

SDG Goal 11	Sustainable cities and communities
SDG Target 11.4	Strengthen efforts to protect and safeguard the world's cultural and natural heritage
SDG Indicator 11.4.1	Total per capita expenditure on the preservation, protection and conservation of all cultural and natural heritage, by source of funding (public, private), type of heritage (cultural, natural) and level of government (national, regional, and local/ municipal)
Time series	Government expenditure on protection of biodiversity and landscape (COFOG division 5.4)

1. General information on the time series

- Date of national metadata: 16 January 2023
- National data: <http://sdg-indicators.de/11-4-1/>
- Definition: The time series measures the government expenditure on protection of biodiversity and landscape.
Government outlays include expenditures on services provided to individual persons and services provided on a collective basis (for further information see COFOG code 5.4).
- Disaggregation: Not available.

2. Comparability with the UN metadata

- Date of UN metadata: December 2023
- UN metadata: <https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/metadata/files/Metadata-11-04-01.pdf>
- The time series is not compliant with the UN metadata, but provides additional information.

3. Data description

- The data is part of the national accounts of the Federal Statistical Office. The data on government spending is classified based on the UN Classification of the Functions of Government (COFOG).

4. Access to data source

- National accounts – General government expenditure: functions of government (COFOG) – GENESIS online 81000-0413:
<https://www-genesis.destatis.de/genesis//online?operation=table&code=81000-0413&bypass=true&language=en>

5. Metadata on source data

- Quality Report – National Accounts:
<https://www.destatis.de/EN/Methods/Quality/QualityReports/National-Accounts-Domestic-Product/national-accounts.pdf>

6. Timeliness and frequency

- Timeliness: t + 8 months
- Frequency: Annual

7. Calculation method

- Unit of measurement: Billion EUR
- Calculation:

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Time series	Government expenditure on cultural services (COFOG division 8.2)

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