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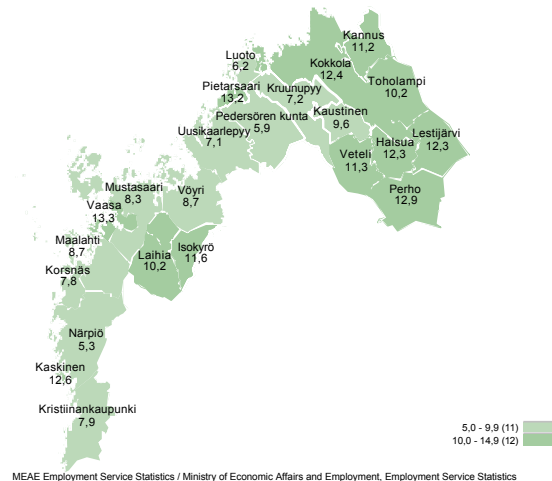
OSTROBOTHNIA

Employment Bulletin

July 2016

In July, the number of unemployed jobseekers was 12 850

Unemployed jobseekers' percentage of the workforce by municipality



A total of 12 850 unemployed jobseekers were registered at Employment and Economic Development Office in Ostrobothnia at the end of July. This is 803 more than a year earlier. The number of unemployed jobseekers increased by 816 from the previous month. The share of the unemployed jobseekers out of the labour force is still the lowest (10,9 %) in the country in the area of the Centre for Economic Development, Transport and the Environment of Ostrobothnia. In the South Ostrobothnia this number is 11 % and in the whole country 14,4 %.

Compared with June the share of the unemployed jobseekers of the labour force increased by 0,7 percentage points in the Ostrobothnia and by 0,5 percentage points in the whole country.

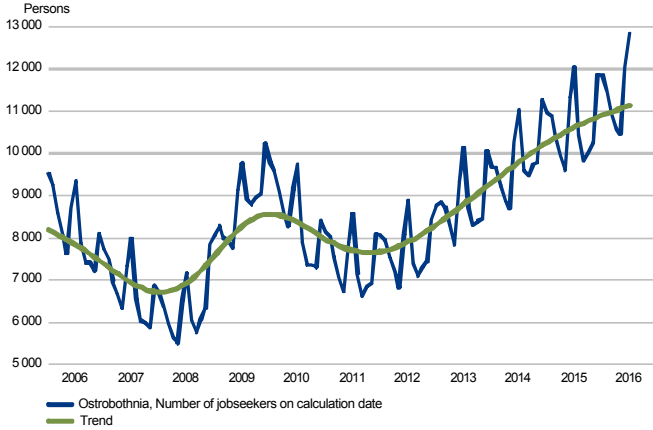
The figures are from the Employment Service Statistics of the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment.

Trends:

- Ostrobothnia has still the lowest unemployment rate in the country, 10,9 %.
- The number of unemployed jobseekers in Ostrobothnia has in July increased most in the country (+6,7 %) and especially in Vaasa sub-regional unit (+12 %).
- The number of new open vacancies announced in July at the Employment and Economic Development Office was 24,3 % less than the year before.
- The long-term unemployment has still grown.
- The unemployment among men has decreased faster than among women in the beginning of the year.
- The number of people in employment-promoting services has increased compared with the same time the year before.
- Out of the unemployed jobseekers were 1 321 persons laid off in full-time in July.

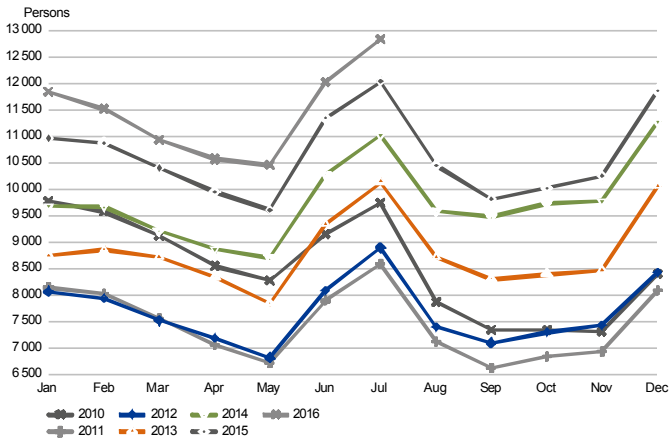
Unemployed jobseekers

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS MONTHLY AND TREND
Ostrobothnia



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UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS, MONTH BY MONTH COMPARISON
Ostrobothnia

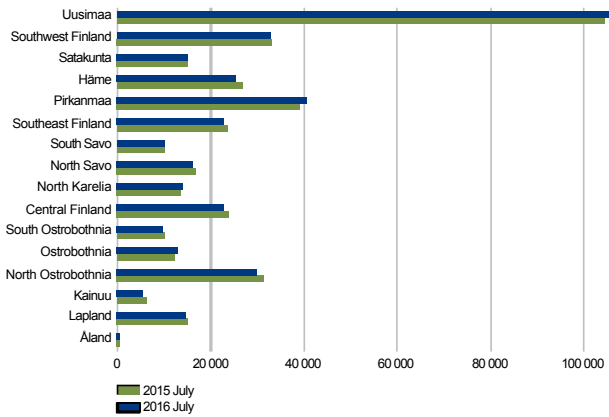


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Unemployed jobseekers by sub-regional unit

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS

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Unemployed jobseekers and jobs vacant in Employment and Economic Development Office by sub-regional unit

Sub-regional unit	Unemployed jobseekers			Change		Of the fully laid off	Unemployed jobseekers' percentage of the workforce	Jobs vacant			Change	
	Jul 2016	Jun 2016	Jul 2015	Jul 2016	Jul 2015			Jul 2016	Jun 2016	Jul 2015	Jul 2016	Jul 2015
Kyrönmaa	637	591	617	20	3	76	10,7	36	35	50	-14	-28
Vaasa	5 802	5 523	5 187	615	12	508	11,7	478	471	542	-64	-12
Suupohjan rannikkoseutu	545	490	552	-7	-1	105	6,8	64	59	28	36	129
Pietarsaari	2 107	1 908	2 001	106	5	295	9,1	100	78	126	-26	-21
Kaustinen	759	677	708	51	7	111	10,9	35	27	31	4	13
Kokkola	3 000	2 845	2 982	18	1	226	12,3	196	233	212	-16	-8
Ostrobothnia	12 850	12 034	12 047	803	7	1 321	10,9	909	903	989	-80	-8

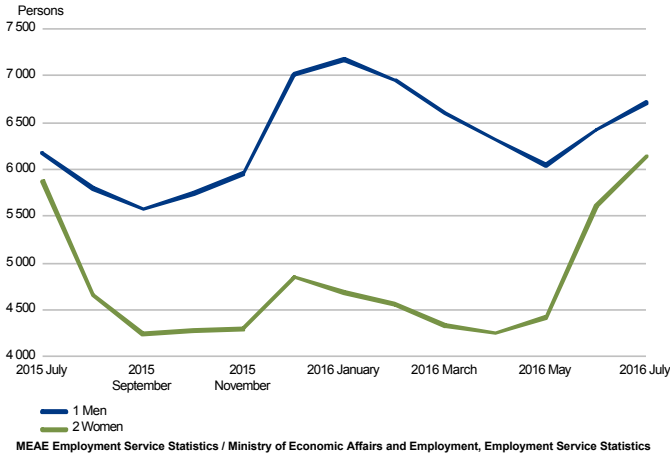
Unemployed jobseekers by municipality

Unemployed jobseekers and jobs vacant in Employment and Economic Development Office by municipality

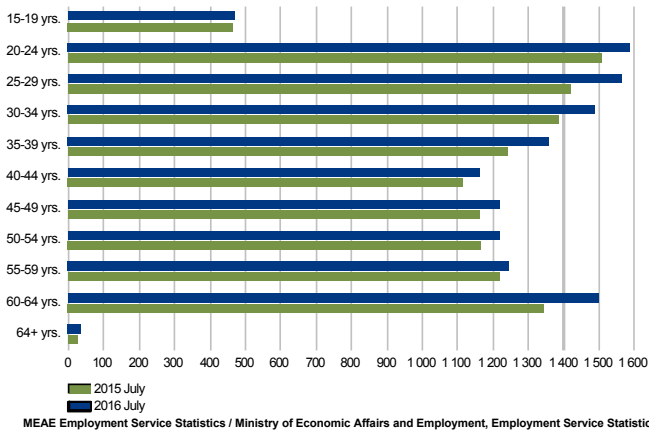
Municipality	Jul 2016	Jun 2016	Jul 2015	Change		Of the unemployed jobseekers fully laid off	Unemployed jobseekers' percentage of the workforce	Jul 2016	Jun 2016	Jul 2015	Change	
				Jul 2016 Jul 2015	%						Jul 2016 Jul 2015	%
	Unemployed jobseekers							Jobs vacant				
Halsua	62	56	44	18	41	16	12,3	0	0	..	..	..
Isokyrö	251	236	245	6	2	23	11,6	27	27	29	-2	-7
Kannus	287	274	284	3	1	26	11,2	17	18	12	5	42
Kaskinen	73	74	94	-21	-22	14	12,6	29	23	..	..	..
Kaustinen	197	180	200	-3	-1	23	9,6	15	6	9	6	67
Kokkola	2 713	2 571	2 698	15	1	200	12,4	179	215	200	-21	-10
Korsnäs	81	74	61	20	33	34	7,8	..	..	0	..	..
Kristiinankaupunki	237	220	240	-3	-1	44	7,9	9	12	15	-6	-40
Kruunupyö	226	212	230	-4	-2	27	7,2	12	12	13	-1	-8
Laihia	386	355	372	14	4	53	10,2	9	8	21	-12	-57
Lestijärvi	41	41	34	7	21	5	12,3	5	5	..	..	..
Luoto	141	129	111	30	27	29	6,2	..	..	..	..	..
Maalahti	231	217	204	27	13	32	8,7	..	..	..	..	..
Mustasaari	799	760	716	83	12	118	8,3	38	43	9	29	322
Närpiö	235	196	218	17	8	47	5,3	26	24	10	16	160
Pedersören kunta	311	242	302	9	3	83	5,9	6	..	5	1	20
Perho	145	126	135	10	7	14	12,9	7	5	7	0	0
Pietarsaari	1 176	1 087	1 150	26	2	124	13,2	75	57	96	-21	-22
Toholampi	143	134	137	6	4	13	10,2	..	5	..	..	..
Uusikaarlepyy	253	238	208	45	22	32	7,1	6	6	8	-2	-25
Vaasa	4 415	4 220	3 981	434	11	268	13,3	430	417	510	-80	-16
Veteli	171	140	158	13	8	40	11,3	5	6	5	0	0
Vöyri	276	252	225	51	23	56	8,7	8	8	19	-11	-58
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Unemployed jobseekers by gender and age-group

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS BY GENDER
Ostrobothnia

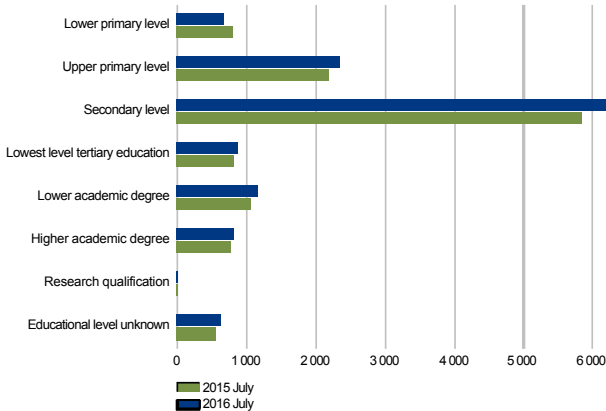


UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS BY AGE GROUP
Ostrobothnia



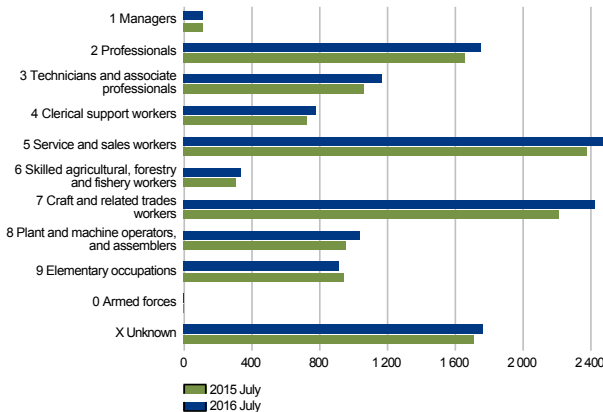
Unemployed jobseekers by levels of education and occupational group

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS BY LEVEL OF EDUCATION
Ostrobothnia



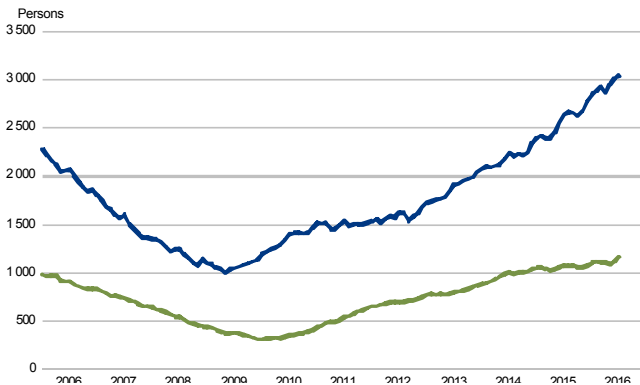
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UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS BY OCCUPATIONAL GROUP
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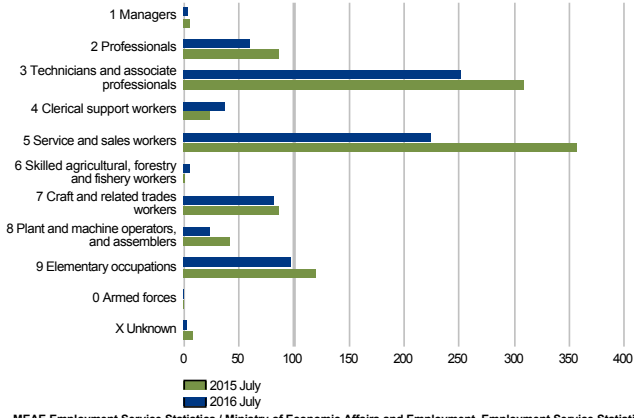
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LONG-TERM UNEMPLOYED AT THE END OF THE MONTH
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Jobs vacant

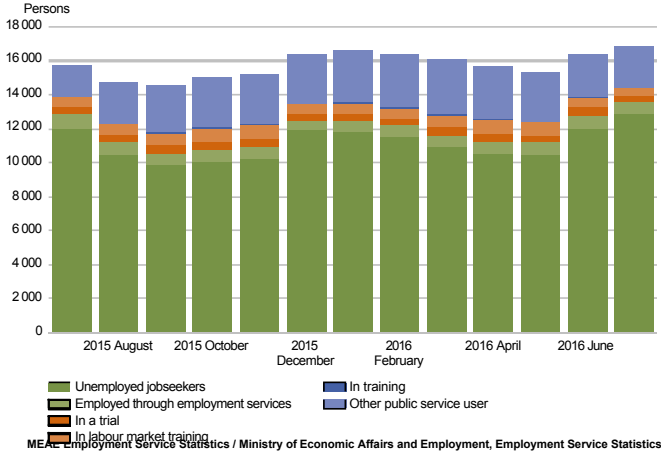
NEW JOB VACANCIES
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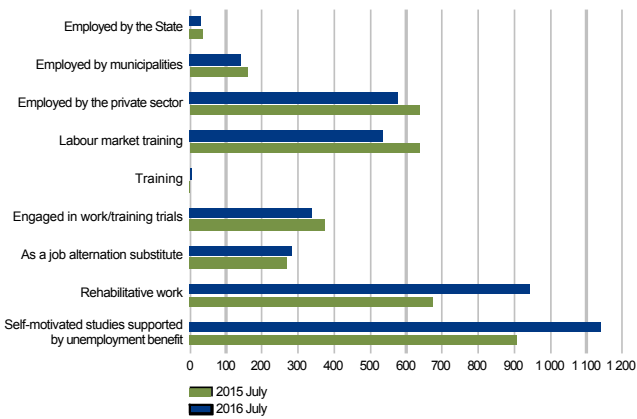
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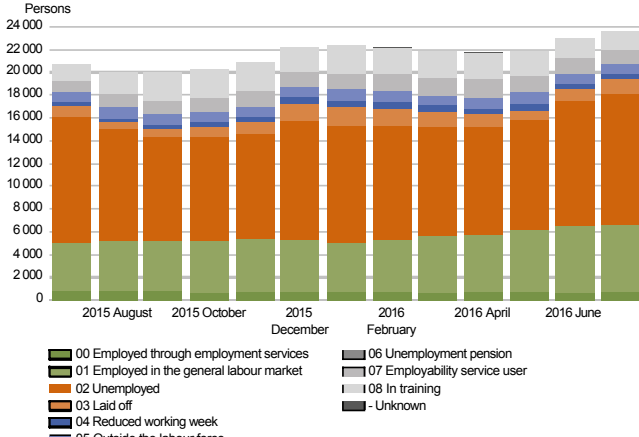
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All jobseekers

JOBSEEKERS BY GROUP
Ostrobothnia



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Summary table

EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2016 JULY (I) AND
ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING JULY (II)
ELY CENTRE: OSTROBOTHNIA

I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH	Jul-16	Jul-15	CHANGE NUMBER	CHANGE %
A. JOBSEEKERS				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	12 850	12 047	803	6,7
of whom fully laid off	1 321	1 037	284	27,4
2. On reduced working week	415	316	99	31,3
3. Those who have work	6 607	5 015	1 592	31,7
of whom in the general labour market	5 860	4 174	1 686	40,4
of whom employed through employment services	747	841	-94	-11,2
4. Persons outside the labour force	3 799	3 416	383	11,2
of whom in services promoting employment	1 278	1 024	254	24,8
of whom in training	1 591	1 452	139	9,6
5. On unemployment pension	0	..	..	..
1-5 Total of jobseekers	23 671	20 798	2 873	13,8
B. LABOUR DEMAND				
1. Jobs vacant	909	989	-80	-8,1
of those notified for over a month	451	452	-1	-0,2
of those notified for over 2 months	165	232	-67	-28,9
C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES				
1. Employed by the State	30	37	-7	-18,9
2. Employed by municipalities	142	161	-19	-11,8
3. Employed by the private sector	579	639	-60	-9,4
1-3 Total number of employed people	751	837	-86	-10,3
4. Labour market training	536	636	-100	-15,7
5. Training	..	..	..	..
6. Engaged in work/training trials	340	376	-36	-9,6
7. As a job alternation substitute	283	268	15	5,6
8. Rehabilitative work	943	673	270	40,1
9. Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit	1 141	909	232	25,5
1-9 Total number of people participating in services	3 998	3 700	298	8,1
D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT				
1. Unemployed women	6 137	5 871	266	4,5
2. Unemployed men	6 713	6 176	537	8,7
3. Under 25 years old	2 061	1 975	86	4,4
4. Over 50 years old	3 993	3 752	241	6,4
5. Unemployed over a year	3 041	2 640	401	15,2
6. Foreign unemployed	1 562	1 458	104	7,1
E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY				
1. Unemployed members of employees' unemployment funds	5 876	5 429	447	8,2
II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	13 616	12 750	866	6,8
2. Other jobseekers	10 614	8 606	2 008	23,3
1-2 Total number of jobseekers	24 230	21 356	2 874	13,5
3. Vacancies during a month	1 670	2 263	-593	-26,2
New vacancies during a month	787	1 039	-252	-24,3
Vacancies filled during a month	125	251	-126	-50,2
of those filled with job-seekers at the Employment Service	30	98	-68	-69,4
4. Started spell of unemployment	1 798	1 673	125	7,5
5. Completed spell of unemployment	1 239	983	256	26,0
6. New jobs found through employment services	93	42	51	121,4
7. New entrants to labour market training	..	9	..	..

Foreigners' summary table

FOREIGNERS' EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2016 JULY (I) AND
ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING JULY (II)
ELY CENTRE: OSTROBOTHNIA

I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH	Jul-16	Jul-15	CHANGE NUMBER	CHANGE %
A. JOBSEEKERS				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	1 562	1 458	104	7,1
of whom fully laid off	89	65	24	36,9
2. On reduced working week	13	11	2	18,2
3. Those who have work	593	436	157	36,0
of whom in the general labour market	538	388	150	38,7
of whom employed through employment services	55	48	7	14,6
4. Persons outside the labour force	806	755	51	6,8
of whom in services promoting employment	229	201	28	13,9
of whom in training	484	463	21	4,5
5. On unemployment pension	0	0	0	0,0
1-5 Total of jobseekers	2 974	2 660	314	11,8
C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES				
1. Employed by the State	..	..	..	..
2. Employed by municipalities	16	15	1	6,7
3. Employed by the private sector	40	34	6	17,6
1-3 Total number of employed people	58	50	8	16,0
4. Labour market training	264	268	-4	-1,5
5. Training	0	0	0	0,0
6. Engaged in work/training trials	151	146	5	3,4
7. As a job alternation substitute	..	..	..	..
8. Rehabilitative work	67	47	20	42,6
9. Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit	228	203	25	12,3
1-9 Total number of people participating in services	771	718	53	7,4
D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT				
1. Unemployed women	818	774	44	5,7
2. Unemployed men	744	684	60	8,8
3. Under 25 years old	198	212	-14	-6,6
4. Over 50 years old	242	234	8	3,4
5. Unemployed over a year	191	173	18	10,4
E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY				
1. Unemployed members of employees' unemployment funds	278	244	34	13,9
II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	1 651	1 516	135	8,9
2. Other jobseekers	1 352	1 167	185	15,9
1-2 Total number of jobseekers	3 003	2 683	320	11,9
4. Started spell of unemployment	210	181	29	16,0
5. Completed spell of unemployment	111	69	42	60,9
6. New jobs found through employment services	5	..	..	..
7. New entrants to labour market training	..	5	..	..

Regional table

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS AND JOBS VACANT BY MUNICIPALITY AT THE END OF 2016 JULY
ELY CENTRE: OSTROBOTHNIA

Municipality	Workforce	Unemployed jobseekers							Unemployed over a year	Disabled and chron. ill	Jobs vacant
		% of workforce	Total	Men	Women	Under 20 years old	Under 25 years old	Over 50 years old			
Halsua	504	12,3	62	30	32	..	13	19	8	9	0
Isokyrö	2 172	11,6	251	128	123	..	24	106	68	43	27
Kannus	2 554	11,2	287	142	145	12	50	92	57	32	17
Kaskinen	579	12,6	73	40	33	..	6	35	17	5	29
Kaustinen	2 060	9,6	197	71	126	7	27	63	32	42	15
Kokkola	21 894	12,4	2 713	1 359	1 354	117	530	763	627	392	179
Korsnäs	1 042	7,8	81	45	36	6	12	19	10	6	..
Kristinankaupunki	2 994	7,9	237	134	103	11	22	105	49	20	9
Kruunupyö	3 152	7,2	226	96	130	..	25	81	55	21	12
Laihia	3 802	10,2	386	221	165	12	47	138	112	66	9
Lestijärvi	332	12,3	41	19	22	..	..	20	10	10	5
Luoto	2 275	6,2	141	60	81	..	18	48	26	8	..
Maalahti	2 666	8,7	231	133	98	11	32	73	63	13	..
Mustasaari	9 586	8,3	799	399	400	17	97	277	204	60	38
Närpiö	4 448	5,3	235	130	105	5	37	74	31	18	26
Pedersören kunta	5 269	5,9	311	116	195	11	35	120	67	32	6
Perho	1 123	12,9	145	66	79	..	19	59	28	28	7
Pietarsaari	8 937	13,2	1 176	602	574	43	214	365	271	106	75
Toholampi	1 407	10,2	143	80	63	8	19	55	34	29	..
Uusikaarlepyy	3 584	7,1	253	113	140	5	32	72	50	16	6
Vaasa	33 085	13,3	4 415	2 491	1 924	165	735	1 247	1 116	421	430
Veteli	1 512	11,3	171	85	86	5	21	73	25	25	5
Vöyri	3 170	8,7	276	153	123	18	45	89	81	18	8
Total	118 147	10,9	12 850	6 713	6 137	472	2 061	3 993	3 041	1 420	909

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