

**Table 21A The male labour force in each Province, County, County Borough and Planning Region classifying those at work by employment status**

| Province, County, County<br>Borough and Planning Region | Males   |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        | Labour<br>force<br>(incl.<br>males<br>looking<br>for<br>first<br>regular<br>job) |
|---------------------------------------------------------|---------|--------------------------------------------|----------|-----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                                         | At work |                                            |          |                       | Unemployed                                                     |                                        |                                                                                  |
|                                                         | Total   | Employer<br>or<br>own<br>account<br>worker | Employee | Assisting<br>relative | Unemployed<br>having<br>lost or<br>given up<br>previous<br>job | Looking<br>for first<br>regular<br>job |                                                                                  |
| Leinster                                                | 390,414 | 79,524                                     | 306,239  | 4,651                 | 79,788                                                         | 11,514                                 | 481,716                                                                          |
| Carlow                                                  | 8,468   | 2,481                                      | 5,709    | 278                   | 1,909                                                          | 218                                    | 10,595                                                                           |
| Dublin                                                  | 212,548 | 28,420                                     | 183,860  | 268                   | 45,268                                                         | 6,867                                  | 264,683                                                                          |
| of which                                                |         |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        |                                                                                  |
| Dublin Co. Borough                                      | 94,340  | 10,191                                     | 84,088   | 61                    | 26,571                                                         | 4,409                                  | 125,320                                                                          |
| Dublin-Belgard                                          | 43,530  | 5,802                                      | 37,682   | 46                    | 8,694                                                          | 1,073                                  | 53,297                                                                           |
| Dublin-Fingal                                           | 33,506  | 5,264                                      | 28,114   | 128                   | 4,844                                                          | 675                                    | 39,025                                                                           |
| Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown                                  | 41,172  | 7,163                                      | 33,976   | 33                    | 5,159                                                          | 710                                    | 47,041                                                                           |
| Kildare                                                 | 27,160  | 5,508                                      | 21,335   | 317                   | 4,377                                                          | 621                                    | 32,158                                                                           |
| Kilkenny                                                | 16,407  | 5,470                                      | 10,278   | 659                   | 2,822                                                          | 378                                    | 19,607                                                                           |
| Laoighis                                                | 11,381  | 4,083                                      | 6,839    | 459                   | 2,052                                                          | 284                                    | 13,717                                                                           |
| Longford                                                | 6,587   | 2,707                                      | 3,691    | 189                   | 1,129                                                          | 135                                    | 7,851                                                                            |
| Louth                                                   | 17,520  | 3,666                                      | 13,659   | 195                   | 4,866                                                          | 598                                    | 22,984                                                                           |
| Meath                                                   | 23,294  | 6,983                                      | 15,797   | 514                   | 3,940                                                          | 448                                    | 27,682                                                                           |
| Offaly                                                  | 12,359  | 4,051                                      | 7,902    | 406                   | 2,431                                                          | 336                                    | 15,126                                                                           |
| Westmeath                                               | 13,230  | 3,963                                      | 8,960    | 307                   | 2,095                                                          | 286                                    | 15,611                                                                           |
| Wexford                                                 | 21,213  | 7,072                                      | 13,362   | 779                   | 4,862                                                          | 747                                    | 26,822                                                                           |
| Wicklow                                                 | 20,247  | 5,120                                      | 14,847   | 280                   | 4,037                                                          | 596                                    | 24,880                                                                           |
| Munster                                                 | 215,491 | 67,178                                     | 142,522  | 5,791                 | 40,142                                                         | 5,262                                  | 260,895                                                                          |
| Clare                                                   | 21,001  | 7,502                                      | 12,975   | 524                   | 3,005                                                          | 353                                    | 24,359                                                                           |
| Cork                                                    | 87,830  | 24,660                                     | 61,101   | 2,069                 | 15,167                                                         | 2,077                                  | 105,074                                                                          |
| of which                                                |         |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        |                                                                                  |
| Cork County                                             | 64,451  | 21,661                                     | 40,747   | 2,043                 | 8,722                                                          | 1,066                                  | 74,239                                                                           |
| Cork Co. Borough                                        | 23,379  | 2,999                                      | 20,354   | 26                    | 6,445                                                          | 1,011                                  | 30,835                                                                           |
| Kerry                                                   | 25,909  | 10,526                                     | 14,465   | 918                   | 5,160                                                          | 660                                    | 31,729                                                                           |
| Limerick                                                | 33,132  | 9,111                                      | 23,303   | 718                   | 7,076                                                          | 852                                    | 41,060                                                                           |
| of which                                                |         |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        |                                                                                  |
| Limerick County                                         | 24,086  | 8,122                                      | 15,272   | 692                   | 3,976                                                          | 380                                    | 28,442                                                                           |
| Limerick Co. Borough                                    | 9,046   | 989                                        | 8,031    | 26                    | 3,100                                                          | 472                                    | 12,618                                                                           |
| Tipperary, N.R.                                         | 12,717  | 4,928                                      | 7,261    | 528                   | 2,299                                                          | 264                                    | 15,280                                                                           |
| Tipperary, S.R.                                         | 15,840  | 5,678                                      | 9,539    | 623                   | 3,390                                                          | 407                                    | 19,637                                                                           |
| Waterford                                               | 19,062  | 4,773                                      | 13,878   | 411                   | 4,045                                                          | 649                                    | 23,756                                                                           |
| of which                                                |         |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        |                                                                                  |
| Waterford County                                        | 11,204  | 3,829                                      | 6,984    | 391                   | 1,968                                                          | 279                                    | 13,451                                                                           |
| Waterford Co. Borough                                   | 7,858   | 944                                        | 6,894    | 20                    | 2,077                                                          | 370                                    | 10,305                                                                           |
| Connacht                                                | 91,346  | 38,673                                     | 50,379   | 2,294                 | 15,196                                                         | 2,119                                  | 108,661                                                                          |
| Galway                                                  | 38,435  | 14,417                                     | 23,094   | 924                   | 6,852                                                          | 910                                    | 46,197                                                                           |
| of which                                                |         |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        |                                                                                  |
| Galway County                                           | 28,576  | 12,767                                     | 14,920   | 889                   | 5,071                                                          | 657                                    | 34,304                                                                           |
| Galway Co. Borough                                      | 9,859   | 1,650                                      | 8,174    | 35                    | 1,781                                                          | 253                                    | 11,893                                                                           |
| Leitrim                                                 | 5,752   | 2,624                                      | 2,974    | 154                   | 798                                                            | 148                                    | 6,698                                                                            |
| Mayo                                                    | 23,205  | 11,287                                     | 11,279   | 639                   | 4,241                                                          | 630                                    | 28,076                                                                           |
| Roscommon                                               | 12,529  | 5,974                                      | 6,175    | 380                   | 1,236                                                          | 190                                    | 13,955                                                                           |
| Sligo                                                   | 11,425  | 4,371                                      | 6,857    | 197                   | 2,069                                                          | 241                                    | 13,735                                                                           |
| Ulster (part of)                                        | 46,697  | 17,575                                     | 27,873   | 1,249                 | 11,562                                                         | 1,669                                  | 59,928                                                                           |
| Cavan                                                   | 12,599  | 5,735                                      | 6,465    | 399                   | 1,631                                                          | 262                                    | 14,492                                                                           |
| Donegal                                                 | 22,470  | 7,220                                      | 14,715   | 535                   | 8,141                                                          | 1,193                                  | 31,804                                                                           |
| Monaghan                                                | 11,628  | 4,620                                      | 6,693    | 315                   | 1,790                                                          | 214                                    | 13,632                                                                           |
| Planning Regions                                        |         |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        |                                                                                  |
| East                                                    | 283,249 | 46,031                                     | 235,839  | 1,379                 | 57,622                                                         | 8,532                                  | 349,403                                                                          |
| South West                                              | 113,739 | 35,186                                     | 75,566   | 2,987                 | 20,327                                                         | 2,737                                  | 136,803                                                                          |
| South East                                              | 80,990  | 25,474                                     | 52,766   | 2,750                 | 17,028                                                         | 2,399                                  | 100,417                                                                          |
| North East                                              | 41,747  | 14,021                                     | 26,817   | 909                   | 8,287                                                          | 1,074                                  | 51,108                                                                           |
| Midwest                                                 | 66,850  | 21,541                                     | 43,539   | 1,770                 | 12,380                                                         | 1,469                                  | 80,699                                                                           |
| Midlands                                                | 56,086  | 20,778                                     | 33,567   | 1,741                 | 8,943                                                          | 1,231                                  | 66,260                                                                           |
| West                                                    | 61,640  | 25,704                                     | 34,373   | 1,563                 | 11,093                                                         | 1,540                                  | 74,273                                                                           |
| North West and Donegal                                  | 39,647  | 14,215                                     | 24,546   | 886                   | 11,008                                                         | 1,582                                  | 52,237                                                                           |
| Total                                                   | 743,948 | 202,950                                    | 527,013  | 13,985                | 146,688                                                        | 20,564                                 | 911,200                                                                          |

**Table 21B The female labour force in each Province, County, County Borough and Planning Region classifying those at work by employment status**

| Province, County, County<br>Borough and Planning Region | Females |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        | Labour<br>force<br>(incl.<br>females<br>looking<br>for<br>first<br>regular<br>job) |
|---------------------------------------------------------|---------|--------------------------------------------|----------|-----------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                                         | At work |                                            |          |                       | Unemployed                                                     |                                        |                                                                                    |
|                                                         | Total   | Employer<br>or<br>own<br>account<br>worker | Employee | Assisting<br>relative | Unemployed<br>having<br>lost or<br>given up<br>previous<br>job | Looking<br>for first<br>regular<br>job |                                                                                    |
| Leinster                                                | 230,252 | 12,532                                     | 215,286  | 2,434                 | 31,791                                                         | 7,937                                  | 269,980                                                                            |
| Carlow                                                  | 4,023   | 311                                        | 3,602    | 110                   | 504                                                            | 184                                    | 4,711                                                                              |
| Dublin                                                  | 145,798 | 5,274                                      | 140,177  | 347                   | 20,856                                                         | 4,690                                  | 171,344                                                                            |
| of which                                                |         |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        |                                                                                    |
| Dublin Co. Borough                                      | 73,357  | 2,150                                      | 71,078   | 129                   | 12,440                                                         | 2,996                                  | 88,793                                                                             |
| Dublin-Belgard                                          | 25,650  | 695                                        | 24,856   | 99                    | 3,584                                                          | 728                                    | 29,962                                                                             |
| Dublin-Fingal                                           | 19,289  | 843                                        | 18,391   | 55                    | 2,149                                                          | 508                                    | 21,946                                                                             |
| Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown                                  | 27,502  | 1,586                                      | 25,852   | 64                    | 2,683                                                          | 458                                    | 30,643                                                                             |
| Kildare                                                 | 13,555  | 928                                        | 12,428   | 199                   | 1,438                                                          | 417                                    | 15,410                                                                             |
| Kilkenny                                                | 7,529   | 706                                        | 6,475    | 348                   | 777                                                            | 267                                    | 8,573                                                                              |
| Laoighis                                                | 4,753   | 529                                        | 4,041    | 183                   | 531                                                            | 242                                    | 5,526                                                                              |
| Longford                                                | 2,627   | 318                                        | 2,177    | 132                   | 262                                                            | 92                                     | 2,981                                                                              |
| Louth                                                   | 9,600   | 529                                        | 8,997    | 74                    | 1,848                                                          | 415                                    | 11,863                                                                             |
| Meath                                                   | 10,355  | 906                                        | 9,228    | 221                   | 1,384                                                          | 310                                    | 12,049                                                                             |
| Offaly                                                  | 5,438   | 542                                        | 4,739    | 157                   | 694                                                            | 216                                    | 6,348                                                                              |
| Westmeath                                               | 6,665   | 531                                        | 6,005    | 129                   | 711                                                            | 226                                    | 7,602                                                                              |
| Wexford                                                 | 9,818   | 1,056                                      | 8,417    | 345                   | 1,266                                                          | 499                                    | 11,583                                                                             |
| Wicklow                                                 | 10,091  | 902                                        | 9,000    | 189                   | 1,520                                                          | 379                                    | 11,990                                                                             |
| Munster                                                 | 108,070 | 9,799                                      | 93,802   | 4,469                 | 13,329                                                         | 3,470                                  | 124,869                                                                            |
| Clare                                                   | 9,734   | 993                                        | 8,345    | 396                   | 1,140                                                          | 238                                    | 11,112                                                                             |
| Cork                                                    | 45,008  | 3,699                                      | 39,574   | 1,735                 | 5,309                                                          | 1,297                                  | 51,614                                                                             |
| of which                                                |         |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        |                                                                                    |
| Cork County                                             | 29,763  | 3,105                                      | 24,997   | 1,661                 | 3,073                                                          | 646                                    | 33,482                                                                             |
| Cork Co. Borough                                        | 15,245  | 594                                        | 14,577   | 74                    | 2,236                                                          | 651                                    | 18,132                                                                             |
| Kerry                                                   | 11,950  | 1,362                                      | 9,923    | 665                   | 1,395                                                          | 355                                    | 13,700                                                                             |
| Limerick                                                | 18,258  | 1,383                                      | 16,117   | 758                   | 2,569                                                          | 660                                    | 21,487                                                                             |
| of which                                                |         |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        |                                                                                    |
| Limerick County                                         | 12,124  | 1,150                                      | 10,256   | 718                   | 1,327                                                          | 323                                    | 13,774                                                                             |
| Limerick Co. Borough                                    | 6,134   | 233                                        | 5,861    | 40                    | 1,242                                                          | 337                                    | 7,713                                                                              |
| Tipperary, N.R.                                         | 5,819   | 645                                        | 4,934    | 240                   | 556                                                            | 183                                    | 6,558                                                                              |
| Tipperary, S.R.                                         | 7,308   | 966                                        | 5,945    | 397                   | 1,036                                                          | 283                                    | 8,627                                                                              |
| Waterford                                               | 9,993   | 751                                        | 8,964    | 278                   | 1,324                                                          | 454                                    | 11,771                                                                             |
| of which                                                |         |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        |                                                                                    |
| Waterford County                                        | 5,052   | 556                                        | 4,276    | 220                   | 616                                                            | 214                                    | 5,882                                                                              |
| Waterford Co. Borough                                   | 4,941   | 195                                        | 4,688    | 58                    | 708                                                            | 240                                    | 5,889                                                                              |
| Connacht                                                | 44,631  | 4,773                                      | 38,519   | 1,339                 | 4,796                                                          | 1,269                                  | 50,696                                                                             |
| Galway                                                  | 20,381  | 1,816                                      | 17,895   | 670                   | 2,218                                                          | 619                                    | 23,218                                                                             |
| of which                                                |         |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        |                                                                                    |
| Galway County                                           | 12,945  | 1,400                                      | 10,914   | 631                   | 1,335                                                          | 409                                    | 14,689                                                                             |
| Galway Co. Borough                                      | 7,436   | 416                                        | 6,981    | 39                    | 883                                                            | 210                                    | 8,529                                                                              |
| Leitrim                                                 | 2,260   | 309                                        | 1,859    | 92                    | 262                                                            | 65                                     | 2,587                                                                              |
| Mayo                                                    | 10,459  | 1,408                                      | 8,771    | 280                   | 1,232                                                          | 294                                    | 11,985                                                                             |
| Roscommon                                               | 4,964   | 695                                        | 4,111    | 158                   | 420                                                            | 138                                    | 5,522                                                                              |
| Sligo                                                   | 6,567   | 545                                        | 5,883    | 139                   | 664                                                            | 153                                    | 7,384                                                                              |
| Ulster (part of)                                        | 22,179  | 1,857                                      | 19,890   | 432                   | 3,171                                                          | 775                                    | 26,125                                                                             |
| Cavan                                                   | 4,669   | 582                                        | 3,930    | 157                   | 449                                                            | 145                                    | 5,263                                                                              |
| Donegal                                                 | 12,664  | 819                                        | 11,705   | 140                   | 2,152                                                          | 472                                    | 15,288                                                                             |
| Monaghan                                                | 4,846   | 456                                        | 4,255    | 135                   | 570                                                            | 158                                    | 5,574                                                                              |
| Planning Regions                                        |         |                                            |          |                       |                                                                |                                        |                                                                                    |
| East                                                    | 179,799 | 8,010                                      | 170,833  | 956                   | 25,198                                                         | 5,796                                  | 210,793                                                                            |
| South West                                              | 56,958  | 5,061                                      | 49,497   | 2,400                 | 6,704                                                          | 1,652                                  | 65,314                                                                             |
| South East                                              | 38,671  | 3,790                                      | 33,403   | 1,478                 | 4,907                                                          | 1,687                                  | 45,265                                                                             |
| North East                                              | 19,115  | 1,567                                      | 17,182   | 366                   | 2,867                                                          | 718                                    | 22,700                                                                             |
| Midwest                                                 | 33,811  | 3,021                                      | 29,396   | 1,394                 | 4,265                                                          | 1,081                                  | 39,157                                                                             |
| Midlands                                                | 24,447  | 2,615                                      | 21,073   | 759                   | 2,618                                                          | 914                                    | 27,979                                                                             |
| West                                                    | 30,840  | 3,224                                      | 26,666   | 950                   | 3,450                                                          | 913                                    | 35,203                                                                             |
| North West and Donegal                                  | 21,491  | 1,673                                      | 19,447   | 371                   | 3,078                                                          | 690                                    | 25,259                                                                             |
| Total                                                   | 405,132 | 28,961                                     | 367,497  | 8,674                 | 53,087                                                         | 13,451                                 | 471,670                                                                            |