

Vantaa Pocket Info

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The earliest traces of human habitation in Vantaa date back 7 000 years, but the first documented mention of Helsingē (today's Vantaa) is from 1351. Vantaa became a city in 1974. Vantaa is currently the fourth biggest city in Finland. The City bases its activities on citizens' social inclusion and open communication. The city's values are innovativeness, sustainable development, and social inclusion.

Area and environment

Vantaa

Inhabitants, Jan. 1, 2013	205 312
Area, km ²	240.34
Land area, km ²	238.37
Water area, km ²	1.97
Inhabitants per land km ²	861
2013 tax rate	19.00

Population of neighbouring municipalities, Jan. 1, 2013

Helsinki	603 968
Espoo	256 824
Nurmijärvi	40 719
Tuusula	37 936
Kerava	34 491
Sipoo	18 739

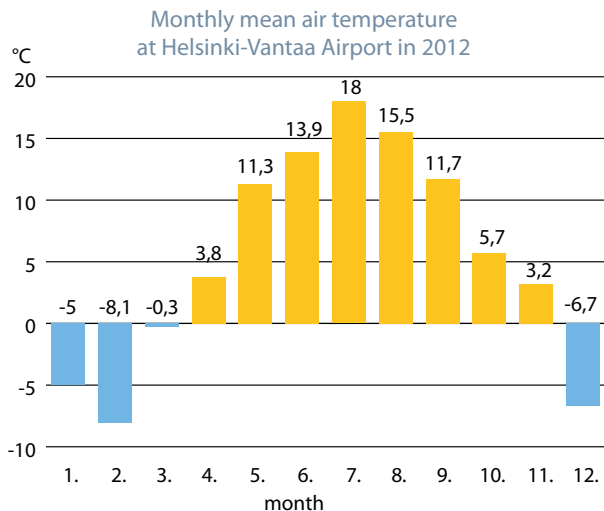
Vantaa's 12 sister cities

China	Jinan
Czech Republic	Mladá Boleslav
Denmark	Lyngby-Taarbæk
Germany	Rastatt and Frankfurt (Oder)
Hungary	Salgótarján
Iceland	Seydisfjörður
Israel	Matte Yehuda
Norway	Askim
Poland	Słupsk
Russia	Kineshma
Sweden	Huddinge

Climate

Helsinki-Vantaa International Airport

mean air temperature, 2012	5.3 °C
warmest day of the year, July 29, 2012	28.0 °C
coldest day of the year, Feb. 5, 2012	-28.7 °C
total rainfall, 2012	878 mm



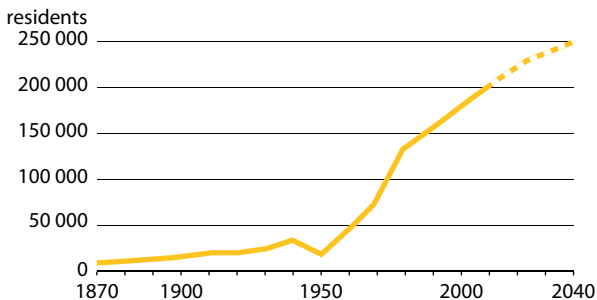
Nature reserves, Dec. 31, 2012

areas protected by the Nature Conservation Act, total 1,241 ha,
% of city's land area approx. 5%

Population

Jan. 1	No. of residents	Percentage of metropolitan area population
1950	14 976	3.7 %
1960	41 906	7.6 %
1970	72 215	10.4 %
1980	129 918	17.2 %
1990	152 263	18.6 %
2000	176 386	18.7 %
2010	197 636	19.1 %
2013	205 312	19.1 %

Population from 1870 up to a forecast for 2040



Population structure, Jan. 1, 2012	Vantaa	All Finland
Total population	205 312	5 426 674
0 - 14 years, %	18.2	16.4
15-64 years, %	68.4	64.8
over 64 years, %	13.4	18.8
Women, %	50.9	50.9
Swedish speakers, %	2.8	5.4
Other than Finnish or Swedish speakers, %	11.9	5.0
Foreign citizens, %	7.8	3.6

Changes in population, 2011

Births	2 659
Deaths	1 218
Moved to Vantaa	15 347
Moved from Vantaa	14 065

Households, Jan. 1, 2012

	Vantaa
Total of households	92 745
average size	2.15
single-person households	37.8%
two-person households	32.7%
at min. five-person households	4.9%

Housing

Housing stock, Jan. 1, 2012

Total of housing	98 371
low-rise buildings	38%
owner-occupied accommodation	57%
rented accommodation	34%
right-of-occupancy housing	4%
other	5%

Types of housing

1 room	12%
2 rooms	33%
3 rooms	27%
4 rooms	18%
5 rooms or more	10%
Average floor area	74 h-m ²
Floor area/resident	36 h-m ²

Average prices of sold housing, third quarter, 2012 ¹

high-rise buildings, € / m ²	2 583
low-rise buildings ² , € / m ²	2 924

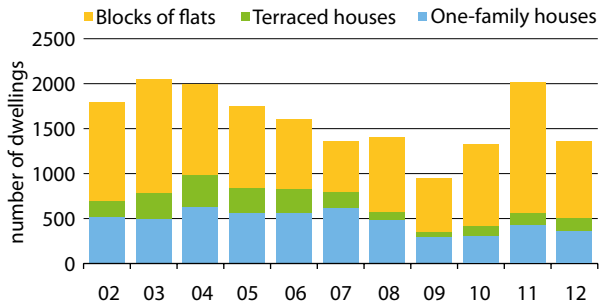
¹ not final data

² real-estate companies of one-family, semi-detached and row-house apartments

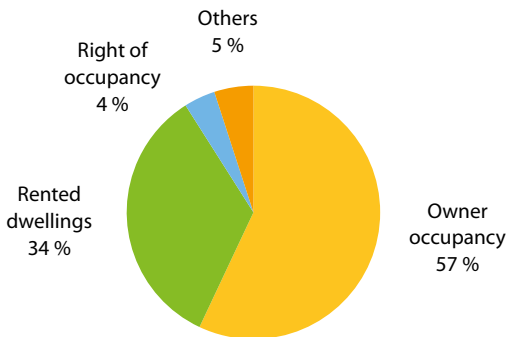
Average rent of rental apartments, 2012

€/m ² /month, third quarter	12.43
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Housing Construction 2002–2012



Dwellings by Tenure Status 1.1. 2012



Dwellings in all 98 371

Education

Educational level of population, 15 years and older
Jan. 1, 2012

Basic education (or less), %	35
Secondary education, %	36
Higher education, %	29

Schools, school year 2011/2012

Basic schools	54
Upper secondary schools	8
Total of students	24 643
of which in lower level of basic school	13 705
upper level of basic school	6 819
upper secondary school	4 119
Vocational institutions and universities of applied sciences	4
total of students (in Vantaa)	5 676
Adult education center units	61
course participants	32 305
Apprenticeship training	
students	1 374
exams passed	275
Basic art education	
total of participants	6 771

Income

State taxed average income per income earner in 2010, euros/year	28 880
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Labor market

Workplaces, Dec. 31, 2010	103 955
Primary production (SIC A-B)	403
Processing (SIC C-F)	20 838
Services (SIC G-S)	81 675
of which trade, accommodation, etc. (SIC G, I)	25.7%

Labor force, 15–74 years, Dec. 31, 2010

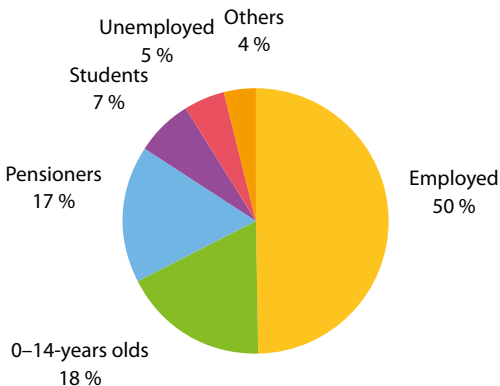
Total	108 814
employed	99 594
unemployed	9 220
outside labor force	54 705

Unemployment rate, Dec. 31, %	Vantaa	All Finland
2008	6.3	8.9
2009	9.2	11.6
2010	8.5	10.3

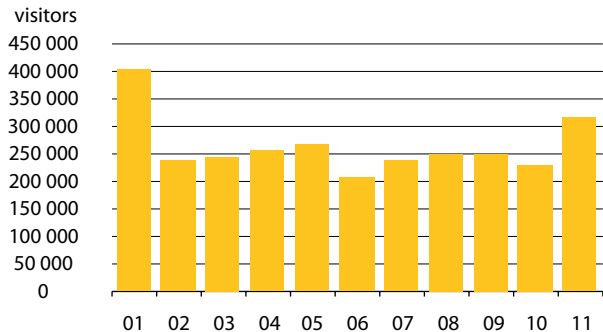
Self-sufficiency in employment, Dec. 31, %

2008	104.1
2009	102.8
2010	104.4

Population per primary occupation, Dec. 31.2010



Visitors at Heureka Science Centre 2001–2011



Culture and leisure

2011	Visitors
Science Centre Heureka	318 699
Myyrmäki House exhibitions	8 070
Cultural events in Multipurpose Centre Lumo	34 352
Exhibitions in the city's museums	14 278
Theater / movies / concerts / festivals for children	32 530
Taikalamppu (Aladdin's Lamp - a network of children's culture centers, of which Vantaa is a member)	24 242
City library	
library units	12
books, Dec. 31	441 736
customers (Vantaa residents)	67 059
loans / resident	15
Youth center units	22
visitors	247 482
Workshops	6
beginners	417
Sports facilities	
indoor sports centers	14
swimming pools	5
ice stadiums	4
fitness centers	39
tennis courts	35
ice hockey rinks / skating rinks	71
illuminated jogging tracks	19

Day Care

2012

In municipal day-care centers	
children under school age, Dec. 31	9 795
per one hundred children aged 1-6	61
In municipal family day care	
children under school age, Dec. 31	574
per one hundred children aged 1-6	4
City's year-round residential parks	3
Families receiving home-care allowance, Dec. 31, (excluding recipients of partial home-care allowance)	2 928
total of children in families receiving home-care allowance	4 252

Health and social welfare¹

2012

Child welfare clients	5 514
Households that are clients of social work for adults	12 206
Clients of substance abuse services	2 213
Disability allowance recipients	5 049
of which transportation service clients	4 109

Clients of services for the mentally disabled, Dec. 31	792
% of population	0.39
Households receiving social assistance	12 337
of which single person households, %	68
People receiving social assistance	20 557
% of population	10.0
Recipients of home care (service houses and home care as a whole) people	3 859
% of population	1.89
the elderly (65+)	3 109
others	750
Care days in homes for the aged	148 218
own operations	86 354
outsourced services	61 864
Care days in enhanced housing service	244 518
own operations	28 465
outsourced services	216 053
Percentage of people in long-term institutional care	
75+ years, Dec. 31, %	2.85
Homes for the aged, %	2.85
Service houses: percentage of residents over 75 living in servi- ce houses compared with all people over 75, Dec. 31 %	8.0
enhanced service housing, %	5.10
other service housing, %	2.9

2012

City's health centers		8
City's primary care hospital		1
City's geriatric outpatient ward at Peijas hospital		2

Primary health care/outpatient healthcare		Per 1 000 residents
Health center physicians/person-year ²	78	0.38
Total of visits to health centers	325 691	1 586
of which with		
outpatient doctors	186 956	911
outpatient nursing staff ³	138 735	676
Visits to emergency clinic service	68 639	335
of which with		
doctors	39 745	194
nursing staff ⁴	138 735	141
Specialists/dentists/vacancies	83	0.40
Visits to oral health care	190 148	926
of which with		
dentists	144 147	702
oral hygienists	46 001	224

Primary health care/institutional care

Beds in primary care hospital	211	1.03
Care days	78 758	385
Care periods	2 964	14

Specialized care (HUS)

Care periods	75 850	369
Care days (excluded from care periods)	34 664	169
somatic care	1 591	8
psychiatry (HUS and Hyvinkää hospital district)	33 068	161
Total of visits	222 221	1 082
somatic care	158 600	772
psychiatry (HUS and Hyvinkää hospital district)	63 485	309

¹ The ex post figures are preliminary information in the City of Vantaa's 2012 financial statement.

² Includes outsourced doctors' services worth 17 person years.

³ Includes appointments with nurses and public-health nurses.

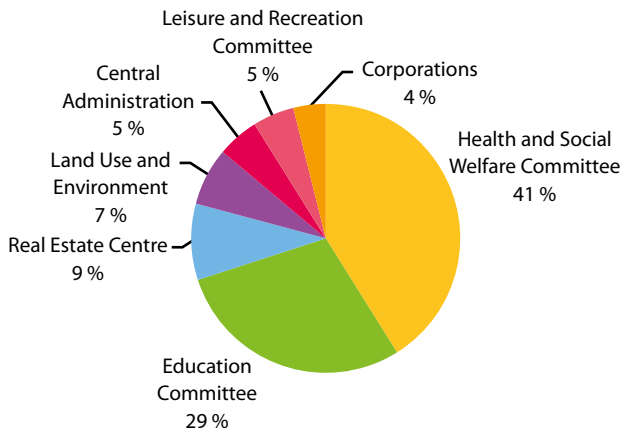
⁴ Includes appointments with nurses.

City finances

2013 budget

Tax revenues, €M	902
State contributions, €M	144
Operating margin, €M	-993
Annual margin, € / resident	307
Loan portfolio, € / resident	4 653
Tax revenues, € / resident	4 344
State contributions, € / resident	694

Operating costs 2011, %



City administration

Total of city employees Dec. 31, 2011

11 637

Employees per administrative sector, %

central administration	8
land use and environment	5
education department	47
health and social welfare department	26
real estate centre	10
leisure and citizen services	5

City Council 2013–2016

Total of seats	67
The National Coalition Party	18
The Social Democratic Party of Finland	18
The Finns	11
The Greens	9
The Left Alliance	4
The Centre Party	3
The Swedish People's Party	2
The Finnish Christian Democrats	2

City executive board

Mayor	Kari Nenonen
Deputy Mayor, Group Services	Martti Lipponen
Acting Deputy Mayor, Citizen Services	Heidi Nygren
Deputy Mayor, Health and Social Welfare Department	Jukka T. Salminen
Deputy Mayor, Land Use, Building and Environmental Department	Juha-Veikko Nikulainen
Deputy Mayor, Education Department	Elina Lehto-Häggroth
Chairman, City Council (2013)	Antti Lindtman
Chairman, City Executive Board (2013-2014)	Tapani Mäkinen

Sites and accommodation

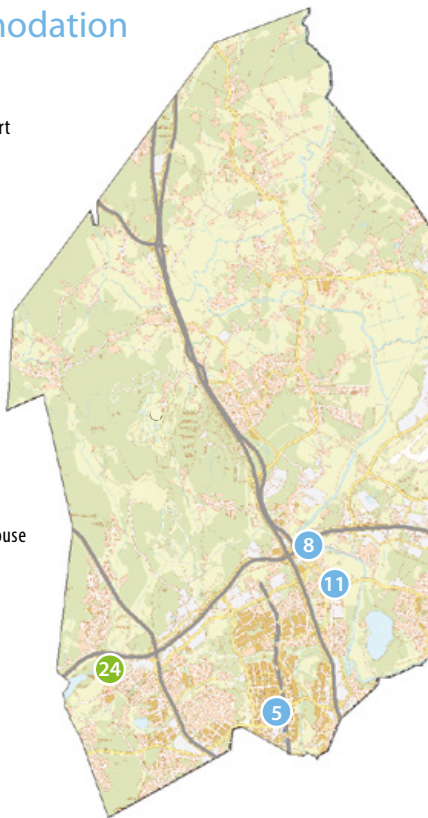
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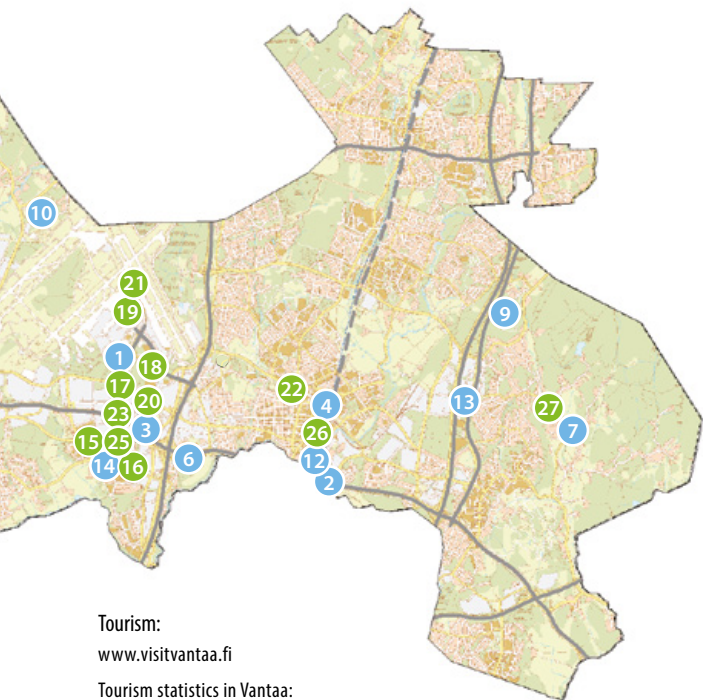
1. Helsinki-Vantaa International Airport and The Finnish Aviation Museum
2. Heureka, The Finnish Science Centre
3. Flamingo Leisure World and Jumbo Shopping Centre
4. Vantaa City Museum
5. Vantaa Art Museum
6. Helsingē Vicarage
7. Sotunki Village
8. Vantaankoski area and Kuninkaantie
9. Kuusijärvi Recreation Centre Vantaa
10. VM Karting Center
11. Vantaa Agricultural museum
12. Restaurant Tulisuudelmä
13. Helsinki-Pävi Dance place
14. Backas, manor and the threshing house

● Accommodation:

15. Airport Hotel Bonus Inn
16. Best Western Airport Hotel Pilotti
17. Cumulus Airport Hotel
18. Forenom Airport
19. Hilton Helsinki Airport
20. Holiday Inn Helsinki-Vantaa Airport
21. Hotel GLO Helsinki Airport
22. Hotel Tikkurila
23. Hotel Rantasipi Airport
24. Hämeenkylä Manor

25. Sokos Hotel Flamingo
26. Sokos Hotel Vantaa
27. B&B Juhankulma, June 1-Aug. 31





Tourism:

www.visitvantaa.fi

Tourism statistics in Vantaa:

www.yritysvantaa.fi

Helsinki-Vantaa International Airport and traffic

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