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### Darmstadt

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### Other sites:

Hessische Fördereinrichtung für Junge Zugewanderte (Hessian institution providing financial support for young immigrants) in 63594 Hasselroth, Weiherweg 1

Deichmeisterei Biebesheim (dyke maintenance authority), 64584 Biebesheim, Dammstraße 32

Dezernat Weinbau (department viticulture), Wallufer Straße 19, 65343 Eltville a. R.



### Wiesbaden

Lessingstraße 16 - 18 (photo)  
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### Frankfurt

Behördenzentrum (administrative centre),  
Gutleutstraße 114



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“Working Organisation Chart”

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## Facts and Figures

Inhabitants in the region of South Hesse (as of 31 December 2015)	3.92 million
Inhabitants per sq. km (31 December 2015)	527 inh/sq. km
Cities and municipalities	187
Landkreise (Counties)	10
Stock of licenced vehicles (per 1 000 inhabitants, 1 January 2015)	572
Gross domestic product (72 % of the entire GDP in Hesse in 2014)	182.8 billion €
Regular employees covered by social security (30 June 2015)	1.61 million
Available income of private households per inhabitant in 2014 (calculation of March 2014)	22,276 €

(source: Hessian Statistics Office, Federal Motor Transport Authority, information of March 2017)

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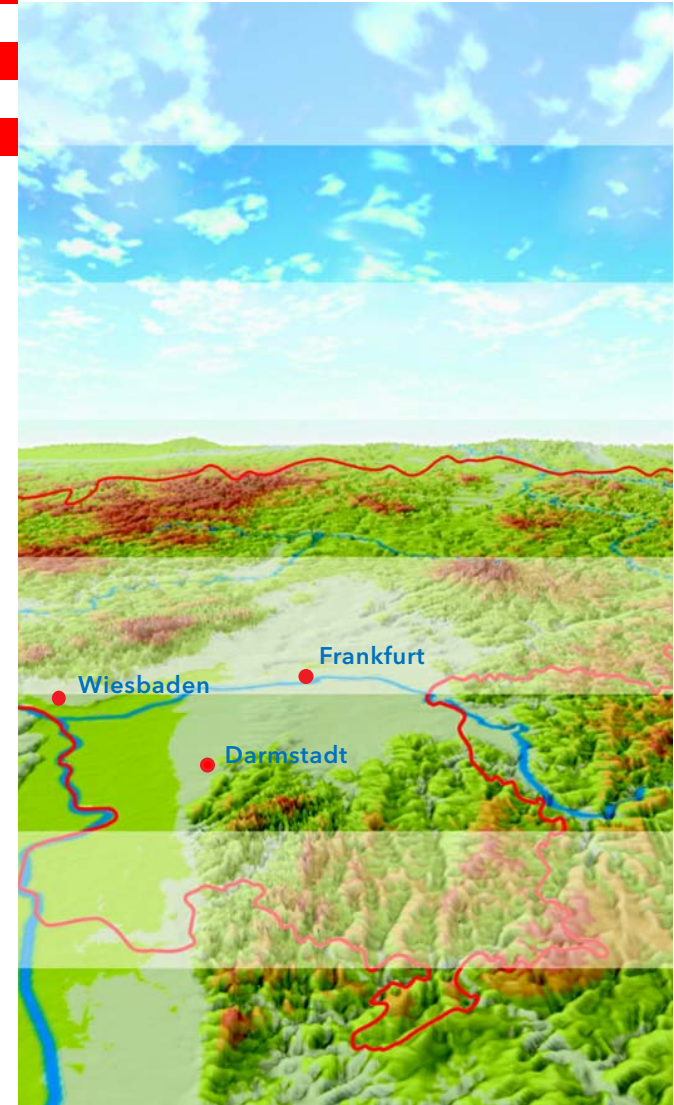
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Services for the people

in the Region of South Hesse



Regierungspräsidentin  
(President of Regional Authority Darmstadt)  
Brigitte Lindscheid

- » We are available to the citizens in our region.
- » We maintain an ongoing dialogue with our partners in politics, society and business.
- » We work in a professional, timely and economic manner.
- » We deploy our human resources well-targeted to key areas.
- » We support effective law enforcement and find appropriate solutions tailored to the needs of the individual case.

### Promotion of integration

- » Naturalization of foreign citizens
- » Information and events on European integration through the European Information Centre (Europe Direct)
- » Financial support of integration measures for immigrants
- » Active integration of foreign citizens by enabling them to become members of voluntary fire brigades (Freiwillige Feuerwehr)

### Better quality of life

- » Clean air by means of emission control measures for factories, power stations and waste management plants
- » Less noise by means of noise reduction measures for commercial noise sources and traffic routes
- » Clean drinking water in sufficient quantities by permitting of water extraction facilities
- » Vital and diverse nature as the basic resource of life and as an area for recreation
- » We contribute to the rich cultural activities in the region, by organising the „Kultursommer“ (Summer of Culture) and the "Regional Gallery" of South Hesse

### High level of safety

- » Stringent requirements imposed on plants that handle dangerous materials and radiation
- » Upgrading of dykes and other flood control measures
- » Protection of the workforce against workplace hazards
- » Controls during the production of pharmaceuticals at home and abroad and monitoring of pharmacies
- » Precautions against the risk of epidemics for humans and animals
- » Ensuring optimal disaster relief by training of civil protection volunteers and staff officers, providing adequate equipment and stockpiling relief supplies

- » Approval and supervision of company fire brigades to ensure safety of industrial areas

### Protection of natural resources

- » Designation of nature and landscape conservation areas
- » Protection of endangered species and habitats
- » Ecological groundwater management, especially in the areas of Ried and Vogelsberg
- » Renaturation of rivers and lakes
- » Protection of the soil and of lakes and rivers by means of controlled sewage and waste management, remediation and/or securing of contaminated sites and groundwater contaminations

### Increased mobility and more jobs

- » Support for the municipalities in achieving a balanced development of the region, e.g. in designating and further developing residential and commercial areas
- » Quick permitting procedures for environmentally relevant investment projects
- » Balancing of interests in the planning of major infrastructure projects such as roads, railway lines and airports
- » Approval of public transportation fares