

**YouGov- Cambridge Centre/ Germany
Conspiracy Theories**

Fieldwork Dates: 13th - 21st August 2018

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Not much	31%	31%	31%	25%	37%	31%	27%	31%
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Don't know	7%	6%	9%	8%	9%	10%	7%	6%

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Academics

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Don't know	7%	3%	2%	5%	2%	11%	26%

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Don't know	10%	6%	4%	6%	5%	12%	30%

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Not much	26%	25%	22%	30%	34%	20%	18%
Not at all	7%	6%	2%	7%	6%	14%	13%
Don't know	11%	7%	6%	8%	6%	17%	31%

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Not much	31%	31%	31%	25%	31%	31%	42%	30%	20%
Not at all	17%	16%	19%	25%	18%	18%	18%	23%	9%
Don't know	7%	5%	5%	12%	7%	4%	9%	14%	35%

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Not much	35%	36%	32%	27%	31%	39%	42%	34%	24%
Not at all	17%	16%	19%	19%	12%	20%	18%	13%	8%
Don't know	10%	7%	7%	15%	10%	6%	9%	20%	42%

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A fair amount	49%	51%	49%	36%	56%	50%	48%	37%	37%
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Not much	35%	37%	36%	34%	37%	30%
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Not at all	6%	6%	6%	7%	8%	5%	5%	6%
Don't know	8%	7%	9%	8%	10%	8%	9%	6%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Friends

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Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Family members

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Not much	5%	6%	4%	8%	8%	6%	5%	4%
Not at all	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%
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A fair amount	33%	36%	36%	34%	36%	19%	26%
Not much	5%	4%	3%	6%	7%	3%	6%
Not at all	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%
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Not at all	2%	-	2%	2%	2%	4%
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Government ministers in my country

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A great deal	3%	4%	3%	7%	5%	3%	2%	1%	4%
A fair amount	28%	28%	24%	21%	35%	32%	23%	21%	19%
Not much	36%	39%	34%	37%	31%	37%	28%	32%	23%
Not at all	25%	25%	31%	20%	19%	23%	35%	25%	18%
Don't know	9%	5%	8%	15%	10%	5%	12%	21%	35%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Total	Education				
	Masters or Doctoral degree	Bachelors degree or similar	Professional qualification	High school or baccalaureate or A-levels	I did not complete secondary/high school

Senior officials of the US government

Unweighted base	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Base: All German Adults	2065	322	200	867	567	110
A great deal	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	5%
A fair amount	11%	10%	16%	9%	12%	9%
Not much	32%	33%	28%	33%	32%	21%
Not at all	46%	49%	47%	45%	47%	40%
Don't know	9%	6%	6%	10%	8%	25%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-

Government ministers in my country

Unweighted base	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Base: All German Adults	2065	322	200	867	567	110
A great deal	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%	3%
A fair amount	28%	34%	32%	24%	30%	21%
Not much	36%	35%	36%	37%	36%	26%
Not at all	25%	21%	22%	27%	24%	25%
Don't know	9%	7%	7%	9%	7%	26%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Total	Gender		Age groups				
	Male	Female	18 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55+

Again, how much, if at all, do you trust the following to tell the truth? (Please select one option on each row)

Religious leaders

Unweighted base	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Base: All German Adults	2065	1004	1061	189	310	302	412	853
A great deal	3%	4%	2%	7%	3%	3%	2%	2%
A fair amount	16%	19%	14%	19%	22%	18%	12%	15%
Not much	29%	29%	29%	33%	25%	27%	32%	29%
Not at all	42%	42%	42%	29%	37%	38%	46%	47%
Don't know	10%	6%	13%	12%	13%	14%	8%	7%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Military leaders in my country

Unweighted base	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Base: All German Adults	2065	1004	1061	189	310	302	412	853
A great deal	3%	4%	2%	7%	4%	4%	2%	2%
A fair amount	23%	28%	19%	24%	22%	21%	23%	24%
Not much	35%	34%	35%	35%	36%	35%	34%	34%
Not at all	28%	26%	29%	18%	23%	26%	31%	30%
Don't know	11%	8%	15%	16%	14%	14%	10%	9%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

People who run large companies

Unweighted base	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Base: All German Adults	2065	1004	1061	189	310	302	412	853
A great deal	3%	4%	1%	6%	4%	4%	2%	1%
A fair amount	27%	31%	24%	23%	29%	26%	28%	29%
Not much	39%	38%	40%	41%	37%	36%	37%	41%
Not at all	23%	22%	23%	19%	20%	21%	25%	23%
Don't know	9%	6%	12%	11%	11%	13%	7%	6%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Total	Political position					
	Left-wing	Slightly left-of-centre	Centre	Slightly right-of-centre	Right-wing	Don't know

Again, how much, if at all, do you trust the following to tell the truth? (Please select one option on each row)

Religious leaders

Unweighted base	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
Base: All German Adults	2065	156	440	659	382	75	353
A great deal	3%	4%	3%	3%	2%	9%	2%
A fair amount	16%	17%	17%	19%	15%	16%	10%
Not much	29%	24%	34%	32%	32%	16%	19%
Not at all	42%	48%	42%	40%	48%	47%	37%
Don't know	10%	7%	4%	5%	3%	12%	32%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Military leaders in my country

Unweighted base	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
Base: All German Adults	2065	156	440	659	382	75	353
A great deal	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	14%	3%
A fair amount	23%	18%	25%	28%	28%	21%	12%
Not much	35%	32%	41%	37%	35%	16%	26%
Not at all	28%	40%	26%	24%	29%	38%	27%
Don't know	11%	9%	7%	8%	5%	11%	33%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

People who run large companies

Unweighted base	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
Base: All German Adults	2065	156	440	659	382	75	353
A great deal	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	10%	1%
A fair amount	27%	21%	27%	32%	31%	21%	20%
Not much	39%	38%	48%	39%	40%	38%	26%
Not at all	23%	33%	21%	21%	23%	20%	22%
Don't know	9%	5%	2%	5%	3%	11%	30%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Total	Employment Status							
	Working full time (30 or more hours per week)	Working part time (8-29 hours a week)	Working part time (Less than 8 hours a week)	Full time student	Retired	Unemployed	Not working	Other

Again, how much, if at all, do you trust the following to tell the truth? (Please select one option on each row)

Religious leaders

Unweighted base	2065	856	269	55	84	528	63	91	119
Base: All German Adults	2065	830	269	59	84	537	65	94	127
A great deal	3%	2%	3%	5%	3%	2%	4%	6%	7%
A fair amount	16%	17%	16%	18%	24%	16%	14%	11%	15%
Not much	29%	31%	32%	30%	27%	29%	18%	29%	18%
Not at all	42%	43%	41%	37%	36%	48%	55%	31%	24%
Don't know	10%	7%	8%	10%	10%	6%	9%	22%	37%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Military leaders in my country

Unweighted base	2065	856	269	55	84	528	63	91	119
Base: All German Adults	2065	830	269	59	84	537	65	94	127
A great deal	3%	4%	2%	7%	4%	3%	1%	2%	3%
A fair amount	23%	24%	20%	22%	19%	27%	16%	15%	22%
Not much	35%	38%	37%	31%	32%	33%	32%	31%	18%
Not at all	28%	26%	31%	27%	30%	30%	34%	27%	16%
Don't know	11%	8%	10%	13%	15%	8%	16%	24%	40%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

People who run large companies

Unweighted base	2065	856	269	55	84	528	63	91	119
Base: All German Adults	2065	830	269	59	84	537	65	94	127
A great deal	3%	3%	2%	3%	6%	1%	2%	1%	3%
A fair amount	27%	30%	25%	25%	22%	30%	26%	19%	19%
Not much	39%	40%	39%	36%	32%	41%	36%	36%	31%
Not at all	23%	22%	26%	22%	29%	23%	25%	23%	11%
Don't know	9%	5%	8%	15%	10%	5%	12%	21%	36%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Total	Education				
	Masters or Doctoral degree	Bachelors degree or similar	Professional qualification	High school or baccalaureate or A-levels	I did not complete secondary/high school

Again, how much, if at all, do you trust the following to tell the truth? (Please select one option on each row)

Religious leaders

Unweighted base	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Base: All German Adults	2065	322	200	867	567	110
A great deal	3%	3%	4%	3%	2%	6%
A fair amount	16%	16%	25%	13%	20%	13%
Not much	29%	28%	30%	29%	31%	23%
Not at all	42%	47%	34%	45%	40%	34%
Don't know	10%	7%	7%	10%	8%	25%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-

Military leaders in my country

Unweighted base	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Base: All German Adults	2065	322	200	867	567	110
A great deal	3%	3%	5%	2%	3%	5%
A fair amount	23%	25%	24%	23%	24%	15%
Not much	35%	36%	31%	35%	36%	25%
Not at all	28%	27%	32%	28%	27%	26%
Don't know	11%	9%	8%	11%	11%	28%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-

People who run large companies

Unweighted base	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Base: All German Adults	2065	322	200	867	567	110
A great deal	3%	2%	5%	2%	2%	3%
A fair amount	27%	28%	28%	28%	28%	20%
Not much	39%	44%	37%	39%	39%	28%
Not at all	23%	20%	23%	22%	24%	24%
Don't know	9%	6%	6%	9%	7%	26%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Total	Gender		Age groups				
	Male	Female	18 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55+

In the past 5 years, have you been a member of any of the following voluntary organisations? (Please select all that apply)

	Unweighted base	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Base: All German Adults	2065	1004	1061	189	310	302	412	853	
Church or religious organisation	7%	7%	7%	9%	8%	6%	6%	7%	
Art, music or cultural organisation	7%	8%	5%	10%	7%	5%	6%	7%	
Political party	5%	8%	3%	7%	5%	5%	5%	5%	
Environmental organisation	5%	5%	4%	6%	7%	7%	4%	3%	
Organisation providing assistance to people	9%	11%	7%	11%	9%	8%	4%	11%	
Sports club or hobby group	20%	25%	16%	29%	23%	19%	20%	17%	
None of these	57%	51%	62%	36%	49%	59%	61%	61%	
Don't know	6%	5%	7%	13%	10%	7%	5%	3%	
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

Thinking about your own life, which one of the following statements comes closest to your view?

	Unweighted base	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Base: All German Adults	2065	1004	1061	189	310	302	412	853	
Everything that happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	9%	8%	10%	14%	12%	9%	7%	8%	
Most of what happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	12%	10%	13%	12%	15%	10%	10%	12%	
Some of what happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	23%	20%	26%	22%	22%	23%	23%	25%	
None of what happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	33%	40%	26%	30%	30%	32%	36%	33%	
None of these	11%	11%	12%	7%	6%	10%	12%	14%	
Don't know	12%	10%	13%	15%	14%	16%	12%	9%	
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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Total	Political position					
	Left-wing	Slightly left-of-centre	Centre	Slightly right-of-centre	Right-wing	Don't know

In the past 5 years, have you been a member of any of the following voluntary organisations? (Please select all that apply)

	Unweighted base	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
Base: All German Adults	2065	156	440	659	382	75	353	
Church or religious organisation	7%	6%	8%	8%	7%	15%	4%	
Art, music or cultural organisation	7%	7%	8%	7%	7%	10%	4%	
Political party	5%	8%	6%	4%	7%	16%	0%	
Environmental organisation	5%	10%	5%	4%	5%	4%	2%	
Organisation providing assistance to people	9%	12%	15%	8%	8%	11%	3%	
Sports club or hobby group	20%	18%	23%	21%	26%	25%	8%	
None of these	57%	53%	52%	59%	55%	50%	64%	
Don't know	6%	3%	2%	3%	2%	8%	21%	
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

Thinking about your own life, which one of the following statements comes closest to your view?

	Unweighted base	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
Base: All German Adults	2065	156	440	659	382	75	353	
Everything that happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	9%	12%	8%	10%	9%	18%	8%	
Most of what happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	12%	7%	13%	14%	12%	11%	8%	
Some of what happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	23%	22%	25%	26%	27%	14%	15%	
None of what happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	33%	38%	40%	33%	35%	37%	17%	
None of these	11%	17%	8%	10%	10%	7%	17%	
Don't know	12%	4%	7%	7%	7%	13%	35%	
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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Total	Employment Status							
	Working full time (30 or more hours per week)	Working part time (8-29 hours a week)	Working part time (Less than 8 hours a week)	Full time student	Retired	Unemployed	Not working	Other

In the past 5 years, have you been a member of any of the following voluntary organisations? (Please select all that apply)

	Unweighted base	2065	856	269	55	84	528	63	91	119
Base: All German Adults	2065	830	269	59	84	537	65	94	127	
Church or religious organisation	7%	7%	7%	8%	9%	7%	6%	4%	8%	
Art, music or cultural organisation	7%	6%	4%	15%	14%	6%	7%	4%	9%	
Political party	5%	6%	2%	10%	9%	6%	9%	2%	2%	
Environmental organisation	5%	5%	4%	6%	7%	5%	3%	2%	2%	
Organisation providing assistance to people	9%	8%	10%	8%	16%	11%	5%	4%	4%	
Sports club or hobby group	20%	27%	18%	18%	24%	15%	12%	10%	13%	
None of these	57%	54%	63%	42%	42%	62%	63%	72%	39%	
Don't know	6%	4%	3%	7%	8%	1%	7%	8%	36%	
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Thinking about your own life, which one of the following statements comes closest to your view?

	Unweighted base	2065	856	269	55	84	528	63	91	119
Base: All German Adults	2065	830	269	59	84	537	65	94	127	
Everything that happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	9%	9%	13%	14%	5%	8%	10%	14%	6%	
Most of what happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	12%	11%	11%	20%	18%	13%	5%	14%	5%	
Some of what happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	23%	25%	26%	17%	21%	23%	24%	23%	16%	
None of what happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	33%	37%	27%	17%	36%	38%	22%	19%	19%	
None of these	11%	10%	11%	11%	7%	12%	20%	17%	9%	
Don't know	12%	9%	11%	21%	13%	6%	20%	14%	45%	
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Total	Education				
	Masters or Doctoral degree	Bachelors degree or similar	Professional qualification	High school or baccalaureate or A-levels	I did not complete secondary/high school

In the past 5 years, have you been a member of any of the following voluntary organisations? (Please select all that apply)

	Unweighted base	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Base: All German Adults	2065	322	200	867	567	110	
Church or religious organisation	7%	10%	12%	6%	7%	3%	
Art, music or cultural organisation	7%	9%	12%	5%	5%	5%	
Political party	5%	10%	5%	4%	5%	3%	
Environmental organisation	5%	9%	6%	3%	5%	1%	
Organisation providing assistance to people	9%	16%	16%	6%	9%	-	
Sports club or hobby group	20%	25%	24%	19%	21%	7%	
None of these	57%	48%	47%	61%	56%	69%	
Don't know	6%	3%	6%	5%	7%	16%	
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	

Thinking about your own life, which one of the following statements comes closest to your view?

	Unweighted base	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Base: All German Adults	2065	322	200	867	567	110	
Everything that happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	9%	8%	8%	9%	10%	8%	
Most of what happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	12%	8%	13%	12%	13%	8%	
Some of what happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	23%	23%	29%	24%	23%	10%	
None of what happens in my life is caused by a "higher force", such as God, fate or destiny	33%	43%	28%	32%	30%	30%	
None of these	11%	11%	10%	12%	11%	14%	
Don't know	12%	6%	11%	11%	12%	30%	
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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Total	Gender		Age groups				
	Male	Female	18 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55+

Thinking about the next 12 months, would you say you generally feel optimistic or pessimistic about your own financial situation?

	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Unweighted base	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Base: All German Adults	2065	1004	1061	189	310	302	412	853
Very optimistic	6%	7%	5%	8%	7%	7%	6%	5%
Fairly optimistic	29%	32%	27%	38%	36%	30%	25%	26%
Neither optimistic nor pessimistic	38%	35%	40%	26%	30%	34%	42%	42%
Fairly pessimistic	15%	14%	15%	16%	14%	15%	13%	15%
Very pessimistic	6%	6%	7%	2%	3%	5%	7%	8%
Don't know	6%	6%	7%	11%	10%	8%	6%	3%

Thinking in general about the role of government and private companies in this country's economy, which one of the following statements comes closest to your view?

	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Unweighted base	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Base: All German Adults	2065	1004	1061	189	310	302	412	853
The Government interferes too much in business and should give companies more freedom to operate as they see best	16%	18%	14%	19%	21%	16%	16%	14%
The Government doesn't do enough to regulate business and should set stricter rules on how companies are allowed to operate	38%	42%	34%	33%	34%	38%	39%	40%
The current amount of regulation of business by the Government in this country is about right	20%	22%	18%	16%	18%	16%	19%	24%
Don't know	26%	17%	33%	32%	28%	30%	26%	22%

Putting aside your own party preferences or views on the current government, do you think that, in general, the Parliament in this country does a good job or a bad job of representing the interests of people like you?

	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Unweighted base	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Base: All German Adults	2065	1004	1061	189	310	302	412	853
Very good job	1%	2%	1%	4%	2%	2%	1%	1%
Fairly good job	14%	17%	11%	14%	16%	16%	14%	13%
Neither good nor bad job	28%	28%	28%	30%	24%	30%	29%	28%
Fairly bad job	28%	27%	28%	27%	26%	22%	25%	32%
Very bad job	17%	19%	16%	5%	13%	16%	23%	19%
Don't know	12%	8%	15%	20%	19%	14%	9%	8%

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Total	Political position					
	Left-wing	Slightly left-of-centre	Centre	Slightly right-of-centre	Right-wing	Don't know

Thinking about the next 12 months, would you say you generally feel optimistic or pessimistic about your own financial situation?

Unweighted base	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
Base: All German Adults	2065	156	440	659	382	75	353
Very optimistic	6%	9%	6%	5%	6%	8%	6%
Fairly optimistic	29%	30%	37%	30%	32%	12%	20%
Neither optimistic nor pessimistic	38%	31%	38%	44%	36%	38%	31%
Fairly pessimistic	15%	18%	13%	13%	19%	22%	13%
Very pessimistic	6%	9%	4%	5%	7%	14%	6%
Don't know	6%	3%	2%	3%	1%	6%	25%

Thinking in general about the role of government and private companies in this country's economy, which one of the following statements comes closest to your view?

Unweighted base	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
Base: All German Adults	2065	156	440	659	382	75	353
The Government interferes too much in business and should give companies more freedom to operate as they see best	16%	17%	10%	16%	25%	38%	10%
The Government doesn't do enough to regulate business and should set stricter rules on how companies are allowed to operate	38%	55%	51%	37%	40%	25%	17%
The current amount of regulation of business by the Government in this country is about right	20%	10%	23%	27%	22%	14%	9%
Don't know	26%	18%	16%	20%	14%	23%	64%

Putting aside your own party preferences or views on the current government, do you think that, in general, the Parliament in this country does a good job or a bad job of representing the interests of people like you?

Unweighted base	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
Base: All German Adults	2065	156	440	659	382	75	353
Very good job	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	4%	-
Fairly good job	14%	11%	18%	17%	15%	6%	4%
Neither good nor bad job	28%	25%	32%	34%	21%	18%	23%
Fairly bad job	28%	32%	34%	27%	31%	22%	17%
Very bad job	17%	22%	10%	14%	28%	39%	16%
Don't know	12%	8%	5%	7%	4%	11%	40%

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Total	Employment Status							
	Working full time (30 or more hours per week)	Working part time (8-29 hours a week)	Working part time (Less than 8 hours a week)	Full time student	Retired	Unemployed	Not working	Other

Thinking about the next 12 months, would you say you generally feel optimistic or pessimistic about your own financial situation?

Unweighted base	2065	856	269	55	84	528	63	91	119
Base: All German Adults	2065	830	269	59	84	537	65	94	127
Very optimistic	6%	9%	5%	5%	2%	4%	1%	3%	5%
Fairly optimistic	29%	36%	27%	24%	36%	24%	25%	22%	18%
Neither optimistic nor pessimistic	38%	36%	40%	40%	29%	45%	28%	36%	22%
Fairly pessimistic	15%	13%	15%	24%	22%	14%	26%	19%	10%
Very pessimistic	6%	3%	5%	4%	4%	10%	16%	13%	7%
Don't know	6%	4%	7%	4%	6%	2%	4%	7%	38%

Thinking in general about the role of government and private companies in this country's economy, which one of the following statements comes closest to your view?

Unweighted base	2065	856	269	55	84	528	63	91	119
Base: All German Adults	2065	830	269	59	84	537	65	94	127
The Government interferes too much in business and should give companies more freedom to operate as they see best	16%	19%	18%	25%	12%	12%	15%	7%	11%
The Government doesn't do enough to regulate business and should set stricter rules on how companies are allowed to operate	38%	39%	33%	31%	48%	44%	39%	34%	22%
The current amount of regulation of business by the Government in this country is about right	20%	21%	16%	15%	18%	25%	17%	15%	12%
Don't know	26%	21%	33%	29%	22%	19%	29%	44%	55%

Putting aside your own party preferences or views on the current government, do you think that, in general, the Parliament in this country does a good job or a bad job of representing the interests of people like you?

Unweighted base	2065	856	269	55	84	528	63	91	119
Base: All German Adults	2065	830	269	59	84	537	65	94	127
Very good job	1%	2%	1%	7%	3%	1%	-	1%	-
Fairly good job	14%	17%	12%	8%	13%	13%	12%	11%	6%
Neither good nor bad job	28%	28%	28%	40%	29%	29%	21%	22%	21%
Fairly bad job	28%	27%	28%	16%	28%	32%	26%	29%	19%
Very bad job	17%	17%	19%	13%	11%	20%	29%	15%	10%
Don't know	12%	9%	12%	17%	17%	5%	12%	22%	45%

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Total	Education				
	Masters or Doctoral degree	Bachelors degree or similar	Professional qualification	High school or baccalaureate or A-levels	I did not complete secondary/high school

Thinking about the next 12 months, would you say you generally feel optimistic or pessimistic about your own financial situation?

Unweighted base	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Base: All German Adults	2065	322	200	867	567	110
Very optimistic	6%	8%	6%	6%	5%	2%
Fairly optimistic	29%	42%	40%	25%	29%	11%
Neither optimistic nor pessimistic	38%	34%	35%	41%	37%	33%
Fairly pessimistic	15%	10%	9%	16%	17%	15%
Very pessimistic	6%	4%	5%	7%	5%	12%
Don't know	6%	4%	5%	5%	6%	26%

Thinking in general about the role of government and private companies in this country's economy, which one of the following statements comes closest to your view?

Unweighted base	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Base: All German Adults	2065	322	200	867	567	110
The Government interferes too much in business and should give companies more freedom to operate as they see best	16%	19%	12%	16%	17%	10%
The Government doesn't do enough to regulate business and should set stricter rules on how companies are allowed to operate	38%	39%	38%	39%	38%	28%
The current amount of regulation of business by the Government in this country is about right	20%	28%	27%	17%	19%	18%
Don't know	26%	14%	23%	28%	26%	43%

Putting aside your own party preferences or views on the current government, do you think that, in general, the Parliament in this country does a good job or a bad job of representing the interests of people like you?

Unweighted base	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Base: All German Adults	2065	322	200	867	567	110
Very good job	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	2%
Fairly good job	14%	21%	18%	11%	13%	13%
Neither good nor bad job	28%	25%	30%	30%	26%	28%
Fairly bad job	28%	31%	24%	29%	28%	13%
Very bad job	17%	14%	17%	18%	19%	19%
Don't know	12%	6%	10%	12%	13%	26%

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Total	Gender		Age groups				
	Male	Female	18 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55+

How democratic or undemocratic would you say this country is, on a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 means 'completely undemocratic' and 10 means 'completely democratic'?

	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Unweighted base	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Base: All German Adults	2065	1004	1061	189	310	302	412	853
0 - completely undemocratic	5%	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	5%	5%
1	2%	2%	2%	0%	1%	2%	3%	2%
2	4%	4%	4%	3%	5%	5%	3%	5%
3	7%	7%	6%	7%	8%	5%	6%	7%
4	7%	8%	6%	4%	10%	8%	9%	6%
5	15%	13%	17%	11%	13%	15%	14%	17%
6	10%	11%	9%	11%	13%	9%	9%	9%
7	14%	14%	14%	16%	14%	17%	14%	13%
8	15%	17%	13%	19%	10%	12%	15%	17%
9	7%	8%	6%	6%	6%	7%	7%	8%
10 - completely democratic	4%	5%	3%	6%	3%	3%	4%	4%
Don't know	11%	6%	15%	13%	15%	14%	12%	6%

Which, if any, of the following sources do you tend to use at least 2-3 times per month to access news? (Please select all that apply. If you don't use any sources at least 2-3 times a month to access news, please select the 'Not applicable' option)

	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Unweighted base	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Base: All German Adults	2065	1004	1061	189	310	302	412	853
A printed copy of a newspaper	31%	33%	29%	20%	15%	27%	33%	40%
A newspaper website	31%	35%	27%	34%	30%	31%	35%	29%
A news website or blog not associated with a newspaper	24%	28%	19%	20%	26%	25%	25%	23%
Email newsletters or RSS feeds	15%	16%	14%	10%	16%	13%	14%	17%
Social media (e.g. Facebook, Twitter, YouTube etc.)	31%	30%	32%	47%	44%	39%	29%	21%
Television	73%	72%	74%	49%	54%	66%	79%	85%
Radio	56%	56%	56%	40%	47%	55%	58%	62%
Magazines	26%	28%	24%	17%	16%	24%	26%	32%
Podcasts	4%	4%	3%	8%	6%	6%	3%	1%
Other	6%	7%	5%	6%	5%	5%	6%	6%
Don't know	3%	3%	4%	5%	6%	4%	5%	1%
Not applicable – I don't use any sources at least 2-3 times a month to access news	4%	4%	5%	7%	7%	5%	3%	3%

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Total	Political position					
	Left-wing	Slightly left-of-centre	Centre	Slightly right-of-centre	Right-wing	Don't know

How democratic or undemocratic would you say this country is, on a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 means 'completely undemocratic' and 10 means 'completely democratic'?

	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
Unweighted base	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
Base: All German Adults	2065	156	440	659	382	75	353
0 - completely undemocratic	5%	6%	1%	4%	3%	17%	8%
1	2%	1%	1%	2%	4%	4%	2%
2	4%	2%	3%	3%	7%	11%	5%
3	7%	13%	5%	5%	10%	8%	4%
4	7%	11%	8%	6%	10%	9%	5%
5	15%	15%	12%	20%	13%	13%	12%
6	10%	11%	13%	10%	11%	2%	6%
7	14%	16%	18%	17%	12%	8%	7%
8	15%	13%	23%	14%	16%	14%	6%
9	7%	4%	11%	8%	7%	5%	3%
10 - completely democratic	4%	5%	3%	5%	4%	6%	2%
Don't know	11%	3%	3%	7%	3%	5%	40%

Which, if any, of the following sources do you tend to use at least 2-3 times per month to access news? (Please select all that apply. If you don't use any sources at least 2-3 times a month to access news, please select the 'Not applicable' option)

	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
Unweighted base	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
Base: All German Adults	2065	156	440	659	382	75	353
A printed copy of a newspaper	31%	28%	39%	31%	35%	30%	18%
A newspaper website	31%	32%	40%	29%	37%	37%	15%
A news website or blog not associated with a newspaper	24%	25%	29%	22%	31%	34%	11%
Email newsletters or RSS feeds	15%	11%	19%	14%	18%	16%	11%
Social media (e.g. Facebook, Twitter, YouTube etc.)	31%	31%	33%	32%	32%	39%	25%
Television	73%	68%	76%	77%	79%	70%	58%
Radio	56%	54%	60%	56%	63%	55%	42%
Magazines	26%	26%	29%	28%	27%	38%	16%
Podcasts	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%	6%	1%
Other	6%	8%	9%	4%	4%	6%	5%
Don't know	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	4%	15%
Not applicable – I don't use any sources at least 2-3 times a month to access news	4%	5%	2%	3%	2%	6%	11%

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Unweighted base	2065	856	269	55	84	528	63	91	119
Base: All German Adults	2065	830	269	59	84	537	65	94	127
0 - completely undemocratic	5%	3%	6%	6%	5%	6%	7%	8%	4%
1	2%	2%	1%	3%	-	3%	3%	1%	1%
2	4%	4%	4%	5%	2%	4%	7%	5%	2%
3	7%	5%	7%	5%	8%	8%	11%	10%	4%
4	7%	7%	8%	10%	8%	7%	9%	7%	5%
5	15%	13%	19%	20%	7%	18%	12%	13%	9%
6	10%	10%	10%	12%	18%	9%	13%	8%	6%
7	14%	16%	14%	10%	14%	13%	11%	11%	10%
8	15%	16%	11%	14%	18%	16%	9%	11%	13%
9	7%	9%	5%	-	8%	8%	5%	5%	2%
10 - completely democratic	4%	5%	1%	2%	4%	4%	2%	7%	2%
Don't know	11%	9%	13%	14%	8%	5%	11%	13%	40%

Which, if any, of the following sources do you tend to use at least 2-3 times per month to access news? (Please select all that apply. If you don't use any sources at least 2-3 times a month to access news, please select the 'Not applicable' option)

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Unweighted base	2065	856	269	55	84	528	63	91	119
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A printed copy of a newspaper	31%	31%	34%	26%	26%	38%	18%	18%	16%
A newspaper website	31%	36%	33%	29%	35%	25%	21%	32%	24%
A news website or blog not associated with a newspaper	24%	27%	23%	11%	28%	22%	24%	20%	15%
Email newsletters or RSS feeds	15%	15%	17%	14%	18%	17%	7%	10%	8%
Social media (e.g. Facebook, Twitter, YouTube etc.)	31%	34%	35%	34%	42%	20%	50%	33%	28%
Television	73%	74%	72%	52%	47%	85%	80%	69%	50%
Radio	56%	62%	59%	43%	40%	56%	47%	41%	35%
Magazines	26%	26%	28%	16%	12%	33%	16%	16%	14%
Podcasts	4%	5%	3%	7%	10%	2%	1%	3%	1%
Other	6%	7%	3%	4%	6%	7%	3%	4%	4%
Don't know	3%	2%	3%	6%	1%	1%	-	3%	27%
Not applicable – I don't use any sources at least 2-3 times a month to access news	4%	4%	4%	7%	5%	2%	5%	8%	13%

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Total	Education				
	Masters or Doctoral degree	Bachelors degree or similar	Professional qualification	High school or baccalaureate or A-levels	I did not complete secondary/high school

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Unweighted base	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Base: All German Adults	2065	322	200	867	567	110
0 - completely undemocratic	5%	3%	3%	6%	3%	13%
1	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	-
2	4%	4%	5%	5%	4%	2%
3	7%	8%	4%	6%	7%	7%
4	7%	4%	8%	8%	8%	8%
5	15%	13%	14%	16%	15%	9%
6	10%	9%	12%	10%	10%	9%
7	14%	18%	15%	14%	14%	5%
8	15%	19%	17%	11%	17%	12%
9	7%	11%	9%	6%	7%	4%
10 - completely democratic	4%	5%	5%	3%	4%	4%
Don't know	11%	5%	6%	12%	10%	28%

Which, if any, of the following sources do you tend to use at least 2-3 times per month to access news? (Please select all that apply. If you don't use any sources at least 2-3 times a month to access news, please select the 'Not applicable' option)

	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Unweighted base	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Base: All German Adults	2065	322	200	867	567	110
A printed copy of a newspaper	31%	43%	32%	29%	30%	17%
A newspaper website	31%	46%	41%	24%	33%	16%
A news website or blog not associated with a newspaper	24%	34%	33%	20%	22%	15%
Email newsletters or RSS feeds	15%	18%	22%	13%	13%	12%
Social media (e.g. Facebook, Twitter, YouTube etc.)	31%	32%	37%	28%	34%	26%
Television	73%	75%	64%	77%	71%	68%
Radio	56%	62%	54%	57%	53%	40%
Magazines	26%	31%	22%	24%	28%	18%
Podcasts	4%	6%	5%	2%	4%	2%
Other	6%	8%	5%	5%	5%	5%
Don't know	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%	7%
Not applicable – I don't use any sources at least 2-3 times a month to access news	4%	1%	3%	4%	4%	18%

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Total	Gender		Age groups				
	Male	Female	18 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55+

And which, if any, of the following social media platforms do you use in particular to access news? (Please select all that apply)

	Unweighted base	647	295	352	87	142	125	121	172
Base: All country adults who use social media platforms to access news		642	298	344	89	137	117	121	178
Facebook	67%	61%	72%	51%	71%	68%	60%	77%	
Twitter	18%	24%	14%	22%	20%	19%	20%	13%	
YouTube	41%	47%	35%	56%	34%	41%	37%	40%	
Instagram	19%	19%	20%	38%	27%	19%	11%	10%	
Tumblr	2%	3%	1%	7%	2%	1%	3%	-	
Snapchat	6%	6%	5%	18%	7%	4%	2%	1%	
LinkedIn	4%	7%	2%	2%	6%	6%	2%	4%	
Reddit	2%	4%	1%	9%	4%	2%	-	-	
4chan	1%	2%	1%	4%	1%	3%	-	-	
Discord	2%	3%	1%	8%	3%	2%	1%	-	
Gab	1%	2%	-	2%	2%	1%	-	-	
Other	14%	14%	14%	15%	11%	15%	15%	16%	
Don't know	4%	3%	5%	4%	4%	3%	7%	3%	

Thinking about how the political system currently works in this country, which one of the following statements best reflects your view?

	Unweighted base	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
Base: All German Adults		2065	1004	1061	189	310	302	412	853
The system works fairly well and doesn't need more than minor reforms	26%	30%	23%	30%	24%	29%	26%	26%	
The system works badly but if we elected the right people, they could put things right	30%	34%	27%	26%	31%	23%	29%	34%	
The system is broken and it would take a total change of system to put things right	25%	23%	27%	16%	25%	27%	28%	24%	
None of these	7%	6%	7%	11%	7%	6%	7%	6%	
Don't know	12%	7%	15%	17%	13%	14%	10%	9%	

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Total	Political position					
	Left-wing	Slightly left-of-centre	Centre	Slightly right-of-centre	Right-wing	Don't know

And which, if any, of the following social media platforms do you use in particular to access news? (Please select all that apply)

	Unweighted base	647	51	151	206	127	29	83
Base: All country adults who use social media platforms to access news		642	48	145	208	123	29	88
Facebook	67%		70%	65%	65%	66%	78%	71%
Twitter	18%		12%	19%	20%	23%	22%	10%
YouTube	41%		36%	38%	38%	48%	47%	41%
Instagram	19%		19%	16%	21%	20%	22%	20%
Tumblr	2%		8%	1%	2%	-	5%	3%
Snapchat	6%		6%	2%	7%	5%	5%	9%
LinkedIn	4%		-	6%	2%	8%	9%	2%
Reddit	2%		4%	2%	2%	2%	9%	1%
4chan	1%		5%	-	1%	1%	8%	-
Discord	2%		3%	1%	2%	4%	5%	1%
Gab	1%		-	-	1%	-	9%	-
Other	14%		18%	17%	15%	13%	17%	6%
Don't know	4%		6%	5%	2%	3%	-	7%

Thinking about how the political system currently works in this country, which one of the following statements best reflects your view?

	Unweighted base	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
Base: All German Adults		2065	156	440	659	382	75	353
The system works fairly well and doesn't need more than minor reforms	26%		22%	38%	29%	24%	20%	12%
The system works badly but if we elected the right people, they could put things right	30%		35%	36%	31%	38%	29%	13%
The system is broken and it would take a total change of system to put things right	25%		30%	17%	25%	31%	42%	24%
None of these	7%		8%	5%	6%	3%	1%	15%
Don't know	12%		4%	4%	9%	4%	8%	36%

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Total	Employment Status							
	Working full time (30 or more hours per week)	Working part time (8-29 hours a week)	Working part time (Less than 8 hours a week)	Full time student	Retired	Unemployed	Not working	Other

And which, if any, of the following social media platforms do you use in particular to access news? (Please select all that apply)

	Unweighted base	647	294	97	20	34	105	31	30	36
Base: All country adults who use social media platforms to access news		642	284	94	20	35	110	32	31	36
Facebook	67%	68%	70%	55%	49%	77%	66%	53%	63%	
Twitter	18%	22%	13%	4%	25%	18%	11%	9%	22%	
YouTube	41%	31%	39%	70%	61%	50%	46%	44%	51%	
Instagram	19%	20%	19%	36%	18%	12%	21%	7%	34%	
Tumblr	2%	2%	2%	-	5%	-	3%	4%	5%	
Snapchat	6%	6%	4%	13%	6%	2%	3%	9%	12%	
LinkedIn	4%	6%	3%	-	9%	4%	-	3%	-	
Reddit	2%	4%	1%	5%	3%	1%	-	-	4%	
4chan	1%	2%	-	-	-	2%	-	-	-	
Discord	2%	3%	-	-	-	-	3%	5%	5%	
Gab	1%	1%	-	5%	-	-	-	-	-	
Other	14%	12%	19%	19%	12%	15%	12%	23%	16%	
Don't know	4%	5%	2%	5%	10%	2%	3%	3%	3%	

Thinking about how the political system currently works in this country, which one of the following statements best reflects your view?

	Unweighted base	2065	856	269	55	84	528	63	91	119
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The system works badly but if we elected the right people, they could put things right	30%	32%	28%	27%	30%	34%	25%	27%	16%	
The system is broken and it would take a total change of system to put things right	25%	22%	28%	30%	24%	27%	32%	29%	19%	
None of these	7%	7%	8%	9%	2%	5%	9%	15%	9%	
Don't know	12%	8%	13%	18%	9%	8%	10%	14%	43%	

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And which, if any, of the following social media platforms do you use in particular to access news? (Please select all that apply)

	Unweighted base	647	105	76	247	192	27
Base: All country adults who use social media platforms to access news		642	102	74	246	192	28
Facebook	67%		65%	69%	71%	60%	91%
Twitter	18%		22%	22%	12%	23%	24%
YouTube	41%		30%	36%	40%	50%	33%
Instagram	19%		12%	16%	20%	25%	14%
Tumblr	2%		1%	1%	2%	3%	4%
Snapchat	6%		4%	2%	6%	9%	-
LinkedIn	4%		10%	6%	1%	3%	7%
Reddit	2%		3%	2%	2%	3%	-
4chan	1%		1%	-	2%	1%	-
Discord	2%		2%	-	3%	2%	-
Gab	1%		2%	-	0%	1%	-
Other	14%		12%	17%	17%	13%	4%
Don't know	4%		5%	5%	4%	4%	-

Thinking about how the political system currently works in this country, which one of the following statements best reflects your view?

	Unweighted base	2065	338	205	859	561	102
Base: All German Adults		2065	322	200	867	567	110
The system works fairly well and doesn't need more than minor reforms	26%		42%	29%	21%	28%	15%
The system works badly but if we elected the right people, they could put things right	30%		32%	35%	31%	29%	25%
The system is broken and it would take a total change of system to put things right	25%		16%	19%	30%	24%	27%
None of these	7%		4%	6%	7%	8%	9%
Don't know	12%		7%	10%	12%	12%	25%

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Total	Gender		Age groups				
	Male	Female	18 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55+

Which, if any, of the following statements would you say are true? (Please select all that apply)

	Unweighted base	2065	1020	1045	182	313	330	409	831
	Base: All German Adults	2065	1004	1061	189	310	302	412	853
Even though we live in what's called a democracy, a few people will always run things in this country anyway	39%	39%	39%	39%	35%	35%	34%	40%	43%
Secret plots that harm the nation are more common in this country than in other countries	5%	7%	4%	4%	6%	6%	5%	4%	6%
Humans have made contact with aliens and this fact has been deliberately hidden from the public	5%	6%	3%	3%	8%	5%	6%	5%	3%
The AIDS virus was created and spread around the world on purpose by a secret group or organisation	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	7%	5%	5%	4%
Regardless of who is officially in charge of governments and other organisations, there is a single group of people who secretly control events and rule the world together	19%	19%	19%	18%	14%	18%	18%	20%	19%
The official account of the Nazi Holocaust is a lie and the number of Jews killed by the Nazis during World War II has been exaggerated on purpose	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
The idea of man-made global warming is a hoax that was invented to deceive people	8%	9%	9%	6%	5%	9%	8%	6%	8%
The Government is deliberately hiding the truth about how many immigrants really live in this country	35%	35%	35%	35%	14%	27%	34%	39%	40%
The truth about the harmful effects of vaccines is being deliberately hidden from the public	17%	17%	16%	18%	15%	15%	16%	17%	19%
Muslim immigration to this country is part of a bigger plan to make Muslims a majority of this country's population	20%	20%	23%	18%	9%	12%	19%	20%	26%
None of these is true	35%	35%	33%	37%	41%	37%	34%	34%	34%
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Total	Political position					
	Left-wing	Slightly left-of-centre	Centre	Slightly right-of-centre	Right-wing	Don't know

Which, if any, of the following statements would you say are true? (Please select all that apply)

	Unweighted base	2065	159	455	653	396	75	327
	Base: All German Adults	2065	156	440	659	382	75	353
Even though we live in what's called a democracy, a few people will always run things in this country anyway	39%	35%	40%	39%	54%	36%	26%	
Secret plots that harm the nation are more common in this country than in other countries	5%	6%	5%	5%	8%	14%	3%	
Humans have made contact with aliens and this fact has been deliberately hidden from the public	5%	4%	4%	4%	6%	9%	3%	
The AIDS virus was created and spread around the world on purpose by a secret group or organisation	5%	8%	4%	4%	5%	11%	6%	
Regardless of who is officially in charge of governments and other organisations, there is a single group of people who secretly control events and rule the world together	19%	21%	17%	19%	23%	22%	15%	
The official account of the Nazi Holocaust is a lie and the number of Jews killed by the Nazis during World War II has been exaggerated on purpose	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
The idea of man-made global warming is a hoax that was invented to deceive people	8%	7%	6%	7%	10%	19%	6%	
The Government is deliberately hiding the truth about how many immigrants really live in this country	35%	25%	25%	34%	52%	63%	28%	
The truth about the harmful effects of vaccines is being deliberately hidden from the public	17%	15%	13%	21%	17%	21%	15%	
Muslim immigration to this country is part of a bigger plan to make Muslims a majority of this country's population	20%	13%	13%	17%	35%	48%	15%	
None of these is true	35%	40%	41%	32%	18%	24%	51%	
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Total	Employment Status							
	Working full time (30 or more hours per week)	Working part time (8-29 hours a week)	Working part time (Less than 8 hours a week)	Full time student	Retired	Unemployed	Not working	Other

Which, if any, of the following statements would you say are true? (Please select all that apply)

	Unweighted base	2065	856	269	55	84	528	63	91	119
	Base: All German Adults	2065	830	269	59	84	537	65	94	127
Even though we live in what's called a democracy, a few people will always run things in this country anyway	39%	39%	39%	40%	18%	34%	45%	39%	40%	27%
Secret plots that harm the nation are more common in this country than in other countries	5%	5%	5%	5%	4%	2%	7%	3%	6%	4%
Humans have made contact with aliens and this fact has been deliberately hidden from the public	5%	5%	5%	4%	5%	1%	3%	4%	9%	7%
The AIDS virus was created and spread around the world on purpose by a secret group or organisation	5%	5%	5%	5%	13%	6%	5%	1%	8%	4%
Regardless of who is officially in charge of governments and other organisations, there is a single group of people who secretly control events and rule the world together	19%	19%	18%	16%	12%	21%	22%	17%	24%	13%
The official account of the Nazi Holocaust is a lie and the number of Jews killed by the Nazis during World War II has been exaggerated on purpose	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
The idea of man-made global warming is a hoax that was invented to deceive people	8%	8%	8%	6%	8%	5%	9%	2%	7%	5%
The Government is deliberately hiding the truth about how many immigrants really live in this country	35%	35%	35%	36%	26%	14%	40%	30%	41%	23%
The truth about the harmful effects of vaccines is being deliberately hidden from the public	17%	17%	15%	16%	17%	15%	21%	13%	23%	13%
Muslim immigration to this country is part of a bigger plan to make Muslims a majority of this country's population	20%	20%	19%	21%	21%	2%	26%	17%	21%	13%
None of these is true	35%	35%	35%	35%	36%	39%	30%	35%	31%	54%
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None of these is true	35%	43%	34%	31%	35%	50%	
Refus de répondre	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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