

The German Union System and the Structure of ver.di | ver.di Bildung + Beratung

Deutscher Gewerkschaftsbund (DGB)
ca. 5,6 million members

DGB



FIVE SECTOR-SPECIFIC SUBDIVISIONS („FACHBEREICHE“, FB) | COLLECTIVE BARGAINING POWER

A

- Financial Services
- Communications & Technology
- Utilities & Waste Management
- Culture

B

- Public & Private Services
- Social Insurance
- Transportation

C

- Healthcare
- Social Services
- Education & Research

D

- Trades & Commerce

E

- Postal Service, Delivery & Logistics

FORMAL IDENTITY AND INTEREST GROUPS WITHIN VER.DI

• Women in ver.di

- Civil Servants
- Labourers
- Unemployed Members
- Self-employed Members
- Youth
- Queers
- Seniors
- Master Craftspeople, Technicians, Engineers
- Migrants
- Disabled Members

REGIONAL STRUCTURE

National Headquarters

District

Subdistrict

Local Group

Individual Workplaces

The Two Pillars of Workers' Representation and Co-determination in Germany

