

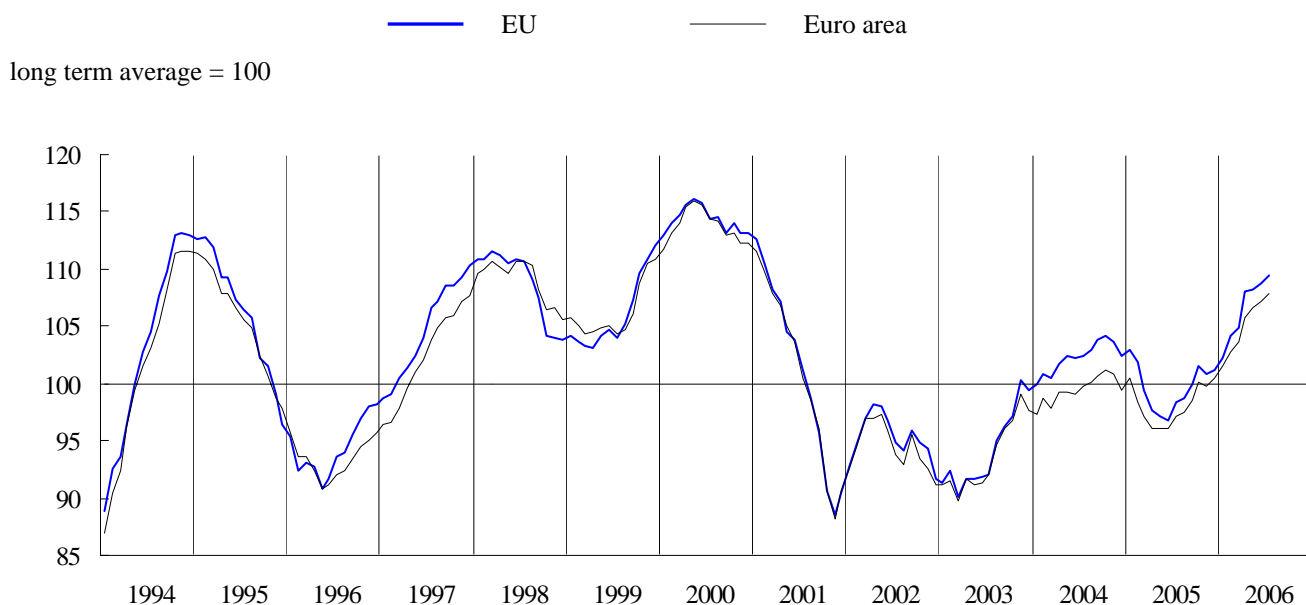


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GRAPH 1: **Economic sentiment indicator** (s.a.)



Further improvement of economic sentiment in both the EU and the euro area

The *Economic Sentiment Indicator (ESI)* in both the EU and the euro area continued to rise in July, reaching the highest levels since the beginning of 2001. The indicator rose by 0.8 points in the EU and by 0.7 points in the euro area, up to 109.5 and 107.8, respectively. In both areas, sentiment has improved by more than 10 points over the last twelve months.

The rise in the sentiment indicator for the EU results from the developments in the *industry* and the *construction* sectors, where the confidence indicators improved, respectively, by 1 and 2 points and from an increase of 1 point in confidence among *consumers*. Managers in the *retail trade* sector reported a 2 point fall in confidence, while confidence in the *services* sector remained unchanged. For the euro area, the underlying pattern is broadly the same.

At the country level, the picture is quite mixed. However, the ESI increased in all the larger Member States. The *UK* and *Poland* recorded substantial improvements of 3.7 and 9.1 points, respectively. The ESI for *France* (+1.3), and *Spain* (+1) recorded a slight increase, while in *Italy* and *Germany* improvements of 0.7 and 0.2 points, respectively, were registered.

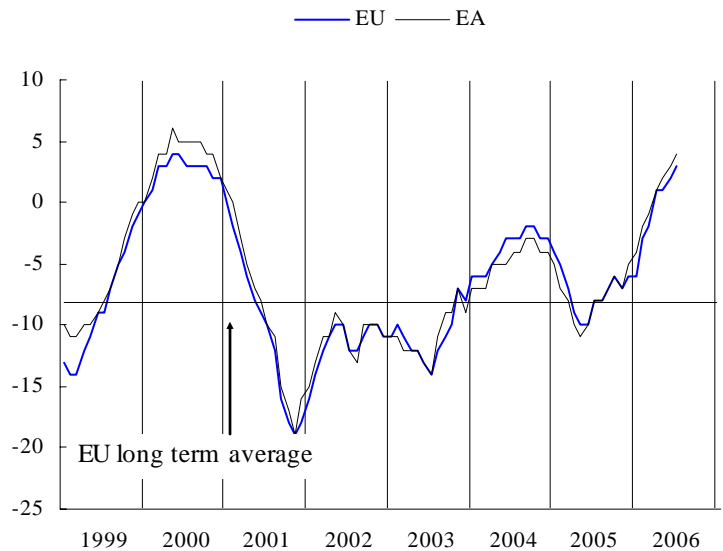
Industrial confidence continues to improve in both the EU and the euro area

The industrial confidence indicator in both the EU and the euro area improved further in July. It has been on an upward trend since the second quarter of 2005. The indicator is now way above its previous peak reached in September 2004 and is approaching the peak attained in the year 2000.

The improved confidence was mainly due to a much more positive assessment of the *order books*. Industrial managers' evaluation of their *stocks of finished products* was slightly more positive for the EU and unchanged for the euro area, while their *production expectations* remained unchanged in the EU and improved marginally in the euro area.

Most of the EU Member States reported an increase in industrial confidence. Among the larger Member States only *Italy* recorded a slight decline in confidence, by 1 point. In *Germany* and *Spain* confidence remained unchanged, while managers in *France* (+1), the *UK* (+5) and *Poland* (+2) have become more optimistic.

GRAPH 2a: Industrial confidence indicator



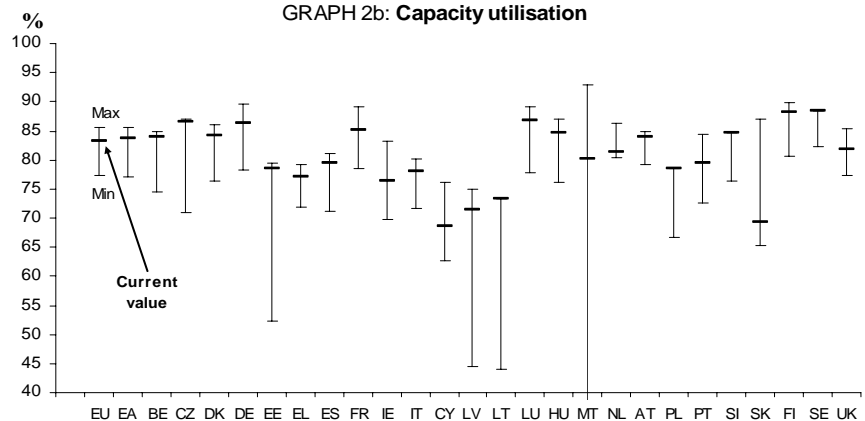
For July 2006, the results of the *quarterly survey in the manufacturing sector* are broadly consistent with those of the monthly surveys. The *estimated number of months' production assured by orders on hand* increased slightly compared to the April results. Despite the fact that the percentage balance of managers assessing positively the development in *new orders* decreased, the balance remains positive and well above the average level of the past 15 years in both the EU and the euro area.

Among the larger Member States, *Germany*, *France*, *Italy*, *Poland* and the *UK* registered an increase in the rate of *capacity utilisation* between April and July; only *Spain* saw the rate decline. As a result, for the euro area and the EU as a whole, capacity utilisation improved.

For both areas as well for all the larger Member States, the indicators are above their long-term averages, but 2 percentage points below the past peak.

The improvement in the *capacity utilisation* rate in the total manufacturing industry of the EU was also reflected at the branch level. All three sub-sectors (*consumer goods*, *intermediate goods* and *investment goods*) registered a noticeable increase. *Export expectations* in the manufacturing industry remained broadly stable compared with the previous survey: in the EU there was a minor increase of 1 point while expectations for the euro area did not change. In the EU, rising expectations in the *investment goods* and *intermediate goods* sectors were accompanied by unchanged expectations in the *consumer goods* sector.

GRAPH 2b: Capacity utilisation



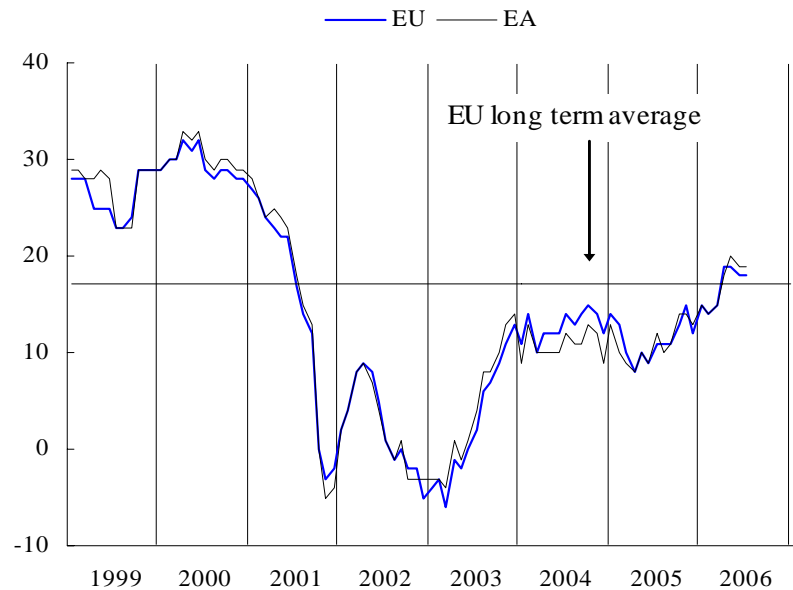
Services confidence remains stable in both the EU and the euro area

Confidence in the services sector remained unchanged in both the EU and the euro area. The indicator continues to stand above its long-term average, at a level of 18 for the EU and 19 for the euro area.

Looking at the components of the confidence indicator, EU and euro area managers in the services sector were more optimistic with regard to the *expected evolution of demand*, while the assessment of the *recent evolution of demand* declined slightly. The assessment of the *current business situation* remained unchanged for the EU and improved somewhat in the euro area.

Among the larger Member States, only the *UK* registered a decline in confidence of 3 points. *Germany, Spain* and *France* saw a slight increase of 1 point in confidence while in *Italy* (+4) and in *Poland* (+3) the indicator improved more markedly.

GRAPH 3: Services confidence indicator



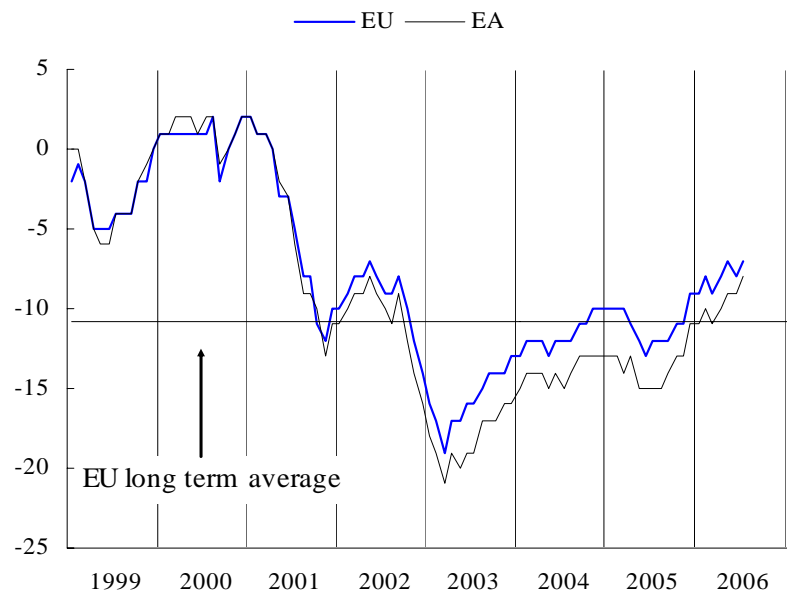
Consumer confidence remains unchanged in both the EU and the euro area

Consumer confidence in the EU and in the euro area increased by 1 point in July, continuing the upward trend since mid-2005.

There has been no change in expectations about households' *financial situation* in the EU, while consumers in the euro area were somewhat more optimistic. In both the EU and the euro area, an increasing number of households think they will *save money in the next 12 months*. While households were slightly more optimistic concerning the *future economic situation*, their views on *future unemployment* remained unchanged.

At the country level, the results are mixed. While consumers in *Germany* and the *UK* reported a fall in confidence by 1 point, the indicator rose by 2 points in *Italy*, by 3 points in *Poland* and by 4 points in *France*. Confidence among *Spanish* consumers remained unchanged.

GRAPH 4: Consumer confidence indicator



Consumer confidence has been improving over the last year, but this has not altered intentions to engage in large-scale outlays. The figures relating to intentions to *purchase or build a home*, to *buy a car* or to *carry out home improvements* within the next twelve months are practically at the same level as they were one year ago.

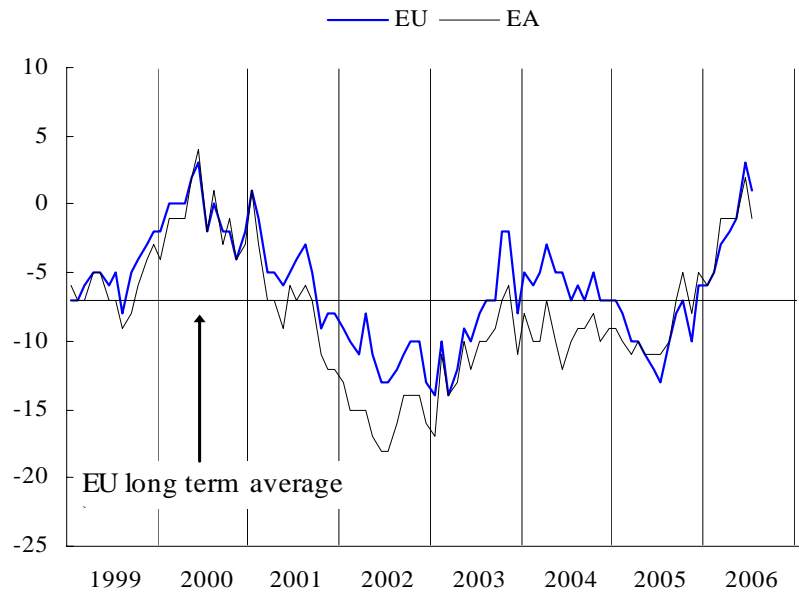
Deterioration in retail confidence in the EU as well as in the euro area

After several months of improvements, the *retail confidence* dropped in both the EU and the euro area, by 2 and 3 points, respectively. The indicator, however, remains positive in the EU and well above the long-term average level in both the EU and the euro area

The components that contributed negatively to the EU indicator were retailers' assessments of the *future business situation* and the *volume of stocks*, both deteriorating by 3 points, while retailers' views concerning their *current business situation* were unchanged. In the euro area, the pattern was broadly similar with the exception of the *current business situation* which decreased by 2 points.

The picture among the larger Member States is rather mixed. Retailers' confidence in *Spain* (+10) rose considerably, while the rise in *Poland* (+1) and in the *UK* (+3) was more modest. On the negative side, *Germany* (-6), *France* (-5) and *Italy* (-3) registered a drop in the retail trade confidence indicator.

GRAPH 5: Retail confidence indicator



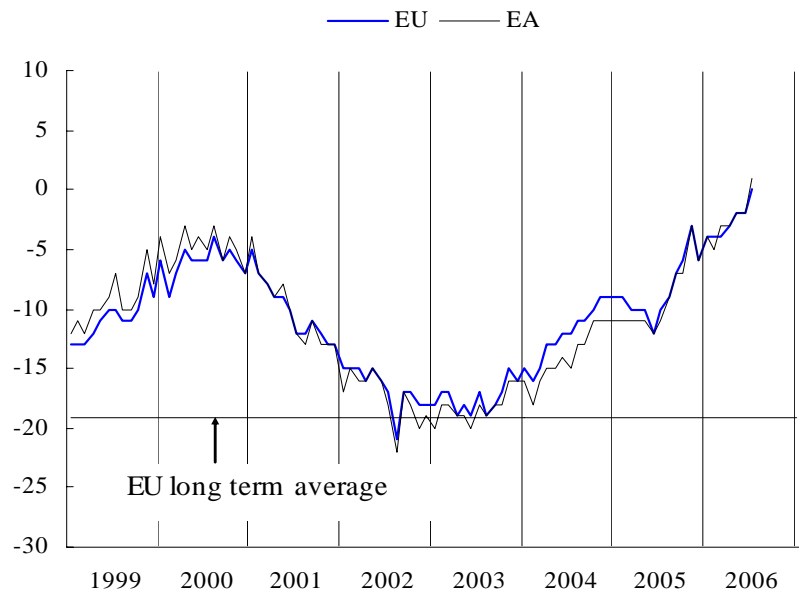
Confidence in the construction sector continues to improve, both in the EU and in the euro area

In both the EU and the euro area, the *construction confidence* indicator continued its upward movement which started in 2003 and reached its highest level since 1990.

In July, both components of the confidence indicator improved. Builders in the EU and the euro area made a more positive assessment of their *order books* and were more optimistic about their *employment expectations* than in June.

At the country level, developments are broadly positive. Builders in all the larger Member States reported an improved sentiment. *Germany* (+2), *Spain* (+8), *France* (+1), *Italy* (+1), *Poland* (+2) and the *UK* (+2) registered increased confidence levels.

GRAPH 6: Construction confidence indicator



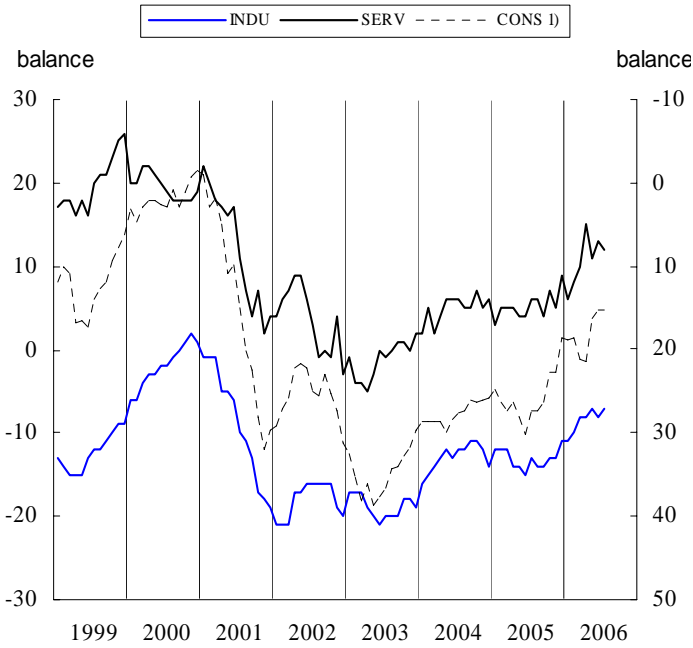
Employment, unemployment and price expectations in the EU

Employment and unemployment expectations in the EU showed a mixed picture in July. Managers' expectations improved in the industry sector, while they declined slightly in the services sector. Households' expectations concerning future unemployment remained unchanged in July.

Concerning *future price* developments, *consumers' expectations* slightly increased compared to June. Managers in the industry sector expected a slight decline in price pressures while managers in construction revised their price expectations slightly upwards.

GRAPH 7: Employment and unemployment

GRAPH 8: Price expectations



1) Unemployment expectations (Right Hand Scale)

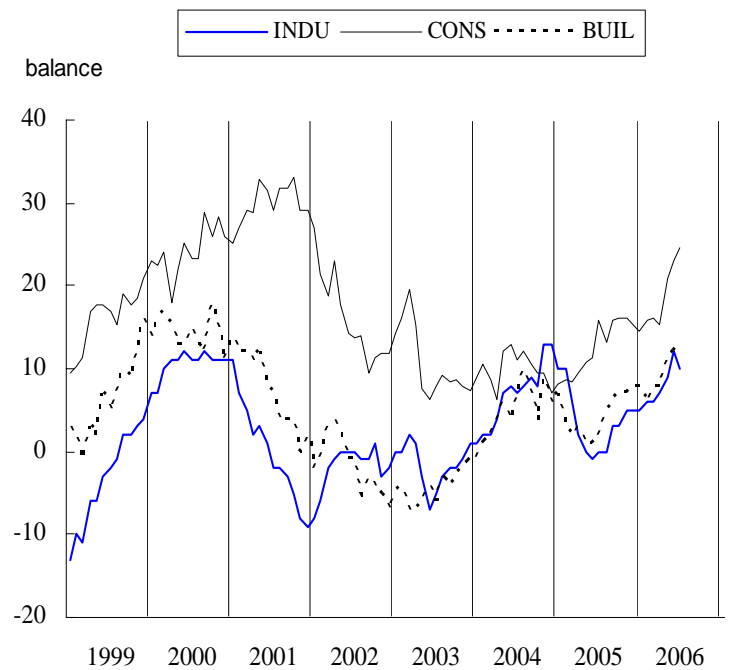


TABLE 1*: Indicators of confidence and economic sentiment(s.a.)		Since 01/1990 ¹⁾																
		2005					2006											
		Min.		Ave.	Max.		Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
Value		Date	Value	Date	Value	Value	Value	Value	Value	Value	Value	Value	Value	Value	Value	Value	Value	
EU	1. Industry	-28	11-92	-8	7	12-94	-8	-7	-6	-7	-6	-6	-3	-2	1	1	2	3
	2. Services	-6	03-03	17	32	08-98	11	11	13	15	12	15	14	15	19	19	18	18
	3. Consumer	-27	03-93	-11	2	12-00	-12	-12	-11	-11	-9	-9	-8	-9	-8	-7	-8	-7
	4. Retail trade	-20	01-93	-7	4	07-90	-10	-8	-7	-10	-6	-6	-5	-3	-2	-1	3	1
	5. Construction	-42	10-93	-19	3	02-90	-9	-7	-6	-3	-6	-4	-4	-4	-3	-2	-2	0
	=6. ESI	76.6	06-93	100.0	116.2	05-00	98.7	100.0	101.5	100.8	101.2	102.3	104.1	104.9	108.1	108.2	108.7	109.5
Euro area	1. Industry	-31	07-93	-8	6	05-00	-8	-7	-6	-7	-5	-4	-2	-1	1	2	3	4
	2. Services	-5	11-01	18	34	08-98	10	11	14	14	13	15	14	15	18	20	19	19
	3. Consumer	-29	07-93	-12	2	05-00	-15	-14	-13	-13	-11	-11	-10	-11	-10	-9	-9	-8
	4. Retail trade	-23	01-93	-8	8	08-90	-10	-7	-5	-8	-5	-6	-5	-1	-1	-1	2	-1
	5. Construction	-43	10-93	-19	4	03-90	-9	-7	-7	-3	-6	-4	-5	-3	-3	-2	-2	1
	=6. ESI	76.1	06-93	100.0	115.9	05-00	97.5	98.5	100.2	99.7	100.5	101.5	102.7	103.6	105.7	106.7	107.1	107.8
BE	1. Industry	-33	04-93	-10	6	07-06	-12	-11	-6	-6	-4	-5	-2	0	2	3	3	6
	2. Services	-7	03-03	13	33	03-98	5	14	14	11	14	28	11	10	21	15	23	16
	3. Consumer	-27	08-93	-6	17	12-00	-10	-14	-6	-9	-6	-4	-5	-6	-5	-5	-3	-2
	4. Retail trade	-25	05-93	-6	13	04-90	-8	-9	0	-7	-4	-5	-2	-1	-9	-2	7	1
	5. Construction	-35	11-95	-11	10	02-00	-6	-4	-3	-1	-3	1	0	0	2	2	1	7
	=6. ESI	77.0	04-93	100.0	120.2	06-00	97.5	99.9	105.0	103.3	106.0	110.7	105.8	107.1	111.9	110.0	112.7	112.7
CZ	1. Industry	-31	03-99	0	27	06-00	6	6	10	9	8	8	6	7	9	10	12	12
	2. Services	32	06-05	40	48	07-02	37	41	38	35	41	43	44	43	40	42	45	45
	3. Consumer	-36	03-98	-14	4	03-06	-4	0	-1	2	-1	3	3	4	1	1	0	3
	4. Retail trade	-1	02-99	14	26	08-02	15	19	20	24	22	15	21	18	16	18	22	22
	5. Construction	-64	06-99	-17	3	06-95	-7	-1	0	-2	-8	-9	-7	-6	-7	-6	-7	1
	=6. ESI	69.6	03-99	100.0	118.5	07-06	104.3	109.8	108.4	106.2	110.8	112.9	113.7	113.8	109.9	112.9	116.8	118.5
DK	1. Industry	-26	12-98	-2	16	09-94	2	0	3	3	1	4	4	6	8	9	11	9
	2. Services	11	10-01	27	37	04-04	31	33	31	33	35	34	32	30	32	32	35	32
	3. Consumer	-11	10-90	7	18	01-06	13	15	16	17	18	18	16	16	18	18	16	16
	4. Retail trade	-6	10-01	18	37	11-94	27	26	27	25	29	25	26	25	27	28	29	24
	5. Construction	-37	12-91	-7	23	06-06	3	5	14	16	18	21	20	18	21	22	23	22
	=6. ESI	74.5	12-98	100.0	121.2	09-94	111.9	111.5	112.5	114.1	114.0	115.3	114.4	114.0	116.9	117.3	119.1	116.6
DE	1. Industry	-35	04-93	-11	11	09-90	-11	-9	-8	-9	-7	-5	-3	-1	3	3	5	5
	2. Services	-18	12-02	25	52	03-99	10	10	11	10	12	18	16	18	19	21	17	18
	3. Consumer	-28	10-93	-11	6	05-00	-15	-14	-11	-12	-8	-6	-7	-8	-6	-3	-5	-6
	4. Retail trade	-41	01-03	-16	19	12-90	-28	-24	-23	-29	-26	-23	-16	-9	-12	-12	-5	-11
	5. Construction	-55	12-02	-34	2	02-90	-41	-37	-35	-35	-36	-33	-29	-26	-20	-19	-17	-15
	=6. ESI	81.0	07-93	100.0	120.3	09-90	94.7	95.6	96.9	95.9	97.8	100.3	101.5	103.0	104.8	106.2	105.7	105.9
EE	1. Industry	-31	07-92	5	22	07-06	15	13	19	17	21	14	13	18	18	16	20	22
	2. Services	4	11-04	23	39	01-06	22	26	24	30	33	39	27	18	14	17	21	27
	3. Consumer	-56	04-93	-21	13	04-06	-4	-10	1	3	7	9	9	9	13	12	11	8
	4. Retail trade	-1	04-03	19	34	06-06	21	23	25	23	26	27	27	26	31	32	34	33
	5. Construction	-46	12-99	5	48	05-06	33	28	30	39	46	45	45	45	45	48	46	39
	=6. ESI	70.6	07-92	100.0	126.7	01-06	111.0	111.1	115.5	119.9	125.9	126.7	117.5	113.5	112.5	114.0	118.6	121.7
EL	1. Industry	-12	09-90	0	13	03-00	-8	-6	-6	-6	-2	-1	-1	3	3	4	6	5
	2. Services	-14	04-03	26	62	08-00	12	13	21	20	14	13	15	19	25	31	30	33
	3. Consumer	-44	07-03	-30	-6	04-00	-33	-35	-37	-36	-36	-31	-36	-38	-40	-36	-31	-33
	4. Retail trade	-24	06-95	2	27	03-04	1	5	5	4	12	11	19	23	22	14	21	23
	5. Construction	-53	03-05	-12	33	04-00	-47	-45	-40	-36	-34	-30	-22	-15	-23	-22	-17	-9
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ES	1. Industry	-44	01-93	-9	7	04-00	-5	-4	-5	-5	-3	-7	-6	-3	-5	-1	-2	-2
	2. Services	5	02-06	29	56	06-98	23	19	19	22	24	18	5	9	16	20	14	15
	3. Consumer	-37	10-92	-11	6	03-00	-11	-11	-11	-13	-10	-12	-13	-12	-10	-14	-14	-14
	4. Retail trade	-36	02-93	-7	10	06-00	-4	-5	-4	-3	-5	-10	-13	-13	-2	-11	-19	-9
	5. Construction	-57	10-92	-1	42	01-99	25	26	23	39	23	21	6	19	11	12	12	20
	=6. ESI	69.9	01-93	100.0	116.7	04-00	99.1	98.2	98.6	99.2	101.1	95.4	91.2	94.2	96.6	98.3	95.2	96.2
FR	1. Industry	-41	06-93	-8	15	06-00	-8	-9	-7	-9	-6	-7	-4	-5	-2	-2	-2	-1
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	3. Consumer	-34	08-93	-18	4	01-01	-15	-13	-15	-16	-16	-15	-13	-16	-15	-13	-15	-11
	4. Retail trade	-37	04-97	-15	6	10-04	-9	-6	-5	-3	0	-10	-8	-8	-3	-4	5	0
	5. Construction	-60	03-93	-15	34	10-00	7	8	12	13	10	15	14	15	14	15	15	16
	=6. ESI	75.1	06-93	100.0	119.1	04-00	105.4	105.6	105.2	103.8	104.1	104.4	106.4	105.3	107.2	107.4	106.5	107.8
IE	1. Industry	-23	11-01	-2	21	11-99	-4	-4	-11	-3	-5	-6	0	5	2	-2	10	15
	2. Services	-14	05-03	15	44	08-98	-6	-2	10	16	19	18	15	14	9	9	18	20
	3. Consumer	-31	03-93	-4	19	01-00	1	-4	-3	1	3	4	4	1	0	-3	-5	-4
	4. Retail trade	-21	05-03	3	24	06-00	2	-10	-7	0	0	-2	-3	-2	-5	0	-1	-2
	5. Construction	-54	09-02	10	58	06-97	20	28	24	31	13	13	0	-2	4	-1	12	-20
	=6. ESI	79.2	06-93	100.0	122.4	11-99	94.4	93.5	94.1	100.7	100.1	99.2	100.6	102.3	100.3	99.5	105.9	109.9
IT	1. Industry	-22	04-93	-4	13	07-95	-4	-3	-3	-3	-1	1	0	2	5	5	7	6
	2. Services	-5	11-01	17	44	02-98	0	14	23	28	19	19	19	17	30	25	33	37
	3. Consumer	-38	04-93	-13	2	06-01	-21	-21	-20	-17	-17	-19	-15	-15	-17	-14	-16	-14
	4. Retail trade	-19	10-96	9	39	10-95	19	24	30	22	26	27	19	26	22	29	27	24
	5. Construction	-68	10-93	-13	21	05-90	-3	-5	-10	-6	-2	3	0	-5	-4	-7	-11	-10
	=6. ESI	73.0	04-93	100.0	118.9	02-95	93.6	98.1	101.9	103.8	102.7	104.0	104.9	104.6	107.4	107.0	110.2	110.9
CY	1. Industry	-9	04-03	3	12	04-02	0	1	-1	-3	-1	2	1	3	3	4	3	2
	2. Services	-20	09-02	6	20	02-06	11	5	4	15	4	7	20	16	16			

		TABLE 1* (continued): Indicators of confidence and economic sentiment (s.a.)																
		Since 01/1990 ^(*)						2005					2006					
		Min.		Ave.		Max.		Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June
Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date													
LT	1. Industry	-37	11-98	-13	8	06-06	-3	4	5	1	4	4	4	6	5	7	8	5
	2. Services	9	11-04	19	34	07-06	17	23	27	32	25	30	27	17	12	15	23	34
	3. Consumer	-32	05-01	-12	0	04-06	-6	-7	-5	-1	-2	-2	-1	-1	0	0	0	0
	4. Retail trade	-25	09-00	-3	37	07-06	13	12	13	17	15	17	14	12	17	12	22	37
	5. Construction	-76	09-00	-38	9	03-06	1	2	1	7	7	6	-1	9	1	5	4	6
	=6. ESI	74.8	11-98	100.0	142.8	07-06	121.1	127.8	133.5	136.4	133.0	135.9	135.3	130.1	127.2	130.8	136.2	142.8
LU	1. Industry	-35	05-92	-10	26	04-95	-21	-18	-10	-9	-4	-5	-11	-14	-11	-10	-16	-13
	2. Services	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	3. Consumer	-8	05-06	2	14	02-02	-1	-4	-1	1	-1	2	-1	0	-4	-8	-2	-4
	4. Retail trade	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	5. Construction	-73	03-94	-26	24	03-90	-26	-32	-22	-20	-22	-19	-27	-23	-26	-29	-30	-26
	=6. ESI	82.9	06-96	100.0	123.1	04-95	92.6	90.8	97.5	98.5	100.0	101.7	95.6	96.2	93.9	89.8	93.0	91.2
HU	1. Industry	-15	05-99	-3	8	12-97	-10	-6	-5	-6	-3	-3	-3	0	1	1	-2	0
	2. Services	-11	10-04	1	14	03-02	-1	0	3	2	-7	5	1	-4	-1	0	-2	-8
	3. Consumer	-58	04-95	-28	0	08-02	-26	-24	-26	-21	-17	-15	-10	-11	-11	-23	-41	-46
	4. Retail trade	-28	05-05	-8	9	11-97	-26	-13	-12	-12	-12	-13	-14	-10	-5	-3	-4	-16
	5. Construction	-24	12-04	-8	11	09-98	-16	-9	-13	-10	-15	-16	-17	-12	-10	-5	-9	-9
	=6. ESI	72.1	04-05	100.0	123.5	04-98	83.3	91.2	94.3	95.3	88.4	102.3	98.5	98.8	103.5	102.5	89.2	84.0
MT	1. Industry	-24	07-05	-7	10	03-06	-13	-7	-6	-13	6	5	3	10	7	-11	-4	5
	2. Services	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	3. Consumer	-36	07-06	-25	0	01-03	-33	-29	-29	-29	-29	-24	-31	-33	-36	-35	-35	-36
	4. Retail trade	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	5. Construction	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	=6. ESI	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
NL	1. Industry	-12	05-93	-2	7	07-06	-4	-2	1	0	-1	0	2	3	3	1	4	7
	2. Services	3	06-03	16	35	12-97	4	6	9	8	8	5	10	13	12	:	:	:
	3. Consumer	-19	07-93	4	31	03-00	-7	-7	-2	-2	3	3	3	9	5	9	16	15
	4. Retail trade	-16	12-03	12	30	10-99	-9	-7	-3	-3	7	7	6	7	11	:	:	:
	5. Construction	-25	05-03	-3	27	12-00	4	6	4	6	3	3	7	4	7	14	15	11
	=6. ESI	79.0	05-93	100.0	117.5	12-97	91.0	93.0	97.9	96.7	97.3	98.5	102.6	105.2	103.9	98.0	104.2	107.5
AT	1. Industry	-30	06-93	-11	8	03-90	-10	-7	-9	-8	-9	-5	-7	-3	-1	-1	0	2
	2. Services	0	01-02	15	30	03-98	9	8	8	12	12	16	15	14	15	21	21	20
	3. Consumer	-16	04-96	-1	11	07-00	-4	-5	-3	-2	-3	2	-1	1	2	4	5	7
	4. Retail trade	-29	03-03	-13	4	07-00	-13	-10	-8	-9	-8	-4	-2	-2	-1	-7	-2	-7
	5. Construction	-60	04-96	-28	-6	07-06	-18	-14	-13	-14	-12	-12	-7	-13	-9	-9	-7	-6
	=6. ESI	71.6	04-96	100.0	120.7	07-06	99.4	100.3	100.8	105.2	102.9	111.3	108.5	111.4	114.0	117.3	119.3	120.7
PL	1. Industry	-29	10-01	-14	9	09-97	-13	-11	-13	-12	-11	-12	-13	-12	-11	-10	-9	-7
	2. Services ⁽ⁿ⁾	-7	01-03	3	14	07-06	7	7	8	10	10	11	10	10	10	11	11	14
	3. Consumer	-40	08-01	-28	-11	02-06	-21	-20	-18	-15	-14	-13	-11	-12	-14	-18	-15	-12
	4. Retail trade	-19	01-02	-6	7	07-98	-5	-5	-5	-1	-4	-4	-5	-4	-4	-2	-1	0
	5. Construction	-63	12-02	-41	-10	07-06	-28	-27	-24	-21	-25	-21	-21	-19	-15	-15	-12	-10
	=6. ESI	75.8	02-99	100.0	162.2	07-06	127.0	131.6	134.2	143.5	146.3	150.5	150.9	151.2	150.4	149.0	153.1	162.2
PT	1. Industry	-28	06-93	-8	7	03-98	-12	-10	-7	-8	-10	-10	-8	-10	-11	-9	-9	-6
	2. Services	-17	05-03	7	29	06-01	2	-1	-3	-3	4	-5	-3	-5	-4	0	6	4
	3. Consumer	-49	03-03	-23	-1	07-91	-42	-41	-41	-40	-41	-41	-38	-36	-39	-38	-36	-36
	4. Retail trade	-27	01-03	-8	4	01-99	-19	-19	-17	-20	-11	-6	-15	-19	-11	-20	-13	-10
	5. Construction	-56	02-03	-27	-1	12-97	-39	-41	-31	-38	-39	-35	-35	-37	-42	-40	-36	-35
	=6. ESI	73.9	06-93	100.0	113.6	05-97	88.2	88.6	90.7	89.5	90.8	88.1	89.3	87.5	88.5	89.8	92.5	94.0
SI	1. Industry	-21	03-99	-3	18	06-00	-2	-1	0	-1	3	5	4	8	9	5	14	13
	2. Services	12	05-05	22	32	10-02	18	18	14	17	16	17	17	17	16	19	18	21
	3. Consumer	-29	06-99	-18	-9	10-04	-17	-21	-22	-26	-24	-16	-15	-18	-19	-16	-13	-13
	4. Retail trade	3	01-01	12	26	07-06	16	16	16	19	17	21	16	15	19	19	20	26
	5. Construction	-32	06-02	-8	6	01-05	-9	-8	-11	-10	-10	-15	-13	-6	-6	-3	-1	5
	=6. ESI	76.8	03-99	100.0	131.3	06-00	98.5	95.8	91.0	93.5	95.0	101.5	100.7	102.2	102.3	104.6	112.0	117.1
SK	1. Industry	-22	12-95	5	26	05-96	-1	7	2	4	-2	-4	1	7	8	18	9	10
	2. Services	27	09-05	46	60	06-03	31	27	29	30	41	48	42	42	43	44	48	47
	3. Consumer	-50	08-99	-29	-9	06-05	-14	-24	-18	-12	-14	-14	-14	-13	-16	-17	-14	-11
	4. Retail trade	-17	10-93	9	34	11-98	12	15	16	22	24	14	18	26	24	24	27	28
	5. Construction	-86	07-99	-26	18	03-97	-10	-9	-11	-5	-6	-10	-11	-7	-2	0	3	7
	=6. ESI	71.3	03-99	100.0	125.4	05-96	92.2	87.4	90.0	95.4	101.9	104.0	102.2	106.8	108.3	113.7	113.7	114.5
FI	1. Industry	-24	01-93	3	30	10-94	15	12	11	11	2	3	11	7	13	16	18	18
	2. Services	-12	09-03	27	61	09-00	41	40	37	35	38	31	45	44	41	48	36	9
	3. Consumer	6	11-01	15	23	02-00	15	13	16	17	17	14	16	13	11	14	18	16
	4. Retail trade	-17	11-00	-3	11	04-06	2	7	10	9	6	6	8	7	11	3	7	7
	5. Construction	-97	09-91	-16	48	06-98	22	10	10	12	19	22	24	25	22	13	19	22
	=6. ESI	74.6	04-91	100.0	120.7	11-94	113.5	111.5	111.1	111.5	108.4	105.9	113.0	109.9	111.3	114.0	113.0	107.1
SE	1. Industry	-29	10-01	-5	15	05-00	-7	-10	-2	-7	-4	2	0	-1	1	1	7	7
	2. Services	-24	01-03	18	46	12-00	26	34	37	42	33	37	39	35	36	36	29	29
	3. Consumer	-10	09-96	8	25	03-00	4	6	8	8	10	12	11	11	13	16	12	12
	4. Retail trade	-8	09-01	8	36	07-06	11	13	14	17	21	27	30	31	31	33	32	36
	5. Construction	-83	12-93	-34	27	01-06	8	21	15	15	19	27	25	16	26	23	16	14
	=6. ESI	79.0	10-01	100.0	127.1	03-00	106.3	107.8	112.3	110.7	110.7	115.8	115.3	113.5	116.3	117.4	117.3	115.7
UK	1. Industry	-40	02-91	-11	11	02-95	-17	-10	-10	-15	-15	-19	-12	-10	-3	-6	-7	-2
	2. Services	-20	12-02	14	37	10-97	10	3	3	13	-2	4	7	10	23	11	11	8
	3. Consumer	-28	10-92	-8	7	10-97	-2	-3	-4	-4	-4	-4	-2	-6	-3	-6	-5	-6
	4. Retail trade	-32	11-05	-5	20	06-04	-21	-22	-23	-32	-23	-14	-17	-17	-17	-11	-6	-3
	5. Construction	-79	06-91															

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		Since 01/1990						2005					2006						
		Min.		Ave.		Max.		Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
INDUSTRIAL CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EU	-28	11-92	-8	7	12-94	-8	-7	-6	-7	-6	-6	-3	-2	1	1	2	3	
	Euro area	-31	07-93	-8	6	05-00	-8	-7	-6	-7	-5	-4	-2	-1	1	2	3	4	
	BE	-33	04-93	-10	6	07-06	-12	-11	-6	-6	-4	-5	-2	0	2	3	3	6	
	CZ	-31	03-99	0	27	06-00	6	6	10	9	8	8	6	7	9	10	12	12	
	DK	-26	12-98	-2	16	09-94	2	0	3	3	1	4	4	6	8	9	11	9	
	DE	-35	04-93	-11	11	09-90	-11	-9	-8	-9	-7	-5	-3	-1	3	3	5	5	
	EE	-31	07-92	5	22	07-06	15	13	19	17	21	14	13	18	18	16	20	22	
	EL	-12	09-90	0	13	03-00	-8	-6	-6	-6	-2	-1	-1	3	3	4	6	5	
	ES	-44	01-93	-9	7	04-00	-5	-4	-5	-5	-3	-7	-6	-3	-5	-1	-2	-2	
	FR	-41	06-93	-8	15	06-00	-8	-9	-7	-9	-6	-7	-4	-5	-2	-2	-2	-1	
	IE	-23	11-01	-2	21	11-99	-4	-4	-11	-3	-5	-6	0	5	2	-2	10	15	
	IT	-22	04-93	-4	13	07-95	-4	-3	-3	-3	-1	1	0	2	5	5	7	6	
	CY	-9	04-03	3	12	04-02	0	1	-1	-3	-1	2	1	3	3	4	3	2	
	LV	-45	04-93	-10	8	12-05	6	7	5	7	8	5	5	5	5	5	4	7	
	LT	-37	11-98	-13	8	06-06	-3	4	5	1	4	4	4	6	5	7	8	5	
	LU	-35	05-92	-10	26	04-95	-21	-18	-10	-9	-4	-5	-11	-14	-11	-10	-16	-13	
	HU	-15	05-99	-3	8	12-97	-10	-6	-5	-6	-3	-3	-3	0	1	1	-2	0	
	MT	-24	07-05	-7	10	03-06	-13	-7	-6	-13	6	5	3	10	7	-11	-4	5	
	NL	-12	05-93	-2	7	07-06	-4	-2	1	0	-1	0	2	3	3	1	4	7	
	AT	-30	06-93	-11	8	03-90	-10	-7	-9	-8	-9	-5	-7	-3	-1	-1	0	2	
	PL	-29	10-01	-14	9	09-97	-13	-11	-13	-12	-11	-12	-13	-12	-11	-10	-9	-7	
PT	-28	06-93	-8	7	03-98	-12	-10	-7	-8	-10	-10	-8	-10	-11	-9	-9	-6		
SI	-21	03-99	-3	18	06-00	-2	-1	0	-1	3	5	4	8	9	5	14	13		
SK	-22	12-95	5	26	05-96	-1	7	2	4	-2	-4	1	7	8	18	9	10		
FI	-24	01-93	3	30	10-94	15	12	11	11	2	3	11	7	13	16	18	18		
SE	-29	10-01	-5	15	05-00	-7	-10	-2	-7	-4	2	0	-1	1	1	7	7		
UK	-40	02-91	-11	11	02-95	-17	-10	-10	-15	-15	-19	-12	-10	-3	-6	-7	-2		
PRODUCTION EXPECTATIONS	EU	-16	11-92	6	23	12-94	7	8	9	7	8	9	11	13	13	14	14	14	
	Euro area	-18	12-92	5	21	12-94	6	7	8	6	8	9	11	12	13	14	12	13	
Component of the industrial confidence indicator	BE	-36	04-93	-3	16	12-94	-2	-2	4	3	5	2	7	9	7	12	10	13	
	CZ	-26	05-93	22	61	05-95	28	28	35	36	30	29	19	20	24	30	35	33	
	DK	-23	12-98	10	30	02-98	10	8	14	15	14	13	16	16	16	19	16	9	
	DE	-26	11-92	1	20	12-94	3	4	5	2	4	9	8	11	12	14	10	12	
	EE	-70	04-92	19	68	03-02	27	23	30	27	29	19	19	28	25	23	27	24	
	EL	3	02-91	26	44	02-00	16	17	18	14	22	25	29	31	30	31	33	30	
	ES	-19	01-93	5	17	12-00	5	7	6	7	10	4	0	6	0	8	8	7	
	FR	-30	07-93	6	27	10-00	7	4	7	4	10	8	15	11	13	12	8	9	
	IE	-22	11-01	9	35	11-99	2	-3	-10	7	1	-10	18	18	7	5	15	26	
	IT	-12	12-92	14	31	12-94	11	13	15	13	14	16	13	17	18	22	24	19	
	CY	0	05-02	13	34	12-04	6	10	12	2	8	10	12	13	10	13	10	12	
	LV	-21	04-93	16	41	03-02	23	24	21	24	25	22	20	20	17	19	16	20	
	LT	-22	04-94	12	35	08-97	20	29	26	21	27	24	21	24	22	18	25	13	
	LU	-42	10-91	-4	28	04-95	-15	-11	-3	2	2	7	-8	-12	-4	0	-13	-3	
	HU	-10	06-05	12	34	12-97	-4	8	7	2	4	7	9	6	9	11	5	4	
	MT	-17	03-05	18	57	03-06	-4	14	17	13	40	41	55	57	49	37	38	33	
	NL	-4	04-93	7	15	11-99	5	6	13	9	6	11	14	14	12	7	11	14	
	AT	-19	06-93	5	18	03-06	7	13	10	8	6	14	13	18	18	15	17	17	
	PL	-4	10-01	20	44	02-03	17	21	17	20	23	18	15	17	17	21	21	21	
	PT	-11	03-93	4	21	01-97	-4	-4	0	-1	1	-2	-1	-2	-2	2	2	3	
	SI	10	10-01	23	42	06-00	24	27	26	29	23	26	23	30	31	30	40	33	
SK	-12	12-95	31	62	12-97	6	40	25	32	10	9	31	26	24	50	27	32		
FI	-26	06-91	14	50	07-05	41	38	30	33	14	14	33	23	30	36	31	28		
SE	-19	05-91	15	46	05-00	16	13	29	18	22	30	27	19	16	21	31	26		
UK	-38	02-91	5	33	02-95	0	5	3	1	1	-6	3	8	9	8	13	12		
ORDER BOOKS	EU	-50	07-93	-19	1	02-95	-20	-18	-17	-18	-15	-15	-12	-9	-4	-5	-2	1	
	Euro area	-54	07-93	-19	4	06-00	-18	-16	-16	-16	-13	-12	-10	-6	-1	-2	2	3	
Component of the industrial confidence indicator	BE	-51	05-93	-20	11	06-00	-29	-23	-20	-17	-14	-11	-9	-5	-3	-4	3	5	
	CZ	-50	12-98	-7	30	01-01	-4	-3	-3	-3	0	-1	1	3	2	3	7	6	
	DK	-41	04-99	-5	32	12-94	4	3	7	4	5	10	5	7	11	11	21	14	
	DE	-61	07-93	-23	12	07-90	-23	-19	-18	-19	-14	-13	-8	-5	2	1	6	7	
	EE	-43	10-92	2	29	06-01	10	10	21	11	22	14	13	19	20	14	19	24	
	EL	-31	06-05	-13	7	05-98	-24	-22	-20	-16	-14	-14	-15	-9	-9	-6	-2	-4	
	ES	-65	01-93	-16	11	07-98	-7	-7	-11	-9	-5	-11	-6	-1	-4	0	-2	-3	
	FR	-64	06-93	-16	27	06-00	-16	-19	-15	-18	-17	-15	-12	-11	-7	-5	-5	-3	
	IE	-36	06-93	-7	24	12-99	-8	-1	-17	-14	-11	-7	-13	-1	-3	-22	5	2	
	IT	-47	06-93	-16	13	02-95	-14	-14	-16	-15	-11	-12	-12	-7	1	-2	1	2	
	CY	-39	02-03	-17	-2	07-05	-7	-6	-11	-9	-5	-10	-9	-8	-11	-10	-5	-9	
	LV	-79	07-93	-38	-7	12-05	-9	-9	-11	-8	-7	-11	-10	-10	-8	-10	-8	-9	
	LT	-79	11-98	-40	-6	07-06	-24	-17	-15	-23	-20	-19	-14	-14	-13	-10	-9	-6	
	LU	-64	02-92	-18	34	12-97	-38	-24	-18	-15	-10	-14	-17	-24	-17	-17	-27	-17	
	HU	-40	03-03	-19	0	04-98	-25	-20	-16	-18	-11	-13	-16	-6	-8	-12	-6	-10	
	MT	-61	05-03	-27	11	06-05	-15	-15	-23	-28	-4	-5	-25	-6	3	-39	-14	7	
	NL	-25	01-93	-8	8	07-06	-10	-6	-5	-5	-4	-5	-5	-2	1	1	4	8	
	AT	-57	04-96	-25	11	03-90	-31	-26	-29	-25	-25	-23	-26	-23	-16	-14	-13	-8	
	PL	-77	01-02	-57	8	09-97	-53	-52	-54	-54	-52	-50	-51	-50	-48	-48	-45	-42	
	PT	-52	07-93	-19	9	03-98	-30	-21	-20	-20	-22	-22	-15	-20	-25	-20	-18	-9	
	SI	-51	03-99	-17	12	06-00	-13	-16	-14	-17	-6	-5	-5	2	2	-5	6	11	
SK	-70	03-99	-8	49	09-94	-4	-13	-14	-14	-14	-8	-13	0	2	4	-6	-4		
FI	-70	09-91	-12	40	11-94	-1	-2	9	4	2	8	8	8	15	15	26	30		
SE	-67	03-92	-23	25	12-94	-24	-25	-17	-18	-15	-								

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		Since 01/1990						2005					2006						
		Min.		Ave.		Max.		Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
STOCKS OF FINISHED PRODUCTS ^(b)	EU	22	12-94	11	3	06-93	12	10	10	11	11	11	9	9	7	7	6	6	5
	Euro area	24	11-94	10	2	04-93	11	10	10	9	10	10	8	8	7	6	5	5	5
Component of the industrial confidence indicator	BE	26	02-95	8	-4	10-01	5	7	3	3	4	5	4	2	-2	-1	6	1	
	CZ	46	04-00	16	-12	08-93	7	8	4	7	8	5	3	2	1	3	6	3	
	DK	28	03-94	10	-7	06-99	6	10	11	10	16	11	8	7	3	5	5	-2	
	DE	25	09-90	10	-9	07-93	13	11	11	11	11	10	8	8	6	5	2	3	
	EE	39	07-06	5	-18	06-93	-7	-6	-7	-12	-12	-9	-6	-8	-11	-11	-14	-18	
	EL	22	06-94	12	1	09-90	15	13	16	17	15	15	16	13	12	11	14	11	
	ES	47	11-02	15	-1	01-93	13	12	8	13	13	15	10	14	11	12	11	11	
	FR	34	04-00	13	-2	06-93	13	13	12	12	12	13	14	14	12	12	10	9	
	IE	23	07-06	6	-17	11-93	7	8	5	2	4	2	6	3	-2	-11	-10	-17	
	IT	17	07-95	8	-1	10-90	10	8	7	6	6	3	2	4	5	5	4	4	
	CY	5	09-01	-13	-34	12-05	-2	0	3	2	5	-4	-1	-3	-9	-8	-4	-3	
	LV	43	03-04	7	-12	07-93	-5	-5	-5	-5	-6	-3	-6	-4	-5	-5	-5	-9	
	LT	49	01-95	11	-16	01-94	4	-1	-3	-3	-4	-7	-7	-8	-7	-15	-8	-8	
	LU	31	03-95	8	-22	03-02	10	18	10	14	5	6	8	6	13	14	8	18	
	HU	15	11-03	3	-7	12-98	3	6	5	2	3	2	3	1	-1	-3	4	-5	
	MT	36	05-05	13	-14	06-06	20	19	12	24	17	20	21	22	30	32	36	24	
	NL	11	12-94	5	-1	06-91	6	6	6	5	5	5	3	4	5	6	3	1	
	AT	26	07-06	14	2	04-96	8	9	10	6	8	6	8	4	5	4	5	2	
	PL	20	10-94	3	-11	02-99	4	3	3	4	3	4	2	3	3	3	2	0	
	PT	25	09-04	8	-7	06-93	4	6	0	2	8	6	8	9	4	8	11	11	
SI	28	06-00	13	-1	02-96	15	15	12	14	7	8	7	9	6	9	5	5		
SK	55	02-01	8	-27	05-94	5	7	5	7	3	13	16	6	3	-1	-5	-3		
FI	31	04-95	4	-20	01-96	-6	0	5	5	9	13	7	10	7	4	4	4		
SE	37	03-00	17	3	11-01	12	18	17	22	19	16	16	15	13	15	8	16		
UK	32	04-06	17	6	11-98	23	10	13	20	19	23	16	19	6	10	17	6		
PRODUCTION TREND OBSERVED IN RECENT MONTHS	EU	-23	01-93	-1	19	01-95	-2	0	1	1	4	1	4	7	12	7	14	12	
	Euro area	-25	01-93	-2	16	01-95	-3	-1	0	0	4	1	4	7	12	6	15	11	
BE	-20	02-93	-1	16	06-06	-6	3	2	-2	8	-2	4	0	15	0	16	6		
CZ	-32	10-98	12	42	11-00	12	24	23	20	20	14	17	18	24	20	25	32		
DK	-21	04-99	11	41	09-94	9	8	11	12	17	23	22	20	19	20	21	25		
DE	-32	02-02	-4	22	12-90	-8	-1	0	-1	7	0	6	10	15	7	21	12		
EE	-24	03-99	14	56	06-01	22	22	21	20	24	24	24	15	25	18	23	29		
EL	-5	10-90	14	36	01-00	4	1	6	7	16	20	19	19	20	22	26	29		
ES	-44	04-93	0	21	04-95	0	-4	-2	3	-1	-1	6	9	6	-1	3	4		
FR	-38	07-93	4	36	01-95	7	6	3	6	4	3	3	6	16	11	14	12		
IE	-25	10-01	6	38	03-00	13	-6	3	6	0	3	8	5	13	6	16	17		
IT	-36	06-93	-10	14	03-95	-7	-10	-12	-12	-9	-8	-10	-5	1	-3	2	3		
CY	-37	04-03	-8	13	04-05	-1	-14	0	0	-5	-12	-3	-1	-8	-3	-1	2		
LV	-49	04-93	3	29	06-01	11	15	12	18	21	16	18	10	22	13	13	12		
LT	-36	07-94	2	34	04-98	16	19	21	4	31	14	20	11	13	13	7	15		
LU	-41	04-92	-2	32	04-95	-5	0	-2	-1	5	-4	-9	-9	-7	-5	10	4		
HU	-30	06-99	-1	27	04-98	-9	3	1	0	8	7	3	7	7	5	7	1		
MT	-32	05-03	4	52	07-06	2	21	22	16	36	10	38	34	37	27	41	52		
NL	-12	05-93	3	14	10-97	-5	10	4	-2	5	6	6	7	8	7	14	12		
AT	-28	06-93	5	27	03-90	9	6	12	16	16	14	11	15	22	22	27	26		
PL	-18	07-96	1	23	04-04	0	5	5	6	18	12	2	-1	0	7	13	14		
PT	-18	01-93	-2	15	08-94	-7	-3	2	-6	-3	-11	-6	-12	-2	0	3	2		
SI	-20	02-99	8	39	05-00	-8	9	9	2	16	13	13	12	19	3	23	21		
SK	-30	12-96	17	78	12-03	5	-20	-2	6	43	20	35	29	41	25	11	52		
FI	-28	06-91	11	53	12-04	-4	3	21	18	25	22	27	39	26	32	52	40		
SE	-28	07-91	10	48	12-94	3	17	23	15	17	16	22	28	31	24	33	34		
UK	-46	06-91	-2	34	03-95	-5	-10	-6	0	-10	-8	-6	-2	2	7	2	5		
EXPORT ORDER BOOKS	EU	-45	01-93	-20	1	07-06	-19	-17	-16	-14	-12	-12	-10	-7	-4	-3	0	1	
	Euro area	-52	06-93	-20	3	06-06	-18	-17	-15	-14	-11	-11	-9	-6	-2	-2	3	3	
BE	-56	05-93	-21	7	06-00	-35	-24	-23	-24	-18	-17	-11	-10	-3	-3	7	4		
CZ	-41	12-98	-3	26	09-00	-6	-7	-6	-7	0	-5	-2	-2	-2	-1	2	3		
DK	-39	04-99	-4	25	09-94	2	4	2	5	3	3	3	6	6	7	15	11		
DE	-60	08-93	-26	4	06-06	-17	-13	-12	-12	-7	-10	-8	-5	1	2	4	2		
EE	-37	03-99	1	25	03-01	2	-1	2	0	5	9	5	9	11	8	6	7		
EL	-36	05-03	-15	13	03-95	-23	-24	-19	-12	-5	-7	-9	-8	-6	-5	-3	-9		
ES	-55	01-93	-19	6	05-95	-19	-24	-25	-16	-17	-19	-18	-11	-13	-11	-11	-11		
FR	-65	07-93	-12	36	06-00	-15	-16	-12	-12	-13	-9	3	-1	1	4	8	13		
IE	-53	09-93	-7	38	04-00	7	-5	-23	-11	-23	2	-22	3	-10	-40	4	18		
IT	-43	09-92	-18	19	02-95	-20	-20	-18	-18	-13	-12	-15	-7	-2	-5	1	-2		
CY	-54	05-03	-23	4	05-05	-10	-14	-24	-11	-12	-9	-13	-1	-6	-2	-19	-10		
LV	-59	12-98	-35	-14	05-06	-16	-20	-16	-17	-15	-18	-16	-16	-15	-14	-17	-17		
LT	-65	04-99	-35	-10	07-06	-25	-18	-19	-24	-25	-21	-13	-20	-19	-11	-11	-10		
LU	-75	11-91	-23	45	04-00	-45	-30	-25	-21	-20	-21	-24	-24	-18	-15	-21	-12		
HU	-44	12-02	-16	7	02-98	-30	-26	-25	-17	-12	-16	-21	-22	-13	-12	-12	-18		
MT	-82	09-03	-30	10	06-05	-11	-11	-26	-23	2	1	-24	-6	-1	-55	-27	-1		
NL	-24	01-93	-6	13	07-06	-7	-4	-3	-5	-2	0	2	2	4	4	9	13		
AT	-58	04-96	-34	-1	03-90	-42	-37	-39	-37	-33	-33	-33	-29	-27	-22	-23	-21		
PL	-75	05-99	-57	13	07-97	-59	-57	-57	-58	-56	-56	-55	-54	-52	-51	-50	-47		
PT	-59	04-93	-17	22	01-95	-27	-23	-21	-23	-19	-16	-19	-17	-18	-20	-5	-13		
SI	-53	05-99	-15	16	07-06	-11	-14	-10	-17	-7	-3	-3	2	6	-2	9	16		
SK	-57	03-99	-8	53	01-94	1	-4	-6	-14	-12	-8</								

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

		Since 01/1990			2005					2006								
		Min.	Ave.	Max.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July		
		Value	Date	Value													Date	
EMPLOYMENT EXPECTATIONS	EU	-39	06-93	-15	2	11-00	-14	-14	-13	-13	-11	-11	-10	-8	-8	-7	-8	-7
	Euro area	-42	06-93	-13	4	11-00	-13	-14	-12	-12	-10	-11	-8	-7	-7	-6	-6	-6
	BE	-26	09-93	-9	9	09-00	-15	-12	-11	-10	-5	-7	-3	-4	2	1	0	3
	CZ	-58	06-99	-24	2	06-06	-9	-5	-10	-6	-7	-10	-9	-8	-2	-1	2	1
	DK	-23	06-93	-3	13	03-98	1	-4	2	2	0	1	2	8	1	4	0	-2
	DE	-52	06-93	-18	8	02-90	-17	-17	-15	-17	-14	-14	-12	-11	-11	-11	-11	-9
	EE	-78	04-92	-11	16	03-05	4	4	9	7	4	5	8	12	10	14	14	12
	EL	-12	02-06	-2	12	05-02	-8	-5	-6	-7	-3	-7	-12	-9	-2	4	3	3
	ES	-53	06-93	-9	9	03-01	-8	-8	-12	-12	-5	-8	-5	1	-1	5	-4	-5
	FR	-50	09-93	-17	12	09-00	-18	-21	-17	-14	-17	-17	-11	-13	-12	-12	-10	-11
	IE	-34	12-92	-10	16	09-00	-15	-11	-12	-14	-13	-7	-9	1	3	-14	0	-9
	IT	-30	08-96	-4	11	11-00	-3	-6	-5	-4	-2	0	-1	1	0	2	4	1
	CY	-16	04-02	11	38	10-04	8	10	34	11	12	26	12	15	16	13	12	18
	LV	-51	04-93	-8	11	11-05	6	7	10	11	9	7	8	6	10	9	8	8
	LT	-59	04-94	-26	8	06-06	-4	1	8	0	6	-2	-3	5	0	-1	8	2
	LU	-55	12-91	-27	1	09-01	-29	-27	-24	-26	-29	-31	-29	-30	-31	-27	-31	-28
	HU	-60	12-91	-17	10	10-97	-12	-12	-15	-15	-12	-11	-5	-5	1	1	-4	-1
	MT	-24	02-05	-3	18	12-02	-6	-1	-21	-24	-3	-10	-12	-20	3	-7	-4	-2
	NL	-30	06-93	-8	15	06-90	-10	-10	-7	-9	-8	-4	-5	-4	-2	-5	-2	-3
	AT	-29	01-96	-9	6	07-06	-10	-4	-4	0	-1	2	3	3	4	5	6	6
	PL	-55	12-99	-23	-1	07-06	-5	-3	-4	-4	-3	-3	-4	-3	-4	-2	-2	-1
	PT	-35	06-93	-16	-2	02-90	-19	-23	-21	-22	-24	-26	-20	-18	-20	-19	-13	-14
	SI	-42	10-95	-23	-8	07-06	-24	-22	-21	-21	-18	-18	-16	-22	-18	-16	-10	-8
	SK	-56	06-99	-23	2	06-96	-20	-19	-18	-17	-22	-18	-12	-12	-11	-11	-8	-4
	FI	-60	06-91	-15	15	12-00	-5	2	-1	-8	0	-7	-6	-7	-16	-3	-7	-1
	SE	-51	06-92	-19	23	12-94	-23	-29	-26	-26	-26	-16	-16	-14	-17	-13	-7	-4
UK	-50	03-91	-20	2	06-97	-16	-19	-15	-16	-16	-15	-19	-16	-16	-15	-21	-16	
SELLING-PRICE EXPECTATIONS	EU	-13	01-99	5	26	02-95	0	3	3	5	5	5	6	6	7	9	12	10
	Euro area	-10	12-98	5	25	02-95	1	4	3	6	6	6	7	6	7	10	12	11
	BE	-18	02-96	2	26	12-94	-4	-1	5	3	1	3	8	11	12	13	16	15
	CZ	-6	12-98	20	71	03-95	3	13	16	5	5	-1	4	7	6	13	14	13
	DK	-12	11-01	-1	12	11-04	-2	-7	1	2	3	1	4	-4	6	-1	-2	7
	DE	-8	12-93	6	23	02-95	-1	3	1	5	3	4	6	5	7	8	8	9
	EE	-28	03-99	16	86	04-92	14	20	23	14	21	19	19	17	19	18	23	23
	EL	-4	01-99	17	41	10-90	6	6	7	7	7	8	9	11	12	20	20	19
	ES	-18	04-93	3	35	04-95	3	4	4	8	5	6	9	7	6	6	12	7
	FR	-26	01-99	0	24	02-90	-1	3	-2	5	9	0	0	-1	-1	8	11	9
	IE	-25	11-92	-2	29	11-03	-4	1	5	-6	3	-4	0	8	8	3	7	6
	IT	-10	12-98	11	40	03-95	9	9	11	10	12	13	14	16	15	16	18	16
	CY	-8	10-01	5	39	10-03	4	11	-6	6	4	3	-2	0	0	2	-1	5
	LV	-17	12-98	16	50	07-94	20	26	18	24	25	25	23	22	19	23	23	27
	LT	-20	01-00	15	75	11-93	1	11	14	6	6	7	9	15	13	16	8	6
	LU	-50	08-91	-2	53	12-94	-15	-11	-1	6	3	-2	-3	-1	-9	2	10	4
	HU	1	02-06	27	51	01-01	11	18	20	15	13	5	1	6	9	14	19	34
	MT	-44	12-04	-11	33	12-03	-7	-20	-10	-19	-34	-32	-23	-29	-22	-27	-33	-29
	NL	-7	01-99	5	20	12-94	1	2	6	5	4	6	9	4	7	8	15	15
	AT	-23	03-96	-1	17	03-90	1	3	1	3	2	3	10	8	8	12	14	14
	PL	-6	06-02	13	46	01-93	0	-1	-5	2	-2	-2	2	1	0	5	7	9
	PT	-9	05-03	8	29	10-90	7	10	3	3	-1	16	1	3	3	16	10	5
	SI	-24	04-99	-7	11	06-06	-5	-6	-3	-4	-5	-2	4	-1	1	7	11	4
	SK	-33	03-01	29	81	04-95	8	-1	19	6	-2	12	18	15	29	22	23	7
	FI	-34	03-96	3	49	08-94	6	9	4	14	14	20	18	17	23	23	27	28
	SE	-20	11-96	5	37	12-94	-1	6	6	8	16	11	3	7	6	8	17	2
UK	-30	01-99	0	29	02-95	-6	-6	1	-1	0	5	4	9	9	2	10	8	

(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 2b: Quarterly survey of manufacturing industry

Capacity utilisation in manufacturing industry (%) (s.a.) ^(a)													
	Since 01/1990					2004	2005				2006		
	Min.		Ave.	Max.									
	Value	Date		Value	Date	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III
EU	77.4	III-93	81.8	85.5	I-90	82.0	81.9	81.2	81.1	81.0	81.9	82.3	83.3
Euro area	77.0	III-93	82.0	85.7	II-90	82.1	81.9	81.1	80.9	81.1	82.0	82.5	83.6
BE	74.5	II-93	80.0	84.8	I-01	80.9	80.9	79.4	78.2	79.1	80.4	82.8	83.9
CZ	70.9	IV-91	82.0	87.1	I-01	86.7	87.0	86.0	84.9	86.6	86.2	87.0	86.6
DK	76.4	II-93	82.0	86.1	III-98	82.8	81.9	83.3	84.3	84.1	84.6	85.4	84.1
DE	78.3	III-93	84.1	89.5	I-91	83.9	83.9	81.9	82.7	82.9	84.2	84.4	86.4
EE	52.2	IV-93	66.7	79.4	I-06	74.8	75.7	77.5	77.6	78.0	79.4	79.1	78.5
EL	71.9	I-05	76.1	79.3	II-01	74.1	71.9	72.4	71.9	72.2	74.2	74.6	77.2
ES	71.1	III-93	78.2	81.1	II-06	79.3	80.1	80.1	80.6	80.1	80.7	81.1	79.4
FR	78.5	III-94	84.6	89.1	IV-00	84.6	84.0	84.6	82.5	81.8	83.6	84.5	85.2
IE	69.7	II-05	76.3	83.3	I-96	75.0	72.2	69.7	78.2	76.8	74.0	76.1	76.3
IT	71.6	III-93	76.4	80.2	I-90	76.7	76.4	76.4	75.9	76.7	76.8	77.3	78.0
CY	62.7	IV-02	71.1	76.2	IV-01	70.0	72.6	71.3	73.9	72.6	69.6	74.5	68.7
LV	44.6	II-93	60.9	75.0	III-05	69.1	70.1	71.7	75.0	71.1	74.6	74.4	71.4
LT	44.1	IV-95	56.8	73.4	III-06	68.7	69.8	70.5	70.1	72.1	72.2	73.1	73.4
LU	77.8	IV-96	83.6	89.2	I-01	86.0	84.9	83.2	79.8	81.4	82.8	84.0	86.7
HU	76.1	I-96	80.3	87.1	IV-00	80.0	80.5	82.2	83.7	82.0	84.0	84.0	84.6
MT	19.6	II-03	67.1	92.8	II-06	70.7	61.4	86.8	71.1	71.7	69.4	92.8	80.2
NL	80.3	III-93	83.6	86.2	II-90	82.7	82.3	82.0	81.7	82.1	81.5	81.9	81.4
AT	79.1	IV-02	81.9	85.0	III-00	82.4	82.2	81.8	81.3	81.3	81.9	83.2	84.0
PL	66.6	I-02	74.1	78.4	III-06	77.4	77.6	74.8	76.0	76.9	76.5	77.0	78.4
PT	72.6	IV-93	79.4	84.3	IV-03	80.2	81.6	79.2	79.9	79.2	78.7	78.0	79.4
SI	76.3	III-96	80.2	84.7	III-06	81.2	81.7	82.5	81.9	82.6	83.1	83.8	84.7
SK	65.3	IV-03	78.7	87.1	II-01	84.2	75.6	79.1	78.4	80.2	79.2	79.7	69.2
FI	80.7	III-03	85.3	89.9	III-98	86.9	85.5	87.5	82.4	84.3	85.2	85.1	88.1
SE	82.2	III-01	85.1	88.5	IV-00	87.1	86.7	87.3	85.9	84.4	85.7	86.1	88.4
UK	77.4	I-93	81.0	85.4	II-95	81.0	81.3	80.2	80.3	79.4	80.5	79.3	81.7

Production capacity in manufacturing industry ^{(a) (b) (c)}													
	Since 01/1990					2004	2005				2006		
	Min.		Ave.	Max.									
	Value	Date		Value	Date	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III
EU	5	I-90	19	38	III-93	16	18	21	19	18	18	13	10
Euro area	2	I-90	18	38	II-93	16	17	20	19	17	17	12	9
BE	9	III-06	28	54	III-93	17	24	29	30	25	22	19	9
CZ	-7	II-00	7	28	III-99	0	2	7	6	3	3	4	2
DK	-5	I-98	15	33	II-93	9	10	16	11	5	2	2	7
DE	-6	IV-90	19	42	II-93	19	20	24	21	19	16	10	7
EE	-14	II-06	14	38	I-96	3	-8	-5	2	-7	-11	-14	-12
EL	0	II-00	12	24	III-05	14	18	20	24	20	20	12	11
ES	-2	II-00	7	20	II-93	3	5	6	4	5	9	7	1
FR	-13	III-00	16	46	III-93	9	10	17	14	10	12	10	10
IE	-22	III-06	12	29	III-93	15	17	11	13	11	10	5	-22
IT	12	I-90	25	36	I-93	26	29	28	28	29	28	22	26
CY	-13	II-02	4	24	II-05	21	10	24	-2	2	-4	3	8
LV	-6	III-03	16	53	III-93	0	0	0	1	-1	-1	-1	-2
LT	1	III-06	27	68	IV-93	16	20	21	13	8	14	2	1
LU	-12	I-98	20	57	IV-96	-6	-4	6	11	7	13	18	21
HU	-41	IV-03	25	48	IV-05	42	23	38	33	48	20	23	21
MT	-12	II-06	12	31	I-05	22	31	26	27	18	11	-12	-11
NL	-3	I-01	5	16	III-93	2	4	2	5	9	8	6	3
AT	0	III-00	14	22	III-03	11	15	15	20	14	13	5	3
PL	9	III-06	32	56	III-92	17	16	14	17	16	16	11	9
PT	1	III-00	15	41	III-93	20	22	18	24	19	20	21	18
SI	-2	III-06	20	40	II-96	10	13	14	15	11	8	7	-2
SK	-12	III-04	6	27	I-94	7	2	1	7	2	6	5	-1
FI	-21	II-95	24	81	IV-91	7	11	15	13	16	17	8	-2
SE	-19	III-00	8	30	IV-01	4	7	17	26	10	20	10	0
UK	10	II-95	31	55	III-91	27	27	32	23	28	30	25	18

TABLE 2b (continued): Quarterly survey of manufacturing industry

Estimated number of months' production assured by orders on hand in manufacturing industry (s.a.) ^(a)													
	Since 01/1990					2004		2005			2006		
	Min.		Ave.	Max.		IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III
	Value	Date	Value	Date									
EU	2.7	III-93	3.1	3.6	II-90	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.5
Euro area	2.6	III-93	3.1	3.6	II-90	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3
BE	2.8	III-03	3.2	4.2	III-90	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.5
CZ	7.4	III-03	12.7	22.5	II-01	10.1	10.1	10.3	8.1	9.3	8.9	9.2	8.9
DK	1.4	III-00	1.9	2.5	III-90	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.6
DE	2.4	IV-93	2.8	3.3	III-90	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.8
EE	3.9	II-05	5.4	7.2	II-02	4.8	4.8	3.9	5.0	4.8	4.1	4.0	4.8
EL	4.2	IV-05	5.5	6.6	III-90	4.9	4.8	4.5	4.5	4.2	4.7	4.6	4.7
ES	1.5	II-93	2.7	4.2	I-05	3.4	4.2	3.8	4.1	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9
FR	2.5	III-97	3.2	4.4	I-02	3.3	3.2	2.9	3.3	3.3	3.5	3.3	3.5
IE	1.6	IV-93	2.5	3.7	II-06	3.0	3.2	2.6	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.7	2.5
IT	2.1	III-96	3.6	4.7	II-90	3.4	3.1	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.7	3.7	3.4
CY	2.8	III-01	3.9	4.8	II-05	4.7	4.4	4.8	3.7	4.5	4.1	3.5	3.5
LV	3.0	II-03	3.5	4.6	IV-05	3.4	3.1	3.5	3.6	4.6	3.1	3.4	4.1
LT	2.1	III-01	2.9	3.6	III-06	3.2	3.0	2.7	3.0	3.4	3.2	3.3	3.6
LU	1.9	IV-93	2.7	3.8	III-06	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.0	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.8
HU	2.9	III-02	4.2	6.0	II-06	4.2	5.0	3.8	4.1	4.6	4.5	6.0	5.2
MT	3.0	II-04	3.7	6.2	II-06	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.7	4.4	6.2	3.9
NL	2.1	I-95	2.6	3.3	I-91	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.0
AT	2.9	I-01	3.8	5.9	IV-01	3.6	4.0	4.3	4.0	3.7	4.4	4.3	4.4
PL	5.3	III-01	6.4	7.9	III-06	7.0	7.8	7.6	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.6	7.9
PT	2.7	III-03	3.8	6.4	II-04	5.0	4.2	3.2	3.8	3.2	4.3	3.4	4.7
SI	2.8	IV-98	4.3	5.0	IV-00	4.1	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.2	4.3	4.5	4.6
SK	4.9	III-06	7.3	9.5	I-01	6.9	6.7	5.7	5.9	5.3	5.6	5.3	4.9
FI	2.5	II-05	3.3	4.3	III-98	3.1	3.7	2.5	3.1	3.1	3.5	3.4	3.7
SE	1.8	IV-96	2.4	3.3	II-04	3.0	2.8	3.1	3.1	2.9	2.9	2.9	3.1
UK	2.4	I-95	3.1	3.8	I-99	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.6	3.2	3.2	3.7	3.5
New orders in manufacturing industry (s.a.) ^{(a)(c)}													
	Since 01/1990					2004		2005			2006		
	Min.		Ave.	Max.		IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III
	Value	Date	Value	Date									
EU	-21	IV-92	1	20	I-95	8	6	-4	2	4	7	18	14
Euro area	-22	IV-92	1	20	II-06	7	7	-3	4	5	8	20	15
BE	-24	I-96	-4	20	IV-97	8	0	-18	-7	-2	-2	14	7
CZ	-11	IV-01	10	33	III-06	24	19	0	9	15	18	29	33
DK	-23	I-99	7	37	III-94	10	4	-3	14	15	19	23	21
DE	-31	I-02	1	26	II-06	5	6	-4	8	8	11	26	17
EE	-14	IV-01	16	39	I-06	22	21	29	30	36	39	27	36
EL	-5	II-03	11	23	IV-97	6	3	1	5	1	1	18	13
ES	-8	II-93	5	14	I-04	5	7	13	12	3	6	9	9
FR	-45	III-93	-1	32	II-00	11	17	0	3	4	7	17	14
IE	-18	IV-01	2	28	III-95	-8	-14	-5	2	-16	1	5	7
IT	-34	IV-91	3	28	IV-94	8	2	-5	-6	2	6	16	13
CY	-43	II-03	-15	-4	III-06	-17	-20	-10	-9	-11	-16	-5	-4
LV	7	IV-01	14	22	IV-03	15	13	12	19	19	19	20	19
LT	-10	II-02	9	27	III-06	17	-4	3	13	15	16	22	27
LU	-48	I-93	-7	32	I-00	3	-8	-23	-16	-7	2	-12	7
HU	-21	II-05	-2	23	III-00	-10	-10	-21	-11	-2	4	10	0
MT	-5	IV-04	10	37	II-06	-5	6	5	3	28	31	37	31
NL	-12	II-03	7	19	IV-99	3	4	3	7	16	5	18	17
AT	-30	II-96	3	30	III-06	17	10	0	4	9	16	26	30
PL	-17	III-02	13	45	I-98	13	16	-6	6	9	10	1	16
PT	-37	III-93	-8	23	IV-94	-2	-6	-17	-22	-11	-16	-12	-14
SI	-10	IV-01	7	34	III-06	17	8	6	9	9	16	25	34
SK	4	III-05	30	52	II-00	38	7	28	4	24	10	23	9
FI	-30	III-01	9	49	I-00	35	18	-7	-4	2	14	31	41
SE	-38	I-91	5	48	II-00	18	14	1	-7	24	24	35	33
UK	-46	II-91	-6	29	I-95	10	-7	-19	-6	-12	-14	1	1

TABLE 2b (continued): Quarterly survey of manufacturing industry

Export volume expectations in manufacturing industry (s.a.) ^{(a) (c)}

	Since 01/1990					2004		2005				2006		
	Min.		Ave.	Max.		IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	
	Value	Date	Value	Date										
EU	-10	IV-01	7	21	I-95	14	10	7	8	10	15	16	17	
Euro area	-11	II-93	7	20	I-95	15	9	8	8	10	16	18	18	
BE	-26	I-96	-2	35	IV-97	12	-1	-20	-9	-3	3	8	7	
CZ	0	IV-01	29	54	IV-97	39	21	17	29	40	28	25	34	
DK	-2	IV-98	12	24	I-98	15	15	7	9	10	7	11	8	
DE	-16	IV-92	6	20	I-06	17	12	14	13	15	20	20	19	
EE	2	IV-01	18	38	III-00	19	25	24	15	21	26	16	24	
EL	6	III-03	22	41	IV-97	18	14	13	16	17	27	33	29	
ES	-8	II-93	4	12	III-97	5	3	10	4	9	8	10	6	
FR	-34	III-93	5	29	I-95	21	11	-1	-1	10	16	22	21	
IE	-33	IV-01	4	48	II-04	12	-12	-18	7	-29	-5	9	25	
IT	-3	II-92	13	27	IV-94	11	7	9	8	6	15	19	21	
CY	-9	IV-04	19	41	IV-02	-9	16	30	17	14	25	17	21	
LV	-2	IV-98	15	24	IV-00	18	16	18	18	18	16	17	16	
LT	-11	II-94	13	36	III-97	21	13	20	30	23	17	16	21	
LU	-58	III-91	-7	42	II-00	0	-8	-19	-10	8	-3	-8	6	
HU	-3	IV-01	11	32	IV-00	11	5	4	-2	8	12	11	6	
MT	0	III-06	18	38	II-06	16	7	3	13	25	35	38	0	
NL	-11	III-03	8	22	III-00	7	4	5	4	5	10	11	20	
AT	-8	IV-01	6	15	IV-03	10	11	13	8	9	12	12	13	
PL	0	IV-01	16	25	III-04	22	10	17	16	16	15	21	20	
PT	-24	III-93	6	30	IV-94	-3	-5	-7	-8	-3	-2	4	-6	
SI	3	IV-95	23	40	III-06	40	28	28	21	29	25	30	40	
SK	-15	I-04	34	75	I-96	35	22	40	13	17	15	18	37	
FI	-21	I-03	18	53	III-05	23	24	13	53	23	30	21	28	
SE	-21	IV-01	20	49	I-04	38	32	11	13	18	34	8	13	
UK	-34	IV-01	1	30	III-95	-3	2	-2	-3	2	-1	7	12	

(a) Data collected in January, April, July and October each year.

(b) Answers to the questions whether, taking into account the level of order-books or production, capacity is more than sufficient (+), sufficient (=) or less than sufficient (-). Thus, negative balances (capacity less than sufficient) indicate high levels of capacity utilisation, whereas positive balances (capacity more than sufficient) are associated with low levels of capacity utilisation.

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

TABLE 2c: **Capacity utilisation by industrial branch** ^(a) (s.a.)

Degree of capacity utilisation in %

		Since 01/1990						2004			2005			2006		
		Min.		Ave.	Max.		IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III		
		Value	Date		Value	Date										
CONSUMER GOODS ^(b)	EU	78.0	III-02	80.4	85.9	II-90	78.9	78.3	79.0	79.1	78.1	78.8	79.5	80.5		
	Euro area	77.3	I-05	80.1	85.4	II-90	78.3	77.3	78.3	78.3	77.6	78.2	79.2	79.9		
INVESTMENT GOODS ^(b)	EU	75.7	IV-93	83.1	87	IV-00	84.0	83.7	83.8	82.9	82.9	83.6	84.5	85.7		
	Euro area	75.7	IV-93	83.8	88.1	IV-00	84.1	84.5	84.2	83.2	83.1	84.4	84.9	86.3		
INTERMEDIATE GOODS ^(b)	EU	77.2	III-93	82	85.9	I-90	82.6	82.6	80.4	80.7	81.8	82.3	82.8	83.9		
	Euro area	76.8	IV-93	82.2	86.4	I-90	82.7	82.4	80.3	80.8	81.9	82.3	83.2	84.2		
FOOD AND BEVERAGES	EU	76.5	IV-04	79.1	82.5	II-91	76.5	78.2	77.7	78.5	76.7	76.7	77.1	78.8		
	Euro area	76.3	I-06	78.3	81.8	II-91	76.8	77.5	77.3	77.3	76.8	76.3	77.2	77.5		
TEXTILES	EU	75.3	III-05	79.5	84.3	I-90	76.4	76.5	76.6	75.3	76.4	76.1	76.6	78.9		
	Euro area	75.0	III-05	79.3	84.7	I-90	76.2	76.6	76.7	75.0	75.6	75.6	76.9	78.6		
WOOD AND WOOD PRODUCTS	EU	76.3	II-92	81.3	85	III-06	81.7	81.8	80.6	80.6	82.8	82.9	84.2	85.0		
	Euro area	76.3	II-92	81.2	84.8	IV-90	81.2	81.0	79.6	79.9	81.8	82.0	84.2	84.2		
PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	EU	77.0	III-03	81.2	85.6	III-90	80.9	81.2	80.9	81.0	79.9	82.7	83.1	82.9		
	Euro area	77.2	III-03	81.4	86.1	III-90	80.4	81.4	79.8	80.2	79.7	82.8	83.7	82.8		
NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	EU	76.1	IV-93	80.5	84.2	II-90	81.6	81.2	79.1	81.2	81.7	83.1	81.7	83.7		
	Euro area	76.0	IV-93	80.7	85.2	II-90	81.3	80.2	79.1	81.4	82.0	82.1	82.4	83.6		
BASIC METALS	EU	73.0	III-93	83	89.3	IV-97	87.5	87.5	84.0	81.7	83.4	84.2	86.2	87.2		
	Euro area	72.8	I-93	83.2	89.2	IV-97	88.3	87.0	83.8	81.6	83.6	84.6	86.2	87.8		
METAL PRODUCTS	EU	73.9	IV-93	80	85.4	I-90	80.4	80.1	79.2	79.2	78.9	80.2	80.8	81.7		
	Euro area	73.0	IV-93	79.7	85.3	I-90	80.3	79.7	78.9	78.5	78.9	80.4	81.1	81.5		
MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	EU	76.4	IV-93	82.7	88.7	II-90	83.1	83.9	83.9	83.7	83.4	84.0	85.5	86.3		
	Euro area	75.3	IV-93	83.2	89.4	II-90	83.4	85.0	84.1	84.6	84.0	84.8	86.2	87.6		
MEDICAL AND OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS	EU	79.1	I-94	83.5	88	I-01	84.0	83.5	83.9	83.7	84.1	84.4	84.2	84.9		
	Euro area	79.5	I-93	84	89.3	I-01	84.0	84.7	85.1	84.5	85.3	85.4	85.9	85.9		
MOTOR VEH., TRAILERS AND SEMI-TRAILERS	EU	74.0	III-93	86.1	90.8	II-90	87.1	86.7	85.8	83.7	84.4	85.6	85.6	87.2		
	Euro area	74.8	III-93	87.2	92.6	I-01	86.8	87.3	86.6	84.1	85.0	85.5	85.8	87.7		

(a) Data collected in January, April, July and October each year.

(b) The three major groups do not cover all industrial sectors.

TABLE 2d: **Export volume expectations by industrial branch** ^(a) (s.a.)

Balances: i.e., differences between the percentages of respondents giving positive and negative replies

		Since 01/1990						2004			2005			2006		
		Min.		Ave.	Max.		IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III		
		Value	Date		Value	Date										
CONSUMER GOODS ^(b)	EU	-7	I-02	7	17	IV-00	10	11	8	10	8	13	15	15		
	Euro area	-7	III-93	8	20	II-06	12	9	6	13	11	15	20	16		
INVESTMENT GOODS ^(b)	EU	-19	IV-92	6	22	I-95	20	9	8	7	9	18	16	20		
	Euro area	-23	IV-92	7	24	IV-04	24	10	11	6	7	19	20	23		
INTERMEDIATE GOODS ^(b)	EU	-14	IV-01	6	26	IV-94	11	8	5	6	9	10	15	16		
	Euro area	-13	IV-01	6	25	IV-94	9	7	5	8	10	10	15	15		
FOOD AND BEVERAGES	EU	-2	I-02	9	21	III-94	4	10	7	9	9	10	17	14		
	Euro area	-4	IV-92	9	19	I-95	7	10	6	9	11	13	18	14		
TEXTILES	EU	-16	IV-01	2	17	III-94	4	5	-4	-2	-5	4	6	3		
	Euro area	-17	II-93	3	18	III-97	7	5	-5	-1	-3	4	9	3		
WOOD AND WOOD PRODUCTS	EU	-11	IV-90	5	21	IV-94	0	0	1	15	14	14	12	14		
	Euro area	-10	II-03	3	18	III-06	5	-1	0	13	13	15	14	18		
PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	EU	-10	III-94	1	16	I-95	4	5	-5	3	-4	-2	0	7		
	Euro area	-13	IV-93	3	19	I-91	9	1	1	11	-3	0	7	9		
NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	EU	-14	IV-01	4	20	I-95	7	-1	6	0	5	0	10	11		
	Euro area	-10	II-93	5	19	I-95	4	4	9	3	6	-2	10	9		
BASIC METALS	EU	-25	IV-01	2	27	III-94	18	3	-6	-7	9	15	17	15		
	Euro area	-25	IV-01	1	26	IV-94	14	-1	-6	-4	8	13	14	14		
METAL PRODUCTS	EU	-15	IV-01	3	20	I-95	12	11	8	4	10	15	15	16		
	Euro area	-14	II-93	3	18	I-95	12	13	8	5	9	14	11	13		
MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	EU	-16	IV-01	6	25	I-95	23	12	10	12	11	18	19	19		
	Euro area	-15	II-93	6	26	IV-94	20	14	11	11	11	19	21	21		
MEDICAL AND OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS	EU	-16	IV-01	12	26	III-95	23	22	25	20	13	13	16	14		
	Euro area	-20	II-93	11	27	IV-97	25	21	27	26	9	14	13	15		
MOTOR VEH., TRAILERS AND SEMI-TRAILERS	EU	-33	III-93	5	28	II-98	16	-4	-2	-2	1	17	16	25		
	Euro area	-38	III-93	6	36	II-98	28	0	6	-5	4	22	21	28		

(a) Data collected in January, April, July and October each year.

(b) The three major groups do not cover all industrial sectors.

		Since 01/1990			2005					2006								
		Min.		Ave.	Max.		Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
		Value	Date	Value	Date													
SERVICES CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EU	-6	03-03	17	32	08-98	11	11	13	15	12	15	14	15	19	19	18	18
	Euro area	-5	11-01	18	34	08-98	10	11	14	14	13	15	14	15	18	20	19	19
	BE	-7	03-03	13	33	03-98	5	14	14	11	14	28	11	10	21	15	23	16
	CZ	32	06-05	40	48	07-02	37	41	38	35	41	43	44	43	40	42	45	45
	DK	11	10-01	27	37	04-04	31	33	31	33	35	34	32	30	32	32	35	32
	DE	-18	12-02	25	52	03-99	10	10	11	10	12	18	16	18	19	21	17	18
	EE	4	11-04	23	39	01-06	22	26	24	30	33	39	27	18	14	17	21	27
	EL	-14	04-03	26	62	08-00	12	13	21	20	14	13	15	19	25	31	30	33
	ES	5	02-06	29	56	06-98	23	19	19	22	24	18	5	9	16	20	14	15
	FR	-22	06-93	3	25	06-90	10	10	11	10	7	9	10	9	9	11	8	9
	IE	-14	05-03	15	44	08-98	-6	-2	10	16	19	18	15	14	9	9	18	20
	IT	-5	11-01	17	44	02-98	0	14	23	28	19	19	19	17	30	25	33	37
	CY	-20	09-02	6	20	02-06	11	5	4	15	4	7	20	16	16	13	13	17
	LV	7	03-02	12	17	03-06	13	14	13	16	14	16	15	17	14	15	15	16
	LT	9	11-04	19	34	07-06	17	23	27	32	25	30	27	17	12	15	23	34
	HU	-11	10-04	1	14	03-02	-1	0	3	2	-7	5	1	-4	-1	0	-2	-8
	NL^(b)	3	06-03	16	35	12-97	4	6	9	8	8	5	10	13	12	:	:	:
	AT	0	01-02	15	30	03-98	9	8	8	12	12	16	15	14	15	21	21	20
	PL^(m)	-7	01-03	3	14	07-06	7	7	8	10	10	11	10	10	10	11	11	14
	PT	-17	05-03	7	29	06-01	2	-1	-3	-3	4	-5	-3	-5	-4	0	6	4
SI	12	05-05	22	32	10-02	18	18	14	17	16	17	17	17	16	19	18	21	
SK	27	09-05	46	60	06-03	31	27	29	30	41	48	42	42	43	44	48	47	
FI	-12	09-03	27	61	09-00	41	40	37	35	38	31	45	44	41	48	36	9	
SE	-24	01-03	18	46	12-00	26	34	37	42	33	37	39	35	36	36	29	29	
UK	-20	12-02	14	37	10-97	10	3	3	13	-2	4	7	10	23	11	11	8	
ASSESSMENT OF BUSINESS SITUATION	EU	-19	03-03	13	37	06-00	4	8	8	10	7	12	8	11	14	17	13	13
	Euro area	-18	03-03	15	39	09-00	3	8	10	11	9	13	8	11	14	16	14	15
Component of the services confidence indicator	BE	-27	12-01	-2	30	01-06	-7	3	0	-6	-2	30	-3	-2	13	17	17	15
	CZ	48	06-05	59	73	07-02	58	61	56	52	55	54	56	61	62	61	64	65
	DK	4	05-03	23	41	04-00	25	31	26	27	30	30	27	25	26	28	29	26
	DE	-35	01-03	25	63	12-98	10	10	9	11	11	19	17	17	16	17	16	14
	EE	1	11-04	27	47	11-02	30	33	25	31	28	40	35	20	13	17	21	35
	EL	-42	04-03	12	58	09-00	10	13	18	19	17	17	14	23	30	32	25	31
	ES	-6	02-06	29	67	04-00	21	16	12	14	18	17	-6	3	13	14	11	13
	FR	-35	09-96	-1	29	06-00	9	8	13	10	10	8	7	4	6	6	1	5
	IE	-20	06-05	19	52	11-99	-10	5	12	17	15	22	19	16	9	15	29	25
	IT	-39	06-05	11	44	02-01	-35	-1	-1	13	-6	-6	-8	-2	7	22	20	30
	CY	-33	06-02	-1	24	02-06	6	-1	2	12	5	3	24	16	20	13	8	12
	LV	4	10-04	11	18	04-03	12	6	11	10	11	16	13	15	10	13	12	13
	LT	6	04-05	21	50	03-03	9	24	19	23	26	22	21	9	7	9	29	37
	HU	-16	10-04	-1	18	05-02	-4	-6	0	-4	-12	0	-5	-8	-3	0	-2	-7
	NL^(b)	-26	07-93	13	70	12-00	14	16	27	23	22	22	28	33	37	:	:	:
	AT	-4	10-96	12	30	03-98	5	0	2	7	8	10	12	12	14	17	17	18
	PL^(m)	-7	02-04	5	11	01-06	2	3	4	6	7	11	11	10	11	10	10	10
	PT	-22	06-03	3	24	11-97	-7	-6	-9	-9	-10	-10	-14	-11	-10	-7	-4	-5
	SI	2	12-05	23	44	10-02	10	10	8	4	2	7	7	7	9	11	11	13
	SK	14	10-05	42	64	12-02	17	15	14	22	30	45	30	46	35	41	45	46
FI	-47	03-03	18	79	05-98	25	19	24	0	10	18	23	32	25	16	12	-23	
SE	-60	01-02	10	47	01-06	27	26	36	43	41	47	46	47	40	38	28	23	
UK	-35	12-02	-1	27	12-97	1	-4	-8	-7	-15	-7	-9	3	5	17	4	0	
EVOLUTION OF DEMAND IN RECENT MONTHS	EU	-9	02-02	15	32	03-98	11	10	12	15	12	16	14	13	19	20	18	16
	Euro area	-12	02-02	15	32	03-98	10	10	13	13	13	17	13	13	17	20	19	17
Component of the services confidence indicator	BE	-9	03-03	13	41	11-97	5	12	18	7	12	34	6	8	15	2	26	10
	CZ	15	08-02	28	39	08-04	26	35	31	25	27	33	34	27	24	32	34	30
	DK	9	04-03	27	42	12-04	33	36	36	39	39	37	35	31	35	37	41	37
	DE	-25	01-03	20	43	09-98	12	10	11	9	14	20	15	18	21	24	18	18
	EE	3	11-04	24	49	01-06	24	33	31	36	38	49	38	22	14	9	19	27
	EL	-9	04-03	31	71	06-01	10	11	28	22	11	10	18	17	24	29	31	34
	ES	-1	08-02	23	56	06-98	19	13	16	17	23	14	1	1	9	13	7	8
	FR	-33	03-97	5	37	01-90	10	9	10	8	4	10	13	12	9	14	12	10
	IE	-24	10-03	9	46	08-98	-14	-15	4	9	17	15	8	4	10	2	17	17
	IT	-28	08-02	14	39	11-05	12	19	33	39	33	34	26	27	39	20	29	28
	CY	-34	08-02	2	21	04-04	9	-4	-3	19	4	3	19	20	20	16	11	17
	LV	-4	02-02	10	19	11-05	13	11	11	19	14	17	15	18	15	15	15	15
	LT	-1	07-02	20	45	01-06	22	25	34	42	31	45	38	23	19	16	26	44
	HU	-14	10-04	-1	13	03-02	0	2	2	0	-4	7	4	-1	1	2	0	-4
	NL^(b)	-49	03-01	6	50	06-98	-22	-21	-25	-23	-29	-28	-27	-35	-35	:	:	:
	AT	-16	01-02	16	35	03-98	10	9	6	14	16	19	16	16	16	27	24	24
	PL^(m)	-19	01-03	0	13	07-06	3	4	8	8	10	8	6	5	4	8	8	13
	PT	-34	05-03	3	26	06-01	5	-7	-6	-1	1	-11	2	-7	-8	-2	5	2
	SI	0	03-05	18	28	08-04	19	18	12	18	16	18	20	22	18	23	18	21
	SK	27	09-05	45	65	07-03	33	27	29	30	42	43	55	30	40	44	52	50
FI	-20	09-03	30	83	04-01	54	48	47	47	47	35	60	65	69	82	54	29	
SE	-19	10-01	19	53	01-01	26	42	43	47	32	33	41	32	38	41	30	32	
UK	-19	07-03	15	43	01-97	13	4	-1	19	-2	5	13	8	29	13	10	1	

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

		Since 01/1990						2005					2006						
		Min.		Ave.	Max.		Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value													Date
EVOLUTION OF DEMAND EXPECTED IN THE MONTHS AHEAD	EU	1	11-01	24	37	06-98	16	15	19	20	17	17	21	21	25	21	23	25	
	Euro area	-3	11-01	23	38	05-00	15	15	19	18	18	17	21	21	23	23	23	26	
Component of the services confidence indicator	BE	-2	07-03	28	51	01-95	18	26	23	32	32	20	29	25	34	27	25	23	
	CZ	23	01-04	33	43	05-02	28	27	27	28	41	41	41	40	33	31	37	39	
	DK	16	09-01	30	41	12-04	36	33	30	32	35	36	34	35	36	32	34	35	
	DE	-16	11-01	29	59	09-00	9	8	13	11	11	14	18	20	20	22	16	23	
	EE	6	06-04	19	33	12-05	12	11	16	24	33	26	9	12	14	24	23	18	
	EL	5	05-03	36	75	09-01	15	14	16	20	15	11	15	18	20	31	34	34	
	ES	19	10-04	37	59	06-98	29	28	30	34	30	22	21	24	27	32	25	22	
	FR	-18	09-93	5	32	03-01	12	12	10	11	7	9	11	12	12	14	12	12	
	IE	-7	05-03	18	45	06-98	6	4	13	21	25	17	18	20	8	9	8	19	
	IT	-6	09-00	26	57	06-01	23	22	36	31	30	28	39	26	43	33	49	54	
	CY	1	06-03	17	34	03-05	17	19	13	12	3	15	17	13	8	12	19	23	
	LV	8	11-02	15	25	02-02	14	24	17	18	17	16	16	17	17	15	19	19	
	LT	-8	10-02	15	30	02-03	21	20	29	30	19	23	22	19	11	21	15	20	
	HU	-12	07-06	4	17	02-02	2	5	5	9	-5	6	3	-2	-2	-1	-5	-12	
	NL^(b)	-4	01-96	26	54	07-00	19	23	25	25	31	22	28	41	34	:	:	:	
	AT	-1	10-01	18	34	06-98	12	14	15	16	11	17	17	13	16	18	23	20	
	PL⁽ⁿ⁾	-11	03-03	6	18	07-06	15	13	12	14	14	13	13	15	16	16	15	18	
	PT	-16	09-03	14	40	06-01	7	12	5	1	19	5	4	5	7	8	16	17	
	SI	22	03-06	27	32	02-03	26	25	23	29	29	25	24	22	22	22	25	30	
	SK	35	03-05	51	65	06-03	42	38	44	39	51	54	40	51	55	49	48	45	
	FI	-12	10-96	32	71	01-01	45	53	39	57	57	41	52	34	30	45	43	20	
	SE	-4	01-03	25	66	02-01	25	34	31	37	25	30	29	28	30	30	30	30	
	UK	-14	03-03	27	57	10-97	15	9	18	28	11	14	17	19	34	5	20	24	
	EU	-9	03-03	10	26	08-98	5	3	1	2	8	6	5	7	12	11	10	11	
EVOLUTION OF EMPLOYMENT IN RECENT MONTHS	Euro area	-7	03-03	11	28	01-99	3	2	-1	4	7	7	6	6	11	12	10	11	
	BE	-14	08-02	8	30	08-98	8	1	14	3	14	14	9	6	19	13	5	13	
	CZ	-30	11-04	-11	18	11-02	-11	-4	-15	-18	-18	-13	-28	-12	-8	-16	-6	-3	
	DK	-2	04-03	10	23	06-06	19	19	18	21	18	21	19	18	16	18	23	19	
	DE	-20	12-02	15	44	03-99	0	2	-3	-3	4	8	6	8	7	13	14	12	
	EE	1	06-02	9	16	10-03	14	16	10	10	10	11	11	13	7	8	10	8	
	EL	-42	06-01	7	45	06-00	4	8	-1	-2	-2	-6	-3	-3	-2	-2	8	14	
	ES	4	03-03	18	45	08-98	13	10	8	12	13	10	7	12	12	14	14	13	
	FR	-27	06-93	4	23	12-90	4	4	-6	3	4	6	7	5	7	11	7	7	
	IE	-36	05-05	1	25	02-98	-20	-10	5	3	0	5	6	-3	-1	2	-1	11	
	IT	-13	05-03	6	25	04-06	0	-7	-2	13	16	6	5	-1	25	18	8	15	
	CY	-23	06-02	-3	6	03-05	2	0	-2	-1	-3	1	2	-4	1	-1	-1	-6	
	LV	-1	05-02	5	12	03-06	6	6	6	7	10	11	12	12	11	5	6	11	
	LT	-30	11-03	-7	26	02-06	-4	-2	8	2	6	19	26	8	18	5	6	-6	
	HU	-17	12-05	-6	2	07-04	-1	-4	-12	-15	-17	-11	-7	-9	-6	-9	-7	-2	
	NL^(b)	-8	05-03	17	66	06-98	5	5	5	9	10	8	9	17	15	:	:	:	
	AT	-7	08-02	6	18	07-98	0	2	2	2	4	3	5	5	4	8	5	11	
	PL⁽ⁿ⁾	-14	02-04	-5	5	05-06	1	-1	-2	-1	0	-1	-1	3	2	5	3	5	
	PT	-34	05-03	-2	28	07-98	-15	-11	-11	-11	-10	-15	-13	-12	-11	-17	0	-8	
	SI	-10	12-03	5	15	08-05	15	15	12	12	6	7	9	6	9	9	15	12	
	SK	-66	12-04	-39	2	07-02	-49	-56	-51	-32	-39	-34	-44	-28	-41	-42	-40	-42	
	FI	-26	04-97	28	91	11-97	24	26	23	23	16	11	-2	14	3	24	24	16	
	SE	-40	04-03	4	42	01-01	13	16	13	20	16	20	20	17	13	13	6	19	
	UK	-22	04-03	9	27	05-00	16	9	5	-8	10	3	1	15	20	10	8	11	
EVOLUTION OF EMPLOYMENT EXPECTED IN THE MONTHS AHEAD	EU	-5	04-03	10	26	06-98	6	4	7	5	9	6	8	10	15	11	13	12	
	Euro area	-4	05-03	9	26	04-00	4	4	6	4	8	6	8	8	14	12	12	11	
	BE	-11	04-03	16	34	12-05	19	24	13	23	34	15	21	18	23	24	24	16	
	CZ	-30	06-04	-19	-4	08-02	-17	-14	-14	-20	-16	-25	-17	-22	-18	-13	-17	-17	
	DK	4	02-03	13	23	04-06	19	21	18	22	20	23	22	21	23	18	19	22	
	DE	-11	05-03	1	16	06-01	-1	1	4	-1	3	7	9	9	15	9	14	10	
	EE	7	03-03	16	27	03-05	22	17	19	9	17	17	17	13	16	19	18	19	
	EL	-33	12-00	10	47	05-99	1	3	11	8	6	-4	0	5	4	10	12	15	
	ES	3	05-01	18	41	04-00	15	12	13	12	13	10	12	10	16	13	10	8	
	FR	-31	06-97	1	21	06-98	3	5	7	1	2	0	3	6	8	3	9	11	
	IE	-13	11-04	8	31	04-98	4	5	6	5	0	6	2	1	5	2	4	7	
	IT	-10	06-05	11	34	06-00	10	1	1	6	17	9	8	3	17	25	9	13	
	CY	-6	07-05	3	19	05-02	-1	0	0	2	4	2	5	5	-3	2	9	-3	
	LV	-1	05-02	8	15	04-06	8	14	10	12	14	9	9	15	15	11	12	15	
	LT	-50	05-02	-4	26	10-04	18	-9	2	17	13	10	16	23	7	3	11	-2	
	HU	-10	07-06	-2	5	05-04	1	-3	-4	-3	-3	-5	-8	-9	0	-10	-6	-10	
	NL^(b)	-4	03-05	18	40	01-99	10	9	9	12	16	10	14	19	18	:	:	:	
	AT	-6	01-04	8	27	09-98	5	2	5	6	3	7	6	5	6	8	10	11	
	PL⁽ⁿ⁾	-12	08-03	-5	8	07-06	-1	-1	-2	-2	1	0	3	4	4	4	3	8	
	PT	-32	08-05	1	37	08-03	-32	-17	-7	-9	-3	-13	-12	-12	1	-9	-7	-7	
	SI	-9	08-03	9	23	09-05	18	23	13	11	9	8	8	16	16	14	10	13	
	SK	-67	12-04	-43	-15	07-02	-38	-36	-34	-32	-36	-48	-44	-49	-38	-30	-43	-48	
	FI	-31	11-96	23	82	07-00	18	17	8	13	24	7	5	32	16	23	4	0	
	SE	-35	11-01	11	62	09-00	12	21	13	19	16	10	18	18	19	19	9	20	
	UK	-17	12-02	17	33	06-98	12	3	15	3	14	9	12	18	24	11	23	18	

TABLE 4a: Consumer opinion on economic and financial conditions (s.a.) ^{(a) (b)}

		Since 01/1990			2005					2006									
		Min.		Ave.	Max.		Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	
		Value	Date		Value	Date													
CONSUMER CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EU	-27	03-93	-11	2	12-00	-12	-12	-11	-11	-9	-9	-8	-9	-8	-7	-8	-7	
	Euro area	-29	07-93	-12	2	05-00	-15	-14	-13	-13	-11	-11	-10	-11	-10	-9	-9	-8	
		BE	-27	08-93	-6	17	12-00	-10	-14	-6	-9	-6	-4	-5	-6	-5	-5	-3	-2
		CZ	-36	03-98	-14	4	03-06	-4	0	-1	2	-1	3	3	4	1	1	0	3
		DK	-11	10-90	7	18	01-06	13	15	16	17	18	18	16	16	18	18	16	16
		DE	-28	10-93	-11	6	05-00	-15	-14	-11	-12	-8	-6	-7	-8	-6	-3	-5	-6
		EE	-56	04-93	-21	13	04-06	-4	-10	1	3	7	9	9	9	13	12	11	8
		EL	-44	07-03	-30	-6	04-00	-33	-35	-37	-36	-36	-31	-36	-38	-40	-36	-31	-33
		ES	-37	10-92	-11	6	03-00	-11	-11	-11	-13	-10	-12	-13	-12	-10	-14	-14	-14
		FR	-34	08-93	-18	4	01-01	-15	-13	-15	-16	-16	-15	-13	-16	-15	-13	-15	-11
		IE	-31	03-93	-4	19	01-00	1	-4	-3	1	3	4	4	1	0	-3	-5	-4
		IT	-38	04-93	-13	2	06-01	-21	-21	-20	-17	-17	-19	-15	-15	-17	-14	-16	-14
		CY	-42	07-04	-30	-13	06-01	-40	-39	-34	-35	-37	-37	-38	-35	-37	-38	-39	-35
		LV	-45	02-93	-23	-4	07-06	-14	-16	-14	-12	-11	-8	-9	-5	-7	-5	-5	-4
		LT	-32	05-01	-12	0	04-06	-6	-7	-5	-1	-2	-2	-1	-1	0	0	0	0
		LU	-8	05-06	2	14	02-02	-1	-4	-1	1	-1	2	-1	0	-4	-8	-2	-4
		HU	-58	04-95	-28	0	08-02	-26	-24	-26	-21	-17	-15	-10	-11	-11	-23	-41	-46
		MT	-36	07-06	-25	0	01-03	-33	-29	-29	-29	-29	-24	-31	-33	-36	-35	-35	-36
		NL	-19	07-93	4	31	03-00	-7	-7	-2	-2	3	3	3	9	5	9	16	15
		AT	-16	04-96	-1	11	07-00	-4	-5	-3	-2	-3	2	-1	1	2	4	5	7
	PL	-40	08-01	-28	-11	02-06	-21	-20	-18	-15	-14	-13	-11	-12	-14	-18	-15	-12	
	PT	-49	03-03	-23	-1	07-91	-42	-41	-41	-40	-41	-41	-38	-36	-39	-38	-36	-36	
	SI	-29	06-99	-18	-9	10-04	-17	-21	-22	-26	-24	-16	-15	-18	-19	-16	-13	-13	
	SK	-50	08-99	-29	-9	06-05	-14	-24	-18	-12	-14	-14	-14	-13	-16	-17	-14	-11	
	FI	6	11-01	15	23	02-00	15	13	16	17	17	14	16	13	11	14	18	16	
	SE	-10	09-96	8	25	03-00	4	6	8	8	10	12	11	11	13	16	12	12	
	UK	-28	10-92	-8	7	10-97	-2	-3	-4	-4	-4	-4	-2	-6	-3	-6	-5	-6	
FINANCIAL SITUATION OF HOUSEHOLDS OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	EU	-10	12-93	-1	5	04-01	-1	-2	-2	-2	-1	0	0	-1	0	0	-1	-1	
	Euro area	-11	07-93	-2	5	03-00	-4	-5	-5	-5	-4	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-4	-3	
		BE	-9	12-93	2	13	08-00	3	1	4	4	5	4	4	6	4	4	5	5
		CZ	-32	02-98	-9	2	05-02	-2	-4	-1	-1	-2	1	1	1	0	1	-1	2
		DK	2	12-90	12	39	10-00	17	14	15	14	15	16	15	15	15	14	17	15
		DE	-15	02-94	-5	4	05-00	-6	-8	-5	-5	-5	-3	-3	-3	-4	-3	-5	-5
	Component of the consumer confidence indicator	EE	-38	04-93	-9	17	04-06	5	-6	9	8	11	15	15	13	17	15	12	10
		EL	-31	08-92	-15	10	04-00	-20	-24	-24	-22	-23	-19	-21	-27	-24	-25	-18	-19
		ES	-16	10-92	1	10	10-99	-1	-1	-1	-3	1	-3	-3	-3	0	-4	-4	-3
		FR	-12	12-95	-1	6	01-01	-1	0	-5	-6	-4	-3	-3	-3	-2	-3	-5	-3
		IE	-13	02-93	1	16	01-00	-1	-5	-2	1	2	3	2	-2	2	-3	-6	-4
		IT	-15	04-93	-1	7	07-01	-4	-4	-4	-3	-2	-4	-3	-3	-4	-3	-3	-3
		CY	-36	06-04	-17	0	06-01	-31	-32	-32	-30	-32	-31	-31	-30	-31	-35	-28	-28
		LV	-29	09-93	-7	12	03-06	2	-1	2	3	4	7	8	12	10	10	11	11
		LT	-10	10-01	1	8	06-06	4	3	3	6	4	5	7	5	6	8	8	6
		LU	-7	05-06	5	12	06-02	2	1	0	2	0	2	0	2	2	-7	-1	-3
		HU	-63	04-95	-21	16	08-02	-9	-9	-11	-7	-2	1	7	6	6	-9	-30	-40
		MT	-36	07-06	-22	3	01-03	-27	-26	-27	-28	-25	-21	-28	-33	-33	-33	-34	-36
		NL	-11	12-04	3	16	12-99	-10	-10	-8	-8	-6	-6	-4	-1	-2	-2	3	-1
		AT	-18	04-96	-4	4	04-99	-4	-8	-3	-5	-2	1	-1	-1	-1	0	0	1
PL		-20	08-01	-9	1	07-06	-6	-5	-6	-2	-2	-1	1	0	-2	-4	-1	1	
PT		-26	03-03	-8	11	01-92	-23	-23	-22	-22	-21	-21	-19	-18	-20	-21	-20	-19	
SI		-30	06-99	-11	-2	11-96	-6	-11	-12	-18	-17	-9	-10	-16	-13	-15	-10	-10	
SK		-44	08-99	-23	-5	07-06	-13	-22	-16	-9	-9	-10	-11	-9	-12	-14	-10	-5	
FI		-8	04-93	6	13	10-04	12	9	11	12	11	9	11	10	10	11	12	9	
SE		-13	09-96	8	18	07-02	13	13	14	15	16	17	13	13	15	16	13	13	
UK	-23	03-90	3	16	09-02	11	10	8	8	8	9	12	8	13	11	12	10		
GENERAL ECONOMIC SITUATION OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	EU	-32	03-93	-12	1	04-00	-15	-14	-14	-15	-12	-11	-10	-11	-9	-11	-11	-10	
	Euro area	-35	03-93	-13	4	04-00	-17	-16	-15	-17	-12	-11	-11	-12	-8	-10	-11	-10	
		BE	-46	07-93	-11	20	06-00	-13	-22	-8	-11	-9	-7	-7	-8	-9	-8	-5	1
		CZ	-40	09-97	-10	8	11-05	3	8	5	8	2	6	4	7	7	5	3	4
		DK	-23	02-99	-2	23	07-01	5	6	8	9	6	8	9	9	8	7	2	2
		DE	-41	03-93	-16	6	02-99	-20	-19	-14	-16	-8	-5	-6	-7	-5	-1	-5	-7
	Component of the consumer confidence indicator	EE	-38	04-93	-3	27	04-06	8	-4	15	16	22	23	25	22	27	23	22	21
		EL	-37	12-03	-17	17	01-00	-25	-24	-31	-27	-28	-24	-26	-30	-29	-31	-24	-27
		ES	-38	10-92	-6	11	08-97	-8	-7	-7	-14	-9	-10	-11	-12	-11	-14	-13	-15
		FR	-37	01-91	-17	5	01-01	-17	-11	-22	-25	-22	-21	-21	-25	-11	-24	-25	-18
		IE	-33	12-02	-2	22	01-00	-7	-15	-10	-4	-1	-1	-1	-6	-8	-10	-15	-10
		IT	-40	04-93	-9	13	02-95	-19	-20	-17	-14	-11	-16	-12	-8	-9	-8	-12	-9
		CY	-45	06-04	-23	-6	05-01	-34	-31	-23	-22	-25	-24	-24	-21	-20	-23	-20	-16
		LV	-27	06-95	-6	12	11-02	-3	-3	-4	-5	1	5	4	8	7	9	7	10
		LT	-18	05-01	2	17	10-04	0	-4	-2	4	3	3	2	2	4	2	4	4
		LU	-28	09-05	-9	7	02-02	-19	-28	-24	-18	-23	-18	-16	-18	-24	-24	-15	-18
		HU	-53	04-95	-14	19	08-02	-7	-8	-8	-6	0	2	10	7	5	-9	-26	-32
		MT	-32	05-05	-18	11	11-02	-26	-25	-23	-22	-20	-15	-24	-26	-26	-28	-29	-32
		NL	-42	03-93	-8	26	03-00	-14	-12	-6	-6	-2	-2	-2	6	8	9	16	13
		AT	-26	04-96	-6	8	11-99	-10	-13	-11	-9	-5	0	-6	0	-1	3	3	6
PL		-35	08-01	-18	5	03-06	-8	-8	-4	-2	-1	2	4	5	0	-7	-3	-5	
PT		-52	03-03	-17	12	01-92	-39	-38	-37	-34	-36	-36	-31	-29	-33	-32	-27	-27	
SI		-22	11-05	-9	7	10-04	-												

TABLE 4a (continued):

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		Since 01/1990			2005					2006								
		Min.		Ave.	Max.		Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
		Value	Date		Value	Date												
SAVINGS	EU	-15	08-93	-4	4	04-01	-4	-4	-5	-4	-5	-5	-3	-3	-3	-2	-4	-2
OVER NEXT	Euro area	-14	08-93	-5	4	03-01	-8	-9	-9	-8	-9	-9	-8	-7	-8	-7	-9	-6
12 MONTHS	BE	-2	12-93	13	31	06-98	11	6	10	7	15	15	10	11	13	11	14	12
Component of the consumer confidence indicator	CZ	-16	03-98	-3	14	03-06	1	10	3	9	6	6	10	14	4	5	6	11
	DK	-3	01-90	23	39	04-05	32	36	34	38	36	34	31	31	33	35	34	34
	DE	-5	03-03	7	23	08-90	1	-1	0	1	1	0	2	3	4	4	1	4
	EE	-69	10-93	-48	-4	05-06	-27	-31	-23	-22	-16	-17	-19	-13	-8	-4	-9	-13
	EL	-57	07-95	-44	-23	01-00	-45	-48	-47	-47	-48	-45	-48	-47	-53	-47	-45	-47
	ES	-34	01-90	-20	0	07-00	-23	-27	-23	-23	-18	-25	-30	-25	-20	-22	-27	-22
	FR	-36	03-96	-22	-7	04-04	-12	-11	-15	-17	-20	-19	-16	-15	-17	-15	-15	-14
	IE	-32	03-93	0	28	02-02	21	18	13	17	24	23	21	28	21	19	22	16
	IT	-39	10-04	-17	2	03-91	-32	-29	-28	-26	-33	-30	-24	-28	-36	-31	-33	-30
	CY	-59	06-06	-42	-12	06-01	-48	-42	-44	-42	-45	-43	-48	-44	-51	-51	-59	-50
	LV	-90	03-96	-55	13	01-94	-48	-52	-49	-44	-48	-46	-47	-41	-44	-43	-44	-41
	LT	-55	11-01	-45	-33	07-06	-42	-44	-38	-37	-37	-41	-36	-37	-35	-35	-36	-33
	LU	40	05-05	48	58	10-05	48	49	58	52	54	54	46	51	45	42	47	43
	HU	-70	11-95	-53	-19	01-00	-46	-45	-47	-41	-39	-43	-38	-40	-35	-43	-55	-54
	MT	-58	04-06	-39	-15	11-02	-51	-45	-46	-47	-51	-49	-51	-53	-58	-56	-52	-50
	NL	17	09-05	37	55	10-99	22	17	18	21	24	24	26	24	22	27	28	30
	AT	-11	11-00	32	55	03-02	30	32	36	39	29	35	32	31	34	33	35	37
	PL	-66	09-03	-50	-21	09-01	-52	-52	-50	-49	-46	-47	-43	-45	-48	-51	-50	-44
	PT	-55	12-05	-35	-14	01-92	-54	-53	-55	-55	-55	-55	-54	-51	-54	-52	-49	-49
	SI	-52	06-99	-28	-15	06-03	-22	-17	-21	-21	-24	-15	-18	-20	-16	-16	-18	-17
SK	-70	08-01	-41	-29	08-00	-31	-40	-38	-33	-33	-36	-34	-32	-35	-36	-32	-33	
FI	19	01-96	39	54	03-06	51	51	51	51	53	47	52	54	51	53	51	54	
SE	11	06-98	30	46	06-00	29	31	35	31	34	33	34	35	34	38	34	33	
UK	-26	10-92	-4	23	04-06	17	16	15	14	14	16	19	16	23	20	19	17	
UNEMPLOYMENT	EU	56	12-00	26	-2	03-93	27	26	23	23	19	19	19	21	22	16	15	15
OVER NEXT	Euro area	60	01-01	27	-3	08-93	29	28	23	23	19	19	19	21	22	14	13	13
12 MONTHS	BE	63	12-00	28	-19	10-93	41	41	31	34	33	27	27	32	28	27	26	24
Component of the consumer confidence indicator	CZ	64	01-06	33	1	03-99	17	14	11	8	8	1	4	7	6	6	7	7
	DK	38	11-97	7	-19	12-92	2	-5	-5	-7	-13	-15	-11	-10	-15	-15	-12	-12
	DE	58	01-01	30	-3	10-93	33	30	26	28	19	18	23	23	19	13	12	14
	EE	80	06-06	31	-17	04-93	2	1	-2	-8	-12	-15	-15	-12	-16	-15	-17	-16
	EL	62	04-90	44	24	12-98	41	43	44	46	44	38	48	48	53	42	37	37
	ES	67	03-00	18	-8	01-93	14	10	12	13	12	12	9	10	11	14	11	14
	FR	64	01-01	31	-14	03-03	29	32	17	17	17	16	12	22	30	12	13	9
	IE	58	12-99	15	-29	04-92	8	15	14	12	13	9	7	18	16	16	22	18
	IT	70	06-01	27	-2	04-93	31	29	28	24	21	26	21	22	20	16	17	16
	CY	52	05-01	38	26	09-05	49	52	38	47	47	48	50	45	46	45	51	48
	LV	54	06-06	25	-7	01-93	5	6	5	1	0	-4	-2	-3	-2	-4	-7	-3
	LT	46	04-06	4	-26	05-01	-13	-15	-17	-23	-22	-24	-23	-25	-26	-25	-24	-23
	LU	44	02-02	34	14	06-03	35	36	37	30	34	31	32	36	39	42	38	37
	HU	59	07-98	28	-3	02-93	40	35	37	32	28	20	18	17	18	30	51	56
	MT	34	01-03	20	-2	01-04	27	20	20	20	22	12	23	20	26	23	26	27
	NL	77	07-98	17	-35	03-93	26	23	11	15	4	4	7	-6	6	-3	-18	-18
	AT	49	11-00	27	-9	12-96	33	32	34	32	34	28	31	28	24	20	19	17
	PL	63	07-06	33	2	05-01	20	16	12	8	7	7	4	8	5	9	5	2
	PT	73	08-97	34	-10	10-93	53	51	51	51	53	51	49	47	48	48	47	47
	SI	44	09-01	26	7	09-05	34	44	43	42	36	32	24	26	30	26	19	20
SK	68	01-06	23	-4	08-99	2	8	-1	-3	1	-4	-3	-2	2	3	3	-2	
FI	42	01-95	-1	-31	07-91	7	6	0	-4	-3	1	1	12	16	7	-3	-2	
SE	39	03-00	7	-26	11-01	21	14	13	16	9	8	7	7	2	-4	1	-3	
UK	53	04-98	21	-11	02-91	24	24	25	25	23	26	26	28	30	33	32	33	
FINANCIAL	EU	-19	01-94	-10	-2	05-00	-12	-12	-12	-12	-12	-10	-10	-10	-9	-9	-9	
SITUATION	Euro area	-20	02-03	-11	-1	05-90	-15	-15	-15	-15	-14	-13	-13	-13	-12	-13	-12	
OF HOUSEHOLDS	BE	-16	12-93	-5	4	11-00	-7	-7	-6	-6	-6	-3	-5	-5	-2	-4	-5	
OVER LAST	CZ	-30	02-98	-14	-5	05-96	-11	-11	-7	-8	-9	-7	-5	-7	-8	-7	-5	
12 MONTHS	DK	-5	04-01	7	16	02-05	14	12	14	14	13	15	13	13	13	15	14	
	DE	-31	12-02	-12	4	05-90	-12	-13	-13	-11	-12	-9	-9	-9	-8	-9	-9	
	EE	-54	04-93	-15	17	05-06	5	-3	7	6	7	13	11	13	14	17	16	
	EL	-43	01-93	-28	-6	04-00	-31	-29	-32	-31	-29	-30	-30	-32	-30	-31	-23	
	ES	-28	01-94	-8	4	04-00	-10	-10	-10	-11	-8	-10	-9	-9	-9	-12	-10	
	FR	-18	06-96	-10	-2	01-01	-13	-12	-16	-18	-15	-14	-13	-13	-14	-13	-11	
	IE	-25	02-93	-7	11	04-00	-5	-7	-9	-3	-2	1	-2	-5	-1	-6	-4	
	IT	-30	02-04	-14	-1	05-90	-25	-23	-24	-21	-22	-23	-21	-21	-23	-20	-21	
	CY	-36	10-05	-20	-4	07-03	-29	-32	-36	-34	-35	-34	-33	-32	-32	-36	-31	
	LV	-57	01-93	-21	8	07-06	-6	-8	-6	-8	-3	-3	2	3	4	4	8	
	LT	-30	06-01	-11	6	06-06	-1	-2	-1	2	3	1	2	3	4	5	6	
	LU	-4	05-06	1	8	01-02	0	-1	-3	0	0	2	1	4	1	-4	-4	
	HU	-65	11-95	-35	0	08-02	-25	-25	-24	-23	-21	-17	-16	-14	-6	-13	-20	
	MT	-41	05-05	-30	-11	01-03	-36	-37	-37	-38	-35	-32	-35	-37	-38	-38	-39	
	NL	-25	03-05	0	17	02-00	-21	-22	-20	-16	-18	-15	-19	-18	-17	-18	-15	
	AT	-23	11-02	-13	-2	08-99	-15	-18	-15	-17	-17	-13	-12	-13	-12	-12	-13	
	PL	-35	08-01	-23	-7	07-06	-17	-17	-19	-14	-15	-12	-10	-11	-13	-10	-7	
	PT	-29	04-03	-13	3	01-92	-24	-25	-23	-23	-22	-22	-23	-20	-21	-22	-21	
	SI	-36	06-99	-26	-14	07-06	-20	-21	-23	-23	-21	-17	-17	-18	-19	-16	-14	
	SK	-43	10-99	-27	-10	03-06	-15	-20	-18	-17	-15	-18	-15	-10	-13	-17	-13	
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		Since 01/1990						2005					2006						
		Min.		Ave.		Max.		Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
GENERAL ECONOMIC SITUATION OVER LAST 12 MONTHS	EU	-55	03-93	-27	-4	05-00	-33	-33	-34	-33	-30	-28	-27	-28	-26	-25	-23	-21	
	Euro area	-58	07-93	-29	-2	05-00	-38	-38	-39	-37	-34	-31	-31	-31	-29	-27	-25	-22	
	BE	-61	08-93	-25	22	12-00	-32	-41	-30	-28	-27	-23	-23	-25	-21	-19	-18	-10	
	CZ	-54	12-97	-19	4	06-06	-4	-1	-2	-1	-1	2	1	3	0	1	4	3	
	DK	-25	04-93	1	26	03-06	20	19	22	23	22	25	26	26	24	26	23	22	
	DE	-60	05-03	-27	12	01-90	-39	-40	-38	-36	-31	-26	-24	-24	-21	-14	-11	-8	
	EE	-72	10-92	-10	28	06-06	7	6	12	17	19	26	24	26	27	26	28	27	
	EL	-50	05-90	-31	6	05-00	-37	-34	-38	-35	-34	-34	-34	-36	-34	-36	-30	-32	
	ES	-61	08-93	-16	13	03-00	-16	-21	-22	-21	-17	-17	-21	-19	-21	-20	-24	-24	
	FR	-57	10-96	-36	-1	01-01	-42	-37	-47	-50	-46	-43	-45	-44	-40	-45	-43	-37	
	IE	-59	03-93	-4	42	08-99	-4	-12	-9	-2	4	6	3	-1	0	-5	-3	-1	
	IT	-74	04-93	-39	-8	05-90	-54	-55	-54	-46	-44	-47	-44	-45	-45	-41	-42	-41	
	CY	-41	07-04	-26	-13	01-02	-31	-31	-30	-27	-28	-27	-25	-23	-24	-28	-24	-17	
	LV	-59	01-93	-23	4	12-03	-16	-16	-16	-16	-14	-11	-11	-9	-7	-3	-2	-2	
	LT	-41	05-01	-8	7	04-06	-1	-6	-2	3	2	2	4	4	7	5	5	5	
	LU	-36	06-03	-23	-3	01-02	-26	-27	-28	-26	-25	-23	-22	-25	-27	-33	-25	-26	
	HU	-71	04-95	-32	6	09-02	-23	-21	-23	-23	-21	-15	-11	-14	-15	-23	-34	-42	
	MT	-45	05-05	-29	-2	02-03	-39	-37	-37	-33	-32	-31	-34	-34	-34	-34	-37	-38	
	NL	-73	03-03	-13	45	03-00	-41	-41	-32	-28	-25	-22	-25	-20	-15	-10	2	3	
	AT	-50	02-97	-23	8	07-00	-31	-31	-30	-27	-24	-19	-19	-18	-16	-13	-12	-5	
PL	-55	09-01	-35	2	03-06	-14	-18	-15	-10	-11	-9	-1	2	-6	-8	-6	-6		
PT	-60	03-03	-26	13	10-91	-55	-55	-55	-53	-52	-52	-48	-47	-50	-50	-45	-46		
SI	-39	09-98	-28	-13	07-06	-22	-31	-29	-28	-28	-23	-21	-20	-27	-19	-14	-13		
SK	-69	10-99	-39	-10	06-05	-13	-21	-23	-19	-18	-20	-19	-15	-21	-22	-16	-11		
FI	-65	01-92	-3	30	08-98	2	-2	4	4	3	0	3	0	-4	2	5	4		
SE	-25	04-03	-5	25	03-00	-6	-7	-6	-3	3	5	2	5	10	11	8	8		
UK	-67	11-92	-25	5	10-97	-19	-23	-22	-25	-27	-24	-24	-28	-28	-31	-30	-28		
SAVINGS AT PRESENT ^(c)	EU	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:		
	Euro area	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:		
	BE	-45	12-03	40	70	02-01	-28	-32	-30	-32	-28	-31	-32	-32	-40	-21	-24	-16	
	CZ	-35	01-03	-15	15	03-01	-18	-12	-9	-9	-10	0	-5	-3	-7	-1	-7	-6	
	DK	51	01-90	65	78	07-92	67	69	68	74	72	74	68	67	74	71	73	71	
	DE	29	11-92	45	61	09-02	45	45	46	47	46	45	46	47	43	47	43	46	
	EE	-58	09-96	-35	-8	06-06	-24	-26	-20	-19	-17	-17	-20	-16	-12	-12	-8	-8	
	EL	-70	10-05	-47	-18	01-00	-59	-64	-70	-65	-63	-60	-65	-66	-65	-63	-59	-64	
	ES	-33	12-03	25	59	08-96	-21	-26	-25	-24	-23	-25	-30	-25	-25	-25	-30	-25	
	FR	2	12-05	40	61	06-95	11	13	7	8	2	9	14	14	16	14	15	15	
	IE	-2	03-93	22	56	12-01	39	31	32	35	39	40	39	43	39	36	40	40	
	IT	26	06-04	46	66	01-06	51	54	54	58	59	66	65	59	57	53	53	53	
	CY	-36	07-04	-15	10	06-01	-24	-8	-13	-23	-24	-13	-24	-30	-29	-26	-28	-23	
	LV	-78	12-95	-57	-27	09-01	-50	-57	-56	-51	-55	-51	-50	-51	-51	-47	-46	-49	
	LT	-49	10-05	-39	-27	05-02	-48	-49	-49	-48	-46	-47	-45	-46	-47	-45	-41	-37	
	LU	45	04-03	54	63	01-03	57	55	57	54	54	57	53	56	53	57	56	57	
	HU	-83	11-95	-64	-28	12-00	-55	-53	-54	-52	-53	-47	-43	-42	-40	-48	-58	-61	
	MT	-56	06-06	-42	-24	01-03	-56	-50	-50	-50	-54	-52	-51	-56	-56	-54	-56	-55	
	NL	47	06-91	61	70	09-96	62	63	63	61	61	63	63	64	63	60	63	61	
	AT	17	12-96	43	64	09-02	54	55	56	57	50	55	52	53	53	54	55	57	
PL	-49	09-01	-35	-21	07-06	-38	-31	-33	-25	-31	-24	-23	-26	-25	-31	-27	-21		
PT	-64	01-06	-41	-13	01-92	-63	-64	-64	-64	-63	-64	-64	-59	-64	-64	-61	-61		
SI	-25	09-97	-12	5	07-06	-2	-3	-3	-7	-12	-6	-7	-9	-8	-1	1	5		
SK	-55	10-04	-47	-36	03-00	-50	-51	-54	-52	-50	-48	-46	-41	-48	-47	-47	-42		
FI	-23	04-94	4	22	07-06	14	12	18	13	16	12	18	18	20	21	22	22		
SE	-9	09-01	6	20	01-00	5	4	8	6	9	11	9	14	12	11	8	10		
UK	-16	03-03	12	36	05-90	22	26	26	22	24	27	27	30	30	29	27	28		
MAJOR PURCHASES OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	EU	-21	07-93	-16	-10	03-00	-16	-18	-17	-17	-17	-15	-16	-16	-15	-14	-15	-15	
	Euro area	-21	07-93	-17	-12	03-00	-17	-19	-19	-18	-18	-16	-18	-16	-16	-14	-15	-15	
	BE	-29	10-96	-15	-6	10-03	-14	-13	-13	-12	-11	-11	-12	-10	-10	-13	-12	-9	
	CZ	-36	01-01	-23	-5	03-06	-11	-14	-12	-6	-9	-7	-9	-5	-7	-9	-5	-18	
	DK	-14	01-93	-6	4	03-06	1	0	1	-3	-2	3	2	4	2	3	2	0	
	DE	-39	02-03	-26	-14	01-90	-28	-29	-29	-26	-27	-23	-24	-23	-23	-18	-18	-21	
	EE	-64	10-92	-24	-2	05-06	-9	-11	-3	-10	-3	-8	-3	-6	-4	-2	-5	-5	
	EL	-60	10-05	-24	5	06-03	-32	-49	-60	-47	-37	-34	-37	-52	-40	-35	-32	-39	
	ES	-48	11-93	-24	-7	11-00	-15	-24	-23	-24	-22	-23	-28	-24	-28	-28	-27	-24	
	FR	-6	12-05	-1	1	09-99	-5	-5	-5	-6	-6	-4	-5	-4	-4	-3	-5	-4	
	IE	-20	05-93	-8	2	12-00	-6	-7	-5	-7	-2	-4	-7	-1	-3	-5	-13	-4	
	IT	-23	10-92	-17	-9	04-05	-13	-14	-12	-17	-15	-13	-18	-14	-14	-12	-17	-12	
	CY	-5	04-06	10	40	03-03	-4	5	-3	-5	4	0	11	2	-5	2	1	7	
	LV	-84	03-96	-38	23	06-06	14	16	16	15	14	18	18	19	18	23	23	22	
	LT	-18	12-02	-8	6	07-06	-1	-2	-2	2	3	2	3	2	3	5	5	6	
	LU	-19	06-05	-13	-6	01-02	-13	-17	-11	-11	-15	-12	-18	-17	-18	-14	-13	-16	
	HU	-69	06-95	-36	-8	08-02	-24	-22	-24	-19	-17	-15	-12	-13	-12	-20	-33	-38	
	MT	-21	06-04	-10	-2	03-05	-11	-9	-14	-12	-13	-16	-11	-15	-12	-10	-12	-9	
	NL	-25	03-03	-14	-4	11-98	-16	-19	-17	-16	-16	-13	-16	-14	-12	-17	-14	-12	
	AT	-26	11-04	-17	-4	11-00	-18	-26	-23	-23	-20	-18	-17	-15	-18	-15	-15	-18	
PL	-26	09-01	-7	1	09-04	-7	-6	-6	-6	-6	-4	-5	-7	-5	-7	-8	-5		
PT	-23	11-95	-9	14	06-90	-16	-17	-16	-14	-13	-13	-15	-16	-16	-16	-13	-16		
SI	-18	03-02	-5	4	04-00	-7	-7	-1</											

TABLE 4a (continued): **Consumer opinion on economic and financial conditions (s.a.)^(a)**

		Since 01/1990						2005					2006						
		Min.		Ave.		Max.		Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
MAJOR PURCHASES AT PRESENT	EU	-22	07-93	-11	6	01-00	-13	-14	-14	-13	-12	-9	-10	-9	-7	-7	-3	-4	
	Euro area	-28	03-03	-15	6	03-99	-20	-21	-20	-19	-18	-14	-17	-15	-13	-12	-7	-7	
	BE	-40	06-97	-3	26	12-00	19	4	15	15	15	18	18	20	17	14	18	19	
	CZ	-33	05-95	1	34	07-03	21	22	20	13	13	22	19	20	27	20	24	19	
	DK	-27	01-93	-7	10	09-97	-2	-3	-2	-1	-8	-1	-1	-2	-3	-2	-7	-9	
	DE	-31	11-02	-11	24	07-06	-12	-15	-12	-12	-8	0	-4	0	8	16	19	24	
	EE	0	04-01	16	49	05-06	37	33	40	37	38	44	38	42	47	49	43	43	
	EL	-68	10-05	-36	-10	01-01	-51	-58	-68	-52	-50	-42	-42	-50	-47	-42	-33	-42	
	ES	-64	06-93	-18	26	11-99	-24	-26	-22	-25	-24	-24	-31	-27	-28	-36	-33	-37	
	FR	-39	12-95	-14	14	07-00	-16	-13	-15	-18	-17	-16	-12	-14	-13	-17	-12	-17	
	IE	-22	04-92	14	40	09-97	19	17	15	17	17	22	24	20	19	18	21	23	
	IT	-64	11-96	-34	-2	05-90	-50	-45	-42	-40	-43	-39	-48	-46	-49	-53	-43	-45	
	CY	-20	10-01	0	24	11-04	-8	-9	-7	-10	-7	1	1	-5	-7	3	10	5	
	LV	-81	06-96	-38	19	11-05	12	9	19	19	8	11	14	12	14	17	17	16	
	LT	-11	05-01	23	50	02-06	37	40	43	45	39	45	50	48	46	47	43	40	
	LU	-18	06-04	-9	0	08-04	-10	-10	-2	-3	-5	-8	-11	-12	-13	-10	-9	-7	
	HU	-87	06-96	-53	-7	03-06	-17	-14	-17	-12	-18	-10	-10	-7	-9	-13	-20	-23	
	MT	-14	07-05	8	37	09-03	-10	-3	-4	-1	-8	4	-1	-1	0	-5	-7	-3	
	NL	-39	04-03	5	54	02-00	-29	-32	-34	-33	-31	-30	-28	-23	-22	-14	-11	-5	
	AT	-14	07-02	7	29	08-99	-5	-10	-9	-2	3	0	-2	-1	-2	6	6	6	
	PL	-27	11-01	-7	11	04-06	-1	-3	-7	3	2	6	7	3	11	3	4	6	
	PT	-64	09-05	-34	-2	01-92	-62	-64	-61	-61	-62	-62	-61	-61	-64	-62	-62	-63	
	SI	-50	04-97	-20	15	06-06	-7	-8	-7	-2	-8	-12	-2	-1	3	7	15	4	
	SK	-25	02-04	-10	4	08-99	-8	-14	-15	-11	-13	-12	-15	-13	-11	-11	-11	-11	
	FI	-27	04-90	17	39	08-03	26	22	26	24	21	23	22	25	22	22	24	24	
	SE	2	11-95	19	36	08-05	36	31	35	28	32	34	30	27	30	29	23	26	
	UK	-22	05-90	8	28	11-02	7	9	4	8	6	8	10	11	10	9	12	8	
PRICE TRENDS OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	EU	6	06-03	23	49	01-91	13	16	16	16	15	14	16	16	15	21	23	25	
	Euro area	3	04-04	23	51	01-91	14	15	17	17	15	15	17	16	16	22	24	26	
	BE	-4	09-02	20	46	10-01	17	23	18	16	15	15	18	19	18	20	23	19	
	CZ	11	05-05	44	72	03-98	25	25	16	17	22	16	23	19	28	33	33	28	
	DK	-29	08-93	-10	28	08-02	-7	6	-9	2	5	3	4	1	-2	-2	2	5	
	DE	5	12-04	32	58	03-91	14	18	16	21	20	15	19	20	25	31	39	41	
	EE	23	04-93	48	88	05-04	60	75	52	44	41	39	38	41	36	41	45	53	
	EL	0	03-04	38	60	05-90	36	38	38	39	33	27	32	34	36	38	34	35	
	ES	-4	11-98	15	36	01-02	26	30	31	30	25	23	27	26	22	30	26	28	
	FR	-13	08-97	11	54	01-91	15	10	20	19	19	17	18	16	11	22	20	21	
	IE	6	01-94	22	42	10-00	30	36	28	18	20	24	29	29	26	30	30	28	
	IT	-23	12-04	20	62	02-91	-13	-8	-3	-11	-14	-7	-8	-10	-10	-9	-4	-4	
	CY	13	03-06	43	68	10-02	45	44	27	26	27	16	14	13	14	17	13	14	
	LV	16	03-00	34	70	03-04	50	52	54	49	50	46	50	48	46	53	53	53	
	LT	14	02-03	46	74	05-04	65	67	61	56	58	57	60	60	59	59	62	62	
	LU	2	06-03	15	30	06-06	21	25	22	24	24	20	16	13	16	29	30	30	
	HU	31	02-06	50	73	07-06	46	47	49	44	38	32	31	33	40	56	71	73	
	MT	3	12-02	23	50	05-06	42	36	34	33	21	26	29	34	40	50	49	43	
	NL	-28	12-02	24	60	01-91	16	18	14	21	15	19	22	19	16	20	19	23	
	AT	-19	12-95	15	41	09-01	29	35	29	29	25	26	26	23	27	28	30	30	
	PL	8	04-05	30	55	04-04	26	33	28	25	16	22	14	15	11	22	20	20	
	PT	-9	08-97	33	56	03-03	47	47	48	46	39	46	42	37	42	41	37	38	
	SI	16	01-05	42	62	04-00	29	30	31	40	39	37	37	50	44	50	45	44	
	SK	20	05-05	49	78	11-02	32	49	41	34	36	37	40	43	40	45	40	28	
	FI	-21	12-95	12	40	09-01	26	29	26	23	25	28	26	26	30	28	29	31	
	SE	-14	03-05	13	34	04-03	13	5	10	14	20	9	14	19	19	20	22	21	
	UK	5	03-05	26	57	09-90	9	16	11	9	13	14	12	14	12	16	15	18	
PRICE TRENDS OVER LAST 12 MONTHS	EU	-5	03-99	23	46	01-03	27	30	30	28	28	27	28	27	30	30	28	28	
	Euro area	-4	01-99	28	62	01-03	36	39	40	38	37	36	37	35	38	37	36	36	
	BE	-1	06-98	35	56	09-05	53	56	56	51	50	55	51	51	50	53	50	54	
	CZ	-33	08-03	22	63	03-98	-15	-13	-9	-18	-16	-17	-19	-21	-13	-10	-18	-11	
	DK	-51	09-93	-25	-1	02-90	-24	-21	-24	-23	-24	-24	-24	-25	-25	-25	-26	-21	
	DE	-3	03-99	31	74	08-02	25	32	31	31	29	27	29	26	27	27	27	27	
	EE	-1	04-03	34	58	09-05	52	58	57	53	45	46	47	46	42	40	43	41	
	EL	5	06-99	42	76	08-03	64	69	70	69	70	64	70	71	72	69	58	65	
	ES	-5	06-97	31	65	03-03	50	52	51	52	51	53	54	53	53	56	54	51	
	FR	-23	01-99	15	54	01-04	46	43	45	47	46	41	43	40	51	50	48	45	
	IE	-3	07-97	30	66	12-02	44	45	45	35	38	36	34	33	35	39	37	35	
	IT	0	05-97	36	70	11-03	37	37	41	34	32	36	34	35	34	30	32	35	
	CY	20	08-01	42	63	02-04	51	61	51	46	53	43	38	40	43	40	39	40	
	LV	-31	09-96	26	68	12-05	59	63	64	67	68	64	65	64	62	63	60	60	
	LT	-17	10-03	13	39	09-05	35	39	36	35	37	33	32	32	32	34	33	33	
	LU	21	01-02	39	47	11-05	41	44	44	47	47	44	41	33	42	42	46	45	
	HU	6	04-06	39	71	06-95	18	19	21	16	15	9	9	9	6	9	14	24	
	MT	18	06-04	40	68	06-06	60	51	53	51	51	44	40	46	48	59	68	61	
	NL	-3	04-90	27	89	12-02	27	30	27	25	21	26	24	26	24	25	19	16	
	AT	-48	02-96	8	46														

TABLE 4b: Quarterly survey of consumers

Intention to buy a car within the next 12 months (s.a.) ^{(a)(b)}														
	Since 01/1990					2004		2005				2006		
	Min.		Ave.	Max.		IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	
	Value	Date		Value	Date									
EU	-73	I-04	-57	-48	II-99	-70	-73	-70	-70	-71	-69	-70	-70	
Euro area	-75	I-05	-58	-49	I-00	-73	-75	-72	-72	-73	-71	-73	-73	
BE	-81	I-05	-58	-45	II-95	-79	-81	-79	-74	-79	-77	-79	-80	
CZ	-80	II-05	-73	-67	II-02	-77	-74	-80	-70	-73	-74	-76	-72	
DK	-79	I-90	-65	-43	I-97	-71	-75	-72	-67	-73	-69	-62	-67	
DE	-78	II-04	-44	-28	II-90	-75	-77	-72	-71	-70	-67	-70	-69	
EE	-86	IV-04	-71	-53	II-03	-86	-83	-85	-77	-75	-76	-71	-70	
EL	-88	III-93	-66	-38	II-00	-67	-68	-65	-68	-74	-71	-69	-67	
ES	-82	I-02	-68	-25	III-99	-73	-78	-74	-76	-75	-72	-77	-76	
FR	-83	II-97	-77	-70	II-90	-72	-76	-74	-75	-77	-75	-77	-77	
IE	-60	III-93	-39	-21	IV-99	-27	-24	-24	-27	-30	-30	-31	-30	
IT	-87	I-05	-63	-47	II-90	-82	-87	-81	-80	-84	-81	-83	-86	
CY	-66	I-03	-54	-45	I-04	-53	-53	-52	-55	-51	-53	-57	-56	
LV	-84	I-00	-68	-11	I-02	-52	-64	-59	-56	-57	-54	-50	-50	
LT	-82	I-05	-74	-65	III-01	-77	-82	-76	-75	-77	-78	-76	-75	
LU	-77	IV-05	-50	-23	III-02	-59	-58	-57	-59	-77	-64	-66	-62	
HU	-87	II-04	-72	-33	I-00	-83	-81	-85	-82	-81	-82	-81	-83	
MT	-90	II-05	-84	-75	I-03	-86	-88	-90	-86	-86	-83	-87	-87	
NL	-59	IV-05	-45	-37	IV-99	-48	-51	-52	-54	-59	-50	-55	-48	
AT	-80	I-04	-50	44	I-01	-60	-63	-62	-64	-61	-61	-67	-61	
PL	-77	III-03	-75	-72	I-06	-75	-75	-75	-77	-74	-72	-73	-72	
PT	-90	III-06	-68	-56	III-98	-81	-80	-83	-87	-86	-89	-88	-90	
SI	-77	I-04	-56	-44	I-01	-69	-70	-69	-63	-68	-67	-68	-64	
SK	-85	II-04	-80	-75	IV-02	-85	-82	-80	-83	-84	-81	-81	-81	
FI	-62	IV-04	-46	-31	IV-02	-62	-58	-59	-59	-61	-59	-58	-58	
SE	-58	I-04	-41	-27	I-00	-54	-56	-58	-52	-55	-57	-54	-55	
UK	-71	III-93	-50	-34	II-99	-61	-62	-63	-61	-59	-60	-56	-56	

Intention to purchase or build a home within the next 12 months (s.a.)^{(a)(b)}

	Since 01/1990					2004		2005				2006		
	Min.		Ave.	Max.		IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	
	Value	Date		Value	Date									
EU	-87	II-06	-82	-78	I-01	-86	-87	-86	-86	-87	-87	-87	-86	
Euro area	-89	II-06	-84	-78	I-01	-88	-89	-88	-88	-89	-89	-89	-88	
BE	-93	IV-03	-80	-67	II-95	-90	-89	-89	-88	-88	-87	-89	-91	
CZ	-92	I-05	-88	-83	II-02	-88	-92	-85	-88	-88	-87	-89	-86	
DK	-86	III-03	-76	-62	II-02	-75	-80	-82	-81	-78	-77	-80	-78	
DE	-93	IV-05	-84	-78	IV-99	-91	-92	-92	-91	-93	-92	-92	-91	
EE	-90	I-05	-43	11	IV-99	-89	-90	-89	-79	-80	-79	-79	-80	
EL	-92	I-95	-82	-68	I-03	-80	-84	-79	-86	-83	-84	-85	-85	
ES	-88	IV-03	-80	-71	III-99	-82	-85	-83	-81	-82	-81	-84	-82	
FR	-90	II-92	-87	-81	II-04	-85	-85	-86	-84	-88	-85	-86	-85	
IE	-83	IV-93	-79	-71	II-06	-76	-76	-76	-78	-74	-72	-71	-81	
IT	-95	I-06	-86	-79	IV-90	-92	-94	-92	-94	-94	-95	-95	-94	
CY	-79	I-03	-73	-65	I-04	-74	-75	-72	-74	-72	-73	-68	-72	
LV	-95	I-03	-83	-15	I-02	-70	-89	-77	-74	-75	-75	-74	-75	
LT	-93	I-06	-89	-82	I-03	-90	-91	-90	-91	-91	-93	-92	-88	
LU	-82	IV-03	-74	-64	IV-02	-75	-77	-75	-74	-75	-76	-79	-78	
HU	-90	II-04	-78	-39	I-00	-89	-84	-87	-86	-86	-86	-84	-86	
MT	-93	II-06	-90	-85	I-04	-89	-93	-92	-89	-89	-89	-93	-93	
NL	-84	IV-03	-77	-68	III-99	-83	-77	-80	-83	-80	-83	-83	-79	
AT	-99	I-04	-79	51	I-01	-81	-90	-86	-87	-85	-87	-87	-87	
PL	-89	II-03	-86	-82	I-04	-85	-89	-86	-86	-88	-84	-85	-85	
PT	-92	I-06	-79	-70	II-90	-89	-88	-90	-90	-91	-92	-91	-90	
SI	-89	IV-03	-77	-71	IV-96	-82	-82	-83	-77	-76	-80	-83	-81	
SK	-90	IV-03	-86	-82	II-00	-88	-88	-86	-88	-87	-87	-88	-87	
FI	-87	IV-03	-81	-76	III-02	-85	-85	-82	-84	-82	-82	-79	-81	
SE	-78	I-96	-72	-61	IV-02	-76	-75	-75	-73	-72	-76	-72	-72	
UK	-86	II-96	-77	-66	I-90	-80	-81	-79	-80	-80	-81	-82	-80	

TABLE 4b (continued): **Quarterly survey of consumers****Intention to carry out home improvements over the next 12 months** (s.a.)^{(a) (b)}

	Since 01/1990					2004			2005			2006		
	Min.		Ave.	Max.		IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	
	Value	Date	Value	Date										
EU	-66	IV-96	-60	-54	II-04	-55	-56	-55	-57	-56	-54	-55	-56	
Euro area	-68	III-93	-62	-57	III-00	-60	-61	-61	-62	-61	-60	-61	-60	
BE	-65	III-97	-52	-32	III-01	-48	-46	-47	-45	-38	-48	-48	-48	
CZ	-51	III-01	-35	-23	II-06	-35	-31	-29	-39	-42	-35	-23	-35	
DK	-87	I-90	-66	-26	I-00	-55	-67	-51	-59	-57	-56	-50	-54	
DE	-60	III-93	-54	-46	I-90	-51	-52	-49	-53	-50	-48	-48	-50	
EE	-68	IV-92	-43	-12	II-06	-44	-32	-20	-23	-22	-23	-12	-22	
EL	-84	II-06	-70	-44	IV-95	-68	-79	-81	-80	-81	-77	-84	-81	
ES	-82	II-94	-73	-61	IV-90	-74	-79	-74	-77	-76	-74	-76	-78	
FR	-79	IV-95	-71	-56	II-04	-59	-59	-65	-60	-62	-61	-64	-58	
IE	-81	II-90	-67	-50	I-06	-56	-58	-60	-62	-60	-50	-57	-55	
IT	-87	III-03	-70	-59	III-98	-84	-85	-83	-82	-84	-85	-84	-86	
CY	-73	III-06	-61	-46	III-01	-71	-69	-67	-61	-61	-66	-72	-73	
LV	-77	IV-95	-57	-10	I-02	-40	-51	-42	-39	-31	-33	-24	-29	
LT	-65	IV-01	-60	-53	II-06	-62	-61	-60	-58	-58	-62	-53	-55	
LU	-45	I-03	-33	-22	II-04	-25	-22	-33	-36	-36	-33	-27	-31	
HU	-73	II-04	-57	-23	III-00	-71	-62	-68	-65	-68	-63	-64	-66	
MT	-72	III-04	-67	-65	I-04	-70	-69	-68	-65	-68	-69	-70	-71	
NL	-59	II-96	-48	-35	IV-00	-47	-46	-48	-55	-51	-44	-47	-44	
AT	-56	I-03	-37	3	I-01	-28	-28	-24	-33	-26	-25	-21	-25	
PL	-48	III-03	-37	-30	II-04	-36	-38	-41	-35	-32	-32	-34	-35	
PT	-85	III-93	-62	50	III-92	-75	-79	-82	-85	-82	-85	-83	-82	
SI	-48	I-04	-30	-17	II-01	-35	-33	-32	-36	-30	-25	-33	-32	
SK	-63	III-04	-56	-48	IV-01	-60	-58	-55	-58	-57	-55	-55	-51	
FI	-72	III-98	-64	-50	III-06	-60	-53	-55	-53	-51	-54	-54	-50	
SE	-47	II-96	-30	-18	IV-04	-18	-22	-21	-25	-22	-22	-20	-22	
UK	-74	III-96	-54	-35	I-04	-35	-36	-37	-41	-40	-36	-40	-45	

(a) Data collected in January, April, July and October each year.

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

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

		Since 01/1990				2005					2006								
		Min.		Ave.		Max.		Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
RETAIL TRADE CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EU	-20	01-93	-7	4	07-90	-10	-8	-7	-10	-6	-6	-5	-3	-2	-1	3	1	
	Euro area	-23	01-93	-8	8	08-90	-10	-7	-5	-8	-5	-6	-5	-1	-1	-1	2	-1	
	BE	-25	05-93	-6	13	04-90	-8	-9	0	-7	-4	-5	-2	-1	-9	-2	7	1	
	CZ	-1	02-99	14	26	08-02	15	19	20	24	22	15	21	18	16	18	22	22	
	DK	-6	10-01	18	37	11-94	27	26	27	25	29	25	26	25	27	28	29	24	
	DE	-41	01-03	-16	19	12-90	-28	-24	-23	-29	-26	-23	-16	-9	-12	-12	-5	-11	
	EE	-1	04-03	19	34	06-06	21	23	25	23	26	27	27	26	31	32	34	33	
	EL	-24	06-95	2	27	03-04	1	5	5	4	12	11	19	23	22	14	21	23	
	ES	-36	02-93	-7	10	06-00	-4	-5	-4	-3	-5	-10	-13	-13	-2	-11	-19	-9	
	FR	-37	04-97	-15	6	10-04	-9	-6	-5	-3	0	-10	-8	-8	-3	-4	5	0	
	IE	-21	05-03	3	24	06-00	2	-10	-7	0	0	-2	-3	-2	-5	0	-1	-2	
	IT	-19	10-96	9	39	10-95	19	24	30	22	26	27	19	26	22	29	27	24	
	CY	-16	06-02	-4	5	04-05	-3	-5	3	1	1	-4	-1	-2	1	-7	-1	0	
	LV	1	10-96	10	20	04-06	17	16	17	18	16	18	17	18	20	17	17	16	
	LT	-25	09-00	-3	37	07-06	13	12	13	17	15	17	14	12	17	12	22	37	
	HU	-28	05-05	-8	9	11-97	-26	-13	-12	-12	-12	-13	-14	-10	-5	-3	-4	-16	
	NL ^(c)	-16	12-03	12	30	10-99	-9	-7	-3	-3	7	7	6	7	11	:	:	:	
	AT	-29	03-03	-13	4	07-00	-13	-10	-8	-9	-8	-4	-2	-2	-1	-7	-2	-7	
	PL	-19	01-02	-6	7	07-98	-5	-5	-5	-1	-4	-4	-5	-4	-4	-2	-1	0	
	PT	-27	01-03	-8	4	01-99	-19	-19	-17	-20	-11	-6	-15	-19	-11	-20	-13	-10	
SI	3	01-01	12	26	07-06	16	16	16	19	17	21	16	15	19	19	20	26		
SK	-17	10-93	9	34	11-98	12	15	16	22	24	14	18	26	24	24	27	28		
FI	-17	11-00	-3	11	04-06	2	7	10	9	6	6	8	7	11	3	7	7		
SE	-8	09-01	8	36	07-06	11	13	14	17	21	27	30	31	31	33	32	36		
UK	-32	11-05	-5	20	06-04	-21	-22	-23	-32	-23	-14	-17	-17	-17	-11	-6	-3		
PRESENT BUSINESS SITUATION	EU	-25	12-94	-7	18	04-90	-15	-13	-12	-15	-9	-6	-5	-3	-2	-2	5	5	
	Euro area	-29	12-94	-9	21	11-90	-15	-13	-12	-13	-7	-7	-5	-1	-1	-2	3	1	
	BE	-41	10-95	-6	29	06-00	-3	-16	-1	-7	-1	-8	-6	2	-12	1	19	0	
	CZ	0	11-98	29	53	12-05	40	41	44	49	53	36	40	46	42	41	40	45	
	DK	-1	08-01	30	57	11-94	51	50	46	42	49	44	46	43	49	48	51	46	
	DE	-54	12-02	-18	46	11-90	-31	-28	-34	-34	-27	-23	-15	-6	-16	-14	-3	-7	
	EE	5	01-03	39	63	06-06	40	48	47	47	51	59	58	49	57	59	63	60	
	EL	-50	04-95	-6	40	01-04	-7	-6	0	-1	10	4	17	32	32	23	32	38	
	ES	-72	07-93	-29	4	06-00	-23	-21	-23	-25	-25	-31	-37	-35	-22	-34	-40	-26	
	FR	-50	03-93	-13	11	10-94	-17	-14	-16	-12	0	-13	-11	-11	-2	-8	4	2	
	IE	-30	05-03	6	37	06-98	6	-5	-1	2	-5	3	-2	1	-2	4	9	5	
	IT	-42	02-95	15	73	02-93	18	21	34	29	27	37	29	36	32	47	34	30	
	CY	-47	04-03	-28	-11	04-06	-24	-34	-18	-15	-12	-28	-21	-21	-11	-33	-13	-22	
	LV	-18	07-96	6	32	01-06	26	27	24	26	25	32	28	27	30	25	24	24	
	LT	-37	03-00	-10	43	06-04	16	19	18	14	10	14	9	2	-4	-6	27	40	
	HU	-41	03-05	-7	16	03-98	-36	-12	-12	-16	-13	-8	-6	-6	-1	1	4	-6	
	(c)	-27	12-03	28	57	06-99	-9	-9	0	-1	12	18	13	11	17	:	:	:	
	AT	-36	04-03	-11	13	07-00	-13	-6	-4	-9	-7	3	8	8	8	-3	9	-6	
	PL	-36	01-01	-12	20	02-98	-4	-2	-4	2	-4	2	-2	-4	-8	0	4	6	
	PT	-46	01-03	-21	3	07-99	-31	-32	-31	-36	-25	-18	-28	-35	-21	-38	-28	-19	
SI	2	04-02	18	44	01-99	14	16	13	18	18	24	25	19	23	21	28	27		
SK	-35	06-95	12	58	11-98	14	26	17	35	37	24	30	41	32	21	27	43		
FI	-15	11-00	9	40	05-04	14	29	25	26	23	16	24	25	31	17	19	28		
SE	-21	10-96	11	65	07-06	17	26	26	32	43	47	53	56	56	62	60	65		
UK	-57	09-92	-6	42	06-04	-29	-31	-26	-45	-34	-17	-19	-28	-19	-22	-4	6		
VOLUME OF STOCKS	EU	21	01-91	16	10	10-96	15	15	14	18	18	17	17	14	17	14	13	16	
	Euro area	21	01-91	15	6	10-96	14	14	13	18	17	17	16	14	16	15	12	15	
	BE	32	09-90	13	-5	03-92	10	7	1	9	10	7	8	12	17	7	6	5	
	CZ	27	03-00	10	0	05-95	13	14	14	10	8	12	8	4	5	10	8	7	
	DK	32	04-98	18	-1	04-00	19	20	20	14	13	18	21	19	19	16	18	20	
	DE	40	01-91	24	3	01-03	23	24	26	33	34	36	30	25	27	24	17	27	
	EE	18	06-06	10	1	07-04	7	8	9	10	6	6	5	7	8	5	1	3	
	EL	41	11-02	13	-7	12-93	15	14	15	16	11	6	9	7	14	21	22	20	
	ES	25	02-96	5	-8	06-06	9	8	7	8	3	5	7	12	4	8	25	8	
	FR	21	10-93	11	-3	09-98	10	10	9	10	10	10	10	10	12	13	5	12	
	IE	25	06-00	10	-5	08-98	5	9	8	7	8	16	12	11	10	6	11	6	
	IT	43	10-99	8	-8	10-96	0	-1	-3	6	4	-2	2	-2	4	2	0	2	
	CY	6	04-05	-6	-15	03-05	-5	-11	-12	-13	-12	-9	-6	-9	-7	-8	-6	-9	
	LV	8	07-96	-3	-18	12-02	-1	3	-1	3	2	3	3	4	5	5	5	2	
	LT	13	12-99	-1	-21	10-96	-1	0	-1	1	1	2	0	-2	-2	1	6	-11	
	HU	33	02-96	22	4	01-99	16	23	19	14	18	25	24	18	14	14	17	20	
	NL ^(c)	19	07-97	12	5	06-05	16	15	16	15	12	14	14	13	10	:	:	:	
	AT	36	01-00	24	-2	01-96	24	26	20	19	21	20	22	23	22	25	18	24	
	PL	7	09-03	-1	-9	05-05	5	5	4	5	5	4	3	5	5	4	3	2	
	PT	25	12-03	9	-3	06-90	12	11	10	14	9	7	13	19	9	18	14	11	
SI	33	07-06	15	-3	01-99	4	4	3	1	1	1	6	4	4	3	0	-3		
SK	26	06-06	9	-8	02-95	2	4	2	2	2	2	-2	-7	-7	-7	-8	2		
FI	40	01-06	29	20	08-00	32	32	20	21	23	20	23	28	23	32	22	31		
SE	44	04-00	30	18	02-98	22	24	25	26	28	25	22	27	26	25	23	20		
UK	33	04-93	19	4	02-91	22	17	18	22	25	20	22	12	23	11	17	20		

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

		Since 01/1990			2005					2006								
		Min.		Ave.	Max.		Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
		Value	Date		Value	Date												
EXPECTED	EU	-20	01-93	2	16	06-06	-1	3	6	3	7	5	6	9	13	13	16	13
BUSINESS	Euro area	-25	01-93	-1	17	08-90	-1	5	10	7	9	5	7	11	15	13	17	13
SITUATION	BE	-23	04-03	2	22	04-98	-13	-3	1	-6	-2	1	7	9	2	2	8	8
Component of the retail confidence indicator	CZ	2	09-00	23	46	02-02	18	30	31	31	20	21	32	14	12	24	32	26
	DK	8	10-01	41	71	07-94	49	46	54	48	52	48	53	52	52	52	53	46
	DE	-34	11-02	-7	26	12-90	-29	-19	-9	-20	-17	-9	-2	4	6	4	4	0
	EE	2	04-03	29	63	01-03	30	28	35	33	34	27	26	37	45	42	41	42
	EL	-4	05-95	26	60	06-00	27	33	30	28	36	35	49	44	47	40	51	50
	ES	-34	02-93	14	34	04-91	20	15	18	26	14	5	6	8	21	8	7	6
	FR	-64	02-93	-21	19	10-04	1	7	9	14	9	-7	-4	-2	6	11	15	11
	IE	-31	07-03	12	44	11-97	5	-16	-12	6	11	8	6	4	-4	2	-1	-5
	IT	-20	03-93	19	59	06-96	38	49	53	43	55	42	30	39	39	41	48	43
	CY	-21	06-02	9	37	06-04	11	8	14	5	3	9	13	7	8	3	3	13
	LV	2	01-04	20	36	09-99	25	23	26	29	24	24	26	31	36	29	30	26
	LT	-35	09-00	0	58	07-06	21	18	20	38	36	38	33	33	54	44	44	58
	HU	-25	08-05	6	39	02-98	-25	-5	-6	-5	-4	-7	-13	-7	0	4	1	-23
	NL ^(c)	-5	12-03	19	41	10-99	-4	4	7	8	20	18	19	24	27	:	:	:
	AT	-24	03-03	-2	15	07-00	-1	4	0	1	4	4	10	8	12	7	3	7
	PL	-33	12-01	-7	17	07-98	-6	-7	-5	-1	-4	-10	-8	-3	1	-3	-4	-3
	PT	-26	01-03	7	39	01-90	-13	-13	-10	-8	2	6	-3	-2	-3	-4	3	-1
	SI	15	02-03	32	47	04-99	38	36	38	40	35	39	28	30	37	37	31	47
	SK	-14	11-94	24	60	12-96	23	23	32	33	37	19	20	31	33	43	45	41
	FI	-4	04-03	11	39	05-97	22	22	25	21	18	23	24	25	25	24	26	25
SE	19	10-01	43	67	04-00	40	39	42	47	48	60	61	63	63	61	57	64	
UK	-29	11-05	10	40	01-97	-13	-18	-26	-29	-11	-4	-9	-12	-8	0	3	5	
INTENTIONS OF PLACING ORDERS	EU	-14	03-03	-3	13	01-90	-7	-3	-3	-6	-3	-4	-4	-2	-1	-2	2	1
	Euro area	-20	10-02	-5	14	01-90	-6	-1	1	-3	-1	-6	-4	0	1	-3	1	0
	BE	-27	05-93	-6	15	03-90	-10	-9	-2	-5	-6	-3	-3	0	-10	-2	8	0
	CZ	-34	02-96	28	56	02-95	26	27	27	23	19	29	27	28	20	19	20	28
	DK	-12	10-01	19	58	07-94	26	27	25	29	27	20	26	24	19	30	21	24
	DE	-42	08-02	-14	24	01-91	-26	-20	-17	-25	-22	-23	-18	-12	-11	-21	-14	-17
	EE	-4	03-03	19	36	07-06	20	14	17	27	28	24	21	26	25	31	35	36
	EL	-23	04-93	11	38	06-96	2	14	5	11	17	16	24	24	27	18	29	24
	ES	-31	02-93	5	21	01-90	11	6	3	1	5	0	-8	-1	5	-5	0	-4
	FR	-37	12-92	-14	11	10-99	-8	-4	-4	-4	-2	-10	-9	-9	-6	-5	-4	-1
	IE	-43	05-03	-5	27	08-00	1	-18	-19	-7	-10	-13	-11	-9	-12	-3	-9	-4
	IT	-25	10-97	22	69	04-92	37	47	53	47	44	30	30	35	34	37	38	43
	CY	-51	06-02	-8	24	06-04	-1	-5	-5	4	-6	-9	-8	0	0	-7	-1	8
	LV	-4	10-96	10	27	03-02	18	18	21	23	14	17	19	22	25	24	24	20
	LT	-23	01-03	8	51	07-04	25	23	27	48	43	32	11	11	47	23	22	23
	HU	-29	03-05	-3	23	05-98	-26	-13	-17	-9	-11	-17	-19	-11	-8	-2	-7	-23
	NL ^(c)	-22	09-03	3	25	08-99	-17	-11	-9	-9	0	-1	0	5	8	:	:	:
	AT	-42	03-99	-30	-14	03-06	-24	-23	-25	-26	-23	-25	-19	-14	-18	-22	-22	-23
	PL	-30	12-01	-6	13	12-98	-8	-8	-3	-3	-6	-9	-8	-4	-2	-3	-1	-2
	PT	-41	01-03	-13	12	11-98	-27	-30	-25	-25	-2	-12	-15	-20	-10	-14	-13	-11
	SI	-2	10-01	15	30	10-00	14	17	19	23	21	19	9	12	13	16	20	19
	SK	-19	03-96	35	78	01-02	32	33	33	41	36	18	37	46	35	51	58	49
	FI	-20	07-03	-5	16	03-06	7	4	8	7	11	12	14	16	8	13	16	10
	SE	-17	10-01	15	52	03-00	5	11	18	18	21	28	27	28	32	29	30	42
	UK	-37	03-91	3	34	08-96	-18	-19	-25	-30	-22	-3	-10	-23	-17	-7	-1	-4
EMPLOYMENT EXPECTATIONS	EU	-13	12-92	-2	8	08-00	-6	-2	-3	-7	-5	-4	0	-1	0	-1	0	2
	Euro area	-11	12-92	-2	8	08-00	-5	-1	-1	-6	-3	-1	5	4	3	2	4	6
	BE	-13	12-92	3	16	04-90	7	10	8	3	-1	6	9	2	-4	-1	7	10
	CZ	-37	01-95	2	22	05-02	8	11	11	15	10	15	15	16	15	13	9	13
	DK	-8	05-01	9	28	05-00	15	20	13	16	14	13	16	13	14	16	19	13
	DE ^(d)	-37	01-03	-12	9	03-91	-21	-15	-22	-24	-19	-17	-12	-10	-13	-14	-9	-7
	EE	-9	05-02	5	20	06-06	-1	4	9	10	14	14	11	11	16	19	20	17
	EL	-12	07-05	27	62	03-98	-5	2	-10	-10	21	5	13	5	8	11	10	13
	ES	-19	09-93	0	8	12-98	3	2	4	1	2	4	3	3	4	3	2	7
	FR	-14	06-91	-2	12	10-00	-2	2	4	0	-2	-1	-1	0	-2	1	2	3
	IE	-17	05-03	1	22	03-98	-4	-1	-12	-6	-4	2	3	0	-4	-1	-4	-8
	IT	-34	02-97	12	54	02-00	16	24	38	19	22	27	53	48	47	38	35	40
	CY	-4	07-02	0	5	10-05	-1	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1
	LV	-23	04-96	1	19	04-06	14	13	8	15	12	17	16	16	19	16	16	13
	LT	-48	07-95	-7	68	10-05	63	64	68	68	54	59	34	26	55	50	50	55
	HU	-36	05-96	-9	5	11-03	-19	-13	-15	-9	-7	-9	-4	-10	-8	-3	-8	-16
	NL ^(c)	-6	08-05	2	13	06-99	-6	-5	-3	-4	-1	-2	0	0	3	:	:	:
	AT	-18	03-96	-7	3	07-99	-4	-6	-7	-9	-4	-10	-2	-3	-4	-3	-6	-5
	PL	-28	12-01	-11	2	07-97	-10	-6	-6	-6	-5	-6	-6	-7	-5	-6	-4	-5
	PT	-23	05-03	-5	13	09-97	-14	-19	-20	-19	-20	-19	-18	-18	-16	-14	-11	-5
	SI	-46	02-99	-9	11	06-04	-10	5	-9	-7	-8	-9	-6	-3	1	7	-7	4
	SK	-71	12-93	-7	31	09-02	1	2	-2	6	14	10	11	2	16	10	17	12
	FI	-16	07-03	-2	10	05-04	-1	-6	2	2	0	5	2	2	7	4	2	6
	SE	-34	10-96	-3	23	06-00	-11	-9	-8	-7	-2	-1	4	2	9	5	7	12
	UK	-32	12-91	-3	25	10-97	-10	-10	-16	-19	-19	-17	-25	-27	-16	-17	-21	-21

(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

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

		Since 01/1985			2005					2006								
		Min.	Ave.	Max.														
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	
CONSTRUCTION CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EU	-42	10-93	-19	3	02-90	-9	-7	-6	-3	-6	-4	-4	-4	-3	-2	-2	0
	Euro area	-43	10-93	-19	4	03-90	-9	-7	-7	-3	-6	-4	-5	-3	-3	-2	-2	1
	BE	-35	11-95	-11	10	02-00	-6	-4	-3	-1	-3	1	0	0	2	2	1	7
	CZ	-64	06-99	-17	3	06-95	-7	-1	0	-2	-8	-9	-7	-6	-7	-6	-7	1
	DK	-37	12-91	-7	23	06-06	3	5	14	16	18	21	20	18	21	22	23	22
	DE	-55	12-02	-34	2	02-90	-41	-37	-35	-35	-36	-33	-29	-26	-20	-19	-17	-15
	EE	-46	12-99	5	48	05-06	33	28	30	39	46	45	45	45	48	48	46	39
	EL	-53	03-05	-12	33	04-00	-47	-45	-40	-36	-34	-30	-22	-15	-23	-22	-17	-9
	ES	-57	10-92	-1	42	01-99	25	26	23	39	23	21	6	19	11	12	12	20
	FR	-60	03-93	-15	34	10-00	7	8	12	13	10	15	14	15	14	15	15	16
	IE	-54	09-02	10	58	06-97	20	28	24	31	13	13	0	-2	4	-1	12	-20
	IT	-68	10-93	-13	21	05-90	-3	-5	-10	-6	-2	3	0	-5	-4	-7	-11	-10
	CY	-30	12-05	8	39	12-03	-6	-2	-3	-13	-30	5	-3	8	4	-27	-3	-23
	LV	-64	07-93	-26	13	11-05	6	7	7	13	10	10	9	10	10	12	11	12
	LT	-76	09-00	-38	9	03-06	1	2	1	7	7	6	-1	9	1	5	4	6
	LU	-73	03-94	-26	24	03-90	-26	-32	-22	-20	-22	-19	-27	-23	-26	-29	-30	-26
	HU	-24	12-04	-8	11	09-98	-16	-9	-13	-10	-15	-16	-17	-12	-10	-5	-9	-9
	NL	-25	05-03	-3	27	12-00	4	6	4	6	3	3	7	4	7	14	15	11
	AT	-60	04-96	-28	-6	07-06	-18	-14	-13	-14	-12	-12	-7	-13	-9	-9	-7	-6
	PL	-63	12-02	-41	-10	07-06	-28	-27	-24	-21	-25	-21	-21	-19	-15	-15	-12	-10
	PT	-56	02-03	-27	-1	12-97	-39	-41	-31	-38	-39	-35	-35	-37	-42	-40	-36	-35
	SI	-32	06-02	-8	6	01-05	-9	-8	-11	-10	-10	-15	-13	-6	-6	-3	-1	5
	SK	-86	07-99	-26	18	03-97	-10	-9	-11	-5	-6	-10	-11	-7	-2	0	3	7
	FI	-97	09-91	-16	48	06-98	22	10	10	12	19	22	24	25	22	13	19	22
	SE	-83	12-93	-34	27	01-06	8	21	15	15	19	27	25	16	26	23	16	14
	UK	-79	06-91	-19	5	08-04	-11	-10	-5	-9	-8	-9	-5	-9	-12	-8	-7	-5
ORDER BOOKS	EU	-54	08-93	-28	-2	03-90	-17	-15	-14	-9	-12	-10	-12	-12	-10	-9	-8	-5
	Euro area	-54	08-93	-27	-3	03-90	-17	-14	-14	-8	-11	-9	-12	-10	-9	-8	-7	-3
Component of the construction confidence indicator	BE	-48	02-96	-22	2	02-00	-14	-14	-15	-12	-13	-6	-10	-9	-7	-5	-5	1
	CZ	-72	06-99	-21	9	12-02	-8	-3	-3	-9	-22	-10	-9	-10	-13	-17	-17	-6
	DK	-49	12-91	-10	34	07-06	6	5	15	17	20	29	27	24	29	31	31	34
	DE	-67	07-02	-45	-10	02-91	-54	-51	-46	-46	-47	-45	-42	-41	-32	-29	-23	-22
	EE	-67	12-99	0	61	04-06	33	28	27	40	51	54	57	57	61	55	58	48
	EL	-77	06-95	-37	16	04-00	-63	-66	-63	-63	-65	-71	-54	-45	-51	-56	-53	-50
	ES	-64	08-93	2	54	11-05	27	35	29	54	37	42	18	28	19	19	21	32
	FR	-74	09-93	-22	37	10-00	0	0	8	6	2	9	8	9	9	9	8	11
	IE	-61	06-94	4	68	06-97	19	33	14	21	12	-3	9	-18	5	-3	-5	-26
	IT	-84	02-94	-24	17	05-90	-11	-9	-19	-8	-3	-3	-5	-11	-8	-10	-16	-13
	CY	-37	05-06	2	44	12-03	-7	-1	-8	-4	-32	1	-18	-8	-2	-37	-4	-29
	LV	-84	01-96	-48	1	05-06	-7	-11	-10	-4	-5	-4	-5	0	-1	1	0	1
	LT	-96	09-00	-60	1	02-06	-13	-15	-14	-13	-12	-3	1	-9	-11	-8	-4	-9
	LU	-73	08-93	-28	12	03-90	-21	-40	-25	-22	-21	-11	-21	-17	-24	-26	-32	-29
	HU	-35	12-04	-17	3	09-98	-25	-15	-22	-19	-24	-21	-28	-21	-20	-13	-18	-13
	NL	-30	09-93	-8	20	09-00	-1	2	-2	0	-2	-2	1	1	3	11	11	7
	AT	-65	04-96	-39	-15	07-06	-29	-23	-21	-22	-18	-28	-24	-25	-24	-15	-17	-15
	PL	-99	12-02	-66	-32	12-01	-56	-54	-53	-48	-54	-49	-49	-50	-46	-44	-41	-39
	PT	-79	05-94	-45	-9	12-97	-57	-63	-58	-54	-53	-49	-57	-56	-59	-58	-52	-54
	SI	-42	06-02	-14	5	08-04	-27	-19	-28	-20	-20	-26	-26	-19	-22	-17	-13	3
	SK	-93	03-94	-42	-5	03-97	-34	-21	-30	-17	-16	-20	-20	-23	-14	-14	-15	-13
	FI	-99	12-93	-23	38	06-98	21	11	10	11	16	28	22	27	16	11	12	26
	SE	-97	05-97	-46	33	01-90	6	15	11	7	15	13	8	-2	17	16	1	9
	UK	-87	06-91	-33	-3	01-90	-23	-21	-17	-19	-18	-21	-17	-19	-21	-20	-17	-16
EMPLOYMENT EXPECTATIONS	EU	-31	10-93	-10	9	02-90	-1	1	2	3	0	3	3	5	4	4	5	6
	Euro area	-34	12-96	-11	11	02-90	-1	0	0	2	-1	1	2	4	3	3	3	5
Component of the construction confidence indicator	BE	-24	11-95	0	19	02-90	2	6	8	10	7	8	9	10	11	9	8	13
	CZ	-57	06-99	-13	12	06-95	-5	1	2	6	5	-8	-4	-2	-1	5	4	7
	DK	-31	09-91	-4	42	03-98	-1	5	12	14	16	12	12	12	14	15	11	
	DE	-50	12-96	-24	19	02-90	-28	-23	-23	-24	-25	-21	-15	-12	-8	-10	-10	-7
	EE	-45	03-99	11	68	01-97	33	29	34	37	42	37	34	33	30	41	35	30
	EL	-64	09-04	13	60	03-99	-31	-25	-18	-8	-3	10	10	16	6	12	19	31
	ES	-66	03-93	-5	54	01-99	22	17	17	24	9	0	-6	10	3	5	4	8
	FR	-51	03-93	-8	31	10-00	14	16	16	21	18	20	21	21	18	20	21	21
	IE	-50	09-02	16	61	07-04	21	23	35	41	14	29	-8	13	3	1	28	-14
	IT	-60	10-93	-2	31	06-04	6	0	-2	-4	-1	9	4	1	1	-4	-7	-6
	CY	-28	12-05	14	51	11-03	-5	-3	3	-21	-28	8	12	23	9	-16	-2	-17
	LV	-45	07-93	-4	30	11-05	19	25	23	30	24	23	22	20	21	23	22	22
	LT	-56	09-00	-15	37	03-03	15	19	16	27	26	15	-2	28	13	17	13	21
	LU	-77	02-94	-25	36	03-90	-30	-25	-18	-17	-24	-26	-33	-29	-29	-32	-28	-22
	HU	-13	12-04	1	21	01-98	-7	-4	-4	0	-6	-12	-6	-4	-1	2	-1	-5
	NL	-26	05-03	3	36	12-00	8	11	9	12	9	8	13	8	11	18	19	14
	AT	-76	12-01	-17	14	02-03	-7	-4	-5	-6	-7	5	9	0	6	-3	3	2
	PL	-49	04-02	-12	20	07-06	-1	1	4	5	3	6	6	11	16	15	18	20
	PT	-47	02-03	-8	19	09-97	-22	-18	-4	-23	-24	-21	-14	-19	-25	-23	-21	-16
	SI	-23	06-02	-1	12	06-06	9	4	6	0	1	-4	1	8	10	11	12	6
	SK	-86	07-99	-10	41	01-97	13	3	9	7	4	-1	-2	8	10	14	21	27
																		

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

		Since 01/1985						2005					2006						
		Min.		Ave.		Max.		Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
TREND OF ACTIVITY COMPARED WITH PRECEDING MONTHS	EU	-32	11-93	-7	15	03-90	5	5	7	8	9	9	2	3	7	8	12	10	
	Euro area	-35	11-93	-7	17	03-90	5	5	5	8	10	8	-1	1	8	8	12	8	
	BE	-37	03-91	-4	36	02-90	0	-2	1	-2	2	1	3	-8	-2	0	3	-5	
	CZ	-34	06-99	26	77	01-05	40	40	41	48	42	60	59	41	40	37	37	44	
	DK	-21	04-03	-1	20	02-06	5	7	12	15	12	19	20	15	12	17	19	18	
	DE	-45	03-05	-18	40	03-91	-17	-16	-14	-8	-9	-12	-22	-27	-4	5	8	2	
	EE	-25	03-99	20	52	02-06	25	28	26	27	47	49	52	51	44	43	42	36	
	EL	-50	04-05	5	61	06-98	-33	-41	-39	-19	-22	-20	-5	1	-5	-4	-1	17	
	ES	-49	07-97	7	59	01-99	40	38	43	38	46	41	20	33	35	20	40	25	
	FR	-64	09-93	-7	42	07-00	15	14	18	20	21	23	13	19	24	20	21	23	
	IE	-45	09-91	4	47	05-96	17	-12	15	23	30	17	13	19	5	4	13	-24	
	IT	-50	03-93	-2	26	07-04	5	7	-7	-5	1	-3	-6	-4	-4	-7	-14	-14	
	CY	-36	09-04	3	67	09-02	-10	49	-23	-18	-12	1	0	-9	-11	-30	-9	-29	
	LV	-47	04-96	0	44	06-02	19	22	19	24	27	23	22	28	18	20	21	21	
	LT	-61	03-00	-2	81	06-02	14	27	27	30	36	50	68	19	10	33	28	29	
	LU	-68	10-02	-24	30	04-91	-28	-35	-38	-20	-21	-12	-25	-42	-33	-16	-24	-25	
	HU	-37	03-03	-7	14	03-99	-6	1	3	3	-6	-9	-5	-4	2	7	1	1	
	NL	-41	02-96	-2	37	03-97	8	10	5	4	4	4	4	7	4	9	12	8	
	AT	-87	04-96	-7	27	01-04	12	10	7	12	15	10	-5	-16	-6	5	15	19	
	PL	-30	01-02	10	42	01-05	13	20	22	26	27	37	22	10	6	11	20	25	
	PT	-37	09-03	-10	24	05-97	-28	-26	-20	-19	-29	-13	-19	-19	-19	-31	-19	-29	
SI	-15	07-05	8	33	02-04	-15	-5	1	-7	-2	-12	-4	-2	-12	1	3	7		
SK	-43	06-99	8	53	12-04	25	26	27	29	41	23	4	17	26	25	30	33		
FI	-88	09-91	6	75	01-98	37	33	31	39	29	33	31	30	21	8	21	34		
SE	-67	12-91	-9	58	01-06	41	45	51	42	41	58	58	45	42	56	51	49		
UK	-69	06-91	-6	16	02-04	-5	-2	3	-4	-5	3	6	3	-8	-2	4	7		
PRICE EXPECTATIONS	EU	-21	02-96	1	24	02-90	5	6	7	7	8	8	6	8	8	11	12	13	
	Euro area	-26	02-96	-2	31	04-90	1	3	3	2	4	3	1	3	3	6	8	8	
	BE	-22	01-96	-1	29	01-90	4	7	5	9	9	12	9	8	6	7	8	8	
	CZ	-39	08-00	40	80	02-95	26	23	23	18	20	20	21	23	15	18	17	25	
	DK	-36	03-03	-14	8	02-06	-6	-4	4	4	4	6	8	5	5	7	4	3	
	DE	-44	02-96	-13	45	02-90	-21	-17	-14	-14	-14	-12	-12	-10	-4	-2	0	0	
	EE	-29	09-99	33	88	04-94	59	67	64	66	65	66	63	57	67	64	64	70	
	EL	-39	06-05	5	35	06-95	-17	-15	2	-8	-12	-15	-18	-1	-1	3	3	-2	
	ES	-20	10-93	18	71	10-00	31	28	28	13	24	14	11	11	5	16	8	10	
	FR	-60	03-93	-15	32	10-00	-1	0	-2	0	4	2	2	3	3	4	9	10	
	IE	-66	07-03	5	58	03-00	-1	10	-9	10	18	5	7	6	-10	-7	4	-4	
	IT	-16	07-93	17	63	06-90	8	14	5	12	9	7	7	7	7	5	11	10	
	CY	-1	07-05	29	77	06-04	29	3	12	11	1	34	13	7	53	8	1	0	
	LV	-11	03-01	28	74	12-05	61	71	72	69	74	66	66	67	60	58	63	71	
	LT	-5	03-01	36	89	01-95	43	72	53	52	49	43	43	51	49	52	52	50	
	LU	-67	05-93	-28	29	11-00	-42	-35	-29	-26	-16	-17	-20	-21	-28	-24	-26	-41	
	HU	-8	01-06	9	32	03-01	3	6	7	7	2	-8	-3	-1	8	10	6	21	
	NL	-7	01-04	25	69	04-01	24	28	27	22	28	34	29	32	37	36	37	42	
	AT	-53	04-96	-10	18	06-91	-3	0	7	6	1	8	8	10	9	8	13	15	
	PL	-27	03-02	15	45	05-96	4	6	7	9	9	10	8	9	10	12	16	19	
	PT	-40	05-03	-1	48	06-90	-10	-17	-17	-25	-23	-21	-29	-22	-35	-34	-25	-31	
SI	-6	10-04	5	15	05-04	0	6	9	4	2	2	0	5	6	9	8	10		
SK	-20	08-00	53	93	06-97	32	34	37	28	34	31	30	33	33	36	37	39		
FI	-45	06-91	9	65	05-97	18	12	27	18	21	21	19	16	26	21	31	31		
SE	-75	06-91	-13	59	03-06	24	17	21	28	24	38	41	59	50	46	43	38		
UK	-56	12-90	15	43	08-04	25	24	28	36	31	36	31	33	28	38	34	36		

(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					2005					2006							
		Min.		Ave.		Max.													
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
CONFIDENCE	BG	-30	06-93	-8	8	11-95		2	0	1	1	1	-1	-1	-1	3	1	2	6
INDICATOR	RO	-22	09-92	-1	28	06-96		0	-2	0	3	2	2	1	2	0	3	1	2
PRODUCTION	BG	-17	02-97	22	42	11-95		29	23	26	30	26	21	28	29	36	33	34	34
EXPECTATIONS	RO	-8	07-92	23	52	03-03		17	21	22	26	24	21	14	22	17	17	19	18
ORDER BOOKS	BG	-65	06-93	-43	-19	10-00		-31	-32	-32	-36	-37	-39	-38	-38	-38	-40	-36	-24
	RO	-53	06-99	-16	50	06-96		-13	-18	-15	-15	-15	-13	-11	-13	-17	-15	-14	-11
STOCKS OF FINISHED	BG	35	06-97	1	-22	08-93		-9	-10	-10	-10	-14	-15	-7	-6	-10	-10	-7	-8
PRODUCTS ^(b)	RO	51	05-06	9	-7	07-92		3	8	8	2	4	4	-1	2	1	-7	4	0

(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					2005					2006							
		Min.		Ave.		Max.													
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
CONFIDENCE	BG	16	03-06	28	41	06-02		23	24	23	27	25	23	19	16	22	38	33	31
INDICATOR	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	3	06-05	27	56	06-04		18	20	20	22	30	31	30	22	16	24	4	19
ASSESSMENT OF	BG	13	03-06	29	64	05-02		20	21	16	19	20	19	13	13	27	41	36	31
BUSINESS CLIMATE	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	7	04-06	35	65	04-03		24	19	24	27	44	29	33	19	7	27	10	17
EVOLUTION OF DEMAND	BG	-3	05-02	18	40	05-06		17	24	13	21	17	19	15	8	22	40	30	29
IN RECENT MONTHS	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	-12	06-02	21	56	06-04		14	27	18	18	20	37	30	22	19	30	-1	12
EVOLUTION OF DEMAND	BG	16	03-03	37	57	05-02		31	29	39	41	38	32	29	26	16	32	32	34
IN THE MONTHS AHEAD	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	-5	06-02	24	52	06-04		17	12	18	21	27	27	26	26	23	15	2	26

(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					2005					2006							
		Min.		Ave.		Max.													
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
CONFIDENCE	BG⁽ⁿ⁾	-38	08-03	-29	-14	08-01		-27	-27	-32	-26	-30	-30	-33	-31	-35	-35	-34	-30
INDICATOR	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	-33	07-02	-24	-13	01-05		-25	-25	-26	-26	-28	-30	-27	-24	-21	-23	-22	-22
FINANCIAL SITUATION	BG⁽ⁿ⁾	-23	07-03	-13	3	07-01		-12	-13	-19	-12	-16	-17	-21	-19	-22	-21	-22	-17
OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	-14	07-02	-3	9	11-04		-2	-2	-3	-4	-4	-7	-7	-5	-2	-1	1	-1
GEN. ECON. SITUATION	BG⁽ⁿ⁾	-27	04-06	-10	16	07-01		-14	-10	-24	-14	-16	-20	-23	-20	-27	-26	-26	-19
OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	-14	01-06	-2	12	01-05		-3	-7	-6	-5	-10	-14	-11	-8	-5	-5	-7	-2
SAVINGS	BG⁽ⁿ⁾	-81	03-02	-74	-64	11-05		-67	-69	-67	-64	-68	-66	-68	-67	-69	-70	-68	-66
OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	-63	12-03	-54	-46	12-04		-56	-54	-52	-55	-55	-57	-56	-53	-50	-52	-49	-52
UNEMPLOYMENT	BG⁽ⁿ⁾	31	07-01	19	2	03-02		15	14	19	16	20	18	20	20	20	22	20	19
OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	RO⁽ⁿ⁾	51	11-04	38	24	01-02		39	37	41	41	43	41	35	31	29	36	32	34

(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					2005					2006							
		Min.		Ave.		Max.													
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
CONFIDENCE	BG	5	11-00	18	32	06-00		15	14	11	10	12	10	11	10	10	11	11	20
INDICATOR	RO	1	06-99	16	36	12-97		21	17	17	20	19	21	16	10	13	14	16	18
PRESENT	BG	-3	09-96	21	54	11-97		19	15	15	13	9	7	12	7	7	9	10	28
BUSINESS SITUATION	RO	-1	02-03	27	58	09-97		31	20	21	24	28	33	24	5	9	20	23	23
VOLUME OF STOCKS	BG	12	03-97	-17	-55	11-00		-2	-4	-2	-3	-6	-4	-3	-3	-3	-3	-1	1
	RO	55	12-94	4	-20	10-95		2	2	4	3	6	2	1	2	2	4	4	2
EXPECTED	BG	-33	02-97	16	43	03-00		22	22	17	16	21	18	18	21	19	22	23	35
BUSINESS SITUATION	RO	-37	10-94	25	74	11-95		33	32	36	38	35	31	25	29	32	27	28	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					2005					2006							
		Min.		Ave.		Max.													
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
CONFIDENCE	BG	-56	03-93	-26	6	07-05		-3	-3	-2	-2	-1	-2	-9	-8	-9	-11	-7	1
INDICATOR	RO	-60	09-99	-9	35	06-96		-9	-12	-11	-9	-9	-7	-7	-7	-14	-6	-5	-6
ORDER BOOKS	BG	-74	10-00	-41	-15	11-05		-21	-19	-18	-15	-15	-18	-20	-24	-21	-23	-19	-16
	RO	-89	09-99	-13	64	03-98		-22	-29	-26	-25	-27	-22	-20	-25	-28	-21	-19	-26
EMPLOYMENT	BG	-50	01-93	-12	32	07-05		14	13	13	11	13	14	2	8	3	2	6	18
EXPECTATIONS	RO	-39	06-97	-6	38	03-01		5	5	4	7	9	9	6	11	1	8	9	15

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