

SDG Goal 10 Reduced inequality

SDG Target 10.2 By 2030, empower and promote the social, economic and political inclusion of all, irrespective of age, sex, disability, race, ethnicity, origin, religion or economic or other status

SDG Indicator 10.2.1 Proportion of people living below 50 per cent of median income, by sex, age and persons with disabilities

1. Name of data series	
Population living below 50% of median income, by sex and age	
Compliant with SDG metadata: yes	SDG Metadata

2. Definition of indicator	
The indicator “Population living below 50% of median income” measures the proportion of the people whose net equivalent income is below 50% of the median net equivalent income of the whole population	
3. Comparison with SDG metadata (as of 31/11/2018)	
The indicator is only disaggregated by sex and age, not by disability	

4. Data description	
<p>The national poverty line is a benchmark to measure country specific poverty in relation to economic and social circumstances. According to the EU-convention the 60% median net equivalent income is the at-risk of poverty threshold.</p> <p>The data are collected in the EU statistics on income and living conditions EU-SILC. Europe-wide harmonised and comparable indicators for the monitoring of poverty and social exclusion in the European Union are determined with the EU-SILC-survey. The basis is a consistent, for all Member States binding, methodological standard. 14,000 households consisting of 23,000 persons above the age of 16 are surveyed every year in Germany on a voluntary basis for EU-SILC. The survey is conducted annually since the year 2005. Since the survey year 2008 the EU-SILC-survey is realised as random sample. Thereby a quarter of the sample is annually exchanged by a new drawn random sample.</p>	
5. Calculation method	
$\text{Population living below 50\% of median income} = \frac{\text{Inhabitants living below 50 \% of median income [number]}}{\text{Population [number]}} \cdot 100$	
6. Unit of measure	%

7. Timeliness	8. Frequency
t + 23 months	Annual
9. Last regular revision	10. Revised period
Not applicable	Not applicable

11. Accessibility of source data
<p>Special evaluation based on “Leben in Europa” survey for EU-SILC (only available in German): „Leben in Europa (EU-SILC) - Einkommen und Lebensbedingungen in Deutschland und der Europäischen Union“ – Fachserie 15, Reihe 3; table 3.1 https://www.destatis.de/DE/Themen/Gesellschaft-Umwelt/Einkommen-Konsum-Lebensbedingungen/Lebensbedingungen-Armutsgefahrdung/_inhalt.html#sprg233586</p>
12. Metadata on source data
<p>Quality report of “Leben in Europa” survey for EU-SILC (only available in German): https://www.destatis.de/DE/Methoden/Qualitaet/Qualitaetsberichte/Einkommen-Konsum-Lebensbedingungen/einfuehrung.html</p>
13. Related SDG data series (duplicate indicators or sub-indicators to same indicator)
Not available

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