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## ECONOMIC REASONS: Jobs and Careers

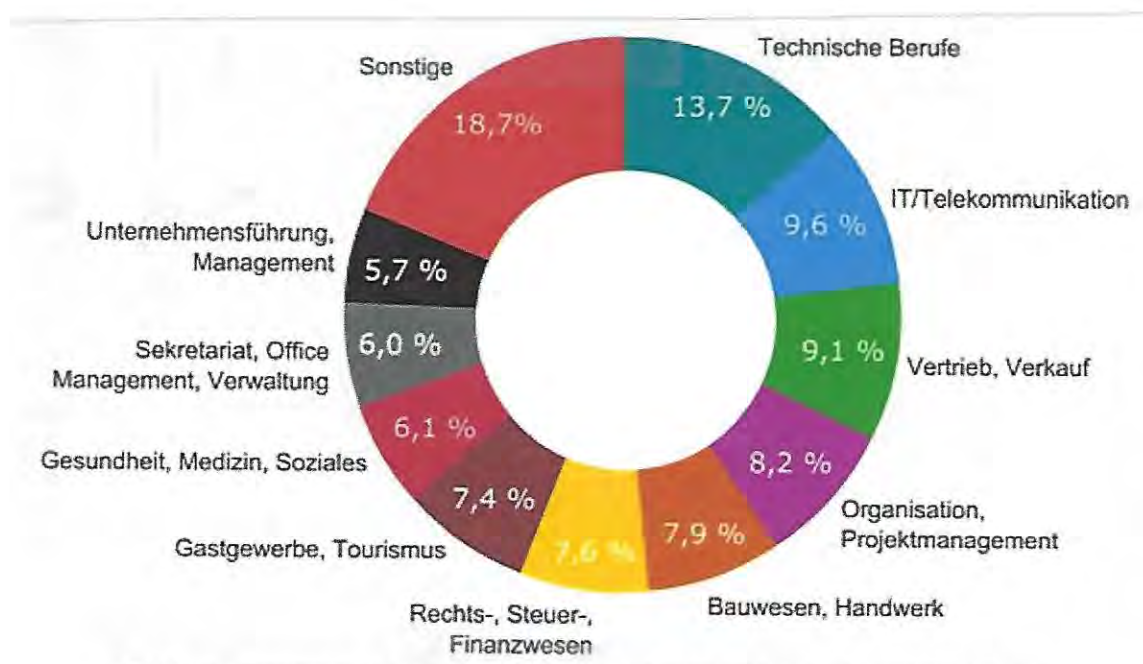
### The industries that are most in demand

Now that you have an idea of the cities and states where job vacancies exist, here are the industries which are most in need of employees.

The highest number of vacant jobs is in business-related sectors such as administration, marketing and sales, the IAB states. Meanwhile the strongest growth in vacancies is in the manufacturing and construction sectors. At the end of 2017, there were about 161,000 vacancies in manufacturing and some 98,000 openings in construction.

According to The Adecco Group, the industries which are most in need of employees are engineering, IT and telecommunications. Vacancies in the technology sector have moreover grown by 24 percent.

As the graph below shows, excluding the miscellaneous category, the roles that were most in demand last year were in the technical field (13.7 percent) and in IT/telecommunications (9.6 percent).



The German sectors in need of employees based on print and online job vacancies published in 2017.