

Norway

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Data Source

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Settlement Points: The settlement points were created using 2023 OpenStreetMap Building Footprints, Microsoft Global ML Building Footprints, and the European Commission Global Human Settlement Layer. The buildings were constrained to exclude non-residential housing units and verified using Esri imagery and Esri Street Map Premium Layers. When necessary, multi-unit housing unit values were distributed using a top-down approach based on the Michael Bauer Research Demographic Data.

Dataset Information

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3 Letter ISO Country code	NOR
Currency	Norwegian krone
3 Letter Currency code	NOK
Number of attributes available	133
Number of geography levels	11

Geography Levels

Esri Geography Name	Local Geography Name	Feature Count
Country	Norge	1
NUTS 1	NUTS 1	1
Regions	Landsdeler	6
NUTS 2	NUTS 2	6
Postcodes1	Postcodes1	10
Counties	Fylker	15
NUTS 3	NUTS 3	15
Subregions	Økonomisk Regioner	85
Postcodes2	Postcodes2	97
Municipalities	Kommuner	357
Postcodes4	Postnumre	3370

Data Apportionment Settings

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Threshold Upper Bound	Aggregation Method	Level of Geography
150 km	Block Apportion	NO.Postcodes4
more	Centroids In Polygon	NO.Postcodes4

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Change Summary

Changes to geography level names

Former Geography Level Name	New Geography Level Name	Change Details
	NUTS 1	New geography level
	NUTS 2	New geography level
	NUTS 3	New geography level

New Attributes

Attribute Name	Alias Name	Category
EDUC01_CY	2025 Pop 16+/Edu: Basic School Level	Education
EDUC02_CY	2025 Pop 16+/Edu: Upper Secondary	Education
EDUC03_CY	2025 Pop 16+/Edu: Tertiary Vocational	Education
EDUC04_CY	2025 Pop 16+/Edu: Higher Education, Short	Education
EDUC05_CY	2025 Pop 16+/Edu: Higher Education, Long	Education
EDUC06_CY	2025 Pop 16+/Edu: Unknown or No Completed Education	Education
EDUC_BASE	2025 Education Attainment Base	Education

Attributes no longer available

None.

Change Notes

Market Data are now projections for 2025 (previously 2024). Unemployed Population data is shown for 2024 (previously 2023). The use of updated input data from official statistics has led to deviations in Unemployed Population data. The Consumer Spending projection in national currency for 2025 shows variations compared to 2024 with shifts within categories due to new data from official statistics. Please note that the deviations observed in the values for product groups CS13 to CS16 this year are due to a redefinition of these categories. Due to these changes, comparisons with the last edition are not possible in these groups. The new local educational attainment variables provide country-specific education levels or fields; these can vary by country. The existing standardized educational attainment variables use the ISCED (International Standard Classification of Education) levels and fields. These are the same for all countries and regions and are useful for cross-country comparison.

Other Data Notes

For reasons of data privacy, in areas with fewer than 10 inhabitants, all data except Population and Household numbers are anonymized. For these areas, all variables simultaneously referring to currency and population are based on the national average and all other variables are set to zero. For Postal Codes, Households by Income Quintiles, Households by Type, Education, and Marital Status are based on the distribution of the respective Kommuner. Unemployed Population data is based on per capita values of the respective Kommuner.