

SDG Goal 16	Peace, justice and strong institutions
SDG Target 16.7	Ensure responsive, inclusive, participatory and representative decision-making at all levels
SDG Indicator 16.7.2	Proportion of population who believe decision-making is inclusive and responsive, by sex, age, disability and population group
Time series	Population who considers their experiences with public agencies free of discrimination during the previous two years

1. General information on the time series

- Date of national metadata: 21 October 2021
- National data: <http://sdg-indikatoren.de/en/16-7-2/>
- Definition: The time series measures the share of population who consider their experiences with public agencies in the previous two years free of discrimination.
The time series measures the share of respondents of the Life Situation Survey that agree with the following statement regarding their interaction with a government agency during the last two years
“In the context of my request I have personally felt disadvantaged due to for example sex, age, disability, ethnic origin, religion, sexual orientation.
”The given rating scale ranges from fully agree, rather agree, partly agree, rather disagree to fully disagree.
- Disaggregation: sex

2. Comparison with global metadata

- Date of global metadata: May 2021
- Global metadata: <https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/metadata/files/Metadata-16-07-02.pdf>
- The time series is not compliant with the global metadata, but provides additional information.

3. Data description

- Data are derived from the Life Situation Survey which is commissioned by the Federal Government and carried out by the Federal Statistical Office. In 2017 around 6,000 citizens and more than 2,000 business were interviewed.
The 2017 survey includes data on more government agencies than the 2015 survey.

4. Accessibility of source data

The time series is based on special evaluation of the Life Situation Survey. General information on the Life Situation Survey (only available in German):https://www.amtlich-einfach.de/DE/Ergebnisse/Buerger/Ergebnisse_node.html

5. Metadata on source data

- General information on the Life Situation Survey (only available in German):
https://www.amtlich-einfach.de/DE/Hintergrund/Zufriedenheitsbefragung/Zufriedenheitsbefragung_node.html

6. Timeliness and frequency

- Timeliness: t + 1 year
- Frequency: Every 2 years

7. Calculation method

- Unit of measurement: Percentage
- Calculation method:

$$\text{Experiences with public agencies free of discrimination} = \frac{\text{Respondents that fully agree, rather agree and partly agree to the statement [number]}}{\text{All respondents [number]}} \cdot 100[\%]$$