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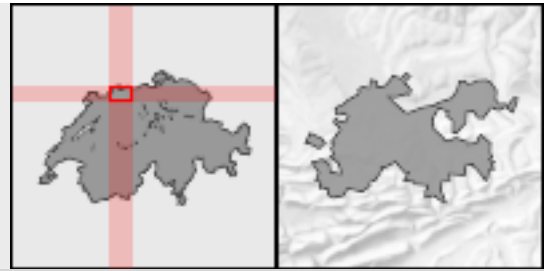
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Basel: national agglomeration

Population

Permanent resident population	2012	500,562
Population density in km ²	2012	1,040.4
Youth dependency ratio	2012	30.2
Old age dependency ratio	2012	32.5
Median age, in years	2012	44.0
Migration		
Permanent foreign resident population, in %	2012	25.3
Permanent foreign resident population (EU-27), in %	2012	14.9
Permanent foreign resident population (not EU-27), in %	2012	10.4

Social aspects: Housing

Dwellings, total	2012	260,523
Houses per 100 apartments	2012	30.2
Rate of vacant housing units, in %	2012	0.6

Social aspects: Crime

Total recorded crimes	2012	46,388
per 1000 residents	2012	92.7
Domestic burglaries (without sneak in burglary)	2012	1,793
per 1000 residents	2012	3.6

Economic aspects

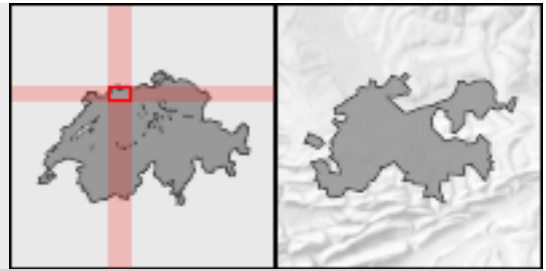
Employment, total	2008	304,495
in the primary sector, in %	2008	0.9
in the secondary sector, in %	2008	26.9
in the tertiary sector, in %	2008	72.2

Information Society

Employment in the ITC and media sector	2008	9,305
in % of the total employment	2008	3.1

Mobility and Transport

Passenger cars per 1000 residents	2012	457.9
Persons killed in road accidents per 1000 residents	2012	0.4
Average time of journey to work, in minutes	2012	33.4
Commuters, total	2012	257,784
by individual motorized transport, in %	2012	40.6
by public transport, in %	2012	42.2
by soft mobility, in %	2012	17.2
Stops of public transport	2012	779
per 1000 residents	2012	1.6



Basel: national agglomeration

Culture and recreation

Cinema seats	2012	5,688
per 1000 inhabitants	2012	11.4

Tourism

Annual hotels overnight stays	2012	1,384,105
per resident	2012	2.8

Landuse

Total land area in km ²	2004-2009	481.2
Land area in housing/residential use, in %	2004-2009	11.1
Transportation areas, in %	2004-2009	6.7
Land used for commercial activities, in %	2004-2009	5.1
Wooded and recreational areas, in %	2004-2009	40.5
Agricultural areas, in %	2004-2009	34.0
Other land use, in %	2004-2009	2.7



Bern: agglomeration

Population

Permanent resident population	2012	356,024
Population density in km ²	2012	729.3
Youth dependency ratio	2012	29.1
Old age dependency ratio	2012	30.5
Median age, in years	2012	43.2
Migration		
Permanent foreign resident population, in %	2012	16.9
Permanent foreign resident population (EU-27), in %	2012	9.1
Permanent foreign resident population (not EU-27), in %	2012	7.8

Social aspects: Housing

Dwellings, total	2012	188,616
Houses per 100 apartments	2012	18.3
Rate of vacant housing units, in %	2012	0.8

Social aspects: Crime

Total recorded crimes	2012	42,366
per 1000 residents	2012	119.0
Domestic burglaries (without sneak in burglary)	2012	1,244
per 1000 residents	2012	3.5

Economic aspects

Employment, total	2008	250,685
in the primary sector, in %	2008	1.9
in the secondary sector, in %	2008	16.0
in the tertiary sector, in %	2008	82.1

Information Society

Employment in the ITC and media sector	2008	18,824
in % of the total employment	2008	7.5

Mobility and Transport

Passenger cars per 1000 residents	2012	466.0
Persons killed in road accidents per 1000 residents	2012	0.3
Average time of journey to work, in minutes	2012	36.8
Commuters, total	2012	267,197
by individual motorized transport, in %	2012	40.2
by public transport, in %	2012	47.1
by soft mobility, in %	2012	12.7
Stops of public transport	2012	648
per 1000 residents	2012	1.8



Bern: agglomeration

Culture and recreation

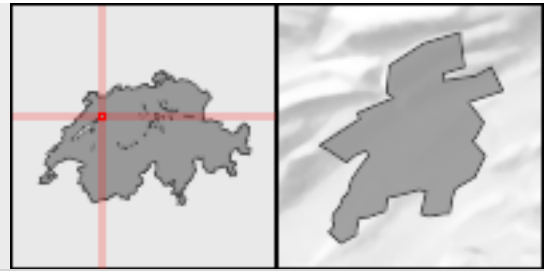
Cinema seats	2012	8,153
per 1000 inhabitants	2012	22.9

Tourism

Annual hotels overnight stays	2012	802,004
per resident	2012	2.3

Landuse

Total land area in km ²	2004-2009	488.3
Land area in housing/residential use, in %	2004-2009	8.3
Transportation areas, in %	2004-2009	5.4
Land used for commercial activities, in %	2004-2009	3.4
Wooded and recreational areas, in %	2004-2009	29.5
Agricultural areas, in %	2004-2009	51.2
Other land use, in %	2004-2009	2.1



Biel/Bienne: agglomeration

Population

Permanent resident population	2012	92,947
Population density in km ²	2012	1,025.8
Youth dependency ratio	2012	31.7
Old age dependency ratio	2012	32.2
Median age, in years	2012	43.2
Migration		
Permanent foreign resident population, in %	2012	22.2
Permanent foreign resident population (EU-27), in %	2012	11.5
Permanent foreign resident population (not EU-27), in %	2012	10.7

Social aspects: Housing

Dwellings, total	2012	50,383
Houses per 100 apartments	2012	18.3
Rate of vacant housing units, in %	2012	1.9

Social aspects: Crime

Total recorded crimes	2012	14,779
per 1000 residents	2012	159.0
Domestic burglaries (without sneak in burglary)	2012	329
per 1000 residents	2012	3.5

Economic aspects

Employment, total	2008	47,783
in the primary sector, in %	2008	1.3
in the secondary sector, in %	2008	32.3
in the tertiary sector, in %	2008	66.4

Information Society

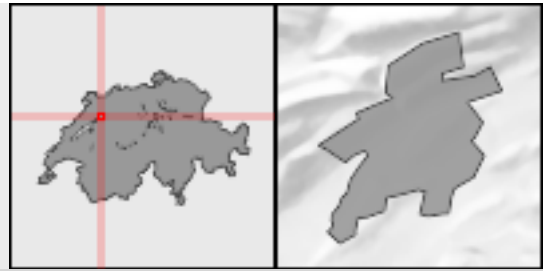
Employment in the ITC and media sector	2008	1,868
in % of the total employment	2008	3.9

Mobility and Transport

Passenger cars per 1000 residents	2012	449.2
Persons killed in road accidents per 1000 residents	2012	0.2
Average time of journey to work, in minutes	2012	32.7
Commuters, total	2012	58,686
by individual motorized transport, in %	2012	52.7
by public transport, in %	2012	34.5
by soft mobility, in %	2012	12.8
Stops of public transport	2012	244
per 1000 residents	2012	2.6



Biel/Bienne: agglomeration



Culture and recreation

Cinema seats	2012	2,258
per 1000 inhabitants	2012	24.3

Tourism

Annual hotels overnight stays	2012	129,116
per resident	2012	1.4

Landuse

Total land area in km ²	2004-2009	90.6
Land area in housing/residential use, in %	2004-2009	11.8
Transportation areas, in %	2004-2009	6.3
Land used for commercial activities, in %	2004-2009	5.5
Wooded and recreational areas, in %	2004-2009	40.2
Agricultural areas, in %	2004-2009	32.8
Other land use, in %	2004-2009	3.5



Geneva: national agglomeration

Population

Permanent resident population	2012	535,565
Population density in km ²	2012	1,120.7
Youth dependency ratio	2012	35.6
Old age dependency ratio	2012	25.2
Median age, in years	2012	40.0
Migration		
Permanent foreign resident population, in %	2012	38.6
Permanent foreign resident population (EU-27), in %	2012	25.5
Permanent foreign resident population (not EU-27), in %	2012	13.1

Social aspects: Housing

Dwellings, total	2012	253,431
Houses per 100 apartments	2012	15.7
Rate of vacant housing units, in %	2012	0.3

Social aspects: Crime

Total recorded crimes	2012	83,144
per 1000 residents	2012	155.2
Domestic burglaries (without sneak in burglary)	2012	4,024
per 1000 residents	2012	7.5

Economic aspects

Employment, total	2008	304,824
in the primary sector, in %	2008	0.9
in the secondary sector, in %	2008	15.9
in the tertiary sector, in %	2008	83.2

Information Society

Employment in the ITC and media sector	2008	13,069
in % of the total employment	2008	4.3

Mobility and Transport

Passenger cars per 1000 residents	2012	495.3
Persons killed in road accidents per 1000 residents	2012	0.3
Average time of journey to work, in minutes	2012	35.9
Commuters, total	2012	220,549
by individual motorized transport, in %	2012	43.2
by public transport, in %	2012	41.5
by soft mobility, in %	2012	15.4
Stops of public transport	2012	845
per 1000 residents	2012	1.6



Geneva: national agglomeration



Culture and recreation

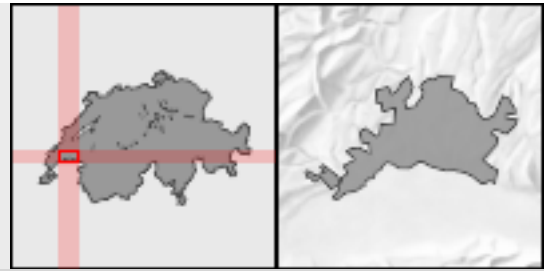
Cinema seats	2012	7,529
per 1000 inhabitants	2012	14.1

Tourism

Annual hotels overnight stays	2012	2,956,845
per resident	2012	5.5

Landuse

Total land area in km ²	2004-2009	478.1
Land area in housing/residential use, in %	2004-2009	11.8
Transportation areas, in %	2004-2009	6.7
Land used for commercial activities, in %	2004-2009	4.3
Wooded and recreational areas, in %	2004-2009	31.6
Agricultural areas, in %	2004-2009	43.2
Other land use, in %	2004-2009	2.4



Lausanne: agglomeration

Population

Permanent resident population	2012	342,162
Population density in km ²	2012	1,088.8
Youth dependency ratio	2012	34.3
Old age dependency ratio	2012	25.3
Median age, in years	2012	39.1
Migration		
Permanent foreign resident population, in %	2012	34.6
Permanent foreign resident population (EU-27), in %	2012	23.8
Permanent foreign resident population (not EU-27), in %	2012	10.8

Social aspects: Housing

Dwellings, total	2012	173,169
Houses per 100 apartments	2012	13.8
Rate of vacant housing units, in %	2012	0.3

Social aspects: Crime

Total recorded crimes	2012	56,310
per 1000 residents	2012	164.6
Domestic burglaries (without sneak in burglary)	2012	2,787
per 1000 residents	2012	8.1

Economic aspects

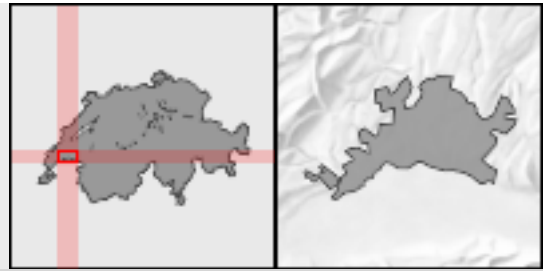
Employment, total	2008	192,158
in the primary sector, in %	2008	1.3
in the secondary sector, in %	2008	16.2
in the tertiary sector, in %	2008	82.5

Information Society

Employment in the ITC and media sector	2008	9,889
in % of the total employment	2008	5.1

Mobility and Transport

Passenger cars per 1000 residents	2012	498.1
Persons killed in road accidents per 1000 residents	2012	0.3
Average time of journey to work, in minutes	2012	35.1
Commuters, total	2012	209,296
by individual motorized transport, in %	2012	53.7
by public transport, in %	2012	38.0
by soft mobility, in %	2012	8.4
Stops of public transport	2012	580
per 1000 residents	2012	1.7



Lausanne: agglomeration

Culture and recreation

Cinema seats	2012	6,805
per 1000 inhabitants	2012	19.9

Tourism

Annual hotels overnight stays	2012	1,032,197
per resident	2012	3.0

Landuse

Total land area in km ²	2004-2009	314.3
Land area in housing/residential use, in %	2004-2009	12.3
Transportation areas, in %	2004-2009	7.8
Land used for commercial activities, in %	2004-2009	4.5
Wooded and recreational areas, in %	2004-2009	23.2
Agricultural areas, in %	2004-2009	50.9
Other land use, in %	2004-2009	1.4



Lucerne: agglomeration

Population

Permanent resident population	2012	211,822
Population density in km ²	2012	1,072.1
Youth dependency ratio	2012	30.1
Old age dependency ratio	2012	28.5
Median age, in years	2012	42.1
Migration		
Permanent foreign resident population, in %	2012	21.4
Permanent foreign resident population (EU-27), in %	2012	11.2
Permanent foreign resident population (not EU-27), in %	2012	10.1

Social aspects: Housing

Dwellings, total	2012	105,752
Houses per 100 apartments	2012	12.9
Rate of vacant housing units, in %	2012	0.8

Social aspects: Crime

Total recorded crimes	2012	20,947
per 1000 residents	2012	98.9
Domestic burglaries (without sneak in burglary)	2012	422
per 1000 residents	2012	2.0

Economic aspects

Employment, total	2008	117,625
in the primary sector, in %	2008	1.4
in the secondary sector, in %	2008	22.1
in the tertiary sector, in %	2008	76.4

Information Society

Employment in the ITC and media sector	2008	4,654
in % of the total employment	2008	4.0

Mobility and Transport

Passenger cars per 1000 residents	2012	481.4
Persons killed in road accidents per 1000 residents	2012	0.3
Average time of journey to work, in minutes	2012	34.3
Commuters, total	2012	142,307
by individual motorized transport, in %	2012	50.8
by public transport, in %	2012	36.1
by soft mobility, in %	2012	13.1
Stops of public transport	2012	422
per 1000 residents	2012	2.0



Lucerne: agglomeration



Culture and recreation

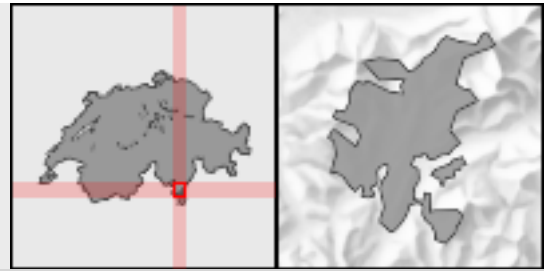
Cinema seats	2012	5,051
per 1000 inhabitants	2012	23.8

Tourism

Annual hotels overnight stays	2012	1,417,514
per resident	2012	6.7

Landuse

Total land area in km ²	2004-2009	197.6
Land area in housing/residential use, in %	2004-2009	11.0
Transportation areas, in %	2004-2009	7.0
Land used for commercial activities, in %	2004-2009	4.9
Wooded and recreational areas, in %	2004-2009	31.3
Agricultural areas, in %	2004-2009	41.7
Other land use, in %	2004-2009	4.1



Lugano: agglomeration

Population

Permanent resident population	2012	134,593
Population density in km ²	2012	612.6
Youth dependency ratio	2012	31.3
Old age dependency ratio	2012	32.7
Median age, in years	2012	43.9
Migration		
Permanent foreign resident population, in %	2012	30.1
Permanent foreign resident population (EU-27), in %	2012	23.1
Permanent foreign resident population (not EU-27), in %	2012	6.9

Social aspects: Housing

Dwellings, total	2012	81,318
Houses per 100 apartments	2012	31.7
Rate of vacant housing units, in %	2012	0.7

Social aspects: Crime

Total recorded crimes	2012	9,794
per 1000 residents	2012	72.8
Domestic burglaries (without sneak in burglary)	2012	425
per 1000 residents	2012	3.2

Economic aspects

Employment, total	2008	79,975
in the primary sector, in %	2008	0.6
in the secondary sector, in %	2008	20.9
in the tertiary sector, in %	2008	78.5

Information Society

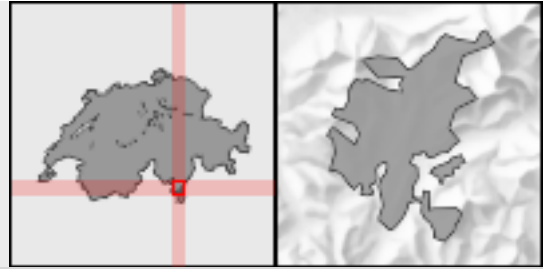
Employment in the ITC and media sector	2008	3,822
in % of the total employment	2008	4.8

Mobility and Transport

Passenger cars per 1000 residents	2012	635.9
Persons killed in road accidents per 1000 residents	2012	0.3
Average time of journey to work, in minutes	2012	31.0
Commuters, total	2012	63,475
by individual motorized transport, in %	2012	68.5
by public transport, in %	2012	20.3
by soft mobility, in %	2012	11.1
Stops of public transport	2012	489
per 1000 residents	2012	3.6



Lugano: agglomeration



Culture and recreation

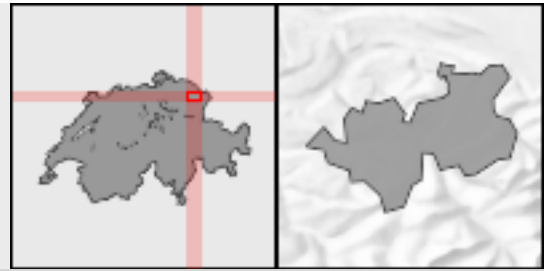
Cinema seats	2012	2,154
per 1000 inhabitants	2012	16.0

Tourism

Annual hotels overnight stays	2012	930,046
per resident	2012	6.9

Landuse

Total land area in km ²	2004-2009	219.7
Land area in housing/residential use, in %	2004-2009	10.0
Transportation areas, in %	2004-2009	4.6
Land used for commercial activities, in %	2004-2009	3.4
Wooded and recreational areas, in %	2004-2009	64.1
Agricultural areas, in %	2004-2009	11.7
Other land use, in %	2004-2009	6.2



St. Gallen: agglomeration

Population

Permanent resident population	2012	151,359
Population density in km ²	2012	866.3
Youth dependency ratio	2012	31.6
Old age dependency ratio	2012	27.8
Median age, in years	2012	40.7
Migration		
Permanent foreign resident population, in %	2012	23.2
Permanent foreign resident population (EU-27), in %	2012	12.4
Permanent foreign resident population (not EU-27), in %	2012	10.8

Social aspects: Housing

Dwellings, total	2012	77,898
Houses per 100 apartments	2012	18.3
Rate of vacant housing units, in %	2012	1.8

Social aspects: Crime

Total recorded crimes	2012	12,450
per 1000 residents	2012	82.3
Domestic burglaries (without sneak in burglary)	2012	315
per 1000 residents	2012	2.1

Economic aspects

Employment, total	2008	100,960
in the primary sector, in %	2008	1.5
in the secondary sector, in %	2008	24.6
in the tertiary sector, in %	2008	73.9

Information Society

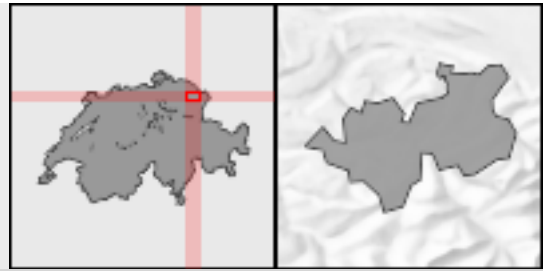
Employment in the ITC and media sector	2008	3,904
in % of the total employment	2008	3.9

Mobility and Transport

Passenger cars per 1000 residents	2012	494.4
Persons killed in road accidents per 1000 residents	2012	0.2
Average time of journey to work, in minutes	2012	30.7
Commuters, total	2012	109,057
by individual motorized transport, in %	2012	54.0
by public transport, in %	2012	33.8
by soft mobility, in %	2012	12.3
Stops of public transport	2012	371
per 1000 residents	2012	2.5



St. Gallen: agglomeration



Culture and recreation

Cinema seats	2012	4,276
per 1000 inhabitants	2012	28.3

Tourism

Annual hotels overnight stays	2012	242,011
per resident	2012	1.6

Landuse

Total land area in km ²	2004-2009	174.8
Land area in housing/residential use, in %	2004-2009	10.7
Transportation areas, in %	2004-2009	6.0
Land used for commercial activities, in %	2004-2009	5.0
Wooded and recreational areas, in %	2004-2009	26.4
Agricultural areas, in %	2004-2009	49.8
Other land use, in %	2004-2009	2.2



Winterthur: agglomeration

Population

Permanent resident population	2012	142,392
Population density in km ²	2012	942.7
Youth dependency ratio	2012	32.4
Old age dependency ratio	2012	26.0
Median age, in years	2012	40.0
Migration		
Permanent foreign resident population, in %	2012	20.3
Permanent foreign resident population (EU-27), in %	2012	11.5
Permanent foreign resident population (not EU-27), in %	2012	8.8

Social aspects: Housing

Dwellings, total	2012	68,037
Houses per 100 apartments	2012	29.0
Rate of vacant housing units, in %	2012	0.2

Social aspects: Crime

Total recorded crimes	2012	13,703
per 1000 residents	2012	96.2
Domestic burglaries (without sneak in burglary)	2012	284
per 1000 residents	2012	2.0

Economic aspects

Employment, total	2008	65,753
in the primary sector, in %	2008	1.6
in the secondary sector, in %	2008	23.4
in the tertiary sector, in %	2008	75.0

Information Society

Employment in the ITC and media sector	2008	2,218
in % of the total employment	2008	3.4

Mobility and Transport

Passenger cars per 1000 residents	2012	454.0
Persons killed in road accidents per 1000 residents	2012	0.1
Average time of journey to work, in minutes	2012	37.1
Commuters, total	2012	98,780
by individual motorized transport, in %	2012	43.1
by public transport, in %	2012	45.4
by soft mobility, in %	2012	11.6
Stops of public transport	2012	207
per 1000 residents	2012	1.5



Winterthur: agglomeration



Culture and recreation

Cinema seats	2012	2,624
per 1000 inhabitants	2012	18.4

Tourism

Annual hotels overnight stays	2012	197,152
per resident	2012	1.4

Landuse

Total land area in km ²	2004-2009	151.1
Land area in housing/residential use, in %	2004-2009	10.3
Transportation areas, in %	2004-2009	7.3
Land used for commercial activities, in %	2004-2009	4.1
Wooded and recreational areas, in %	2004-2009	36.6
Agricultural areas, in %	2004-2009	39.4
Other land use, in %	2004-2009	2.4



Zurich: agglomeration

Population

Permanent resident population	2012	1,203,998
Population density in km ²	2012	1,108.8
Youth dependency ratio	2012	30.1
Old age dependency ratio	2012	25.6
Median age, in years	2012	41.0
Migration		
Permanent foreign resident population, in %	2012	26.1
Permanent foreign resident population (EU-27), in %	2012	16.4
Permanent foreign resident population (not EU-27), in %	2012	9.7

Social aspects: Housing

Dwellings, total	2012	598,705
Houses per 100 apartments	2012	18.4
Rate of vacant housing units, in %	2012	0.6

Social aspects: Crime

Total recorded crimes	2012	126,586
per 1000 residents	2012	105.1
Domestic burglaries (without sneak in burglary)	2012	4,120
per 1000 residents	2012	3.4

Economic aspects

Employment, total	2008	734,059
in the primary sector, in %	2008	1.2
in the secondary sector, in %	2008	16.5
in the tertiary sector, in %	2008	82.4

Information Society

Employment in the ITC and media sector	2008	50,032
in % of the total employment	2008	6.8

Mobility and Transport

Passenger cars per 1000 residents	2012	505.9
Persons killed in road accidents per 1000 residents	2012	0.3
Average time of journey to work, in minutes	2012	37.1
Commuters, total	2012	763,536
by individual motorized transport, in %	2012	43.3
by public transport, in %	2012	47.1
by soft mobility, in %	2012	9.6
Stops of public transport	2012	2,112
per 1000 residents	2012	1.8



Zurich: agglomeration



Culture and recreation

Cinema seats	2012	14,891
per 1000 inhabitants	2012	12.4

Tourism

Annual hotels overnight stays	2012	4,455,162
per resident	2012	3.7

Landuse

Total land area in km ²	2004-2009	1,086.1
Land area in housing/residential use, in %	2004-2009	11.9
Transportation areas, in %	2004-2009	7.9
Land used for commercial activities, in %	2004-2009	4.6
Wooded and recreational areas, in %	2004-2009	31.2
Agricultural areas, in %	2004-2009	40.7
Other land use, in %	2004-2009	3.7



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