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Living in Germany

Survey 2004
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:**

Household number:

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First name:

Please print

Your current life situation

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.

How satisfied are you with . . .

totally
unhappy

totally
happy

– your health?

= = = = = = = = = = =

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

(if employed)
– your job?

= = = = = = = = = = =

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

(if working in household)
– your housework?

= = = = = = = = = = =

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

– your household income?

= = = = = = = = = = =

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

– your personal income?

= = = = = = = = = = =

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

– your schooling and professional
education?

= = = = = = = = = = =

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

– your place of dwelling?

= = = = = = = = = = =

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

– your free time?

= = = = = = = = = = =

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

(if you have small children)
– the child care available?

= = = = = = = = = = =

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

– the supply of goods and
services in your area?

= = = = = = = = = = =


0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

– your overall standard of living?

= = = = = = = = = = =

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10


**2. What does a typical weekday look like for you?
How many hours per day do you spend on the following activities?**

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

**Number
of hours**

Job, apprenticeship, second job (including travel time to and from work)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Errands (shopping, trips to government agencies, etc.)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Housework (washing, cooking, cleaning)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Child care	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Care and support for persons in need of care	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Education or further training (also school, university)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Repairs on and around the house, car repairs, garden work	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Hobbies and other free-time activities	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

**3. 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

4. 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
 Yes, "Elternzeit" No

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

Yes No

6. Various things can be important for various people.

Are the following things currently ... for you?

- Very important
- Important
- Less important
- or Not at all important?

Very Important Less Not at all
important important important

Afford to buy something for yourself	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>
Be there for others	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>
Be self-fulfilled	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>
Be successful in ones career	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>
Own a house	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have a happy marriage / relationship	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have children	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>
Be politically and/or socially involved	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>
See the world and/or travel extensively	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>	=====	<input type="checkbox"/>

7. 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 9!


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


General school:	Vocational education:
Secondary general school ("Hauptschule") <input type="checkbox"/>	Primary vocational training year, vocational preparatory year ("Berufsgrundbildungsjahr, Berufsvorbereitungsjahr") <input type="checkbox"/>
Intermediate School ("Realschule") <input type="checkbox"/>	Vocational school <u>without</u> apprenticeship ... <input type="checkbox"/>
Upper Secondary School ("Gymnasium") <input type="checkbox"/>	Apprenticeship <input type="checkbox"/>
Comprehensive School ("Gesamtschule") <input type="checkbox"/>	Full-time vocational school ("Berufsfachschule, Handelsschule") <input type="checkbox"/>
Evening Intermediate School ("Abendrealschule") <input type="checkbox"/>	School for health care professions <input type="checkbox"/>
"Fachoberschule" <input type="checkbox"/>	Trade and technical school ("Fachschule", for example, "Meister-, Technikerschule") <input type="checkbox"/>
Higher Education:	Education as public employee <input type="checkbox"/>
"Fachhochschule" <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: <input style="width: 100px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>
University, other higher education institution <input type="checkbox"/>	
Training, classes for further education and training:	
Professional or vocational retraining ("Umschulung") <input type="checkbox"/>	
Further education in your profession <input type="checkbox"/>	
Professional rehabilitation <input type="checkbox"/>	
Further education in politics or general <input type="checkbox"/>	
Other: <input style="width: 100px; height: 20px;" type="text"/>	


**9. 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 

Doing your compulsory military service 

Doing community service as substitute for compulsory
military service ("Zivildienst") / Voluntary social year 


Not employed 




Skip to question **19!**


Skip to question **59!**


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


No, definitely not 

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Probably not 

Probably 

Yes, definitely 



11. 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

12. 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

13. 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

14. How high would your net income or salary have to be for you to take a position offered to you?

Euros per month

Can't say, it depends

15. If someone offered you an appropriate position right now, could you start working within the next two weeks?

Yes

No


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

Yes

No

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

 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

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

Yes \Rightarrow value: Euros

No

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Your current employment

19. Did you change your job or start a new one after December 31, 2002?

Yes
↓

No


Skip to question **27!**

20. When did you start your current position?

2003, in the month

2004, in the month

21. 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

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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 an 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

22. 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

23. 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!


How is this with regards to ...	Improved	About the same	Worse
- the type of work?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- income?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- chances of promotion?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- work load?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- commute?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- work hour regulations?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- benefits?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- security against loss of job?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**24. 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

25. 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


26. Was the Employment Office involved in finding the job?

Yes, directly

Yes, provided a voucher ("Vermittlungsgutschein")
for a private recruitment agency ⇒ value Euros

No

27. 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!

28. 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

29. 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

30. 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

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

Yes

No

32. 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!

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

less than 5 people

from 5 up to, but less than 20 people

from 20 up to, but less than 100 people


from 100 up to, but less than 200 people

from 200 up to, but less than 2,000 people

2,000 or more people

Not applicable, because I am self-employed without further employees

34. Since when have you been working for your current employer?


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

Since
 month year

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

Yes No


36. Do you have a temporary or unlimited contract?

Temporary 
 Unlimited
 Not applicable, do not have an employment contract

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

Yes No

37. 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 ("angelent")
 Trained and employed as skilled worker
 Foreman ("Vorarbeiter")
 Master craftsman ("Meister")

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)

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

	Number of employees		
	None	1 – 9	10 and more
Self-employed farmer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Free-lance professional, independent scholar	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other self-employed	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Family member working for self-employed relative	<input type="checkbox"/>		

Civil servant

(including judges and professional soldiers)

Lower level
 Middle level
 Upper level
 Executive level

Apprentices / trainees and interns:

Apprentice / trainee in industry of technology
 Apprentice / trainee in trade and commerce
 Volunteer, intern, etc.

38. Is your own performance regularly assessed by a superior as part of an agreed procedure?

Yes

No

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39. Does this performance assessment influence ...

Yes No Don't know

- your monthly gross salary?
- a yearly bonus?
- future salary increases?
- potential promotion?

40. How was it in the previous twelve months in your occupational area:
Has the labor force increased, decreased, or remained the same?

Increased

Decreased

No change

Don't know

41. 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

42. Income earned varies in Germany. Therefore we would like to ask you where your place of work lies: Is it ...

- in one of the old federal states

- in one of the new federal states

- in the west of Berlin

- in the east of Berlin

- or abroad?

43. Is your current job in the city where you live?

Yes

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No

44. How often do you commute from your apartment to your place of work?

Every day

Once a week

Less often

45. How far (in kilometers) is your job from your place of residence?

km

Difficult to say, location of workplace varies

Workplace and home are in the same building

46. How many days do you usually work per week?

days

Not applicable, because ...

• the number of days is not fixed

• the number of days changes from week to week ...

47. And how many hours do you work on a typical workday?

hours

Varying, irregular

48. At what time do you generally start work?

Hour

Minute

Varying

49. How many hours are stipulated in your contract (excluding overtime)?

hours per week

No set hours

50. 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 53!

51. Is it a marginal job in accordance with the 400/800 Euros Rule (mini-/midi-job)?

Yes, mini-Job (up to 400 Euros)

Yes, midi-Job (400 to 800 Euros)

No

52. Is this part-time occupation in accordance with the latest law concerning parental part-time (Federal Child Benefit Law)?

Yes

No

53. 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)

54. 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

55. Do you work overtime?

Yes

No
 Not applicable, because I am self-employed

Sie springen auf Frage 59!

56. 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

57. 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

58. 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*

59. 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.
 ☞ 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 Euros
 net Euros

Now questions which apply to everyone!

60. 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

No, none of these.....

Regularly paid secondary employment

Occasional paid work

Skip to question **68!**

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

Please write the German term only!

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

Agriculture / Forestry

Construction

Industry and vocational trade

Services

63. 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?

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

days a month

65. How many hours on average on these days?

hours a day

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

months a year

67. How much was your gross income for this job for last month?


Euros

68. 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.**

Source of income	Yes	Gross amount per month ^{*)}
Own pension <i>If you have more than one, please add them together!</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> Euros
Widower's pension, orphan's pension <i>If you have more than one, please add them together!</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> Euros
Support from the "Arbeitsamt" in the form of:		
● Unemployment pay ("Arbeitslosengeld")	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> Euros
● Unemployment assistance (or Unemployment pay II)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> Euros
● Support for further training and education ("Unterhaltsgeld bei Fortbildung") / Transition pay ("Übergangsgeld"), other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> Euros
Early retirement pay from the former employer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> Euros
Maternity benefit during maternity leave ("Erziehungsgeld")	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> Euros
BAföG (state support for higher education), grants, vocational training support	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> Euros
Pay for compulsory military service, community service in place of military service ("Zivildienst")	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> Euros
Alimony or child support from your former partner (including temporary child support from the state before the question of child support is decided)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> Euros
Other types of financial assistance from persons who do not live in the household	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> Euros
None of these	<input type="checkbox"/>	

***)**  The gross amount means before any deductions for taxes, social security, etc.
This is only of relevance to pensioners and potentially to those on company pensions.

69. What tax-bracket are you in?

Tax-bracket I

II

III

IV


V

Don't know

Do not have a tax-bracket

How were things last year?

70. Did you end school, vocational training, or university education after December 31, 2002?

Yes 

No


Skip to question **72!**

When?

2003, in the month

2004, in the month

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

Yes 

No

Skip to question **72!**

What kind of a degree was that?

General school certificate:

Secondary general school leaving certificate ("Hauptschulabschluss")

Intermediate school leaving certificate ("Mittlere Reife", "Realschulabschluss")

Leaving certificate from a Fachoberschule ("Fachhochschulreife" – qualification for studies at a Fachhochschule)

Upper secondary leaving certificate ("Abitur")

Other school leaving certificate
Please specify:

Higher Education Degree

Fachhochschule

University, technical university, other higher education institution

Please also state the degree and subject:

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

72. Did you leave a job after December 31, 2002 (one which you also had before this date)?

Yes 

No

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73. When did you leave the last job?


2003, in the month

2004, in the month

74. How long were you employed in that position?

years months

75. 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

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

Yes  How much in total? Euros

No

77. 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

78. And now think back on all of 2003.

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.*

I was ...	2003											
	Jan.	Febr.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Okt.	Nov.	Dec.
full-time employed (including State employment programs "ABM" / "SAM")	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
part-time employed	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
in first-time company training / apprenticeship	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
in further training, retraining, further professional education ..	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
registered as unemployed	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
in retirement or early retirement "Vorruhestand"	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
on maternity leave / child rearing leave / "Elternzeit"	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
in school, at university or "Fachschule"	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Military Service / Reserve Duty Training Exercise <input type="checkbox"/>	}	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Community Service <input type="checkbox"/>												
Voluntary Social Year <input type="checkbox"/>												
housewife, houseman	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (please specify): <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Income in 2003

79. We have already asked for your current income.

In addition, please state what sources of income you received in the past calendar year 2003, 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 2003 and how much this was on average per month.

(Please state the gross amount which means not including deductions for taxes or social security).

 Please answer all the questions on this page and if necessary, the additional questions.

Source of income	Received in 2003	Months in 2003	Gross amount per month EUROS
Wages or salary as employee (including wages for training, "Vorruhestand", wages for sick time ("Lohnfortzahlung"))	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Income from self-employment, free-lance work	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Additional employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Own pension	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Widower's pensin, orphan's pension	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Support from the "Arbeitsamt" in the form of:			
● Unemployment pay ("Arbeitslosengeld")	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
● Unemployment assistance ("Arbeitslosenhilfe")	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
● Support for further training and education ("Unterhaltsgeld bei Fortbildung") / Transition pay ("Übergangsgeld"), other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Maternity benefit during maternity leave ("Erziehungsgeld")	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
BAföG (state support for higher education), grants, vocational training support	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Pay for compulsory military service, community service in place of military service ("Zivildienst")	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Alimony or child support from your former partner (including temporary child support from the state before the question of child support is decided)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Other types of financial assistance from persons who do not live in the household	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Additional questions 80 - 81

Additional question 82

Additional question 82

I received no income from the sources named in 2003..... Skip to question 83!

Additional questions for employed persons

80. Did you receive any of the following additional payments from your employer last year (2003)?
If yes, please state the gross amount.

13th month salary in total Euros

14th month salary in total Euros

Additional Christmas bonus in total Euros

Vacation pay in total Euros

Profit-sharing, premiums, bonuses in total Euros

Other in total Euros

No, I received none of these

81. Did you receive short-time compensation ("Kurzarbeitergeld") or bad-weather pay ("Schlechtwettergeld") in 2003? If yes, for how many weeks?

Yes, short-time compensation ("Kurzarbeitergeld") . for weeks

Yes, bad-weather pay ("Schlechtwettergeld") for weeks

No, neither of these

Additional question for retirees, pensioners

82. Who pays your pension and how high were the monthly payments in 2003?

Please state the gross amount, **excluding** taxes. If you receive more than one pension, please check each that applies.
If you do not know the exact amount, please estimate.

	Own pension		Widower's pension, orphan's pension
Gesetzliche Rentenversicherung (LVA, BfA, Knappschaft)	<input type="text"/> Euros		<input type="text"/> Euros
Beamtenversorgung	<input type="text"/> Euros		<input type="text"/> Euros
Kriegsopferversorgung	<input type="text"/> Euros		<input type="text"/> Euros
Unfallversicherung (z.B. der Berufsgenossenschaft)	<input type="text"/> Euros		<input type="text"/> Euros
Zusatzversorgung des öffentlichen Dienstes (z.B. VBL)	<input type="text"/> Euros		<input type="text"/> Euros
Betriebliche Altersversorgung (z.B. Werkspension)	<input type="text"/> Euros		<input type="text"/> Euros
Private pension scheme.....	<input type="text"/> Euros		<input type="text"/> Euros
Other <input style="width: 150px; height: 20px;" type="text" value="please state:"/>	<input type="text"/> Euros		<input type="text"/> Euros

Health and Illness

83. How would you describe your current health?

- Very good
- Good
- Satisfactory
- Poor
- Bad

84. When you ascend stairs, i.e. go up several floors on foot:
Does your state of health affect you greatly, slightly or not at all?

- Greatly
- Slightly
- Not at all

85. And what about having to cope with other tiring everyday tasks,
i.e. where one has to lift something heavy or where one requires agility:
Does your state of health affect you greatly, slightly or not at all?

- Greatly
- Slightly
- Not at all

86. Please think about the last four weeks.
How often did it occur within this period of time, ...

Always Often Some-
times Almost Never

- that you felt rushed or pressed for time? =====
- that you felt run-down and melancholy? =====
- that you felt relaxed and well-balanced? =====
- that you used up a lot of energy? =====
- that you had strong physical pains? =====
- that due to physical health problems
 - you achieved less than you wanted to at work
or in everyday tasks? =====
 - you were limited in some form at work or in
everyday tasks? =====
- that due to mental health or emotional problems
 - you achieved less than you wanted to at work
or in everyday tasks? =====
 - you carried out your work or everyday tasks
less thoroughly than usual? =====
- that due to physical or mental health problems you
were limited socially, i.e. in contact with friends,
acquaintances or relatives? =====

87. To what extent do you follow a health-conscious diet?

Very much.....

Much

Not so much

Not at all

88. How often do you take part in sport, gymnastics or fitness training?

Regularly

Occasionally

Never

89. Do you currently smoke, be it cigarettes, a pipe or cigars?

No

Yes ➔

How many cigarettes, pipes or cigars do you smoke per day?

☞ Please give the daily average of the previous week.

Cigarettes per day

Pipes per day

Cigars/Cigarillos per day

90. How tall are you?

☞ If you don't know, please estimate.

cm

91. How many kilograms do you currently weigh?

☞ If you don't know, please estimate.

kg

92. 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

What type of handicap is that?

93. 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

94. And how was that with regards to stays in the hospital?

Were you ever admitted to a hospital for at least one night in 2003?

Yes

No

Skip to question 96!

95. 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 2003?

times

96. If you were employed in 2003:

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 2003

Skip to question 98!

97. How many days were you not able to work in 2003 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

98. Did you receive any treatment towards medical rehabilitation last year,
i.e. in 2003?

Yes => overnight in-patient treatment in a rehabilitation clinic

No out-patient treatment

99. Did you receive any measures towards occupational rehabilitation last year,
i.e. in 2003 (e.g. occupational retraining, technical or financial help towards
your job for either you or your employer)?

Yes

No

100. Now some questions about your health insurance. First the question:

Do you qualify for additional allowances (such as "Beihilfe" or "Heilvorsorge") **for public employees?**

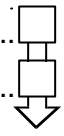
Yes

No

101. Have you changed to a different health insurance provider after December 31, 2002?

Yes

No



I do not have any medical insurance

Skip to question 112!

102. How are you insured for sickness:

Do you have state health insurance or are you almost exclusively privately insured?

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 103.

In compulsory health insurance

Almost exclusively privately insured

Skip to question 108!

103. Which of the following is your health insurance provider?

AOK TTK GEK

Barmer IKK Knappschaft ...

DAK KKH LKK

Company health insurance ..

Sonstige

please state:

104. 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")?

105. Do you have additional private health insurance?

Yes

No

Skip to question 112!

106. What do you pay for private insurance per month?

Euros per month

Don't know

107. 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 112!

108. In whose name is your private health insurance:
another family member's or your own?

Other family member

Skip to question 112!

Your own

109. What do you pay per month for health insurance?

Euros per month

Don't know

110. Is that amount just for you or are other people covered?

Just for me

In additional to myself persons are covered
Number

111. Is it health insurance with a deductible or co-payment?

Yes

No

112. Now for a question concerning your provisions for old age:
Did you sign a contract for a Riester pension plan after 31.12.2001?

Yes

No

113. The following questions deal with further education for your work or profession for people under 65.

Are you 65 or older? Skip to question 119!

under 65?

↓

114. Further professional education or further training for work can serve different purposes. Which of the following could be a reason for you to participate in further professional training or training for work?

More than one can be checked!

To get a professional degree

Retraining for a different professional or different job

Brush up on or acquire professional skills that have partly become obsolete

Adjust to constant changes in the profession or job

Receive more qualifications as an attempt to further career

Become acquainted with new subjects so as to not be too narrowly confined professionally

None of these, not interested in further education

115. There are also reasons not to participate in further education. Which of the following statements apply to you?

	Applies to me	Does not apply to me
I cannot improve my career chances through participation in further education	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I don't have time for further education	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I don't want to participate in further education if it entails costs or time from work	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

116. There are different opportunities available if one wants to educate himself further. Think back on the last three years. Have you in that time period done any of the following to further your professional education?

	Yes	No
Regularly read scientific or professional publications	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Attended professional conventions or congresses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Participated in professionally oriented courses, including those which are still in progress Skip to question 119!

↓

117. How many courses for further professional education have you attended in the last three years?

Include also those courses which were completed within the last three years, even if they began before that time. Further information in question 118.

Number:

↓

Continue with question 118!

118. We would now like to know more about the courses you attended.
 If you have attended several courses in the last three years,
 please give information for the last three only.

Most recent (or current) course 1	The course before that 2	The course before that 3
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a) In what year and what month did the course start?

Year:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Month:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

b) How long did (does) the course last?

Days:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Weeks:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Months:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

c) About how many hours of instructions took place each week?

Number of hours:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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It was a correspondence course

d) What was the purpose of this instruction?

Check all that apply!

Retraining for a different profession or job	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Introduction to a new job	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Qualification for professional advancement	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adjusting to new demands in my current job	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

e) Did the course take place during working hours?

Yes, during working hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Partly	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
No, outside of working hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not applicable, because I was unemployed or not in gainful employment at the time	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

f) How high were the costs that you had to pay yourself?

Amount	Euros	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
I didn't have to pay anything myself	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Most recent
(or current)
course
1

The course
before
that
2

The course
before
that
3

g) Who held the course?

My employer, company, office	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
A special training institution belonging to the company	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adult Education Center ("Volkshochschule")	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Professional organization, trade guild	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trade Union	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Church	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
A private training institution	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

h) Did you receive financial support from your employer, from the Employment Office ("Arbeitsamt"), or from another source for this instruction?

Yes, from my employer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Yes, from the Employment Office ("Arbeitsamt")	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Yes, from the social welfare office	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Yes, from another source	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
No	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

j) Did you receive a participation certificate which you would include in job applications in the future?

Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
No	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>


k) Looking back, was this further education worth it for you professionally?

Very much so	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Somewhat	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not at all	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I don't know, can't tell yet	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

l) To what extent could you use the newly acquired skills if you got a new job in a different company?

Not at all	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Only to a limited extent	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
For the most part	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Completely	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

119. How do you see yourself:
Are you generally a person who is fully prepared to take risks or do you try to avoid taking risks?

 Please tick a box on the scale, where the value 0 means: "risk averse" and the value 10 means: "fully prepared to take risks". You can use the values in between to make your estimate.

Risk averse	Fully prepared to take risks
<input type="checkbox"/> = <input type="checkbox"/> = <input type="checkbox"/> = <input type="checkbox"/> = <input type="checkbox"/> = <input type="checkbox"/> = <input type="checkbox"/> = <input type="checkbox"/> = <input type="checkbox"/> = <input type="checkbox"/> = <input type="checkbox"/>	
0	10

120. People can behave differently in different situations.
How would you rate your willingness to take risks in the following areas?

 Please tick a box in each line of the scale!

	Risk averse		Fully prepared to take risks								
How is it ...	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
– while driving?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
– in financial matters?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
– during leisure and sport?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
– in your occupation?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
– with your health?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
– your faith in other people?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

121. Please consider what you would do in the following situation:
Imagine that you had won 100,000 Euros in the lottery. Almost immediately after you collect the winnings, you receive the following financial offer from a reputable bank, the conditions of which are as follows:

There is the chance to double the money within two years.
It is equally possible that **you could lose half of the amount invested.**

You have the opportunity to invest the full amount, part of the amount or reject the offer.

What share of your lottery winnings would you be prepared to invest in this financially risky, yet lucrative investment?

100.000 Euros

80.000 Euros

60.000 Euros

40.000 Euros

20.000 Euros

Nothing, I would decline the offer

Attitude and opinions

122. Generally speaking, how much are you interested in politics?

- Very much.....
- Much
- Not so much
- Not at all

123. 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

Skip to question **125!**

124. 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

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

Very concerned Somewhat concerned Not concerned at all

- | | | | |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| General economic development | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Your own economic situation | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Your health | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Environmental protection | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Maintaining peace | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Crime in Germany | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Consequences of the expanding the EU to the east..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Immigration to Germany | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Hostility towards foreigners or minorities in Germany | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <i>If you are employed:</i> | | | |
| Your job security | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Or what else are you concerned about?

Please state:

Citizenship and Origins

126. Is your nationality German?

Yes

No

Skip to question 129!

127. Do you have a second citizenship in addition to your German?

Yes → please state:

No

128. Have you had German nationality since birth or did you acquire it at a later date?

Since birth

Skip to question 139!

At a later date

Skip to question 132!

129. What is your citizenship?

130. Were you born in Germany?

Yes

No

131. Do you intend to apply for Germany citizenship in the next two years?

Yes, definitely

Yes, probably

Probably not

Definitely not

132. How often have you experienced disadvantages in the last two years because of your origins?

Often

Seldom

Never

133. When you read the newspaper: do you read ...

- only newspapers from your country of origin?
- mostly newspapers from your country of origin?
- both German newspapers and newspapers from your country of origin about equally?
- mostly German newspapers?
- only German newspapers?
- Doesn't apply, I don't read newspapers

134. Do you want to stay in Germany forever?

- Yes Skip to question 136!
- No

135. 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

136. Since you have come to Germany to live, have you ever gone back to your country of origin?

- Yes No Skip to question 139!

137. How long were you ~~there~~ in the last two years?

- Not at all
- Up to three weeks
- One to three months
- Four to six months
- Longer

138. When some people have lived for a long time in Germany and visit their (former) home country, things may have changed.

How is that for you? How do you feel in that situation?

- I feel at home right away on the first day, as if I hadn't even been away
- I feel at home within a short time
- At first I feel like a stranger, but after a few days I feel at home
- It takes quite a long time until I feel more or less at home
- I feel like a stranger in my own land

And finally:

139. Your sex and year of birth:

male

female

Year of birth:

1	9		
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140. What is your marital status?

Married, living together with spouse Skip to question 142!

Married, living (permanently) separated from my spouse....

Single

Divorced

Widowed

141. Are you in a serious/permanent relationship?

Yes No Skip to question 143!

Does your partner live in the same household?

Yes ⇒ First name:

No

142. How do you and your partner (or spouse) decide what to do with the income that either you or they or both of you receive?

Everyone looks after their own money

I look after the money and provide my partner with a share of it.....

My partner looks after the money and provides me with a share of it.....

We put the money together and both of us take what we need.....

We put a share of the money in together, and both of us keep a share of it for ourselves

143. Have you personally given payments or support during the last year (2003) to relatives or other persons outside of your household?

Please check all appropriate answers!


		How much in the year as a whole?	Where does the recipient live?	
			Germany	Abroad
To parents / step parents	<input type="checkbox"/> ⇒	<input style="width: 80px;" type="text"/> Euros	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
To my children (also step children)	<input type="checkbox"/> ⇒	<input style="width: 80px;" type="text"/> Euros	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
To spouse or ex-spouse	<input type="checkbox"/> ⇒	<input style="width: 80px;" type="text"/> Euros	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
To other relatives	<input type="checkbox"/> ⇒	<input style="width: 80px;" type="text"/> Euros	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
To other persons not related to me	<input type="checkbox"/> ⇒	<input style="width: 80px;" type="text"/> Euros	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
No, I have not given any payment or support	<input type="checkbox"/>			

144. Has your family situation changed after December 31, 2002?

Please indicate if any of the following apply to you and if so, when this change occurred.

	Yes	in 2003 in month	in 2004 in month
I married	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
I moved in with my partner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Had a child	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
My son or daughter left the household	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
I separated from my spouse / partner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
I got divorced	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
My spouse / partner died	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Father deceased	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Mother deceased	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
There have been no changes in my family	<input type="checkbox"/>		

145. 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?

= = = = = = = = = =

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

completely dissatisfied completely satisfied

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

= = = = = = = = = =

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

completely dissatisfied completely satisfied

Thank you for your cooperation!

Interviewer's remarks

A How was the interview carried out?

Spoken interview

The target person filled out the questionnaire booklet him/herself:

– with the interviewer present

– without the interviewer present

Part spoken, part filled out by the target person

B Duration of the interview:

The spoken (part-)interview lasted how many minutes ... minutes

The target person needed how many minutes to fill out the questionnaire booklet him/herself minutes
(please ask)

C Further comments:

List number

Serial number

I confirm that this interview was carried out correctly:

Day

Month

Interview number

Signature of the Interviewer