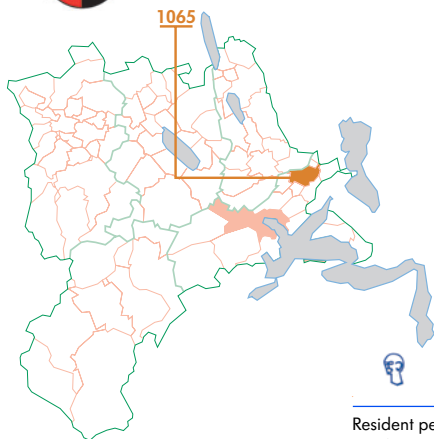




Root



Municipality of Root

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Abbreviations

Inh.: Inhabitant(s)
 asl: above sea level
 pts.: points
 SFr.: Swiss Francs

Political parties

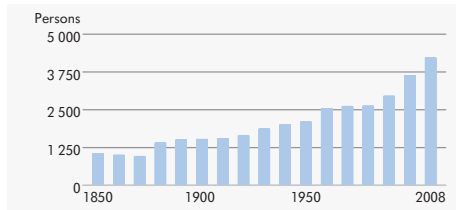
CVP, JCVP: Christian Democratic Party
 SVP, JSVP: Swiss People's Party
 AS: Active Senior Citizens
 Green, JG: Green Party
 FDP: Free Democratic Party
 60plus: 60plus
 SP: Social Democratic Party

Schoolhouse St. Martin



Population

Resident permanent pop., end of 2008	4 211
Age groups	
0 - 19 years	25,1 %
20 - 64 years	63,3 %
65 - 79 years	8,4 %
80+ years	3,1 %
Share of foreigners	22,7 %
Foreigners by nationality	
Germany	10,8 %
Italy	8,0 %
Spain	1,3 %
Portugal	9,7 %
Serbia and Montenegro	24,8 %
Turkey	4,1 %
Other European countries	33,8 %
Other nationalities	7,5 %
Population growth (over 10-year period)	20,1 %
Birth surplus (over 10-year period)	212 Persons
Net migration (over 10-year period)	497 Persons
Population density 2008	487 Inh./km²
Private households 2000	1 432
of which: Single-person households	29,8 %



Territory and environment

Elevation (Median)	449 asl
Surface area (Cadastral surveying, incl. lakes)	8,65 km²
Surface area (Area statistics, excl. lakes) 2006/07	8,66 km²
Settlement area	20,1 %
Agricultural area	48,4 %
Forests and copses	26,7 %
Unproductive area	4,6 %
Building zone (excl. public purpose) 2006	175 ha



Employment and income

Employed persons 2000	1 951
Activity rate 2000	56,2 %
Inbound commuters 2000	1 312
from Luzern	18,1 %
Ebikon	11,9 %
Buchrain	11,3 %
Emmen	5,9 %
Canton of Zug	7,2 %
Canton of Aargau	6,0 %
Outbound commuters 2000	1 218
to Luzern	25,9 %
Ebikon	10,3 %
Dierikon	4,7 %
Emmen	3,4 %
Canton of Zug	22,7 %
Canton of Zurich	7,0 %
Part of commuters using public transport (modal split) 2000	25,9 %
Unemployment rate, june 2009	3,1 %
Jobs (filled) 2008	3 098
Primary sector	2,4 %
Secondary sector	52,1 %
Tertiary sector	45,5 %
Agricultural establishments 2008	27



Construction and housing

Number of dwellings, end of 2008	1 810
Size of dwelling:	
1 to 2 rooms	11,2 %
3 to 4 rooms	62,5 %
5+ rooms	26,2 %
Rental fee for 4-room flat 2000	1 122 SFr./month
Homeownership ratio 2000	28,2 %
Newly built dwellings (in the last 10 yrs.)	293
of which: single-family homes	78
Part of vacant dwellings 2009	0,66 %



Education

Resident pupils/students going to school in the canton of Lucerne 2008/2009	
Pre-school(kindergarten)	61
Primary education	358
Secondary education (incl. lower grade gymnasium)	170
Education level of the resident population aged 15+ (2000)	
Compulsory education	26,3 %
Vocational education	40,6 %
Matura school, Teaching education	4,3 %
Higher vocational education	9,4 %
University, college of appl. sciences	2,3 %
Unclassified levels, non, not declared	17,2 %



Culture

Denominational affiliation of the resident population 2000	
Roman Catholic	67,2 %
Protestant	9,2 %
Christian Catholic	0,2 %
Islamic	12,4 %
Other, non-denominational	11,0 %



Politics

Party strength at Cantonal Council election 2007			
CVP, JCVP	42,5 %	FDP, 60plus	16,0 %
SVP, JSVP, AS	24,0 %	SP	8,4 %
Green, JG	4,6 %	Other	4,4 %



Public finances

Municipal tax rate 2009	1,8500 units
Total (incl. cantonal tax) rom.-cath.	3,5900 units
Total (incl. cantonal tax) protestant	3,6000 units
Financial capacity 2005/2007	
Relative fiscal capacity	1 648 SFr./Inh.
Ind. of rel. fiscal capacity (Ct.LU=100)	109 pts.
Resource potential	3 593 SFr./Inh.
Resource index (Ct. LU=100)	113 pts.
Financial equalization (FE) 2010	
Equalization of resources	— 1000 SFr.
Equalization of burdens	155,4 1000 SFr.
Contribution to horizontal FE	265,8 1000 SFr.
Municipal accounts 2008	
Self-financing ratio (over 5 years)	144,2 %
Interest burden ratio I	0,7 %
Net debt per inhabitant	-414 SFr./Inh.
Net debit per inhabitant, by governmental tasks 2008	
General administration	447 SFr./Inh.
Public security	62 SFr./Inh.
Education	1 361 SFr./Inh.
Culture and leisure	82 SFr./Inh.
Health	57 SFr./Inh.
Social welfare	1 059 SFr./Inh.
Transportation	220 SFr./Inh.
Environment and spatial planning	30 SFr./Inh.