

SDG Goal 16 Peace, justice and strong institutions

SDG Target 16.10 Ensure public access to information and protect fundamental

freedoms, in accordance with national legislation and international

agreements

SDG Indicator 16.10.2 Number of countries that adopt and implement constitutional, statutory and/or

policy guarantees for public access to information

Time series UNESCO Survey on Public Access to Information

1. General information on the time series

• Date of national metadata: 7 December 2022

• National data: http://sdg-indicators.de/16-10-2/

- Definition: The time series measures the adoption and implementation of constitutional, statutory and/or policy guarantees for public access to information for Germany.
- Disaggregation: Not available.

2. Comparability with the global metadata

- Date of global metadata: July 2021
- Global metadata: https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/metadata/files/Metadata-16-10-02.pdf
- The time series is compliant with the global metadata, but refers only to Germany and not to all UNmember countries.

3. Data description

• The time series shows the evaluation of answers by Germany from the standardized survey by UNESCO. The eight key questions focus on the adaptation as well as implementation of constitutional, statutory and/or policy guarantees for public access to information. After weighting the answers and summing up the score, each country can be assigned a level (low, medium, high). The depicted time series shows these levels, where the scores stand for the following levels: 1 = low, 2 = medium, 3 = high.

4. Access to data source

Not available.

5. Metadata on source data

• Not available.

6. Timeliness and frequency

• Timeliness: Irregular

• Frequency: Annual

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7. Calculation method

- Unit of measurement: No unit
- Calculation:

Not available.

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