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## Foreword

Kosovo Agency of Statistics / Division of Population Statistics has published preliminary data<sup>1</sup> on a monthly basis for Births, Deaths and Marriages, Divorces in August 2021.

These data are published for the first time this year based on administrative data.

The source of data is the Kosovo Civil Registration Agency, i.e. the Civil Status Offices.

According to the legal provisions on managing of basic registers books for Births, Deaths and Marriages, cases are mandatory to be registered in the above-mentioned registers, in the place where the event took place, regardless of the fact that the persons related to the event have permanent residence in that place or anywhere else.

Statistical data will be published according to the principle of permanent / usual residence of births, deceased persons and married and divorced couples that according to international rules correspond to the concept of permanent population (resident).

Through this form will be created the possibility of comparing basic data based on administrative data which is a requirement and recommended international standard, where it is estimated that accurate, reliable and fast statistics will be created.

KAS will continue to collect data through special statistical questionnaires for Births DEM-1, Deaths DEM-2, Marriages DEM-3 and Divorces Shk-1 during this calendar year, as before. Data collection continues to be done every month, checked quantitatively and qualitatively. After cleaning the statistical questionnaires, the processing (data entry) will continue, as well as the creation of a database that will serve to estimate the administrative data for this year.

Quarterly reports will also have an administrative database.

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<sup>1</sup> Users of the data are advised to treat this data as preliminary data and not as final data.

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## **Births, Deaths, Marriages and Divorces**

Based on the administrative data for August 2021, 2406 births occurred inside and outside Kosovo, of which 1251 males and 1155 females.

Compared to July 2021, we have a decrease in the number of births by (-7.8%).

Regarding deaths inside and outside Kosovo, 1363 deaths were registered, of which 725 males and 638 females.

Compared to July 2021 we have an increase in the number of deaths by (58.1%).

Marriages that took place inside and outside Kosovo in August 2021 are 2489 cases, compared to July 2021 we have an increase in the number of married couples (52.4%).

While regarding the divorces that occurred in Kosovo in June 2021 are 137 cases, compared to July 2021 we have a decrease in the number of divorced couples by (-29.7%).

**Table 1: Born by the place where the birth took place and the permanent place of the mother in the municipality, August 2021**

| Komunat            | Vendi ku ka ndodhur lindja |              |              | Vendi i përhershëm i nënës në komunë |              |              |
|--------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
|                    | Total                      | Gjinia       |              | Total                                | Gjinia       |              |
|                    |                            | Mashkuj      | Femra        |                                      | Mashkuj      | Femra        |
| Deçan              | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 38                                   | 19           | 19           |
| Gjakovë            | 175                        | 86           | 89           | 116                                  | 59           | 57           |
| Glllogovc          | 2                          | 1            | 1            | 91                                   | 59           | 32           |
| Gjilan             | 121                        | 70           | 51           | 122                                  | 78           | 44           |
| Dragash            | 1                          | 0            | 1            | 34                                   | 14           | 20           |
| Istog              | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 43                                   | 19           | 24           |
| Kaçanik            | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 54                                   | 20           | 34           |
| Klinë              | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 48                                   | 26           | 22           |
| Fushë Kosovë       | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 72                                   | 38           | 34           |
| Kamenicë           | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 41                                   | 21           | 20           |
| Mitrovicë          | 128                        | 65           | 63           | 87                                   | 45           | 42           |
| Leposaviq          | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 4                                    | 1            | 3            |
| Lipjan             | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 96                                   | 49           | 47           |
| Novobërdë          | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 13                                   | 6            | 7            |
| Obiliq             | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 34                                   | 16           | 18           |
| Rahovec            | 4                          | 1            | 3            | 64                                   | 22           | 42           |
| Pejë               | 147                        | 76           | 71           | 110                                  | 62           | 48           |
| Podujevë           | 1                          | 1            | 0            | 113                                  | 52           | 61           |
| Prishtinë          | 917                        | 484          | 433          | 261                                  | 136          | 125          |
| Prizren            | 253                        | 119          | 134          | 204                                  | 103          | 101          |
| Skenderaj          | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 75                                   | 45           | 30           |
| Shtime             | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 37                                   | 21           | 16           |
| Shtërpcë           | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 12                                   | 10           | 2            |
| Suharek            | 2                          | 0            | 2            | 92                                   | 39           | 53           |
| Ferizaj            | 146                        | 73           | 73           | 152                                  | 80           | 72           |
| Viti               | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 62                                   | 33           | 29           |
| Vushtrri           | 33                         | 21           | 12           | 92                                   | 54           | 38           |
| Zubin Potok        | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 4                                    | 2            | 2            |
| Zveçan             | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 3                                    | 2            | 1            |
| Malishevë          | 1                          | 1            | 0            | 109                                  | 52           | 57           |
| Junik              | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 7                                    | 3            | 4            |
| Mamush             | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 7                                    | 4            | 3            |
| Hani i Elezit      | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 14                                   | 12           | 2            |
| Graçanicë          | 21                         | 13           | 8            | 12                                   | 4            | 8            |
| Ranillug           | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 2                                    | 1            | 1            |
| Partesh            | 20                         | 8            | 12           | 6                                    | 4            | 2            |
| Kllokot            | 0                          | 0            | 0            | 2                                    | 1            | 1            |
| Mitrovica e Veriut | 21                         | 13           | 8            | 7                                    | 3            | 4            |
| Jashtë Kosovës     | 413                        | 219          | 194          | 66                                   | 36           | 30           |
| <b>Gjithsej</b>    | <b>2.406</b>               | <b>1.251</b> | <b>1.155</b> | <b>2.406</b>                         | <b>1.251</b> | <b>1.155</b> |

Data source: Kosovo Civil Registration Agency,  
<sup>1</sup> Births occurred in Kosovo and outside Kosovo.

**Table 2: Births by gender**

| Periudha | Total | Gjinia  |       |
|----------|-------|---------|-------|
|          |       | Mashkuj | Femra |
| 01-2021  | 2.229 | 1.217   | 1.012 |
| 02-2021  | 2.103 | 1.092   | 1.011 |
| 03-2021  | 2.510 | 1.316   | 1.194 |
| 04-2021  | 2.434 | 1.265   | 1.169 |
| 05-2021  | 2.524 | 1.342   | 1.182 |
| 06-2021  | 2.622 | 1.351   | 1.271 |
| 07-2021  | 2.609 | 1.340   | 1.269 |
| 08-2021  | 2.406 | 1.251   | 1.155 |

**Table 3. Deaths by place of death and place of permanent residence in the municipality, August 2021**

| Komunat            | Vendi ku ka ndodhur vdekja |            |            | Vendi i banimit të përhershëm në komunë |            |            |
|--------------------|----------------------------|------------|------------|---|------------|------------|
|                    | Total                      | Gjinia     |            | Total                                   | Gjinia     |            |
|                    |                            | Mashkuj    | Femra      |   | Mashkuj    | Femra      |
| Deçan              | 17                         | 10         | 7          | 25                                      | 16         | 9          |
| Gjakovë            | 107                        | 52         | 55         | 103                                     | 50         | 53         |
| Gllgovc            | 13                         | 10         | 3          | 21                                      | 16         | 5          |
| Gjilan             | 98                         | 49         | 49         | 102                                     | 47         | 55         |
| Dragash            | 10                         | 4          | 6          | 43                                      | 23         | 20         |
| Istog              | 20                         | 8          | 12         | 41                                      | 21         | 20         |
| Kaçanik            | 11                         | 5          | 6          | 14                                      | 8          | 6          |
| Klinë              | 10                         | 3          | 7          | 29                                      | 11         | 18         |
| Fushë Kosovë       | 19                         | 6          | 13         | 30                                      | 13         | 17         |
| Kamenicë           | 21                         | 12         | 9          | 31                                      | 18         | 13         |
| Mitrovicë          | 44                         | 25         | 19         | 47                                      | 26         | 21         |
| Leposaviq          | 2                          | 1          | 1          | 7                                       | 6          | 1          |
| Lipjan             | 21                         | 11         | 10         | 31                                      | 17         | 14         |
| Novobërdë          | 3                          | 2          | 1          | 9                                       | 6          | 3          |
| Obiliq             | 9                          | 3          | 6          | 13                                      | 5          | 8          |
| Rahovec            | 30                         | 12         | 18         | 60                                      | 28         | 32         |
| Pejë               | 100                        | 48         | 52         | 72                                      | 33         | 39         |
| Podujevë           | 32                         | 17         | 15         | 53                                      | 34         | 19         |
| Prishtinë          | 287                        | 167        | 120        | 145                                     | 79         | 66         |
| Prizren            | 182                        | 84         | 98         | 147                                     | 74         | 73         |
| Skenderaj          | 11                         | 8          | 3          | 25                                      | 19         | 6          |
| Shtime             | 4                          | 0          | 4          | 7                                       | 3          | 4          |
| Shtërpçë           | 7                          | 5          | 2          | 10                                      | 8          | 2          |
| Suharek            | 21                         | 9          | 12         | 50                                      | 24         | 26         |
| Ferizaj            | 59                         | 33         | 26         | 78                                      | 43         | 35         |
| Viti               | 20                         | 11         | 9          | 38                                      | 20         | 18         |
| Vushtrri           | 21                         | 13         | 8          | 36                                      | 22         | 14         |
| Zubin Potok        | 0                          | 0          | 0          | 4                                       | 4          | 0          |
| Zveqan             | 0                          | 0          | 0          | 2                                       | 0          | 2          |
| Malishevë          | 16                         | 10         | 6          | 35                                      | 19         | 16         |
| Junik              | 4                          | 2          | 2          | 7                                       | 3          | 4          |
| Mamush             | 1                          | 0          | 1          | 2                                       | 1          | 1          |
| Hani i Elezit      | 6                          | 2          | 4          | 9                                       | 4          | 5          |
| Graçanicë          | 14                         | 9          | 5          | 18                                      | 13         | 5          |
| Ranillug           | 3                          | 1          | 2          | 4                                       | 1          | 3          |
| Partesh            | 2                          | 1          | 1          | 4                                       | 3          | 1          |
| Kllokot            | 1                          | 0          | 1          | 1                                       | 0          | 1          |
| Mitrovica e Veriut | 13                         | 10         | 3          | 8                                       | 5          | 3          |
| Jashtë Kosovës     | 124                        | 82         | 42         | 2                                       | 2          | 0          |
| <b>Gjithsej</b>    | <b>1.363</b>               | <b>725</b> | <b>638</b> | <b>1.363</b>                            | <b>725</b> | <b>638</b> |

Data source: Kosovo Civil Registration Agency,

<sup>2</sup> Deaths occurred inside Kosovo and outside Kosovo.

**Table 4: Deaths by gender and month**

| Periudha | Total | Gjinia  |       |
|----------|-------|---------|-------|
|          |       | Mashkuj | Femra |
| 01-2021  | 1.432 | 815     | 617   |
| 02-2021  | 1.127 | 657     | 470   |
| 03-2021  | 1.535 | 868     | 667   |
| 04-2021  | 1.505 | 859     | 646   |
| 05-2021  | 1.078 | 592     | 486   |
| 06-2021  | 890   | 495     | 395   |
| 07-2021  | 862   | 457     | 405   |
| 08-2021  | 1.363 | 725     | 638   |



**Table 5. Marriages by municipality of wedlock, August 2021**

| Komunat            | Komuna e kurorëzimit |
|--------------------|----------------------|
| Deçan              | 63                   |
| Gjakovë            | 130                  |
| Glllogovc          | 89                   |
| Gjilan             | 92                   |
| Dragash            | 47                   |
| Istog              | 61                   |
| Kaçanik            | 33                   |
| Klinë              | 93                   |
| Fushë Kosovë       | 54                   |
| Kamenicë           | 37                   |
| Mitrovicë          | 100                  |
| Leposaviq          | 0                    |
| Lipjan             | 85                   |
| Novobërdë          | 2                    |
| Obiliq             | 30                   |
| Rahovec            | 113                  |
| Pejë               | 120                  |
| Podujevë           | 127                  |
| Prishtinë          | 189                  |
| Prizren            | 232                  |
| Skenderaj          | 76                   |
| Shtime             | 29                   |
| Shtërpçë           | 5                    |
| Suharek            | 119                  |
| Ferizaj            | 141                  |
| Viti               | 51                   |
| Vushtrri           | 93                   |
| Zubin Potok        | 2                    |
| Zveqan             | 1                    |
| Malishevë          | 142                  |
| Junik              | 6                    |
| Mamush             | 3                    |
| Hani i Elezit      | 9                    |
| Graçanicë          | 8                    |
| Ranillug           | 0                    |
| Partesh            | 0                    |
| Klllokot           | 2                    |
| Mitrovica e Veriut | 6                    |
| Jashtë Kosovës     | 99                   |
| <b>Gjithsej</b>    | <b>2.489</b>         |

Data source: Kosovo Civil Registration Agency,  
<sup>3</sup>Marriages occurred inside and outside Kosovo.

**Table 6. Marriages by month**

| <b>Periudha</b> | <b>Komuna e kurorëzimit</b> |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| 01-2021         | 1.774                       |
| 02-2021         | 1.398                       |
| 03-2021         | 1.523                       |
| 04-2021         | 1.274                       |
| 05-2021         | 1.232                       |
| 06-2021         | 1.320                       |
| 07-2021         | 1.633                       |
| 08-2021         | 2.489                       |

**Table 7. Divorces by municipality of marriage and cohabitation of spouses after marriage, August 2021**

| Komunat            | Shkurorëzimet |
|--------------------|---------------|
| Deçan              | 7             |
| Gjakovë            | 10            |
| Glllogovc          | 9             |
| Gjilan             | 3             |
| Dragash            | 2             |
| Istog              | 1             |
| Kaçanik            | 3             |
| Klinë              | 2             |
| Fushë Kosovë       | 0             |
| Kamenicë           | 3             |
| Mitrovicë          | 7             |
| Leposaviq          | 0             |
| Lipjan             | 5             |
| Novobërdë          | 0             |
| Obiliq             | 1             |
| Rahovec            | 8             |
| Pejë               | 9             |
| Podujevë           | 9             |
| Prishtinë          | 7             |
| Prizren            | 22            |
| Skenderaj          | 5             |
| Shtime             | 2             |
| Shtërpçë           | 0             |
| Suharek            | 1             |
| Ferizaj            | 9             |
| Viti               | 2             |
| Vushtrri           | 6             |
| Zubin Potok        | 0             |
| Zveçan             | 0             |
| Malishevë          | 1             |
| Junik              | 2             |
| Mamush             | 0             |
| Hani i Elezit      | 0             |
| Graçanicë          | 1             |
| Ranillug           | 0             |
| Partesh            | 0             |
| Klllokot           | 0             |
| Mitrovica e Veriut | 0             |
| Jashtë Kosovës     |               |
| <b>Gjithsej</b>    | <b>137</b>    |

Data Source: Kosovo Civil Registration Agency,  
<sup>4</sup>Divorces occurred inside Kosovo

**Table 8. Divorces by month**

| <b>Periudha</b> | <b>Shkurorëzimet</b> |
|-----------------|----------------------|
| 01-2021         | 158                  |
| 02-2021         | 198                  |
| 03-2021         | 194                  |
| 04-2021         | 147                  |
| 05-2021         | 162                  |
| 06-2021         | 174                  |
| 07-2021         | 195                  |
| 08-2021         | 137                  |

# Kosovo Agency of Statistics

## *short description*

**Kosovo Agency of Statistics** is a professional institution which deals with collection, processing and publication of official statistical data. As such acts since 1948 and has passed through several historical stages, structured according to state regulation of those times.

On 2 August 1999, the Agency has resumed his professional work (after nine years of interruption of all statistical series detrimental to the interest of Kosovo), as an independent institution under the Ministry of Public Administration. Since 01.07.2020 the Agency operates in the frames of the Ministry of Finance, Labor and Transfers. Office is funded by the Kosovo Consolidated Budget, but also by donors for specific projects and for technical professional support.

**Kosovo Agency of Statistics** acts according to the Law No. 04/L-036 which entered into force on 12.12.2011 and Amendment of Law No. 06/L-058 which entered into force on 17.01.2019 . Programme of Official Statistics 2018/2022 is in implementation for the development of statistical system in correlation with the European Union statistics (EUROSTAT).

**Kosovo Agency of Statistics** has this organizational structure: production departments; Department of Economic statistics, Department of National Accounts, Department of Agriculture and Environment statistics and Department of Social statistics. **Support Departments**; Department of Methodology and Information Technology, Department of Policy Planning, Coordination and Communication, Department of Census and survey and Department of Administration. **Within the Agency are also established Regional Offices**; Gjakove, Gjilan, Mitrovica, Peja, Prizren, Pristina and Ferizaj

In KAS are employed in total 156 workers, of whom 115 at the headquarters of the Agency, while in the Regional Offices, 41. Agency's educational qualifying structure is as follows: 123 with university education, 15 with with non-tertiary education, and 18 with secondary education.

We have professional and technical cooperation with all Ministries of the Government of Kosovo, especially with the Ministry of Economy and Finance, Central Bank of Kosovo, with international institutions, EUROSTAT, International Monetary Fund, World Bank, Sweden's SIDA, DFID, UNFPA, UNDP, UNVEF, and with the statistical institutions of the countries in the region.

**Kosovo Agency of Statistics** almost completely covers the territory of Kosovo, based on the statistical structure of the enumeration areas as the basic unit and sole in the country from which it gets first hand information. All surveys conducted in the field use the extension of the samples in these enumeration areas but also a statistical methodology according to international recommendations. During the collection of statistical data and reports from reporting entities are involved professionals, technicians, administrators, servants of the country offices, field enumerators from regional offices, etc.

In 2011, the project of Population Census , Households and Dwellings was successfully implemented, and in 2014 was successfully carried out the Agriculture Census. The result obtained from these censuses will have an important role in the development policies.

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