Method Statement for Breakdown of Stamp Duty Receipts Dataset



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Statistics & Economic Research Branch



1. Introduction

The purpose of this document is to provide information on the commitment to quality activities and procedures Revenue has put in place in respect of the production of Revenue Statistics to comply with the Irish Statistical System Code of Practice (ISSCOP). 1

This dataset provides a breakdown of stamp duty receipts by type since 2011.

¹ For more information see http://www.isscop.ie/

2. General Information

Dataset Name:	Breakdown of Stamp Duty Receipts
Keywords:	Land and property, Stocks, Shares, Companies' Capital Duty, Cheques, Credit cards, Insurance, Levy on certain financial institutions
Update Frequency:	Annual
Licence:	CC-By
Formats:	.csv, .pdf
Hyperlinks:	https://www.revenue.ie/en/corporate/information-about-revenue/statistics/receipts/receipts-stamp-duty.aspx Open Data Portal: https://data.gov.ie/dataset/breakdown-of-stamp-duty-receipts
Business Owner:	Fionnuala Ryan
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Reference Years	2011-2022
Anonymisation or aggregation required:	No, Macro-Data
Geographical Scope:	National

3. Production

Coding:	Not applicable
Data Source:	Taxpayer Returns
Imputation:	Not applicable
Breakdown:	The data are broken down by duty and levy type.
Computation:	None

4. Quality

Relevance:	Data are used to:
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	 Inform the Tax Strategy Group and the Department of Finance on budgetary decisions
	 Provide answers to Parliamentary Questions (PQs) and Freedom of Information (FOI) requests.
	Inform policymakers and internal stakeholders and
	 Fulfil requests for data from academics, students, journalists and members of the public.
Accuracy &	Data are compared with the previous year's data.
Reliability:	Source data are input into Revenue's systems by the Collector General's area and the statistical outputs are assessed and validated are signed off by the Accountant General's area.
Timeliness &	An advance release schedule is provided for all datasets with anticipated
Punctuality:	publication deadline.
	Divergence from the notified schedule is publicised in advance, along with a new release date.
	See the list of Supporting Documentation below for a link to the current
	Revenue Statistics Publication Calendar.
Coherence and Comparability:	The dataset provides figures for stamp duty receipts by type. The data are grouped at the same granularity for all years.
	Where there is a deviation notes are provided. Provisional data are also identified.
Accessibility and Clarity:	Published electronically on Revenue's Website & Open Data portal
	This dataset is consistent with the Open Data Technical Framework:
	with metadata, methodological and quality information
	to Open Data 3-star Format (i.e., machine readable) and
	searchable through keywords.

5. Supporting Documentation

Revenue Statistics - Quality Statement

Revenue Statistics - Publication and Dissemination Policy

Revenue Statistics - Publication Calendar

Revenue Statistics - Statistical Disclosure Control

Open Data Technical Framework

Irish Statistical System Code of Practice