

AGE/SEX

In April 2011 Tullow had a population of 3,972, consisting of 1,919 males and 2,053 females.

The population of pre-school age (0-4) was 384, of primary school going age (5-12) was 454 and of secondary school going age (13-18) was 264. There were 428 persons aged 65 years and over. The number of persons aged 18 years or over was 2,915.

MARITAL STATUS

Of the 3,035 persons aged 15 years and over, 1,313 were single, 1,280 were married, 157 were separated, 119 were divorced and 166 were widowed.

LIVING ARRANGEMENTS

There were 1,478 private households in Tullow in April 2011, of which 400 were single person households. Of the 1,027 families in the area, 272 were couples with no children. The average number of children per family was 1.4 compared with 1.4 nationally.

HOUSEHOLDS BY COMPOSITION

	Tullow		State
	No. of households	% breakdown	% breakdown
One Person	400	27.1	23.7
Couple without children	243	16.4	18.9
Couple with children	468	31.7	34.9
Lone parent family	209	14.1	10.9
Other	158	10.7	11.6
Total	1,478	100.0	100.0

MIGRATION AND NATIONALITIES

90.9 per cent of the usually resident population aged over 1 lived at the same address one year before the census. A further 6.4 per cent lived elsewhere in the same county, 1.6 per cent lived elsewhere in the State while 1.2 per cent lived outside the State twelve months before the census on April 10, 2011.

Non-Irish nationals accounted for 18.9 per cent of the population of Tullow compared with a national average figure of 12.0 per cent. Polish (360 persons) were the largest group, followed by Latvians (137 persons).

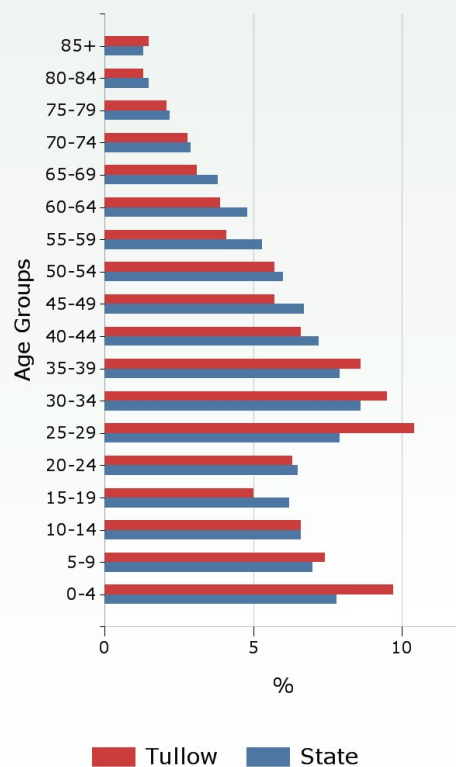
LANGUAGES

1,184 persons could speak the Irish language and of these 410 spoke the language daily. 676 persons spoke a language other than Irish or English at home and of these 225 could not speak English well or at all. Polish was the most common foreign language spoken at home with 336 speakers.

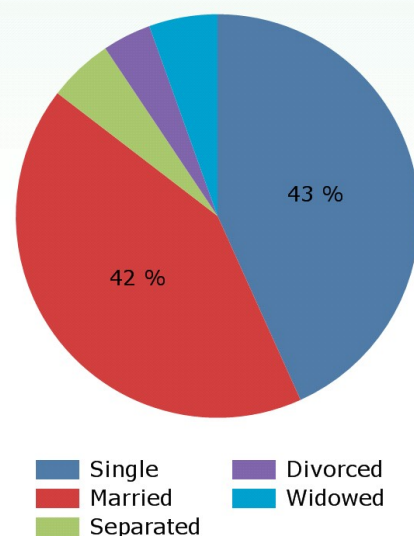
RELIGION

There were 3,461 Roman Catholics in the area at census time. A further 281 were adherents of other stated religions (e.g. Church of Ireland, Islam, Presbyterian, Orthodox), while 151 persons indicated that they had no religion.

AGE COMPARISON



MARITAL STATUS (AGE 15+)



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THIS AREA: TULLOW

LABOUR FORCE

There were 1,940 persons aged 15 years and over in the labour force and of these, 72.4 per cent (1,405 persons) were at work. The unemployment rate for this area was 27.6 per cent compared with a national average rate of 19.0 per cent.

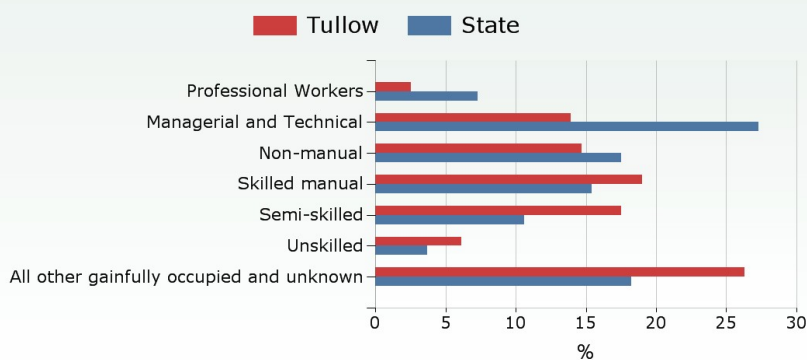
Of the 1,095 persons aged 15 years and over who were outside the labour force, 21.7 per cent were students, 26.8 per cent were looking after the home/family and 32.2 per cent were retired.

Of the 1,405 workers enumerated in Tullow, 750 worked outside the area. The daytime working population (resident and non-resident) of Tullow was 1,195 with commerce and trade being the largest industry.

EDUCATION

Of those aged 15 years and over whose full-time education had ceased, 17.3 per cent were educated to at most primary level only; a further 64.7 per cent attained second level while 18.0 per cent were educated to third level.

SOCIAL CLASS COMPARISON



TRAVEL TO WORK

The most popular means of travelling to work was by car (driver) with this mode accounting for 62.3 per cent of all journeys. 13 persons commuted using public transport (bus or rail). The average journey time was 26 minutes and 22.2 per cent of workers faced a commuting time in excess of 30 minutes.

DISABILITY AND CARERS

535 persons had a disability in April 2011, of whom 159, representing 29.7 per cent of the total, were aged 65 years and over.

131 persons (49 males and 82 females) provided regular unpaid personal help for a friend or family member with a long-term illness, health problem or disability. 26.0 per cent of these provided care for more than 6 hours per day.

HOUSING, INTERNET AND CARS

92.3 per cent of households lived in houses or bungalows while a further 7.7 per cent lived in apartments, flats or bedsits. 838 dwellings (56.7 per cent) were owner occupied while 622 dwellings (42.1 per cent) were rented. 39.9 per cent of the dwellings in this area were built in the ten years before the census. The average number of persons per household was 2.6 compared with 2.7 nationally.

55.8 per cent of households had broadband connectivity compared with 63.8 per cent nationally. 30.4 per cent of households had two or more cars.

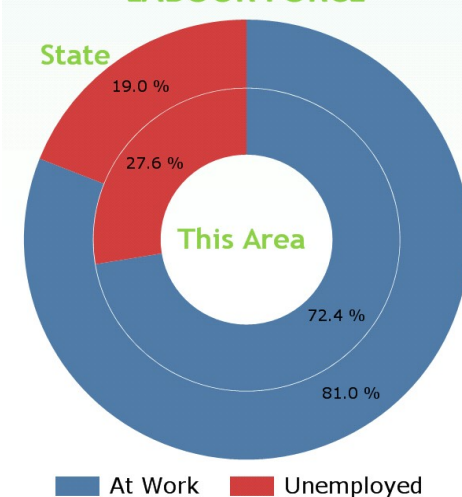
GENERAL HEALTH

In this area 3,348 persons stated they were in very good or good health, representing 84.3 per cent of total persons. This compares to 88.3 per cent of total persons nationally. 71 persons stated they were in bad or very bad health, representing 1.8 per cent of total persons in this area. Again this compares with 1.5 per cent of total persons nationally.

WORKERS BY INDUSTRY

Industry	Daytime Working Population
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	11
Building and construction	17
Manufacturing	136
Commerce and trade	496
Transport and communications	24
Public administration	44
Professional services	341
Other	126
Total	1,195

LABOUR FORCE



PERMANENT HOUSING STOCK

Dwelling Type	This Area	State
Occupied or Usually Occupied	1,524	1,705,394
<i>Of which</i>		
House or Bungalow	87.1%	84.7%
Flat, Apartment, Bedsit	7.3%	11.0%
Not Stated	5.6%	4.3%
Vacant	487	289,451
<i>Of which</i>		
Holiday Home	11.9%	20.5%
Other	88.1%	79.5%