

Acronym	Meaning
AADT	Annual Average Daily Traffic
AAWT	Annual Average Weekday Traffic
ABP	An Bord Pleanála
ACSU	Archaeological Consultancy Services Unit Ltd
ADS	Arterial Drainage Systems
AEP	Annual Exceedance Probability
AER	Annual Environmental Reports
ALO	Adjacent Line Open
AMS	Archaeological Management Solutions Ltd
ATC	Automatic Traffic Counter
BCI	Bat Conservation Ireland
BGE	Bord Gáis Éireann
BoCCI	Birds of Conservation Concern in Ireland
C&D	Construction and Demolition
CA	Competent Authority
CCC	Cork County Council
CCDP	Cork County Development Plan
CCOP	Construction Code Of Practice
CCTV	Closed Circuit Television
CDP	County Development Plan
CIÉ	Coras Iompair Éireann
CIEEM	Chartered Institute of Ecology and Environmental Management
CIÉ GP	Córas Iompair Éireann Group Property
CIRIA	Construction Industry Research and Information Association
CEMP	Construction Environmental Management Plan
CO	Carbon Monoxide
CO ₂	Carbon Dioxide
CO ₂ e	Carbon Dioxide Equivalent
CoPA	Control of Pollution Act
CRR	Commission for Railway Regulation
CRTN	Calculation of Road Traffic Noise
CSM	Conceptual Site Model
CSO	Central Statistics Office
CTMP	Construction Traffic Management Plan
DAU	Development Applications Unit
dB	Decibel
DCHG	Department of Culture, Heritage and the Gaeltacht
DCC	Dublin City Council

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DD	Drainage Districts
DHLGH	Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage
DIER	Database of Irish Excavation Reports
DMC	Domestic Material Consumption
DMP	Dust Management Plan
DMRB	Design Manual for Roads and Bridges
DO	Dissolved Oxygen
DRI	Digital Repository of Ireland
EC	European Commission
ECoW	Ecological Clerk of Works
eDNA	Environmental DNA (deoxyribonucleic acid)
EEC	European Economic Community
EIA	Environmental Impact Assessment
EIAR	Environmental Impact Assessment Report
EIRP	Environmental Incident Response Plan
EIS	Environmental Impact Statement
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
ERP	Emergency Response Plan
EU	European Union
EWC	European Waste Catalogue
FRA	Flood Risk Assessment
GI	Ground Investigation
GIS	Geographical Information Systems
GLVIA	Guidelines for Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment
GSI	Geological Survey Ireland
GS&WR	Great Southern and Western Railway
GWDTE	Ground Water Dependent Terrestrial Ecosystems
GVA	Gross Value Added
Ha	Hectares
HDV	Heavy Duty Vehicle
HEV	Historic Environment Viewer
HGV	Heavy Goods Vehicles
HMV	Heritage Map Viewer
IAQM	Institute of Air Quality Management
IÉ	Iarnród Éireann
IÉ CCED	Iarnród Éireann Chief Civil Engineers Department
IÉ IMOD	Iarnród Éireann Infrastructure Management Operations Department
IEMA	Institute of Environmental Management and Assessment
IÉ NWD	Iarnród Éireann New Works Department

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IE SETD	Iarnród Éireann Signalling, Electrical and Telecommunications Department
IFI	Inland Fisheries Ireland
I-WeBS	Irish Wetland Bird Survey
JTC	Junction Turning Count
KER	Key Ecological Receptor
KM	Kilometre
LDVs	Light Duty Vehicles
LA10	The A-weighted, sound level just exceeded for 10% of the measurement period, calculated by statistical analysis
LAeq,T	The A-weighted, equivalent continuous sound level. T denotes the time period over which the fluctuating sound levels were averaged, for example LAeq,8h is the equivalent continuous noise level over an 8 hour period.
LAP	Local Area Plan
LC	Level Crossing
LCA	Landscape Character Area
LCCC	Limerick City and County Council
LCDP	Limerick County Development Plan
LCT	Landscape Character Type
Lden	The A-weighted, Leq (equivalent noise level) over a whole day, but with a penalty of 10 dB(A) for night-time noise (23:00-07:00) and 5 dB(A) for evening noise (19:00-23:00), also known as the day evening night noise indicator
LEAa	Local Electoral Areas
LGV	Light Goods Vehicle
LIA	Landscape Impact Assessment
LoW	List of Waste
LVIA	Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment
m	Metres
MANDs	Major Accidents and/or Natural Disasters
MCA	Multi Criteria Analysis
NBDC	National Biodiversity Data Centre
NDP	National Development Plan
NIAH	National Inventory of Architectural Heritage
NHA	National Heritage Areas
NIS	Natura Impact Statement
NMI	National Museum of Ireland
NMS	National Monuments Service (DHLGH)
NPF	National Planning Framework
NPWS	National Parks and Wildlife Service

Acronym	Meaning
NO ₂	Nitrogen Dioxide
NRA	National Roads Authority
NS	Noise survey ID
NSO	National Strategic Objective
NTA	National Transport Authority
NWCSP	North West Cork Strategic Plan
MASP	Metropolitan Area Strategic Plan
MWASP	Mid-West Area Strategic Plan
MATS	Metropolitan Area Transport Strategy
OPW	Office of Public Works
OS	Ordnance Survey
PCR	Planning Compliance Report
PDR	Preliminary Design Report
PICP	Pollution Incident Control Plan
PM ₁₀	Particulate Matter 10 micrometres or less in diameter
PM _{2.5}	Particulate Matter 2.5 micrometres or less in diameter
pNHA	Proposed National Heritage Area
PRF	Potential Roost Feature
PFRA	Preliminary Flood Risk Assessment
PRoW	Public Right of Way
PPE	Personal Protective Equipment
PPV	Peak Particle Velocity
PWS	Private Water Supplies
QI	Qualifying Interest
R	Receptor ID
RAIU	Railway Accident Investigation Unit
RBMP	River Basin Management Plan
RMP	Record of Monuments and Places
RoI	Republic of Ireland
RPS	Record of Protected Structures
RSA	Road Safety Audit
RSES	Regional Spatial and Economic Strategy
RSIA	Road Safety Impact Assessment
RPG	Regional Planning Guidelines
RSF	Right Side Failure
SAC	Special Area of Conservation
SCI	Special Conservation Interest
SMR	Sites and Monuments Record
SO ₂	Sulphur Dioxide

Acronym	Meaning
SPA	Special Protection Area
SPAD	Signal Passed at Danger
ST	Septic Tank
SUDS	Sustainable Urban Drainage Systems
SWMP	Site Waste Management Plan
TAG	Target Archaeological Geophysics
TII	Transport Infrastructure Ireland
TSS	Total Suspended Solids
TTA	Traffic and Transport Assessment
TTM	Temporary Traffic Management Procedures
TMG	Traffic Management Group
VIA	Visual Impact Assessment
WCH	Walkers, Cyclists and Horse Riders
WeBS	Wetland Bird Survey
WFD	Water Framework Directive
WMP	Waste Management Plan
WWTP	Wastewater Treatment Plant
yd	Yard
ZoI	Zone of Influence
$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	micrograms (one-millionth of a gram) per cubic meter