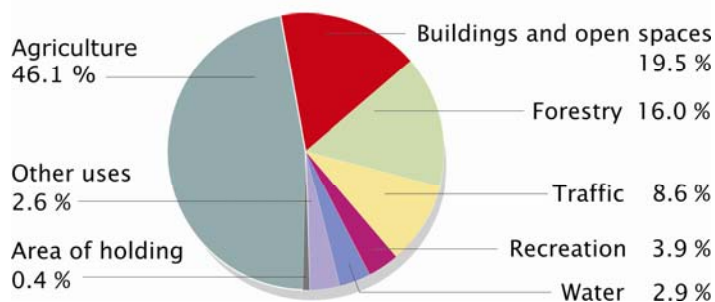


General information

Location	7°37′43.3″ east of Greenwich 51°57′46.6″ northern latitude
Highest point „Vorbergshügel“	99 m above mean sea level
Prinzipalmarkt (outside the City Hall)	60 m above mean sea level
Lowest point at the river Ems	39 m above mean sea level

Utilisation of the land area

Total area 30.296 hectares



City Council

Distribution of seats in the City Council:

CDU	31 seats	UWG–MS	1 seat
SPD	20 seats	DIE LINKE	3 seats
Grüne	16 seats	ödp	1 seat
FDP	7 seats	Piratenpartei	1 seat

Lord Mayor:	Markus Lewe (CDU)
Mayors:	Wendela–Beate Vilhjalmsson (SPD) Karin Reismann (CDU) Holger Wigger (SPD)

Town twinnings

York	United Kingdom (1957)
Orléans	France (1960)
Kristiansand	Norway (1967)
Monastir	Tunisia (1969)
Rishon LeZion	Israel (1981)
Fresno	USA (1986)
Rjasan	Russia (1989)
Mühlhausen	Germany (1990)
Lublin	Poland (1991)

Access and transport

By bicycle	252 km of dedicated cycle tracks 142 km of themed routes; supervised indoor bicycle parking with 3,940 spaces
By train	ICE, EC and IC trains stop at Münster Main Station, 6 suburban stations
By road	direct access to the A1/A43 motorways 7,785 parking spaces in the city centre
By air	Münster–Osnabrück Airport 38,315 takeoffs and landings 1,388,039 passengers
By ship	Dortmund–Ems Canal: 12,432,000 tons of cargo in 15,543 cargo ships

Children, teenagers, families and health

179 child day care facilities with	8,749 places
Quote of visits by 3- to 6-year old ones	94.8 %
Health care	
100 Pharmacies	
9 Hospitals (2009) with	128,954 patients
25 Outpatient nursing care facilities (2007)	
40 Care homes (2007) with	2,633 places

Economy

Available income of private households (2007)

Unemployment rate in percent of the civilian working population in average

People in paid work in average 2009

	Münster	NRW
Available income of private households (2007)	21,577 €	19,837 €
Unemployment rate in percent of the civilian working population in average	6.0 %	8.7 %
People in paid work in average 2009	199,445	8,680,073
Agriculture and forestry	0.9 %	1.5 %
Manufacturing industry/trades	12.6 %	23.7 %
Services	86.5 %	74.8 %

Tourism

Hotels, guesthouses, youth hostels, training centres and camp sites

564,099 arrivals

1,237,913 overnight stays

School and further education

96 Schools (2010/2011)	33,113 pupils
11 Vocational schools (2010/2011)	19,493 pupils
8 Colleges/Universities (2009/2010)	45,831 students

Arts and leisure

Cultural institutions	Visitors
Münster City Theatres	
Theatre (2009/2010)	145,462
Concerts (2009/2010)	39,264
28 Museums/exhibition spaces	about 700,000
3 Cinemas with 15 screens	1,047,795
Zoo (Allwetterzoo)	871,427

Sport

6 Indoor swimming pools	576,119
2 Outdoor swimming pools	143,641

Conservation areas

	ha
Landscape conservation areas	8,763.7
Natur conservation areas	1,904.8
Bird protectorates	1,219.5

Population

Residential population 31.12. 2010

Age groups	Male	Female	Total	in %
0 - 17	22,335	21,358	43,693	15.3
18 - 29	27,556	32,570	60,126	21.1
30 - 49	41,695	41,416	83,111	29.1
50 - 64	23,600	24,948	48,548	17.0
65 - 79	15,516	19,989	35,505	12.5
80 and older	4,421	9,776	14,197	5.0
Total	135,123	150,057	285,180	100.0

Information

Further information about Münster – and its quarters – in German:

www.muenster.de/stadt/stadtplanung/zahlen.html

Information about the city, including brochures and leaflets, is also available at:

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