

TABLE 3 - POPULATION OF EACH PROVINCE, COUNTY AND COUNTY BOROUGH IN 1971, 1979 AND 1981, ACTUAL AND PERCENTAGE INCREASE IN POPULATION 1971 TO 1981 AND 1979 TO 1981 AND FEMALES PER 1,000 MALES

Province County or County Borough	Population					Increase in Population (- = Decrease)				Females per 1,000 males
	1971	1979	1981			1971-1981		1979-1981		
	Persons		Persons	Males	Females	Actual	Percentage	Actual	Percentage	
							%		%	
TOTAL	2,978,248	3,368,217	3,443,405	1,729,354	1,714,051	465,157	15.6	75,188	2.2	991
LEINSTER	1,498,140	1,743,861	1,790,521	884,666	905,855	292,381	19.5	46,660	2.7	1,024
Carlow	34,237	38,668	39,820	20,195	19,625	5,583	16.3	1,152	3.0	972
Dublin Co. and Co. Borough	852,219	983,683	1,003,164	482,342	520,822	150,945	17.7	19,481	2.0	1,080
Dublin Co. Borough	567,866	544,586	525,882	248,016	277,866	- 41,984	- 7.4	- 18,704	- 3.4	1,120
Dun Laoghaire Borough	53,171	54,244	54,496	24,793	29,703	1,325	2.5	252	0.5	1,198
Dublin*	231,182	384,853	422,786	209,533	213,253	191,604	82.9	37,933	9.9	1,018
Kildare	71,977	97,185	104,122	53,967	50,155	32,145	44.7	6,937	7.1	929
Kilkenny	61,473	69,156	70,806	36,395	34,411	9,333	15.2	1,650	2.4	945
Laoighis	45,259	49,936	51,171	26,774	24,397	5,912	13.1	1,235	2.5	911
Longford	28,250	30,785	31,140	16,234	14,906	2,890	10.2	355	1.2	918
Louth	75,104	86,135	88,514	44,125	44,389	13,410	17.9	2,379	2.8	1,006
Meath	71,576	90,715	95,419	48,957	46,462	23,843	33.3	4,704	5.2	949
Offaly	51,829	57,342	58,312	30,290	28,022	6,483	12.5	970	1.7	925
Westmeath	53,570	59,885	61,523	31,388	30,135	7,953	14.8	1,638	2.7	960
Wexford	86,351	96,421	99,081	50,336	48,745	12,730	14.7	2,660	2.8	968
Wicklow	66,295	83,950	87,449	43,663	43,786	21,154	31.9	3,499	4.2	1,003
MUNSTER	882,002	979,819	998,315	506,857	491,458	116,313	13.2	18,496	1.9	970
Clare	75,008	84,919	87,567	45,366	42,201	12,559	16.7	2,648	3.1	930
Cork Co. and Co. Borough	352,883	396,118	402,465	202,388	200,077	49,582	14.1	6,347	1.6	989
Cork Co. Borough	128,645	138,267	136,344	66,177	70,167	7,699	6.0	- 1,923	- 1.4	1,060
Cork	224,238	257,851	266,121	136,211	129,910	41,883	18.7	8,270	3.2	954
Kerry	112,772	120,356	122,770	63,492	59,278	9,998	8.9	2,414	2.0	934
Limerick Co. and Co. Borough	140,459	157,407	161,661	81,595	80,066	21,202	15.1	4,254	2.7	981
Limerick Co. Borough	57,161	60,665	60,736	29,723	31,013	3,575	6.3	71	0.1	1,043
Limerick	83,298	96,742	100,925	51,872	49,053	17,627	21.2	4,183	4.3	946
Tipperary N.R.	54,337	58,476	58,984	30,247	28,737	4,647	8.6	508	0.9	950
Tipperary S.R.	69,228	75,265	76,277	39,256	37,021	7,049	10.2	1,012	1.3	943
Waterford Co. and Co. Borough	77,315	87,278	88,591	44,513	44,078	11,276	14.6	1,313	1.5	990
Waterford Co. Borough	34,226	38,478	38,473	18,751	19,722	4,247	12.4	- 5	- 0.0	1,052
Waterford	43,089	48,800	50,118	25,762	24,356	7,029	16.3	1,318	2.7	945
CONNACHT	390,902	418,500	424,410	218,852	205,558	33,508	8.6	5,910	1.4	939
Galway	149,223	167,838	172,018	88,330	83,688	22,795	15.3	4,180	2.5	947
Leitrim	28,360	27,844	27,609	14,699	12,910	- 751	- 2.6	- 235	- 0.8	878
Mayo	109,525	114,019	114,766	58,987	55,779	5,241	4.8	747	0.7	946
Roscommon	53,519	54,189	54,543	28,653	25,890	1,024	1.9	354	0.7	904
Sligo	50,275	54,610	55,474	28,183	27,291	5,199	10.3	864	1.6	968
ULSTER (part of)	207,204	226,037	230,159	118,979	111,180	22,955	11.1	4,122	1.8	934
Cavan	52,618	53,720	53,855	28,338	25,517	1,237	2.4	135	0.3	900
Donegal	108,344	121,941	125,112	63,962	61,150	16,768	15.5	3,171	2.6	956
Monaghan	46,242	50,376	51,192	26,679	24,513	4,950	10.7	816	1.6	919

*Excluding Dun Laoghaire Borough