Living in Germany
Survey 2003
on the social situation
of households

Individual question form

This questionnaire booklet is directed towards the individual persons in the household.

Your cooperation is voluntary. However, the scientific meaningfulness of this investigation depends on the cooperation of all persons in all households.

Therefore, we ask that:
– You allow our representative to carry out this interview; or
– You carefully fill out the questionnaire booklet yourself.

Before handing in please enter in accordance with the address log:

First name:

Please print
How is it done?

Please fill in the questionnaire booklet by

- checking the box with an X
  
  *Example:*  
  Sex:  
  male ..................  
  female ................  

- entering numbers in the larger lines  
  (flush right)
  
  *Example:*  
  Date of Birth: ...1 9 4 5  

- writing in the text boxes provided
  
  *Example:*  
  Other reason  

A 'pointing finger' symbol means that there is a further explanation to the question.

Please answer each question in turn.  
Skip questions only when expressly told to do so in the text.  

*Example:*

Are there children in your household?  

Yes ..................  

No ..................  

If you check off "yes" for this question then you should go to the next question.  

If you check off "no" for this question, then proceed directly to the question indicated.

Change of Job
1. **How satisfied are you today with the following areas of your life?**

   Please answer by using the following scale:
   0 means totally unhappy,
   10 means totally happy.

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<th>How satisfied are you with . . .</th>
<th>totally unhappy</th>
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<td>– your health?</td>
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<td>– your job?</td>
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<td>– your housework?</td>
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<td>– your household income?</td>
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<td>– your place of dwelling?</td>
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<td>– your free time?</td>
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<td>– the child care available?</td>
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<td>– the supply of goods and services in your area?</td>
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<td>– with local access to public transport?</td>
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<td>– the environmental conditions in your area?</td>
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<td>– your overall standard of living?</td>
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3. What is your opinion on the following three statements?
   Please tick one of the boxes for each statement.

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<tr>
<th>Statement</th>
<th>Totally Agree</th>
<th>Agree Slightly</th>
<th>Disagree Slightly</th>
<th>Totally Disagree</th>
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<td>On the whole one can trust people</td>
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<td>Nowadays one can’t rely on anyone</td>
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<td>If one is dealing with strangers, it is better to be careful before one</td>
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<td>can trust them</td>
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4. Do you believe that most people ...
   - would exploit you if they had the opportunity                           |
   - or would attempt to be fair towards you?                                |

5. Would you say that for most of the time, people ...
   - attempt to be helpful?                                                 |
   - or only act in their own interests?                                    |

6. What would you say: How many close friends do you have?
   close friends

7. How often does it occur that, ...
   Please enter one answer in every row!
   - that you lend your friends your personal belongings (i.e. CDs, books, car, bicycle)?
   - that you lend your friends money?
   - that you leave the door to your apartment unlocked?

8. How ever have you profited from the generosity of a person, who you had not previously met?
   Yes ..............................................  No .........................

9. Do you belong to a church or religious community?
   If yes, are you ...
   - catholic ........................................................................
   - evangelical .................................................................
   - member of another Christian community ................................
   - member of another religious community ...................................
   No, nondenominational ......................................................
10. What is a typical day like for you?  
How many hours do you spend on the following activities on a typical weekday, Saturday, and Sunday?  

   Please give only whole hours.  
   Use zero if the activity does not apply! 

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<th>Activity</th>
<th>Typical weekday</th>
<th>Typical Saturday</th>
<th>Typical Sunday</th>
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<td>Job, apprenticeship, second job (including travel time to and from work)</td>
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<td>Errands (shopping, trips to government agencies, etc.)</td>
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<td>Housework (washing, cooking, cleaning)</td>
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<td>Child care</td>
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<td>Care and support for persons in need of care</td>
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<td>Education or further training (also school, university)</td>
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<td>Repairs on and around the house, car repairs, garden work</td>
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<td>Hobbies and other free-time activities</td>
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11. Have you been engaged in paid work during the last 7 days, even if this work was only for an hour or just a few hours?  

   Please answer yes also if you normally would have worked in the last seven days, 
   but because of holidays, sickness, bad weather, or other reasons did not do so. 

Yes ...................  No .................. 

12. Are you currently under maternity protection or in the legally regulated "Elternzeit"?  

   "Elternzeit" means: interruption or reduction of employment after the birth of a child. 

Yes, maternity leave ...........  No ............... 
Yes, "Elternzeit" .............  No ............... 

13. Are you officially registered as unemployed at the Employment Office ("Arbeitsamt")?  

Yes ...................  No ..................
14. Now some questions about your free-time.
   Please indicate how often you take part in each activity:
   daily, at least once a week, at least once a month, seldom or never?

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<th>Activity</th>
<th>Daily</th>
<th>At least once a week</th>
<th>At least once a month</th>
<th>Seldom</th>
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<td>Go out for a drink or for a meal (café, bar pub, restaurant)</td>
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<td>Social intercourse with friends, relatives or neighbors</td>
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<td>Visits to and from family members and relatives</td>
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<td>Go on a trip or short holidays</td>
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<td>Participation in public initiatives, in political parties, local government</td>
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<td>Honorary office participation in clubs, associations or social services</td>
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<td>Church-going, visits to religious events</td>
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<td>TV / Video</td>
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<td>Handicrafts / domestic repairs / gardening</td>
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<td>Car/motorcycle repairs or maintenance</td>
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<td>Take part in active sport</td>
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<td>Visit sporting events</td>
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<td>Cinema visits, visits to pop concerts, dance events, clubs</td>
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<td>Visits to cultural events e.g. concerts, theatre, exhibitions</td>
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15. Are you a member of one of the following organisations or unions?

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<td>trade union?</td>
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<td>professional body?</td>
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<td>works or staff council at your place of work?</td>
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<td>group or organisation that supports the conservation and protection of the environment and/or nature?</td>
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<td>club or similar organisation?</td>
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16. Now a different series of questions: use of various methods of transport
   Do you possess a driving license?
   If yes, for what class(es) of vehicle(s)?
   Moped  ..................□
   Motorcycle ..............□
   Car .........................□
   Lorry / Truck...............□

17. Do you have permanent or partial access to a car for your own personal use?
   Yes, permanent ..........□
   Yes, partial ...............□
   No ...........................□

18. Do you own a bicycle?
   Yes ........□
   No ...........□

19. What forms of public transport are available where you live?
   If present:
   Which of them are easy to access or hard to access?
   And which of these do you use regularly, occasionally or never?

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<tr>
<th>Present</th>
<th>Easy to access</th>
<th>Hard to access</th>
<th>I use: regularly</th>
<th>I use: occasionally</th>
<th>I use: never</th>
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<td>Bus .................□⇒</td>
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<td>Underground (subway) / suburban railway ..........□⇒</td>
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<td>Tram .......................□⇒</td>
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<td>Train (Regional) ......................□⇒</td>
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<td>Taxi................................□⇒</td>
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20. Do you own a travel pass which covers local public transport?
   Yes, yearly travel pass ...............□
   Yes, monthly or weekly travel pass ......□
   No ........................................□
21. Some people have to use their own vehicle in order to travel to the nearest station or halt in order to use public transport. 
Does this apply to you?
Yes .................. ☐  Do you normally use ...
- a car / motorcycle ....☐
- a bicycle ...............☐
- other (i.e. taxi) ..........☐
No .................. ☐

22. Which methods of transport do you use for the following tasks?

Multiple answers, i.e. combinations of public and other methods of transport are possible.

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<tr>
<th></th>
<th>Public transport</th>
<th>Car</th>
<th>Motorcycle</th>
<th>Bicycle</th>
<th>On foot</th>
<th>Does not apply</th>
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<td>For the journey to work or place of study</td>
<td>☐</td>
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<td>When you make large household purchases</td>
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<td>When you go on a weekend trip</td>
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<td>For other free-time activities (i.e. sport, cinema, culture)</td>
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<td>When your child has to be taken to nursery school, school, friends, etc</td>
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23. To what extent do the following statements apply to you personally?

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<th>Statement</th>
<th>Completely applies</th>
<th>Applies slightly</th>
<th>Applies slightly less</th>
<th>Does not apply at all</th>
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<td>I am an enthusiastic car driver</td>
<td>☐</td>
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<td>I prefer not to use public transport</td>
<td>☐</td>
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<tr>
<td>I prefer to spend my free-time at home</td>
<td>☐</td>
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<td>No matter what others do, I try as much as possible to act in a environmentally-friendly manner</td>
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24. The following question deal with your way to work or your place of study.
Are you currently working or in education?
Yes .............................................. □ □ No .............................................. □ □  
[Skip to question 32!]

25. Which of the following three possibilities applies to your journey to work (or place of study)?
A I have practically no distance to commute to work, as my place of work is at my place of residence .................................................. □ □  
[Skip to question 32!]
B I walk/travel everyday from where I live to my workplace (place of study) .................................................................................. □ □  
[Skip to question 27!]
C I work (study) away from home and have a place of residence from where I travel to my workplace (or place of study) ............................................................................................ □ □

26. How often do you commute between where you live and your workplace (or place of study)?
Several times a week .............................................. □
Once a week ............................................................... □
Less often ................................................................. □

The following questions deal with your daily journey to your workplace (or place of study):

27. Is your workplace (place of study) located in ...
– one of the old „Bundesländer“, former West Germany (including West Berlin) ............................................................................. □
– one of the new „Bundesländer“, former East Germany (including East Berlin) .................................................................................. □

28. How far (in kilometers) is your job from your place of residence?
□ km  
Not applicable, because my workplace changes .............................................. □

29. How long do you usually need to travel the full journey from your place of residence to your workplace (place of study)?
□ hour(s) □ minutes  
Does not apply, workplace changes .............................................. □
30. How long do (or would) you need for the whole journey (one-way) ...

- if you only travelled by car? ...................................................... hour(s) minutes
- if you only travelled by public transport? .................................. hour(s) minutes

Not possible by public transport .................................................

31. Some people do not travel to their workplace or place of study in their own car, but instead travel with someone else as a passenger. Does this occur to you regularly or occasionally?

Yes, regularly ........... ☐

Yes, occasionally ...... ☐

No ..................... ☐

32. We would like to ask you in more detail about your current employment. Are you currently in some sort of education? In other words, do you attend a school or institution of higher education, are you engaged in an apprenticeship or are you participating in further education or training?

Yes ................. ☐

No .................. ☐

Skip to question 34!

33. What type of education or continuing training is that?

General school:

Secondary general school ("Hauptschule") ......................... ☐
Intermediate School ("Realschule") .......................... ☐
Upper Secondary School ("Gymnasium") ............ ☐
Comprehensive School ("Gesamtschule") .......... ☐
Evening Intermediate School ("Abendrealschule") .......... ☐
"Fachoberschule" ................................................. ☐

Higher Education:

"Fachhochschule" .................................................. ☐

University, other higher education institution ........... ☐

Training, classes for further education and training:

Professional or vocational retraining ("Umschulung") .......... ☐
Further education in your profession .................. ☐
Professional rehabilitation .................................. ☐
Further education in politics or general .................. ☐

Other: ____________________________________________________

Vocational education:

Primary vocational training year, vocational preparatory year ("Berufgrundbildungsjahr, Berufsvorbereitungsjahr") ............................................ ☐

Vocational school without apprenticeship ... ☐

Apprenticeship......................................................... ☐

Full-time vocational school ("Berufsfachschule, Handelsschule") .......... ☐

School for health care professions ......................... ☐

Trade and technical school ("Fachschule", for example, "Meister-, Technikerschule") .................. ☐

Education as public employee ......................... ☐

Other: ____________________________________________________
34. Are you currently engaged in paid employment?  
Which of the following applies best to your status?

- Pensioners with a job contract are considered employed.

- Full-time employed ............................................................... ☐
- Part-time employed ............................................................. ☐
- In occupational / professional education or retraining ............. ☐
- Marginally ("geringfügig") or irregularly employed ................... ☐
- Approaching retirement part-time employment with zero working hours ........................................................... ☐

35. Do you intend to engage in paid employment (again) in the future?

- No, definitely not ................................................................. ☐
- Probably not ........................................................................... ☐
- Probably .................................................................................. ☐
- Yes, definitely ........................................................................... ☐

36. When, approximately, would you like to start with paid employment?

- As soon as possible ............................................................... ☐
- Next year .................................................................................... ☐
- In the next two to five years .................................................... ☐
- In the distant future, in more than five years ............................ ☐

37. Are you interested in full-time or part-time employment, or would both suit you?

- Full-time ................................................................................... ☐
- Part-time .................................................................................... ☐
- Either ......................................................................................... ☐
- I'm not sure yet ......... ☐

38. If you were currently looking for a new job:
Is it or would it be easy, difficult or almost impossible to find an appropriate position?

- Easy ......................................................................................... ☐
- Difficult ..................................................................................... ☐
- Almost impossible ..................................................................... ☐
39. How high would your net income or salary have to be for you to take a position offered to you?

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\text{EURO per month} \\
\text{Can't say, it depends} \\
\end{array}
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40. If someone offered you an appropriate position right now, could you start working within the next two weeks?

- Yes .................. 
- No .................. 

41. Have you actively looked for work within the last four weeks?

- Yes .................. 
- No .................. 

Skip to question 44!

42. What have you undertaken within the last four weeks in order to find a (different) job?

\[\text{Please check all applicable answers.}\]

- Searched through the Employment Office („Arbeitsamt“) .......... 
- Searched through a private employment agency ..................... 
- Insertion of advertisements ................................................. 
- Replies to advertisements .................................................. 
- Impulse applications .......................................................... 
- Searched through friends or relatives ................................... 
- Searched advertisements .................................................... 
- Research on the internet ..................................................... 
- Tests ................................................................................ 
- Other ............................................................................. 

43. Have you received a voucher „Vermittlungsgutschein“, and if so what was the value?

- Yes ............ \(\mapsto\) value: 
- No ............ 

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44. There are different reasons for being employed. Which is for you the main reason:
to earn money or are other reasons important?
- Earn money .................................. □
- Other reasons .............................. □
- Both about the same ................. □

45. Would you like to work in your current / past profession or in the area of your education / training,
or would you rather do something new? Or does it not matter to you?
- In my current/past profession
  or area of education/training ...... □
- Something new ......................... □
- Doesn't matter .......................... □
  Does not apply,
  do not have a job (yet) ...... □

46. How likely is it that one or more of the following occupational changes will take place
in your life within the next two years?

- Start paid work ............................................ □
  Please estimate the probability of such a change according to a scale from 0 to 100.
  0 means that such a change will definitely not take place.
  100 means that such a change definitely will take place.
  All the values in between can be used for differentiation.

  Definitely
  not

  - Start paid work ............................................ □
    0 10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100

  - Become self-employed or work on
    a free-lance basis ........................................ □
    0 10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100

  - Receive further education or training
    by means of courses or seminars .............. □
    0 10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100

Skip to question 77!
47. How likely is it that the following career changes will take place in your life within the next two years? Please estimate the probability of such a change according to a scale from 0 to 100.

0 means that such a change will definitely not take place.

100 means that such a change definitely will take place.

All the values in between can be used for differentiation.

- look for a new job on your own initiative? ..........................................................

- lose your job? ..............................................................................................

- receive a promotion at your current place of employment? ..............................

- have become self-employed and/or freelance, and/or self-employed professional? ....................................................................................................................

- stop working in your current field and start working in another one? ...............

- stop working, either temporarily or permanently? ............................................

- are demoted at your current place of employment? ...........................................

- retire, either at the normal age or earlier? ......................................................

- alter your working hours greatly? (Change from full-time to part-time or vice versa, for example) ............................................................

- acquire further education or training by means of courses or seminars? ...........

- personally receive a pay raise above the rate negotiated by the union or for the staff in general? .................................................................
48. Did you change your job or start a new one after December 31, 2001?

Yes .................... □
No .................... □ [Skip to question 63!]

49. When did you start your current position?

2002, in the month □ □
2003, in the month □ □

50. What type of an employment change was that?

In the case that you have changed positions several times, please pick the appropriate reason for the most recent change.

I have entered employment for the first time in my life ............ □ [Skip to question 53!]

I have started up with paid employment again after not having been employed for a while ......................... □

I have started a new position with a different employer (for temporary workers this includes working in a temporary workplace) .......................................................... □

I have become self-employed .................................................... □

I have been taken on by the company in which I did my apprenticeship / worked as part of a state employment program / was employed on a free-lance basis ....................... □

I have changed positions within the same company .............. □

51. Are you able to use your professional skills and abilities today more, about the same, or less than in your previous position?

More .................................. □
About the same ............. □
Less .................................. □
52. How do you view your current position compared to your previous one?
In which of the following points has your new job improved or worsened your status?
Or has it stayed about the same?

*Please check just one for each line!*

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53. Were you actively looking for a job when you received your current position, or did it just come up?
Actively looking for job .................................................................
Just came up ............................................................................

54. How did you find out about this job?

*Please check just one!*

Through the Employment Office ("Arbeitsamt") .................................................
Through a so-called "Personalserviceagentur" (PSA) ........................................
Through an Employment Office .....................................................................
Through a private recruitment agency ........................................................
An advertisement in the newspaper ..................................................................
An advertisement in the internet ....................................................................
Through friends or relatives ............................................................................
I have returned to a former employer ............................................................
Other or none of the above .............................................................................

55. Was the Employment Office involved in finding the job?
Yes, directly .................................................................................................
Yes, provided a voucher ("Vermittlungsgutschein")
for a private recruitment agency ....................................................................
No ..................................................................................................................
56. What is your current position/occupation?

Please give the exact title. For example, do not write "clerk", but "shipping clerk"; not "blue-collar worker", but "machine metalworker". If you are engaged in public employment, please give your official title, for example, "police chief" or "Studienrat". If you are an apprentice or in vocational training, please state the profession associated with your training.

Please write the German term only!

57. Is this position the same as the profession for which you were educated or trained?

Yes ....... □  Currently in education or training ............................................................... □
No ........ □  I have not been trained or educated for a particular profession ...... □

58. What type of education or training is usually necessary for this type of work?

No completed vocational training/apprenticeship required ........................................ □
Completed vocational training/apprenticeship required ........................................... □
"Fachhochschule" degree required ........................................................................ □
Completed education at a university or other institution of higher education ............ □

59. What type of introduction or introductory training is usually necessary for this type of work?

Only a short introduction on the job ............. □
A longer training period in the company ....... □
Participation in special training or courses .... □

60. Does the company in which you are employed belong to the public sector?

Yes ........ □  No ............. □

61. In which branch of business or industry is your company or institution active for the most part?

Please state the branch as exactly as possible, for example, not "industry", but "electronics industry"; not "trade", but "retail trade"; not "public service", but "hospital".

Please write the German term only!

62. Approximately how many people does the company employ as a whole?

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<td>2,000 or more people</td>
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Not applicable, because I am self-employed without further employees ...... □
63. Since when have you been working for your current employer?

If you are self-employed, please indicate when you started your current work.

Since

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64. Is this work temporary or on a contractual basis?

Yes □ No □

65. Do you have a temporary or unlimited contract?

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Is this a job creation scheme (ABM) or structural adjustment measure (SAM)?

Yes □ No □

66. What is your current occupational status?

If you are employed in more than one position, please answer the following questions for your main position only.

**Blue-collar worker:**
- Untrained worker □
- Trained worker ("angelernt") □
- Trained and employed as skilled worker □
- Foreman ("Vorarbeiter") □
- Master craftsman ("Meister") □

**Self-employed**
(including family members working for the self-employed)

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**Apprentices / trainees and interns:**
- Apprentice / trainee in industry of technology □
- Apprentice / trainee in trade and commerce □
- Volunteer, intern, etc. □

**White-collar worker:**
- Industry and works foreman in a salaried position □
- Employee with simple duties, without training/education certificate □
- Employee with simple duties, with training/education certificate □
- Employee with qualified duties (e.g. executive officer, bookkeeper, technical draftsman) □
- Employee with highly qualified duties or managerial function (e.g. scientist, attorney, head of department) □
- Employee with extensive managerial duties (e.g. managing director, manager, head of a large firm or concern) □

**Civil servant**
(including judges and professional soldiers)
- Lower level □
- Middle level □
- Upper level □
- Executive level □
67. Are you currently observing the legal regulation concerning part-time work while approaching retirement?
   Yes .................................................. ☐ Reduced working-hours ............................................. ☐
   No .................................................. ☐ Reduced salary for temporarily unchanged working-hours (in saving phase) ............ ☐

68. If you lost your job today, would it be easy, difficult, or almost impossible for you to find a new position which is at least as good as your current one?
   Easy .................................................. ☐
   Difficult ............................................. ☐
   Almost impossible ......................... ☐

69. Nowadays, there are a number of different types of working hours available. Which of the following possibilities is most applicable to your work?
   A  Fixed daily working hours .......................................................... ☐
   B  Working hours fixed by employer, which may vary from day to day ............... ☐
   C  Working hours fixed by employer, which may vary from day to day ............... ☐
   D  Flexitime within a working hours account and a certain degree of self-determination of daily working hours within this account ................... ☐

70a How many hours are stipulated in your contract (excluding overtime)?
   ☐ ☐, ☐ hours per week No set hours ...... ☐

70b And how many hours do your actual working-hours consist of including possible over-time?
   ☐ ☐, ☐ hours per week

   If less than 30 hours: ☐ ☐ ☐
   If 30 hours or more: ☐ ☐ ☐ Skip to question 71!

70c Is that a so called „peripheral job“?
   Yes ....... ☐ No ............ ☐

70d Is this part-time occupation in accordance with the latest law concerning parental part-time (Federal Child Benefit Law)?
   Yes ....... ☐ No ............ ☐

70e Do you share your job with another worker (i.e. job-sharing)?
   Yes ....... ☐ No ............ ☐
71. If you could choose your own number of working hours, taking into account that your income would change according to the number of hours:

How many hours would you want to work?

☐, ☐ hours per week

72. Do you work overtime?

Yes ☐

No ☐

Not applicable, because I am self-employed ☐

73. Can you also collect this over-time in a so-called working-hours account, which allows you time off to be taken within a year or longer?

Yes ☐ ⇒ with the collected hours to be used . . .

No ☐

• by the end of the year ☐

• within a shorter period of time ☐

• within a longer period of time ☐

74. If you do work overtime, is the work paid, compensated with time-off, or not compensated at all?

Compensated with time-off ☐

Partly paid, partly compensated with time-off ☐

Paid ☐

Not compensated at all ☐

75. How was your situation with regards to overtime last month?

Did you work overtime? If yes, how many hours?

Yes ☐ ⇒ ☐ hours, of which: ☐ hours were paid

No ☐

Please enter "00" if unpaid

76. How high was your income from employment last month?

If you received extra income such as vacation pay or back pay, please do not include this. Please do include overtime pay.

Please do not include "Kindergeld", even if this is paid by the employer.

If you are self-employed: Please estimate your monthly income before and after tax.

Please fill in both:

• gross income, which means wages or salary before deduction of taxes and social security

• net income, which means the sum after deduction of taxes, social security, and unemployment and health insurance.

My income was:

gross ☐ EURO

net ☐ EURO
Now questions which apply to everyone!

77. It is possible to work in addition to regular employment, household work, education and also as pensioner. Do you engage in any of the following activities?  
Your main employment activity described in the previous sections should not be included!

- [ ] Work in family business
- [ ] Regularly paid secondary employment
- [ ] Occasional paid work

No, none of these ........................................ [ ]

Skip to question 84!

78. Which occupation is that? Please be as specific as possible.

Please write the German term only!

79. In which of the following categories does this work fit?

- [ ] Agriculture / Forestry
- [ ] Construction
- [ ] Industry and vocational trade
- [ ] Services

80. Whom do you work for in that regard? Is it –  
Several answers may be checked!

- [ ] a company (or several companies)
- [ ] a private household (or several)
- [ ] a public institution
- [ ] other

81. How many days a month do you engage in this additional employment?

[ ] days a month

82. How many hours on average on these days?

[ ] hours a day

83. How many months a year do you engage in this additional employment?

[ ] months a year
84. From which of the following income sources do you personally receive money at this time?  
* Please check all that apply!  
For all the applicable sources of income, please indicate how large an amount is each month.  
If you are unable to state the exact amount, please estimate.

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*) The gross amount means before any deductions for taxes, social security, etc.  
This is applicable only for income from additional employment, retirement pay, or company pensions.
How were things last year?

85. Did you end school, vocational training, or university education after December 31, 2001?

Yes ........................................ No .........................

Skip to question 87!

When?

2002, in the month ........................................

2003, in the month ........................................

86. Did you conclude this education with a degree, certificate or diploma?

Yes ........................................ No ......................... Skip to question 87!

What kind of a degree was that?

**General school certificate:**
- Secondary general school leaving certificate ("Hauptschulabschluss")

**Vocational Degree**

**Name of the vocation:**

**Type of education or training:**
- Apprenticeship
- Full-time vocational school ("Berufsfachschule, Handelsschule")
- School for health care professions
- Trade and technical school for vocational education ("Meister-, Technikerschule" etc.)
- Training for public employees
- Company retraining
- Other, for example further training
87. Did you leave a job after December 31, 2001 (one which you also had before this date)?

Yes .................. □          No .................. □          Skip to question 93!

88. When did you leave the last job?

2002, in the month □
2003, in the month □

89. How long were you employed in that position?

□ □ years    □ □ months

90. How was this job terminated?

Please check only one!

Because your place of work or office has closed ........................................□
My resignation ................................................................................................□
Dismissal ........................................................................................................□
Mutual agreement .........................................................................................□
A temporary job or apprenticeship had been completed..........................□
Reaching retirement age / pension .............................................................□
Suspension ....................................................................................................□
Purpose of your self-employment / business ............................................□

91. Did you receive any sort of compensation or severance package from the company?

Yes .................. □ ⇒ How much in total? □ □ □ □ □ □ EURO
No .................. □

92. Did you have a new contract or a prospective job before you left your last position?

Yes, a prospective job .................. □
Yes, a new contract .................. □
No, I didn't have anything lined up ...... □
I didn't look for a new job .................. □
93. And now think back on all of 2002.

We've drawn up a type of calendar below. Listed on the left are various employment characteristics that may have applied to you last year.

Please go through the various months and check all the months in which you were employed, unemployed, etc.

Please note that one must be checked for each month!

Even if you were unemployed for less than one month, please check off that month.

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94. We have already asked for your current income. In addition, please state what sources of income you received in the past calendar year 2002, independent of whether the income was received all year or only in certain months. Look over the list of income sources and check all that apply. For all sources that apply please indicate how many months you received this income in 2002 and how much this was on average per month. (Please state the gross amount which means not including deductions for taxes or social security).

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Additional questions 95 - 96

Additional question 97

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### Additional questions for employed persons

95. Did you receive any of the following additional payments from your employer last year (2002)?
   If yes, please state the gross amount.

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No, I received none of these.

96. Did you receive short-time compensation ("Kurzarbeitergeld") or bad-weather pay ("Schlechtwettergeld") in 2002? If yes, for how many weeks?

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### Additional question for retirees, pensioners

97. Who pays your pension and how high were the monthly payments in 2002?

Please state the gross amount, excluding taxes. If you receive more than one pension, please check each that applies. In that case, please also make sure you didn’t forget any of them in Question 94. If you do not know the exact amount, please estimate.

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<th>Beamtenversorgung</th>
<th>Kriegsopferversorgung</th>
<th>Unfallversicherung (z.B. der Berufsgenossenschaft)</th>
<th>Zusatzversorgung des öffentlichen Dienstes (z.B. VBL)</th>
<th>Betriebliche Altersversorgung (z.B. Werkspension)</th>
<th>Private pension scheme</th>
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Health and Illness

98. How would you describe your current health?
   Very good □
   Good □
   Satisfactory □
   Poor □
   Bad □

99. Are you legally classified as handicapped or capable of gainful employment only to a reduced extent due to medical reasons?
   Yes □ ☞ What is the extent of this capability reduction or handicap according to the most recent diagnosis? ...... □□ □% □
   No □

100. Have you gone to a doctor within the last three months?
      If yes, please state how often.
      Number of trips to the doctor’s in the last three months .......... □
      I haven’t gone to the doctor’s in the last three months .......... □

101. And how was that with regards to stays in the hospital?
      Were you ever admitted to a hospital for at least one night in 2002?
      Yes □
      No □ ☞ Skip to question 103!

102. How many nights altogether did you spend in the hospital last year?
      □□□ nights

      And how often were you admitted to a hospital in the year 2002?
      □ times

103. If you were employed in 2002:
      Were you sick from work for more than six weeks at one time last year?
      Yes, once □
      Yes, several times □

      No □

      I was not employed in 2002 □ ☞ Skip to question 105!

104. How many days were you not able to work in 2002 because of illness?
      Please state all the days, not just those for which you had an official note from your doctor.
      None □

      A total of □□□ days
105. Now some questions about your health insurance. First the question:
Do you qualify for additional allowances (such as “Beihilfe” or “Heilvorsorge”) for public employees?
- Yes □
- No □

106. How are you insured for sickness:
Do you have state health insurance, are you almost exclusively privately insured or do you not have any health insurance?
- Please answer also if you do not pay for the insurance yourself, but are covered by another family member. Compulsory health insurance providers are listed in Question 107.
- In compulsory health insurance □
- Almost exclusively privately insured □
- No health insurance □

107. Which of the following is your health insurance provider?
- AOK □
- TKK □
- GEK □
- Barmer □
- IKK □
- Knappschaft □
- DAK □
- KKH □
- LKK □
- Company health insurance □
- Sonstige □
  please state:

108. Have you changed to a different health insurance provider after December 31, 2001?
- Yes □
- No □

109. Are you personally in this health insurance –
- a mandatory paying member □
- a voluntary paying member □
- covered by the insurance of a family member □
- insured as pensioner, unemployed, student, or draft soldier or through your community service work (“Zivildienst”) □
110. Do you have additional private health insurance?
Yes .................□  No .................□ [Skip to question 117!]

111. What do you pay for private insurance per month?
□□□□ EURO per month  □ Don’t know ....□

112. Which of the following are covered by your additional health insurance?
**Please check all that apply!**
- Hospital stay ................................................□
- Dentures ....................................................□
- Corrective devices (glasses, for examples) ..□
- Coverage abroad ........................................□
- Other ............................................................ Don’t know ....□

[Skip to question 117!]

113. In whose name is your private health insurance:
another family member’s or your own?
- Other family member ........□ [Skip to question 117!]
- Your own ..................□

114. What do you pay per month for health insurance?
□□□□ EURO per month  □ Don’t know ....□

115. Is that amount just for you or are other people covered?
- Just for me..........................□
- In additional to myself □ persons are covered
  Number

116 Is it health insurance with a deductible or co-payment?
Yes .................□
No .................□
### Attitude and opinions

117. Generally speaking, how much are you interested in politics?
- Very much
- Much
- Not so much
- Not at all

118. Many people in Germany lean towards one party in the long term, even if they occasionally vote for another party.
Do you lean towards a particular party?
- Yes
- No

119. Toward which party do you lean?
- SPD
- CDU
- CSU
- FDP
- Bündnis ’90/Grüne
- PDS
- DVU/Republikaner
- Other

And to what extent?
- Very strongly
- Rather strongly
- Somewhat
- Weakly
- Very weakly

120. What is your attitude towards the following areas – are you concerned about them?

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<th>Very concerned</th>
<th>Somewhat concerned</th>
<th>Not concerned at all</th>
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<td>Environmental protection</td>
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If you are employed:
- Your job security

Or what else are you concerned about?

*Please state:*
Citizenship and Origins

121. Where did you live before German reunification, i.e. before 1989?
   - In the GDR (including East Berlin) .................................................. □
   - In the Federal Republic (including West Berlin) .......................... □
   - Abroad ........................................................................................... □

122. Is your nationality German?
   Yes ................................................................. □
   No ............................................................. □  □  
   Skip to question 125!

123. Do you have a second citizenship in addition to your German?
   Yes ................................................................. □
   No ............................................................. □  
   Please state

124. Have you had German nationality since birth or did you acquire it at a later date?
   Since birth ................................................................. □  □
   At a later date ............................................................. □  □
   Skip to question 129!

125. What is your citizenship?

126. Were you born in Germany?
   Yes ................................................................. □
   No ............................................................. □

127. Have you visited Germans in their home within the last 12 months?
   Yes ................................................................. □
   No ............................................................. □

128. Have you received German visitors in your home within the last 12 months?
   Yes ................................................................. □
   No ............................................................. □

129. What language do you speak here –
   Mostly German ............................................................................................ □
   Mostly the language of my native country .................................................. □
   German half the time and my native language half of the time ........... □
130. It isn't necessarily easy for foreigners and immigrants to learn German when they come to Germany. But on the other hand, foreigners and immigrants who have lived in Germany for an extended period of time might also not be able to speak the language of their native country of their parents as well any more. 
What applies to you?

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<th>In your opinion, how well do you speak and write German?</th>
<th>In your opinion, how well do you speak and write your native language?</th>
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<td>Not at all ....................................................................</td>
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131. How often have you experienced discrimination or disadvantages in Germany because of your origins?
- Often ..........................................................
- Seldom ..........................................................
- Never ..........................................................

132. Do you want to stay in Germany forever?
- Yes ............................................................... [ ]
- No ................................................................. [ ]

133. How long do you want to remain in Germany?
- A year at the most ...........................................
- A few years more ........................................... [ ]  How many years? [ ] [ ] years  Don't know [ ]

134. To what extent do you view yourself as a German?
- Completely ....................................................
- For the most part ............................................
- In some respects ............................................
- Hardly at all ..................................................
- Not at all .....................................................

135. To what extent do you feel that you belong to the culture of the country where you or your family comes from?
- To a very large extent .....................................
- To a large extent ..........................................  
- In some respects .......................................... 
- Hardly ..........................................................
- Not at all .....................................................
And finally:

136. Your sex and year of birth:
- male ............
- female ............ Year of birth: 19

137. Did you or do you have any siblings?
- Yes ............
- No ............

138. What is your marital status?
- Married, living together with spouse ....................................
- Married, living (permanently) separated from my spouse....
- Single ........................................................................
- Divorced ......................................................................
- Widowed .....................................................................

139. Are you in a serious/permanent relationship?
- Yes ............
- No ............

Does your partner live in the same household?
- Yes ............ First name: 
- No ............

140. Have you personally given payments or support during the last year (2002) to relatives or other persons outside of your household?
- Please check all appropriate answers!

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<th>Where does the recipient live?</th>
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<td>EURO Germany Abroad</td>
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<td>To my children (also step children)</td>
<td>EURO Germany Abroad</td>
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<td>To spouse or ex-spouse .............</td>
<td>EURO Germany Abroad</td>
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<td>To other relatives ..................</td>
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<td>To other persons not related to me</td>
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<td>No, I have not given any payment or support</td>
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141. Has your family situation changed after December 31, 2001?
Please indicate if any of the following apply to you and if so, when this change occurred.

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<th>Change Description</th>
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<td>I moved in with my partner</td>
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<td>Had a child</td>
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<td>My son or daughter left the household</td>
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<td>I separated from my spouse / partner</td>
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<td>I got divorced</td>
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<td>My spouse / partner died</td>
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There have been no changes in my family ....................................... ☐

142. In conclusion, we would like to ask you about your satisfaction with your life in general.
Please answer according to the following scale:
"0" means completely dissatisfied; "10" means completely satisfied.

How satisfied are you with your life, all things considered?

And how do you think you will feel in five years?

Thank you for your cooperation!
Durchführung des Interviews

A Wie wurde die Befragung durchgeführt?

Mündliches Interview .......................................................... □

Befragter hat den Fragebogen selbst ausgefüllt, und zwar:

– in Anwesenheit des Interviewers .................................  □
– in Abwesenheit des Interviewers .................................  □
Teils mündlich, teils selbst ausgefüllt .............................. □

B Interviewdauer:

Das mündliche (Teil-)Interview dauerte ......................... □□ Minuten
Befragter brauchte zum Selbstausfüllen ......................... □□ Minuten
(bitte erfragen)

C Sonstige Hinweise:


Listen-Nr.  Lfd. Nr.

Ich bestätige die korrekte Durchführung des Interviews:

Tag  Monat  Abrechnungs-Nummer  Unterschrift des Interviewers