

Population in densely and sparsely populated areas, by county. 1 January 2011¹

	Absolute figures					Per cent				
	Densely populated areas					Densely populated areas				
	Total ²	Total (sum urban settlements)	Urban settlements with less than 2 000 inhabitants	Urban settlements with 2 000 inhabitants and more	Sparsely populated areas	Total ³	Total	Urban settlements with less than 2 000 inhabitants	Urban settlements with 2 000 inhabitants and more	Sparsely populated areas
Total	4 920 305	3 899 115	481 135	3 417 980	1 007 310	100	80	10	70	20
Østfold	274 827	231 875	28 797	203 078	42 370	100	85	11	74	15
Akershus	545 653	488 542	37 073	451 469	55 820	100	90	7	83	10
Oslo	599 230	594 479	317	594 162	1 622	100	100	0	100	0
Hedmark	191 622	107 181	23 617	83 564	84 117	100	56	13	43	44
Oppland	186 087	105 698	41 152	64 546	80 068	100	57	23	34	43
Buskerud	261 110	209 231	23 449	185 782	51 380	100	80	9	71	20
Vestfold	233 705	197 391	27 434	169 957	35 956	100	85	12	73	15
Telemark	169 185	128 928	17 491	111 437	39 955	100	76	10	66	24
Aust-Agder	110 048	76 461	5 852	70 609	33 237	100	70	6	64	30
Vest-Agder	172 408	137 947	18 671	119 276	34 038	100	80	11	69	20
Rogaland	436 087	373 103	24 230	348 873	61 919	100	86	6	80	14
Hordaland	484 240	380 910	51 100	329 810	102 136	100	79	11	68	21
Sogn og Fjordane	107 742	61 506	22 313	39 193	45 719	100	57	22	35	43
Møre og Romsdal	253 904	175 444	36 949	138 495	78 063	100	69	15	54	31
Sør-Trøndelag	294 066	230 348	24 390	205 958	63 139	100	78	9	69	22
Nord-Trøndelag	132 140	76 632	24 463	52 169	55 326	100	58	19	39	42
Nordland	237 280	163 483	38 164	125 319	72 399	100	69	17	52	31
Troms Romsa	157 554	105 125	19 879	85 246	51 559	100	67	13	54	33
Finnmark										
Finnmárku	73 417	54 831	15 794	39 037	18 487	100	75	22	53	25

¹ New method for delimitation of urban settlements may influence the comparability with figures prior to 1999. ² Including a total of 13 880 persons for which information on residence (densely/sparsely populated) is lacking. ³ Persons for which information on residence (densely/sparsely populated) is lacking are not included.

Source: Population statistics, population, Statistics Norway. **More information:** http://www.ssb.no/befteftt_en/

Persons in settlements 1 January. Svalbard

	Total ¹	Norwegian settlements ²		Russian settlements ³	Polish settlement ⁴
		Resident on the mainland	From abroad, not resident on the mainland		
1990	3 544	1 125	..	2 407	12
1991	3 405	1 135	..	2 260	10
1992	3 309	1 148	..	2 151	10
1993	3 017	1 050	..	1 958	9
1994	2 977	1 097	..	1 870	10
1995	2 906	1 218	..	1 679	9
1996	2 844	1 230	..	1 604	10
1997	2 827	1 335	..	1 482	10
1998	2 596	1 438	..	1 149	9
1999	2 423	1 476	..	939	8
2000	2 376	1 475	..	893	8
2001	2 607	1 704	..	903	9
2002	2 529	1 570	..	950	9
2003	2 489	1 562	..	918	9
2004	2 375	1 581	..	786	8
2005	2 400	1 645	..	747	8
2006	2 266	1 721	..	535	10
2007	2 338	1 781	..	550	7
2008	2 449	1 821	..	620	8
2009	2 565	1 792	293	470	10
2010	2 490	1 759	302	420	9
2011	2 394	1 695	322	370	7
2012	2 504	1 738	377	380	9

¹ From 1 January 2009 the figures are from the Population Register of Svalbard. ² Consists of persons in the two settlements Longyearbyen and Ny-Ålesund. ³ Consists of the settlement in Barentsburg. Soviet settlement until 1993. ⁴ Consists of the settlement at Hornsund, a permanent research station led by the Polish Academy of Sciences.

Source: Population statistics, Statistics Norway, District Governor of Svalbard. **More information:** <http://www.sysselmannen.no/>