



# Germany: By The Numbers

## The Numbers



**2.3%**

Pace of GDP growth year over year



**44,698,000**

Employed persons



**494,000**

Employed persons gain over previous year



**3.4%**

Unemployment rate



**-.3%**

Unemployment rate change year over year

*Source: TradingEconomics.com, retrieved Q3 2018*

## Economic & Workforce Trends



Shortage of  
high-level skills



Rising wages and  
cost of living



Growth across  
industries (notably  
IT, engineering,  
and healthcare)