

Core & Suburban Growth in Cities

Western Europe: 1971-2011

Urban Areas (Urban Agglomerations) and Metropolitan Areas

Population in 000s	1971 Population			2011 Population		
	UA/MA	Core	Suburbs	UA/MA	Core	Suburbs
URBAN AREAS (URBAN AGGLOMERATIONS)						
Amsterdam	938	820	118	1,064	780	284
Athens	2,535	862	1,673	3,089	664	2,425
Birmingham	2,369	1,013	1,356	2,446	1,086	1,360
Bordeaux	590	254	336	853	239	614
Dublin	783	569	214	1,114	528	586
Glasgow	1,732	897	835	1,210	593	617
Helsinki	522	529	-7	1,134	588	546
Lille	912	233	679	1,020	228	792
Liverpool	1,253	607	646	865	466	399
London	7,787	2,959	4,828	10,297	3,232	7,065
Lyon	1,128	507	621	1,563	491	1,072
Manchester	2,391	542	1,849	2,559	503	2,056
Marseille	1,197	894	303	1,569	851	718
Newcastle	876	222	654	776	149	627
Nice	649	328	321	947	344	603
Oslo	643	488	155	916	599	317
Paris	8,278	2,504	5,774	10,537	2,250	8,287
Rotterdam	959	687	272	995	606	389
Stockholm	1,031	747	284	1,385	847	538
Southampton	740	213	527	857	254	603
Thessaloniki	557	340	217	754	325	429
Toulouse	476	372	104	891	447	444
West Yorkshire	1,705	506	1,199	1,787	475	1,312
Zurich	711	423	288	1,198	373	825
Urban Areas	40,763	17,516	23,247	49,824	16,918	32,906
METROPOLITAN AREAS (LABOR MARKETS)						
Antwerp	858	227	631	976	185	791
Barcelona	3,521	1,828	1,693	4,999	1,621	3,378
Bergamo	561	126	435	799	115	684
Bologna	746	488	258	766	371	395
Brussels	1,576	143	1,433	1,975	170	1,805
Copenhagen	1,338	626	712	1,207	540	667
Florence	725	460	265	694	358	336
Genoa	918	832	86	701	586	115
Lisbon	1,874	782	1,092	2,826	553	2,273

Madrid	3,595	3,121	474	5,870	3,265	2,605
Milan	3,040	1,732	1,308	3,065	1,242	1,823
Naples	2,019	1,267	752	2,213	962	1,251
Palermo	757	653	104	855	658	197
Porto	941	326	615	1,288	238	1,050
Rome	3,168	2,656	512	3,617	2,617	1,000
Turin	1,775	1,142	633	1,742	872	870
Metropolitan Areas	27,413	16,409	11,004	33,594	14,353	19,241
All	68,177	33,925	34,252	83,418	31,271	52,148

Populaton Change	1971 Population			2011 Population		
	UA/MA	Core	Suburbs	UA/MA	Core	Suburbs
URBAN AREAS (URBAN AGGLOMERATIONS)						
Amsterdam	126	-40	166	13%	-5%	141%
Athens	553	-198	751	22%	-23%	45%
Birmingham	77	73	4	3%	7%	0%
Bordeaux	263	-15	278	45%	-6%	83%
Dublin	331	-41	372	42%	-7%	173%
Glasgow	-522	-304	-218	-30%	-34%	-26%
Helsinki	611	59	552	117%	11%	
Lille	108	-5	113	12%	-2%	17%
Liverpool	-389	-141	-248	-31%	-23%	-38%
London	2,510	273	2,237	32%	9%	46%
Lyon	435	-16	450	39%	-3%	72%
Manchester	169	-39	208	7%	-7%	11%
Marseille	372	-43	415	31%	-5%	137%
Newcastle	-101	-73	-28	-11%	-33%	-4%
Nice	298	16	282	46%	5%	88%
Oslo	272	111	161	42%	23%	104%
Paris	2,259	-254	2,513	27%	-10%	44%
Rotterdam	36	-81	117	4%	-12%	43%
Stockholm	354	100	254	34%	13%	90%
Southampton	118	41	77	16%	19%	15%
Thessaloniki	197	-15	212	35%	-4%	97%
Toulouse	415	75	340	87%	20%	327%
West Yorkshire	82	-31	113	5%	-6%	9%
Zurich	487	-50	537	69%	-12%	186%
Urban Areas	9,061	-598	9,659	22%	-3%	42%
METROPOLITAN AREAS (LABOR MARKETS)						
Antwerp	118	-42	160	14%	-19%	25%
Barcelona	1,477	-207	1,684	42%	-11%	99%

Bergamo	238	-11	249	43%	-9%	57%
Bologna	21	-117	138	3%	-24%	54%
Brussels	399	27	372	25%	19%	26%
Copenhagen	-131	-86	-45	-10%	-14%	-6%
Florence	-31	-102	71	-4%	-22%	27%
Genoa	-217	-246	29	-24%	-30%	34%
Lisbon	952	-229	1,181	51%	-29%	108%
Madrid	2,275	144	2,131	63%	5%	450%
Milan	24	-490	514	1%	-28%	39%
Naples	194	-305	499	10%	-24%	66%
Palermo	97	5	92	13%	1%	88%
Porto	347	-88	435	37%	-27%	71%
Rome	449	-39	488	14%	-1%	95%
Turin	-33	-270	237	-2%	-24%	37%
Metropolitan Areas	6,181	-2,056	8,237	23%	-13%	75%
All	15,242	-2,654	17,896	22%	-8%	52%

Population in 000s