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**1a.** We estimate the overall macroeconomic situation as being

	good	normal	bad	no estimate
Eurozone	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Germany	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
USA	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Japan	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Great Britain	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
France	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Italy	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

**1b.** During the past six months the overall macroeconomic situation in Germany has  
 improved [ ] not changed [ ] worsened [ ]

**2a.** In the medium-term (6 months) the overall macro-economic situation will

	improve	not change	worsen	no estimate
Eurozone	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Germany	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
USA	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Japan	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Great Britain	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
France	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Italy	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

**2b.** Please assess the probability of the following medium-term (6 months) developments of the overall macroeconomic situation in Germany (in per cent).

Improvement	Stay same	Worsening	Σ
[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	100%

**3.** In the medium-term (6 months) the macroeconomic annual inflation rate will

	increase	not change	decrease	no estimate
Eurozone	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Germany	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
USA	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Japan	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Great Britain	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
France	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Italy	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

**4.** In the medium-term (6 months) short-term interest rates (3-month interbank rates) will

	increase	not change	decrease	no estimate
Eurozone	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
USA	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Japan	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Great Britain	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

**5.** In the medium-term long-term interest rates (yields on 10-year bonds) will

	increase	not change	decrease	no estimate
Germany	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
USA	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Japan	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Great Britain	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

**6a.** In the medium-term (6 month) the following stock market indices/commodity spot prices will

	increase	not change	decrease	no estimate
EURO-STOXX 50	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
DAX (Germany)	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
TecDAX (Germany)	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Dow Jones (USA)	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Nikkei 225 (Japan)	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
FTSE 100 (UK)	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
CAC-40 (France)	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
FTSE MIB (Italy)	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Crude oil (North Sea Brent)	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

**6b.** Six month ahead, I expect the DAX to stand at [ ] points. With a probability of 90 per cent the DAX will then range between [ ] and [ ] points.

**6c.** In view of the fundamentals of the DAX companies the DAX is currently  
 over-priced [ ] fairly priced [ ] under-priced [ ]

**7.** In the medium-term (6 months) the following currencies compared to the Euro will

	stay appreciate	constant	depreciate	no estimate
US-Dollar	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Japanese Yen	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
UK-Pound	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Swiss Franc	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

**8.** In the medium-term the profit situation of German companies in the following sectors will

	improve	not change	worsen	no estimate
Banks	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Insurance	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Vehicles/Automotive	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Chemicals/Pharma	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Steel/Metal Products	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Electronics	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Machinery	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Consumption/Trade	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Construction	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Utilities	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Service	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Telecommunications	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Inform.-Technologies	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

**9.** With a probability of [ ] per cent German GDP growth will be negative in the 1st quarter of 2021 (quarterly growth of the seasonally adjusted real GDP).