



Variable List

Ifo Investment Database

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1. Identification Variables

Nr.	Name	Label	Bezeichnung
1.1)	Concept	concept	Konzept
1.2)	Year	year	Jahr
1.3)	Classification	industry classification	Wirtschaftszweigklassifikation

2. Investments

Nr.	Name	Label	Bezeichnung
2.1)	Metal	Metal Products	Metallerzeugnisse
2.2)	Machinery	Machinery	Maschinen
2.3)	Computers	Computers and Office Equipment	Büromaschinen, DV-Geräte und -Einrichtungen
2.4)	Electricity	Electrical Generation and Distribution	Elektrizitätserzeugung
2.5)	Communication	Communication Equipment	Nachrichten-, Fernmeldetechnik
2.6)	Instruments	Instruments, Optics and Watches	Medizin-, Mess-, Regelungs- und Steuerungsgeräte, Optik
2.7)	Furniture	Furniture	Möbel
2.8)	Other_machinery	Other Machines and Equipment	Sonstige Maschinen
2.9)	Automobiles	Automobiles	Straßenfahrzeuge
2.10)	Other_vehicles	Other Vehicles	Sonstige Fahrzeuge
2.11)	Intangible_assets	Intangible Assets	Immaterielle Anlagen
2.12)	Buildings	Structures and Buildings	Bauten
2.13)	Equipment	Equipment and Other Assets	Ausrüstungen
2.14)	Assets	Assets	Anlagen

1. Identification Variables

Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update
1.1)	Concept	concept	1991-2015	yearly

1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description
Germany								1 digit number
1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	1 Owner Concept Nominal
Germany								2 Owner Concept real
2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	3 User Concept nominal
Germany								4 User Concept real
2015								

Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update
1.2)	Year	year	1991-2015	yearly

1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description
Germany								year
1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
Germany								
2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Germany								
2015								

Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update
1.3)	Classification	classification	1991-2015	yearly

1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description
Germany								Industry Classification
1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	1 Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing
Germany								2 Producing Industries
2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	3 Mining and Quarrying
Germany								4 Manufacturing
2015								5 Food and Tobacco
								6 Textiles and Apparel
								7 Wood Products
								8 Paper, Pulp
								9 Printing
								10 Coke, Petroleum
								11 Chemicals
								12 Pharmaceuticals
								13 Rubber, Plastic
								14 Non-Metallic Mineral Products
								15 Basic Metals
								16 Fabricated Metal Products
								17 Computers, Electronics, Optics
								18 Electrical Equipment
								19 Machinery
								20 Motor Vehicles
								21 Other Transport Equipment
								22 Furniture and Manufacturing n.e.c.
								23 Rep. and Install. of Machinery and Equip.
								24 Energy and Water
								25 Electricity, Gas
								26 Water Supply
								27 Sewerage, Waste, Material Recovery
								28 Construction
								29 Service Sectors
								30 Trade, Transportation, Accommodation
								31 Trade
								32 Sale and Repair of Motor Vehicles
								33 Wholesale Trade
								34 Retail Trade
								35 Transportation and Storage
								36 Land Transport
								37 Water Transport
								38 Air Transport
								39 Warehousing, Support Activities
								40 Postal and Courier Service
								41 Accommodation and Food Service Activities
								42 Information and Communication
								43 Publishing, Radio, TV
								44 Communications
								45 Information Services
								46 Financial and Insurance Activities
								47 Financial Services
								48 Insurance
								49 Aux. Financial and Insurance Activities
								50 Real Estate (incl. Leasing)
								51 Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities
								52 Administrative and Support Service Activities (incl. Leasing)
								53 Public Services
								54 Public Administration, Defense, Social Security
								55 Education
								56 Human Health and Social Work
								57 Other Services
								58 Arts, Entertainment, Recreation
								59 Membership Organizations
								60 Repair of Computers and Personal Goods
								61 Other Private Services
								62 All Industries

2. Investment

Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update					
2.1)	Metal	Metal Products	1991-2015	yearly					
1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description Investment in Million Euros in Metal Products	
Germany	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005		2006
Germany	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013		2014
Germany	2015								
Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update					
2.2)	Machinery	Machinery	1991-2015	yearly					
1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description Investment in Million Euros in Machinery	
Germany	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005		2006
Germany	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013		2014
Germany	2015								
Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update					
2.3)	Computers	Computers and Office Equipment	1991-2015	yearly					
1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description Investment in Million Euros in Computers and Office Equipment	
Germany	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005		2006
Germany	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013		2014
Germany	2015								
Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update					
2.4)	Electricity	Electrical Generation and Distribution	1991-2015	yearly					
1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description Investment in Million Euros in Electrical Generation and Distribution	
Germany	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005		2006
Germany	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013		2014
Germany	2015								
Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update					
2.5)	Communication	Communication Equipment	1991-2015	yearly					
1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description Investment in Million Euros in Communication Equipment	
Germany	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005		2006
Germany	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013		2014
Germany	2015								
Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update					
2.6)	Instruments	Instruments, Optics and Watches	1991-2015	yearly					
1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description Investment in Million Euros in Instruments, Optics and Watches	
Germany	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005		2006
Germany	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013		2014
Germany	2015								
Nr.	Name	Label	Label	Coverage	Update				
2.7)	Furniture	Furniture		1991-2015	yearly				
1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description Investment in Million Euros in Furniture	
Germany	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005		2006
Germany	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013		2014
Germany	2015								

Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update
2.8)	Other_machinery	Other Machines and Equipment	1991-2015	yearly

1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description
Germany								Investment in Million Euros in Other Machines and Equipment
1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
Germany								
2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Germany								
2015								

Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update
2.9)	Automobiles	Automobiles	1991-2015	yearly

1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description
Germany								Investment in Million Euros in Automobiles
1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
Germany								
2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012			
Germany								
2015								

Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update
2.10)	Other_vehicles	Other Vehicles	1991-2015	yearly

1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description
Germany								Investment in Million Euros in Other Vehicles
1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
Germany								
2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012			
Germany								
2015								

Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update
2.11)	Intangible_assets	Intangible Assets	1991-2015	yearly

1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description
Germany								Investment in Million Euros in Intangible Assets
1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
Germany								
2007	2008	2009	2010					
Germany								
2015								

Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update
2.12)	Buildings	Buildings	1991-2015	yearly

1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description
Germany								Investment in Million Euros in Buildings
1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
Germany								
2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012			
Germany								
2015								

Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update
2.13)	Equipment	Equipment and Other Assets	1991-2015	yearly

1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description
Germany								Investment in Million Euros in Equipment and Other Assets
1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
Germany								
2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012			
Germany								
2015								

Nr.	Name	Label	Coverage	Update
2.14)	Assets	Assets	1991-2015	yearly

1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	Description
Germany								Investment in Million Euros in Assets
1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	
Germany								
2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012			
Germany								
2015								