

# Unemployment rates in the regions of the European Union

	Total		Females		15-24 years old	
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
<b>EU27</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>17.1</b>	<b>15.3</b>
<b>BELGIUM</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>20.5</b>	<b>18.8</b>
<i>Bruxelles-Cap. / Brussels Hfdst.</i>	<i>17.6</i>	<i>17.1</i>	<i>18.2</i>	<i>16.9</i>	<i>35.3</i>	<i>34.4</i>
<i>Vlaams Gewest</i>	<i>5.0</i>	<i>4.3</i>	<i>5.8</i>	<i>5.1</i>	<i>12.5</i>	<i>11.7</i>
Antwerpen	5.7	5.0	6.2	5.6	13.4	10.1
Limburg (BE)	6.2	5.3	8.7	7.5	13.1	12.6
Oost-Vlaanderen	4.5	4.8	5.1	5.4	10.9	13.8
Vlaams Brabant	4.2	3.4	4.9	3.5	14.8	14.4
West-Vlaanderen	4.2	3.0	4.8	3.6	10.9	9.0
<i>Région Wallonne</i>	<i>11.7</i>	<i>10.5</i>	<i>13.4</i>	<i>12.4</i>	<i>31.3</i>	<i>27.8</i>
Brabant Wallon	7.6	7.0	8.7	7.9	(24.8)	u
Hainaut	14.4	12.8	16.6	15.8	36.8	34.5
Liège	11.5	10.9	13.4	12.4	30.6	25.7
Luxembourg (BE)	7.7	6.8	9.4	(8.1)	(23.8)	u
Namur	10.6	8.5	11.5	9.8	28	25.2
<b>BULGARIA</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>15.1</b>
<i>Severna i Iztochna Bulgaria</i>	<i>10.8</i>	<i>9.2</i>	<i>11.6</i>	<i>9.8</i>	<i>23.3</i>	<i>20.6</i>
Severozapaden	11.0	9.0	11.5	9.3	25.8	22.3
Severen tsentralen	13.5	10.7	14.2	10.1	25.2	21.1
Severoiztochen	11.0	10.8	12.5	12.9	23.6	25.0
Yugoiztochen	8.1	6.5	8.7	6.8	19.3	14.5
<i>Yugozapadna i Yuzhna tsentralna Bulgaria</i>	<i>7.1</i>	<i>4.6</i>	<i>7.0</i>	<i>4.9</i>	<i>15.8</i>	<i>9.5</i>
Yugozapaden	6.5	3.9	6.1	4.1	13.0	7.1
Yuzhen tsentralen	8.2	5.6	8.5	6.3	21.1	13.8
<b>CZECH REPUBLIC</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>10.7</b>
Praha	2.8	2.4	2.7	2.8	8.0	6.6
Střední Čechy	4.6	3.4	6.0	4.0	10.9	7.5
Jihozápad	4.9	3.5	6.2	4.9	11.4	6.0
Severozápad	12.8	9.5	15.7	11.4	28.1	19.3
Severovýchod	6.1	4.8	7.7	6.3	12.0	9.9
Jihovýchod	7.1	5.2	8.8	6.6	18.7	11.3
Střední Morava	7.6	5.9	10.3	7.5	15.3	8.8
Moravskoslezsko	12.0	8.5	14.3	11.3	30.5	15.2
<b>DENMARK</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>7.9</b>
Hovedstaden	:	:	:	:	:	:
Sjælland	:	:	:	:	:	:
Syddanmark	:	:	:	:	:	:
Midtjylland	:	:	:	:	:	:
Nordjylland	:	:	:	:	:	:
<b>GERMANY</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>11.1</b>
<i>Baden-Württemberg</i>	<i>6.3</i>	<i>4.9</i>	<i>6.6</i>	<i>5.4</i>	<i>8.8</i>	<i>6.8</i>
Stuttgart	6.4	5.0	6.7	5.2	9.3	7.6
Karlsruhe	7.1	5.5	7.2	6.1	9.7	7.3
Freiburg	5.5	4.3	5.8	4.9	6.5	5.1
Tübingen	5.9	4.6	6.4	5.1	9.5	6.7
<i>Bayern</i>	<i>6.5</i>	<i>5.3</i>	<i>6.8</i>	<i>5.8</i>	<i>8.7</i>	<i>8.0</i>
Oberbayern	5.3	4.3	5.3	4.6	7.0	6.6
Niederbayern	6.6	5.0	7.4	5.6	11.1	7.0
Oberpfalz	6.8	5.2	7.0	5.7	7.2	7.5
Oberfranken	9.5	7.6	9.7	8.1	12.0	11.1
Mittelfranken	7.8	6.7	8.2	7.0	8.8	9.6
Unterfranken	6.3	5.8	7.0	6.7	10.3	10.6
Schwaben	6.2	5.0	6.9	5.6	7.8	6.5
<i>Berlin</i>	<i>18.7</i>	<i>16.3</i>	<i>16.7</i>	<i>14.2</i>	<i>25.1</i>	<i>21.2</i>
<i>Brandenburg</i>	<i>16.5</i>	<i>13.8</i>	<i>16.0</i>	<i>14.0</i>	<i>19.8</i>	<i>17.3</i>
Brandenburg-Nordost	17.5	15.1	17.2	15.1	21.5	19.8
Brandenburg-Südwest	15.8	12.8	15.1	13.1	18.6	15.4
<i>Bremen</i>	<i>14.4</i>	<i>11.9</i>	<i>12.6</i>	<i>9.3</i>	<i>16.6</i>	<i>u</i>
<i>Hamburg</i>	<i>9.8</i>	<i>8.9</i>	<i>9.2</i>	<i>8.4</i>	<i>15.9</i>	<i>11.6</i>
<i>Hessen</i>	<i>8.1</i>	<i>7.3</i>	<i>7.9</i>	<i>7.2</i>	<i>13.0</i>	<i>11.9</i>
Darmstadt	7.9	7.1	7.7	6.9	12.4	11.3
Gießen	8.4	7.2	8.3	7.3	15.1	12.7
Kassel	8.4	7.9	8.3	8.0	12.4	12.8
<i>Mecklenburg-Vorpommern</i>	<i>19.2</i>	<i>17.4</i>	<i>18.7</i>	<i>17.5</i>	<i>20.3</i>	<i>19.4</i>
<i>Niedersachsen</i>	<i>9.7</i>	<i>7.9</i>	<i>9.6</i>	<i>7.9</i>	<i>14.2</i>	<i>12.0</i>
Braunschweig	10.1	8.9	10.2	9.0	15.1	13.5
Hannover	10.5	8.4	9.8	7.9	13.3	13.9
Lüneburg	9.0	7.4	8.9	7.8	16.1	10.9
Weser-Ems	9.3	7.1	9.5	7.4	13.0	10.3
<i>Nordrhein-Westfalen</i>	<i>9.8</i>	<i>8.3</i>	<i>9.2</i>	<i>8.0</i>	<i>14.3</i>	<i>12.5</i>
Düsseldorf	9.7	8.5	8.7	7.7	14.4	14.5
Köln	9.1	7.7	8.8	7.6	13.3	11.4
Münster	9.1	7.3	8.6	6.9	14.8	9.2
Detmold	10.0	8.1	9.4	7.9	14.2	11.2
Arnsberg	11.1	9.7	10.8	10.0	15.0	14.6
<i>Rheinland-Pfalz</i>	<i>8.0</i>	<i>6.0</i>	<i>7.9</i>	<i>6.0</i>	<i>13.4</i>	<i>10.4</i>
Koblenz	7.7	6.3	7.7	6.3	12.3	9.3
Trier	6.2	5.2	6.7	6.2	u	u
Rheinhausen-Pfalz	8.7	5.9	8.4	5.8	15.6	12.1

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<b>GERMANY (cont.)</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>11.1</b>
<i>Saarland</i>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>u</b>
<i>Sachsen</i>	<b>16.6</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>18.4</b>	<b>15.8</b>
Chemnitz	16.2	13.6	17.7	15.3	16.7	13.6
Dresden	16.2	13.3	16.5	13.2	19.5	15.9
Leipzig	17.9	17.2	15.7	17.2	18.8	18.7
<i>Sachsen-Anhalt</i>	<b>17.8</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>16.0</b>	<b>18.6</b>	<b>19.3</b>
<i>Schleswig-Holstein</i>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>12.9</b>
<i>Thüringen</i>	<b>15.6</b>	<b>13.7</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>17.3</b>	<b>14.9</b>
<b>ESTONIA</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>10.0</b>
<b>IRELAND</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>9.2</b>
Border, Midland and Western	4.6	4.8	5.1	5.0	9.8	9.8
Southern and Eastern	4.3	4.5	3.8	3.9	8.2	8.9
<b>GREECE</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>25.2</b>	<b>22.9</b>
<i>Voreia Ellada</i>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>24.7</b>
Anatoliki Makedonia, Thraki	11.0	9.7	16.2	14.9	31.4	25.5
Kentriki Makedonia	9.3	8.9	14.6	14.0	26.4	23.9
Dytiki Makedonia	14.2	12.1	20.3	18.4	u	u
Thessalia	8.2	7.8	14.0	11.6	24.0	22.7
<i>Kentriki Ellada</i>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>29.6</b>	<b>27.5</b>
Ipeiros	9.8	10.0	15.8	15.7	(32.1)	(30.4)
Ionia Nisia	11.2	9.0	17.9	14.6	(31.3)	u
Dytiki Ellada	9.5	9.6	16.1	15.7	33.6	31.6
Stereia Ellada	9.2	9.4	16.8	16.7	27.2	26.2
Peloponnisos	7.7	7.5	12.3	11.9	25.8	24.5
<i>Attiki</i>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>21.6</b>	<b>20.1</b>
<i>Nisia Aigaiou, Kriti</i>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>16.9</b>
Voreio Aigaio	9.4	7.9	16.2	(13.6)	(33.3)	u
Notio Aigaio	8.8	9.1	15.3	17.6	u	u
Kriti	7.0	5.3	11.2	8.5	(18.6)	(13.9)
<b>SPAIN</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>18.2</b>
<i>Noroeste</i>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>18.9</b>	<b>16.3</b>
Galicia	8.5	7.6	11.4	10.0	18.0	15.9
Asturias	9.3	8.5	12.6	11.1	22.8	18.8
Cantabria	6.6	5.9	9.4	7.9	17.0	(13.8)
<i>Noreste</i>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>15.1</b>
País Vasco	7.0	6.1	8.9	7.8	20.8	17.1
Navarra	5.3	4.8	7.1	6.9	14.0	(12.0)
La Rioja	6.2	5.7	7.8	8.3	(15.6)	(16.2)
Aragón	5.5	5.2	8.0	7.2	12.4	13.6
<i>Madrid</i>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>17.0</b>
<i>Centro (ES)</i>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>18.5</b>	<b>18.5</b>
Castilla y León	8.1	7.2	12.4	10.6	17.0	17.4
Castilla-La Mancha	8.8	7.6	14.9	11.8	17.0	15.7
Extremadura	13.4	13.1	19.0	19.0	24.4	26.2
<i>Este</i>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>15.7</b>	<b>15.8</b>
Cataluña	6.6	6.5	8.4	7.8	14.7	13.5
Valenciana	8.4	8.8	11.2	11.4	17.7	19.1
Illes Balears	6.5	7.0	8.3	8.5	13.3	15.1
<i>Sur</i>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>17.0</b>	<b>16.6</b>	<b>21.2</b>	<b>22.4</b>
Andalucía	12.7	12.8	17.9	17.6	21.7	23.3
Murcia	7.9	7.6	10.9	10.0	17.0	16.5
Ceuta	21.0	20.3	(29.9)	(28.7)	u	u
Melilla	(13.4)	18.2	(22.2)	(28.1)	u	u
<i>Canarias</i>	<b>11.7</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>23.7</b>	<b>22.4</b>
<b>FRANCE</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>22.1</b>	<b>19.4</b>
<i>Île de France</i>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>17.7</b>
<i>Bassin parisien</i>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>22.5</b>	<b>19.1</b>
Champagne-Ardenne	7.0	8.3	8.2	9.7	18.4	21.1
Picardie	10.7	10.2	12.2	10.3	28.0	22.7
Haute-Normandie	9.2	8.8	9.7	9.2	25.6	22.8
Centre	7.1	5.9	6.7	6.1	19.6	14.9
Basse-Normandie	7.5	5.7	8.2	7.9	22.6	14.5
Bourgogne	8.9	7.0	11.3	8.0	19.4	15.9
<i>Nord - Pas-de-Calais</i>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>11.6</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>27.5</b>
<i>Est</i>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>16.5</b>
Lorraine	9.8	7.7	9.7	7.9	24.7	16.3
Alsace	6.6	6.1	7.0	6.7	15.9	16.0
Franche-Comté	7.9	7.3	9.3	9.2	20.9	17.9
<i>Ouest</i>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>14.2</b>
Pays de la Loire	7.1	6.2	8.2	7.3	17.3	12.5
Bretagne	7.7	6.8	8.7	7.8	18.1	13.5
Poitou-Charentes	8.1	6.9	9.5	7.5	21.0	19.6
<i>Sud-ouest</i>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>17.6</b>	<b>20.1</b>
Aquitaine	7.9	7.2	10.4	8.0	19.6	20.2
Midi-Pyrénées	8.4	8.1	10.1	8.5	14.8	21.0
Limousin	6.1	7.0	6.4	8.2	(21.1)	(16.4)

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<b>FRANCE (cont.)</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>22.1</b>	<b>19.4</b>
<b>Centre-est</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>16.6</b>
Rhône-Alpes	7.6	6.5	9.0	7.4	19.5	15.9
Auvergne	7.6	8.7	7.5	9.5	17.3	19.1
<b>Méditerranée</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>11.8</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>22.0</b>
Languedoc-Roussillon	11.3	10.5	11.3	10.7	27.6	25.6
Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur	11.6	9.3	12.0	10.2	26.6	19.8
Corse	11.1	11.3	(12.1)	(11.4)	u	u
<b>Départements d'Outre-Mer</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>28.4</b>	<b>25.2</b>	<b>52.9</b>	<b>49.9</b>
Guadeloupe	26.9	25.0	29.1	26.5	59.9	(55.7)
Martinique	24.1	22.1	24.7	21.9	(56.1)	(47.8)
Guyane	28.5	21.0	32.7	(26.0)	u	u
Réunion	28.3	25.2	29.3	26.3	50.4	50.0
<b>ITALY</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>21.6</b>	<b>20.3</b>
<b>Nord Ovest</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>13.9</b>
Piemonte	4.0	4.2	5.1	5.2	15.5	14.3
Valle d'Aosta / Vallée d'Aoste	(3.0)	(3.2)	u	u	u	u
Liguria	4.8	4.8	6.6	5.7	16.7	20.7
Lombardia	3.7	3.4	4.8	4.6	12.3	12.9
<b>Nord Est</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>9.6</b>
Bolzano / Bozen	2.6	2.6	3.6	3.3	(7.2)	u
Trento	3.1	2.9	4.8	4.4	(9.4)	(8.9)
Veneto	4.0	3.3	6.5	5.2	11.8	8.4
Friuli-Venezia Giulia	3.5	3.4	4.9	4.7	11.5	14.5
Emilia-Romagna	3.4	2.9	4.3	3.9	10.7	10.8
<b>Centro (IT)</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>17.9</b>
Toscana	4.8	4.3	7.0	6.3	15.4	13.7
Umbria	5.1	4.6	8.3	6.9	14.6	12.7
Marche	4.5	4.2	6.4	6.1	11.6	9.3
Lazio	7.5	6.4	9.6	8.2	25.7	24.9
<b>Sud</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>33.0</b>	<b>30.6</b>
Abruzzo	6.5	6.2	9.5	9.8	21.0	17.2
Molise	10.0	8.1	14.5	10.9	28.0	(23.8)
Campania	12.9	11.2	17.9	14.6	35.4	32.5
Puglia	12.8	11.2	17.7	15.5	32.2	31.8
Basilicata	10.5	9.5	15.2	15.3	32.0	31.4
Calabria	12.9	11.2	15.9	14.5	35.5	31.6
<b>Isole</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>16.9</b>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>37.0</b>	<b>36.0</b>
Sicilia	13.5	13.0	17.8	17.3	39.0	37.2
Sardegna	10.8	9.9	14.6	14.2	31.0	32.5
<b>CYPRUS</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>10.1</b>
<b>LATVIA</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>10.7</b>
<b>LITHUANIA</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>8.2</b>
<b>LUXEMBOURG (GRAND-DUCHY)</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>15.5</b>
<b>HUNGARY</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>18.0</b>
<b>Közép Magyarország</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>14.1</b>	<b>10.3</b>
<b>Dunántúl</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>14.7</b>
Közép Dunántúl	6.0	5.0	6.5	5.5	13.7	11.3
Nyugat Dunántúl	5.7	5.0	6.4	5.8	13.6	12.0
Dél Dunántúl	9.0	10.0	9.1	10.0	22.8	23.1
<b>Alföld es Észak</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>24.5</b>	<b>25.0</b>
Észak Magyarország	11.0	12.3	11.1	11.9	26.3	27.7
Észak Alföld	11.0	10.8	11.5	11.0	26.7	27.1
Dél Alföld	7.8	7.9	8.5	8.3	20.0	19.5
<b>MALTA</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>16.5</b>	<b>13.8</b>
<b>NETHERLANDS</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>5.9</b>
<b>Noord-Nederland</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>7.6</b>
Groningen	5.0	4.9	5.2	5.8	(8.1)	8.9
Friesland	4.2	3.2	4.3	3.7	(7.1)	(6.0)
Drenthe	4.6	3.7	5.1	4.6	(9.4)	(7.9)
<b>Oost-Nederland</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>5.2</b>
Overijssel	4.0	3.2	4.3	3.6	6.0	5.1
Gelderland	3.3	2.7	3.7	3.2	5.2	4.9
Flevoland	5.2	4.1	7.1	5.8	(10.0)	(7.0)
<b>West-Nederland</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>5.9</b>
Utrecht	3.3	2.7	3.3	2.9	5.8	5.0
Noord-Holland	3.8	2.9	4.2	3.3	6.5	5.6
Zuid-Holland	4.4	3.5	5.0	3.8	7.7	6.6
Zeeland	2.7	(2.1)	(3.1)	(2.4)	u	(5.2)
<b>Zuid-Nederland</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.9</b>
Noord-Brabant	3.4	2.8	3.9	3.4	5.0	5.2
Limburg (NL)	4.5	3.9	5.1	4.4	8.0	7.4

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	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
<b>EU27</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>17.1</b>	<b>15.3</b>
<b>AUSTRIA</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>8.7</b>
<i>Ostösterreich</i>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>11.1</b>
Burgenland	5.0	(3.7)	(6.1)	u	u	u
Niederösterreich	4.0	3.6	4.5	4.1	8.0	7.6
Wien	8.8	8.3	8.0	8.1	17.7	15.3
<i>Südösterreich</i>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>8.2</b>
Kärnten	4.4	3.9	5.5	(4.8)	u	(8.1)
Steiermark	3.9	3.7	5.0	4.2	7.5	8.2
<i>Westösterreich</i>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>6.5</b>
Oberösterreich	3.2	3.2	4.0	4.6	5.7	6.6
Salzburg	3.1	3.0	(3.6)	(3.3)	u	u
Tirol	2.9	2.8	(3.6)	(3.4)	(6.3)	(6.4)
Vorarlberg	4.4	3.6	(5.7)	(4.8)	u	u
<b>POLAND</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>29.8</b>	<b>21.7</b>
<i>Region Centralny</i>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>27.3</b>	<b>20.1</b>
Łódzkie	13.4	9.3	13.5	9.2	25.0	17.8
Mazowieckie	12.3	9.1	12.6	9.4	28.6	21.3
<i>Region Południowy</i>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>30.0</b>	<b>20.6</b>
Małopolskie	12.6	8.5	12.5	9.5	30.2	24.2
Śląskie	14.2	8.1	17.0	8.9	29.8	17.5
<i>Region Wschodni</i>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>33.7</b>	<b>24.3</b>
Lubelskie	12.8	9.5	13.1	9.4	32.1	24.3
Podkarpackie	13.7	9.6	14.8	9.9	35.3	24.4
Świętokrzyskie	15.5	12.1	15.5	12.2	36.6	27.8
Podlaskie	11.3	8.9	12.0	9.0	(29.9)	(19.7)
<i>Region Północno-Zachodni</i>	<b>14.1</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>16.0</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>28.6</b>	<b>21.2</b>
Wielkopolskie	12.7	8.3	15.6	10.3	27.1	19.3
Zachodniopomorskie	17.2	11.5	18.0	12.5	32.4	(24.5)
Lubuskie	14.0	9.8	14.8	10.4	(29.3)	(25.1)
<i>Region Południowo-Zachodni</i>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>17.2</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>31.9</b>	<b>21.7</b>
Dolnośląskie	17.3	12.7	17.8	14.1	32.8	22.8
Opolskie	13.5	9.4	15.1	10.5	(29.1)	(18.3)
<i>Region Północny</i>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>17.2</b>	<b>11.4</b>	<b>30.2</b>	<b>22.6</b>
Kujawsko-Pomorskie	16.2	11.3	18.1	12.8	31.1	22.9
Warmińsko-Mazurskie	16.0	10.5	19.1	12.2	33.5	(25.1)
Pomorskie	13.8	9.5	14.7	9.4	27.3	20.8
<b>PORTUGAL</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>16.6</b>
<i>Continente</i>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>16.6</b>	<b>16.7</b>
Norte	8.9	9.4	10.9	12.0	16.9	16.6
Algarve	5.5	6.7	6.9	7.3	u	u
Centro (PT)	5.5	5.6	6.8	7.7	11.9	13.6
Lisboa	8.5	8.9	8.8	8.5	19.7	18.7
Alentejo	9.2	8.4	10.5	10.9	20.7	20.1
<i>Açores</i>	<b>u</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>u</b>	<b>u</b>	<b>u</b>	<b>u</b>
<i>Madeira</i>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>u</b>	<b>u</b>	<b>u</b>	<b>u</b>
<b>ROMANIA</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>21.4</b>	<b>20.1</b>
<i>Macroregiunea unu</i>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>20.6</b>	<b>19.4</b>
Nord-Vest	5.9	4.3	5.9	3.6	18.6	14.1
Centru	9.0	8.5	8.0	7.0	22.7	24.7
<i>Macroregiunea doi</i>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>21.0</b>	<b>19.7</b>
Nord-Est	5.9	5.0	4.1	3.9	18.1	14.7
Sud-Est	9.0	8.5	8.2	8.2	24.8	26.5
<i>Macroregiunea trei</i>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>23.7</b>	<b>21.6</b>
Sud-Muntenia	9.4	8.2	8.0	7.3	27.0	23.9
Bucureşti-Ilfov	4.8	4.1	4.5	3.4	15.9	16.1
<i>Macroregiunea patru</i>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>19.9</b>	<b>19.8</b>
Sud-Vest Oltenia	7.1	6.8	5.3	5.5	23.4	22.1
Vest	6.4	5.6	5.2	4.8	15.8	17.3
<b>SLOVENIA</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>10.1</b>
Vzhodna Slovenija	:	:	:	:	:	:
Zahodna Slovenija	:	:	:	:	:	:
<b>SLOVAKIA</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>26.6</b>	<b>20.3</b>
Bratislavský kraj	4.6	4.3	4.4	4.9	(8.0)	(7.6)
Západné Slovensko	9.8	7.8	11.1	9.2	21.9	13.0
Stredné Slovensko	16.4	15.3	19.1	18.6	28.8	24.7
Východné Slovensko	19.1	14.9	20.7	15.9	35.7	29.6
<b>FINLAND</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>18.7</b>	<b>16.5</b>
<i>Manner-Suomi</i>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>18.7</b>	<b>16.5</b>
Itä-Suomi	11.3	11.0	11.8	11.5	27.5	24.0
Etelä-Suomi	6.3	5.7	6.5	5.7	15.4	14.3
Länsi-Suomi	7.8	6.5	8.9	7.5	19.0	14.9
Pohjois-Suomi	10.4	8.8	10.4	9.8	24.2	22.0
<i>Åland</i>	<b>u</b>	<b>u</b>	<b>u</b>	<b>u</b>	<b>u</b>	<b>u</b>

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<b>EU27</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>17.1</b>	<b>15.3</b>
<b>SWEDEN</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>21.5</b>	<b>19.1</b>
<b>Östra Sverige</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>20.2</b>
Stockholm	6.1	5.6	5.9	5.9	19.5	20.1
Östra Mellansverige	7.3	6.7	7.5	7.0	23.1	20.2
<b>Södra Sverige</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>21.3</b>	<b>18.7</b>
Småland med öarna	5.9	5.1	6.2	5.5	17.6	15.8
Sydsverige	8.2	7.1	9.2	7.6	25.1	22.1
Väst sverige	6.8	5.9	7.3	6.2	20.4	17.7
<b>Norra Sverige</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>22.7</b>	<b>19.1</b>
Norra Mellansverige	7.9	6.3	7.7	6.6	23.8	18.7
Mellersta Norrland	7.3	6.3	7.0	6.9	19.4	20.0
Övre Norrland	8.5	6.8	7.9	5.9	23.1	19.2
<b>UNITED KINGDOM</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>14.3</b>
<b>North East</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>16.2</b>
Tees Valley & Durham	5.8	6.0	4.5	3.6	16.0	18.1
Northumberland and Tyne & Wear	6.9	6.2	5.7	5.7	14.8	15.0
<b>North West</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>15.2</b>
Cumbria	4.3	3.3	u	u	u	u
Cheshire	3.6	3.6	3.0	2.9	9.8	11.4
Greater Manchester	5.3	6.2	4.7	4.6	13.1	15.7
Lancashire	4.9	5.7	4.3	5.6	14.9	13.8
Merseyside	6.4	7.4	5.4	6.2	18.0	20.3
<b>Yorkshire &amp; the Humber</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>14.4</b>
East Yorkshire & Northern Lincolnshire	6.0	6.0	5.7	4.7	14.8	15.3
North Yorkshire	4.0	3.5	u	u	13.0	u
South Yorkshire	6.9	6.2	6.1	4.0	17.5	14.6
West Yorkshire	5.4	5.6	4.7	5.2	14.4	15.1
<b>East Midlands</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>14.8</b>
Derbyshire & Nottinghamshire	5.5	5.8	5.2	6.0	16.0	16.6
Leicestershire, Rutland & Northamptonshire	5.0	4.5	4.5	4.4	14.8	13.1
Lincolnshire	4.7	5.4	5.2	5.9	12.5	14.2
<b>West Midlands</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>17.2</b>
Herefordshire, Worcestershire & Warwickshire	3.8	3.9	3.7	4.3	12.6	11.7
Shropshire & Staffordshire	4.2	5.3	4.1	4.8	13.2	14.5
West Midlands	7.8	8.0	7.2	7.4	19.3	20.9
<b>East of England</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>12.8</b>
East Anglia	4.7	4.3	4.7	4.6	12.4	12.2
Bedfordshire & Hertfordshire	4.8	4.7	4.5	4.6	13.1	14.3
Essex	4.7	5.0	4.7	5.3	11.4	12.5
<b>London</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>19.6</b>	<b>18.7</b>
Inner London	8.9	8.4	8.6	8.0	20.9	22.2
Outer London	7.0	5.9	6.9	5.9	18.9	16.7
<b>South East</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>11.7</b>	<b>12.8</b>
Berkshire, Buckinghamshire & Oxfordshire	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.9	11.5	11.7
Surrey, East & West Sussex	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.0	10.0	12.3
Hampshire & Isle of Wight	4.6	4.3	4.3	3.7	11.4	11.8
Kent	5.5	5.6	5.2	5.5	15.2	15.9
<b>South West</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>10.8</b>
Gloucestershire, Wiltshire & Bristol/Bath area	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.5	9.2	8.6
Dorset & Somerset	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.5	7.7	11.2
Cornwall & Isles of Scilly	3.8	4.4	u	u	u	u
Devon	4.4	4.7	4.4	4.4	14.3	13.9
<b>Wales</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>13.7</b>	<b>14.7</b>
West Wales & the Valleys	5.4	5.5	4.4	5.7	15.0	14.9
East Wales	4.9	4.8	4.6	4.9	11.6	14.2
<b>Scotland</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>13.3</b>
Eastern Scotland	5.3	5.1	5.4	5.3	15.8	15.4
South Western Scotland	5.8	5.1	4.4	4.6	13.4	13.3
North Eastern Scotland	:	3.4	:	u	:	u
Highlands & Islands	:	3.4	:	u	:	u
<b>Northern Ireland</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>9.4</b>

( ) Data with reduced reliability due to sample size.

u Data not published due to small sample size.