

Table: General government deficit (-) / surplus (+) (% GDP, 1991 - 2017)

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Germany	-3.2	-2.6	-3.1	-2.5	-9.4	-3.5	-2.9	-2.5	-1.7	0.9	-3.1	-3.9	-4.2	-3.7
Greece	:	:	:	:	-9.7	-8.2	-6.1	-6.3	-5.8	-4.1	-5.5	-6.0	-7.8	-8.8
Ireland	:	:	:	:	-2.1	-0.3	1.3	2.0	2.4	4.9	1.0	-0.3	0.4	1.3
Spain	:	:	:	:	-7.0	-5.4	-3.9	-2.9	-1.3	-1.0	-0.5	-0.4	-0.4	0.0
Italy	:	:	:	:	-7.3	-6.7	-3.0	-3.0	-1.8	-1.3	-3.4	-3.1	-3.4	-3.6
Cyprus	:	:	:	:	-0.7	-3.0	-4.8	-3.8	-4.0	-2.2	-2.1	-4.1	-5.9	-3.7
Portugal	:	:	:	:	-5.2	-4.7	-3.7	-4.4	-3.0	-3.2	-4.8	-3.3	-4.4	-6.2
Euro area – 17	:	:	:	:	-7.4	-4.3	-3.0	-2.4	-1.5	-0.3	-2.0	-2.7	-3.2	-3.0
Euro area – 19	:	:	:	:	-7.3	-4.3	-3.0	-2.4	-1.5	-0.3	-2.0	-2.7	-3.2	-3.0
EU - 28	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	-2.6	-3.2	-2.9

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	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016 ¹	2017 ¹
Germany	-3.4	-1.7	0.2	-0.2	-3.2	-4.2	-1.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.3	0.7	0.2	0.1
Greece	-6.2	-5.9	-6.7	-10.2	-15.2	-11.2	-10.2	-8.8	-13.0	-3.6	-7.2	-3.1	-1.8
Ireland	1.6	2.8	0.3	-7.0	-13.8	-32.3	-12.6	-8.0	-5.7	-3.8	-2.3	-1.1	-0.6
Spain	1.2	2.2	2.0	-4.4	-11.0	-9.4	-9.6	-10.4	-6.9	-5.9	-5.1	-3.9	-3.1
Italy	-4.2	-3.6	-1.5	-2.7	-5.3	-4.2	-3.5	-2.9	-2.9	-3.0	-2.6	-2.4	-1.9
Cyprus	-2.2	-1.0	3.2	0.9	-5.5	-4.8	-5.7	-5.8	-4.9	-8.9	-1.0	-0.4	0.0
Portugal	-6.2	-4.3	-3.0	-3.8	-9.8	-11.2	-7.4	-5.7	-4.8	-7.2	-4.4	-2.7	-2.3
Euro area – 17	-2.6	-1.5	-0.6	-2.1	-6.2	-6.2	-4.2	-3.7	-3.0	-2.6	-2.1	:	:
Euro area – 19	-2.6	-1.5	-0.6	-2.2	-6.3	-6.2	-4.2	-3.7	-3.0	-2.6	-2.1	:	:
EU - 28	-2.5	-1.6	-0.9	-2.4	-6.7	-6.4	-4.5	-4.3	-3.3	-3.0	-2.4	:	:

¹2016 and 2017: forecasts

Source: Eurostat, European Commission, (2015), European Economy, Autumn-Statistical Annex

European Commission, (2016), European Economic Forecast; Spring 2016

