

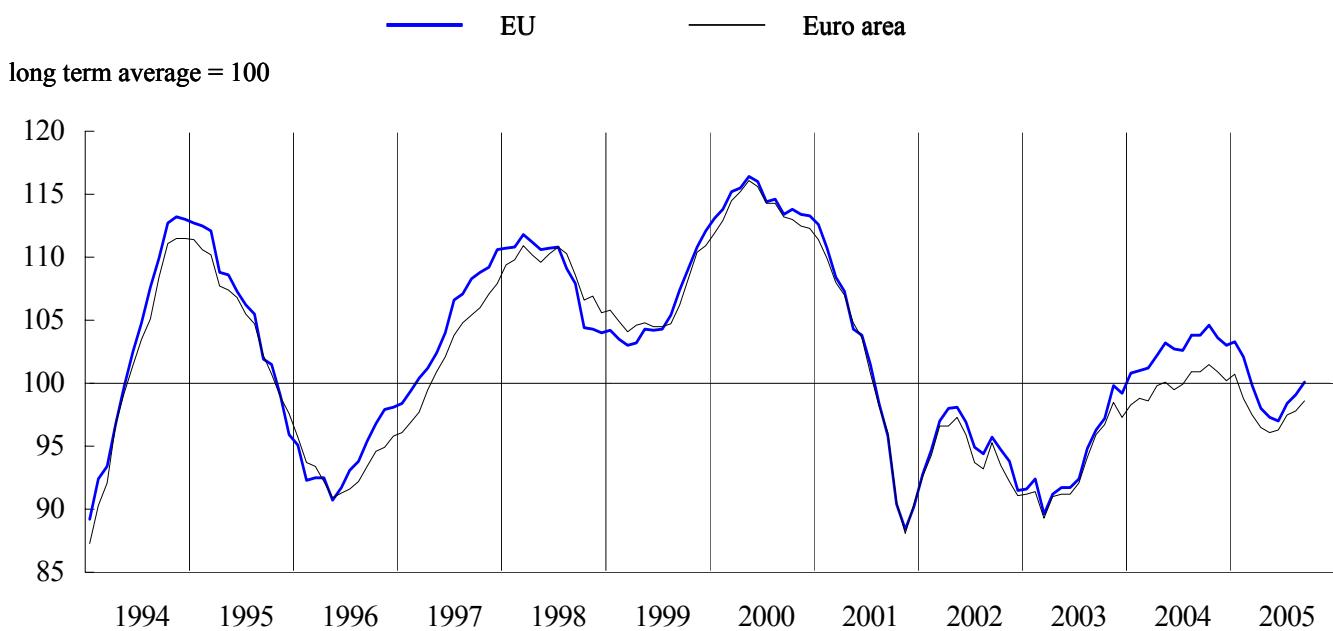


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GRAPH 1: Economic sentiment indicator (s.a.)



Economic sentiment continues to improve in both the EU and the euro area

The *economic sentiment indicator (ESI)* for the EU and euro area saw a remarkable increase over summer, defying the uncertainty created by soaring oil prices and the devastating hurricanes in the Gulf of Mexico region. In the *EU*, the indicator rose by a total of 1.7 points during August and September, following an increase of 1.4 points in July. In the *euro area*, the ESI improved by a compound 1.1 points in August/September. The indicator has now risen for four months in a row, confirming that the weakening of the economy since autumn 2004 has come to a halt.

In both areas, the brightening of economic sentiment in August/September was due to a fairly broad-based improvement across sectors, particularly in industry, retail trade and construction. Only services sector confidence saw a small dent in the euro area, while it remained steady in the EU. Consumer confidence remained unchanged in both areas.

Over the two-month period, economic sentiment improved in all larger Member States, ranging from a more moderate 0.8 points in *France* to a staggering 8.2 points in *Poland*. The *UK* registered a small drop in sentiment in August, which was perhaps a reaction to the terrorist attacks in July. However, this was more than compensated by a sturdy rise of 4.0 points in September.

Industrial confidence improves slightly in both the EU and the euro area

In both the EU and the euro area, *industrial confidence* improved by 1 point in the period August/September, continuing the recovery that started in late spring. In the EU, a small decline in August was more than compensated by an increase in September, while in the euro area, unchanged confidence in August was followed by a 1-point increase in September.

All components of the indicator contributed to its rise in August/September. In particular, in both the EU and the euro area industry managers' *production expectations* and their assessment of *order books* picked up by 2 points and by 1 point, respectively. The assessment of *stocks of finished products* also improved, by two points in the EU and by 1 point in the euro area.

The brightening of industrial confidence was quite uniform among the larger Member States. Only *France* registered a decline in September. Industrial confidence in the *UK* followed a markedly V-shaped pattern: a fall by 7 points in August was followed by an equally large increase in September.

A breakdown by sectors (Table 2.b) shows that confidence increased broadly based over all three sub-sectors, i.e. *consumer goods*, *investment goods* and *intermediate goods*.

Services confidence in the EU remains fairly stable during the summer

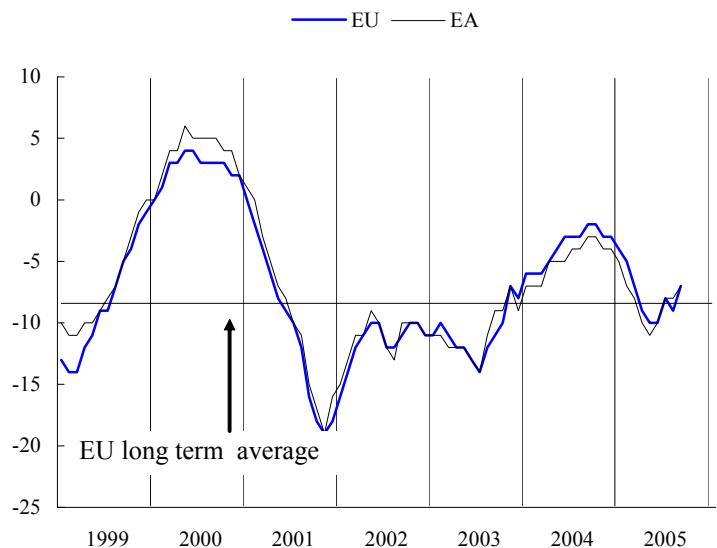
Confidence in the EU for the *services sector* remained unchanged in both August and September. In the euro area, a fall in August was only partly offset by an increase in September, resulting in a small net decline of the indicator. In both areas, the indicator has shown fairly volatile behaviour since the beginning of 2004.

Services managers' assessment of the *current business situation* improved significantly during August/September. By contrast, services managers were less positive on the *expected* and the *recent evolution of demand*.

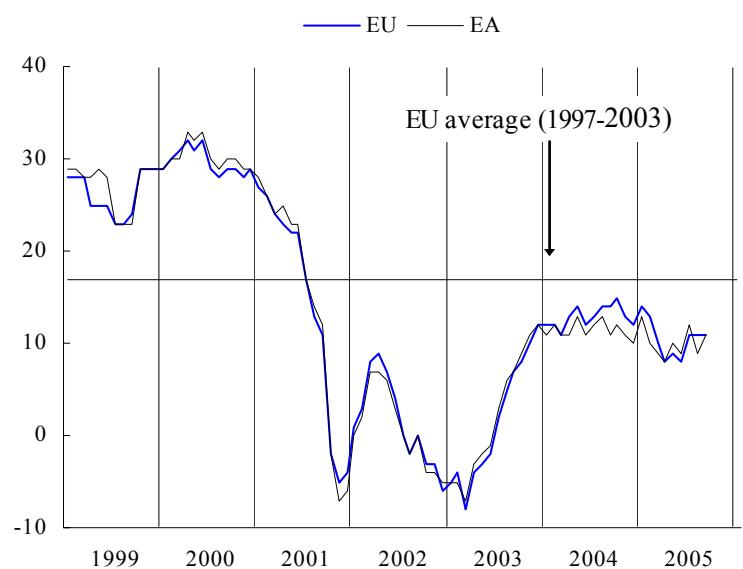
The stability of the indicator during the period August/September is largely

reflected by the figures for the larger Member States. Interestingly, for most countries the figures show opposite developments within the period, most strikingly in *Italy* (a decline by 11 points in August was followed by an increase of 14 points in September) and the *UK* (August +7; September -7), but also in *Germany*, *Spain* and *Poland*.

GRAPH 2a: Industrial confidence indicator



GRAPH 3: Services confidence indicator



Consumer confidence steady in both the EU and the euro area

Consumer confidence in both the EU and the euro area remained steady during August/September. In the euro area, the indicator has remained unchanged at a level of -15 for five consecutive months.

The underlying components of the indicator developed in a slightly less stable manner. While households' expectations concerning the *general economic situation* as well as their *savings* improved, they worsened with regard to their *financial situation*. As to households' expectations concerning *unemployment*, they worsened slightly in August but recovered in September, resulting in an unchanged position over the two months.

The results for the larger countries were generally positive. *Germany, France* and *Poland* reported an increase in consumer confidence over the two-month period. In *Italy*, consumer confidence remained unchanged, while the *UK* saw a fall in confidence.

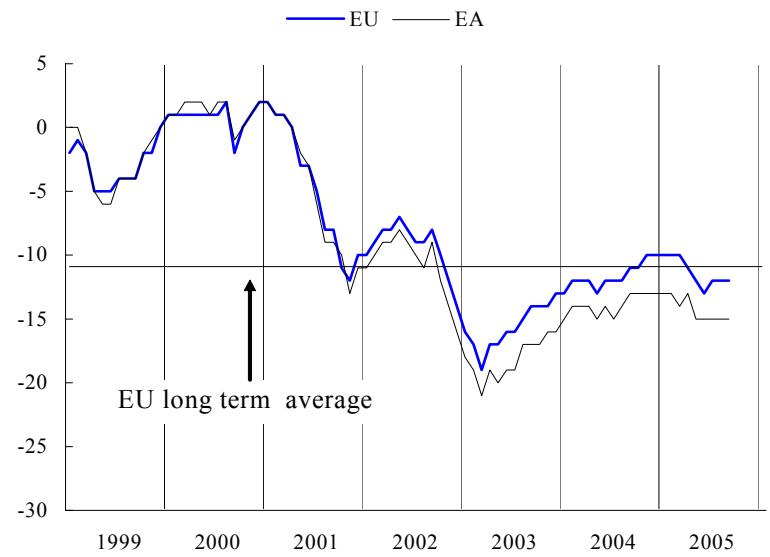
Confidence in retail trade recovers in both the EU and the euro area

After a fairly sustained worsening in the first 7 months of this year, confidence in the *retail trade* sector saw a rebound during the months August/September. In both the EU and the euro area, retail trade confidence saw two consecutive improvements, with the rise in the EU somewhat stronger than in the euro area. However, in view of the erratic behaviour of the indicator over the last one and a half years, it is too early to say whether these are the signs of a budding recovery of retailers' confidence.

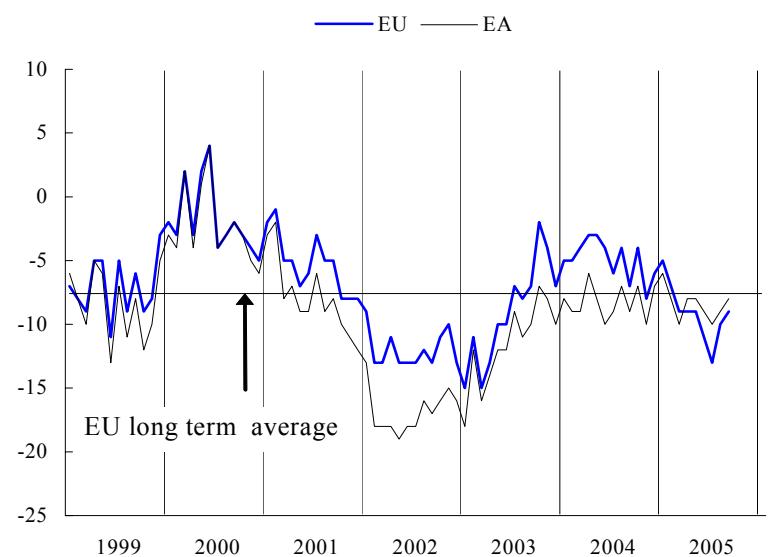
The increase in the indicator was mainly due to a significant improvement in retail trade managers' assessment of the *expected business situation* and to a lesser extent to a more positive view of the *present business situation*. The assessment of the *volume of stocks* improved slightly in the EU and remained unchanged in the euro area.

Developments were fairly divergent among the larger Member States. Managers in *France, Italy* and the *UK* were far more confident in September than they were in July, while the assessment of retailers in *Germany, Spain* and *Poland* showed only minimal changes in this period.

GRAPH 4: Consumer confidence indicator



GRAPH 5: Retail confidence indicator



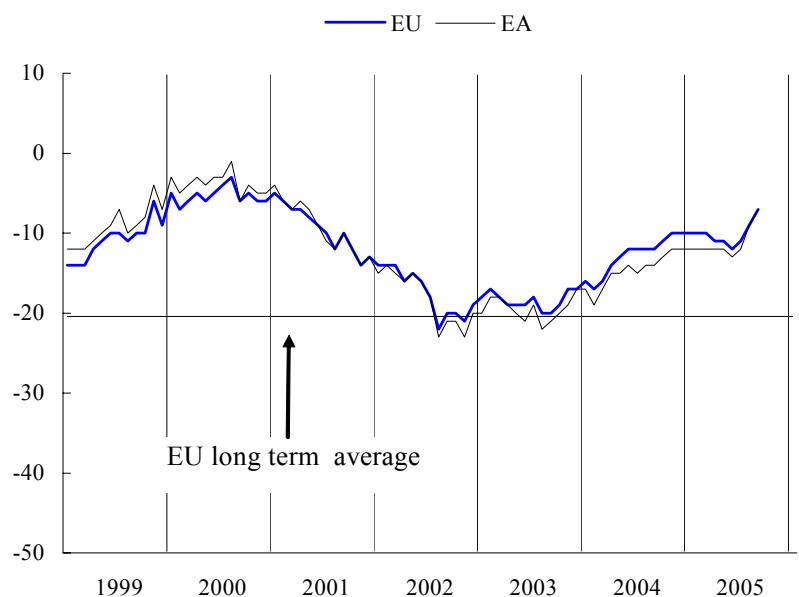
Construction confidence up in both areas

Compared with July, the *construction confidence* indicator rose by 4 points in the EU and by 5 points in the euro area. After having been fairly stable for nearly a year, it looks as if the indicator has regained its previous upward trend.

In line with the overall development of the indicator, all of its components showed a considerable improvement. A far more positive assessment of *order books* was registered for both areas. Also with regard to *employment expectations*, both areas showed a large improvement and expectations are now at their highest level for over a year.

At the country level, all larger Member States saw an improvement in construction confidence during the summer. The improvements were most pronounced in *Germany* and *Spain*.

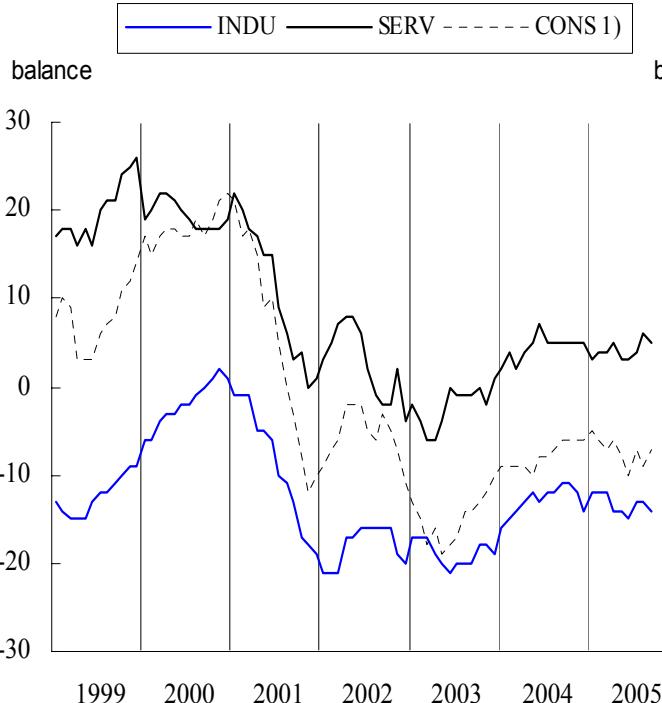
GRAPH 6: Construction confidence indicator



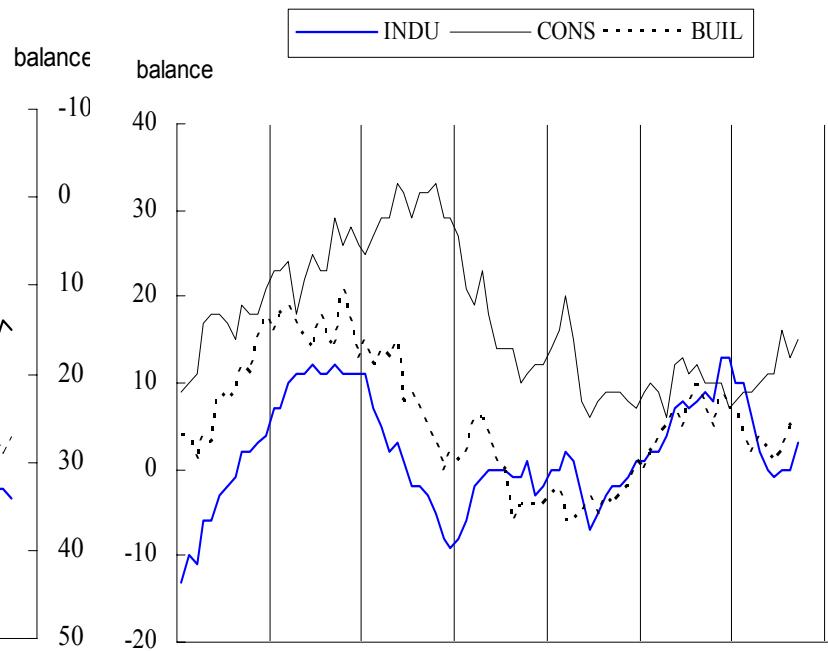
Employment, unemployment and price expectations in the EU

According to managers in both the industry and services sector, *employment* prospects have slightly worsened in September. Consumers on the other hand were slightly more optimistic with regard to future *unemployment*. Regarding *prices* expectations were fairly consistent. Consumers as well as managers in industry and the construction sector expect an upward pressure on the prices.

GRAPH 7: Employment and unemployment



GRAPH 8: Price expectations



1) Unemployment expectations (Right Hand Scale)

Results of the World Economic Survey

In July 2005, the IFO institute conducted, in co-operation with the European Commission, the latest **World Economic Survey**, which assesses world-wide economic trends through interviews with 1,050 economic experts in 95 countries (see Graphs 9 to 11). The previous survey was conducted in April of this year.

Concerning the *world economy*, a majority of experts world-wide considered that the *present economic situation* has deteriorated, a similar view held already in the previous two surveys. By contrast, regarding *expectations for the next 6 months*, these experts' views have turned more positive, for the first time since the beginning of 2004.

The assessments made by economic experts in the EU concerning the *present economic situation* in the EU deteriorated for the third quarter in a row. However, regarding *expectations for the next 6 months* the experts have become more optimistic. It can, therefore, be expected that the sustained downward trend in the assessment of the present situation might turn around in the near future.

Experts in the USA not only adjusted their views on the present economic situation in the US upward, they also expect an improvement of the *economic situation in the next six months*.

The views on *import expectations* differed between the experts in the EU and in the USA. While in the EU import expectations fell slightly and the *export expectations* showed a small improvement, in the US experts foresee a strong fall in imports coupled with an unchanged export position.

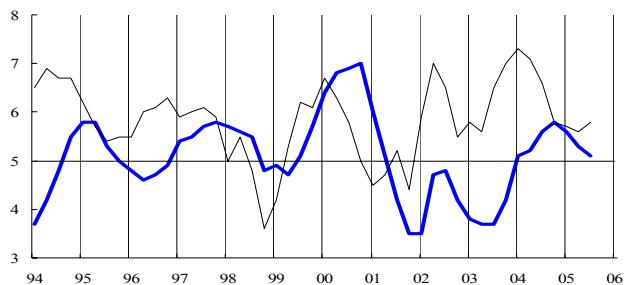
Views about the *evaluation of currencies* have not changed dramatically since mid-2003. A majority of experts world-wide considers that the *euro* has been in a position of a slight overvaluation during this period. Regarding the *US dollar*, these experts believe that the US dollar has been slightly undervalued. Similar views are held by the sub-sample of experts in the EU, although there the view of an overvalued euro is less pronounced while the view of an undervalued dollar is more pronounced.

GRAPHS 9 - 10: "World economic survey: January results" (*)

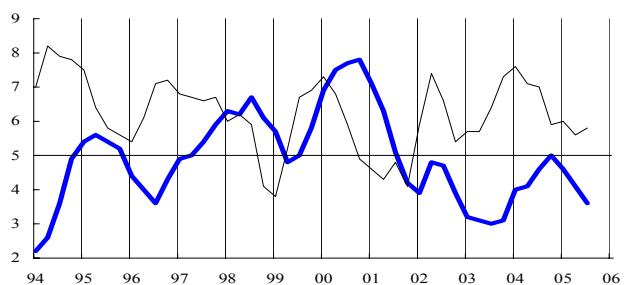
Graph 9: Present economic situation and expectations for the next six months

— Present economic situation ————— Expectations for next 6 months

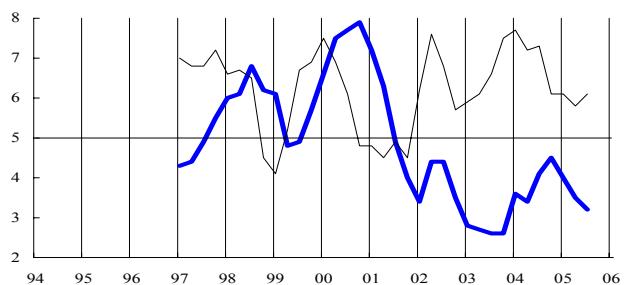
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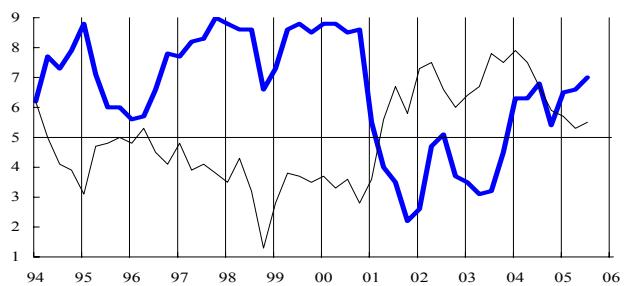
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Euro area



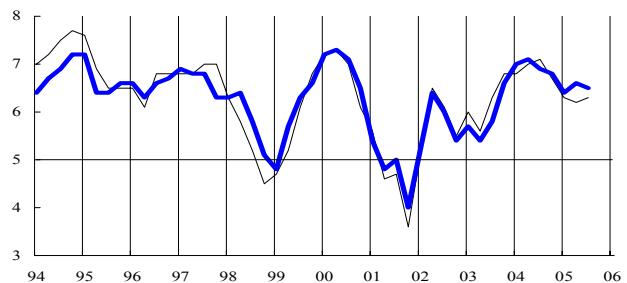
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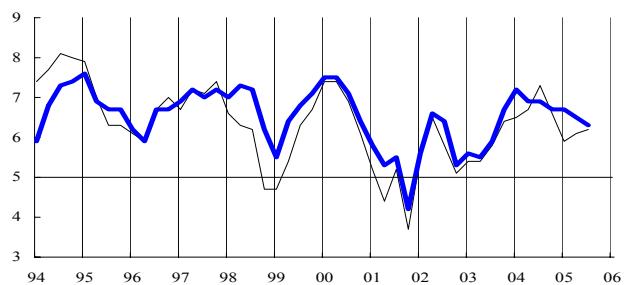
Graph 10: Import and export expectations for the next 6 months

— Import expectations ————— Export expectations

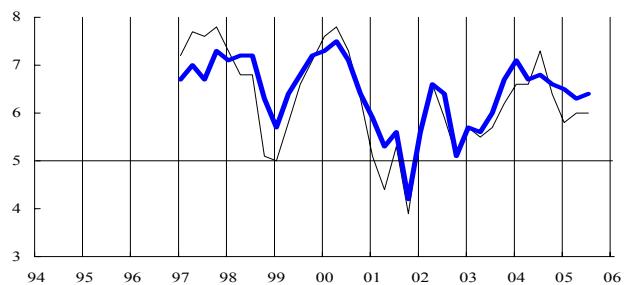
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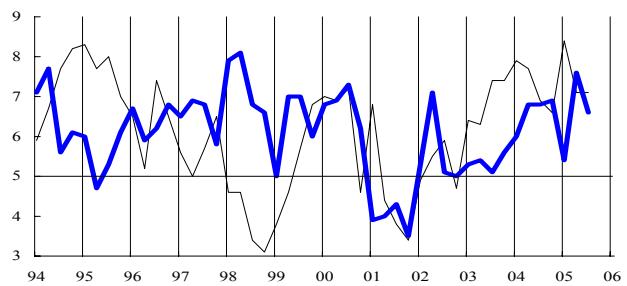
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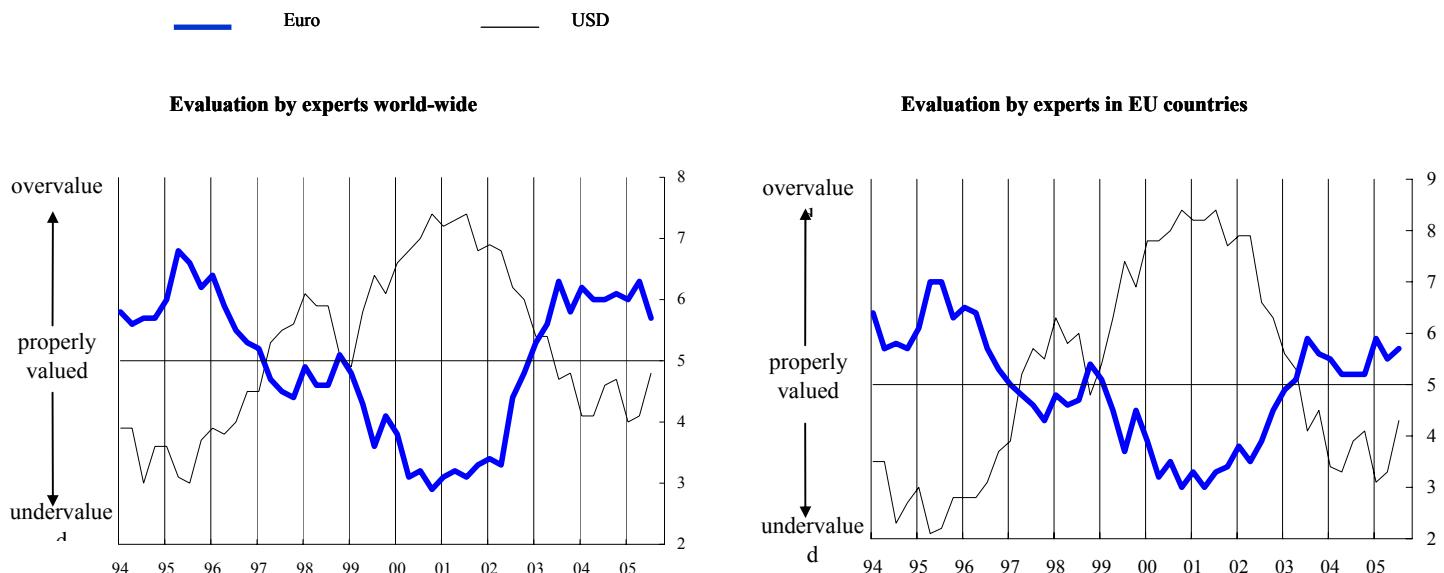
Euro area



USA



Graph 11: Evaluation of currencies



(*) The World Economic survey is conducted by the IFO Institute on behalf of the European Commission 4 times per year (January, April, July, October) and is based on the answers of approximately 1.125 experts in more than 90 countries. The replies are 'graded': positive responses (+) receive a grade of 9, indifferent ones (=) a grade of 5, and negative ones (-) a grade of 1. Grades between 5 and 9 imply a preponderance of positive replies or increases, while grades between 1 and 5 indicate that negative replies or decreases dominate.

TABLE I*: Indicators of confidence and economic sentiment(s.a.)

		Since 01/1990 ^{1/2)}				2004				2005									
		Min.		Ave.		Max.		Oct.	Nov	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
EU	1. Industry	-28	11-92	-8	7	12-94		-2	-3	-3	-4	-5	-7	-9	-10	-10	-8	-9	-7
	2. Services	-8	03-03	17	32	08-98		15	13	12	14	13	10	8	9	8	11	11	11
	3. Consumer	-27	03-93	-11	2	12-00		-11	-10	-10	-10	-10	-10	-11	-12	-13	-12	-12	-12
	4. Retail trade	-19	12-92	-8	4	07-90		-4	-8	-6	-5	-7	-9	-9	-9	-11	-13	-10	-9
	5. Construction	-42	10-93	-20	3	02-90		-11	-10	-10	-10	-10	-10	-11	-11	-12	-11	-9	-7
	=6. ESI	76.7	07-93	100.0	116.4	05-00		104.6	103.6	103.0	103.3	102.1	99.8	98.0	97.3	97.0	98.4	99.1	100.1
Euro area	1. Industry	-31	07-93	-8	6	05-00		-3	-4	-4	-5	-7	-8	-10	-11	-10	-8	-8	-7
	2. Services	-7	03-03	18	34	08-98		12	11	10	13	10	9	8	10	9	12	9	11
	3. Consumer	-29	07-93	-12	2	05-00		-13	-13	-13	-13	-13	-14	-13	-15	-15	-15	-15	-15
	4. Retail trade	-21	03-93	-9	8	08-90		-7	-10	-7	-6	-8	-10	-8	-8	-9	-10	-9	-8
	5. Construction	-44	08-96	-20	4	03-90		-13	-12	-12	-12	-12	-12	-12	-12	-13	-12	-9	-7
	=6. ESI	75.9	07-93	100.0	116.1	05-00		101.5	100.9	100.2	100.7	98.8	97.5	96.5	96.1	96.3	97.5	97.8	98.6
BE	1. Industry	-33	04-93	-11	5	06-00		0	-2	-5	-3	-6	-7	-11	-13	-13	-13	-12	-11
	2. Services	-7	03-03	13	33	03-98		17	10	11	15	14	11	12	3	9	6	5	14
	3. Consumer	-27	08-93	-6	17	12-00		-2	-4	-4	-6	-3	-1	-4	-11	-11	-11	-10	-14
	4. Retail trade	-25	05-93	-6	13	04-90		-1	-3	-2	1	-2	-10	-4	-10	-7	-10	-8	-9
	5. Construction	-35	11-95	-12	10	02-00		-5	-4	-9	-6	-6	-4	-6	-5	-6	-5	-4	
	=6. ESI	77.0	04-93	100.0	120.2	06-00		110.0	106.3	105.1	107.5	106.6	104.3	101.3	95.6	98.6	96.5	97.5	99.9
CZ	1. Industry	-31	03-99	-1	27	06-00		12	12	11	7	8	7	5	4	5	7	6	6
	2. Services	32	06-05	40	47	07-02		39	36	39	37	39	38	37	37	32	32	37	40
	3. Consumer	-36	03-98	-15	1	04-01		-11	-10	-5	-4	-5	-2	-6	-3	-2	-2	-4	0
	4. Retail trade	-1	02-99	14	26	08-02		25	23	17	17	20	19	14	15	16	16	15	19
	5. Construction	-64	06-99	-18	3	06-95		-9	-5	1	3	-4	-7	-9	-8	-10	-7	-7	-1
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DK	1. Industry	-26	12-98	-2	16	09-94		3	-3	2	3	1	1	-5	0	-2	-4	2	0
	2. Services	11	10-01	26	37	04-04		34	33	37	34	33	34	33	34	32	30	32	34
	3. Consumer	-11	10-90	6	17	02-95		11	13	14	14	16	17	14	14	14	13	13	15
	4. Retail trade	-6	10-01	17	37	11-94		28	26	29	28	28	31	29	28	25	26	27	26
	5. Construction	-37	12-91	-8	19	03-98		-2	2	4	2	4	3	5	8	6	5	3	5
	=6. ESI	74.5	12-98	100.0	121.2	09-94		113.1	110.8	115.7	114.5	113.8	114.7	109.3	113.5	110.3	105.6	111.9	111.5
DE	1. Industry	-35	04-93	-11	11	09-90		-6	-6	-6	-6	-9	-11	-13	-13	-13	-12	-11	-9
	2. Services	-23	12-02	24	52	03-99		11	11	8	11	6	5	4	6	7	10	12	9
	3. Consumer	-28	10-93	-11	6	05-00		-18	-17	-16	-12	-15	-18	-15	-14	-15	-17	-15	-14
	4. Retail trade	-44	01-03	-18	21	02-91		-23	-27	-19	-17	-22	-30	-25	-23	-22	-25	-23	-25
	5. Construction	-62	11-02	-36	3	01-91		-54	-53	-55	-50	-55	-51	-50	-47	-45	-44	-43	-38
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	5. Construction	-46	12-99	2	33	05-05		14	16	23	24	28	31	32	33	30	29	33	27
	=6. ESI	70.6	07-92	100.0	117.5	07-05		100.7	95.0	98.6	102.3	105.8	110.4	110.2	111.0	113.2	117.5	111.4	111.1
EL	1. Industry	-12	09-90	0	13	03-00		-4	-4	-4	-3	-4	-7	-4	-9	-10	-10	-8	-6
	2. Services	-14	04-03	27	62	08-00		13	11	6	20	18	23	22	16	11	10	12	13
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	4. Retail trade	-24	06-95	1	27	03-04		14	9	8	13	5	9	10	4	2	-1	1	5
	5. Construction	-53	03-05	-12	33	04-00		-37	-47	-49	-44	-48	-53	-48	-31	-38	-49	-47	-45
	=6. ESI	78.9	09-90	100.0	128.1	07-00		94.6	92.2	91.5	94.2	92.3	90.0	91.4	86.5	83.3	84.2	86.4	88.6
ES	1. Industry	-44	01-93	-9	7	04-00		-2	-1	-4	-1	-5	-4	-6	-7	-8	-5	-5	-4
	2. Services	10	10-04	31	56	06-98		10	13	16	15	12	14	17	27	25	21	23	19
	3. Consumer	-37	10-92	-11	6	03-00		-11	-10	-9	-9	-10	-10	-11	-11	-12	-11	:	:
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	5. Construction	-57	10-92	-2	42	01-99		26	22	24	17	26	28	20	15	10	17	25	26
	=6. ESI	69.9	01-93	100.0	116.7	04-00		95.4	97.4	97.7	98.4	95.3	97.6	97.7	100.8	98.7	98.1	101.7	100.8
FR	1. Industry	-41	06-93	-8	15	06-00		-1	-3	-1	-5	-5	-9	-10	-12	-9	-8	-8	-10
	2. Services	-22	06-93	3	25	06-90		12	10	11	11	9	8	6	7	10	11	11	11
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	4. Retail trade	-37	04-97	-16	6	10-04		6	-1	1	-2	-3	0	1	-3	-5	-11	-9	-6
	5. Construction	-60	03-93	-16	34	10-00		5	7	8	11	11	11	8	7	5	9	9	10
	=6. ESI	75.1	06-93	100.0	119.1	04-00		110.5	108.4	109.4	105.9	106.2	104.8	102.3	101.1	104.2	104.9	105.5	105.7
IE	1. Industry	-23	11-01	-2	21	11-99		-4	-9	-7	-12	1	0	-2	-8	-2	3	-4	:
	2. Services	-14	05-03	16	44	08-98		-4	-10	4	-2	-9	-4	9	-2	-12	7	-6	-2
	3. Consumer	-31	03-93	-4	19	01-00		9	2	8	7	4	7	1	-1	1	4	1	-4
	4. Retail trade	-21	05-03	3	24	06-00		1	-7	-1	-4	-8	-3	-11	-8	-1	-5	2	-10
	5. Construction	-54	09-02	10	58	06-97		33	28	27	13	12	27	29	15	45	34	20	28
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IT	1. Industry	-22	04-93	-4	13	07-95		1	-1	-2	-2	-6	-7	-7	-9	-9			

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		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date	-1	-3	-12	-9	-7	-3	-4	-8	-2	4	-3	4
LT	1. Industry	-37	11-98	-14	4	09-05		-1	-3	-12	-9	-7	-3	-4	-8	-2	4	-3	4
	2. Services	9	04-05	17	30	03-03		18	10	20	16	12	12	9	16	16	25	17	23
	3. Consumer	-32	05-01	-14	-1	10-04		-1	-2	-3	-5	-3	-5	-1	-4	-3	-4	-6	-7
	4. Retail trade	-25	09-00	-5	26	06-04		13	11	11	5	10	-5	-1	3	7	14	13	12
	5. Construction	-76	09-00	-41	2	09-05		-11	-9	-11	-10	-5	-2	-22	-11	-4	1	1	2
	=6. ESI	74.8	11-98	100.0	131.6	07-05		124.6	117.0	118.0	115.0	115.0	115.6	115.9	115.6	121.4	131.6	121.0	127.9
LU	1. Industry	-35	05-92	-10	26	04-95		8	-1	-7	-1	-6	2	-9	-18	-17	-20	-21	-18
	2. Services	:	:	:	:	:		:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	3. Consumer	-4	09-05	3	14	02-02		4	7	8	6	2	4	3	2	-2	-1	-1	-4
	4. Retail trade	:	:	:	:	:		:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	5. Construction	-73	03-94	-26	24	03-90		-19	-16	-10	-12	-22	-29	-20	-21	-26	-33	-26	-32
	=6. ESI	82.9	06-96	100.0	123.1	04-95		107.8	107.2	103.6	105.3	100.5	106.5	99.2	94.1	94.4	91.1	92.3	90.4
HU	1. Industry	-15	05-99	-3	8	12-97		-5	-11	-5	-7	-12	-12	-14	-14	-12	-11	-10	-6
	2. Services	-10	10-04	1	14	03-02		-10	-9	-7	-6	-1	-5	-8	-4	-8	-4	-1	0
	3. Consumer	-58	04-95	-29	0	08-02		-24	-25	-23	-21	-21	-24	-28	-30	-32	-27	-26	-24
	4. Retail trade	-28	05-05	-8	9	11-97		-19	-23	-24	-20	-20	-28	-24	-28	-25	-17	-26	-13
	5. Construction	-24	12-04	-8	11	09-98		-16	-20	-24	-19	-20	-17	-17	-17	-21	-15	-16	-9
	=6. ESI	71.9	04-05	100.0	123.5	04-98		79.7	72.9	82.1	82.7	83.1	75.2	71.9	74.9	72.3	80.2	83.0	91.0
NL	1. Industry	-12	05-93	-2	6	10-00		-1	-2	-3	-2	-2	-1	-2	-2	-4	-6	-4	-2
	2. Services	3	06-03	17	35	12-97		8	7	8	7	11	7	10	6	9	6	4	6
	3. Consumer	-19	07-93	4	31	03-00		-3	-3	-8	-4	-4	-3	2	-4	-5	-4	-7	-7
	4. Retail trade	-16	12-03	12	30	10-99		-3	-9	-10	-7	-10	-6	-4	-10	-8	-10	-9	-7
	5. Construction	-25	05-03	-3	27	12-00		-7	-7	-7	-6	-5	-2	-1	-1	1	1	4	6
	=6. ESI	79.0	05-93	100.0	117.5	12-97		95.5	94.0	91.4	93.1	94.8	94.7	95.9	94.2	92.4	89.7	91.0	93.0
AT	1. Industry	-30	06-93	-12	8	03-90		-6	-6	-8	-7	-9	-11	-11	-10	-11	-12	-10	-7
	2. Services	0	01-02	15	30	03-98		19	16	16	13	12	9	12	10	7	10	9	8
	3. Consumer	-16	04-96	-1	11	07-00		-1	-3	-3	1	-3	-2	0	-3	-3	-4	-4	-5
	4. Retail trade	-29	03-03	-13	4	07-00		-14	-18	-12	-15	-14	-10	-9	-15	-14	-13	-13	-10
	5. Construction	-60	04-96	-30	-13	02-03		-23	-21	-16	-25	-22	-24	-20	-16	-23	-18	-14	-14
	=6. ESI	71.6	04-96	100.0	119.8	05-00		108.8	105.8	105.7	104.9	101.7	98.5	101.9	99.8	97.9	98.5	99.4	100.3
PL	1. Industry	-29	10-01	-14	9	09-97		-9	-10	-10	-11	-11	-13	-14	-14	-13	-13	-13	-11
	2. Services (n)	-8	03-03	1	8	08-05		3	3	1	7	8	5	8	7	5	6	8	7
	3. Consumer	-40	08-01	-30	-18	04-05		-24	-22	-19	-20	-19	-18	-18	-21	-23	-23	-22	-20
	4. Retail trade	-19	01-02	-6	7	07-98		-9	-10	-8	-2	-6	-7	-8	-7	-6	-6	-5	-5
	5. Construction	-63	12-02	-43	-22	03-98		-32	-33	-39	-29	-32	-30	-29	-29	-31	-29	-29	-27
	=6. ESI	75.8	02-99	100.0	142.6	02-05		124.6	125.1	124.0	137.1	142.6	136.2	140.9	135.7	129.4	132.3	139.8	140.5
PT	1. Industry	-28	06-93	-7	7	03-98		-8	-7	-11	-9	-11	-10	-6	-10	-14	-14	-12	-10
	2. Services	-17	05-03	7	29	06-01		4	12	0	-2	5	-3	-3	1	-4	-9	2	-1
	3. Consumer	-49	03-03	-23	-1	07-91		-34	-34	-36	-35	-34	-31	-30	-31	-39	-42	-42	-41
	4. Retail trade	-27	01-03	-7	4	01-99		-8	-11	-7	-7	-10	-7	-7	-10	-13	-17	-19	-19
	5. Construction	-56	02-03	-26	-1	12-97		-38	-34	-32	-33	-40	-34	-39	-34	-42	-44	-39	-41
	=6. ESI	73.9	06-93	100.0	113.6	05-97		94.1	97.9	92.2	90.2	92.0	91.2	95.1	93.2	86.7	83.3	88.2	88.6
SI	1. Industry	-21	03-99	-3	18	06-00		6	3	1	0	-2	0	-3	-3	-2	-3	-2	-1
	2. Services	12	05-05	24	32	10-02		21	23	22	21	21	14	12	12	15	19	18	18
	3. Consumer	-29	06-99	-19	-9	10-04		-9	-14	-18	-20	-13	-15	-13	-13	-18	-18	-17	-21
	4. Retail trade	3	01-01	11	23	04-99		12	13	14	13	10	8	14	13	13	18	16	16
	5. Construction	-33	06-02	-8	6	01-05		-1	-1	-1	6	2	2	-2	-4	-7	-8	-9	-8
	=6. ESI	76.8	03-99	100.0	131.3	06-00		111.5	106.9	103.9	100.8	102.0	92.0	92.5	92.2	91.5	97.0	98.2	95.6
SK	1. Industry	-22	12-95	5	26	05-96		11	13	2	9	13	12	11	6	8	-2	-1	7
	2. Services	27	09-05	47	60	06-03		44	51	52	34	38	33	37	33	40	31	27	27
	3. Consumer	-50	08-99	-31	-9	06-05		-25	-16	-12	-13	-13	-13	-10	-12	-9	-12	-14	-24
	4. Retail trade	-17	10-93	8	34	11-98		0	3	-7	8	5	12	15	12	20	16	12	15
	5. Construction	-86	07-99	-28	18	03-97		-13	-23	-20	-12	-17	-13	-11	-11	-9	-7	-10	-9
	=6. ESI	71.2	03-99	100.0	125.5	05-96		102.8	113.2	111.7	100.4	105.4	99.5	104.8	98.2	102.5	98.9	92.5	87.5
FI	1. Industry	-24	01-93	2	30	10-94		5	5	5	3	4	6	-3	-2	10	19	15	12
	2. Services	-12	09-03	26	61	09-00		31	31	30	38	33	32	25	34	38	41	41	40
	3. Consumer	6	11-01	15	23	02-00		14	14	16	13	16	17	14	14	10	12	15	13
	4. Retail trade	-17	11-00	-4	10	05-04		1	-6	4	-1	-8	-4	-1	1	6	4	2	7
	5. Construction	-97	09-91	-18	48	06-98		0	-4	4	-7	12	16	21	13	14	21	22	10
	=6. ESI	74.6	04-91	100.0	120.7	11-94		106.4	105.5	106.6	106.4	105.8	107.1	101.4	104.9	110.5	115.0	113.5	111.5
SE	1. Industry	-29	10-01	-5	15	05-00		5	5	4	6	0	-7	-9	-7	-10	-10	-7	-10
	2. Services	-24	01-03	16	46	12-00		38	29	23	35	30	32	31	27	32	32	26	34
	3. Consumer	-10	09-96	7	25	03-00		8	7	10	8	8	7	6	5	3	3	4	6
	4. Retail trade	-8	09-01	6	27	04-00		0	-3	0	0	2	0	1	-2	3	7	11	13
	5. Construction	-83	12-93	-37	27	07-05		-1	4	14	10	3	-3	6	6	15	27	8	21
	=6. ESI	79.0	10-01	100.0	127.1	03-00		115.2	111.2	110.0	113.8	110.0	107.0	105.1	104.4	105.4	106.0	106.3	107.8
UK	1. Industry	-40	02-91	-11	11	02-95		0	-4	-3	-4	0	-5	-10	-13	-17	-10	-17	-10
	2. Services	-20	12-02	14	37</														

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INDUSTRIAL CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	Since 01/1990				2004				2005								
	Min.		Ave.	Max.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY	EU	-28	11-92	-8	7	12-94	-2	-3	-4	-5	-7	-9	-10	-10	-8	-9	-7
	Euro area	-31	07-93	-8	6	05-00	-3	-4	-4	-5	-7	-8	-10	-11	-10	-8	-8
	BE	-33	04-93	-11	5	06-00	0	-2	-5	-3	-6	-7	-11	-13	-13	-12	-11
	CZ	-31	03-99	-1	27	06-00	12	12	11	7	8	7	5	4	5	7	6
	DK	-26	12-98	-2	16	09-94	3	-3	2	3	1	1	-5	0	-2	-4	2
	DE	-35	04-93	-11	11	09-90	-6	-6	-6	-9	-11	-13	-13	-13	-12	-11	-9
	EE	-31	07-92	4	19	03-01	7	5	6	12	15	17	13	15	11	12	15
	EL	-12	09-90	0	13	03-00	-4	-4	-4	-3	-4	-7	-4	-9	-10	-10	-8
	ES	-44	01-93	-9	7	04-00	-2	-1	-4	-1	-5	-4	-6	-7	-8	-5	-4
	FR	-41	06-93	-8	15	06-00	-1	-3	-1	-5	-5	-9	-10	-12	-9	-8	-10
	IE	-23	11-01	-2	21	11-99	-4	-9	-7	-12	1	0	-2	-8	-2	3	-4
	IT	-22	04-93	-4	13	07-95	1	-1	-2	-2	-6	-7	-7	-9	-9	-6	-4
	CY	-9	04-03	3	13	04-02	8	1	10	4	3	6	3	5	0	3	0
	LV	-45	04-93	-11	7	05-04	3	3	2	2	3	3	4	5	4	5	6
	LT	-37	11-98	-14	4	09-05	-1	-3	-12	-9	-7	-3	-4	-8	-2	4	-3
	LU	-35	05-92	-10	26	04-95	8	-1	-7	-1	-6	2	-9	-18	-17	-20	-21
	HU	-15	05-99	-3	8	12-97	-5	-11	-5	-7	-12	-12	-14	-14	-12	-11	-10
	NL	-12	05-93	-2	6	10-00	-1	-2	-3	-2	-2	-1	-2	-2	-4	-6	-2
	AT	-30	06-93	-12	8	03-90	-6	-6	-8	-7	-9	-11	-11	-10	-11	-12	-10
	PL	-29	10-01	-14	9	09-97	-9	-10	-10	-11	-11	-13	-14	-14	-13	-13	-11
	PT	-28	06-93	-7	7	03-98	-8	-7	-11	-9	-11	-10	-6	-10	-14	-14	-12
	SI	-21	03-99	-3	18	06-00	6	3	1	0	-2	0	-3	-3	-2	-3	-1
	SK	-22	12-95	5	26	05-96	11	13	2	9	13	12	11	6	8	-2	1
	FI	-24	01-93	2	30	10-94	5	5	5	3	4	6	-3	-2	10	19	15
	SE	-29	10-01	-5	15	05-00	5	5	4	6	0	-7	-7	-10	-10	-7	-10
	UK	-40	02-91	-11	11	02-95	0	-4	-3	-4	0	-5	-10	-13	-17	-10	-17
PRODUCTION EXPECTATIONS	EU	-16	11-92	6	23	12-94	13	12	9	9	7	5	4	4	5	7	7
	Euro area	-18	12-92	5	21	12-94	10	10	8	7	6	6	4	2	4	6	6
	BE	-36	04-93	-3	16	12-94	8	6	2	0	0	3	3	-1	-4	-4	-2
	CZ	-26	05-93	22	61	05-95	34	33	28	19	22	24	22	26	31	30	28
	DK	-23	12-98	10	30	02-98	11	10	16	14	10	17	4	12	7	-1	10
	DE	-26	11-92	1	20	12-94	7	5	2	2	2	0	-2	-3	-1	-1	3
	EE	-70	04-92	19	68	03-02	20	13	19	24	37	38	25	32	22	17	23
	EL	3	02-91	26	44	02-00	20	20	23	22	23	19	22	14	19	14	17
	ES	-19	01-93	5	17	12-00	8	12	7	9	3	9	12	9	5	5	7
	FR	-30	07-93	6	27	10-00	11	11	16	9	9	7	3	3	7	7	6
	IE	-22	11-01	9	35	11-99	1	-4	3	-10	24	1	7	-3	4	17	2
	IT	-12	12-92	13	31	12-94	19	18	16	14	14	10	11	9	7	9	11
	CY	1	05-02	13	34	12-04	14	17	34	9	5	19	10	23	4	16	5
	LV	-21	04-93	15	41	03-02	19	21	21	18	19	19	19	23	20	21	24
	LT	-22	04-94	12	35	08-97	19	22	8	6	6	16	26	10	19	29	20
	LU	-42	10-91	-4	28	04-95	15	6	-2	16	14	15	0	-10	5	-10	-11
	HU	-10	06-05	12	34	12-97	2	-5	7	6	-3	-6	-6	-8	-10	-2	8
	NL	-4	04-93	6	15	11-99	5	5	2	2	5	8	6	6	4	-2	5
	AT	-19	06-93	4	18	11-03	13	11	6	9	6	11	9	11	8	6	7
	PL	-4	10-01	20	44	02-03	21	17	17	16	17	15	14	16	16	17	21
	PT	-11	03-93	5	21	01-97	0	4	0	-5	-3	0	10	1	-5	-5	-4
	SI	10	10-01	23	42	06-00	38	24	28	30	26	29	24	28	24	19	24
	SK	-12	12-95	31	62	12-97	43	46	6	15	38	36	37	27	26	8	6
	FI	-26	06-91	13	50	07-05	28	35	28	27	20	30	14	10	32	50	41
	SE	-19	05-91	15	46	05-00	29	30	35	38	23	9	12	18	15	11	16
	UK	-38	02-91	5	33	02-95	18	13	3	8	16	9	5	0	-4	5	0
ORDER BOOKS	EU	-50	07-93	-20	1	02-95	-11	-13	-11	-12	-15	-17	-20	-22	-22	-19	-20
	Euro area	-54	07-93	-19	4	06-00	-12	-12	-11	-16	-17	-19	-21	-21	-18	-18	-17
	BE	-51	05-93	-21	11	06-00	-6	-9	-11	-9	-18	-17	-23	-26	-28	-25	-29
	CZ	-50	12-98	-7	30	01-01	5	4	5	3	3	-3	-3	-6	-6	-5	-4
	DK	-41	04-99	-6	32	12-94	4	-10	-2	2	-3	-5	-7	-8	-6	2	4
	DE	-61	07-93	-24	12	07-90	-16	-15	-12	-13	-17	-19	-22	-22	-23	-21	-23
	EE	-43	10-92	1	29	06-01	-2	1	2	7	5	10	10	6	8	12	10
	EL	-31	06-05	-13	7	05-98	-17	-18	-20	-17	-21	-24	-20	-24	-31	-25	-22
	ES	-65	01-93	-16	11	07-98	-1	-2	-7	-3	-8	-10	-14	-14	-15	-8	-7
	FR	-64	06-93	-16	27	06-00	-11	-13	-14	-12	-14	-19	-17	-21	-17	-16	-19
	IE	-36	06-93	-7	24	12-99	-6	-12	-10	-13	-14	2	-9	-7	-4	-3	-8
	IT	-47	06-93	-16	13	02-95	-12	-11	-12	-11	-21	-20	-22	-24	-24	-20	-14
	CY	-39	02-03	-19	-3	07-05	-8	-13	-12	-8	-12	-6	-4	-8	-9	-3	-8
	LV	-79	07-93	-40	-7	12-03	-17	-17	-19	-18	-16	-14	-13	-15	-13	-12	-9
	LT	-79	11-98	-42	-9	11-93	-22	-27	-40	-29	-25	-24	-30	-29	-24	-18	-24
	LU	-64	02-92	-18	34	12-97	11	-4	-7	-12	-20	-11	-16	-23	-37	-30	-38
	HU	-40	03-03	-19	0	04-98	-15	-20	-20	-24	-28	-23	-33	-31	-29	-27	-20
	NL	-25	01-93	-8	6	11-00	-5	-6	-6	-4	-4	-5	-8	-7	-9	-9	-10
	AT	-57	04-96	-25	11	03-90	-21	-22	-23	-25	-27	-32	-31	-27	-30	-31	-26
	PL	-77	01-02	-58	8	09-97	-45	-43	-46	-47	-48	-51	-53	-54	-54	-53	-52
	PT	-52	07-93	-19	9	03-98	-19	-19	-29	-15	-21	-24	-26	-26	-31	-30	-21
	SI	-51	03-99	-19	12	06-00	-9	-7	-11	-14	-19	-14	-18	-19	-15	-14	-13
	SK	-70	03-99	-8	49	09-94	-4	0	4	10	5	3	-8	-8	-4	-4	-13
	FI	-70	09-91	-13	40	11-94	2	-4	2	1	6	2	0	-4	-2	1	-1
	SE	-67	03-92	-23	25	12-94	-9	-5	-8	-7	-11	-14	-20	-22	-27	-26	-25
	UK	-62	07-91	-22	11	02-95	-4	-13	-5	-13	-7	-9	-21	-23	-27	-17	-29

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		Since 01/1990				2004				2005																					
		Min.		Ave.		Max.		Oct.		Nov.		Dec.		Jan.		Feb.		Mar.		Apr.		May		June		July		Aug.		Sep.	
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.												
STOCKS OF FINISHED PRODUCTS ^(b)	EU	3	12-94	11	22	06-93		8	8	8	9	9	12	13	14	13	12	12	10												
	Euro area	2	11-94	11	24	04-93		7	8	9	9	10	12	13	14	12	11	11	10												
	BE	-4	02-95	9	26	10-01		3	2	5	0	1	6	12	11	7	11	5	7												
	CZ	-12	04-00	17	46	08-93		2	0	0	3	0	0	5	9	11	2	7	8												
	DK	-7	03-94	10	28	06-99		6	8	9	5	3	10	11	4	7	13	6	10												
	DE	-9	09-90	10	25	07-93		8	8	9	9	11	13	13	15	14	13	13	11												
	EE	-16	05-92	6	39	06-93		-2	1	2	-5	-2	-4	-5	-5	-4	-7	-7	-6												
	EL	1	06-94	12	22	09-90		13	14	13	13	13	15	16	18	18	18	18	15	13											
	ES	-1	11-02	15	47	01-93		13	12	11	10	11	12	16	14	15	13	13	12												
	FR	-2	04-00	14	34	06-93		4	6	6	12	10	15	16	18	17	14	14	14												
	IE	-13	12-99	6	23	11-93		6	11	12	12	7	2	5	15	5	6	7	:												
	IT	-1	07-95	8	17	10-90		5	7	10	9	10	11	11	11	8	9	10	8												
	CY	-34	09-01	-15	4	07-05		-17	1	-7	-11	-15	-6	-3	-1	-5	-4	-2	-1												
	LV	-12	03-04	7	43	07-93		-5	-4	-5	-6	-5	-4	-5	-7	-4	-4	-5	-5												
	LT	-16	01-95	12	49	01-94		-1	3	4	3	2	1	7	4	2	-1	4	-1												
	LU	-22	03-95	8	31	03-02		1	4	11	8	12	0	10	19	18	20	10	18												
	HU	-7	11-03	3	15	12-98		4	7	2	3	4	8	3	2	-2	4	3	6												
	NL	-1	12-94	5	11	06-91		4	5	4	5	5	5	5	4	6	5	6	6												
	AT	4	03-90	14	26	04-96		8	6	6	6	7	12	11	12	11	10	8	9												
	PL	-11	10-94	3	20	02-99		3	2	2	3	2	1	2	2	1	2	4	3												
	PT	-7	09-04	8	25	06-93		4	5	3	8	8	6	2	5	6	8	4	6												
	SI	-1	06-00	14	28	02-96		11	8	15	16	14	15	16	17	15	14	15	15												
	SK	-27	02-01	9	55	05-94		6	8	3	-3	4	2	-4	1	0	1	5	7												
	FI	-20	04-95	4	31	01-96		14	15	15	18	14	13	23	13	-1	-8	-6	0												
	SE	3	03-00	17	37	11-01		6	10	16	13	12	15	20	17	17	15	12	18												
	UK	6	03-04	17	32	11-98		13	12	7	8	8	13	15	17	20	19	23	10												
PRODUCTION TREND OBSERVED IN RECENT MONTHS	EU	-23	01-93	-1	19	01-95		5	2	6	4	4	-1	-5	-3	-2	1	-2	0												
	Euro area	-25	01-93	-2	16	01-95		2	-1	4	3	1	-4	-5	-4	-4	-1	-3	0												
	BE	-20	02-93	-1	16	05-97		5	-6	-1	4	-4	-1	-4	-6	-6	-10	-6	-6	3											
	CZ	-32	10-98	12	42	11-00		20	22	31	24	20	8	8	11	7	14	12	24												
	DK	-21	04-99	10	41	09-94		15	12	-1	2	3	-1	1	8	12	15	9	8												
	DE	-32	02-02	-4	22	12-90		-5	-7	3	-1	-3	-8	-9	-8	-6	-1	-8	-1												
	EE	-24	03-99	13	56	06-01		15	12	10	14	9	22	30	27	22	22	22	22												
	EL	-5	10-90	14	36	01-00		6	4	5	10	6	7	-3	3	4	6	4	1												
	ES	-44	04-93	0	21	04-95		9	-1	3	6	5	2	-6	1	0	5	0	-4												
	FR	-38	07-93	4	36	01-95		14	14	7	16	15	9	5	4	9	8	8	8												
	IE	-25	10-01	6	38	03-00		-2	6	-17	-4	9	-3	10	6	4	6	13	:												
	IT	-36	06-93	-10	14	03-95		-8	-10	-6	-10	-13	-15	-16	-16	-18	-16	-16	-7	-10											
	CY	-36	04-03	-9	12	04-05		8	-14	-3	-7	-7	-5	12	1	-6	-2	-2	-14	-14											
	LV	-49	04-93	3	29	06-01		7	7	13	10	9	11	9	16	16	16	11	15												
	LT	-36	07-94	1	34	04-98		9	11	11	7	7	-6	-16	8	7	21	16	19												
	LU	-41	04-92	-2	32	04-95		12	19	21	17	12	-7	-2	-19	-9	-18	-18	-5	0											
	HU	-30	06-99	-2	27	04-98		3	-4	-6	-9	-11	-16	-23	-23	-13	-15	-15	-13	-9											
	NL	-12	05-93	3	14	10-97		3	-1	2	3	-2	-1	-1	3	4	-3	-3	-5	0											
	AT	-28	06-93	5	27	03-90		16	16	12	14	7	4	4	6	5	5	9	9	9	6										
	PL	-18	07-96	0	23	04-04		12	6	8	21	5	-7	-14	-3	2	8	0	0	5											
	PT	-18	01-93	-2	15	08-94		-16	-9	-3	1	-5	-10	-18	-5	-12	-12	-12	-7	-3											
	SI	-20	02-99	8	39	05-00		12	6	11	7	1	2	8	6	10	8	8	8	9											
	SK	-30	12-96	16	78	12-03		46	46	69	17	27	24	30	34	34	13	5	-20	-20											
	FI	-28	06-91	10	53	12-04		34	30	53	27	42	8	13	5	-3	7	-4	-1	-1											
	SE	-28	07-91	9	48	12-94		24	24	18	15	17	13	12	8	6	2	3	17												
	UK	-46	06-91	-2	34	03-95		16	7	14	3	13	9	-7	-4	4	5	-5	-10												
EXPORT ORDER BOOKS	EU	-45	01-93	-20	1	02-95		-10	-11	-12	-12	-12	-15	-19	-20	-21	-18	-19	-17												
	Euro area	-52	06-93	-21	2	06-00		-10	-11	-12	-10	-12	-15	-18	-19	-19	-18	-18	-18	-17											
	BE	-56</																													

TABLE 2a: (continued) **Monthly survey of manufacturing industry (s.a.)^(a)**

EMPLOYMENT EXPECTATIONS	Since 01/1990				2004				2005								
	Min.		Ave.	Max.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
EU	-39	06-93	-15	2	11-00	-11	-12	-14	-12	-12	-14	-14	-15	-13	-13	-14	
Euro area	-42	06-93	-14	4	11-00	-12	-12	-14	-12	-13	-14	-14	-15	-13	-13	-13	
BE	-26	09-93	-9	9	09-00	-8	-11	-10	-10	-8	-10	-12	-14	-16	-15	-15	
CZ	-58	06-99	-25	2	03-01	-5	-4	-3	-5	-7	-7	-8	-10	-8	-11	-9	
DK	-23	06-93	-3	13	03-98	-4	-6	-9	0	-3	3	-10	-4	-7	-9	1	
DE	-52	06-93	-18	8	02-90	-15	-14	-18	-17	-17	-21	-21	-19	-18	-17	-17	
EE	-78	04-92	-12	16	03-05	-5	-1	2	8	11	16	14	13	8	1	4	
EL	-12	12-04	-2	12	05-02	-7	-2	-12	-8	-6	-3	-11	-9	-9	-10	-5	
ES	-53	06-93	-9	9	03-01	-13	-11	-9	-4	-2	-3	2	-1	-4	-8	-8	
FR	-50	09-93	-17	12	09-00	-15	-19	-20	-17	-18	-12	-23	-21	-20	-15	-17	
IE	-34	12-92	-10	16	09-00	-8	-21	-13	-10	-6	-5	-1	4	-4	1	-15	
IT	-30	08-96	-4	11	11-00	0	0	-5	-2	-2	-3	-3	-3	-7	-6	-3	
CY	-15	04-02	10	40	10-04	40	10	10	32	10	8	21	10	10	24	9	
LV	-51	04-93	-9	9	07-05	8	7	5	6	3	4	5	7	8	9	6	
LT	-59	04-94	-28	4	03-03	-5	-2	-11	-12	-5	2	1	-10	-6	0	-4	
LU	-55	12-91	-27	1	09-01	-23	-20	-16	-20	-19	-26	-16	-31	-23	-39	-29	
HU	-60	12-91	-17	10	10-97	-12	-16	-10	-13	-14	-13	-16	-21	-19	-14	-12	
NL	-30	06-93	-8	15	06-90	-12	-9	-11	-9	-9	-10	-11	-12	-10	-13	-10	
AT	-29	01-96	-10	6	09-00	-2	-4	-4	-3	-3	-6	-6	-10	-8	-6	-10	
PL	-55	12-99	-24	-3	09-05	-5	-7	-6	-8	-8	-4	-7	-6	-5	-5	-3	
PT	-35	06-93	-15	-2	02-90	-24	-20	-23	-19	-25	-22	-22	-21	-24	-20	-19	
SI	-42	10-95	-23	-10	07-04	-14	-18	-19	-18	-18	-18	-18	-18	-17	-20	-22	
SK	-56	06-99	-24	2	06-96	-13	-12	-18	-12	-14	-16	-18	-17	-15	-22	-20	
FI	-60	06-91	-16	15	12-00	-18	-13	-14	-21	-6	-6	-3	-13	-12	1	-5	
SE	-51	06-92	-19	23	12-94	-8	-11	-14	-16	-18	-17	-23	-18	-30	-29	-29	
UK	-50	03-91	-20	2	06-97	-11	-13	-12	-12	-8	-12	-16	-21	-14	-16	-19	
SELLING-PRICE EXPECTATIONS	EU	-13	01-99	5	26	02-95	8	13	13	10	10	6	2	0	-1	0	3
Euro area	-10	12-98	5	25	02-95	8	12	13	10	9	5	2	0	-1	1	4	
BE	-18	02-96	2	26	12-94	16	15	13	14	4	2	0	-6	-9	-2	-4	
CZ	-6	12-98	20	71	03-95	20	19	10	11	10	11	5	2	-1	5	3	
DK	-12	11-01	-1	12	11-04	4	12	8	10	0	2	-2	-1	-3	-5	-2	
DE	-8	12-93	6	23	02-95	9	12	15	15	11	6	2	-2	-1	-1	3	
EE	-28	03-99	16	86	04-92	20	22	26	22	19	12	14	16	14	14	20	
EL	-4	01-99	17	41	10-90	11	11	9	9	10	9	7	8	5	7	6	
ES	-18	04-93	3	35	04-95	5	12	15	8	7	7	-4	1	2	1	4	
FR	-26	01-99	0	24	02-90	0	12	13	0	7	3	-1	0	-4	-4	-1	
IE	-25	11-92	-3	29	11-03	-2	1	-4	-5	2	-1	-8	12	-1	5	-4	
IT	-10	12-98	11	40	03-95	14	15	15	11	11	7	9	7	4	7	9	
CY	-9	10-01	6	38	10-03	-5	7	6	3	-2	5	7	3	-2	2	4	
LV	-17	12-98	16	50	07-94	24	24	28	24	19	17	17	15	18	18	20	
LT	-20	01-00	15	75	11-93	-4	-5	-7	-8	1	7	7	-3	4	6	1	
LU	-50	08-91	-3	53	12-94	26	31	22	10	3	13	3	-3	-5	-11	-15	
HU	11	08-05	29	51	01-01	31	31	24	23	24	16	16	14	15	14	11	
NL	-7	01-99	4	20	12-94	13	10	9	11	1	1	-4	-1	-2	3	1	
AT	-23	03-96	-1	17	03-90	11	10	9	6	2	-1	0	-3	-2	-5	1	
PL	-6	06-02	14	46	01-93	12	1	-1	3	4	-5	-2	-4	-2	-4	-1	
PT	-9	05-03	8	29	10-90	2	-2	0	-7	3	1	-2	-5	-4	6	7	
SI	-24	04-99	-8	5	01-01	4	3	1	0	0	-3	-8	-10	-8	-7	-6	
SK	-33	03-01	30	81	04-95	16	6	20	-12	0	28	12	3	1	-3	8	
FI	-34	03-96	2	49	08-94	5	14	14	17	31	15	4	3	2	20	6	
SE	-20	11-96	5	37	12-94	17	20	19	21	13	1	2	-2	1	-3	-1	
UK	-30	01-99	0	29	02-95	3	15	13	15	16	15	5	-1	-8	-6	-6	

(a) The indicator is the arithmetic average of the balances (%) of the questions on production expectations, order-books and stocks (the last with inverted sign).

(b) Highest figure is considered as minimum, lowest figure is considered as maximum.

TABLE 2.b.1: Industrial confidence indicator by sector : consumer goods ^(a) (s.a.)

	Since 01/1990				2004				2005							
	Min.	Ave.	Max.		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
EU	-21	01-93	-9	2	01-90	-8	-8	-5	-6	-11	-10	-8	-11	-10	-12	-8
Euro area	-23	01-93	-8	6	09-90	-9	-9	-7	-8	-10	-10	-9	-10	-8	-8	-7
BE	-29	06-93	-11	1	09-00	-5	-3	-9	-4	-8	-10	-9	-11	-10	-11	-10
CZ	0	11-04	7	17	09-02	6	0	4	7	10	7	6	8	14	13	11
DK	-26	12-98	-2	20	04-01	1	-3	-2	3	2	-2	-1	-1	2	0	5
DE	-30	12-02	-15	22	09-90	-16	-18	-13	-14	-15	-14	-17	-12	-16	-14	-10
EE	5	06-03	11	20	02-03	7	6	11	8	9	15	10	11	5	10	10
EL	-27	09-90	2	13	02-00	-5	-5	0	2	-3	-5	1	-6	-7	-7	0
ES	-47	01-93	-8	8	10-97	-7	-3	-3	0	-4	-8	-7	-4	-3	-3	-3
FR	-26	06-93	-6	15	09-00	-8	-7	-8	-8	-6	-14	-13	-11	-9	-7	-10
IE	-34	08-93	-2	22	01-95	-5	-11	-6	-7	7	8	-1	-9	-5	3	0
IT	-19	01-93	-2	10	01-90	-3	0	-2	-3	-3	-9	-5	-6	-6	-4	-5
CY	-14	04-03	-4	4	12-01	-2	-5	-4	-6	-9	-2	0	-4	-2	-9	-7
LV	-34	10-98	-4	11	09-05	1	2	1	1	3	3	3	4	6	5	7
LT	-20	07-03	-10	6	07-05	-2	-4	-15	-12	-11	2	-1	-5	4	6	-1
LU	-41	05-93	3	40	12-90	15	7	12	5	-1	12	12	2	-2	11	10
HU	-19	11-04	-6	9	11-00	-6	-19	-10	-17	-16	-9	-15	-16	-14	-13	-6
NL	-12	06-03	-2	6	12-94	-4	-4	-5	-5	-1	3	-1	-1	-3	-7	-4
AT	-23	04-96	-14	-5	04-00	-10	-9	-11	-13	-11	-15	-15	-12	-11	-12	-8
PL	-23	01-02	-16	-10	07-04	-12	-14	-13	-13	-15	-14	-14	-16	-13	-14	-11
PT ^(b)	-29	01-92	-6	11	01-91	-15	-12	-13	-17	-16	-16	-13	-16	-21	-18	-17
SI	-19	04-03	-6	10	04-04	2	-1	-2	-6	-8	-2	-7	-8	-6	-3	-4
SK	-12	09-03	2	19	08-01	-8	3	-9	-2	-4	0	-6	-1	-8	-4	-5
FI	-25	07-93	-2	14	06-97	-3	-8	0	0	-7	-2	2	-4	-4	0	2
SE	-24	06-04	-12	2	07-00	-19	-12	-14	-10	-8	-10	-16	-16	-8	-19	-15
UK	-43	11-98	-13	13	01-05	-3	-3	-8	13	4	-18	-5	-2	-20	-19	-33

TABLE 2.b.2: Industrial confidence indicator by sector : investment goods (incl. motor vehicles) ^(a) (s.a.)

	Since 01/1990				2004				2005								
	Min.	Ave.	Max.		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.		
EU	-38	06-93	-8	7	06-98	1	0	0	-4	-4	-5	-7	-8	-7	-5	-6	
Euro area	-42	07-93	-8	10	06-98	1	0	-1	-3	-5	-5	-5	-6	-6	-6	-4	
BE	-44	01-93	-10	12	05-90	2	2	-3	-3	-7	-4	-3	-7	-9	-10	-13	
CZ	-37	04-02	7	23	04-04	16	19	19	12	11	6	15	13	13	17	19	
DK	-29	11-98	-2	28	01-98	4	-9	3	1	-3	-3	-17	-1	-12	-9	-2	
DE	-45	07-93	-9	17	04-90	1	1	0	-2	-5	-8	-6	-6	-8	-7	-4	
EE	-11	09-01	11	38	09-02	3	4	3	17	23	16	2	4	6	8	14	
EL	-31	05-94	-1	35	12-00	1	-4	-15	-12	-1	2	-10	-12	-19	-19	-11	
ES	-46	07-93	-5	18	06-98	6	4	3	-4	0	-1	0	-6	-5	-5	-10	
FR	-49	06-93	-8	29	07-98	1	-1	-2	-8	-6	-6	-5	-7	-4	-8	-7	
IE	-53	11-01	3	60	12-99	-1	2	-6	-12	7	-2	4	-8	9	13	-6	
IT	-36	05-93	-5	25	07-95	1	-7	-5	-3	-9	-6	-8	-7	-6	-3	0	
CY	-4	07-01	10	21	05-04	15	13	11	15	14	5	17	2	15	6	3	
LV	-34	07-99	-10	8	10-04	8	3	4	3	-3	-2	1	1	0	0	2	
LT	-16	11-03	-2	20	04-05	2	-6	4	12	-4	-7	20	2	-1	0	9	
LU	-40	09-93	-7	21	08-95	-4	6	-2	-6	9	11	-4	4	6	-16	-2	
HU	-16	11-01	0	15	04-98	-2	-13	-4	-7	-5	-10	-10	-15	-9	-8	-8	
NL	-18	03-93	-4	8	12-00	-1	1	-2	-1	-4	-3	-1	-2	-3	-5	0	
AT	-24	05-96	-8	10	09-00	-4	-5	-6	-3	-9	-7	-3	-7	-11	-10	-2	
PL	-27	10-01	-12	1	11-04	0	1	-3	-5	-6	-5	-6	-7	-6	-5	-4	
PT ^(b)	-43	09-93	-6	14	07-98	-10	-12	-5	-12	-12	-3	-11	-7	-6	-15	-12	
SI	-16	06-96	2	20	06-00	15	9	9	6	3	6	5	7	6	-2	4	
SK	-21	07-04	14	55	02-01	19	4	-2	1	19	23	27	13	12	8	-1	12
FI	-30	01-03	10	31	10-00	19	22	20	24	12	27	15	18	28	28	19	19
SE	-31	02-02	-4	19	07-04	15	11	13	8	-2	-7	-11	-7	-11	-9	-10	-10
UK	-44	12-01	-12	21	10-97	-8	-7	0	-13	-2	-4	-18	-24	-18	-2	-8	3

TABLE 2.b.3: Industrial confidence indicator by sector : intermediate goods ^(a) (s.a.)

	Since 01/1990				2004				2005							
	Min.	Ave.	Max.		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
EU	-29	02-93	-10	14	12-94	-1	-4	-5	-4	-7	-8	-13	-15	-14	-13	-12
Euro area	-32	04-93	-10	12	12-94	-3	-4	-5	-5	-7	-9	-14	-16	-14	-12	-10
BE	-35	04-93	-12	15	01-95	1	-2	-4	-3	-6	-6	-15	-18	-18	-19	-12
CZ	-7	06-05	3	13	06-04	5	6	12	7	5	8	-2	-6	-7	1	-2
DK	-21	01-99	-2	19	02-98	7	5	2	5	5	8	2	2	5	-4	-2
DE	-36	04-93	-14	7	12-94	-9	-10	-10	-8	-10	-13	-18	-21	-17	-17	-14
EE	-1	05-03	13	23	02-05	11	7	8	20	23	20	19	19	18	16	22
EL	-20	02-91	-2	15	03-00	-2	-1	-3	-6	-5	-11	-8	-12	-11	-10	-11
ES	-41	03-93	-6	12	12-97	0	-1	-6	-1	-10	-4	-9	-10	-11	-6	-7
FR	-42	06-93	-9	22	12-94	2	0	2	0	-4	-9	-14	-18	-16	-14	-14
IE	-29	09-01	-4	20	11-99	-4	-12	-8	-16	-5	-7	-6	-8	-4	-3	-8
IT	-23	08-93	-5	14	07-95	3	1	-2	-2	-6	-7	-10	-13	-12	-11	-8
CY	-33	06-03	6	21	06-01	19	3	10	9	18	-2	4	11	21	3	-1
LV	-21	09-99	-2	13	05-04	2	2	4	4	3	4	4	6	1	3	2
LT	-16	12-01	-5	12	07-04	0	-1	-10	-6	-7	-8	-12	-12	-12	-5	2
LU	-55															

TABLE 2.b.4: Industrial confidence indicator by sector: manufacture of food, beverage and tobacco^(a) (s.a.)

	Since 01/1990				2004			2005								
	Min. Value	Ave. Date	Max. Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
EU	-13	01-93	-3	4	07-90	-4	-2	-2	-4	-3	-6	-4	-5	-6	-2	-6
Euro area	-14	07-93	-3	7	11-90	-6	-4	-2	-3	-5	-7	-6	-7	-6	-4	-5
BE	-21	04-93	-4	8	08-91	-1	-2	-6	1	-7	-2	-3	-3	-4	-1	-6
CZ	-18	10-98	2	23	09-04	2	5	4	0	5	6	7	4	6	7	2
DK	-44	12-98	-5	41	04-01	4	-6	0	5	0	-7	-10	-6	2	-7	-4
DE	-11	12-00	-3	25	09-90	-6	-4	-2	-6	-6	-8	-7	-7	-4	-6	-7
EE	-1	02-02	12	25	05-04	11	10	10	10	5	19	10	4	7	11	6
EL	-13	02-93	3	16	07-00	-2	1	4	0	-1	-3	2	-7	-7	-8	-4
ES	-25	05-93	-1	15	02-03	-8	1	9	4	0	0	-1	-2	5	3	4
FR	-31	06-93	-8	6	09-99	-15	-12	-8	-8	-10	-16	-16	-17	-15	-14	-15
IE	-31	07-03	-3	23	03-01	-7	-14	-1	-6	5	6	-2	-12	-13	2	-2
IT	-15	01-93	2	12	01-98	3	6	5	-1	0	-5	-3	-1	-3	1	0
CY	-7	04-03	10	26	04-02	4	10	24	8	1	13	10	8	4	6	2
LV	-40	10-98	-4	15	03-03	3	1	5	2	5	6	5	7	7	5	10
LT	-37	01-99	-16	5	09-05	-5	-2	-12	-9	-10	1	0	-5	-1	2	1
LU	-40	05-93	-1	20	07-01	5	-6	-2	-5	2	6	4	5	6	8	-9
HU	-25	09-03	-9	16	05-00	-8	-15	-9	-12	-23	-16	-17	-23	-21	-13	-17
NL	-15	07-03	-1	9	12-94	-1	0	-2	-2	-1	-2	-1	-2	-2	-1	-6
AT	-30	05-99	-12	6	11-00	-9	-8	-9	-8	-13	-14	-12	-9	-10	-10	-11
PL	-22	06-02	-14	-8	07-04	-10	-12	-10	-13	-15	-12	-13	-15	-12	-12	-10
PT ^(b)	-22	05-93	-4	14	04-90	-8	-10	-9	-3	-7	-6	1	-5	-9	-6	-3
SI	-16	08-95	3	25	03-00	11	9	9	-7	-1	5	-1	1	4	-2	2
SK	-21	02-05	-2	18	11-00	-18	-4	-6	-12	-21	-6	-7	-7	-13	-8	-12
FI	-26	07-96	-2	11	09-05	-2	-16	-8	3	-14	-7	4	-9	-3	3	4
SE	-31	06-04	-9	7	08-99	-22	-9	-18	-14	-11	-16	-22	-22	-8	-20	-15
UK	-25	01-99	-2	20	06-01	7	10	0	-5	9	-1	9	10	-6	15	5

TABLE 2.b.5: Industrial confidence indicator by sector: chemical industry^(a) (s.a.)

	Since 01/1990				2004			2005								
	Min. Value	Ave. Date	Max. Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
EU	-23	11-92	-3	20	12-94	5	2	4	4	5	-1	-3	-2	-4	-2	-6
Euro area	-30	05-93	-2	17	12-94	5	3	6	2	2	-1	-6	-4	-3	1	-1
BE	-20	10-01	0	26	02-95	6	9	6	5	3	3	3	0	-2	-8	-2
CZ	-26	11-98	-3	18	10-00	0	-6	7	5	13	0	-12	-14	-12	-9	-12
DK	-23	12-98	13	44	12-94	13	15	15	11	8	9	10	15	10	13	18
DE	-40	04-93	-6	16	12-94	8	5	4	2	2	4	-4	-4	-9	-3	-1
EE	-2	11-04	12	29	09-01	10	-2	11	26	16	16	9	15	16	7	16
EL	-12	10-98	4	19	07-03	8	1	2	10	1	5	11	10	15	-1	-4
ES	-11	04-96	1	14	02-95	1	5	6	4	-8	0	-4	1	-3	-4	0
FR	-24	05-93	1	22	07-00	6	2	9	8	9	0	-4	-5	-2	5	-1
IE	-22	01-99	3	40	03-96	-1	-3	15	-5	7	-1	-17	1	17	15	2
IT	-31	11-92	1	33	11-94	2	4	-3	-6	-8	-11	-10	-9	-9	-4	-13
CY	-12	10-02	16	58	07-05	40	-5	6	-1	0	21	4	20	24	58	8
LV	-28	02-97	-7	12	12-00	-3	3	5	-1	1	-5	0	-5	3	9	3
LT	-59	02-99	-11	29	07-04	9	10	-5	-9	-8	-5	4	-7	2	8	-9
LU	-65	02-02	-5	38	08-98	2	2	-8	15	-13	-15	-28	-9	-19	-10	-22
HU	-35	02-99	-3	23	10-00	13	-9	7	-18	0	-26	-25	-16	-18	-6	-24
NL	-10	06-05	1	16	10-94	2	4	6	3	1	-5	-3	-4	-10	-1	-5
AT	-23	04-96	-4	15	06-00	0	-3	-4	-1	-2	-8	-9	-3	-10	-8	-6
PL	-35	11-01	-17	8	09-97	-9	-9	-12	-7	-12	-12	-11	-12	-12	-6	-15
PT ^(b)	-26	06-03	-2	19	03-00	1	-3	-7	-8	-20	-18	-19	-5	-20	-22	-6
SI	-34	10-98	-2	27	12-00	17	-2	1	9	14	6	-10	6	6	11	4
SK	-27	01-04	-8	11	11-00	-10	-9	-20	-1	-15	-7	-19	-6	-5	-11	-14
FI	-23	10-98	2	27	06-04	11	7	9	9	8	3	-11	-9	-22	-4	-4
SE	-13	07-03	5	22	09-04	13	10	6	21	6	-13	-6	6	0	-10	10
UK	-42	04-91	-6	30	08-94	6	-5	-7	16	24	1	15	6	-12	-13	-34

TABLE 2.b.6: Industrial confidence indicator by sector: manufacture of motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers^(a) (s.a.)

	Since 01/1990				2004			2005								
	Min. Value	Ave. Date	Max. Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
EU	-56	07-93	-6	25	06-98	0	2	4	-7	-10	-10	-13	-12	-6	-6	-7
Euro area	-62	07-93	-4	27	07-98	6	1	1	-6	-12	-11	-6	-6	-3	-5	-3
BE	-48	06-02	-7	31	02-95	8	9	-2	-2	-3	-5	3	-1	-3	-13	-4
CZ	-82	12-98	6	90	04-00	40	41	26	15	15	18	25	24	22	24	28
DK	-52	03-04	2	48	12-04	34	36	48	26	18	34	26	14	24	22	37
DE	-64	07-93	-2	41	09-90	3	5	5	1	-8	-9	-1	-3	-2	-4	-3
EE	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
EL	-91	07-91	1	69	03-90	1	-10	-15	-27	-6	-7	-6	-5	-10	-13	-7
ES	-61	01-93	-8	26	02-98	8	3	-4	-4	-8	-5	-9	-10	-13	-15	-6
FR	-83	07-93	-6	68	07-98	13	3	4	-14	-15	-13	-14	-13	-7	-11	-10
IE	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
IT	-53	10-90	-9	37	01-90	4	-36	-27	-28	-42	-37	-24	-10	8	22	13
CY	-15	09-01	4	22	06-03	11	-3	0	-5	1	2	-3	12	12	17	-6
LV	-24	02-02	3	21	09-05	17	8	10	-3	-2	10	7	18	20	14	21
LT	-99	08-99	-22	41	04-05	-1	10	13	15	9	-26	41	-3	-2	-4	-11
LU	-40	04-96	10	66	08-98	21	-4	-10	-20	-24	-20	-2	7	1	-3	4
HU	-40	02-96	0	40	12-96	-32	-24	-9	6	-19	-4	-7	5	11	-1	0
NL	-60	12-90	0	35	12-97	16	7	-1	0	-3	1	3	11	11	-3	-6
AT	-27	09-01	-3	15	07-00	-2	4	-3	-1	-8	0	-6	-6	4	-13	-7
PL	-44	10-98	-9	27	10-97	5	1	0	-3	-2	-6	-4	0	-3	-4	-3
PT ^(b)	-65	09-93	-10	19	03-92	-9	-6	-11	-19	7	3	8	3	6	3	-1
SI	-33	10-96	4	42	09-04	31	26	17	24	8	20	12	5	15	7	12
SK	-34	07-04	24	70	02-01	21	1	-13	-5	25	30	32	14			

TABLE 2.b.7: Industrial confidence indicator by sector: manufacture of textiles^(a) (s.a.)

	Since 01/1990				2004				2005								
	Min.	Ave.	Max.		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
EU	-34	02-93	-19	-1	07-97	-19	-21	-22	-20	-23	-24	-26	-25	-27	-29	-29	-27
Euro area	-37	04-93	-19	0	08-00	-19	-21	-22	-20	-23	-26	-27	-26	-26	-28	-28	-27
BE	-43	02-93	-19	6	04-00	-17	-14	-18	-21	-25	-27	-30	-28	-28	-31	-29	-31
CZ	-42	02-99	-13	9	11-00	-2	3	0	3	-3	-5	-10	-9	-3	-5	-7	-14
DK	-25	09-90	-2	21	07-04	-2	6	-2	0	-1	5	4	4	0	-9	-18	-7
DE	-52	11-01	-34	-5	01-90	-40	-42	-45	-39	-34	-36	-41	-36	-33	-35	-37	-34
EE	-15	05-03	5	28	12-02	-2	-13	-2	-8	7	17	0	-1	-10	-8	13	6
EL	-41	01-91	-10	21	05-00	-9	-17	-7	-9	-13	-10	-25	-25	-28	-19	-22	-24
ES	-59	03-93	-26	4	07-97	-32	-35	-33	-25	-32	-41	-39	-35	-43	-45	-43	-41
FR	-48	06-93	-20	9	12-00	-20	-20	-25	-16	-26	-28	-29	-27	-26	-33	-32	-31
IE	-71	11-02	-17	58	05-04	40	40	20	36	-6	9	37	4	34	-1	-20	:
IT	-32	02-93	-9	18	06-00	-8	-13	-12	-12	-15	-20	-16	-19	-18	-19	-21	-19
CY	-28	08-02	-10	15	02-02	-18	-27	-14	-4	-25	-16	-23	-13	-8	-15	-5	-19
LV	-31	04-97	-2	19	12-00	5	6	5	0	-1	4	-3	3	2	3	4	
LT	-48	06-99	-17	6	08-04	-9	-17	-31	-14	-12	-20	-22	-20	-12	-12	0	-3
LU	-67	06-96	6	87	09-97	34	18	27	13	-4	23	23	-1	-7	32	35	2
HU	-53	12-99	-9	48	12-00	-24	-12	-3	-21	-26	-12	-26	-25	-40	-33	-18	-17
NL	-32	04-93	-8	15	11-97	-9	-6	-8	-11	-15	-13	-20	-18	-23	-13	-11	-9
AT	-40	09-05	-22	-5	12-98	-29	-30	-24	-24	-27	-29	-29	-38	-39	-33	-33	-40
PL	-37	12-01	-22	-4	09-97	-19	-29	-25	-21	-22	-23	-30	-26	-30	-31	-31	-29
PT^(b)	-38	06-93	-13	14	05-98	-18	-21	-19	-24	-24	-28	-30	-28	-29	-32	-32	-26
SI	-42	03-99	-15	7	02-01	-9	-18	-16	-16	-18	-23	-24	-21	-10	-24	-25	-20
SK	-50	03-99	-21	6	07-01	-30	-31	-16	-26	-16	-13	-8	-15	-10	-7	-6	-16
FI	-28	11-98	-5	17	02-05	10	10	13	13	17	17	2	9	11	-18	8	6
SE	-53	11-01	-19	16	10-97	-16	-14	-23	-6	-20	-21	-23	-1	-2	-28	-18	-29
UK	-52	08-98	-22	17	11-96	-19	-26	-24	-25	-29	-20	-28	-25	-39	-37	-39	-34

TABLE2.b.8: Industrial confidence indicator by sector: manufacture of basic metals^(a) (s.a.)

	Since 01/1990				2004				2005								
	Min.	Ave.	Max.		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
EU	-39	11-92	-9	30	11-94	11	10	7	7	1	-5	-17	-22	-21	-25	-17	-12
Euro area	-38	11-92	-8	27	11-94	10	9	7	7	1	-6	-17	-24	-20	-24	-15	-10
BE	-57	01-96	-18	28	05-00	1	2	-1	0	-11	-12	-41	-47	-40	-45	-23	-22
CZ	-43	10-98	0	28	04-98	7	10	21	9	-1	16	-9	-18	-17	2	6	8
DK	-46	06-91	-5	43	12-94	7	18	4	9	0	0	-14	-8	-7	-16	-21	-18
DE	-50	11-01	-9	34	05-00	11	14	11	9	-7	-13	-19	-15	-24	-14	-9	
EE	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
EL	-54	02-96	-4	28	06-90	-8	-15	-20	-28	-28	-27	-12	-20	-27	-20	-16	-9
ES	-45	03-96	-7	36	04-00	6	13	10	8	-9	-5	-8	-17	-9	-10	-11	-5
FR	-53	03-96	-6	54	10-94	12	11	9	2	-8	-11	-31	-38	-39	-30	-30	-30
IE	-83	06-01	3	84	08-04	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
IT	-41	09-91	-8	28	11-94	11	1	5	7	9	3	-20	-29	-18	-27	-6	4
CY	-22	05-01	13	61	04-02	13	15	14	6	11	24	-2	8	11	-14	1	27
LV	0	12-04	18	42	02-03	19	17	0	18	19	21	18	15	8	13	16	12
LT	-48	08-99	-3	45	11-03	2	18	33	13	2	10	32	18	-11	-8	-3	12
LU	-82	03-02	-20	50	05-95	-22	-48	-49	-37	-27	-24	-34	-40	-30	-40	-38	-26
HU	-37	09-02	-5	32	10-00	-2	-5	-4	-9	-28	5	-22	3	-11	-16	-13	28
NL	-41	11-92	4	35	02-98	26	4	12	27	15	13	3	9	5	3	5	11
AT	-32	05-96	-6	24	09-97	11	3	-12	-1	-17	-12	-7	-14	-16	-21	-23	-7
PL	-34	05-99	-11	10	01-04	0	-15	-9	-7	-13	-15	-15	-20	-14	-11	-15	-9
PT^(b)	-50	05-03	-3	37	10-04	37	15	1	1	-5	-34	-16	-4	-13	-7	-32	6
SI	-35	02-99	5	42	06-00	15	21	22	20	19	3	9	-1	4	0	15	3
SK	-52	03-01	-3	54	02-04	34	43	28	28	18	5	6	-8	-2	-14	-28	11
FI	-43	11-01	2	58	11-00	0	0	12	-7	4	-11	-20	-21	-34	-5	-5	1
SE	-51	02-96	-7	29	11-04	25	29	24	25	13	11	-1	-1	-16	-9	-16	-18
UK	-73	11-98	-15	48	11-94	16	12	4	-2	-2	-8	-26	-25	-38	-53	-32	-37

TABLE 2.b.9: Industrial confidence indicator by sector: manufacture of machinery and equipment^(a) (s.a.)

	Since 01/1990				2004				2005								
	Min.	Ave.	Max.		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
EU	-36	11-92	-11	10	02-95	1	-3	-1	-3	-2	-5	-7	-9	-8	-8	-6	-5
Euro area	-38	05-93	-11	13	02-90	-1	-2	-1	-1	-1	-4	-7	-8	-8	-7	-5	-3
BE	-50	05-93	-14	14	03-90	1	0	-3	-8	-9	-6	-2	-6	-6	-6	-10	1
CZ	-17	08-02	-4	8	06-01	-2	-1	-5	-9	1	4	7	6	4	5	3	6
DK	-49	11-98	-6	38	01-98	0	-20	4	-7	-10	-12	-24	-8	-25	-21	0	-11
DE	-39	03-93	-13	20	02-90	-1	-1	0	0	1	-5	-9	-7	-8	-6	-5	-3
EE	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
EL	-33	05-94	-2	30	06-02	-1	-4	-12	4	6	13	-4	-5	-17	-15	-11	-8
ES	-58	03-93	-11	17	06-98	1	-10	3	-3	0	-4	-6	-12	0	-9	-6	0
FR	-47	07-91	-13	19	04-00	-3	-5	-11	-10	-4	-5	-8	-13	-15	-12	-14	
IE	-79	07-03	-14	63	07-94	-19	-12	-13	-7	-22	-23	-9	-18	-5	28	-31	:
IT	-36	05-93	-5	30	02-95	1	-1	-1	0	-5	-2	-7	-10	-8	-6	-3	-4
CY	-37	04-04	-3	29	04-02	9	1	-31	3	-7	26	13	-12	-9	1	-24	6
LV	-39	11-98	-8	13	06-02	6	5	5	0	-5	-1	2	3	6	-5	4	
LT	-45	01-05	-8	16	02-02	5	-31	-31	-45	-5	-22	-11	-14	-6	-15	-7	-4
LU	-52	09-93	-8	28	02-05	8	12	8	6	28	22	0	12	3	-9	0	13

TABLE 3: Monthly survey of services (s.a.)^(a)

INDICATOR		Since 01/1990				2004				2005							
		Min.	Ave.	Max.		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
		Value	Date	Value	Date												
SERVICES CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EU	-8	03-03	17	32	08-98	15	13	12	14	13	10	8	9	8	11	11
	Euro area	-7	03-03	18	34	08-98	12	11	10	13	10	9	8	10	9	12	9
	BE	-7	03-03	13	33	03-98	17	10	11	15	14	11	12	3	9	6	5
	CZ	32	06-05	40	47	07-02	39	36	39	37	39	38	37	37	32	32	40
	DK	11	10-01	26	37	04-04	34	33	37	34	33	34	33	34	32	30	34
	DE	-23	12-02	24	52	03-99	11	11	8	11	6	5	4	6	7	10	12
	EE	5	11-04	23	34	11-02	14	5	11	13	17	20	23	23	27	31	23
	EL	-14	04-03	27	62	08-00	13	11	6	20	18	23	22	16	11	10	13
	ES	10	10-04	31	56	06-98	10	13	16	15	12	14	17	27	25	21	23
	FR	-22	06-93	3	25	06-90	12	10	11	11	9	8	6	7	10	11	11
	IE	-14	05-03	16	44	08-98	-4	-10	4	-2	-9	-4	9	-2	-12	7	-6
	IT	-5	11-01	17	44	02-98	17	13	10	19	13	16	12	10	-1	11	0
	CY	-21	09-02	4	19	06-05	17	12	11	11	13	18	15	7	19	15	10
	LV	7	03-02	11	15	07-05	9	12	12	11	12	14	13	12	13	15	13
	LT	9	04-05	17	30	03-03	18	10	20	16	12	12	9	16	16	25	17
	HU	-10	10-04	1	14	03-02	-10	-9	-7	-6	-1	-5	-8	-4	-8	-4	-1
	NL	3	06-03	17	35	12-97	8	7	8	7	11	7	10	6	9	6	4
	AT	0	01-02	15	30	03-98	19	16	16	13	12	9	12	10	7	10	9
	PL ⁽ⁿ⁾	-8	03-03	1	8	08-05	3	3	1	7	8	5	8	7	5	6	8
	PT	-17	05-03	7	29	06-01	4	12	0	-2	5	-3	-3	1	-4	-9	2
	SI	12	05-05	24	32	10-02	21	23	22	21	21	14	12	12	15	19	18
	SK	27	09-05	47	60	06-03	44	51	52	34	38	33	37	33	33	40	31
	FI	-12	09-03	26	61	09-00	31	31	30	38	33	32	25	34	38	41	40
	SE	-24	01-03	16	46	12-00	38	29	23	35	30	32	31	27	32	26	34
	UK	-20	12-02	14	37	10-97	25	19	19	10	24	3	-1	1	-1	3	10
ASSESSMENT OF BUSINESS SITUATION	EU	-19	03-03	13	37	06-00	11	9	9	12	8	0	0	1	0	4	2
	Euro area	-18	03-03	15	39	06-00	9	8	8	12	6	1	1	1	1	5	-1
	BE	-27	12-01	-3	28	01-98	3	-2	-5	0	-5	-2	-6	-16	-9	-10	-7
	CZ	48	06-05	60	72	07-02	55	55	59	57	60	58	58	60	48	48	57
	DK	4	05-03	23	41	04-00	29	24	29	27	27	28	29	31	30	27	31
	DE	-35	01-03	26	63	12-98	11	11	8	10	5	-1	2	3	7	9	9
	EE	1	11-04	27	48	11-02	12	1	9	14	19	24	27	29	30	35	31
	EL	-42	04-03	11	58	09-00	16	11	0	19	22	28	26	17	9	8	10
	ES	4	10-04	30	67	04-00	4	8	10	9	6	5	8	21	19	17	21
	FR	-35	09-96	-1	29	06-00	14	14	16	13	9	5	2	4	6	9	8
	IE	-20	06-05	19	52	11-99	-1	-15	11	-4	-10	-7	4	-2	-20	15	-10
	IT	-39	06-05	11	44	02-01	-3	-11	-3	18	0	-15	-18	-29	-39	-22	-35
	CY	-33	09-02	-4	16	04-04	13	7	6	8	5	10	5	5	10	7	-2
	LV	4	10-04	11	18	04-03	4	6	5	7	8	12	9	9	11	9	12
	LT	2	04-05	22	48	03-03	15	12	12	12	7	5	2	13	12	27	9
	HU	-15	10-04	0	19	05-02	-15	-12	-9	-8	-6	-7	-13	-8	-11	-10	-5
	NL	-26	07-93	12	70	12-00	8	9	8	18	19	13	13	19	17	15	14
	AT	-4	10-96	12	30	03-98	16	11	12	11	7	6	8	6	2	7	5
	PL ⁽ⁿ⁾	-12	02-04	3	9	11-03	3	3	3	6	6	0	3	3	1	4	5
	PT	-22	06-03	4	24	11-97	-7	0	-11	2	-5	-7	-10	-9	-14	-17	-6
	SI	4	04-05	26	44	10-02	17	25	18	20	20	17	4	5	10	14	10
	SK	15	09-05	43	66	01-03	37	52	42	23	30	28	34	29	25	36	18
	FI	-47	03-03	19	79	05-98	20	44	28	17	27	27	24	8	13	22	19
	SE	-60	01-02	7	41	01-05	40	37	23	41	37	36	27	31	30	37	27
	UK	-35	12-02	-1	27	12-97	16	2	8	2	9	-21	-17	-15	-18	-15	1
EVOLUTION OF DEMAND IN RECENT MONTHS	EU	-12	01-02	14	32	03-98	16	13	12	11	10	9	7	12	8	11	13
	Euro area	-16	01-02	14	32	03-98	12	8	8	9	5	7	6	11	8	11	10
	BE	-9	03-03	13	41	11-97	19	3	11	10	15	12	12	8	17	13	5
	CZ	15	08-02	28	39	08-04	36	25	26	25	28	28	25	23	24	21	25
	DK	9	04-03	25	42	12-04	39	39	42	37	36	38	38	37	37	34	33
	DE	-32	02-02	19	43	09-98	9	10	9	9	2	4	2	7	6	11	14
	EE	3	11-04	22	43	11-03	13	3	12	9	16	21	21	22	24	29	24
	EL	-9	04-03	32	71	06-01	7	3	2	16	17	26	26	17	12	10	11
	ES	-1	08-02	24	56	06-98	7	10	15	11	5	5	11	24	19	16	19
	FR	-33	03-97	5	37	01-90	11	7	5	9	6	6	6	7	11	12	11
	IE	-24	10-03	9	46	08-98	-10	-17	-10	-4	-15	-10	3	-4	-24	-2	-14
	IT	-28	08-02	12	38	03-01	23	15	13	12	6	16	12	32	11	23	12
	CY	-34	08-02	-1	21	04-04	14	11	11	8	14	9	9	3	20	15	4
	LV	-4	02-02	8	15	02-05	7	11	13	9	15	14	13	10	13	15	11
	LT	0	08-02	17	29	04-03	13	5	18	14	24	16	7	17	18	29	22
	HU	-14	04-05	-2	13	03-02	-14	-13	-9	-13	-3	-9	-14	-5	-8	-6	-1
	NL	-49	03-01	7	50	06-98	-4	-11	-5	-16	-14	2	-14	-24	-21	-18	-22
	AT	-16	01-02	15	35	03-98	21	18	19	19	15	11	11	9	6	11	10
	PL ⁽ⁿ⁾	-18	02-03	-3	6	08-04	3	2	-1	5	5	3	3	3	2	2	4
	PT	-34	05-03	4	26	06-01	10	14	-6	-5	6	-5	-9	-2	-9	-5	-7
	SI	-1	03-05	18	29	08-04	22	20	15	15	21	-1	3	3	8	15	18
	SK	27	09-05	46	67	07-03	46	52	52	35	40	35	36	29	29	40	32
	FI	-20	09-03	28	83	04-01	56	22	29	35	36	34	32	43	53	32	48
	SE	-19	10-01	18	53	01-01	42	31	21	26	36	33	32	29	33	34	26
	UK	-19	07-03	15	43	01-97	34	33	27	11	31	7	0	12	-1	4	13

TABLE 3: (continued) Monthly survey of services (s.a.)^(a)

		Since 01/1990				2004				2005								
		Min.		Ave.	Max.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
EVOLUTION OF DEMAND EXPECTED IN THE MONTHS AHEAD	EU	-1	11-01	24	37	06-98	19	19	16	19	20	20	18	15	18	18	17	16
Component of the services confidence indicator	Euro area	-6	11-01	23	38	05-00	17	17	14	18	18	19	18	16	17	18	18	16
	BE	-2	07-03	28	51	01-95	28	28	28	34	33	24	30	16	20	16	18	26
	CZ	24	01-04	32	44	01-03	27	27	30	28	29	27	27	28	25	27	28	27
	DK	16	09-01	30	41	12-04	35	36	41	37	35	35	33	34	30	28	36	33
	DE	-22	11-01	29	59	09-00	13	12	6	13	11	12	7	8	8	11	14	10
	EE	7	06-04	19	32	11-02	16	10	13	15	16	16	20	20	29	29	13	12
	EL	5	05-03	37	75	09-01	15	18	16	23	14	13	15	14	13	14	15	14
	ES	19	10-04	38	59	06-98	19	20	22	26	25	31	31	37	38	30	29	28
	FR	-18	09-93	5	32	03-01	11	9	10	11	13	9	10	12	13	13	13	13
	IE	-7	05-03	19	45	06-98	-1	3	12	3	-2	6	19	-1	7	6	6	4
	IT	-6	09-00	25	57	06-01	32	35	20	26	32	47	40	28	26	32	23	22
	CY	3	06-03	18	34	03-05	24	17	15	16	20	34	30	14	29	22	22	19
	LV	8	01-03	14	25	02-02	16	19	19	18	13	17	17	18	16	21	14	24
	LT	-7	10-02	13	30	02-03	25	14	29	23	7	16	17	18	19	18	21	20
	HU	-3	06-05	5	17	02-02	-1	-1	-3	2	7	0	4	3	-3	5	2	5
	NL	-4	01-96	26	54	07-00	19	22	20	20	28	6	30	22	30	22	20	23
	AT	-1	10-01	19	34	06-98	21	17	17	11	12	10	17	14	12	12	12	14
	PL⁽ⁿ⁾	-10	03-03	3	17	08-05	3	4	1	9	14	14	16	15	11	12	17	14
	PT	-16	09-03	14	40	06-01	9	23	18	-4	12	4	11	14	13	0	7	12
	SI	22	04-03	27	32	12-04	24	26	32	28	23	25	30	28	27	28	27	25
	SK	35	03-05	51	65	06-03	50	49	62	45	45	35	40	41	46	43	42	38
	FI	-12	10-96	31	71	01-01	17	27	33	62	36	35	20	51	48	70	45	53
	SE	-4	01-03	24	66	02-01	31	20	25	37	18	27	34	20	32	26	25	34
	UK	-14	03-03	28	57	10-97	26	23	22	18	30	23	14	5	17	18	15	9
EVOLUTION OF EMPLOYMENT IN RECENT MONTHS	EU	-10	03-03	10	26	08-98	5	4	3	-1	2	0	1	2	2	2	3	3
	Euro area	-8	03-03	11	28	01-99	3	3	2	-3	-1	0	0	0	1	1	-1	2
	BE	-14	08-02	8	30	08-98	-1	0	-3	4	0	1	5	-4	5	8	8	1
	CZ	-30	11-04	-10	18	11-02	-22	-30	1	-6	-27	-20	-8	-20	-21	-16	-10	-3
	DK	-2	04-03	9	21	04-00	14	15	15	13	13	12	15	15	16	17	18	18
	DE	-19	12-02	14	44	03-99	-3	-2	-2	-6	-7	-5	-3	-4	0	-1	-1	1
	EE	1	06-02	9	16	09-05	6	2	7	8	16	5	11	13	11	11	14	16
	EL	-42	06-01	8	45	06-00	4	-3	-15	-17	-8	-11	-3	-4	0	1	4	8
	ES	4	03-03	18	45	08-98	5	6	10	9	11	13	12	12	13	10	13	10
	FR	-27	06-93	4	23	12-90	9	6	3	3	-1	2	0	0	1	4	5	4
	IE	-36	05-05	1	25	02-98	-16	-13	-7	-12	-13	-14	-13	-36	-21	-11	-20	-10
	IT	-13	05-03	6	25	05-00	8	13	7	-11	5	1	-1	2	-9	-6	0	-7
	CY	-23	06-02	-4	6	02-05	-3	0	1	3	6	5	5	0	4	3	4	0
	LV	-1	05-02	5	10	06-03	5	7	5	4	4	9	6	5	4	6	6	5
	LT	-30	11-03	-11	17	11-02	7	-22	16	3	5	-8	-9	2	-4	-4	-3	-1
	HU	-15	06-05	-6	2	07-04	-8	-1	0	-7	-2	-11	-10	-9	-15	-7	-1	-4
	NL	-8	05-03	17	66	06-98	-2	3	3	1	-1	-1	4	4	5	6	5	5
	AT	-7	08-02	6	18	07-98	8	6	7	2	8	5	8	3	2	3	0	2
	PL⁽ⁿ⁾	-15	02-04	-7	3	08-05	-9	-8	-5	-3	2	-4	2	-1	-1	2	3	-2
	PT	-34	05-03	-1	28	07-98	-19	-13	-24	-19	-18	-15	-15	-5	-5	-20	-15	-11
	SI	-10	12-03	4	16	08-05	6	3	8	2	7	6	10	8	7	16	16	16
	SK	-66	12-04	-39	3	07-02	-57	-55	-66	-37	-51	-44	-55	-48	-42	-41	-49	-56
	FI	-26	04-97	29	91	11-97	17	9	14	1	25	22	-4	14	15	7	24	26
	SE	-40	04-03	3	42	01-01	-3	-8	-3	2	-2	4	8	2	14	16	13	16
	UK	-22	04-03	9	27	05-00	22	11	14	5	18	0	4	11	4	3	16	9
EVOLUTION OF EMPLOYMENT EXPECTED IN THE MONTHS AHEAD	EU	-6	03-03	10	26	06-98	5	5	5	3	4	4	5	3	3	4	6	5
	Euro area	-5	04-03	8	25	04-00	1	3	2	1	1	2	4	0	0	3	4	5
	BE	-11	04-03	16	34	11-99	18	15	14	17	17	15	24	9	11	13	19	24
	CZ	-31	06-04	-20	-3	08-02	-23	-26	-13	-22	-14	-17	-20	-17	-22	-21	-17	-14
	DK	4	02-03	11	21	09-05	12	13	13	15	17	14	18	13	11	15	19	21
	DE	-13	05-03	-4	11	02-01	-3	-1	-4	-3	-3	-1	-3	-4	-4	-2	-2	0
	EE	7	03-03	16	26	03-05	20	18	18	19	26	24	20	18	19	22	17	17
	EL	-33	12-00	10	47	05-99	-4	-8	-12	-6	-14	-18	-5	-3	-3	-1	1	3
	ES	3	05-01	18	41	04-00	6	14	14	15	8	11	15	14	16	13	15	12
	FR	-31	06-97	1	21	06-98	1	4	2	0	0	5	6	1	4	6	6	10
	IE	-13	11-04	8	31	04-98	-11	-13	7	-2	-8	3	-10	-5	0	7	4	5
	IT	-10	06-05	11	34	06-00	3	2	6	-3	-2	0	5	-2	-10	-3	10	1
	CY	-7	07-05	3	18	05-02	2	5	4	2	3	1	2	-5	-5	-7	-3	-1
	LV	-1	05-02	8	14	09-05	9	9	12	10	10	11	12	13	13	12	9	14
	LT	-51	05-02	-7	25	10-04	25	1	3	16	16	7	3	4	-3	17	19	-8
	HU	-9	09-03	-2	5	05-04	0	0	-1	0	1	-2	-5	-4	-8	-3	1	-2
	NL	-4	03-05	18	40	01-99	5	10	6	8	9	-4	10	7	9	9	10	9
	AT	-6	01-04	9	27	09-98	7	8	6	8	5	3	7	5	3	6	5	2
	PL⁽ⁿ⁾	-13	07-04	-7	1	08-05	-5	-4	-8	-8	-2	-6	0	-4	-3	-4	1	-1
	PT	-32	08-05	2	37	08-03	-14	-9	-5	-10	-7	-6	-8	-16	-21	-15	-32	-17
	SI	-9	08-03	9	24	09-05	11	10	14	16	19	18	21	20	18	23	19	24
	SK	-67	12-04	-44	-16	05-02	-52	-52	-67	-41	-46	-44	-53	-43	-48	-47	-38	-36
	FI	-31	11-96	23	82	07-00	3	1	10	-12	24	11	3	3	16	5	18	17
	SE	-35	11-01	11	62	09-00	9	0	3	8	2	11	11	11	22	12	1	

		Consumer opinion on economic and financial conditions (s.a.) ^{(a)(b)}																	
CONSUMER CONFIDENCE INDICATOR		Since 01/1990				2004					2005								
		Min. Value	Ave. Date	Max. Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.		
CONSUMER CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EU	-27	03-93	-11	2	12-00	-11	-10	-10	-10	-10	-11	-12	-13	-12	-12	-12	-12	
	Euro area	-29	07-93	-12	2	05-00	-13	-13	-13	-13	-14	-13	-15	-15	-15	-15	-15	-15	
	BE	-27	08-93	-6	17	12-00	-2	-4	-4	-6	-3	-1	-4	-11	-11	-11	-11	-10	
	CZ	-36	03-98	-15	1	04-01	-11	-10	-5	-4	-5	-2	-6	-3	-2	-2	-4	0	
	DK	-11	10-90	6	17	02-95	11	13	14	14	16	17	14	14	14	13	13	15	
	DE	-28	10-93	-11	6	05-00	-18	-17	-16	-12	-15	-18	-15	-14	-15	-17	-15	-14	
	EE	-56	04-93	-23	0	03-03	-11	-7	-11	-12	-10	-5	-8	-8	-6	-2	-4	-10	
	EL	-44	07-03	-30	-6	04-00	-25	-27	-28	-32	-32	-33	-35	-31	-36	-32	-33	-35	
	ES	-37	10-92	-11	6	03-00	-11	-10	-9	-9	-10	-10	-11	-11	-12	-11	-11	:	
	FR	-34	08-93	-18	4	01-01	-11	-13	-13	-17	-14	-14	-17	-21	-17	-16	-15	-13	
	IE	-31	03-93	-4	19	01-00	9	2	8	7	4	7	1	-1	1	4	1	-4	
	IT	-38	04-93	-13	2	06-01	-18	-14	-16	-16	-18	-18	-16	-17	-19	-21	-21	-21	
	CY	-43	07-04	-29	-13	06-01	-34	-38	-41	-34	-36	-35	-38	-35	-39	-41	-40	-40	
	LV	-45	02-93	-24	-7	09-01	-19	-19	-18	-16	-12	-11	-14	-12	-14	-16	-14	-15	
	LT	-32	05-01	-14	-1	10-04	-1	-2	-3	-5	-3	-5	-1	-4	-3	-4	-6	-7	
	LU	-4	09-05	3	14	02-02	4	7	8	6	2	4	3	2	-2	-1	-1	-4	
	HU	-58	04-95	-29	0	08-02	-24	-25	-23	-21	-21	-24	-28	-30	-32	-27	-26	-24	
	NL	-19	07-93	4	31	03-00	-3	-3	-8	-4	-4	-3	2	-4	-5	-4	-7	-7	
	AT	-16	04-96	-1	11	07-00	-1	-3	-3	1	-3	-2	0	-3	-3	-4	-4	-5	
	PL	-40	08-01	-30	-18	04-05	-24	-22	-19	-20	-19	-18	-18	-21	-23	-23	-22	-20	
	PT	-49	03-03	-23	-1	07-91	-34	-34	-36	-35	-34	-31	-30	-31	-39	-42	-42	-41	
	SI	-29	06-99	-19	-9	10-04	-9	-14	-18	-20	-13	-15	-13	-13	-18	-17	-21		
	SK	-50	08-99	-31	-9	06-05	-25	-16	-12	-13	-13	-13	-10	-12	-9	-12	-14	-24	
	FI	6	11-01	15	23	02-00	14	14	16	13	16	17	14	14	10	12	15	13	
	SE	-10	09-96	7	25	03-00	8	7	10	8	8	7	6	5	3	3	4	6	
	UK	-28	10-92	-8	7	10-97	-2	0	0	0	0	3	0	-3	-3	-1	-2	-3	
FINANCIAL SITUATION OF HOUSEHOLDS OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	EU	-10	12-93	-1	5	04-01	-1	-1	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	-1	-1	-1	-2	
	Euro area	-11	07-93	-2	5	03-00	-4	-4	-3	-3	-2	-3	-3	-4	-4	-5	-5		
	BE	-9	12-93	2	13	08-00	8	5	6	5	7	6	4	3	3	3	3	1	
	CZ	-32	02-98	-10	2	05-02	-9	-6	-4	-4	-3	-3	-6	-2	-3	0	-2	-4	
	DK	2	12-90	12	39	10-00	11	14	14	15	15	17	15	15	15	17	17	14	
	DE	-15	02-94	-5	4	05-00	-8	-6	-5	-2	-3	-4	-4	-6	-6	-7	-6	-8	
	EE	-38	04-93	-10	11	01-03	-2	3	-2	-3	-2	3	1	2	4	9	5	-6	
	EL	-31	08-92	-15	10	04-00	-10	-14	-13	-17	-17	-19	-20	-17	-22	-18	-20	-24	
	ES	-16	10-92	1	10	10-99	-1	-1	2	0	-1	-1	-2	-1	-2	0	:	:	
	FR	-12	12-95	-1	6	01-01	0	-2	-1	-3	-2	-1	-2	-3	-2	-2	-1	0	
	IE	-13	02-93	1	16	01-00	6	0	4	4	2	4	-1	-1	1	1	-1	-5	
	IT	-15	04-93	-1	7	07-01	-4	-3	-3	-4	-4	-4	-2	-2	-3	-4	-4	-4	
	CY	-35	06-04	-15	0	06-01	-23	-26	-28	-24	-27	-25	-30	-27	-25	-32	-31	-32	
	LV	-29	09-93	-8	9	08-02	-2	-2	-3	2	3	6	4	6	2	3	2	-1	
	LT	-10	10-01	-1	7	06-05	7	6	5	2	3	4	6	2	7	5	4	3	
	LU	1	09-05	6	12	06-02	5	7	6	6	4	9	3	7	3	3	3	1	
	HU	-63	04-95	-22	16	08-02	-10	-12	-12	-7	-7	-10	-13	-16	-18	-11	-9	-9	
	NL	-11	12-04	4	16	12-99	-5	-5	-11	-5	-5	-6	-2	-5	-7	-3	-10	-10	
	AT	-18	04-96	-4	4	04-99	-4	-9	-5	-1	-1	-2	-2	-3	-3	-4	-4	-8	
	PL	-20	08-01	-11	-3	04-05	-7	-6	-3	-5	-3	-3	-5	-8	-8	-6	-5	-5	
	PT	-26	03-03	-8	11	01-92	-15	-16	-17	-16	-18	-15	-15	-14	-21	-23	-23	-23	
	SI	-30	06-99	-11	-2	11-96	-2	-7	-4	-7	-4	-6	-4	-4	-10	-9	-6	-11	
	SK	-44	08-99	-24	-7	06-05	-23	-12	-10	-11	-8	-10	-8	-9	-7	-9	-13	-22	
	FI	-8	04-93	6	13	10-04	13	12	12	10	13	11	11	11	10	12	12	9	
	SE	-13	09-96	7	18	07-02	14	13	16	15	12	16	12	14	14	13	13	13	
	UK	-23	03-90	2	16	09-02	9	10	8	10	10	11	10	10	9	10	11	10	
GENERAL ECONOMIC SITUATION OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	EU	-32	03-93	-12	1	04-00	-12	-12	-12	-11	-10	-12	-15	-15	-17	-15	-15	-15	
	Euro area	-35	03-93	-13	4	04-00	-13	-14	-14	-13	-13	-13	-14	-17	-17	-19	-18	-16	
	BE	-46	07-93	-11	20	06-00	-1	-3	-2	-5	-1	2	-5	-16	-18	-18	-13	-22	
	CZ	-40	09-97	-12	8	10-95	-9	-10	-2	2	2	2	0	1	3	3	3	8	
	DK	-23	02-99	-2	23	07-01	7	7	6	6	10	13	5	6	6	2	5	6	
	DE	-41	03-93	-16	6	02-99	-23	-22	-20	-16	-19	-23	-21	-20	-21	-24	-20	-19	
	EE	-38	04-93	-4	25	03-03	8	10	6	8	11	11	7	8	5	9	8	-4	
	EL	-37	12-03	-16	17	01-00	-11	-16	-15	-20	-21	-19	-24	-20	-29	-21	-25	-24	
	ES	-38	10-92	-5	11	08-97	-5	-6	-2	-2	-4	-5	-7	-9	-9	-7	:	:	
	FR	-37	01-91	-17	5	01-01	-11	-15	-14	-18	-15	-10	-17	-26	-15	-22	-17	-11	
	IE	-33	12-02	-2	22	01-00	11	2	7	6	0	6	-3	-3	-5	-1	-7	-15	
	IT	-40	04-93	-9	13	02-95	-11	-6	-10	-11	-12	-12	-10	-14	-20	-20	-19	-20	
	CY	-45	06-04	-23	-7	05-01	-28	-34	-41	-32	-31	-33	-38	-35	-31	-35	-34	-32	
	LV	-27	06-95	-7	11	05-03	-2	-5	-4	0	6	9	3	5	0	-3	-2	-3	
	LT	-18	05-01	2	16	10-04	16	13	12	9	10	8	11	9	8	6	1	-4	
	LU	-30	09-05	-7	7	02-02	-2	0	-1	1	-5	0	-4	-7	-20	-16	-20	-30	
	HU	-53	04-95	-14	19	08-02	-8	-10	-8	-5	-5	-8	-13	-16	-18	-11	-7	-8	
	NL	-42	03-93	-8	26	03-00	-6	-9	-16	-13	-6	-4	4	-6	-11	-6	-14	-12	
	AT	-26	04-96	-6	8	11-99	-6	-7	-8	-2	-6	-4	-4	-8	-7	-10	-10	-13	
	PL	-35	08-01	-22	-5	04-05	-17	-16	-10	-10	-7	-7	-5	-11	-12	-8	-8	-8	
	PT	-52	03-03	-16	12	01-92	-27	-27	-30	-29	-24	-18	-17	-18	-35	-38	-39	-38	
	SI	-21	02-04	-9	7	10-04	7	-2	-3	-5	0	-4	4	1	-5	-7</			

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		2004												2005					
		Since 01/1990																	
		Min.	Ave.	Max.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.			
SAVINGS	EU	-15	08-93	-4	4	04-01	-4	-2	-3	-3	-4	-4	-4	-3	-4	-3	-3	-3	
OVER NEXT	Euro area	-14	08-93	-5	4	03-01	-8	-5	-6	-7	-8	-9	-8	-7	-7	-9	-7	-7	
12 MONTHS	BE	-2	12-93	13	31	06-98	15	13	17	15	16	16	17	13	14	12	11	6	
Component of the consumer confidence indicator	CZ	-16	03-98	-4	11	08-03	-1	2	2	6	2	5	0	-1	4	0	1	10	
	DK	-3	01-90	23	39	04-05	36	35	36	37	37	38	39	38	39	39	32	36	
	DE	-5	03-03	7	23	08-90	1	3	4	5	5	0	2	1	-1	-2	1	-1	
	EE	-69	10-93	-50	-11	08-01	-40	-36	-39	-37	-36	-28	-32	-33	-29	-24	-27	-31	
	EL	-57	07-95	-44	-23	01-00	-37	-38	-44	-47	-47	-45	-48	-48	-47	-47	-45	-48	
	ES	-34	01-90	-19	0	07-00	-25	-24	-23	-25	-24	-20	-23	-22	-25	-25	-25	:	
	FR	-36	03-96	-23	-7	04-04	-8	-9	-12	-16	-15	-14	-18	-15	-14	-13	-12	-11	
	IE	-32	03-93	-1	28	02-02	21	15	19	21	20	21	19	17	20	19	21	18	
	IT	-39	10-04	-16	2	03-91	-39	-29	-32	-30	-35	-36	-29	-24	-21	-29	-32	-29	
	CY	-55	06-02	-41	-13	06-01	-47	-46	-45	-38	-43	-38	-42	-33	-49	-46	-48	-42	
	LV	-90	03-96	-56	13	01-94	-52	-54	-53	-52	-50	-50	-52	-48	-50	-50	-49	-52	
	LT	-55	05-01	-46	-35	04-05	-41	-42	-39	-42	-40	-43	-35	-42	-42	-38	-42	-44	
	LU	40	05-05	47	55	04-02	45	53	52	46	46	44	46	40	53	46	48	48	
	HU	-70	11-95	-53	-19	01-00	-46	-47	-45	-45	-45	-44	-47	-48	-50	-44	-46	-45	
	NL	17	09-05	38	55	10-99	29	28	26	32	24	22	25	24	29	21	22	17	
	AT	-11	11-00	32	55	03-02	30	35	31	33	27	27	29	29	33	30	32	32	
	PL	-67	09-03	-51	-22	09-01	-53	-50	-52	-52	-50	-49	-50	-49	-48	-53	-53	-51	
	PT	-54	08-05	-34	-14	01-92	-50	-50	-50	-50	-51	-51	-49	-48	-51	-51	-54	-53	
	SI	-52	06-99	-28	-15	06-03	-24	-25	-26	-25	-25	-18	-22	-20	-25	-21	-22	-17	
	SK	-70	08-01	-42	-29	08-00	-46	-38	-35	-36	-37	-41	-34	-35	-32	-37	-31	-40	
	FI	19	01-96	38	53	05-04	48	52	52	46	50	51	49	53	50	49	51	51	
	SE	11	06-98	29	46	06-00	31	30	31	28	30	33	29	26	29	31	29	31	
	UK	-26	10-92	-5	17	03-05	14	17	14	15	14	17	12	14	16	17	16	16	
UNEMPLOYMENT	EU	-2	12-00	26	56	03-93	26	26	26	25	26	27	26	28	30	27	29	27	
OVER NEXT	Euro area	-3	01-01	28	60	08-93	29	29	29	28	30	31	29	31	33	30	31	30	
12 MONTHS	BE	-19	12-00	28	63	10-93	31	31	35	37	33	30	32	43	44	42	41	41	
Component of the consumer confidence indicator	CZ	4	05-01	35	64	03-99	24	24	17	21	19	14	18	9	13	9	17	14	
	DK	-19	11-97	8	38	12-92	10	5	2	2	-2	-1	3	3	5	3	2	-5	
	DE	-3	01-01	30	58	10-93	41	42	41	34	43	44	37	31	35	34	33	30	
	EE	0	07-05	34	80	04-93	12	7	8	15	14	6	6	8	5	0	2	1	
	EL	24	04-90	44	62	12-98	42	42	40	43	43	47	47	40	46	42	41	43	
	ES	-8	03-00	18	67	01-93	15	9	12	8	10	12	11	13	13	12	:	:	
	FR	-14	01-01	31	64	03-03	26	25	26	32	25	32	32	40	38	27	29	32	
	IE	-29	12-99	15	58	04-92	2	8	-1	4	7	4	11	17	12	4	8	15	
	IT	-2	06-01	27	70	04-93	16	18	20	19	21	22	22	26	32	32	31	29	
	CY	26	05-01	37	53	09-05	39	44	48	41	42	46	43	46	50	50	49	53	
	LV	6	09-05	27	54	01-93	19	17	14	13	6	8	12	9	8	12	6	6	
	LT	-17	06-05	9	46	05-01	-13	-15	-11	-12	-14	-11	-13	-15	-17	-13	-13	-15	
	LU	14	02-02	34	45	06-03	33	31	27	27	37	36	33	31	42	36	36	37	
	HU	-3	07-98	28	59	02-93	32	30	27	26	27	33	36	40	44	41	40	35	
	NL	-35	07-98	18	77	03-93	31	26	32	28	28	25	19	29	33	29	26	23	
	AT	-9	11-00	27	49	12-96	26	31	28	27	32	29	24	30	29	33	33	32	
	PL	12	01-05	38	64	05-01	20	18	12	12	15	15	14	21	24	20	16	16	
	PT	-10	08-97	33	73	10-93	44	46	46	43	40	40	42	48	55	53	51	51	
	SI	7	09-01	26	44	09-05	17	21	38	40	24	31	28	29	31	33	34	44	
	SK	-4	01-05	26	68	08-99	9	4	-2	-4	-1	-1	-3	-3	-4	-3	2	8	
	FI	-31	01-95	-1	42	07-91	11	10	5	7	3	3	7	9	14	13	7	6	
	SE	-26	03-00	7	39	11-01	16	17	11	10	10	18	13	17	24	24	21	14	
	UK	-11	04-98	21	53	02-91	19	18	15	16	17	16	21	23	22	21	24	24	
FINANCIAL SITUATION	EU	-19	01-94	-10	-2	05-00	-11	-11	-11	-11	-11	-11	-11	-12	-12	-13	-12	-12	
OF HOUSEHOLDS	Euro area	-20	02-03	-11	-1	05-90	-13	-14	-14	-14	-13	-14	-14	-15	-15	-16	-15	-15	
OVER LAST 12 MONTHS	BE	-16	12-93	-6	4	11-00	-7	-3	-4	-5	-4	-4	-5	-8	-4	-7	-7	-7	
	CZ	-30	02-98	-15	-5	05-96	-17	-16	-13	-13	-10	-10	-15	-11	-8	-10	-11	-11	
	DK	-5	04-01	6	16	02-05	11	12	14	13	16	16	14	10	10	12	14	12	
	DE	-31	12-02	-12	4	05-90	-13	-12	-12	-11	-11	-11	-12	-12	-13	-15	-12	-13	
	EE	-54	04-93	-17	6	07-05	-6	-2	-4	-1	-1	3	0	-1	1	6	5	-3	
	EL	-43	01-93	-28	-6	04-00	-25	-27	-30	-30	-29	-28	-28	-27	-34	-31	-31	-29	
	ES	-28	01-94	-8	4	04-00	-8	-8	-7	-8	-9	-11	-10	-10	-9	-9	:	:	
	FR	-18	06-96	-10	-2	01-01	-9	-10	-11	-12	-11	-13	-12	-14	-14	-13	-12	-12	
	IE	-25	02-93	-7	11	04-00	-4	-6	-2	-1	-2	0	-6	-3	-5	-4	-5	-7	
	IT	-30	02-04	-14	-1	05-90	-21	-25	-25	-24	-23	-23	-23	-26	-27	-27	-25	-23	
	CY	-34	07-04	-17	-5	07-03	-24	-26	-26	-23	-24	-25	-29	-29	-27	-31	-29	-32	
	LV	-57	01-93	-23	-3	05-05	-10	-11	-13	-8	-6	-5	-7	-3	-8	-6	-8	-8	
	LT	-29	06-01	-13	2	07-05	-1	-4	-4	-2	-3	-1	-1	0	2	-1	-2	-2	
	LU	-2	02-04	2	8	01-02	-1	2	3	2	0	-1	-1	4	1	1	0	-1	
	HU	-65	11-95	-36	0	08-02	-28	-24	-26	-25	-26	-22	-26	-29	-30	-25	-25	-25	
	NL	-25	03-05	1	17	02-00	-19	-20	-21	-21	-23	-25	-23	-21	-18	-19	-21	-22	
	AT	-23	11-02	-13	-2	08-99	-18	-18	-20	-18	-17	-14	-16	-16	-16	-15	-15	-18	
	PL	-35	08-01	-25	-13	05-05	-19	-18	-18	-16	-17	-15	-15	-13	-18	-19	-17	-16	
	PT	-29	04-03	-13	3	01-92	-19	-19	-20	-21	-21	-21	-19	-20	-22	-24	-24	-25	
	SI	-36	06-99	-26	-14	05-05	-24	-27	-25	-17	-19	-20	-17	-14	-18	-19	-20	-21	
	SK	-43	10																

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		Since 01/1990												2004												2005																	
		Min.		Ave.		Max.		Oct.			Nov.			Dec.			Jan.			Feb.			Mar.			Apr.			May			June			July			Aug.			Sep.		
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.																								
GENERAL ECONOMIC SITUATION OVER LAST 12 MONTHS	EU	-55	03-93	-27	-4	05-00		-31	-32	-30	-29	-28	-29	-30	-31	-34	-35	-34	-34																								
	Euro area	-58	07-93	-29	-2	05-00		-34	-36	-34	-34	-33	-34	-36	-37	-40	-41	-40	-40																								
	BE	-61	08-93	-25	22	12-00		-21	-19	-19	-20	-14	-11	-17	-29	-37	-37	-36	-32																								
	CZ	-54	12-97	-21	3	10-95		-22	-19	-17	-11	-11	-7	-10	-7	-3	-5	-4	-1																								
	DK	-25	04-93	0	22	09-95		9	10	15	14	16	19	16	15	15	18	20	19																								
	DE	-60	05-03	-27	12	01-90		-40	-41	-37	-33	-34	-39	-40	-37	-42	-42	-39	-40																								
	EE	-72	10-92	-12	20	01-03		8	8	7	11	7	12	5	8	8	11	7	6																								
	EL	-50	05-90	-31	6	05-00		-25	-30	-31	-33	-33	-30	-30	-28	-38	-32	-37	-34																								
	ES	-61	08-93	-16	13	03-00		-16	-16	-12	-13	-15	-16	-18	-16	-18	-16	:	:																								
	FR	-57	10-96	-36	-1	01-01		-34	-36	-36	-39	-37	-37	-40	-42	-38	-46	-42	-37																								
	IE	-59	03-93	-5	42	08-99		2	-2	5	7	4	7	-1	-2	-3	2	-4	-12																								
	IT	-74	04-93	-38	-8	05-90		-44	-50	-48	-48	-46	-47	-51	-55	-61	-60	-54	-55																								
	CY	-41	07-04	-26	-13	01-02		-34	-34	-39	-32	-31	-32	-38	-37	-30	-31	-31	-32																								
	LV	-59	01-93	-24	3	12-03		-12	-13	-15	-11	-6	-6	-11	-6	-13	-14	-16	-16																								
	LT	-41	05-01	-11	6	10-04		6	4	4	3	4	3	5	2	4	4	-1	-6																								
	LU	-36	06-03	-23	-2	01-02		-19	-14	-16	-11	-20	-16	-20	-15	-23	-23	-26	-28																								
	HU	-71	04-95	-32	6	09-02		-26	-26	-26	-22	-24	-22	-28	-32	-33	-25	-23	-21																								
	NL	-73	03-03	-13	45	03-00		-40	-41	-45	-44	-40	-35	-30	-32	-37	-39	-41	-41																								
	AT	-50	02-97	-24	8	07-00		-24	-22	-28	-22	-28	-25	-22	-24	-26	-29	-31	-31																								
	PL	-55	09-01	-40	-14	08-05		-31	-30	-24	-22	-21	-20	-17	-20	-22	-19	-14	-18																								
	PT	-60	03-03	-25	13	10-91		-43	-45	-50	-51	-51	-49	-46	-44	-49	-54	-55	-55																								
	SI	-39	09-98	-28	-14	04-05		-19	-25	-29	-26	-19	-22	-14	-16	-22	-24	-31	-31																								
	SK	-69	10-99	-41	-10	06-05		-31	-27	-19	-22	-16	-11	-12	-13	-10	-13	-13	-21																								
	FI	-65	01-92	-4	30	08-98		5	5	6	4	7	7	2	-1	-6	-4	2	-2																								
	SE	-25	04-03	-6	25	03-00		-4	-1	-2	1	-2	-4	-6	-6	-9	-10	-6	-7																								
	UK	-67	11-92	-25	5	10-97		-22	-21	-18	-17	-14	-13	-13	-14	-19	-17	-19	-23																								
SAVINGS AT PRESENT ^(c)	EU	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:																								
	Euro area	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:																								
	BE	-45	12-03	43	70	02-01		-22	-26	-25	-27	-24	-29	-28	-10	-16	-20	-28	-32																								
	CZ	-35	01-03	-15	15	03-01		-17	-20	-21	-19	-19	-18	-20	-20	-21	-16	-18	-12																								
	DK	51	01-90	65	78	07-92		74	75	74	73	68	71	69	73	73	69	67	69																								
	DE	29	11-92	45	61	09-02		43	46	46	45	45	42	44	42	45	43	45	45																								
	EE	-58	09-96	-37	-14	08-01		-29	-24	-29	-29	-27	-23	-23	-27	-23	-23	-24	-26																								
	EL	-64	09-05	-46	-18	01-00		-54	-54	-58	-61	-64	-61	-60	-60	-62	-63	-59	-64																								
	ES	-33	12-03	28	59	08-96		-24	-20	-27	-20	-18	-19	-20	-21	-24	-21	:	:																								
	FR	8	11-04	42	61	06-95		12	8	10	15	14	15	17	12	13	9	11	13																								
	IE	-2	03-93	21	56	12-01		28	27	39	38	35	44	38	34	37	37	39	31																								
	IT	26	06-04	45	59	06-96		35	38	40	40	46	47	46	46	56	54	51	54																								
	CY	-37	07-04	-13	9	06-01		-24	-20	-10	-7	-2	9	-7	-4	-11	-16	-23	-7																								
	LV	-78	12-95	-58	-28	09-01		-50	-52	-54	-49	-50	-49	-53	-53	-55	-53	-50	-56																								
	LT	-49	09-05	-38	-27	05-02		-34	-39	-36	-37	-41	-40	-40	-44	-43	-46	-48	-49																								
	LU	45	04-03	54	63	01-03		53	51	55	54	59	59	57	50	58	57	58	55																								
	HU	-83	11-95	-65	-28	12-00		-52	-53	-58	-54	-51	-54	-52	-54	-57	-52	-55	-53																								
	NL	47	06-91	61	70	09-96		64	68	70	64	61	62	63	59	64	62	62	63																								
	AT	17	12-96	42	64	09-02		55	55	56	57	52	51	52	53	51	54	54	55																								
	PL	-49	09-01	-37	-29	06-01		-40	-34	-31	-38	-35	-30	-34	-33	-33	-34	-38	-32																								
	PT	-64	07-05	-40	-13	01-92		-61	-62	-63	-61	-63	-62	-63	-60	-63	-64	-63	-64																								
	SI	-25	09-97	-12	-1	08-04		-6	-2	-4	-7	-9	-5	-3	-1	-7	-5	-2	-3																								
	SK	-55	10-04	-47	-36	03-00		-55	-49	-49	-50	-50	-46	-47	-48	-47	-49	-50	-51																								
	FI	-23	04-94	3	22	10-92		14	14	16	14	15	16	18	13	14	13	14	12																								
	SE	-9	09-01	6	20	01-00		0	1	3	-2	-1	-1	1	2	3	2	5	4																								
	UK	-16	03-03	12	36	05-90		25	23	22	25	24	28	28	25	25	26	22	26																								
MAJOR PURCHASES OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	EU	-21	07-93	-16	-10	03-00		-18	-18	-17	-17	-17	-17	-16	-18	-17	-17	-16	-17																								
	Euro area	-21	07-93	-17	-12	03-00		-19	-20	-19	-18	-18	-18	-19	-18	-18	-18	-17	-18																								
	BE	-29	10-96	-16	-6	10-03		-10	-16	-17	-14	-14	-14	-16	-14	-14	-14	-14	-13																								
	CZ	-36	01-01	-24	-7	05-02		-16	-15	-10	-14	-11	-17	-8	-16	-9	-10	-11	-14																								
	DK	-14	01-93	-6	1	11-04		1	1	-2	0	0	0	1	-2	-4	-1	1	0																								
	DE	-39	02-03	-26	-14	01-90		-33	-33	-30	-30	-29	-31	-30	-29	-30	-28	-29																									
	EE	-64	10-92	-25	-5	04-03		-16	-13	-9	-10	-12	-15	-11	-16	-14	-8	-9	-11																								
	EL	-50	11-92	-23	5	06-03		-24	-23	-26	-23	-21	-21	-21	-22	-18	-32	-32	-49																								
	ES	-48	11-93	-24	-7	11-00		-20	-26	-25	-23	-26	-23	-20	-23	-20	-22	:	:																								
	FR	-6	04-04	0	1	09-99		-4	-5	-5	-3	-4	-5	-4	-5	-5	-5	-5	-5																								
	IE	-20	05-93	-9	2	12-00		-7	-4	-6	-6	-4	-3	-6	-3	-4	-5	-6	-7																								
	IT	-23	10-92	-17	-9	04-05		-14	-13	-12	-13	-9	-11	-9	-14	-15	-12	-13	-14																								
	CY	-5	03-04	12	39	03-03		16	17	17	7	4	2	10	7	4	-3	5	5																								
	LV	-84	03-96	-42	17	09-05		-4	-6	0	3	-1	6	1	5	4	6	14	17																								
	LT	-18	12-02	-10	-2	11-04		-5	-2	-5	-6	-9	-5	-6	-4	-3	-3	-2	-3																								
	LU	-19	06-05	-13	-6	01-02		-14	-14	-16	-11	-12	-12	-12	-18	-19	-11	-13	-17																								
	HU	-69	06-95	-37	-8	08-02		-25	-22	-26	-23	-22	-22	-24	-29	-28	-25	-24																									

TABLE 4 (continued) :

Consumer opinion on economic and financial conditions (s.a.)^(a)

MAJOR PURCHASES AT PRESENT	EU	Since 01/1990			2004			2005									
		Min.	Ave.	Max.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
PRICE TRENDS OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	EU	-22	07-93	-11	6	01-00	-15	-15	-13	-12	-12	-13	-13	-14	-14	-13	-13
	Euro area	-28	03-03	-15	6	03-99	-21	-21	-22	-20	-19	-18	-20	-18	-21	-21	-21
	BE	-40	06-97	-4	26	12-00	16	17	20	18	19	19	20	16	11	12	19
	CZ	-33	05-95	0	34	07-03	11	4	9	9	14	13	24	20	25	18	21
	DK	-27	01-93	-7	10	09-97	-3	-3	0	0	-5	1	-7	-10	-11	-5	-2
	DE	-31	11-02	-11	6	04-99	-19	-20	-19	-15	-14	-13	-18	-14	-17	-14	-12
	EE	0	04-01	14	48	04-04	30	31	39	36	37	36	38	38	42	39	37
	EL	-67	01-03	-35	-10	01-01	-41	-45	-49	-46	-45	-37	-44	-45	-59	-50	-51
	ES	-64	06-93	-17	26	11-99	-31	-27	-30	-20	-22	-19	-22	-22	-23	-23	:
	FR	-39	12-95	-14	14	07-00	-9	-11	-13	-14	-9	-11	-9	-12	-15	-19	-16
	IE	-22	04-92	14	40	09-97	18	20	19	26	21	28	22	26	24	19	19
	IT	-64	11-96	-33	-2	05-90	-47	-48	-51	-49	-53	-51	-53	-44	-41	-47	-50
	CY	-19	10-01	0	24	11-04	12	24	8	3	-4	-9	-5	1	1	-3	-9
	LV	-81	06-96	-42	11	08-05	0	-2	-4	5	1	-1	2	2	1	11	9
	LT	-10	05-01	19	40	04-04	30	33	35	30	33	39	34	36	39	38	40
	LU	-17	06-04	-9	0	06-05	-12	-7	-3	-2	-7	-7	-8	-4	0	-9	-10
	HU	-87	06-96	-56	-9	10-02	-16	-23	-24	-17	-16	-17	-15	-21	-18	-14	-17
	NL	-39	04-03	6	54	02-00	-30	-30	-33	-24	-28	-26	-26	-26	-33	-29	-32
	AT	-14	07-02	7	29	08-99	-10	-6	-3	-6	-7	-6	-5	-3	-2	-7	-5
	PL	-27	11-01	-10	3	11-03	-8	-8	-7	-2	-7	-4	-2	-2	-1	-3	-2
	PT	-64	09-05	-32	-2	01-92	-56	-58	-58	-56	-58	-57	-58	-57	-60	-58	-62
	SI	-50	04-97	-22	10	05-99	-3	-8	-11	-6	-9	-8	-5	-1	-1	3	-8
	SK	-25	02-04	-10	4	08-99	-18	-14	-15	-13	-13	-15	-15	-10	-11	-10	-14
	FI	-27	04-90	17	39	08-03	23	25	21	27	27	26	24	26	26	26	22
	SE	2	11-95	18	36	08-05	25	24	26	28	29	30	29	27	27	28	36
	UK	-22	05-90	8	28	11-02	5	7	13	8	14	12	12	5	6	9	7
PRICE TRENDS OVER LAST 12 MONTHS	EU	6	06-03	23	49	01-91	10	10	7	8	9	9	10	11	11	16	13
	Euro area	3	04-04	23	51	01-91	7	8	6	8	9	9	10	12	13	17	13
	BE	-4	09-02	20	46	10-01	19	18	12	13	14	15	20	17	18	17	23
	CZ	11	05-05	45	72	03-98	35	36	29	17	15	18	14	11	15	24	25
	DK	-29	08-93	-11	28	08-02	-2	-7	-2	-8	-19	-15	-9	-14	-14	-8	-7
	DE	5	12-04	32	58	03-91	11	7	5	8	8	9	9	9	11	19	14
	EE	23	04-93	49	88	05-04	41	47	56	56	53	51	56	51	55	57	60
	EL	0	03-04	38	60	05-90	23	24	15	17	18	19	17	17	36	33	38
	ES	-4	11-98	14	36	01-02	22	18	19	21	16	18	23	28	27	27	:
	FR	-13	08-97	11	54	01-91	4	12	8	10	15	13	11	17	15	20	15
	IE	6	01-94	22	42	10-00	19	22	11	20	20	15	21	24	23	27	30
	IT	-23	12-04	21	62	02-91	-20	-20	-23	-17	-12	-12	-9	-7	-13	-9	-8
	CY	28	09-03	48	68	09-02	44	42	47	39	37	36	45	43	38	47	47
	LV	16	03-00	32	70	03-04	46	45	47	41	41	39	45	46	52	50	49
	LT	14	02-03	43	75	05-04	51	57	57	54	52	51	48	56	55	62	64
	LU	3	06-03	14	26	03-03	18	20	20	11	16	16	15	19	20	19	25
	HU	34	07-98	50	65	05-95	51	50	51	49	46	46	49	47	50	49	46
	NL	-28	12-02	24	60	01-91	7	10	14	9	12	16	4	8	12	13	18
	AT	-19	12-95	14	41	09-01	27	31	21	26	23	21	26	26	29	31	29
	PL	7	04-05	32	54	04-04	32	29	26	23	16	16	7	19	21	24	32
	PT	-9	08-97	33	56	03-03	40	37	38	36	36	37	36	32	50	48	47
	SI	16	01-05	42	62	04-00	19	24	22	16	20	19	19	17	28	31	29
	SK	20	05-05	51	78	11-02	40	29	28	27	28	23	26	20	21	21	32
	FI	-21	12-95	11	40	09-01	16	13	13	20	19	21	24	20	24	25	26
	SE	-14	03-05	12	34	04-03	19	15	6	8	9	-14	3	0	4	8	13
	UK	5	03-05	26	57	09-90	14	14	10	5	6	5	7	6	7	11	9
PRICE TRENDS OVER LAST 12 MONTHS	EU	-5	03-99	23	46	01-03	27	30	29	28	29	28	29	27	28	26	29
	Euro area	-4	01-99	27	62	01-03	35	38	37	37	38	38	39	37	36	38	38
	BE	-1	06-98	34	56	09-05	51	54	52	54	55	53	56	54	52	53	56
	CZ	-33	08-03	24	63	03-98	-3	-11	-13	-15	-17	-16	-17	-22	-16	-13	-13
	DK	-51	09-93	-25	-1	02-90	-29	-33	-29	-30	-35	-33	-28	-28	-29	-30	-24
	DE	-3	03-99	31	74	08-02	25	25	23	20	23	22	25	20	21	25	32
	EE	-1	04-03	34	58	09-05	44	52	51	52	48	52	52	53	50	49	52
	EL	5	06-99	41	76	08-03	64	69	68	67	67	66	61	55	64	66	69
	ES	-5	06-97	30	65	03-03	53	54	52	51	52	53	52	52	52	52	:
	FR	-23	01-99	13	54	01-04	39	45	46	47	49	51	49	50	50	48	44
	IE	-3	07-97	30	66	12-02	46	51	40	45	42	40	42	38	36	44	45
	IT	0	05-97	36	70	11-03	34	45	43	45	43	41	43	46	42	45	37
	CY	21	08-01	41	62	02-04	61	54	61	51	47	41	51	50	46	42	50
	LV	-31	09-96	24	63	09-05	52	50	48	51	50	53	55	62	62	58	60
	LT	-17	10-03	9	40	09-05	24	27	28	24	26	24	25	32	26	31	35
	LU	21	01-02	38	46	01-04	40	38	39	41	40	42	45	38	44	38	40
	HU	9	12-02	41	71	06-95	27	26	25	19	20	20	23	22	25	20	18
	NL	-3	04-90	28	89	12-02	27	27	33	34	33	31	33	30	20	24	27
	AT	-48	02-96	6	46	01-03	35	42	36	39	35	39	42	40	38	40	36
	PL	-4	05-03	18	45	10-04	45	43	39	37	33	31	24	29	29	24	29
	PT	-6	08-97	38	61	10-90	44	43	46	43	42	41	42	40	42	47	48
	SI	14	01-05	42	65	06-02	24	28	31	14	14	19	21	17	16	25	22
	SK	11	08-05	42	69	10-99	37	34	32	24	17	14	14	12	13	13	20
	FI	-59	11-95	-15	3	04-02											

TABLE 5: Monthly survey of retail trade (s.a.) ^{(a)(b)}

	2004												2005					
	Since 01/1990																	
	Min.	Ave.	Max.		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
RETAIL TRADE CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EU	-19	12-92	-8	4	07-90	-4	-8	-6	-5	-7	-9	-9	-9	-11	-13	-10	-9
	Euro area	-21	03-93	-9	8	08-90	-7	-10	-7	-6	-8	-10	-8	-8	-9	-10	-9	-8
	BE	-25	05-93	-6	13	04-90	-1	-3	-2	1	-2	-10	-4	-10	-7	-10	-8	-9
	CZ	-1	02-99	14	26	08-02	25	23	17	17	20	19	14	15	16	16	15	19
	DK	-6	10-01	17	37	11-94	28	26	29	28	28	31	29	28	25	26	27	26
	DE	-44	01-03	-18	21	02-91	-23	-27	-19	-17	-22	-30	-25	-23	-22	-25	-23	-25
	EE	-1	04-03	17	30	04-04	21	20	14	18	20	22	25	22	22	28	21	22
	EL	-24	06-95	1	27	03-04	14	9	8	13	5	9	10	4	2	-1	1	5
	ES	-36	02-93	-7	10	06-00	-11	-11	-10	-10	-12	-7	-2	-1	-6	-4	-4	-5
	FR	-37	04-97	-16	6	10-04	6	-1	1	-2	-3	0	1	-3	-5	-11	-9	-6
	IE	-21	05-03	3	24	06-00	1	-7	-1	-4	-8	-3	-11	-8	-1	-5	2	-10
	IT	-19	10-96	8	39	10-95	6	7	5	10	14	12	3	13	6	16	19	24
	CY	-14	04-03	-5	5	04-05	-2	-6	-1	-7	-3	0	5	1	-2	1	-4	-5
	LV	1	10-96	9	19	06-03	14	13	10	12	14	11	11	13	15	17	17	16
	LT	-25	09-00	-5	26	06-04	13	11	11	5	10	-5	-1	3	7	14	13	12
	HU	-28	05-05	-8	9	11-97	-19	-23	-24	-20	-20	-28	-24	-28	-25	-17	-26	-13
	NL	-16	12-03	12	30	10-99	-3	-9	-10	-7	-10	-6	-4	-10	-8	-10	-9	-7
	AT	-29	03-03	-13	4	07-00	-14	-18	-12	-15	-14	-10	-9	-15	-14	-13	-13	-10
	PL	-19	01-02	-6	7	07-98	-9	-10	-8	-2	-6	-7	-8	-7	-6	-6	-5	-5
	PT	-27	01-03	-7	4	01-99	-8	-11	-7	-7	-10	-7	-7	-10	-13	-17	-19	-19
	SI	3	01-01	11	23	04-99	12	13	14	13	10	8	14	13	13	18	16	16
	SK	-17	10-93	8	34	11-98	0	3	-7	8	5	12	15	12	20	16	12	15
	FI	-17	11-00	-4	10	05-04	1	-6	4	-1	-8	-4	-1	1	6	4	2	7
	SE	-8	09-01	6	27	04-00	0	-3	0	0	2	0	1	-2	3	7	11	13
	UK	-30	07-05	-4	20	06-04	4	0	-3	-5	-9	-13	-19	-22	-28	-30	-21	-22
PRESENT BUSINESS SITUATION	EU	-25	12-94	-8	18	04-90	-8	-10	-6	-6	-11	-13	-12	-13	-17	-17	-12	-13
	Euro area	-29	12-94	-10	21	01-91	-14	-17	-12	-8	-14	-15	-12	-13	-16	-14	-11	-12
	BE	-41	10-95	-6	29	06-00	1	-11	2	1	-7	-16	-4	-15	-10	-12	-3	-16
	CZ	0	11-98	28	52	08-02	49	45	43	49	52	49	39	39	39	40	40	41
	DK	-1	08-01	29	57	11-94	44	43	49	52	44	47	47	47	44	46	51	50
	DE	-66	02-02	-21	46	11-90	-38	-36	-21	-23	-34	-37	-25	-27	-26	-25	-28	-27
	EE	6	01-03	35	63	05-04	41	36	42	56	35	36	41	35	40	51	39	46
	EL	-50	04-95	-8	40	01-04	17	18	25	32	12	14	8	7	0	-8	-7	-6
	ES	-72	07-93	-28	4	06-00	-36	-34	-35	-31	-34	-34	-28	-26	-30	-21	-23	-21
	FR	-50	03-93	-13	11	10-94	8	-9	-5	3	-2	-1	0	-8	-7	-19	-17	-15
	IE	-30	05-03	6	37	06-98	-3	-13	-10	-3	-4	-2	-10	-7	-3	-8	6	-5
	IT	-42	02-95	14	73	02-93	9	13	3	12	14	16	0	15	-10	17	18	21
	CY	-46	02-03	-30	-13	04-04	-14	-16	-22	-34	-18	-22	-26	-14	-23	-18	-26	-35
	LV	-18	07-96	4	32	07-03	20	20	19	20	22	14	17	20	28	25	26	27
	LT	-37	03-00	-12	43	06-04	15	15	16	10	14	-5	-2	9	5	15	16	19
	HU	-41	03-05	-7	16	03-98	-28	-30	-30	-24	-19	-41	-37	-38	-32	-21	-36	-12
	NL	-27	12-03	28	57	06-99	-3	-13	-12	-7	-10	-11	-4	-11	-4	-10	-9	-9
	AT	-36	04-03	-12	13	07-00	-18	-26	-14	-14	-13	-19	-11	-19	-15	-9	-13	-6
	PL	-36	01-01	-14	20	02-98	-16	-15	-16	3	-8	-15	-12	-10	-6	-5	-4	-2
	PT	-46	01-03	-21	3	07-99	-28	-32	-26	-26	-32	-26	-23	-28	-24	-31	-31	-32
	SI	2	04-02	18	44	01-99	25	24	21	15	17	11	15	13	13	17	14	16
	SK	-35	06-95	10	58	11-98	-9	-14	-22	2	-2	-1	19	10	11	10	14	26
	FI	-15	11-00	8	40	05-04	13	-2	13	11	4	9	9	16	24	19	14	29
	SE	-21	10-96	8	34	07-00	1	1	0	7	9	3	-1	-2	9	9	17	26
	UK	-57	09-92	-5	42	06-04	13	15	14	-5	-8	-14	-22	-27	-34	-41	-29	-31
VOLUME OF STOCKS	EU	11	01-91	16	22	03-02	14	14	13	12	14	15	16	13	16	16	15	15
	Euro area	7	01-91	16	23	10-96	14	12	12	11	13	13	14	11	14	15	14	15
	BE	-5	09-90	13	32	03-92	5	3	6	5	8	15	12	12	9	21	10	7
	CZ	0	03-00	10	27	05-95	13	9	15	8	13	13	17	13	14	12	13	14
	DK	-1	04-98	18	32	04-00	18	13	16	18	13	14	15	15	16	14	19	20
	DE	4	02-91	25	43	02-02	17	17	17	15	18	22	23	15	23	24	19	28
	EE	3	07-05	11	18	07-04	12	15	15	12	16	13	13	10	8	3	6	7
	EL	-7	11-02	13	41	12-93	19	23	28	12	18	21	20	25	16	16	15	14
	ES	-8	02-96	5	16	07-92	6	8	8	6	8	8	6	5	5	9	9	8
	FR	-3	10-93	11	21	09-98	11	10	7	14	14	8	8	8	6	10	10	10
	IE	-5	06-00	10	25	08-98	9	12	8	8	10	9	7	9	6	6	5	9
	IT	-8	10-99	8	43	10-96	16	6	6	-2	3	1	5	5	11	2	0	-1
	CY	-15	04-05	-5	6	03-05	-7	-6	-11	-7	-1	6	-15	-14	-4	-7	-5	-11
	LV	-18	07-96	-4	8	12-02	0	1	2	-1	0	0	3	3	1	0	-1	3
	LT	-21	12-99	-1	13	10-96	-2	0	2	3	2	13	-2	-1	-3	-6	-1	0
	HU	4	02-96	23	33	01-99	20	23	28	24	23	21	17	24	21	16	16	23
	NL	5	07-97	11	19	06-05	14	14	18	16	16	17	16	16	19	16	16	15
	AT	-2	01-00	25	36	01-96	24	23	23	31	25	25	21	24	22	28	24	26
	PL	-9	09-03	-2	7	05-05	-2	-1	-5	5	5	4	5	7	6	5	5	5
	PT	-3	12-03	9	25	06-90	8	7	1	5	2	2	3	5	5	4	12	11
	SI	-1	07-05	17	33	01-99	20	18	12	14	14	13	11	8	7	-1	4	4
	SK	-5	06-00	10	26	02-95	13	12	12	9	14	7	7	3	4	5	2	4
	FI	22	12-04	29	40	08-00	24	24	22	24	29	29	30	28	25	26	32	32
	SE	18	04-00	31	44	02-98	31	32	31	29	29	30	30	29	28			

TABLE 5 (continued): Monthly survey of retail trade (s.a.) ^{(a)(b)}

	2004												2005					
	Since 01/1990																	
	Min.	Ave.	Max.		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
EXPECTED BUSINESS SITUATION	EU	-20	01-93	2	18	06-00	9	1	2	3	3	0	1	-1	-1	-5	-1	2
	Euro area	-26	02-93	-2	17	06-00	7	-1	2	1	2	-1	1	1	2	-3	-1	5
Component of the retail confidence indicator	BE	-23	04-03	2	22	04-98	1	5	-1	7	7	1	3	-5	0	3	-13	-3
	CZ	2	09-00	23	46	02-02	38	34	24	10	22	21	22	18	21	18	18	30
	DK	8	10-01	40	71	07-94	57	50	54	50	53	58	54	51	47	46	49	46
	DE	-42	10-02	-8	26	12-90	-12	-27	-20	-13	-14	-30	-26	-25	-17	-27	-23	-21
	EE	4	04-03	27	62	01-03	34	39	16	9	41	43	46	42	34	35	31	29
	EL	-4	05-95	25	60	06-00	44	34	26	20	22	32	40	30	22	21	27	33
	ES	-34	02-93	14	34	04-91	8	11	14	8	5	20	27	26	18	17	20	15
	FR	-64	02-93	-23	19	10-04	19	16	14	4	5	7	10	6	-3	-4	1	6
	IE	-31	07-03	13	44	11-97	16	5	15	-1	-9	0	-14	-6	7	-2	5	-16
	IT	-20	03-93	17	59	06-96	25	12	18	16	30	20	15	29	37	32	38	49
	CY	-13	06-02	9	28	03-05	2	-7	9	8	8	28	26	5	12	15	10	8
	LV	2	01-04	19	36	09-99	22	21	13	14	19	18	20	23	18	26	25	23
	LT	-35	09-00	-3	45	03-04	23	18	19	8	17	4	-3	0	12	20	21	18
	HU	-25	08-05	7	39	02-98	-9	-17	-15	-14	-18	-22	-17	-22	-21	-13	-25	-5
	NL	-5	12-03	19	41	10-99	8	1	1	1	-3	9	9	-1	-2	-3	-4	4
	AT	-24	03-03	-3	15	07-00	1	-5	0	0	-4	14	5	-4	-5	-1	-1	4
	PL	-33	12-01	-7	17	07-98	-14	-15	-12	-3	-6	-4	-6	-6	-6	-7	-6	-7
	PT	-26	01-03	7	39	01-90	12	8	8	10	5	8	5	3	-9	-16	-13	-13
	SI	15	02-03	31	47	04-99	31	31	34	37	27	26	37	35	34	35	38	36
	SK	-14	11-94	23	60	12-96	23	34	13	30	30	45	32	30	54	42	23	23
	FI	-4	04-03	9	39	05-97	15	7	20	9	1	9	17	16	19	18	22	22
	SE	19	10-01	42	67	04-00	31	21	29	21	26	26	33	24	29	39	40	39
	UK	-26	06-05	11	40	01-97	14	4	-6	5	-2	-3	-8	-19	-26	-23	-13	-18
INTENTIONS OF PLACING ORDERS	EU	-16	10-02	-3	13	01-90	-3	-9	-6	-6	-3	-8	-8	-10	-7	-9	-6	-4
	Euro area	-23	10-02	-5	14	01-90	-7	-11	-7	-8	-3	-8	-9	-10	-5	-8	-6	-3
	BE	-27	05-93	-7	15	03-90	-4	-10	-6	-8	-7	-8	-8	-7	-6	-7	-10	-9
	CZ	-34	02-96	29	56	02-95	33	22	30	10	22	14	16	16	13	10	26	27
	DK	-12	10-01	19	58	07-94	28	28	25	21	28	27	23	28	22	23	26	28
	DE	-51	09-02	-15	21	02-91	-27	-31	-21	-22	-15	-27	-28	-32	-23	-27	-24	-23
	EE	-3	03-03	17	33	01-03	12	24	10	2	23	29	29	24	29	29	21	14
	EL	-23	04-93	10	38	06-96	12	5	16	14	2	15	14	9	-3	-10	2	14
	ES	-31	02-93	5	21	01-90	1	-1	4	-1	-3	1	11	11	9	12	11	6
	FR	-37	12-92	-14	11	10-99	3	-2	-8	-4	-3	-3	-2	-8	-6	-11	-8	-4
	IE	-43	05-03	-5	27	08-00	10	-14	0	-21	-18	-13	-11	-7	2	-13	1	-18
	IT	-25	10-97	21	69	04-92	13	12	14	11	35	18	7	22	34	34	37	47
	CY	-44	06-02	-10	10	02-04	-10	2	4	-9	-15	1	4	-2	-9	7	-3	-6
	LV	-4	10-96	9	27	03-02	12	17	9	10	11	16	13	19	14	25	18	18
	LT	-23	01-03	6	51	07-04	23	27	19	17	23	5	14	1	4	14	25	23
	HU	-29	03-05	-2	23	05-98	-20	-25	-19	-17	-25	-29	-18	-26	-21	-22	-26	-13
	NL	-22	09-03	4	25	08-99	-10	-13	-15	-12	-17	-10	-7	-16	-14	-19	-17	-11
	AT	-42	03-99	-31	-16	06-00	-26	-32	-26	-25	-28	-27	-22	-26	-23	-21	-24	-23
	PL	-30	12-01	-6	13	12-98	-11	-13	-8	-3	-6	-2	-7	-5	-6	-6	-8	-8
	PT	-41	01-03	-13	12	11-98	-6	-12	-11	-8	-3	-6	-13	-23	-19	-20	-27	-30
	SI	-2	10-01	15	30	10-00	11	14	16	12	10	6	13	19	13	21	14	17
	SK	-19	03-96	34	78	01-02	40	43	19	34	37	51	47	53	54	60	32	33
	FI	-20	07-03	-6	11	05-05	0	-1	9	9	-4	4	4	11	3	2	7	4
	SE	-17	10-01	14	52	03-00	4	-2	3	2	6	3	5	0	0	9	5	11
	UK	-37	03-91	3	34	08-96	15	-2	-6	0	-9	-12	-12	-20	-22	-21	-18	-19
EMPLOYMENT EXPECTATIONS	EU	-13	12-92	-1	9	08-00	2	-2	-3	0	-1	0	-1	1	0	-2	-2	0
	Euro area	-11	12-92	-1	10	08-00	3	-1	-3	2	0	1	1	4	5	2	1	2
	BE	-13	12-92	3	16	04-90	9	10	11	15	9	4	2	4	8	6	7	10
	CZ	-37	01-95	1	22	05-02	7	9	17	6	8	8	1	6	-2	-4	8	11
	DK	-8	05-01	8	28	05-00	9	6	10	10	9	16	12	15	10	12	15	20
	DE ^(e)	-32	01-03	-8	15	03-98	-7	-9	-11	-6	-10	-12	-10	-7	-8	-6	-6	-4
	EE	-8	05-02	2	13	05-05	3	4	3	3	7	8	10	13	4	5	-1	4
	EL	-12	07-05	28	62	03-98	10	5	4	3	2	0	8	0	-9	-12	-5	2
	ES	-19	09-93	0	8	12-98	-2	3	3	-1	4	5	3	4	3	2	3	2
	FR	-14	06-91	-2	12	10-00	2	-2	-6	5	1	0	3	1	0	-3	-2	1
	IE	-17	05-03	2	22	03-98	1	-5	-4	-9	-6	1	-3	-2	0	-7	-4	-1
	IT	-34	02-97	11	54	02-00	32	15	8	19	21	31	26	42	47	32	16	24
	CY	-4	07-02	0	3	07-04	2	0	-1	0	-2	1	-1	1	1	0	0	0
	LV	-23	04-96	0	14	07-05	9	4	10	10	9	5	9	9	14	14	13	
	LT	-48	07-95	-12	64	09-05	28	19	50	41	60	48	47	42	42	52	63	64
	HU	-36	05-96	-9	5	11-03	-12	-16	-13	-10	-13	-19	-15	-18	-16	-16	-19	-13
	NL	-6	08-05	2	13	06-99	-4	-2	-3	-4	-3	-2	-2	-4	-3	-6	-6	-5
	AT	-20	03-99	-5	71	01-96	-5	-8	-6	-5	-7	-6	-7	-7	-6	-7	-4	-6
	PL	-28	12-01	-12	2	07-97	-10	-9	-10	-8	-7	-7	-9	-8	-8	-8	-10	-6
	PT	-23	05-03	-5	13	09-97	-12	-11	-6	-3	-11	-11	-9	-11	-12	-11	-14	-19
	SI	-46	02-99	-9	11	06-04	0	-6	-4	5	-13	-13	-4	-13	-5	-8	-10	5
	SK	-71	12-93	-8	31	09-02	-6	-6	-26	-15	-13	-17	-9	-3	0	-1	1	2
	FI	-16	07-03	-3	10	05-04	1	1	-3	-2	-2	-2	-4	-3	2	1	-1	-6
	SE	-34	10-96	-4	23	06-00	-10	-13	-11	-15	-19	-15	-14	-19	-16	-17	-11	-9
	UK	-32	12-91	-2	25	10-97	-2	-3	-1	-10	-7	-2	-6	-15	-18	-14	-10	-10

(a) United Kingdom: refers to the volume of sales for the time of the year.

(b) The indicator is the arithmetic average of the balances (%) for the present and the future business situation, and for stocks – with inverted sign.

(c) Quarterly data, seasonally adjusted monthly.

TABLE 6: Monthly survey of construction industry (s.a.)^(a)

CONSTRUCTION CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	Since 01/1985				2004				2005								
	Min.		Ave.	Max.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
EU	-42	10-93	-20	3	02-90	-11	-10	-10	-10	-10	-11	-11	-12	-11	-9	-7	
Euro area	-44	08-96	-20	4	03-90	-13	-12	-12	-12	-12	-12	-12	-13	-12	-9	-7	
BE	-35	11-95	-12	10	02-00	-5	-4	-9	-6	-6	-4	-6	-5	-6	-5	-4	
CZ	-64	06-99	-18	3	06-95	-9	-5	1	3	4	-7	-9	-8	-10	-7	-1	
DK	-37	12-91	-8	19	03-98	-2	2	4	2	4	3	5	8	6	5	3	
DE	-62	11-02	-36	3	01-91	-54	-53	-55	-50	-55	-51	-50	-47	-45	-44	-43	
EE	-46	12-99	2	33	05-05	14	16	23	24	28	31	32	33	30	29	27	
EL	-53	03-05	-12	33	04-00	-37	-47	-49	-44	-48	-53	-48	-31	-38	-49	-47	
ES	-57	10-92	-2	42	01-99	26	22	24	17	26	28	20	15	10	17	25	
FR	-60	03-93	-16	34	10-00	5	7	8	11	11	11	8	7	5	9	10	
IE	-54	09-02	10	58	06-97	33	28	27	13	12	27	29	15	45	34	20	
IT	-68	10-93	-13	21	05-90	2	5	4	6	2	-5	-3	-1	-5	-8	-3	
CY	-7	08-05	12	35	12-03	7	-3	-6	7	10	7	9	8	-4	-7	-2	
LV	-64	07-93	-28	7	09-05	-4	-3	-7	0	-2	3	3	3	5	5	7	
LT	-76	09-00	-41	2	09-05	-11	-9	-11	-10	-5	-2	-22	-11	-4	1	1	
LU	-73	03-94	-26	24	03-90	-19	-16	-10	-12	-22	-29	-20	-21	-26	-33	-32	
HU	-24	12-04	-8	11	09-98	-16	-20	-24	-19	-20	-17	-17	-17	-21	-15	-9	
NL	-25	05-03	-3	27	12-00	-7	-7	-7	-6	-5	-2	-1	-1	1	4	6	
AT	-60	04-96	-30	-13	02-03	-23	-21	-16	-25	-22	-24	-24	-20	-16	-23	-18	
PL	-63	12-02	-43	-22	03-98	-32	-33	-39	-29	-32	-30	-29	-29	-31	-29	-27	
PT	-56	02-03	-26	-1	12-97	-38	-34	-32	-33	-40	-34	-39	-34	-42	-44	-39	
SI	-33	06-02	-8	6	01-05	-1	-1	-1	6	2	2	-2	-4	-7	-8	-8	
SK	-86	07-99	-28	18	03-97	-13	-23	-20	-12	-17	-13	-11	-11	-9	-7	-10	
FI	-97	09-91	-18	48	06-98	0	-4	4	-7	12	16	21	13	14	21	22	
SE	-83	12-93	-37	27	07-05	-1	4	14	10	3	-3	6	6	15	27	8	
UK	-79	06-91	-20	5	08-04	-3	1	-1	-2	-3	-2	-7	-10	-12	-11	-10	
ORDER BOOKS	EU	-55	08-93	-29	-2	03-90	-21	-17	-18	-16	-15	-15	-19	-17	-19	-18	-17
Component of the construction confidence indicator	Euro area	-55	08-93	-28	-3	03-90	-22	-18	-19	-17	-15	-15	-19	-17	-19	-18	-16
BE	-48	02-96	-23	2	02-00	-14	-14	-20	-16	-16	-12	-15	-15	-16	-14	-14	
CZ	-72	06-99	-22	9	12-02	-20	-9	2	7	-4	-7	-13	-12	-13	-13	-8	
DK	-49	12-91	-11	33	03-95	-3	0	4	2	3	4	6	10	10	8	6	
DE	-71	10-02	-46	-7	03-91	-65	-65	-66	-64	-66	-61	-63	-59	-59	-58	-54	
EE	-67	12-99	-4	40	05-05	10	8	17	28	26	30	35	40	35	30	26	
EL	-77	06-95	-36	16	04-00	-37	-54	-53	-49	-61	-63	-60	-48	-59	-61	-66	
ES	-64	08-93	1	50	02-05	20	36	32	30	50	45	31	37	28	29	27	
FR	-74	09-93	-23	37	10-00	0	3	2	9	10	8	1	-1	-1	3	0	
IE	-61	06-94	4	68	06-97	9	25	16	4	-9	28	25	21	37	23	19	
IT	-84	02-94	-25	17	05-90	-12	-6	-6	-3	-3	-10	-10	-11	-15	-15	-9	
CY	-10	12-04	6	41	12-03	6	2	-10	6	5	-5	4	-5	-6	-9	-3	
LV	-84	01-96	-51	-7	08-05	-21	-20	-22	-16	-17	-14	-12	-11	-8	-9	-11	
LT	-96	09-00	-64	-13	08-05	-27	-29	-34	-35	-30	-26	-28	-37	-21	-16	-13	
LU	-73	08-93	-28	12	03-90	-26	-17	-9	-19	-28	-32	-24	-21	-37	-21	-40	
HU	-35	12-04	-17	3	09-98	-28	-32	-35	-32	-33	-30	-28	-28	-33	-26	-15	
NL	-30	09-93	-8	20	09-00	-17	-15	-17	-13	-13	-9	-7	-4	-5	-3	-1	
AT	-65	04-96	-41	-22	11-99	-34	-33	-28	-35	-38	-38	-36	-33	-30	-35	-23	
PL	-99	12-02	-68	-32	12-01	-63	-63	-76	-61	-62	-60	-59	-60	-59	-56	-54	
PT	-79	05-94	-44	-9	12-97	-58	-56	-51	-53	-61	-57	-56	-55	-62	-60	-57	
SI	-42	06-02	-13	3	08-04	-3	1	0	2	0	-5	-9	-11	-13	-21	-19	
SK	-93	03-94	-44	-5	03-97	-27	-36	-31	-27	-29	-25	-23	-26	-23	-26	-21	
FI	-99	12-93	-25	38	06-98	-10	-3	1	-3	9	7	10	5	9	12	11	
SE	-97	05-97	-49	33	01-90	-11	-12	0	-7	-5	-10	-2	-2	-5	13	5	
UK	-87	06-91	-34	-3	01-90	-14	-7	-9	-7	-10	-11	-18	-19	-24	-23	-21	
EMPLOYMENT EXPECTATIONS	EU	-34	04-96	-12	9	02-90	-2	-3	-2	-4	-6	-5	-3	-5	-4	-3	-1
Component of the construction confidence indicator	Euro area	-38	04-96	-12	11	02-90	-4	-6	-5	-6	-8	-8	-5	-7	-6	-5	-2
BE	-24	11-95	-1	19	02-90	5	6	2	3	3	5	4	5	3	5	2	6
CZ	-57	06-99	-14	12	06-95	1	-1	1	-1	-3	-7	-4	-4	-6	-1	-5	1
DK	-31	09-91	-5	42	03-98	-1	3	5	2	5	3	3	6	2	2	-1	5
DE	-59	03-96	-27	19	02-90	-42	-40	-43	-36	-43	-41	-36	-35	-32	-30	-32	-25
EE	-45	03-99	9	68	01-97	18	24	29	20	30	33	30	27	25	27	33	29
EL	-64	09-04	13	60	03-99	-38	-40	-45	-40	-34	-42	-36	-14	-18	-37	-31	-25
ES	-66	03-93	-6	54	01-99	31	7	17	4	2	11	8	-6	-9	4	22	17
FR	-51	03-93	-10	31	10-00	9	11	14	13	13	14	16	15	12	16	17	19
IE	-50	09-02	16	61	07-04	57	31	38	22	32	26	34	9	54	44	21	23
IT	-60	10-93	-2	31	06-04	16	15	14	15	8	-1	5	9	5	-1	6	0
CY	-8	11-04	18	48	11-03	9	-8	-1	7	16	19	14	20	-2	-5	-5	-2
LV	-45	07-93	-6	26	03-04	13	14	9	16	13	20	18	18	18	18	19	25
LT	-56	09-00	-18	37	03-03	5	11	13	16	20	21	-15	16	13	17	15	19
LU	-77	02-94	-24	36	03-90	-12	-14	-12	-5	-15	-26	-16	-21	-28	-29	-30	-25
HU	-13	12-04	2	21	01-98	-3	-8	-13	-6	-7	-5	-5	-7	-8	-4	-7	-4
NL	-26	05-03	2	36	12-00	3	1	3	1	3	4	6	2	6	4	8	11
AT	-76	02-01	-18	14	02-03	-11	-9	-4	-16	-5	-9	-12	-7	-3	-10	-7	-4
PL	-49	04-02	-13	18	05-96	-2	-3	-2	2	-2	-1	2	1	-3	-2	-1	1
PT	-47	02-03	-8	19	09-97	-18	-13	-12	-12	-19	-12	-22	-13	-23	-29	-22	-18
SI	-23	06-02	-3	10	08-05	2	-2	-1	9	3	9	5	2	0	5	10	4
SK	-86	07-99	-12	41	01-97	1	-11	-9	3	-5	-2	1	4	6	11	13	3
FI	-100	04-91	-10	59	03-97	10	-4	7	-11	16	26	32	21	20	30	23	9
SE	-78	01-97	-25	45	01-01	9	20	27	26	11	4	13	13	35	40	10	27
UK	-72	06-91	-5	17	12-97	8	9	7	3	5	7	4	-1	1	-1	1	1

TABLE 6 (continued) :

Monthly survey of construction industry (s.a.)^(a)

		Since 01/1985				2004				2005								
		Min.	Ave.	Max.		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	
		Value	Date	Value	Date													
TREND OF ACTIVITY COMPARED WITH PRECEDING MONTHS	EU	-36	03-93	-8	15	03-90	3	-2	2	8	1	-8	-4	4	1	3	6	6
	Euro area	-40	03-93	-8	17	03-90	2	-4	1	6	0	-10	-5	4	0	3	7	5
	BE	-37	03-91	-4	36	02-90	10	-1	-5	2	3	-14	0	10	-7	1	0	-2
	CZ	-34	06-99	24	77	01-05	52	60	60	77	61	50	41	36	34	33	40	40
	DK	-21	04-03	-3	19	01-98	-2	8	8	5	9	8	8	8	9	4	5	7
	DE	-44	03-96	-19	19	03-90	-27	-27	-25	-23	-29	-39	-25	-14	-21	-18	-13	-15
	EE	-25	03-99	18	47	02-95	35	40	38	42	46	38	32	38	33	19	22	24
	EL	-50	04-05	5	61	06-98	-15	-24	-23	-23	-35	-44	-50	-23	-15	-27	-33	-41
	ES	-49	07-97	6	59	01-99	22	-2	22	27	16	5	23	38	32	30	40	38
	FR	-64	09-93	-8	42	07-00	20	19	16	20	19	13	10	8	11	19	17	15
	IE	-45	09-91	3	47	05-96	46	27	10	24	-7	15	6	0	-5	27	17	-12
	IT	-50	03-93	-2	26	07-04	10	5	6	15	11	3	2	7	-3	1	5	7
	CY	-29	09-04	7	78	09-02	9	-15	-12	9	4	1	34	-7	-13	-6	-10	50
	LV	-47	04-96	-2	44	06-02	16	19	9	21	19	21	25	24	25	24	19	22
	LT	-61	03-00	-4	81	06-02	18	11	0	11	23	-7	10	18	19	19	14	27
	LU	-68	10-02	-23	30	04-91	-17	-18	-4	-2	-9	-32	-41	-32	-25	-28	-28	-35
	HU	-37	03-03	-8	14	03-99	-8	-14	-18	-17	-19	-20	-12	-12	-17	-8	-6	1
	NL	-41	02-96	-2	37	03-97	1	-6	-1	12	2	-5	1	5	5	7	8	10
	AT	-87	04-96	-8	27	01-04	4	8	15	22	-16	-38	-28	-7	1	-7	12	10
	PL	-30	01-02	9	42	01-05	17	20	24	42	23	0	-3	4	8	13	13	20
	PT	-37	09-03	-9	24	05-97	-10	-13	-16	-8	-12	-24	-29	-19	-27	-34	-28	-26
	SI	-17	08-05	10	33	02-04	13	15	13	11	3	1	-4	-7	-3	-17	-17	-7
	SK	-43	06-99	7	53	12-04	47	50	53	37	3	-6	0	18	24	27	25	26
	FI	-88	09-91	5	75	01-98	25	17	26	25	29	25	11	10	23	21	37	33
	SE	-67	12-91	-12	50	07-05	9	13	10	16	13	12	11	20	34	50	41	45
	UK	-69	06-91	-6	16	02-04	3	3	4	9	2	-1	-6	-1	-2	-6	-5	-2
PRICE EXPECTATIONS	EU	-22	03-93	0	24	02-90	5	9	7	7	4	2	4	2	1	2	5	6
	Euro area	-27	04-96	-2	31	04-90	0	4	2	2	-1	-2	0	-2	-1	-1	1	3
	BE	-22	01-96	-1	29	01-90	3	0	0	-1	-2	-1	1	-1	-1	3	4	7
	CZ	-39	08-00	42	80	02-95	23	27	19	18	22	23	18	14	21	16	26	23
	DK	-36	03-03	-16	0	05-98	-10	-3	-5	-4	-6	-6	-5	-5	-7	-7	-6	-4
	DE	-45	03-96	-13	45	02-90	-20	-20	-18	-19	-21	-25	-18	-19	-20	-21	-16	-15
	EE	-29	09-99	31	88	04-94	36	42	46	40	41	43	38	42	58	56	59	67
	EL	-39	06-05	6	35	06-95	-38	-32	-32	-23	-30	-28	-38	-39	-39	-19	-17	-15
	ES	-20	10-93	18	71	10-00	18	39	35	25	20	20	23	20	23	29	31	28
	FR	-60	03-93	-16	32	10-00	2	3	-3	1	0	1	-4	-6	-8	-6	-5	-4
	IE	-66	07-03	6	58	03-00	8	8	5	10	-10	-1	8	5	11	11	-1	10
	IT	-16	07-93	18	63	06-90	17	22	15	29	16	12	17	13	16	9	8	14
	CY	-1	07-05	32	76	06-04	22	24	41	26	17	21	12	7	1	-1	27	3
	LV	-11	03-01	26	71	09-05	54	60	62	66	60	48	59	54	53	57	61	71
	LT	-5	03-01	35	89	01-95	47	48	48	41	46	42	42	49	39	53	43	72
	LU	-67	05-93	-28	29	11-00	-42	-42	-41	-38	-35	-37	-29	-42	-48	-42	-42	-35
	HU	-3	01-05	10	32	03-01	11	10	9	-3	1	4	6	5	-1	0	2	6
	NL	-7	01-04	25	69	04-01	13	9	5	-2	11	14	16	17	21	20	24	28
	AT	-53	04-96	-11	18	06-91	2	-4	7	4	0	-1	1	-3	-4	-5	-3	0
	PL	-27	03-02	16	45	05-96	11	10	8	12	9	7	5	1	1	2	4	6
	PT	-40	05-03	1	48	06-90	-10	-10	-12	-11	-10	-7	-23	-10	-23	-21	-10	-17
	SI	-6	05-02	5	16	05-04	-5	13	9	3	5	3	3	5	-2	1	0	5
	SK	-20	08-00	54	93	06-97	41	38	15	27	25	22	28	27	31	30	32	34
	FI	-45	06-91	9	65	05-97	-4	10	4	3	13	9	29	16	27	12	18	12
	SE	-75	06-91	-15	33	01-01	7	11	10	16	7	5	12	23	19	-17	24	17
	UK	-56	12-90	14	43	08-04	34	43	37	38	33	25	26	23	15	25	25	24

(a) The indicator is the average of the balances (%) for the questions on order-books and employment expectations.

TABLE 7a: Manufacturing industry; future Member States (s.a.) ^(a)

Balances: i.e. differences between the percentages of respondents giving positive and negative replies (s.a.)

	Since 01/1990				2004				2005													
	Min.		Ave.	Max.	Value		Date	Value		Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.						
CONFIDENCE	BG	-30	06-93	-8	8	11-95		-1	2	3	2	2	0	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	0	
INDICATOR	RO	-22	09-92	-1	28	06-96		4	6	6	5	2	4	-3	-1	-3	-1	0	0	-2		
PRODUCTION	BG	-17	02-97	21	42	11-95		26	32	36	30	30	29	32	32	32	31	29	23			
EXPECTATIONS	RO	-8	07-92	23	52	03-03		28	28	24	29	29	30	20	19	14	17	17	21			
ORDER BOOKS	BG	-65	06-93	-43	-19	10-00		-36	-34	-33	-33	-31	-33	-34	-31	-34	-33	-31	-32			
	RO	-53	06-99	-16	50	06-96		-14	-12	-10	-9	-12	-11	-16	-16	-16	-18	-13	-18			
STOCKS OF FINISHED	BG	-22	06-97	2	35	08-93		-8	-8	-7	-7	-7	-5	-7	-7	-6	-9	-9	-10			
PRODUCTS ^(b)	RO	-4	06-96	10	51	07-92		1	-2	-2	5	11	7	13	6	6	3	3	8			

(a) The confidence indicator is the arithmetic average of the three components (the last with inverted sign).

(b) Highest figure is considered as minimum, lowest figure is considered as maximum.

TABLE 7b: Services ^(a)

	Since 01/1990				2004				2005													
	Min.		Ave.	Max.	Value		Date	Value		Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.						
CONFIDENCE	BG	15	03-03	29	42	06-02		24	21	24	30	26	29	28	31	35	30	23	24			
INDICATOR	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	6	02-03	29	72	06-04		35	32	29	30	20	20	22	26	17	25	26	22			
ASSESSMENT OF	BG	16	12-04	30	66	05-02		21	17	16	21	16	25	26	26	43	32	21	22			
BUSINESS CLIMATE	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	9	12-03	38	75	04-03		43	41	34	43	21	22	25	29	19	20	27	19			
EVOLUTION OF DEMAND	BG	-1	05-02	17	36	03-04		21	21	14	15	12	16	14	19	17	23	16	23			
IN RECENT MONTHS	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	-4	02-03	22	69	06-04		40	31	28	23	18	16	17	20	9	15	20	27			
EVOLUTION OF DEMAND	BG	16	03-03	39	59	05-02		28	26	43	53	48	45	46	47	44	37	31	28			
IN THE MONTHS AHEAD	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	-23	01-03	26	72	06-04		22	24	26	24	20	22	23	28	22	40	31	19			

(a) The confidence indicator is the arithmetic average of the three components.

(n) Not seasonally adjusted.

TABLE 7c: Consumer opinion and financial condition; future Member States (a)

	Since 01/1990				2004				2005													
	Min.		Ave.	Max.	Value		Date	Value		Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.						
CONFIDENCE	BG⁽ⁿ⁾	-39	08-03	-28	-14	08-01		-28	-29	-27	-27	-26	-23	-26	-22	-19	-23	-26	-26	-26		
INDICATOR	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	-33	07-02	-24	-13	01-05		-17	-14	-14	-13	-18	-20	-22	-22	-21	-24	-25	-25	-25		
FINANCIAL SITUATION	BG⁽ⁿ⁾	-23	07-03	-12	3	07-01		-12	-11	-11	-8	-9	-8	-9	-6	-4	-6	-11	-12			
OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	-14	07-02	-3	9	11-04		4	9	7	9	5	3	-1	1	-1	-2	-2	-2			
GEN. ECON. SITUATION	BG⁽ⁿ⁾	-25	08-03	-8	16	07-01		-9	-9	-5	-4	-4	0	-3	0	2	-3	-12	-10			
OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	-14	07-02	-1	12	01-05		7	8	7	12	8	6	1	-1	1	-7	-3	-7			
SAVINGS	BG⁽ⁿ⁾	-81	03-02	-75	-67	08-05		-73	-78	-75	-76	-74	-73	-74	-69	-68	-71	-67	-69			
OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	-63	12-03	-54	-46	12-04		-47	-46	-46	-49	-52	-49	-53	-52	-50	-48	-56	-54			
UNEMPLOYMENT	BG⁽ⁿ⁾	2	07-01	19	31	03-02		17	17	19	20	17	12	17	11	7	14	14	14			
OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	24	11-04	38	51	01-02		32	24	25	25	31	39	35	36	37	40	39	37			

(a) The confidence indicator is the average of the four components.

(n) Not seasonally adjusted.

TABLE 7d: Retail trade (s.a.) ^(a)

	Since 01/1990				2004				2005													
	Min.		Ave.	Max.	Value		Date	Value		Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.						
CONFIDENCE	BG	5	11-00	19	32	06-00		15	13	13	11	9	10	11	15	11	13	15	14			
INDICATOR	RO	1	06-99	16	36	12-97		24	23	23	22	17	19	18	17	17	18	21	17			
PRESENT	BG	-3	09-96	22	54	11-97		14	8	12	8	5	2	8	15	11	14	19	15			
BUSINESSS SITUATION	RO	-1	02-03	28	58	09-97		33	28	32	35	23	18	18	26	26	24	31	20			
VOLUME OF STOCKS	BG	-55	03-97	-18	12	11-00		-5	-8	-4	-4	-5	-6	-5	-6	-1	-2	-2	-4			
	RO	-20	12-94	4	55	10-95		2	-1	2	-3	-2	-1	0	3	4	2	2	2			
EXPECTED	BG	-33	02-97	16	43	03-00		27	23	23	21	16	21	20	25	20	22	22	22			
BUSINESSS SITUATION	RO	-37	10-94	24	74	11-95		40	40	39	28	38	35	27	28	32	33	32				

(a) The confidence indicator is the arithmetic average of the three components (for stocks, with inverted sign).

TABLE 7e: Construction industry; future Member States (s.a.) ^(a)

	Since 01/1990				2004				2005													
	Min.		Ave.	Max.	Value		Date	Value		Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.						
CONFIDENCE	BG	-56	03-93	-28	6	07-05		-11	-9	-4	-9	-6	1	1	-1	1	6	-3	-3			
INDICATOR	RO	-60	09-99	-9	35	06-96		-6	-6	-8	-12	-16	-15	-18	-18	-18	-16	-9	-12			
ORDER BOOKS	BG	-74	10-00	-43	-19	09-05		-29	-23	-20	-21	-26	-24	-22	-24	-22	-21	-21	-19			
	RO	-89	09-99	-1																		