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**Austrian population reached 8.901 million on 1 January 2020 – increase of 0.48% in 2019**

**Vienna**, 2020-07-06 – 8 901 064 people lived in Austria on 1 January 2020, according to the final results of Statistics Austria. Compared to the beginning of 2019, this represents an increase of 42 289 inhabitants (+0.48%). Population growth thus was slightly higher than in the year before: In 2018, the Austrian population had increased by only 0.41% (+36 508 people). About 96% of Austria's population growth in 2019 was due to international migration gains of 40 613 people (see [press release on migration](#)). However, natural population growth also contributed to the overall increase (see [press release on births and deaths](#)).

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