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Province, County or County Borough	1936	1946	1961	1966	1971	1979	1981	1986
TOTAL	4.31	4.16	3.97	4.01	3.94	3.73	3.68	3.54
Aggregate Town Area	4.28	4.15	3.99	4.07	3.98	*	3.64	3.47
Aggregate Rural Area	4.33	4.16	3.96	3.95	3.89	*	3.72	3.62
LEINSTER	4.25	4.15	4.00	4.07	3.99	3.73	3.68	3.53
Aggregate Town Area	4.27	4.15	3.98	4.06	3.97	*	3.62	3.46
Aggregate Rural Area	4.22	4.14	4.05	4.09	4.04	*	3.85	3.75
CARLOW	4.27	4.16	4.20	4.21	4.17	3.98	3.91	3.76
Aggregate Town Area	4.29	4.09	4.20	4.26	4.25	*	3.83	3.66
Aggregate Rural Area	4.26	4.19	4.21	4.17	4.12	*	3.99	3.85
DUBLIN COUNTY BOROUGH	4.28	4.15	3.91	3.99	3.85	3.43	3.34	3.13
DUBLIN - BELGARD	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.95
Aggregate Town Area	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.95
Aggregate Rural Area	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.89
DUBLIN - FINGAL	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.83
Aggregate Town Area	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.84
Aggregate Rural Area	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.68
DUN LAOGHAIRE - RATHDOWN	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.46
Aggregate Town Area	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.46
Aggregate Rural Area	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.86
KILDARE	4.20	4.25	4.31	4.41	4.32	4.02	3.93	3.82
Aggregate Town Area	4.10	4.30	4.30	4.49	4.36	*	3.86	3.77
Aggregate Rural Area	4.23	4.24	4.31	4.38	4.30	*	4.00	3.89
KILKENNY	4.38	4.27	4.11	4.12	4.06	3.84	3.80	3.66
Aggregate Town Area	4.28	4.16	4.12	4.14	3.99	*	3.69	3.45
Aggregate Rural Area	4.39	4.29	4.10	4.11	4.08	*	3.85	3.73
LAOIGHIS	4.26	4.21	4.07	4.08	4.06	3.89	3.83	3.74
Aggregate Town Area	4.31	4.28	4.35	4.33	4.33	*	3.88	3.71
Aggregate Rural Area	4.25	4.20	4.00	4.01	3.98	*	3.81	3.76
LONGFORD	4.11	3.99	3.80	3.74	3.69	3.57	3.54	3.46
Aggregate Town Area	4.14	4.08	3.95	3.87	3.97	*	3.70	3.52
Aggregate Rural Area	4.10	3.98	3.78	3.72	3.65	*	3.50	3.44
LOUTH	4.26	4.18	4.09	4.16	4.06	3.82	3.77	3.65
Aggregate Town Area	4.50	4.39	4.23	4.25	4.11	*	3.72	3.58
Aggregate Rural Area	4.07	3.95	3.90	4.02	3.98	*	3.87	3.78
MEATH	4.11	4.08	4.05	4.13	4.11	3.92	3.87	3.80
Aggregate Town Area	4.34	4.17	4.09	4.16	4.12	*	3.76	3.75
Aggregate Rural Area	4.08	4.06	4.05	4.13	4.11	*	3.91	3.83

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LEINSTER (Contd.)								
OFFALY	4.25	4.18	4.11	4.16	4.08	3.91	3.88	3.74
Aggregate Town Area	4.29	4.30	4.21	4.29	4.13	*	3.84	3.67
Aggregate Rural Area	4.24	4.14	4.07	4.10	4.06	*	3.90	3.77
WESTMEATH	4.08	3.97	3.94	4.01	3.92	3.75	3.71	3.57
Aggregate Town Area	4.50	4.21	4.30	4.39	4.21	*	3.77	3.56
Aggregate Rural Area	3.98	3.90	3.79	3.84	3.77	*	3.65	3.58
WEXFORD	4.27	4.17	4.01	4.06	4.05	3.88	3.85	3.70
Aggregate Town Area	4.39	4.24	3.99	4.06	4.01	*	3.71	3.51
Aggregate Rural Area	4.24	4.14	4.02	4.07	4.07	*	3.92	3.80
WICKLOW	4.16	4.05	3.95	4.02	3.95	3.75	3.71	3.58
Aggregate Town Area	4.09	4.02	3.94	4.05	3.96	*	3.69	3.52
Aggregate Rural Area	4.19	4.07	3.95	4.00	3.95	*	3.73	3.65
MUNSTER	4.39	4.18	3.96	3.99	3.93	3.73	3.68	3.55
Aggregate Town Area	4.24	4.08	3.97	4.05	3.96	*	3.68	3.51
Aggregate Rural Area	4.45	4.23	3.96	3.96	3.90	*	3.69	3.59
CLARE	4.37	4.14	3.88	3.86	3.81	3.66	3.62	3.52
Aggregate Town Area	4.25	4.10	4.02	4.00	3.95	*	3.74	3.64
Aggregate Rural Area	4.39	4.15	3.86	3.84	3.77	*	3.56	3.46
CORK COUNTY BOROUGH	4.27	4.01	3.95	4.05	3.96	3.71	3.63	3.43
CORK	4.30	4.09	3.91	3.94	3.91	3.75	3.71	3.61
Aggregate Town Area	4.00	3.89	3.85	3.85	3.82	*	3.70	3.59
Aggregate Rural Area	4.39	4.16	3.94	3.97	3.94	*	3.72	3.63
KERRY	4.73	4.40	4.02	3.98	3.89	3.68	3.63	3.47
Aggregate Town Area	4.33	4.04	3.88	3.91	3.87	*	3.65	3.45
Aggregate Rural Area	4.80	4.47	4.06	3.99	3.90	*	3.62	3.48
LIMERICK COUNTY BOROUGH	4.46	4.30	4.17	4.31	4.18	3.85	3.76	3.46
LIMERICK	4.49	4.31	4.03	4.00	3.91	3.76	3.74	3.64
Aggregate Town Area	4.05	3.84	3.84	3.99	3.92	*	3.78	3.68
Aggregate Rural Area	4.51	4.33	4.03	4.01	3.91	*	3.73	3.63
TIPPERARY, N.R.	4.32	4.18	4.00	4.04	3.97	3.78	3.73	3.61
Aggregate Town Area	4.43	4.28	4.04	4.10	4.02	*	3.62	3.46
Aggregate Rural Area	4.29	4.15	3.99	4.01	3.95	*	3.78	3.68
TIPPERARY, S.R.	4.29	4.20	4.00	4.01	3.92	3.71	3.67	3.56
Aggregate Town Area	4.12	4.11	4.00	4.07	3.93	*	3.60	3.44
Aggregate Rural Area	4.36	4.25	4.01	3.98	3.91	*	3.72	3.64

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MUNSTER (Contd.)								
WATERFORD COUNTY BOROUGH	4.45	4.38	4.05	4.14	4.01	3.71	3.75	3.53
WATERFORD	4.15	4.00	3.81	3.86	3.85	3.74	3.67	3.56
Aggregate Town Area	4.05	3.98	3.83	3.85	3.79	*	3.62	3.51
Aggregate Rural Area	4.17	4.00	3.80	3.86	3.86	*	3.68	3.57
CONNACHT	4.36	4.16	3.94	3.91	3.83	3.70	3.63	3.51
Aggregate Town Area	4.56	4.42	4.19	4.19	4.09	*	3.66	3.49
Aggregate Rural Area	4.34	4.13	3.90	3.86	3.77	*	3.63	3.52
GALWAY COUNTY BOROUGH	4.65	4.52	4.26	4.22	4.13	3.90	3.82	3.60
GALWAY								3.69
Aggregate Town Area								3.55
Aggregate Rural Area								3.71
LEITRIM	4.06	3.80	3.52	3.46	3.38	3.31	3.26	3.17
Aggregate Town Area	-	-	-	3.83	3.91	*	3.38	3.10
Aggregate Rural Area	4.06	3.80	3.52	3.45	3.36	*	3.25	3.17
MAYO	4.45	4.19	3.99	3.91	3.80	3.71	3.63	3.50
Aggregate Town Area	4.55	4.40	4.09	4.06	3.97	*	3.58	3.40
Aggregate Rural Area	4.44	4.17	3.98	3.89	3.77	*	3.64	3.52
ROSCOMMON	4.08	3.89	3.65	3.66	3.60	3.54	3.46	3.37
Aggregate Town Area	4.19	4.14	3.93	3.91	3.80	*	3.48	3.38
Aggregate Rural Area	4.07	3.88	3.63	3.63	3.57	*	3.46	3.37
SLIGO	4.09	3.86	3.70	3.69	3.64	3.53	3.48	3.39
Aggregate Town Area	4.54	4.26	4.12	4.11	4.07	*	3.62	3.39
Aggregate Rural Area	4.01	3.79	3.60	3.58	3.51	*	3.43	3.40
ULSTER (part of)	4.24	4.12	3.88	3.84	3.79	3.69	3.65	3.57
Aggregate Town Area	4.34	4.34	4.18	4.13	4.04	*	3.68	3.56
Aggregate Rural Area	4.23	4.10	3.84	3.81	3.75	*	3.65	3.58
CAVAN	4.04	3.93	3.69	3.68	3.64	3.58	3.52	3.44
Aggregate Town Area	4.33	4.41	4.44	4.35	4.11	*	3.64	3.54
Aggregate Rural Area	4.02	3.89	3.65	3.64	3.59	*	3.50	3.42
DONEGAL	4.43	4.30	4.03	3.96	3.90	3.75	3.72	3.64
Aggregate Town Area	4.42	4.49	4.37	4.22	4.19	*	3.76	3.63
Aggregate Rural Area	4.43	4.28	4.01	3.93	3.86	*	3.71	3.64
MONAGHAN	4.09	3.99	3.75	3.77	3.74	3.66	3.64	3.57
Aggregate Town Area	4.28	4.17	3.94	3.98	3.85	*	3.59	3.45
Aggregate Rural Area	4.05	3.95	3.70	3.71	3.71	*	3.66	3.62

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