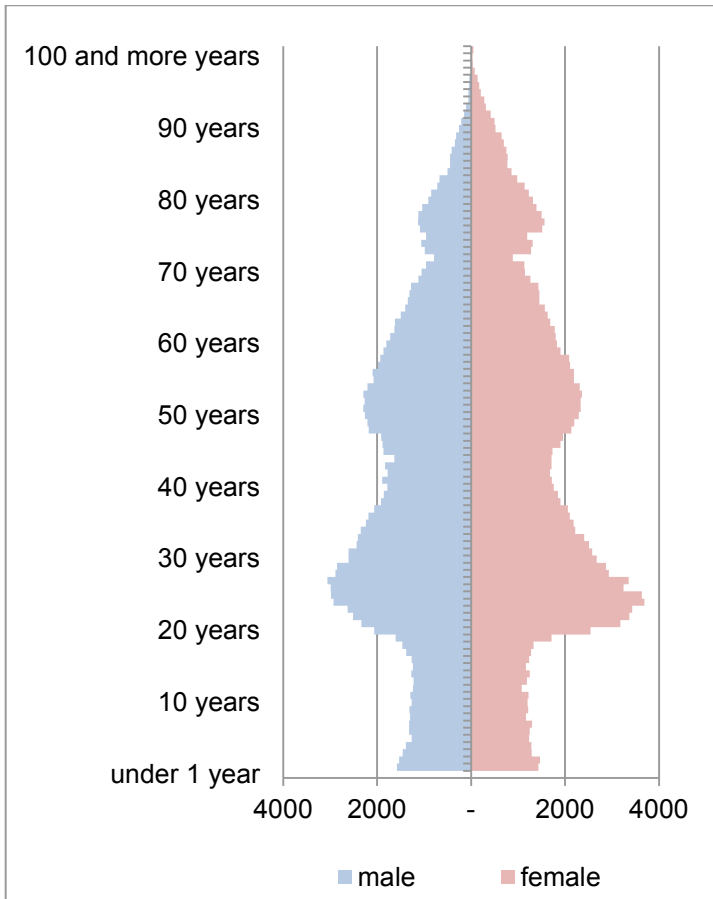


## POPULATION

### Residential population on 31/12/2016

Age ... groups	male	female	total	in %
0 - 17	24 141	22 577	<b>46 718</b>	15.2
18 - 29	31 468	36 623	<b>68 091</b>	22.1
30 - 49	41 334	40 600	<b>81 934</b>	26.6
50 - 64	28 712	30 106	<b>58 818</b>	19.1
65 - 79	16 186	19 833	<b>36 019</b>	11.7
80 and older	5 670	10 592	<b>16 262</b>	5.3
<b>total</b>	<b>147 511</b>	<b>160 331</b>	<b>307 842</b>	<b>100</b>



## TOWN TWINNINGS

York	United Kingdom (1957)
Orléans	France (1960)
Kristiansand	Norway (1967)
Monastir	Tunisia (1969)
Rishon LeZion	Israel (1981)
Fresno	USA (1986)
Rjasan	Russia (1989)
Mühlhausen	Germany (1990)
Lublin	Poland (1991)

## INFORMATION

Further information about Münster – and its quarters – in German

[www.muenster.de/stadt/stadtplanung/zahlen.html](http://www.muenster.de/stadt/stadtplanung/zahlen.html)

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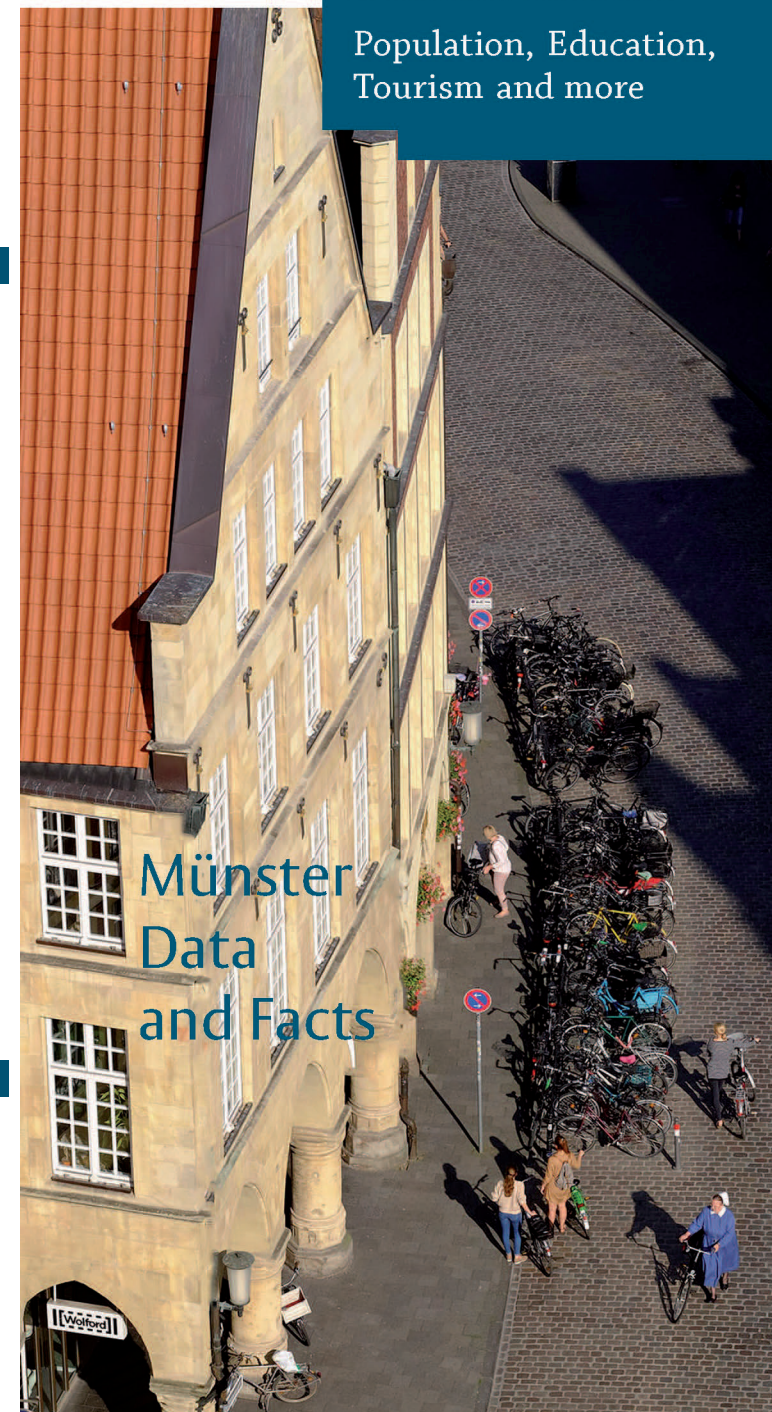
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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Location

7°37'43.3" east of Greenwich  
51°57'46.6" northern latitude

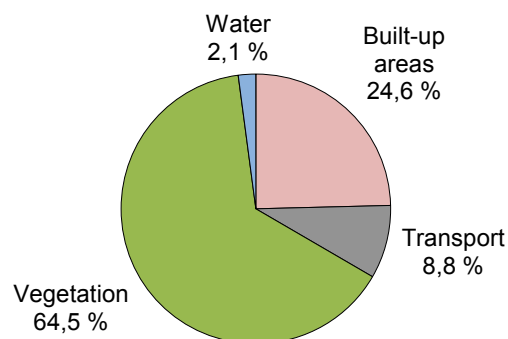
### Elevation

Highest point „Vorbergshügel“ 99 m above sea level  
Prinzpalmarkt (City Hall) 60 m above sea level  
Lowest point at the river Ems 39 m above sea level

## UTILISATION OF THE LAND AREA

### Utilisation of the land area on 31/12/2016 in Münster

total 30 328 ha



## CITY COUNCIL

### Distribution of seats in the City Council:

CDU	25 seats	DIE LINKE	4 seats
SPD	19 seats	PIRATEN/ÖDP	2 seats
GRÜNE	15 seats	AfD	2 seats
FDP	4 seats	UWG-MS	1 seat

Lord Major: Markus Lewe (CDU)  
Majors:  
Wendela-Beate Vilhjalmsson (SPD)  
Karin Reismann (CDU)  
Gerhard Joksch (GRÜNE)

## EMPLOYMENT

### People in paid work

People in paid work in average 2014		
Economic sector	in 1000	in %
Agriculture and forestry	1.2	0.6
Manufacturing industry/trades	22.1	10.2
Services	192.9	89.2
total	216.2	100.0

### Unemployment rate 2016

in percent of the civilian working population in average:

Total	5.7 %
Men	6.5 %
Women	4.9 %

### Commuters on 30/6/2015

Commuters to Münster	96 724
Commuters from Münster	40 130
Net commuters inflow	+ 56 594

## SCHOOL AND FURTHER EDUCATION

### Pupils 2016/17

at 95 schools	33 252
at 11 Vocational schools	21 458

### Students 2015/16

at 9 Colleges/Universities total	61 441
of whom first-years	8 713

### City Library in the year 2016

Number of borrowings	1 681 626
Visitors	840 843

### Adult Learning Centre (Volkshochschule) in the year 2016

Participants	22 260
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## FAMILIES AND HEALTH

### Quota of provision 2016/17 with child day care

Under-3-year old ones	42.4 %
3- to under-6-year old ones	103.4 %
Places in the offered all-day-care in primary education	5 322

### Health care

Pharmacies (2016)	90
Beds in 9 Hospitals (2016)	3 739
Outpatient nursing care facilities (2015)	35
Spaces in 43 Care homes (2015)	2 938

## TOURISM

78 Hotels, guesthouses, youth hostels, training centres and damp sites in 2016:

Arrivals	626 431
Overnight stays	1 323 282
Average length of stay	2.1 days

## ARTS AND LEISURE

### Cultural institutions 2016

	Visitors
Theatre Münster (2015/16)	
Theatre	158 561
Concerts	44 711
28 Museums/exhibition spaces	more than 900 000
Botanical Garden	about 182 000
Planetarium	
at the LWL-Museum of Natural History	110 695
Zoo (Allwetterzoo)	614 260

### Sport 2016

6 Indoor swimming pools	577 803
2 Outdoor swimming pools	111 605
Members in sport association (Stadtsporbund Münster e.V.)	92 647

### Conservation areas 2016

Landscape conservation areas	9 941.1 ha
Nature conservation areas	2 132.9 ha
Bird protectorates	1 219.5 ha