

FrankfurtRhineMain

FrankfurtRhineMain is Germany's most cosmopolitan region. In many international benchmarkings FrankfurtRhineMain fetches top rankings and is clearly among the most appreciated business locations in Europe.

The region's position at the crossroads of Europe makes it a natural meeting point for business. Not only the excellent infrastructure of road, rail, ship and air transportation offering direct daily access to almost any place in Europe and the world, but also the highly qualified labour force, an advanced information and communication infrastructure, the number of universities and schools available and the abundance of a rich cultural life makes it a unique place to live and to work, to be productive and to enjoy life.

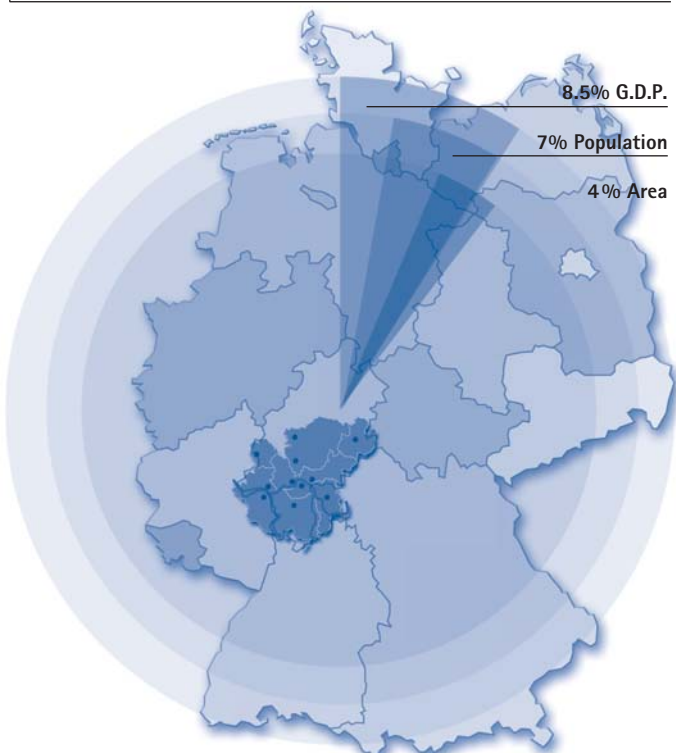
Many foreigners are already living in FrankfurtRhineMain and they are welcome. An open minded population looks forward to welcome skilled people and foreign capital to enhance the regional development of FrankfurtRhineMain.

Transport Infrastructure FrankfurtRheinMain

Total of classified roads	11,972 km
<i>including</i> Federal highways (Bundesautobahnen)	847 km
ICE (IntercityExpress) / IC(Intercity) / EC Eurocity) / IR(Interregio)-Stations	16
Ports along the rivers Rhine and Main	7

Figures per: 01.01.2006

FrankfurtRhineMain Region in Germany



FrankfurtRhineMain in Europe



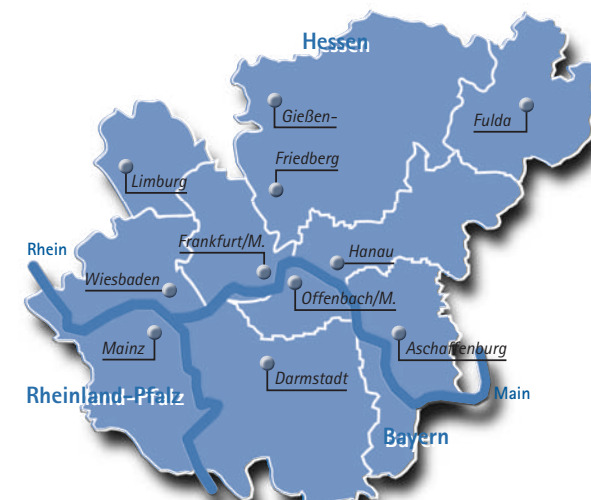
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Own surveys and calculations

Note

The systems used for the preparation of official statistics have been partially changed so that a comparison of the figures in time series with those of the previous years will require certain modifications.



FrankfurtRhineMain in figures

An initiative of the Chambers of Industry and Commerce of
Aschaffenburg | Darmstadt | Frankfurt am Main | Fulda
Gießen-Friedberg | Hanau-Gelnhausen-Schlüchtern | Limburg
Rheinhausen (Mainz) | Offenbach am Main | Wiesbaden

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Area and Population

Region	Area in sq.km	Population	Population density	
			inhabitants per sq.km	Foreign Nationals in percent
Germany	357,093	82,437,995	231	8.8
FrankfurtRhineMain	14,751	5,523,087	374	12.5
Main cities*	1,186	1,791,137	1,510	19.3

Populations figures per: 31.12.2005

* Aschaffenburg, Darmstadt, Frankfurt a. M., Fulda, Gießen, Hanau, Limburg, Mainz, Offenbach a. M., Wiesbaden and Worms

Land Usage

	Germany		FrankfurtRhineMain	
	in hectares	in percent	in hectares	in percent
Residential Et Vacant area	2,393,800	6.7	124,128	8.4
Industrial estates	251,800	0.7	6,220	0.4
Outdoor recreation	313,100	0.9	16,784	1.1
Roads and Railways	1,744,600	4.9	101,466	6.9
Agricultural land	18,932,400	53.0	639,552	43.4
Forestry	10,648,800	29.8	553,937	37.6
Lakes and Rivers	827,900	2.3	21,916	1.5
Other areas	592,500	1.7	11,146	0.7
Total area	35,705,000	100	1,475,149	100

Figures per: 01.01.2006

G.D.P. (Gross Domestic Product) in EURO (millions)

Economic area	Germany	FrankfurtRhineMain
Production industry*	575,900	38,794
including processing industry	449,730	30,032
Service industries**	1,394,040	125,988
including Business services	582,560	63,610
including Wholesale and Retail Trade	357,840	31,917
Agriculture and Forestry, Fishing	24,270	983
G.D.P. in total EURO (millions)	1,994,210	165,765
G.D.P. per inhabitant in EURO	24,190	30,013

Figures per: 2004

* Processing industry; electricity, gas and water supply; mining and quarrying; construction

** Wholesale and Retail Trade; Financial intermediation; Transport, Storage and Communication; Hotels and Restaurants; Business services; other services

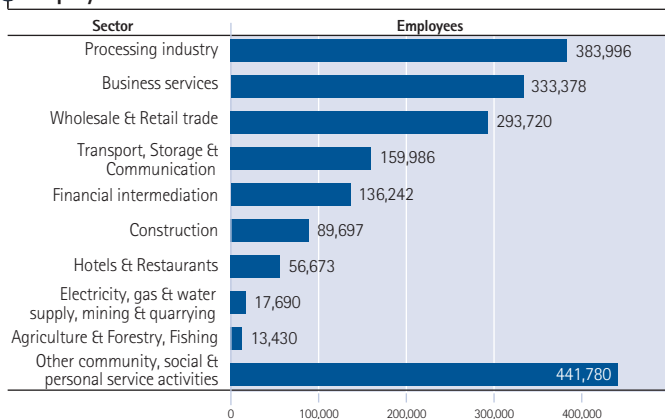
Sectors of Industry in FrankfurtRhineMain

Automation
Automotive Industry
Chemicals
Financial Sector
Health Care
IT / Telecommunication
Logistics / Transportation
Management Consultancy
Materials Technology
Media / Advertising

Selection of prominent international enterprises with major activities in FrankfurtRhineMain

ABB | Abbott | Adam Opel | Altana | Boehringer Ingelheim | Bosch | Braun | Carl Schenck AG | Commerzbank | Continental Teves AG & Co. KG | CSC Ploenzke | Degussa | Deutsche Bank | DFS Deutsche Flugsicherung | Dresdner Bank | Fraport | Fresenius | Goodyear Dunlop Tyres Germany | Hassia Mineralquellen GmbH & Co. KG | Helaba | Henkell & Söhnlein Sekt-kellereien | Heraeus | IBM Deutschland | Linde | Lufthansa | MAN Roland | Merck | Motorola | Nestlé | Pepsi-Cola | Pirelli | Procter & Gamble | Rolls Royce | R + V Allgemeine Versicherung | Samson AG | sanofi-aventis | Schenker | Schott AG | Schunk Kohlenstoff-technik GmbH | SGL Carbon | Siemens | Singulus Technologies | Sirona Dental Systems GmbH & Co. KG | Stada Arzneimittel | STI Gustav Stabernack | Software AG | Tyco Electronics | Tetra Pack | T-Online

Employees in 2006



Figures per: 30.06.2006

Frankfurt International Airport (FRA) in 2006

	Frankfurt International Airport	Part of FRA within German airports in percent
No. of passengers	52,810,683	30.3
Freight volume in tons	2,057,174	62.4
Airmail volume in tons	96,889	63.5
Flights	489,406	21.4
Flights per day	1,341	21.4

127 Airlines start from Frankfurt International Airport to 292 destinations in 110 countries.

Selection of prominent research institutes

Fias Frankfurt Institute for Advanced Studies
 Forschungsanstalt Geisenheim
 Fraunhofer-Institute for
 Structural Durability and System Reliability LBF | Computer Graphics Research IGD | Secure Information Technology SIT
 GSI Gesellschaft für Schwerionenforschung
 IMM Institut für Mikrotechnik Mainz
 Max-Planck-Institutes for
 Biophysics | Chemistry | European Legal History | Brain Research | Heart and Lung Research | Polymer Research
 Paul-Ehrlich-Institut - Federal Agency for Sera and Vaccines
 Senckenberg Research Institute

Universities Et Colleges of Applied Sciences and international Schools

14 Universities and Colleges of Applied Sciences	163,756	Students*
11 Private and clerical Colleges	10,689	Students*
3 Art Colleges	1,497	Students*
5 Academies of Business and Administration	8,327	Students*
4 International Schools (offering international graduation)	3,800	Students*

* in the academic year 2006/07

Messe Frankfurt in 2006

Total events in Frankfurt	40
Total exhibitors	25,200
Including: Exhibitors from abroad	17,388
Total guests	1,500,000
Including: Guests from abroad	593,400
Gross exhibition area (sq.m)	404,917

The Messe Frankfurt GmbH has 14 subsidiaries abroad, 5 branch offices and 49 foreign representative offices, covering 151 countries.

Best known Trade Fairs in FrankfurtRhineMain

Frankfurt: Achema | Ambiente | Automechanika | Beautyworld | Book Fair | Christmasworld | Home Textiles | International Automobile Trade Fair (IAA) | International Fair for Sanitation Et Heating (ISH) | Musikmesse | Paperworld | Techtextil | Tendence
 Offenbach: International Leather Goods Fair

European Institutions

European Central Bank (ECB)
 European Space Operations Centre (ESOC)
 European Meteorological Satellite Organisation (EUMETSAT)
 Committee of European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Supervisors (CEIOPS)

Tourism in FrankfurtRhineMain in 2006

No. of hotels and guest houses	2,625
No. of beds	150,242
Total guests	9,405,860
Guests from abroad in percent	29.4
Total overnight stays	19,841,394
Average duration of stay	2.1 days

Selection of prominent museums and cultural sites

Museums: Gutenberg Museum | Senckenberg Naturmuseum | Städelches Kunstinstitut
 Architectural Landmarks: Schloss Johannisburg, Pompejanum, Aschaffenburg | Mathildenhöhe, Darmstadt | Dom, Skyline, Frankfurt am Main | Michaelskirche, Fulda | Schloss Philippsruhe, Hanau | Dom, Limburg | Dom, St. Stephanskirche, Mainz | Dom, Heiliger Sand, Worms
 UNESCO World Heritage: Grube Messel | Kloster Lorsch | Limes | Oberes Mittelrheintal
 UNESCO Geopark: Bergstraße-Odenwald