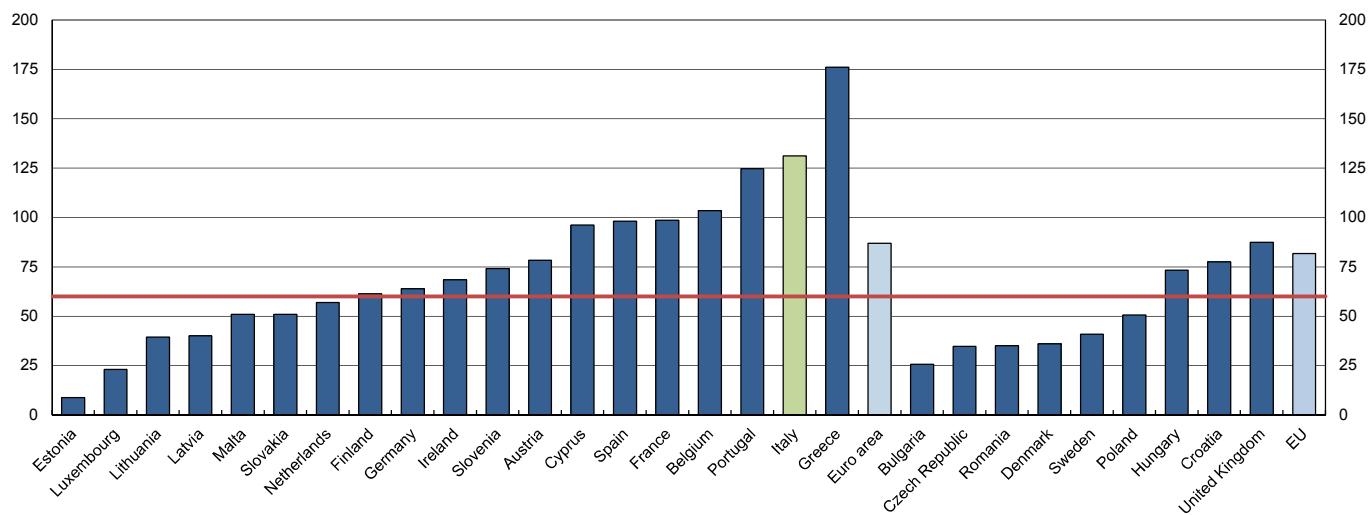


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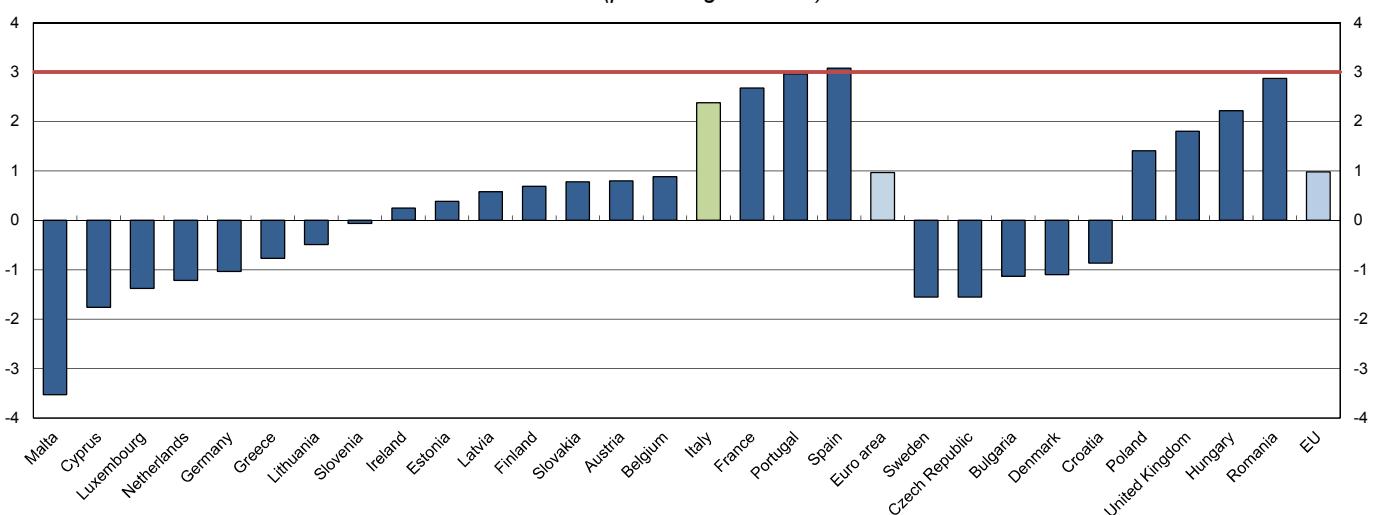
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Figure 1

General government debt in 2017 (1) (percentage of GDP)


Figure 2

General government net borrowing (+) / net lending (-) in 2017 (percentage of GDP)



(1) Averages for the Euro area and the EU are computed excluding lending provided as financial assistance to euro area member states both bilaterally or via the European Financial Stability Facility (EFSF).

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- I Unless indicated otherwise, figures have been computed by the Bank of Italy.
- II Symbols and Conventions:
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Table 1

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Net borrowing (+)/lending (-)

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	2.4	3.4	3.0	3.3	3.5	4.1	3.5	1.5	2.6	5.2	4.2	3.7	2.9	2.9	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.4
Belgium	0.1	-0.2	0.0	1.8	0.2	2.8	-0.2	-0.1	1.1	5.4	4.0	4.2	4.2	3.1	3.1	2.5	2.4	0.9
Germany	-0.9	3.1	3.9	4.2	3.7	3.4	1.7	-0.2	0.2	3.2	4.2	1.0	0.0	0.1	-0.6	-0.8	-0.9	-1.0
Estonia	0.1	-0.2	-0.4	-1.8	-2.4	-1.1	-2.9	-2.7	2.7	2.2	-0.2	-1.2	0.3	0.2	-0.7	-0.1	0.3	0.4
Ireland	-4.9	-1.0	0.5	-0.4	-1.3	-1.6	-2.8	-0.3	7.0	13.8	32.0	12.8	8.1	6.1	3.6	1.9	0.5	0.2
Greece	4.1	5.5	6.0	7.8	8.8	6.2	5.9	6.7	10.2	15.1	11.2	10.3	8.9	13.2	3.6	5.6	-0.5	-0.8
Spain	1.1	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.0	-1.2	-2.2	-1.9	4.4	11.0	9.4	9.6	10.5	7.0	6.0	5.3	4.5	3.1
France	1.3	1.4	3.2	4.0	3.6	3.4	2.4	2.6	3.3	7.2	6.9	5.2	5.0	4.1	3.9	3.6	3.5	2.7
Cyprus	2.2	2.1	4.1	5.9	3.7	2.2	1.0	-3.2	-0.9	5.4	4.7	5.7	5.6	5.1	9.0	1.3	-0.3	-1.8
Latvia	2.7	1.9	2.3	1.5	0.9	0.4	0.5	0.5	4.2	9.1	8.7	4.3	1.2	1.2	1.5	1.4	-0.1	0.6
Lithuania	3.2	3.5	1.9	1.3	1.4	0.3	0.3	0.8	3.1	9.1	6.9	8.9	3.1	2.6	0.6	0.3	-0.3	-0.5
Luxembourg	-5.9	-5.9	-2.4	-0.2	1.3	-0.1	-1.9	-4.2	-3.3	0.7	0.7	-0.5	-0.3	-1.0	-1.3	-1.3	-1.6	-1.4
Malta	5.5	6.1	5.4	9.0	4.3	2.6	2.5	2.1	4.2	3.2	2.4	2.4	3.5	2.4	1.7	1.0	-0.9	-3.5
Netherlands	-1.2	0.5	2.1	3.1	1.8	0.4	-0.1	0.1	-0.2	5.1	5.2	4.4	3.9	2.9	2.2	2.0	0.0	-1.2
Austria	2.4	0.7	1.4	1.8	4.8	2.5	2.5	1.4	1.5	5.3	4.4	2.6	2.2	2.0	2.7	1.0	1.6	0.8
Portugal	3.2	4.8	3.3	4.4	6.2	6.2	4.3	3.0	3.8	9.8	11.2	7.4	5.7	4.8	7.2	4.4	2.0	3.0
Slovenia	3.6	3.9	2.4	2.6	2.0	1.3	1.2	0.1	1.4	5.8	5.6	6.7	4.0	14.7	5.5	2.8	1.9	-0.1
Slovakia	12.0	6.4	8.1	2.7	2.3	2.9	3.6	1.9	2.4	7.8	7.5	4.3	4.3	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.2	0.8
Finland	-6.9	-5.0	-4.1	-2.4	-2.2	-2.6	-3.9	-5.1	-4.2	2.5	2.6	1.0	2.2	2.6	3.2	2.8	1.7	0.7
<i>Euro area</i>	0.5	2.0	2.7	3.2	3.0	2.6	1.5	0.7	2.2	6.2	6.2	4.2	3.7	3.1	2.5	2.0	1.6	1.0
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	0.1	1.7	2.7	3.2	2.9	2.3	1.1	0.5	2.1	6.4	6.6	4.4	3.8	3.1	2.4	1.9	1.4	0.7
Bulgaria	0.5	-1.1	1.2	0.4	-1.8	-1.0	-1.8	-1.1	-1.6	4.1	3.1	2.0	0.3	0.4	5.4	1.7	-0.2	-1.1
Czech Republic	3.6	5.5	6.4	6.9	2.4	3.0	2.2	0.7	2.0	5.5	4.2	2.7	3.9	1.2	2.1	0.6	-0.7	-1.5
Denmark	-1.9	-1.1	0.0	0.1	-2.1	-5.0	-5.0	-5.0	-3.2	2.8	2.7	2.1	3.5	1.2	-1.1	1.5	0.4	-1.1
Croatia .....	....	2.2	3.5	4.7	5.2	3.9	3.4	2.4	2.8	6.0	6.3	7.9	5.3	5.3	5.1	3.4	0.9	-0.9
Hungary	3.0	4.1	8.8	7.1	6.5	7.8	9.3	5.0	3.7	4.5	4.5	5.4	2.4	2.6	2.6	1.9	1.6	2.2
Poland	3.0	4.8	4.8	6.1	5.0	4.0	3.6	1.9	3.6	7.3	7.3	4.8	3.7	4.1	3.7	2.7	2.2	1.4
Romania	4.6	3.4	1.9	1.4	1.1	0.8	2.1	2.7	5.4	9.1	6.9	5.4	3.7	2.2	1.3	0.7	2.9	2.9
Sweden	-3.2	-1.4	1.5	1.3	-0.4	-1.8	-2.2	-3.4	-1.9	0.7	0.0	0.2	1.0	1.4	1.6	-0.2	-1.1	-1.6
United Kingdom	-1.4	-0.2	1.9	3.1	3.1	3.1	2.8	2.6	5.2	10.1	9.3	7.5	8.1	5.4	5.4	4.2	2.9	1.8
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	-1.0	0.3	2.3	3.1	2.5	2.2	1.9	1.4	3.4	7.7	7.0	5.5	5.8	4.0	4.0	3.1	2.0	1.0
<i>EU</i>	0.1	1.6	2.6	3.2	2.8	2.5	1.6	0.9	2.5	6.6	6.4	4.6	4.3	3.3	2.9	2.3	1.7	1.0
<i>EU excluding Italy</i>	-0.2	1.3	2.5	3.2	2.8	2.3	1.3	0.8	2.5	6.8	6.7	4.7	4.4	3.4	2.9	2.3	1.6	0.8
United States	-0.3	1.8	5.3	6.4	5.8	4.4	3.3	4.0	7.4	13.1	12.4	11.0	9.2	5.8	5.2	4.6	5.3	4.1
Japan	4.4	3.0	2.8	4.1	9.8	9.1	9.1	8.3	7.6	5.4	3.6	3.4
Canada	-2.6	-0.5	0.2	0.1	-0.8	-1.6	-1.8	-1.8	-0.2	3.9	4.7	3.3	2.5	1.9	-0.2	0.1	1.1	1.1

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Table 2

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Primary net borrowing (+)/lending (-)

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	-3.7	-2.7	-2.5	-1.6	-1.1	-0.4	-0.9	-3.3	-2.3	0.8	-0.1	-1.0	-2.3	-1.9	-1.5	-1.5	-1.4	-1.4
Belgium	-6.6	-6.7	-5.8	-3.6	-4.6	-1.6	-4.3	-4.0	-2.9	1.6	0.4	0.6	0.6	-0.2	-0.2	-0.6	-0.4	-1.6
Germany	-4.0	0.1	1.0	1.3	1.0	0.7	-1.0	-2.9	-2.5	0.6	1.7	-1.5	-2.3	-1.8	-2.2	-2.2	-2.1	-2.1
Estonia	-0.2	-0.4	-0.7	-2.0	-2.6	-1.3	-3.1	-2.9	2.5	2.0	-0.3	-1.3	0.1	0.1	-0.8	-0.2	0.3	0.3
Ireland	-6.8	-2.4	-0.8	-1.6	-2.4	-2.6	-3.8	-1.3	5.7	11.8	29.2	9.4	3.9	1.8	-0.3	-0.7	-1.7	-1.7
Greece	-2.8	-0.8	0.5	2.9	4.0	1.5	1.5	2.2	5.4	10.1	5.3	3.0	3.8	9.1	-0.3	2.1	-3.7	-3.9
Spain	-2.1	-2.4	-2.2	-1.9	-1.9	-3.0	-3.8	-3.5	2.9	9.3	7.5	7.2	7.5	3.5	2.5	2.2	1.7	0.5
France	-1.6	-1.6	0.2	1.2	0.8	0.7	-0.2	-0.1	0.4	4.6	4.4	2.4	2.4	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.7	0.8
Cyprus	-1.0	-1.1	1.1	2.7	0.7	-1.0	-1.9	-6.0	-3.5	3.1	2.8	3.5	2.4	1.7	5.8	-1.9	-3.1	-4.3
Latvia	1.8	1.0	1.6	0.7	0.2	-0.1	0.1	0.2	3.7	7.6	6.9	2.5	-0.5	-0.3	0.1	0.0	-1.1	-0.3
Lithuania	1.5	2.0	0.5	0.0	0.5	-0.4	-0.4	0.2	2.4	7.9	5.1	7.1	1.2	0.9	-1.0	-1.3	-1.6	-1.6
Luxembourg	-6.3	-6.3	-2.8	-0.5	1.1	-0.3	-2.2	-4.5	-3.7	0.3	0.2	-1.0	-0.9	-1.5	-1.7	-1.7	-2.0	-1.7
Malta	1.5	2.4	1.5	5.5	0.6	-1.1	-1.2	-1.3	0.8	0.0	-0.7	-0.8	0.5	-0.4	-1.0	-1.4	-3.1	-5.4
Netherlands	-4.5	-2.4	-0.4	0.8	-0.5	-1.8	-2.1	-1.9	-2.2	3.1	3.5	2.6	2.2	1.4	0.7	0.7	-1.2	-2.2
Austria	-1.2	-2.9	-2.1	-1.4	1.8	-0.7	-0.6	-1.8	-1.5	2.2	1.5	-0.2	-0.5	-0.7	0.3	-1.3	-0.5	-1.0
Portugal	0.2	1.8	0.5	1.8	3.6	3.6	1.6	0.1	0.7	6.8	8.2	3.1	0.8	0.0	2.3	-0.2	-2.2	-0.9
Slovenia	1.3	1.6	0.3	0.7	0.3	-0.2	-0.2	-1.2	0.3	4.5	4.0	4.8	2.0	12.1	2.3	-0.4	-1.1	-2.6
Slovakia	8.0	2.5	4.6	0.2	0.2	1.2	2.2	0.6	1.1	6.4	6.2	2.7	2.6	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.6	-0.6
Finland	-9.6	-7.5	-6.1	-4.3	-3.9	-4.2	-5.4	-6.6	-5.6	1.2	1.3	-0.3	0.8	1.4	2.0	1.6	0.6	-0.3
<i>Euro area</i>	-3.3	-1.7	-0.7	0.0	-0.1	-0.3	-1.3	-2.2	-0.8	3.4	3.4	1.2	0.6	0.3	-0.1	-0.3	-0.6	-1.0
<i>Euro area excluding Italy .</i>	-3.2	-1.5	-0.4	0.3	0.2	-0.3	-1.4	-2.0	-0.5	3.9	4.1	1.7	1.2	0.7	0.1	-0.1	-0.4	-0.9
Bulgaria	-3.6	-5.3	-1.1	-1.8	-3.7	-2.6	-3.1	-2.2	-2.4	3.3	2.4	1.2	-0.5	-0.4	4.6	0.7	-1.1	-1.9
Czech Republic	2.8	4.6	5.3	5.8	1.3	1.9	1.1	-0.4	1.0	4.2	2.9	1.4	2.5	-0.1	0.8	-0.5	-1.6	-2.3
Denmark	-5.6	-4.5	-3.1	-2.6	-4.6	-7.0	-6.8	-6.6	-4.6	0.9	0.8	0.1	1.7	-0.4	-2.6	-0.1	-0.9	-2.2
Croatia .....	....	0.4	1.7	2.9	3.3	1.9	1.5	0.6	0.8	3.7	3.8	5.1	2.1	2.1	1.7	0.0	-2.1	-3.5
Hungary	-2.2	-0.6	4.8	3.1	2.2	3.7	5.4	1.0	-0.4	0.1	0.4	1.3	-2.2	-1.9	-1.4	-1.6	-1.6	-0.6
Poland	0.0	1.7	2.0	3.1	2.3	1.5	1.2	-0.3	1.5	4.8	4.9	2.3	1.1	1.6	1.7	0.9	0.5	-0.2
Romania	0.6	0.0	-0.5	-0.2	-0.4	-0.4	1.3	2.0	4.7	7.7	5.4	3.8	1.9	0.4	-0.4	-0.9	1.4	1.5
Sweden	-6.5	-4.0	-1.4	-0.8	-2.0	-3.6	-3.8	-5.0	-3.5	-0.4	-1.0	-0.9	0.1	0.6	0.9	-0.6	-1.5	-1.9
United Kingdom	-3.8	-2.4	0.1	1.3	1.2	1.2	0.8	0.5	3.0	8.2	6.4	4.3	5.2	2.5	2.7	1.9	0.5	-0.9
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	-3.7	-2.1	0.1	1.1	0.5	0.2	0.0	-0.6	1.4	5.8	4.5	2.9	3.4	1.6	1.7	1.1	0.0	-1.0
<i>EU</i>	-3.4	-1.8	-0.5	0.3	0.1	-0.2	-1.0	-1.8	-0.2	4.0	3.7	1.7	1.4	0.6	0.4	0.1	-0.4	-1.0
<i>EU excluding Italy</i>	-3.3	-1.6	-0.2	0.6	0.3	-0.1	-1.0	-1.5	0.1	4.5	4.2	2.0	1.9	1.0	0.6	0.3	-0.3	-1.0
United States	-4.8	-2.4	1.3	2.4	1.9	0.5	-0.6	-0.1	3.4	8.9	8.2	6.6	5.0	1.8	1.2	0.9	1.4	0.3
Japan	2.7	1.2	0.9	2.2	7.8	7.2	7.1	6.3	5.7	3.5	1.7	1.7
Canada	-9.6	-7.0	-5.4	-5.1	-5.6	-6.0	-6.0	-5.8	-3.9	0.2	1.1	-0.3	-0.9	-1.5	-3.3	-2.9	-1.8	-1.7

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Table 3

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Current account balance

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	-1.4	-1.0	-0.8	0.2	-0.2	-0.1	-1.7	-2.8	-1.5	1.0	0.4	0.3	-0.7	-0.2	-0.3	-1.1	-0.5	-1.2
Belgium	-3.1	-2.8	-2.5	-1.3	-2.0	-2.1	-2.5	-2.7	-1.6	2.2	0.9	0.4	0.2	-0.1	0.0	-0.2	0.1	-1.4
Germany	-1.9	-0.4	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.3	-1.2	-3.0	-3.0	-0.1	0.0	-2.2	-2.9	-2.7	-3.3	-3.4	-3.7	-4.2
Estonia	-4.4	-5.0	-6.4	-6.9	-6.5	-5.6	-7.6	-8.5	-4.2	-3.2	-3.2	-4.1	-5.0	-4.5	-5.5	-4.9	-4.2	-4.7
Ireland	-8.0	-5.0	-3.4	-3.6	-4.6	-4.8	-5.9	-4.4	1.2	7.1	7.0	6.0	5.5	3.9	1.2	-0.9	-1.4	-1.8
Greece	-0.7	0.2	-0.4	1.2	2.4	2.7	3.2	3.4	5.1	9.9	8.2	8.5	4.4	0.3	1.3	0.3	-2.6	-2.9
Spain	-3.4	-4.0	-4.3	-4.2	-4.9	-5.9	-7.1	-7.4	-1.3	4.6	3.7	4.6	3.7	4.0	3.5	2.6	2.2	0.9
France	-3.1	-3.1	-1.3	-0.4	-0.9	-1.3	-2.3	-2.1	-1.8	1.8	1.7	0.3	-0.2	-0.9	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-1.7
Cyprus	-1.6	-1.7	-0.1	1.4	0.8	0.0	-2.1	-7.0	-4.7	0.5	-0.5	1.5	2.5	2.3	-2.4	-2.1	-3.2	-4.6
Latvia	-0.9	-1.9	-1.4	-1.6	-3.2	-2.9	-4.9	-5.3	0.0	4.9	3.4	-1.0	-2.1	-2.1	-1.6	-1.9	-3.0	-3.7
Lithuania	-1.6	-0.8	-1.7	-1.9	-2.3	-2.8	-3.4	-4.0	-1.7	5.7	4.1	2.3	1.0	0.0	-1.4	-2.3	-3.0	-3.4
Luxembourg	-10.5	-9.5	-8.1	-6.3	-4.8	-6.3	-6.8	-8.8	-7.9	-5.0	-5.3	-5.6	-5.3	-5.3	-5.7	-5.7	-6.4	-6.2
Malta	2.5	2.3	1.4	1.2	2.1	1.1	0.9	-0.7	1.9	1.2	0.8	0.8	1.3	0.3	-0.4	-1.3	-3.6	-5.8
Netherlands	-5.1	-3.9	-2.4	-1.5	-2.1	-3.2	-3.7	-3.6	-4.2	0.0	0.4	0.1	-0.3	-1.2	-1.5	-1.6	-3.6	-4.6
Austria	-1.7	-3.4	-2.6	-1.9	-2.4	-1.5	-1.5	-2.8	-2.8	0.3	0.1	-1.4	-2.0	-2.2	-2.5	-3.1	-2.0	-3.0
Portugal	-0.9	0.2	0.0	0.9	1.9	2.5	1.2	0.2	0.7	5.7	5.2	4.1	4.2	2.8	2.0	0.9	0.6	-1.0
Slovenia	-1.4	-1.2	-2.2	-2.3	-2.6	-3.0	-3.3	-4.9	-3.8	0.7	0.8	1.4	0.1	0.2	-0.5	-1.2	-1.3	-3.4
Slovakia	-0.8	0.3	0.8	-1.0	-1.0	-2.0	-0.6	-1.3	-1.5	3.0	3.9	1.0	1.4	0.1	-0.3	-2.1	-1.0	-2.3
Finland	-10.4	-8.5	-7.7	-6.1	-6.0	-6.2	-7.1	-8.5	-7.6	-1.5	-1.0	-2.8	-1.8	-1.4	-1.0	-1.1	-2.2	-3.0
<i>Euro area</i>	-2.7	-2.1	-1.3	-0.6	-1.0	-1.3	-2.5	-3.3	-2.1	1.6	1.3	0.3	-0.5	-0.6	-1.0	-1.3	-1.5	-2.4
<i>Euro area excluding Italy .</i>	-3.0	-2.3	-1.4	-0.8	-1.2	-1.6	-2.7	-3.3	-2.2	1.7	1.5	0.3	-0.4	-0.7	-1.1	-1.4	-1.7	-2.6
Bulgaria	-3.7	-5.1	-3.0	-3.2	-5.5	-4.8	-5.5	-7.8	-6.2	0.1	-0.4	-0.5	-2.0	-1.8	-0.8	-1.3	-3.4	-3.2
Czech Republic	-3.2	-3.3	-2.7	-2.6	-4.7	-4.4	-4.2	-5.0	-3.9	-0.1	-0.4	-1.5	-2.2	-2.4	-2.1	-3.4	-4.1	-5.0
Denmark	-4.8	-3.8	-2.7	-2.5	-4.6	-7.4	-7.7	-7.9	-6.6	-0.5	-0.8	-1.7	-1.9	-3.1	-6.1	-3.3	-3.7	-4.5
Croatia .....	....	-4.2	-3.8	-4.3	-3.8	-3.6	-3.7	-4.9	-4.5	-1.0	0.4	1.8	0.8	0.7	0.3	-1.0	-3.3	-4.3
Hungary	-2.8	-2.2	0.2	1.7	1.7	2.8	3.2	-0.3	-0.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	-0.9	-0.7	-1.8	-3.6	-3.3	-3.3
Poland	0.6	1.4	1.5	2.2	1.8	0.1	-0.9	-2.8	-1.6	1.8	2.4	0.1	-0.1	0.6	-0.2	-1.1	-0.9	-2.3
Romania	0.2	-0.6	-2.6	-3.4	-3.8	-3.1	-4.6	-3.6	-1.4	3.4	1.6	-1.0	-1.0	-2.1	-2.2	-3.0	-0.7	1.0
Sweden	-7.0	-5.5	-2.9	-2.9	-4.4	-6.0	-6.3	-7.4	-6.2	-3.7	-4.4	-4.4	-3.4	-2.9	-2.9	-4.4	-5.6	-6.1
United Kingdom	-3.4	-2.6	-0.6	0.4	0.2	0.1	-0.2	-0.3	1.3	5.4	5.3	4.0	4.3	2.5	2.3	1.1	0.0	-1.2
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	-3.5	-2.7	-0.9	-0.2	-0.8	-1.3	-1.6	-2.1	-0.9	3.0	2.7	1.5	1.8	0.7	0.4	-0.5	-1.3	-2.3
<i>EU</i>	-2.9	-2.2	-1.2	-0.5	-0.9	-1.3	-2.3	-2.9	-1.8	2.0	1.7	0.6	0.1	-0.3	-0.6	-1.1	-1.5	-2.4
<i>EU excluding Italy</i>	-3.1	-2.4	-1.2	-0.7	-1.0	-1.5	-2.4	-3.0	-1.8	2.1	1.9	0.6	0.3	-0.3	-0.6	-1.1	-1.6	-2.5
United States	-3.7	-1.6	1.6	2.6	2.0	0.6	-0.3	0.1	3.0	8.1	8.0	6.8	5.5	2.5	2.0	1.6	2.2	2.3
Japan	0.2	-0.9	-1.2	0.2	4.5	4.7	4.6	4.0	3.0	1.2	0.2	0.3
Canada	-5.5	-3.4	-2.9	-3.0	-4.1	-5.1	-5.5	-5.7	-4.0	-1.0	-0.5	-1.4	-2.1	-2.3	-3.8	-3.7	-3.2	-3.1

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Capital account balance

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy.....	3.8	4.4	3.8	3.1	3.7	4.2	5.2	4.3	4.1	4.2	3.8	3.4	3.6	3.1	3.3	3.7	3.0	3.6
Belgium.....	3.2	2.7	2.5	3.0	2.2	4.9	2.3	2.6	2.7	3.2	3.1	3.8	4.1	3.3	3.1	2.6	2.3	2.3
Germany.....	1.0	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.8	3.2	3.4	4.2	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.8	3.2
Estonia.....	4.4	4.8	6.0	5.1	4.1	4.5	4.7	5.7	6.9	5.4	3.0	3.0	5.3	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.5	5.1
Ireland.....	3.1	4.1	3.9	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.1	4.1	5.8	6.7	25.1	6.8	2.6	2.3	2.4	2.8	2.0	2.1
Greece.....	4.8	5.3	6.4	6.6	6.4	3.5	2.7	3.3	5.1	5.2	2.9	1.8	4.5	12.9	2.3	5.3	2.0	2.2
Spain.....	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.9	4.7	4.9	5.4	5.7	6.4	5.7	5.1	6.8	3.0	2.5	2.6	2.3	2.2
France.....	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.8	5.0	5.4	5.2	4.9	5.1	4.9	4.6	4.3	4.2	4.4
Cyprus.....	3.8	3.7	4.1	4.5	2.8	2.1	3.1	3.8	3.9	4.9	5.2	4.2	3.1	2.9	11.3	3.5	2.9	2.8
Latvia	3.6	3.8	3.7	3.1	4.1	3.3	5.4	5.8	4.2	4.2	5.3	5.3	3.4	3.2	3.0	3.3	2.9	4.2
Lithuania.....	4.8	4.3	3.6	3.2	3.7	3.1	3.7	4.9	4.8	3.4	2.8	6.7	2.1	2.7	2.0	2.5	2.7	3.0
Luxembourg	4.6	3.6	5.7	6.1	6.1	6.2	4.9	4.6	4.6	5.7	5.9	5.1	5.0	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.8	4.9
Malta.....	3.0	3.8	4.0	7.8	2.2	1.5	1.6	2.8	2.3	2.0	1.6	1.6	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.3	2.6	2.3
Netherlands.....	3.9	4.4	4.5	4.7	3.9	3.6	3.6	3.7	4.0	5.1	4.9	4.3	4.2	4.1	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.3
Austria.....	4.1	4.1	3.9	3.7	7.2	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.3	5.1	4.4	4.0	4.1	4.1	5.2	4.1	3.6	3.8
Portugal.....	4.1	4.6	3.4	3.5	4.3	3.6	3.1	2.9	3.0	4.1	5.9	3.3	1.5	2.0	5.2	3.5	1.4	4.0
Slovenia	5.0	5.1	4.6	4.9	4.6	4.3	4.5	5.0	5.3	5.2	4.9	5.3	3.9	14.4	6.0	4.1	3.2	3.3
Slovakia	12.8	6.1	7.2	3.7	3.3	4.8	4.2	3.3	3.9	4.8	3.6	3.2	2.9	2.6	3.0	4.7	3.2	3.1
Finland	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.6	3.2	3.4	3.4	4.0	3.7	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.2	3.9	4.0	3.7
<i>Euro area</i>	3.2	4.1	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	4.2	4.6	4.9	4.0	4.1	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.1	3.4
<i>Euro area excluding Italy .</i>	3.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.9	4.3	4.7	5.1	4.1	4.2	3.8	3.5	3.3	3.1	3.3
Bulgaria.....	4.2	4.1	4.2	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.7	6.7	4.6	4.0	3.5	2.5	2.3	2.2	6.2	3.0	3.2	2.1
Czech Republic.....	6.8	8.8	9.1	9.5	7.0	7.4	6.4	5.7	5.8	5.5	4.6	4.3	6.1	3.6	4.2	4.0	3.3	3.4
Denmark.....	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.9	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.8	5.4	4.3	5.0	4.8	4.1	3.4
Croatia .....	....	6.4	7.3	8.9	9.0	7.5	7.1	7.3	7.2	7.0	5.9	6.1	4.4	4.6	4.9	4.4	4.2	3.4
Hungary	5.8	6.3	8.6	5.4	4.8	4.9	6.1	5.3	3.9	3.3	3.2	4.0	3.3	3.4	4.4	5.5	5.0	5.6
Poland.....	2.3	3.4	3.3	3.8	3.3	3.8	4.4	4.6	5.2	5.4	5.0	4.7	3.8	3.5	3.9	3.8	3.2	3.7
Romania	4.3	4.0	4.6	4.8	4.9	3.9	6.7	6.4	6.8	5.7	5.3	6.4	4.7	4.2	3.5	3.7	3.7	1.9
Sweden.....	3.8	4.1	4.3	4.2	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.4	4.3	4.5	4.3	4.5	4.5
United Kingdom	2.0	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.8	3.1	2.9	2.9	3.9	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.8	2.9	3.0	3.1	2.9	3.0
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	2.6	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.6	4.3	4.7	4.2	4.0	4.1	3.3	3.6	3.5	3.3	3.3
<i>EU</i>	3.0	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.8	4.2	4.6	4.7	4.0	4.1	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.4
<i>EU excluding Italy.....</i>	2.9	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	4.3	4.7	4.8	4.1	4.2	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.2	3.3
United States	3.3	3.4	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.6	3.9	4.3	5.0	4.4	4.2	3.7	3.3	3.2	3.0	3.1	1.9
Japan	4.2	3.9	3.9	4.0	5.3	4.5	4.5	4.3	4.7	4.2	3.4	3.1
Canada.....	2.8	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.4	3.6	3.7	3.9	3.9	4.9	5.2	4.7	4.6	4.2	3.6	3.8	4.3	4.2

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Gross public debt

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	105.1	104.7	101.9	100.5	100.1	101.9	102.6	99.8	102.4	112.5	115.4	116.5	123.4	129.0	131.8	131.6	131.4	131.2
Belgium	108.8	107.6	104.7	101.1	96.5	94.7	91.1	87.0	92.5	99.5	99.7	102.6	104.3	105.5	107.6	106.5	106.1	103.4
Germany	58.9	57.7	59.4	63.1	64.8	67.0	66.5	63.7	65.2	72.6	81.0	78.6	79.9	77.4	74.5	70.8	67.9	63.9
Estonia	5.1	4.8	5.7	5.6	5.1	4.5	4.4	3.7	4.5	7.0	6.6	6.1	9.7	10.2	10.5	9.9	9.2	8.7
Ireland	36.1	33.2	30.6	29.9	28.2	26.1	23.6	23.9	42.4	61.5	86.0	110.9	119.9	119.7	104.1	76.8	73.4	68.4
Greece	104.9	107.1	104.9	101.5	102.9	107.4	103.6	103.1	109.4	126.7	146.2	172.1	159.6	177.4	178.9	175.9	178.5	176.1
Spain	58.0	54.2	51.3	47.6	45.3	42.3	38.9	35.6	39.5	52.8	60.1	69.5	85.7	95.5	100.4	99.3	99.0	98.1
France	58.9	58.3	60.3	64.4	65.9	67.4	64.6	64.5	68.8	83.0	85.3	87.8	90.6	93.4	94.9	95.6	98.2	98.5
Cyprus	55.7	57.3	60.5	63.8	64.8	63.4	59.3	54.0	45.6	54.3	56.8	66.2	80.1	103.1	108.0	108.0	105.5	96.1
Latvia	12.1	13.8	13.0	13.7	14.0	11.4	9.6	8.0	18.2	35.8	46.8	42.7	41.2	39.0	40.9	36.8	40.3	40.0
Lithuania	23.5	22.9	22.1	20.4	18.7	17.6	17.2	15.9	14.6	28.0	36.2	37.2	39.8	38.8	40.5	42.6	39.9	39.4
Luxembourg	7.2	7.3	7.0	6.9	7.3	7.4	7.8	7.7	14.9	15.7	19.8	18.7	22.0	23.7	22.7	22.2	20.7	23.0
Malta	60.9	65.2	63.2	69.0	71.9	70.0	64.5	62.3	62.6	67.6	67.5	70.1	67.7	68.4	63.7	58.6	56.3	50.9
Netherlands	52.1	49.5	48.8	50.0	50.3	49.8	45.2	43.0	54.7	56.8	59.3	61.7	66.2	67.7	67.9	64.6	61.9	57.0
Austria	66.1	66.7	66.7	65.9	65.2	68.6	67.3	65.0	68.7	79.9	82.7	82.4	81.9	81.3	84.0	84.8	83.0	78.3
Portugal	50.3	53.4	56.2	58.7	62.0	67.4	69.2	68.4	71.7	83.6	96.2	111.4	126.2	129.0	130.6	128.8	129.2	124.8
Slovenia	25.9	26.1	27.3	26.7	26.8	26.3	26.0	22.8	21.8	34.6	38.4	46.6	53.8	70.4	80.4	82.6	78.7	74.1
Slovakia	49.6	48.3	42.9	41.6	40.6	34.1	31.0	30.1	28.5	36.3	41.2	43.7	52.2	54.7	53.5	52.2	51.8	50.9
Finland	42.5	41.0	40.2	42.8	42.7	40.0	38.2	34.0	32.7	41.7	47.1	48.5	53.9	56.5	60.2	63.6	63.0	61.3
<i>Euro area</i>	68.2	67.1	67.0	68.2	68.5	69.3	67.4	65.0	68.7	79.2	84.6	86.6	89.7	91.6	91.8	89.9	89.1	86.8
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	60.3	59.0	59.5	61.2	61.7	62.3	60.0	57.8	61.9	72.4	78.4	80.8	83.5	84.9	84.7	82.6	81.7	79.2
Bulgaria	71.2	65.0	51.4	43.7	36.0	26.8	21.0	16.3	13.0	13.7	15.3	15.2	16.7	17.1	27.1	26.2	29.6	25.6
Czech Republic	17.0	22.8	25.9	28.3	28.5	27.9	27.7	27.5	28.3	33.6	37.4	39.8	44.5	44.9	42.2	40.0	36.8	34.7
Denmark	52.4	48.5	49.1	46.2	44.2	37.4	31.5	27.3	33.3	40.2	42.6	46.1	44.9	44.0	44.3	39.9	37.9	36.1
Croatia	35.5	36.5	36.6	38.1	40.3	41.2	38.6	37.2	39.0	48.3	57.3	63.8	69.4	80.4	84.0	83.7	80.2	77.5
Hungary	55.3	51.9	55.3	57.9	58.7	60.5	64.5	65.5	71.6	77.8	80.2	80.5	78.4	77.1	76.6	76.6	75.9	73.3
Poland	36.5	37.3	41.8	46.6	45.0	46.4	46.9	44.2	46.3	49.4	53.1	54.1	53.7	55.7	50.4	51.3	54.2	50.6
Romania	22.4	25.7	24.8	21.3	18.6	15.7	12.3	11.9	12.4	22.1	29.8	34.2	37.0	37.6	39.2	37.8	37.3	35.1
Sweden	50.7	52.2	50.2	49.7	48.9	49.1	43.9	39.2	37.7	41.3	38.6	37.8	38.1	40.7	45.5	44.2	42.4	40.8
United Kingdom	37.0	34.3	34.4	35.6	38.6	39.8	40.7	41.7	49.7	63.7	75.2	80.8	84.1	85.2	87.0	87.9	87.9	87.4
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	39.3	37.4	37.8	38.8	40.3	40.6	40.1	39.5	44.5	54.6	61.9	65.4	68.1	69.1	71.0	71.9	70.6	68.3
<i>EU</i>	60.3	59.1	59.1	60.5	61.0	61.5	59.9	58.0	62.4	73.1	78.8	81.1	83.8	85.5	86.0	84.6	83.9	81.8
<i>EU excluding Italy</i>	53.7	52.4	52.7	54.5	55.2	55.5	53.7	52.0	56.6	67.4	73.6	76.3	78.8	80.0	80.4	79.1	78.2	75.9
United States	52.9	52.9	55.2	58.3	65.8	65.2	63.9	64.4	73.4	86.5	95.1	99.5	103.0	104.5	104.2	104.4	106.6	105.1
Japan	130.9	137.3	145.0	149.5	156.4	159.1	156.7	154.7	163.6	180.8	187.0	202.3	209.9	212.9	218.3	216.6	222.3	....
Canada	84.7	85.4	83.6	80.1	76.2	75.8	74.6	70.6	71.5	83.9	86.3	89.1	92.9	90.1	91.9	97.5	97.8	93.8

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Total revenue

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	44.2	44.1	43.8	43.9	43.3	43.0	44.1	45.3	45.2	45.9	45.7	45.7	47.9	48.1	47.9	47.7	46.5	46.4
Belgium	49.0	49.4	49.6	49.0	48.8	48.9	48.7	48.3	49.2	48.8	49.3	50.3	51.6	52.7	52.2	51.3	50.6	51.3
Germany	45.6	43.8	43.3	43.6	42.6	42.8	43.0	43.0	43.4	44.3	43.0	43.8	44.3	44.5	44.5	44.5	44.8	45.0
Estonia	36.3	35.2	36.5	37.0	36.7	35.1	36.5	36.8	37.1	43.9	40.7	38.6	39.0	38.3	38.5	39.7	39.1	38.9
Ireland	35.7	33.5	32.7	33.4	34.5	34.9	36.6	36.2	34.8	33.2	33.0	33.7	34.0	34.2	33.8	27.0	27.0	26.0
Greece	42.4	40.5	39.8	38.8	38.8	39.4	39.2	40.4	40.7	38.9	41.3	43.8	46.9	49.1	46.6	47.9	49.5	48.1
Spain	38.1	37.9	38.2	37.9	38.7	39.5	40.5	41.0	36.7	34.8	36.2	36.2	37.6	38.6	38.9	38.5	37.7	37.9
France	50.3	50.3	49.6	49.3	49.4	49.9	50.4	49.9	50.0	50.0	50.0	51.1	52.1	53.1	53.3	53.2	53.2	53.8
Cyprus	32.2	33.2	32.9	34.6	34.9	37.1	37.7	40.8	39.3	36.7	37.3	36.7	36.4	36.7	39.8	39.3	38.3	39.3
Latvia	34.5	32.8	32.8	31.9	33.8	33.8	35.5	33.5	33.4	35.0	36.8	36.2	36.8	36.6	36.6	36.9	37.0	37.2
Lithuania	36.2	33.6	33.3	32.3	32.6	33.7	34.0	34.4	35.0	35.8	35.4	33.5	33.0	32.9	34.0	34.6	34.4	33.6
Luxembourg	43.7	44.1	43.8	43.7	42.5	43.7	41.6	42.0	43.0	44.5	43.5	42.9	44.4	44.3	43.3	43.3	43.6	44.5
Malta	34.7	35.6	36.0	36.2	37.9	39.6	39.8	39.0	38.5	38.6	38.7	38.8	39.2	39.5	39.5	39.1	38.0	39.7
Netherlands	43.3	42.4	41.5	41.4	41.6	41.8	43.1	42.2	43.3	42.5	42.6	42.4	42.8	43.6	43.6	42.6	43.6	43.7
Austria	48.6	50.7	49.7	49.5	48.9	48.6	47.8	47.9	48.4	48.8	48.4	48.3	49.0	49.7	49.7	50.1	48.7	48.4
Portugal	39.4	39.3	40.4	40.9	39.9	40.5	40.9	41.5	41.6	40.4	40.6	42.6	42.9	45.1	44.6	43.8	42.8	42.7
Slovenia	42.5	43.1	43.4	43.2	43.4	43.6	43.0	42.1	42.5	42.4	43.6	43.3	44.5	44.8	44.4	44.9	43.4	43.2
Slovakia	40.0	38.0	37.1	37.2	35.5	36.9	35.2	34.4	34.5	36.3	34.7	36.5	36.3	38.7	39.3	42.5	39.2	39.4
Finland	54.9	52.3	52.6	51.8	51.5	51.9	52.3	51.9	52.4	52.2	52.1	53.3	54.0	54.9	54.9	54.4	54.2	53.3
<i>Euro area</i>	45.5	44.7	44.3	44.2	43.9	44.1	44.6	44.7	44.4	44.5	44.4	45.0	46.1	46.8	46.7	46.2	46.0	46.1
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	45.8	44.9	44.4	44.3	44.0	44.3	44.7	44.6	44.3	44.2	44.1	44.8	45.7	46.5	46.4	45.9	45.9	46.0
Bulgaria	40.5	42.0	38.2	38.5	39.9	38.1	35.7	38.8	38.7	35.3	33.1	31.9	34.1	37.3	37.7	38.8	35.3	36.2
Czech Republic	37.4	37.7	38.5	42.5	40.2	39.3	39.2	39.7	38.7	38.7	39.3	40.3	40.5	41.4	40.3	41.1	40.2	40.5
Denmark	54.6	54.0	53.2	53.5	55.1	56.2	54.8	54.6	53.6	53.7	54.0	54.4	54.5	54.6	56.4	53.3	53.2	53.0
Croatia .....	....	43.7	47.0	45.2	43.6	43.0	43.1	43.0	42.5	42.3	41.7	40.6	42.5	42.4	42.9	44.8	46.0	45.8
Hungary	44.1	43.1	42.0	41.9	42.1	41.6	42.2	44.8	45.0	45.9	44.8	44.1	46.1	46.7	46.9	48.2	45.1	44.7
Poland	39.1	40.3	40.6	39.7	38.5	40.4	41.1	41.4	40.7	37.8	38.5	39.1	39.1	38.5	38.7	39.0	38.9	39.7
Romania	33.8	32.6	32.9	31.8	32.2	32.3	33.1	34.5	32.4	30.6	33.1	34.1	33.7	33.3	34.2	35.5	31.9	30.7
Sweden	56.5	54.1	52.4	52.7	52.7	54.1	53.2	52.6	51.9	52.0	50.7	50.1	50.3	50.6	49.5	49.8	50.8	50.9
United Kingdom	36.8	36.8	35.7	35.6	37.0	38.1	38.0	38.3	39.2	37.2	38.3	38.4	37.6	38.6	37.6	38.0	38.5	39.1
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	40.5	40.1	39.2	39.4	40.2	41.2	40.9	41.2	41.6	40.2	40.9	41.1	40.7	41.3	40.6	40.7	40.9	41.4
<i>EU</i>	44.1	43.5	42.9	43.0	42.9	43.3	43.6	43.7	43.7	43.4	43.5	44.0	44.6	45.3	45.0	44.6	44.6	44.8
<i>EU excluding Italy</i>	44.1	43.4	42.8	42.8	42.8	43.4	43.5	43.5	43.5	43.0	43.1	43.7	44.2	44.9	44.6	44.2	44.3	44.6
United States	34.6	33.8	31.4	30.8	31.1	32.5	33.3	33.4	32.5	30.1	30.7	31.1	31.0	33.2	33.2	33.3	32.9	33.8
Japan .....	....	....	....	....	....	31.1	32.0	32.2	32.0	30.9	30.6	31.6	32.3	33.1	34.8	35.7	35.7	....
Canada	44.0	42.5	41.1	41.1	40.9	41.0	41.4	41.3	39.9	40.5	39.3	39.2	39.3	39.1	39.4	40.6	40.4	40.0

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Current revenue

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	43.8	43.9	43.4	42.3	42.5	42.6	43.8	45.1	45.0	44.9	45.3	45.0	47.5	47.6	47.4	47.2	46.1	46.1
Belgium	48.5	48.8	49.0	48.4	48.0	48.1	47.9	47.6	48.5	48.1	48.6	49.5	50.6	51.6	51.1	50.4	49.7	50.3
Germany	45.2	43.4	42.9	43.2	42.2	42.4	42.6	42.6	43.0	43.9	42.7	43.4	43.9	44.2	44.1	44.1	44.3	44.7
Estonia	35.9	35.1	36.2	36.6	36.4	34.7	35.7	36.0	36.5	41.6	39.3	37.1	37.2	36.8	37.5	38.6	38.5	38.0
Ireland	34.4	32.3	31.5	32.1	33.3	33.8	35.3	34.7	33.6	32.6	32.7	33.2	33.6	33.9	33.4	26.7	26.4	25.7
Greece	39.5	38.9	39.0	37.4	37.2	37.5	36.7	37.9	38.5	37.6	39.2	41.5	44.3	45.1	44.3	45.0	47.7	46.7
Spain	37.5	37.3	37.5	37.2	37.8	38.8	39.8	40.4	36.5	34.8	36.2	36.2	37.5	38.2	38.3	37.8	37.3	37.5
France	50.0	50.0	49.3	48.8	48.9	49.5	50.1	49.7	49.8	49.7	49.8	50.8	51.9	52.9	53.0	52.8	52.8	53.3
Cyprus	32.1	33.1	32.8	34.5	33.2	35.2	36.6	40.6	39.1	36.2	36.8	36.0	35.8	35.9	39.1	38.7	38.1	38.8
Latvia	33.8	32.7	32.6	31.8	33.3	32.8	34.5	32.8	32.6	33.9	35.2	34.6	35.0	34.9	35.0	35.2	36.2	36.4
Lithuania	36.4	33.8	33.0	32.0	32.2	33.0	33.1	33.0	34.0	34.3	32.9	31.3	31.1	30.8	31.3	32.8	33.5	33.0
Luxembourg	43.5	43.9	43.6	43.4	42.3	43.4	41.4	41.8	42.8	44.2	43.3	42.7	44.2	44.1	43.1	43.1	43.4	44.2
Malta	33.3	35.2	35.7	35.8	36.3	36.5	36.9	37.9	37.7	37.6	36.9	37.0	37.2	37.5	37.1	35.8	37.4	38.9
Netherlands	43.0	42.0	41.1	41.0	41.3	41.5	42.6	41.9	43.0	42.2	42.3	42.1	42.6	43.3	43.3	42.3	43.3	43.4
Austria	48.4	50.5	49.5	49.3	48.7	48.4	47.6	47.6	48.2	48.3	48.2	48.1	48.8	49.4	49.5	49.9	48.5	48.2
Portugal	38.5	37.9	38.8	39.2	38.7	39.2	40.1	40.7	40.8	39.6	39.4	41.5	41.1	44.0	43.6	43.0	42.3	42.3
Slovenia	42.3	42.8	43.2	43.1	43.0	43.3	42.7	41.7	42.0	41.8	43.1	42.9	43.8	43.6	42.9	43.0	43.0	42.8
Slovakia	39.8	37.9	36.9	37.2	35.3	36.7	34.9	33.9	34.3	35.3	33.7	35.3	35.2	37.4	38.1	40.1	38.6	39.1
Finland	54.5	52.0	52.2	51.4	51.1	51.5	51.9	51.6	52.0	51.9	51.8	53.0	53.7	54.5	54.6	54.0	53.9	52.8
<i>Euro area</i>	45.0	44.3	43.8	43.5	43.3	43.6	44.1	44.2	44.0	44.0	44.0	44.5	45.6	46.2	46.2	45.7	45.5	45.7
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	45.3	44.4	43.9	43.7	43.4	43.8	44.2	44.1	43.9	43.8	43.7	44.4	45.3	46.0	45.9	45.4	45.4	45.6
Bulgaria	40.4	41.9	38.1	38.3	39.7	37.8	35.3	37.4	37.6	34.1	31.7	30.6	32.5	35.1	35.1	34.8	34.7	35.1
Czech Republic	37.3	37.5	38.3	39.2	39.8	38.9	38.6	39.1	37.9	37.4	37.9	39.0	39.6	40.4	39.1	39.1	39.6	39.9
Denmark	54.4	53.8	53.0	53.3	54.7	56.1	54.7	54.5	53.4	53.6	53.8	54.0	54.3	55.1	57.0	53.8	53.3	52.8
Croatia .....	....	43.7	46.3	44.7	43.6	42.9	43.0	42.9	42.5	42.2	41.4	40.3	41.7	42.1	42.7	44.4	45.2	45.3
Hungary	43.6	42.5	41.5	41.4	41.7	41.0	41.3	44.0	44.3	44.6	42.9	41.9	44.1	44.1	43.9	44.2	44.5	43.4
Poland	39.1	40.3	40.6	39.7	38.5	39.9	40.6	40.9	40.2	37.2	37.2	37.3	37.8	37.5	37.5	37.9	38.3	38.9
Romania	33.7	32.5	32.8	31.7	31.8	32.0	33.0	33.2	31.7	30.1	31.8	32.6	31.9	31.8	32.0	32.7	30.4	29.4
Sweden	56.3	53.9	52.2	52.5	52.5	53.9	53.1	52.5	51.8	51.9	50.6	49.9	50.0	50.2	49.4	49.5	50.6	50.7
United Kingdom	36.6	36.5	35.4	35.3	36.7	37.3	37.6	37.9	37.5	36.8	38.0	38.2	37.4	38.2	37.2	37.6	38.1	38.7
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	40.2	39.9	39.0	39.1	39.9	40.5	40.6	40.8	40.4	39.7	40.4	40.5	40.2	40.8	40.0	40.0	40.5	40.9
<i>EU</i>	43.7	43.1	42.5	42.3	42.4	42.8	43.2	43.3	43.1	42.9	43.0	43.5	44.2	44.8	44.5	44.1	44.1	44.4
<i>EU excluding Italy</i>	43.7	43.0	42.4	42.3	42.4	42.8	43.1	43.0	42.8	42.6	42.7	43.3	43.7	44.4	44.1	43.7	43.9	44.2
United States	34.3	33.4	31.1	30.6	30.9	32.3	33.1	33.2	32.2	30.0	30.6	31.0	30.9	33.0	33.0	33.2	32.8	32.4
Japan
Canada	42.2	40.8	40.8

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Tax revenue and social security contributions

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy.....	40.1	40.1	39.8	40.0	39.3	39.1	40.2	41.5	41.3	41.8	41.6	41.6	43.6	43.6	43.3	43.1	42.4	42.2
Belgium.....	45.5	45.4	45.7	45.1	45.1	45.0	44.8	44.5	45.1	44.5	44.8	45.5	46.7	47.6	47.5	46.8	45.9	46.5
Germany.....	41.4	39.4	38.9	39.3	38.4	38.4	38.6	38.7	39.0	39.4	38.1	38.5	39.1	39.5	39.3	39.5	40.0	40.3
Estonia.....	31.2	30.4	31.3	31.0	31.2	29.9	30.5	31.2	31.4	35.0	33.3	31.5	31.7	31.7	32.2	33.3	33.6	32.8
Ireland.....	31.8	29.7	29.0	29.7	30.8	31.2	32.6	32.0	30.3	28.8	28.2	28.8	29.0	29.4	29.4	23.7	23.8	23.3
Greece.....	34.7	33.3	34.5	32.8	31.9	33.3	32.5	33.4	33.6	32.8	34.1	36.0	38.7	38.5	39.0	39.7	41.7	41.6
Spain.....	34.4	34.0	34.4	34.3	35.1	36.2	37.0	37.4	33.3	31.3	32.8	32.7	33.7	34.5	34.8	34.7	34.2	34.5
France.....	45.1	44.9	44.2	44.1	44.2	44.7	45.2	44.7	44.6	44.3	44.4	45.6	46.7	47.7	47.9	47.8	47.9	48.5
Cyprus.....	27.3	28.0	28.0	28.8	29.3	31.1	31.8	35.7	34.4	31.5	31.7	31.7	31.5	31.5	33.3	33.0	32.7	33.7
Latvia.....	29.5	28.7	28.0	27.7	27.7	27.9	28.8	28.4	28.3	27.9	28.6	28.4	29.2	29.5	29.8	30.2	31.2	31.2
Lithuania.....	31.1	29.7	29.2	28.7	29.2	29.3	30.3	30.1	30.7	30.6	28.6	27.4	27.2	27.1	27.6	28.9	29.8	29.6
Luxembourg.....	38.5	39.0	38.8	39.0	38.0	39.2	37.0	37.4	38.0	39.6	38.8	38.4	39.8	39.7	38.9	38.7	39.2	40.1
Malta.....	28.3	30.0	30.8	30.8	31.3	32.7	33.1	33.9	33.2	33.6	33.1	33.2	33.4	33.6	33.5	31.8	32.4	33.2
Netherlands.....	37.3	36.0	35.6	35.3	35.3	35.5	36.3	35.8	36.1	35.4	35.8	35.7	35.8	36.3	37.2	37.0	38.5	38.8
Austria.....	43.6	45.2	44.0	43.7	43.2	42.0	41.4	41.4	42.2	41.9	41.8	41.9	42.5	43.3	43.3	43.7	42.4	42.2
Portugal.....	33.5	33.2	33.9	34.2	33.3	34.1	34.7	34.9	34.8	33.4	33.6	35.4	34.4	37.1	37.0	36.9	36.5	36.7
Slovenia.....	36.9	37.1	37.4	37.6	37.7	38.2	37.9	37.2	36.7	36.6	37.3	36.9	37.3	36.9	36.6	36.7	36.9	36.7
Slovakia.....	33.9	32.8	33.0	32.7	31.7	31.3	29.2	29.0	28.9	28.8	28.0	28.5	28.2	30.1	31.0	32.0	32.2	33.0
Finland.....	45.9	43.2	43.4	42.5	41.9	42.2	42.2	41.5	41.2	41.0	40.8	42.1	42.7	43.7	43.9	43.9	44.0	43.3
<i>Euro area.....</i>	40.8	39.9	39.5	39.5	39.2	39.4	39.8	39.9	39.5	39.3	39.2	39.7	40.7	41.3	41.3	41.1	41.1	41.3
<i>Euro area excluding Italy.</i>	40.9	39.9	39.5	39.4	39.2	39.4	39.7	39.6	39.1	38.8	38.7	39.3	40.1	40.8	40.9	40.7	40.8	41.1
Bulgaria.....	30.9	30.3	28.0	30.6	31.7	30.5	29.9	31.4	30.5	27.0	25.8	25.2	26.6	28.2	28.2	28.9	28.8	29.4
Czech Republic.....	32.6	32.5	33.4	34.2	34.6	34.1	33.8	34.3	33.0	32.1	32.5	33.6	34.1	34.7	33.7	33.9	34.6	35.2
Denmark.....	48.5	47.5	47.0	47.2	47.9	49.4	47.8	47.7	45.9	46.3	46.3	46.3	46.9	47.9	50.6	48.2	47.6	47.2
Croatia.....	....	38.7	37.6	37.1	36.4	36.3	36.9	37.1	36.8	36.4	35.9	35.2	35.9	36.3	36.6	37.2	37.7	37.7
Hungary.....	39.1	38.0	37.4	37.3	36.9	36.5	36.4	39.2	39.3	38.8	37.2	36.5	38.3	37.9	38.0	38.7	39.2	38.2
Poland.....	34.0	34.1	34.2	33.7	33.0	34.0	34.6	35.5	35.0	32.1	32.4	32.8	33.0	32.9	32.8	33.3	34.4	35.0
Romania.....	30.4	28.8	28.4	27.9	27.7	28.3	29.0	28.7	27.4	26.0	27.0	28.2	27.7	27.2	27.4	27.9	26.4	25.7
Sweden.....	49.2	47.1	45.5	45.8	46.0	47.0	46.2	45.3	44.3	44.5	43.6	42.9	42.9	43.3	43.0	43.5	44.6	44.8
United Kingdom	34.3	34.1	33.1	33.1	34.1	34.6	34.8	34.9	35.7	33.5	34.7	35.2	34.3	34.2	33.8	34.2	34.8	35.3
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	36.8	36.3	35.4	35.6	36.2	36.7	36.6	36.7	36.8	35.2	35.9	36.2	35.9	35.9	35.7	35.8	36.4	36.8
<i>EU</i>	39.7	38.9	38.4	38.5	38.4	38.6	38.9	39.0	38.8	38.3	38.3	38.8	39.4	39.9	39.7	39.5	39.8	40.1
<i>EU excluding Italy.....</i>	39.7	38.8	38.2	38.3	38.3	38.6	38.8	38.7	38.4	37.8	37.9	38.4	38.8	39.3	39.3	39.1	39.5	39.8
United States	28.5	27.6	25.3	24.8	25.1	26.5	27.2	27.2	26.2	23.4	23.9	24.3	24.5	26.0	26.4	26.6	26.4	27.4
Japan	26.7	27.8	28.3	28.1	27.2	27.1	28.1	28.9	29.5	30.9	31.2	31.2
Canada	34.7	33.5	33.2

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Direct taxes

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	13.8	14.1	13.4	12.8	12.8	12.8	13.8	14.5	14.7	14.1	14.1	13.9	14.9	15.0	14.6	14.7	14.6	14.5
Belgium	16.6	16.8	16.7	16.2	16.2	16.3	16.1	15.9	16.1	14.9	15.3	15.8	16.1	16.7	16.8	16.6	16.2	16.8
Germany	12.4	10.9	10.5	10.4	10.2	10.5	11.3	11.7	12.0	11.2	10.6	11.1	11.6	12.0	12.0	12.2	12.6	12.9
Estonia	7.7	7.2	7.5	8.1	7.9	6.9	7.0	7.4	7.7	7.4	6.6	6.3	6.6	7.2	7.4	7.8	7.5	7.2
Ireland	13.8	12.7	12.1	12.5	12.9	12.8	13.6	13.2	12.2	11.8	11.7	12.2	12.7	12.7	12.7	10.6	10.6	10.5
Greece	9.8	8.6	8.9	8.1	8.1	9.0	8.3	8.3	8.1	8.5	8.3	9.2	10.8	10.5	9.7	9.6	10.3	10.0
Spain	10.0	9.8	10.3	9.8	10.2	10.8	11.6	12.8	10.5	9.4	9.3	9.5	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.1	9.9	10.2
France	11.8	12.1	11.2	10.9	11.1	11.3	11.8	11.7	11.9	10.7	11.2	11.7	12.4	12.9	12.7	12.7	12.6	12.8
Cyprus	9.7	9.8	9.7	8.1	6.7	7.8	9.2	11.9	11.1	9.6	9.4	10.1	9.9	10.3	10.3	9.9	9.5	9.4
Latvia	7.2	7.5	7.6	7.2	7.6	7.5	7.9	8.3	9.1	7.0	7.4	7.3	7.7	7.7	7.8	7.9	8.4	8.5
Lithuania	8.4	7.8	7.4	7.9	8.7	8.9	9.5	9.1	9.2	5.9	4.6	4.3	4.8	5.0	5.0	5.4	5.6	5.4
Luxembourg	14.2	14.4	14.6	14.4	12.7	13.7	13.0	13.1	13.8	14.2	14.3	13.9	14.2	14.2	13.6	14.5	15.0	15.4
Malta	8.9	9.5	10.7	11.0	10.4	10.9	11.3	12.6	12.1	13.0	12.2	12.4	13.0	13.7	13.6	13.0	13.6	14.1
Netherlands	10.7	10.6	10.6	9.9	9.7	10.6	10.7	11.0	10.7	10.8	11.0	10.5	10.0	9.9	10.5	11.3	11.5	12.7
Austria	13.2	14.9	13.8	13.6	13.4	12.9	12.8	13.2	13.8	12.6	12.7	12.8	13.1	13.4	13.7	14.2	12.9	13.0
Portugal	9.4	9.0	8.9	8.2	8.1	8.0	8.3	9.2	9.3	8.6	8.5	9.5	9.0	11.4	11.0	10.9	10.2	10.1
Slovenia	7.2	7.3	7.6	7.8	8.0	8.5	9.0	9.0	8.7	8.1	8.0	7.8	7.5	7.0	7.2	7.5	7.5	7.5
Slovakia	7.3	7.4	6.9	7.0	6.4	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.7	5.8	5.6	5.7	5.8	6.4	6.8	7.3	7.3	7.4
Finland	20.5	18.3	18.2	17.1	17.0	16.9	16.8	17.0	16.8	15.5	15.4	15.9	15.6	16.2	16.4	16.6	16.5	16.6
<i>Euro area</i>	12.4	12.0	11.6	11.2	11.2	11.5	12.0	12.4	12.3	11.4	11.4	11.7	12.2	12.6	12.5	12.5	12.6	12.8
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	12.1	11.5	11.2	10.9	10.8	11.2	11.7	12.0	11.8	10.9	10.8	11.2	11.7	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.2	12.5
Bulgaria	6.7	7.3	6.1	5.9	5.6	4.5	4.6	7.2	5.8	5.3	4.8	4.6	4.7	5.1	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.7
Czech Republic	7.7	8.1	8.5	8.9	8.9	8.6	8.6	8.8	7.8	7.1	6.8	7.0	6.9	7.2	7.3	7.2	7.6	7.7
Denmark	29.3	28.3	28.1	28.4	29.0	30.3	28.8	28.6	27.9	28.3	28.5	28.4	29.2	30.2	33.2	30.6	30.0	30.0
Croatia .....	....	7.8	6.0	5.9	5.9	6.1	6.8	7.3	7.1	7.1	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.5	6.3	6.1	6.5	6.3
Hungary	9.6	9.9	9.9	9.3	8.8	8.7	9.1	10.0	10.3	9.6	7.8	6.3	6.8	6.6	6.8	6.9	7.4	7.4
Poland	7.1	6.4	6.6	6.3	6.3	6.8	7.3	8.3	8.4	7.2	6.7	6.7	7.0	6.7	6.8	6.9	7.1	7.3
Romania	7.2	6.3	5.7	5.9	6.4	5.3	6.0	6.5	6.4	6.0	5.8	6.1	5.8	5.9	6.2	6.6	6.4	6.1
Sweden	21.3	19.6	18.4	19.0	19.7	20.9	21.1	20.1	18.7	18.5	18.1	17.6	17.4	17.8	17.8	18.4	18.8	18.9
United Kingdom	15.0	14.9	14.1	13.9	14.5	15.2	15.4	15.5	15.2	14.7	14.8	14.7	14.0	13.9	13.5	13.7	14.0	14.2
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	15.7	15.0	14.4	14.3	14.8	15.3	15.3	15.3	14.6	14.2	14.1	14.0	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.7	14.0	14.0
<i>EU</i>	13.3	12.8	12.3	12.0	12.1	12.5	12.9	13.2	12.9	12.1	12.1	12.3	12.6	12.9	12.8	12.9	12.9	13.1
<i>EU excluding Italy</i>	13.2	12.6	12.2	11.9	12.0	12.5	12.8	13.0	12.6	11.8	12.0	12.3	12.6	12.6	12.7	12.7	13.0	
United States	14.4	13.4	11.1	10.7	10.9	12.3	13.0	13.1	12.1	9.4	10.1	11.2	11.4	12.2	12.6	12.9	12.6	12.3
Japan .....	....	....	....	....	....	9.0	9.8	10.3	9.7	8.4	8.2	8.6	8.9	9.6	10.0	9.9	9.6	....
Canada	18.8	17.4	16.1	15.8	16.2	16.5	17.0	17.1	16.3	16.2	15.3	15.4	15.5	15.7	16.5	16.3	16.0	

Indirect taxes

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	14.4	14.1	14.1	13.7	13.7	13.9	14.5	14.4	13.6	13.4	14.0	14.1	15.3	14.9	15.3	15.1	14.3	14.5
Belgium	13.0	12.5	12.6	12.6	12.7	12.8	12.8	12.7	12.5	12.5	12.8	12.7	13.1	13.1	13.0	12.9	13.0	13.0
Germany	10.7	10.6	10.5	10.7	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.7	10.7	11.2	10.8	10.9	10.9	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.5
Estonia	12.4	12.5	12.7	12.2	12.8	12.6	13.3	13.3	12.1	14.5	13.7	13.4	13.8	13.3	13.7	14.2	14.6	14.2
Ireland	13.0	12.0	11.9	12.1	12.6	13.1	13.6	13.1	12.0	10.8	10.8	10.4	10.5	10.7	10.9	8.6	8.6	8.4
Greece	13.1	12.7	12.8	12.1	11.6	11.9	12.2	12.6	12.6	11.7	12.6	13.5	13.9	14.4	15.7	16.2	17.2	17.1
Spain	11.5	11.1	11.1	11.4	11.8	12.2	12.3	11.5	9.7	8.5	10.2	10.0	10.4	11.2	11.5	11.8	11.6	11.6
France	15.4	15.0	15.0	14.9	15.1	15.3	15.1	14.9	14.7	14.9	14.7	15.1	15.3	15.5	15.7	15.8	16.0	16.2
Cyprus	11.5	11.9	12.1	14.3	14.9	15.0	15.6	17.0	16.4	14.1	14.3	13.6	13.9	13.6	14.8	14.7	14.8	15.6
Latvia	12.3	11.9	11.2	11.9	11.7	12.3	12.6	12.0	10.8	11.2	12.3	12.2	12.6	13.0	13.3	13.6	14.2	13.9
Lithuania	12.5	12.2	12.4	11.6	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.8	11.6	11.2	11.0	11.2	11.6	11.7	11.6
Luxembourg	13.2	12.8	12.3	12.4	13.2	13.4	12.6	12.9	12.3	12.4	12.2	12.3	12.8	12.9	13.1	12.0	11.9	11.9
Malta	12.0	12.5	12.3	12.2	13.3	14.1	14.3	14.1	13.8	13.3	13.7	13.5	13.1	12.9	13.1	12.4	12.4	12.6
Netherlands	11.1	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.6	11.7	11.8	11.5	11.3	11.1	11.0	10.8	10.6	10.9	11.3	11.1	11.5	11.5
Austria	14.8	14.7	14.8	14.7	14.6	14.3	13.9	13.7	13.9	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.6	14.5	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.1
Portugal	13.5	13.5	14.0	14.5	13.8	14.5	14.8	14.4	14.0	12.6	13.2	13.9	13.9	13.7	14.2	14.5	14.7	14.9
Slovenia	15.5	15.2	15.5	15.7	15.4	15.4	14.8	14.4	13.9	13.6	14.1	14.0	14.5	15.0	14.8	14.7	14.6	14.3
Slovakia	12.5	11.3	11.5	12.0	12.2	12.4	11.1	11.0	10.3	10.4	10.0	10.4	9.9	10.3	10.6	10.7	10.6	10.9
Finland	13.4	12.9	13.2	13.7	13.2	13.3	13.2	12.7	12.4	12.9	12.9	13.8	14.1	14.4	14.4	14.2	14.4	14.1
<i>Euro area</i>	12.9	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.8	12.9	12.8	12.3	12.3	12.4	12.6	12.9	13.0	13.1	13.0	12.9	12.9
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	12.6	12.3	12.3	12.4	12.4	12.5	12.5	12.4	12.0	12.0	12.1	12.3	12.4	12.6	12.7	12.6	12.7	12.7
Bulgaria	13.5	13.2	12.4	14.3	15.9	16.2	16.8	16.0	16.7	14.3	14.1	13.7	14.8	15.4	14.7	15.4	15.4	15.0
Czech Republic	10.5	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.9	10.8	10.3	10.6	10.4	10.8	11.1	11.9	12.4	12.7	11.8	12.2	12.3	12.5
Denmark	16.7	16.8	17.0	16.9	17.1	17.4	17.3	17.5	16.5	16.3	16.2	16.3	16.3	16.4	16.2	16.3	16.4	16.1
Croatia .....	....	19.7	19.7	19.4	18.8	18.5	18.5	18.2	18.0	17.2	17.6	17.2	18.1	18.6	18.5	19.1	19.3	19.5
Hungary	16.3	15.2	14.8	15.5	15.9	15.3	14.8	15.6	15.4	16.3	17.4	17.2	18.5	18.4	18.3	18.7	18.1	18.0
Poland	12.9	13.0	13.6	13.6	13.5	13.8	14.1	14.4	14.4	12.8	13.8	13.9	13.0	12.9	12.8	12.8	13.5	13.8
Romania	11.9	11.3	11.6	12.2	11.7	12.8	12.7	12.0	11.3	10.3	11.9	13.1	13.1	12.7	12.7	13.2	11.3	10.3
Sweden	22.6	22.7	23.0	22.8	22.3	22.5	22.0	22.0	22.3	22.6	22.2	21.9	22.2	22.1	21.8	21.8	22.5	22.5
United Kingdom	12.3	12.1	12.1	12.0	12.0	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.2	10.8	12.0	12.6	12.5	12.6	12.7	12.7	12.8	12.9
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	13.8	13.6	13.7	13.7	13.7	13.5	13.4	13.5	13.3	12.9	13.9	14.3	14.2	14.3	14.1	14.2	14.4	14.4
<i>EU</i>	13.1	12.9	12.9	12.9	12.9	13.0	13.0	13.0	12.6	12.4	12.8	13.0	13.3	13.3	13.4	13.3	13.3	13.4
<i>EU excluding Italy</i>	12.9	12.7	12.7	12.8	12.8	12.8	12.8	12.8	12.4	12.3	12.6	12.9	13.0	13.1	13.1	13.2	13.2	13.2
United States	6.9	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.0	7.0	6.9
Japan .....	....	....	....	....	....	7.2	7.2	7.0	7.1	7.2	7.2	7.4	7.3	7.3	8.0	8.4	8.4	....
Canada	12.4	12.4	12.6	12.6	12.3	12.1	11.8	11.6	11.1	11.9	11.8	11.6	11.6	11.5	12.0	12.2	12.2	

Social security contributions

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	11.8	11.8	12.0	12.1	12.2	12.2	11.9	12.6	13.0	13.5	13.3	13.2	13.4	13.4	13.2	13.3	13.1	13.1
Belgium	15.4	15.7	16.0	15.9	15.5	15.3	15.2	15.3	15.8	16.4	16.1	16.3	16.6	16.8	16.7	16.5	15.9	15.8
Germany	18.1	17.8	17.8	18.0	17.6	17.4	16.9	16.1	16.1	16.9	16.5	16.4	16.5	16.5	16.4	16.4	16.6	16.7
Estonia	11.0	10.7	11.1	10.7	10.4	10.3	10.1	10.5	11.6	13.1	13.0	11.8	11.4	11.2	11.1	11.3	11.4	11.4
Ireland	4.9	5.0	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.4	5.8	6.0	5.7	6.1	5.6	5.8	5.6	4.3	4.4	4.3
Greece	11.6	11.7	12.6	12.5	12.1	12.3	11.9	12.4	12.7	12.4	13.1	13.2	13.9	13.5	13.5	13.8	14.1	14.4
Spain	12.6	12.7	12.7	12.7	12.7	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.7	12.9	12.8	12.9	12.7	12.5	12.5	12.2	12.2	12.3
France	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.8	17.6	17.7	17.8	17.6	17.6	18.3	18.1	18.3	18.5	18.8	19.0	18.8	18.8	18.8
Cyprus	6.1	6.3	6.2	6.4	7.0	7.5	7.1	6.8	7.0	7.8	8.0	7.9	7.7	7.5	8.2	8.4	8.4	8.7
Latvia	10.0	9.3	9.2	8.6	8.5	8.1	8.3	8.1	8.4	9.6	8.9	8.8	8.9	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.7
Lithuania	10.2	9.7	9.4	9.2	9.4	9.2	9.4	9.4	9.9	13.1	12.1	11.5	11.2	11.1	11.4	11.9	12.5	12.6
Luxembourg	11.0	11.7	11.8	12.0	11.9	11.9	11.2	11.2	11.7	12.8	12.2	12.1	12.6	12.4	11.9	12.1	12.1	12.5
Malta	7.4	7.8	7.7	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.2	6.9	7.0	7.1	6.9	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.6	6.3	6.3	6.3
Netherlands	15.1	13.6	13.2	13.7	13.8	12.9	13.5	13.0	13.8	13.2	13.5	14.2	15.1	15.3	15.2	14.5	15.2	14.3
Austria	15.5	15.5	15.3	15.3	15.2	14.9	14.7	14.4	14.5	14.9	14.8	14.8	14.8	15.2	15.2	15.1	15.1	15.1
Portugal	10.5	10.7	11.0	11.5	11.3	11.6	11.5	11.3	11.6	12.1	11.9	12.0	11.4	12.0	11.8	11.6	11.6	11.7
Slovenia	14.2	14.4	14.2	14.1	14.2	14.2	14.0	13.7	14.0	14.9	15.2	15.0	15.3	14.9	14.6	14.7	14.8	14.8
Slovakia	14.0	14.2	14.5	13.8	13.1	12.6	11.7	11.7	11.8	12.6	12.3	12.3	12.5	13.5	13.6	14.0	14.3	14.8
Finland	11.8	11.8	11.6	11.5	11.4	11.6	11.9	11.6	11.6	12.3	12.2	12.2	12.8	12.7	12.8	12.9	12.9	12.2
<i>Euro area</i>	15.3	15.1	15.1	15.2	15.0	14.9	14.7	14.5	14.7	15.2	15.1	15.1	15.3	15.4	15.4	15.2	15.2	15.2
<i>Euro area excluding Italy</i>	16.0	15.8	15.7	15.9	15.6	15.4	15.3	14.9	15.0	15.6	15.4	15.5	15.7	15.8	15.8	15.6	15.6	15.6
Bulgaria	10.6	9.7	9.4	10.2	10.0	9.5	8.1	7.7	7.4	7.2	6.6	6.7	6.8	7.5	7.9	7.9	7.8	8.4
Czech Republic	14.4	14.3	14.8	15.0	14.8	14.8	14.9	15.0	14.9	14.2	14.6	14.7	14.8	14.8	14.6	14.4	14.7	15.1
Denmark	2.4	2.3	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9
Croatia .....	....	11.1	11.9	11.8	11.8	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.7	12.1	11.8	11.6	11.4	11.2	11.8	12.0	11.9	11.9
Hungary	13.1	12.8	12.7	12.5	12.1	12.3	12.4	13.5	13.5	12.9	11.9	13.0	13.0	12.9	12.9	13.1	13.6	12.8
Poland	14.0	14.6	14.0	13.8	13.2	13.3	13.1	12.8	12.2	12.1	11.9	12.2	13.0	13.4	13.2	13.5	13.8	13.9
Romania	11.4	11.2	11.1	9.8	9.6	10.2	10.3	10.2	9.7	9.7	9.4	9.1	8.8	8.6	8.5	8.1	8.8	9.3
Sweden	5.1	4.7	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.5	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3
United Kingdom	6.8	6.9	6.8	7.1	7.4	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.7	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.5	7.7	7.9
<i>EU excluding euro area</i>	7.2	7.5	7.2	7.4	7.5	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.9	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.6	7.8	7.9	8.1
<i>EU</i>	13.1	13.0	13.0	13.2	13.0	12.9	12.8	12.6	12.6	13.4	13.2	13.2	13.3	13.4	13.3	13.1	13.2	13.3
<i>EU excluding Italy</i>	13.3	13.2	13.1	13.3	13.2	13.0	12.9	12.6	12.9	13.4	13.2	13.2	13.3	13.4	13.3	13.0	13.2	13.3
United States	6.9	7.0	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.7	6.6	5.9	5.9	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7
Japan .....	....	....	....	....	....	10.2	10.5	10.6	11.1	11.4	11.4	12.0	12.3	12.4	12.5	12.5	12.8	....
Canada	4.5	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.8	4.6	4.5	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.8	4.8	4.5

Total expenditure

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	46.6	47.5	46.8	47.2	46.8	47.1	47.6	46.8	47.8	51.2	49.9	49.4	50.8	51.1	50.9	50.3	49.1	48.7
Belgium	49.1	49.2	49.5	50.7	48.9	51.6	48.5	48.2	50.3	54.2	53.3	54.5	55.9	55.8	55.3	53.7	53.0	52.2
Germany	44.7	46.9	47.3	47.8	46.3	46.2	44.7	42.8	43.6	47.6	47.3	44.7	44.3	44.7	44.0	43.7	43.9	43.9
Estonia	36.4	35.0	36.1	35.2	34.3	34.0	33.6	34.1	39.7	46.1	40.5	37.4	39.3	38.5	37.8	39.6	39.5	39.3
Ireland	30.9	32.5	33.2	33.0	33.2	33.3	33.8	35.9	41.8	47.0	65.0	46.5	42.0	40.3	37.4	28.9	27.5	26.3
Greece	46.4	46.0	45.8	46.6	47.6	45.6	45.1	47.1	50.8	54.1	52.5	54.1	55.7	62.3	50.2	53.5	48.9	47.3
Spain	39.2	38.5	38.6	38.3	38.7	38.3	38.3	39.0	41.2	45.8	45.6	45.8	48.1	45.6	44.8	43.7	42.2	41.0
France	51.7	51.7	52.8	53.3	53.0	53.3	52.9	52.6	53.3	57.2	56.9	56.3	57.1	57.2	57.2	56.8	56.7	56.5
Cyprus	34.4	35.3	37.0	40.5	38.5	39.3	38.7	37.6	38.4	42.1	42.0	42.3	41.9	41.9	48.8	40.6	38.0	37.5
Latvia	37.3	34.8	35.1	33.4	34.7	34.2	36.0	34.0	37.6	44.2	45.5	40.5	38.0	37.7	38.1	38.2	37.0	37.8
Lithuania	39.4	37.1	35.1	33.6	34.0	34.1	34.3	35.3	38.1	44.9	42.3	42.5	36.1	35.5	34.6	34.9	34.1	33.1
Luxembourg	37.8	38.2	41.4	43.5	43.8	43.6	39.7	37.8	39.7	45.1	44.1	42.4	44.1	43.3	42.0	42.0	41.9	43.1
Malta	40.2	41.7	41.4	45.2	42.2	42.2	42.3	41.1	42.6	41.9	41.1	41.2	42.7	42.0	41.3	40.1	37.1	36.2
Netherlands	42.2	42.9	43.6	44.5	43.5	42.2	43.0	42.3	43.1	47.6	47.9	46.8	46.8	46.5	45.7	44.6	43.6	42.5
Austria	51.0	51.4	51.1	51.3	53.7	51.2	50.4	49.2	49.9	54.1	52.8	50.9	51.2	51.6	52.4	51.1	50.3	49.2
Portugal	42.6	44.1	43.7	45.3	46.1	46.7	45.2	44.5	45.3	50.2	51.8	50.0	48.5	49.9	51.8	48.2	44.8	45.7
Slovenia	46.1	47.0	45.8	45.8	45.3	44.9	44.2	42.2	43.9	48.2	49.3	50.0	48.5	59.5	49.9	47.7	45.3	43.2
Slovakia	52.0	44.4	45.1	39.9	37.8	39.8	38.8	36.3	36.9	44.1	42.1	40.8	40.6	41.4	42.0	45.1	41.5	40.2
Finland	48.0	47.3	48.5	49.4	49.3	49.3	48.3	46.8	48.3	54.8	54.8	54.4	56.2	57.5	58.1	57.1	55.9	54.0
<i>Euro area</i>	46.0	46.8	47.0	47.4	46.8	46.7	46.1	45.4	46.6	50.7	50.6	49.2	49.7	49.8	49.1	48.3	47.5	47.0
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	45.9	46.6	47.1	47.5	46.8	46.7	45.8	45.1	46.3	50.6	50.7	49.2	49.5	49.6	48.8	47.9	47.3	46.7
Bulgaria	41.1	40.9	39.4	38.9	38.1	37.0	33.9	37.7	37.1	39.4	36.2	33.8	34.5	37.7	43.1	40.5	35.1	35.1
Czech Republic	41.0	43.2	44.8	49.3	42.6	42.3	41.4	40.4	40.6	44.2	43.5	43.0	44.5	42.6	42.4	41.7	39.5	39.0
Denmark	52.7	52.8	53.2	53.6	53.0	51.2	49.8	49.6	50.4	56.5	56.7	56.4	58.0	55.8	55.2	54.8	53.6	51.9
Croatia .....	....	45.9	50.5	49.9	48.8	46.8	46.5	45.5	45.3	48.3	48.0	48.5	47.8	47.6	48.1	48.3	46.9	45.0
Hungary	47.1	47.1	50.8	49.0	48.7	49.3	51.4	49.9	48.7	50.4	49.3	49.5	48.5	49.4	49.5	50.1	46.8	46.9
Poland	42.1	45.0	45.4	45.8	43.6	44.4	44.7	43.2	44.3	45.0	45.8	43.9	42.9	42.6	42.4	41.7	41.1	41.1
Romania	38.3	36.0	34.8	33.1	33.3	33.1	35.2	37.2	37.8	39.7	40.0	39.5	37.3	35.5	35.4	36.2	34.9	33.6
Sweden	53.3	52.7	53.9	54.0	52.4	52.3	51.0	49.3	50.0	52.7	50.8	50.3	51.3	52.0	51.1	49.6	49.7	49.3
United Kingdom	35.4	36.5	37.6	38.8	40.0	41.3	40.8	40.9	44.4	47.3	47.6	45.9	45.7	43.9	43.0	42.2	41.4	40.9
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	39.5	40.5	41.5	42.6	42.7	43.4	42.9	42.6	45.0	47.9	47.8	46.6	46.5	45.3	44.6	43.7	42.9	42.4
<i>EU</i>	44.2	45.1	45.5	46.2	45.8	45.8	45.2	44.6	46.2	50.0	49.9	48.5	48.9	48.6	47.9	46.9	46.3	45.8
<i>EU excluding Italy ..</i>	43.9	44.7	45.3	46.0	45.6	45.6	44.9	44.3	45.9	49.8	49.9	48.4	48.6	48.3	47.5	46.5	45.9	45.4
United States	34.3	35.6	36.7	37.3	36.9	37.0	36.7	37.4	39.8	43.3	43.2	42.0	40.2	39.0	38.3	37.9	38.2	38.0
Japan .....	....	....	....	....	....	35.5	35.0	35.0	36.1	40.7	39.7	40.6	40.6	40.8	40.2	39.3	39.1	....
Canada	41.4	42.0	41.3	41.2	40.1	39.5	39.6	39.4	39.7	44.4	44.0	42.5	41.8	41.0	39.3	40.7	41.5	41.1

Total expenditure, excluding interest payments

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	40.5	41.4	41.3	42.3	42.2	42.6	43.2	42.0	42.9	46.7	45.6	44.7	45.6	46.2	46.3	46.1	45.1	44.9
Belgium	42.4	42.7	43.7	45.3	44.1	47.3	44.4	44.3	46.3	50.3	49.7	50.9	52.3	52.5	52.0	50.7	50.2	49.7
Germany	41.6	43.9	44.3	44.9	43.5	43.5	42.0	40.2	40.9	44.9	44.8	42.2	42.0	42.7	42.4	42.3	42.7	42.9
Estonia	36.1	34.8	35.8	34.9	34.1	33.8	33.4	33.9	39.5	45.9	40.4	37.3	39.2	38.3	37.7	39.5	39.4	39.2
Ireland	28.9	31.1	31.9	31.8	32.1	32.3	32.8	34.9	40.5	45.0	62.2	43.2	37.8	36.0	33.5	26.3	25.2	24.3
Greece	39.6	39.7	40.2	41.7	42.8	40.9	40.7	42.6	46.0	49.0	46.6	46.8	50.6	58.3	46.3	50.0	45.7	44.2
Spain	36.0	35.5	36.0	36.0	36.7	36.6	36.7	37.5	39.6	44.1	43.8	43.4	45.1	42.1	41.4	40.6	39.4	38.4
France	48.7	48.7	49.8	50.4	50.2	50.6	50.3	49.9	50.4	54.6	54.4	53.6	54.5	54.9	55.1	54.8	54.8	54.6
Cyprus	31.3	32.1	34.0	37.3	35.6	36.1	35.7	34.8	35.8	39.8	40.1	40.2	38.8	38.4	45.6	37.5	35.2	34.9
Latvia	36.3	33.9	34.4	32.7	34.0	33.7	35.6	33.6	37.1	42.7	43.8	38.7	36.3	36.2	36.7	36.9	36.0	36.8
Lithuania	37.7	35.6	33.8	32.3	33.1	33.3	33.6	34.6	37.4	43.7	40.5	40.6	34.1	33.7	33.0	33.4	32.8	32.0
Luxembourg	37.4	37.9	41.0	43.2	43.6	43.4	39.4	37.5	39.3	44.7	43.7	41.9	43.5	42.8	41.5	41.6	41.6	42.7
Malta	36.2	38.0	37.5	41.6	38.5	38.5	38.6	37.7	39.3	38.6	38.0	38.0	39.7	39.1	38.5	37.7	34.9	34.3
Netherlands	38.9	40.0	41.0	42.2	41.1	40.1	41.0	40.4	41.1	45.5	46.1	45.0	45.1	45.0	44.3	43.3	42.4	41.5
Austria	47.5	47.8	47.6	48.1	50.7	47.9	47.2	46.1	46.9	51.0	49.9	48.1	48.5	49.0	50.0	48.8	48.2	47.3
Portugal	39.6	41.1	40.9	42.7	43.5	44.1	42.5	41.5	42.2	47.2	48.9	45.7	43.6	45.1	46.9	43.6	40.6	41.8
Slovenia	43.8	44.6	43.7	43.9	43.7	43.4	42.8	40.9	42.8	46.9	47.6	48.1	46.5	57.0	46.6	44.5	42.3	40.7
Slovakia	48.0	40.5	41.6	37.4	35.7	38.1	37.3	34.9	35.6	42.7	40.8	39.3	38.9	39.6	40.1	43.3	39.8	38.8
Finland	45.3	44.8	46.5	47.6	47.6	47.7	46.8	45.4	46.9	53.4	53.4	53.0	54.8	56.2	56.9	56.0	54.8	53.0
<i>Euro area</i>	42.2	43.1	43.6	44.2	43.8	43.8	43.3	42.5	43.6	47.9	47.8	46.2	46.7	47.0	46.5	45.9	45.4	45.1
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	42.6	43.4	44.0	44.6	44.1	44.1	43.3	42.6	43.8	48.1	48.2	46.5	46.9	47.2	46.6	45.9	45.5	45.1
Bulgaria	37.0	36.7	37.2	36.7	36.3	35.5	32.6	36.6	36.3	38.7	35.5	33.1	33.7	37.0	42.3	39.5	34.2	34.3
Czech Republic	40.2	42.3	43.7	48.3	41.5	41.2	40.3	39.3	39.6	43.0	42.2	41.7	43.1	41.3	41.1	40.6	38.6	38.2
Denmark	49.0	49.5	50.1	50.9	50.5	49.2	48.0	48.0	49.0	54.6	54.8	54.5	56.1	54.2	53.7	53.2	52.2	50.8
Croatia .....	....	44.1	48.7	48.1	46.9	44.9	44.6	43.6	43.3	46.0	45.5	45.8	44.6	44.5	44.6	44.8	43.9	42.3
Hungary	41.8	42.5	46.8	45.0	44.4	45.3	47.6	45.8	44.6	46.0	45.2	45.4	44.0	44.8	45.4	46.5	43.6	44.1
Poland	39.1	41.9	42.5	42.8	40.9	41.9	42.3	41.0	42.2	42.6	43.3	41.3	40.2	40.1	40.4	39.9	39.4	39.5
Romania	34.4	32.6	32.4	31.6	31.8	31.9	34.4	36.5	37.1	38.3	38.5	37.9	35.6	33.7	33.8	34.6	33.4	32.3
Sweden	50.0	50.1	51.0	51.9	50.7	50.6	49.4	47.6	48.4	51.5	49.7	49.1	50.4	51.1	50.4	49.2	49.3	49.0
United Kingdom	33.0	34.4	35.8	37.0	38.2	39.3	38.8	38.8	42.2	45.5	44.7	42.8	42.9	41.1	40.4	39.9	39.0	38.2
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	36.8	38.1	39.4	40.6	40.8	41.4	40.9	40.6	43.0	46.0	45.4	44.0	44.1	42.9	42.4	41.8	40.9	40.4
<i>EU</i>	40.7	41.7	42.4	43.2	43.0	43.2	42.6	42.0	43.5	47.4	47.2	45.6	46.0	45.9	45.4	44.7	44.2	43.8
<i>EU excluding Italy</i>	40.8	41.8	42.6	43.4	43.1	43.2	42.6	42.0	43.6	47.5	47.4	45.8	46.1	45.9	45.3	44.5	44.0	43.6
United States	29.9	31.4	32.7	33.2	33.0	33.0	32.7	33.4	35.9	39.0	38.9	37.7	36.0	35.0	34.4	34.2	34.3	34.1
Japan .....	....	....	....	....	....	33.8	33.3	33.1	34.1	38.7	37.8	38.6	38.6	38.8	38.3	37.5	37.3	....
Canada	34.4	35.5	35.7	36.0	35.3	35.1	35.4	35.5	36.0	40.7	38.9	38.4	37.7	36.1	37.6	38.5	38.3	

Current expenditure

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	42.4	42.9	42.6	42.5	42.3	42.5	42.2	42.3	43.5	46.0	45.7	45.4	46.8	47.4	47.2	46.1	45.7	44.9
Belgium	45.4	46.0	46.5	47.1	45.9	46.0	45.4	45.0	46.8	50.3	49.5	49.9	50.8	51.4	51.1	50.2	49.8	49.0
Germany	43.3	43.0	43.4	44.0	42.8	42.7	41.4	39.7	40.0	43.8	42.7	41.2	41.0	41.5	40.8	40.7	40.6	40.4
Estonia	31.6	30.1	29.8	29.6	29.9	29.1	28.1	27.6	32.3	38.4	36.1	33.0	32.2	32.3	32.0	33.7	34.3	33.3
Ireland	26.4	27.3	28.1	28.5	28.7	29.0	29.4	30.3	34.8	39.7	39.6	39.2	39.1	37.7	34.6	25.8	25.0	23.9
Greece	38.8	39.1	38.6	38.6	39.6	40.2	39.9	41.4	43.6	47.5	47.4	50.0	48.7	45.3	45.5	45.2	45.1	43.8
Spain	34.0	33.2	33.1	32.9	32.9	32.8	32.7	33.1	35.2	39.4	39.9	40.8	41.1	42.2	41.8	40.5	39.5	38.4
France	46.8	46.9	48.0	48.4	48.1	48.2	47.9	47.5	48.1	51.5	51.5	51.1	51.7	52.0	52.3	52.1	52.2	51.6
Cyprus	30.5	31.5	32.7	35.9	34.1	35.2	34.5	33.6	34.3	36.7	36.3	37.5	38.3	38.1	36.7	36.6	34.9	34.3
Latvia	33.0	30.8	31.2	30.2	30.1	29.9	29.6	27.5	32.5	38.8	38.6	33.6	32.8	32.9	33.5	33.3	33.1	32.7
Lithuania	34.8	33.0	31.2	30.1	29.9	30.2	29.7	29.0	32.2	40.0	37.0	33.6	32.1	30.8	29.9	30.5	30.6	29.5
Luxembourg	33.0	34.4	35.5	37.1	37.5	37.2	34.6	33.0	34.9	39.3	38.0	37.1	38.9	38.8	37.4	37.4	36.9	38.0
Malta	35.8	37.5	37.1	37.1	38.4	37.6	37.7	37.2	39.6	38.8	37.7	37.8	38.4	37.8	36.7	34.6	33.8	33.1
Netherlands	37.9	38.1	38.7	39.5	39.2	38.3	38.9	38.3	38.8	42.1	42.7	42.2	42.3	42.1	41.8	40.7	39.6	38.8
Austria	46.8	47.1	46.9	47.4	46.3	46.9	46.1	44.8	45.4	48.5	48.3	46.7	46.8	47.2	47.0	46.9	46.5	45.3
Portugal	37.6	38.1	38.8	40.2	40.6	41.7	41.2	40.8	41.5	45.3	44.6	45.6	45.3	46.8	45.6	43.9	42.9	41.3
Slovenia	40.9	41.7	41.1	40.8	40.3	40.4	39.4	36.8	38.2	42.4	43.9	44.2	43.9	43.9	42.4	41.7	41.7	39.4
Slovakia	39.1	38.2	37.8	36.2	34.3	34.8	34.3	32.6	32.8	38.3	37.6	36.3	36.7	37.5	37.8	38.0	37.6	36.7
Finland	44.1	43.5	44.5	45.3	45.1	45.3	44.8	43.1	44.3	50.4	50.7	50.2	51.9	53.1	53.6	52.9	51.6	49.8
<i>Euro area</i>	42.3	42.2	42.6	42.8	42.3	42.2	41.6	41.0	42.0	45.6	45.3	44.8	45.2	45.6	45.2	44.4	44.0	43.3
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	42.3	42.1	42.5	42.9	42.3	42.2	41.5	40.7	41.7	45.5	45.2	44.7	44.9	45.2	44.9	44.0	43.7	43.0
Bulgaria	36.7	36.7	35.1	35.1	34.2	32.9	29.8	29.6	31.4	34.2	31.3	30.1	30.5	33.3	34.3	33.5	31.3	31.9
Czech Republic	34.1	34.1	35.6	36.6	35.1	34.5	34.4	34.1	34.0	37.3	37.5	37.4	37.4	38.0	37.0	35.7	35.5	34.9
Denmark	49.6	50.0	50.3	50.9	50.1	48.6	47.0	46.5	46.8	53.1	53.0	52.3	52.5	52.0	50.8	50.5	49.5	48.3
Croatia .....	....	39.5	42.4	40.4	39.7	39.3	39.3	38.0	38.0	41.1	41.8	42.1	42.5	42.8	42.9	43.4	41.9	41.0
Hungary	40.8	40.3	41.7	43.1	43.4	43.8	44.5	43.7	44.1	45.8	44.2	43.3	43.2	43.4	42.1	40.6	41.2	40.1
Poland	39.8	41.7	42.1	41.9	40.3	40.0	39.7	38.1	38.7	39.1	39.5	37.5	37.7	38.1	37.3	36.7	37.3	36.7
Romania	33.9	32.0	30.2	28.3	28.0	28.8	28.4	29.5	30.2	33.6	33.4	31.6	30.9	29.8	29.7	29.7	29.7	30.4
Sweden	49.3	48.4	49.3	49.6	48.2	48.0	46.8	45.1	45.7	48.1	46.2	45.6	46.5	47.3	46.5	45.1	45.1	44.6
United Kingdom	33.2	33.9	34.8	35.8	36.9	37.4	37.5	37.6	38.8	42.2	43.3	42.2	41.7	40.7	39.5	38.7	38.1	37.5
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	36.7	37.2	38.1	38.9	39.2	39.3	39.0	38.6	39.5	42.7	43.1	42.0	41.9	41.4	40.4	39.5	39.2	38.6
<i>EU</i>	40.8	40.9	41.3	41.8	41.5	41.4	40.9	40.3	41.3	44.9	44.7	44.1	44.3	44.5	43.9	43.0	42.7	42.0
<i>EU excluding Italy ..</i>	40.6	40.6	41.1	41.7	41.3	41.3	40.7	40.1	41.0	44.7	44.6	43.9	44.0	44.1	43.5	42.6	42.3	41.6
United States	30.6	31.8	32.7	33.2	32.8	32.9	32.8	33.3	35.2	38.1	38.6	37.8	36.4	35.5	35.0	34.8	35.0	34.6
Japan .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Canada .....	....	38.8	37.9	37.8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

Current expenditure, excluding interest payments

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	36.3	36.8	37.2	37.5	37.7	38.0	37.7	37.5	38.5	41.5	41.4	40.7	41.6	42.6	42.6	42.0	41.7	41.1
Belgium	38.7	39.4	40.7	41.7	41.1	41.6	41.3	41.0	42.9	46.5	45.9	46.3	47.2	48.1	47.9	47.2	46.9	46.5
Germany	40.2	40.0	40.5	41.1	40.0	40.0	38.7	37.0	37.3	41.2	40.2	38.7	38.7	39.5	39.2	39.3	39.5	39.4
Estonia	31.3	29.9	29.6	29.4	29.7	29.0	27.9	27.4	32.1	38.2	36.0	32.9	32.0	32.2	31.9	33.6	34.3	33.3
Ireland	24.5	25.8	26.8	27.3	27.7	28.0	28.4	29.3	33.5	37.7	36.8	35.9	35.0	33.4	30.7	23.2	22.8	21.9
Greece	31.9	32.8	33.0	33.7	34.8	35.5	35.5	36.9	38.8	42.5	41.6	42.7	43.6	41.3	41.6	41.7	41.9	40.7
Spain	30.9	30.3	30.5	30.6	30.9	31.1	31.1	31.5	33.6	37.7	38.0	38.3	38.2	38.7	38.3	37.4	36.7	35.8
France	43.9	43.9	45.0	45.6	45.3	45.5	45.3	44.8	45.2	49.0	49.0	48.4	49.1	49.7	50.2	50.1	50.3	49.8
Cyprus	27.4	28.3	29.8	32.7	31.1	32.1	31.6	30.7	31.7	34.4	34.3	35.3	35.1	34.7	33.6	33.4	32.1	31.7
Latvia	32.0	29.9	30.4	29.5	29.4	29.3	29.2	27.1	32.0	37.3	36.9	31.8	31.2	31.4	32.0	31.9	32.1	31.8
Lithuania	33.1	31.5	29.9	28.9	29.0	29.4	29.0	28.3	31.6	38.8	35.1	31.7	30.1	29.0	28.3	29.0	29.2	28.4
Luxembourg	32.7	34.0	35.2	36.8	37.3	36.9	34.4	32.7	34.5	38.9	37.6	36.6	38.4	38.2	37.0	37.0	36.6	37.6
Malta	31.8	33.8	33.2	33.5	34.7	33.8	34.0	33.7	36.3	35.6	34.6	34.7	35.4	35.0	34.0	32.2	31.7	31.2
Netherlands	34.6	35.3	36.1	37.1	36.8	36.1	36.9	36.4	36.7	40.1	40.9	40.4	40.6	40.6	40.4	39.4	38.5	37.8
Austria	43.2	43.5	43.5	44.2	43.3	43.7	43.0	41.6	42.4	45.4	45.4	43.9	44.1	44.6	44.6	44.5	44.4	43.4
Portugal	34.5	35.1	35.9	37.5	38.1	39.2	38.5	37.9	38.4	42.4	41.7	41.3	40.4	41.9	40.7	39.4	38.7	37.4
Slovenia	38.6	39.4	38.9	38.9	38.7	38.8	38.0	35.6	37.1	41.1	42.3	42.3	41.9	41.3	39.1	38.5	38.7	36.9
Slovakia	35.1	34.3	34.3	33.7	32.2	33.1	32.9	31.2	31.5	36.9	36.3	34.8	34.9	35.6	35.9	36.3	35.9	35.3
Finland	41.4	40.9	42.4	43.5	43.4	43.7	43.3	41.7	42.9	49.0	49.4	48.8	50.4	51.8	52.4	51.7	50.6	48.8
<i>Euro area</i>	38.5	38.5	39.1	39.6	39.2	39.3	38.8	38.1	39.0	42.8	42.5	41.8	42.2	42.8	42.6	42.0	41.8	41.3
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	39.0	38.9	39.5	40.1	39.6	39.6	39.0	38.3	39.1	43.0	42.7	42.0	42.3	42.8	42.6	42.0	41.9	41.3
Bulgaria	32.6	32.5	32.9	32.9	32.4	31.4	28.5	28.5	30.6	33.5	30.6	29.4	29.7	32.6	33.4	32.6	30.4	31.1
Czech Republic	33.3	33.2	34.5	35.5	34.0	33.4	33.4	33.0	33.0	36.1	36.1	36.1	36.0	36.6	35.7	34.6	34.6	34.1
Denmark	45.8	46.7	47.2	48.1	47.6	46.6	45.2	44.9	45.4	51.2	51.1	50.3	50.6	50.3	49.4	48.9	48.2	47.2
Croatia .....	....	37.7	40.7	38.6	37.8	37.4	37.4	36.2	36.0	38.8	39.3	39.4	39.4	39.6	39.5	39.9	38.9	38.3
Hungary	35.6	35.7	37.7	39.1	39.1	39.7	40.6	39.7	40.1	41.3	40.1	39.2	38.6	38.9	38.1	37.1	38.0	37.3
Poland	36.8	38.6	39.2	39.0	37.6	37.5	37.4	35.9	36.6	36.6	37.1	34.9	35.0	35.6	35.3	35.0	35.6	35.1
Romania	30.0	28.6	27.7	26.7	26.5	27.6	27.6	28.9	29.6	32.1	31.9	30.0	29.2	28.0	28.1	28.1	28.2	29.0
Sweden	45.9	45.8	46.4	47.5	46.5	46.2	45.2	43.4	44.1	47.0	45.1	44.4	45.6	46.5	45.8	44.6	44.7	44.3
United Kingdom	30.7	31.7	33.0	34.0	35.1	35.4	35.5	35.5	36.6	40.4	40.4	39.0	38.8	37.8	36.9	36.4	35.7	34.8
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	34.0	34.8	35.9	36.8	37.2	37.3	37.1	36.6	37.6	40.9	40.7	39.4	39.5	39.1	38.2	37.5	37.2	36.6
<i>EU</i>	37.3	37.5	38.2	38.9	38.7	38.8	38.3	37.7	38.6	42.3	42.1	41.2	41.4	41.8	41.4	40.7	40.6	40.0
<i>EU excluding Italy ..</i>	37.4	37.6	38.4	39.1	38.8	38.9	38.4	37.7	38.7	42.4	42.1	41.3	41.4	41.7	41.2	40.6	40.4	39.9
United States	26.2	27.6	28.7	29.2	29.0	28.9	28.8	29.2	31.3	33.8	34.4	33.4	32.1	31.5	31.1	31.0	31.1	30.8
Japan .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Canada .....	....	32.4	32.2	32.5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

Interest payments

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	6.1	6.1	5.5	5.0	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.8	4.9	4.4	4.3	4.7	5.2	4.8	4.6	4.1	3.9	3.8
Belgium	6.7	6.5	5.8	5.4	4.8	4.4	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.8	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.3	3.3	3.0	2.8	2.5
Germany	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.0	1.6	1.4	1.2	1.0
Estonia	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0
Ireland	1.9	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.3	2.0	2.8	3.4	4.2	4.3	3.9	2.6	2.3	2.0
Greece	6.9	6.3	5.6	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.5	4.8	5.0	5.9	7.3	5.1	4.0	3.9	3.5	3.2	3.1
Spain	3.2	3.0	2.6	2.3	2.0	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.9	2.5	3.0	3.5	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.6
France	2.9	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.9
Cyprus	3.2	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.0	2.1	3.1	3.4	3.2	3.2	2.8	2.6
Latvia	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.6	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.0	0.9
Lithuania	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.2	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	1.2	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.1
Luxembourg	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
Malta	4.1	3.7	3.9	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.4	2.1	1.8
Netherlands	3.3	2.9	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.0
Austria	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.1	1.8
Portugal	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.9	3.1	3.0	2.9	4.3	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.6	4.2	3.8
Slovenia	2.4	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.6	1.9	2.0	2.6	3.2	3.2	3.0	2.5
Slovakia	4.0	3.9	3.5	2.5	2.1	1.7	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.6	1.4
Finland	2.7	2.6	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0
<i>Euro area</i>	3.8	3.7	3.4	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.0
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.8	1.6
Bulgaria	4.1	4.2	2.2	2.2	1.9	1.6	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8
Czech Republic	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.1	0.9	0.7
Denmark	3.7	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.1	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.1
Croatia .....	....	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.4	2.7	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.5	3.1	2.7
Hungary	5.3	4.7	4.0	4.0	4.3	4.1	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.5	4.1	4.1	4.6	4.5	4.0	3.5	3.2	2.8
Poland	3.0	3.1	2.9	3.0	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.5	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.6
Romania	3.9	3.4	2.5	1.6	1.4	1.2	0.8	0.7	0.7	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.3
Sweden	3.3	2.6	2.9	2.1	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.2	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.4
United Kingdom	2.4	2.1	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.2	1.8	2.9	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.3	2.4	2.7
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	2.7	2.4	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.0
<i>EU</i>	3.5	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.2	2.1	2.0
<i>EU excluding Italy</i>	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.8
United States	4.4	4.2	4.0	4.0	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.1	3.9	4.2	4.2	4.4	4.3	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.9	3.9
Japan .....	....	....	....	....	....	1.7	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	....
Canada	7.0	6.4	5.7	5.3	4.8	4.4	4.2	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.4	3.3	3.1	3.1	2.9	2.8

Final consumption expenditure

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	17.9	18.4	18.6	19.0	19.2	19.6	19.4	18.9	19.4	20.6	20.4	19.6	19.6	19.7	19.3	18.9	18.7	18.5
Belgium	20.9	21.3	21.9	22.4	22.0	22.1	21.9	21.6	22.6	24.0	23.6	23.8	24.3	24.5	24.3	23.9	23.4	23.3
Germany	18.7	18.6	18.8	19.0	18.5	18.4	18.0	17.5	17.9	19.6	19.1	18.7	18.8	19.2	19.2	19.3	19.5	19.5
Estonia	19.1	18.3	17.9	17.7	17.3	16.8	15.8	16.0	18.6	21.1	20.1	18.6	18.4	18.8	19.1	20.0	20.3	19.9
Ireland	14.7	15.4	15.8	16.0	16.1	16.0	16.2	16.9	18.8	20.1	18.8	18.3	17.7	16.9	16.0	12.3	12.3	12.1
Greece	18.3	18.7	19.2	19.0	19.2	20.0	20.2	20.5	20.7	23.3	22.2	21.8	21.9	20.5	20.3	20.3	20.2	19.9
Spain	16.7	16.6	16.6	16.8	17.2	17.3	17.4	17.7	18.8	20.5	20.5	20.5	19.7	19.7	19.5	19.3	18.9	18.5
France	22.3	22.1	22.7	23.1	23.0	23.1	22.8	22.4	22.6	24.1	24.0	23.7	24.0	24.1	24.1	23.8	23.8	23.6
Cyprus	15.1	15.9	16.6	17.9	16.6	16.5	16.9	16.4	17.1	18.8	18.4	19.0	18.6	18.1	16.4	16.1	15.3	15.2
Latvia	20.7	20.5	20.5	21.0	19.8	17.8	17.2	17.6	19.8	19.0	18.4	18.2	17.4	17.6	17.5	17.9	18.0	17.9
Lithuania	22.4	21.1	20.6	19.6	19.2	18.5	19.1	17.4	18.7	21.2	19.8	18.3	17.5	16.7	16.6	17.2	17.0	16.4
Luxembourg	14.9	15.8	16.2	16.8	17.0	17.1	15.8	15.2	15.7	17.5	17.0	16.6	17.3	17.3	16.7	16.8	16.7	17.1
Malta	17.7	19.0	18.8	18.9	19.1	18.1	18.6	17.9	19.7	19.8	19.5	19.7	20.2	19.4	18.9	17.7	16.4	15.7
Netherlands	20.6	21.0	22.1	22.9	22.5	22.3	23.2	23.2	23.5	26.0	26.2	25.8	26.0	25.8	25.7	25.0	24.7	24.2
Austria	19.2	19.0	18.8	19.0	18.9	19.3	19.3	18.7	19.3	20.7	20.5	19.9	19.9	19.9	19.8	19.8	19.7	19.6
Portugal	19.0	19.4	19.7	20.2	20.5	21.1	20.5	19.8	19.9	21.4	20.7	19.9	18.5	19.1	18.6	18.1	17.9	17.5
Slovenia	18.5	18.9	18.7	18.8	18.7	18.7	18.4	17.3	18.0	20.1	20.3	20.4	20.2	19.5	18.6	18.5	18.8	18.2
Slovakia	19.4	19.9	19.6	19.9	18.5	18.3	18.8	17.2	17.6	20.2	19.6	18.8	18.2	18.4	18.9	19.3	19.4	19.5
Finland	19.8	20.0	20.7	21.2	21.3	21.5	21.4	20.9	21.7	24.2	23.9	23.6	24.4	24.7	24.7	24.4	23.9	22.9
<i>Euro area</i>	19.3	19.4	19.7	20.0	19.9	20.0	19.8	19.5	20.0	21.7	21.4	21.0	21.0	21.1	21.0	20.6	20.5	20.3
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	19.6	19.6	20.0	20.2	20.0	20.0	19.9	19.6	20.1	21.9	21.6	21.3	21.3	21.4	21.3	20.9	20.9	20.7
Bulgaria	20.0	19.6	19.4	20.3	19.5	18.3	18.3	16.7	17.1	16.7	16.5	15.8	15.8	17.0	16.8	16.1	15.7	15.6
Czech Republic	19.9	19.8	21.3	22.3	21.0	20.7	20.2	19.4	19.4	21.0	20.8	20.2	19.8	20.2	19.7	19.2	19.3	19.2
Denmark	23.9	24.3	24.9	25.0	24.9	24.5	24.2	24.3	25.1	27.9	27.4	26.6	26.5	26.0	25.8	25.6	25.4	25.0
Croatia .....	....	19.2	18.9	18.4	18.5	18.3	18.3	18.9	18.5	20.3	20.2	20.2	20.3	20.2	20.6	19.9	19.4	19.4
Hungary	21.0	20.9	21.7	22.9	22.0	22.1	22.0	20.8	21.3	22.0	21.5	20.7	20.0	19.7	20.0	19.8	20.2	20.2
Poland	18.1	18.7	18.6	18.9	18.3	18.3	18.5	18.1	18.6	18.7	19.1	18.1	17.9	18.1	18.2	18.0	17.9	17.7
Romania	16.8	15.7	14.8	15.5	14.5	16.0	15.7	15.3	15.9	16.2	15.5	14.3	14.5	14.2	14.4	13.9	15.1	15.6
Sweden	24.5	24.7	25.4	25.7	25.0	24.8	24.5	24.0	24.6	26.1	25.2	25.2	25.9	26.3	26.2	25.9	26.3	26.1
United Kingdom	16.5	17.1	17.9	18.5	19.2	19.4	19.5	19.2	20.0	21.5	21.2	20.6	20.4	19.7	19.4	19.0	18.7	18.2
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	18.2	18.7	19.3	20.0	20.2	20.2	20.2	19.8	20.5	21.9	21.6	20.9	20.9	20.5	20.3	19.9	19.8	19.5
<i>EU</i>	19.0	19.2	19.6	20.0	19.9	20.0	19.9	19.6	20.1	21.7	21.4	21.0	21.0	21.0	20.8	20.4	20.3	20.1
<i>EU excluding Italy ..</i>	19.1	19.3	19.8	20.1	20.1	20.1	20.0	19.7	20.2	21.9	21.6	21.2	21.1	21.1	21.0	20.6	20.5	20.3
United States	14.0	14.5	15.0	15.2	15.2	15.1	15.0	15.2	16.0	16.8	16.7	16.2	15.5	15.1	14.6	14.3	14.2	14.0
Japan .....	....	....	....	....	....	18.1	18.0	17.9	18.4	19.6	19.5	20.2	20.3	20.2	20.2	19.8	19.8	....
Canada	19.2	19.6	19.8	20.0	19.5	19.1	19.3	19.3	19.8	22.0	21.5	21.2	21.1	21.0	20.3	20.9	21.1	20.8

Compensation of employees

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	10.1	10.1	10.2	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.2	10.4	10.9	10.8	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.1	9.8	9.7	9.5
Belgium	11.1	11.3	11.7	11.9	11.6	11.7	11.6	11.5	11.8	12.5	12.3	12.3	12.6	12.8	12.7	12.4	12.3	12.3
Germany	8.2	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.0	7.9	7.7	7.3	7.4	8.0	7.9	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.5
Estonia	10.8	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	9.8	9.2	9.4	11.1	12.6	11.6	10.7	10.3	10.6	10.8	11.3	11.5	11.3
Ireland	8.2	8.6	8.8	9.2	9.3	9.7	9.8	10.1	11.3	12.2	11.5	11.3	10.8	10.3	9.4	7.2	7.1	7.0
Greece	10.5	10.4	10.9	10.6	11.3	11.4	11.0	11.1	11.6	13.1	12.4	12.6	12.8	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.1	11.9
Spain	10.1	9.9	9.7	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.9	10.6	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.0	11.2	11.1	11.0	10.9	10.5
France	12.9	12.9	13.0	13.1	12.9	12.8	12.6	12.4	12.4	13.1	13.0	12.8	12.9	12.9	13.0	12.8	12.7	12.7
Cyprus	12.5	12.2	12.6	14.1	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.2	13.2	14.6	14.3	14.6	14.6	14.3	13.3	12.8	12.2	12.0
Latvia	10.7	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	9.5	9.3	9.9	11.4	12.0	10.3	9.6	9.2	9.4	9.6	9.9	10.2	10.2
Lithuania	12.0	11.6	11.3	10.7	10.8	10.3	10.4	9.8	10.6	12.7	10.9	10.2	9.7	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.8	9.5
Luxembourg	8.4	8.8	8.9	9.1	9.1	9.0	8.4	8.1	8.3	9.2	8.9	8.8	9.1	9.0	8.7	8.8	8.7	9.0
Malta	12.7	14.3	13.9	13.8	13.7	13.1	12.8	12.4	13.8	13.7	13.0	12.9	12.9	12.8	12.4	11.7	11.6	11.4
Netherlands	8.5	8.5	8.8	9.0	8.9	8.7	8.4	8.2	8.3	9.1	9.1	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.7	8.5	8.5	8.3
Austria	11.2	11.0	10.9	10.9	10.8	11.0	10.8	10.5	10.6	11.3	11.2	10.8	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.6
Portugal	13.7	13.9	14.1	14.3	14.3	14.5	13.8	13.1	13.1	14.0	13.7	12.8	11.7	12.5	11.9	11.3	11.2	10.9
Slovenia	11.1	11.5	11.3	11.5	11.3	11.3	11.0	10.4	10.8	12.2	12.6	12.7	12.6	11.9	11.3	11.1	11.4	11.2
Slovakia	8.7	8.8	9.0	8.7	7.9	7.9	7.8	7.3	7.5	8.6	8.5	8.3	8.2	8.6	8.8	8.9	9.1	9.2
Finland	12.8	12.6	12.9	13.2	13.2	13.3	13.1	12.6	12.9	14.3	14.1	13.9	14.3	14.3	14.2	13.9	13.3	12.5
<i>Euro area</i>	10.2	10.1	10.3	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.1	9.9	10.1	10.8	10.7	10.4	10.4	10.4	10.2	10.0	9.9	9.8
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	10.2	10.1	10.3	10.4	10.2	10.2	10.0	9.8	10.0	10.8	10.7	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.3	10.1	10.0	9.9
Bulgaria	10.1	8.6	9.3	10.1	9.9	9.3	8.6	8.5	8.8	9.4	9.0	8.6	8.7	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.0	9.3
Czech Republic	7.8	8.1	8.6	9.1	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.3	8.3	9.0	8.9	8.7	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.7	8.8	9.2
Denmark	15.5	15.7	16.0	16.3	16.1	15.7	15.4	15.3	15.6	17.5	17.3	16.8	16.6	16.4	16.2	16.1	15.8	15.5
Croatia .....	....	12.0	12.0	11.7	11.7	11.2	10.9	11.3	11.1	12.3	12.1	12.1	12.0	11.6	11.4	11.4	11.3	11.3
Hungary	10.6	11.0	12.0	13.0	12.4	12.3	11.9	11.4	11.3	11.2	10.8	10.1	9.9	10.0	10.2	10.5	10.9	10.9
Poland	10.9	11.7	11.7	11.6	10.9	10.9	10.7	10.5	10.8	11.0	11.0	10.5	10.3	10.4	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.2
Romania	7.9	8.3	8.5	8.1	8.1	8.7	9.2	9.4	10.1	10.4	9.6	7.9	7.8	8.1	7.9	7.8	9.0	9.8
Sweden	12.4	12.5	12.7	13.1	12.9	12.7	12.5	12.3	12.5	12.9	12.3	12.2	12.6	12.8	12.7	12.4	12.6	12.7
United Kingdom	8.8	9.2	9.4	9.8	10.2	10.4	10.4	10.2	10.2	10.8	10.8	10.3	10.1	9.5	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.0
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	9.8	10.2	10.4	10.8	10.9	11.0	10.9	10.7	10.8	11.5	11.3	10.9	10.7	10.4	10.2	10.0	10.1	10.1
<i>EU</i>	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.5	10.4	10.5	10.3	10.1	10.3	11.0	10.8	10.5	10.4	10.4	10.2	10.0	10.0	9.9
<i>EU excluding Italy ..</i>	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.5	10.4	10.5	10.3	10.1	10.2	11.0	10.9	10.6	10.5	10.4	10.3	10.1	10.0	10.0
United States	9.5	9.8	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.0	9.9	9.9	10.3	10.8	10.7	10.4	10.0	9.9	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.5
Japan .....	....	....	....	....	....	6.0	6.0	5.9	6.0	6.2	5.9	6.0	5.9	5.7	5.7	5.5	5.5	....
Canada	11.6	11.7	11.9	12.0	11.7	11.5	11.6	11.7	11.9	13.3	12.9	12.6	12.6	12.5	12.3	12.6	12.7	12.5

Social benefits other than social transfers in kind

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	15.8	15.6	15.9	16.1	16.2	16.3	16.3	16.4	17.0	18.5	18.6	18.6	19.3	19.9	20.2	20.1	19.9	19.8
Belgium	14.4	14.6	15.1	15.3	15.1	15.0	14.8	14.7	15.3	16.7	16.4	16.4	16.9	17.4	17.3	17.2	17.2	17.1
Germany	17.4	17.6	18.0	18.4	18.1	17.9	17.1	16.0	15.8	17.3	16.7	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.4
Estonia	9.5	9.1	8.9	8.9	9.2	8.9	8.6	8.4	10.4	13.8	12.7	11.2	10.7	10.6	10.6	11.4	11.6	11.4
Ireland	7.3	7.9	8.3	8.3	8.5	8.8	9.1	9.7	11.6	14.2	14.2	13.9	13.8	13.1	11.8	8.8	8.3	7.8
Greece	12.3	12.6	12.6	13.1	12.8	13.6	14.0	14.6	16.0	17.5	17.7	19.5	20.3	19.0	19.7	19.8	19.9	19.0
Spain	11.7	11.5	11.6	11.5	11.6	11.5	11.3	11.5	12.3	14.4	15.1	15.3	16.2	16.6	16.5	15.8	15.6	15.2
France	16.8	16.9	17.2	17.4	17.4	17.5	17.6	17.5	17.6	19.2	19.2	19.2	19.5	19.9	20.0	19.8	19.9	19.7
Cyprus	8.4	8.6	9.5	10.4	11.0	11.6	11.0	10.4	10.9	11.9	12.7	13.2	13.2	13.7	14.0	13.9	13.8	13.4
Latvia	12.2	11.1	9.9	9.0	9.1	8.4	8.0	7.0	8.1	13.0	13.2	11.2	10.3	10.4	10.2	10.5	10.7	10.3
Lithuania	11.5	11.3	10.0	9.8	9.7	9.3	9.2	9.7	11.5	16.2	14.3	12.5	12.0	11.3	10.9	10.8	11.0	11.0
Luxembourg	13.1	13.8	14.5	15.5	15.2	15.2	14.2	13.4	14.5	16.6	15.9	15.3	16.0	15.9	15.5	15.4	15.2	15.6
Malta	11.4	11.8	11.9	11.8	11.9	12.0	11.8	11.9	11.7	12.5	12.2	12.2	12.4	12.1	11.4	10.4	10.0	9.5
Netherlands	10.4	10.3	10.3	10.6	10.5	10.2	9.9	9.5	9.5	10.5	10.8	11.0	11.2	11.6	11.6	11.3	11.2	10.9
Austria	18.7	18.6	18.8	19.0	18.7	18.3	18.0	17.4	17.6	19.0	19.2	18.5	18.7	19.0	19.1	18.9	18.7	18.2
Portugal	11.1	11.4	11.9	13.1	13.5	14.0	14.1	14.1	14.6	16.4	16.4	17.0	17.6	18.5	17.8	17.4	17.0	16.5
Slovenia	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.6	15.5	15.4	15.0	14.1	14.4	16.1	16.8	17.2	17.1	17.1	16.5	16.1	15.6	15.1
Slovakia	13.4	13.4	13.6	11.9	12.6	12.7	12.3	11.9	11.7	14.1	14.4	13.9	14.1	14.1	14.0	13.9	13.9	13.5
Finland	15.7	15.3	15.8	16.1	15.9	15.7	15.3	14.5	14.7	17.3	17.5	17.2	18.1	18.9	19.6	19.8	19.5	19.1
<i>Euro area</i>	15.5	15.4	15.7	15.9	15.8	15.7	15.4	15.1	15.4	17.0	17.0	16.7	17.1	17.3	17.2	17.0	16.9	16.7
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	15.4	15.4	15.7	15.9	15.7	15.6	15.2	14.8	15.0	16.7	16.6	16.4	16.6	16.8	16.7	16.4	16.4	16.1
Bulgaria	12.1	11.6	11.7	11.1	10.9	10.3	9.9	9.1	9.6	11.3	11.8	11.1	11.1	11.9	12.2	12.0	11.7	11.3
Czech Republic	12.3	12.1	12.4	12.3	11.7	11.5	11.6	11.9	11.8	12.9	13.1	13.1	13.1	13.3	12.9	12.4	12.2	11.8
Denmark	16.3	16.4	16.5	17.2	16.9	16.2	15.2	14.8	14.6	16.6	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.4	17.2	17.1	16.9	16.4
Croatia .....	....	13.1	16.1	13.3	13.6	12.5	13.3	12.6	12.2	13.7	13.8	14.2	14.1	14.1	14.4	14.5	13.6	13.3
Hungary	12.5	12.4	13.1	13.6	13.7	14.2	14.7	15.1	15.5	16.0	15.6	15.2	15.1	14.7	13.8	13.0	12.8	12.2
Poland	16.1	17.1	17.1	17.0	16.0	15.7	15.2	14.2	14.0	14.5	14.6	13.9	14.0	14.5	14.4	14.3	15.3	15.1
Romania	9.7	9.7	9.3	8.5	8.8	9.0	8.7	8.9	9.9	12.1	12.8	11.9	11.2	10.7	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.8
Sweden	14.8	14.9	15.1	15.5	15.2	14.9	14.4	13.6	13.6	14.8	14.0	13.4	14.0	14.3	13.8	13.4	13.2	12.9
United Kingdom	11.3	11.7	11.7	11.9	12.1	12.0	11.7	11.9	12.4	14.2	14.3	14.2	14.5	14.2	13.8	13.7	13.4	13.0
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	12.4	12.8	12.8	13.0	13.0	12.8	12.5	12.4	12.8	14.3	14.4	14.2	14.4	14.3	13.9	13.8	13.6	13.3
<i>EU</i>	14.6	14.7	14.9	15.2	15.1	14.9	14.6	14.3	14.7	16.4	16.3	16.1	16.3	16.5	16.3	16.1	16.0	15.8
<i>EU excluding Italy ..</i>	14.5	14.6	14.8	15.0	14.9	14.7	14.4	14.0	14.4	16.0	16.0	15.7	15.9	16.0	15.8	15.6	15.5	15.3
United States	10.3	10.9	11.5	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.6	11.8	13.2	14.7	15.3	15.0	14.5	14.3	14.4	14.6	14.6	14.5
Japan .....	....	....	....	....	....	10.4	10.6	10.8	11.2	12.7	12.8	13.2	13.2	13.1	12.8	12.5	12.5	....
Canada	8.7	9.0	8.8	8.7	8.4	8.3	8.5	8.5	8.6	9.8	9.7	9.3	9.2	9.2	9.0	9.6	9.9	9.8

Capital expenditure

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy	4.2	4.6	4.2	4.7	4.5	4.6	5.5	4.5	4.4	5.2	4.2	4.0	4.0	3.6	3.7	4.1	3.4	3.9
Belgium	3.7	3.2	3.0	3.6	3.0	5.6	3.0	3.3	3.5	3.9	3.8	4.6	5.1	4.4	4.1	3.6	3.3	3.2
Germany	1.4	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.6	3.8	4.6	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.5
Estonia	4.8	4.9	6.3	5.5	4.5	4.8	5.4	6.5	7.4	7.7	4.4	4.4	7.1	6.1	5.8	5.9	5.2	5.9
Ireland	4.5	5.2	5.1	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.5	5.6	7.0	7.3	25.4	7.3	2.9	2.6	2.8	3.1	2.5	2.4
Greece	7.6	6.9	7.2	8.0	8.0	5.4	5.2	5.7	7.3	6.6	5.0	4.1	7.0	16.9	4.7	8.3	3.8	3.5
Spain	5.1	5.2	5.5	5.3	5.8	5.5	5.6	6.0	6.0	6.4	5.7	5.0	7.0	3.4	3.0	3.3	2.7	2.6
France	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.6	5.4	5.2	5.4	5.2	4.9	4.7	4.5	4.8
Cyprus	3.9	3.8	4.2	4.6	4.5	4.0	4.2	4.0	4.1	5.4	5.8	4.9	3.6	3.7	12.1	4.0	3.1	3.3
Latvia	4.3	3.9	4.0	3.2	4.6	4.3	6.4	6.5	5.1	5.4	6.9	6.9	5.1	4.9	4.7	5.0	3.8	5.0
Lithuania	4.6	4.1	3.9	3.5	4.1	3.9	4.6	6.3	5.9	4.9	5.3	8.9	4.0	4.7	4.7	4.4	3.5	3.6
Luxembourg	4.8	3.8	5.9	6.4	6.3	6.4	5.1	4.8	4.8	5.9	6.1	5.3	5.2	4.5	4.6	4.6	5.0	5.1
Malta	4.4	4.2	4.3	8.1	3.8	4.7	4.6	3.9	3.0	3.0	3.4	3.4	4.3	4.1	4.6	5.5	3.3	3.1
Netherlands	4.3	4.7	4.9	5.0	4.3	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.4	5.5	5.2	4.6	4.5	4.4	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.7
Austria	4.2	4.3	4.2	3.9	7.4	4.2	4.3	4.5	4.5	5.6	4.6	4.2	4.4	4.4	5.4	4.3	3.8	3.9
Portugal	5.1	6.0	4.9	5.2	5.5	5.0	4.0	3.7	3.8	4.9	7.2	4.4	3.3	3.2	6.2	4.3	1.9	4.4
Slovenia	5.2	5.3	4.8	5.0	5.0	4.5	4.8	5.4	5.7	5.8	5.4	5.8	4.6	15.6	7.5	6.0	3.6	3.8
Slovakia	12.9	6.2	7.4	3.7	3.5	5.0	4.5	3.8	4.2	5.7	4.5	4.5	4.0	4.0	4.2	7.1	3.9	3.5
Finland	3.9	3.8	4.1	4.0	4.2	4.0	3.6	3.7	3.9	4.4	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.2
<i>Euro area</i>	3.7	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.6	5.1	5.3	4.4	4.6	4.2	3.9	3.9	3.6	3.8
<i>Euro area excluding Italy ..</i>	3.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.7	5.1	5.5	4.5	4.7	4.3	4.0	3.9	3.6	3.7
Bulgaria	4.3	4.2	4.3	3.8	3.9	4.1	4.1	8.1	5.7	5.2	4.9	3.7	4.0	4.4	8.9	7.0	3.8	3.1
Czech Republic	6.9	9.1	9.2	12.8	7.4	7.8	6.9	6.3	6.6	6.9	6.1	5.6	7.1	4.6	5.4	6.0	4.0	4.1
Denmark	3.1	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.6	2.8	3.1	3.6	3.4	3.7	4.1	5.5	3.9	4.4	4.3	4.1	3.6
Croatia .....	....	6.4	8.0	9.5	9.1	7.5	7.2	7.4	7.3	7.2	6.2	6.4	5.3	4.8	5.2	4.9	5.0	4.0
Hungary	6.3	6.8	9.1	5.8	5.3	5.6	7.0	6.2	4.5	4.7	5.1	6.2	5.4	5.9	7.3	9.5	5.6	6.8
Poland	2.3	3.4	3.3	3.9	3.3	4.4	4.9	5.1	5.6	6.0	6.3	6.4	5.2	4.5	5.1	4.9	3.8	4.4
Romania	4.4	4.1	4.6	4.8	5.3	4.3	6.8	7.7	7.5	6.2	6.6	7.9	6.4	5.7	5.7	6.5	5.1	3.2
Sweden	4.0	4.3	4.6	4.4	4.2	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.4	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.6	4.7
United Kingdom	2.3	2.7	2.8	3.0	3.1	3.9	3.3	3.3	5.6	5.1	4.3	3.8	4.1	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.4
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	2.8	3.2	3.4	3.7	3.6	4.1	3.9	4.0	5.5	5.1	4.7	4.5	4.6	3.9	4.2	4.2	3.7	3.8
<i>EU</i>	3.4	4.2	4.2	4.4	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.8	5.1	5.1	4.5	4.6	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.6	3.8
<i>EU excluding Italy</i>	3.3	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.9	5.1	5.3	4.5	4.7	4.2	4.0	4.0	3.6	3.8
United States	3.7	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.1	3.9	4.1	4.6	5.2	4.6	4.3	3.9	3.5	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.3
Japan
Canada	3.1	3.4	3.4

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Investment

(as a percentage of GDP)

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Italy.....	2.9	2.9	2.4	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.4	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.0
Belgium.....	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.2
Germany.....	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2
Estonia.....	4.4	4.6	5.9	5.2	4.4	4.6	5.4	6.0	6.2	6.2	4.8	4.9	6.3	5.6	5.0	5.2	4.5	5.4
Ireland.....	3.5	4.2	4.2	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.8	4.7	5.3	3.8	3.4	2.5	2.0	2.0	2.2	1.8	1.9	1.8
Greece.....	5.1	5.9	4.9	5.9	5.7	4.4	5.7	4.9	5.6	5.7	3.7	2.5	2.5	3.4	3.7	3.8	3.5	4.4
Spain.....	3.7	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.2	4.3	4.6	4.6	5.1	4.7	3.7	2.5	2.2	2.1	2.5	1.9	2.0
France.....	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.3	4.2	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.4
Cyprus.....	3.3	3.2	3.6	4.0	4.2	3.5	3.4	3.1	3.2	4.2	4.2	4.0	2.9	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.5	2.7
Latvia	2.0	1.7	1.8	2.8	3.5	3.4	4.9	5.9	5.2	4.9	4.7	5.0	4.9	4.4	4.5	4.8	3.6	4.4
Lithuania.....	2.4	2.3	3.0	3.1	3.6	3.6	4.3	5.4	5.4	4.4	5.0	4.7	4.0	3.7	3.5	3.7	3.0	3.2
Luxembourg	3.8	4.4	4.7	5.1	4.7	5.0	3.3	3.6	3.7	4.4	4.7	4.1	4.0	3.5	3.7	3.9	3.9	4.1
Malta.....	3.9	3.5	4.1	4.5	3.8	4.6	4.0	3.8	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.8	3.2	2.9	3.6	4.2	2.5	2.3
Netherlands.....	3.7	3.9	4.2	4.2	3.9	3.7	3.9	3.8	4.0	4.3	4.2	4.1	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.4
Austria.....	2.7	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.0	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1
Portugal.....	4.6	5.0	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.1	3.4	3.2	3.7	4.1	5.3	3.5	2.5	2.2	2.0	2.2	1.5	1.8
Slovenia.....	3.7	3.9	3.7	3.7	3.9	3.8	4.3	4.5	4.7	5.0	5.0	4.1	4.1	4.3	5.1	4.7	3.1	3.1
Slovakia	3.6	3.9	4.1	3.2	2.9	3.4	3.8	3.2	3.4	3.9	3.6	3.8	3.4	3.3	4.0	6.3	3.2	3.2
Finland	3.5	3.4	3.7	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.4	3.5	3.6	4.0	3.7	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.2	3.9	4.1	4.1
<i>Euro area.....</i>	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.6	3.4	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.6
<i>Euro area excluding Italy .</i>	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.7	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.7
Bulgaria.....	3.9	3.9	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.7	4.2	5.2	5.6	5.0	4.6	3.4	3.4	4.1	5.2	6.6	2.6	2.2
Czech Republic.....	4.6	4.2	4.1	7.7	5.0	5.2	5.2	4.8	5.3	6.0	5.1	4.5	4.2	3.7	4.1	5.1	3.3	3.4
Denmark.....	2.8	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.3	3.8	3.7	3.9	3.6	3.8	3.5
Croatia .....	....	5.2	5.5	7.3	6.5	5.7	5.7	6.1	5.9	5.7	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.2	3.2	2.7
Hungary	3.6	3.9	5.1	3.8	3.8	4.2	5.1	4.2	3.2	3.4	3.7	3.3	3.7	4.4	5.3	6.6	3.1	4.5
Poland.....	1.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9	3.4	4.0	4.5	4.8	5.0	5.6	5.9	4.7	4.1	4.7	4.5	3.3	3.8
Romania.....	3.4	2.7	3.2	3.5	2.8	2.8	5.2	6.1	6.5	5.8	5.7	5.5	4.8	4.5	4.4	5.3	3.6	2.6
Sweden.....	3.9	4.1	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.2	4.4	4.6
United Kingdom	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.4	3.0	2.5	2.5	3.0	3.3	3.2	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6
<i>EU excluding euro area ..</i>	2.2	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.8	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.6	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.1	3.1
<i>EU</i>	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.4	3.7	3.5	3.3	3.1	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.7
<i>EU excluding Italy.....</i>	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.3	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.8
United States	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.2	4.0	3.9	3.6	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.1
Japan .....	....	....	....	....	....	4.0	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.9	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.9	3.9	3.7	3.6	....
Canada.....	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.8	3.7	4.6	4.8	4.3	4.2	3.9	3.4	3.6	3.9	3.9

Methodological appendix

General indications

Data reported in this publication refer to the consolidated general government non-financial accounts and gross debt of the European Union countries and of the remaining G-7 countries (the United States, Japan and Canada). The time series in this publication cover the period 2000-2017. The complete series for the years 1980-2017 can be consulted through the electronic Statistical Database (BDS), available in the Statistics section of the Banca d'Italia web site (<https://infostat.bancaditalia.it/inquiry/>).

Non-financial account data for the years 1995-2017 follow the definitions of Regulation (EU) No. 549/2013 (ESA 2010) for all European countries. For the years 1980-1994, data for Italy are based on SEC95; data for the other European countries follow the SEC79 standard. The definition of gross debt for European countries is the one adopted in the Excessive deficit procedure (Regulation (UE) 479/2009 of the European Council). The figures for Germany up to 1990 refer to the former Western Germany.

The sources used are as follows:

- for Italy: Istat, I.Stat data warehouse for non-financial accounts and <http://seriestoriche.istat.it/> for GDP; Banca d'Italia (Statistical Database - BDS) for gross debt;
- for the other European countries: European Commission, DG Economic and Financial Affairs annual macroeconomic database, November 2018;
- for Canada, Japan and the United States: OECD, National Accounts Statistics Database, November 2018, for non-financial accounts; OECD, Statistics and Projections Database, Economic Outlook n. 104, 21 November 2018, for GDP and gross debt.

For the individual items of the accounts and for gross debt, averages have been calculated for: (1) the 19 countries belonging to the euro area (Belgium, Germany, Estonia, Ireland, Greece, Spain, France, Italy, Cyprus, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, the Netherlands, Austria, Portugal, Slovenia, Slovakia and Finland); (2) the 28 EU countries; (3) the EU countries not belonging to the euro area. The averages are computed as ratios of the sum, for the relevant countries, of the values of the variable under consideration to the sum, for the same countries, of the values of GDP. Where a figure is missing for a country, the average has been calculated omitting that country. Averages have been computed using data (including those for Italy) based on ESA79 until 1994. Gross debt averages are computed excluding lending provided as financial assistance to euro area member states both bilaterally or via the European Financial Stability Facility (EFSF). Data on financial assistance are provided by Eurostat (Press release 163, 22 October 2018).

Because of rounding, the sum of the separate items may sometimes differ from the total shown.

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Notes to the tables

The order of the tables in the following notes is based on their code numbers.

TUEE0100 - Net borrowing (+)/lending (-)

The balance of the consolidated general government non-financial accounts, calculated as the difference between total expenditure and total revenue: a positive balance is a deficit (net borrowing), while a negative balance is a surplus (net lending). This item corresponds to the net resources that general government makes available to or draws from other sectors.

TUEE0110 - Primary net borrowing (+)/lending (-)

Net borrowing or lending excluding interest payments (see the notes to Tables TUEE0100 and TUEE0280).

TUEE0120 - Current account balance

The difference between current expenditure and current revenue (see the notes to Tables TUEE0260 and TUEE0160).

TUEE0130 - Capital account balance

The difference between capital expenditure and capital revenue.

TUEE0140 - Gross public debt

For the EU countries, the definition is that adopted for the Excessive deficit procedure (Council Regulation No. 479/2009). The aggregate refers to general government total gross debt at face value outstanding at the end of the year, consolidated within and between general government subsectors.

TUEE0150 - Total revenue

The sum of current revenue and capital revenue.

TUEE0160 - Current revenue

The sum of direct taxes, indirect taxes, social security contributions and other current revenue.

TUEE0170 - Tax revenue and social security contributions

The sum of direct and indirect taxes, social security contributions and capital taxes (see the

notes to Tables TUEE0210, TUEE0220 and TUEE0230).

TUEE0210 - Direct taxes

Taxes on income and wealth due to general government.

TUEE0220 - Indirect taxes

Taxes on the production and importation of goods and services due to general government.

TUEE0230 - Social security contributions

The sum of actual social security contributions paid by workers and employers (directly or through ad hoc agencies) and imputed social security contributions.

TUEE0240 - Total expenditure

The sum of current and capital expenditure (see the notes to tables TUEE0260 and TUEE0400).

TUEE0250 - Total expenditure, excluding interest payments

The difference between total expenditure and interest payments (see the notes to Tables TUEE0240 and TUEE0280).

TUEE0260 - Current expenditure

The sum of current transfers, interest payments and final consumption expenditure.

TUEE0270 - Current expenditure, excluding interest payments

The difference between current expenditure and interest payments (see the notes to Tables TUEE0260 and TUEE0280).

TUEE0280 - Interest payments

Interest payments and other borrowing costs. Following the introduction of ESA 2010, this item does not include interest on swaps and forward rate agreements.

TUEE0290 - Final consumption expenditure

Expenditure incurred by general government for the satisfaction of individual or collective needs (compensation of employees, purchases of goods and services, social transfers in kind related to expenditure on products supplied to households via market producers and consumption of fixed capital). Data from 1995 do not include expenditure on research and development and on weapons systems, treated as investment rather than intermediate consumption in ESA2010 (see note to Table TUEE0350).

TUEE0300 - Compensation of employees

General government payments in cash or in kind to employees, including net earnings and actual and imputed social security contributions.

TUEE0330 - Social benefits other than social transfers in kind

Social benefits, including social security and social assistance benefits in cash.

TUEE0350 - Investment

Gross (with respect to depreciation) fixed capital formation, consisting of the value of purchases less sales of durable goods to be utilized in production processes for a period longer than one year. Data from 1995, compiled according to ESA 2010, include expenditure on research and development and on weapons systems.

TUEE0400 - Capital expenditure

Investment (see the note to table TUEE0350), net acquisition of other non-financial assets and capital transfers.

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