

Table 6A:- Percentage distribution of males whose fulltime education has ceased, in each Province, County and County Borough classified by age at which fulltime education ceased.

Note: In calculating the percentage distribution, those cases were excluded where the age at which fulltime education ceased was not stated.

| Province, County<br>or<br>County Borough | Total | Age at which fulltime education ceased |      |      |      |      |     |     |     |     |     |     |                   |
|------------------------------------------|-------|----------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------------------|
|                                          |       | Under<br>15                            | 15   | 16   | 17   | 18   | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | 24  | 25<br>and<br>over |
| TOTAL                                    | 100.- | 31.3                                   | 13.9 | 18.9 | 11.3 | 12.5 | 2.8 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 1.6               |
| LEINSTER                                 | 100.- | 28.8                                   | 13.9 | 19.1 | 11.9 | 13.1 | 2.8 | 1.9 | 2.3 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 1.0 | 1.9               |
| Carlow                                   | 100.- | 33.7                                   | 15.7 | 20.2 | 10.7 | 10.0 | 2.2 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.3 | .8  | .8  | 1.2               |
| Dublin Co. & Co. Borough                 | 100.- | 26.0                                   | 13.3 | 18.4 | 12.1 | 14.5 | 2.9 | 2.1 | 2.8 | 2.4 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 2.4               |
| Dublin Co. Borough                       | 100.- | 31.8                                   | 14.9 | 18.7 | 10.9 | 12.0 | 2.3 | 1.6 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 1.3 | 1.0 | 2.0               |
| Dublin-Belgard                           | 100.- | 24.1                                   | 14.2 | 20.5 | 13.1 | 14.9 | 2.9 | 1.9 | 2.3 | 2.0 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 1.7               |
| Dublin-Fingal                            | 100.- | 19.8                                   | 11.7 | 18.6 | 14.6 | 17.5 | 3.6 | 2.7 | 3.3 | 2.7 | 1.9 | 1.3 | 2.4               |
| Dunlaoghaire-Rathdown                    | 100.- | 14.9                                   | 8.8  | 14.8 | 13.1 | 19.4 | 4.5 | 3.4 | 5.3 | 5.1 | 3.6 | 2.6 | 4.5               |
| Kildare                                  | 100.- | 26.0                                   | 13.8 | 21.1 | 12.9 | 13.9 | 3.0 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 1.8 | 1.1 | .9  | 1.6               |
| Kilkenny                                 | 100.- | 29.9                                   | 15.1 | 21.2 | 11.8 | 11.8 | 2.8 | 1.8 | 1.6 | 1.1 | .9  | .7  | 1.1               |
| Laoighis                                 | 100.- | 34.0                                   | 14.3 | 20.0 | 11.8 | 11.3 | 2.4 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 1.0 | .7  | .6  | 1.0               |
| Longford                                 | 100.- | 40.9                                   | 12.3 | 17.0 | 10.3 | 10.7 | 2.7 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.0 | .7  | .7  | 1.0               |
| Louth                                    | 100.- | 32.7                                   | 16.3 | 20.7 | 11.0 | 9.5  | 2.7 | 2.0 | 1.4 | 1.2 | .8  | .6  | 1.2               |
| Meath                                    | 100.- | 30.3                                   | 14.3 | 20.6 | 11.8 | 11.9 | 2.6 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 1.4 | 1.1 | .7  | 1.4               |
| Offaly                                   | 100.- | 36.0                                   | 14.9 | 19.2 | 11.6 | 10.7 | 2.2 | 1.3 | 1.1 | .9  | .6  | .6  | .9                |
| Westmeath                                | 100.- | 32.5                                   | 13.1 | 18.8 | 11.8 | 12.2 | 3.2 | 1.7 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 1.1 | .9  | 1.3               |
| Wexford                                  | 100.- | 36.4                                   | 15.2 | 19.3 | 10.8 | 10.0 | 2.4 | 1.5 | 1.2 | 1.0 | .7  | .6  | 1.1               |
| Wicklow                                  | 100.- | 28.7                                   | 14.0 | 19.1 | 11.5 | 12.7 | 3.0 | 2.1 | 2.4 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 2.0               |
| MUNSTER                                  | 100.- | 28.6                                   | 14.6 | 20.4 | 11.8 | 12.9 | 3.0 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 1.0 | .8  | 1.4               |
| Clare                                    | 100.- | 32.0                                   | 12.3 | 18.8 | 11.7 | 13.9 | 2.9 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 1.0 | .8  | 1.2               |
| Cork Co. & Co. Borough                   | 100.- | 27.1                                   | 14.8 | 20.3 | 11.8 | 12.9 | 3.1 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 1.9 | 1.2 | .9  | 1.6               |
| Cork County Borough                      | 100.- | 23.9                                   | 16.2 | 21.4 | 11.9 | 13.3 | 3.0 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 1.9               |
| Cork                                     | 100.- | 28.6                                   | 14.2 | 19.8 | 11.7 | 12.8 | 3.2 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 1.8 | 1.2 | .9  | 1.5               |
| Kerry                                    | 100.- | 34.0                                   | 14.6 | 18.8 | 10.4 | 12.0 | 2.7 | 1.9 | 1.6 | 1.4 | .8  | .7  | 1.2               |
| Limerick Co. & Co. Borough               | 100.- | 26.2                                   | 13.5 | 21.2 | 12.5 | 13.8 | 3.1 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 1.9 | 1.0 | .9  | 1.4               |
| Limerick County Borough                  | 100.- | 24.2                                   | 14.9 | 23.2 | 12.0 | 13.7 | 2.8 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 1.8 | 1.0 | .8  | 1.5               |
| Limerick                                 | 100.- | 27.2                                   | 12.8 | 20.3 | 12.8 | 13.8 | 3.2 | 2.2 | 2.5 | 1.9 | 1.0 | .9  | 1.4               |
| Tipperary, N.R.                          | 100.- | 30.9                                   | 14.6 | 19.3 | 12.7 | 12.8 | 2.8 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 1.2 | .9  | .6  | 1.2               |
| Tipperary, S.R.                          | 100.- | 28.7                                   | 15.0 | 21.7 | 12.6 | 12.4 | 2.8 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.1 | .9  | .6  | 1.1               |
| Waterford Co. & Co. Borough              | 100.- | 26.5                                   | 17.2 | 22.4 | 11.8 | 11.7 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 1.3 | .9  | .7  | 1.3               |
| Waterford County Borough                 | 100.- | 20.1                                   | 19.8 | 25.9 | 12.6 | 11.9 | 2.5 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.1 | .9  | .7  | 1.4               |
| Waterford                                | 100.- | 31.0                                   | 15.3 | 20.1 | 11.3 | 11.6 | 2.8 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 1.5 | .9  | .7  | 1.3               |
| CONNACHT                                 | 100.- | 38.5                                   | 12.9 | 16.6 | 10.0 | 11.4 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 1.4 | 1.0 | .7  | 1.5               |
| Galway Co. & Co. Borough                 | 100.- | 36.7                                   | 12.7 | 15.8 | 9.8  | 11.9 | 3.0 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 1.8 | 1.2 | .9  | 2.0               |
| Galway County Borough                    | 100.- | 19.7                                   | 11.3 | 16.4 | 12.1 | 15.8 | 4.4 | 3.6 | 4.5 | 3.9 | 2.3 | 1.9 | 4.0               |
| Galway                                   | 100.- | 41.6                                   | 13.1 | 15.6 | 9.1  | 10.7 | 2.5 | 1.5 | 1.7 | 1.2 | .9  | .7  | 1.4               |
| Leitrim                                  | 100.- | 42.7                                   | 13.4 | 17.6 | 10.1 | 9.0  | 1.9 | 1.1 | 1.2 | .8  | .6  | .6  | 1.0               |
| Mayo                                     | 100.- | 43.0                                   | 12.7 | 15.4 | 9.1  | 10.9 | 2.4 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 1.0 | .8  | .5  | 1.1               |
| Roscommon                                | 100.- | 37.6                                   | 13.4 | 18.3 | 10.9 | 11.7 | 2.4 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.0 | .7  | .5  | 1.0               |
| Sligo                                    | 100.- | 33.3                                   | 13.2 | 18.9 | 11.2 | 12.1 | 2.9 | 2.0 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 1.2 | .9  | 1.4               |
| ULSTER (PART OF)                         | 100.- | 47.6                                   | 13.5 | 15.5 | 7.9  | 7.7  | 2.1 | 1.3 | 1.2 | .9  | .7  | .6  | 1.0               |
| Cavan                                    | 100.- | 47.4                                   | 12.6 | 15.6 | 8.2  | 8.2  | 2.4 | 1.3 | 1.1 | .9  | .7  | .6  | 1.0               |
| Donegal                                  | 100.- | 50.0                                   | 13.0 | 14.5 | 7.4  | 7.3  | 1.9 | 1.4 | 1.3 | .9  | .7  | .6  | 1.1               |
| Monaghan                                 | 100.- | 41.9                                   | 15.8 | 18.0 | 8.6  | 8.2  | 2.1 | 1.3 | 1.3 | .9  | .6  | .5  | .8                |

Table 6B:- Percentage distribution of females whose fulltime education has ceased, in each Province, County and County Borough classified by age at which fulltime education ceased.

Note: In calculating the percentage distribution, those cases were excluded where the age at which fulltime education ceased was not stated.

| Province, County<br>or<br>County Borough | Total | Age at which fulltime education ceased |      |      |      |      |     |     |     |     |     |     |                   |
|------------------------------------------|-------|----------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------------------|
|                                          |       | Under<br>15                            | 15   | 16   | 17   | 18   | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | 24  | 25<br>and<br>over |
| TOTAL                                    | 100.- | 25.9                                   | 12.5 | 17.6 | 14.7 | 17.4 | 3.8 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 1.5 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.8               |
| LEINSTER                                 | 100.- | 26.1                                   | 12.5 | 17.3 | 15.2 | 17.1 | 3.6 | 2.1 | 2.4 | 1.5 | .8  | .5  | .8                |
| Carlow                                   | 100.- | 26.0                                   | 12.3 | 19.5 | 14.6 | 16.1 | 4.5 | 2.1 | 1.9 | 1.4 | .5  | .3  | .8                |
| Dublin Co. & Co. Borough                 | 100.- | 26.6                                   | 12.1 | 16.3 | 15.2 | 17.4 | 3.5 | 2.1 | 2.6 | 1.7 | 1.0 | .6  | 1.0               |
| Dublin Co. Borough                       | 100.- | 32.6                                   | 13.1 | 15.6 | 13.4 | 15.2 | 3.0 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 1.3 | .8  | .5  | .9                |
| Dublin-Belgard                           | 100.- | 25.3                                   | 13.1 | 18.3 | 16.2 | 16.9 | 3.2 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 1.3 | .6  | .4  | .6                |
| Dublin-Fingal                            | 100.- | 18.5                                   | 11.4 | 18.1 | 18.7 | 20.1 | 3.9 | 2.3 | 2.8 | 1.8 | 1.0 | .6  | .8                |
| Dunlaoghaire-Rathdown                    | 100.- | 14.6                                   | 8.3  | 15.3 | 17.5 | 22.6 | 5.3 | 3.7 | 4.9 | 3.3 | 1.8 | 1.0 | 1.7               |
| Kildare                                  | 100.- | 21.2                                   | 12.7 | 19.0 | 16.7 | 18.7 | 3.9 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 1.5 | .6  | .4  | .8                |
| Kilkenny                                 | 100.- | 21.3                                   | 12.5 | 19.9 | 16.5 | 18.6 | 4.2 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 1.3 | .6  | .3  | .6                |
| Laoighis                                 | 100.- | 23.0                                   | 13.1 | 20.2 | 16.5 | 17.5 | 3.5 | 2.1 | 1.9 | 1.0 | .6  | .3  | .6                |
| Longford                                 | 100.- | 31.2                                   | 11.1 | 16.4 | 13.7 | 16.4 | 4.2 | 2.2 | 1.7 | 1.1 | .5  | .5  | 1.1               |
| Louth                                    | 100.- | 31.8                                   | 15.5 | 18.1 | 12.5 | 12.9 | 3.1 | 2.0 | 1.7 | 1.2 | .5  | .3  | .4                |
| Meath                                    | 100.- | 23.2                                   | 12.5 | 18.8 | 16.3 | 18.1 | 4.0 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 1.3 | .6  | .3  | .5                |
| Offaly                                   | 100.- | 28.1                                   | 13.6 | 18.4 | 14.3 | 16.1 | 3.6 | 1.8 | 1.7 | 1.1 | .4  | .2  | .6                |
| Westmeath                                | 100.- | 24.4                                   | 12.1 | 17.7 | 15.6 | 18.2 | 4.1 | 2.5 | 2.2 | 1.4 | .7  | .4  | .7                |
| Wexford                                  | 100.- | 28.8                                   | 13.9 | 18.7 | 14.2 | 15.2 | 3.4 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 1.0 | .5  | .3  | .5                |
| Wicklow                                  | 100.- | 24.0                                   | 13.5 | 19.1 | 15.1 | 16.4 | 3.7 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 1.5 | .8  | .4  | .9                |
| MUNSTER                                  | 100.- | 22.5                                   | 13.0 | 19.2 | 15.0 | 18.4 | 4.2 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 1.4 | .7  | .4  | .7                |
| Clare                                    | 100.- | 23.3                                   | 10.9 | 18.3 | 15.3 | 20.2 | 4.1 | 2.6 | 2.3 | 1.3 | .6  | .4  | .6                |
| Cork Co. & Co. Borough                   | 100.- | 22.5                                   | 13.5 | 19.2 | 14.6 | 17.9 | 4.2 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 1.6 | .8  | .5  | .7                |
| Cork County Borough                      | 100.- | 22.8                                   | 15.4 | 20.5 | 14.0 | 16.2 | 3.5 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 1.5 | .8  | .5  | .7                |
| Cork                                     | 100.- | 22.3                                   | 12.6 | 18.5 | 14.9 | 18.8 | 4.6 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 1.6 | .8  | .4  | .7                |
| Kerry                                    | 100.- | 26.1                                   | 12.5 | 17.6 | 13.4 | 18.1 | 4.2 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 1.4 | .6  | .3  | .7                |
| Limerick Co. & Co. Borough               | 100.- | 21.0                                   | 12.3 | 19.7 | 15.6 | 19.4 | 4.4 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 1.4 | .6  | .3  | .7                |
| Limerick County Borough                  | 100.- | 22.3                                   | 14.3 | 22.4 | 14.3 | 16.7 | 3.6 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.1 | .5  | .3  | 1.0               |
| Limerick                                 | 100.- | 20.3                                   | 11.1 | 18.2 | 16.3 | 20.9 | 4.9 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 1.6 | .7  | .3  | .6                |
| Tipperary, N.R.                          | 100.- | 21.4                                   | 12.3 | 19.0 | 16.6 | 19.7 | 4.1 | 2.0 | 2.1 | 1.2 | .6  | .3  | .7                |
| Tipperary, S.R.                          | 100.- | 21.1                                   | 12.8 | 19.6 | 16.5 | 19.0 | 4.1 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 1.3 | .5  | .2  | .6                |
| Waterford Co. & Co. Borough              | 100.- | 20.9                                   | 14.6 | 21.6 | 15.7 | 16.8 | 3.8 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.3 | .5  | .3  | .7                |
| Waterford County Borough                 | 100.- | 19.0                                   | 17.7 | 24.8 | 15.3 | 14.6 | 2.8 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.1 | .5  | .3  | .8                |
| Waterford                                | 100.- | 22.3                                   | 12.2 | 19.0 | 16.0 | 18.6 | 4.6 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 1.5 | .5  | .2  | .7                |
| CONNACHT                                 | 100.- | 26.9                                   | 11.2 | 16.0 | 13.9 | 19.0 | 4.4 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 1.6 | .8  | .5  | .8                |
| Galway Co. & Co. Borough                 | 100.- | 25.2                                   | 10.8 | 15.4 | 13.7 | 19.8 | 4.8 | 2.9 | 2.9 | 2.0 | .9  | .6  | 1.0               |
| Galway County Borough                    | 100.- | 15.1                                   | 8.8  | 15.1 | 16.2 | 22.7 | 6.0 | 3.8 | 4.5 | 3.3 | 1.7 | 1.1 | 1.7               |
| Galway                                   | 100.- | 29.0                                   | 11.5 | 15.5 | 12.7 | 18.7 | 4.4 | 2.5 | 2.3 | 1.5 | .7  | .4  | .7                |
| Leitrim                                  | 100.- | 31.7                                   | 12.1 | 17.4 | 14.1 | 15.0 | 3.8 | 2.0 | 1.8 | 1.0 | .4  | .2  | .5                |
| Mayo                                     | 100.- | 31.4                                   | 11.5 | 15.3 | 12.9 | 18.0 | 3.9 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 1.2 | .7  | .4  | .6                |
| Roscommon                                | 100.- | 24.0                                   | 11.6 | 17.7 | 16.0 | 20.2 | 4.0 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 1.1 | .6  | .3  | .6                |
| Sligo                                    | 100.- | 23.3                                   | 11.3 | 17.2 | 14.6 | 19.5 | 4.8 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 1.7 | .8  | .6  | .9                |
| ULSTER (PART OF)                         | 100.- | 38.6                                   | 12.7 | 15.8 | 10.8 | 12.8 | 3.0 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 1.1 | .4  | .3  | .5                |
| Cavan                                    | 100.- | 34.5                                   | 11.5 | 17.2 | 12.3 | 15.1 | 3.8 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 1.0 | .4  | .3  | .3                |
| Donegal                                  | 100.- | 42.6                                   | 13.0 | 14.5 | 9.6  | 11.2 | 2.7 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 1.2 | .5  | .3  | .5                |
| Monaghan                                 | 100.- | 32.8                                   | 13.5 | 17.6 | 12.2 | 14.2 | 3.1 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 1.1 | .4  | .3  | .7                |