

# LIBRARIES AND SKILLS

## in Austria



Population:  
**8.8 million**



One library per  
**6,363 inhabitants**

**2019**

### LIBRARIES IN AUSTRIA



There are  
**448,000 ADULTS**  
WHO VISIT LIBRARIES  
in Austria per year



There are  
**1.4 MILLION**  
**eBOOK LOANS**  
in Austrian libraries  
each year



There are  
**1.7 MILLION**  
**AUDIO BOOKS**  
available in the  
Austrian libraries



There are  
**24 MILLION**  
**BOOK LOANS**  
in Austria  
each year

**85%** of them offer  
internet access



### SKILLS IN AUSTRIA



Austria ranks **13**  
on the EU's Digital  
Economy & Society  
Index (DESI)



**15.1%**

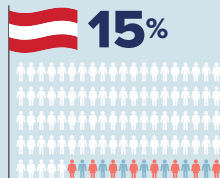
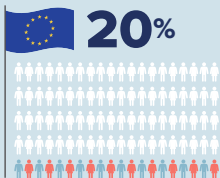
of Austrian adults  
participate in life-long  
learning activities



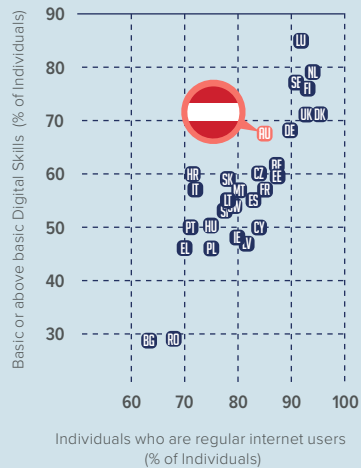
**63%**

of Austrian employers  
encounter difficulties in finding  
employees with the right skills

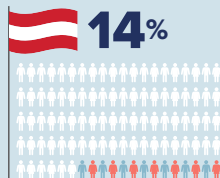
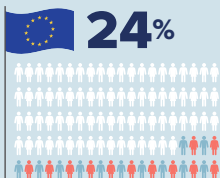
### % ADULTS WITH LOW LITERACY SKILLS



### HOW GOOD ARE THE AUSTRIANS ONLINE?



### % ADULTS WITH LOW NUMERACY SKILLS



### Did You Know?

60% of eligible voters in Austria voted in the 2019 European Parliament elections