



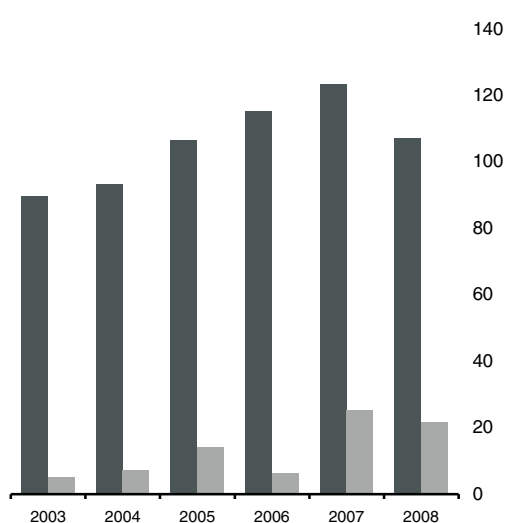
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## Vehicles Licensed for the First Time May 2008

	New Private Cars	All New Vehicles
May 2008	12,172	17,285
May 2007	20,232	27,138
May 2006	18,933	25,543
Jan-May 2008	107,200	137,515
Jan-May 2007	123,409	160,350
Jan-May 2006	115,311	146,963

### Decrease of 39.8% in new private cars licensed

There were 12,172 new private cars licensed in May 2008, compared with 20,232 in May, 2007, a decrease of 39.8%. *See Table 1.*

First licensing of second-hand private cars decreased by 468 (8.4%) on the same month last year.

The number of new goods vehicles licensed in May 2008 was 3,219 compared with 4,780 in the corresponding month last year - a decrease of 32.7%.

The vehicle licensing figures also show that:

- ◆ In May 2008, the total number of all vehicles licensed was 25,268 compared with 35,717 during the same month in 2007 - a decrease of 29.3%.
- ◆ The total number of all new vehicles licensed during May 2008 was 17,285 compared with 27,138 during the same month in 2007 - a decrease of 36.3%.
- ◆ The highest number of new private cars licensed in May 2008, classified by make, was Toyota (2,013) followed by Ford (1,493), Volkswagen (1,259), Opel (1,023) and Nissan (708). *See Tables 2 and 9.*

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

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**Table 1 Number of Vehicles Licensed for the First Time classified by Taxation Class**

Taxation Class	May			January - May		
	2006	2007	2008	2006	2007	2008
New vehicles						
Private cars	18,933	20,232	12,172	115,311	123,409	107,200
Goods vehicles	4,763	4,780	3,219	23,150	26,294	20,571
Tractors	464	494	515	1,901	2,375	2,471
Motor cycles	358	450	365	1,481	1,667	1,605
Exempt vehicles	629	757	675	3,117	4,368	3,649
Other	396	425	339	2,003	2,237	2,019
<b>Total new vehicles</b>	<b>25,543</b>	<b>27,138</b>	<b>17,285</b>	<b>146,963</b>	<b>160,350</b>	<b>137,515</b>
Second-hand vehicles						
Private cars	4,836	5,590	5,122	21,823	25,133	24,816
Goods vehicles	1,415	1,428	1,218	6,255	6,744	5,673
Tractors	409	367	364	1,553	1,545	1,559
Motor cycles	394	489	550	1,392	1,659	1,779
Other	605	705	729	2,419	2,775	2,828
<b>Total second-hand vehicles</b>	<b>7,659</b>	<b>8,579</b>	<b>7,983</b>	<b>33,442</b>	<b>37,856</b>	<b>36,655</b>
<b>Total all vehicles</b>	<b>33,202</b>	<b>35,717</b>	<b>25,268</b>	<b>180,405</b>	<b>198,206</b>	<b>174,170</b>

**Table 2 Number of New and Second-Hand Private Cars Licensed for the First Time, classified by Make, May 2008**

Make	New	Second Hand	Make	New	Second Hand
Alfa Romeo	35	14	Mitsubishi	180	117
Audi	348	399	Nissan	708	240
BMW	165	417	Opel	1,023	17
Chevrolet	117	2	Peugeot	582	152
Citroen	209	78	Renault	397	135
Daewoo	0	9	Saab	72	51
Daihatsu	28	4	Ssangyong	19	7
Fiat	227	32	Seat	218	30
Ford	1,493	363	Skoda	252	52
Honda	234	353	Subaru	15	61
Hyundai	571	57	Suzuki	270	44
Kia	352	10	Toyota	2,013	822
Land Rover	169	67	Vauxhall	0	226
Lexus	67	60	Volkswagen	1,259	608
Mazda	294	102	Volvo	365	85
Mercedes-Benz	310	257	Other Makes	180	251
<b>Total</b>				<b>12,172</b>	<b>5,122</b>

**Table 3 Number of Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Taxation Class and Quarter**

Taxation Class	2007				2008
	Qtr 1	Qtr 2	Qtr 3	Qtr 4	Qtr 1
New vehicles					
Private cars	81,750	57,124	32,418	9,462	77,441
Goods vehicles	16,702	13,576	10,148	5,617	13,305
Tractors	1,406	1,444	1,026	566	1,486
Motor cycles	873	1,170	935	544	880
Exempt vehicles	3,012	2,084	1,544	782	2,168
Other	1,383	1,272	984	624	1,238
<b>Total new vehicles</b>	<b>105,126</b>	<b>76,670</b>	<b>47,055</b>	<b>17,595</b>	<b>96,518</b>
Second-hand vehicles					
Private cars	14,336	15,965	14,959	13,459	14,217
Goods vehicles	4,029	3,966	3,431	3,359	3,183
Tractors	876	1,059	857	700	860
Motor cycles	765	1,338	1,097	698	764
Other	1,445	2,005	1,814	1,392	1,389
<b>Total second-hand vehicles</b>	<b>21,451</b>	<b>24,333</b>	<b>22,158</b>	<b>19,608</b>	<b>20,413</b>
<b>Total all classes</b>	<b>126,577</b>	<b>101,003</b>	<b>69,213</b>	<b>37,203</b>	<b>116,931</b>

**Table 4 Number of Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Taxation Class and Year of First Licence**

Taxation Class	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
New vehicles								
Private cars	225,269	160,908	150,485	142,992	149,635	166,270	173,273	180,754
Goods vehicles	33,606	30,622	28,412	30,532	31,165	38,396	43,619	46,043
Tractors	2,816	2,681	2,868	2,970	2,881	3,168	3,687	4,442
Motor cycles	6,871	6,919	5,596	4,993	3,833	3,240	3,206	3,522
Exempt vehicles	3,321	3,709	4,114	4,022	5,099	4,851	6,169	7,422
Other	3,107	2,602	2,268	2,600	2,894	3,359	3,773	4,263
<b>Total new vehicles</b>	<b>274,990</b>	<b>207,441</b>	<b>193,743</b>	<b>188,109</b>	<b>195,507</b>	<b>219,284</b>	<b>233,727</b>	<b>246,446</b>
Second-hand vehicles								
Private cars	24,003	15,237	13,352	13,472	21,391	38,207	54,244	58,719
Goods vehicles	6,983	5,958	5,285	6,294	7,948	11,590	15,228	14,785
Tractors	2,786	2,447	2,436	3,044	3,021	3,327	3,601	3,492
Other	5,530	5,776	6,031	6,697	6,992	8,176	9,340	10,554
<b>Total second-hand vehicles</b>	<b>39,302</b>	<b>29,418</b>	<b>27,104</b>	<b>29,507</b>	<b>39,352</b>	<b>61,300</b>	<b>82,413</b>	<b>87,550</b>
<b>Total all classes</b>	<b>314,292</b>	<b>236,859</b>	<b>220,847</b>	<b>217,616</b>	<b>234,859</b>	<b>280,584</b>	<b>316,140</b>	<b>333,996</b>

**Table 5 Number of New Private Cars Licensed for the First Time by Engine Capacity in each Licensing Authority, May 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	0	0	13	25	13	17	34	3	6	111
Cavan	0	3	20	32	6	31	28	0	3	123
Clare	0	7	21	54	7	48	40	8	10	195
Donegal	0	5	33	51	12	41	50	11	8	211
Galway	1	12	35	151	20	90	109	14	34	466
Kerry	1	8	24	65	11	40	37	6	15	207
Kildare	0	16	44	151	36	101	96	17	49	510
Kilkenny	1	4	18	52	7	33	31	2	8	156
Laois	0	3	16	57	10	38	33	6	7	170
Leitrim	0	1	9	15	3	7	8	1	4	48
Limerick County	0	6	104	95	8	63	58	14	11	359
Longford	0	7	6	21	5	10	20	2	3	74
Louth	0	7	24	108	13	37	55	9	8	261
Mayo	0	8	15	66	15	44	57	9	7	221
Meath	1	15	33	129	25	90	105	5	32	435
Monaghan	0	1	21	27	8	10	14	2	3	86
Offaly	0	3	17	42	10	23	23	1	5	124
Roscommon	0	9	16	93	17	22	44	4	10	215
Sligo	0	1	19	53	6	25	32	2	3	141
North Tipperary	0	3	14	49	10	33	24	3	13	149
South Tipperary	0	2	12	48	10	20	24	1	7	124
Waterford County	0	1	20	45	6	31	26	4	6	139
Westmeath	0	0	20	57	14	44	31	7	5	178
Wexford	0	4	38	102	29	72	97	22	16	380
Wicklow	0	6	35	66	10	44	72	11	40	284
Cork City & County	4	48	163	666	51	385	310	51	47	1,725
Dublin City & County	0	132	425	1,324	160	847	1,059	104	292	4,343
Limerick City	0	2	71	113	7	36	38	0	6	273
Waterford City	0	27	146	108	45	21	91	7	19	464
<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>1,432</b>	<b>3,865</b>	<b>574</b>	<b>2,303</b>	<b>2,646</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>12,172</b>

**Table 6 Number of New Goods Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Unladen Weight in each Licensing Authority, May 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	0	0	3	5	11	19	0	5	<b>43</b>
Cavan	0	0	9	9	25	17	1	3	<b>64</b>
Clare	2	0	4	9	39	8	4	7	<b>73</b>
Donegal	1	1	10	5	35	21	0	10	<b>83</b>
Galway	1	0	5	28	82	30	1	5	<b>152</b>
Kerry	0	1	4	12	41	10	1	9	<b>78</b>
Kildare	0	0	4	19	68	39	2	25	<b>157</b>
Kilkenny	0	0	6	13	19	20	1	9	<b>68</b>
Laois	0	0	4	4	24	17	1	13	<b>63</b>
Leitrim	0	0	4	4	14	5	0	0	<b>27</b>
Limerick County	0	0	3	12	35	32	3	17	<b>102</b>
Longford	0	0	2	4	15	9	0	4	<b>34</b>
Louth	0	0	6	11	36	12	1	1	<b>67</b>
Mayo	0	0	6	17	32	17	1	5	<b>78</b>
Meath	0	0	9	25	67	41	5	11	<b>158</b>
Monaghan	2	0	3	12	26	11	0	12	<b>66</b>
Offaly	0	0	7	3	20	11	4	2	<b>47</b>
Roscommon	0	0	3	4	19	10	0	1	<b>37</b>
Sligo	0	0	2	7	25	6	1	2	<b>43</b>
North Tipperary	0	0	6	9	30	7	1	12	<b>65</b>
South Tipperary	0	0	7	11	19	21	1	3	<b>62</b>
Waterford County	0	0	3	6	16	9	0	6	<b>40</b>
Westmeath	0	0	1	5	24	14	0	4	<b>48</b>
Wexford	0	0	7	7	45	31	4	15	<b>109</b>
Wicklow	0	0	7	12	31	39	0	6	<b>95</b>
Cork City & County	1	0	35	50	171	70	12	42	<b>381</b>
Dublin City & County	3	2	70	139	403	194	21	60	<b>892</b>
Limerick City	0	0	3	6	9	14	1	0	<b>33</b>
Waterford City	0	0	3	6	29	16	0	0	<b>54</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>3,219</b>

**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, May 2008**

Authority	Motor cycles							Public Service Vehicles					Machines or contrivances	Other classes	Total
	Engine Capacity (cc)						Exempt Vehicles	Small		Large					
	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	2	0	3	2	0	7	9	0	1	0	3	0	13	
Cavan	0	0	1	1	3	0	5	16	0	0	2	0	3	21	
Clare	1	3	0	2	3	1	10	32	1	0	3	1	3	40	
Donegal	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	40	1	0	2	0	2	45	
Galway	1	0	0	4	2	2	9	52	3	0	0	5	4	64	
Kerry	1	2	1	0	2	0	6	16	3	0	10	8	2	39	
Kildare	1	0	2	3	6	8	20	20	3	1	4	4	4	36	
Kilkenny	0	1	0	0	1	2	4	8	2	3	1	1	0	15	
Laois	0	1	0	1	0	4	6	11	2	0	4	5	6	28	
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	
Limerick County	1	1	0	0	2	3	7	22	0	0	1	4	3	30	
Longford	1	0	1	0	1	0	3	4	0	0	1	0	1	6	
Louth	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	19	0	0	1	2	2	24	
Mayo	0	2	1	1	0	1	5	31	1	0	2	2	2	38	
Meath	1	1	0	0	2	5	9	22	0	1	1	3	2	29	
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	9	0	0	1	0	0	10	
Offaly	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	5	0	0	0	1	2	8	
Roscommon	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	14	2	0	0	0	1	17	
Sligo	3	0	0	1	1	1	6	10	1	0	0	2	0	13	
North Tipperary	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	11	0	2	3	1	2	19	
South Tipperary	0	5	0	1	1	1	8	19	0	0	0	8	2	29	
Waterford County	2	2	2	0	2	3	11	8	1	0	0	5	0	14	
Westmeath	0	0	1	1	1	1	4	6	0	0	1	1	3	11	
Wexford	2	4	0	1	2	2	11	13	4	1	2	8	3	31	
Wicklow	5	3	2	2	3	2	17	10	2	0	2	2	4	20	
Cork City & County	6	12	0	2	6	12	38	110	4	3	4	15	15	151	
Dublin City & County	22	37	8	19	37	29	152	135	31	12	16	14	27	235	
Limerick City	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	0	0	0	4	0	12	
Waterford City	4	1	1	2	0	4	12	13	0	1	0	0	0	14	
Total	52	79	20	44	82	88	365	675	61	25	61	99	93	1,014	

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

Make	Exempt Vehicles	Public Service Vehicles		Machines or contrivances	Other classes
		Small	Large		
Audi	18	1	0	0	0
BMW	9	0	0	0	0
Caterpillar	0	0	0	3	0
Fiat	7	8	0	0	4
Ford	105	15	11	0	10
Honda	18	0	0	0	0
Hyundai	24	6	0	1	0
Isuzu	0	0	0	0	0
Iveco	7	0	14	3	0
JCB	0	0	0	40	0
Mazda	15	0	0	0	0
Massey Ferguson	0	0	0	1	0
Mercedes-Benz	23	5	20	2	4
Mitsubishi	13	0	0	1	0
Nissan	65	6	0	0	1
Opel	46	2	0	0	0
Peugeot	8	0	0	0	0
Renault	20	1	0	0	0
Suzuki	17	0	0	0	0
Toyota	109	8	0	0	0
Volkswagen	68	11	5	0	2
Volvo	10	0	4	6	2
Other makes	93	23	7	42	70
<b>Total</b>	<b>675</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>93</b>

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

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	BMW	Chevrolet	Citroen	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Kia	Land Rover	Lexus	Mazda	Mercedes/ Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	0	2	1	2	5	1	5	12	2	5	4	1	0	8	3	5	9
Cavan	0	6	2	1	6	0	0	9	1	3	3	0	0	2	3	2	13
Clare	1	6	0	0	6	3	2	25	2	10	5	1	2	10	3	3	18
Donegal	0	7	1	2	3	1	0	21	3	5	10	4	2	5	3	4	13
Galway	0	14	9	1	6	0	1	52	20	14	5	8	7	12	13	10	29
Kerry	1	1	1	4	5	0	1	23	1	8	1	5	1	11	5	4	15
Kildare	0	20	8	3	10	1	6	48	12	24	14	16	3	6	11	6	31
Kilkenny	0	6	2	1	5	0	0	12	3	13	6	4	1	3	0	4	16
Laois	0	5	1	1	3	0	2	29	3	13	2	4	0	4	3	2	13
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	3	0	0	0	1	1	2	4	2	1
Limerick County	0	4	3	4	4	1	81	37	6	12	8	1	0	5	7	5	12
Longford	0	2	1	1	0	1	0	5	1	6	0	1	0	3	0	3	2
Louth	1	8	4	6	3	1	4	24	7	7	11	0	1	9	7	2	15
Mayo	0	5	1	2	4	1	3	32	1	5	3	2	1	3	2	9	15
Meath	1	14	8	4	6	0	3	34	6	7	12	12	0	20	16	8	31
Monaghan	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	1	0	2	2	3	9
Offaly	0	4	0	0	7	0	2	11	1	2	3	0	1	6	2	6	15
Roscommon	0	1	1	0	2	0	2	19	5	56	8	1	0	1	1	3	18
Sligo	0	6	1	0	2	0	5	9	1	3	4	1	0	6	2	1	7
North Tipperary	0	3	1	0	2	2	0	15	4	8	7	3	0	12	3	2	12
South Tipperary	0	6	3	1	6	0	5	12	3	8	5	1	0	0	2	4	10
Waterford County	1	4	0	3	3	0	2	8	3	7	1	2	0	6	2	1	17
Westmeath	0	4	1	1	2	2	1	14	1	7	4	3	1	9	1	1	8
Wexford	0	5	2	2	10	0	6	63	2	15	48	3	1	35	5	11	45
Wicklow	0	13	3	0	2	0	9	17	7	10	10	19	3	7	9	3	23
Cork City & County	5	34	12	3	32	4	22	376	20	32	25	8	9	32	55	19	54
Dublin City & County	25	157	87	21	69	10	59	552	90	282	76	57	33	66	138	44	246
Limerick City	0	3	3	52	2	0	1	18	2	4	77	0	0	5	4	2	8
Waterford City	0	5	7	2	2	0	3	11	27	2	0	10	0	4	4	11	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>1,493</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>708</b>



**Table 9 Number of New Private Cars Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, May 2008**  
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Authority	Opel	Peugeot	Renault	Saab	Ssangyong	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	3	2	7	0	0	1	3	1	1	6	6	15	1	111
Cavan	20	3	2	1	1	1	6	0	0	23	14	1	0	123
Clare	7	6	9	1	0	4	2	0	4	26	30	5	4	195
Donegal	24	6	3	1	0	8	6	0	11	36	18	12	2	211
Galway	19	14	17	3	2	7	29	0	15	93	39	14	13	466
Kerry	6	8	3	0	0	5	16	0	10	50	15	3	4	207
Kildare	30	29	30	3	0	8	8	0	15	88	55	19	6	510
Kilkenny	6	9	3	0	1	2	7	0	9	24	13	3	3	156
Laois	18	7	5	0	0	4	8	0	8	21	11	3	0	170
Leitrim	6	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	10	10	0	0	48
Limerick County	19	19	5	2	1	2	3	0	7	62	35	9	5	359
Longford	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	1	21	17	2	0	74
Louth	19	21	5	0	1	7	4	0	7	35	42	7	3	261
Mayo	9	11	3	0	0	2	13	1	4	59	17	11	2	221
Meath	46	7	18	3	1	5	8	1	12	84	49	8	11	435
Monaghan	24	2	1	1	0	2	2	0	4	15	7	0	1	86
Offaly	6	3	5	0	0	5	1	0	3	24	14	1	2	124
Roscommon	9	1	4	0	0	4	25	0	2	35	15	1	1	215
Sligo	11	3	8	0	0	8	1	1	7	27	24	0	3	141
North Tipperary	11	1	9	0	1	2	5	0	3	28	13	0	2	149
South Tipperary	11	1	5	0	0	1	1	1	1	26	9	2	0	124
Waterford County	14	3	7	1	0	6	1	0	6	19	13	5	4	139
Westmeath	14	4	10	2	0	7	3	0	6	48	21	3	0	178
Wexford	17	7	22	4	3	7	5	0	6	27	20	5	4	380
Wicklow	24	6	5	2	0	6	5	1	7	36	36	10	11	284
Cork City & County	139	30	29	6	4	43	23	0	48	468	144	38	11	1,725
Dublin City & County	266	337	134	42	4	69	51	9	63	607	514	156	79	4,343
Limerick City	48	6	6	0	0	1	2	0	9	11	7	0	2	273
Waterford City	197	36	40	0	0	0	7	0	0	4	51	32	6	464
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,023</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>2,013</b>	<b>1,259</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>12,172</b>

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

Authority	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes-Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	3	0	0	0	5	0	1	1	1	0	6	3	3
Cavan	5	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	6	5	9
Clare	1	1	0	1	14	0	1	0	1	1	1	2	3
Donegal	3	2	0	1	11	0	0	0	3	0	2	6	9
Galway	5	1	0	1	30	0	5	0	1	0	13	9	6
Kerry	3	0	0	0	12	1	1	0	2	0	4	1	3
Kildare	3	4	0	3	17	3	6	5	2	0	8	5	12
Kilkenny	4	1	0	1	7	2	1	0	1	0	6	2	6
Laois	1	0	0	1	7	1	2	0	1	0	5	4	3
Leitrim	3	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Limerick County	2	1	0	0	19	1	0	6	2	0	7	2	5
Longford	0	1	0	1	4	0	0	1	2	0	1	1	0
Louth	1	0	0	1	12	1	1	1	1	0	6	0	3
Mayo	1	0	0	2	19	1	1	0	3	0	1	1	4
Meath	1	2	0	3	20	3	4	2	10	1	12	6	11
Monaghan	4	0	0	0	9	0	0	2	3	0	4	4	4
Offaly	4	1	0	1	9	0	0	4	0	0	3	1	1
Roscommon	1	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Sligo	0	0	0	2	5	0	1	0	0	0	4	2	0
North Tipperary	5	0	0	2	9	0	0	1	0	0	3	2	4
South Tipperary	1	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	4
Waterford County	1	1	0	2	4	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	4
Westmeath	3	0	0	0	8	0	0	1	1	0	2	4	8
Wexford	0	2	0	4	11	1	3	5	5	0	5	1	7
Wicklow	0	1	0	6	17	0	2	1	5	1	5	10	8
Cork City & County	23	10	0	19	61	4	7	4	5	0	13	16	25
Dublin City & County	11	21	0	20	225	16	15	9	25	1	71	25	80
Limerick City	0	0	0	1	11	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	3
Waterford City	1	0	0	2	8	0	1	1	6	0	3	5	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>578</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>231</b>

**Table 10 Number of New Goods Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, May 2008**  
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Authority	Opel	Peugeot	Renault	Scania	Seat	Skoda	Suzuki	Toyota	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	1	2	5	0	0	0	0	5	6	0	1	43
Cavan	2	1	3	3	0	0	0	11	7	0	6	64
Clare	4	3	1	3	0	0	0	8	15	5	8	73
Donegal	5	3	4	3	0	0	0	17	7	2	5	83
Galway	3	4	2	1	2	0	1	33	26	2	7	152
Kerry	2	4	3	2	1	0	1	13	14	2	9	78
Kildare	4	1	8	7	0	0	0	38	11	8	12	157
Kilkenny	1	0	4	3	0	0	0	7	16	0	6	68
Laois	4	0	5	2	0	0	0	4	12	6	5	63
Leitrim	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	2	27
Limerick County	3	1	3	4	0	0	0	17	13	5	11	102
Longford	2	0	1	2	0	0	1	7	6	0	4	34
Louth	4	4	5	0	0	0	0	17	9	0	1	67
Mayo	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	13	13	4	7	78
Meath	10	3	4	6	0	0	1	25	22	1	11	158
Monaghan	0	2	0	8	0	0	0	13	9	2	2	66
Offaly	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	8	5	1	3	47
Roscommon	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	10	13	0	1	37
Sligo	5	2	1	2	0	0	1	4	11	0	3	43
North Tipperary	0	0	2	9	0	0	0	8	14	1	5	65
South Tipperary	3	1	6	0	1	0	0	13	16	2	3	62
Waterford County	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	7	7	4	4	40
Westmeath	1	0	3	2	0	0	1	5	6	0	3	48
Wexford	4	3	5	6	0	0	0	23	12	1	11	109
Wicklow	2	2	3	0	1	0	0	14	6	3	8	95
Cork City & County	16	6	17	11	1	0	0	62	41	12	28	381
Dublin City & County	76	18	24	6	1	0	0	90	80	13	65	892
Limerick City	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	4	3	0	3	33
Waterford City	2	2	7	0	0	0	1	6	4	0	3	54
<b>Total</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>487</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>237</b>	<b>3,219</b>

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

Authority	Aprilia	BMW	Ducati	Gilera	Harley Davidson	Honda	Hyosung	Kawasaki	Lifan	MBK	Peugeot	Piaggio	Suzuki	Triumph	Yamaha	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	7
Cavan	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	5
Clare	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	4	0	1	0	10
Donegal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Galway	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	3	0	1	0	9
Kerry	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	0	6
Kildare	0	2	0	0	2	2	0	4	0	0	1	0	3	1	2	3	20
Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4
Laois	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	6
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Limerick County	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	7
Longford	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3
Louth	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Mayo	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5
Meath	0	1	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	9
Monaghan	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
Offaly	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2
Roscommon	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
Sligo	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	6
North Tipperary	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
South Tipperary	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	3	8
Waterford County	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	1	11
Westmeath	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Wexford	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	2	11
Wicklow	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	1	3	5	17
Cork City & County	0	9	0	0	0	11	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	9	38
Dublin City & County	3	16	1	3	16	23	3	8	0	0	1	9	31	3	27	8	152
Limerick City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Waterford City	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	4	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>365</b>

**Table 12 Number of New Motor Cycles Licensed for the First Time by Engine Capacity and Make, May 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	1	0	0	4	0	7
BMW	0	0	0	0	10	26	36
Ducati	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Gilera	2	0	0	1	0	0	3
Harley Davidson	0	0	0	0	5	33	38
Honda	3	20	2	10	20	3	58
Hyosung	0	3	0	0	3	0	6
Kawasaki	0	0	7	5	8	4	24
Lifan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MBK	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Peugeot	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Piaggio	3	4	3	2	0	0	12
Suzuki	4	24	2	13	16	9	68
Triumph	0	0	0	0	3	4	7
Yamaha	13	18	2	10	6	5	54
Other makes	22	9	4	3	6	4	48
<b>Total</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>365</b>

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

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	0	0	5	0	5
BMW	0	0	0	2	17	36	55
Gilera	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Harley Davidson	0	0	0	0	8	27	35
Honda	8	6	10	54	84	35	197
Hyosung	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kawasaki	0	0	3	9	16	15	43
MBK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Peugeot	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Piaggio	1	1	1	0	0	0	3
Suzuki	3	1	3	32	31	17	87
Triumph	0	0	0	1	8	1	10
Yamaha	1	0	5	34	21	22	83
Other makes	1	7	3	4	13	3	31
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>550</b>

**Table 14 Number of New Private Cars Licensed for the First Time  
by Engine Capacity and Make, May 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	1	26	8	0	<b>35</b>
Audi	0	0	0	14	0	37	231	0	66	<b>348</b>
BMW	0	0	0	0	0	19	65	0	81	<b>165</b>
Chevrolet	0	2	78	23	0	4	10	0	0	<b>117</b>
Citroen	0	3	18	21	0	123	43	1	0	<b>209</b>
Daihatsu	0	2	6	0	20	0	0	0	0	<b>28</b>
Fiat	0	0	188	32	0	2	5	0	0	<b>227</b>
Ford	0	0	129	386	0	547	405	14	12	<b>1,493</b>
Honda	1	0	15	114	0	0	71	33	0	<b>234</b>
Hyundai	0	0	82	211	14	91	59	102	12	<b>571</b>
Kia	0	16	0	145	6	94	68	0	23	<b>352</b>
Land Rover	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	29	139	<b>169</b>
Lexus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	54	<b>67</b>
Mazda	0	0	0	105	1	77	110	0	1	<b>294</b>
Mercedes-Benz	0	0	0	0	22	0	156	68	64	<b>310</b>
Mitsubishi	0	0	11	5	110	0	44	0	10	<b>180</b>
Nissan	0	0	79	48	141	352	70	1	17	<b>708</b>
Opel	0	40	373	323	0	186	100	0	1	<b>1,023</b>
Peugeot	0	7	0	419	0	61	93	2	0	<b>582</b>
Renault	0	0	129	70	157	26	15	0	0	<b>397</b>
Saab	0	0	0	0	0	0	70	0	2	<b>72</b>
Ssangyong	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	8	<b>19</b>
Seat	0	0	81	75	18	5	39	0	0	<b>218</b>
Skoda	0	0	69	74	7	13	89	0	0	<b>252</b>
Subaru	0	3	0	0	4	0	7	0	1	<b>15</b>
Suzuki	3	0	1	99	48	64	55	0	0	<b>270</b>
Toyota	0	268	32	1,049	22	437	141	20	44	<b>2,013</b>
Volkswagen	0	0	140	626	2	102	358	0	31	<b>1,259</b>
Volvo	0	0	0	0	0	36	286	29	14	<b>365</b>
Other makes	4	0	1	26	2	26	18	6	97	<b>180</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>1,432</b>	<b>3,865</b>	<b>574</b>	<b>2,303</b>	<b>2,646</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>12,172</b>

**Table 15 Number of New Goods Vehicles Licensed for the First Time  
by Unladen Weight and Make, May 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	1	0	59	4	26	0	0	0	<b>90</b>
Daf	0	0	0	0	0	1	11	37	<b>49</b>
Daihatsu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Fiat	1	1	24	4	37	8	0	0	<b>75</b>
Ford	1	2	9	185	292	89	0	0	<b>578</b>
Hino	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	33	<b>34</b>
Isuzu	0	0	0	1	14	32	6	0	<b>53</b>
Iveco	0	0	0	0	1	17	10	16	<b>44</b>
Land Rover	0	0	0	3	28	55	0	0	<b>86</b>
Mazda	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	<b>4</b>
Mercedes-Benz	1	0	0	0	62	112	5	19	<b>199</b>
Mitsubishi	0	0	0	0	43	70	4	0	<b>117</b>
Nissan	0	0	9	5	107	110	0	0	<b>231</b>
Opel	0	0	58	15	79	6	0	0	<b>158</b>
Peugeot	0	1	41	1	26	4	0	0	<b>73</b>
Renault	0	0	18	4	59	19	7	17	<b>124</b>
Scania	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	79	<b>82</b>
Seat	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	<b>8</b>
Skoda	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Suzuki	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	<b>7</b>
Toyota	1	0	8	2	400	76	0	0	<b>487</b>
Volkswagen	1	0	9	208	108	81	2	0	<b>409</b>
Volvo	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	68	<b>74</b>
Other makes	4	0	1	14	117	69	12	20	<b>237</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>3,219</b>

**Table 16 Number of New Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Class and Type of Fuel**

Taxation class	May 2008						January-May 2008					
	Type of Fuel					Total	Type of Fuel					Total
	Petrol	Diesel	Petrol & Electric	Petrol & Ethanol	Other		Petrol	Diesel	Petrol & Electric	Petrol & Ethanol	Other	
Private cars	8,410	3,300	73	388	1	<b>12,172</b>	73,029	31,340	788	2,039	4	<b>107,200</b>
Goods vehicles	3	3,216	0	0	0	<b>3,219</b>	14	20,557	0	0	0	<b>20,571</b>
Tractors	3	512	0	0	0	<b>515</b>	24	2,447	0	0	0	<b>2,471</b>
Motor cycles	365	0	0	0	0	<b>365</b>	1,602	0	0	0	3	<b>1,605</b>
Exempt vehicles	367	306	1	1	0	<b>675</b>	1,966	1,661	10	12	0	<b>3,649</b>
Public service vehicles	9	138	0	0	0	<b>147</b>	63	1,001	1	0	0	<b>1,065</b>
Small	9	77	0	0	0	<b>86</b>	63	583	1	0	0	<b>647</b>
Large	0	61	0	0	0	<b>61</b>	0	418	0	0	0	<b>418</b>
Machines or contrivances	0	99	0	0	0	<b>99</b>	0	524	0	0	0	<b>524</b>
Other classes	3	90	0	0	0	<b>93</b>	19	411	0	0	0	<b>430</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,160</b>	<b>7,661</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>17,285</b>	<b>76,717</b>	<b>57,941</b>	<b>799</b>	<b>2,051</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>137,515</b>



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

Authority	Alfa Romeo	Audi	BMW	Citroen	Daewoo	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Honda	Hyundai	Kia	Land Rover	Lexus	Mazda	Mercedes/ Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	0	10	8	2	0	0	1	3	5	0	0	1	1	0	4	2	7
Cavan	1	7	8	0	0	0	0	2	8	2	0	3	1	2	2	2	2
Clare	1	12	9	3	0	0	0	8	13	2	1	1	3	4	3	2	11
Donegal	0	24	22	4	0	0	1	41	30	5	0	2	2	5	7	4	8
Galway	0	28	22	3	0	0	4	18	24	5	0	7	6	3	21	7	11
Kerry	0	9	8	4	1	0	1	8	9	2	1	2	1	1	7	3	9
Kildare	0	21	21	1	0	0	0	3	17	0	1	2	2	6	10	10	7
Kilkenny	0	9	8	0	1	0	0	6	4	1	0	1	1	1	5	2	4
Laois	0	9	7	0	0	0	0	3	11	1	0	3	1	1	2	3	2
Leitrim	0	5	1	2	0	0	0	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Limerick County	0	9	8	1	0	0	0	14	7	3	0	3	0	1	1	2	8
Longford	0	5	1	3	0	0	0	4	6	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	0
Louth	0	13	15	3	0	0	2	14	6	1	0	2	0	5	11	6	5
Mayo	0	15	10	3	0	0	2	17	14	3	0	4	3	6	11	3	12
Meath	0	15	13	8	0	0	0	15	12	3	0	2	3	5	11	5	10
Monaghan	0	3	6	6	1	0	2	6	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	3
Offaly	0	11	5	1	0	1	0	5	10	0	0	2	2	0	3	0	3
Roscommon	0	7	4	1	0	0	1	5	6	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	3
Sligo	1	10	4	0	0	0	0	13	10	0	0	2	2	1	5	0	4
North Tipperary	1	6	6	3	0	0	0	6	7	0	0	1	0	3	5	3	8
South Tipperary	0	10	5	2	0	0	1	8	5	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	7
Waterford County	0	4	5	1	1	0	1	7	3	0	0	0	1	0	2	4	1
Westmeath	1	11	5	2	0	0	2	5	4	2	0	3	0	2	6	1	4
Wexford	1	9	12	5	0	0	0	15	11	2	1	1	0	4	10	2	7
Wicklow	1	10	15	4	1	0	2	8	10	1	0	3	3	5	11	7	8
Cork City & County	4	37	57	4	1	0	4	47	26	3	0	3	7	9	27	11	15
Dublin City & County	3	85	126	11	3	3	8	70	90	18	3	17	16	34	82	30	77
Limerick City	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
Waterford City	0	4	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	1	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>399</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>240</b>

**Table 17 Number of Second-hand Private Cars Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, May 2008**  
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Authority	Opel	Peugeot	Renault	Saab	Ssangyong	Seat	Skoda	Subaru	Suzuki	Toyota	Vauxhall	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	4	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	5	3	9	0	3	70
Cavan	0	4	2	1	0	2	1	2	0	13	4	12	0	8	89
Clare	1	2	5	1	1	2	1	0	2	34	6	21	3	9	161
Donegal	2	14	12	1	1	5	6	2	3	88	38	37	5	5	374
Galway	0	11	8	2	1	0	6	5	1	56	12	43	5	15	324
Kerry	0	4	1	2	0	1	0	4	1	19	12	23	2	8	143
Kildare	1	2	7	0	0	0	5	6	1	22	8	27	6	7	193
Kilkenny	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	10	4	7	3	3	75
Laois	1	5	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	10	4	9	2	3	82
Leitrim	1	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	9	6	9	0	0	51
Limerick County	0	2	3	1	0	0	1	1	4	21	3	17	4	9	123
Longford	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	7	10	0	0	52
Louth	1	4	10	3	1	0	1	1	1	38	11	27	0	9	190
Mayo	0	6	6	1	0	1	0	3	1	33	12	22	2	9	199
Meath	1	15	8	0	0	2	2	4	0	34	4	36	6	13	227
Monaghan	3	4	3	1	0	0	1	0	1	4	7	21	1	7	85
Offaly	0	3	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	6	4	10	0	3	73
Roscommon	0	2	1	1	0	1	2	2	1	10	7	6	2	2	69
Sligo	1	6	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	15	11	10	1	3	104
North Tipperary	0	1	2	1	0	1	1	1	0	12	1	16	2	10	97
South Tipperary	0	4	1	1	0	2	3	1	0	17	6	12	2	3	99
Waterford County	1	1	6	2	0	2	1	0	2	13	0	14	1	2	75
Westmeath	1	1	3	1	0	1	1	4	1	14	3	29	2	5	114
Wexford	1	7	3	1	1	0	2	4	1	17	4	15	1	3	140
Wicklow	0	5	5	1	0	1	2	4	4	20	7	16	3	12	169
Cork City & County	0	11	11	3	2	3	1	2	6	102	14	32	12	22	476
Dublin City & County	2	27	29	22	0	4	9	9	12	186	28	113	19	75	1,211
Limerick City	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	1	1	3	28
Waterford City	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	4	0	2	29
<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>822</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>5,122</b>

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

Authority	Citroen	Daf	Daihatsu	Fiat	Ford	Hino	Isuzu	Iveco	Land Rover	Mazda	Mercedes -Benz	Mitsubishi	Nissan
Carlow	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0
Cavan	5	0	0	0	7	0	1	3	1	0	2	3	2
Clare	6	0	1	1	7	0	1	0	1	0	2	3	1
Donegal	10	0	0	1	46	0	3	3	3	0	7	5	5
Galway	6	2	0	0	19	0	2	2	1	0	6	8	5
Kerry	4	1	0	0	9	0	2	1	0	0	1	3	2
Kildare	4	0	0	0	12	0	1	0	1	0	2	3	7
Kilkenny	1	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Laois	2	1	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	4	3
Leitrim	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0
Limerick County	3	1	0	0	10	1	2	0	0	0	4	2	1
Longford	1	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0
Louth	5	1	0	0	9	0	0	1	0	0	7	0	1
Mayo	7	3	0	0	10	0	1	1	1	0	1	3	2
Meath	5	2	0	1	8	0	0	2	0	0	4	3	3
Monaghan	10	1	0	0	9	0	0	2	0	0	3	3	1
Offaly	2	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	1
Roscommon	2	1	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	1	3	1	0
Sligo	3	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
North Tipperary	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	4	3
South Tipperary	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	2	1	0	2	4	0
Waterford County	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1
Westmeath	3	3	0	0	4	0	0	3	1	0	1	1	1
Wexford	6	0	0	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	4	1	1
Wicklow	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	5	0	0	3	0	1
Cork City & County	6	1	0	0	22	0	2	3	2	0	5	9	5
Dublin City & County	11	7	0	1	18	1	0	3	4	0	9	6	6
Limerick City	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
Waterford City	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>54</b>

**Table 18 Number of Second-hand Goods Vehicles Licensed for the First Time by Make in each Licensing Authority, May 2008**  
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Authority	Peugeot	Renault	Scania	Skoda	Suzuki	Toyota	Vauxhall	Volkswagen	Volvo	Other makes	Total
Carlow	1	1	1	0	0	2	2	2	0	0	19
Cavan	3	1	1	0	0	3	3	6	1	2	44
Clare	1	0	0	0	0	12	0	1	0	2	39
Donegal	12	6	4	0	0	6	7	11	4	9	142
Galway	8	1	1	0	0	10	6	5	1	11	94
Kerry	3	0	1	0	0	4	1	2	0	4	38
Kildare	4	2	3	0	0	2	0	4	6	3	54
Kilkenny	2	2	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	2	19
Laois	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	22
Leitrim	2	1	1	0	0	7	3	0	0	0	21
Limerick County	0	0	3	0	1	4	6	1	2	2	43
Longford	4	1	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	3	25
Louth	2	3	5	0	0	2	3	6	5	1	51
Mayo	5	0	2	0	0	8	2	5	1	1	53
Meath	0	4	2	0	0	6	1	2	3	4	50
Monaghan	6	4	7	0	0	1	4	9	2	4	66
Offaly	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	1	1	19
Roscommon	1	0	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	3	23
Sligo	3	2	0	0	0	4	0	2	0	1	22
North Tipperary	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	3	20
South Tipperary	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	2	0	3	23
Waterford County	3	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	1	19
Westmeath	1	0	1	0	0	2	4	1	2	0	28
Wexford	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	4	0	3	28
Wicklow	1	0	3	0	0	10	1	1	1	0	30
Cork City & County	4	3	2	0	0	16	4	6	1	8	99
Dublin City & County	1	7	2	0	0	7	1	7	4	10	105
Limerick City	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	11
Waterford City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>1,218</b>

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

	Aprilia	BMW	Gilera	Harley Davidson	Honda	Hyosung	Kawasaki	MBK	Peugeot	Piaggio	Suzuki	Triumph	Yamaha	Other makes	Total
Carlow	0	1	0	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	3	0	1	1	11
Cavan	0	2	0	0	8	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	17
Clare	0	2	0	0	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	11
Donegal	0	3	0	0	8	0	2	0	0	0	5	1	4	0	23
Galway	0	5	0	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	5	1	25
Kerry	0	1	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	4	0	14
Kildare	0	1	0	1	5	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	3	1	16
Kilkenny	0	2	0	1	6	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	16
Laois	0	1	0	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	10
Leitrim	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Limerick County	0	0	0	3	6	0	2	0	1	0	4	1	4	0	21
Longford	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
Louth	1	4	0	0	9	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	3	1	22
Mayo	0	1	0	1	4	0	3	0	0	0	4	0	2	2	17
Meath	2	1	0	1	7	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	5	3	27
Monaghan	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	6
Offaly	0	2	0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	3	0	18
Roscommon	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	6
Sligo	1	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	9
North Tipperary	0	0	0	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	11
South Tipperary	0	4	0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	1	21
Waterford County	0	0	0	1	4	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	1	4	15
Westmeath	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Wexford	0	2	0	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	0	18
Wicklow	0	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	8
Cork City & County	0	8	0	4	17	0	3	0	0	1	9	1	6	3	52
Dublin City & County	1	12	0	4	54	0	6	0	0	2	24	5	17	7	132
Limerick City	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	8
Waterford City	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>550</b>

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

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	1	0	6	4	11
Cavan	1	1	0	4	7	4	17
Clare	0	0	0	2	4	5	11
Donegal	0	0	1	10	8	4	23
Galway	0	0	1	6	9	9	25
Kerry	1	1	1	4	5	2	14
Kildare	1	0	1	2	10	2	16
Kilkenny	0	0	1	6	6	3	16
Laois	0	1	0	1	2	6	10
Leitrim	0	0	0	1	1	0	2
Limerick County	1	0	0	6	7	7	21
Longford	0	0	0	1	0	2	3
Louth	0	0	3	4	8	7	22
Mayo	0	0	1	4	10	2	17
Meath	0	0	1	7	11	8	27
Monaghan	2	0	0	1	0	3	6
Offaly	0	0	1	2	8	7	18
Roscommon	0	0	0	3	1	2	6
Sligo	0	0	0	3	5	1	9
North Tipperary	1	0	0	5	2	3	11
South Tipperary	1	2	1	5	8	4	21
Waterford County	0	1	1	2	7	4	15
Westmeath	1	0	0	1	3	1	6
Wexford	0	0	0	3	4	11	18
Wicklow	0	0	0	1	2	5	8
Cork City & County	2	0	3	18	15	14	52
Dublin City & County	3	7	8	33	51	30	132
Limerick City	1	0	0	1	2	4	8
Waterford City	0	2	0	0	1	2	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>550</b>

## Background Notes

**Source** The vehicle licensing figures are compiled from data supplied by the Department of Transport, 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 city and county council, 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, 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.

From 31<sup>st</sup> of October 1999, detailed information on agricultural vehicles is no longer published in accordance with Commission Decision 92/157/EEC as upheld on 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.