

TABLE 9 :—POPULATION, AREA AND VALUATION OF ALL TOWNS WITH LEGALLY DEFINED BOUNDARIES ; POPULA-
DEFINED BOUNDARIES HAVING 1,500 INHABITANTS OR OVER IN 1956 ; AGGREGATE TOWN AND VILLAGE

NOTES.

1. Cities and Towns which have Local Government, i.e., County Boroughs, Boroughs and Municipal Boroughs, Urban Districts and Towns under the Towns Improvement (Ireland) Act, 1854, have legally defined boundaries and particulars of Area and Valuation are shown in each case. Other towns have no legally defined boundaries and consequently particulars of Area and Valuation are not available ; where a Rural District contains one or more Census Towns particulars of Area and Valuation for " Remainder of R.D." have not been shown.

District	Population						
	1951	1956			Decrease per cent (+ = increase)		
	Persons	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females
					%	%	%
TOTAL ...	2,960,593	2,898,264	1,462,928	1,435,336	2.1	2.9	1.3
PROVINCE OF LEINSTER	1,336,481	1,338,942	658,453	680,489	+ 0.2	0.8	+ 1.2
PROVINCE OF MUNSTER	898,965	877,238	446,782	430,456	2.4	3.0	1.8
PROVINCE OF CONNACHT	471,895	446,221	234,558	211,663	5.4	5.8	5.1
PROVINCE OF ULSTER (PART OF)	253,252	235,863	123,135	112,728	6.9	7.6	6.0
LEINSTER							
CARLOW COUNTY	34,162	33,888	17,666	16,222	0.8	1.0	0.6
Urban District :							
Carlow ... U.D.	7,667	7,465	3,648	3,817	2.6	2.8	2.5
Rural Districts :							
Baltinglass No. 2 ... R.D.	3,589	3,470	1,906	1,564	3.3	4.4	2.0
Carlow ... R.D.	20,393	20,562	10,819	9,743	+ 0.8	+ 0.9	+ 0.8
Muinebeag (Bagenalstown) Town* ...	1,874	1,984	1,005	979	+ 5.9	+ 7.4	+ 4.4
Tullow Town* ...	1,739	1,744	877	867	+ 0.3	+ 3.8	3.0
Environs of Tullow ...	118	94	53	41	20.3	25.3	21.2
Environs of Carlow ...	758	980	499	481	+29.3	+23.5	+35.8
Remainder of R.D. ...	15,904	15,760	8,385	7,375	0.9	1.0	0.8
Idrone ... R.D.	2,513	2,391	1,293	1,098	4.9	6.1	3.3
DUBLIN CITY AND COUNTY	693,022	705,781	329,627	376,154	+ 1.8	+ 1.1	+ 2.5
DUBLIN CITY (OR CO. BOROUGH)	551,555	539,476	250,817	288,659	2.2	3.2	1.3
DUBLIN COUNTY	141,467	166,305	78,810	87,495	+17.6	+17.7	+17.4
Borough							
Dun Laoghaire ...	47,562	47,553	20,772	26,781	0.0	+ 0.6	0.5
Rural Districts :							
Balrothery ... R.D.	24,547	25,315	12,729	12,586	+ 3.1	+ 3.4	+ 2.8
Balbriggan Town* ...	2,920	2,935	1,379	1,556	+ 0.5	+ 4.5	2.8
Malahide Town ...	2,146	2,490	1,198	1,292	+16.0	+15.9	+16.2
Rush Town ...	1,943	2,007	1,036	971	+ 3.3	+ 3.5	+ 3.1
Skerries Town ...	2,458	2,450	1,171	1,279	0.3	+ 4.5	4.3
Swords Town ...	1,546	1,629	802	827	+ 5.4	+ 4.2	+ 6.6
Remainder of R.D. ...	13,534	13,804	7,143	6,661	+ 2.0	+ 1.1	+ 3.0
Celbridge No. 2 ... R.D.	7,794	7,686	3,974	3,712	1.4	1.5	1.3
Lucan—Doddsborough Town ...	1,602	1,594	759	835	0.5	3.9	+ 2.8
Remainder of R.D. ...	6,192	6,092	3,215	2,877	1.6	0.9	2.4
Dublin North ... R.D.	10,019	9,501	4,284	5,217	5.2	7.9	2.8
Dublin North City Suburbs ...	2,637	2,252	795	1,457	14.6	4.8	19.1
Remainder of R.D. ...	7,382	7,249	3,489	3,760	1.8	8.5	+ 5.4
Dublin South ... R.D.	20,078	29,840	14,788	15,052	+48.6	+44.9	+52.4
Clondalkin Town ...	1,680	3,105	1,526	1,579	+84.8	+81.5	+88.2
Dublin South City Suburbs (pt.) ...	11,178	18,775	9,434	9,341	+68.0	+67.1	+68.9
Remainder of R.D. ...	7,220	7,960	3,828	4,132	+10.2	+ 3.0	+17.9
Rathdown No. 1 ... R.D.	31,467	46,410	22,263	24,147	+47.5	+47.3	+47.7
Dublin South City Suburbs (pt.) ...	15,018	23,980	11,430	12,550	+59.7	+61.8	+57.8
Dun Laoghaire Suburbs ...	12,010	17,302	8,287	9,015	+44.1	+42.6	+45.5
Environs of Bray (pt.) (a) ...	252	998	479	519	+296.0	+289.4	+302.3
Remainder of R.D. ...	4,187	4,130	2,067	2,063	1.4	2.2	0.5
KILDARE COUNTY	66,437	65,915	35,069	30,846	0.8	3.6	+ 2.6
Urban Districts :							
Athy ... U.D.	3,752	3,948	1,995	1,953	+ 5.2	+ 4.7	+ 5.7
Naas ... "	3,731	3,915	1,911	2,004	+ 4.9	+ 1.6	+ 8.3

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NOTES.

2. The "Town and Village Population" includes persons living in all towns and villages containing 20 or more occupied houses.
 3. The AREA shown is exclusive of the area under certain lakes, rivers and tideways ; the VALUATION is the rateable valuation on 1 March, 1956.
 4. Abbreviations :—U.D., Urban District ; R.D., Rural District.

Population in towns and villages, 1956		Persons per 100 acres	Area	Valuation	District
Persons	As percentage of total population				
	%		Acres	£	
1,539,928	53.1	17.0	17,023,668	14,248,747	TOTAL
941,497	70.3	27.6	4,851,397	7,533,080	PROVINCE OF LEINSTER
424,662	48.4	14.7	5,961,783	4,079,339	PROVINCE OF MUNSTER
112,919	25.3	10.5	4,230,720	1,692,645	PROVINCE OF CONNACHT
60,850	25.8	11.9	1,979,768	943,683	PROVINCE OF ULSTER (PART OF)
LEINSTER					
15,372	45.4	15.3	221,485✓	185,836	CARLOW COUNTY
7,465	100.0	1,269.6	588	19,695	Urban District : Carlow U.D.
844	24.3	10.4	33,404	24,553	Rural Districts :
6,741	32.8	12.7	162,380	131,393	Baltinglass No. 2 R.D.
1,984	100.0	266.7	744	5,562	Carlow R.D.
1,744	100.0	206.6	844	4,654	Muinebeag (Bagenalstown) Town*
94	100.0	—	—	—	Tullow Town*
980	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Tullow
1,939	12.3	—	—	—	Environs of Carlow
322	13.5	9.5	25,113	10,195	Remainder of R.D.
676,027	95.8	309.8	227,826✓	3,924,839✓	DUBLIN CITY AND COUNTY
539,476	100.0	1,892.0	28,513	2,995,121	DUBLIN CITY (OR CO. BOROUGH)
136,551	82.1	83.4	199,313	929,718	DUBLIN COUNTY
47,553	100.0	1,137.9	4,179	284,590	Borough Dun Laoghaire
14,405	56.9	30.0	84,405	133,479	Rural Districts :
2,935	100.0	545.5	538	8,180	Balrothery R.D.
2,490	100.0	—	—	—	Balbriggan Town*
2,007	100.0	—	—	—	Malahide Town
2,450	100.0	—	—	—	Rush Town
1,629	100.0	—	—	—	Skerries Town
2,894	21.0	—	—	—	Swords Town
2,791	36.3	29.3	26,208	43,396	Remainder of R.D.
1,594	100.0	—	—	—	Celbridge No. 2 R.D.
1,197	19.6	—	—	—	Lucan—Doddsborough Town
4,708	49.6	39.9	23,789	60,235	Remainder of R.D.
2,252	100.0	—	—	—	Dublin North R.D.
2,456	33.9	—	—	—	Dublin North City Suburbs
23,234	77.9	78.6	37,951	149,076	Remainder of R.D.
3,105	100.0	—	—	—	Dublin South R.D.
18,775	100.0	—	—	—	Clondalkin Town
1,354	17.0	—	—	—	Dublin South City Suburbs (pt.)
43,860	94.5	203.7	22,781	258,942	Remainder of R.D.
23,980	100.0	—	—	—	Rathdown No. 1 R.D.
17,302	100.0	—	—	—	Dublin South City Suburbs (pt.)
998	100.0	—	—	—	Dun Laoghaire Suburbs
1,580	38.3	—	—	—	Environs of Bray (pt.) (a)
25,549	38.8	15.7	418,644✓	354,484	KILDARE COUNTY
3,948	100.0	410.8	961	11,394	Urban Districts :
3,915	100.0	86.3	4,535	15,329	Athy U.D.
					Naas "

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	Persons	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females
					%	%	%
LEINSTER (CONTD.)							
KILDARE COUNTY (CONTD.)							
Rural Districts :							
Athy No. 1 R.D.	13,828	13,706	7,251	6,455	0.9	1.7	+0.0
Celbridge No. 1 "	9,702	9,506	5,319	4,187	2.0	4.3	+1.0
Maynooth Town "	1,623	1,722	1,141	581	+6.1	+5.4	+7.6
Remainder of R.D. "	8,079	7,784	4,178	3,606	3.7	6.6	—
Edenderry No. 2 R.D.	6,182	5,965	3,257	2,708	3.5	7.6	+1.9
Naas No. 1 "	29,242	28,875	15,336	13,539	1.3	4.9	+3.2
Droichead Nua (Nowbridge) Town* ...	3,007	3,600	1,814	1,786	+19.7	+15.7	+24.1
Environs of Droichead Nua ...	423	557	287	270	+31.7	+32.2	+31.1
Kildare Town "	2,637	2,617	1,333	1,284	0.8	2.0	+0.5
Remainder of R.D. "	23,175	22,101	11,902	10,199	4.6	8.3	+0.0
KILKENNY COUNTY	65,140	64,089	33,927	30,162	1.6	2.1	1.1
Urban District :							
Kilkenny U.D.	10,572	10,607	5,185	5,422	+0.3	0.0	+0.6
Rural Districts :							
Callan R.D.	6,632	6,443	3,395	3,048	2.8	3.4	2.3
Callan Town* "	1,506	1,461	704	757	3.0	1.7	4.2
Remainder of R.D. "	5,126	4,982	2,691	2,291	2.8	3.8	1.6
Carrick-on-Suir No. 3 R.D.	3,485	3,346	1,816	1,530	4.0	3.9	4.1
Castlecomer "	7,883	7,686	4,212	3,474	2.5	2.5	2.5
Ida "	2,504	2,278	1,257	1,021	9.0	10.1	7.7
Kilkenny "	11,170	11,211	6,014	5,197	+0.4	0.5	+1.4
Environs of Kilkenny "	1,432	1,721	816	905	+20.2	+19.3	+21.0
Remainder of R.D. "	9,738	9,490	5,198	4,292	2.5	3.1	1.9
Thomastown R.D.	10,984	10,686	5,703	4,983	2.7	2.1	3.4
Urlingford "	4,565	4,534	2,427	2,107	0.7	4.1	+3.5
Waterford No. 2 "	7,345	7,298	3,918	3,380	0.6	0.4	0.9
LAOIGHIS COUNTY	48,480	47,087	25,233	21,854	2.8	3.5	1.9
Rural Districts :							
Abboyleix R.D.	12,869	12,386	6,668	5,718	3.8	4.2	3.2
Athy No. 2 "	5,051	4,815	2,580	2,235	4.7	4.8	4.5
Mountmellick "	23,657	23,319	12,407	10,912	1.4	1.9	0.9
Mountmellick Town* "	2,501	2,564	1,280	1,284	+2.5	+2.0	+3.0
Environs of Mountmellick "	144	113	60	53	21.5	20.0	3.2
Portarlinton Town (pt.) (a) "	1,791	1,857	949	908	+3.7	+1.6	+6.0
Portlaoighise (Maryborough) Town* ...	3,304	3,196	1,623	1,573	3.3	3.3	3.2
Environs of Portlaoighise "	1,985	2,305	1,194	1,171	+19.1	+20.5	+17.8
Remainder of R.D. "	13,932	13,224	7,301	5,923	5.1	5.3	4.8
Roscrea No. 3 R.D.	3,069	2,914	1,567	1,347	5.1	5.5	4.5
Slievemargy "	3,784	3,653	2,011	1,642	3.5	7.5	+2.1
LONGFORD COUNTY	34,553	32,969	17,477	15,492	4.6	5.0	4.2
Urban District :							
Longford U.D.	3,845	3,716	1,761	1,955	3.4	8.3	+1.6
Rural Districts :							
Ballymahon R.D.	6,817	6,547	3,561	2,986	4.0	2.7	5.4
Granard No. 1 "	10,310	9,692	5,267	4,425	6.0	6.3	5.7
Granard Town* "	1,150	1,086	565	521	5.6	3.1	8.1
Remainder of R.D. "	9,160	8,606	4,702	3,904	6.0	6.7	5.3
Longford R.D.	13,581	13,014	6,888	6,126	4.2	4.1	4.2
Environs of Longford "	500	451	221	230	9.8	8.7	10.9
Remainder of R.D. "	13,081	12,563	6,667	5,896	4.0	4.0	3.9
LOUTH COUNTY	68,771	69,194	34,788	34,406	+0.6	0.3	+1.5
Urban Districts :							
Drogheda U.D.	16,779	17,008	8,233	8,775	+1.4	+0.1	+2.6
Dundalk "	19,678	20,154	9,886	10,268	+2.4	+0.7	+4.1

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LEINSTER (CONTD.)					
KILDARE COUNTY (CONTD.)					
Rural Districts :					
2,120	15.5	10.6	129,500	81,063	Athy No. 1 R.D.
5,013	52.7	17.7	53,702	65,839	Celbridge No. 1 "
1,722	100.0	—	—	—	Maynooth Town
3,291	42.3	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
686	11.5	8.6	69,418	40,673	Edenderry No. 2 R.D.
9,867	34.2	18.0	160,528	140,186	Naas No. 1 "
3,600	100.0	518.7	694	8,948	Droichead Nua (Newbridge) Town*
557	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Droichead Nua
2,617	100.0	—	—	—	Kildare Town
3,093	14.0	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
24,649	38.5	12.6	509,431 ✓	385,022	
KILKENNY COUNTY					
Urban District :					
10,607	100.0	1,149.2	923	30,966	Kilkenny U.D.
Rural Districts :					
2,045	31.7	10.4	62,169	47,056	Callan R.D.
1,461	100.0	389.6	375	3,816	Callan Town*
584	11.7	8.1	61,794	43,240	Remainder of R.D.
610	18.2	10.4	32,097	22,233	Carrick-on-Suir No. 3 R.D.
2,407	31.3	13.3	57,867	34,376	Castlecomer "
—	—	8.0	28,332	16,152	Ida "
2,981	26.6	10.2	110,065	84,062	Kilkenny "
1,721	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Kilkenny
1,260	13.3	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
3,438	32.2	9.9	107,638	66,709	Thomsatown R.D.
923	20.4	8.6	53,002	32,702	Urlingford "
1,638	22.4	12.7	57,338	50,766	Waterford No. 2 "
16,451	34.9	11.1	424,892 ✓	258,930	
LAOIGHIS COUNTY					
Rural Districts :					
3,360	27.1	9.8	127,009	82,551	Abbeyleix R.D.
969	20.1	10.0	48,037	31,806	Athy No. 2 "
11,541	49.5	13.2	176,214	95,970	Mountmellick "
2,564	100.0	455.4	563	6,276	Mountmellick Town*
113	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Mountmellick
1,857	100.0	—	—	—	Portarlington Town (pt.) (a)
3,196	100.0	630.4	507	8,994	Portlaoighise (Maryborough) Town*
2,365	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Portlaoighise
1,446	10.9	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
253	8.7	8.0	36,602	22,830	Roscrea No. 3 R.D.
328	9.0	9.9	37,030	25,773	Slievemargy "
8,830	26.8	12.8	257,936 ✓	161,502	
LONGFORD COUNTY					
Urban District :					
3,716	100.0	441.3	842	11,615	Longford U.D.
Rural Districts :					
1,005	15.4	9.4	69,834	41,149	Ballymahon R.D.
2,071	21.4	12.4	77,917	52,898	Granard No. 1 "
1,086	100.0	54.2	2,005	4,483	Granard Town*
985	11.4	11.3	75,912	48,415	Remainder of R.D.
2,038	15.7	11.9	109,343	55,840	Longford R.D.
451	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Longford
1,587	12.6	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
45,888	66.3	34.1	202,806 ✓	316,119	
LOUTH COUNTY					
Urban Districts :					
17,008	100.0	1,144.5	1,486	46,511	Drogheda U.D.
20,154	100.0	333.9	6,036	69,897	Dundalk "

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LEINSTER (CONTD.)							
LOUTH COUNTY (CONTD.)							
Rural Districts :							
Ardee No. 1 R.D.	11,547	11,916	6,351	5,565	+ 3.2	+ 3.2	+ 3.2
Ardee Town*	2,489	2,719	1,375	1,344	+ 9.2	+ 8.2	+ 10.3
Remainder of R.D.	9,058	9,197	4,976	4,221	+ 1.5	+ 1.9	+ 1.2
Dundalk R.D.	15,472	14,994	7,693	7,301	3.1	3.6	2.5
Environs of Dundalk	1,395	1,533	750	783	+ 9.9	+ 15.9	+ 4.7
Remainder of R.D.	14,077	13,461	6,943	6,518	4.4	5.4	3.3
Louth R.D.	5,295	5,122	2,625	2,497	3.3	3.1	3.5
MEATH COUNTY	66,887	66,762	34,830	31,932	+ 0.6	0.4	+ 1.8
Urban Districts :							
An Uaimh (Navan) U.D.	4,271	3,643	1,690	1,953	14.7	14.6	14.8
Ceanannus Mór (Kells)	2,125	2,162	1,000	1,162	+ 1.7	+ 3.5	+ 0.3
Trim	1,309	1,342	669	673	+ 2.5	+ 2.9	+ 2.1
Rural Districts :							
Ardee No. 2 R.D.	2,618	2,642	1,417	1,225	+ 0.9	0.5	+ 2.6
Dunshaughlin	9,422	9,852	5,178	4,674	+ 4.6	+ 3.0	+ 6.3
Kells	10,626	10,375	5,558	4,817	2.4	3.2	1.4
Meath	7,478	7,855	4,131	3,724	+ 5.0	+ 3.4	+ 6.9
Navan	10,958	11,545	6,029	5,516	+ 5.4	+ 2.9	+ 8.2
Environs of An Uaimh	667	1,170	581	589	+ 75.4	+ 71.9	+ 79.0
Remainder of R.D.	10,291	10,375	5,448	4,927	+ 0.8	1.3	+ 3.3
Oldcastle R.D.	4,392	4,278	2,265	2,013	2.6	2.4	2.8
Trim	13,138	13,068	6,893	6,175	0.5	1.8	+ 0.9
Environs of Trim	417	444	231	213	+ 6.5	+ 11.6	+ 1.4
Remainder of R.D.	12,721	12,624	6,662	5,962	0.8	2.2	+ 0.9
OFFALY COUNTY	52,544	51,970	27,591	24,379	1.1	2.5	+ 0.6
Urban Districts :							
Birr U.D.	3,285	3,257	1,541	1,716	0.9	0.8	0.9
Tullamore	6,165	6,147	2,954	3,193	0.3	1.9	+ 1.3
Rural Districts :							
Birr No. 1 R.D.	14,194	14,344	7,915	6,429	+ 1.1	+ 1.2	+ 0.9
Environs of Birr (pt.) (a)	572	500	260	240	12.6	13.9	11.1
Remainder of R.D.	13,622	13,844	7,655	6,189	+ 1.6	+ 1.8	+ 1.4
Edenderry No. 1 R.D.	7,308	7,404	3,876	3,528	+ 1.3	+ 0.0	+ 2.8
Edenderry Town*	2,596	2,627	1,272	1,355	+ 1.2	+ 2.2	+ 0.3
Environs of Edenderry	122	102	60	42	16.4	14.3	19.2
Remainder of R.D.	4,590	4,675	2,544	2,131	+ 1.9	0.6	+ 5.0
Roscrea No. 2 R.D.	4,953	4,538	2,445	2,093	8.4	14.1	0.7
Tullamore	16,639	16,280	8,860	7,420	2.2	3.7	0.3
Clara Town	2,563	2,628	1,367	1,261	+ 2.5	+ 4.0	+ 1.0
Portarlinton Town (pt.) (b)	791	863	439	424	+ 9.1	+ 8.7	+ 9.6
Remainder of R.D.	13,285	12,789	7,054	5,735	3.7	5.7	1.2
WESTMEATH COUNTY	54,463	54,122	28,102	26,020	0.6	2.2	+ 1.1
Urban District :							
Athlone U.D.	9,015	9,393	4,671	4,722	+ 4.2	+ 3.1	+ 5.3
Rural Districts :							
Athlone No. 1 R.D.	7,857	7,813	4,075	3,738	0.6	1.2	+ 0.2
Environs of Athlone (pt.) (c)	686	794	403	391	+ 15.7	+ 17.8	+ 13.7
Remainder of R.D.	7,171	7,019	3,672	3,347	2.1	3.0	1.2
Ballymore R.D.	2,169	2,196	1,182	1,014	+ 1.2	+ 1.3	+ 1.2
Coole	2,704	2,683	1,404	1,279	0.8	3.6	+ 2.5
Delvin	6,736	6,397	3,334	3,063	5.0	7.2	2.5
Mullingar	25,982	25,640	13,436	12,204	1.3	3.1	+ 0.7
Mullingar Town*	5,643	5,884	2,867	3,017	+ 4.3	+ 6.1	+ 2.6
Environs of Mullingar	1,569	1,604	865	739	+ 2.2	+ 1.9	+ 2.6
Remainder of R.D.	18,770	18,152	9,704	8,448	3.3	5.9	0.1

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TABLE 9 (contd.) :—POPULATION, AREA AND VALUATION OF URBAN DISTRICTS, ETC.

Population in towns and villages, 1956		Persons per 100 acres	Area	Valuation	District
Persons	As percentage of total population				
	%		Acres	£	
LEINSTER (CONTD.)					
LOUTH COUNTY (CONTD.)					
4,528	38.0	17.7	67,212	74,678	Rural Districts :
2,719	100.0	231.4	1,175	7,214	
1,809	19.7	13.9	66,037	67,464	Ardee No. 1 R.D.
3,070	20.5	17.1	87,579	78,280	Ardee Town*
1,533	100.0	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
1,537	11.4	—	—	—	Dundalk R.D.
1,128	22.0	12.6	40,493	46,753	Environs of Dundalk
					Remainder of R.D.
15,317	22.9	11.6	577,824 ✓	579,956	Louth R.D.
MEATH COUNTY					
3,643	100.0	815.0	447	12,164	Urban Districts :
2,162	100.0	812.8	266	7,042	
1,342	100.0	849.4	158	4,138	An Uaimh (Navan) U.D.
189	7.2	8.7	30,329	26,268	Ceanannus Mór (Kells) "
1,305	13.2	9.2	106,757	111,251	Trim "
545	5.3	10.1	103,154	93,572	Rural Districts :
1,851	23.6	13.7	57,345	67,288	
1,478	12.8	12.3	94,039	98,810	Ardee No. 2 R.D.
1,170	100.0	—	—	—	Dunshaughlin "
308	3.0	—	—	—	Kells "
776	18.1	9.7	44,099	37,711	Meath "
2,026	15.5	9.3	141,230	121,712	Navan "
444	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of An Uaimh
1,582	12.5	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
22,356	43.0	10.5	493,636 ✓	267,453	Oldcastle R.D.
OFFALY COUNTY					
3,257	100.0	205.6	1,584	11,969	Urban Districts :
6,147	100.0	316.9	1,940	18,240	
4,049	28.2	7.9	181,233	79,421	Birr U.D.
500	100.0	—	—	—	Tullamore "
3,549	25.6	—	—	—	Rural Districts :
3,310	44.7	9.1	81,156	43,269	
2,627	100.0	134.1	1,959	6,008	Birr No. 1 R.D.
102	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Birr (pt.) (a)
581	12.4	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
722	15.9	6.9	66,049	35,380	Edenderry No. 1 R.D.
4,871	29.9	10.1	161,674	79,174	Edenderry Town*
2,628	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Edenderry
863	100.0	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
1,380	10.8	—	—	—	Roscrea No. 2 R.D.
24,429	45.1	12.4	435,606 ✓	341,071	Tullamore R.D.
WESTMEATH COUNTY					
9,393	100.0	764.9	1,228	25,469	Urban District :
2,205	28.2	11.6	67,335	43,989	
794	100.0	—	—	—	Rural Districts :
1,411	20.1	—	—	—	
162	7.4	7.2	30,422	21,194	Athlone No. 1 R.D.
727	27.1	7.3	36,554	21,754	Environs of Athlone (pt.) (c)
1,646	25.7	8.6	74,433	54,818	Remainder of R.D.
10,296	40.2	11.4	225,634	173,847	Ballymore R.D.
5,884	100.0	427.6	1,376	17,211	Coole "
1,604	100.0	—	—	—	Delvin "
2,808	15.5	—	—	—	Mullingar "
					Mullingar Town*
					Environs of Mullingar
					Remainder of R.D.

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District	Population						
	1951	1956			Decrease per cent (+ = increase)		
	Persons	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females
					%	%	%
LEINSTER (CONTD.)							
WEXFORD COUNTY	90,082	87,259	44,210	43,049	3.1	3.8	2.4
Urban Districts :							
Enniscorthy U.D.	5,948	5,445	2,613	2,832	8.5	10.5	6.5
New Ross "	4,903	4,643	2,102	2,541	5.3	4.9	5.6
Wexford "	11,979	10,838	5,127	5,711	9.5	11.7	7.5
Rural Districts :							
Enniscorthy R.D.	22,654	22,213	11,655	10,558	1.9	2.0	1.9
Environ of Enniscorthy	584	977	487	490	+67.3	+73.3	+61.7
Remainder of R.D.	22,070	21,236	11,168	10,068	3.8	3.8	3.7
Gorey R.D.	13,733	13,442	6,964	6,478	2.1	2.5	1.7
Gorey Town*	2,889	2,816	1,376	1,440	2.5	1.1	3.8
Remainder of R.D.	10,844	10,626	5,588	5,038	2.0	2.9	1.0
New Ross R.D.	13,384	12,881	6,787	6,094	3.8	4.4	3.0
Wexford "	17,431	17,797	8,962	8,835	+ 2.1	+ 1.1	+ 3.2
Environ of Wexford	62	1,002	506	496	+1,516.1	+1,707.1	+1,358.8
Remainder of R.D.	17,369	16,795	8,456	8,339	3.3	4.3	2.2
WICKLOW COUNTY	62,590	59,906	29,933	29,973	4.3	5.2	3.3
Urban Districts :							
Arklow U.D.	5,203	5,292	2,442	2,850	+ 1.7	+ 1.1	+ 2.3
Bray "	12,062	10,856	4,945	5,911	10.0	11.7	8.5
Wicklow "	3,326	3,070	1,400	1,670	7.7	5.4	9.5
Rural Districts :							
Baltinglass No. 1 R.D.	9,612	9,244	4,959	4,285	3.8	5.4	1.9
Rathdown No. 2 "	7,319	7,385	3,508	3,877	+ 0.9	+ 1.5	+ 0.3
Environ of Bray (pt.) (a)	480	549	293	256	+14.4	+21.1	+ 7.6
Greystones—Delgany Town (pt.)	3,461	3,527	1,555	1,972	+ 1.9	+ 4.4	+ 0.1
Remainder of R.D.	3,378	3,309	1,660	1,649	2.0	3.7	0.3
Rathdrum R.D.	18,411	17,711	9,292	8,419	3.8	5.4	2.0
Greystones—Delgany Town (pt.)	63	38	20	18	39.7	41.2	37.9
Remainder of R.D.	18,348	17,673	9,272	8,401	3.7	5.3	1.9
Shillelagh R.D.	6,657	6,348	3,387	2,961	4.6	7.9	4.2
MUNSTER							
CLARE COUNTY	81,329	77,176	40,868	36,308	5.1	6.0	4.1
Urban Districts :							
Ennis U.D.	6,097	5,741	2,698	3,043	5.8	5.3	6.3
Kilrush "	3,154	3,000	1,464	1,536	4.9	2.8	6.8
Rural Districts :							
Ballyvaghan R.D.	3,009	2,882	1,498	1,384	4.2	7.6	0.3
Corrofin "	3,485	3,307	1,827	1,480	5.1	6.3	3.6
Ennis "	13,033	12,963	6,955	6,008	0.5	3.1	+ 2.7
Environ of Ennis	2,294	2,551	1,301	1,250	+11.2	+ 1.5	+23.5
Remainder of R.D.	10,739	10,412	5,654	4,758	3.0	4.2	1.7
Ennistimon R.D.	12,653	11,911	6,428	5,483	5.9	5.3	6.5
Killadysert "	5,914	5,585	2,972	2,613	5.6	6.8	4.1
Kilrush "	15,976	14,846	7,871	6,975	7.1	7.7	6.3
Kilkee Town*	1,677	1,565	748	817	6.7	4.1	8.9
Remainder of R.D.	14,299	13,281	7,123	6,158	7.1	8.1	5.9
Meelick R.D.	5,499	5,053	2,700	2,353	8.1	9.5	6.4
Scarriff "	6,524	6,140	3,289	2,851	5.9	7.5	4.0
Tulla "	5,985	5,748	3,166	2,582	4.0	4.6	3.2
CORK CITY AND COUNTY	341,284	336,663	167,952	168,711	1.4	1.7	1.0
CORK CITY (OR CO. BOROUGH)	82,884	80,011	37,544	42,467	3.5	3.5	3.4
CORK COUNTY	258,400	256,652	130,408	126,244	0.7	1.2	0.2
Urban Districts :							
Clonakilty U.D.	2,742	2,517	1,149	1,368	8.2	10.4	6.2
Cobh "	5,711	5,169	2,345	2,824	9.5	9.1	9.8
Fermoy "	4,017	3,427	1,541	1,886	14.7	18.4	11.4
Kinsale "	1,930	1,612	675	937	16.5	16.1	16.7

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33,818	38.8	15.0	581,061 ✓	426,224	LEINSTER (CONTD.)
					WEXFORD COUNTY
5,445	100.0	2,186.7	249	14,230	Urban Districts :
4,643	100.0	1,009.3	460	12,500	Enniscorthy U.D.
10,838	100.0	2,146.1	505	29,549	New Ross "
					Wexford "
3,115	14.0	11.5	193,142	110,576	Rural Districts :
977	100.0	—	—	—	Enniscorthy R.D.
2,138	9.9	—	—	—	Environs of Enniscorthy
3,972	29.5	10.3	130,202	85,982	Remainder of R.D.
2,816	100.0	668.9	421	6,468	Gorey R.D.
1,156	10.9	8.2	129,781	79,514	Gorey Town*
1,898	14.7	10.4	123,966	73,223	Remainder of R.D.
3,907	22.0	13.4	132,537	100,164	New Ross R.D.
1,002	100.0	—	—	—	Wexford "
2,905	17.3	—	—	—	Environs of Wexford
					Remainder of R.D.
32,811	54.8	12.0	500,250 ✓	331,644	WICKLOW COUNTY
5,292	100.0	322.5	1,641	13,112	Urban Districts :
10,856	100.0	—	—	—	Arklow U.D.
3,070	100.0	401.3	765	10,769	Bray "
					Wicklow "
2,151	23.3	6.0	154,966	61,790	Rural Districts :
4,813	65.2	22.1	33,443	41,862	Baltinglass No. 1 R.D.
549	100.0	—	—	—	Rathdown No. 2 "
3,527	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Bray (pt.) (a)
737	22.3	—	—	—	Greystones—Delgany Town (pt.)
5,604	31.6	7.9	225,297	113,687	Remainder of R.D.
38	100.0	—	—	—	Rathdrum R.D.
5,566	31.5	—	—	—	Greystones—Delgany Town (pt.)
1,025	16.1	7.6	83,078	34,705	Remainder of R.D.
					Shillelagh R.D.
23,774	30.8	9.8	787,704 ✓	358,821	MUNSTER
					CLARE COUNTY
5,741	100.0	1,224.1	469	17,020	Urban Districts :
3,000	100.0	227.4	1,319	7,462	Ennis U.D.
					Kilrush "
778	27.0	4.0	71,629	21,783	Rural Districts :
394	11.9	5.4	61,382	21,045	Ballyvaghan R.D.
4,155	32.1	11.5	112,790	78,786	Corrofin "
2,551	100.0	—	—	—	Ennis "
1,604	15.4	—	—	—	Environs of Ennis
2,936	24.6	12.0	99,600	41,156	Remainder of R.D.
649	11.6	8.9	62,615	26,317	Ennistimon R.D.
2,601	17.5	10.9	136,188	52,502	Killadysert "
1,565	100.0	120.8	1,296	4,914	Kilrush "
1,036	7.8	9.8	134,892	47,588	Kilkee Town*
943	18.7	7.4	68,657	30,363	Remainder of R.D.
1,926	31.4	7.1	86,627	28,318	Meelick R.D.
651	11.3	6.7	86,428	34,069	Scarriff "
					Tulla "
192,856	57.3	18.3	1,843,299 ✓	1,563,035	CORK CITY AND COUNTY
80,011	100.0	2,391.2	3,346	311,844	CORK CITY (OR CO. BOROUGH)
112,845	44.0	13.9	1,839,953	1,251,191	CORK COUNTY
2,517	100.0	230.7	1,091	7,842	Urban Districts:
5,169	100.0	905.3	571	21,638	Clonakilty U.D.
3,427	100.0	1,041.6	329	12,485	Cobh "
1,612	100.0	590.5	273	5,888	Fermoy "
					Kinsale "

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					%	%	%
MUNSTER (CONTD.)							
CORK COUNTY (CONTD.)							
Urban Districts (contd.) :							
Macroom U.D.	2,277	2,186	1,035	1,151	4.0	1.8	5.9
Mallow "	5,583	5,729	2,724	3,005	+ 2.6	+ 1.2	+ 4.0
Middleton "	2,828	2,784	1,344	1,440	1.6	+ 1.0	3.8
Skibbereen "	2,341	2,202	1,007	1,195	5.9	4.5	7.1
Youghal "	4,752	4,841	2,232	2,609	+ 1.9	+ 1.6	+ 2.1
Rural Districts :							
Bandon R.D.	13,894	13,782	7,098	6,684	0.8	1.3	0.3
Bandon Town* "	2,527	2,502	1,162	1,340	1.0	0.4	1.5
Environs of Bandon "	1,297	1,319	603	716	+ 1.7	+ 4.0	0.1
Remainder of R.D. "	10,070	9,961	5,333	4,628	1.1	2.0	—
Bantry R.D.	8,565	8,061	4,164	3,897	5.9	6.6	5.1
Bantry Town* "	2,319	2,211	1,058	1,153	4.7	1.9	7.1
Remainder of R.D. "	6,246	5,850	3,106	2,744	6.3	8.1	4.2
Castletown R.D.	5,937	5,574	2,907	2,667	6.1	6.2	6.0
Clonakilty "	10,471	10,149	5,345	4,804	3.1	4.8	1.1
Cork "	56,066	61,954	30,341	31,613	+10.5	+10.4	+10.6
Cork North City Suburbs "	5,058	5,696	2,712	2,984	+12.6	+14.6	+10.8
Cork South City Suburbs "	24,813	28,721	13,291	15,430	+15.7	+17.4	+14.4
Passage West Town* "	2,658	2,524	1,208	1,316	5.0	5.3	4.8
Environs of Passage West "	120	114	57	57	5.0	10.9	+ 1.8
Environs of Cobh "	324	897	415	482	+176.9	+178.5	+175.4
Remainder of R.D. "	23,093	24,002	12,658	11,344	+ 3.9	+ 2.8	+ 5.3
Dunmanway R.D.	9,309	8,826	4,648	4,178	5.2	5.6	4.7
Fermoy "	12,423	12,321	6,618	5,703	0.8	2.0	+ 0.5
Environs of Fermoy "	71	247	142	105	+247.9	+158.2	+556.3
Remainder of R.D. "	12,352	12,074	6,476	5,598	2.3	3.3	1.0
Kanturk R.D.	19,059	18,656	9,807	8,849	2.1	2.5	1.6
Kanturk Town "	1,989	2,005	941	1,064	+ 0.8	0.7	+ 2.2
Remainder of R.D. "	17,070	16,651	8,866	7,785	2.5	2.7	2.1
Kinsale R.D.	8,507	8,185	4,165	4,020	3.8	3.2	4.4
Environs of Kinsale "	197	196	81	115	0.5	+ 8.0	5.7
Remainder of R.D. "	8,310	7,989	4,084	3,905	3.9	3.4	4.3
Macroom R.D.	13,913	13,508	7,196	6,312	2.9	3.9	1.7
Environs of Macroom "	55	91	47	44	+ 65.5	+67.9	+63.0
Remainder of R.D. "	13,858	13,417	7,149	6,268	3.2	4.2	2.0
Mallow R.D.	18,675	17,890	9,262	8,628	4.2	4.3	4.1
Rathluire (Charleville) Town "	2,108	1,986	952	1,034	5.8	5.6	6.0
Remainder of R.D. "	16,567	15,904	8,310	7,594	4.0	4.2	3.8
Middleton R.D.	12,700	12,486	6,425	6,061	1.7	2.1	1.3
Environs of Middleton "	212	360	177	183	+69.8	+73.5	+66.4
Remainder of R.D. "	12,488	12,126	6,248	5,878	2.9	3.3	2.5
Millstreet R.D.	8,089	7,876	4,149	3,727	2.6	0.7	4.7
Mitchelstown No. 1 "	7,309	7,203	3,736	3,467	1.5	2.9	+ 0.1
Mitchelstown Town "	2,526	2,674	1,288	1,386	+ 5.9	+ 5.1	+ 6.6
Remainder of R.D. "	4,783	4,529	2,448	2,081	5.3	6.6	3.7
Skibbereen R.D.	13,065	12,081	6,416	5,665	7.5	8.1	6.9
Skull "	5,040	4,538	2,429	2,109	10.0	9.6	10.4
Youghal No. 1 "	3,197	3,095	1,650	1,445	3.2	5.1	1.0
KERRY COUNTY	126,644	122,072	63,965	58,107	3.6	3.8	3.4
Urban Districts :							
Killarney U.D.	6,298	6,464	3,106	3,358	+ 2.6	+ 0.6	+ 4.6
Listowel "	3,149	3,144	1,495	1,649	0.2	+ 1.2	1.3
Tralee "	11,045	10,928	5,155	5,773	1.1	2.0	0.2
Rural Districts :							
Cahersiveen R.D.	13,067	12,351	6,561	5,790	5.5	6.4	4.4
Cahersiveen Town "	1,786	1,801	869	932	+ 0.8	+ 1.8	0.0
Remainder of R.D. "	11,281	10,550	5,692	4,858	6.5	7.5	5.2
Dingle R.D.	11,029	10,279	5,476	4,803	6.8	7.0	6.6
Kenmare "	8,185	7,624	4,130	3,494	6.9	6.7	7.0
Killarney "	23,562	22,441	11,911	10,530	4.8	4.9	4.6
Listowel "	24,296	23,576	12,629	10,947	3.0	2.3	3.7
Tralee "	26,013	25,265	13,502	11,763	2.9	2.9	2.8
Castleisland Town "	1,508	1,654	794	860	+ 9.7	11.5	+ 8.0
Environs of Tralee "	467	684	349	335	+46.5	+56.5	+37.2
Remainder of R.D. "	24,038	22,927	12,359	10,568	4.6	4.7	4.5

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Persons	As percentage of total population				
	%		Acres	£	
MUNSTER (CONTD.)					
CORK COUNTY (CONTD.)					
Urban Districts (contd.) :					
2,186	100.0	80.4	2,718	7,242	Macroon U.D.
5,729	100.0	356.7	1,606	16,324	Mallow "
2,784	100.0	732.6	380	9,492	Middleton "
2,202	100.0	218.9	1,006	7,886	Skibbereen "
4,841	100.0	402.4	1,203	15,966	Youghal "
Rural Districts :					
4,529	32.9	13.6	101,481	75,711	Bandon R.D.
2,502	100.0	1,270.1	197	8,762	Bandon Town*
1,319	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Bandon
708	7.1	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
2,982	37.0	7.5	107,268	29,782	Bantry R.D.
2,211	100.0	88.6	2,495	7,354	Bantry Town*
771	13.2	5.6	104,773	22,428	Remainder of R.D.
955	17.1	7.5	74,300	15,018	Castletown R.D.
1,067	10.5	12.7	79,895	48,910	Clonakilty "
44,412	71.7	37.2	166,402	267,840	Cork "
5,696	100.0	—	—	—	Cork North City Suburbs
28,721	100.0	—	—	—	Cork South City Suburbs
2,524	100.0	254.4	992	8,678	Passage West Town*
114	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Passage West
897	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Cobh
6,460	26.9	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
1,814	20.6	8.5	103,920	37,368	Dunmanway R.D.
2,747	22.3	8.3	148,002	95,259	Fermoy "
247	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Fermoy
2,500	20.7	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
4,521	24.2	10.0	185,658	83,118	Kanturk R.D.
2,005	100.0	—	—	—	Kanturk Town
2,516	15.1	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
2,168	26.5	10.2	79,857	60,909	Kinsale R.D.
196	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Kinsale
1,972	24.7	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
1,511	11.2	7.7	176,435	64,954	Macroon R.D.
91	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Macroon
1,420	10.6	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
4,746	26.5	10.7	167,499	116,996	Mallow R.D.
1,986	100.0	—	—	—	Rathluirc (Charleville) Town
2,760	17.4	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
3,653	29.3	11.5	108,921	93,409	Middleton R.D.
360	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Middleton
3,293	27.2	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
1,581	20.1	10.5	74,939	28,037	Millstreet R.D.
2,912	40.4	14.9	48,403	37,018	Mitchelstown No. 1 "
2,674	100.0	—	—	—	Mitchelstown Town
238	5.3	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
1,567	13.0	10.6	114,365	49,001	Skibbereen R.D.
898	19.8	7.9	57,668	17,804	Skull "
315	10.2	8.7	35,763	25,294	Youghal No. 1 "
37,978	31.1	10.5	1,161,706 ✓	367,846	
KERRY COUNTY					
Urban Districts :					
6,464	100.0	223.8	2,888	17,125	Killarney U.D.
3,144	100.0	195.9	1,605	7,992	Listowel "
10,928	100.0	680.0	1,607	33,351	Tralee "
Rural Districts :					
3,120	25.3	6.2	198,101	31,170	Cahersiveen R.D.
1,801	100.0	—	—	—	Cahersiveen Town
1,319	12.5	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
2,096	20.4	8.1	126,454	29,222	Dingle R.D.
1,545	20.3	3.8	198,416	24,791	Kenmare "
2,521	11.2	9.0	248,543	72,381	Killarney "
3,614	15.3	14.4	163,898	66,502	Listowel "
4,546	18.0	11.5	220,194	85,312	Tralee "
1,654	100.0	—	—	—	Castleisland Town
684	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Tralee
2,208	9.6	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.

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District	Population						
	1951	1956			Decrease per cent (+ = increase)		
	Persons	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females
					%	%	%
MUNSTER (CONTD.)							
LIMERICK CITY AND COUNTY ...	141,289	137,881	69,622	68,259	2.4	2.9	1.9
LIMERICK CITY (OR CO. BOROUGH) ...	50,820	50,888	24,047	26,839	+ 0.1	0.2	+ 0.5
LIMERICK COUNTY ...	90,419	86,995	45,575	41,420	3.8	4.2	3.8
Rural Districts :							
Croom ... R.D.	9,813	9,358	4,851	4,507	4.6	5.1	4.2
Glin ... "	3,416	3,345	1,870	1,475	2.1	1.8	2.4
Kilmallock ... "	17,494	16,267	8,402	7,865	7.0	6.1	8.0
Limerick No. 1 ... "	15,872	15,542	7,981	7,561	2.1	4.6	+ 0.7
Limerick City Suburbs ...	357	780	324	456	+118.5	+103.8	+130.3
Remainder of R.D. ...	15,515	14,762	7,657	7,105	4.9	6.7	2.8
Mitchelstown No. 2 ... R.D.	3,837	3,673	2,026	1,647	4.3	4.2	4.4
Newcastle ... "	21,992	21,326	11,181	10,145	3.0	3.2	2.9
Newcastle Town* ...	2,632	2,640	1,277	1,363	+ 0.3	1.5	+ 2.1
Remainder of R.D. ...	19,360	18,686	9,904	8,782	3.5	3.4	3.6
Rathkeale ... R.D.	12,778	12,392	6,587	5,805	3.0	4.1	1.8
Rathkeale Town* ...	1,480	1,419	690	729	4.1	4.4	3.8
Remainder of R.D. ...	11,298	10,973	5,897	5,076	2.9	4.0	1.5
Tipperary No. 2 ... R.D.	5,217	5,092	2,877	2,415	2.4	2.1	2.7
TIPPERARY COUNTY ...	188,313	129,415	67,398	62,017	2.9	3.5	2.3
TIPPERARY COUNTY, NORTH RIDING ...	57,009	55,697	29,228	26,469	2.3	2.5	2.0
Urban Districts :							
Nenagh ... U.D.	4,420	4,450	2,143	2,307	+ 0.7	+ 0.3	+ 1.0
Templemore ... "	1,964	1,934	913	1,021	1.5	+ 2.8	5.1
Thurles ... "	6,276	6,363	3,162	3,201	+ 1.4	+ 5.0	1.9
Rural Districts :							
Borrisokane ... R.D.	8,513	8,180	4,423	3,757	3.9	4.1	3.6
Environs of Birr (pt.) (a) ...	132	165	81	84	+25.0	+19.1	+31.3
Remainder of R.D. ...	8,381	8,015	4,342	3,673	4.4	4.4	4.2
Nenagh ... R.D.	14,845	14,342	7,715	6,627	3.4	4.1	2.5
Environs of Nenagh ...	134	118	62	56	11.9	11.4	12.5
Remainder of R.D. ...	14,711	14,224	7,653	6,571	3.3	4.1	2.4
Roscrea No. 1 ... R.D.	7,658	7,380	3,754	3,626	3.6	4.0	3.2
Roscrea Town ...	3,150	3,095	1,523	1,572	1.7	+ 0.2	3.6
Remainder of R.D. ...	4,508	4,285	2,231	2,054	4.9	6.7	2.9
Thurles ... R.D.	13,333	13,048	7,118	5,930	2.1	3.5	0.4
Environs of Thurles ...	250	210	110	100	16.0	17.9	13.8
Remainder of R.D. ...	13,083	12,838	7,008	5,830	1.9	3.2	0.2
TIPPERARY COUNTY, SOUTH RIDING ...	76,804	73,718	38,170	35,548	3.4	4.3	2.4
Urban Districts :							
Carrick-on-Suir ... U.D.	4,757	4,727	2,288	2,439	0.6	+ 2.9	3.7
Cashel ... "	2,829	2,817	1,286	1,531	0.4	0.3	0.5
Clonmel ... "	10,471	10,697	5,180	5,517	+ 2.2	+ 2.0	+ 2.3
Tipperary ... "	5,148	4,790	2,251	2,539	7.0	8.3	5.8
Rural Districts :							
Carrick-on-Suir No. 1 ... R.D.	1,869	1,837	994	843	1.7	3.0	0.1
Cashel ... "	14,869	13,918	7,382	6,536	6.4	9.3	2.9
Fethard Town* ...	984	992	471	521	+ 0.8	+ 1.5	+ 0.2
Remainder of R.D. ...	13,885	12,926	6,911	6,015	6.9	9.1	3.2
Clogheen ... R.D.	10,837	10,368	5,532	4,836	4.3	5.0	3.5
Caher Town ...	1,816	1,731	855	876	4.7	0.5	8.5
Remainder of R.D. ...	9,021	8,637	4,677	3,960	4.3	5.8	2.3
Clonmel No. 1 ... R.D.	4,149	4,096	2,277	1,819	1.3	2.5	+ 0.3
Environs of Clonmel (pt.) (b) ...	208	171	79	92	17.8	17.7	17.9
Remainder of R.D. ...	3,941	3,925	2,198	1,727	0.4	1.8	+ 1.5
Slievardagh ... R.D.	6,750	6,576	3,515	3,061	2.6	1.6	3.7
Tipperary No. 1 ... "	14,625	13,892	7,465	6,427	5.0	6.0	3.8
WATERFORD CITY AND COUNTY ...	75,156	74,081	36,977	37,054	1.5	2.7	0.2
WATERFORD CITY (OR CO. BOROUGH) ...	28,835	28,878	13,460	15,418	+ 0.1	0.7	+ 0.9
WATERFORD COUNTY ...	46,321	45,153	23,517	21,636	2.5	3.8	1.1
Urban District :							
Dungarvan ... U.D.	5,423	5,394	2,606	2,788	0.5	2.3	+ 1.2

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Persons	As percentage of total population				
	%		Acres	£	
72,516	52.6	20.8	663,654 ✓	660,514	MUNSTER (CONTD.)
50,886	100.0	1,081.3	4,706	173,251	LIMERICK CITY AND COUNTY
21,630	24.9	13.2	658,948	487,263	LIMERICK CITY (OR CO. BOROUGH)
					LIMERICK COUNTY
					Rural Districts :
1,869	20.0	11.2	83,368	65,569	Croom R.D.
847	25.3	13.6	24,674	9,011	Glin "
4,072	25.0	12.9	125,783	119,048	Kilmallock "
3,720	23.9	14.9	104,534	98,827	Limerick No. 1 "
780	100.0	—	—	—	Limerick City Suburbs "
2,940	19.9	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
635	17.3	9.5	38,561	18,088	Mitchelstown No. 2 R.D.
5,554	26.0	14.8	143,842	72,844	Newcastle "
2,640	100.0	335.9	786	6,382	Newcastle Town* "
2,914	15.6	13.1	143,056	66,462	Remainder of R.D.
3,785	30.5	12.1	102,529	74,579	Rathkeale R.D.
1,419	100.0	94.7	1,498	4,520	Rathkeale Town* "
2,366	21.6	10.9	101,031	70,059	Remainder of R.D.
1,148	22.5	14.3	35,657	29,297	Tipperary No. 2 R.D.
51,434	39.7	12.3	1,051,292 ✓	731,780	TIPPERARY COUNTY
20,648	37.1	11.3	493,258	299,901	TIPPERARY COUNTY, NORTH RIDING
					Urban Districts :
4,450	100.0	212.8	2,091	14,084	Nenagh U.D.
1,934	100.0	178.1	1,086	5,926	Templemore "
6,363	100.0	500.2	1,272	16,420	Thurles "
					Rural Districts :
1,869	22.8	7.5	109,667	55,589	Borrisokane R.D.
165	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Birr (pt.) (a) "
1,704	21.3	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
1,784	12.4	7.9	181,303	86,889	Nenagh R.D.
118	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Nenagh "
1,666	11.7	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
3,095	41.9	12.8	57,541	40,156	Roscrea No. 1 R.D.
3,095	100.0	—	—	—	Roscrea Town "
					Remainder of R.D.
1,153	8.8	9.3	140,298	80,837	Thurles R.D.
210	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Thurles "
943	7.3	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
30,786	41.8	13.2	558,034	431,879	TIPPERARY COUNTY, SOUTH RIDING
					Urban Districts :
4,727	100.0	212.9	2,220	12,761	Carrick-on-Suir U.D.
2,817	100.0	843.4	334	5,600	Cashel "
10,697	100.0	819.1	1,306	29,173	Clonmel "
4,790	100.0	580.6	825	15,079	Tipperary "
					Rural Districts :
148	8.1	7.7	23,898	16,458	Carrick-on-Suir No. 1 R.D.
1,826	13.1	8.9	155,854	105,075	Cashel "
992	100.0	551.1	180	2,118	Fethard Town* "
834	6.5	8.3	155,674	102,957	Remainder of R.D.
3,154	30.4	8.8	117,415	66,595	Clogheen R.D.
1,731	100.0	—	—	—	Caher Town "
1,423	16.5	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
452	11.0	8.9	45,999	38,239	Clonmel No. 1 R.D.
171	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Clonmel (pt.) (b) "
281	7.2	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
829	12.6	9.9	66,594	39,571	Slievardagh R.D.
1,346	9.7	9.7	143,589	103,328	Tipperary No. 1 "
46,104	62.3	16.3	454,128 ✓	397,343	WATERFORD CITY AND COUNTY
28,878	100.0	1,516.7	1,904	107,174	WATERFORD CITY (OR CO. BOROUGH)
17,226	38.2	10.0	452,224	290,169	WATERFORD COUNTY
					Urban District :
5,394	100.0	394.6	1,367	15,591	Dungarvan U.D.

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	Persons	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females
					%	%	%
MUNSTER (CONTD.)							
WATERFORD COUNTY (CONTD.)							
Rural Districts :							
Carrick-on-Suir No. 2 ... R.D.	4,217	4,056	2,207	1,849	3.8	5.0	2.4
Clonmel No. 2 ... "	2,418	2,254	1,213	1,041	6.8	5.5	8.3
Environs of Clonmel (pt.) (a) ...	270	266	136	130	1.5	+ 0.7	3.7
Remainder of R.D. ...	2,148	1,988	1,077	911	7.4	6.2	8.9
Dungarvan ... R.D.	7,134	6,904	3,681	3,223	3.2	4.9	1.2
Kilmacthomas ... "	5,250	5,193	2,772	2,421	1.1	2.5	+ 0.6
Lismore ... "	9,194	8,489	4,564	3,925	7.7	8.8	6.3
Lismore Town* ...	1,089	893	413	480	18.0	19.8	16.4
Environs of Lismore ...	203	234	122	112	+15.3	+19.6	+10.9
Remainder of R.D. ...	7,902	7,362	4,029	3,333	6.8	8.2	5.2
Waterford No. 1 ... R.D.	9,939	10,133	5,010	5,123	+ 2.0	+ 0.5	+ 3.4
Tramore Town* ...	2,825	2,919	1,320	1,599	+ 3.3	+ 3.5	+ 3.2
Remainder of R.D. ...	7,114	7,214	3,690	3,524	+ 1.4	0.5	+ 3.5
Youghal No. 2 ... R.D.	2,746	2,730	1,464	1,266	0.6	0.6	0.6
CONNACHT							
GALWAY COUNTY ...							
	160,204	155,553	82,228	73,330	2.9	3.4	2.8
Urban Districts :							
Ballinasloe ... U.D.	5,596	5,489	2,811	2,678	1.9	5.9	+ 2.7
Galway ... "	21,316	21,219	10,264	10,955	0.5	1.1	+ 0.1
Rural Districts :							
Ballinasloe No. 1 ... R.D.	8,921	8,643	4,747	3,896	3.1	5.0	0.7
Clifden ... "	10,908	10,286	5,494	4,792	5.7	5.2	6.3
Galway ... "	18,801	19,056	10,243	8,813	+ 1.4	+ 0.7	+ 2.1
Environs of Galway ...	148	147	79	68	0.7	+ 1.3	2.9
Remainder of R.D. ...	18,653	18,909	10,164	8,745	+ 1.4	+ 0.7	+ 2.1
Glennamaddy ... R.D.	8,892	8,413	4,480	3,933	5.4	5.6	5.1
Gort ... "	8,890	8,549	4,627	3,922	3.8	4.5	3.0
Loughrea ... "	17,504	16,990	9,156	7,834	2.9	2.9	3.0
Loughrea Town* ...	2,847	2,834	1,370	1,464	0.5	+ 2.7	3.2
Remainder of R.D. ...	14,657	14,156	7,786	6,370	3.4	3.8	3.0
Mount Bellew ... R.D.	10,472	10,089	5,514	4,575	3.7	3.4	3.9
Oughterard ... "	13,247	12,396	6,614	5,782	6.4	6.4	6.5
Portumna ... "	7,561	7,348	4,022	3,326	2.8	3.8	1.6
Tuam ... "	28,096	27,075	14,251	12,824	3.6	4.0	3.2
Tuam Town* ...	4,010	3,528	1,638	1,890	12.0	13.8	10.4
Environs of Tuam ...	1,240	1,261	613	648	+ 1.7	+ 5.9	2.0
Remainder of R.D. ...	22,846	22,286	12,000	10,286	2.5	2.9	1.9
LEITRIM COUNTY ...							
	41,209	37,056	19,986	17,070	10.1	10.7	9.4
Rural Districts :							
Ballinamore ... R.D.	5,162	4,703	2,559	2,144	8.9	8.9	8.8
Carrick-on-Shannon No. 1 ... "	8,261	7,505	3,912	3,593	9.2	9.3	9.0
Carrick-on-Shannon Town (pt.) (b) ...	1,337	1,289	618	671	3.6	+ 3.3	9.2
Remainder of R.D. ...	6,924	6,216	3,294	2,922	10.2	11.3	9.0
Kinlough ... R.D.	3,120	2,751	1,475	1,276	11.8	13.8	9.4
Manorhamilton ... "	12,336	10,931	5,954	4,977	11.4	13.0	9.4
Mohill ... "	12,330	11,166	6,086	5,080	9.4	9.2	9.8
MAYO COUNTY ...							
	141,867	133,052	68,879	64,173	6.2	6.1	6.3
Urban Districts :							
Ballina ... U.D.	6,220	6,091	2,916	3,175	2.1	2.8	1.4
Castlebar ... "	5,288	5,321	2,566	2,755	+ 0.6	+ 2.3	0.9
Westport ... "	3,104	2,947	1,349	1,598	5.1	5.4	4.8
Rural Districts :							
Ballina ... R.D.	20,472	19,073	10,166	8,907	6.8	7.1	6.6
Ballinrobe ... "	15,339	14,454	7,650	6,804	5.8	5.6	5.9
Belmullet ... "	13,338	12,527	6,551	5,976	6.1	5.5	6.8
Castlebar ... "	14,564	13,748	7,327	6,421	5.6	5.9	5.3

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MUNSTER (CONTD.)					
WATERFORD COUNTY (CONTD.)					
Rural Districts :					
1,200	29.6	7.4	54,512	31,567	Carrick-on-Suir No. 2 R.D.
380	16.9	5.6	40,473	14,037	Clonmel No. 2 "
266	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Clonmel (pt.) (a) "
114	5.7	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
675	9.8	7.4	92,868	47,540	Dungarvan R.D.
1,085	20.9	8.0	64,590	34,966	Kilmacthomas "
2,824	33.3	8.7	97,186	51,979	Lismore "
893	100.0	624.5	143	2,529	Lismore Town*
234	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Lismore
1,697	23.1	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
5,118	50.5	15.1	67,075	71,393	Waterford No. 1 R.D.
2,919	100.0	177.2	1,647	13,847	Tramore Town*
2,199	30.5	11.0	65,428	57,546	Remainder of R.D.
550	20.1	8.0	34,153	23,096	Youghal No. 2 R.D.
CONNACHT					
GALWAY COUNTY					
Urban Districts :					
48,106	30.9	10.6	1,467,670 ✓	591,340	Ballinasloe U.D.
5,489	100.0	129.8	4,228	13,066	Galway "
21,219	100.0	395.7	5,362	89,275	Rural Districts :
717	8.3	7.1	121,346	61,599	Ballinasloe No. 1 R.D.
2,026	19.7	5.3	193,692	22,286	Clifden "
2,333	12.2	9.9	193,150	46,086	Galway "
147	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Galway
2,186	11.6	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
774	9.2	10.1	82,958	30,514	Glennamaddy R.D.
1,457	17.0	8.0	106,312	45,061	Gort "
4,562	26.9	8.5	198,931	83,343	Loughrea "
2,834	100.0	269.9	1,050	7,423	Loughrea Town*
1,728	12.2	7.2	197,881	75,920	Remainder of R.D.
995	9.9	9.9	102,407	43,431	Mount Bellew R.D.
976	7.9	7.1	173,444	19,282	Oughterard "
1,393	19.0	9.5	77,266	37,583	Portumna "
6,165	22.8	13.0	208,574	99,814	Tuam "
3,528	100.0	585.1	603	11,321	Tuam Town*
1,261	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Tuam
1,376	6.2	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
LEITRIM COUNTY					
Rural Districts :					
6,089	16.4	9.8	376,764 ✓	147,201	Ballinamore R.D.
732	15.6	11.0	42,768	19,029	Carrick-on-Shannon No. 1 "
2,085	27.8	11.8	63,577	29,170	Carrick-on-Shannon Town (pt.) (b) "
1,289	100.0	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
796	12.8	—	—	—	Kinlough R.D.
326	11.9	8.5	32,500	10,188	Manorhamilton "
1,535	14.0	7.5	144,923	46,373	Mohill "
1,411	12.6	12.0	92,996	42,441	
MAYO COUNTY					
Urban Districts :					
29,871	22.5	10.0	1,333,940 ✕	391,566	Ballina U.D.
6,091	100.0	568.7	1,071	18,922	Castlebar "
5,321	100.0	548.0	971	11,482	Westport "
2,947	100.0	146.8	2,008	9,525	Rural Districts :
1,579	8.3	7.5	254,559	67,981	Ballina R.D.
1,783	12.3	9.8	147,102	65,898	Ballinrobe "
917	7.3	7.0	179,762	15,128	Belmullet "
441	3.2	9.8	140,240	47,640	Castlebar "

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	Persons	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females
					%	%	%
CONNACHT (CONTD.)							
MAYO COUNTY (CONTD.)							
Rural Districts (contd.) :							
Claremorris R.D.	16,695	15,771	8,247	7,524	5.5	4.8	6.3
Claremorris Town	1,578	1,512	724	788	4.2	0.1	7.6
Remainder of R.D.	15,117	14,259	7,523	6,736	5.7	5.2	6.2
Swineford R.D.	25,304	22,866	11,668	11,198	9.6	9.0	10.3
Westport "	21,543	20,254	10,439	9,815	6.0	6.5	5.4
ROSCOMMON COUNTY	68,102	63,710	34,078	29,632	6.4	7.0	5.9
Rural Districts :							
Athlone No. 2 R.D.	10,396	10,048	5,525	4,523	3.3	2.5	4.3
Environs of Athlone (pt.) (a)	—	182	95	87	—	—	—
Remainder of R.D.	10,396	9,866	5,430	4,436	5.1	4.2	6.2
Boyle No. 1 R.D.	13,948	13,030	6,952	6,078	6.6	7.7	5.3
Boyle Town*	1,934	1,835	866	969	5.1	6.5	3.9
Carrick-on-Shannon Town (pt.) (b)	251	241	124	117	4.0	6.1	1.7
Remainder of R.D.	11,763	10,954	5,962	4,992	6.9	6.1	5.6
Castlereagh R.D.	21,897	19,810	10,471	9,339	9.5	10.5	8.5
Castlereagh Town	1,588	1,647	811	836	+ 3.7	+ 5.5	+ 2.1
Remainder of R.D.	20,309	18,163	9,660	8,503	10.6	11.6	9.4
Roscommon R.D.	21,861	20,822	11,130	9,692	4.8	5.1	4.3
Roscommon Town*	2,013	1,697	821	876	15.7	14.6	16.7
Environs of Roscommon	—	103	56	47	—	—	—
Remainder of R.D.	19,848	19,022	10,253	8,769	4.2	4.8	3.4
SLIGO COUNTY	60,513	56,850	29,392	27,458	6.1	6.6	5.5
Urban District :							
Sligo U.D.	13,529	12,947	6,110	6,837	4.3	3.9	4.6
Rural Districts :							
Boyle No. 2 R.D.	8,093	7,577	4,059	3,518	6.4	7.5	5.0
Dromore West	9,015	8,657	4,612	4,045	4.0	4.7	3.1
Sligo "	18,200	16,946	8,977	7,969	6.9	8.2	5.4
Tobercurry "	11,676	10,723	5,634	5,089	8.2	7.6	8.7
ULSTER (PART OF)							
CAVAN COUNTY	66,377	61,740	33,177	28,563	7.0	8.3	5.4
Urban District :							
Cavan U.D.	3,555	3,484	1,596	1,888	2.0	4.7	+ 0.4
Rural Districts :							
Bailieborough R.D.	10,769	10,192	5,536	4,656	5.4	7.2	3.1
Bawnboy "	6,272	5,737	3,081	2,656	8.5	10.2	6.5
Castlerahan "	6,588	6,097	3,284	2,813	7.5	9.2	5.4
Cavan "	33,169	30,777	16,628	14,149	7.2	8.1	6.1
Belturbet Town*	1,152	1,176	581	595	+ 2.1	+ 1.6	+ 2.6
Cootehill Town*	1,489	1,394	699	695	6.4	7.2	5.6
Environs of Cootehill	117	146	69	77	+ 24.8	+ 40.8	+ 13.2
Environs of Cavan	910	793	393	400	12.9	25.0	3.6
Remainder of R.D.	29,501	27,268	14,886	12,382	7.6	8.1	6.9
Enniskillen No. 2 R.D.	2,807	2,449	1,386	1,063	12.8	13.6	11.6
Mullaghoran "	3,217	3,004	1,666	1,338	6.6	7.6	5.4
DONEGAL COUNTY	131,530	122,059	62,664	59,395	7.2	7.8	6.6
Urban Districts :							
Buncrana U.D.	3,039	2,896	1,331	1,565	4.7	6.8	2.9
Bundoran "	1,680	1,413	623	790	15.9	18.5	13.8
Letterkenny "	4,220	4,178	2,079	2,099	1.0	2.6	+ 0.7

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CONNACHT (CONTD.)					
MAYO COUNTY (CONTD.)					
3,271	20.7	14.2	110,789	54,120	Rural Districts (contd.) : Claremorris R.D. Claremorris Town Remainder of R.D. Swineford R.D. Westport "
1,512	100.0	—	—	—	
1,759	12.3	—	—	—	
3,826	16.7	15.1	151,541	54,372	
3,695	18.2	5.9	345,897	46,498	
9,822	15.4	10.5	608,540	320,540	ROSCOMMON COUNTY
182	1.8	8.5	117,787	44,539	Rural Districts : Athlone No. 2 R.D. Environs of Athlone (pt.) (a) Remainder of R.D. Boyle No. 1 R.D. Boyle Town* Carrick-on-Shannon Town (pt.) (b) Remainder of R.D. Castlereagh R.D. Castlereagh Town Remainder of R.D. Roscommon R.D. Roscommon Town* Environs of Roscommon Remainder of R.D.
182	100.0	—	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	
2,599	19.9	10.6	122,372	69,380	
1,835	100.0	245.0	749	5,675	
241	100.0	—	—	—	
523	4.8	—	—	—	
3,536	17.8	12.1	163,690	82,152	
1,647	100.0	—	—	—	
1,889	10.4	—	—	—	
3,505	16.8	10.2	204,691	124,469	
1,697	100.0	455.0	373	5,748	
103	100.0	—	—	—	
1,705	9.0	—	—	—	
19,031	33.5	12.8	443,806	241,998	SLIGO COUNTY
12,947	100.0	441.4	2,933	39,103	Urban District : Sligo U.D.
264	3.5	10.0	75,678	32,300	Rural Districts : Boyle No. 2 R.D. Dromore West Sligo Tobercurry "
978	11.3	8.9	97,543	39,693	
3,346	19.7	12.0	141,782	85,958	
1,496	14.0	8.5	125,870	44,944	
ULSTER (PART OF)					
14,426	23.4	13.2	467,162	293,267	CAVAN COUNTY
3,484	100.0	699.6	498	10,639	Urban District : Cavan U.D.
2,536	24.9	14.2	71,956	48,641	Rural Districts : Bailieborough R.D. Bawnboy Castlerahan Cavan Belturbet Town* Cootehill Town* Environs of Cootehill Environs of Cavan Remainder of R.D. Enniskillen No. 2 R.D. Mullaghoran "
966	16.8	9.3	61,912	24,536	
1,240	20.3	14.5	41,945	28,722	
5,815	18.9	13.4	230,135	159,756	
1,176	100.0	103.8	1,133	4,511	
1,394	100.0	309.8	450	4,446	
146	100.0	—	—	—	
793	100.0	—	—	—	
2,306	8.5	—	—	—	
257	10.5	6.0	40,508	8,927	
128	4.3	14.9	20,208	12,046	
32,017	26.2	10.2	1,193,621	364,434	
2,896	100.0	290.2	998	12,145	Urban Districts : Buncrana U.D. Bundoran Letterkenny "
1,413	100.0	163.2	866	7,673	
4,178	100.0	326.2	1,281	10,239	

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ULSTER (PART OF) (CONTD.)							
DONEGAL COUNTY (CONTD.)							
Rural Districts :							
Ballyshannon ... R.D.	6,909	5,766	2,893	2,873	16.5	20.7	12.0
Ballyshannon Town* ...	2,813	2,434	1,122	1,312	13.5	19.7	7.3
Remainder of R.D. ...	4,096	3,332	1,771	1,561	18.7	21.3	15.5
Donegal ... R.D.	12,772	11,843	6,091	5,752	7.3	8.0	6.5
Dunfanaghy ... "	12,249	11,289	5,924	5,365	7.8	6.9	8.8
Glenties ... "	23,622	21,858	11,264	10,594	7.5	7.0	8.0
Inishowen ... "	26,350	24,469	12,478	11,991	7.1	8.0	6.2
Environs of Buncrana ...	58	168	85	83	+189.7	+136.1	+277.3
Remainder of R.D. ...	26,292	24,301	12,393	11,908	7.6	8.4	6.7
Letterkenny ... R.D.	6,885	6,374	3,455	2,919	7.4	7.5	7.3
Millford ... "	13,340	12,400	6,450	5,950	7.0	7.0	7.0
Stranorlar ... "	20,464	19,573	10,076	9,497	4.4	5.5	3.2
MONAGHAN COUNTY ...	55,845	52,064	27,294	24,770	5.9	6.3	5.6
Urban Districts :							
Carrickmacross ... U.D.	2,045	2,001	944	1,057	2.2	+ 5.6	8.2
Castleblayney ... "	2,173	2,143	1,072	1,071	1.4	+ 2.7	5.1
Clones ... "	2,455	2,399	1,172	1,227	2.3	5.5	+ 1.0
Monaghan ... "	4,723	4,701	2,128	2,573	0.5	+ 4.8	4.4
Rural Districts :							
Carrickmacross ... R.D.	9,616	9,066	4,880	4,186	5.7	6.3	5.0
Environs of Carrickmacross ...	72	154	70	84	+113.9	+133.3	+100.0
Remainder of R.D. ...	9,544	8,912	4,810	4,102	6.6	7.1	6.0
Castleblayney ... R.D.	9,782	9,239	4,973	4,266	5.6	6.5	4.4
Ballybay Town* ...	974	816	418	398	16.2	18.0	14.2
Environs of Ballybay ...	130	316	153	163	+143.1	+168.4	+123.3
Remainder of R.D. ...	8,678	8,107	4,402	3,705	6.6	7.4	5.6
Clones No. 1 ... R.D.	7,419	6,710	3,633	3,077	9.6	9.6	9.5
Monaghan ... "	17,132	15,805	8,492	7,313	7.7	9.3	5.9
Environs of Monaghan ...	249	425	189	236	+70.7	+62.9	+77.4
Remainder of R.D. ...	16,883	15,380	8,303	7,077	8.9	10.2	7.4

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DONEGAL COUNTY (CONTD.)					
Rural Districts :					
2,591	44.9	14.1	40,762	24,749	Ballyshannon R.D.
2,434	100.0	317.3	767	6,980	Ballyshannon Town*
157	4.7	8.3	39,995	17,769	Remainder of R.D.
2,869	24.2	7.6	155,902	38,496	Donegal R.D.
1,375	12.2	9.0	126,123	16,071	Dunfanaghy "
4,234	19.4	8.3	263,050	31,731	Glenties "
4,400	18.0	11.2	218,147	79,864	Inishowen "
168	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Buncrana
4,232	17.4	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
205	3.2	6.4	99,973	28,290	Letterkenny R.D.
2,601	21.0	11.1	112,089	36,575	Millford "
5,255	26.8	11.2	174,430	78,601	Stranorlar "
14,407	27.7	16.3	318,985	285,982	
MONAGHAN COUNTY					
Urban Districts :					
2,001	100.0	573.4	349	7,338	Carrickmacross U.D.
2,143	100.0	749.3	286	6,480	Castleblayney "
2,399	100.0	526.1	456	8,401	Clones "
4,701	100.0	989.7	475	13,540	Monaghan "
Rural Districts :					
280	3.1	13.9	65,331	52,810	Carrickmacross R.D.
154	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Carrickmacross
126	1.4	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
1,132	12.3	14.5	63,548	51,303	Castleblayney R.D.
816	100.0	1,383.1	59	2,950	Ballybay Town* "
316	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Ballybay
—	—	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.
456	6.8	10.5	63,832	50,729	Clones No. 1 R.D.
1,295	8.2	12.7	124,708	95,381	Monaghan "
425	100.0	—	—	—	Environs of Monaghan
870	5.7	—	—	—	Remainder of R.D.

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