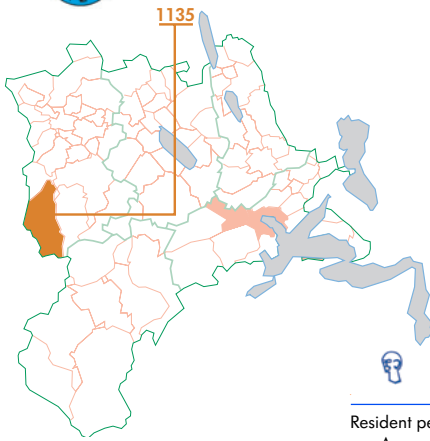




Luthern



Municipality of Luthern

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Abbreviations

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

Political parties

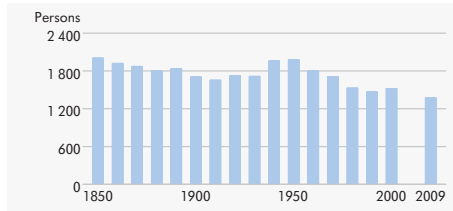
CVP, JCVP: Christian Democratic Party
SVP, JSVP: Swiss People's Party
AS: Active Senior Citizens
Green, JG: Green Party
FDP: Free Democratic Party
60plus: 60plus
SP: Social Democratic Party

Town hall
„Wölfen“



Population

Resident permanent pop., end of 2009	1 373
Age groups	
0 - 19 years	27,2 %
20 - 64 years	55,4 %
65 - 79 years	12,1 %
80+ years	5,4 %
Share of foreigners	2,3 %
Foreigners by nationality	
Germany	37,5 %
Italy	3,1 %
Portugal	28,1 %
Serbia and Montenegro	21,9 %
Other European countries	9,4 %
Population growth (over 10-year period)	-13,3 %
Birth surplus (over 10-year period)	3 Persons
Net migration (over 10-year period)	-215 Persons
Population density 2009	36 Inh./km²
Private households 2000	438
of which: Single-person households	19,2 %



Territory and environment

Elevation (Median)	889 asl
Surface area (Cadastral surveying, incl. lakes)	37,76 km²
Surface area (Area statistics, excl. lakes) 2006/07	37,85 km²
Settlement area	3,8 %
Agricultural area	48,3 %
Forests and copses	46,5 %
Unproductive area	1,3 %
Building zone (excl. public purpose) 2006	20 ha

Employment and income

Employed persons 2000	736
Activity rate 2000	49,4 %
Inbound commuters 2000	98
from Hergiswil bei Willisau	26,5 %
Willisau	18,4 %
Ufhusen	10,2 %
Canton of Bern	10,2 %
Outbound commuters 2000 to Zell LU	22,6 %
Willisau	8,9 %
Hergiswil bei Willisau	7,2 %
Ufhusen	5,5 %
Luzern	5,1 %
Canton of Bern	8,1 %
Part of commuters using public transport (modal split) 2000	0,4 %
Unemployment rate, june 2010	0,4 %
Jobs (filled) 2008	738
Primary sector	46,7 %
Secondary sector	21,7 %
Tertiary sector	31,6 %
Agricultural establishments 2008	129

Construction and housing

Number of dwellings, end of 2009	518
Size of dwelling:	
1 to 2 rooms	10,0 %
3 to 4 rooms	45,4 %
5+ rooms	44,6 %
Rental fee for 4-room flat 2000	803 SFr./month
Homeownership ratio 2000	55,1 %
Newly built dwellings (in the last 10 yrs.) of which: single-family homes	39
Part of vacant dwellings 2010	0,97 %

Education

Resident pupils/students going to school in the canton of Lucerne 2009/2010	
Pre-school(kindergarten)	20
Primary education	109
Secondary education (incl. lower grade gymnasium)	65
Education level of the resident population aged 15+ (2000)	
Compulsory education	34,6 %
Vocational education	32,1 %
Matura school, Teaching education	1,9 %
Higher vocational education	5,8 %
University, college of appl. sciences	0,4 %
Unclassified levels, non, not declared	25,2 %

Culture

Denominational affiliation of the resident population 2000	
Roman Catholic	83,1 %
Protestant	11,4 %
Christian Catholic	0,5 %
Islamic	0,3 %
Other, non-denominational	4,7 %

Politics

Party strength at Cantonal Council election 2007			
CVP, JCVP	76,7 %	FDP, 60plus	9,9 %
SVP, JSVP, AS	10,6 %	SP	0,6 %
Green, JG	1,8 %	Other	0,4 %

Public finances

Municipal tax rate 2010	2,4000 units
Total (incl. cantonal tax) rom.-cath.	4,3500 units
Total (incl. cantonal tax) protestant	4,2500 units
Financial capacity 2006/2008	
Relative fiscal capacity	686 SFr./Inh.
Ind. of rel. fiscal capacity (Ct.LU=100)	44 pts.
Resource potential	1 423 SFr./Inh.
Resource index (Ct. LU=100)	44 pts.
Financial equalization (FE) 2011	
Equalization of resources	2 067,2 1000 SFr.
Equalization of burdens	1 552,5 1000 SFr.
Contribution to horizontal FE	— 1000 SFr.
Municipal accounts 2009	
Self-financing ratio (over 5 years)	66,4 %
Interest burden ratio I	1,6 %
Net debt per inhabitant	7 985 SFr./Inh.
Net debit per inhabitant, by governmental tasks 2009	
General administration	539 SFr./Inh.
Public security	66 SFr./Inh.
Education	1 799 SFr./Inh.
Culture and leisure	41 SFr./Inh.
Health	9 SFr./Inh.
Social welfare	715 SFr./Inh.
Transportation	145 SFr./Inh.
Environment and spatial planning	57 SFr./Inh.