

Table 15 Persons, males and females in Towns by type of district, 1991

Type of district	Total population (including Suburbs or Environs)			Population within legally defined boundary			Population of Suburbs or Environs		
	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females
Greater Dublin Area (2)	915,516	437,789	477,727	(a) 533,929	(a) 251,519	(a) 282,410	381,587	186,270	195,317
Other County Boroughs (4)									
Cork County Borough	174,400	84,693	89,707	127,253	61,346	65,907	47,147	23,347	23,800
Limerick County Borough	75,436	36,752	38,684	52,083	25,318	26,765	23,353	11,434	11,919
Galway County Borough	50,853	24,281	26,572	50,853	24,281	26,572	*	*	*
Waterford County Borough	41,853	20,497	21,356	40,328	19,717	20,611	1,525	780	745
Total	342,542	166,223	176,319	270,517	130,662	139,855	72,025	35,561	36,464
Other Towns of 10,000 population and over (21)									
Dundalk	30,061	14,543	15,518	25,843	12,482	13,361	4,218	2,061	2,157
Bray	26,953	12,976	13,977	25,096	12,074	13,022	1,857	902	955
Drogheda	24,656	11,880	12,776	23,848	11,486	12,362	808	394	414
Sligo	17,964	8,451	9,513	17,302	8,134	9,168	662	317	345
Tralee	17,862	8,613	9,249	17,225	8,298	8,927	637	315	322
Swords	17,705	8,860	8,845	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilkenny	17,669	8,613	9,056	8,515	4,147	4,368	9,154	4,466	4,688
Ennis	16,058	7,794	8,264	13,730	6,645	7,085	2,328	1,149	1,179
Clonmel	15,562	7,654	7,908	14,531	7,159	7,372	1,031	495	536
Wexford	15,393	7,644	7,749	9,544	4,783	4,761	5,849	2,861	2,988
Athlone	15,358	7,354	8,004	8,170	3,804	4,366	7,188	3,550	3,638
Carlow	14,027	6,880	7,147	11,271	5,479	5,792	2,756	1,401	1,355
Lucan	13,574	6,689	6,885	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leixlip	13,194	6,598	6,596	13,194	6,598	6,596	*	*	*
Malahide	12,088	5,953	6,135	-	-	-	-	-	-
Droichead Nua	12,069	6,009	6,060	11,778	5,859	5,919	291	150	141
Mullingar	11,867	5,797	6,070	8,003	3,841	4,162	3,864	1,956	1,908
Navan (An Uaimh)	11,706	5,699	6,007	3,415	1,663	1,752	8,291	4,036	4,255
Naas	11,141	5,549	5,592	11,141	5,549	5,592	*	*	*
Greystones	10,778	5,198	5,580	9,649	4,655	4,994	1,129	543	586
Letterkenny	10,726	5,141	5,585	7,186	3,374	3,812	3,540	1,767	1,773
Total	336,411	163,895	172,516	239,441	116,030	123,411	53,603	26,363	27,240

(a) Includes Dublin Co. Borough and Dun Laoghaire Borough.

* Indicates that a Town with a legally defined boundary has no Suburbs or Environs.

- Indicates that a Town is without a legally defined boundary.

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Towns 5,000 - 10,000 population (31)									
Killarney	9,950	4,851	5,099	7,275	3,502	3,773	2,675	1,349	1,326
Celbridge	9,629	4,844	4,785	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tullamore	9,430	4,592	4,838	8,622	4,183	4,439	808	409	399
Portmarnock	9,173	4,581	4,592	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portlaoighe	8,360	4,288	4,072	3,618	1,918	1,700	4,742	2,370	2,372
Cobh	8,219	4,130	4,089	6,227	3,077	3,150	1,992	1,053	939
Ballina	8,167	3,935	4,232	6,563	3,139	3,424	1,604	796	808
Arklow	7,987	3,921	4,066	7,987	3,921	4,066	*	*	*
Shannon	7,920	3,991	3,929	7,920	3,991	3,929	*	*	*
Balbriggan	7,724	3,818	3,906	5,414	2,669	2,745	2,310	1,149	1,161
Enniscorthy	7,655	3,716	3,939	4,127	1,988	2,139	3,528	1,728	1,800
Castlebar	7,648	3,582	4,066	6,073	2,811	3,262	1,575	771	804
Mallow	7,521	3,635	3,886	6,238	2,987	3,251	1,283	648	635
Skerries	7,032	3,462	3,570	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thurles	6,955	3,233	3,722	6,687	3,101	3,586	268	132	136
Dungarvan	6,920	3,394	3,526	6,920	3,394	3,526	*	*	*
Longford	6,824	3,397	3,427	6,393	3,184	3,209	431	213	218
Carrigaline	6,482	3,213	3,269	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wicklow	6,215	3,035	3,180	5,847	2,858	2,989	368	177	191
New Ross	6,079	2,947	3,132	5,018	2,419	2,599	1,061	528	533
Tramore	6,064	2,985	3,079	6,064	2,985	3,079	*	*	*
Maynooth	6,027	3,047	2,980	-	-	-	-	-	-
Midleton	5,951	2,893	3,058	2,990	1,410	1,580	2,961	1,483	1,478
Monaghan	5,946	2,856	3,090	5,750	2,757	2,993	196	99	97
Ballinasloe	5,892	2,977	2,915	5,793	2,929	2,864	99	48	51
Youghal	5,828	2,837	2,991	5,532	2,691	2,841	296	146	150
Nenagh	5,825	2,795	3,030	5,525	2,663	2,862	300	132	168
Tuam	5,540	2,732	2,808	3,448	1,689	1,759	2,092	1,043	1,049
Cavan	5,254	2,585	2,669	3,332	1,589	1,743	1,922	996	926
Athy	5,204	2,544	2,660	5,204	2,544	2,660	*	*	*
Carrick-on-Suir	5,143	2,533	2,610	5,143	2,533	2,610	*	*	*
Total	218,564	107,349	111,215	149,710	72,932	76,778	30,511	15,270	15,241
Towns 3,000 - 5,000 population (25)									
Tipperary	4,963	2,434	2,529	4,772	2,339	2,433	191	95	96
Rush	4,839	2,440	2,399	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bandon	4,741	2,327	2,414	1,736	825	911	3,005	1,502	1,503
Fermoy	4,462	2,156	2,306	2,313	1,099	1,214	2,149	1,057	1,092
Ashbourne	4,411	2,213	2,198	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Towns 3,000 - 5,000 population (contd.)									
Buncrana	4,388	2,154	2,234	3,118	1,505	1,613	1,270	649	621
Roscrea	4,231	2,118	2,113	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kildare	4,196	2,136	2,060	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trim	4,185	2,057	2,128	1,784	894	890	2,401	1,163	1,238
Birr	4,056	2,010	2,046	3,280	1,613	1,667	776	397	379
Gorey	3,840	1,875	1,965	2,193	1,044	1,149	1,647	831	816
Edenderry	3,742	1,864	1,878	3,525	1,764	1,761	217	100	117
Westport	3,688	1,763	1,925	3,688	1,763	1,925	*	*	*
Newcastle (Co. Limerick)	3,612	1,683	1,929	3,287	1,513	1,774	325	170	155
Passage West	3,606	1,805	1,801	3,410	1,707	1,703	196	98	98
Ardee	3,604	1,791	1,813	3,269	1,613	1,656	335	178	157
Listowel	3,597	1,723	1,874	3,347	1,585	1,762	250	138	112
Ceannanus Mór	3,539	1,753	1,786	2,183	1,080	1,103	1,356	673	683
Roscommon	3,427	1,642	1,785	1,314	617	697	2,113	1,025	1,088
Laytown-Bettystown-Mornington	3,360	1,641	1,719	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carrickmacross	3,341	1,619	1,722	1,678	817	861	1,663	802	861
Loughrea	3,271	1,556	1,715	3,271	1,556	1,715	*	*	*
Portarlinton	3,211	1,575	1,636	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mitchelstown	3,090	1,495	1,595	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mountmellick	3,003	1,469	1,534	2,495	1,196	1,299	508	273	235
Total	96,403	47,299	49,104	50,663	24,530	26,133	18,402	9,151	9,251
Towns 1,500 - 3,000 population (47)									
Ballybofey-Stranorlar	2,972	1,398	1,574	-	-	-	-	-	-
Castleblayney	2,938	1,434	1,504	2,029	981	1,048	909	453	456
Rathcoole	2,926	1,477	1,449	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ballyshannon	2,838	1,362	1,476	2,426	1,146	1,280	412	216	196
Cashel	2,814	1,318	1,496	2,473	1,156	1,317	341	162	179
Clonakilty	2,812	1,307	1,505	2,576	1,183	1,393	236	124	112
Bantry	2,777	1,292	1,485	2,777	1,292	1,485	*	*	*
Kinsale	2,751	1,364	1,387	1,759	874	885	992	490	502
Kilrush	2,740	1,354	1,386	2,740	1,354	1,386	*	*	*
Muinebeag	2,700	1,369	1,331	2,573	1,300	1,273	127	69	58
Rathluirc (or Charleville)	2,646	1,280	1,366	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clara	2,505	1,262	1,243	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilcoole	2,485	1,234	1,251	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tullow	2,424	1,184	1,240	2,277	1,120	1,157	147	64	83
Dunboyne	2,392	1,200	1,192	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Towns 1,500 - 3,000 population (contd.)									
Macroom	2,363	1,148	1,215	2,363	1,148	1,215	*	*	*
Clones	2,347	1,128	1,219	2,094	1,016	1,078	253	112	141
Templemore	2,325	1,196	1,129	2,188	1,125	1,063	137	71	66
Newtownmountkenedy	2,321	1,200	1,121	-	-	-	-	-	-
Monasterevan	2,224	1,051	1,173	-	-	-	-	-	-
Castleisland	2,207	1,053	1,154	-	-	-	-	-	-
Boyle	2,197	1,071	1,126	1,695	818	877	502	253	249
Donegal	2,193	1,032	1,161	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portrane	2,153	1,116	1,037	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kinsealy-Drinan	2,084	1,048	1,036	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lusk	2,071	1,037	1,034	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cahir	2,055	979	1,076	-	-	-	-	-	-
Blarney	2,043	983	1,060	-	-	-	-	-	-
Claremorris	1,907	859	1,048	-	-	-	-	-	-
Skibbereen	1,892	906	986	1,892	906	986	*	*	*
Carrick-on-Shannon	1,858	875	983	-	-	-	-	-	-
Castlerea	1,822	883	939	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clane	1,822	913	909	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rathkeale	1,803	868	935	1,803	868	935	*	*	*
Cootehill	1,791	893	898	1,452	719	733	339	174	165
Kanturk	1,777	825	952	-	-	-	-	-	-
Duleek	1,718	860	858	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilcullen	1,664	842	822	-	-	-	-	-	-
Athenry	1,612	790	822	-	-	-	-	-	-
Newmarket-on-Fergus	1,583	823	760	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilcock	1,551	755	796	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bailieborough	1,550	771	779	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carndonagh	1,541	741	800	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moate	1,529	788	741	-	-	-	-	-	-
Killybegs	1,522	781	741	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kill	1,518	766	752	-	-	-	-	-	-
Abbeyfeale	1,501	740	761	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	101,264	49,556	51,708	35,117	17,006	18,111	4,395	2,188	2,207
Towns 1,000 - 1,500 population (64)									
Rathnew	1,496	732	764	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thomastown	1,487	733	754	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bundoran	1,463	695	768	1,463	695	768	*	*	*
Fethard	1,431	715	716	946	477	469	485	238	247
Bunbeg-Derrybeg	1,427	718	709	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Towns 1,000 - 1,500 population (contd.)									
Banagher	1,423	657	766	-	-	-	-	-	-
Blessington	1,408	676	732	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dunmanway	1,404	655	749	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tower	1,402	710	692	-	-	-	-	-	-
Castlecomer-Donaguile	1,396	686	710	-	-	-	-	-	-
Graiguenamanagh-Tinnahinch	1,395	710	685	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moville	1,392	687	705	-	-	-	-	-	-
Castleconnell	1,391	690	701	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mountrath	1,375	654	721	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kenmare	1,366	626	740	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lifford	1,359	693	666	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ballybunion	1,346	617	729	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crosshaven	1,329	615	714	-	-	-	-	-	-
Buncloody-Carrickduff	1,316	632	684	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kilkee	1,315	643	672	1,315	643	672	*	*	*
Kilmallock	1,311	648	663	-	-	-	-	-	-
Millstreet	1,300	641	659	-	-	-	-	-	-
Abbeyleix	1,299	643	656	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ferbane	1,285	622	663	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ballyhaunis	1,282	617	665	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dunshaughlin	1,275	637	638	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dingle	1,272	633	639	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ballaghaderreen	1,270	666	604	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kingscourt	1,260	648	612	-	-	-	-	-	-
Callan	1,246	588	658	1,246	588	658	*	*	*
Enniskerry	1,238	617	621	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ballinrobe	1,229	624	605	-	-	-	-	-	-
Killorglin	1,229	591	638	-	-	-	-	-	-
Belturbet	1,223	591	632	1,223	591	632	*	*	*
Granard	1,221	619	602	1,221	619	602	*	*	*
Swinford	1,216	574	642	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cahiriveen	1,213	557	656	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carrigtwohill	1,212	591	621	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crossmolina	1,202	598	604	-	-	-	-	-	-
Newcastle (Co. Dublin)	1,200	596	604	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oranmore	1,192	593	599	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sixmilebridge	1,191	568	623	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rathdrum	1,175	544	631	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ballybay	1,156	538	618	459	225	234	697	313	384
Portlao	1,151	566	585	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rathangan	1,129	571	558	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Towns 1,000 - 1,500 population (contd.)									
Buttevant	1,125	521	604	-	-	-	-	-	-
Donabate	1,104	534	570	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dunleer	1,104	549	555	-	-	-	-	-	-
Newmarket	1,097	551	546	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lismore	1,095	540	555	715	340	375	380	200	180
Gort	1,093	526	567	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rathdowney	1,092	572	520	-	-	-	-	-	-
Croom	1,090	562	528	-	-	-	-	-	-
Raphoe	1,090	519	571	-	-	-	-	-	-
Athboy	1,083	522	561	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tubbercurry	1,069	488	581	-	-	-	-	-	-
Baltinglass	1,068	532	536	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lanesborough-Ballyleague	1,054	535	519	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stradbally (Co. Laoighis)	1,046	503	543	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dunmore East	1,038	491	547	-	-	-	-	-	-
Patrickswell	1,019	550	469	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portumna	1,017	467	550	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ballymote	1,014	488	526	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	79,196	38,675	40,521	8,588	4,178	4,410	1,562	751	811
Total Towns 1,500 population and over (comprising the Aggregate Town Areas) (130)									
	2,010,700	972,111	1,038,589	1,279,377	612,679	666,698	560,523	274,803	285,720
Total Towns 1,000 - 1,500 population (64)									
	79,196	38,675	40,521	8,588	4,178	4,410	1,562	751	811
Total Towns 500 - 1,000 population (134)(b)									
	94,984	47,109	47,875	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Towns under 500 population but with at least 50 inhabited houses (306)(b)									
	93,045	46,332	46,713	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Towns of all sizes (634)									
	2,277,925	1,104,227	1,173,698	1,287,965	616,857	671,108	562,085	275,554	286,531
Population outside Towns									
	1,247,794	649,191	598,603	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grand Total									
	3,525,719	1,753,418	1,772,301	1,287,965	616,857	671,108	562,085	275,554	286,531

(b) The population of each Town under 1,000 is shown separately in Tables 11 and 20.