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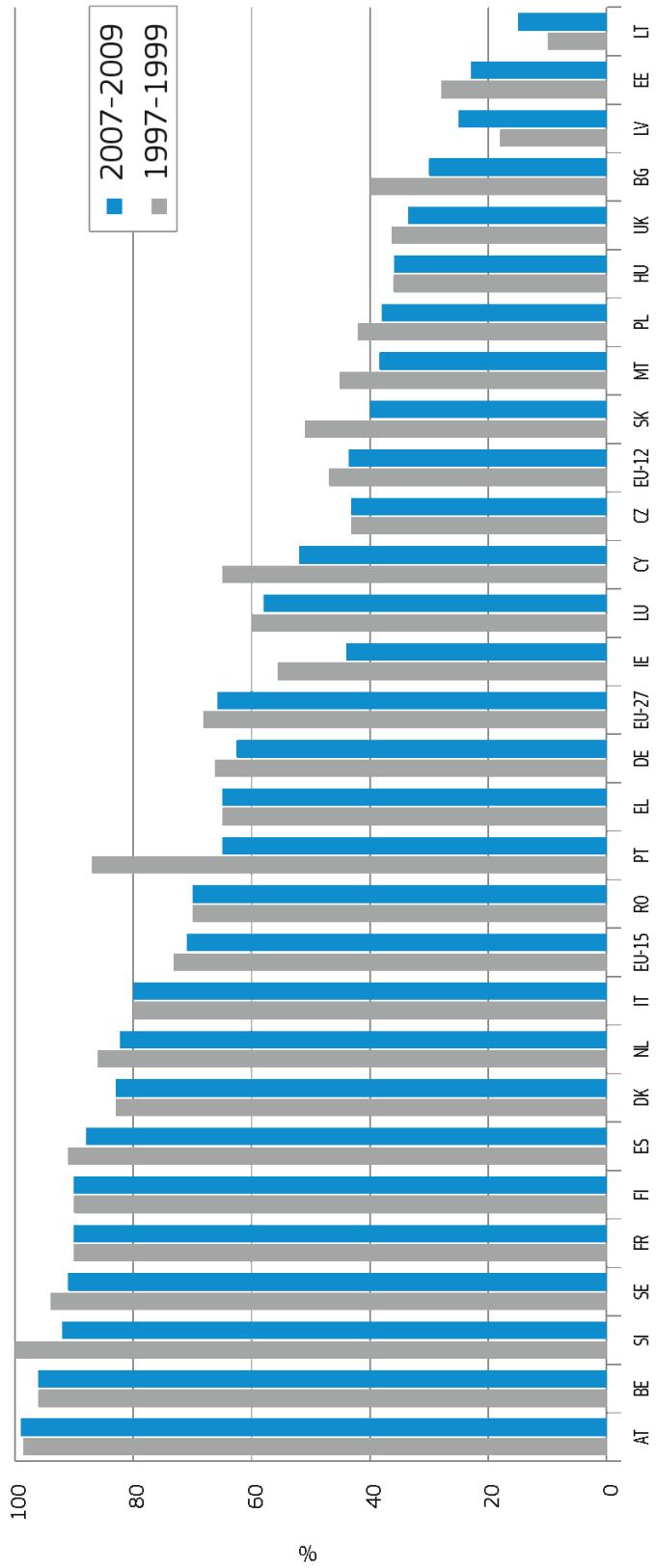
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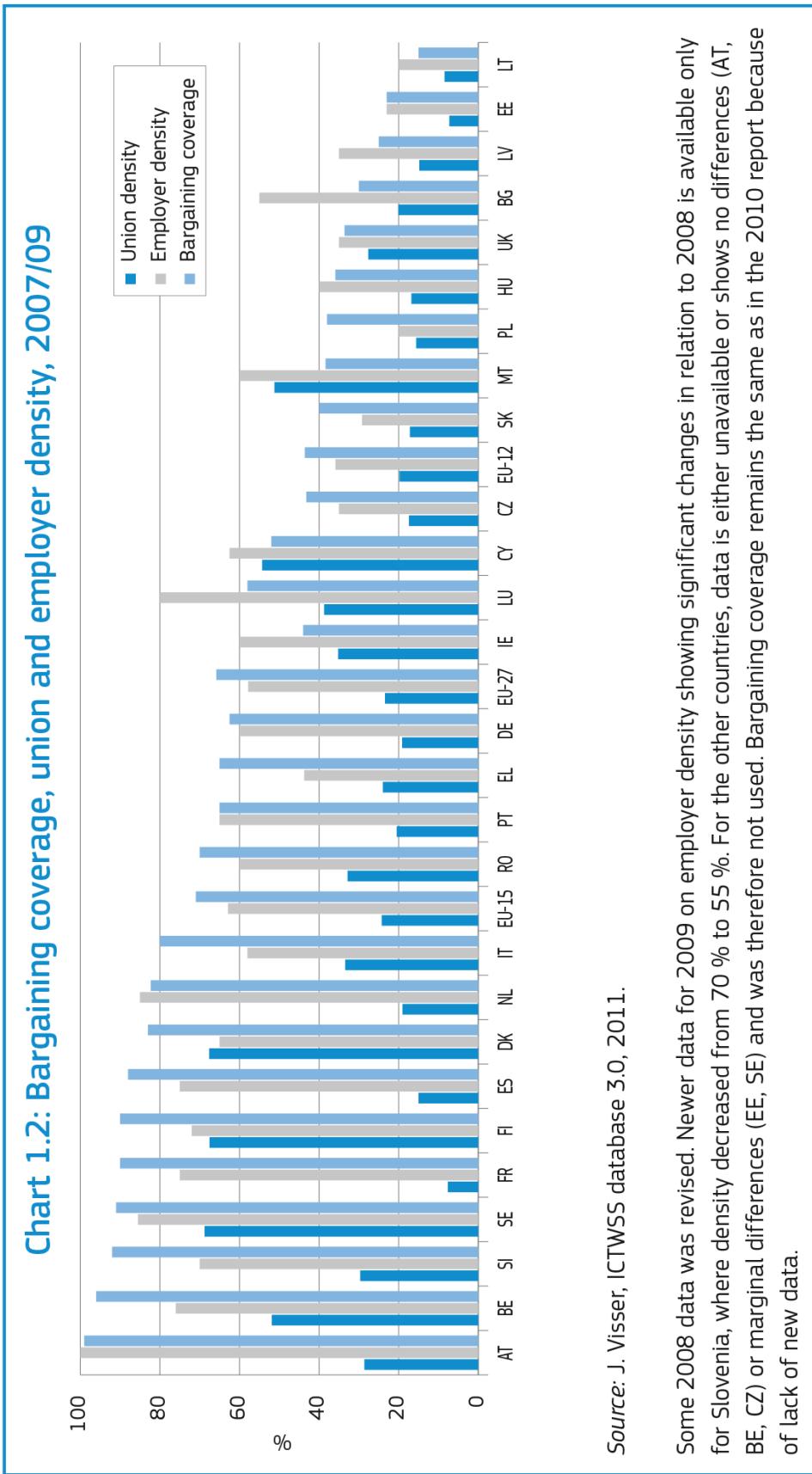


Source: J. Visser, ICTWSS database 3.0, 2011.

The coverage remains the same as in the 2010 report because of the lack of new data.

Quelle: European Commission 2012:22

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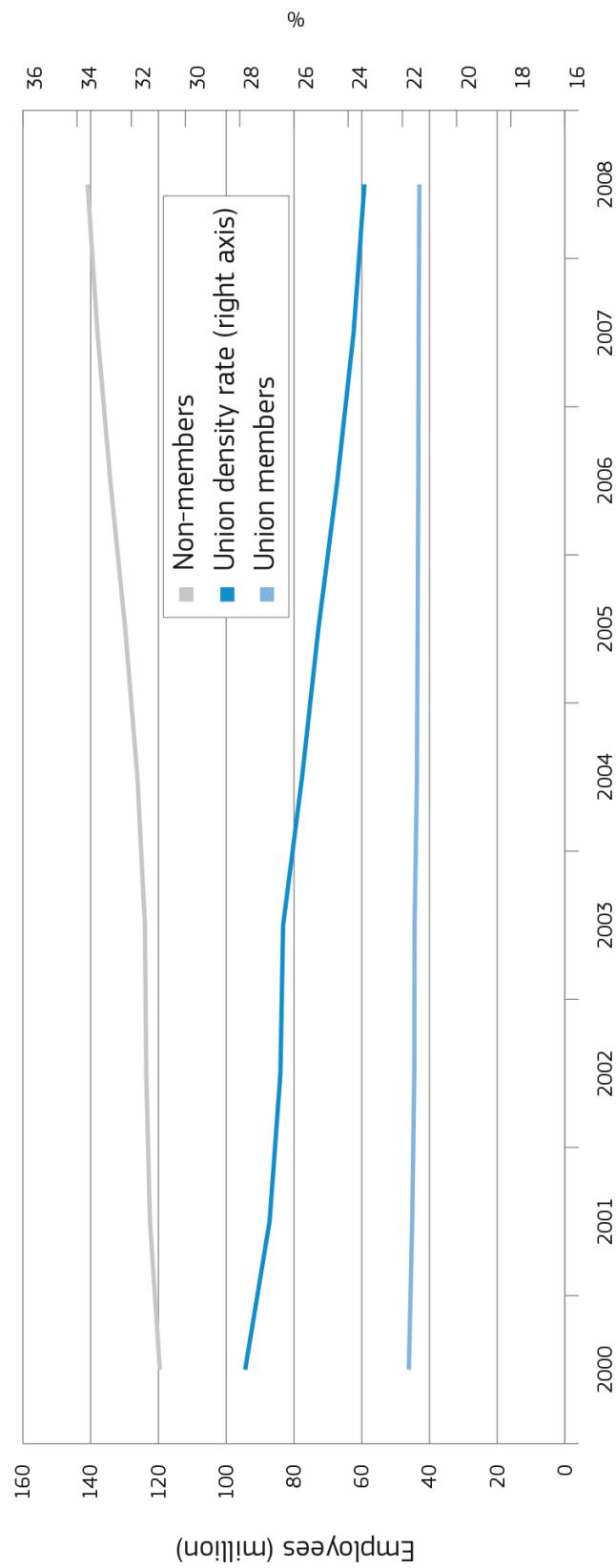


Source: J. Visser, ICTWSS database 3.0, 2011.

Some 2008 data was revised. Newer data for 2009 on employer density showing significant changes in relation to 2008 is available only for Slovenia, where density decreased from 70 % to 55 %. For the other countries, data is either unavailable or shows no differences (AT, BE, CZ) or marginal differences (EE, SE) and was therefore not used. Bargaining coverage remains the same as in the 2010 report because of lack of new data.

Quelle: European Commission 2012:23

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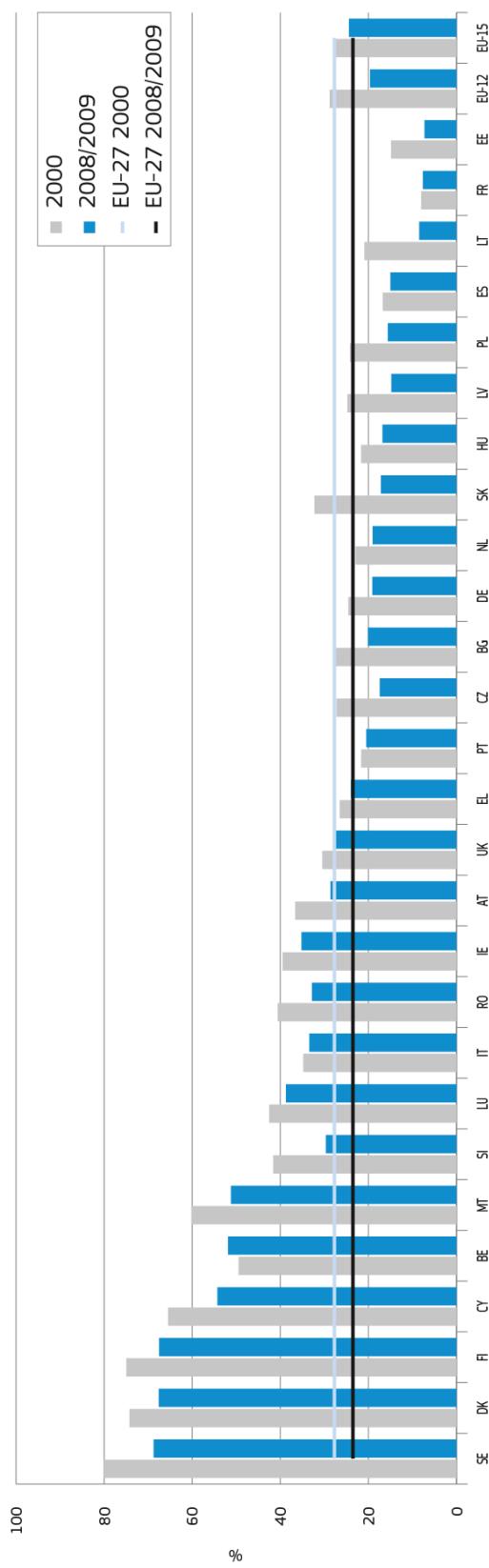


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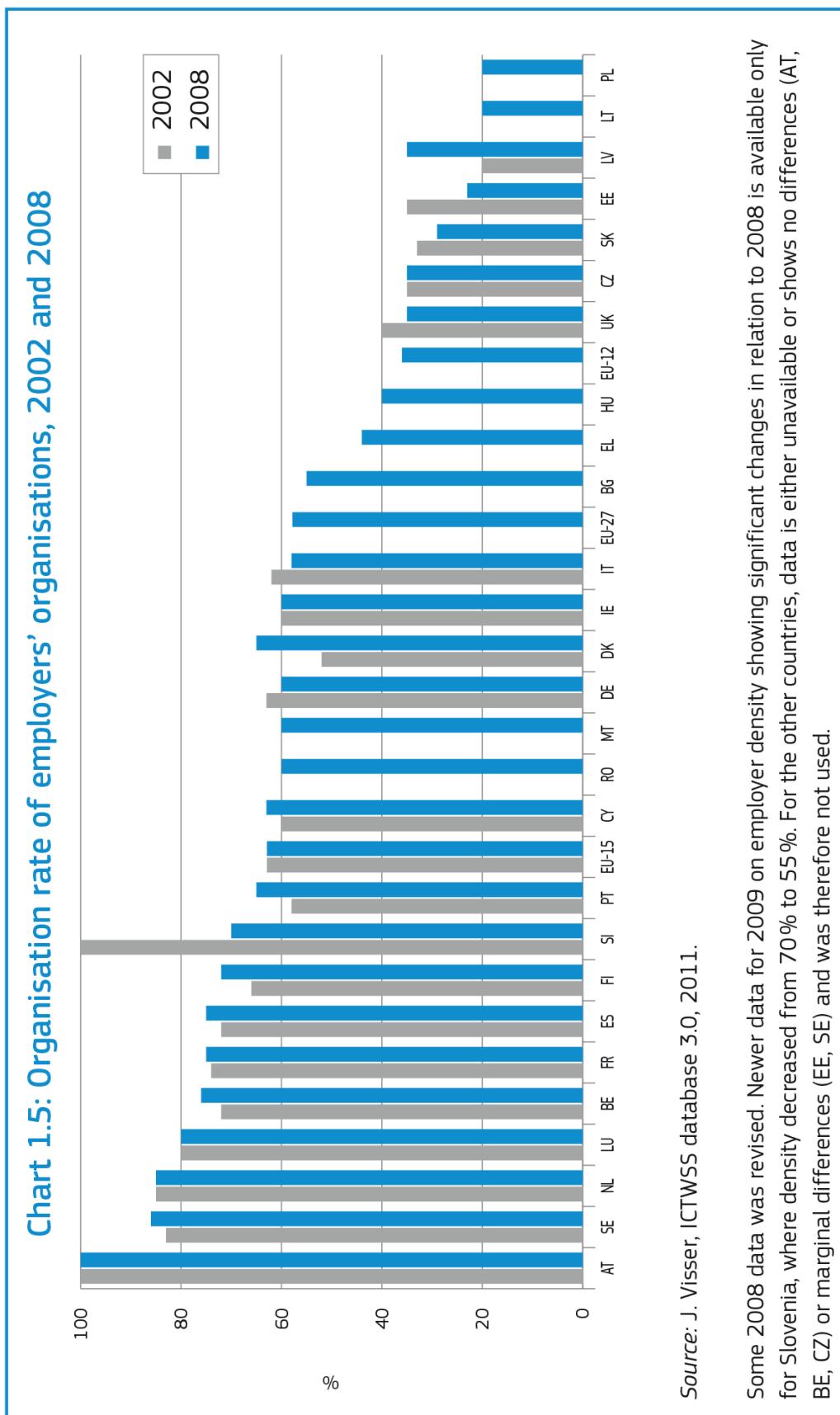


Source: J. Visser, ICTWSS database 3.0, 2011.

NB: the averages for the EU-27, EU-15 and 12 new Member States are weighted. SE, CY, SI, RO, EL, SK, HU, LV, FR: 2008.

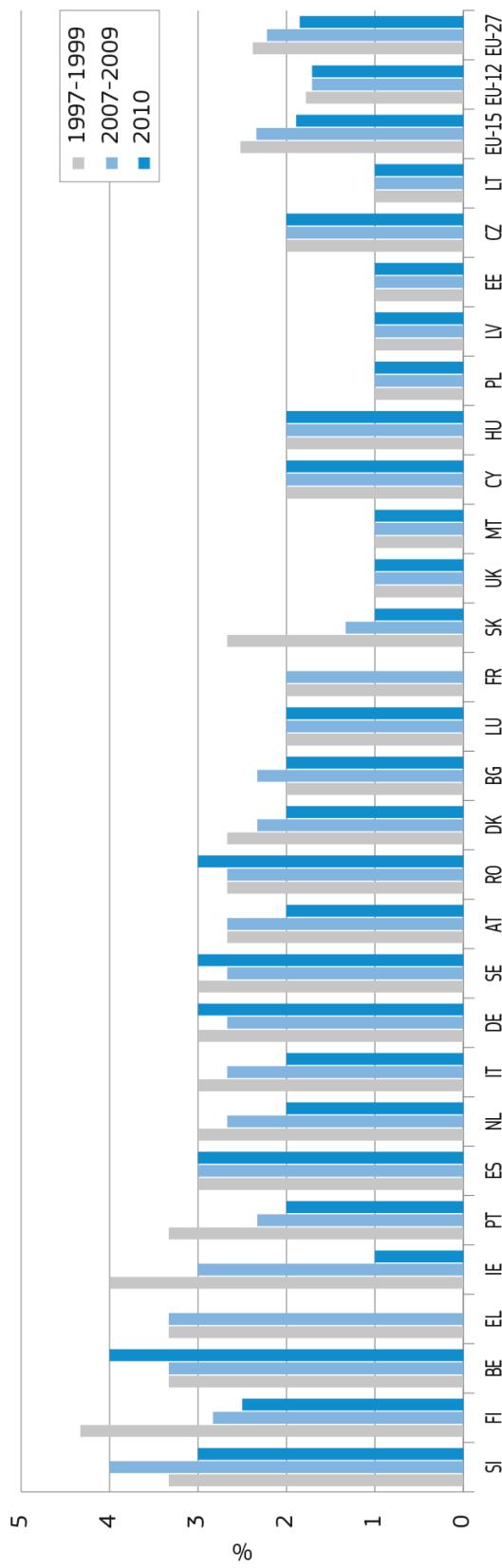
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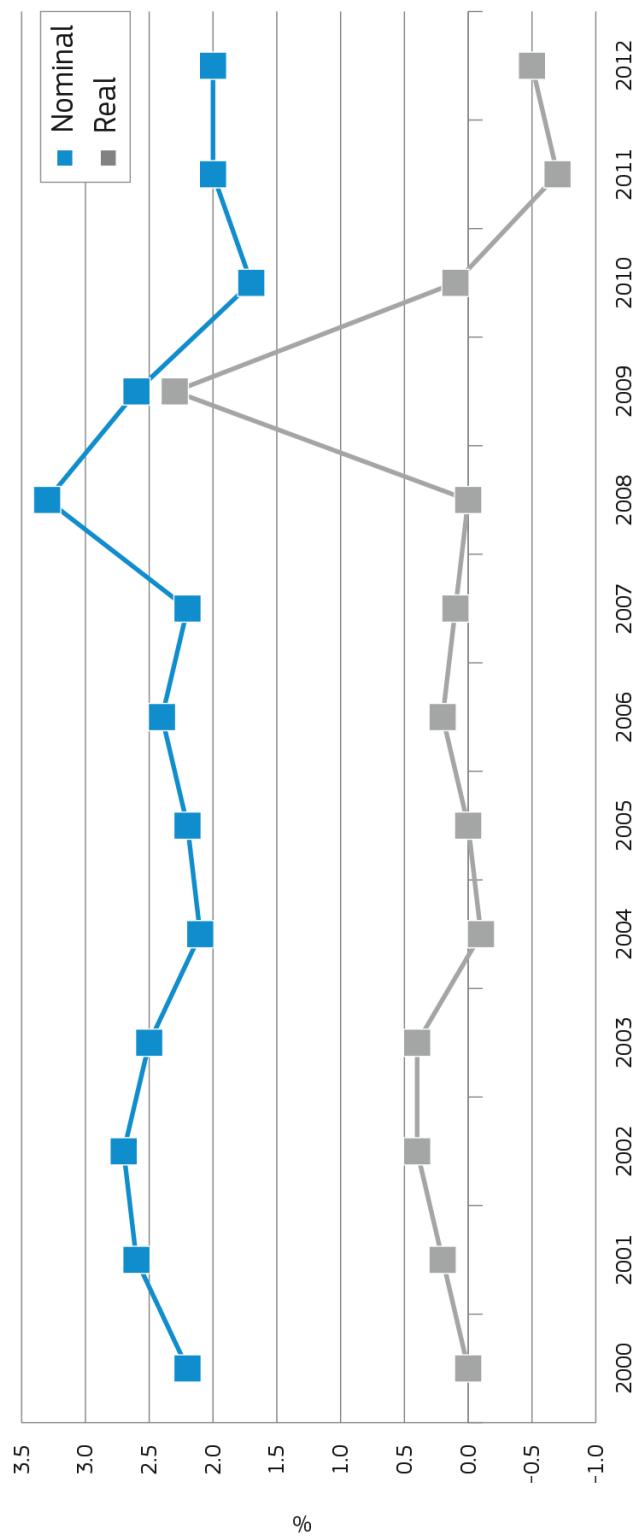
Source: J. Visser, ICTWSS database 3.0, 2011.

Bargaining centralisation indicator is scored on a five-point scale: 5 = national (cross-sectoral) bargaining; 4 = national (cross-sectoral) bargaining with derogation and additional sector or company bargaining; 3 = sector- or industry-level bargaining; 2 = sector- or industry-level, with additional local or company bargaining; and 1 = local or company bargaining.

NB: 1997–1999 averages are weighted by 2000 data for Wage and Salary Earners in Employment. 2007–2009 and 2010 averages are weighted by 2009 data for Wage and Salary Earners in Employment.

Quelle: European Commission 2012:26

Chart 1.7: ECB indicator of negotiated wages for the Euro area,
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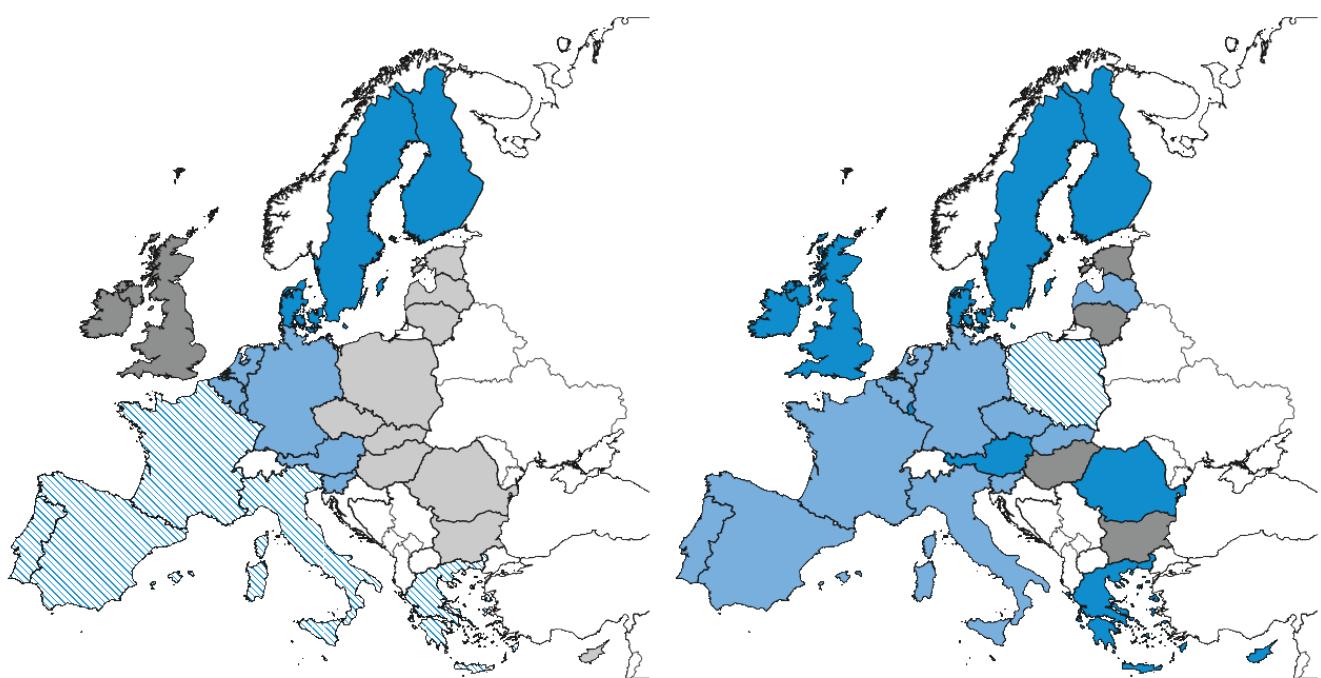


Source: ECB, calculations by WSI.

NB: real wages are adjusted by the Harmonised Consumer Price Index (HCPI).

Quelle: European Commission 2012:27

Chart 1.12: Comparison between national and public sector industrial relations systems



(a) national industrial relations systems

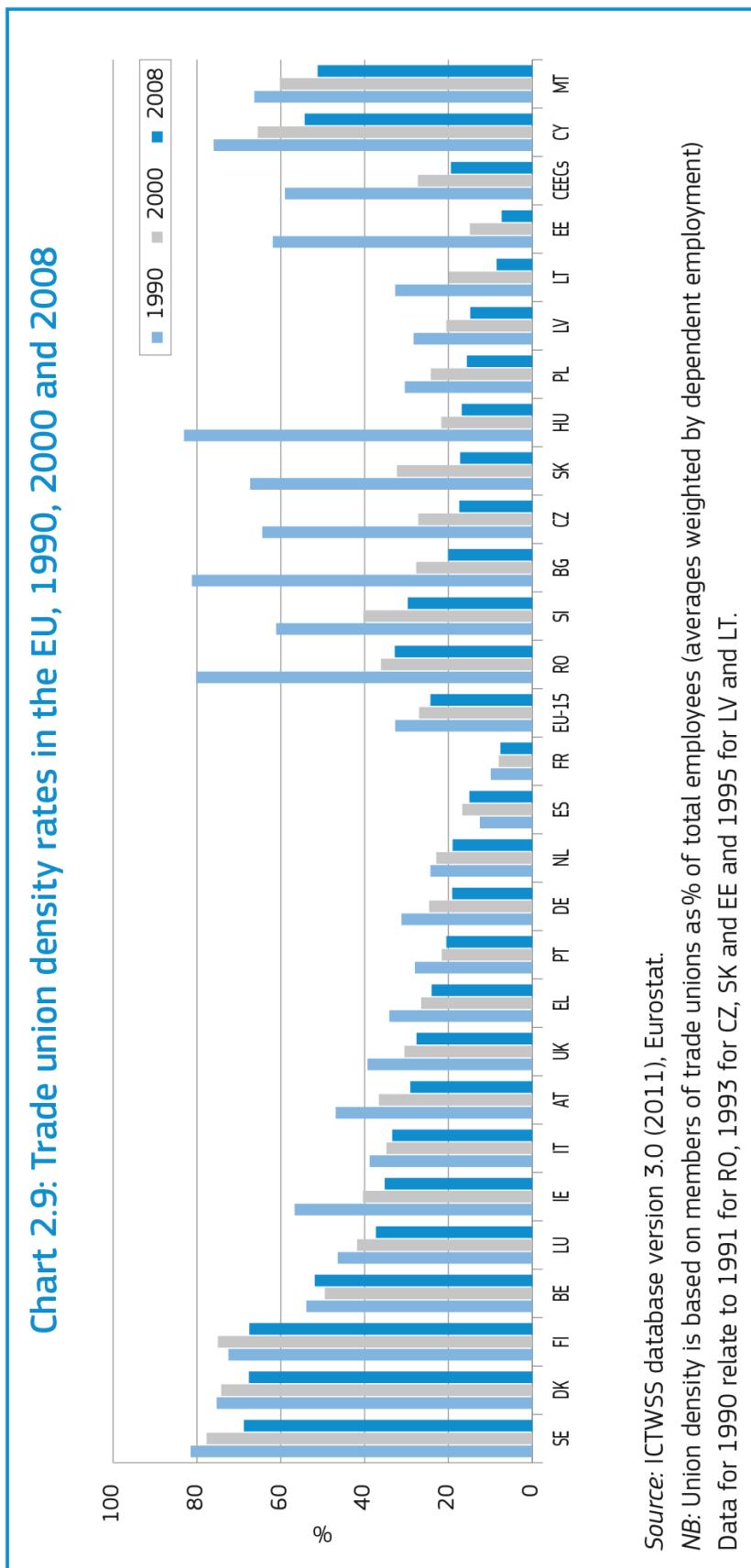
(b) public sector industrial relations systems

	= Organised Corporatism		= Dense
	= Social Partnership		= Political
	= State-centred		= Lean
	= Liberal		= Fragile
	= Mixed		= Empty

Source: Bechter, B., Brandl, B. and Meardi, G. (2011).

NB: Public sector industrial relations in the Czech Republic, Spain, and the UK can be considered as being classified on the margins of another system.

Chart 2.9: Trade union density rates in the EU, 1990, 2000 and 2008



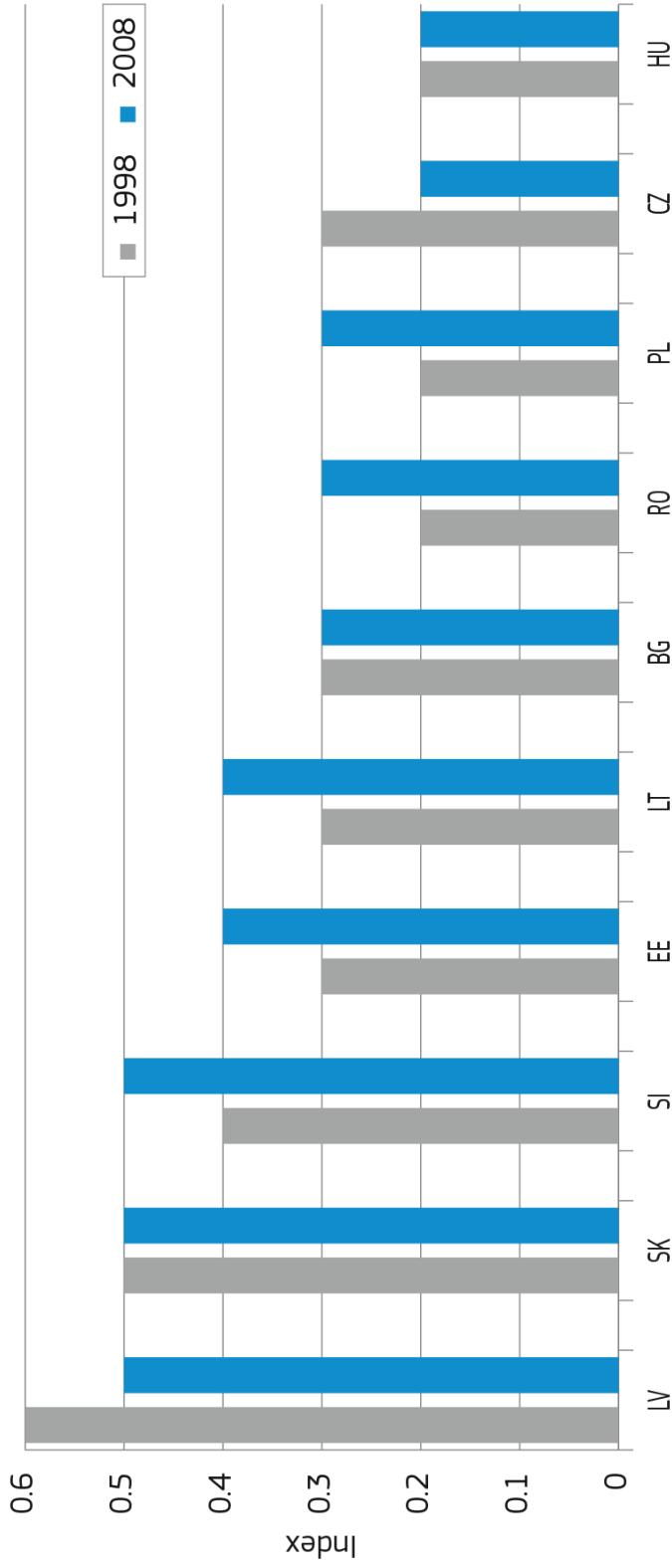
Source: ICTWSS database version 3.0 (2011), Eurostat.

NB: Union density is based on members of trade unions as % of total employees (averages weighted by dependent employment)

Data for 1990 relate to 1991 for RO, 1993 for CZ, SK and EE and 1995 for LV and LT.

Quelle: European Commission 2012:62

Chart 2.14: Trade union centralisation in the CEECs, 1998–2008



Source: ICTWSS database, version 3.0, 2011.

NB: LT: 2001–2008, EE: 1998–2007, LV: 1995–2007. Union centralisation is a summary measure derived from Iversen's (1999) centralisation index and taking into account union authority and union concentration at multiple levels. The measure ranges from 0–1 in EU-27.

Table 2.4 Degree of coordination and government intervention, 2000–2010*

Coordination of and government intervention in wage bargaining	Coordination of wage bargaining
1: Fragmented bargaining, mostly at the company level	2: Mixed or alternating industry- and firm-level bargaining, with weak enforceability of industry agreements
4: The government participates directly in wage bargaining (tripartite bargaining, as in social pacts)	3: Industry bargaining with no or irregular pattern setting, limited involvement of central organisations and limited freedoms for company bargaining
Government intervention in wage bargaining	4: Mixed industry and economy-wide bargaining: a) central organisations negotiate non-enforceable central agreements (guidelines) and/or b) key unions and employers' associations set pattern for the entire economy

* Average for 2000–2010; CEECs in italics.
Source: ICTWSS database version 3.0 (2011).

Quelle: European Commission 2012:65

Table 2.5 Collective bargaining levels and extension mechanisms, 2000 – 2010*

Dominant level of collective bargaining and the presence of extension mechanisms (average of years 2000-2010, CEECs in red)		Extension mechanisms	
Level	Dominant level of collective bargaining and the presence of extension mechanisms (average of years 2000-2010, CEECs in red)	1: Legal provision for mandatory extension available, but not regularly or widely used (<10%)	2: Legal provision for mandatory extension available, regularly applied and affecting significant share of the workforce (>=10%)
4: National or central level, with additional sectoral/local or company bargaining	SI, IE		BE, EL, FI
3: Sectoral or industry level	RO, DK, IT, NL, PT, SE		DE AT, ES
2: Sectoral or industry level, with additional local or company bargaining	CY, LU	BG, CZ, SK	HU, FR
1: Local or company bargaining	LT, LV, PL, MT, UK	EE	

* Average for 2000–2010; CEECs in italics.

Source: ICTWSS database version 3.0 (2011).

Quelle: European Commission 2012:66

Table 1: Gross domestic product, volume (percentage change on preceding year, 1995-2016)

	5-year averages					Autumn 2014 forecast					Spring 2014 forecast		
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015	2016
Belgium	2.7	2.1	1.2	2.5	1.6	0.1	0.3	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.4	1.4	1.6
Germany	1.7	1.0	0.6	4.1	3.6	0.4	0.1	1.3	1.1	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.0
Estonia	5.7	7.2	1.0	2.5	8.3	4.7	1.6	1.9	2.0	2.7	1.9	1.9	3.0
Ireland	9.7	5.6	1.3	-0.3	2.8	-0.3	0.2	4.6	3.6	3.7	1.7	1.7	3.0
Greece	3.3	4.5	1.0	-5.4	-8.9	-6.6	-3.3	0.6	2.9	3.7	0.6	2.9	2.9
Spain	3.6	3.7	1.8	0.0	-0.6	-2.1	-1.2	1.2	1.7	2.2	1.1	2.1	2.1
France	2.6	2.1	0.7	2.0	2.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.7	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.5
Italy	1.8	1.5	-0.5	1.7	0.6	-2.3	-1.9	-0.4	0.6	1.1	0.6	0.6	1.2
Cyprus	4.7	3.9	2.9	1.4	0.3	-2.4	-5.4	-2.8	0.4	1.6	-4.8	-4.8	0.9
Latvia	3.7	7.4	2.3	-2.9	5.0	4.8	4.2	2.6	2.9	3.6	3.6	3.6	4.1
Lithuania	4.6	6.9	2.4	1.6	6.1	3.8	3.3	2.7	3.1	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.7
Luxembourg	4.7	3.9	2.0	5.1	2.6	-0.2	2.0	3.0	2.4	2.9	2.6	2.6	2.7
Malta	4.5	2.6	2.1	3.5	2.2	2.0	2.5	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.3	2.3	2.3
Netherlands	3.8	1.6	1.8	1.1	1.7	-1.6	-0.7	0.9	1.4	1.7	1.2	1.2	1.4
Austria	2.9	2.0	1.3	1.9	3.1	0.9	0.2	0.7	1.2	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.8
Portugal	3.8	1.5	0.4	1.9	-1.8	-3.3	-1.4	0.9	1.3	1.7	1.2	1.2	1.5
Slovenia	4.3	3.6	2.3	1.2	0.6	-2.6	-1.0	2.4	1.7	2.5	0.8	0.8	1.4
Slovakia	4.5	4.0	5.0	4.8	2.7	1.6	1.4	2.4	2.5	3.3	2.2	2.2	3.1
Finland	4.8	3.2	0.8	3.0	2.6	-1.5	-1.2	-0.4	0.6	1.1	0.2	0.2	1.0
Euro area	2.5	1.9	0.7	2.0	1.6	-0.7	-0.5	0.8	1.1	1.7	1.2	1.2	1.7
Bulgaria	-2.0	5.2	3.9	0.7	2.0	0.5	1.1	1.2	0.6	1.0	1.7	1.7	2.0
Czech Republic	2.2	3.5	3.2	2.3	2.0	-0.8	-0.7	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.0	2.4	2.4
Denmark	2.9	1.6	0.2	1.6	1.3	-0.8	-0.1	0.8	1.7	2.0	1.5	1.5	1.9
Croatia	..	4.4	1.6	-1.7	-0.3	-2.2	-0.9	-0.7	0.2	1.1	-0.6	0.7	0.7
Hungary	2.5	4.2	0.5	0.8	1.8	-1.5	1.5	3.2	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.1
Poland	6.0	3.1	4.7	3.7	4.8	1.8	1.7	3.0	2.8	3.3	3.2	3.4	3.4
Romania	0.7	5.4	3.9	-0.8	1.1	0.6	3.5	2.0	2.4	2.8	2.5	2.6	2.6
Sweden	3.4	3.0	1.0	6.0	2.7	-0.3	1.5	2.0	2.4	2.7	2.8	3.0	3.0
United Kingdom	3.6	3.1	0.7	1.9	1.6	0.7	1.7	3.1	2.7	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.5
EU	..	2.3	0.9	2.1	1.7	-0.4	0.0	1.3	1.5	2.0	1.6	1.6	2.0
USA	4.1	2.7	0.9	2.5	1.6	2.3	2.2	3.1	3.2	2.8	3.2	3.2	3.2
Japan	0.8	1.4	-0.3	4.7	-0.5	1.5	1.5	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.5	1.5	1.3

Quelle: European Commission 2014:144

Table 23: Total employment (percentage change on preceding year, 1995-2016)

	5-year averages					Autumn 2014 forecast					Spring 2014 forecast		
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015	2016
Belgium	1.1	0.8	1.2	0.7	1.4	0.3	-0.3	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.8
Germany	0.6	0.2	0.8	0.3	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.8	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.3
Estonia	-3.0	0.2	-0.6	-4.9	6.5	1.6	1.2	-0.2	-0.3	-0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3
Ireland	5.6	2.9	1.1	-4.1	-1.8	-0.6	2.4	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.3
Greece	0.9	1.4	1.0	-2.7	-6.9	-7.8	-3.8	0.6	2.6	4.0	0.6	0.6	2.6
Spain	3.1	3.3	0.9	-2.6	-2.6	-4.4	-3.3	0.7	1.1	1.5	0.4	1.2	1.2
France	1.0	1.1	0.5	-0.2	0.5	-0.1	-0.2	0.1	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.8
Italy	0.4	1.1	-0.1	-0.8	0.1	-0.9	-1.7	-0.4	0.2	0.6	0.1	0.4	0.4
Cyprus	:	2.7	2.1	-0.2	0.5	-4.2	-5.2	-1.8	0.2	1.3	-4.4	0.8	0.8
Lithuania	-2.0	0.8	-2.0	-6.7	1.5	1.4	2.3	0.3	0.5	1.1	1.6	1.7	1.7
Lithuania	-0.7	-0.7	-1.3	-5.3	0.5	1.8	1.3	0.6	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.3
Luxembourg	3.5	3.7	3.4	1.8	2.9	2.4	2.0	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.1
Malta	1.1	0.2	1.5	1.7	2.8	2.3	3.8	2.3	1.8	1.6	2.1	2.1	2.1
Netherlands	2.5	0.2	1.2	-0.6	0.6	-0.6	-1.4	-0.9	0.1	0.6	-0.6	0.6	0.6
Austria	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.6	1.4	1.3	0.7	0.9	0.6	1.0	0.8	0.9	0.9
Portugal	1.6	0.5	-0.5	-1.4	-1.9	-4.1	-2.9	1.6	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.8
Slovenia	:	0.7	1.0	-2.2	-1.6	-0.8	-1.5	0.4	0.6	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.3
Slovakia	:	-0.1	1.4	-1.5	1.8	0.1	-0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.6
Finland	2.2	1.1	1.1	-0.7	1.3	0.9	-1.5	-0.6	0.2	0.6	-0.2	0.3	0.3
Euro area	1.0	0.6	-0.8	0.0	-0.7	-0.8	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.9	0.4	0.4	0.7
Bulgaria	:	0.5	2.0	-3.9	-2.2	-2.5	-0.4	-0.3	-0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Czech Republic	-0.7	-0.3	1.1	-1.0	-0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4
Denmark	1.0	0.0	0.8	-2.3	-0.1	-0.3	0.1	0.7	0.5	0.9	0.5	0.5	0.5
Croatia	:	1.2	1.5	-5.1	-2.3	-3.9	-1.0	-1.4	-0.5	0.5	-2.5	-1.0	-1.0
Hungary	:	0.0	-0.7	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.8	3.3	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.6
Poland	0.2	-1.4	2.8	-2.7	0.6	0.1	-0.1	1.0	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6
Romania	-2.4	-2.7	-0.5	-0.3	-0.8	2.5	-1.2	-0.1	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.7
Sweden	0.7	0.7	0.5	1.0	2.1	0.7	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.1
United Kingdom	1.3	0.9	0.3	0.2	0.5	1.2	1.3	2.1	1.3	1.1	1.6	1.6	1.0
EU	:	0.6	0.7	-0.8	0.1	-0.2	-0.4	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.7
USA	2.1	0.4	-0.2	-1.2	1.0	1.8	1.9	2.4	2.5	2.6	1.8	1.6	1.6
Japan	-0.3	-0.4	-0.1	-0.4	-0.2	0.0	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.3

Quelle: European Commission 2014:155

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Table 24: Unemployment rate¹ (number of unemployed as a percentage of total labour force, 1995-2016)

	5-year averages					Autumn 2014 forecast					Spring 2014 forecast		
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015	2016
Belgium	9.2	7.5	7.8	8.3	7.2	7.6	8.4	8.5	8.2	8.5	8.5	8.2	8.2
Germany	9.0	9.0	9.1	7.1	5.9	5.5	5.3	5.1	5.1	4.8	5.1	5.1	5.1
Estonia	9.9	11.8	7.5	16.7	12.3	10.0	8.6	7.8	7.1	6.3	8.1	7.5	7.5
Ireland	9.4	4.3	6.4	13.9	14.7	14.7	13.1	11.1	9.6	8.5	11.4	10.2	10.2
Greece	10.3	10.5	9.0	12.7	17.9	24.5	27.5	26.8	25.0	22.0	26.0	24.0	24.0
Spain	17.8	11.3	11.0	19.9	21.4	24.8	26.1	24.8	23.5	22.2	25.5	24.0	24.0
France	12.0	8.9	8.4	9.3	9.2	9.8	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.2	10.4	10.2	10.2
Italy	11.2	8.8	7.0	8.4	8.4	10.7	12.2	12.6	12.6	12.4	12.8	12.5	12.5
Cyprus	3.2	4.2	4.6	6.3	7.9	11.9	15.9	16.2	15.8	14.8	19.2	18.4	18.4
Latvia	16.5	12.7	9.7	19.5	16.2	15.0	11.9	11.0	10.2	9.2	10.7	9.6	9.6
Lithuania	9.8	14.2	7.6	17.8	15.4	13.4	11.8	11.2	10.4	9.5	10.6	9.7	9.7
Luxembourg	2.7	3.1	4.7	4.6	4.8	5.1	5.9	6.1	6.2	6.1	5.7	5.5	5.5
Malta	5.9	7.3	6.6	6.9	6.4	6.3	6.4	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.5	6.5	6.5
Netherlands	5.4	3.6	4.0	4.5	4.4	5.3	6.7	6.9	6.8	6.8	7.4	7.3	7.3
Austria	4.2	4.1	4.6	4.4	4.2	4.3	4.9	5.3	5.4	5.0	4.8	4.7	4.7
Portugal	6.3	5.9	9.0	12.0	12.9	15.8	16.4	14.5	13.6	12.8	15.4	14.8	14.8
Slovenia	7.1	6.4	5.5	7.3	8.2	8.9	10.1	9.8	9.2	8.4	10.1	9.8	9.8
Slovakia	13.2	18.7	12.6	14.5	13.7	14.0	14.2	13.4	12.8	12.1	13.6	12.9	12.9
Finland	12.9	9.2	7.5	8.4	7.8	7.7	8.2	8.6	8.5	8.3	8.5	8.4	8.4
Euro area	:	8.8	8.4	10.1	10.1	11.3	11.9	11.6	11.3	10.8	11.8	11.4	11.4
Bulgaria	13.3	16.0	7.7	10.3	11.3	12.3	13.0	12.0	11.4	11.0	12.8	12.5	12.5
Czech Republic	5.7	8.1	6.3	7.3	6.7	7.0	7.0	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.7	6.6	6.6
Denmark	5.7	4.9	4.4	7.5	7.6	7.5	7.0	6.7	6.6	6.4	6.8	6.6	6.6
Croatia	:	15.0	10.6	12.3	13.9	16.1	17.3	17.7	17.7	17.3	18.0	18.0	18.0
Hungary	8.9	5.9	8.0	11.2	10.9	10.9	10.2	8.0	7.8	7.8	9.0	8.9	8.9
Poland	12.0	18.7	11.3	9.7	9.7	10.1	10.3	9.5	9.3	8.8	9.9	9.5	9.5
Romania	5.4	7.1	6.7	7.3	7.4	7.0	7.3	7.0	6.9	6.7	7.2	7.1	7.1
Sweden	8.6	6.3	7.1	8.6	7.8	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.6	7.6	7.2	7.2
United Kingdom	7.0	5.0	5.7	7.8	8.0	7.9	7.5	6.2	5.7	5.5	6.6	6.3	6.3
EU	:	9.0	8.1	9.6	9.6	10.4	10.8	10.3	10.0	9.5	10.5	10.1	10.1
USA	4.9	5.2	5.9	9.6	8.9	8.1	7.4	6.3	5.8	5.4	6.4	5.9	5.9
Japan	3.7	5.0	4.3	5.1	4.6	4.3	4.0	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8

¹ Series following Eurostat definition based on the Labour Force Survey.

Quelle: European Commission 2014:155

Table 26: Real compensation of employees per head¹ (percentage change on preceding year, 1995-2016)

	5-year averages					Autumn 2014 forecast					Spring 2014 forecast				
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015
Belgium	1.0	0.6	0.5	-0.4	-0.1	1.2	1.4	0.1	-0.4	-0.9	-0.2	1.0	1.4	1.7	1.8
Germany	0.6	-0.1	-0.2	0.5	1.0	0.6	1.7	1.9	1.4	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8
Estonia	7.4	7.5	5.8	-1.0	-4.1	3.0	4.0	4.1	3.6	3.9	4.4	3.6	3.9	4.4	3.6
Ireland	1.2	2.4	3.7	-1.7	-0.5	0.3	0.3	-2.2	-0.4	0.8	-0.9	-0.4	-0.9	-0.9	-0.4
Greece	3.8	3.2	1.6	-6.1	-4.6	-2.7	-5.6	-0.5	-0.2	0.6	-1.9	-0.3	-1.9	-0.3	-0.3
Spain	-0.1	0.0	2.1	-0.9	-1.8	-2.9	0.7	0.6	0.4	-0.1	0.0	-0.5	0.0	0.0	-0.5
France	1.4	1.0	1.1	2.0	0.7	0.9	1.0	0.8	-0.1	-0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Italy	0.1	0.4	0.8	1.2	-1.7	-1.9	0.0	0.4	0.0	-1.0	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.1
Cyprus	...	2.4	-0.2	0.1	-0.5	-3.7	-5.9	-3.7	-0.4	2.5	-3.6	-0.6	-3.6	-0.6	-0.6
Lithuania	...	3.2	8.8	-2.8	-2.2	2.7	9.0	5.3	2.8	2.5	2.8	2.1	2.8	2.1	2.1
Luxembourg	0.4	1.4	1.1	1.1	-0.4	-0.4	3.3	3.3	3.6	3.2	2.3	2.7	2.3	2.7	2.7
Malta	...	2.8	0.8	-0.1	1.1	1.5	-1.5	2.7	0.9	0.5	0.6	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1
Netherlands	0.7	1.4	1.2	-0.3	0.3	1.2	0.3	1.7	-0.7	0.3	1.0	0.2	1.0	0.2	0.2
Austria	1.3	0.4	1.0	-0.7	-0.9	0.2	-0.1	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3
Portugal	3.3	0.6	0.7	0.3	-3.5	-3.5	2.8	-1.2	0.0	0.1	-1.2	-0.1	-1.2	-0.1	-0.1
Slovenia	...	2.9	2.2	2.6	-0.1	-2.6	1.3	0.1	0.2	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.7	0.4	0.4
Slovakia	...	2.4	3.9	4.4	-1.8	-0.8	1.2	4.0	1.7	2.0	2.0	1.2	2.0	1.2	1.2
Finland	2.0	1.2	1.4	0.8	0.4	-0.2	-0.5	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.3
Euro area	0.4	0.8	0.6	-0.2	0.0	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6
Bulgaria	4.2	5.4	7.3	2.2	4.0	11.1	3.5	1.4	2.3	3.6	3.6	1.7	3.6	3.6	1.7
Czech Republic	3.5	5.4	1.5	2.8	1.2	-1.1	-1.6	2.3	1.9	1.6	1.7	0.6	1.7	1.7	0.6
Denmark	2.0	1.6	1.5	0.7	-1.2	-1.1	0.1	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.3
Croatia	...	2.3	0.7	0.4	-0.5	-1.9	-0.4	1.6	0.8	0.4	1.5	0.6	1.5	0.6	0.6
Hungary	5.1	0.1	-3.3	-0.3	-4.2	-1.0	3.8	1.4	0.2	2.5	0.6	2.5	0.6	0.6	0.6
Poland	5.6	1.1	1.5	5.5	0.3	0.2	1.9	2.8	2.7	2.2	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.5
Romania	3.0	8.9	10.1	-5.0	-7.9	-3.7	4.4	3.8	2.1	2.8	2.4	1.2	2.4	1.2	1.2
Sweden	1.9	3.0	1.7	0.7	1.5	2.5	0.9	2.2	1.2	1.0	2.1	1.4	2.1	1.4	1.4
United Kingdom	2.4	3.5	0.9	-0.9	-2.5	-0.2	0.1	0.3	0.9	0.8	0.2	0.8	0.2	0.8	0.6
EU	...	1.3	0.8	0.6	-0.6	-0.2	0.6	0.9	0.8	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
USA	2.1	2.0	0.9	1.7	0.1	0.3	-0.5	0.1	0.6	0.9	0.7	1.0	0.7	1.0	1.0
Japan	0.3	-0.3	-0.5	2.1	1.4	0.7	0.3	-0.9	-0.5	-0.4	-1.4	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7

¹Deflated by the price deflator of private consumption

Quelle: European Commission 2014:156

Table 27: Labour productivity (real GDP per occupied person) (percentage change on preceding year, 1995-2016)

	5-year averages					Autumn 2014 forecast					Spring 2014 forecast				
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015
Belgium	1.5	1.2	0.0	1.8	0.2	-0.2	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.5	1.1	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.1
Germany	1.0	0.9	-0.2	3.8	2.2	-0.7	-0.5	0.5	0.7	1.2	1.3	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7
Estonia	8.9	7.0	1.8	7.8	1.6	3.0	0.4	2.2	2.3	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Ireland	3.8	2.7	0.3	3.9	4.6	0.3	-2.1	2.6	1.4	1.4	-0.6	-0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
Greece	2.4	3.1	0.1	-2.8	-2.1	1.4	0.5	0.0	0.3	-0.3	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3
Spain	0.5	0.4	0.9	2.7	2.0	2.4	2.1	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.8
France	1.5	1.0	0.2	2.2	1.6	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
Italy	1.4	0.4	-0.4	2.6	0.5	-1.4	-0.2	0.0	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.4	0.8
Cyprus	:	1.2	0.9	1.6	-0.2	1.8	-0.1	-0.9	0.2	0.3	-0.4	-0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1
Latvia	6.0	6.6	4.7	4.1	3.4	3.3	1.9	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.1	2.4
Lithuania	5.3	7.7	3.8	7.3	5.6	2.0	1.9	2.1	1.9	2.1	1.9	1.9	2.5	1.9	2.5
Luxembourg	1.2	0.3	-1.3	3.3	-0.3	-2.5	0.0	0.7	0.3	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Malta	3.4	2.4	0.5	1.8	-0.5	-0.3	-1.3	0.7	1.1	1.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2
Netherlands	1.3	1.4	0.6	1.7	1.0	-1.0	0.7	1.8	1.3	1.0	1.8	1.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
Austria	2.3	1.6	0.6	1.3	1.6	-0.4	-0.5	-0.2	0.6	0.5	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0
Portugal	2.2	0.9	0.9	3.4	0.1	0.8	1.6	-0.7	0.5	0.9	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.3	0.7
Slovenia	:	2.9	1.2	3.5	2.3	-1.8	0.5	2.0	1.1	1.5	0.8	0.8	1.1	1.1	1.1
Slovakia	:	4.1	3.5	6.4	0.9	1.6	2.2	1.6	1.8	2.7	1.7	1.7	2.5	1.7	2.5
Finland	2.5	2.0	-0.3	3.7	1.3	-2.3	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.7	0.4	0.7
Euro area	:	0.9	0.2	2.8	1.6	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.0
Bulgaria	:	4.7	1.9	4.7	4.3	3.1	1.5	1.5	0.8	0.7	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.4	1.6
Czech Republic	2.9	3.8	2.1	3.4	2.2	-1.2	-1.1	2.1	2.4	2.4	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.8	2.0
Denmark	1.9	1.6	-0.6	4.0	1.4	-0.5	-0.3	0.1	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.3
Croatia	:	3.2	0.2	3.6	2.1	1.8	0.1	0.7	0.7	0.6	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.7
Hungary	:	4.3	1.2	0.6	1.8	-1.6	0.7	-0.1	2.0	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.5
Poland	5.8	4.6	1.8	6.5	4.2	1.6	1.7	2.0	2.6	2.9	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.8
Romania	3.1	8.4	4.4	-0.5	1.9	-1.8	4.8	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
Sweden	2.8	2.3	0.4	5.0	0.5	-1.0	0.5	0.8	1.1	1.3	1.6	1.6	1.9	1.6	1.9
United Kingdom	2.3	2.2	0.4	1.7	1.1	-0.6	0.4	0.9	1.4	1.4	1.1	1.1	1.5	1.1	1.5
EU	:	1.7	0.2	2.9	1.6	-0.2	0.4	0.6	0.9	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.2
USA	1.9	2.3	1.2	3.8	0.6	0.5	0.4	-0.2	0.6	0.6	1.0	1.0	1.6	1.0	1.6
Japan	1.1	1.8	-0.2	5.1	-0.3	1.4	1.1	0.6	0.7	0.7	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0

Quelle: European Commission 2014:157

Table 29: Real unit labour costs¹ (percentage change on preceding year, 1995-2016)

	5-year averages					Autumn 2014 forecast					Spring 2014 forecast				
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015
Belgium	-0.3	-0.6	0.7	-2.5	0.6	1.5	0.5	-0.8	-0.6	-1.3	-2.0	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0
Germany	-0.3	-0.5	0.1	-1.9	-0.5	1.8	0.3	0.3	0.8	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Estonia	-2.6	-0.6	2.5	-6.4	-3.7	0.7	2.2	1.3	0.5	0.3	1.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Ireland	-3.2	-1.2	3.3	-5.9	-4.1	-0.8	3.2	-4.3	-1.5	-0.7	-0.1	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1
Greece	0.9	0.1	1.3	-0.5	-0.9	-3.4	-4.9	0.0	-0.7	0.9	-2.0	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7
Spain	-0.9	-0.8	0.9	-1.8	-1.2	-3.2	-1.1	0.2	-0.8	-1.1	-0.8	-1.3	-1.3	-1.3	-1.3
France	-0.4	0.0	0.6	-0.2	-0.1	0.6	0.3	0.5	-0.4	-1.2	-0.7	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6
Italy	-1.4	0.1	1.0	-0.2	-0.8	0.6	0.0	0.4	-0.3	-1.0	-0.2	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7
Cyprus	:	0.5	-1.1	-1.1	0.7	-4.6	-4.6	-2.0	-0.8	-0.5	-3.1	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8
Croatia	-1.8	-3.2	3.2	-8.2	-5.8	-0.9	6.2	2.2	0.1	-0.1	0.2	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6
Lithuania	4.9	-1.7	0.5	-9.0	-4.2	-0.5	1.4	0.6	1.4	0.9	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2
Luxembourg	-0.7	1.6	1.1	-4.7	-2.4	0.7	2.2	-0.6	0.1	-0.7	-1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
Malta	-1.1	0.1	0.0	-3.5	1.8	2.1	-1.1	1.4	-0.2	-0.7	-0.2	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6
Netherlands	-0.7	-0.3	0.4	-2.2	1.2	2.3	0.5	0.7	-1.9	-1.1	-0.6	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
Austria	-0.9	-0.9	0.2	-1.1	-1.0	1.2	1.1	0.7	-0.1	-0.1	-0.7	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6
Portugal	0.5	-0.4	-0.4	-1.9	-1.7	-2.5	-0.4	-0.8	-1.0	-1.5	-1.8	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6
Slovenia	:	0.0	0.8	1.6	-1.8	0.3	0.0	-1.2	-0.1	-0.4	-0.7	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8
Slovakia	:	-1.4	1.7	-1.4	-0.6	-0.2	-0.2	2.0	-0.1	-1.0	0.2	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7
Finland	-1.3	-0.4	1.6	-1.8	-0.3	2.5	-0.6	0.1	-0.3	-0.6	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5
Euro area	:	-0.4	0.5	-1.3	-0.5	0.6	0.1	0.3	-0.2	-0.7	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4
Bulgaria	:	-1.6	1.1	3.7	-4.3	2.9	8.0	0.9	0.4	1.9	1.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Czech Republic	-0.1	1.0	0.0	1.4	0.8	1.1	-1.2	-0.7	-0.5	-0.7	-1.1	-1.3	-1.3	-1.3	-1.3
Denmark	0.2	-0.3	1.6	-4.0	-0.6	-0.5	-0.2	0.3	-0.5	-0.4	-0.7	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8
Croatia	:	-1.4	0.3	-2.4	-1.9	-2.0	0.6	0.5	0.0	0.2	-0.2	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8
Hungary	:	0.2	-0.5	-2.4	-0.6	0.1	-2.1	2.3	-0.7	-1.4	-0.3	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7
Poland	-0.2	-2.8	-0.9	-0.2	-2.2	-0.4	-0.2	0.8	0.2	-0.6	-0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Romania	-0.4	-2.9	0.7	-2.9	-10.1	-2.2	0.6	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.5	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3
Sweden	-1.0	0.5	0.9	-3.6	1.4	3.0	0.2	0.5	-0.1	-0.4	-0.1	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6
United Kingdom	0.6	0.2	0.6	-1.4	-2.4	0.7	-0.2	-1.2	-0.8	-0.5	-0.8	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9
EU	:	-0.6	0.4	-1.3	-1.0	0.5	0.0	0.1	-0.3	-0.7	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5
USA	0.2	-0.4	-0.4	-1.5	-0.1	-0.1	-1.2	0.2	0.1	0.3	-0.3	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6
Japan	-0.4	-1.6	0.0	-2.4	2.7	-0.6	-0.5	-1.0	-0.8	-1.0	-1.6	-1.3	-1.3	-1.3	-1.3

¹ Nominal unit labour costs divided by gross national product

Quelle: European Commission 2014:158

Table 36: Net lending (+) or net borrowing (-), general government (as a percentage of GDP, 1995-2016)

	5-year averages					Autumn 2014 forecast					Spring 2014 forecast				
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015
Belgium	-2.4	-0.4	-1.8	-4.0	-3.9	-4.1	-2.9	-3.0	-2.8	-2.8	-2.6	-2.6	-2.6	-2.8	-2.8
Germany	-3.9	-2.7	-1.5	-4.1	-0.9	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.1
Estonia	-	-	-	-	0.2	1.0	-0.3	-0.5	-0.4	-0.6	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	-0.6
Ireland	0.7	1.4	-3.3	-32.4	-12.6	-8.0	-5.7	-3.7	-2.9	-3.0	-4.8	-4.8	-4.8	-4.2	-4.2
Greece	-	-	-	-	-11.1	-10.1	-8.6	-12.2	-1.6	-0.1	1.3	-1.6	-1.6	-1.0	-1.0
Spain	-4.1	-0.5	-2.0	-9.4	-9.4	-10.3	-6.8	-5.6	-4.6	-3.9	-5.6	-5.6	-5.6	-6.1	-6.1
France	-3.3	-2.6	-3.7	-6.8	-5.1	-4.9	-4.1	-4.4	-4.5	-4.7	-3.9	-3.9	-3.9	-3.4	-3.4
Italy	-4.3	-3.0	-3.4	-4.2	-3.5	-3.0	-2.8	-3.0	-2.7	-2.2	-2.6	-2.6	-2.6	-2.2	-2.2
Cyprus	-3.3	-3.6	-1.0	-4.8	-5.8	-5.8	-4.9	-3.0	-3.0	-1.4	-5.8	-5.8	-5.8	-6.1	-6.1
Lithuania	-0.8	-1.9	-2.9	-8.2	-3.4	-0.8	-0.9	-1.1	-1.2	-0.9	-1.0	-1.0	-1.0	-1.1	-1.1
Lithuania	-	-	-	-2.9	-6.9	-9.0	-3.2	-2.6	-1.2	-1.4	-0.8	-1.1	-1.1	-1.6	-1.6
Luxembourg	2.8	2.7	1.7	-0.6	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.2	-0.4	-0.6	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	-1.4	-1.4
Malta	-6.8	-6.1	-3.0	-3.3	-2.6	-3.7	-2.7	-2.5	-2.6	-2.0	-2.5	-2.5	-2.5	-2.5	-2.5
Netherlands	-2.4	-1.1	-1.0	-5.0	-4.3	-4.0	-2.3	-2.5	-2.1	-1.8	-2.8	-2.8	-2.8	-1.8	-1.8
Austria	-3.6	-2.1	-2.6	-4.5	-2.6	-2.3	-1.5	-2.9	-1.8	-1.1	-2.8	-2.8	-2.8	-1.5	-1.5
Portugal	-4.2	-4.4	-5.4	-11.2	-7.4	-5.5	-4.9	-4.9	-3.3	-2.8	-4.0	-4.0	-4.0	-2.5	-2.5
Slovenia	-3.4	-3.0	-2.2	-5.7	-6.2	-3.7	-14.6	-4.4	-2.9	-2.7	-4.3	-4.3	-4.3	-3.1	-3.1
Slovakia	-6.4	-6.3	-3.7	-7.5	-4.1	-4.2	-2.6	-3.0	-2.6	-2.3	-2.9	-2.9	-2.9	-2.8	-2.8
Finland	-1.4	4.1	2.7	-2.6	-1.0	-2.1	-2.4	-2.9	-2.6	-2.3	-2.3	-2.3	-2.3	-1.3	-1.3
Euro area	-	-	-	-6.1	-4.1	-3.6	-2.9	-2.6	-2.4	-2.1	-2.5	-2.5	-2.5	-2.3	-2.3
Bulgaria	-3.1	0.2	0.3	-3.2	-2.0	-0.5	-1.2	-3.6	-3.7	-3.8	-1.9	-1.9	-1.9	-1.8	-1.8
Czech Republic	-5.4	-4.8	-2.7	-4.4	-2.9	-4.0	-1.3	-1.4	-2.1	-1.7	-1.9	-1.9	-1.9	-2.4	-2.4
Denmark	-1.4	1.0	3.1	-2.7	-2.1	-3.9	-0.7	-1.0	-2.3	-2.0	-1.2	-1.2	-1.2	-2.7	-2.7
Croatia	-	-	-	-3.6	-6.0	-7.7	-5.6	-5.2	-5.6	-5.5	-5.6	-5.6	-5.6	-3.1	-3.1
Hungary	-6.2	-5.9	-6.1	-4.5	-5.5	-2.3	-2.4	-2.9	-2.8	-2.5	-2.9	-2.9	-2.9	-2.8	-2.8
Poland	-	-	-	-7.6	-4.9	-3.7	-4.0	-3.4	-2.9	-2.8	5.7	5.7	5.7	-2.9	-2.9
Romania	-3.5	-2.6	-4.1	-6.6	-5.5	-3.0	-2.2	-2.1	-2.8	-2.5	-2.2	-2.2	-2.2	-1.9	-1.9
Sweden	-2.0	0.4	1.7	0.0	-0.1	-0.9	-1.3	-2.4	-1.8	-1.2	-1.8	-1.8	-1.8	-0.8	-0.8
United Kingdom	-2.2	-1.5	-5.1	-9.6	-7.6	-8.3	-5.8	-5.4	-4.4	-3.4	-5.1	-5.1	-5.1	-4.1	-4.1
EU	-	-	-	-6.4	-4.5	-4.2	-3.2	-3.0	-2.7	-2.3	-2.6	-2.6	-2.6	-2.5	-2.5
USA	-1.8	-3.3	-6.1	-12.0	-10.6	-8.9	-5.6	-4.9	-4.3	-3.9	-5.4	-5.4	-5.4	-4.7	-4.7
Japan	-6.1	-7.0	-3.8	-8.3	-8.8	-8.7	-8.8	-7.5	-6.4	-7.4	-6.2	-6.2	-6.2	-6.2	-6.2

Quelle: European Commission 2014:161

Table 37: Interest expenditure, general government (as a percentage of GDP, 1995-2016)

	5-year averages					Autumn 2014 forecast					Spring 2014 forecast				
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015
Belgium	7.7	5.7	3.9	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.1	2.9	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
Germany	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.8
Estonia	:	:	:	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Ireland	3.8	1.4	1.3	3.0	3.4	4.1	4.4	4.1	3.8	3.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.9	4.9
Greece	:	:	:	5.9	7.3	5.0	4.0	4.3	4.2	4.0	4.5	4.5	4.5	5.1	5.1
Spain	4.4	2.6	1.6	1.9	2.4	2.9	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6
France	3.2	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4
Italy	9.1	5.4	4.6	4.3	4.7	5.2	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.6	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2
Cyprus	2.4	3.1	2.8	2.1	2.2	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
Latvia	0.9	0.8	0.7	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
Lithuania	:	:	0.8	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
Luxembourg	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Malta	2.6	3.8	3.5	3.1	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9
Netherlands	4.5	2.7	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7
Austria	3.7	3.4	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6
Portugal	4.1	2.8	2.9	2.9	4.3	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4
Slovenia	2.2	2.1	1.3	1.6	1.9	2.0	2.5	3.3	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9
Slovakia	2.6	3.2	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
Finland	3.7	2.2	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Euro area	:	:	:	2.7	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9
Bulgaria	9.1	2.9	1.1	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
Czech Republic	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3
Denmark	5.0	3.1	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3
Croatia	:	:	1.7	2.4	2.9	3.3	3.4	3.8	4.0	4.1	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.6
Hungary	8.0	4.5	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.6	4.6	4.1	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8
Poland	:	:	:	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.5	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2
Romania	3.3	2.6	1.0	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8
Sweden	4.7	2.5	1.6	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6
United Kingdom	3.2	2.1	2.1	2.9	3.2	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9
EU	:	:	:	2.7	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7
USA	4.9	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.9	3.8	3.6	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	4.0
Japan	3.3	2.4	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.0

Quelle: European Commission 2014:162

Table 38: Primary balance, general government¹ (as a percentage of GDP, 1995-2016)

	5-year averages					Autumn 2014 forecast					Spring 2014 forecast		
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015	2016
Belgium	5.3	5.3	2.1	-0.6	-0.5	-0.7	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.2
Germany	-0.6	0.2	1.2	-1.6	1.6	2.4	2.2	2.1	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.7	1.7
Estonia	:	:	:	0.3	1.2	-0.1	-0.3	-0.3	-0.5	-0.3	-0.4	-0.5	-0.5
Ireland	4.5	2.9	-2.0	-29.4	-9.2	-3.9	-1.3	0.4	0.9	0.8	-0.1	0.6	0.6
Greece	:	:	:	-5.2	-2.9	-3.6	-8.2	2.7	4.1	5.4	2.8	4.1	4.1
Spain	0.3	2.1	-0.4	-7.5	-7.0	-7.4	-3.5	-2.3	-1.2	-0.5	-2.1	-2.6	-2.6
France	-0.1	0.2	-1.1	-4.4	-2.5	-2.3	-1.9	-2.3	-2.2	-2.3	-1.5	-1.0	-1.0
Italy	4.8	2.5	1.2	0.0	1.2	2.2	2.0	1.7	1.8	2.4	2.6	2.9	2.9
Cyprus	-0.9	-0.5	1.8	-2.7	-3.6	-2.9	-1.8	0.1	0.2	1.7	-1.8	-2.1	-2.1
Latvia	0.0	-1.1	-2.2	-6.5	-1.6	0.9	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.2	0.2
Lithuania	:	:	-2.1	-5.1	-7.1	-1.2	-0.9	0.7	0.3	0.8	-0.6	-0.1	-0.1
Luxembourg	3.3	3.0	2.0	-0.2	0.7	0.5	1.1	0.5	-0.1	-0.2	0.3	-0.9	-0.9
Malta	-4.3	-2.3	0.5	-0.2	0.5	-0.7	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.8	0.4	0.4	0.4
Netherlands	2.1	1.6	1.0	-3.3	-2.6	-2.3	-0.8	-1.0	-0.7	-0.4	-1.0	-0.2	-0.2
Austria	0.1	1.3	0.5	-1.6	0.1	0.4	1.1	-0.4	0.7	1.4	-0.3	1.0	1.0
Portugal	-0.2	-1.6	-2.6	-8.2	-3.0	-0.6	0.1	0.1	1.6	2.0	0.3	1.9	1.9
Slovenia	-1.2	-0.9	-0.9	-4.1	-4.3	-1.7	-12.0	-1.1	0.3	0.4	-1.3	-0.1	-0.1
Slovakia	-3.8	-3.1	-2.3	-6.2	-2.6	-2.4	-0.7	-1.1	-0.9	-0.6	-1.1	-0.9	-0.9
Finland	2.2	6.3	4.1	-1.3	0.4	-0.7	-1.2	-1.6	-1.4	-1.0	-1.3	-0.4	-0.4
Euro area	1.0	1.2	0.3	-3.4	-1.2	-0.6	-0.1	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.6
Bulgaria	6.0	3.0	1.4	-2.5	-1.3	0.3	-0.5	-2.8	-2.8	-2.8	-1.1	-1.0	-1.0
Czech Republic	-4.4	-3.9	-1.6	-3.1	-1.5	-2.5	0.0	-0.1	-0.8	-0.4	-0.5	-1.1	-1.1
Denmark	3.7	4.1	4.8	-0.8	-0.1	-2.1	1.0	0.5	-0.8	-0.5	0.2	-1.3	-1.3
Croatia	:	:	-1.9	-3.7	-4.8	-2.4	-1.8	-1.5	-1.6	-0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Hungary	1.8	-1.4	-2.0	-0.4	-1.3	2.3	2.2	1.2	1.1	1.4	0.9	1.0	1.0
Poland	:	:	-5.1	-2.4	-1.1	-1.5	-1.3	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8	7.8	-0.7	-0.7
Romania	-0.2	0.0	-3.1	-5.1	-3.9	-1.2	-0.5	-0.4	-1.0	-0.7	-0.5	-0.2	-0.2
Sweden	2.7	3.0	3.3	1.0	0.0	-0.5	-1.6	-1.0	-0.3	-1.1	-1.1	-0.2	-0.2
United Kingdom	1.0	0.6	-3.0	-6.7	-4.4	-5.4	-2.9	-2.7	-1.8	-0.9	-2.2	-1.2	-1.2
EU	1.1	1.1	-0.1	-3.7	-1.6	-1.4	-0.5	-0.5	-0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
USA	3.0	0.2	-2.6	-8.3	-6.7	-5.1	-2.0	-1.0	-0.3	0.1	-1.5	-0.7	-0.7
Japan	-2.8	-4.6	-1.9	-6.3	-6.7	-6.6	-6.7	-5.4	-3.4	-3.4	-5.4	-4.1	-4.1

¹ Net lending/borrowing excluding interest expenditure.

Quelle: European Commission 2014:162

Table 42: Gross debt, general government^a (as a percentage of GDP, 1995-2016)

	5-year averages					Autumn 2014 forecast					Spring 2014 forecast				
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015
Belgium	123.4	103.9	92.8	99.6	102.1	104.0	104.5	105.8	107.3	107.8	101.7	101.5	101.7	101.5	101.5
Germany	58.0	60.6	66.8	80.3	77.6	79.0	76.9	74.5	72.4	69.6	76.0	73.6	73.6	73.6	73.6
Estonia	:	:	:	6.5	6.0	9.7	10.1	9.9	9.6	9.5	9.8	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.6
Ireland	61.8	31.8	35.7	87.4	111.1	121.7	123.3	110.5	109.4	106.0	121.0	120.4	120.4	120.4	120.4
Greece	:	:	:	146.0	171.3	156.9	174.9	175.5	168.8	157.8	177.2	172.4	172.4	172.4	172.4
Spain	63.0	51.3	41.8	60.1	69.2	84.4	92.1	98.1	101.2	102.1	100.2	103.8	103.8	103.8	103.8
France	59.3	61.1	68.4	81.5	85.0	89.2	92.2	95.5	98.1	99.8	95.6	96.6	96.6	96.6	96.6
Italy	113.5	102.4	103.8	115.3	116.4	122.2	127.9	132.2	133.8	132.7	135.2	133.9	133.9	133.9	133.9
Cyprus	52.1	60.1	55.2	56.5	66.0	79.5	102.2	107.5	115.2	111.6	122.2	126.4	126.4	126.4	126.4
Latvia	11.8	13.5	17.0	46.8	42.7	40.9	38.2	40.3	36.3	35.1	39.5	33.4	33.4	33.4	33.4
Lithuania	:	21.8	19.5	36.3	37.3	39.9	39.0	41.3	41.6	41.3	41.8	41.4	41.4	41.4	41.4
Luxembourg	7.3	6.4	10.1	19.6	18.5	21.4	23.6	23.0	24.3	25.4	23.4	25.5	25.5	25.5	25.5
Malta	46.6	66.1	65.5	67.6	69.8	67.9	69.8	71.0	71.0	69.8	72.5	71.1	71.1	71.1	71.1
Netherlands	66.5	49.6	49.7	59.0	61.3	66.5	68.6	69.7	70.3	69.9	73.8	73.4	73.4	73.4	73.4
Austria	65.8	65.8	69.7	82.4	82.1	81.7	81.2	87.0	86.1	84.0	80.3	79.2	79.2	79.2	79.2
Portugal	55.2	56.1	72.1	96.2	111.1	124.8	128.0	127.7	125.1	123.7	126.7	124.8	124.8	124.8	124.8
Slovenia	21.7	26.5	26.2	37.9	46.2	53.4	70.4	82.2	82.9	80.6	80.4	81.3	81.3	81.3	81.3
Slovakia	33.2	44.5	31.7	41.1	43.5	52.1	54.6	54.1	54.9	54.7	56.3	57.8	57.8	57.8	57.8
Finland	50.7	41.8	37.3	47.1	48.5	53.0	56.0	59.8	61.7	62.4	59.9	61.2	61.2	61.2	61.2
Euro area	:	:	:	83.8	86.4	90.8	93.1	94.5	94.8	93.8	96.0	95.4	95.4	95.4	95.4
Bulgaria	:	53.0	18.5	15.9	15.7	18.0	18.3	25.3	26.8	30.2	23.1	22.7	22.7	22.7	22.7
Czech Republic	13.3	24.5	29.3	38.2	41.0	45.5	45.7	44.4	44.7	45.2	44.4	45.8	45.8	45.8	45.8
Denmark	63.8	48.1	34.0	42.9	46.4	45.6	45.0	44.1	45.1	45.6	43.5	44.9	44.9	44.9	44.9
Croatia	:	:	37.9	52.8	59.9	64.4	75.7	81.7	84.9	89.0	69.0	69.2	69.2	69.2	69.2
Hungary	67.7	55.8	68.3	80.9	81.0	78.5	77.3	76.9	76.4	75.2	80.3	79.5	79.5	79.5	79.5
Poland	:	:	:	53.6	54.8	54.4	55.7	49.1	50.2	50.1	49.2	50.0	50.0	50.0	50.0
Romania	14.1	22.6	15.4	29.9	34.2	37.3	37.9	39.4	40.4	41.1	39.9	40.1	40.1	40.1	40.1
Sweden	67.3	50.0	41.3	36.7	36.1	36.4	38.6	40.3	40.1	39.4	41.6	40.4	40.4	40.4	40.4
United Kingdom	45.8	37.7	49.0	76.4	81.9	85.8	87.2	89.0	89.5	89.9	91.8	92.7	92.7	92.7	92.7
EU	:	:	:	78.4	81.3	85.0	87.1	88.1	88.3	87.6	89.5	89.2	89.2	89.2	89.2

^aData for the EU and the euro area are published on a non-consolidated basis, e.g. without correction for intergovernmental loans. Eurostat in its news release 158/2014 of 21 October 2014 published consolidated figures.

Quelle: European Commission 2014:164

Table 47: Exports of goods and services, volume (percentage change on preceding year, 1995-2016)

	5-year averages					Autumn 2014 forecast					Spring 2014 forecast				
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Belgium	5.7	4.7	1.4	10.0	6.6	1.9	2.9	3.0	2.9	4.2	3.0	3.0	4.7		
Germany	7.5	7.3	2.7	14.5	8.0	2.8	1.6	3.3	4.2	5.4	5.0	5.0	5.6		
Estonia	8.8	12.5	3.5	24.0	22.2	8.3	2.6	1.5	3.4	5.5	3.1	3.1	5.0		
Ireland	17.7	8.3	2.7	6.2	5.5	4.7	1.1	8.0	5.3	5.6	2.8	2.8	3.7		
Greece	11.4	6.0	0.3	4.6	0.0	1.2	2.1	5.3	5.4	4.9	4.1	4.1	5.2		
Spain	10.0	4.6	0.4	9.4	7.4	1.2	4.3	3.8	4.9	5.8	5.5	5.5	6.7		
France	7.8	4.2	0.0	9.0	6.9	1.1	2.2	2.3	3.9	5.3	3.1	3.1	5.3		
Italy	4.1	3.2	-1.2	11.8	5.2	2.0	0.6	1.5	3.4	4.2	3.3	3.3	4.3		
Cyprus	5.9	1.5	-0.2	2.6	4.2	-1.7	-5.0	0.3	2.0	2.6	-2.7	-2.7	1.8		
Latvia	:	9.2	6.1	13.4	12.0	9.8	1.5	1.5	3.3	4.8	3.6	3.6	5.6		
Lithuania	:	12.2	6.7	18.9	14.9	12.2	9.4	-0.2	5.4	6.6	6.3	6.3	6.6		
Luxembourg	8.6	6.8	3.7	8.2	5.0	2.9	5.6	2.4	4.0	4.9	3.3	3.3	4.7		
Malta	:	1.0	10.1	6.9	1.8	6.3	-1.6	1.0	4.6	5.3	2.7	2.7	6.0		
Netherlands	7.6	4.4	2.5	8.9	4.4	3.3	2.0	3.4	3.3	4.6	3.3	3.3	5.0		
Austria	7.4	6.4	1.3	12.8	6.6	1.3	1.4	2.2	3.2	4.7	4.4	4.4	5.9		
Portugal	7.6	4.3	1.6	9.5	7.0	3.1	6.4	3.6	4.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.7		
Slovenia	5.0	8.7	4.6	10.1	7.0	0.3	2.6	5.1	4.5	5.3	3.9	3.9	5.4		
Slovakia	4.0	12.7	6.3	15.7	12.0	9.3	5.2	4.6	4.4	5.6	5.6	5.6	6.4		
Finland	9.7	5.5	1.8	6.2	2.0	1.2	-1.7	0.2	1.9	3.2	2.7	2.7	4.5		
Euro area	:	5.5	1.5	11.1	6.6	2.5	2.1	3.1	3.9	5.0	4.0	4.0	5.3		
Bulgaria	:	3.9	4.9	17.2	12.3	0.1	9.2	1.4	3.0	3.7	4.9	4.9	6.5		
Czech Republic	8.6	12.4	7.1	14.8	9.3	4.1	0.3	8.3	5.3	6.0	5.0	5.0	6.2		
Denmark	5.4	4.3	2.8	1.9	7.3	-0.1	1.2	1.1	3.7	4.4	3.1	3.1	4.0		
Croatia	:	9.9	-0.2	6.2	2.2	-0.1	3.0	5.4	3.6	4.8	2.6	2.6	3.7		
Hungary	20.9	12.5	8.2	11.3	6.6	-1.5	5.9	6.5	6.0	5.9	5.7	5.7	6.1		
Poland	11.5	9.8	7.0	12.9	7.9	4.3	5.0	3.9	3.9	5.7	4.4	4.4	6.0		
Romania	5.0	14.7	3.3	15.2	11.9	1.0	21.5	8.9	5.1	6.0	6.5	6.5	5.6		
Sweden	9.0	5.6	1.1	11.9	6.1	1.0	-0.5	2.2	3.9	4.7	3.7	3.7	5.4		
United Kingdom	6.0	4.3	2.1	6.2	5.6	0.7	0.5	-0.6	3.3	4.3	2.6	2.6	3.2		
EU	:	5.6	1.9	10.5	6.6	2.2	2.1	2.9	3.9	5.0	4.0	4.0	5.1		
USA	7.4	2.3	4.1	11.9	6.9	3.3	3.0	3.4	5.5	5.6	5.0	5.0	5.6		
Japan	3.9	7.1	-0.5	24.4	-0.4	-0.2	1.6	6.8	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.9		

Quelle: European Commission 2014;167

Table 48: Imports of goods and services, volume (percentage change on preceding year, 1995-2016)

	5-year averages					Autumn 2014 forecast					Spring 2014 forecast				
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015
Belgium	5.3	4.2	2.0	9.6	7.2	1.9	1.8	2.9	2.8	4.2	2.7	2.7	5.1		
Germany	7.7	4.5	2.9	12.9	7.2	0.0	3.1	3.9	4.8	6.6	5.4	6.5			
Estonia	9.5	16.5	0.7	21.0	26.8	12.2	3.1	2.3	4.1	6.5	3.9	5.3			
Ireland	17.0	7.5	2.1	3.0	-0.6	6.9	0.6	7.3	5.6	6.1	3.1	2.6			
Greece	12.1	5.7	1.4	-5.5	-9.0	-9.1	-1.6	0.4	2.1	3.4	-1.2	2.2			
Spain	11.8	6.5	-0.6	6.9	-0.8	-6.3	-0.5	4.8	5.1	6.0	3.4	5.8			
France	7.3	5.2	1.7	8.9	6.3	-1.3	1.7	2.7	3.4	5.9	3.1	5.8			
Italy	6.3	3.8	-0.4	12.4	0.5	-8.0	-2.7	1.3	2.7	3.5	2.7				
Cyprus	5.0	2.8	1.4	4.5	-0.6	-4.6	-13.6	-0.5	-0.1	1.3	-7.2	0.2			
Latvia	:	10.5	0.3	12.4	22.0	5.4	0.3	1.4	3.5	5.4	3.9	6.8			
Lithuania	:	12.9	4.2	18.7	14.2	6.6	9.0	1.2	6.5	7.7	7.1	7.4			
Luxembourg	9.7	6.5	3.6	9.6	6.9	3.8	5.8	1.7	4.4	5.2	3.2	5.1			
Malta	:	1.0	10.2	7.6	-0.5	4.2	-1.7	2.0	4.5	4.2	3.6	5.7			
Netherlands	9.2	4.1	2.5	8.3	3.5	2.8	0.8	3.0	3.4	5.2	3.4	4.8			
Austria	5.4	5.4	0.9	11.3	6.4	0.7	-0.3	2.4	2.9	4.8	3.7	5.7			
Portugal	9.9	2.7	1.3	7.8	-5.8	-6.6	3.6	4.5	4.7	5.0	4.1	4.2			
Slovenia	8.7	7.2	3.5	6.6	5.0	-3.9	1.4	3.0	3.5	5.1	3.9	5.3			
Slovakia	6.6	12.0	4.8	14.7	9.7	2.6	3.8	5.7	4.0	5.5	5.4	6.1			
Finland	8.0	6.5	2.7	6.5	6.0	-2.5	-0.1	1.1	2.3	1.6	4.0				
Euro area	:	4.9	1.7	9.8	4.4	-1.0	1.2	3.2	3.9	5.5	3.8	5.5			
Bulgaria	:	9.5	6.0	4.1	8.5	4.5	4.9	1.7	2.0	2.9	5.5	6.4			
Czech Republic	10.0	12.8	5.4	14.9	6.7	2.4	0.3	8.6	5.4	5.9	4.0	6.0			
Denmark	5.9	5.6	4.1	0.9	7.0	0.7	2.2	2.1	3.7	4.3	2.8	3.8			
Croatia	:	10.7	0.0	-2.5	2.5	-3.0	3.2	3.4	2.6	4.5	1.3	2.3			
Hungary	17.7	12.7	5.1	10.1	4.5	-3.3	5.9	7.0	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.5			
Poland	18.3	5.9	6.9	14.0	5.5	-0.6	1.8	5.3	4.9	6.4	4.5	6.5			
Romania	8.3	19.1	7.8	12.6	10.2	-1.5	8.2	6.8	5.5	6.5	5.9	6.8			
Sweden	7.8	3.7	2.1	12.8	7.3	0.5	-0.8	4.5	4.9	5.3	4.7	5.9			
United Kingdom	8.2	5.9	0.6	8.7	1.0	3.1	0.5	-0.3	3.7	4.3	2.0	2.8			
EU	:	5.4	1.9	9.7	4.3	-0.4	1.3	3.1	4.0	5.3	3.7	5.2			
USA	10.6	5.8	-0.5	12.7	5.5	2.3	1.1	4.2	5.3	5.7	3.5	6.0			
Japan	4.4	4.7	-1.2	11.1	5.9	3.4	6.5	3.3	2.5	4.3	2.8				

Quelle: European Commission 2014:167

Table 49: Merchandise trade balance¹ (fob-fob, as a percentage of GDP, 1995-2016)

	5-year averages					Autumn 2014 forecast					Spring 2014 forecast				
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015	2014	2015	
Belgium	3.5	1.1	-0.6	-1.5	-1.5	-0.7	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	-0.6	-1.0	-1.6	-1.0	-1.6	
Germany	5.3	6.9	6.3	6.0	7.2	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.3	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.3	6.3	
Estonia	-17.1	-13.0	-2.3	-4.5	-7.4	-5.7	-5.5	-5.8	-6.2	-6.2	-5.3	-5.3	-5.3	-5.3	
Ireland	24.5	17.9	26.0	25.3	24.5	20.7	21.0	19.8	18.6	18.1	17.9	17.9	17.9	17.9	
Greece	-	-	-13.4	-12.6	-10.9	-10.6	-10.8	-10.1	-9.7	-9.5	-8.9	-8.9	-8.9	-8.9	
Spain	-3.2	-5.5	-7.1	-4.5	-4.1	-2.4	-1.1	-0.6	-0.4	-0.2	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6	-0.6	
France	0.3	-1.5	-2.0	-2.9	-2.4	-1.9	-1.9	-1.9	-2.1	-2.1	-2.8	-3.0	-3.0	-3.0	
Italy	0.8	-0.2	-1.4	-1.1	1.0	2.3	2.8	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
Cyprus	-24.9	-26.7	-25.7	-23.2	-20.8	-17.7	-18.8	-18.6	-18.6	-18.6	-16.5	-16.3	-16.3	-16.3	
Latvia	-18.6	-18.9	-8.5	-12.4	-12.0	-10.9	-10.5	-10.5	-10.9	-10.9	-9.1	-9.1	-9.1	-9.1	
Lithuania	-	-	-11.5	-5.9	-6.6	-3.3	-2.6	-4.0	-4.8	-5.6	-3.5	-4.2	-4.2	-4.2	
Luxembourg	-9.1	-4.9	-0.2	0.4	2.0	5.0	7.6	7.3	7.4	7.4	-11.8	-12.1	-12.1	-12.1	
Malta	-13.3	-18.2	-18.3	-17.0	-14.6	-13.7	-15.2	-15.5	-14.3	-14.3	-14.3	-14.3	-14.3	-14.3	
Netherlands	8.0	9.3	9.5	10.1	10.7	11.6	11.5	11.8	12.2	12.2	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	
Austria	-0.3	0.1	-0.5	-1.2	-1.0	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.4	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	
Portugal	-11.0	-11.3	-10.6	-7.9	-4.9	-4.0	-4.1	-4.2	-4.1	-4.1	-2.7	-2.3	-2.3	-2.3	
Slovenia	-3.6	-3.5	-1.8	-1.8	0.2	1.2	3.2	3.9	4.1	4.1	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.8	
Slovakia	-7.5	-3.3	-0.5	-0.6	3.1	4.3	3.3	3.7	4.1	4.1	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.5	
Finland	8.3	3.9	1.2	-0.8	-0.4	-0.2	-0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.9	
Euro area ^d	2.0	1.0	1.0	0.9	2.0	2.7	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	
Bulgaria	-17.0	-22.3	-7.6	-4.8	-9.9	-7.2	-7.6	-7.4	-7.7	-7.7	-6.0	-6.2	-6.2	-6.2	
Czech Republic	-6.2	0.7	1.1	1.9	3.1	4.0	5.0	5.2	5.6	5.9	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	
Denmark	3.8	1.4	3.3	3.1	2.7	2.6	2.3	2.1	1.7	2.6	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	
Croatia	-20.1	-20.6	-13.2	-14.3	-14.3	-15.1	-15.0	-15.4	-16.3	-16.3	-14.4	-14.3	-14.3	-14.3	
Hungary	-6.1	-0.8	2.6	2.8	3.0	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.9	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	
Poland	-4.2	-3.8	-3.0	-3.5	-2.1	-0.3	-0.8	-1.2	-1.5	-1.5	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	
Romania	-6.8	-11.6	-7.1	-6.7	-5.8	-2.6	-2.5	-2.8	-3.0	-2.5	-3.0	-3.0	-3.0	-3.0	
Sweden	7.5	6.2	4.3	3.4	3.7	3.7	2.9	2.5	2.3	2.3	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	
United Kingdom	-4.1	-5.8	-6.3	-6.0	-6.6	-6.4	-6.2	-6.1	-6.0	-6.0	-5.9	-5.9	-5.9	-5.9	
EU	0.8	-0.3	-0.2	-0.2	0.5	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	
EU ^e adjusted ^f	-0.5	-1.3	-1.1	-1.1	-0.5	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	
US ^g	-4.7	-5.5	-4.5	-5.0	-4.8	-4.4	-4.5	-4.6	-4.6	-4.6	-4.1	-4.2	-4.2	-4.2	
Japan	2.5	2.3	1.6	1.7	-0.3	-1.2	-1.9	-2.1	-2.0	-2.0	-2.3	-2.1	-2.1	-2.1	

¹ See note 7 on concepts and sources.

² See note 8 on concepts and sources.

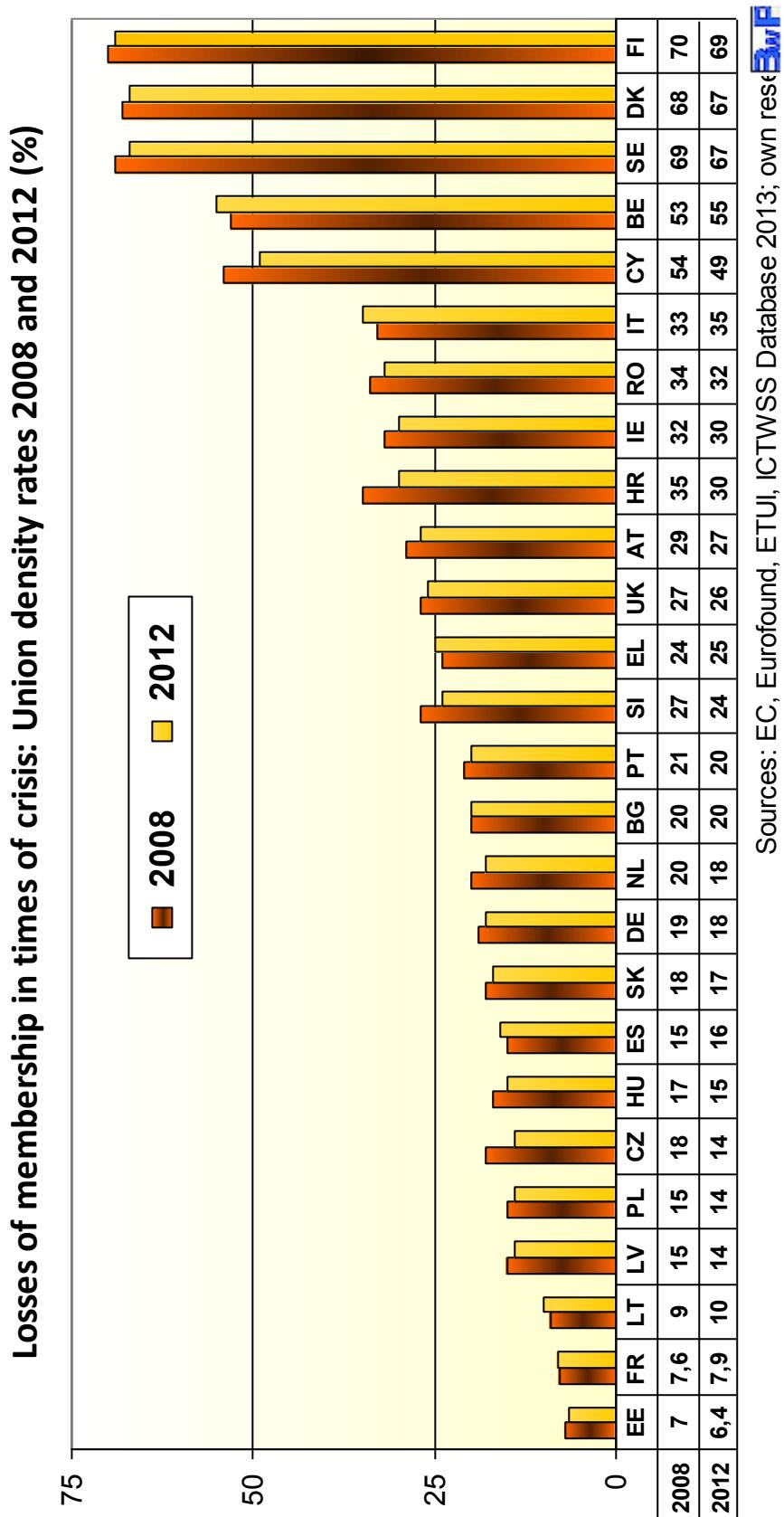
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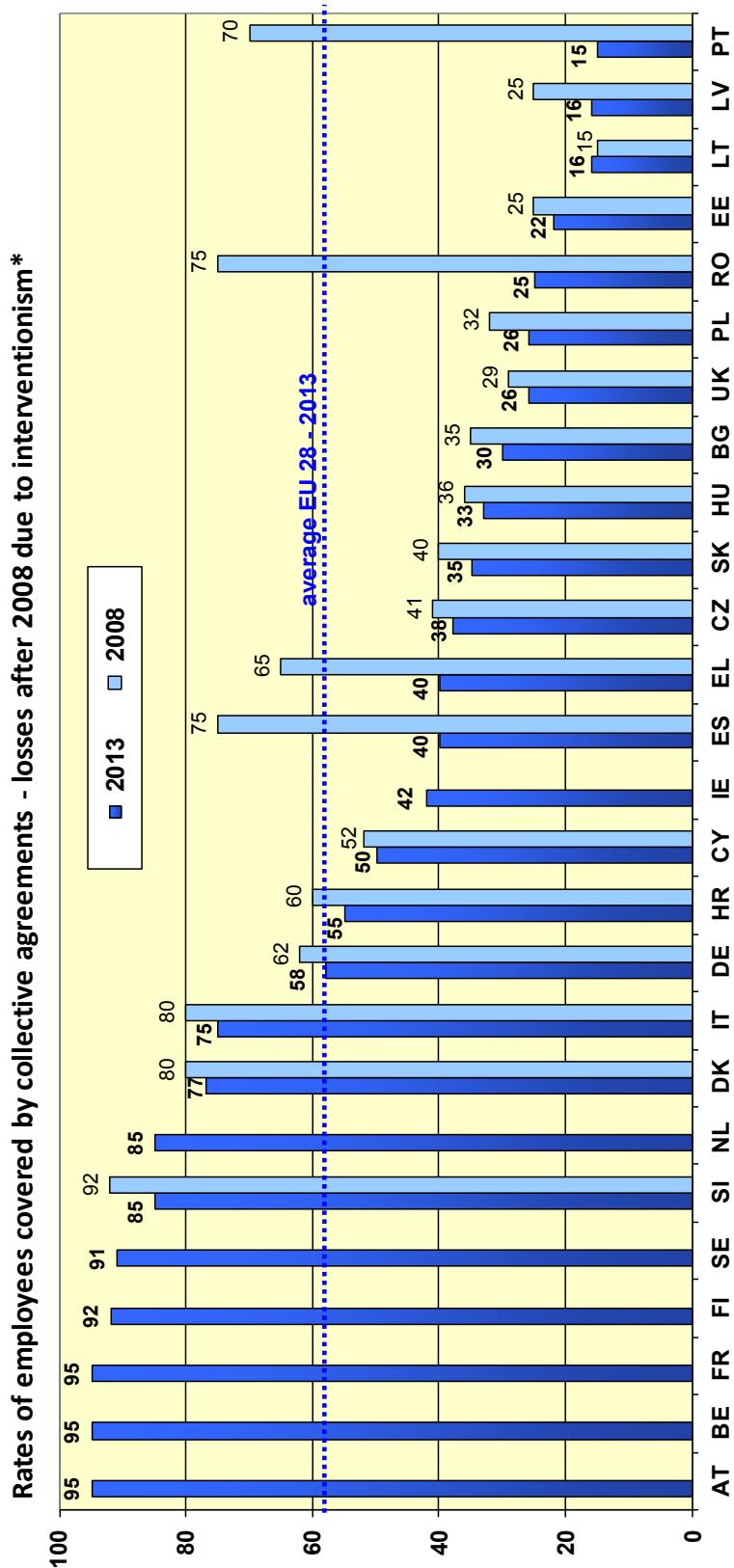
Table 50: Current-account balance¹ (as a percentage of GDP, 1995-2016)

	Autumn 2014					Spring 2014							
	5-year forecast					forecast							
	1995-99	2000-04	2005-09	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2014	2015	2016
Belgium	4.3	4.7	2.4	0.3	0.6	-1.5	-0.3	-0.5	-0.7	0.3	-0.3	0.3	-0.3
Germany	-0.9	1.2	5.9	5.9	6.2	7.2	6.9	7.1	7.1	6.7	7.3	7.3	7.0
Estonia	-8.5	-9.6	-9.1	2.0	-0.8	-3.3	-0.9	-2.8	-3.1	-3.7	-2.7	-2.7	-2.8
Ireland	1.8	-0.9	-4.9	-0.1	0.1	0.9	3.8	5.5	5.5	5.3	7.4	8.9	8.9
Greece	-4.4	-9.6	-13.6	-12.0	-10.5	-4.3	-2.7	-2.8	-2.5	-2.2	-2.3	-2.3	-2.2
Spain	-1.3	-4.3	-8.0	-3.9	-3.3	-0.4	1.5	0.5	0.7	0.9	1.4	1.5	1.5
France	2.0	1.1	-1.0	-1.7	-2.2	-2.5	-2.0	-1.9	-1.9	-2.2	-1.8	-2.0	-2.0
Italy	2.0	-0.4	-1.7	-3.5	-3.1	-0.5	1.0	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.5
Cyprus	-2.7	-3.2	-9.3	-9.1	-3.0	-5.5	-1.3	-1.2	-0.6	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4
Latvia	-7.2	-8.5	-12.0	2.1	-3.1	-3.5	-2.2	-2.2	-2.3	-2.8	-1.3	-2.0	-2.0
Lithuania	-10.0	-6.0	-8.4	-0.2	-3.7	-0.9	1.6	0.8	-0.4	-1.4	-0.8	-1.5	-1.5
Luxembourg	9.8	10.2	9.1	7.7	6.5	5.7	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.8	6.4	5.0	5.0
Malta	-7.3	-4.3	-6.9	-6.4	-6.4	-1.8	3.0	3.1	2.5	2.5	3.9	0.3	1.0
Netherlands	5.5	5.8	6.3	7.5	7.1	8.8	8.5	7.8	7.7	7.7	8.2	8.6	8.6
Austria	-2.3	0.8	2.8	3.1	2.1	2.6	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.7	2.8	3.4	3.8
Portugal	-6.2	-9.2	-10.7	-10.4	-5.6	-2.6	-0.3	-0.2	0.1	0.3	1.0	1.4	1.4
Slovenia	-2.0	-1.8	-2.7	0.2	0.9	3.0	4.8	6.2	6.1	5.9	6.0	6.2	6.2
Slovakia	-5.9	-6.0	-6.4	-4.7	-3.8	0.3	0.8	0.5	0.2	0.3	2.4	2.4	2.4
Finland	4.8	6.9	3.2	1.4	-1.5	-1.9	-2.0	-1.9	-1.7	-1.4	-0.4	-0.2	-0.2
Euro area	0.7	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.5	1.9	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.9	2.9	2.9
Euro area, adjusted ²	0.7	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.5	1.9	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.9	2.9	2.9
Bulgaria	7.0	-5.0	-17.0	-1.3	1.5	-0.7	2.2	2.1	2.3	1.9	1.0	0.2	0.2
Czech Republic	-3.7	-4.2	-4.0	-5.2	-4.6	-2.2	-2.2	-1.3	-0.9	-0.4	-0.4	-0.2	-0.2
Denmark	1.8	3.4	2.9	5.7	5.7	5.8	6.9	6.2	6.1	6.2	6.9	6.8	6.8
Croatia	-5.1	-3.6	-6.3	-0.8	-0.6	0.1	0.4	0.3	1.6	1.8	1.5	1.6	1.6
Hungary	-5.0	-7.6	-6.1	0.3	0.8	1.7	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	3.0	2.7	2.7
Poland	-2.4	-3.4	-4.7	-4.9	-5.0	-3.8	-1.4	-2.0	-2.4	-2.8	-1.7	-2.3	-2.3
Romania	-5.9	-4.2	-9.9	-4.8	-4.7	-4.7	-1.4	-1.2	-1.4	-1.5	-1.2	-1.6	-1.6
Sweden	4.1	5.7	7.9	6.5	5.9	6.3	6.5	5.7	5.4	5.1	6.1	6.0	6.0
United Kingdom	-0.9	-2.0	-2.6	-2.6	-1.7	-3.7	-4.2	-4.0	-3.7	-3.2	-3.8	-3.3	-3.3
EU	0.4	-0.1	-0.4	0.0	0.2	1.0	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.8
EU, adjusted ¹	:	-0.6	-1.2	-0.5	-0.3	0.5	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.5	1.5	1.5
US ²	-1.9	-4.3	-4.7	-3.0	-3.1	-3.0	-2.5	-2.6	-2.7	-2.8	-2.2	-2.4	-2.4
Japan	2.3	2.9	3.7	3.7	2.0	1.0	0.8	0.6	0.8	1.2	0.7	1.2	1.2

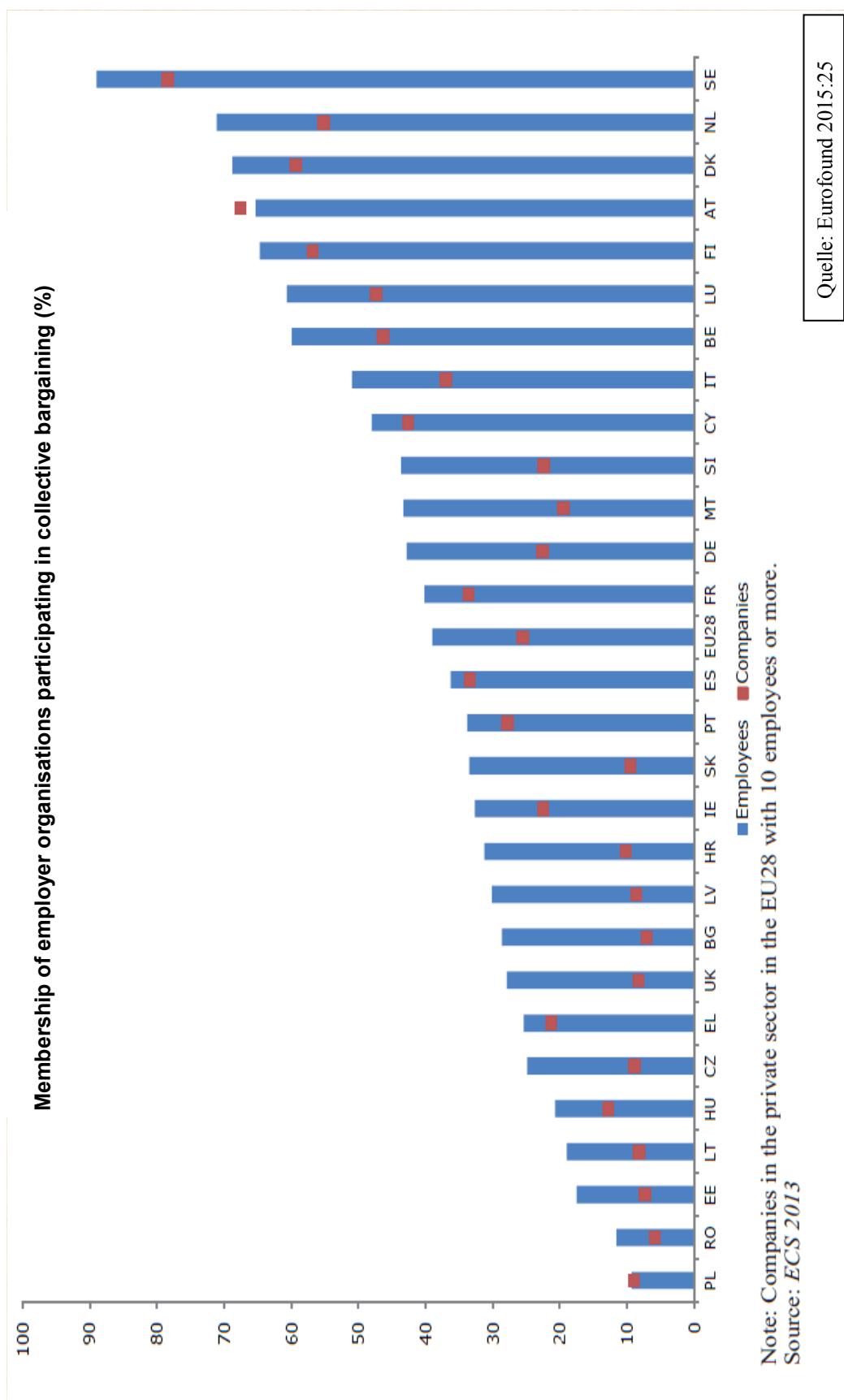
¹ See note 7 on concepts and sources.² See note 8 on concepts and sources.

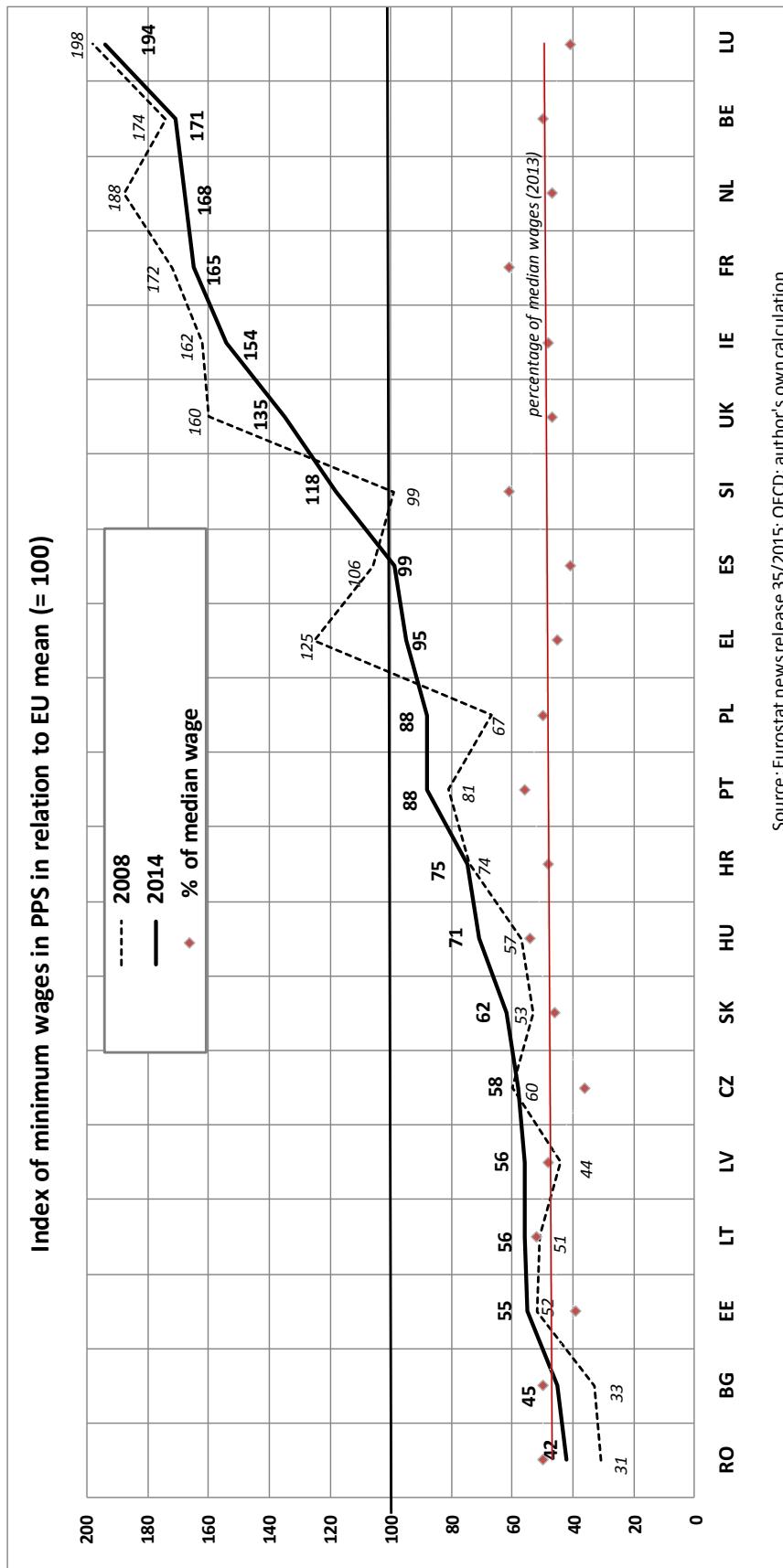
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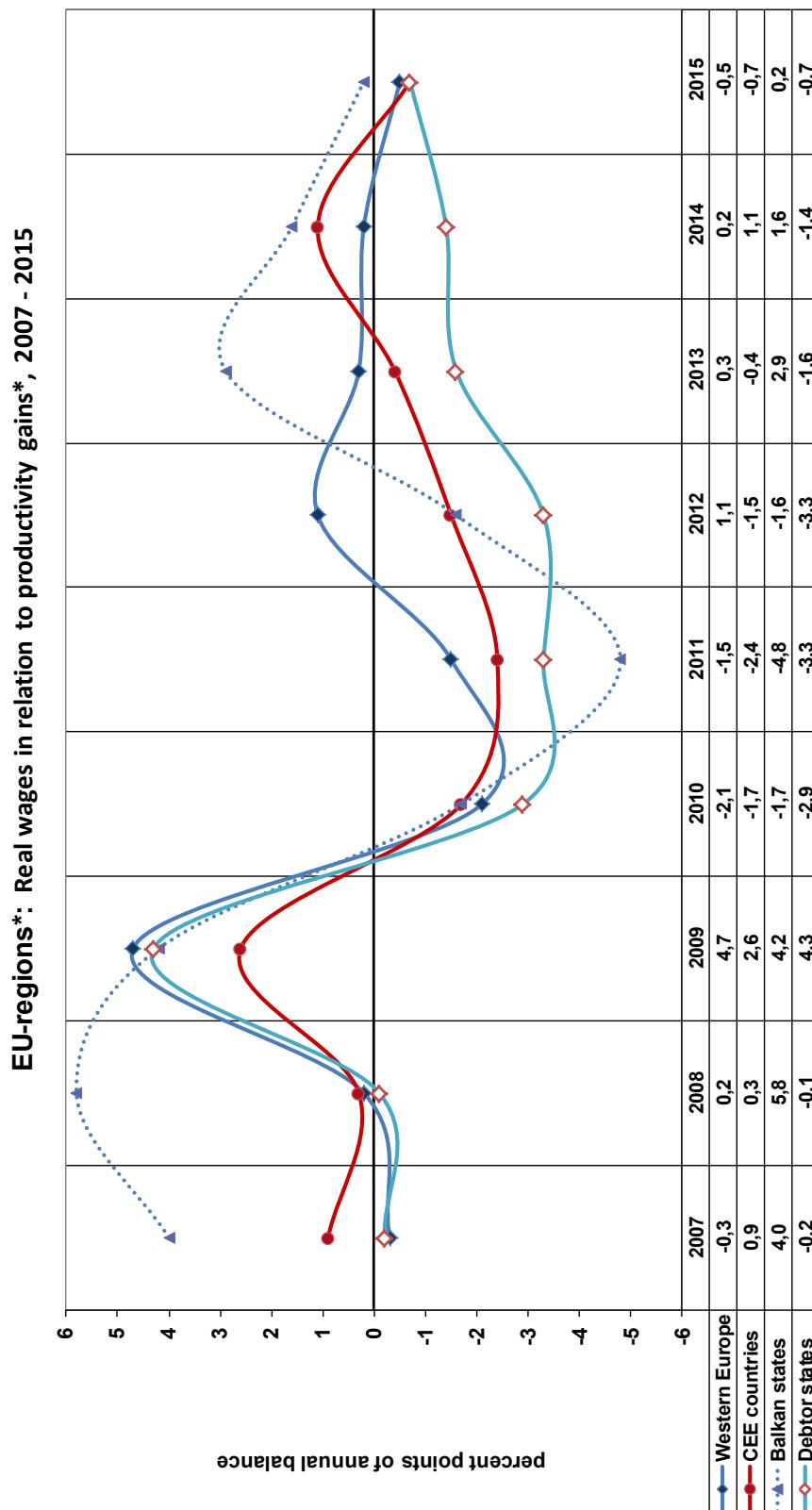




*particularly by Troika, MWF or EC
Source: Eurofound 2013 and 2015; Fulton; author's own research







*Western Europe: BE, NL, FR, DE, AT, UK - Debtor states: EL, ES, PT, IT, CY, IE - Balkan: BG, RO, HR
Source: Ameco; EC-Economic Forecast (last: autumn 2014) including forecast for 2015