



IS4 – Key Demographics

1 Introduction

Age dependency ratio is the ratio of dependents - people younger than 15 or older than 64 - to the working-age population - those aged 15-64.

Children are recognised as being the highest '*at risk*' of poverty group across the life cycle. The high concentration of poverty amongst children in one-parent families is illustrated by the fact that according to EU-SILC in 2004, of all the children in poverty, 51 per cent were from one parent families while in 2006 this figure rose to 65 per cent.

1.1 Age Dependency

There has been a continuous decline in the age dependency rate (the proportion of population under 15 years of age or over 64 as part of the total population) throughout Ireland moved from 38.1 in 1991 to 31.95 in 2011.

A similar decline applies to Tipperary South (40.3 to 35.9), however the age dependency rate for Tipperary South remains above the national average, in line of it being a comparatively rural county.

Within Tipperary South there exists the typical urban-rural differential, with age dependency being lowest in Clonmel Rural (30.4).

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Age dependency ratio exceeds forty in six EDs, Rathlynin (40.1), Ballycarron (40.6), Shronell (40.9), Oughterleague (41.8), Ballysheehan (43.9), and Graigue (45.1).

Table 1 – Age Dependency 2011 (Source: CSO)

ED Ref	ED Name	1991 Age dependency ratio	1996 Age dependency ratio	2002 Age dependency ratio	2006 Age dependency ratio	2011 Age dependency ratio	2006-2011 Change in Age dependency ratio
23140	Anner	42.6	39.1	35.0	37.4	38.0	1.5
23117	Ardfinnan	38.9	34.8	31.6	32.8	32.7	-.5
23093	Ardmayle	41.4	37.4	33.6	34.9	34.0	-2.6
23094	Ardsallagh	45.1	41.7	37.1	33.7	34.3	1.7
23141	Ballingarry	42.2	38.6	34.0	31.5	32.8	3.8
23118	Ballybacon	45.9	36.6	27.7	30.8	33.3	8.0
23153	Ballycarron	37.6	38.6	38.4	38.5	40.6	5.5
23132	Ballyclerahan	44.3	42.1	34.2	35.0	35.4	1.1
23154	Ballygriffin	44.9	37.4	31.6	33.6	31.6	-5.9
23155	Ballykisteen	38.7	38.3	34.5	34.0	31.6	-7.0
23142	Ballyphilip	33.4	33.4	34.1	34.3	36.1	5.5
23119	Ballyporeen	42.7	37.4	34.9	33.3	36.6	9.9
23095	Ballysheehan	36.6	34.3	39.7	41.9	43.9	4.8
23156	Bansha	39.0	37.9	32.3	30.9	33.4	8.2
23157	Bruis	43.1	36.9	36.1	39.4	37.7	-4.3
23143	Buolick	45.6	41.9	37.4	35.2	34.2	-2.8
23120	Burncourt	40.6	36.9	31.0	31.1	38.4	23.6
23121	Caher	38.1	37.0	37.1	35.5	36.9	3.8
23158	Cappagh	42.0	36.7	34.6	34.3	35.2	2.5
23089	Carrick-On-Suir Rural	37.9	35.5	35.1	35.3	38.3	8.4
23083	Carrick-On-Suir Urban	38.0	36.3	34.5	32.4	33.7	4.0
23082	Carrickbeg Urban	39.1	37.0	35.7	37.8	35.9	-5.0
23096	Cashel Rural	40.2	33.9	31.4	31.0	33.3	7.4
23084	Cashel Urban	44.6	41.3	36.7	36.0	35.9	-.3
23122	Clogheen	43.1	39.1	36.6	35.6	35.9	.8
23097	Clogher	41.6	43.4	40.3	40.5	38.1	-5.8
23159	Clonbeg	41.9	34.2	32.9	32.8	33.5	2.3
23098	Cloneen	38.1	34.0	33.3	37.8	36.8	-2.7
23085	Clonmel East Urban	35.8	34.1	32.8	32.7	33.1	1.1
23133	Clonmel Rural	41.3	39.3	33.5	30.6	30.4	-.4
23086	Clonmel West Urban	38.5	35.3	33.2	33.0	35.3	7.0
23099	Clonoulty East	42.2	37.1	36.4	36.9	39.2	6.4
23100	Clonoulty West	39.5	40.0	38.0	37.0	35.6	-4.0
23101	Colman	41.4	36.4	35.6	35.2	36.1	2.7
23123	Coolagarranroe	44.0	40.1	34.6	30.9	31.3	1.2
23102	Cooleagh	40.7	42.2	38.1	36.6	34.9	-4.6
23144	Crohane	36.8	37.2	32.2	33.6	38.2	13.7

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23160	Cullen	39.8	36.8	37.4	37.7	36.9	-2.1
23161	Curraheen	38.0	38.7	31.1	32.5	39.3	21.1
23124	Derrygrath	42.3	33.9	28.0	29.9	36.6	22.3
23162	Donohill	43.7	40.8	36.3	35.3	34.6	-1.9
23103	Drangan	39.6	40.4	36.6	37.8	38.4	1.6
23163	Drumwood	44.2	38.8	31.7	31.8	35.2	10.9
23164	Emly	40.3	38.8	36.6	34.2	35.1	2.6
23145	Farranrory	39.7	36.8	31.0	30.2	34.4	13.9
23146	Fennor	43.7	41.5	34.9	33.0	34.7	5.0
23104	Fethard	40.9	39.3	35.8	34.3	34.1	-.4
23105	Gaile	43.9	41.6	36.4	37.1	37.5	.8
23090	Garrangibbon	38.6	33.5	35.6	36.0	35.8	-.4
23165	Glengar	40.4	39.8	42.4	35.3	37.7	6.8
23166	Golden	39.8	35.0	31.8	33.9	36.8	8.6
23106	Graigue	37.3	38.2	36.4	40.9	45.1	10.2
23107	Graystown	42.8	38.7	40.2	42.6	38.4	-9.7
23134	Inishlounaught	37.8	35.1	31.2	30.5	32.0	4.7
23135	Kilcash	42.4	38.4	35.2	35.9	37.0	3.1
23125	Kilcommon	39.8	38.3	33.3	31.3	31.7	1.5
23147	Kilcooly	42.9	39.4	35.2	33.4	38.1	14.0
23126	Kilcoran	37.4	37.4	36.9	38.9	39.1	.5
23167	Kilfeakle	34.8	33.5	33.9	39.1	39.9	2.2
23168	Killadriffe	38.8	37.1	34.0	35.3	36.2	2.5
23108	Killeenasteeena	34.0	31.0	32.6	34.9	34.0	-2.5
23109	Killenaule	45.4	39.4	35.6	36.1	35.4	-2.0
23169	Kilmucklin	38.3	36.1	37.3	38.4	39.0	1.6
23091	Kilmurry	40.4	38.3	35.2	32.7	35.1	7.3
23110	Kilpatrick	41.4	39.8	35.9	31.8	32.5	2.1
23701	Kilsheelan/Killalaan	42.7	35.6	33.8	32.7	33.8	3.1
23138	Kiltinan	40.7	35.8	33.9	36.0	39.5	9.6
23148	Kilvemnon	42.7	39.1	31.4	31.6	34.6	9.8
23111	Knockgrafton	43.8	39.6	36.9	33.0	34.8	5.5
23170	Lattin	43.4	38.8	38.8	36.9	38.4	4.1
23139	Lisronagh	42.3	36.4	35.5	35.9	32.0	-10.8
23112	Magorban	42.2	41.8	39.7	37.8	37.9	.1
23149	Modeshil	38.8	36.1	40.6	38.5	38.8	.7
23127	Mortlestown	43.5	37.6	31.8	29.7	32.5	9.4
23150	Mullinahone	41.9	39.8	36.3	34.3	35.7	4.1
23151	New Birmingham	43.5	39.5	30.2	29.8	34.9	17.2
23128	Newcastle	44.9	40.0	37.2	35.2	37.1	5.4
23092	Newtown	43.3	37.7	34.8	32.5	36.0	11.0

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23113	Nodstown	42.2	43.2	35.8	33.4	34.4	3.1
23114	Oughterleague	40.7	45.0	44.2	40.9	41.8	2.1
23115	Peppardstown	38.8	35.7	31.6	32.4	33.3	2.7
23152	Poynsttown	43.5	42.0	43.8	40.3	37.1	-8.0
23171	Rathlynin	39.5	30.2	34.2	38.4	40.1	4.5
23172	Rodus	43.6	38.6	41.9	36.6	36.1	-1.5
23173	Shronell	46.1	44.9	41.8	39.6	40.9	3.4
23174	Solloghodbeg	37.6	35.0	35.9	35.3	34.9	-1.3
23175	Templeneiry	39.3	37.0	35.2	36.7	32.5	-11.5
23176	Thomastown	40.1	37.7	37.8	35.0	35.2	.4
23087	Tipperary East Urban	42.9	39.7	36.3	35.5	32.8	-7.6
23177	Tipperary Rural	35.7	35.4	36.2	33.6	34.4	2.3
23088	Tipperary West Urban	38.1	37.0	36.1	33.8	34.9	3.2
23129	Tubbrid	45.0	39.5	38.0	30.4	33.9	11.6
23130	Tullaghmelan	42.8	39.3	34.2	35.3	35.0	-.9
23131	Tullaghorton	40.0	36.4	37.7	36.3	36.5	.6
23116	Tullamain	36.6	25.7	29.0	34.2	37.0	8.2
	South Tipperary	40.3	37.4	34.6	33.9	35.9	2

1.2 Lone Parents

The proportion of lone parents (as a proportion of all households with dependent children) in Ireland grew from 10.7% in 1991 to 25.7% nationally in 2011.

Reflecting the urban-rural dichotomy within the county, Kilvemnon and Ballycarron had particularly low ratios at 1.9 and 2, respectively. There are 21 EDs, where the ratio is 10 or less.

Cashel Urban, Tipperary East Urban, Carrick-On-Suir Urban and Clonmel West Urban have rates that are high by local comparison.

Table 2 – Lone Parent Households 2011 (Source: CSO)

ED Ref	ED Name	1991 Lone parents ratio	1996 Lone parents ratio	2002 Lone parents ratio	2006 Lone parents ratio	2011 Lone parents ratio	2006-2011 Change in Lone parents ratio
23140	Anner	8.8	14.7	5.0	7.5	14.3	90.5
23117	Ardfinnan	12.3	9.4	18.3	21.5	22.9	6.4
23093	Ardmayle	12.1	1.6	6.3	15.2	16.7	10.0
23094	Ardsallagh	.0	2.3	9.8	2.3	4.8	109.5
23141	Ballingarry	11.5	15.3	13.4	23.6	12.5	-47.1
23118	Ballybacon	10.8	9.1	.0	6.1	13.1	114.2
23153	Ballycarron	7.1	5.3	12.0	6.3	2.0	-68.0
23132	Ballyclerahan	2.2	4.8	7.9	12.2	18.5	51.9
23154	Ballygriffin	.0	.0	4.0	8.3	19.2	130.8

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ED Ref	ED Name	1991 Lone parents ratio	1996 Lone parents ratio	2002 Lone parents ratio	2006 Lone parents ratio	2011 Lone parents ratio	2006-2011 Change in Lone parents ratio
23155	Ballykisteen	6.6	9.8	4.9	13.7	15.4	12.3
23142	Ballyphilip	15.0	10.8	11.1	13.0	8.7	-33.3
23119	Ballyporeen	9.5	5.6	7.8	12.9	16.5	27.9
23095	Ballysheehan	2.6	6.5	12.8	15.6	7.7	-50.5
23156	Bansha	9.8	11.2	15.6	19.5	29.9	53.2
23157	Bruis	12.0	3.6	4.2	7.5	7.5	.0
23143	Buolick	9.2	9.0	12.3	23.2	26.8	15.7
23120	Burncourt	10.9	16.3	20.0	15.9	10.2	-35.9
23121	Caher	6.7	13.1	8.9	15.6	11.0	-29.5
23158	Cappagh	4.5	7.1	14.3	17.7	19.6	10.8
23089	Carrick-On-Suir Rural	.0	11.4	3.5	8.1	9.5	18.1
23083	Carrick-On-Suir Urban	13.4	19.7	28.5	37.2	37.8	1.8
23082	Carrickbeg Urban	8.3	12.6	24.8	32.5	36.1	11.1
23096	Cashel Rural	3.1	4.7	8.5	12.8	19.9	55.4
23084	Cashel Urban	14.1	16.7	25.4	37.7	36.9	-2.0
23122	Clogheen	10.7	11.1	16.8	16.8	13.3	-21.2
23097	Clogher	5.0	5.3	4.8	8.3	4.2	-50.0
23159	Clonbeg	6.0	1.9	10.3	16.9	20.3	19.8
23098	Cloneen	6.1	3.6	17.6	16.3	17.2	5.6
23085	Clonmel East Urban	11.5	15.4	26.1	34.2	33.3	-2.4
23133	Clonmel Rural	9.6	15.5	24.1	27.7	22.7	-18.2
23086	Clonmel West Urban	13.8	19.9	28.1	38.7	43.8	13.3
23099	Clonoulty East	8.2	11.3	15.5	12.7	18.6	46.5
23100	Clonoulty West	3.1	9.7	12.3	18.7	14.1	-24.5
23101	Colman	11.8	5.9	6.0	8.6	17.2	100.0
23123	Coolagarranroe	1.7	7.5	.0	3.8	5.8	52.9
23102	Cooleagh	4.4	6.8	14.8	11.8	17.4	47.8
23144	Crohane	.0	3.8	.0	4.5	16.1	254.8
23160	Cullen	3.6	8.7	16.7	20.0	12.5	-37.5
23161	Curraheen	12.9	14.8	8.7	11.1	14.3	28.6
23124	Derrygrath	2.9	9.1	8.2	9.7	3.6	-62.7
23162	Donohill	3.1	8.2	19.7	21.4	24.7	15.2
23103	Drangan	10.9	19.0	10.1	13.6	15.0	10.5
23163	Drumwood	8.5	8.2	2.1	5.7	10.3	81.9
23164	Emly	15.2	12.5	16.7	16.9	30.9	82.1
23145	Farranrory	9.1	10.2	24.5	19.6	18.8	-4.2
23146	Fennor	5.7	2.9	13.6	6.7	7.1	7.1
23104	Fethard	24.5	17.2	25.7	35.5	33.7	-5.0
23105	Gaile	11.3	9.7	10.1	27.7	20.9	-24.5
23090	Garrangibbon	7.6	11.5	18.0	24.7	24.7	.0
23165	Glengar	.0	.0	17.4	4.5	7.1	57.1
23166	Golden	8.8	12.9	15.4	18.3	22.6	23.7
23106	Graigue	.0	20.0	.0	5.6	5.9	5.9
23107	Graystown	9.8	10.9	14.9	10.4	7.7	-26.2
23134	Inishlounaught	5.8	7.1	8.8	15.0	23.0	53.6
23135	Kilcash	.0	3.4	8.8	7.7	12.0	56.5
23125	Kilcommon	14.6	20.9	20.2	21.1	29.5	39.7
23147	Kilcooly	2.5	12.9	9.1	16.1	16.3	.9
23126	Kilcoran	2.4	13.3	.0	3.8	9.0	132.8
23167	Kilfeakle	6.5	4.4	4.5	5.5	4.5	-16.7
23168	Killadriffe	3.0	10.2	4.2	3.9	6.1	56.1
23108	Killeenastreena	3.0	7.1	3.4	11.9	10.3	-13.2
23109	Killenaule	7.6	13.1	15.4	18.8	32.0	70.1
23169	Kilmucklin	9.3	7.8	17.2	13.6	21.2	55.6
23091	Kilmurry	8.3	18.9	14.3	22.2	20.0	-10.0

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23110	Kilpatrick	5.4	3.9	8.2	13.6	16.3	20.3
23701	Kilsheelan/Killaloan	6.4	7.0	14.0	21.8	26.5	21.5
23138	Kiltinan	11.4	12.1	14.3	9.7	7.9	-18.4
23148	Kilvemnon	6.5	11.4	5.0	9.3	1.9	-79.3
23111	Knockgrafton	6.0	10.8	10.7	11.6	11.6	.4
23170	Lattin	8.8	6.0	13.8	23.4	23.5	.4
23139	Lisronagh	8.8	7.9	12.3	17.2	28.0	62.7
23112	Magorban	10.2	3.9	4.0	8.2	10.1	23.5
23149	Modeshil	3.4	6.5	7.9	12.1	4.9	-59.8
23127	Mortlestown	3.2	8.3	10.9	26.7	19.4	-27.3
23150	Mullinahone	9.5	14.1	14.4	24.8	26.2	5.9
23151	New Birmingham	10.2	11.1	13.5	32.7	33.3	2.0
23128	Newcastle	7.4	8.2	2.0	13.6	21.3	56.6
23092	Newtown	7.9	7.9	10.0	24.4	32.7	33.9
23113	Nodstown	5.9	2.0	2.4	10.2	10.8	5.5
23114	Oughterleague	2.2	4.8	17.0	14.3	20.0	40.0
23115	Peppardstown	11.0	10.9	18.2	22.6	30.4	34.2
23152	Poynstown	.0	4.3	18.2	28.6	10.0	-65.0
23171	Rathlynin	3.1	.0	.0	2.9	17.0	494.3
23172	Rodus	14.8	19.4	.0	3.8	17.2	348.3
23173	Shronell	.0	11.8	7.1	9.8	10.4	6.8
23174	Solloghodbeg	8.3	4.5	4.3	11.1	7.1	-35.7
23175	Templeneiry	2.4	2.7	14.0	17.6	16.3	-7.5
23176	Thomastown	2.4	2.4	7.0	26.2	23.4	-10.6
23087	Tipperary East Urban	14.5	20.1	38.4	49.0	37.0	-24.5
23177	Tipperary Rural	5.7	5.2	5.3	11.1	18.4	65.9
23088	Tipperary West Urban	10.2	14.3	20.5	30.1	27.5	-8.8
23129	Tubbrid	3.5	3.6	13.6	7.8	14.7	87.5
23130	Tullaghmelan	1.3	9.7	11.5	12.2	18.7	53.6
23131	Tullaghorton	3.3	3.3	.0	12.1	16.1	33.1
23116	Tullamain	8.3	2.6	2.2	21.7	20.2	-7.0
South Tipperary		9.2	12.3	16.9	22.2	17.7	