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## Notes

- Data refer to the Government controlled area only, i.e. excluding the area occupied by Turkish troops since 1974, unless otherwise stated.
- Because of rounding there may be slight discrepancies between the totals shown and the sums of constituent items.
- Data are the latest available as at the end of October 2008.

## Symbols used

*	= provisional figure
...	= not available
%	= percent
€	= euro
000's	= thousands
mn	= million
Sq.m.	= square metre
Km	= kilometre
Sq.km.	= square kilometre
KWh	= kilowatt hour
Kgoe	= kilogram of oil equivalent
m <sup>3</sup>	= cubic metre

## Country's Profile

*Cyprus is the third largest island in the Mediterranean Sea, with an area of 9.251 sq. km. It has a maximum length of 241 km from east to west and a maximum width of 97 km from north to south. It is situated at the northeastern end of the Mediterranean basin.*

*Cyprus has an intense Mediterranean climate with hot, dry summers from June to September and rainy, rather variable winters from November to March, separated by short autumn and spring seasons of rapid change.*

*There are two mountain ranges in the island, one on the northern part and the other on the southwest. Inbetween lays the plain of Mesaoria.*

*Cyprus became politically independent from British rule in 1960. The years that followed the independency were characterised by a rapid and sustainable socio-economic development. The booming economy of Cyprus was brought to an abrupt end by the Turkish invasion in 1974. As a result 40% of the island's territory was occupied and about 200.000 Greek Cypriots were displaced.*

*The severe economic and social problems caused by the Turkish invasion and occupation were however successfully confronted. In May 2004 Cyprus became a full member of the European Union and in January 2008 Cyprus joined the Eurozone.*

## General Information

**Date of Independence:** 16 August 1960

**Government and Administration:** Under the 1960 Constitution, executive power is vested in a President elected for a five-year term of office by universal suffrage and exercised through a council of Ministers appointed by him. The House of Representatives is the legislative organ of the Republic. The administration of justice is exercised by the Judiciary which is a separate and independent body.

**Flag:** White with a copper-coloured outline of the island with two green olive branches beneath.

**Official Languages:** Greek and Turkish.

**Ethnic Composition:** Greeks 76,1%, Turks 10,2%, Others 13,7% (data refers to the whole island, end of 2006).

**Capital:** Lefkosia (Nicosia), with a population of 310,9 thousand (end of 2007).

**Other Towns:** Lemesos, Larnaka, Pafos, Ammochostos and Kerynia (Ammochostos urban and Kerynia are under Turkish military occupation).

**Currency:** Euro (€), divided into 100 cent (as of Jan 2008).

**Time:** GMT+2

**Weights and Measures:** The metric system.

**International Membership:** European Union, United Nations, Council of Europe, Commonwealth, World Bank and International Monetary Fund.

# Temperature

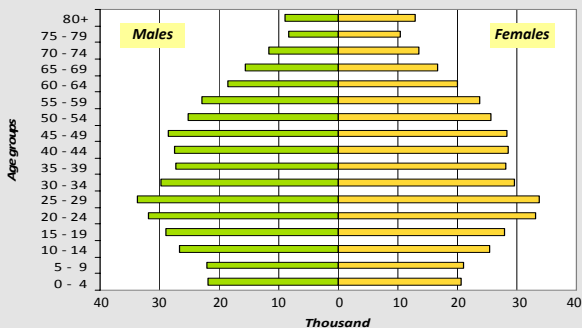
Mean temperatures for 2007 in °C

	Lefkosia Athalassa		Lemesos Public garden		Larnaca Airport		Pafos Airport		Prodromos	
	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min	max	min
<b>Jan</b>	15,9	4,4	18,1	8,2	17,5	6,4	18,4	8,6	7,4	0,4
<b>Feb</b>	16,6	6,3	18,4	9,7	17,8	8,4	18,3	9,9	7,3	0,9
<b>Mar</b>	19,5	7,4	20,7	10,8	19,9	8,5	19,8	10,2	10,6	2,6
<b>Apr</b>	23,0	10,0	23,7	12,9	22,2	10,8	21,7	11,5	13,5	4,7
<b>May</b>	29,2	16,9	27,7	18,4	26,8	17,7	25,2	17,0	21,8	11,9
<b>Jun</b>	34,9	20,8	32,3	21,8	31,0	20,8	29,4	20,0	25,6	15,4
<b>Jul</b>	38,2	22,9	35,1	23,5	33,8	23,1	31,6	22,1	29,2	19,0
<b>Aug</b>	37,3	22,8	34,1	24,2	33,0	23,4	31,4	22,6	28,6	18,4
<b>Sep</b>	34,1	18,9	32,9	21,2	31,7	20,0	29,5	19,9	24,8	14,2
<b>Oct</b>	29,8	16,2	29,8	19,1	28,7	17,7	27,5	18,3	20,9	11,8
<b>Nov</b>	23,0	11,1	23,9	14,6	23,6	13,1	23,3	14,5	14,0	6,7
<b>Dec</b>	17,7	5,9	19,4	10,7	19,2	9,0	19,5	11,5	7,8	2,1

	Mean Daily Maximum			Mean Daily Minimum		
	Actual 2007	Normal 1961-1990	Diff.	Actual 2007	Normal 1961-1990	Diff.
<b>Jan</b>	14,4	13,3	+1,1	4,4	4,8	-0,4
<b>Feb</b>	14,5	13,5	+1,0	5,7	4,6	+1,1
<b>Mar</b>	17,3	16,0	+1,3	6,7	5,9	+0,8
<b>Apr</b>	20,1	21,1	-1,0	8,8	9,7	-0,9
<b>May</b>	25,9	25,1	+0,8	15,2	13,1	+2,1
<b>Jun</b>	30,9	29,1	+1,8	18,7	16,8	+1,9
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<b>Oct</b>	27,1	24,7	+2,4	15,3	13,5	+1,8
<b>Nov</b>	20,9	19,0	+1,9	10,8	9,3	+1,5
<b>Dec</b>	15,7	15,2	+0,5	6,6	6,3	+0,3
<b>Annual</b>	<b>23,7</b>	<b>22,6</b>	<b>+1,1</b>	<b>12,7</b>	<b>11,8</b>	<b>+0,9</b>

# Population

Population Distribution by Age and Sex, 2007



2000      2005      2006      2007

## Population end of year (thousand)

Total	697,5	766,4	778,7	789,3
Males	342,7	377,8	383,4	389,6
Females	354,8	388,6	395,3	399,7

## Population distribution by age (%)

0-14	22,3	18,4	18,0	17,4
15-64 years	66,4	69,5	69,8	70,1
65 years and over	11,3	12,1	12,3	12,5

## Dependency ratios

(0-14) / (15-64)	33,6	26,5	25,7	24,9
(65+) / (15-64)	17,0	17,3	17,6	17,8
(-14)+(65+) / (15-64)	50,5	43,8	43,3	42,7

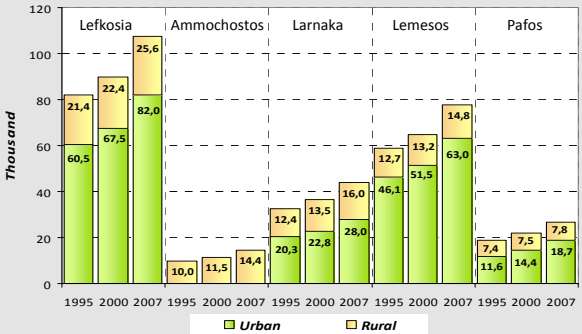
## Share of urban population (%)

	68,8	69,6	69,7	69,9
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## Population distribution by district (thousand)

Lefkosia	277,9	302,6	307,1	310,9
Ammochostos	37,8	42,2	43,0	43,7
Larnaka	116,2	128,1	130,1	131,9
Lemesos	199,5	219,9	223,6	226,7
Pafos	66,1	73,6	74,9	76,1

**Distribution of Households by District**



**2000**      **2005**      **2006**      **2007**

**Households (thousand)**

224,3      256,6      263,3      270,3

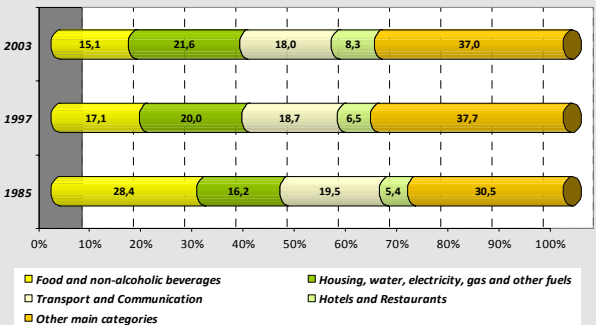
**Household distribution by district (thousand)**

Lefkosia	89,9	102,3	104,9	107,6
Ammochostos	11,5	13,6	14,0	14,4
Larnaka	36,3	41,7	42,8	44,0
Lemesos	64,7	73,9	75,8	77,8
Pafos	21,9	25,1	25,8	26,5

**Average household size**

3,09      2,97      2,94      2,90

**Household Consumption Expenditure (% distribution)**

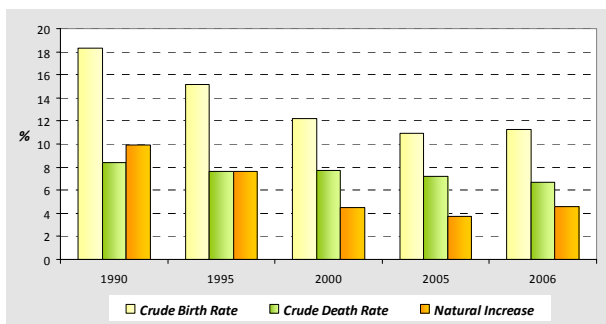


# Demography

2000      2005      2006      2007

## Population change

Annual mid-year population growth rate (%)	1,0	2,8	1,7	1,9
Natural increase rate (per 1.000 population)	4,5	3,7	4,6	4,2
Net migration (number)	+3.960	+14.416	+8.671	+7.390



2000      2005      2006      2007

## Fertility

Live births (number)	8.447	8.243	8.731	8.575
Crude birth rate (per 1.000 population)	12,2	10,9	11,3	10,9
Total fertility rate	1,6	1,4	1,4	1,4

## Mortality

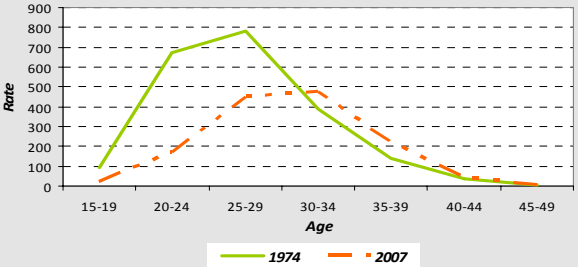
Deaths (number)	5.355	5.425	5.127	5.377
Crude death rate (per 1.000 population)	7,7	7,2	6,7	6,8
Infant mortality rate (per 1.000 live births)	5,6	4,6	3,1	3,1

## Marriages and divorces

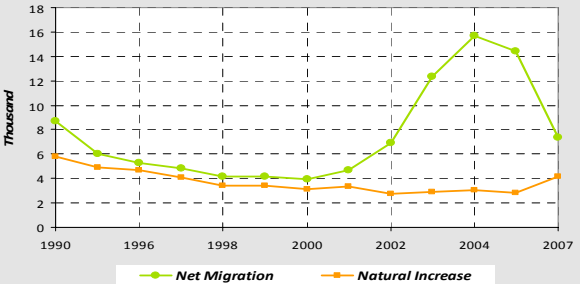
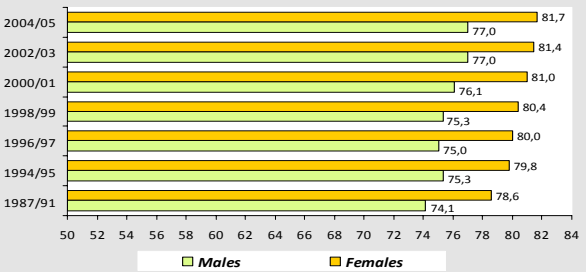
Marriages	9.282	12.966	12.617	...
of which marriages of residents of Cyprus	...	5.881	5.252	...
Divorces	1.182	1.514	1.753	1.648



**Age-specific Fertility Rate, 1974 - 2007**



**Life Expectancy at Birth (years)**



# Crime

2000      2004      2005      2006

## Police Statistics:

### *Serious offences reported to the police (true cases)*

4.340      7.615      7.212      7.917

### *Volume of crime (serious offences<sup>1</sup> per 100.000 population)*

626      1.033      951      1.027

### *Adult offenders*

Convicted for serious offences only

852      1.406      1.575      1.441

Per 100.000 adult population

162      241      258      230

## Judicial Statistics:

### *Major offences*

Against public order

334      629      556      521

Against property

2.177      1.554      1.372      4.104

Against the person

680      1.129      873      904

Sexual

16      32      45      31

Motoring

31.974      27.702      34.763      40.622

### *Persons convicted by the courts (number)*

69.416      58.538      59.889      68.427

by age:

Adults

68.843      57.502      58.354      67.728

Juveniles

573      1.036      1.535      699

by gender:

Males

57.842      47.162      48.482      56.725

Females

11.574      11.376      11.407      11.702

## Prison statistics:

### *Admissions*

1.150      1.385      1.188      1.336

### *Releases*

1.144      1.313      1.142      1.281

### *Prison population on 1<sup>st</sup> September*

312      546      536      599

### *Number of prisoners per 100.000 population*

45      74      71      78

<sup>1</sup> As of 2003, the recording practice of serious offences by the Police has changed and as a result a much higher number of cases is shown. Consequently figures from 2003 onwards are not strictly comparable with those of previous years.

2000      2004      2005      2006

## Persons per:

doctor	385	375	384	395
dentist	1.121	1.058	1.041	1.078
nurse	237	227	228	229
hospital bed	220	240	266	269
Hospital beds per nurse	1,1	0,9	0,9	0,9
Hospital beds (number)	3.147	3.075	2.847	2.864

## General hospitals<sup>1</sup>

Bed occupancy rate (%)	81,4	79,9	83,7	78,8
Average length of patients stay (days)	5,9	5,9	6,1	5,8
In-patients (number of discharges)	56.338	57.436	57.887	57.540

## Health personnel (number)

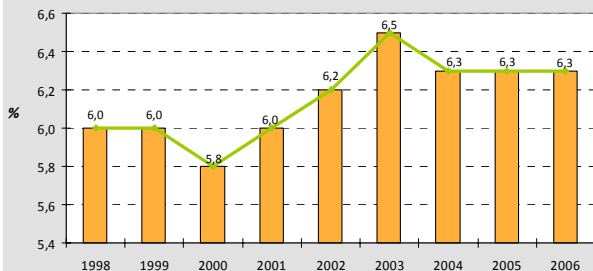
Medical	1.800	1.965	1.976	1.950
Dentist	619	697	728	715
Nursing	2.931	3.247	3.328	3.361

## Total expenditure on health services (€mn)

as % of GDP	5,8	6,3	6,3	6,3
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<sup>1</sup> Public Sector General Hospitals

**Total Expenditure on Health Services as % of GDP**



# Education

1999/00    2004/05    2005/06    2006/07

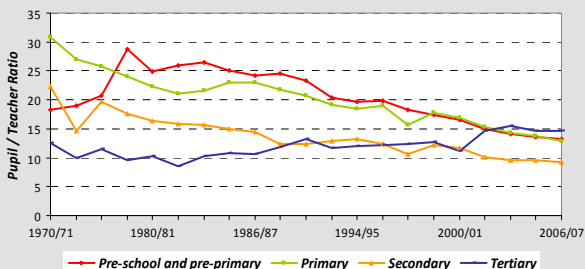
## Gross enrolment ratios (%)

Primary level	96	101	102	102
Secondary level	92	98	98	99
Tertiary level (total)	45	63	65	67
in Cyprus	21	32	32	34
Abroad	24	31	33	33

## Pupil / teacher ratios by level of education

Pre-school and pre-primary	16,7	14,1	13,6	13,3
Primary	17,2	14,2	13,7	12,9
Secondary	11,9	9,6	9,5	9,2
Tertiary	11,8	15,5	14,7	14,6

Pupil / Teacher Ratios



## Participation in education and training, 2006

<u>Age group</u>	<u>Males</u>	<u>Females</u>	<u>Total</u>
25-34	49,5	57,0	53,2
35-49	47,8	39,1	43,3
50-64	30,6	19,9	25,2
Total	43,0	38,2	40,6

2000    2005    2006    2007

## Public expenditure on education (€mn)

	528,6	937,2	1.017,8	1.041,2*
as % of GDP	5,6	7,0	7,1	6,7*
as % of Budget	14,8	16,0	16,2	15,3*

## Education

2000      2005      2006      2007

### Educational attainment for persons aged 20 years and over (%)

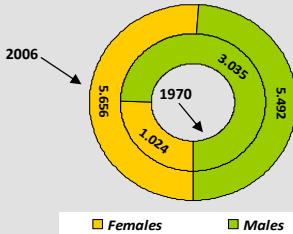
Not attended / completed

primary	12	7	7	7
Primary level	24	21	19	18
Secondary level	43	47	47	47
Tertiary level	21	25	27	28

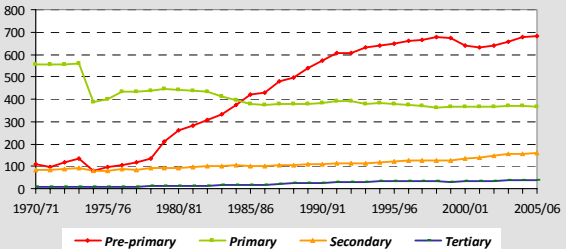
### Tertiary level students per 1.000 population

37	54	56	...
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Tertiary Level Students per 100.000 Population



Schools by Level of Education



1976      1980      1992      2001

### Literacy rates at census years (%)<sup>1</sup>

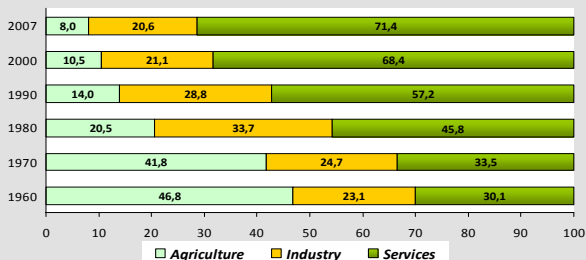
Total	90	93	94	97
Males	96	98	98	99
Females	85	88	90	95

<sup>1</sup> Persons aged 15 and over

# Employment

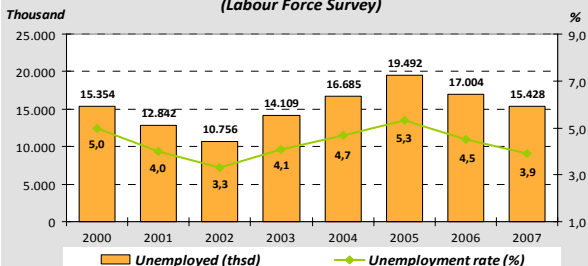
	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007*</u>
<b>Economically active population (thousand)</b>	336,9	380,6	386,8	396,7
as % of the total population	48,6	50,2	50,2	50,4
<b>Gainfully employed population (thousand)</b>	309,3	349,5	358,9	370,0
Males (%)	60,0	56,3	56,1	55,4
Females (%)	40,0	43,7	43,9	44,6
<b>Economic Activity (%)</b>				
Agriculture, hunting and forestry	10,1	8,3	8,0	7,6
Fishing	0,5	0,4	0,4	0,4
Mining and quarrying	0,2	0,1	0,1	0,2
Manufacturing	12,0	10,2	10,0	9,9
Electricity, gas and water	0,5	0,5	0,5	0,5
Construction	8,5	9,7	9,9	10,1
Wholesale and retail trade repairs	17,5	17,9	18,0	18,1
Hotels and restaurants	10,7	10,0	10,0	9,9
Transport, storage and communication	6,9	6,9	6,8	6,6
Financial intermediation	5,2	4,5	4,5	4,5
Real estate, renting and business activities	4,9	5,9	6,1	6,4
Public administration and defence	7,0	7,4	7,4	7,2
Education	5,2	5,3	5,3	5,3
Health and social work	3,9	3,9	4,0	3,9
Other services	4,6	4,5	4,5	4,5
Private households with employed persons	2,5	4,5	4,6	4,7

**Employment by Sector (% distribution)**



# Unemployment - Earnings

**Unemployed Persons and Unemployment Rate  
(Labour Force Survey)**



**2000      2005      2006      2007**

**Unemployed (thousand)**      15,4      19,5      17,0      15,4

**Unemployment rate (%)**      5,0      5,3      4,5      3,9

Males      3,2      4,4      3,9      3,4

Females      7,3      6,5      5,4      4,6

Young (15-24)      10,2      13,9      10,0      10,2

**Growth rates of pay (%)**

in money terms      7,2      5,4      5,7      4,7

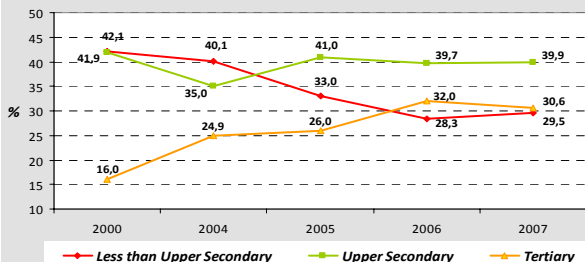
in real terms      3,0      2,7      3,1      2,3

**Growth in earnings (%)**

in money terms      6,9      5,4      5,4      5,2

in real terms      2,7      2,7      2,8      2,8

**Unemployed by Level of Education**



## G.D.P. by economic activity

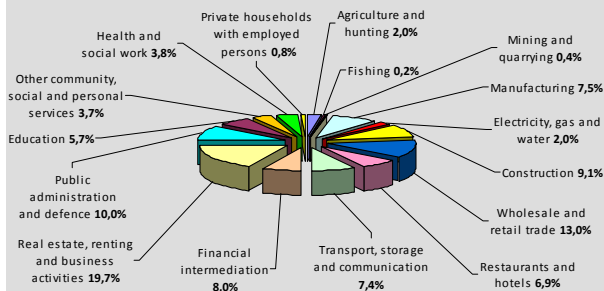
At current market prices

	2000	2005	2006	(€mn) 2007*
Agriculture and hunting	310,6	311,1	284,1	279,9
Fishing	19,0	26,5	26,2	26,2
Mining and quarrying	27,5	43,7	45,4	49,4
Manufacturing	904,4	1.068,6	1.026,5	1.031,3
Electricity, gas and water	188,4	252,5	265,3	278,7
Construction	624,3	992,2	1.116,7	1.261,7
Wholesale and retail trade	1.159,4	1.515,6	1.643,2	1.795,9
Restaurants and hotels	873,2	881,4	925,0	953,7
Transport, storage and communication	817,8	983,1	998,2	1.015,8
Financial intermediation	702,7	839,7	969,7	1.105,7
Real estate, renting and business activities	1.477,3	2.214,6	2.477,8	2.720,4
Public administration and defence	833,5	1.252,1	1.325,9	1.375,6
Education	478,3	702,3	746,6	782,6
Health and social work	323,1	465,3	490,9	514,3
Other community, social and personal services	360,8	461,5	490,2	518,4
Private household with employed persons	47,0	96,7	102,1	108,5
<b>Total gross value added</b>	<b>9.147,3</b>	<b>12.106,9</b>	<b>12.933,9</b>	<b>13.818,0</b>
Plus: Import duties	229,1	156,3	148,8	184,0
Plus: Value added tax (net)	506,8	1.199,0	1.352,5	1.594,3

### G.D.P.

at current market prices	9.883,1	13.462,3	14.435,2	15.596,3
annual change at current prices	9,1 %	6,4 %	7,2 %	8,0 %
annual change at constant prices	5,0 %	3,9 %	4,1 %	4,4 %

Distribution of GDP by Activity, 2007



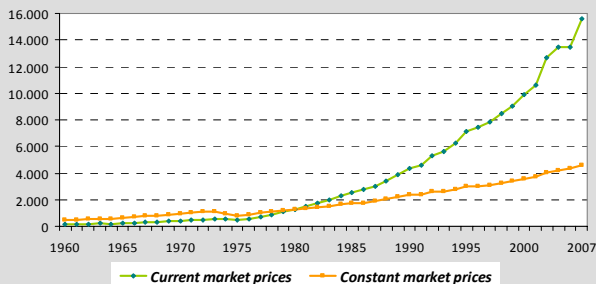


## G.D.P. by category of expenditure

At current market prices

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	(€mn) <u>2007*</u>
Government final consumption	1.583,2	2.427,1	2.682,6	2.764,6
Private final consumption	6.405,4	8.698,9	9.297,6	10.342,7
Gross fixed capital formation	1.677,3	2.599,3	2.975,7	3.340,3
Increase in stocks	133,8	82,6	20,7	142,8
Exports of goods and services	5.471,1	6.504,9	6.929,6	7.611,7
Less: Imports of goods and services	5.387,7	6.850,5	7.471,0	8.605,8
<b>G.D.P. at market prices</b>	<b>9.883,1</b>	<b>13.462,3</b>	<b>13.435,2</b>	<b>15.596,3</b>
<b>Relationship with other National Accounts aggregates</b>				
Plus: Net factor income from the rest of the world	-644,7	-558,6	-686,8	-904,3
<b>G.N.I. at market prices</b>	<b>9.238,5</b>	<b>12.903,7</b>	<b>13.748,4</b>	<b>14.692,0</b>
Less: Consumption of fixed capital	974,6	1.388,6	1.509,5	1.637,9
<b>National Income</b>	<b>8.263,9</b>	<b>11.515,1</b>	<b>12.238,9</b>	<b>13.504,2</b>
	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	(€) <u>2007*</u>
<b>Per capita G.N.I. at current market prices</b>	<b>13.312</b>	<b>17.028</b>	<b>17.795</b>	<b>18.709</b>
annual change at:				
current prices	4,5 %	4,1 %	4,5 %	5,1 %
constant prices	0,7 %	1,7 %	1,5 %	1,6 %
<b>Per capita final private consumption expenditure</b>	<b>9.230</b>	<b>11.479</b>	<b>12.034</b>	<b>13.170</b>

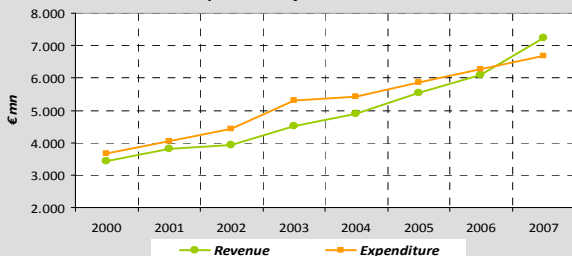
Gross Domestic Product, 1960-2007



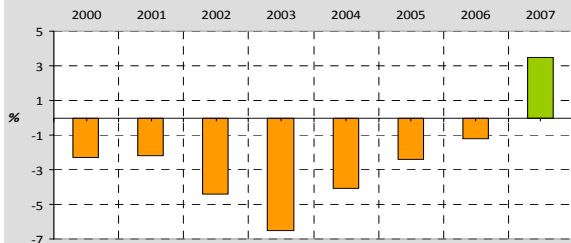
## Main aggregates of the general government

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
<i>(€mn)</i>				
<b>Total government revenue</b>	3.426,7	5.540,6	6.098,6	7.231,0
Total current resources	3.419,4	5.405,9	6.087,4	7.219,6
Capital transfers, received	7,3	134,7	11,2	11,4
<b>Total government expenditure</b>	3.655,4	5.866,1	6.271,1	6.693,6
Total current expenditure	3.311,8	5.382,6	5.730,7	6.111,9
Gross fixed capital formation	289,8	421,0	431,1	460,6
Other capital expenditure, net	53,8	62,5	109,3	121,1
<b>Fiscal deficit/surplus</b>	-228,7	-325,5	-172,5	537,4
<b>General government consolidated gross debt</b>	5.813,5	9.299,7	9.330,9	9.261,5
<b>Fiscal deficit as % of G.D.P.</b>	-2,3	-2,4	-1,2	3,5
<b>General government consolidated gross debt as % of G.D.P.</b>	58,8	69,1	64,6	59,5

Revenue and Expenditure of General Government Sector



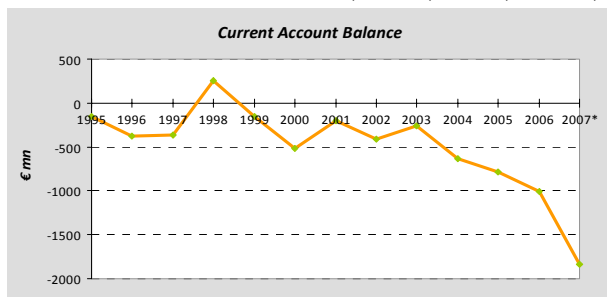
Fiscal Deficit as % of GDP



Note: General Government Accounts are harmonised with ESA 95 concepts and definitions.

## Balance of payments

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007*</u>
<b>(€mn)</b>				
<b>Current Account</b>	-519,1	-787,8	-1.005,3	-1.831,4
<b>Goods, services and income</b>	-707,5	-859,8	-1.170,7	-1.824,5
Goods and services	-130,7	-356,4	-581,5	-1.040,7
Goods	-2.771,0	-3.372,1	-3.932,1	-4.710,6
Services	2.640,3	3.015,7	3.350,6	3.669,9
Income	-576,8	-503,4	-589,2	-783,8
<b>Current transfers</b>	188,5	71,9	165,4	-7,0
<b>Capital and Financial Account</b>	577,8	652,5	1.013,0	2.029,1
Capital Account	5,1	69,0	25,8	5,7
Financial account	572,7	583,5	987,2	2.023,4
Direct investment	726,2	498,0	754,7	710,3
Portfolio investment	-301,7	-105,9	-131,6	-322,7
Financial derivatives	3,4	-11,6	-129,7	101,4
Other investment	136,2	773,3	1.280,6	1.314,2
Official reserves	8,7	-570,3	-786,8	220,2
<b>Net Errors and Omissions</b>	-58,8	135,4	-7,7	-197,7

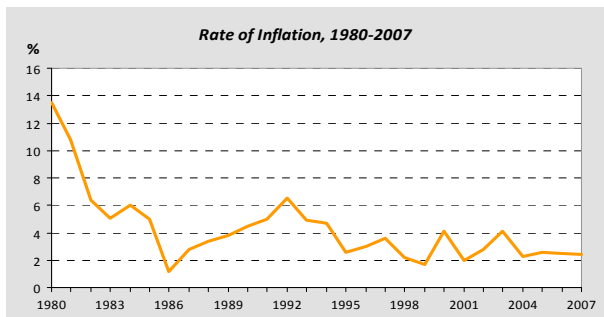


## Money and banking

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007*</u>
<b>Interest rates (%)</b>				
Deposit rates				
(3 month notice)	6,5	3,5	3,7	3,2
Lending rate				
(personal: secured loans)	8,0	7,3	7,5	7,3
<b>Exchange rates</b>				
Average middle rates (foreign currency per EURO)				
Pound sterling	0,6095	0,6838	0,6817	0,6843
US dollar	0,9236	1,2441	1,2556	1,3705
Swiss Franc	1,5579	1,5483	1,5729	1,6427

## Prices and inflation

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
<b>Rate of inflation (%)</b>	4,1	2,6	2,5	2,4
<b>Consumer price index (1998=100)</b>				
Food & non-alcoholic beverages	106,37	128,56	134,73	142,21
Alcoholic beverages & tobacco	120,14	192,22	193,16	195,75
Clothing and footwear	102,98	91,09	90,80	91,06
Housing, water, electricity and gas	108,20	131,97	138,44	141,32
Furnishing, household equipment and supplies	101,41	106,18	106,31	106,59
Health	109,02	132,33	134,05	142,40
Transport	105,44	109,24	112,38	111,84
Communication	85,55	60,45	59,34	60,11
Recreation and culture	100,19	109,00	108,64	109,27
Education	109,33	137,53	143,97	150,99
Restaurants and hotels	109,68	137,64	140,64	146,56
Miscellaneous goods and services	105,69	133,52	136,50	139,98
<b>Price index of manufacturing production (2000=100)</b>	100,0	118,4	122,0	127,4
Local market	100,0	121,3	124,6	130,7
Export market	100,0	98,5	103,3	103,5
<b>Price index of agricultural production (1995=100)</b>	105,9	121,2	123,3	...



## Harmonised consumer price index (HICP)

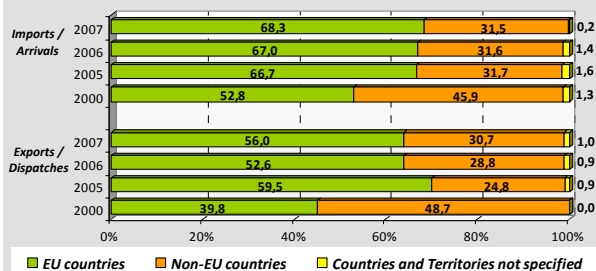
	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
<b>General Index (2005=100)</b>	88,3	100,0	102,2	104,5
Food & non-alcoholic beverages	81,2	100,0	105,6	110,7
Alcoholic beverages & tobacco	68,6	100,0	100,9	101,9
Clothing and footwear	112,2	100,0	95,7	95,2
Housing, water, electricity and gas	74,9	100,0	107,7	109,8
Furnishing, household equipment and supplies	95,3	100,0	100,3	100,6
Health	83,4	100,0	101,9	106,6
Transport	96,0	100,0	103,8	103,8
Communications	175,5	100,0	97,5	97,3
Recreation and culture	95,9	100,0	100,0	100,9
Education	80,6	100,0	105,2	110,4
Restaurants and hotels	79,3	100,0	100,2	104,0
Miscellaneous goods and services	81,2	100,0	103,1	104,9

	<u>2000/99</u>	<u>2005/04</u>	<u>2006/05</u>	<u>2007/06</u>
<b>Annual Change (%):</b>				
<b>General Index</b>	4,9	2,0	2,2	2,2
Food & non-alcoholic beverages	5,3	2,4	5,6	4,8
Alcoholic beverages & tobacco	8,5	0,5	0,9	1,0
Clothing and footwear	-0,6	-0,9	-4,3	-0,6
Housing, water, electricity and gas	16,3	8,7	7,7	1,9
Furnishing, household equipment and supplies	1,4	0,4	0,3	0,3
Health	5,0	-0,5	1,9	4,6
Transport	5,9	3,3	3,8	0,1
Communication	-10,4	-9,4	-2,5	-0,3
Recreation and culture	0,0	0,5	0,0	0,8
Education	3,6	5,3	5,2	4,9
Restaurants and hotels	8,0	2,8	0,2	3,8
Miscellaneous goods and services	4,0	2,7	3,1	1,8

## External trade

Main Partner Countries	2000		2005	
	Imports / Arrivals (€mn)	Exports / Dispatches (€mn)	Imports / Arrivals (€mn)	Exports / Dispatches (€mn)
<b>All Countries</b>	4.104,0	1.011,3	5.069,1	1.228,7
<b>EU Countries<sup>1</sup></b>	2.168,1	402,4	3.382,9	730,7
France	183,2	8,7	184,1	208,3
Germany	287,1	31,0	419,3	65,1
Greece	352,1	82,4	865,9	140,1
Italy	362,4	10,5	513,3	11,7
Netherlands	86,0	18,8	197,8	24,2
Spain	135,9	16,0	164,7	5,0
United Kingdom	434,8	168,8	445,6	206,8
<b>Non-EU Countries<sup>2</sup></b>	1.883,3	608,8	1.650,5	487,3
China	141,8	0,7	193,8	12,0
Egypt	31,3	25,9	51,4	8,0
Israel	164,9	20,1	355,6	13,0
Japan	237,6	1,2	155,4	18,5
Korea (South)	45,0	1,7	37,8	1,8
Lebanon	7,9	51,8	20,7	25,3
Russia	168,2	80,7	48,3	15,9
Saudi Arabia	20,1	12,3	11,7	10,9
Syria	126,3	66,8	10,9	10,7
Taiwan	50,1	0,9	33,1	0,7
Thailand	83,6	1,4	34,0	1,7
United Arab Emirates	11,3	52,3	74,0	31,4
United States	425,9	23,1	81,7	17,9
<b>Countries and Territories not specified</b>	53,0	0,0	80,6	10,7

Imports/Arrivals and Exports/Dispatches by major group of countries (%)

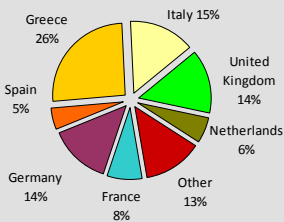


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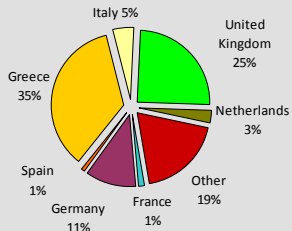
### Main Partner Countries

	2006		2007	
	Imports / Arrivals	Exports / Dispatches (€mn)	Imports / Arrivals	Exports / Dispatches (€mn)
<b>All Countries</b>	5.513,5	1.111,8	6.353,4	1.082,7
<b>EU Countries<sup>1</sup></b>	3.694,3	585,0	4.336,5	606,7
France	233,2	82,0	337,4	8,6
Germany	488,5	50,7	588,8	66,6
Greece	956,5	147,1	1.110,8	214,7
Italy	629,6	36,7	642,0	29,4
Netherlands	233,2	15,9	255,3	16,3
Spain	159,8	7,0	224,0	6,0
United Kingdom	492,1	162,3	616,5	150,2
<b>Non-EU Countries<sup>2</sup></b>	1.741,2	516,8	2.002,0	464,9
China	229,6	8,7	334,2	7,5
Egypt	74,8	10,4	75,3	14,4
Israel	341,7	13,3	409,0	10,6
Japan	133,4	12,5	168,3	14,0
Korea (South)	38,4	2,6	43,4	2,4
Lebanon	16,9	25,5	16,9	28,4
Russia	45,4	16,6	41,0	19,6
Saudi Arabia	15,7	7,9	45,3	9,5
Syria	13,1	16,4	8,7	17,1
Taiwan	32,1	0,9	37,4	1,0
Thailand	27,0	1,2	44,9	1,5
United Arab Emirates	77,6	50,7	51,9	19,8
United States	87,0	8,2	79,3	6,5
<b>Countries and Territories not specified</b>	77,9	9,9	15,1	11,1

Arrivals from EU Countries, 2007



Dispatches to EU Countries, 2007



<sup>1</sup> EU countries group consisting of the 26 partner countries.

<sup>2</sup> Non-EU countries group includes stores and provisions.

## Imports / Arrivals

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
<i>(€mn)</i>				
<b>Total imports / arrivals</b> <sup>1</sup>	4.104,0	5.069,1	5.513,5	6.353,4
<u>Category (%)</u>				
Consumer goods	33,0	33,0	30,5	28,9
Intermediate inputs	29,6	27,0	27,7	29,1
Capital goods	10,6	9,1	9,2	9,0
Transport equipment	12,6	13,0	13,2	16,0
Fuels and lubricants	12,9	16,2	18,1	16,9
Unclassified	1,3	1,6	1,3	0,2
<b>Imports / Arrivals destined for home use</b> <sup>2</sup>	3.363,7	4.427,0	5.031,0	5.929,0
<u>Category (%)</u>				
Consumer goods	28,9	30,4	29,9	29,7
Intermediate inputs	34,3	30,5	30,0	30,7
Capital goods	12,0	10,1	9,9	9,3
Transport equipment	9,5	11,7	12,2	15,0
Fuels and lubricants	13,7	15,6	16,7	15,1
Unclassified	1,6	1,8	1,4	0,2

<sup>1</sup> As from May 2004, total imports include also arrivals from EU countries.

<sup>2</sup> Imports / Arrivals destined for home use correspond to imports for home consumption.

## Exports / Dispatches

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
<i>(€mn)</i>				
<b>Total exports / dispatches</b> <sup>1</sup>	1.011,3	1.228,7	1.111,8	1.082,7
<b>Exports / Dispatches of:</b>				
<b>foreign produced goods</b> <sup>2</sup>	599,9	821,8	665,2	577,6
<b>domestically produced goods</b>	411,4	406,9	446,6	505,1
<b>domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions</b> <sup>3</sup>	382,7	406,2	445,6	504,2
<u>Category (%)</u>				
Agricultural products	15,4	23,0	21,2	23,8
Minerals	0,7	1,3	2,4	2,4
Industrial products of				
agricultural origin	12,6	17,9	16,2	13,8
mineral origin	4,8	1,4	1,7	3,8
manufacturing origin	66,5	56,3	58,5	56,2
Unclassified	0,1	0,1	0,0	0,0

<sup>1</sup> As from May 2004, total exports include also dispatches to EU countries.

<sup>2</sup> Exports / Dispatches of foreign produced goods correspond to re-exports.

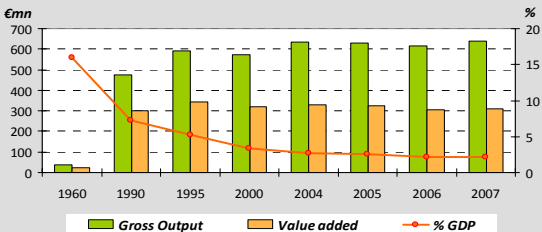
<sup>3</sup> Stores and provisions denote exports to ships and aircraft, named shipstores until December 2001.



# Agriculture

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007*</u>
<b>Production index (1995=100)</b>	94,6	90,9	88,2	89,1
<b>Gross output at current market prices (€mn)</b>	571,9	627,2	617,7	639,1
Crop production	278,6	282,6	278,8	287,7
Livestock production	249,0	287,7	288,1	302,2
Other	44,3	56,9	50,8	49,2
<b>Agricultural land (thousand hectares)</b>	197,3	202,4	195,8	194,3
Temporary crop	93,4	101,6	97,4	95,6
Permanent crops	41,8	42,7	41,1	41,0
Fallow land	5,0	20,5	18,0	18,2
Grazing land	1,1	0,4	0,5	0,5
Uncultivated and scrap	56,0	37,2	38,8	39,0
<b>Livestock (thousand)</b>				
Cattle	54,2	57,8	56,3	54,9
Sheep and lambs	246,0	268,9	272,2	259,4
Goats and kids	378,6	329,3	344,9	339,0
Pigs	408,4	429,7	452,6	450,3
<b>Employment (thousand)</b>	31,2	29,1	27,3	26,4
% of gainfully employed	9,4	7,8	7,1	7,0
<b>Production of main crops (thousand tons)</b>				
Cereals	47,6	69,5	65,9	43,2
Potatoes	117,0	152,5	127,5	155,5
Grapes	108,0	51,0	40,0	33,9
Citrus fruit	137,8	142,3	136,8	137,5
Olives	21,0	16,4	23,4	17,5
<b>Domestic exports of raw agricultural products (€mn)</b>	58,8	109,4	94,3	120,2
Potatoes	21,0	36,2	39,8	55,8
Citrus fruit	21,9	35,4	32,7	29,2
Grapes	2,7	0,7	0,4	0,2
Vegetables	6,0	11,1	11,2	9,9

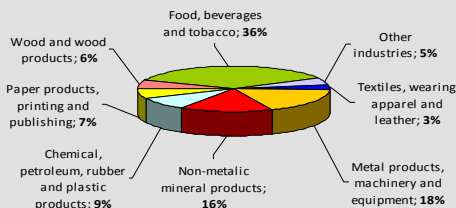
**Gross Output and Value Added at Current Market Prices**



# Manufacturing

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
<b>Production index (2000=100)</b>	100,0	104,8	104,4	107,7
<b>Employment (thousand)</b>	37,0	37,0	36,7	37,2*
<b>At current market prices (€mn):</b>				
<b>Gross output</b>	2.702,1	3.079,4	3.148,0	3.322,1*
<b>Industry</b>				
Food, beverages and tobacco	986,9	1.252,7	1.162,5	1.199,4
Textiles, wearing apparel and leather	167,5	93,6	88,6	90,8
Wood and wood products	130,5	183,6	188,7	200,1
Paper and paper products, printing and publishing	177,3	207,8	227,0	239,1
Chemical, petroleum, rubber and plastic products	497,7	248,6	270,2	295,4
Non-metallic mineral products	247,5	489,0	516,8	544,1
Metal products, machinery and equipment	332,4	460,4	534,7	582,5
Other industries, including furniture and cottage industry	162,5	143,7	159,4	170,8
<b>Value added</b>	957,7	1.193,0	1.169,1	1.221,3*
<b>Domestic exports (€mn)</b>	319,0	307,7	341,4	373,2
<b>Main export products</b>				
Canned fruit, vegetables and juices	8,8	9,6	10,9	13,8
Dairy products	15,5	28,2	30,8	33,3
Alcoholic beverages	12,6	11,1	6,3	7,5
Clothing	38,4	7,9	7,3	6,7
Pharmaceutical products	52,7	86,1	91,9	103,9
Cement	18,4	8,2	8,5	2,1
Photovoltaic cells	0,0	11,6	33,5	45,1
Recycled metals	0,0	14,2	25,8	27,2
<b>Exports by country groupings (%)</b>				
EU countries	45,5	48,6	50,0	58,1
Arab countries	31,5	17,3	14,7	14,4
Other countries	23,0	34,1	35,3	27,5

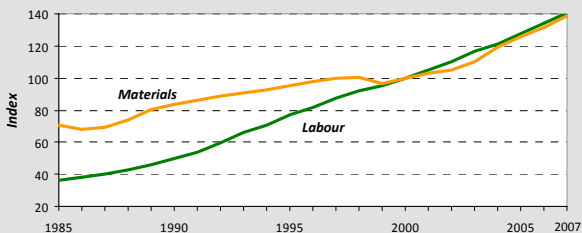
**Output Structure in Manufacturing, 2007**



## Construction

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
<b>Gross output at current market prices (€mn)</b>	1.221,0	2.098,3	2.358,4	2.740,4*
<b>Value added at current market prices (€mn)</b>	657,0	1.062,6	1.197,2	1.375,2*
<b>Gross output of new construction (€mn)</b>	1.053,4	1.870,4	2.121,2	2.512,7*
Residential buildings	534,3	1.123,1	1.252,0	1.388,4*
Non-residential buildings	268,1	375,4	452,1	724,5
Civil engineering projects	251,0	372,0	417,1	399,8*
Price index of main construction materials (2000=100)	100,0	125,6	131,8	138,9
Labour cost index (2000=100)	100,0	127,5	134,2	140,4
Local sales of cement (thousand metric tons)	945	1.589	1.627	1.790
Dwelling stock (thousand)	288	325	341	358
New dwellings completed (number)	5.083	16.416	16.647	16.501
Average area per new dwelling completed (sq. m.)	189	153	149	152
Average cost of new dwellings completed in the private sector per sq. m. (€)	571	692	736	771
Building permits authorised (thousand sq. m.)	1.651	3.417	3.507	3.613

**Indices of Costs in the Construction Sector (2000=100), 1985-2007**



## Energy

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
<b>Imports of petroleum products (€mn)</b>	527,8	822,3	998,3	1.067,0
as % of total imports	12,9	16,2	18,1	16,8
<b>Sales of petroleum products (tonnes)</b>	2.268.852	2.733.969	2.701.197	2.718.510
Unleaded motor gasoline	76.962	302.525	323.025	351.852
Leaded motor gasoline	129.487	0	0	0
Kerosene	24.003	15.976	15.739	15.889
Aviation kerosene	284.347	291.496	299.791	287.111
Gasoil	612.955	629.976	609.363	618.584
Light fuel oil	134.643	65.948	49.739	40.215
Heavy fuel oil	953.684	1.374.863	1.349.228	1.349.624
Liquefied petroleum gases	52.771	53.185	54.312	55.235
<b>Electricity (000's kWh)</b>				
Gross production	3.370.267	4.347.943	4.618.079	4.786.171
Total consumption	3.011.231	3.930.707	4.135.022	4.298.319
of which:				
Domestic	1.054.942	1.432.830	1.500.511	1.607.048
Commercial	1.215.003	1.585.922	1.713.921	1.783.885
Industrial	593.756	725.392	723.038	699.746
Agriculture	94.890	120.648	128.701	137.339
Public lighting	52.640	65.915	68.851	70.301
<b>Electricity consumption per capita (kWh)</b>	4.341	5.186	5.364	5.462
<b>Average price of electricity (cents per kWh)</b>	10,32	10,99	12,40	12,71
<b>Energy production from solar thermal systems (TJ)</b>	1.115	1.297	1.359	1.404
<b>Energy intensity of the economy (kgoe/€000's)</b>				
Gross inland consumption / GDP	241	216	216	...
Final energy consumption / GDP	165	156	152	...
<b>Energy consumption per capita (kgoe)</b>	2.354	2.384	2.378	...

## Environment

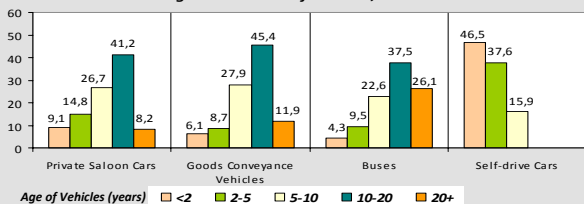
	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
<b>Fresh water abstraction</b> (million m <sup>3</sup> )				
Surface water	45,01	80,50	78,40	63,60
Ground water	116,00	105,60	102,00	103,60
	<u>2000</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>
<b>Emissions of greenhouse gases</b> (000's tonnes of CO <sub>2</sub> equivalents)				
Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> )	8.592,39	9.674,49	9.563,52	9.802,45
Methane (CH <sub>4</sub> )	6.721,18	7.603,04	7.782,69	7.993,65
Nitrous oxide (N <sub>2</sub> O)	884,07	957,98	929,70	934,03
	987,14	1.113,48	851,13	874,77
<b>Emissions of air pollutants</b> (000's tonnes)				
Sulphur dioxide (SO <sub>2</sub> )	52,45	45,36	42,45	35,52
Nitrogen oxides (NO <sub>x</sub> )	21,61	18,36	17,30	17,55
Carbon monoxide (CO)	87,41	45,45	41,07	33,58
Non-methane volatile organic compounds	15,95	12,33	11,49	11,07
Lead (Pb)	26,95	9,77	3,76	4,05
<b>Municipal waste</b>				
Waste generated (000's tonnes)	469,59	539,73	553,30	571,18
Waste generated per capita (kg)	677	732	730	741
Waste collected for recycling (000's tonnes)	46,59	58,14	64,00	71,69
Waste disposed to landfills (000's tonnes)	423,00	481,59	489,30	499,49
<b>Wastewater treatment</b>				
Resident population connected to wastewater collecting system (000's)	99,2	209,8	226,0	...
% of national population	14,3	28,5	29,8	...
Number of treatment plants	150	207	222	...
Design capacity of treatment plants (m <sup>3</sup> /day)	68.442	93.704	96.072	...
Design capacity of BOD of treatment plants (kg O <sub>2</sub> /day)	28.940	36.637	43.857	...
<b>Environmental protection expenditures in industry (€000's)</b>	18.625 <sup>1</sup>	36.332	30.540	29.513

<sup>1</sup> Data refers to 2001.

# Transport

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
<b>Vehicles licensed</b>	444.183	534.966	550.792	591.962
Saloon cars	267.589	355.134	372.945	410.936
Private	258.070	342.146	360.429	397.313
Taxis	1.648	1.845	1.780	1.856
Self drive	5.915	8.336	7.782	8.648
Learners' vehicles	391	557	557	600
Invalid carriages	1.565	2.250	2.397	2.519
Buses	2.949	3.217	3.221	3.292
Private	1.325	1.314	1.260	1.221
Public	1.624	1.903	1.961	2.071
Goods conveyance vehicles	114.666	118.355	115.723	117.498
Heavy (over 2.032 kg)	9.624	11.470	11.439	11.707
Light (up to 2.032 kg)	103.957	105.327	102.520	103.978
Road tractors (units of trailers)	1.085	1.558	1.764	1.813
Mechanised cycles	43.315	40.381	40.359	41.211
Motorcycles	12.725	16.836	17.511	18.900
Motor tricycles	33	558	990	1.310
Autocycles	30.557	22.987	21.858	21.001
Tractors	13.291	14.368	14.739	14.956
Agricultural	12.121	13.457	13.700	13.831
Non-agricultural	1.170	911	1.039	1.125
Other categories	2.373	3.511	3.805	4.069
Road rollers	386	195	217	236
Cranes	137	142	151	139
Heavy locomotives	620	1.304	1.421	1.555
Other	1.230	1.870	2.016	2.139
<b>New registrations of motor vehicles</b>	32.165	48.712	48.387	64.405
<b>Persons per private saloon car (Licensed)</b>	2,7	2,2	2,1	2,0
<b>Deaths in road accidents per 100.000 population</b>	15,8	13,5	11,2	11,3
<b>Aircraft landings</b>	26.540	30.664	30.670	31.028
<b>Ship arrivals</b>	5.289	4.649	4.534	4.279

**Age Distribution of Vehicles, 2007**



2000      2005      2006      2007

## Travellers (thousand)

Arrivals	3.534,9	3.620,2	3.656,5	3.795,3
Departures	3.529,0	3.621,9	3.663,9	3.777,4

## Tourist arrivals (thousand)

2.686,2	2.470,1	2.400,9	2.416,1
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## Main countries:

United Kingdom	1.362,9	1.391,8	1.360,1	1.282,9
Germany	233,7	182,7	152,8	138,5
Greece	100,1	130,2	126,8	139,8
Switzerland	79,0	40,2	41,3	41,4
Netherlands	55,4	29,5	28,2	26,7
Nordic countries	264,2	195,2	205,8	230,7
Russia	129,9	97,6	114,8	145,9

## Same-day visitors (thousand)

226,1	186,6	282,1	255,3	
Transit at ports	74,5	2,5	0,8	0,5
Cruise-ship visitors	135,1	175,6	220,3	246,4
Same day-tourists	16,5	8,6	7,1	8,3

## Guestnights of tourists in tourist accommodation (thousand)

16.816	14.006	13.310	13.197
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## Foreign exchange receipts from tourism (€mn)

2.040	1.718	1.755	1.858
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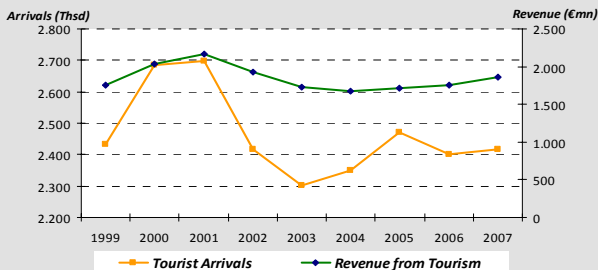
## Capacity in tourist accommodation (number of beds)

88.423	95.648	93.957	92.569
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## Return of Residents from a trip abroad (thousand)

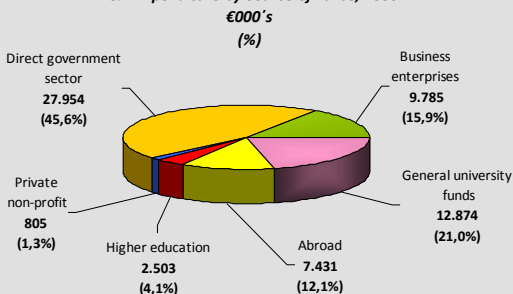
587,6	913,8	932,1	1.080,5
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**Arrivals of Tourists and Revenue**



## Research and Development

**R&D Expenditure by Source of Funds, 2006**



**2000      2004      2005      2006**

<b>R&amp;D expenditure (€000's)</b>	24.037	46.508	54.438	61.352
as % of GDP	0,24	0,37	0,40	0,43

### **By sector of performance (€000's)**

Government	11.196	16.796	17.312	17.576
Business enterprises	5.122	9.898	11.988	13.954
Higher education	5.956	16.374	21.199	25.308
Private non-profit	1.762	3.441	3.940	4.514

### **By field of science (€000's)**

Natural sciences	8.232	18.631	18.731	20.807
Engineering and technology	1.979	6.952	9.845	12.087
Medical sciences	1.155	1.961	2.595	3.564
Agricultural sciences	6.634	7.573	10.086	9.842
Social sciences	3.680	7.328	8.892	10.322
Humanities	2.356	4.063	4.289	4.731

### **By source of funds (€000's)**

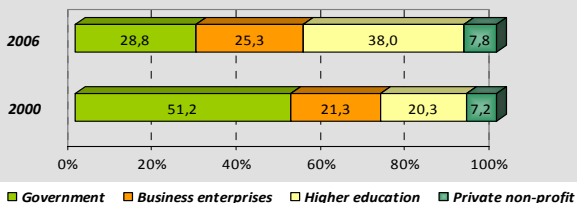
Direct government sector	11.567	20.382	24.677	27.954
General university funds	4.429	9.418	11.789	12.874
Business enterprises	4.210	8.796	9.122	9.785
Higher education	454	1.821	2.266	2.503
Private non-profit	1.116	728	636	805
Abroad	2.260	5.363	5.948	7.431



## Research and Development

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2006</u>
<b>R&amp;D personnel (Head count)</b>	1.630	2.235	2.470	2.534
<b>R&amp;D personnel (Full-time equivalent)</b>	680	1.017	1.157	1.226
<b>By sector of performance</b>				
Government	348	352	366	353
Business enterprises	145	224	261	310
Higher education	138	368	444	466
Private non-profit	49	72	86	96
<b>By gender</b>				
Men	432	620	715	761
Women	248	397	442	465
<b>By occupation</b>				
Researchers	304	583	682	748
Technicians	195	243	273	270
Other supporting staff	182	191	201	207
<b>By level of qualification</b>				
PhD holders	170	265	290	325
Post-graduates	96	284	345	368
University degree holders	105	176	216	237
Other post secondary diplomas	36	49	55	60
Secondary education	195	197	199	199
Primary education	78	46	52	37
<b>By field of science</b>				
Natural sciences	208	370	419	447
Engineering and technology	58	151	188	226
Medical sciences	33	49	48	62
Agricultural sciences	220	204	217	193
Social sciences	92	160	188	199
Humanities	70	82	97	98

**R&D Personnel by Sector of Performance (%)**



# Innovation

2002 - 2004

*Sizeclass*

**10-49**

**50-249**

**250+**

**Total**

## **TOTAL**

% of all enterprises  
with:

Innovation activities 42,67 60,85 81,48 46,11

Product and/or  
process innovation 42,42 60,85 81,48 45,90

Ongoing and/or  
abandoned  
innovation activities 0,25 0,00 0,00 0,20

No innovation  
activities 57,33 39,15 18,52 53,89

## **INDUSTRY**

% of all enterprises  
with:

Innovation activities 48,74 80,49 91,67 53,18

Product and/or  
process innovation 48,30 80,49 91,67 52,80

Ongoing and/or  
abandoned  
innovation activities 0,44 0,00 0,00 0,38

No innovation  
activities 51,26 19,51 8,33 46,82

## **SERVICES**

% of all enterprises  
with:

Innovation activities 34,96 45,79 73,33 37,85

Product and/or  
process innovation 34,96 45,79 73,33 37,85

Ongoing and/or  
abandoned  
innovation activities 0,00 0,00 0,00 0,00

No innovation  
activities 65,04 54,21 26,67 62,15

## 2004 - 2006

	<i>Sizeclass</i>			<i>Total</i>
	<i>10-49</i>	<i>50-249</i>	<i>250+</i>	
<b>TOTAL</b>				
% of all enterprises with:				
Innovation activities	35,02	56,73	82,14	39,55
Product and/or process innovation	34,16	56,73	82,14	38,84
Ongoing and/or abandoned innovation activities	0,87	0,00	0,00	0,71
No innovation activities	64,98	43,27	17,86	60,45
<b>INDUSTRY</b>				
% of all enterprises with:				
Innovation activities	42,06	68,42	76,92	46,27
Product and/or process innovation	40,50	68,42	76,92	44,95
Ongoing and/or abandoned innovation activities	1,56	0,00	0,00	1,32
No innovation activities	57,94	31,58	23,08	53,73
<b>SERVICES</b>				
% of all enterprises with:				
Innovation activities	28,24	49,33	86,67	33,50
Product and/or process innovation	28,05	49,33	86,67	33,35
Ongoing and/or abandoned innovation activities	0,19	0,00	0,00	0,15
No innovation activities	71,76	50,67	13,33	66,50

# Information society

2004      2005      2006      2007

## Telecommunications (per 1000 inhabitants)

Mobile subscriptions	879	1.021	1.114	1.219
Analogue telephone lines	577	524	495	486
ISDN lines	43	37	34	31

## Computers and Internet

### Internet access and usage

Subscriptions to ISPs for Internet access per 1000 inhabitants	119	123	140	173
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### Type of Internet connection (% on total subscriptions)

Dial-up	72,4	59,2	39,4	24,0
ISDN	7,9	4,3	2,4	0,9
DSL	19,7	36,5	58,2	75,1

### Regular Internet usage

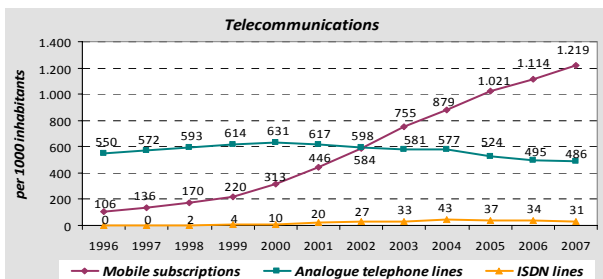
(% population aged 16-74)	25,4	26,2	29,2	34,6
Male	28,8	28,4	31,7	37,3
Female	22,2	24,2	26,8	32,1

### % of individuals using the Internet for interaction with public authorities

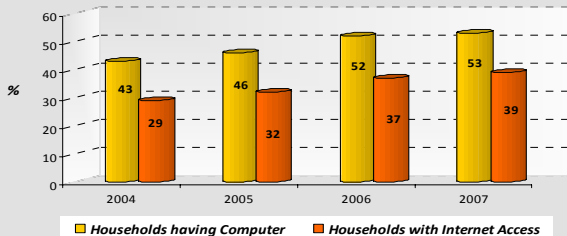
obtaining information	10,8	11,4	12,7	19,9
downloading forms	10,4	10,9	12,0	18,4
returning filled forms	3,5	4,8	7,7	13,0
returning filled forms	1,4	1,7	3,4	9,6

### % of enterprises (10+) using the Internet for interaction with public authorities

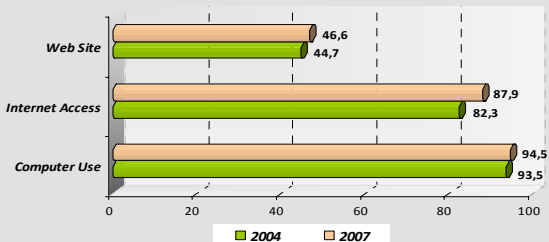
obtaining information	35,3	39,5	44,3	53,7
downloading forms	34,7	38,9	43,8	52,7
returning filled forms	24,3	23,2	33,6	43,2
returning filled forms	11,0	9,0	8,3	14,0



### Computers and Internet in Households



### Computers and the Internet in Enterprises<sup>1</sup> (% on total number)



<sup>1</sup> Enterprises employing 10 or more persons

2004      2005      2006      2007

## Education

### Primary (per 100 pupils)

Computers	7,3	7,7	8,1	8,3
Computers connected to Internet	5,0	5,7	6,4	7,0
Computers connected to Internet with high speed connections	1,5	1,8	2,8	5,1

### Secondary (per 100 pupils)

Computers	16,0	17,0	17,3	17,5
Computers connected to Internet	10,0	12,2	13,1	13,5
Computers connected to Internet with high speed connections	8,6	10,8	11,7	13,0

### Tertiary (per 100 pupils)

Computers	11,7	11,9	14,1	14,5
Computers connected to Internet	11,2	11,7	14,0	14,2
Computers connected to Internet with high speed connections	11,2	11,6	13,7	13,9

# Cyprus in the European Union

## Main indicators 2007

<i>Country</i>	<i>Area</i>	<i>Population 1.1.2008</i>	<i>Population change<sup>1</sup></i>
	<i>Km<sup>2</sup></i>	<i>thousands</i>	
<b>EU-27</b>	<b>4.403.357</b>	<b>497.482</b>	<b>4,8</b>
Belgium	30.528	10.667	7,8
Bulgaria	111.002	7.640	-5,1
Czech Republic	78.867	10.381	9,1
Denmark	43.098	5.476	5,3
Germany	357.108	82.222	-1,1
Estonia	45.288	1.341	-1,1
Greece	131.957	11.215	3,9
Spain	505.987	45.283	18,2
France	632.834	63.753	5,7
Ireland	69.797	4.420	24,9
Italy	301.336	59.618	8,2
<b>Cyprus</b>	<b>9.251*</b>	<b>795</b>	<b>20,4</b>
Latvia	64.589	2.271	-4,6
Lithuania	65.300	3.366	-5,5
Luxembourg	2.586	484	16,0
Hungary	93.028	10.045	-2,1
Malta	316	411	6,8
Netherlands	41.543	16.404	2,8
Austria	83.844	8.332	4,0
Poland	312.685	38.116	-0,3
Portugal	92.118	10.618	1,7
Romania	238.391	21.529	-1,7
Slovenia	20.273	2.026	7,7
Slovakia	49.034	5.401	1,4
Finland	338.176	5.300	4,5
Sweden	441.370	9.183	7,6
United Kingdom	243.069	61.186	6,1

\* Refers to the whole island

<sup>1</sup> Per 1.000 inhabitants

# Cyprus in the European Union

## Main indicators 2007

Country	Youth Educational Attainment	Lifelong Learning	Public Expenditure on Education (2005)
	Ages 20-24	Ages 25-64	% of GDP
<b>EU-27</b>	<b>78,1</b>	<b>9,7</b>	<b>5,0</b>
Belgium	82,6	7,2	6,0
Bulgaria	83,3	1,3	4,5
Czech Republic	91,8	5,7	4,3
Denmark	70,8	29,2	8,3
Germany	72,5	7,8	4,5
Estonia	80,9	7,0	4,9
Greece	82,1	2,1	4,0
Spain	61,1	10,4	4,2
France	82,4	7,4	5,7
Ireland	86,7	7,6	4,8
Italy	76,3	6,2	4,4
<b>Cyprus</b>	<b>85,8</b>	<b>8,4</b>	<b>6,9</b>
Latvia	80,2	7,1	5,1
Lithuania	89,0	5,3	5,0
Luxembourg	70,9	7,0	3,8
Hungary	84,0	3,6	5,5
Malta	54,7	6,0	6,8
Netherlands	76,2	16,6	5,2
Austria	84,1	12,8	5,4
Poland	91,6	5,1	5,5
Portugal	53,4	4,4	5,4
Romania	77,4	1,3	3,5
Slovenia	91,5	14,8	5,8
Slovakia	91,3	3,9	3,9
Finland	86,5	23,4	6,3
Sweden	87,2	32,0	7,0
United Kingdom	78,1	26,6	5,5

# Cyprus in the European Union

## Main indicators 2007

Country	Unemployment Rate	Employment Rate	Labour Productivity <sup>1</sup>
	(%)	(%)	
<b>EU-27</b>	<b>7,1</b>	<b>65,4</b>	<b>100,0</b>
Belgium	7,5	62,0	130,2
Bulgaria	6,9	61,7	35,7
Czech Republic	5,3	66,1	73,6
Denmark	3,8	77,1	106,0
Germany	8,4	69,4	105,7
Estonia	4,7	69,4	64,7
Greece	8,3	61,4	104,7
Spain	8,3	65,6	105,1
France	8,3	64,6	124,3
Ireland	4,7	69,1	135,7
Italy	6,1	58,7	108,0
<b>Cyprus</b>	<b>3,9</b>	<b>71,0</b>	<b>86,1</b>
Latvia	6,0	68,3	53,6
Lithuania	4,3	64,9	60,7
Luxembourg	4,1	63,6	180,3
Hungary	7,4	57,3	73,9
Malta	6,4	55,7	90,1
Netherlands	3,2	76,0	113,9
Austria	4,4	71,4	119,9
Poland	9,6	57,0	67,4
Portugal	8,0	67,8	69,9
Romania	6,4	58,8	41,0
Slovenia	4,9	67,8	86,4
Slovakia	11,1	60,7	76,8
Finland	6,9	70,3	111,9
Sweden	6,2	74,2	115,3
United Kingdom	5,3	71,3	108,8

<sup>1</sup> Per employed person



# Cyprus in the European Union

## Main indicators 2007

Country	Internet Users per 100 inhabitants	Enterprises <sup>1</sup> with Internet Access (%)
<b>EU-27</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>93</b>
Belgium	63	97
Bulgaria	28	75
Czech Republic	42	95
Denmark	76	97
Germany	64	95
Estonia	59	94
Greece	28	93
Spain	44	94
France	57	96
Ireland	51	95
Italy	34	94
<b>Cyprus</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>88</b>
Latvia	52	86
Lithuania	45	89
Luxembourg	72	94
Hungary	49	86
Malta	43	95
Netherlands	81	99
Austria	61	97
Poland	39	92
Portugal	35	90
Romania	22	67
Slovenia	49	96
Slovakia	51	98
Finland	75	99
Sweden	75	95
United Kingdom	65	93

<sup>1</sup> Enterprises employing 10 or more persons

## More Statistics on Cyprus

- Further statistical information is available in the following publications of the Statistical Service of Cyprus:
  - Statistical Abstract
  - National Economic Accounts
  - Monthly Economic Indicators
  - Agricultural Statistics
  - Industrial Statistics
  - Construction and Housing Statistics
  - Wholesale and Retail Trade Statistics
  - Transport Statistics
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“Energy and Environment”, “Other”,  
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  - Verification of data
  - Methodological information
  - Technical support
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