

# MAP OF GERMAN-SPEAKING COUNTRIES



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There are an estimated 95 million German speakers in the world.

HAMBURG

BERLIN

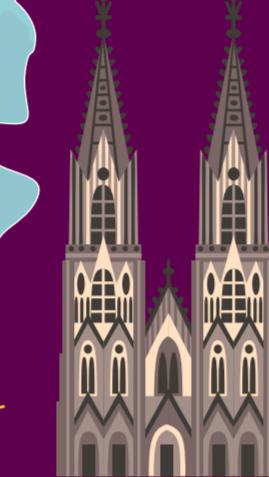


BRANDENBURG GATE

German is the official language (or one of) in Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Liechtenstein and Luxembourg.

German is the EU's most widely spoken native language.

COLOGNE CATHEDRAL



FRANKFURT



BERN CLOCK TOWER



MUNICH

The first mass produced printed book in Europe, the Gutenberg Bible, was written in German and completed in 1454.

VIENNA



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German words often appear to be very long, this is because many words are created by merging together shorter words.

ZURICH



NEUSCHWANSTEIN CASTLE

German is spoken in some areas of Northern Italy, and in Alsace & Lorraine in France.



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