

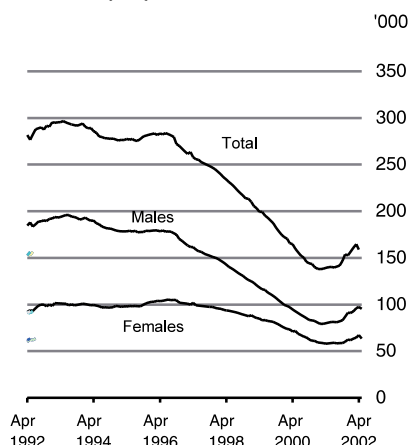


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## Live Register Analysis April 2002

**Live Register**  
*Seasonally Adjusted*



	Live Register Total	Seasonally Adjusted
<b>April 2001</b>	136,561	139,300
<b>March 2002</b>	162,252	164,600
<b>April 2002</b>	156,237	159,000
<b>Change in month</b>	- 6,015	- 5,600
<b>Change in year</b>	+ 19,676	+ 19,700

### Live Register decreases in April

The Live Register decreased by 6,015 persons in April to 156,237. The seasonally adjusted total decreased from 164,600 in March to 159,000 in April, a drop of 5,600.

In the year to April 2002, the Live Register increased by 19,676 persons.

Other features include:

- ◆ During April the decrease of 6,015 reflected decreases of 2,405 males and 3,610 females. The monthly decrease of 5,600 in the seasonally adjusted figure comprised decreases of 1,900 males and 3,700 females. *See tables 1 and 2.*
- ◆ The annual increase of 19,676 comprised increases of 14,674 males and 5,002 females. *See table 1.*
- ◆ The standardised unemployment rate in April was 4.2%. This compares with 3.7% in April 2001, based on the Quarterly National Household Survey. *See table 3 and background notes.*
- ◆ In the month the estimated number of casual and part-time workers on the Live Register was 8,569 males and 11,935 females. *See background notes.*

**The Live Register is not designed to measure unemployment.** It includes part-time workers (those who work up to three days a week), seasonal and casual workers entitled to Unemployment Assistance or Benefit. Unemployment is measured by the Quarterly National Household Survey and the latest figure, for September - November 2001 is 72,600 persons unemployed.

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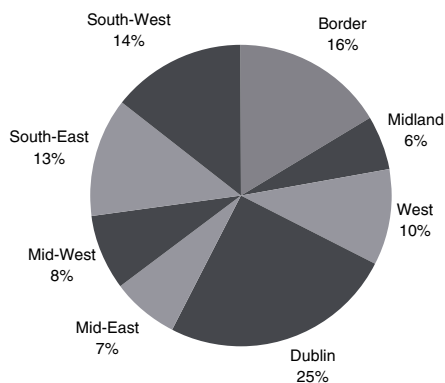
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**Live Register by Regional Authority**



	April 2002	Monthly Change	Annual Change
<b>Border, Midland and West</b>	<b>50,979</b>	<b>- 1,998</b>	<b>+ 3,352</b>
Border	25,406	- 907	+ 1,480
Midland	9,393	- 228	+ 800
West	16,180	- 863	+ 1,072
<b>Eastern and Southern</b>	<b>105,258</b>	<b>- 4,017</b>	<b>+ 16,324</b>
Dublin	38,946	- 1,155	+ 7,356
Mid-East	11,000	- 375	+ 2,397
Mid-West	12,934	- 668	+ 1,871
South-East	20,022	- 753	+ 1,676
South-West	22,356	- 1,066	+ 3,024
<b>Total</b>	<b>156,237</b>	<b>- 6,015</b>	<b>+ 19,676</b>

## Monthly decreases in all regions

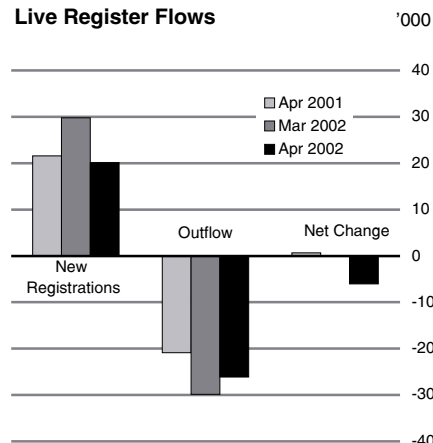
The monthly decrease of 6,015 persons on the Live Register reflected decreases in all regions. The largest monthly decreases were in the West (-5.1%), Mid-West (-4.9%) and the South-West (-4.6%).

In the year to April 2002, the Live Register increased in all regions. The overall national increase was 14.4%. The largest annual percentage increases were in the Mid-East (+27.9%) and Dublin (+23.3%) regions. *See table 4.*

Other regional features include:

- ◆ During April, the number of male and female claimants decreased in all regions. *See table 4.*
- ◆ The largest monthly decrease in the number of male claimants occurred in the West (-4.2%) while the largest decrease in female claimants occurred in Dublin (-6.7%) *See table 4.*

**Live Register Flows**



	New Registrations	Outflow (derived)	Net Change
<b>Men</b>	11,351	13,756	- 2,405
<b>Women</b>	8,757	12,367	- 3,610
<b>Total</b>	20,108	26,123	- 6,015

## Outflows exceed new registrations

A total of 20,108 persons joined the Live Register in April 2002. This was offset by 26,123 persons leaving the Register giving a net decrease of 6,015 persons in the month. This compares with a monthly increase of 676 in April 2001.

Other attributes include:

- ◆ The Live Register decreased on average by 1,504 persons per week during April 2002. In comparison there was an average weekly increase of 169 persons one year previously. *See table 8.*
- ◆ In April 2002, there were on average 5,027 new claimants per week and 6,531 persons leaving the Register. This compares to a weekly average of 5,396 new claimants and 5,227 persons leaving the Live Register in April 2001. *See table 8.*
- ◆ On average, the number of male registrants decreased by 601 per week, while the number of female registrants decreased by 903 per week. *See table 9.*

**Table 1a Total persons on the Live Register**

Category	April 2001	March 2002	April 2002	Monthly change	Annual change
<b>Males</b>					
UB Claims	26,343	39,039	37,120	- 1,919	+ 10,777
UA Applications	51,449	55,606	55,096	- 510	+ 3,647
Other Registrants	2,312	2,538	2,562	+ 24	+ 250
<b>Total</b>	<b>80,104</b>	<b>97,183</b>	<b>94,778</b>	<b>- 2,405</b>	<b>+ 14,674</b>
<b>Females</b>					
UB Claims	28,111	36,058	33,106	- 2,952	+ 4,995
UA Applications	19,452	20,511	20,075	- 436	+ 623
Other Registrants	8,894	8,500	8,278	- 222	- 616
<b>Total</b>	<b>56,457</b>	<b>65,069</b>	<b>61,459</b>	<b>- 3,610</b>	<b>+ 5,002</b>
<b>All Persons</b>					
UB Claims	54,454	75,097	70,226	- 4,871	+ 15,772
UA Applications	70,901	76,117	75,171	- 946	+ 4,270
Other Registrants	11,206	11,038	10,840	- 198	- 366
<b>Total</b>	<b>136,561</b>	<b>162,252</b>	<b>156,237</b>	<b>- 6,015</b>	<b>+ 19,676</b>

**Table 1b Persons under 25 years of age on the Live Register**

Category	April 2001	March 2002	April 2002	Monthly change	Annual change
<b>Males</b>					
UB Claims	4,104	7,440	7,066	- 374	+ 2,962
UA Applications	8,876	10,970	10,724	- 246	+ 1,848
Other Registrants	30	51	46	- 5	+ 16
<b>Total</b>	<b>13,010</b>	<b>18,461</b>	<b>17,836</b>	<b>- 625</b>	<b>+ 4,826</b>
<b>Females</b>					
UB Claims	3,118	4,923	4,657	- 266	+ 1,539
UA Applications	6,332	7,293	7,050	- 243	+ 718
Other Registrants	130	99	102	+ 3	- 28
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,580</b>	<b>12,315</b>	<b>11,809</b>	<b>- 506</b>	<b>+ 2,229</b>
<b>All Persons</b>					
UB Claims	7,222	12,363	11,723	- 640	+ 4,501
UA Applications	15,208	18,263	17,774	- 489	+ 2,566
Other Registrants	160	150	148	- 2	- 12
<b>Total</b>	<b>22,590</b>	<b>30,776</b>	<b>29,645</b>	<b>- 1,131</b>	<b>+ 7,055</b>

**Table 1c Persons 25 years of age and over on the Live Register**

Category	April 2001	March 2002	April 2002	Monthly change	Annual change
<b>Males</b>					
UB Claims	22,239	31,599	30,054	- 1,545	+ 7,815
UA Applications	42,573	44,636	44,372	- 264	+ 1,799
Other Registrants	2,282	2,487	2,516	+ 29	+ 234
<b>Total</b>	<b>67,094</b>	<b>78,722</b>	<b>76,942</b>	<b>- 1,780</b>	<b>+ 9,848</b>
<b>Females</b>					
UB Claims	24,993	31,135	28,449	- 2,686	+ 3,456
UA Applications	13,120	13,218	13,025	- 193	- 95
Other Registrants	8,764	8,401	8,176	- 225	- 588
<b>Total</b>	<b>46,877</b>	<b>52,754</b>	<b>49,650</b>	<b>- 3,104</b>	<b>+ 2,773</b>
<b>All Persons</b>					
UB Claims	47,232	62,734	58,503	- 4,231	+ 11,271
UA Applications	55,693	57,854	57,397	- 457	+ 1,704
Other Registrants	11,046	10,888	10,692	- 196	- 354
<b>Total</b>	<b>113,971</b>	<b>131,476</b>	<b>126,592</b>	<b>- 4,884</b>	<b>+ 12,621</b>

**Table 2a Total persons on the Live Register - Unadjusted and Seasonally Adjusted**

	Month	Unadjusted Series			Seasonally Adjusted Series <sup>1</sup>		
		Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
2000	June	87,900	68,800	156,800	88,900	67,200	156,100
	July	88,500	71,500	159,900	87,000	65,500	152,400
	August	87,900	71,100	159,000	85,600	64,700	150,300
	September	82,700	62,200	144,900	83,400	62,500	145,900
	October	80,000	59,200	139,200	82,900	61,100	144,000
	November	79,300	57,700	137,000	82,400	61,000	143,500
	December	82,000	59,600	141,600	80,600	59,400	140,000
2001	January	83,300	58,800	142,100	79,400	59,000	138,400
	February	81,200	58,300	139,500	79,100	58,800	137,900
	March	79,900	55,900	135,900	80,100	58,000	138,200
	April	80,100	56,500	136,600	80,800	58,500	139,300
	May	78,700	55,000	133,700	81,300	58,800	140,100
	June	80,400	60,500	140,900	81,300	58,900	140,200
	July	82,600	64,500	147,100	81,100	58,500	139,500
	August	84,300	65,200	149,400	81,900	58,700	140,600
	September	82,200	58,300	140,600	83,000	58,600	141,600
	October	83,900	57,900	141,800	86,800	59,900	146,700
	November	88,100	59,000	147,100	91,200	62,400	153,600
	December	91,400	61,000	152,400	91,100 <sup>2</sup>	61,700 <sup>2</sup>	152,800 <sup>2</sup>
2002	January	96,600	63,300	160,000	92,700	63,600	156,300
	February	98,200	64,100	162,300	96,200	64,600	160,800
	March	97,200	65,100	162,300	97,400	67,200	164,600
	April	94,800	61,500	156,200	95,500	63,500	159,000

<sup>1</sup> Based on seasonal patterns up to December 2001 (See Background Notes).

<sup>2</sup> Based on estimated data for December 2001

**Table 2b Persons under 25 years of age on the Live Register - Unadjusted and Seasonally Adjusted**

	Month	Unadjusted Series			Seasonally Adjusted Series <sup>1</sup>		
		Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
2000	June	14,400	12,000	26,300	14,200	11,200	25,400
	July	14,900	12,500	27,400	13,900	10,800	24,700
	August	14,800	12,600	27,400	13,600	10,700	24,300
	September	13,400	11,000	24,400	13,200	10,500	23,700
	October	12,500	10,200	22,700	13,500	10,700	24,200
	November	12,400	9,700	22,000	13,500	10,600	24,100
	December	12,900	9,500	22,400	13,200	10,300	23,400
2001	January	13,600	10,000	23,600	12,700	10,000	22,800
	February	13,300	10,000	23,200	12,800	10,100	23,000
	March	12,900	9,600	22,500	13,100	10,200	23,300
	April	13,000	9,600	22,600	13,300	10,400	23,700
	May	12,800	9,500	22,300	13,700	10,500	24,200
	June	13,700	11,000	24,700	13,500	10,300	23,800
	July	14,600	11,800	26,500	13,600	10,200	23,800
	August	15,100	12,100	27,200	13,900	10,300	24,200
	September	14,400	11,000	25,400	14,200	10,500	24,700
	October	14,600	10,900	25,400	16,500	11,300	27,900
	November	15,600	11,000	26,600	16,700	11,900	28,600
	December	16,400	11,100	27,500	16,900 <sup>2</sup>	12,000 <sup>2</sup>	28,800 <sup>2</sup>
2002	January	18,200	12,300	30,500	17,400	12,300	29,700
	February	18,900	12,600	31,400	18,400	12,700	31,200
	March	18,500	12,300	30,800	18,600	13,000	31,600
	April	17,800	11,800	29,600	18,200	12,600	30,800

<sup>1</sup> Based on seasonal patterns up to December 2001 (See Background Notes).

<sup>2</sup> Based on estimated data for December 2001

**Table 2c Persons 25 years of age or over on the Live Register - Unadjusted and Seasonally Adjusted**

	Month	Unadjusted Series			Seasonally Adjusted Series <sup>1</sup>		
		Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
2000	June	73,600	56,900	130,400	74,700	56,000	130,700
	July	73,600	58,900	132,500	73,100	54,600	127,700
	August	73,200	58,500	131,700	72,000	54,000	126,000
	September	69,300	51,200	120,500	70,200	52,000	122,200
	October	67,500	49,000	116,500	69,400	50,400	119,800
	November	66,900	48,000	114,900	68,900	50,500	119,400
	December	69,100	50,000	119,100	67,400	49,200	116,600
2001	January	69,700	48,800	118,500	66,600	49,000	115,600
	February	67,900	48,400	116,300	66,300	48,600	114,900
	March	67,000	46,400	113,400	67,100	47,800	114,900
	April	67,100	46,900	114,000	67,400	48,100	115,600
	May	65,800	45,600	111,400	67,600	48,300	115,900
	June	66,700	49,500	116,200	67,800	48,600	116,400
	July	67,900	52,700	120,600	67,400	48,300	115,700
	August	69,200	53,000	122,200	68,000	48,500	116,500
	September	67,800	47,300	115,100	68,800	48,100	116,900
	October	69,300	47,100	116,400	70,300	48,600	118,800
	November	72,500	48,000	120,500	74,500	50,500	124,900
	December	75,000	49,900	124,900	74,300 <sup>2</sup>	49,700 <sup>2</sup>	124,000
2002	January	78,400	51,100	129,500	75,400	51,200	126,600
	February	79,400	51,600	130,900	77,800	51,800	129,600
	March	78,700	52,800	131,500	78,800	54,200	133,000
	April	76,900	49,700	126,600	77,300	50,900	128,200

<sup>1</sup> Based on seasonal patterns up to December 2001 (See Background Notes).

<sup>2</sup> Based on estimated data for December 2001

**Table 3 Seasonally Adjusted Standardised Unemployment Rates<sup>1</sup>**

Month	1997 <sup>3</sup>	1998	1999	2000	2001 <sup>4</sup>	2002 <sup>4</sup>
	%	%	%	%	%	%
January	10.7	8.5	6.3	4.6	3.6	4.1
February	10.6	8.2	6.1	4.5	3.6	4.2
March	10.5	8.0	5.9	4.4	3.6	4.3
April <sup>2</sup>	10.3	7.8	5.7	4.3	3.7	4.2
May	10.1	7.6	5.7	4.2	3.7	
June	9.9	7.5	5.5	4.1	3.7	
July	9.7	7.3	5.4	4.0	3.7	
August	9.5	7.1	5.3	3.9	3.7	
September	9.3	6.9	5.2	3.8	3.7	
October	9.1	6.7	5.0	3.8	3.9	
November	8.9	6.6	4.8	3.8	4.0	
December	8.7	6.5	4.7	3.7	4.0 <sup>5</sup>	
Annual average	9.8	7.4	5.5	4.1	3.8	

<sup>1</sup> Table contains revised figures

<sup>2</sup> Benchmark Labour Force Survey/Quarterly National Household Survey (QNHS) estimates.

<sup>3</sup> Interpolated data for May 1996 to March 1997 (see Background Notes).

<sup>4</sup> The latest QNHS estimate of the unemployment rate (unadjusted for seasonality) is: September - November 2001, 4.0%.

<sup>5</sup> Based on estimated data for December 2001

**Table 4 Persons on the Live Register by Region**

NUTS2 and NUTS3 Regions <sup>1</sup>	April 2001	March 2002	April 2002	Monthly change	Annual change	Under 25 years	25 years & over
<b>Males</b>							
<b>Border, Midland &amp; Western</b>	<b>27,767</b>	<b>31,441</b>	<b>30,390</b>	<b>- 1,051</b>	<b>+ 2,623</b>	<b>5,647</b>	<b>24,743</b>
Border	14,118	15,779	15,312	- 467	+ 1,194	2,975	12,337
Midland	4,650	5,444	5,294	- 150	+ 644	1,034	4,260
West	8,999	10,218	9,784	- 434	+ 785	1,638	8,146
<b>Eastern &amp; Southern</b>	<b>52,337</b>	<b>65,742</b>	<b>64,388</b>	<b>- 1,354</b>	<b>+ 12,051</b>	<b>12,189</b>	<b>52,199</b>
Dublin	19,521	24,866	24,728	- 138	+ 5,207	4,761	19,967
Mid-East	4,699	6,590	6,453	- 137	+ 1,754	1,226	5,227
Mid-West	6,334	7,989	7,688	- 301	+ 1,354	1,495	6,193
South-East	10,366	11,992	11,740	- 252	+ 1,374	2,294	9,446
South-West	11,417	14,305	13,779	- 526	+ 2,362	2,413	11,366
<b>Total</b>	<b>80,104</b>	<b>97,183</b>	<b>94,778</b>	<b>- 2,405</b>	<b>+ 14,674</b>	<b>17,836</b>	<b>76,942</b>
<b>Females</b>							
<b>Border, Midland &amp; Western</b>	<b>19,860</b>	<b>21,536</b>	<b>20,589</b>	<b>- 947</b>	<b>+ 729</b>	<b>4,071</b>	<b>16,518</b>
Border	9,808	10,534	10,094	- 440	+ 286	2,065	8,029
Midland	3,943	4,177	4,099	- 78	+ 156	837	3,262
West	6,109	6,825	6,396	- 429	+ 287	1,169	5,227
<b>Eastern &amp; Southern</b>	<b>36,597</b>	<b>43,533</b>	<b>40,870</b>	<b>- 2,663</b>	<b>+ 4,273</b>	<b>7,738</b>	<b>33,132</b>
Dublin	12,069	15,235	14,218	- 1,017	+ 2,149	2,700	11,518
Mid-East	3,904	4,785	4,547	- 238	+ 643	818	3,729
Mid-West	4,729	5,613	5,246	- 367	+ 517	972	4,274
South-East	7,980	8,783	8,282	- 501	+ 302	1,690	6,592
South-West	7,915	9,117	8,577	- 540	+ 662	1,558	7,019
<b>Total</b>	<b>56,457</b>	<b>65,069</b>	<b>61,459</b>	<b>- 3,610</b>	<b>+ 5,002</b>	<b>11,809</b>	<b>49,650</b>
<b>All Persons</b>							
<b>Border, Midland &amp; Western</b>	<b>47,627</b>	<b>52,977</b>	<b>50,979</b>	<b>- 1,998</b>	<b>+ 3,352</b>	<b>9,718</b>	<b>41,261</b>
Border	23,926	26,313	25,406	- 907	+ 1,480	5,040	20,366
Midland	8,593	9,621	9,393	- 228	+ 800	1,871	7,522
West	15,108	17,043	16,180	- 863	+ 1,072	2,807	13,373
<b>Eastern &amp; Southern</b>	<b>88,934</b>	<b>109,275</b>	<b>105,258</b>	<b>- 4,017</b>	<b>+ 16,324</b>	<b>19,927</b>	<b>85,331</b>
Dublin	31,590	40,101	38,946	- 1,155	+ 7,356	7,461	31,485
Mid-East	8,603	11,375	11,000	- 375	+ 2,397	2,044	8,956
Mid-West	11,063	13,602	12,934	- 668	+ 1,871	2,467	10,467
South-East	18,346	20,775	20,022	- 753	+ 1,676	3,984	16,038
South-West	19,332	23,422	22,356	- 1,066	+ 3,024	3,971	18,385
<b>Total</b>	<b>136,561</b>	<b>162,252</b>	<b>156,237</b>	<b>- 6,015</b>	<b>+ 19,676</b>	<b>29,645</b>	<b>126,592</b>

<sup>1</sup> The composition of the regions is described in the background notes

**Table 5 Persons on the Live Register classified by Province**

Provinces	April 2001	March 2002	April 2002	Monthly change	Annual change	Under 25 years	25 years & over
<b>Provinces</b>							
Leinster	64,834	80,285	77,921	- 2,364	+ 13,087	15,136	62,785
Munster	39,091	46,530	44,411	- 2,119	+ 5,320	8,245	36,166
Connacht	18,600	20,610	19,661	- 949	+ 1,061	3,431	16,230
Ulster	14,036	14,827	14,244	- 583	+ 208	2,833	11,411
<b>Total</b>	<b>136,561</b>	<b>162,252</b>	<b>156,237</b>	<b>- 6,015</b>	<b>+ 19,676</b>	<b>29,645</b>	<b>126,592</b>

**Table 6 Persons on the Live Register classified by Sex, Age Group and Local Office of Registration**

NUTS2 and NUTS3 Regions/County/ Local Office	April 2001	March 2002	April 2002	Males			Females		
				Under 25 years	25 years & over	Total	Under 25 years	25 years & over	Total
<b>Border, Midland and Western</b>	<b>47,627</b>	<b>52,977</b>	<b>50,979</b>	<b>5,647</b>	<b>24,743</b>	<b>30,390</b>	<b>4,071</b>	<b>16,518</b>	<b>20,589</b>
<b>Border</b>	<b>23,926</b>	<b>26,313</b>	<b>25,406</b>	<b>2,975</b>	<b>12,337</b>	<b>15,312</b>	<b>2,065</b>	<b>8,029</b>	<b>10,094</b>
Cavan	1,733	1,982	1,904	198	972	1,170	131	603	734
Belturbet	346	433	403	29	206	235	32	136	168
Cavan	1,387	1,549	1,501	169	766	935	99	467	566
Donegal	9,861	10,108	9,729	1,143	4,884	6,027	871	2,831	3,702
Ballybofey	1,083	1,019	966	122	490	612	87	267	354
Ballyshannon	547	588	571	74	280	354	52	165	217
Buncrana	1,924	1,892	1,849	195	857	1,052	230	567	797
Donegal	524	566	564	57	262	319	47	198	245
Dunfanaghy	872	995	924	127	484	611	50	263	313
Dungloe	1,475	1,520	1,507	151	814	965	62	480	542
Killybegs	1,043	1,004	979	94	511	605	60	314	374
Letterkenney	2,393	2,524	2,369	323	1,186	1,509	283	577	860
Leitrim	1,186	1,128	1,099	77	552	629	54	416	470
Carrick-on-Shannon	903	853	827	59	409	468	41	318	359
Manorhamilton	283	275	272	18	143	161	13	98	111
Louth	6,398	7,919	7,681	965	3,522	4,487	618	2,576	3,194
Ardee	697	839	822	99	361	460	75	287	362
Drogheda	2,340	3,186	3,046	373	1,313	1,686	224	1,136	1,360
Dundalk	3,361	3,894	3,813	493	1,848	2,341	319	1,153	1,472
Monaghan	2,442	2,737	2,611	300	1,260	1,560	190	861	1,051
Carrickmacross	646	780	746	58	357	415	47	284	331
Castleblayney	786	841	793	89	395	484	52	257	309
Clones	260	294	286	42	145	187	21	78	99
Monaghan	750	822	786	111	363	474	70	242	312
Sligo	2,306	2,439	2,382	292	1,147	1,439	201	742	943
Sligo	1,904	2,056	2,014	266	952	1,218	181	615	796
Tubbercurry	402	383	368	26	195	221	20	127	147
<b>Midland</b>	<b>8,593</b>	<b>9,621</b>	<b>9,393</b>	<b>1,034</b>	<b>4,260</b>	<b>5,294</b>	<b>837</b>	<b>3,262</b>	<b>4,099</b>
Laoighis	1,893	2,028	2,037	249	907	1,156	182	699	881
Portarlinton	611	736	766	79	312	391	63	312	375
Portlaoise	900	960	940	133	438	571	86	283	369
Rathdowney	382	332	331	37	157	194	33	104	137
Longford	1,649	1,726	1,659	195	797	992	130	537	667
Longford	1,649	1,726	1,659	195	797	992	130	537	667
Offaly	2,361	2,459	2,521	276	1,161	1,437	209	875	1,084
Birr	759	770	737	75	337	412	66	259	325
Edenderry	552	655	620	52	288	340	52	228	280
Tullamore	1,050	1,034	1,164	149	536	685	91	388	479
Westmeath	2,690	3,408	3,176	314	1,395	1,709	316	1,151	1,467
Athlone	1,110	1,374	1,350	129	570	699	113	538	651
Castlepollard	229	228	229	17	104	121	25	83	108
Mullingar	1,351	1,806	1,597	168	721	889	178	530	708
<b>West</b>	<b>15,108</b>	<b>17,043</b>	<b>16,180</b>	<b>1,638</b>	<b>8,146</b>	<b>9,784</b>	<b>1,169</b>	<b>5,227</b>	<b>6,396</b>
Galway	7,651	9,089	8,619	974	4,216	5,190	734	2,695	3,429
Ballinasloe	937	965	916	105	474	579	66	271	337
Clifden	794	780	750	70	435	505	38	207	245
Galway	3,803	5,098	4,840	635	2,295	2,930	498	1,412	1,910
Gort	356	437	412	19	181	200	23	189	212
Loughrea	626	664	633	59	283	342	39	252	291
Tuam	1,135	1,145	1,068	86	548	634	70	364	434



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-continued			Males				Females		
NUTS2 and NUTS3 Regions/County/ Local Office	April 2001	March 2002	April 2002	Under 25 years	25 years & over	Total	Under 25 years	25 years & over	Total
Mayo	6,017	6,420	6,079	551	3,153	3,704	339	2,036	2,375
Achill	301	319	307	33	186	219	16	72	88
Ballina	1,890	1,894	1,821	170	981	1,151	101	569	670
Ballinrobe	377	434	395	19	215	234	23	138	161
Belmullet	806	811	771	68	427	495	46	230	276
Castlebar	780	959	912	106	417	523	67	322	389
Claremorris	518	547	503	31	271	302	9	192	201
Swinford	810	810	762	69	334	403	37	322	359
Westport	535	646	608	55	322	377	40	191	231
Roscommon	1,440	1,534	1,482	113	777	890	96	496	592
Boyle	437	408	409	34	216	250	18	141	159
Castlerea	704	760	726	49	387	436	52	238	290
Roscommon	299	366	347	30	174	204	26	117	143
<b>Eastern and Southern</b>	<b>88,934</b>	<b>109,275</b>	<b>105,258</b>	<b>12,189</b>	<b>52,199</b>	<b>64,388</b>	<b>7,738</b>	<b>33,132</b>	<b>40,870</b>
<b>Dublin</b>	<b>31,590</b>	<b>40,101</b>	<b>38,946</b>	<b>4,761</b>	<b>19,967</b>	<b>24,728</b>	<b>2,700</b>	<b>11,518</b>	<b>14,218</b>
Dublin	31,590	40,101	38,946	4,761	19,967	24,728	2,700	11,518	14,218
Gardiner Street	2,679	3,253	3,100	466	1,584	2,050	229	821	1,050
Bishop Square	3,149	3,913	3,860 <sup>1</sup>	415	2,188	2,603	225	1,032	1,257
Cumberland Street	4,033	4,825	4,675	501	2,456	2,957	309	1,409	1,718
Navan Road	4,528	2,730	2,767	308	1,565	1,873	175	719	894
Blanchardstown	.	2,653	2,610 <sup>2</sup>	352	1,171	1,523	209	878	1,087
Thomas Street	1,786	2,204	2,161	242	1,271	1,513	159	489	648
Tara Street	1,030	1,388	1,325	112	716	828	51	446	497
Tallaght	2,627	3,248	3,148	614	1,475	2,089	314	745	1,059
Ballymun	1,192	1,485	1,450	250	753	1,003	157	290	447
Clondalkin	1,555	2,465	2,434	341	1,056	1,397	199	838	1,037
Rathfarnham	1,369	1,958	1,708	143	847	990	88	630	718
Kilbarrack	2,150	2,668	2,600	265	1,301	1,566	160	874	1,034
Dun Laoghaire	2,387	3,140	3,014	190	1,530	1,720	117	1,177	1,294
Balbriggan	956	1,225	1,208	122	551	673	73	462	535
Ballyfermot	805	1,022	983	140	543	683	84	216	300
Finglas	1,344	1,924	1,903	300	960	1,260	151	492	643
<b>Mid-East</b>	<b>8,603</b>	<b>11,375</b>	<b>11,000</b>	<b>1,226</b>	<b>5,227</b>	<b>6,453</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>3,729</b>	<b>4,547</b>
Kildare	3,243	4,286	4,132	460	1,920	2,380	329	1,423	1,752
Athy	589	737	753	98	384	482	61	210	271
Maynooth	872	1,232	1,200	125	535	660	90	450	540
Newbridge	1,782	2,317	2,179	237	1,001	1,238	178	763	941
Meath	1,923	2,954	2,877	306	1,381	1,687	215	975	1,190
Kells	351	459	461	39	236	275	27	159	186
Navan	1,076	1,793	1,747	195	850	1,045	134	568	702
Trim	496	702	669	72	295	367	54	248	302
Wicklow	3,437	4,135	3,991	460	1,926	2,386	274	1,331	1,605
Arklow	924	1,082	1,060	114	508	622	90	348	438
Baltinglass	346	450	431	48	194	242	38	151	189
Bray	1,490	1,817	1,747	181	849	1,030	88	629	717
Wicklow	677	786	753	117	375	492	58	203	261
<b>Mid-West</b>	<b>11,063</b>	<b>13,602</b>	<b>12,934</b>	<b>1,495</b>	<b>6,193</b>	<b>7,688</b>	<b>972</b>	<b>4,274</b>	<b>5,246</b>
Clare	2,803	3,708	3,424	348	1,595	1,943	234	1,247	1,481
Ennis	1,462	2,158	2,044	217	926	1,143	150	751	901
Ennistymon	521	641	579	51	273	324	38	217	255
Kilrush	543	555	480	58	235	293	28	159	187
Tulla	277	354	321	22	161	183	18	120	138
Limerick	6,229	7,676	7,382	903	3,620	4,523	549	2,310	2,859
Kilmallock	727	874	771	86	381	467	55	249	304
Limerick	4,725	5,878	5,738	744	2,779	3,523	416	1,799	2,215
Newcastle West	777	924	873	73	460	533	78	262	340

<sup>1</sup> Bishop Square replaces previous offices Werburgh Street and Victoria Street with effect from March 2002<sup>2</sup> Previous figures for the Blanchardstown Office were included in the Navan Road figures



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-continued				Males			Females		
NUTS2 and NUTS3 Regions/County/ Local Office	April 2001	March 2002	April 2002	Under 25 years	25 years & over	Total	Under 25 years	25 years & over	Total
Tipperary N.R.	2,031	2,218	2,128	244	978	1,222	189	717	906
Nenagh	659	760	732	67	338	405	65	262	327
Roscrea	428	388	390	36	176	212	36	142	178
Thurles	944	1,070	1,006	141	464	605	88	313	401
<b>South-East</b>	<b>18,346</b>	<b>20,775</b>	<b>20,022</b>	<b>2,294</b>	<b>9,446</b>	<b>11,740</b>	<b>1,690</b>	<b>6,592</b>	<b>8,282</b>
Carlow	1,889	2,246	2,128	246	984	1,230	192	706	898
Bagenalstown	453	508	471	49	246	295	30	146	176
Carlow	1,113	1,309	1,248	156	569	725	119	404	523
Tullow	323	429	409	41	169	210	43	156	199
Kilkenny	2,020	2,322	2,228	262	1,128	1,390	163	675	838
Callan	336	331	334	31	189	220	19	95	114
Kilkenny	1,318	1,537	1,450	178	730	908	111	431	542
Thomastown	366	454	444	53	209	262	33	149	182
Tipperary S.R.	3,270	3,650	3,490	433	1,696	2,129	282	1,079	1,361
Cahir	394	485	475	51	246	297	37	141	178
Carrick-on-Suir	836	940	903	89	482	571	61	271	332
Cashel	283	351	324	34	149	183	27	114	141
Clonmel	1,133	1,225	1,171	168	539	707	107	357	464
Tipperary	624	649	617	91	280	371	50	196	246
Waterford	5,426	5,856	5,631	657	2,668	3,325	435	1,871	2,306
Dungarvan	833	952	904	93	426	519	71	314	385
Waterford	4,593	4,904	4,727	564	2,242	2,806	364	1,557	1,921
Wexford	5,741	6,701	6,545	696	2,970	3,666	618	2,261	2,879
Enniscorthy	1,522	1,740	1,694	216	803	1,019	176	499	675
Gorey	871	1,097	1,032	112	466	578	100	354	454
New Ross	1,168	1,299	1,239	127	571	698	114	427	541
Wexford	2,180	2,565	2,580	241	1,130	1,371	228	981	1,209
<b>South-West</b>	<b>19,332</b>	<b>23,422</b>	<b>22,356</b>	<b>2,413</b>	<b>11,366</b>	<b>13,779</b>	<b>1,558</b>	<b>7,019</b>	<b>8,577</b>
Cork	14,028	17,429	16,783	1,880	8,561	10,441	1,188	5,154	6,342
Bandon	512	532	507	39	276	315	19	173	192
Bantry	358	390	356	14	154	168	14	174	188
Bantry (SWLO)	185	197	191	9	88	97	6	88	94
Clonakilty	351	381	373	31	151	182	28	163	191
Cobh	348	477	435	64	237	301	28	106	134
Cork	6,945	9,099	8,817	1,177	4,916	6,093	675	2,049	2,724
Dunmanway	192	204	217	6	80	86	13	118	131
Fermoy	609	749	699	71	333	404	62	233	295
Kinsale	639	665	638	35	269	304	39	295	334
Macroom	569	632	597	30	226	256	35	306	341
Mallow	700	823	771	94	412	506	55	210	265
Midleton	728	992	938	99	428	527	73	338	411
Newmarket	430	453	440	40	207	247	27	166	193
Passage West	562	738	726	75	326	401	40	285	325
Skibbereen	400	427	406	23	159	182	15	209	224
Youghal	500	670	672	73	299	372	59	241	300
Kerry	5,304	5,993	5,573	533	2,805	3,338	370	1,865	2,235
Cahiriveen	439	377	345	17	175	192	8	145	153
Dingle	216	301	238	10	117	127	6	105	111
Kenmare	157	215	176	6	75	81	12	83	95
Killarney	730	1,042	913	73	371	444	75	394	469
Killorglin	382	431	380	21	193	214	11	155	166
Listowel	948	965	922	97	513	610	64	248	312
Tralee	2,432	2,662	2,599	309	1,361	1,670	194	735	929
<b>State</b>	<b>136,561</b>	<b>162,252</b>	<b>156,237</b>	<b>17,836</b>	<b>76,942</b>	<b>94,778</b>	<b>11,809</b>	<b>49,650</b>	<b>61,459</b>

**Table 7 Flows on and off the Live Register in the 4 weeks from  
28 March 2002 to 26 April 2002**

	Total	New Registrations	Net Change	Outflow (derived)
<b>Border, Midland &amp; Western</b>	<b>50,979</b>	<b>6,055</b>	<b>- 1,998</b>	<b>8,053</b>
Border	25,406	2,629	- 907	3,536
Midland	9,393	1,549	- 228	1,777
West	16,180	1,877	- 863	2,740
<b>Eastern &amp; Southern</b>	<b>105,258</b>	<b>14,053</b>	<b>- 4,017</b>	<b>18,070</b>
Dublin	38,946	5,540	- 1,155	6,695
Mid-East	11,000	1,512	- 375	1,887
Mid-West	12,934	1,760	- 668	2,428
South-East	20,022	2,281	- 753	3,034
South-West	22,356	2,960	- 1,066	4,026
<b>Sex</b>				
Males	94,778	11,351	- 2,405	13,756
Females	61,459	8,757	- 3,610	12,367
<b>Total</b>	<b>156,237</b>	<b>20,108</b>	<b>- 6,015</b>	<b>26,123</b>

**Table 8 Summary of Flows on and off the Live Register and Average Weekly Flow**

		Number of weeks	New Registrations (count)		Outflow (derived)		Average weekly change in the Live Register	
			Number	Weekly average	Number	Weekly average		
2000	May	4	16,359	4,090	25,284	6,321	-	2,231
	June	5	28,251	5,650	24,369	4,874	+	776
	July	4	21,628	5,407	18,467	4,617	+	790
	August	4	17,211	4,303	18,099	4,525	-	222
	September	5	21,396	4,279	35,490	7,098	-	2,819
	October	4	18,230	4,558	23,973	5,993	-	1,436
	November	4	19,685	4,921	21,912	5,478	-	557
	December	5	21,494	4,299	16,870	3,374	+	925
2001	January	4	22,001	5,500	21,516	5,379	+	121
	February	4	18,740	4,685	21,296	5,324	-	639
	March	5	21,971	4,394	25,601	5,120	-	726
	April	4	21,584	5,396	20,908	5,227	+	169
	May	4	17,324	4,331	20,194	5,049	-	718
	June	5	28,982	5,796	21,808	4,362	+	1,435
	July	4	23,354	5,839	17,118	4,280	+	1,559
	August	5	24,272	4,854	21,934	4,387	+	468
	September	4	19,341	4,835	28,230	7,058	-	2,222
	October	4	26,253	6,563	24,968	6,242	+	321
	November	5	32,936	6,587	27,650	5,530	+	1,057
	December	3	19,527	6,509	14,242	4,747	+	1,762
2002	January	5	31,817	6,363	24,263	4,853	+	1,511
	February	4	25,468	6,367	23,091	5,773	+	594
	March	5	29,785	5,957	29,870	5,974	-	17
	April	4	20,108	5,027	26,123	6,531	-	1,504

**Table 9 Summary of Flows on and off the Live Register classified by Sex**

		Number of weeks	Males				Females			
			Live Register	New Regis- trations	Outflow (derived)	Average weekly change	Live Register	New Regis- trations	Outflow (derived)	Average weekly change
2000	May	4	88,077	8,879	12,855	- 994	64,794	7,480	12,429	- 1,237
	June	5	87,917	13,246	13,406	- 32	68,836	15,005	10,963	+ 808
	July	4	88,459	10,491	9,949	+ 136	71,455	11,137	8,518	+ 655
	August	4	87,939	9,060	9,580	- 130	71,087	8,151	8,519	- 92
	September	5	82,714	11,158	16,383	- 1,045	62,218	10,238	19,107	- 1,774
	October	4	80,037	9,808	12,485	- 669	59,152	8,422	11,488	- 766
	November	4	79,308	10,500	11,229	- 182	57,654	9,185	10,683	- 375
	December	5	82,017	11,877	9,168	+ 542	59,569	9,617	7,702	+ 383
2001	January	4	83,260	11,971	10,728	+ 311	58,811	10,030	10,788	- 190
	February	4	81,172	10,148	12,236	- 522	58,343	8,592	9,060	- 117
	March	5	79,943	12,878	14,107	- 246	55,942	9,093	11,494	- 480
	April	4	80,104	10,975	10,814	+ 40	56,457	10,609	10,094	+ 129
	May	4	78,660	9,828	11,272	- 361	55,031	7,496	8,922	- 357
	June	5	80,355	14,056	12,361	+ 339	60,510	14,926	9,447	+ 1,096
	July	4	82,567	11,677	9,465	+ 553	64,534	11,677	7,653	+ 1,006
	August	5	84,282	13,303	11,588	+ 343	65,157	10,969	10,346	+ 125
	September	4	82,227	10,675	12,730	- 514	58,323	8,666	15,500	- 1,709
	October	4	83,894	15,411	13,744	+ 417	57,941	10,842	11,224	- 96
	November	5	88,103	19,170	14,961	+ 842	59,018	13,766	12,689	+ 215
	December	3	91,394	11,237	7,946	+ 1,097	61,012	8,290	6,296	+ 665
2002	January	5	96,623	17,938	12,709	+ 1,046	63,337	13,879	11,554	+ 465
	February	4	98,215	14,912	13,320	+ 398	64,122	10,556	9,771	+ 196
	March	5	97,183	16,518	17,550	- 206	65,069	13,267	12,320	+ 189
	April	4	94,778	11,351	13,756	- 601	61,459	8,757	12,367	- 903

**Table 10 Persons working on systematic short-time basis excluded from the Live Register**

	Month	Males	Females	Total
2000	June	909	1,883	2,792
	July	909	1,823	2,732
	August	894	1,741	2,635
	September	722	1,635	2,357
	October	778	1,585	2,363
	November	849	1,618	2,467
	December	1,027	1,599	2,626
2001	January	1,262	1,711	2,973
	February	1,263	1,816	3,079
	March	1,103	1,751	2,854
	April	1,094	1,724	2,818
	May	1,102	1,736	2,838
	June	941	1,707	2,648
	July	862	1,734	2,596
	August	1,135	1,880	3,015
	September	1,033	1,870	2,903
	October	1,061	1,857	2,918
	November	1,229	2,077	3,306
	December	1,390	2,046	3,436
2002	January	1,476	2,132	3,608
	February	1,516	2,062	3,578
	March	1,504	2,098	3,602
	April	1,472	1,974	3,446

**Table 11 Smallholders/Farm Assists and Self-Employed Persons applying for Unemployment Assistance and Other Registrants excluded from the Live Register**

	Month	Smallholders/ Farm Assists <sup>1</sup>	Self-Employed	Others	Total
2000	June	8,093	1,842	738	10,673
	July	8,096	1,811	762	10,669
	August	8,047	1,787	759	10,593
	September	8,018	1,771	759	10,548
	October	8,031	1,758	700	10,489
	November	8,058	1,767	689	10,514
	December	8,094	1,765	726	10,585
2001	January	8,112	1,717	683	10,512
	February	8,127	1,691	659	10,477
	March	8,212	1,669	661	10,542
	April	8,439	1,637	659	10,735
	May	8,509	1,614	642	10,765
	June	8,551	1,584	666	10,801
	July	8,552	1,548	710	10,810
	August	8,538	1,544	718	10,800
	September	8,540	1,529	661	10,730
	October	8,524	1,520	688	10,732
	November	8,513	1,523	685	10,721
	December	8,514	1,536	715	10,765
2002	January	8,521	1,522	758	10,801
	February	8,537	1,542	792	10,871
	March	8,536	1,545	785	10,866
	April	8,558	1,558	767	10,883

<sup>1</sup> Farm Assist Scheme was introduced in April 1999.

**Table 12 Persons Under 65 Years, other than Smallholders/Farm Assists, on the Pre-Retirement Allowance Scheme (PRETA) or on the Pre-Retirement Credits Scheme (PRECS), excluded from the Live Register**

	Month	PRETA	PRECS	Total	Males	Females
2000	June	11,741	7,273	19,014	13,860	5,154
	July	11,723	7,432	19,155	13,944	5,211
	August	11,745	7,454	19,199	13,928	5,271
	September	11,536	7,475	19,011	13,765	5,246
	October	12,677	7,575	20,252	14,746	5,506
	November	12,652	7,624	20,276	14,777	5,499
	December	12,521	7,660	20,181	14,682	5,499
2001	January	12,470	7,736	20,206	14,654	5,552
	February	12,496	7,925	20,421	14,714	5,707
	March	12,527	7,845	20,372	14,739	5,633
	April	12,496	7,756	20,252	14,617	5,635
	May	12,436	7,791	20,227	14,560	5,667
	June	12,371	7,848	20,219	14,547	5,672
	July	12,299	7,851	20,150	14,492	5,658
	August	12,182	7,901	20,083	14,414	5,669
	September	12,104	7,875	19,979	14,343	5,636
	October	12,006	7,904	19,910	14,270	5,640
	November	11,954	8,007	19,961	14,013	5,948
	December	11,860	8,040	19,900	14,226	5,674
2002	January	11,758	7,981	19,739	14,102	5,637
	February	11,742	7,934	19,676	14,059	5,617
	March	11,685	7,879	19,564	14,001	5,563
	April	11,666	7,823	19,489	13,923	5,566

## Background Notes

**Source and scope of the Live Register** The Live Register is compiled from returns made directly to the Central Statistics Office by each local office of the Department of Social, Community and Family Affairs. It comprises persons under 65 years of age in the following classes:

- ◆ All Claimants for Unemployment Benefit (UB) excluding systematic short-time workers (*see Table 10*)
- ◆ Applicants for Unemployment Assistance (UA) excluding smallholders/farm assists and other self-employed persons (*see Table 11*)
- ◆ Other registrants including applicants for credited Social Welfare contributions but excluding those directly involved in an industrial dispute (*see Table 11*).

**Descriptive articles** The compilation basis for the Live Register statistics from May 1992 onwards is described in the September 1992 issue of the *Statistical Bulletin*. The March 1980 issue contained a description of the basis used up to April 1992 while a more comprehensive treatment of Live Register statistics appeared in the "Report of the Inter-Departmental Study Group on Unemployment Statistics" (Stationery Office Dublin, Prl.7925, April 1979). The results of a special study of the differences between the Labour Force Survey (LFS) Estimates of Unemployment and the Live Register are contained in the December 1996 issue of the *Statistical Bulletin*.

**Unemployment statistics** The Live Register is not designed to measure unemployment. It includes part-time (those who work up to three days a week), seasonal and casual workers entitled to Unemployment Assistance or Unemployment Benefit. **Unemployment is measured by the Quarterly National Household Survey** (formerly the Annual Labour Force Survey).

**Standardised unemployment rates** The Standardised Unemployment Rate (SUR) series in Table 3 is based on the estimated number of persons unemployed expressed as a percentage of the total economically active population (i.e. the Labour Force), using internationally comparable definitions of employment and unemployment, as recommended by the International Labour Office. Benchmark estimates of the SUR for April of each year are calculated from the Labour Force Survey/Quarterly National Household Survey. The monthly trend in the seasonally adjusted Live Register has been traditionally used to estimate the monthly SUR between successive surveys.

This approach was temporarily suspended following the rapid decline in the Live Register after September 1996. A linear interpolation estimation approach was used between April 1996 and April 1997, as the Live Register series could not be used as an indicator of monthly trends in unemployment during that period. The traditional estimation approach has been used from April 1997 onwards.

**QNHS** The Quarterly National Household Survey, which began in September 1997, has now replaced the Labour Force Survey and provides quarterly estimates of the unemployment rate. The estimates (unadjusted for seasonality) are:

Year	Q1 %	Q2 %	Q3 %	Q4 %
1997				10.4
1998	8.5	7.8	7.6	6.4
1999	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.1
2000	4.7	4.3	4.3	3.9
2001	3.7	3.7	4.3	4.0

**Seasonal adjustment** The seasonal adjustment of the Live Register is completed using the X-11 Variant of the US Bureau of Census Method 2 (Additive Option). The seasonally adjusted series are updated twice yearly, in January and July; pending the next updating, seasonal adjustment for intervening months is carried out using projected seasonal factors. In Tables 2a, b and c, the seasonally adjusted totals are the sum of the relevant seasonally adjusted series for males and females, under and over 25 years.

Because QNHS estimates are not yet adjusted for seasonality, only the March-May unemployment rates, which are directly comparable with April LFS data, have been incorporated in the calculation of the monthly SUR.

**Casual and part time workers** The casual and part time workers' figure is based on an estimate supplied by the Department of Social, Community and Family Affairs. People may apply for Unemployment Benefit / Assistance if they only work for part of a week and be included on the Live Register.

**History of Flow Analysis** The flow analysis of the Live Register had been published monthly as a separate release since January 1989. Similar details were previously included in the Industrial Analysis of the Live Register, which was discontinued.

**Live Register Flow Analysis** Changes in the level of flows on and off the Live Register in any month reflect conditions in the labour market and aspects of the social insurance system such as transfers to or from other welfare schemes, exhaustion of Unemployment Benefit (UB) entitlement without qualifying for Unemployment Assistance (UA) etc.

**New registrations** The aggregate of *new registrations* for each Friday in a given month is used in conjunction with the *net change* over the same period to calculate the *outflow* from the register. A *new registration* is defined as anybody on the Live Register on a particular Friday who was not on it on the previous Friday.

**Live Register Area Analysis** The basis of the area classification used in this release is the Department of Social, Community and Family Affairs local office of registration. The areas served by Local Employment Offices do not correspond to specific geographic boundaries. Therefore, registrants at a given local office do not necessarily come from a particular region or area which can be precisely delineated. A classification by area of residence of persons on the Live Register was published until January 1989 but was then discontinued.

**NUTS2 and NUTS3 regions** The regional classifications in this release are based on the NUTS (Nomenclature of Territorial Units) classification used by Eurostat. The NUTS3 regions correspond to the eight Regional Authorities established under the Local Government Act, 1991 (Regional Authorities) (Establishment) Order, 1993, which came into operation on 1 January 1994. The NUTS2 regions, which were proposed by Government and agreed by Eurostat in 1999, are groupings of the NUTS3 regions. *See overleaf.*

#### Border, Midland and Western NUTS2 Region

<b>Border</b>	Cavan
	Donegal
	Leitrim
	Louth
	Monaghan
	Sligo
<b>Midland</b>	Laoighis
	Longford
	Offaly
	Westmeath
<b>West</b>	Galway County Borough
	Galway County
	Mayo
	Roscommon

#### Eastern and Southern NUTS2 Region

<b>Dublin</b>	Dublin
	Dun Laoghaire-Rathdown
	Fingal
	South Dublin
<b>Mid-East</b>	Kildare
	Meath
	Wicklow
<b>Mid-West</b>	Clare
	Limerick County Borough
	Limerick County
	Tipperary North Riding
<b>South-East</b>	Carlow
	Kilkenny
	Tipperary South Riding
	Waterford County Borough
	Waterford County
	Wexford
<b>South-West</b>	Cork County Borough
	Cork County
	Kerry