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Reading Aid

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

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 information is 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 Migration Sample Continuation (M1 + M2) Survey 2017  
Personal questionnaire for beginners. This questionnaire is intended for all household members born in 1999 and earlier. Your cooperation is voluntary. However, the scientific significance of this study depends crucially on the cooperation of all persons in all households. Therefore, we therefore cordially request you to give our coworker this interview.

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

- **Household Number:**
- **Person number:**
- **Current Wave HH Number (=HHNRAKT):**
- **Current Household Number (Household ID):**
- **Person Number Surveyed:**
- **Serial Person Number:**
- **First Name:**

**intro1 Country of Origin**

1  Your sex and date of birth:

- **Male**
- **Female**

- **Day**
- **Month**
- **Year 19...**

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2 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.*

3 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

4 Were both of your parents born in Germany?

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

No 2
Yes 1

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

Yes 1
No 2

intro2 Journey 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.

**Year**

**Month**

Moved to Germany

Moved to another country

Which country did you move to?

- Ethnic Germans (Aussiedler), in other words, people of German descent
- German citizens who were born and grew up abroad.
- Citizens of EU or EEA countries (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Switzerland) to which free movement of persons applied at the time of entry
- 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
- Citizens of other countries

When you moved to Germany, which group did you belong to?

- Au-pairs and interns are considered employed.
- Employed.
- Job-seeker
- Student or trainee
- Family reunification (for example, as the spouse or child of someone with a residence permit)
- Tourist
- None of the above
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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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11 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
Asylum-seeker or refugee 5
Tourist 6
None of the above -1

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12 When you moved to Germany as a job-seeker, what group did you belong to?
Seasonal laborer / contractor 1
Highly skilled worker / scientist / other specialist subject to special conditions for facilitated entry 2
Skilled worker after priority check by the Federal Employment Agency 3
Other worker after priority check by Federal Employment Agency 4
Intern, trainee, or au pair 5
Self-employed / entrepreneur 6
Other -1

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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  
Yes, I had already an employment contract in Germany  
Yes, I had a freelance work assignment in Germany  
No, I had not found anything yet  
I had not looked for a new job in Germany yet  
Does not apply, was a child

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  
Yes, back to the country where I was born  
Yes, to another country

[Yes to another country] please state:
### 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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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
3:LGEBD=2

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  3
Yes, back to the country where I was born  2
No, directly to Germany  1
Move 08: Germany or other country?

Move 09: Germany or other country?

Move 10: Germany or other country?

Move 11: Germany or other country?

Move 12: Germany or other country?

Move 13: Germany or other country?

Move 14: Germany or other country?

Move 15: Germany or other country?

[Yes, to another country] Please state:

Country of move 01

Country of move 02

Country of move 03

Country of move 04

Country of move 05

Country of move 06

Country of move 07

Country of move 08

Country of move 09

Country of move 10

Country of move 11

Country of move 12

Country of move 13

Country of move 14

Country of move 15

When did you move to Germany?

If you don’t remember exactly, please estimate!

Year

Month

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How did you move to the other country?

Ethnic Germans (Aussiedler), in other words, people of German descent

German citizens who were born and grew up abroad.

Citizens of EU or EEA countries (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Switzerland) to which free movement of persons applied at the time of entry

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

Citizens of other countries
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.**

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. Tourist
6. None of the above
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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Labor force group at re-entry 10 to Germany (freedom of move)  ALL@24
Labor force group at re-entry 11 to Germany (freedom of move)  ALL@24
Labor force group at re-entry 12 to Germany (freedom of move)  ALL@24
Labor force group at re-entry 13 to Germany (freedom of move)  ALL@24
Labor force group at re-entry 14 to Germany (freedom of move)  ALL@24
Labor force group at re-entry 15 to Germany (freedom of move)  ALL@24
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
Asylum-seeker or refugee: 5
Tourist: 6
None of the above: -1
When you moved to Germany as a job-seeker, what group did you belong to?

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

Labor force group at re-entry 01 to Germany (no freedom of move)
Labor force group at re-entry 02 to Germany (no freedom of move)
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Labor force group at re-entry 10 to Germany (no freedom of move)
Labor force group at re-entry 11 to Germany (no freedom of move)
Labor force group at re-entry 12 to Germany (no freedom of move)
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
- Yes, I had already an employment contract in Germany
- Yes, I had a freelance work assignment in Germany
- No, I had not found anything yet
- I had not looked for a new job in Germany yet
- Does not apply, was a child
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

Dummy-Variable: Town ZP, parents or grandparents

- ZP: 1
- parents: 2
- Grandparents: 3
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.

Town
Closest city:
Federal state:

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 refugees, asylum seeker, ethnic German immigrant)
Because of the low rent
Temporary job or training had come to an end
Because of the convenient location (close to work, campus)
Other reasons

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.

Yes
No

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./*

Town
Closest city:
Federal state:

What was the main reason for [you]* [your parents]** [your grandparents]*** choosing this town as [your]* [their]** first home?
Because family members lived there
Because friends and acquaintances lived there
Placed there by a government agency (for example as a refugees, asylum seeker, ethnic German immigrant)
Because of the low rent
Temporary job or training had come to an end
Because of the convenient location (close to work, campus)
Other reasons
intro3 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

Month
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  
As a spouse, child, or other family member  
As a student or vocational trainee  
As a job-seeker  
In a different way
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

[To another country] please state:

[In a different way] Please state:

To Germany or to other country after stay 01 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 02 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 03 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 04 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 05 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 06 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 07 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 08 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 09 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 10 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 11 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 12 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 13 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 14 abroad?
To Germany or to other country after stay 15 abroad?

[To another country] please state:
39 When did you move to Germany?

If you don't remember exactly, please estimate!

Year

Month

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39:l1a02x biol lm0042l07 Year of return 07 to Germany
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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Another Move abroad 01?
Another Move abroad 02?
Another Move abroad 03?
Another Move abroad 04?
Another Move abroad 05?
Another Move abroad 06?
Another Move abroad 07?
Another Move abroad 08?
Another Move abroad 09?
Another Move abroad 10?
Another Move abroad 11?
Another Move abroad 12?
Another Move abroad 13?
Another Move abroad 14?
Another Move abroad 15?

[Yes, to another country] Please state:

Country of stay 01 abroad
Country of stay 02 abroad
Country of stay 03 abroad
Country of stay 04 abroad
Country of stay 05 abroad
Country of stay 06 abroad
Country of stay 07 abroad
Country of stay 08 abroad
Country of stay 09 abroad
Country of stay 10 abroad
Country of stay 11 abroad
Country of stay 12 abroad
Country of stay 13 abroad
Country of stay 14 abroad
Country of stay 15 abroad
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?

In the year ...
What citizenship did you have before?

What is your country of citizenship?

Are you currently a citizen of the EU or the European Economic Area?
The European Economic Area includes the countries of Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, and Switzerland.

Do you have permanent residence in Germany (right of permanent residence in the EU)?

What is your residence status in Germany?

Do you want to stay in Germany forever?
52. How long do you want to stay in Germany?
A year at the most 1
A few more years 2
52:pnat11 bhp bhp_203_01 How Long in Germany
52:pnat11 pl plj0086 How Long Wish To Remain Germany
How many?
years
52:pnat12 bhp bhp_203_02 How Many Years
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Don’t know 1
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53. Time and again people are discriminated against or persecuted because of their political
condictions, 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
53:ppoldis bhp bhp_53_q55 Victim Of Discrimination/Persecution
53:ppoldis pl plm0505 Victim Of Discrimination/Persecution

54. Have you or your family ever been dispossessed due to war or persecution?
Yes 1
No 2
54:pkrient bhp bhp_54_q55 Dispossessed Due To War
54:pkrient pl plm0506 Dispossessed Due To War

55. How often in the last two years have you felt discriminated against here in Germany
because of your ethnic origins?
Frequently 1
Seldom 2
Never 3
55:pna09 bhp bhp_201 Experience: disadvantages due to origin
55:pna09 pl plj0048_v1 Disadvantages Due To Origin (1996-2017)
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?

No 2
Yes 1

What about you…?
How well do you know German?

Speaking
Writing
Reading

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

Speaking
Writing
Reading

Here in Germany, what language do you speak with …

your family members
your friends
at work
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
Yes, in Germany
Yes, both
No

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!

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Employed before moving to Germany

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

Work before moving to Germany
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

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.”*

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

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: 
**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 |
| Far below average | 5 |

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

... hours per week

**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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**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 1
Through an employment office / agency in my home country 2
Through an employment agency for foreigners 3
Through a private job agency 4
Through a job advertisement in the newspaper 5
An advertisement on the Internet 6
Through acquaintances, friends, or relatives 7
Through business relationships in Germany 8
Was self-employed in my first job 9
Other 10
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]

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

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

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

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

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

1. Occupational Status in Germany
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 bhlela bhb_81_02_q55
81:pdzarb biol lm0603i01 1. Status: Blue-Collar Worker

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 bhlela bhb_81_07_q55
81:pdzang biol lm0603i02 1. Status: White-Collar Worker

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

Self-employed farmer none employees 1-9 employees 10 or more employees 1
Freelance professional, self-employed academic (selbständiger Akademiker) 1

Other self-employed 1

81:pdzsst1 bhlela bhb_81_03_q55
81:pdzsst1 biol lm0601i01 1. Status: Self-Employed Farmer
81:pdzsst2 bhlela bhb_81_04_q55
81:pdzsst2 biol lm0601i02 1. Status: Freelance Professional
81:pdzsst3 bhlela bhb_81_05_q55
81:pdzsst3 biol lm0601i03 1. Status: Other Self-Employed

Family member working for self-employed relative

none employees 1

81:pdzsst4 bhlela bhb_81_06_q55
81:pdzsst4 biol lm0601i04 1. Status: Working Family Member

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

Lower level 1
Middle level 2
Upper level 3
Executive level 4

81:pdzamt bhlela bhb_81_08_q55
81:pdzamt biol lm0603i03 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

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

- Yes
- No

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, more than once
- No

What year did you switch to your current or last occupation?
**intro8 Relationship at the time of moving to Germany**

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

- Yes 1
- No 2

87:pdbez2 bhlela bhb_87_q55 2@106
87:pdbez2 biol lm0222 Steady Relationship Before Migration 2@106

88 Did this relationship continue after you moved to Germany?

- Yes 1
- No 2

88:pdbez3 bhlela bhb_88_q55 2@106
88:pdbez3 biol lm0223 Steady Relationship Continued After Migration 2@106

**title02** 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 1
- I was 2
- Both to an equal extent 3

89:pdbez8 bhlela bhb_89_q55 1@91
89:pdbez8 biol lm0283 Driving Force Migration 1@91

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

- Yes 1
- No 2

90:pdbez9 bhlela bhb_90_q55 ALL@92
90:pdbez9 biol lm0284 Migration to Germany Also Without Partner ALL@92

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

- Yes 1
- No 2

91:pdbez10 bhlela bhb_91_q55
91:pdbez10 biol lm0285 Migration Partner Alone
92 Are you still in this relationship today?
Yes 1
No 2
92:pdbez12 bhlela bhb_92_q55 1@106
92:pdbez12 biol lm0507 Still In this Relationship 1@106

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 1
I moved to Germany before my partner 2
My partner moved to Germany before me 3
We moved to Germany at the same time 4
My (then) partner still lives in my country of origin 5
93:1 bhlela bhb_93_q55 (4@95) (5@106)
93:1 biol lm0224 Who Moved to Germany First, Together (4@95) (5@106)

94 When did your partner move to Germany?
Year
94:pdbez5 bhlela bhb_94_01_q55
94:pdbez5 biol lm0225i01 Partner Migration Year
94:pdbez5a bhlela bhb_94_02_q55
94: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
95:pdbez7 bhlela bhb_95_q55
95:pdbez7 biol lm0227 Time Partner Employed

intro9 Employment

96 How old were you when you first started working?
... years old
96:1erw bhlela bbb_63_01 Age When Went To Work
Have not yet held a job / have not yet completed in-service training 1
96:1no bhlela bbb_63_02 1@113
96:1no biol lb0248 Never Employed 1@113
97 Are you still doing the same type of work today?
Yes 1
No 2

97:1erw bhlela bhb_64 Same activity today 2@100
97:1erw biol lb1020

98 Do you still have the same occupational status today as you did in your first job?
Yes 1
No 2

98:1erwst bhlela bhb_65_01 Same job today 2@100
98:1erwst biol lb1019

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?
Yes 1
No 2

99:1erwag bhlela bhb_65_02 Heute noch selber Arbeitgeber (harmonisiert) 1@113
99:1erwag biol lb0249_h Heute noch selber Arbeitgeber [2001-2017] 1@113

100 What occupational status did you have at that time (in your first job)?
Blue-collar worker (Arbeiter) (also in agriculture) 1
Self-employed (including family members working for the self-employed) 2
White-collar worker (Angestellte) 3
Civil servant or public administration employee (including judges and professional soldiers) 4
No answer -1

100:1stell bhlela bhb_67_01 Occupational Position
100:1stell biol lb1021

100:1arb bhlela bhb_67_02 Type Of Blue-Collar Worker
100:1arb biol lb0250

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

Self-employed farmer none employees 1-9 employees 10 or more employees
1 2 3

Freelance professional, self-employed academic (selbständiger Akademiker)
1 2 3

Other self-employed
1 2 3

100:1sst1 bhlela bhb_67_03 Self-Employed Farmer
100:1sst1 biol lb0252
100:1sst2 bhlela bhb_67_04 Profession, Self-Employed Academic
100:1sst2 biol lb0253
100:1sst3 bhlela bhb_67_05 Other Type Of Self-Employment
100:1sst3 biol lb0254
Family member working for self-employed relative

Employee

Salaried employee engaged in unskilled activities without completed training / education

Salaried employee engaged in unskilled activities with completed training/education

Salaried employee engaged in skilled activities (e.g., executive officer, bookkeeper, technical draftsman)

Salaried employee engaged in highly skilled activities or managerial function (e.g., scientist, engineer, department head)

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

Lower level

Middle level

Upper level

Executive level

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

Required Training For Job
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<td><strong>106</strong> Are you gainfully employed at the present time?</td>
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<td><strong>107</strong> When was the last year in which you were gainfully employed?</td>
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**108** Were you last employed full-time, part-time, or marginally in your last job?

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<td>Part-time (20 to 34 hours per week)</td>
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<td>Marginally or irregularly</td>
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**109** Was the company where you held your last job part of the public sector or public administration?

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**110** What 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!*

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<td>Skilled and specialist worker</td>
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<td>Foreman / forewoman</td>
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<td>Master craftsperson</td>
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<td>1-9 employees</td>
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<td>Freelance professional, self-employed academic, (selbständiger Akademiker)</td>
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**Family member working for self-employed relative**

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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.
intro10 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

113:lv m bhlela bhb_26 1@129
113:lv m biol lb0077 Mother and Father live in HH 1@129

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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<th>Lives in this city / town</th>
<th>Lives elsewhere in the former West Germany</th>
<th>Lives elsewhere in the former East Germany</th>
<th>Lives elsewhere in another country, not in Germany</th>
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<td>Father if not living in the household</td>
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<td>Mother if not living in the household</td>
<td>1</td>
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114:lv01 bhlela bhb_27_01
114:lv01 biol lb0078_v2 Lives elsewhere in the former West Germany
114:lm01 bhlela bhb_27_02 Where Does Father Live [2000-2017]

[Father] Is deceased: died in the year.
[Mother] Is deceased: died in the year.

114:lv02 biol lb0080_h Year Of Death - Father (harmonized)
114:lv02 biol lb0080_v1 Year Of Death - Father [1999-2017]
114:lm02 biol lb0081_h Year Of Death - Mother (harmonized)
114:lm02 biol lb0081_v1 Todesjahr Mutter (vierstellig) [1999-2017]

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

[Father]  
[Mother]  

115:lv03 biol lb0082_h Year Of Birth - Father (harmonized)
115:lv03 biol lb0082_v1 Geburtsjahr Vater (vierstellig) [1999-2017]
115:lm03 biol lb0083_h Year Of Birth - Mother (harmonized)
115:lm03 biol lb0083_v1 Geburtsjahr Mutter (vierstellig) [1999-2017]
Was your father / mother born in Germany?

[Father] Yes

[Father] No: please state country of birth

When did your father / mother move to Germany?

When did your father / mother move to Germany?

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

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

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

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<th>Completed compulsory education</th>
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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)

- Unskilled worker
- Semi-skilled worker
- Skilled worker and craftsmen
- Foreman / forewoman
- Master craftsman

[Father] 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 (Angestellter mit einfacher Tätigkeit) - 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

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

- Lower level
- Middle level
- Upper level
- Executive level

[Father] Self-employed (including family members working for the self-employed)
[Self-employed farmer:] without employees
[Self-employed farmer:] with employees

[Freelance professional, self-employed academic (selbständiger Akademiker):] without employees
[Freelance professional, self-employed academic (selbständiger Akademiker):] with employees

[Other self-employed:] without employees
[Other self-employed:] with employees

Family member working for self-employed relative

Father
Was not economically active
Was deceased

Mother
Blue-collar worker (Arbeiter) (also in agriculture)
Unskilled worker
Semi-skilled worker
Skilled worker and craftsmen
Foreman / forewoman
Master craftsman

White-collar worker (Angestellte)
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Civil servant or public administration employee (including judges and professional soldiers)
Lower level
Middle level
Upper level
Executive level
124:lm10 bhlela bhb_34_06 113:lvm=2|4
124:lm10 biol lb0119  Mother: Type Of Civil Servant 113:lvm=2|4

[Mother] Self-employed (including family members working for the self-employed)
[Self-employed farmer:] without employees 1
[Self-employed farmer:] with employees 2
[Freelance professional, self-employed academic (selbständiger Akademiker):] without employees 3
[Freelance professional, self-employed academic (selbständiger Akademiker):] with employees 4
[Other self-employed:] without employees 5
[Other self-employed:] with employees 6
Family member working for self-employed relative 7

124:lm11 bhlela bhb_34_08 113:lvm=2|4
124:lm11 biol lb0121_h  Mother: Type Of Self-Employment (harmonized) 113:lvm=2|4

[Mother]
Was not economically active 1
Was deceased 2

124:lm12 bhlela bhb_34_10 113:lvm=2|4
124:lm12 biol lb0123  Mother: Not Employed 113:lvm=2|4

125 If applicable: What was your father’s / mother’s occupation when you were 15 years old?
Please state the specific occupational title:
Father
Mother

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

<table>
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<th>[Father]</th>
<th>Yes, a Christian religious community</th>
<th>Yes, to an Islamic religious community</th>
<th>Yes, to another religious community</th>
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126:lv13a biol lb1241_v2  Religion Father [2014-2017] 113:lvm=3|4 (2@128) (3|4@129)

126:lm13a bhlela bhb_126_02_q55 113:lvm=2|4 (2@128) (3|4@129)
126:lm13a biol lb1188_h  Religion Mother (harmonized) 113:lvm=2|4 (2@128) (3|4@129)
126:lm13a biol lb1188_v2  Religion Mother [2014-2017] 113:lvm=2|4 (2@128) (3|4@129)
Which Christian religious community does or did your father / mother belong to?

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<th></th>
<th>The Catholic Church</th>
<th>A protestant church</th>
<th>The Eastern Orthodox Church</th>
<th>Another Christian religious community</th>
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<td>[Father]</td>
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<td>[Mother]</td>
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Religion Father: Christian (harmonized) [2014-2017]
Religion Mother: Christian (harmonized) [2014-2017]

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

<table>
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<tr>
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<th>The Shiite religious community</th>
<th>The Sunni religious community</th>
<th>The Alevi religious community</th>
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Religion Father: Muslim
Religion Mother: Muslim

Where did you spend the majority of your childhood up to the age of 15? Was it ...
in a large city
in a medium-sized city
in a small town
in a rural area

Do you still live in the same city or area today?
Yes, I still do
Yes, I have moved back
No
131 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

Sum total of all years (please check!) 15 years

132 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

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

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<tr>
<th></th>
<th>Very often</th>
<th>Often</th>
<th>Sometimes</th>
<th>Seldom</th>
<th>Never</th>
<th>Parent was not there</th>
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<td>With my father</td>
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<td>3</td>
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<td>6</td>
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<tr>
<td>With my mother</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>2</td>
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Were you actively involved in musical activities growing up? For example, did you sing or play a musical instrument?

Yes 1
No   2

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?

Most important sport:

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.

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<td>60 Years Old</td>
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<td>65 Years Old</td>
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At the age of ... I was:
intro12 Your Education and Degrees / Certifications

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)!

Where did you last attend school? Was it...

in one of the Bundesländer (federal states) of the Federal Republic of Germany?
in the former East Germany?
in another country?
141 How many years did you attend school?.

Years [ ]

142 What type of school-leaving certificate did you attain?

Left school without graduating
Graduated from mandatory schooling with school-leaving certificate
Graduated from higher-level secondary school with school-leaving certificate

143 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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<th>Subject</th>
<th>Very good</th>
<th>Well</th>
<th>Satisfactory</th>
<th>Unsatisfactory</th>
<th>Poor</th>
<th>Did not take this subject</th>
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What was your first foreign language?

144 In which German Bundesland (federal state) did you last attend school?

[ ]

141:lsab4 bhlela bhb_48
141:lsab4 biol lb0187 Duration Schooling (Years)

142:lsab5 bhlela bhb_49
142:lsab5 biol lb0188 School-Leaving Degree

143:lschsp1 bhlela bhb_143_01_q55
143:lschsp1 biol lm0404 Last Report Card: Grade 1. Official Language
143:lschsp2 bhlela bhb_143_02_q55
143:lschsp2 biol lm0405 Last Report Card: Grade 2. Official Language
143:lschma bhlela bhb_143_03_q55
143:lschma biol lm0408 Last Report Card: Grade Mathematics
143:lsch1sp bhlela bhb_143_04_q55
143:lsch1sp biol lm2030 Last Report Card: Grade 1. Foreign Language

144:lsab6 bhlela bhb_50_02
144:lsab6 biol lb0190 Federal State School
**145 What type of school-leaving certificate did you attain?**

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<td>Vocational school (Fachoberschule)</td>
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<td>Upper track (Abitur / Hochschulreife)</td>
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<td>Other school-leaving certificate</td>
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**146 Can you remember your last report card from school? What were your grades in the following three subjects?**

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<th>Excellent</th>
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**147 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?**

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<td>Approximately one-fourth</td>
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<td>Fewer than one-fourth</td>
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<td>None</td>
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**Additional Codes:**
- `145:lsab7 bhlela bhb_51_01` School-Leaving Degree
- `146:lsch1 bhlela bhb_39_01` Grade German
- `146:lsch2 bhlela bhb_39_02` Grade Mathematics
- `146:lsch3 bhlela bhb_39_03` Grade 1. Foreign Language
- `147:lsab10 bhlela bhb_52` How Many Pupils Foreign (harmonized)
148 Do you intend to attain a school-leaving certificate in the future?
Yes, maybe 1
Yes, definitely 2
No 3

148:lsab11 bhlela bhb_53
148:lsab11 biol lb0195_h Formal Training Certificate, Uni. Degree (harmonized) 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 / Hochschule) 4

149:lsab12 bhlela bhb_54
149:lsab12 biol lb1339 Art angestrebter Schulabschluss

150 Have you completed vocational training or university studies in Germany?
Yes 1
No 2

150:lab01 bhlela bhb_55
150:lab01 biol lb0197 Vocational Training In Germany 2@152

151 What type of vocational or university degree did you attain and when did you attain it?
Multiple answers possible!

151:lab02 bhlela bhb_56_01
151:lab02 bhlela bhb_56_29
151:lab02 biol lb0212 Apprenticeship/ Vocational Training Completed
151:lab02 biol lb0226 Total Item-Nonresponse
151:lab03 bhlela bhb_56_04
151:lab03 biol lb0214 Specialized Vocational School
151:lab04 bhlela bhb_56_07
151:lab04 biol lb0216 Specialized Technical School
151:lab05 bhlela bhb_56_10
151:lab05 biol lb0218 Civil Servant Training
151:lab06 bhlela bhb_56_14
151:lab06 biol lb0220 Engineering School, Career Training Academy
151:lab07 bhlela bhb_56_18
151:lab07 biol lb0222 University, College
151:lab08 bhlela bhb_56_22
151:lab08 biol lb0574 Doctorate
151:lab08 bhlela bhb_56_26
151:lab08 biol lb0224 Other Type Of Education Completed
Vocational, Specialist Training Completed (Month)

Specialized Vocational School (Year)

Trade Or Technical School (Year)

Civil Servant Education (Year)

Engineering School, Career Training Academy (Year)

University, College (Year)

Doctorate (Year)

Other Type Of Education Completed (Year)
Completed Specialized Vocational Training [lab03x] (ISCO-88, 4-digits)
Completed Specialized Vocational Training [lab03x] (ISCO-88, 4-digits)
Completed Specialized Vocational Training [lab03x] (KldB 2010, 5-digits)
Completed Specialized Vocational Training [lab03x] (KldB 92, 4-digits)
Completed Specialized Technical School [lab04x] (ISCO-08, 4-digits)
Completed Specialized Technical School [lab04x] (ISCO-88, 4-digits)
Completed Specialized Technical School [lab04x] (KldB 2010, 5-digits)
Completed Specialized Technical School [lab04x] (KldB 92, 4-digits)
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Completed Civil Servant Training [lab05x] (KldB 92, 4-digits)
Other Training [lab08x] (ISCO-08 COM, 4-digits)
Other Training [lab08x] (ISCO-88 COM, 4-digits)
Other Training [lab08x] (KldB 2010, 5-digits)
Other Training [lab08x] (KldB 92, 4-digits)
### 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** bhlela bhb_57

**152:lab10** bhp bhp_152_q55 Training, Education Abroad

**152:lab10** biol lb0228 Vocational Training Outside Germany

**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 received in-house training at a company | 1 |
| I completed an extended apprenticeship at a company. | 1 |
| I attended a vocational training school | 1 |
| I attended a university / college with a more practical orientation | 1 |
| I attended a university / college with a more theoretical orientation | 1 |
| I completed doctoral studies | 1 |

**Other training**

| 153:lab11 bhlela bhb_58_01 |
| 153:lab11 bhlela bhb_58_06 |
| 153:lab11 biol lb0229 | Abroad: In-House Training Company |
| 153:lab11 biol lb0234 | Total Item-Nonresponse |
| 153:lab12 bhlela bhb_58_02 |
| 153:lab12 biol lb0230 | Abroad: Long Term Vocational Training in Company |
| 153:lab13 bhlela bhb_58_03 |
| 153:lab13 biol lb0231 | Abroad: Vocational School |
| 153:lab141 bhlela bhb_153_01_q55 |
| 153:lab141 biol lm0071i01 | Abroad: University/College Practical Apprenticeship |
| 153:lab142 bhlela bhb_153_02_q55 |
| 153:lab142 biol lm0071i02 | Abroad: University/College Practical Apprenticeship |
| 153:lab143 bhlela bhb_153_03_q55 |
| 153:lab143 biol lm0071i03 | Abroad: Doctorate |
| 153:lab15 bhlela bhb_58_05 |
| 153:lab15 biol lb0233 | Abroad: Other |

### 154 I was trained in a company

| ended with successful qualification | 1 |
| ended without qualification | 2 |

**154:lab11a bhlela bhb_154_01_q55**

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

| In which year did you end this training? | 153:lab11=1 |
| 154:lab11j bhlela bhhb_154_02_q55 |
| 154:lab11j biol lm0072i01 | Ausland: in Betrieb angelernt: Jahr des Abschlusses |

| Please state your (planned) occupation or profession | 1 |

| How long did this training last? | 153:lab11=1 |
| Years | |
| months | |

**154:lab11dj bhlela bhb_154_04_q55**

**154:lab11dj biol lm0076i01** Training Outside Germany: Years
I completed an extended apprenticeship at a company ended with successful qualification

Ended without qualification

In which year did you end this training?

Please state your (planned) occupation or profession

How long did this training last?

I attended a vocational training school ended with successful qualification

Ended without qualification

In which year did you end this training?

Please state your (planned) occupation or profession

How long did this training last?

I attended a university / college with a more practical orientation ended with successful qualification

Ended without qualification

In what year did you (or will you) complete this course of study or occupational training?
Please state your (planned) occupation or profession
Please also state major field of study:
How long did this training last?

**Years**

**Months**

154:lab141dj bhlela bhb_154_20_q55

154:lab141dj bhlela lm0076i04 Studies Outside Germany: Years

154:lab141dm bhlela bhb_154_21_q55

154:lab141dm bhlela lm0076i11 Studies Outside Germany: Months

I attended a college / university with a more theoretical orientation
ended with successful qualification 1

Ended without qualification 2

154:lab142a bhlela bhb_154_22_q55

154:lab142a bhlela lm2050 Abroad: University/College theoretical

Appr.: completed how

In which year did you end this training?
Please state your (planned) occupation or profession
Please also state major field of study:
How long did this training last?

**Years**

**Months**

154:lab142dj bhlela bhb_154_26_q55

154:lab142dj bhlela lm0076i05 Studies Outside Germany: Years

154:lab142dm bhlela bhb_154_27_q55

154:lab142dm bhlela lm0076i12 Studies Outside Germany: Months

I completed doctoral studies
ended with successful qualification 1

Ended without qualification 2

154:lab143a bhlela bhb_154_28_q55

154:lab143a bhlela lm2054 Abroad: Doctoral Studies: Completed

How

In which year did you end this training?
Please state your (planned) occupation or profession
Please also state major field of study:
How long did this training last?

**Years**

**Months**

154:lab143dj bhlela bhb_154_32_q55

154:lab143dj bhlela lm0076i06 Doctoral Outside Germany: Years

154:lab143dm bhlela bhb_154_33_q55

154:lab143dm bhlela lm0076i13 Doctoral Outside Germany: Months

Other training
ended with successful qualification 1

Ended without qualification 2

154:lab15a bhlela bhb_154_34_q55

154:lab15a bhlela lm2058 Abroad: Other Training: completed how

In which year did you end this training?
154:lab15j bhlela bhb_154_35_q55
154:lab15j biol lm0072i07 Ausland: sonstige Ausbildung: Jahr des Abschlusses

Please state your (planned) occupation or profession

How long did this training last?

Years

months

154:lab15dj bhlela bhb_154_37_q55
154:lab15dj biol lm0076i07 Doctoral Outside Germany: Years

154:lab15dm bhlela bhb_154_38_q55
154:lab15dm biol lm0076i14 Doctoral Outside Germany: Months

155 Did you apply to have your degree recognized in Germany?

Yes

No

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155:laner bhp bhp_155_02_q55 Applied for Recognition (2)

155:laner bhp bhp_155_03_q55 Applied for Recognition (3)

155:laner bhp bhp_155_04_q55 Applied for Recognition (4)

155:laner bhp bhp_155_05_q55 Applied for Recognition (5)

155:laner bhp bhp_155_06_q55 Applied for Recognition (6)

155:laner bhp bhp_155_07_q55 Applied for Recognition (7)

155:laner pl plm0074l01 Applied for Recognition of 1. Leaving Certificate

155:laner pl plm0074l02 Applied for Recognition of 2. Leaving Certificate


155:laner pl plm0074l05 Applied for Recognition of 5. Leaving Certificate


156 For which German profession did you apply for recognition of your qualifications?

Month

Year

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156:lanerm bhp bhp_157_03_q55 Foreign Certificate Accepted, Month (2)

156:lanerm bhp bhp_157_05_q55 Foreign Certificate Accepted, Month (3)

156:lanerm bhp bhp_157_07_q55 Foreign Certificate Accepted, Month (4)

156:lanerm bhp bhp_157_09_q55 Foreign Certificate Accepted, Month (5)

156:lanerm bhp bhp_157_11_q55 Application for Recognition (6)

156:lanerm bhp bhp_157_13_q55 Application for Recognition (7)

156:lanerm pl plm0077j01 Applied for Recognition of 1. Leaving Certificate, Month

156:lanerm pl plm0077j02 Applied for Recognition of 2. Leaving Certificate, Month

156:lanerm pl plm0077j03 Applied for Recognition of 3. Leaving Certificate, Month

156:lanerm pl plm0077j04 Applied for Recognition of 4. Leaving Certificate, Month

156:lanerm pl plm0077j05 Applied for Recognition of 5. Leaving Certificate, Month

156:lanerm pl plm0077j06 Applied for Recognition of 6. Leaving Certificate, Month

156:lanerm pl plm0077j07 Applied for Recognition of 7. Leaving Certificate, Month

156:lanerj bhp bhp_157_02_q55 Foreign Certificate Accepted, Year

156:lanerj bhp bhp_157_04_q55 Foreign Certificate Accepted, Year (2)

156:lanerj bhp bhp_157_06_q55 Foreign Certificate Accepted, Year (3)
157:lanerj  bhp  bhp_157_08_q55  Foreign Certificate Accepted, Year (4)
157:lanerj  bhp  bhp_157_10_q55  Foreign Certificate Accepted, Year (5)
157:lanerj  bhp  bhp_157_12_q55  Application for Recognition (6)
157:lanerj  bhp  bhp_157_14_q55  Application for Recognition (7)
157:lanerj  pl  plm0078101  Applied for Recognition of 1. Leaving Certificate, Year
157:lanerj  pl  plm0078102  Applied for Recognition of 2. Leaving Certificate, Year
157:lanerj  pl  plm0078103  Applied for Recognition of 3. Leaving Certificate, Year
157:lanerj  pl  plm0078104  Applied for Recognition of 4. Leaving Certificate, Year
157:lanerj  pl  plm0078105  Applied for Recognition of 5. Leaving Certificate, Year
157:lanerj  pl  plm0078107  Applied for Recognition of 7. Leaving Certificate, Year

158  Is this occupation regulated? In other words, are you required by law to be licensed or certified to practice your profession?
Yes 1
No 2
Don’t know 3
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159  Have you received notification of the final decision granting or refusing recognition of your degree or qualification?
Yes 1
No 2
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159:lanerb  pl  plm0098105  Assessment approval/refusal ending 2@168
159:lanerb  pl  plm0098106  Assessment approval/refusal ending 2@168
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160. And when did you receive notification of the final decision granting or refusing recognition of your degree or qualification?

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162. 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

162: bhp_162_01_q55 Take Part In Compensatory Measure
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163. Did your notification recommend supplementary training (Anpassungsqualifizierung)?

Yes
No

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

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166танераб bhp bhp_166_07_q55 Correspondence with degree in home country

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

The recognition is not important to me because I don’t see it as having any added value for me on the labor market

I don’t know how and where to apply for recognition

I don’t how to pay for the recognition

I don’t have some of the documents that are needed to obtain recognition

The recognition process is too bureaucratic / time-consuming

I have no prospect of recognition of my statements.

Other reasons

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168. Do you intend to complete vocational / occupational training or attain a university degree in the future?

Yes, maybe
Yes, definitely
No

169. Which of the following degrees do you plan to attain?

*Multiple answers possible*

- 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

169:lab20 bhlela bhb_62_01 Completed Apprenticeship
169:lab20 biol lb0239_h Full-Time Vocation School
169:lab21 biol lb0240_h Higher Level Trade And Technical School
169:lab22 biol lb0241_h Civil Servant Training
169:lab24 biol lb0243_h Accredited Career Training Academy
169:lab25 biol lb0244_h Engineering School
169:lab26 biol lb0245_h University
intro13 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

No

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.

Birth year

Month
Month of Birth Sibling 5
Month of Birth Sibling 6
Month of Birth Sibling 7
Month of Birth Sibling 8
Month of Birth Sibling 9
Sex
Brother 1
Sister 2
Sex Sibling 1
Sex Sibling 2
Sex Sibling 3
Sex Sibling 4
Sex Sibling 5
Sex Sibling 6
Sex Sibling 7
Sex Sibling 8
Sex Sibling 9
Type of sibling
U! 1
U! 2
U! 3
U! 4
U! 5
U! 6
Type Sibling 1
Type Sibling 2
Type Sibling 3
Type Sibling 4
Type Sibling 5
Type Sibling 6
Type Sibling 7
Type Sibling 8
Type Sibling 9
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).

Yes: ... children

No, I never had children

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

Year of birth

Sex

Son

Daughter
Where does the son/daughter live today?

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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 bhlela bhb_83_01 Steady Relationship 2@172:lp1b
172:lp1a biol lb1195 Steady Relationship 2@172:lp1b

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

172:lpja bhlela bhb_83_02 172:lpja=1
172:lpja biol lb1209 Relationship Since 172:lpja=1

[A] 3. Do or did you live together? 1

172:lp2a bhlela bhb_83_03 172:lp2a=1 1@172:lehea
172:lp2a biol lb1199 Partner in HH 172:lp2a=1 1@172:lehea

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

172:lpleb1a bhlela bhb_83_04 172:lpleb1a=1
172:lpleb1a biol lb1213 Together Since 172:lpleb1a=1

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

172:lpleb5a bhlela bhb_83_05 172:lpleb5a=1
4. Do you still live together? No, we stopped living together in the year ...

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

6. Are you still married to this person? Yes, the marriage ended because of divorce ...

B: Are you currently in a relationship?

1. The relationship started in the year ...

2. The relationship ended in the year ...

3. Do or did you live together? Yes, we moved in together in the year ...
[B] 4. [Do you still live together?] Yes

[1]

[172:lp1b=1] 172:lp1b=1

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

[172:lp1b=1] 172:lp1b=1

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

[1]

[172:lp1b=1] 172:lp1b=1

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

[172:lp1b=1] 172:lp1b=1

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

[1]

ended because of divorce

[2]

ended because of death

[3]

[172:lp1b=1] 172:lp1b=1

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

[172:lp1b=1] 172:lp1b=1

Skip to [C]...

[C] Are you currently in a relationship?

Yes

[1]

No

[2]

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

[172:lp1b=1] 172:lp1b=1

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

[172:lp1b=1] 172:lp1b=1

[C] 2. The relationship ended because of separation

[1]

death

[2]

[172:lp1b=1] 172:lp1b=1

[C] 3. Do or did you live together?

[1]

[172:lp1b=1] 172:lp1b=1
[C] 3. Yes, we moved in together in the year ... [1]

172:lpleb1c bhlela bhb_83_28
172:lpleb1c biol lb1215 Year Prev. Relationship C Moved In Together 172:lp1c=1

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

172:lpleb5c bhlela bhb_83_29
172:lpleb5c biol lb1223 Still Living Together With Partner C 172:lp1c=1

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

172:lpleb3c bhlela bhb_83_30
172:lpleb3c biol lb1219 Year Prev. Relationship C Moved Out 172:lp1c=1

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

172:lehec bhlela bhb_83_31
172:lehec biol lb1107 Marriage Former Partner C 172:lp1c=1

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

172:lehe1c bhlela bhb_83_32
172:lehe1c biol lb0318_h Beginning Marriage 3 (harmonized) 172:lp1c=1
172:lehe1c biol lb0318_v2 Beginn Ehe 3 (vierstellig) [1999-2017] 172:lp1c=1

[C] 6. [Are you still married to this person?] Yes 1
ended because of divorce 2
ended because of death 3

172:lehe2c bhlela bhb_83_33
172:lehe2c biol lb0319 Marriage Status (3) 172:lp1c=1

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

172:lehe3c bhlela bhb_83_34 172:lp1c=1 ALL@172:lp1d
172:lehe3c biol lb0320_h Marriage 3 ended (harmonized) 172:lp1c=1 ALL@172:lp1d
172:lehe3c biol lb0320_v2 Ende Ehe 3 (vierstellig) (zwei jaehrig 1999-2007, 2009-2017) 172:lp1c=1 ALL@172:lp1d

Skip to [D]...

[D] Are you currently in a relationship?

Yes 1

No 2

172:lp1d bhlela bhb_83_35 2@172a
172:lp1d biol lb1198 Prev. Steady Relationship D 2@172a

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

172:lpjd bhlela bhb_83_36 172:lp1d=1
172:lpjd biol lb1212 Year Begin Prev. Relationship D 172:lp1d=1
172:lpjd biol lb1205 Year End Prev. Relationship D 172:lp1d=1

[D] 2. The relationship ended in the year ...

172:lpend1d bhlela bhb_83_37 172:lp1d=1
172:lpend1d biol lb1205 Year End Prev. Relationship D 172:lp1d=1

[D] 2. The relationship ended because of separation 1
dead 2

172:lpend2d bhlela bhb_83_38 172:lp1d=1
172:lpend2d biol lb1208 End Prev. Relationship D Breakup/Death 172:lp1d=1
### Has your relationship ended?

| 1 | Yes, we moved in together in the year ...
| 2 | No, we stopped living together in the year ...

### Have you been married to or in a registered same-sex partnership with a partner who you have not mentioned so far?

| 1 | No
| 2 | Yes, I have been married previously
| 3 | Yes, I have been in a registered same-sex partnership previously

### Other relationship/marriage

- **Marriage Former Partner D**: 172:lp1d=1
- **Still Married To Partner D**: 172:lp1d=1
- **Year Divorce Relationship D**: 172:lp1d=1
- **Year Marriage Former Partner D**: 172:lp1d=1
- **Still Living Together With Partner D**: 172:lp1d=1
- **Moved In Together**: 172:lp1d=1
- **Moved Out**: 172:lp1d=1
- **Other Relationship/Marriage**: 172:lp1d=1

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

Year

174:lehev1 bhlela bhb_174_q55

174:lehev1 biol lm0498 Marriage/Partnership

Year

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

Year

176:lehev2 bhlela bhb_176_q55

176:lehev2 biol lm0500 End

Marriage/Partnership

Year

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

[Divorce] [Annulment]. 1

Death. 2

177:lehev3 bhlela bhb_177_q55

177:lehev3 biol lm0501 Reason End

intro14 Your current life situation
178 Since what year have you personally been living in this dwelling?

Since

178:lwohnj bhlela bhb_21
178:lwohnj biol lb0280_h Moved Into Dwelling (Year) (harmonized)
178:lwohnj biol lb0280_v2 Jahr Einzug Wohnung (vierstellig) [1999-2017]

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

Yes, abroad

No

179:l2wohna bhlela bhb_22_01
179:l2wohna biol lb1022 Further Dwelling In Germany
179:l2wohnb bhlela bhb_22_02
179:l2wohnb biol lb1023 Further Dwelling Abroad
179:l2wohnc bhlela bhb_22_03
179:l2wohnc biol lb1024 No Further Dwelling

Where do you reside most of the time?

In this home

In the other home

In both approximately the same

179:l2wohn3 bhlela bhb_22_04
179:l2wohn3 biol lb0283 Use Of Home

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 ...

Completely dissatisfied      Completely satisfied

(0) (10)

(1) (9)

(2) (8)

(3) (7)

(4) (6)

(5) (5)

(6) (4)

(7) (3)

(8) (2)

(9) (1)

(if employed) – with your work situation?

With your personal income?

with your life overall?

180:pzuf22 bhp bhp_180_q55 Satisfaction with current employment status
180:pzuf05 bhp bhp_01_06 Satisfaction With Personal Income
180:pzule1 bhp bhp_205 Satisfaction At Present
180:pzule1 pl ph0182 Current Life Satisfaction
180:pzuf05 pl plj0454 Zufriedenheit mit beruf. Situation
180:pzule1 pl plh0176 Satisfaction With Personal Income
(3:LGEDB=2@181)
(3:LGEDB=1@183)
### 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 you moved to Germany?

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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)  
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

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!
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Physical activity (sport, fitness, gymnastics) [number of hours]
Other leisure activities and hobbies

Which of the following activities do you take part in during your free time? Please check off how often you do each activity: at least once a week, at least once a month, less often, never.
Going to cultural events such as concerts, theater, lectures, etc.

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Going to the movies, pop music concerts, dancing, disco, sports events

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Doing sports yourself

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Artistic or musical activities (playing music, singing, dancing, acting, painting, photography)

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Meeting with friends, relatives or neighbors

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Helping out friends, relatives or neighbors

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Volunteer work in clubs or social services

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Involvement in a citizens’ group, political party, local government

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Attending church, religious events

185:pfz1 bhp bhp_10_01 Attend Cultural Events
185:pfz1 pl pli0090_v2 Attend Opera, Classical Concerts, Theater (1985-2017)
185:pfz2 bhp bhp_10_02 Attend Cinema, Concerts/Dancing/Sports Events
185:pfz2 pl pli0091 Attend Cinema, Pop Concerts, Disco
185:pfz3 bhp bhp_10_03 Participate In Sports
185:pfz3 pl pli0092_v2 Participate In Sports (1985-2017)
185:pfz4 bhp bhp_10_04 Artistic And Musical Activities
185:pfz4 pl pli0093 Artistic Activities
185:pfz5 bhp bhp_10_05 Meeting with Friends/Neighbors
185:pfz6 bhp bhp_10_06 Help Friends/Neighbors
185:pfz7 bhp bhp_10_07 Volunteer Work
185:pfz8 bhp bhp_10_08 Citizens Group
185:pfz8 pl pli0097_v2 Participate In Local Politics (1985-2017)
185:pfz9 bhp bhp_10_09 Attend Church Or Other Religious Events
185:pfz9 pl pli0098 Attend Church Or Other Religious Events
The following questions deal with contact between people of different nationalities in Germany. So we’d like to ask you:

### In the last 12 months,

- **186** have you visited people of German origin in their home?  
  - Yes
  - No

- **186** have you visited people who are not from Germany or people whose parents are not from Germany in their homes?  
  - Yes
  - No

### In the last 12 months,

- **187** have people of German origin visited you in your home?  
  - Yes
  - No

- **187** have people who are not from Germany or people whose parents are not from Germany visited you in your home?  
  - Yes
  - No

### Imagine that you are unexpectedly given 10,000 euros. How would you use this money? How much would you save how much to give and how much to spend? You can split the amount or use it for one purpose only

- **Save:** ... euros
- **Donate:** ... euros
- **Expend:** ... euros

### Are you generally a person who is willing to take risks or do you try to avoid taking risks?

*Please tick a box on the scale, where the value 0 means not at all willing to take risks and the value 10 means very willing to take risks.*
Risk averse 1
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Risk prone 10
11
189:prisk bhp bhp_05 Readiness to assume a risk (interviewer)
189:prisk pl plh0204 Personal willingness to take risks

What would you say: How many close friends do you have?
close friends
190:pbez06 bhp bhp_06_01 Amount Of Closed Friends
190:pbez06 pl pld0047 Amount Of Closed Friends
190:pbezkol bhp bhp_06_02 Colleagues
190:pbezkol pl pld0297 Colleagues

How often do you ...
miss the company of other people?
feel left out?
feel socially isolated?

191:pgef5 bhp bhp_07_01 Feeling of Missing the Company of Others
191:pgef5 pl plh0269 Feeling of Missing the Company of Others
191:pgef6 bhp bhp_07_02 Feeling Left Out
191:pgef6 pl plh0270 Feeling Left Out
191:pgef7 bhp bhp_07_03 Feeling Socially Isolated
191:pgef7 pl plh0271 Feeling Socially Isolated

What would you say: Do the following sentences apply to you?

My first impression of people is most times true
I am often unsure in my judgement
I always know exactly why I like something
I once got too much change back and did not say anything
I am always honest to others
I have occasionally taken advantage of another person

192:peig1 bhp bhp_07a_01_q54 First impression of people is correct
192:peig1 pl plm0507/01 First impression of people is correct
192:peig2 bhp bhp_07a_02_q54 Uncertain in the judgment
192:peig2 pl plm0507/02 Uncertain in the judgment
192:peig3 bhp bhp_07a_03_q54 Know what you like
192:peig3 pl plm0507/03 Know what you like
192:peig4 bhp bhp_07a_04_q54 Too much change
People can have many different qualities—some are listed below. You will probably find that some of these descriptions fit you completely and that some do not fit you at all. Others may fit to a certain extent.

Please answer on a scale from 1 to 7, where 1 means “does not describe me at all”, and 7 meaning “describes me perfectly”.

I am:

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193:pego07 bhp bhp_08_07 Characteristic: Rather Lazy
193:pego07 pl plh0218 Tend to be lazy
193:pego08 bhp bhp_08_08 Characteristic: Sociable
193:pego08 pl plh0219 Am sociable
193:pego09 bhp bhp_08_09 Characteristic: Value Artistic, Aesthetic Experiences
193:pego09 pl plh0220 Value artistic experiences
193:pego10 bhp bhp_08_10 Characteristic: Get Nervous Easily
193:pego10 pl plh0221 Somewhat nervous
193:pego11 bhp bhp_08_11 Characteristic: Complete Tasks Efficiently
193:pego11 pl plh0222 Carry out tasks efficiently
193:pego12 bhp bhp_08_12 Characteristic: Rather Reserved
193:pego12 pl plh0223 Reserved
193:pego13 bhp bhp_08_13 Characteristic: Considerate
193:pego13 pl plh0224 Friendly with others
193:pego14 bhp bhp_08_14 Characteristic: Lively Imagination
193:pego14 pl plh0225 Have lively imagination
193:pego15 bhp bhp_08_15 Characteristic: Deal Well With Stress
193:pego15 pl plh0226 Deal well with stress
193:pego16 bhp bhp_08_16 Characteristic: Curious, Hungry for Knowledge
193:pego16 pl plh0255 inquisitive

194 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.*

Yes 1
No 2

194:p7tag bhp bhp_11 Work Last Seven Days
194:p7tag pl plb0018 Paid Work In Last 7 Days

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

Yes, maternity leave 1
Yes, parental leave 2
No 3

195:perz bhp bhp_12 Maternity, Paternity Leave
195:perz pl plb0019_v2 Mutterschutz/Elternzeit (ab 2001)

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

Yes, I am taking full-time statutory care leave 3
Yes, I am taking part-time statutory care leave 4
Yes, I am taking short-term statutory care leave (up to 10 days) 5
No 2

196:ppfleg bhp bhp_13 Statutory Care
196:ppfleg pl plb0020 Maternity, Paternity Leave
Are you officially registered unemployed at the Employment Office (Arbeitsamt)?

Yes 1
No 2

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?

Yes 1
No 2

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 (e.g., art or music college)

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

If so, from what organization?

No
Yes, Bafög
Yes, Other

Further training (Weiterbildung) / retraining (Umschulung):
Occupational retraining (berufliche Umschulung).
Further occupational training (berufliche Fortbildung).
Occupational rehabilitation (berufliche Rehabilitation).
Further general or political education

Did you take part in any further vocational training programs in 2016?

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.
201 How many further vocational training programs did you take part in 2016?

... further vocational training program(s) 

201:pwbanz bhp bhp_24 Number of Training Measures 2016
201:pwbanz pl plg0270 Number of Training Measures 2013

202 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) 

202:pwbtag bhp bhp_25 Number of Training Measures 2016, Days
202:pwbtag pl plg0271 Number of Training Measures 2013, Days

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

*If you took part in more than one vocational training program in 2016, please answer this question only for the one that seems most important to you. If the costs were shared, please mark all that apply!*

I did 1
My employer 1
Employment office / job center 1
Pension insurance 1
Employer’s insurance association 1
Other funding provider 1
The vocational training program did not cost anything 1

203:pwbfin3 bhp bhp_26_01 Paid for Training: I did
203:pwbfin3 pl plg0285 Paid for Training: I did
203:pwbfin4 bhp bhp_26_02 Paid for Training: Employer
203:pwbfin4 pl plg0286 Paid for Training: Employer
203:pwbfin5 bhp bhp_26_03 Paid for Training: Employment Office
203:pwbfin5 pl plg0287 Paid for Training: Employment Office
203:pwbfin6 bhp bhp_26_04 Paid for Training: Pension Insurance
203:pwbfin6 pl plg0288 Paid for Training: Pension Insurance
203:pwbfin8 bhp bhp_26_06 Paid for Training: Other
203:pwbfin8 pl plg0290 Paid for Training: Other
203:pwbfinno bhp bhp_26_07 Paid for Training: No Costs
203:pwbfinno pl plg0291 Paid for Training: No Costs

204 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 1
Employed part-time 2
Completing in-service training / apprenticeship / in-service retraining 3
In marginal or irregular employment 4
In partial retirement, phase with zero working hours 5
Voluntary military service 6
Voluntary social / ecological year, federal volunteer service 7
Not employed 9

204:perw bhp bhp_33 Employment Status
204:perw pl plb0022_h Employment Status (harmonized)
204:perw pl plb0022_v9 Erwerbsstatus (ab 2016)

205: Do you intend to obtain (or resume) employment in the future?
No, definitely not 1
Probably not 2
Probably 3
Definitely 4

205:pnerw02 bhp bhp_34 Future Employment Intended
205:pnerw02 pl plb0417_v2 Zukunftige Erwerbstätigkeit beabsichtigt (ab 1994)

206: 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

206:pnerw03 bhp bhp_35 When Future Employment
206:pnerw03 pl plb0418 Gainful Employment Now

207: 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

207:pnerw04 bhp bhp_36 Future Employment, Time
207:pnerw04 pl plb0240 Gainful Employment, Desire

208: 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

208:pnerw01 bhp bhp_37 Find Suitable Position
208:pnerw01 pl plb0419_h Find Suitable Position (harmonized)
208:pnerw01 pl plb0419_v2 Geeignete Stelle jetzt finden (ab 2003)

209: What would your net income have to be for you to accept a position?
Net income (euros per month) _

209:pnerw07 bhp bhp_38_01 Net Income, At Least Per Month
209:pnerw07 pl plb0420_h Monthly Salary At Which Would Take Job (harmonized)
209:pnerw07 pl plb0420_v2 Nettoversdienst mind. / Monat (Euro) (ab 2002)
Can’t say, it depends 1

209:pnerw08 bhp bhp_38_02 Net Income: Depends
209:pnerw08 pl plb0421 Monthly Salary- Can Not Say
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?

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

People work for different reasons. What is the most important reason to you: is it to earn money, or are other reasons important?

Would you like to keep working in your current field or the field you were trained in, or would you rather do something new? Or does it not matter to you?

Which of the following methods and services have you used to look for a job? Please mark all that apply.
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 an advertisement in the newspaper
Through a job advertisement on the Internet
Through a social network on the Internet
Through friends or acquaintances
Through friends or acquaintances
Through co-workers
I have returned to a former employer.
Other or not applicable

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216 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!

216:pber bhp bhp_52_kldb2010 Current Occupational Classification (KldB2010)
216:pber bhp bhp_52_isco08 Current Occupational Classification (ISCO-08)
216:pber bhp bhp_52_kldb92 Current Occupational Classification (KldB92)
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217 Does this job correspond to the occupation for which you were trained?

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

217:pberja bhp bhp_53 Training Applies To Current Occupation
217:pberja pl plb0072 Training Applies To Current Occupation
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

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).

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

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).
Personnel service agency
Through a private recruitment agency without an activation and placement voucher.
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Through friends or acquaintances
Through family members
Through co-workers
I have returned to a former employer
Other or not applicable
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
- Freelance professional, self-employed academic (selbständiger Akademiker)
- Other self-employed

Family member working for self-employed relative

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

Blue-collar worker (Arbeiter) (also in agriculture)
- Unskilled worker (ungelernt)
- Semi-skilled worker (angelernt)
- Skilled and specialist worker
- Foreman / forewoman
- Master craftsperson

White-collar worker (Angestellte)
- Industrial specialist and site foreman on permanent contract
- Salaried employee engaged in unskilled activities without completed training / education
- Salaried employee engaged in unskilled activities with completed training/education
- Salaried employee engaged in skilled activities (e.g., executive officer, bookkeeper, technical draftsman)
- Salaried employee engaged in highly skilled activities or managerial function (e.g., scientist, engineer, department head)
- Salaried employee with extensive managerial duties (e.g., managing director, business manager, head of a large firm or concern)
Civil servant (including judges and professional soldiers)

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222:pamt pl plb0065 Is Civil Servant

Apprentice / trainee / intern

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222:pazubi bhp bhp_57_06 Occupational Position Apprentice/Intern

### 223 Do you work for a public sector employer?

| Yes | 1 |
| No  | 2 |

223:poed bhp bhp_58 Civil Service
223:poed pl plb0040 Civil Service Job

### 224 Is this work through a temporary employment agency (Zeitarbeit, Leiharbeit)?

| Yes | 1 |
| No  | 2 |

224:pzaf bhp bhp_59 Temporary Or Contractual Basis
224:pzaf pl plb0041 Employed By Employment Agency

### 225 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 |

225:pbefr1 bhp bhp_60 Limited Term/Open-Ended
225:pbefr1 pl plb0037_h Limited Term/Open-Ended (harmonized)
225:pbefr1 pl plb0037_v3 Befristet/unbefristet (ab 2006)

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

| Yes | 1 |
| No  | 2 |

226:pmasaa bhp bhp_61 1-Euro-Job
226:pmasaa pl plb0587 1-Euro-Job
227 Is your agreed gross hourly wage below 10 euros or 10 euros and above?

10 euros per hour or above 1
Below 10 euros per hour 2

227:pvbrstd1 bhp bhp_70 Gross Hourly Wage 10 And Above
227:pvbrstd1 pl plh0353 Gross Hourly Wage 10 And Above

228 How high is your agreed gross hourly wage?

Euro

228:pvbrstd2 bhp bhp_71 Gross Hourly Wage under 10
228:pvbrstd2 pl plh0354_h Bruttostundenlohn (nachkommastelle harmonisiert)
228:pvbrstd2 pl plh0354 Gross Hourly Wage under 10

229 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

229:paz14 bhp bhp_77 Would Like To Work Hours/Week
229:paz14 bhp bhp_82 Voluntary Supplementary Pension Insurance
229:paz14 pl plb0241_h Desired Weekly Work Hours (harmonized)
229:paz14 pl plb0635 Voluntary Supplementary Pension Insurance

230 How many days do you usually work per week?

days per week

230:paz01 bhp bhp_78_01 Working Days Per Week
230:paz01 pl plb0209 Working Days Per Week

Not applicable, because ...

the number of days is not fixed 1
the number of days changes from week to week 2

230:paz02 bhp bhp_78_02 Number of Days: Not Applicable
230:paz02 pl plb0210 No Contracted Working Days

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

Hours per week

231:paz08 bhp bhp_79_01 Contracted Weekly Working Time
231:paz08 pl plb0176_h Contracted Working Hours (harmonized)
231:paz08 pl plb0176_v3 Contracted Working Hours (1990-2016)

No set hours 1

231:paz09 bhp bhp_79_02 Flexible Hours Of Work Per Week
231:paz09 pl plb0185 Flexible Hours Of Work Per Week
And how many hours do you generally work per week, including any overtime?

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

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Mini-Job, Midi-Job

Do you provide voluntary contributions to pension insurance for your mini-job?

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Mini-/Midi-Job (ab 2004)

Is this part-time work provided for under the Federal Parental Part-Time Work Act (Bundeselterngeld und Elternzeitgesetz, BEEG)?

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Part-Time Federal Parental Allowance and Parental Leave Act

Do you work overtime?

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Not applicable because I am self-employed

Work Overtime

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?

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Overtime Time In Lieu

...by the end of the year

...within a shorter period of time

...within a longer period of time

Overtime Compensation Period

Time Limit On Time In Lieu

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

Yes  1
No 2

238:pustd5 bhp bhp_94_01 Overtime Previous Month
238:pustd5 pl plb0196_h Overtime Last Month (harmonized)
238:pustd5 pl plb0196_v3 Ueberstunden im Vormonat geleistet (ab 2002)

[Yes] ... hours
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238:pustd6 pl plb0197 Hours Of Overtime Last Month 229:pustd5=1

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

Yes 1
No 2

239:pustd9 bhp bhp_95_01 Hours Of Overtime Last Month Compensated
239:pustd9 pl plb0483 Take Time Off For Overtime Last Mth

[Yes] ... hours
239:pustd10 bhp bhp_95_02 Number of Hours Compensated Overtime 230:pustd9=1
239:pustd10 pl plb0484 Hours Take Time Off For Overtime Last Mth 230:pustd9=1

240 Did you receive financial compensation for overtime in the last month? If so, for how many hours?

Yes 1
No 2

240:pustdbez bhp bhp_96_01 Financial Compensation for Overtime
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[Yes] ... hours
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240:pustd7 pl plb0198 Hours Of Overtime Last Month Paid For 231:pustdbez=1

241 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

241:pb brut bhp bhp_97_01 Gross Earning Prev. Month
241:pb brut pl plc0013_h Gross Income Last Month (harmonized)
241:pb brut pl plc0013_v2 Bruttoverdienst Vormonat (Euro) (ab 2002)
241:pn ett bhp bhp_97_02 Net Earnings, Prev. Month
241:pn ett pl plc0014_h Net Income Last Month (harmonized)
241:pn ett pl plc0014_v2 Nettoverdienst Vormonat (Euro) (ab 2002)
242 Are you paid according to a collectively agreed wage agreement?

- Yes, a legally binding company wage agreement
- Yes, paid according to a collective wage agreement that is not legally binding for this sector / company
- Yes, a legally binding collective wage agreement
- No, my job is exempt from the collective wage agreement in place where I work
- No, there is no collective wage agreement
- Don’t know

244 Were you employed in the last year - in other words, in 2016?

- Yes
- No

245 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?
246 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 2016?

Yes 1
No 2

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

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247:pameu1 pl plb0596 Influence Health Risk in 2 Years
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247:pameu2 pl plb0597 Influence Work Productivity in 2 Years
247:pameu3 bhp bhp_106_03 Influence Demand For Qualification in 2 Years
247:pameu3 pl plb0598 Influence Demand For Qualification in 2 Years
247:pameu4 bhp bhp_106_04 Influence Work Performance in 2 Years
247:pameu4 pl plb0599 Influence Work Performance in 2 Years
247:pameu5 bhp bhp_106_05 Influence Risk Losing Job in 2 Years
247:pameu5 pl plb0600 Influence Risk Losing Job in 2 Years
In addition to the main activity one can still carry out secondary activities or volunteer activities. Do you practice one or more secondary or voluntary activities?

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

| Yes | 1 |
| No  | 2 |

Current Secondary Employment/Voluntary Work

How many secondary jobs, including voluntary work, do you currently practice in total?

Current Secondary Employment/Voluntary Work, Number of

What kind of sideline / volunteer work is this?

First sideline or volunteer work

Current Occupational Classification Secondary Employment [pneba] (ISCO-08, 4-

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251 Which job position do you currently hold?
Worker/ Employer (also Mini-Job) 1
self employed / free-lance (also with contract) 2
Assisting family member 3
Other occupational position 4

252 Is this a volunteer activity?
Yes 1
No 2

253 Is it “marginal” part-time work in accordance with the 450 / 850-euro rule (Mini-Job / Midi-Job)?
No 1
Yes 2

254 Do you provide for this mini job, the voluntary contribution to pension insurance?
Yes 1
No 2

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

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

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**257** What was your gross income for this job last month?

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**258** 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 117 first and then question 118! 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
My 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 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

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258:pek24 pl plc0536 Withdrawal from Partnership, Prev. Month
258:pek01 bhp bhp_117_03 Pension, Prev. Month
258:pek01 pl plc0232 Old-Age,Invalid Pension
258:pek02 bhp bhp_117_05 Widow’s Pension/Orphan’s Benefit, Prev. Month
258:pek02 pl plc0273 Widow-Orphan Benefit
258:pek03 bhp bhp_117_07 Unemployment Benefits, Prev. Month
258:pek03 pl plc0130 Unemployment Benefit
258:pek04 bhp bhp_117_09 Unemployment Subsidy II, Social Subsidy, Prev. Month
258:pek04 pl plc0132_h Unemployment Benefit II, Social Subsidy (harmonized)
258:pek04 pl plc0132_v2 ALG II/Sozialgeld letzter Monat (Euro) (ab 2002)
258:pek07 bhp bhp_117_10 Maternity/Parental Benefit, Prev. Month
258:pek07 pl plc0152 Maternity Benefit
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258:pek23 pl plc0534 Maintenance from former Partner/ Child Support
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258:pek18 pl plc0183 Alimony from maintenance advance fund
258:pek11 bhp bhp_117_18 Other Support Outside of HH, Prev. Month
258:pek11 pl plc0202 Income From Persons Not InHousehold
258:pekno bhp bhp_117_20 Non of These Incomes, Prev. Months
258:pekno pl plc0116 No Other Income Besides Earned Income

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]
[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]
Which of the following sources of income did you receive in the past calendar year, 2016? For each of the income sources that apply, please state how many months of 2016 you received the income and what the average monthly income amount was.

Received in 2016

Wages or salary as employee (including income received during training, partial retirement or sick leave) 1

Income from self-employment / freelance work / commercial activity 1

Second job, side job 1

Income from business partnerships 1

Own retirement, pension 1

Widower’s pension, orphan’s pension 1

Unemployment benefit (also while attending further education / re-/training or while receiving a transitional allowance) 1

Unemployment II / social benefit 1

Parental allowance (Elterngeld) / maternity allowance (Mutterschaftsgeld) 1

BAföG grant / scholarship / vocational training allowance 1

Maintenance payments from former spouse or life partner, including child support 1

Advanced maintenance payment from child maintenance funds 1

Other financial assistance to persons who do not live in the household 1

No, I did not receive income from any of these sources in the last year 2016 1

Salary/Earnings 2016

Wages, Salary Jan-Dec Prev. Yr (harmonized)

Brutto Lohn als Arbeitnehmer bezogen Vorjahr (ab 2017)
Number of months

- Wages / 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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**Gross amount per month**

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

[Second job, side job]

[Income from business partnerships]

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### Additional questions for employed persons

**260 Did you receive any of the following bonuses or extra pay from your employer last year (2016)?** If yes, please state the gross amount.

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

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No, I received none of these

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261 Last year (2016), did you receive money to cover travel expenses or an allowance to cover use of local public transit (e.g., a Jobticket)? If so, please indicate the value thereof:

Yes 1
No 2

261:pzus11 bhp bhp_120_01 Travel allowance / subsidy for public transport 2016
261:pzus11 pl plc0055 Bonus to cover travel expenses (public transport)

261:pzus12 bhp bhp_120_02 Travel allowance / subsidy for public transport 2016
261:pzus12 pl plc0056 Amt. of bonus to cover travel expenses (public transport EUR)

intro16 Additional questions for retirees / pensioners

262 Who pays your retirement / pension and what were the monthly payments in 2015?

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.

My own retirement / pension

German Pension Insurance (Deutsche Rentenversicherung, formerly LVA, BfA, Knappschaft) ... euros
Civil service pension scheme (Beamtenversorgung) ... euros
Supplementary insurance for public sector employees (Zusatzversorgung des öffentlichen Dienstes, e.g., VBL) ... euros
Occupational pension (Betriebliche Altersversorgung, e.g., Werksversorgung) ... euros
Riester pension plan ... euros
Private pension scheme (incl. Arbeitgeberdirektversicherung or berufsständische Versorgung) ... euros
Accident insurance (Unfallversicherung, e.g., provided by an employer’s insurance association (Berufsgenossenschaft)) ... euros
Pension from abroad ... Euro
Other ... euros

262:par1 bhp bhp_121_01 Gross German Pension Insurance 2016, per Month
262:par1 bhp bhp_121_11 Pensions, Item Non Response
262:par1 pl plc0223_h Amt. Pension payments (EUR) (harmonized)
262:par1 pl plc0251 Old-Age,Invalid Pension, Total Item Nonresponse
262:par2 bhp bhp_121_02 Gross Riester Pension 2016, per Month
262:par2 pl plc0236_v2 Beamtenversorgung Rente Brutto/Monat (Euro) (ab 2003)
262:par5 bhp bhp_121_03 Gross Supplementary Benefits Pension 2016, per Month
262:par5 pl plc0238_h Amt. Supp. Civil Servant Pension-Self (EUR) (harmonized)
262:par5 pl plc0238_v2 Zusatzversorgung Rente Brutto/Monat (Euro) (ab 2003)
262:par6 bhp bhp_121_04 Gross Occupational Pensions 2016, per Month
262:par6 pl plc0240_h Amt. Company Pension-Self (EUR) (harmonized)
262:par9 bhp bhp_121_05 Gross Riester Pension-Self 2016, per Month
262:par9 pl plc0516 Amt. Riester Pension-Self
262:par7 bhp bhp_121_06 Private Pension Insurance 2016, per Month
262:par7 pl plc0242 Amt. Private Pension-Self
262:par4 bhp bhp_121_07 Gross Accident Insurance Pension 2016, per Month
262:par4 pl plc0243_h Amt. Worker Accident Pension-Self (EUR) (harmonized)
Widower’s pension (Witwenrente) / orphan’s pension
(Waisenrente)

German Pension Insurance (Deutsche Rentenversicherung,formerly LVA, BfA, Knappschaft) ... euros

Civil service pension scheme (Beamtenversorgung) ... euros

Supplementary insurance for public sector employees
(Zusatzversorgung des öffentlichen Dienstes, e.g., VBL) ... euros

Occupational pension (Betriebliche Altersversorgung, e.g.,
Werkspension) ... euros

Riester pension plan ... euros

Private pension scheme (incl. Arbeitgeberdirektversicherung
or berufsschäfliche Versorgung) ... euros

Accident insurance (Unfallvorsicherung, e.g., provided by an
employer’s insurance association (Berufsgenossenschaft))
... euros

Pension from abroad ... Euro

Other ... euros

Gross German Pension Insurance Widows/Orphan Pension 2016, per Month
Gross Officials Pensions Widows/Orphan Pension 2016, per Month
Gross Riester Widows/Orphan Pension 2016, per Month
Gross Accident Insurance Widows/Orphan Pension 2016, per Month
Gross Widow-Er,Orphan Benefit, Total Item Nonresponse
Gross Supp. Civil Servant Pension-Dependent (EUR) (harmonized)
Gross Riester Widows/Orphan Pension 2016, per Month
Gross Riester Pension-Dependent
Gross Accident Pension Widows/Orphan Pension from Abroad 2016, per Month
intro17 Health and Illness

How would you describe your current health?

- Very good: 1
- Good: 2
- Satisfactory: 3
- Poor: 4
- Bad: 5

How many hours do you sleep on average on a normal day during the working week?

- Normal working day: ... hours

How many hours on a normal weekend day?

- Normal weekend day: ... hours

Has a doctor ever diagnosed you to have one or more of the following illnesses?

- Sleep disorder: 1
- Diabetes: 1
- Asthma: 1
- Cardiac disease (also cardiac insufficiency, weak heart): 1
- Cancer: 1
- Stroke: 1
- Migraine: 1
- High blood pressure: 1
- Depression: 1
- Dementia: 1
- Joint diseases (including arthritis, rheumatism): 1
- Chronic back trouble: 1
- Burnout: 1
- Other illness: 1
- No illness diagnosed: 1
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**268** Have you been officially assessed as being severely disabled (Schwerbehindert) or partially incapable of work (Erwerbsgemindert) for medical reasons?

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

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270 What type of disability do you have?

271 Were you on sick leave from work for more than 6 weeks at one time last year?
Yes, once 1
Yes, several times 2
No 3
Does not apply, I was not employed in 2016 4
271:pkr4 pl plb0024_h Out Sick More Than Six Wks. 2006 (harmonized)
271:pkr4 pl plb0024_v3 Länger als 6 Wochen krank gemeldet (ab 1999)

272 How many days were you unable to work in 2016 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
272:pkr5 bhp bhp_171_01 Not missed one day because of illness 2016
272:pkr5 pl ple0044_h No Days Off Work Sick 2006 (harmonized)
A total of ... days
272:pkr6 bhp bhp_171_02 Number of Sick Days 2016
272:pkr6 pl ple0046 Number Of Days Off Work Sick Prev. Year

273 Leaving aside sick leave and vacation: Was there any other point in 2015 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
273:pkr18 bhp bhp_172_01 Sick Child 2016
273:pkr18 pl ple0048 no days off work child sick
273:pkr26 bhp bhp_172_03 Care For Relative 2016
273:pkr26 pl ple0174 Not Worked Due to Care For Relative Prev Yr
273:pkr20 bhp bhp_172_05 Other Reasons 2016
273:pkr20 pl ple0050 days off work due to other reasons
273:pkr22 bhp bhp_172_07 No, No More Missing Days
273:pkr22 pl ple0052 no days absent because of personal reasons
[Care for relative] ... days
273:pkr19 bhp bhp_172_02 Sick Child 2016, Days
273:pkr19 pl ple0049 number of days off work child sick
273:pkr27 bhp bhp_172_04 Care For Relative 2016, Days
273:pkr27 pl ple0175 Not Worked Due to Care For Relative Prev Yr, Days
273:pkr21 bhp bhp_172_06 Other Reasons 2016, Days
273:pkr21 pl ple0051 number of days off work due to other reasons
274 **What kind of health insurance do you have: statutory health insurance or are you exclusively privately insured?**

*Please also answer this question if you do not pay for the insurance yourself, but are covered by another family member. Statutory health insurance providers are listed in Question 175.*

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274:pkv01 bhp bhp_174 Statutory/Private Insurance

274:pkv01 pl ple0097 Type Of Health Insurance

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**intro18 Attitudes and opinions**

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

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<td>Not so interested</td>
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<td>Completely disinterested</td>
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275:ppol1 bhp bhp_182 Interest in Politics

275:ppol1 pl plh0007 Interesse fuer Politik

276 **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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276:ppol2 bhp bhp_183 Inclined Towards a Particular Party (3:lgbd=2@259)

276:ppol2 pl plh0011 Supports Political Party (3:lgbd=1@262)

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

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277:ppol3 bhp bhp_184_01 Party Identification

277:ppol3 pl plh0012_h Political Party Supported (harmonized)

277:ppol3 pl plh0012_v6 Praeferenz fuer welche Partei (1994/2017)
And to what extent?

An extreme amount 1
quiet strong 2
moderate 3
quiet weak 4
very weak 5

Strength of Party Identification

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

Party Country Came From

How concerned are you about the following issues?
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Or what else are you concerned about?

282:psor01 bhp bhp_186_01 Worried About Economic Development
282:psor01 pl plh0032 Worried About Economic Development
282:psor02 bhp bhp_186_02 Worried About Finances
282:psor02 pl plh0033 Worried About Finances
282:psor21 bhp bhp_186_03 Worried About Own Retirement Pension
282:psor21 pl plh0335 Worried About Own Retirement Pension
282:psor03 bhp bhp_186_04 Worried About Own Health
282:psor03 pl plh0035 Worried About Own Health
282:psor04 bhp bhp_186_05 Worried About Environment
282:psor04 pl plh0036 Worried About Environment
282:psor14 bhp bhp_186_06 Worried About Consequences From Climate Change
282:psor14 pl plh0037 worried about consequences from climate change
282:psor05 bhp bhp_186_07 Worried About Peace
282:psor05 pl plh0038 Worried About Peace
282:psor06 bhp bhp_186_08 Worried About Crime
282:psor06 pl plh0040 worried about crime in germany
282:psor22 bhp bhp_186_09 Worried Social Cohesion in Society
282:psor22 pl plh0336 Worried About Cohesion in Society
282:psor23 bhp bhp_186_10 Worried Future of the European Union
282:psor23 pl plj0713 Worried Future of the European Union
282:psor08 bhp bhp_186_11 Worried About Immigration to Germany
282:psor08 pl plj0046 Worried About Immigration To Germany
282:psor09 bhp bhp_186_12 Worried Xenophobia in Germany
282:psor09 pl plj0047 Worried About Hostility To Foreigners
282:psor10 bhp bhp_186_13 Worried About Job Security
282:psor10 pl plh0042 Worried About Job Security
283 Do you belong to a church or religious community?
Yes, a Christian religious community 7
Yes, to an Islamic religious community 4
Yes, to another religious community 5
No, I do not belong to any religious community 6

[Yes, to another religious community] Please state:

284 Which Christian religious community do you belong to?
the Catholic Church 1
a protestant church 2
the Eastern Orthodox Church 3
another Christian religious community 4

285 Which Islamic religious community do you belong to?
the Shiite religious community 1
the Sunni religious community 2
the Alevi religious community 3
another Islamic religious community 4

286 In the last year, that is, in 2016, have you personally given money or financial support to relatives or other people outside this household?
Please mark all appropriate answers!
To parents / parents-in-law. 1

To your parents / in-laws. Total amount 2016 in Euro: 

To parents / parents-in-law. Germany 1
To parents / parents-in-law. Abroad 1
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To your children (also son-in-law / daughter). Total amount 2016 in Euro:

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[children (also son-in-law / daughter-in-law)] Abroad 1

To spouse or divorced spouse

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To other relatives

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To other relatives in Germany 1
To other relatives Abroad 1

To non-relatives

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To unrelated persons. Total amount 2016 in Euro:

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[non-relatives] Germany
[non-relatives] Abroad
No, I have not given any money or financial support of this kind

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286:punt53  pl  plj0149  Others Live In Germany
286:punt54  bhp  bhp_157_20  Residence non relatives: Abroad
286:punt54  pl  plj0150  Others Live In Foreign Country
286:puntno  bhp  bhp_157_21  No Payments Previous Yr
286:puntno  pl  plj0151  No Payments Previous Yr

287 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 Resarch (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 1
The respondent did not agree 2

287:psozv  bhp  bhp_287_q55  Compliance Linking of Social Insurance Data
287:psozv  pl  plm0257  Compliance Linking of Social Insurance Data

intro19 Realisation of the interview

A What’s the date today?
Day
Month
Hour
Minute
A:pdatt  bhlela  bhbtagin
A:pdatt  bhp  bhbtagin  day of interview
A:pdatt  biol  iday  day of interview
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How was the survey implemented?

Oral interview

Duration of the interview:
The oral (complete or partial) interview lasted ... minutes

Were other persons present while filling out the questionnaire?

Yes, partner
Yes, other person (except interviewer)
No

Did you use a translation during the survey?

Yes, an English translation
Yes, a Turkish translation
Yes, a Russian translation
Yes, a Romanian translation
Yes, a German speaking person is in the household
Yes, a professional interpreter
Yes, a German speaking person outside the household (relatives or friends)
No
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E:pbuh7  pl  p_buh7  Professional Interpreter
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**H**  Other notes

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I confirm the correct implementation of the interview:

Account number