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History

1158 Munich was founded by Henry the Lion (June 14th)
1214 First mention of Munich as a city (civitas) in an official deed
1255 Munich becomes the royal seat of the House of Wittelsbach
1494 The Church of Our Lady, Munich's most famous landmark, is consecrated
1589 The opening of Munich's Hofbräuhaus
1789 The English Garden is opened to the public
1806 Munich becomes the capital city of the Kingdom of Bavaria
1810 The first Oktoberfest (Oct. 17th) held on the occasion of the marriage of Crown Prince Ludwig to Therese, Princess of Saxony
1818 Bavarian Constitution comes into force
1825– King Ludwig I – Munich becomes an internationally renowned city of
1848 culture
1839 The first railway travels between Munich and Augsburg (Sep. 1st)
1848– King Max II – Creation of the "Maximilian style" in architecture
1864
1864– King Ludwig II – Zenith of music and art handcraft
1886
1901 Population of Munich reaches 500 000
1918 Kurt Eisner proclaims the "Bavarian Democratic and Socialist Republic" (Nov. 7th)
1923 The Hitler Putsch fails (Nov. 11th)
1933 National Socialists seize power (March 9th).
1939 Attempt to assassinate Hitler in Bürgerbräu fails
1945 The Americans march into Munich, marking the end of World War II for the city (April 30th)
1957 The population of Munich reaches one million (Dec. 15th)
1972 XX th Summer Olympic Games in Munich (Aug. 26th – Sept. 11th)
1974 World Football Championship
1983 International Horticultural Show is opened (April 28th).
1992 The new Munich Airport is opened (May 17th)
1998 The new Exhibition and Trade Fair Centre is opened in Riem (Feb. 12th)
2002 Pinakothek der Moderne is opened (Sept. 19th).
2005 The Allianz Arena is opened (May 30th)
2006 Opening game of the FIFA World Cup TM (June 9th)
2008 Summer celebrations to mark the city's 850th anniversary
2010 200th anniversary of the Oktoberfest with the "Historische Wiesn"
2015 The population of Munich reaches 1.5 million (May 8th)
2017 Groundbreaking ceremony for the 2nd main line of the interurban railway (April 5th)
2020 Because of the corona pandemic, Oktoberfest was canceled for the first time after 1949
2020 Opening of a 240 m long sidewalk and bicycle bridge at Arnulfpark
2021 The Volkstheater in Schlachthofviertel is reopened (Oct. 15th)
2021 Munich's subway is 50 years old – opening on Oct. 19th, 1971
2022 Olympic Park, Aug. 11th-21th, 2022: European Championship Munich 2022

Urban area

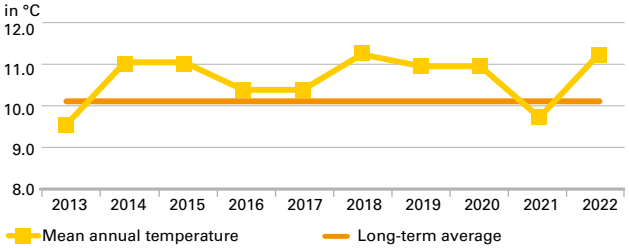
Geographical position of city centre		(northern cathedral tower): N 48° 8′ 23″ latitude, E 11° 34′ 28″ longitude
Munich local time		–13 min. 42 sec. compared to Central European time
Average altitude		519 m above sea level
Length of city boundary		118.7 km
Greatest length of urban area (N-S direction)		20.7 km
Greatest width of urban area (E-W direction)		26.9 km

Total urban area (December 31th, 2022)			310.7 km²
including	Buildings and open spaces	45 %	138.8 km²
	Recreational areas	16 %	48.1 km²
	Roads and transport areas	17 %	53.3 km²
	Agricultural areas	15 %	45.5 km²
	Wooded areas	4 %	13.7 km²

Weather (in 2022)

Average air temperature in °C		11.3
Hours of sunshine		2 278
Precipitation in mm		830
Number of days with precipitation		173
Summer days	(maximum 25 °C or higher)	78
Hot days	(maximum 30 °C or higher)	20
Subfreezing days	(minimum below 0 °C)	61
Sub-zero days	(maximum below 0 °C)	7

Average annual temperature compared to long-term average (10.1°C; 1991–2020)



Munich's twin cities

Edinburgh since 1954
Verona since 1960
Bordeaux since 1964
Sapporo since 1972
Cincinnati since 1989
Kyiv since 1989
Harare since 1996
Be'er Sheva since 2021

City representatives (Year 2020 to 2026)

Lord Mayor: Dieter Reiter, SPD
Deputy Mayor: Katrin Habenschaden, GRÜNE
Deputy Mayor: Verena Dietl, SPD

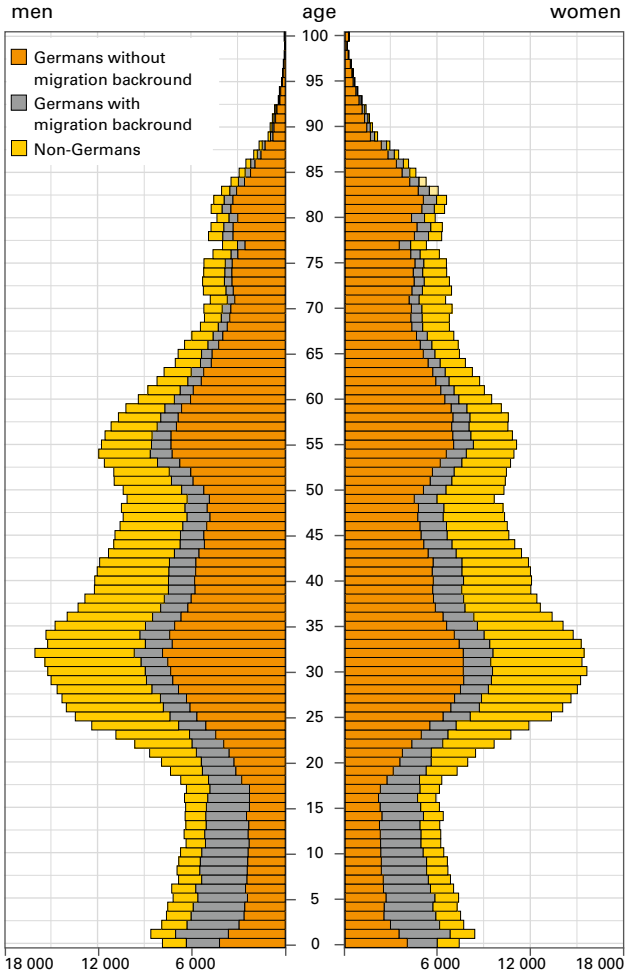
City Council (May 1th, 2020)

CSU	20 seats	ÖDP	3 seats
GRÜNE	23 seats	DIE LINKE	3 seats
FREIE WÄHLER	2 seats	Rosa Liste, BP,	
AfD	3 seats	München-Liste,	each
SPD	18 seats	Die PARTEI,	party one
FDP	3 seats	VOLT	seat

Population (December 31th, 2022 resp. in 2022)

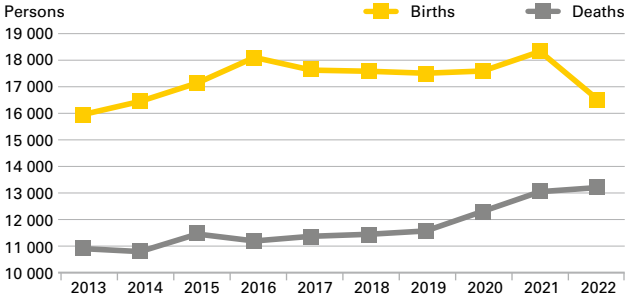
Inhabitants		**1 588 330**
(registered with main residence in Munich)		
Women	50.6 %	803 983
Men	49.4 %	784 347
Germans	69.9 %	1 110 016
Non-Germans	30.1 %	478 314
comprising persons from		
European citizenship	22.1 %	351 621
from EU-countries	13.4 %	212 293
from the rest of Europe	8.8 %	139 328
African nationality	1.5 %	23 987
American nationality	1.2 %	18 433
Asian nationality	5.2 %	82 308
Australian / Oceanian nationality	0.1 %	1 080
Age distribution		
0–9 years of age	9.2 %	146 646
10–19 years of age	8.0 %	127 838
20–29 years of age	15.2 %	240 902
30–39 years of age	17.9 %	284 193
40–49 years of age	13.8 %	219 679
50–59 years of age	13.6 %	216 242
60–69 years of age	9.4 %	148 953
70–79 years of age	7.1 %	112 843
80–89 years of age	4.9 %	78 331
90 years and above	0.8 %	12 703

Age structure Munich populationas of December 31th, 2022



Private households combined		**846 058**
Single person households	53.5 %	452 585
Couples without (underage) children	23.9 %	202 478
Couples with (underage) children	14.3 %	121 078
Single parents with (underage) children	3.6 %	30 491
other multi-person households	4.7 %	39 426
Births		**16 540**
including non-German	17.6 %	2 919
Deaths		**13 205**
including non-German	13.5 %	1 778
Number of births in excess of deaths		+3 335
Persons moving to Munich		**133 060**
including non-German	69.8 %	92 919
Persons moving away from Munich		**111 300**
including non-German	53.6 %	59 644
Migration balance (migration loss)		+21 760
Marriages		**10 659**
Most popular name for girls		Emilia
Most popular name for boys		Maximilian

Births and deaths in Munich 2013–2022



Health services (December 31th, 2022)

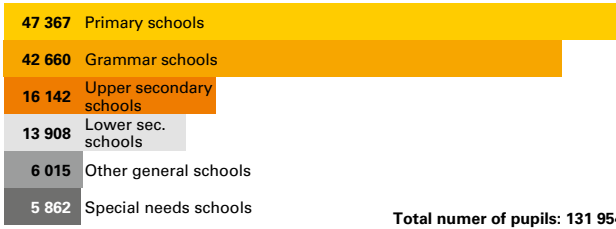
Hospitals (per end of 2021)	**52**
Hospital beds (annual average)	10 742
Medical hospital staff	6 696
Non-medical hospital staff	27 793
Doctors with independent surgeries (not incl. private surgeries)	**4 035**
Number of residents per doctor	394
Dentists with independent surgeries (not incl. private surgeries)	**1 767**
Number of residents per dentist	899
Pharmacies	**329**
Number of residents per pharmacy	4 828

Social services (March 1st, 2022)

Children's day-care facilities	**1 512**
including municipal institutions	469
free non-profit, incl. child-parent initiatives	751
Children catered for	**84 333**
incl. age 0 – 2	17 126
3 – 7 (not incl. school children)	46 606
5 –13 (school children)	20 601
including those in municipal institutions	35 673
in free non-profit institutions	35 183
Staff	**19 254**
including municipal	6 717
free non-profit	8 608

Education (School year 2021/22 and Winter Semester 2021/22)

Distribution of pupils attending general schools 2021/2022



Total numer of pupils: 131 954

Total number of general schools	**347**
Pupils	131 954
Number of female pupils	65 423
Number of non-German pupils	24 658
Primary schools	159
Number of pupils	47 367
Lower secondary schools	58
Number of pupils	13 908
Special needs schools	29
Number of pupils	5 862
Upper secondary schools	38
City-run	20
Number of pupils	16 142
Grammar schools	57
City-run	14
Number of pupils	42 660
Other general schools	15
Number of pupils	6 015
Total number of vocational schools	**228**
Number of pupils	59 949
including City-run	82
Number of pupils	44 386
including vocational schools	38
Number of pupils	36 908
Specialised vocational schools	100
Number of pupils	7 294
Specialised technical schools	38
Number of pupils	2 240
Upper technical and vocational schools y	24
Number of pupils	8 133
Universities	**21**
Number of students	140 260
Female students percentage	48.4
Non-German students percentage	24.1
Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität	51 005
Female students percentage	60.8
Non-German students percentage	19.0
Technical	47 047
Female students percentage	36.1
Non-German students percentage	38.1
State university of applied sciences	18 192
Female students percentage	39.2
Non-German students percentage	14.3

Culture (December 31th, 2022 resp. in 2022)

Theatres (Visitors to selected theatres)	
Nationaltheater	372 280
Residenztheater	95 623
Theater am Gärtnerplatz	107 743
Prinzregententheater (Großes Haus)	141 879
Münchner Kammerspiele	67 877
Münchner Volkstheater	95 643
Schauburg – Theater für junges Publikum	24 140
Deutsches Theater	180 684
Public Orchestras (Visitors to selected concerts)	
Munich Philharmonic Orchestra	103 457
Public radio concerts	72 209
Bavarian State Orchestra	30 589
Cinemas	81
Visitors	2 372 636
Museums (Visitors to selected museums)	
Alte Pinakothek	280 462
Pinakothek der Moderne	288 789
Museum Brandhorst	76 440
Bayerisches Nationalmuseum	61 038
Münchner Stadtmuseum	25 364
Städtische Galerie im Lenbachhaus	192 892
Deutsches Museum (Museumsinsel)	265 307
Museum Mensch und Natur	146 633
Public libraries (Media available at selected libraries)	
Bayerische Staatsbibliothek (state library)	37 156 000
Universitätsbibliothek der LMU (University)	2 179 129
Münchner Stadtbibliothek (municipal library)	2 330 973
Bibliothek des Deutschen Museums	1 028 865

Recreation and sports (Dec. 31th,2022 resp. in 2022)

Olympic Park Munich, incl. leased companies	
Area in sq. m	850 000 m²
Area of “tent” roof in sq. m	75 000 m²
Visitors to individual events	2 652 672
event-days	609
Visitors to permanent facilities	1 760 480

Buses	
Number of lines	79
Network in km	545 km
Registered vehicles (in use on the road)	**883 090**
Cars	751 125
Lorries	45 407
Motorcycles	69 511
Private cars per 1 000 inhabitants	337
Registration of new vehicles	**164 464**
Cars	148 044
Private cars	14 841
Company vehicles	133 203
Issued driving licenses	**16 787**
Issued driving licenses only for cars	12 708
Traffic accidents	**39 887**
Deaths	16
Injuries	6 167
Munich airports	
Starts and landings	285 027
Passengers	31 927 755

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