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Biography

Dear participant,

This biographical questionnaire provides supplementary information to the green individual questionnaire. It contains information on the individual that is collected only once.

Your participation is entirely voluntary.

The scientific validity of this survey depends, however, on the participation of every member.

We therefore cordially request that you either

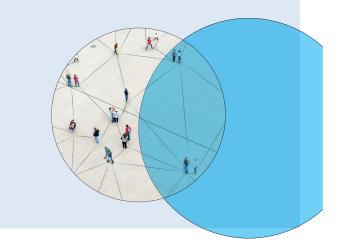
- allow our staff member to interview you
- or carefully fill out this questionnaire yourself.

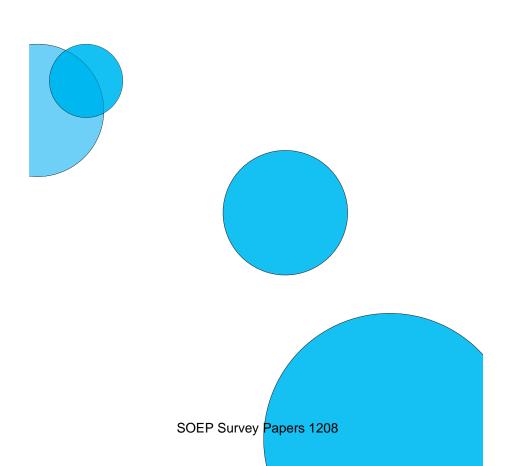
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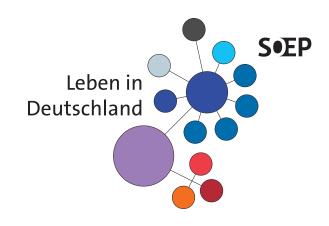
(may also be filled out by Interviewer):

First name:

<Vorname>







Questionnaire

Biography

We also offer an online questionnaire as an alternative to the paper version.

To complete the questionnaire online, please enter the following address into your Internet browser:

<LinkCAWI>

Your personal access code is:

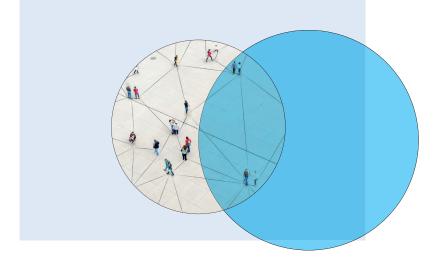
<PWD-CAWI>

If you completed the questionnaire online, you don't need to return this printed questionnaire.

🖅 If an interviewer is present, please enter:

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Interviewernummer



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How should the questionnaire be filled out? Make an X in the box next to the answer option that you think comes the closest. If you make a mistake, clearly cross out the wrong answer and make an X in the correct box. Example: Yes X Nο If you change your mind and decide that you want to select the answer that you just crossed out, you will need to clearly cross out the second mistake and then make a circle around the box you had crossed out first. Example: Yes No When filling out the questionnaire, please pay attention to the instructions for each question: Example: Please select one answer only. If there is a blank for you to write your answer in, please print your answer in the blank: Example: Germany Country: Sometimes you are asked to give numerical answers.

Please enter your answer by aligning numbers to the right in the spaces provided:

Example:

Number:	1	5	0
number:	•		

If you should skip certain questions, there will be specific instructions:

Example:

Yes $\square \rightarrow$ Continue with question 11

Please make sure:

that you fill out the questionnaire in black pen only.

that your answers are clearly legible.

and that your answers are inside the boxes.

This makes our work much easier. Thank you very much!

Further information

If you have any questions about filling out the questionnaire or about your participation in the study, you are welcome to contact us at infas.

You can call us during normal business hours at our toll-free number, 0800–6677876, or send us an e-mail at LiD@infas.de. We will respond to e-mails as quickly as possible. For more information on the study, please see the infas homepage at: www.leben-in-deutschland.de

	Citizenship and Country of Origin		
1	Where were you born?		
lb1340_v2	In Germany, within its pre-war (1937) borders	₁ 🔲]
	On German territory between 1938 and 1949	2	
	In the Federal Republic of Germany (including West Berl	lin)₃ 🏻	
	In the German Democratic Republic (including East Berli	in) 4 🔲	Continue with question 2
	In Saarland between 1947 and 1956	5	
	In Germany since 1990	6	
	In another country	7 🔲 •	Continue with question 4, page 4
2 Igebort1 Igebort2	Where were you born? If there are other towns or cities please state the nearest city.	with the	e same name, or if the town is very small,
	Flease write the name of the town in the upper blan For example, write "Düsseldorf", "Frankfurt an der C the case of "Roßdorf bei Schmalkalden", write "Roßd lower blank.	der", or '	"Frankfurt am Main" in the upper blank, and in
	☐ Please give the current and / or German name!		
	Town:		
	Additional information:		
3	What federal state is your birthplace located in today?		
lb1341_v2	Baden-Wuerttemberg	8 🔲	
	Bavaria	9 🔲	
	Berlin	11 🔲	
	Brandenburg	12	
	Bremen	4	
	Hamburg	2	
	Hesse	6 🔲	
	Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania	13	Continue with question 79, page 18
	Lower Saxony	3 🔲	Continue with question 79, page 18
	North Rhine-Westphalia	5	
	Rhineland-Palatinate	7	
	Saarland	10	
	Saxony	14	
	Saxony-Anhalt	15	
	Schleswig-Holstein	1 🔲	
	Thuringia	16	
	Birthplace no longer part of Germany	17	Continue with auestion 5, page 4

lgebort1a	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.
lgebort2a	Please write the name of the town in the upper blank and any additional information in the lower blank. For example, write "Düsseldorf", "Frankfurt an der Oder", or "Frankfurt am Main" in the upper blank, and in the case of "Roßdorf bei Schmalkalden", write "Roßdorf" in the upper blank and "bei Schmalkalden" in the lower blank. Please follow the same procedure for birthplaces that are outside Germany.
	্রে Please give the current and / or German name!
	Town:
	Additional information:
5	What country is your birthplace located in today?
lgebal	ि If there have been political changes over time, please state the country's present-day name (if possible in German).
	Country / State:
6	When did you first move to Germany?
lb1369	雷 Please select one answer only.
	Before 1945
	Between 1945 and 1949 due to forced displacement or fleeing war Continue with question 79, page 18
	Between 1945 and 1949 for other reasons
	Between 1950 and 1979 4 🔲
	Between 1980 and 1999 5 🗌
	Between 2000 and 2003 6 Continue with question 7
	Between 2004 and 2009 7 🗆
	2010 or later 8 🔲
	How You Came To Germany
7 Im0017 Im0016	The following questions are about when you left the country where you were born and about the different places you have stayed for more than three months since then. If you have spent three months or longer living in more than one foreign country, please answer these questions referring to up to three of these stays and, if applicable, your most recent move to Germany.
	When did you first move abroad from the country where you were born?
	्रि If you don't remember exactly, please estimate.
	Month Year
8	What country did you move to at that time?
lm0018	To Germany $_1$ \square
	To another country $_2 \square \rightarrow $ Continue with question 16

9	When you moved to Germany, which group did you belo	ng to?
lm0020i04	☐ Please select one answer only.	
	Ethnic Germans (Aussiedler), in other words, people of German descent from an Eastern European country	\Box \rightarrow Continue with question 11
	German, born and raised abroad	2 🗆
	Citizens of EU or EEA countries (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Switzerland)	3 🗆
	Citizens of other countries	S Continue with question 10
10	There are different legal frameworks for immigrating to What about you: What was your immigration status at t	-
	☐ Please select one answer only.	
	ক্রে Au-pairs and interns are considered employed.	_
	Employed	1 🗆
	Job seeker	2 🗆
	Student or trainee	з 🗆
	Family reunification (for example, as the spouse or child of someone with a residence permit)	Continue with question 12
	Asylum-seeker or refugee	8 🗆
	Tourist	5 🗆
	None of the above	6 🔲
11	Did you have a job before moving to Germany? In other contract for freelance work in Germany?	words, did you have an employment contract or a
	Yes 1	
	No 2 🗆	
12	Did you move away from Germany again after that?	
lm0022l01	雷 We are referring here to a continuous stay in another referring to shorter stays such as vacations or visits to rela	
	No, I have remained in Germany since then	$_1$ \square $ o$ Continue with question 50, page 12
	Yes, to another country	$_{\scriptscriptstyle 3}\square$ $ o$ Continue with question 16, page 6
	Yes, back to the country where I was born	$_{2}$ \longrightarrow Continue with question 13
13	When did you return to the country where you were born	n?
	्रिटिंड If you don't remember exactly, please estimate.	
1/110024101_V	you don't remember exactly, pieuse estimate.	

Month

Year

14	On what legal basis did you return to the country where you were born?	
m0026l01_v: 1z02wxg	¹³ 🖅 Please select one answer only.	
	As an employed person who already had a job offer	1 🔲
	As a spouse, child, or other family member	4 🔲
	As an asylum-seeker or refugee	8
	As a student or vocational trainee	3
	As a job-seeker	2 🔲
	On a different legal basis	6
	↓ Please state:	
15	Did you move to another country after that or directly to Germany?	
m0027l01_v2	Moved to another country $_1 \square \rightarrow$ Continue with question 16	
	Moved to Germany $_2 \square \rightarrow$ Continue with question 20	
16	When did you move to that country?	
m0025l01_v:	语信 If you don't remember exactly, please estimate.	
_		
	Month Year	
17	What country did you move to then?	
1z02xa	🖅 We are only referring to stays lasting three months or longer.	
	্রে Please give the country's present-day German name.	
	Country:	
18	On what legal basis did you move to that country?	
m0026l01_v4 1z02wxa	¹⁴ 🖅 Please select one answer only.	
	As an employed person who already had a job offer	1 🔲
	As a spouse, child, or other family member	4 🔲
	As an asylum-seeker or refugee	8 🔲
	As a student or vocational trainee	3 🔲
	As a job-seeker	2 🔲
	On a different legal basis	6 🔲
	↓ Please state:	
	* L	
19	Did you move to another country after that or directly to Germany?	
m0027l02_v2	To Germany $_1 \square \rightarrow$ Continue with question 20	
	To another country $_2 \square \rightarrow$ Continue with question 28, page 8	

20	When did you move to Germany?	
l1z02md l1z02jd	्रि If you don't remember exactly, please estimate.	
	Month Year	
21	When you moved to Germany, which group did you belo	ng to?
lm0031i07l01 v2	一 Please select one answer only.	
	Ethnic Germans (Aussiedler), in other words, people of German descent from an Eastern European country	Continue with question 23
	German, born and raised abroad	2 🔲
	Citizens of EU or EEA countries (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Switzerland)	Gontinuo with question 33
	Citizens of other countries	Scontinue with question 22
	There are different legal frameworks for immigrating to What about you: What was your immigration status at t	•
	Please select one answer only.	
	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)	Continue with question 24
	Asylum-seeker or refugee	8 🗆
	Tourist	5 🗆
	None of the above	6 🔲
23 Im0020i07_v2	Did you have a job before moving to Germany? In other vaccontract for freelance work in Germany?	words, did you have an employment contract or a
	Yes 1 🗆	
	<u>No</u> 2 □	
24	Did you move away from Germany again after that?	
lm0022l02	We are referring here to a continuous stay in another We are not referring to shorter stays such as vacation	
	No, I have remained in Germany since then	$_{1}$ \square $ o$ Continue with question 50, page 12
	Yes, to another country	$_3$ \square $ o$ Continue with question 28, page 8
	Yes, back to the country where I was born	2 ☐ → Continue with question 25
25	When did you return to the country where you were born	n?
lm0025l02_v2 lm0024l02_v2	皇后 If you don't remember exactly, please estimate.	
	Month Year	

26	On what legal basis did you return to the country where you were born?
m0026l02_v 2z02wxg	The Please select one answer only.
	As an employed person who already had a job offer $_{1}$
	As a spouse, child, or other family member 4
	As an asylum-seeker or refugee
	As a student or vocational trainee
	As a job-seeker 2
	On a different legal basis
	↓ Please state:
27	Did you move to another country after that or directly to Germany?
lm0027l03_v	Moved to another country $\Box \rightarrow$ Continue with question 28
	Moved to Germany 2 ☐ → Continue with question 32
28	When did you move to that country?
lm0025l02_v lm0024l02_v	信 If you don't remember exactly, please estimate.
	Month Year
29	What country did you move to then?
l2z02xa	
	Please give the country's present-day German name.
	Country:
30	On what legal basis did you move to that country?
lm0026l02_v l2z02wxa	了 Please select one answer only.
	As an employed person who already had a job offer $_1$
	As a spouse, child, or other family member ${}_4$ \square
	As an asylum-seeker or refugee
	As a student or vocational trainee
	As a job-seeker 2
	On a different legal basis
	↓ Please state:
31 Im0027l04_v	Did you move to another country after that or directly to Germany?
1002/104_V	To Germany $_1$ \square $ o$ Continue with question 32
	To Germany 1 → Continue with question 32 To another country 2 → Continue with question 40

32	When did you move to Germany?		
l2z02md l2z02jd	**If you don't remember exactly, please estimate.		
	Month Year		
33	When you moved to Germany, which group did you belo	ng to?	
lm0031i07l02_v2	Please select one answer only.	_	
	Ethnic Germans (Aussiedler), in other words, people of German descent from an Eastern European country	1 🔲	> Continue with question 35
	German, born and raised abroad	2 🔲	
	Citizens of EU or EEA countries (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Switzerland)	3 🔲	
	Citizens of other countries	5 🗆	> Continue with question 34
34 Im0031i08l02_v2	There are different legal frameworks for immigrating to What about you: What was your immigration status at t		
	Please select one answer only.		
	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	> Continue with question 36
	Asylum-seeker or refugee	8	
	Tourist	5	
	None of the above	6 🔲	
25			
35 lm0031i12l01_v2	Did you have a job before moving to Germany? In other vecontract for freelance work in Germany?	words, o	did you have an employment contract or a
	Yes 1		
	No 2		
36	Did you move away from Germany again after that?		
lm0022l03	We are referring here to a continuous stay in another We are not referring to shorter stays such as vacation		
	No, I have remained in Germany since then	1 🔲 -	Continue with question 50, page 12
	Yes, to another country	3 🔲 -	Continue with question 40, page 10
	Yes, back to the country where I was born	2 🔲 🗖	Continue with question 37
37 Im0025103_v2 Im0024103_v2	When did you return to the country where you were born of the second of	n?	
	Month Year		

38	On what legal basis did you return to the country where you were born?
m0026l03_v3 3z02wxg	🖅 Please select one answer only.
	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 2
	On a different legal basis
	↓ Please state:
39	Did you move to another country after that or directly to Germany?
b1441	Moved to another country $\Box \rightarrow$ Continue with question 40
	Moved to Germany 2 — > Continue with question 44
40	When did you move to that country?
m0025l03_v3	雪 If you don't remember exactly, please estimate.
1110024103_v3	Typod don't remember exactly, piedse estimate.
	Month Year
41	What country did you move to then?
3z02xa	
	্রেল Please give the country's present-day German name.
	Country:
42	On what legal basis did you move to that country?
m0026l03_v4 3z02wxa	□ Please select one answer only.
	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 2
	On a different legal basis
	→ Please state:
43	Did you move to another country after that or directly to Germany?
m0027l06_v2	To Germany 1 🗆
	To another country 2

44	when did you most recently move to dermany?	
Ilz02ma Ilz02ja	ा If you don't remember exactly, please estimate.	
	Month Year	
45	When you moved to Germany, which group did you belo	ong to?
lm0031i07l03_v2	Please select one answer only.	
	Ethnic Germans (Aussiedler), in other words, people of German descent from an Eastern European country	Continue with question 47
	German, born and raised abroad	2 🔲
	Citizens of EU or EEA countries (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Switzerland)	Continue with question 46
	Citizens of other countries	5 🔲
46 lm0031i08l03_v2	There are different legal frameworks for immigrating to What about you: What was your immigration status at	
	Please select one answer only.	
	Au-pairs and interns are considered employed.	_1
	Employed Job seeker	
	Student or trainee	3 🔲
	Family reunification (for example, as the spouse or child	
	of someone with a residence permit)	Continue with question 48
	Asylum-seeker or refugee	8 🔲
	Tourist	5 🔲
	None of the above	6 🔲
47 Im0031i12l02_v2	Did you have a job before moving to Germany? In other contract for freelance work in Germany? Yes 1 No 2	words, did you have an employment contract or a
48 lb1413	How many times have you spent more than three mont you were born?	hs living in a different country than the one where
	We are referring to continuous stays of more than the This includes stays in Germany. We are not referring	ree months outside the country where you were born. to shorter stays such as vacations or visits to relatives.
	Number of longer-term stays:	
49	How much time in total did you spend on all of these lo	nger stays outside the country where you were born?
lb1414 lb1415	Please include your current stay in Germany. If not applicable, please enter "0" (for instance, 3 years)	rs 0 months, or 0 years 5 months)
	Years Months	

50 W	Vhat best describes your living situation immediately afte	er moving to Germany?	
_	ि If you have moved to Germany more than once in your	life, please answer for your last move.	
Li	moved into an existing household		1
1 9	started a new household		2
Li	initially lived in transitional housing for immigrants		3
P	What town in Germany did you move to? Please give the name of the closest city if there is more that If you have moved to Germany more than once in your	•	name.
To	own:		
C	Closest City:		
2 W	Vhat federal state is that town or city located in today?		
В	Baden-Wuerttemberg	8	
В	Bavaria	9 🔲	
В	Berlin 1	1 🔲	
В	Brandenburg 1	2	
В	remen	4 🔲	
Н	lamburg	2 🔲	
Н	lesse	6	
N	Necklenburg-Western Pomerania	3 🔲	
Lo	ower Saxony	3 🔲	
N	North Rhine-Westphalia	5 🔲	
R	hineland-Palatinate	7	
Sa	aarland	0 🔲	
Sa	axony	4 🔲	
Sa	axony-Anhalt 1	5	
So	chleswig-Holstein	1 🔲	
TI	'huringia 1	6 🔲	

53	What was your main reason for choosing this town as you	our first home in Germany?
lm0495i01_v	ि 👉 If you have moved to Germany more than once in you	ur life, please answer for your last move.
	Because family members lived there	1 🗆
	Because friends / acquaintances lived there	2 🗆
	Placed there by a government agency (for example, as a refugee, asylum seeker, ethnic German immigrant)	з
	Because of the low rent	4 🗆
	Job-related reasons	8 🗆
	Because of the convenient location (close to work, campus, etc.)	6 🗆
	Other reasons	7 📙
54	How long in total did you live in that first place?	
lb1416 lb1417	ा If you don't remember exactly, please estimate.	
	If not applicable, please enter "0" (for instance, 3 year	rs 0 months, or 0 years 5 months)
	Years Months	
55	Which of the following was your main reason for moving	g to Germany?
lb1245_v1 lzuggrso	ি If you have moved to Germany more than once in you	ur life, please answer for your last move.
	Family reasons / partnership	1 🗆
	Economic reasons	2 🗆
	Political reasons (discrimination, distress, persecution, w	ar) 3 🗆
	Other reasons	4 🗆
	Please state:	
56	When you moved to Germany, did you have the help of a	any relatives or friends who already lived in Germany?
lb1246 lb1247_v2 lb1247_v3 lb1247_v4 lb1248	☐ If you have moved to Germany more than once in you ☐ Please select all that apply!	ur life, please answer for your last move.
101248	Yes, from relatives	
	Yes, from acquaintances in Germany	
	Yes, from acquaintances in the country I am from	
	Yes, from acquaintances from another country	
	No	_

57	How well did you						_			
	雪 If you have r	noved to Ge	rmany mo	re than or	ice in your	life, please	answer fo	or your ias	t move.	
						Very well	Well	Okay	Badly	Not at al
	speaking?									
	writing?							<u> </u>	<u> </u>	
	reading?									
8	Have you ever ta	ken German	ı language	classes, e	either befo	re moving	to Germa	ny or in G	iermany?	
_v4 _v2	Please select	all that app	ly!			1				
_v3	Yes, before movii	ng to Germa	ny							
	Yes, in Germany									
	No, I have never									
	ivo, i nave never	taken Germa	an classes							
				our Mo	ove to G	_⊔ Jermanv	,			
ſ	Relationship	at the Ti	ime of Y							
9		at the Ti thether mark extent. We	me of Y	herwise, o	an affect c	our decision	ns, somet			
59 ·	Relationship A relationship, w times to a lesser	at the Ti whether mark extent. We so on to move h	me of Y riage or ot therefore a tere.	herwise, o	can affect o	our decisior k to before	ns, somet			
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62	Are you still in this relationship today?	
ldbez12	No $_2$ \square Yes $_1$ \square \rightarrow Continue with question 65	
	lack lack lack lack	
63 Idbez4	What was the situation when you moved to Germany: Which of you moved to Germany first, or did you move to Germany together?	
	My (former) partner did not move to Germany	
	We moved to Germany at the same time 4 Continue with question 65	
	My partner already lived in Germany before we met	
	I moved to Germany before my partner 2 Continue with question 64	
	My partner moved to Germany before me	
64	When did your partner move to Germany?	
lb1418 ldbez5j		
	Month Year	
	Month Year	
	Work Before Moving to Germany	
65	Were you employed before moving to Germany?	
lb1419	Yes $_{1}\square$ No $_{2}\square$ \rightarrow Continue with question 73, page 16	
66 Ivzerwland	What country were you last employed in before your (most recent) move to Germany?	
ivzerwianu	🖙 Please give the country's present-day German name.	
67	What was your occupation before moving to Germany?	
lvzber	্রেল Please state the specific job title. For example, do not write "clerk" but rather "shipping clerk", not "blue-collar worker" but rather "machine metalworker".	
	not blue-condi worker but father machine metalworker.	
68	What was your occupational status before moving to Germany?	
lvzstell	□ Please answer for your last job before moving.	
	Blue-collar (including agricultural) worker without management responsibilities	1 🔲
	Blue-collar (including agricultural) worker with management responsibilities	2 🔲
	Self-employed or working for self-employed relative	3 🔲
	White-collar employee without management responsibilities	4 🔲
	White-collar employee with management responsibilities	5 🔲
	Civil servant / public administrator, including judges and professional military without management responsibilities	6 🔲
	Civil servant / public administrator, including judges and professional military with management responsibilities	

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		When did you start your first paid job in Germany?
्रि If you don't remember exactly, please estimate.		☐ If you have moved to Germany more than once in your life, please answer for your last move.
		ि If you don't remember exactly, please estimate.

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75	What about after moving to Germany: How did you find out about your first job?
lm0613_v3	If you have moved to Germany more than once in your life, please answer for your last move.
	Through the federal employment office (Bundesagentur für Arbeit / the Jobcenter)
	Through an employment office / agency in my home country
	Through an employment agency for foreigners 3 Continue with question 77
	Through a private job agency
	Through a job advertisement in the newspaper 5
	An advertisement on the Internet
	Through friends or acquaintances 13 Continue with question 76
	Through family members
	Through business relationships in Germany
	Was self-employed in my first job Continue with question 77
	Other 11 🔲
76	Where is this person from?
ldzsuchp	From Germany 1
	From your country of origin 2
	From another country
77	What was your last net monthly income in that job?
ldznet ldzneteu_n	Please try to remember the amount in euros or, if applicable, in deutschmarks or east german marks.
	in euros 1 🔲
	in deutschmarks 2 🗆
	Net amount: in east german marks 3
78	How many hours did you work per week on average in that job?
lm0612_v2 lm0612_v3	🖙 Please state the number of hours, rounding fractions to the first decimal place.
	Hours per week: → Continue with question 113, page 24

	Other Countries Where You Have Lived
79	Many people live in different countries over the course of their lives. What about you? Have you always lived in Germany, or have you lived in another country besides Germany 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 $_1 \square \rightarrow$ Continue with question 104, page 22
	No, I have also lived in another country 2
	\overline{ullet}
80 .a01x	The following questions are about other countries where you have lived for longer than three months. If you have lived in more than one other country for longer than three months, please answer for up to three, and if applicable, for the last one as well.
	What country did you move to first?
	☐ We are only referring to countries where you have lived for three months or longer. ☐ Please give the country's present-day German name.
81	When did you move to that country?
n0038l01 n0037l01	雷 If you can't remember exactly, please estimate.
110037101	Ty you can element exactly, picase estimate.
	Month Year
82	Why did you move to that country?
n0039l01 la01wx	□ Please select one answer only.
	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
	For a different reason
	✓ Please state:
83	Did you move to another country after that or directly to Germany?
n0040l01	雷 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 ☐ → Continue with question 86
	Directly to Germany 2 — Continue with question 84
84	When did you move to Germany?
n0043l01 n0042l01	·

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85	What about after you had lived in Germany for a while: D	oid you move away again?				
lm0035l01	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 stayed in Germany ever since	$_2$ \square $ o$ Continue with question 104, page 22				
	Yes, to another country	$_{1}$ \longrightarrow Continue with question 86				
86	What country did you move to second?					
l1a03x	** We are only referring to stays lasting three months or	longer.				
	**Please give the country's present-day German name.					
87	When did you move to that country?					
lb1426 lb1425	🕼 If you can't remember exactly, please estimate.					
	Month Year					
	Month Year					
88	Why did you move to that country?					
lb1427 l1a03wx	Ter Please select one answer only.					
	As an employed person who already had a job offer	1 🔲				
	As a spouse, child, or other family member	4 🔲				
	As a student or vocational trainee	з 🔲				
	As a job-seeker	2				
	For a different reason	6 🗌				
89	Did you move to another country after that or directly to	Germany?				
lm0040l02	We are referring here to a continuous stay in another of the weare not referring to shorter stays such as vacations.					
	To another country $_1 \square \rightarrow$ Continue with qu	uestion 92, page 20				
	Directly to Germany $2 \square \rightarrow $ Continue with qu	uestion 90				
90	When did you move to Germany?					
lm0043l02 lm0042l02	्रि If you can't remember exactly, please estimate.					

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91	What about after you had lived in Germany for a while	e: Did you move away again?
lm0035l02	We are referring here to a continuous stay in anoth We are not referring to shorter stays such as vacation	
	No, I have stayed in Germany ever since	$_{2}$ \square $ ightharpoonup$ Continue with question 104, page 22
	Yes, to another country	$_{1}$ \square $igoreal$ Continue with question 92
92	What country did you move to third?	
l2a03x	☐ We are only referring to stays lasting three months	or longer.
	Please give the country's present-day German name	_
93	When did you move to that country?	
lb1429 lb1428	्रिः If you can't remember exactly, please estimate.	
	Month Year	
94	Why did you move to that country?	
lb1430 l2a03wx	Please select one answer only.	
	As an employed person who already had a job offer	ı 🗆
	As a spouse, child, or other family member	4 🗌
	As a student or vocational trainee	з 🔲
	As a job-seeker	2 🔲
	For a different reason	6 🔲
	↓ Please state:	
95	Did you move to another country after that or directly	to Germany?
lm0040l03	To another country $_1 \square \rightarrow$ <i>Continue with</i>	n question 98
	Directly to Germany 2 — Continue with	question 96
96	When did you move to Germany?	
lm0043l03 lm0042l03	雷 If you can't remember exactly, please estimate.	

97	What about after you had lived in Germany for a while: Did you move away again?
lm0035l03	□ 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 stayed in Germany ever since 2 — Continue with question 104, page 22
	Yes, to another country $_1 \square \rightarrow$ Continue with question 98
98	Now we are just interested in your last stay abroad: What country did you move to last?
	雷 We are only referring to stays lasting three months or longer.
	refer Please give the country's present-day German name.
99	When did you move to that country?
lb1432 lb1431	雷 If you can't remember exactly, please estimate.
	Month Year
	Month Year
100	Why did you move to that country?
lb1433 l3a03wx	雷 Please select one answer only.
	As an employed person who already had a job offer
	As a spouse, child, or other family member 4
	As a student or vocational trainee
	As a job-seeker 2
	For a different reason 6
	Please state:
101	When did you move back to Germany after your last stay abroad?
lb1435 lb1434	雷 If you can't remember exactly, please estimate.
	Month Year
102	How many times have you spent more than three months living abroad?
lb1370	☐ We are referring to stays abroad lasting more than three months, including the four mentioned above.
	Number of stays abroad lasting more than three months:

103	How much time in total did you spend on all of these l	onger stays abroad?
lb1371 lb1372	We are referring to stays abroad lasting more than Accordingly, please add up all your stays abroad the	
	f not applicable, please enter "0" (for instance, 3 y	ears 0 months, or 0 years 5 months).
	Years Months	
	Employment	
104	How old were you when you first started working?	
lb0247 lb0248	We are not referring to vocational training but to y	our first job after you completed your training!
	Age: Continue with question 105	
	Have not yet held a job / have not yet completed in-service training $\Box \rightarrow con$	tinue with question 122, page 26
105	Are you still doing the same type of work today?	
lb1020	Yes 1 ☐ No 2 ☐	☐ → Continue with question 108
106	Do you still have the same occupational status today a	s you did in your first job?
lb1019	Yes 1 No 2	$\square o$ Continue with question 108
	→	<u>.</u>
107	Are you still working for the same employer as in your	first job?
lb0249_v1	्रि If you are self-employed: Do you still have the same	e business / same line of work as you did at that time?
	No 2	$\square o$ Continue with question 122, page 26
	→	
108	What occupational status did you have at that time (in	your first job)?
lb1021	會 Please select one answer only.	
	Occupational status	
	Blue-collar worker (also in agriculture)	$_{\scriptscriptstyle 1}$ \square $ o$ Continue with question 108a
	Self-employed or working for self-employed family member	$_{2}$ \square $ o$ Continue with question 108b
	White-collar worker	₃ 🗌 → Continue with question 108d
	Civil servant or public administration employee	
	(including judges and professional soldiers)	₄ □ → Continue with question 108e
108 a	What type of blue-collar worker were you exactly?	
lb0250	Blue-collar worker	
	Unskilled worker	1 🔲
	Semi-skilled worker	$_{2}\square$ \rightarrow Continue with question 109
	Skilled / specialist worker	з 🔲

108b	What type of self-employment was that exactly?
lb0252	Self-employment
	Self-employed farmer
	Freelance professional, self-employed academic 2 — Continue with question 108c
	Other self-employed worker / entrepreneur
	Family member working for self-employed relative $_4$ \square $ o$ Continue with question 109
108c	How many employees did you have?
lb0252a	None 1 🔲
	1-9 employees 2 Continue with question 109
	10 or more employees ₃ □
108 d	What type of white-collar worker were you exactly?
lb0256_v2	White-collar worker
	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) 3 Continue with question 109
	Salaried employee engaged in highly skilled activities or managerial function (e.g., scientist, engineer, department head, Industry or factory foreman / forewoman) 4
108 e	What type of civil servant were you exactly?
lb0257	Civil servant
	Lower level 1
	Middle level 2
	Upper level 3
	Executive level 4
109	What type of work did you do in your first job?
l1ber	Please state the specific job title. For example, do not write "clerk" but rather "shipping clerk", not "blue-collar worker" but rather "machine metalworker".
110	What type of education or training is usually required for this type of work?
lb0260	No completed vocational training is required
	Completed vocational training
	Degree from a technical college (Fachhochschule)
	Degree from a university or other institution of higher education \Box

111	Was the company you worked for at that time part of the public sector or public administration?
lb0261	Yes 1
	<u>No</u> 2 □
112	What sector of business or industry was your company or institution active in for the most part?
l1bra	**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".
113 lb0263_v2	Have you changed occupations one or more times since then, such that the type of work you do has changed significantly?
	Yes, once 1
	No \bigcirc Continue with question 115
114 lb0264_v2	What year did you switch to your current or last occupation? Year:
115	Are you currently employed?
lb0265	No $\frac{1}{2}$ Yes $\frac{1}{2}$ Continue with question 122, page 26
116 Ib0266_v2	What was the last year you were employed? Year:
117	What was your last occupation?
lber	Tere Please state the specific job title. For example, do not write "clerk" but rather "shipping clerk", not "blue-collar worker" but rather "machine metalworker".
118	Were you last employed full-time, part-time, or marginally in your last job?
lb0267	Full-time (at least 35 hours per week)
	Part-time (20 to 34 hours per week)
	Marginally or irregularly 3 L
119 lb0269	Was the company where you held your last job part of the public sector or public administration?
	Yes 1 U
	<u>No 2 L</u>

lbra	What sector of business or industry was your company The Please state the specific term for the branch / sector	•
	"electronics industry"; not "trade" but rather "retail	
121	What was your occupational status in your last job?	
lb1272	ा । ा । If you had more than one job at that time, please a	nswer the following for your main job only!
	Occupational status	
	Blue-collar worker (also in agriculture)	$_1$ \square $ o$ Continue with question 121a
	Self-employed or working for self-employed family member	$_2$ \square $ o$ Continue with question 121b
	Apprentice / trainee / intern	$\square \xrightarrow{2} \square \xrightarrow{\rightarrow} Continue with question 121d$
	White-collar worker	$ \begin{array}{c} $
	Civil servant or public administration employee (including judges and professional soldiers)	\square \longrightarrow Continue with question 121f
121 a	What type of blue-collar worker were you exactly?	
lb0270	Blue-collar worker	
	Unskilled worker	1 □
	Semi-skilled worker	2 🔲
	Skilled / specialist worker	₃ 🗆 → Continue with question 122, page 26
	Foreman, group leader	4 🔲
	Master tradesman/craftsman, site foreman	5 🔲
121b	What type of self-employment was that exactly?	
lb0272_ll2	Self-employment	
	Self-employed farmer	1 🔲
	Freelance professional, self-employed academic	$_{2}$ ${\Box}$ Continue with question 121c
	Other self-employed worker / entrepreneur	3 🔲
	Family member working for self-employed relative	$_4$ \square \Longrightarrow Continue with question 122, page 26
121 c	How many employees did you have?	
lb0272a	None 1	
	1-9 employees 2 — Continue with	h question 122, page 26
	10 or more employees ₃ □	
121 d	What type of apprentice / trainee / intern were you ex	actly?
lb0276_v2	Apprentice / trainee / intern	
	Apprentice trainee (industrial-technical)	1 🔲
	Apprentice trainee (commercial)	$_{2}$ \longrightarrow Continue with question 122, page 26
	Volunteer, intern, etc.	3 🔲

121 e	What type of white-collar worker were you exactly?		
277_v2	White-collar worker		
	Salaried employee engaged in unskilled activities without completed training / education	2 🔲	1
	Salaried employee engaged in unskilled activities with completed training / education	3 🔲	
	Salaried employee engaged in skilled activities (e.g., executive officer, bookkeeper, technical draftsman)	4	
	Salaried employee engaged in highly skilled activities or in managerial function (e.g., scientist, engineer, department head, Industry or factory foreman / forewoman)	5 🔲	Continue with question 122
	Salaried employee in senior management role (e.g., managing director, business manager, head of a large firm or concern)	6 🔲	
	Managing partner or similar white-collar employee in self-owned business / company	7 🔲	
121f	What type of civil servant were you exactly?		
0278	Civil servant		
	Lower level	₁	
	Middle level	2	
	Upper level	3 🔲	
	Executive level	4	
122	Have you performed volunteer service in any of the follow	wing n	rograms?
0321_v2	雷 Please select all that apply.		
0689 0690		1	
0691	Voluntary social / ecological year		
0692 0693	Federal volunteer service		→ How long? Number of months:
	Voluntary military service		→ How long? Number of months:
	Have not performed volunteer service in any of these programs		
123	→ Only for men born in 1992 or before:		
	Have you served in the military or in the Alternative Civil	ian Ser	vice?
0323	•		
0324_v2	Yes,		54:m-0
	compulsory military service for the legally stipulated pe		
	compulsory military service for an extended period of t	ime as	a professional soldier 2
	community service		3 📙
	similar work in an emergency service agency		4 🖵
	No,		
	exempted from military service for medical or health re	easons	2 🗆
	exempted from military service and assigned to militar	y reser	ve force
	exempted from military service for other reasons		4

124	Do you have German citizenship?	
lb0014	Yes 1 \square No 2 \square Continue with question 128	
125	Have you had German citizenship since birth or did you acquire it at a later date?	
lb0533_v2	Since birth $_1 \square \rightarrow$ Continue with question 130	
	At a later date ² Continue with question 126	
126	What citizenship did you have before?	
lsta5x		
127	And in what year did you acquire German citizenship?	
lb0534_v2	In the year: Continue with question 130	
128	What is your country of citizenship?	
Inat		
129	Do you have citizenship in another country besides the one mentioned above?	
lb0880 Ista4x	No 2 🗆	
	Yes $_{1} \square \rightarrow$ please state:	
130	Where did you live before German reunification, that is, before 1989?	
lb0057	In East Germany (the GDR, including East Berlin)	
	In West Germany (including West Berlin)	
	In another country	
	Does not apply, was born in or after 1989	
131	Since when have you personally been living in this house or apartment?	
lb1373 lb0280_v2	্রেল If you can't remember exactly, please estimate.	
	Month Year	
132	Do you have another dwelling besides this one (the one where we are conducting this interview) where yo	ou
lb1022_v4 lb1022_v2 lb1022_v3	personally live or spend your vacation?	
101022_43	**Please select all that apply. 1	
	No — Continue with question 134, page 28	
	Yes, in Germany	
	Yes, outside Germany Continue with question 133, page 28	

133	Which dwelling do you use the most?		
0283	This one (the one where we are conducting this interview) $_1$ \Box		
	The other one		
	Both approximately the same		
	Now, Please Think Back		
134	Where did you spend the majority of your childhood up to the age of Was it	15?	
	in a large city		
	in a medium-sized city		
	in a small town		
	in a rural area		
135	Do you still live in the same city or area today?		
0059	Yes, I still do		
	Yes, I have moved back 2		
	<u>No</u> ₃ □		
136	How many years of your childhood (up to the age of 15) did you live v	with the	following persons?
0066 0067	雷 Please round to whole years.		
0068 0069 0070	্রেল Adoptive parents count as biological parents.		7
0071 0072	With both of your (biological) parents		Years
0073	With your mother without a (new) partner		Years
	With your mother and her (new) partner		Years
	With your father without a (new) partner		Years
	With your father and his (new) partner		Years
	With other relatives		Years
	With foster parents		Years
	In an orphanage		Years
	Sum total of all years (please check!):	15	Years

137	Did you regularly attend pre-school, daycare, or another institution?													
lb1135	To Not referring to after-school care provided by the elementary school!													
	Yes 1 □	No	2 ☐ → Cont	tinue with question 139										
138	At what age did you start regularly attending this institution?													
lb1136 lb1137	At the age of: Years													
	Can't remember	1 🔲												
139 lb0142	If you think back to when you and progress at school?	were in school: How	interested and	d involved were your parents in y	our grades									
	Very much	1 🔲												
	Fairly	2 🔲												
	Not very much	3 🔲												
	Not at all	4 🔲												
140	How often did you argue or fig	ght with your parent	s when you we	re 15 years old?										
lb0155 lb0156		V	ery often Ofte	n Sometimes Seldom Never	Parent was not there									
	With your father				6									
	With your mother													
141 lb0157_v1	Were you actively involved in a For example, did you sing or possible of the State													
142	Were you involved in extracur	ricular sports in you	r youth?											
lb0158	Yes 1 □ ↓	No	$_2$ \longrightarrow Cont	tinue with question 146, page 30)									
143	Which of the sports you played was the most important to you?													
lsp2	Most important sport:													
144	Did you ever train for competition in this sport?													
lb1374	Yes 1													
	No 2 □													
145	Have you ever entered a comp	etition in this sport	•											
	Yes 1 L													
	No 2 L													

When You Were 15 and Older

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

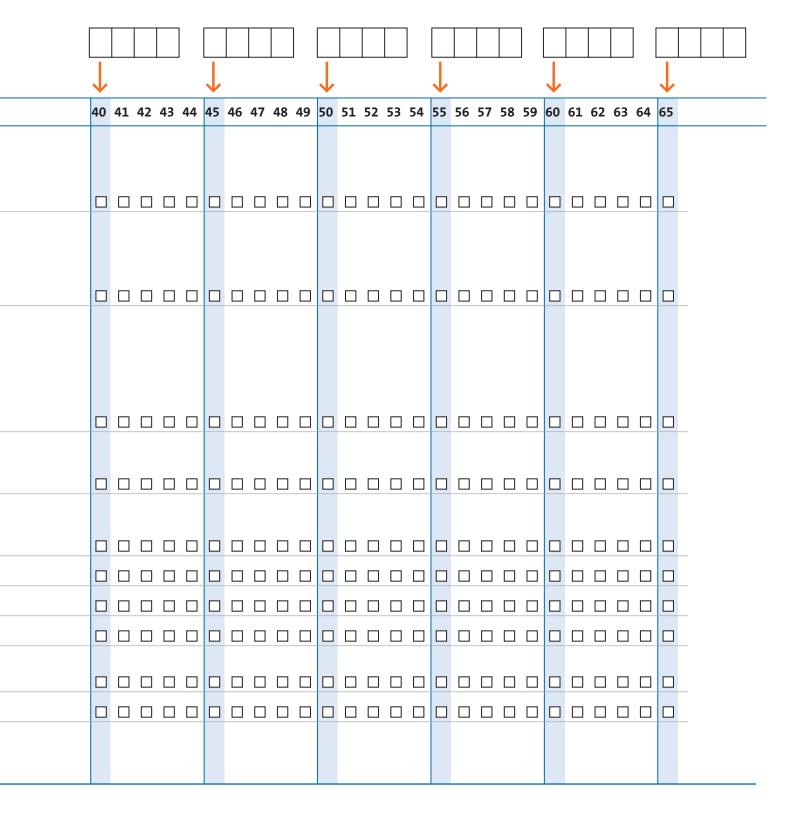
Ib0162 Ib0163 Ib0164 Ib0165 Ib0166 Ib0167 Ib0168 Ib0169 Ib0170 Ib0171

Please fill out the table below as follows:

- 1. Please enter the year in which you turned 15, 20, 25, etc. up to your present age in the boxes at the top.
- 2. Then in the boxes below, select how you have spent your life since the age of 15—from when to when you were in school, when you were in occupational training, when you were employed, and so on. It's important that you select an answer for EVERY year of your life up to the present day / up to the age of 65. If you were doing more than one thing in a particular year, you can select more than one box.

doing more than one thing in a particular year, you can select more than one box.																									
→ Please fill in the year																									
	1					1					1					\					1				
At the age of	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39
years I was	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
attending school / university / night school																									
completing an apprenticeship / vocational training / further education / retraining																									
in (voluntary) military / community service ¹ , voluntary social / ecological year ² , federal volunteer service ³ , at war, in captivity																									
employed full-time (including regular / professional soldiers)																									
employed part-time or marginally employed																									
in short-time work																									
unemployed																									
homemaker																									
retired / in early retirement																									
other																									

¹ freiwilliger Wehrdienst / Zivildienst, ² freiwilliges soziales / ökologisches Jahr, ³ Bundesfreiwilligendienst



School Education / School Completion

147	What was the last year you attended school?					
b0182 b0183	The We are not referring here to schools that provide vocational training, such as vocational schools or vocational academies (Berufsschulen, Berufsakademien).					
	In the year: Continue with question 148					
	I am still attending school \square \longrightarrow Continue with question 155, page 34					
	Have never attended school \bigcirc Continue with question 156, page 34					
148	Where did you last attend school?					
b0186_v2	In Germany up to 1949 4 🔲					
	In one of the federal states of the Federal Republic of Germany 1 Continue with question 152					
	In the former East Germany					
	In another country 3 Continue with question 149					
149	How many years did you attend school?					
b0187	Years					
150	What type of school-leaving certificate did you attain?					
b0188	Left school without graduating					
	Graduated from mandatory schooling with school-leaving certificate					
	Graduated from higher-level secondary school with school-leaving certificate $_3$					
151	Can you remember your last report card from school? What were your grades in the following subjects?					
m0404_v3 m0408 m0636	Excellent Good Satis- Sufficient Unsatis- Poor Did not factory factory take this subject					
	Official school language					
	Mathematics					
	First foreign language					
	→ Continue with question 156, page 34					

Continue with question 156, page 34

152	What federal state is your last school lo	ocated in to	oday?					
lb1375	Baden-Wuerttemberg			8 🔲				
	Bavaria			9 🔲				
	Berlin		1	1 🔲				
	Brandenburg		1	2				
	Bremen			4 🔲				
	Hamburg			2 🔲				
	Hesse			6				
	Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania		1	.3				
	Lower Saxony			3				
	North Rhine-Westphalia			5				
	Rhineland-Palatinate			7				
	Saarland		1	.0				
	Saxony		1	4				
	Saxony-Anhalt		1	.5				
	Schleswig-Holstein			1 🔲				
	Thuringia		1	6				
	School location no longer part of Germ	any	1	7				
153	What type of school-leaving certificate	did you at						
lb0191 Isab8 Isab9	🖙 Please select one answer only.		\\	ase state: la:	st school ty	pe attended	1	
	Left school without graduating	_ 1 □ →						
	Lower track (Volksschule / Hauptschule 8th grade GDR)	2 🗆						
	Intermediate track (Realschule / Mittlere Reife / 10th grade GDR)	3 🔲						
	Vocational school (Fachoberschule)	4	Pla	ace state: tv	pe of schoo	l-leaving ce	rtificate a	ttained
	Upper track (Abitur / Hochschulreife)	5	176	ase state. ty	pe or serioo	i leaving ce	Tillicate a	
	Other school-leaving certificate	6 □ →						
154	Can you remember your last report car	d from scho	ool? Wha	ıt were voı	ur grades i	n the follo	wing sub	iects?
lb0143_v3 lb0144_v3 lb0145_v3		Excellent	Good	•	Sufficient		Poor	Did not take this
		1	2	3	4	5	6	subject
	German		 				<u></u> _	
	Mathematics		 []		U []	 	 	
	First foreign language							

155 Ib0194_v2	Thinking about your classmates in the last year of school you attended, or your current classmates if you're still in school: How many of your classmates were/are not from Germany or have parents who were/are not from Germany – in other words, how many have a family history of migration?			
	্রে Please select one answer only.			
	AII			
	Most 2 \square			
	Approximately half			
	Approximately one-fourth $_4$ \square			
	Fewer than one-fourth 5			
	None 6			
156	Do you intend to attain a school-leaving certificate in the future?			
lb0195_v2	Yes, maybe			
	Yes, definitely Continue with question 157			
	No ₃ □ → Continue with question 158			
157	What is the highest degree you plan to attain?			
lb1339_v1	Terror Please select one answer only.			
	Lower track (Volksschule / Hauptschule)			
	Intermediate track (Realschule / Mittlere Reife)			
	Vocational school (Fachoberschule)			
	Upper track (Abitur / Hochschulreife) 4			

Vocational Training / University Education

Have you completed vocational training or university studies in Germany? lb0197 $_{2}$ \longrightarrow Continue with question 160, page 36 No 159 What type of vocational or university degree did you attain and when did you attain it? Please select all that apply. lb0575 lab02x Yes Year lb0200 v3 Please state the occupation Apprenticeship (Lehre), lab03x Vocational degree as skilled lb0216 worker (Facharbeiterabschluss) lb0577 lab04x Full-time vocational school lb0203_v2 (Berufsfachschule), commercial lb0578 Please state the occupation lab05x1 college (Handelsschule), lab05x2 Health sector school (Schule des lb0209_v2 Gesundheitswesens) lb0579 lab06x1 lab06x2 Please state the occupation Higher level trade or technical lb0205_v3 school (e.g., Meisterschule, Ib0580 lab07x1 Technikerschule) lab07x2 lb0574 lb0581 Please state the occupation lab40x1 lab40x2 Training for civil servants (Beamtenausbildung) lb0206_v3 lb0582 Please state the career path lab08x Technical or professionally oriented college (Fachhochschule, Please state degree Berufsakademie; formerly also engineer or teacher training) Please state subject(s) Please state degree University or university-level degree Please state subject(s) Please state degree Doctoral studies (Promotion) Please state subject(s) Please state degree Other degree

0	Did you pursue university studies or vocational training in a different country than Germany?
	Yes $_{1}$ \square No $_{2}$ \square \rightarrow Continue with question 170
	lack lack lack lack
ļ	What kind of vocational training was it?
	The Please select all that apply.
	I received in-house training at a company
	I completed an extended apprenticeship at a company
	I attended a vocational school
	I attended a vocational school I attended a university / higher education institution
	I completed a doctoral degree at a university
	Other
2	In what year did you complete this vocational training?
	In the year:
	Did you receive a certificate of graduation or diploma upon completion of this vocational training?
	Yes 1
	No 2 \square
	Did you apply to have your degree recognized in Germany?
	Yes $\frac{1}{2}$ No $\frac{1}{2}$ Continue with question 169
	V
	What German occupation did you name in your application for recognition of your degree or qualification
;	When did you apply to have your degree recognized?
	्रि If you can't remember exactly, please estimate.
	Month Year
7	And was your qualification or degree recognized in Germany?
_	The application process is still underway 1 \square \rightarrow Continue with question 170
	Yes, partly
	ics, partiy
	Yes, equivalent 3 Continue with question 168

168	And when did you receive the decision?				
lbesm Ibesj	🖙 If you can't remember exactly, please estimate.				
	→ Continue with question 170 Month Year				
169	Why didn't you apply to have your degree or qualifications recognized?				
lb1039_v2	Ter Please select one answer only.				
	The recognition is not important to me because I am legally permitted to practice my profession without it				
	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 \Box				
	The recognition process is too bureaucratic / time-consuming				
	I have no chance of having my degree recognized				
	Other reasons 7				
170	Do you intend to complete vocational / occupational training or attain a university degree in the future?				
lb0238_v2	No $\Box \rightarrow$ Continue with question 172, page 38				
	Yes, maybe Yes, definitely 2 Continue with question 171				
171	Which of the following degrees do you plan to attain?				
lb0239 lb0240 lb0241	Terplease select all that apply.				
lb0242 lb0243 lb0244	Apprenticeship				
lb0244 lb0245	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)				
	Dual study program / college of advanced vocational study \Box				
	Technical or professional college (Fachhochschule)				

University

Your Parents

The following questions are about your parents. Please answer the questions about your mother and father in the corresponding columns.

Please answer questions 173 to 188 in columns, that is, all of these questions for your father first and then for your mother.

	Do your mother and father		
	live in this household?	Father	Mother
	Yes	1 — → Mother, Question 172	1 ☐ → Question 189, page 43
	No	2	2 🔲
173	What year was your father / mother born?		
b0083_v1	Year of birth:		
174	Where was your father / mother born?		
b1344_v2 b1343_v2	In Germany, within its pre-war (1937) borders	1 🗆	1 🔲
	On German territory between 1938 and 1949	2 🗆	2 🗆
	In the Federal Republic of Germany (including West Berlin)	₃ ☐ → Question 175	₃ ☐ → Question 175
	In the German Democratic Republic (including East Berlin)	4 🗆	4 🔲
	In Saarland between 1947 and 1956	5 🔲	5 🔲
	In Germany since 1990	6 🔲	6 🔲
	In another country	₇ 🗌 > Question 176	₇ 🔲 → Question 176

What federal state is your father's / mother's birthplace located in today?

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If one parent was born in another country, please answer the question for the other parent only.

	Father	Mother
Baden-Wuerttemberg	8 🗖	8 1
Bavaria	9 🔲	9 🔲
Berlin	11 🔲	11 🔲
Brandenburg	12 🔲	12 🔲
Bremen	4 🔲	4 🔲
Hamburg	2 🔲	2 🔲
Hesse	6 🔲	6 🔲
Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania	\longrightarrow Question 179,	\longrightarrow Question 179,
Lower Saxony	₃ page 53	₃ page 40
North Rhine-Westphalia	5 🔲	5 🔲
Rhineland-Palatinate	7 🔲	7 🔲
Saarland	10	10 🔲
Saxony	14 🔲	14 🔲
Saxony-Anhalt	15 🔲	15 🔲
Schleswig-Holstein	1 🗆	1 🗆
Thuringia	16	16 🔲
Birthplace no longer part of Germany	₁₇ — → Question 176	₁₇ — → Question 176
What country is your father's / mother's birthplace located in today? Please give the country's present-day German name.		
Did your father / mother move to the present-day territory of Germany?	1 → Question 178	Question 178
Yes		
<u>No</u>	2	2
What year did your father / mother move to the present-day territory of Germany? Year		

179 Where does your father / mother live today?

lb0078_v3 lb0079_v3

Please give only one answer for your father and one answer for your mother.

		Father	Mother
	Here in this city/town, but in a different household	1 🔲	1 🔲
	Elsewhere in Germany	₅ Question 182	5 ☐ → Question 182
	In a different country	4 🔲	4 🔲
	Parent is deceased	6 ☐ → Question 181	6 ☐ → Question 181
180	Is your father / mother still living?		
lb1383 lb1384	Yes	$_1$ \longrightarrow Question 182	$_1$ \longrightarrow Question 182
	No, is deceased	₂	₂ Question 181
181	When did your father / mother die?		
lb0080_v1 lb0081_v1	Year of death:		
182 Im0057i01_v Im0057i02_v	Does or did your father / mother have German citizenship?		
	Please give only one answer for your father and one answer for your mother.		
	Yes, since birth	$_{1}$ \longrightarrow Question 184	$_1$ \longrightarrow Question 184
	Yes, based on recognition of his / her ethnic German status	2 🔲	2 🔲
	Yes, through naturalization	3 Question 183	₃ ☐ → Question 183
	No	4 🔲	4 🔲
183 lv03e lm03e	What citizenship does / did your father / mother hold?		
inose	If your parent was naturalized or granted citizenship based on ethnic German status, please state their prior citizenship.		

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

lvrel Imrel

Please give only one answer for your father and one answer for your mother.

		Father	Mother
Yes, member of the Catholic	church	1 🗆	1 🗆
Yes, member of the Protesta	nt church	2 🔲	2
Yes, member of another Chri religious group	stian	з 🔲	з 🔲
Yes, member of an Islamic re	ligious group	4 🔲	4 🔲
Yes, member of another relig	ious group	5 🔲	5
No, no religious affiliation		6 🗆	6 🗆
What level of schooling did y mother complete?	our father /		
If they completed school country, please designate			
r Please give only one ans father and one answer fo			
No school-leaving certificate		1 🔲	1 🔲
Lower track (Volksschule / Ha 8th grade GDR)	auptschule /	2 🔲	2 🔲
Intermediate track (Mittlere Realschule / 10th grade GDR		з 🔲	з 🔲
Upper track (Abitur / Hochso	hulreife / EOS)	4 🔲	4 🔲
Other type of school		5	5
Don't know		6 🗆	6 🔲
Did your father / mother convocational training or a univ			
্রেল If they completed school country, please designat			
Please give only one ans father and one answer for			
Yes, vocational training		1 🗆	1 🔲
Yes, university degree		2 🔲	2 🔲
No, he did not complete train a university degree	ning or	з 🔲	з 🔲
Don't know		4	4

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lb0118 lb0119 Which of the following categories describes your father's / mother's occupational status when you were 15 years old?

If your father / mother was in a occupational status, please provide both the top category (printed in blue) and the subcategory listed below it. Please provide this information for your father and for your mother.

	Father	Mother —	
Was not economically active	5 D Mother, Question	5 ☐ → Question 189	
Was deceased	6 172, page 38	6 Question 189	
	_	_	
Blue-collar worker			
(also in agriculture)	1 📙	1 📙	
	V	₩	
Unskilled worker	1 📙	1 📙	
Semi-skilled worker	2 🔲	2 📙	
Skilled / specialist worker	3 🗀	3 🔲	
Foreman, group leader	4 📙	4 📙	
Master tradesman/craftsman, site foreman	5 🗀	5 🚨	
White-collar worker	2 🔲	2 🔲	
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	
Salaried employee engaged in unskilled	*	~	
activities without completed training / education	2 🔲	2 🔲	
Salaried employee engaged in unskilled	2 🗀	<u> </u>	
activities with completed training /	_		
education	3 📙	3 🔲	
Salaried employee engaged in skilled activities (e.g., executive officer,			
bookkeeper, technical draftsman)	4 🔲	4 🔲	
Salaried employee engaged in highly skilled			
activities or in managerial function (e.g.,			
scientist, engineer, department head, Industry or factory foreman / forewoman)	5	5 🔲	
Salaried employee in senior management			
role (e.g., managing director, business			
manager, head of a large firm or concern)	6 🗀	6 🗀	
Managing partner or similar white-collar employee in self-owned business / company	7 🔲	7 🗆	
Civil servant or public administration			
employee (including judges and professional soldiers)	з 🔲	3 🔲	
p.o.cosional solution,	<u> </u>	<u></u>	
Lower level	1 D	, □	
Middle level	2 🔲	2 🗆	
Upper level	3 🔲	3 🗆	
Executive level	4 🔲	4 🔲	
	_	_	

		Father	Mother
b0120_v2	Self-employed or working for self-employed family member	4 🔲	4 🔲
121_v2		↓	lack lack lack
	Self-employed farmer without employees	1 🔲	1
	Self-employed farmer with employees	2 🗆	2 🔲
	Freelance professional, self-employed academic without employees	3 🗖	з 🔲
	Freelance professional, self-employed academic with employees	4 🔲	4 🔲
	Other self-employed worker / entrepreneur without employees	5 🔲	5 🔲
188 Iv07 Im07	Other self-employed worker / entrepreneur with employees	6 🔲	6 🔲
	Family member working for self-employed relative	7 🗆	7 🔲
	What job did you father / mother do at the time?		
	The Please give the precise German designation.		
		→ Mother, Question 172, page 38	→ Question 189

Your Grandparents — First, Your Father's Parents

The following questions are about your father's parents.

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- If you are unable to answer some of the questions precisely, please give an estimate.
- 🖅 If you have no idea, leave the answer blank.
- The Please answer questions 189 through 194 in columns, so first answer all of these questions for your grandfather and then for your grandmother.

	What year was your grandfather /				
	grandmother born?	Grandfather	Grandmother		
	Year of birth:				
190 b1387 b1388	Where was your grandfather / grandmother born?				
101300	In Germany, within its pre-war (1937) borders	1 🗆	1 🔲		
	On German territory between 1938 and 1949	2 🗖	2 🗆		
	In the Federal Republic of Germany (including West Berlin)	→ Question 191, page 44	Question 191,		
	In the German Democratic Republic (including East Berlin)	4 🗆	4 🗆		
	In Saarland between 1947 and 1956	5 🔲	5 🔲		
	In Germany since 1990	6 🗆	6 🗆		
	In another country	7 ☐ → Question 192, page 44	7 ☐ → Question 192, page 44		

191 What federal state is your grandfather's / grandmother's birthplace located in today?

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lb1395 lb1396 if one grandparent was born in another country, please answer the question only for the other grandparent.

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	Grandfather	Grandmother
Baden-Wuerttemberg	8 🔲	8 🗆
Bavaria	9 🔲	9 🔲
Berlin	11 🔲	11 🔲
Brandenburg	12 🔲	12 🔲
Bremen	4 🔲	4 🔲
Hamburg	2 🔲	2 🗆
Hesse	6 🗆	6 🗆
Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania	Grandmother, Question 189,	Question 195
Lower Saxony	3 page 43	3 🔲
North Rhine-Westphalia	5 🔲	5 🔲
Rhineland-Palatinate	7 🔲	7 🗆
Saarland	10	10
Saxony	14 🔲	14 🔲
Saxony-Anhalt	15 🔲	15 🔲
Schleswig-Holstein	1 🗆	1 🗆
Thuringia	16	16
Birthplace no longer part of Germany	₁₇ Question 192	₁₇ Question 192
What country is your grandfather's / grandmother's birthplace located in today?		
雷 Please give the country's present-day German name.		
Did your grandfather / grandmother move to the present-day territory of Germany?		
Yes	$_1$ \longrightarrow Question 194	$_{1}$ \longrightarrow Question 194
No	2 ☐ → Grandmother, Question 189, page 43	2 Question 195
What year did your grandfather / grandmother move to the present-day territory of Germany?		
Year:	Grandmother, Question 189, page 43	→ Question 195

Your Grandparents — Now, Your Mother's Parents

195 The following questions are about your mother's parents.

lb1399 lb1400

- If you are unable to answer some of the questions precisely, please give an estimate.
- *If you have no idea, leave the answer blank.*
- Please answer questions 195 through 200 in columns, so first answer all of these questions for your grandfather and then for your grandmother.

	What year was your grandfather /								
	grandmother born?		Grandfather	Grandmother					
	Year of birth:								
196 b1401 b1402	Where was your grandfather / grandmother born?								
	In Germany, within its pre-war (1937) borders	₁ □		₁ □					
	On German territory between 1938 and 1949	2 🔲		2 🔲					
	In the Federal Republic of Germany (including West Berlin)	з 🔲	Ouestion 197,	3 🔲	→ Question 197, page 46				
	In the German Democratic Republic (including East Berlin)	4 🔲	puge 40	4 🔲	page 40				
	In Saarland between 1947 and 1956	5 🔲		5					
	In Germany since 1990	6 🔲		6 🔲					
	In another country	7 🔲	Question 198, page 46	7 🔲 -	Question 198, page 46				

197 What federal state is your grandfather's / grandmother's birthplace located in today?

lgvbgeb2 lgmbgeb2

if one grandparent was born in another country, please answer the question only for the other grandparent.

,			,				
			Grandfather	Grandmother			
Baden-Wuerttemberg		8 🔲		8 🔲			
Bavaria		9 🔲		9 🔲			
Berlin		11 🔲		11 🔲			
Brandenburg		12		12			
Bremen		4 🔲		4 🔲			
Hamburg		2		2 🔲			
Hesse		6 🔲		6 🗆			
Mecklenburg-Western Po	omerania	13	→ Grandmother, Question 195,	13 🔲	Ouestion 201		
Lower Saxony		3 🔲	page 45	з 🔲			
North Rhine-Westphalia		5		5 🗌			
Rhineland-Palatinate		7		7 🔲			
Saarland		10		10			
Saxony		14 🔲		14			
Saxony-Anhalt		15		15 🗆			
Schleswig-Holstein		1 🗆		1 🗆			
Thuringia		16		16 🔲			
Birthplace no longer part	of Germany	17 🔲 🗖	Question 198	17 🔲 🗕	→ Question 198		
198 What country is your graging grandmother's birthplace	ndfather's / e located in today?						
্ৰেল Please give the coun German name.	try's present-day						
Did your grandfather / g b1409 to the present-day territor							
Yes		1 🗆 🗖	Question 200	1 🔲 -	Ouestion 200		
No		2	Grandmother, Question 195, page 45	2 -	→ Question 201		
What year did your grand grandmother move to the territory of Germany?			. 5				
Year:							
			andmother, estion 195, page 45	\rightarrow	Question 201		

201 Do you or did you have any siblings?

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Siblings includes biological, half, step, and adoptive brothers and sisters.

Yes	$_{1}$ \square \rightarrow Please state:		siblings	No	2 -	Continue with
		1				question 202, page 48

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.

					to birth		cate	ner siste	Ty dentition of the state of th	pe of s	sibling A sight ster ster ster ster ster ster ster ste	district of the state of the st	Did you spend your entire childhood living together?
	Year and month of birth	Male	temal 2	e "Diver	No entr	Biolo	Twin'	Twin!	Half.	ster'	Adok	Yes 1	No, only:
1.													Years
2.													Years
3.													Years
4.													Years
5.													Years
6.													Years
7.													Years
8.													Years
9.													Years
10.													Years

Do you or did you have children? If so, how many?

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Both biological and adoptive children are included (but not foster or stepchildren)

Yes	$_{1}$ \longrightarrow Please state: children	No, I never had children $_2$ \square $ o$ <i>Continue with</i>
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Please give us the following information for each of your children (maximum ten children).

| Boom | For all children, please tell us the respective year of birth, then the gender according to the birth certificate | Boom | Solution | Boom | Boo

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gene gleichgeschlechtliche Partnerschaft). All of these questions deal with your relationship, whether you are A lb0788 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 lb0684 v2 lb0637 before. In the case of past relationships, we are talking about relationships that lasted six months or longer. lh1221 lb1217 lb1105 whenever referring to marriage, we are also referring to registered same-sex partnerships! lb0312 v2 Go through the columns in order from top to bottom starting with A from 1 to 6, then B from 1 to 6, and so lb0314_v2 on. If you have the option of skipping questions, this will be indicated with an arrow and the point you lb1196 should skip to. For instance, B5 means skip to column B, question 5! lb1210 lb1203 A. Are you current-B. Did you have C. Did you have D. Did you have lpend2b lb1206 ly in a relationa relationship a relationship a relationship lb1214 ship? before that? before that? before that? lh1222 lb1218 lb1106 Yes No Yes lb0315 v2 $_2\Box \rightarrow p.50$ $_2\Box \rightarrow p.50$ $_2\Box \rightarrow p.50$ lb0317_v2 lb1197 lb1211 1. The relationship ... lb1204 lb1207 ... started in the year: lb1201 lb1215 lb1223 2. The relationship ... lb1219 lb1107 ... ended in the year: lb0318_v2 lb0319 ... and ended lb0320 v2 separation $_1\Box$ separation separation because of: lb1198 2 2 2 death death death lb1212 lb1205 lpend2d Do or did you live 3. lb1208 lb1216 together? lh1224 lb1220 $\square \rightarrow A5$ $\square \rightarrow B5$ $\square \rightarrow c_5$ $\square \rightarrow D5$ No lh1108 lb0992 lb0993 Yes, we moved in lb1104 together in the year: Do you still live together? Yes No, we stopped living together in the year: Are you or were you married to this person? $\square \rightarrow B$ $c \square \rightarrow c$ $_{2}\square
ightarrow D$ $\square \rightarrow p.50$ No Yes, we got married in the year: Are you still married to this person? П Yes No, the marriage ended in the year: ... and ended 2 2 divorce divorce divorce divorce because of: 3 3 death death death Skip to B 뉮 Skip to C 뉮 Skip to D 🔷 p. 50

The following questions deal with partnership and marriage or registered same-sex partnerships (eingetra-

Α	Please state your birthdate.
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C	When did you finish filling out the questionnaire?
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D	Approximately how long did it take you to complete this questionnaire?
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E	Were other persons present while you were filling out the questionnaire?
anw1 anw2	Please select all answers that apply.
anw3 anw4	Yes, spouse / partner
	Yes, other person who is living in the same household \Box \rightarrow Continue with question F
	Yes, other person who does not live in the same household \Box
	No $\square \rightarrow \textit{End of question naire}$
F	Did any of the aforementioned people bother you while you were filling out the questionnaire?
abl	Yes 1
	No 2

Thank you for taking part.

Please give the completed questionnaire to our interviewer or send it back to infas in the enclosed postage-paid envelope:

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