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Births (Quarterly)

Department/Agency

Central Statistics Office (CSO)

Key Information

Births registered by area of residence of mother, age of mother and previous number of liveborn children. Births registered within and outside marriage by age of mother and area of residence of mother. Births registered by nationality of mother, marital status and average age.

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Theme

People and Society - Births, Deaths and Marriages

Source

The General Register Office (GRO).

Scope

All births registered.

Frequency

Quarterly

Reference Period

Calendar quarter

Start Date

1960 quarter 1

Timeliness

About 25 weeks after the end of the reference period

Classification

- > **Province** - Leinster; Munster; Connacht; Ulster (part).
- > **Region (NUTS3)** - Border; Dublin; Mid-East; Midland; Mid-West; South-East; South-West; West.
- > **County or City** - The 34 administrative counties.
- > **Age at maternity** - <20 years; 20-24; 25-29; 30-34; 35-39; 40+ years; Age not stated.
- > **Previous number of liveborn children** - 0 children; 1; 2; 3; 4; 5+ children; Not stated.
- > **Nationality of mother** - Ireland; United Kingdom; EU15 excl. Irl & UK; Accession states (EU27 excl. EU15); Other; Not stated.

Quality

See below a summary from the statistic's [Report on Methods and Quality](#):

- > **Relevance** -
- > **Accuracy and Reliability** -
- > **Timeliness and Punctuality** -
- > **Coherence and Comparability** -
- > **Accessibility and Clarity** -

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