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List of Indicators used in Joint Inclusion Report 2001

| | Indicator | Definition | Data sources + years |
|----|--|---|-------------------------|
| 1. | Index of income inequality S80/S20 | Ratio between the income of the top 20% of the income distribution to the bottom 20%. | ECHP (1995, 1996, 1997) |
| 2. | Gini coefficient | The relationship of cumulative shares of the population arranged according to the level of income, to the cumulative share of the total amount received by them (as calculated in Newcronos). | ECHP (1995, 1996, 1997) |
| 3a | Risk of poverty rate after transfers with breakdowns by | Individuals living in households where the household income is below 60% national equivalised median income. | ECHP (1995, 1996, 1997) |
| | age and gender | Age groups are: 1. 0-15, 2. 16-24, 3 .25-49, 4 .50-64, 5 . 65+. Gender breakdown for all age groups + total | |
| 3b | Risk of poverty rate after transfers with breakdowns by | Individuals aged 16+ living in households where the household income is below 60% national equivalised median income. | ECHP (1995, 1996, 1997) |
| | most frequent activity status | Most frequent activity status: 1.employed, 2.self- employed, 3.unemployed, 4.retired, 5.inactives-other. Gender breakdown for all categories + total | |
| 3c | rate after transfers with | Individuals aged 16+ living in households where the household income is below 60% national equivalised median income. | ECHP (1995, 1996, 1997) |
| | breakdowns by household type | 1. 1 person household, under 30 yrs old | |
| | | 2. 1 person household, 30-64 | |
| | | 3. 1 person household, 65+ | |
| | | 4. 2 adults without dependent child; at least one person 65+ | |
| | | 5. 2 adults without dep. child; both under 65 | |
| | | 6. other households without dep. children | |

| | | 7. single parents, dependent child 1+ | |
|----|--|---|-------------------------|
| | | 8. 2 adults, 1 dependent child | |
| | | 9. 2 adults, 2 dependent children | |
| | | 10. 2 adults, 3+ dependent children | |
| | | 11. other households with dependent children | |
| | | 12. Total | |
| 4. | Dispersion around the risk of poverty threshold | Persons living in households where the household income was below 40, 50 and 70% median national equivalised income | ECHP (1995, 1996, 1997) |
| 5. | Risk of poverty rate anchored at a moment in | 1995X: Risk of poverty rate, using 60% of the median of 1995 multiplied by the inflation factor 1994/95 | ECHP (1995, 1996, 1997) |
| | time | 1996: Risk of poverty rate, using 60% of the median of 1996 | |
| | | 1996X Risk of poverty rate, using 60% of the median of 1995 multiplied by the inflation factor of 1994/96 | |
| | | 1997: Risk of poverty line, using 60% of the median of 1997 | |
| 6. | Risk of poverty rate before transfers | 1. Original income 2. original income +old age+survivors (=previous definition of 'before transfers'). Gender breakdown + total | ECHP (1995, 1996, 1997) |
| 7. | Persistence of poverty risk | Persons living in households where the household income was below 60% median national equivalised income three years in a row. Gender breakdown + total | ECHP (1995, 1996, 1997) |
| 8. | Regional cohesion | Coefficient of variation of employment rates at NUTS 2 level. | LFS (1995, 1997, 2000) |
| 9. | Long term unemployment rate | Total long-term unemployed population (>12 mths.; ILO def.) as proportion of total active population; Gender breakdown + total | LFS (1995, 1997, 2000) |

| 10. | Long term unemployment share | Total long-term unemployed population (>12 mths.; ILO def.) as proportion of total unemployed population; Gender breakdown + total | |
|-----|--|---|------------------------|
| 11. | Very long term unemployment rate | Total very long-term unemployed population (>24 mths.; ILO def.) as proportion of total active population; Gender breakdown + total | LFS (1995, 1997, 2000) |
| 12. | Early school leavers not in education or training | Share of total population of 18-24-year olds having achieved ISCED level 2 or less and not attending education or training. | LFS 2001 |

1. Share ratio S80/S20

| | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 |
|-------|------|------|------|
| В | 6,4 | 5,8 | 5,5 |
| DK | 2,9 | 2,8 | 2,7 |
| D | 5,7 | 5,3 | 4,7 |
| EL | 6,5 | 6,4 | 6,8 |
| Е | 6,2 | 7,0 | 6,7 |
| F | 4,8 | 4,8 | 5,0 |
| IRL | 5,8 | 5,7 | 5,4 |
| ı | 6,1 | 5,9 | 6,0 |
| L | 4,8 | 4,6 | : |
| NL | 4,7 | 4,9 | 4,6 |
| Α | 4,3 | 4,1 | 3,9 |
| Р | 7,6 | 7,1 | 7,4 |
| FIN | : | 2,7 | 3,0 |
| S | | : | 3,4 |
| UK | 6,0 | 6,0 | 7,4 |
| EU15T | 5,7 | 5,6 | 5,7 |

Source: Eurostat, ECHP

Note: For UK there is a break in series between 1996 and 1997. Until 1996, ECHP was used for calculations. From 1997 onwards the national panel transformed into the ECHP format is used.

2. Gini-coefficient

| | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 |
|-------|------|------|------|
| В | 37 | 34 | 34 |
| DK | 22 | 22 | 21 |
| D | 31 | 30 | 29 |
| EL | 35 | 34 | 35 |
| Е | 34 | 35 | 35 |
| F | 30 | 29 | 30 |
| IRL | 34 | 34 | 33 |
| ı | 33 | 32 | 32 |
| L | 29 | 28 | : |
| NL | 29 | 31 | 28 |
| Α | 28 | 26 | 25 |
| Р | 38 | 37 | 38 |
| FIN | : | 22 | 23 |
| S | : | : | 23 |
| UK | 34 | 34 | 34 |
| EU15T | 32 | 32 | 31 |

Source: Eurostat, ECHP

3a. Risk of poverty rate by age-group and gender (60% of median equivalised income)

| | | | В | | | DK | | | D | | | EL | | E | | | |
|--------|---------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--|
| Gender | Age | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | |
| Total | Total | 17 | 16 | 15 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 17 | 16 | 14 | 22 | 21 | 22 | 20 | 19 | 19 | |
| М | Total | 17 | 15 | 13 | 11 | 8 | 7 | 15 | 14 | 13 | 21 | 21 | 22 | 20 | 19 | 19 | |
| F | Total | 18 | 18 | 16 | 12 | 11 | 9 | 19 | 17 | 15 | 23 | 21 | 22 | 20 | 19 | 19 | |
| Total | 0 - 15 | 19 | 21 | 15 | 9 | 5 | 3 | 23 | 22 | 24 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 24 | 24 | 25 | |
| M | 0 - 15 | 18 | 21 | 13 | 12 | 4 | 3 | 22 | 22 | 26 | 19 | 21 | 23 | 24 | 22 | 23 | |
| F | 0 - 15 | 20 | 20 | 17 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 23 | 21 | 21 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 25 | 26 | 27 | |
| Total | 16 - 24 | 24 | 22 | 23 | 20 | 17 | 14 | 20 | 21 | 17 | 23 | 23 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 23 | |
| М | 16 - 24 | 26 | 20 | 20 | 23 | 17 | 15 | 19 | 18 | 15 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 23 | 26 | 22 | |
| F | 16 - 24 | 21 | 24 | 26 | 18 | 17 | 13 | 21 | 23 | 20 | 22 | 23 | 20 | 24 | 22 | 24 | |
| Total | 25 - 49 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 14 | 13 | 10 | 15 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 17 | 18 | |
| M | 25 - 49 | 10 | 9 | 8 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 12 | 12 | 9 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 16 | 17 | |
| F | 25 - 49 | 14 | 14 | 12 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 17 | 14 | 11 | 16 | 15 | 16 | 18 | 18 | 18 | |
| Total | 50 -64 | 18 | 13 | 14 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 17 | 12 | 13 | 24 | 20 | 24 | 19 | 18 | 17 | |
| M | 50 -64 | 18 | 13 | 15 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 17 | 11 | 11 | 21 | 18 | 21 | 19 | 18 | 17 | |
| F | 50 -64 | 17 | 12 | 14 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 17 | 14 | 14 | 26 | 22 | 26 | 19 | 18 | 17 | |
| Total | 65+ | 24 | 21 | 22 | 27 | 24 | 22 | 17 | 16 | 14 | 36 | 33 | 35 | 15 | 14 | 15 | |
| М | 65+ | 24 | 18 | 22 | 23 | 21 | 19 | 10 | 11 | 8 | 35 | 32 | 34 | 16 | 15 | 15 | |
| F | 65+ | 25 | 24 | 21 | 29 | 26 | 25 | 21 | 19 | 18 | 36 | 35 | 36 | 15 | 14 | 14 | |

| | ſ | | F | | | IRL | | | ı | | | L | | NL | | | |
|--------|---------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--|
| Gender | Age | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | |
| Total | Total | 17 | 17 | 17 | 19 | 19 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 19 | 12 | 12 | : | 11 | 12 | 13 | |
| М | Total | 16 | 17 | 17 | 18 | 18 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 11 | 12 | : | 11 | 12 | 12 | |
| F | Total | 17 | 18 | 17 | 20 | 20 | 21 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 13 | 12 | : | 12 | 13 | 14 | |
| Total | 0 - 15 | 20 | 22 | 24 | 27 | 26 | 28 | 24 | 24 | 24 | 16 | 17 | : | 13 | 15 | 13 | |
| M | 0 - 15 | 20 | 23 | 27 | 27 | 25 | 28 | 25 | 24 | 25 | 16 | 22 | : | 12 | 15 | 13 | |
| F | 0 - 15 | 19 | 21 | 21 | 28 | 28 | 27 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 17 | 12 | : | 13 | 15 | 13 | |
| Total | 16 - 24 | 27 | 28 | 30 | 19 | 19 | 21 | 28 | 28 | 26 | 12 | 18 | : | 24 | 27 | 24 | |
| М | 16 - 24 | 24 | 25 | 28 | 17 | 18 | 20 | 27 | 25 | 26 | 11 | 16 | : | 21 | 26 | 24 | |
| F | 16 - 24 | 29 | 32 | 32 | 21 | 20 | 22 | 30 | 30 | 27 | 14 | 20 | : | 27 | 27 | 24 | |
| Total | 25 - 49 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 17 | 17 | 18 | 10 | 9 | : | 9 | 10 | 9 | |
| М | 25 - 49 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 14 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 16 | 17 | 10 | 8 | : | 8 | 9 | 8 | |
| F | 25 - 49 | 12 | 13 | 12 | 16 | 17 | 16 | 18 | 18 | 19 | 11 | 10 | : | 10 | 11 | 10 | |
| Total | 50 -64 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 18 | 17 | 17 | 11 | 10 | : | 8 | 8 | 6 | |
| M | 50 -64 | 13 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 15 | 15 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 11 | 9 | : | 7 | 7 | 5 | |
| F | 50 -64 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 18 | 18 | 16 | 11 | 11 | : | 8 | 8 | 7 | |
| Total | 65+ | 18 | 17 | 17 | 20 | 21 | 25 | 16 | 17 | 16 | 12 | 9 | : | 8 | 8 | : | |
| М | 65+ | 17 | 15 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 18 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 9 | 8 | : | 8 | 8 | : | |
| F | 65+ | 20 | 19 | 19 | 25 | 26 | 30 | 18 | 20 | 17 | 14 | 9 | : | 8 | 7 | : | |

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|--------|---------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--|
| Gender | Age | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | |
| Total | Total | 13 | 14 | 13 | 23 | 22 | 23 | : | 8 | 9 | : | : | 12 | 22 | 18 | 22 | |
| M | Total | 12 | 12 | 12 | 22 | 21 | 22 | : | 8 | 8 | : | : | 12 | 20 | 16 | 20 | |
| F | Total | 15 | 16 | 15 | 25 | 23 | 25 | : | 8 | 9 | : | : | 11 | 23 | 20 | 25 | |
| Total | 0 - 15 | 16 | 18 | 16 | 26 | 25 | 29 | : | 5 | 7 | : | : | 10 | 31 | 26 | 39 | |
| M | 0 - 15 | 15 | 18 | 15 | 25 | 25 | 29 | : | 5 | 6 | : | : | 10 | 30 | 25 | 37 | |
| F | 0 - 15 | 17 | 19 | 16 | 28 | 26 | 30 | : | 5 | 7 | : | : | 10 | 31 | 28 | 42 | |
| Total | 16 - 24 | 13 | 14 | 12 | 19 | 18 | 21 | : | 19 | 19 | : | : | 22 | 21 | 19 | 25 | |
| М | 16 - 24 | 11 | 12 | 14 | 18 | 16 | 20 | : | 20 | 18 | : | : | 20 | 21 | 16 | 26 | |
| F | 16 - 24 | 15 | 15 | 10 | 21 | 20 | 22 | : | 19 | 19 | : | : | 24 | 22 | 22 | 25 | |
| Total | 25 - 49 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 17 | 16 | 17 | : | 5 | 7 | : | : | 12 | 16 | 12 | 14 | |
| M | 25 - 49 | 11 | 10 | 9 | 16 | 15 | 15 | : | 5 | 8 | : | : | 14 | 14 | 11 | 12 | |
| F | 25 - 49 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 17 | 17 | 18 | : | 5 | 7 | : | : | 10 | 18 | 14 | 16 | |
| Total | 50 -64 | 10 | 11 | 10 | 24 | 22 | 21 | : | 7 | 6 | : | : | 7 | 14 | 13 | 12 | |
| M | 50 -64 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 21 | 21 | 19 | : | 9 | 5 | : | : | 7 | 13 | 11 | 13 | |
| F | 50 -64 | 10 | 13 | 12 | 27 | 23 | 23 | : | 5 | 6 | : | : | 7 | 14 | 15 | 12 | |
| Total | 65+ | 20 | 21 | 22 | 39 | 37 | 37 | : | 12 | 9 | : | : | 9 | 32 | 25 | 29 | |
| M | 65+ | 15 | 16 | 16 | 38 | 36 | 34 | : | 6 | 5 | : | : | 8 | 28 | 22 | 22 | |
| F | 65+ | 23 | 24 | 25 | 40 | 38 | 39 | : | 16 | 12 | : | : | 10 | 36 | 27 | 34 | |

| | | | EU15T | |
|-------|---------|------|-------|------|
| Sexe | Age | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 |
| Total | Total | 18 | 17 | 18 |
| М | Total | 17 | 16 | 17 |
| F | Total | 19 | 18 | 18 |
| Total | 0 - 15 | 23 | 22 | 25 |
| М | 0 - 15 | 23 | 22 | 25 |
| F | 0 - 15 | 23 | 22 | 24 |
| Total | 16 - 24 | 23 | 23 | 23 |
| М | 16 - 24 | 22 | 21 | 22 |
| F | 16 - 24 | 24 | 25 | 24 |
| Total | 25 - 49 | 15 | 14 | 13 |
| М | 25 - 49 | 13 | 13 | 12 |
| F | 25 - 49 | 16 | 15 | 14 |
| Total | 50 -64 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| М | 50 -64 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| F | 50 -64 | 16 | 15 | 14 |
| Total | 65+ | 21 | 19 | 19 |
| М | 65+ | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| F | 65+ | 23 | 21 | 22 |

Source: Eurostat, ECHP

Figures showing gender breakdowns for multiple person households are based on the assumption of equal sharing of income within the household."

3b. Risk of poverty rate by gender and most frequent activity (60% of the median equivalised income)

| | 1 | | В | | | DK | | | D | | | EL | | | Е | |
|------------------------------|--------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Most frequent activity | Gender | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 |
| TOTAL | Total | 17 | 15 | 15 | 12 | 10 | 9 | 16 | 14 | 12 | 23 | 21 | 23 | 18 | 18 | 18 |
| TOTAL | M | 16 | 13 | 12 | 11 | 9 | 8 | 13 | 11 | 10 | 22 | 20 | 22 | 18 | 18 | 18 |
| TOTAL | F | 18 | 17 | 16 | 13 | 12 | 10 | 18 | 16 | 15 | 24 | 21 | 24 | 18 | 18 | 18 |
| Employed - not self-employed | Total | 4 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 7 | 6 | 7 |
| Employed - not self-employed | | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 8 | 10 | 10 | 8 | 7 | 7 |
| Employed - not self-employed | F | 4 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 12 | 12 | 13 | 5 | 6 | 5 |
| Self-employed | Total | 17 | 18 | 15 | 20 | 15 | 13 | 10 | 7 | 5 | 24 | 22 | 23 | 23 | 30 | 27 |
| Self-employed | M | 19 | 17 | 16 | 22 | 16 | 18 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 25 | 23 | 24 | 23 | 31 | 28 |
| Self-employed | F | 12 | 19 | 12 | 16 | 12 | 2u | 14 | 14 | 8 | 23 | 19 | 18 | 21 | 27 | 24 |
| Unemployed | Total | 35 | 30 | 29 | 10 | 8 | 4 | 40 | 39 | 35 | 34 | 28 | 38 | 38 | 34 | 36 |
| Unemployed | M | 46 | 39 | 34 | 13 | 12 | 6 | 42 | 45 | 39 | 44 | 37 | 45 | 42 | 39 | 41 |
| Unemployed | F | 27 | 24 | 26 | 9 | 5 | 3 | 37 | 32 | 32 | 28 | 23 | 34 | 34 | 28 | 30 |
| Retired | Total | 20 | 17 | 18 | 24 | 21 | 18 | 20 | 17 | 15 | 34 | 31 | 36 | 12 | 11 | 13 |
| Retired | M | 21 | 15 | 18 | 22 | 19 | 16 | 17 | 13 | 12 | 32 | 29 | 32 | 15 | 14 | 15 |
| Retired | F | 20 | 19 | 18 | 26 | 22 | 20 | 22 | 19 | 18 | 37 | 36 | 40 | 6 | 6 | 7 |
| Inactive - other | Total | 28 | 26 | 24 | 24 | 26 | 21 | 27 | 25 | 23 | 25 | 22 | 24 | 22 | 21 | 21 |
| Inactive - other | M | 31 | 26 | 21 | 30 | 27 | 24 | 26 | 26 | 24 | 30 | 24 | 29 | 22 | 22 | 21 |
| Inactive - other | F | 27 | 25 | 25 | 21 | 25 | 19 | 27 | 25 | 22 | 24 | 22 | 23 | 22 | 21 | 21 |

^{*} In the age group 18-24 years there is a large number of persons who are in full-time education. Such persons would in some Member States live mainly or partly from income in kind transferred from parents/family. Income in kind are not part of the income concept used in this study and thus the poverty rate for persons in full-time education may be overestimated.

| | | | F | | | IRL | | | | | | L | | NL | | |
|------------------------------|--------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Most frequent activity | Gender | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 |
| TOTAL | Total | 15 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 18 | 18 | 11 | 10 | : | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| TOTAL | M | 14 | 15 | 14 | 14 | 15 | 17 | 18 | 17 | 17 | 10 | 9 | : | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| TOTAL | F | 16 | 17 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 18 | 12 | 11 | : | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| Employed - not self-employed | | 7 | 7 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 5 | | 6 | 6 | 5 |
| Employed - not self-employed | M | 7 | 7 | 7 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 7 | 6 | : | 6 | 6 | 5 |
| Employed - not self-employed | F | 6 | 6 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 5 | 6 | 9 | 5 | : | 6 | 7 | 6 |
| Self-employed | Total | 15 | 16 | 17 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 22 | 19 | 24 | 12 | 12 | : | 18 | 18 | 17 |
| Self-employed | M | 15 | 16 | 18 | 14 | 14 | 12 | 23 | 20 | 26 | 13 | 8 | : | 20 | 19 | 17 |
| Self-employed | F | 14 | 14 | 16 | 9 | 7 | 15 | 19 | 16 | 17 | : | : | : | 12 | 15 | 16 |
| Unemployed | Total | 36 | 43 | 38 | 35 | 39 | 44 | 48 | 48 | 47 | : | : | : | 20 | 23 | 19 |
| Unemployed | M | 43 | 52 | 42 | 39 | 42 | 47 | 52 | 54 | 52 | : | : | : | 24 | 29 | 20 |
| Unemployed | F | 31 | 36 | 33 | 21 | 28 | 33 | 43 | 41 | 40 | : | : | : | 19 | 21 | 18 |
| Retired | Total | 17 | 17 | 15 | 18 | 17 | 22 | 15 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 11 | | 6 | : | |
| Retired | M | 15 | 15 | 14 | 17 | 16 | 20 | 14 | 14 | 13 | 10 | 10 | : | 6 | : | : |
| Retired | F | 18 | 18 | 17 | 20 | 19 | 30 | 15 | 13 | 12 | 15 | 12 | : | 9 | : | : |
| Inactive - other | Total | 28 | 28 | 31 | 24 | 26 | 27 | 25 | 26 | 24 | 15 | 15 | : | 15 | 15 | 21 |
| Inactive - other | M | 29 | 26 | 28 | 20 | 24 | 29 | 24 | 21 | 21 | 18 | 18 | : | 18 | 17 | 23 |
| Inactive - other | F | 28 | 29 | 32 | 25 | 27 | 27 | 26 | 27 | 24 | 14 | 14 | : | 14 | 15 | 19 |

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|------------------------------|--------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Most frequent activity | Gender | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 |
| TOTAL | Total | 13 | 13 | 13 | 23 | 22 | 22 | : | 9 | 8 | : | : | : | 19 | 16 | 17 |
| TOTAL | M | 11 | 11 | 11 | 21 | 20 | 20 | : | 8 | 8 | : | : | : | 17 | 14 | 15 |
| TOTAL | F | 15 | 15 | 15 | 25 | 23 | 25 | : | 9 | 9 | : | : | : | 21 | 18 | 20 |
| Employed - not self-employed | Total | 6 | 6 | 5 | 10 | 10 | 11 | : | 2 | 2 | : | : | | 6 | 6 | 5 |
| Employed - not self-employed | M | 6 | 6 | 4 | 11 | 10 | 10 | : | 2 | 2 | : | : | : | 6 | 4 | 3 |
| Employed - not self-employed | F | 7 | 6 | 6 | 10 | 10 | 12 | : | 2 | 2 | : | : | : | 7 | 8 | 7 |
| Self-employed | Total | 23 | 20 | 25 | 35 | 34 | 32 | : | 15 | 13 | : | : | | 20 | 14 | 15 |
| Self-employed | М | 26 | 22 | 27 | 30 | 30 | 30 | : | 15 | 11 | : | : | : | 20 | 16 | 15 |
| Self-employed | F | 19 | 16 | 22 | 43 | 41 | 36 | : | 15 | 15 | : | : | : | 20 | 7 | 14 |
| Unemployed | Total | 34 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 29 | 34 | : | 17 | 19 | : | : | | 54 | 48 | 49 |
| Unemployed | M | 37 | 34 | 36 | 41 | 29 | 42 | : | 20 | 23 | : | : | : | 55 | 50 | 53 |
| Unemployed | F | 29 | 28 | 25 | 23 | 29 | 28 | : | 14 | 15 | : | : | : | 50 | 44 | 37 |
| Retired | Total | 14 | 16 | 16 | 35 | 32 | 33 | : | 10 | 7 | : | : | | 30 | 24 | 29 |
| Retired | М | 12 | 14 | 14 | 36 | 33 | 31 | : | 6 | 3 | : | : | : | 27 | 21 | 23 |
| Retired | F | 17 | 19 | 17 | 35 | 32 | 34 | : | 13 | 10 | : | : | : | 33 | 26 | 34 |
| Inactive - other | Total | 21 | 24 | 21 | 28 | 27 | 28 | : | 18 | 18 | : | : | | 32 | 27 | 31 |
| Inactive - other | М | 21 | 20 | 21 | 19 | 27 | 23 | : | 21 | 22 | : | : | : | 30 | 26 | 34 |
| Inactive - other | F | 22 | 24 | 21 | 30 | 27 | 30 | : | 16 | 15 | : | : | : | 33 | 28 | 29 |

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|------------------------------|--------|------|-------|------|
| Most frequent activity | Gender | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 |
| TOTAL | Total | 17 | 16 | 16 |
| TOTAL | M | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| TOTAL | F | 19 | 17 | 17 |
| Employed - not self-employed | Total | 7 | 7 | 6 |
| Employed - not self-employed | M | 7 | 7 | 6 |
| Employed - not self-employed | F | 7 | 7 | 6 |
| Self-employed | Total | 18 | 16 | 17 |
| Self-employed | M | 18 | 16 | 17 |
| Self-employed | F | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| Unemployed | Total | 40 | 40 | 38 |
| Unemployed | M | 45 | 45 | 43 |
| Unemployed | F | 36 | 34 | 32 |
| Retired | Total | 20 | 17 | 18 |
| Retired | M | 18 | 15 | 15 |
| Retired | F | 20 | 18 | 19 |
| Inactive - other | Total | 26 | 25 | 25 |
| Inactive - other | M | 26 | 24 | 25 |
| Inactive - other | F | 26 | 25 | 25 |

Source: Eurostat, ECHP

Figures showing gender breakdowns for multiple person households are based on the assumption of equal sharing of income within the household.

The figures cover the population aged 16 or more.

* The variable on most frequent activity status is not available in the Dutch ECHP. The figures provided here are constructed from comparable information.

Note: Break in series for UK see table 1

u: unreliable data

3c. Risk of poverty rate by household type (60% of median equivalised income)

| | | Total | 1 person | 1 person | 1 person | 1 person | 1 person | 1 person |
|-------|------|-------|-----------|----------|------------|----------|-----------|----------|
| | | | hh, total | hh, male | hh, female | | hh, 30-64 | hh, over |
| | | | , | | , | 30 yrs | vrs | 65 vrs |
| В | 1995 | 17 | 23 | 20 | 25 | 33 | 18 | 26 |
| | 1996 | 16 | 21 | 11 | 27 | 26 | 15 | 25 |
| | 1997 | 15 | 20 | 15 | 23 | 27u | 15 | 23 |
| DK | 1995 | 12 | 27 | 22 | 32 | 43 | 11 | 35 |
| | 1996 | 10 | 25 | 19 | 30 | 42 | 11 | 29 |
| | 1997 | 8 | 24 | 20 | 27 | 47 | 9 | 26 |
| D | 1995 | 17 | 26 | 21 | 29 | 40 | 19 | 27 |
| | 1996 | 16 | 21 | 17 | 24 | 34 | 15 | 25 |
| | 1997 | 14 | 24 | 19 | 27 | 34 | 20 | 25 |
| EL | 1995 | 22 | 32 | 22 | 36 | 25 | 20 | 41 |
| | 1996 | 21 | 25 | 20 | 30 | 24u | 13 | 33 |
| | 1997 | 22 | 29 | 18 | 35 | 34 | 15 | 36 |
| E | 1995 | 20 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 16u | 18 | 12 |
| | 1996 | 19 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 21u | 16 | 8 |
| | 1997 | 19 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 32u | 14 | 8 |
| F | 1995 | 17 | 24 | 24 | 24 | 40 | 16 | 25 |
| | 1996 | 17 | 24 | 23 | 24 | 41 | 15 | 25 |
| | 1997 | 17 | 20 | 18 | 21 | 32 | 11 | 25 |
| IRL | 1995 | 19 | 36 | 29 | 42 | 16 | 30 | 46 |
| | 1996 | 19 | 37 | 30 | 43 | 21 | 29 | 48 |
| | 1997 | 20 | 43 | 34 | 51 | 17 | 32 | 58 |
| I | 1995 | 20 | 23 | 15 | 27 | 15u | 14 | 29 |
| | 1996 | 20 | 23 | 14 | 27 | 27u | 13 | 28 |
| | 1997 | 19 | 21 | 16 | 23 | 26u | 16 | 23 |
| L | 1995 | 12 | 13 | 6 | 18 | 12u | 9 | 18 |
| | 1996 | 12 | 12 | 5 | 17 | 13u | 11 | 13 |
| | 1997 | : | : | | : | : | : | : |
| NL | 1995 | 11 | 18 | 18 | 17 | 50 | 7 | 8 |
| | 1996 | 12 | 19 | 20 | 18 | 53 | 8 | 7 |
| | 1997 | 13 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 53 | 5 | : |
| Α | 1995 | 13 | 25 | 18 | 29 | 29 | 18 | 30 |
| | 1996 | 14 | 27 | 18 | 31 | 34 | 19 | 31 |
| | 1997 | 13 | 27 | 19 | 31 | 29 | 19 | 33 |
| Р | 1995 | 23 | 49 | 45 | 51 | : | 34 | 58 |
| | 1996 | 22 | 47 | 42 | 49 | : | 34 | 55 |
| | 1997 | 23 | 43 | | 46 | 18u | 29 | |
| FIN | 1995 | : | : | : | : | : | : | : |
| | 1996 | 8 | 23 | 23 | 24 | 48 | 14 | 25 |
| | 1997 | 9 | 20 | | 20 | 43 | 12 | 17 |
| S | 1995 | : | | : | : | : | : | : |
| | 1996 | : | : | : | : | : | : | : |
| | 1997 | 12 | 23 | 26 | 20 | 46 | 18 | 11 |
| UK | 1995 | 22 | 32 | 26 | 36 | 30 | 21 | 40 |
| | 1996 | 18 | 27 | 20 | 31 | 29 | 18 | 33 |
| | 1997 | 22 | 35 | | 41 | 42 | 17 | 47 |
| EU15T | 1995 | 18 | 25 | 21 | 28 | 30 | 18 | 29 |
| | 1996 | 17 | 23 | 18 | 25 | 31 | 16 | 26 |
| | 1997 | 18 | 24 | | 27 | 34 | 16 | |

| | | 2 adults, | 2 adults, | Other hh | Single | 2 adults, 1 | 2 adults, 2 | 2 adults, 3 | Other hh |
|------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| | | without | without | without | parent, at | dep. child | dep. | or more | with dep. |
| | | dep. | dep. | dep. | least 1 | - | children | dep. | children |
| | | children, | children, | children | dep. child | | | children | |
| | | (at least | (both | | • | | | | |
| | | one 65+ | under 65 | | | | | | |
| | | vrs) | vrs) | | | | | | |
| В | 1995 | 23 | 12 | 8 | 34 | 10 | 14 | 22 | 23 |
| | 1996 | 18 | 8 | 5 | 30 | 9 | 14 | 25 | |
| | 1997 | 20 | 10 | 6 | 30 | 7 | 12 | 18 | |
| DK | 1995 | 19 | 4 | 6 | 9 | 4 | 3 | | |
| | 1996 | 19 | 4 | 7 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 13 | |
| | 1997 | 17 | 3 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 0 |
| D | 1995 | 10 | 13 | 11 | 53 | 12 | 14 | 32 | |
| | 1996 | 11 | 9 | 7 | 55 | 13 | | 38 | |
| | 1997 | 8 | 8 | 5 | 48 | 8 | 12 | : | 6 |
| EL | 1995 | 39 | 17 | 18 | 23 | 12 | 17 | 16 | |
| | 1996 | 35 | 13 | | 26 | 10 | 17 | 20 | |
| <u> </u> | 1997 | 36 | 17 | 16 | 24 | 13 | 14 | 26 | |
| E | 1995 | 19 | 13 | 13 | 38 | 15 | 18 | 31 | 26 |
| | 1996 | 18 | 15 | 12 | 36 | 14 | 17 | 36 | |
| | 1997 | 18 | 14 | 12 | 30 | 14 | 21 | 33 | |
| F | 1995 | 16 | 11 | 9 | 29 | 9 | 8 | 28 | |
| | 1996 | 14 | 11 | 8 | 31 | 8 | 9 | 34 | |
| | 1997 | 14 | 10 | 10 | : | 7 | 8 | 30 | |
| IRL | 1995 | 8 | 6 | 5 | 52 | 7 | 15 | 34 | |
| | 1996 | 10 | 7 | 4 | 52 | 11 | 16 | | |
| | 1997 | 9 | 7 | 4 | 40 | 14 | 12 | 38 | 20 |
| l l | 1995 | 12 | 8 | 14 | 23 | 14 | 18 | 42 | |
| | 1996 | 13 | 9 | 15 | 19 | 13 | 19 | | |
| | 1997 | 14 | 11 | 14 | 25 | 15 | 21 | 34 | 29 |
| L | 1995 | 12 | 8 | 5 | 27u | 11 | 9 | 30 | |
| | 1996 1997 | 9 | 10 | 2 | 27u | 8 | 9 | 23 | 17 |
| NL | 1997 | . 8 | | 9 | 30 | . 11 | 9 | 16 | 15 |
| INL | 1995 | 8 | 6 | 7 | 30 45 | 9 | 9 | | |
| | 1997 | 0 | 6 6 | 6 | 40 | 7 | 6 | | |
| Α | 1995 | 18 | 7 | 6 | 40 | 12 | 8 | 24 | |
| ^ | 1996 | 15 | 8 | 5 | 32 | 10 | 11 | 31 | 17 |
| | 1997 | 18 | 6 | 6 | 28 | 11 | 9 | 26 | |
| P | 1995 | 42 | 22 | 15 | 34 | 13 | 17 | 45 | 23 |
| | 1996 | 38 | 18 | 14 | 32 | 16 | 16 | | |
| | 1997 | 40 | | | 40 | | | | |
| FIN | 1995 | ,, | | | | | | | |
| | 1996 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 9 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 11 |
| | 1997 | 4 | 8 | 4 | 9 | 5 | 4 | 9 | |
| s | 1995 | | : | | : | : | | : | |
| | 1996 |] | | | | : | : | | |
| | 1997 | 4 | 7 | 35u | 16 | 6 | 7 | 12 | 44u |
| UK | 1995 | 28 | 8 | 6 | 59 | 13 | 19 | 38 | |
| | 1996 | 20 | 7 | 5 | 49 | 11 | 16 | | |
| | 1997 | 17 | 7 | 7 | 41 | 12 | 16 | | 16 |
| EU15T | 1995 | 17 | 11 | 11 | 40 | 12 | 15 | | |
| | 1996 | 15 | 10 | 9 | 38 | 11 | 14 | 35 | |
| | 1997 | 15 | 9 | 9 | 40 | | |] | 20 |

Source: Eurostat, ECHP

Figures showing gender breakdowns for multiple person households are based on the assumption of equal sharing of income within the household.

Note: Break in series for UK see table 1, u: unreliable data

4. Dispersion around the risk of poverty threshold (40%, 50%, 60% and 70% of the median equivalised income)

| | | 40% of the median | 50% of the median | 60% of the median | 70% of the median |
|-------|------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| В | 1995 | 6 | 10 | 17 | 26 |
| | 1996 | 6 | 10 | 16 | 24 |
| | 1997 | 6 | 10 | 15 | 23 |
| DK | 1995 | 2 | 4 | 12 | 19 |
| | 1996 | 2 | 5 | 10 | 17 |
| | 1997 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 16 |
| D | 1995 | 8 | 11 | 17 | 24 |
| | 1996 | 6 | 9 | 16 | 22 |
| | 1997 | 4 | 8 | 14 | 21 |
| EL | 1995 | 10 | 16 | 22 | 29 |
| | 1996 | 9 | 15 | 21 | 27 |
| | 1997 | 11 | 16 | 22 | 29 |
| E | 1995 | 8 | 12 | 20 | 27 |
| | 1996 | 9 | 13 | 19 | 25 |
| | 1997 | 9 | 13 | 19 | 25 |
| F | 1995 | 5 | 9 | 17 | 25 |
| | 1996 | 4 | 10 | 17 | 25 |
| | 1997 | 4 | 11 | 17 | 25 |
| IRL | 1995 | 3 | 8 | 19 | 29 |
| | 1996 | 3 | 8 | 19 | 29 |
| | 1997 | 2 | 10 | 20 | 29 |
| | 1995 | 8 | 13 | 20 | 27 |
| | 1996 | 8 | 13 | 20 | 26 |
| | 1997 | 9 | 13 | 19 | 27 |
| L | 1995 | 4 | 7 | 12 | 21 |
| | 1996 | 3 | 6 | 12 | 20 |
| | 1997 | : | : | : | : |
| NL | 1995 | 5 | 7 | 11 | 20 |
| | 1996 | 5 | 8 | 12 | 21 |
| | 1997 | 6 | 9 | 13 | 22 |
| Α | 1995 | 4 | 7 | 13 | 21 |
| | 1996 | 4 | 7 | 14 | 22 |
| | 1997 | 4 | 8 | 13 | 21 |
| Р | 1995 | 10 | 17 | 23 | 30 |
| | 1996 | 9 | 15 | 22 | 29 |
| | 1997 | 9 | 15 | 23 | 30 |
| FIN | 1995 | : | : | : | : |
| | 1996 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 16 |
| | 1997 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 17 |
| S | 1995 | : | : | : | : |
| | 1996 | : | : | : | : |
| | 1997 | 4 | 7 | 12 | 20 |
| UK | 1995 | 6 | 13 | 22 | 30 |
| | 1996 | 6 | 12 | 18 | 26 |
| | 1997 | 11 | 16 | 22 | 29 |
| EU15T | 1995 | 7 | 11 | 18 | 26 |
| | 1996 | 6 | 11 | 17 | 25 |
| | 1997 | 7 | 12 | 18 | 25 |
| | | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | · | |

Source: Eurostat, ECHP

5. Risk of poverty rate anchored at a moment in time (%)

| | 1995 | 1995x | 1996 | 1996x | 1997 |
|-------|------|-------|------|-------|------|
| В | 17 | 16 | 16 | 14 | 15 |
| DK | 12 | 11 | 10 | 8 | 8 |
| D | 17 | 15 | 16 | 13 | 14 |
| EL | 22 | 21 | 21 | 22 | 22 |
| Ε | 20 | 20 | 19 | 19 | 19 |
| F | 17 | 17 | 17 | 18 | 17 |
| IRL | 19 | 17 | 19 | 14 | 20 |
| I | 20 | 19 | 20 | 20 | 19 |
| L | : | : | : | : | : |
| NL | 11 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 13 |
| Α | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 13 |
| Р | 23 | 22 | 22 | 22 | 23 |
| FIN | : | : | 8 | : | 9 |
| S | : | : | : | : | 12 |
| UK | 20 | 23 | 21 | 20 | 22 |
| EU15T | 18 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 18 |

Source: Eurostat, ECHP

<u>6.</u> Risk of poverty rates before transfers by gender (including and excluding old age pensions) (60% of median equivalised income)

| | | Exclu | ding o | ld age i | pension | s in so | cial tra | nsfers | |
|-------|-------|-------|--------|----------|---------|---------|----------|--------|----|
| | | 1995 | | | 1996 | | | 1997 | |
| | Total | M | F | Total | М | F | total | М | F |
| В | 29 | 28 | 30 | 28 | 27 | 29 | 28 | 27 | 29 |
| DK | 31 | 30 | 33 | 31 | 29 | 32 | 29 | 27 | 31 |
| D | 24 | 22 | 25 | 23 | 22 | 24 | 22 | 21 | 23 |
| EL | 23 | 22 | 24 | 23 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 23 | 24 |
| E | 27 | 28 | 27 | 26 | 26 | 26 | 28 | 28 | 28 |
| F | 28 | 27 | 28 | 28 | 27 | 29 | 28 | 28 | 28 |
| IRL | 34 | 33 | 36 | 33 | 32 | 34 | 34 | 32 | 35 |
| I | 23 | 22 | 23 | 22 | 21 | 23 | 22 | 21 | 22 |
| L | 25 | 25 | 26 | 26 | 25 | 26 | : | | : |
| NL | 25 | 24 | 25 | 24 | 24 | 24 | 26 | 25 | 26 |
| Α | 25 | 23 | 27 | 25 | 22 | 28 | 25 | 23 | 27 |
| Р | 28 | 26 | 30 | 28 | 27 | 29 | 29 | 27 | 30 |
| FIN | : | | : | 32 | 30 | 33 | 34 | 33 | 35 |
| S | : | : | : | : | : | : | 29 | 26 | 30 |
| UK | 33 | 30 | 36 | 30 | 27 | 33 | 33 | 31 | 36 |
| EU15T | 27 | 25 | 28 | 26 | 25 | 27 | 26 | 25 | 27 |

| | | Inclu | ding ol | d age p | ension | s in so | cial trar | nsfers | |
|-------|-------|-------|---------|---------|--------|---------|-----------|--------|----|
| | | 1995 | | | 1996 | | | 1997 | |
| | Total | М | F | Total | М | F | Total | М | F |
| В | 45 | 42 | 48 | 46 | 42 | 49 | 46 | 43 | 49 |
| DK | 40 | 37 | 42 | 40 | 37 | 43 | 38 | 35 | 41 |
| D | 39 | 34 | 43 | 38 | 34 | 42 | 38 | 35 | 42 |
| EL | 38 | 36 | 40 | 37 | 37 | 37 | 38 | 36 | 39 |
| E | 41 | 39 | 43 | 42 | 40 | 43 | 42 | 41 | 43 |
| F | 40 | 38 | 42 | 41 | 38 | 43 | 41 | 39 | 43 |
| IRL | 42 | 40 | 44 | 42 | 40 | 44 | 40 | 39 | 42 |
| I | 40 | 38 | 42 | 41 | 38 | 44 | 42 | 40 | 45 |
| L | 41 | 38 | 43 | 42 | 40 | 44 | : | : | : |
| NL | 38 | 36 | 41 | 38 | 36 | 41 | 37 | 34 | 40 |
| Α | 42 | 37 | 46 | 40 | 36 | 44 | 40 | 36 | 43 |
| Р | 38 | 35 | 40 | 38 | 36 | 40 | 39 | 36 | 41 |
| FIN | : | : | : | 38 | 36 | 40 | 39 | 38 | 41 |
| S | : | : | : | : | : | : | 45 | 41 | 48 |
| UK | 42 | 38 | 45 | 39 | 35 | 43 | 43 | 39 | 46 |
| EU15T | 40 | 37 | 43 | 40 | 37 | 43 | 41 | 38 | 44 |

Source: Eurostat. ECHP

Figures showing gender breakdowns for multiple person households are based on the assumption of equal sharing of income within the household.

Note: Break in series for UK see table 1

7. Persistent risk of poverty for 3 continuous years (1997, 1996, 1995) (60% of median equivalised income)

| | Total | Male | Female |
|----------|-------|------|--------|
| В | 8 | 7 | 9 |
| DK | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| D | 8 | 7 | 9 |
| EL | 11 | 10 | 12 |
| E F | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| IRL | 11 | 10 | 11 |
| I | 8 | 8 | 9 |
| L | : | • | • |
| NL | 4 | 4 | 5 |
| Α | 5 | 5 | 6 |
| Р | 15 | 14 | 16 |
| FIN | : | : | : |
| FIN S | : | • | |
| UK | 10 | 8 | 11 |
| EU15T | 9 | 8 | 9 |

Source: Eurostat, ECHP (1995, 1996, 1997)

Figures showing gender breakdowns for multiple person households are based on the assumption of equal sharing of income within the household.

8. Coefficient of Variation - Employment Rate (in percentage)

| | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 |
|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| В | 8,1 | 7,7 | 7,5 | 7,5 | 7,6 | 8,0 |
| D | 5,9 | 5,8 | 5,5 | 5,6 | 5,8 | 5,9 |
| EL | 9,0 | 10,1 | 9,1 | 7,3 | 7,3 | 7,3 |
| EL | 10,7 | 10,6 | 10,9 | 11,2 | 10,9 | 10,8 |
| F | 6,9 | 7,0 | 7,1 | 7,2 | 7,1 | 6,9 |
| I | 16,3 | 17,5 | 17,2 | 16,5 | 17,2 | 17,1 |
| NL | 3,1 | 3,5 | 3,2 | 3,1 | 2,7 | 2,1 |
| Α | 3,2 | 3,2 | 2,8 | 2,6 | 1,7 | 3,0 |
| Р | 6,3 | 8,1 | 9,6 | 7,4 | 7,5 | 8,2 |
| FIN | 7,1 | 7,2 | 7,2 | 7,3 | 7,5 | 7,1 |
| S | : | 4,3 | 3,2 | 4,2 | 4,4 | 4,7 |
| UK | 5,4 | 6,5 | 6,4 | 7,4 | 8,0 | 7,8 |

9. Long term unemployment rate

| | | Total lo | ng-term uner | mployed pop | ulation/ | | | | | | |
|-------|--------------------------|----------|--------------|-------------|----------|------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | Total active population. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | | | | | |
| В | 5,8 | 5,8 | 5,4 | 5,7 | 5,2 | 3,8 | | | | | |
| DK | 2,0 | 1,8 | 1,5 | 1,3 | 1,0 | 1,0 | | | | | |
| D | 3,9 | 4,2 | 4,9 | 5,0 | 4,5 | 4,0 | | | | | |
| EL | 4,6 | 5,4 | 5,3 | 5,9 | 6,5 | : | | | | | |
| E | 12,4 | 11,8 | 10,8 | 9,4 | 7,3 | 5,9 | | | | | |
| FR | 4,7 | 4,7 | 5,0 | 5,0 | 4,7 | 3,8 | | | | | |
| IRL | 7,2 | 6,9 | 5,7 | : | 2,8 | 1,7 | | | | | |
| I | 7,4 | 7,9 | 8,1 | 7,1 | 7,1 | 6,4 | | | | | |
| L | 0,7 | 0,9 | 0,9 | 0,9 | 0,8 | 0,6 | | | | | |
| NL | 3,1 | 3,0 | 2,5 | 1,9 | 1,4 | 0,8 | | | | | |
| Α | 1,2 | 1,4 | 1,5 | 1,6 | 1,5 | 1,0 | | | | | |
| Р | 3,4 | 3,6 | 3,5 | 2,1 | 1,9 | 1,7 | | | | | |
| FIN | 5,5 | 5,1 | 4,4 | 3,6 | 2,6 | 2,8 | | | | | |
| S | 1,8 | 2,9 | 3,5 | 3,3 | 2,2 | 1,3 | | | | | |
| UK | 3,8 | 3,3 | 2,7 | 2,0 | 1,8 | 1,5 | | | | | |
| EU-15 | 5,2 | 5,2 | 5,2 | : | 4,3 | 3,6 | | | | | |

| Males | | Total lo | ng-term une | mployed pop | ulation/ | | | | | | |
|-------|------|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|----------|------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | | Total active population. | | | | | | | | | |
| | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | | | | | |
| В | 4,5 | 4,4 | 4,2 | 4,5 | 4,5 | 3,1 | | | | | |
| DK | 1,8 | 1,6 | 1,2 | 0,9 | 0,9 | 0,9 | | | | | |
| D | 3,2 | 3,6 | 4,3 | 4,5 | 4,2 | 3,7 | | | | | |
| EL | 2,6 | 2,8 | 2,8 | 3,1 | 3,7 | • | | | | | |
| E | 8,8 | 8,1 | 7,5 | 6,1 | 4,4 | 3,5 | | | | | |
| FR | 3,9 | 3,8 | 4,2 | 4,3 | 3,9 | 3,0 | | | | | |
| IRL | 7,8 | 7,5 | 6,4 | : | 3,2 | 2,1 | | | | | |
| I | 5,7 | 6,1 | 6,4 | 5,6 | 5,4 | 4,9 | | | | | |
| L | 0,5 | 0,7 | 0,6 | 0,7 | 0,7 | 0,5 | | | | | |
| NL | 2,9 | 2,6 | 1,9 | 1,5 | 1,1 | 0,7 | | | | | |
| Α | 1,0 | 1,2 | 1,4 | 1,5 | 1,3 | 1,0 | | | | | |
| Р | 3,0 | 3,1 | 3,0 | 1,6 | 1,6 | 1,4 | | | | | |
| FIN | 6,3 | 5,6 | 4,6 | 4,2 | 2,6 | 2,8 | | | | | |
| S | 2,3 | 3,5 | 3,8 | 3,9 | 2,7 | 1,4 | | | | | |
| UK | 5,0 | 4,4 | 3,6 | 2,6 | 2,3 | 2,0 | | | | | |
| EU-15 | 4,5 | 4,5 | 4,5 | | 3,6 | 3,0 | | | | | |

| Females | | Total lo | ng-term unei | mployed pop | ulation/ | | | |
|---------|------|--------------------------|--------------|-------------|----------|------|--|--|
| | | Total active population. | | | | | | |
| _ | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | | |
| В | 7,7 | 7,8 | 7,1 | 7,4 | 6,2 | 4,8 | | |
| DK | 2,1 | 2,1 | 1,8 | 1,8 | 1,2 | 1,2 | | |
| D | 4,9 | 4,9 | 5,6 | 5,7 | 4,9 | 4,3 | | |
| EL | 7,9 | 9,6 | 9,2 | 10,1 | 10,7 | : | | |
| E | 18,2 | 17,5 | 16,1 | 14,4 | 11,6 | 9,5 | | |
| FR | 5,8 | 5,8 | 5,9 | 5,9 | 5,5 | 4,7 | | |
| IRL | 6,1 | 5,9 | 4,6 | : | 2,1 | 1,0 | | |
| I | 10,3 | 11,0 | 11,0 | 9,6 | 9,8 | 8,8 | | |
| L | 0,9 | 1,2 | 1,3 | 1,1 | 0,9 | 0,6 | | |
| NL | 3,4 | 3,5 | 3,2 | 2,3 | 1,7 | 1,1 | | |
| Α | 1,5 | 1,5 | 1,5 | 1,8 | 1,7 | 1,0 | | |
| Р | 4,0 | 4,3 | 4,1 | 2,6 | 2,2 | 2,0 | | |
| FIN | 4,6 | 4,5 | 4,1 | 3,1 | 2,6 | 2,7 | | |
| S | 1,3 | 2,2 | 3,1 | 2,7 | 1,6 | 1,1 | | |
| UK | 2,2 | 1,8 | 1,6 | 1,3 | 1,1 | 0,9 | | |
| EU-15 | 6,1 | 6,2 | 6,2 | : | 5,2 | 4,4 | | |

10. Long term unemployment share

| | | Total long-term unemployed population/ | | | | |
|-------|------|--|------|------|------|------|
| | | Total unemployed population. | | | | |
| | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 |
| В | 62,4 | 61,3 | 60,5 | 61,7 | 60,5 | 54,3 |
| DK | 27,9 | 26,5 | 27,0 | 26,7 | 20,3 | 21,3 |
| D | 48,3 | 47,2 | 49,2 | 51,5 | 50,8 | 50,6 |
| EL | 50,9 | 56,3 | 55,4 | 54,5 | 55,3 | 0,0 |
| E | 54,6 | 52,8 | 51,7 | 49,7 | 46,3 | 41,8 |
| FR | 39,9 | 38,0 | 39,2 | 41,6 | 38,7 | 40,0 |
| IRL | 60,1 | 58,6 | 55,6 | | 48,3 | 40,5 |
| I | 62,9 | 65,1 | 65,6 | 58,9 | 60,6 | 61,0 |
| L | 22,4 | 27,6 | 34,6 | 31,3 | 32,3 | 25,0 |
| NL | 43,6 | 46,0 | 44,9 | 42,4 | 37,7 | 29,6 |
| Α | 27,0 | 25,6 | 28,3 | 29,2 | 31,2 | 27,0 |
| Р | 48,7 | 49,9 | 53,4 | 44,1 | 40,9 | 40,5 |
| FIN | 32,3 | 32,8 | 29,2 | 27,6 | 22,3 | 28,6 |
| S | 20,4 | 30,0 | 33,9 | 37,4 | 29,1 | 22,0 |
| UK | 43,5 | 39,8 | 38,6 | 32,6 | 29,6 | |
| EU-15 | 48,6 | 47,9 | 48,5 | : | 45,6 | 43,9 |

11. Very long term unemployment rate

| | | Total very long-term unemployed population/ | | | | |
|-------|------|---|---------------------|-------------|------|------|
| | | | Total active | population. | | |
| | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 |
| В | 3,8 | 3,8 | 3,7 | 4,1 | 3,8 | 2,7 |
| DK | 0,8 | 0,8 | 0,6 | 0,6 | 0,5 | 0,3 |
| D | 2,2 | 2,5 | 3,0 | 3,1 | 2,9 | 2,6 |
| EL | 2,5 | 3,2 | 3,1 | 3,8 | 3,9 | 3,6 |
| E | 8,1 | 7,7 | 7,1 | 6,2 | 4,8 | 3,8 |
| FR | 2,4 | 2,6 | 2,6 | 2,7 | 2,7 | 2,3 |
| IRL | 5,1 | 4,7 | 3,8 | • | 1,9 | : |
| I | 4,9 | 5,5 | 5,6 | 4,9 | 5,0 | 4,8 |
| L | 0,3 | 0,4 | 0,2 | 0,3 | 0,5 | 0,2 |
| NL | 2,0 | 1,9 | 1,5 | 1,2 | 0,8 | 0,5 |
| Α | 0,6 | 0,7 | 0,7 | 0,9 | 0,7 | 0,8 |
| Р | 1,4 | 1,7 | 1,9 | 1,2 | 0,9 | 0,9 |
| FIN | 2,9 | 2,9 | 2,6 | 2,0 | 1,5 | 1,3 |
| S | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,1 | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,0 |
| UK | 2,4 | 2,1 | 1,8 | 1,3 | 1,1 | 0,9 |
| EU-15 | 3,1 | 3,2 | 3,2 | : | 2,7 | : |

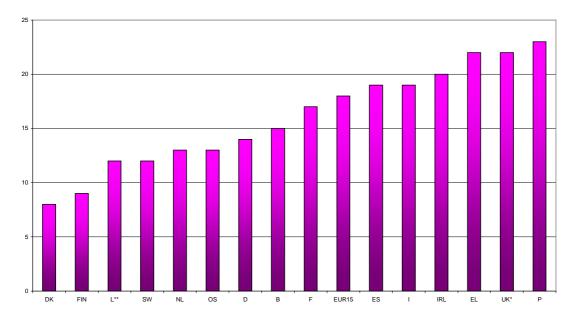
| Males | | Total very long-term unemployed population/ | | | | | |
|-------|------|---|------|------|------|------|--|
| | | Total active population. | | | | | |
| | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | |
| В | 2,7 | 2,8 | 2,8 | 3,2 | 3,0 | 2,1 | |
| DK | 0,6 | 0,7 | 0,5 | 0,4 | 0,4 | 0,3 | |
| D | 1,7 | 2,1 | 2,5 | 2,6 | 2,6 | 2,3 | |
| EL | 1,4 | 1,5 | 1,6 | 1,9 | 2,1 | 2,1 | |
| Е | 5,4 | 5,0 | 4,6 | 3,8 | 2,8 | 2,2 | |
| FR | 1,9 | 2,1 | 2,1 | 2,3 | 2,2 | 1,8 | |
| IRL | 5,9 | 5,5 | 4,5 | : | 2,3 | : | |
| I | 3,8 | 4,3 | 4,4 | 3,9 | 3,9 | 3,7 | |
| L | 0,2 | 0,3 | 0,2 | 0,3 | 0,4 | 0,1 | |
| NL | 1,9 | 1,7 | 1,2 | 1,1 | 0,7 | 0,4 | |
| Α | 0,6 | 0,7 | 0,8 | 0,8 | 0,7 | 0,9 | |
| Р | 1,2 | 1,4 | 1,5 | 1,0 | 0,7 | 0,8 | |
| FIN | 3,5 | 3,4 | 2,8 | 2,4 | 1,6 | 1,5 | |
| S | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,1 | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,0 | |
| UK | 3,3 | 3,0 | 2,5 | 1,8 | 1,5 | 1,2 | |
| EU-15 | 2,7 | 2,8 | 2,7 | : | 2,3 | : | |

| Females | Total very long-term unemployed population/ | | | | | | |
|---------|---|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|--|
| | | Total active population. | | | | | |
| | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | |
| В | 5,3 | 5,3 | 4,8 | 5,3 | 4,8 | 3,4 | |
| DK | 1,0 | 0,9 | 0,8 | 0,9 | 0,6 | 0,4 | |
| D | 3,0 | 3,1 | 3,6 | 3,6 | 3,2 | 2,9 | |
| EL | 4,4 | 5,8 | 5,6 | 6,7 | 6,5 | 5,9 | |
| E | 12,5 | 11,9 | 10,9 | 10,0 | 7,9 | 6,2 | |
| FR | 2,9 | 3,2 | 3,1 | 3,2 | 3,2 | 2,8 | |
| IRL | 3,7 | 3,6 | 2,7 | : | 1,2 | : | |
| I | 6,8 | 7,4 | 7,4 | 6,4 | 6,7 | 6,4 | |
| L | 0,4 | 0,5 | 0,2 | 0,4 | 0,6 | 0,3 | |
| NL | 2,1 | 2,1 | 1,8 | 1,3 | 0,9 | 0,7 | |
| Α | 0,7 | 0,7 | 0,7 | 0,9 | 0,7 | 0,7 | |
| Р | 1,7 | 2,1 | 2,2 | 1,5 | 1,2 | 1,1 | |
| FIN | 2,3 | 2,4 | 2,4 | 1,5 | 1,4 | 1,1 | |
| S | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,1 | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,0 | |
| UK | 1,2 | 0,9 | 0,9 | 0,7 | 0,6 | 0,5 | |
| EU-15 | 3,7 | 3,9 | 3,8 | : | 3,3 | : | |

12. Early school leavers rate by gender (age 18-24)

| | | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 |
|--------|-------|------|------|------|----------|------|------|
| В | М | 16,6 | 14,7 | 14,2 | 16,7 | 17,7 | 14,8 |
| | F | 13,5 | 11,0 | 11,2 | 12,3 | 12,7 | 10,2 |
| | Total | 15,1 | 12,8 | 12,7 | 14,5 | 15,2 | 12,5 |
| DK | M | 5,2 | 12,2 | 11,0 | 9,5 | 14,2 | 13,4 |
| | F | 6,9 | 12,1 | 10,3 | 10,0 | 9,1 | 9,9 |
| | Total | 6,1 | 12,1 | 10,7 | 9,8 | 11,6 | 11,7 |
| D | M | 9,7 | 12,5 | 12,3 | : | 14,2 | 14,6 |
| | F | 11,4 | 14,2 | 13,5 | : | 15,6 | 15,2 |
| | Total | 10,6 | 13,3 | 12,9 | : | 14,9 | 14,9 |
| EL | M | 26,6 | 24,2 | 23,7 | 24,6 | 21,2 | 21,8 |
| | F | 18,8 | 17,8 | 16,7 | 15,5 | 14,8 | 12,9 |
| | Total | 22,7 | 21,0 | 20,2 | 20,1 | 18,0 | 17,4 |
| E | M | 38,1 | 36,4 | 35,0 | 34,8 | 34,7 | 33,7 |
| | F | 28,4 | 25,3 | 24,5 | 23,7 | 23,0 | 22,4 |
| | Total | 33,3 | 30,9 | 29,8 | 29,2 | 28,9 | 28,1 |
| F | M | 16,8 | 17,0 | 15,4 | 16,2 | 16,0 | 14,8 |
| | F | 14,2 | 13,7 | 13,0 | 13,7 | 13,5 | 11,8 |
| | Total | 15,5 | 15,3 | 14,2 | 14,9 | 14,7 | 13,3 |
| IRL | M | 25,7 | 23,5 | 22,6 | : | • | |
| | F | 17,1 | 14,2 | 15,1 | : | • | |
| | Total | 21,4 | 18,8 | 18,8 | : | : | : |
| I | M | 35,8 | 34,9 | 33,7 | 32,3 | 30,3 | 32,4 |
| | F | 29,1 | 27,7 | 26,2 | 24,5 | 24,2 | 25,6 |
| | Total | 32,4 | 31,3 | 29,9 | 28,4 | 27,2 | 29,0 |
| L | M | 32,9 | 32,8 | 30,9 | : | 18,9 | 15,9 |
| | F | 33,9 | 37,9 | 30,5 | : | 19,4 | 17,6 |
| | Total | 33,4 | 35,3 | 30,7 | : | 19,1 | 16,8 |
| NL | М | : | 18,1 | 16,8 | 17,0 | 17,5 | 17,5 |
| | F | : | 17,1 | 15,2 | 14,0 | 14,9 | 15,9 |
| | Total | : | 17,6 | 16,0 | 15,5 | 16,2 | 16,7 |
| Α | M | 9,9 | 9,2 | 9,0 | : | : | : |
| | F | 17,3 | 14,9 | 12,5 | : | • | : |
| | Total | 13,6 | 12,0 | 10,8 | <u>:</u> | : | : |
| PT | M | 47,1 | 45,6 | 46,8 | 51,7 | 51,3 | 50,6 |
| | F | 35,5 | 34,4 | 34,4 | 42,0 | 39,6 | 35,6 |
| =1.1 | Total | 41,3 | 40,0 | 40,6 | 46,9 | 45,5 | 43,1 |
| FIN | M | 15,1 | 11,4 | 9,1 | 8,6 | 12,0 | 12,5 |
| | F | 10,5 | 10,8 | 7,0 | 7,2 | 7,9 | 7,2 |
| | Total | 12,8 | 11,1 | 8,1 | 7,9 | 10,0 | 9,8 |
| S | M | : | 9,0 | 7,3 | : | 7,7 | 9,2 |
| | F | : | 6,0 | 6,2 | : | 6,1 | 6,2 |
| 1117 | Total | : | 7,5 | 6,7 | <u>:</u> | 6,9 | 7,7 |
| UK | M | 4,2 | 4,8 | 5,5 | : | 7,3 | 6,5 |
| | F | 5,1 | 6,4 | 6,0 | : | 7,0 | 7,1 |
| F1145- | Total | 4,7 | 5,6 | 5,8 | : | 7,1 | 6,8 |
| EU15T | M | 23,2 | 22,6 | 21,8 | 27,0 | 20,9 | 20,7 |
| | F | 19,4 | 18,6 | 17,8 | 20,2 | 16,9 | 16,4 |
| | Total | 21,3 | 20,6 | 19,8 | 23,6 | 18,9 | 18,5 |

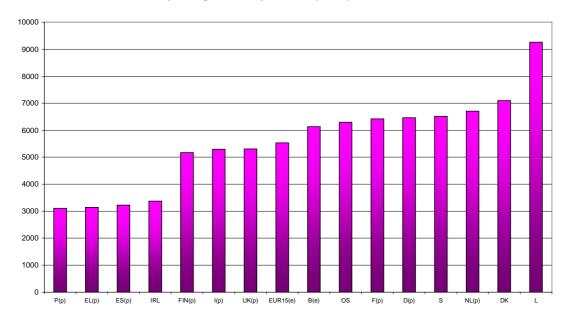
People at risk of poverty 1997 (%)



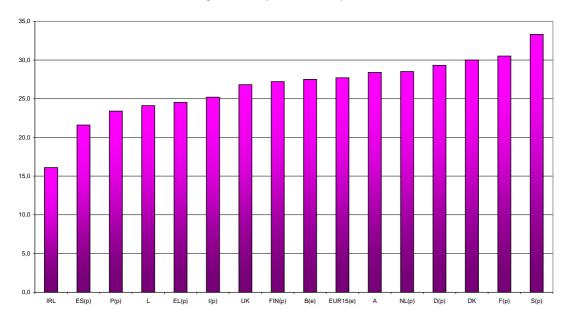
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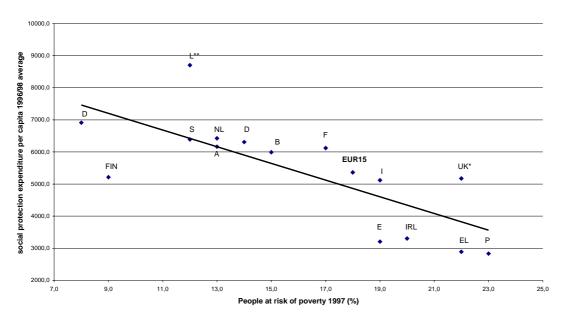
2. Spending on social protection per capita PPS, 1998



3. Percentage of GDP spent on social protection, 1998



Correlation between risk of poverty (1997) and social expenditure per capita (PPS; average 1996/98)



^{*} This data is not strictly comparable with the 1996 data (18%). It is presently under revision in order to improve comparability with data from other Member States.

^{**} All data for Luxembourg refers to 1996

Examples of indicators used in the NAPs/incl:

On employment

- involuntary part-time (F)
- activation rate (EMCO indicator) (F)
- employment rates for women with and without children (I)
- % persons who could not work because of childcare/care for other dependants (SILC) (F)
- % population participating in voluntary work (NL)
- employment rates for disadvantage groups (people with disabilities, lone parents, ethnic minorities, 50+) (UK)
- households with two or more unemployed members (I)

On access to minimum resources

- perception of poverty (I, B)
- proportion of persons aged 18-65 who received benefits for at least 6 months in the year (DK)
- proportion of people who for the last 3 years have been at least 80% of the time either unemployed or in activation, or training/educational leave, or cash assistance recipients, or rehabilitees or sickness benefit recipients (DK)

On living conditions

- living condition indicators (cumulative non monetary deprivation) (F)

On Housing

- housing indicators (existence of amenities- all separate) (F)
- overcrowding (F)
- housing costs (F)
- number of homeless /number of people using shelters (F,NL, Fin)

On health

- renouncing medical expense for financial reasons (F, B)
- % people limited in daily activities because of illness/disability (B, F)

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- % of disabled people living alone (I)
- Share of disabled 16-64 in employment (I)
- Adult smoking rates (UK)

on education/training

- % functional illiteracy (B)
- -% household budget spent on education (B)
- truancy at school (UK, E)
- link between education level of parents/children (B)

On access to services

- % persons who live less than 10 mins walk from public transport (F)

on social/cultural participation

- % people having seen a show (theatre, cinema) last month (F)
- Cultural participation in last 12 months (F)
- sport undertaken in past 12 months (F)
- % households who can afford a week holiday away from home (F)

on access to new technologies

- proportion of population using PCs by income
- proportion of population using internet, by income

on indebtedness

- % population with (bad) debts (NL, B, Fin)

on children

- % of children living in households below the poverty line (I, PT, UK)
- % of children living in jobless households (B, UK)
- children living in working age jobless households (UK)
- children living in a home that falls below the set standard of decency (UK)

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- number of children living in temporary accommodation (UK, Fin)
- % of children institutionalised (F, Fin)

on older people

- % of old people living alone
- % of isolated older people (Percentage of population aged 65 and over living alone without any living children or brothers/sisters) (I)
- % of older people living in households below poverty line (I, UK)
- -proportion of older people living in a home that falls below the set standard of decency (UK)
- proportion of population of older people being helped to live independently (UK)
- proportion of older people whose lives are affected by fear of crime (UK)

on specific groups

- prisoners (average on a particular day) (FIN)
- reintegration of prisoners (F, B)
- incidence of alcohol abuse (Fin, E)
- incidence of drug misuse (UK, Fin)
- -Rates of domestic burglary (UK)
- Violent crimes (per 100 000) (FIN)
- suicide (Fin)

on territorial disparities

- proportion of students from under-represented, disadvantaged areas in higher education, compared to overall student population in higher education (Scotland)
- The Netherlands have included an example of a package of local indicators and targets for a specific locality (HAARLEM)

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ANNEX II

EXAMPLES OF GOOD PRACTICE INDICATED IN THE NATIONAL ACTION PLANS AGAINST POVERTY AND SOCIAL EXCLUSION

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1. EMPLOYMENT

| Member State | Title of Measure | Summary |
|--------------|--|--|
| A | 1. Supported employment | Project designed to provide the disabled with guidance and help and to offer employers various forms of assistance in order to ensure that disabled workers can fully develop their potential. |
| BE | 1. Le Plan Rosetta | The plan obliges companies to hire a certain percentage of adolescents younger than 25. |
| DA | 1. Methodology Development Programme | Project to be launched late 2001 to develop new and better methods for practical social work, to increase the quality of social work and to ensure increased awareness. |
| | 2. Job types for people with highly individual skills and qualifications | Three-year pilot project to be launched in 2001 to gather and disseminate existing knowledge and ideas that may provide inspiration for local job creation activities. |
| | 3. Increased awareness about local efforts relating to the job market | Major information campaign initiated in collaboration with the Social Council to be launched in 2001. |
| | 4. Effect measuring | Project to enable local monitoring of labour market policy measures. |
| | 5. Youth Project | Model project (1999-2002) for local authorities to support the integration of young people from vulnerable groups in training and education programmes and in the job market. |
| | 6. The On-the Job Rehabilitation Project for Vulnerable Groups | Programme to develop individual projects for people to reintegrate the labour market. |
| DE | 1. "Course Scheme" to fight long-term | Scheme introduced in Brandenburg in 1993 to encourage the long-term |

| | unemployment - Brandenburg | unemployed to take the initiative in reintegrating themselves back into the labour market. |
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| | 2. Temporary employment of social assistance recipients on work benefiting the community - Bavaria | Use of temporary work as a means for social assistance recipients to reintegrate the labour market. |
| | 3. Work has to pay off Supplementary child benefit to avoid reliance on social assistance – Rhineland Palatinate. | Programme launched in May 2000 to determine how the readiness of social welfare recipients with children to take up gainful employment can be increased. |
| FR | 1. Trace - Pathways to Employment | On-going programme to promote tailored and early intervention to help job seekers and prevent youth and adult unemployment. |
| | 2. Aid for unemployed people who start up or rescue businesses | Social and fiscal measures to provide entrepreneurs with guidance and financial aid. |
| I | 1. Moriana – Municipalities of Milan and Turin and the provinces of Naples and Genoa. | New jobs for socially excluded young people. The project aims at the insertion of young people in employment via new economy jobs, also through the creation of centres for aggregation of micro-self-employment |
| NL | 1. Pathways to Employment for minorities | Framework agreement reached in June 2000 between the government and a number of large companies to improve labour market participation and integration of ethnic minorities. |
| | 2. Talent activated | Various local projects aimed at activating people who are far removed from the labour market and who are socially isolated through voluntary work, sheltered employment, vocational training courses and subsidised jobs. |
| PT | 1. Horizons 2000 | Programme to provide individual guidance and propose adequate training and jobs for the unemployed. |

| SV | 1. Real opportunities for combining | Combined system of family allowances and childcare services to make it |
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| | parenting and work | easier for both parents to combine parenting and work. |

2. MINIMUM INCOME / SOCIAL SAFETY NET

| Member State | Title of Measure | Summary |
|--------------|--|--|
| A | 1. Integration of atypical workers in the social system | Promotion of social coverage to ensure that all economically active persons have social security or be given the opportunity to join a scheme on favourable terms. |
| | 2. Means-tested minimum pension | Provision for a minimum pension taking the form of compensatory payments to persons who have been insured for a short period or been on low pay. |
| EL | 1. EKAS – Targeted income support for pensioners | Pensioners' social solidarity supplement established in 1996 to provide additional benefits to pensioners in greater need. |
| I | 1. Minimum Income Benefit – 237 municipalities throughout Italy. | Experimentation to introduce a minimum income scheme, targeted at individuals and households under poverty threshold and including activation measures. |
| PT | 1. Guaranteed minimum income | Measure to guarantee a minimum income to all citizens in financial need. |

3. HEALTHCARE

| Member State | Title of Measure | Summary |
|--------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| BE | 1. Maximum health cost bill | Reform of the healthcare system to ensure that low-income households do not pay more than an annual health cost ceiling. |
| DA | 1. INTEGRA – The Back to Life Project | Project in partnership between the local authorities of Odense and Frederica |

| | | and the European Commission to develop new human resources and qualifications as a first step toward the functional and social rehabilitation of marginalised groups of drug misusers. |
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| DE | 1. Medical care for the homeless – Berlin | Integrated programme aimed at providing outreach services for the homeless. (e.g. mobile surgery and outreach consultation with doctors). |
| | 2. Medical care for migrants – Lower Saxony | Programme to provide health and counselling services geared to the needs of migrants by removing linguistic and cultural barriers. |
| FR | 1. Universal Health Coverage | Reform of the healthcare system brought in 1999 to make it possible for everyone to join the social security system and, for the poorest, to have all their costs paid for over and above those charges already covered by the basic scheme. |

4. Housing

| Member State | Title of Measure | Summary |
|--------------|---|--|
| BE | 1 Federal law on housing | Federal law adopted in 1997 setting the minimum conditions to which a building for renting purposes has to comply to, such as elementary security requirements, electric installations, running water and housing. |
| ES | 1. Plan for Historical Centrum - Saragossa | Plan to maintain the existing population and attract new habitants into the historical centre of Saragossa. |
| FR | 1. Loca-Pass: Aid to access housing for the youth | Scheme designed for young persons under 30 looking for an accommodation to provide him or her with financial guarantee and advance. |
| NL | 1. "EOS": modernisation of housing benefit | Governmental programme aimed at improving efficiency, customer friendliness of and information on housing benefits. |

| 2. Social Investment Plan: Overtoomse Veld Noord in Amsterdam | Consultative Platform composed of representatives from the local government, housing associations and local businesses to improve local housing and urban |
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| | policy |

5. EDUCATION

| Member State | Title of Measure | Summary |
|--------------|---|---|
| BE | 1. Reducing the cost of education | Various initiatives to increase financial support to the family and children most in need. |
| DA | 1. Language play – the integration of bilingual children in day-care facilities and schools. | |
| DE | 1. "Rath" Model – North Rhine Westphalia | Set of reintegration measures in order to reduce the number of young people dropping out of school. |
| | 2. Integration courses to promote social and linguistic skills – Hamburg | Programme to enable teenagers and young adult migrants to improve their knowledge of German. |
| I | 1. Chance – Municipality of Naples | Aimed at children aged between 13 and 15. Socially reintegrating drop-outs and bringing them back into the education system. |
| | 2. Socialisation and Creativity among Young People – 27 municipalities in the centre/north of Italy | , |
| IRL | 1. Stepping Stones Project – Watterford Youth Committee | Project aimed at improving personal and educational skills of young unemployed people in order to enhance their prospects of securing employment. |

| | 2. Colaiste ide Open Learning Centre – City of Dublin | Centre established in 1994 to provide quality flexible education to the unemployed, lone-parents, house-parents and those who need flexibility in their education. |
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| | 3. Moyross Probation Project (Step by Step) | Project aimed at the development of training for work for young offenders and youth at risk between the ages of 15-25 |
| NL | 1. Tilburg Tuition Fees Foundation | Foundation set up in 1996to give children of less well-off parents an opportunity to take part in normal extra-curricular activities. |
| | Broad School Policy: Open Neighbourhood Schools | Initiatives aiming at putting schools at the heart of a neighbourhood, offering a wide range of activities for children, parents and other local residents. |
| PT | 1. Combat School and Social Exclusion in the frame of primary education | Set of policy measures aiming at reducing school drop-outs by favouring the offer of diversified training and facilitating the transition from school to active life through qualifying education. |
| | 2. National Agency for Education and Training for Adults- ANEFA | Permanent structure in charge of the promotion of lifelong education and training for people with little education and qualifications. |

6. JUSTICE

| Member State | Title of Measure | Summary |
|--------------|--|--|
| EL | 1. The Ombudsman: encouraging equal access | Setting up of an autonomous authority operating as an independent extra- judicial mechanism for control and mediation. |
| DA | 1. Legal protection of the most vulnerable groups in society | Project part of the wider "Service and Welfare" project to make an intensive outreaching effort in relation to the most vulnerable groups in society to enable them to use the services offered by public authorities. |

| FR | 1. Access to Justice | Setting up of Houses of Justice together with the increased role for local |
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| | | Ombudsmen to allow people, particularly the excluded, to better know and |
| | | take up their rights |

7. E-INCLUSION (ICT)

| Member State | Title of Measure | Summary |
|--------------|--|---|
| DA | 1. SOLICOM – IT project for socially excluded people in Vejle | Project launched in 1999 to give socially excluded groups a chance to access information and communication technology. |
| ES | 1. OMNIA – Catalunia | Project initiated in 1999 to set up IT centres in the most deprived areas. |
| I | 1. Sito Word Scuola – Ministry for Education | Learning to use new technologies targeted at students and teachers. |
| | 2. Domus Area, Teledidattica, Relais Service, Telelavoro, Rete Radio-Mobile - Ministry of Employment, Ministry of Health, Municipality of Ferrera, private company | Using new technologies to increase the possibility for elderly and/or disabled to people to stay in their own home and to maintain social contacts for disabled, elderly excluded and socially marginalised people. |
| NL | 1. Internet in combined Housing & Care centres for the elderly | National project to enable older people to become acquainted with computers and the internet through the development of internet cafés. |
| | 2. Knowledge Neighbourhood: ICT in the neighbourhood. | Experimental projects to provide inhabitants mainly from disadvantaged neighbourhoods with access to a range of innovative electronic services via high-quality ICT infrastructure. |
| | 3. Removing thresholds: Internet and the disabled | The intention of this project is to increase access to the Internet for the disabled and to make the functionalities of the Internet and communication |

| | | technology more easily accessible to people with disabilities. |
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| | 4. A virtual home for the homeless | Project aimed at giving homeless people the opportunity to become familiar at their own pace with the ICT. |
| sv | 1. ICT for the disabled | Programme designed to test and develop the use of ICT systems for disabled persons during the period 1998-2001. |
| UK | 1. University for Industry – learndirect | Private company funded through a combination of public and commercial sources to stimulate demand for lifelong learning, and in particular ICT training, amongst adults and SMEs. |

8. Culture, Sports, Leisure

| Member State | Title of Measure | Summary |
|--------------|--------------------------------|--|
| FR | 1. Solidarity Vacation Voucher | Voucher distributed by local social services to allow families in social difficulties to go on vacation. |
| IRL | ` | Project aimed at the delivery of a joined accredited training course for young people working in the outdoor pursuits sector |

9. INDEBTEDNESS

| Member State | Title of Measure | Summary |
|--------------|-----------------------|---|
| A | 1. Private bankruptcy | Procedure established in 1995 enabling all debtors to discharge their debts under certain precisely defined conditions within a reasonable time (as a rule seven years) |

10. HOMELESSNESS

| A | 1. Measures against homelessness | Programme set up in Vienna to prevent and combat homelessness through the prevention of eviction, day centres, sheltered accommodation and suitable long-term housing. |
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| DE | 1. Avoiding homelessness: securing a permanent place to live – North-Rhine Westphalia. | Programme to help the homeless and to promote integrated strategies at the interfaces between urban development, housing and social policy. |
| ES | Relocation into "normal" housing – IRIS Madrid | Institute settled in Madrid in charge of helping people living in shantytowns to find better accommodation. |
| | 2. IGLOO network | Setting up of national, regional and local networks to provide simultaneous and multidimensional responses to the issue of homelessness. |
| NL | 1. Foundation Voila for the homeless – the homeless working for the homeless in Amsterdam | The aim of the foundation is to ensure that homeless people help each other by developing ideas and initiating projects for and by homeless peoples. |
| | 2. Pension Maaszicht: young homeless people on their way to a new place in the community - Rotterdam | A halfway house in Rotterdam that offers accommodation and guidance to young homeless people in order to make it easier for them to return to "normal" society. |

11. TERRITORIAL / REGIONAL DIMENSION

| Member State | Title of Measure | Summary |
|--------------|-------------------------|---|
| DE | 1. Social City - Bremen | Programme combining 4 areas of action: stimulation of economic activity, new businesses and services, residential development and rejuvenation of focal points. |

| | 2. Living in neighbourhoods - Bremen | Programme aimed at residential and district development, as well as support for neighbourhoods |
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| | 3. Promoting improvements in living conditions and community work – Rhineland Palatinate | Measures to improve living conditions in the urban districts and to promote community work. |
| EL | 1. The Response to the Athens Earthquake | Set of coordinated urban and city planning policy measures taken as a response to the Athens earthquake, Sept. 7 th 1999. |
| ES | 1. Confederation of Centres for Rural Development (COCEDER) | Network of centres in charge of the integrated development of rural areas. |
| PT | 1. National programme in the fight against poverty | Nation-wide strategy supported by European structural funds to develop rural and urban zones. |
| UK | 1. Community Regeneration - Wales | Programme aimed at regenerating the most disadvantaged communities in Wales and based on a recent review of best practice. |

12. FAMILY SOLIDARITY / CHILDREN

| Member State | Title of Measure | Summary |
|--------------|---|--|
| A | 1. The Carinthia childcare allowance | Childcare allowance paid for children aged three and under. |
| | 2. Prevention of violence in the family | Federal Act empowering the police and constabulary to remove a potentially violent person from the home and to issue an exclusion order. |
| | 3. Advance on child maintenance | Provision that the <i>Bund</i> pays advances for children in the event of default of the person who is legally obliged to pay maintenance. |
| | 4. Nursing care | System of standardised federal nursing care allowance combined with an |

| | | adequate range of social services for persons providing nursing care on a private basis. |
|-----|--|---|
| DA | 1. Children should be seen and heard – a project about children in alcohol misuser families in Randers | Project carried out from 1996 to 1998 to promote child perspectives and parent motivation in alcohol misuser families. |
| DE | 1. Mother and Child Help for single parents – Banden-Württemberg. | Programme to ensure that single parents receive the necessary guidance and financial independence to care for their children |
| IRL | 1. Family Services Project - Waterford | Establishment of a high quality information service regarding both statutory and voluntary support available to the family. |
| PT | 1. Working fathers combining the professional life and family life | Recognition of men's rights being both workers and fathers. |
| | 2. Committee for the protection of children and teenagers in danger | Official institutions established in 1991 in order to promote the rights of children and teenagers by developing preventive and curative measures. |
| | 3. Nursery care 2000 | Governmental programme to develop the capacity of the national network of nursery care for children under 3. |
| | 4. To be born citizen | Interministerial project to establish a package of procedures from which it is possible to promote the immediate legal registering of children at the maternity/hospital. |
| UK | 1. Sure Start | Governmental strategy to tackle child poverty and social exclusion through the development of integrated local programme |

13. TO HELP THE MOST VULNERABLE

| Member State | Title of Measure | Summary |
|--------------|---|--|
| DA | 1. Equal opportunities for people with disabilities | Amendment to the Housing Act to ensure continued equal opportunities for people with disabilities and in particular unobstructed access to a wide range of premises . |
| | 2. Facilitator scheme for ethnic minorities | Pilot project enabling local authorities and Public Employment Service regions to provide financial support to buy some of the working time of an employee in a private company so that this employee can work as a facilitator for new employees. |
| | 3. Local policy concerning the integration of ethnic minorities. | Cross-sectoral integration plan adopted by the Greve local authority to unite all the initiatives taken by the local authorities. |
| DE | Anti-discrimination Programme Same-sex cohabitation – Schleswig-Holstein | Programme aiming at fighting any discrimination on the grounds of sexual orientation in various policy domains. |
| | 2. Nursery places for all children with disabilities for the purpose of integration. – Hessen | Framework agreement between the Land and the relevant institutions to ensure that every disabled child has an entitlement to a place in a day-care establishment. |
| ES | 1. Commune Metisse - Asturia | Various initiatives at local level to favour the integration of immigrants |
| | 2. CANDELITA - Madrid | Programme in place since 1996 to provide various vulnerable groups with specific local services and benefits. |
| | 3. "La Huertecica" – action against addiction and social marginalisation | NGO-led project aimed at setting up integrated centres to respond to the needs of the most vulnerable. |
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| I | 1. Arcobaleno – private company | Integration of young disabled in an ICT company, also through training of the employers and intervention on the enterprise culture. |
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| | 2. Oltre la Strada – Emilia Romagna region | Project aimed at combating trafficking and sexual exploitation of foreign women and children and at reintegrating the victims. |
| | 3. Quality of Home Help – Municipality of Reggio Emilia | Restructuring of the service for home care for for dependent elderly people focusing on the quality of services |
| NL | 1. Information at home – Heeveren | Project to inform older people at home about provisions and schemes relating to housing, care, and welfare, which are currently not being take up and to enable them to play an active part in the community. |
| | 2. Handholds for recovery – Eindhoven | The project is a collaborative "chain" whose links are made up of night shelters, day centres, clinical and peripatetic care facilities, the criminal justice system, care facilities, and other support for around 300 long-term drug addicts. |
| PT | 1. Integrated help to older people - PAII | Programme aimed at the promotion of the autonomy of elder people at home by improving the quality, mobility and access to services. |
| | 2. Principle of Positive Discrimination | System by which families or individuals receive specific benefits or services according to their particular needs. |
| UK | 1. The Disability Rights Commission (DRC) | Independent body set up by the Government to help secure civil rights for the disabled. |

14. MOBILISING STAKEHOLDERS

| Member State | Title of Measure | Summary |
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| DA | 1. The Social Index and the Socio-Ethical Accounts | The Social Index was introduced in 2000 by the Ministry of Social Affairs as an instrument for the companies to benchmark their social responsibility. |
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| DE | 1. Social Service Agencies – North Rhine- Westphalia | Programme to develop "one-stop shops" to improve working procedures, quality and delivery of social services. |
| | 2. "JobPlan" pilot project - Hamburg | Pilot project to improve cooperation between employment services and social welfare organisations (MoZArt). |
| | 3. Social Information System - Bavaria | Setting up of a new regionally-organised social information system providing details of virtually all service providers in order to compare benefits and services. |
| ES | 1. Plan to combat Social Exclusion in Navarra | Integrated regional action plan to fight social exclusion across various policy fields |
| | 2. Network for socio-professional integration - Madrid | Global plan led by the Association RAIS to fight against social exclusion across education and work. |
| FR | 1. PLIE (Local Plans for Inclusion and Employment) | Plans gathering local actors to coordinate their action in the fight against inclusion and in the promotion of local employment. |
| IRL | 1. Area based partnership companies and funded community groups | Local partnerships gathering representatives from community and voluntary sector, state agencies, the social partners at local level and elected public representatives. |
| I | 1. Territorial Pact for Social Issues – Province of Savona | Territorial pact aimed at socially excluded people, elaborated through a partnership between the regional, provicial and local authorities, other public and non-public bodies, social partners, representatives of the third sector. |
| NL | 1. Neighbourhood social activation in Klazienaveen, Hengelo and Rotterdam | Project aimed at promoting social activation through support to formal and informal organisations contributing to the participation of local residents. |

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| | 2. LETS (Local Economic Transaction Systems) Swap Shops | LETS is an amenity at district level which facilitates and encourages the exchange of goods and services between private individuals. |
| | 3. Social Axis Desk: Integrated service-provision | Governmental plan to ascertain how and with what resources local health care, income support and housing services can be offered in a more integrated way. |
| РТ | 1. Social Network | Integrated programme to encourage the networking of local stakeholders and to better coordinate the delivery of services. |
| | 2. Solidarity and Social Security Centres | Project aimed at improving the quality of reception of beneficiaries in social services. |
| | 3. Book 2000 – From declaration to action | Book inspired by the lists of grievances of the French Revolution to promote self-expression of socially excluded people. |
| SV | 1. Personal representatives for more persons with intellectual disabilities | Governmental grants to local authorities to cover the cost of 300 new posts for independent representatives of those with the severest intellectual disabilities. |