare	0	4	2	0	7	18	0	3	1	1	0	1	1	12	0	4	7	61
Donegal	0	2	0	0	0	2	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	7	9	27
Galway	2	3	0	1	7	14	1	5	3	0	0	1	2	28	0	11	9	87
Kerry	0	3	1	0	2	16	0	2	4	0	0	0	1	12	0	8	2	51
Kildare	4	15	2	2	22	34	2	13	5	0	0	1	4	37	3	15	12	171
Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	10	15	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	15	3	7	3	58
Laois	1	5	1	0	5	3	1	2	2	0	0	0	2	7	0	5	1	35
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	7
Limerick County	1	4	0	1	8	14	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	11	1	8	6	58
Longford	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	10
Louth	0	3	2	0	5	4	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	11	1	5	11	47
Mayo	0	2	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	1	10	30
Meath	7	11	2	0	12	23	4	7	3	0	1	2	1	12	2	15	16	118
Monaghan	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	10
Offaly	0	1	0	1	3	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	3	8	28
Roscommon	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	2	13
Sligo	1	1	0	1	1	3	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	6	0	4	16	37
North Tipperary	0	1	1	0	4	9	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	6	0	4	2	31
South Tipperary	0	2	0	2	7	7	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	8	2	6	3	39
Waterford County	0	4	0	0	14	8	0	6	6	0	0	3	1	8	0	3	5	58
Westmeath	1	1	0	0	2	9	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	5	0	3	2	26
Wexford	1	6	0	1	13	13	0	1	16	0	0	2	0	19	1	5	3	81
Wicklow	1	26	5	1	11	14	4	8	6	0	0	4	3	31	1	17	26	158
Cork City & County	2	55	2	0	11	106	8	10	27	1	2	5	6	49	1	16	45	346
Dublin City & County	34	110	21	22	81	231	46	56	46	0	3	17	106	263	16	298	121	1,471
Limerick City	1	0	0	0	3	5	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	5	0	8	2	26
Waterford City	0	1	0	0	16	10	0	2	9	0	0	0	0	16	1	8	4	67
Total	60	264	39	32	247	596	72	129	141	3	9	45	131	589	32	472	333	3,194

Table 12 Number of New Motor Cycles Licensed for the First Time by Engine Capacity and Make, 2008

Make	Engine Capacity (cc)						Total
	Up to 50	51 to 125	126 to 250	251 to 600	601 to 1000	Over 1000	
Aprilia	18	17	2	4	19	0	60
BMW	0	0	0	2	75	187	264
Ducati	0	0	0	0	20	19	39
Gilera	20	1	0	8	3	0	32
Harley Davidson	0	0	0	0	35	212	247
Honda	14	274	33	62	171	42	596
Hyosung	10	28	19	0	15	0	72
Kawasaki	0	0	25	15	58	31	129
Keeway	96	36	9	0	0	0	141
Lifan	0	1	2	0	0	0	3
MBK	9	0	0	0	0	0	9
Peugeot	40	5	0	0	0	0	45
Piaggio	60	36	27	8	0	0	131
Suzuki	32	192	36	83	164	82	589
Triumph	0	0	0	0	17	15	32
Yamaha	119	193	28	51	50	31	472
Other makes	131	76	26	17	50	33	333
Total	549	859	207	250	677	652	3,194

Table 13 Number of Second-hand Motor Cycles Licensed for the First Time by Engine Capacity and Make, 2008

Make	Engine Capacity (cc)						Total
	Up to 50	51 to 125	126 to 250	251 to 600	601 to 1000	Over 1000	
Aprilia	2	15	1	0	41	0	59
BMW	0	2	2	4	106	210	324
Harley Davidson	0	0	0	1	37	223	261
Gilera	1	0	2	0	0	0	3
Honda	38	83	110	442	646	248	1,567
Kawasaki	0	3	20	105	162	101	391
Peugeot	3	3	0	0	0	0	6
Piaggio	8	8	12	1	0	0	29
Suzuki	9	21	31	223	249	114	647
Triumph	0	0	0	3	49	11	63
Yamaha	5	23	30	262	213	145	678
Other makes	15	65	28	32	115	34	289
Total	81	223	236	1,073	1,618	1,086	4,317

**Table 14 Number of New Private Cars Licensed for the First Time
by Engine Capacity and Make, 2008**

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	63	227	30	3	323
Audi	0	0	0	166	0	670	3,474	2	616	4,928
BMW	0	0	0	0	0	667	3,879	0	1,131	5,677
Chevrolet	5	53	536	352	0	51	189	0	5	1,191
Citroen	0	65	274	311	0	1,235	372	66	10	2,333
Daihatsu	0	90	38	0	300	0	0	0	0	428
Fiat	0	0	1,048	640	0	71	39	1	1	1,800
Ford	0	0	2,300	4,429	0	5,757	5,738	72	107	18,403
Honda	43	0	168	1,400	0	1	1,073	368	3	3,056
Hyundai	0	0	558	1,405	152	858	758	1,385	71	5,187
Kia	0	256	48	1,250	116	1,206	491	0	261	3,628
Land Rover	1	0	0	0	0	0	10	338	1,037	1,386
Lexus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	389	641	1,030
Mazda	0	0	0	1,257	20	997	1,898	85	7	4,264
Mercedes-Benz	0	0	0	0	289	0	2,326	697	809	4,121
Mitsubishi	1	0	318	107	982	3	410	0	79	1,900
Nissan	0	0	1,836	1,122	2,877	4,405	696	6	185	11,127
Opel	0	333	4,203	3,984	0	2,473	1,417	1	7	12,418
Peugeot	0	115	3	3,322	0	1,630	289	76	4	5,439
Renault	0	0	1,576	969	2,342	698	294	0	3	5,882
Saab	0	0	0	0	0	0	888	4	4	896
Ssangyong	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	0	90	163
Seat	0	0	1,039	828	202	63	492	0	0	2,624
Skoda	0	0	754	1,108	186	138	1,980	0	0	4,166
Subaru	1	51	0	0	62	0	183	0	45	342
Suzuki	7	0	82	799	541	863	455	0	0	2,747
Toyota	0	3,625	304	9,337	446	4,025	2,037	356	344	20,474
Volkswagen	0	1	1,819	6,259	106	1,089	6,201	0	225	15,700
Volvo	0	0	0	0	0	430	1,907	343	100	2,780
Other makes	45	5	17	467	3	652	224	53	591	2,057
Total	103	4,594	16,921	39,512	8,624	28,045	38,020	4,272	6,379	146,470

**Table 15 Number of New Goods Vehicles Licensed for the First Time
by Unladen Weight and Make, 2008**

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	9	14	707	160	335	21	0	0	1,246
Daf	3	0	0	0	0	13	97	413	526
Daihatsu	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Fiat	1	2	371	43	322	77	0	0	816
Ford	29	6	82	1,680	3,028	858	0	0	5,683
Hino	0	0	0	0	0	14	13	186	213
Isuzu	0	0	0	3	111	275	48	1	438
Iveco	2	0	0	0	22	199	54	129	406
Land Rover	8	0	0	7	250	414	1	0	680
Mazda	0	0	0	1	57	3	0	0	61
Mercedes-Benz	4	0	1	2	502	1,030	103	208	1,850
Mitsubishi	0	1	4	13	473	767	40	0	1,298
Nissan	2	2	127	35	1,072	1,107	0	0	2,345
Opel	0	5	464	173	857	87	0	0	1,586
Peugeot	4	3	480	130	267	21	0	0	905
Renault	6	1	447	50	912	157	47	147	1,767
Scania	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	642	670
Seat	0	0	3	55	0	0	0	1	59
Skoda	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Suzuki	1	0	0	1	69	0	0	0	71
Toyota	50	1	186	46	3,284	641	0	0	4,208
Volkswagen	12	17	71	2,007	1,036	751	9	0	3,903
Volvo	0	0	0	0	1	1	36	498	536
Other makes	44	1	8	128	1,128	531	147	204	2,191
Total	175	53	2,952	4,534	13,726	6,967	623	2,429	31,459

Table 16 All New Vehicles by Class and Type of Fuel, 2008

Taxation class	Type of Fuel					Total
	Petrol	Diesel	Petrol & Electric	Petrol & Ethanol	Other	
Private cars	92,298	50,283	1,182	2,701	6	146,470
Goods vehicles	28	31,431	0	0	0	31,459
Tractors	38	4,116	0	0	0	4,154
Motor cycles	3,164	1	0	0	29	3,194
Exempt vehicles	3,139	3,082	27	38	0	6,286
Public service vehicles	82	1,524	6	1	1	1,614
Small	82	804	6	1	0	893
Large	0	720	0	0	1	721
Machines or contrivances	2	902	0	0	2	906
Other classes	27	707	0	0	0	734
Total	98,778	92,046	1,215	2,740	38	194,817

Table 17 Second-hand Private Cars Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, 2008

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	BMW	Citroen	Daewoo	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Kia	Land Rover	Lexus	Mazda	Mercedes- Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	2	94	90	17	0	0	5	39	43	6	3	7	5	10	42	14	35
Cavan	5	119	94	16	2	1	1	100	84	11	4	14	9	15	36	19	44
Clare	7	167	148	27	3	2	9	148	162	14	6	14	13	36	63	22	79
Donegal	5	324	259	95	5	8	29	480	359	33	6	30	35	47	90	55	120
Galway	5	399	402	50	4	0	16	341	286	40	5	39	51	51	150	74	118
Kerry	2	148	122	31	4	6	15	128	97	20	5	14	14	31	65	27	91
Kildare	4	221	261	34	0	5	15	140	191	22	10	27	15	36	136	60	123
Kilkenny	3	92	117	9	3	2	3	67	62	10	1	5	6	9	51	31	39
Laois	0	90	95	12	0	0	0	71	85	13	1	10	10	14	33	16	43
Leitrim	2	63	44	17	0	1	6	54	38	18	0	10	1	10	16	8	16
Limerick County	7	137	165	12	4	0	11	152	124	13	1	17	16	24	68	32	69
Longford	0	67	36	8	0	0	1	45	51	3	1	5	6	3	18	12	17
Louth	6	165	206	31	2	3	13	148	94	27	3	14	9	32	108	33	78
Mayo	3	231	163	46	4	2	14	247	175	20	10	21	23	22	93	33	101
Meath	5	219	235	39	2	6	11	161	159	22	8	22	19	43	138	57	104
Monaghan	2	116	100	36	2	1	8	108	43	12	2	6	8	14	41	21	32
Offaly	6	82	75	14	1	1	6	64	52	9	2	5	10	12	33	12	32
Roscommon	1	69	75	26	2	0	6	87	61	8	7	8	7	12	30	17	37
Sligo	3	79	68	17	0	0	1	87	99	8	3	9	15	13	30	10	41
North Tipperary	2	99	105	22	0	2	2	80	62	9	4	10	6	15	51	21	40
South Tipperary	2	106	72	18	1	1	7	85	64	7	5	12	7	12	52	17	41
Waterford County	2	76	68	13	2	1	7	64	31	5	1	8	10	12	35	22	26
Westmeath	2	148	92	14	1	2	8	80	90	9	3	15	10	21	39	14	51
Wexford	2	141	135	32	2	2	9	98	124	14	5	27	11	30	78	34	52
Wicklow	3	117	126	17	2	5	13	102	110	21	2	26	12	39	96	60	81
Cork City & County	20	511	647	80	5	1	25	493	321	49	10	50	61	73	263	91	202
Dublin City & County	53	995	1,633	134	11	21	71	750	1,117	149	23	105	137	318	817	375	796
Limerick City	0	24	27	5	0	0	1	28	21	7	1	1	4	9	14	8	16
Waterford City	1	36	40	3	1	0	1	31	17	3	2	2	4	6	14	15	12
Total	155	5,135	5,700	875	63	73	314	4,478	4,222	582	134	533	534	969	2,700	1,210	2,536

Table 17 Second-hand Private Cars Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, 2008
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Authority	Opel	Peugeot	Renault	Saab	Ssangyong	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Vauxhall	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	1	38	15	9	0	5	8	3	4	74	28	146	12	26	781
Cavan	5	69	42	11	0	16	18	15	3	161	63	186	21	46	1,230
Clare	5	47	49	15	1	8	14	9	24	436	62	219	25	62	1,896
Donegal	23	205	193	25	2	65	70	38	39	875	463	672	48	95	4,793
Galway	5	149	89	48	4	25	60	17	22	574	166	538	73	138	3,939
Kerry	3	70	35	14	1	10	13	20	17	203	96	231	22	56	1,611
Kildare	7	91	87	26	0	12	20	26	21	293	62	394	46	124	2,509
Kilkenny	1	33	19	15	0	9	9	14	3	133	32	160	21	35	994
Laois	4	32	18	7	0	5	6	19	11	84	28	110	12	44	873
Leitrim	1	39	14	12	0	9	23	6	4	71	59	126	6	22	696
Limerick County	6	54	48	24	0	9	16	14	16	308	67	237	29	66	1,746
Longford	2	31	14	6	0	12	12	3	7	82	32	167	3	31	675
Louth	9	91	95	16	1	22	13	13	12	336	95	377	22	88	2,162
Mayo	5	97	51	25	1	20	38	17	20	367	160	317	20	82	2,428
Meath	3	129	89	26	0	17	27	25	18	361	85	421	37	111	2,599
Monaghan	10	89	38	7	0	50	10	12	8	131	80	295	13	56	1,351
Offaly	2	44	21	9	0	4	13	7	6	107	29	154	10	32	854
Roscommon	1	41	28	5	1	8	14	12	5	101	59	121	15	49	913
Sligo	3	54	17	6	0	6	16	15	10	146	84	148	16	32	1,036
North Tipperary	2	56	21	11	1	7	14	6	4	118	16	179	16	47	1,028
South Tipperary	1	34	17	10	0	6	8	6	5	163	35	170	9	44	1,017
Waterford County	1	30	25	23	0	8	10	6	9	162	32	122	25	39	875
Westmeath	1	44	34	14	0	11	25	10	8	127	46	263	15	42	1,239
Wexford	4	80	46	23	1	14	13	19	16	131	77	222	18	66	1,526
Wicklow	5	56	64	17	0	9	12	23	18	152	37	200	30	89	1,544
Cork City & County	15	187	135	87	3	33	41	45	46	1,173	182	603	99	224	5,775
Dublin City & County	33	341	345	184	3	60	88	183	98	1,756	351	1,370	223	850	13,390
Limerick City	1	8	9	6	0	0	1	2	1	36	7	36	8	19	300
Waterford City	0	9	9	0	0	1	1	4	0	40	9	28	6	16	311
Total	159	2,248	1,667	681	19	461	613	589	455	8,701	2,542	8,212	900	2,631	60,091

Table 18 Second-hand Goods Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, 2008

Authority	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	31	7	1	1	29	0	6	6	5	0	18	13	8
Cavan	48	6	1	1	76	0	7	7	14	0	13	20	12
Clare	66	6	1	5	81	0	4	12	7	0	25	35	20
Donegal	160	22	4	13	371	0	19	33	32	1	43	69	45
Galway	81	37	3	5	183	4	17	22	17	2	40	54	38
Kerry	47	5	2	2	92	0	19	8	9	0	14	27	18
Kildare	40	10	0	3	93	1	7	15	13	1	30	33	27
Kilkenny	18	7	3	3	44	0	9	5	6	0	9	18	8
Laois	16	7	0	0	45	0	7	8	9	1	9	13	9
Leitrim	27	3	2	3	36	0	8	6	4	1	5	12	7
Limerick County	32	14	1	0	93	1	8	14	9	2	29	34	20
Longford	18	5	0	2	47	0	3	5	0	0	13	10	7
Louth	67	16	1	3	103	0	7	19	10	3	33	25	16
Mayo	86	14	5	4	154	1	15	15	18	2	37	49	24
Meath	56	16	1	6	83	0	9	17	15	0	38	35	33
Monaghan	94	8	2	2	114	0	7	12	9	0	28	25	18
Offaly	21	8	2	1	56	0	2	4	5	1	8	20	12
Roscommon	29	4	0	0	56	0	6	9	5	2	18	24	15
Sligo	41	4	1	1	55	0	6	7	4	0	3	14	7
North Tipperary	19	17	1	0	35	0	7	14	4	0	12	14	14
South Tipperary	37	13	1	1	49	0	2	12	5	1	19	23	6
Waterford County	14	4	3	0	39	0	2	2	5	0	3	12	10
Westmeath	22	11	1	1	58	0	5	13	4	0	22	23	10
Wexford	31	7	1	6	61	0	5	15	9	1	37	13	15
Wicklow	14	10	2	0	53	0	6	14	12	0	24	28	10
Cork City & County	71	38	2	6	234	0	27	25	20	3	58	61	54
Dublin City & County	74	73	0	9	338	1	22	66	27	4	137	72	44
Limerick City	6	0	0	0	30	0	1	3	2	0	10	12	3
Waterford City	7	3	1	0	18	0	2	1	2	0	5	8	2
Total	1,273	375	42	78	2,726	8	245	389	281	25	740	796	512

Table 18 Second-hand Goods Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, 2008
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Authority	Peugeot	Renault	Scania	Skoda	Suzuki	Toyota	Vauxhall	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	18	8	17	0	1	16	7	13	6	29	240
Cavan	27	14	15	0	0	24	18	35	18	19	375
Clare	21	15	0	1	0	70	15	23	7	25	439
Donegal	121	59	29	0	3	106	68	98	38	71	1,405
Galway	52	20	17	0	0	118	47	59	23	68	907
Kerry	17	15	10	0	1	51	17	20	5	23	402
Kildare	26	13	28	0	0	28	23	51	19	42	503
Kilkenny	15	8	17	0	2	31	5	13	6	21	248
Laois	19	9	9	0	0	10	12	14	9	19	225
Leitrim	13	5	9	0	0	29	17	18	3	10	218
Limerick County	19	10	16	1	2	33	18	26	13	31	426
Longford	20	5	11	0	0	16	14	19	5	14	214
Louth	33	34	34	0	1	28	29	51	38	29	580
Mayo	34	11	16	0	1	62	41	41	8	32	670
Meath	37	26	30	0	0	52	15	37	39	40	585
Monaghan	52	23	54	1	0	25	38	67	28	30	637
Offaly	20	10	4	0	0	18	11	11	3	18	235
Roscommon	19	6	16	0	0	20	19	11	2	16	277
Sligo	14	13	6	0	0	27	18	24	0	24	269
North Tipperary	14	4	10	0	0	29	11	5	15	19	244
South Tipperary	11	6	7	1	1	36	11	15	2	29	288
Waterford County	14	3	2	0	0	17	3	10	4	8	155
Westmeath	11	10	6	0	0	27	11	16	15	24	290
Wexford	17	7	10	0	1	26	15	33	6	30	346
Wicklow	21	8	17	0	1	24	12	22	12	24	314
Cork City & County	55	40	31	0	2	146	41	62	35	76	1,087
Dublin City & County	40	52	44	1	2	74	45	80	40	127	1,372
Limerick City	2	3	2	0	0	9	3	9	2	10	107
Waterford City	4	5	0	0	0	4	4	3	2	4	75
Total	766	442	467	5	18	1,156	588	886	403	912	13,133

Table 19 Second-hand Motor Cycles Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, 2008

	Aprilia	BMW	Harley Davidson	Gilera	Honda	Kawasaki	Peugeot	Piaggio	Suzuki	Triumph	Yamaha	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	2	4	0	33	7	0	0	13	0	11	7	77
Cavan	2	6	5	0	31	13	0	0	14	0	9	3	83
Clare	0	7	8	0	43	18	0	1	9	5	12	5	108
Donegal	3	10	8	0	43	16	0	0	26	3	23	3	135
Galway	1	19	9	0	51	15	0	1	25	4	27	12	164
Kerry	1	7	8	0	50	16	1	0	21	1	27	5	137
Kildare	5	15	12	0	77	12	0	1	34	3	27	14	200
Kilkenny	1	4	10	0	39	9	0	0	11	2	15	7	98
Laois	1	7	2	0	23	10	0	0	15	1	11	5	75
Leitrim	0	1	2	0	8	1	0	0	7	0	5	2	26
Limerick County	1	6	8	0	53	17	1	1	29	4	24	5	149
Longford	0	2	2	0	9	0	0	0	6	0	3	1	23
Louth	2	13	7	0	47	9	0	0	13	2	14	8	115
Mayo	1	5	4	0	31	18	0	0	16	0	9	2	86
Meath	9	11	7	0	80	28	1	1	26	1	28	10	202
Monaghan	0	6	3	0	20	4	0	0	7	0	5	1	46
Offaly	2	3	12	0	36	6	0	0	20	1	15	4	99
Roscommon	0	4	0	0	18	4	0	0	5	1	6	2	40
Sligo	1	2	4	0	20	5	0	1	10	0	11	1	55
North Tipperary	0	3	4	0	28	8	0	0	6	1	12	2	64
South Tipperary	0	11	12	0	31	7	1	1	18	2	24	7	114
Waterford County	1	6	5	0	30	9	1	0	16	2	13	11	94
Westmeath	0	6	3	0	38	9	0	0	17	3	17	3	96
Wexford	2	9	17	0	63	14	0	1	24	1	33	11	175
Wicklow	2	10	2	0	53	18	0	0	19	1	34	11	150
Cork City & County	7	41	37	0	133	40	1	5	78	10	86	32	470
Dublin City & County	16	103	58	3	455	72	0	16	151	15	166	98	1,153
Limerick City	0	3	3	0	15	1	0	0	2	0	4	5	33
Waterford City	1	2	5	0	9	5	0	0	9	0	7	12	50
Total	59	324	261	3	1,567	391	6	29	647	63	678	289	4,317

**Table 20 Number of Second-hand Motor Cycles Licensed for the First Time
by Engine Capacity in each Licensing Authority, 2008**

Authority	Engine Capacity (cc)						Total
	Up to 50	51 to 125	126 to 250	251 to 600	601 to 1000	Over 1000	
Carlow	1	4	5	18	33	16	77
Cavan	2	5	3	24	31	18	83
Clare	1	4	1	25	52	25	108
Donegal	2	14	3	48	40	28	135
Galway	3	9	9	34	72	37	164
Kerry	8	8	7	33	46	35	137
Kildare	3	7	4	41	84	61	200
Kilkenny	1	2	6	29	37	23	98
Laois	1	3	4	15	29	23	75
Leitrim	0	3	1	7	9	6	26
Limerick County	2	2	1	42	63	39	149
Longford	0	1	1	8	8	5	23
Louth	2	10	9	19	39	36	115
Mayo	2	4	5	22	36	17	86
Meath	3	0	10	57	78	54	202
Monaghan	4	0	1	9	14	18	46
Offaly	1	1	6	25	38	28	99
Roscommon	2	2	5	10	12	9	40
Sligo	2	2	3	15	21	12	55
North Tipperary	2	1	1	19	26	15	64
South Tipperary	3	6	7	25	35	38	114
Waterford County	2	6	6	21	34	25	94
Westmeath	2	2	4	21	44	23	96
Wexford	0	6	8	32	59	70	175
Wicklow	0	3	10	41	57	39	150
Cork City & County	7	24	27	125	147	140	470
Dublin City & County	24	83	87	296	436	227	1,153
Limerick City	1	2	0	5	18	7	33
Waterford City	0	9	2	7	20	12	50
Total	81	223	236	1,073	1,618	1,086	4,317

Table 21 All Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Class and Month of First Licence 2008

Taxation class	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total
New vehicles													
Private cars	32,961	24,290	20,190	17,587	12,172	7,369	16,175	6,822	4,364	2,699	1,174	667	146,470
Goods vehicles	4,266	5,181	3,858	4,047	3,219	2,827	2,377	1,425	1,451	1,399	983	426	31,459
Tractors	493	556	437	470	515	439	407	262	212	159	128	76	4,154
Motor cycles	275	311	294	360	365	328	319	256	288	194	140	64	3,194
Exempt vehicles	677	811	680	806	675	545	696	412	359	261	182	182	6,286
Public service vehicles	203	270	216	229	147	111	112	67	80	63	44	72	1,614
Small	141	177	120	123	86	53	58	37	46	30	12	10	893
Large	62	93	96	106	61	58	54	30	34	33	32	62	721
Machines or contrivances	121	103	92	109	99	76	91	60	51	48	37	19	906
Other classes	69	87	77	104	93	79	85	51	33	25	19	12	734
Total	39,065	31,609	25,844	23,712	17,285	11,774	20,262	9,355	6,838	4,848	2,707	1,518	194,817
Second-hand vehicles													
Private cars	4,490	5,049	4,678	5,477	5,122	5,497	7,108	4,992	5,162	4,866	4,175	3,475	60,091
Goods vehicles	1,040	1,156	987	1,272	1,218	1,181	1,230	1,004	1,054	1,155	973	863	13,133
Tractors	297	297	266	335	364	342	349	288	273	228	195	178	3,412
Motor cycles	195	266	303	465	550	515	517	401	394	297	234	180	4,317
Other classes	376	502	511	710	729	698	779	599	571	514	424	374	6,787
Total	6,398	7,270	6,745	8,259	7,983	8,233	9,983	7,284	7,454	7,060	6,001	5,070	87,740
Total all classes	45,463	38,879	32,589	31,971	25,268	20,007	30,245	16,639	14,292	11,908	8,708	6,588	282,557

Detailed Tractor Tables

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Table 1 New Tractors Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority

Table 2 Second-hand Tractors Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority

Table 3 New Tractors by Class in each Licensing Authority

Table 4 New and Second-hand Tractors by Make

Table 1 New Tractors by Make in each Licensing Authority, 2007

Authority	Case/IH	Deutz	John Deere	Landini	Massey-Ferguson	New Holland	Claas	SDF	Steyr	Ursus	Valtra	Zetor	Other Makes	Total
Carlow	4	3	29	2	8	15	4	4	0	2	19	3	3	96
Cavan	3	2	24	10	56	24	0	15	0	3	12	11	7	167
Clare	13	2	26	15	47	9	11	3	0	2	7	23	29	187
Donegal	1	0	39	16	21	41	3	6	0	0	15	4	13	159
Galway	31	18	93	13	40	20	8	24	0	2	8	32	27	316
Kerry	7	6	29	6	24	21	6	23	0	2	23	14	16	177
Kildare	5	13	32	1	18	28	11	4	0	2	4	4	20	142
Kilkenny	16	12	64	4	10	30	7	28	0	0	18	6	22	217
Laois	8	4	16	5	27	14	5	9	0	1	0	21	14	124
Leitrim	2	0	10	6	8	5	0	5	0	1	5	6	1	49
Limerick County	7	0	43	11	17	16	5	2	0	3	8	12	6	130
Longford	4	0	27	4	7	6	4	1	0	0	2	3	5	63
Louth	17	2	27	2	11	4	3	0	0	0	0	3	16	85
Mayo	46	4	31	53	21	22	0	18	0	8	9	24	18	254
Meath	11	7	92	7	35	15	15	14	0	1	8	8	24	237
Monaghan	0	1	7	8	15	8	3	5	0	0	3	6	7	63
Offaly	14	6	26	2	20	23	3	4	0	2	3	16	12	131
Roscommon	12	3	24	45	17	15	6	7	0	3	13	15	16	176
Sligo	3	0	5	18	16	6	0	20	0	1	2	12	7	90
North Tipperary	4	6	44	17	28	21	11	12	0	1	7	12	15	178
South Tipperary	16	1	44	9	16	35	21	6	0	0	7	18	9	182
Waterford County	35	2	25	5	13	10	8	1	0	0	0	6	3	108
Westmeath	5	3	38	3	22	13	4	8	0	1	9	5	9	120
Wexford	12	8	55	16	27	39	11	6	0	2	22	9	30	237
Wicklow	3	4	25	9	5	16	3	2	0	0	2	5	17	91
Cork City & County	22	13	130	5	55	160	12	6	0	0	28	35	41	507
Dublin City & County	4	4	37	11	11	19	2	11	0	1	2	0	47	149
Limerick City	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Waterford City	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5
Total	305	124	1,045	303	595	636	166	244	0	38	236	313	437	4,442

Table 2 Second-hand Tractors by Make in each Licensing Authority, 2007

Authority	Case/IH	Deutz	John Deere	Landini	Leyland	Massey-Ferguson	New Holland	Claas	SDF	Steyr	Ursus	Valtra	Zetor	Other makes	Total
Carlow	5	1	11	0	0	12	24	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	58
Cavan	17	0	16	1	0	55	38	2	0	1	0	0	3	3	136
Clare	26	5	23	1	1	65	48	10	5	0	1	0	3	5	193
Donegal	18	1	19	6	0	113	101	5	16	0	0	2	11	10	302
Galway	33	16	47	2	2	83	81	3	17	0	1	5	10	10	310
Kerry	23	1	42	3	1	36	57	2	12	0	0	3	8	3	191
Kildare	5	1	10	1	1	20	18	3	2	0	0	0	3	10	74
Kilkenny	8	1	34	0	0	4	29	2	2	0	1	2	1	5	89
Laois	12	1	25	1	0	7	37	1	0	0	0	0	5	3	92
Leitrim	2	0	8	1	0	26	12	0	11	0	0	0	1	1	62
Limerick County	17	2	43	2	0	30	54	7	1	0	1	2	8	5	172
Longford	6	0	15	1	0	24	13	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	62
Louth	6	0	11	0	0	9	8	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	39
Mayo	39	8	12	15	0	61	37	1	5	0	2	2	7	3	192
Meath	9	0	26	0	0	21	24	0	2	0	0	0	0	7	89
Monaghan	10	6	10	1	1	20	42	6	2	2	1	0	2	0	103
Offaly	7	1	28	1	0	37	38	4	3	0	0	3	3	4	129
Roscommon	11	7	10	15	0	39	40	7	12	0	1	0	10	1	153
Sligo	10	0	5	8	0	24	12	1	2	0	2	1	3	4	72
North Tipperary	7	2	24	1	0	14	19	4	0	0	0	1	5	3	80
South Tipperary	4	0	21	1	0	6	51	5	1	1	0	0	3	3	96
Waterford County	4	0	7	0	0	5	29	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	50
Westmeath	3	3	14	3	0	25	23	2	2	0	0	2	3	4	84
Wexford	24	0	27	0	0	16	50	4	4	0	2	2	3	7	139
Wicklow	10	1	15	0	0	5	31	0	0	1	1	1	3	6	74
Cork City & County	28	1	81	0	0	50	236	3	3	1	0	4	3	11	421
Dublin City & County	4	0	4	0	1	5	6	1	0	0	1	0	0	6	28
Limerick City	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Waterford City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	348	58	588	64	7	813	1,159	77	104	7	14	32	101	120	3,492

Table 3 New Tractors by Class in each Licensing Authority, 2007

Authority	Agricultural	General haulage	Total
Carlow	94	2	96
Cavan	167	0	167
Clare	177	10	187
Donegal	150	9	159
Galway	282	34	316
Kerry	164	13	177
Kildare	133	9	142
Kilkenny	195	22	217
Laois	123	1	124
Leitrim	49	0	49
Limerick County	126	4	130
Longford	63	0	63
Louth	80	5	85
Mayo	244	10	254
Meath	236	1	237
Monaghan	63	0	63
Offaly	129	2	131
Roscommon	170	6	176
Sligo	90	0	90
North Tipperary	172	6	178
South Tipperary	179	3	182
Waterford County	102	6	108
Westmeath	117	3	120
Wexford	228	9	237
Wicklow	91	0	91
Cork City & County	480	27	507
Dublin City & County	148	1	149
Limerick City	2	0	2
Waterford City	4	1	5
Total	4,258	184	4,442

Table 4 New and Second-hand Tractors by Make, 2007

Make	New	Second-hand
Case/IH	305	348
Deutz	124	58
John Deere	1,045	588
Landini	303	64
Leyland	0	7
Massey-Ferguson	595	813
New Holland	636	1,159
Claas	166	77
SDF	244	104
Steyr	0	7
Ursus	38	14
Valtra	236	32
Zetor	313	101
Other makes	437	120
Total	4,442	3,492

Background Notes

Source The vehicle licensing figures are compiled from data supplied by the Department of Transport, Driver and Vehicle Computer Services Division. The data provide details on the number of private cars, goods vehicles, motor cycles and other vehicles licensed for the first time in each city and county council, classified by make and size.

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, Heritage and Local Government retained responsibility for vehicle licensing. In January 2008, responsibility for vehicle licensing was transferred to the Department of Transport.

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.

Detailed information on agricultural vehicles is published for 2007 in this release 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 and Contrivances: Vehicles included under this category are mobile machines, forklifts, excavators and diggers.