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“.es” domain statistics **December 2018**

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1 INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this statistical data report for **December 2018** is to inform society of the current situation of “.es” domains, providing important and useful information to help those taking current and future decisions.

The .es domains register fosters and promotes the use of the “.es” domain as a reference of the Spanish language on internet at an international level, with a potential market of more than 500 million Spanish speakers; it is a **quality** domain, **secure**, **easy to acquire and renew** and with the benefit of added value services such as an **out-of-court dispute resolution procedure**.

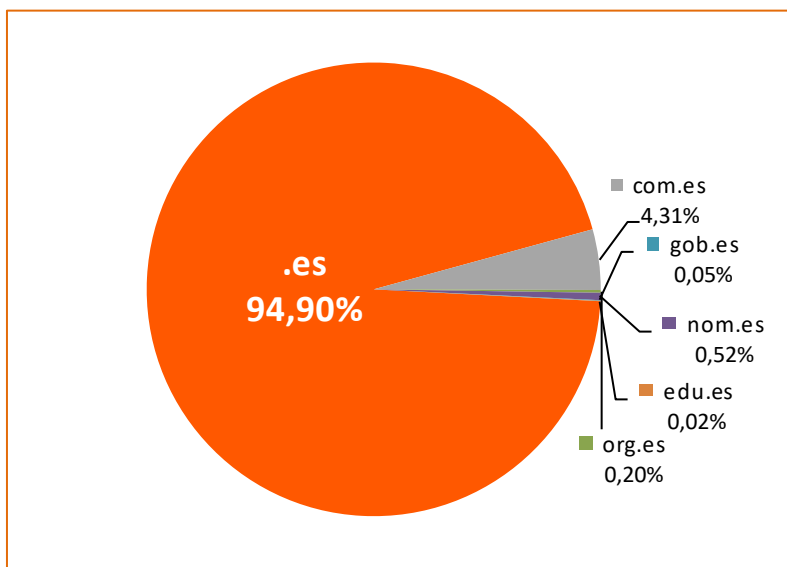
In drawing up this report, we have based our findings on information from the Red.es database.

2 DOMAINS

2.1 The “.es” domain

This section focuses on the special features of the “.es” domain with respect to growth, composition, geographical localization, etc.

2.1.1 Composition of the “.es” domain



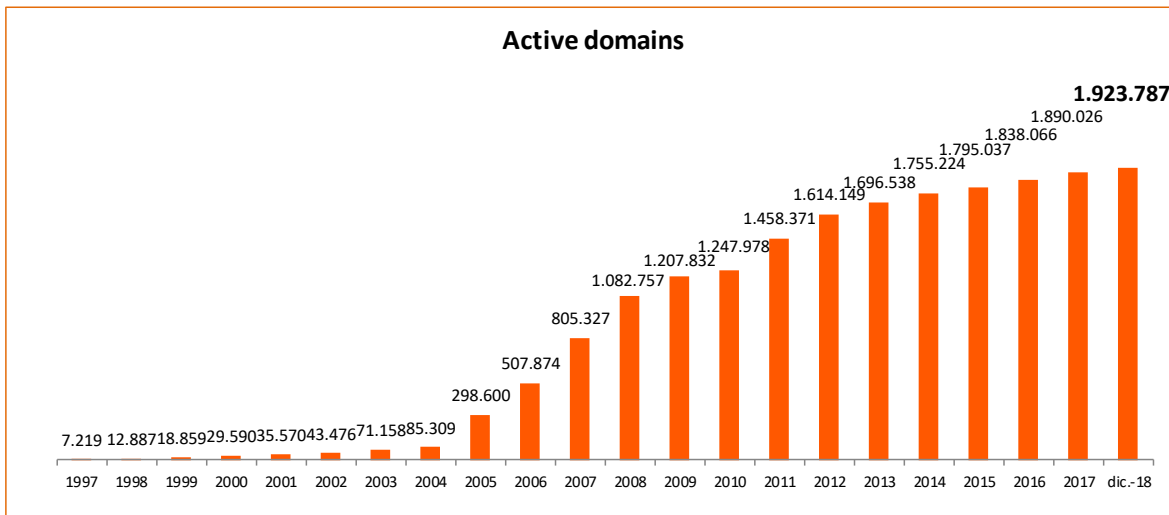
Domains Composition .es	
TLD	Nr of Domains
.es	1825631
com.es	82939
org.es	3775
nom.es	10062
gob.es	909
edu.es	445
Total	1.923.761 *

* The total number of domains is different because of the date when the data were taken

2.1.2 Change over time of the “.es” domain

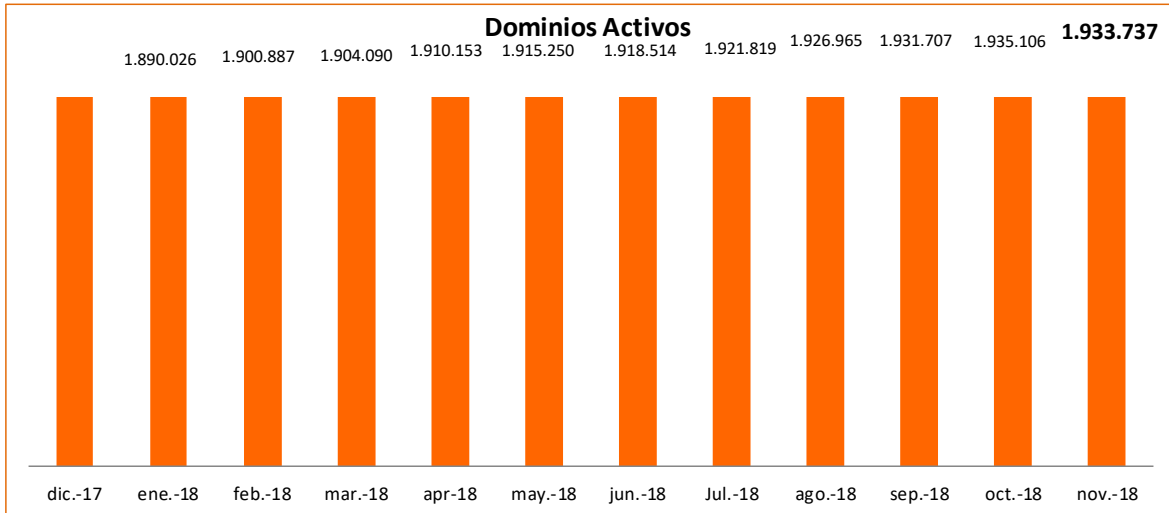
The change over time of the “.es” domain is shown over the long and short terms, showing a clearly growing trend in the number of domains registered in recent years.

2.1.2.1 Historical Trend



Year	Active Domains
1997	7.219
1998	12.887
1999	18.859
2000	29.590
2001	35.570
2002	43.476
2003	71.158
2004	85.309
2005	298.600
2006	507.874
2007	805.327
2008	1.082.757
2009	1.207.832
2010	1.247.978
2011	1.458.371
2012	1.614.149
2013	1.696.538
2014	1.755.224
2015	1.795.037
2016	1.838.066
2017	1.890.026
nov.-18	1.933.737

2.1.2.2 Annual trend of active domains (last 12 months)

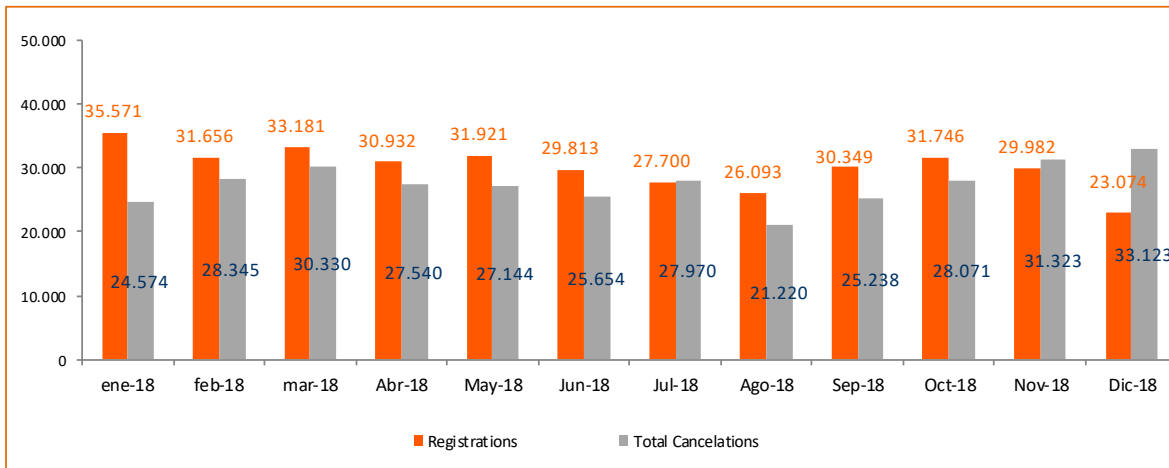


Month	Active Domains
ene.-18	1.890.026
feb.-18	1.900.887
mar.-18	1.904.090
apr.-18	1.910.153
may.-18	1.915.250
jun.-18	1.918.514
Jul.-18	1.921.819
ago.-18	1.926.965
sep.-18	1.931.707
oct.-18	1.935.106
nov.-18	1.933.737
dic.-18	1.923.787

2.1.3 Registration and cancellation of domains

Cancellation of domains includes cancellation properly speaking plus non-renewal of domains.

The trend shows moderate growth over the last year.

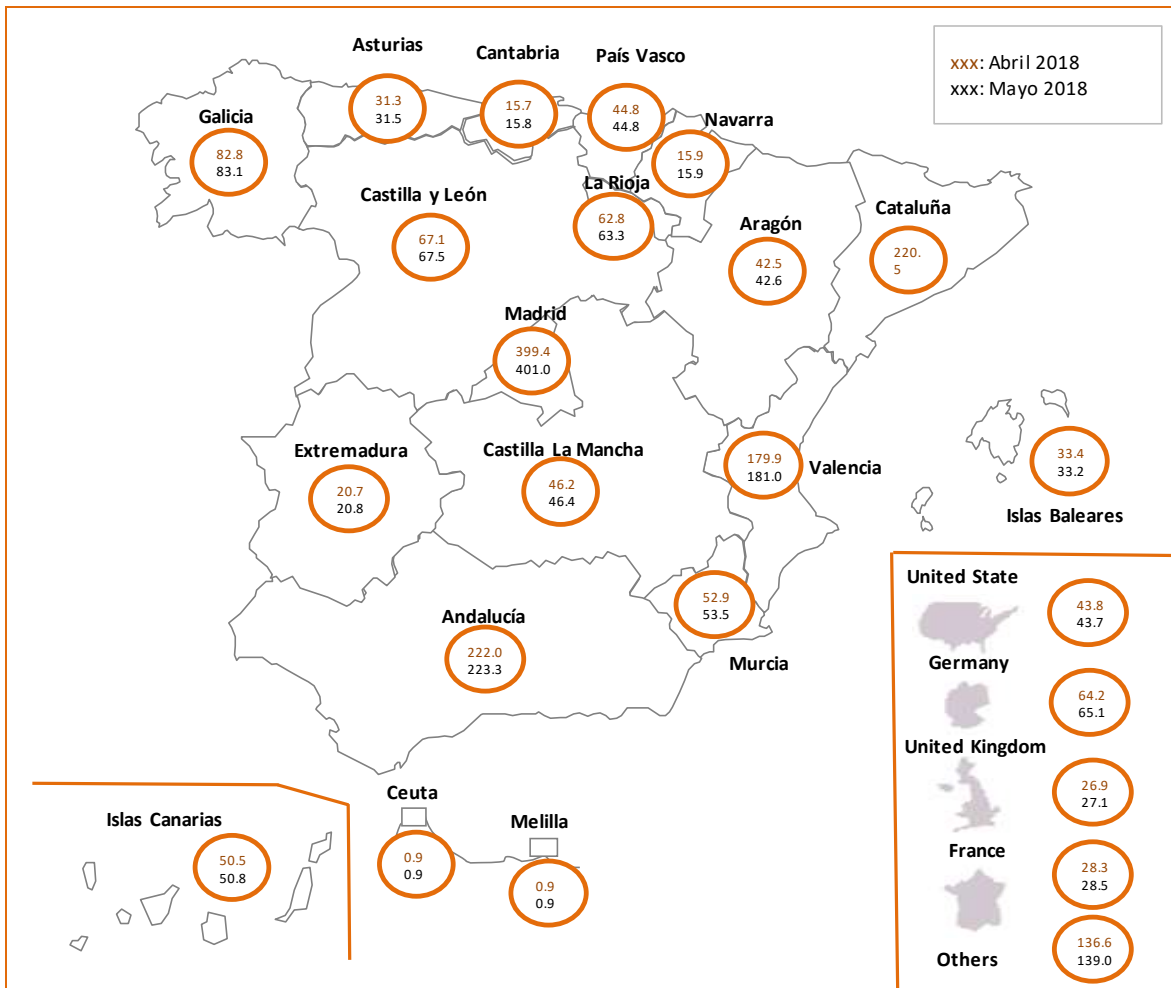


Month	Registrations	Total Cancellations	Cancellations	No renewal
ene-18	35.571	24.574	931	23.643
feb-18	31.656	28.345	1.105	27.240
mar-18	33.181	30.330	1.320	29.010
Abr-18	30.932	27.540	967	26.573
May-18	31.921	27.144	285	26.859
Jun-18	29.813	25.654	239	25.415
Jul-18	27.700	27.970	222	27.748
Ago-18	26.093	21.220	214	21.006
Sep-18	30.349	25.238	566	24.672
Oct-18	31.746	28.071	284	27.787
Nov-18	29.982	31.323	446	30.877
Dic-18	23.074	33.123	367	32.756
Total cancellations = cancellations + No renewal				

2.1.4 Geographical distribution

The following map shows the number of active domains by Autonomous Region and by country for countries with significant domain registrations. The data are comparative with respect to the previous month.

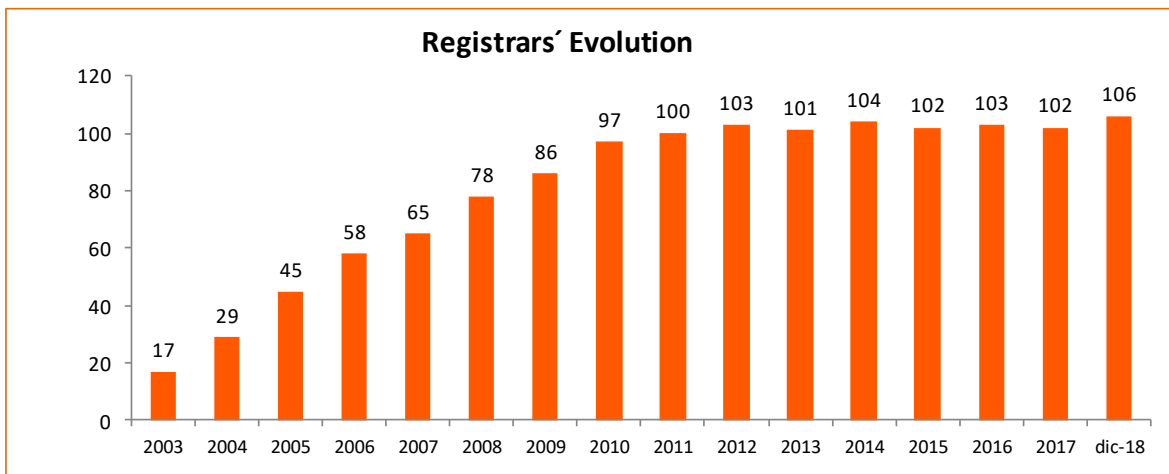
The Community of Madrid and Catalonia show the highest concentrations of active domains because population numbers and economic development of these regions are key for domain acquisition.



3 ACCREDITED REGISTRARS

3.1 Trend in the number of accredited registrar

As with the trend in domains, the number of accredited registrars has also grown significantly, mainly due to the increased domestic demand for “.es” domains.

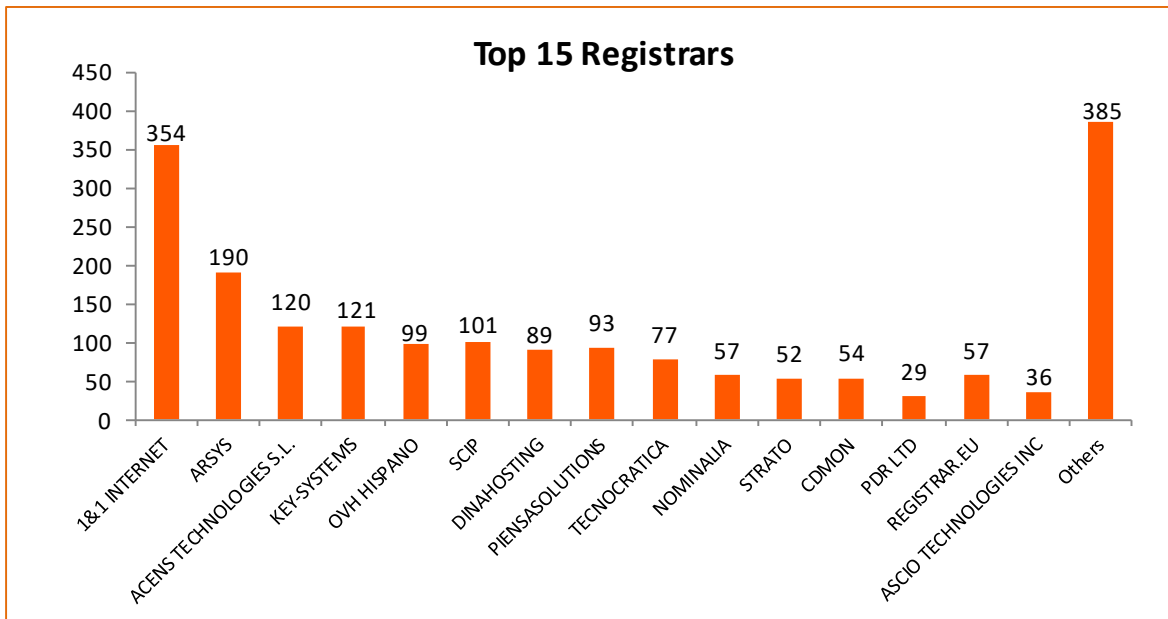


Year	Nr Registrars	Nr of registrars active
2003	17	17
2004	12	29
2005	16	45
2006	13	58
2007	7	65
2008	13	78
2009	8	86
2010	11	97
2011	3	100
2012	3	103
2013	-2	101
2014	3	104
2015	-2	102
2018	3	106

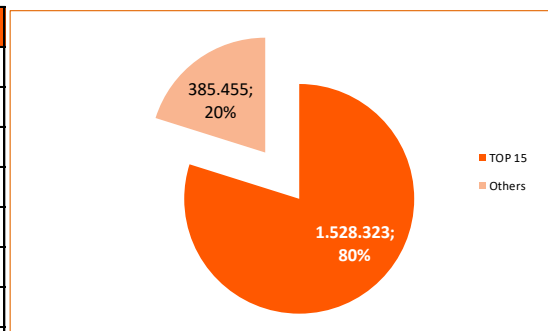
3.2 List and domains per accredited registrar

Classification of accredited registrars by number of domains. The figure only shows the 15 registrars with the highest number of domains. The remainders are grouped into the same category ("others").

The figure shows there is a clear concentration in the sector.



Registrars	10 data in miles
1&1 INTERNET	354
ARSYS	190
ACENS TECHNOLOGIES S.L.	120
KEY-SYSTEMS	121
OVH HISPANO	99
SCIP	101
DINAHOSTING	89
PIENSASOLUTIONS	93
TECNOCRATICA	77
NOMINALIA	57
STRATO	52
CDMON	54
PDR LTD	29
REGISTRAR.EU	57
ASCIO TECHNOLOGIES INC	36
Others	385



Data in thousands of domains