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Every car registration plate in the Republic of Ireland contains letters telling you in what county the car was first registered.

In many cases the first and last letter of the name of the county is used. In other cases, it is just the initial letter that is used.



Mayo

[MO]

Sligo

[SO]

Roscommon

[RN]

Galway

[G]

Leitrim

[LM]

Clare

[CE]

Limerick

[L]



Kerry

[KY]

Cork

[C]

Waterford

[W]

Tipperary

[T]

Kilkenny

[KK]

Carlow

[CW]

Wexford

[WX]



Laois

[LS]

Offaly

[OY]

Wicklow

[WW]

Kildare

[KE]

Dublin

[D]

Westmeath

[WH]

Meath

[MH]



Longford

[LD]

Cavan

[CN]

Louth

[LH]

Monaghan

[MN]

Donegal

[DL]



Prior to 2014, the following codes were also used:

Limerick County [LK]

Tipperary North [TN]

Tipperary South [TS]

Waterford County [WD]

In the case of these counties, where a vehicle has been first brought into use in another country prior to 1 January 2014 and is subsequently imported into and registered in Ireland, the codes L, LK, TS, TN, W, and WD as formerly applicable continue to be issued for such vehicles.



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