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**Mortgage Statistics (Base 2003)**  
 October 2009. *Provisional data*

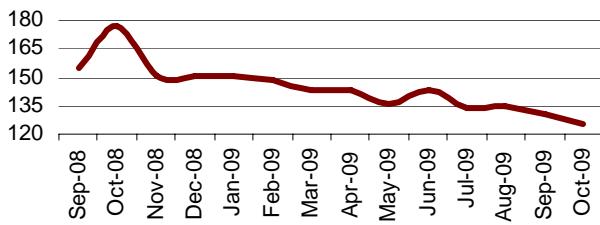
**The average value of the mortgages constituted in October decreases 29.0% in the interannual rate and reaches 125,258 euros**

**The number of mortgages that change conditions increases 38.0%, while registered cancellations decrease 16.6%**

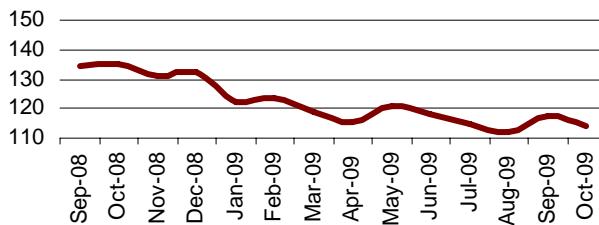
During the month of October, the average amount per mortgage constituted stood at 125,258 euros, 29.0% less than for the same month the previous year, and 3.9% less than the amount recorded in September 2009.

**In mortgages constituted for dwellings, the average amount was 113,882 euros, 15.8% less than in the same month of 2008**, and 2.9% lower than that registered in September 2009.

Average amount mortgaged on total properties in thousands of euros



Average amount mortgaged on dwellings in thousands of euros



The value of the mortgages constituted on urban properties almost reached 10,174 million euros in October, indicating an interannual decrease of 39.9%. In dwellings, the capital loaned surpassed 5,969 million euros, 31.0% less than in October 2008.

	Total	Variation rate		
		Inter-monthly	Interannual*	Interannual accumulated*
<b>Total properties</b>				
Number of mortgaged properties	91,011	-12.7	-11.4	-17.5
Capital loaned (thousands of euros)	11,399,868	-16.1	-37.1	-29.4
Average amount (euros)	125,258	-3.9	-29.0	-14.5
<b>Rustic buildings</b>				
Number of mortgaged properties	5,508	-6.8	11.0	31.2
Capital loaned (thousands of euros)	1,225,891	2.9	3.0	-0.5
Average amount (euros)	222,566	10.4	-7.1	-24.2
<b>Urban buildings</b>				
Number of mortgaged properties	85,503	-13.0	-12.5	-19.2
Capital loaned (thousands of euros)	10,173,977	-17.9	-39.9	-31.4
Average amount (euros)	118,990	-5.6	-31.3	-15.1
<b>Dwellings</b>				
Number of mortgaged properties	52,415	-16.0	-18.0	-24.9
Capital loaned (thousands of euros)	5,969,124	-18.4	-31.0	-37.2
Average amount (euros)	113,882	-2.9	-15.8	-16.4

\*Rates calculated as compared with the final data for 2008

## Mortgages by institution

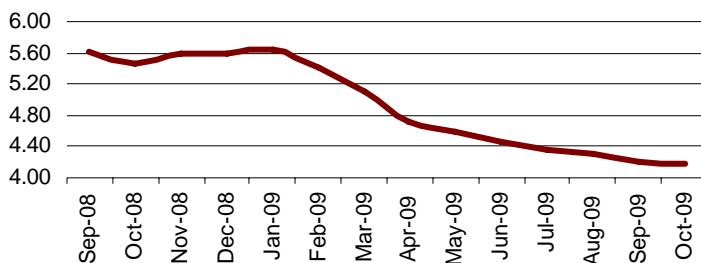
Savings Banks were the institutions that granted the highest number of mortgage loans in October (53.3% of the total), followed by Banks (36.0%) and Other financial institutions (10.7%).

Regarding the capital loaned, Savings Banks granted 47.5% of the total, Banks 41.0% and Other financial institutions 11.5%.

## Mortgage interest rates

The average interest rate in October 2009 was 4.19%, representing a 23.3% decrease in the interannual rate, and a 0.2% decrease as compared with September 2009.

Average interes rate



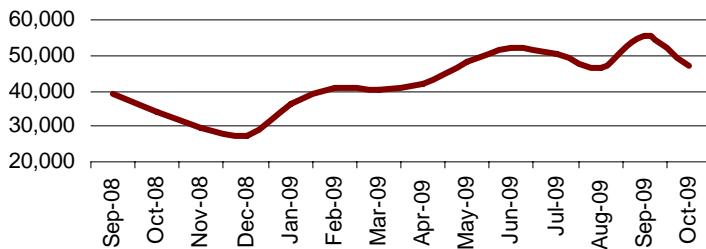
By institution, the average interest rate of Savings Bank mortgage loans was 4.35%, and the average term was 21 years. Regarding Banks, the average interest rate for mortgage loans was 4.07%, and the average term was 20 years.

94.7% of the mortgages constituted in October used a variable interest rate, as opposed to the 5.3% that used a fixed rate. Within the variable rates, the Euribor was the reference interest rate most used in constituting mortgages, specifically in 88.6% of new contracts.

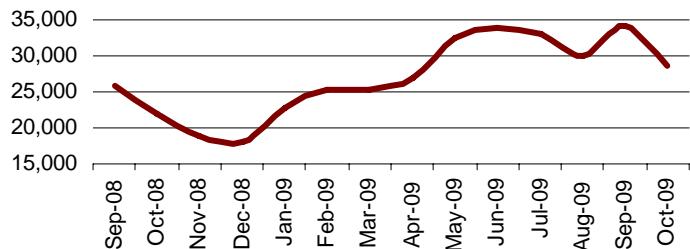
## Mortgages with modified conditions

In October, the total number of mortgages with modified conditions was 46,879, with an interannual increase of 38.0%. In the case of dwellings, the number of mortgages that modified their conditions was 28,648, that is, 30.8% more than the number registered in October 2008.

Number of changes on total properties



Number of changes on dwellings



Considering the type of modification of the conditions, in October, 38,230 novations (or modifications within the same financial institution) were recorded, representing an interannual increase of 52.5%.

The number of loans that changed institution (subrogations creditor) was 6,582, for a 25.3% increase in the interannual rate. In turn, 2,342 mortgages changed the holder of the mortgaged property (subrogations debtor), which implied a decrease of 43.4%.

	Total	Variation rate		
		Inter-monthly	Interannual*	Interannual
				accumulated*
<b>Total mortgages with changes</b>	46,879	-15.6	38.0	40.2
-Novations	38,230	-16.2	52.5	58.8
-Subrogations Debtor	2,067	-11.7	-43.4	-43.0
-Subrogations Creditor	6,582	-13.3	25.3	19.6

\*Rates calculated as compared with the final data for 2008

### Number of mortgages with changes in interest rate conditions

Of the 46,879 mortgages with modified conditions during the month of October, 42.8% were due to changes in interest rates.

The percentage of mortgages at a fixed interest rate decreased after the change in conditions (from 4.1% to 1.6% of the total), since most of these loans were referenced to a variable interest rate. Within the interest rate structure, the Euribor was the main reference. The lowest average interest rate before the change was that referring to Savings Banks (4.25%), whereas the lowest average interest rate after the change was the Euribor (3.82%).

After the modification of conditions, the average interest of the loans decreased 0.71 points in fixed interest rate mortgages, and decreased 0.84 points in variable interest rate mortgages.

Interest rate modality	Before the change in interest rate			After the change in interest rate		
	No. of mortgages	Original structure of interest rates (%)	Original average interest of loan	No. of mortgages	Final structure of interest rates (%)	Average interest after change
<b>Fixed</b>	825	4.1	5.24	328	1.6	4.53
<b>Variable</b>	19,160	95.5	4.70	19,542	97.4	3.86
-MRTI* Banks	148	0.7	4.80	65	0.3	4.22
-MRTI* Savings banks	831	4.1	4.25	524	2.6	4.42
-MRTI* All	477	2.4	4.59	272	1.4	4.44
-Type Act.	48	0.2	4.84	21	0.1	4.90
-Euribor	17,151	85.5	4.73	18,370	91.6	3.82
-Others interest rates	505	2.5	4.29	290	1.4	4.21
<b>interest</b>	74	0.4	-	189	0.9	-
<b>Total interest rate changes</b>	20,059	100.0		20,059	100.0	

\*MRTI: Mortgage Reference Trend

### Registered mortgage cancellations

In October, 44,877 mortgage cancellations were registered, 16.6% less than in the same month of 2008. Mortgages cancelled on rustic properties increased 0.1%, and those cancelled on urban properties decreased 17.1%. In the case of cancellations of mortgages constituted on dwellings, their number decreased 19.5% in the interannual rate.

	Total	Variation rate		
		Inter-monthly	Interannual*	Interannual
				accumulated*
<b>Total cancelled mortgages</b>	44,877	10.4	-16.6	-23.0
Rustic	1,587	-14.0	0.1	-7.5
Urban	43,290	11.5	-17.1	-23.5
-Dwellings	30,620	10.8	-19.5	-25.7

\*Rates calculated as compared with the final data for 2008

## Geographical distribution

The highest numbers of properties with mortgages constituted per 100,000 inhabitants<sup>1</sup> were recorded in La Rioja (352%), Comunitat Valenciana (339) and Región de Murcia (338). The Autonomous Communities that recorded a positive variation rate were Extremadura (27.5%), and Aragón (15.8%). The most negative evolution was registered in Principado de Asturias (-42.8%) and Castilla-La Mancha (-42.1%).

The Autonomous Communities with the greatest average mortgaged amount were Comunidad de Madrid (184,392 euros) and Comunidad Foral de Navarra (181,185 euros). Those experiencing a positive interannual variation rate were Principado de Asturias (12.9%), Región de Murcia (12.0%) and Cantabria (7.0%), while those recording the most negative evolution were Comunidad de Madrid (-50.9%) and Comunitat Valenciana (-35.8%).

The Communities showing the highest number of properties with condition changes per 100,000 inhabitants<sup>1</sup> were Comunitat Valenciana (326) and Región de Murcia (187). Those having the greatest number of registered mortgage cancellations per 100,000 inhabitants<sup>1</sup> were Región de Murcia (194) and Comunitat Valenciana (162).

Autonomous Community	Mortgaged properties		Average amount mortgaged in euros		Mortgaged properties with changes in conditions	Properties with cancelled mortgaged
	Number*	Variation interannual**	Amount	Variation interannual**		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>-11.4</b>	<b>125,258</b>	<b>-29.0</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>121</b>
Andalucía	261	-12.1	110,867	-20.1	153	139
Aragón	286	15.8	98,593	-30.9	97	99
Asturias (Principado de)	141	-42.8	145,300	12.9	57	80
Baleares (Illes)	247	-17.3	126,542	-6.0	99	93
Canarias	264	-4.3	106,616	-12.2	89	136
Cantabria	218	-35.0	144,278	7.0	51	132
Castilla y León	277	-23.0	98,343	-16.5	82	105
Castilla-La Mancha	266	-42.1	97,579	-21.1	177	128
Cataluña	201	1.1	145,850	-32.7	91	91
Comunitat Valenciana	339	2.3	103,907	-35.8	326	162
Extremadura	250	27.5	87,591	-30.6	61	115
Galicia	191	-12.1	97,852	-17.9	51	96
Madrid (Comunidad de)	210	-11.4	184,392	-50.9	94	121
Murcia (Región de)	338	-20.9	151,301	12.0	187	194
Navarra (Comunidad Foral de)	168	-19.8	181,185	-1.9	33	92
País Vasco	195	-5.6	165,265	-24.2	23	93
Rioja (La)	352	-23.2	98,132	-14.9	157	153
Ceuta	123	102.9	113,732	-10.0	26	126
Melilla	154	-35.0	120,038	32.3	10	104

\*Per each hundred thousands inhabitants

\*\*Rates calculated as compared with the final data for 2008

<sup>1</sup>This data was calculated from the revision of the figures of the Municipal Register for the year 2008. Only the population aged 18 to 84 years old was considered.

## Provincial information

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## Mortgages Statistics (Closures)

### October 2009. Provisional data

#### MS.1 Total mortgaged rustic and urban buildings

Amount in thousands of euros

	Total		Rustic buildings		Urban buildings	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>91,011</b>	<b>11,399,868</b>	<b>5,508</b>	<b>1,225,891</b>	<b>85,503</b>	<b>10,173,977</b>
Andalucía	16,864	1,869,661	1,410	276,839	15,454	1,592,822
Aragón	3,095	305,146	157	24,392	2,938	280,754
Asturias (Ppdo de)	1,287	187,001	87	18,900	1,200	168,101
Balears (Illes)	2,131	269,662	105	31,139	2,026	238,523
Canarias	4,422	471,456	137	23,986	4,285	447,470
Cantabria	1,044	150,626	25	4,158	1,019	146,468
Castilla y León	5,840	574,325	348	70,449	5,492	503,876
Castilla-La Mancha	4,305	420,079	427	74,831	3,878	345,248
Cataluña	11,922	1,738,826	178	45,565	11,744	1,693,261
Comunitat Valenciana	13,737	1,427,369	1,432	145,166	12,305	1,282,203
Extremadura	2,187	191,561	163	26,683	2,024	164,878
Galicia	4,417	432,212	239	27,290	4,178	404,922
Madrid (Comunidad de)	10,641	1,962,111	199	149,756	10,442	1,812,355
Murcia (Región de)	3,764	569,497	454	287,280	3,310	282,217
Navarra (Com. Foral de)	832	150,746	22	1,528	810	149,218
Pais Vasco	3,469	573,303	73	12,104	3,396	561,199
Rioja (La)	903	88,613	49	5,156	854	83,457
Ceuta	71	8,075	0	0	71	8,075
Melilla	80	9,603	3	670	77	8,933

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## MS.2 Urban buildings, according to type of building

	Urban buildings		Dwellings		Lots		Other urban land	
	Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Capital
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>85,503</b>	<b>10,173,977</b>	<b>52,415</b>	<b>5,969,124</b>	<b>4,038</b>	<b>1,342,313</b>	<b>29,050</b>	<b>2,862,540</b>
Andalucía	15,454	1,592,822	9,400	1,003,217	1,095	218,553	4,959	371,052
Aragón	2,938	280,754	1,509	181,661	81	22,740	1,348	76,353
Asturias (Ppdo de)	1,200	168,101	896	88,710	14	8,087	290	71,304
Balears (Illes)	2,026	238,523	1,292	166,798	45	17,939	689	53,786
Canarias	4,285	447,470	2,419	225,856	160	45,700	1,706	175,914
Cantabria	1,019	146,468	722	80,644	23	11,916	274	53,908
Castilla y León	5,492	503,876	2,824	305,257	286	64,250	2,382	134,369
Castilla-La Mancha	3,878	345,248	2,166	222,834	376	45,709	1,336	76,705
Cataluña	11,744	1,693,261	7,576	980,374	322	185,481	3,846	527,406
Comunitat Valenciana	12,305	1,282,203	7,800	751,790	474	137,168	4,031	393,245
Extremadura	2,024	164,878	1,180	114,876	103	12,437	741	37,565
Galicia	4,178	404,922	2,555	256,802	144	36,480	1,479	111,640
Madrid (Comunidad de)	10,442	1,812,355	6,906	994,391	196	278,190	3,340	539,774
Murcia (Región de)	3,310	282,217	1,713	152,032	502	55,469	1,095	74,716
Navarra (Com. Foral de)	810	149,218	525	65,292	85	49,743	200	34,183
Pais Vasco	3,396	561,199	2,312	312,326	98	137,940	986	110,933
Rioja (La)	854	83,457	512	52,893	33	14,444	309	16,120
Ceuta	71	8,075	48	6,916	1	70	22	1,089
Melilla	77	8,933	60	6,455	0	0	17	2,478

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### MS.3 Rustic buildings, according to loaning bank

	Rustic buildings		Banks		Savings banks		Other banks	
	Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Capital
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,508</b>	<b>1,225,891</b>	<b>1,999</b>	<b>445,149</b>	<b>2,276</b>	<b>576,030</b>	<b>1,233</b>	<b>204,712</b>
Andalucía	1,410	276,839	322	86,688	556	87,162	532	102,989
Aragón	157	24,392	30	7,616	95	12,214	32	4,562
Asturias (Ppdo de)	87	18,900	30	10,686	31	5,726	26	2,488
Balears (Illes)	105	31,139	43	12,881	45	12,687	17	5,571
Canarias	137	23,986	51	11,297	62	8,463	24	4,226
Cantabria	25	4,158	6	2,190	15	1,446	4	522
Castilla y León	348	70,449	112	20,397	180	46,227	56	3,825
Castilla-La Mancha	427	74,831	43	5,978	333	57,603	51	11,250
Cataluña	178	45,565	58	13,446	99	25,012	21	7,107
Comunitat Valenciana	1,432	145,166	854	71,191	378	55,343	200	18,632
Extremadura	163	26,683	50	15,552	89	8,311	24	2,820
Galicia	239	27,290	106	11,737	97	10,852	36	4,701
Madrid (Comunidad de)	199	149,756	117	53,958	40	75,608	42	20,190
Murcia (Región de)	454	287,280	141	118,044	169	157,771	144	11,465
Navarra (Com. Foral de)	22	1,528	1	37	18	997	3	494
Pais Vasco	73	12,104	25	2,353	40	8,371	8	1,380
Rioja (La)	49	5,156	7	428	29	2,237	13	2,491
Ceuta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Melilla	3	670	3	670	0	0	0	0

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## MS.4. Urban buildings, according to loaning bank

	Urban buildings		Banks		Savings banks		Other banks	
	Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Capital	Number	Capital
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>85,503</b>	<b>10,173,977</b>	<b>30,733</b>	<b>4,229,050</b>	<b>46,254</b>	<b>4,838,415</b>	<b>8,516</b>	<b>1,106,512</b>
Andalucía	15,454	1,592,822	6,373	744,982	7,246	638,444	1,835	209,396
Aragón	2,938	280,754	1,370	97,259	1,295	142,943	273	40,552
Asturias (Ppdo de)	1,200	168,101	477	87,574	474	43,668	249	36,859
Baleares (Illes)	2,026	238,523	710	88,155	1,154	134,278	162	16,090
Canarias	4,285	447,470	1,695	228,684	2,293	195,386	297	23,400
Cantabria	1,019	146,468	228	38,601	745	78,629	46	29,238
Castilla y León	5,492	503,876	1,604	153,041	3,351	292,561	537	58,274
Castilla-La Mancha	3,878	345,248	715	80,648	2,767	229,093	396	35,507
Cataluña	11,744	1,693,261	4,067	757,810	6,803	758,705	874	176,746
Comunitat Valenciana	12,305	1,282,203	4,026	474,862	6,826	627,146	1,453	180,195
Extremadura	2,024	164,878	1,097	89,557	869	70,644	58	4,677
Galicia	4,178	404,922	2,371	213,916	1,699	181,462	108	9,544
Madrid (Comunidad de)	10,442	1,812,355	3,628	849,846	6,131	871,085	683	91,424
Murcia (Región de)	3,310	282,217	1,253	106,044	1,499	136,147	558	40,026
Navarra (Com. Foral de)	810	149,218	166	39,164	313	38,561	331	71,493
Pais Vasco	3,396	561,199	672	142,889	2,204	351,766	520	66,544
Rioja (La)	854	83,457	210	27,606	540	43,021	104	12,830
Ceuta	71	8,075	38	4,483	25	2,957	8	635
Melilla	77	8,933	33	3,928	20	1,923	24	3,082

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## MS.5 Total mortgages cancelled, according to type of building

	Total	Rustic buildings	Dwellings	Lots	Other urban land
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>44,877</b>	<b>1,587</b>	<b>30,620</b>	<b>989</b>	<b>11,681</b>
Andalucía	8,957	523	6,110	237	2,087
Aragón	1,072	63	663	16	330
Asturias (Ppdo de)	730	55	519	11	145
Balears (Illes)	806	42	481	19	264
Canarias	2,278	43	1,332	43	860
Cantabria	632	15	431	10	176
Castilla y León	2,218	81	1,552	49	536
Castilla-La Mancha	2,070	81	1,333	131	525
Cataluña	5,398	90	3,679	93	1,536
Comunitat Valenciana	6,593	255	4,599	90	1,649
Extremadura	1,004	46	705	74	179
Galicia	2,212	107	1,375	13	717
Madrid (Comunidad de)	6,115	32	4,623	101	1,359
Murcia (Región de)	2,162	85	1,450	47	580
Navarra (Com. Foral de)	458	22	313	18	105
Pais Vasco	1,653	45	1,123	33	452
Rioja (La)	392	2	254	4	132
Ceuta	73	0	36	0	37
Melilla	54	0	42	0	12

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**MS.6 Total cancelled mortgages, according to type of building and loaning bank**

	Total			Rustic buildings			Urban buildings		
	Banks	Savings banks	Other banks	Banks	Savings banks	Other banks	Banks	Savings banks	Other banks
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>14,970</b>	<b>22,561</b>	<b>7,346</b>	<b>554</b>	<b>589</b>	<b>444</b>	<b>14,416</b>	<b>21,972</b>	<b>6,902</b>
Andalucía	2,941	3,892	2,124	162	196	165	2,779	3,696	1,959
Aragón	255	643	174	2	21	40	253	622	134
Asturias (Ppdo de)	245	321	164	11	13	31	234	308	133
Balears Illes	360	356	90	21	17	4	339	339	86
Canarias	1,257	810	211	16	16	11	1,241	794	200
Cantabria	165	368	99	8	5	2	157	363	97
Castilla-León	735	1,098	385	17	38	26	718	1,060	359
Castilla-la-Mancha	471	1,279	320	16	40	25	455	1,239	295
Cataluña	1,456	3,392	550	36	27	27	1,420	3,365	523
Comunitat Valenciana	2,305	3,276	1,012	136	93	26	2,169	3,183	986
Extremadura	366	544	94	18	23	5	348	521	89
Galicia	949	1,048	215	47	11	49	902	1,037	166
Madrid (Comunidad de)	2,133	2,978	1,004	16	6	10	2,117	2,972	994
Murcia (Región de)	559	1,376	227	32	45	8	527	1,331	219
Navarra (Com. Foral de)	142	185	131	9	10	3	133	175	128
Pais Vasco	531	759	363	7	26	12	524	733	351
Rioja (La)	63	164	165	0	2	0	63	162	165
Ceuta	5	65	3	0	0	0	5	65	3
Melilla	32	7	15	0	0	0	32	7	15

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**MS.7 Total mortgages with changes, according to type of change and type of building**

	Total	Type of change			Type of building			
		Novation	Subrogations Debtor	Subrogations Creditor	Rustic buildings	Urban buildings	Dwellings	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>46,879</b>	<b>38,230</b>	<b>2,067</b>	<b>6,582</b>	<b>2,753</b>	<b>44,126</b>	<b>28,648</b>	
Andalucía	9,910	8,469	284	1,157	252	9,658	6,184	
Aragón	1,049	863	78	108	29	1,020	631	
Asturias (Ppdo de)	517	452	10	55	69	448	333	
Balears Illes	852	807	13	32	29	823	435	
Canarias	1,490	890	66	534	35	1,455	1,050	
Cantabria	245	195	6	44	15	230	158	
Castilla-León	1,730	1,447	100	183	118	1,612	1,067	
Castilla-la-Mancha	2,864	2,267	79	518	100	2,764	1,624	
Cataluña	5,420	4,135	160	1,125	44	5,376	3,605	
Comunitat Valenciana	13,222	10,482	1,032	1,708	1,767	11,455	7,512	
Extremadura	534	423	12	99	44	490	301	
Galicia	1,186	1,069	43	74	50	1,136	817	
Madrid (Comunidad de)	4,779	4,015	87	677	92	4,687	3,146	
Murcia (Región de)	2,076	1,875	63	138	66	2,010	1,220	
Navarra (Com. Foral de)	165	157	0	8	18	147	99	
Pais Vasco	417	296	23	98	16	401	219	
Rioja (La)	403	375	11	17	9	394	233	
Ceuta	15	13	0	2	0	15	11	
Melilla	5	0	0	5	0	5	3	

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