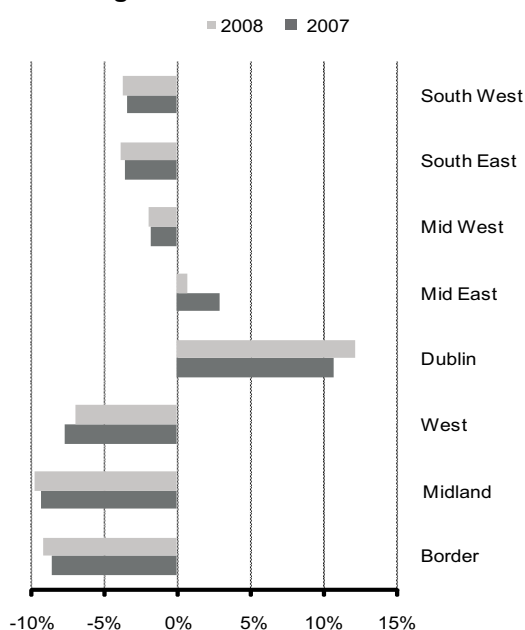


Disposable income per person - percentage deviation from State average



County Incomes and Regional GDP 2008

Disposable Income per person, 2007 and 2008

Region	€ 2007	€ 2008
Border, Midland and Western	20,457	20,703
Border	20,418	20,555
Midland	20,270	20,434
West	20,617	21,043
Southern and Eastern	23,015	23,316
Dublin	24,696	25,337
Mid East	22,966	22,774
Mid West	21,930	22,165
South East	21,546	21,736
South West	21,566	21,790
State	22,331	22,615

Average Income highest in Dublin Region in 2008

Of the eight regional authority areas, the Dublin region had the highest average disposable income per person in 2008. At €25,337 the average disposable income per person in Dublin was 12 per cent higher than the State figure of €22,615. The Mid East was the only other regional authority area with an average disposable income per person higher than that State total. The Midland (€20,434) and Border (€20,555) regional authority areas fared worst among the eight regions.

The 2008 ranking of regional authority areas by disposable income per person was identical to that of 2007 although the range between the maximum and minimum value increased from €4,426 in 2007 to €4,903 in 2008.

The percentage premium of 10.6 per cent which Dublin had compared with the State total in 2007 rose to 12 per cent in 2008 (see graph). In contrast the shortfall for the Midland region of 9.2 per cent in 2007 compared with the State average increased to 9.6 per cent in 2008.

Viewed in a slightly longer term perspective (i.e. from 2000 onwards) the divergence between the regional authority areas has narrowed over the years but shows little change in the two most recent years. (see Table 4). Dublin and the Mid East were ahead of the State average during the entire 2000-2008 period while the Midland and Border regions occupied the lowest ends of the disposable income distribution range for the most recent three years.

See Background Notes for the definitions of the various terms used. The results presented in this release at State level are compatible with those published in "National Income and Expenditure 2009".

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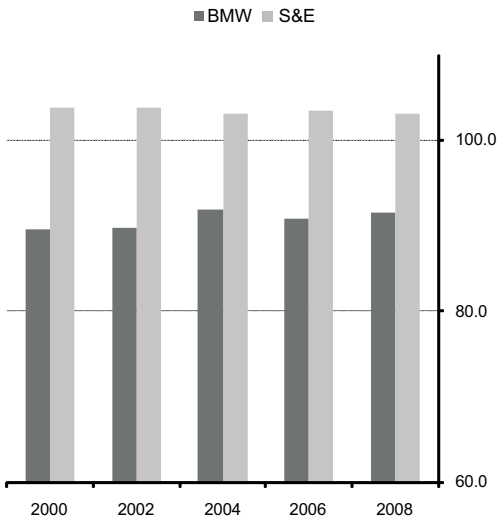
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Regional disposable income at NUTS 2 level, 2000 to 2008 (State=100)



At NUTS 2 level average per capita disposable income in the Southern and Eastern region was 11.6 per cent ahead of the Border, Midland and West area, marginally up on the 11.5 per cent differential one year earlier.

Greater uncertainty at county level

While the figures at County level involve added uncertainty they do nevertheless provide a useful indication of the degree of variability at that level. Four counties – Dublin, Kildare, Limerick and Meath – have had average per capita disposable incomes in excess of the State figure in each of the years 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008 (see Table 4).

At the other end of the spectrum the counties of Roscommon, Mayo, Longford, Kerry, Offaly and Donegal have had per capita disposable incomes below 90 per cent of the State level in 2006, 2007 and 2008.

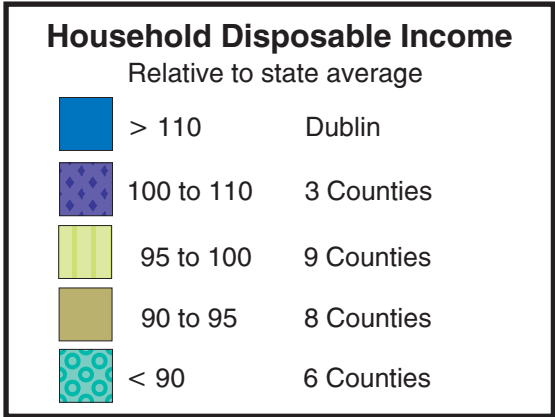
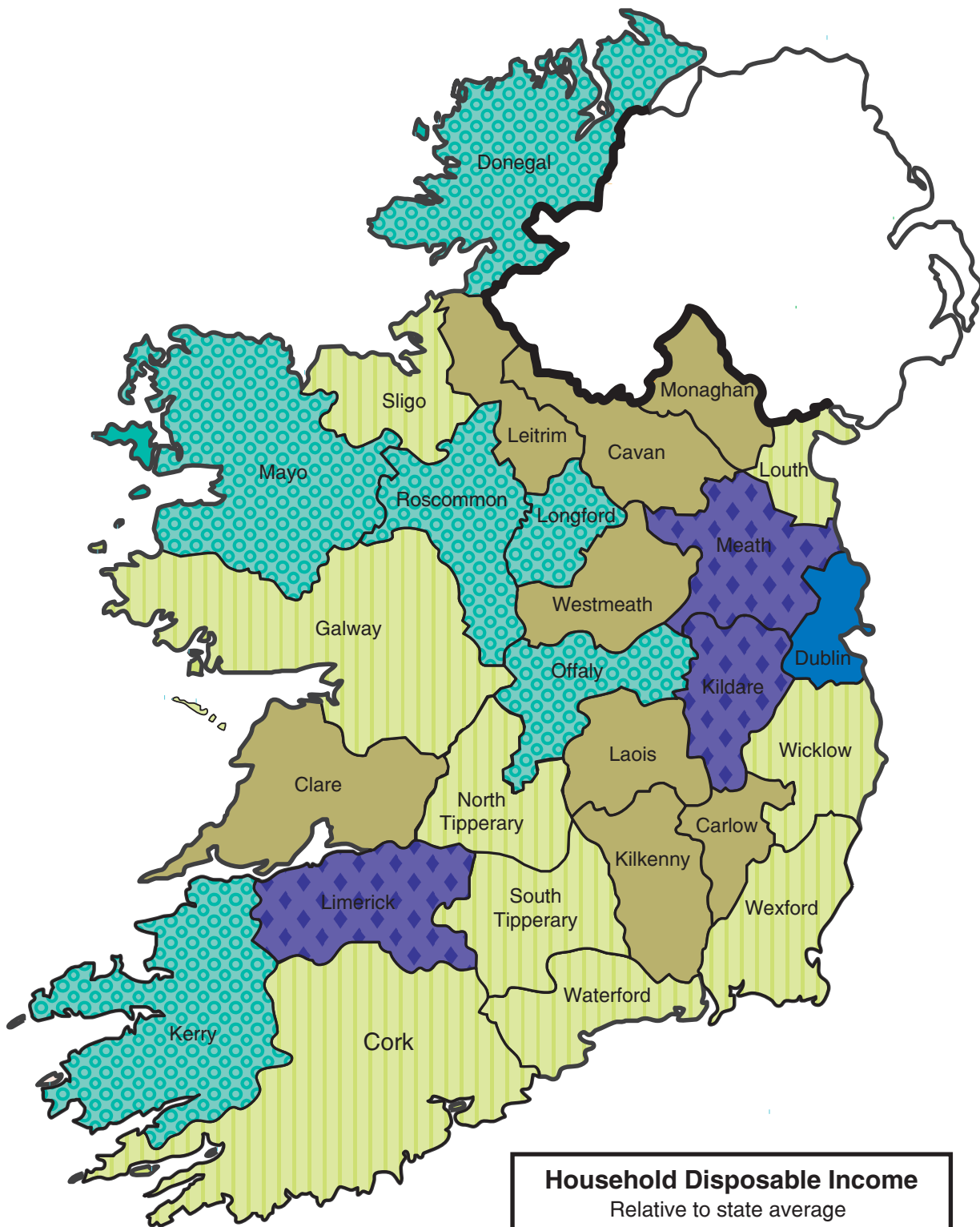
However, in line with the results at regional authority level the degree of variability between the county income figures has been steadily declining since 2000.

Primary income plays a major role

Adding social transfers to primary income and subtracting off income taxes and social insurance contributions results in disposable income. In the counties of Meath, Kildare, Dublin and Wicklow primary income exceeded disposable income in 2008 (see Table 1). These are the counties with the highest employment rates as indicated in the 2006 census results.

On the other hand in the counties of Mayo, Leitrim, Carlow, Longford and Donegal primary incomes made up less than 90 per cent of disposable incomes leading to a greater reliance on social transfers to boost disposable income.

Household Disposable Income per Head 2008



HOUSEHOLD INCOMES¹

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Details for the years 2008 and 2007 are shown in tables 1 and 2, respectively. Detailed tables in respect of 2000 to 2006 are available on request.

¹*Estimates are provided for Regional Authority areas and counties. The county estimates should be interpreted with caution because the underlying data are not always sufficiently robust. They should be regarded as indicative of relative levels rather than as accurate absolute figures.*

Table 1 Estimates of Primary, Total & Disposable Household Income by Region & County in 2008

	Compensation of Employees	Income of Self Employed	Rent ¹ of Dwellings	Net Interest and Dividends	Primary Income
	€m	€m	€m	€m	€m
Border, Midland & Western	17,765	3,236	1,567	-206	22,363
Border	7,227	1,278	593	-83	9,015
Cavan	1,065	216	77	-12	1,345
Donegal	1,809	391	159	-22	2,338
Leitrim	447	92	34	-5	568
Louth	1,974	245	168	-22	2,366
Monaghan	883	166	71	-10	1,109
Sligo	1,050	168	84	-12	1,290
Midland	4,077	691	334	-47	5,056
Laois	1,173	177	90	-13	1,427
Longford	510	104	40	-6	648
Offaly	1,092	193	93	-13	1,366
Westmeath	1,302	217	111	-15	1,614
West	6,462	1,267	640	-76	8,293
Galway	3,818	671	403	-45	4,848
Mayo	1,762	405	160	-21	2,305
Roscommon	882	191	77	-10	1,140
Southern & Eastern	61,517	9,418	5,858	-701	76,092
Dublin	27,169	2,886	2,835	-300	32,589
Mid East	10,190	1,475	875	-115	12,425
Kildare	4,152	535	361	-46	5,002
Meath	3,546	543	274	-40	4,324
Wicklow	2,492	396	240	-29	3,100
Mid West	6,205	1,128	515	-72	7,776
Clare	1,870	381	152	-22	2,382
Limerick	3,295	483	276	-37	4,017
North Tipperary	1,040	264	87	-13	1,378
South East	7,493	1,793	634	-90	9,829
Carlow	785	166	73	-9	1,014
Kilkenny	1,463	368	123	-18	1,935
South Tipperary	1,379	341	109	-17	1,813
Waterford	1,828	377	149	-21	2,333
Wexford	2,037	541	182	-25	2,734
South West	10,461	2,137	998	-124	13,472
Cork	8,541	1,584	814	-100	10,840
Kerry	1,919	552	184	-24	2,632
State	79,283	12,654	7,426	-907	98,455

¹Includes imputed rent of owner occupied dwellings.

Table 1 Estimates of Primary, Total & Disposable Household Income by Region & County in 2008 (contd)

Social Transfers	Total ² Household Income	Taxes	Disposable Household Income	Disposable Income per Person	
€m	€m	€m	€m	€	
6,892	29,349	4,807	24,541	20,703	Border, Midland & Western
2,955	12,007	1,884	10,123	20,555	Border
361	1,712	282	1,429	21,241	Cavan
1,002	3,350	470	2,880	18,596	Donegal
184	754	118	636	20,902	Leitrim
703	3,079	504	2,575	22,007	Louth
322	1,436	229	1,207	20,506	Monaghan
382	1,677	282	1,396	21,798	Sligo
1,487	6,564	1,113	5,452	20,434	Midland
373	1,806	311	1,495	21,030	Laois
231	882	149	734	20,123	Longford
400	1,772	292	1,480	19,704	Offaly
483	2,104	361	1,743	20,718	Westmeath
2,449	10,777	1,810	8,966	21,043	West
1,378	6,246	1,081	5,166	21,680	Galway
749	3,064	488	2,576	20,223	Mayo
322	1,467	242	1,225	20,263	Roscommon
17,684	94,095	18,631	75,464	23,316	Southern & Eastern
6,719	39,445	8,589	30,855	25,337	Dublin
2,337	14,814	3,097	11,717	22,774	Mid East
937	5,960	1,253	4,708	23,342	Kildare
737	5,079	1,060	4,019	22,806	Meath
663	3,775	785	2,990	21,893	Wicklow
2,196	10,005	1,761	8,243	22,165	Mid West
601	2,993	544	2,449	21,428	Clare
1,203	5,237	920	4,317	22,769	Limerick
391	1,775	297	1,477	21,721	North Tipperary
2,857	12,728	2,125	10,603	21,736	South East
335	1,354	211	1,143	21,450	Carlow
472	2,416	426	1,989	21,462	Kilkenny
508	2,328	399	1,930	21,905	South Tipperary
709	3,052	515	2,537	22,197	Waterford
832	3,577	573	3,004	21,543	Wexford
3,575	17,103	3,058	14,046	21,790	South West
2,784	13,669	2,511	11,158	22,340	Cork
792	3,435	547	2,888	19,899	Kerry
24,576	123,443	23,438	100,006	22,615	State

²Total Household Income does not equal the sum of Primary Income & Social Transfers due to the effect of the Statistical Discrepancy (€412m in 2008 at State level).

Table 2 Estimates of Primary, Total & Disposable Household Income by Region & County in 2007

	Compensation of Employees	Income of Self Employed	Rent ¹ of Dwellings	Net Interest and Dividends	Primary Income
	€m	€m	€m	€m	€m
Border, Midland & Western	17,588	3,441	1,284	222	22,535
Border	7,191	1,391	486	90	9,158
Cavan	1,021	237	63	13	1,334
Donegal	1,850	410	130	24	2,414
Leitrim	423	98	28	5	554
Louth	1,961	266	138	24	2,389
Monaghan	896	194	58	11	1,159
Sligo	1,040	186	69	13	1,308
Midland	4,026	746	274	50	5,097
Laois	1,167	194	74	14	1,449
Longford	496	114	33	6	649
Offaly	1,080	210	76	14	1,381
Westmeath	1,283	228	91	16	1,618
West	6,370	1,303	524	82	8,280
Galway	3,771	692	330	48	4,840
Mayo	1,722	413	131	23	2,289
Roscommon	878	198	63	11	1,151
Southern & Eastern	60,405	10,004	4,799	749	75,956
Dublin	26,759	3,048	2,323	320	32,449
Mid East	9,926	1,666	717	123	12,432
Kildare	4,056	590	296	49	4,991
Meath	3,405	632	225	42	4,304
Wicklow	2,465	444	196	31	3,137
Mid West	6,097	1,207	422	77	7,803
Clare	1,828	393	125	23	2,368
Limerick	3,256	543	226	40	4,065
North Tipperary	1,013	271	71	13	1,369
South East	7,333	1,862	520	97	9,811
Carlow	771	167	60	10	1,008
Kilkenny	1,426	385	101	19	1,930
South Tipperary	1,356	341	89	18	1,803
Waterford	1,777	390	122	23	2,311
Wexford	2,003	580	149	27	2,758
South West	10,289	2,221	818	133	13,460
Cork	8,411	1,645	667	107	10,829
Kerry	1,878	576	151	26	2,631
State	77,992	13,444	6,083	971	98,490

¹Includes imputed rent of owner occupied dwellings.

Table 2 Estimates of Primary, Total & Disposable Household Income by Region & County in 2007 (contd)

Social Transfers	Total ² Household Income	Taxes	Disposable Household Income	Disposable Income per Person	
€m	€m	€m	€m	€	
6,054	28,620	4,872	23,748	20,457	Border, Midland & Western
2,578	11,749	1,922	9,827	20,418	Border
316	1,652	282	1,369	20,818	Cavan
854	3,271	488	2,783	18,392	Donegal
162	717	113	604	20,316	Leitrim
623	3,015	509	2,506	21,914	Louth
283	1,444	241	1,203	20,911	Monaghan
340	1,650	289	1,361	21,755	Sligo
1,297	6,401	1,126	5,274	20,270	Midland
312	1,763	321	1,442	20,804	Laois
206	856	146	709	19,953	Longford
353	1,735	296	1,439	19,643	Offaly
426	2,046	363	1,683	20,515	Westmeath
2,179	10,470	1,823	8,647	20,617	West
1,227	6,074	1,088	4,986	21,257	Galway
665	2,957	489	2,468	19,684	Mayo
287	1,439	246	1,193	20,060	Roscommon
15,774	91,834	18,687	73,147	23,015	Southern & Eastern
6,019	38,513	8,624	29,890	24,696	Dublin
2,054	14,503	3,100	11,402	22,966	Mid East
822	5,820	1,255	4,565	23,456	Kildare
648	4,958	1,048	3,910	22,992	Meath
584	3,724	797	2,927	22,208	Wicklow
1,959	9,772	1,772	8,000	21,930	Mid West
534	2,906	543	2,363	21,078	Clare
1,075	5,146	936	4,210	22,637	Limerick
349	1,720	293	1,427	21,389	North Tipperary
2,517	12,341	2,122	10,219	21,546	South East
297	1,306	214	1,092	21,082	Carlow
417	2,350	427	1,923	21,344	Kilkenny
453	2,259	391	1,868	21,804	South Tipperary
622	2,936	510	2,426	21,833	Waterford
728	3,490	580	2,910	21,458	Wexford
3,226	16,705	3,069	13,636	21,566	South West
2,513	13,357	2,525	10,832	22,108	Cork
713	3,347	543	2,804	19,698	Kerry
21,828	120,454	23,558	96,895	22,331	State

²Total Household Income does not equal the sum of Primary Income & Social Transfers due to the effect of the Statistical Discrepancy (€136m in 2007 at State level).

Table 3 Estimates of Disposable Income Per Person by Region and County, 2000 to 2008¹

Disposable Income per Person (€)									
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	12,524	14,114	15,297	16,474	17,400	18,437	19,011	20,457	20,703
Border	12,196	13,798	14,868	16,037	17,038	18,125	18,769	20,418	20,555
Cavan	12,096	13,719	14,738	15,865	16,990	18,306	19,051	20,818	21,241
Donegal	10,943	12,252	13,383	14,423	15,188	16,030	16,793	18,392	18,596
Leitrim	12,040	13,331	14,795	16,120	17,202	18,320	18,831	20,316	20,902
Louth	13,896	16,059	16,431	17,494	18,687	19,855	20,393	21,914	22,007
Monaghan	12,123	13,564	15,109	16,482	17,502	18,822	19,200	20,911	20,506
Sligo	12,540	14,163	15,582	17,030	18,064	19,116	19,858	21,755	21,798
Midland	12,451	14,059	15,431	16,707	17,422	18,552	18,964	20,270	20,434
Laois	12,214	13,691	14,956	16,280	17,306	18,318	19,078	20,804	21,030
Longford	12,161	13,694	15,391	16,663	17,073	18,607	18,801	19,953	20,123
Offaly	11,978	13,526	14,894	16,200	17,066	18,308	18,642	19,643	19,704
Westmeath	13,216	15,016	16,314	17,528	17,986	18,940	19,226	20,515	20,718
West	12,947	14,512	15,704	16,830	17,801	18,721	19,313	20,617	21,043
Galway	13,428	15,045	16,318	17,381	18,464	19,310	19,947	21,257	21,680
Mayo	12,379	13,851	14,852	16,113	17,004	17,927	18,390	19,684	20,223
Roscommon	12,337	13,880	15,179	16,233	16,912	18,096	18,758	20,060	20,263
Southern and Eastern	14,514	16,531	17,682	18,845	19,517	20,797	21,628	23,015	23,316
Dublin	16,322	18,712	19,759	21,042	21,415	22,695	23,600	24,696	25,337
Mid East	14,136	16,208	17,485	18,580	19,405	20,715	21,797	22,966	22,774
Kildare	15,022	17,154	18,297	19,330	20,244	21,450	22,454	23,456	23,342
Meath	13,574	15,531	16,640	17,739	18,700	20,272	21,561	22,992	22,806
Wicklow	13,557	15,665	17,309	18,506	19,052	20,198	21,133	22,208	21,893
Mid West	13,611	15,357	16,473	17,547	18,548	19,855	20,336	21,930	22,165
Clare	13,454	14,816	15,816	16,857	17,589	18,900	19,420	21,078	21,428
Limerick	14,023	15,939	17,043	18,141	19,296	20,553	20,996	22,637	22,769
North Tipperary	12,693	14,579	15,944	17,018	18,047	19,502	20,035	21,389	21,721
South East	12,590	14,159	15,465	16,556	17,390	18,532	19,550	21,546	21,736
Carlow	12,646	14,160	15,070	16,011	16,995	17,795	18,882	21,082	21,450
Kilkenny	12,108	13,486	14,939	16,163	16,604	17,939	19,420	21,344	21,462
South Tipperary	12,238	13,895	15,775	17,003	17,766	19,049	19,828	21,804	21,905
Waterford	13,500	14,936	16,304	17,283	18,382	19,406	20,085	21,833	22,197
Wexford	12,347	14,130	15,043	16,117	16,990	18,156	19,277	21,458	21,543
South West	13,181	14,947	16,129	17,234	18,082	19,460	20,025	21,566	21,790
Cork	13,596	15,409	16,612	17,759	18,630	20,054	20,587	22,108	22,340
Kerry	11,796	13,405	14,495	15,451	16,213	17,424	18,087	19,698	19,899
State	13,989	15,894	17,050	18,214	18,952	20,166	20,928	22,331	22,615

¹Estimates are provided for Regional Authority areas and counties. The county estimates should be interpreted with caution because the underlying data are not always sufficiently robust. They should be regarded as indicative of relative levels rather than as accurate absolute figures.

Table 4 Indices of Disposable Income Per Person by Region and County, 2000 to 2008¹

Indices of Disposable Income (State = 100)									
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	89.5	88.8	89.7	90.4	91.8	91.4	90.8	91.6	91.5
Border	87.2	86.8	87.2	88.0	89.9	89.9	89.7	91.4	90.9
Cavan	86.5	86.3	86.4	87.1	89.6	90.8	91.0	93.2	93.9
Donegal	78.2	77.1	78.5	79.2	80.1	79.5	80.2	82.4	82.2
Leitrim	86.1	83.9	86.8	88.5	90.8	90.8	90.0	91.0	92.4
Louth	99.3	101.0	96.4	96.0	98.6	98.5	97.4	98.1	97.3
Monaghan	86.7	85.3	88.6	90.5	92.3	93.3	91.7	93.6	90.7
Sligo	89.6	89.1	91.4	93.5	95.3	94.8	94.9	97.4	96.4
Midland	89.0	88.5	90.5	91.7	91.9	92.0	90.6	90.8	90.4
Laois	87.3	86.1	87.7	89.4	91.3	90.8	91.2	93.2	93.0
Longford	86.9	86.2	90.3	91.5	90.1	92.3	89.8	89.4	89.0
Offaly	85.6	85.1	87.4	88.9	90.0	90.8	89.1	88.0	87.1
Westmeath	94.5	94.5	95.7	96.2	94.9	93.9	91.9	91.9	91.6
West	92.6	91.3	92.1	92.4	93.9	92.8	92.3	92.3	93.0
Galway	96.0	94.7	95.7	95.4	97.4	95.8	95.3	95.2	95.9
Mayo	88.5	87.1	87.1	88.5	89.7	88.9	87.9	88.1	89.4
Roscommon	88.2	87.3	89.0	89.1	89.2	89.7	89.6	89.8	89.6
Southern and Eastern	103.8	104.0	103.7	103.5	103.0	103.1	103.3	103.1	103.1
Dublin	116.7	117.7	115.9	115.5	113.0	112.5	112.8	110.6	112.0
Mid East	101.1	102.0	102.6	102.0	102.4	102.7	104.2	102.8	100.7
Kildare	107.4	107.9	107.3	106.1	106.8	106.4	107.3	105.0	103.2
Meath	97.0	97.7	97.6	97.4	98.7	100.5	103.0	103.0	100.8
Wicklow	96.9	98.6	101.5	101.6	100.5	100.2	101.0	99.5	96.8
Mid West	97.3	96.6	96.6	96.3	97.9	98.5	97.2	98.2	98.0
Clare	96.2	93.2	92.8	92.5	92.8	93.7	92.8	94.4	94.7
Limerick	100.2	100.3	100.0	99.6	101.8	101.9	100.3	101.4	100.7
North Tipperary	90.7	91.7	93.5	93.4	95.2	96.7	95.7	95.8	96.0
South East	90.0	89.1	90.7	90.9	91.8	91.9	93.4	96.5	96.1
Carlow	90.4	89.1	88.4	87.9	89.7	88.2	90.2	94.4	94.8
Kilkenny	86.6	84.9	87.6	88.7	87.6	89.0	92.8	95.6	94.9
South Tipperary	87.5	87.4	92.5	93.4	93.7	94.5	94.7	97.6	96.9
Waterford	96.5	94.0	95.6	94.9	97.0	96.2	96.0	97.8	98.1
Wexford	88.3	88.9	88.2	88.5	89.6	90.0	92.1	96.1	95.3
South West	94.2	94.0	94.6	94.6	95.4	96.5	95.7	96.6	96.4
Cork	97.2	96.9	97.4	97.5	98.3	99.4	98.4	99.0	98.8
Kerry	84.3	84.3	85.0	84.8	85.5	86.4	86.4	88.2	88.0
State	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

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Table 5 Estimates of Total Income Per Person by Region and County, 2000 to 2008¹

	Total Income per Person (€)								
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	15,378	17,092	18,310	19,685	20,951	22,167	22,907	24,653	24,758
Border	15,034	16,711	17,847	19,193	20,364	21,633	22,487	24,412	24,381
Cavan	14,856	16,573	17,676	19,036	20,424	21,985	22,937	25,112	25,437
Donegal	13,109	14,441	15,669	16,831	17,834	18,788	19,862	21,617	21,632
Leitrim	14,542	15,757	17,402	19,091	20,407	21,729	22,476	24,105	24,765
Louth	17,908	20,295	20,470	21,565	22,524	23,909	24,560	26,371	26,313
Monaghan	14,839	16,259	17,956	19,648	20,929	22,496	23,019	25,096	24,388
Sligo	15,337	17,052	18,673	20,404	21,959	23,159	24,090	26,370	26,198
Midland	15,413	17,226	18,601	20,065	21,110	22,458	23,027	24,599	24,604
Laois	15,190	16,783	18,097	19,682	21,091	22,293	23,283	25,430	25,404
Longford	14,579	16,277	17,959	19,455	20,527	22,389	22,664	24,065	24,200
Offaly	14,783	16,527	17,790	19,332	20,552	22,041	22,521	23,684	23,587
Westmeath	16,563	18,663	20,011	21,296	21,875	22,997	23,419	24,944	25,013
West	15,757	17,453	18,664	20,014	21,524	22,596	23,309	24,965	25,291
Galway	16,439	18,214	19,537	20,796	22,473	23,457	24,212	25,897	26,214
Mayo	14,990	16,543	17,489	19,025	20,341	21,401	21,974	23,587	24,052
Roscommon	14,809	16,481	17,835	19,108	20,346	21,751	22,567	24,194	24,265
Southern and Eastern	18,400	20,690	21,835	23,090	24,324	25,896	27,098	28,895	29,072
Dublin	21,054	23,788	24,828	26,198	27,249	28,855	30,244	31,821	32,390
Mid East	18,081	20,449	21,769	22,924	24,472	26,119	27,671	29,210	28,794
Kildare	19,507	21,900	23,016	24,006	25,621	27,120	28,537	29,906	29,554
Meath	17,267	19,541	20,706	21,981	23,489	25,521	27,341	29,151	28,818
Wicklow	17,053	19,469	21,229	22,494	24,011	25,405	26,819	28,257	27,639
Mid West	16,987	19,089	20,012	21,143	22,660	24,218	24,854	26,788	26,901
Clare	16,949	18,375	19,339	20,456	21,607	23,166	23,874	25,921	26,186
Limerick	17,535	19,921	20,722	21,845	23,613	25,111	25,685	27,671	27,622
North Tipperary	15,485	17,881	19,112	20,304	21,738	23,479	24,185	25,782	26,096
South East	15,518	17,200	18,493	19,709	20,937	22,286	23,620	26,020	26,092
Carlow	15,631	17,260	18,018	18,997	20,367	21,280	22,654	25,210	25,406
Kilkenny	14,759	16,182	17,671	19,124	20,118	21,733	23,684	26,082	26,063
South Tipperary	14,922	16,789	18,857	20,240	21,381	22,914	23,942	26,369	26,433
Waterford	17,071	18,426	19,713	20,705	22,267	23,455	24,410	26,423	26,707
Wexford	15,042	17,097	17,936	19,181	20,297	21,669	23,095	25,738	25,653
South West	16,376	18,335	19,599	20,828	22,050	23,725	24,533	26,419	26,533
Cork	17,000	18,991	20,299	21,584	22,842	24,581	25,373	27,262	27,366
Kerry	14,295	16,149	17,236	18,263	19,351	20,793	21,644	23,516	23,668
State	17,603	19,742	20,901	22,184	23,423	24,899	25,977	27,760	27,916

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Table 6 Indices of Total Income Per Person by Region and County, 2000 to 2008¹

Indices of Total Income (State =100)									
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	87.4	86.6	87.6	88.7	89.4	89.0	88.2	88.8	88.7
Border	85.4	84.6	85.4	86.5	86.9	86.9	86.6	87.9	87.3
Cavan	84.4	84.0	84.6	85.8	87.2	88.3	88.3	90.5	91.1
Donegal	74.5	73.1	75.0	75.9	76.1	75.5	76.5	77.9	77.5
Leitrim	82.6	79.8	83.3	86.1	87.1	87.3	86.5	86.8	88.7
Louth	101.7	102.8	97.9	97.2	96.2	96.0	94.5	95.0	94.3
Monaghan	84.3	82.4	85.9	88.6	89.4	90.4	88.6	90.4	87.4
Sligo	87.1	86.4	89.3	92.0	93.8	93.0	92.7	95.0	93.8
Midland	87.6	87.3	89.0	90.5	90.1	90.2	88.6	88.6	88.1
Laois	86.3	85.0	86.6	88.7	90.0	89.5	89.6	91.6	91.0
Longford	82.8	82.4	85.9	87.7	87.6	89.9	87.2	86.7	86.7
Offaly	84.0	83.7	85.1	87.1	87.7	88.5	86.7	85.3	84.5
Westmeath	94.1	94.5	95.7	96.0	93.4	92.4	90.2	89.9	89.6
West	89.5	88.4	89.3	90.2	91.9	90.7	89.7	89.9	90.6
Galway	93.4	92.3	93.5	93.7	95.9	94.2	93.2	93.3	93.9
Mayo	85.2	83.8	83.7	85.8	86.8	86.0	84.6	85.0	86.2
Roscommon	84.1	83.5	85.3	86.1	86.9	87.4	86.9	87.2	86.9
Southern and Eastern	104.5	104.8	104.5	104.1	103.8	104.0	104.3	104.1	104.1
Dublin	119.6	120.5	118.8	118.1	116.3	115.9	116.4	114.6	116.0
Mid East	102.7	103.6	104.2	103.3	104.5	104.9	106.5	105.2	103.1
Kildare	110.8	110.9	110.1	108.2	109.4	108.9	109.9	107.7	105.9
Meath	98.1	99.0	99.1	99.1	100.3	102.5	105.3	105.0	103.2
Wicklow	96.9	98.6	101.6	101.4	102.5	102.0	103.2	101.8	99.0
Mid West	96.5	96.7	95.7	95.3	96.7	97.3	95.7	96.5	96.4
Clare	96.3	93.1	92.5	92.2	92.2	93.0	91.9	93.4	93.8
Limerick	99.6	100.9	99.1	98.5	100.8	100.9	98.9	99.7	98.9
North Tipperary	88.0	90.6	91.4	91.5	92.8	94.3	93.1	92.9	93.5
South East	88.2	87.1	88.5	88.8	89.4	89.5	90.9	93.7	93.5
Carlow	88.8	87.4	86.2	85.6	87.0	85.5	87.2	90.8	91.0
Kilkenny	83.8	82.0	84.5	86.2	85.9	87.3	91.2	94.0	93.4
South Tipperary	84.8	85.0	90.2	91.2	91.3	92.0	92.2	95.0	94.7
Waterford	97.0	93.3	94.3	93.3	95.1	94.2	94.0	95.2	95.7
Wexford	85.5	86.6	85.8	86.5	86.7	87.0	88.9	92.7	91.9
South West	93.0	92.9	93.8	93.9	94.1	95.3	94.4	95.2	95.0
Cork	96.6	96.2	97.1	97.3	97.5	98.7	97.7	98.2	98.0
Kerry	81.2	81.8	82.5	82.3	82.6	83.5	83.3	84.7	84.8
State	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

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Table 7 Estimates of Disposable Income Per Person (Excluding Rent) by Region and County, 2000 to 2008¹

This table excludes rent, which is mainly imputed rent of owner occupied dwellings, from disposable income.

Disposable Income Per Person (€) (Excluding Rent)									
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	11,673	13,122	14,189	15,387	16,418	17,514	18,073	19,351	19,381
Border	11,428	12,900	13,861	15,046	16,145	17,281	17,909	19,408	19,351
Cavan	11,401	12,913	13,848	14,970	16,170	17,518	18,232	19,861	20,101
Donegal	10,292	11,492	12,529	13,580	14,428	15,311	16,059	17,530	17,568
Leitrim	11,252	12,411	13,733	15,109	16,323	17,514	18,030	19,380	19,786
Louth	12,937	14,925	15,194	16,284	17,605	18,841	19,369	20,709	20,569
Monaghan	11,437	12,766	14,187	15,553	16,646	17,997	18,339	19,905	19,306
Sligo	11,680	13,166	14,452	15,928	17,079	18,192	18,921	20,655	20,486
Midland	11,647	13,125	14,386	15,672	16,483	17,660	18,062	19,217	19,182
Laois	11,435	12,783	13,948	15,268	16,377	17,427	18,168	19,742	19,765
Longford	11,443	12,859	14,439	15,729	16,232	17,815	18,000	19,022	19,016
Offaly	11,234	12,660	13,905	15,209	16,155	17,435	17,749	18,602	18,464
Westmeath	12,297	13,953	15,147	16,391	16,970	17,990	18,278	19,408	19,401
West	11,971	13,376	14,445	15,603	16,689	17,689	18,265	19,367	19,541
Galway	12,289	13,722	14,847	15,959	17,188	18,136	18,768	19,848	19,986
Mayo	11,599	12,942	13,849	15,124	16,099	17,076	17,513	18,642	18,970
Roscommon	11,563	12,980	14,186	15,246	16,001	17,234	17,864	18,998	18,987
Southern and Eastern	13,353	15,166	16,132	17,329	18,153	19,528	20,352	21,505	21,506
Dublin	14,819	16,933	17,728	19,072	19,658	21,071	21,988	22,777	23,007
Mid East	13,033	14,920	16,026	17,139	18,096	19,487	20,551	21,522	21,073
Kildare	13,866	15,806	16,779	17,826	18,874	20,160	21,143	21,936	21,553
Meath	12,533	14,322	15,287	16,405	17,492	19,143	20,418	21,671	21,251
Wicklow	12,460	14,369	15,813	17,027	17,707	18,933	19,848	20,718	20,137
Mid West	12,713	14,314	15,296	16,396	17,512	18,894	19,366	20,773	20,780
Clare	12,604	13,827	14,730	15,781	16,611	17,983	18,486	19,964	20,095
Limerick	13,050	14,809	15,758	16,896	18,188	19,534	19,977	21,421	21,313
North Tipperary	11,931	13,694	14,929	16,006	17,123	18,630	19,140	20,326	20,449
South East	11,784	13,220	14,408	15,502	16,426	17,621	18,614	20,450	20,436
Carlow	11,775	13,144	13,945	14,893	15,976	16,836	17,904	19,933	20,086
Kilkenny	11,314	12,563	13,885	15,106	15,630	17,013	18,466	20,227	20,137
South Tipperary	11,499	13,040	14,788	16,016	16,860	18,188	18,938	20,766	20,673
Waterford	12,647	13,946	15,180	16,183	17,392	18,483	19,150	20,737	20,897
Wexford	11,552	13,198	14,019	15,085	16,037	17,248	18,341	20,362	20,242
South West	12,233	13,834	14,869	15,987	16,947	18,393	18,935	20,272	20,241
Cork	12,592	14,226	15,274	16,438	17,430	18,929	19,441	20,747	20,710
Kerry	11,038	12,527	13,502	14,457	15,300	16,557	17,192	18,638	18,629
State	12,909	14,628	15,617	16,812	17,690	18,990	19,742	20,929	20,936

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Table 8 Indices of Disposable Income Per Person (Excluding Rent) by Region and County, 2000 to 2008¹

This table excludes rent, which is mainly imputed rent of owner occupied dwellings, from disposable income.

	Indices of Disposable Income Per Person (Excluding Rent)					(State =100)				
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	
Border, Midland and Western	90.4	89.7	90.9	91.5	92.8	92.2	91.5	92.5	92.6	
Border	88.5	88.2	88.8	89.5	91.3	91.0	90.7	92.7	92.4	
Cavan	88.3	88.3	88.7	89.0	91.4	92.3	92.4	94.9	96.0	
Donegal	79.7	78.6	80.2	80.8	81.6	80.6	81.3	83.8	83.9	
Leitrim	87.2	84.8	87.9	89.9	92.3	92.2	91.3	92.6	94.5	
Louth	100.2	102.0	97.3	96.9	99.5	99.2	98.1	98.9	98.2	
Monaghan	88.6	87.3	90.8	92.5	94.1	94.8	92.9	95.1	92.2	
Sligo	90.5	90.0	92.5	94.7	96.6	95.8	95.8	98.7	97.8	
Midland	90.2	89.7	92.1	93.2	93.2	93.0	91.5	91.8	91.6	
Laois	88.6	87.4	89.3	90.8	92.6	91.8	92.0	94.3	94.4	
Longford	88.6	87.9	92.5	93.6	91.8	93.8	91.2	90.9	90.8	
Offaly	87.0	86.5	89.0	90.5	91.3	91.8	89.9	88.9	88.2	
Westmeath	95.3	95.4	97.0	97.5	95.9	94.7	92.6	92.7	92.7	
West	92.7	91.4	92.5	92.8	94.3	93.2	92.5	92.5	93.3	
Galway	95.2	93.8	95.1	94.9	97.2	95.5	95.1	94.8	95.5	
Mayo	89.8	88.5	88.7	90.0	91.0	89.9	88.7	89.1	90.6	
Roscommon	89.6	88.7	90.8	90.7	90.5	90.8	90.5	90.8	90.7	
Southern and Eastern	103.4	103.7	103.3	103.1	102.6	102.8	103.1	102.8	102.7	
Dublin	114.8	115.8	113.5	113.4	111.1	111.0	111.4	108.8	109.9	
Mid East	101.0	102.0	102.6	101.9	102.3	102.6	104.1	102.8	100.7	
Kildare	107.4	108.1	107.4	106.0	106.7	106.2	107.1	104.8	102.9	
Meath	97.1	97.9	97.9	97.6	98.9	100.8	103.4	103.5	101.5	
Wicklow	96.5	98.2	101.3	101.3	100.1	99.7	100.5	99.0	96.2	
Mid West	98.5	97.9	97.9	97.5	99.0	99.5	98.1	99.3	99.3	
Clare	97.6	94.5	94.3	93.9	93.9	94.7	93.6	95.4	96.0	
Limerick	101.1	101.2	100.9	100.5	102.8	102.9	101.2	102.4	101.8	
North Tipperary	92.4	93.6	95.6	95.2	96.8	98.1	96.9	97.1	97.7	
South East	91.3	90.4	92.3	92.2	92.9	92.8	94.3	97.7	97.6	
Carlow	91.2	89.9	89.3	88.6	90.3	88.7	90.7	95.2	95.9	
Kilkenny	87.6	85.9	88.9	89.9	88.4	89.6	93.5	96.6	96.2	
South Tipperary	89.1	89.1	94.7	95.3	95.3	95.8	95.9	99.2	98.7	
Waterford	98.0	95.3	97.2	96.3	98.3	97.3	97.0	99.1	99.8	
Wexford	89.5	90.2	89.8	89.7	90.7	90.8	92.9	97.3	96.7	
South West	94.8	94.6	95.2	95.1	95.8	96.9	95.9	96.9	96.7	
Cork	97.5	97.3	97.8	97.8	98.5	99.7	98.5	99.1	98.9	
Kerry	85.5	85.6	86.5	86.0	86.5	87.2	87.1	89.1	89.0	
State	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	

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Table 9 GVA per person at Basic Prices, 2000 to 2008 €

Region	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	17,333	19,209	20,155	21,546	23,338	24,367	25,613	26,476	25,337
Border	16,441	18,349	20,512	22,116	23,340	24,281	25,875	26,679	25,492
Midland	15,575	17,858	18,591	20,569	21,826	23,392	24,801	25,199	23,881
West	19,416	21,010	20,675	21,481	24,243	25,045	25,811	27,035	26,070
Southern and Eastern	27,252	30,353	33,529	35,212	36,355	38,344	40,479	42,668	40,217
Dublin	32,791	36,454	39,253	42,685	45,535	49,214	52,021	54,510	52,649
Mid East	20,614	23,786	24,792	24,138	25,258	27,492	28,946	30,228	27,814
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	29,605	33,087	35,367	37,613	39,905	43,078	45,423	47,447	45,273
Mid West	22,806	23,236	24,443	27,825	29,952	31,112	32,056	33,053	30,367
South East	20,502	23,377	26,355	26,679	26,333	25,575	26,577	28,632	27,023
South West	28,545	32,389	39,222	39,386	37,994	39,378	42,457	45,843	42,300
State	24,636	27,416	29,985	31,576	32,879	34,608	36,502	38,336	36,228

Table 10 Indices of GVA per person at Basic Prices, 2000 to 2008 (State = 100)

Region	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	70.4	70.1	67.2	68.2	71.0	70.4	70.2	69.1	69.9
Border	66.7	66.9	68.4	70.0	71.0	70.2	70.9	69.6	70.4
Midland	63.2	65.1	62.0	65.1	66.4	67.6	67.9	65.7	65.9
West	78.8	76.6	69.0	68.0	73.7	72.4	70.7	70.5	72.0
Southern and Eastern	110.6	110.7	111.8	111.5	110.6	110.8	110.9	111.3	111.0
Dublin	133.1	133.0	130.9	135.2	138.5	142.2	142.5	142.2	145.3
Mid East	83.7	86.8	82.7	76.4	76.8	79.4	79.3	78.9	76.8
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	120.2	120.7	117.9	119.1	121.4	124.5	124.4	123.8	125.0
Mid West	92.6	84.8	81.5	88.1	91.1	89.9	87.8	86.2	83.8
South East	83.2	85.3	87.9	84.5	80.1	73.9	72.8	74.7	74.6
South West	115.9	118.1	130.8	124.7	115.6	113.8	116.3	119.6	116.8
State	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

Table 11 Indices of GVA per person at Basic Prices, 2000 to 2008 (EU27 = 100)

Region	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	92.2	92.5	92.8	96.2	100.8	101.4	101.7	101.5	93.0
Border	87.4	88.3	94.4	98.8	100.8	101.0	102.8	102.3	93.6
Midland	82.8	86.0	85.6	91.9	94.3	97.3	98.5	96.6	87.7
West	103.2	101.2	95.2	95.9	104.7	104.2	102.5	103.7	95.7
Southern and Eastern	144.9	146.1	154.3	157.2	157.0	159.5	160.8	163.6	147.6
Dublin	174.4	175.5	180.7	190.6	196.7	204.8	206.6	209.0	193.3
Mid East	109.6	114.5	114.1	107.8	109.1	114.4	115.0	115.9	102.1
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	157.4	159.3	162.8	168.0	172.3	179.2	180.4	181.9	166.2
Mid West	121.3	111.9	112.5	124.3	129.4	129.5	127.3	126.7	111.5
South East	109.0	112.6	121.3	119.1	113.7	106.4	105.6	109.8	99.2
South West	151.8	155.9	180.5	175.9	164.1	163.8	168.7	175.8	155.3
State	131.0	132.0	138.0	141.0	142.0	144.0	145.0	147.0	133.0

Table 12 GVA at Basic Prices, population and persons at work for each region, 2007

Region	GVA (€m)	Population (000)	Persons at work (000)	GVA %	Population %	Persons at work (%)
Border, Midland and Western	30,736	1,161	545	18.5	26.8	25.8
Border	12,841	481	221	7.7	11.1	10.5
Midland	6,557	260	123	3.9	6.0	5.8
West	11,338	419	201	6.8	9.7	9.5
Southern and Eastern	135,606	3,178	1,569	81.5	73.2	74.2
Dublin	65,973	1,210	616	39.7	27.9	29.1
Mid East	15,008	497	251	9.0	11.4	11.9
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>80,982</i>	<i>1,707</i>	<i>867</i>	<i>48.7</i>	<i>39.3</i>	<i>41.0</i>
Mid West	12,058	365	174	7.2	8.4	8.2
South East	13,580	474	223	8.2	10.9	10.6
South West	28,986	632	305	17.4	14.6	14.4
State	166,342	4,339	2,114	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table 13 GVA at Basic Prices, population and persons at work for each region, 2008

Region	GVA (€m)	Population (000)	Persons at work (000)	GVA %	Population %	Persons at work (%)
Border, Midland and Western	30,035	1,185	541	18.7	26.8	25.6
Border	12,555	493	216	7.8	11.1	10.2
Midland	6,371	267	120	4.0	6.0	5.7
West	11,109	426	205	6.9	9.6	9.7
Southern and Eastern	130,167	3,237	1,572	81.3	73.2	74.4
Dublin	64,116	1,218	617	40.0	27.5	29.2
Mid East	14,310	515	254	8.9	11.6	12.0
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>78,426</i>	<i>1,732</i>	<i>871</i>	<i>49.0</i>	<i>39.2</i>	<i>41.2</i>
Mid West	11,293	372	173	7.0	8.4	8.2
South East	13,182	488	225	8.2	11.0	10.7
South West	27,266	645	303	17.0	14.6	14.3
State	160,202	4,422	2,113	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table 14 Total GVA of each region at Factor Cost, Basic Prices and Market Prices, 2008 €m

Region	GVA at Factor Cost	Other Taxes	Other Subsidies	GVA at Basic Prices	Product Taxes	Product Subsidies	GVA at Market Prices
Border, Midland and Western	30,413	366	-744	30,035	3,880	-171	33,744
Border	12,656	174	-278	12,555	1,622	-71	14,105
Midland	6,464	76	-168	6,371	823	-36	7,158
West	11,293	116	-298	11,109	1,435	-63	12,481
Southern and Eastern	129,527	1,723	-1,082	130,167	16,818	-739	146,246
Dublin	63,386	839	-109	64,116	8,283	-364	72,035
Mid East	14,279	173	-143	14,310	1,849	-81	16,078
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>77,665</i>	<i>1,012</i>	<i>-251</i>	<i>78,426</i>	<i>10,132</i>	<i>-445</i>	<i>88,112</i>
Mid West	11,361	144	-212	11,293	1,459	-64	12,688
South East	13,293	185	-298	13,182	1,703	-75	14,810
South West	27,207	381	-321	27,266	3,523	-155	30,634
State	159,940	2,088	-1,826	160,202	20,697	-910	179,989

Table 15 GVA at Basic Prices classified by region and branch, 2007 and 2008

€ million

Region	Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing		Manufacturing, Building and Construction		Market and Non Market Services		Total GVA ¹	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	709	630	10,735	9,629	19,267	19,698	30,736	30,034
Border	354	302	4,668	4,305	7,808	7,912	12,841	12,552
Midland	148	128	2,143	1,843	4,261	4,384	6,557	6,371
West	207	200	3,924	3,481	7,199	7,401	11,338	11,110
Southern and Eastern	1,672	1,454	45,257	40,726	88,567	87,652	135,606	130,168
Dublin	86	80	14,257	13,358	51,576	50,514	65,973	64,116
Mid East	245	201	6,278	5,651	8,473	8,422	15,008	14,310
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	331	280	20,536	19,008	60,049	58,935	80,982	78,426
Mid West	267	216	4,711	4,047	7,071	7,002	12,058	11,293
South East	500	446	5,085	4,577	7,985	8,124	13,580	13,181
South West	574	511	14,926	13,095	13,463	13,591	28,986	27,267
State	2,381	2,084	55,992	50,355	107,834	107,350	166,342	160,202

Table 16 Percentage share of GVA at Basic Prices produced by each branch within each region, 2007 and 2008

Region	Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing		Manufacturing, Building and Construction		Market and Non Market Services		Total GVA	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	2.3	2.1	35.0	32.1	62.7	65.8	100	100
Border	2.8	2.4	36.4	34.4	60.9	63.2	100	100
Midland	2.3	2.0	32.7	29.0	65.0	69.0	100	100
West	1.8	1.8	34.6	31.4	63.5	66.8	100	100
Southern and Eastern	1.2	1.1	33.4	31.4	65.4	67.5	100	100
Dublin	0.1	0.1	21.6	20.9	78.2	79.0	100	100
Mid East	1.6	1.4	41.9	39.6	56.5	59.0	100	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	0.4	0.4	25.4	24.3	74.2	75.3	100	100
Mid West	2.2	1.9	39.1	35.9	58.7	62.2	100	100
South East	3.7	3.4	37.5	34.8	58.8	61.8	100	100
South West	2.0	1.9	51.5	48.1	46.5	50.0	100	100
State	1.4	1.3	33.7	31.5	64.9	67.2	100	100

Table 17 Percentage share of GVA at Basic Prices of each branch produced by each region, 2007 and 2008

Region	Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing		Manufacturing, Building and Construction		Market and Non Market Services		Total GVA	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	29.8	30.2	19.2	19.1	17.9	18.3	18.5	18.7
Border	14.9	14.5	8.3	8.5	7.2	7.4	7.7	7.8
Midland	6.2	6.1	3.8	3.7	4.0	4.1	3.9	4.0
West	8.7	9.6	7.0	6.9	6.7	6.9	6.8	6.9
Southern and Eastern	70.2	69.8	80.8	80.9	82.1	81.7	81.5	81.3
Dublin	3.6	3.8	25.5	26.5	47.8	47.1	39.7	40.0
Mid East	10.3	9.6	11.2	11.2	7.9	7.8	9.0	8.9
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	13.9	13.5	36.7	37.7	55.7	54.9	48.7	49.0
Mid West	11.2	10.4	8.4	8.0	6.6	6.5	7.2	7.0
South East	21.0	21.4	9.1	9.1	7.4	7.6	8.2	8.2
South West	24.1	24.5	26.7	26.0	12.5	12.7	17.4	17.0
State	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

¹Total GVA does not equal the sum of the three sectors shown due to the effect of the Statistical Discrepancy (€136m in 2007 and '€412m in 2008 at State level) - see Background Notes.

Table 15a GVA at Factor Cost¹ classified by region and branch, 2007 and 2008

€ million

Region	Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing		Manufacturing, Building and Construction		Market and Non Market Services		Total GVA ²	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	1,428	1,337	10,630	9,523	19,062	19,475	31,144	30,413
Border	619	565	4,613	4,236	7,723	7,823	12,965	12,656
Midland	311	288	2,127	1,825	4,217	4,335	6,661	6,464
West	498	485	3,890	3,462	7,122	7,318	11,519	11,293
Southern and Eastern	2,560	2,353	44,786	40,206	87,633	86,633	135,090	129,527
Dublin	95	90	14,060	13,141	51,094	49,990	65,304	63,386
Mid East	372	325	6,242	5,604	8,371	8,313	14,997	14,279
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	467	415	20,302	18,745	59,466	58,303	80,301	77,665
Mid West	459	411	4,679	4,012	6,984	6,909	12,132	11,361
South East	770	724	5,033	4,526	7,884	8,010	13,699	13,293
South West	864	803	14,771	12,923	13,299	13,411	28,958	27,207
State	3,987	3,690	55,416	49,729	106,695	106,108	166,234	159,940

Table 16a Percentage share of GVA at Factor Cost¹ produced by each branch within each region, 2007 and 2008

Region	Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing		Manufacturing, Building and Construction		Market and Non Market Services		Total GVA	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	4.6	4.4	34.2	31.4	61.3	64.2	100	100
Border	4.8	4.5	35.6	33.6	59.6	62.0	100	100
Midland	4.7	4.5	32.0	28.3	63.4	67.2	100	100
West	4.3	4.3	33.8	30.7	61.9	65.0	100	100
Southern and Eastern	1.9	1.8	33.2	31.1	64.9	67.1	100	100
Dublin	0.1	0.1	21.5	20.8	78.3	79.1	100	100
Mid East	2.5	2.3	41.7	39.3	55.9	58.4	100	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	0.6	0.5	25.3	24.2	74.1	75.3	100	100
Mid West	3.8	3.6	38.6	35.4	57.6	61.0	100	100
South East	5.6	5.5	36.8	34.1	57.6	60.4	100	100
South West	3.0	3.0	51.1	47.6	46.0	49.4	100	100
State	2.4	2.3	33.4	31.2	64.2	66.5	100	100

Table 17a Percentage share of GVA at Factor Cost¹ of each branch produced by each region, 2007 and 2008

Region	Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing		Manufacturing, Building and Construction		Market and Non Market Services		Total GVA	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
Border, Midland and Western	35.8	36.2	19.2	19.1	17.9	18.4	18.7	19.0
Border	15.5	15.3	8.3	8.5	7.2	7.4	7.8	7.9
Midland	7.8	7.8	3.8	3.7	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.0
West	12.5	13.1	7.0	7.0	6.7	6.9	6.9	7.1
Southern and Eastern	64.2	63.8	80.8	80.9	82.1	81.6	81.3	81.0
Dublin	2.4	2.4	25.4	26.4	47.9	47.1	39.3	39.6
Mid East	9.3	8.8	11.3	11.3	7.8	7.8	9.0	8.9
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	11.7	11.3	36.6	37.7	55.7	54.9	48.3	48.6
Mid West	11.5	11.1	8.4	8.1	6.5	6.5	7.3	7.1
South East	19.3	19.6	9.1	9.1	7.4	7.5	8.2	8.3
South West	21.7	21.8	26.7	26.0	12.5	12.6	17.4	17.0
State	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

¹The relationship between GVA at Factor Cost, Basic Prices and Market Prices can be seen in Table 14.

²Total GVA does not equal the sum of the three sectors shown due to the effect of the Statistical Discrepancy (€136m in 2007 and €412m in 2008 at State level) - see Background Notes.

Table 18 GVA at Basic Prices (€m & %) classified by region and branch, 2000 to 2003

Region	Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing		Manufacturing, Building and Construction		Market and Non Market Services		Total GVA ¹	
	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%
2000								
Border, Midland and Western	1,116	6.4	7,076	40.8	9,165	52.8	17,324	100
Border	484	7.0	2,769	40.0	3,673	53.0	6,913	100
Midland	242	7.2	1,165	34.5	1,970	58.3	3,371	100
West	390	5.5	3,141	44.5	3,522	49.9	7,040	100
Southern and Eastern	1,833	2.4	32,027	42.0	42,315	55.5	76,034	100
Dublin	92	0.3	10,911	30.3	25,046	69.5	35,981	100
Mid East	288	3.6	4,204	52.3	3,540	44.1	8,018	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>380</i>	<i>0.9</i>	<i>15,115</i>	<i>34.3</i>	<i>28,586</i>	<i>64.8</i>	<i>43,999</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	328	4.3	3,624	48.0	3,591	47.6	7,528	100
South East	520	6.2	4,144	49.4	3,729	44.4	8,377	100
South West	606	3.7	9,144	56.6	6,409	39.7	16,129	100
State	2,949	3.2	39,103	41.8	51,480	55.0	93,358	100
2001								
Border, Midland and Western	1,037	5.4	7,798	40.3	10,531	54.4	19,479	100
Border	471	6.1	3,060	39.5	4,223	54.5	7,798	100
Midland	216	5.5	1,469	37.5	2,229	56.9	3,937	100
West	351	4.6	3,270	42.5	4,079	53.0	7,744	100
Southern and Eastern	1,902	2.2	35,327	41.3	48,272	56.5	85,996	100
Dublin	94	0.2	11,448	28.5	28,623	71.3	40,397	100
Mid East	300	3.2	5,104	53.8	4,083	43.0	9,542	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>393</i>	<i>0.8</i>	<i>16,552</i>	<i>33.3</i>	<i>32,706</i>	<i>65.9</i>	<i>49,939</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	321	4.1	3,376	43.6	4,048	52.3	7,790	100
South East	536	5.5	4,877	50.4	4,266	44.1	9,735	100
South West	651	3.5	10,522	57.1	7,252	39.4	18,532	100
State	2,939	2.8	43,126	41.1	58,803	56.1	105,474	100
2002								
Border, Midland and Western	995	4.8	7,819	37.9	11,840	57.3	20,925	100
Border	445	5.1	3,563	40.7	4,750	54.2	8,872	100
Midland	219	5.3	1,388	33.6	2,529	61.1	4,190	100
West	331	4.3	2,868	37.0	4,562	58.8	7,863	100
Southern and Eastern	1,754	1.8	40,565	42.6	52,967	55.6	96,531	100
Dublin	90	0.2	12,213	28.1	31,203	71.7	44,074	100
Mid East	287	2.8	5,256	52.0	4,555	45.1	10,230	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>376</i>	<i>0.7</i>	<i>17,468</i>	<i>32.6</i>	<i>35,759</i>	<i>66.7</i>	<i>54,303</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	300	3.7	3,417	41.7	4,477	54.6	8,301	100
South East	503	4.6	5,742	52.1	4,775	43.3	11,164	100
South West	575	2.6	13,938	62.0	7,957	35.4	22,763	100
State	2,749	2.4	48,384	41.7	64,808	55.9	117,456	100
2003								
Border, Midland and Western	991	4.4	7,824	34.8	13,665	60.8	22,817	100
Border	442	4.6	3,634	37.9	5,501	57.4	9,722	100
Midland	222	4.8	1,534	32.9	2,912	62.4	4,738	100
West	326	4.0	2,656	32.3	5,252	63.8	8,357	100
Southern and Eastern	1,786	1.8	39,691	39.2	59,852	59.1	102,849	100
Dublin	87	0.2	12,058	25.3	35,510	74.5	48,370	100
Mid East	293	2.9	4,744	46.8	5,106	50.3	10,295	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>381</i>	<i>0.7</i>	<i>16,802</i>	<i>29.1</i>	<i>40,616</i>	<i>70.3</i>	<i>58,665</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	294	3.1	4,123	43.9	4,967	52.9	9,526	100
South East	519	4.6	5,385	47.6	5,409	47.8	11,483	100
South West	592	2.6	13,381	58.6	8,860	38.8	23,175	100
State	2,776	2.2	47,515	38.4	73,517	59.4	125,666	100

¹Total GVA does not equal the sum of the three sectors shown due to the effect of the Statistical Discrepancy - see Background Notes.

Table 18 GVA at Basic Prices (€m & %) classified by region and branch, 2004 to 2006

Region	Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing		Manufacturing, Building and Construction		Market and Non Market Services		Total GVA ¹	
2004								
	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%
Border, Midland and Western	1,020	4.1	8,756	35.2	15,066	60.6	25,212	100
Border	432	4.2	3,817	36.9	6,095	58.9	10,498	100
Midland	248	4.9	1,623	31.9	3,214	63.2	5,160	100
West	340	3.6	3,316	35.2	5,757	61.2	9,553	100
Southern and Eastern	1,857	1.7	38,867	36.6	65,489	61.7	107,791	100
Dublin	87	0.2	12,781	24.9	38,497	74.9	52,129	100
Mid East	303	2.8	4,914	44.9	5,734	52.4	11,114	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>391</i>	<i>0.6</i>	<i>17,696</i>	<i>28.4</i>	<i>44,231</i>	<i>71.0</i>	<i>63,243</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	323	3.2	4,462	43.7	5,416	53.1	10,352	100
South East	551	4.8	4,974	43.8	5,841	51.4	11,535	100
South West	593	2.7	11,736	52.6	10,001	44.8	22,661	100
State	2,877	2.2	47,623	36.3	80,555	61.5	133,002	100
2005								
	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%
Border, Midland and Western	787	2.9	9,685	36.2	16,282	60.9	26,925	100
Border	359	3.3	4,158	37.7	6,523	59.1	11,110	100
Midland	168	3.0	1,890	33.6	3,564	63.4	5,658	100
West	260	2.6	3,638	36.0	6,195	61.4	10,157	100
Southern and Eastern	1,495	1.3	40,076	34.7	73,829	64.0	116,139	100
Dublin	76	0.1	13,216	23.3	43,463	76.6	57,119	100
Mid East	230	1.8	5,678	45.5	6,572	52.7	12,560	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>306</i>	<i>0.4</i>	<i>18,894</i>	<i>27.3</i>	<i>50,035</i>	<i>72.3</i>	<i>69,678</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	284	2.6	4,681	42.9	5,951	54.5	10,986	100
South East	408	3.6	4,580	40.1	6,423	56.3	11,484	100
South West	497	2.1	11,921	50.0	11,420	47.9	23,990	100
State	2,282	1.6	49,761	35.0	90,110	63.4	143,064	100
2006								
	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%
Border, Midland and Western	653	2.2	10,725	36.7	17,849	61.1	29,054	100
Border	316	2.6	4,703	38.6	7,172	58.8	12,119	100
Midland	141	2.2	2,214	35.3	3,924	62.5	6,242	100
West	196	1.8	3,807	35.4	6,753	62.8	10,693	100
Southern and Eastern	1,364	1.1	42,848	33.9	82,246	65.0	125,710	100
Dublin	78	0.1	13,827	22.3	48,220	77.6	61,758	100
Mid East	218	1.6	6,107	44.1	7,517	54.3	13,760	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>296</i>	<i>0.4</i>	<i>19,934</i>	<i>26.2</i>	<i>55,737</i>	<i>73.4</i>	<i>75,518</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	248	2.1	4,829	41.5	6,566	56.4	11,573	100
South East	394	3.2	4,642	37.7	7,284	59.1	12,248	100
South West	426	1.6	13,443	50.7	12,660	47.7	26,371	100
State	2,017	1.3	53,572	34.4	100,095	64.3	154,764	100

¹Total GVA does not equal the sum of the three sectors shown due to the effect of the Statistical Discrepancy - see Background Notes.

Table 18a GVA at Factor Cost (€m & %) classified by region and branch, 2000 to 2003

Region	Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing		Manufacturing, Building and Construction		Market and Non Market Services		Total GVA ¹	
	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%
2000								
Border, Midland and Western	1,329	7.6	7,015	40.2	9,086	52.1	17,398	100
Border	564	8.1	2,730	39.4	3,641	52.5	6,922	100
Midland	281	8.3	1,152	34.0	1,953	57.7	3,380	100
West	484	6.8	3,132	44.1	3,492	49.1	7,095	100
Southern and Eastern	2,004	2.6	31,844	42.0	41,973	55.4	75,678	100
Dublin	93	0.3	10,807	30.2	24,866	69.5	35,700	100
Mid East	310	3.9	4,192	52.3	3,509	43.8	7,996	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>404</i>	<i>0.9</i>	<i>14,999</i>	<i>34.3</i>	<i>28,375</i>	<i>64.8</i>	<i>43,695</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	375	5.0	3,613	47.9	3,558	47.2	7,533	100
South East	563	6.7	4,130	49.3	3,692	44.0	8,369	100
South West	662	4.1	9,102	56.5	6,347	39.4	16,081	100
State	3,333	3.6	38,859	41.7	51,059	54.8	93,076	100
2001								
Border, Midland and Western	1,274	6.6	7,731	39.8	10,425	53.7	19,542	100
Border	567	7.3	3,018	38.9	4,179	53.8	7,809	100
Midland	258	6.6	1,450	37.0	2,207	56.4	3,938	100
West	448	5.8	3,263	42.1	4,038	52.1	7,794	100
Southern and Eastern	2,101	2.5	35,115	41.3	47,825	56.2	85,536	100
Dublin	96	0.2	11,318	28.4	28,387	71.3	40,033	100
Mid East	324	3.4	5,091	53.8	4,042	42.7	9,511	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>420</i>	<i>0.9</i>	<i>16,409</i>	<i>33.3</i>	<i>32,428</i>	<i>65.8</i>	<i>49,544</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	372	4.8	3,363	43.4	4,007	51.8	7,787	100
South East	584	6.0	4,860	50.3	4,218	43.7	9,718	100
South West	725	3.9	10,483	57.0	7,173	39.0	18,487	100
State	3,375	3.2	42,846	41.0	58,251	55.8	105,078	100
2002								
Border, Midland and Western	1,260	6.1	7,744	37.4	11,711	56.5	20,985	100
Border	548	6.3	3,520	40.2	4,697	53.6	8,879	100
Midland	265	6.4	1,366	33.1	2,502	60.5	4,187	100
West	448	5.7	2,857	36.5	4,513	57.7	7,919	100
Southern and Eastern	1,970	2.1	40,316	42.6	52,430	55.4	95,961	100
Dublin	92	0.2	12,076	28.0	30,918	71.8	43,653	100
Mid East	312	3.1	5,238	52.1	4,505	44.8	10,188	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>404</i>	<i>0.8</i>	<i>17,314</i>	<i>32.6</i>	<i>35,423</i>	<i>66.7</i>	<i>53,841</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	356	4.4	3,400	41.6	4,427	54.1	8,291	100
South East	552	5.0	5,717	52.0	4,717	42.9	11,131	100
South West	658	2.9	13,885	62.0	7,863	35.1	22,699	100
State	3,231	2.8	48,060	41.6	64,141	55.6	116,946	100
2003								
Border, Midland and Western	1,263	5.6	7,725	34.3	13,515	60.1	22,840	100
Border	548	5.7	3,582	37.4	5,440	56.8	9,714	100
Midland	270	5.8	1,506	32.3	2,881	61.9	4,726	100
West	445	5.4	2,638	31.9	5,194	62.8	8,401	100
Southern and Eastern	2,006	2.0	39,417	39.2	59,231	58.8	102,174	100
Dublin	89	0.2	11,911	25.2	35,180	74.6	47,895	100
Mid East	321	3.2	4,724	46.8	5,049	50.0	10,245	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>410</i>	<i>0.7</i>	<i>16,635</i>	<i>29.0</i>	<i>40,229</i>	<i>70.2</i>	<i>58,140</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	353	3.8	4,105	43.8	4,910	52.4	9,508	100
South East	571	5.1	5,350	47.5	5,341	47.4	11,432	100
South West	672	3.0	13,327	58.6	8,752	38.5	23,093	100
State	3,269	2.7	47,142	38.3	72,746	59.1	125,014	100

¹Total GVA does not equal the sum of the three sectors shown due to the effect of the Statistical Discrepancy - see Background Notes.

Table 18a GVA at Factor Cost (€m & %) classified by region and branch, 2004 to 2006

Region	Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing		Manufacturing, Building and Construction		Market and Non Market Services		Total GVA ¹	
2004								
	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%
Border, Midland and Western	1,309	5.3	8,653	34.8	14,894	59.9	25,225	100
Border	546	5.3	3,762	36.4	6,024	58.3	10,486	100
Midland	297	5.9	1,602	31.6	3,178	62.6	5,153	100
West	466	4.9	3,289	34.8	5,692	60.3	9,586	100
Southern and Eastern	2,084	2.0	38,550	36.6	64,780	61.5	106,991	100
Dublin	89	0.2	12,631	24.8	38,120	75.0	51,602	100
Mid East	329	3.0	4,892	44.9	5,666	52.0	11,050	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>418</i>	<i>0.7</i>	<i>17,523</i>	<i>28.4</i>	<i>43,786</i>	<i>70.9</i>	<i>62,652</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	384	3.8	4,448	43.7	5,348	52.5	10,332	100
South East	604	5.3	4,926	43.6	5,765	51.0	11,464	100
South West	677	3.0	11,653	52.5	9,881	44.5	22,542	100
State	3,393	2.6	47,203	36.2	79,674	61.2	132,216	100
2005								
	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%
Border, Midland and Western	1,519	5.6	9,571	35.2	16,096	59.2	27,357	100
Border	624	5.6	4,078	36.6	6,447	57.8	11,220	100
Midland	332	5.8	1,878	32.8	3,523	61.4	5,770	100
West	562	5.5	3,614	35.1	6,126	59.5	10,367	100
Southern and Eastern	2,324	2.0	39,713	34.5	73,055	63.5	115,832	100
Dublin	84	0.2	13,037	23.2	43,055	76.6	56,540	100
Mid East	351	2.8	5,654	45.2	6,494	52.0	12,579	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>436</i>	<i>0.6</i>	<i>18,691</i>	<i>27.2</i>	<i>49,549</i>	<i>72.1</i>	<i>69,119</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	477	4.3	4,661	42.3	5,881	53.4	11,088	100
South East	649	5.6	4,533	39.3	6,342	55.0	11,597	100
South West	763	3.2	11,829	49.5	11,283	47.3	24,028	100
State	3,843	2.7	49,284	34.6	89,152	62.7	143,189	100
2006								
	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%	€m	%
Border, Midland and Western	1,386	4.7	10,587	35.7	17,645	59.6	29,446	100
Border	590	4.8	4,609	37.5	7,089	57.7	12,216	100
Midland	304	4.8	2,200	34.5	3,879	60.8	6,345	100
West	493	4.5	3,778	34.5	6,677	61.0	10,885	100
Southern and Eastern	2,243	1.8	42,449	33.7	81,370	64.5	125,315	100
Dublin	87	0.1	13,673	22.2	47,761	77.6	61,154	100
Mid East	344	2.5	6,079	43.9	7,426	53.6	13,767	100
<i>Dublin plus Mid East</i>	<i>431</i>	<i>0.6</i>	<i>19,751</i>	<i>26.2</i>	<i>55,187</i>	<i>73.2</i>	<i>74,920</i>	<i>100</i>
Mid West	443	3.8	4,808	41.0	6,485	55.3	11,668	100
South East	653	5.3	4,595	36.9	7,190	57.8	12,365	100
South West	715	2.7	13,296	50.1	12,507	47.2	26,361	100
State	3,629	2.3	53,036	34.1	99,015	63.6	154,760	100

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Background Notes

Introduction Household income data were first published in 2000 (Household Incomes Regions and Counties 1991-1997 – Pn 8218) and the publication included a detailed description of the methodology used to estimate the regional values of the income components. Since then, results have been issued on an annual basis.

Regional accounts were first published in 1996 (Regional Accounts 1991 – Pn 3232). They were in respect of 1991 and a full description of the methodology used was included. A further set of accounts in respect of 1993 was published in 1997 with some additional methodological details. Results have been published annually since.

Revisions Revisions to national accounts data published in National Income and Expenditure 2009 have been carried through into these tables, as is the usual practice.

Household Income

Primary Income Household *Primary Income* is defined for National Income purposes as follows:

Compensation of employees
(*i.e. Wages and Salaries, Benefits in kind, Employers' social insurance contributions*)

plus

Income of self-employed

plus

Rent of dwellings
(*including imputed rent of owner-occupied dwellings*)

plus

Net interest and dividends

The last component is a net item, which implies that payments by households of interest are deducted in deriving primary income.

Total Income Total income is defined as:

Primary income

plus

Social benefits

plus

Other current transfers

Disposable Income Disposable income is defined as follows:

Total income

minus

Current taxes on income
(*i.e. Income taxes, other current taxes*)

minus

Social insurance contributions
(*i.e. Employers', employees', self-employed, etc.*)

National Income

The estimates for the State for the different components of household income have already been published in the National Income and Expenditure Report 2009 (NIE 2009). The *other current transfer payments* to and from households are included in this household income report on a net basis with *social benefits*.

Item	2008 Value €m	Source (NIE 2009)
Primary Income		
Income of self-employed	12,654	Items 1 and 5, Table 1
Rent of private dwellings (incl. imputed rent)	7,426	Row 11, Table 12
Remuneration of employees	79,283	Items 2, 3, 9 and 10, Table 1 plus Row 4, Table 12
Net interest and dividends	-907	Rows 9, 10, 12 and 13 in Table 12
Social benefits and net current transfers		
Statistical discrepancy	412	Item 12, Table 1
Total Income	123,443	Item 125, Table 9
Taxes on personal income and wealth		
Income tax (incl. surtax)	13,148	Table 22
Motor vehicle duties (household part)	583	Table 22
Other taxes	6	Table 22
Training and employment levy	414	Table 22
Social Insurance contribution	9,287	Item 168, Table 19
Total taxes on income	23,438	Item 127, Table 9

Per Capita Incomes

The CSO publishes population estimates at regional level annually but not at county level. County populations for 2000 to 2008 have been estimated in this report by applying the year to year changes at regional level, shown in the revised regional population figures which were compiled following the publication of the 2002 Census and the 2006 Census, to the counties within the regions. The population figures for 2002 and 2006 have been taken directly from the 2002 Census and the 2006 Census.

Statistical Discrepancy

The official level of GDP is taken to be the average of the independently compiled Income and Expenditure estimates. The resulting balancing item which is half of the difference between the two estimates is called the Statistical Discrepancy. This must be added to the income components in tables 1 and 2 to derive Total Household Income.

GDP by Region**Gross Value Added**

Gross Value Added (GVA) at *basic prices* is a measure of the value of the final goods and services produced in a region (less the materials and services used which come from outside the region) priced at the value which the producers received minus any taxes payable and plus any subsidies receivable as a consequence of their production or sale. GVA differs from household income in three main respects.

- Firstly, GVA includes the total profits of companies. Company profits arising in the State, which accrue to non-residents, are considerable.
- Secondly, the workforce that produces the GVA in a region may not live there and may bring their incomes home to a neighbouring region in which they will be included in household incomes.
- Thirdly, personal income includes items such as social welfare benefits and factor incomes from abroad, which are not included in GVA.

(Note: GDP and GVA are the same concept i.e. they measure the value of the goods and services (or part thereof) which are produced within a region or country. GDP is valued at market prices and hence includes taxes charged and excludes the value of subsidies provided. GVA at basic prices on the other hand excludes product taxes and includes product subsidies – see table 14).

Valuation	Value added is firstly calculated at <i>factor cost</i> , which includes all subsidies and excludes all taxes. Conversion to a valuation at <i>basic prices</i> is achieved by subtracting <i>overhead</i> subsidies and adding <i>overhead</i> taxes. Conversion to <i>market prices</i> is then obtained by subtracting <i>product</i> subsidies and adding <i>product</i> taxes (see table 14). Most of the tables in this report on GVA are based on GVA at basic prices. However tables 15a to 18a are based on GVA at factor cost. The results in this release are based on the ESA95 system of accounts which is now in use throughout the European Union. Results provided in earlier releases (up to <i>GDP by region 1997</i>) were based on the ESA79 system of accounts. GVA is one of the principal concepts used in deciding eligibility for structural funds within the EU.																
EU Average	The indices of GVA per person in relation to the EU27=100 for years 2000 to 2008, shown in table 11, are based on the relevant position of Ireland as given on the Eurostat website.																
Regions	The regional classifications in this release are based on the NUTS (Nomenclature of Territorial Units) classification used by Eurostat. The regions for which the accounts have been compiled are the eight Regional Authority NUTS3 regions. The Mid East region (Kildare, Meath and Wicklow) and the Dublin region are affected by a substantial proportion of their workforce living in one region and commuting to work in another. It is therefore more meaningful to combine these two regions. The definition of the regions is outlined below. Figures have also been shown for the two overall NUTS2 regions i.e. "Border, Midland and Western" region and "Southern and Eastern" region.																
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