

SDG Goal 16 Peace, justice and strong institutions

SDG Target 16.1 Significantly reduce all forms of violence and related death rates everywhere

SDG Indicator 16.1.4 Proportion of population that feel safe walking alone around the area they live

1. Name of data series	
Population not living in an area with crime, violence or vandalism	
Compliant with SDG metadata: no	SDG Metadata
2. Definition of indicator	
The indicator measures the proportion of the population (adults) who feel safe walking alone in their neighborhood.	
3. Comparison with SDG metadata (as of 03/08/2018)	
Additional indicator The indicator does not measure how safe the population feels when walking alone in their area/neighborhood. Instead it measures whether there is crime, violence or vandalism in the surrounding area which can be taken as a proxy for the perceived safety.	
4. Data description	
The data on the prevalence and occurrence of crime, violence or vandalism in the surrounding area is collected in the EU statistics on income and living conditions EU-SILC). Europe-wide harmonised and comparable indicators for the monitoring of poverty and social exclusion in the European Union are determined with the EU-SILC-survey. The basis is a consistent, for all Member States binding, methodological standard. 14,000 households consisting of 23,000 persons above the age of 16 are surveyed every year in Germany on a voluntary basis for EU-SILC. The survey is conducted annually since the year 2005. Since the survey year 2008 the EU-SILC-survey is realised as random sample. Thereby a quarter of the sample is annually exchanged by a new drawn random sample.	
5. Calculation method	
$\text{Population not living in an area with crime, violence or vandalism} = \frac{\text{Population answering the question whether there is crime, violence or vandalism in the surrounding area of the home with no [number]}}{\text{Total population [number]}}$	
6. Unit of measure	%
7. Timeliness	8. Frequency
t + 1 year	Annual
9. Last regular revision	10. Revised period
Not available	Not available

11. Accessibility of source data
Material deprivation for the 'Housing' dimension; Eurostat – SDG_16_20 http://appsso.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/nui/show.do?dataset=SDG_16_20&lang=en
12. Metadata on source data
Quality report of Living in Europe Community Statistics on Income and Living Conditions (EU-SILC) (only available in German): “Gemeinschaftsstatistik über Einkommen und Lebensbedingungen” https://www.destatis.de/DE/Methoden/Qualitaet/Qualitaetsberichte/Einkommen-Konsum-Lebensbedingungen/einfuehrung.html
13. Related SDG data series (duplicate indicators or sub-indicators to same indicator)
Not available

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