Table 5 - Payment card functions and accepting devices (end of year)

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Cards issued by resident PSPs (thousands) Cards with a cash function Cards with a payment function (except cards with an e-money function only) of which:	151,014 144,364	153,977 147,448	159,106 152,948	161,710 158,967	159,855 159,771
Cards with a debit function Cards with a delayed debit function Cards with a credit function	109,312 29,772 5,280	111,551 30,221 5,677	115,665 31,552 5,731	118,392 34,735 5,839	121,332 32,652 5,787
Cards with an e-money function of which:	78,628	77,207	77,449	67,444	51,580
Cards on which e-money can be stored directly Cards which give access to e-money stored on e-money accounts Cards with an e-money function which have been loaded at least once	77,761 867 4,179	76,449 757 3,933	76,584 865 3,626	66,614 830 6,513	50,572 1,009 6,346
Total number of cards ¹ of which:	156,985	159,378	164,760	174,075	174,208
Cards with a combined debit, cash and e-money function	74,906	74,164	74,426	61,007	44,981
Memorandum item: Retailer cards with a payment function 2	9,400	8,553	8,000	7,500	
Terminals provided by resident PSPs ATMs 3 of which:	85,092	86,034	85,383	83,749	81,007
ATMs with a cash withdrawal function of which:	58,112	58,771	58,445	57,090	55,279
Located in the reporting country of which:	58,108		58,364	56,961	55,136
ATMs with a credit transfer function	27,837	27,900	26,715	26,216	25,049
POS terminals of which:	1,389,598	1,358,404	1,338,353	1,401,411	1,532,183
Located in the reporting country 45 Located abroad of which:	1,206,830 182,768	1,179,321 179,083	1,146,884 191,469	1,176,068 225,343	1,242,946 289,237
EFTPOS terminals	998,278	1,018,037	1,061,592	1,128,254	1,261,614
E-money card terminals 4 of which:	493,769	463,900	386,005	383,507	384,576
of Which: E-money card-loading terminals E-money card-accepting terminals	58,393 435,397	57,785 406,136	59,497 326,529	60,774 322,754	56,119 328,478

Irrespective of the card's number of functions.
 Data source: PaySys Consultancy GmbH. Data for reference period 2021 has not been available yet.
 One physical device can have several of the functions listed below. If a terminals is acquired by different payment service providers, multiple counts cannot be ruled out.

⁴ Only active terminals (terminals with at least one transaction in the reference period). Including e-money retail payment terminals. Data source: Deutsche Kreditwirtschaft (DK).
5 To avoid double-counting, the number of terminals includes the most widespread scheme only, since terminals usually accept different card brands.