

# Finnish Museum Statistics: Figures 2019

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## Museum

In the Museum Statistics, a museum refers to an administrative unit that includes one or more museum sites.

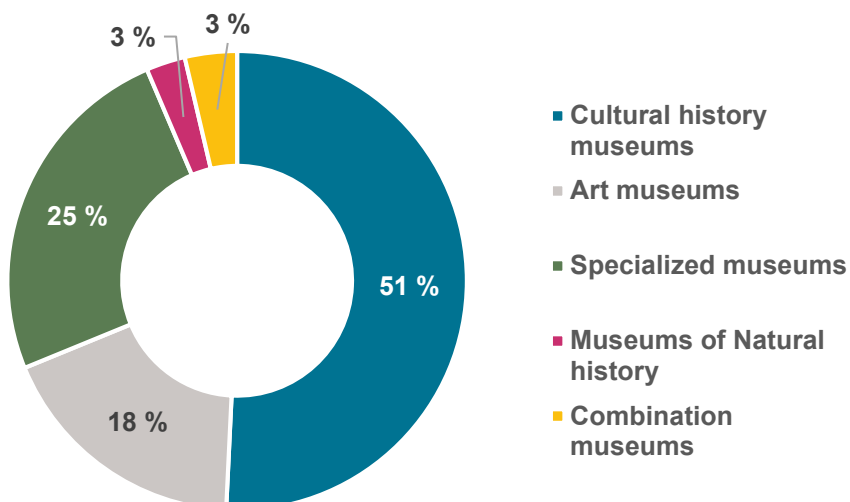
## Museum site

A museum site refers to a single site that is regularly open to the public. One museum may manage several museum sites. The information in the Museum Statistics applies mainly to museums. Only the information on visits and opening hours is also available by museum site.

The museum statistics 2019 cover 153 professionally managed museums (administrative units) maintaining 327 museum sites.

[Museum Statistics 2019](#), The Finnish Heritage Agency.

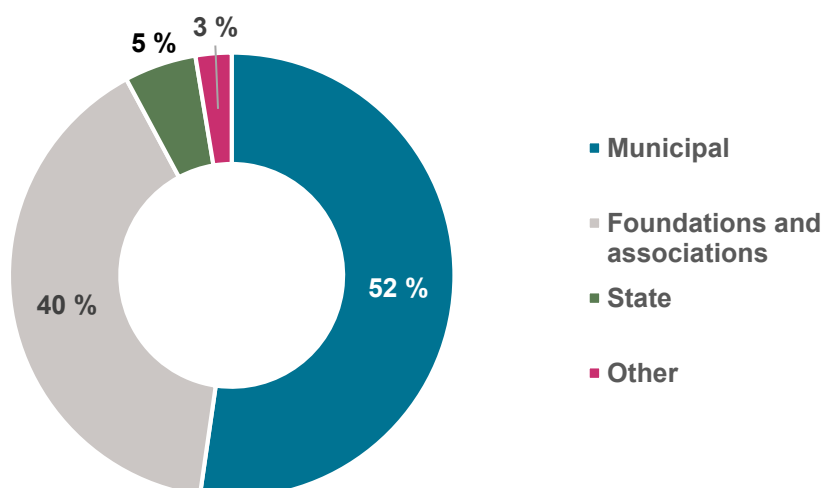
**Figure 1: Share of museum sites by museum type 2019**



**Table 1: Share of museum sites by museum type 2019**

Museum type	Museum sites
Cultural history museums	166
Art museums	59
Specialized museums	81
Museums of Natural history	9
Combination museums	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>327</b>

**Figure 2: Museum ownership 2019**

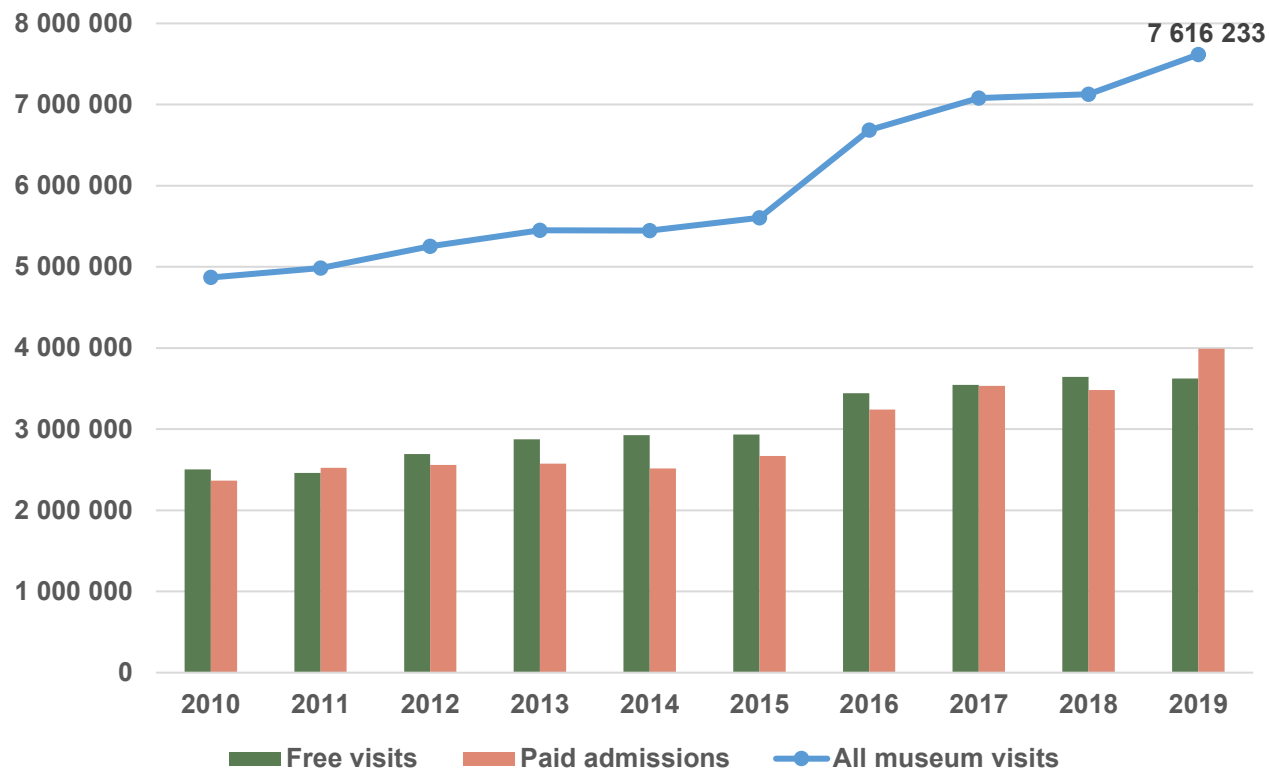


**Table 2: Museum ownership 2019**

Ownership	Museums
Municipal	80
Foundations and associations	61
State	8

Ownership	Museums
Other	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>153</b>

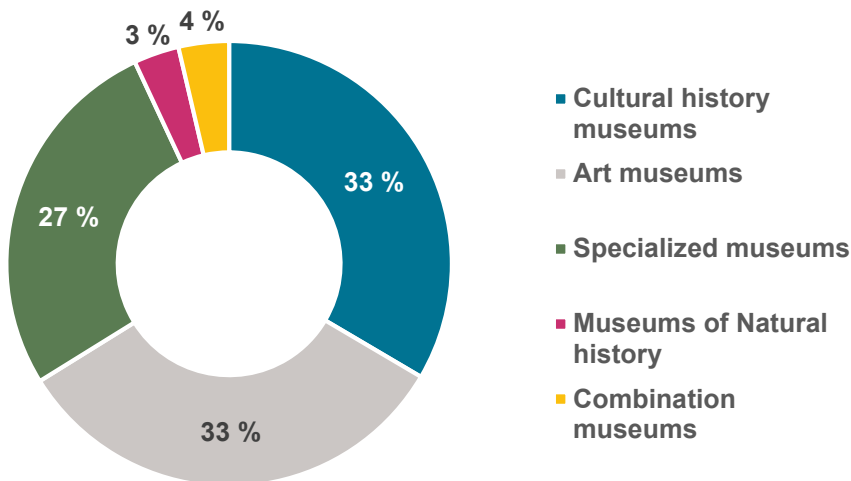
**Figure 3: Museum visits 2010–2019**



**Table 3: Museum visits 2010–2019**

Year	Paid admissions	Free visits	All museum visits
2010	2 366 057	2 502 978	4 869 035
2011	2 525 187	2 460 230	4 985 417
2012	2 560 461	2 693 710	5 254 171
2013	2 575 893	2 875 742	5 451 635
2014	2 517 475	2 927 993	5 445 468
2015	2 669 530	2 935 844	5 605 374
2016	3 243 726	3 443 343	6 687 069
2017	3 534 578	3 545 341	7 079 919
2018	3 483 325	3 644 188	7 127 513
2019	3 992 433	3 623 800	7 616 233

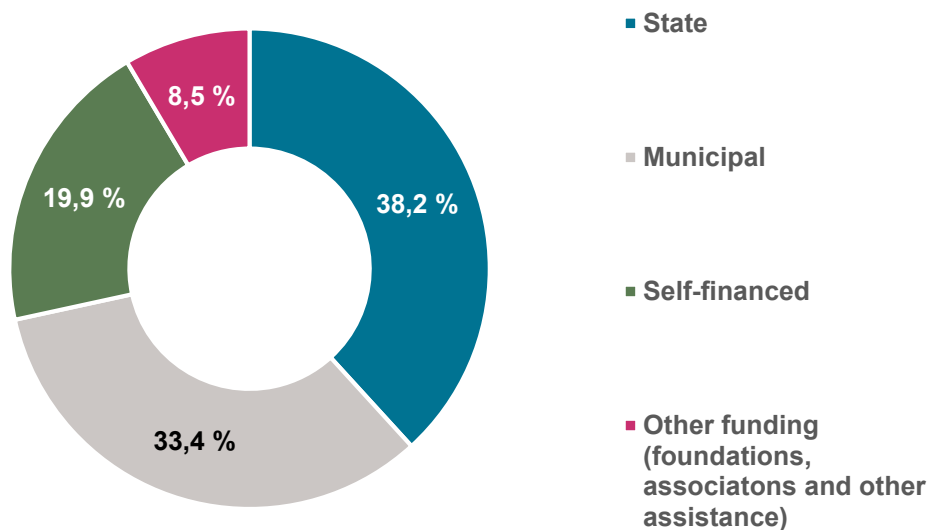
**Figure 4: Museum visits by museum type 2019 (museum sites)**



**Table 4: Museum visits by museum type 2019 (museum sites)**

Museum visits by museum type 2019 (museum sites)	Visits
Cultural history museums	2 549 700
Art museums	2 490 053
Specialized museums	2 046 532
Museums of Natural history	251 001
Combination museums	278 947
<b>Total</b>	<b>7 616 233</b>

**Figure 5: Museum funding 2019**

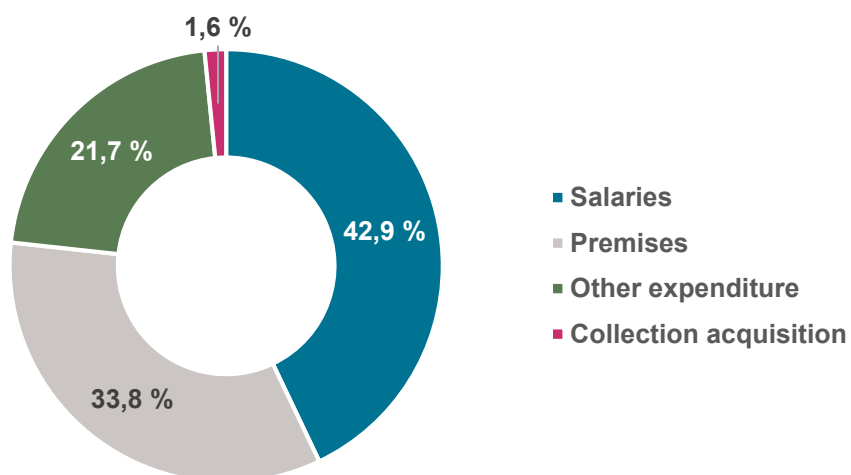


**Table 5: Museum funding 2019**

Museum funding 2019	Euros
State	101 312 400
Municipal	88 437 121

Museum funding 2019	Euros
Self-financed	52 737 551
Other funding (foundations, associations and other assistance)	22 565 535
<b>Total</b>	<b>265 052 607</b>

**Figure 6: Museum Expenditure 2019**



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Museum expenditure 2019	Euros
Salaries	113 778 909
Premises	89 577 054
Other expenditure	57 453 112
Collection acquisition	4 243 532
<b>Total</b>	<b>265 052 607</b>

Figure 7: Museum Staffing in person years 2015–2019

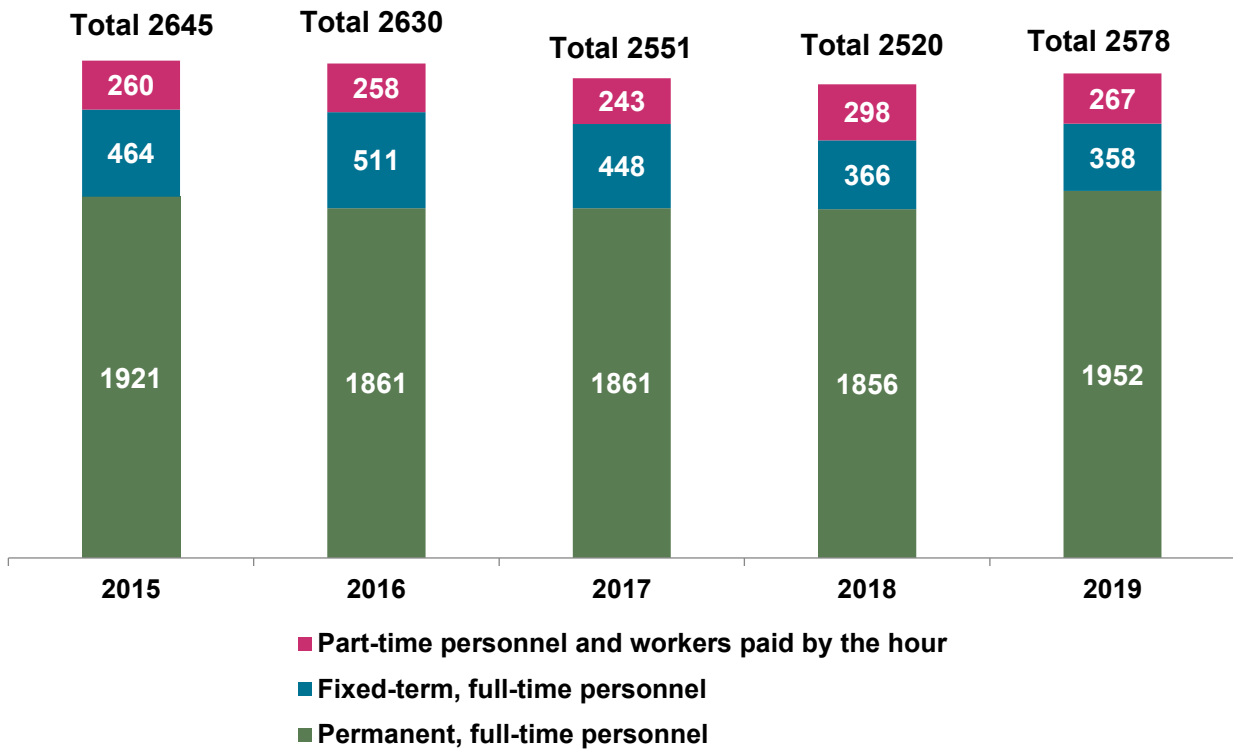
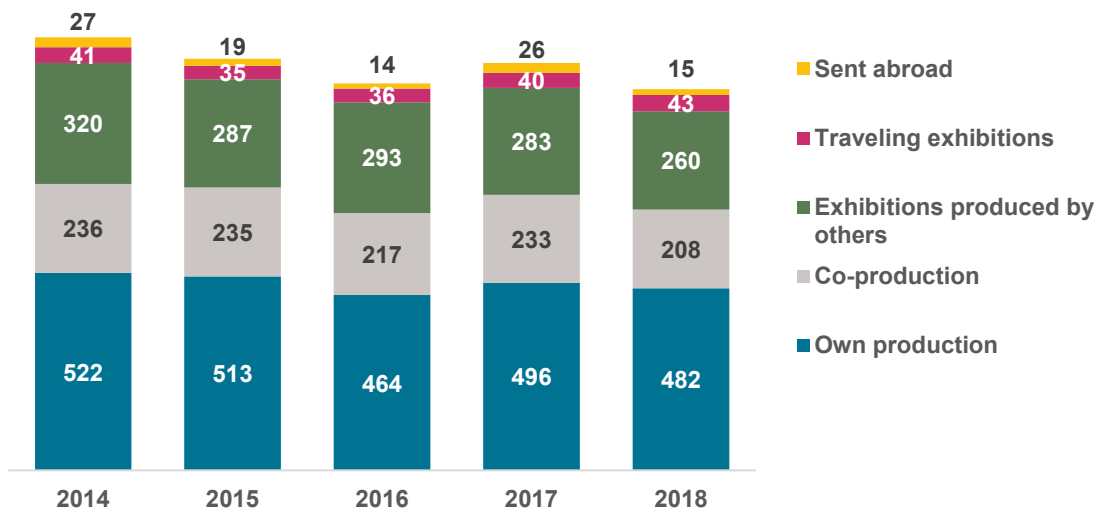


Table 7: Museum Staffing in person years 2015–2019

Year	Total person years	Permanent, full-time personnel	Fixed-term, full-time personnel	Part-time personnel and workers paid by the hour
2015	2645	1921	464	260
2016	2630	1861	511	258
2017	2551	1861	448	243
2018	2520	1856	366	298
2019	2578	1952	358	267

Figure 8: Number of new exhibitions in museums 2015–2019



**Table 8: Number of new exhibitions in museums 2015–2019**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Own production</b>	<b>Co-production</b>	<b>Exhibitions produced by others</b>	<b>Traveling exhibitions</b>	<b>Sent abroad</b>
<b>2013</b>	511	258	306	25	32
<b>2014</b>	522	236	320	41	27
<b>2015</b>	513	235	287	35	19
<b>2016</b>	464	217	293	36	14
<b>2017</b>	496	233	283	40	26
<b>2018</b>	482	208	260	43	15
<b>2019</b>	484	220	249	32	19



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