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Q73 What country were you born in?
Please enter the current name!

Q73;sta2: bio l0016 Country Of Birth

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].
Title01  Living in Germany Migrationsample Continuation (M1+M2) Survey 2016 Personenbiofragebogen für Neubefragte This questionnaire is for all household members born in or before 1998. Your participation is entirely voluntary. The scientific validity of this survey depends, however, on the participation of every member of every household. We therefore cordially request that you allow our staff member to interview you.

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

Household Number: 
Person number 

Current Wave HH Number (=BGHHNR) 
Person Number Surveyed 
Person Number Surveyed 
Serial Person Number 
Person Number Surveyed 

First Name 

Country of Origin

Your sex and date of birth:

Male 1
Female 2

Gender
Day
Month
Year 19...

Month Of Birth
Month Of Birth
Month Of Birth
Year Of Birth
Year Of Birth (harmonized)
Year Of Birth

Where were you born? If there are other towns or cities with the same name, or if the town is very small, please state the nearest city.
Please write the name of the town in the left blank and any additional information in the right blank. For example, write “Düsseldorf,” “Frankfurt an der Oder,” or “Frankfurt am Main” in the left blank, and in the case of “Roßdorf bei Schmalkalden,” write “Roßdorf” in the left blank and “bei Schmalkalden” in the right blank. Please follow the same procedure for birthplaces that are outside Germany.
Where were you born: within or outside the present-day borders of Germany?

We are referring here to the present-day borders of Germany.

In Germany 1
Outside of Germany 2

[Outside of present-day Germany] Please state:

Were both of your parents born in Germany?

We are referring here to the present-day borders of Germany.

No 2
Yes 1

Did both of your parents come to the present-day territory of Germany as World War II refugees?

Yes 1
No 2

How you came to Germany

Many people live in several different countries over the course of their lives. What about you? We’re interested in finding out which countries you have lived in for more than three months. First of all, when did you first move away from the country where you were born?

If you can’t remember exactly, please give an estimate.

What we are referring to here are stays in another country lasting more than three months. We are not referring to shorter stays such as vacations or visits to relatives.
7 Which country did you move to?
Moved to Germany 1
Moved to another country 2
other: 3

8 When you moved to Germany, which group did you belong to?
Ethnic Germans (Aussiedler), in other words, people of German descent 1
German citizens who were born and grew up abroad 2
Citizens of EU or EEA countries (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Switzerland) to which free movement of persons applied at the time of entry 3
Citizens of EU or EEA countries (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Switzerland) to which free movement of persons did not yet apply at the time of entry 4
Citizens of other countries 5

9 There are different legal frameworks for immigrating to Germany. What about you: What was your immigration status at the time of your arrival in Germany?
*Au-pairs and interns are considered employed.*
Employed 1
Job-seeker 2
Student or trainee 3
Family reunification (for example, as the spouse or child of someone with a residence permit) 4
Tourist 5
None of the above -1

10 When you moved to Germany as a job-seeker, what group did you belong to?
Seasonal laborer / contractor 1
Other employee 2
Intern, trainee, or au pair 3
Self-employed / entrepreneur 4
Other -1

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What was your immigration status at the time of your arrival in Germany?

*Au-pairs and interns are considered employed.*

1. Employed.
2. Job-seeker
3. Student or trainee
4. Family reunification (for example, as the spouse or child of someone with a residence permit)
5. Asylum-seeker or refugee
6. Tourist
7. None of the above

When you moved to Germany as a job-seeker, what group did you belong to?

1. Seasonal laborer / contractor
2. Highly skilled worker / scientist / other specialist subject to special conditions for facilitated entry.
3. Skilled worker after priority check by the Federal Employment Agency
4. Other worker after priority check by Federal Employment Agency
5. Intern, trainee, or au pair
6. Self-employed / entrepreneur
7. Other

Did you already have a job prospect, an employment contract, or a freelance work assignment in Germany before moving here?

1. Yes, I already had a job prospect in Germany
2. Yes, I had already an employment contract in Germany
3. Yes, I had a freelance work assignment in Germany
4. No, I had not found anything yet
5. I had not looked for a new job in Germany yet
6. Does not apply, was a child
3:  Did you move away from Germany again after that?  
We are referring here to a continuous stay in another country lasting more than three months. We 
are not referring to shorter stays such as vacations or visits to relatives.

No, I have remained in Germany since then  1

Yes, back to the country where I was born  2

Yes, to another country  3

[Yes to another country] please state: 

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[Yes to another country] please state:

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14: Country of move 15 from Germany  14:1z02=2|3
14: Country of move 01 from Germany  14:1z02=2|3

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### When did you move back to your home country or to the other country?

*If you don’t remember exactly, please estimate!*

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How did you move to the other country?

As an employed person who already had a job offer
As a spouse, child, or other family member
As an asylum-seeker or refugee
As a student or vocational trainee
As a job-seeker
In a different way

In a different way
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17 Did you move to another country after that or directly to Germany?

We are referring here to a continuous stay in another country lasting more than three months. We
are not referring to shorter stays such as vacations or visits to relatives.

Yes, to another country
Yes, back to the country where I was born
No, directly to Germany

[Yes, to another country] Please state:

[In a different way] Please state: 

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We are referring here to a continuous stay in another country lasting more than three months. We
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Yes, to another country
Yes, back to the country where I was born
No, directly to Germany

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**18. When did you move to Germany?**

*If you don't remember exactly, please estimate!*

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When you moved to Germany as a job-seeker, what group did you belong to?

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<td>Family reunification (for example, as the spouse or child of someone with a residence permit)</td>
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<td>Asylum-seeker or refugee</td>
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When you moved to Germany as a job-seeker, what group did you belong to?

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Did you already have a job prospect, an employment contract, or a freelance work assignment in Germany before moving here?

Yes, I already had a job prospect in Germany 1
Yes, I already had an employment contract in Germany 2
Yes, I had a freelance work assignment in Germany 3
No, I had not found anything yet 4
I had not looked for a new job in Germany yet 5
Does not apply, was a child -1

Which of the following was your main reason for moving to Germany?

Partnership 5
Other family reasons 6
Economic prospects for me 8
Economic prospects for my children 7
Other economic reasons 9
Political reasons (discrimination, poverty, persecution, war) 3
Other reasons 4

When you moved to Germany, did you have the help of any relatives or friends who already lived in Germany?

Yes, from relatives 1
Yes, from acquaintances 1
No 1

Which of the following would best describe your living situation immediately after moving to Germany?

I moved into an existing household 1
I started a new household 2
I initially lived in transitional housing for immigrants 3
31:LGEBD=2
dummy Dummy-Variable: Town ZP, parents or grandparents

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dummy:pzortd bgp_mig bgpzortd Living Situation
dummy:pzortd biol lm0496 Living Situation

31:LGEBD=2
28 What town in Germany did you move to? Please give the name of the closest city if there is more than one town in Germany with the same name. Please also tell us the federal state.
If you have moved to Germany more than once in your life, please refer to your most recent move.

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29 What was your main reason for choosing this town as your first home in Germany?
Because family members lived there
Because friends and acquaintances lived there
Placed there by a government agency (for example as a refugee, asylum seeker, ethnic German immigrant)
Because of the low rent
Temporary job or training had come to an end
Because of easy accessible position (e.g. close to workplace, school)
Other reasons

29:pgrowth1 bgp_mig bgpm_l_29 Main Reason For This Place
29:pgrowth1 biol lm0495i01 Main Reason For This Place

31 Did one or both of your grandparents immigrate to Germany?
If your grandparent / grandparents have moved to Germany more than once, please answer for their last move to Germany prior to your birth.

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31:pdzgelt bgp_mig bgpm_l_31 Grandparents Immigrate To Germany
31:pdzgelt biol lm0504 Grandparents Immigrate To Germany

32 In which place in Germany have [you] [your parents or one parent] [your grandparents or one grandparent] migrated? Please state the name of the nearest city if the name of town exist more than once or it is a small town. Please name the federal state [Bundesland].
In the case of repeated moves to Germany, please answer for the last move prior to your birth./ *

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33. What was the main reason for [you]* [your parents]** [your grandparents]*** choosing this town as [your]* [their]** first home?

Because family members lived there 1
Because friends and acquaintances lived there 2
Placed there by a government agency (for example as a refugees, asylum seeker, ethnic German immigrant) 3
Because of the low rent 4
Temporary job or training had come to an end 5
Because of easy accessible position (e.g. close to workplace, school) 6
Other reasons 7

34. Your Stays Abroad

34. Many people live in different countries over the course of their lives. What about you? We're interested in finding out which countries you have lived in for more than three months.

We are referring here to a continuous stay in another country lasting more than three months. We are not referring to shorter stays such as vacations or visits to relatives.

Yes, I have always lived in Germany 1
No, I have also lived in another country 2

35. What country did you move to first?

If you have lived in another country more than once for a continuous period of more than three months, start with the country that you moved to first.

36. When did you move to the other country?

If you can't remember exactly, please estimate.
Year of stay 03 abroad
Year of stay 04 abroad
Year of stay 06 abroad
Year of stay 07 abroad
Year of stay 08 abroad
Year of stay 09 abroad
Year of stay 10 abroad
Year of stay 11 abroad
Year of stay 12 abroad
Year of stay 13 abroad
Year of stay 14 abroad
Year of stay 15 abroad
Month of stay 01 abroad
Month of stay 02 abroad
Month of stay 03 abroad
Month of stay 04 abroad
Month of stay 05 abroad
Month of stay 06 abroad
Month of stay 07 abroad
Month of stay 08 abroad
Month of stay 09 abroad
Month of stay 10 abroad
Month of stay 11 abroad
Month of stay 12 abroad
Month of stay 13 abroad
Month of stay 14 abroad
Month of stay 15 abroad
There are different ways of moving to another country. How did you move to another country?

As an employed person who already had a job offer 1
As a spouse, child, or other family member 2
As a student or vocational trainee 3
As a job-seeker 4
In a different way 5

Did you move to another country after that or directly to Germany?

We are referring here to a continuous stay in another country lasting more than three months. We are not referring to shorter stays such as vacations or visits to relatives.

To another country 1
Directly to Germany 2

[In a different way] Please state:
To Germany or to other country after stay 06 abroad?

Country of move 01 after a stay abroad

Country of move 02 after a stay abroad

Country of move 03 after a stay abroad

Country of move 04 after a stay abroad

Country of move 05 after a stay abroad

Country of move 06 after a stay abroad

Country of move 07 after a stay abroad

Country of move 08 after a stay abroad

Country of move 09 after a stay abroad

[To another country] please state:

Country of move 01 after a stay abroad

Country of move 02 after a stay abroad

Country of move 03 after a stay abroad

Country of move 04 after a stay abroad

Country of move 05 after a stay abroad

Country of move 06 after a stay abroad

Country of move 07 after a stay abroad

Country of move 08 after a stay abroad

Country of move 09 after a stay abroad
When did you move to Germany?

*If you don't remember exactly, please estimate!*

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What about after you had lived in Germany for a while: Did you move away again?

We are referring here to a continuous stay in another country lasting more than three months. We are not referring to shorter stays such as vacations or visits to relatives.

Yes, to another country

1

No, I have stayed in Germany ever since

2
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[Yes, to another country] Please state:

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Where did you live before German reunification, that is, before 1989?
In East Germany (the GDR, including East Berlin) 1
in West Germany (including West Berlin) 2
In another country 3
Does not apply, was born in or after 1989 4

Do you have German citizenship?
Yes 1
No 2

Do you have second citizenship in addition to German citizenship?
Yes 1
No 2

Have you had German citizenship since birth or did you acquire it at a later date?
At a later date 1
Since birth. 2

And in what year did you acquire German citizenship?
What citizenship did you have before?

What is your country of citizenship?

Do you intend to apply for German citizenship in the next two years?

Are you currently a citizen of the EU or the European Economic Area?

Do you have permanent residence in Germany (right of permanent residence in the EU)?
What is your residence status in Germany?
- Permanent residency (Niederlassungserlaubnis) 1
- Blue Card (EU) 2
- Limited residence permit (Befristete Aufenthaltserlaubnis) 3
- Visa 4
- Temporary residence permit (Aufenthaltsgestattung) 5
- Temporary suspension of deportation (Duldung) 6

Do you want to stay in Germany forever?
- Yes 1
- No 2

How long do you want to stay in Germany?
- A year at the most 1
- A few more years 2
- How many years
  - Don’t know 1

Time and again people are discriminated against or persecuted because of their political convictions, their religion, their ethnicity, or their family or class background. The reasons may also include the political convictions or religion of close relatives. What about you: Were you ever the victim of that kind of discrimination or persecution?
- Yes 1
- No 2
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**To what extent do you feel German?**

- Completely: 1
- For the most part: 2
- In some respects: 3
- Hardly at all: 4
- Not at all: 5

**Language Proficiency**

**Now some questions about your native language—the language spoken by the family you grew up in. Is German the native language of you and both of your parents?**

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**What about you...?**

**How well do you know German?**

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**How well do you know the language of your native country/your parents’ language?**

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How well did you know German before moving to Germany...

If you have moved to Germany more than once in your life, please answer these questions for your most recent move.

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Did you take German classes in your country of origin or in Germany?

Yes, in my country of origin 1
Yes, in Germany 2
Yes, both 3
No 4

Did you take German classes in your country of origin or in Germany?
Work before moving to Germany

How old were you when you first started working?  
*We are not referring to vocational training but to your first job after you completed your training!*

... years old

Have not yet held a job / have not yet completed in-service training

Now let’s return to your situation before moving to Germany: Were you employed in the year before you moved to Germany?

If you have moved to Germany more than once: Please answer for your most recent move to Germany.

Yes

No

What was your occupation before moving to Germany?

Please state the specific job title. For example, do not write “clerk” but rather “shipping clerk”, not “blue-collar worker” but rather “machine metalworker”.

What was your occupational status before moving to Germany?

Please answer for your last job before moving.

Manual (including agricultural) workers without management responsibilities

Manual (including agricultural) workers with management responsibilities

Self-employed people, or relatives working for self-employed person

Salaried employees without management responsibilities

Salaried employees with management responsibilities

Civil servants / public administrators, including judges and professional military without management responsibilities

Civil servants / public administrators, including judges and professional military with management responsibilities
69 What sector of business or industry was your company or institution active in for the most part?

Please state the specific term for the branch / sector, for example, not “industry” but rather “electronics industry”; not “trade” but rather “retail trade”; not “health care” but rather “hospital.”

70 What was the last year and month that you were employed at that job?

Year
Month

71 What was your net income in that occupation before moving to Germany?

Please state the local currency that you were paid in, and the net amount of your last monthly paycheck in the local currency.

local currency:
net income:

72 If you compared your net income then with the income of other people in your country at that time, how would your income have compared?

Far below average 1
Below average 2
Average 3
Above average 4
Well above average 5

73 How many hours did you work per week on average in that job?

... hours per week
First job in Germany

In which year did you have your first job in Germany?

If you have moved to Germany several times over the course of your life, please answer only for your last move to Germany.

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Does not apply, have never held a job in Germany

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<td>War noch nie erwerbstätig in D.</td>
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What about after moving to Germany: How did you find out about your first job?

If you have moved to Germany more than once: Please answer for your most recent move to Germany.

Through the federal employment office (Bundesagentur für Arbeit / the Jobcenter)

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Through a job advertisement in the newspaper

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Through acquaintances, friends, or relatives

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Through business relationships in Germany

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Was self-employed in my first job

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What was your last net monthly income in that job?

Please try to remember the amount in [euros] / [deutschmarks].

net amount : [euros] / [deutschmarks] [depending on the year stated]

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How many hours did you work per week on average in that job?

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78. Are you still doing the same type of work today as in your first job in Germany?

If you have moved to Germany more than once: Please answer for your most recent move to Germany.

Yes 1
No 2

78:pdzerwt bgp_mig bgpm_l_78 Still Doing The Same Type Of Work 2@81
78:pdzerwt biol lm0609 Still Doing The Same Type Of Work 2@81

79. Do you still have the same occupational status today as you did in your first job in Germany?

If you have moved to Germany more than once: Please answer for your most recent move to Germany.

Yes 1
No 2

79:pdzerwst bgp_mig bgpm_l_79 Still Have The Same Occupational Status 2@81
79:pdzerwst biol lm0608 Still Have The Same Occupational Status 2@81

80. Are you still working for the same employer as in your first job in Germany?

If you are self-employed: Do you still have the same business / same line of work as you did at that time? If you have moved to Germany more than once: Please answer for your most recent move to Germany.

Yes 1
No 2

80:pdzerwag bgp_mig bgpm_l_80 Same Employer 1@81
80:pdzerwag biol lm0606 Same Employer 1@81

Position:
...ARB 1
...SST 2
...ANG 3
...AMT 4
...KA -1

81. What was your occupational status in your first job in Germany?

Blue-collar worker (Arbeiter) (also in agriculture)

Unskilled worker 1
Semi-skilled worker 2
Skilled and specialist worker 3

81:pdzarb bgp_mig bgpm_l_8102 1. Status: Blue-Collar Worker 1@81
81:pdzarb biol lm0603i01 1. Status: Blue-Collar Worker 1@81

White-collar worker (Angestellte)

Salaried employee engaged in unskilled activities without completed training / education 1
Salaried employee engaged in unskilled activities with completed training/education 2
Salaried employee engaged in skilled activities (e.g., executive officer, bookkeeper, technical draftsman) 3
Salaried employee engaged in highly skilled activities or managerial function (e.g., scientist, engineer, department head) 4

81:pdzang bgp_mig bgpm_l_8108 1. Status: White-Collar Worker 1@81
1. Status: White-Collar Worker
Self-employed (including family members working for the self-employed)

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1. Status: Self-Employed Farmer

1. Status: Freelance Professional

1. Status: Other Self-Employed

Family member working for self-employed relative

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1. Status: Working Family Member

Civil servant or public administration employee (including judges and professional soldiers)

| Lower level |
| Middle level |
| Upper level |
| Executive level |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

1. Status: Civil Servant

82 What type of work did you do in your first job in Germany?
Please state the specific job title. For example, do not write “clerk” but rather “shipping clerk”, not “blue-collar worker” but rather “machine metalworker”.

83 What kind of training is usually required for this kind of work?

| No completed vocational training is required |
| Completed vocational training |
| University of applied sciences degree |
| Degree from a university or other institution of higher education |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

1. Work in Germany: Training Required
84. Was the company you worked for at that time part of the public sector or public administration?

- Yes  
- No

84:pdzoed bgp_mig bgpm_l_84 Civil Service
84:pdzoed biol lm0611 Civil Service

85. What sector of business or industry was your company or institution active in for the most part?

*Please state the specific term for the branch / sector, for example, not “industry” but rather “electronics industry”; not “trade” but rather “retail trade”; not “health care” but rather “hospital.”*

86. Have you changed occupations one or more times since your first job in Germany, such that the type of work you do has changed fundamentally?

*If you have moved to Germany more than once: Please answer for your most recent move to Germany.*

- Yes, once  
- Yes, several times  
- No

86:pdzwex1 bgp_mig bgpm_l_8601 Changed Occupations Since 1. Job
86:pdzwex1 biol lm0622i01 Changed Occupations Since 1. Job

What year did you switch to your current or last occupation?

86:pdzwex2 bgp_mig bgpm_l_8602 Year Last Occupational Change 86:pdzwex1=1|2
86:pdzwex2 biol lm0622i02 Year Last Occupational Change 86:pdzwex1=1|2

87. Were you in a serious relationship before moving to Germany?

- Yes  
- No

87:pdbez2 bgp_mig bgpm_l_87 Steady Relationship Before Migration 2@106
87:pdbez2 biol lm0222 Steady Relationship Before Migration 2@106

88. Did this relationship continue after you moved to Germany?

- Yes  
- No
A relationship, whether marriage or otherwise, can affect our decisions, sometimes to a greater and sometimes to a lesser extent. We therefore ask you to think back to before you moved to Germany—before you made the decision to move here.

89 What played the decisive role in your decision to move here—who was the driving force in that decision?

- My partner 
- I was
- Both to an equal extent

90 Do you think you would have moved to Germany without your partner?

- Yes
- No

91 Do you think your partner would have moved to Germany without you?

- Yes
- No

92 Are you still in this relationship today?

- Yes
- No

93 What was the situation when you moved to Germany: Which of you moved to Germany first, or did you move to Germany together?

- My partner already lived in Germany before we met
- I moved to Germany before my partner
- My partner moved to Germany before me
- We moved to Germany at the same time
- My (then) partner still lives in my country of origin
94 When did your partner move to Germany?

Year

194:pdbez5 bgp_mig bgpm_l_94 Partner Migration Year
194:pdbez5 biol lm0225i01 Partner Migration Year
does not apply 1

194:pdbez5a bgp_mig bgpm_l_95 Partner Migration Year: Does Not Apply
194:pdbez5a biol lm0225i02 Partner Migration Year: Does Not Apply

95 When did your partner get a job in Germany?

My partner had a job prospect before moving to Germany 1
My partner had a job within a year after moving to Germany 2
My partner got a job later 3
My partner has never had a job in Germany 4

96 How old were you when you first started working?

We are not referring to vocational training but to your first job after you completed your training!

... years old

96:l1erw bgp_mig bgpm_l_9601 First Employment, Age
96:l1erw biojob agefjob Age At First Job
96:l1erw biol lb0247 Age When Went To Work

Have not yet held a job / have not yet completed in-service training 1

96:l1no bgp_mig bgpm_l_9602 First Employment, Age Does Not Apply 1@113
96:l1no biojob nojob Employment Status 1@113
96:l1no biol lb0248 Never Employed 1@113

97 Are you still doing the same type of work today?

Yes 1
No 2

97:l1erwt bgp_mig bgpm_l_97 Same Type Of Work Today 2@100
97:l1erwt biojob stillfj Still Employed In First Job 2@100
97:l1erwt biol lb1020 Same activity today 2@100

98 Do you still have the same occupational status today as you did in your first job?

Yes 1
No 2

98:l1erwst bgp_mig bgpm_l_98 Same Occupational Status Today 2@100
98:l1erwst biol lb1019 Same job today 2@100
### 99 Are you still working for the same employer as in your first job?

*If you are self-employed: Do you still have the same business / same line of work as you did at that time?*

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### 100 What occupational status did you have at that time (in your first job)?

**Position:**

- ...ARB 1
- ...SST 2
- ...ANG 3
- ...AMT 4
- .. KA -1

**Blue-collar worker (Arbeiter) (also in agriculture)**

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

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**Freelancer, independent academics**

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**Assisting family member**

| none employees | 1 |

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What type of work did you do in your first job?

Please state the specific job title. For example, do not write “clerk” but rather “shipping clerk”, not “blue-collar worker” but rather “machine metalworker”.

What kind of training is usually required for this kind of work?

No completed vocational training is required

Completed vocational training

University of applied sciences degree

Degree from a university or other institution of higher education

Was the company you worked for at that time part of the public sector or public administration?

Yes

No
What sector of business or industry was your company or institution active in for the most part?
*Please state the correct job title e.g. not “industry” but “electronic industry”, not “trade” but “retail trade”, not “public service”, but “hospital”. Please write in block letters.*

Have you changed your occupation one or more times since then, such that the type of work you do has changed significantly?

| Yes, once | 1 |
| Yes, several times | 2 |
| No | 3 |

What year did you switch to your current or last occupation?

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Are you gainfully employed at the present time?

| Yes | 1 |
| No | 2 |

When was the last year in which you were gainfully employed?

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Were you last employed full-time, part-time, or marginally in your last job?

| Full-time (at least 35 hours per week) | 1 |
| Part-time (20 to 34 hours per week) | 2 |
| Marginally or irregularly | 3 |
Was the company where you held your last job part of the public sector or public administration?

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Was your occupational status in your last job?

If you had more than one job at that time, please answer the following for your main job only!

Position:

| ...ARB | 1 |
| ...SST | 2 |
| ...AZUBI | 3 |
| ...ANG | 4 |
| ...AMT | 5 |
| No answer | -1 |

Blue-collar worker (Arbeiter) (also in agriculture)

| Semi-skilled worker | 1 |
| Trained worker (gelernter Arbeiter) or skilled worker (Facharbeiter) | 3 |
| Foreman / forewoman | 4 |
| Master craftsmedi | 5 |

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Other self-employed

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What was your last occupation?
*Please state the specific job title. For example, do not write “clerk” but rather “shipping clerk”, not “blue-collar worker” but rather “machine metalworker”.

What sector of business or industry was your company or institution active in for the most part?
*Please state the correct job title e.g. not “Industry” but “electronic Industry”, not “trade” but “retail trade”, not “public service”, but “hospital”. Please write in block letters.
Childhood and Parental Home

113 Do your mother and father live in this household?

Yes, both 1
Only my father 2
Only my mother 3
No, neither 4

114 Is your father / mother still living? If so, where does he / she live? If not, when did he / she die?

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[Father] Is deceased: died in the year.

| Father Died, Year | 113:lm=3|4 |

[Mother] Is deceased: died in the year.

| Mother Died, Year | 113:lm=2|4 |

115 When was your father / mother born (year)?

[Father]

| Year Of Birth - Father | 115:lv=3|4 |

[Mother]

| Year Of Birth - Mother | 115:lm=2|4 |
Was your father / mother born in Germany?

[Father] Yes

[Father] No: please state country of birth

When did your father / mother move to Germany?

[Father]

[Mother]

When did your father / mother move to Germany?

[Father]

[Mother]

Does or did your father / mother have German citizenship?

Yes, by birth

Yes, based on recognition of his / her ethnic German status (Aussiedler, Spätaussiedler)

Yes, through naturalization

No

What citizenship does (or did) your father / mother hold?

Does or did your father / mother have German citizenship?
Yes, by birth
Yes, based on recognition of his / her ethnic German status (Aussiedler, Spätaussiedler)
Yes, through naturalization
No

What citizenship does (or did) your father / mother hold?

Did your father / mother complete secondary schooling in Germany or abroad?

What level of secondary schooling did your father / mother complete in Germany?
What level of secondary schooling did your father / mother complete abroad?

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Did your father / mother complete vocational training or a university degree?

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Which of the following categories describes your father’s / mother’s occupational status when you were 15 years old?

[Father] Blue-collar worker (Arbeiter) (also in agriculture)

1. Unskilled worker
2. Semi-skilled worker
3. Skilled worker and craftsmen
4. Foreman / forewoman
5. Master crafts person

[Father] White-collar worker (Angestellte)

1. Industry or factory foreman / forewoman (Industriemeister, Werkmeister) in a salaried position.
2. Salaried employee engaged in unskilled activities (Angestellter mit einfacher Tätigkeit) - without completed training/education
3. Salaried employee engaged in unskilled activities (Angestellter mit einfacher Tätigkeit) - with completed training/education
4. Salaried employee engaged in skilled activities (Angestellter mit qualifizierter Tätigkeit) (e.g., executive officer, bookkeeper, technical draftsman).
5. Salaried employee engaged in highly skilled activities (Angestellter mit hochqualifizierter Tätigkeit) or managerial function (e.g., scientist, engineer, department head)
6. Salaried employee with extensive managerial duties (Angestellter mit umfassenden Führungsfunktion) (e.g., managing director, business manager, head of a large firm or concern)
**Father**

Civil servant or public administration employee (including judges and professional soldiers)

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

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**Mother**

Blue-collar worker (Arbeiter) (also in agriculture)

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White-collar worker (Angestellte)
Industry or factory foreman / forewoman (Industriemeister, Werkmeister) in a salaried position.  
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Salaried employee with extensive managerial duties (Angestellter mit umfassenden Führungsfunktion) (e.g., managing director, business manager, head of a large firm or concern)
If applicable: What was your father’s / mother’s occupation when you were 15 years old?

*Please state the specific occupational title:*

Father  
Mother  

Does or did your father / mother belong to a church or religious community?

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Which Christian religious community does or did your father / mother belong to?

| [Father] | Christian Religious Community  
Woman | Christian Religious Community  
Man |  
A protestant church | The Eastern Orthodox Church | Another Christian religious community |
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Which Islamic religious community does or did your father / mother belong to?

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Where did you spend the majority of your childhood up to the age of 15? Was it...

- in a large city 1
- in a medium-sized city 2
- in a small town 3
- in a rural area 4

Do you still live in the same city or area today?

- Yes, I still do 1
- Yes, I have moved back 2
- No 3

How many years of your childhood (up to the age of 15) did you live with the following persons?

(Note: adoptive parents count as biological parents)

- With both of your (biological) parents ... years
- With your mother without a (new) companion ... years
- With your mother and her (new) companion ... years
- With your father without a (new) companion ... years
- With your father and her (new) companion ... years
- With other relatives ... years
- With foster parents ... years
- In an orphanage ... years
If you think back to when you were in school, how interested and involved were your parents in your grades and progress at school?

Very involved 1
Fairly involved 2
Not very involved 3
Not at all involved 4

How often did you argue or fight with your parents when you were 15 years old?

With my father

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Yes 1
No 2

Musical Activities In Youth

Active In Music During Youth [2001-2017]
Were you involved in extracurricular sports in your youth?
- Yes 1
- No 2

Which of the sports you played was the most important to you?

Did you play this sport competitively?
- Yes 1
- No 2

When you were 15 . . . . and older

We would now like to ask you for some information about your personal history starting at age 15.

Please fill out the table below as follows: Please state what has happened in your life since you were 15—from when to when you were in school, in vocational training, employed, etc. It is important that you give some answer for every year of your life up to the present or up to the age of 65. If more than one answer applies in a particular year, please give more than one answer.
At the age of ... I was:

- attending school / university / night school
- completing an apprenticeship / vocational training / further education / retraining
- in (voluntary) military / community service ((freiwilligen) Wehrdienst / Zivildienst), voluntary social / ecological year (freiwilliges soziales / ökologisches Jahr), federal volunteer service (Bundesfreiwilligendienst), at war, in captivity
- employed full-time (including regular / professional soldiers)
- employed part-time or marginally employed
- unemployed
- homemaker
- retired / in early retirement
- other

### Your Education and Degrees / Certifications

In the following, we will be asking for more detailed information about specific points in your life that have to do with education and professional life. Let's start with school:

#### What was the last year you attended school?

We are not referring here to schools that provide vocational training, such as vocational schools or vocational academies (Berufsschulen, Berufsakademien)!

**Year**

- **Other**
- **Last Year Attended School**
- **Year Of Leaving School**
- **Still Attend School**
- **No Certificate**

I am still attending school

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139:lsab2 | bgp_mig bgpm_l_13902 Still Attend School 1@147
Where did you last attend school? Was it...
1 in one of the Bundesländer (federal states) of the Federal Republic of Germany?
2 in the former East Germany?
3 in another country?

How many years did you attend school?.

What type of school-leaving certificate did you attain?
1 Left school without graduating
2 Graduated from mandatory schooling with school-leaving certificate
3 Graduated from higher-level secondary school with school-leaving certificate

Can you remember your last report card from school? What were your grades in the following subjects?
Many countries have more than one official language that is also taught in school. If that was the case with you, please give your grades in up to two official school languages. Foreign languages will be asked for separately.

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What was your first foreign language?
In which German Bundesland (federal state) did you last attend school?

What type of school-leaving certificate did you attain?

Can you remember your last report card from school? What were your grades in the following three subjects?

If you think back to the last grade of school you attended: How many of your fellow students or their parents were not from Germany?
148. Do you intend to attain a school-leaving certificate in the future?

Yes, maybe 1
Yes, definitely 2
No 3

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148:lsab11 biol ib0195_h Formal Training Certificate, Uni. Degree (harmonized) 3@150
148:lsab11 biosoc bsschzuk Intending to Get Further Degree 3@150

149. What is the highest degree you plan to attain?

Lower track (Volksschule / Hauptschule) 1
Intermediate track (Realschule / Mittlere Reife) 2
Vocational school (Fachoberschule) 3
Upper track (Abitur / Hochschulreife) 4

149:lsab12 bgp mig bgpm_l_149 Intending To Get School Leaving Certificate, Type 1@150
149:lsab12 biol ib1339 Art angestrebter Schulabschluss 1@150
149:lsab12 biosoc bsschzar Which Degree Intending Still to Get 1@150

150. Have you completed vocational training or university studies in Germany?

Yes 1
No 2

150:lab01 bgp mig bgpm_l_150 Training/University Studies Completed 2@152
150:lab01 biol ib0197 Vocational Training In Germany 2@152
150:lab01 biosoc bsbadabg Completed Training/Apprenticeship in Germany 2@152

151. What type of vocational or university degree did you attain and when did you attain it?

Multiple answers possible!

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152 Did you pursue university studies or occupational training in a different country than Germany, irrespective of whether or not you completed the studies or training?  

| Yes | 1 |
| No  | 2 |

152:lab10 bgp bgpm_m_176 Studium oder Ausbildung ausserhalb von Deutschland  
152:lab10 bgp_mig bgpm176 Training, Education Abroad  
152:lab10 pl plj0709 Studium oder Ausbildung ausserhalb von Deutschland  

153 What type of vocational training or higher education / university studies was it?  

Please indicate all that apply

- I was trained in a company  
- I completed an extended apprenticeship at a company  
- I attended a vocational training school  
- I attended a university / college with a more practical orientation  
- I attended a university / college with a more theoretical orientation  
- I completed doctoral studies  
- Other training

153:lab11 bgp_mig bgpm_l_153a Apprenticed  
153:lab11 biol lb0229 Abroad: In-House Training Company  
153:lab11 biosoc bsbaafan On The Job Training Abroad  
153:lab12 bgp_mig bgpm_l_153b Apprenticeship  
153:lab12 biol lb0230 Abroad: Long Term Vocational Training in Company  
153:lab12 biosoc bsbaafba Long Term Vocational Training Abroad  
153:lab13 bgp_mig bgpm_l_153c Attend Vocational School  
153:lab13 biol lb0231 Abroad: Vocational School  
153:lab13 biosoc bsbaasch Vocational Training Abroad  
153:lab141 bgp_mig bgpm_l_153d University/College Rather Practical  
153:lab141 biol lm0071i01 Abroad: University/College Practical Apprenticeship  
153:lab142 bgp_mig bgpm_l_153e University/College Rather Theoretical  
153:lab142 biol lm0071i02 Abroad: University/College Practical Apprenticeship  
153:lab143 bgp_mig bgpm_l_153f Completed Doctoral Studies  
153:lab143 biol lm0071i03 Abroad: Doctorate  
153:lab15 bgp_mig bgpm_l_153g Other Education, Training  
153:lab15 biol lb0233 Abroad: Other  
153:lab15 biosoc bsbaason Other Vocational Training Abroad

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154 I was trained in a company  

ended with successful qualification  

| 1 |
| 2 |

154:lab11a bgp_mig bgpm_l_154a01 Abroad: Training on the job: completed how  
154:lab11a biol lm02034 Abroad: Training on the job: completed how

In which year did you end this training?  

154:lab11j bgp_mig bgpm_l_154a02 In-House Training At A Company, Year of Completion  
154:lab11j biol lm0072i01 Ausland: in Betrieb angelernt: Jahr des Abschlusses

Please state your (planned) occupation or profession  

How long did this training take?
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I completed an extended apprenticeship at a company.

ended with successful qualification | 1 |

Ended without qualification | 2 |

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In which year did you end this training? [Year] | |

Please state your (planned) occupation or profession | |

How long did this training take?

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I attended a vocational training school

ended with successful qualification | 1 |

Ended without qualification | 2 |

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In what year did you (or will you) complete this course of study or occupational training? | |

Please state your (planned) occupation or profession | |

How long did this training last?

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I attended a university / college with a more practical orientation
ended with successful qualification 1
Ended without qualification 2
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Year of Degree 153:lab141=1
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Ausrichtung: Jahr des Abschlusses 153:lab141=1
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Please also state major field of study:
How long did this training last?
Years 
Months 
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ended with successful qualification 1
Ended without qualification 2
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Abschlusses 153:lab142=1
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Please also state major field of study:
How long did this training take?
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I completed doctoral studies 
ended with successful qualification 1
Ended without qualification 2
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Please also state major field of study:
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Doctoral Outside Germany: Months
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Other training
ended with successful qualification 1
Ended without qualification 2

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Abroad: Other Training: completed how
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Ausland: sonstige Ausbildung: Jahr des Abschlusses
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Please state your (planned) occupation or profession

How long did this training last?

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Doctoral Outside Germany: Months
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Total Item-Nonresponse
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Training - Item Nonresponse
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155 Did you apply to have your degree recognized in Germany?
Yes 1
No 2

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Applied for Recognition of 4. Leaving Certificate
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Applied for Recognition of 7. Leaving Certificate
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For which German profession did you apply for recognition of your qualifications?

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- January 2016
- March 2016
- May 2016
- July 2016
- September 2016
- November 2016

Applied for Recognition of 2. Leaving Certificate, Month:
- January 2016
- March 2016
- May 2016
- July 2016
- September 2016
- November 2016

Applied for Recognition of 3. Leaving Certificate, Month:
- January 2016
- March 2016
- May 2016
- July 2016
- September 2016
- November 2016

Applied for Recognition of 4. Leaving Certificate, Month:
- January 2016
- March 2016
- May 2016
- July 2016
- September 2016
- November 2016

Applied for Recognition of 5. Leaving Certificate, Month:
- January 2016
- March 2016
- May 2016
- July 2016
- September 2016
- November 2016

Applied for Recognition of 6. Leaving Certificate, Month:
- January 2016
- March 2016
- May 2016
- July 2016
- September 2016
- November 2016

Applied for Recognition of 7. Leaving Certificate, Month:
- January 2016
- March 2016
- May 2016
- July 2016
- September 2016
- November 2016

Applied for Recognition of 1. Leaving Certificate, Year:
- 2016
- 2017

Applied for Recognition of 2. Leaving Certificate, Year:
- 2016
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Applied for Recognition of 3. Leaving Certificate, Year:
- 2016
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Applied for Recognition of 4. Leaving Certificate, Year:
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Applied for Recognition of 5. Leaving Certificate, Year:
- 2016
- 2017

Applied for Recognition of 6. Leaving Certificate, Year:
- 2016
- 2017

Applied for Recognition of 7. Leaving Certificate, Year:
- 2016
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**158** Is this occupation regulated? In other words, are you required by law to be licensed or certified to practice your profession?

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Have you received notification of the final decision granting or refusing recognition of your degree or qualification?

Yes 1
No 2

And when did you receive notification of the final decision granting or refusing recognition of your degree or qualification?

Months
Year
161 Did your notification require you to take part in a compensatory measure (Ausgleichsmaßnahme)?

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161:agm pl plm0099i07 | Required Compensation (7) |
Did your notification require you to take part in a compensatory measure (Ausgleichsmaßnahme)?

Yes, I completed the measure successfully
No, I dropped out of the program
No, I am still taking part in the supplementary training (Anpassungsqualifizierung)
No, I did not start the program
No, I don’t plan to take part in the measure

Did your notification recommend supplementary training (Anpassungsqualifizierung)?

Yes
No
Have you completed the recommended supplementary training (Anpassungsqualifizierung)?

Yes, I completed the measure successfully

No, I dropped out of the program

No, I am still taking part in the supplementary training (Anpassungsqualifizierung)

No, I did not start the program

No, I don’t plan to take part in the measure

What was the decision stated in the notification?

Is the degree stated in the notification of recognition equivalent to your vocational training or university degree?

My degree was recognized as equivalent

My degree was recognized as partially equivalent
166 Is the degree stated in the notification of recognition equivalent to your vocational training or university degree?

No 2
Yes 1

167 Why didn’t you apply to have your degree or qualifications recognized?

The recognition is not important to me because I’m not allowed to practice my profession for legal reasons 8
The recognition is not important to me because I don’t see it as having any added value for me on the labor market 9
I don’t know how and where to apply for recognition 2
I don’t how to pay for the recognition 3
I don’t have some of the documents that are needed to obtain recognition 4
The recognition process is too bureaucratic / time-consuming 5
I have no chance of having my degree recognized 6
Other reasons 7
Do you intend to complete vocational / occupational training or attain a university degree in the future?

- Yes, maybe
- Yes, definitely
- No

Which of the following degrees do you plan to attain?

- Apprenticeship
- Full-time vocational school (Berufsfachschule) or health sector school (Schule des Gesundheitswesens)
- Higher-level trade or technical school (Meisterschule, Technikerschule)
- Training for civil servants (Beamtenausbildung)
- Accredited professional school (Berufsakademie)
- Technical or professional college (Fachhochschule)
- University..
Family situation

Do you or did you have any siblings?

_Siblings includes biological, half, step, and adoptive brothers and sisters._

Yes. Please state number: ... siblings

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For each of your brothers and sisters (or a maximum of ten), please give us the following information. Please start with your oldest sibling and continue by age, ending with the youngest. Please state whether you spent your entire childhood living—up to the age of 15—living in the same household with the particular sibling.

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Did you spend your entire childhood living together?

Yes

No, only ... years
Do you or did you have children? If so, how many?

Both biological and adoptive children are included (but not foster or stepchildren). Please provide the following information for each of your children. Please start with the oldest one:

Yes: ... children

No, I never had children

Please provide the following information for each of your children. Please start with the oldest one:

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Sex

Son

Daughter
Where does the son/daughter live today?

Here in this household 1
Here in this town 2
Elsewhere in West Germany 3
Elsewhere in East Germany 4
Abroad 5
Deceased 6

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172 The following questions deal with partnership and marriage or registered same-sex partnerships (eingetragene gleichgeschlechtliche Partnerschaft). All of these questions deal with your relationship, whether you are married or not. There are questions dealing with your current relationship and others dealing with past relationships. We will start with your current relationship and then ask you to look back on relationships you had before. In the case of past relationships, we are talking about relationships that lasted six months or longer. Whenever referring to marriage, we are also referring to registered same-sex partnerships!

A:

[A] Are you currently in a relationship?
Yes 1
No 2

172:lp1a bgp_mig bgpm_la_17201 Steady Relationship 2@172:lp1b
172:lp1a biol lb1195 Steady Relationship 2@172:lp1b

[A] 1. The relationship started in the year ...  

172:lpja bgp_mig bgpm_la_17202 Relationship Since 172:lp1a=1
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[A] 3. Do or did you live together? 1

172:lp2a bgp_mig bgpm_la_17203 Partner in HH 172:lp1a=1 1@172:lehea
172:lp2a biol lb1199 Partner in HH 172:lp1a=1 1@172:lehea

[A] 3. Yes, we moved in together in the year ...  

172:lpelb1a bgp_mig bgpm_la_17204 Together Since 172:lp1a=1
172:lpelb1a biol lb1213 Together Since 172:lp1a=1

[A] 4. [Do you still live together?] Yes 1
[A] 4. [Do you still live together?] No, we stopped living together in the year …

[4] 5. [Are you or were you married to this person?] Yes, we got married in the year …

[B] 1. The relationship started in the year …

[B] 2. The relationship ended because of separation …

[B] 3. Do or did you live together? …
[B] 3. Yes, we moved in together in the year …

172:lp2b bgp_mig bgpm_lb_17203 Lived Together With Former Partner B 172:lp1b=1
172:lp2b biol lb1200 Lived Together With Former Partner B 172:lp1b=1

[B] 4. [Do you still live together?] Yes

172:lp5b bgp_mig bgpm_lb_17207 Still Living Together With Partner B 172:lp1b=1
172:lp5b biol lb1222 Still Living Together With Partner B 172:lp1b=1

[B] 4. [Do you still live together?] No, we stopped living together in the year …

172:lp3b bgp_mig bgpm_lb_17208 Year Prev. Relationship B Moved Out 172:lp1b=1
172:lp3b biol lb1218 Year Prev. Relationship B Moved Out 172:lp1b=1

[B] 5. [Are you or were you married to this person?] No

172:leheb bgp_mig bgpm_lb_17209 Marriage Former Partner B 172:lp1b=1
172:leheb biol lb1106 Marriage Former Partner B 172:lp1b=1

[B] 5. [Are you or were you married to this person?] Yes, we got married in the year

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[B] 6. [Are you still married to this person?]

Yes
ended because of divorce 2
ended because of death 3

172:leh2b bgp_mig bgpm_lb_17211 Marriage Status (2) 172:lp1b=1
172:leh2b biol lb0316 Marriage Status (2) 172:lp1b=1

[B] 6. [Are you still married to this person?] No, the marriage ended in the year …

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[C] Are you currently in a relationship?

Yes 1
No 2

172:lp1c bgp_mig bgpm_lc_17201 Prev. Steady Relationship C 2@173
172:lp1c biol lb1197 Prev. Steady Relationship C 2@173

[C] 1. The relationship started in the year …

[C] 2. The relationship ended in the year …

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[C] 2. The relationship ended because of
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[C] 3. Yes, we moved in together in the year ...  

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[C] 4. [Do you still live together?] Yes  

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[C] 4. [Do you still live together?] No, we stopped living together in the year ...  

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[C] 5. [Are you or were you married to this person?] No  

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[C] 5. [Are you or were you married to this person?] Yes, we got married in the year  

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[C] 6. [Are you still married to this person?]  

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[C] 6. [Are you still married to this person?] No, the marriage ended in the year ...  

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[D] Are you currently in a relationship?  

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1. The relationship started in the year ...
2. The relationship ended in the year ...

172:lpjd bgp_mig bgpm_id_17202 Year Begin Prev. Relationship D 172:lp1d=1
172:lpjd biol lb1212 Year Begin Prev. Relationship D 172:lp1d=1
172:lpend1d bgp_mig bgpm_id_17213 Year End Prev. Relationship D 172:lp1d=1
172:lpend1d biol lb1205 Year End Prev. Relationship D 172:lp1d=1

2. The relationship ended because of
separation 1
death 2
172:lpend2d bgp_mig bgpm_id_17214 End Prev. Relationship D Breakup/Death 172:lp1d=1
172:lpend2d biol lb1208 End Prev. Relationship D Breakup/Death 172:lp1d=1

3. Do or did you live together? 1

172:lp2d bgp_mig bgpm_id_17203 Lived Together With Former Partner D 172:lp1d=1
172:lp2d biol lb1202 Lived Together With Former Partner D 172:lp1d=1

3. Yes, we moved in together in the year ...
172:lpelb1d bgp_mig bgpm_id_17204 Year Prev. Relationship D Moved In Together 172:lp1d=1
172:lpelb1d biol lb1216 Year Prev. Relationship D Moved In Together 172:lp1d=1

4. [Do you still live together?] Yes 1

172:lpelb5d bgp_mig bgpm_id_17207 Still Living Together With Partner D 172:lp1d=1
172:lpelb5d biol lb1224 Still Living Together With Partner D 172:lp1d=1

4. [Do you still live together?] No, we stopped living together in the year ...
172:lpelb3d bgp_mig bgpm_id_17208 Year Prev. Relationship D Moved Out Together 172:lp1d=1
172:lpelb3d biol lb1220 Year Prev. Relationship D Moved Out Together 172:lp1d=1

5. [Are you or were you married to this person?] No 1

172:lehed bgp_mig bgpm_id_17209 Marriage Former Partner D 172:lp1d=1
172:lehed biol lb1108 Marriage Former Partner D 172:lp1d=1

5. [Are you or were you married to this person?] Yes, we got married in the year
172:lehe1d bgp_mig bgpm_id_17210 Year Marriage Former Partner D 172:lp1d=1
172:lehe1d biol lb1102 Year Marriage Former Partner D 172:lp1d=1

6. [Are you still married to this person?] Yes 1

ended because of divorce 2
ended because of death 3
172:lehe2d bgp_mig bgpm_id_17211 Still Married To Partner D 172:lp1d=1
172:lehe2d biol lb1103 Still Married To Partner D 172:lp1d=1

6. [Are you still married to this person?] No, the marriage ended in the year ...
172:lehe3d bgp_mig bgpm_id_17212 Year Divorce Relationship D 172:lp1d=1
172:lehe3d biol lb1104 Year Divorce Relationship D 172:lp1d=1
Have you been married to or in a registered same-sex partnership with a partner who you have not mentioned so far?

- No

- Yes, I have been married previously

- Yes, I have been in a registered same-sex partnership previously

When did the [marriage] [registered same-sex partnership] end?

- Year

Are you still [married] [in the registered same-sex partnership]?

- Yes

- No

When did the [marriage] [registered same-sex partnership] end?

- Year

And how did the [marriage] [registered same-sex partnership] end?

- [Divorce] [Annulment]

- Death

Since what year have you personally been living in this dwelling?

Since
179 Except this apartment, so the apartment in which the survey budget lives, do you have another apartment, where you even live or spend your vacation in?

Multiple answers possible!

In Germany 1
Yes, abroad 1
No 1

179:l2wohna bgp_mig bgpm_I_17901 Further Dwelling In Germany 1@179:l2wohn3
179:l2wohna biol lb1022 Further Dwelling In Germany 1@179:l2wohn3
179:l2wohnb biog resid brsecreg Westgerm., Eastgerm, Foreign Country 1@179:l2wohn3
179:l2wohnb bgp_mig bgpm_I_17902 Further Dwelling Abroad 1@179:l2wohn3
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179:l2wohnc bgp_mig bgpm_I_17903 No Further Dwelling 1@179:l2wohn3
179:l2wohnc biol lb1024 No Further Dwelling 1@179:l2wohn3
179:l2wohnc biog resid brsechom Second Residence

Where do you reside most of the time?

In this home 1
In the other home 2
In both approximately the same 3

179:l2wohnn3 bgp_mig bgpm_I_17904 Main Dwelling (179:l2wohna=1);(179:l2wohnb=1)
179:l2wohnn3 biol lb0283 Use Of Home (179:l2wohna=1);(179:l2wohnb=1)
179:l2wohnn3 biog resid brsechom Use Of Home (179:l2wohna=1);(179:l2wohnb=1)

180 Now let’s turn to you personally. How satisfied are you today with the following areas of your life?

Please answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means completely dissatisfied and 10 means completely satisfied. If you are partly satisfied and partly dissatisfied, please select the point on the scale that best reflects your overall level of satisfaction.

How satisfied are you with ...

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What about the year before you moved to Germany: How satisfied were you with the following areas of your life?

Please answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means completely dissatisfied and 10 means completely satisfied.

How satisfied were you the year before moving to Germany?

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What about the year after you moved to Germany: How satisfied were you with the following areas of your life?

Please answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means completely dissatisfied and 10 means completely satisfied.

How satisfied were you the year after you moved to Germany?

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What does your normal everyday life look like? How many hours do you spend on the following activities on an average working day?

*Please give only whole hours. Use “0” if the activity does not apply!*

- **Job, apprenticeship, second job (including travel time to and from work).**
- **Errands (shopping, trips to government agencies, etc.).**
- **Housework (washing, cooking, cleaning).**
- **Childcare [number of hours].**
- **Care and support of persons in need of care [number of hours].**
- **Education or further training (also school / university) [number of hours].**
- **Repairs on and around the home, car repairs, garden or lawn work [number of hours].**
- **Physical activity (sport, fitness, gymnastics) [number of hours].**

Other leisure activities and hobbies:

- **183:pwerk1 bgp bgp0901 Hours Weekdays Job, Training**
- **183:pwerk1 bgp_mig bgpm18301 Hours Weekdays, Job/Apprenticeship**
- **183:pwerk1 pl pli0038_h Hours Weekdays Job, Training (harmonized)**
- **183:pwerk2 bgp bgp0902 Hours Weekdays Running Errands**
- **183:pwerk2 bgp_mig bgpm18302 Hours Per Weekday On Errands**
- **183:pwerk2 pl pli0040 Hours Weekday Running Errands**
- **183:pwerk3 bgp bgp0903 Hours Weekday Housework**
- **183:pwerk3 bgp_mig bgpm18303 Hours Per Weekday On Housework**
- **183:pwerk3 pl pli0043_h Hours Weekday Housework (harmonized)**
- **183:pwerk3 pl pli0043_v3 Hours Per Weekday On Housework (1992-2017)**
- **183:pwerk4 bgp bgp0904 Hours Weekday Child Care**
- **183:pwerk4 bgp_mig bgpm18304 Hours Per Weekday On Child Care**
- **183:pwerk4 pl pli0044_h Hours Weekday Child Care (harmonized)**
- **183:pwerk4 pl pli0044_v3 Hours Per Weekday On Child Care (1992-2017)**
- **183:pwerk5 bgp bgp0905 Support Persons In Care, Weekday**
- **183:pwerk5 bgp_mig bgpm18305 Support Persons In Care, Weekday**
- **183:pwerk5 pl pli0046 Hours Weekdays Care For Persons**
- **183:pwerk6 bgp bgp0906 Hours Weekdays Training, Education**
- **183:pwerk6 bgp_mig bgpm18306 Hours Weekdays Training, Education**
- **183:pwerk6 pl pli0047 Hours Weekdays Training, Education**
- **183:pwerk7 bgp bgp0907 Hours Weekday Repairs**
- **183:pwerk7 bgp_mig bgpm18307 Hours Weekday Repairs**
- **183:pwerk7 pl pli0049_h Hours Weekday Repairs (harmonized)**
- **183:pwerk9 bgp bgp0909 Hours Weekday Leisure, Hobbies**
- **183:pwerk9 bgp bgp0910 Total Item Nonresponse, Weekday**
- **183:pwerk9 bgp_mig bgpm18309 Hours Weekday Leisure, Hobbies**
- **183:pwerk9 bgp_mig bgpm18310 Total Item Nonresponse, Weekday**
- **183:pwerk9 pl pli0051 Hours Weekday Leisure, Hobbies**
- **183:pwerk9 pl pli0052 Total Item Nonresponse, Weekday**
- **183:pwerk8 bgp bgp0908 Hours Weekdays Physical Activities**
- **183:pwerk8 bgp_mig bgpm18308 Hours Weekdays Physical Activities**
- **183:pwerk8 pl pli0162 Hours Weekdays Physical Activities**
What does your normal everyday life look like and what did it look like one year before moving to Germany? Let’s start with your everyday life today: How many hours do you spend on the following activities per day on an average working day? And what about one year before moving to Germany?

*Please give only whole hours. Use “0” if the activity does not apply!*

- **Job, apprenticeship, second job** (including travel time to and from work)
- **Errands** (shopping, trips to government agencies, etc.)
- **Housework** (washing, cooking, cleaning)
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**Other leisure activities and hobbies**

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**Other leisure activities and hobbies**

- **Hours Weekdays Job, Training Before Migration**
- **Hours Weekdays Running Errands Before Migration**
- **Hours Weekdays Housework Before Migration**
- **Hours Weekdays Child Care Before Migration**
- **Hours Weekdays Support Persons In Care Before Migration**
- **Hours Weekdays Training, Education Before Migration**
- **Hours Weekdays Repairs, Garden Work Before Migration**
- **Hours Weekdays Physical Activities Before Migration**
- **Hours Weekdays Leisure, Hobbies Before Migration**
- **Total Item-Nonresponse**
To what degree do the following statements apply to you personally?

*Please answer according to the following scale: 1 means: "does not apply to me at all", 7 means: "applies to me perfectly"*

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<td>If I suffer a serious wrong, I will take revenge as soon as possible, no matter what the cost</td>
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<td>If somebody puts me in a difficult position, I will do the same to him/her</td>
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<td>I go out of my way to help somebody who has been kind to me before</td>
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<td>If somebody offends me, I will offend him/her back</td>
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<td>I am ready to undergo personal costs to help somebody who helped me before</td>
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<td>If I were to take a taxi and the taxi driver were friendly and did his job well, I would be willing to give a good tip</td>
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<td>If a salesperson in a shop is unfriendly to me, I won’t buy anything there, even if it means missing out on a bargain</td>
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<td>I am happy to help others even when I don’t get anything in return</td>
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<td>If somebody close to me causes damage and can’t make good the damage, I’m willing to take care of it</td>
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<td>I get over it relatively quickly when someone hurts my feelings</td>
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<td>When somebody has wronged me I often think about it for quite a while</td>
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<td>I tend to bear grudges</td>
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<td>When other people wrong me I try to just forgive and forget</td>
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<td>I have a positive attitude toward myself</td>
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**185a:pmas01 bgp bgpm185a01 I Return Favors**
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**185a:pmas02 bgp bgpm185a02 I Take Revenge If I Suffer Serious Wrong**
**185a:pmas02 bgp_mig bgpm185a02 I Take Revenge If I Suffer Serious Wrong**
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### What is your opinion about the following statements?

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<td>You can't depend on anyone anymore</td>
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<td>It's better to be cautious about trusting strangers</td>
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<td>I trust Germans more than people from other countries</td>
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185b What is your opinion about the following statements?
185\textbf{c} Would you describe yourself as someone who tries to avoid risks (risk-averse) or as someone who is willing to take risks (risk-prone)?

*Please answer on a scale from 0 to 10, where 0 means “risk-averse” and 10 means “risk-prone”.*

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186 Different things are important to different people, How important are the following things to you? Very important, important, less important or quite unimportant?

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<th>Being successful in my career</th>
<th>Owning my own home</th>
<th>Having a happy marriage/relationship</th>
<th>Having children</th>
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187. Have you done paid work during the last 7 days, even if only for an hour or a few hours?

Please also answer “yes” if you would normally have worked in the last 7 days, but did not do so because of holidays, sickness, bad weather, or other reasons.

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187:perz bgp bgp11 Maternity, Paternity Leave
187:perz bgp_mig bgpm188 Maternity, Paternity Leave
187:perz pl plb0019_v2 Mutterschutz/Elternzeit (ab 2001)

188. Are you currently on maternity leave (Mutterschutz) or on statutory parental leave (Elternzeit)?

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### 189 Are you currently using the statutory period of care (Pflegezeit) to care for a relative?

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### 190 Are you officially registered unemployed at the Federal Employment Agency (Agentur für Arbeit)?

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### 191 Experts understand “working in the black economy” as work for another person under the mutual agreement that none or only part of the income will be declared for tax purposes, even though it should be. Has anyone you know worked in the black economy in 2015 to your knowledge?

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### 192 Are you currently in education or training? In other words, are you attending a school or institution of higher education (including doctorate / Ph.D.), completing an apprenticeship or vocational training, or participating in further education or training?

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**Total Item nonresponse, Education/Training**

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**What type of education or training are you pursuing?**

### General education
- Lower secondary school (Hauptschule)  
- Intermediate secondary school (Realschule)  
- Upper secondary school (Gymnasium)  
- Comprehensive school (Gesamtschule)  
- Evening intermediate / upper secondary school (Abendrealschule / Abendgymnasium)  
- Specialized upper secondary school (Fachoberschule)

### Vocational training
- Basic vocational training year / vocational preparation year  
- Vocational school without apprenticeship  
- Apprenticeship  
- Full-time vocational school / commercial college  
- Health sector school  
- Technical college  
- Training for civil servants  
- Other

### Higher education
- Specialized college of higher education  
- University / other institution of higher education  
- Doctoral studies  
- Cooperative State University / Cooperative Education  
- Other university (eg art or music college)

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**Do you receive a grant/scholarship to pay for your undergraduate or graduate studies?**

*If so, from what organization?*

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**Did you take part in any further vocational training programs in 2015?**

*Here we are referring to all types of further vocational training measures that are designed to build on previous professional training or to pave the way for a change of profession, as is the case with occupational retraining. The total amount of time spent on further training may range from a few hours to several months. The idea to pursue further training may have come from you, your employer, or a government agency such as the Federal Employment agency.*

**Yes**

**No**

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**How many further vocational training programs did you take part in 2015?**

*... further vocational training program(s)*

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**How many days in total did you spend in these further training programs?**

*Please count each day the course took place, even if the program only lasted a few hours per day!*

*... (day(s))*

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**197** Who paid for you to take part in the vocational training program?

*If you took part in more than one vocational training program in 2015, please answer this question only for the one that seems most important to you. If the costs were shared, please mark all that apply!*

- Me
- My employer
- Employment office / job center
- Pension insurance
- Employer’s insurance association
- Other funding provider
- The vocational training program did not cost anything

**198** Are you currently employed? Which one of the following applies best to your status?

*Retirees or individuals in the federal volunteer service (Bundesfreiwilligendienst) who also work in addition to this, please state your job here.*

- Employed full-time
- Employed part-time
- Completing in-service training / apprenticeship / in-service retraining
- In marginal or irregular employment
- In partial retirement, phase with zero working hours
- Voluntary military service
- Voluntary social / ecological year, federal volunteer service
- Sheltered Workshop
- Not employed
199 Do you intend to obtain (or resume) employment in the future?
No, definitely not 1
Probably not 2
Probably 3
Definitely 4

200 When, approximately, would you like to start working?
As soon as possible 1
Next year 2
In the next 2 to 5 years 3
In the distant future, in more than five years 4

201 Are you interested in full-time or part-time employment, or would you be satisfied with either one?
Full-time 1
Part-time 2
Either 3
I’m not sure yet 4

202 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 1
Difficult 2
Almost impossible 3
What would your net income have to be for you to accept a position?

Net income (euros per month)

Can't say, it depends

How many hours per week would you have to work to earn this net income?

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

Yes

No

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

Yes

No

Which of the following methods and services have you used to look for a job?

Please mark all that apply.

Please rank the following from 1 to [13] based on your expectations: 1 for the most effective way of finding a job and [13] for the least effective way of finding a job.

Through the Federal Employment Agency (Arbeitsamt, Agentur für Arbeit)

Through a Job Center / ARGE / social services (Sozialamt)
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Through a personnel service agency (PSA)

Through a private recruitment agency without an activation and placement voucher

Through a private recruitment agency with an activation and placement voucher

Through an advertisement in the newspaper
Through an advertisement in the newspaper

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Through a job advertisement on the Internet

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Through a social network on the Internet

207:psuch361 bgp bgpm20715 Advertisement Internet/Network 207:psuch361=1
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Through friends or acquaintances

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Through family members

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Through co-workers

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I have returned to a former employer.

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Other or not applicable

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208 What is your current position/occupation?

Please state the exact title in German. For example, do not write “kaufmännische Angestellte” (clerk), but “Speditionskauffrau” (shipping clerk); not “Arbeiter” (blue-collar worker), but “Maschinenschlosser” (machine metalworker). If you are a civil servant, please give your official title, for example, “Polizeimeister” (police chief) or “Studienrat” (secondary school teacher). If you are an apprentice or in vocational training, please state the occupation for which you were trained. Please print!

209 Does this job correspond to the occupation for which you were trained?

Yes 1
No 2
Still in education or training 3
I have not been trained for a particular occupation 4

209:pberja bgp bgp49 Training Applies To Current Occupation
209:pberja bgp_mig bgpm209 Training Applies To Current Occupation
209:pberja pl plb0072 Training Applies To Current Occupation
210 What type of education or training is usually required for this type of work?

No completed vocational training is required
Completed vocational training is required
Degree from a specialized college of higher education (Fachhochschule) is required
Degree from a university or other institution of higher education is required

211 What sector of business or industry is your company or institution active in for the most part?

Please state the exact sector in German. For example, do not write "Industrie" (industry), but "Elektroindustrie" (electronics industry); not "Handel" (trade), but "Einzelhandel" (retail trade); not "öffentlicher Dienst" (public service), but "Krankenhaus" (hospital).

212 When did you start working for your current employer?
If you are self-employed, please state when you started your current work.

Since ... months
Since ... year

213 How did you find out about this job?

Through the Federal Employment Agency (Arbeitsamt, Agentur für Arbeit).
Through a Job Center / ARGE / social services (Sozialamt).
Through a personnel service agency (PSA)
Through a private recruitment agency without an activation and placement voucher.
Through a private recruitment agency with an activation and placement voucher
Through a job advertisement in the newspaper
An advertisement on the Internet
Through friends or acquaintances
Through family members
Through co-workers
I have returned to a former employer
Other / does not apply
What is your current occupational status?

If you currently have more than one job, please answer the following questions for your main job only.

Position:

- SST
- ARB
- AMT
- AZUBI
- ANG

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

- Self-employed farmer
- Freelancer, independent academics
- Other self-employed
- Assisting family member

Number of employees

- none employees
- 1-9 employees
- 10 or more employees

Blue-collar worker (Arbeiter) (also in agriculture)

- Semi-skilled worker
- Trained worker (gelernter Arbeiter) or skilled worker (Facharbeiter)
- Foreman / forewoman
- Master craftsman

White-collar worker (Angestellte)
Industry or factory foreman / forewoman (Industriemeister, Werkmeister) in a salaried position.
Salaried employee engaged in unskilled activities (Angestellter mit einfacher Tätigkeit) without completed training / education
Salaried employee engaged in unskilled activities with completed training/education
Salaried employee engaged in skilled activities (Angestellter mit qualifizierter Tätigkeit) (e.g., executive officer, bookkeeper, technical draftsman
Salaried employee engaged in highly skilled activities (Angestellter mit hochqualifizierter Tätigkeit) or managerial function (e.g., scientist, engineer, department head).
Salaried employee with extensive managerial duties (Angestellter mit umfassenden Führungsfunktion) (e.g., managing director, business manager, head of a large firm or concern

Civil servant (including judges and professional soldiers)
Lower level 1
Middle level 2
Upper level 3
Executive level 4

Apprentice / trainee / intern
Apprentice / trainee in industry or technology 1
Apprentice / trainee in trade or commerce 2
Volunteer, intern, etc. 3

Do you work for a public sector employer?
Yes 1
No 2
216 Is this work through a temporary employment agency (Zeitarbeit, Leiharbeit)?

Yes 1
No 2

216:pzaf bgp bgp56 Temporary Or Contractual Basis
216:pzaf bgp_mig bgp_mig216 Temporary Or Contractual Basis
216:pzaf pl plb0041 Employed By Employment Agency

217 Do you have a fixed-term or permanent employment contract?

Permanent contract 1
Fixed-term contract. 2
Not applicable / do not have an employment contract 3

217:pbefr1 bgp bgp57 Duration Of Work Contract
217:pbefr1 bgp_mig bgp_mig217 Duration Of Work Contract
217:pbefr1 pl plb0037_h Limited Term/Open-Ended (harmonized)
217:pbefr1 pl plb0037_v3 Befristet/unbefristet (ab 2006)

218 Is the job part of a job-creation measure (ABM) or is it a “1-Euro Job” (community work)?

Yes 1
No 2

218:pmasaa bgp bgp58 1-Euro-Job
218:pmasaa bgp_mig bgp_mig218 1-Euro-Job
218:pmasaa pl plb0587 1-Euro-Job

219 What is your employer’s postcode (at the specific location where you work)?

Don’t know exactly, but can give the first two digits
Don’t know exactly, but can give the first digits
I work at different locations in different regions 1
I work outside the country 2

219:pbsplz4 bgp bgp65 Does Not Apply, Place Of Work Changes
219:pbsplz4 bgp_mig bgp_mig219 Place Of Work Changes
219:pbsplz4 pl plb0606 Place Of Work Changes

220 If you could choose your own 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

220:paz14 bgp bgp67 Desired Weekly Work Hours
220:paz14 bgp_mig bgp_mig220 Desired Weekly Work Hours
220:paz14 pl plb0241_h Desired Weekly Work Hours (harmonized)
221 How many days do you usually work per week?

Not applicable, because ...

the number of days is not fixed
the number of days changes from week to week

222 How many hours per week are stipulated in your contract (excluding overtime)?

No set hours

223 And how many hours do you generally work per week, including any overtime?

224 Is it “marginal” part-time work in accordance with the 450/850–euro rule (Mini-Job, Midi-Job)?

Yes, Mini-Job (up to 450 euros)
Yes, Midi-Job (450.01 to 850 euros)
No
Is this part-time work provided for under the Federal Parental Part-Time Work Act (Bundeselterngeld und Elternzeitgesetz, BEEG)?

Yes
No

To what extent do the following statements apply to the relation to your colleagues?

Please answer according to the following scale: 1 means: “does not apply to me at all”, 7 means: “applies to me perfectly”

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227  Do you work overtime?

Yes [1]
No [2]
Not applicable because I am self-employed [3]

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227:pustd1 bgp_mig bgpm227 Work Overtime 2|3@232
227:pustd1 pl plb0193 Work Overtime 2|3@232

228  Can you also save your overtime in a working hours account that allows you to take time off for the overtime within a year or more?

Yes [1]
No [2]

228:pustd2 bgp bgp7701 Overtime Time In Lieu 228:pustd2=1
228:pustd2 bgp_mig bgpm22801 Overtime Time In Lieu 228:pustd2=1
228:pustd2 pl plb0194 Overtime Time In Lieu 228:pustd2=1
...by the end of the year [1]
...within a shorter period of time [2]
...within a longer period of time [3]

228:pustd3 bgp bgp7702 Time Limit On Time In Lieu 228:pustd2=1
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228:pustd3 pl plb0220 Time Limit On Time In Lieu 228:pustd2=1

229  Have you worked overtime in the last month? If so, how many hours?

Yes [1]
No [2]

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229:pustd5 pl plb0196_h Overtime Last Month (harmonized) 229:pustd5=1
229:pustd5 pl plb0196_v3 Ueberstunden im Vormonat geleistet (ab 2002) 229:pustd5=1
[Yes] ... hours

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229:pustd6 pl plb0197 Hours Of Overtime Last Month 229:pustd5=1

230  Have you used up overtime off in lieu last month? If so, how many?

Yes [1]
No [2]

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[Yes] ... hours

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231 Did you receive financial compensation for overtime in the last month? If so, for how many hours?
Yes 1
No 2

231:pustdbez bgp bgp8001 Financial Compensation for Overtime
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232 What did you earn from your work 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 taxes. Please state both: - gross income, which means income before deduction of taxes and social security - net income, which means income after deduction of taxes, social security, and unemployment and health insurance.

I earned gross: ... euros
I earned net: ... euros

232:pbrut bgp bgp8101 Gross Income Last Month
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232:pbrut pl plc0013_h Gross Income Last Month (harmonized)
232:pbrut pl plc0013_v2 Bruttoverdienst Vormonat (Euro) (ab 2002)
232:pnett bgp bgp8102 Net Income Last Month
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233 Are you paid according to a collectively agreed wage agreement?
Yes, paid according to a collectively agreed wage agreement 1
Yes, paid according to a collective wage agreement that is not legally binding for this sector / company 2
Yes, a legally binding collective wage agreement 3
No, my job is exempt from the collective wage agreement in place where I work 4
No, there is no collective wage agreement 5
Don’t know 6

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233a Does the collective wage agreement include a fixed minimum wage?

Yes 1
No 2
Don’t know 3

233a:ptarml bgp bgp8301 Collective Wage Agreement Minimum Wage
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233a:ptarml pl plc0507 Collective Wage Agreement Minimum Wage

234 Were you employed in the last year - in other words, in 2015?

Yes 1
No 2

234:perwvj bgp bgp87 Gainful Employment In Previous Year 2@238
234:perwvj bgp_mig bgpm234 Gainful Employment In 2015 2@238
234:perwvj pl plc0593 Gainful Employment In Previous Year 2@238

235 The following question deals with your labor intensity. Labor intensity is usually defined in terms of piece work requirements or target agreements—for example, sales targets or quality targets. But even without any such requirements, it is still possible to measure how much you achieve on a regular working day.

Please answer on the following scale, where 100% means that your labor intensity has remained the same. If your labor intensity has declined, please use the scale on the left to express the percentage decline. If your labor intensity has increased, please use the scale on the right to express the percentage increase.

What about you? Has your labor intensity changed in comparison to last year?

Declined to less than 75% 1
75-79 2
80-84 3
85-89 4
90-94 5
95-99 6
Remained the same 100% 7
101-105 8
106-110 9
111-115 10
116-120 11
121-125 12
Increased to more than 125% 13

235:pvjaint bgp bgp88 Changes In Labor Intensity
235:pvjaint bgp_mig bgpm235 Changes In Labor Intensity
235:pvjaint pl plc0594 Changes In Labor Intensity
236 Sometimes there are changes in the tools and technologies of the workplace—for example, when new technologies, devices, or working or production processes are introduced. What about you? Have there been any changes of this kind in your job in 2014?

Yes 1
No 2

236:pvjaneu bgp bgp89 2015 Ausstattungsneuerungen am Arbeitsplatz 2@238
236:pvjaneu bgp_mig bgpm236 2015 Ausstattungsneuerungen am Arbeitsplatz 2@238
236:pvjaneu pl plb0595 2014 Changes Tools And Technologies in Job 2@238

237 How will these changes influence your work over the next two years? Do you expect that ...

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237:pameu3 pl plb0598 Influence Demand For Qualification in 2 Years
237:pameu4 bgp bgp9004 Influence Work Performance in 2 Years
237:pameu4 bgp_mig bgpm23704 Influence Work Performance in 2 Years
237:pameu4 pl plb0599 Influence Work Performance in 2 Years
237:pameu5 bgp bgp9005 Influence Risk Losing Job in 2 Years
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237:pameu5 pl plb0600 Influence Risk Losing Job in 2 Years

238 Sometimes people have a side job alongside their main job or their activities as homemaker or student, or work beyond retirement. Do you do any of the following?

Your main job described in the previous sections should not be included!

Work in family business 1
Regularly paid secondary employment 2
Occasional paid work 3

238:job4 bgp bgp9301 Family Members Helps Out
238:job4 bgp bgp9302 Regular Second Job
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238:job4 pl plb0392 Family Members Helps Out
238:job4 pl plb0394 Regular Second Job
238:job4 pl plb0395 Irregular Second Job

No, I received none of these 1
What type of work is it?

How many days per month do you work at this side job?

How many hours do you work on average on this job per week?

What was your gross income for this job last month?

And how many part-time jobs do you have at the moment?

Which of the following sources of income did you personally receive in the last month?

For all applicable income sources, please state the total gross amount in the last month.

Gross amount means: Before deduction of taxes or social security contributions. Please answer question 99 first and then question 100! If you do not receive income from any of the sources mentioned, please state that at the end of the questions!

In the last month received
Income from business partnerships
Own retirement, pension
Widower’s pension, orphan’s pension
Unemployment benefit (also while attending further education / re-/training or while receiving a transitional allowance)
Unemployment benefit II / social benefit
Parental allowance (Elterngeld) / maternity allowance (Mutterschaftsgeld)
BAföG grant / scholarship / vocational training allowance
Maintenance payments from former spouse or life partner, including child support
Advanced maintenance payment from child maintenance funds
Other financial assistance to persons who do not live in the household
No, I did not receive income from any of these sources in the last month

Gross amount
| [Income from business partnerships] |
| [Own retirement, pension] |
| [Widower’s pension, orphan’s pension] |
| [Unemployment benefit (also while attending further education / re-/training or while receiving a transitional allowance)] |
| [Parental allowance (Elterngeld) / maternity allowance (Mutterschaftsgeld)] |
| [BAföG grant / scholarship / vocational training allowance] |
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245 Which of the following sources of income did you receive in the past calendar year, 2015? For each of the income sources that apply, please state how many months of 2015 you received the income and what the average monthly income amount was.

Received in 2015

- Wages or salary as employee (including income received during training, partial-retirement or sick leave)
- Income from self-employment / freelance work / commercial activity
- Second job, side job
- Income from business partnerships
- Own retirement, pension
- Widower’s pension, orphan’s pension
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No, I did not receive income from any of these sources in the last month
### Number of months

[Wages or salary as employee (including income received during training, partial retirement or sick leave)]

[Income from self-employment / freelance work / commercial activity]

[Second job, side job]

[Income from business partnerships]

[Own retirement, pension]

[Widower’s pension, orphan’s pension]

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[Other financial assistance to persons who do not live in the household]
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Monate Alimony from maintenance advance fund prev. Year

Monate Alimony from maintenance advance fund prev. Year

Unterhalt aus Unterhaltsvorschusskassen Anz. Monate Vorjahr (ab 2010)

Monatsalimony from maintenance advance fund prev. Year

Monatsalimony from maintenance advance fund prev. Year

Unterhalt aus Unterhaltsvorschusskassen Anz. Monate Vorjahr (ab 2010)

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Gross amount per month

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[Income from self-employment / freelance work / commercial activity]

[Second job, side job]

[Income from business partnerships]

[Unemployment benefit (also while attending further education / re-/training or while receiving a transitional allowance)]

[Parental allowance (Elterngeld) / maternity allowance (Mutterschaftsgeld)]

[BAföG grant / scholarship / vocational training allowance]

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(Please state the gross amount, which means before deduction of taxes and social security).

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Who pays your retirement / pension and what were the monthly payments in 2014? (EUR)

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

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247:par2 bgp bgpm24703 Amt. Civil Servant Pension-Self (EUR)
247:par2 pl plc0236_v2 Beamtenversorgung Rente Brutto/Monat (Euro) (ab 2003)
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[Civil service pension scheme (Beamtenversorgung)] Own retirement / pension] Widower’s pension / orphan’s pension ... euros

[Supplementary insurance for public sector employees (Zusatzversorgung des öffentlichen Dienstes, e.g., VBL)] Widower’s pension / orphan’s pension ... euros

[Occupational pension (Betriebliche Altersversorgung, e.g., Werksversorgung)] Widower’s pension / orphan’s pension ... euros

[Riester pension plan] Widower’s pension/ (Witwenrente), orphan’s pension (Waisenrente)

[Private pension scheme (incl. Arbeitgeberdirektversicherung or berufsständische Versorgung)] Widower’s pension / orphan’s pension ... euros

[Accident insurance (Unfallversicherung, e.g., provided by an employer’s insurance association (Berufsgenossenschaft))] Widower’s pension / orphan’s pension ... euros

[Compensation and assistance for war victims (Kriegsopferversorgung)] Widower’s pension / orphan’s pension ... euros

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### intro16 Health and Illness

**248** How would you describe your current health?

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249. Have you been officially assessed as being severely disabled (Schwerbehindert) or partially incapable of work (Erwerbsgemindert) for medical reasons?

Yes 1
No 2

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250. What is the degree of your reduced capability to work (Erwerbsminderung) or disability (Schwerbehinderung)?

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250:pbeh2 pl ple0041 Legally Handicapped, Reduced Employment

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251. What type of disability do you have?

252. Were you on sick leave from work for more than 6 weeks at one time last year?

Yes, once 1
Yes, more than once 2
No 3
Does not apply, I was not employed in 2014 4

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253. How many days were you unable to work in 2015 due to illness?

Please state the total number of days, not just the number of days for which you had an official note from your doctor.

None 1

253:pkr5 bgp bgp12601 Keinen Tag gefehlt wegen Krankheit, Vorjahr
253:pkr5 bgp_mig bgpm25301 No Days Off Work Sick
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A total of ... days

253:pkr6 bgp bgp12602 Anzahl Krankheitstage, Vorjahr
253:pkr6 bgp_mig bgpm25302 Number Of Days Off Work Sick
253:pkr6 pl ple0046 Number Of Days Off Work Sick Prev. Year
Leaving aside sick leave and vacation: Was there any other point in 2014 when you did not work for other, personal reasons?

Possible reasons may include, for example, caring for a sick child, business with the authorities that could not be postponed, or important family events.

Yes, because of a sick child 1
Yes, because of care for a relative 1
Yes, for other reasons 1
No 1

What kind of health insurance do you have: statutory health insurance or are you exclusively privately insured?

Please also answer this question even if you do not pay for the insurance yourself but are covered by another family member or someone else.

Statutory health insurance 1
Private insurance only 2
### Attitudes and opinions

**256** Generally speaking, how interested are you in politics?

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**257** 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?

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**258** Which party do you lean toward?

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258:ppol4, bgp146, Amount of Support for Political Party
258:ppol4, bgp_mig, bgpm258a, Amount of Support for Political Party
258:ppol4, pl, plh0013, Amount Of Support For Political Party
What about in the country you came from: Did you lean toward a particular party or political movement?

Yes  1  
No   2 

Which party or political movement in your home country did you favour?

How strongly did you lean toward this party or political movement?

Very strongly  1  
rather strongly   2  
Somewhat       3  
quiet weak      4  
very weak       5  

You can't have everything at once - and that applies to politics, too. In the following, we will state four possible goals that politicians might pursue. If you had to choose, which of these goals would be most important? Please rank them in order of importance staring with the first?

Please mark one in each row!

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<td>Increasing citizen influence on government decisions</td>
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<td>Fighting against inflation</td>
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263 How concerned are you about the following issues?

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<td>Hostility towards foreigners or minorities in Germany</td>
<td>1</td>
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<td>If you are employed:</td>
<td>1</td>
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264 Refugees are a controversial topic of discussion in Germany: What would you personally say about the following questions?

On the scale, the further to the left you mark the box, the more you agree with the statement in the left. The further to the right you mark the box, the more you agree with the statement on the right.

Is it generally good or bad for the German economy that refugees are coming here?

bad for the economy 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 good for the economy

Will refugees erode or enrich cultural life in Germany?

erode 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 enrich

Will Germany become a better or worse place to live because of the refugees?

a worse place 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 a better place

Does a large influx of refugees mean more risks or more opportunities in the short term?

more risks in the short term 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 more opportunities in the short term
Does a large influx of refugees mean more risks or more opportunities in the long term?  
More risks in the long term  
More opportunities in the long term

Which of the following activities relating to refugee issues have you engaged in since last year and which do you plan to (also) engage in the future? 
Have you done that since last year? 

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Do you plan to (also) do that in the future? 

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The following list is composed of people who could be important for you in some way. How do you feel about the following?

Please name up to five people from the list per question.

Code number [Marriage/partnership]: 01 (marital) partner 02 former (marital) partner, [Family]: 03 Mother 04 Father 05 Stepmother or foster mother 06 Stepfather or foster father 07 Mother-in-law 08 Father-in-law 09 Daughter 10 Son 11 Sister 12 Brother 13 Grandmother 14 Grandfather 15 Grandchild 16 Aunt / niece 17 Uncle / nephew 18 Other female relative 19 Other male relative [Other Persons (Friends / acquaintances)]: 20 Work colleagues 21 Superiors at work 22 People from school / training / education 23 Neighbors 24 People from clubs or recreational activities 25 Paid assistants, outpatient care providers, social workers 26 Other(s)

### a) With whom do you talk about personal thoughts and feelings, or about things you wouldn’t tell just anyone?

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### b) Who supports your advancement in your career or educational training and fosters your progress?

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**c)** Now a hypothetical question: If you were to need long-term care (for example, in the case of a bad accident), who would you ask for help?
d) With whom do you occasionally have arguments or conflicts that weigh upon you?

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e) Who can you tell the truth even when it is unpleasant?
Now a question about your circle of friends / acquaintances: Please think of three people outside of your household who are important for you, personally. They can be relatives or non-relatives. Respond for the first, second and third person:

a) Are you related? - First person

b) Is he or she ...
c) How old is he or she?

*If you are not exactly sure, please estimate!*

First person: …years
Second person: …years
Third person: …years

d) Where does this person come from?

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<td>Third person</td>
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Are you from the same country?
[First person] Are you from the same country?
[Second person] Are you from the same country?
[Third person] Are you from the same country?

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267:p1bekd1 bgp bgp152d101 Friend Number 1: From The Same Country
267:p1bekd1 bgp_mig bgp267d101 Eigene Herkunft im Vergleich zum Freund 1. Person
267:p1bekd1 pl plj0057 Friend Number 1: From The Same Country
267:p2bekd1 bgp bgp152d102 Friend Number 2: From The Same Country
267:p2bekd1 bgp_mig bgp267d102 Eigene Herkunft im Vergleich zum Freund 2. Person
267:p2bekd1 pl plj0058 Friend Number 2: From The Same Country
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267:p3bekd1 bgp_mig bgp267d103 Eigene Herkunft im Vergleich zum Freund 3. Person
267:p3bekd1 pl plj0059 Friend Number 3: From The Same Country

e) Is he or she …

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<th>in full-time employed?</th>
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<th>registered unemployed</th>
<th>in school / degree / education?</th>
<th>in retirement / pension?</th>
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First person
Second person
Third person

267:p1beke bgp bgp152e01 Employment Status Of First Person Befriended
267:p1beke bgp_mig bgp267e01 Taetigkeit wichtiger Freund 1. Person
267:p1beke pl pld0098 Friend Number 1: Labor Force Status
267:p2beke bgp bgp152e02 Employment Status Of Second Person Befriended
267:p2beke bgp_mig bgp267e02 Taetigkeit wichtiger Freund 2. Person
267:p2beke pl pld0099 Friend Number 2: Labor Force Status
267:p3beke bgp bgp152e03 Employment Status Of Third Person Befriended
267:p3beke bgp_mig bgp267e03 Taetigkeit wichtiger Freund 3. Person
267:p3beke pl pld0100 Friend Number 3: Labor Force Status

f) Which is the highest educational degree he or she has attained?

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First person
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Third person

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267:p1bekf bgp_mig bgp267ka01 Gesamtk1 1. Person
267:p1bekf pl pld0101 Friend Number 1: Highest Degree Received
267:p1bekf pl pld0104 Friend Number 1, Item Nonresponse
267:p2bekf bgp bgp152f02 Friend Number 2: Highest Degree Received
267:p2bekf bgp bgp152ka02 Friend Number 2, Item Nonresponse
267:p2bekf bgp_mig bgp267f02 Bildungsabschluss wichtiger Freund 2. Person
And now about your close and extended family: Which and how many of the following relatives do you have? Please also state where they live.

If there are more persons of respective category, state the place of the next living person. Where is living this person?* ratio: ... Same household - 0 Same house - 1 Neighborhood - 2 Same area, but more than 15 minutes to walk - 3 Other town, but reachable within 1 hour - 4 Far away (but in Germany) - 5 Abroad - 6

Brother / brothers (including half-brothers): Yes available
268:p07v  pl      pld0025  Daughters Present
268:p08v  bgp     bgp15308  Sons Present
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268:p08v  pl      pld0027  Sons Present
268:p09v  bgp     bgp15309  Sister Present
268:p09v  bgp_mig bgpm26820  Familienkreis Schwester
268:p09v  pl      pld0029  Sister Present
268:p10v  bgp     bgp15310  Brothers Present
268:p10v  bgp_mig bgpm26823  Familienkreis Bruder
268:p10v  pl      pld0031  Brothers Present
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268:p15v  bgp_mig bgpm26838  Familienkreis Onkel/Neffe
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268:p16v  bgp     bgp15316  Other Relative-s Present
268:p16v  bgp     bgp153ka  Relatives, Item Nonresponse
268:p16v  bgp_mig bgpm26841  Familienkreis Sonstige
268:p16v  bgp_mig bgpm26844  Familienkreis Gesamtka
268:p16v  pl      pld0035  Other Relative-s Present
268:p16v  pl      pld0037  Relatives, Item Nonresponse
Brother / brothers (including half-brothers): number

[Spouse/ partner] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[former (spouse-)partner] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[Mother] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[Father] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[Stepmother or foster mother] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[Stepfather or foster father] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[Daughter / daughter] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[Son / Sons] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[sister / sisters (also half siblings)] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[brother / brothers (also half siblings)] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[Grandmother] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[Grandfather] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[Grandchild] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[Aunt / niece] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[Uncle / Nephew] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
[Other relative, who stay in contact] Where do he or she live? [list number enter]
Familienkreis Grossmutter Anzahl
Number Of Grandmothers

Familienkreis Grossvater Anzahl
Number Of Grandfathers

Familienkreis Enkel Anzahl
Number Of Grandchildren

Familienkreis Onkel/Neffe Anzahl
Number of Uncles

Familienkreis Sonstige Anzahl
Number Of Other Relatives

Familienkreis Grossmutter Wohnort
Familie Grossmutter Wohnort
Where Does Grandmother Live

Familienkreis Grossvater Wohnort
Familie Grossvater Wohnort
Where Does Grandfather Live

Familienkreis Enkel Wohnort
Familie Enkel Wohnort
Where Does Grandchild Live

Familienkreis Onkel/Neffe Wohnort
Familie Onkel/Neffe Wohnort
Where Does Uncle Live

Familienkreis Sonstige Wohnort
Familie Sonstige Wohnort
Where Does Other Relative Live

Where Does Current Spouse Of Other HH Live

Where Does Previous Spouse Live

Where Does Mother Live

Where Does Father Live

Where Does Step Mother/Foster Mother Live

Where Does Step Father/Foster Father Live

Where Do Daughter(s) Live

Where Do Son(s) Live

Where Do Sister(s) Live

Where Do Brother(s) Live

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Which Christian religious community do you belong to?

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In the last year, that is, in 2014, have you personally given money or financial support to relatives or other people outside this household?

Multiple answers possible!

To parents / parents-in-law.

To parents / parents-in-law. in euros

To parents / parents-in-law. Germany

To parents / parents-in-law. Abroad

To children (also son-in-law / daughter-in-law)

To children (also son-in-law / daughter-in-law) in euros

[children (also son-in-law / daughter-in-law)] Germany

[children (also son-in-law / daughter-in-law)] Abroad

To spouse or divorced spouse

To spouse or divorced spouse

To spouse or divorced spouse
To other relatives

- (Geschiedener) Ehepartner lebt in Deutschland
- Spouse Lives In Germany
- (Geschiedener) Ehepartner lebt im Ausland
- Spouse Lives In Foreign Country
- Payments To Other Relatives
- Payments To Relatives Previous Yr

To other relatives in euros

- Amt. Of Payments To Other Relatives
- Amt. Of Payments To Other Relatives
  (harmonized)
- Euro Betrag an sonstige Verwandte (Euro)

To other relatives in Germany

To other relatives Abroad

To non-relatives

- Relatives Live In Germany
- Relatives Live In Germany
- Relatives Live In Germany
- Relatives Live In Foreign Country
- Relatives Live In Foreign Country
- Payments To Others
- Payments To Others

To non-relatives in euros

- Amount Of Payments To Others
- Amount Of Payments To Others
  (harmonized)
- Betrag an nicht Verwandte (Euro)

No, I have not given any money or financial support of this kind

- Unrelated Persons Live In Germany
- Others Live In Germany
- Others Live In Germany
- Others Live In Foreign Country
- Others Live In Foreign Country
- No Payments Previous Yr
- No Payments Previous Yr
This is the end of the individual questionnaire. Thank you for the interview! But we do have one last request. It is increasingly important for scientific research to have information about people’s employment histories and to consider this data in statistical analyses. To this end, we would like to link the survey data from this interview with the social insurance data from the Institute for Employment Research (IAB). This is only possible under German data protection law with your express permission. Of course, the decision is entirely up to you. Please take a moment to read the form.

The respondent agreed
The respondent did not agree

### Implementation of the interview

#### A. What's the date today?

Day       Month       Hour       Minute

A:pdatt bgp bgptagin Day Of Interview
A:pdatt bgp_mig bgpmtagin day of interview
A:pdatt pl ptagin Day Of Interview
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#### B. How was the survey implemented?

Oral interview

B:pform bgp bgpinta Survey Instrument
B:pform bgp_mig bgpminta muendliche befragungsform
B:pform pl pinta_v2 Befragungsform (ab 1985)
C Duration of the interview:
The oral (complete or partial) interview lasted ... minutes
C:pdauer3 bgp bgpmdauer3 Interview Length Oral
C:pdauer3 bgp_mig bgpmdauer3 Interview Duration
C:pl pdauer3 Interview Duration

D Were other persons present while filling out the questionnaire?
Yes, partner 1
Yes, other person (except interviewer) 2
No 3
D:panw bgp bgpanw further persons present
D:panw bgp_mig bgpmanw anwesenheit anderer personen beim ausfüllen
D:panw pl p_anw_v2 Weitere Personen anwesend (ab 2016)

E 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
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I confirm the correct implementation of the interview:

Account number

Other notes

List number

Lfd. number