

Breakdown of Penalty Point by Type as at 31st January 2020

Offence Description	No. of Notices Issued
22-35mcg of alcohol per 100ml of breath	1,075
50-80mg of alcohol per 100ml of blood	123
67-107mg of alcohol per 100ml of urine	108
Adult Failing to wear Safety Belt cat. M1 Vehicle	13,503
Adult Failing to wear Safety Belt cat. M2 Vehicle	253
Adult Failing to wear Safety Belt cat. M3 Vehicle	148
Adult Failing to wear Safety Belt cat. N1 Vehicle	3,466
Adult Failing to wear Safety Belt cat. N2 Vehicle	1,072
Adult Failing to wear Safety Belt cat. N3 Vehicle	1,295
Bald/Not maintained/cause damage tyre-Left front wheel	944
Bald/Not maintained/cause damage tyre-Left rear wheel	529
Bald/Not maintained/cause damage tyre-Right front wheel	1,023
Bald/Not maintained/cause damage tyre-Right rear wheel	499
Breach of duties on occurrence of an accident	892
Breach of motorway outside lane driving rule	62
Careless Driving	1,923
Contravention of requirements at junctions	21
Contravention of requirements for reversing	19
Contravention of rules for use of mini roundabouts	32
Cross continuous white line/broken white line	3,470
Crossing 'No Entry' sign	265
Dangerous Driving Reduced to Careless Driving	1,642
Drive against flow of traffic on motorway	39
Drive from right lane to another without yielding	1
Drive on hardshoulder/non carriageway - motorway	174
Driver (Owner) Exceeding Maximum Load	34
Driver (Owner) Exceeding Maximum Weight	7
Driver Exceeding Design Gross Vehicle Weight	45
Driver Exceeding Maximum Weight	68
Driver Fail Restrain Child 0/3 in Child Restraint	2,001
Driver Fail Restrain Child U/3 in Child Restraint	847
Driver Fail ensure Passenger U/17 wear Safety Belt	1,879
Driver Owner Exceeding Design Gross Vehicle Weight	7
Driver Owner Transmits greater Load than Max Load Permitted	7
Driving a vehicle while holding a mobile phone	82,537
Driving along/across median strip	562
Driving dangerously defective vehicle	52
Driving on/across cycle track	29
Driving on/across footway	82
Driving past a red light. Contrary to sec 35(5)RTA 1994	62
Driving without reasonable consideration	15,964
Entry to hatched marked area	1,248
Fail to Deactivate Airbag Child Restraint in use	12
Fail to act in accordance with Garda signal	18
Fail to comply with Keep to Right/Left signs	12
Fail to comply with No Entry traffic sign	388
Fail to comply with mandatory traffic signs	205
Fail to comply with prohibitory traffic signs	4,161
Fail to comply with traffic lane markings	948
Fail to drive on the left hand side	156
Fail to obey rules at railway level crossing	15
Fail to obey traffic lights	12,331
Fail to stop before stop sign/stop line	668
Fail to stop for Garda	255
Fail to stop for school warden sign	4
Fail to turn left onto a roundabout	14
Fail to yield right of way	296
Fail to yield right of way at sign/line	132
General speed obligation - stop visible distance	37
Learner driver unaccompanied by a qualified driver	13,266
Modified plated vehicle with inaccurate inscription	3
Modified/altered vehicle that plate is inaccurate	26
Motorcycle Tyre with Depth Less than 1mm - User	22
No cert of road worthiness user	210
No child restraint front seat - child	36
No child restraint rear seat - child	103
No insurance - (user)	13,470
No safety belt - driver	2,103
No safety belt front seat - child	63
No safety belt rear seat - child	169
No speed limitation device fitted (driver/usr)	1
Non-Display of L Plate (Learner Driver)	7,645
Non-Display of N plate (Novice driver)	1,336
Non-Display of yellow 'L' tabard on motorcycle	261
Non-Display of yellow 'N' tabard on motorcycle	22
Offence relating to Overtaking	1,994
Overtake - Inconvenience /Endanger Other Than Cyclist	3
Parking a vehicle in a dangerous position	112
Proceeding beyond a traffic lane control sign	3
Proceeding beyond max design gross vehicle weight sign	13
Proceeding beyond max vehicle axle loading weight sign	5
Proceeding beyond maximum vehicle width sign vehicle and trailer	1
Reduced to Driving without reasonable consideration	332
Speeding	399,118
Speeding Buses no standing passengers	4
Striking bridge with vehicle	1
Tyre with Cut - User	31
Tyre with Depth Less than 1.6 mm - User	603
Tyre with Lump/Bulge/Tear/Partial Failure - User	24
Tyre with Ply/Cord Exposed - User	301
U-Turn on dual carriageway/central reserve/traffic island	93
Unsuitable Tyre - User	65
Unsuitable Tyre due to degree of inflation - User	20
Use vehicle without NCT certificate	20,193
Using vehicle without authorisation plate goods vehicle/trailer	11
Using vehicle without authorisation plate passenger	3
TOTAL	619,327