

Table A1: Average per capita income 1928, 1932, and 1936 by region

	1928 (in 1928 Mark)	1932 (in 1928 Mark)	1936 (in 1928 Mark)
Prussia	1,174	869	1,161
Province East-Prussia	814	673	849
City of Berlin (E/W)	1,822	1311	1,895
Province Brandenburg (E)	1,140	917	1,158
Province Pommern	921	721	967
Grenzmark Posen/West-Prussia	837	649	781
Niederschlesien	1,057	804	953
Oberschlesien	850	599	758
Sachsen (E)	1,155	844	1,161
Schleswig-Holstein (W)	1,164	938	1,192
Hannover (W)	1,069	859	1,156
Westfalen (W)	1,080	755	1,045
Hessen-Nassau (W)	1,226	963	1,140
Rheinprovinz (W)	1,218	857	1,171
Bavaria (W)	1,041	785	1,049
Sachsen (E)	1,423	964	1,270
Württemberg (W)	1,183	1015	1,348
Baden (W)	1,135	859	1,117
Thüringen (E)	1,095	784	1,087
Hessen (W)	1,158	797	1,039
Hamburg (W)	1,754	1304	1,746
Other States	1,155	913	1,314
Deutsches Reich	1,185	875	1,173
Average "East"	1,203	877	1,169
Average "West"	1,203	913	1,200

Source: Statistisches Jahrbuch für das Deutsche Reich, various issues. Average "East" and average "West" refer to the non-population weighted average incomes of regions that belonged primarily to East Germany after 1945 (marked by "E") and regions that belonged primarily to West Germany after 1945 (marked by "W").

Table A2: Summary statistics

year	variable	West sample		East Sample	
		Obs.	Per cent	Obs.	Per cent
1997	Responsibility for the financial security when unemployed (state=1)	6,104	63.24%	3,735	78.85%
	Responsibility for the financial security when sick (state=1)	6,105	34.50%	3,728	52.76%
	Responsibility for the financial security of the family (state=1)	6,095	32.78%	3,732	49.06%
	Responsibility for the financial security when old (state=1)	6,110	38.46%	3,737	56.09%
	Responsibility for the financial security when requiring care (state=1)	6,110	40.77%	3,737	56.44%
2002	Responsibility for the financial security when unemployed (state=1)	5,307	65.33%	3,343	76.64%
	Responsibility for the financial security when sick (state=1)	5,309	40.01%	3,345	51.81%
	Responsibility for the financial security of the family (state=1)	5,311	32.10%	3,347	45.65%
	Responsibility for the financial security when old (state=1)	5,319	36.70%	3,350	48.51%
	Responsibility for the financial security when requiring care (state=1)	5,313	44.27%	3,354	53.04%

year	variable	West sample		East Sample	
		Obs.	Per cent	Obs.	Per cent
1996/99	Life achievements determined by luck or effort (luck=1)	6,555	40.23%	4,070	31.40%
1999	Social conditions define possibilities (agree=1)	5,523	60.44%	3,465	72.41%

Table A3: Gross and net transfers, average income, and unemployment rates by states

	Gross transfers per capita (in DM)		Net transfers per capita (in DM)		Average income per capita (in DM)		Unemployment rates (in %)	
	1997*	2002	1997*	2002	1997*	2002	1997*	2002
Berlin	9,209	11,093	4,599	6,364	28,830	28,528	17.3	16.9
WEST								
Baden-Württemberg	3,589	4,155	-1,996	-1,390	32,621	34,843	8.7	5.4
Bayern	3,513	4,187	-2,133	-1,385	32,011	33,895	8.7	6.0
Bremen	12,602	12,710	6,551	7,535	35,588	37,231	16.8	12.6
Hamburg	6,897	6,809	-884	-1,078	35,056	36,709	13.0	9.0
Hessen	3,971	4,817	-2,184	-1,193	30,683	32,803	10.4	6.9
Niedersachsen	5,892	6,976	1,045	2,378	30,149	31,473	12.9	9.2
Nordrhein-Westfalen	5,524	6,423	-98	970	32,198	34,168	12.2	9.2
Rheinland-Pfalz, Saarland	5,992	6,762	1,140	2,248	29,625	31,329	11.0	7.6
Schleswig-Holstein	5,460	7,348	341	2,751	31,178	31,655	11.2	8.7
EAST								
Brandenburg	9,534	11,463	5,616	7,263	26,288	28,047	18.9	17.5
Mecklenburg-Vorpommern	10,127	12,233	6,351	8,153	24,878	26,834	20.3	18.6
Sachsen	12,349	14,192	8,547	10,064	25,867	28,099	18.4	17.8
Sachsen-Anhalt	12,114	14,159	8,299	9,996	25,227	27,313	21.7	19.6
Thüringen	11,281	12,495	7,579	8,439	25,338	27,941	19.1	15.9

\* Values adjusted for inflation.

Table A4: Basic regressions - ordered probit

Dependent variable	Responsibility for the financial security when unemployed (state=1, private=5)		Responsibility for the financial security when sick (state=1, private=5)		Responsibility for the financial security of the family (state=1, private=5)		Responsibility for the financial security when old (state=1, private=5)		Responsibility for the financial security when requiring care (state=1, private=5)	
	Coeff.	Std. Err.	Coeff.	Std. Err.	Coeff.	Std. Err.	Coeff.	Std. Err.	Coeff.	Std. Err.
east	-0.378***	0.024	-0.376***	0.024	-0.349***	0.024	-0.342***	0.024	-0.307***	0.024
year02	-0.038**	0.019	-0.151***	0.020	-0.014	0.020	0.001	0.019	-0.090***	0.020
east*year02	0.102***	0.030	0.137***	0.030	0.031	0.029	0.122***	0.030	0.157***	0.031
age	0.016	0.013	-0.002	0.013	0.004	0.013	0.006	0.013	0.007	0.013
age squared (*10 <sup>3</sup> )	-0.367	0.253	-0.030	0.261	-0.133	0.258	-0.195	0.251	-0.063	0.259
age cubed (*10 <sup>3</sup> )	0.002	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.001	0.002	0.001	0.002	-0.000	0.002
college	0.278***	0.055	0.339***	0.056	0.200***	0.056	0.294***	0.057	0.240***	0.055
vocational training	0.193***	0.050	0.213***	0.050	0.176***	0.051	0.195***	0.051	0.183***	0.050
secondary schooling	0.183***	0.051	0.160***	0.052	0.076	0.052	0.175***	0.053	0.167***	0.052
intermediate schooling	0.171***	0.058	0.146**	0.059	0.155***	0.059	0.131**	0.060	0.144**	0.060
male	0.057***	0.019	0.098***	0.019	0.022	0.018	0.072***	0.019	0.022	0.019
number of children	-0.018	0.011	-0.027***	0.010	-0.045***	0.010	-0.027***	0.010	-0.008	0.010
number of adults	-0.016	0.010	-0.047***	0.010	-0.029***	0.010	-0.038***	0.009	-0.008	0.010
married	-0.036	0.031	-0.061*	0.032	-0.006	0.031	-0.012	0.031	-0.084***	0.032
divorced	-0.084*	0.043	-0.003	0.044	-0.055	0.043	-0.030	0.044	-0.083	0.045
married but separated	0.065	0.067	0.026	0.068	0.034	0.066	-0.055	0.069	-0.139**	0.069
widowed	0.009	0.050	-0.032	0.049	0.018	0.049	0.047	0.048	-0.051	0.050
log(household income)	0.129***	0.022	0.234***	0.022	0.135***	0.021	0.217***	0.022	0.144***	0.022
civil servant	0.114**	0.048	0.203***	0.049	-0.093**	0.049	0.121***	0.047	0.105**	0.046
self-employed	0.302***	0.044	0.381***	0.044	0.317***	0.044	0.441***	0.043	0.319***	0.043
white-collar worker	0.056**	0.027	0.062**	0.027	0.012	0.026	0.130***	0.027	0.123***	0.027
unemployed	-0.113***	0.037	-0.009	0.039	-0.119***	0.037	0.008	0.039	0.024	0.040
retired	0.027	0.047	0.090*	0.050	-0.098**	0.048	0.085*	0.048	0.040	0.049
maternity	-0.034	0.061	0.030	0.062	-0.099*	0.056	0.162***	0.060	0.116*	0.062
nonworking	-0.009	0.034	0.018	0.035	-0.147***	0.034	0.026	0.034	0.000	0.035
training	0.018	0.054	0.008	0.056	0.059	0.056	-0.002	0.054	0.022	0.056
other nonworking	0.008	0.041	0.186**	0.042	-0.048	0.043	0.058	0.043	0.088**	0.043
obs	18,688		18,688		18,688		18,688		18,688	
log likelihood	-22,278		-21,857		-23,366		-22,695		-21,306	

Note: Ordered probit regressions. Omitted categories are less than 9 years of schooling, female, single, blue-collar worker, and employed.

Table A5: Results of elections for the Bundestag, 1998 and 2002

State	year	PDS	GRÜNE	SPD	CDU/CSU	FDP	others
Berlin							
	1998	13.4	11.3	37.8	23.7	4.9	8.8
	2002	11.4	14.6	36.6	25.9	6.6	4.9
<i>WEST</i>							
Baden-Württemberg							
	1998	1.0	9.2	35.6	37.8	8.8	7.6
	2002	0.9	11.4	33.5	42.8	7.8	3.6
Bayern							
	1998	0.7	5.9	34.4	47.7	5.1	6.2
	2002	0.7	7.6	26.1	58.6	4.5	2.4
Bremen							
	1998	2.4	11.3	50.2	25.4	5.9	4.7
	2002	2.2	15.0	48.6	24.6	6.7	2.9
Hamburg							
	1998	2.3	10.8	45.7	30.0	6.5	4.7
	2002	2.1	16.2	42.0	28.1	6.8	4.8
Hessen							
	1998	1.5	8.2	41.6	34.7	7.9	6.2
	2002	1.3	10.7	39.7	37.1	8.2	2.9
Niedersachsen							
	1998	1.0	5.9	49.4	34.1	6.4	3.2
	2002	1.0	7.3	47.8	34.5	7.1	2.2
Nordrhein-Westfalen							
	1998	1.2	6.9	46.9	33.8	7.3	4.0
	2002	1.2	8.9	43.0	35.1	9.3	2.5
Rheinland-Pfalz							
	1998	1.0	6.1	41.3	39.1	7.1	5.4
	2002	1.0	7.9	38.2	40.2	9.3	3.3
Saarland							
	1998	1.0	5.5	52.4	31.8	4.7	4.5
	2002	1.4	7.6	46.0	35.0	6.4	3.7
Schleswig-Holstein							
	1998	1.5	6.5	45.4	35.7	7.6	3.3
	2002	1.3	9.4	42.9	36.0	8.0	2.4
<i>EAST</i>							
Brandenburg							
	1998	20.3	3.6	43.5	20.8	2.8	8.9
	2002	17.2	4.5	46.4	22.3	5.8	3.8
Mecklenburg-Vorpommern							
	1998	23.6	2.9	35.3	29.3	2.2	6.6
	2002	16.3	3.5	41.7	30.3	5.4	2.8
Sachsen							
	1998	20.0	4.4	29.1	32.7	3.6	10.2
	2002	16.2	4.6	33.3	33.6	7.3	5.1
Sachsen-Anhalt							
	1998	20.7	3.3	38.1	27.2	4.1	6.6
	2002	14.4	3.4	43.2	29.0	7.6	2.4
Thüringen							
	1998	21.2	3.9	34.5	28.9	3.4	8.1
	2002	17.0	4.3	39.9	29.4	5.9	3.6

Source: Statistisches Bundesamt, Wirtschaft und Statistik 10/2002, p.827, Table 4.

Table A6: Summary statistics for the independent variables

year	variable	West sample		East Sample	
		Mean	Std. Dev.	Mean	Std. Dev.
1997	age	43.7	18.5	41.3	18.2
	college	10.4%		19.5%	
	vocational training	52.9%		51.5%	
	secondary schooling	15.7%		7.6%	
	intermediate schooling	17.6%		17.7%	
	male	47.9%		48.4%	
	number of children	0.823	1.040	0.712	0.903
	number of adults	2.411	1.107	2.521	1.121
	married	60.8%		61.9%	
	divorced	6.5%		6.6%	
	married but separated	1.6%		1.2%	
	widowed	7.6%		6.2%	
	household income	4,914	2,431	4,069	1,897
	civil servant	4.8%		1.6%	
	self-employed	4.8%		3.8%	
	white-collar worker	24.7%		22.4%	
	unemployed	3.6%		10.5%	
	retired	15.9%		11.9%	
	maternity	1.8%		1.6%	
	nonworking	12.7%		9.4%	
	training	3.1%		4.0%	
	other nonworking	5.2%		4.9%	
2002	age	46.9	17.8	44.5	17.3
	college	11.5%		20.6%	
	vocational training	52.8%		54.5%	
	secondary schooling	15.2%		7.1%	
	intermediate schooling	15.2%		13.4%	
	male	47.7%		48.8%	
	number of children	0.788	0.988	0.576	0.818
	number of adults	2.193	0.939	2.286	0.898
	married	61.3%		56.7%	
	divorced	6.8%		7.5%	
	married but separated	1.5%		1.9%	
	widowed	7.4%		6.4%	
	household income	5,179	2,813	4,258	2,011
	civil servant	4.2%		1.8%	
	self-employed	5.4%		3.8%	
	white-collar worker	27.8%		23.6%	
	unemployed	2.9%		9.0%	
	retired	18.3%		14.9%	
	maternity	2.2%		1.8%	
	nonworking	10.6%		8.3%	
	training	3.0%		4.2%	
	other nonworking	5.0%		5.9%	

Note: Omitted categories are less than 9 years of schooling, female, single, blue-collar worker, and employed.