

COUNTRY FACT-SHEET :
IRELAND 



PROMOTING **SMART SUSTAINABLE AND INCLUSIVE** GROWTH
FOR THE ATLANTIC AREA

A- General overview

i. Morphological structure of the Atlantic coastline

1.1.	Length of coastline in km	7,711
1.2.	Total area of the coastal zone in km ² (within a range of 10 km from the coast).	13,834 (shoreline electric districts area)
1.3.	No. of inhabited islands (if any).	Approx 63

ii. Population and related social conditions for the Atlantic maritime areas (data)

2.1. Total country population	4,588,252,000 (CSO, Census of Population 2011).
2.2. No. inhabitants living in the Atlantic coastal area.	4,302,794,000
2.3. Total employment of population aged 20-64 living in Atlantic area (last three years – Eurostat).	
2.4. Female employment rate, persons aged 20-64	2013 – 60.3% 2012 – 59.4% 2011 – 59.4%
2.5. Older persons employment rate, persons aged 55-64	2013 – 51.3% 2012 – 49.3% 2011 – 50.00%
2.6. Total unemployment of population aged 15-74 living in Atlantic area (last three years – Eurostat). National figures	2013 – 13.1% 2012 – 14.7% 2011 – 14.7%



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2.7. Youth unemployment rate, persons aged 15-24. National Figures	2013 – 58.3% 2012 – 55.3% 2011 – 44.7%
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iii. Economic role of Atlantic maritime areas over the national total (data)

3.1. Gross Domestic Product (GDP) in the Atlantic coastal areas (in euros) (if available from the last three years).	2011 – 130.8bn Source: SEMRU estimations based on CSO population
3.2. Gross Domestic Product (GDP) per capita in the country (in euros) (if available from the last three years).	National GDP 2013 – 164,049,000,000 2012 – 163,938,000,000 2011 – 162,599,000,000 National GDP per capita 2013 – 36,200 2012 – 36,400 2011 – 36,500
3.3. Gross Value added (GVA) (in euros) in the last three years (if available) in the Atlantic coastal areas.	Not available
3.4. Gross Value added (GVA) (in euros) in the last three years (if available) in the country.	2013 – Q1 (35606.4); Q2 (37274.9) 2012 – Q1 (37386.4); Q2 (37424.5); Q3 (37196.4); Q4 (36497.5) 2011 – Q3 (36125.5); Q4 (36796.1)

iv. GVA – Details by NACE activities (data)



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Sector	GVA of NUTS0 (not available at coastal) (million EUR)	Share in the national GVA for the sector
Agriculture, Aquaculture and Fishing (A)	2013 Q3 - 675.6	100
Manufacturing (C)	2013 Q3 - 8664.2	100
Construction (F)	2013 Q3 - 616.5	100
Wholesale and retail trade; transport; accommodation and food service activities; information and communication (G-J)	G-I – 2013 Q3 - 5756.8 J – 2013 Q3 - 3346.8	100

v. Employment – Details by NACE activities (data)

Sector	Employment at NUTS0 (thousand) (not available for coastal regions)	Share in the national employment for the sector
Agriculture, Aquaculture and Fishing (A)	2014 Q2 – 109.8	100
Manufacturing (C)	2014 Q2 – 580.0	100
Construction (F)	2014 Q2 – 106.3	100
Wholesale and retail trade; transport; accommodation and food service activities; information and	2014 Q2 – 108.0	100



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Sector	Employment at NUTSO (thousand) (not available for coastal regions)	Share in the national employment for the sector
communication (G-J)		