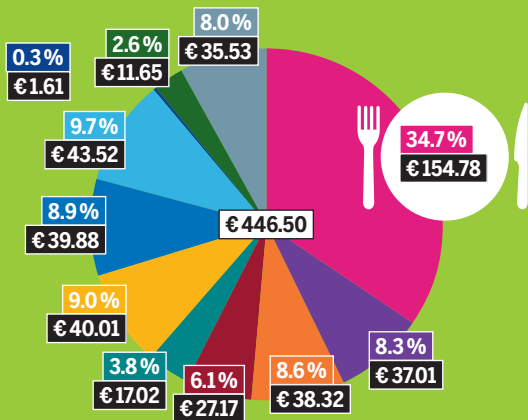


## SLICES OF THE HARTZ-4 PIE

Social assistance in Germany is calculated with reference to assumed expenses in various categories, shown here in euros and percent



- food, drinks, tobacco
- clothing, shoes
- housing, including energy and maintenance
- furnishings, household items
- health care
- transport
- communications
- leisure, entertainment, culture
- education
- accommodation and hospitality
- other items and services