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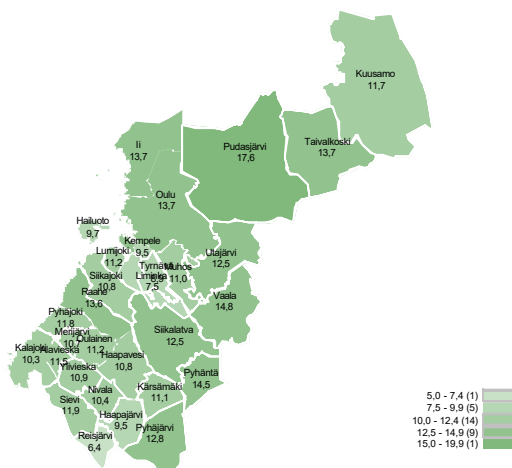
NORTH OSTROBOTHNIA

Employment Bulletin

December 2023

Unemployed jobseeker's percentage of the workforce

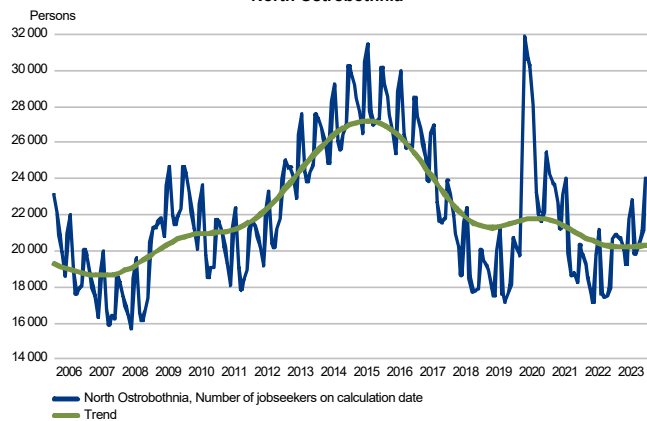
Unemployed jobseekers' percentage of the workforce by municipality



Unemployed jobseekers

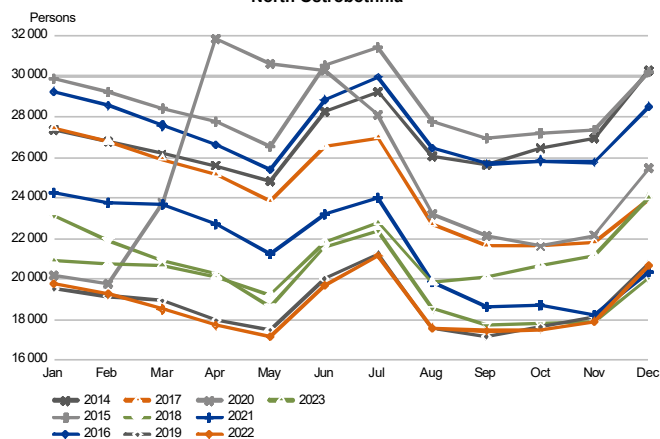
UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS MONTHLY AND TREND

North Ostrobothnia

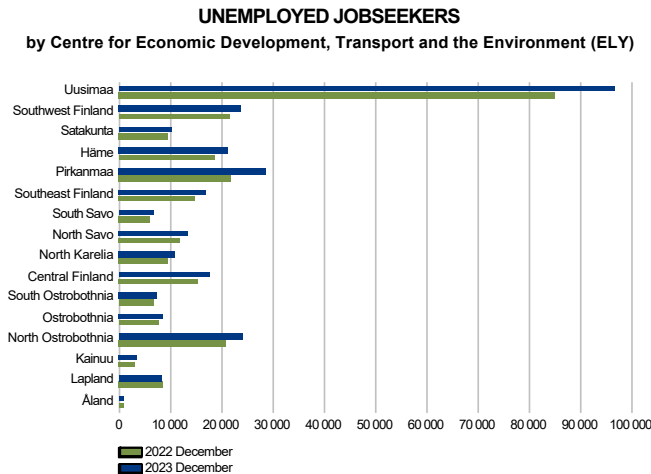


UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS, MONTH BY MONTH COMPARISON

North Ostrobothnia



Unemployed jobseekers by sub-regional unit



Unemployed jobseekers and jobs vacant in Employment and Economic Development Office by sub-regional unit

Sub-regional unit	Change			Of the Unemployed			Change		
	Dec 2023	Nov 2023	Dec 2022	Dec 2023	unemployed jobseekers' fully laid off	jobseekers' percentage of the workforce	Dec 2023	Nov 2023	Dec 2022
Sub-regional unit	Unemployed jobseekers			%			Jobs vacant		
Oulu	16 130	14 328	14 183	1 947	14	2 074	13,0	1 988	2 071
Oulunkaari	1 356	1 184	1 189	167	14	290	14,9	90	72
Raahe	1 741	1 561	1 495	246	16	263	13,0	151	136
Haapavesi-Siikalatva	660	566	465	195	42	204	11,9	40	26
Nivala-Haapajärvi	1 136	956	999	137	14	290	10,2	196	102
Ylivieska	2 032	1 645	1 497	535	36	643	10,9	352	257
Koillismaa	982	898	852	130	15	171	12,1	85	127
North Ostrobothnia	24 037	21 138	20 680	3 357	16	3 935	12,6	2 902	2 791

Unemployed jobseekers by municipality

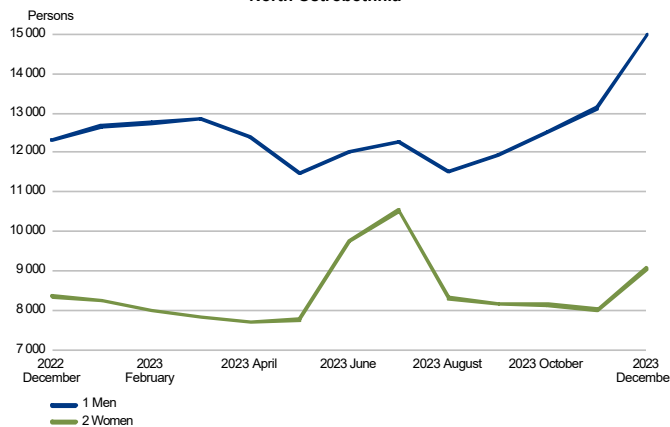
Unemployed jobseekers and jobs vacant in Employment and Economic Development Office by municipality

Municipality	Change				Of the Unemployed				Change				
	Dec	Nov	Dec	Change	Dec 2023 unemployed	jobseekers'	Dec	Nov	Dec	Change			
	2023	2023	2022	Dec 2023 Dec 2022	jobseekers fully laid off	percentage of the workforce	2023	2023	2022	Dec 2023 Dec 2022			
Unemployed jobseekers				%				%				Jobs vacant	%
Alavieska	122	97	107	15	14	45	11,5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Haapajärvi	271	242	247	24	10	57	9,5	91	29	73	18	25	...
Haapavesi	297	240	222	75	34	91	10,8	26	8	54	-28	-52	...
Hailuoto	36	34	35	1	3	...	9,7	16	0	13	3	23	...
Ii	577	477	490	87	18	125	13,7	20	19	58	-38	-66	...
Kalajoki	553	468	386	167	43	215	10,3	65	37	153	-88	-58	...
Kempele	869	725	678	191	28	199	9,5	68	93	134	-66	-49	...
Kuusamo	764	679	664	100	15	146	11,7	78	121	142	-64	-45	...
Kärsämäki	111	98	89	22	25	20	11,1	14	6	19	-5	-26	...
Liminka	337	292	290	47	16	84	7,5	37	28	39	-2	-5	...
Lumijoki	92	83	73	19	26	25	11,2	...	...	5	...	...	...
Merijärvi	45	41	29	16	55	20	10,7	0	0	...	...	...	...
Muhos	421	362	382	39	10	78	11,0	56	37	103	-47	-46	...
Nivala	451	328	358	93	26	165	10,4	71	47	86	-15	-17	...
Oulainen	326	267	253	73	29	83	11,2	19	17	28	-9	-32	...
Oulu	14 124	12 626	12 533	1 591	13	1 624	13,7	1 800	1 906	3 749	-1 949	-52	...
Pudasjärvi	508	450	449	59	13	127	17,6	33	24	43	-10	-23	...
Pyhäjoki	150	129	132	18	14	41	11,8	...	0	10	...	...	...
Pyhäjärvi	235	224	233	2	1	33	12,8	15	11	26	-11	-42	...
Pyhäntä	100	86	46	54	117	29	14,5	6	5	26	-20	-77	...
Raahe	1 374	1 241	1 189	185	16	186	13,6	131	116	1 121	-990	-88	...
Reisjärvi	68	64	72	-4	-6	...	6,4	5	9	...	...	...	...
Sievi	229	168	154	75	49	72	11,9	54	45	137	-83	-61	...
Siikajoki	217	191	174	43	25	36	10,8	19	20	16	3	19	...
Siikalatva	263	240	197	66	34	84	12,5	8	13	18	-10	-56	...
Taivalkoski	218	219	188	30	16	25	13,7	7	6	9	-2	-22	...
Tyrvää	251	206	192	59	31	62	8,9	9	5	16	-7	-44	...
Utajärvi	123	116	116	7	6	16	12,5	9	5	5	4	80	...
Vaala	148	141	134	14	10	22	14,8	28	24	16	12	75	...
Ylivieska	757	604	568	189	33	208	10,9	210	155	256	-46	-18	...
North Ostrobothnia	24 037	21 138	20 680	3 357	16	3 935	12,6	2 902	2 791	6 363	-3 461	-54	...

Unemployed jobseekers by gender and age-group

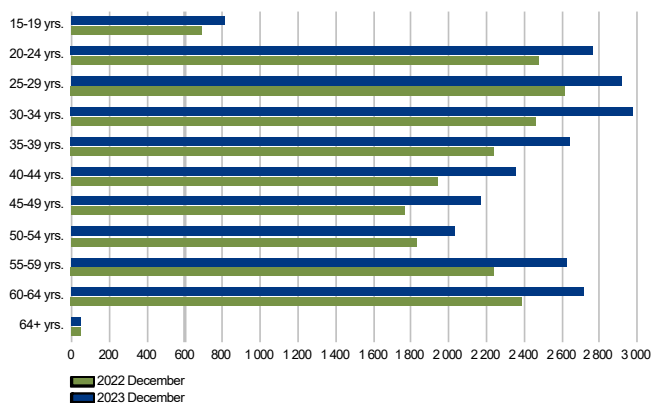
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North Ostrobothnia



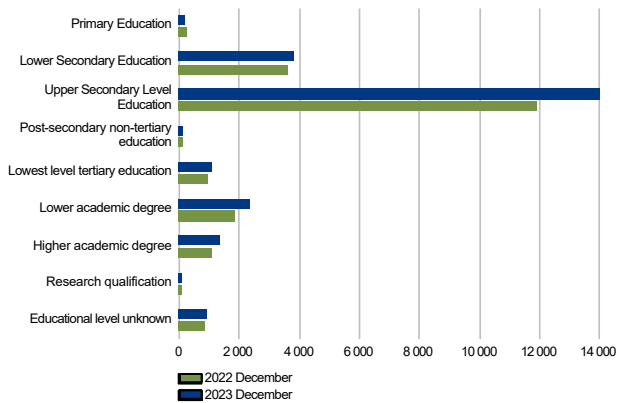
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North Ostrobothnia

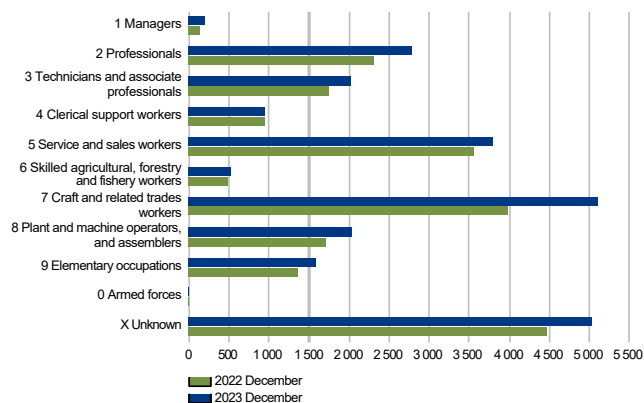


Unemployed jobseekers by levels of education and occupational group

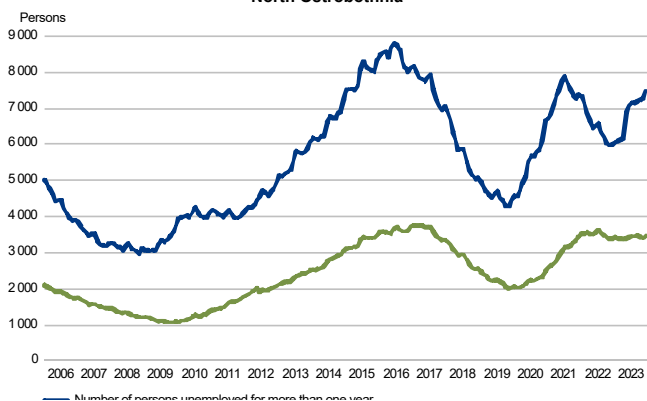
UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS BY LEVEL OF EDUCATION
North Ostrobothnia



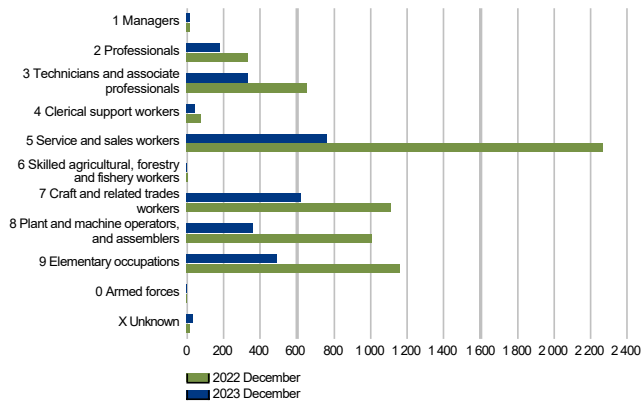
UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS BY OCCUPATIONAL GROUP
North Ostrobothnia



LONG-TERM UNEMPLOYED AT THE END OF THE MONTH
North Ostrobothnia

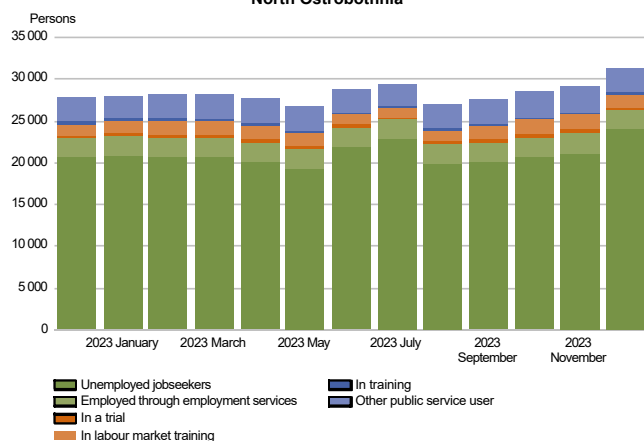


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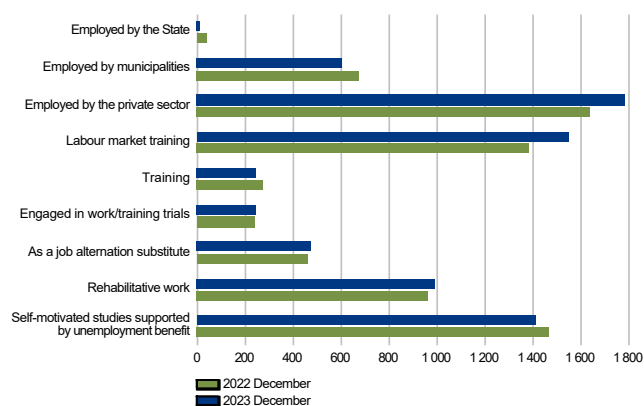
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North Ostrobothnia

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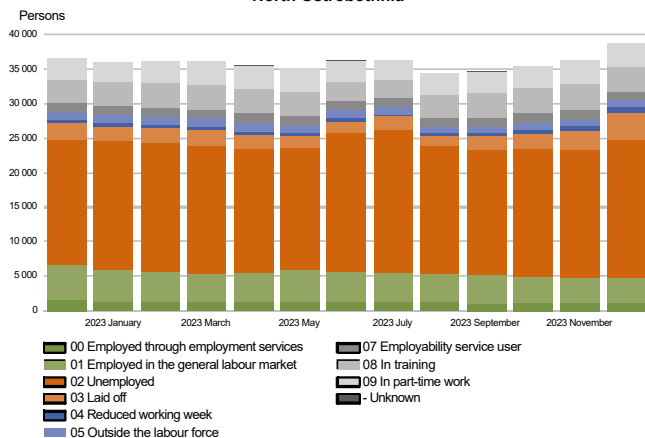


PEOPLE COVERED BY SERVICES
North Ostrobothnia



All jobseekers

JOBSEEKERS BY GROUP
North Ostrobothnia



Summary table

EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2023 DECEMBER (I) AND
ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING DECEMBER (II)
ELY CENTRE: NORTH OSTROBOTHNIA

I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH	Dec-23	Dec-22	CHANGE NUMBER	CHANGE %
A. JOBSEEKERS				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	24 037	20 680	3 357	16,2
of whom fully laid off	3 935	2 399	1 536	64,0
2. On reduced working week	900	326	574	176,1
3. Those who have work	7 980	9 509	-1 529	-16,1
of which in full-time work	3 574	5 105	-1 531	-30,0
of which in part-time work	3 268	2 892	376	13,0
of whom employed through employment services	1 138	1 512	-374	-24,7
4. Persons outside the labour force	5 737	5 893	-156	-2,6
of whom in services promoting employment	1 240	1 265	-25	-2,0
of whom in training	3 540	3 432	108	3,1
1-4 Total of jobseekers	38 654	36 408	2 246	6,2
B. LABOUR DEMAND				
1. Jobs vacant	2 902	6 363	-3 461	-54,4
of those notified for over a month	846	1 255	-409	-32,6
of those notified for over 2 months	437	648	-211	-32,6
C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES				
1. Employed by the State	14	41	-27	-65,9
2. Employed by municipalities	604	676	-72	-10,7
3. Employed by the private sector	1 781	1 635	146	8,9
1-3 Total number of employed people	2 399	2 352	47	2,0
4. Labour market training	1 547	1 379	168	12,2
5. Training	245	272	-27	-9,9
6. Engaged in work/training trials	248	239	9	3,8
7. As a job alternation substitute	476	458	18	3,9
8. Rehabilitative work	988	963	25	2,6
9. Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit	1 412	1 462	-50	-3,4
1-9 Total number of people participating in services	7 315	7 125	190	2,7
D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT				
1. Unemployed women	9 058	8 360	698	8,3
2. Unemployed men	14 979	12 320	2 659	21,6
3. Under 25 years old	3 569	3 163	406	12,8
4. Over 50 years old	7 414	6 498	916	14,1
5. Unemployed over a year	7 490	6 000	1 490	24,8
6. Foreign unemployed	1 328	1 240	88	7,1
E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY				
1. Unemployed members of employees' unemployment funds	10 968	8 532	2 436	28,6
II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	25 301	21 862	3 439	15,7
2. Other jobseekers	14 626	15 897	-1 271	-8,0
1-2 Total number of jobseekers	39 927	37 759	2 168	5,7
3. Vacancies during a month	5 505	10 391	-4 886	-47,0
New vacancies during a month	2 831	6 648	-3 817	-57,4
Vacancies filled during a month	600	1 194	-594	-49,7
of those filled with job-seekers at the Employment Service	401	895	-494	-55,2
Vacancies application period ended or sufficient number of applicants	1 994	2 683	-689	-25,7
Vacancies cancelled or could not be filled	237	342	-105	-30,7
4. Started spell of unemployment	4 871	4 408	463	10,5
5. Completed spell of unemployment	1 907	1 463	444	30,3
6. New jobs found through employment services	141	177	-36	-20,3
7. New entrants to labour market training	77	135	-58	-43,0



Foreigners' summary table

FOREIGNERS' EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF 2023 DECEMBER (I) AND
ACTIVITIES OF EMPLOYMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICES DURING DECEMBER (II)
ELY CENTRE: NORTH OSTROBOTHNIA

I EMPLOYMENT SITUATION AT THE END OF MONTH	Dec-23	Dec-22	CHANGE NUMBER	CHANGE %
A. JOBSEEKERS				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	1 328	1 240	88	7,1
of whom fully laid off	154	94	60	63,8
2. On reduced working week	31	14	17	121,4
3. Those who have work	540	650	-110	-16,9
of which in full-time work	312	451	-139	-30,8
of which in part-time work	183	118	65	55,1
of whom employed through employment services	45	81	-36	-44,4
4. Persons outside the labour force	1 396	1 275	121	9,5
of whom in services promoting employment	78	75	3	4,0
of whom in training	1 203	1 070	133	12,4
1-4 Total of jobseekers	3 295	3 179	116	3,6
C. PARTICIPATING IN SERVICES				
1. Employed by the State	0	...	...	...
2. Employed by municipalities	24	20	4	20,0
3. Employed by the private sector	83	90	-7	-7,8
1-3 Total number of employed people	107	111	-4	-3,6
4. Labour market training	549	454	95	20,9
5. Training	75	50	25	50,0
6. Engaged in work/training trials	48	49	-1	-2,0
7. As a job alternation substitute	5	...	...	...
8. Rehabilitative work	19	19	0	0,0
9. Self-motivated studies supported by unemployment benefit	508	461	47	10,2
1-9 Total number of people participating in services	1 311	1 148	163	14,2
D. STRUCTURE OF UNEMPLOYMENT				
1. Unemployed women	671	625	46	7,4
2. Unemployed men	657	615	42	6,8
3. Under 25 years old	99	114	-15	-13,2
4. Over 50 years old	265	258	7	2,7
5. Unemployed over a year	282	233	49	21,0
E. UNEMPLOYMENT SECURITY				
1. Unemployed members of employees' unemployment funds	283	216	67	31,0
II EMPLOYMENT SITUATION DURING THE MONTH				
1. Unemployed jobseekers	1 396	1 347	49	3,6
2. Other jobseekers	1 988	1 918	70	3,6
1-2 Total number of jobseekers	3 384	3 265	119	3,6
4. Started spell of unemployment	241	274	-33	-12,0
5. Completed spell of unemployment	80	123	-43	-35,0
6. New jobs found through employment services	7	...	...	...
7. New entrants to labour market training	7	49	-42	-85,7



Regional table

UNEMPLOYED JOBSEEKERS AND JOBS VACANT BY MUNICIPALITY AT THE END OF 2023 DECEMBER
ELY CENTRE: NORTH OSTROBOTHNIA

Municipality	Workforce		Unemployed jobseekers						Unemployed over a year	Disabled and chron. ill	Jobs vacant
		% of workforce	Total	Men	Women	Under 20 years old	Under 25 years old	Over 50 years old			
Alavieska	1 064	11,5	122	81	41	...	15	30	27	8	...
Haapajärvi	2 862	9,5	271	167	104	13	48	106	69	51	91
Haapavesi	2 741	10,8	297	202	95	7	28	106	53	39	26
Hailuoto	371	9,7	36	22	...	...	...	18	16	...	16
Ii	4 207	13,7	577	390	187	22	65	228	151	87	20
Kalajoki	5 377	10,3	553	342	211	10	57	238	95	53	65
Kempele	9 119	9,5	869	528	341	30	117	282	214	100	68
Kuusamo	6 523	11,7	764	508	256	16	64	331	164	92	78
Kärsämäki	1 003	11,1	111	78	33	0	14	44	26	20	14
Liminka	4 466	7,5	337	212	125	13	35	75	59	27	37
Lumijoki	825	11,2	92	49	43	6	14	36	19	7	...
Merijärvi	419	10,7	45	43	...	...	...	17	8	...	0
Muhos	3 822	11,0	421	276	145	15	63	132	119	51	56
Nivala	4 322	10,4	451	286	165	18	67	114	91	60	71
Oulainen	2 911	11,2	326	220	106	8	47	104	52	43	19
Oulu	102 841	13,7	14 124	8 570	5 554	481	2 286	3 806	5 189	1 382	1 800
Pudasjärvi	2 893	17,6	508	372	136	11	40	259	150	105	33
Pyhäjoki	1 275	11,8	150	93	57	...	21	62	43	12	...
Pyhäjärvi	1 843	12,8	235	155	80	...	22	112	70	35	15
Pyhäntä	692	14,5	100	66	34	...	15	32	14	11	6
Raahe	10 112	13,6	1 374	821	553	72	258	409	351	205	131
Reisjärvi	1 057	6,4	68	51	17	...	8	34	21	10	5
Sievi	1 932	11,9	229	140	89	7	37	86	53	39	54
Siiikajoki	2 003	10,8	217	132	85	5	26	77	53	32	19
Siiikalatva	2 105	12,5	263	188	75	8	19	131	53	35	8
Taivalkoski	1 586	13,7	218	147	71	5	16	118	64	24	7
Tyrvävä	2 820	8,9	251	147	104	12	29	82	57	19	9
Utajärvi	986	12,5	123	83	40	...	14	56	21	12	9
Vaala	999	14,8	148	110	38	...	13	72	42	22	28
Ylivieska	6 976	10,9	757	500	257	29	123	217	146	73	210
Total	190 152	12,6	24 037	14 979	9 058	808	3 569	7 414	7 490	2 663	2 902



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