

# Highlights from 2017

## REGISTRATIONS AND RENEWALS .BE

How many new .be domain names have been registered and how many are there in total?

245,087 in 2017  
246,597 in 2016  
251,377 in 2015  
264,930 in 2014  
299,846 in 2013  
306,341 in 2012  
267,780 in 2011  
257,637 in 2010  
232,746 in 2009  
222,919 in 2008  
193,659 in 2007

Number of new .be registrations

1,589,715 in 2017  
1,554,475 in 2016  
1,533,758 in 2015  
1,491,053 in 2014  
1,433,990 in 2013  
1,346,772 in 2012  
1,219,935 in 2011  
1,101,668 in 2010  
977,998 in 2009  
859,474 in 2008  
736,498 in 2007

Total numbers of .be domain names

# 86.04%

of the domain names are renewed

## REGISTRATIONS AND RENEWALS .VLAANDEREN AND .BRUSSELS

Total number of domain names

**6,695**  
.vlaanderen

**7,511**  
.brussels

Percentage renewal domain names

**81.2%**  
.vlaanderen

**85.1%**  
.brussels

## THE DOMAIN EXTENSION MARKET IN BELGIUM

Which extension do Belgians choose for their domain name?

# 57.95%

## .BE

**15.49%**  
.com

**7.28%**  
.eu

**6.17%**  
.net

**2.87%**  
.nl

**1.69%**  
.org

**1.63%**  
.fr

**0.88%**  
.info

**0.58%**  
.uk

**0.54%**  
.de

**0.44%**  
.biz

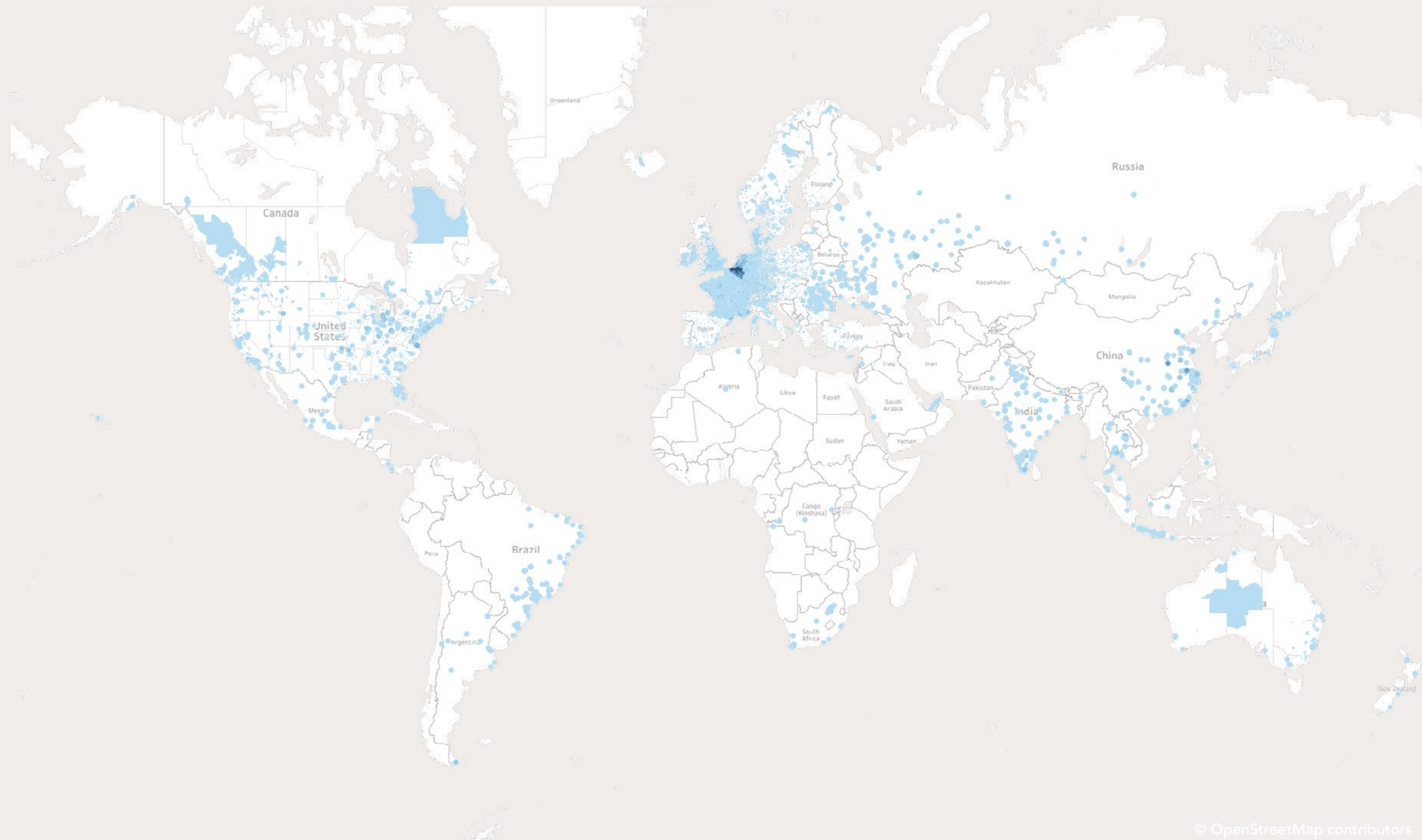
**0.43%**  
.lu

**0.33%**  
.brussels

**0.31%**  
.vlaanderen

**0.28%**  
.es

## LOCATIONS OF .BE DOMAIN NAME HOLDERS WORLDWIDE



## THE 50 MOST COMMON WORDS IN .BE DOMAIN NAMES



## LONGEST DOMAIN NAMES

**63 CHARACTERS**

dakwerken-putte-heist-opden-berg-keerbergen-olen-scherpenheuvel.be

**63 CHARACTERS**

psychologue-psychotherapeute-peruwelz-bernissart-pugliesegaelle.be

**42 CHARACTERS**

vlaamsagentschapvoorpersonenmeteenhandicap.vlaanderen

**36 CHARACTERS**

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