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List of abbreviations and symbols

KAS - Kosovo Agency of Statistics
DSS - Department of Social Statistics
MIA - Ministry of Internal Affairs
UNHCR - United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
IOM - International Organization for Migration
RAE - Roma, Ashkali and Egyptian
0 - The data is less than 0.5 of the given measurement unit
: - Missing data
- - No occurrence

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Foreword

Kosovo Agency of Statistics (KAS) through this publication aims to provide a statistically accurate estimation of the population which is necessary and practical standard required to be made every year by official statistical institutions of the country.

This is because in the period between the two censuses (ten years) significant changes occur in the population of a country, municipality or settlement.

Every year KAS will continue to make an estimation of the population in the country and municipal level, which simultaneously provides time series of demographic indicators on changes in the territorial level.

The yearly statistical data on population (demographics) are fundamental for the study and definition of a wide range of analyzes. Especially, the relationship and the particular importance with the social and economic issues, in certain municipal, national and regional levels.

Population statistics are important indicator and denominator for the decision makers, analysts, researchers and the different data users.

The data on population constitute essential component of national accounts, employment and other socio-economic issues.

Therefore, for all data users, these are the latest official data on the estimation of population of Kosovo at the municipal and at the country level for 2014.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Isa Krasniqi'.

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INTRODUCTION

For data users

The report includes population changes (natural increase and migration) that occurred during the period 1 January to 31 December 2014 in the territory of Kosovo.

Basis for the estimation of population

In preparing this estimation, KAS has applied methods practiced on population estimation made by the statistical institutions, by using different sources. Database to estimate the population for 2014 is taken from the estimated resident population in Kosovo at the end of 2013.

Methodological view

To estimate the number of resident population in the national/municipal level, population is affected by Fertility, Mortality and Migration (FMM).

Population estimation: population base + fertility - mortality ± external/internal migration.

The final estimated data on the number of population, at the municipal level, are calculated according to the following procedures:

$$P_n + (N - M) + (I - E)$$

P_n - Estimated number of residents in a given year (2013)

N - The number of live births (natality), 1 January to 31 December 2014

M - The number of deaths (mortality), 1 January to 31 December 2014

I - Immigrations, 1 January to 31 December 2014

E - Emigrations, 1 January to 31 December 2014

Data sources

Were used various statistical sources: estimation of 2013, data base from Census 2011, data base of Births and Deaths Statistics (KAS), the data from surveys conducted in KAS, administrative data (KAS bases), data from the municipalities of Kosovo, data from the Ministry of Interior Affairs, data basis from Eurostat, and data from statistical offices and migration of 33 countries, where the Kosovo emigration is mostly expressed.

Also, are used other administrative data from local institutions, surveys, reports and other research.

These data were analyzed by statistical methods, by serving as important instruments and important statistical records, in order to estimate the number of the population at the country and municipality level.

The base population

According to the "Estimation 2013" the number of the resident population in Kosovo was estimated 1 820 631 inhabitants.

Natural growth

Births: according to data from KAS data base, the number of births (registered) for 2014 was a total of 32 369 live births. Of them, 32 087 births were with mother's permanent residence in Kosovo (resident).

Deaths: according to data from KAS data base, the number of deaths (registered) for 2014 was a total of 8 165 deaths (with residency in Kosovo).

Natural increase: the population of Kosovo during 2014 has increased to 23 922 inhabitants.

Migration

International immigration: according to data from the Ministry of Internal Affairs (MIA), UNHCR, IOM and data from several municipalities, the number of returnees (immigrants) in Kosovo, in 2014, was a total of 5 720 inhabitants.

International emigration: the number of immigrants during 2014 Kosovo was a total 45 333 inhabitants. This edition includes all immigrants, legal and illegal.

National migration: during 2014 it is estimated that a significant number of the resident population in Kosovo has changed residence (municipality) for various reasons. According to the assessment, the number of people who have changed their previous municipality (from one municipality to another municipality) is a total of 9 466 inhabitants.

Overall growth

Based on these data, despite population increase (32 087 births), resident population of Kosovo for the period 1 January to 31 December 2014 is reduced to 15 687 inhabitants due to international migration. The resident population in Kosovo for 2014 is estimated to be 1 804 944 inhabitants.

Table 1. Kosovo's population and natural increase for 2014 at the municipality level

No.	Municipality	Total estimated population (31 December 2013)	According to permanent residence in the municipality		Natural growth (01.01-31.12/2014)	Total population and natural increase (01.01-31.12 2014)
			Birth rate, natality (2014),	Mortality (2014)		
1	Deçan	40,549	639	153	486	41,035
2	Gjakovë	96,162	1,598	518	1,080	97,242
3	Glllogoc	59,990	1,093	245	848	60,838
4	Gjilan	91,489	1,557	476	1,081	92,570
5	Dragash	34,364	562	267	295	34,659
6	Istog	40,126	664	192	472	40,598
7	Kaçanik	33,875	575	163	412	34,287
8	Klinë	39,555	930	178	752	40,307
9	Fushë Kosovë	37,843	701	164	537	38,380
10	Kamenicë	35,261	423	213	210	35,471
11	Mitrovicë	73,363	1,565	434	1131	74,494
12	North Mitrovica	12,139	20	8	12	12,151
13	Leposaviq	13,485	11	6	5	13,490
14	Lipjan	59,196	1,140	237	903	60,099
15	Novobërdë	6,923	46	27	19	6,942
16	Obiliq	22,105	393	80	313	22,418
17	Rahovec	57,645	1,038	204	834	58,479
18	Pejë	97,706	1,625	493	1,132	98,838
19	Podujevë	89,051	1,443	340	1,103	90,154
20	Prishtinë	207,477	3,709	810	2,899	210,376
21	Prizren	182,449	3,359	840	2,519	184,968
22	Skenderaj	51,361	1,081	221	860	52,221
23	Shtime	28,096	522	127	395	28,491
24	Shtërpcë	6,873	94	19	75	6,948
25	Suharekë	61,352	1,360	291	1,069	62,421
26	Ferizaj	111,842	1,982	537	1,445	113,287
27	Viti	47,774	831	213	618	48,392
28	Vushtrri	71,212	1,303	354	949	72,161
29	Zubin Potok	6,508	22	2	20	6,528
30	Zveçan	7,319	13	4	9	7,328
31	Malishevë	56,482	1,267	208	1,059	57,541
32	Junik	6,226	76	18	58	6,284
33	Mamushë	5,688	105	15	90	5,778
34	Hani i Elezit	9,613	194	57	137	9,750
35	Graçanicë	11,359	60	5	55	11,414
36	Ranillug	3,791	52	21	31	3,822
37	Partesh	1,731	19	18	1	1,732
38	Kllokot	2,651	15	7	8	2,659
Total		1,820,631	32,087	8,165	23,922	1,844,553

Table 2. Kosovo's population and migration for 2014 at the municipality level

No.	Municipality	Estimated population (December 31, 2013)	International migration (2014)			National migration (2014)			Overall balance of migration at the municipal level in 2014	Total population and migration (01.01-31.12 2014)
			Immigration	Emigration	Balance of international migration	Immigration	Emigration	National balance of migration		
1	Deçan	40,549	127	276	-149	128	167	-39	-188	40,361
2	Gjakovë	96,162	302	1,869	-1567	273	372	-99	-1,666	94,496
3	Glogoc	59,990	189	756	-567	244	404	-160	-727	59,263
4	Gjilan	91,489	287	5,416	-5129	368	424	-56	-5,185	86,304
5	Dragash	34,364	107	423	-316	55	157	-102	-418	33,946
6	Istog	40,126	126	863	-737	242	140	102	-635	39,491
7	Kaçanik	33,875	106	496	-390	115	228	-113	-503	33,373
8	Klinë	39,555	125	872	-747	228	261	-33	-780	38,775
9	Fushë Kosovë	37,843	120	1,437	-1317	869	197	672	-645	37,198
10	Kamenicë	35,261	110	1,632	-1522	90	440	-350	-1,872	33,389
11	Mitrovicë	73,363	231	2,987	-2756	283	385	-102	-2,858	70,505
12	North Mitrovica	12,139	38	17	21	2	1	1	22	12,161
13	Leposaviq	13,485	42	11	31	3	9	-6	25	13,510
14	Lipjan	59,196	186	1,867	-1681	280	325	-45	-1,726	57,471
15	Novobërdë	6,923	22	92	-70	117	36	81	11	6,934
16	Obiliq	22,105	70	1,428	-1358	193	197	-4	-1,362	20,743
17	Rahovec	57,645	181	350	-168	169	266	-97	-265	57,380
18	Pejë	97,706	306	1,357	-1051	302	313	-11	-1,062	96,644
19	Podujevë	89,051	280	2,876	-2596	167	889	-722	-3,318	85,732
20	Prishtinë	207,477	652	5,079	-4427	2,456	1,343	1113	-3,314	204,163
21	Prizren	182,449	574	1,236	-662	671	391	280	-382	182,067
22	Skenderaj	51,361	162	476	-314	198	552	-354	-668	50,693
23	Shtime	28,096	88	739	-651	154	176	-22	-673	27,424
24	Shtërpcë	6,873	22	28	-6	24	60	-36	-42	6,831
25	Suharekë	61,352	194	1,674	-1480	205	277	-72	-1,552	59,800
26	Ferizaj	111,842	351	5,843	-5492	535	345	190	-5,302	106,540
27	Viti	47,774	150	1,023	-873	159	244	-85	-958	46,816
28	Vushtrri	71,212	224	3,466	-3242	268	394	-126	-3,368	67,844
29	Zubin Potok	6,508	20	8	13	2	6	-4	9	6,517
30	Zveçan	7,319	23	4	18	4	9	-5	13	7,332
31	Malishevë	56,482	178	678	-500	216	368	-152	-652	55,830
32	Junik	6,226	19	4	16	37	18	19	35	6,261
33	Mamushë	5,688	18	6	12	2	1	1	13	5,700
34	Hani i Elezit	9,613	30	23	7	48	46	2	9	9,622
35	Graçanicë	11,359	35	13	23	296	13	283	306	11,664
36	Ranillug	3,791	12	3	9	9	5	4	13	3,804
37	Partesh	1,731	5	2	4	6	4	2	6	1,737
38	Klllokot	2,651	8	3	5	48	3	45	50	2,700
	Total	1,820,631	5,720	45,333	-39,609	9,466	9,466	0	-39,609	1,781,021

Table 3. Kosovo's population estimated for 2014 at the municipality level

No.	Municipality	Estimated total population (31 December 2013)	Natural growth (01.01-31.12.2014)	Balance of migration (01.01-31.12.2014)	Overall increase for 2014	Kosovo's total estimated population for 2014 (31 December 2014)
1	Deçan	40,549	486	-188	298	40,847
2	Gjakovë	96,162	1080	-1,666	-586	95,576
3	Glllogoc	59,990	848	-727	121	60,111
4	Gjilan	91,489	1081	-5,185	-4,104	87,385
5	Dragash	34,364	295	-418	-123	34,241
6	Istog	40,126	472	-635	-163	39,963
7	Kaçanik	33,875	412	-503	-91	33,784
8	Klinë	39,555	752	-780	-28	39,527
9	Fushë Kosovë	37,843	537	-645	-108	37,735
10	Kamenicë	35,261	210	-1,872	-1,662	33,599
11	Mitrovicë	73,363	1131	-2,858	-1,727	71,636
12	North Mitrovica	12,139	12	22	34	12,173
13	Leposaviq	13,485	5	25	30	13,515
14	Lipjan	59,196	903	-1,726	-823	58,373
15	Novobërdë	6,923	19	11	30	6,953
16	Obiliq	22,105	313	-1,362	-1,049	21,056
17	Rahovec	57,645	834	-265	569	58,214
18	Pejë	97,706	1132	-1,062	70	97,776
19	Podujevë	89,051	1103	-3,318	-2,215	86,836
20	Prishtinë	207,477	2899	-3,314	-415	207,062
21	Prizren	182,449	2519	-382	2,137	184,586
22	Skenderaj	51,361	860	-668	192	51,553
23	Shtime	28,096	395	-673	-278	27,818
24	Shtërpçë	6,873	75	-42	33	6,906
25	Suharekë	61,352	1069	-1,552	-483	60,869
26	Ferizaj	111,842	1445	-5,302	-3,857	107,985
27	Viti	47,774	618	-958	-340	47,434
28	Vushtrri	71,212	949	-3,368	-2,419	68,793
29	Zubin Potok	6,508	20	9	29	6,537
30	Zveçan	7,319	9	13	22	7,341
31	Malishevë	56,482	1059	-652	407	56,889
32	Junik	6,226	58	35	93	6,319
33	Mamushë	5,688	90	13	103	5,791
34	Hani i Elezit	9,613	137	9	146	9,759
35	Graçanicë	11,359	55	306	361	11,720
36	Ranillug	3,791	31	13	44	3,835
37	Partesh	1,731	1	6	7	1,738
38	Klllokot	2,651	8	50	58	2,709
Total		1,820,631	23,922	-39,609	-15,687	1,804,944