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## Household projections

This documentation is valid for:  
**Household projections for the reference years 2023 and after**

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## Executive Summary

The household projection is computed by linking age- and sex-specific shares of household reference persons with the results of the current population projection, also disaggregated by age and sex. The household projection provides an estimate of the future number of private households in Austria and the federal provinces. In the calculations, the projected population figures are reduced by the institutional population by means of age- and sex-specific shares of persons in institutional households, so that the projection is adjusted to persons in private households. A regression model is used to disaggregate the projected household numbers by household size (1-person households, 2-persons households, ..., 6 and more persons households). However, no distinction is made between family forms: A 2-person household can thus consist of a couple or a single parent with child or two unrelated persons sharing an apartment. A 3-person household can consist of a couple with a child or a single parent with 2 children or a 3-person shared apartment, and so on.

## Labour force projection – Main Points

<b>Subject matter</b>	Projection of the future number of private households by household size
<b>Population</b>	Austrian resident population, broken down by the dichotomous characteristic of living in private/institutional households. Total of about 9 million people, of whom about 98% currently live in private households.
<b>Type of statistics</b>	Model-based statistics; projection
<b>Data sources/Survey techniques</b>	Population projection, Register-based census
<b>Reference period or due day</b>	Projection up to 2080; annual average and year end of projected years
<b>Periodicity</b>	Annual
<b>Survey participation (in case of a survey)</b>	-
<b>Main legal acts</b>	National legislation (german only): Federal Statistics Act: <a href="#">Bundesstatistikgesetz 2000</a> , idgF: §2, §3 Z.7. §26 Abs.2, Anlage 2.
<b>Most detailed regional breakdown</b>	Federal provinces
<b>Availability of results</b>	4th quarter of publication year
<b>Other</b>	Households are defined according to the "household dwelling concept"