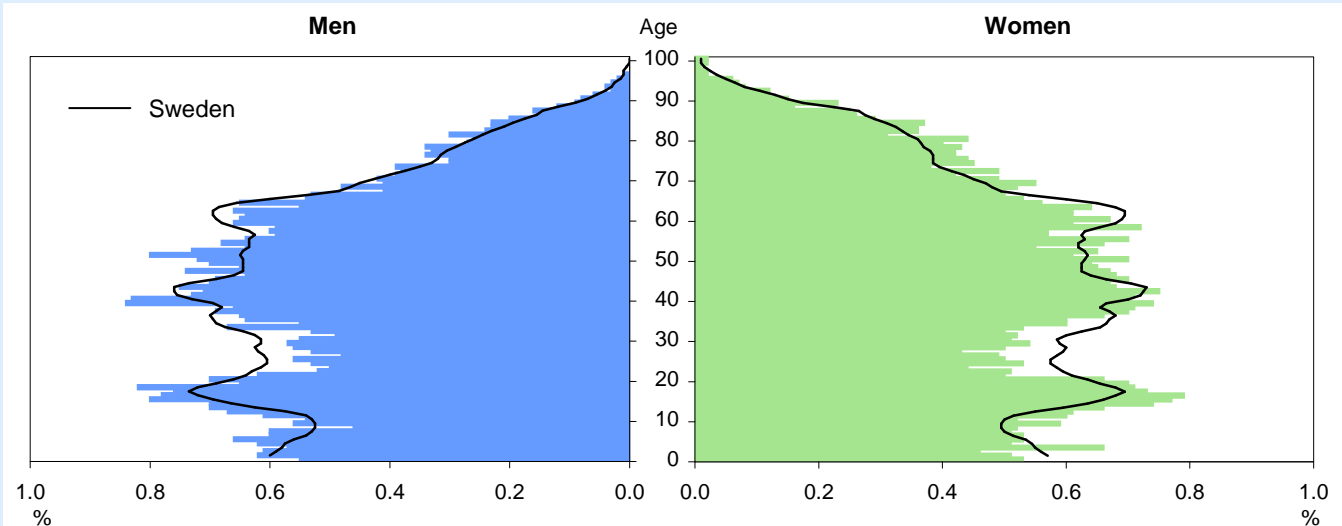


2008 Värnamo Municipal facts

Land area: 1 223 sq km

Inhabitants/sq km: 27

Population by age, 2007



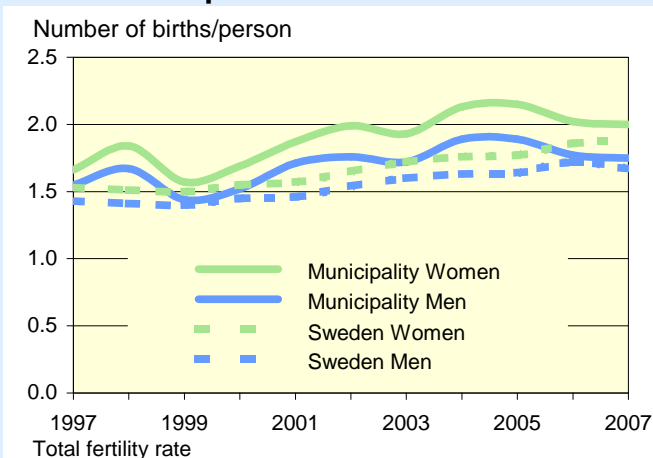
Population by age, 2007

Age	Percentage distribution					
	Municipality			Sweden		
	M	W	Tot	M	W	Tot
0–6	9	7	8	8	8	8
7–15	11	11	11	11	10	10
16–19	6	6	6	6	5	6
20–24	6	5	6	6	6	6
25–44	26	24	25	27	26	27
45–64	27	25	26	26	26	26
65–79	12	14	13	12	13	12
80–	4	7	6	4	7	5
Total, %	100	100	100	100	100	100
Total (thou)	16	17	33	4 564	4 619	9 183

Population trends, 1997–2007

Year (31 Dec.)	Population Number	Excess of births over deaths	Net migration	
			M	W
1997	31 668	-25	78	69
1998	31 983	35	120	100
1999	31 970	-18	19	-10
2000	32 256	-15	139	163
2001	32 275	-20	11	33
2002	32 252	72	-70	-25
2003	32 350	21	56	22
2004	32 464	59	11	45
2005	32 700	43	102	94
2006	32 841	12	75	49
2007	32 930	14	38	34

Live births per woman/man



Migrations, 2007

	Men	Women
In-migration	615	617
within the county	168	186
from another county	327	323
from another country	120	108
Of which, ages 18–24	123	192
Out-migration	577	583
within the county	160	151
to another county	371	401
to another country	46	31
Of which, ages 18–24	159	208
Net migration	38	34

Births and deaths, 2007

Number	Men	Women
Births	182	173
Deaths	163	178

Foreign born, 2007

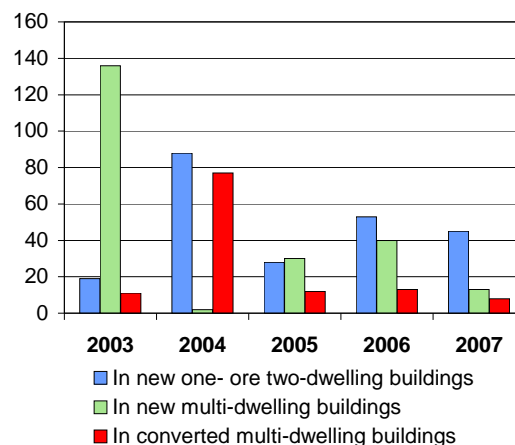
Prop. (%) of all inhabitants	M	W	Tot
Municipality	15	15	15
Sweden	13	14	13

Seats in the Municipal Council

Political party	Number of seats after the election			
	2002		2006	
	Men	Women	Men	Women
Moderate Party	5	2	6	4
Centre Party	8	6	6	4
Liberal Party	2	1	1	1
Christian Democratic Party	4	3	5	2
Green Party	0	1	1	0
Social Democratic Party	9	9	9	10
Left Party	1	0	2	0
Other parties	0	0	0	0
All parties	29	22	30	21

Completed/converted dwellings

Number of dwellings



Population by level of education, 31 December 2007

Level of education	Percentage distribution								
	Municipality			County			Sweden		
	M	W	Tot	M	W	Tot	M	W	Tot
Compulsory schooling	23	17	20	22	16	19	17	13	15
Upper secondary	54	54	54	53	51	52	50	47	48
Post-secondary education	21	28	25	24	32	28	31	39	35
Unknown	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2
Total, %	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Total (1 000)	9	9	19	97	92	189	2 739	2 657	5 396

Refers to age group 20–64

Employed by age group, 2006

	Prop. (%) of all within ages		
	Men	Women	Total
Municipality			
20–24	82	70	76
25–44	92	86	89
45–64	86	84	85
20–64	88	84	86
County			
20–24	74	65	70
25–44	89	83	86
45–64	83	79	81
20–64	85	79	82
Sweden			
20–24	61	57	59
25–44	83	78	81
45–64	78	75	77
20–64	79	75	77

Refers to the night population

Night population:

residing in the municipality, regardless of workplace

Day population (jobs):

working in the municipality, regardless of residence

Employment by sector, 2006

	Night population		Day population	
	Men	Women	Men	Women
Municipality	8 855	7 949	9 083	8 592
Business sector	7 872	4 077	7 995	4 250
Public sector	983	3 872	1 088	4 342
County (1 000)	87	76	88	77
Business sector	75	38	76	38
Public sector	11	38	12	39
Sweden (1 000)	2 235	2 056	2 228	2 053
Business sector	1 889	1 084	1 882	1 082
Public sector	347	971	346	971

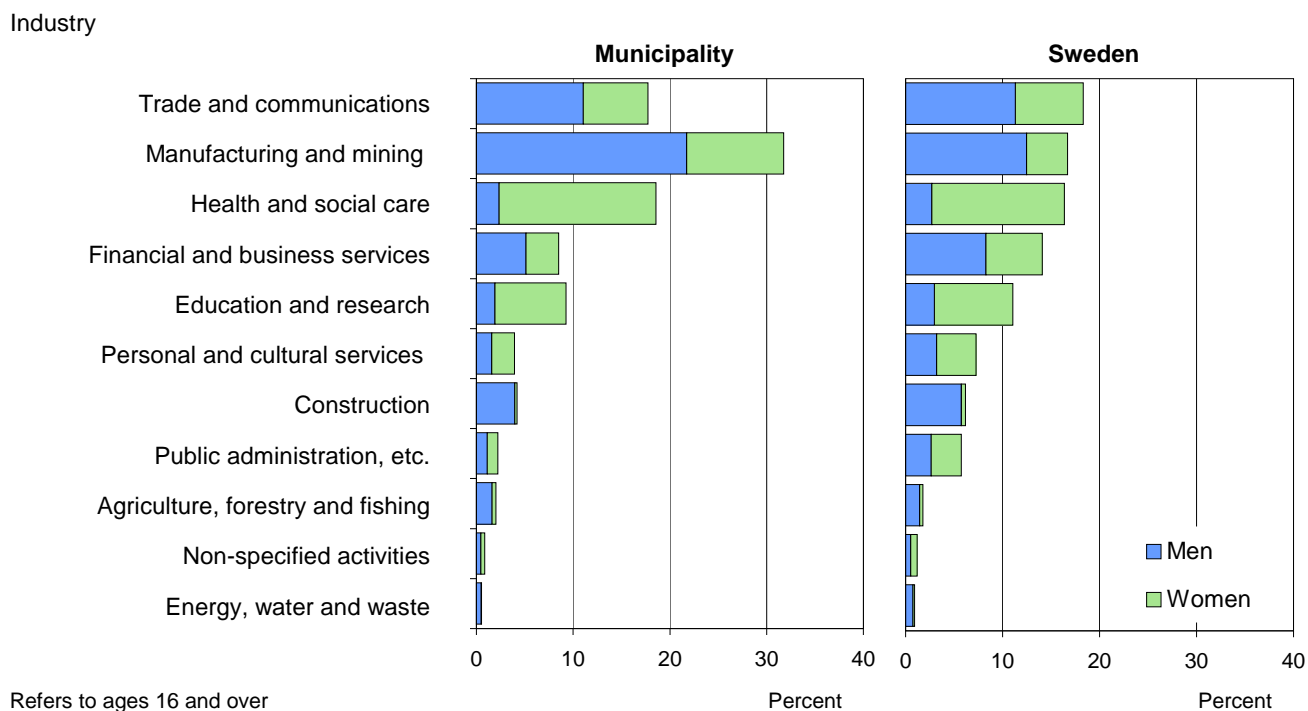
Number of persons ages 16 and over

Commuting, 2006

	Men	Women
Commuting in	1 963	1 553
within the county	1 250	1 121
from another county	713	432
Commuting out	1 735	910
within the county	1 218	657
to another county	517	253
Net commuting	228	643

Number of persons ages 16 and over

Employment by industry, 2006



Self-employed, 2006

	Men		Women	
	Self-empl. in lim.comp.	Self-employed	Self-empl. in lim.comp.	Self-employed
1	84	440	17	172
2-4	172	70	54	30
5-9	135	10	29	5
10-	132	0	25	0
Total	523	520	125	207

Number of persons ages 16 and over

Refers to the day population

Sickness/activity compensation, 2007

	Prop. (%) of all within ages		Total
	Men	Women	
Municipality			
55-59	12	16	14
60-64	18	23	20
20-64	6	9	8
Sweden			
55-59	15	24	20
60-64	23	33	28
20-64	8	12	10

Replace benefits for disability pension and sickness

Job seekers

	Proportion (%) of all within age group								
	Municipality			County			Sweden		
	M	W	Tot	M	W	Tot	M	W	Tot
March, 2007									
Ages 20-64	3	2	3	3	3	3	5	4	5
Unemployed	2	2	2	3	2	2	4	3	3
Labour market progr.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Of which, ages 20-24	3	3	3	5	5	5	8	6	7
Number, ages 20-64	258	221	479	3 169	2 952	6 121	130 216	111 742	241 958
March, 2008									
Ages 20-64	2	2	2	3	3	3	4	4	4
Unemployed	1	2	1	2	2	2	3	2	3
Labour market progr.	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
Of which, ages 20-24	2	3	3	4	4	4	6	5	6
Number, ages 20-64	171	185	356	2 592	2 386	4 978	109 548	96 220	205 768

Employment and employed, 2006 – Total

Industry	Day population				Night population			
	Municipality	County	Sweden	Municipality	County	Sweden		
	Number	%	%	%	Number	%	%	%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	362	2	2	2	349	2	2	2
Manufacturing and mining	5 620	32	28	17	5 708	34	28	17
Energy, water and waste	102	1	1	1	90	1	1	1
Construction	751	4	5	6	771	5	5	6
Trade and communications	3 142	18	18	18	2 884	17	18	19
Financial and business services	1 506	9	8	14	1 419	8	8	14
Education and research	1 642	9	10	11	1 535	9	10	11
Health and social care	3 289	19	17	16	2 810	17	17	16
Personal and cultural services	703	4	5	7	690	4	5	7
Public administration, etc.	400	2	4	6	393	2	4	6
Non-specified activities	158	1	1	1	155	1	1	1
Total	17 675	100	100	100	16 804	100	100	100
Refers to ages 16 and over								

Employment and employed, 2006 – Men

Industry	Day population				Night population			
	Municipality	County	Sweden	Municipality	County	Sweden		
	Number	%	%	%	Number	%	%	%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	289	3	3	3	279	3	3	3
Manufacturing and mining	3 841	42	38	24	3 937	44	38	24
Energy, water and waste	85	1	1	1	73	1	1	1
Construction	703	8	9	11	717	8	9	11
Trade and communications	1 953	22	21	22	1 784	20	22	22
Financial and business services	907	10	9	16	868	10	9	16
Education and research	338	4	4	6	294	3	4	6
Health and social care	413	5	5	5	359	4	4	5
Personal and cultural services	279	3	4	6	283	3	4	6
Public administration, etc.	196	2	4	5	181	2	4	5
Non-specified activities	79	1	1	1	80	1	1	1
Total	9 083	100	100	100	8 855	100	100	100
Refers to ages 16 and over								

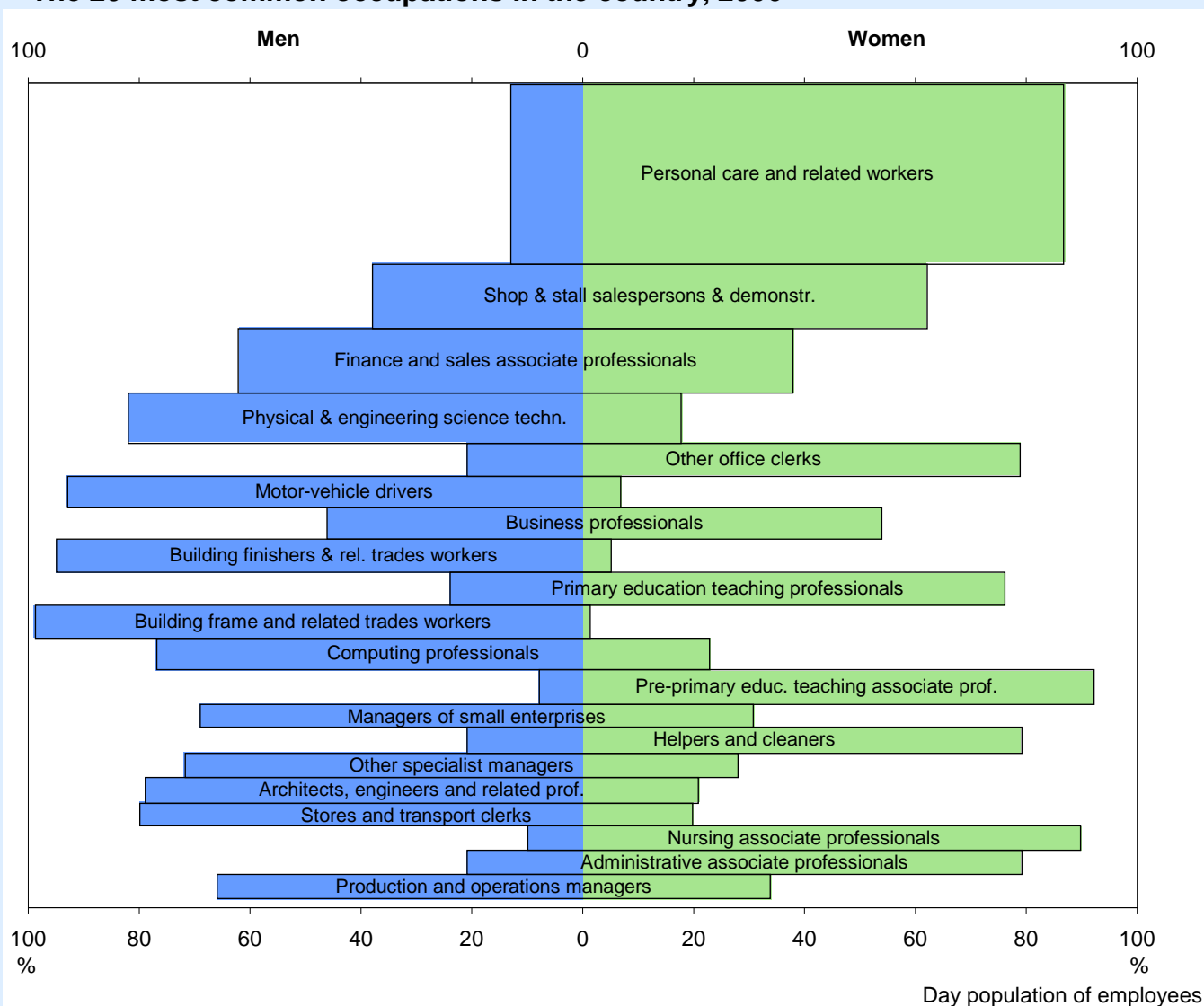
Employment and employed, 2006 – Women

Industry	Day population				Night population			
	Municipality	County	Sweden	Municipality	County	Sweden		
	Number	%	%	%	Number	%	%	%
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	73	1	1	1	70	1	1	1
Manufacturing and mining	1 779	21	17	9	1 771	22	17	9
Energy, water and waste	17	0	0	0	17	0	0	0
Construction	48	1	1	1	54	1	1	1
Trade and communications	1 189	14	14	15	1 100	14	14	15
Financial and business services	599	7	7	12	551	7	7	12
Education and research	1 304	15	16	17	1 241	16	16	17
Health and social care	2 876	33	32	29	2 451	31	32	29
Personal and cultural services	424	5	7	9	407	5	7	9
Public administration, etc.	204	2	5	7	212	3	5	7
Non-specified activities	79	1	1	1	75	1	1	1
Total	8 592	100	100	100	7 949	100	100	100
Refers to ages 16 and over								

The 20 most common occupations in the municipality, 2006

Day population of employees	Number		Perc.distr.			Sex distr. (%)	
	Men	Women	M	W	Tot	M	W
Personal care and related workers	132	1 875	2	23	12	7	93
Rubber- and plastic-products machine op.	544	367	6	4	5	60	40
Finance and sales associate professionals	465	249	6	3	4	65	35
Metal- & mineral-products machine op.	589	97	7	1	4	86	14
Shop & stall salespersons & demonstr.	228	418	3	5	4	35	65
Assemblers	206	256	2	3	3	45	55
Physical & engineering science techn.	401	40	5	0	3	91	9
Motor-vehicle drivers	389	31	5	0	3	93	7
Nursing associate professionals	35	365	0	4	2	9	91
Other office clerks	73	314	1	4	2	19	81
Manufacturing labourers	171	201	2	2	2	46	54
Pre-primary educ. teaching associate prof.	32	333	0	4	2	9	91
Building finishers & rel. trades workers	333	17	4	0	2	95	5
Stores and transport clerks	269	80	3	1	2	77	23
Primary education teaching professionals	70	252	1	3	2	22	78
Helpers and cleaners	30	266	0	3	2	10	90
Managers of small enterprises	232	55	3	1	2	81	19
Sec. education teaching professionals	132	154	2	2	2	46	54
Other specialist managers	223	45	3	1	2	83	17
Production and operations managers	195	52	2	1	1	79	21
Total 20 occupations	4 749	5 467	57	66	61	46	54
All occupations	8 370	8 242	100	100	100	50	50

The 20 most common occupations in the country, 2006



Child care, 2007

Enrollment	Municipality		Sweden
	Number	%	%
Pre-school, 1-5	1 609	85	80
Leisure time centre, 6-12	1 290	50	48
Family day care unit, 1-5	35	2	5
6-12	2	0	0
Pre-school class, age 6	368	100	96
Proportion (%) of all within age group			

Elder care, 2006

	Prop. (%) of all within group			
	Municipality		Sweden	
	M	W	M	W
Home-help services	14	17	16	24
Special housing	30	13	12	19
Transport service	21	39	29	45
Refers to ages 80 and over				

Total income, 2006

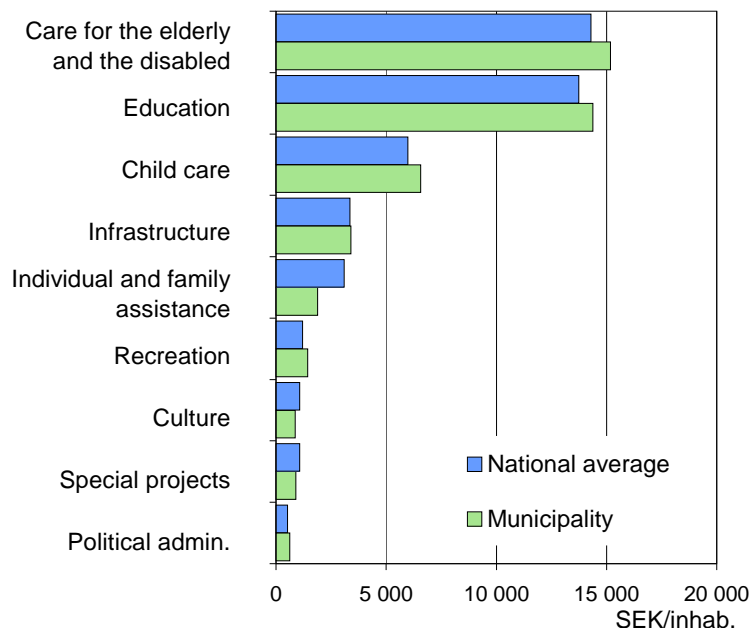
	SEK thousand		
	Men	Women	Total
Average income			
Municipality	286	207	248
County	274	198	237
Sweden	277	206	242
Median income			
Municipality	273	211	240
County	266	202	233
Sweden	261	205	230

Income from employ. and business, age gr. 20-64

Social assistance, 2006

Type of household	Recipient households		Sweden
	Municipality	%	
	Number	%	%
Cohabiting			
without children	56	11	6
with children	87	18	12
Single men			
without children	168	34	40
with children	8	2	3
Single women			
without children	109	22	24
with children	60	12	15
Total	488	100	100

Expenditures SEK, per inhabitant, 2006



Local taxes, 2008

Municipality	
Total local tax rate	31.75
of wich to municipality	21.08
Tax base, SEK/inhab.	154 055
Tax base, index	98

County average	
Total local tax rate	31.92
of wich to municipality	21.25
Tax base, SEK/inhab.	148 893
Tax base, index	94

National average	
Total local tax rate	31.44
of wich to municipality	20.71
Tax base, SEK/inhab.	157 764
Tax base, index	100

Index, Sweden = 100