



Fact sheet: Cantonal allocations of persons with protection status S

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- Persons who apply for asylum or protection in Switzerland are allocated to the cantons in proportion to the size of the canton's population once their application has been examined and a decision has been made. The cantons have agreed on this [allocation key](#).
- Not included in the cantonal allocation figures below are:
 - Persons who have not submitted an application for protection status S, but who reside in a canton;
 - Persons who have registered via the 'RegisterMe' web portal, are resident in a canton and whose application has not yet been processed.

The figures below may therefore differ from the number of persons actually in the cantons.

	Allocation key in relation to size of population (in %)	Actual allocation (no. of persons)	Nominal allocation (no. of persons)
AG	8.0%	5001	5045
AI	0.2%	112	118
AR	0.6%	585	402
BE	12.0%	7525	7582
BL	3.4%	2164	2115
BS	2.3%	1733	1430
FR	3.8%	2241	2366
GE	5.8%	3638	3680
GL	0.5%	262	297
GR	2.3%	1421	1454
JU	0.9%	500	536
LU	4.8%	2996	3026
NE	2.0%	1215	1279
NW	0.5%	339	316
OW	0.4%	269	277
SG	5.9%	3727	3740
SH	1.0%	689	604
SO	3.2%	1984	2017
SZ	1.9%	1139	1179
TG	3.3%	2214	2056
TI	4.0%	2945	2551
UR	0.4%	240	268
VD	9.4%	5788	5922
VS	4.0%	2127	2533
ZG	1.5%	899	936
ZH	17.9%	11 269	11 291
	100.00%	63 022	63 022

Explanations

- Allocation key in relation to size of pop-ulation: Canton's share of the overall Swiss population.
- Actual allocation: Number of protection seekers allocated to the respective canton to date. There is a time lag between the point when a person is allocated to a canton and when they leave the federal asylum centre and arrive in the canton.
- Nominal allocation: Number of protection seekers who would should be allocated to a canton according to the allocation key.