

Mobility Survey of the University of Freiburg

Dear employees,

According to the Federal Environmental Agency (UBA), transport is the third largest cause of climate-damaging greenhouse gases in Germany. In accordance with its environmental and social responsibility, the University of Freiburg is striving to support the sustainable mobility of its employees and to better meet their corresponding needs in the future. Therefore, the Sustainable University Working Group is conducting a survey for which we need your support. The aim of the online questionnaire, which is to be completed anonymously, is to better understand your current mobility behavior when traveling to and from work, as well as to identify your mobility-related desires and suggestions in order to develop specific and purposeful measures.

The survey is aimed at all employees of the university (except HiWis).

Since we depend on the feedback of as many employees as possible, we kindly ask you to fill out the questionnaire (duration 10-15 min, it is to be filled out anonymously).

Independently of the survey we will raffle among all participants

- 5x2 combined tickets for a cable car ride + breakfast on the Schauinsland and
- 30 water bottles made of bio-based plastic, obtained from sugar cane.

Thank you for supporting us in times of climate change and the Corona pandemic and enabling us to further promote sustainable mobility!

Here is some information on how to participate:

Participation in the survey is voluntary and anonymous. You can revoke your consent to participate in this study at any time without giving any reason and without any disadvantages. You can revoke your consent to the storage of data until the end of the data collection without any disadvantages resulting from this. If you wish to end the survey prematurely, simply close the browser window.

Throughout the survey, the anonymity of the participants will be guaranteed as far as possible and no tracing of personal data or identification of individual people will take place.

If you would like to participate in the prize draw, please enter your e-mail address at the end of the survey. This will only be used for the draw and the prize notification, it will be stored separately from the survey data and cannot be linked to them. It will also be deleted immediately after the draw.

By participating, I confirm that I have understood the participation information described above and that I agree with the stated conditions of participation.

[Link to information obligations](#)

If you have any questions or other concerns about this study, please feel free to contact us at:

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Questions

When answering the questions, please refer to your behavior before the Corona pandemic began (for example in 2019). There are additional questions related to the long-term changes in your mobility behavior after the Corona pandemic.

Do you work full or part time?

- Full-time
- Part-time _____%

What is your work schedule? (Multiple answers possible)

- Flextime (Flexible working hours)
- Fixed working hours
- Shift work
- Weekend shift

How many days per **month** do you normally (before the Corona pandemic) work in home office?

Where is your workplace located?

Please enter the zip code: _____

Where is the location of your residence?

Please enter your zip code: _____

How far is your home from your workplace?

- Less than 3 km
- 3 - 9 km
- 10 - 19 km
- 20 - 29 km
- 30 - 39 km
- 40 - 49 km
- More than 50 km

What is your average travel time to the office by your preferred mode of transportation (one way only)?

(If you change transportation modes on your way to work, please indicate the travel time for the secondary transport mode as well) (Multiple answers possible)

| | <20 minutes | 20-29 minutes | 30-39 minutes | 40-49 minutes | 50-59 minutes | >60 minutes |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Main transport mode | <input type="radio"/> |
| Secondary transport mode 1 | <input type="radio"/> |
| Secondary transport mode 2 | <input type="radio"/> |

Please identify your main transport mode?

- Walking
- Bicycle
- Pedelec (E-bike)
- Public transport
- Carpool
- Car

If you use a secondary transport mode 1:

Please identify your secondary transport mode 1?

- Walking
- Bicycle
- Pedelec (E-bike)
- Public transport
- Carpool
- Car

If you use a secondary transport mode 2:

Please identify your secondary transport mode 2?

- Walking
- Bicycle
- Pedelec (E-bike)
- Public transport
- Carpool
- Car

Do you have a Job ticket?

- Yes
- No

Do you have a car parking permit at the university?

- Yes
- No

1. How often do you use the following transport modes in summer to get to and from work?
(Multiple answers possible)

| | Daily | At least 1x per week | At least 1x per month | Rarely | Not at all |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Walking | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Bicycle | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Pedelec (E-bike) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Public transport | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Carpool | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Car | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Other (please specify) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

2. How often do you use the following transport modes in winter to get to and from work?

(Multiple answers possible)

| | Daily | At least 1x per week | At least 1x per month | Rarely | Not at all |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Walking | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Bicycle | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Pedelec (E-bike) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Public transport | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Carpool | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Car | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Other (please specify) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

If car:

What kind of car do you drive?

- Electric vehicle
- Hybrid vehicle
- Internal combustion engine

If you prefer a car to other transport modes (e.g., public transit or bicycle), please indicate why:
(Multiple answers possible)

- Poor public transport connection / frequency does not fit
- Poor bicycle connection
- I find public transport inconvenient
- My commute is related to other activities (e.g., family responsibilities, leisure time)
- Physical limitations
- Other, namely _____

What is needed to convince you to switch to cycling or public transportation? (Multiple answers possible)

- Covered and safe bike stands
- Shower at work
- Better bike lanes (condition, width, traffic management, lighting)
- Better public transport connection
- More convenient public transport connections for fixed working hours
- More flexible working hours
- Winter job ticket
- Nothing, I just like to drive
- Other, namely _____

In principle, could you imagine participating in a carpool?

- Yes
- No

Have you considered changing your mobility behavior?

- Yes
- No
- Reason (voluntary): _____

Will the changes brought by the Corona pandemic have a long-term impact (longer than 6 months) on your mobility behavior?

- Yes, I prefer to ride bicycle
- Yes, I prefer to drive by car
- Yes, I prefer to walk
- No, there is no long-term impact on my mobility behavior
- Other: _____

If yes:

As a cause of the Corona pandemic, how often do you now use the following transport modes to get to and from work? (Multiple answers possible)

| | Daily | At least 1x per week | At least 1x per month | Rarely | Not at all |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Walking | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Bicycle | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Pedelec (E-bike) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Public transport | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Carpool | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Car | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Other (please specify) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

How many days per month do you now work in your home office? _____

For All:

The public transport connection to my workplace is:

- Very poor
- Poor
- Okay
- Good
- Very good

If (poor or very poor):

Voluntary: Please describe why you are dissatisfied with public transportation to your workplace (e.g., route, schedule): _____

The bicycle connection to my workplace is:

- Very poor
- Poor
- Okay
- Good
- Very good

If (poor or very poor)

Voluntary: Please describe why you are dissatisfied with the bicycle connection to your workplace?

How satisfied are you currently with your mobility situation in terms of commuting to work?

- Very satisfied
- Satisfied
- Rather satisfied
- Dissatisfied
- Very dissatisfied

What would you like the university to do to support your mobility? (Multiple answers possible)

- Covered and lockable bicycle stands
- Car parking spaces
- Bicycle safety checks
- Preferred bus routes (locations, routing, P&R).
- More e-bike charging stations
- More e-car charging stations
- Other, namely _____

Would you be interested in a bike-leasing offer?

- Yes
- No

If no:

Why (voluntary): _____

Would you be interested in a winter job ticket (3-4 months)?

- Yes
- No

Is there anything else you would like to tell us?

Please indicate your gender:

- male
- female
- diverse
- not specified

Please indicate your age:

- younger than 20 years
- 20-29 years
- 30-39
- 40-49
- 50-59
- older than 60 years
- not specified

Please select the occupational group that applies to you:

- Scientific employee
- Employee in administration and campus operations

Please select the pay group that applies to you:

- \leq E/A 8
- \leq E/A 12
- \geq E/A 13

Do you have a disability or chronic illness?

- Yes
- No
- Do not specify

Would you like to participate in the raffle?

Yes

No

Participation in the survey is voluntary. You can revoke your [consent](#) given here at any time in the future. The consent can also be revoked in relation to individual data. The revocation of consent does not affect the lawfulness of the processing carried out on the basis of the consent until the revocation. You will not suffer any disadvantages from the refusal of consent or a revocation. As far as the consent is not revoked, it is valid for an unlimited period of time.

I hereby declare that I have read the data protection information and consent to the collection and further processing of my personal data in connection with my participation in the competition:

Yes

No

By participating in the competition, you agree that your e-mail address stored in MyAccount may be used for this purpose and for the prize notification. The e-mail address will be stored separately from the survey data and cannot be linked to it; it will also be deleted immediately after the draw.