



# Key figures for Strasbourg

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## CONFERENCES AND EXHIBITIONS (2008)

119 congresses

47 exhibitions

(215,630 visitors at the European fair of Strasbourg : 1,090 exhibitors)

## TRANSPORT (2008)

### • **Strasbourg Port traffic :**

**8,395,087 metric tons**

2<sup>nd</sup> French river harbour and one of the first Rhine harbours

### • **Airport traffic**

Strasbourg-International Airport **Passengers : 1,329,626**

**Freight : 20,368 metric tons**

8<sup>th</sup> French Airport

### • **Rail traffic :**

**3.3 million passengers** (on the main railway lines from and towards the Bas-Rhin)

## TRAINING - EDUCATION

### Young people under contract of apprenticeship in Strasbourg (2006-2007)

Handicraft : 1,542 ; Construction, trade, industry and services : 2,308

### Baccalauréat (final secondary school) (2006-2007)

4,937 pupils in Strasbourg

### Higher education (2008-2009)

41,740 students are attending in the University of Strasbourg and high schools.

Sources : INSEE Alsace, Centre de ressources STAT'Allemagne, CCI de Strasbourg & Bas-Rhin, Chambre de Métiers d'Alsace, DRTEFP, ASSEDIC, Banque de France, CUS, SNCF, Office du Tourisme Strasbourg, Strasbourg Développement, Direction Régionale du Commerce, de la Concurrence et de la Répression des Fraudes, Port Autonome de Strasbourg, AGRESTE, Rectorat de l'Académie de Strasbourg.

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\* 2006 National Census \*\* December 2006

*NB : Strasbourg Key Figures are also available in French and German.*

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## DEMOGRAPHY

### TOTAL POPULATION \*

	Inhabitants	Surface area	Density
Strasbourg city	272,975	78,27 km <sup>2</sup>	3,487 inhabitants/km <sup>2</sup>
Strasbourg Urban Community (CUS)	467,376	305,97 km <sup>2</sup>	1,527 inhabitants/km <sup>2</sup>
Eurodistrict CUS-Ortenau	859,366	2 156,70 km <sup>2</sup>	399 inhabitants/km <sup>2</sup>

### THE MOST IMPORTANT TOWNS (Eurodistrict area) \*\*

	Inhabitants	Households
Strasbourg	272,975	126,064
Offenburg (D)	58,811	28,235
Lahr (D)	43,626	20,955
Kehl (D)	34,700	16,705
Schiltigheim	31,239	14,187
Achern (D)	24,891	10,650
Illkirch-Graffenstaden	26,368	12,394
Bischheim	17,827	7,935
Lingolsheim	16,784	7,363

## EMPLOYMENT

### TOTAL EMPLOYMENT (2006 National Census)

Potential working population : 266,356 within Strasbourg Urban Community

(unemployed and cross border workers included). 235,950 are actively employed. 6,905 cross border workers at 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2009 (living in Strasbourg and working in Germany)

### LABOUR MARKET

Total unemployment rate : 6.7 % in Alsace (4th quarter 2008)

Bas-Rhin (Northern Alsace) : 6.4 % Haut-Rhin (Southern Alsace) : 7.1 % France : 7.5 %

22,987 unemployed in Strasbourg area (March 2009) of which 40.3 % are women, 23.4 % long term unemployed

### EMPLOYMENT IN THE MAIN SECTORS (Strasbourg Urban Community, 1999 National Census)

Sectors	Workers	Sectors	Workers
Trade	31,950	Construction	9,504
Industry	30,993	Financial activities	10,325
Business services	34,124	Administration	29,693
Transports	12,672	Education, health, social activities	41,576



## ECONOMIC INDICATORS

### AGRICULTURE (2000)

1,217 agricultural holdings in Strasbourg (city and suburbs)  
Surface area : **47,914 hectares (ha)** (total area : 76,257 ha)  
Average farm area : **39.4 ha**

### HANDICRAFT

**5,528** firms in Strasbourg Urban Community employing **29,166 workers** in March 2009 :

Food	<b>593</b>	8.9 %
Production	<b>981</b>	17.8 %
Construction	<b>1,918</b>	34.7 %
Services	<b>2,136</b>	38.6 %

### INDUSTRY, TRADE, SERVICES (Strasbourg Urban Community)

**16,976** firms employing 118,787 workers (June 2009)

City	Industry	Construction	Trade	Hôtels & restaurants	Services	Total firms	Total staff
BISCHHEIM	26	61	134	41	158	<b>420</b>	<b>3,000</b>
BLAESHEIM	3	1	7	7	10	<b>28</b>	<b>64</b>
ECKBOLSHEIM	32	47	106	13	198	<b>396</b>	<b>2,283</b>
ECKWERSHEIM	4	6	7	5	13	<b>35</b>	<b>61</b>
ENTZHEIM	8	16	44	7	216	<b>291</b>	<b>2,180</b>
ESCHAU	9	19	36	8	70	<b>142</b>	<b>642</b>
FEGERSHEIM	20	21	57	6	45	<b>149</b>	<b>2,812</b>
GEISPOLSHEIM	54	51	165	30	175	<b>475</b>	<b>5,307</b>
HOENHEIM	19	46	81	14	114	<b>274</b>	<b>1,505</b>
HOLTZHEIM	9	18	20	6	48	<b>101</b>	<b>1,081</b>
ILLKIRCH GRAFFENSTADEN	58	87	274	61	418	<b>898</b>	<b>8,341</b>
LAMPERTHEIM	2	5	40	7	39	<b>93</b>	<b>802</b>
LA WANTZENAU	19	26	46	18	110	<b>219</b>	<b>1,243</b>
LINGOLSHEIM	27	47	110	27	174	<b>385</b>	<b>1,924</b>
LIPSHEIM	6	3	14	4	31	<b>58</b>	<b>373</b>
MITTELHAUSBERGEN	2	4	9	3	29	<b>47</b>	<b>92</b>
MUNDOLSHEIM	32	39	119	13	140	<b>343</b>	<b>3,360</b>
NIEDERHAUSBERGEN	2	13	20	3	25	<b>63</b>	<b>490</b>
OBERHAUSBERGEN	11	7	49	7	188	<b>262</b>	<b>1,294</b>
OBERSCHAEFFOLSHEIM	4	11	15	4	21	<b>55</b>	<b>85</b>
OSTWALD	23	35	93	21	125	<b>297</b>	<b>2,358</b>
PLOBSHEIM	6	14	22	7	26	<b>75</b>	<b>142</b>
REICHTSTETT	25	27	70	7	98	<b>227</b>	<b>2,281</b>
SCHILTIGHEIM	109	110	309	117	614	<b>1,259</b>	<b>11,323</b>
SOUFFELWEYERSHEIM	16	29	102	9	111	<b>267</b>	<b>2,149</b>
STRASBOURG	416	563	2 939	1,135	4,631	<b>9,684</b>	<b>60,991</b>
VENDENHEIM	13	25	134	24	102	<b>298</b>	<b>1,512</b>
WOLFISHEIM	17	17	32	7	62	<b>135</b>	<b>1,092</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>972</b>	<b>1,348</b>	<b>5,054</b>	<b>1,611</b>	<b>7,991</b>	<b>16,976</b>	<b>118,787</b>

## ZONES AND BUSINESS PARKS :

55 sites (of more than 5 hectares) in Strasbourg Urban Community.

## THE MOST IMPORTANT FIRMS

	Field of activity	Staff (1)
Hôpitaux Universitaires de Strasbourg	Health	11,046*
Communauté Urbaine de Strasbourg	Administration	6,791*
SNCF	Rail	5,242
La Poste	Post	3,500
France Telecom	Telecommunications	2,644
Coopérateurs d'Alsace	Retail	2,344
SA Auchan France	Retail	1,896
Sté Lilly France	Medicinal products	1,720
Brasserie Kronenbourg – BK SA	Brewery	1,654
Council of Europe	Administration	1,605*
CTS	Public means of conveyance	1,538
Atac	Retail	1,316
GM Powertrain Group/General Motors	Automobile equipment	1,278
Cora	Retail	1,254
Alcatel Lucent	Telecommunications	1,200

(1) Employed in the Bas-Rhin département (Northern Alsace)

June 2009

\* permanent staff (01.06.2007)

## SETTING UP, TAKING OVER AND CLOSING DOWN BUSINESSES

Setting up *	Taking over *	Closing down *
2,095	408	1,937

\* Strasbourg Urban Community in 2008

## TRADE

**5,740** retail and wholesale outlets in Strasbourg, town and suburbs (June 2009) :

<b>214</b> wholesale food	<b>1,594</b> wholesale non food
<b>956</b> retail food	<b>2,976</b> retail non food

Strasbourg Urban Community : **7 hypermarkets** (total surface area : 62,002 m<sup>2</sup>)

**47 supermarkets** (more than 300 m<sup>2</sup> ; total surface area : 51,863 m<sup>2</sup>)

**27 hard discounters** (total surface area : 17,260 m<sup>2</sup>)

## TOURISM

**119** hotels, **6,910** rooms in Strasbourg Urban Community (January, 1<sup>st</sup> 2009) of which graded hotels :  
7 four stars hotels ; 30 three stars hotels.

Visitors in 2008 :

Cathedral :	3,000,100 visitors
Strasbourg by boat :	742,021 visitors
Museums :	508,071 visitors