

EUDO – CITIZENSHIP: statistics on the acquisition of citizenship in SWITZERLAND

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1) Source(s) of statistics

organisation	Federal Statistical Office
national name	Bundesamt für Statistik / Office fédéral de la statistique
web address	http://www.bfs.admin.ch/bfs/portal/fr/index.html (Home) and http://www.bfs.admin.ch/bfs/portal/fr/index/themen/01/07/blank/data/04.html (Statistics on citizenship acquisition)
postal address	Office fédéral de la statistique Espace de l'Europe 10 2010 Neuchâtel / Suisse
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2) Available statistics

tab	availability	source
total acquisitions	1985-2008	http://www.bfs.admin.ch/bfs/portal/fr/index/themen/01/07/blank/data/04.Document.67544.xls
mode of acquisition	1990-2008	http://www.bfs.admin.ch/bfs/portal/de/index/themen/01/07/blank/data/01.Document.88357.xls
citizenship of origin	1985-2008	http://www.bfs.admin.ch/bfs/portal/fr/index/themen/01/07/blank/data/04.Document.67544.xls
country of birth	1991-2008	http://www.bfs.admin.ch/bfs/portal/de/index/themen/01/07/blank/data/04.Document.88463.xls
region of residence	-	
sex	1985-2008	http://www.bfs.admin.ch/bfs/portal/de/index/themen/01/07/blank/data/04.Document.67545.xls and http://www.bfs.admin.ch/bfs/portal/de/index/themen/01/07/blank/data/04.Document.67547.xls
age	1991-2008	http://www.bfs.admin.ch/bfs/portal/de/index/themen/01/07/blank/data/04.Document.88459.xls
positive / negative decisions	-	

3) Notes

Yearly totals of citizenship acquisition:

- Totals are constituted by the yearly totals provided by the Office fédéral de la statistique

Citizenship acquisition by citizenship of origin:

- Category "Europe, other" includes Vatican City
- Category "Africa, other" includes Western Sahara
- "China" includes Hong Kong and Tibet

4) Data collection

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