

TABLE 4 - INCREASE OR DECREASE PER CENT IN POPULATION OF EACH PROVINCE AND COUNTY AS CONSTITUTED AT EACH OF THE ELEVEN CENSUSES FROM 1851 to 1951.

Note.

The Military and Navy are not included in the figures in this Table for 1851, but are included for subsequent years.

Province and County	Percentage decrease in population (+ = increase)									
	1851 to 1861	1861 to 1871	1871 to 1881	1881 to 1891	1891 to 1901	1901 to 1911	1911 to 1926	1926 to 1936	1936 to 1946	1946 to 1951
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
<b>TOTAL</b>	13.88	7.93	11.52	10.37	7.12	2.55	5.34	0.12	0.45	+ 0.19
<b>LEINSTER</b>										
Leinster	12.86	8.11	4.51	7.13	2.94	+0.80	1.11	+ 6.21	+ 4.97	+ 4.33
Munster	18.53	7.93	4.48	11.92	8.21	3.78	6.33	2.84	2.65	2.01
Connacht	9.59	7.33	2.90	11.79	10.74	5.56	9.51	4.96	6.22	4.24
Ulster (part of)	9.33	8.45	7.55	12.44	9.87	4.25	9.38	6.61	5.85	4.03
Carlow	16.07	9.60	9.84	12.09	7.79	3.96	4.90	0.07	1.08	+ 0.24
Dublin County and Dublin County Borough	+ 1.26	1.22	+ 3.37	+ 0.07	+ 6.92	+ 6.47	+ 5.96	+16.07	+ 8.39	+ 8.93
Kildare	5.00	8.06	9.34	7.38	9.46	+ 4.82	12.91	0.23	+12.02	+ 2.45
Kilkenny	21.56	12.16	9.00	12.33	9.28	5.30	5.30	3.35	2.77	2.21
Laoighis	18.82	12.00	8.33	11.27	11.51	4.86	5.65	2.78	0.82	2.55
Longford	12.94	10.03	5.41	13.71	11.35	6.11	9.07	5.02	4.30	4.60
Louth	15.74	7.38	7.54	8.56	7.35	3.27	1.45	+ 2.55	+ 2.88	+ 3.89
Meath	21.58	13.42	8.47	11.98	12.33	3.56	3.26	2.48	+ 7.86	+ 0.16
Offaly	19.66	15.71	4.02	10.01	8.20	5.57	7.46	2.44	+ 4.63	2.13
Westmeath	18.43	13.70	8.46	9.32	5.34	2.67	5.28	3.72	+ 0.44	0.88
Wexford	20.10	7.84	6.64	9.75	6.87	1.76	6.28	1.67	2.54	1.98
Wicklow	12.63	9.00	10.56	11.72	2.11	0.19	5.14	+ 1.70	+ 3.21	+ 3.54
<b>MUNSTER</b>										
Clare	21.72	11.09	4.33	12.00	9.76	7.21	8.80	5.45	5.36	4.39
Cork County and Cork County Borough	16.09	5.09	4.15	11.54	7.71	3.09	6.72	2.68	3.45	0.69
Kerry	15.30	2.58	+ 2.27	10.89	7.49	3.64	6.59	6.26	4.25	5.41
Limerick County and Limerick County Borough	17.11	11.66	5.89	12.02	8.06	2.07	1.91	+ 0.58	+ 1.00	0.93
Tipperary	24.87	13.00	7.89	13.24	7.48	4.87	7.49	2.26	1.32	1.99
Waterford County and Waterford County Borough	18.16	8.15	8.55	12.87	11.26	3.69	6.44	1.21	1.94	1.38
<b>CONNACHT</b>										
Galway	15.61	8.48	2.60	11.28	10.32	5.36	7.06	0.69	1.78	3.02
Leitrim	6.39	8.77	5.43	13.01	11.80	8.31	12.07	8.94	12.41	7.58
Mayo	7.18	3.44	0.33	10.68	9.07	3.51	10.14	6.57	8.20	4.22
Roscommon	9.32	10.56	5.82	13.66	11.02	7.70	11.07	7.17	6.52	6.08
Sligo	2.86	7.49	3.39	12.16	14.21	5.99	9.69	5.52	7.52	2.99
<b>ULSTER (part of)</b>										
Cavan	11.58	8.56	8.00	13.56	12.85	6.53	9.57	7.01	8.24	5.65
Donegal	6.96	8.03	5.63	9.90	6.42	2.98	9.51	6.69	4.21	3.51
Monaghan	10.82	9.10	10.63	16.10	13.45	4.23	8.85	5.90	6.65	3.27