

# Composite Restructuring

## Simple Split

### Definition

The simultaneous dissolution of one or multiple municipalities and the merger of their entire or partial territories, along with other pre-existing municipalities, into newly created municipalities.

### Implication of the change

Before (year  $t$ ):

- Municipality A (with id <sup>1</sup>), B (with id 2), C (with id 3), D (with id 4), and E (with id 5) exist as separate entities, each with its own name, id, and territory.

After (year  $t + 1$ ):

- Municipality A was dissolved. Part of its territory participated in a merger to create a new Municipality F, while another part participated in a merger to create a new Municipality G.
- Municipalities B and C were dissolved.
- Municipality F was created, covering the combined territory of Municipalities B and C, and a part of territory from Municipality A.
- Municipality F either retains one predecessor's name/od or receives a new name/id.
- Municipalities D and E were dissolved.
- Municipality G was created, covering the combined territory of Municipalities D and E, and another part of territory from Municipality A.
- Municipality G either retains one predecessor's name/od or receives a new name/id.

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<sup>1</sup>By **id** we mean code identifier of the municipality.

## Visual overview

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The number of municipal units involved is indicated in brackets under each description.

## Example

Since 2018, the municipality *Palupera* (vald in Estonia, id 0582) was dissolved, and its entire territory was divided between two newly created municipalities: *Elva* (id 0171) and *Otepää* (id 0557), each receiving 7 villages. At the same time, the new municipality *Elva* vald (id 0171) was created through the merger of the municipalities *Elva linn* (id 0170), *Konguta* vald (id 0331), *Puhja* vald (id 0605), *Rannu* vald (id 0666), *Rõngu* vald (id 0694), and part of the former *Palupera* municipality (7 villages) (source). The new municipality *Otepää* vald (id 0557) was created through the merger of the municipalities *Otepää* vald (id 0636), part of *Puka* vald (id 0608), *Sangaste* vald (id 0724), and the remaining part of *Palupera* municipality (7 villages). The case was registered in the metadata dataset under the id: ee-cr-1-2017-2018.

Legal verification of the change

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## Map Plots

### Interactive map

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### Static map

Before

After

### How it is recorded in the data system

### References