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|                                      |                     |                               |                                               | 1986                                                                            | 1991 |                              |
| An Stát                              | 3,367,006           | 1,095,830                     | 2,271,176                                     | 31.1                                                                            | 32.5 | State                        |
| Cúige Laighean                       | 1,775,827           | 511,639                       | 1,264,188                                     | 27.4                                                                            | 28.8 | Province of Leinster         |
| Cúige Mumhan                         | 965,165             | 352,177                       | 612,988                                       | 34.8                                                                            | 36.5 | Province of Munster          |
| Cúige Chonnacht                      | 404,771             | 162,680                       | 242,091                                       | 38.7                                                                            | 40.2 | Province of Connacht         |
| Cúige Uladh (cuid de)                | 221,243             | 69,334                        | 151,909                                       | 30.1                                                                            | 31.3 | Province of Ulster (part of) |
| Laighin                              |                     |                               |                                               |                                                                                 |      | Leinster                     |
| Contae Cheatharlach                  | 39,022              | 11,513                        | 27,509                                        | 27.3                                                                            | 29.5 | Carlow County                |
| Bealach Conglais, Tr. Uimh. 2        | 3,377               | 766                           | 2,611                                         | 22.2                                                                            | 22.7 | Baltinglass No.2 R.D.        |
| Ceatharlach, C.U.                    | 10,816              | 3,541                         | 7,275                                         | 30.8                                                                            | 32.7 | Carlow U.D.                  |
| Ceatharlach, Tr.                     | 22,937              | 6,614                         | 16,323                                        | 26.3                                                                            | 28.8 | Carlow R.D.                  |
| Béalbhacha Cheatharlach (cuid)       | 1,822               | 739                           | 1,083                                         | ...                                                                             | 40.6 | Environs of Carlow (pt.)     |
| Muine Bheag                          | 2,432               | 635                           | 1,797                                         | 25.6                                                                            | 26.1 | Muinebeag                    |
| Béalbhacha Mhuinebeag                | 124                 | 41                            | 83                                            | 33.1                                                                            | 33.1 | Environs of Muinebeag        |
| An Tulach                            | 2,171               | 554                           | 1,617                                         | 25.1                                                                            | 25.5 | Tullow                       |
| Béalbhacha na Tulach                 | 141                 | 36                            | 105                                           | 20.2                                                                            | 25.5 | Environs of Tullow           |
| An chuid eile                        | 16,247              | 4,609                         | 11,638                                        | ...                                                                             | 28.4 | Remainder                    |
| Uí Dróna, Tr.                        | 1,892               | 592                           | 1,300                                         | 27.1                                                                            | 31.3 | Idrone R.D.                  |
| Contae agus Contaebhuirg B.Á.C.      | 979,865             | 273,007                       | 706,858                                       | 26.7                                                                            | 27.9 | Dublin Co. and Co. Borough   |
| Contaebhuirg Bhaile Átha Cliath      | 460,317             | 115,061                       | 345,256                                       | 24.1                                                                            | 25.0 | Dublin Co. Borough           |
| Contae Bhaile Átha Cliath            | 519,548             | 157,946                       | 361,602                                       | ...                                                                             | 30.4 | Dublin County                |
| Baile Átha Cliath - Belgard          | 197,452             | 57,042                        | 140,410                                       | 27.0                                                                            | 28.9 | Dublin - Belgard             |
| Fobhailte Mhorchathair B.Á.C. (cuid) | 174,235             | 48,903                        | 125,332                                       | ...                                                                             | 28.1 | Greater Dublin Suburbs (pt.) |
| Leamhcán                             | 12,911              | 4,612                         | 8,299                                         | ...                                                                             | 35.7 | Lucan                        |
| Ráth Cúil                            | 2,825               | 1,207                         | 1,618                                         | ...                                                                             | 42.7 | Rathcoole                    |
| An chuid eile                        | 7,481               | 2,320                         | 5,161                                         | ...                                                                             | 31.0 | Remainder                    |
| Baile Átha Cliath - Fine Gall        | 144,276             | 45,567                        | 98,709                                        | 30.4                                                                            | 31.6 | Dublin - Fingal              |
| Fobhailte Mhorchathair B.Á.C. (cuid) | 67,820              | 21,763                        | 46,057                                        | ...                                                                             | 32.1 | Greater Dublin Suburbs (pt.) |
| Baile Brigín                         | 5,183               | 1,337                         | 3,846                                         | 25.3                                                                            | 25.8 | Balbriggan                   |
| Béalbhacha Bhaile Brigín             | 2,147               | 509                           | 1,638                                         | 23.3                                                                            | 23.7 | Environs of Balbriggan       |
| Coinnsáile-Draighneán                | 1,786               | 392                           | 1,394                                         | ...                                                                             | 21.9 | Kinsealy-Drinan              |
| Lusca                                | 1,920               | 448                           | 1,472                                         | 24.3                                                                            | 23.3 | Lusk                         |
| Mullach Íde                          | 11,450              | 4,227                         | 7,223                                         | 35.8                                                                            | 36.9 | Malahide                     |
| Port Mearnóg                         | 8,876               | 3,805                         | 5,071                                         | 36.8                                                                            | 42.9 | Portmarnock                  |
| Port Reachrann                       | 2,099               | 394                           | 1,705                                         | 17.5                                                                            | 18.8 | Portrane                     |
| An Ros                               | 4,592               | 1,231                         | 3,361                                         | 24.1                                                                            | 26.8 | Rush                         |
| Na Sceirí                            | 6,698               | 2,232                         | 4,466                                         | ...                                                                             | 33.3 | Skerries                     |
| Sord                                 | 16,526              | 5,179                         | 11,347                                        | ...                                                                             | 31.3 | Swords                       |
| An chuid eile                        | 15,179              | 4,050                         | 11,129                                        | ...                                                                             | 26.7 | Remainder                    |
| Dún Laoghaire - Ráth an Dúin         | 177,820             | 55,337                        | 122,483                                       | 31.0                                                                            | 31.1 | Dún Laoghaire - Rathdown     |
| Fobhailte Mhorchathair B.Á.C. (cuid) | 119,973             | 39,595                        | 80,378                                        | ...                                                                             | 33.0 | Greater Dublin Suburbs (pt.) |
| Buirg Dhún Laoghaire                 | 53,416              | 14,546                        | 38,870                                        | 26.7                                                                            | 27.2 | Dún Laoghaire Borough        |
| Béalbhacha Bhré (cuid)               | 1,632               | 460                           | 1,172                                         | ...                                                                             | 28.2 | Environs of Bray (pt.)       |
| An chuid eile                        | 2,799               | 736                           | 2,063                                         | ...                                                                             | 26.3 | Remainder                    |

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|                                    |                     |                               |                                               | 1986                                                                            | 1991 |                            |
| Contae Chill Dara                  | 116,434             | 38,121                        | 78,313                                        | 30.8                                                                            | 32.7 | Kildare County             |
| Baile Átha Í, C.U.                 | 4,991               | 1,257                         | 3,734                                         | ...                                                                             | 25.2 | Athy U.D.                  |
| Áth Í, Tr. Uimh. 1.                | 13,954              | 3,517                         | 10,437                                        | ...                                                                             | 25.2 | Athy No. 1 R.D.            |
| Mainistir Elmhán                   | 2,144               | 601                           | 1,543                                         | ...                                                                             | 28.0 | Monasterevan               |
| An chuid eile                      | 11,810              | 2,916                         | 8,894                                         | ...                                                                             | 24.7 | Remainder                  |
| Cill Droichid, Tr. Uimh. 1.        | 35,261              | 13,245                        | 22,016                                        | 34.7                                                                            | 37.6 | Celbridge No. 1 R.D.       |
| Cill Droichid                      | 8,888               | 2,941                         | 5,947                                         | ...                                                                             | 33.1 | Celbridge                  |
| Claonadh (cuid)                    | 60                  | 21                            | 39                                            | ...                                                                             | 35.0 | Clane (pt.)                |
| Cill Choca                         | 1,461               | 504                           | 957                                           | ...                                                                             | 34.5 | Kilcock                    |
| Léim an Bhradáin                   | 12,420              | 4,664                         | 7,756                                         | ...                                                                             | 37.6 | Leixlip                    |
| Maigh Nuad                         | 5,681               | 2,549                         | 3,132                                         | 41.8                                                                            | 44.9 | Maynooth                   |
| An chuid eile                      | 6,751               | 2,566                         | 4,185                                         | ...                                                                             | 38.0 | Remainder                  |
| Éadan Doire, Tr. Uimh. 2.          | 6,914               | 1,875                         | 5,039                                         | 23.5                                                                            | 27.1 | Edenderry No. 2 R.D.       |
| An Nás, C.U.                       | 10,567              | 3,940                         | 6,627                                         | 36.1                                                                            | 37.3 | Naas U.D.                  |
| An Nás, Tr. Uimh. 1.               | 44,747              | 14,287                        | 30,460                                        | 30.1                                                                            | 31.9 | Naas No. 1 R.D.            |
| Claonadh (cuid)                    | 1,669               | 631                           | 1,038                                         | ...                                                                             | 37.8 | Clane (pt.)                |
| Droichead Nua                      | 11,177              | 3,678                         | 7,499                                         | ...                                                                             | 32.9 | Droichead Nua              |
| Béalbhacha Dhroichead Nua          | 282                 | 112                           | 170                                           | ...                                                                             | 39.7 | Environs of Droichead Nua  |
| Cill Dara                          | 3,987               | 1,250                         | 2,737                                         | 31.0                                                                            | 31.4 | Kildare                    |
| Cill Chuillinn                     | 1,606               | 522                           | 1,084                                         | ...                                                                             | 32.5 | Kilcullen                  |
| An Chill                           | 1,451               | 483                           | 968                                           | 30.6                                                                            | 33.3 | Kill                       |
| An chuid eile                      | 24,575              | 7,611                         | 16,964                                        | ...                                                                             | 31.0 | Remainder                  |
| Contae Ghill Chainnigh             | 70,128              | 22,297                        | 47,831                                        | 31.0                                                                            | 31.8 | Kilkenny County            |
| Callain, Tr.                       | 5,498               | 1,834                         | 3,664                                         | 31.8                                                                            | 33.4 | Callan R.D.                |
| Callain                            | 1,200               | 414                           | 786                                           | 28.4                                                                            | 34.5 | Callan                     |
| An chuid eile                      | 4,298               | 1,420                         | 2,878                                         | 32.7                                                                            | 33.0 | Remainder                  |
| Carraig na Siúire, Tr. Uimh. 3.    | 3,462               | 1,092                         | 2,370                                         | 31.5                                                                            | 31.5 | Carrick-on-Suir No. 3 R.D. |
| Caisleán an Chomair, Tr.           | 7,133               | 1,953                         | 5,180                                         | 25.6                                                                            | 27.4 | Castlecomer R.D.           |
| Uí Deá, Tr.                        | 2,409               | 678                           | 1,731                                         | 38.8                                                                            | 28.1 | Ida R.D.                   |
| Béalbhacha Ros Mhic Thriúin (cuid) | 136                 | 49                            | 87                                            | 48.9                                                                            | 36.0 | Environs of New Ross (pt.) |
| An chuid eile                      | 2,273               | 629                           | 1,644                                         | 38.2                                                                            | 27.7 | Remainder                  |
| Buirg Bhardasach Chill Chainnigh   | 8,179               | 2,373                         | 5,806                                         | 28.7                                                                            | 29.0 | Kilkenny M.B.              |
| Cill Chainnigh, Tr.                | 19,042              | 6,188                         | 12,854                                        | 32.0                                                                            | 32.5 | Kilkenny R.D.              |
| Béalbhacha Cill Chainnigh          | 8,637               | 2,867                         | 5,770                                         | ...                                                                             | 33.2 | Environs of Kilkenny       |
| An chuid eile                      | 10,405              | 3,321                         | 7,084                                         | ...                                                                             | 31.9 | Remainder                  |
| Baile Mhic Andáin, Tr.             | 10,504              | 3,426                         | 7,078                                         | 31.0                                                                            | 32.6 | Thomastown R.D.            |
| Áth na nUrlainn, Tr.               | 4,101               | 1,395                         | 2,706                                         | 31.7                                                                            | 34.0 | Urlingford R.D.            |
| Port Láirge, Tr. Uimh. 2.          | 9,800               | 3,358                         | 6,442                                         | 32.6                                                                            | 34.3 | Waterford No. 2 R.D.       |
| Fobhailte Phort Láirge             | 1,465               | 483                           | 982                                           | 32.0                                                                            | 33.0 | Waterford Suburbs          |
| An chuid eile                      | 8,335               | 2,875                         | 5,460                                         | 32.7                                                                            | 34.5 | Remainder                  |
| Contae Laoise                      | 49,778              | 16,145                        | 33,633                                        | 32.0                                                                            | 32.4 | Laoighis County            |
| Mainistir Laoise, Tr.              | 11,569              | 3,831                         | 7,738                                         | 31.9                                                                            | 33.1 | Abbeyleix R.D.             |
| Baile Átha Í, Tr. Uimh. 2.         | 4,614               | 1,452                         | 3,162                                         | 29.8                                                                            | 31.5 | Athy No. 2 R.D.            |

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|                                   |                     |                                  |                                                     | Irish speakers as<br>a percentage of<br>total |      |                            |
|                                   |                     |                                  |                                                     | 1986                                          | 1991 |                            |
| Contae Laoise (ar lean)           |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                               |      |                            |
| Laoighis County (contd.)          |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                               |      |                            |
| Mónteach Mílic, Tr.               | 26,595              | 8,638                            | 17,957                                              | 32.6                                          | 32.5 | Mountmellick R.D.          |
| Mónteach Mílic                    | 2,396               | 687                              | 1,709                                               | 28.0                                          | 28.7 | Mountmellick               |
| Béalbhacha Mhónteach Mílic        | 468                 | 142                              | 326                                                 | 36.8                                          | 30.3 | Environs of Mountmellick   |
| Cúil an tSúdaire (cuid)           | 1,976               | 592                              | 1,384                                               | 29.9                                          | 30.0 | Portarlinton (pt.)         |
| Port Laoise                       | 3,477               | 1,130                            | 2,347                                               | 34.4                                          | 32.5 | Portlaoighise              |
| Béalbhacha Phort Laoise           | 4,425               | 1,367                            | 3,058                                               | ....                                          | 30.9 | Environs of Portlaoighise  |
| An chuid eile                     | 13,853              | 4,720                            | 9,133                                               | ...                                           | 34.1 | Remainder                  |
| Ros Cré, Tr. Uimh. 3.             | 2,591               | 950                              | 1,641                                               | 33.6                                          | 36.7 | Roscrea No. 3 R.D.         |
| Sliabh Margaidh, Tr.              | 4,409               | 1,274                            | 3,135                                               | 29.6                                          | 28.9 | Slievemargy R.D.           |
| Béalbhacha Cheatharlach (cuid)    | 745                 | 201                              | 544                                                 | 28.1                                          | 27.0 | Environs of Carlow (pt.)   |
| An chuid eile                     | 3,664               | 1,073                            | 2,591                                               | 29.8                                          | 29.3 | Remainder                  |
| Contae an Longfoirt               |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                               |      |                            |
| Longford County                   |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                               |      |                            |
| Baile Uí Mhatháin, Tr.            | 5,178               | 1,648                            | 3,530                                               | 28.1                                          | 31.8 | Ballymahon R.D.            |
| Gránard, Tr. Uimh. 1.             | 7,386               | 2,223                            | 5,163                                               | 28.0                                          | 30.1 | Granard No. 1 R.D.         |
| Gránard                           | 1,170               | 437                              | 733                                                 | 28.9                                          | 37.4 | Granard                    |
| An chuid eile                     | 6,216               | 1,786                            | 4,430                                               | 27.8                                          | 28.7 | Remainder                  |
| An Longfort, C.U.                 | 6,099               | 1,736                            | 4,363                                               | 28.8                                          | 28.5 | Longford U.D.              |
| An Longfort, Tr.                  | 10,310              | 3,537                            | 6,773                                               | 33.9                                          | 34.3 | Longford R.D.              |
| Béalbhacha an Longfoirt           | 407                 | 149                              | 258                                                 | 36.1                                          | 36.6 | Environs of Longford       |
| An chuid eile                     | 9,903               | 3,388                            | 6,515                                               | 33.8                                          | 34.2 | Remainder                  |
| Contae Lú                         |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                               |      |                            |
| Louth County                      |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                               |      |                            |
| Baile Átha Fhirdhia, Tr. Uimh. 1. | 14,404              | 3,587                            | 10,817                                              | 23.3                                          | 24.9 | Ardee No. 1 R.D.           |
| Baile Átha Fhirdhia               | 3,111               | 630                              | 2,481                                               | 22.1                                          | 20.3 | Ardee                      |
| Béalbhacha Bhaile Átha Fhirdhia   | 321                 | 101                              | 220                                                 | ...                                           | 31.5 | Environs of Ardee          |
| Béalbhacha Dhún Dealgan (cuid)    | 71                  | 19                               | 52                                                  | ...                                           | 26.8 | Environs of Dundalk (pt.)  |
| An chuid eile                     | 10,901              | 2,837                            | 8,064                                               | ...                                           | 26.0 | Remainder                  |
| Buirg Bhardasach Dhroichead Átha  | 22,617              | 5,014                            | 17,603                                              | 21.7                                          | 22.2 | Drogheda M.B.              |
| Dún Dealgan, C.U.                 | 24,560              | 7,116                            | 17,444                                              | 25.3                                          | 29.0 | Dundalk U.D.               |
| Dún Dealgan, Tr.                  | 17,936              | 6,317                            | 11,619                                              | 29.9                                          | 35.2 | Dundalk R.D.               |
| Béalbhacha Dhún Dealgan (cuid)    | 3,964               | 1,470                            | 2,494                                               | ...                                           | 37.1 | Environs of Dundalk (pt.)  |
| An chuid eile                     | 13,972              | 4,847                            | 9,125                                               | ...                                           | 34.7 | Remainder                  |
| Lú, Tr.                           | 6,865               | 1,930                            | 4,935                                               | 29.4                                          | 28.1 | Louth R.D.                 |
| Béalbhacha Dhroichead Átha (cuid) | 64                  | 16                               | 48                                                  | ...                                           | 25.0 | Environs of Drogheda (pt.) |
| An chuid eile                     | 6,801               | 1,914                            | 4,887                                               | ...                                           | 28.1 | Remainder                  |
| Contae na Mí                      |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                               |      |                            |
| Meath County                      |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                               |      |                            |
| Baile Átha Fhirdhia, Tr. Uimh. 2. | 2,776               | 680                              | 2,096                                               | 21.4                                          | 24.5 | Ardee No. 2 R.D.           |
| Dún Seachlainn, Tr.               | 24,230              | 8,556                            | 15,674                                              | 32.1                                          | 35.3 | Dunshaughlin R.D.          |
| Cill Dhéagláin                    | 4,083               | 1,524                            | 2,559                                               | 33.6                                          | 37.3 | Ashbourne                  |
| Dún Búinne                        | 2,217               | 691                              | 1,526                                               | ...                                           | 31.2 | Dunboyne                   |
| An chuid eile                     | 17,930              | 6,341                            | 11,589                                              | ...                                           | 35.4 | Remainder                  |
| Ceannanus Mór (Kells) C.U.        | 2,085               | 553                              | 1,532                                               | 29.8                                          | 26.5 | Ceannanus Mór (Kells) U.D. |
| Ceannanus Mór, Tr.                | 10,917              | 3,097                            | 7,820                                               | 26.0                                          | 28.4 | Kells R.D.                 |
| Béalbhacha Cheannanus Mór         | 1,277               | 417                              | 860                                                 | ...                                           | 32.7 | Environs of Ceannanus Mór  |
| An chuid eile                     | 9,640               | 2,680                            | 6,960                                               | ...                                           | 27.8 | Remainder                  |

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|                                                 |                     |                               |                                                  |                                                                                 |      |                                            |
| Contae na Mí (ar lean)                          |                     |                               |                                                  |                                                                                 |      | Meath County (contd.)                      |
| An Mhí, Tr.                                     | 13,831              | 4,370                         | 9,461                                            | 27.7                                                                            | 31.6 | Meath R.D.                                 |
| Damhliag                                        | 1,642               | 408                           | 1,234                                            | ...                                                                             | 24.8 |                                            |
| Béalbhacha Dhroichead Átha (cuid)               | 704                 | 225                           | 479                                              | ...                                                                             | 32.0 | Duleek                                     |
| An Inse-Baile an Bhiaigh -<br>Baile Uí Mhornaín | 3,225               | 1,068                         | 2,157                                            | 32.3                                                                            | 33.1 | Environs of Drogheda (pt.)                 |
| An chuid eile                                   | 8,260               | 2,669                         | 5,591                                            | ...                                                                             | 32.3 | Laytown-Bettystown-Mornington<br>Remainder |
| An Uaimh, C.U.                                  | 3,293               | 755                           | 2,538                                            | 23.0                                                                            | 22.9 | Navan U.D.                                 |
| An Uaimh, Tr.                                   | 20,680              | 6,225                         | 14,455                                           | 28.7                                                                            | 30.1 | Navan R.D.                                 |
| Béalbhacha na hUaimhe                           | 7,818               | 2,352                         | 5,466                                            | ...                                                                             | 30.1 | Environs of Navan                          |
| An chuid eile                                   | 12,862              | 3,873                         | 8,989                                            | ...                                                                             | 30.1 | Remainder                                  |
| An Seanchaisleán, Tr.                           | 3,657               | 1,030                         | 2,627                                            | 25.7                                                                            | 28.2 | Oldcastle R.D.                             |
| Baile Átha Troim, C.U.                          | 1,730               | 519                           | 1,211                                            | 25.3                                                                            | 30.0 | Trim U.D.                                  |
| Baile Átha Troim, Tr.                           | 17,215              | 4,969                         | 12,246                                           | 28.2                                                                            | 28.9 | Trim R.D.                                  |
| Béalbhacha Bhaile Átha Troim                    | 2,239               | 626                           | 1,613                                            | 29.6                                                                            | 28.0 | Environs of Trim                           |
| An chuid eile                                   | 14,976              | 4,343                         | 10,633                                           | 28.1                                                                            | 29.0 | Remainder                                  |
| Contae Uíbh Fhailí                              | 55,744              | 16,288                        | 39,456                                           | 28.0                                                                            | 29.2 | Offaly County                              |
| Biorra, C.U.                                    | 3,153               | 1,118                         | 2,035                                            | 34.3                                                                            | 35.5 | Birr U.D.                                  |
| Biorra, Tr. Uimh. 1.                            | 14,760              | 4,277                         | 10,483                                           | 26.4                                                                            | 29.0 | Birr No. 1 R.D.                            |
| Béalbhacha Bhiorra                              | 736                 | 190                           | 546                                              | ...                                                                             | 25.8 | Environs of Birr                           |
| An chuid eile                                   | 14,024              | 4,087                         | 9,937                                            | ...                                                                             | 29.1 | Remainder                                  |
| Éadan Doire, Tr. Uimh. 1.                       | 8,274               | 2,418                         | 5,856                                            | 27.3                                                                            | 29.2 | Edenderry No. 1 R.D.                       |
| Éadan Doire                                     | 3,346               | 808                           | 2,538                                            | 23.0                                                                            | 24.1 | Edenderry                                  |
| Béalbhacha Éadan Doire                          | 208                 | 63                            | 145                                              | 28.8                                                                            | 30.3 | Environs of Edenderry                      |
| An chuid eile                                   | 4,720               | 1,547                         | 3,173                                            | 30.1                                                                            | 32.8 | Remainder                                  |
| Ros Cré, Tr. Uimh. 2.                           | 4,475               | 1,631                         | 2,844                                            | 36.1                                                                            | 36.4 | Roscrea No. 2 R.D.                         |
| An Tulach Mhór, C.U.                            | 8,190               | 2,289                         | 5,901                                            | 26.3                                                                            | 27.9 | Tullamore U.D.                             |
| An Tulach Mhór, Tr.                             | 16,892              | 4,555                         | 12,337                                           | 27.1                                                                            | 27.0 | Tullamore R.D.                             |
| Béalbhacha Tulach Mhór                          | 779                 | 287                           | 492                                              | ...                                                                             | 36.8 | Environs of Tullamore                      |
| Clóirtheach                                     | 2,378               | 538                           | 1,840                                            | ...                                                                             | 22.6 | Clara                                      |
| Cúil an tSúdaire (cuid)                         | 1,057               | 335                           | 722                                              | 29.8                                                                            | 31.7 | Portarlinton (pt.)                         |
| An chuid eile                                   | 12,678              | 3,395                         | 9,283                                            | ...                                                                             | 26.8 | Remainder                                  |
| Contae na hIarmhí                               | 59,174              | 19,510                        | 39,664                                           | 31.2                                                                            | 33.0 | Westmeath County                           |
| Áth Luain, C.U.                                 | 7,883               | 2,200                         | 5,683                                            | 28.2                                                                            | 27.9 | Athlone U.D.                               |
| Áth Luain, Tr. Uimh. 1.                         | 13,494              | 4,825                         | 8,669                                            | 33.4                                                                            | 35.8 | Athlone No. 1 R.D.                         |
| Béalbhacha Átha Luain (cuid)                    | 6,102               | 2,458                         | 3,644                                            | ...                                                                             | 40.3 | Environs of Athlone (pt.)                  |
| An Móta                                         | 1,466               | 483                           | 983                                              | ...                                                                             | 32.9 | Moate                                      |
| An chuid eile                                   | 5,926               | 1,884                         | 4,042                                            | ...                                                                             | 31.8 | Remainder                                  |
| An Baile Mór, Tr.                               | 1,908               | 589                           | 1,319                                            | 26.9                                                                            | 30.9 | Ballymore R.D.                             |
| An Chúil, Tr.                                   | 1,571               | 448                           | 1,123                                            | 25.2                                                                            | 28.5 | Coole R.D.                                 |
| Dealbhna, Tr.                                   | 5,498               | 1,585                         | 3,913                                            | 28.0                                                                            | 28.8 | Delvin R.D.                                |
| An Muileann gCearr, Tr.                         | 28,820              | 9,863                         | 18,957                                           | 32.4                                                                            | 34.2 | Mullingar R.D.                             |
| An Muileann gCearr                              | 7,575               | 2,583                         | 4,992                                            | 34.7                                                                            | 34.1 | Mullingar                                  |
| Béalbhacha an Mhuilinn Chearr                   | 3,696               | 1,188                         | 2,508                                            | ...                                                                             | 32.1 | Environs of Mullingar                      |
| An chuid eile                                   | 17,549              | 6,092                         | 11,457                                           | ...                                                                             | 34.7 | Remainder                                  |

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| Ceantar                             | An tIomlán<br>Total | Gaeilgeoirí<br>Irish speakers | Daoine nach Gaeilgeoirí<br>Non-Irish speakers | Gaeilgeoirí mar chéatadán den iomlán<br>Irish speakers as a percentage of total |      | Area                         |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|------------------------------|
|                                     |                     |                               |                                               | 1986                                                                            | 1991 |                              |
| Contae Loch Garman .                | 97,306              | 25,351                        | 71,955                                        | 24.9                                                                            | 26.1 | Wexford County               |
| Inis Córthaidh, C.U.                | 3,964               | 970                           | 2,994                                         | 22.4                                                                            | 24.5 | Enniscorthy U.D.             |
| Inis Córthaidh, Tr.                 | 24,275              | 6,157                         | 18,118                                        | 23.4                                                                            | 25.4 | Enniscorthy R.D.             |
| Béalbhacha Inis Córthaidh           | 3,361               | 917                           | 2,444                                         | ...                                                                             | 27.3 | Environs of Enniscorthy      |
| An chuid eile                       | 20,914              | 5,240                         | 15,674                                        | ...                                                                             | 25.1 | Remainder                    |
| Guaire, Tr.                         | 15,069              | 3,851                         | 11,218                                        | 23.9                                                                            | 25.6 | Gorey R.D.                   |
| Guaire                              | 2,109               | 486                           | 1,623                                         | 23.7                                                                            | 23.0 | Gorey                        |
| Béalbhacha Ghuaire                  | 1,539               | 478                           | 1,061                                         | ...                                                                             | 31.1 | Environs of Gorey            |
| An chuid eile                       | 11,421              | 2,887                         | 8,534                                         | ...                                                                             | 25.3 | Remainder                    |
| Ros Mhic Thriúin, C.U.              | 4,777               | 1,404                         | 3,373                                         | 27.6                                                                            | 29.4 | New Ross U.D.                |
| Ros Mhic Thriúin, Tr.               | 13,807              | 4,031                         | 9,776                                         | 27.8                                                                            | 29.2 | New Ross R.D.                |
| Béalbhacha Ros Mhic Thriúin (cuid)  | 879                 | 380                           | 499                                           | ...                                                                             | 43.2 | Environs of New Ross (pt.)   |
| An chuid eile                       | 12,928              | 3,651                         | 9,277                                         | ...                                                                             | 28.2 | Remainder                    |
| Buirg Bhardasach Loch Garman        | 9,189               | 2,044                         | 7,145                                         | 25.1                                                                            | 22.2 | Wexford M.B.                 |
| Loch Garman, Tr.                    | 26,225              | 6,894                         | 19,331                                        | 25.0                                                                            | 26.3 | Wexford R.D.                 |
| Béalbhacha Loch Garman              | 5,529               | 1,636                         | 3,893                                         | ...                                                                             | 29.6 | Environs of Wexford          |
| An chuid eile                       | 20,696              | 5,258                         | 15,438                                        | ...                                                                             | 25.4 | Remainder                    |
| Contae Chill Mhantáin               | 92,607              | 25,545                        | 67,062                                        | 24.4                                                                            | 27.6 | Wicklow County               |
| Bealach Conglais, Tr. Uimh. 1.      | 11,418              | 3,373                         | 8,045                                         | 25.4                                                                            | 29.5 | Baltinglass No.1 R.D.        |
| Bré, C.U.                           | 23,927              | 6,784                         | 17,143                                        | 24.1                                                                            | 28.4 | Bray U.D.                    |
| Ráth Dúin, Tr. Uimh. 2.             | 14,363              | 4,162                         | 10,201                                        | 26.5                                                                            | 29.0 | Rathdown No. 2 R.D.          |
| Béalbhacha Bhré (cuid)              | 38                  | 12                            | 26                                            | ...                                                                             | 31.6 | Environs of Bray (pt.)       |
| Na Clocha Liatha                    | 9,154               | 2,809                         | 6,345                                         | 28.1                                                                            | 30.7 | Greystones                   |
| Béalbhacha na Cloiche Léithe (cuid) | 660                 | 171                           | 489                                           | 21.4                                                                            | 25.9 | Environs of Greystones (pt.) |
| An chuid eile                       | 4,511               | 1,170                         | 3,341                                         | ...                                                                             | 25.9 | Remainder                    |
| An tInbhear Mór, C.U.               | 7,606               | 2,256                         | 5,350                                         | 26.9                                                                            | 29.7 | Arklow U.D.                  |
| Cill Mhantáin, C.U.                 | 5,560               | 1,437                         | 4,123                                         | 23.1                                                                            | 25.8 | Wicklow U.D.                 |
| Ráth Droma, Tr.                     | 23,613              | 6,088                         | 17,525                                        | 22.8                                                                            | 25.8 | Rathdrum R.D.                |
| Béalbhacha Chill Mhantáin           | 342                 | 100                           | 242                                           | ...                                                                             | 29.2 | Environs of Wicklow          |
| Béalbhacha na Cloiche Léithe (cuid) | 421                 | 114                           | 307                                           | ...                                                                             | 27.1 | Environs of Greystones (pt.) |
| Cill Chomhghaill                    | 2,327               | 617                           | 1,710                                         | 24.2                                                                            | 26.5 | Kilcoole                     |
| Baile an Chinnéidigh                | 2,136               | 459                           | 1,677                                         | ...                                                                             | 21.5 | Newtownmountkenedy           |
| An chuid eile                       | 18,387              | 4,798                         | 13,589                                        | ...                                                                             | 26.1 | Remainder                    |
| Síol Éalaigh, Tr.                   | 6,120               | 1,445                         | 4,675                                         | 22.3                                                                            | 23.6 | Shillelagh R.D.              |
| Mumhain                             |                     |                               |                                               |                                                                                 |      | Munster                      |
| Contae an Chláir                    | 86,911              | 35,211                        | 51,700                                        | 38.9                                                                            | 40.5 | Clare County                 |
| Baile Uí Bheacháin, Tr.             | 2,413               | 827                           | 1,586                                         | 36.4                                                                            | 34.3 | Ballyvaghan R.D.             |
| Cora Finne, Tr.                     | 2,895               | 1,083                         | 1,812                                         | 39.8                                                                            | 37.4 | Corrofin R.D.                |
| Inis C.U.                           | 13,130              | 5,678                         | 7,452                                         | ...                                                                             | 43.2 | Ennis U.D.                   |
| Inis, Tr.                           | 21,854              | 8,840                         | 13,014                                        | ...                                                                             | 40.5 | Ennis R.D.                   |
| Béalbhacha na hInse                 | 2,224               | 887                           | 1,337                                         | ...                                                                             | 39.9 | Environs of Ennis            |
| Cora Chaitlín                       | 1,515               | 510                           | 1,005                                         | 34.6                                                                            | 33.7 | Newmarket-on-Fergus          |
| Sionainn                            | 7,513               | 2,837                         | 4,676                                         | 35.7                                                                            | 37.8 | Shannon                      |
| An chuid eile                       | 10,602              | 4,606                         | 5,996                                         | ...                                                                             | 43.4 | Remainder                    |

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|------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|--------------------------|
|                                    |                     |                                  |                                                     | 1986                                                                                            | 1991 |                          |
|                                    |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                                                                                 |      |                          |
| Contae an Chláir (ar lean)         |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                                                                                 |      |                          |
| Clare County (contd.)              |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                                                                                 |      |                          |
| Inis Dlíomáin, Tr.                 | 8,356               | 3,622                            | 4,734                                               | 41.0                                                                                            | 43.3 | Ennistimon R.D.          |
| Cill an Dísirt, Tr.                | 4,227               | 1,615                            | 2,612                                               | 36.0                                                                                            | 38.2 | Killadysert R.D.         |
| Cill Rois, C.U.                    | 2,619               | 848                              | 1,771                                               | 28.3                                                                                            | 32.4 | Kilrush U.D.             |
| Cill Rois, Tr.                     | 10,456              | 4,264                            | 6,192                                               | 38.4                                                                                            | 40.8 | Kilrush R.D.             |
| Cill Chaol                         | 1,270               | 436                              | 834                                                 | 32.1                                                                                            | 34.3 | Kilkee                   |
| An chuid eile                      | 9,186               | 3,828                            | 5,358                                               | 39.2                                                                                            | 41.7 | Remainder                |
| Míleac, Tr.                        | 10,369              | 4,318                            | 6,051                                               | 39.5                                                                                            | 41.6 | Meelick R.D.             |
| Fobhailte Luimnigh (cuid)          | 2,658               | 1,124                            | 1,534                                               | 40.2                                                                                            | 42.3 | Limerick Suburbs (pt.)   |
| An chuid eile                      | 7,711               | 3,194                            | 4,517                                               | 39.2                                                                                            | 41.4 | Remainder                |
| An Scairbh, Tr.                    | 5,709               | 2,052                            | 3,657                                               | 35.7                                                                                            | 35.9 | Scarriff R.D.            |
| An Tulach, Tr.                     | 4,883               | 2,064                            | 2,819                                               | 39.7                                                                                            | 42.3 | Tulla R.D.               |
| Contae agus Contaebhuirg Chorcaí   | 392,323             | 140,179                          | 252,144                                             | 34.3                                                                                            | 35.7 | Cork Co. and Co. Borough |
| Contaebhuirg Chorcaí               | 122,230             | 40,397                           | 81,833                                              | 32.8                                                                                            | 33.0 | Cork Co. Borough         |
| Contae Chorcaí                     | 270,093             | 99,782                           | 170,311                                             | 35.0                                                                                            | 36.9 | Cork County              |
| Droichead na Bandan, Tr.           | 15,429              | 6,026                            | 9,403                                               | 36.1                                                                                            | 39.1 | Bandon R.D.              |
| Droichead na Bandan                | 1,672               | 633                              | 1,039                                               | 36.4                                                                                            | 37.9 | Bandon                   |
| Béalbhacha Dhroichead na Bandan    | 2,902               | 1,140                            | 1,762                                               | 34.4                                                                                            | 39.3 | Environs of Bandon       |
| An chuid eile                      | 10,855              | 4,253                            | 6,602                                               | 36.5                                                                                            | 39.2 | Remainder                |
| Beanntraí, Tr.                     | 7,547               | 2,665                            | 4,882                                               | 35.0                                                                                            | 35.3 | Bantry R.D.              |
| Beanntraí                          | 2,674               | 1,021                            | 1,653                                               | 36.4                                                                                            | 38.2 | Bantry                   |
| An chuid eile                      | 4,873               | 1,644                            | 3,229                                               | 34.3                                                                                            | 33.7 | Remainder                |
| Baile Chaisleáin Bhearra, Tr.      | 3,835               | 1,569                            | 2,266                                               | 40.8                                                                                            | 40.9 | Castletown R.D.          |
| Cloich na Coillte, C.U.            | 2,502               | 912                              | 1,590                                               | 34.4                                                                                            | 36.5 | Clonakilty U.D.          |
| Cloich na Coillte, Tr.             | 9,033               | 3,362                            | 5,671                                               | 34.4                                                                                            | 37.2 | Clonakilty R.D.          |
| Béalbhacha Chloich na Coillte      | 226                 | 97                               | 129                                                 | ...                                                                                             | 42.9 | Environs of Clonakilty   |
| An chuid eile                      | 8,807               | 3,265                            | 5,542                                               | ...                                                                                             | 37.1 | Remainder                |
| An Cóbh, C.U.                      | 5,934               | 1,804                            | 4,130                                               | 28.6                                                                                            | 30.4 | Cobh U.D.                |
| Corcaigh, Tr.                      | 75,658              | 30,068                           | 45,590                                              | 37.3                                                                                            | 39.7 | Cork R.D.                |
| Béalbhacha Chóbh                   | 1,881               | 599                              | 1,282                                               | ...                                                                                             | 31.8 | Environs of Cobh         |
| An Bhlarna                         | 1,984               | 732                              | 1,252                                               | ...                                                                                             | 36.9 | Blarney                  |
| Carraig Uí Leighin (cuid)          | 3,995               | 1,607                            | 2,388                                               | ...                                                                                             | 40.2 | Carrigaline (pt.)        |
| Fobhailte Chorcaí (cuid)           | 43,848              | 17,831                           | 26,017                                              | ...                                                                                             | 40.7 | Cork Suburbs (pt.)       |
| An Pasáiste                        | 3,264               | 1,109                            | 2,155                                               | 31.3                                                                                            | 34.0 | Passage West             |
| Béalbhacha Phasáiste               | 186                 | 78                               | 108                                                 | 43.3                                                                                            | 41.9 | Environs of Passage West |
| An chuid eile                      | 20,500              | 8,112                            | 12,388                                              | ...                                                                                             | 39.6 | Remainder                |
| Dún Mánmhaí, Tr.                   | 7,193               | 2,745                            | 4,448                                               | 36.2                                                                                            | 38.2 | Dunmanway R.D.           |
| Mainistir Fhear Maí, C.U.          | 2,236               | 652                              | 1,584                                               | 34.9                                                                                            | 29.2 | Fermoy U.D.              |
| Mainistir Fhear Maí, Tr.           | 13,769              | 4,677                            | 9,092                                               | 32.5                                                                                            | 34.0 | Fermoy R.D.              |
| Béalbhacha Mhainistir Fhear Maighe | 2,063               | 769                              | 1,294                                               | 36.1                                                                                            | 37.3 | Environs of Fermoy       |
| An chuid eile                      | 11,706              | 3,908                            | 7,798                                               | 31.9                                                                                            | 33.4 | Remainder                |
| Ceann Toirc, Tr.                   | 15,757              | 5,814                            | 9,943                                               | 35.2                                                                                            | 36.9 | Kanturk R.D.             |
| Ceann Toirc                        | 1,718               | 539                              | 1,179                                               | ...                                                                                             | 31.4 | Kanturk                  |
| An chuid eile                      | 14,039              | 5,275                            | 8,764                                               | ...                                                                                             | 37.6 | Remainder                |
| Cionn tSáile, C.U.                 | 1,700               | 443                              | 1,257                                               | 22.8                                                                                            | 26.1 | Kinsale U.D.             |

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|---------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------|-------------------------|
|                                 |                     |                               |                                               | Irish speakers as a percentage of total |      |                         |
|                                 |                     |                               |                                               | 1986                                    | 1991 |                         |
| Contae Chorcaí (ar lean)        |                     |                               |                                               |                                         |      |                         |
| Cionn tSáile, Tr.               | 13,008              | 4,460                         | 8,548                                         | 30.5                                    | 34.3 | Kinsale R.D.            |
| Carraig Uí Leighin (cuid)       | 2,087               | 731                           | 1,356                                         | 32.4                                    | 35.0 | Carrigaline (pt.)       |
| Béalbhacha Chionn tSáile        | 944                 | 287                           | 657                                           | 24.3                                    | 30.4 | Environs of Kinsale     |
| An chuid eile                   | 9,977               | 3,442                         | 6,535                                         | 30.6                                    | 34.5 | Remainder               |
| Maigh Chromtha, C.U.            | 2,291               | 854                           | 1,437                                         | 37.0                                    | 37.3 | Macroom U.D.            |
| Maigh Chromtha, Tr.             | 12,632              | 6,076                         | 6,556                                         | 47.2                                    | 48.1 | Macroom R.D.            |
| Mala, C.U.                      | 5,959               | 2,060                         | 3,899                                         | 32.0                                    | 34.6 | Mallow U.D.             |
| Mala, Tr.                       | 18,280              | 6,123                         | 12,157                                        | 31.8                                    | 33.5 | Mallow R.D.             |
| Béalbhacha Mhala                | 1,218               | 467                           | 751                                           | ...                                     | 38.3 | Environs of Mallow      |
| An Ráth                         | 2,548               | 832                           | 1,716                                         | 34.8                                    | 32.7 | Rathluirc (Charleville) |
| An chuid eile                   | 14,514              | 4,824                         | 9,690                                         | ...                                     | 33.2 | Remainder               |
| Mainistir na Corann, C.U.       | 2,896               | 926                           | 1,970                                         | 29.1                                    | 32.0 | Midleton U.D.           |
| Mainistir na Corann, Tr.        | 17,120              | 6,065                         | 11,055                                        | 33.8                                    | 35.4 | Midleton R.D.           |
| Fobhailte Chorcaí (cuid)        | 514                 | 218                           | 296                                           | 36.0                                    | 42.4 | Cork Suburbs (pt.)      |
| Béalbhacha Mhainistir na Corann | 2,815               | 1,035                         | 1,780                                         | 35.1                                    | 36.8 | Environs of Midleton    |
| An chuid eile                   | 13,791              | 4,812                         | 8,979                                         | 33.4                                    | 34.9 | Remainder               |
| Sráid an Mhuilinn, Tr.          | 6,138               | 2,153                         | 3,985                                         | 35.6                                    | 35.1 | Millstreet R.D.         |
| Baile Mhistéala, Tr. Uimh 1.    | 6,975               | 2,371                         | 4,604                                         | 32.9                                    | 34.0 | Mitchelstown No. 1 R.D. |
| Baile Mhistéala                 | 2,957               | 960                           | 1,997                                         | ...                                     | 32.5 | Mitchelstown            |
| An chuid eile                   | 4,018               | 1,411                         | 2,607                                         | ...                                     | 35.1 | Remainder               |
| An Sciobairín, C.U.             | 1,840               | 730                           | 1,110                                         | 38.4                                    | 39.7 | Skibbereen U.D.         |
| An Sciobairín, Tr.              | 10,049              | 3,518                         | 6,531                                         | 33.8                                    | 35.0 | Skibbereen R.D.         |
| An Scoil, Tr.                   | 3,621               | 1,024                         | 2,597                                         | 28.3                                    | 28.3 | Skull R.D.              |
| Eochaill, C.U.                  | 5,295               | 1,561                         | 3,734                                         | 27.5                                    | 29.5 | Youghal U.D.            |
| Eochaill, Tr. Uimh. 1.          | 3,396               | 1,124                         | 2,272                                         | 33.3                                    | 33.1 | Youghal No. 1 R.D.      |
| Béalbhacha Eochaill             | 282                 | 127                           | 155                                           | ...                                     | 45.0 | Environs of Youghal     |
| An chuid eile                   | 3,114               | 997                           | 2,117                                         | ...                                     | 32.0 | Remainder               |
| Contae Chiarraí                 | 116,831             | 45,808                        | 71,023                                        | 38.0                                    | 39.2 | Kerry County            |
| Cathair Saidhbhí, Tr.           | 8,525               | 3,869                         | 4,656                                         | 46.6                                    | 45.4 | Cahersiveen R.D.        |
| An Daingean, Tr.                | 8,192               | 5,685                         | 2,507                                         | 69.5                                    | 69.4 | Dingle R.D.             |
| Neidín, Tr.                     | 5,957               | 2,186                         | 3,771                                         | 38.6                                    | 36.7 | Kenmare R.D.            |
| Cill Airne, C.U.                | 7,067               | 2,855                         | 4,212                                         | 38.4                                    | 40.4 | Killarney U.D.          |
| Cill Airne, Tr.                 | 24,334              | 9,177                         | 15,157                                        | 34.8                                    | 37.7 | Killarney R.D.          |
| Béalbhacha Chill Airne          | 2,557               | 989                           | 1,568                                         | ...                                     | 38.7 | Environs of Killarney   |
| An chuid eile                   | 21,777              | 8,188                         | 13,589                                        | ...                                     | 37.6 | Remainder               |
| Lios Tuathail, C.U.             | 3,230               | 1,182                         | 2,048                                         | 37.0                                    | 36.6 | Listowel U.D.           |
| Lios Tuathail, Tr.              | 19,104              | 6,596                         | 12,508                                        | 33.9                                    | 34.5 | Listowel R.D.           |
| Béalbhacha Lios Tuathail        | 239                 | 81                            | 158                                           | ...                                     | 33.9 | Environs of Listowel    |
| An chuid eile                   | 18,865              | 6,515                         | 12,350                                        | ...                                     | 34.5 | Remainder               |
| Trá Lí, C.U.                    | 16,441              | 5,817                         | 10,624                                        | 34.4                                    | 35.4 | Tralee U.D.             |
| Trá Lí, Tr.                     | 23,981              | 8,441                         | 15,540                                        | 32.9                                    | 35.2 | Tralee R.D.             |
| Bealbhacha Trá Lí               | 601                 | 257                           | 344                                           | ...                                     | 42.8 | Environs of Tralee      |
| Oileán Chiarraí                 | 2,101               | 782                           | 1,319                                         | ...                                     | 37.2 | Castleisland            |
| An chuid eile                   | 21,279              | 7,402                         | 13,877                                        | ...                                     | 34.8 | Remainder               |

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**Table 4 (contd.) Number and percentage of Irish speakers, 3 years of age and over, in 1991 classified by geographic area with comparative percentage figures for 1986**

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|------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|------------------------------|
|                                    |                     |                               |                                               | 1986                                                                            | 1991 |                              |
| Contae agus Contaeabhuirg Luimnigh | 154,666             | 56,205                        | 98,461                                        | 34.0                                                                            | 36.3 | Limerick Co. and Co. Borough |
| Contaeabhuirg Luimnigh             | 49,848              | 15,282                        | 34,566                                        | 29.5                                                                            | 30.7 | Limerick Co. Borough         |
| Contae Luimnigh                    | 104,818             | 40,923                        | 63,895                                        | 36.4                                                                            | 39.0 | Limerick County              |
| Cromadh, Tr.                       | 10,295              | 3,668                         | 6,627                                         | 33.0                                                                            | 35.6 | Croom R.D.                   |
| An Gleann, Tr.                     | 2,453               | 1,032                         | 1,421                                         | 38.5                                                                            | 42.1 | Glin R.D.                    |
| Cill Mocheallóg, Tr.               | 14,156              | 5,023                         | 9,133                                         | 31.8                                                                            | 35.5 | Kilmallock R.D.              |
| Luimneach, Tr. Uimh. 1.            | 38,178              | 16,217                        | 21,961                                        | 40.2                                                                            | 42.5 | Limerick No. 1 R.D.          |
| Fobhailte Luimnigh (cuid)          | 19,395              | 8,714                         | 10,681                                        | ...                                                                             | 44.9 | Limerick Suburbs (pt.)       |
| An chuid eile                      | 18,783              | 7,503                         | 11,280                                        | ...                                                                             | 39.9 | Remainder                    |
| Baile Mhistéala, Tr. Uimh. 2.      | 3,013               | 924                           | 2,089                                         | 26.0                                                                            | 30.7 | Mitchelstown No. 2 R.D.      |
| An Caisleán Nua, Tr.               | 19,245              | 7,690                         | 11,555                                        | 37.0                                                                            | 40.0 | Newcastle R.D.               |
| Mainistir na Féile                 | 1,425               | 598                           | 827                                           | ...                                                                             | 42.0 | Abbeyfeale                   |
| An Caisleán Nua                    | 3,141               | 1,137                         | 2,004                                         | 36.3                                                                            | 36.2 | Newcastle                    |
| Béalbhacha Chaisleáin Nua          | 313                 | 149                           | 164                                           | ...                                                                             | 47.6 | Environs of Newcastle        |
| An chuid eile                      | 14,366              | 5,806                         | 8,560                                         | ...                                                                             | 40.4 | Remainder                    |
| Ráth Caola, Tr.                    | 13,245              | 4,774                         | 8,471                                         | 35.8                                                                            | 36.0 | Rathkeale R.D.               |
| Ráth Caola                         | 1,710               | 376                           | 1,334                                         | 25.0                                                                            | 22.0 | Rathkeale                    |
| An chuid eile                      | 11,535              | 4,398                         | 7,137                                         | 37.4                                                                            | 38.1 | Remainder                    |
| Tiobraid Árann, Tr. Uimh. 2.       | 4,233               | 1,595                         | 2,638                                         | 34.1                                                                            | 37.7 | Tipperary No. 2 R.D.         |
| Tiobraid Árann, An Trian Thuaidh   | 55,430              | 21,405                        | 34,025                                        | 35.6                                                                            | 38.6 | Tipperary, N.R.              |
| Buiríos Uí Chéin, Tr.              | 6,796               | 2,325                         | 4,471                                         | 30.6                                                                            | 34.2 | Borrisokane R.D.             |
| An tAonach, C.U.                   | 5,285               | 2,238                         | 3,047                                         | 38.7                                                                            | 42.3 | Nenagh U.D.                  |
| An tAonach, Tr.                    | 14,793              | 5,997                         | 8,796                                         | 36.1                                                                            | 40.5 | Nenagh R.D.                  |
| Béalbhacha an Aonaigh              | 288                 | 155                           | 133                                           | ...                                                                             | 53.8 | Environs of Nenagh           |
| An chuid eile                      | 14,505              | 5,842                         | 8,663                                         | ...                                                                             | 40.3 | Remainder                    |
| Ros Cré, Tr. Uimh. 1.              | 7,252               | 2,394                         | 4,858                                         | 30.2                                                                            | 33.0 | Roscrea No. 1 R.D.           |
| Ros Cré                            | 4,045               | 1,212                         | 2,833                                         | ...                                                                             | 30.0 | Roscrea                      |
| An chuid eile                      | 3,207               | 1,182                         | 2,025                                         | ...                                                                             | 36.9 | Remainder                    |
| An Teampall Mór, C.U.              | 2,100               | 992                           | 1,108                                         | 45.5                                                                            | 47.2 | Templemore U.D.              |
| Durlas, C.U.                       | 6,441               | 2,483                         | 3,958                                         | 39.1                                                                            | 38.5 | Thurles U.D.                 |
| Durlas, Tr.                        | 12,763              | 4,976                         | 7,787                                         | 36.0                                                                            | 39.0 | Thurles R.D.                 |
| Béalbhacha Theampall Mór           | 261                 | 93                            | 168                                           | 46.6                                                                            | 35.6 | Environs of Templemore       |
| Béalbhacha Dhurlas                 | 130                 | 72                            | 58                                            | ...                                                                             | 55.4 | Environs of Thurles          |
| An chuid eile                      | 12,372              | 4,811                         | 7,561                                         | ...                                                                             | 38.9 | Remainder                    |
| Tiobraid Árann, An Trian Theas     | 71,581              | 23,683                        | 47,898                                        | 31.9                                                                            | 33.1 | Tipperary, S.R.              |
| Carraig na Siúire, C.U.            | 4,919               | 1,324                         | 3,595                                         | 26.1                                                                            | 26.9 | Carrick-on-Suir U.D.         |
| Carraig na Siúire, Tr. Uimh. 1.    | 1,524               | 474                           | 1,050                                         | 29.0                                                                            | 31.1 | Carrick-on-Suir No. 1 R.D.   |
| Caiseal, C.U.                      | 2,386               | 673                           | 1,713                                         | 27.5                                                                            | 28.2 | Cashel U.D.                  |
| Caiseal, Tr.                       | 13,413              | 4,559                         | 8,854                                         | 33.6                                                                            | 34.0 | Cashel R.D.                  |
| Béalbhacha Chaiseal                | 326                 | 111                           | 215                                           | 36.4                                                                            | 34.0 | Environs of Cashel           |
| Fiodh Ard                          | 921                 | 234                           | 687                                           | 28.6                                                                            | 25.4 | Fethard                      |
| Béalbhacha Fhiodh Ard              | 452                 | 123                           | 329                                           | ...                                                                             | 27.2 | Environs of Fethard          |
| An chuid eile                      | 11,714              | 4,091                         | 7,623                                         | ...                                                                             | 34.9 | Remainder                    |
| An Chloichín, Tr.                  | 9,720               | 3,226                         | 6,494                                         | 34.3                                                                            | 33.2 | Clogheen R.D.                |
| An Chathair                        | 1,954               | 646                           | 1,308                                         | ...                                                                             | 33.1 | Cahir                        |
| An chuid eile                      | 7,766               | 2,580                         | 5,186                                         | ...                                                                             | 33.2 | Remainder                    |

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|---------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|------|-------------------------------|
|                                             |                     |                                  |                                                     | Irish speakers as<br>a percentage of<br>total |      |                               |
|                                             |                     |                                  |                                                     | 1986                                          | 1991 |                               |
| Tiobraid Árann, An Trian Theas (ar lean)    |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                               |      | Tipperary, S.R. (contd.)      |
| Buirg Bhardasach Chluain Meala              | 13,803              | 4,571                            | 9,232                                               | ...                                           | 33.1 | Clonmel M.B.                  |
| Cluain Meala, Tr. Uimh. 1.                  | 4,357               | 1,500                            | 2,857                                               | ...                                           | 34.4 | Clonmel No. 1 R.D.            |
| Béalbhacha Chluain Meala (cuid)             | 393                 | 148                              | 245                                                 | ...                                           | 37.7 | Environs of Clonmel (pt.)     |
| An chuid eile                               | 3,964               | 1,352                            | 2,612                                               | ...                                           | 34.1 | Remainder                     |
| Sliabh Ardachadh, Tr.                       | 5,349               | 1,551                            | 3,798                                               | 27.9                                          | 29.0 | Slievardagh R.D.              |
| Tiobraid Árann, C.U.                        | 4,566               | 1,496                            | 3,070                                               | 30.7                                          | 32.8 | Tipperary U.D.                |
| Tiobraid Árann, Tr. Uimh. 1.                | 11,544              | 4,309                            | 7,235                                               | 33.2                                          | 37.3 | Tipperary No. 1 R.D.          |
| Béalbhacha Thiobraid Arann                  | 187                 | 73                               | 114                                                 | 35.9                                          | 39.0 | Environs of Tipperary         |
| An chuid eile                               | 11,357              | 4,236                            | 7,121                                               | 33.2                                          | 37.3 | Remainder                     |
| Contae agus Contaebhuirg Phort Láirge       |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                               |      | Waterford Co. and Co. Borough |
| Contaebhuirg Phort Láirge                   | 38,467              | 11,454                           | 27,013                                              | 28.2                                          | 29.8 | Waterford County Borough      |
| Contae Phort Láirge                         | 48,956              | 18,232                           | 30,724                                              | 35.7                                          | 37.2 | Waterford County              |
| Carraig na Siúire, Tr. Uimh. 2.             | 3,801               | 1,213                            | 2,588                                               | 28.8                                          | 31.9 | Carrick-on-Suir No. 2 R.D.    |
| Cluain Meala, Tr. Uimh. 2.                  | 2,477               | 943                              | 1,534                                               | 35.3                                          | 38.1 | Clonmel No. 2 R.D.            |
| Béalbhacha Chluain Meala (cuid)             | 584                 | 255                              | 329                                                 | ...                                           | 43.7 | Environs of Clonmel (pt.)     |
| An chuid eile                               | 1,893               | 688                              | 1,205                                               | ...                                           | 36.3 | Remainder                     |
| Dún Garbháin, C.U.                          | 6,582               | 2,461                            | 4,121                                               | 37.0                                          | 37.4 | Dungarvan U.D.                |
| Dún Garbháin, Tr.                           | 6,916               | 3,302                            | 3,614                                               | 47.6                                          | 47.7 | Dungarvan R.D.                |
| Coill Mhic Thomáisín, Tr.                   | 5,399               | 1,774                            | 3,625                                               | 30.3                                          | 32.9 | Kilmacthomas R.D.             |
| Lios Mór, Tr.                               | 7,176               | 2,565                            | 4,611                                               | 34.1                                          | 35.7 | Lismore R.D.                  |
| Lios Mór                                    | 689                 | 248                              | 441                                                 | 33.3                                          | 36.0 | Lismore                       |
| Béalbhacha Lios Mór                         | 364                 | 122                              | 242                                                 | 33.9                                          | 33.5 | Environs of Lismore           |
| An chuid eile                               | 6,123               | 2,195                            | 3,928                                               | 34.2                                          | 35.8 | Remainder                     |
| Port Láirge, Tr. Uimh. 1.                   | 13,949              | 5,083                            | 8,866                                               | 34.5                                          | 36.4 | Waterford No. 1 R.D.          |
| Trá Mhór                                    | 5,819               | 2,263                            | 3,556                                               | 37.8                                          | 38.9 | Tramore                       |
| An chuid eile                               | 8,130               | 2,820                            | 5,310                                               | 32.1                                          | 34.7 | Remainder                     |
| Eochaill, Tr. Uimh. 2.                      | 2,656               | 891                              | 1,765                                               | 32.8                                          | 33.5 | Youghal No. 2 R.D.            |
| Connachta                                   |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                               |      | Connacht                      |
| Contae agus Contaebhuirg na Gaillimhe       |                     |                                  |                                                     |                                               |      | Galway Co. and Co. Borough    |
| Contaebhuirg na Gaillimhe                   | 48,639              | 20,835                           | 27,804                                              | 41.3                                          | 42.8 | Galway County Borough         |
| Contae na Gaillimhe                         | 123,758             | 55,963                           | 67,795                                              | 44.3                                          | 45.2 | Galway County                 |
| Béal Átha na Sluaighe, C.U.                 | 5,576               | 1,972                            | 3,604                                               | 33.3                                          | 35.4 | Ballinasloe U.D.              |
| Béal Átha na Sluaighe, Tr. Uimh. 1.         | 7,698               | 2,792                            | 4,906                                               | 35.1                                          | 36.3 | Ballinasloe No. 1 R.D.        |
| Béalbhacha Bhéal Átha na Sluaighe<br>(cuid) | 19                  | 13                               | 6                                                   | ...                                           | 68.4 | Environs of Ballinasloe (pt.) |
| An chuid eile                               | 7,679               | 2,779                            | 4,900                                               | ...                                           | 36.2 | Remainder                     |
| An Clochán, Tr.                             | 8,210               | 3,738                            | 4,472                                               | 45.6                                          | 45.5 | Clifden R.D.                  |
| Gaillimh, Tr.                               | 23,786              | 14,258                           | 9,528                                               | 60.7                                          | 59.9 | Galway R.D.                   |
| Gleann na Madadh, Tr.                       | 5,476               | 2,023                            | 3,453                                               | 38.3                                          | 36.9 | Glennamaddy R.D.              |
| An Gort, Tr.                                | 8,052               | 3,162                            | 4,890                                               | 39.0                                          | 39.3 | Gort R.D.                     |

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|                                          |                     |                               |                                               | 1986                                                                            | 1991 |                               |
|                                          |                     |                               |                                               |                                                                                 |      |                               |
| Contae Dhún na nGall (ar lean)           |                     |                               |                                               |                                                                                 |      | Galway County (contd.)        |
| Baile Locha Riach, Tr.                   | 16,094              | 5,741                         | 10,353                                        | 33.8                                                                            | 35.7 | Loughrea R.D.                 |
| Baile Átha an Rí                         | 1,538               | 616                           | 922                                           | ...                                                                             | 40.1 | Athenry                       |
| Baile Locha Riach                        | 3,135               | 938                           | 2,197                                         | 29.7                                                                            | 29.9 | Loughrea                      |
| An chuid eile                            | 11,421              | 4,187                         | 7,234                                         | ...                                                                             | 36.7 | Remainder                     |
| An Creagán, Tr.                          | 7,391               | 3,163                         | 4,228                                         | 41.8                                                                            | 42.8 | Mount Bellew R.D.             |
| Uachtar Ard, Tr.                         | 10,184              | 7,447                         | 2,737                                         | 75.5                                                                            | 73.1 | Oughterard R.D.               |
| Port Omna, Tr.                           | 6,142               | 2,072                         | 4,070                                         | 32.2                                                                            | 33.7 | Portumna R.D.                 |
| Tuaim, Tr.                               | 25,149              | 9,595                         | 15,554                                        | 36.4                                                                            | 38.2 | Tuam R.D.                     |
| Tuaim                                    | 3,336               | 1,535                         | 1,801                                         | 43.7                                                                            | 46.0 | Tuam                          |
| Béalbhacha Thuama                        | 1,977               | 636                           | 1,341                                         | ...                                                                             | 32.2 | Environs of Tuam              |
| An chuid eile                            | 19,836              | 7,424                         | 12,412                                        | ...                                                                             | 37.4 | Remainder                     |
| Contae Liatroma                          | 24,281              | 7,990                         | 16,291                                        | 30.7                                                                            | 32.9 | Leitrim County                |
| Béal an Átha Móir, Tr.                   | 3,073               | 1,068                         | 2,005                                         | 32.8                                                                            | 34.8 | Ballinamore R.D.              |
| Cora Droma Rúisc, Tr. Uimh. 1.           | 5,944               | 2,041                         | 3,903                                         | 32.4                                                                            | 34.3 | Carrick-on-Shannon No. 1 R.D. |
| Cora Droma Rúisc (cuid)                  | 1,461               | 535                           | 926                                           | ...                                                                             | 36.6 | Carrick-on-Shannon (pt.)      |
| An chuid eile                            | 4,483               | 1,506                         | 2,977                                         | ...                                                                             | 33.6 | Remainder                     |
| Cionn Locha, Tr.                         | 1,694               | 493                           | 1,201                                         | 27.4                                                                            | 29.1 | Kinlough R.D.                 |
| Cluainín, Tr.                            | 6,429               | 1,969                         | 4,460                                         | 27.9                                                                            | 30.6 | Manorhamilton R.D.            |
| Maothail, Tr.                            | 7,141               | 2,419                         | 4,722                                         | 31.8                                                                            | 33.9 | Mohill R.D.                   |
| Contae Mhaigh Eo                         | 105,903             | 41,908                        | 63,995                                        | 38.3                                                                            | 39.6 | Mayo County                   |
| Béal an Átha, C.U.                       | 6,241               | 2,096                         | 4,145                                         | 31.1                                                                            | 33.6 | Ballina U.D.                  |
| Béal an Átha, Tr.                        | 16,645              | 6,187                         | 10,458                                        | 34.5                                                                            | 37.2 | Ballina R.D.                  |
| Béalbhacha Béal an Átha                  | 1,525               | 642                           | 883                                           | ...                                                                             | 42.1 | Environs of Ballina           |
| An chuid eile                            | 15,120              | 5,545                         | 9,575                                         | ...                                                                             | 36.7 | Remainder                     |
| Baile an Róba, Tr.                       | 11,254              | 4,738                         | 6,516                                         | 41.8                                                                            | 42.1 | Ballinrobe R.D.               |
| Béal an Mhuirthead, Tr.                  | 8,100               | 4,537                         | 3,563                                         | 59.0                                                                            | 56.0 | Belmullet R.D.                |
| Caisleán an Bharraigh, C.U.              | 5,812               | 2,238                         | 3,574                                         | 35.8                                                                            | 38.5 | Castlebar U.D.                |
| Caisleán an Bharraigh, Tr.               | 12,820              | 5,010                         | 7,810                                         | 36.5                                                                            | 39.1 | Castlebar R.D.                |
| Béalbhacha Chaisleán an Bharraigh        | 1,472               | 716                           | 756                                           | ...                                                                             | 48.6 | Environs of Castlebar         |
| An chuid eile                            | 11,348              | 4,294                         | 7,054                                         | ...                                                                             | 37.8 | Remainder                     |
| Clár Chlainne Mhuiris, Tr.               | 12,187              | 5,010                         | 7,177                                         | 38.5                                                                            | 41.1 | Claremorris R.D.              |
| Clár Chlainne Mhuiris                    | 1,829               | 935                           | 894                                           | ...                                                                             | 51.1 | Claremorris                   |
| An chuid eile                            | 10,358              | 4,075                         | 6,283                                         | ...                                                                             | 39.3 | Remainder                     |
| Béal Átha na Muice, Tr                   | 14,356              | 4,958                         | 9,398                                         | 31.6                                                                            | 34.5 | Swinetford R.D.               |
| Cathair na Mart, C.U.                    | 3,544               | 1,325                         | 2,219                                         | 41.0                                                                            | 37.4 | Westport U.D.                 |
| Cathair na Mart, Tr.                     | 14,944              | 5,809                         | 9,135                                         | 39.3                                                                            | 38.9 | Westport R.D.                 |
| Contae Ros Comáin                        | 49,785              | 18,169                        | 31,616                                        | 34.3                                                                            | 36.5 | Roscommon County              |
| Áth Luain, Tr. Uimh. 2.                  | 10,396              | 3,987                         | 6,409                                         | 36.9                                                                            | 38.4 | Athlone No. 2 R.D.            |
| Béalbhacha Átha Luain (cuid)             | 765                 | 227                           | 538                                           | 28.3                                                                            | 29.7 | Environs of Athlone (pt.)     |
| Béalbhacha Bhéal Átha na Sluaighe (cuid) | 79                  | 30                            | 49                                            | ...                                                                             | 38.0 | Environs of Ballinasloe (pt.) |
| An chuid eile                            | 9,552               | 3,730                         | 5,822                                         | ...                                                                             | 39.0 | Remainder                     |

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**Table 4 (contd.) Number and percentage of Irish speakers, 3 years of age and over, in 1991 classified by geographic area with comparative percentage figures for 1986**

| Ceantar                           | An tIomlán<br>Total | Gaeilgeoirí<br>Irish speakers | Daoine nach Gaeilgeoirí<br>Non-Irish speakers | Gaeilgeoirí mar chéatadán den iomlán<br>Irish speakers as a percentage of total |      | Area                     |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|--------------------------|
|                                   |                     |                               |                                               | 1986                                                                            | 1991 |                          |
|                                   |                     |                               |                                               |                                                                                 |      |                          |
| Contae Ros Comáin (ar lean)       |                     |                               | Roscommon County (contd.)                     |                                                                                 |      |                          |
| Mainistir na Búille, Tr. Uimh. 1. | 8,843               | 3,179                         | 5,664                                         | 34.5                                                                            | 35.9 | Boyle No. 1 R.D.         |
| Mainistir na Búille               | 1,624               | 534                           | 1,090                                         | 31.0                                                                            | 32.9 | Boyle                    |
| Béalbhacha Mainistir na Búille    | 487                 | 223                           | 264                                           | ...                                                                             | 45.8 | Environs of Boyle        |
| Cora Droma Rúisc (cuid)           | 341                 | 166                           | 175                                           | 46.3                                                                            | 48.7 | Carrick-on-Shannon (pt.) |
| An chuid eile                     | 6,391               | 2,256                         | 4,135                                         | ...                                                                             | 35.3 | Remainder                |
| An Caisleán Riabhach, Tr.         | 13,590              | 4,501                         | 9,089                                         | 29.9                                                                            | 33.1 | Castlereagh R.D.         |
| An Caisleán Riabhach              | 1,766               | 733                           | 1,033                                         | ...                                                                             | 41.5 | Castlerea                |
| An chuid eile                     | 11,824              | 3,768                         | 8,056                                         | ...                                                                             | 31.9 | Remainder                |
| Ros Comáin, Tr.                   | 16,956              | 6,502                         | 10,454                                        | 36.4                                                                            | 38.3 | Roscommon R.D.           |
| Ros Comáin                        | 1,265               | 514                           | 751                                           | 42.2                                                                            | 40.6 | Roscommon                |
| Béalbhacha Ros Comáin             | 2,027               | 805                           | 1,222                                         | 36.0                                                                            | 39.7 | Environs of Roscommon    |
| An chuid eile                     | 13,664              | 5,183                         | 8,481                                         | 35.9                                                                            | 37.9 | Remainder                |
| Contae Shligigh                   | 52,405              | 17,815                        | 34,590                                        | 32.7                                                                            | 34.0 | Sligo County             |
| Mainistir na Búille, Tr. Uimh. 2. | 4,269               | 1,386                         | 2,883                                         | 30.2                                                                            | 32.5 | Boyle No. 2 R.D.         |
| An Droim Mór Thiar, Tr.           | 6,186               | 2,004                         | 4,182                                         | 28.1                                                                            | 32.4 | Dromore West R.D.        |
| Buirg Bhardasach Shligigh         | 16,497              | 5,121                         | 11,376                                        | 30.5                                                                            | 31.0 | Sligo M.B.               |
| Sligeach, Tr.                     | 18,684              | 6,905                         | 11,779                                        | 36.2                                                                            | 37.0 | Sligo R.D.               |
| Béalbhacha Shligigh               | 647                 | 322                           | 325                                           | 40.8                                                                            | 49.8 | Environs of Sligo        |
| An chuid eile                     | 18,037              | 6,583                         | 11,454                                        | 36.0                                                                            | 36.5 | Remainder                |
| Tobair an Choire, Tr.             | 6,769               | 2,399                         | 4,370                                         | 34.4                                                                            | 35.4 | Tobercurry R.D.          |
| Ulaidh (cuid de)                  |                     |                               |                                               |                                                                                 |      | Ulster (part of)         |
| Contae an Chabháin                | 50,275              | 13,544                        | 36,731                                        | 25.0                                                                            | 26.9 | Cavan County             |
| Coill an Chollaigh, Tr.           | 9,131               | 2,327                         | 6,804                                         | 22.4                                                                            | 25.5 | Bailieborough R.D.       |
| Coill an Chollaigh                | 1,484               | 365                           | 1,119                                         | 24.8                                                                            | 24.6 | Bailieborough            |
| An chuid eile                     | 7,647               | 1,962                         | 5,685                                         | 21.9                                                                            | 25.7 | Remainder                |
| An Bábhún Buí, Tr.                | 3,577               | 934                           | 2,643                                         | 25.4                                                                            | 26.1 | Bawnboy R.D.             |
| Caisleán Rathain, Tr.             | 4,954               | 1,403                         | 3,551                                         | 26.8                                                                            | 28.3 | Castlerahan R.D.         |
| An Cabhán, C.U.                   | 3,141               | 805                           | 2,336                                         | 25.1                                                                            | 25.6 | Cavan U.D.               |
| An Cabhán, Tr.                    | 26,278              | 7,267                         | 19,011                                        | 25.7                                                                            | 27.7 | Cavan R.D.               |
| Béalbhacha an Chabháin            | 1,853               | 743                           | 1,110                                         | 33.3                                                                            | 40.1 | Environs of Cavan        |
| Béal Tairbirt                     | 1,185               | 423                           | 762                                           | 24.1                                                                            | 35.7 | Belturbet                |
| Muinchille                        | 1,373               | 365                           | 1,008                                         | ...                                                                             | 26.6 | Cootehill                |
| Béalbhacha Mhuinchille            | 326                 | 119                           | 207                                           | ...                                                                             | 36.5 | Environs of Cootehill    |
| An chuid eile                     | 21,541              | 5,617                         | 15,924                                        | ...                                                                             | 26.1 | Remainder                |
| Inis Ceithleann, Tr. Uimh. 2.     | 1,227               | 271                           | 956                                           | 23.0                                                                            | 22.1 | Enniskillen No. 2 R.D.   |
| Mullach Odhráin, Tr.              | 1,967               | 537                           | 1,430                                         | 24.7                                                                            | 27.3 | Mullaghoran R.D.         |
| Contae Dhún na nGall              | 122,054             | 41,543                        | 80,511                                        | 33.4                                                                            | 34.0 | Donegal County           |
| Bun Dobhráin, C.U.                | 1,389               | 447                           | 942                                           | 34.8                                                                            | 32.2 | Bundoran U.D.            |
| Béal Átha Seanaidh, Tr.           | 5,714               | 1,728                         | 3,986                                         | 30.0                                                                            | 30.2 | Ballyshannon R.D.        |
| Béal Átha Seanaidh                | 2,330               | 788                           | 1,542                                         | 32.7                                                                            | 33.8 | Ballyshannon             |
| Béalbhacha Bhéal Átha Seanaidh    | 393                 | 163                           | 230                                           | 40.0                                                                            | 41.5 | Environs of Ballyshannon |
| An chuid eile                     | 2,991               | 777                           | 2,214                                         | 26.4                                                                            | 26.0 | Remainder                |

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|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|----------------------------|
|                                    |                         |                                   |                                                   | 1986                                                                                | 1991 |                            |
|                                    |                         |                                   |                                                   |                                                                                     |      |                            |
| Contae Dhún na nGall (ar lean)     |                         |                                   |                                                   | Donegal County (contd.)                                                             |      |                            |
| Dún na nGall, Tr.                  | 10,819                  | 2,996                             | 7,823                                             | 28.4                                                                                | 27.7 | Donegal R.D.               |
| Dún na nGall                       | 2,090                   | 636                               | 1,454                                             | ...                                                                                 | 30.4 | Donegal                    |
| An chuid eile                      | 8,729                   | 2,360                             | 6,369                                             | ...                                                                                 | 27.0 | Remainder                  |
| Dún Fionnachaidh, Tr.              | 10,629                  | 7,991                             | 2,638                                             | 75.8                                                                                | 75.2 | Dunfanaghy R.D.            |
| Na Gleannta, Tr.                   | 18,273                  | 9,915                             | 8,358                                             | 53.7                                                                                | 54.3 | Glenties R.D.              |
| Na Cealla Beaga                    | 1,468                   | 362                               | 1,106                                             | 22.2                                                                                | 24.7 | Killybegs                  |
| An chuid eile                      | 16,805                  | 9,553                             | 7,252                                             | 56.5                                                                                | 56.8 | Remainder                  |
| Bun Cranncha, C.U.                 | 2,994                   | 715                               | 2,279                                             | 21.4                                                                                | 23.9 | Buncrana U.D.              |
| Inis Eoghain, Tr.                  | 24,680                  | 4,988                             | 19,692                                            | 16.1                                                                                | 20.2 | Inishowen R.D.             |
| Béalbhacha Bhun Cranncha           | 1,219                   | 294                               | 925                                               | ...                                                                                 | 24.1 | Environs of Buncrana       |
| Carn Domhnach                      | 1,470                   | 416                               | 1,054                                             | ...                                                                                 | 28.3 | Carndonagh                 |
| An chuid eile                      | 21,991                  | 4,278                             | 17,713                                            | ...                                                                                 | 19.5 | Remainder                  |
| Leitir Ceanainn, C.U.              | 6,794                   | 2,167                             | 4,627                                             | 31.7                                                                                | 31.9 | Letterkenny U.D.           |
| Leitir Ceanainn, Tr.               | 9,752                   | 2,449                             | 7,303                                             | 24.8                                                                                | 25.1 | Letterkenny R.D.           |
| Béalbhacha Leitir Ceanainn         | 3,304                   | 1,039                             | 2,265                                             | ...                                                                                 | 31.4 | Environs of Letterkenny    |
| An chuid eile                      | 6,448                   | 1,410                             | 5,038                                             | ...                                                                                 | 21.9 | Remainder                  |
| Baile na nGallóglach, Tr.          | 11,079                  | 4,032                             | 7,047                                             | 37.2                                                                                | 36.4 | Millford R.D.              |
| Srath an Urláir, Tr.               | 19,931                  | 4,115                             | 15,816                                            | 19.2                                                                                | 20.6 | Stranorlar R.D.            |
| Bealach Féich-Srath an Urláir      | 2,865                   | 807                               | 2,058                                             | ...                                                                                 | 28.2 | Ballybofey-Stranorlar      |
| An chuid eile                      | 17,066                  | 3,308                             | 13,758                                            | ...                                                                                 | 19.4 | Remainder                  |
| Contae Mhuineacháin                | 48,914                  | 14,247                            | 34,667                                            | 27.0                                                                                | 29.1 | Monaghan County            |
| Carraig Mhachaire Rois, C.U.       | 1,615                   | 595                               | 1,020                                             | 35.2                                                                                | 36.8 | Carrickmacross U.D.        |
| Carraig Mhachaire Rois, Tr.        | 9,128                   | 2,425                             | 6,703                                             | 25.4                                                                                | 26.6 | Carrickmacross R.D.        |
| Béalbhacha Charraig Mhachaire Rois | 1,592                   | 513                               | 1,079                                             | 31.1                                                                                | 32.2 | Environs of Carrickmacross |
| An chuid eile                      | 7,536                   | 1,912                             | 5,624                                             | 24.2                                                                                | 25.4 | Remainder                  |
| Baile na Lorgan, C.U.              | 1,948                   | 443                               | 1,505                                             | 20.2                                                                                | 22.7 | Castleblayney U.D.         |
| Baile na Lorgan, Tr.               | 8,455                   | 2,289                             | 6,166                                             | 27.5                                                                                | 27.1 | Castleblayney R.D.         |
| Béalbhacha Bhaile na Lorgan        | 863                     | 263                               | 600                                               | ...                                                                                 | 30.5 | Environs of Castleblayney  |
| Béal Átha Beithe                   | 443                     | 114                               | 329                                               | 23.9                                                                                | 25.7 | Ballybay                   |
| Béalbhacha Bhéal Átha Beithe       | 678                     | 157                               | 521                                               | 21.8                                                                                | 23.2 | Environs of Ballybay       |
| An chuid eile                      | 6,471                   | 1,755                             | 4,716                                             | ...                                                                                 | 27.1 | Remainder                  |
| Cluain Eois, C.U.                  | 1,980                   | 572                               | 1,408                                             | 30.0                                                                                | 28.9 | Clones U.D.                |
| Cluain Eois, Tr. Uimh. 1.          | 5,128                   | 1,380                             | 3,748                                             | 25.1                                                                                | 26.9 | Clones No. 1 R.D.          |
| Béalbhacha Chluain Eois            | 242                     | 84                                | 158                                               | ...                                                                                 | 34.7 | Environs of Clones         |
| An chuid eile                      | 4,886                   | 1,296                             | 3,590                                             | ...                                                                                 | 26.5 | Remainder                  |
| Muineachán, C.U.                   | 5,502                   | 1,796                             | 3,706                                             | 26.3                                                                                | 32.6 | Monaghan U.D.              |
| Muineachán, Tr.                    | 15,158                  | 4,747                             | 10,411                                            | 28.3                                                                                | 31.3 | Monaghan R.D.              |
| Béalbhacha Mhuineacháin            | 192                     | 86                                | 106                                               | 43.7                                                                                | 44.8 | Environs of Monaghan       |
| An chuid eile                      | 14,966                  | 4,661                             | 10,305                                            | 28.1                                                                                | 31.1 | Remainder                  |

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