

At a glance

The German Social Accident Insurance Institution for the raw materials and chemical industry (BG RCI) was established on 1 January 2010. It was created by merging the institutions for statutory accident insurance and prevention for mining, the chemical industry, leather industry, paper making, quarrying and sugar.

The BG RCI covers almost 35,000 companies with a good 1.4 million insured employees. In the year under review, the BG RCI paid benefits amounting to more than EUR 1 billion.

We take responsibility for you!

Institutions for statutory accident insurance and prevention are part of the social network. The contributions are made solely by the companies, but we assume employers' liability under private law for occupational accidents, commuting accidents and occupational diseases in the event of loss or damage (discharging of liability).

Everything from a single source

As an industrial institution for statutory accident insurance and prevention, our statutory duty is to prevent occupational accidents, occupational diseases and work-related health risks. We provide comprehensive assistance to companies in all occupational safety matters, train insured employees, investigate causes of accidents and test technical equipment.

We provide insured employees with comprehensive and expert support following an occupational accident or disease. We take all measures necessary to ensure medical, social or occupational rehabilitation for insured employees. This all follows the principle of "everything from a single source".

Information and service in your area

The prevention centres and competence centres for prevention are ready to help with any questions you might have about occupational safety and health protection. Contact www.bgrci.de; Page ID: #WBC2

Insured events and benefits are dealt with in the relevant regional offices. Contact www.bgrci.de; Page ID: #1U070

The areas of responsibility of the regional offices and prevention centres are structured in line with the borders of Germany's federal states and administrative districts.

Any questions regarding membership, compulsory insurance, assessments for risk rating groups and calculating premiums will be answered by the department for membership and premiums. Contact www.bgrci.de; Page ID: #96PE

Give us a call

To ensure an even better level of service, we have set up a central phone number for you. You can reach us from anywhere in Germany on +49 6221 5108-0.

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Latest figures on BG RCI

2015



	BG RCI		Building materials - pit - quarry		Mining		Chemical industry		Leather industry		Paper making and equipment		Sugar	
Dates	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014
Member companies	33,212 (32,326)*	34,577 (33,712)*	4,761 (4,705)*	4,800 (4,762)*	236 (171)*	229 (150)*	14,344 (13,656)*	14,306 (13,639)*	13,432 (13,416)*	14,852 (14,834)*	371 (338)*	334 (301)*	68 (40)*	56 (26)*
Working hours	1,903,560,245	1,885,879,159	195,264,315	198,539,046	70,235,692	74,312,884	1,436,716,462	1,403,714,568	117,346,396	123,867,458	74,036,505	75,336,467	8,634,853	8,811,362
Full-time employees	1,212,459	1,208,897	124,372	127,269	44,736	47,636	915,106	899,817	74,743	79,402	47,157	48,293	5,500	5,648
Total earnings in EUR	54,853,826,982	53,243,105,840	4,375,938,094	4,348,400,482	2,379,846,435	2,448,846,722	43,150,529,815	41,454,191,316	2,522,359,453	2,562,628,093	2,143,598,734	2,145,309,236	281,554,451	283,729,991
Accidents														
Reportable occupational accidents	22,234	22,078	5,152	5,222	506	569	13,475	13,050	1,860	1,998	1,196	1,174	45	65
■ per 1,000 full-time employees	18.3	18.3	41.4	41.0	11.3	11.9	14.7	14.5	24.9	25.2	25.4	24.3	8.2	11.5
■ per 1 million working hours	11.7	11.7	26.4	26.3	7.2	7.7	9.4	9.3	15.9	16.1	16.2	15.6	5.2	7.4
Reportable commuting accidents	5,662	5,383	476	418	157	176	4,450	4,241	363	322	196	210	20	16
■ per 1,000 insured employees	4.0	3.8	3.4	2.9	3.1	3.3	4.2	4.1	3.8	3.3	3.7	4.0	2.8	2.3
■ Fatal occupational accidents	24	21	10	10	1	–	12	11	–	–	1	–	–	–
■ Fatal commuting accidents	13	14	2	–	1	1	9	12	1	–	–	1	–	–
New accident pensions														
■ Occupational accidents	591	629	176	185	52	62	288	313	32	33	41	33	2	3
■ Commuting accidents	188	211	15	21	11	9	144	157	9	12	9	10	–	2
Occupational diseases														
Cases of suspecting occupational diseases	7,302	7,360	816	772	2,793	2,998	3,250	3,190	233	204	180	171	30	25
Cases decided in year under review	7,572	8,533	805	763	3,085	3,936	3,258	3,377	240	238	152	192	32	27
■ of these, recognised occupational diseases	2,166	2,479	290	279	1,050	1,239	707	829	52	48	52	70	15	14
■ of these, new pensions	1,078	1,258	99	75	626	787	314	367	23	16	9	11	7	2
Expenditure														
Prevention (EUR millions)	102.45	100.98	19.79	20.09	20.68	19.77	50.80	50.27	5.25	4.73	4.88	4.93	1.05	1.19
Benefits (EUR millions)	1,003.04	1,010.49	127.00	126.45	455.53	468.62	356.79	352.64	26.18	25.46	32.54	32.64	5.00	4.68
Administrative costs (EUR millions)	115.39	113.37	19.26	18.50	47.09	47.67	40.24	38.43	4.01	4.10	3.89	3.75	0.90	0.91

* Since 2011 and unlike the BG RCI, the Deutsche Gesetzliche Unfallversicherung e.V. (German statutory accident insurance system) has been recording only legally independent units. These figures are shown in brackets.