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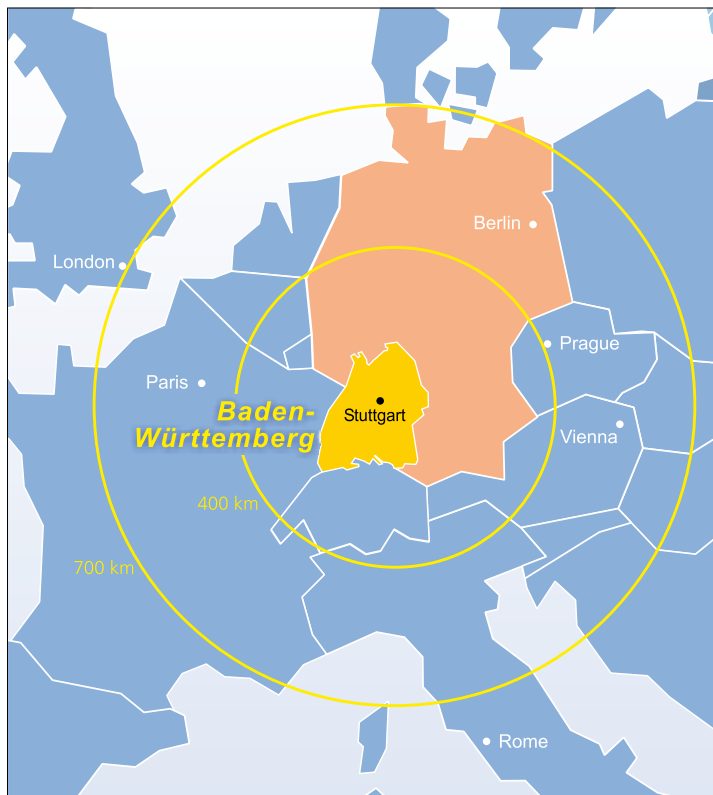
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Economic Facts and Figures Baden-Württemberg 2007





Since the creation of the Single European Market, Baden-Württemberg has enjoyed a more central position than ever. Germany's third largest Federal State can be reached from anywhere in Europe within the shortest possible time.

Baden-Württemberg's outstanding infrastructure not only ensures fast and convenient travel, but also permits the prompt, effective movement of goods over land, on water and in the air.

Creativity, innovation, research, development are the key concepts which characterize Baden-Württemberg. Its leading economic role as a thriving centre of export and industry is perhaps better understood against this unique background.

The stringent quality requirements existing here make this market an ideal testing ground for the whole of Germany and an optimum location for successful trade with markets around the globe.

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Area and Population

	Unit	1995	2000	2006
Area	km ²	35 753	35 751	35 752
Inhabitants (at year end)	1 000	10 319	10 524	10 739
per km ²	Number	289	294	300
Foreigners	1 000	1 348	1 284	1 271
Natural increase/decrease (-)	Number	14 726	10 842	- 707
Net immigration/emigration (-)	Number	35 572	37 641	3 930

Employees

	1 000	4 735	4 910	5 174
Gainful employment rate ¹⁾	%	49.7	49.4	51.5
Self-employed (not including agriculture)	1 000	418	437	524
Foreigners	1 000	600	606	627
Distribution of employment in				
Agriculture and forestry	%	2.7	2.4	1.8
Industry	%	42.8	40.7	38.2
- Mining and manufacturing	%	34.8	33.2	31.4
- Construction	%	7.3	6.9	6.1
Commerce, gastronomy and transport	%	20.2	19.4	20.4
Other services	%	34.2	37.5	39.6
- Real estate and lets, services for companies	%	5.8	8.0	9.3
- Public and private services	%	18.0	19.5	21.0

Economic Strength

Gross domestic product				
in current prices	EUR mill.	261 064	297 393	337 117
per capita	EUR	25 358	28 343	31 388
real economic growth	%	1.7	3.7	3.5
Distribution of gross value added (current prices)				
Agriculture and forestry; fishing	%	1.1	1.2	0.8
Industry, excluding construction	%	33.1	33.6	34.8
- Manufacturing	%	31.1	32.0	33.0
- Electricity, gas and water supply	%	1.9	1.4	1.6
Construction	%	5.7	5.1	4.2
Commerce, gastronomy and transport	%	15.4	15.9	16.0
Financial intermediation; real estate; renting and business activities	%	26.0	25.5	25.9
Other services activities (public administration and defence, social and personal service activities, etc.)	%	18.8	18.7	18.3

Labor Market

Unemployed	1 000	328.3	281.5	348.7
Employees on short hours	1 000	24.9	8.1	9.5
Unemployment rate ²⁾	%	7.4	5.4	6.3

1) Ratio between gainfully employed and total population. - 2) Relative to all members of the civil working population.

Education		1995	2000	2006
	Unit			
Total school pupil population	1 000	1 552	1 678	1 709
General education schools ¹⁾	1 000	1 200	1 292	1 291
– Primary and general-curriculum schools	1 000	668	689	631
– General-curriculum secondary schools	1 000	200	230	245
– College-curriculum secondary schools	1 000	257	293	333
– Comprehensive schools/ Rudolf Steiner schools	1 000	23	25	28
Vocational schools	1 000	355	386	418
Total college and university student population	1 000	227	194	243
Foreign students	1 000	20	26	36
Law, economic and social sciences	1 000	64	59	65
Mathematics, natural sciences	1 000	43	37	50
Engineering sciences	1 000	44	35	46
Vocational Training				
Total trainees (apprentices)	1 000	187	206	202
Industry and commerce	1 000	93	114	116
Trades	1 000	61	62	58
Agriculture	1 000	4	4	4
Civil service	1 000	7	7	6
Liberal professions	1 000	20	19	16
Home economics	1 000	1	2	2
Total new apprenticeship contracts	1 000	69	78	76
Industry and commerce	1 000	33	43	44
Trades	1 000	24	24	23
Agriculture	1 000	2	1	2
Civil service	1 000	2	2	2
Liberal professions	1 000	7	7	5
Home economics	1 000	1	1	1
Science and Research				
State expenditures (incl. communities)	EUR mill.	2 528	2 692	3 360
Total college and university personnel	1 000	32	33	37
Natural and engineering sciences	1 000	13	13	14
Total personnel in research and development work in the industrial sector ²⁾	1 000	66	70	76
Domestic applications for a patent	Number	8 411	12 486	13 347
Engineer density ³⁾	%	3.0	3.4	3.7

1) Including adult education. – 2) Proportional share in full-time employment; 2000: 1999, 2006: 2003; Source: SV-Wissenschaftsstatistik GmbH. – 3) Ratio between engineers and scientists and total work force.

Industry (Manufacturing)		1995	2000	2006
	Unit			
Local units	Number	8 550	8 675	8 359
Employees	1 000	1 260	1 255	1 193
Turnover (excl. of value added tax)	EUR mill.	178 256	235 933	283 170
Foreign turnover	EUR mill.	56 411	98 320	136 542
Export rate ¹⁾	%	31.6	41.7	48.2
Wages and salaries	EUR mill.	41 626	46 133	50 071
Hours worked	mill.	1 212	1 166	1 824
Industrial density (employees per 1 000 inhabitants)	Number	122	119	111
Industrial skilled worker rate ²⁾	%	51.8	48.0	52.2
Industrial Structure (Percentage in proportion to the employees in industry)				
Machinery	%	21.8	21.3	22.4
Vehicle construction	%	15.4	18.0	19.7
Manufacture of metal products	%	8.9	9.7	10.2
Manufacture of equipment for electricity generation and distribution	%	7.6	7.4	7.6
Paper, publishing and printing industry	%	6.4	6.5	5.7
Medical, measuring and controlling technology, optics	%	5.3	5.3	5.7
Food industry and tobacco processing	%	4.9	5.1	5.4
Chemical industry	%	4.8	4.8	4.8
Manufacture of synthetic products	%	4.2	4.1	4.0
Radio, television and communication engineering	%	3.2	3.1	2.5
Textile and garment industry	%	4.4	3.3	2.4
Airport Stuttgart				
Passengers	1 000	5 041	7 978	10 021
Airfreight	Tons	13 772	19 487	18 768
Airmail	Tons	17 012	15 230	9 755

1) Ratio between foreign turnover and total turnover. – 2) Ratio between skilled workers and employed persons.

Craft¹⁾		1995	2000	2006
	Unit			
Local units	Number	98 904	97 551	83 910
Employees	1 000	846	809	702
Turnover (excl. of value added tax)	EUR bill.	62.2	65.8	65.5

Primary Construction Industry and Construction Activity²⁾

Local units (June)	Number	8 134	8 196	7 072
Employees (June)	1 000	147	117	86
Turnover (excl. of value added tax)	EUR mill.	12 282	11 366	10 200
Hours worked	mill.	175	141	102
Housing	%	47.9	47.5	46.0
Economic construction	%	26.3	25.1	26.6
Road and public construction	%	25.9	27.4	27.5
Existing residential buildings	1 000	2 042	2 165	2 281
Existing residential units	1 000	4 403	4 707	4 910

Tourism

Establishments	Number	7 262	7 209	7 039
Guest beds	1 000	377	409	389
Overnight stays	1 000	41 393	41 827	40 857
Foreign guests	1 000	5 031	5 690	7 261

Purchasing Power

Private households	1 000	4 702	4 744	4 959
One-person households	1 000	1 750	1 714	1 828
Multi-person households	1 000	2 951	3 030	3 131
Disposable private-household income	EUR mill.	160 557	183 127	206 638 ³⁾
per capita	EUR	15 595	17 453	19 261 ³⁾

Wages and salaries

Yearly gross salaries, blue-collar				
– Manufacturing	EUR	28 029	32 824	37 047
– Construction industry	EUR	26 442	30 074	30 703
Yearly gross salaries, white-collar				
– Manufacturing	EUR	41 343	48 227	56 620
– Construction industry	EUR	38 999	42 294	46 606
– Commerce	EUR	28 696	31 494	39 214
– Credit and insurances	EUR	35 161	40 503	45 551

Foreign Trade¹⁾		1995	2000	2006
	Unit			
Total exports	EUR mill.	64 414	100 988	141 924
Motor vehicles and parts	EUR mill.	12 942	25 060	35 413
Machinery	EUR mill.	16 428	23 648	32 373
Chemical products	EUR mill.	5 308	10 043	14 867
Medical, measuring, control, regulating and optical products	EUR mill.	3 727	5 863	8 228
Manufacture of equipment for electricity generation and distribution, etc.	EUR mill.	3 999	5 834	7 692
Textiles	EUR mill.	1 587	1 797	1 658
Ultimate destinations of exports				
USA	EUR mill.	6 318	15 068	17 167
EU 27	EUR mill.	36 439	57 084	80 856
– France	EUR mill.	7 638	10 659	12 640
– Italy	EUR mill.	4 946	7 530	9 576
– Great Britain	EUR mill.	4 622	6 949	8 821
– Austria	EUR mill.	3 655	5 445	7 794
Switzerland	EUR mill.	5 470	6 638	8 861
People's Republic of China	EUR mill.	795	1 395	4 643
Japan	EUR mill.	2 211	3 461	3 337
Total imports	EUR mill.	46 038	75 933	115 693
USA	EUR mill.	3 807	7 980	11 445
EU 27	EUR mill.	27 439	43 903	67 976

Direct Investment²⁾

In Baden-Württemberg from foreign countries	EUR bill.	18.9	52.9	70.7
Netherlands	EUR bill.	5.7	27.7	28.1
Switzerland	EUR bill.	5.5	9.2	13.2
USA	EUR bill.	3.2	6.1	7.3
France	EUR bill.	1.9	2.9	5.8
United Kingdom	EUR bill.	0.6	1.5	2.1
In foreign countries from Baden-Württemberg	EUR bill.	26.2	76.3	102.1
USA	EUR bill.	5.4	32.1	27.2
Netherlands	EUR bill.	2.7	3.5	17.1
United Kingdom	EUR bill.	2.5	6.3	7.4
France	EUR bill.	2.5	4.0	5.7
Switzerland	EUR bill.	2.1	3.2	3.9

1) Source: Baden-Württembergischer Handwerkstag. – 2) 2006: to the „classification of economic sectors“ 2003 (WZ 2003). – 3) 2005.

1) 2006: provisional results. – 2) Existing direct investment at the end of the year.

Baden-Württemberg's Economic Ranking in Germany

	1995	2000	2006
	Percentage (%) in proportion to Germany		
Area	10.0	10.0	10.0
Population	12.6	12.8	13.0
Employees	13.1	13.4	13.9 ¹⁾
Manufacturing	15.7	16.5	18.0 ¹⁾
Self-employed	14.1	13.2	12.8 ¹⁾
Gross domestic product (current prices)	14.1	14.4	14.6
General education school population	12.0	14.5	13.8
Vocational school population	14.0	13.9	14.3
Total college and university student population	12.2	10.9	12.4
Mathematics, natural sciences	14.9	12.4	14.2
Total personnel in research and development work in the industrial sector ²⁾	23.3	22.8	25.7
Domestic applications for a patent	21.9	23.3	27.8
Local units, manufacturing	18.4	18.3	18.5
Employees, manufacturing	19.1	20.1	20.5
Machinery	26.3	27.3	28.2
Vehicle construction	22.2	24.7	25.5
Overnight stays	12.7	12.0	11.6
Exports ³⁾	16.8	16.9	15.8
Motor vehicles and parts	22.3	23.5	21.4
Machinery	26.8	27.1	25.6
Chemical products	10.4	13.2	12.7
Manufacture of equipment for electricity generation and distribution	19.1	18.7	17.3
Direct investment from foreign countries ⁴⁾	13.4	10.5	13.4
Direct investment in foreign countries ⁴⁾	13.9	14.7	15.2
	Key level figures (Germany \triangleq 100)		
Per capita gross domestic product (current prices)	112.0	112.9	112.1
Per capita disposable income	107.2	108.5	108.8 ⁵⁾
Per capita expenditure on science and research ⁶⁾	206.4	179.0	174.4
Key industrial figures (manufacturing)			
Export rate	109.7	113.9	113.9
Wages and salaries per employed person	105.8	106.1	107.4

1) 2005. – 2) Proportional share in full-time employment; 2000: 1999, 2006: 2003; source: SV-Wissenschaftsstatistik GmbH. – 3) 2006: provisional results. – 4) Existing direct investment at the end of the year; 2006: 2005. – 5) 2005. – 6) 2000: 1999, 2006: 2003; source: SV-Wissenschaftsstatistik GmbH.

Baden-Württemberg's Largest Cities 2006

City	Population	Area	No. of employees in the manufacturing ¹⁾	
	1 000	km ²	1 000	per 1 000 inhabitants
Stuttgart	594	207	72	121
Mannheim	308	145	42	135
Karlsruhe	286	173	21	73
Freiburg	218	153	12	56
Heidelberg	145	109	11	77
Heilbronn	121	100	15	121
Ulm	121	119	19	158
Pforzheim	119	98	13	106
Reutlingen	112	87	15	137
Esslingen	92	46	19	210
Ludwigsburg	87	43	7	83
Tübingen	84	108	6	67

1) No. of employees as an annual average, establishments employing 20 or more persons, including mining and extraction of minerals.

Information and Addresses

Should you be interested in more detailed information regarding cooperation with Baden-Württemberg businesses and/or questions of industrial development, please contact one of the following addresses:

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