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1 INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this statistical data report for **May 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**.

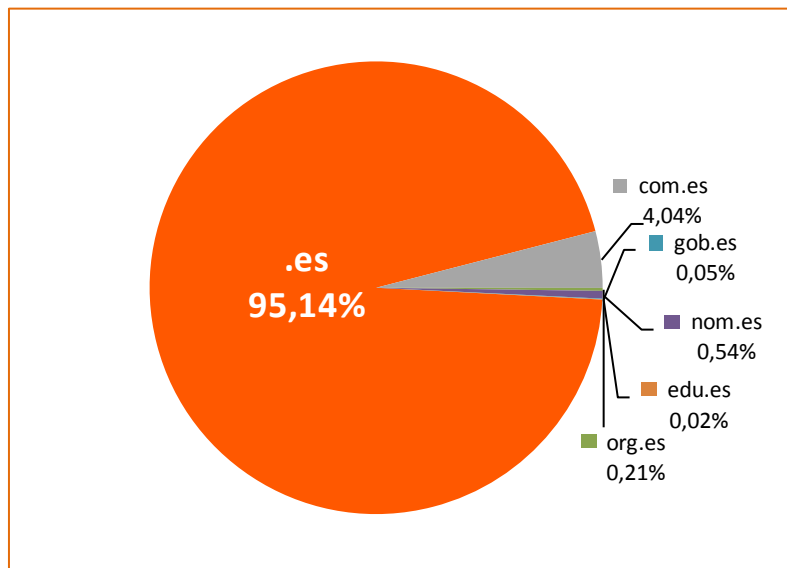
In drawing up this report, we have based our findings on information from the Red.es database.

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



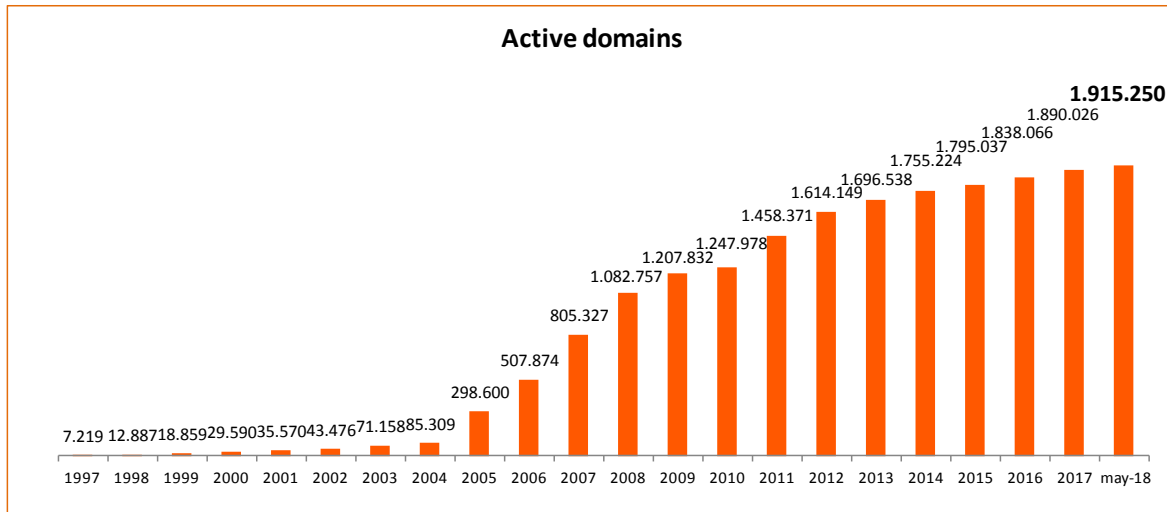
Domains Composition .es	
TLD	Nr of Domains
.es	1822109
com.es	77341
org.es	3989
nom.es	10418
gob.es	867
edu.es	439
Total	1.915.163 *

* 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

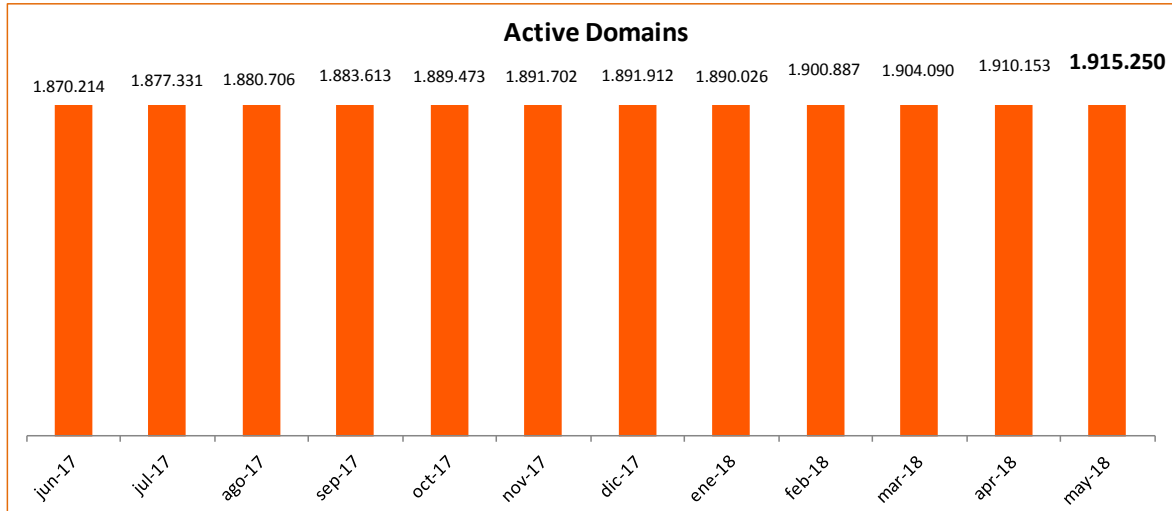
The change over time of the “.es” domain is shown over the long and short terms, showing a clearly growing trend in the number of domains registered in recent years.

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
may-18	1.915.250

2.1.2.2 Annual trend of active domains (last 12 months)

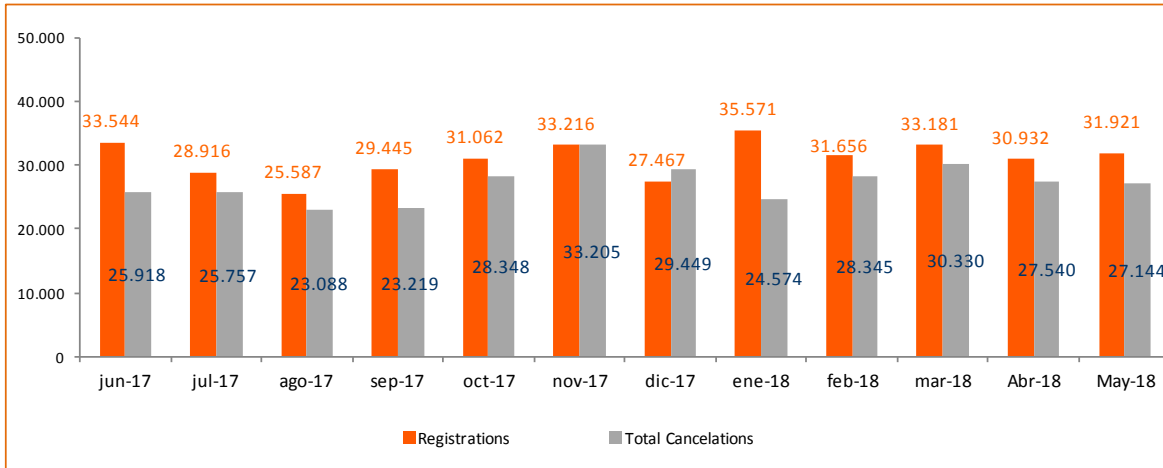


Month	Active Domains
jun-17	1.870.214
jul-17	1.877.331
ago-17	1.880.706
sep-17	1.883.613
oct-17	1.889.473
nov-17	1.891.702
dic-17	1.891.912
ene-18	1.890.026
feb-18	1.900.887
mar-18	1.904.090
apr-18	1.910.153
may-18	1.915.250

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.

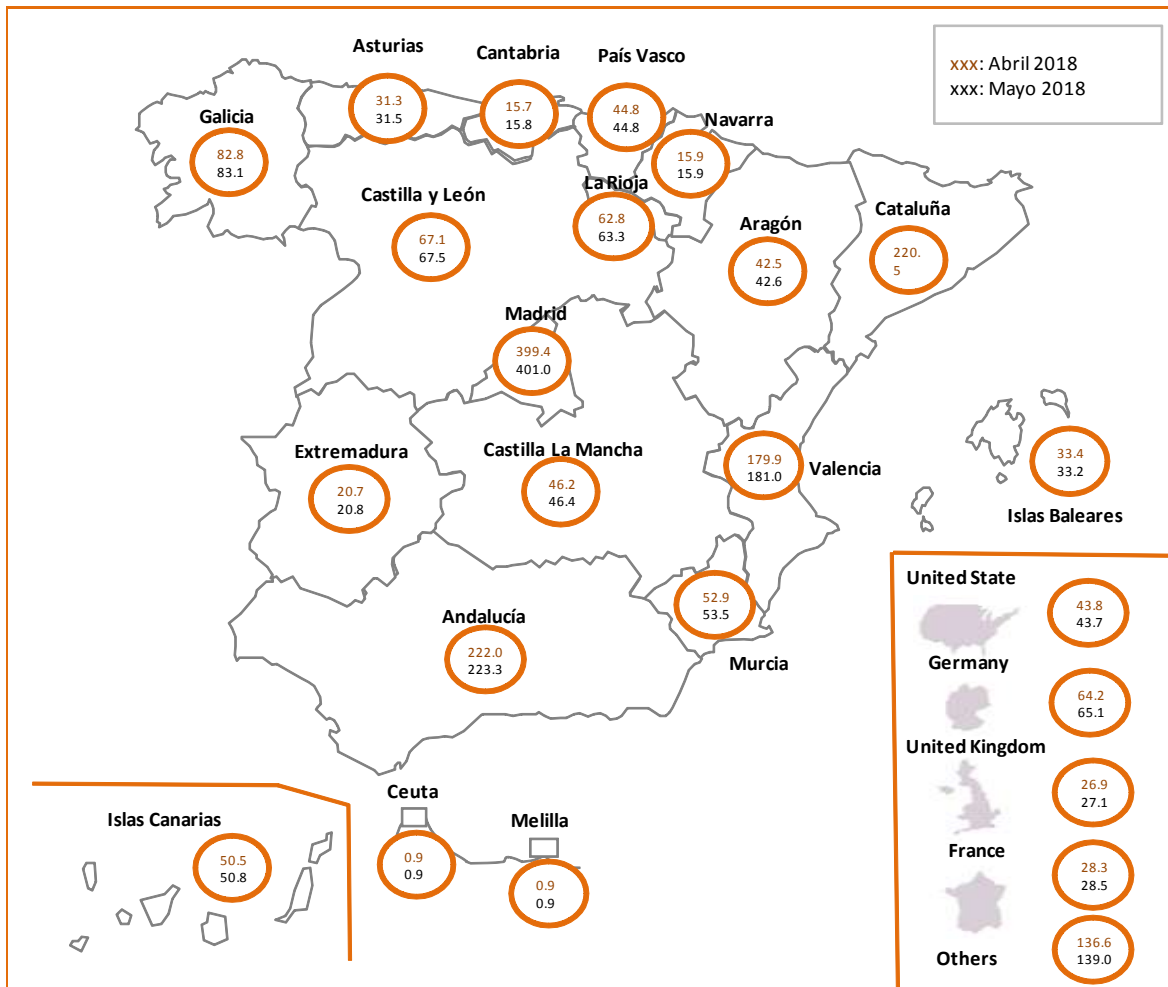


Month	Registrations	Total Cancellations	Cancellations	No renewal
jun-17	33.544	25.918	346	25.572
jul-17	28.916	25.757	516	25.241
ago-17	25.587	23.088	857	22.231
sep-17	29.445	23.219	674	22.545
oct-17	31.062	28.348	807	27.541
nov-17	33.216	33.205	987	32.218
dic-17	27.467	29.449	979	28.470
ene-18	35.571	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
Total cancellations = cancelations + 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.

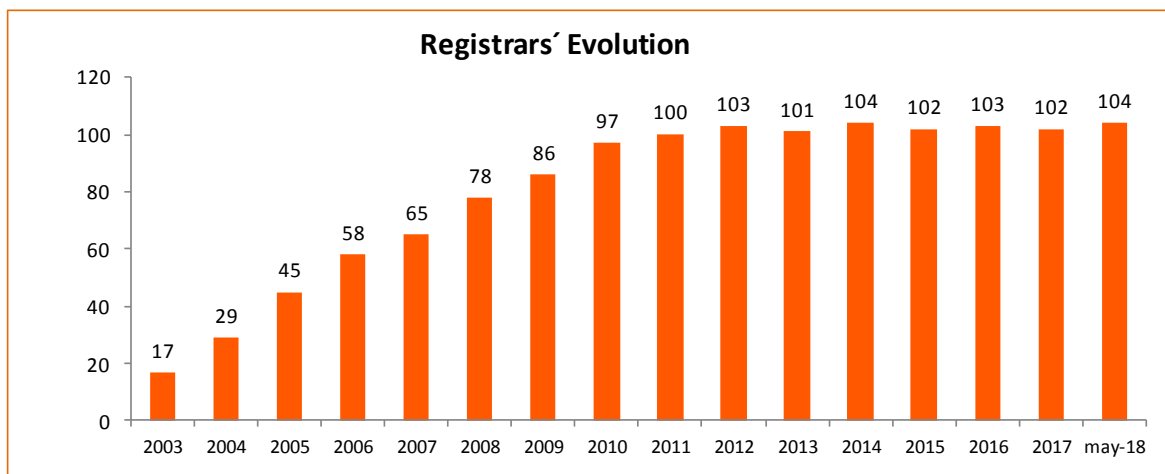
The Community of Madrid and Catalonia show the highest concentrations of active domains because population numbers and economic development of these regions are key for domain acquisition.



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.

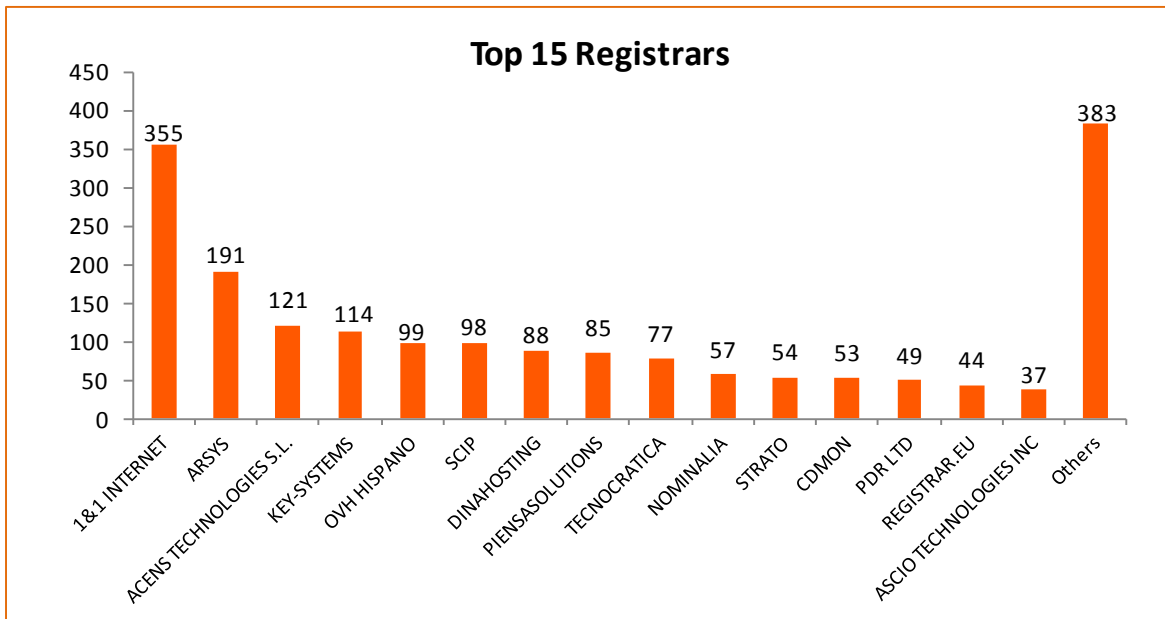


Year	Nr Registrars	Nr of registrars active
2003	17	17
2004	12	29
2005	16	45
2006	13	58
2007	7	65
2008	13	78
2009	8	86
2010	11	97
2011	3	100
2012	3	103
2013	-2	101
2014	3	104
2015	-2	102
May-18	2	104

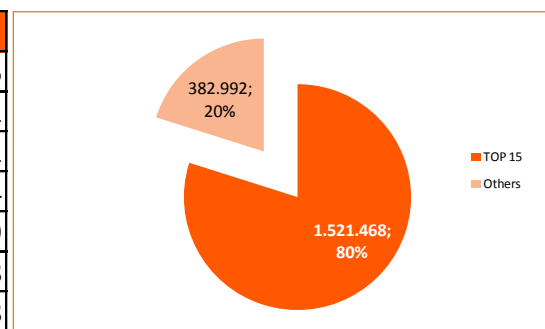
3.2 List and domains per accredited registrar

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	355
ARSYS	191
ACENS TECHNOLOGIES S.L.	121
KEY-SYSTEMS	114
OVH HISPANO	99
SCIP	98
DINAHOSTING	88
PIENSASOLUTIONS	85
TECNOCRATICA	77
NOMINALIA	57
STRATO	54
CDMON	53
PDR LTD	49
REGISTRAR.EU	44
ASCIO TECHNOLOGIES INC	37
Others	383



Data in thousands of domains