

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 33,000 companies with around 1.7 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

* At the end of 2018, BG RCI introduced a new IT system. One consequence of this was that pre-existing cases needed to be re-encrypted. Comparisons with the previous year's figures can thus only be made to a limited extent. In specific cases, follow-up corrections may need to be made, which will be incorporated into the 2019 annual report.

2018



	BG RCI		Building materials - pit - quarry		Mining		Chemical industry		Leather industry		Paper making and equipment		Sugar	
Dates*	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017
Member companies	32,826 (30,150)**	31,585 (30,767)**	4,610 (4,543)**	4,692 (4,632)**	210 (140)**	213 (157)**	16,431 (14,001)**	14,231 (13,611)**	11,186 (11,135)**	12,047 (12,023)**	330 (298)**	342 (310)**	59 (33)**	60 (34)**
Working hours	2,079,821,648	1,944,353,635	201,548,970	199,723,408	63,942,435	63,456,335	1,612,347,929	1,477,770,788	114,269,579	115,886,066	73,440,617	72,848,089	8,865,314	8,561,081
Full-time employees	1,333,218	1,245,850	129,198	128,028	40,989	40,677	1,033,556	947,289	73,250	73,756	47,077	46,697	5,683	5,488
Total earnings in EUR	62,565,593,760	59,474,667,512	4,700,263,860	4,637,331,629	2,172,756,248	2,257,074,738	50,474,501,545	47,350,324,285	2,623,354,396	2,644,467,731	2,291,221,739	2,276,734,651	303,495,972	308,734,478

Accidents														
Reportable occupational accidents	24,266	22,564	5,395	5,256	530	422	15,239	13,796	1,807	1,932	1,178	1,092	102	66
■ per 1,000 full-time employees	18.2	18.1	41.8	41.1	12.9	10.4	14.7	14.6	24.7	26.2	25.0	23.4	18.0	12.0
■ per 1 million working hours	11.7	11.6	26.8	26.3	8.3	6.7	9.5	9.3	15.8	16.7	16.0	15.0	11.5	7.7
Reportable commuting accidents	5,746	6,009	462	506	150	142	4,576	4,728	318	403	216	205	23	25
■ per 1,000 insured employees	3.4	4.0	2.9	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.5	4.2	3.4	4.3	3.6	3.9	3.2	3.4
■ Fatal occupational accidents	13	12	3	4	2	1	5	2	1	1	2	4	–	–
■ Fatal commuting accidents	10	21	–	4	2	1	8	14	–	1	–	1	–	–

New accident pensions														
■ Occupational accidents	524	488	146	159	33	45	273	228	37	31	34	24	1	1
■ Commuting accidents	176	193	15	29	5	10	134	129	12	11	9	12	1	2

Occupational diseases														
Cases of suspecting occupational diseases	7,422	6,483	870	770	2,019	2,001	3,766	3,275	280	193	243	208	55	36
Cases decided in year under review	6,206	7,225	691	866	1,855	2,439	3,181	3,449	242	200	198	235	28	36
■ of these, recognised occupational diseases	1,704	2,117	244	340	660	849	676	800	45	40	63	77	7	11
■ of these, new pensions	702	896	62	90	348	480	259	300	20	11	7	14	2	1

Expenditure														
Prevention (EUR millions)	114.82	110.58	21.86	21.10	19.03	19.18	61.30	57.80	5.74	5.87	5.67	5.45	1.21	1.17
Benefits (EUR millions)	1,007.84	1,019.83	130.45	132.69	430.66	442.55	379.53	377.37	28.23	27.46	34.01	34.81	4.97	4.95
Administrative costs (EUR millions)	127.80	117.22	21.11	19.92	47.27	45.00	50.60	43.56	3.71	3.92	4.21	3.94	0.91	0.88

* See the back for more information

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