

Table 5 Births, deaths, natural increase in population and estimated net migration in the intercensal period

Province, County or County Borough	Births(a)			Deaths(a)			Natural increase		
	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females
Total	277,546	143,138	134,408	158,300	85,086	73,214	119,246	58,052	61,194
Leinster	149,371	76,922	72,449	73,375	37,710	35,665	75,996	39,212	36,784
Munster	77,330	39,955	37,375	48,888	26,616	22,272	28,442	13,339	15,103
Connacht	32,263	16,705	15,558	23,681	13,634	10,047	8,582	3,071	5,511
Ulster (part of)	18,582	9,556	9,026	12,356	7,126	5,230	6,226	2,430	3,796
Leinster									
Carlow	3,677	1,907	1,770	1,860	1,001	859	1,817	906	911
Dublin Co. and Co. Borough(b)	80,187	41,260	38,927	38,511	18,556	19,955	41,676	22,704	18,972
Kildare	10,942	5,553	5,389	3,764	2,070	1,694	7,178	3,483	3,695
Kilkenny	5,918	3,100	2,818	3,229	1,800	1,429	2,689	1,300	1,389
Laoighis	4,079	2,121	1,958	2,400	1,375	1,025	1,679	746	933
Longford	2,453	1,280	1,173	1,789	1,012	777	664	268	396
Louth	6,885	3,562	3,323	3,832	1,989	1,843	3,053	1,573	1,480
Meath	8,433	4,321	4,112	3,638	2,079	1,559	4,795	2,242	2,553
Offaly	4,581	2,369	2,212	2,649	1,556	1,093	1,932	813	1,119
Westmeath	5,230	2,677	2,553	3,009	1,725	1,284	2,221	952	1,269
Wexford	8,594	4,444	4,150	4,810	2,577	2,233	3,784	1,867	1,917
Wicklow	8,392	4,328	4,064	3,884	1,970	1,914	4,508	2,358	2,150
Munster									
Clare	6,983	3,545	3,438	4,522	2,617	1,905	2,461	928	1,533
Cork Co. and Co. Borough	31,537	16,423	15,114	19,245	10,205	9,040	12,292	6,218	6,074
Cork Co. Borough	9,248	4,795	4,453	6,016	2,863	3,153	3,232	1,932	1,300
Cork	22,289	11,628	10,661	13,229	7,342	5,887	9,060	4,286	4,774
Kerry	8,617	4,423	4,194	7,008	4,051	2,957	1,609	372	1,237
Limerick Co. and Co. Borough	12,812	6,658	6,154	7,315	3,930	3,385	5,497	2,728	2,769
Limerick Co. Borough	4,020	2,094	1,926	2,151	1,088	1,063	1,869	1,006	863
Limerick	8,792	4,564	4,228	5,164	2,842	2,322	3,628	1,722	1,906
Tipperary, N.R.	4,627	2,400	2,227	3,138	1,742	1,396	1,489	658	831
Tipperary, S.R.	5,818	3,026	2,792	3,649	1,990	1,659	2,169	1,036	1,133
Waterford Co. and Co. Borough	6,936	3,480	3,456	4,011	2,081	1,930	2,925	1,399	1,526
Waterford Co. Borough	2,976	1,499	1,477	1,459	728	731	1,517	771	746
Waterford	3,960	1,981	1,979	2,552	1,353	1,199	1,408	628	780
Connacht									
Galway Co. and Co. Borough	14,137	7,402	6,735	8,371	4,817	3,554	5,766	2,585	3,181
Galway Co. Borough	3,182	1,635	1,547	1,319	671	648	1,863	964	899
Galway	10,955	5,767	5,188	7,052	4,146	2,906	3,903	1,621	2,282
Leitrim	1,844	935	909	1,988	1,175	813	-144	-240	96
Mayo	8,507	4,369	4,138	6,881	3,950	2,931	1,626	419	1207
Roscommon	3,601	1,869	1,732	3,251	1,906	1,345	350	-37	387
Sligo	4,174	2,130	2,044	3,190	1,786	1,404	984	344	640
Ulster (part of)									
Cavan	4,282	2,228	2,054	2,986	1,784	1,202	1,296	444	852
Donegal	10,444	5,422	5,022	6,711	3,810	2,901	3,733	1,612	2,121
Monaghan	3,850	1,906	1,950	2,659	1,532	1,127	1,197	374	823

(a) Relate to the population normally resident in each area.

(b) As information on births and deaths in respect of 1986-1987 cannot be compiled separately for Dublin Co. Borough and Dublin-Belgard, Dublin-Fingal and Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown the natural increase and net migration for the 1986-1991 intercensal period are not available in respect of these areas.

1986-1991 for each Province, County and County Borough and average annual rates per 1,000 average population

Change in population 1986-1991			Estimated net migration (inward less outward)			Average annual rates per 1,000 of average population				Province, County or County Borough
Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Births	Deaths	Natural increase	Estimated net migration	
-14,924	-16,272	1,348	-134,170	-74,324	-59,846	15.7	9.0	6.8	- 7.6	Total
8,300	113	8,187	-67,696	-39,099	-28,597	16.1	7.9	8.2	- 7.3	Leinster
-11,044	- 7,613	- 3,431	-39,486	-20,952	-18,534	15.2	9.6	5.6	- 7.8	Munster
- 8,378	- 5,963	- 2,415	-16,960	- 9,034	- 7,926	15.1	11.1	4.0	- 7.9	Connacht
- 3,802	- 2,809	- 993	-10,028	- 5,239	- 4,789	15.9	10.6	5.3	- 8.6	Ulster (part of)
										Leinster
- 46	- 31	- 15	- 1,863	- 937	- 926	18.0	9.1	8.9	- 9.1	Carlow
3,855	153	3,702	-37,821	-22,551	-15,270	15.7	7.5	8.1	- 7.4	Dublin Co. and Co. Borough(b)
6,409	2,665	3,744	- 769	- 818	49	18.3	6.3	12.0	- 1.3	Kildare
449	122	327	- 2,240	- 1,178	- 1,062	16.1	8.8	7.3	- 6.1	Kilkenny
- 970	- 627	- 343	- 2,649	- 1,373	- 1,276	15.4	9.1	6.4	-10.0	Laoighis
- 1,200	- 611	- 589	- 1,864	- 879	- 985	15.9	11.6	4.3	-12.1	Longford
- 1,086	- 707	- 379	- 4,139	- 2,280	- 1,859	15.1	8.4	6.7	- 9.1	Louth
1,489	360	1,129	- 3,306	- 1,882	- 1,424	16.1	7.0	9.2	- 6.3	Meath
- 1,341	- 927	- 414	- 3,273	- 1,740	- 1,533	15.5	9.0	6.5	-11.1	Offaly
- 1,499	- 1,042	- 457	- 3,720	- 1,994	- 1,726	16.7	9.6	7.1	-11.9	Westmeath
- 483	- 338	- 145	- 4,267	- 2,205	- 2,062	16.8	9.4	7.4	- 8.3	Wexford
2,723	1,096	1,627	- 1,785	- 1,262	- 523	17.5	8.1	9.4	- 3.7	Wicklow
										Munster
- 426	- 546	120	- 2,887	- 1,474	- 1,413	15.3	9.9	5.4	- 6.3	Clare
- 2,366	- 1,928	- 438	-14,658	- 8,146	- 6,512	15.3	9.4	6.0	- 7.1	Cork Co. and Co. Borough
- 6,018	- 3,147	- 2,871	- 9,250	- 5,079	- 4,171	14.2	9.2	5.0	-14.2	Cork Co. Borough
3,652	1,219	2,433	- 5,408	- 3,067	- 2,341	15.8	9.4	6.4	- 3.8	Cork
- 2,265	- 1,361	- 904	- 3,874	- 1,733	- 2,141	14.0	11.4	2.6	- 6.3	Kerry
- 2,613	- 1,592	- 1,021	- 8,110	- 4,320	- 3,790	15.7	9.0	6.7	- 9.9	Limerick Co. and Co. Borough
- 4,196	- 2,219	- 1,977	- 6,065	- 3,225	- 2,840	14.8	7.9	6.9	-22.4	Limerick Co. Borough
1,583	627	956	- 2,045	- 1,095	- 950	16.1	9.5	6.6	- 3.7	Limerick
- 1,668	- 992	- 676	- 3,157	- 1,650	- 1,507	15.8	10.7	5.1	-10.8	Tipperary, N.R.
- 2,179	- 1,314	- 865	- 4,348	- 2,350	- 1,998	15.3	9.6	5.7	-11.4	Tipperary, S.R.
473	120	353	- 2,452	- 1,279	- 1,173	15.2	8.8	6.4	- 5.4	Waterford Co. and Co. Borough
799	381	418	- 718	- 390	- 328	14.9	7.3	7.6	- 3.6	Waterford Co. Borough
- 326	- 261	- 65	- 1,734	- 889	- 845	15.4	9.9	5.5	- 6.7	Waterford
										Connacht
1,812	380	1,432	- 3,954	- 2,205	- 1,749	15.8	9.3	6.4	- 4.4	Galway Co. and Co. Borough
3,749	1,703	2,046	1,886	739	1,147	13.0	5.4	7.6	7.7	Galway Co. Borough
- 1,937	- 1,323	- 614	- 5,840	- 2,944	- 2,896	16.8	10.8	6.0	- 9.0	Galway
- 1,734	- 1,002	- 732	- 1,590	- 762	- 828	14.1	15.2	- 1.1	-12.2	Leitrim
- 4,471	- 2,748	- 1,723	- 6,097	- 3,167	- 2,930	15.1	12.2	2.9	-10.8	Mayo
- 2,695	- 1,657	- 1,038	- 3,045	- 1,620	- 1,425	13.5	12.2	1.3	-11.4	Roscommon
- 1,290	- 936	- 354	- 2,274	- 1,280	- 994	15.1	11.5	3.6	- 8.2	Sligo
										Ulster (part of)
- 1,169	- 888	- 281	- 2,465	- 1,332	- 1,133	16.0	11.2	4.8	- 9.2	Cavan
- 1,547	- 1,089	- 458	- 5,280	- 2,701	- 2,579	16.2	10.4	5.8	- 8.2	Donegal
- 1,086	- 832	- 254	- 2,283	- 1,206	- 1,077	14.9	10.2	4.6	- 8.8	Monaghan