Vital Statistics 2016

Month with the highest number of births: SEPTEMBER, 8053
Month with the lowest number of births: FEBRUARY, 6528

Live births: 46789 Males, 42337 Females

Month with the highest number of marriages: AUGUST, 5245
Month with the lowest number of marriages: FEBRUARY, 1066

Live births by legitimacy status:
- In marriage: 2010 - 58.7%, 2011 - 57.2%, 2012 - 54.4%, 2013 - 52.4%, 2014 - 50.7%, 2015 - 50.7%, 2016 - 52.8%
- Outside marriage: 2010 - 41.3%, 2011 - 42.8%, 2012 - 45.6%, 2013 - 47.6%, 2014 - 49.3%, 2015 - 49.3%, 2016 - 47.2%

Marriages:
- Month with the highest number of marriages: AUGUST, 5245
- Month with the lowest number of marriages: FEBRUARY, 1066

Marriages with or without previous cohabitation:
- Marriages with previous cohabitation: 2010 - 55.8%, 2011 - 52.6%, 2012 - 50.4%, 2013 - 50.1%, 2014 - 51.7%, 2015 - 54.5%, 2016 - 56.1%
- Marriages without previous cohabitation: 2010 - 44.2%, 2011 - 47.4%, 2012 - 49.6%, 2013 - 49.9%, 2014 - 48.3%, 2015 - 45.5%, 2016 - 43.9%

Widows and Widowers:
- 2016: Widows - 54,934, Widowers - 55,601

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