

## Live births, number by year, region and sex, 2025

	Västerbotten county			Norrbotten county		
	total, all men and women	men	women	total, all men and women	men	women
2025	2330	1199	1131	1955	1024	929

From the reference year 2025 onwards, a small controlled random uncertainty is introduced in all reported data. The uncertainty has been added to protect individuals so that no one risks being exposed in the statistics. As a result, the reported totals are not always equal to the sum of their reported components.

If reported statistical values are added together to create a new total, the uncertainty is also added. There is therefore a risk that the new total contains greater uncertainty than that which – under the method – would have been added to a single value.

The method used for disclosure control is called Cell Key Method (CKM). You can read more about the method here: [Protection methods for disclosure control](<https://www.scb.se/en/documentation/statistical-methods/protection-methods-for-disclosure-control/>) and here: [Development of disclosure protection](<https://www.scb.se/en/documentation/statistical-areas-under-change/development-of-disclosure->

When calculating age-specific rates per 1 000 of the mean population, the mean population for the year of birth should be used

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