

# Public Corporate Entity



red.es

## **“.es” domain statistics** **March 2017**

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## 1 INTRODUCTION

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The purpose of this statistical data report for **March 2017** 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**.

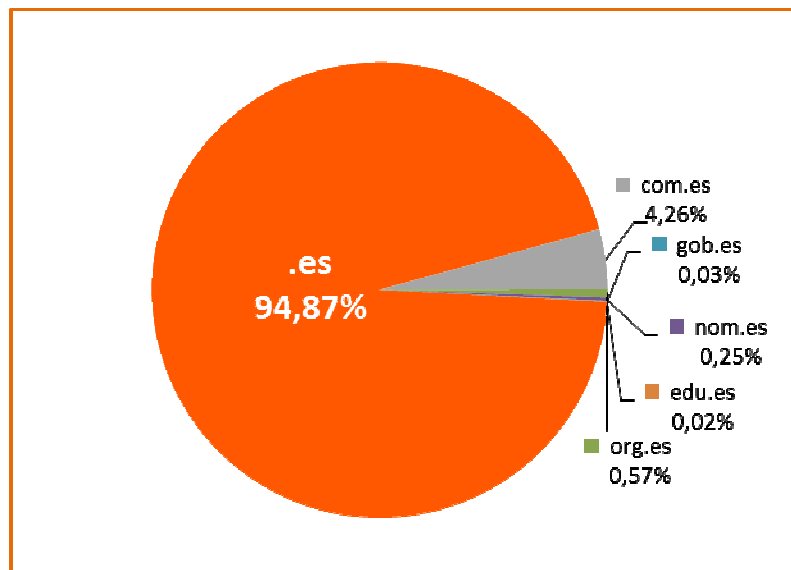
In drawing up this report, we have based our findings on information from the Red.es database.

## 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



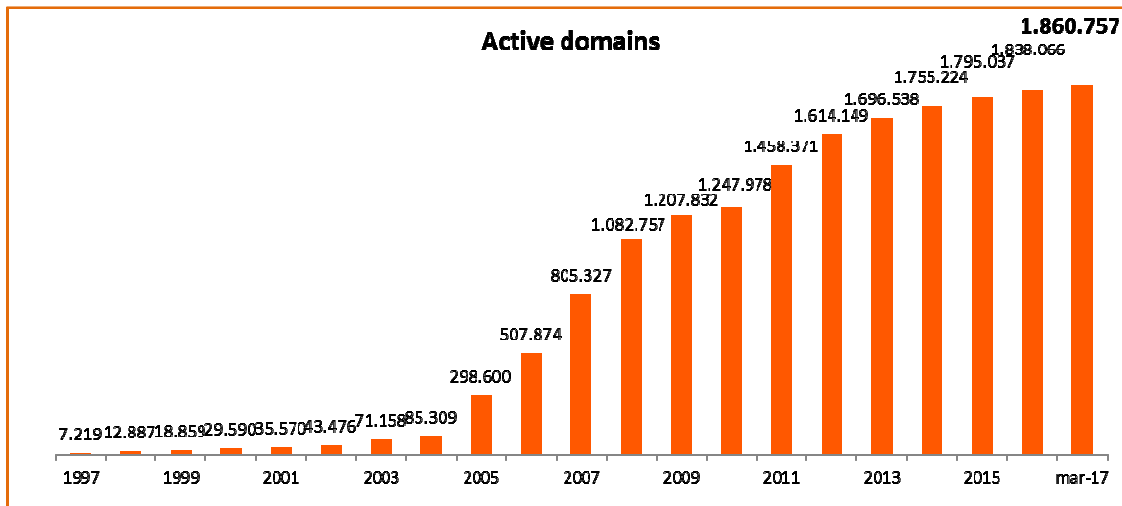
Domains Composition .es	
TLD	Nr of Domains
.es	1.765.251
com.es	79.207
org.es	10.635
nom.es	4.584
gob.es	609
edu.es	436
<b>Total</b>	<b>1.860.722</b>

\* 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

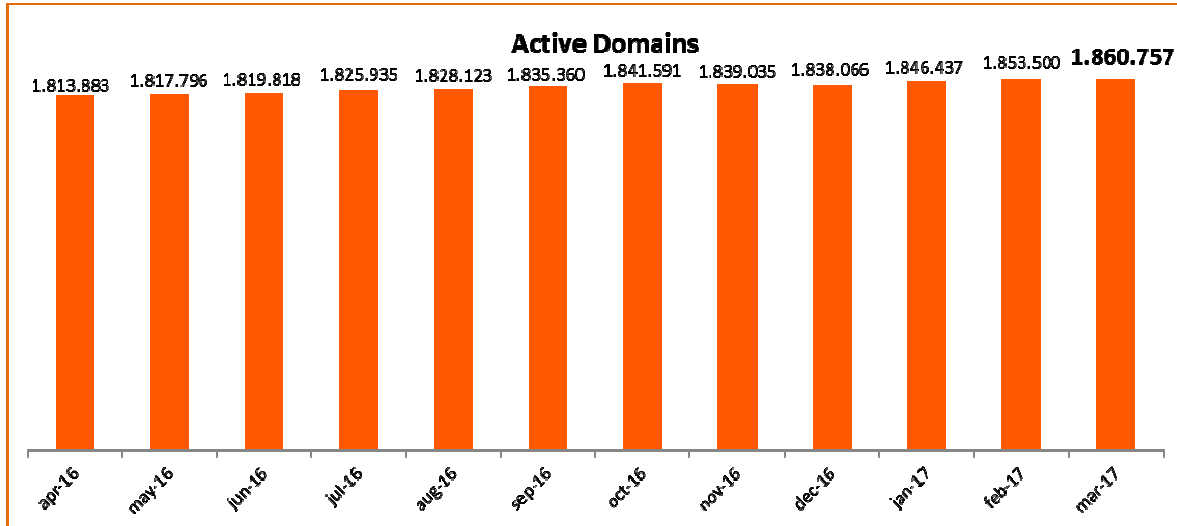
The change over time of the “.es” domain is shown over the long and short terms, showing a clearly growing trend in the number of domains registered in recent years.

### 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
Mar-17	1,860,757

### 2.1.2.2 Annual trend of active domains (last 12 months)

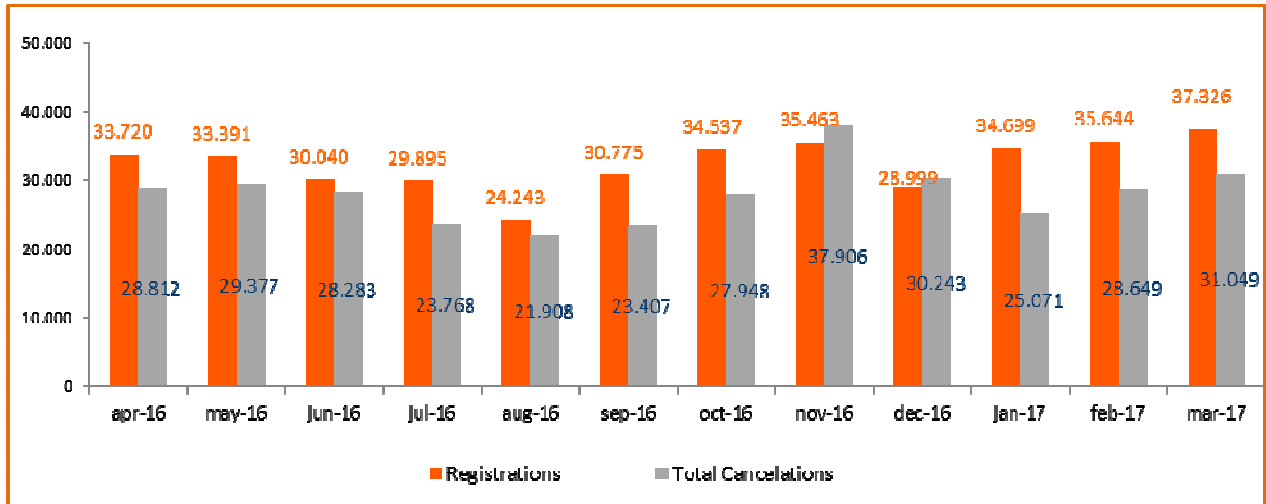


Month	Active Domains
apr-16	1,813,883
may-16	1,817,796
jun-16	1,819,818
jul-16	1,825,935
aug-16	1,828,123
sep-16	1,835,360
oct-16	1,841,591
nov-16	1,839,035
dec-16	1,838,066
jan-17	1,846,437
feb-17	1,853,500
mar-17	1,860,757

### 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.

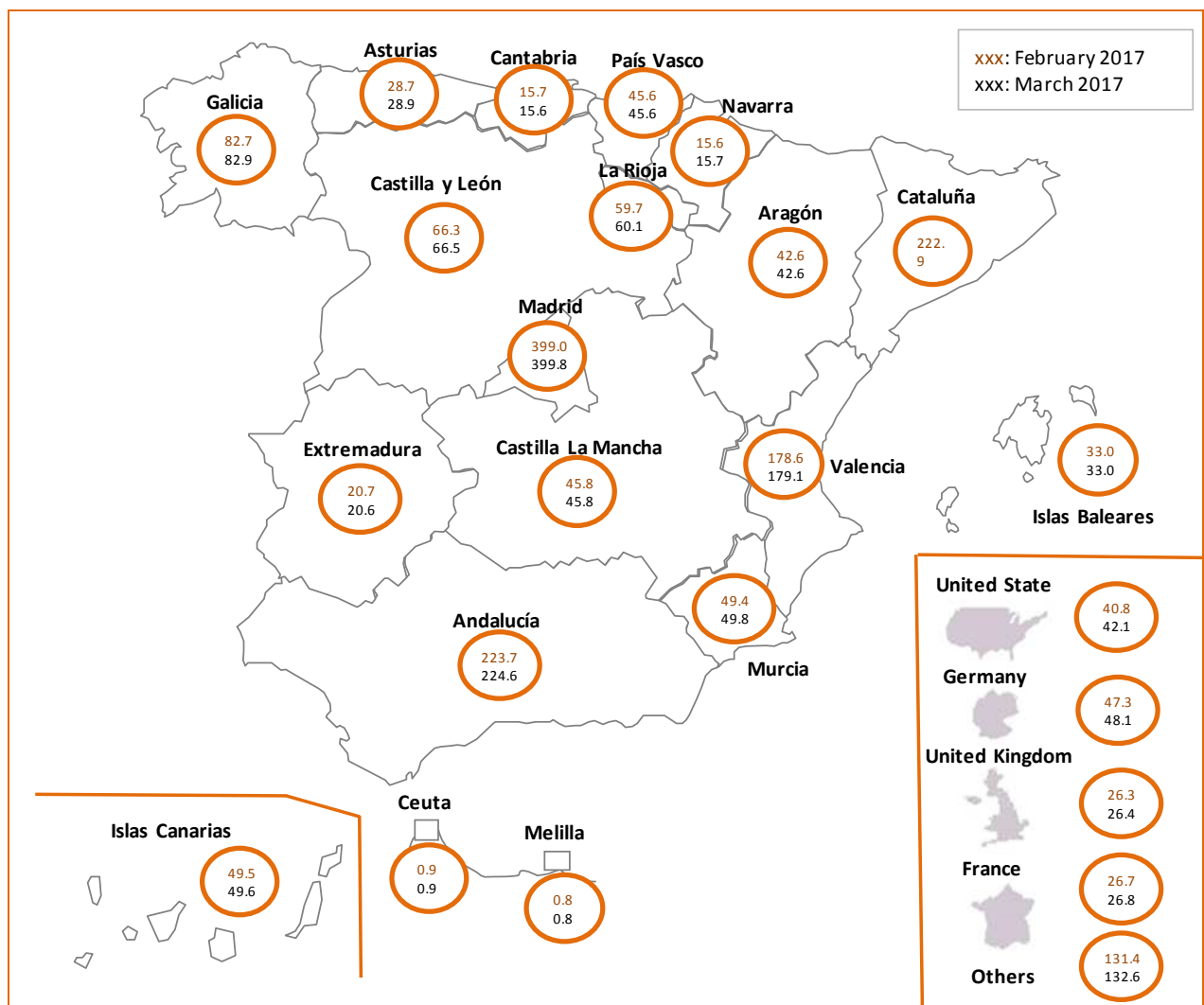


Month	Registrations	Total Cancellations	Cancellations	No renewal
apr-16	33,720	28,812	380	28,432
may-16	33,391	29,377	577	28,800
jun-16	30,040	28,283	532	27,751
jul-16	29,895	23,768	648	23,120
aug-16	24,243	21,908	286	21,622
sep-16	30,775	23,407	258	23,149
oct-16	34,537	27,948	219	27,729
nov-16	35,463	37,906	243	37,663
dec-16	28,999	30,243	301	29,942
jan-17	34,699	25,071	250	24,821
feb-17	35,644	28,649	509	28,140
mar-17	37,326	31,049	340	30,709
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.

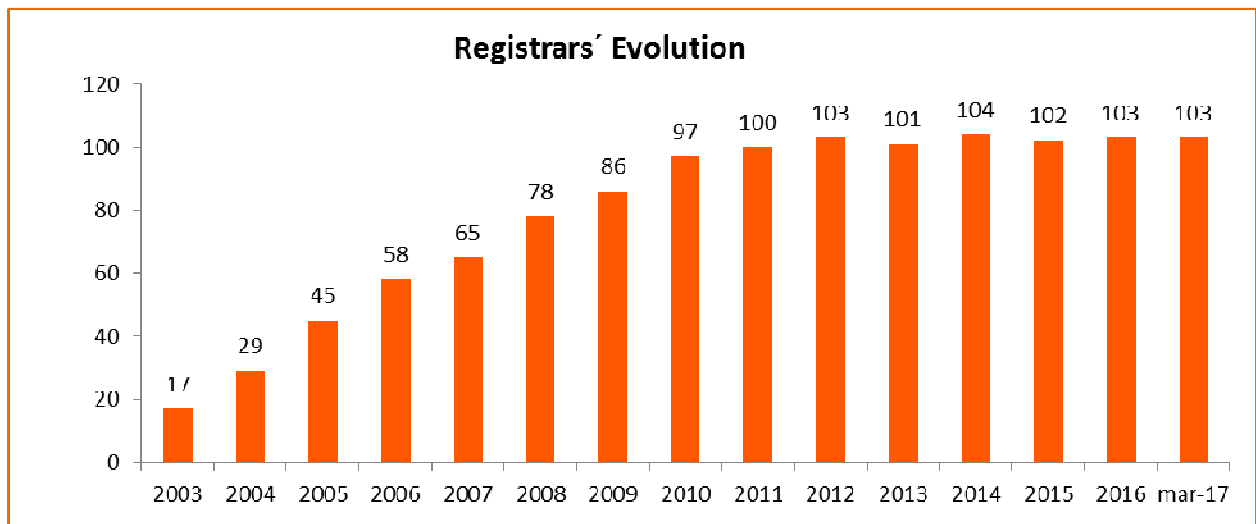




### 3 ACCREDITED REGISTRARS

#### 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.

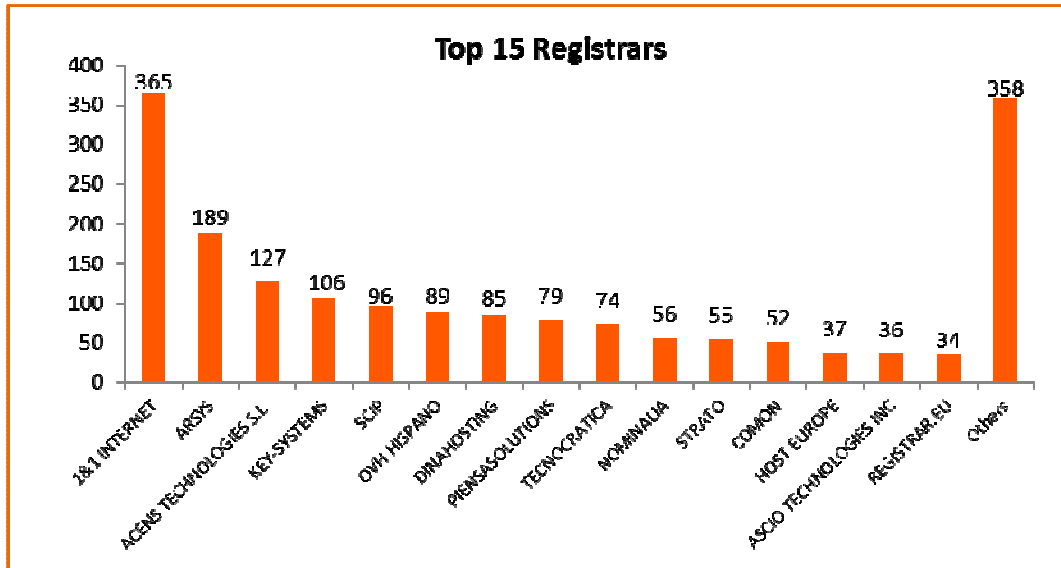


Year	Nr Registrars	Nr of registrars active
2003	17	17
2004	12	29
2005	16	45
2006	13	58
2007	7	65
2008	13	78
2009	8	86
2010	11	97
2011	3	100
2012	3	103
2013	-2	101
2014	3	104
2015	-2	102
2016	1	103
Mar-17	0	103

### 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.



Data in thousands of domains

Domains	Registrars
364,521	1&1 INTERNET
189,037	ARSYS
126,517	ACENS TECHNOLOGIES S.L.
105,791	KEY-SYSTEMS
96,387	SCIP
89,371	OVH HISPANO
85,427	DINAHOSTING
78,949	PIENSASOLUTIONS
73,500	TECNOCRATICA
55,872	NOMINALIA
55,004	STRATO
51,944	CDMON
36,983	HOST EUROPE
35,860	ASCIO TECHNOLOGIES INC
34,346	REGISTRAR.EU
357,981	<b>Others</b>

