

	2020	2021	2022	+	-	2023
1 Big banks ¹	3	3	3	0	0	3
2 Regional and securities trading banks and other commercial banks ²	182	151	141	3	7	137
of which: Securities trading banks ²	31	0	0	0	0	0
3 Branches of foreign banks and securities trading banks ^{2,3}	181	107	102	4	4	102
of which: Branches of foreign securities trading banks ²	65	0	0	0	0	0
4 Landesbanken	6	6	6	0	0	6
5 Savings banks	377	371	362	0	8	354
6 Regional institutions of credit cooperatives	1	1	1	0	0	1
7 Credit cooperatives	804	759	722	0	39	683
8 Other credit institutions affiliated with the BVR ⁴	14	12	13	0	0	13
9 Mortgage banks	10	9	8	0	1	7
10 Special purpose banks	19	19	19	1	0	20
11 Private building and loan associations	10	10	10	0	1	9
12 Public building and loan associations ⁵	8	8	8	0	3	5
13 Housing enterprises with savings facilities ⁶	47	47	47	0	0	47
14 Central securities depositories ⁶	1	1	1	0	0	1
15 Guarantee banks and other banks ⁶	16	15	15	0	0	15
Total	1.679	1.519	1.458	8	63	1.403

1 DB Privat- und Firmenkundenbank AG was merged with DEUTSCHE BANK AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT on 15 May 2020.

2 Including securities trading banks up to 2020. Since the Investment Institutions Act entered into force on 26 June 2021, these no longer count as credit institutions.

3 Brexit became legally effective on 1 January 2021; branches of British banks are 2021 departures, unless they applied for authorisation pursuant to Section 53 of the German Banking Act.

4 Included in the "Credit cooperatives" category in the bank office statistics.

5 Two (previous year: two) institutions that are legally dependent departments or agencies of their respective Landesbanken are included in the figures for the "Public building and loan associations" category.

6 Groups not included in the banking statistics.

	1				2				3				4				5				6			
	Big banks (incl. Postbank successors)				Regional banks and other commercial banks				Branches of foreign banks				Landesbanken				Savings banks				Regional institutions of credit cooperatives			
	2022	+	-	2023	2022	+	-	2023	2022	+	-	2023	2022	+	-	2023	2022	+	-	2023	2022	+	-	2023
Baden-Württemberg	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	14	6	0	0	6	1	0	0	1	50	0	0	50	0	0	0	0
Bavaria	1	0	0	1	24	0	1	23	11	0	0	11	1	0	0	1	61	0	1	60	0	0	0	0
Berlin	0	0	0	0	10	1	1	10	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Brandenburg	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	11	0	0	0	0
Bremen	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Hamburg	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	15	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Hesse	2	0	0	2	48	2	1	49	57	3	4	56	2	0	0	2	33	0	1	32	1	0	0	1
Mecklenburg-West Pomerania	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	8	0	0	0	0
Lower Saxony	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	37	0	0	37	0	0	0	0
North Rhine-Westphalia	0	0	0	0	18	0	3	15	20	1	0	21	0	0	0	0	80	0	6	74	0	0	0	0
Rhineland-Palatinate	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	0	0
Saarland	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	6	0	0	6	0	0	0	0
Saxony	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	12	0	0	0	0
Saxony-Anhalt	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	12	0	0	0	0
Schleswig-Holstein	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	11	0	0	0	0
Thuringia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	16	0	0	0	0
Total	3	0	0	3	141	3	7	137	102	4	4	102	6	0	0	6	362	0	8	354	1	0	0	1

	7				8				9				10				11				12			
	Credit cooperatives				Other credit institutions affiliated with the BVR				Mortgage banks				Special purpose banks				Private building and loan associations				Public building and loan associations			
	2022	+	-	2023	2022	+	-	2023	2022	+	-	2023	2022	+	-	2023	2022	+	-	2023	2022	+	-	2023
Baden-Württemberg	143	0	8	135	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	3	1	0	0	1
Bavaria	198	0	13	185	5	0	0	5	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
Berlin	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brandenburg	11	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Bremen	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hamburg	3	0	0	3	2	0	0	2	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	1	0	1	0
Hesse	54	0	3	51	3	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	5	0	0	5	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1
Mecklenburg-West Pomerania	5	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lower Saxony	87	0	3	84	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0
North Rhine-Westphalia	110	0	5	105	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Rhineland-Palatinate	39	0	5	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Saarland	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Saxony	18	0	0	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Saxony-Anhalt	13	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schleswig-Holstein	22	0	1	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thuringia	10	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	722	0	39	683	13	0	0	13	8	0	1	7	19	0	0	20	10	0	1	9	8	0	3	5

	13				14				15				Total columns 1 to 15				
	Housing enterprises with savings facilities				Central securities depositories				Guarantee banks and other banks								
	2022	+	-	2023	2022	+	-	2023	2022	+	-	2023	2022	+ ¹	- ¹	2023	
Baden-Württemberg	14	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	234	0	8	226	Baden-Württemberg
Bavaria	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	312	0	17	295	Bavaria
Berlin	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	21	1	1	21	Berlin
Brandenburg	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	0	0	26	Brandenburg
Bremen	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	8	0	0	8	Bremen
Hamburg	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	35	0	1	34	Hamburg
Hesse	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	212	5	10	207	Hesse
Mecklenburg-West Pomerania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	1	14	Mecklenburg-West Pomerania
Lower Saxony	6	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	141	0	4	137	Lower Saxony
North Rhine-Westphalia	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	237	1	14	224	North Rhine-Westphalia
Rhineland-Palatinate	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	67	0	6	61	Rhineland-Palatinate
Saarland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	15	0	0	15	Saarland
Saxony	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	36	0	0	36	Saxony
Saxony-Anhalt	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	28	1	0	29	Saxony-Anhalt
Schleswig-Holstein	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	40	0	1	39	Schleswig-Holstein
Thuringia	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	31	0	0	31	Thuringia
Total	47	0	0	47	1	0	0	1	15	0	0	15	1.458	8	63	1.403	Total

	2020	2021	2022	Change	2023
1 Big banks ¹	5.146	4.037	3.719	-248	3.471
2 Regional and securities trading banks ² and other commercial banks	1.161	1.013	954	-13	941
of which: Securities trading banks ²	19	0	0	0	0
3 Branches of foreign banks and securities trading banks ^{2,3}	171	149	152	8	160
of which: Branches of foreign securities trading banks ²	6	0	0	0	0
4 Landesbanken	210	179	144	-5	139
5 Savings banks	8.318	7.732	7.326	-361	6.965
6 Regional institutions of credit cooperatives	13	13	13	0	13
7 Credit cooperatives	7.608	7.149	6.731	-301	6.430
8 Other credit institutions affiliated with the BVR ⁴	157	148	150	-5	145
9 Mortgage banks	37	32	31	0	31
10 Special purpose banks	5	6	7	0	7
11 Private building and loan associations	792	780	762	-19	743
12 Public building and loan associations ⁵	467	459	443	0	443
13 Housing enterprises with savings facilities	15	15	14	-1	13
14 Central securities depositories	0	0	0	0	0
15 Guarantee banks and other banks	0	0	0	0	0
Total	24.100	21.712	20.446	-945	19.501

1 Figures for Deutsche Bank AG also include the partner branches of the former Deutsche Postbank AG.

2 Including securities trading banks up to 2020. Since the Investment Institutions Act entered into force on 26 June 2021, these no longer count as credit institutions.

3 Excluding the branches mentioned in Annex 1 (the first branch of a foreign bank in Germany is recorded as a credit institution pursuant to Section 53(1) of the German Banking Act).

4 Included in the "Credit cooperatives" category in the bank office statistics.

5 Two (previous year: two) institutions that are legally dependent departments or agencies of their respective Landesbanken are included in the figures for the "Public building and loan asso

As at year-end	All bank categories ¹	Commercial banks				Landesbanker ^{4,8}	Savings banks	Regional inst. of credit cooperatives	Credit cooperatives ⁵	Mortgage banks	Special purpose banks ⁷	Building and loan associations	Investment companies ⁶
		Total	of which: Big banks	Regional ^{2,3,7,8} and other commercial banks	Private banks ³								
1988	160	129	100	28	1	18	-	7	-	-	3	3	-
1989	164	131	97	32	2	19	-	8	-	-	3	3	-
1990	177	141	100	39	2	22	-	8	-	-	3	3	-
1991	175	137	98	37	2	22	-	8	-	-	3	5	-
1990	214	163	100	60	3	35	-	13	-	-	3	-	-
1991	217	163	104	56	3	37	-	14	-	-	3	-	-
1995	255	184	123	57	4	31	3	8	10	-	4	14	-
1996	264	186	128	53	5	37	3	8	10	2	4	13	-
1997	273	186	130	50	6	40	3	8	9	2	6	13	1
1998	290	197	148	49	-	43	3	9	9	6	3	14	1
1999	308	202	151	51	-	46	3	9	9	12	5	14	8
2000	324	208	154	54	-	48	3	9	8	14	4	14	10
2001	329	208	153	55	-	50	3	9	8	16	4	14	11
2002	323	209	155	54	-	54	2	7	6	13	4	8	14
2003	322	209	153	56	-	54	1	7	5	14	4	8	14
2004	303	184	109	75	-	53	2	6	5	14	5	6	21
2005	292	167	111	63	-	49	2	6	11	12	5	6	27
2006	309	194	118	76	-	46	2	6	6	19	6	6	24
2007	292	168	115	53	-	48	2	6	6	21	6	6	29
2008	275	180	117	63	-	50	2	6	6	19	7	5	-
2009	253	168	101	67	-	47	2	5	5	14	7	5	-
2010	259	173	99	74	-	44	2	5	9	14	7	5	-
2011	260	173	101	72	-	44	2	5	11	13	7	5	-
2012 ⁵	254	181	102	79	-	29	1	5	12	15	6	5	-
2013 ⁵	252	180	100	80	-	27	1	6	12	14	6	6	-
2014 ⁶	246	178	99	79	-	24	1	6	12	13	6	6	-
2015 ⁶	240	178	99	79	-	23	1	5	11	10	6	6	-
2016 ⁶	234	176	94	82	-	22	0	5	11	9	6	5	-
2017 ⁶	224	177	93	84	-	23	0	4	7	8	1	4	-
2018 ⁶	226	181	93	88	-	21	0	4	7	8	1	4	-
2019 ⁶	251	207	92	115	-	21	0	4	6	8	1	4	-
2020 ^{2,6}	273	230	92	138	-	21	0	4	6	8	1	3	-
2021 ^{2,6}	255	216	92	124	-	21	0	4	4	6	1	3	-
2022 ^{2,6}	251	211	88	123	-	22	0	4	4	6	1	3	-
2023 ^{2,6}	257	214	85	129	-	24	0	4	4	6	2	3	-
Geographical breakdown:													
Europe	191	159	32	127	-	16	0	1	4	6	2	3	-
of which: EU	162	138	25	113	0	11	0	0	4	5	1	3	0
of which:													
Belgium	3	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Denmark	4	4	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	27	20	4	16	-	5	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Greece	5	5	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ireland	4	4	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	25	23	3	20	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Luxembourg	15	11	2	9	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Netherlands	16	13	3	10	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Austria	8	7	2	5	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Poland	8	8	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portugal	6	6	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweden	12	10	1	9	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Slovakia	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	18	17	2	15	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Czechia	7	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	-	-
Other EU Member States	4	4	1	3	-	0	-	0	-	0	0	-	-
Other Europe ⁶	29	21	7	14	-	5	-	1	-	1	1	-	-
of which: United Kingdom ⁹	21	13	3	10	-	5	-	1	-	1	1	-	-
of which: Switzerland	5	5	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
The Americas	12	7	7	0	-	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
of which:													
United States/Canada	10	5	5	0	-	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Caribbean/Central America	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
South America	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Asia	50	44	41	3	-	4	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
of which:													
Hong Kong	4	3	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Singapore	7	4	3	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Japan	4	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
China	4	3	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	4	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1 Including sub-branches; however, only one branch counted per city.

2 Excluding securities trading banks as of 2021 – these are classified as securities institutions since the Investment Institutions Act entered into force on 26 June 2021 and are no longer counted as credit institutions pursuant to Section 1 of the German Banking Act (in 2020, 21 foreign branches of the former securities trading banks were still included; 3 former securities trading banks became CRR credit institutions).

3 Private banks classified as regional banks and other commercial banks from end-1998.

4 Including other credit institutions in the cooperative sector.

5 In 2012, 1 Landesbank with 10 foreign branches was reclassified as a regional bank.

6 As of 2008, investment companies are no longer classified as credit institutions; the same applies to securities trading banks as of 26 June 2021.

7 IKB Deutsche Industriebank AG was reclassified from a special purpose bank to a regional bank from 1 December 2017 – it had 5 foreign branches at end-2016, but has only had 1 since 2017.

8 HSH Nordbank AG was reclassified from a Landesbank to a regional bank on 28 November 2018 – at end-2017 it had 3 foreign branches, from 2020 had only 2 and since 2023 has had 3.

9 Including the United Kingdom and the Channel Islands, excluding Gibraltar; Brexit officially entered into force on 1 January 2021.

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As at year-end	All bank categories	Commercial banks				Landesbanken	Savings banks	Regional inst. of credit cooperatives	Credit cooperatives	Mortgage banks	Special purpose banks	Building and loan associations	Investment companies ⁴
		Total	of which:										
			Big banks	Regional ² and other commercial banks ²	Private banks ³								
1990	214	163	100	60	3	35	-	13	-	-	3	-	
1991	217	163	104	56	3	37	-	14	-	-	3	-	
1992	261	193	114	76	3	40	-	18	2	2	3	3	
1995	324	235	148	84	3	59	1	11	2	4	4	6	
1996	299	209	132	74	3	57	1	14	3	4	4	5	
1997	316	235	157	77	1	47	1	14	2	4	3	6	
1998	310	229	183	46	-	45	1	16	2	5	3	5	
1999	365	288	244	44	-	45	1	16	2	5	3	2	
2000	390	304	259	45	-	49	1	20	2	5	2	3	
2001	434	345	299	46	-	47	3	21	1	5	2	3	
2002	407	317	271	46	-	46	3	20	3	5	2	4	
2003	414	326	279	48	-	47	3	20	3	3	2	4	
2004	368	272	232	40	-	52	3	17	2	10	2	2	
2005	397	308	260	48	-	46	3	20	2	11	2	2	
2006	413	321	274	47	-	51	3	18	2	11	2	2	
2007	428	318	272	46	-	68	3	18	2	12	2	2	
2008	387	283	249	34	-	65	3	18	2	11	2	-	
2009	338	255	224	31	-	45	2	17	2	13	2	-	
2010	301	232	199	33	-	36	2	15	2	9	4	-	
2011	281	215	181	34	-	35	2	14	1	9	4	-	
2012	254	198	162	36	-	27	2	14	1	8	3	-	
2013 ⁵	204	165	149	16	-	20	1	13	1	3	1	-	
2014	189	155	139	16	-	15	1	13	1	3	1	-	
2015	173	143	126	17	-	13	1	12	0	3	1	-	
2016	145	118	102	16	-	12	1	11	-	2	1	-	
2017	124	105	86	19	-	9	1	9	-	0	0	-	
2018 ⁶	97	83	68	15	-	5	1	8	-	-	-	-	
2019	92	78	67	11	-	5	1	8	-	-	-	-	
2020	83	72	63	9	-	3	0	8	-	-	-	-	
2021	79	70	62	8	-	3	-	4	-	-	1	-	
2022	77	68	60	8	-	3	-	4	-	-	1	-	
2023	76	67	58	9	-	3	-	4	-	-	1	-	
Geographical breakdown:													
Europe (total)	39	33	25	8	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	1	-
of which: EU ⁷	25	21	15	6	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	-
of which:													
France	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ireland	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	3	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Luxembourg	10	7	6	1	-	1	0	2	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	-
Austria	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Poland	4	4	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slovakia	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	2	2	2	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other EU Member States	1	0	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Other Europe	14	12	10	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
of which: United Kingdom	5	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
of which: Switzerland	4	2	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
The Americas	18	16	16	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
of which:													
United States	12	12	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caribbean/Central America	3	1	1	0	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
South America	3	3	3	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Asia	11	10	9	1	-	0	-	0	-	0	1	-	-
of which:													
China	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Japan	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-
Singapore	3	2	1	1	-	0	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Australia/New Zealand	8	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

1 Minimum 50% equity interests in credit institutions (until 31 December 1998, including factoring and leasing companies).

2 Including securities trading banks up to 2020. Since the Investment Institutions Act entered into force on 26 June 2021, these no longer count as credit institutions.

3 Private banks classified as regional banks from end-1998.

4 As of 2008, investment companies are no longer classified as credit institutions; the same applies to securities trading banks as of 26 June 2021.

5 Adjusted compared with previous years for 24 subsidiaries of financial holding companies not held by German credit institutions.

6 Year-on-year change due to a cleansing of the database, which involved a total of 14 subsidiaries that no longer existed being recorded as departures in 2018.

These comprised 8 subsidiaries of big banks, 2 of regional banks, 2 of Landesbanken, 1 of DZ BANK, and 1 of a mortgage bank.

Broken down by country, 4 of these were in Ireland, 2 in the Cayman Islands, and 1 each in Australia, Brazil, Japan, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Norway, Singapore, and Spain.

7 Excluding the United Kingdom and the Channel Islands and excluding Gibraltar; Brexit officially entered into force on 1 January 2021.