



Ref.: 2025-10-D-1-en-2

Orig.: FR



Facts and figures at the beginning of the 2025-2026 school year in the European Schools

Board of Governors of the European Schools

Meeting on 9, 10 and 11 December 2025 – Brussels (Hybrid)

INTRODUCTION

This document contains a number of facts and figures, *valid on 15 October 2025*, on the situation of the European Schools after the beginning of the **2025-2026** school year, in terms of pupil population, of choices of languages by pupils and of staff (seconded, locally recruited teachers and AAS).

The Global Annual Activity Report 2025 (art. 33.4 FR 2017), which will be presented to the meeting of the Board of Governors of the European Schools in April 2026, will refer, inter alia, to the present document.

I. DEVELOPMENT OF THE PUPIL POPULATION

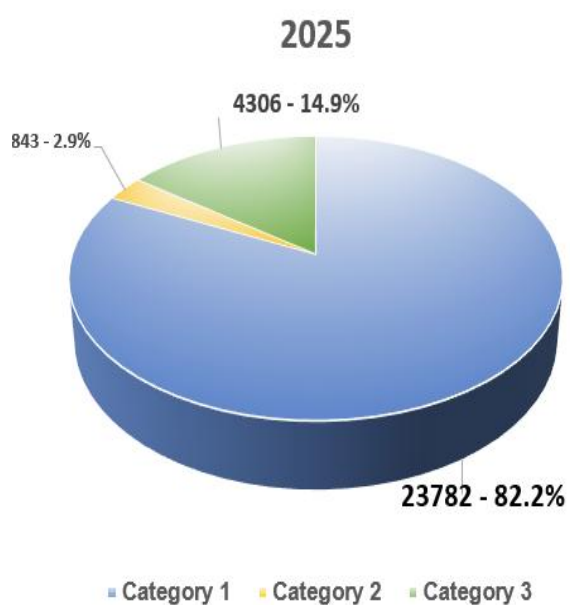
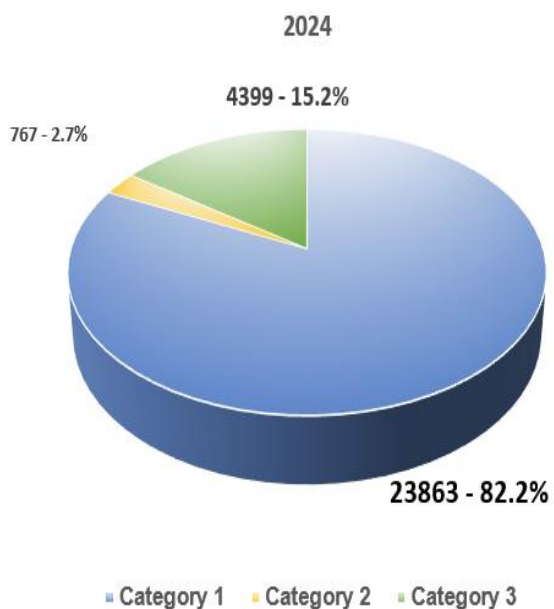
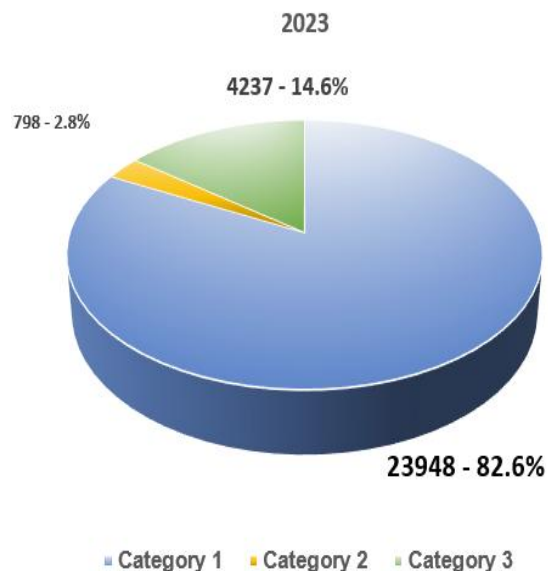
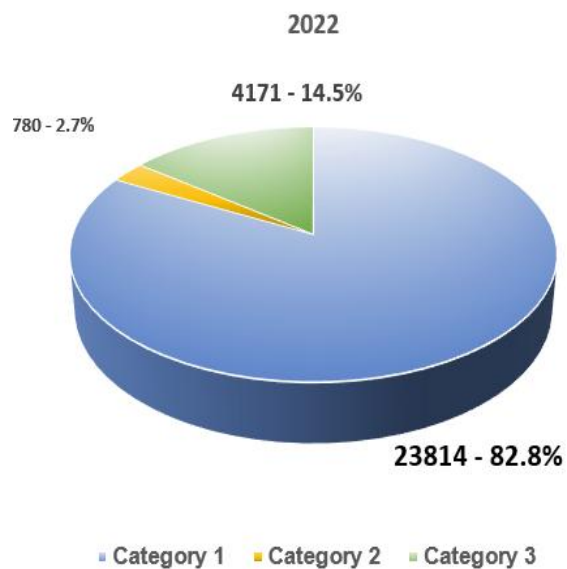
1. Total pupil population

The table below shows pupil numbers for each school and the total numbers for the system as a whole, year on year, for the period 2022-2025 and the percentage variation year on year over the reference period. The last column shows the percentage variation in pupil numbers over the period as a whole.

Pupil population from 2022 to 2025

Schools	2022		2023		2024		2025		Difference between 2022 and 2025	
	Population	Change (%)	Population	Change (%)	Population	Change (%)	Population	Change (%)	Population	Variation (%)
Alicante	1119	5.3%	1129	0.9%	1098	-2.7%	1048	-4.6%	-71	-6.3%
Bergen	500	-5.5%	481	-3.8%	484	0.6%	470	-2.9%	-30	-6.0%
Brussels I (Uccle)	3334	-1.8%	3402	2.0%	3460	1.7%	3469	0.3%	135	4.0%
Brussels I (Berkendael)	903	7.6%	962	6.5%	984	2.3%	965	-1.9%	62	6.9%
Brussels II (Woluwe)	3294	1.6%	3172	-3.7%	3062	-3.5%	2970	-3.0%	-324	-9.8%
Brussels II (Evere)	493	78.0%	652	32.3%	771	18.3%	810	5.1%	317	64.3%
Brussels III	3313	1.1%	3237	-2.3%	3202	-1.1%	3181	-0.7%	-132	-4.0%
Brussels IV	3149	1.5%	3182	1.0%	3201	0.6%	3253	1.6%	104	3.3%
Frankfurt	1592	1.0%	1654	3.9%	1597	-3.4%	1657	3.8%	65	4.1%
Karlsruhe	944	4.8%	970	2.8%	965	-0.5%	944	-2.2%	0	0.0%
Luxembourg I	3317	1.5%	3289	-0.8%	3303	0.4%	3195	-3.3%	-122	-3.7%
Luxembourg II	2745	2.1%	2780	1.3%	2817	1.3%	2838	0.7%	93	3.4%
Mol	749	-0.7%	735	-1.9%	708	-3.7%	720	1.7%	-29	-3.9%
Munich	2035	-1.3%	2032	-0.1%	2081	2.4%	2093	0.6%	58	2.9%
Varese	1278	-2.0%	1306	2.2%	1296	-0.8%	1318	1.7%	40	3.1%
Total	28765	1.7%	28983	0.8%	29029	0.2%	28931	-0.3%	166	0.6%

2. Pupil population by category



The three tables below show, for each year from 2022 to 2025, the number of pupils in the three categories and the percentage for which each category accounts in relation to the total number of pupils in each school. The last two columns in each of these tables give the variation, in absolute and percentage terms, in pupil numbers in the various categories in each school and in the system as a whole over the same period.

Pupil population from 2022 to 2025: Category I population

Schools	2022		2023		2024		2025		Difference between 2022 and 2025	
	Population	%	Population	%	Population	%	Population	%	Population	%
Alicante	772	69.0%	767	67.9%	740	67.4%	726	69.3%	-46	-6.0%
Bergen	223	44.6%	204	42.4%	206	42.6%	203	43.2%	-20	-9.0%
Brussels I (Uccle)	3259	97.8%	3333	98.0%	3400	98.3%	3399	98.0%	140	4.3%
Brussels I (Berkendael)	894	99.0%	950	98.8%	974	99.0%	955	99.0%	61	6.8%
Brussels II (Woluwe)	3162	96.0%	3052	96.2%	2953	96.4%	2874	96.8%	-288	-9.1%
Brussels II (Evere)	455	92.3%	612	93.9%	729	94.6%	775	95.7%	320	70.3%
Brussels III	3239	97.8%	3180	98.2%	3150	98.4%	3144	98.8%	-95	-2.9%
Brussels IV	3024	96.0%	3081	96.8%	3083	96.3%	3143	96.6%	119	3.9%
Frankfurt	1315	82.6%	1349	81.6%	1283	80.3%	1319	79.6%	4	0.3%
Karlsruhe	178	18.9%	177	18.2%	174	18.0%	169	17.9%	-9	-5.1%
Luxembourg I	2804	84.5%	2780	84.5%	2781	84.2%	2726	85.3%	-78	-2.8%
Luxembourg II	2017	73.5%	2048	73.7%	2090	74.2%	2096	73.9%	79	3.9%
Mol	133	17.8%	145	19.7%	141	19.9%	181	25.1%	48	36.1%
Munich	1602	78.7%	1529	75.2%	1435	69.0%	1339	64.0%	-263	-16.4%
Varese	737	57.7%	741	56.7%	724	55.9%	733	55.6%	-4	-0.5%
Total	23814	82.8%	23948	82.6%	23863	82.2%	23782	82.2%	-32	-0.1%

Pupil population from 2022 to 2025: Category II population

Schools	2022		2023		2024		2025		Difference between 2022 and 2025	
	Population	%	Population	%	Population	%	Population	%	Population	%
Alicante	12	1.1%	16	1.4%	13	1.2%	12	1.1%	0	0.0%
Bergen	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.2%	1	
Brussels I (Uccle)	24	0.7%	22	0.6%	20	0.6%	35	1.0%	11	45.8%
Brussels I (Berkendael)	3	0.3%	5	0.5%	5	0.5%	4	0.4%	1	33.3%
Brussels II (Woluwe)	43	1.3%	40	1.3%	39	1.3%	71	2.4%	28	65.1%
Brussels II (Evere)	4	0.8%	10	1.5%	13	1.7%	28	3.5%	24	
Brussels III	23	0.7%	18	0.6%	16	0.5%	23	0.7%	0	0.0%
Brussels IV	33	1.0%	28	0.9%	20	0.6%	64	2.0%	31	93.9%
Frankfurt	51	3.2%	47	2.8%	43	2.7%	36	2.2%	-15	-29.4%
Karlsruhe	116	12.3%	123	3.7%	113	11.7%	88	9.3%	-28	-24.1%
Luxembourg I	68	2.1%	61	1.9%	60	1.8%	54	1.7%	-14	-20.6%
Luxembourg II	212	7.7%	202	7.3%	192	6.8%	194	6.8%	-18	-8.5%
Mol	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	
Munich	138	6.8%	174	8.6%	189	9.1%	193	9.2%	55	39.9%
Varese	53	4.1%	52	4.0%	44	3.4%	40	3.0%	-13	-24.5%
Total	780	2.7%	798	2.8%	767	2.7%	843	2.9%	63	8.1%

Pupil population from 2022 to 2025: Category III population

Schools	2022		2023		2024		2025		Difference between 2022 and 2025	
	Population	%	Population	%	Population	%	Population	%	Population	%
Alicante	335	29.9%	346	30.6%	345	31.4%	310	29.6%	-25	-7.5%
Bergen	277	55.4%	277	57.6%	278	57.4%	266	56.6%	-11	-4.0%
Brussels I (Uccle)	51	1.5%	47	1.4%	40	1.2%	35	1.0%	-16	-31.4%
Brussels I (Berkendael)	6	0.7%	7	0.7%	5	0.5%	6	0.6%	0	0.0%
Brussels II (Woluwe)	89	2.7%	80	2.5%	70	2.3%	25	0.8%	-64	-71.9%
Brussels II (Evere)	34	6.9%	30	4.6%	29	3.8%	7	0.9%	-27	-79.4%
Brussels III	51	1.5%	39	1.2%	36	1.1%	14	0.4%	-37	-72.5%
Brussels IV	92	2.9%	73	2.3%	98	3.1%	46	1.4%	-46	-50.0%
Frankfurt	226	14.2%	258	15.6%	271	17.0%	302	18.2%	76	33.6%
Karlsruhe	650	68.9%	670	20.4%	678	70.3%	687	72.8%	37	5.7%
Luxembourg I	445	13.4%	448	13.6%	462	14.0%	415	13.0%	-30	-6.7%
Luxembourg II	516	18.8%	530	19.1%	535	19.0%	548	19.3%	32	6.2%
Mol	616	82.2%	590	80.3%	567	80.1%	539	74.9%	-77	-12.5%
Munich	295	14.5%	329	16.2%	457	22.0%	561	26.8%	266	90.2%
Varese	488	38.2%	513	39.3%	528	40.7%	545	41.4%	57	11.7%
Total	4171	14.5%	4237	14.6%	4399	15.2%	4306	14.9%	135	3.2%

3. Pupil population by nationality

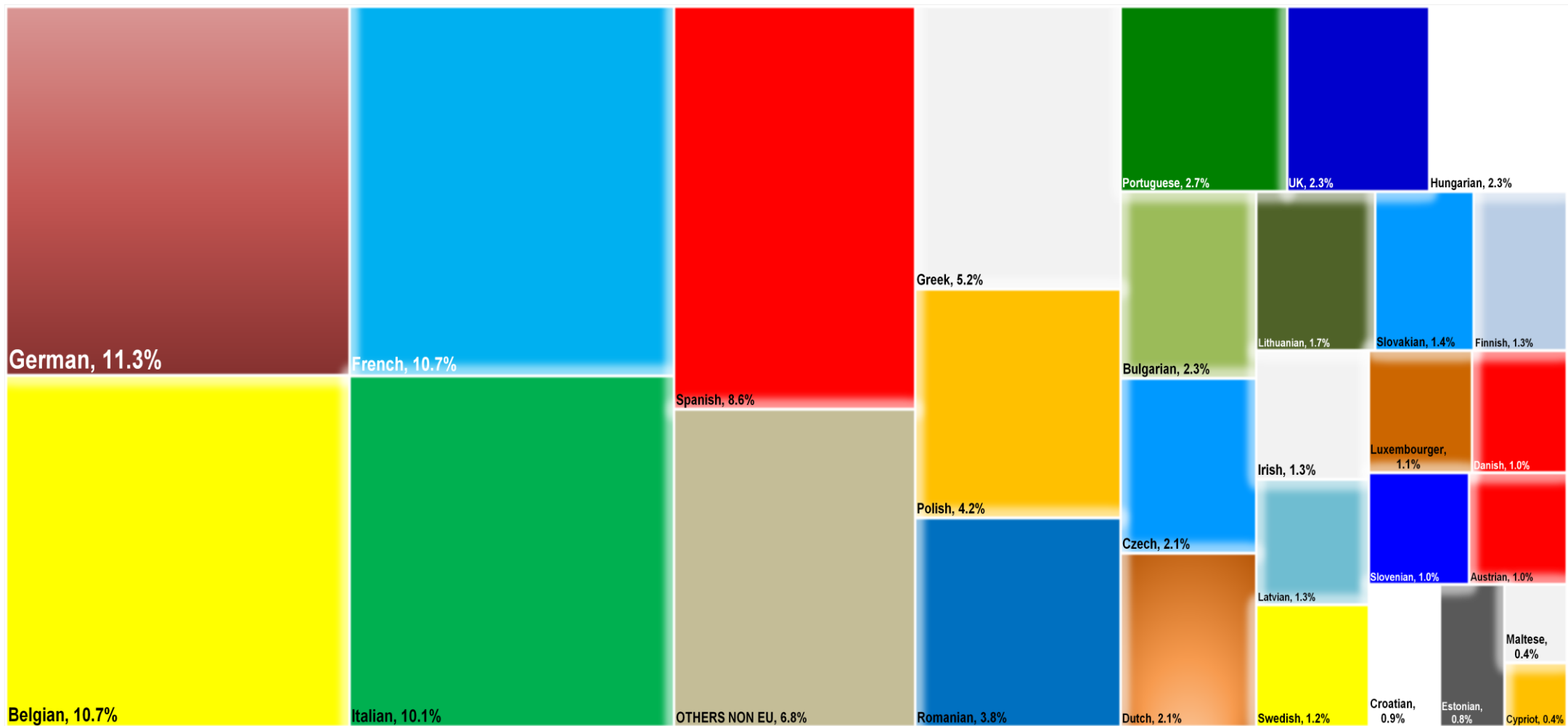
The table below shows the numbers of pupils coming from each of the Member States and the percentage of total pupil numbers accounted for by pupils from each Member State. It should be noted that details of those pupils who are nationals of countries other than the Member States of the European Union are not given, although the total number and total percentage of such pupils are indicated at the bottom of the table. Hence, the total numbers correspond to the figures shown in the previous tables.

It should be noted that the figures in this table are not ‘round numbers’. A large number of pupils enrolled in the European Schools have more than one nationality. Pupils with dual nationality or more are calculated as shares: dual nationality as 0.5+0.5, triple nationality as 0.33+0.33+0.33).

Pupil population by nationality Member States of the European Union

Total number of nationalities: 137

Nationality	Population	%
Austrian	280.75	1.0%
Belgian	3106.7	10.7%
Bulgarian	651.58	2.3%
Croatian	260.83	0.9%
Cypriot	102.75	0.4%
Czech	610.92	2.1%
Danish	298.08	1.0%
Dutch	605.83	2.1%
Estonian	236.83	0.8%
Finnish	380.58	1.3%
French	3084.92	10.7%
German	3261.92	11.3%
Greek	1495.42	5.2%
Hungarian	654.67	2.3%
Irish	372.33	1.3%
Italian	2929.83	10.1%
Latvian	363.5	1.3%
Lithuanian	486	1.7%
Luxembourger	324.92	1.1%
Maltese	124.92	0.4%
Polish	1210.92	4.2%
Portuguese	792.67	2.7%
Romanian	1107	3.8%
Slovakian	402.67	1.4%
Slovenian	288	1.0%
Spanish	2498	8.6%
Swedish	353.58	1.2%
UK	676.08	2.3%
OTHERS NON EU	1969.42	6.8%
TOTAL	28931	100.0%



Pupil population by nationality and by school
Member States of the European Union – 2025-2026

	Alicante	Bergen	Brussels I (Uccle)	Brussels I (Berkendael)	Brussels II (Woluwe)	Brussels II (Evere)	Brussels III	Brussels IV	Frankfurt	Karlsruhe	Luxembourg I	Luxembourg II	Mol	Munich	Varese	TOTAL
Austrian	5.5	4.5	49.67	8	35	9.33	38.84	39.17	19.5	3	17.33	12	2.5	31.42	5	280.75
Belgian	37.75	12	470.33	105	417.5	150.75	417.5	843.5	38	2.33	168	143.5	225.33	28.83	46.33	3106.7
Bulgarian	25.25	1	33.33	8.17	73.5	49	45.67	195.33	38.67	4.5	128.67	13.83	3	11.17	20.5	651.58
Croatian	3	5	10.5	7	11.5	10.83	14.83	92.42	14.67	0.33	13.5	68.5	3	4.75	1.5	260.83
Cypriot	1.5		2.33	13.17	6.67	2.25	50.83	6	3.5		5.5	7.5	0.5	1	2	102.75
Czech	9.5	4.5	14.33	3.17	32.58	6	331.17	29.83	21.33	6	19.92	98	5	12.08	17.5	610.92
Danish	9.25		164.33	2.33	7.5	1.83	7.5	5.17	6.83	0.5	7	78	0.5	4.83	2.5	298.08
Dutch	15.5	105.5	16.67	2.83	58.17	1	69.5	30.67	46.83	6.5	85.83	6.83	57.67	38.67	63.67	605.83
Estonian	6	1.5	2	2	44.55		6.33	87	11	1	68.5	4	1	2		236.83
Finnish	7	5.5	6.83	4	195.83	0.33	5	7	13		102.17	1.5	6	15.42	11	380.58
French	58.67	42.17	477	135.67	229	90.67	251.83	346.83	88.17	65.67	507.33	463.67	29.5	200.58	98.17	3084.92
German	94.75	26.17	229.5	33.83	158.42	67	222.17	174.92	482.5	480.5	224.33	116.17	26.33	829	96.33	3261.92
Greek	18	18	27.17	150.33	31.67	17.75	581.5	37.67	86.33	8.33	39	348.83	8.5	81.67	40.67	1495.42
Hungarian	17.17	5.5	255.83	5.33	45.33	16.5	40.33	47.5	46.67	9	23	106.5	3	18	15	654.67
Irish	14.83	4.83	20.83	13	23.83	22.33	42.67	80.33	37.17		38	19	13.17	25	17.33	372.33
Italian	51.67	26.67	345.5	155	288.58	127.5	102.83	313.17	184.17	33.17	106.92	433.5	27.33	214	520.33	2929.83
Latvian	9	3.5	50.5	57	99.5	10.5	12.17	9	8.83		90.83	5	3	2.67	2	363.5
Lithuanian	15	11	16	4	257.67	9.5	6.5	17	12	2	112.83	5.5	5.5	5.5	6	486
Luxembourger	6		2.33	1	4.67	3.5	10.33	4.5	2	0.33	138.58	148.5		3.5		324.92
Maltese			43.5	9	13.5	3	3.83	8.5	2.5		18.75	18.5		1.33	3	124.92
Polish	36.83	11.83	419	15.17	97.58	31.08	92.83	104.17	67.5	6.83	222.83	33.67	10.67	32.08	28.83	1210.92
Portuguese	7.83	6	13.5	6	320.5	10	30	23.5	61.17	4	233.67	26.17	9.33	20	21.5	792.67
Romanian	13.83	11	74.5	13.33	121.17	58.83	54.83	384.5	38.83	20.83	62.83	202	10.5	24.5	15.5	1107
Slovakian	10	2	43.5	43.67	15.17	5.33	101.83	22.5	21		28	83.83	4.83	16	5	402.67
Slovenian	1	1	106.5		10.83	6.5	12.83	14.83	13.67	0.33	9	104.5		4	2.5	288
Spanish	462.33	20	388.67	103.33	92.33	39.67	459.67	107.25	115.33	10.5	344.33	47.83	33.5	187.17	86	2497.92
Swedish	12.5	6.17	25.67	7.83	139.83	4	4	9.83	8.83	3	90.67	3	4.5	18.75	15	353.58
UK	18.92	56.5	48.67	27.17	51.67	14.17	72.17	61.67	55.67	22.17	89.92	54	14.17	47.08	42.17	676.08
OTHERS NON EU	79.42	78.17	110.5	30.67	86	40.83	91.5	149.25	111.33	253.5	197.75	184.17	211.66	212	132.67	1969.42
TOTAL	1048	470	3469	965	2970	810	3181	3253	1657	944	3195	2838	720	2093	1318	28931

4. Pupil population by teaching level

Population by teaching level from 2022 to 2025

Schools	Cycle	2022		2023		2024		2025		Difference between 2022 and 2025	
		Population	Change (%)	Population	Change (%)	Population	Change (%)	Population	Change (%)	Population	%
Alicante	Nursery	91	-8.1%	90	-1.1%	100	11.1%	100	0.0%	9	9.9%
	Primary	371	11.1%	374	0.8%	368	-1.6%	341	-7.3%	-30	-8.1%
	Secondary	657	4.3%	665	1.2%	630	-5.3%	607	-3.7%	-50	-7.6%
Total Alicante		1119	5.3%	1129	0.9%	1098	-2.7%	1048	-4.6%	-71	-6.3%
Bergen	Nursery	24	-25.0%	29	20.8%	43	48.3%	37	-14.0%	13	54.2%
	Primary	162	-5.3%	140	-13.6%	127	-9.3%	145	14.2%	-17	-10.5%
	Secondary	314	-3.7%	312	-0.6%	314	0.6%	288	-8.3%	-26	-8.3%
Total Bergen		500	-5.5%	481	-3.8%	484	0.6%	470	-2.9%	-30	-6.0%
Brussels I (Uccle)	Nursery	170	-6.6%	159	-6.5%	140	-11.9%	137	-2.1%	-33	-19.4%
	Primary	942	-7.9%	917	-2.7%	842	-8.2%	750	-10.9%	-192	-20.4%
	Secondary	2222	1.5%	2326	4.7%	2478	6.5%	2582	4.2%	360	16.2%
Total Brussels I (Uccle)		3334	-1.8%	3402	2.0%	3460	1.7%	3469	0.3%	135	4.0%
Brussels I (Berkendael)	Nursery	174	0.0%	183	5.2%	165	-9.8%	171	3.6%	-3	-1.7%
	Primary	729	9.6%	779	6.9%	819	5.1%	794	-3.1%	65	8.9%
Total Brussels I (Berkendael)		903	7.6%	962	6.5%	984	2.3%	965	-1.9%	62	6.9%
Brussels II (Woluwe)	Nursery	158	-18.1%	129	-18.4%	112	-13.2%	99	-11.6%	-59	-37.3%
	Primary	1050	-2.7%	879	-16.3%	758	-13.8%	644	-15.0%	-406	-38.7%
	Secondary	2086	5.8%	2164	3.7%	2192	1.3%	2227	1.6%	141	6.8%
Total Brussels II (Woluwe)		3294	1.6%	3172	-3.7%	3062	-3.5%	2970	-3.0%	-324	-9.8%
Brussels II (Evere)	Nursery	156	35.7%	159	1.9%	159	0.0%	134	-15.7%	-22	-14.1%
	Primary	337	108.0%	493	46.3%	612	24.1%	676	10.5%	339	100.6%
Total Brussels II (Evere)		493	78.0%	652	32.3%	771	18.3%	810	5.1%	317	64.3%
Brussels III	Nursery	173	0.0%	174	0.6%	169	-2.9%	176	4.1%	3	1.7%
	Primary	976	-6.4%	881	-9.7%	877	-0.5%	854	-2.6%	-122	-12.5%
	Secondary	2164	4.9%	2182	0.8%	2156	-1.2%	2151	-0.2%	-13	-0.6%
Total Brussels III		3313	1.1%	3237	-2.3%	3202	-1.1%	3181	-0.7%	-132	-4.0%
Brussels IV	Nursery	139	-20.1%	159	14.4%	140	-11.9%	172	22.9%	33	23.7%
	Primary	972	-4.3%	890	-8.4%	838	-5.8%	819	-2.3%	-153	-15.7%
	Secondary	2038	6.6%	2133	4.7%	2223	4.2%	2262	1.8%	224	11.0%
Total Brussels IV		3149	1.5%	3182	1.0%	3201	0.6%	3253	1.6%	104	3.3%
Frankfurt	Nursery	147	-7.0%	187	27.2%	129	-31.0%	164	27.1%	17	11.6%
	Primary	581	-1.0%	592	1.9%	628	6.1%	632	0.6%	51	8.8%
	Secondary	864	3.8%	875	1.3%	840	-4.0%	861	2.5%	-3	-0.3%
Total Frankfurt		1592	1.0%	1654	3.9%	1597	-3.4%	1657	3.8%	65	4.1%
Karlsruhe	Nursery	88	4.8%	82	-6.8%	78	-4.9%	91	16.7%	3	3.4%
	Primary	367	-0.8%	375	2.2%	375	0.0%	356	-5.1%	-11	-3.0%
	Secondary	489	9.4%	513	4.9%	512	-0.2%	497	-2.9%	8	1.6%
Total Karlsruhe		944	4.8%	970	2.8%	965	-0.5%	944	-2.2%	0	0.0%
Luxemb. I	Nursery	318	-1.5%	277	-12.9%	270	-2.5%	276	2.2%	-42	-13.2%
	Primary	1134	-0.9%	1114	-1.8%	1088	-2.3%	994	-8.6%	-140	-12.3%
	Secondary	1865	3.6%	1898	1.8%	1945	2.5%	1925	-1.0%	60	3.2%
Total Luxembourg I		3317	1.5%	3289	-0.8%	3303	0.4%	3195	-3.3%	-122	-3.7%
Luxemb. II	Nursery	224	0.4%	200	-10.7%	196	-2.0%	216	10.2%	-8	-3.6%
	Primary	974	2.9%	962	-1.2%	921	-4.3%	891	-3.3%	-83	-8.5%
	Secondary	1547	1.9%	1618	4.6%	1700	5.1%	1731	1.8%	184	11.9%
Total Luxembourg II		2745	2.1%	2780	1.3%	2817	1.3%	2838	0.7%	93	3.4%
Mol	Nursery	71	6.0%	64	-9.9%	69	7.8%	67	-2.9%	-4	-5.6%
	Primary	204	-3.3%	221	8.3%	213	-3.6%	219	2.8%	15	7.4%
	Secondary	474	-0.4%	450	-5.1%	426	-5.3%	434	1.9%	-40	-8.4%
Total Mol		749	-0.7%	735	-1.9%	708	-3.7%	720	1.7%	-29	-3.9%
Munich	Nursery	99	-1.0%	92	-7.1%	99	7.6%	97	-2.0%	-2	-2.0%
	Primary	623	-3.6%	607	-2.6%	633	4.3%	652	3.0%	29	4.7%
	Secondary	1313	-0.2%	1333	1.5%	1349	1.2%	1344	-0.4%	31	2.4%
Total Munich		2035	-1.3%	2032	-0.1%	2081	2.4%	2093	0.6%	58	2.9%
Varese	Nursery	57	-32.9%	88	54.4%	90	2.3%	77	-14.4%	20	35.1%
	Primary	443	-2.4%	416	-6.1%	377	-9.4%	440	16.7%	-3	-0.7%
	Secondary	778	1.7%	802	3.1%	829	3.4%	801	-3.4%	23	3.0%
Total Varese		1278	-2.0%	1306	2.2%	1296	-0.8%	1318	1.7%	40	3.1%
Total	Nursery	2089	-4.3%	2072	-0.8%	1959	-5.5%	2014	2.8%	-75	-3.6%
	Primary	9865	0.1%	9640	-2.3%	9476	-1.7%	9207	-2.8%	-658	-6.7%
	Secondary	16811	3.5%	17271	2.7%	17594	1.9%	17710	0.7%	899	5.3%
TOTAL		28765	1.7%	28983	0.8%	29029	0.2%	28931	-0.3%	166	0.6%

The table above shows, for each year under review, the number of pupils at each teaching level (Nursery, Primary and Secondary) in each school and in the system as a whole, as well as the percentage variation year on year since 2022. The last two columns show the differences, in absolute and percentage terms, recorded for each teaching level in each school and in the system as a whole for the period since 2022.

5. Pupil population by language section

The table below shows the population of each of the language sections in each of the schools for the current school year.

Language sections – 2025-2026 school year

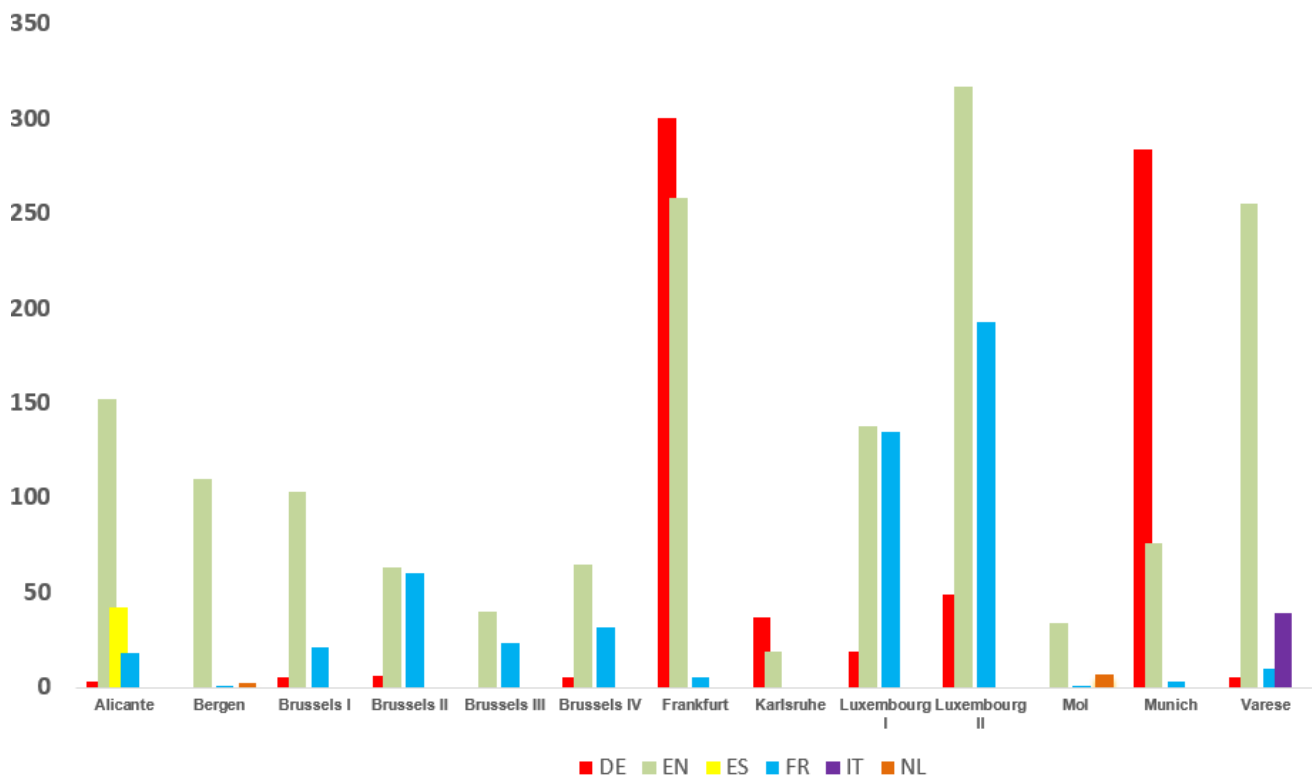
Schools	Language section																			Total			
	BG	CS	DA	DE	EL	EN	ES	ET	FI	FR	HU	IT	LT	LV	NL	PL	PT	RO	SK		SI	SV	
Alicante				179		344	344			181													1048
Bergen						256				62					152								470
Brussels I (Uccle)			195	320		398	346			1303	237	236	22		392			16	4				3469
Brussels I (Berkendael)				39	173	123	103			313		110	57					47					965
Brussels II (Woluwe)				229		267			213	992		209	245		276		335					204	2970
Brussels II (Evere)				102		117				495		96											810
Brussels III		329		282	640	310	444			905					271								3181
Brussels IV	141			242		565		73		1411		217			317			287					3253
Frankfurt				779		503	75			139		161											1657
Karlsruhe				506		297				141													944
Luxembourg I				429		630	339	97		963			35		158	193	235					116	3195
Luxembourg II		18	90	260	329	708				1045	39	345						4					2838
Mol						348				94					278								720
Munich				1091	52	367	90			246		195			52								2093
Varese				143		478				186		420			91								1318
Total	141	347	285	4601	1194	5711	1741	73	310	8476	276	1989	280	79	1595	585	570	291	63	4	320	28931	

Students Without a Language Section (SWALS)

Schools	Language of the L1 course																				TOTAL	
	BG	CS	DA	DE	EL	ES	ET	FI	HR	HU	IT	LT	LV	NL	PL	PT	RO	SK	SI	SV		
Alicante	8	6	7		18		9	7	1	16	39	8		23	35	16	5	10	2	5	215	
Bergen	1	4		6	17	17		1	4	5	18	13			13	9	3	1	1		113	
Brussels I	1												22					12	94		129	
Brussels II							39						90								129	
Brussels III																		63			63	
Brussels IV	1						17		84												102	
Frankfurt	37	18	6		92	52	8	11	17	46		7	6	71	64	60	23	18	17	10	563	
Karlsruhe	1	7			5	4				5	19	1		1	6	2	5				56	
Luxembourg I	88						63					60	81								292	
Luxembourg II		78							62	59							173	83	104		559	
Mol		1		7	4	7		3		1	13				1	3					2	42
Munich	5	8	6		67	150	1	9	1	11	8	3		3	20	23	10	16	3	19	363	
Varese	22	18	4		46	100		10	3	11		5	1		25	30	9	2	2	21	309	
Total	164	140	23	13	249	330	137	41	172	154	97	97	200	98	164	143	228	205	223	57	2935	

SWALS by language section

Schools	Language section						TOTAL
	DE	EN	ES	FR	IT	NL	
Alicante	3	152	42	18			215
Bergen		110		1		2	113
Brussels I	5	103		21			129
Brussels II	6	63		60			129
Brussels III		40		23			63
Brussels IV	5	65		32			102
Frankfurt	300	258		5			563
Karlsruhe	37	19					56
Luxembourg I	19	138		135			292
Luxembourg II	49	317		193			559
Mol		34		1		7	42
Munich	284	76		3			363
Varese	5	255		10	39		309
TOTAL	713	1630	42	502	39	9	2935

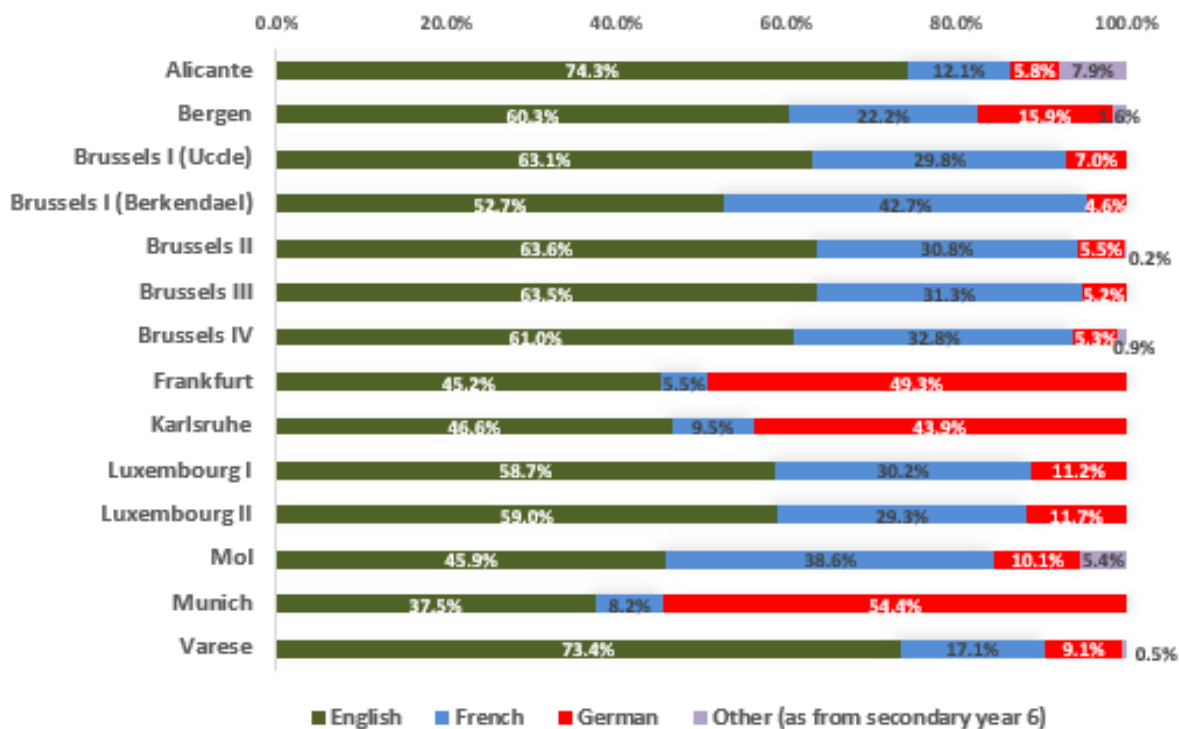


II. CHOICE OF LANGUAGES

Choice of foreign languages - 2025-2026 school year

1. Choice of language 2

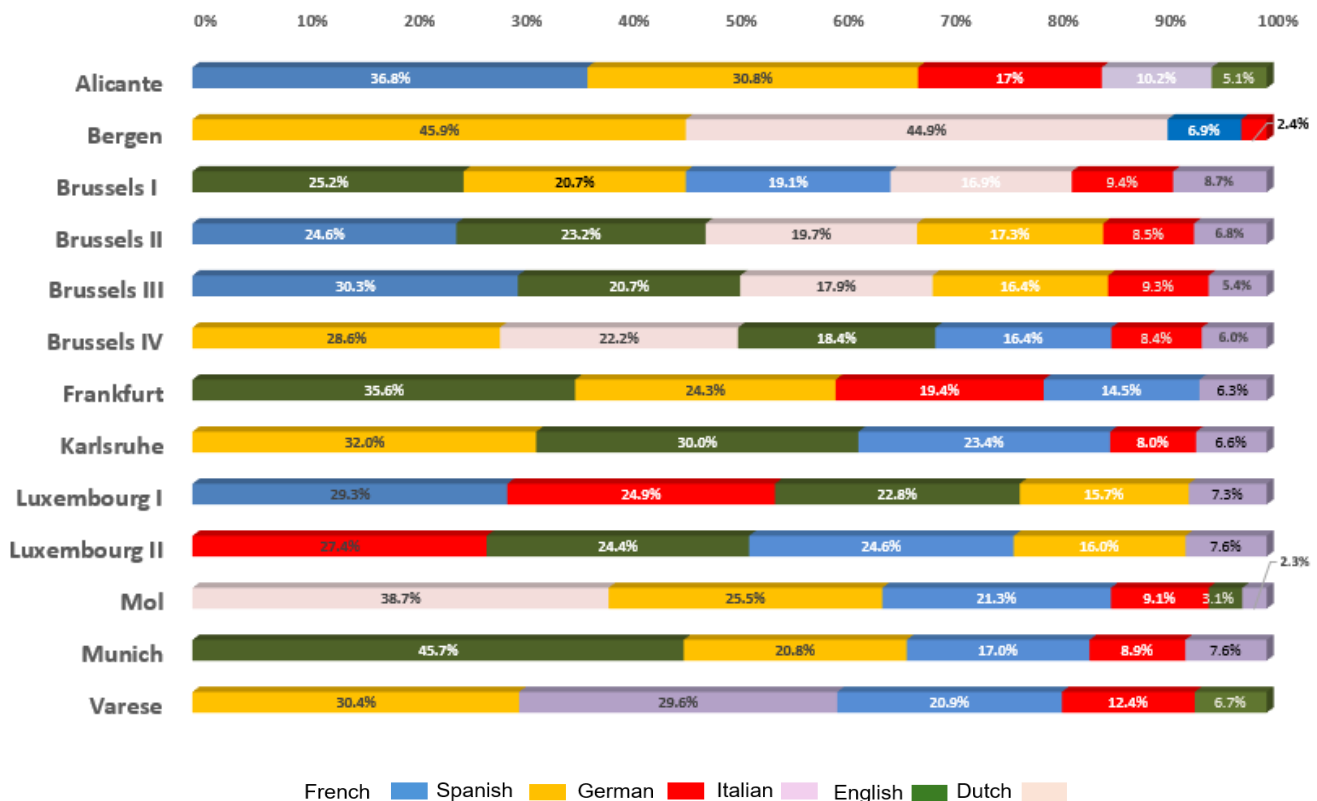
Schools	English	French	German	Other (as from secondary year 6)
Alicante	74.3%	12.1%	5.8%	7.9%
Bergen	60.3%	22.2%	15.9%	1.6%
Brussels I (Uccle)	63.1%	29.8%	7.0%	
Brussels I (Berkendael)	52.7%	42.7%	4.6%	
Brussels II	63.6%	30.8%	5.5%	0.2%
Brussels III	63.5%	31.3%	5.2%	
Brussels IV	61.0%	32.8%	5.3%	0.9%
Frankfurt	45.2%	5.5%	49.3%	
Karlsruhe	46.6%	9.5%	43.9%	
Luxembourg I	58.7%	30.2%	11.2%	
Luxembourg II	59.0%	29.3%	11.7%	
Mol	45.9%	38.6%	10.1%	5.4%
Munich	37.5%	8.2%	54.4%	
Varese	73.4%	17.1%	9.1%	0.5%
Total	57.5%	24.3%	17.1%	



The two tables below show the percentage of all Languages 3 and 4 respectively that are requested in each school.

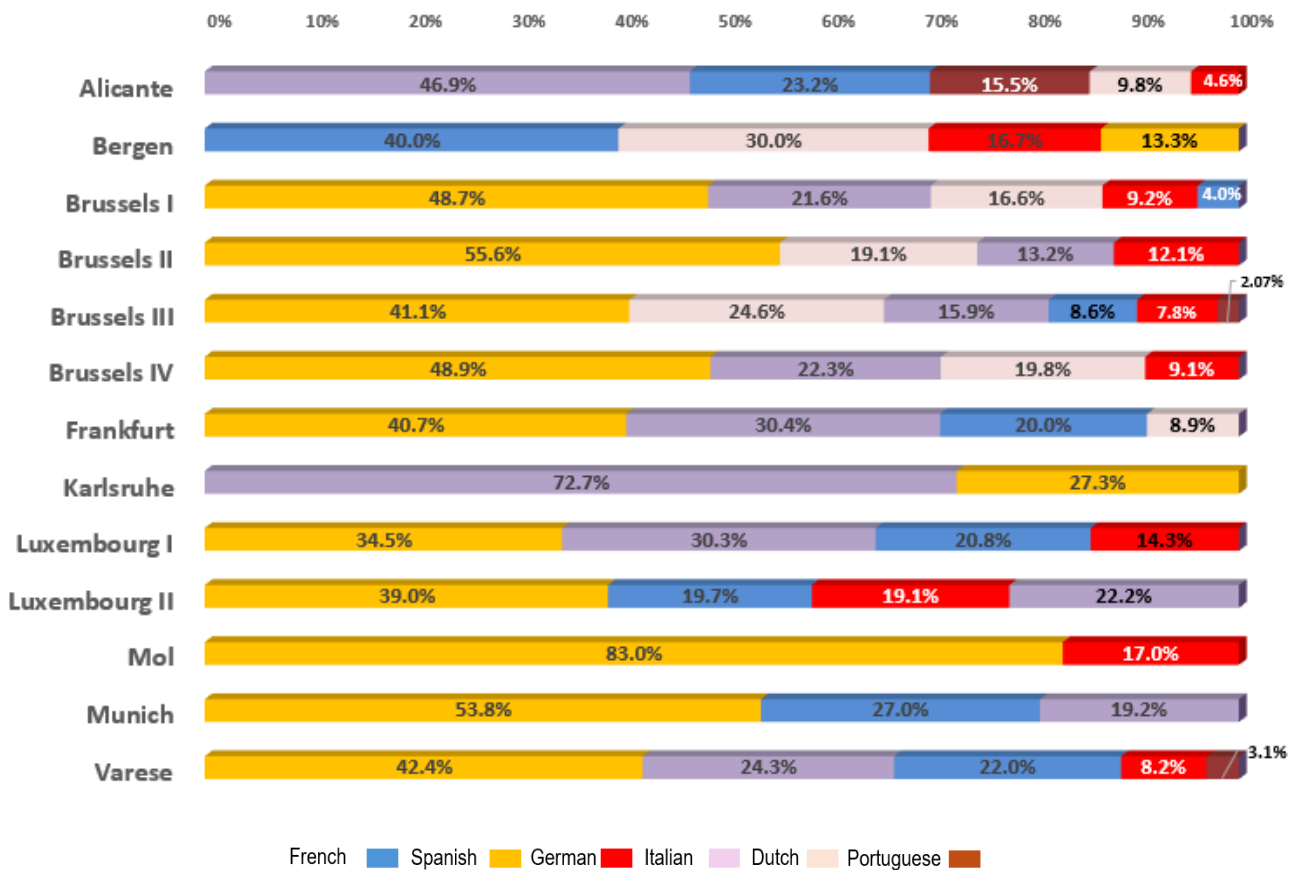
2. Choice of language 3

Schools	Choice 1		Choice 2		Choice 3		Choice 4		Choice 5		Choice 6	
	Language	%	Language	%	Language	%	Language	%	Language	%	Language	%
Alicante	French	36.8%	Spanish	30.8%	German	17%	Italian	10.2%	English	5.1%		
Bergen	Spanish	45.9%	Dutch	44.9%	French	6.9%	German	2.4%				
Brussels I	English	25.2%	Spanish	20.7%	French	19.1%	Dutch	16.9%	German	9.4%	Italian	8.7%
Brussels II	French	24.6%	English	23.2%	Dutch	19.7%	Spanish	17.3%	German	8.5%	Italian	6.8%
Brussels III	French	30.3%	English	20.7%	Dutch	17.9%	Spanish	16.4%	German	9.3%	Italian	5.4%
Brussels IV	Spanish	28.6%	Dutch	22.2%	English	18.4%	French	16.4%	German	8.4%	Italian	6.0%
Frankfurt	English	35.6%	Spanish	24.3%	German	19.4%	French	14.5%	Italian	6.3%		
Karlsruhe	Spanish	32.0%	English	30.0%	French	23.4%	German	8.0%	Italian	6.6%		
Luxembourg I	French	29.3%	German	24.9%	English	22.8%	Spanish	15.7%	Italian	7.3%		
Luxembourg II	German	27.4%	English	24.4%	French	24.6%	Spanish	16.0%	Italian	7.6%		
Mol	Dutch	38.7%	Spanish	25.5%	French	21.3%	German	9.1%	English	3.1%	Italian	2.3%
Munich	English	45.7%	Spanish	20.8%	French	17.0%	German	8.9%	Italian	7.6%		
Varese	Spanish	30.4%	Italian	29.6%	French	20.9%	German	12.4%	English	6.7%		



3. Choice of language 4

Schools	Choice 1		Choice 2		Choice 3		Choice 4		Choice 5		Choice 6	
	Language	%	Language	%	Language	%	Language	%	Language	%	Language	%
Alicante	Italian	46.9%	French	23.2%	Portuguese	15.5%	Dutch	9.8%	German	4.6%		
Bergen	French	40.0%	Dutch	30.0%	German	16.7%	Spanish	13.3%				
Brussels I	Spanish	48.7%	Italian	21.6%	Dutch	16.6%	German	9.2%	French	4.0%		
Brussels II	Spanish	55.6%	Dutch	19.1%	Italian	13.2%	German	12.1%				
Brussels III	Spanish	41.1%	Dutch	24.6%	Italian	15.9%	French	8.6%	German	7.8%	Portuguese	2.07%
Brussels IV	Spanish	48.9%	Italian	22.3%	Dutch	19.8%	German	9.1%				
Frankfurt	Spanish	40.7%	Italian	30.4%	French	20.0%	Dutch	8.9%				
Karlsruhe	Italian	72.7%	Spanish	27.3%								
Luxembourg I	Spanish	34.5%	Italian	30.3%	French	20.8%	German	14.3%				
Luxembourg II	Spanish	39.0%	French	19.7%	German	19.1%	Italian	22.2%				
Mol	Spanish	83.0%	German	17.0%								
Munich	Spanish	53.8%	French	27.0%	Italian	19.2%						
Varese	Spanish	42.4%	Italian	24.3%	French	22.0%	German	8.2%	Portuguese	3.1%		



III. STAFF

1. Seconded staff per school¹

The table below shows, for each school, the number of staff seconded by each Member State to the system as a whole for the 2025-2026 school year.

Schools	Nursery	Primary	Secondary			Managerial staff		Assistant Deputy Directors Nursery/Primary	Assistant Deputy Directors Secondary	Office of the Secretary General of the European Schools	TOTAL
			Teachers	Advisers	Librarians	Directors/ Deputy Directors	Deputy Directors for Finance and Administration				
Alicante	3	19.5	40.0	3		3	1	0.5	1		71
Bergen	1.0	5.5	14.0	2	1	3		0.5	1		28
Brussels I (Uccle)	8	46.6	119.2	7	0.8	3	1	1.0	1		188
Brussels I (Berkendael)	5	30.2			0.2	1		1.0			37
Brussels II (Woluwe)	6	33	96	6	1	3		*	1		146
Brussels II (Evere)	4	15				1		1.0			21
Brussels III	6	41	91	7		3	1	*	1		150
Brussels IV	6	46	97	7	1	3	1	1.0	1		163
Frankfurt	2	26.5	37	4		3		0.5			73
Karlsruhe	1	11	30			3			1		46
Luxembourg I	11.9	42.1	105	6		3		1.0	1		170
Luxembourg II	8.5	38.5	82	4	1	3		*	1		138
Mol	2	9	23	1		3		1.0	1		40
Munich	1	22	59	2		3		1.0			88
Varese	3.5	19	58	4		3		0.5	1		89
OSG											12
TOTAL	68.9	404.9	851.2	53.0	5	41	4	9	11	12	1460

*The post of the Assistant Deputy Director of the Nursery/Primary cycle at the European School, Brussels II (Woluwe) is filled by a locally recruited candidate.

*The post of the Assistant Deputy Director of the Nursery/Primary cycle at the European School, Brussels III is filled by a locally recruited candidate.

*The post of the Assistant Deputy Director of the Nursery/Primary cycle at the European School, Luxembourg II is filled by a locally recruited candidate (ad interim).

¹ It should be noted that some seconded staff occupy two different functions within the school.

2. Seconded staff per Member State²

The table below shows the number of staff seconded by each Member State to the system as a whole for the 2025-2026 school year.

Seconding Member State	Seconded staff: Teachers	Seconded staff: Advisers	Seconded staff: Librarians	Seconded staff: Managerial staff		Seconded staff: Assistant Deputy Directors	Seconded staff: OSG	TOTAL Seconded staff in post	(%)
				Directors /Deputy Directors	Deputy Directors for Finance and Administration				
AT	16.5			3		0.5		20	1.4%
BE	150	25.0	1	3	3.0	4		186	12.7%
BG	16	3.0	2	0				21	1.4%
CY	6			0				6	0.4%
CZ	31	3.0		0				34	2.3%
DE	198	2.0		5		1	1	207	14.2%
DK	26	0.0		0		1		27	1.8%
EE	13	1.0		2				16	1.1%
EL	70	7.0	1	1				79	5.4%
ES	108.5	3.0		3	1.0	1.5	4	121	8.3%
FI	24			1		1		26	1.8%
FR	220.7			2		4.5	1	228	15.6%
HR	16	1.0		2				19	1.3%
HU	18			1			1	20	1.4%
IE	48.5			5		2.5		56	3.8%
IT	109.8	3.0		2				115	7.9%
LT	23							23	1.6%
LU	31			1				32	2.2%
LV	10							10	0.7%
MT	3			1		1		5	0.3%
NL	35			1				36	2.5%
PL	42			3		1	1	47	3.2%
PT	31	1.0		1		1	1	35	2.4%
RO	27	4.0	1	1		1	2	36	2.5%
SE	22			1			1	24	1.6%
SI	13			2				15	1.0%
SK	16							16	1.1%
TOTAL	1325	53	5	41	4	20	12	1460	

² It should be noted that some seconded staff occupy two different functions within the school.

3. Development of locally recruited teachers – 2022-2025

The table below gives for each year since 2022 a number of locally recruited teachers for each school. This number corresponds to full-time teacher equivalents, i.e. with a teaching load of 25.5 weekly hours in the primary and 21 weekly periods in the secondary.

Schools	2022	2023	2024	2025	Difference between 2022 and 2025	
	Locally recruited teachers	Locally recruited teachers	Locally recruited teachers	Locally recruited teachers	Locally recruited teachers	%
Alicante	51	49	46	43	-8	-15.7%
Bergen	44	44	48	48	4	9.1%
Brussels I (Uccle)	120	123	128	129	9	7.5%
Brussels I (Berkendael)	42	40	40	40	-2	-4.8%
Brussels II (Woluwe)	133	130	127	127	-6	-4.5%
Brussels II (Evere)	20	25	31	36	16	80.0%
Brussels III	123	113	113	113	-10	-8.1%
Brussels IV	114	112	113	120	6	5.3%
Frankfurt	109	111	101	100	-9	-8.3%
Karlsruhe	62	59	52	47	-15	-24.2%
Luxembourg I	132	141	159	166	34	25.8%
Luxembourg II	122	110	108	105	-17	-13.9%
Mol	49	46	50	51	2	4.1%
Munich	107	115	104	102	-5	-4.7%
Varese	52	55	61	62	10	19.2%
Total	1280	1273	1281	1289	9	0.7%

4. Seconded teachers and locally recruited teachers (full-time equivalent) for the 2025-2026 school year

Schools	Seconded Teachers			Total seconded Teachers		Locally recruited Teachers Nursery/Primary	Locally recruited Teachers Secondary	Locally recruited Teachers religion	Total locally recruited Teachers		Total
	Nursery	Primary	Secondary								
Alicante	3	19.5	40	62.5	59.2%	12	29	2	43	40.8%	105.5
Bergen	1	5.5	14	20.5	29.9%	13	34	1	48	70.1%	68.5
Brussels I (Uccle)	8	46.6	119.2	174	57.4%	21	99	9	129	42.6%	303
Brussels I (Berkendael)	5	30.2		35	46.8%	38		2	40	53.2%	75
Brussels II (Woluwe)	6	33	96	135	51.5%	31	88	8	127	48.5%	262
Brussels II (Evere)	4	15		19	34.5%	34		2	36	65.5%	55
Brussels III	6	41	91	138	55.0%	24	80	9	113	45.0%	251
Brussels IV	6	46	97	149	55.4%	29	83	8	120	44.6%	269
Frankfurt	2	26.5	37	65.5	39.6%	38	57	5	100	60.4%	165.5
Karlsruhe	1	11	30	42	47.2%	21	24	2	47	52.8%	89.0
Luxembourg I	11.9	42.1	105	159	48.9%	59	99	8	166	51.1%	325
Luxembourg II	8.5	38.5	82	129	55.1%	29	68	8	105	44.9%	234
Mol	2	9	23	34	40.0%	15	34	2	51	60.0%	85
Munich	1	22	59	82	44.6%	35	62	5	102	55.4%	184
Varese	3.5	19	58	80.5	56.5%	25	33	4	62	43.5%	142.5
Total	68.9	404.9	851.2	1325	50.7%	424	790	75	1289	49.3%	2614

5. Managerial staff³

Schools	Managerial Staff				TOTAL
	Directors/Deputy Directors (Seconded)	Deputy Directors for Finance and Administration		Assistant Deputy Directors (Seconded)	
		Seconded	Locally recruited		
Alicante	3	1		1.5	5.5
Bergen	3		1	1.5	5.5
Brussels I (Uccle)	3	1		2	6
Brussels I (Berkendael)	1			1	2
Brussels II (Woluwe)	3		1	1 *	5
Brussels II (Evere)	1			1	2
Brussels III	3	1		1 *	5
Brussels IV	3	1		2	6
Frankfurt	3		1	0.5	4.5
Karlsruhe	3		1	1	5
Luxembourg I	3		1	2	6
Luxembourg II	3		1	1 *	5
Mol	3		1	2	6
Munich	3		1	1	5
Varese	3		1	1.5	5.5
TOTAL	41	4	9	20	74.0

*The post of the Assistant Deputy Director of the Nursery/Primary cycle at the European School, Brussels II (Woluwe) is filled by a locally recruited candidate.

*The post of the Assistant Deputy Director of the Nursery/Primary cycle at the European School, Brussels III is filled by a locally recruited candidate.

*The post of the Assistant Deputy Director of the Nursery/Primary cycle at the European School, Luxembourg II is filled by a locally recruited candidate (ad interim).

³ It should be noted that some seconded staff occupy two different functions within the school.

6. Pupil to Educational Adviser ratio

The table below shows, for the 2025-2026 school year, the ratio between the number of pupils in the secondary cycle and the number of educational advisers.

Schools	Educational Advisers		TOTAL EDUCATIONAL ADVISERS	Pupils in the secondary cycle	Pupils- Educational Advisers Ratio
	Seconded	Locally recruited			
Alicante	3		3	607	202
Bergen	2	1	3	288	96
Brussels I (Uccle)	7	6	13	2582	199
Brussels II (Woluwe)	6	7	13	2227	171
Brussels III	7	4	11	2151	196
Brussels IV	7	7	14	2262	162
Frankfurt	4	1	5	861	172
Karlsruhe		2	2	497	249
Luxembourg I	6	4	10	1925	193
Luxembourg II	4	4	8	1731	216
Mol	1	1.5	2.5	434	174
Munich	2	5	7	1344	192
Varese	4		4	801	200
Total	53	42.5	95.5	17710	185

7. Administrative and ancillary staff

The table below shows the number of posts of administrative and ancillary staff in each school and at the Office of the Secretary-General for the years 2023 to 2025 according to the organigrams appearing in the budgets*. It also shows the percentage difference between the number of such staff members at the beginning and end of that period.

Number of posts of administrative and ancillary staff from 2023 to 2025 according to the organigrams appearing in the budgets*				
Schools	2023	2024	2025	Diff. 2023-2025 (%)
Alicante	18.95	18.95	18.95	0.0%
Bergen	15.6	15.6	15.6	0.0%
Brussels I + Berkendael	48.03	48.03	48.43	0.8%
Brussels II + Evere	45.6	45.6	47.1	3.3%
Brussels III	32	32.5	34	6.3%
Brussels IV	31	31.5	32	3.2%
Frankfurt	23	23	23	0.0%
Karlsruhe	18.2	19.2	19.7	8.2%
Luxembourg I	35.4	35.4	35.9	1.4%
Luxembourg II	33.1	33.1	33.1	0.0%
Mol	19	20	20	5.3%
Munich	30	30.5	30.5	1.7%
Varese	26.78	27.31	27.31	2.0%
OSG	75.7	76.7	79.7	5.3%
TOTAL	452.36	457.39	465.29	2.9%

*The posts of Nursery Assistants, Science Lab Technicians and SEN Assistants are not included in the data presented.

The table below shows the number of posts of Nursery Assistants in each school for the years 2023 to 2025 according to the organigrams appearing in the budgets. It also shows the percentage difference between the number of such staff members at the beginning and end of that period.

Number of posts of Nursery Assistants from 2023 to 2025 according to the organigrams appearing in the budgets				
Schools	2023	2024	2025	Diff. 2023-2025 (%)
Alicante	5	5	5	0.0%
Bergen	2	2	0.7	-65.0%
Brussels I + Berkendael	12.41	12.41	7.13	-42.5%
Brussels II + Evere	15	18	18	20.0%
Brussels III	3.26	4	4.5	38.0%
Brussels IV	4	2	3.5	-12.5%
Frankfurt	7	7	7	0.0%
Karlsruhe	3	3	3	0.0%
Luxembourg I	13.5	13.5	13.5	0.0%
Luxembourg II	4.6	2.7	2.9	-37.0%
Mol	2	2	2	0.0%
Munich	5	5	5	0.0%
Varese	3	1.07	1.74	-42.0%
OSG				
TOTAL	79.77	77.68	73.97	-7.3%

The table below shows, for the 2025-2026 school year, the ratio between the number of pupils in the Nursery cycle in all European Schools, and the number of posts of Nursery Assistants in each school.

Schools	Number of posts of Nursery Assistants according to the organigrams appearing in the budgets	Number of pupils in the Nursery cycle	Pupils-Nursery Assistants Ratio
Alicante	5	100	20
Bergen	0.7	37	53
Brussels I + Berkendael	7.13	308	43
Brussels II + Evere	18	233	13
Brussels III	4.5	176	39
Brussels IV	3.5	172	49
Francfort	7	164	23
Karlsruhe	3	91	30
Luxembourg I	13.5	276	20
Luxembourg II	2.9	216	74
Mol	2	67	34
Munich	5	97	19
Varese	1.74	77	44
TOTAL	73.97	2014	27

Annex : Cost sharing

The Cost Sharing table, extracted from the document 2025-10-D-32-en-2⁴ appear below, together with an overview of the development of secondments.

PUPILS COMING FROM THE MEMBER STATES/SECONDED TEACHERS BY MEMBER STATE IN ALL SCHOOLS AUTUMN 2025 WITHOUT MUNICH (applicable to the 2026/27 school year)							
Basis					2024 cost sharing agreement		
A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
Seconding Member State	Pupils with an EU nationality enrolled 15.10.2025	%	Seconded Staff in post per Member State in October 2025	Staff share required according to pupils	New language section coefficient	Target level 2026/27	Total expected seconded posts
AT	249	1,02%	14	15,1	1,23	19	5
BE	3.078	12,59%	185	186,9	1,10	206	21
BG	640	2,62%	21	38,9	0,83	32	11
CY	102	0,42%	6	6,2	0,93	6	
CZ	599	2,45%	32	36,4	0,83	30	
DE	2.433	9,95%	169	147,8	1,23	182	13
DK	293	1,20%	25	17,8	0,83	15	
EE	235	0,96%	16	14,3	0,83	12	
EL	1.414	5,78%	76	85,9	0,93	80	4
ES	2.311	9,45%	117	140,3	0,93	131	14
FI	365	1,49%	26	22,2	0,83	18	
FR	2.884	11,80%	217	175,2	1,23	215	
HR	256	1,05%	19	15,6	0,83	13	
HU	637	2,60%	20	38,7	0,83	32	12
IE	347	1,42%	51	21,1	1,23	26	
IT	2.716	11,11%	105	164,9	0,93	153	48
LT	481	1,97%	23	29,2	0,83	24	1
LU	321	1,31%	31	19,5	1,23	24	
LV	361	1,48%	10	21,9	0,83	18	8
MT	124	0,51%	5	7,5	1,23	9	4
NL	567	2,32%	35	34,4	0,93	32	
PL	1.179	4,82%	46	71,6	0,83	59	13
PT	773	3,16%	34	46,9	0,83	39	5
RO	1.083	4,43%	36	65,7	0,83	55	19
SE	335	1,37%	23	20,3	0,83	17	
SI	284	1,16%	14	17,2	0,83	14	
SK	387	1,58%	16	23,5	0,83	19	3
TOTAL	24.452	100,00%	1.372	1485,0		1.480	181

⁴ Cost-sharing: Voluntary Contributions and secondment targets for 2026/27

Development of the pupil population in the European Schools by Member State, without the Munich School pupil population

Nationalities /Members States	Pupils with an EU Nationality on roll on 14.10.2022	Pupils with an EU Nationality on roll on 15.10.2023	Pupils with an EU Nationality on roll on 15.10.2024	Pupils with an EU Nationality on roll on 15.10.2025	Difference between 2022 and 2025
AT	265	264	259.83	249.33	-15.67
BE	3132.16	3137.42	3136.67	3077.83	-54.33
BG	628.41	635.08	660.75	640.42	12.01
CY	79.92	95.25	98.75	101.75	21.83
CZ	628.07	590.92	600.25	598.83	-29.24
DE	2489.92	2466.34	2420.17	2432.92	-57
DK	307.57	290.58	298.25	293.25	-14.32
EE	257.16	244.17	246.33	234.83	-22.33
EL	1280.24	1346.08	1366.08	1413.75	133.51
ES	2292.84	2364.83	2319.67	2310.75	17.91
FI	381.67	397.66	371.33	365.17	-16.5
FR	3033.16	3023.25	2962.67	2884.33	-148.83
HR	224.41	244.92	251.75	256.08	31.67
HU	640.99	673.33	685.83	636.67	-4.32
IE	350.08	359.33	358.33	347.33	-2.75
IT	2655.08	2667.25	2680.33	2715.83	60.75
LT	478.67	470.33	471.83	480.5	1.83
LU	262.92	275.75	293.92	321.42	58.5
LV	360.84	374.83	365	360.83	-0.01
MT	99.08	104.09	119.59	123.59	24.51
NL	643.17	603.33	574	567.16	-76.01
PL	1166.16	1183.83	1180.5	1178.83	12.67
PT	689.83	692.17	744.5	772.67	82.84
RO	896.84	973.5	1026.83	1082.5	185.66
SE	416.25	364.59	357.17	334.83	-81.42
SI	296.99	294.83	301	283.5	-13.49
SK	386.84	396.33	399.5	386.67	-0.17
UK	755.93	728.5	678.25	629	-126.93
TOTAL	25100.2	25262.49	25229.1	25080.57	-19.63
% variation		0.65	-0.13	-0.59	
% variation over 2 years			0.51		
% variation over 3 years				-0.08	

Development in the number of seconded staff in the European Schools by Member State, without the seconded staff of Munich

Nationalities / Member States	Seconded Staff in post per Member State in October 2022	Seconded Staff in post per Member State in October 2023	Seconded Staff in post per Member State in October 2024	Seconded Staff in post per Member State in October 2025	Difference between 2022 and 2025
AT	13	12	14	14	1
BE	183	190	188	185	2
BG	18	19	18	21	3
CY	2	3	5	6	4
CZ	23	28	30	32	9
DE	186	183	187	169	-17
DK	26	26	26	25	-1
EE	13	16	16	16	3
EL	61	59	65	76	15
ES	100	102	112	117	17
FI	29	26	26	26	-3
FR	192	214	214	217	25
HR	14	16	17	19	5
HU	19	19	19	20	1
IE	54	50	51	51	-3
IT	111	106	102	105	-6
LT	19	20	21	23	4
LU	14	17	25	31	17
LV	7	7	8	10	3
MT	5	5	6	5	0
NL	44	43	40	35	-9
PL	41	46	46	46	5
PT	33	33	33	34	1
RO	19	19	25	36	17
SE	24	25	25	23	-1
SI	12	11	13	14	2
SK	16	14	16	16	0
UK					0
TOTAL	1278	1,309	1,348	1,372	94
% Variation		2.42	2.98	1.78	
% Variation over 2 years			5.48		
% Variation over 3 years				7.36	