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Data Package Overview

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Overview of Data Package “Eurostudent 8”

Study Series	Eurostudent
Institutions	<p>German Centre for Higher Education Research and Science Studies (DZHW)</p> <p>Institute for Advanced Studies (IHS)</p> <p>ResearchNed</p> <p>Center for Sociological Research (Azerbaijan)</p> <p>Faculty of Law of the University of Zagreb (UZ)</p> <p>Centre for Higher Education Studies (CHES)</p> <p>Danish Agency for Higher Education and Science</p> <p>Statistics Finland (Finland)</p> <p>Institute of Social Studies and Analysis (ISSA) (Georgia)</p> <p>Executive Agency for Higher Education, Research, Development and Innovation Funding (UEFISCDI) and National Centre for Policy in Evaluation in Education (CNPEE) (Romania)</p> <p>National Commission for Further and Higher Education of Malta (NCFHE)</p> <p>Educational Authority (Hungary)</p> <p>Maskina Research (Iceland)</p> <p>Insight Statistical Consulting (Ireland)</p> <p>Lithuanian Centre for Social Sciences</p> <p>PBS Sp z o.o. (Poland)</p> <p>Slovak Centre of Scientific and Technological Information</p> <p>Swedish Council for Higher Education</p>
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Topics	Higher Education Research, Transitions, Expenses, Mental health, Mobility, Housing, COVID-19, Time Budget, Well-being, Discrimination, Students, Employment, IT skills, Social Background
Survey Design	Cross-Section
Survey Data Type	Quantitative Data

Surveys	Survey 1: The Netherlands Survey 2: Azerbaijan Survey 3: Croatia Survey 4: Czechia Survey 5: Hungary Survey 6: Denmark Survey 7: Finland Survey 8: Georgia Survey 9: Germany Survey 10: Iceland Survey 11: Ireland Survey 12: Lithuania Survey 13: Malta Survey 14: Poland Survey 15: Romania Survey 16: Slovakia Survey 17: Sweden Survey 18: Austria
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<p>Population</p>	<p>Survey 1:</p> <p>The EUROSTUDENT target group includes all students who are at the time of observation (semester/term) enrolled in any national study programme regarded as higher education (not tertiary) in a country. Usually, that corresponds to ISCED (2011) levels 5, 6 and 7 (e.g. short-cycle programmes, Bachelor/Master programmes, traditional diploma programmes, Lizentiat, national degrees in medicine etc.) which – in the national context – would normally be considered higher education.</p> <p>Deviation by country</p> <p>Students at private HEIs were not included in this survey.</p> <p>Survey 2, 18:</p> <p>The EUROSTUDENT target group includes all students who are at the time of observation (semester/term) enrolled in any national study programme regarded as higher education (not tertiary) in a country. Usually, that corresponds to ISCED (2011) levels 5, 6 and 7 (e.g. short-cycle programmes, Bachelor/Master programmes, traditional diploma programmes, Lizentiat, national degrees in medicine etc.) which – in the national context – would normally be considered higher education.</p> <p>Survey 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17:</p> <p>The EUROSTUDENT target group includes all students who are at the time of observation (semester/term) enrolled in any national study programme regarded as higher education in a country. Usually, that corresponds to ISCED (2011) levels 5, 6 and 7 (e.g. short-cycle programmes, Bachelor/Master programmes, traditional diploma programmes, Lizentiat, national degrees in medicine etc.) which – in the national context – would normally be considered higher education.</p> <p>Survey 11:</p> <p>The EUROSTUDENT target group includes all students who are at the time of observation (semester/term) enrolled in any national study programme regarded as higher education in a country. Usually, that corresponds to ISCED (2011) levels 5, 6 and 7 (e.g. short-cycle programmes, Bachelor/Master programmes, traditional diploma programmes, Lizentiat, national degrees in medicine etc.) which – in the national context – would normally be considered higher education.</p> <p>Deviation: Students in private higher institutions were not included</p> <p>Survey 13:</p> <p>The EUROSTUDENT target group includes all students who are at the time of observation (semester/term) enrolled in any national study programme regarded as higher education (not tertiary!) in a country. Usually, that corresponds to ISCED (2011) levels 5, 6 and 7 (e.g. short-cycle programmes, Bachelor/Master programmes, traditional diploma programmes, Lizentiat, national degrees in medicine etc.) which – in the national context – would normally be considered higher education.</p>
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Sampling Procedure	<p>Survey 1: Probability Sample: Stratified Sample: Disproportional</p> <p>Survey 2, 4, 8: Non-probability Sample</p> <p>Survey 3, 5, 10, 11, 12, 15, 16, 18: Total universe/Complete Enumeration</p> <p>Survey 6, 7, 9, 13, 14, 17: Probability Sample</p>
Survey Method	Survey 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18: Standardised online survey
Field Period	<p>Survey 1: 2nd May to 30th June 2022</p> <p>Survey 2: 4th April 2022 to 31st May 2024</p> <p>Survey 3, 12: 1st May to 30th June 2022</p> <p>Survey 4, 5, 6, 8, 14, 16: 1st May to 31st July 2022</p> <p>Survey 7: 1st March to 30th April 2022</p> <p>Survey 9: 1st April to 30th June 2021</p> <p>Survey 10: 1st April to 30th June 2022</p> <p>Survey 11: 1st April to 31st May 2022</p> <p>Survey 13: 1st to 30th April 2022</p> <p>Survey 15: 1st May to 31st July 2023</p> <p>Survey 17: 1st April to 31st August 2022</p> <p>Survey 18: 1st May 2022 to 30th June 2023</p>
Net Sample Size	<p>Survey 1: n = 8,844</p> <p>Survey 2: n = 2,505</p> <p>Survey 3: n = 7,979</p> <p>Survey 4: n = 14,798</p> <p>Survey 5: n = 14,839</p> <p>Survey 6: n = 14,060</p> <p>Survey 7: n = 6,837</p> <p>Survey 8: n = 4,771</p> <p>Survey 9: n = 6,390</p> <p>Survey 10: n = 3,816</p> <p>Survey 11: n = 21,620</p> <p>Survey 12: n = 4,000</p> <p>Survey 13: n = 1,003</p> <p>Survey 14: n = 11,396</p> <p>Survey 15: n = 16,113</p> <p>Survey 16: n = 7,557</p> <p>Survey 17: n = 7,293</p> <p>Survey 18: n = 43,311</p>

Response Rate	Survey 1: 4.00 % Survey 2: 1.00 % Survey 3: 6.00 % Survey 4: 6.00 % Survey 5: 6.00 % Survey 6: 28.00 % Survey 7: 26.00 % Survey 8: 12.00 % Survey 9: 20.00 % Survey 10: 18.00 % Survey 11: 8.00 % Survey 12: 2.00 % Survey 13: 7.00 % Survey 14: 1.00 % Survey 15: 4.00 % Survey 16: 6.00 % Survey 17: 18.00 % Survey 18: 14.00 %
Data Products and Access Ways	CUF: Download SUF: Download
Data Set Structure	Dataset 1: Individual Data in wide-format SUF: Download (n = 194,758) Dataset 2: Individual Data in wide-format CUF: Download (n = 187,612) SUF: Download (n = 187,612)
DOI	10.21249/DZHW:es8:2.0.0
Annotations	The data from Sweden may not be used outside Europe, therefore the Swedish data will be removed for data provision outside Europe.
Release Notes	The release notes for this version of the data package can be found here under "Documents related to this Data Package" .
Data Package Publications	Publications related to this data package can be looked up here under "Related Objects" .
Additional Links	Eurostudent website Citation guideline for data packages, data and method reports, questionnaires and questions Information on data use (German) Information on data use (English)

