

# Ik ben vermist

Free Belgian platform for lost and found pets. Posting a report takes two minutes, no account needed. The site instantly creates a poster, alerts the neighbourhood and lets everyone join the search on the map.



**546**

reports since 2016

**85%**

of reports concern a cat  
(11% dog, 4% bird)

**2.2×**

more reports in summer  
than in winter

**97%**

of the animals were  
microchipped (where  
known)

Figures from all reports on ikbenvermist.be (2016 to 6 October 2026). July and August together account for a quarter of all reports; the province of Antwerp has the most (29%). Always up to date at [ikbenvermist.be/en/figures/](https://ikbenvermist.be/en/figures/).

## How it works

- 1 Report for free.** Photo, description and the place the animal was last seen. No account, done in two minutes.
- 2 Poster and share images.** The site instantly creates an A4 and A6 poster with QR code and images for Facebook, Instagram and WhatsApp.
- 3 The neighbourhood is alerted.** Neighbourhood alerts by e-mail and push notification. Found and lost animals from the same area are matched automatically.
- 4 Search together on the map.** Neighbours add sightings to a trail map and mark where they already searched. The owner gets a day-by-day search plan.
- 5 Back home.** One button closes the report. Real stories of reunited pets are at [/en/back-home/](https://ikbenvermist.be/en/back-home/).



## Features

- Free for owners and finders, no account needed
- Dutch, French, English and German
- Lost, found and seen, for dogs, cats, birds and other animals
- Map and list with filters per province and municipality
- A4/A6 poster with QR code, share images for social media
- Neighbourhood alerts by e-mail and Web Push
- Smart matching between found and lost animals
- Vets and shelters nearby (OpenStreetMap)
- Day-by-day search plan with reminder e-mails
- Tips and news on losing, finding and preventing
- Widget with recent reports for municipalities, vets and shelters
- Privacy: no public address, contact via relay, photos without EXIF data

## About Ik ben vermist

The platform has existed since 2018 and was completely rebuilt on 4 October 2026. It is an initiative of Huskii, a Belgian web agency that builds, hosts and keeps the platform online free of charge. Revenue comes from advertising by vets, pet shops and insurers.

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