

Statistical aspects of the energy economy in 2008

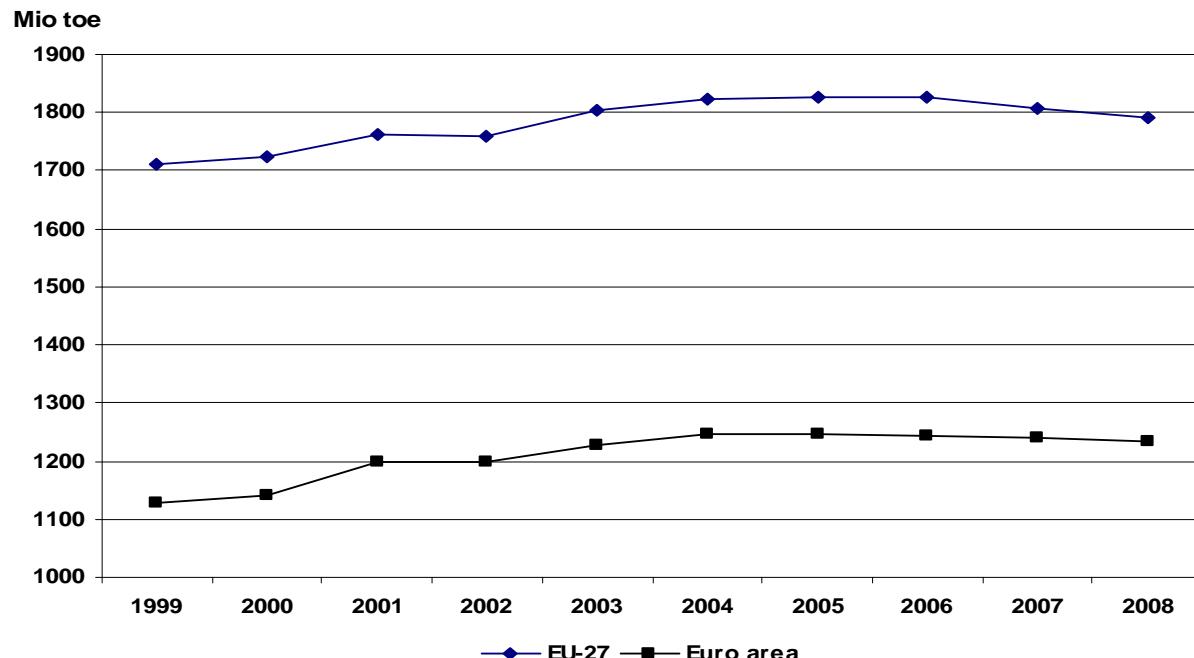
This publication provides a first overview of the energy economy in 2008 based on monthly cumulated data for each EU Member State. Production and consumption trends are outlined for the principal energy commodities – oil, natural gas, solid fuels, nuclear and primary

electrical energy. Main indicators such as energy dependence rate and energy intensity are presented. In addition, heating degree days calculated on the basis of a common Eurostat methodology are also included.

Main findings

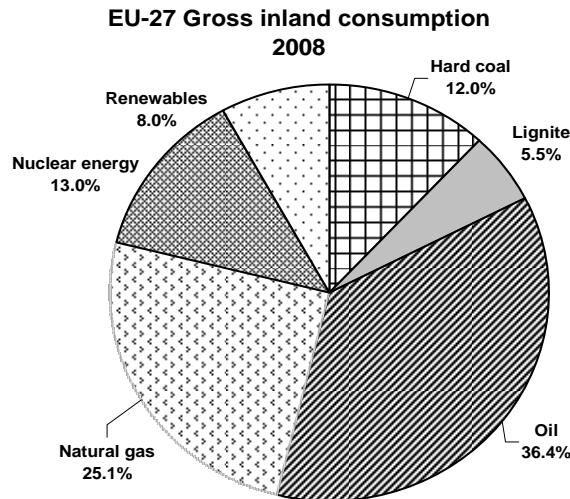
- EU-27 gross inland consumption dropped in 2008 to a level below that of 2003
- EU-27 production of primary energy declined for the second consecutive year
- Energy intensity continued to drop in 2008, confirming the trend of recent years
- Energy dependency rose in 2008; Denmark was the only net energy exporting country
- Russia continued to be the main energy supplier of oil, natural gas and coal
- Hydro and wind energy production increased significantly by 9%
- Poland became a net importer of coal in 2008

Gross inland consumption



Source: Eurostat ([nrg_100a](#))

Energy consumption trends



Source: Eurostat ([nrg_100a](#))

When compared to 2007, EU-27 gross inland consumption dropped in 2008.

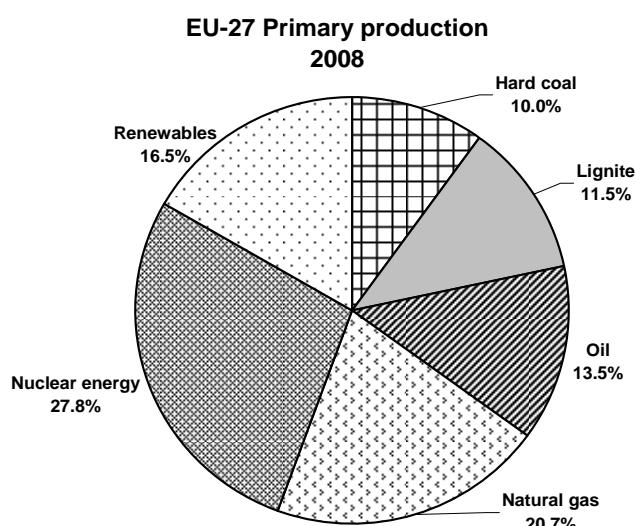
While gross inland consumption (GIC) remained practically stable in Ireland, eight Member States increased GIC with values ranging from 0.4% in France to 7.5% in Slovenia.

All other Member States reduced GIC with values ranging from -6.0% in Denmark to -1.0% in Sweden.

Production trends

EU-27 energy production observed a general downward trend over the past decade. In 2008 nuclear energy continued to hold the largest share

of total primary energy production and together with natural gas accounted for nearly half of EU total energy production.



Source: Eurostat ([nrg_100a](#))

Summary energy balance
January - December

Million tonnes of oil equivalent

		Primary Production ⁽¹⁾	Total Imports ⁽²⁾	Total Exports ⁽²⁾	Change in Stocks ⁽³⁾	Gross Consumption	Bunkers	Gross Inland Consumption
EU-27	2007	834.2	1431.7	457.9	12.1	1822.2	53.9	1768.3
	2008	823.4	1452.0	463.0	-8.6	1806.0	53.0	1753.0
Euro area	2007	441.5	1122.3	296.9	9.9	1279.2	48.2	1231.1
	2008	441.5	1127.5	300.6	-4.5	1266.3	46.9	1219.4
BE	2007	13.1	73.3	26.3	0.1	60.8	9.6	51.1
	2008	12.5	73.4	25.0	0.1	61.5	8.5	53.0
BG	2007	9.9	15.0	3.6	-0.2	21.0	0.0	21.0
	2008	10.1	15.0	4.2	-0.5	20.4	0.0	20.4
CZ	2007	33.6	20.3	8.6	0.3	45.3	0.0	45.3
	2008	33.0	21.0	8.8	-0.4	44.5	0.0	44.5
DK	2007	26.5	13.5	19.3	0.1	21.2	1.1	20.1
	2008	26.0	14.4	19.7	-1.2	19.9	1.0	18.9
DE	2007	131.1	240.3	44.4	3.4	330.3	3.1	327.2
	2008	127.2	248.0	41.7	0.7	334.3	3.1	331.2
EE	2007	4.3	2.2	0.3	-0.1	5.9	0.0	5.9
	2008	4.2	1.9	0.2	0.1	5.8	0.0	5.8
IE	2007	1.4	14.8	1.3	0.3	15.3	0.1	15.2
	2008	1.5	15.1	1.3	-0.1	15.3	0.1	15.2
EL	2007	11.5	31.6	7.4	-0.3	35.5	3.3	32.3
	2008	11.3	32.7	7.3	-0.3	36.4	3.2	33.2
ES	2007	28.2	136.6	13.0	1.4	153.1	8.7	144.4
	2008	28.1	135.6	13.3	-2.8	147.6	9.0	138.5
FR	2007	129.3	167.2	34.3	2.4	265.0	3.0	262.0
	2008	128.0	173.1	34.7	-0.7	266.0	2.6	263.4
IT	2007	26.5	189.4	26.5	1.3	191.4	3.0	188.5
	2008	26.5	184.2	29.3	0.4	182.6	3.8	178.8
CY	2007	0.1	2.9	0.0	0.1	3.0	0.3	2.7
	2008	0.1	3.0	0.0	0.0	3.1	0.3	2.8
LV	2007	1.8	3.7	0.3	0.1	4.9	0.2	4.7
	2008	1.8	3.5	0.3	0.2	4.8	0.2	4.6
LT	2007	3.6	10.2	4.5	-0.1	9.3	0.1	9.2
	2008	3.6	13.2	7.7	0.1	9.2	0.1	9.1
LU	2007	82	4.7	0.3	0.0	4.6	0.0	4,575
	2008	83	4.5	0.2	0.0	4.4	0.0	4,443
HU	2007	10.2	20.8	4.6	0.5	26.9	0.0	26.9
	2008	10.2	21.9	4.9	-0.6	26.6	0.0	26.6
MT	2007	-	1.0	-	-	1.0	0.0	1.0
	2008	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NL	2007	61.5	159.9	122.7	-0.3	98.9	16.5	82.3
	2008	67.5	157.7	126.4	-1.3	98.1	15.9	82.1
AT	2007	9.9	28.5	5.8	-0.3	32.6	0.0	32.6
	2008	9.8	28.4	6.1	-0.3	31.9	0.0	31.9
PL	2007	71.0	41.1	15.9	-1.4	94.7	0.3	94.4
	2008	69.2	43.9	12.4	-0.6	100.0	0.3	99.8
PT	2007	4.2	24.5	2.7	0.2	26.3	0.5	25.7
	2008	3.9	23.9	2.6	0.0	25.2	0.6	24.6
RO	2007	27.9	17.5	4.8	-0.4	40.3	0.0	40.3
	2008	28.7	16.5	5.4	-0.9	38.8	0.0	38.8
SI	2007	3.2	4.4	0.9	0.0	6.6	0.0	6.6
	2008	3.4	5.0	1.2	0.0	7.1	0.0	7.1
SK	2007	6.0	17.0	5.0	-0.1	17.9	0.0	17.9
	2008	6.4	16.3	4.6	0.0	18.0	0.0	18.0
FI	2007	15.3	26.3	6.4	1.7	36.8	0.0	36.8
	2008	15.4	26.5	6.8	-0.1	34.9	0.0	34.9
SE	2007	32.6	30.4	11.9	0.1	51.2	2.2	49.0
	2008	32.2	33.0	13.7	-0.9	50.7	2.1	48.6
UK	2007	171.2	134.7	87.3	3.4	222.3	1.9	220.4
	2008	162.9	140.4	85.0	0.6	219.1	2.4	216.7

(1) Including hard coal recovered

(2) Including Intra-EU trade

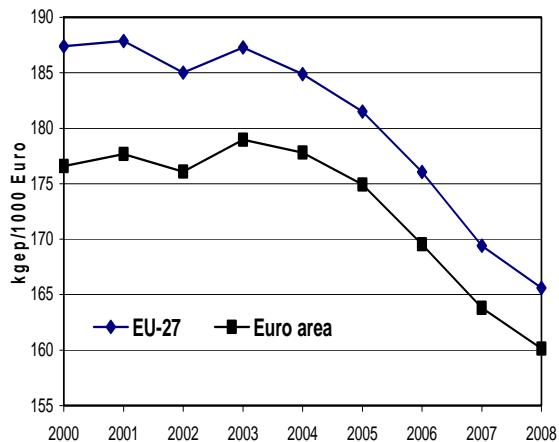
(3) + Decrease in stocks, - Increase in stocks

Source: Eurostat ([nrg_100a](#))

Energy intensity

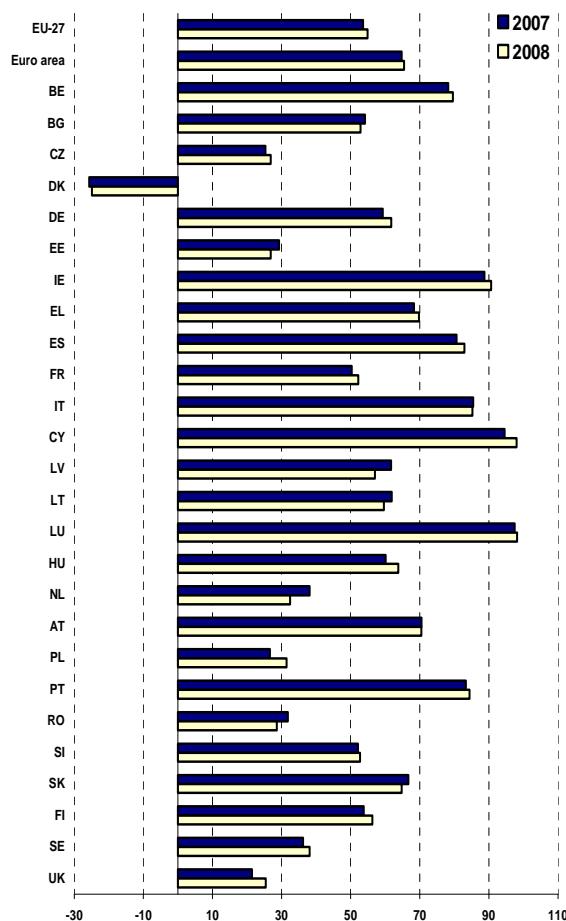
Over the past decade energy intensity (gross inland consumption divided by gross domestic product) continued to drop while GDP continued a general upward trend over the same period. Exceptionally cold weather conditions may account for years registering high energy consumption (see also graph "Annual relative degree-days 1980-2008" on page 5).

Energy intensity is a measure of how much energy is used to produce a unit of economic output. The decoupling of increasing economic activity from increasing energy consumption is a goal for sustainable development.



Source: Eurostat ([nrg_ind_332a](#))

Energy dependence



Energy dependence rate
Source: Eurostat ([nrg_100a](#))

When compared to 2007 EU-27 net imports (imports minus exports) increased by 1.6% in 2008. Net imports of energy as a percentage of gross consumption (i.e. gross inland consumption plus bunkers) show national energy dependence. The EU-27 energy dependence rate (EDR) showed an increase, going from 53.6% in 2007 to 54.9% in 2008.

The United Kingdom, who, for the first time in over a decade became a net importer in 2004, continued the trend in 2008 with an EDR of 25.4%.

On the other hand, with an EDR of -24.9% in 2008, compared with -25.7% in 2007, Denmark confirmed the trend set in 1999 as a net energy exporter. All the other Member States were overall net importers of energy

In 2008, all Member States except Bulgaria, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, the Netherlands, Romania and Slovakia increased their EDR. Italy and Austria remained almost stable.

The European Union's main extra-EU energy suppliers differ according to the type of energy being imported. In 2008, EU-27 imported Natural Gas from Russia (36.8%), Norway (26.1%) and Algeria (15.4%). Crude Oil and Feedstocks came from Russia (32.2%), Norway (14.1%), Libya (10.2%) and Saudi Arabia (6.6%). Coal was imported mainly from Russia (25.9%), South Africa (17.5%), USA (13.7%) and Colombia (12.7%).

**Subdivision of principal aggregates
of the energy balance sheet**

Million tonnes of oil equivalent

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	EU-27			Euro area			BE			BG			CZ		
	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007
1. Gross Inland Consumption ⁽¹⁾	1768.3	1753.0	-0.9%	1231.1	1219.4	-0.9%	51.1	53.0	3.6%	21.0	20.4	-2.9%	45.3	44.5	-1.9%
of which:															
Hard coal	225.8	211.0	-6.6%	123.8	111.6	-9.9%	3.7	4.1	12.1%	3.3	3.0	-8.8%	6.2	5.4	-13.5%
Lignite	99.0	95.6	-3.4%	54.3	51.4	-5.2%	0.0	0.0		4.8	4.9	1.4%	14.8	14.2	-4.2%
Crude oil & petroleum products	647.2	637.5	-1.5%	485.0	478.9	-1.3%	20.7	22.1	7.0%	5.6	5.1	-8.7%	9.7	9.8	0.9%
Natural gas	429.3	440.8	2.7%	291.1	299.6	2.9%	12.6	12.9	2.2%	2.9	2.8	-2.7%	7.0	7.0	-0.1%
Nuclear energy	230.8	228.6	-0.9%	180.0	179.6	-0.2%	11.8	11.2	-5.5%	3.7	4.0	8.6%	6.8	6.9	1.4%
Hydro & wind plus electricity trade balance	30.9	34.1	10.4%	22.6	24.1	6.5%	0.7	1.0	48.6%	-0.1	-0.2	-119.4%	-1.2	-0.8	34.2%
Biomass & waste, solar & geothermal heat	105.4	105.4e		74.1	74.1e		1.7	1.7e		0.7	0.7e		2.0	2.0e	
2. Net Imports ⁽²⁾	976.1	991.3	1.6%	827.8	829.3	0.2%	47.5	48.9	2.8%	11.4	10.8	-5.2%	11.5	11.9	4.0%
of which:															
Hard coal	132.5	132.6	0.1%	98.1	93.9	-4.2%	4.2	4.0	-3.6%	3.2	3.2	1.2%	-2.6	-2.7	-4.4%
Crude oil	551.4	558.8	1.3%	481.9	476.7	-1.1%	33.0	33.8	2.6%	7.1	7.2	1.5%	7.2	8.1	12.8%
Natural gas	257.5	270.3	5.0%	208.8	216.2	3.6%	12.6	11.8	-6.3%	2.7	2.8	2.1%	6.7	6.9	3.8%
Petroleum products	11.0	8.8	-19.5%	17.7	23.4	32.4%	-3.5	-1.4	60.6%	-1.4	-2.0	-45.7%	2.2	1.4	-36.4%
Electricity	0.6	1.1	84.2%	2.3	1.7	-25.7%	0.6	0.9	52.0%	-0.4	-0.5	-19.4%	-1.4	-1.0	29.0%
Biomass & waste	2.3	2.3e		2.4	2.4e		0.5	0.5e		0.0	0.0e		-0.2	-0.2e	
3. Production of Primary Energy	834.2	823.4	-1.3%	441.5	441.5	0.0%	13.1	12.5	-4.9%	9.9	10.1	2.9%	33.6	33.0	-1.9%
of which:															
Hard coal ⁽³⁾	88.2	82.5	-6.4%	20.4	16.6	-18.5%	-	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	73.7%	8.7	8.5	-2.8%
Lignite	97.6	95.0	-2.7%	53.0	50.7	-4.3%	-	-	-	4.8	4.9	1.5%	15.2	14.6	-3.5%
Crude oil and condensates	116.8	111.0	-5.0%	17.2	17.2	-0.3%	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	0.0%	0.4	0.4	8.4%
Natural gas	167.3	170.1	1.6%	78.7	83.2	5.6%	-	-	-	0.2	0.2	-26.4%	0.2	0.2	-0.8%
Nuclear energy	230.8	228.6	-0.9%	180.0	179.6	-0.2%	11.8	11.2	-5.5%	3.7	4.0	8.6%	6.8	6.9	1.4%
Hydro & wind	30.3	33.0	9.0%	20.4	22.4	10.1%	0.1	0.1	21.6%	0.3	0.2	-20.5%	0.2	0.2	4.1%
Biomass & waste, solar & geothermal heat	103.2	103.2e		71.8	71.8e		1.2	1.2e		0.7	0.7e		2.2	2.2e	
4. Energy Dependence Rate (EDR) ⁽⁴⁾															
Total	53.6%	54.9%		64.7%	65.5%		78.2%	79.5%		54.2%	52.8%		25.3%	26.9%	
of which:															
Crude oil & petroleum products	83.0%	84.5%		96.1%	97.2%		97.7%	101.8%		101.5%	100.5%		97.0%	97.2%	
5. Gross Inland Consumption Per Capita in kgOE	3571.7	3524.0		3788.1	3729.9		4832.4	4968.5		2729.8	2665.0		4408.1	4284.1	

(1) GIC = primary production + recovered products + imports + stock changes - bunkers

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e: Estimate

Subdivision of principal aggregates of the energy balance sheet																		
	Million tonnes of oil equivalent																	
	DK			DE			EE			IE			EL					
	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007
1. Gross Inland Consumption⁽¹⁾	20.1	18.9	-6.0%	327.2	331.2	1.2%	5.9	5.8	-1.8%	15.2	15.2	0.1%	32.3	33.2	3.0%			
of which:																		
Hard coal	4.5	4.0	-11.0%	45.2	42.5	-6.0%	0.1	0.0	-57.1%	1.6	1.6	0.0%	0.4	0.4	0.0%			
Lignite	-	-	-	38.6	37.3	-3.3%	3.6	3.4	-3.7%	0.6	0.6	0.0%	9.9	9.8	-1.6%			
Crude oil & petroleum products	8.1	7.2	-11.2%	109.8	115.9	5.6%	1.1	1.1	-1.9%	8.1	7.9	-2.6%	16.9	17.8	5.5%			
Natural gas	4.0	4.0	0.3%	76.6	77.0	0.4%	0.8	0.7	-6.2%	4.3	4.5	5.7%	3.3	3.5	4.6%			
Nuclear energy	-	-	-	33.8	35.8	5.7%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hydro & wind plus electricity trade balance	0.5	0.7	34.6%	0.3	0.0	-118.8%	-0.2	-0.1	71.0%	0.3	0.3	-5.5%	0.4	0.5	8.6%			
Biomass & waste, solar & geothermal heat	2.9	2.9e		22.9	22.9e		0.6	0.6e		0.2	0.2e		1.3	1.3e				
2. Net Imports⁽²⁾	-5.4	-5.0	9.1%	195.9	206.4	5.4%	1.7	1.6	-9.9%	13.6	13.8	2.1%	24.3	25.4	4.8%			
of which:																		
Hard coal	4.6	4.4	-5.1%	26.9	27.3	1.5%	0.1	0.0	-57.1%	1.5	1.5	0.0%	0.4	0.4	0.0%			
Crude oil	-7.4	-6.3	14.7%	106.1	105.3	-0.8%	-	-	-	2.9	3.2	11.3%	19.3	18.2	-5.5%			
Natural gas	-4.0	-4.8	-18.3%	61.8	64.7	4.7%	0.8	0.7	-6.2%	3.9	4.1	6.0%	3.4	3.5	2.9%			
Petroleum products	1.1	1.6	39.5%	0.5	9.2		1.3	1.0	-17.6%	5.1	4.9	-3.9%	-1.5	0.7	149.1%			
Electricity	-0.1	0.1	253.4%	-1.5	-1.7	-17.2%	-0.2	-0.1	66.6%	0.1	0.0	-66.1%	0.2	0.3	24.7%			
Biomass & waste	0.4	0.4e		0.0	0.0e		-0.1	-0.1e		0.0	0.0e		0.0	0.0e				
3. Production of Primary Energy	26.5	26.0	-1.9%	131.1	127.2	-3.0%	4.3	4.2	-3.3%	1.4	1.5	4.0%	11.5	11.3	-1.7%			
of which:																		
Hard coal ⁽³⁾	-	-	-	15.7	12.4	-20.8%	-	-	-	-	0.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lignite	-	-	-	38.9	37.8	-2.8%	3.6	3.4	-4.1%	0.6	0.6	0.0%	9.9	9.8	-1.6%			
Crude oil and condensates	15.2	14.0	-7.5%	5.2	4.9	-4.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1	-23.5%			
Natural gas	8.2	8.8	8.0%	12.9	11.7	-8.9%	-	-	-	0.4	0.4	-0.2%	0.0	0.0	-27.3%			
Nuclear energy	-	-	-	33.8	35.8	5.7%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hydro & wind	0.6	0.6	-3.4%	1.7	1.7	-2.8%	0.0	0.0	32.8%	0.2	0.3	26.3%	0.2	0.2	-9.6%			
Biomass & waste, solar & geothermal heat	2.6	2.6e		22.9	22.9e		0.7	0.7e		0.2	0.2e		1.3	1.3e				
4. Energy Dependence Rate (EDR)⁽⁴⁾																		
Total	-25.7%	-24.9%		59.3%	61.7%		29.3%	26.9%		88.7%	90.7%		68.3%	69.8%				
of which:																		
Crude oil & petroleum products	-68.6%	-62.0%		94.4%	96.2%		110.9%	93.2%		96.8%	101.2%		100.6%	101.3%				
5. Gross Inland Consumption Per Capita in kgOE	3691.6	3452.5		3974.8	4028.7		4421.8	4348.6		3517.9	3450.7		2889.1	2964.2				

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of the energy balance sheet**

Million tonnes of oil equivalent

	ES			FR			IT			CY			LV		
	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007
1. Gross Inland Consumption ⁽¹⁾	144.4	138.5	-4.1%	262.0	263.4	0.5%	188.5	178.8	-5.1%	2.7	2.8	2.7%	4.7	4.6	-2.8%
of which:															
Hard coal	19.1	13.1	-31.4%	13.5	12.8	-5.3%	16.8	16.9	0.5%	0.0	0.0	-20.0%	0.1	0.1	-4.1%
Lignite	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	-21.4%
Crude oil & petroleum products	70.5	67.7	-4.0%	87.5	89.7	2.6%	85.4	75.6	-11.5%	2.6	2.7	3.1%	1.6	1.5	-5.7%
Natural gas	31.7	34.8	9.8%	38.3	39.6	3.4%	69.5	69.4	-0.2%	-	-	-	1.4	1.3	-2.0%
Nuclear energy	13.4	14.2	6.5%	108.5	105.7	-2.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hydro & wind plus electricity trade balance	3.2	3.1	-2.6%	0.5	1.9	274.5%	7.1	7.4	3.7%	-	-	-	0.5	0.5	-1.5%
Biomass & waste, solar & geothermal heat	5.5	5.5e	-	13.6	13.6e	-	9.5	9.5e	-	0.1	0.1e	-	1.2	1.2e	-
2. Net Imports ⁽²⁾	123.5	122.3	-1.0%	133.3	138.8	4.1%	163.6	155.7	-4.8%	2.9	3.0	5.6%	3.0	2.7	-9.2%
of which:															
Hard coal	14.4	11.4	-20.4%	12.1	13.8	14.2%	16.5	16.6	0.6%	0.0	0.0	20.6%	0.1	0.1	10.7%
Crude oil	57.5	58.5	1.7%	80.4	82.6	2.7%	86.7	81.1	-6.5%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Natural gas	31.3	35.1	12.1%	37.0	38.8	4.9%	60.5	62.8	3.8%	-	-	-	1.3	1.1	-16.7%
Petroleum products	19.9	16.5	-17.4%	7.8	6.3	-19.9%	-12.2	-14.9	-22.7%	2.8	3.0	5.5%	1.7	1.7	-1.2%
Electricity	-0.5	-1.0	-91.5%	-4.9	-4.2	15.1%	3.9	3.4	-13.8%	-	-	-	0.3	0.2	-15.8%
Biomass & waste	0.0	0.0e	-	0.3	0.3e	0.0%	0.8	0.8e	-	0.0	0.0e	-	-0.4	-0.4e	-
3. Production of Primary Energy	28.2	28.1	-0.5%	129.3	128.0	-1.0%	26.5	26.5	0.0%	0.1	0.1	0.0%	1.8	1.8	1.9%
of which:															
Hard coal ⁽³⁾	4.5	4.1	-8.7%	0.2	0.1	-50.5%	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	0.0	-
Lignite	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crude oil and condensates	0.2	0.1	-9.7%	1.0	2.1	105.2%	6.6	6.3	-4.5%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Natural gas	0.0	0.0	-10.4%	0.9	0.8	-11.2%	8.0	7.5	-6.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nuclear energy	13.4	14.2	6.5%	108.5	105.7	-2.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hydro & wind	3.7	4.1	9.9%	5.4	6.0	11.9%	3.2	4.0	25.2%	-	-	-	0.2	0.3	13.9%
Biomass & waste, solar & geothermal heat	5.5	5.5e	-	13.2	13.2e	-	8.7	8.7e	-	0.1	0.1e	-	1.6	1.6e	-
4. Energy Dependence Rate (EDR) ⁽⁴⁾															
Total	80.7%	82.9%	-	50.3%	52.2%	-	85.5%	85.3%	-	94.5%	98.0%	-	61.7%	57.0%	-
of which:															
Crude oil & petroleum products	99.7%	100.3%	-	97.7%	97.0%	-	92.5%	91.0%	-	97.0%	100.2%	-	99.8%	101.0%	-
5. Gross Inland Consumption Per Capita in kgOE	3247.5	3059.6	-	4132.5	4131.4	-	3187.0	2999.5	-	3529.0	3577.1	-	2063.6	2016.0	-

(1) GIC = primary production + recovered products + imports + stock changes - bunkers

(2) Net Imports = Imports minus exports

(3) Including recovered products

(4) EDR = Net imports/[GIC+bunkers]; Negative dependency rate indicates a net exporter. Positive values greater than 100% indicate a stocks build-up during the reference year

e: Estimate

Subdivision of principal aggregates of the energy balance sheet															
	Million tonnes of oil equivalent														
	LT			LU			HU			MT			NL		
	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007
1. Gross Inland Consumption⁽¹⁾	9.2	9.1	-0.6%	4.6	4.4	-2.9%	26.9	26.6	-1.3%	1.0	-		82.3	82.1	-0.2%
of which:															
Hard coal	0.2	0.2	-15.2%	0.1	0.1	-0.9%	1.0	1.0	-2.8%	-	-	-	8.3	7.7	-6.5%
Lignite	0.0	0.0	28.6%	-	-	-	2.0	2.0	1.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crude oil & petroleum products	2.8	3.0	7.7%	2.9	2.8	-2.0%	7.5	7.3	-3.3%	1.0	-		35.1	32.9	-6.3%
Natural gas	2.9	2.6	-10.3%	1.2	1.1	-9.2%	10.8	10.8	-0.3%	-	-	-	33.4	36.0	7.9%
Nuclear energy	2.5	2.6	0.6%	-	-	-	3.8	3.7	-1.9%	-	-	-	1.0	1.0	-0.8%
Hydro & wind plus electricity trade balance	-0.1	0.0	49.4%	0.4	0.4	9.7%	0.4	0.4	4.6%	-	-	-	1.8	1.7	-5.1%
Biomass & waste, solar & geothermal heat	0.8	0.8e		0.1	0.1e		1.4	1.4e		-	-	-	2.7	2.7e	
2. Net Imports⁽²⁾	5.7	5.5	-4.6%	4.5	4.4	-2.2%	16.2	16.9	4.7%	1.0	-		37.7	31.9	-15.5%
of which:															
Hard coal	0.2	0.2	6.1%	0.1	0.1	-0.9%	1.2	1.2	-1.0%	-	-	-	8.8	7.7	-12.2%
Crude oil	4.6	9.0	95.1%	-	-	-	6.4	6.3	-1.6%	-	-	-	57.7	56.5	-2.2%
Natural gas	3.0	2.5	-16.0%	1.2	1.1	-9.2%	8.4	9.4	10.9%	-	-	-	-21.5	-25.4	-17.8%
Petroleum products	-3.0	-6.5	-115.0%	2.8	2.8	-0.8%	-0.4	-0.6	-34.6%	1.0	-	-	-9.3	-8.8	5.8%
Electricity	-0.1	-0.1	30.1%	0.3	0.4	9.7%	0.3	0.3	0.7%	-	-	-	1.5	1.4	-10.7%
Biomass & waste	0.0	0.0e		0.0	0.0e		0.0	0.0e		-	-	-	0.5	0.5e	
3. Production of Primary Energy	3.6	3.6	-0.8%	0.1	0.1	1.6%	10.2	10.2	0.2%	-	-	-	61.5	67.5	9.7%
of which:															
Hard coal ⁽³⁾	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lignite	0.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	1.8	1.7	-4.2%	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crude oil and condensates	0.3	0.2	-23.8%	-	-	-	1.2	1.4	8.5%	-	-	-	3.1	2.5	-17.9%
Natural gas	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	2.0	2.3%	-	-	-	54.9	61.4	11.8%
Nuclear energy	2.5	2.6	0.6%	-	-	-	3.8	3.7	-1.9%	-	-	-	1.0	1.0	-0.8%
Hydro & wind	0.0	0.0	20.6%	0.0	0.0	8.9%	0.0	0.0	65.2%	-	-	-	0.3	0.4	22.6%
Biomass & waste, solar & geothermal heat	0.8	0.8e		0.1	0.1e		1.4	1.4e		-	-	-	2.2	2.2e	
4. Energy Dependence Rate (EDR)⁽⁴⁾															
Total	61.9%	59.6%		97.4%	98.2%		60.2%	63.8%		100.0%			38.1%	32.5%	
of which:															
Crude oil & petroleum products	90.9%	91.2%		98.8%	100.1%		81.5%	80.5%		100.0%			93.7%	97.6%	
5. Gross Inland Consumption Per Capita in kgOE	2704.8	2702.3		9607.8	9184.3		2671.5	2643.1		2555.2			5033.4	5007.4	

(1) GIC = primary production + recovered products + imports + stock changes - bunkers

(2) Net Imports = Imports minus exports

(3) Including recovered products

(4) EDR = Net imports/[GIC+bunkers]; Negative dependency rate indicates a net exporter. Positive values greater than 100% indicate a stocks build-up during the reference year

e: Estimate

**Subdivision of principal aggregates
of the energy balance sheet**

Million tonnes of oil equivalent

	Subdivision of principal aggregates of the energy balance sheet														
	AT			PL			PT			RO			SI		
	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007
1. Gross Inland Consumption ⁽¹⁾	32.6	31.9	-2.2%	94.4	99.8	5.6%	25.7	24.6	-4.4%	40.3	38.8	-3.8%	6.6	7.1	7.5%
of which:															
Hard coal	3.7	3.2	-14.3%	41.9	44.9	7.2%	2.9	2.6	-12.0%	3.4	2.5	-26.4%	-	-	-
Lignite	0.0	0.0	14.6%	12.2	12.5	2.2%	-	-	-	7.0	6.8	-2.5%	1.1	1.2	7.4%
Crude oil & petroleum products	13.6	13.3	-1.8%	23.3	24.6	6.0%	14.2	13.2	-7.0%	10.2	10.1	-1.2%	2.5	2.9	17.5%
Natural gas	7.2	7.2	0.8%	12.3	12.5	1.5%	3.8	4.1	8.6%	13.4	12.0	-10.5%	0.9	0.8	-6.8%
Nuclear energy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	2.9	68.4%	1.3	1.5	10.1%
Hydro & wind plus electricity trade balance	3.4	3.4	-0.3%	0.0	0.5	-	1.4	1.3	-7.6%	1.2	1.1	-7.0%	0.3	0.2	-32.1%
Biomass & waste, solar & geothermal heat	4.8	4.8e	-	4.7	4.7e	-	3.4	3.4e	-	3.4	3.4e	-	0.5	0.5e	-
2. Net Imports ⁽²⁾	23.0	22.5	-2.4%	25.2	31.5	25.0%	21.9	21.2	-2.9%	12.8	11.1	-13.6%	3.5	3.8	8.7%
of which:															
Hard coal	2.8	2.1	-25.3%	-3.8	1.7	145.8%	2.9	2.3	-19.8%	2.9	2.0	-31.2%	-	-	-
Crude oil	7.6	7.9	2.9%	20.6	20.5	-0.4%	12.4	12.0	-3.6%	8.5	8.4	-1.3%	-	-	-
Natural gas	5.8	6.3	7.1%	8.2	9.1	10.6%	3.8	4.1	10.2%	4.0	3.7	-8.5%	0.9	0.8	-6.8%
Petroleum products	4.7	4.2	-11.4%	3.4	2.7	-21.8%	1.0	1.3	21.3%	-3.1	-3.3	-6.3%	2.5	3.0	17.1%
Electricity	0.6	0.4	-26.5%	-0.5	-0.1	76.8%	0.6	0.8	26.0%	-0.2	-0.4	-103.7%	0.0	-0.1	-757.7%
Biomass & waste	0.2	0.2e	-	0.0	0.0e	-	-	-	-	0.1	0.1e	-	0.0	0.0e	-
3. Production of Primary Energy	9.9	9.8	-1.3%	71.0	69.2	-2.5%	4.2	3.9	-6.6%	27.9	28.7	2.6%	3.2	3.4	5.8%
of which:															
Hard coal ⁽³⁾	-	-	-	49.1	46.9	-4.4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lignite	-	-	-	12.2	12.6	3.5%	-	-	-	6.9	6.8	-2.2%	1.1	1.1	-1.0%
Crude oil and condensates	0.9	0.9	0.0%	0.7	0.7	4.9%	-	-	-	5.1	4.8	-5.6%	-	-	-
Natural gas	1.6	1.3	-17.1%	3.8	3.7	-5.2%	-	-	-	9.5	9.4	-1.2%	-	-	-
Nuclear energy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.7	2.9	68.4%	1.3	1.5	10.1%
Hydro & wind	2.8	3.0	5.0%	0.5	0.6	22.7%	0.8	0.5	-34.6%	1.4	1.5	7.5%	0.3	0.3	22.4%
Biomass & waste, solar & geothermal heat	4.6	4.6e	-	4.8	4.8e	-	3.4	3.4e	-	3.3	3.3e	-	0.4	0.4e	-
4. Energy Dependence Rate (EDR) ⁽⁴⁾															
Total	70.5%	70.4%	-	26.6%	31.5%	-	83.3%	84.4%	-	31.8%	28.6%	-	52.1%	52.7%	-
of which:															
Crude oil & petroleum products	93.2%	94.0%	-	106.6%	97.0%	-	98.9%	101.2%	-	53.1%	50.7%	-	101.1%	100.8%	-
5. Gross Inland Consumption Per Capita in kgOE	3930.3	3828.3	-	2477.2	2617.8	-	2426.2	2316.4	-	1869.1	1801.7	-	3301.8	3522.7	-

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(2) Net Imports = Imports minus exports

(3) Including recovered products

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e: Estimate

Subdivision of principal aggregates of the energy balance sheet												
Million tonnes of oil equivalent												
	SK			FI			SE			UK		
	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007	2007	2008	2008/2007
1. Gross Inland Consumption⁽¹⁾	17.9	18.0	0.4%	36.8	34.9	-5.2%	49.0	48.6	-1.0%	220.4	216.7	-1.7%
of which:												
Hard coal	3.6	3.2	-10.5%	4.9	3.4	-31.3%	2.4	2.1	-12.1%	38.7	36.1	-6.9%
Lignite	0.8	1.0	19.4%	2.3	1.6	-29.8%	0.3	0.3	7.1%	-	-	-
Crude oil & petroleum products	3.6	3.6	1.4%	10.5	10.4	-0.9%	12.9	13.4	4.4%	79.4	75.5	-5.0%
Natural gas	4.6	4.7	1.4%	3.7	4.0	6.6%	0.9	0.8	-9.8%	81.8	86.6	6.0%
Nuclear energy	4.3	4.6	6.9%	5.8	5.7	-2.3%	16.7	16.0	-4.2%	15.4	12.8	-16.7%
Hydro & wind plus electricity trade balance	0.5	0.3	-27.7%	2.3	2.6	12.0%	5.9	5.9	0.2%	1.3	2.0	50.1%
Biomass & waste, solar & geothermal heat	0.6	0.6e		7.3	7.3e		9.8	9.8e		3.8	3.8e	
2. Net Imports⁽²⁾	12.0	11.7	-2.5%	19.8	19.6	-0.8%	18.6	19.3	3.9%	47.6	55.6	16.8%
of which:												
Hard coal	3.4	3.1	-8.2%	4.1	3.4	-16.3%	2.2	2.0	-10.1%	26.4	26.5	0.7%
Crude oil	6.1	5.9	-3.8%	12.1	11.8	-2.4%	18.0	21.0	16.9%	4.5	7.8	74.0%
Natural gas	4.5	4.5	-0.3%	3.7	4.0	6.6%	0.9	0.8	-9.8%	16.6	21.9	31.7%
Petroleum products	-2.6	-2.3	13.3%	-1.5	-0.9	38.0%	-2.8	-4.8	-73.0%	-5.7	-5.8	-1.5%
Electricity	0.1	0.0	-140.8%	1.1	1.1	1.6%	0.1	-0.2	-249.2%	0.4	0.9	111.4%
Biomass & waste	0.0	0.0e		-0.1	-0.1e		-	-	-	0.3	0.3e	
3. Production of Primary Energy	6.0	6.4	5.7%	15.3	15.4	0.1%	32.6	32.2	-1.2%	171.2	162.9	-4.9%
of which:												
Hard coal ⁽³⁾	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10.0	10.6	5.3%
Lignite	0.6	0.6	14.7%	0.9	0.8	-11.2%	0.2	0.2	7.1%	-	-	-
Crude oil and condensates	0.1	0.1	4.4%	-	-	-	-	-	-	76.7	72.3	-5.8%
Natural gas	0.1	0.1	-19.1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	64.7	62.7	-3.1%
Nuclear energy	4.3	4.6	6.9%	5.8	5.7	-2.3%	16.7	16.0	-4.2%	15.4	12.8	-16.7%
Hydro & wind	0.4	0.4	-5.3%	1.2	1.5	21.0%	5.8	6.1	5.1%	0.9	1.0	18.8%
Biomass & waste, solar & geothermal heat	0.6	0.6e		7.4	7.4e		9.8	9.8e		3.5	3.5e	
4. Energy Dependence Rate (EDR)⁽⁴⁾												
Total	66.7%	64.8%		53.8%	56.3%		36.2%	38.1%		21.4%	25.4%	
of which:												
Crude oil & petroleum products	97.5%	99.2%		100.8%	104.4%		99.8%	105.2%		4.2%	7.3%	
5. Gross Inland Consumption Per Capita in kgOE	3323.2	3332.9		6979.3	6584.7		5381.1	5287.9		3623.7	3542.2	

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e: Estimate

ESSENTIAL INFORMATION – METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

N.B.1: The tonne of oil equivalent is a standardised conventional unit defined on the basis of one tonne of oil having a net calorific value of 41 868 kilojoules per kilogramme.

N.B.2: With the exception of the Actual Heating Degree Days on page 4 the EU aggregate does not include Malta for which data are not available.

N.B.3: Euro area is EA16 (BE, DE, IE, EL, ES, FR, IT, CY, LU, MY, NL, AT, PT, SI, SK, FI).

N.B.4: With the exception of the data for biomass & waste, solar and geothermal heat (renewables annual data collection), all data for 2007 and 2008 in this report represent the cumulative monthly figures, and may differ from annual data.

N.B.5: Heating degree days express the severity of the cold in a specific time period taking into consideration outdoor temperature and room temperature. Actual heating degree

days based on the Eurostat methodology are calculated by the Joint Research Centre at regional (NUTS 2), national and European level.

To establish a common and comparable basis, Eurostat uses the following method for the calculation of heating degree days

$(18^{\circ}\text{C} - T_m) \times d$ if T_m is lower than or equal to 15°C
(heating threshold)

and are nil if T_m is greater than 15°C

where T_m is the mean $((T_{\min} + T_{\max}) / 2)$ outdoor temperature over a period of d days.

Relative heating degree days are defined as the ratio of actual degree days to long-term average degree days (base period for the calculation of the long-term average is 1980-2004). This ratio indicates whether a given year was colder or warmer compared to the average

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