

**1) The number of initial applications in 2010**

In 2010, there were 12,529 initial applications for registration to start the approved driving instructor (ADI) qualifying process. The ADI qualifying process consists of three qualifying tests (ADI part one to part three).

**2) The number of initial applications in 2011**

Between 1 January and 31 October 2011, there were 7,317 initial applications for registration to start the ADI qualifying process. The ADI qualifying process consists of three qualifying tests (ADI part one to part three).

**3) The number of newly qualified approved driving instructors in 2011**

Between 1 January and 31 October 2011, there were 3,360 people that newly qualified as ADIs. This figure refers to those that joined the register in that period having passed all three parts of the ADI qualifying process.

You can find more information about the ADI qualifying process online at

<http://www.businesslink.gov.uk/bdotg/action/layer?r.i=1082073861&r.l1=1081597476&r.l2=1082103262&r.l3=1084755704&r.l4=1082073560&r.t=RESOURCES&topicId=1096992587>

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