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Reading Aid

This representation of the questionnaire contains the same informations as the portal `paneldata.org`.

The diagram illustrates the structure of a questionnaire question. It shows a sequence of elements: a question number (Q72), question text, interviewer instructions, answer options (Yes, No, No answer), and a filter (Q72;lsta1). Below the filter, there are several rows of green text representing variables and their labels: bio I0013 born in Germany, Q72;LSTA1=2, and Q73;lsta2 bio I0016 Country Of Birth. A grey bar is shown below the filter, indicating an open or numeric answer. Labels on the left side of the diagram point to these elements: question number, question text, interviewer instruction, answer options, in blue: identifier for filter, in blue: filter with condition, and grey bar: open or numeric answer. A label on the right side points to the green text: in green: dataset name, variable name, variable label.

Here, in addition to the *question number*, *question text*, *interviewer instructions*, and *answer options*, you find printed in green the *file name* and the *variable name* with the *variable label*, which contains information from the question. If you see rows of green lines below the answer option, the questionnaire defines several variables or informations are stored in more than one data set.

The *routing by filters* is depicted in blue. Each variable is preceded by an identifier (which generally contains the question number, marked here with a yellow dotted line), which is given, if the variable is used in filters in a subsequent question. Such filters are usually shown (as gatekeepers) at the beginning of the question.

This reading aid does not cover a few exceptional cases: If the filter (as gatekeeper) only affects one of several variables for a question, the filter is printed in blue behind the variable. There you will also find a "go to" command in the form `2 @ Q73`. Here, the questionnaire skips to question 73 if the variable results in value of 2.

Phrases that are not already translated in English are displayed in German and preceded by [de].

Intro The questions contained in this questionnaire deal with the household as a whole and not with the individuals in the household. The questionnaire should be completed by the same person in the household who did it last year if possible.

Your participation is voluntary, but the scientific relevance of this study depends crucially on the participation of every household.

We therefore cordially request that you either:

- allow our staff member to interview you
- or carefully fill out this questionnaire yourself.

0 Before handing in the questionnaire, please enter in accordance with the address log:

Household number

0:hnr bgh hhnrakt Current Household Number (Household ID)

0:hnr hl hid Current Wave HH Number (=HHNRAKT)

The questionnaire has been completed by:

First name

Person number

0:pnr bgh bgpnr ID number of person interviewed (PNR)

0:pnr hl h_pnr ID number of person interviewed (PNR)

1 Before completing this questionnaire for Living in Germany, it is important to first find out whether anything has changed in your household situation since the last survey or if everything has remained the same. The first question deals with household composition—in other words, whether the same people are living in the same dwelling. Which of the following applies to your household?

[Surveyed in the same home or apartment at the same address:] with no other change, with the same person / same people 1

[Interview in the same apartment under the same address] but at least one person has joined or has left the household 2

[Surveyed for the first time in this home or apartment at this address] after a household from Living in Germany moved, after a new Living in Germany household was founded because one or more participants in Living in Germany joined the household 3

When did this change occur—in other words, when did you move into this new dwelling after a move / after moving out of an existing household? 4

1:hwsit bgh bgh01 Change In Residential Situation 1 | 2 @ 10

1:hwsit hl hlf0523 Change In Residential Situation 1 | 2 @ 10

1;hwsit=3 | 4

2 When did this change occur—in other words, when did you move into this new dwelling after a move / after moving out of an existing household?

Month

Year

2:hwm bgh bgh0201 In This Dwelling Since, Month
 2:hwm hl hlf0106 in this dwelling since month
 2:hwj bgh bgh0202 In This Dwelling Since, Year
 2:hwj hl hlf0107_h Seit wann in dieser Wohnung (harmonisiert)
 2:hwj hl hlf0107_v2 Seit wann in dieser Wohnung (Viersteller)[1999-2017]

3 How would you describe your neighborhood?

A residential area with mostly old buildings	1
A residential area with mostly newer buildings	2
A residential and commercial area with flats, houses, shops and businesses	3
A commercial area (shops, banks, offices) with few residential dwellings	4
An industrial area with few residential dwellings	5

3:hwohn08 bgh bgh03 Neighborhood Of Household
 3:hwohn08 hl hlf0153 neighborhood of household

4 What kind of building do you live in?

Farm house	1
Detached house containing 1 or 2 dwellings (one above the other)	2
Row house or duplex (with one dwelling next to the other)	3
Residential building containing 3 or 4 dwellings	4
Residential building containing 5 to 8 dwellings	5
Residential building containing 9 or more dwellings (up to 8 stories)	6
High-rise building (9 or more stories)	7

4:hhtyp bgh bgh04 Type Of Dwelling
 4:hhtyp hl hlf0154 House Type Of Household

5 When, approximately, was the building in which your dwelling is located built?

Before 1919	1
1919 to 1948	2
1949 to 1971	3
1972 to 1980	4
1981 to 1990	5
1991 to 2000	6
2001 to 2010	7
2011 and later	8

5:hwohn09 bgh bgh05 Year of Construction Estimation
 5:hwohn09 hl hlf0016 Year of Construction Estimation

7:hwohn9=4:8

6 Can you provide the exact year in which the building was built?Please state:

6:hwohn09a bgh bgh0602 Date

6:hwohn09a hl hlf0017 Date

No

6:hbauj bgh bgh0601 Mention Date of Construction

6:hbauj hl hlf0596 Mention Date of Construction

7 Is it a boarding house or similar accommodation?No [Yes] School dormitory / residence for teenagers [Yes] College dormitory [Yes] Residence for workers [Yes] Retirement home, nursing home [Yes:] Hotel / guesthouse [Yes:] Other home / residence

7:hheim bgh bgh07 Unterkunftstyp

7:hheim hl hlf0155_h Unterkunftstyp Wohnheim (harmonisiert)

7:hheim hl hlf0155_v1 Unterkunftstyp Wohnheim [1984-2008 & 2010-2017]

8 Has the size of your dwelling changed within the last year, e.g., due to remodeling or changes in usage?Yes No

8:humb bgh bgh08 Size of dwelling unchanged

8:humb hl hlf0018 Size of dwelling unchanged

9 How large is the total living space in this flat?sqm

9:hqm bgh bgh09 Size Of Unit In Sq Meters

9:hqm hl hlf0019_h Size Of Unit In Sq Meters (harmonized)

9:hqm hl hlf0019_v1 Qm Wohnflaeche [1984, 1998-2017]

10 How many rooms does the dwelling have?*Include all rooms of 6m² or more but exclude kitchen and bathroom*rooms

10:hraum bgh bgh10 Number Of Rooms GE 6 Sq Meters

10:hraum hl hlf0021_h Number Of Rooms GE 6 Sq Meters (harmonized)

10:hraum hl hlf0021_v1 Number Of Rooms GE 6 Sq Meters [1998-2017]

11 What do you think about the total size of your dwelling? For the size of your household, is it ...

much too small	1
a bit too small	2
just right	3
a bit too large	4
much too large?	5

11:hgr	bgh	bgh11	Adequacy Of Living Space In Housing Unit
11:hgr	hl	hlf0071_h	Adequacy Of Living Space In Housing Unit (harmonized)
11:hgr	hl	hlf0071_v1	Beurteilung der Wohnungsgroesse [1984, 1998-2017]

12 What amenities does your dwelling have? Does it have -

	Yes	No
a kitchen	1	2
floor heating (full or partial)	1	2
balcony, terrace, porch	1	2
own yard, garden, access to yard or garden	1	2
alarm system	1	2
air conditioner (ventilation system)	1	2
solar collector, solar energy system	1	2
other alternative energy source (e.g., geothermal heat pump)	1	2
windows with at least double glazing	1	2
thermal insulation (e.g., on the façade, roof, basement ceiling)	1	2
elevator / lift inside building	1	2
cellar, storage areas	1	2
garage / parking space	1	2

12:hwohn24	bgh	bgh1201	Barrier Free Livin
12:hwohn24	hl	hlf0438	Barrier Free Livin
12:hwohn21	bgh	bgh1202	dwelling with floor heating (completely/partly)
12:hwohn21	hl	hlf0029	dwelling with floor heating (completely/partly)
12:hwohn15	bgh	bgh1203	Dwelling With Balcony, Terrace
12:hwohn15	hl	hlf0030	dwelling with balcony, terrace
12:hwohn17	bgh	bgh1204	Dwelling With Garden
12:hwohn17	hl	hlf0032	dwelling with garden
12:hwohn18	bgh	bgh1205	Dwelling With Alarm Device
12:hwohn18	hl	hlf0033	dwelling with alarm device
12:hwohn19	bgh	bgh1206	dwelling with air conditioner
12:hwohn19	hl	hlf0034	dwelling with air conditioner
12:hwohn20	bgh	bgh1207	dwelling with solar energy
12:hwohn20	hl	hlf0035	dwelling with solar energy
12:hwohn22	bgh	bgh1208	dwelling with other alternative energy
12:hwohn22	hl	hlf0036	dwelling with other alternative energy
12:hwohn26	bgh	bgh1209	Windows Double Glazing
12:hwohn26	hl	hlf0529	Windows Double Glazing
12:hwohn27	bgh	bgh1210	Thermal Insulation
12:hwohn27	hl	hlf0530	Thermal Insulation
12:hwohn23	bgh	bgh1211	Dwelling With Elevator
12:hwohn23	hl	hlf0037	dwelling with elevator
12:hwohn16	bgh	bgh1212	Dwelling With Basement, Storage Space
12:hwohn16	hl	hlf0031	dwelling with basement, storage place
12:hwohn28	bgh	bgh1213	Garage/Parking Space
12:hwohn28	hl	hlf0531	Garage/Parking Space

13 Did this dwelling change ownership within the last year?Yes 1No 2

13:hew1 bgh bgh13 change in ownership last year 2 @ 23
 13:hew1 hl hlf0006 change in ownership last year 2 @ 23

21;hew1=1

14 What kind of change in ownership occurred? I am / we are ...now owner(s) 1no longer owner(s) 2still tenants, but it is now owned by someone else 3

14:hew2 bgh bgh1401 Type Of Change In Ownership

14:hew2 hl hlf0015 type of change in ownership

[now owner(s)] because I / we

purchased the dwelling 1inherited or was/were given the dwelling 2

14:hew3 bgh bgh1402 Means Of Ownership

14:hew3 hl hlf0007_h Means Of Ownership (harmonized)

14:hew3 hl hlf0007_v4 Type Of Change In Ownership 1 [1999-2017]

[no longer owner(s)] because ...

I / we sold the dwelling 1gave / bequeathed it / other 2

14:hew4 bgh bgh1403 Type of Ownership Transfer

14:hew4 hl hlf0009 Type of Ownership Transfer

15 The next questions deal with the costs of living in your dwelling. First the question: Are you the main tenant, subletter, or owner?Main tenant 1Subletter 2Owner 3Nursing Home/ Retirement Community 4

15:hm01 bgh bgh15 Tenant Or Owner Of Dwelling (3 @ 31) | (4 @ 32)

15:hm01 hl hlf0001_h Tenant Or Owner Of Dwelling (harmonized) (3 @ 31) | (4 @ 32)

15:hm01 hl hlf0001_v3 Miete oder Eigentum (auch Altersheim) (3 @ 31) | (4 @ 32)
[1999-2017]

23;hm01=3

16 Do you still owe money, for example, on loans or a mortgage, for the dwelling / building you live in?Yes 1No 2

16:he01 bgh bgh16 Interest, Mortgage Payment For Dwelling 2 @ 26

16:he01 hl hlf0087_h Zins,Tilgungszahlungen fuer Wohnung (harmonisiert) 2 @ 26

16:he01 hl hlf0087_v2 Financial Burden Interest and Repayment [1999-2017] 2 @ 26

24;he01=1

17 What are your monthly payments including interest on this or these loan or mortgage?*If you don't know the exact amount, please estimate!*Loan or mortgage payments and interest ... euros per month

17:he02 bgh bgh17 Interest And Mortgage Payment Per Month

17:he02 hl hlf0088_h Interest And Mortgage Payment Per Month (harmonized)

17:he02 hl hlf0088_v2 Monatl Zins-,Tilgungszahlungen (Euro)

18 Did you have to pay any rent on a hereditary lease (Erbpachtzins) for this dwelling or building where you live in the last calendar year?Yes No

18:hepz1 bgh bgh18 finanzielle Belastung Erbpachtzins

18:hepz1 hl hlf0597 finanzielle Belastung Erbpachtzins

19 How much did you have to pay in rent on a hereditary lease (Erbpachtzins) for this dwelling / building where you live in the last calendar year? What were the financial burdens that have arisen for this self-used apartment / self-used house through hereditary rent in the last calendar year?euros in the last calendar year

19:hepz2 bgh bgh19 Betrag Erbpachtzins 2015

19:hepz2 hl hlf0598 Betrag Erbpachtzins 2015

20 Did you have to pay for maintenance or modernization of this dwelling / building where you live in the last calendar year?Yes No

20:he17 bgh bgh20 Costs for Amount, Maintenance and Modernization

20:he17 hl hlf0599 Costs for Amount, Maintenance and Modernization

21 What were your maintenance or modernization costs for this dwelling / building where you live in the last calendar year?euros in the last calendar year

21:he18 bgh bgh21 Betrag Instandhaltung und Modernisierung 2015

21:he18 hl hlf0600 Betrag Instandhaltung und Modernisierung 2015

22 How much was the property tax for this dwelling / building where you live in the last calendar year?euros per year

22:hegs bgh bgh2201 Betrag Grundsteuer fuer Grundbesitz 2015

22:hegs hl hlf0601 Betrag Grundsteuer fuer Grundbesitz 2015

no property tax

22:hegsno bgh bgh2202 No real estate tax

22:hegsno hl hlf0602 No real estate tax

23 What was the heating costs (including hot water) in the last calendar year?

euros per year

23:he04 bgh bgh2301 Heat And Hot Water Costs Previous Year
 23:he04 hl hlf0090_h Hoehe Heizkosten letzt.Jahr (hamonisiert)
 23:he04 hl hlf0090_v2 Hoehe Heizkosten letzt.Jahr (Euro)

No heating costs

23:he04no bgh bgh2302 No Cost Of Heating
 23:he04no hl hlf0603 No Cost Of Heating

24 What were your electricity costs in the last calendar year?

euros per year

24:he16 bgh bgh2401 electricity costs precious year
 24:he16 hl hlf0084 electricity costs precious year

No electricity costs

24:he16no bgh bgh2402 No electricity costs
 24:he16no hl hlf0604 No electricity costs

25 And how much did you pay in the last calendar year for water, garbage removal, street cleaning, and other additional costs not mentioned above?

euros per year

25:he05 bgh bgh2501 Other Costs Per Year
 25:he05 hl hlf0091_h Jaehrliche Nebenkosten (harmonisiert)
 25:he05 hl hlf0091_v3 Jaehrliche Nebenkosten (EURO)

No other additional costs

25:he05no bgh bgh2502 No Shared Costs
 25:he05no hl hlf0605 No Shared Costs

26 Does this owner-occupied dwelling / building have a photovoltaic system to produce solar electricity?Yes No

26:hsolst bgh bgh26 Anlage zur Erzeugung Solarstrom 2 @ 30
 26:hsolst hl hlf0532 Solar Power 2 @ 30

27 How much electricity did this photovoltaic system produce in kilowatt-hours (kWh) in 2014?

kWh

27:hsolst3 bgh bgh2701 Solarstrom Ertrag 2015/kWh
 27:hsolst3 hl hlf0535 Solar Power Returns 2015/kWh

Don't know

27:hsolst4 bgh bgh2702 Solar Power Returns: Do Not Know
 27:hsolst4 hl hlf0536 Solar Power Returns: Do Not Know

28 Does this owner-occupied dwelling / building have its own solar thermal system, that is, solar collectors for heat generation?

Yes 1

No 2

28:hsolw bgh bgh28 Solar Thermal Energy

28:hsolw hl hlf0537 Solar Thermal Energy

29 How much power did this solar thermal energy system generate in kilowatt-hours (kWh) in 2014?

kWh in 2015

29:hsolw1 bgh bgh2901 Solarthermie Ertrag 2015/kWh

29:hsolw1 hl hlf0538 Solar Thermal Energy Returns 2015/kWh

Do not know 1

29:hsolw2 bgh bgh2902 Solar Thermal Energy Returns: Do not Know

29:hsolw2 hl hlf0539 Solar Thermal Energy Returns: Do not Know

30 Are your housing expenses, that is, loan or mortgage payments and interest and all additional costs, a high financial burden for your household, a low burden, or no problem? Are the housing costs, ie repayment / interest and additional costs for your household a high financial burden, a small burden or no problem?

A high financial burden.... 1

A low financial burden 2

No burden 3

30:htzbel bgh bgh30 Beurteilung Belastung durch Wohnkosten (Tilgung / Zinsen und Nebenkosten)

30:htzbel hl hlf0606 Beurteilung Belastung durch Wohnkosten (Tilgung / Zinsen und Nebenkosten)

intro1 For tenants only:

31 Is this dwelling government-subsidized housing (Sozialwohnung)?

Yes 1

No 2

31:hm03 bgh bgh31 Government Subsidized Housing

31:hm03 hl hlf0011_h Government Subsidized Housing (harmonized)

31:hm03 hl hlf0011_v4 Government Subsidized Housing [1998-2017]

32 Is the dwelling being provided to you at reduced rent by the owner, for example, your employer or a relative, or in exchange for building maintenance / janitorial work

Also include right of abode and usufruct.

Yes 1

No 2

32:hm02 bgh bgh32 Rent Reduced By Landlord

32:hm02 hl hlf0073 Rent Reduced By Landlord

33 Who is the owner of the dwelling?

Private owner 1

Private company 2

Professional organization or union 3

Non-profit organization (church, foundations, etc.).. 4

Municipal government . 5

My employer 6

33:hm13 bgh bgh33 Owner Of The Dwelling

33:hm13 hl hlf0013_h Owner Of The Dwelling (harmonized)

33:hm13 hl hlf0013_v3 Owner Of Dwelling [2013-2017]

34 What is your monthly rent?

Euros

34:hm04 bgh bgh3401 Amount Of Monthly Rent

34:hm04 hl hlf0074_h Amount Of Monthly Rent (harmonized)

34:hm04 hl hlf0074_v2 Amount of monthly rent (DM)

Do not pay rent but do pay utilities

Do not pay either rent or utilities 1

34:hm05 bgh bgh3402 Do Not Pay Rent

34:hm05 hl hlf0075 Does Not Pay Rent

35 Are the monthly costs for heat included in your rent?

Yes 1

No 2

35:hheizink bgh bgh35 Heating Costs included in Rent

35:hheizink hl hlf0607 Heating Costs included in Rent

36 What are your average monthly heating costs (including hot water)?

euros per month

36:hm07 bgh bgh3601 Cost Of Heat And Hot Water Per Month

36:hm07 hl hlf0069_h durchschnittlich monatliche Heizkosten (harmonisiert)

36:hm07 hl hlf0069_v5 Amount Heating Cost/Month [2002-2017]

No heating costs 1

36:hm08 bgh bgh3602 Cost Of Heat And Hot Water Per Month

36:hm08 hl hlf0077 Cost Of Heat And Hot Water Per Month

37 Is electricity included in the rent stated above?

Yes 1
 No 2

37:hstrink bgh bgh37 Electricity Costs included in Rent
 37:hstrink hl hlf0608 Electricity Costs included in Rent

38 What are your average monthly electricity costs?

euros per month

38:hm14 bgh bgh3801 Cost Of Electricity Per Month
 38:hm14 hl hlf0078 Cost Of Electricity Per Month

No electricity costs 1

38:hm15 bgh bgh3802 costs of electricity per month, do not know
 38:hm15 hl hlf0079 costs of electricity per month, do not know

39 Are other additional expenses not previously mentioned such as water, garbage removal, etc. included in the rent stated above?

Yes 1
 No 2

39:hnebank bgh bgh39 Shared Costs included in rent
 39:hnebank hl hlf0610 Shared Costs included in rent

40 How much do you spend for incidentals like water, garbage disposal and all not yet mentioned cost allocation monthly on average?

Euros per month

40:hm10 bgh bgh4001 Cost Of Water, Etc. Per Month
 40:hm10 hl hlf0081_h Cost Of Water, Etc. Per Month (harmonized)
 40:hm10 hl hlf0081_v2 Monatl Hoehe der Umlagen (DM)

No further cost allocation 1

40:hm11 bgh bgh4002 No Shared Costs
 40:hm11 hl hlf0082 No Shared Costs

41 Are your housing expenses, that is, rent and all additional costs, a high financial burden for your household, a low burden, or no problem?

A high financial burden... 1
 A low financial burden 2
 No burden 3

41:hwkbel bgh bgh41 Beurteilung Belastung durch Wohnkosten (Miete und Nebenkosten)
 41:hwkbel hl hlf0611 Beurteilung Belastung durch Wohnkosten (Miete und Nebenkosten)

intro2 Now some more questions for everyone:

h2wohn1

42 Do you or does another member of this household have another dwelling or building besides this one where you/they reside part of the time or spend your/their vacations?

Yes 1

No 2

42:h2wohn1 bgh bgh42 Second Residence

42:h2wohn1 hl hlf0156 Second Residence

43 Please state the zip code of the other dwelling or building where you or another household member resides.

Don't know exactly, but can give the first two digits

Don't know exactly, but can give the first digits

The dwelling or building is in another country 1

43:h2wplz4 bgh bgh43 Further Dwelling Abroad

43:h2wplz4 hl hlf0612 Further Dwelling Abroad

h2wohn3

44 Which dwelling do you use the most?

In this home 1

In the other home 2

In both approximately the same 3

44:h2wohn3 bgh bgh44 bei Zweitwohnung, Nutzung ueberwiegend 38:h2wohn1=1

44:h2wohn3 hl hlf0158 Dwelling Used Predominantly 38:h2wohn1=1

45 Did you or someone in your household receive income from letting or leasing property (land/dwelling) last year?

Please state actual income, not the value of tax subsidies for owner-occupied housing.

Yes 1

No 2

45:hverm1 bgh bgh45 Income From Rent Previous Year 2 @ 41

45:hverm1 hl hlc0007 Income From Rent Previous Year 2 @ 41

37:hverm1=1

46 About what was your total income from letting and leasing last year?

Please state the gross amount including savings for future maintenance / renovation.

euros in the year 2014

46:hverm2 bgh bgh46 Amount Income From Rent Previous Year

46:hverm2 hl hlc0008_h Amount Income From Rent Previous Year (harmonized)

46:hverm2 hl hlc0008_v2 Miet- u.Pachteinnahmen Betrag Vorjahr (Euro)

47 Did you have any expenses for maintenance or modernization of the properties you let or leased in the last calendar year?

Yes 1

No 2

47:hverm3a bgh bgh47 Kosten fuer Instandhaltung und Modernisierung Vorjahr

47:hverm3a hl hlc0176 Kosten fuer Instandhaltung und Modernisierung Vorjahr

48 What were your expenses for maintenance or modernization of the properties you let or leased in the last calendar year?

euros for the year 2015

48:hverm3 bgh bgh48 Betriebs-/Instandhaltungskosten Betrag Vorjahr

48:hverm3 hl hlc0111_h operation, Maintenance Costs Previous Year (harmonized)

48:hverm3 hl hlc0111_v2 Betriebs-/Instandhaltungskosten Betrag Vorjahr (Euro)

49 Were there any loan, mortgage, or interest payments for these properties you let or leased in the last calendar year?

Yes 1

No 2

49:hverm4a bgh bgh49 Tilgungszahlungen und Zinsen Vorjahr

49:hverm4a hl hlc0177 Tilgungszahlungen und Zinsen Vorjahr

50 What were the loan, mortgage, and interest payments for these properties you let or leased in the last calendar year?

euros for the year 2015

50:hverm4 bgh bgh50 Tilgungszahlungen und Zinsen Betrag Vorjahr

50:hverm4 hl hlc0112_h interest and mortgage payment prev year (harmonized)

50:hverm4 hl hlc0112_v2 Tilgungszahlungen und Zinsen Betrag Vorjahr (Euro)

51 Will you be able to deduct these expenses from the last year from your taxes or declare them as losses?

Yes 1

No 2

51:hverm5 bgh bgh51 tax deductions Previous Year

51:hverm5 hl hlc0009 tax deductions Previous Year

52 How much of these these expenses in the last calendar year can you claim as deductions or losses on your tax return?

euros for the year 2015

52:hverm6 bgh bgh52 tax deductions, Amount Previous Year

52:hverm6 hl hlc0010 tax deductions, Amount Previous Year

53 Are you or is someone in your household currently paying back loans and interest on loans that you took out for large purchases or other expenditures?

Please do not include loan, mortgage, or interest payments stated in answer to previous questions.

Yes, in Germany 1
 Yes, abroad 1
 No 1

53:hkred1d bgh bghm_5301 Loan Payoff in Germany
 53:hkred1d hl hlc0126 Loan Payoff in Germany
 53:hkred1a bgh bghm_5302 Kreditabzahlung im Ausland
 53:hkred1a hl hlc0127 Loan Payoff Abroad
 53:hkred1 bgh bgh53 Pay Off Loans
 53:hkred1 hl hlc0113 Pay Off Loans

41;hkred1=1

54 How much do you pay per month on these loans?

If you don't know the exact amount, please estimate!

Loan repayment in Germany (include interest payments) ...
 euros per month

Loan repayment abroad (include interest payments) ... euros
 per month

54:hkred2d bgh bghm_5401 Loan Payoff Month in Germany
 54:hkred2d hl hlc0128 Loan Payoff Month in Germany

55 Does repaying these loans place a major burden on your household, a minor burden, or no burden at all?

Major burden 1
 Minor burden 2
 No burden 3

55:hkred3 bgh bgh55 Charged with loan repayment
 55:hkred3 hl hlc0115 Charged with loan repayment

56 Did you or another member of the household receive a large sum of money or other assets (house, car, etc.) as an inheritance in the last calendar year?

Yes 1
 No 2

56:hww1 bgh bgh56 groessere Geldbeträge/Vermögenswerte - Erbschaft
 56:hww1 hl hlc0178 groessere Geldbeträge/Vermögenswerte - Erbschaft

57 What was the sum monetary value of the inheritance(s)?

euros for the year 2015

57:hww1a bgh bgh57 Betrag/Gegenwert erbschaft 2015
 57:hww1a hl hlc0179 Betrag/Gegenwert erbschaft 2015

58 Did you or another member of the household receive a large sum of money or other assets (house, car, etc.) as a gift in the last calendar year?

Yes 1

No 2

58:hww2 bgh bgh58 groessere Geldbeträge/Vermögenswerte - Geschenk

58:hww2 hl hlc0180 groessere Geldbeträge/Vermögenswerte - Geschenk

59 What was the sum monetary value of the gift(s)?

euros for the year 2015

59:hww2a bgh bgh59 Betrag/Gegenwert Schenkung 2015

59:hww2a hl hlc0181 Betrag/Gegenwert Schenkung 2015

60 Did you or another member of the household receive a large sum of money or other assets (house, car, etc.) as lottery winnings in the last calendar year?

Yes 1

No 2

60:hww3 bgh bgh60 groessere Geldbeträge/Vermögenswerte - Lotteriegewinn

60:hww3 hl hlc0182 groessere Geldbeträge/Vermögenswerte - Lotteriegewinn

61 What was the sum monetary value of the lottery winning(s)?

euros for the year 2015

61:hww3a bgh bgh61 Betrag/Gegenwert Lotteriegewinn 2015

61:hww3a hl hlc0183 Betrag/Gegenwert Lotteriegewinn 2015

62 Did you or another member of the household own any of the following savings or investment securities last year?

Germany

Savings account (Sparbuch / Spargirokonto / Tagesgeldkonto) 1

Savings plan to build a home (Bausparvertrag) 1

Life insurance 1

Fixed-interest securities (e.g., saving bonds, 1

Other securities (e.g., stocks, funds, bonds, 1

Company assets (in your own company, other companies) 1

No, none of these 1

[Germany] No, none of these 1

Foreign Country

Savings account (Sparbuch / Spargirokonto / Tagesgeldkonto) 1

Savings plan to build a home (Bausparvertrag) 1

Life insurance 1

Fixed-interest securities (e.g., saving bonds, 1

Other securities (e.g., stocks, funds, bonds, 1

Company assets (in your own company, other companies) 1

No, none of these 1

[Abroad] No, none of these 1

48;hwa5d=1|48;hwa6d=1

63a [Germany] Can you deduct losses on these investments from your taxes for the last year in? How much?

If you don't know the exact amount, please estimate!

Yes 1

No 2

[Yes] ... euros

63b [Foreign Country] Can you deduct losses on these investments from your taxes for the last year? How much?

If you don't know the exact amount, please estimate!

Yes 1

No 2

[Yes] ... euros

64 What was your total income from interest, dividends and profits from all investments in the last calendar year?

In the last year in Germany...euro

In the last year abroad... euros

[Germany] Don't know 1

[Abroad] Don't know 1

65 Please estimate the amount from this list.

	Less than 250 euro	From 250 to less than 1,000 euros	From 1,000 to less than 2,500 euros	From 2,500 to less than 5,000 euros	From 5,000 to less than 10,000 euros	10,000 euros and more
[Germany]	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 6
Foreign Country	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 6

66 Did you or one of the members of your family receive any of the following benefits during the last calendar year? And how is that today: Do you or one of the members of your family receive any of the following benefits now?

Please answer for each benefit for the year 2014 and for now.

Child benefit

In 2015

Yes 1

No 2

- 66:hkg1 bgh bgh6601 Child Allowance Previous Year
- 66:hkg1 hl hlc0039_h Child Allowance Previous Year (harmonized)
- 66:hkg1 hl hlc0039_v3 Child Allowance Previous Year [1996-2017]

Number of months

Average amount per month

- 66:hkg2 bgh bgh6602 Child Allowance Previous Yr. Months 48:hkg1=1
- 66:hkg2 hl hlc0041 Child Allowance In 2005, Months 48:hkg1=1
- 66:hkg3 bgh bgh6603 Child Allowance Previous Yr. Amt./Month
- 66:hkg3 hl hlc0042_h Child Allowance Previous Yr. Amt./Month (harmonized)
- 66:hkg3 hl hlc0042_v2 Kindergeld letzt.J Betrag(Monat) (Euro)

Supplementary child benefit (Kinderzuschlag, which is paid to low-income earners in addition to the child benefit, Kindergeld)

In 2015

Yes 1

No 2

66:hkz1 bgh bgh6604 children's allowance prev year

66:hkz1 hl hlc0049 children's allowance prev year

Number of months

Average amount per month

66:hkz2 bgh bgh6605 children's allowance prev year, months 48:hkz1=1

66:hkz2 hl hlc0050 children's allowance prev year, months 48:hkz1=1

66:hkz3 bgh bgh6606 children's allowance prev year amt/mo

66:hkz3 hl hlc0051 children's allowance prev year amt/mo

Childcare supplement (compensation for families whose children are not in childcare)

In 2015

Yes 1

No 2

66:hlbg1 bgh bgh6607 Child Care Subsidy Prev. Year

66:hlbg1 hl hlc0121 Child Care Subsidy Prev. Year

Number of months

Average amount per month

66:hlbg2 bgh bgh6608 Child Care Subsidy Prev. Year, Months 48:hlbg1=1

66:hlbg2 hl hlc0122 Child Care Subsidy Prev. Year, Months 48:hlbg1=1

66:hlbg3 bgh bgh6609 Child Care Subsidy Prev. Year, Amount Months

66:hlbg3 hl hlc0123 Child Care Subsidy Prev. Year, Amount Months

Unemployment benefit II (Hartz IV), including social benefit and accomodation expenses

In 2015

Yes 1

No 2

66:hlag1 bgh bgh6610 Unemployment Subsidy II, Social Subsidy prev year

66:hlag1 hl hlc0052 Unemployment Subsidy II, Social Subsidy prev year

Number of months

Average amount per month

66:hlag2 bgh bgh6611 Unemployment Subsidy II, Social Subsidy prev year, Months 48:hlag1=1

66:hlag2 hl hlc0053 Unemployment Subsidy II, Social Subsidy prev year, Months 48:hlag1=1

66:hlag3 bgh bgh6612 Unemployment Subsidy II, Social Subsidy prev year, Amt./Months

66:hlag3 hl hlc0054 Unemployment Subsidy II, Social Subsidy prev year, Amt./Months

Long-term care insurance benefits

In 2015

Yes 1

No 2

66:hpg1 bgh bgh6613 Ill Family Members Support prev year

66:hpg1 hl hlc0077 Ill Family Members Support In 2005

Number of months

Average amount per month

66:hpg2 bgh bgh6614 Compulsory Long Term Care Insurance, prev. year, Months 48:hpg1=1

66:hpg2 hl hlc0078 Compulsory Long Term Care Insurance, prev. year, Months 48:hpg1=1

66:hpg3 bgh bgh6615 Ill Family Members Support prev year, Amt./Mo.

66:hlpg3 hl hlc0079_h Ill Family Members Support prev year, Amt./Mo.
(harmonized)
66:hlpg3 hl hlc0079_v2 Leistungen der Pflegeversicherung (Betrag pro Monat)
(Euro)

Monthly subsistence allowance / Assistance in special circumstances

In 2015

Yes 1

No 2

66:hlsh1 bgh bgh6616 Current Subsistence Support prev year
66:hlsh1 hl hlc0055_h Hilfe Lebensunterhalt Vorjahr (harmonisiert)
66:hlsh1 hl hlc0055_v1 Hilfe Lebensunterhalt Vorjahr [1984 1991 2010-2017]

Number of months

Average amount per month

66:hlsh2 bgh bgh6617 Subsistence Support prev year, Months 48:hlsh1=1
66:hlsh2 hl hlc0057 Subsistence Support prev year, Months 48:hlsh1=1
66:hlsh3 bgh bgh6618 Subsistence Support prev year, Amt./Mo.
66:hlsh3 hl hlc0059_h Hilfe Lebensunterhalt Vorjahr (Betrag im Monat)
(harmonisiert)
66:hlsh3 hl hlc0059_v2 Hilfe Lebensunterhalt Vorjahr (Betrag im Monat) (Euro)

Basic income support for the elderly / those with reduced earning capacity

In 2015

Yes 1

No 2

66:hlgs1 bgh bgh6619 basic financial security in old age, prev. Year
66:hlgs1 hl hlc0061_h basic financial security in old age, prev. Year (harmonized)
66:hlgs1 hl hlc0061_v2 basic financial security in old age, prev. Year [2010-2017]

Number of months

Average amount per month

66:hlgs2 bgh bgh6620 basic financial security in old age prev year, months 48:hlgs1=1
66:hlgs2 hl hlc0062 basic financial security in old age prev year, months 48:hlgs1=1
66:hlgs3 bgh bgh6621 basic financial security in old age prev year, per month
66:hlgs3 hl hlc0063 basic financial security in old age prev year, per month

Housing allowance (Rent and Expenses benefit)

*If not included in accommodation expenses under unemployment benefit II / monthly subsistence...
/ basic income support for the elderly*

In 2015

Yes 1

No 2

66:hlwg1 bgh bgh6622 Housing Assistance prev year
66:hlwg1 hl hlc0080_h Housing Assistance prev year (harmonized)
66:hlwg1 hl hlc0080_v1 Wohngeld 2016 [1984, 1991-2017]

Number of months

Average amount per month

66:hlwg2 bgh bgh6623 Housing Assistance prev year, Months 48:hlwg1=1
66:hlwg2 hl hlc0081 Housing Assistance prev year, Months 48:hlwg1=1
66:hlwg3 bgh bgh6624 Amount Of Housing Allowance, Subsidy
66:hlwg3 hl hlc0082_h Amount Of Housing Allowance, Subsidy (harmonized)
66:hlwg3 hl hlc0082_v2 Wohngeld,Lastenzuschuss pro Monat (Euro)

67 And what is the situation now? Are you or is another member of your household currently receiving any of the following types of government benefits?

Child benefit

Currently

Yes 1

No 2

67:hdkg1 bgh bgh6701 Currently Receiving Child Benefit
 67:hdkg1 hl hlc0044_h Currently Receiving Child Benefit (harmonized)
 67:hdkg1 hl hlc0044_v1 Kindergeldbezug heute [2000/2017]

Amount per month

For ... children

67:hdkg2 bgh bgh6702 Child Benefit, Amount 48:hdkg1=1
 67:hdkg2 hl hlc0045_h Amount Child Benefit Today/Month (harmonized) 48:hdkg1=1
 67:hdkg2 hl hlc0045_v2 Betrag Kindergeld heute/Monat (Euro) 48:hdkg1=1
 67:hdkg3 bgh bgh6703 Number Children
 67:hdkg3 hl hlc0043 Number Children
 67:hdkg3 hl hlc0044_h Currently Receiving Child Benefit (harmonized)

Supplementary child benefit (Kinderzuschlag, which is paid to low-income earners in addition to the child benefit, Kindergeld)

Currently

Yes 1

No 2

67:hdkz1 bgh bgh6704 currently receiving children's allowance benefit
 67:hdkz1 hl hlc0046 currently receiving children's allowance benefit

Amount per month

67:hdkz2 bgh bgh6705 children's allowance benefit, amount 48:hdkz1=1
 67:hdkz2 hl hlc0047 children's allowance benefit, amount 48:hdkz1=1

Childcare supplement (compensation for families whose children are not in childcare)

Currently

Yes 1

No 2

67:hdbg1 bgh bgh6706 Currently Receiving Child Care Subsidy
 67:hdbg1 hl hlc0124 Currently Receiving Child Care Subsidy

Amount per month

67:hdbg2 bgh bgh6707 Amount Child Care Subsidy 48:hdbg1=1
 67:hdbg2 hl hlc0125 Amount Child Care Subsidy 48:hdbg1=1

Unemployment benefit II (Hartz IV), including social benefit and accomodation expenses

Currently

Yes 1

No 2

67:hdag1 bgh bgh6708 Unemployment Subsidy Ii, Social Subsidy Today
 67:hdag1 hl hlc0064 Unemployment Subsidy Ii, Social Subsidy Today

Amount per month

67:hdag2 bgh bgh6709 Unemployment Subsidy Ii, Social Subsidy, Amt. 48:hdag1=1
 67:hdag2 hl hlc0065 Unemployment Subsidy Ii, Social Subsidy, Amt. 48:hdag1=1

Long-term care insurance benefits

Currently

Yes 1

No 2

67:hdpg1 bgh bgh6710 Ill Family Members Support

67:hdpg1 hl hlc0085_h III Family Members Support (harmonized)

67:hdpg1 hl hlc0085_v6 III Family Members Support [2010-2016]

Amount per month

67:hdpg2 bgh bgh6711 III Family Members Support, Amount 48:hdpg1=1

67:hdpg2 hl hlc0090_h III Family Members Support, Amount (harmonized) 48:hdpg1=1

67:hdpg2 hl hlc0090_v2 Pflegevers. Betrag (Euro) 48:hdpg1=1

Monthly subsistence allowance / Assistance in special circumstances

Currently

Yes 1

No 2

67:hdsh1 bgh bgh6712 Social Assistance, Today

67:hdsh1 hl hlc0067_h Hilfe Lebensunterhalt heute (harmonisiert)

67:hdsh1 hl hlc0067_v1 Laufende Hilfe heute [1995-1998, 2010-2017]

Amount per month

If applicable, incl. accommodation expenses

67:hdsh2 bgh bgh6713 Social Assistance, Amount Today 48:hdsh1=1

67:hdsh2 hl hlc0068_h Hilfe Lebensunterhalt Betrag (harmonisiert) 48:hdsh1=1

67:hdsh2 hl hlc0068_v2 Hilfe Lebensunterhalt Betrag (Euro) 48:hdsh1=1

Basic income support for the elderly / those with reduced earning capacity

Currently

Yes 1

No 2

67:hdgs1 bgh bgh6714 Old- Age Basic Income Support, Today

67:hdgs1 hl hlc0070 Old- Age Basic Income Support, Today

Amount per month

If applicable, incl. accommodation expenses

67:hdgs2 bgh bgh6715 Old- Age Basic Income Support, Amount Today 48:hdgs1=1

67:hdgs2 hl hlc0071 Old- Age Basic Income Support, Amount Today 48:hdgs1=1

Housing allowance (Rent and Expenses benefit)

*If not included in accommodation expenses under unemployment benefit II / monthly subsistence...**/ basic income support for the elderly*

Currently

Yes 1

No 2

67:hdwg1 bgh bgh6716 Currently Housing Assistance

67:hdwg1 hl hlc0083_h Receiving Housing Benefit Today (harmonized)

67:hdwg1 hl hlc0083_v1 Wohngeld heute (ja/nein) [1995-1998, 2010-2017]

Amount per month

67:hdwg2 bgh bgh6717 Housing Assistance, Amount 48:hdwg1=1

67:hdwg2 hl hlc0084_h Housing Assistance, Amount (harmonized) 48:hdwg1=1

67:hdwg2 hl hlc0084_v2 Wohngeldbezug heute Betrag (Euro) 48:hdwg1=1

68 If you look at the total income of all of the members of your household: What is your monthly household income today?

Please state the net monthly income, which means after deductions for taxes and social security. Please include regular income such as pensions, housing allowance, child allowance, grants for higher education support payments, etc. If you do not know the exact amount, please estimate the amount per month.

Euros per month

68:hnetto bgh bgh6801 Household Net Income
 68:hnetto bgh bgh6802 HH Net Income Group, CAPI Only
 68:hnetto hl hlc0005_h Monthly Household Net Income (harmonized)
 68:hnetto hl hlc0005_v2 Monatliches HH-Netto-Einkommen (Euro)
 68:hnetto hl hlc0006_v3 HH-Nettoeinkommensgruppen [2001/2017]

69 Do you usually have money left over at the end of the month that you can put aside for larger purchases, emergencies, or to build savings? If so, how much?

Yes, savings for asset accumulation

69:hspar1a bgh bgh6901 Saving: Wealth Creation
 69:hspar1a hl hlc0172 Saving: Wealth Creation

Yes ... euros per month

69:hspar2a bgh bgh6902 Monthly Savings
 69:hspar2a hl hlc0173 Monthly Savings

Yes, precautionary savings

69:hspar1b bgh bgh6903 Saving: Provision
 69:hspar1b hl hlc0174 Saving: Provision

Yes ... euros per month

69:hspar2b bgh bgh6904 Monthly Savings
 69:hspar2b hl hlc0175 Monthly Savings

No

69:hspar1 bgh bgh6905 Monthly Savings
 69:hspar1 hl hlc0119 Monthly Savings

70 Overall, were your household's income and expenditures last month equal, meaning that you were not able to put away savings but you also didn't have to go into debt or use money out of savings? or was your income higher than your expenditures, meaning that you were able to put away savings? or were your expenditures higher than your income, meaning that you had to go into debt or use money out of savings?

Income was higher than expenditures, resulting in ability to put away savings

Expenditures were higher than income, resulting in a deficit

Income and expenditures were equal.

70:hspar3 bgh bgh7001 Ratio Income/Expenses
 70:hspar3 hl hlc0024_v2 Verhaeltnis Einnahmen zu Ausgaben (Monat) [2015-2017]

Income was higher than expenditures, resulting in ability to put away savings...euros

Income was higher than expenditures, resulting in ability to put away savings..don't know

Expenditures were higher than income, resulting in a deficit...euros

Expenditures were higher than income, resulting in a deficit..don't know

70:hspar4	bgh	bgh7002	Einnahmeueberschuss letzter Monat Hoehe
70:hspar4	hl	hlc0025_v2	Einnahmeueberschuss letzter Monat Hoehe (Monat) [2015-2017]
70:hspar5	bgh	bgh7003	Einnahmeueberschuss weiss nicht
70:hspar5	hl	hlc0026_v2	Einnahmeueberschuss weiss nicht (Monat) [2015-2017]
70:hspar6	bgh	bgh7004	Ausgabeneueberschuss letzter Monat Hoehe
70:hspar6	hl	hlc0027_v2	Ausgabeneueberschuss letzter Monat Hoehe (Monat) [2015-2017]
70:hspar7	bgh	bgh7005	Ausgabeneueberschuss weiss nicht
70:hspar7	hl	hlc0028_v2	Ausgabeneueberschuss weiss nicht (Monat) [2015-2017]

How did you cover the deficit: by going into debt or by using your savings?

Going into debt	1
Using savings	2
Both	3
Don't know	4

70:hspar8	bgh	bgh7006	Coverage Deficit
70:hspar8	hl	hlc0029_v2	Art der Deckung des Fehlbetrages (Monat) [2015-2017]

71 How much money do you allow for groceries each week or month to feed yourself and your family in the household?

Please state the average amount either for a normal week or a normal month—whichever is easier for you to answer.

... euros for groceries in a normal week

... euros for groceries in a normal month

71:hlmk1	bgh	bgh7101	expenditures on food at home amount per week	hlmk1
71:hlmk1	bgh	bgh7103	expenditures on food at home, do not know	hlmk1
71:hlmk1	hl	hlf0435_h	expenditures on food at home amount per week (harmonized)	hlmk1
71:hlmk1	hl	hlf0435_v2	Ausg Lebensmittel - Woche (Euro)	hlmk1
71:hlmk1	hl	hlf0437	expenditures on food at home, do not know	hlmk1
71:hlmk2	bgh	bgh7102	expenditures on food at home amount per month	hlmk2
71:hlmk2	hl	hlf0436_h	expenditures on food at home amount per month (harmonized)	hlmk2
71:hlmk2	hl	hlf0436_v2	Ausg Lebensmittel - Monat (Euro)	hlmk2

72 Do you regularly or occasionally pay someone to provide household help?

Yes, regularly	1
Yes, occasionally	2
No	3

72:hputz	bgh	bgh72	Cleaning Lady, Household Help
72:hputz	hl	hlf0261	Cleaning Lady, Household Help

69:hputz=1 | 2

73 How much do you pay per month on average?Euros per month

73:hputz2 bgh bgh73 average costs per month

73:hputz2 hl hlf0262 average costs per month

74 Which of the following apply to your household?

There is an Internet connection in the household

Yes 1No 2

74:hh11 bgh bgh7401 Household: Internet

74:hh11 hl hlf0178_h Household: Internet (harmonized)

74:hh11 hl hlf0178_v1 Haushalt: Internet [2005, 2007, 2011, 2013, 2015-2017]

If no: is this for financial or other reasons?

Financial reasons 1Other reasons 2

74:hh11a bgh bgh7402 No Internet: Reasons

52:hh11=2

74:hh11a hl hlf0179 No Internet: Reasons

52:hh11=2

There are one or more cars in the household

Yes 1No 2

74:hh03 bgh bgh7403 Car In HH

74:hh03 hl hlf0180 Car in HH

If no: is this for financial or other reasons?

Financial reasons 1Other reasons 2

74:hh03a bgh bgh7404 kein Auto Gruende

74:hh03a hl hlf0181 No Car, Reasons

I/we have money set aside for emergencies

Yes 1No 2

74:hh07 bgh bgh7405 Reserves for Emergencies

74:hh07 hl hlf0186 Reserves for Emergencies

If no: is this for financial or other reasons?

Financial reasons 1Other reasons 2

74:hh07a bgh bgh7406 No Reserves for Emergencies: Reasons

74:hh07a hl hlf0187 No Reserves for Emergencies: Reasons

I/we go away on vacation at least one week a year

Yes 1No 2

74:hh08 bgh bgh7407 Yearly Holiday Trip

74:hh08 hl hlf0188 Yearly Holiday Trip

If no: is this for financial or other reasons?

Financial reasons 1Other reasons 2

74:hh08a bgh bgh7408 No Yearly Holiday Trip: Reasons

74:hh08a hl hlf0189 No Yearly Holiday Trip: Reasons

I/we have friends over for dinner at least once a month

Yes 1No 2

74:hh09 bgh bgh7409 Invite Friends for Dinner 1/Month

74:hh09 hl hlf0190 Invite Friends for Dinner 1/Month

If no: is this for financial or other reasons?

Financial reasons 1Other reasons 2

74:hh09a bgh bgh7410 No Invitation: Reasons

74:hh09a hl hlf0191 No Invitation: Reasons

I/we eat a hot meal with meat, fish, or poultry at least every other day .

Yes 1No 2

74:hh10 bgh bgh7411 Fresh Fish/Meat/Poultry Every 2 Day

74:hh10 hl hlf0192 Fresh Fish/Meat/Poultry Every 2 Day

If no: is this for financial or other reasons?

Financial reasons 1Other reasons 2

74:hh10a bgh bgh7412 No Meat

74:hh10a hl hlf0193 No Meat

We go out at least once a month for leisure activities like movies, concerts, sporting events, etc

Yes 1No 2

74:hh14 bgh bgh7413 monatlich Freizeitbeschaeftigung

74:hh14 hl hlf0613 monatlich Freizeitbeschaeftigung

If no: is this for financial or other reasons?

Financial reasons 1Other reasons 2

74:hh14a bgh bgh7414 keine monatliche Freizeitbeschaeftigung Gruende

74:hh14a hl hlf0614 keine monatliche Freizeitbeschaeftigung Gruende

I/we replace furniture that is worn out but still usable with new furniture

Yes 1No 2

74:hh04 bgh bgh7415 Replace Old Furniture

74:hh04 hl hlf0194 Replace Old Furniture

If no: is this for financial or other reasons?

Financial reasons 1Other reasons 2

74:hh04a bgh bgh7416 No New Furniture

74:hh04a hl hlf0195 No New Furniture

Worn-out clothes are replaced with new one

Yes 1No 2

74:hh15 bgh bgh7417 Ersetzung alter Kleidung

74:hh15 hl hlf0615 Ersetzung alter Kleidung

If no: is this for financial or other reasons?

Financial reasons 1Other reasons 2

74:hh15a bgh bgh7418 keine neue Kleidung Gruende

74:hh15a hl hlf0616 keine neue Kleidung Gruende

I/we keep our home comfortably warm in the colder months

Yes 1

No 2

74:hh16 bgh bgh7419 Dwelling can be heated

74:hh16 hl hlf0617 Dwelling can be heated

If no: is this for financial or other reasons?

Financial reasons 1

Other reasons 2

74:hh16a bgh bgh7420 nicht beheizt Gruende

74:hh16a hl hlf0618 nicht beheizt Gruende

Everyone in the household has a small amount of weekly spending money for his or her own personal use

Yes 1

No 2

74:hh17 bgh bgh7421 kleiner Betrag fuer sich

74:hh17 hl hlf0619 kleiner Betrag fuer sich

If no: is this for financial or other reasons?

Financial reasons 1

Other reasons 2

74:hh17a bgh bgh7422 kein Betrag fuer sich Gruende

74:hh17a hl hlf0620 kein Betrag fuer sich Gruende

Everyone in the household has at least two pairs of outdoor shoes that fit properly (all-weather shoes included)..

Yes 1

No 2

74:hh18 bgh bgh7423 zwei paar Strassenschuhe

74:hh18 hl hlf0621 zwei paar Strassenschuhe

If no: is this for financial or other reasons?

Financial reasons 1

Other reasons 2

74:hh18a bgh bgh7424 keine zwei paar Strassenschuhe Gruende

74:hh18a hl hlf0622 keine zwei paar Strassenschuhe Gruende

hbuch

75 How many books there are approximately in your household?

Please, don't count newspapers, magazine or schoolbooks: Mark as: a meter in bookshelf included approximately 50 books

below 10 books 1

10 to below 50 books 2

50 to below 100 books 3

100 to below 200 books 4

200 to below 500 books 5

500 to below 1.000 books 6

1.000 books and more 7

75:hbuch bgh bgh75 Amt. Of Books In HH

75:hbuch hl hlf0197 Amt. Of Books In HH

76 Do you or does any other person in your household have a pet/pets?

Yes 1
No 2

76:htier bgh bgh76 Tiere im HH
76:htier hl hlf0623 Tiere im HH

77 Which pet/pets do you have in your household?

dog 1
cat 1
rabbit 1
guinea pig / hamster / mouse 1
bird 1
fish 1
horse / pony 1
Other Pets 1

77:htier1 bgh bgh7701 Hund im HH
77:htier1 hl hlf0254 Pets: Dog
77:htier2 bgh bgh7702 Katze im HH
77:htier2 hl hlf0255 Pets: Cat
77:htier8 bgh bgh7703 Hase im HH
77:htier8 hl hlf0626 Hase im HH
77:htier9 bgh bgh7704 Hamster Meerschweinchen Maeuse im HH
77:htier9 hl hlf0627 Hamster Meerschweinchen Maeuse im HH
77:htier3 bgh bgh7705 Vogel im HH
77:htier3 hl hlf0256 Pets: Bird
77:htier4 bgh bgh7706 Fische im HH
77:htier4 hl hlf0257 Pets: fishes
77:htier5 bgh bgh7707 Pferd im HH
77:htier5 hl hlf0196 Pets: horse
77:htier6 bgh bgh7708 Other Pets
77:htier6 hl hlf0258 Other Pets

intro3 Does your household have ...?**78** Does someone in your household need care or assistance on a constant basis due to age, sickness, or medical treatment?

Yes 1
No 2

78:hpflieg bgh bgh78 Person Requiring Help Present In HH 2 @ 69
78:hpflieg hl hlf0291 Person Requiring Help In Household Present 2 @ 69

79 How many people in need of care are there in your household?person(s) in need of care

79:hpflanz bgh bgh79 Anzahl pflegebeduerftige Personen im HH

79:hpflanz hl hlf0631 Anzahl pflegebeduerftige Personen im HH

63:hpflanz=1

80 Who is it, and which of the following activities does he or she need assistance in?*Please state the person's first name. If there is more than one person in need of care in the household, please state the person most in need of care.*person in need of care first name

80:hpnam bgh bgh8001 PNR Of 1.Person Requiring Help

80:hpnam hl hlf0292 PNR Of 1.Person Requiring Help

Needs assistance with ...

errands outside the home running the household, preparing meals and drinks minor care, such as help with getting dressed, washing up, combing hair, shaving major care, such as getting in and out of bed, bowel movements

80:hhil1 bgh bgh8002 Help On Tasks Outside HH, 1. Person

80:hhil1 bgh bgh8006 Help, Item Nonresponse

80:hhil1 hl hlf0300 Help On Tasks Outside HH, 1. Person

80:hhil1 hl hlf0304 Help, Item Nonresponse

80:hhil2 bgh bgh8003 Help On Housework, 1. Person

80:hhil2 hl hlf0301 Help On Housework, 1. Person

80:hhil3 bgh bgh8004 Help On Minor Care, 1. Person

80:hhil3 hl hlf0302 Minor Care, 1. Person

80:hhil4 bgh bgh8005 Help On Major Care, 1. Person

80:hhil4 hl hlf0303 Major Care, 1. Person

81 Does the person in need of care receive long-term care insurance benefits (Pflegeversicherung)?Yes No

81:hpl bgh bgh81 Person Receives Nursing Assistance Care

81:hpl hl hlf0369 Person Receives Nursing Assistance Care

82 What is the level of care for that person as it is approved by the nursing care insurance?care level 0 care level 1 care level 2 care level 3

82:hpstuf bgh bgh82 Nursing Assistance Care Level

82:hpstuf hl hlf0370_h Pflegegrade (harmonisiert)

82:hpstuf hl hlf0370_v1 Pflegestufen (2001-2016)

83 Was this person officially assessed and certified as having a limited ability to carry out everyday activities?

Yes 1
 No 2

83:hpallko bgh bgh83 Report: Everyday Expertise
 83:hpallko hl hlf0595 Report: Everyday Expertise

84 Who provides this person with the assistance he / she needs?

relatives in the household 1
 charitable organizations (Caritas, Diakonie, ASB, DRK, AWO, etc.) 1
 private care service 1
 friends 1
 relatives outside the household 1
 other regular care providers 1

84:hhvon1 bgh bgh8401 Help From Family In HH
 84:hhvon1 bgh bgh8408 Help From, Item total Nonresponse
 84:hhvon1 hl hlf0317_h Hilfe von Angehoerigen im HH (harmonisiert)
 84:hhvon1 hl hlf0317_v3 Angehoerige im HH [1987, 1997, 1990-2017]
 84:hhvon1 hl hlf0321 Help From, Item Nonresponse
 84:hhvon7 bgh bgh8403 Hilfe von Wohlfahrtsverbaenden
 84:hhvon7 hl hlf0446 Help from Welfare Organisations
 84:hhvon3 bgh bgh8404 Help From Private Care
 84:hhvon3 hl hlf0320 Help From Private Care
 84:hhvon9 bgh bgh8405 Help From Friends Neighbours
 84:hhvon9 hl hlf0447 Help From Friends Neighbours
 84:hhvon6 bgh bgh8406 Help From Family Outside HH
 84:hhvon6 hl hlf0315_h Hilfe von Angehoerigen ausserhalb des HH (harmonisiert)
 84:hhvon6 hl hlf0315_v3 Angehoerige ausserhalb HH [1987, 1997, 1990-2017]
 84:hhvon8 bgh bgh8407 Other Help
 84:hhvon8 hl hlf0448 Other Help

[relatives in the household] Please give us the name of the
 person in the household who is the main caregiver.

84:hnam bgh bgh8402 PNR Main Care Provider In HH 66:hhvon1=1
 84:hnam hl hlf0319 Main Care Provider In HH 66:hhvon1=1

85 Does this person / do these people receive financial support for that?

Yes 1
 No 2

85:hhbez bgh bgh85 Person Receives Payment
 85:hhbez hl hlf0322 Person Receives Payment

86 Are there regular expenses for assistance or care?

If there is more than one person requiring assistance / care in the household, please state the total sum for all persons requiring assistance / care in the household.

Yes 1No 2

86:hpflieg4 bgh bgh8601 regularly costs for care

86:hpflieg4 hl hlF0331 regularly costs for care

Yes ... euros per month

86:hpflieg5 bgh bgh8602 costs for care per month

86:hpflieg5 hl hlF0332 costs for care per month

87 Are there children born in 1999 or later living in your household?Yes 1No 2

70:hkind=1

88 What year were these children born?

Please state the years of birth separately, starting with the oldest child born in 1999 or later and then each subsequent child by age, ending with the youngest.

First name: Year of birth: **89 What school does your child currently attend?**Does not attend school 1Does not attend school 2

89:hschnoa bgkind bgk89 School visit

89:hschnoa bgkind bgk89_a Schulbesuch/Spezifikation fuer alle Samples

89:hschnoa kidlong ks_gen General Education System

89:hschnoa kidlong ks_none None of These Institutions

Elementary school (Grundschule, Including Förderstufe/schulformunabhängige Orientierungstufe, the transition grades prior to entering secondary school) 1Lower secondary school (Hauptschule) 2Intermediate school (Realschule) 3Upper secondary school (Gymnasium) 4Comprehensive school (Gesamtschule) 5Vocational school (Berufsschule) 6Other type of school 7

89:hein3a bgkind bgk89_a Schulbesuch/Spezifikation fuer alle Samples

89:hein3a bgkind bgk8901 General Education System

89:hein3a kidlong ks_gen General Education System

90 Is it a school with a special teaching concept such as a ...

Waldorf school, Montessori school, etc 1

School for children with learn difficulties (Förderschule, Sonderschule, Sprachheilschule) 2

No, I received none of these 3

90:hschspa bgkind bgk90 Type Of General School

90:hschspa kidlong ks_other Other Type of School

91 Does the child usually stay at school all day?

Yes 1

No 2

91:hein9a bgkind bgk91 full-day school

91:hein9a kidlong kd_time Time of Day of Care

92 Does your child currently participate in any of the following activities?

Children not yet attending school:

Sports club 1

Music club 1

Art club 1

Theater club 1

Other clubs 1

No, none of the above 1

92:hakt06a bgkind bgk9206 6 Years And Older: School Sports Club hakt06a

92:hakt06a kidlong ka16_ssp 6 Years And Older: School Sports Club hakt06a

92:hakt07a bgkind bgk9207 6 Years And Older: School Music Club hakt07a

92:hakt07a kidlong ka16_smu 6 Years And Older: School Music Club hakt07a

92:hakt08a bgkind bgk9208 6 Years And Older: School Art Club hakt08a

92:hakt08a kidlong ka16_sar 6 Years And Older: School Art Club hakt08a

92:hakt09a bgkind bgk9209 6 Years And Older: School Theatre Club hakt09a

92:hakt09a kidlong ka16_sth 6 Years And Older: School Theatre Club hakt09a

92:hakt10a bgkind bgk9210 6 Years And Older: Other School Activities hakt10a

92:hakt10a kidlong ka16_sot 6 Years And Older: Other School Activities hakt10a

92:hakt20a bgkind bgk9220 9 None of the above

92:hakt20a kidlong ka16_non 6 Years And Above: No Activities

Activities outside school:

Sports, dance, gymnastics, ballet 1

Music or singing lessons 1

Drawing or painting lessons 1

Youth fire department, Red Cross, or similar aid organizations 1

Youth groups (e.g., Pathfinders, church youth groups, environmental groups) 1

Regular visits to youth centers or youth houses 1

No, none of the above 1

92:hakt11a bgkind bgk9211 6 Years And Older: Non School Sports Club hakt11a

92:hakt11a kidlong ka16_spo 6 Years And Older: Non School Sports Club hakt11a

92:hakt12a bgkind bgk9212 6 Years And Older: Non School Music Club hakt12a

92:hakt12a kidlong ka16_mus 6 Years And Older: Non School Music Club hakt12a

92:hakt13a bgkind bgk9213 6 Years And Older: Non-School Art Club hakt13a

92:hakt13a kidlong ka16_art 6 Years And Older: Non School Art Club hakt13a

92:hakt14a bgkind bgk9214 6 Years And Older: Volunteer Fire Department, Red Cross hakt14a

92:hakt14a	kidlong	ka16_org	6 Years And Older: Volunteer Fire Department, Red Cross	hakt14a
92:hakt15a	bgkind	bgk9215	6 Years And Older: Youth Group	hakt15a
92:hakt15a	kidlong	ka16_yth	6 Years And Above: Youth Group Outside School	hakt15a
92:hakt16a	bgkind	bgk9216	6 Years And Older: Non School Youth Center	hakt16a
92:hakt16a	kidlong	ka16_ctr	6 Years And Older: Non School Youth Center	hakt16a
92:hakt17a	bgkind	bgk9217	Above 6 Year: No Non-school Activities	hakt17a
92:hakt17a	kidlong	ka16_non	6 Years And Above: No Activities	hakt17a

93 Does your child currently participate in any of the following activities?

Children's gymnastics, sports, swimming	1
Early childhood music lessons	1
Artistic activities (painting for children, children theater, etc.)	1
Other parent-child groups	1
No, none of the above	1

93:hakt01a	bgkind	bgk9301	Under 6 Years: Gymnastics, Sports, Swimming	hakt01a
93:hakt01a	kidlong	ka06_spo	Under 6 Years: Children Gymnastics	hakt01a
93:hakt02a	bgkind	bgk9302	Under 6 Years: Early Music Education	hakt02a
93:hakt02a	kidlong	ka06_mus	Under 6 Years: Music Education	hakt02a
93:hakt03a	bgkind	bgk9303	Under 6 Year: Painting, Arts	hakt03a
93:hakt03a	kidlong	ka06_art	Under 6 Years: Art Class	hakt03a
93:hakt04a	bgkind	bgk9304	Under 6 Year, Parent-Children Group	hakt04a
93:hakt04a	kidlong	ka06_oth	Under 6 Years: Other Activities	hakt04a
93:hakt05a	bgkind	bgk9305	Under 6: No, None of Those Activities	hakt05a
93:hakt05a	kidlong	ka06_non	Under 6 Years: No Activities	hakt05a

94 Does the child currently attend nursery school, daycare, pre-school, creche, etc.?

No, none os these	1			
94:hein1a	bgkind	bgk9401	pre-school	1 @ 82
94:hein1a	bgkind	bgk9401_a	Kinderkrippe, Kindergarten, Kita, Hort/Spezifikation fuer alle Sa	1 @ 82
94:hein1a	kidlong	kd_hrs	Hours Per Day Spend at Facility	1 @ 82
Yes, approximately ... hours per day				
94:hein1sa	bgkind	bgk9402	hours per day in care	
94:hein1sa	bgkind	bgk9402_a	Stunden pro Tag in Betreuung/Spezifikation fuer alle Samples	
94:hein1sa	kidlong	ks_pre	Pre-School	

95 Are there any other people who regularly take care of the child (aside from members of the household)?

Yes, childcare provider outside the home (Tagesmutter)	1		
Yes, paid in-home childcare provider (Betreuungsperson)	1		
Yes, relatives	1		
Yes, friends/acquaintances/neighbors	1		
No	1		
95:hbet5a	bgkind	bgk9501	Child Minder Outside HH
95:hbet5a	kidlong	kc_mindr	Carer: child minder
95:hbet3a	bgkind	bgk9502	Paid Person in HH
95:hbet3a	kidlong	kc_paid	Carer: paid
95:hbet1a	bgkind	bgk9503	Relatives
95:hbet1a	kidlong	kc_rel	Carer: relatives
95:hbet2a	bgkind	bgk9504	Friends, Acquaintances, Neighbours
95:hbet2a	kidlong	kc_frnd	Carer: friends

95:hbet4a bgkind bgk9505 No External Care
 95:hbet4a kidlong kc_none Carer: none

96 What are your expenses for school, childcare, daycare, and the activities described above?

Average monthly cost in euros

96:hakt18a bgkind bgk9601 Average Costs/ Month

96:hakt18a kidlong k_amtp Average Costs/ Month

No costs

96:hakt19a bgkind bgk9602 no costs

96:hakt19a kidlong k_cost No Costs

97 How much did your child earn on his/her own in the last calendar year, 2015?

Net income in the last calendar year, sum in euros

97:hnet1ka bgkind bgk97 Nettoeinkommen in Euro

97:hnet1ka kidlong k_inco Net income child

Did not have any income

97:hnet2ka bgkind bgk9701 Kein Nettoeinkommen

97:hnet2ka kidlong k_ninco No income child

intro 18 Implementation of the interview

A Whats' the date today?

Day

Month

Hour

Minute

A:hdatt bgh bghtagin Day Of Interview

A:hdatt hl hlk0059 Day Of Interview

A:hdatm bgh bghmonin Month Of Interview

A:hdatm hl hlk0060 Month Of Interview

A:hdatst bgh bghdatst End of Interview (Hour)

A:hdatst hl hlk0072 End of Interview (Hour)

A:hdatmi bgh bghhdatmi End of Interview (Minutes)

A:hdatmi hl hlk0071 End of Interview (Minutes)

B How was the survey implemented?

Oral interview

B:hform bgh bghinta Survey Instrument

B:hform hl hlk0056 Survey instrument

C Duration of the interview:

The oral (complete or partial) interview lasted ... minutes

C:hdauer1 bgh bghdauer1 Interview Length Oral
 C:hdauer1 hl hlk0057 Interview length oral

D Did you use a translation during the survey?

Yes, an English translation	1
Yes, a Turkish translation	1
Yes, a Russian translation	1
Yes, a Romanian translation	1
Yes, a Polish translation	1
Yes, a German speaking person is in the household	1
Yes, a professional interpreter	1
Yes, a German speaking person outside the household (relatives or friends)	1
No	1

D:hbuh1 bgh bghm_hbuh1 Translation Device: English
 D:hbuh1 hl hlk0062 Translation Device: English
 D:hbuh2 bgh bghm_hbuh2 Translation Device: Turkish
 D:hbuh2 hl hlk0063 Translation Device: Turkish
 D:hbuh3 bgh bghm_hbuh3 Translation Device: Russian
 D:hbuh3 hl hlk0064 Translation Device: Russian
 D:hbuh4 bgh bghm_hbuh4 Translation Device: Rumanian
 D:hbuh4 hl hlk0065 Translation Device: Rumanian
 D:hbuh5 bgh bghm_hbuh5 Translation Device: Polish
 D:hbuh5 hl hlk0066 Translation Device: Polish
 D:hbuh6 bgh bghm_hbuh6 Translation Device: German Speaking Person in HH
 D:hbuh6 hl hlk0067 Translation Device: German Speaking Person in HH
 D:hbuh7 bgh bghm_hbuh7 Professional Interpreter
 D:hbuh7 hl hlk0068 Professional Interpreter
 D:hbuh8 bgh bghm_hbuh8 Transplation Device: German Speaking Person Outside HH
 D:hbuh8 hl hlk0069 Transplation Device: German Speaking Person Outside HH
 D:hbuh9 bgh bghm_hbuh9 No Translation Device
 D:hbuh9 hl hlk0070 No Translation Device

E Other notes