

# Preliminary population statistics

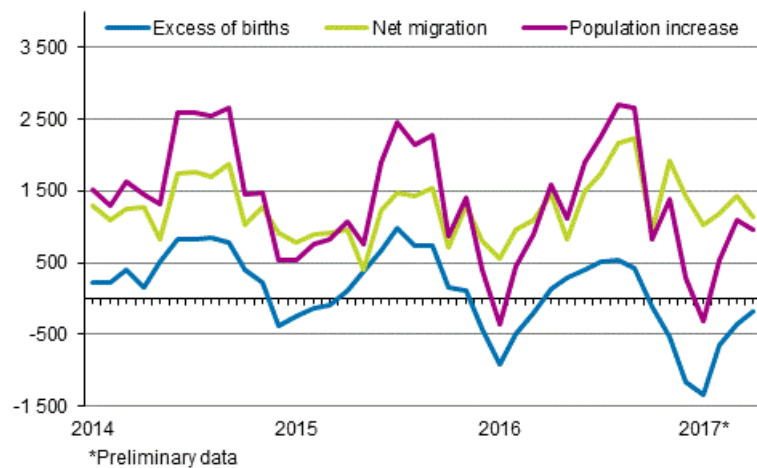
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## Finland's preliminary population figure 5,505,575 at the end of April

**New releases will not be produced on preliminary population statistics any more in 2017. Revised figures concerning 2017 will be released at a later date to be announced separately.**

According to Statistics Finland's preliminary data, Finland's population was 5,505,575 at the end of April. Our country's population increased by 2,278 persons during January-April. The reason for the increase was migration gain from abroad, since immigration exceeded emigration by 4,805. The number of births was 2,527 lower than that of deaths.

### Population increase by month 2014–2017\*



During January-April, 16,178 children were born, which is 1,323 fewer than in the corresponding period in 2016. The number of deaths was 18,705, which is 283 lower than one year earlier.

According to the preliminary statistics for April, 9,022 persons immigrated to Finland from abroad and 4,217 persons emigrated from Finland. The number of immigrants was 340 higher and the number of emigrants 388 lower than in the corresponding period of the previous year. In all, 2,043 of the immigrants and 2,829 of the emigrants were Finnish citizens.

According to the preliminary data, the number of inter-municipal migrations totalled 75,408 during January-April. Compared with the corresponding period in 2016, the increase was 2,002 migrations according to the municipal division of 2017.

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**Appendix table 1. Preliminary data on vital statistics by month of occurrence 2017**

Month	Live births	Deaths	Excess of births	Inter-municipal migration	Immigration	Emigration	Net migration	Population increase	Population
Total	16 178	18 705	-2 527	75 408	9 022	4 217	4 805	2 278	5 505 575
January	4 144	5 493	-1 349	21 614	2 478	1 445	1 033	-316	5 502 981
February	3 807	4 457	-650	17 358	2 170	977	1 193	543	5 503 524
March	4 172	4 520	-348	17 940	2 456	1 017	1 439	1 091	5 504 615
April	4 055	4 235	-180	18 496	1 918	778	1 140	960	5 505 575

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