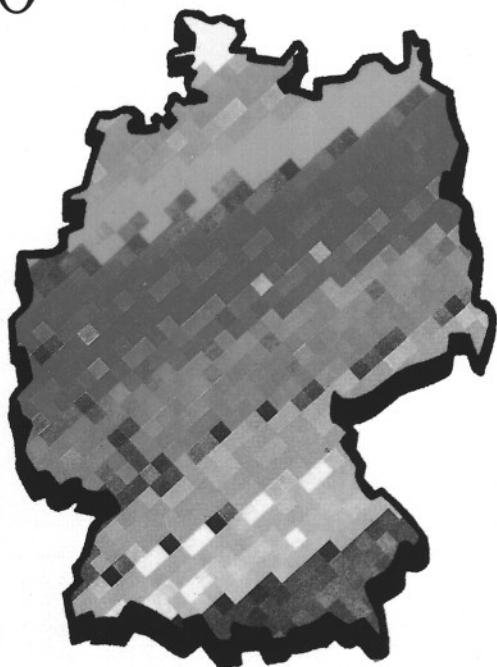




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PREFACE

This is the statistical pocketbook "Key Data on Germany" for the year 2000 which, presenting the country's major key data, provides a brief overview of the living and working conditions in Germany, the state of the economy, and a variety of social and cultural indicators.

All data included in the present 8th edition of the statistical pocketbook have been updated and recent developments taken into account in the relevant chapters. First results of the 1998 sample survey of income and expenditure have been included in the chapter on the *Receipts and expenditure of households*, which encompasses a comparison of the most recent and the 1993 data and of the 1998 receipts and expenditure of households of couples with and without children. The *Equipment of households* is shown in a separate chapter based on the results of the continuous family budget surveys which, since 1999, have been conducted in a redesigned form among 2000 households every month. The chapter on the *Environment* has been revised, too. It now provides most up-to-date information about the relation between economic activity and environmental load. And, last but not least, the EU candidate countries, whose number has increased to 13, have been considered in the chapter on *Germany in Europe* which presents comparable socio-economic indicators and foreign trade data for 28 countries (15 EU Member States and 13 candidate countries).

Day and night, you may access more information on the Office's internet site (<http://www.statistik-bund.de>). Attached to it is the new Statistics Shop from which you may obtain additional publications via electronic channels.

With the aim of further enhancement, we will appreciate any comments you may have on the pocketbook "Key Data on Germany".

Wiesbaden, November 2000

Johann Hahlen

President of the Federal Statistical Office

GENERAL INTRODUCTORY NOTES

Territory

Germany: Data for the territory of the Federal Republic of Germany since 3 October 1990.

Former territory of the Federal Republic: Data for the territory of the Federal Republic of Germany before 3 October 1990, incl. Berlin-West.

New Länder and Berlin-East: Data for the Länder Brandenburg, Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania, Saxony, Saxony-Anhalt, Thuringia, and for Berlin-East.

Abbreviations

Units of measurement

mn = million

bn = billion

% = per cent

mm = millimetre

m = metre

m² = square metre

m³ = cubic metre

km = kilometre

km² = square kilometre

ha = hectare

kg = kilogram

t = tonne

tkm = tonne-kilometre

kWh = kilowatt hour
(= 10³ watt hours)

GWh = gigawatt hour
(= 10⁹ watt hours)

PJ = peta joule
(= 10¹⁵ joules)

h = hour

Explanation of symbols

. = numerical value unknown or not to be disclosed

- = no figures or magnitude zero

... = data will be available later

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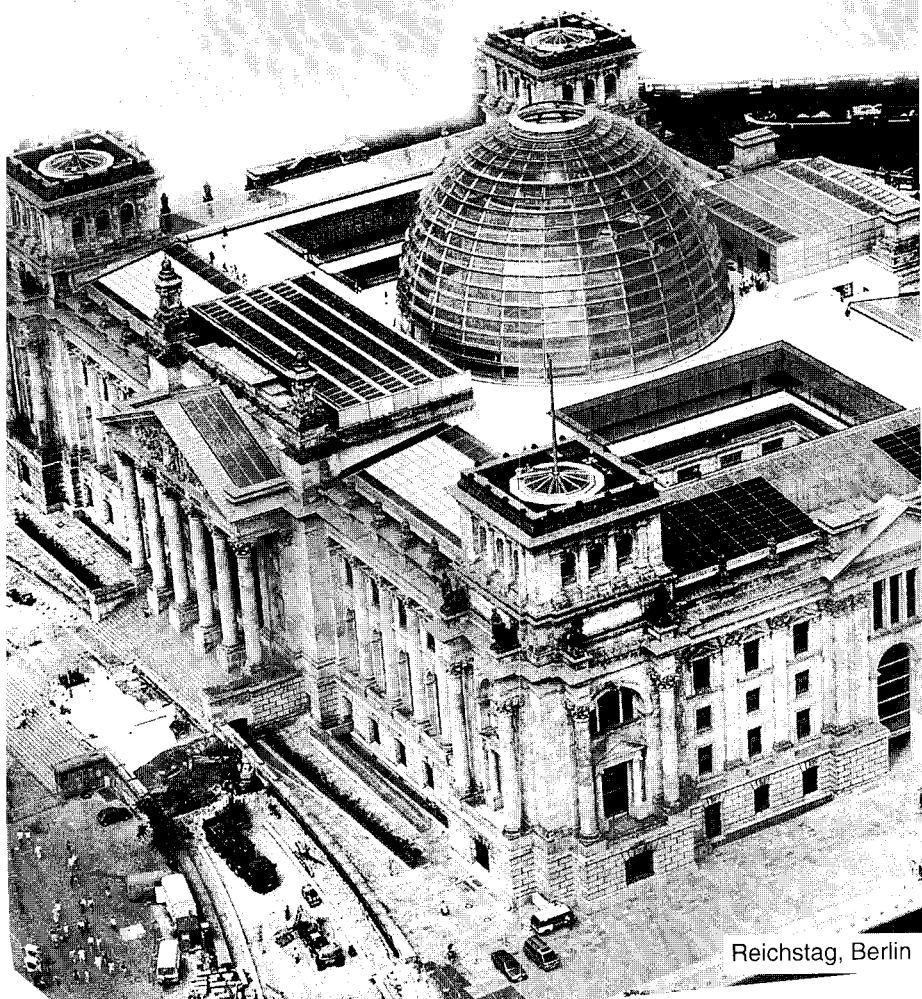
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The Country and the People



Reichstag, Berlin

GEOGRAPHICAL AND METEOROLOGICAL DATA

Climate:

Temperate oceanic/continental climatic zone with frequent weather changes and prevailing westerly winds.

Annual precipitations

North German Lowlands.....	under 500 to 700 mm
Low mountain range.....	ca. 700 to over 1 500 mm
Alps	up to over 2 000 mm

Land use, 1997

Total area.....	357 028 km ²	(100 %)
Agricultural land (incl. bogs and heathland)	193 136 km ²	(54.1 %)
Forests.....	104 915 km ²	(29.4 %)
Built-up land and adjacent non-built-up land.....	21 937 km ²	(6.1 %)
Land used for traffic purposes.....	16 785 km ²	(4.7 %)
Waters.....	7 940 km ²	(2.2 %)
Non-built-up land used for industrial, supply or disposal purposes	2 515 km ²	(0.7 %)
Recreational land	2 374 km ²	(0.7 %)
Land of other use	7 426 km ²	(2.1 %)

Neighbouring states and length of borders

Total length of borders	3 758 km
Denmark.....	67 km
Netherlands.....	567 km
Belgium.....	156 km
Luxembourg	135 km
France.....	448 km
Switzerland (incl. enclave of Büsingen, excl. Upper Lake of the Lake of Constance)	316 km
Austria (excl. Lake of Constance).....	816 km
Czech Republic.....	811 km
Poland.....	442 km

Elevation of settlements (in metres above/below sea level)

Balderschwang (highest)	1 044 m
Neuendorf near Wilster (lowest).....	- 3.5 m

Mountains (over 2 600 m altitude above sea level)

Zugspitze (Wetterstein Mountains)	2 962 m
Hochwanner (Wetterstein Mountains)	2 746 m
Höllentalspitze (Wetterstein Mountains).....	2 745 m
Watzmann (Berchtesgaden Alps).....	2 713 m
Plattspitze (Wetterstein Mountains)	2 679 m
Hochfrottspitze (Allgäu High Alps)	2 649 m

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Federal Republic of Germany

Territory on 1 January 2000



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Mädelegabel (Allgäu High Alps)	2 645 m
Dreitorspitze (Wetterstein Mountains)	2 633 m
Alpspitze (Wetterstein Mountains)	2 628 m
Hochkalter (Berchtesgaden Alps)	2 607 m

Rivers (of over 160 km of navigable length)¹⁾	Length	of which navigable
Danube	647 km	387 km
Rhine	865 km	778 km
Neckar	367 km	201 km
Main	524 km	384 km
Moselle	242 km	242 km
Ems	371 km	238 km
Weser	440 km	440 km
Elbe	700 km	700 km
Havel	343 km	243 km
Elde	208 km	180 km
Oder	162 km	162 km

Navigable canals (of over 80 km of length, maximum load of at least 650 tonnes)

Midland Canal	321.3 km
Dortmund-Ems Canal	269.0 km
Main-Danube Canal	171.0 km
Elbeseitenkanal (North-South Canal)	115.2 km
Kiel Canal	98.7 km
Oder-Spree Canal	83.7 km
Oder-Havel Canal	82.8 km

Lakes (with over 20 km² of surface)

Lake of Constance	571.5 km ²
Müritz	110.3 km ²
Chiemsee	79.9 km ²
Schweriner See	60.6 km ²
Starnberger See	56.4 km ²
Ammersee	46.6 km ²
Plauer See	38.0 km ²
Kummerower See	32.2 km ²
Steinhuder Meer	29.1 km ²
Großer Plöner See	29.0 km ²
Schaalsee	23.3 km ²
Selenter See	22.4 km ²

¹⁾ Within the borders of Germany.

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Barrages (with a retaining capacity of over 100 mn m³)

Bleiloch (Saale)	215.0 mn m ³
Schwammenauel (Rur).....	202.6 mn m ³
Edersee (Eder).....	202.0 mn m ³
Hohenwarte (Saale).....	182.0 mn m ³
Bigge (Bigge)	171.8 mn m ³
Forggensee (Lech).....	165.0 mn m ³
Großer Brombachsee (Brombach)	145.0 mn m ³
Möhne (Möhne).....	134.5 mn m ³
Rappbode (Rappbode)	109.1 mn m ³
Schluchsee (Schwarza)	108.0 mn m ³
Sylvensteinsee (Isar)	104.0 mn m ³

Islands (of over 20 km² of area)

East Frisian Islands

Borkum	30.7 km ²
Norderney	26.3 km ²

North Frisian Islands

Sylt	99.2 km ²
Föhr	82.9 km ²
Nordstrand.....	50.4 km ²
Pellworm.....	37.4 km ²
Amrum	20.4 km ²

Schleswig-Holstein Islands

Fehmarn.....	185.4 km ²
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Mecklenburg Islands

Poel	34.3 km ²
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West Pomeranian Islands

Rügen	930.0 km ²
Usedom ¹⁾	373.0 km ²

1) Part belonging to the Federal Republic of Germany; total area: 445.0 km².

FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY

The Federal Republic of Germany is a democratic and social federal state. Its Constitution is the Basic Law of 23 May 1949, last amended by the law of 16 July 1998. Since the unification of Germany on 3 October 1990, its constituent states have been the Länder of Baden-Württemberg, Bavaria, Berlin, Brandenburg, Bremen, Hamburg, Hesse, Lower Saxony, Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania, North Rhine-Westphalia, Rhineland-Palatinate, Saarland, Saxony, Saxony-Anhalt, Schleswig-Holstein and Thuringia.

According to Article 1, Para. 1 of the Basic Law, the dignity of man is inviolable, and to respect and protect it is the duty of all state authority. The dignity of man is the supreme value and the core of the Constitution. Therefore, a major function of the state is the protection of human and civil rights. The Federal Republic of Germany is a constitutional state. This means that the legislature is bound by the constitutional order, while the executive and the judiciary are bound by law; anyone may have recourse to law against the governmental power. In the Federation and the Länder, all Germans can elect their representations in general, direct, free, equal, and secret elections, thus determining who is to govern - for a limited period of time. "All state authority emanates from the people"; this is declared in the Basic Law (Art. 20, Para. 2).

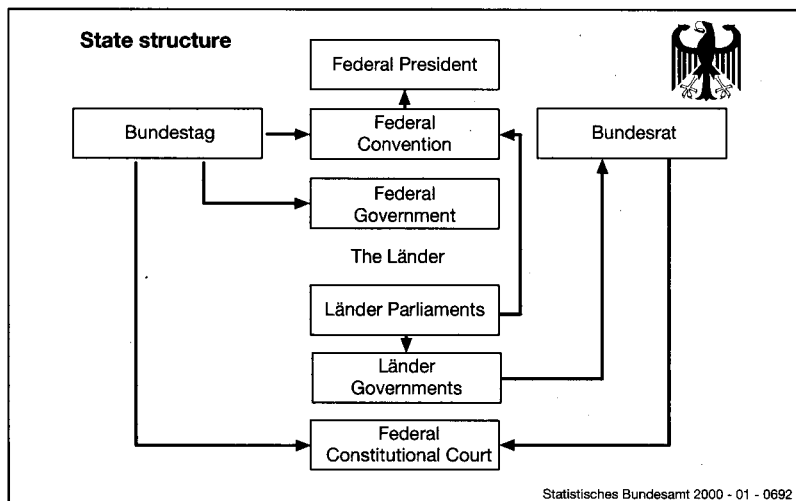
Head of State of the Federal Republic of Germany is the Federal President who is elected for a five-year term by the Federal Convention. He may be re-elected once. The Federal Convention consists of all members of the Bundestag and an equal number of members elected by the Länder Parliaments according to the rules of proportional representation. Federal Presidents of the Federal Republic of Germany were Theodor Heuss from 1949 to 1959, Heinrich Lübke from 1959 to 1969, Gustav Heinemann from 1969 to 1974, Walter Scheel from 1974 to 1979, Karl Carstens from 1979 to 1984, Richard von Weizsäcker from 1984 to 1994, and Roman Herzog from 1994 to 1999. In 1999, Johannes Rau was elected to become Herzog's successor.

The members of the Bundestag are elected every four years. For the election of these 656 Bundestag members (598 members from the 15th electoral period starting in 2002), the electoral law of the Federal Republic of Germany provides for a system of proportional representation (328 members of the Bundestag elected with relative majority in the constituencies [299 from the 15th electoral period starting in 2002], the

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others according to Land party lists). The persons entitled to vote may cast their first vote for the election in the constituency and their second vote for the election of a Land party list. Those parties which receive five or more percent of the second votes in the electoral territory or directly obtain a seat in at least three constituencies will participate in the allocation of seats.

The two chambers, Bundestag and Bundesrat, are the legislative bodies of the Federal Republic of Germany. The main functions of the Bundestag, apart from legislation, are the election of the Federal Chancellor and the scrutiny of the Federal Government. The activities of the Bundestag are performed not only in the plenum but also, and especially, in the committees. Through the Bundesrat, the Länder participate in the legislation and the administration of the Federation, and in European Union matters. The members of the Bundesrat are appointed and recalled by the Länder Governments. They can vote only collectively per Land and are bound by the instructions given by their respective Länder Governments. The total of 69 voices is divided among the 16 Länder according to the number of their inhabitants. Each of the Länder has at least three and not more than six votes.



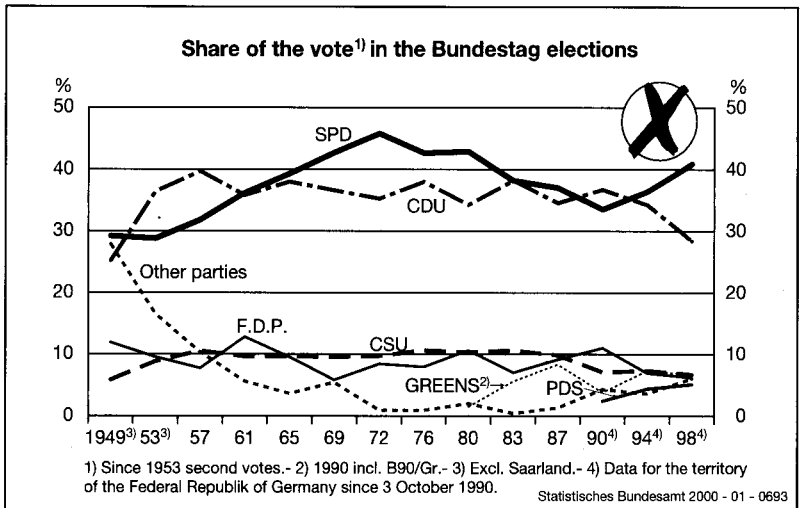
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Results of parliamentary elections in percent

Election	Election year	Parties' shares in valid votes					
		SPD	CDU, in Bavaria CSU	F.D.P.	GREENS	PDS	Others
Elections to the Länder Parliaments							
Baden-Württemberg....	1996	25.1	41.3	9.6 ¹⁾	12.1	–	11.9 ²⁾
Bavaria	1998	28.7	52.9	1.7	5.7	–	11.0
Berlin ³⁾	1999	22.4	40.8	2.2	9.9	17.7	7.0
Brandenburg ³⁾	1999	39.3	26.5	1.9	1.9 ⁴⁾	23.3	7.0 ⁵⁾
Bremen	1999	42.6	37.1	2.5	8.9	2.9	6.0
Hamburg.....	1997	36.2	30.7	3.5	13.9 ⁶⁾	0.7 ⁷⁾	15.0
Hesse ³⁾	1999	39.4	43.4	5.1	7.2	–	4.9
Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania ³⁾	1998	34.3	30.2	1.6	2.7	24.4	6.8
Lower Saxony ³⁾	1998	47.9	35.9	4.9	7.0	–	4.3
North Rhine-Westphalia.	2000	42.8	37.0	9.8	7.1	–	3.3
Rhineland-Palatinate ³⁾ .	1996	39.8	38.7	8.9	6.9	–	5.7
Saarland	1999	44.4	45.5	2.6 ⁸⁾	3.2 ⁹⁾	0.8	3.5
Saxony ³⁾	1999	10.7	56.9	1.1	2.6	22.2	6.5
Saxony-Anhalt ³⁾	1998	35.9	22.0	4.2	3.2	19.6	15.0 ¹⁰⁾
Schleswig-Holstein	2000	43.1	35.2	7.6	6.2	1.4	6.5 ¹¹⁾
Thuringia ³⁾	1999	18.5	51.0	1.1	1.9	21.3	6.1
Election to the Bundestag³⁾							
Germany	1998	40.9	35.1 ¹²⁾	6.2	6.7	5.1	5.9
European Election							
Germany	1999	30.7	48.7 ¹³⁾	3.0	6.4	5.8	5.4

1) F.D.P./DVP. – 2) REP: 9,1 %. – 3) Second votes. – 4) GREENS/B90. – 5) DVU: 5,3 %. – 6) GREENS/GAL. – 7) PDS/Linke Liste. – 8) F.D.P./DPS. – 9) GREENS Saar. – 10) DVU: 12,9 %. – 11) SSW: 4,1 %. – 12) CDU: 28,4 %, CSU: 6,7 %. – 13) CDU: 39,3 %, CSU: 9,4 %.

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The Federal Government participates in the legislative process mainly by introducing bills and issuing ordinances on the basis of special legal authorization. It consists of the Federal Chancellor who is elected by the Bundestag on the proposal of the Federal President, and the Federal Ministers who are appointed and dismissed by the Federal President on the proposal of the Federal Chancellor.

Executive power is generally vested in the Länder, unless otherwise provided for or permitted in the Basic Law.

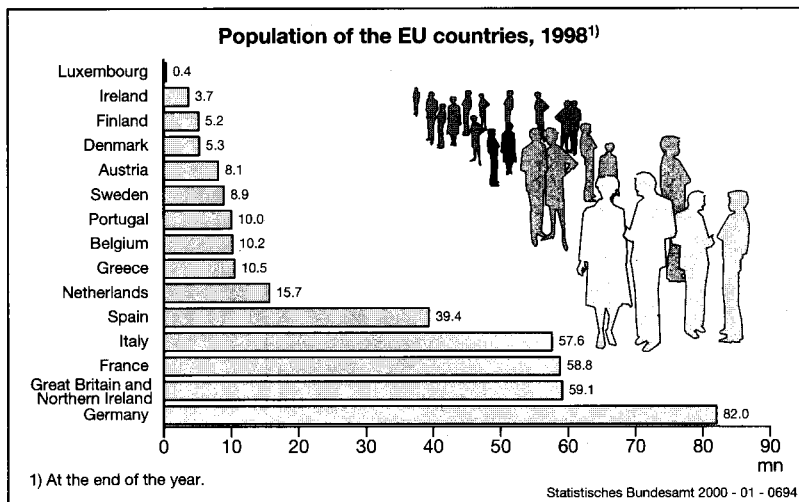
Under the Basic Law, judicial authority is vested in the judges. It is exercised by the Federal Constitutional Court, the federal courts provided for in the Basic Law and the courts of the Länder, with the Federal Constitutional Court in its capacity as the "Guardian of the Constitution" occupying a special position. It decides in particular on the interpretation of the Basic Law in the event of constitutional disputes between government organs, on the compatibility of federal and Länder law with the Basic Law (judicial review) as well as on complaints lodged by individual citizens in constitutionality matters.

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The jurisdiction of the Federation – not regarding the Federal Constitutional Court – is limited to the supreme courts of the individual court branches: Federal Court of Justice, Federal Administrative Court, Federal Finance Court, Federal Labour Court, Federal Social Court as well as Federal Patent Court and Federal Disciplinary Court. The courts of intermediate and lower instance are courts of the Länder.

After the end of World War II, Germany played an active part in the process of European unification. As early as in May 1948, at the First Congress of the Hague, delegates from 19 European countries demanded that a European assembly be convened. This was the first initiative in forming the Council of Europe in Strasbourg.

In April 1951 Belgium, the Federal Republic of Germany, France, Italy, Luxembourg and the Netherlands signed the Treaty on the European Coal and Steel Community (ECSC). In 1957, these 6 countries founded the European Economic Community (EEC) and the European Atomic Energy Community (EURATOM). In 1967, these institutions merged to form the European Communities (EC). Denmark, Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and Ireland acceded to the Community in 1973, Greece in 1981,



Portugal and Spain in 1986. The EC's objective has been the political and economic integration of the European countries. Initial steps in that direction consisted in gradually eliminating the customs barriers between the countries concerned and introducing common external tariffs. The introduction of the European single market in 1993, among other things, led to a liberalisation of the movement of persons, services and capital. In the Maastricht Treaty on European Union of 7 February 1992 (which entered into force on 1 November 1993), the heads of state or government of the European Communities agreed on a stage-by-stage plan regarding the creation of Economic and Monetary Union by the year 1999 whose third stage includes the introduction of a single European currency (euro). At the same time, they agreed on steps aimed at a common foreign and security policy and on cooperation in the area of internal and legal policies. As regards elections to the European Parliament and local elections, citizens of the European Union living in a Member State whose citizenship they do not possess may exercise their right to vote and to stand for election in the place of their residence. This right could be exercised for the first time during the 1994 elections to the European Parliament.

Since 1 January 1995, Finland, Austria and Sweden have been full members of the European Union.

The Amsterdam Treaty of 2 October 1997, referring to the EU eastern enlargement, was another step in the integration process. Negotiations were taken up about the EU accession of Estonia, Poland, Slovenia, the Czech Republic, Hungary and Cyprus in March 1998 and of Bulgaria, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Romania and the Slovak Republic in February 2000. Turkey has a candidate status at the moment.

At the beginning of May 1998, the heads of state or government of the European Union decided about the participants in Economic and Monetary Union (third stage of the Maastricht Treaty) at a summit in Brussels. The Federal Republic of Germany, Belgium, Finland, France, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Austria, Portugal and Spain introduced the single European currency (euro) on 1 January 1999. These eleven countries have since been forming the so-called "euro zone".

During a transitional period, the euro can be used in cashless money transfer only. From 1 January 2002, the euro will be the legal tender.

GERMANY BY LÄNDER

Land	Area	Population	Inhabitants per km ²	Population growth (+) or decline (-) 1998 compared with 1990	
	31 December 1998				
	km ²	1 000	Number	1 000	%
Baden-Württemberg	35 752	10 426	292	+ 604	+ 6.1
Bavaria	70 548	12 087	171	+ 638	+ 5.6
Berlin	890	3 399	3 818	- 35	- 1.0
Brandenburg	29 476	2 590	88	+ 12	+ 0.5
Bremen	404	668	1 652	- 14	- 2.0
Hamburg	755	1 700	2 251	+ 48	+ 2.9
Hesse	21 115	6 035	286	+ 272	+ 4.7
Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania	23 171	1 799	78	- 125	- 6.5
Lower Saxony	47 614	7 866	165	+ 479	+ 6.5
North Rhine-Westphalia ..	34 080	17 976	527	+ 626	+ 3.6
Rhineland-Palatinate	19 847	4 025	203	+ 261	+ 6.9
Saarland	2 570	1 074	418	+ 1	+ 0.1
Saxony	18 413	4 489	244	- 275	- 5.8
Saxony-Anhalt	20 447	2 674	131	- 199	- 6.9
Schleswig-Holstein	15 769	2 766	175	+ 140	+ 5.3
Thuringia	16 172	2 463	152	- 148	- 5.7
Germany	357 022	82 037	230	+ 2 284	+ 2.9

GERMANY BY LÄNDER

Land	Persons engaged	Unemployed	Unemployment rate ¹⁾	Job vacancies	Short-time-workers
	1999 ²⁾	1999			
	1 000		%	1 000	
Baden-Württemberg	4 843	324.6	7.3	69.9	15.6
Bavaria	5 839	384.4	7.4	78.0	13.3
Berlin	1 470	268.1	17.7	7.4	3.3
Brandenburg	1 165	223.0	18.7	8.5	4.7
Bremen	276	43.9	15.8	4.4	1.5
Hamburg	790	84.0	11.7	8.0	1.2
Hesse	2 703	239.3	9.4	30.7	6.4
Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania	768	163.1	19.4	8.6	2.9
Lower Saxony	3 396	375.5	11.5	46.3	7.5
North Rhine-Westphalia ..	7 562	830.7	11.2	96.0	34.5
Rhineland-Palatinate	1 775	149.4	9.1	29.7	4.9
Saarland	443	50.1	11.9	4.8	1.6
Saxony	1 948	379.7	18.6	22.0	8.0
Saxony-Anhalt	1 089	272.1	21.7	13.2	4.0
Schleswig-Holstein	1 236	122.0	10.6	13.7	3.2
Thuringia	1 101	189.4	16.5	15.2	6.0
Germany	36 402	4 099.2	11.7	456.4	118.6

1) Share of unemployed persons in the dependent civilian labour force (employees subject to social insurance, marginal part-time workers, public officials, unemployed persons). – 2) Microcensus result, April.

GERMANY BY LÄNDER

Land	Business failures	Foreign trade		Gross-domestic product at current prices ¹⁾	
		Imports	Exports		
	1998	1999 ²⁾		1998	
	Number	DM mn		DM bn	DM 1 000 per person engaged
Baden-Württemberg	2 388	117 473	161 631	546.3	118.8
Bavaria	3 453	128 050	154 003	643.1	119.3
Berlin	1 916	8 734	14 042	155.8	109.6
Brandenburg	1 459	7 766	6 238	77.8	78.0
Bremen	182	19 778	15 413	42.0	122.5
Hamburg	547	64 512	32 993	146.4	163.1
Hesse	1 967	86 099	50 545	353.1	137.4
Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania	802	2 624	2 539	48.4	67.9
Lower Saxony	1 965	63 993	81 064	331.4	108.8
North Rhine-Westphalia ..	5 182	187 365	182 418	826.9	115.5
Rhineland-Palatinate	1 117	29 142	42 726	161.0	109.4
Saarland	309	13 640	14 996	45.7	105.5
Saxony	2 765	10 727	13 915	125.3	67.2
Saxony-Anhalt	1 608	5 874	5 478	71.4	68.6
Schleswig-Holstein	860	19 117	19 268	117.1	111.0
Thuringia	1 308	6 241	6 089	66.5	68.4
Germany	27 828	865 149 ³⁾	984 015 ³⁾	3 758.1	110.6

1) Not yet calculated on the basis of the European System of Accounts (ESA 1995). - 2) Preliminary result. - 3) Incl. transactions that cannot be allocated to an individual Land.

GERMANY BY LÄNDER

Land	Building permits	Construction work completed	Stock of dwellings	Physicians	Hospital beds ¹⁾
	(dwellings)				
	1999 ²⁾		1998	1998	1998
	1 000			per 100 000 inhabitants	
Baden-Württemberg	52.9	56.9	4 601	351	628
Bavaria	75.4	75.9	5 435	376	698
Berlin	10.9	12.6	1 842	509	735
Brandenburg	23.1	25.7	1 193	274	642
Bremen	2.2	2.3	343	464	963
Hamburg	5.0	6.2	847	512	807
Hesse	27.3	31.2	2 678	361	677
Mecklenburg- Western Pomerania	13.5	14.8	829	331	649
Lower Saxony	47.2	55.3	3 465	304	627
North Rhine-Westphalia ..	84.7	89.7	7 988	341	771
Rhineland-Palatinate	23.9	24.1	1 772	323	701
Saarland	4.1	4.4	486	371	753
Saxony	24.3	27.9	2 306	304	662
Saxony-Anhalt	13.7	14.5	1 307	296	698
Schleswig-Holstein	18.1	18.4	1 289	349	595
Thuringia	11.4	13.0	1 149	306	745
Germany	437.6	472.8	37 529	350	697

1) Excl. prevention/rehabilitation facilities. – 2) Preliminary result.

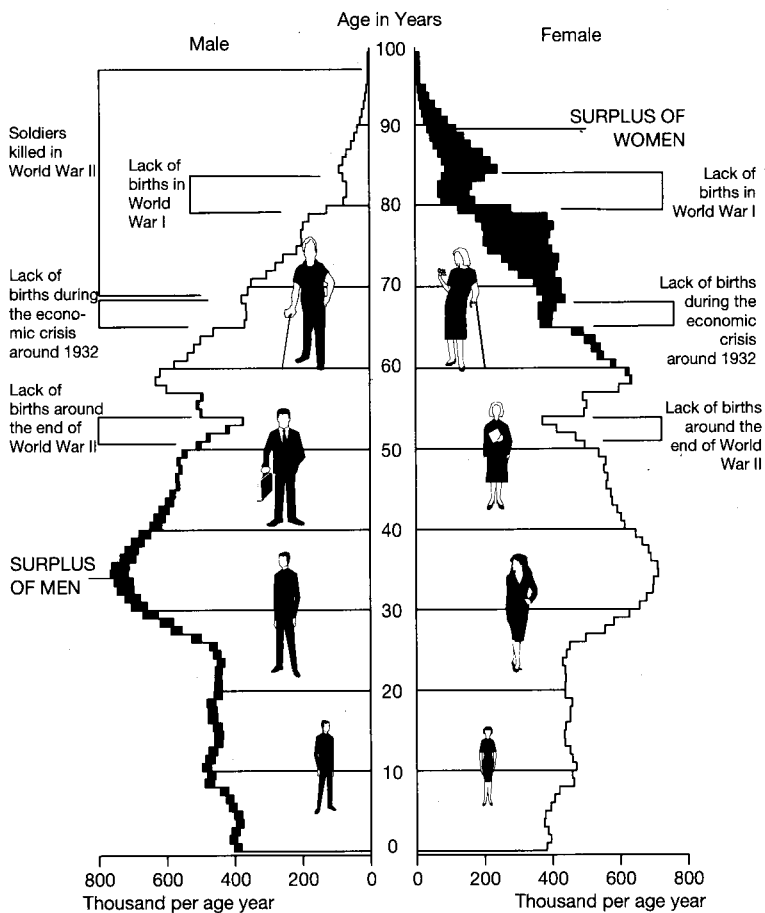
POPULATION

Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
Germany				
Inhabitants on 31 December	1 000	82 012.2	82 057.4	82 037.0
Male	1 000	39 954.8	39 992.3	40 004.1
Female.....	1 000	42 057.3	42 065.1	42 032.9
By citizenship				
Germans	1 000	74 520.5	74 638.4	74 728.5
Foreigners	1 000	7 491.7	7 419.0	7 308.5
Incl.: Turkey	1 000	2 049.1	2 107.4	2 110.2
Yugoslavia ¹⁾	1 000	1 353.3	1 269.6	1 183.1
Italy	1 000	599.4	607.9	612.0
Greece	1 000	362.5	363.2	363.5
Poland.....	1 000	283.4	283.3	283.6
Austria.....	1 000	184.9	185.1	185.2
United States	1 000	109.6	110.1	110.7
By age groups from ... to under ... years				
under 6.....	1 000	4 854.8	4 807.0	4 757.2
6 - 15.....	1 000	8 332.5	8 291.4	8 222.8
15 - 25.....	1 000	9 047.9	9 025.5	9 077.1
25 - 45	1 000	26 191.7	26 031.7	25 768.6
45 - 65.....	1 000	20 728.5	20 935.4	21 143.8
65 and over	1 000	12 856.8	12 966.4	13 067.5
By marital status				
Single.....	1 000	33 428.5	33 686.6	32 599.8
Married.....	1 000	38 103.3	37 813.4	38 592.4
Widowed or divorced.....	1 000	10 480.5	10 557.3	10 844.8
By religious affiliation				
Incl.: Protestant.....	1 000	27 659	27 398	27 099
Catholic	1 000	27 229	27 383	27 154
Jewish	1 000	61	67	82

1) Incl. Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Macedonia, and Slovenia.

POPULATION

Age structure of the population of Germany on 31 December 1998



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POPULATION

Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
Germany				
Households (in April)¹⁾	1 000	37 281	37 457	37 532
1-person households	1 000	13 191	13 259	13 297
2-person households	1 000	12 039	12 221	12 389
3-person households	1 000	5 770	5 725	5 643
4-person households	1 000	4 556	4 537	4 527
Households with 5 or more persons	1 000	1 725	1 715	1 676
Marriages, births, deaths				
Marriages.....	Number	427 297	422 776	417 420
Live births.....	Number	796 013	812 173	785 034
Viz.: Illegitimate.....	Number	135 700	145 833	157 117
Foreigners	Number	106 229	107 182	100 057
Foetal deaths	Number	3 573	3 510	3 190
Deaths	Number	882 843	860 389	852 382
Excess of births (+) or of deaths (-)	Number	- 86 830	- 48 216	- 67 348
Divorces.....	Number	175 550	187 802	192 416
Migrations between Germany and foreign countries²⁾				
Arrivals, total.....	1 000	960.0	840.6	802.5
Incl.: Foreigners	1 000	708.0	615.3	605.5
Departures, total	1 000	677.5	747.0	755.4
Incl.: Foreigners	1 000	559.1	637.1	639.0
Naturalized persons	Number	302 830	278 662	291 331
Male	Number	147 978	136 250	142 372
Female.....	Number	154 852	142 412	148 959

1) Microcensus results. - 2) Incl. area of origin/destination "unsettled" and "not indicated".

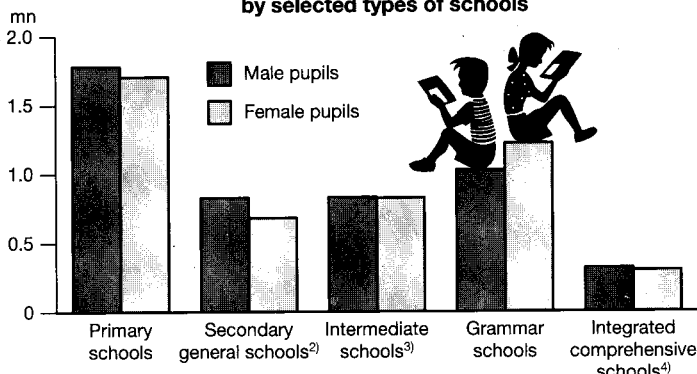
POPULATION

Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
Former territory of the Federal Republic				
Inhabitants on 31 December	1 000	67 880.1 ¹⁾	67 974.0 ¹⁾	68 021.2 ¹⁾
Marriages, births, deaths				
	per 1 000			
Marriages.....	inhabitants	5.6	5.5	5.4
	per 1 000			
Live births.....	inhabitants	10.5	10.7	10.2
	per 1 000			
Viz.: Illegitimate	live births	136.8	142.7	159.2
	per 1 000			
Deaths	inhabitants	10.6	10.4	10.3
	per 1 000			
Excess of births (+)	per 1 000			
or of deaths (-)	inhabitants	- 0.1	+ 0.3	- 0.1
	per 1 000			
Divorces.....	inhabitants	2.3 ¹⁾	2.4 ¹⁾	2.4 ¹⁾
Life expectancy				
Newborn boys.....	Years	73.79 ²⁾	74.07 ³⁾	74.42 ⁴⁾
Newborn girls	Years	80.00 ²⁾	80.21 ³⁾	80.46 ⁴⁾
New Länder and Berlin-East				
Inhabitants on 31 December	1 000	14 132.1 ⁵⁾	14 083.3 ⁵⁾	14 015.8 ⁵⁾
Marriages, births, deaths				
	per 1 000			
Marriages	inhabitants	3.5	3.5	3.6
	per 1 000			
Live births	inhabitants	6.0	6.5	6.7
	per 1 000			
Viz.: Illegitimate	live births	423.9	441.0	471.5
	per 1 000			
Deaths	inhabitants	11.3	10.9	10.7
	per 1 000			
Excess of births (+)	per 1 000			
or of deaths (-)	inhabitants	- 5.2	- 4.4	- 4.0
	per 1 000			
Divorces	inhabitants	1.6 ⁵⁾	1.9 ⁵⁾	2.1 ⁵⁾
Life expectancy				
Newborn boys	Years	71.20 ²⁾	71.77 ³⁾	72.41 ⁴⁾
Newborn girls	Years	78.55 ²⁾	79.02 ³⁾	79.45 ⁴⁾

1) Incl. data for Berlin-East. - 2) 1994/96. - 3) 1995/97. - 4) 1996/98. - 5) Excl. data for Berlin-East.

EDUCATION

**Pupils at schools of general education, 1999/2000¹⁾
by selected types of schools**



1) Preliminary result. - 2) Incl. orientation stage independent of school type. -

3) Incl. schools with different courses of education. - 4) Incl. Free Waldorf schools.

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Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999 ¹⁾
Pupils	1 000	12 819.8	12 829.8	12 706.6
Schools of general education	1 000	10 146.9	10 108.1	10 049.9
School-kindergartens and pre-school classes	1 000	75.7	69.3	67.4
Primary schools	1 000	3 697.8	3 602.0	3 488.9
Secondary general schools ²⁾	1 000	1 505.5	1 507.8	1 509.3
Schools with different courses of education	1 000	384.0	385.8	405.4
Special schools	1 000	406.1	410.4	415.6
Intermediate schools	1 000	1 225.1	1 247.6	1 253.0
Grammar schools	1 000	2 200.1	2 223.4	2 244.9
Comprehensive schools (integr.) ³⁾	1 000	607.2	615.6	619.5
Evening schools, adult education colleges	1 000	45.5	46.1	45.9
Vocational schools	1 000	2 549.9	2 600.9	2 657.6
Vocational schools (dual system)	1 000	1 652.4	1 683.5	1 723.0
Pre-vocational training year	1 000	66.4	66.8	68.5
Basic vocational training year	1 000	40.2	40.9	39.7
Vocational extension schools	1 000	2.6	2.2	1.9
Full-time vocational schools	1 000	366.6	383.2	392.3
"Fachoberschulen"	1 000	82.3	84.2	89.9
Specialised grammar schools ⁴⁾	1 000	175.9	181.7	186.2

1) Preliminary result. - 2) Incl. orientation stage independent of school type. - 3) Incl. Free Waldorf Schools. -

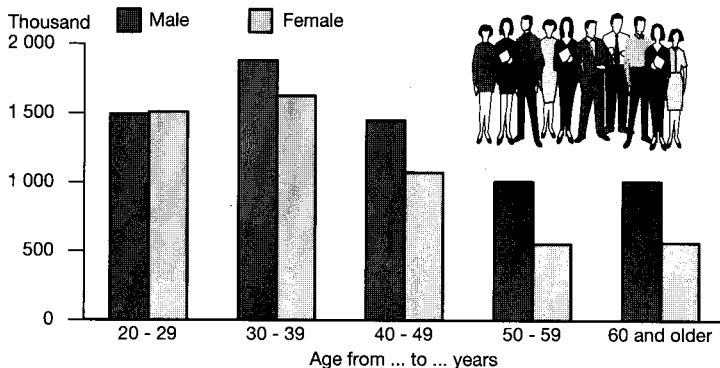
4) Incl. "Kollegschulen".

EDUCATION

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999 ¹⁾
"Berufs-/Technische Oberschulen" ...	1 000	7.7	8.2	8.6
Trade and technical schools ²⁾	1 000	155.8	150.3	147.6
Schools for nurses, midwives etc.	1 000	122.4	120.8	115.9
School-leavers of schools of general education				
After compulsory full-time schooling ...	1 000	326.4	328.3	...
without secondary general school certificate	1 000	80.5	83.0	...
with secondary general school certificate	1 000	245.9	245.4	...
With intermediate school-leaving certificate	1 000	363.6	370.5	...
With qualification for general university entrance or entrance to a specialised college of higher education	1 000	226.2	225.5	...
School leavers of vocational schools				
With secondary general school certificate	1 000	33.4	34.5	...
With intermediate school-leaving certificate	1 000	56.6	65.1	...
With qualification for general university entrance ³⁾	1 000	97.2	104.3	...
Full-time teachers				
Schools of general education	1 000	667.8	668.7	...
Vocational schools	1 000	115.2	116.9	...
Schools for nurses, midwives etc.	1 000	7.0	6.9	...

1) Preliminary result. – 2) Incl. specialised vocational academies. – 3) Incl. university entrance restricted to a specified field of study/entrance to a specialised college of higher education.

**Population with entrance qualifications for a specialised college of higher education or a university, 1999
by age groups**

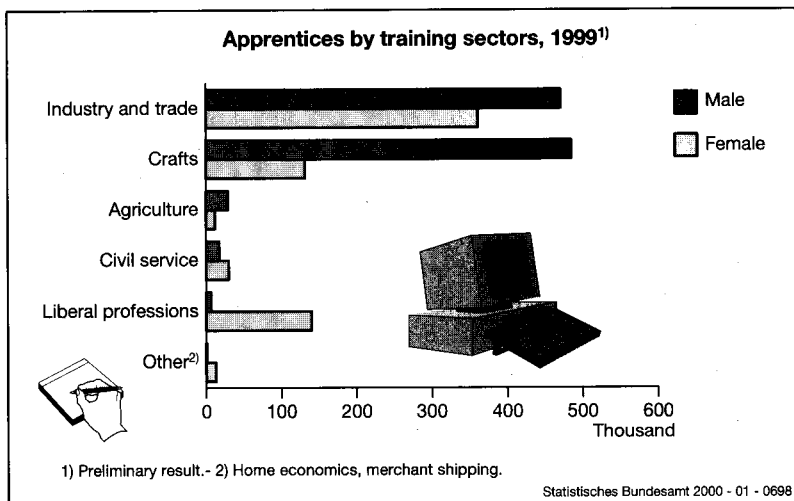


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EDUCATION

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999 ¹⁾
Apprentices	1 000	1 622.2	1 657.8	1 698.1
Industry and trade	1 000	735.7	778.9	833.1
Crafts	1 000	630.8	625.0	616.9
Agriculture	1 000	37.4	40.1	40.4
Civil service	1 000	47.7	48.2	47.2
Liberal professions	1 000	156.8	151.1	146.6
Home economics, merchant shipping	1 000	13.9	14.5	14.0
Examinations passed in vocational training	1 000	482.7	487.2	...
Industry and trade	1 000	238.6	239.3	...
Crafts	1 000	157.7	164.7	...
Agriculture	1 000	11.3	12.0	...
Civil service	1 000	20.3	16.2	...
Liberal professions	1 000	47.9	47.9	...
Home economics, merchant shipping	1 000	7.1	7.2	...

1) Preliminary result.

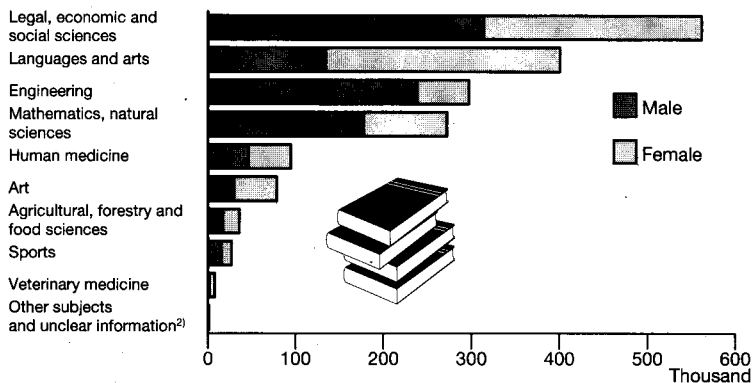


EDUCATION

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999 ¹⁾
Students	1 000	1 824.1	1 801.2	1 777.8
Universities ²⁾	1 000	1 211.8	1 191.3	1 163.0
Comprehensive universities	1 000	145.0	143.7	141.4
Colleges of art and music	1 000	29.8	29.8	30.2
Fachhochschulen (specialised colleges of higher education)	1 000	399.3	403.2	411.2
Colleges of public administration	1 000	38.2	33.3	32.0
New entrants	1 000	226.0	230.8	246.3
Universities ²⁾	1 000	141.1	141.6	151.2
Comprehensive universities	1 000	14.4	14.6	15.0
Colleges of art and music	1 000	3.3	3.3	3.6
Fachhochschulen (specialised colleges of higher education)	1 000	59.0	63.2	68.1
Colleges of public administration	1 000	8.2	8.1	8.5
Exam. passed at inst. of higher educ. ..	1 000	237.1	227.5	...
University diploma and equivalent examinations	1 000	109.4	97.9	...
Qualifications for a doctor's degree	1 000	24.2	24.9	...
State examinations for the teaching profession	1 000	27.9	28.3	...
Fachhochschule diploma examinations ..	1 000	75.6	71.3	...

1) Preliminary result. - 2) Incl. Colleges of education and Colleges of theology.

Students by subject groups, winter term 1999/2000¹⁾



1) Preliminary result. - 2) 938 male students, 635 female students.

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EMPLOYMENT

Specification	Unit	1997 ¹⁾	1998 ¹⁾	1999 ¹⁾
Germany				
Active population	1 000	40 280	40 262	40 509
Persons engaged in economic activity ...	1 000	35 805	35 860	36 402
Incl.: Female	1 000	15 256	15 351	15 744
Unemployed.....	1 000	4 475	4 402	4 106
Incl.: Female	1 000	2 095	2 048	1 886
Inactive population	1 000	41 749	41 752	41 515
Male	1 000	17 041	17 111	17 127
Female.....	1 000	24 708	24 641	24 388
Labour force participation rate of persons aged 15 to under 65 years				
Male	%	80,3	80,2	80,3
Female.....	%	62,8	63,0	63,8
Persons engaged in economic activity				
By sectors of the economy				
Agriculture, forestry and fisheries	1 000	1 049	1 024	1 026
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	391	379	368
Production industries	1 000	12 287	12 132	12 150
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	2 860	2 887	2 892
Distributive trade, hotel and restaurant industry, transport	1 000	8 185	8 205	8 349
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	3 930	3 906	4 018
Other services	1 000	14 284	14 500	14 877
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	8 075	8 180	8 466
By status in occupation				
Self-employed	1 000	3 528	3 594	3 594
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	962	986	991
Unpaid family workers	1 000	360	388	311
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	278	298	236
Officials.....	1 000	2 455	2 406	2 389
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	722	727	740
Salaried employees ²⁾	1 000	16 986	17 172	17 656
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	9 606	9 706	10 008
Wage earners ³⁾	1 000	12 476	12 300	12 453
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	3 688	3 633	3 768

1) Microcensus result, April. - 2) Incl. apprentices in recognized vocational training occupations of the commercial and technical sector. - 3) Incl. apprentices in recognized vocational training occupations of the industrial sector.

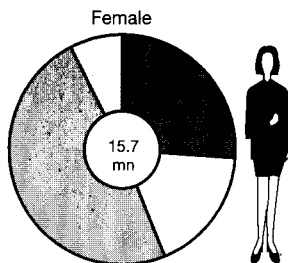
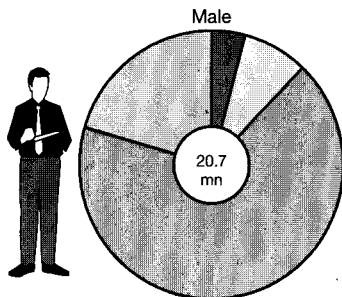
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Specification	Unit	1997 ¹⁾	1998 ¹⁾	1999 ¹⁾
Germany				
Persons engaged in economic activity				
By normal weekly hours worked				
under 15 hours	1 000	1 927	2 138	2 371
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	1 533	1 674	1 867
15 – 20 hours	1 000	2 440	2 464	2 575
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	2 117	2 131	2 237
21 – 35 hours	1 000	4 365	4 428	4 450
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	2 723	2 788	2 793
36 – 40 hours	1 000	21 751	21 484	21 575
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	7 705	7 570	7 654
41 hours and over.....	1 000	5 321	5 346	5 431
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	1 178	1 188	1 192
Foreigners engaged in economic activity	1 000	2 868	2 837	2 920
Incl.: Female	1 000	1 003	1 017	1 050

1) Microcensus result, April.

Persons engaged in economic activity, April 1999¹⁾, by normal weekly hours worked

Weekly hours worked ■ under 21 □ 21 - 35 ▨ 36 - 40 ▩ 41 and over

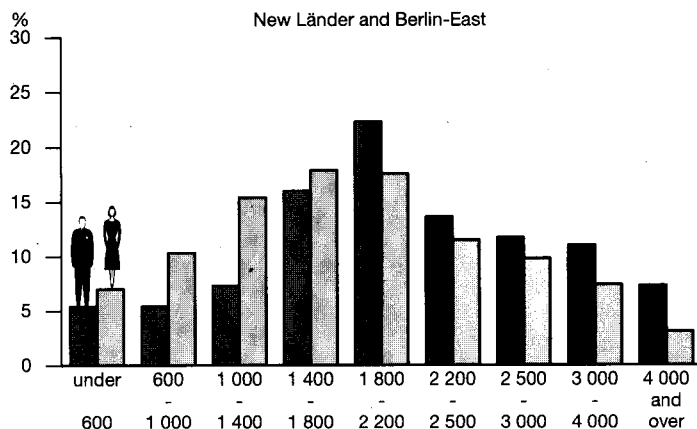
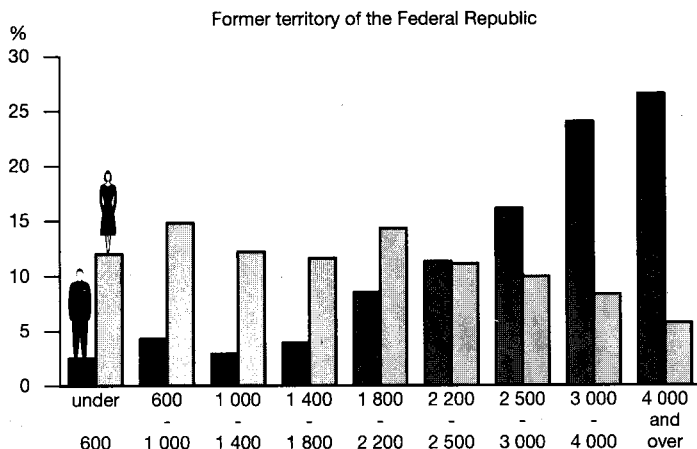


1) Microcensus result.- Germany.

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Persons engaged in economic activity, April 1999, by net income and sex¹⁾



1) Microcensus result.

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EMPLOYMENT

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Former territory of the Federal Republic				
Active population¹⁾	1 000	32 112	32 081	32 349
Persons engaged in economic activity ...	1 000	29 200	29 317	29 729
Incl.: Female	1 000	12 299	12 416	12 738
Unemployed.....	1 000	2 913	2 764	2 620
Incl.: Female	1 000	1 215	1 161	1 106
Inactive population¹⁾	1 000	34 500	34 588	34 411
Incl.: Female	1 000	20 641	20 603	20 365
Persons engaged in economic activity¹⁾				
By sectors of the economy				
Agriculture, forestry and fisheries	%	2.7	2.7	2.6
Production industries	%	34.5	34.2	33.8
Distributive trade, hotel and restaurant industry, transport	%	23.0	23.0	23.1
Other services	%	39.8	40.1	40.5
Foreigners engaged in economic activity ..	%	9.6	9.5	9.6
Structural data on the labour market				
Short-time workers	1 000 ²⁾	133.4	81.2	91.6
Unemployed.....	1 000 ²⁾	3 020.9	2 904.3	2 755.5
Viz.: Male.....	1 000 ²⁾	1 740.7	1 640.8	1 535.5
Female.....	1 000 ²⁾	1 280.2	1 263.5	1 220.0
Juveniles under 25 years of age	1 000 ²⁾	362.4	327.8	291.7
55 years and over.....	1 000 ²⁾	669.0	667.9	657.9
Severely handicapped persons.....	1 000 ²⁾	163.9	161.1	156.9
Persons seeking part-time work	1 000 ²⁾	292.6	302.3	312.8
Foreigners.....	1 000 ²⁾	521.6	505.2	477.7
Unemployment rate ³⁾	%	11.0	10.5	9.9
Vacancies unfilled	1 000 ²⁾	281.5	342.2	386.2
Placements	1 000 ⁴⁾	2 501.0	2 599.0	2 720.7
Employees in job-creation measures ⁵⁾	1 000 ²⁾	67.8	70.8	81.7
Cases of starting vocational further training.....	1 000 ⁴⁾	266.2	372.0	307.5
Transitional benefits for early retirement...	1 000 ²⁾	1.4	0.1	0.0

1) Microcensus result, April. - 2) Annual average. - 3) Share of unemployed persons in the dependent civilian labour force (employees subject to social insurance, marginal part-time workers, public officials, unemployed persons). - 4) Annual total. - 5) Incl. employees with productive wage subsidies, as of 1998 including structural adjustment measures.

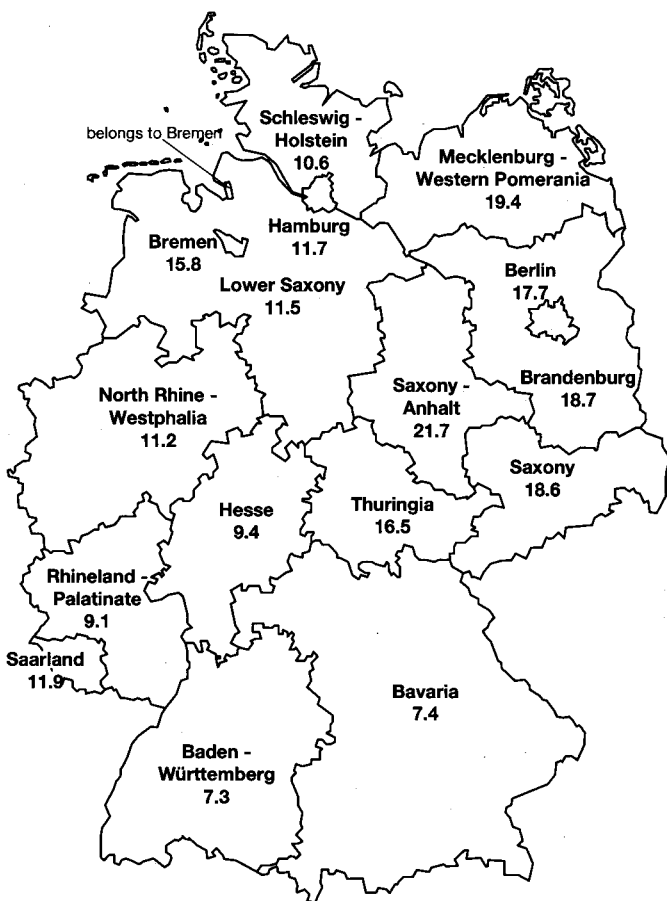
EMPLOYMENT

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
New Länder and Berlin-East				
Active population¹⁾	1 000	8 168	8 182	8 159
Persons engaged in economic activity ...	1 000	6 605	6 544	6 673
Incl.: Female	1 000	2 957	2 935	3 006
Unemployed.....	1 000	1 562	1 638	1 486
Incl.: Female	1 000	880	887	781
Inactive population¹⁾	1 000	7 250	7 164	7 105
Incl.: Female.....	1 000	4 067	4 038	4 023
Persons engaged in economic activity¹⁾				
By sectors of the economy				
Agriculture, forestry and fisheries.....	%	3,8	3,6	3,9
Production industries	%	33,4	32,4	31,4
Distributive trade, hotel and restaurant industry, transport	%	22,3	22,2	22,2
Other services	%	40,5	41,8	42,5
Structural data on the labour market				
Short-time workers	1 000 ²⁾	49,5	34,0	27,0
Unemployed.....	1 000 ²⁾	1 363,6	1 374,9	1 343,7
Viz.: Male.....	1 000 ²⁾	601,7	631,9	624,3
Female.....	1 000 ²⁾	761,9	743,1	719,4
Juveniles under 25 years of age	1 000 ²⁾	139,0	143,9	137,6
55 years and over.....	1 000 ²⁾	267,4	282,1	290,6
Severely handicapped persons.....	1 000 ²⁾	31,3	33,3	36,3
Persons seeking part-time work	1 000 ²⁾	40,6	39,1	38,8
Foreigners.....	1 000 ²⁾	26,2	29,5	32,4
Unemployment rate ³⁾	%	19,5	19,5	19,0
Vacancies unfilled	1 000 ²⁾	55,6	79,4	70,2
Placements	1 000 ⁴⁾	801,7	1 075,2	1 018,4
Employees in job-creation measures ⁵⁾	1 000 ²⁾	234,5	313,8	348,1
Cases of starting vocational further training.....	1 000 ⁴⁾	155,4	236,0	183,3
Transitional benefits for early retirement...	1 000 ²⁾	58,4	1,8	0,5

1) Microcensus results, April. - 2) Annual average. - 3) Share of unemployed persons in the dependent civilian labour force (employees subject to social insurance, marginal part-time workers, public officials, unemployed persons). - 4) Annual total. - 5) Incl. employees with productive wage subsidies, as of 1998 including structural adjustment measures.

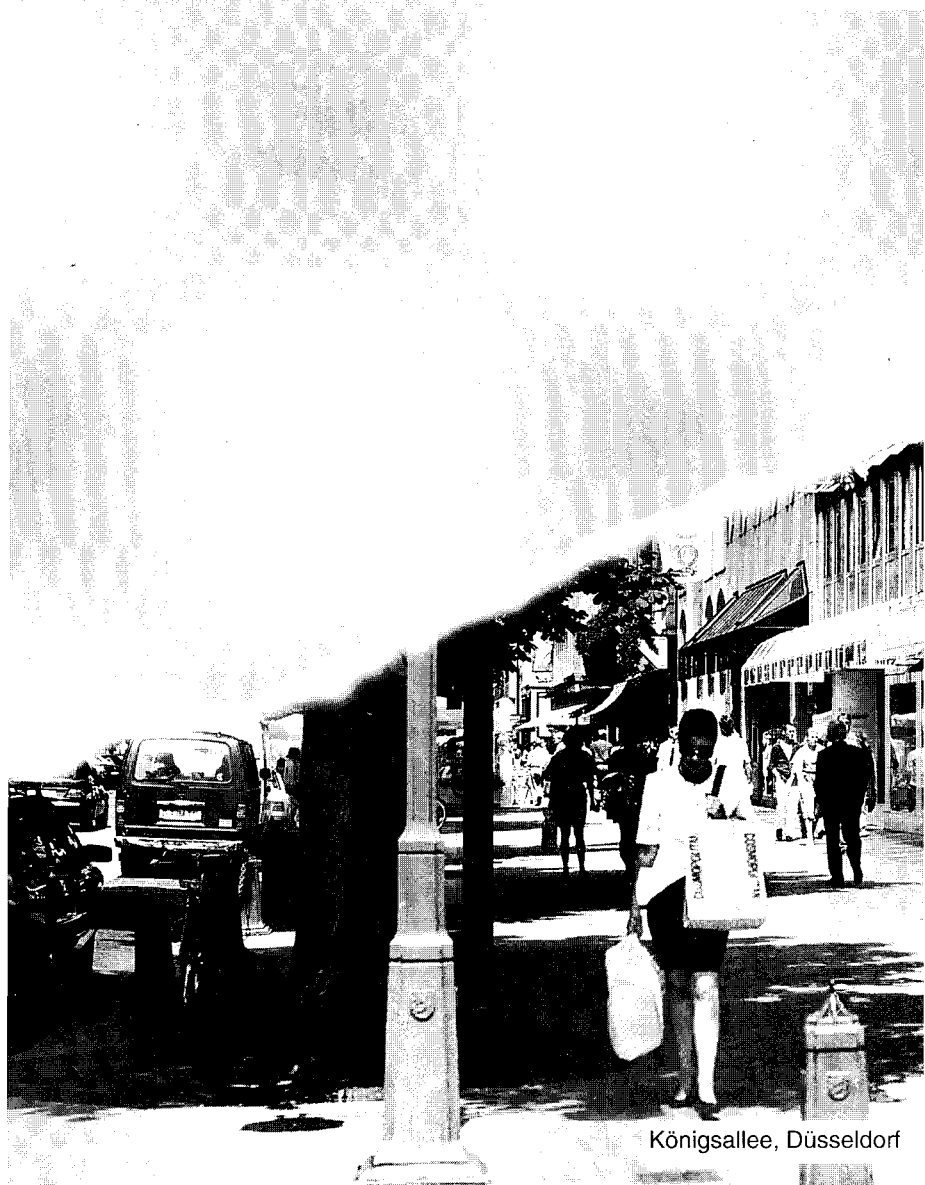
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Unemployment rate¹⁾, 1999 by Länder



1) Share of unemployed persons in the dependent civilian labour force (employees subject to social insurance, marginal part-time workers, public officials, unemployed persons). - Average figures.

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WAGES AND SALARIES

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Former territory of the Federal Republic				
Production industries¹⁾				
Weekly hours paid.....	hrs	37.7	37.8	37.7
Wage earners, male.....	hrs	37.8	37.9	37.9
Wage earners, female.....	hrs	36.7	36.8	36.7
Gross hourly earnings.....	DM	26.74	27.30	27.99
Wage earners, male.....	DM	27.74	28.30	28.99
Wage earners, female.....	DM	20.80	21.28	21.95
Gross weekly earnings.....	DM	1 010	1 033	1 058
Wage earners, male.....	DM	1 052	1 076	1 101
Wage earners, female.....	DM	762	783	807
Gross monthly earnings.....	DM	6 455	6 596	6 772
Salaried employees, male.....	DM	7 003	7 142	7 322
Salaried employees, female.....	DM	4 899	5 028	5 188
Crafts²⁾				
Gross hourly earnings.....	DM	23.63	23.93	24.26
Painters and lacquerers.....	DM	24.36	24.57	24.95
Metal fitters.....	DM	23.70	23.94	24.48
Motorcar mechanics.....	DM	23.34	23.74	24.15
Tinners, gas and water fitters.....	DM	24.52	24.90	25.01
Central heating and ventilation fitters ..	DM	24.22	24.32	24.71
Electrical fitters.....	DM	23.12	23.58	23.91
Joiners.....	DM	24.00	24.17	24.35
Bakers.....	DM	21.61	22.02	22.28
Butchers.....	DM	21.92	22.29	22.68
Agriculture³⁾				
Gross hourly earnings.....	DM	19.50	20.05	20.00
Skilled workers.....	DM	20.73	20.92	20.88
Farm workers.....	DM	18.81	19.98	19.88
Unskilled workers.....	DM	17.86	17.88	17.99
Wholesale trade¹⁾				
Gross monthly earnings.....	DM	4 854	4 975	5 110
Salaried employees, male.....	DM	5 327	5 437	5 577
Salaried employees, female.....	DM	4 048	4 171	4 290
Retail trade¹⁾				
Gross monthly earnings.....	DM	3 900	3 970	4 019
Salaried employees, male.....	DM	4 485	4 550	4 593
Salaried employees, female.....	DM	3 514	3 574	3 626

1) According to the Classification of Economic Activities 1993 (WZ 93). - 2) Male workers. - May. -
3) Male workers, excl. Berlin-West, Bremen, Hamburg and Saarland. - September.

WAGES AND SALARIES

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
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Former territory of the Federal Republic

Credit institutions¹⁾

Gross monthly earnings	DM	5 356	5 476	5 678
Salaried employees, male	DM	5 987	6 114	6 327
Salaried employees, female	DM	4 649	4 750	4 930

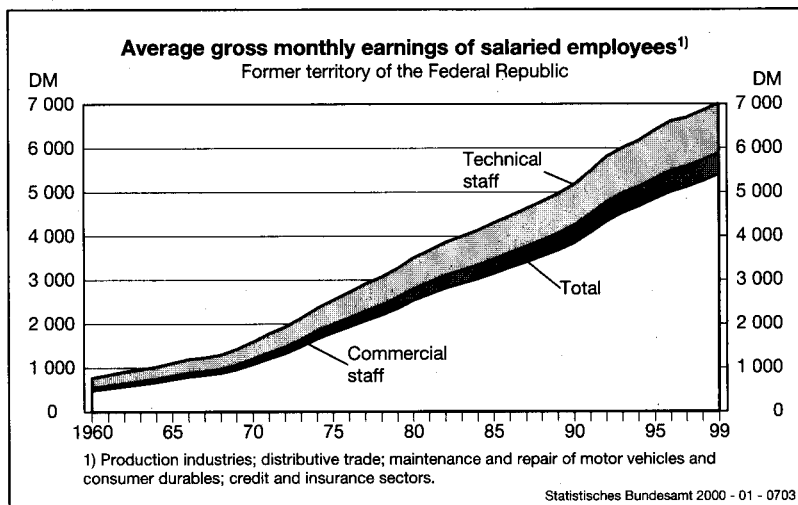
Insurance industry¹⁾

Gross monthly earnings	DM	5 707	5 833	6 024
Salaried employees, male	DM	6 293	6 421	6 613
Salaried employees, female	DM	5 007	5 126	5 309

Distributive trade, credit and insurance industry¹⁾

Gross monthly earnings	DM	4 775	4 892	5 044
Salaried employees, male	DM	5 391	5 506	5 670
Salaried employees, female	DM	4 082	4 184	4 311

1) According to the Classification of Economic Activities 1993 (WZ 93).



WAGES AND SALARIES

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
New Länder and Berlin-East				
Production Industries¹⁾				
Weekly hours paid.....	hrs	39,5	39,7	39,7
Wage earners, male.....	hrs	39,6	39,7	39,7
Wage earners, female.....	hrs	39,2	39,6	39,4
Gross hourly earnings.....	DM	19,32	19,65	20,09
Wage earners, male.....	DM	19,88	20,23	20,67
Wage earners, female.....	DM	15,64	16,07	16,57
Gross weekly earnings.....	DM	767	782	800
Wage earners, male.....	DM	790	806	825
Wage earners, female.....	DM	614	636	654
Gross monthly earnings.....	DM	4 770	4 911	5 040
Salaried employees, male.....	DM	5 340	5 488	5 635
Salaried employees, female.....	DM	3 991	4 117	4 227
Crafts²⁾				
Gross hourly earnings.....	DM	16.28	16.39	16.57
Painters and lacquerers.....	DM	17.36	17.30	17.38
Metal fitters.....	DM	16.12	16.48	16.51
Motorcar mechanics.....	DM	16.27	16.39	16.67
Tinnern, gas and water fitters.....	DM	17.21	17.15	17.27
Central heating and ventilation fitters ..	DM	16.88	16.93	17.12
Electrical fitters.....	DM	15.51	15.72	16.13
Joiners.....	DM	15.88	16.00	16.13
Bakers.....	DM	13.61	13.72	13.87
Butchers.....	DM	13.91	14.22	14.31
Agriculture³⁾				
Gross hourly earnings.....	DM	13.42	13.76	13.94
Skilled workers.....	DM	13.46	13.80	13.97
Farm workers.....	DM	13.57	13.94	14.04
Unskilled workers.....	DM	11.07	11.75	12.46
Wholesale trade¹⁾				
Gross monthly earnings.....	DM	3 491	3 559	3 681
Salaried employees, male.....	DM	3 875	3 928	4 066
Salaried employees, female.....	DM	2 998	3 066	3 141
Retail trade¹⁾				
Gross monthly earnings.....	DM	3 089	3 189	3 254
Salaried employees, male.....	DM	3 517	3 578	3 616
Salaried employees, female.....	DM	2 939	3 044	3 121

1) According to the Classification of Economic Activities 1993 (WZ 93). - 2) Male workers. - May. -
 3) Male workers, excl. Berlin-East. - September.

WAGES AND SALARIES

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
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New Länder and Berlin-East

Credit institutions¹⁾

Gross monthly earnings	DM	4 168	4 268	4 419
Salaried employees, male	DM	4 662	4 728	4 887
Salaried employees, female	DM	4 019	4 120	4 260

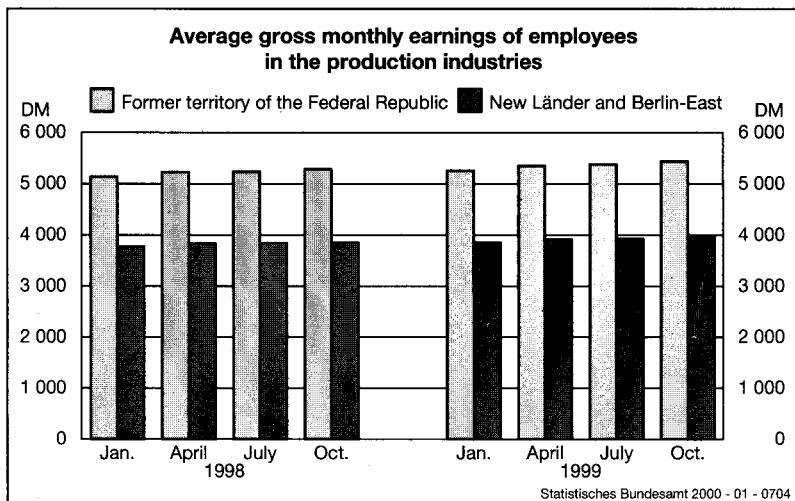
Insurance industry¹⁾

Gross monthly earnings	DM	4 594	5 031	5 202
Salaried employees, male	DM	4 838	5 406	5 589
Salaried employees, female	DM	4 514	4 882	5 042

Distributive trade, credit and insurance industry¹⁾

Gross monthly earnings	DM	3 581	3 699	3 825
Salaried employees, male	DM	3 942	4 038	4 172
Salaried employees, female	DM	3 377	3 497	3 612

1) According to the Classification of Economic Activities 1993 (WZ 93).

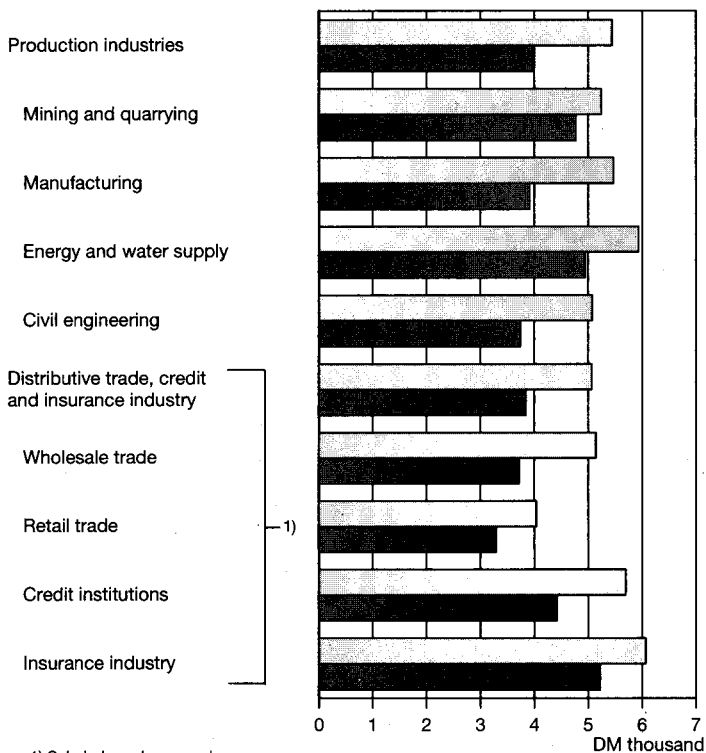


WAGES AND SALARIES

Average gross monthly earnings of both wage earners and salaried employees, by sectors of economic activity, October 1999

Former territory of
the Federal Republic

New Länder and Berlin-East



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CONSUMER PRICES

Specification	1997	1998	1999
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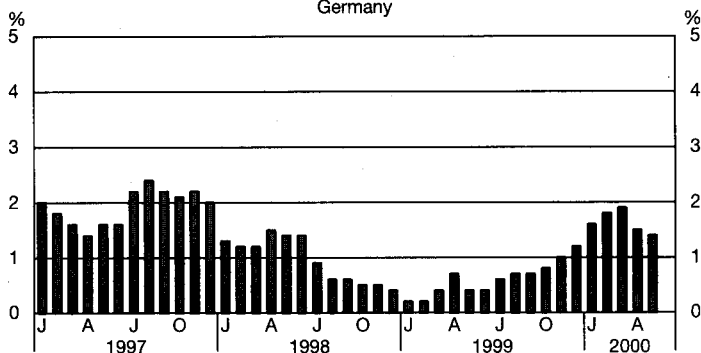
Germany 1995 = 100

Consumer price index for all households	103.3	104.3	104.9
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	102.0	103.0	101.7
Alcoholic beverages, tobacco	102.7	104.7	106.0
Clothing and footwear	101.1	101.5	101.8
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	105.1	106.0	107.4
Furnishings, household equipment and routine maintenance of the household	101.1	101.8	102.1
Health	108.7	114.4	110.6
Transport	104.3	104.7	107.6
Communication	97.9	97.3	88.2
Recreation and culture	102.5	103.1	103.4
Education	107.8	112.9	117.5
Restaurants and hotels	102.1	103.6	104.9
Miscellaneous goods and services	102.3	102.8	104.5

Consumer price index of all households of employees

Change from the preceding year in %

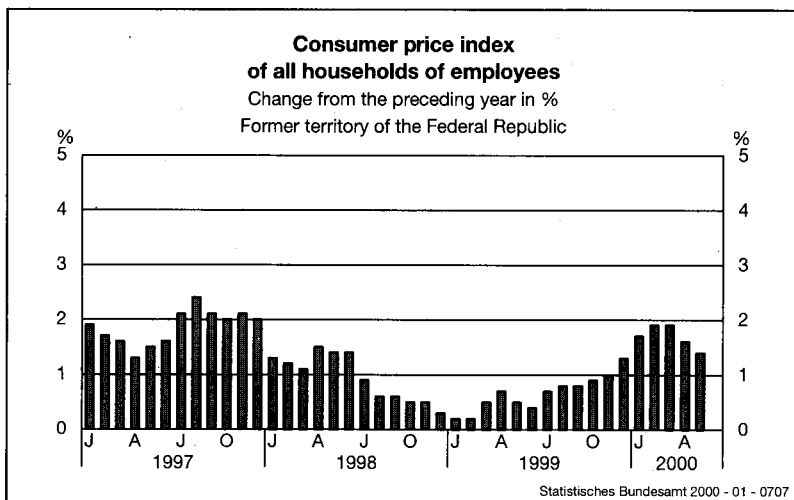
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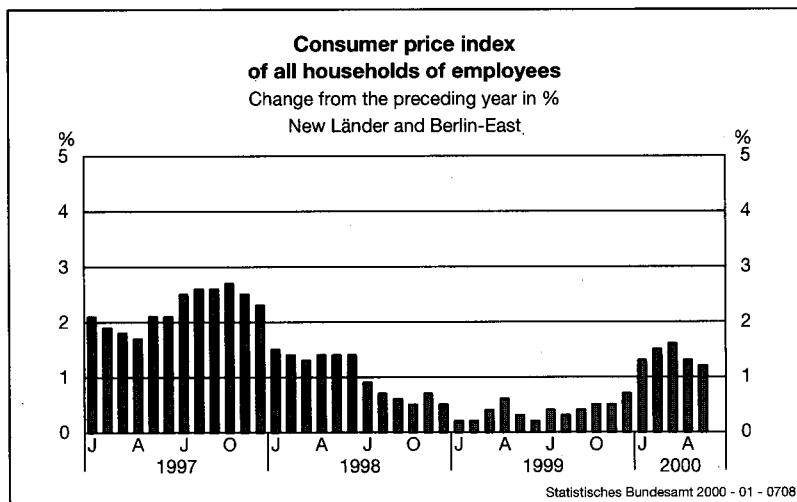
CONSUMER PRICES

Specification	1997	1998	1999
Former territory of the Federal Republic			
1995 = 100			
Consumer price index for all households	103.2	104.1	104.8
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	102.0	103.0	101.7
Alcoholic beverages, tobacco	102.8	104.8	106.2
Clothing and footwear	101.3	101.7	102.1
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	104.6	105.5	106.9
Furnishings, household equipment and routine maintenance of the household	101.2	102.0	102.3
Health	108.0	113.2	110.0
Transport	104.2	104.6	107.5
Communication	97.8	97.2	88.0
Recreation and culture	102.3	102.9	103.2
Education	106.0	111.6	116.8
Restaurants and hotels	102.1	103.5	104.8
Miscellaneous goods and services	102.2	102.6	104.3



CONSUMER PRICES

Specification	1997	1998	1999
New Länder and Berlin-East 1995 = 100			
Consumer price index for all households	104.2	105.3	105.7
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	101.9	103.2	101.6
Alcoholic beverages, tobacco	102.4	104.1	105.1
Clothing and footwear	100.4	100.7	100.6
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	108.1	109.1	110.6
Furnishings, household equipment and routine maintenance of the household	100.6	100.9	101.1
Health	115.3	125.7	115.3
Transport	104.8	105.3	108.1
Communication	97.8	97.3	88.5
Recreation and culture	103.6	104.6	104.7
Education	114.6	117.8	119.8
Restaurants and hotels	102.7	104.1	105.6
Miscellaneous goods and services	103.3	104.0	105.6



RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS

Specification	Former territory of the Fed. Rep.		New Länder and Berlin-East	
	1993	1 st half of 1998	1993	1 st half of 1998

Composition of income and receipts

(DM per household and month)

Gross income from dependent employment	3 445	3 448	2 373	2 583
Gross income from self-employment	569	479	238	201
Property income	703	883	186	356
Incl.: Imputed rent of owner-occupied dwellings ..	352	578	83	251
Income from public transfer payments	1 141	1 460	1 203	1 621
Income from non-public transfer payments	315	296	118	133
Household gross income	6 173	6 565	4 117	4 894
– Income tax and solidarity surcharge	691	687	302	372
– Compulsory social security contributions	523	624	427	565
= Household net income	4 959	5 254	3 389	3 956
+ Receipts from selling goods and other receipts	55	105	31	73
= Spendable income and receipts	5 014	5 359	3 419	4 029

Spending of spendable income and receipts

(DM per household and month)

Food, beverages, tobacco products	594	562	544	517
Clothing, footwear	282	224	215	178
Housing, energy, maintenance	990	1 358	597	988
Incl.: Rents and the like	726	1 044	363	706
Energy	205	196	179	171
Furnishings and fittings, household appliances and commodities	247	283	218	264
Health care	124	159	49	87
Transport	539	568	442	466
Communications	82	102	51	83
Leisure, entertainment and culture	392	487	315	400
Education	22	23	24	15
Accommodation and restaurant services	231	197	143	129
Other goods and services	136	173	103	133
Final consumption of households	3 639	4 136	2 700	3 259
Other taxes and the like	25	42	15	26
Voluntary social security contributions	95	102	42	51
Insurance premiums	191	281	97	193
Other expenditure (incl. other items)	717	599	302	370
+ Expenditure for formation of capital	1 925	1 929	1 021	1 109
+ Repayment of loans (or building loan interests)	325	394	114	186
– Receipts from formation of capital and borrowing	1 592	1 699	717	895
= Savings	658	624	418	400

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS

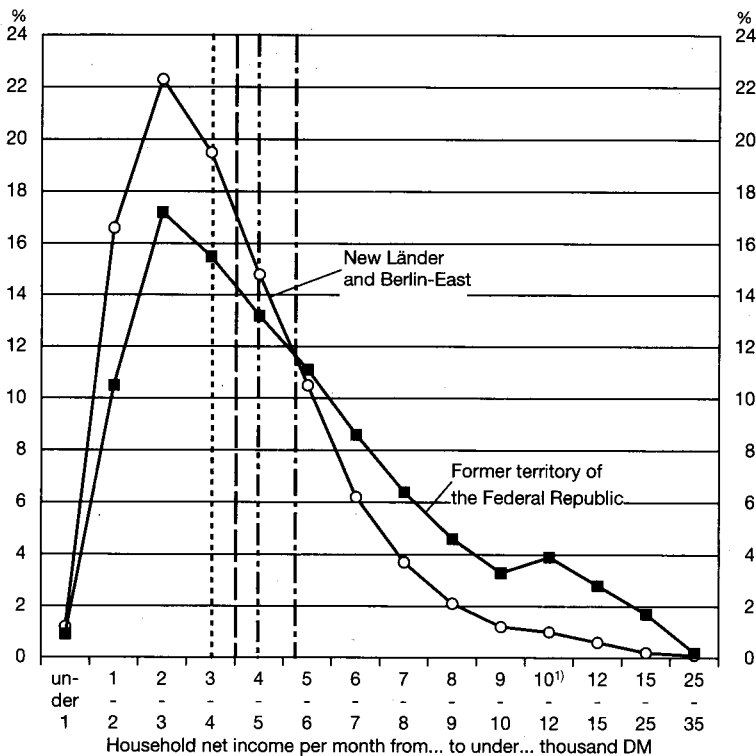
Specification	Former territory of the Fed. Rep.		New Länder and Berlin-East	
	Couples without child	Couples with 1 child	Couples without child	Couples with 1 child
Composition of income and receipts				
in the first half of 1998 (DM per household and month)				
Gross income from dependent employment	3 423	5 121	2 036	4 580
Gross income from self-employment	463	603	156	(401)
Property income	1 113	787	414	447
Incl.: Imputed rent of owner-occupied dwellings ..	697	586	255	366
Income from public transfer payments	1 994	980	2 292	1 067
Income from non-public transfer payments	336	259	99	169
Household gross income	7 329	7 750	4 997	6 664
– Income tax and solidarity surcharge	742	824	300	677
– Compulsory social security contributions	649	860	511	874
= Household net income	5 938	6 066	4 186	5 113
+ Receipts from selling goods and other receipts	113	170	82	104
= Spendable income and receipts	6 051	6 236	4 268	5 217
Spending of spendable income and receipts				
in the first half of 1998 (DM per household and month)				
Food, beverages, tobacco products	606	731	543	667
Clothing, footwear	249	283	185	245
Housing, energy, maintenance	1 492	1 451	1 026	1 192
Incl.: Rents and the like	1 128	1 119	728	836
Energy	214	209	171	201
Furnishings and fittings, household appliances and commodities	344	373	338	270
Health care	217	148	113	83
Transport	667	750	504	601
Communications	101	114	78	94
Leisure, entertainment and culture	572	526	445	476
Education	14	27	7	17
Accommodation and restaurant services	248	204	138	172
Other goods and services	181	217	128	193
Final consumption of households	4 691	4 824	3 504	4 011
Other taxes and the like	51	45	27	42
Voluntary social security contributions	118	122	57	(65)
Insurance premiums	327	325	190	288
Other expenditure (incl. other items)	731	629	379	475
+ Expenditure for formation of capital	2 228	2 342	1 291	1 570
+ Repayment of loans (or building loan interests)	371	538	155	321
– Receipts from formation of capital and borrowing	1 970	2 097	1 061	1 160
= Savings	629	783	385	731

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF HOUSEHOLDS

Households by household net income classes

Result of the sample survey of income and expenditure, 1st half of 1998

- Median, new Länder and Berlin-East
- Arithmetic mean, new Länder and Berlin-East
- Median, former territory of the Federal Republic
- Arithmetic mean, former territory of the Federal Republic



1) From DM 10 000, larger income classes were specified for better illustration.

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EQUIPMENTS OF HOUSEHOLDS

Specification	Germany	Former territory of the Federal Republic of Germany	New Länder and Berlin- East
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Degree of equipment¹⁾, 1999, per 100 households

Equipment for the reception, recording, and reproduction of sound and pictures

TV set	95.7	95.3	97.8
Video-cassette recorder	65.7	66.1	64.1
Video camera/Cam-corder	16.6	16.7	16.5
Stereo systems	65.6	68.3	54.2
Satellite equipment	28.0	28.2	27.3
Cable television	53.2	50.3	65.6

Personal computers and communications

Personal computer	44.9	46.3	38.7
Notebook, laptop	4.9	5.5	2.3
Other PCs	43.1	44.4	37.4
Modem for data communication	11.3	12.2	7.8
Internet or online services	10.7	11.4	7.7
ISDN connection	5.2	5.6	3.4
Telephone	98.5	98.6	97.7
Telephone, fixed (incl. cordless)	97.7	98.0	96.5
Telephone, mobile (car telephone, mobile handset)	16.5	16.7	15.5
Telephone answering machine	39.3	40.5	34.0
Fax machine, PC fax board	14.9	16.1	9.6

Electric household appliances

Combined refrigerator/freezer	85.1	83.8	91.0
Freezer	55.0	57.3	45.1
Dishwasher	45.2	49.2	28.4
Micro-wave oven	52.5	54.4	44.1
Washing machine	93.1	92.6	95.5
Dryer	29.5	32.8	15.1

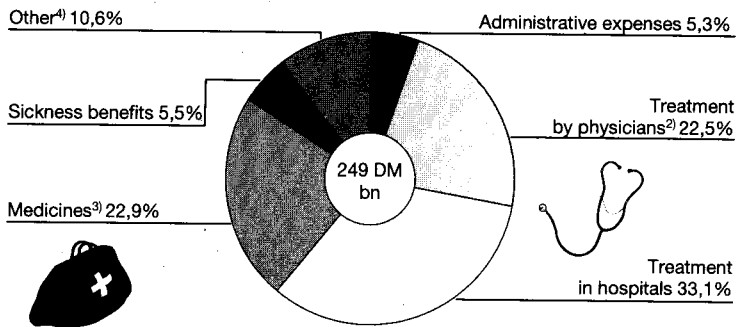
1) Number of households equipped with the respective consumer durables in relation to all households of the column concerned.

SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEMES

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Germany				
Statutory health insurance¹⁾				
Funds	Number	556	483	459
Members (incl. pensioners) ²⁾	1 000	50 847	50 684	50 927
Receipts ³⁾	DM mn	246 736	249 857	...
Expenditure ³⁾	DM mn	245 053	249 315	...
Social nursing care insurance¹⁾				
Members insured on 1 October	1 000	71 688	71 458	71 545
Recipients of benefits at the end of the year	1 000	1 661	1 738	1 819
Nursing care level I	1 000	728	804	869
Nursing care level II	1 000	676	682	696
Nursing care level III (incl. cases of hardship)	1 000	256	251	254
Expenditure on benefits	DM bn	28,03	29,38	30,41
Incl.: Full-time institutional nursing care ..	DM bn	12,72	13,75	14,42
Administrative and other expenditure	DM bn	1,57	1,57	1,57
Total expenditure	DM bn	29,60	30,95	31,98
Licensed domestic nursing care services ⁴⁾ ..	Number	11 738	11 743	12 433
Licensed full in-patient nursing homes ⁴⁾	Number	7 963	7 991	8 356

1) Source: Federal Ministry of Health. - 2) Average of 12 monthly values. - 3) Excl. expenditure of the risk structure compensation scheme. - 4) Source: Association of Salaried Employees' Sickness Funds.

Expenditure of statutory health insurance 1998¹⁾



1) Germany. - 2) Incl. dentists. - 3) Incl. remedies and remedial aids, and dental prostheses. - 4) Excl. expenditure of the risk structure compensation scheme.

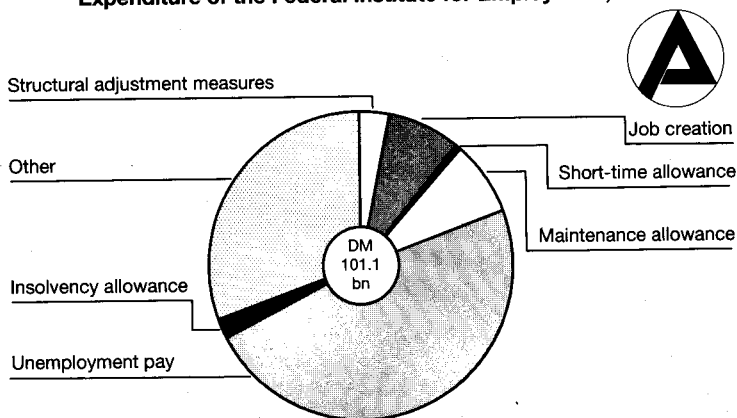
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SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEMES

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Germany				
Statutory accident insurance¹⁾				
Number of persons insured ²⁾	1 000	56 854	56 341	...
Number of pensions paid ²⁾	1 000	1 171	1 157	...
Receipts ³⁾	DM mn	26 632	26 353	...
Expenditure ³⁾	DM mn	26 240	25 952	...
Promotion of employment⁴⁾				
Unemployment pay and relief				
Recipients ⁵⁾	1 000	3 509	3 491	3 512
Expenditure	DM mn	87 227	83 265	79 100
Maintenance allowance				
Recipients ⁵⁾	1 000	360	331	343
Expenditure	DM mn	8 119	7 770	7 911
Short-time allowance				
Recipients ⁵⁾	1 000	183	115	119
Expenditure	DM mn	1 045	656	615
Federal Institute for Employment				
Receipts	DM mn	93 149	91 088	93 790
Expenditure	DM mn	102 723	98 852	101 104

1) Source: Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs. – 2) Excl. accident insurance for pupils. – 3) Incl. accident insurance for pupils. – 4) Source: Federal Institute for Employment. – 5) Average of 12 monthly values.

Expenditure of the Federal Institute for Employment, 1999



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SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEMES

Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
Germany				
Statutory pension insurance¹⁾				
Wage earners:				
Number of persons insured ²⁾	1 000	21 143	21 073	20 680
Number of pensions paid on 1 July	1 000	12 338	12 503	12 695
Receipts	DM mn	199 107	204 101	208 582
Expenditure	DM mn	198 298	202 870	208 574
Salaried employees:				
Number of persons insured ²⁾	1 000	22 098	22 039	22 173
Number of pensions paid on 1 July	1 000	7 960	8 126	8 328
Receipts	DM mn	178 997	189 818	193 749
Expenditure	DM mn	186 876	189 151	190 364
Miners:				
Number of persons insured on 1 July ²⁾	1 000	434	458	434
Number of pensions paid on 1 July	1 000	1 002	1 003	1 002
Receipts	DM mn	27 256	27 484	27 790
Expenditure	DM mn	27 256	27 484	27 790
Severely handicapped persons³⁾⁴⁾				
Total	1 000	x	6 621,2	x
under 25 years of age	1 000	x	254,5	x
25 to under 60 years of age	1 000	x	2 100,8	x
60 years of age and over	1 000	x	4 265,8	x
Rent subsidies				
Recipients ³⁾	1 000	2 719	2 861	2 947
Expenditure ⁵⁾	DM mn	6 115	6 704	7 109
Assistance for war victims				
Expenditure	DM mn	2 338	1 496	1 347

1) Source: Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs. – 2) Microcensus results, April each time. – 3) At the end of the year. – 4) The statistics are compiled only every two years (reference day: 31 December). – 5) Source: Up to 1996: Federal Ministry for Regional Planning, Building and Urban Development. Afterwards cash entries by appropriating agencies.

SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEMES

Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
Germany				
Public assistance				
Recipients of continuous subsistence payments outside institutions ¹⁾	1 000	2 689	2 893	2 879
Men	1 000	1 176	1 272	1 262
Women	1 000	1 513	1 621	1 617
Germans	1 000	2 052	2 228	2 215
Non-Germans	1 000	636	665	665
Expenditure on public assistance, total .	DM mn	49 791	44 546	45 043
outside institutions	DM mn	20 785	21 950	22 917
in institutions	DM mn	29 006	22 597	22 126
Subsistence payments	DM mn	19 413	20 180	20 619
Incl.: Outside institutions	DM mn	18 089	19 160	19 857
Assistance in special situations	DM mn	30 378	24 366	24 424
Assistance during sickness, other assistance ²⁾	DM mn	2 103	2 201	2 382
Integration assistance for handicapped persons	DM mn	13 810	14 742	15 546
Assistance for nursing care	DM mn	13 887	6 844	5 870
Benefits for asylum-seekers				
Recipients of normal benefits ¹⁾	1 000	490	487	439
Expenditure pursuant to the Act on benefits for Asylum-seekers	DM mn	5 631	5 188	4 379
Children's allowance³⁾⁴⁾				
Entitled persons ⁵⁾	1 000	8 454	8 564	8 637
Children, total ⁵⁾	1 000	14 114	14 331	14 451
Of whom: 1st child	1 000	8 278	8 396	8 480
2nd child	1 000	4 250	4 320	4 347
3rd child	1 000	1 167	1 191	1 199
4th and further children	1 000	419	424	424
Amounts paid ⁶⁾⁷⁾	DM mn	37 285	40 466	40 932

1) At the end of the year. - 2) Other assistance: Assistance regarding sterilisation and family planning. - 3) Source: Federal Institute for Employment. - 4) Excl. staff of the Federation, the Länder and communities/local authority associations. - 5) December. - 6) Amounts paid during the year incl. supplementary educational grants for low-income families. - 7) At the beginning of 1996, the annual tax act entered into force pursuant to which families may now choose between either receiving children's allowance or a tax deduction.

SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEMES

Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
Germany				
Educational grants¹⁾				
Recipients (approved first applications)	Number	725 468	751 245	732 372
by labour force participation				
Persons in dependent employment ²⁾	Number	421 243	430 391	416 070
Incl.: On parental leave	Number	398 374	411 504	396 738
Self-employed persons and family workers	Number	10 843	11 887	12 514
Inactive persons	Number	293 382	308 967	303 788
by family situation				
Married persons not permanently separated	Number	599 628	613 586	586 051
Single parents	Number	68 825	73 154	74 972
Persons living in consensual union	Number	57 015	64 505	71 349
Expenditure	DM mn	6 962	7 131	7 156
Public youth welfare				
Young persons				
receiving educational assistance outside their home ³⁾	Number	141 404	147 860	155 978
having completed an institutional advice programme ⁴⁾	Number	239 546	248 095	254 585
receiving educational assistance to overcome developmental problems ³⁾	Number	8 948	9 643	9 859
receiving educational assistance ordered by the court ³⁾	Number	3 599	3 668	3 807
participating in social group work ³⁾	Number	3 651	4 791	5 076
Families receiving socio-educational family assistance ³⁾	Number	12 484	13 876	15 268
Children and juveniles adopted ⁴⁾	Number	7 420	7 173	7 119
Children and juveniles				
subject to curatorship by the youth welfare office ordered by the guardianship court ³⁾	Number	31 909	32 300	28 046
subject to guardianship by the youth welfare office ordered by the guardianship court ³⁾	Number	36 012	35 838	35 272
Revocations of child custody ⁴⁾ (incl. partial)	Number	8 163	7 984	7 717
Assistance for single parents ³⁾	Number	132 154	130 285	706 414 ⁵⁾
Expenditure	DM mn	34 261	34 252	34 637
Incl.: For day care centres	DM mn	18 759	18 192	17 981

1) Sources: Federal Ministry for Family Affairs, Senior Citizens, Women and Youth, and for the expenditure: Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs. – 2) Before receipt of educational grants. – 3) At the end of the year. – 4) Measures completed during the year. – 5) Incl. curatorships by the youth welfare office transformed from 1 July 1998.

SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEMES

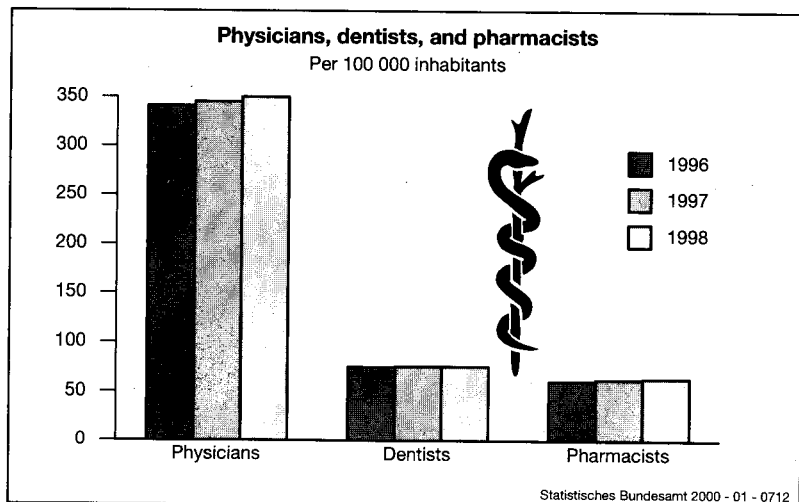
Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Former territory of the Federal Republic				
Pension insurance funds¹⁾				
Average monthly pensions ²⁾ paid to persons insured				
Wage earners	DM	1 090	1 104	1 124
Salaried employees	DM	1 491	1 505	1 531
Miners	DM	2 418	2 418	2 458
Promotion of employment³⁾				
Unemployment pay and relief				
Recipients ⁴⁾	1 000	2 231	2 193	2 202
Expenditure	DM mn	58 876	55 042	51 958
Maintenance allowance				
Recipients ⁴⁾	1 000	201	187	203
Expenditure	DM mn	4 272	4 289	4 565
Short-time allowance				
Recipients ⁴⁾	1 000	133	81	92
Expenditure	DM mn	774	483	496
New Länder and Berlin-East				
Pension insurance funds¹⁾				
Average monthly pensions ²⁾ paid to persons insured				
Wage earners	DM	1 317	1 331	1 360
Salaried employees	DM	1 457	1 503	1 546
Miners	DM	1 738	1 749	1 812
Promotion of employment³⁾				
Unemployment pay and relief				
Recipients ⁴⁾	1 000	1 277	1 298	1 309
Expenditure	DM mn	28 351	28 222	27 143
Maintenance allowance				
Recipients ⁴⁾	1 000	160	144	140
Expenditure	DM mn	3 847	3 481	3 346
Short-time allowance				
Recipients ⁴⁾	1 000	49	34	27
Expenditure	DM mn	271	173	119

1) Source: Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs. – 2) After deduction of the contributions to pensioners' health insurance and to nursing care insurance. – 3) Source: Federal Institute for Employment. – 4) Average of 12 monthly values.

HEALTH

Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
Hospital staff¹⁾	Number	1 269 221	1 240 116	1 232 661
Physicians	Number	115 143	115 734	117 949
Nursing staff	Number	449 546	441 647	441 474
Working physicians	Number	279 335	282 737	287 032
Viz.: Working in private practice	Number	112 660	114 955	116 472
Male	Number	179 107	180 722	182 542
Female	Number	100 228	102 015	104 490
Dentists	Number	61 404	62 024	62 277
Incl.: Female	Number	21 292	21 778	22 084
Pharmacists	Number	50 372	52 076	52 221
Incl.: Female	Number	30 312	31 535	31 741
Pharmacies	Number	21 912	22 058	22 141

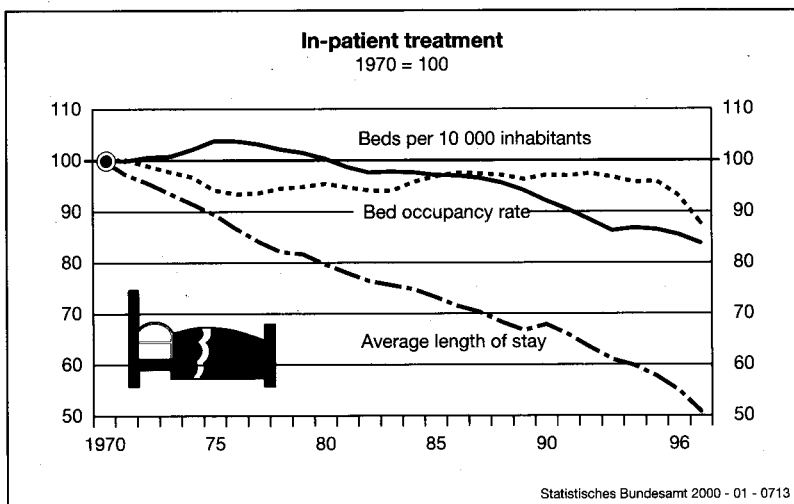
1) Excl. hospitals of the armed forces, incl. prevention/rehabilitation facilities.



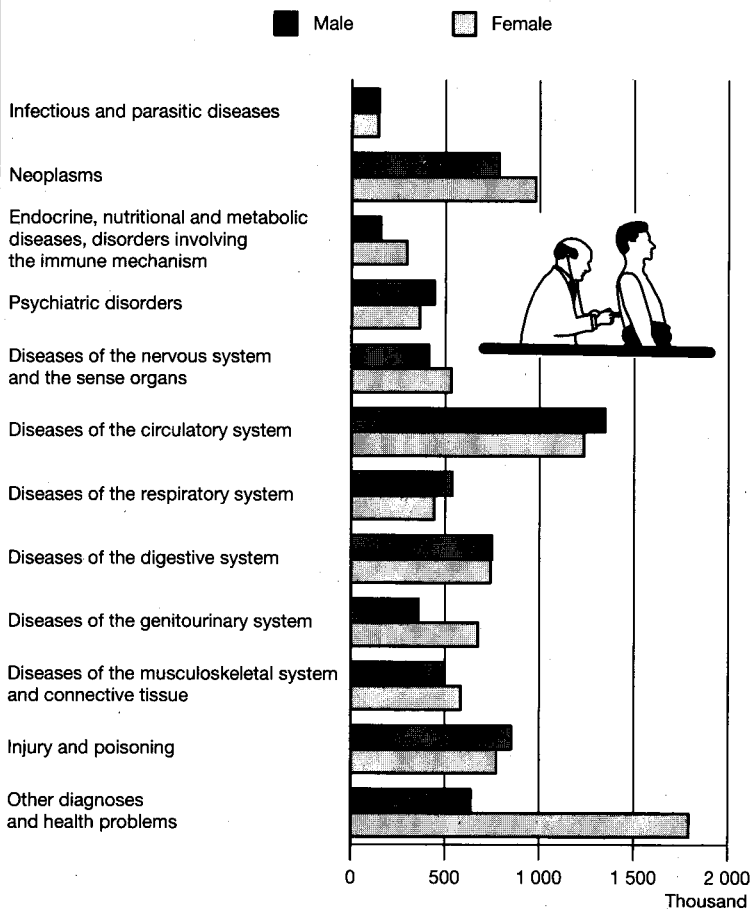
HEALTH

Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
Hospitals	Number	2 269	2 258	2 263
Beds	Number	593 743	580 425	571 629
In-patients	1 000	15 232	15 511	15 952
Length of stay	Days	11,4	11,0	10,7
Bed occupancy rate	%	80,2	80,7	81,9
Total cost of all hospitals	DM 1 000	97 172	97 690	99 605
Per in-patient ¹⁾	DM	6 210	6 139	6 085
Per day of care ¹⁾	DM	543	557	568
Prevention/rehabilitation facilities	Number	1 404	1 387	1 395
Beds	Number	189 888	188 869	190 967
Persons treated	1 000	1 917	1 575	1 746
Length of stay	Days	30,2	27,3	26,4

1) Adjusted cost.



Hospital patients in 1997 by sex and main diagnoses



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HEALTH

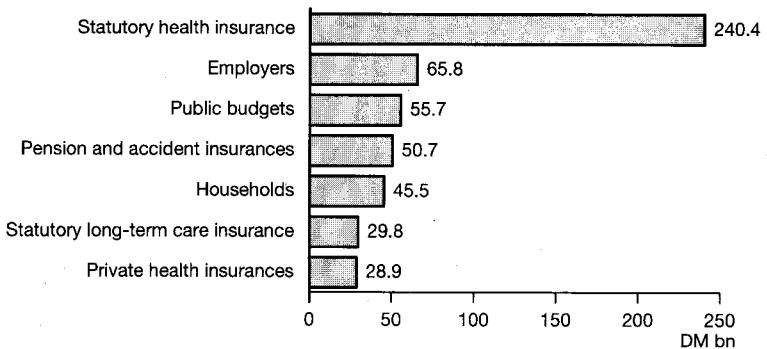
Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
Most frequent causes of death¹⁾				
Diseases of the circulatory system	Number	425 884	415 892	411 404
Incl.: Cerebrovascular diseases	Number	99 266	93 647	90 194
Myocardial infarction	Number	85 206	82 893	81 988
Malignant neoplasms	Number	212 888	210 090	212 748
Incl.: Tracheal, bronchial, pulmonary ...	Number	36 784	37 248	37 934
Diseases of the respiratory system	Number	53 843	50 434	49 084
Diseases of the digestive system	Number	41 940	40 814	40 510
Incl.: Chronic liver diseases and hepatocirrhosis	Number	19 202	18 620	18 563
Accidents	Number	23 549	22 482	19 673
Incl.: By fall	Number	10 237	9 384	7 229
Suicide	Number	12 225	12 265	11 644
Infant deaths	Number	3 962	3 951	3 668
Incl.: Cot death syndrome	Number	692	671	602
Abortions	Number	130 899	130 890	131 795
Notifiable diseases				
Salmonellosis	Number	109 794	106 277	98 352
Tuberculosis (all forms)	Number	11 814	11 163	10 440
Venereal diseases	Number	4 643	4 091	3 584
Encephalitis and meningitis	Number	3 039	4 515	3 506
Infectious hepatitis	Number	16 174	16 977	15 211
Additions of pensions due to incapacity for work or occupational disability²⁾				
Male	Number	283 693	266 263	237 201
Female	Number	177 637	166 865	149 504
Female	Number	106 056	99 398	87 607

1) 1998: International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems (ICD-10). 1996 and 1997: ICD-9. – 2) Statutory pension insurance.

HEALTH

Specification	Unit	1995	1996	1997
Health expenditure	DM mn	506 629	521 280	516 579
Prevention and care	DM mn	42 080	44 386	37 495
Treatment	DM mn	291 185	310 335	320 490
Out-patient treatment	DM mn	86 565	90 925	93 719
In-patient treatment	DM mn	111 536	120 233	129 257
In-patient cures	DM mn	11 297	11 424	8 358
Pharmaceuticals, applications and appliances	DM mn	64 475	69 098	69 622
Dentures	DM mn	17 312	18 655	19 534
Follow-up measures and benefits	DM mn	139 501	132 853	125 333
Incl.: Occupational and social rehabili- tation	DM mn	20 294	21 813	22 356
Continued pay	DM mn	55 267	47 931	43 220
Other income payments in the case of sickness	DM mn	22 798	22 248	18 332
Pensions for occupational disability or incapacity for work	DM mn	37 796	36 999	37 766
Education/training and research	DM mn	8 555	8 760	8 553
Not itemizable expenditure	DM mn	25 308	24 946	24 708

Health expenditure, 1997, by contributors

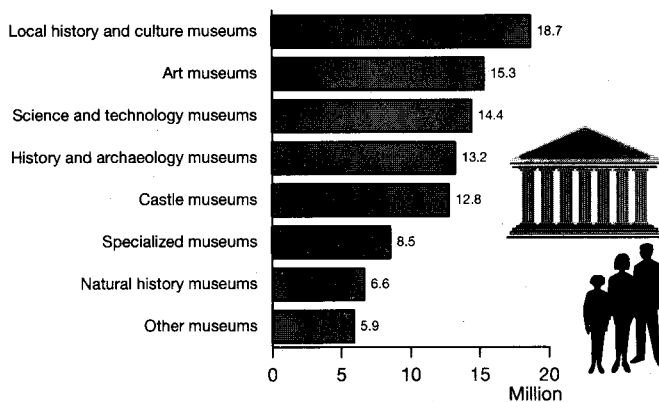


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CULTURE

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
German Sports Association				
Clubs	Number	85 427	86 236	87 052
Members	1 000	22 833	23 095	23 262
Sports badges first awarded	1 000	415	397	473
Museums				
Number of visits	mn	93	95	...
Public libraries				
Stock of media	1 000	130 010	128 321	...
Borrowings	1 000	316 118	324 553	...
Book publishing				
First editions	Number	57 680	57 678	...
Paperbacks	Number	5 330	5 472	...
Translations into German	Number	6 737	7 177	...

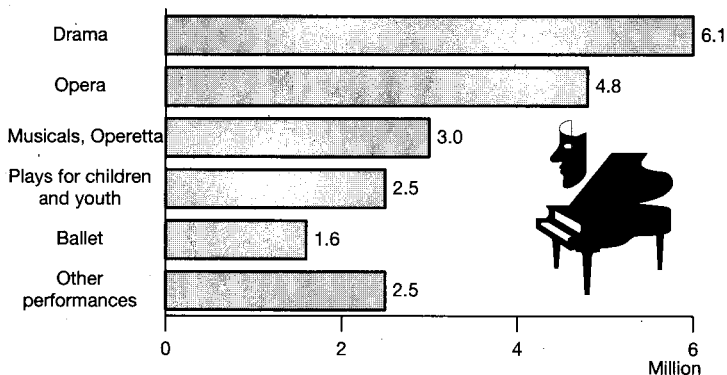
Visits to museums, 1998



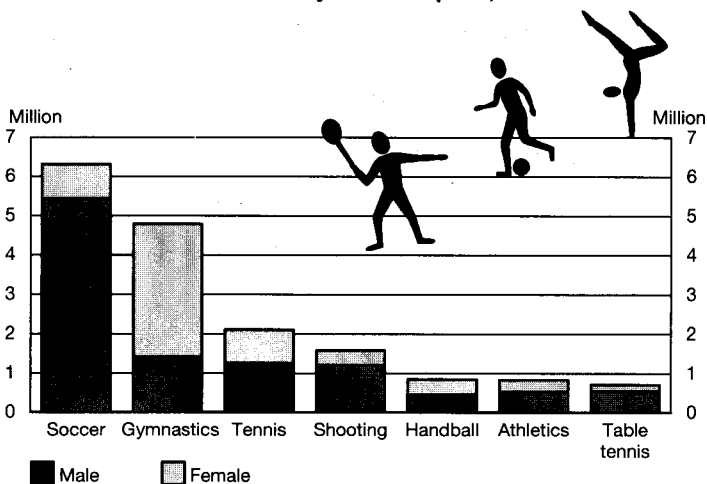
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CULTURE

Visits to public theatres¹⁾, 1997/98 season



Club members by selected sports, 1999



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CULTURE

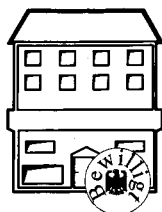
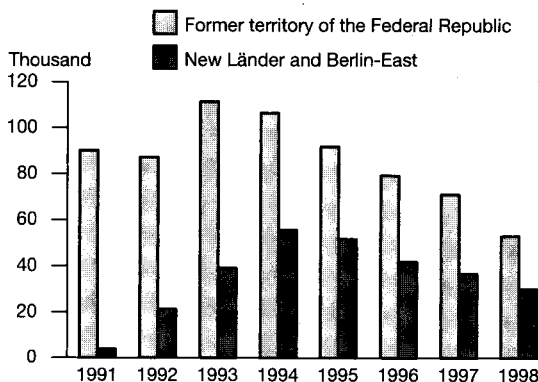
Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Music schools	Number	976	976	980
Students	1 000	866	862	868
Teachers	1 000	35	35	34
German Choral Association				
Member societies	Number	17 502	17 474	17 481
Members	1 000	1 817	1 813	1 802
Public theatres				
Theatre enterprises	Number	152	152	...
Performance sites	Number	666	682	...
Attendance	1 000	20 651	20 680	...
Performances	Number	64 637	64 574	...
Cinemas	Number	4 128	4 244	...
Seats	1 000	773	801	...
Attendance	mn	143	149	...
Radio and television				
Radio subscriptions	1 000	37 523	38 228	...
Television subscriptions	1 000	33 520	34 048	...
Hours of broadcasting				
ARD 1st channel/joint programme	Number	6 342	7 019	...
Incl.: Departments of				
Family, education and counselling	%	20,4	18,6	...
Feature films and detective series	%	20,3	20,0	...
Politics and society	%	14,6	20,1	...
ZDF main programme	Number	8 948	8 778	8 777
Incl.: Programme departments of				
Television plays and films	%	37,0	37,9	35,9
Topical issues	%	41,4	39,7	43,8
Children, youth and family	%	7,7	8,0	7,6
Youth hostels	Number	613	604	600
Beds	1 000	78	78	78
Overnights	1 000	10 245	10 056	10 187
Adult education schools	Number	994	998	...
Study groups, courses	1 000	594	609	...
Participants	1 000	8 930	9 159	...

CONSTRUCTION AND HOUSING

Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
Germany				
Dwelling stock				
Dwellings (residential and non-residential buildings)	1 000	36 492.3	37 050.3	37 529.2
Of which with ... rooms				
1	1 000	798.5	813.4	823.5
2	1 000	2 265.1	2 309.5	2 343.7
3	1 000	8 078.4	8 208.0	8 303.8
4	1 000	11 108.7	11 247.6	11 354.1
5	1 000	6 985.5	7 089.2	7 189.7
6	1 000	3 686.7	3 752.8	3 821.2
7 and over	1 000	3 569.5	3 629.8	3 693.2
Rooms, total	1 000	158 818.4	161 256.0	163 467.2
Living floor space, total	mn m ²	3 054.3	3 106.3	3 153.9
Appropriations in publicly assisted housing				
Promotions	Number	52 481	47 256	42 141
Dwellings promoted	Number	120 968	107 490	82 759
Funds	DM mn	37 474	33 281	25 811

Appropriations in publicly assisted housing

Dwellings



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CONSTRUCTION AND HOUSING

Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
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Former territory of the Federal Republic

Dwelling stock

Dwellings (residential and non-residential buildings)	1 000	29 299.7	29 686.9	30 046.6
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Structural data on the dwelling stock

Dwellings per 1 000 inhabitants	Number	440	445	450
Living floor space per dwelling	m ²	87.1	87.2	87.4
Living floor space per inhabitant	m ²	38.3	38.8	39.3
Rooms per dwelling	Number	4.4	4.4	4.4

New Länder and Berlin-East

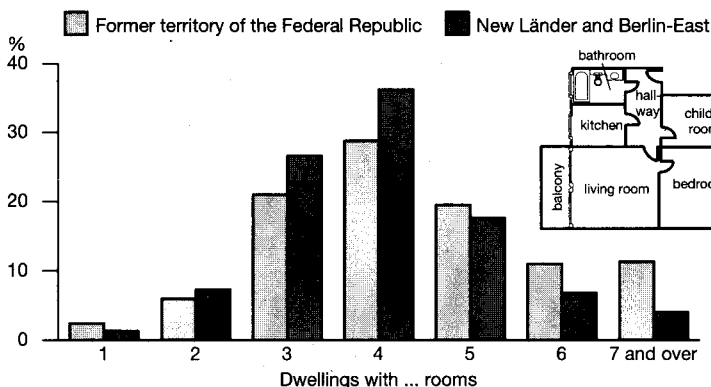
Dwelling stock

Dwellings (residential and non-residential buildings)	1 000	7 192.6	7 363.4	7 482.6
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Structural data on the dwelling stock

Dwellings per 1 000 inhabitants	Number	466	479	489
Living floor space per dwelling	m ²	70.0	70.3	70.6
Living floor space per inhabitant	m ²	32.6	33.7	34.5
Rooms per dwelling	Number	4.0	4.0	4.0

Structure of the dwelling stock, 1998

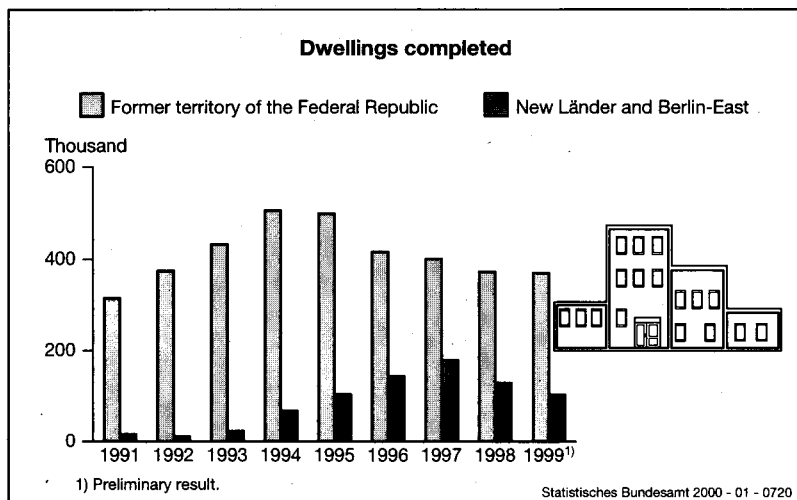


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CONSTRUCTION AND HOUSING

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999 ¹⁾
Germany				
Construction work completed				
Buildings/construction works	Number	358 389	360 010	377 104
Dwellings, total	Number	578 179	500 690	472 805
Living floor space	1 000 m ²	53 266	49 098	48 868
Estimated costs of the buildings and other constructions	DM mn	205 283	188 778	184 046
Incl.: Construction of new buildings				
Dwellings	Number	515 566	443 748	416 699
Living floor space	1 000 m ²	46 532	42 786	42 455
Permits for building construction				
Buildings/construction works	Number	372 685	388 132	380 985
Dwellings, total	Number	528 096	475 711	437 584
Living floor space	1 000 m ²	51 472	49 606	47 773
Estimated costs of the buildings and other constructions	DM mn	194 017	187 895	180 065
Incl.: Construction of new buildings				
Dwellings	Number	464 863	417 454	388 748
Living floor space	1 000 m ²	44 586	42 892	41 576

1) Preliminary result.



TRANSPORT

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Transport infrastructure				
Roads (other than local)	km	231 076	231 074	230 665
Autobahn system (motorways)	km	11 246	11 309	11 427
Federal roads	km	41 487	41 419	41 386
Länder roads	km	86 789	86 819	86 798
District roads	km	91 554	91 527	91 054
Railway lines (own trackage)	km	42 168	41 817	...
Waterways	km	7 467	7 467	7 467
Crude oil pipelines	km	2 460	2 370	2 370
New registrations of passenger cars .	Number	3 528 179	3 735 987	3 802 176
Means of transport				
Road motor vehicles	Number	49 019 056	49 586 488	50 609 142
Incl.: Passenger cars	Number	41 371 992	41 673 787	42 423 254
Lorries	Number	2 315 483	2 370 599	2 491 068
Rail vehicles	Number	248 444	233 102	...
Incl.: Tractive stock ¹⁾	Number	13 357	12 647	...
Passenger carriage	Number	14 137	16 277	...
Wagons (railway property)	Number	150 649	139 732	...
Inland water craft	Number	5 446	5 226	5 051
Incl.: Goods-carrying vessels	Number	2 926	2 804	2 663
Passenger vessels	Number	877	877	903
Sea-going vessels				
Incl.: Passenger vessels	Number	132	129	132
Dry freighters	Number	588	668	542
Tankers	Number	49	47	41
Fishing vessels	Number	110	109	107
Aircraft ²⁾	Number	20 223	20 170	20 251
Incl.: with engine	Number	12 263	12 245	12 290

1) Locomotives and rail cars. - 2) Source: Federal Aviation Office, Braunschweig.

TRANSPORT

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Passengers carried				
Public road passenger transport	mn persons	7 848	7 807	7 794
Rail transport	mn persons	1 735	1 802	1 943
Air transport	mn persons	99	104	111
Motorised private transport ¹⁾	mn persons	50 523	50 876	51 417
Goods carried				
Quantities carried				
Rail transport ²⁾	1 000 t	316 031	305 706	287 348
Inland water transport	1 000 t	233 455	236 365	228 947
Sea transport	1 000 t	209 550	214 045	218 874
Air transport	1 000 t	2 004	1 927	2 023
Crude oil pipelines ³⁾	1 000 t	87 385	90 717	89 296
Freight transport by road ⁴⁾	1 000 t	2 980 981	2 968 023	3 155 600
Incl.: Inland transport				
Rail transport	1 000 t	225 743	211 404	196 145
Inland water transport	1 000 t	65 022	63 909	62 738
Air transport	1 000 t	94	80	86
Crude oil pipelines ³⁾	1 000 t	20 772	22 042	20 895
Freight transport by road ⁴⁾	1 000 t	2 899 931	2 880 689	3 069 200
Transport performance				
Rail transport	mn tkm	72 703	73 560	71 356
Inland water transport	mn tkm	62 153	64 267	62 603
Crude oil pipelines	mn tkm	13 151	14 849	14 966
Freight transport by road ⁴⁾	mn tkm	245 881	257 447	244 600

1) Source: German Institute for Economic Research (DIW), Berlin; 1999: Economic Research Institute (ifo), Munich. – Incl. taxi and hired-car transport. – 2) Full wagon transport. – 3) Source: Federal Office of Economics, Eschborn. – 4) Source: Federal Office for Goods Transport, Düsseldorf resp. Federal Office for Motor Traffic, Flensburg; domestic motor vehicles only; 1999: Economic Research Institute (ifo), Munich.

TRANSPORT

Passengers carried, 1999

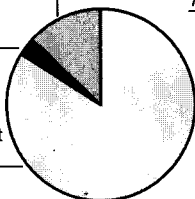


Goods carried, 1999

Public road
passenger transport
13 %

Rail transport
3 %

Motorised
private transport
84 %

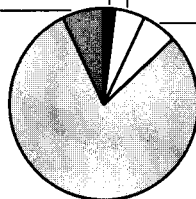


Crude oil pipelines
2 %

Rail transport
7 %

Sea transport
5 %

Inland water transport
6 %



Long-distance
road haulage¹⁾
79 %

1) Transport performance of German goods vehicles.

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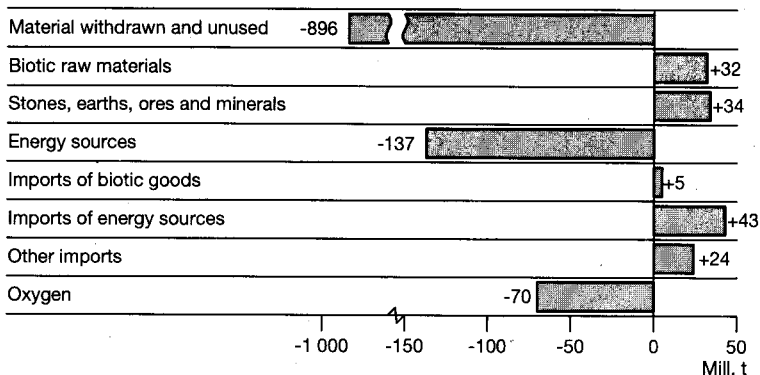
Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Traffic accidents				
Road traffic accidents				
Accidents involving personal injury	Number	380 835	377 262	395 355
Persons killed ¹⁾	Number	8 549	7 776	7 749
Persons injured	Number	501 094	497 339	520 974
Railway accidents²⁾				
Accidents involving personal injury	Number	1 013	996	...
Persons killed ¹⁾	Number	275	363	...
Persons injured	Number	1 085	1 028	...
Air transport accidents				
Accidents involving personal injury	Number	274	93	...
Persons killed ¹⁾	Number	81	41	...
Persons injured	Number	280	99	...

1) Incl. those died within 30 days of accident. - 2) Incl. shunting accidents.

ENVIRONMENT

Withdrawal of material

Change from 1991 to 1998



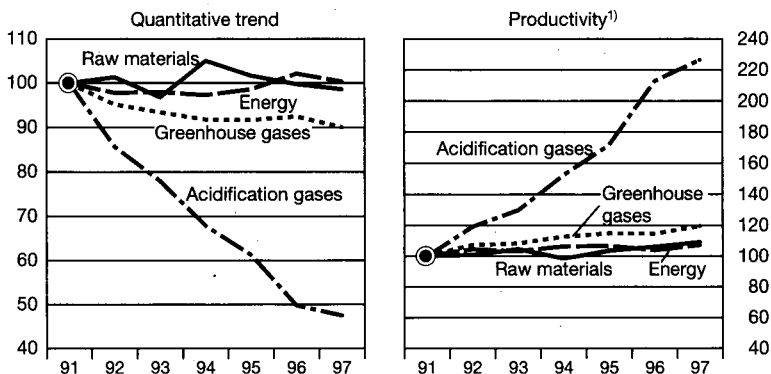
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Specification	Unit	1991	1995	1998 ¹⁾
Material and energy flows				
Withdrawals²⁾	mn t	5 117	4 503	4 151
Raw material withdrawal (domestic)	mn t	3 965	3 376	2 997
Incl.: Material withdrawn and used	mn t	1 279	1 287	1 206
Imports	mn t	433	464	505
Oxygen withdrawal	mn t	719	663	649
Discharges²⁾	mn t	4 390	3 728	...
Application of material	mn t	295	283	277
Material unused and discharged	mn t	2 527	1 934	1 656
Exports	mn t	211	225	260
Waste	mn t	354	365	...
Air emissions	mn t	1 002	921	901
Incl.:				
Nitrogen dioxide (NO ₂)	mn t	2,5	2,0 ¹⁾	1,8
Sulfur dioxide (SO ₂)	mn t	4,0	2,1 ¹⁾	1,3
Carbon dioxide (CO ₂)	mn t	976	903 ¹⁾	886
Memorandum item:				
Water withdrawal from nature	mn t	51 344	48 909	...

1) Preliminary result. - 2) Excl. water.

Development of natural production factors

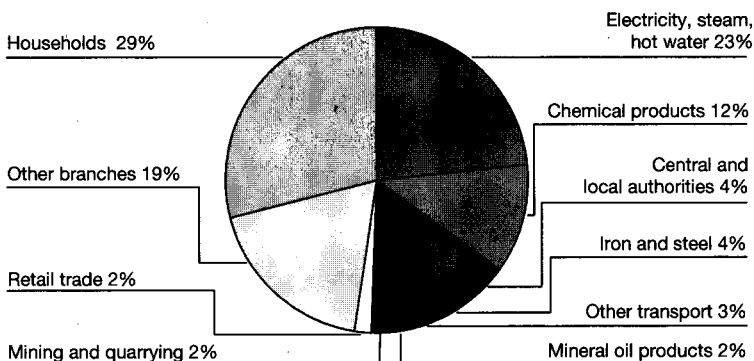
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1) Gross domestic product (at 1995 prices) per production factor.

Energy consumption, 1995

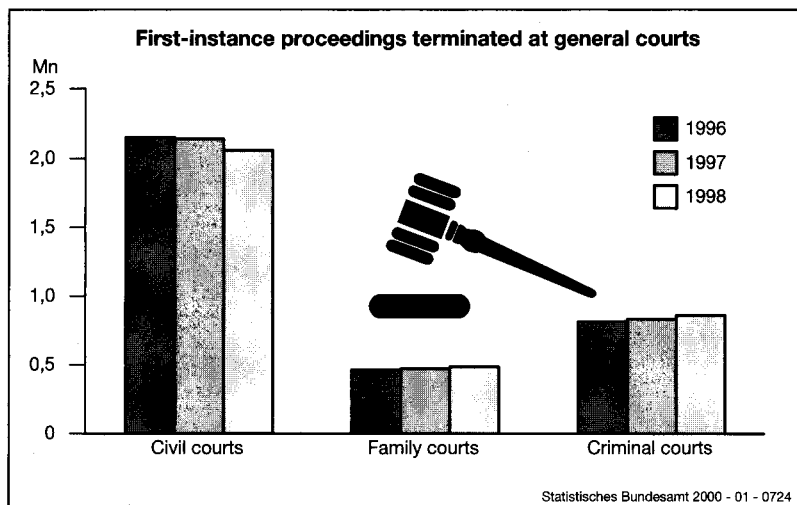
Homogeneous branches and households¹)



1) Direct domestic primary energy consumption: 14269 petajoule.

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JUSTICE



Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
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Germany

Investigation¹⁾

Criminal offences that became known ...	Number	6 647 598	6 586 165	6 456 996
Criminal offences cleared up	Number	3 255 042	3 335 016	3 376 524
Suspects	Number	2 213 293	2 273 560	2 319 895
Men.....	Number	1 715 941	1 754 939	1 780 520
Women.....	Number	497 352	518 621	539 375
Children	Number	131 010	144 260	152 774
Juveniles	Number	277 479	292 518	302 413
Adolescents	Number	219 928	226 279	237 073
Adults.....	Number	1 584 876	1 610 503	1 627 635

1) Source: Federal Criminal Police Office.

JUSTICE

Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
Former territory of the Federal Republic¹⁾				
Criminal prosecution				
Persons sentenced by a criminal court...	Number	944 324	960 334	974 187
who were convicted.....	Number	763 690	780 530	791 549
Incl.: to imprisonment/youth custody ...	Number	136 472	143 174	147 242
who were acquitted	Number	26 022	25 581	25 523
for whom proceedings were dismissed	Number	153 644	153 053	155 814
with other judgment.....	Number	968	1 170	1 301
Persons convicted	Number	763 690	780 530	791 549
Men.....	Number	646 283	658 943	663 967
Women.....	Number	117 407	121 587	127 582
Juveniles	Number	41 006	45 640	49 275
Adolescents	Number	65 789	70 196	71 930
Adults.....	Number	656 895	664 694	670 344
Persons convicted (excl. road traffic offences)	Number	511 818	530 311	554 127
Incl.: Larceny	Number	126 690	131 243	134 304
Burglary	Number	24 046	23 954	22 021
Robbery, extortion	Number	9 359	10 388	10 875
Bodily injury, incl. serious injury ...	Number	39 880	43 347	47 548
Sexual offences	Number	5 571	6 105	6 619
Murder and manslaughter.....	Number	676	716	767
Persons convicted of road traffic offences	Number	251 872	250 219	237 422
Rates of German citizens convicted				
Total.....	Rate ²⁾	1 076	1 102	1 127
Men.....	Rate ²⁾	1 889	1 931	1 961
Women.....	Rate ²⁾	341	351	369
Juveniles	Rate ²⁾	1 240	1 355	1 473
Adolescents	Rate ²⁾	2 647	2 869	2 995
Adults.....	Rate ²⁾	1 011	1 024	1 040

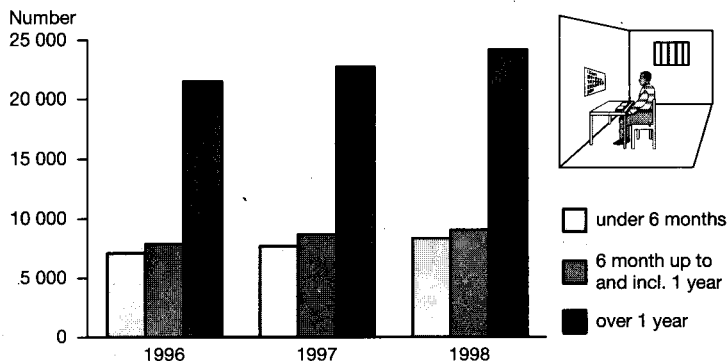
1) Incl. Berlin-East. – 2) Rate of persons convicted: German citizens convicted per 100 000 inhabitants of the same group of persons.

JUSTICE

Specification	Unit	1996	1997	1998
Germany				
Jail prisoners, total¹⁾	Number	64 680	68 029	69 917
Men	Number	62 150	65 138	67 002
Women	Number	2 530	2 891	2 915
By type of imprisonment				
Execution of sentence	Number	41 421	44 728	47 775
Sentence of imprisonment	Number	36 474	39 128	41 557
Sentence of youth custody	Number	4 947	5 600	6 218
Preventive detention.....	Number	177	191	207
Detention awaiting trial	Number	20 440	19 935	19 049
Other imprisonment	Number	2 642	3 175	2 886
Incl.: Custody to secure deportation .	Number	1 852	2 283	1 938

1) At the end of the year.

Expected duration of imprisonment of jail prisoners



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Economy



Steel Works, Brandenburg

NATIONAL ECONOMY

Specification	Unit	1997 ¹⁾	1998 ¹⁾	1999 ¹⁾
Gross value added by industries²⁾	DM bn	3 449.9	3 553.7	3 617.9
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	DM bn	44.3	43.9	42.2
Industry, incl. energy	DM bn	861.6	903.4	909.6
Construction	DM bn	204.8	193.4	189.8
Trade and transport	DM bn	602.9	622.2	628.4
Financial, renting and business activities	DM bn	994.8	1 035.0	1 077.3
Other service activities	DM bn	741.5	755.9	770.6
Gross domestic product²⁾	DM bn	3 666.6	3 784.2	3 877.1
Final consumption expenditure of households and non-profit institutions serving households	DM bn	2 106.8	2 174.7	2 238.8
Government final consumption expenditure	DM bn	714.2	719.4	736.2
Gross fixed capital formation	DM bn	785.0	797.2	811.8
Machinery and equipment	DM bn	270.0	297.0	310.7
Construction	DM bn	479.8	460.7	458.2
Other products	DM bn	35.2	39.5	42.8
Changes in inventories, acquisitions less disposals of valuables	DM bn	7.1	29.6	47.1
Final national uses	DM bn	3 613.0	3 720.9	3 833.8
Balance of exports and imports	DM bn	53.6	63.3	43.3
Exports	DM bn	1 020.9	1 092.1	1 132.1
Imports	DM bn	967.3	1 028.9	1 088.9
Gross national income ²⁾	DM bn	3 649.4	3 754.1	3 839.5
Net national income (factor costs)²⁾	DM bn	2 751.5	2 823.2	2 863.3
Of which: Compensation of employees ..	DM bn	1 971.2	2 001.8	2 044.6
Gross wages and salaries	DM bn	1 579.8	1 605.8	1 639.9
Per employee	DM	4 130	4 190	4 270
Net wages and salaries	DM bn	1 004.6	1 021.6	1 040.1
Per employee	DM	2 630	2 670	2 710
Gross domestic product (GDP)³⁾	DM bn	3 601.1	3 678.6	3 732.3
Change of GDP at constant prices ³⁾	%	1.5	2.2	1.5

1) Preliminary result. – 2) At current prices. – 3) At 1995 prices.

NATIONAL ECONOMY

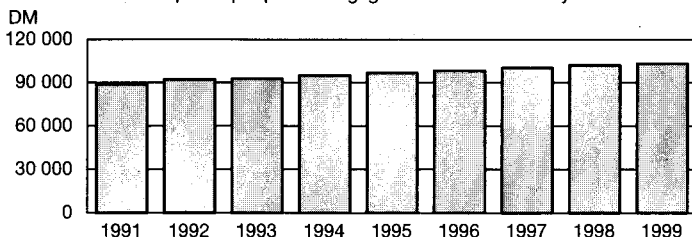
Specification	Unit	1997 ¹⁾	1998 ¹⁾	1999 ¹⁾
Employed persons	1 000	35 864	35 999	36 106
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	1 000	961	972	968
Industry incl. energy	1 000	8 437	8 414	8 377
Construction	1 000	2 937	2 836	2 757
Trade and transport	1 000	8 743	8 756	8 783
Financial, renting and business activities	1 000	4 394	4 552	4 662
Other service activities	1 000	10 392	10 469	10 559
Employees	1 000	31 950	32 005	32 094
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	1 000	454	460	459
Industry incl. energy	1 000	8 089	8 069	8 033
Construction	1 000	2 569	2 461	2 382
Trade and transport	1 000	7 455	7 455	7 478
Financial, renting and business activities	1 000	3 700	3 826	3 920
Other service activities	1 000	9 683	9 734	9 822
Compensation of employees (domestic concept)	DM bn	1 973.3	2 004.0	2 046.8
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	DM bn	17.9	18.1	18.6
Industry incl. energy	DM bn	609.3	620.1	627.3
Construction	DM bn	138.4	133.7	132.3
Trade and transport	DM bn	397.0	400.0	407.7
Financial, renting and business activities	DM bn	253.7	264.9	277.1
Other service activities	DM bn	557.0	567.1	583.8
Gross wages and salaries (domestic concept)	DM bn	1 581.3	1 607.3	1 641.4
Agriculture, forestry, fishing	DM bn	14.7	14.9	15.3
Industry incl. energy	DM bn	485.1	494.4	500.0
Construction	DM bn	111.8	108.0	107.0
Trade and transport	DM bn	319.9	322.6	328.8
Financial, renting and business activities	DM bn	206.1	215.6	225.5
Other service activities	DM bn	443.7	451.9	464.9

1) Preliminary result.

NATIONAL ECONOMY

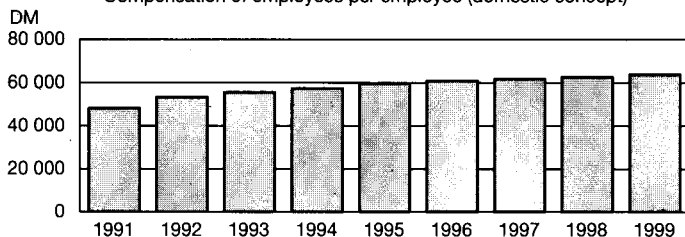
Productivity

Gross domestic product at 1995
prices per person engaged in economic activity

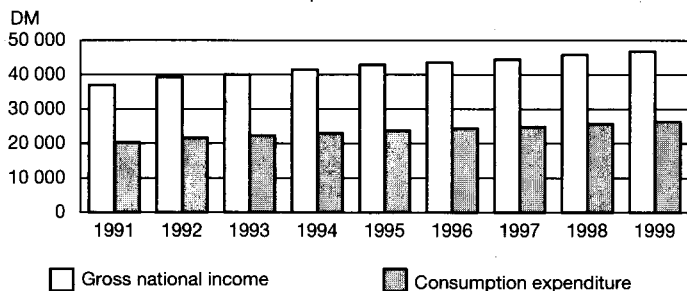


Labour costs

Compensation of employees per employee (domestic concept)



Gross national income and consumption expenditure of private households per inhabitant



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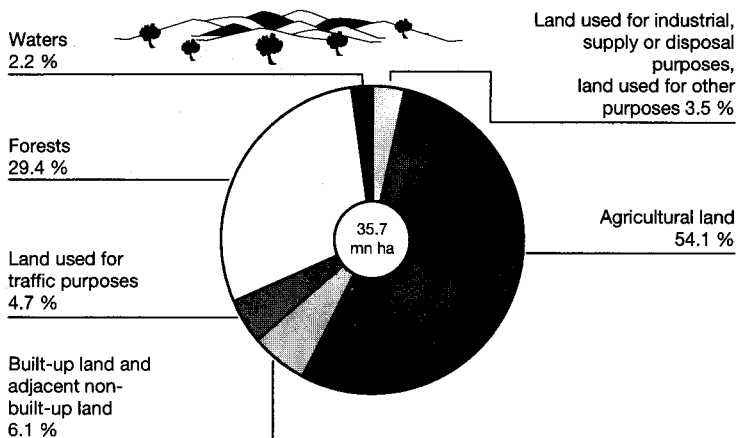
AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Germany				
Agriculturally used area	1 000 ha	17 327	17 373	17 152
Incl.: Arable land	1 000 ha	11 832	11 879	11 821
Permanent grassland	1 000 ha	5 268	5 265	5 114
Vineland.....	1 000 ha	101	101	100
Fruit plantations.....	1 000 ha	70	72	69
Agricultural labour¹⁾	1 000	1 235	.	1 436
Incl.: Family labour.....	1 000	1 042	.	941
Harvested quantities				
Grain.....	1 000 t	45 486	44 575	44 452
Vegetables ²⁾	1 000 t	2 318	2 406	2 583
Fruit (production for the market).....	1 000 t	948	1 218	1 331
Livestock³⁾				
Cattle.....	1 000	15 227	14 942	14 657
Sheep	1 000	2 884	2 870	2 621
Pigs	1 000	24 795	26 299	26 003
Agricultural holdings	1 000	525	516	472
with an agriculturally used area of ... to under ... ha				
1 - 2	1 000	67	65	38
2 - 5	1 000	88	87	80
5 - 10	1 000	80	78	74
10 - 20	1 000	92	89	87
20 - 30	1 000	58	57	52
30 - 50	1 000	65	64	63
50 - 100	1 000	53	54	54
100 and over	1 000	22	23	24
Landings of fish of deep-sea and inshore fisheries⁴⁾				
Incl.: Herring	1 000 t	106	94	...
Cod	1 000 t	13	11	...
Red Fish	1 000 t	1	1	...

1) Family labour and permanently employed non-family labour working in holdings. - 2) Selected vegetables cultivated in the open or under glass. - 3) Livestock censuses conducted in November; 1997: December; sheep: June (1997, 1998) resp. May (1999). - 4) Catches of German fishing vessels landed at the German coast (landing weight).

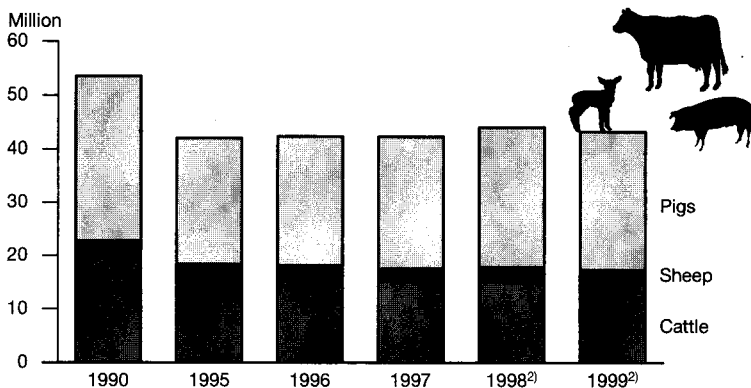
AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES

Total area, 1997, by types of use¹⁾



1) Area survey results.

Livestock¹⁾



1) Livestock censuses conducted in December, sheep: June resp. May (1999).-

2) Pigs and cattle: November

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AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
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Former territory of the Federal Republic

Harvested quantities

Grain.....	1 000 t	30 404	29 308	28 162
Vegetables ¹⁾	1 000 t	2 009	2 063	2 232
Fruit (production for the market).....	1 000 t	760	985	1 078

Livestock²⁾

Cattle.....	1 000	12 437	12 229	12 007
Sheep.....	1 000	2 085	2 072	1 880
Pigs.....	1 000	21 470	22 717	22 352

Agricultural holdings	1 000	494	484	442
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with an agriculturally used area of ... to
under ... ha

1 - 2.....	%	12.6	12.5	8.0
2 - 5.....	%	16.6	16.7	16.8
5 - 10.....	%	15.5	15.4	15.9
10 - 20.....	%	17.8	17.5	18.9
20 - 30.....	%	11.5	11.3	11.3
30 - 50.....	%	12.9	12.9	13.7
50 - 100.....	%	10.3	10.6	11.7
100 and over.....	%	2.8	3.1	3.5

New Länder und Berlin-East

Harvested quantities

Grain.....	1 000 t	15 082	15 267	16 290
Vegetables ¹⁾	1 000 t	309	343	351
Fruit (production for the market).....	1 000 t	187	233	252

Livestock²⁾

Cattle.....	1 000	2 789	2 712	2 650
Sheep.....	1 000	800	797	741
Pigs.....	1 000	3 325	3 582	3 650

Agricultural holdings	1 000	31	32	30
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with an agriculturally used area of ... to
under ... ha

1 - 2.....	%	14.5	13.5	7.9
2 - 5.....	%	18.8	18.4	18.9
5 - 10.....	%	10.8	11.2	11.9
10 - 20.....	%	11.2	11.5	12.3
20 - 30.....	%	5.2	5.3	5.9
30 - 50.....	%	5.6	5.9	6.4
50 - 100.....	%	7.4	7.7	8.2
100 and over.....	%	26.4	26.5	28.6

1) Selected vegetables cultivated in the open or under glass. - 2) Livestock censuses conducted in November; 1997: December, sheep: June (1997, 1998) resp. May (1999).

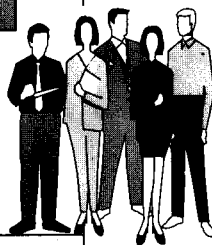
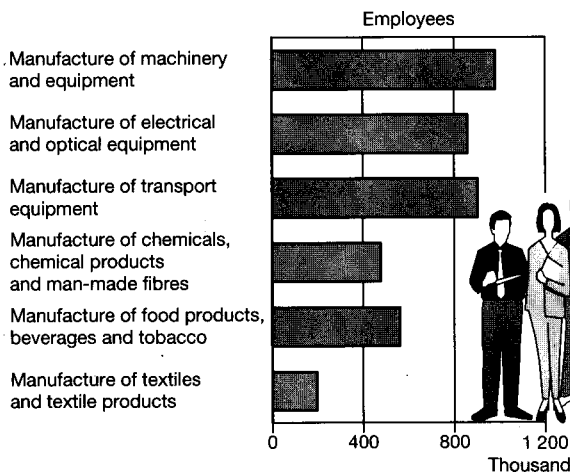
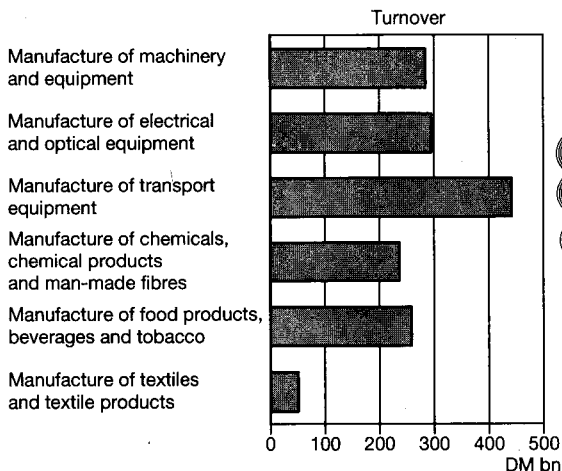
PRODUCTION INDUSTRIES

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Germany				
Production Index in production Industries				
Non-adjusted values				
Production industries	1995 = 100	102.4	106.4	108.3
Mining and quarrying	1995 = 100	91.1	85.2	84.5
Manufacturing	1995 = 100	104.4	110.0	112.2
Energy supply	1995 = 100	104.6	104.8	105.3
Site preparation, building construction and civil engineering	1995 = 100	89.7	87.3	88.2
Mining and manufacturing¹⁾				
Local units ²⁾	Number	46 033	48 357	48 934
Employees ²⁾	1 000	6 311	6 405	6 368
Man-hours worked	mn hours	6 283	6 440	6 324
Total wages and salaries	DM bn	405	416	421
Turnover	DM bn	2 186	2 271	2 340
Incl.: Foreign turnover	DM bn	697	753	799
Index of orders received in manufacturing (volume).....				
	1995 = 100	106.2	110.2	113.7
Site preparation, civil engineering³⁾				
Local units ⁴⁾	Number	77 055	81 301	80 560
Employees ²⁾	1 000	1 221.3	1 155.9	1 109.8
Hours worked	mn hours	1 480	1 395	1 362
Index of orders received (volume).....	1995 = 100	86.3	87.3	86.2
Energy and water supply				
Enterprises.....	Number	3737	...	...
Employees	1 000	343	...	...
Turnover	mn DM	234 160	...	...
Electricity production	bn kWh	547	550	551
Gas production	bn kWh	374	377	385

1) Local units of enterprises with generally 20 employees or more, incl. crafts – The range of reporting units was updated in 1998, i.e. it was extended considerably. – 2) Average of 12 monthly values. – 3) Data according to the Classification of Economic Activities 1993 (WZ 93). – 4) All local units; exhaustive survey always at the end of June.

PRODUCTION INDUSTRIES

Turnover and employees of selected economic branches in mining and manufacturing, 1999



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PRODUCTION INDUSTRIES

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Former territory of the Federal Republic				
Production index in production Industries				
Non-adjusted values				
Production industries	1995 = 100	102.1	106.2	107.7
Mining and quarrying	1995 = 100	92.3	87.0	86.1
Manufacturing	1995 = 100	103.8	109.0	110.6
Energy supply	1995 = 100	105.0	105.2	105.7
Site preparation, building construction and civil engineering	1995 = 100	89.0	87.8	89.2
Mining and manufacturing¹⁾				
Local units ²⁾	Number	39 278	40 986	41 333
Employees ²⁾	1 000	5 748	5 817	5 773
Man-hours worked	mn hours	5 636	5 750	5 622
Total wages and salaries	DM bn	379	389	393
Turnover	DM bn	2 044	2 114	2 173
Incl.: Foreign turnover	DM bn	676	725	768
Index of orders received in manufacturing (volume)	1995 = 100	106.1	109.3	112.6
Site preparation, civil engineering³⁾				
Local units ⁴⁾	Number	58 807	61 283	59 611
Employees ²⁾	1 000	834.0	802.4	774.5
Hours worked	mn hours	988	951	932
Index of orders received (volume)	1995 = 100	87.7	89.1	90.2

1) Local units of enterprises with generally 20 employees or more, incl. crafts – The range of reporting units was updated in 1998, i.e. it was extended considerably. – 2) Average of 12 monthly values. – 3) Data according to the Classification of Economic Activities 1993 (WZ 93). – 4) All local units; exhaustive survey always at the end of June.

PRODUCTION INDUSTRIES

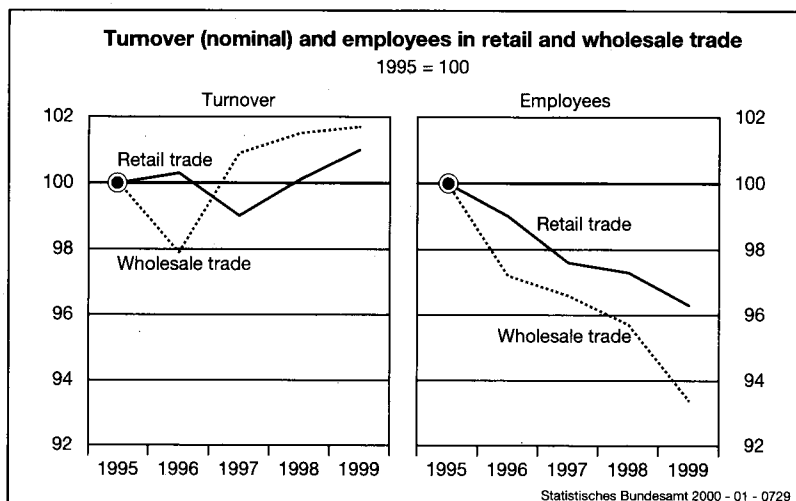
Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
New Länder and Berlin-East				
Production Index in production Industries				
Non-adjusted values				
Production industries	1995 = 100	105.4	109.4	115.3
Mining and quarrying	1995 = 100	84.8	75.5	75.8
Manufacturing	1995 = 100	115.6	127.6	138.3
Energy supply	1995 = 100	100.9	101.0	102.1
Site preparation, building construction and civil engineering	1995 = 100	92.2	85.3	84.8
Mining and manufacturing¹⁾				
Local units ²⁾	Number	6 755	7 371	7 601
Employees ²⁾	1 000	563	588	596
Man-hours worked	mn hours	648	691	702
Total wages and salaries	DM bn	26	27	28
Turnover	DM bn	142	157	166
Incl.: Foreign turnover	DM bn	21	28	31
Index of orders received in manufacturing (volume)	1995 = 100	107.1	124.2	132.0
Site preparation, civil engineering³⁾				
Local units ⁴⁾	Number	18 248	20 018	20 949
Employees ²⁾	1 000	387.4	353.5	335.3
Man-hours worked	mn hours	491	445	430
Index of orders received (volume)	1995 = 100	82.9	83.1	76.7

1) Local units of enterprises with generally 20 employees or more, incl. crafts – The range of reporting units was updated in 1998, i.e. it was extended considerably. – 2) Average of 12 monthly values. – 3) Data according to the Classification of Economic Activities 1993 (WZ 93). – 4) All local units; exhaustive survey always at the end of June.

DISTRIBUTIVE TRADE

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999 ¹⁾
Retail trade²⁾				
Employees	1995 = 100	97.6	97.3	96.3
Incl. part-time employees	1995 = 100	103.8	105.6	104.1
Turnover	1995 = 100	99.0	100.1	101.0
Wholesale trade³⁾				
Employees	1995 = 100	96.6	95.7	93.4
Incl. part-time employees	1995 = 100	99.1	100.4	93.7
Turnover	1995 = 100	100.9	101.5	101.7

1) Preliminary result. – 2) Excl. retail trade of motor vehicles and filling stations. – 3) Excl. retail trade of motor vehicles.



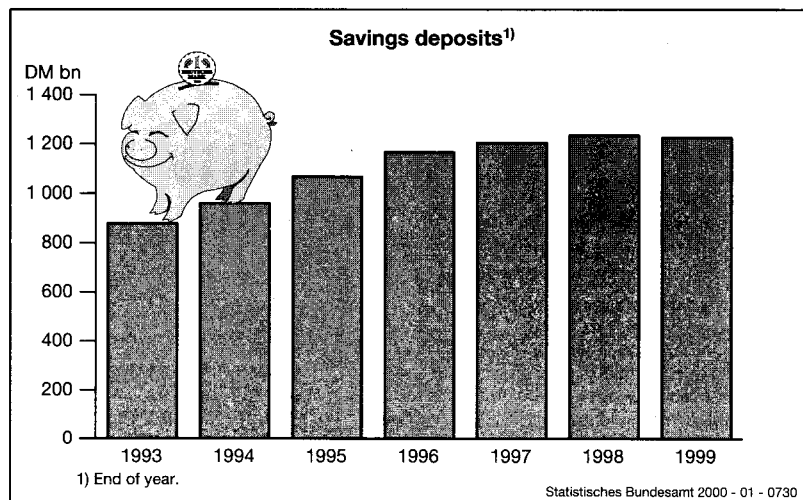
BANKS, BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS, INSURANCE

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Notes and coin in circulation	DM mn	276 242	270 981	289 972
Notes	DM mn	260 686	255 335	274 133
Coin	DM mn	15 556	15 646	15 839
per inhabitant	DM	3 280	3 262	3 283
Deutsche Bundesbank				
Gold and gold claims	DM mn	-	-	63 148
Deposits on giro accounts (incl. minimum reserves)	DM mn	-	-	77 791
Banks				
Assets				
Balance sheet total	DM mn	9 055 344	10 050 430	11 227 913
Cash reserves	DM mn	91 025	93 568	122 961
Bills of exchange	DM mn	11 444	12 563	16 251
Lending to domestic and foreign banks	DM mn	2 241 015	2 521 242	2 771 077
Lending to non-banks	DM mn	4 664 007	5 002 549	5 484 490
Bonds and other fixed-interest securities	DM mn	1 273 328	1 493 668	1 698 145
Other assets	DM mn	774 525	926 840	1 134 989
Liabilities				
Balance sheet total	DM mn	9 055 344	10 050 430	11 227 913
Deposits of domestic and foreign banks	DM mn	2 436 671	2 842 136	3 130 279
Deposits of domestic and foreign non-banks	DM mn	3 534 975	3 764 501	4 218 976
Incl.: Sight and time deposits	DM mn	2 110 287	2 313 571	2 795 550
Savings deposits	DM mn	1 204 999	1 234 171	1 225 523
Liabilities evidenced by securities, total	DM mn	1 970 736	2 237 469	2 577 622
Equity capital, total (subscribed capital, reserves, less reported loss)	DM mn	327 717	351 001	399 118
Other liabilities	DM mn	785 245	855 323	901 918
Building and loan associations				
Savings agreements, total	1 000	33 203	33 443	33 410
New agreements concluded in the year	1 000	3 862	3 788	3 911
Agreements allocated in the year	1 000	2 038	2 198	2 110
Amounts allocated under relevant agreements in the year	DM mn	66 497	73 278	69 987
Savings deposits, total	DM mn	178 501	182 178	189 658
Mortgages and intermediate loans, total	DM mn	175 076	180 209	180 038

BANKS, BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS, INSURANCE

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Savings deposits	DM mn	1 204 999	1 234 171	1 225 523
Savings banks (incl. public Landesbanken)	DM mn	637 524	653 342	653 701
Credit cooperatives (incl. cooperative central banks and DG Bank AG)	DM mn	355 094	367 260	367 706
Commercial banks ¹⁾	DM mn	151 499	150 680	203 397
Other credit institutions ²⁾	DM mn	60 882	62 889	719
Securities markets				
Gross sales				
Fixed-interest securities	DM mn	846 567	1 030 827	1 117 304
Shares	DM mn	11 981	26 000	33 295
Running yields (per annum)				
Mortgage bonds	%	5.1	4.5	4.3
Communal bonds	%	5.0	4.5	4.3
Public bonds	%	5.1	4.4	4.3

1) From 1999 incl. Postbank. - 2) From 1999 excl. Postbank.



TOURISM

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Hotel and restaurant industry				
Turnover trend (nominal)	1995 = 100	97.1	95.6	96.0
Accommodation industry	1995 = 100	97.5	97.3	99.5
Restaurants	1995 = 100	96.3	93.2	92.4
Canteens and catering	1995 = 100	102.5	106.8	108.9
Development of the number of employees	1995 = 100	96.7	95.1	89.1
Accommodation industry	1995 = 100	95.3	93.7	89.8
Restaurants	1995 = 100	96.7	94.8	87.5
Canteens and catering	1995 = 100	103.0	103.6	100.3
Accommodation capacities and degree of utilisation¹⁾				
Open accommodation establishments ²⁾ ..	1 000	53.8	54.2	54.0
Bed places offered ²⁾	1 000	2 360	2 405	2 431
Average utilisation of the bed places offered	%	34.9	35.2	36.1
Nights spent in tourism¹⁾				
by Länder				
Germany	mn	287.17	294.54	308.03
Baden-Württemberg	mn	34.96	36.37	38.03
Bavaria	mn	66.75	68.56	70.88
Berlin	mn	7.99	8.27	9.48
Brandenburg	mn	7.31	7.34	7.86
Bremen	mn	1.09	1.15	1.25
Hamburg	mn	4.35	4.51	4.65
Hesse	mn	22.82	22.87	24.02
Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania	mn	11.58	13.28	15.62
Lower Saxony	mn	31.96	32.30	32.64
North Rhine-Westphalia	mn	34.28	34.75	35.63
Rhineland-Palatinate	mn	16.40	16.93	17.86
Saarland	mn	1.95	2.06	2.05
Saxony	mn	12.56	12.80	13.47
Saxony-Anhalt	mn	5.06	5.12	5.40
Schleswig-Holstein	mn	20.78	20.48	20.54
Thuringia	mn	7.33	7.74	8.66
Memo item:				
Former territory of the Federal Republic	mn	241.15	245.77	253.96
New Länder and Berlin-East	mn	46.02	48.77	54.07

1) In accommodation units with nine and more guest beds. – 2) July.

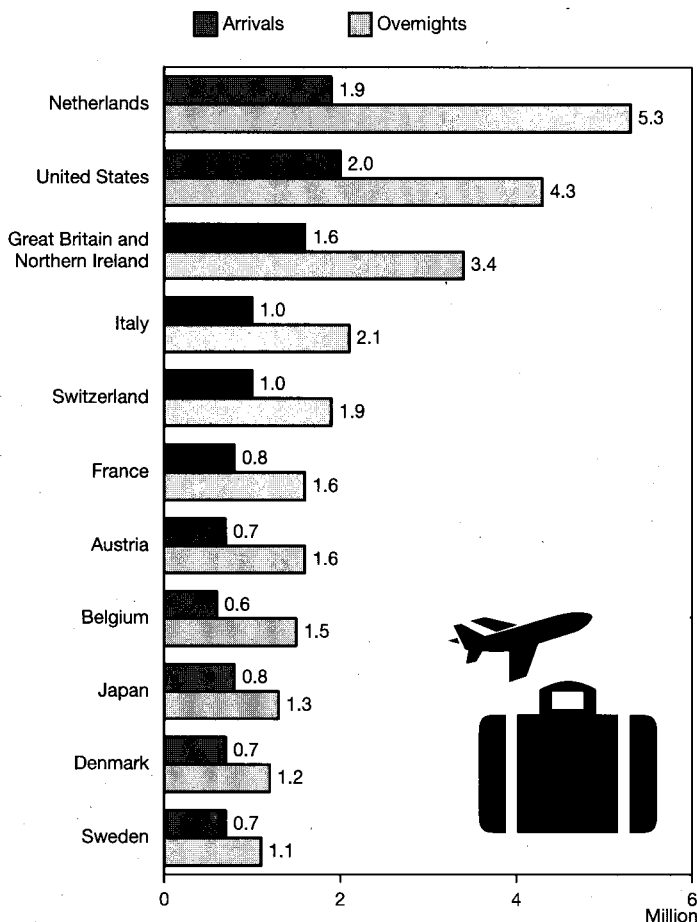
TOURISM

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Nights spent in tourism¹⁾				
by types of accommodation				
Total hotel industry	mn	173.11	177.01	185.31
Hotels	mn	105.54	108.92	114.88
Inns	mn	19.53	19.41	20.11
Boarding-houses	mn	15.38	15.08	15.34
Hotels garni	mn	32.67	33.60	34.98
Group accommodation establishments	mn	26.49	26.41	26.61
Holiday centres, homes and dwellings	mn	35.32	36.24	37.02
Youth hostels, mountain refuges and similar establishments	mn	13.87	13.88	14.08
Total accommodation industry excl. sanatoria	mn	248.79	253.54	263.02
Sanatoria	mn	38.38	41.01	45.01
by groups of communities				
Spa-resorts	mn	60.37	64.95	67.12
Mineral and mud spas	mn	33.64	37.33	39.24
Healthy climate resorts	mn	16.88	17.50	17.53
Kneipp cure resorts (water therapy resorts)	mn	9.84	10.12	10.35
Sea-side resorts	mn	22.62	29.88	31.34
Climatic resorts	mn	22.80	23.62	24.05
Recreation resorts	mn	24.16	31.10	32.54
Other communities ²⁾	mn	157.23	144.99	152.98
Memo item:				
Communities with 100 000 and more inhabitants	mn	59.57	62.39	66.57
by countries of origin:				
Germany	mn	259.78	260.08	272.30
Other countries	mn	33.39	34.47	35.73
Incl.:				
Netherlands	mn	5.06	5.06	5.27
United States	mn	3.65	4.07	4.32
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	mn	2.99	3.23	3.38
Italy	mn	1.87	1.92	2.09
Switzerland	mn	1.70	1.80	1.91
France	mn	1.61	1.62	1.65
Austria	mn	1.36	1.45	1.57
Belgium	mn	1.40	1.47	1.51
Japan	mn	1.34	1.33	1.35
Denmark	mn	1.10	1.16	1.22
Sweden	mn	1.04	1.09	1.14

1) In accommodation units with nine and more guest beds. - 2) 1997: All communities in the new Länder and Berlin-East are included in "Other communities".

TOURISM

Arrivals and overnights in international tourism, 1999¹⁾
by selected countries of origin of guests



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Specification	Unit	1997	1998 ¹⁾	1999 ¹⁾
Adjusted expenditure data²⁾	DM mn	1 802 881	1 823 197	1 859 381
Federal Government.....	DM mn	482 083	512 133	529 765
Equalisation of Burdens Fund.....	DM mn	720	608	492
E.R.P. Special Fund ³⁾	DM mn	13 540	16 844	14 956
German Unity Fund.....	DM mn	6 193	5 810	5 775
Federal Railways Fund.....	DM mn	26 169	24 977	19 256
Redemption Fund for Inherited Liabilities .	DM mn	18 237	16 497	3 360
Compensation Fund.....	DM mn	198	2 251	1 293
EU shares	DM mn	41 560	42 211	39 676
Social security	DM mn	793 975	809 107	829 014
Länder	DM mn	475 306	476 475	479 633
Communities/local authorities	DM mn	281 023	277 495	281 906
Special-purpose associations	DM mn	10 633	10 210	10 725
Adjusted revenue data²⁾	DM mn	1 714 444	1 772 877	1 814 850
Federal Government.....	DM mn	418 594	455 530	478 472
Equalisation of Burdens Fund.....	DM mn	709	618	499
E.R.P. Special Fund ³⁾	DM mn	14 626	15 899	15 472
German Unity Fund.....	DM mn	9 504	6 466	6 464
Federal Railways Fund.....	DM mn	26 691	24 963	19 224
Redemption Fund for Inherited Liabilities .	DM mn	26 268	40 724	12 863
Compensation Fund.....	DM mn	324	2 149	1 170
EU shares	DM mn	41 560	42 211	39 676
Social security	DM mn	800 065	815 097	840 176
Länder	DM mn	437 119	448 350	460 636
Communities/local authorities	DM mn	275 475	282 249	286 433
Special-purpose associations	DM mn	10 264	10 047	10 236
Net lending/net borrowing	DM mn	- 88 403	- 49 531	- 43 914
Federal Government.....	DM mn	- 63 447	- 56 566	- 51 262
Equalisation of Burdens Fund.....	DM mn	- 11	+ 10	+ 7
E.R.P. Special Fund ³⁾	DM mn	+ 1 086	- 945	+ 516
German Unity Fund.....	DM mn	+ 3 311	+ 656	+ 689
Federal Railways Fund.....	DM mn	+ 522	- 14	- 32
Redemption Fund for Inherited Liabilities .	DM mn	+ 8 031	+ 24 227	+ 9 503
Compensation Fund.....	DM mn	+ 126	- 102	- 123
Social security	DM mn	+ 6 090	+ 6 725	+ 11 713
Länder	DM mn	- 38 196	- 28 120	- 18 963
Communities/local authorities	DM mn	- 5 546	+ 4 761	+ 4 533
Special-purpose associations	DM mn	- 370	- 163	- 495

1) Partly estimates. - 2) Adjusted for payments between public budgets. - 3) Incl. "Hard Coal" Equalisation Fund.

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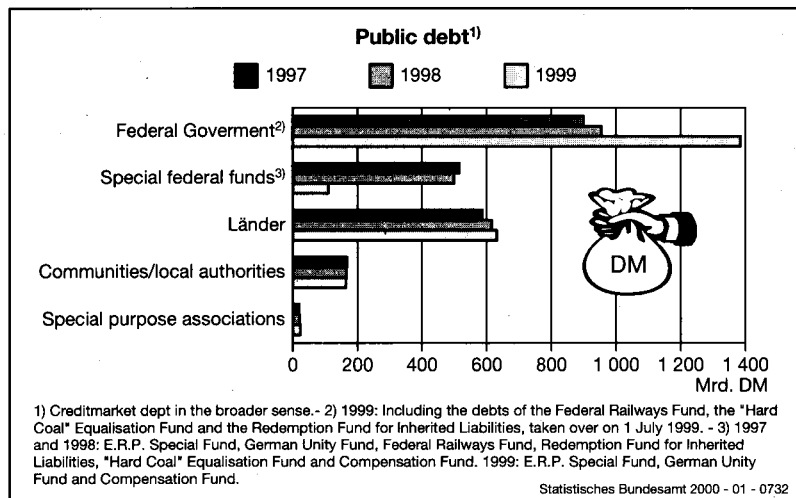
Specification	Unit	1997	1998 ¹⁾	1999 ¹⁾
Adjusted expenditure data²⁾	DM mn	1 802 881	1 823 197	1 859 381
Incl.: Staff expenditure	DM mn	347 673	346 418	350 994
Continuous expenditure on				
material and equipment	DM mn	387 450	395 233	409 030
Interest expenditure	DM mn	132 864	134 694	137 602
Pensions and benefits	DM mn	627 471	631 594	640 088
Construction work	DM mn	63 383	62 063	61 903
Capital transfers	DM mn	103 457	106 898	103 921
Adjusted revenue data²⁾	DM mn	1 714 444	1 772 877	1 814 850
Incl.: Taxes and similar charges	DM mn	1 481 305	1 524 079	1 585 221
Fees, other remunerations	DM mn	56 192	52 823	51 906
Revenue from economic activity ..	DM mn	34 536	50 754	43 850
Revenue according to capital accounts	DM mn	76 752	83 917	72 067
Net borrowing	DM mn	99 400	57 730	49 613
Cash tax revenue³⁾	DM mn	853 055	893 343	952 178
Joint taxes	DM mn	610 597	650 775	694 978
Wage tax ³⁾	DM mn	298 436	308 254	319 284
Assessed income tax ⁴⁾	DM mn	6 542	12 273	22 474
Not assessed taxes on yields ⁴⁾	DM mn	17 727	28 177	26 444
Interest withholding tax	DM mn	11 398	11 891	11 823
Corporation tax ⁴⁾	DM mn	35 594	39 966	46 701
Value-added tax	DM mn	199 934	203 684	218 272
Turnover tax on imports	DM mn	40 966	46 530	49 981
Federal taxes	DM mn	135 264	130 513	141 279
Incl.: Insurance taxes	DM mn	14 127	13 951	13 917
Tobacco tax	DM mn	21 155	21 652	22 795
Coffee tax	DM mn	2 244	2 103	2 163
Spirits tax	DM mn	4 662	4 426	4 367
Tax on sparkling wine	DM mn	1 095	1 028	1 067
Mineral-oil tax	DM mn	66 008	66 677	71 278
Solidarity surcharge (to build up the new Länder)	DM mn	25 891	20 558	22 045
Länder taxes	DM mn	34 682	37 300	38 263
Incl.: Property tax	DM mn	1 757	1 062	1 050
Inheritance tax	DM mn	4 061	4 810	5 977
Tax on acquisition of real estate ...	DM mn	9 127	10 762	11 847
Motor vehicle tax	DM mn	14 418	15 171	13 767
Tax on bettings and lotteries	DM mn	2 912	3 183	3 369
Beer tax	DM mn	1 699	1 662	1 655
Local taxes	DM mn	65 613	68 269	71 427
Incl.: Trade tax	DM mn	48 601	50 508	52 924

1) Partly estimates. - 2) Adjusted for payments between public budgets. - 3) Before deduction of children's allowance (children's allowance paid by the government to inactive persons and tax deductible children's allowance paid by employers to their employees). - 4) Before deduction of reimbursements from the Federal Ministry of Finance.

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Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999
Credit market debt				
Federal Government ¹⁾	DM mn	899 067	954 428	1 385 341
Special federal funds ²⁾	DM mn	515 791	499 668	110 040
Länder	DM mn	586 248	615 626	631 092
Communities/local authorities	DM mn	167 416	165 906	164 165
Special-purpose associations	DM mn	20 201	20 752	23 232

1) 1999: Including the debts of the Federal Railways Fund, the "Hard Coal" Equalisation Fund and the Redemption Fund for Inherited Liabilities, taken over on 1 July 1999. - 2) 1997 and 1998: E.R.P. Special Fund, German Unity Fund, Federal Railways Fund, Redemption Fund for Inherited Liabilities, "Hard Coal" Equalisation Fund and Compensation Fund. 1999: E.R.P. Special Fund, German Unity Fund and Compensation Fund.



FINANCE AND TAXES

Specification	1997 ¹⁾	1998 ¹⁾	1999 ¹⁾
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Revenue by Länder²⁾

DM per inhabitant³⁾

Baden-Württemberg	7 233	7 632	7 808
Bavaria	7 273	7 757	7 924
Berlin	11 555	10 469	11 069
Brandenburg	8 318	8 329	8 525
Bremen	12 095	11 858	12 986
Hamburg	9 820	10 029	10 156
Hesse	7 841	8 230	8 757
Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania	8 625	8 804	8 973
Lower Saxony	6 692	6 939	7 023
North Rhine-Westphalia	7 127	7 517	7 697
Rhineland-Palatinate	6 526	6 663	6 981
Saarland	8 056	8 015	7 850
Saxony	8 456	8 453	8 553
Saxony-Anhalt	8 201	8 363	8 653
Schleswig-Holstein	7 037	7 231	7 456
Thuringia	8 154	8 356	8 426
Germany	7 496	7 726	7 920

Expenditure by Länder²⁾

DM per inhabitant³⁾

Baden-Württemberg	7 417	7 518	7 594
Bavaria	7 644	7 686	7 854
Berlin	12 279	12 106	12 138
Brandenburg	9 519	9 161	9 119
Bremen	11 935	11 822	12 144
Hamburg	10 815	10 909	10 843
Hesse	8 315	8 337	8 655
Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania	9 615	9 634	9 600
Lower Saxony	7 132	7 139	7 245
North Rhine-Westphalia	7 752	7 791	7 922
Rhineland-Palatinate	7 160	7 232	7 332
Saarland	7 678	7 691	7 763
Saxony	8 901	8 548	8 594
Saxony-Anhalt	9 557	9 392	9 314
Schleswig-Holstein	7 513	7 519	7 735
Thuringia	8 990	9 084	9 217
Germany	8 025	8 013	8 103

1) Results partly estimates. – 2) Adjusted revenue or expenditure of the Länder, communities/local authorities, and special-purpose associations. – 3) Number of inhabitants as at 30 June of each year.

FINANCE AND TAXES

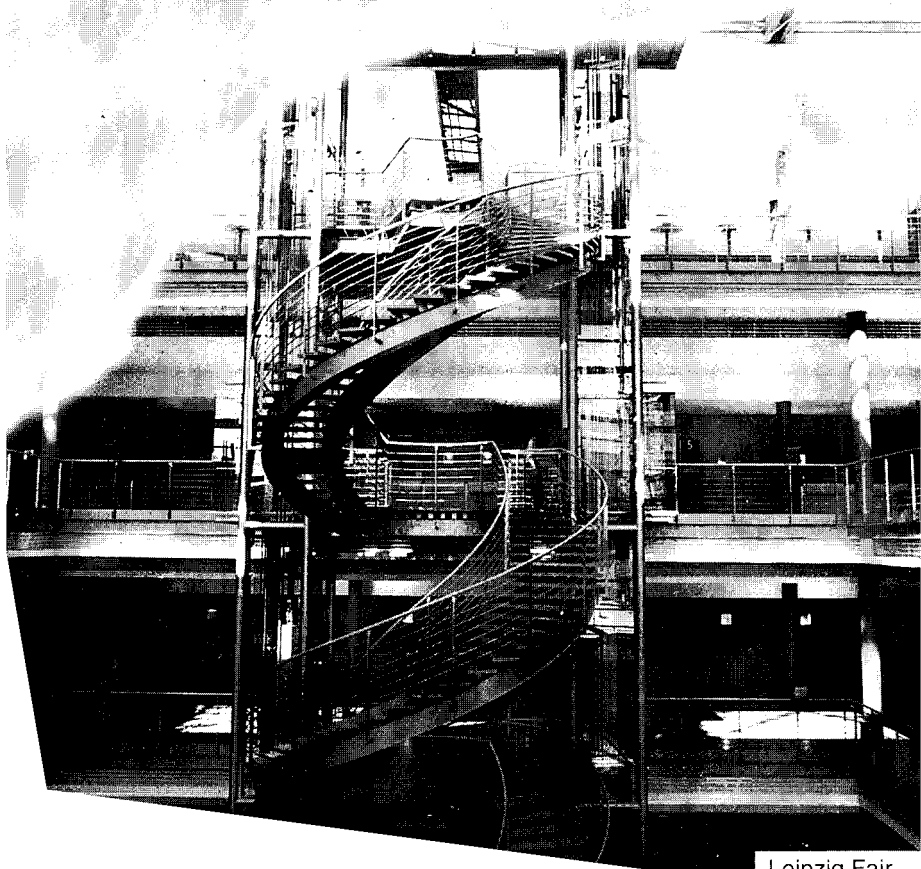
Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999 ¹⁾
Länder Government revenue-sharing scheme²⁾				
Baden-Württemberg	DM mn	- 2 410	- 3 473	- 3 426
Bavaria	DM mn	- 3 102	- 2 901	- 3 188
Berlin	DM mn	+ 4 432	+ 4 888	+ 5 316
Brandenburg	DM mn	+ 986	+ 1 041	+ 1 147
Bremen	DM mn	+ 350	+ 912	+ 665
Hamburg	DM mn	- 273	- 613	- 665
Hesse	DM mn	- 3 148	- 3 435	- 4 744
Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania	DM mn	+ 843	+ 876	+ 921
Lower Saxony	DM mn	+ 672	+ 787	+ 1 037
North Rhine-Westphalia	DM mn	- 3 059	- 3 095	- 2 578
Rhineland-Palatinate	DM mn	+ 296	+ 431	+ 379
Saarland	DM mn	+ 204	+ 228	+ 294
Saxony	DM mn	+ 1 918	+ 1 990	+ 2 149
Saxony-Anhalt	DM mn	+ 1 175	+ 1 205	+ 1 300
Schleswig-Holstein	DM mn	- 5	- 0	+ 174
Thuringia	DM mn	+ 1 123	+ 1 160	+ 1 218
Volume of equalisation	DM mn	11 999	13 518	14 602

Supplementary Federal grants³⁾

Baden-Württemberg	DM mn	-	-	-
Bavaria	DM mn	-	-	-
Berlin	DM mn	3 727	3 763	3 800
Brandenburg	DM mn	2 619	2 647	2 674
Bremen	DM mn	2 120	2 125	2 113
Hamburg	DM mn	-	-	-
Hesse	DM mn	-	-	-
Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania	DM mn	1 976	1 991	2 007
Lower Saxony	DM mn	1 414	1 536	1 860
North Rhine-Westphalia	DM mn	-	-	-
Rhineland-Palatinate	DM mn	1 024	1 182	1 058
Saarland	DM mn	2 017	2 018	1 619
Saxony	DM mn	4 493	4 531	4 568
Saxony-Anhalt	DM mn	2 871	2 892	2 912
Schleswig-Holstein	DM mn	346	323	561
Thuringia	DM mn	2 628	2 649	2 670
Volume of equalisation	DM mn	25 235	25 656	25 841

1) Preliminary result. - 2) + = Receipt of equalisation payments, - = Payment of equalisation. - 3) Revenue from Supplementary Federal grants.

Germany in a Global Context



Leipzig Fair

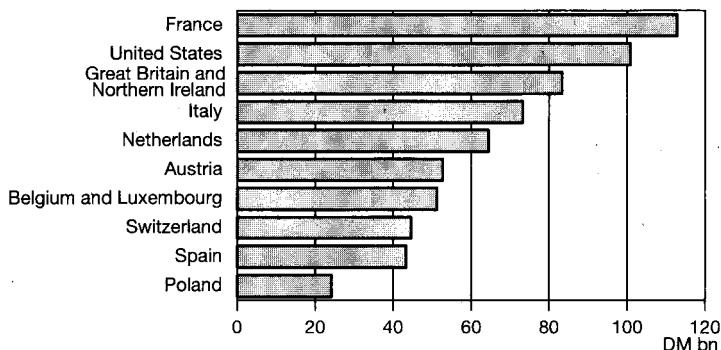
GERMANY AS A TRADING PARTNER

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999 ¹⁾
Exports	DM mn	888 616	955 170	994 195
Major countries of destination				
France	DM mn	94 420	105 901	112 936
United States	DM mn	76 617	89 751	100 837
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	DM mn	74 962	81 356	83 275
Italy	DM mn	65 053	70 533	73 341
Netherland	DM mn	63 054	66 910	64 464
Belgium and Luxembourg	DM mn	51 666	54 288	54 933
Austria	DM mn	46 680	51 760	52 693
Switzerland	DM mn	39 847	42 686	44 679
Spain	DM mn	33 071	38 454	43 359
Poland	DM mn	20 666	24 136	24 157

1) Preliminary result.

Exports, 1999¹⁾

The ten most important countries of destination²⁾



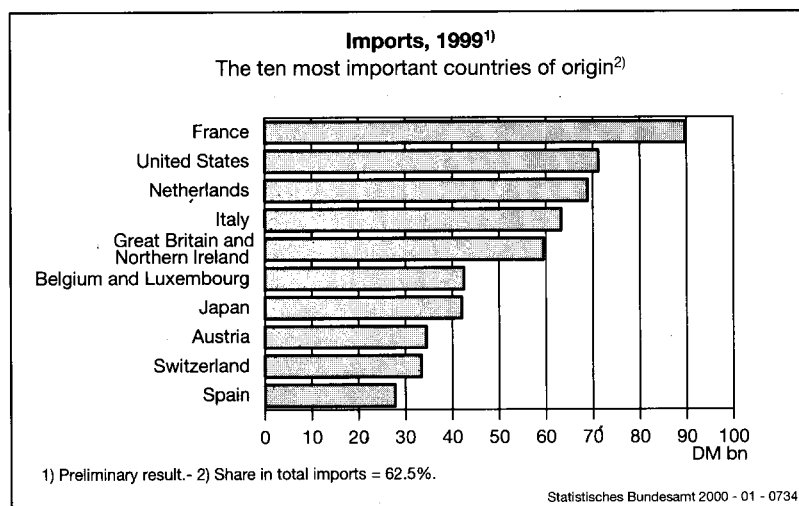
1) Preliminary result. - 2) Share in total exports = 66.1%.

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GERMANY AS A TRADING PARTNER

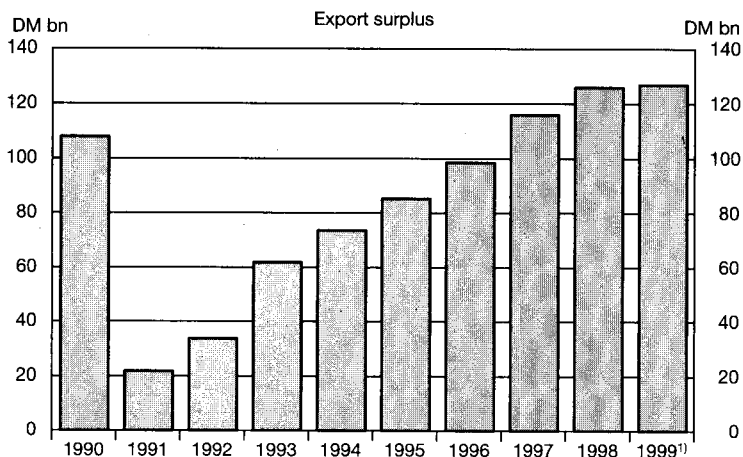
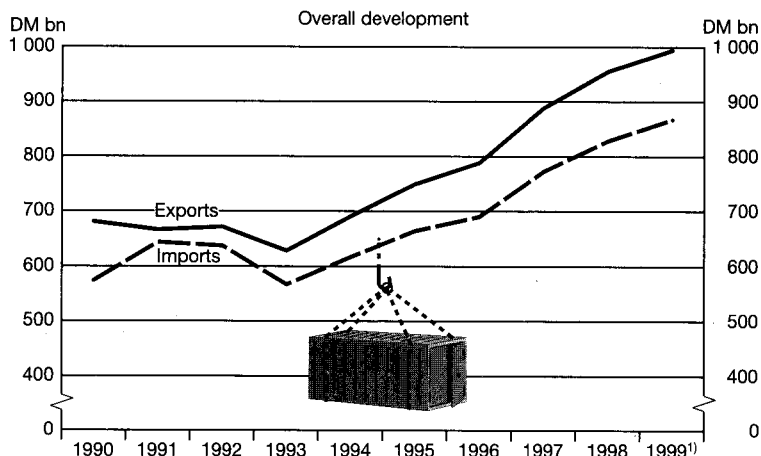
Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999 ¹⁾
Imports	DM mn	772 149	828 200	867 408
Major countries of origin				
France.....	DM mn	81 090	88 914	89 689
United States	DM mn	59 039	68 307	71 170
Netherlands.....	DM mn	67 537	69 425	68 908
Italy	DM mn	61 074	64 513	63 342
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	DM mn	54 342	56 694	59 431
Belgium and Luxembourg	DM mn	47 421	46 437	44 826
Japan	DM mn	37 478	41 047	41 985
Austria.....	DM mn	29 858	33 078	34 550
Switzerland	DM mn	29 082	32 550	33 412
Spain.....	DM mn	25 941	27 801	27 783

1) Preliminary result.



GERMANY AS A TRADING PARTNER

Development of foreign trade



1) Preliminary result.

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GERMANY AS A TRADING PARTNER

Specification	Unit	1997	1998	1999 ¹⁾
Exports	DM mn	888 616	955 170	994 195
by groups and sub-groups of commodities				
Food industry	DM mn	43 960	47 327	43 266
Live animals	DM mn	1 090	1 295	959
Food of animal origin	DM mn	13 721	14 628	13 265
Food of plant origin	DM mn	21 810	23 709	21 299
Semi-luxury food and tobacco	DM mn	7 338	7 696	7 742
Trade and industry	DM mn	821 023	893 571	898 302
Raw materials	DM mn	7 200	7 094	6 659
Semi-finished products	DM mn	44 032	43 271	41 328
Finished products	DM mn	769 791	843 207	850 315
Intermediate goods	DM mn	131 291	134 470	130 376
Final goods	DM mn	638 500	708 737	719 939
Goods returned and replacements	DM mn	23 633	14 271	42 498
Imports	DM mn	772 149	828 200	867 408
by groups and sub-groups of commodities				
Food industry	DM mn	74 872	77 630	69 219
Live animals	DM mn	648	711	575
Food of animal origin	DM mn	20 263	20 533	17 375
Food of plant origin	DM mn	41 825	43 899	39 337
Semi-luxury food and tobacco	DM mn	12 137	12 487	11 933
Trade and industry	DM mn	647 257	710 582	702 322
Raw materials	DM mn	38 339	32 246	36 698
Semi-finished products	DM mn	73 293	69 534	59 791
Finished products	DM mn	535 626	608 803	605 832
Intermediate goods	DM mn	88 746	98 150	87 409
Final goods	DM mn	446 879	510 653	518 423
Goods returned and replacements	DM mn	50 019	39 987	81 536
Export surplus	DM mn	+ 116 467	+ 126 970	+ 126 787

1) Preliminary result.

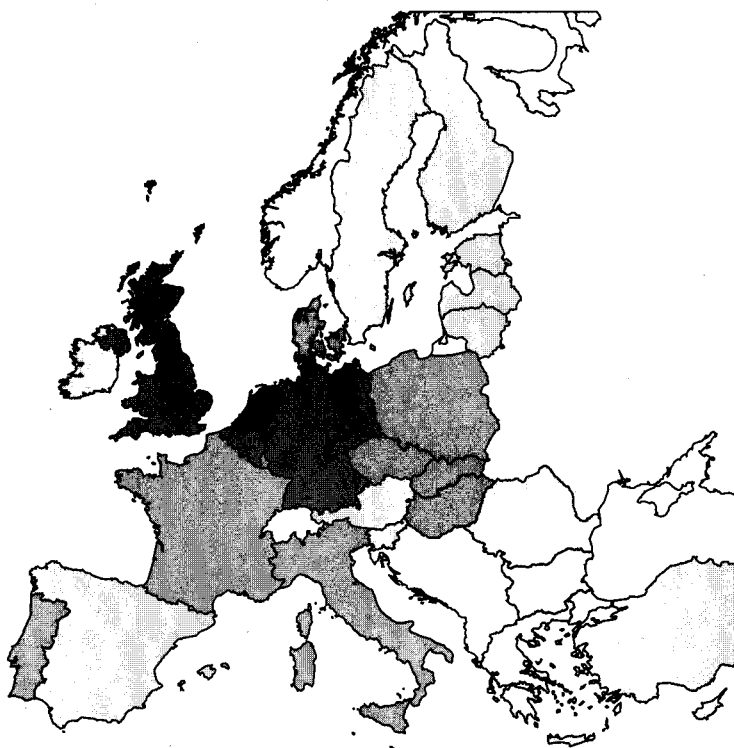
GERMANY IN EUROPE*)

Country	Area	Population	Inhabitants	Excess of births (+) or deaths (-)
	1 000 km ²	1 000	per km ²	per 1 000 inhab.
Austria	84	8 079	96	+ 0.4
Belgium	31	10 203	334	+ 1.0
Denmark	43	5 301	123	+ 1.4
Finland	338	5 153	15	+ 1.5
France	544	58 847	108	+ 3.4
Germany	357	82 024	230	- 0.9
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	242	59 128	245	+ 1.5
Greece	132	10 522	80	+ 0.0
Ireland	70	3 719	53	+ 6.0
Italy	301	57 588	191	- 0.9
Luxembourg	3	426	165	+ 3.5
Netherlands	42	15 706	378	+ 3.9
Portugal	92	9 968	109	+ 0.7
Spain	505	39 371	78	+ 0.1
Sweden	411	8 851	22	- 0.5
European Union (EU)	3 193	374 888	117	+ 0.8
Euro zone	2 366	291 086	123	+ 0.7
Memo item:				
EU candidate countries				
Bulgaria	111	8 336	75	- 6.4
Cyprus	9	771	83	+ 5.3
Czech Republic	79	10 282	130	- 1.8
Estonia	45	1 429	32	- 5.0
Hungary	93	10 116	109	- 4.3
Latvia	65	2 424	38	- 6.4
Lithuania	65	3 694	57	- 1.0
Malta	0.3	384	1 215	+ 3.8
Poland	323	38 718	120	+ 0.5
Romania	238	22 474	94	- 1.4
Slovakia	49	5 377	110	+ 0.8
Slovenia	20	1 993	98	- 0.6
Turkey	775	64 479	83	+ 14.8

*) 1998.

GERMANY IN EUROPE

Inhabitants per km² by countries



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GERMANY IN EUROPE*)

Country	Activity rate ¹⁾	Unemployment rate	Persons engaged in economic activity ²⁾ in		
			agriculture, forestry, fisheries	production industries	the service sector ³⁾
	%	% of the persons engaged in economic activity			
Austria	58.8	4.7	7	30	64
Belgium	50.8	9.5	2	27	71
Denmark	65.2	5.1	4	27	70
Finland	60.3	11.4	7	28	65
France	55.5	11.7	4	26	69
Germany	57.7	9.4	3	34	63
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	61.6	6.3	2	27	72
Greece	51.0	10.7	18	23	59
Ireland	56.5	7.8	9 ⁴⁾	29 ⁴⁾	61 ⁴⁾
Italy	47.8	11.9	6	32	62
Luxembourg	51.2	2.8	3	22	76
Netherlands	61.7	4.0	4	23	74
Portugal	60.9	5.1	14	36	50
Spain	49.3	18.7	8	30	62
Sweden	60.2	8.3	3	26	71
European Union (EU)	55.6	9.9	5	30	66
Euro zone	54.2	10.9	5	31	64
Memo item:					
EU candidate countries					
Bulgaria	50.4	16.0	25 ⁴⁾	29 ⁴⁾	46 ⁴⁾
Cyprus	61.5	3.3	10	15	75
Czech Republic	61.0	6.5	6	34	60
Estonia	60.5	9.9	10	28	62
Hungary	51.7	7.8	8	31	62
Latvia	58.8	13.8	19	23	58
Lithuania	61.7	13.3	21	23	55
Malta	48.3	5.1	1 ⁴⁾	40 ⁴⁾	59 ⁴⁾
Poland	57.3	10.6	19	32	49
Romania	63.6	6.3	40	28	32
Slovakia	59.9	12.5	8	33	59
Slovenia	59.4	7.9	11	35	54
Turkey	51.3	6.4	43	23	34

*) 1998. - 1) Share of the active population (persons engaged in economic activity and unemployed) in the population of 15 years or more. - 2) In some countries excl. soldiers. - 3) Incl. persons in not sufficiently specified branches of economic activity. - 4) 1997; Malta: only wage and salary earners.

GERMANY IN EUROPE*)

Country	Consumer price index ¹⁾	Exchange rates ²⁾	Telephone main stations	Passenger cars	Energy consumption ³⁾ (coal equivalent)
	1995 = 100	1 ECU/Euro = ... national currency	per 1 000 inhabitants		toe ⁴⁾ per inhabitant
Austria	104.3	13.7603	502	481	3.17
Belgium	105.4	40.3399	475	429	5.93 ⁵⁾
Denmark	107.6	7.44	654	337	3.90
Finland	105.1	5.94573	570	390	4.72
France	104.6	6.55957	582	443	4.23
Germany	104.0	1.95583	566	509	4.10
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	107.4	0.618	550	443	3.85
Greece	121.5	331.1	525	244	2.54
Ireland	108.3	0.787564	429	324	3.31
Italy	109.9	1 936.27	455	544	2.81
Luxembourg	104.7	40.3399	699	581	6)
Netherlands	107.3	2.20371	584	379	5.35
Portugal	109.5	200.482	412	310	1.98
Spain	109.7	166.386	416	408	2.91
Sweden	104.2	8.60	697	428	4.90
European Union (EU)	106.8	X	528	454	3.76
Euro zone	106.0	X	516	467	3.75
Memo item:					
EU candidate countries					
Bulgaria .....	.	1.96913	329	208	2.48
Cyprus	110.9	0.577418	528	305	2.02
Czech Republic	133.5	36.3196	364	345	3.72
Estonia	152.9	15.753	353	299	3.32
Hungary	183.9	240.5731	362	227	2.37
Latvia .....	.	0.66024	322	178	1.46
Lithuania .....	.	4.48437	302	239	2.34
Malta	110.0	0.434983	491	429	1.44
Poland .....	...	3.91784	220	220	2.31
Romania .....	.	9 984.877	163	120	1.68
Slovakia	132.3	39.5407	288	211	3.12
Slovenia .....	.	185.958	387	384	2.91
Turkey	1 048.2	293 736	268	58	0.97

*) 1998 or latest year available. - 1) 1999. - 2) EU countries: 1999; for Euro zone countries: irrevocably fixed exchange rates since 1 January 1999; for Denmark and Greece: bilateral central rates; for Great Britain and Northern Ireland and Sweden: reference rates; candidate countries: 1998. - 3) Commercial energy calculated from production plus imports minus exports plus/minus change in stocks. - 4) 1 tonne of oil equivalent (toe) = 41 860 kJ n.c.v./kg (net calorific value/kg). - 5) Incl. data for Luxembourg. - 6) The data for Luxembourg are included with Belgium.

GERMANY IN EUROPE*)

Country	Production of selected products			Agricultural products	
	electricity ¹⁾	raw steel	passenger cars	grain ²⁾	meat
	1 000 GWh	1 000 t	1 000	1 000 t	
Austria	57	5 299	58	4 772	885
Belgium	83	11 412	337	2 536	1 741 ³⁾
Denmark	41	790	–	9 356	1 989 ⁴⁾
Finland	70	3 952	11	2 787	352
France	510	20 153	2 603	68 412	6 512
Germany	544	44 046	5 348	44 575	6 057
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	358	17 003	1 748	22 795	3 755
Greece	46	1 109	–	4 537	513
Ireland	21	358	–	1 865	1 014
Italy	260	25 676	1 378	20 805	4 025
Luxembourg	1	2 478	–	167	.. ⁵⁾
Netherlands	91	6 379	243	1 626	2 973
Portugal	33	906	174	1 374	706
Spain	188	14 827	2 216	22 401	4 373
Sweden	159	5 168	368	5 697	584
European Union (EU)	2 463	159 556	14 484	213 705	35 479
Euro zone	1 859	135 486	12 368	171 320	28 638
Memo item:					
EU candidate countries					
Bulgaria	42	2 216	–	5 480	443
Cyprus	3	–	–	148	95
Czech Republic	65	6 498	369	6 854	844
Estonia	9	2	–	611	60
Hungary	37	1 816	90	13 490	1 114
Latvia	6	471	–	968	70
Lithuania	18	–	–	2 862	171
Malta	2	–	–	6	18
Poland	143	9 915	644	26 865	2 787
Romania	52	6 393	125	15 071	1 131
Slovakia	25	3 428	–	3 485	368
Slovenia	14	405	126	596	172
Turkey	111	14 144	233	33 182	1 255

*) 1998 or latest year available. – 1) Gross production. – 2) Incl. rice. – 3) Incl. data for Luxembourg. – 4) Excl. data for Faeroe Islands and Greenland. – 5) The data for Luxembourg are included with Belgium.

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Country	Imports and arrivals		Exports and dispatches		Balance	
	total	per inhabitant	total	per inhabitant		
	ECU mn	ECU	ECU mn	ECU	ECU mn	
Austria	61 099	7 563	55 178	6 830	-	5 921
Belgium - Luxembourg.....	148 794	13 999	159 510	15 007	+	10 716
Denmark	41 897	7 904	43 618	8 228	+	1 721
Finland	29 400	5 705	39 026	7 573	+	9 626
France	274 528	4 665	286 000	4 860	+	11 472
Germany	413 351	5 039	482 454	5 882	+	69 103
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	285 820	4 834	243 943	4 126	-	41 877
Greece	24 965	2 373	9 456	899	-	15 509
Ireland	38 289	10 296	58 573	15 750	+	20 284
Italy	192 512	3 343	215 639	3 745	+	23 127
Netherlands	175 239	11 157	186 626	11 882	+	11 387
Portugal	32 942	3 305	21 577	2 165	-	11 365
Spain	111 551	2 833	93 338	2 371	-	18 213
Sweden.....	60 833	6 873	75 523	8 533	+	14 690
European Union (EU)	1 891 221	5 045	1 970 461	5 256	+	79 240
Euro zone	1 477 705	5 077	1 597 921	5 490	+	120 216
Memo item:						
EU candidate countries						
Bulgaria.....	4 039	485	3 625	435	-	414
Cyprus	3 287	4 264	952	1 235	-	2 335
Czech Republic	25 689	2 498	23 475	2 283	-	2 214
Estonia	4 269	2 988	2 893	2 024	-	1 376
Hungary	22 943	2 268	20 384	2 015	-	2 559
Latvia	2 587	1 067	1 616	667	-	971
Lithuania	5 169	1 399	3 310	896	-	1 858
Malta	3 321	8 649	1 646	4 286	-	1 675
Poland.....	41 974	1 084	25 181	650	-	16 793
Romania.....	9 469	421	7 251	323	-	2 219
Slovakia	11 662	2 169	9 563	1 778	-	2 099
Slovenia	8 981	4 506	8 059	4 044	-	922
Turkey	40 977	636	24 062	373	-	16 914

*) 1998.

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Country	Gross domestic product (GDP) ¹⁾		Annual change in % ²⁾		GDP per inhabitant	
	ECU bn	PPS ³⁾ bn	1997	1998	PPS ³⁾	Average EU = 100
Austria	188.5	179.6	1.2	2.9	22 200	109
Belgium	223.1	230.0	3.2	2.9	22 500	111
Denmark	155.8	127.3	3.1	2.7	24 000	118
Finland	114.8	104.3	5.6	5.0	20 300	100
France	1 297.4	1 230.5	2.0	3.2	21 000	103
Germany	1 921.8	1 790.0	1.5	2.2	21 800	107
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	1 252.8	1 203.6	3.5	2.2	20 400	100
Greece	108.6	144.5	3.4	3.7	13 700	67
Ireland	75.9	78.5	10.7	8.9	21 100	104
Italy	1 058.7	1 174.2	1.5	1.3	20 400	100
Luxembourg	16.4	15.6	7.3	5.0	36 600	180
Netherlands	349.7	343.1	3.8	3.7	21 800	107
Portugal	97.6	146.0	3.5	3.5	14 600	72
Spain	520.2	646.8	3.8	4.0	16 400	81
Sweden	212.0	179.7	1.8	3.0	20 300	100
European Union (EU)	7 593.1	7 593.7	2.4	2.7	20 300	100
Euro zone	5 864.0	5 938.7	2.2	2.7	20 400	100
Memo item:						
EU candidate countries						
Bulgaria	11.0	38.2	- 7.0	3.5	4 600	23
Cyprus	8.1	10.5	2.5	5.0	13 600	67
Czech Republic	50.1	125.2	0.3	- 2.3	12 200	60
Estonia	4.6	10.7	10.6	4.0	7 500	37
Hungary	41.9	98.0	4.6	4.9	9 700	48
Lativa	5.7	13.5	8.6	3.6	5 600	28
Lithuania	9.6	22.9	7.3	5.1	6 200	31
Malta	3.1	...	4.9	3.4	...	...
Poland	140.2	280.3	6.8	4.8	7 200	35
Romania	36.9	133.7	- 6.1	- 5.4	5 900	29
Slovakia	18.1	49.9	6.5	4.4	9 300	46
Slovenia	17.4	27.2	4.6	3.9	13 600	67
Turkey	175.8	404.9	7.5	2.8	6 300	31

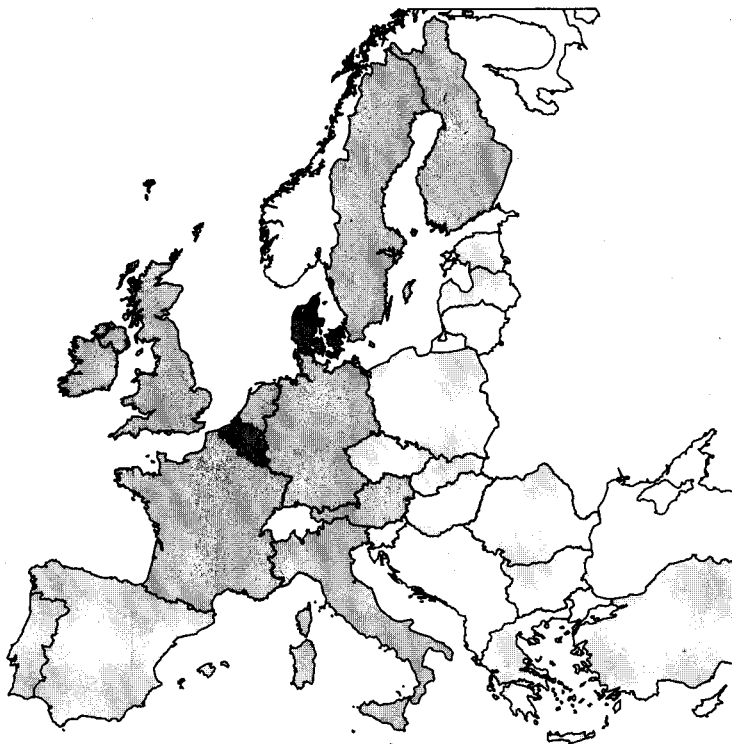
*) 1998. - 1) At current prices and exchange rates. - 2) Based on GDP data at constant prices in national currencies. - 3) Purchasing power standards.

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**Gross domestic product (in purchasing power parities) per inhabitant,
1998, by countries**

EU = 100

■ ≥ 120 ■ 110 - 119 ■ 90 - 109 ■ 70 - 89 ■ < 70



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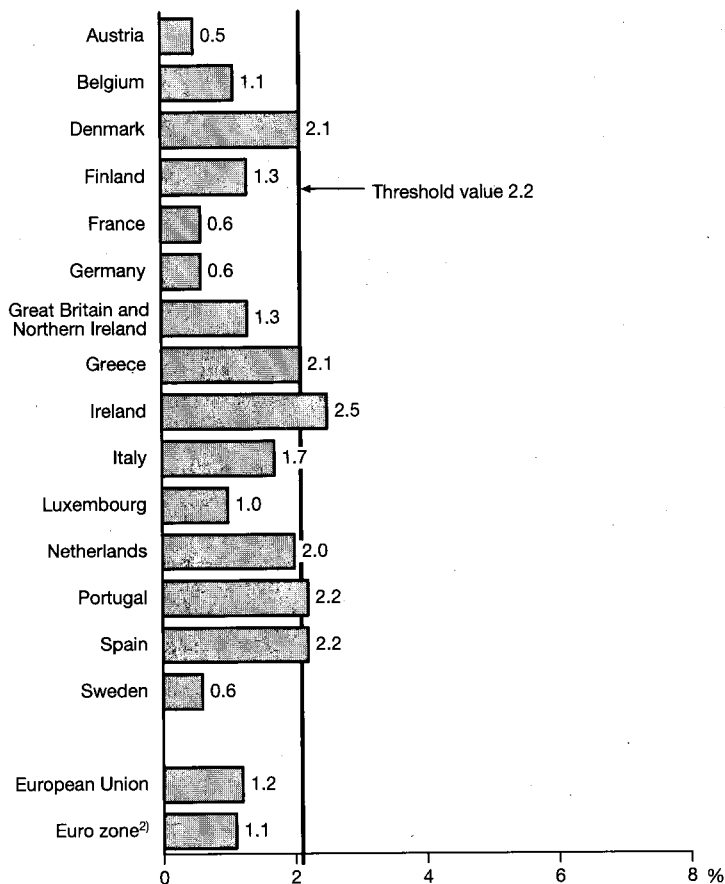
Country	1997	1998	1999
Consumer price index			
Changes on the previous year in %			
Threshold value	+ 2.7	+ 2.2	+ 2.1
Austria	+ 1.2	+ 0.8	+ 0.5
Belgium	+ 1.5	+ 0.9	+ 1.1
Denmark	+ 1.9	+ 1.3	+ 2.1
Finland	+ 1.2	+ 1.4	+ 1.3
France	+ 1.3	+ 0.7	+ 0.6
Germany	+ 1.5	+ 0.6	+ 0.6
Great Britain and Northern Ireland.....	+ 1.8	+ 1.6	+ 1.3
Greece	+ 5.4	+ 4.5	+ 2.1
Ireland	+ 1.2	+ 2.1	+ 2.5
Italy	+ 1.9	+ 2.0	+ 1.7
Luxembourg.....	+ 1.4	+ 1.0	+ 1.0
Netherlands	+ 1.9	+ 1.8	+ 2.0
Portugal	+ 1.9	+ 2.2	+ 2.2
Spain	+ 1.9	+ 1.8	+ 2.2
Sweden.....	+ 1.8	+ 1.0	+ 0.6
European Union (EU)	+ 1.7	+ 1.3	+ 1.2
Euro zone¹⁾	+ 1.6	+ 1.1	+ 1.1

*) Source: Eurostat. The data shown here are current data or estimates of the EU Commission, reference date January 2000; they are based on the latest national statistics available. They are not always equivalent to other official statements on the current situation regarding the convergence criteria. – 1) As of 1 January 1999, the euro zone, initially consisting of 11 EU Member States (Belgium, Germany, Finland, France, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Austria, Portugal, Spain) was founded to implement the third stage of the European economic and monetary union (EMU) as agreed on in the Maastricht Treaty. At the same time, the euro was introduced as the single European currency.

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Consumer price index¹⁾, 1999

Changes on the previous year in %



1) Source: Eurostat, December 1999. - Harmonized indices for international price comparisons. -

2) Austria, Belgium, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Portugal and Spain.

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Country	1997	1998	1999
Long-term interest rate¹⁾			
	in %		
Threshold value	8.0	6.6	6.6
Austria	5.7	4.7	4.7
Belgium	5.6	4.8	4.8
Denmark	6.3	4.9	4.9
Finland.....	6.0	4.8	4.7
France	5.6	4.6	4.6
Germany	5.6	4.6	4.5
Great Britain and Northern Ireland.....	7.1	5.6	5.0
Greece.....	9.9	8.5	6.3
Ireland	6.3	4.8	4.7
Italy	6.9	4.9	4.7
Luxembourg.....	5.6	4.7	4.7
Netherlands	5.6	4.6	4.6
Portugal	6.4	4.9	4.8
Spain	6.4	4.8	4.7
Sweden.....	6.6	5.0	5.0
European Union (EU) ²⁾	6.3	4.9	4.7
Euro zone³⁾	6.0	4.7	4.7

*) Source: Eurostat. The data shown here are current data or estimates of the EU Commission, reference date January 2000; they are based on the latest national statistics available. They are not always equivalent to other official statements on the current situation regarding the convergence criteria. -

1) Yield of ten-year government bonds. - 2) GDP weighted average. - 3) As of 1 January 1999, the euro zone, initially consisting of 11 EU Member States (Belgium, Germany, Finland, France, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Austria, Portugal, Spain) was founded to implement the third stage of the European economic and monetary union (EMU) as agreed on in the Maastricht Treaty. At the same time, the euro was introduced as the single European currency.

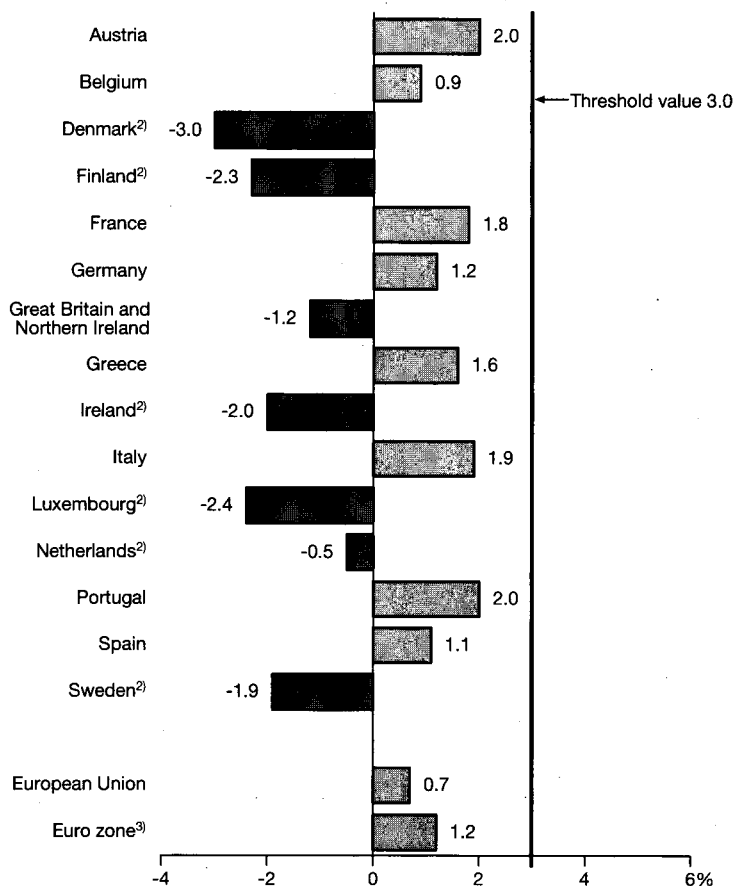
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Country	1997	1998	1999
Government budget deficit in % of the gross domestic product			
Threshold value	3.0	3.0	3.0
Austria	1.9	2.5	2.0
Belgium	2.0	1.0	0.9
Denmark	- 0.1 ¹⁾	- 1.2 ¹⁾	- 3.0 ¹⁾
Finland.....	1.5	- 1.3 ¹⁾	- 2.3 ¹⁾
France	3.0	2.7	1.8
Germany	2.6	1.7	1.2
Great Britain and Northern Ireland.....	2.0	- 0.3 ¹⁾	- 1.2 ¹⁾
Greece.....	3.9	2.5	1.6
Ireland	- 0.8 ¹⁾	- 2.1 ¹⁾	- 2.0 ¹⁾
Italy	2.7	2.8	1.9
Luxembourg.....	- 3.6 ¹⁾	- 3.2 ¹⁾	- 2.4 ¹⁾
Netherlands	1.2	0.8	- 0.5 ¹⁾
Portugal.....	2.6	2.1	2.0
Spain	3.2	2.6	1.1
Sweden.....	2.0	- 1.9 ¹⁾	- 1.9 ¹⁾
European Union (EU)	2.4	1.5	0.7
Euro zone²⁾	2.6	2.0	1.2

*) Source: Eurostat. The data shown here are current data or estimates of the EU Commission, reference date March 2000; they are based on the latest national statistics available. They are not always equivalent to other official statements on the current situation regarding the convergence criteria. - 1) Budget surplus. - 2) As of 1 January 1999, the euro zone, initially consisting of 11 EU Member States (Belgium, Germany, Finland, France, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Austria, Portugal, Spain) was founded to implement the third stage of the European economic and monetary union (EMU) as agreed on in the Maastricht Treaty. At the same time, the euro was introduced as the single European currency.

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Budget deficit¹⁾, 1999
in % of the gross domestic product



1) Source: Eurostat, March 2000.- 2) Budget surplus.- 3) Austria, Belgium, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Portugal and Spain.

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Country	1997	1998	1999
Government debt in % of the gross domestic product			
Threshold value	60.0	60.0	60.0
Austria	63.9	63.5	64.9
Belgium	123.0	117.4	114.4
Denmark	61.3	55.6	52.6
Finland	54.1	49.0	47.1
France	59.0	59.3	58.6
Germany	60.9	60.7	61.1
Great Britain and Northern Ireland.....	50.8	48.4	46.0
Greece	108.5	105.4	104.4
Ireland	65.3	55.6	52.4
Italy	119.8	116.3	114.9
Luxembourg	6.0	6.4	6.2
Netherlands	70.3	67.0	63.8
Portugal	60.3	56.5	56.8
Spain	66.7	64.9	63.5
Sweden	75.0	72.4	65.5
European Union (EU)	70.9	68.9	68.1
Euro zone¹⁾	74.0	73.4	72.2

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