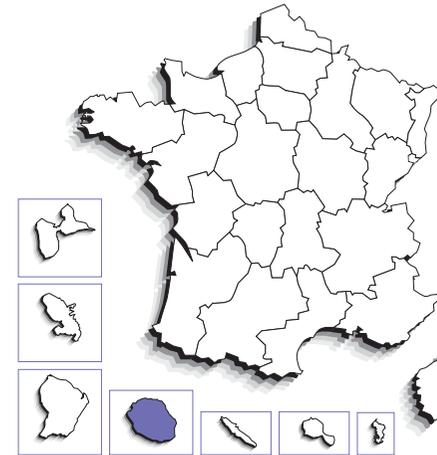


# Reunion Island



## higher education

16,975 students in 2005-2006, studying at 12 higher education sites, o/w 2 university sites.  
Of the total, 95.3% are in the public sector and 64.2% at university.

### change in number of students

|                  | 2000      | 2005      |         |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| Reunion Island   | 15,206    | 16,975    | + 11.6% |
| France*          | 2,160,253 | 2,274,987 | + 5.3%  |
| weight of region | 0.7%      | 0.7%      |         |

\*excluding Overseas Territories

### baccalauréat holders - 2005 session

|                | baccalauréat distribution |               |              |         | change since 2000 | baccalauréat success rate | percentage of baccalauréat holders in one generation | enrolment rate of baccalauréat holders in higher education system |
|----------------|---------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------|-------------------|---------------------------|--|---|
|                | general                   | technological | professional | total   |                   |                           |  |   |
| Reunion Island | 3,669                     | 2,132         | 1,233        | 7,034   | +12.6%            | 77.7%                     | 51.3%  | 66.5%   |
| France*        | 272,512                   | 140,828       | 93,268       | 506,608 | - 1.9%            | 79.9%                     | 62.1%  | 81.9%   |

\* excluding Overseas Territories

## population

### population without duplicate entries

|         |                           |
|---------|---------------------------|
| 706,300 | inhabitants in 1999, i.e. |
| 1.2%    | population of France*     |
| 281     | inhabitants per km        |

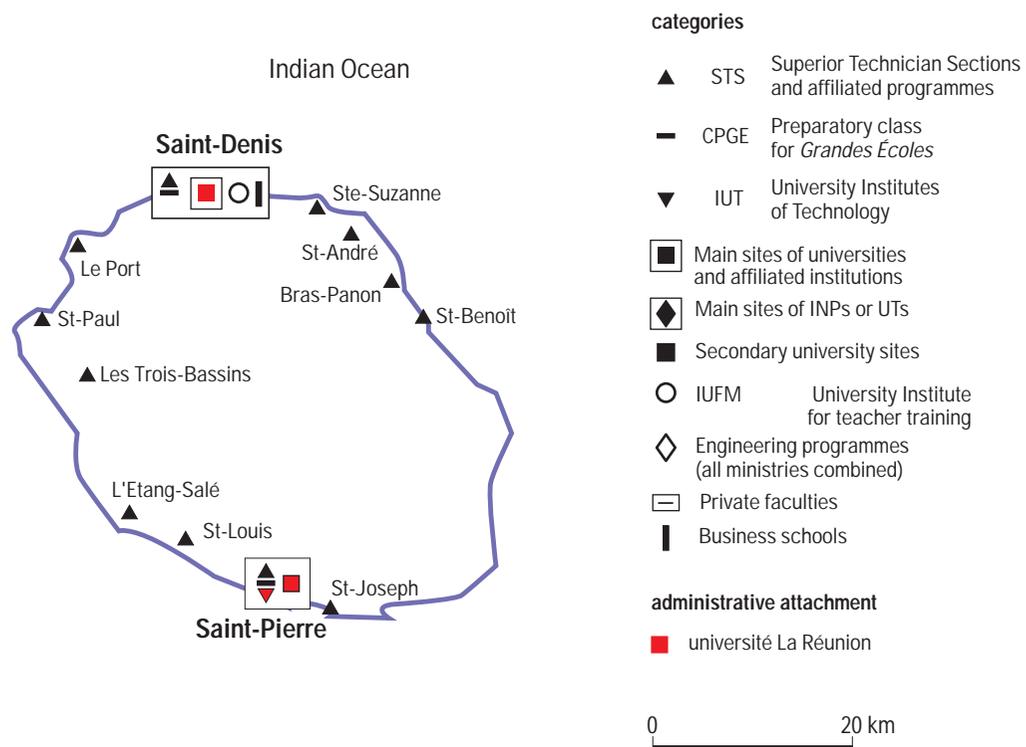
\* excluding Overseas Territories

### change and weight of 17-25 age group

|                  | 2000      | 2005      |         |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| Reunion Island   | 104,774   | 119,432   | + 14.0% |
| France*          | 7,115,395 | 7,354,195 | + 3.4%  |
| weight of region | 1.5%      | 1.6%      |         |

\*excluding Overseas Territories

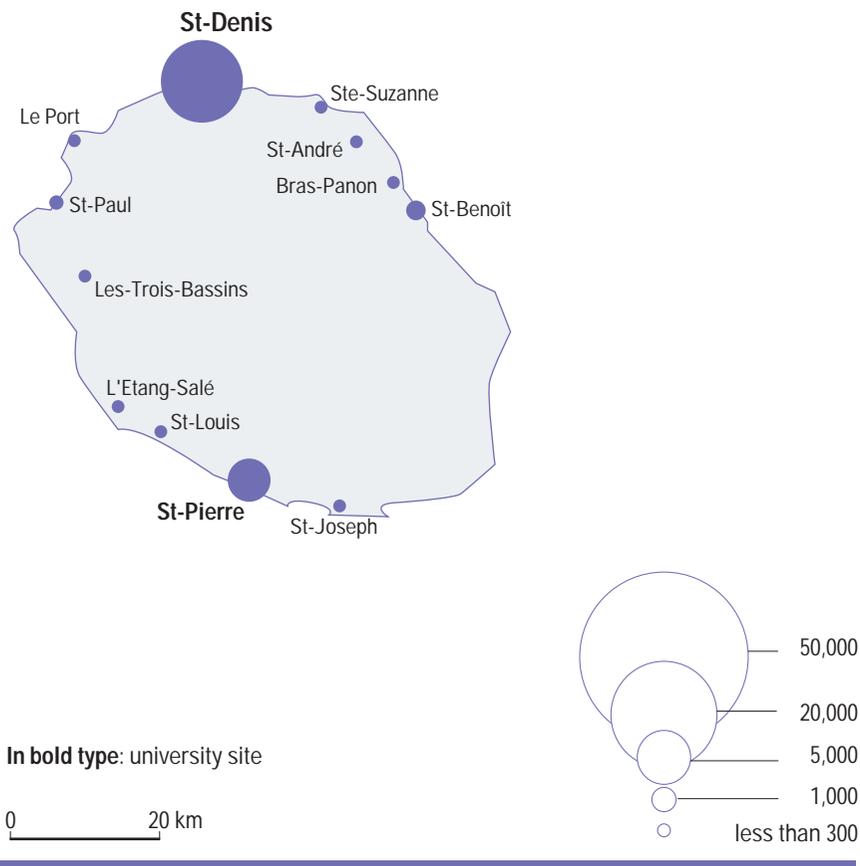
## main higher education branches of study (2005-2006)



# Reunion Island

## number of students enrolled in higher education system (2005-2006)

number of students enrolled in higher education system in urban units (INSEE 1999).



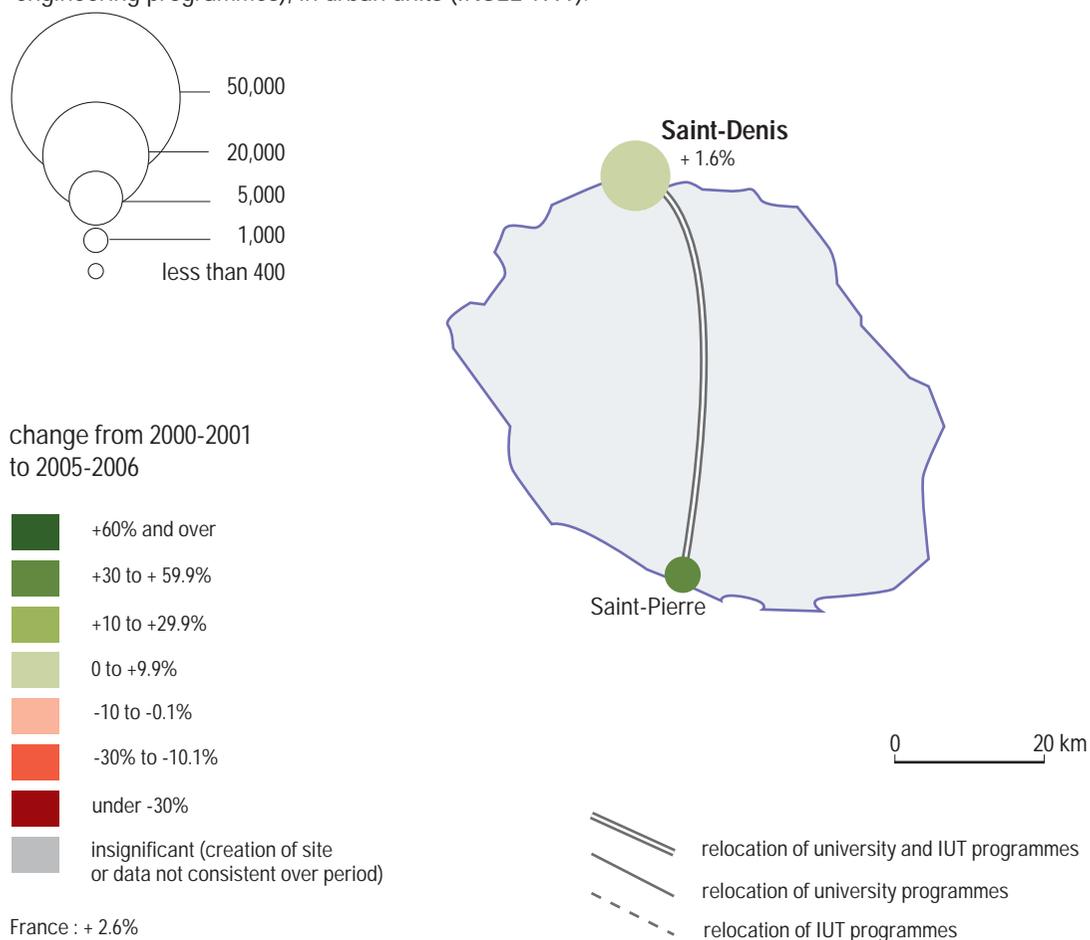
## weight of higher education branches of study (2005-2006)

|                | CPGE | STS   | universities and affiliated institutions | programmes excluding university engineering programmes | IUFM | other programmes |
|----------------|------|-------|--|--|------|------------------|
| Reunion Island | 3.0% | 17.5% | 64.2%                                    | 0.0%   | 7.7% | 7.6%             |
| France*        | 3.3% | 10.5% | 63.6%                                    | 3.9%   | 3.6% | 15.1%            |

\* excluding Overseas Territories

## size of university sites and change between 2000-2001 and 2005-2006

number of students enrolled in universities and affiliated institutions in 2005-2006 (including IUT and engineering programmes), in urban units (INSEE 1999).



### universities and affiliated institutions in 2005-2006

| sites<br>in urban units | IUT | number of students per cycle |       |     | university<br>engineering<br>programmes | total |
|-------------------------|-----|------------------------------|-------|-----|---|-------|
|                         |     | 0 and 1st                    | 2nd   | 3rd |   |       |
| Reunion Island          | 329 | 6,747                        | 3,118 | 697 | 10,891                                  |       |
| <i>Saint-Denis</i>      |     | 5,047                        | 2,836 | 691 | 8,574                                   |       |
| <i>Saint-Pierre</i>     | 329 | 1,700                        | 282   | 6   | 2,317                                   |       |

# Reunion Island

## number of students (2005-2006)

| units                    | CPGE       | STS and affiliated institutions | universities and affiliated institutions (excluding engineering programmes) |                              |              |            |               | engineering programmes |                     |                                     |      |                      | total             |                  | population in 1999 |                          |                   |                  |
|--------------------------|------------|---------------------------------|---|------------------------------|--------------|------------|---------------|------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|
|                          |            |                                 | IUT   | number of students per cycle |              |            | Total         | university progr.      | other MENESR progr. | private progr. and other ministries | IUFM | écoles normales sup. | private faculties | business schools |                    | other schools and progr. | university progr. | higher education |
| <b>974 - Réunion</b>     |            |                                 |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  |                    |                          |                   |                  |
| <b>Bras-Panon</b>        |            | 28                              |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  |                    | 28                       | 9,683             |                  |
| <b>Le Port</b>           |            | r                               |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  | s                  | 247                      | 60,316            |                  |
| <i>La Possession</i>     |            | r                               |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  |                    | r                        | 21,904            |                  |
| <i>Le Port</i>           |            | r                               |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  | s                  | s                        | 38,412            |                  |
| <b>Les Trois-Bassins</b> |            | 44                              |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  |                    | 44                       | 6,598             |                  |
| <b>L'Etang-Salé</b>      |            | 81                              |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  |                    | 81                       | 18,927            |                  |
| <i>Les Avirons</i>       |            | 81                              |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  |                    | 81                       | 7,172             |                  |
| <b>Saint-André</b>       |            | 58                              |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  |                    | 58                       | 43,174            |                  |
| <b>Saint-Benoît</b>      |            | r                               |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  | r                  | 686                      | 31,560            |                  |
| <b>Saint-Denis</b>       | 451        | 971                             |   | 5,047                        | 2,836        | 691        | 8,574         |                        |                     | 1,307                               |      |                      |                   | 148              | 366                | 9,881                    | 11,817            | 158,139          |
| <i>Saint-Denis</i>       | 451        | 863                             |   | 5,047                        | 2,836        | 691        | 8,574         |                        |                     | 1,307                               |      |                      |                   | 148              | 366                | 9,881                    | 11,709            | 131,557          |
| <i>Sainte-Marie</i>      |            | 108                             |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  |                    | 108                      | 26,582            |                  |
| <b>Sainte-Suzanne</b>    |            | 69                              |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  |                    | 69                       | 18,144            |                  |
| <b>Saint-Joseph</b>      |            | 111                             |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  |                    | 111                      | 30,293            |                  |
| <b>Saint-Louis</b>       |            | 230                             |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  |                    | 230                      | 43,519            |                  |
| <b>Saint-Paul</b>        |            | 369                             |   |                              |              |            |               |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  |                    | 369                      | 87,712            |                  |
| <b>Saint-Pierre</b>      | 54         | 641                             | 329   | 1,700                        | 282          | 6          | 2,317         |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  | 223                | 2,317                    | 3,235             | 129,238          |
| <i>Le Tampon</i>         | 54         | 410                             |   | 1,700                        | 152          | 6          | 1,858         |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  |                    | 1,858                    | 2,322             | 60,323           |
| <i>Saint-Pierre</i>      |            | 231                             | 329   |                              | 130          |            | 459           |                        |                     |                                     |      |                      |                   |                  | 223                | 459                      | 913               | 68,915           |
| <b>Reunion Island</b>    | <b>505</b> | <b>2,978</b>                    | <b>329</b>  | <b>6,747</b>                 | <b>3,118</b> | <b>697</b> | <b>10,891</b> |                        |                     | <b>1,307</b>                        |      |                      |                   | <b>148</b>       | <b>1,146</b>       | <b>12,198</b>            | <b>16,975</b>     | <b>706,300</b>   |

s : secret statistique / r : réserve

## how to read the tables

| units                     | CPGE | STS and affiliated institutions | universities and affiliated institutions (excluding engineering programmes) |           |     | engineering programmes |       |                       |                         |   | IUFM | écoles normales sup. | private faculties | business schools | other schools and programmes | total                 |                  | population in 1999 |
|---------------------------|------|---------------------------------|---|-----------|-----|------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------------------------|---|------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|--------------------|
|                           |      |                                 | IUT   | 0 and 1st | 2nd | 3rd                    | Total | university programmes | other MENESR programmes | private programmes and other ministries |      |                      |                   |                  |                              | university programmes | higher education |                    |
| <b>XX - Département 1</b> |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 1              |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 2              |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 21                |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 22                |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 3              |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 4              |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 5              |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Rural commune 6           |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 7              |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 71                |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 72                |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 73                |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 74                |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 75                |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 76                |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 8*             |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| <b>XX - Département 2</b> |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 9              |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 8*             |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 82                |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 10             |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 11             |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 111               |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 112               |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 113               |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 12             |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 13             |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 14             |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Urban unit 15             |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 151               |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 152               |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |
| Commune 153               |      |                                 |   |           |     |                        |       |                       |                         |   |      |                      |                   |                  |                              |                       |                  |                    |

data sources and scope for these categories provided on page 192

An urban unit (in bold type) is a group of communities with at least 2,000 inhabitants in which no residence is separated from the next by more than 200 metres.

The other communes (not in bold type) are classified as rural communes.

The definitions of urban and rural territories are reviewed prior to each census. The definitions used in the present edition are those set forth in the INSEE 1999 census.

A given urban unit can extend to two or more départements.

An asterisk designates an urban unit in which the higher education sites are located in communes of different départements.

Total number of students enrolled in university programmes at:

- universities and affiliated institutions (including students enrolled in IUT and university engineering programmes)
- INPs and UTs (excluding engineering programmes)
- IUFMs

Total number of students enrolled in urban unit or commune.

When higher education units exists in several communes of a given urban unit, the breakdown per commune and per programme structure is also provided.

Population without duplicate records in INSEE 1999 census.

## Sources

|   | Sources   | Data fields  |
|---|---|--|
| CPGE (Preparatory Classes for <i>Grandes Écoles</i> )                                 | DEPP: SCOLARITE information system<br>DEPP: survey no.17<br><b>Ministry of Agriculture</b>  | Students enrolled in CPGEs at public and private institutions under the authority of the MENESR and other ministries   |
| STS (Superior Technician Sections) and affiliated programmes                          | DEPP: SCOLARITE information system<br>DEPP: survey no.18<br><b>Ministry of Agriculture</b>  | Students in post- <i>baccalauréat</i> programmes affiliated with STS (BTS, refresher courses, DPECF, DECF, DMA, DSAA, DNTS, complementary post-BTS programmes), in public and private institutions under the authority of the MENESR and other ministries  |
| IUT (University Institutes of Technology)   | DEPP: SISE information system   | Students enrolled in universities and affiliated institutions and registered in DUT, post-DUT and DNTS programmes  |
| Universities (excluding IUT and engineering programmes)                               | DEPP: SISE information system   | Students enrolled in universities and affiliated institutions, including further training programmes leading to a degree, work-study programmes, university degrees, DAEU, long-distance education; not including students in engineering, DUT and affiliated programmes   |
| University engineering programmes   | DEPP: SISE information system   | Students enrolled in universities and affiliated institutions, and registered in classic engineering programmes, specialised engineering programmes and engineering programmes in partnership (e.g. NFI), including further training programmes leading to a degree, work-study programmes and long-distance education; not including universities of technology and National Polytechnic Institutes |
| Engineering programmes under the authority of the MENESR                              | DEPP: SISE information system<br>DEPP: survey no.27   | Students enrolled in public engineering schools under the authority of the MENESR and registered in engineering programmes, excluding further training programmes, with the exception of universities of technology and National Polytechnic Institutes  |
| Engineering programmes under the authority of another ministry and private programmes | DEPP: SISE information system<br>DEPP: survey no.27   | Students enrolled in public engineering schools under the authority of other ministries and private engineering schools, and registered in engineering programmes (excl. further training programmes)  |
| IUFM (University Institute for Teacher Training)                                      | DEPP: SISE information system   | Students enrolled in IUFMs   |
| Écoles Normales Supérieures (ENS)   | DEPP: survey no.26  | All programmes offered by these schools  |
| Private faculties   | DEPP: SISE information system<br>DEPP: survey no.46   | Students enrolled in programmes leading to national degrees (DEUG, licence, <i>maîtrise</i> ) and degrees issued by private faculties  |
| Business schools  | DEPP: survey no.26 and SISE   | All programmes offered by these schools (main programmes, preparatory cycles, specialisations, master and MBA)   |
| Other schools and programmes  | DEPP: survey no.26<br>DEPP: survey no.48<br><b>Ministry of Employment</b><br>DEPP: SCOLARITE information system<br>DEPP: survey no.18<br>DEPP: survey no.26 | All other higher education branches of study   |
| Population without duplicate entries  | INSEE: 1990 and 1999 population census  | Population without duplicate entries in census   |
| Population by age group   | INSEE: estimate of annual population by age group   | Age of population taken at 31 December   |

## glossary

|  | definition   |
|--|--|
| percentage of <i>baccalauréat</i> holders in one generation              | percentage of <i>baccalauréat</i> holders in a hypothetical generation of individuals, who, at each age, would have the same <i>baccalauréat</i> enrolment and success rates observed in the year being considered (by place of residence)   |
| rural commune  | commune not belonging to any urban unit  |
| cycle 0  | university cycle comprising the diplomas that qualify non <i>baccalauréat</i> holders to enrol in university programmes: DAEU ( <i>diplôme d'accès aux études universitaires</i> ), aptitude for law, etc.   |
| university programmes  | Branches of study offered at IUFMs, universities and affiliated institutions, including non-engineering branches of INPs and UTs.  |
| population without duplicate entries                                     | Total population minus duplicate entries:<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; military servicemen and student interns in the commune and who do not have a personal residence in the commune;</li> <li>&gt; homeless persons under the administrative authority of the commune, but counted on the census in another commune;</li> <li>&gt; persons having declared their personal residence in the commune but living in another commune;</li> <li>&gt; students having declared another personal residence in the commune but who were counted in another commune.</li> </ul> This concept is used to calculate the population of a group of communes (regions, départements, cantons, etc.). |
| higher education site  | urban unit or rural commune in which at least one student is enrolled in a higher education programme, regardless of the type of institution (university, <i>lycée</i> , <i>école</i> , private faculty, etc.) or the nature of the programme (university or other).   |
| university site  | urban unit or rural commune in which at least one student is enrolled in a university programme (including IUT and university or non-university engineering programmes).   |
| secondary site   | urban unit or rural commune in which at least one student is enrolled in a university programme (including IUT and university and non-university engineering programmes) outside of the main university site.  |
| main site  | urban unit or rural commune in which the main site of a university or affiliated institution is located.   |
| enrolment rate of <i>baccalauréat</i> holders in higher education system | percentage of <i>baccalauréat</i> holders enrolled in the higher education system in the year they obtained their <i>baccalauréat</i> out of the total number of <i>baccalauréat</i> holders for the corresponding year (by <i>académie</i> ).   |
| <i>baccalauréat</i> success rate   | percentage of pupils who obtained their <i>baccalauréat</i> out of the total number of candidates present. Candidates are counted as present for the exam if they have participated in at least one test.  |
| urban unit   | group of communes with at least 2,000 inhabitants in which no residence is separated from the next by more than 200 metres.  |
| multi-site university  | university whose status lists several main sites. There are 4 multi-site universities: Université des Antilles-Guyane, Université d'Artois, Université de Bretagne-Sud, Université du Littoral.  |
| universities and affiliated institutions                                 | a category comprising the 81 French universities, 2 CUFRs (Albi and Nîmes) and 5 <i>grands établissements</i> (IEP de Paris, INALCO, Institut de physique du globe, Paris Observatory, Paris-Dauphine).  |
| universities and affiliated establishments                               | a category comprising the 81 French universities, 2 CUFRs (Albi and Nîmes), 5 <i>grands établissements</i> (IEP de Paris, INALCO, Institut de physique du globe, Paris Observatory, Paris-Dauphine), 3 National Polytechnic Institutes (Grenoble, Nancy and Toulouse) and 3 Universities of Technology (Compiègne, Troyes and Belfort-Montbéliard).  |

## acronyms

|               |   |
|---------------|---|
| <b>BTP</b>    | <i>Bâtiment et travaux publics</i> (Buildings and public works)   |
| <b>BTS</b>    | <i>Brevet de technicien supérieur</i> (Higher Technician Certificate)   |
| <b>CPGE</b>   | <i>Classe préparatoire aux grandes écoles</i> (Preparatory class for <i>Grandes Écoles</i> )  |
| <b>CUFR</b>   | <i>Centre universitaire de formation et recherche</i> (University training and research centre)   |
| <b>DAEU</b>   | <i>Diplôme d'accès aux études universitaires</i> (diploma that qualifies to enrol at university)  |
| <b>DEA</b>    | <i>Diplôme d'études approfondies</i> (Advanced Studies Degree)  |
| <b>DECF</b>   | <i>Diplôme d'études comptables et financières</i> (Degree in accounting and financial studies)  |
| <b>DEFA</b>   | <i>Diplôme d'études fondamentales en architecture</i> (Degree in basic architectural studies)   |
| <b>DEPP</b>   | <i>Direction de l'évaluation, de la prospective et de la performance du ministère de l'Éducation nationale, de l'Enseignement supérieur et de la Recherche</i> (Department of Evaluation, Forecasting and Performance, under the Ministry of National Education, Higher Education and Research) |
| <b>DES</b>    | <i>Diplôme d'études spécialisées</i> (Specialised Studies Degree)   |
| <b>DGES</b>   | <i>Direction générale de l'enseignement supérieur du ministère de l'Éducation nationale, de l'Enseignement supérieur et de la Recherche</i> (Department of Higher Education, under the Ministry of National Education, Higher Education and Research)   |
| <b>DESS</b>   | <i>Diplôme d'études supérieures spécialisées</i> (Higher Specialised Studies Degree)  |
| <b>DEUG</b>   | <i>Diplôme d'études universitaires générales</i> (General University Studies Degree)  |
| <b>DEUST</b>  | <i>Diplôme d'études universitaires scientifiques et techniques</i> (Scientific and Technical University Degree)   |
| <b>DMA</b>    | <i>Diplôme des métiers d'art</i> (Degree in artistic studies)   |
| <b>DNAT</b>   | <i>Diplôme national des arts techniques</i> (National degree in technical arts)   |
| <b>DNSAP</b>  | <i>Diplôme national supérieur d'arts plastiques</i> (Higher national degree in plastic arts)  |
| <b>DNTS</b>   | <i>Diplôme national de technologie spécialisée</i> (National degree in specialised technology)  |
| <b>DPECF</b>  | <i>Diplôme de préparation aux études comptables et financières</i> (Preparatory degree in accounting and financial studies)   |
| <b>DRT</b>    | <i>Diplôme de recherche technologique</i> (Degree in technological research)  |
| <b>DSAA</b>   | <i>Diplôme supérieur en arts appliqués</i> (Higher degree in applied arts)  |
| <b>DUT</b>    | <i>Diplôme universitaire de technologie</i> (University degree in technology)   |
| <b>ENS</b>    | <i>École normale supérieure (a grande école)</i>  |
| <b>IEP</b>    | <i>Institut d'études politiques</i> (Institute of political studies)  |
| <b>INALCO</b> | <i>Institut national des langues et civilisations orientales</i> (National institute of oriental languages and civilisations)   |

|               |   |
|---------------|---|
| <b>INP</b>    | <i>Institut national polytechnique</i> (National polytechnic institute)   |
| <b>INSEE</b>  | <i>Institut national de la statistique et des études économiques</i> (French National institute for statistics and economic studies)                      |
| <b>IUFM</b>   | <i>Institut universitaire de formation des maîtres</i> (University Institute for Teacher Training)  |
| <b>IUP</b>    | <i>Institut universitaire professionnalisé</i> (University Institute for Professional Studies)  |
| <b>IUT</b>    | <i>Institut universitaire de technologie</i> (University Institute of Technology)   |
| <b>LMD</b>    | Licence, master, doctorate  |
| <b>MENESR</b> | <i>Ministère de l'Éducation nationale, de l'Enseignement supérieur et de la Recherche</i> (Ministry of National Education, Higher Education and Research) |
| <b>MSG</b>    | <i>Maitrise des sciences de gestion</i> (Master's degree in management sciences)  |
| <b>MST</b>    | <i>Maitrise des sciences et techniques</i> (Master's degree in science and technique)   |
| <b>PACA</b>   | Provence-Alpes-Côte-d'Azur  |
| <b>STS</b>    | <i>Section de techniciens supérieurs</i> (Superior Technician Sections)   |
| <b>UFR</b>    | <i>Unité de formation et de recherche</i> (Training and research unit)  |
| <b>UT</b>     | <i>Université de technologie</i> (University of technology)   |
| <b>TOM</b>    | <i>Territoires d'Outre-mer</i> (Overseas Territories)   |

## abbreviations

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| <b>adm.</b>    | administrative |
| <b>archit.</b> | architecture   |
| <b>aff.</b>    | affiliated     |
| <b>sch.</b>    | school         |
| <b>ed.</b>     | education      |
| <b>prog.</b>   | programme      |
| <b>eng.</b>    | engineering    |
| <b>min.</b>    | ministry       |
| <b>soc.</b>    | social         |
| <b>hig.</b>    | high           |
| <b>univ.</b>   | university     |