

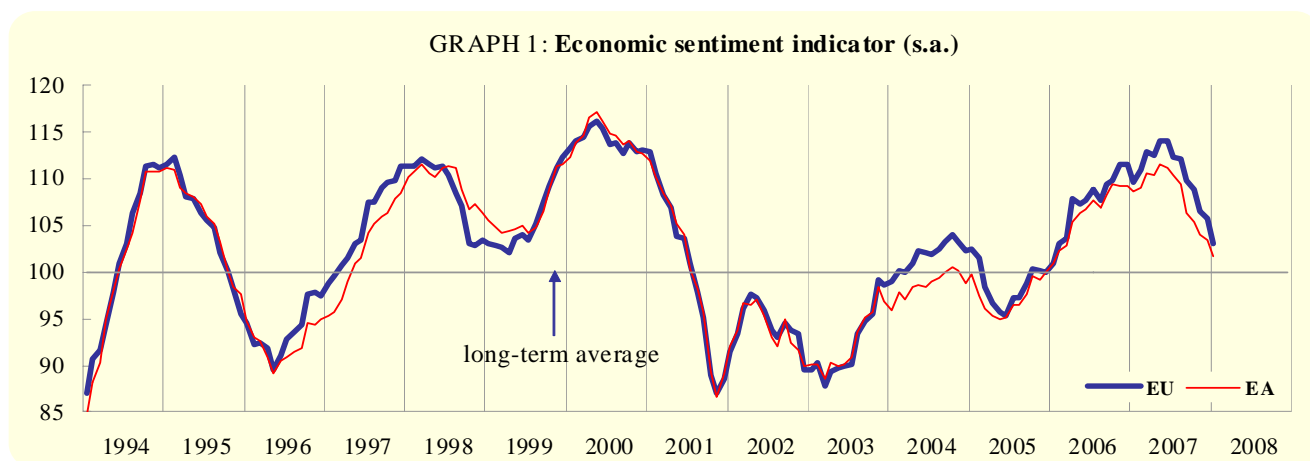


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Economic sentiment decreases further in both the EU and the euro area

In January, the Economic Sentiment Indicator (ESI) decreased further in both the EU and the euro area.¹ It fell by 2.6 points in the EU and by 1.7 points in the euro area, to 103.2 and 101.7 respectively. The indicator, which has been on a downward path since mid-2007, nevertheless still remains above its long-term average in both areas.

In both regions, the drop in the ESI reflects a decline in all or most of the sectoral indicators. Confidence in the *services*, *retail trade* and *construction* sectors and among *consumers* worsened in both areas. Sentiment in the manufacturing sector also declined in the euro area but remained unchanged in the EU as a whole.

At the individual country level, the picture is fairly mixed, with an approximately equal number of countries reporting increases and decreases in sentiment. Among the large EU Member States, however, the ESI decreased in a majority of countries. Confidence deteriorated in *Germany* (-2.0), *Spain* (-1.5), *France* (-0.9), *Italy* (-1.3) and *the UK* (-2.3), while it improved in *Poland* (+1.8).

¹ As from January 2008, the euro-area aggregate includes Cyprus and Malta. The historical values, as well as the country weights, have been revised accordingly.

Industrial confidence remains unchanged in the EU and declines in the euro area

In January, the *industrial confidence* indicator remained stable in the EU, while it decreased by one point in the euro area. In both areas, the level of the indicator remains well above its long-term average.

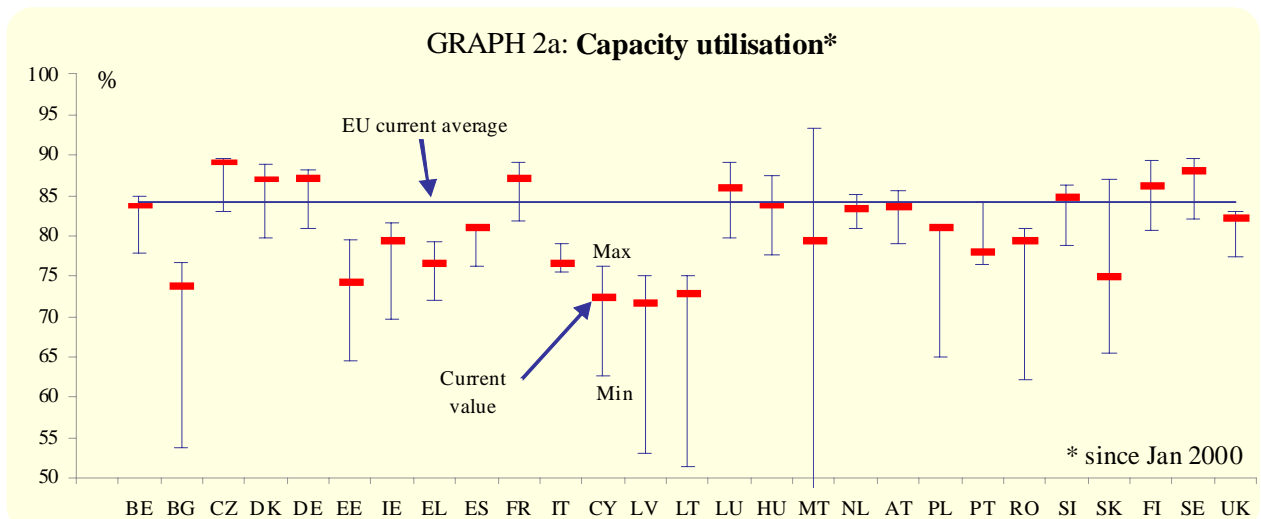
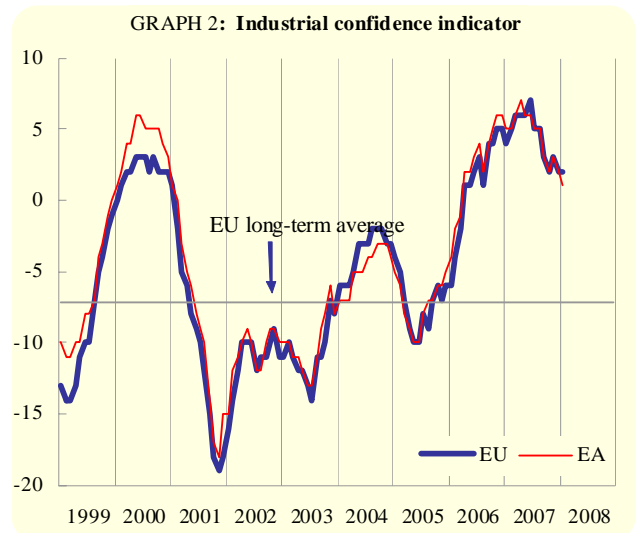
The difference between the EU and the euro-area confidence indicators is due to rounding effects. In both regions, managers' assessment of *order books* deteriorated by one point, while their *production expectations* improved by one point. Their views on the *stocks of finished products* remained unchanged in both areas.

Among the large Member States, industrial confidence increased in *France* (+2) and the *UK* (+3), while it weakened in *Germany* (-3) and *Spain* (-1). It remained unchanged in *Italy* and in *Poland*.

In the *quarterly survey of the manufacturing sector*, carried out in January 2008, industrial managers in the EU and the euro area estimated *the number of months' production assured by orders on hand* as unchanged compared to the October results, while they continued to report weaker assessments of *new orders in recent months*. Their *export expectations for the months ahead* remained stable in the EU, while they improved in the euro area.

Capacity utilisation remains broadly stable in both the EU and the euro area compared to October, at 83.8% and 83.9% respectively, which is well above its long-term average in both areas. Among the large Member States, it decreased somewhat in *France* and *Italy*, while it increased in all the other large countries. In *Germany*, *Poland* and the *UK*, the increase was modest, while in *Spain* capacity utilisation rose by one point.

The stabilisation of the *capacity utilisation* rate in the EU's manufacturing industry is the net result of divergent developments at the branch level. While producers of *investment goods* reported higher utilisation rates than in October, manufacturers of *consumer* and *intermediate goods* reported virtually unchanged rates. In the motor vehicle sector, capacity utilisation increased further and now stands at above 90% in both the EU and euro area. *Export expectations* in the EU's manufacturing industry remained unchanged in January compared with October. This reflects divergent developments in the three main industrial groupings, with producers of *intermediate goods* expecting an increase in export volumes and those of *consumer* and *investment goods* anticipating a fall.



According to the six-monthly *industrial investment survey*, which was carried out in October and November last year, managers in most Member States expect to increase their *investment volumes* in 2008 compared to 2007. More specifically, in 2008 real investment is expected to grow by 3% in both the EU and the euro area. In the same survey, managers estimated that real investment in 2007 grew by 5% compared with 2006.

Investment expectations for 2008 vary significantly across Member States. In most of the large countries real investment is expected to grow compared to last year. In particular, managers in *Germany, France, Spain, Poland* and the *UK* expect an increase in real investment, while *Italian* managers anticipate a fall.

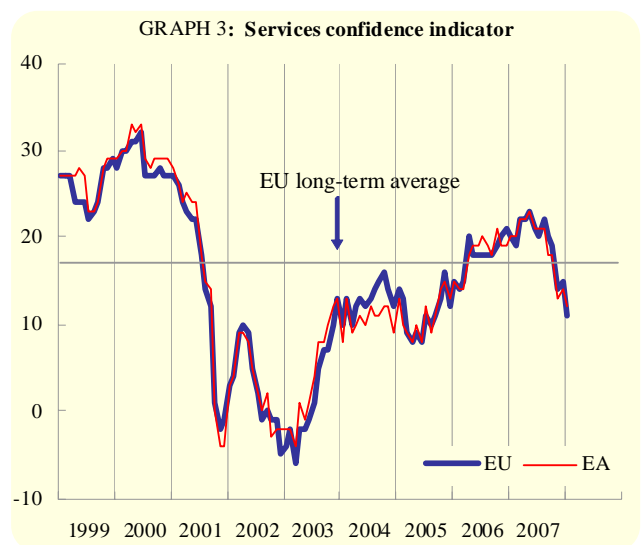
In line with the above-mentioned capacity utilisation results, results by sector show that the strongest investment boost is predicted in the *investment* and *motor vehicle* sectors. Producers of investment goods foresee real growth of 12% and 11% for the EU and the euro area respectively, while managers in the motor vehicle sector expect growth of 10% and 12%. By contrast, for *consumer goods* as a whole, real investment is expected to fall by 5% in the EU and by 7% in the euro area.

Services confidence fell in both the EU and the euro area

Following a slight improvement in December, the *services confidence* indicator decreased by 4 points in the EU and by 2 points in the euro area in January. The indicator, which remains below its long-term average in both areas, has been on a downward trend since June 2007.

In the EU, the decrease in the confidence indicator was due to a worsening in all the three underlying components. Managers' appraisal of the *current business situation* fell by five points, their assessment of the *recent evolution of demand* decreased by two points, and their *demand expectations* declined by four points. In the euro area, their assessments both of the *current business situation* and of *past demand* worsened, while their *demand expectations* remained unchanged.

At the country level, the picture is mixed, with a majority of countries reporting a decrease. Among the large Member States, services confidence increased in *Germany* (+2), *France* (+1) and *Poland* (+4). Sentiment decreased by four points in both *Italy* and *Spain* and by thirteen points in the *UK*.



Consumer confidence weakens further in both the EU and the euro area

In January, *consumer confidence* decreased by three points in both in the EU and the euro area. After peaking in May 2007, confidence in both areas has declined fairly steadily. Consumer confidence in the EU stands at its long-term average, while it is now below this average in euro area.

In both areas, all the four components of the confidence indicator worsened. Consumers' expectations regarding the *general economic situation* decreased by four points in the EU and by five points in the euro area. Consumers' expectations about their *financial situation* deteriorated by one point in the EU and by two points in the euro area. Consumers' *prospects of saving money over the next 12 months* decreased by one point in both areas. Finally, consumers' views on *unemployment over the next 12 months* worsened by four points in the EU and by three points in the euro area.

At the individual country level, a majority of countries reported a decrease in confidence in January. Among the large Member States, consumer confidence decreased in *Germany* (-3), *Spain* (-1), *France* (-5), *Poland* (-2) and *the UK* (-2), while in *Italy* it remained unchanged.

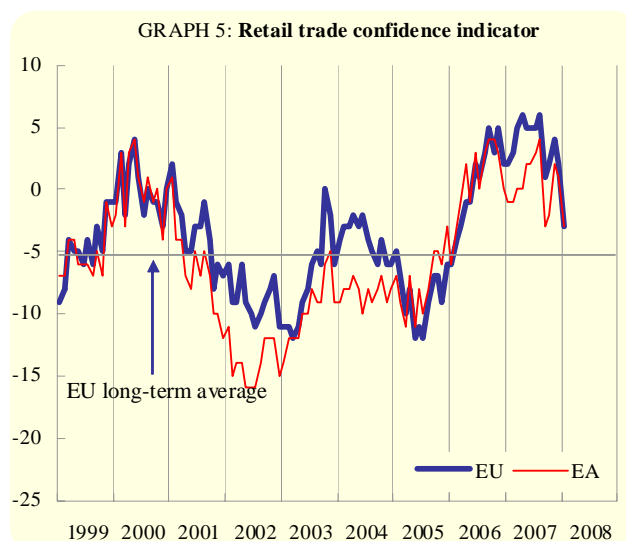
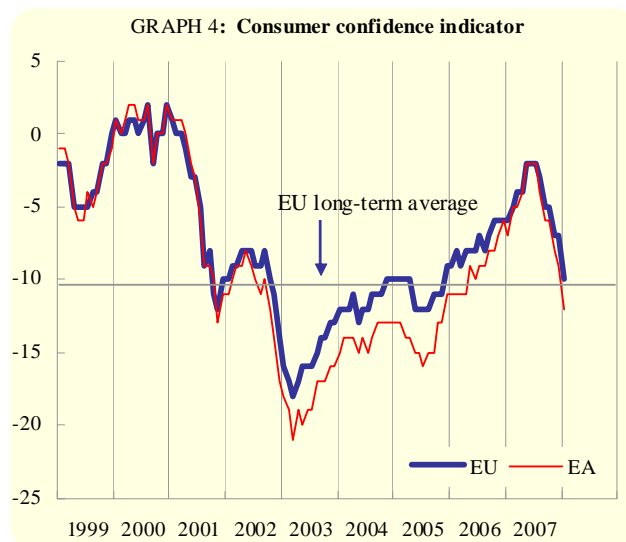
According to the *quarterly consumer survey*, in the EU, households' intentions *to buy a car* and *to purchase or build a home* remained virtually unchanged, while their intentions *to carry out home improvements over the next 12 months* decreased by five points in January compared to October. In the euro area, consumers' plans *to buy a car* decreased by five points, their intentions *to purchase or build a home* remained almost unchanged, and their intentions *to carry out home improvements over the next 12 months* dropped by twelve points. A comparison with consumers' intentions one year ago shows a similar change.

Retail confidence drops in both the EU and the euro area

In January, the *retail confidence* indicator decreased in both the EU and the euro area. The indicator, however, remains above its long-term average in both areas.

In the EU, retailers' assessments of the *present* and *expected business situation* deteriorated, while their views on the *volume of stocks* remained stable. In the euro area, all the underlying components of the indicator contributed to the fall in confidence.

At the country level, the results are predominantly negative. Among the large Member States, retail confidence decreased substantially in *Germany* (-4), *France* (-5), *Italy* (-9) and *the UK* (-10). Meanwhile, it increased in *Spain* (+4) and remained unchanged in *Poland*.

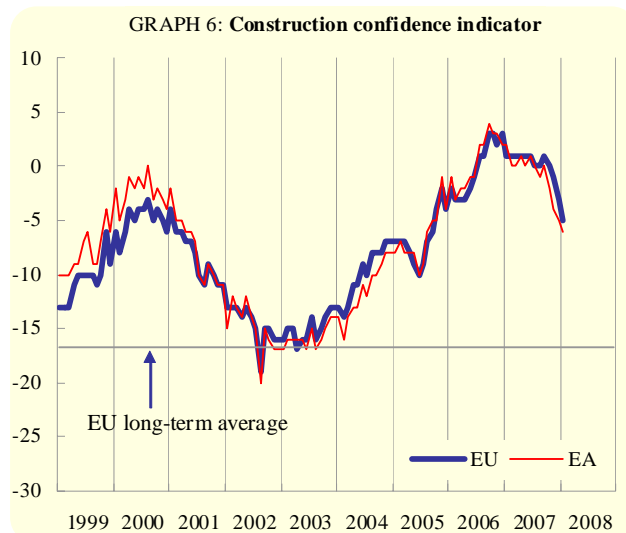


Construction confidence continues to deteriorate in both the EU and the euro area

The *construction confidence* indicator declined further in January in both the EU and the euro area. Nevertheless, the level of the indicator still remains far above its long-term average.

In both areas, the decline in the confidence indicator was the result of a worsening in the two underlying components. Managers' assessment of *order books* decreased by two points in the EU and by one point in the euro area. Their *employment expectations* dropped by three points and one point respectively.

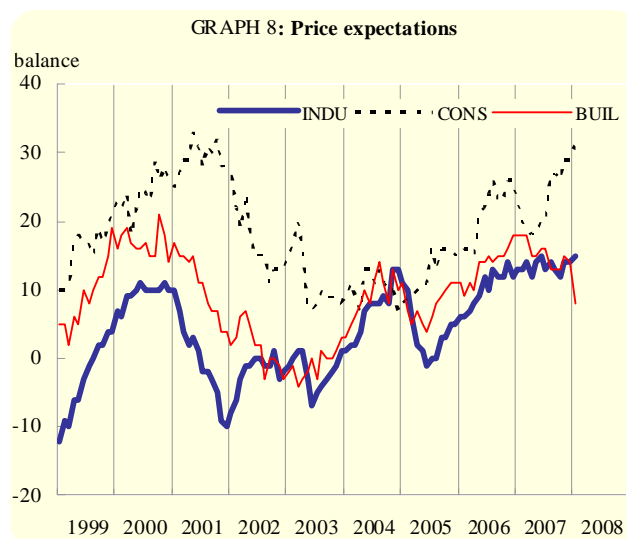
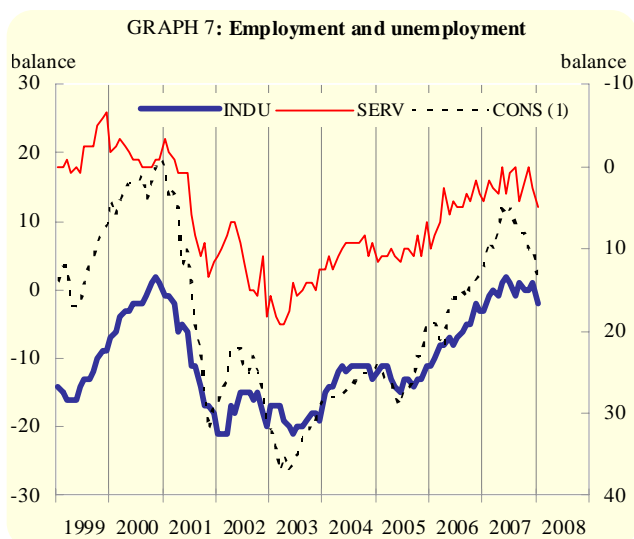
Developments at the individual country level are fairly mixed. Among the large Member States, construction confidence weakened in *France* (-7) and *Poland* (-1), while it strengthened by one point in both *Germany* and the *UK*. In *Spain* and *Italy*, construction confidence was stable.



Employment, unemployment and price expectations in the EU

Employment expectations in the EU provide a consistent picture in January. Compared to December, managers' *employment expectations for the next three months* deteriorated by three points in both the industry and services sectors. At the same time, consumers' *unemployment expectations for the next 12 months* worsened by four points.

Concerning *future price* developments, the results in January showed diverging developments. Compared to December, managers' selling-price expectations slightly increased in the industry sector, while they decreased by six points in the construction sector. Consumers' price expectations increased by two points, and currently stand close to the high levels reached in 2001.



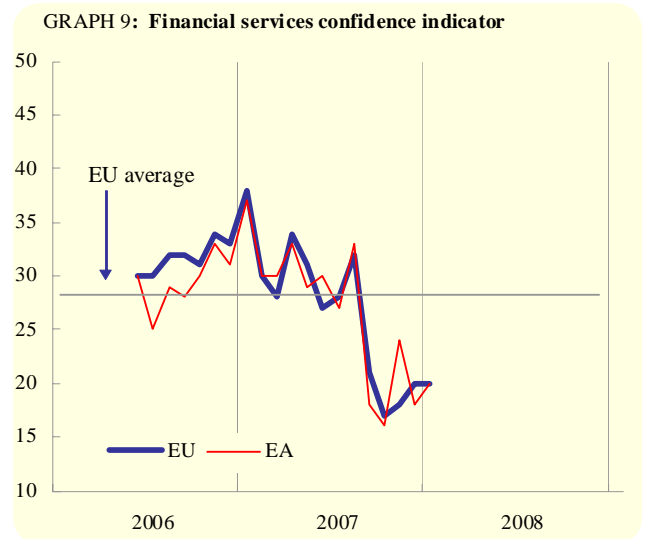
1) Unemployment expectations (right-hand scale)

The financial services confidence indicator remains unchanged in the EU and increases slightly in the euro area

In January, the *financial services confidence* indicator remained stable in the EU, while it recovered somewhat in the euro area after a significant drop in December. The indicator remains well below its long-term average in both areas.

In both the EU and the euro area, similar developments in the three underlying components of the indicator were recorded. Managers' assessments of the *past business situation* and of the *past evolution of demand* worsened, while their views on the *expected evolution of demand* improved.

These results are derived from the EU survey in the financial services sector, launched by the European Commission to further increase the sectoral coverage of its survey programme. In line with the schedule of the other business surveys, the survey has been carried out on a monthly basis since April 2006. The objective is to achieve representative results for the EU and the euro area as a whole, rather than for individual Member States.² To this end, only a subset of countries are surveyed, which gives rise to higher volatility than if all countries were included, especially in the case of the indicator for the euro area, which is a smaller aggregate.



² More information on the new survey is provided in the User Guide, available at http://ec.europa.eu/economy_finance/indicators/business_consumer_surveys/userguide_en.pdf

TABLE 1*: Indicators of confidence and economic sentiment (s.a.)

		Since 01/1990 ^(*)										2007					2008	
		Min.		Ave.		Max.												
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
EU	1. Industry	-27	11-92	-7	7	12-94	5	6	6	6	7	5	5	3	2	3	2	2
	2. Services	-6	03-03	17	32	06-98	19	22	22	23	21	20	22	20	19	14	15	11
	3. Consumer	-27	03-93	-10	2	08-00	-5	-4	-4	-2	-2	-2	-3	-5	-7	-7	-7	-10
	4. Retail trade	-21	09-92	-5	6	08-07	3	5	6	5	5	5	6	1	2	4	2	-3
	5. Construction	-42	10-93	-17	3	09-06	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	-1	-3	-5
	=6. ESI	73.3	11-92	100.0	116.1	05-00	111.0	112.9	112.5	114.1	114.1	112.3	112.2	109.8	108.8	106.6	105.8	103.2
EA**	1. Industry	-30	04-93	-7	7	04-07	5	6	7	6	6	5	5	3	2	3	2	1
	2. Services	-4	11-01	18	33	08-98	20	22	22	23	21	21	21	18	18	13	14	12
	3. Consumer	-29	07-93	-11	2	04-00	-5	-5	-4	-2	-2	-2	-4	-6	-6	-8	-9	-12
	4. Retail trade	-21	02-93	-7	7	08-90	-1	0	0	2	2	3	4	-3	-2	2	1	-3
	5. Construction	-44	10-93	-16	5	03-90	0	0	1	0	1	0	-1	0	-2	-4	-5	-6
	=6. ESI	73.0	07-93	100.0	117.1	05-00	109.0	110.6	110.4	111.6	111.1	110.4	109.4	106.3	105.4	104.1	103.4	101.7
BE	1. Industry	-33	04-93	-9	7	06-07	1	0	3	5	7	4	1	1	-2	-3	-4	-3
	2. Services	-7	03-03	14	33	08-07	27	29	29	28	30	32	33	28	21	29	23	16
	3. Consumer	-27	08-93	-5	17	12-00	-1	0	1	3	1	1	-1	-1	0	-6	-3	-7
	4. Retail trade	-25	05-93	-5	13	04-90	7	7	11	8	5	2	3	-5	2	2	-6	-7
	5. Construction	-35	11-95	-10	10	02-00	2	0	4	2	1	-1	0	-1	0	3	2	1
	=6. ESI	74.7	04-93	100.0	118.7	06-00	112.0	112.2	114.3	116.3	117.0	115.7	114.6	111.5	108.5	108.6	105.9	102.3
BG	1. Industry	-30	06-93	-6	14	05-07	11	11	12	14	14	11	11	12	12	11	10	14
	2. Services	16	03-06	31	48	03-07	46	48	44	43	42	40	41	38	38	40	37	35
	3. Consumer	-39	08-03	-29	-14	08-01	-24	-24	-21	-22	-21	-25	-30	-31	-31	-30	-30	-29
	4. Retail trade	5	11-00	19	32	06-00	28	26	21	22	22	20	21	20	23	23	26	26
	5. Construction	-56	03-93	-24	6	12-06	-5	2	0	1	-1	-1	5	5	4	6	6	4
	=6. ESI	74.2	05-93	100.0	119.7	04-07	118.6	118.9	119.7	119.4	119.4	116.0	114.1	112.6	113.6	114.3	112.7	114.2
CZ	1. Industry	-31	03-99	2	27	06-00	12	15	15	18	18	16	15	15	16	15	15	15
	2. Services	32	06-05	42	49	01-07	49	49	48	46	43	42	42	43	43	42	42	44
	3. Consumer	-36	03-98	-13	5	10-06	5	4	0	-4	-3	-3	-2	-1	-2	-9	-13	-11
	4. Retail trade	-1	02-99	15	27	08-07	24	25	26	25	23	22	27	27	26	27	26	27
	5. Construction	-64	06-99	-15	4	01-08	-2	-2	-1	-3	-3	-2	-4	-4	-5	1	4	4
	=6. ESI	70.3	05-93	100.0	117.2	03-07	116.3	117.2	115.6	113.9	111.5	110.1	110.0	111.4	110.8	108.5	107.1	109.7
DK	1. Industry	-26	12-98	-1	16	09-94	7	9	5	8	0	3	4	1	4	1	4	3
	2. Services	11	10-01	28	38	04-04	33	33	29	26	29	28	30	29	29	25	29	22
	3. Consumer	-11	10-90	8	19	11-06	18	19	16	16	16	17	14	13	14	13	10	4
	4. Retail trade	-6	10-01	18	37	11-94	23	22	22	20	20	21	17	17	15	16	14	12
	5. Construction	-37	12-91	-5	25	11-06	16	13	8	5	6	6	6	7	7	3	4	0
	=6. ESI	72.2	12-98	100.0	119.1	09-94	111.0	111.4	105.3	104.8	101.9	103.3	105.8	102.7	105.0	101.0	104.2	98.6
DE	1. Industry	-35	04-93	-9	11	09-90	8	9	9	9	9	8	8	5	3	3	4	1
	2. Services	-18	12-02	24	52	03-99	17	20	22	23	20	20	21	14	15	13	12	14
	3. Consumer	-28	10-93	-10	9	05-07	2	4	7	9	8	9	6	3	4	3	2	-1
	4. Retail trade	-41	01-03	-16	19	12-90	-13	-11	-8	-8	-10	-8	-10	-17	-14	-13	-18	-22
	5. Construction	-55	12-02	-33	2	02-90	-22	-23	-26	-26	-27	-25	-25	-25	-24	-23	-23	-22
	=6. ESI	78.7	07-93	100.0	120.9	09-90	107.7	109.3	110.7	111.6	111.1	110.5	109.6	105.9	105.2	105.4	105.1	103.1
EE	1. Industry	-31	07-92	6	29	12-06	26	24	22	20	21	15	10	8	6	5	1	4
	2. Services	-7	11-07	20	38	01-06	13	16	13	7	10	7	1	2	-3	-7	1	-7
	3. Consumer	-56	04-93	-19	13	04-06	13	9	11	6	7	3	-2	-3	-8	-8	-8	-13
	4. Retail trade	-1	04-03	22	36	04-07	33	33	36	30	30	25	27	26	18	22	22	17
	5. Construction	-46	12-99	8	49	05-06	41	39	37	24	22	17	12	6	5	2	-5	-3
	=6. ESI	69.3	07-92	100.0	119.3	09-06	113.2	114.0	111.3	106.7	109.0	104.8	99.8	98.7	95.0	92.4	94.3	91.1
IE	1. Industry	-23	11-01	-1	21	11-99	7	4	4	7	-3	0	2	2	5	4	-4	4
	2. Services	-14	05-03	15	44	08-98	6	17	7	13	20	-1	13	19	18	9	1	-1
	3. Consumer	-31	03-93	-5	19	01-00	-6	-11	-19	-5	-7	-12	-10	-6	-12	-18	-22	-23
	4. Retail trade	-21	05-03	1	24	06-00	-10	-11	-5	-10	-4	-1	-7	-4	-4	-11	-11	-20
	5. Construction	-54	09-02	8	58	06-97	-7	-13	-13	-14	-9	-24	-12	-35	-36	-24	-26	-26
	=6. ESI	77.3	06-93	100.0	125.4	11-99	101.3	101.5	97.1	103.3	100.0	93.9	98.9	100.7	101.4	97.9	90.3	93.9
EL	1. Industry	-12	09-90	1	13	03-00	3	5	9	6	5	6	6	7	3	5	2	2
	2. Services	-14	04-03	27	62	08-00	35	37	34	35	34	28	30	35	33	34	34	33
	3. Consumer	-44	07-03	-30	-6	04-00	-30	-29	-32	-28	-28	-29	-30	-26	-22	-29	-29	-40
	4. Retail trade	-24	06-95	5	39	07-07	35	28	32	37	34	39	38	36	34	33	34	31
	5. Construction	-53	03-05	-12	33	04-00	-8	1	0	-2	-3	-11	-11	-20	-19	-14	-16	-17
	=6. ESI	78.3	09-90	100.0	128.9	07-00	104.1	108.3	111.2	109.9	108.1	108.2	108.3	111.2	108.6	106.8	104.3	100.6
ES	1. Industry	-44	01-93	-8	7	04-00	1	3	2	0	0	0	-1	-1	-6	-1	-3	-4
	2. Services	-1	01-08	27	56	06-98	15	15	13	11	13	12	15	9	8	3	3	-1
	3. Consumer	-37	10-92	-11	6	03-00	-10	-10	-12	-13	-13	-11	-12	-14	-16	-17	-19	-20
	4. Retail trade	-36	02-93	-7	10	06-00	-10	-12	-12	-9	-9	-15	-8	-18	-14	-16	-17	-13
	5. Construction	-57	10-92	0	42	01-99	11	11	16	15	16	15	6	15	8	-6	-6	-6
	=6. ESI	66.7	01-93	100.0	118.1	04-00	100.3	101.5	99.3	98.0	99.3	98.4	99.4	96.1	93.5	93.4	92.1	90.6
FR	1. Industry	-41	06-93	-7	15	06-00	1	2	2	0	3	3	2	1	2	4	1	3
	2. Services	-22	06-93	4	25	06-90	8	10	10	12	10	13	13	13	14	12	10	11
	3. Consumer	-34	08-93	-17	4	01-01	-8	-9	-7	2	0	-1	-3	-5	-7	-11	-10	-15
	4. Retail trade	-37	04-97	-14	9	12-07	1	1	3	4	5	8	4	1	-2	6	9	4
	5. Construction	-60	03-93	-12	34	10-00	17	18	15	19	22	21	22	22	20	20	21	14
	=6. ESI	71.7	06-93	100.0	118.5	04-00	107.9	108.6	108.7	111.9	111.9	112.7	111.3	109.6	110.2	109.6	107.9	107.0
IT	1. Industry	-22	04-93	-3	13	07-95	5	5	8	6	5	2	3	0	1	0	-1	-1
	2. Services	-5	11-01	19	44	02-98	34	40	37	35	31	35	23	25	26	9	18	14
	3. Consumer	-38	04-93	-14	2	06-01	-15	-13	-19	-18								

TABLE 1* (continued) : Indicators of confidence and economic sentiment (s.a.)

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LT	1. Industry	-37	11-98	-11	10	06-07	2	3	8	6	10	9	9	5	3	9	5	5
	2. Services	9	11-04	19	34	07-06	29	21	18	22	22	22	22	9	20	13	13	
	3. Consumer	-32	05-01	-8	9	05-07	7	9	9	9	7	7	4	-1	-5	-4	-5	
	4. Retail trade	-25	09-00	1	42	01-07	37	36	40	27	25	35	27	29	32	37	26	27
	5. Construction	-76	09-00	-33	13	01-07	11	12	11	8	3	2	1	6	-2	0	4	10
	=6. ESI	72.8	04-94	100.0	120.3	07-06	119.6	116.5	117.2	117.7	119.3	118.3	118.3	115.6	106.6	113.6	108.8	109.5
LU	1. Industry	-35	05-92	-9	26	04-95	6	2	9	-2	2	1	-5	1	-4	2	4	-1
	2. Services	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	3. Consumer	-8	05-06	3	14	02-02	3	5	7	11	8	9	8	5	9	6	4	5
	4. Retail trade	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	5. Construction	-73	03-94	-26	24	03-90	-26	-20	-30	-27	-21	-21	-24	-21	-26	-28	-27	-25
	=6. ESI	80.5	06-96	100.0	124.3	04-95	105.7	105.1	110.1	106.2	108.7	107.8	103.9	105.9	104.4	105.3	104.5	103.2
HU	1. Industry	-15	05-99	-3	8	12-97	1	2	0	4	3	1	1	-2	-6	2	-2	-5
	2. Services	-16	10-07	-2	14	03-02	-13	-5	-6	-11	-11	-12	-9	-4	-16	-8	-8	-12
	3. Consumer	-58	04-95	-30	0	08-02	-51	-49	-50	-49	-46	-45	-45	-47	-49	-51	-45	-45
	4. Retail trade	-28	05-05	-9	9	11-97	-18	-10	-14	-17	-13	-14	-15	-18	-18	-21	-19	-23
	5. Construction	-36	11-07	-10	11	09-98	-23	-24	-23	-34	-35	-33	-33	-29	-28	-36	-32	-34
	=6. ESI	75.4	10-07	100.0	123.0	04-98	84.9	94.3	91.4	90.3	91.1	85.1	90.6	90.3	75.4	89.2	87.1	76.8
MT	1. Industry	-26	07-05	-6	15	01-08	-19	3	-1	-3	-4	9	8	6	7	13	4	15
	2. Services	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	3. Consumer	-36	04-06	-23	-2	01-03	-27	-29	-21	-19	-17	-17	-14	-15	-15	-9	-9	-7
	4. Retail trade	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	5. Construction	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	=6. ESI	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
NL	1. Industry	-12	05-93	-2	7	07-06	6	4	5	7	6	6	5	5	5	6	5	7
	2. Services	3	06-03	18	41	04-07	38	38	41	40	36	33	33	29	29	27	27	26
	3. Consumer	-19	07-93	5	31	03-00	17	18	17	16	21	21	19	10	11	11	8	6
	4. Retail trade	-16	12-03	12	30	10-99	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	5. Construction	-25	05-03	-1	27	12-00	16	19	19	18	24	24	21	16	16	18	22	20
	=6. ESI	78.5	05-93	100.0	116.8	12-97	115.1	115.1	114.8	116.7	116.1	115.5	114.9	111.1	112.1	111.7	110.9	112.5
AT	1. Industry	-31	06-93	-10	8	03-90	6	7	5	6	6	4	5	2	0	0	-2	-3
	2. Services	0	01-02	16	30	03-98	20	22	24	22	23	22	22	18	18	16	14	18
	3. Consumer	-16	04-96	0	17	06-07	13	11	14	15	17	16	17	14	11	12	8	4
	4. Retail trade	-29	03-03	-11	4	07-00	-2	0	2	3	-2	2	2	-3	-3	-1	-4	-5
	5. Construction	-60	04-96	-26	1	09-06	-8	-13	-10	-11	-13	-8	-15	-13	-12	-12	-14	-8
	=6. ESI	75.5	06-93	100.0	120.5	03-90	114.8	115.0	116.3	116.2	116.6	115.3	115.8	111.8	110.2	109.6	106.4	106.7
PL	1. Industry	-26	08-01	-12	10	09-97	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1
	2. Services	-8	01-03	8	24	07-07	18	17	19	21	23	24	20	20	19	19	19	23
	3. Consumer	-40	08-01	-23	-1	12-07	-7	-9	-4	-5	-4	-2	-5	-4	-5	-2	-1	-3
	4. Retail trade	-16	03-03	-3	8	10-07	4	6	6	6	7	7	7	7	8	8	7	7
	5. Construction	-66	02-02	-36	-1	12-07	-2	-2	-2	-2	-4	-4	-4	-4	-5	-3	-1	-1
	=6. ESI	79.6	08-01	100.0	122.2	05-96	116.8	115.1	117.4	117.4	119.4	119.6	117.0	117.9	117.4	117.9	117.5	119.3
PT	1. Industry	-28	06-93	-7	7	03-98	-1	-1	-1	0	-1	-4	-3	-1	-3	-1	0	-2
	2. Services	-17	05-03	7	29	06-01	6	7	12	9	8	10	7	12	10	15	11	8
	3. Consumer	-49	03-03	-24	-1	07-91	-32	-35	-34	-32	-33	-33	-35	-37	-38	-37	-40	-42
	4. Retail trade	-27	01-03	-8	4	01-99	-13	-12	-15	-13	-10	-15	-11	-11	-12	-9	-7	-9
	5. Construction	-56	02-03	-27	-1	12-97	-37	-42	-42	-40	-33	-35	-35	-34	-37	-33	-35	-36
	=6. ESI	73.2	06-93	100.0	116.0	03-98	101.0	100.7	101.7	102.0	101.9	100.9	99.0	102.1	99.8	104.7	101.1	101.8
RO	1. Industry	-22	09-92	-1	28	06-96	3	3	4	5	3	3	4	3	2	1	2	
	2. Services	5	06-06	27	57	06-04	33	30	25	27	18	20	23	23	25	24	28	
	3. Consumer	-33	07-02	-22	-10	07-07	-17	-14	-14	-15	-15	-10	-11	-11	-13	-15	-13	-20
	4. Retail trade	1	06-99	16	36	12-97	18	20	18	15	20	19	19	22	20	22	21	21
	5. Construction	-60	09-99	-8	35	06-96	1	-2	-4	-3	-4	-2	-6	-3	2	2	4	3
	=6. ESI	66.1	07-92	100.0	124.8	06-96	108.4	107.6	106.4	106.9	102.9	106.5	107.0	108.2	106.3	105.9	106.4	104.6
SI	1. Industry	-21	03-99	-1	18	06-00	14	12	15	17	14	14	12	10	7	8	10	9
	2. Services	13	05-05	23	32	10-02	23	26	26	28	28	29	30	27	23	24	23	
	3. Consumer	-29	06-99	-18	-4	07-07	-7	-6	-9	-6	-8	-4	-7	-13	-17	-17	-14	-22
	4. Retail trade	3	01-01	14	37	09-07	26	26	26	25	25	25	26	37	29	34	33	25
	5. Construction	-33	06-02	-1	24	03-07	20	24	22	23	22	20	18	15	16	12	18	13
	=6. ESI	76.1	12-95	100.0	123.8	07-07	116.0	118.1	119.2	120.8	120.7	123.8	121.0	115.2	109.8	107.3	111.1	107.8
SK	1. Industry	-22	12-95	6	26	05-96	18	15	11	24	16	18	10	12	13	11	3	4
	2. Services	25	12-07	43	60	06-03	28	37	37	38	42	46	44	35	29	25	32	
	3. Consumer	-50	08-99	-24	7	12-06	4	1	4	0	2	1	-1	-6	-8	-5	-4	
	4. Retail trade	-17	10-93	10	34	11-98	22	20	22	17	18	17	23	26	20	19	19	26
	5. Construction	-86	07-99	-24	18	03-97	-1	-4	-10	-11	-16	-9	2	-5	0	2	-3	-11
	=6. ESI	67.8	03-99	100.0	125.4	05-96	108.2	111.6	110.1	116.6	114.5	119.3	113.8	107.6	102.6	101.0	94.8	101.1
FI	1. Industry	-24	01-93	4	30	10-94	19	24	22	20	15	13	13	10	9	12	14	17
	2. Services	-12	09-03	27	61	09-00	34	43	38	45	55	36	21	23	21	11	9	7
	3. Consumer	6	11-01	15	23	02-00	16	17	20	19	21	21	21	20	20	16	15	14
	4. Retail trade	-17	11-00	0	27	08-07	21	21	24	21	22	20	27	25	18	18	17	15
	5. Construction	-97	09-91	-13	48	06-98	30	32	20	28	27	27	16	21	17	14	13	20
	=6. ESI	72.0	04-91	100.0	119.7	11-94	111.6	114.9	114.3	113.5	114.5	109.4	107.3	105.8	105.2	102.8	102.6	103.4
SE	1. Industry	-29	10-01	-4	15	05-00	5	8	10	9	9	10	5	2	2	-1	4	0
	2. Services	-24	01-03	21	46	12-00	37	39	36	42	40	44	43	42	41	37	36	31
	3. Consumer	-10	09-96	9	25	03-00	20	19	24	23	21	21	20	18	18	18	16	13
	4. Retail trade	-8	09-01	10	36	07-06	25	29	33	30	26	25	27	24	22	24	19	19
	5. Construction	-83	12-93	-29	48	08-07	35	35	42	43	46	43	48	41	45	42</		

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	Since 01/1990						2007										2008	
	Min.		Ave.		Max.		Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
INDUSTRIAL CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EU	-27	11-92	-7	7	12-94	5	6	6	6	7	5	5	3	2	3	2	2
	EA	-30	04-93	-7	7	04-07	5	6	7	6	6	5	5	3	2	3	2	1
	BE	-33	04-93	-9	7	06-07	1	0	3	5	7	4	1	1	-2	-3	-4	-3
	BG	-30	06-93	-6	14	05-07	11	11	12	14	14	11	11	12	12	11	10	14
	CZ	-31	03-99	2	27	06-00	12	15	15	18	18	16	15	15	16	15	15	15
	DK	-26	12-98	-1	16	09-94	7	9	5	8	0	3	4	1	4	1	4	3
	DE	-35	04-93	-9	11	09-90	8	9	9	9	9	8	8	5	3	3	4	1
	EE	-31	07-92	6	29	12-06	26	24	22	20	21	15	10	8	6	5	1	4
	IE	-23	11-01	-1	21	11-99	7	4	4	7	-3	0	2	2	5	4	-4	4
	EL	-12	09-90	1	13	03-00	3	5	9	6	5	6	7	3	5	2	2	2
	ES	-44	01-93	-8	7	04-00	1	3	2	0	0	0	-1	-1	-6	-1	-3	-4
	FR	-41	06-93	-7	15	06-00	1	2	2	0	3	3	2	1	2	4	1	3
	IT	-22	04-93	-3	13	07-95	5	5	8	6	5	2	3	0	1	0	-1	-1
	CY	-9	04-03	5	19	08-07	14	15	9	14	16	9	19	15	12	13	12	15
	LV	-45	04-93	-8	11	02-07	11	9	6	6	6	5	6	2	0	-1	0	-1
	LT	-37	11-98	-11	10	06-07	2	3	8	6	10	9	9	5	3	9	5	5
	LU	-35	05-92	-9	26	04-95	6	2	9	-2	2	1	-5	1	-4	2	4	-1
	HU	-15	05-99	-3	8	12-97	1	2	0	4	3	1	1	-2	-6	2	-2	-5
	MT	-26	07-05	-6	15	01-08	-19	3	-1	-3	-4	9	8	6	7	13	4	15
	NL	-12	05-93	-2	7	07-06	6	4	5	7	6	6	5	5	5	6	5	7
	AT	-31	06-93	-10	8	03-90	6	7	5	6	6	4	5	2	0	0	-2	-3
	PL	-26	08-01	-12	10	09-97	-1	0	0	0	0	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1
	PT	-28	06-93	-7	7	03-98	-1	-1	-1	0	-1	-4	-3	-1	-3	-1	0	-2
	RO	-22	09-92	-1	28	06-96	3	3	4	5	3	3	4	3	2	1	2	2
	SI	-21	03-99	-1	18	06-00	14	12	15	17	14	14	12	10	7	8	10	9
	SK	-22	12-95	6	26	05-96	18	15	11	24	16	18	10	12	13	11	3	4
	FI	-24	01-93	4	30	10-94	19	24	22	20	15	13	13	10	9	12	14	17
SE	-29	10-01	-4	15	05-00	5	8	10	9	9	10	5	2	2	-1	4	0	
UK	-40	02-91	-10	11	02-95	5	4	2	4	10	1	4	7	3	4	1	4	
PRODUCTION EXPECTATIONS	EU	-15	11-92	7	24	12-94	15	16	16	16	17	15	14	14	13	14	12	13
	EA	-18	12-92	6	22	12-94	12	14	15	14	15	14	13	11	11	12	11	12
	BE	-36	04-93	-2	16	12-94	6	3	5	9	10	8	4	3	2	0	-5	2
	BG	-17	02-97	24	45	06-07	40	37	41	43	45	43	41	42	42	41	36	45
	CZ	-26	05-93	23	61	05-95	30	29	20	28	28	29	26	33	29	28	30	32
	DK	-23	12-98	11	30	02-98	19	13	5	8	7	15	11	10	14	11	8	15
	DE	-26	11-92	2	20	12-94	8	12	15	15	17	15	13	10	8	11	12	9
	EE	-70	04-92	20	68	03-02	31	31	31	29	31	19	17	23	21	20	8	12
	IE	-22	11-01	9	35	11-99	4	13	9	18	0	4	11	15	11	5	-3	11
	EL	3	02-91	26	44	02-00	22	25	30	28	26	25	24	28	25	29	23	26
	ES	-19	01-93	5	17	12-00	7	10	4	5	7	4	5	3	1	4	4	6
	FR	-30	07-93	7	27	10-00	12	13	11	9	13	14	14	14	16	16	12	18
	IT	-12	12-92	14	31	12-94	20	19	23	17	18	16	15	15	18	15	11	10
	CY	0	05-02	15	36	08-07	33	33	19	32	31	18	36	25	19	21	17	24
	LV	-21	04-93	16	41	03-02	24	25	18	21	20	18	20	18	17	17	19	17
	LT	-22	04-94	13	35	08-97	16	13	17	17	23	14	11	10	16	26	21	30
	LU	-42	10-91	-2	33	04-07	21	18	33	18	12	10	12	28	13	25	26	25
	HU	-10	06-05	11	34	12-97	8	9	4	10	11	15	8	5	-3	9	6	6
	MT	-22	03-05	20	55	02-06	12	38	34	33	21	24	42	17	24	51	36	44
	NL	-4	04-93	7	18	01-08	15	11	11	15	11	16	14	10	12	14	12	18
	AT	-19	06-93	6	19	02-07	19	19	16	15	17	17	17	13	14	14	14	15
	PL	-4	02-02	21	35	06-95	26	26	26	25	26	25	24	27	28	30	27	26
	PT	-11	03-93	4	21	01-97	10	8	4	3	1	5	4	3	1	7	6	8
	RO	-8	07-92	22	52	03-03	15	16	13	19	17	17	18	19	16	19	18	16
	SI	10	10-01	24	42	06-00	32	30	35	36	31	32	33	27	30	28	33	33
	SK	-12	12-95	31	62	12-97	49	26	17	56	22	38	29	30	41	35	9	12
	FI	-26	06-91	15	50	07-05	25	25	34	36	25	22	24	21	11	28	31	36
SE	-19	05-91	16	46	05-00	19	24	29	23	17	25	22	19	20	17	23	26	
UK	-38	02-91	6	33	02-95	23	20	18	18	24	14	11	18	14	17	12	12	
ORDER BOOKS	EU	-49	07-93	-18	7	04-07	4	6	7	6	6	4	5	3	1	2	0	-1
	EA	-54	07-93	-16	9	04-07	7	8	9	8	7	5	6	3	1	2	0	-1
	BE	-51	05-93	-18	11	06-00	2	0	5	6	4	2	0	-1	-5	-4	-3	-7
	BG	-65	06-93	-40	-9	05-07	-13	-12	-12	-9	-12	-14	-13	-14	-14	-13	-12	-13
	CZ	-50	12-98	-4	30	01-01	9	20	23	24	25	25	17	23	19	18	16	0
	DK	-41	04-99	-3	32	12-94	18	22	24	26	14	18	10	14	11	6	5	0
	DE	-61	07-93	-20	16	12-06	15	15	15	14	13	12	12	10	7	6	5	2
	EE	-43	10-92	3	32	12-06	28	22	19	22	19	16	6	-2	-8	-9	-7	-5
	IE	-36	06-93	-7	24	12-99	13	0	5	8	-6	4	4	5	8	8	1	5
	EL	-31	06-05	-12	7	05-98	-1	1	4	0	-1	2	1	0	-6	-2	-3	-8
	ES	-65	01-93	-14	11	07-98	6	8	10	3	2	4	4	0	-6	1	-6	-5
	FR	-64	06-93	-15	27	06-00	-1	3	3	1	3	2	2	1	-1	2	0	1
	IT	-47	06-93	-15	13	02-95	-1	2	5	4	3	-3	2	-7	-6	-8	-7	-7
	CY	-39	02-03	-14	5	06-07	-2	-7	-3	-6	5	-2	4	1	-4	-4	2	-2
	LV	-79	07-93	-35	-3	02-07	-3	-5	-9	-11	-8	-10	-10	-15	-17	-23	-22	-23
	LT	-79	11-98	-37	1	08-07	-13	-14	-5	-6	-3	-2	1	-6	-13	-4	-5	-13
	LU	-64	02-92	-17	34	12-97	5	-7	-1	-2	-3	-3	-15	-20	-11	-7	-6	-13
	HU	-40	03-03	-17	0	04-98	-3	-1	-3	-1	-4	-5	-6	-11	-17	-7	-13	-13
	MT	-54	06-04	-23	13	06-05	-4	-4	-21	-12	1	6	-13	3	9	6	-2	-1
	NL	-25	01-93	-7	8	07-06	4	2	4	5	5	1	2	4	4	5	5	3
	AT	-57	04-96	-23	11	03-90	-1	2	-2	1	0	-4	-1	-7	-7	-9	-14	-16
	PL	-79	12-01	-54	8	09-97	-31	-29	-29	-28	-28	-29	-29	-31	-31	-31	-30	-31
	PT	-52	07-93	-18	9	03-98	-8	-6	-4	1	-6	-12	-6	-2	-6	-9	-1	-25
	RO	-53	06-99	-15	50	06-96	-7	-9	-7	-6	-10	-9	-11	-10	-11	-11	-11	-9
	SI	-51	03-99	-14	17	05-07	14	13	11	17	15	11	9	9	0	5	2	-1
	SK	-70	03-99	-7	49	09-94	1	11	12	11	13	11	1	2	-3	-2	-3	-1
	FI	-70	09-91	-9	40	11-94	27	39	28	33	27	28	24	20	22	24	22	24
SE	-67	03-92	-21	25	12-94	-3	6	1	7	6	7	-1	-3	0	-9	-3	-12	
UK	-62	07-91	-20	11	02-95	1	5	4	3	7	-2	8	8	6	11	3	8	

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		Min.		Ave.		Max.		Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
STOCKS OF FINISHED PRODUCTS ^(b)	EU	22	01-93	11	3	06-07	4	5	5	5	3	5	5	6	7	8	7	7	
	EA	23	04-93	10	2	11-94	3	4	4	5	4	5	5	7	7	6	7	7	
	Component of the industrial confidence indicator	BE	26	10-01	8	-6	06-07	4	4	2	-1	-6	-2	0	0	1	5	5	4
		BG	35	08-93	1	-22	06-97	-6	-6	-9	-7	-7	-5	-6	-8	-8	-6	-4	-9
		CZ	46	08-93	15	-12	04-00	2	4	-1	-1	-2	5	5	4	4	1	4	2
		DK	28	06-99	10	-7	03-94	15	9	13	12	22	24	11	20	14	14	2	5
		DE	25	07-93	10	-9	09-90	0	1	3	3	2	2	2	5	6	6	6	7
		EE	39	06-93	4	-21	12-06	-19	-19	-17	-9	-12	-11	-5	-2	-5	-4	-2	-5
		IE	23	11-93	6	-17	07-06	-4	0	2	4	1	9	8	13	5	1	8	3
		EL	22	09-90	12	1	06-94	13	11	6	9	10	7	6	8	10	13	14	11
		ES	47	01-93	14	-1	11-02	9	8	8	9	8	7	12	7	13	8	9	13
		FR	34	06-93	13	-2	04-00	7	9	8	9	8	7	9	13	10	7	8	9
		IT	17	10-90	8	-1	07-95	4	6	5	5	5	7	8	8	9	7	6	6
		CY	5	12-05	-13	-34	09-01	-9	-20	-12	-16	-10	-11	-17	-20	-22	-21	-16	-22
		LV	43	07-93	5	-12	03-04	-11	-7	-10	-7	-5	-6	-7	-4	-1	-2	-3	-3
		LT	49	01-94	9	-16	01-95	-4	-10	-13	-6	-9	-14	-15	-10	-5	-5	2	1
		LU	31	03-02	9	-22	03-95	9	6	6	21	2	6	12	6	15	11	9	16
		HU	15	12-98	2	-7	11-03	2	2	1	-2	-3	6	-2	2	-1	-3	0	8
		MT	35	07-05	15	-16	06-05	28	26	16	29	35	2	5	4	10	18	22	-2
		NL	11	06-91	5	-1	12-94	2	0	1	1	-1	1	2	1	1	2	1	2
AT		27	04-96	13	-2	12-06	0	2	0	-1	0	2	2	1	6	5	6	7	
PL		20	01-99	3	-11	09-94	-3	-3	-2	-2	-2	-2	-1	-2	-2	0	0	-1	
PT	25	06-93	8	-11	01-08	4	4	4	3	-1	4	6	4	4	1	6	-11		
RO	51	07-92	8	-7	05-06	-2	0	-5	-1	0	-2	-2	-3	-2	2	4	0		
SI	28	02-96	12	-1	01-07	2	6	0	1	5	1	5	7	9	8	6	6		
SK	55	05-94	7	-27	02-01	-2	-8	-4	-4	-14	-3	-2	-4	-1	1	-3	-3		
FI	31	01-96	4	-20	04-95	-5	-7	-4	9	8	12	8	10	6	15	11	9		
SE	36	07-01	15	-3	06-07	2	6	1	1	-3	1	6	11	13	10	10	14		
UK	32	11-98	17	1	06-07	11	11	14	9	1	8	7	6	9	17	14	7		
PRODUCTION TREND OBSERVED IN RECENT MONTHS	EU	-23	01-93	0	18	01-95	15	15	15	14	15	11	13	10	7	10	8	5	
	EA	-26	01-93	-1	16	01-95	14	12	14	13	13	10	12	7	4	7	4	3	
	BE	-20	02-93	-1	16	06-06	7	1	2	7	5	3	3	2	0	1	5	-1	
	BG	-35	03-97	-1	33	01-07	26	21	28	33	30	22	25	27	18	26	25	27	
	CZ	-32	10-98	14	42	11-00	26	33	29	29	24	30	27	26	14	22	29	25	
	DK	-21	04-99	11	41	09-94	16	20	23	19	12	2	8	10	-1	2	-1	7	
	DE	-32	02-02	-3	22	12-90	18	15	15	13	13	9	13	7	1	8	1	0	
	EE	-24	03-99	15	56	06-01	31	31	20	15	20	20	19	12	-1	1	2	4	
	IE	-25	10-01	6	38	03-00	16	11	3	11	21	7	19	4	7	11	6	9	
	EL	-5	10-90	15	36	01-00	20	21	29	25	26	20	21	14	17	23	17	14	
	ES	-44	04-93	1	21	04-95	13	16	12	11	11	7	5	4	2	2	-4	4	
	FR	-38	07-93	5	36	01-95	11	14	21	14	16	16	17	18	12	15	17	15	
	IT	-36	06-93	-9	14	03-95	2	2	4	5	6	2	3	-6	-3	-4	-4	-6	
	CY	-37	04-03	-4	33	04-07	-4	17	33	6	31	20	15	25	12	8	8	25	
	LV	-49	04-93	4	29	06-01	10	8	11	11	8	6	8	8	-1	-1	3	0	
	LT	-36	07-94	3	34	04-98	13	17	9	13	14	13	12	14	-4	11	16	9	
	LU	-41	04-92	-2	32	04-95	22	10	21	20	16	6	3	-8	3	6	4	-3	
	HU	-30	06-99	0	27	04-98	12	11	7	3	5	5	2	-2	-3	4	3	-4	
	MT	-26	05-03	10	48	07-06	13	29	32	-3	37	47	35	38	23	5	9	12	
	NL	-12	05-93	4	15	09-06	9	6	12	4	8	9	6	13	5	12	7	4	
AT	-28	06-93	7	33	04-07	31	28	33	30	29	26	28	20	16	15	13	10		
PL	-20	09-01	2	27	12-06	21	21	18	18	18	13	14	15	10	18	21	13		
PT	-18	01-93	-1	15	08-94	5	4	12	11	9	4	5	8	6	0	6	-15		
RO	-18	06-99	14	47	04-02	16	16	15	14	12	11	9	10	8	7	10	11		
SI	-20	02-99	9	39	05-00	30	19	18	16	22	12	13	20	1	21	9	-2		
SK	-30	12-96	18	78	12-03	16	32	44	31	53	42	21	26	18	14	39	23		
FI	-28	06-91	13	53	12-04	37	15	33	44	48	41	33	19	8	12	8	1		
SE	-28	07-91	11	48	12-94	18	26	32	25	29	27	26	26	32	33	15	16		
UK	-46	06-91	-1	34	03-95	22	20	12	17	18	8	15	18	15	17	22	10		
EXPORT ORDER BOOKS	EU	-44	01-93	-18	5	04-07	3	3	5	4	3	2	3	0	1	1	-1		
	EA	-51	06-93	-18	6	05-07	5	5	5	6	5	4	4	3	2	1	-2		
	BE	-56	05-93	-19	7	06-00	-2	-1	5	2	4	5	1	1	-3	-4	-2	-4	
	BG	-68	12-98	-43	-15	10-00	-22	-20	-24	-20	-21	-23	-20	-24	-23	-25	-21	-21	
	CZ	-41	12-98	-1	26	09-00	6	18	21	19	19	24	22	19	21	14	10	14	
	DK	-39	04-99	-2	27	05-07	9	20	20	27	14	14	12	16	13	8	6	2	
	DE	-60	08-93	-23	10	12-06	9	9	8	9	10	8	10	8	7	5	5	3	
	EE	-37	03-99	2	25	03-01	15	17	10	12	11	8	3	-3	-12	-2	-8	-8	
	IE	-53	09-93	-6	38	04-00	4	4	-5	15	-12	13	9	0	12	14	6	9	
	EL	-36	05-03	-14	13	03-95	-11	-4	-4	-5	-8	-3	2	3	-4	-5	-4	-6	
	ES	-55	01-93	-18	6	05-95	0	-7	2	0	1	2	-5	-7	0	2	2	-5	
	FR	-65	07-93	-11	36	06-00	6	8	10	7	3	4	7	9	4	3	4	-1	
	IT	-43	09-92	-17	19	02-95	-3	-3	-1	2	-1	-5	-5	-8	-9	-9	-7	-11	
	CY	-54	05-03	-20	4	05-05	-18	-9	-8	-17	0	-7	-13	-15	-11	-9	-1	-15	
	LV	-59	12-98	-33	-13	02-07	-13	-14	-18	-17	-16	-19	-20	-25	-26	-30	-28	-29	
	LT	-65	04-99	-31	27	08-07	5	8	11	13	20	20	27	24	20	22	22	0	
	LU	-75	11-91	-22	45	04-00	11	-8	-9	-11	-9	-7	-17	-26	-26	-12	-10	-21	
	HU	-44	12-02	-15	7	02-98	-12	-12	-11	-11	-12	-6	-9	-8	-12	-8	-4	-14	
	MT	-82	12-03	-26	17	09-07	-40	-3	-24	-33	-11	-6	-15	17	-17	11	-8	-4	
	NL	-24	01-93	-4	13	07-06	10	10	11	9	11	6	6	7	5	8	7	8	
AT	-58	04-96	-32	-1	03-90	-13	-12	-17	-11	-10	-15	-14	-16	-19	-21	-22	-25		
PL	-75	12-01	-54	13	07-97	-41	-38	-36	-37	-36	-36	-36	-34	-34	-37	-38	-38		
PT	-59	04-93	-1																

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

	Since 01/1990						2007										2008	
	Min.		Ave.		Max.		Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
EMPLOYMENT EXPECTATIONS	EU	-38	06-93	-14	2	06-07	-1	0	-1	1	2	1	-1	1	0	0	1	-2
	EA	-41	06-93	-12	4	11-00	1	2	2	3	3	2	2	2	0	2	3	0
	BE	-26	09-93	-8	9	09-00	-1	1	4	5	3	2	2	2	-2	1	-4	0
	BG	-47	06-99	-17	6	11-06	-5	-5	-5	-1	-5	-7	-4	-8	-6	-5	-3	-2
	CZ	-58	06-99	-20	15	09-07	6	8	2	10	3	8	12	15	12	10	12	13
	DK	-23	06-93	-2	13	03-98	12	8	8	5	10	9	9	6	6	8	3	5
	DE	-52	06-93	-16	8	02-90	2	6	3	5	6	7	4	3	2	4	6	3
	EE	-78	04-92	-9	22	11-06	16	16	10	13	12	4	7	9	6	-1	3	1
	IE	-34	12-92	-9	16	09-00	5	7	3	15	-5	-8	-3	-4	1	0	-10	5
	EL	-12	02-06	-2	12	05-02	8	2	-2	-5	-4	-4	-2	-3	-2	0	1	1
	ES	-53	06-93	-8	9	03-01	3	6	3	3	6	0	-2	-1	-11	-3	-5	-7
	FR	-50	09-93	-16	12	09-00	-7	-11	-6	-6	-6	-7	-5	-3	-1	-2	-1	-4
	IT	-30	08-96	-4	11	11-00	3	3	3	3	4	3	3	3	-1	0	2	-2
	CY	-16	04-02	13	38	10-04	17	18	16	24	17	17	20	20	23	18	19	18
	LV	-51	04-93	-6	11	11-05	10	7	3	7	8	5	5	7	4	0	0	-1
	LT	-59	04-94	-23	8	06-06	7	-4	-6	-4	2	1	3	3	3	1	1	2
	LU	-55	12-91	-26	1	11-07	-9	-18	-5	-7	-8	-7	-6	-4	-2	1	-3	0
	HU	-60	12-91	-15	10	10-97	-7	-2	2	2	-1	2	-4	-4	-8	-6	-4	-4
	MT	-27	06-07	-5	17	11-02	-7	2	-23	-23	-27	-27	-17	-19	-18	-18	-8	-9
	NL	-30	06-93	-7	15	06-90	2	3	5	6	5	6	6	7	7	8	10	8
	AT	-29	01-96	-7	13	04-07	13	12	13	8	11	12	12	9	11	10	5	7
	PL	-50	05-99	-21	9	01-07	9	8	8	9	8	8	6	7	7	9	8	6
	PT	-35	06-93	-15	-2	02-90	-15	-14	-12	-14	-12	-14	-15	-10	-12	-15	-8	-13
	RO	-67	07-92	-23	0	08-03	-4	-2	-2	-4	-4	-1	-4	-4	-5	-6	-8	-4
	SI	-42	10-95	-20	10	04-07	-1	7	10	9	7	6	10	10	7	7	10	9
	SK	-56	06-99	-21	3	07-07	2	-7	-7	-11	-1	3	1	3	0	0	1	0
	FI	-60	06-91	-14	15	12-00	5	7	6	8	13	4	9	10	8	9	6	4
SE	-51	06-92	-18	23	12-94	4	-4	-1	5	9	11	9	9	8	9	3	-3	
UK	-50	03-91	-20	2	06-97	-15	-15	-17	-11	-8	-11	-21	-10	-6	-12	-12	-12	
SELLING-PRICE EXPECTATIONS	EU	-13	12-98	6	28	02-95	13	14	12	14	15	13	14	13	12	14	14	15
	EA	-10	12-98	6	26	02-95	12	13	11	12	14	13	13	11	11	12	13	14
	BE	-18	02-96	3	26	12-94	8	9	14	11	9	10	8	8	5	7	11	14
	BG	-28	02-00	27	89	11-96	15	14	18	17	17	14	17	18	18	16	17	19
	CZ	-6	12-98	19	71	03-95	13	13	14	13	12	9	4	6	8	15	12	19
	DK	-12	11-01	2	26	01-08	11	14	14	21	20	16	14	18	18	24	23	26
	DE	-8	12-93	7	23	02-95	12	14	12	12	14	14	16	12	11	12	14	15
	EE	-28	03-99	17	86	04-92	42	37	39	33	28	31	26	29	27	27	28	28
	IE	-25	11-92	-1	29	11-03	14	13	19	9	18	7	8	13	9	8	5	13
	EL	-4	01-99	17	41	10-90	12	14	15	14	16	16	14	24	26	26	24	29
	ES	-18	04-93	4	35	04-95	10	14	12	9	12	7	11	6	7	11	14	11
	FR	-26	01-99	1	24	02-90	7	8	5	10	10	10	9	9	8	9	11	10
	IT	-10	12-98	11	40	03-95	16	15	13	14	16	15	13	13	15	12	14	15
	CY	-8	10-01	6	39	10-03	7	11	7	6	3	11	12	15	11	19	23	18
	LV	-17	12-98	18	50	07-94	38	31	36	33	35	31	35	32	32	29	30	29
	LT	-20	01-00	15	75	11-93	23	20	19	19	15	20	23	20	24	18	32	29
	LU	-50	08-91	-2	53	12-94	11	2	4	1	-4	6	8	-3	-5	-13	-2	19
	HU	1	02-06	26	51	01-01	26	25	21	20	17	19	18	18	16	19	12	18
	MT	-39	12-04	-10	38	12-03	-16	-4	-16	2	-15	-4	8	7	7	15	-5	4
	NL	-7	01-99	5	20	12-94	13	10	13	12	13	13	13	12	10	12	10	17
	AT	-23	03-96	1	20	01-07	20	18	14	15	19	14	17	14	11	15	13	18
	PL	-7	06-02	14	39	06-93	19	16	14	15	16	15	14	17	16	20	19	21
	PT	-9	05-03	8	29	10-90	3	5	5	1	6	19	6	1	9	7	7	11
	RO	10	09-97	52	97	10-93	17	17	13	12	14	13	20	21	28	30	24	29
	SI	-24	04-99	-5	22	01-08	15	13	13	11	10	12	13	12	11	17	14	22
	SK	-33	03-01	27	81	04-95	2	21	16	6	17	26	11	15	18	23	3	39
	FI	-34	03-96	5	49	08-94	11	20	25	29	26	21	21	19	19	19	24	22
SE	-20	11-96	5	37	12-94	3	3	-1	-1	7	3	8	9	6	4	4	4	
UK	-30	01-99	1	29	02-95	18	20	13	25	19	16	19	20	17	23	19	17	

(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 a minimum, lowest figure is considered as a maximum.

TABLE 2b: Quarterly survey of manufacturing industry

Capacity utilisation in manufacturing industry (%) ^(a)

	Since 01/1990					2006			2007				2008	
	Min.		Ave.		Max.		II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date								
EU	76.8	III-93	81.4	85.1	I-90	81.8	83.1	83.5	84.0	84.5	83.7	83.7	83.8	
EA	76.6	III-93	81.9	85.4	II-90	82.4	83.6	83.9	84.2	84.6	84.1	84.0	83.9	
BE	74.5	II-93	80.3	84.8	I-01	82.8	83.9	83.5	83.4	83.2	82.8	83.4	83.8	
BG	52.6	III-99	60.7	76.8	I-07	62.4	71.5	74.9	76.8	76.1	72.2	73.7	73.9	
CZ	70.9	IV-91	82.6	89.6	IV-07	87.0	86.6	86.7	88.4	88.8	88.9	89.6	89.2	
DK	76.4	II-93	82.5	88.9	III-07	85.4	84.1	87.4	87.2	88.9	88.9	87.3	87.1	
DE	78.3	III-93	84.3	89.5	I-91	84.4	86.4	86.8	87.6	88.2	87.1	87.0	87.2	
EE	52.2	IV-93	67.8	79.4	I-06	79.1	78.5	78.0	78.4	77.6	77.2	74.9	74.3	
IE	69.7	II-05	76.3	83.3	I-96	76.1	76.3	76.5	76.8	77.1	75.9	76.4	79.4	
EL	71.9	I-05	76.1	79.3	II-01	74.6	77.2	76.7	76.9	76.9	76.7	77.1	76.7	
ES	71.1	III-93	78.4	81.4	III-07	81.1	79.4	80.6	81.2	81.3	81.4	80.0	81.1	
FR	78.5	III-94	84.7	89.1	IV-00	84.5	85.7	86.3	86.0	86.2	86.4	87.6	87.2	
IT	71.6	III-93	76.6	80.2	I-90	77.3	78.0	78.1	78.2	78.9	78.2	77.4	76.7	
CY	62.7	IV-02	70.7	76.2	IV-01	74.5	68.7	66.8	69.8	69.8	69.2	71.3	72.5	
LV	44.6	II-93	62.0	75.0	III-05	74.4	71.4	73.7	71.5	73.6	71.8	73.7	71.7	
LT	44.1	IV-95	58.5	75.0	I-07	73.1	73.4	73.4	75.0	73.8	73.4	72.4	72.8	
LU	77.8	IV-96	83.9	89.2	I-01	84.0	86.7	87.2	87.4	88.8	86.5	86.5	86.0	
HU	76.1	I-96	80.9	87.5	III-07	84.0	84.6	86.2	84.8	83.2	87.5	84.1	83.8	
MT	11.5	II-03	70.4	93.2	II-06	93.2	78.5	82.0	80.8	87.4	78.7	76.3	79.5	
NL	80.3	III-93	83.5	86.2	II-90	81.9	81.4	83.0	83.4	83.3	83.8	83.8	83.5	
AT	79.1	IV-02	82.3	85.5	II-07	83.2	84.0	84.3	85.1	85.5	85.2	84.8	83.6	
PL	48.6	II-92	72.9	81.1	I-08	77.0	78.3	79.1	79.4	80.5	80.8	81.0	81.1	
PT	72.6	IV-93	79.5	84.3	IV-03	78.0	79.4	77.4	79.7	81.7	84.3	81.3	78.1	
RO	62.1	I-01	72.2	80.9	III-07	76.3	79.0	77.5	80.3	80.7	80.9	78.6	79.4	
SI	76.3	III-96	80.8	86.2	II-07	83.8	84.7	84.1	85.6	86.2	85.9	86.0	84.8	
SK	65.3	IV-03	78.1	87.1	II-01	79.7	69.2	73.3	71.8	74.3	74.2	73.9	75.0	
FI	80.7	III-03	85.5	89.9	III-98	85.1	88.1	85.4	89.3	86.9	86.7	86.3	86.3	
SE	82.2	III-01	85.6	89.5	IV-06	86.1	88.4	89.5	89.0	88.2	87.4	87.8	88.2	
UK	77.4	I-93	81.1	85.4	II-95	79.3	81.7	81.2	82.6	83.1	81.0	82.0	82.4	

Production capacity in manufacturing industry ^{(a) (b) (c)}

	Since 01/1990					2006			2007				2008	
	Min.		Ave.		Max.		II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date								
EU	6	II-07	19	37	III-93	13	10	9	7	6	6	7	10	
EA	3	I-90	17	37	II-93	12	10	6	5	4	4	4	7	
BE	4	II-07	26	54	III-93	19	9	9	8	4	8	10	14	
BG	-3	IV-05	11	24	II-02	2	0	6	6	3	2	-1	-1	
CZ	-15	IV-07	6	28	III-99	4	2	-1	-2	-5	-15	-15	-15	
DK	-16	III-07	13	33	II-93	2	7	-7	-11	-13	-16	-6	-5	
DE	-6	IV-90	17	42	II-93	10	7	2	-3	-3	-2	-1	5	
EE	-18	IV-06	12	38	I-96	-14	-12	-18	-18	-9	-11	3	4	
IE	-22	III-06	11	29	III-93	5	-22	-1	5	11	8	3	13	
EL	0	II-00	12	24	III-05	12	11	9	12	10	10	10	11	
ES	-2	II-00	6	20	II-93	7	1	3	1	2	1	6	4	
FR	-13	III-00	15	46	III-93	10	11	5	12	3	1	-2	-2	
IT	12	I-90	25	36	I-93	22	26	20	19	22	23	21	22	
CY	-13	II-02	8	39	II-07	3	8	14	16	39	24	29	19	
LV	-7	II-07	14	53	III-93	-1	-2	-5	-4	-7	-6	-6	-2	
LT	-4	IV-06	24	68	IV-93	2	1	-4	-2	-1	-2	-1	-4	
LU	-12	I-98	19	57	IV-96	18	21	13	6	3	11	11	8	
HU	-41	IV-03	24	48	IV-05	23	21	34	18	20	16	26	24	
MT	-9	II-06	11	30	III-04	-9	-7	6	5	13	26	6	20	
NL	-3	I-01	4	16	III-93	6	3	0	-1	0	0	2	0	
AT	-3	II-07	12	22	III-03	5	3	0	0	-3	-3	1	6	
PL	2	III-07	30	56	II-92	14	9	7	7	3	2	4	4	
PT	1	III-00	14	41	III-93	21	18	18	13	10	6	8	6	
RO	-13	IV-03	21	51	III-92	7	11	15	9	6	7	7	6	
SI	-11	IV-07	17	40	II-96	7	-2	-3	-6	-9	-10	-11	-4	
SK	-12	III-04	5	27	I-94	5	-1	-5	-5	-2	-2	-3	-4	
FI	-21	II-95	21	81	IV-91	8	-3	0	-6	4	-9	-12	-11	
SE	-19	III-00	7	30	IV-01	10	0	6	-1	0	-4	-2	7	
UK	10	II-95	31	55	III-91	25	18	26	22	18	24	27	24	

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					2006			2007				2008
	Min.		Ave.	Max.		II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
	Value	Date	Value	Date									
EU	2.7	III-93	3.2	4.3	IV-07	3.5	3.6	3.7	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.3
EA	2.6	III-96	3.1	3.6	II-90	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.5
BE	2.8	III-03	3.2	4.2	III-90	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.9	3.8
BG	1.4	IV-99	3.7	8.0	II-03	4.2	4.8	5.0	4.9	4.9	5.8	5.0	5.3
CZ	7.4	III-03	12.0	22.5	II-01	9.2	8.9	9.6	8.9	9.9	8.7	9.3	9.0
DK	1.4	III-00	1.9	2.8	I-08	1.6	1.6	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.8
DE	2.4	IV-93	2.8	3.3	III-90	2.6	2.8	2.8	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.1
EE	3.9	II-05	5.2	7.2	II-02	4.0	4.8	4.9	4.6	4.6	4.8	4.6	4.3
IE	1.6	IV-93	2.6	3.7	II-06	3.7	2.5	3.5	3.3	3.5	3.3	3.2	2.6
EL	4.2	IV-05	5.5	6.6	III-90	4.6	4.7	4.9	5.0	4.9	5.1	4.8	4.6
ES	1.5	II-93	2.8	4.5	IV-06	3.9	3.9	4.5	3.7	3.4	3.7	3.8	4.2
FR	2.5	III-97	3.2	4.4	I-02	3.3	3.6	3.5	3.9	3.6	4.1	3.9	3.7
IT	2.1	III-96	3.5	4.7	II-90	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.5
CY	2.8	III-01	3.9	4.8	II-05	3.5	3.5	4.7	4.7	3.6	4.0	3.1	4.0
LV	3.0	II-03	3.6	4.6	IV-05	3.4	4.1	4.0	3.5	3.7	3.9	3.5	3.8
LT	2.1	III-01	3.0	3.6	III-06	3.3	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.1
LU	1.9	IV-93	2.8	4.4	IV-07	3.4	3.8	3.9	4.1	4.0	4.2	4.4	4.3
HU	2.9	III-02	4.3	6.0	II-06	6.0	5.2	5.3	5.2	4.9	4.4	5.5	4.5
MT	2.8	II-04	3.9	6.1	II-06	6.1	3.9	4.8	5.3	4.1	4.0	4.8	5.4
NL	2.1	I-95	2.6	3.3	I-91	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3
AT	2.9	I-01	3.9	5.9	IV-01	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.5	5.0	4.7	4.4
PL	5.3	I-01	6.7	8.6	I-08	7.6	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.3	8.5	8.4	8.6
PT	2.7	III-03	4.0	6.6	IV-07	3.4	4.7	5.1	4.4	4.7	6.3	6.6	6.0
RO	1.4	IV-01	6.4	8.6	I-07	6.4	7.3	7.9	8.6	8.4	8.1	8.1	7.4
SI	2.8	IV-98	4.4	5.1	III-07	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.9	5.1	4.8	4.7
SK	4.9	III-06	7.0	9.5	I-01	5.3	4.9	6.0	6.5	6.3	5.7	6.6	5.3
FI	2.5	II-05	3.4	4.8	III-07	3.4	3.7	3.8	4.1	3.5	4.8	3.2	2.5
SE	1.8	IV-96	3.3	16.4	IV-07	2.9	3.1	3.2	10.8	12.7	14.7	16.4	13.5
UK	2.4	I-95	3.2	4.2	I-08	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.9	4.1	3.9	3.6	4.2

New orders in manufacturing industry (s.a.)^{(a)(c)}

	Since 01/1990					2006			2007				2008
	Min.		Ave.	Max.		II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
	Value	Date	Value	Date									
EU	-21	IV-92	2	21	IV-94	17	14	13	15	17	11	8	6
EA	-22	IV-92	3	20	II-06	20	15	15	14	16	11	6	4
BE	-24	I-96	-3	20	IV-97	14	7	4	5	10	8	0	1
BG	-6	III-03	5	21	II-07	-2	14	16	20	21	15	8	16
CZ	-11	IV-01	15	40	IV-06	29	33	40	27	33	34	21	22
DK	-23	I-99	8	37	III-94	23	21	24	25	32	8	9	-5
DE	-31	I-02	2	26	II-06	26	17	17	19	19	10	0	-1
EE	-14	IV-01	18	44	I-07	27	36	39	44	35	22	1	9
IE	-18	IV-01	2	28	III-95	5	7	1	7	-5	3	-4	-5
EL	-5	II-03	11	23	IV-97	18	13	14	14	17	8	6	16
ES	-8	II-93	6	14	I-04	9	9	12	10	8	8	7	8
FR	-45	III-93	1	32	II-00	17	12	15	7	17	21	18	13
IT	-34	IV-91	4	28	IV-94	16	13	14	13	17	8	7	6
CY	-43	II-03	-14	-2	I-08	-5	-4	-15	-18	-12	-6	-6	-2
LV	-5	I-08	14	22	IV-03	19	20	18	18	17	9	0	-5
LT	-10	II-02	9	27	III-06	22	27	16	9	17	11	1	-1
LU	-48	I-93	-6	32	I-00	-12	7	-5	10	15	11	13	-9
HU	-21	II-05	-1	23	III-00	10	0	9	7	10	6	-9	-4
MT	-4	I-04	13	43	III-07	36	26	8	3	17	43	17	30
NL	-12	II-03	7	19	IV-99	18	17	13	13	12	9	4	3
AT	-30	II-96	5	30	III-06	26	30	28	27	28	20	11	5
PL	-24	III-01	-1	25	II-07	0	17	17	24	25	18	20	16
PT	-37	III-93	-7	23	IV-94	-12	-14	-9	-3	4	-4	-4	-15
RO	0	III-05	9	19	II-04	5	10	8	9	12	7	4	4
SI	-10	IV-01	12	34	III-06	25	34	24	28	34	28	17	15
SK	4	III-05	31	53	IV-07	23	9	21	50	46	50	53	40
FI	-30	III-01	10	49	I-00	31	41	18	15	26	16	8	3
SE	-38	I-91	6	48	II-00	35	33	13	29	17	0	10	-6
UK	-46	II-91	-5	29	I-95	1	1	0	10	11	8	15	9

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

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

	Since 01/1990			2006			2007			2008			
	Min.		Ave.	Max.		II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Value								
EU	-10	IV-01	8	21	I-95	16	17	16	16	16	15	11	11
EA	-10	II-93	8	20	I-95	18	18	18	17	15	16	12	15
BE	-26	I-96	-1	35	IV-97	8	7	11	23	10	2	-4	9
BG	6	I-02	22	41	III-95	15	21	24	26	22	19	24	23
CZ	0	IV-01	30	54	IV-97	25	34	29	31	29	34	27	21
DK	-2	IV-98	11	24	I-98	11	8	14	8	13	6	3	5
DE	-16	IV-92	7	21	I-07	20	19	20	21	19	19	14	15
EE	2	IV-01	19	38	III-00	16	24	27	35	21	20	15	13
IE	-33	IV-01	5	48	II-04	9	25	0	21	9	8	32	7
EL	6	III-03	23	41	IV-97	33	29	27	30	29	24	19	17
ES	-8	II-93	5	16	IV-06	10	6	16	14	9	9	6	10
FR	-34	III-93	6	29	I-95	22	21	16	12	9	15	10	17
IT	-3	II-92	13	27	IV-94	19	21	19	16	16	16	14	13
CY	-9	IV-04	20	50	I-08	17	21	11	23	40	26	10	50
LV	-2	IV-98	15	24	IV-00	17	16	17	16	12	14	13	9
LT	-11	II-94	13	36	III-97	16	21	15	11	18	8	11	21
LU	-58	III-91	-6	42	II-00	-8	6	7	8	16	-1	-4	5
HU	-3	IV-01	12	32	IV-00	11	6	18	17	17	26	11	14
MT	-6	II-07	15	38	I-08	29	0	4	4	-6	28	23	38
NL	-11	III-03	8	22	III-00	11	20	16	13	12	13	12	13
AT	-8	IV-01	7	15	IV-03	12	13	14	12	14	15	13	11
PL	-1	I-02	16	25	III-04	21	20	21	24	23	23	24	20
PT	-24	III-93	6	30	IV-94	4	-6	0	10	7	14	7	9
RO	5	I-08	18	35	III-96	8	8	10	8	8	7	7	5
SI	3	IV-95	25	41	I-07	30	40	35	41	39	39	32	38
SK	-15	I-04	34	75	I-96	18	37	18	57	29	9	50	23
FI	-21	I-03	18	53	III-05	21	29	23	30	40	21	16	35
SE	-21	IV-01	19	49	I-04	8	13	20	7	18	2	1	-18
UK	-34	IV-01	2	30	III-95	7	12	1	5	15	14	2	-2

(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			2006			2007			2008			
		Min.		Ave.	Max.		II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value								
CONSUMER GOODS	EU	78.0	III-02	80.5	85.9	II-90	79.5	80.6	80.3	81.0	81.8	81.0	81.1	81.1
	EA	77.4	I-05	80.2	85.4	II-90	79.2	80.1	79.9	81.4	81.7	80.8	80.8	81.3
INVESTMENT GOODS	EU	75.7	IV-93	83.4	88.8	I-08	84.4	85.6	86.0	87.6	88.0	87.5	88.0	88.8
	EA	75.7	IV-93	84.1	89.0	I-08	84.9	86.4	86.8	87.9	88.4	88.5	88.6	89.0
INTERMEDIATE GOODS	EU	77.2	III-93	82.2	85.9	I-90	82.7	83.9	84.2	84.3	84.6	83.9	83.0	82.9
	EA	76.8	IV-93	82.3	86.4	I-90	83.2	84.3	84.7	84.4	84.8	84.1	83.2	83.0
FOOD AND BEVERAGES	EU	76.9	IV-04	79.4	82.9	II-91	77.4	79.1	78.9	78.3	79.3	78.2	78.9	79.0
	EA	76.8	I-06	78.7	82.3	II-91	77.8	78.0	77.7	77.4	78.0	77.8	78.6	78.4
TEXTILES	EU	75.3	III-05	79.4	84.3	I-90	76.7	78.9	77.0	78.7	78.7	79.1	78.0	77.7
	EA	75.1	III-05	79.2	84.7	I-90	77.0	78.7	77.0	77.9	78.8	78.4	77.4	77.1
WOOD AND WOOD PRODUCTS	EU	76.3	II-92	81.6	87.1	I-07	84.1	84.4	84.7	87.1	85.4	85.5	84.0	81.6
	EA	76.3	II-92	81.5	87.1	I-07	84.1	84.1	84.5	87.1	84.9	85.0	83.3	80.9
PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	EU	77.0	III-03	81.2	85.6	III-90	83.4	83.0	83.0	82.3	83.0	81.4	82.2	81.9
	EA	77.1	III-03	81.5	86.1	III-90	84.0	83.1	83.8	83.0	83.2	81.6	81.5	82.0
NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	EU	76.1	IV-93	80.8	86.1	I-07	81.7	83.8	84.7	86.1	84.9	84.0	82.6	82.7
EA	76.0	IV-93	81.0	85.8	I-07	82.6	83.7	85.4	85.8	84.9	83.7	82.3	81.9	
BASIC METALS	EU	75.8	IV-93	85.0	90.7	IV-97	87.6	88.6	88.5	87.5	87.1	87.8	85.9	85.9
	EA	76.8	IV-93	85.7	91.0	IV-97	88.4	89.5	89.7	88.3	88.3	88.7	86.8	86.7
METAL PRODUCTS	EU	73.9	IV-93	80.2	85.4	I-90	80.8	82.1	83.5	83.7	84.5	83.2	82.9	82.8
	EA	73.0	IV-93	80.0	85.3	I-90	81.2	82.0	83.4	83.6	84.5	83.2	82.8	82.6
MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	EU	76.4	IV-93	83.0	88.7	II-90	85.4	86.1	86.5	87.1	88.2	87.4	87.7	87.5
	EA	75.3	IV-93	83.6	89.4	II-90	86.3	87.8	87.7	88.3	89.4	88.6	88.7	88.3
MEDICAL AND OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS	EU	79.1	I-94	83.7	88.0	I-01	84.1	84.9	86.4	85.5	85.6	86.1	85.7	86.5
	EA	79.5	I-93	84.4	89.3	I-01	85.9	86.1	88.2	87.6	86.8	88.0	86.8	87.3
MOTOR VEH., TRAILERS AND SEMI-TRAILERS	EU	74.0	III-93	86.2	92.5	I-08	85.7	87.4	86.6	88.0	89.0	89.8	90.9	92.5
	EA	74.8	III-93	87.4	93.2	I-08	86.2	88.0	88.1	88.7	89.8	90.7	91.7	93.2

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

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						2006			2007				2008
		Min.		Ave.		Max.		II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date								
CONSUMER GOODS	EU	-7	I-02	8	19	I-07	14	15	13	19	18	16	14	13	
	EA	-7	III-93	9	21	I-07	20	16	16	21	19	17	15	17	
INVESTMENT GOODS	EU	-19	IV-92	7	22	I-95	16	20	18	18	20	20	17	15	
	EA	-23	IV-92	8	24	IV-04	20	23	20	20	18	20	18	19	
INTERMEDIATE GOODS	EU	-14	IV-01	6	26	IV-94	15	16	15	17	11	12	8	10	
	EA	-13	IV-01	6	25	IV-94	15	15	16	15	12	11	7	10	
FOOD AND BEVERAGES	EU	-2	I-02	9	21	III-94	17	13	13	13	16	15	17	6	
	EA	-4	IV-92	9	19	I-95	18	14	14	15	13	16	15	12	
TEXTILES	EU	-15	IV-01	2	17	III-94	6	3	13	3	10	14	3	3	
	EA	-17	II-93	3	18	III-97	9	3	12	5	10	15	1	4	
WOOD AND WOOD PRODUCTS	EU	-11	IV-90	5	21	IV-94	12	15	14	13	8	7	-4	2	
	EA	-10	II-03	4	19	III-06	14	19	15	15	11	10	-3	6	
PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	EU	-10	III-94	1	16	I-95	0	8	6	3	9	-1	11	11	
	EA	-13	IV-93	3	19	I-91	7	10	5	5	4	0	5	12	
NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS	EU	-14	IV-01	5	26	III-07	10	11	20	26	15	26	7	3	
	EA	-10	II-93	6	27	I-07	10	9	19	27	16	24	6	1	
BASIC METALS	EU	-25	IV-01	3	27	III-94	17	15	12	9	10	6	1	8	
	EA	-25	IV-01	2	26	IV-94	13	14	14	11	7	2	-2	2	
METAL PRODUCTS	EU	-15	IV-01	4	20	I-95	15	17	18	16	12	14	8	12	
	EA	-14	II-93	4	18	I-95	11	15	17	16	15	15	10	16	
MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	EU	-15	IV-01	7	25	I-95	19	19	23	21	21	22	17	19	
	EA	-15	II-93	7	26	IV-94	21	21	24	21	21	21	20	21	
MEDICAL AND OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS	EU	-16	IV-01	13	32	I-07	16	12	11	32	28	28	25	24	
	EA	-20	II-93	11	31	I-08	13	13	8	25	28	24	20	31	
MOTOR VEH., TRAILERS AND SEMI-TRAILERS	EU	-33	III-93	6	28	II-98	17	24	14	14	7	16	20	14	
	EA	-38	III-93	7	36	II-98	21	28	16	20	8	18	18	20	

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

TABLE 2e: **Industrial investment survey - all branches. EU Member States.**

Results of October/November 2007 investment survey, % change in value, over the preceding year

Date of survey:	Oct./Nov. 2004	Mar./Apr. 2005	Oct./Nov. 2005	Mar./Apr. 2006	Oct./Nov. 2005	Mar./Apr. 2006	Oct./Nov. 2006	Mar./Apr. 2007	Oct./Nov. 2006	Mar./Apr. 2007	Oct./Nov. 2007	Mar./Apr. 2008	Oct./Nov. 2007
	Previs.	Previs.	Estim.	Definit.	Previs.	Previs.	Estim.	Definit.	Previs.	Previs.	Estim.	Definit.	Previs.
Year	2005				2006				2007				2008
EU	4	5	0	3	5	8	5	8	6	9	8	:	5
EA	3	3	-4	1	6	8	5	7	7	8	7	:	5
BE	22	8	-7	-2	22	17	4	4	20	18	13	:	7
BG	12	-1	13	23	1	8	12	30	19	7	10	:	0
CZ	10	2	6	3	10	5	3	6	8	6	6	:	8
DK	-2	10	11	2	7	9	7	5	12	16	20	:	3
DE	2	4	-6	-4	9	13	8	7	9	10	11	:	6
EE	60	64	75	67	56	92	74	96	98	71	77	:	60
IE	-18	21	-3	-1	8	16	26	43	-2	-7	7	:	5
EL	-4	-9	-18	-10	11	15	8	4	-2	45	-7	:	15
ES	26	9	4	12	19	4	-4	5	9	4	-6	:	13
FR	-3	1	-5	-3	1	6	4	5	6	4	5	:	3
IT	-2	-10	-6	11	-5	-1	0	13	-1	1	0	:	-1
CY	1	1	-1	-1	1	1	-1	-1	1	1	-1	:	0
LV	21	-2	13	46	5	27	32	42	-10	51	54	:	-48
LT	27	23	19	38	20	23	59	76	29	72	56	:	22
LU	-12	-8	-25	-27	15	8	4	1	29	15	30	:	-8
HU	21	17	9	9	12	12	10	10	15	9	8	:	10
NL	5	20	12	9	0	14	3	1	7	19	10	:	4
AT	-4	5	-6	-1	9	15	6	10	14	21	18	:	11
PL	14	32	17	23	-8	16	13	26	-7	28	31	:	5
PT	-8	-8	-14	-7	-12	-4	-2	5	0	5	3	:	14
RO	0	4	5	7	-11	-3	-1	0	-14	-13	-10	:	-14
SI	16	24	19	22	29	20	16	16	13	21	14	:	23
SK	-2	3	-16	-15	20	19	19	4	14	3	-1	:	20
FI	7	11	7	6	1	1	0	-1	6	8	12	:	5
SE	8	29	15	12	-6	9	6	3	-7	21	12	:	3
UK	7	4	7	6	1	0	5	5	6	4	4	:	7

Source: European Commission investment surveys.

TABLE 2f: Industrial investment survey - all branches. EU Member States.

Results of October/November 2007 investment survey, % change in **volume**, over the preceding year

Date of survey:	Oct./Nov.	Mar./Apr.	Oct./Nov.	Mar./Apr.	Oct./Nov.	Mar./Apr.	Oct./Nov.	Mar./Apr.	Oct./Nov.	Mar./Apr.	Oct./Nov.	Mar./Apr.	Oct./Nov.
	2004	2005	2005	2006	2005	2006	2006	2007	2006	2007	2007	2008	2007
	Previs.	Previs.	Estim.	Definit.	Previs.	Previs.	Estim.	Definit.	Previs.	Previs.	Estim.	Definit.	Previs.
for Year	2005				2006				2007				2008
EU	2	3	-2	1	2	5	2	5	3	6	5	:	3
EA	3	3	-4	1	4	7	3	6	5	7	5	:	3
BE	21	7	-8	-3	18	14	1	1	17	16	11	:	5
BG	7	-5	7	17	-4	2	6	22	16	5	7	:	-3
CZ	14	5	10	6	9	4	2	5	8	6	6	:	8
DK	-3	9	10	1	5	6	5	3	9	13	17	:	0
DE	3	5	-5	-3	10	13	8	7	8	9	10	:	5
EE	55	59	70	62	48	81	64	85	89	63	69	:	52
IE	-20	18	-6	-4	5	13	22	39	-4	-10	4	:	2
EL	-4	-9	-19	-10	8	11	5	1	-5	41	-9	:	12
ES	24	7	3	10	15	1	-7	2	6	2	-8	:	10
FR	-3	2	-5	-3	-1	3	2	3	4	2	3	:	1
IT	-3	-10	-6	11	-7	-3	-2	11	-3	-1	-2	:	-3
CY	-3	-3	-4	-4	-3	-3	-5	-5	-2	-2	-3	:	-3
LV	10	-11	3	33	-8	11	16	25	-20	35	38	:	-54
LT	28	24	21	39	16	19	54	71	25	66	51	:	18
LU	-9	-5	-23	-25	16	9	5	2	29	16	31	:	-7
HU	18	14	7	7	6	6	3	4	9	4	2	:	4
NL	7	23	14	11	-1	13	2	0	6	18	9	:	3
AT	-5	3	-8	-3	7	13	4	8	12	19	16	:	9
PL	15	33	18	24	-9	15	11	25	-9	24	28	:	3
PT	-7	-7	-13	-6	-13	-6	-4	3	-2	3	1	:	12
RO	-9	-6	-4	-3	-19	-11	-9	-8	-20	-20	-16	:	-20
SI	16	24	19	22	28	19	15	15	12	20	13	:	22
SK	-4	0	-19	-18	18	17	17	2	12	1	-3	:	18
FI	10	15	11	10	1	1	0	-1	5	7	11	:	4
SE	8	28	15	11	-8	6	4	1	-10	18	9	:	1
UK	8	5	8	7	1	-1	4	4	5	3	4	:	6

Source: European Commission investment surveys.

TABLE 2g: Industrial investment survey by branch. EU Member States.

Results of October/November 2007 investment survey, % change in **value**, over the preceding year

	Intermediate goods		Motor vehicles		Investment goods		Durable cons. goods		Food & beverages		Non-durable cons. goods		Consumer goods		Total, all man. industry	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
	EU	7	6	14	10	9	12	15	-8	9	-2	6	-2	7	-5	8
EA	6	6	12	12	10	11	19	-11	4	-6	5	-3	6	-7	7	5
BE	21	11	-26	18	28	-21	20	23	-9	10	22	8	22	12	13	7
BG	15	-11	84	57	-12	12	26	-14	2	-3	6	-11	8	-12	10	0
CZ	7	15	11	12	10	13	25	-12	-2	-5	5	-6	7	-6	6	8
DK	34	0	-13	-3	10	20	2	11	28	-2	-2	-1	12	0	20	3
DE	6	5	20	11	16	11	23	-10	10	0	11	0	12	-2	11	6
EE	85	53	:	:	73	136	64	53	101	75	41	30	72	51	77	60
IE	8	29	8	0	-7	-1	-19	99	4	-58	2	4	3	-39	7	5
EL	1	29	2849	-93	15	-7	-38	30	-11	3	-16	2	-16	3	-7	15
ES	-10	8	-1	21	-13	26	22	-46	-12	-6	-8	-3	-10	-6	-6	13
FR	8	6	-10	2	12	0	0	-4	0	-2	8	3	3	0	5	3
IT	-4	-1	14	31	-9	30	34	-28	10	-31	2	-15	10	-24	0	-1
CY	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0
LV	113	-73	45	-24	57	-48	-17	-59	-42	15	-23	62	-22	37	54	-48
LT	55	36	8	-7	15	28	55	20	95	-30	45	41	69	7	56	22
LU	30	-12	-12	-16	9	1	-17	276	63	29	39	-30	49	-1	30	-8
HU	11	12	10	-3	9	11	14	17	-3	0	-8	13	14	17	8	10
NL	9	13	150	0	35	1	20	-42	16	-7	-16	-1	-2	-6	10	4
AT	22	6	42	29	26	14	24	4	-6	28	24	0	4	18	18	11
PL	38	20	125	22	66	25	38	2	15	-2	18	-3	21	-3	31	5
PT	20	19	-24	20	-21	-11	18	-30	-11	4	-5	-34	0	-33	3	14
RO	-7	-10	27	16	12	7	-10	-12	-14	-19	-39	-40	-35	-36	-10	-14
SI	19	19	9	34	10	56	10	9	17	16	8	8	10	10	14	23
SK	-6	22	11	103	12	-3	-4	4	-2	15	2	0	-2	7	-1	20
FI	18	-14	-23	16	6	14	24	-20	39	24	2	8	19	15	12	5
SE	22	8	-6	1	-2	4	26	-25	19	-7	16	-9	18	-11	12	3
UK	1	2	8	-1	-6	14	-8	9	29	16	10	3	5	5	4	7

Source: European Commission investment surveys.

TABLE 2h: Industrial investment survey by branch. EU Member States.

Results of October/November 2007 investment survey, % change in volume, over the preceding year

	Intermediate goods		Motor vehicles		Investment goods		Durable cons. goods		Food & beverages		Non-durable cons. goods		Consumer goods		Total, all man. industry	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
	EU	4	3	11	8	7	9	12	-10	6	-5	3	-4	4	-7	5
EA	4	4	11	10	8	9	17	-13	2	-8	3	-4	5	-8	5	3
BE	18	9	-27	15	26	-23	18	20	-11	8	20	6	19	10	11	5
BG	13	-13	79	53	-14	9	23	-16	0	-5	3	-14	5	-14	7	-3
CZ	7	15	11	12	10	13	25	-12	-2	-5	5	-6	7	-6	6	8
DK	31	-3	-15	-6	7	17	-1	8	25	-5	-5	-4	9	-3	17	0
DE	5	4	19	10	15	10	22	-11	9	-1	10	-1	11	-3	10	5
EE	76	46	:	:	65	125	57	46	92	67	35	24	64	44	69	52
IE	6	26	6	-3	-9	-3	-21	95	2	-59	-1	2	1	-41	4	2
EL	-2	26	2769	-93	12	-9	-39	26	-13	0	-18	0	-18	0	-9	12
ES	-12	5	-3	18	-15	23	19	-48	-14	-8	-11	-6	-13	-9	-8	10
FR	5	3	-12	-1	9	-2	-2	-6	-2	-4	5	0	1	-2	3	1
IT	-6	-3	11	28	-11	27	31	-30	7	-32	0	-17	8	-26	-2	-3
CY	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3
LV	90	-76	30	-32	40	-54	-26	-63	-48	3	-31	45	-30	22	38	-54
LT	51	32	4	-10	11	24	51	16	89	-33	41	37	63	4	51	18
LU	31	-12	-11	-16	9	1	-16	278	63	30	40	-30	50	0	31	-7
HU	6	7	5	-8	4	6	8	11	-7	-5	-12	7	8	11	2	4
NL	8	12	148	-1	34	0	19	-43	15	-8	-17	-2	-3	-7	9	3
AT	20	5	39	27	24	12	22	2	-7	26	23	-2	2	16	16	9
PL	34	17	120	19	62	22	35	-1	12	-4	15	-5	18	-6	28	3
PT	17	17	-26	18	-22	-12	15	-31	-13	2	-7	-35	-2	-34	1	12
RO	-13	-17	17	7	4	-1	-17	-18	-20	-25	-43	-44	-40	-41	-16	-20
SI	18	18	8	32	9	54	9	8	16	15	7	7	9	9	13	22
SK	-8	19	9	100	9	-5	-5	2	-4	13	1	-2	-4	5	-3	18
FI	17	-15	-24	15	5	13	23	-21	38	23	1	7	17	14	11	4
SE	19	5	-8	-1	-5	1	22	-27	16	-10	14	-11	15	-13	9	1
UK	0	1	7	-2	-7	13	-9	8	28	15	9	2	4	4	4	6

Source: European Commission investment surveys.

TABLE 2i: Factors influencing industrial investment by country (2006-2008) - Balances^(a)

	Demand			Financial resources or expected profits			Technical factors ^(b)			Other factors		
	2006	2007	2008	2006	2007	2008	2006	2007	2008	2006	2007	2008
EU	38	:	:	20	:	:	34	:	:	5	:	:
EA	36	:	:	17	:	:	34	:	:	3	:	:
BE	49	51	51	35	35	35	60	59	61	25	25	26
BG	49	52	53	35	35	38	25	30	31	4	6	7
CZ	66	67	68	71	45	43	41	47	48	21	26	21
DK	64	63	64	31	33	34	50	51	49	4	5	6
DE	32	:	:	17	:	:	39	:	:	2	:	:
EE	61	49	50	29	23	29	31	36	39	71	50	50
IE	42	37	41	18	24	26	25	19	20	-1	-5	-5
EL	40	46	45	12	14	15	36	40	39	8	14	14
ES	28	23	14	21	0	-4	-8	-2	-6	-23	-30	-30
FR	41	43	45	8	4	6	36	36	38	10	10	9
IT	37	49	44	27	29	27	32	48	37	4	5	6
CY	1	8	7	-2	4	8	14	9	10	-1	-3	-3
LV	49	46	45	25	25	25	20	24	23	4	6	6
LT	55	59	58	43	37	38	38	45	46	4	7	7
LU	35	42	40	17	24	27	46	51	53	6	6	11
HU	32	33	33	13	21	22	16	17	14	-6	-5	-9
NL	31	36	35	-4	-3	-5	23	22	19	0	-5	-6
AT	48	46	49	26	28	30	40	42	42	6	4	7
PL	72	75	75	55	58	58	64	64	64	37	35	35
PT	14	19	20	2	10	10	19	22	22	3	4	4
RO	41	51	52	41	41	42	33	39	38	1	0	0
SI	35	41	42	19	19	25	25	22	23	2	-6	-4
SK	77	78	79	44	35	41	44	47	46	33	23	23
FI	49	42	56	10	-1	18	56	57	51	27	11	21
SE	37	40	39	25	27	28	21	22	23	2	3	2
UK	34	:	:	19	:	:	30	:	:	7	:	:

(a) Balances are the weighted averages of the percentages of answers describing each factor as 'very stimulating' (coefficient 1), 'stimulating' (0.5), 'limiting' (-0.5) and 'very limiting' (-1). The answers which do not mention any of these descriptions are not taken into account in calculating these percentages.

(b) The main technical factors are technological developments, the availability of labour and its attitude towards new technologies, and the technical conditions set by the public authorities before they grant the investment permit.

Source: European Commission investment surveys.

TABLE 2j: **Structure of industrial investment in industry as a whole (2006-2008)**
 (Breakdown of industrialists' views of the type of investment) ^(a)

	Replacement			Extension			Rationalisation			Other factors		
	2006	2007	2008	2006	2007	2008	2006	2007	2008	2006	2007	2008
EU	31	:	:	31	:	:	22	:	:	17	:	:
EA	30	:	:	31	:	:	22	:	:	18	:	:
BE	37	31	30	42	43	32	12	10	8	9	8	8
BG	21	20	21	41	41	39	28	28	28	11	11	12
CZ	60	59	61	23	30	27	16	10	12	1	1	0
DK	36	32	30	29	27	28	27	30	27	8	11	15
DE	29	:	:	32	:	:	22	:	:	17	:	:
EE	41	47	34	46	47	51	47	52	59	38	38	38
IE	50	52	43	38	36	36	40	32	36	21	18	20
EL	29	23	19	42	44	48	21	19	20	9	15	14
ES	21	21	23	40	34	35	23	26	29	16	19	17
FR	26	27	26	17	17	17	23	23	23	35	33	33
IT	35	35	30	32	20	24	23	31	31	9	13	15
CY	58	38	53	55	41	53	59	42	53	50	38	43
LV	51	51	49	53	53	55	42	42	44	30	28	28
LT	38	45	46	47	49	46	51	57	64	29	30	29
LU	73	83	81	44	58	53	61	62	64	36	46	48
HU	48	52	42	32	34	32	7	6	11	13	9	15
NL	33	36	35	32	34	34	20	16	20	14	13	12
AT	39	39	35	22	22	24	27	25	27	13	14	14
PL	28	28	27	29	29	29	29	27	28	15	16	16
PT	30	28	24	36	43	48	17	15	16	17	14	12
RO	23	22	21	18	20	20	21	20	21	38	38	38
SI	30	30	29	29	28	29	22	23	24	19	18	18
SK	16	14	17	19	21	22	23	26	24	42	39	37
FI	43	43	41	32	31	30	20	15	19	5	11	10
SE	32	27	27	48	55	53	15	14	17	5	3	3
UK	33	:	:	30	:	:	20	:	:	18	:	:

(a) % of respondents that choose this category as the most relevant. More than one category can be chosen, therefore the sum of the 4 categories may be greater than 100.

Source: European Commission investment surveys.

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

		Since 01/1990						2007												2008
		Min.		Ave.	Max.		Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.		
		Value	Date	Value	Date															
SERVICES CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EU	-6	03-03	17	32	06-98	19	22	22	23	21	20	22	20	19	14	15	11		
	EA	-4	11-01	18	33	08-98	20	22	22	23	21	21	21	18	18	13	14	12		
	BE	-7	03-03	14	33	08-07	27	29	29	28	30	32	33	28	21	29	23	16		
	BG	16	03-06	31	48	03-07	46	48	44	43	42	40	41	38	38	40	37	35		
	CZ	32	06-05	42	49	01-07	49	49	48	46	43	42	42	43	43	42	42	44		
	DK	11	10-01	28	38	04-04	33	33	29	26	29	28	30	29	29	25	29	22		
	DE	-18	12-02	24	52	03-99	17	20	22	23	20	20	21	14	15	13	12	14		
	EE	-7	11-07	20	38	01-06	13	16	13	7	10	7	1	2	-3	-7	1	-7		
	IE	-14	05-03	15	44	08-98	6	17	7	13	20	-1	13	19	18	9	1	-1		
	EL	-14	04-03	27	62	08-00	35	37	34	35	34	28	30	35	33	34	34	33		
	ES	-1	01-08	27	56	06-98	15	15	13	11	13	12	15	9	8	3	3	-1		
	FR	-22	06-93	4	25	06-90	8	10	10	12	10	13	13	13	14	12	10	11		
	IT	-5	11-01	19	44	02-98	34	40	37	35	31	35	23	25	26	9	18	14		
	CY	-19	09-02	9	34	08-07	7	24	24	16	29	31	34	13	16	7	7	13		
	LV	7	03-02	13	20	01-07	17	18	17	17	16	16	18	17	17	15	14	9		
	LT	9	11-04	19	34	07-06	29	21	18	22	22	22	22	22	9	20	13	13		
	HU	-16	10-07	-2	14	03-02	-13	-5	-6	-11	-11	-12	-9	-4	-16	-8	-8	-12		
	NL	3	06-03	18	41	04-07	38	38	41	40	36	33	33	29	29	27	27	26		
	AT	0	01-02	16	30	03-98	20	22	24	22	23	22	22	18	18	16	14	18		
	PL	-8	01-03	8	24	07-07	18	17	19	21	23	24	20	20	19	19	19	23		
PT	-17	05-03	7	29	06-01	6	7	12	9	8	10	7	12	10	15	11	8			
RO	5	06-06	27	57	06-04	33	30	25	27	18	20	23	23	23	25	24	28			
SI	13	05-05	23	32	10-02	23	26	26	28	28	29	30	30	27	23	24	23			
SK	25	12-07	43	60	06-03	28	37	37	38	42	46	44	35	29	29	25	32			
FI	-12	09-03	27	61	09-00	34	43	38	45	55	36	21	23	21	11	9	7			
SE	-24	01-03	21	46	12-00	37	39	36	42	40	44	43	42	41	37	36	31			
UK	-20	12-02	14	37	10-97	12	15	18	23	14	10	21	21	20	11	12	-1			
ASSESSMENT OF BUSINESS SITUATION OVER THE PAST 3 MONTHS	EU	-19	03-03	13	35	06-00	15	15	18	19	17	13	17	15	14	11	10	5		
	EA	-17	03-03	15	39	06-00	15	18	19	20	18	17	17	13	15	10	9	6		
	BE	-27	12-01	1	32	06-07	30	29	30	28	32	30	27	27	19	24	21	13		
	BG	13	03-06	34	65	03-07	60	65	59	54	56	51	52	50	47	52	41	42		
	CZ	48	06-05	62	73	12-06	70	69	70	71	67	68	67	68	71	68	63	62		
	DK	5	05-03	23	41	04-00	25	28	21	19	20	25	23	20	22	18	21	15		
	DE	-35	01-03	24	63	12-98	15	18	22	20	19	17	20	13	11	13	10	11		
	EE	-12	11-07	23	47	11-02	17	15	17	10	9	6	-5	-3	-11	-12	0	-8		
	IE	-20	06-05	18	52	11-99	8	18	9	13	20	-4	21	16	15	9	4	4		
	EL	-42	04-03	15	58	09-00	44	43	42	43	38	35	38	34	32	36	35	31		
	ES	-8	01-08	26	67	04-00	9	9	9	6	9	6	10	6	3	-3	-7	-8		
	FR	-35	09-96	0	29	06-00	4	4	6	8	5	10	8	9	11	9	9	6		
	IT	-39	06-05	11	44	02-01	17	29	29	33	28	20	12	9	22	-1	2	-9		
	CY	-33	06-02	2	26	08-07	-5	11	13	9	20	26	26	1	2	-4	2	4		
	LV	3	01-08	11	19	04-03	14	15	14	12	10	10	13	13	14	10	9	3		
	LT	6	02-05	20	51	03-03	22	19	19	29	25	21	15	21	7	19	8	8		
	HU	-19	10-07	-3	18	05-02	-14	-8	-9	-12	-13	-14	-13	-9	-19	-8	-9	-14		
	NL	-26	07-93	16	70	12-00	49	49	48	48	46	44	39	40	35	35	35	29		
	AT	-4	10-96	13	30	03-98	18	22	23	21	20	17	21	14	15	15	11	17		
	PL	-8	02-04	7	19	07-07	16	14	16	17	19	19	18	16	15	13	13	19		
PT	-22	06-03	3	24	11-97	-2	1	5	8	3	2	-1	6	2	10	7	0			
RO	8	04-06	33	67	04-03	40	37	23	29	24	25	25	25	21	23	23	18			
SI	3	12-05	23	44	10-02	24	21	27	38	25	32	34	34	30	28	28	19			
SK	14	10-05	39	63	12-02	22	32	29	33	31	36	36	36	30	22	17	21			
FI	-47	03-03	17	79	05-98	7	11	4	20	28	8	-2	18	-2	-8	-8	-7			
SE	-60	01-02	14	52	01-07	41	43	34	45	40	43	44	43	40	39	44	39			
UK	-35	12-02	0	27	12-97	8	-3	10	10	3	-11	9	15	5	6	8	-9			
EVOLUTION OF DEMAND OVER THE PAST 3 MONTHS	EU	-8	03-03	15	31	03-98	19	22	23	24	22	22	23	22	21	13	15	13		
	EA	-11	01-02	15	32	03-98	21	22	24	22	20	21	21	18	17	12	13	12		
	BE	-9	03-03	14	41	11-97	17	20	18	16	24	25	32	23	8	34	22	11		
	BG	-4	05-02	22	43	04-07	39	41	43	42	37	35	34	33	31	30	29	26		
	CZ	14	08-02	30	41	04-07	30	37	41	34	30	28	29	33	32	31	32	36		
	DK	8	11-01	28	44	01-04	35	38	32	29	32	36	37	37	31	26	33	28		
	DE	-25	01-03	20	43	09-98	19	21	25	24	20	18	22	16	13	11	10	11		
	EE	-17	01-08	19	49	01-06	12	12	12	3	7	-1	-10	-2	-13	-16	-11	-17		
	IE	-24	10-03	9	46	08-98	0	14	8	1	16	0	6	18	15	5	-6	-8		
	EL	-9	04-03	32	71	06-01	29	34	33	36	38	28	32	41	32	33	32	29		
	ES	-4	01-08	21	56	06-98	14	9	6	6	6	4	9	0	0	-3	-3	-4		
	FR	-33	03-97	6	37	01-90	6	10	11	17	13	14	15	17	17	16	14	12		
	IT	-28	08-02	16	45	02-07	45	40	39	34	28	40	32	27	29	6	23	20		
	CY	-35	08-02	5	33	07-07	-8	13	16	19	28	33	29	16	15	4	4	3		
	LV	-4	02-02	11	21	01-07	18	20	18	15	16	14	15	13	14	11	11	4		
	LT	-2	07-02	21	45	07-06	42	32	22	24	21	23	26	24	11	13	8	3		
	HU	-20	10-07	-3	13	03-02	-9	-1	-1	-11	-14	-14	-11	-8	-20	-10	-13	-14		
	NL	-49	03-01	6	50	06-98	21	21	40	36	33	30	22	14	23	20	17	17		
	AT	-16	01-02	16	35	03-98	21	22	28	24	26	25	26	20	20	17	15	23		
	PL	-19	01-03	4	22	07-07	15	14	16	18	20	22	19	19	16	14	16	18		
PT	-34	05-03	4	26	06-01	9	12	12	9	9	9	7	11	5	17	16	15			
RO	-10	06-02	22	58	06-04	29	29	28	31	19	20	23	27	14	19	22	24			
SI	0	03-05	20	31	03-07	23	31	26	25	27	24	30	29	23	18	18	17			
SK	17	01-07	42	64	07-03	20	33	30	31	44	46	47	33	25	3					

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

	Since 01/1990						2007										2008	
	Min.		Ave.		Max.		Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
EVOLUTION OF DEMAND EXPECTED OVER THE NEXT 3 MONTHS	EU	3	12-02	24	38	06-98	24	28	26	27	23	25	25	22	23	19	19	15
	EA	-3	11-01	23	38	05-00	24	28	25	25	26	24	22	22	18	19	19	
	BE	-2	07-03	29	51	01-95	34	37	40	42	33	43	41	33	37	29	27	24
	BG	16	03-03	37	57	05-02	40	38	31	33	34	34	38	32	36	40	40	37
	CZ	22	01-04	33	48	01-07	46	41	33	33	32	31	30	27	27	28	30	35
	DK	16	09-01	31	41	12-04	37	33	34	30	34	22	30	31	34	30	31	25
Component of the services confidence indicator	DE	-16	11-01	28	59	09-00	17	21	20	25	23	23	20	14	19	17	17	18
	EE	5	06-04	18	33	12-05	11	22	10	9	16	15	18	12	15	6	13	5
	IE	-7	05-03	18	45	06-98	10	18	4	26	22	2	13	23	25	14	4	2
	EL	5	05-03	35	75	09-01	30	35	28	25	25	20	21	30	34	33	36	39
	ES	10	01-08	35	59	06-98	24	25	24	20	23	24	26	20	21	16	19	10
	FR	-18	09-93	6	32	03-01	13	16	12	13	13	15	15	14	14	12	9	13
	IT	-6	09-00	28	57	06-01	42	50	44	39	38	45	25	40	28	22	29	30
	CY	0	06-03	20	49	03-07	34	49	43	21	40	34	46	23	32	21	15	33
	LV	8	11-02	17	26	08-07	19	20	20	23	23	24	26	24	23	25	21	19
	LT	-9	10-02	16	30	02-03	22	13	13	14	20	21	26	22	10	28	23	29
	HU	-16	02-07	1	17	02-02	-16	-7	-8	-10	-5	-9	-3	4	-8	-8	-3	-9
	NL	-4	01-96	28	54	07-00	44	46	35	35	29	27	40	32	30	27	29	32
	AT	-1	10-01	18	34	06-98	20	22	20	20	22	24	20	19	20	17	16	15
	PL	-12	03-03	11	32	01-08	24	24	25	27	29	30	24	26	25	28	27	32
	PT	-16	09-03	14	40	06-01	10	8	18	11	13	19	14	18	23	20	9	8
	RO	-3	02-03	25	54	06-04	31	23	25	20	12	16	21	18	34	34	27	43
	SI	18	01-07	26	34	01-08	23	25	26	20	31	31	27	26	27	24	25	34
	SK	30	12-07	49	64	06-03	41	45	51	50	52	56	48	37	32	32	30	37
	FI	-12	10-96	34	73	06-07	49	55	59	57	73	41	32	20	34	21	16	20
	SE	-4	01-03	26	66	02-01	33	34	38	42	42	49	44	39	43	39	29	34
	UK	-14	03-03	26	57	10-97	21	29	27	29	13	19	25	17	23	18	11	-7
EVOLUTION OF EMPLOYMENT OVER THE PAST 3 MONTHS	EU	-10	03-03	10	25	08-98	11	15	11	15	11	14	13	10	11	13	12	11
	EA	-7	03-03	11	27	01-99	12	14	9	12	11	11	11	7	9	8	9	8
	BE	-14	08-02	9	30	08-98	15	11	3	7	9	19	13	20	12	21	15	10
	BG	-30	08-02	-9	19	08-07	4	8	12	8	5	3	19	10	5	5	2	0
	CZ	-29	11-04	-9	19	11-02	-24	1	1	3	2	6	6	-10	-18	9	-5	3
	DK	-2	04-03	12	24	12-06	22	20	19	16	16	19	15	17	20	17	19	12
	DE	-20	12-02	15	44	03-99	16	18	19	19	20	15	19	14	16	15	15	15
	EE	-6	11-07	9	17	03-07	8	17	14	9	9	9	3	3	-5	-6	4	-1
	IE	-36	05-05	1	25	02-98	-5	1	-6	7	-10	-14	6	0	-3	-5	-8	-6
	EL	-42	06-01	7	45	06-00	6	11	14	7	5	3	9	12	15	11	11	15
	ES	2	01-08	17	45	08-98	12	12	12	10	13	10	7	8	8	9	8	2
	FR	-27	06-93	5	23	12-90	8	11	13	16	12	14	11	8	6	7	12	7
	IT	-13	05-03	6	25	04-06	9	15	-11	-3	-1	2	6	-8	-3	-6	-3	3
	CY	-23	06-02	-2	13	08-07	4	4	-1	4	10	8	13	1	-2	8	-3	-3
	LV	-1	09-02	6	13	09-06	10	11	6	9	7	7	8	5	6	3	6	2
	LT	-29	11-03	0	41	04-07	35	30	41	27	14	21	11	13	5	24	9	17
	HU	-16	10-07	-7	2	03-02	-11	-7	-10	-10	-7	-10	-14	-5	-16	-12	-10	-12
	NL	-8	05-03	16	66	06-98	23	18	15	15	8	15	13	14	16	17	14	8
	AT	-7	08-02	6	18	07-98	13	13	13	12	13	11	10	15	14	13	14	15
	PL	-14	02-04	-1	16	01-08	10	9	7	8	10	10	9	11	9	10	9	16
	PT	-34	05-03	-3	28	07-98	-2	-11	-9	-9	-7	-4	-2	-4	-2	-1	-8	-11
	RO	-30	01-03	1	22	12-04	6	8	6	15	10	10	7	8	7	4	9	10
	SI	-10	12-03	8	25	10-06	18	19	15	14	13	11	12	11	8	2	6	9
	SK	-67	12-04	-36	3	07-02	-19	-33	-12	-27	-31	-31	-35	-23	-9	-12	-13	-16
	FI	-26	04-97	26	91	11-97	4	23	1	9	13	10	2	3	5	11	8	10
	SE	-40	04-03	6	42	01-01	23	18	18	17	18	19	24	26	18	23	19	20
	UK	-22	04-03	10	30	11-07	7	20	17	30	11	27	21	20	23	30	23	19
EVOLUTION OF EMPLOYMENT EXPECTED OVER THE NEXT 3 MONTHS	EU	-5	04-03	11	26	06-98	16	15	14	18	14	17	18	13	16	18	15	12
	EA	-3	05-03	10	26	04-00	13	13	10	15	14	14	17	13	15	14	13	12
	BE	-11	04-03	18	39	10-07	34	34	37	34	32	30	35	29	39	31	29	27
	BG	-29	05-02	-5	26	08-07	4	0	4	8	13	14	26	23	9	2	15	19
	CZ	-30	12-02	-13	18	01-08	7	16	5	5	10	8	13	11	10	13	8	18
	DK	4	02-03	14	24	04-06	22	19	19	19	20	17	21	19	22	17	20	15
	DE	-11	05-03	3	17	08-07	15	15	13	16	17	13	17	12	13	16	13	13
	EE	6	01-08	16	27	03-05	21	17	15	15	26	18	23	20	16	15	18	6
	IE	-13	11-04	7	31	04-98	8	3	8	3	3	1	4	5	1	-2	-2	-5
	EL	-33	12-00	11	47	05-99	10	11	10	6	8	4	11	32	17	21	20	26
	ES	3	05-01	17	41	04-00	11	7	10	12	9	12	10	12	13	11	11	8
	FR	-31	06-97	2	21	06-98	10	11	10	15	11	10	9	9	13	9	10	10
	IT	-10	06-05	11	34	06-00	15	7	-1	13	13	19	18	8	13	16	10	10
	CY	-5	07-05	4	18	05-02	8	12	8	15	11	9	9	9	-3	2	-1	3
	LV	-1	05-02	10	18	08-07	15	16	15	17	17	17	18	14	15	15	14	15
	LT	-49	05-02	3	34	01-07	33	26	29	15	26	22	23	26	16	33	15	20
	HU	-13	09-06	-4	6	05-04	-7	-1	-1	-10	-5	-5	-3	0	-9	-8	-8	-5
	NL	-4	03-05	19	40	01-99	28	33	21	27	21	25	28	27	23	21	25	22
	AT	-6	01-04	9	27	09-98	11	10	10	13	14	14	15	15	17	12	18	14
	PL	-12	02-04	1	24	01-08	15	16	14	16	17	17	14	15	15	18	15	24
																		

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

	Since 01/1990						2007										2008	
	Min.		Ave.		Max.		Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
CONSUMER CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EU	-27	03-93	-10	2	08-00	-5	-4	-4	-2	-2	-2	-3	-5	-5	-7	-7	-10
	EA	-29	07-93	-11	2	04-00	-5	-5	-4	-2	-2	-2	-4	-6	-6	-8	-9	-12
	BE	-27	08-93	-5	17	12-00	-1	0	1	3	1	1	-1	-1	0	-6	-3	-7
	BG	-39	08-03	-29	-14	08-01	-24	-24	-21	-22	-21	-25	-30	-31	-31	-30	-30	-29
	CZ	-36	03-98	-13	5	10-06	5	4	0	-4	-3	-3	-2	-1	-2	-9	-13	-11
	DK	-11	10-90	8	19	11-06	18	19	16	16	16	17	14	13	14	13	10	4
	DE	-28	10-93	-10	9	05-07	2	4	7	9	8	9	6	3	4	3	2	-1
	EE	-56	04-93	-19	13	04-06	13	9	11	6	7	3	-2	-3	-8	-8	-8	-13
	IE	-31	03-93	-5	19	01-00	-6	-11	-19	-5	-7	-12	-10	-6	-12	-18	-22	-23
	EL	-44	07-03	-30	-6	04-00	-30	-29	-32	-28	-28	-29	-30	-26	-22	-29	-29	-40
	ES	-37	10-92	-11	6	03-00	-10	-10	-12	-13	-13	-11	-12	-14	-16	-17	-19	-20
	FR	-34	08-93	-17	4	01-01	-8	-9	-7	2	0	-1	-3	-5	-7	-11	-10	-15
	IT	-38	04-93	-14	2	06-01	-15	-13	-19	-18	-19	-19	-20	-19	-21	-22	-22	-22
	CY	-42	07-04	-30	-13	06-01	-30	-32	-31	-33	-31	-25	-28	-31	-36	-36	-32	-29
	LV	-45	02-93	-22	0	09-06	-6	-5	-6	-7	-4	-5	-8	-9	-10	-15	-14	-18
	LT	-32	05-01	-8	9	05-07	7	9	9	9	9	7	7	4	-1	-5	-4	-5
	LU	-8	05-06	3	14	02-02	3	5	7	11	8	9	8	5	9	6	4	5
	HU	-58	04-95	-30	0	08-02	-51	-49	-50	-49	-46	-45	-45	-47	-49	-51	-45	-45
	MT	-36	04-06	-23	-2	01-03	-27	-29	-21	-19	-17	-17	-14	-15	-15	-9	-9	-7
	NL	-19	07-93	5	31	03-00	17	18	17	16	21	21	19	10	11	11	8	6
AT	-16	04-96	0	17	06-07	13	11	14	15	17	16	17	14	11	12	8	4	
PL	-40	08-01	-23	-1	12-07	-7	-9	-4	-5	-4	-2	-5	-4	-5	-2	-1	-3	
PT	-49	03-03	-24	-1	07-91	-32	-35	-34	-32	-33	-33	-35	-37	-38	-37	-40	-42	
RO	-33	07-02	-22	-10	07-07	-17	-14	-14	-15	-15	-10	-11	-11	-13	-15	-13	-20	
SI	-29	06-99	-18	-4	07-07	-7	-6	-9	-6	-8	-4	-7	-13	-17	-17	-14	-22	
SK	-50	08-99	-24	7	12-06	4	1	4	0	0	2	1	-1	-6	-8	-5	-4	
FI	6	11-01	15	23	02-00	16	17	20	19	21	21	21	20	20	16	15	14	
SE	-10	09-96	9	25	03-00	20	19	24	23	21	21	20	18	18	18	16	13	
UK	-28	10-92	-8	7	10-97	-6	-5	-7	-3	-3	-3	-2	-3	-2	-4	-5	-7	
FINANCIAL SITUATION OF HOUSEHOLDS OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	EU	-10	12-93	-1	5	04-01	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	0	1	-1	-2	-3
	EA	-11	07-93	-2	5	03-00	-3	-1	-2	-1	-1	-1	-2	-3	-4	-4	-5	-7
	BE	-9	12-93	2	13	08-00	4	5	5	5	4	4	3	4	2	-1	0	-2
	BG	-25	11-07	-14	3	07-01	-14	-14	-9	-11	-10	-12	-24	-23	-24	-25	-21	-24
	CZ	-32	02-98	-9	5	12-06	3	2	-7	-5	-4	-7	-2	-10	-12	-21	-28	-23
	DK	2	12-90	13	39	10-00	16	17	16	15	16	18	19	17	18	15	15	14
	DE	-15	02-94	-5	4	05-00	-4	-1	0	1	1	1	-1	-2	-3	-2	-2	-4
	EE	-38	04-93	-7	17	04-06	17	16	16	17	13	9	3	4	-2	0	0	-6
	IE	-13	02-93	1	16	01-00	-4	-7	-12	-2	-3	-4	-7	-4	-3	-11	-12	-13
	EL	-31	08-92	-16	10	04-00	-17	-13	-19	-16	-16	-15	-17	-10	-10	-16	-15	-25
	ES	-16	10-92	0	10	10-99	-3	0	-3	-4	-3	-2	-2	-5	-6	-7	-10	-8
	FR	-12	12-95	-1	6	01-01	-1	-1	-1	4	3	1	0	-2	-2	-4	-5	-8
	IT	-15	04-93	-1	7	07-01	-4	-3	-6	-6	-6	-6	-6	-7	-6	-7	-8	-8
	CY	-36	06-04	-18	0	06-01	-17	-20	-17	-18	-15	-10	-18	-21	-27	-29	-22	-20
	LV	-29	09-93	-5	16	09-06	10	8	8	9	10	8	8	5	-1	-2	-1	-6
	LT	-10	10-01	2	13	03-07	11	13	11	12	10	12	11	9	3	-1	1	1
	LU	-6	05-06	4	12	06-02	1	0	2	5	4	5	2	-2	4	-1	-1	-1
	HU	-63	04-95	-23	16	08-02	-48	-44	-43	-40	-34	-35	-34	-37	-41	-40	-33	-35
	MT	-35	07-06	-21	2	01-03	-24	-25	-20	-17	-18	-14	-14	-14	-16	-11	-8	-9
	NL	-11	12-04	3	16	12-99	2	3	3	4	6	6	6	1	3	3	1	2
AT	-18	04-96	-4	4	04-99	3	1	1	1	2	0	2	-1	-3	-2	-5	-8	
PL	-20	08-01	-7	5	12-07	3	-2	3	2	0	4	1	3	3	5	5	3	
PT	-26	03-03	-9	11	01-92	-16	-17	-17	-15	-16	-14	-16	-16	-17	-19	-22	-25	
RO	-14	07-02	-1	10	12-07	2	5	5	4	7	10	7	9	8	8	10	-1	
SI	-34	01-08	-12	-2	11-96	-11	-8	-14	-7	-8	-7	-5	-18	-27	-20	-20	-34	
SK	-44	08-99	-19	10	12-06	7	3	4	3	1	3	-1	-1	-4	-8	-3	-4	
FI	-8	04-93	7	13	10-04	12	11	12	11	12	12	12	11	12	12	10	9	
SE	-13	09-96	9	18	07-02	13	13	16	12	14	14	13	12	15	13	13	12	
UK	-23	03-90	3	16	09-02	10	10	9	11	11	11	11	12	13	9	9	7	
GENERAL ECONOMIC SITUATION OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	EU	-31	03-93	-11	1	01-00	-7	-6	-6	-1	-2	-5	-8	-8	-11	-13	-17	
	EA	-35	03-93	-12	4	04-00	-5	-4	-3	2	1	1	-3	-7	-6	-11	-12	-17
	BE	-46	07-93	-10	20	06-00	-2	-3	4	3	2	2	-7	-7	-7	-20	-15	-19
	BG	-28	04-06	-12	16	07-01	-11	-12	-7	-10	-8	-12	-20	-24	-22	-20	-23	-22
	CZ	-40	09-97	-10	8	11-05	1	3	-7	-8	-6	-8	-5	-7	-2	-13	-15	-12
	DK	-23	02-99	-1	23	07-01	5	5	4	4	5	4	1	1	1	5	-2	-14
	DE	-41	03-93	-14	15	05-07	4	7	10	15	14	14	10	6	7	4	1	-2
	EE	-38	04-93	-1	27	12-06	24	21	21	9	14	10	3	1	-11	-11	-5	-14
	IE	-37	01-08	-4	22	01-00	-17	-20	-31	-19	-14	-23	-18	-15	-24	-32	-35	-37
	EL	-39	01-08	-17	17	01-00	-24	-21	-27	-24	-22	-22	-26	-18	-18	-24	-24	-39
	ES	-38	10-92	-6	11	08-97	-10	-8	-12	-10	-9	-9	-10	-14	-16	-16	-19	-20
	FR	-37	01-91	-17	6	05-07	-10	-10	-7	6	4	3	-3	-10	-9	-17	-14	-25
	IT	-40	04-93	-9	13	02-95	-11	-8	-12	-13	-14	-15	-15	-17	-16	-20	-22	-24
	CY	-45	06-04	-23	-6	05-01	-20	-24	-20	-28	-24	-17	-21	-28	-29	-31	-22	-18
	LV	-27	06-95	-5	17	09-06	10	8	4	0	9	4	3	-5	-11	-12	-12	-16
	LT	-18	05-01	4	18	06-07	17	16	14	15	18	14	17	8	-2	-6	-3	-7
	LU	-28	09-05	-7	6	02-02	-5	2	3	6	3	2	-1	-7	3	-4	-4	-8
	HU	-53	04-95	-16	19	08-02	-39	-37	-35	-35	-30	-33	-33	-37	-39	-41	-35	-34
	MT	-31	05-05	-17	10	11-02	-18	-21	-10	-11	-7	-7	-7	-10	-9	-2	-2	1
	NL	-42	03-93	-7	26	03-00	14	10	11	10	15	12	9	-9	-6	-9	-8	-15
AT	-26	04-96	-4	17	07-07	12	10	12	15	17	17	17	15	10	9	3	-7	
PL	-35	08-01	-14	13	12-07	-1	-1	4	5	3	6	-2	3	4	11	13	9	
PT	-52	03-03	-18	12	01-92	-26	-30	-26	-22	-22	-23	-26	-29	-29	-30	-34	-39	
RO	-14	01-06	-2	12	01-05	2	2	3	2	3	8	6	4	2	0	1	-9	
SI	-22	11-05	-8	7	10-04	-1	0	-3	0	-2	5	2	-7	-10	-10	-6	-19	
SK	-51	09-99	-23	15	12-06	14	11	15	6	9	9	7	7	-1	-5	-6	-5	
FI	-24	04-91	5	28	01-95	0	1	3	4	6	3	2	-2	-3	-7	-9	-10	
SE	-30	09-96	1	20	03-00	6	2	9	9	6	4	1	-3	1	-2	-5	-11	
UK	-33	03-90	-10	14	06-97	-20	-19	-19	-13	-12	-14	-13	-15	-15	-18	-22	-23	

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

		Since 01/1990						2007										2008	
		Min.		Ave.		Max.		Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
SAVINGS OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	EU	-16	08-93	-5	3	04-01	-3	-2	-4	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-4	-4	-4	-5	
	EA	-14	08-93	-6	3	03-01	-8	-8	-9	-6	-7	-7	-8	-7	-10	-11	-10	-11	
	Component of the consumer confidence indicator	BE	-2	12-93	13	31	06-98	10	11	5	14	10	8	9	8	8	3	3	0
		BG	-81	03-02	-72	-60	06-07	-65	-64	-62	-64	-60	-65	-67	-67	-66	-65	-65	-64
		CZ	-16	03-98	-2	19	04-07	16	12	19	6	4	7	3	12	4	2	-4	-8
		DK	-32	01-90	24	40	12-06	37	39	32	36	35	35	32	29	26	25	27	21
		DE	-5	03-03	7	23	08-90	2	1	5	7	4	4	4	4	0	2	5	0
		EE	-69	10-93	-44	-4	05-06	-9	-15	-8	-10	-11	-16	-17	-16	-20	-17	-17	-20
		IE	-32	03-93	2	31	09-07	20	16	11	22	17	14	21	31	17	15	11	10
		EL	-57	07-95	-44	-23	01-00	-44	-44	-41	-39	-41	-39	-42	-43	-34	-40	-38	-52
		ES	-34	01-90	-20	0	07-00	-24	-24	-22	-26	-25	-23	-25	-22	-28	-30	-32	-30
		FR	-36	03-96	-21	-6	05-07	-12	-13	-14	-6	-8	-8	-8	-7	-8	-13	-13	-14
		IT	-41	10-07	-18	2	03-91	-28	-27	-39	-34	-36	-36	-40	-36	-41	-39	-37	-34
		CY	-59	06-06	-42	-12	06-01	-34	-40	-43	-47	-44	-39	-37	-41	-47	-44	-42	-39
		LV	-90	03-96	-54	13	01-94	-44	-41	-43	-39	-39	-42	-46	-43	-31	-46	-45	-46
		LT	-55	11-01	-41	-21	05-07	-27	-23	-21	-21	-24	-29	-30	-28	-31	-36	-33	-35
		LU	38	12-07	47	58	10-05	45	42	45	51	47	47	49	49	49	45	38	46
		HU	-70	11-95	-54	-19	01-00	-62	-60	-64	-63	-64	-61	-62	-61	-65	-68	-62	-63
		MT	-57	04-06	-39	-15	01-03	-52	-49	-42	-42	-35	-37	-33	-35	-37	-32	-31	-28
		NL	17	09-05	37	55	10-99	26	32	32	32	37	35	40	37	32	36	28	28
AT		-11	11-00	32	55	03-02	36	33	41	37	40	37	38	38	35	37	32	34	
PL		-66	09-03	-48	-21	09-01	-37	-45	-39	-44	-36	-39	-38	-38	-40	-36	-37	-35	
PT	-60	10-07	-36	-14	01-92	-51	-49	-51	-52	-50	-53	-55	-56	-60	-60	-60	-59		
RO	-63	12-03	-53	-45	09-07	-51	-52	-49	-50	-52	-48	-45	-45	-46	-49	-45	-50		
SI	-52	06-99	-26	-6	05-07	-12	-8	-12	-6	-14	-8	-15	-16	-19	-23	-23	-29		
SK	-70	08-01	-38	-17	12-06	-22	-20	-18	-21	-25	-19	-20	-22	-25	-27	-22	-19		
FI	19	01-96	41	56	09-07	54	53	53	51	54	53	55	56	55	55	54	55		
SE	11	06-98	31	46	06-00	35	38	42	41	36	41	41	42	36	40	43	44		
UK	-26	10-92	-2	23	04-06	17	21	13	15	18	19	19	17	20	19	19	16		
UNEMPLOYMENT OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	EU	56	03-93	24	-1	12-00	9	10	8	5	6	5	7	8	8	10	10	14	
	EA	60	08-93	25	-3	01-01	5	5	3	1	2	1	3	6	5	7	8	11	
	Component of the consumer confidence indicator	BE	63	10-93	27	-19	12-00	15	14	9	10	12	11	10	10	4	7	-1	6
		BG	31	03-02	17	2	07-01	7	8	5	3	7	9	10	11	12	10	9	6
		CZ	64	03-99	30	-3	09-07	2	0	6	10	6	5	3	-3	-3	3	4	1
		DK	38	12-92	5	-19	11-97	-16	-13	-12	-7	-9	-10	-4	-5	-8	-7	1	6
		DE	58	10-93	27	-16	07-07	-7	-9	-12	-15	-14	-16	-10	-4	-10	-10	-5	-1
		EE	80	04-93	27	-25	12-06	-19	-14	-13	-7	-12	-8	-5	0	-2	4	8	10
		IE	58	04-92	16	-29	12-99	24	31	44	21	29	36	36	34	40	45	52	52
		EL	62	12-98	43	24	04-90	36	38	40	34	34	38	36	31	25	36	37	42
		ES	67	01-93	17	-8	03-00	5	9	10	11	12	11	10	16	13	15	16	22
		FR	64	03-03	29	-14	01-01	10	12	5	-3	-3	-1	1	2	9	11	7	12
		IT	70	04-93	26	-2	06-01	16	16	18	18	21	18	20	17	20	20	21	20
		CY	52	09-05	39	26	05-01	47	44	44	38	41	35	36	34	40	38	42	38
		LV	54	01-93	22	-10	10-06	-2	-4	-7	-3	-6	-9	-5	-6	-3	-1	-1	3
		LT	46	05-01	-3	-32	05-07	-29	-29	-30	-32	-31	-31	-29	-25	-24	-20	-20	-21
		LU	45	06-03	32	14	02-02	28	26	23	17	21	17	20	21	21	16	16	19
		HU	59	02-93	30	-3	07-98	58	57	57	58	56	52	51	52	52	55	50	50
		MT	36	01-04	16	-9	01-08	13	20	10	6	7	10	3	1	0	-9	-6	-9
		NL	77	03-93	14	-35	07-98	-25	-26	-22	-18	-26	-30	-20	-11	-14	-14	-12	-9
AT		49	12-96	23	-10	08-07	-1	1	-3	-7	-8	-9	-10	-6	-4	-4	-3	4	
PL		63	05-01	23	-21	07-07	-7	-13	-17	-16	-16	-21	-17	-17	-15	-13	-14	-12	
PT	73	10-93	34	-10	08-97	35	44	40	38	44	43	44	47	45	42	45	46		
RO	51	01-02	34	11	07-07	18	12	15	15	17	11	14	13	15	19	17	20		
SI	44	09-05	24	5	02-07	5	8	10	10	10	7	9	10	12	13	9	8		
SK	68	08-99	17	-18	01-07	-17	-11	-16	-11	-17	-14	-15	-11	-8	-7	-12	-12		
FI	42	07-91	-2	-31	01-95	0	-4	-12	-9	-14	-15	-14	-16	-15	-6	-5	-3		
SE	39	11-01	4	-29	05-07	-25	-24	-27	-29	-27	-26	-24	-21	-22	-20	-12	-7		
UK	53	02-91	22	-11	04-98	32	33	30	26	28	27	26	25	26	27	27	29		
FINANCIAL SITUATION OF HOUSEHOLDS OVER LAST 12 MONTHS	EU	-20	01-94	-10	-2	03-01	-7	-7	-7	-6	-6	-6	-7	-7	-8	-9	-10	-11	
	EA	-20	02-03	-11	-1	05-90	-11	-10	-11	-9	-9	-9	-10	-10	-12	-13	-15	-15	
	BE	-16	12-93	-5	4	11-00	-2	-4	-4	-3	-4	-4	-3	-4	-5	-9	-11	-13	
	BG	-40	08-03	-30	-18	04-07	-22	-23	-18	-22	-21	-23	-32	-32	-35	-35	-30	-33	
	CZ	-30	02-98	-13	-2	04-07	-3	-3	-2	-6	-4	-4	-3	-4	-6	-11	-10	-14	
	DK	-5	04-01	7	16	02-05	15	14	13	12	13	14	13	12	12	8	8	4	
	DE	-31	12-02	-11	4	05-90	-7	-6	-5	-5	-4	-3	-5	-5	-7	-9	-8	-8	
	EE	-54	04-93	-13	18	03-07	18	18	16	17	14	12	9	10	3	5	1	0	
	IE	-25	02-93	-7	11	04-00	-7	-6	-12	-6	-6	-8	-9	-6	-5	-14	-13	-13	
	EL	-43	01-93	-27	-6	04-00	-22	-22	-27	-25	-23	-22	-25	-21	-20	-24	-24	-29	
	ES	-28	01-94	-9	4	04-00	-10	-9	-10	-11	-9	-7	-10	-10	-12	-15	-20	-16	
	FR	-18	06-96	-10	-2	01-01	-12	-11	-11	-9	-8	-8	-8	-8	-10	-12	-14	-17	
	IT	-30	02-04	-15	-1	05-90	-19	-19	-22	-19	-23	-21	-21	-23	-25	-23	-25	-26	
	CY	-36	10-05	-21	-4	07-03	-21	-22	-20	-22	-19	-14	-20	-25	-28	-29	-26	-21	
	LV	-57	01-93	-18	9	09-06	8	6	4	6	9	5	2	3	-4	-8	-6	-13	
	LT	-30	06-01	-7	15	03-07	9	15	12	13	11	12	10	8	3	0	0	-2	
	LU	-7	12-07	0	8	01-02	-4	-5	-4	3	-1	-1	1	-1	-1	-5	-7	-4	
	HU	-65	11-95	-36	0	08-02	-45	-45	-48	-49	-47	-47	-47	-46	-49	-52	-44	-48	
	MT	-41	05-05	-29	-12	01-03	-32	-34	-25	-23	-23	-20	-20	-23	-19	-17	-18		
	NL	-25	03-05	-1	17	02-00	-5	-3	0	0	2	-1	3	1	-2	-2	-6	-5	
AT	-23	11-02	-13	-2</															

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	Min.		Ave.		Max.		Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date													
GENERAL	EU	-55	03-93	-26	-5	05-00	-16	-15	-15	-11	-11	-11	-11	-14	-15	-18	-21	-25	
ECONOMIC	EA	-58	07-93	-28	-3	05-00	-14	-13	-13	-9	-9	-8	-9	-13	-14	-18	-21	-25	
SITUATION	BE	-61	08-93	-24	22	12-00	-8	-8	0	-3	-3	-4	-8	-11	-10	-26	-30	-40	
OVER LAST	BG	-42	08-03	-28	-9	08-01	-24	-23	-18	-23	-22	-23	-32	-37	-39	-40	-41	-38	
12 MONTHS	CZ	-54	12-97	-18	4	06-06	-2	-2	-5	-10	-9	-9	-6	-7	-4	-13	-17	-16	
	DK	-25	04-93	3	26	03-06	23	23	19	16	18	17	10	12	9	13	9	1	
	DE	-60	05-03	-24	21	06-07	10	14	17	20	21	21	19	16	15	14	10	9	
	EE	-72	10-92	-7	33	01-07	33	30	28	26	24	21	15	8	-3	-1	-4	-8	
	IE	-59	03-93	-5	42	08-99	-8	-13	-29	-13	-9	-18	-14	-17	-24	-29	-34	-39	
	EL	-50	05-90	-31	6	05-00	-29	-29	-34	-34	-28	-32	-33	-28	-25	-35	-35	-43	
	ES	-61	08-93	-17	13	03-00	-19	-17	-22	-19	-19	-16	-19	-22	-23	-26	-30	-30	
	FR	-57	10-96	-36	-1	01-01	-36	-36	-37	-30	-26	-23	-26	-29	-32	-38	-40	-45	
	IT	-74	04-93	-39	-8	05-90	-32	-32	-34	-32	-38	-39	-38	-42	-42	-43	-46	-56	
	CY	-41	07-04	-24	-13	01-02	-16	-20	-16	-23	-19	-13	-16	-23	-25	-27	-20	-15	
	LV	-59	01-93	-22	6	09-06	1	-2	-5	-7	1	-5	-7	-11	-29	-26	-22	-29	
	LT	-41	05-01	-4	21	06-07	17	18	17	20	21	19	19	15	4	-5	-5	-7	
	LU	-35	06-03	-20	-4	01-02	-14	-8	-5	-5	-4	-6	-6	-9	-5	-8	-12	-14	
	HU	-71	04-95	-33	6	09-02	-52	-51	-50	-52	-50	-52	-50	-54	-54	-57	-51	-51	
	MT	-45	05-05	-26	-1	02-03	-25	-28	-17	-16	-14	-14	-14	-14	-15	-8	-8	-4	
	NL	-73	03-03	-11	45	03-00	14	14	15	19	22	18	20	8	4	-1	0	-2	
	AT	-50	02-97	-19	22	08-07	10	7	13	13	16	20	22	19	13	14	10	6	
	PL	-55	09-01	-27	9	12-07	-4	0	2	5	4	5	2	7	4	9	9	9	
	PT	-60	03-03	-27	13	10-91	-34	-37	-37	-35	-38	-40	-41	-45	-44	-45	-48	-50	
	RO	-30	07-02	-16	-3	07-07	-9	-9	-9	-8	-9	-3	-4	-9	-10	-10	-9	-18	
	SI	-39	09-98	-26	-5	12-06	-9	-10	-9	-10	-10	-6	-13	-14	-19	-23	-22	-28	
	SK	-69	10-99	-31	17	04-07	12	13	17	8	13	15	10	9	4	-2	-2	0	
	FI	-65	01-92	-3	30	08-98	8	8	9	8	13	13	12	7	8	6	0	-2	
	SE	-25	04-03	-3	25	03-00	11	11	15	15	18	17	16	13	13	13	7	0	
	UK	-67	11-92	-25	5	10-97	-32	-31	-30	-22	-26	-27	-22	-24	-27	-28	-32	-34	
SAVINGS	EU	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
AT PRESENT ^(b)	EA	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
	BE	-45	12-03	35	70	02-01	-18	-24	-25	-11	-9	-7	-5	-10	-12	-19	-24	-33	
	BG	-77	07-03	-67	-54	06-07	-59	-60	-57	-57	-54	-58	-63	-61	-66	-64	-62	-59	
	CZ	-35	01-03	-13	15	03-01	3	3	4	1	2	-3	3	-4	-2	-1	-11	-12	
	DK	51	01-90	66	82	08-07	79	80	78	80	78	82	82	76	78	75	77	82	
	DE	29	11-92	45	61	09-02	48	47	45	51	49	50	49	50	49	50	50	51	
	EE	-58	09-96	-33	-2	02-07	-2	-8	-5	-2	-5	-9	-7	-13	-14	-12	-14	-20	
	IE	-2	03-93	23	56	12-01	34	38	27	44	36	37	45	30	42	38	31	32	
	EL	-70	10-05	-48	-18	01-00	-61	-60	-58	-57	-60	-58	-60	-60	-55	-60	-59	-63	
	ES	-38	01-08	21	59	08-96	-29	-27	-23	-29	-27	-23	-29	-25	-30	-31	-37	-38	
	FR	2	12-05	39	61	06-95	24	21	21	24	24	26	27	27	24	20	21	22	
	IT	26	06-04	47	70	06-07	52	57	62	69	70	65	64	65	66	68	65	59	
	CY	-36	07-04	-14	10	06-01	-9	-18	-6	-14	-8	-5	-4	-5	-11	-9	-1	-11	
	LV	-78	12-95	-56	-27	09-01	-50	-51	-49	-45	-47	-50	-51	-49	-45	-55	-53	-54	
	LT	-49	10-05	-39	-27	05-02	-32	-31	-27	-33	-30	-35	-32	-33	-39	-40	-41	-43	
	LU	45	04-03	56	69	08-07	65	63	61	66	63	62	69	68	63	68	64	66	
	HU	-83	11-95	-64	-28	12-00	-66	-66	-68	-67	-67	-67	-65	-66	-69	-70	-67	-68	
	MT	-56	08-05	-43	-24	01-03	-55	-53	-44	-46	-43	-44	-38	-39	-40	-43	-37	-34	
	NL	47	06-91	61	70	09-96	62	64	63	68	66	67	69	64	67	62	62	67	
	AT	17	12-96	45	65	11-07	60	60	61	60	61	63	63	61	62	65	61	64	
	PL	-49	09-01	-32	-12	07-07	-15	-17	-16	-20	-17	-12	-14	-15	-15	-14	-15	-18	
	PT	-74	12-07	-43	-13	01-92	-59	-59	-59	-60	-61	-62	-66	-68	-73	-73	-74	-73	
	RO	-62	06-02	-48	-24	06-01	-44	-48	-37	-43	-47	-40	-42	-41	-43	-48	-43	-46	
	SI	-25	09-97	-9	19	12-06	18	13	13	14	9	15	3	6	0	-2	-6	-6	
	SK	-55	10-04	-45	-29	06-07	-33	-36	-33	-36	-29	-32	-35	-36	-37	-39	-35	-36	
	FI	-23	04-94	6	37	11-07	32	32	30	33	32	35	37	35	34	37	36	34	
	SE	-9	09-01	7	26	08-07	20	18	19	19	22	26	26	21	21	23	22	22	
	UK	-16	03-03	14	41	08-07	32	32	28	31	32	39	41	37	37	34	35	29	
MAJOR	EU	-21	07-93	-15	-9	03-00	-17	-17	-15	-15	-16	-16	-16	-16	-18	-17	-17		
PURCHASES	EA	-21	07-93	-16	-12	03-00	-17	-17	-16	-16	-17	-16	-17	-17	-16	-18	-18		
OVER NEXT	BE	-29	10-96	-15	-6	10-03	-10	-10	-13	-11	-10	-11	-10	-11	-14	-11	-14		
12 MONTHS	BG	-47	04-03	-32	-15	01-08	-17	-22	-20	-22	-17	-19	-20	-19	-17	-20	-18	-15	
	CZ	-36	01-01	-21	0	05-07	-9	-11	-9	0	-8	-10	-3	-4	-3	-7	-11	-8	
	DK	-14	01-93	-6	4	03-06	-3	0	-2	1	3	1	-1	-1	-3	-3	-1	-4	
	DE	-39	02-03	-26	-14	01-90	-27	-28	-25	-24	-25	-24	-25	-24	-23	-27	-26	-26	
	EE	-64	10-92	-23	0	09-06	-4	-5	-9	-5	-8	-12	-12	-9	-12	-17	-15	-20	
	IE	-20	05-93	-9	2	12-00	-7	-17	-15	-8	-9	-14	-5	-12	-8	-10	-13	-15	
	EL	-60	10-05	-25	5	06-03	-44	-36	-35	-37	-42	-38	-46	-33	-32	-35	-36	-13	
	ES	-48	11-93	-24	-7	11-00	-25	-25	-23	-27	-25	-23	-26	-22	-26	-28	-30	-36	
	FR	-6	12-05	-1	1	09-99	-5	-4	-4	-4	-5	-4	-4	-4	-5	-4	-4	-6	
	IT	-23	10-92	-17	-8	12-06	-13	-14	-12	-11	-14	-14	-18	-16	-17	-17	-16	-14	
	CY	-5	04-06	12	40	03-03	7	14	12	19	14	17	17	25	26	22	15	15	
	LV	-84	03-96	-33	23	06-06	13	13	12	10	11	9	7	11	7	3	5	0	
	LT	-18	12-02	-4	13	01-08	10	9	6	7	6	6	11	12	11	11	11	13	
	LU	-23	11-07	-13	-6	01-02	-12	-14	-21	-11	-11	-17	-13	-8	-11	-23	-15	-15	
	HU	-69	06-95	-37	-8	08-02	-48	-48	-51	-48	-44	-45	-44	-48	-52	-51	-45	-48	
	MT	-22	02-07	-10	-1	12-07	-22	-12	-6	-9	-								

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

		Since 01/1990					2007											2008	
		Min.		Ave.	Max.		Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value													Date
MAJOR PURCHASES AT PRESENT	EU	-22	12-95	-10	6	01-00	-11	-11	-10	-10	-8	-10	-10	-11	-13	-16	-17	-19	
	EA	-29	03-03	-15	5	03-99	-16	-16	-16	-16	-13	-13	-15	-16	-18	-23	-23	-22	
	BE	-40	06-97	-1	26	09-07	18	25	21	20	21	21	19	26	20	14	13	13	
	BG	-65	06-02	-44	-17	10-06	-26	-24	-22	-22	-22	-22	-30	-30	-32	-31	-30	-23	
	CZ	-33	05-95	4	34	07-03	26	23	24	24	21	24	23	25	19	21	14	10	
	DK	-27	01-93	-7	10	09-97	-11	-13	-9	-9	-5	-9	-18	-11	-14	-11	-7	-20	
	DE	-31	11-02	-10	32	11-06	-6	-7	-4	-5	-2	-4	-7	-11	-14	-19	-15	-10	
	EE	0	04-01	19	49	05-06	38	40	36	41	39	33	37	38	30	30	21	28	
	IE	-22	04-92	14	40	09-97	10	7	-6	4	6	2	7	6	7	5	4	-3	
	EL	-68	10-05	-37	-10	01-01	-50	-44	-47	-48	-44	-46	-38	-42	-30	-41	-40	-37	
	ES	-64	06-93	-19	26	11-99	-31	-31	-35	-32	-34	-34	-35	-35	-35	-38	-39	-40	
	FR	-39	12-95	-14	14	07-00	-13	-12	-11	-10	-8	-5	-6	-8	-8	-18	-23	-26	
	IT	-64	11-96	-35	-2	05-90	-41	-41	-46	-47	-42	-41	-43	-42	-46	-46	-46	-43	
	CY	-20	10-01	1	24	11-04	7	0	-3	2	13	6	10	8	-3	-5	-2	-5	
	LV	-81	06-96	-33	22	12-06	19	16	14	15	16	13	10	11	5	-3	3	-8	
	LT	-11	05-01	26	50	02-06	34	34	35	35	38	37	37	35	36	30	28	30	
	LU	-18	06-04	-8	0	08-07	-1	-1	-3	-4	-10	-3	0	-7	-7	-11	-14	-6	
	HU	-87	06-96	-52	-7	03-06	-36	-37	-41	-38	-36	-40	-38	-39	-45	-43	-39	-45	
	MT	-13	07-05	9	36	09-03	1	2	14	13	11	7	14	20	15	19	21	17	
	NL	-39	04-03	5	54	02-00	7	9	12	12	17	16	14	12	6	5	7	7	
AT	-14	07-02	7	29	08-99	11	8	14	12	12	13	13	11	11	3	0	0		
PL	-27	11-01	-4	14	05-07	4	0	13	14	8	14	4	9	2	6	11	11		
PT	-71	01-08	-36	-2	01-92	-61	-60	-62	-63	-62	-61	-63	-66	-69	-67	-68	-71		
RO	-54	06-02	-27	5	06-01	-26	-21	-20	-20	-27	-24	-22	-24	-20	-27	-27	-25		
SI	-50	04-97	-18	18	08-06	-1	-7	-1	-7	-12	3	-2	-13	-16	-19	-27	-19		
SK	-25	02-04	-9	7	08-07	-1	-2	1	0	1	6	7	-1	4	1	-2	5		
FI	-27	04-90	17	39	08-03	24	23	21	20	17	18	18	16	14	15	21	24		
SE	2	11-95	19	36	08-05	20	20	24	23	23	24	19	21	18	20	17	17		
UK	-22	05-90	8	28	11-02	2	2	4	4	7	-4	3	-2	-2	-2	-7	-18		
PRICE TRENDS OVER NEXT 12 MONTHS	EU	7	06-03	23	49	09-90	20	19	18	18	20	20	27	27	26	29	29	31	
	EA	3	04-04	23	51	01-91	20	18	18	17	19	19	26	28	26	28	28	28	
	BE	-4	09-02	20	46	10-01	21	21	24	22	27	26	38	29	34	37	29	30	
	BG	-3	07-01	34	54	12-06	46	49	44	41	41	47	53	50	49	49	48	47	
	CZ	11	05-05	43	72	03-98	21	23	43	44	38	45	50	48	45	57	59	45	
	DK	-29	08-93	-9	28	08-02	6	-2	4	6	3	9	7	18	17	17	21	27	
	DE	5	12-04	32	58	03-91	30	25	22	21	19	17	36	34	32	30	27	31	
	EE	23	04-93	48	88	05-04	38	40	38	38	52	53	56	63	66	53	57	61	
	IE	6	01-94	23	42	10-00	38	38	35	18	20	23	14	9	14	28	32	27	
	EL	0	03-04	38	60	05-90	36	35	38	43	39	41	38	29	33	47	47	52	
	ES	-4	11-98	16	36	01-02	25	26	26	21	29	25	25	29	24	24	27	24	
	FR	-13	08-97	12	54	01-91	14	15	15	8	16	20	26	32	30	36	28	35	
	IT	-23	12-04	18	62	02-91	-4	-4	-6	1	4	4	7	17	11	13	19	11	
	CY	10	09-06	40	68	10-02	30	30	33	39	45	33	41	43	38	42	34	36	
	LV	16	03-00	36	70	03-04	56	52	51	56	56	56	62	67	48	65	60	59	
	LT	14	02-03	49	74	05-04	57	57	56	57	59	60	61	65	71	60	55	57	
	LU	2	06-03	19	44	08-07	26	26	25	24	30	26	44	36	34	36	37	37	
	HU	31	02-06	52	76	01-07	71	66	64	59	58	58	62	64	66	68	64	63	
	MT	5	09-03	25	49	05-06	31	35	32	34	34	34	32	33	32	26	27	25	
	NL	-28	12-02	24	60	01-91	27	24	28	28	31	24	33	45	43	44	42	47	
AT	-19	12-95	18	44	08-07	30	31	35	38	39	38	44	37	38	41	43	40		
PL	8	04-05	30	55	04-04	29	29	21	34	28	27	28	26	31	33	33	36		
PT	-9	08-97	33	56	03-03	34	33	28	27	28	30	31	34	37	41	43	48		
RO	30	02-07	50	63	01-08	30	36	33	32	34	37	49	43	52	51	51	63		
SI	16	01-05	41	62	04-00	27	25	31	26	16	25	32	39	33	30	24	43		
SK	7	01-07	46	78	11-02	16	20	17	24	22	29	31	39	43	54	52	55		
FI	-21	12-95	15	50	01-08	26	26	25	25	28	31	33	39	48	45	46	50		
SE	-14	03-05	15	47	10-07	26	33	29	29	33	44	40	44	47	40	44	44		
UK	5	03-05	25	57	09-90	16	16	16	16	17	19	21	20	21	22	24	28		
PRICE TRENDS OVER LAST 12 MONTHS	EU	-4	03-99	24	51	01-08	30	29	29	29	29	32	35	40	45	48	51		
	EA	-4	01-99	29	62	01-03	37	35	37	36	36	36	41	45	50	55	59	60	
	BE	-1	06-98	37	78	01-08	54	56	56	55	55	59	60	60	62	71	75	78	
	BG	6	06-01	43	79	12-07	53	56	54	58	55	61	73	76	78	78	79	79	
	CZ	-33	08-03	18	63	03-98	-17	-16	-12	-13	-9	-6	-2	-8	1	4	7	11	
	DK	-51	09-93	-24	16	01-08	-23	-22	-21	-19	-19	-19	-19	-17	-11	-8	1	16	
	DE	-3	03-99	32	74	08-02	35	34	35	36	34	33	47	50	57	62	65	64	
	EE	-1	04-03	36	84	01-08	45	48	52	45	52	57	57	59	71	69	77	84	
	IE	-3	07-97	30	66	12-02	39	39	45	35	32	35	28	25	27	36	42	40	
	EL	5	06-99	44	85	01-08	72	70	71	70	73	72	69	63	64	74	78	85	
	ES	-5	06-97	33	65	03-03	48	47	50	48	48	43	45	49	49	56	58	57	
	FR	-23	01-99	18	68	12-07	48	46	45	41	41	43	47	50	55	63	68	67	
	IT	0	05-97	36	70	11-03	25	22	27	28	31	31	30	37	44	45	48	54	
	CY	20	08-01	40	63	02-04	25	27	28	28	32	41	30	38	33	44	50	46	42
	LV	-31	09-96	31	78	12-07	65	64	60	62	63	60	69	71	71	78	78	77	
	LT	-17	10-03	21	65	01-08	45	44	48	47	44	45	47	52	59	58	59	65	
	LU	21	01-02	40	59	11-07	41	41	44	43	43	43	45	43	46	46	59	56	57
	HU	6	04-06	40	71	06-95	42	43	47	46	46	45	45	48	49	51	46	49	
	MT	15	06-04	41	67	06-06	41	44	35	40	45	40	42	47	53	46	51	41	
	NL	-3	04-90	27	89	12-02	19	15	15	15</									

TABLE 4b: Quarterly survey of consumers

Intention to buy a car within the next 12 months (s.a.)^{(a) (b)}

	Since 01/1990			2006			2007			2008			
	Min.	Ave.	Max.										
	Value	Date	Value	Date	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	
EU	-73	I-04	-58	-47	II-99	-69	-69	-70	-70	-70	-69	-70	-70
EA	-79	I-08	-60	-49	I-00	-74	-73	-74	-73	-74	-74	-74	-79
BE	-82	IV-06	-60	-45	II-95	-79	-80	-82	-77	-79	-76	-79	-81
BG	-93	I-02	-85	-77	I-08	-80	-82	-78	-77	-78	-78	-78	-77
CZ	-80	II-05	-72	-65	II-07	-76	-72	-68	-69	-65	-73	-70	-68
DK	-79	I-90	-65	-43	I-97	-62	-67	-62	-71	-69	-66	-69	-68
DE	-78	II-04	-46	-28	II-90	-70	-69	-70	-71	-73	-72	-74	-75
EE	-86	IV-04	-71	-53	II-03	-71	-70	-69	-70	-66	-74	-74	-77
IE	-72	I-08	-40	-21	IV-99	-31	-30	-38	-33	-69	-58	-61	-72
EL	-88	III-93	-66	-38	II-00	-69	-67	-71	-68	-66	-68	-59	-73
ES	-82	I-02	-69	-25	III-99	-77	-76	-78	-78	-77	-79	-78	-82
FR	-83	II-97	-77	-70	II-90	-77	-77	-79	-74	-73	-72	-73	-76
IT	-87	II-07	-65	-47	II-90	-83	-86	-87	-84	-87	-86	-84	-86
CY	-66	I-03	-54	-45	I-04	-57	-56	-59	-52	-51	-49	-48	-50
LV	-84	I-00	-65	-11	I-02	-50	-50	-50	-50	-52	-52	-40	-55
LT	-82	I-05	-74	-65	III-01	-76	-75	-75	-70	-73	-73	-72	-75
LU	-77	IV-05	-54	-24	III-02	-66	-63	-67	-69	-61	-61	-63	-64
HU	-87	II-04	-74	-33	I-00	-81	-83	-83	-84	-85	-84	-85	-85
MT	-89	II-05	-85	-75	I-03	-87	-86	-85	-88	-88	-87	-84	-84
NL	-59	IV-05	-45	-37	IV-99	-55	-48	-51	-53	-51	-51	-48	-51
AT	-67	I-08	-54	-40	III-00	-67	-61	-58	-62	-63	-62	-66	-67
PL	-77	III-03	-74	-67	II-07	-73	-72	-74	-73	-67	-70	-72	-68
PT	-95	III-07	-70	-56	III-98	-88	-90	-88	-91	-91	-95	-91	-92
RO	-82	IV-03	-73	-61	IV-07	-68	-70	-69	-62	-64	-67	-61	-68
SI	-77	I-04	-58	-44	I-01	-68	-64	-62	-67	-74	-68	-72	-69
SK	-85	II-04	-79	-74	IV-07	-81	-81	-80	-77	-78	-75	-74	-75
FI	-62	IV-04	-48	-31	IV-02	-58	-58	-61	-60	-59	-61	-62	-58
SE	-58	I-04	-42	-27	I-00	-54	-55	-51	-55	-50	-53	-54	-52
UK	-71	III-93	-51	-34	II-99	-56	-56	-58	-61	-59	-55	-59	-58

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

	Since 01/1990			2006			2007			2008			
	Min.	Ave.	Max.										
	Value	Date	Value	Date	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	
EU	-87	I-07	-82	-78	III-90	-87	-86	-87	-87	-86	-86	-87	-86
EA	-90	I-08	-84	-80	III-90	-89	-88	-89	-89	-88	-89	-89	-90
BE	-93	IV-03	-81	-67	II-95	-89	-91	-88	-90	-90	-90	-91	-91
BG	-96	I-02	-93	-89	IV-06	-90	-91	-89	-91	-91	-90	-90	-90
CZ	-92	I-05	-87	-83	II-02	-89	-86	-85	-84	-86	-86	-85	-87
DK	-86	III-03	-76	-62	II-02	-80	-78	-79	-80	-81	-79	-81	-76
DE	-93	IV-06	-84	-78	IV-99	-92	-91	-93	-92	-90	-93	-93	-92
EE	-90	I-05	-48	11	IV-99	-79	-80	-79	-82	-83	-84	-81	-87
IE	-89	I-08	-79	-71	II-06	-71	-81	-79	-82	-88	-87	-83	-89
EL	-92	I-95	-82	-68	I-03	-85	-85	-81	-81	-76	-80	-81	-82
ES	-88	I-08	-81	-71	III-99	-84	-82	-83	-84	-85	-85	-87	-88
FR	-90	II-92	-86	-81	II-04	-86	-85	-86	-86	-86	-83	-83	-84
IT	-97	IV-07	-87	-79	IV-90	-95	-94	-96	-94	-95	-95	-97	-96
CY	-79	I-03	-72	-65	I-04	-68	-72	-77	-69	-71	-71	-73	-76
LV	-95	I-03	-82	-15	I-02	-74	-75	-78	-75	-74	-77	-78	-79
LT	-93	I-06	-89	-82	I-03	-92	-88	-91	-88	-87	-86	-88	-88
LU	-83	III-07	-75	-64	IV-02	-79	-78	-74	-78	-81	-83	-74	-82
HU	-90	II-04	-80	-39	I-00	-84	-86	-86	-88	-87	-88	-89	-90
MT	-95	I-08	-90	-85	II-03	-94	-93	-93	-91	-92	-92	-91	-95
NL	-84	IV-03	-77	-68	III-99	-83	-79	-81	-82	-79	-79	-77	-81
AT	-91	III-03	-84	-65	III-01	-87	-87	-87	-90	-86	-87	-84	-89
PL	-89	II-03	-86	-82	I-08	-85	-85	-86	-86	-86	-87	-86	-82
PT	-94	III-07	-80	-70	II-90	-91	-90	-90	-90	-93	-94	-92	-93
RO	-87	IV-03	-81	-76	II-07	-81	-79	-79	-76	-76	-76	-76	-80
SI	-89	IV-03	-78	-71	IV-96	-83	-81	-81	-83	-81	-80	-82	-85
SK	-90	IV-03	-86	-82	II-00	-88	-87	-88	-87	-84	-85	-84	-85
FI	-87	IV-03	-82	-76	III-02	-79	-81	-82	-83	-83	-83	-82	-85
SE	-78	I-96	-72	-61	IV-02	-72	-72	-72	-76	-73	-72	-72	-72
UK	-86	II-96	-77	-66	I-90	-82	-80	-81	-83	-81	-80	-84	-81

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				2006			2007				2008	
	Min.		Ave.	Max.		II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I
	Value	Date		Value	Date								
EU	-67	IV-96	-60	-53	III-07	-55	-56	-55	-56	-55	-53	-55	-60
EA	-73	I-08	-62	-57	III-00	-62	-61	-61	-62	-60	-59	-61	-73
BE	-65	III-97	-52	-32	III-01	-48	-48	-46	-48	-47	-45	-50	-49
BG	-86	I-02	-73	-60	II-07	-68	-66	-63	-65	-60	-62	-62	-62
CZ	-51	III-01	-33	-18	I-07	-23	-35	-26	-18	-27	-26	-24	-30
DK	-87	I-90	-65	-26	I-00	-50	-54	-52	-56	-55	-56	-58	-57
DE	-60	III-93	-53	-46	I-90	-48	-50	-51	-50	-48	-47	-49	-53
EE	-68	IV-92	-41	-12	II-06	-12	-22	-21	-27	-27	-27	-22	-37
IE	-81	II-90	-67	-50	I-06	-57	-55	-60	-66	-70	-68	-68	-66
EL	-84	II-06	-70	-44	IV-95	-84	-81	-71	-73	-66	-69	-64	-74
ES	-84	I-08	-73	-61	IV-90	-76	-78	-79	-79	-79	-78	-81	-84
FR	-79	IV-95	-70	-52	III-07	-64	-58	-57	-58	-55	-52	-54	-60
IT	-88	IV-06	-72	-59	III-98	-84	-86	-88	-85	-87	-86	-88	-84
CY	-73	III-06	-61	-46	III-01	-72	-73	-72	-62	-57	-55	-55	-57
LV	-77	IV-95	-53	-10	I-02	-24	-29	-23	-27	-24	-27	-18	-29
LT	-65	IV-01	-59	-52	I-07	-53	-55	-54	-52	-53	-53	-53	-55
LU	-45	I-03	-33	-22	II-04	-27	-31	-37	-37	-38	-29	-25	-32
HU	-77	I-08	-59	-23	III-00	-64	-66	-69	-69	-71	-74	-76	-77
MT	-71	III-06	-66	-57	I-07	-70	-71	-64	-57	-60	-62	-59	-57
NL	-59	II-96	-48	-35	IV-00	-47	-44	-42	-43	-44	-43	-41	-45
AT	-50	III-02	-37	-21	II-06	-21	-25	-29	-29	-25	-23	-27	-29
PL	-48	III-03	-37	-30	II-04	-34	-35	-35	-43	-34	-38	-42	-33
PT	-86	III-07	-67	-52	I-98	-83	-82	-80	-79	-82	-86	-81	-85
RO	-58	IV-03	-48	-40	I-07	-44	-43	-47	-40	-40	-44	-42	-44
SI	-49	I-08	-30	-16	III-07	-33	-32	-28	-38	-36	-16	-35	-49
SK	-63	III-04	-55	-46	III-07	-55	-51	-55	-52	-51	-46	-47	-47
FI	-72	III-98	-62	-49	III-07	-54	-50	-54	-55	-51	-49	-53	-50
SE	-47	II-96	-29	-18	IV-04	-20	-22	-21	-21	-20	-19	-18	-19
UK	-74	III-96	-54	-35	I-04	-40	-45	-41	-45	-46	-39	-44	-48

(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			2007												2008		
	Min.		Ave.	Max.		Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	
	Value	Date	Value	Date														
RETAIL TRADE CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EU	-21	09-92	-5	6	08-07	3	5	6	5	5	6	1	2	4	2	-3	
	EA	-21	02-93	-7	7	08-90	-1	0	0	2	2	3	4	-3	-2	2	1	-3
	BE	-25	05-93	-5	13	04-90	7	7	11	8	5	2	3	-5	2	2	-6	-7
	BG	5	11-00	19	32	06-00	28	26	21	22	22	20	21	20	23	23	26	26
	CZ	-1	02-99	15	27	08-07	24	25	26	25	23	22	27	27	26	27	26	27
	DK	-6	10-01	18	37	11-94	23	22	22	20	20	21	17	17	15	16	14	12
	DE	-41	01-03	-16	19	12-90	-13	-11	-8	-8	-10	-8	-10	-17	-14	-13	-18	-22
	EE	-1	04-03	22	36	04-07	33	33	36	30	30	25	27	26	18	22	22	17
	IE	-21	05-03	1	24	06-00	-10	-11	-5	-10	-4	-1	-7	-4	-4	-11	-11	-20
	EL	-24	06-95	5	39	07-07	35	28	32	37	34	39	38	36	34	33	34	31
	ES	-36	02-93	-7	10	06-00	-10	-12	-12	-9	-9	-15	-8	-18	-14	-16	-17	-13
	FR	-37	04-97	-14	9	12-07	1	1	3	4	5	8	4	1	-2	6	9	4
	IT	-19	09-96	10	39	09-95	15	19	10	17	19	20	27	15	18	30	29	20
	CY	-16	04-03	-1	17	05-07	9	11	15	17	9	12	17	10	9	10	7	8
	LV	1	10-96	11	23	03-07	22	23	23	21	19	18	16	19	16	16	11	9
	LT	-25	09-00	1	42	01-07	37	36	40	27	25	35	27	29	32	37	26	27
	HU	-28	05-05	-9	9	11-97	-18	-10	-14	-17	-13	-14	-15	-18	-18	-21	-19	-23
	NL	-16	12-03	12	30	10-99	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	AT	-29	03-03	-11	4	07-00	-2	0	2	3	-2	2	2	-3	-3	-1	-4	-5
	PL	-16	03-03	-3	8	10-07	4	6	6	6	7	7	7	7	8	8	7	7
PT	-27	01-03	-8	4	01-99	-13	-12	-15	-13	-10	-15	-11	-11	-12	-9	-7	-9	
RO	1	06-99	16	36	12-97	18	20	18	15	20	19	19	22	20	22	21	21	
SI	3	01-01	14	37	09-07	26	26	26	25	25	25	26	37	29	34	33	25	
SK	-17	10-93	10	34	11-98	22	20	22	17	18	17	23	26	20	19	19	26	
FI	-17	11-00	0	27	08-07	21	21	24	21	22	20	27	25	18	18	17	15	
SE	-8	09-01	10	36	07-06	25	29	33	30	26	25	27	24	22	24	19	19	
UK	-32	11-05	-4	20	06-04	9	13	18	9	9	6	8	7	7	4	0	-10	
PRESENT BUSINESS SITUATION	EU	-25	09-92	-5	18	04-90	9	10	13	12	11	12	15	8	9	11	9	-1
	EA	-29	12-94	-7	20	06-90	1	2	3	5	4	9	10	2	3	7	4	-3
	BE	-41	10-95	-5	29	06-00	20	14	17	15	10	8	8	-5	3	5	-10	-7
	BG	-3	09-96	22	54	11-97	34	29	25	30	25	24	26	26	26	22	31	33
	CZ	0	11-98	31	64	11-07	45	49	51	53	54	54	56	59	62	64	59	56
	DK	-1	08-01	30	57	11-94	42	36	36	34	31	37	30	33	28	26	23	23
	DE	-54	12-02	-17	46	11-90	-10	-6	-6	-4	-10	-4	-3	-14	-9	-13	-20	-25
	EE	5	01-03	44	73	04-07	66	64	73	61	58	52	45	48	36	44	46	33
	IE	-30	05-03	4	37	06-98	-6	-6	-6	-17	2	0	-18	-6	-5	-15	-12	-18
	EL	-50	04-95	-1	65	09-07	58	44	50	54	56	61	64	65	57	53	56	49
	ES	-72	07-93	-29	4	06-00	-33	-35	-31	-27	-31	-32	-31	-45	-38	-35	-40	-36
	FR	-50	03-93	-11	26	12-07	3	3	10	6	9	19	16	13	5	20	26	18
	IT	-42	01-95	17	73	01-93	21	28	20	29	32	37	43	31	36	42	38	22
	CY	-48	04-03	-23	21	04-07	-7	-8	21	5	-2	-6	3	3	-4	-9	-16	-10
	LV	-18	07-96	9	37	03-07	36	37	34	33	28	27	19	25	19	21	16	12
	LT	-37	03-00	-2	75	01-07	70	50	67	64	51	61	29	35	61	68	44	45
	HU	-41	03-05	-8	16	03-98	-8	3	-1	-10	-6	-10	-16	-22	-19	-25	-23	-30
	NL	-27	12-03	28	57	06-99	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	AT	-36	04-03	-9	18	05-07	5	13	13	18	7	12	15	6	4	9	6	2
	PL	-32	10-01	-8	19	11-07	13	14	15	13	15	14	16	19	19	19	17	16
PT	-46	01-03	-22	3	07-99	-32	-32	-35	-33	-30	-30	-25	-28	-31	-27	-25	-27	
RO	-1	02-03	27	58	09-97	26	23	25	20	27	25	24	29	24	28	31	26	
SI	2	04-02	22	58	12-07	36	36	40	39	41	41	40	58	42	57	58	35	
SK	-35	06-95	14	58	11-98	35	32	42	34	34	25	27	34	34	28	32	37	
FI	-15	11-00	13	51	09-07	41	36	46	43	44	42	51	51	37	44	44	40	
SE	-21	10-96	16	65	07-06	43	46	57	49	44	42	43	40	38	40	38	35	
UK	-57	09-92	-4	42	06-04	27	28	35	28	23	13	23	16	17	15	16	-10	
VOLUME OF STOCKS	EU	21	09-92	15	11	06-07	15	13	14	12	11	13	13	15	15	15	16	16
	EA	23	09-96	15	7	01-91	16	15	17	11	12	14	14	15	16	16	17	18
	BE	32	03-92	12	-5	09-90	5	3	2	3	8	10	13	14	8	6	12	14
	BG	12	11-00	-15	-55	03-97	6	5	3	2	1	0	0	1	-1	2	3	1
	CZ	27	05-95	10	0	03-00	6	8	6	8	14	13	10	12	15	14	12	10
	DK	32	04-00	18	-1	04-98	20	20	19	17	22	17	18	20	23	23	19	20
	DE	40	01-03	24	3	01-91	26	26	23	19	23	19	25	26	27	24	28	31
	EE	20	07-04	10	0	09-06	10	9	7	7	9	7	10	7	14	12	11	13
	IE	25	08-98	10	-5	06-00	18	14	9	8	9	7	6	8	7	5	6	10
	EL	41	12-93	14	-7	11-02	17	17	17	13	17	14	17	14	16	23	19	22
	ES	25	06-06	5	-8	02-96	8	4	8	2	2	13	2	8	5	8	8	6
	FR	21	09-98	11	-3	10-93	15	14	14	10	11	12	13	13	16	11	12	16
	IT	43	09-96	8	-8	09-99	7	7	21	6	-1	9	1	5	10	14	11	7
	CY	9	01-08	-5	-16	04-05	-7	-10	-2	0	2	-3	0	-2	-5	3	9	
	LV	8	12-02	-2	-18	07-96	6	3	2	4	3	2	3	5	3	2	4	5
	LT	13	10-96	-1	-21	12-99	11	-1	-2	-3	-1	3	1	0	-2	0	1	-1
	HU	33	01-99	22	4	02-96	22	18	23	22	18	24	19	18	23	20	18	20
	NL	19	06-05	12	5	07-97	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	AT	36	01-96	24	-2	01-00	22	24	22	21	19	20	21	23	23	21	21	23
	PL	8	12-07	-3	-18	12-93	5	6	6	6	6	6	6	7	6	7	8	4
PT	25	06-90	9	-3	12-03	10	7	13	11	12	13	12	4	6	4	5	4	
RO	55	10-95	4	-20	12-94	-2	-4	-1	-3	-4	2	2	3	2	3	2	3	
SI	33	01-99	13	-3	01-08	2	0	2	4	0	2	3	2	2	0	-1	-3	
SK	26	02-95	9	-8	06-06	9	4	8	7	10	4	7	8	5	3	2	1	
FI	40	08-00	28	14	03-07	17	14	16	15	19	17	15	20	17	21	26	18	
SE	44	02-98	29	13	03-07	19	13	16	16	19	19	15	19	20	22			

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

	Since 01/1990						2007										2008	
	Min.		Ave.		Max.		Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
	Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date												
EXPECTED BUSINESS SITUATION	EU	-18	10-92	4	18	04-07	15	16	18	15	15	16	16	11	12	16	13	8
	EA	-25	02-93	1	17	06-06	12	13	15	13	14	14	14	5	9	15	15	10
Component of the retail confidence indicator	BE	-23	04-03	3	22	04-98	6	10	19	12	13	7	13	4	12	6	4	-1
	BG	-33	02-97	19	58	01-07	55	54	42	37	43	35	37	34	42	49	50	45
	CZ	2	09-00	24	46	02-02	31	34	34	31	28	24	34	33	32	29	32	33
	DK	8	10-01	41	71	07-94	48	49	48	44	50	43	40	40	40	44	39	34
	DE	-34	11-02	-7	26	12-90	-4	-1	4	0	1	-2	-3	-11	-6	-1	-8	-8
	EE	1	04-03	31	64	01-03	43	42	42	38	42	30	45	37	32	33	31	30
	IE	-31	07-03	9	44	11-97	-6	-13	-1	-4	-7	4	2	2	0	-11	-16	-31
	EL	-4	05-95	30	71	07-07	64	58	62	69	63	71	67	57	62	67	65	65
	ES	-34	02-93	13	34	04-91	11	3	5	4	6	2	11	-1	0	-3	-4	2
	FR	-64	02-93	-19	19	10-04	15	15	14	15	18	17	10	4	7	7	13	9
	IT	-20	02-93	20	64	10-06	30	34	31	29	25	33	38	20	28	60	60	45
	CY	-20	06-02	15	47	05-07	27	31	22	47	29	44	44	26	28	34	41	44
	LV	2	01-04	21	37	02-07	37	35	35	35	32	28	33	35	30	30	22	19
	LT	-35	09-00	5	62	11-06	52	57	51	12	23	47	52	51	33	42	35	35
	HU	-27	08-06	3	39	02-98	-24	-14	-17	-19	-16	-7	-10	-15	-12	-18	-16	-21
	NL	-5	12-03	19	41	10-99	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	AT	-24	03-03	-1	15	07-00	11	11	14	12	7	13	12	8	10	8	3	6
	PL	-29	01-02	-5	12	12-07	5	9	9	11	11	11	11	8	12	10	12	8
	PT	-26	01-03	6	39	01-90	2	4	3	6	12	-2	3	1	0	4	9	4
	RO	-37	10-94	25	74	11-95	26	32	27	23	29	35	34	38	39	40	34	39
SI	15	02-03	33	55	09-07	43	42	40	41	36	37	41	55	45	46	40	38	
SK	-14	11-94	25	60	12-96	39	31	32	25	30	28	48	50	30	30	26	42	
FI	-4	04-03	14	44	09-07	39	40	43	36	41	36	44	44	35	30	31	22	
SE	19	10-01	44	67	04-00	51	53	56	56	53	51	54	51	47	54	46	52	
UK	-29	11-05	10	40	01-97	15	20	23	15	10	16	17	21	17	11	-2	-8	
INTENTIONS OF PLACING ORDERS	EU	-12	02-93	-1	13	02-90	4	5	9	7	7	6	4	4	7	5	2	
	EA	-19	09-02	-3	15	02-90	2	2	6	5	3	3	3	-1	-1	4	2	
	BE	-27	05-93	-6	15	03-90	7	1	5	4	2	3	8	9	8	5	0	
	BG	-39	02-97	13	51	01-07	50	44	34	34	36	33	32	27	29	44	41	
	CZ	-34	02-96	27	56	02-95	15	17	18	18	20	13	11	17	9	8	18	
	DK	-12	10-01	19	58	07-94	20	22	22	20	28	22	16	13	17	21	15	
	DE	-42	08-02	-14	24	01-91	-12	-9	-10	-4	-12	-12	-10	-17	-20	-8	-12	
	EE	-4	03-03	22	37	08-07	29	26	33	27	31	21	37	31	23	23	10	
	IE	-43	05-03	-6	27	08-00	-17	-16	-8	-14	-11	1	-2	-5	-15	-22	-30	
	EL	-23	04-93	13	47	07-07	28	22	32	41	46	47	41	37	41	43	33	
	ES	-31	02-93	4	21	01-90	-1	-11	-5	-6	-5	-10	-3	-15	-12	-13	-5	
	FR	-37	12-92	-12	11	10-99	4	4	6	11	7	3	1	1	1	4	-2	
	IT	-25	09-97	23	69	03-92	24	27	40	21	18	22	20	25	27	35	34	
	CY	-51	06-02	-3	32	03-07	14	32	1	21	2	29	15	8	3	-1	13	
	LV	-4	10-96	11	30	02-07	30	26	23	27	23	23	24	23	22	23	12	
	LT	-23	01-03	11	56	12-06	30	52	21	17	23	14	23	48	37	29	7	
	HU	-32	08-06	-5	23	05-98	-21	-17	-19	-25	-18	-11	-18	-20	-23	-22	-24	
	NL	-22	09-03	3	25	08-99	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
	AT	-42	03-99	-28	-10	08-07	-15	-13	-12	-12	-12	-15	-10	-15	-16	-12	-12	
	PL	-27	01-02	-5	10	12-07	6	7	8	9	10	10	10	7	8	9	7	
	PT	-41	01-03	-13	12	11-98	-15	-12	-13	-12	-3	-11	-5	-7	-9	-5	-6	
	RO	-12	07-95	20	81	03-97	20	24	20	21	26	26	28	27	25	27	28	
	SI	-2	10-01	17	32	08-06	21	25	25	25	26	25	22	22	23	29	25	
	SK	-19	03-96	36	78	01-02	44	43	41	44	33	44	58	54	42	43	43	
	FI	-20	07-03	-2	26	06-07	25	20	25	21	26	20	24	24	13	14	10	
	SE	-17	10-01	17	52	03-00	34	36	36	40	34	31	33	30	32	34	25	
	UK	-37	03-91	3	34	08-96	2	5	12	18	9	16	12	13	14	11	-6	
EMPLOYMENT EXPECTATIONS	EU	-14	11-92	-1	9	07-00	1	0	3	2	3	3	5	1	3	7	6	
	EA	-11	01-97	-1	11	10-06	3	3	6	4	5	6	9	3	4	10	10	
	BE	-13	12-92	4	16	01-07	12	16	16	16	16	14	11	10	12	16	15	
	BG	-21	10-00	0	19	09-06	15	17	10	7	8	9	8	9	8	8	10	
	CZ	-37	01-95	3	28	09-07	17	12	8	13	12	18	13	28	14	23	26	
	DK	-8	05-01	9	28	05-00	9	12	13	12	7	6	10	10	12	11	9	
	DE	-37	01-03	-11	9	03-91	-1	-3	-1	-1	-2	-2	1	-8	-8	1	-10	
	EE	-10	05-02	8	25	04-07	17	19	25	24	24	19	17	18	15	16	8	
	IE	-17	05-03	0	22	03-98	-10	-15	-10	0	-1	-2	-4	0	-2	-4	-5	
	EL	-12	07-05	27	62	03-98	16	16	16	22	20	40	41	19	33	33	52	
	ES	-19	09-93	1	8	12-98	5	1	2	5	1	4	2	-1	0	0	-1	
	FR	-14	06-91	-2	12	10-00	3	4	3	-2	1	2	3	4	-1	5	4	
	IT	-34	01-97	14	57	01-08	8	9	23	14	20	25	32	18	30	40	57	
	CY	-5	07-02	1	8	04-07	6	2	8	5	6	5	7	2	7	7	4	
	LV	-23	04-96	3	25	03-07	24	25	24	19	22	21	20	19	17	15	8	
	LT	-48	07-95	1	74	11-06	57	50	51	51	46	43	53	62	60	65	63	
	HU	-48	09-06	-10	5	11-03	-14	-12	-16	-13	-4	-13	-11	-5	-13	-16	-13	
	NL	-6	08-05	2	13	06-99	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	
	AT	-18	03-96	-6	3	07-99	0	-2	1	0	-3	-2	-1	-2	-2	-2		
	PL	-25	01-02	-10	5	12-07	3	2	3	2	4	4	4	3	4	5	3	
	PT	-23	05-03	-5	13	09-97	-7	-5	-1	1	-3	-12	-3	-5	-3	-3	-4	
	RO	-32	10-94	-2	64	12-98	9	11	10	9	9	12	12	8	11	10	13	
	SI	-46	02-99	-4	31	12-07	19	19	14	20	20	20	21	18	19	26	15	
	SK	-71	12-93	-5	31	09-02	25	22	12	12	16	8	18	22	16	15	25	
	FI	-16	07-03	-1	18	01-07	13	9	9	10	3	1	9	13	9	5	6	
	SE	-34	10-96	-1	23	06-00	9	12	15	17	13	13	12	13	15	17	12	
	UK	-32	12-91	-3	25	10-97	-12	-13	-									

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		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value												
CONSTRUCTION CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EU	-42	10-93	-17	3	09-06	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	-1	-3	-5
	EA	-44	10-93	-16	5	03-90	0	0	1	0	1	0	-1	0	-2	-4	-5	-6
	BE	-35	11-95	-10	10	02-00	2	0	4	2	1	-1	0	-1	0	3	2	1
	BG	-56	03-93	-24	6	12-06	-5	2	0	1	-1	-1	5	5	4	6	6	4
	CZ	-64	06-99	-15	4	01-08	-2	-2	-1	-3	-3	-2	-4	-4	-5	1	4	4
	DK	-37	12-91	-5	25	11-06	16	13	8	5	6	6	7	7	7	3	4	0
	DE	-55	12-02	-33	2	02-90	-22	-23	-26	-26	-27	-25	-25	-24	-24	-23	-23	-22
	EE	-46	12-99	8	49	05-06	41	39	37	24	22	17	12	6	5	2	-5	-3
	IE	-54	09-02	8	58	06-97	-7	-13	-13	-14	-9	-24	-12	-35	-36	-24	-26	-26
	EL	-53	03-05	-12	33	04-00	-8	1	0	-2	-3	-11	-11	-20	-19	-14	-16	-17
	ES	-57	10-92	0	42	01-99	11	11	16	15	16	15	6	15	8	-6	-6	-6
	FR	-60	03-93	-12	34	10-00	17	18	15	19	22	21	22	22	20	20	21	14
	IT	-68	10-93	-12	21	05-90	-2	-2	3	-4	-6	-9	-5	-4	-5	-6	-12	-12
	CY	-30	12-05	6	39	12-03	-3	2	-5	-5	2	-1	8	16	9	-10	-5	19
	LV	-64	07-93	-22	19	01-07	15	17	16	13	12	9	7	11	5	1	0	-6
	LT	-76	09-00	-33	13	01-07	11	12	11	8	3	2	1	6	-2	0	4	10
	LU	-73	03-94	-26	24	03-90	-26	-20	-30	-27	-21	-24	-21	-26	-28	-28	-27	-25
	HU	-36	11-07	-10	11	09-98	-23	-24	-23	-34	-35	-33	-33	-29	-28	-36	-32	-34
	NL	-25	05-03	-1	27	12-00	16	19	19	18	24	24	21	16	16	18	22	20
	AT	-60	04-96	-26	1	09-06	-8	-13	-10	-11	-13	-8	-15	-13	-12	-12	-14	-8
	PL	-66	02-02	-36	-1	12-07	-2	-2	-2	-2	-4	-4	-4	-4	-5	-3	-1	-1
	PT	-56	02-03	-27	-1	12-97	-37	-42	-42	-40	-33	-35	-35	-34	-37	-33	-35	-36
	RO	-60	09-99	-8	35	06-96	1	-2	-4	-3	-4	-2	-6	-3	2	2	4	3
	SI	-33	06-02	-1	24	03-07	20	24	22	23	22	20	18	15	16	12	18	13
	SK	-86	07-99	-24	18	03-97	-1	-4	-10	-11	-16	-9	2	-5	0	2	-3	-11
	FI	-97	09-91	-13	48	06-98	30	32	20	28	27	27	16	21	17	14	13	20
	SE	-83	12-93	-29	48	08-07	35	35	42	43	46	43	48	41	45	42	35	22
UK	-79	06-91	-18	6	11-07	0	0	0	1	-2	-3	2	1	3	6	-1	0	
ORDER BOOKS Component of the construction confidence indicator	EU	-56	08-93	-26	-2	03-90	-8	-8	-6	-7	-6	-7	-9	-7	-8	-9	-11	-13
	EA	-55	08-93	-24	0	09-06	-8	-9	-6	-7	-5	-6	-9	-8	-9	-12	-11	-12
	BE	-48	02-96	-21	2	02-00	-6	-9	-6	-7	-7	-8	-10	-10	-8	-7	-7	-7
	BG	-74	10-00	-39	-12	09-07	-17	-18	-14	-14	-14	-14	-13	-12	-13	-15	-15	-16
	CZ	-72	06-99	-20	9	12-02	-4	-4	0	-8	-12	-3	-10	-14	-16	-5	-4	-1
	DK	-49	12-91	-7	34	07-06	22	23	18	16	16	11	11	11	10	4	5	-2
	DE	-67	07-02	-44	-10	02-91	-36	-38	-40	-41	-42	-40	-39	-39	-41	-38	-38	-36
	EE	-67	12-99	3	59	04-06	52	46	44	28	24	10	8	-4	-7	-2	-7	-15
	IE	-61	06-94	2	68	06-97	-12	-12	-19	-13	-14	-26	-21	-43	-31	-42	-28	-16
	EL	-77	06-95	-37	16	04-00	-35	-22	-17	-15	-16	-40	-36	-42	-39	-33	-35	-38
	ES	-64	08-93	3	54	11-05	10	5	21	17	25	20	5	20	10	-4	0	1
	FR	-74	09-93	-19	37	10-00	8	10	8	12	16	17	17	15	15	14	14	10
	IT	-84	02-94	-23	17	05-90	-10	-10	-2	-8	-10	-15	-10	-16	-13	-12	-17	-22
	CY	-37	05-06	0	46	12-03	-12	-5	-23	-19	-10	-8	6	9	-3	-17	-20	-1
	LV	-84	01-96	-43	8	01-07	1	4	7	3	2	-1	-6	-5	-11	-14	-14	-18
	LT	-96	09-00	-54	2	03-07	-5	2	-1	-2	-9	-13	-12	-9	-18	-17	-13	-12
	LU	-73	08-93	-28	12	03-90	-35	-28	-35	-29	-23	-24	-31	-27	-31	-30	-32	-27
	HU	-54	11-07	-20	3	09-98	-31	-31	-33	-48	-50	-49	-48	-43	-44	-54	-47	-48
	NL	-30	09-93	-6	20	07-07	13	19	19	17	20	20	14	14	15	10	16	14
	AT	-65	04-96	-37	-6	09-06	-16	-18	-23	-21	-22	-20	-28	-24	-24	-25	-22	-23
	PL	-86	10-02	-61	-26	05-07	-30	-28	-26	-26	-27	-29	-30	-30	-31	-29	-28	-29
	PT	-79	05-94	-46	-9	12-97	-58	-64	-66	-62	-48	-53	-62	-54	-58	-59	-57	-55
	RO	-89	09-99	-13	64	03-98	-7	-6	-9	-9	-12	-10	-17	-14	-13	-16	-14	-11
	SI	-42	06-02	-7	27	03-07	18	27	20	20	18	16	16	13	8	7	16	7
	SK	-93	03-94	-40	-5	03-97	-18	-19	-22	-21	-24	-22	-12	-25	-21	-21	-25	-26
	FI	-99	12-93	-19	47	07-07	39	37	32	26	28	47	25	23	25	25	21	22
	SE	-97	05-97	-40	43	05-07	29	37	34	43	39	34	37	33	27	39	31	17
UK	-87	06-91	-32	-1	11-07	-12	-12	-9	-11	-15	-13	-11	-5	-6	-1	-12	-12	
EMPLOYMENT EXPECTATIONS Component of the construction confidence indicator	EU	-31	10-93	-8	11	01-07	10	10	8	9	8	7	10	9	8	7	5	2
	EA	-35	10-93	-8	11	03-90	8	9	7	7	6	6	6	8	6	4	2	1
	BE	-24	11-95	1	19	02-90	10	9	14	10	9	6	10	8	8	13	11	8
	BG	-50	01-93	-8	32	07-05	8	22	14	16	12	12	23	23	21	27	27	24
	CZ	-57	06-99	-11	12	06-95	0	-1	-3	3	7	-1	2	6	6	7	11	9
	DK	-31	09-91	-4	42	03-98	10	3	-2	-6	-4	2	1	3	3	2	2	2
	DE	-50	12-96	-23	19	02-90	-7	-8	-13	-12	-11	-10	-10	-10	-7	-8	-7	-7
	EE	-45	03-99	12	68	01-97	30	31	30	20	20	25	17	16	17	7	-3	9
	IE	-50	09-02	14	61	07-04	-1	-13	-8	-15	-4	-22	-3	-27	-41	-6	-23	-36
	EL	-64	09-04	13	60	03-99	18	24	16	11	9	18	15	3	2	6	4	3
	ES	-66	03-93	-4	54	01-99	12	17	12	14	8	10	7	10	7	-7	-11	-14
	FR	-51	03-93	-5	31	10-00	25	26	22	25	28	25	27	28	25	27	27	19
	IT	-60	10-93	-2	31	06-04	6	6	8	1	-1	-2	0	8	3	1	-7	-2
	CY	-30	09-06	12	52	11-03	5	9	14	8	14	7	9	23	21	-2	9	39
	LV	-45	07-93	-1	36	12-06	28	31	26	22	22	19	21	27	21	17	15	7
	LT	-56	09-00	-11	37	03-03	28	22	23	17	15	16	15	21	14	17	21	32
	LU	-77	02-94	-24	36	03-90	-17	-13	-24	-25	-18	-18	-16	-14	-21	-27	-22	-23
	HU	-21	06-07	-1	21	01-98	-15	-16	-14	-20	-21	-16	-19	-15	-12	-18	-17	-19
	NL	-26	05-03	4	36	12-00	19	20	19	20	28	27	28	19	16	26	28	25
	AT	-76	02-01	-14	14	02-03	-1	-9	2	-1	-3	5	-3	-3	0	1	-5	7
	PL	-56	02-02	-8	27	01-08	25	25	22	21	18	21	22	22	21	23	26	27
	PT	-47	02-03	-9	19	09-97	-16	-20	-18	-18	-18	-18	-8	-14	-17	-6	-13	-18
	RO	-39	06-97	-4	38	03-01	9	2	2	3	5	6	6	9	16	19	23	17

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TREND OF ACTIVITY COMPARED WITH PRECEDING MONTHS	EU	-30	12-92	-5	15	03-07	13	15	10	10	9	9	8	6	3	6	5	4	
	EA	-35	11-93	-5	17	03-90	12	13	8	7	6	7	5	4	0	5	4	2	
	BE	-37	03-91	-3	36	02-90	11	12	2	-9	3	-2	0	-4	-6	11	-2	9	
	BG	-58	05-97	-9	51	12-05	29	22	26	23	19	16	9	19	17	17	22	20	
	CZ	-34	06-99	29	77	01-05	50	49	50	46	55	55	50	49	52	60	57	55	
	DK	-21	04-03	0	21	03-07	20	21	12	8	5	1	4	2	1	-2	1	-1	
	DE	-45	03-05	-17	40	03-91	-4	6	-12	-19	-15	-17	-17	-16	-16	-14	-19	-14	
	EE	-25	03-99	20	50	02-06	43	47	31	33	30	15	18	2	6	-8	3	2	
	IE	-45	09-91	3	47	05-96	-4	-9	2	1	-23	-22	-6	-18	-22	-16	-10	-15	
	EL	-50	04-05	6	61	06-98	41	35	32	22	10	0	9	5	-4	-1	3	-7	
	ES	-49	07-97	8	59	01-99	34	24	14	26	22	35	25	13	-4	12	12	11	
	FR	-64	09-93	-4	42	07-00	20	24	27	25	27	24	24	21	22	23	22	21	
	IT	-50	03-93	-2	26	07-04	-4	-3	-1	0	-8	-9	1	5	-1	1	-1	-7	
	CY	-37	09-04	-2	67	09-02	-19	-20	-28	-5	-19	0	-16	-12	-11	-26	-10	-6	
	LV	-47	04-96	2	44	06-02	26	31	38	25	24	16	12	14	12	5	7	1	
	LT	-61	03-00	1	81	06-02	25	31	41	27	22	30	21	20	14	15	28	19	
	LU	-68	10-02	-23	30	04-91	-16	-3	-16	-24	-24	-24	-20	-26	-21	-27	-25	-17	
	HU	-42	11-07	-9	14	03-99	-15	-12	-14	-29	-29	-32	-33	-30	-36	-42	-35	-35	
	NL	-41	02-96	-1	37	03-97	16	19	13	10	12	11	-19	-3	5	9	8	6	
	AT	-87	04-96	-5	27	01-04	12	18	14	10	4	-1	-4	-3	2	0	2	-1	
	PL	-24	03-04	11	47	01-05	36	39	33	28	24	22	20	19	16	19	20	23	
	PT	-41	08-06	-11	24	05-97	-27	-28	-24	-9	-9	-14	-19	-16	-17	-14	-8	-16	
	RO	-99	06-99	15	99	04-02	38	33	22	26	18	15	7	13	9	6	13	9	
	SI	-15	08-05	13	45	03-07	34	45	38	38	38	36	20	20	21	18	26	20	
	SK	-43	06-99	10	54	02-07	54	53	31	32	23	27	29	24	14	29	27	19	
	FI	-88	09-91	9	75	01-98	50	36	44	46	40	42	45	26	27	31	35	21	
	SE	-67	12-91	-6	58	01-06	33	29	39	34	24	35	18	19	22	22	15	22	
UK	-69	06-91	-5	16	02-04	5	13	10	12	15	12	13	9	7	9	6	9		
PRICE EXPECTATIONS	EU	-16	02-96	4	22	02-90	18	18	15	15	16	16	13	13	13	15	14	8	
	EA	-24	02-96	0	31	04-90	11	11	10	10	11	10	6	6	6	9	9	6	
	BE	-22	01-96	0	29	01-90	8	7	11	8	7	5	5	3	6	10	8	10	
	BG	-9	08-01	42	94	09-94	29	29	19	26	27	27	43	34	31	35	37	36	
	CZ	-39	08-00	38	80	02-95	23	26	26	15	19	22	21	27	33	33	39	50	
	DK	-36	03-03	-12	9	11-06	3	-1	0	-8	-4	-5	-9	-5	-8	-8	-8	-13	
	DE	-44	02-96	-12	45	02-90	5	2	0	2	-1	-3	-9	-13	-13	-11	-12	-11	
	EE	-29	09-99	34	88	04-94	57	58	50	40	39	35	36	22	9	12	-3	-4	
	IE	-66	07-03	3	58	03-00	-17	-31	-38	-12	-28	-47	-29	-31	-53	-44	-49	-48	
	EL	-39	06-05	5	35	06-95	5	2	-3	1	4	9	12	2	9	1	-1	-2	
	ES	-20	10-93	17	71	10-00	10	12	2	3	8	4	-4	15	7	25	17	16	
	FR	-60	03-93	-13	32	10-00	12	13	17	12	15	17	13	11	13	14	14	9	
	IT	-16	07-93	16	63	06-90	6	10	10	9	12	13	10	4	8	5	12	0	
	CY	-8	08-06	26	79	06-04	-4	37	22	11	15	9	-4	6	18	31	22	51	
	LV	-11	03-01	32	76	01-07	75	75	66	67	64	62	62	62	60	51	53	49	
	LT	-5	03-01	38	89	01-95	68	58	58	54	58	48	49	47	47	43	46	44	
	LU	-67	05-93	-28	29	11-00	-33	-30	-24	-20	-26	-28	-24	-30	-35	-26	-26	-21	
	HU	-8	01-06	10	32	03-01	14	11	14	10	7	2	-1	6	5	4	0	7	
	NL	-7	01-04	28	69	04-01	60	60	61	55	61	58	51	47	47	50	54	48	
	AT	-53	04-96	-8	30	03-07	28	30	19	23	19	19	17	10	14	16	21	21	
	PL	-26	03-02	18	52	05-07	43	47	50	52	50	48	44	39	38	38	38	39	
	PT	-40	05-03	-2	48	06-90	-16	-18	-18	-17	-17	-13	-4	-10	-12	-9	-4	-10	
	RO	15	04-02	69	98	11-93	28	26	31	31	23	25	27	27	35	36	38	42	
	SI	-7	10-04	8	22	02-07	22	12	21	14	15	15	15	8	21	17	17	18	
	SK	-20	08-00	51	93	06-97	31	39	38	35	37	37	32	33	34	42	41	38	
	FI	-45	06-91	11	65	05-97	33	35	37	56	45	32	32	24	39	20	20	30	
	SE	-75	06-91	-10	59	03-06	36	30	28	29	28	30	32	34	22	12	3	-1	
UK	-56	12-90	17	43	08-04	37	38	31	32	34	35	35	32	38	33	31	24		

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

TABLE 7: Monthly survey of financial services sector ^{(a),(n)}

		Since 04/2006						2007												2008
		Min.		Ave.		Max.		Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	
		Value	Date	Value	Date	Value	Date													
FINANCIAL SERVICES	EU	17	10-07	30	43	04-06	30	28	34	31	27	28	32	21	17	18	20	20		
CONFIDENCE INDICATOR	EA	16	10-07	29	43	04-06	30	30	33	29	30	27	33	18	16	24	18	20		
ASSESSMENT OF BUSINESS SITUATION	EU	11	11-07	27	39	04-06	26	24	34	28	27	29	34	16	12	11	20	15		
OVER THE PAST 3 MONTHS ^(c)	EA	11	10-07	26	40	04-06	29	25	27	22	27	27	33	11	11	17	20	17		
EVOLUTION OF DEMAND	EU	14	10-07	28	42	04-06	24	24	37	30	31	30	32	19	14	20	26	22		
OVER THE PAST 3 MONTHS ^(c)	EA	12	10-07	27	40	04-06	24	29	34	28	31	26	34	14	12	27	24	22		
EVOLUTION OF DEMAND EXPECTED	EU	15	12-07	33	50	04-06	41	37	33	35	25	25	30	27	24	23	15	24		
OVER THE NEXT 3 MONTHS ^(c)	EA	10	12-07	33	48	04-06	39	37	38	36	33	27	31	29	24	27	10	22		
EVOLUTION OF EMPLOYMENT	EU	6	01-08	15	23	01-07	16	10	19	17	22	20	11	13	7	8	20	6		
OVER THE PAST 3 MONTHS	EA	9	01-08	18	24	04-06	18	12	20	19	23	18	16	19	14	15	12	9		
EVOLUTION OF EMPLOYMENT	EU	10	11-07	19	30	04-06	17	19	17	25	19	23	15	16	12	10	20	15		
EXPECTED OVER THE NEXT 3 MONTHS	EA	13	11-07	19	30	04-06	18	20	20	22	17	23	18	14	16	13	15	16		

(a) The confidence indicator is the arithmetic average of the balances (%) for the questions on business situation and past and expected evolution of demand.

(n) Data are not seasonally adjusted.

(c) Component of the confidence indicator.