

## A new digital publication **People on the move – statistics on mobility in Europe**

Did you know that among the half a billion people living in the EU, 8% do not have the nationality of their country of residence? Also, 1.3 million Europeans live in one country, but work in another, and 1.7 million EU students study abroad.

People in today's Europe are on the move more than ever before, be it due to migration, education, work or tourism. Discover the latest figures on the mobility of people in Europe in the new digital publication <u>"People on the move - statistics on mobility in Europe"</u>, issued today by Eurostat, the statistical office of the European Union.



The publication is divided into four chapters:

- European melting pot describes people entering and exiting the EU Member States. You will find there data on the nationality of EU residents, migration, and people acquiring citizenship and getting residence permits.
- Studying and working abroad gives an overview of students studying abroad, commuters who cross the borders of their country or region to go to work, and the employment situation of non-nationals of EU Member States.
- **Trains, planes and automobiles** focuses on how people travel to work and elsewhere is it by car, train or bus? The chapter shows how many cars we have in the EU and how old they are, and looks at the number of people travelling by plane and by ship. You will also find out which passenger airports and ports are the busiest in the EU.
- **Out and about** focuses on tourism. It describes whether people travel for work or leisure, where they go, where they stay and how much they spend.

Browse the short texts, interactive visualisation tools and infographics of the publication to find out more: Eurostat digital publication: <u>"People on the move - statistics on mobility in Europe"</u>

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