

TABLE 12 :—BIRTHS, DEATHS, NATURAL INCREASE AND ESTIMATED NET EMIGRATION IN THE INTERCENSAL ATION.

Area	Population in 1956	Total births in the period 1/4/'51 to 31/3/'56†		Total deaths in the period 1/4/'51 to 31/3/'56†		Natural increase in the period 1/4/'51 to 31/3/'56	
		Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
TOTAL	2,898,264	160,384	152,183	95,721	82,862	64,613	69,821
LEINSTER	1,388,942	78,452	74,308	39,467	34,833	38,985	39,475
MUNSTER	877,238	47,248	44,875	30,794	26,288	16,454	18,587
CONNACHT	446,221	22,751	21,810	16,459	13,745	6,292	8,065
ULSTER (part of)	235,863	11,883	11,190	9,001	7,496	2,882	3,694
Leinster							
Carlow	33,888	2,102	1,890	1,142	923	960	967
Dublin*	705,781	41,707	39,772	17,580	17,278	24,127	22,494
Kildare	65,915	4,266	3,958	2,074	1,542	2,192	2,416
Kilkenny	64,089	3,529	3,259	2,369	1,874	1,160	1,385
Laoighis	47,087	2,573	2,522	1,814	1,371	759	1,151
Longford	32,969	1,879	1,665	1,323	1,005	556	660
Louth	69,194	4,147	3,788	2,136	1,867	2,011	1,921
Meath	66,762	3,646	3,485	2,246	1,722	1,400	1,763
Offaly	51,970	2,895	2,839	1,708	1,376	1,187	1,463
Westmeath	54,122	3,393	3,234	1,916	1,446	1,477	1,788
Wexford	87,259	4,909	4,538	3,162	2,731	1,747	1,807
Wicklow	59,906	3,406	3,358	1,997	1,698	1,409	1,660
Munster							
Clare	77,176	3,774	3,680	2,941	2,366	833	1 314
Cork*	336,663	17,457	16,817	11,633	10,269	5,824	6,548
Kerry	122,072	6,331	5,871	4,338	3,755	1,993	2,116
Limerick*	137,881	8,315	7,707	4,515	3,810	3,800	3,897
Tipperary, N.R.	55,697	3,281	3,135	2,084	1,700	1,197	1,435
Tipperary, S.R.	73,718	4,200	3,961	2,716	2,199	1,484	1,762
Waterford*	74,031	3,890	3,704	2,567	2,189	1,323	1,515
Connacht							
Galway	155,553	8,457	8,087	4,955	4,207	3,502	3,880
Leitrim	37,056	1,680	1,604	1,647	1,270	33	334
Mayo	133,052	6,772	6,592	4,881	4,151	1,891	2,441
Roscommon	63,710	2,978	2,777	2,676	2,169	302	608
Sligo	56,850	2,864	2,750	2,300	1,948	564	802
Ulster (part of)							
Cavan	61,740	3,017	2,913	2,657	2,066	360	847
Donegal	122,059	6,102	5,690	4,506	3,926	1,596	1,764
Monaghan	52,064	2,764	2,587	1,838	1,504	926	1,083

* Including Co. Borough.

† Relate to the population normally resident in each province and county.

PERIOD 1951-'56 FOR EACH COUNTY AND PROVINCE AND ANNUAL AVERAGE RATES PER 1,000 AVERAGE POPUL.

Decrease in population in the intercensal period 1951-'56 (+ = Increase)		Estimated net emigration in the intercensal period 1951-'56		Annual average rates per 1,000 of average population in the intercensal period 1951-'56				Area
Males	Females	Males	Females	Births	Deaths	Natural increase	Net emigration	
43,669	18,660	108,282	88,481	21.3	12.2	9.2	13.4	TOTAL
5,507	+7,968	44,492	31,507	22.8	11.1	11.7	11.4	LEINSTER
13,631	8,096	30,085	26,683	20.7	12.9	7.9	12.8	MUNSTER
14,397	11,277	20,689	19,342	19.4	13.2	6.3	17.4	CONNACHT
10,134	7,255	13,016	10,949	18.9	13.5	5.4	19.6	ULSTER (Part of)
182	92	1,142	1,059	23.5	12.1	11.3	12.9	Leinster
+3,501	+9,258	20,626	13,236	23.3	10.0	13.3	9.7	Carlow
1,295	+ 773	3,487	1,643	24.9	10.9	13.9	15.5	Dublin*
712	339	1,872	1,724	21.0	13.1	7.9	11.1	Kildare
921	422	1,680	1,573	21.3	13.3	8.0	13.6	Kilkenny
911	673	1,467	1,333	21.0	13.8	7.2	16.6	Laoighis
98	+521	2,109	1,400	23.0	11.6	11.4	10.2	Longford
150	+575	1,550	1,188	21.4	11.9	9.5	8.2	Louth
715	+141	1,902	1,322	21.9	11.8	10.1	12.3	Meath
635	+294	2,112	1,494	24.4	12.4	12.0	13.3	Offaly
1,735	1,038	3,482	2,845	21.3	13.3	8.0	14.3	Westmeath
1,654	1,030	3,063	2,690	22.1	12.1	10.0	18.8	Wexford
								Wicklow
2,605	1,548	3,438	2,862	18.8	13.4	5.4	15.9	Munster
2,913	1,708	8,737	8,256	20.2	12.9	7.3	10.0	Clare
2,542	2,030	4,535	4,146	19.6	13.0	6.6	14.0	Cork*
2,069	1,289	5,869	5,186	23.0	11.9	11.0	15.8	Kerry
761	551	1,958	1,986	22.8	13.4	9.3	14.0	Limerick*
1,707	879	3,191	2,641	21.8	13.1	8.7	15.5	Tipperary, N.R.
1,034	91	2,357	1,606	20.4	12.8	7.6	10.6	Tipperary, S.R.
								Waterford*
2,918	1,733	6,420	5,613	21.0	11.6	9.4	15.2	Connacht
2,388	1,765	2,421	2,099	16.8	14.9	1.9	23.1	Galway
4,466	4,349	6,357	6,790	19.4	13.1	6.3	19.1	Leitrim
2,548	1,844	2,850	2,452	17.5	14.7	2.8	16.1	Mayo
2,077	1,586	2,641	2,388	19.1	14.5	4.7	17.1	Roscommon
								Sligo
3,010	1,627	3,370	2,474	18.5	14.7	3.8	18.2	Ulster (Part of)
5,300	4,171	6,896	5,935	18.6	13.3	5.3	20.2	Cavan
1,824	1,457	2,750	2,540	19.9	12.4	7.5	19.7	Donegal
								Monaghan

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