



## 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.

	<b>Allocation key</b> in relation to size of population (in %)	<b>Actual allocation</b> (no. of persons)	<b>Nominal allocation</b> (no. of persons)
AG	8.05%	6530	6573
AI	0.19%	169	154
AR	0.64%	621	523
BE	11.99%	9864	9863
BL	3.35%	2774	2752
BS	2.24%	1917	1858
FR	3.77%	3083	3083
GE	5.83%	4794	4789
GL	0.47%	417	387
GR	2.30%	1892	1893
JU	0.84%	724	697
LU	4.81%	3935	3940
NE	2.02%	1682	1662
NW	0.50%	407	412
OW	0.44%	356	361
SG	5.94%	4860	4869
SH	0.96%	807	787
SO	3.21%	2637	2626
SZ	1.87%	1538	1535
TG	3.27%	2686	2678
TI	4.03%	3335	3318
UR	0.42%	384	348
VD	9.42%	7710	7712
VS	4.04%	3211	3301
ZG	1.49%	1225	1219
ZH	17.90%	14 476	14 696
	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>82 034</b>	<b>82 034</b>

### Explanations

- Allocation key in relation to size of population: 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.