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BAföG – number of recipients; expenditure, by amounts and types of aid

	2000	2005	2010	2012	2013
Recipients (Number)¹	559,313	828,331	916,295	979,347	958,743
Pupils ¹	210,498	321,421	323,808	308,288	292,815
Students	348,799	506,880	592,430	671,059	665,928
Fully funded	185,374	393,252	447,787	457,349	445,630
Partly funded	373,939	435,079	468,507	521,998	513,113
Average monthly number ²	359,369	544,068	584,850	630,164	619,620
Financial amount, total (1,000 €)	1,274,794	2,280,477	2,873,065	3,277,975	3,240,623
Type of funding (in %)					
Interest-free loan	35.0	33.5	34.1	35.1	35.2
Grant	65.0	66.5	65.9	64.9	64.8
Average amount of financial aid per capita (€/month) ³	296	349	409	433	436

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	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Recipients (Number)¹	924,770	870,455	822,933	782,038	726,732
Pupils ¹	278,194	259,078	239,366	225,465	209,057
Students	646,576	611,377	583,567	556,573	517,675
Fully funded	429,006	399,867	394,397	383,818	363,169
Partly funded	495,764	470,588	428,536	398,220	363,563
Average monthly number ²	596,380	562,170	524,775	502,677	467,809
Financial amount, total (1,000 €)	3,142,077	2,971,644	2,869,785	2,939,538	2,706,916
Type of funding (in %)					
Interest-free loan	35.2	35.1	35.3	35.8	35.7
Grant	64.8	64.9	64.7	64.2	64.3
Average amount of financial aid per capita (€/month) ³	439	441	456	487	482

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	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Recipients (Number)¹	680,157	639,069	623,003	630,220	635,590
Pupils ¹	190,844	173,526	155,408	140,873	134,165
Students	489,313	465,543	467,595	489,347	501,425
Fully funded	346,641	328,468	311,310	352,320	348,427
Partly funded	333,516	310,601	311,693	277,900	287,163
Average monthly number ²	434,540	429,121	429,161	418,585	441,461
Financial amount, total (1,000 €)	2,622,936	2,863,137	2,895,076	2,975,322	3,389,079
Type of funding (in %)					
Interest-free loan	36.1	38.0	39.2	40.5	41.5
Grant	63.9	62.0	60.8	59.5	58.5
Average amount of financial aid per capita (€/month) ³	503	556	562	592	640

1 Until 2011, the recipients of distant learning institutions are included in total only, since 2012 they are classified as belonging to the group of pupils.

2 Arithmetic mean of a year's twelve average monthly numbers.

3 With regard to the average monthly number.

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