SDG Goal 3 Good health and well-being

SDG Target 3.4 By 2030, reduce by one third premature mortality from non-

communicable diseases through prevention and treatment and

promote mental health and well-being

SDG Indicator 3.4.2 Suicide mortality rate

Time series Mortality due to suicide

1. General information on the time series

• Date of national metadata: 04 May 2022

• National data: http://sdg-indikatoren.de/en/3-4-2/

• Definition: The time series measures the number of suicide deaths, expressed per 100,000 inhabitants classified with the following ICD-10-diagnosis codes:

- X60-X84

- Y87.0

ICD-10 is the International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems 10th Revision (German Modification).

• Disaggregation: Not available.

2. Comparison with global metadata

• Date of global metadata: May 2021

• Global metadata: https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/metadata/files/Metadata-03-04-02.pdf

• The time series is compliant with the global metadata.

3. Data description

• The data on deaths is derived from the causes of death statistics conducted by the Federal Statistical Office (analysis of the official death certificates).

The population data comes from the intercensal population updates, the basis of which is the last census conducted in 2011. The population data is rolled forward using statistical results on natural population change (births, deaths) and migrations. For 2010, the population was calculated backwards using the 2011 census and migration, birth and death statistics.

4. Accessibility of source data

• Deaths - GBE:

https://www.gbe-

bund.de/gbe/pkg_isgbe5.prc_menu_olap?p_uid=gast&p_aid=36812520&p_sprache=E&p_help=2&p_indnr=6&p_version=1&p_ansnr=85812731

Average population – GENESIS online 12411-0041:

https://www-genesis.destatis.de/genesis//online?operation=table&code=12411-0041&bypass=true&levelindex=1&levelid=1639396599054#abreadcrumb

Population data based on Census 2011 – 1991 to 2011 (only available in German):

https://www.destatis.de/DE/Themen/Gesellschaft-

<u>Umwelt/Bevoelkerung/Bevoelkerungsstand/_inhalt.html#sprg233540</u>

5. Metadata on source data

Quality Report - Causes of Death Statistics (only available in German):
https://www.destatis.de/DE/Methoden/Qualitaet/Qualitaetsberichte/Gesundheit/todesursachen.pdf

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6. Timeliness and frequency

• Timeliness: t + 8.5 months

• Frequency: Annual

7. Calculation method

- Unit of measurement: Per 100,000 inhabitants
- Calculation method:

$$\begin{aligned} \textbf{Suicide mortality rate} &= \frac{\sum_{i} \text{Death of persons allocated to ICD } \textit{i}[\text{number}]}{\text{Population[number]}} \cdot 100,000 \end{aligned}$$

 $i \in \{X60; ...; X84; Y87.0\}$

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