

[Children statistics](#)

7 Children¹ 0-17 years, by number of siblings² and county. 2001, 2005-2011. Per cent

County	Children, total	Children with no siblings	Children with siblings					
			Total	1 sibling	2 siblings	3 siblings	4 siblings	5 siblings or more
2001 ³	1 049 842	17.3	82.7	43.5	28.8	7.6	1.8	1.0
2005	1 078 081	17.6	82.4	43.6	28.5	7.5	1.8	1.0
2006	1 082 684	17.7	82.3	43.8	28.3	7.4	1.8	1.0
2007	1 085 765	17.9	82.1	44.0	28.0	7.3	1.7	1.0
2008	1 088 716	18.2	81.8	44.2	27.8	7.1	1.7	1.0
2009	1 092 727	18.4	81.6	44.3	27.5	7.0	1.7	1.0
2010	1 097 774	18.6	81.4	44.4	27.3	6.9	1.7	1.0
2011	1 102 000	18.9	81.1	44.6	27.1	6.8	1.7	1.0
2011								
Østfold	60 074	20.9	79.1	47.2	22.8	5.8	1.8	1.5
Akershus	132 928	18.8	81.2	50.5	24.2	4.8	1.1	0.6
Oslo	118 835	24.3	75.7	43.8	21.3	6.7	2.2	1.7
Hedmark	39 112	18.7	81.3	47.5	25.6	5.9	1.4	0.9
Oppland	38 560	18.8	81.2	46.4	26.5	6.0	1.4	0.8
Buskerud	57 222	19.9	80.1	48.1	23.8	5.7	1.6	0.9
Vestfold	51 169	20.4	79.6	47.8	23.6	5.6	1.4	1.2
Telemark	35 534	19.9	80.1	45.6	25.1	6.4	1.8	1.3
Aust-Agder	25 173	17.7	82.3	44.1	28.2	7.4	1.8	0.8
Vest-Agder	41 156	16.4	83.6	41.6	31.5	7.6	1.9	0.9
Rogaland	108 116	16.0	84.0	41.1	32.2	8.2	1.7	0.7
Hordaland	112 136	17.1	82.9	41.9	30.6	7.8	1.7	0.9
Sogn og Fjordane	25 156	13.4	86.6	36.3	36.1	11.1	2.5	0.6
Møre og Romsdal	57 453	16.0	84.0	40.6	32.7	8.3	1.6	0.7
Sør-Trøndelag	65 072	19.4	80.6	46.2	26.9	5.7	1.3	0.5
Nord-Trøndelag	30 567	16.6	83.4	41.8	31.0	8.0	1.7	0.9
Nordland	52 051	19.3	80.7	42.9	27.4	7.6	1.9	1.0
Troms Romsa	35 089	20.3	79.7	43.1	26.4	7.8	1.7	0.7
Finnmark								
Finnmárku	16 598	19.1	80.9	39.7	27.4	9.0	2.7	2.1

¹ A child is defined as any person with no partner and no child who has de jure place of usual residence in the dwelling/private household of at least one of the parents. A child is either biological or adopted. A foster child is not considered a child.

² Siblings living at home comprises biological-, half-siblings and stepbrothers and -sisters. Biological siblings are offsprings having both parents in common. Half-siblings are offsprings having only one parent in common. Stepbrothers and -sisters are offsprings having no parents in common, but one of their parents are living together as married or cohabiting couples. Persons living in the same private household as their parents are regarded as living at home. A person does not have to be considered a child in the household to be regarded as a sibling.

³ Population and Housing Census 3 November 2001.

[Explanation of symbols](#)