

The main objective of the research project "Socio-political Impact of the German Energy Transition" (SOKO Energiewende), which started in August 2013, is the identification of potential trade-offs between energy and social policy. Within this scope Andreas Ziegler and his team focus on the empirical analysis of general assessments of energy price developments and distributional effects caused by the energy transition. This particularly includes attitudes towards different compensation mechanisms. Based on these results, the sub-project examines whether households are willing and able to produce less emissions during their daily lives. The results allow conclusions about the reactions of various groups of society towards the transformation process connected with the energy transition.

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