

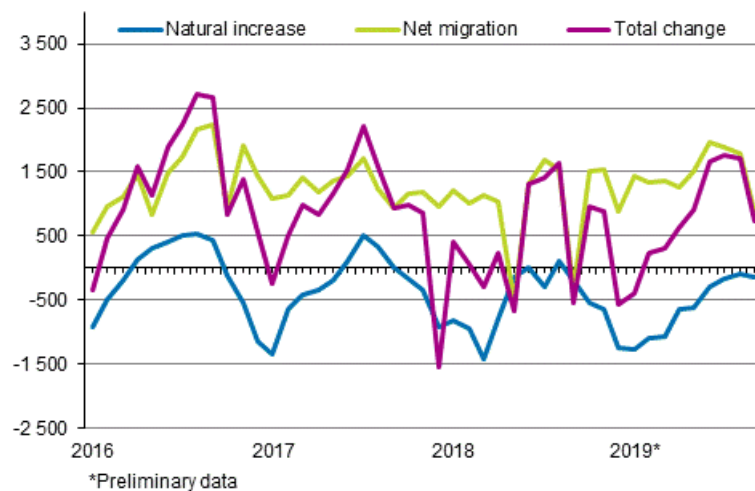
Preliminary population statistics

2019, September

Finland's preliminary population figure 5,525,487 at the end of September

According to Statistics Finland's preliminary data, Finland's population at the end of September was 5,525,487. During January-September Finland's population increased by 7,568 persons. The reason for the population increase was migration gain from abroad: the number of immigrants was 13,388 higher than that of emigrants. The number of births was 5,387 lower than that of deaths.

Population increase by month 2016–2019*



According to the preliminary statistics for January-September 2019, a total of 34,493 children were born, which is 1,896 fewer than in the corresponding period 2018. The number of deaths was 39,880 which is 1,019 lower than one year earlier.

Altogether 24,618 persons immigrated to Finland from abroad and 11,230 persons emigrated from Finland during January-September period. The number of immigrants was 929 higher and the number of emigrants 4,442 lower than in the previous year. In all, 7,038 of the immigrants and 7,660 of the emigrants were Finnish citizens.

According to the preliminary data, the number of inter-municipal migrations totalled 222,897 by the end of September. Compared with the previous year, the decrease was 963 migrations according to the municipal division of 2019.

Same-sex marriages took legal effect in March 2017. A total of 212 women and 94 men entered into marriage in which the spouse was of the same sex during January-September period in 2019. In all, 2 women and 2 men changed their registered partnership into marriage.

According to preliminary data by region, the population grew only in Uusimaa, Pirkanmaa, Southwest Finland, North Ostrobothnia and Åland between January-September of 2019.

The population grew most in absolute numbers in Uusimaa, where it grew by 14,239 persons. The next largest increase in population was seen in Pirkanmaa, 2,418 persons. Relative to the population, population growth was highest in Uusimaa, 8.5 per mil, in Pirkanmaa, 4.7 per mil and in Åland, 3.2 per mil. Population loss was highest in absolute numbers in the region of South Savo that lost 1,705 persons of its population. The population of Kymenlaakso decreased by 1,663 persons, which was the second biggest population loss. Relative to the population, the biggest population loss was found in South Savo, 11.9 per mil.

Most migration gain from intramunicipal and international migration was collected by Uusimaa, 11,618 persons and Pirkanmaa, 2,737 persons. Most migration gain in relative terms based on total net migration was also attained by Uusimaa, 6.9 per mil and Pirkanmaa, 5.3 per mil.

In absolute numbers, migration loss from total net migration was biggest in the region of Kymenlaakso, 760 persons. In the region of South Savo the loss was 749 persons. In relative terms, the biggest migration loss from total net migration was found in the region of South Savo, 5.2 per mil of the population.

During January to September 2019, migration between regions numbered 107,297. The positive gain from migration between regions was seen in Uusimaa, Pirkanmaa and Southwest Finland. In absolute numbers, the highest gain from migration between regions was received by Uusimaa, 5,792 persons. The relative migration gain was highest in Uusimaa and in Pirkanmaa, 3.4 per mil of the population.

Migration loss from migration between regions was biggest in absolute numbers in the region of Kymenlaakso, 1,023 persons. Migration loss from migration between regions was biggest in relative terms in the region of South Savo, 6.7 per mil of the population.

Contents

Tables

Appendix tables

Appendix table 1. Preliminary data on vital statistics by month of occurrence 2019.....	4
Appendix table 2. Preliminary vital statistics by region 2019 and change compared to 2018 final data, quarter 1–3.	5

Figures

Appendix figures

Appendix figure 1. Live births by quarter 1997–2018 and preliminary data 2019.....	6
Appendix figure 2. Deaths by quarter 1997–2018 and preliminary data 2019.....	6
Appendix figure 3. Intermunicipal migration by quarter 1997–2018 and preliminary data 2019.....	6
Appendix figure 4. Immigration by quarter 1997–2018 and preliminary data 2019.....	7
Appendix figure 5. Emigration by quarter 1997–2018 and preliminary data 2019.....	7

Appendix tables

Appendix table 1. Preliminary data on vital statistics by month of occurrence 2019

Month / Quarter	Live births	Deaths	Natural increase	Inter-municipal migration ¹⁾	Immigration	Emigration	Net migration	Total change ²⁾	Population
Total	34 493	39 880	-5 387	222 897	24 618	11 230	13 388	7 568	5 525 487
January	3 866	5 126	-1 260	20 998	2 797	1 366	1 431	-399	5 517 520
February	3 287	4 390	-1 103	17 117	2 262	932	1 330	238	5 517 758
March	3 775	4 849	-1 074	17 923	2 415	1 057	1 358	307	5 518 065
1. quarter	10 928	14 365	-3 437	56 038	7 474	3 355	4 119	146	5 518 065
April	3 750	4 394	-644	19 822	2 200	930	1 270	639	5 518 704
May	3 731	4 352	-621	22 882	2 576	1 054	1 522	910	5 519 614
June	3 814	4 095	-281	26 725	2 955	1 003	1 952	1 673	5 521 287
2. quarter	11 295	12 841	-1 546	69 429	7 731	2 987	4 744	3 222	5 521 287
July	4 124	4 300	-176	26 835	3 078	1 191	1 887	1 758	5 523 045
August	4 108	4 189	-81	41 140	3 825	2 048	1 777	1 711	5 524 756
September	4 038	4 185	-147	29 455	2 510	1 649	861	731	5 525 487
3. quarter	12 270	12 674	-404	97 430	9 413	4 888	4 525	4 200	5 525 487

1) These statistics apply the regional division of 1 January 2019

2) Includes population correction

Appendix table 2. Preliminary vital statistics by region 2019 and change compared to 2018 final data, quarter 1–3

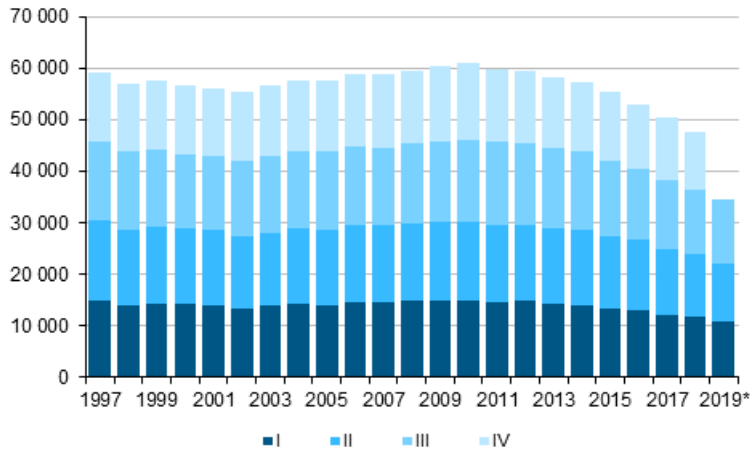
Area/region 1)	Natural increase		Net migration between regions ¹⁾		Net immigration		Total change	
	2019*	Change	2019*	Change	2019*	Change	2019*	Change ²⁾
WHOLE COUNTRY	-5 387	-877	-	-	13 388	5 371	7 568	4 061
MAINLAND FINLAND	-5 400	-885	10	70	13 299	5 419	7 471	4 166
Uusimaa	2 724	-390	5 792	529	5 826	2 940	14 239	2 976
Southwest Finland	-794	-48	873	127	1 068	311	1 114	357
Satakunta	-870	-39	-884	50	470	98	-1 305	88
Kanta-Häme	-459	3	-41	585	188	130	-329	701
Pirkanmaa	-283	-77	1 766	-615	971	474	2 418	-254
Päijät-Häme	-606	-28	-446	-253	370	55	-686	-230
Kymenlaakso	-894	-20	-1 023	-22	263	91	-1 663	40
South Karelia	-637	-94	-318	150	366	27	-601	71
South Savo	-928	27	-964	318	215	58	-1 705	375
North Savo	-767	-45	-391	-177	385	178	-810	-81
North Karelia	-660	-67	-373	-309	373	163	-660	-213
Central Finland	-439	51	-6	-67	435	194	-41	147
South Ostrobothnia	-370	52	-755	-13	335	152	-797	184
Ostrobothnia	19	17	-698	-138	630	205	-86	47
Central Ostrobothnia	13	-61	-346	43	155	83	-185	58
North Ostrobothnia	429	-171	-776	352	712	117	314	247
Kainuu	-355	-30	-380	60	142	49	-597	75
Lapland	-523	35	-1 020	-550	395	94	-1 149	-422
ÅLAND	13	8	-10	-70	89	-48	97	-105

1) These statistics apply the regional division of 1 January 2019

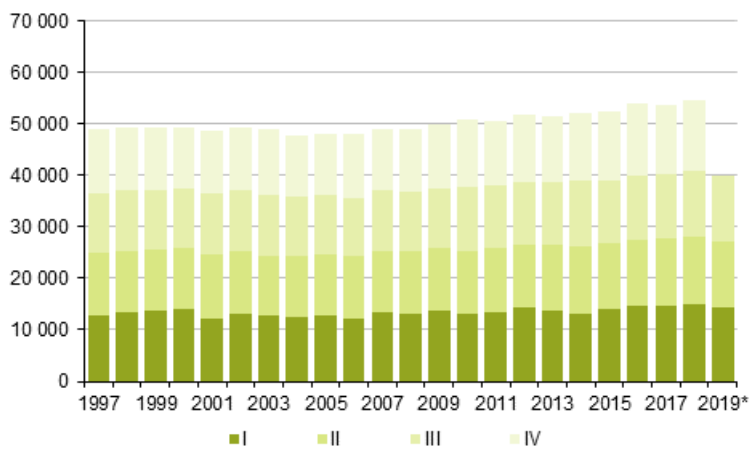
2) In the preliminary data, the total change includes the monthly correction term. In the final data, the correction term is only at the end of the year.

Appendix figures

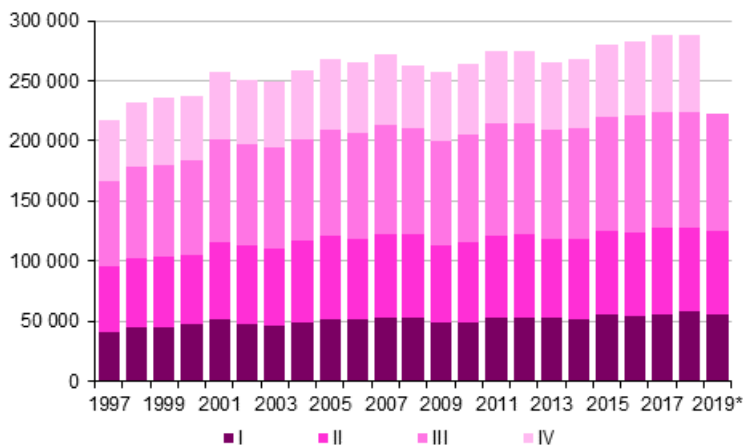
Appendix figure 1. Live births by quarter 1997–2018 and preliminary data 2019



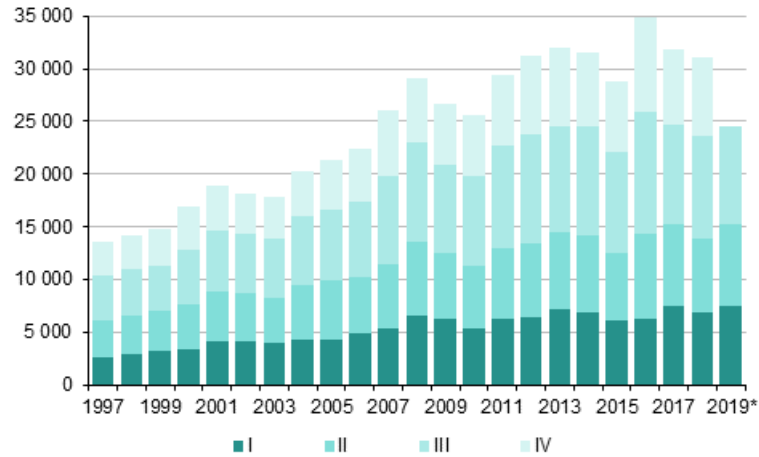
Appendix figure 2. Deaths by quarter 1997–2018 and preliminary data 2019



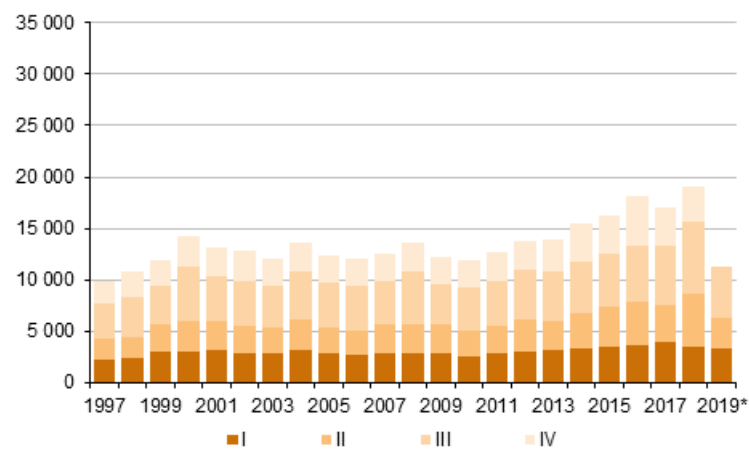
Appendix figure 3. Intermunicipal migration by quarter 1997–2018 and preliminary data 2019



Appendix figure 4. Immigration by quarter 1997–2018 and preliminary data 2019



Appendix figure 5. Emigration by quarter 1997–2018 and preliminary data 2019



Inquiries

Joonas Toivola 029 551 3355
Juhana Nordberg 029 551 3051
Director in charge:
Jari Tarkoma

info@stat.fi
www.stat.fi

Source: Preliminary population statistics, Statistics Finland