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	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
	Net lending/	Net borrowing,	in % of GDP									
European Union	-6.0	-4.1	-3.7	-3.0	-2.4	-1.9	-1.4	-0.8	-0.4	-0.5	-6.7	-4.6
Austria	-4.4	-2.6	-2.2	-2.0	-2.7	-1.0	-1.5	-0.8	0.2	0.6	-8.0	-5.9
Belgium	-4.1	-4.3	-4.3	-3.1	-3.1	-2.4	-2.4	-0.7	-0.9	-1.9	-9.0	-5.6
Bulgaria	-3.7	-1.7	-0.8	-0.7	-5.4	-1.9	0.3	1.6	1.7	2.1	-3.8	-3.9
Croatia	-6.7	-7.6	-5.5	-5.5	-5.2	-3.5	-1.0	0.6	-0.1	0.2	-7.3	-2.6
Cyprus	-4.7	-5.7	-5.7	-5.6	-8.8	-0.9	0.3	1.9	-3.6	1.3	-5.8	-1.7
Czechia	-4.2	-2.7	-3.9	-1.3	-2.1	-0.6	0.7	1.5	0.9	0.3	-5.8	-5.1
Denmark	-2.7	-2.1	-3.5	-1.2	1.1	-1.2	0.1	1.8	0.8	4.1	0.2	3.6
Estonia	0.2	1.1	-0.3	0.2	0.7	0.1	-0.4	-0.5	-0.6	0.1	-5.5	-2.4
Finland	-2.5	-1.0	-2.2	-2.5	-3.0	-2.4	-1.7	-0.7	-0.9	-0.9	-5.5	-2.7
France	-6.9	-5.2	-5.0	-4.1	-3.9	-3.6	-3.6	-3.0	-2.3	-3.1	-9.0	-6.5
Germany	-4.4	-0.9	0.0	0.0	0.6	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.9	1.5	-4.3	-3.7
Greece	-11.4	-10.5	-9.1	-13.4	-3.7	-5.9	0.2	0.6	0.9	1.1	-9.9	-7.5
Hungary	-4.4	-5.2	-2.3	-2.6	-2.8	-2.0	-1.8	-2.5	-2.1	-2.0	-7.5	-7.1
Ireland	-32.1	-13.6	-8.5	-6.4	-3.6	-2.0	-0.8	-0.3	0.1	0.5	-5.0	-1.7
Italy	-4.2	-3.6	-2.9	-2.9	-3.0	-2.6	-2.4	-2.4	-2.2	-1.5	-9.5	-7.2
Latvia	-8.6	-4.3	-1.4	-1.2	-1.6	-1.4	0.0	-0.8	-0.8	-0.6	-4.3	-7.0
Lithuania	-6.9	-8.9	-3.2	-2.6	-0.6	-0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5	-7.0	-1.0
Luxembourg	-0.3	0.7	0.5	0.8	1.3	1.3	1.9	1.4	3.0	2.2	-3.4	0.8
Malta	-2.2	-3.0	-3.4	-2.2	-1.5	-0.8	1.1	3.3	2.1	0.6	-9.4	-7.8
Netherlands	-5.3	-4.4	-3.9	-3.0	-2.3	-1.9	0.1	1.4	1.5	1.8	-3.7	-2.6
Poland	-7.5	-5.0	-3.8	-4.3	-3.7	-2.6	-2.4	-1.5	-0.2	-0.7	-6.9	-1.8
Portugal	-11.4	-7.7	-6.2	-5.1	-7.4	-4.4	-1.9	-3.0	-0.3	0.1	-5.8	-2.9
Romania	-7.1	-5.6	-3.8	-2.3	-1.2	-0.5	-2.5	-2.5	-2.8	-4.3	-9.2	-7.1
Slovakia	-7.5	-4.3	-4.4	-2.9	-3.1	-2.7	-2.6	-1.0	-1.0	-1.2	-5.4	-5.5
Slovenia	-5.6	-6.6	-4.0	-14.6	-5.5	-2.8	-1.9	-0.1	0.7	0.6	-7.7	-4.7
Spain	-9.5	-9.7	-11.6	-7.5	-6.1	-5.3	-4.3	-3.1	-2.6	-3.1	-10.1	-6.9
Sweden	-0.1	-0.3	-1.1	-1.5	-1.5	0.0	1.0	1.4	0.8	0.6	-2.8	-0.1

Notes:

GDP: Gross domestic product.

Data source:

Eurostat

Net lending: Plus (+).Net borrowing: Minus (-).

[•] European Union: EU-27 (without United Kingdom).

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	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
	Billion euros											
Net lending/Net borrowing adjusted of general government	-112.3	-23.7	0.3	1.1	17.0	29.1	36.4	43.7	65.6	53.2	-147.6	-134.3
of which:												
Central government	-87.7	-27.7	-14.0	-1.3	15.5	17.6	13.7	7.9	21.0	21.4	-87.4	-145.9
State government	-20.1	-10.4	-3.4	-0.7	2.0	4.6	7.7	13.9	12.0	14.0	-30.9	2.8
Local government	-8.5	-1.2	-1.0	-2.5	-3.9	3.7	6.3	10.7	16.7	8.6	5.5	4.6
Social security funds	4.0	15.5	18.7	5.7	3.4	3.2	8.7	11.1	16.0	9.2	-34.8	4.3
GDP (at current prices)	2,564.4	2,693.6	2,745.3	2,811.4	2,927.4	3,026.2	3,134.7	3,267.2	3,365.5	3,473.3	3,405.4	3,601.8
Revenue of general government	1,122.3	1,194.8	1,233.4	1,264.7	1,313.9	1,364.9	1,426.7	1,486.9	1,557.2	1,615.8	1,569.1	1,711.7
including:												
Levies to general government	985.9	1 044.6	1 082.4	1 111.7	1 149.9	1 200.0	1 256.5	1 316.7	1 373.8	1 425.5	1 382.6	1 511.5
Taxes to general government	559.4	601.9	627.8	646.3	667.6	698.8	732.2	767.2	801.3	827.3	774.5	877.8
Social contributions to general government	426.5	442.6	454.6	465.4	482.3	501.2	524.3	549.5	572.6	598.2	608.1	633.7
General government expenditure	1,234.5	1,218.5	1,233.1	1,263.5	1,296.9	1,335.8	1,390.4	1,443.3	1,491.6	1,562.6	1,716.6	1,846.0
including:												
Intermediate consumption of general government	124.9	131.8	135.7	141.8	147.1	153.0	162.5	169.5	176.4	187.2	209.4	227.2
General government Compensation of employees Government Social benefits other than social transfers in	205.8	211.0	214.7	220.5	227.5	233.0	240.7	250.6	260.3	273.2	284.3	294.4
kind	430.5	424.3	430.4	438.9	451.5	469.7	486.9	506.9	521.5	548.7	600.0	610.9
including:												
Social insurance	297.5	295.1	299.1	304.7	312.8	325.0	336.6	351.6	363.6	386.8	423.2	430.0
German Federal Pension Insurance	244.7	246.4	250.4	253.7	261.0	272.5	283.0	293.3	302.2	319.0	332.0	340.0
Agricultural pension funds	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.6
Statutory health insurance	9.8	10.6	11.4	11.9	12.6	13.4	14.0	14.8	15.6	17.0	18.5	19.0
Statutory long-term care insurance	5.5	5.6	6.0	6.6	6.9	7.4	7.7	11.6	14.3	17.1	19.0	20.9
Statutory accident insurance	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.9	8.1	8.2
Unemployment insurance	27.6	22.6	21.4	22.6	22.4	21.8	21.8	21.5	21.1	23.1	42.8	39.2
Social benefits in kind of general government	204.4	209.8	215.2	227.7	239.8	252.2	267.7	277.9	284.1	296.9	304.9	330.0
including:												
Social security funds	177.6	181.1	185.5	195.6	206.8	216.6	225.8	236.7	244.0	255.6	264.4	286.8
including:												
Statutory health insurance	155.4	158.3	161.9	171.2	181.5	189.2	196.9	203.8	211.3	222.6	230.1	249.9
General government gross capital formation	59.9	61.3	60.4	61.0	60.5	64.5	68.1	71.6	78.5	84.4	93.2	93.4
Net lending/Net borrowing of general government	- 112.3	- 23.7	0.3	1.1	17.0	29.1	36.4	43.7	65.6	53.2	- 147.6	- 134.3

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Data source:

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GDP: Gross domestic product.

 ²⁰¹⁹ to 2021 provisional data.

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	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
	Proportion of GDP, in %											
Revenue of general government	43.8	44.4	44.9	45.0	44.9	45.1	45.5	45.5	46.3	46.5	46.1	47.5
including:												
Levies to general government	38.4	38.8	39.4	39.5	39.3	39.7	40.1	40.3	40.8	41.0	40.6	42.0
Taxes to general government	21.8	22.3	22.9	23.0	22.8	23.1	23.4	23.5	23.8	23.8	22.7	24.4
Social contribution to general government	16.6	16.4	16.6	16.6	16.5	16.6	16.7	16.8	17.0	17.2	17.9	17.6
General government expenditure	48.1	45.2	44.9	44.9	44.3	44.1	44.4	44.2	44.3	45.0	50.4	51.3
including:												
Intermediate consumption of general government	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.4	6.1	6.3
General government compensation of employees Government Social benefits other than social transfer in	8.0	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.9	8.3	8.2
kind	16.8	15.8	15.7	15.6	15.4	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.8	17.6	17.0
Social benefits in kind of general government	8.0	7.8	7.8	8.1	8.2	8.3	8.5	8.5	8.4	8.5	9.0	9.2
General government gross capital formation	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.7	2.6

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