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The German Cancer Research Center

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CANCER RESEARCH CENTER
IN THE HELMHOLTZ ASSOCIATION

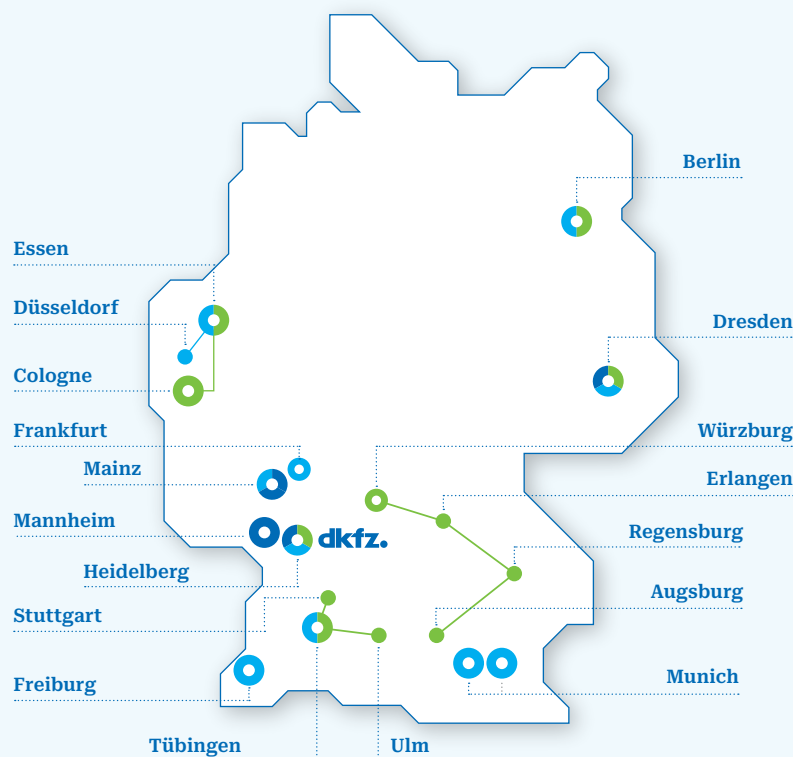
Our Research Topics



Cross-Cutting Topics across Research Areas

-  Digital Oncology
-  Single Cell Approaches/
Disruptive Biotechnologies
-  National Cancer Prevention Center
-  Disease-Specific
Focus Groups
-  (Clinical) Translation/NCT, DKTK

Locations of the DKFZ and/or translational centers



At the German Cancer Research Center (DKFZ), we conduct research for a life without cancer. Our goal is to better understand cancer, detect it early, treat it effectively, and prevent it whenever possible.

To ensure that our research benefits patients, we operate translational centers across Germany, in collaboration with excellent university hospitals and leading research partners:

- National Centers for Tumor Diseases (NCT, 6 sites)
- German Cancer Consortium (DKTK, 8 sites)
- Hopp Children's Cancer Center (KiTZ) Heidelberg
- Helmholtz-Institute for Translational Oncology (HI-TRON) Mainz — a Helmholtz Institute of the DKFZ
- DKFZ-Hector Cancer Institute at University Medicine Mannheim
- National Cancer Prevention Center (jointly with German Cancer Aid)

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3.400

3,400 employees
from 90 nations

of which

2,500 in science

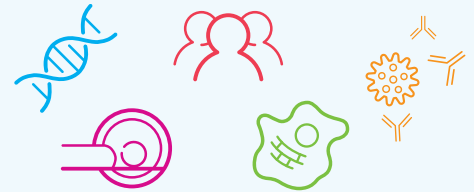
900 in technical infrastructure
and administration

Cancer
Information
Service

1

5

Research
Topics



5

Cross Topics
across the key
Research Topics



>100

Research units
thereof

23 independent
Junior Research Groups
6 junior
Clinical Cooperation Units

>2.300

publications
per year
in international
scientific journals

Core Facilities

21

350

 Mio. €

Annual Budget
thereof

193 Mio. € basic funding
57 Mio. € third-party project funding
98 Mio. € technology transfer and donations

Scientific
Excellence

2

 Nobel prizes

7

 Leibniz prizes

22

 German Cancer prizes

EU Projects

>180

projects
since 7th Framework
Program (2007)

ERC Grants

58

for DKFZ
employees

Innovation

17 Spin-offs founded (since 2019)
Average of **48** invention disclosures
p. a. (over the last four years)
More than **300** active patent families
158 active licenses and **18** new software
and material license agreements