

■ Table 1.7.3

Regional breakdown of R&D personnel in the Federal Republic of Germany¹

| Federal Land | Full-time equivalents | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|
| | 2014 | | 2015 | | 2016 | | 2017 | | 2018 | |
| | Number | in % | Number | in % | Number | in % | Number | in % | Number | in % |
| Baden-Württemberg | 140.937 | 23,3 | 151.051 | 23,6 | 154.715 | 23,5 | 171.063 | 25,0 | 176.158 | 24,9 |
| Bavaria | 116.207 | 19,2 | 125.263 | 19,6 | 128.031 | 19,5 | 129.889 | 18,9 | 134.216 | 19,0 |
| Berlin | 33.001 | 5,5 | 34.785 | 5,4 | 35.372 | 5,4 | 35.311 | 5,2 | 36.276 | 5,1 |
| Brandenburg | 9.641 | 1,6 | 9.888 | 1,5 | 10.352 | 1,6 | 11.104 | 1,6 | 11.330 | 1,6 |
| Bremen | 6.597 | 1,1 | 7.045 | 1,1 | 7.234 | 1,1 | 7.171 | 1,0 | 7.377 | 1,0 |
| Hamburg | 15.125 | 2,5 | 16.176 | 2,5 | 16.798 | 2,6 | 18.180 | 2,7 | 18.890 | 2,7 |
| Hesse | 47.602 | 7,9 | 51.855 | 8,1 | 53.978 | 8,2 | 55.049 | 8,0 | 56.793 | 8,0 |
| Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania | 6.113 | 1,0 | 6.005 | 0,9 | 6.116 | 0,9 | 6.252 | 0,9 | 6.359 | 0,9 |
| Lower Saxony | 49.239 | 8,1 | 51.888 | 8,1 | 53.341 | 8,1 | 53.939 | 7,9 | 55.620 | 7,9 |
| North Rhine-Westphalia | 97.878 | 16,2 | 101.272 | 15,8 | 104.468 | 15,9 | 107.553 | 15,7 | 110.282 | 15,6 |
| Rhineland-Palatinate | 20.132 | 3,3 | 22.084 | 3,5 | 23.025 | 3,5 | 22.341 | 3,3 | 23.076 | 3,3 |
| Saarland | 4.385 | 0,7 | 4.634 | 0,7 | 4.826 | 0,7 | 5.189 | 0,8 | 5.264 | 0,7 |
| Saxony | 27.458 | 4,5 | 28.628 | 4,5 | 29.304 | 4,5 | 30.892 | 4,5 | 31.830 | 4,5 |
| Saxony-Anhalt | 8.078 | 1,3 | 7.640 | 1,2 | 7.659 | 1,2 | 7.884 | 1,2 | 8.235 | 1,2 |
| Schleswig-Holstein | 11.140 | 1,8 | 10.708 | 1,7 | 10.999 | 1,7 | 11.557 | 1,7 | 11.886 | 1,7 |
| Thuringia | 11.285 | 1,9 | 11.176 | 1,7 | 11.236 | 1,7 | 12.101 | 1,8 | 12.488 | 1,8 |
| Länder, total | 604.818 | 100,0 | 640.099 | 100,0 | 657.455 | 100,0 | 685.477 | 100,0 | 706.079 | 100,0 |
| Of which, Eastern German Länder and Berlin | 95.576 | 15,8 | 98.123 | 15,3 | 100.038 | 15,2 | 103.545 | 15,1 | 106.518 | 15,1 |
| Abroad | 435 | - | 416 | - | 439 | - | 872 | - | 1.625 | - |
| Total | 605.252 | - | 640.515 | - | 657.894 | - | 686.349 | - | 707.704 | - |

1 In even years, the R&D personnel of the business enterprise sector is based on the regional breakdown of the respective previous year.

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