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This Statistical Annex provides background data relevant for the assessment of Member States' 2021 Stability and Convergence Programmes. For each Member State, it contains the following tables:

Table 1 (Macroeconomic developments and forecasts) shows the main macroeconomic data - real GDP growth and main expenditure components, output gap, employment, unemployment, labour productivity, inflation, GDP deflator, compensation of employees, and the net borrowing/lending vis-à-vis the rest of the world. The figures from the Stability or Convergence Programme are shown side-by side with those of the Commission 2021 spring forecast (for which the cut-off date was 30 April 2021), thus highlighting possible differences in the macroeconomic scenario underlying the Stability or Convergence Programme.

Table 2a (Main indicators for fiscal surveillance) includes the relevant indicators that are used for fiscal guidance at this stage. It also show the standard Stability and Growth Pact indicators.

Table 2b (General government budgetary position) shows data on the main revenue and expenditure variables and the deficit in the Stability or Convergence Programme, in comparison to the Commission forecast. The table also includes a number of additional indicators used for the assessment of the budgetary projections in the Programme.<sup>1</sup>

### Box: Indicators used in the assessment of the Stability and Convergence Programmes

Traditionally, the fiscal stance is defined as a measure of the year-on-year change in the general government's budgetary position. It may serve to measure the impact of fiscal policy on aggregate demand in an economy, as well as the speed at which the underlying budgetary situation converges towards fiscal targets. Using the same indicator to gauge two different concepts has been appropriate under the assumption that changes in government expenditure were funded entirely by national revenue sources and debt financing, without large external transfers. However, in the presence of sizeable transfers from the EU budget (such as those from the Recovery and Resilience Facility or other EU grants), conventional indicators do not capture the additional fiscal impulse provided by the EU budget as the related national expenditure is exactly offset by corresponding revenue from the EU.

The fiscal stance reported in Table 2a aims to assess the economic impulse stemming from fiscal policies, nationally financed as well as financed by the EU. It measures the change in primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, but including changes in expenditure financed by the RRF and other EU grants), but, taking into account the exceptional circumstances created by the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures, relative to the 10-year average potential growth rate. 23

<sup>2</sup> Crisis-related emergency measures generally aim at addressing the public health situation and compensating workers and firms for income losses due to lockdown measures and supply chain disruptions. These measures are mostly of a temporary nature, but their impact is contingent on the development of the health situation. While useful in the initial phase of the crisis, these measures are likely to be less efficient to support the recovery when the health related emergency gradually wanes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For the Stability or Convergence Programmes, the output gap used for the cyclical adjustment is recalculated by the Commission services based on the macroeconomic scenario in the Programmes using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The computations of the fiscal stance based on the Stability or Convergence Programmes assume no impact of crisis related temporary emergency measures in 2023 and beyond.

$$\frac{(1 + Pot_t) * (1 + \pi_t) * E_{t-1} - E_t + \Delta RM_t}{Y_t}$$

Where  $E_t = G_t - I_t - U_t - one\_offs_t^G(-emerg.temp.measures_t^G)$ .

The expenditure aggregate comprises primary expenditure (total expenditure G minus interest expenditure I), net of cyclical unemployment benefits U and one-off expenditure.  $\Delta RM$  stands for the incremental budgetary impact of revenue measures (other than one-offs) excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures.

The table also presents a fiscal stance as computed in normal times that is without excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures.

Table 2b also monitors the growth rate of <u>nationally</u> financed net (primary) expenditure. In general, the net expenditure aggregate is calculated as:

$$E_t + \Delta RM_t = G_t - I_t - U_t - EU_t - one_{offs_t}^G + \Delta RM_t$$

The aggregate is very similar to the one used for the fiscal stance, but excludes expenditure financed by the EU budget. Table 2b presents an aggregate where G is calculated as general government expenditure excluding/including changes in crisis-related temporary emergency measures, and  $\Delta RM$  representing the incremental budgetary impact of discretionary revenue measures excluding/including crisis-related temporary emergency measures.

The table 2b also presents two additional versions focussing on the growth of <u>nationally</u> financed net <u>current</u> expenditure

$$\frac{1}{E_t^{cur} + \Delta RM_t} = G_t^{cur} - I_t - U_t - EU_t^{cur} - one_{offs}_t^{G,cur} + \Delta RM_t$$

(one including and one excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures).

**Table 3a** (**General government debt developments**) shows year-on-year general government debt developments and provides a breakdown of the change in the debt ratio as per the change in the primary balance, the snowball effect (reflecting the relationship between GDP growth and interest payments) and the stock-flow adjustment (*i.e.* other elements that have an impact on the debt, such as differences between cash and accrual recording or the net accumulation of financial assets).

**Table 3b** (**Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators**) contains information on debt sustainability indicators over the short, medium and long terms (the so-called S0, S1 and S2 indicators). The estimates reported in the table are based on the Commission 2021 spring forecast and the updated estimates for ageing-related costs published in the May 2021 Ageing Report.

Table 4.1a (Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme) presents the main discretionary measures adopted/announced in response to the COVID-19 outbreak and related economic recession, as reported by the Member State. The table distinguishes between temporary and non-temporary measures and provides the annual profile of measures contained in the Programme and their impact on revenues and expenditures.

Table 4.1b (Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme) presents the main guarantee schemes in place, in particular those adopted/announced in response to the COVID-19 outbreak and related economic recession, as reported by the Member State. The table also provides the take-up of those guarantee schemes, if the information is available.

**Table 4.2a** (**RRF** – **Grants**) presents data on grants from the Recovery and Resilience Facility included in the Programme's revenue projections, their cash disbursements, and the expenditure categories (or other costs) financed by those grants.

**Table 4.2b** (**RRF** – **Loans**) presents data on cash disbursements and repayments of loans from the Recovery and Resilience Facility included in the Programme's projections, and the expenditure categories (or other costs) financed by those loans.

The differences between the projections in the 2021 Programmes and the Commission 2021 spring forecast may reveal in some cases differents assumptions *vis-à-vis* the macroeconomic outlook and the Member State's Recovery and Resilience Plan (RRP).

As regards the absoption of grants from the Recovery and Resilience Facility, the Commission 2021 spring forecast used a number of technical assumptions. By default, the forecast assumes a linear absorption of the entire RRF allocation of each Member State, from mid-2021 until end-2026, with the proceeds being directed towards gross fixed capital formation and capital transfers. For Member States where sufficiently detailed information was available, the forecast deviated from that working assumption for relevant elements. For example, this included cases where there was already available information on the expected time profile of RRF-funded expenditures, or cases where certain expenditure components had already been established in more detail.

### 1. BELGIUM

Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-6.3	-6.2	4.5	4.1	3.7	3.5	1.7	1.5
Private consumption (% change)	-8.7	-7.7	4.6	6.1	6.3	5.6	1.9	1.8
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-6.9	-9.0	6.0	3.3	2.8	4.8	2.9	1.8
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-4.6	-6.5	5.9	4.7	3.9	5.6	4.1	3.5
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-4.3	-5.6	6.1	4.9	4.3	6.4	4.5	3.7
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-6.0	-5.5	4.7	4.3	3.9	4.2	2.0	1.7
- Change in inventories	0.0	0.3	-0.1	-0.6	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-0.3	-0.8	-0.1	-0.2	-0.3	-0.7	-0.3	-0.2
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-6.3	-5.8	-3.1	-2.8	-0.9	-0.7	-0.5	-0.6
Employment (% change)	0.0	-0.1	-0.6	-0.6	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9
Unemployment rate (%)	5.6	5.6	6.7	6.8	6.5	6.8	6.3	5.7
Labour productivity (% change)	-6.3	-6.1	5.1	4.8	2.9	2.9	0.7	0.7
HICP inflation (%)	0.4	0.4	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.7	1.7
GDP deflator (% change)	1.1	0.7	1.6	1.0	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.7
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	-1.8	-1.7	2.7	4.5	3.4	4.2	2.5	2.6
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	0.2	-1.7	0.0	-1.4	-0.4	-0.8	-0.7	-0.7

Note:

#### <u>Source</u>

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)	2020	2021		2022		2023	2024
,	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
<b>Fiscal stance</b> (including EU-financed expenditure, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup>	-0.9	-0.8	n.a.	-0.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
of which contribution from:							
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other EU funds	0.0	-0.2	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	0.1	-0.2	n.a.	0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-0.1	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current expenditure	-0.9	-0.3	n.a.	-0.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-4.6	0.7	n.a.	1.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-4.8	1.0	1.3	1.6	1.7	0.1	-0.2
Change in the structural balance	-2.9	-0.2	-0.2	1.4	1.9	0.5	0.3

Note:

<u>Source</u>:

Stability Programme (SP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
, ,	COM	COM	SP	СОМ	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	50.6	49.9	50.3	49.8	50.4	50.8	51.2	0.6
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	13.4	13.2	13.4	13.2	13.4	13.5	13.4	0.0
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	15.9	15.5	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.8	16.0	0.1
- Social contributions	16.1	15.8	15.9	15.8	15.9	16.1	16.2	0.1
- Other (residual)	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.5	5.4	5.6	0.4
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	0.0	0.2	n.a.	0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure	60.0	57.6	58.0	54.7	54.9	54.8	54.8	-5.2
of which:						50.0	500	
- Primary expenditure	58.0	55.9	56.3	53.3	53.5	53.6	53.6	-4.4
of which: Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	17.7	17.3	17.2	16.8	16.7	16.6	16.5	-1.2
Compensation of employees  Compensation of employees	13.4	12.9	13.0	12.6	12.6	12.6	12.5	-0.9
Intermediate consumption	4.3	4.4	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.0	-0.3
Social payments	28.4	27.5	28.6	26.3	27.0	27.1	27.3	-1.1
Subsidies	5.1	4.5	4.3	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.1	-1.0
Gross fixed capital formation	2.8	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.8	3.0	3.0	0.2
Other (residual)	4.0	3.5	3.2	3.2	2.8	2.9	2.8	-1.2
- Interest expenditure	2.0	1.7	1.7	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.2	-0.8
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.2	n.a.	0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
General government balance (GGB)	-9.4	-7.6	-7.7	-4.9	-4.5	-4.0	-3.7	5.7
Primary balance	-7.4	-5.9	-6.0	-3.5	-3.1	-2.8	-2.5	4.9
GGB excl. one-offs	-9.5	-7.7	-7.8	-4.9	-4.6	-4.0	-3.7	5.8
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	11.0	1.3	0.9	-0.4	-0.7	2.8	3.1	-8.0
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	4.0	4.0	n.a.	3.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	11.7	0.7	0.1	-0.5	-0.6	2.4	3.1	-8.6
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	4.2	3.6	n.a.	3.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	2.4	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9	0.5
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-6.3	-3.1	-2.8	-0.9	-0.7	-0.5	-0.6	5.2
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-5.5	-5.7	-6.0	-4.4	-4.1	-3.7	-3.4	2.5
One-offs	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.1
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-5.6	-5.8	-6.1	-4.4	-4.2	-3.7	-3.4	2.6
	-3.7	-4.1	-4.4	-2.9	-2.8	-2.5	-2.2	1.8
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-3.7	~4.1	-4.4	-2.3	-2.0	<b>-</b> 2.5	<b>-</b> ∠.∠	1.0

#### Notes:

Stability Programme (SP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024
(% 01 GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	102.0	114.1	115.3	116.3	115.5	116.0	116.7	117.4
Change in the ratio	-1.8	16.1	1.2	2.1	0.2	-0.3	0.8	0.6
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-0.8	7.4	5.9	6.0	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.5
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-1.0	7.4	-4.9	-3.9	-4.2	-4.2	-2.6	-2.4
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	2.4	2.0	1.7	1.7	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.2
Growth effect	-1.7	6.5	-4.9	-4.4	-4.0	-3.9	-1.9	-1.7
Inflation effect	-1.7	-1.1	-1.7	-1.1	-1.6	-1.7	-1.9	-1.9
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.0	1.2	0.3	0.1	1.0	0.9	0.6	0.6

### Notes:

#### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commissio	on scenario	_	convergence ne scenario
Short term	HIGH	l risk		
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) [1]	0	.5		
Medium term	HIGH	l risk		
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	4.7	HIGH risk	1.3	MEDIUM risk
Debt sustainability analysis [3]	HIGH risk			
Baseline scenario	HIGI	H risk		
Stochastic projections	HIGI	H risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	110.8		10	8.1
Long term [5]	HIGH risk			
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) [6]	4.4 MEDIUM risk		1.5	LOW risk
0.004 + 1.1114				

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

- [3] The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*
- [4] The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.
- [5] The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.
- [6] The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/anno	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue component)	Date of adoption	<b>Budg</b> GI	getary i DP - cha previou	mpact ange fro us year)	(% of om
	I	D.62, D362,		2020		2022	2023
	Covid-19: bridging rights	Expenditure	Q2 2020	-0.7	0.2	0.4	0
	Covid-19: package of measures	D.61: Expenditure D.62, D362,	Q2 2021	-0.1	0.05	0.04	0
	Covid-19: Corona parental leave	Expenditure	n.a.	-0.01	0.01	0	0
	Covid-19: Temporary unemployment	D.62, D362, Expenditure	Q2 2020	-0.9	0.6	0.2	0
	Covid-19: package of measures	D.62, D362, Expenditure	n.a.	-0.2	0.1	0.1	0.01
	Covid-19: Granting of an advance to hospitals	D.3, Expenditure	n.a.	-0.4	0.4	0	0
		D.3, Expenditure	n.a.	-0.3	0.2	0.1	0
		D.62, D362,	n.a.	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0
		Expenditure D.62, D362,		-0.3	-0.03	0.3	0
	Covid-19: Interdepartmental provision + other directly allocated primary expenses	Expenditure P.2, Expenditure	n.a. n.a.	-0.03	0.00	0.02	0
	expenses	D.29 + D.4	II.a.	-0.03	0.00	0.02	"
		(excluding D.41) + D.5 + D.7 + P.52 + P.53 + NP + D.8): Both	n.a.	0.0	-0.01	0.01	0
	Covid-19: package of measures (eg increased investment deduction)	D.5: Revenue	n.a.	-0.2	0.1	0.1	0.03
Temporary	Covid-19: package of measures (eg. VAT reduction (6 %) on hand gels and mouth masks)	D.2: Revenue	n.a.	-0.1	0.1	0	0
measures <sup>2</sup>	Covid-19: package of measures (eg partial and temporary exemption of withholding tax in heavily affected sectors)	D.3 Subsidies	n.a.	-0.02	0.02	0	0
	Covid-19: wage increase	D.3, Expenditure	n.a.	0	-0.05	-0.05	0
	Covid-19: Qualitative improvement of working conditions	P.2, Expenditure D.29 + D.4	n.a.	0	-0.02	0	0
	Package of measures	(excluding D.41) + D.5 + D.7 + P.52 + P.53 + NP + D.8): Both	n.a.	-0.01	-0.02	0.03	0
	Package of measures Package of measures	D.3, Expenditure	n.a.	-0.3 -0.1	0.06	0.2	0
	Package of measures	P.2, Expenditure D.62, D362,	n.a.	-0.1	0.10	-0.03	0
	Sectoral agreements	Expenditure n.a.	n.a.	0	-0.01	0.01	0
	New policy ((including climate plan, good move, housing plan, employment /	n.a.	n.a.	0	-0.04	0.04	0
	training plan) Savings	n.a.	n.a.	0	0.01	-0.01	0
	Support measures to economic sectors	D.3, Expenditure	2020-2021	-0.2	0.1	0.1	0
	Provision	D.3, Expenditure	Estimation Aju 2021	0	-0.1	-0.1	0.1
	Covid: Covid: Draft Decree of the Flemish Government granting aid to companies that have to be closed or that have been given operating restrictions	D.3, Expenditure	n.a.	-0.3	0.2	0	0
	Package of measures  Subtotal	D.1, Expenditure	n.a.	0.0 -4.5	-0.05 <b>2.0</b>	0.05 <b>1.9</b>	0.0
	Efficient government	D.1, Expenditure	Q4 2020/ Q1 2021	0	0.03	0.03	0.03
	Crossborder (better follow-up, and collection and recovery of traffic and fines from Belgians and foreigners)	P.11+P.12+P.131 +D.39+D.7+D.9 (other than D.91): Both	Q4 2020/ Q1 2021	0	0.02	0	0
					5.52		
	Package of measures (eg transposition of directive 2019/1995 e-commerce)	D.2, Revenue	Q4 2020/ Q1 2021	0	0.1	0.05	0.04
		D.5, Revenue	2021 Q4 2020/ Q1 2021	0		0.05	0.04
	commerce)	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362,	2021 Q4 2020/ Q1 2021 Q4 2020/ Q1	<u> </u>	0.1		
	commerce) Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)	D.5, Revenue	2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1	0	0.1	0.01	0.1
	commerce) Package of measures (eg. OECD tax) Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities Strengthening reintegration policies	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure	2021 Q4 2020/ Q1 2021 Q4 2020/ Q1 2021	0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03	0.01	0.1 0.01 0.02
	commerce)  Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)  Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities  Strengthening reintegration policies  Package of measures	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure Not allocated	2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021	0 0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03 0 0.1	0.01 0.01 0.01 0.1	0.1 0.01 0.02 0.1
Non-	commerce) Package of measures (eg. OECD tax) Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities Strengthening reintegration policies	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure	2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021	0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03	0.01	0.1 0.01 0.02
temporary	commerce)  Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)  Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities  Strengthening reintegration policies  Package of measures	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure Not allocated	2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021	0 0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03 0 0.1	0.01 0.01 0.01 0.1	0.1 0.01 0.02 0.1
	commerce)  Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)  Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities  Strengthening reintegration policies  Package of measures  Variable effort	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure Not allocated Not allocated	2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 Q4 2020/Q1	0 0 0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03 0 0.1	0.01 0.01 0.01 0.1 0.2	0.1 0.01 0.02 0.1 0.2
temporary	commerce)  Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)  Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities  Strengthening reintegration policies  Package of measures  Variable effort  Package of measures (eg climat action plan)	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure Not allocated Not allocated D.3, Expenditure	2021 Q4 2020/Q1	0 0 0 0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03 0 0.1 0	0.01 0.01 0.01 0.1 0.2	0.1 0.01 0.02 0.1 0.2 0.01
temporary	commerce) Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)  Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities  Strengthening reintegration policies  Package of measures  Variable effort  Package of measures (eg climat action plan)  Package of measures (eg Center for Cybersecurity Belgium)	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure Not allocated Not allocated D.3, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure	2021 Q4 2020/Q1	0 0 0 0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03 0 0.1 0 -0.03	0.01 0.01 0.01 0.1 0.2 0	0.1 0.01 0.02 0.1 0.2 0.01 -0.01
temporary	commerce)  Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)  Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities  Strengthening reintegration policies  Package of measures  Variable effort  Package of measures (eg climat action plan)  Package of measures (eg Center for Cybersecurity Belgium)  Package of measures (eg reinforcement federal police)	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure Not allocated D.3, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure D.1, Expenditure D.5, Revenue D.62, D362,	2021 Q4 2020/Q1	0 0 0 0 0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03 0 0.1 0 -0.03 -0.04 -0.03	0.01 0.01 0.01 0.1 0.2 0 -0.01	0.1 0.01 0.02 0.1 0.2 0.01 -0.01
temporary	commerce)  Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)  Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities  Strengthening reintegration policies  Package of measures  Variable effort  Package of measures (eg climat action plan)  Package of measures (eg Center for Cybersecurity Belgium)  Package of measures (eg reinforcement federal police)  Package of measures (eg reconstruction reserve)  Package measures (eg integration wage increase)	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure Not allocated D.3, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure D.1, Expenditure D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.51g,	2021 Q4 2020/Q1	0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03 0 0.1 0 -0.03 -0.04 -0.03 0.1 -0.2	0.01 0.01 0.01 0.1 0.2 0 -0.01 0.01 0.04	0.1 0.01 0.02 0.1 0.2 0.01 -0.01 0
temporary	commerce)  Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)  Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities  Strengthening reintegration policies  Package of measures  Variable effort  Package of measures (eg climat action plan)  Package of measures (eg Center for Cybersecurity Belgium)  Package of measures (eg reinforcement federal police)  Package of measures (eg reconstruction reserve)  Package measures (eg integration wage increase)  Package of measures (eg own investment projects under RRF)	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure Not allocated D.3, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure D.1, Expenditure D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.51g, Expenditure	2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03 0 0.1 0 -0.03 -0.04 -0.03 0.1 -0.2	0.01 0.01 0.01 0.1 0.2 0 -0.01 0.04 -0.1	0.1 0.01 0.02 0.1 0.2 0.01 -0.01 0 0.01 -0.2 -0.01
temporary	commerce)  Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)  Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities  Strengthening reintegration policies  Package of measures  Variable effort  Package of measures (eg climat action plan)  Package of measures (eg Center for Cybersecurity Belgium)  Package of measures (eg reinforcement federal police)  Package of measures (eg reconstruction reserve)  Package measures (eg integration wage increase)  Package of measures (eg own investment projects under RRF)  Package of measures (eg. VAT with regard to RRF)	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure Not allocated D.3, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure D.1, Expenditure D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.51g, Expenditure D.2, Revenue P.51g,	2021 Q4 2020/Q1	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03 0 0.1 0 -0.03 -0.04 -0.03 0.1 -0.2 -0.02	0.01 0.01 0.01 0.1 0.2 0 -0.01 0.04 -0.1 0	0.1 0.01 0.02 0.1 0.2 0.01 -0.01 0 0.01 -0.2 -0.01 0.04
temporary	commerce)  Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)  Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities  Strengthening reintegration policies  Package of measures  Variable effort  Package of measures (eg climat action plan)  Package of measures (eg reinforcement federal police)  Package of measures (eg reconstruction reserve)  Package measures (eg integration wage increase)  Package of measures (eg own investment projects under RRF)  Package of measures (eg. VAT with regard to RRF)  Walloon transition plan	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure Not allocated Not allocated D.3, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure D.1, Expenditure D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.51g, Expenditure D.2, Revenue	2021 Q4 2020/Q1	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03 0 0.1 0 -0.03 -0.04 -0.03 0.1 -0.2 -0.02 -0.04 -0.1	0.01 0.01 0.01 0.2 0 -0.01 0.04 -0.1 0 0.01 -0.01	0.1 0.01 0.02 0.1 0.2 0.01 -0.01 0 0.01 -0.2 -0.01 0.04
temporary	commerce)  Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)  Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities  Strengthening reintegration policies  Package of measures  Variable effort  Package of measures (eg climat action plan)  Package of measures (eg Center for Cybersecurity Belgium)  Package of measures (eg reinforcement federal police)  Package of measures (eg reconstruction reserve)  Package measures (eg integration wage increase)  Package of measures (eg own investment projects under RRF)  Package of measures (eg. VAT with regard to RRF)  Walloon transition plan  Get-Up Wallonië (estimates before May 2021)	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure Not allocated D.3, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure D.1, Expenditure D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.51g, Expenditure D.2, Revenue P.51g, Expenditure P.51g, Expenditure P.51g, Expenditure	2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 May 2021	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03 0 0.1 0 -0.03 -0.04 -0.2 -0.02 -0.04 -0.1	0.01 0.01 0.01 0.2 0 -0.01 0.04 -0.1 0 0.01 -0.01 -0.01	0.1 0.01 0.02 0.01 -0.01 0 0.01 -0.2 -0.01 0 0.04 0
temporary	commerce)  Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)  Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities  Strengthening reintegration policies  Package of measures  Variable effort  Package of measures (eg climat action plan)  Package of measures (eg reinforcement federal police)  Package of measures (eg reconstruction reserve)  Package measures (eg integration wage increase)  Package of measures (eg own investment projects under RRF)  Package of measures (eg. VAT with regard to RRF)  Walloon transition plan	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure Not allocated Not allocated D.3, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure D.1, Expenditure D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.51g, Expenditure P.51g, Expenditure P.51g, Expenditure P.51g,	2021 Q4 2020/Q1	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0.1 0.01 0.03 0 0.1 0 -0.03 -0.04 -0.03 0.1 -0.2 -0.02 -0.04 -0.1	0.01 0.01 0.01 0.2 0 -0.01 0.04 -0.1 0 0.01 -0.01	0.1 0.01 0.02 0.1 0.2 0.01 -0.01 0 0.01 -0.2 -0.01 0.04
temporary	commerce)  Package of measures (eg. OECD tax)  Measures in the sector of pharmaceutical specialities  Strengthening reintegration policies  Package of measures  Variable effort  Package of measures (eg climat action plan)  Package of measures (eg Center for Cybersecurity Belgium)  Package of measures (eg reinforcement federal police)  Package of measures (eg reconstruction reserve)  Package measures (eg integration wage increase)  Package of measures (eg own investment projects under RRF)  Package of measures (eg. VAT with regard to RRF)  Walloon transition plan  Get-Up Wallonië (estimates before May 2021)  Package of measures	D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure Not allocated D.3, Expenditure P.2, Expenditure D.1, Expenditure D.5, Revenue D.62, D362, Expenditure P.51g, Expenditure D.51g, Expenditure P.51g, Expenditure P.51g, Expenditure D.4, Revenue D.4, Revenue	2021 Q4 2020/Q1 2021 An.a. 2019 May 2021 n.a.		0.1 0.01 0.03 0 0.1 0 -0.03 -0.04 -0.03 0.1 -0.2 -0.02 -0.04 -0.1	0.01 0.01 0.01 0.2 0 -0.01 0.04 -0.1 0 0.01 -0.01 -0.01	0.1 0.01 0.2 0.01 0.2 0.01 0 0.01 -0.01 -0.2 -0.01 0 0 0 0 0

Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RFF.

For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
In	Guarantee scheme for loans for households and companies - Guarantee II (Entity 1)	22-06-2020	2.1	0.1
respons	Crisis guarantee PMV (Flemisch Community)	May 2020	0.02	0
e to COVID-	Increased guarantees Gigarant NV (Flemish Community)	May 2020	0.3	0.1
10 10	Subtotal		2.4	0.2
	Guarantees to public companies (Entity 1)	n.a.	0.6	0.6
	Guarantees to the financial sector (Entity 1)	n.a.	8.4	6.0
	Outstanding guarantees to local authorities (Flemish Community)	n.a.	n.a.	0.04
	Outstanding guarantees backed by assets (Flemish Community)	n.a.	n.a.	2.3
	Outstanding economic guarantees without COVID (Flemish Community)	n.a.	n.a.	0.2
Others	RTBF (French Community)	14-07-1997	0.03	0
	Bois Saint-Jean (French Community)	2008	0.01	0
	FGBS (French Community)	05-02-1990	0.3	0.2
	Various guarantees (Walloon Region)	n.a.	1.5	n.a.
	Various guarantees (Brussels Capital Region)	n.a.	0.8	0.7
	Subtotal		11.6	10.0
	Total		14.1	10.2

### **Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants**

TWO III OTHER									
Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)									
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026		
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections	no								
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU	n.a.								

Expenditure financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Compensation of employees D.1										
Intermediate consumption P.2										
Social payments D.62+D.632										
Interest expenditure D.41										
Subsidies, payable D.3				n 0						
Current transfers D.7				n.a.						
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE										
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g										
Capital transfers D.9										
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE										

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)									
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026		
Reduction in tax revenue									
Other costs with impact on revenue				n.a.					
Financial transactions	7								

### Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026										
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU										
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU	n.a.									

Expenditure financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)												
•	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026					
Compensation of employees D.1				•	•		•					
Intermediate consumption P.2												
Social payments D.62+D.632												
Interest expenditure D.41												
Subsidies, payable D.3												
Current transfers D.7				n.a.								
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE												
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g												
Capital transfers D.9												
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE												

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026											
Reduction in tax revenue			-								
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.										
Financial transactions											

# 2. BULGARIA

**Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts** 

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	СР	COM	СР	COM	СР	СР	СР
Real GDP (% change)	-4.2	-4.2	3.5	2.7	4.7	3.6	3.4	2.7
Private consumption (% change)	0.2	0.2	1.9	2.0	3.6	3.8	3.6	3.6
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-5.1	-5.1	3.4	-3.4	6.1	3.0	7.2	0.4
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-11.3	-11.3	7.0	5.8	8.3	6.8	4.8	3.5
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-6.6	-6.6	6.0	3.7	6.1	5.7	6.0	3.2
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	0.4	0.4	2.0	1.5	3.1	2.7	3.8	2.4
- Change in inventories	-1.4	-1.4	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-3.2	-3.2	0.7	1.2	1.5	8.0	-0.5	0.3
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-3.2	-3.1	-1.9	-2.3	0.4	-0.9	0.4	1.4
Employment (% change)	-2.3	-2.3	0.6	0.5	1.3	1.3	1.0	0.5
Unemployment rate (%)	5.1	5.1	4.8	5.0	3.9	4.7	4.4	4.4
Labour productivity (% change)	-1.9	-1.9	2.9	2.2	3.3	2.3	2.4	2.2
HICP inflation (%)	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.8	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.1
GDP deflator (% change)	3.3	3.3	5.0	2.2	3.0	1.9	1.9	1.9
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	5.9	5.9	5.0	6.4	5.2	7.1	7.0	6.5
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	6.0	0.9	6.8	2.6	8.0	3.5	3.3	n.a.

#### Note:

#### Source:

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)		2021		2022		2023	2024
	COM	COM	CP	COM	CP	СР	СР
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,		ا م م ا					
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup>	-1.1	0.0	n.a.	-1.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
of which contribution from:							
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	0.0	-0.4	n.a.	-0.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-1.0	0.6	n.a.	0.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	0.5	-0.1	n.a.	0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	-0.7	-0.1	n.a.	-1.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-4.1	1.0	1.5	0.5	2.0	-0.6	n.a.
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-3.5	0.5	0.5	0.9	2.3	0.3	n.a.
Change in the structural balance	-3.8	-0.2	0.1	0.6	0.3	-0.3	n.a.

Note:

Source:
Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
,	COM	COM	СР	COM	СР	СР	СР	СР
Revenue	39.5	38.4	36.5	38.3	37.2	37.4	n.a.	n.a.
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	15.5	15.1	15.0	14.8	15.2	15.1	n.a.	n.a.
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	6.0	5.7	5.9	5.8	6.1	6.1	n.a.	n.a.
- Social contributions	9.3	9.1	9.4	9.0	9.5	9.6	n.a.	n.a.
- Other (residual)	8.7	8.5	6.2	8.7	6.4	6.6	n.a.	n.a.
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.3	0.3	8.0	8.0	1.4	1.7	1.7
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure	42.9	41.6	42.1	40.2	39.9	40.5	n.a.	n.a.
of which:								
- Primary expenditure	42.3	40.9	41.5	39.6	39.3	39.8	n.a.	n.a.
of which:	40.5	104	400	45.0	45.0	450		
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	16.5	16.4	16.9	15.8	15.8	15.2	n.a.	n.a.
Compensation of employees	10.9 5.5	11.2 5.1	11.7	10.9	10.9	10.4	n.a.	n.a.
Intermediate consumption		l	5.2	4.9	4.9	4.8 15.3	n.a.	n.a.
Social payments Subsidies	14.9 3.4	15.1 2.5	15.8 2.3	15.1 1.8	15.2 1.7	1.9	n.a.	n.a.
Gross fixed capital formation	3. <del>4</del> 4.5	4.2	4.1	4.2	4.4	5.4	n.a.	n.a.
Other (residual)	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.7	2.2	2.1	n.a.	n.a.
- Interest expenditure	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	n.a. n.a.	n.a. n.a.
·	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.8	0.0		1.7	1.7
Expenditure financed by RRF grants  General government balance (GGB)	<b>-3.4</b>	-3.2	-5.6	-1.9	<b>-2.7</b>	1.4 -3.1	n.a.	n.a.
Primary balance	-2.9	-2.6	-5.0 -5.1	-1.3	-2.1	-2.4	n.a.	n.a.
GGB excl. one-offs	-3.4	-3.2	-5.6	-1.9	-2.7	-3.1	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates	0.7		0.0	1.0		0	ma.	II.a.
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	17.4	3.7	4.7	1.5	-1.9	5.1	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	8.9	6.2	n.a.	6.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	15.6	6.5	8.3	2.5	-1.8	4.5	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	7.9	7.8	n.a.	8.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	5.7	7.5	7.5	5.3	5.3	5.1	n.a.	n.a.
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-3.2	-1.9	-2.3	0.4	-0.9	0.4	1.4	4.5
	l	l						
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-2.5	-2.6	-4.9	-2.0	-2.4	-3.2	n.a.	n.a.
One-offs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	n.a.	n.a.
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-2.5	-2.6	-4.9	-2.0	-2.4	-3.2	n.a.	n.a.
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-1.9	-2.0	-4.3	-1.4	-1.8	-2.5	n.a.	n.a.

#### <u>Notes</u>

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(9/, of CDD)	Average	2020	2021		2022		2023	2024
(% of GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	CP	COM	CP	CP	CP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	24.6	25.0	24.5	27.4	24.0	28.6	29.3	n.a.
Change in the ratio	-1.4	4.8	-0.5	2.4	-0.5	1.2	0.7	n.a.
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-1.5	2.9	2.6	5.1	1.3	2.1	2.4	n.a.
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-1.0	0.7	-1.3	-0.7	-1.1	-0.8	-0.7	n.a.
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	n.a.
Growth effect	-0.9	0.8	-0.8	-0.6	-1.1	-0.9	-0.9	n.a.
Inflation effect	-0.9	-0.7	-1.2	-0.5	<b>-</b> 0.7	-0.5	-0.5	n.a.
3. Stock-flow adjustment	1.2	1.2	-1.7	-2.1	-0.6	-0.1	-0.9	n.a.

### Notes:

#### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commissio	on scenario	_	convergence le scenario
Short term	LOW	/ risk		
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>	0	.3		
Medium term	LOW risk			
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	-3.8 LOW risk		-3.3	LOW risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	LOW risk			
Baseline scenario	LOW	/ risk		
Stochastic projections	MEDIL	JM risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	20	).1	26	3.0
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	LOW risk			
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	1.3	LOW risk	1.4	LOW risk
Courses Commission contact 2021 atability or convergence program			<u> </u>	

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

- [3] The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*
- [4] The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.
- [5] The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.
- [6] The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue	Date of adoption	Budgetary change f			
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023
	Increase in tax relief for children	D.5, revenue	2020		-0.18	0.18	
	VAT exemption for the supply of vaccines and medical devices related to COVID-19	D.2, revenue	2020		-0.05	0.00	0.05
	Reduction of the tax rate from 20 % to 9 % of VAT	D.2, revenue	2020	-0.08	-0.08	0.16	
	State subsidy to charter tour operators	P.2, expenditure	2020	0.00	0.03	-0.03	
	A lump sum payment of BGN 50 in addition to the pensions of all pensioners	D.62, expenditure	2020	0.45	-0.11	-0.34	
	One-off aid for the use of tourism services for internal tourism, with a unit cost of BGN 210.	D.62, expenditure	2020	0.00	0.01	-0.01	
Temporary measures <sup>2</sup>	One-off financial support of BGN 120 per year for food products for pensioners whose pension or the sum of the pensions plus supplements and compensation amounts to BGN 300,01 to BGN 369 inclusive.	D.62, expenditure	2020		0.04	-0.04	
	Cumulative effect of waiving the income criterion for access to monthly parental allowance up to one year and targeted allowances for pupils	D.62, expenditure	2020		0.03	-0.03	
	Monthly targeted assistance in case of declared state of emergency or declared epidemic emergency for families with children under the age of 14	D.62, expenditure	2020	0.02	0.04	-0.06	
	Employment protection measure, so-called "60/40"	D.3, expenditure	2020	0.84	-0.60	-0.24	
	Increase in salaries of pedagogical staff	D.1, expenditure	2018	0.30	-0.01	-0.29	
	Increase in salaries of municipal budget staff in the Health and Social Security, Support and Care headings	D.1, expenditure	2020	0.02	0.03	-0.05	
	Increase in the maximum amount of pension	D.62, expenditure	2019	0.06	0.02	-0.08	
	Increase of the minimum pension	D.62, expenditure	2020	0.06	0.38	-0.44	
	Increase in staff costs by 30 % for bodies and administrations charged with pandemic containment activities and the consequences of COVID 19	D.1, expenditure	2020	0.07	0.11	-0.18	
	Income policy — increase in staff expenditure in the budget area and increase of the YEI	D.1, expenditure	2019	0.50	0.09	-0.59	
	Other revenue measures			0.00	-0.03	0.03	0.00
	Other expenditure measures			0.00	0.11	-0.09	
	Subtotal	D 404	2040	2.24	-0.17		0.03
	Revenue from the introduction of tolls	P.131, revenue D.1, P.2, P.51, expe	2019 2019	0.07 0.07	0.02	-0.05 -0.05	-0.01 -0.01
	Cost of introducing tolls  Investment cost 'Acquisition of basic combat equipment for the construction of battalion battalion groups belonging to a mechanised brigade'	P.51, expenditure	2019	0.07	0.02	0.10	0.04
Non-temporary	Increase in the hourly rate of work of PHS personal assistants and increase in the poverty line	D.62, expenditure	2020	0.05	0.02	-0.05	-0.01
measures <sup>2</sup>	Increase in the part of the insurance income on which the State pays health contributions to persons insured on behalf of the State budget	D.62, expenditure	2016	0.08	0.01	-0.05	0.00
	Investment cost 'Acquisition of a new type of air plane'	P.51, expenditure	2018		0.13	0.10	0.36
	Other revenue measures			0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Other expenditure measures			0.00	0.01	0.01	0.01
	Subtotal			0.31	0.21	0.01	0.38
	Total			2.55	0.04	-2.09	0.41

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
In response to	European instrument for temporary support to mitigate unemployment risks in an emergency situation following the COVID-19 outbreak between the European Commission and the Republic of Bulgaria.	18.09.2020	0.1	0.1
COVID-19	2. The contribution agreement between the Republic of Bulgaria and the EIB concerning the Pan-European Guarantee Background.	09.10.2020	0	0
	Subtotal		0.1	0.1
	Guarantee for financing a project for the construction of a cross-border pipeline between the Greek and Bulgarian gas transmission systems	12.2019	0.1	0.1
	2. Guarantee Agreement KOTONU II	03.2009	0	0
	3. Guarantee agreement for the reconstruction of KTM EAD — Plovdiv to reduce industrial pollution	11.1995	0.02	0
Others	improvement of the nuclear power plant Kozloduy EAD	12.1999	0.01	0
	5. Guarantees under the Act on lending to students and doctoral candidates	08.2009	0.1	0.01
	6. Municipal guarantee for Municipal Passenger Transport EOOD, Gabrovo	2020	0	0
	7. Municipal guarantee for Diagnostic Advisory Centre II, Dobrich		0	0
	Subtotal		0.1	0.1
	Total		0.2	0.1

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)											
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026											
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections	0.02	0.3	0.8	1.4	1.7	2.6	1.8				
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU 0 0.9 0.6 1.3 1.7 1.9 2.2											

Expenditure fin	anced by RRF	grants (%	of GDP)				
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2			0.01	0.01	0		
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7		0	0.1	0.1	0.1		
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE		0	0.1	0.1	0.1		
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g		0	0.6	0.9	1.0		
Capital transfers D.9	0.02	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.6		
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0.02	0.3	0.8	1.3	1.6		

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)											
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Reduction in tax revenue											
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.										
Financial transactions	]										

### Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026										
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU	no									
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU	— n.a.									

Expenditu	e financed by RF	RF loans	(% of GDI	P)			·
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1			-				
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7				n.a.			
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE							
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g							
Capital transfers D.9							
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE							

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Reduction in tax revenue			-							
Other costs with impact on revenue				n.a.						
Financial transactions										

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Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	СР	COM	СР	COM	СР	СР	СР
Real GDP (% change)	-5.6	-5.6	3.4	3.1	4.4	3.7	1.9	2.1
Private consumption (% change)	-5.2	-5.2	1.5	0.1	4.3	5.7	1.8	2.2
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-8.1	-8.1	3.6	3.8	7.9	4.5	4.6	1.2
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-5.9	-5.9	8.5	5.0	6.2	5.7	3.8	3.7
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-6.1	-6.1	8.4	4.9	6.6	6.6	4.7	3.4
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-3.9	-3.9	2.2	1.8	4.3	3.9	2.3	1.7
- Change in inventories	-1.5	-1.5	0.5	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-0.3	-0.3	0.7	0.4	0.1	-0.2	-0.3	0.4
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-4.4	-4.4	-2.9	-2.8	-0.7	-0.7	0.0	1.1
Employment (% change)	-1.5	-1.5	-1.5	-1.1	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.1
Unemployment rate (%)	2.6	2.6	3.8	3.6	3.5	3.7	3.5	3.5
Labour productivity (% change)	-4.2	-4.2	4.9	4.2	4.1	3.6	1.6	1.9
HICP inflation (%)	3.3	3.3	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.1	1.9
GDP deflator (% change)	4.2	4.2	2.0	1.8	2.1	1.7	2.0	1.9
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	2.9	2.9	0.9	1.0	2.8	1.5	2.6	3.0
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	0.8	3.0	0.3	0.9	-0.2	0.4	0.2	0.6

#### Note:

#### Source:

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)		20	2021		2022		2024
	COM	COM	CP	COM	СР	СР	СР
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,		امدا					
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	0.1	-2.5	n.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	0.0	-0.2	n.a.	-0.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	0.0	-0.3	n.a.	0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	0.3	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	-0.1	-2.1	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-3.2	-1.8	-3.8	2.3	4.4	1.0	1.5
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-3.3	-1.6	-3.6	2.5	4.4	0.9	0.5
Change in the structural balance	-3.6	-3.0	-1.5	2.4	0.2	0.2	-0.2

Note:

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Source:

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
(,	COM	COM	СР	COM	СР	СР	СР	СР
Revenue	41.3	39.4	39.8	39.3	39.8	39.7	38.4	-2.9
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	11.5	11.4	11.6	11.5	11.6	11.5	11.2	-0.3
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	8.1	6.1	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	-2.0
- Social contributions	16.1	16.1	16.2	15.5	15.6	15.4	15.2	-0.9
- Other (residual)	5.6	5.8	5.8	6.2	6.5	6.7	5.9	0.3
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.5	0.3	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Expenditure of which:	47.5	47.9	48.6	44.7	45.7	45.1	43.7	-3.8
- Primary expenditure	46.7	47.2	47.8	43.9	44.9	44.3	42.9	-3.8
of which:	40.7	47.2	47.0	45.9	44.9	44.3	42.9	-3.0
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	17.3	17.2	17.5	16.5	16.9	16.6	16.3	-1.0
Compensation of employees	11.2	11.2	11.2	10.7	10.9	10.6	10.4	-0.8
Intermediate consumption	6.1	6.0	6.3	5.7	6.0	5.9	5.8	-0.3
Social payments	18.0	18.1	18.3	17.4	17.8	17.5	17.2	-0.8
Subsidies	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	-1.1
Gross fixed capital formation	4.9	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.5	5.7	4.9	0.0
Other (residual)	3.4	3.6	3.8	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.5	-0.9
- Interest expenditure	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.0
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.0
General government balance (GGB)	-6.2	-8.5	-8.8	-5.4	-5.9	-5.4	-5.2	1.0
Primary balance	-5.4	-7.8	-8.0	-4.6	-5.1	-4.6	-4.4	1.0
GGB excl. one-offs	-6.2	-8.6	-7.0	-5.4	-5.9	-5.4	-5.2	0.9
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	14.3	8.0	12.2	-2.3	-5.3	1.8	2.2	-14.3
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	6.1	10.2	n.a.	3.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	14.0	7.3	11.5	0.0	-0.8	1.4	2.6	-9.4
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	6.7	10.1	n.a.	4.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	6.5	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.2	-2.2
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-4.4	-2.9	-2.8	-0.7	-0.7	0.0	1.1	5.5
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-4.4	-7.4	-7.7	-5.1	-5.6	-5.4	-5.6	-1.2
One-offs	0.0	0.1	-1.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-4.4	-7.5	-5.9	-5.1	-5.6	-5.4	-5.6	-1.2
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-3.7	-6.7	-5.1	-4.3	-4.8	-4.6	-4.8	-1.2
Structural primary balance  Notes:	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	T.J	-∓.∪	J - <del>7</del> .0	-∓.0	-1.2

### Notes:

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

 $<sup>^3</sup>$  Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs  $\underline{Source}$  :

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of CDD)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024
(% of GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	CP	COM	CP	CP	CP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	34.6	38.1	44.3	44.8	47.1	48.2	51.5	54.6
Change in the ratio	-2.3	7.8	6.2	6.7	2.8	3.5	3.3	3.0
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-1.4	5.4	7.8	8.0	4.6	5.1	4.6	4.4
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-1.1	1.2	-1.2	-1.0	-2.0	-1.5	-1.1	-1.1
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	0.8	0.8	0.8	8.0	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8
Growth effect	-1.3	1.7	-1.2	-1.1	-1.8	-1.6	-0.9	-1.0
Inflation effect	-0.7	-1.3	-0.7	-0.7	-0.9	-0.7	-0.9	-1.0
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.2	1.2	-0.3	-0.3	0.2	-0.1	-0.2	-0.2

#### Notes:

#### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commission	on scenario	_	convergence ne scenario
Short term	LOV	V risk		
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>	С	).4		
Medium term	MEDIUM risk			
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	1.0 MEDIUM risk		1.8	MEDIUM risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	MEDI	JM risk		
Baseline scenario	LOV	V risk		
Stochastic projections	MEDI	JM risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	58	3.1	64	4.6
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	MEDIUM risk			
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	4.1 MEDIUM risk		3.6	MEDIUM risk
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Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

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<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

1 able 4.	1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announce	ed accord	ding to	the P	rogr	amm	e <sup>-</sup>
	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue	Date of adoption	_	etary imp	previous y	
	Change in the mathed of qualities and toy deductivity of technical manifesce in the	component)		2020	2021	2022	2023
	Change in the method of creation and tax deductibility of technical provisions in the insurance sector	D.51b	2019	0.09	0	-0.1	0
	Increase in the entry price limit for the depreciation of tangible assets	D.51b	2020	-0.04	0.01	0.03	0
	Introduction of the temporary extraordinary depreciation	D.51b	2020	-0.2	-0.1	0.3	0.15
	Remission of minimum social and health insurance advances for self-employed (March-August)	D.61	2020	-0.3	0.24	0	0
	Remission of social security contribution payments paid by certain employers	D.61	2020	-0.2	0.22	0	0
	Extra contribution 370 CZK per day for people in quarantine	D.61	2021	0	-0.04	0.03	0
	Lower dividend from Prague Airport	D.4	2020 2020	-0.03 -0.03	0.03	0	0
	Interest on the tax administrator's misconduct Increase funds for the payment of extraordinary remuneration to workers in healthcare	N/A		1			
	system and social services, incl. Increase in wages for security forces etc.	D.1	2020, 2021	-0.31	-0.02	0.3	0
	Adjustment parameters of the care allowance for employees and self-employed during pandemic	D.62	2020, 2021	-0.21	0.15	0.1	0
	One-off lump sum to pensioners	D.62	2020	-0.3	0.3	0	0
<b>T</b>	Debt relief of hospitals	D.99	2020	-0.1	0.1	0	0
Temporary	Dissolution of reserves of health insurance companies - increase in health care	D.632	2020	-0.11	0	0	0
measures <sup>2</sup>	expenditures beyond the reimbursement decree						
	Purchase of protective equipment, vaccine, tests and other supplies  Other healthcare expenditure due to COVID-19	P.2 D.3, D.7	2020 2020, 2021	-0.3 -0.04	0.1	0.2	0
	Contribution to self-testing against COVID for firms and self-employed	D.3, D.7 D.632	2020, 2021	-0.04	-0.08	0.02	0
	Short-term work scheme - compensation of wage costs (Antivirus programme)	D.39, D.99	2020, 2021	-0.5	0.2	0.00	0
	Programmes to support culture due to COVID-19	D.3	2020	-0.02	-0.02	0.04	0
	Programmes to support sport due to COVID-19	D.3	2020	-0.01	-0.06	0.07	0
	Programmes to support agriculture due to COVID-19	D.3	2020	-0.1	0.04	0.05	0
	Programmes to support tourism due to COVID-19	D.3, D.7	2020	-0.05	-0.1	0.1	0
	Other programmes to support companies due to COVID-19	D.3	2020	-0.1	-0.02	0.1	0
	"COVID 2021" programme	D.3	2021	0	-0.1	0.1	0
	"COVID-uncovered costs" programme	D.3	2021	0	-0.1	0.1	0
	"COVID-rent" programme Other measures due to COVID-19	D.3 P.2, D.3	2020 2020	-0.1 -0.01	0.02	0.1	0
	Compensatory bonus for self-employed, small Ltd. and contractors	D.99	2020, 2021	-0.01	-0.1	0.5	0
	Increase in funds to the State Fund for Transport Infrastructure	P.51	2020, 2021	-0.1	0.1	0.0	0
	Subtotal	1.51	2020	-3.4	0.9	2.2	0.1
	Abolition of the Real Property Acquisition Tax and related changes	D.214, D.51b	2020	-0.2	0	0	0
	Effective reduction in the personal income tax rate	D.51a	2020	0	-1.7	-0.2	0
	Abolition of gambling winnings exemption (greater than 100 000 CZK)	D.51a	2019	0.01	0	0	0
	Flat tax regime	D.51a	2020	0	-0.01	0	0
	Lowering the sickness insurance by 0.2 p.p.	D.51a	2019	-0.01	0	0	0
	Increase in tax credit for second, third and other child  Other measures	D.51a D.51a	2021 2020	0.04	-0.05 0.02	0.04	0
	Tax exemption for government bond yields	D.51a	2020	0.04	-0.03	-0.04	-0.03
	Exemption of state and regional dividends from tax	D.51b	2019	-0.03	0.03	0	0
	Other measures	D.51b	2020	0.00	-0.03	0	0
	Decrease in SSC rate by 0.2 p.p. for employers as a compensation for abolition of waiting	D.61	2019	-0.03	0	0	0
	period Other magazines	D 61	2020	0.2	0.1	0.1	0
	Other measures  Decrease in VAT rate on the selected services (heat and cold supplies, culture, sport,	D.61	2020	0.2	0.1	0.1	0
	accomodation etc.)	D.211	2019, 2020	-0.1	-0.1	-0.01	0.01
	Decrease in excise duty on diesel oil	D.214	2020	0	-0.1	0	0
Non-temporary	Decrease in road tax rate	D.29b	2020	-0.02	0	0	0
measures	Increase in excise duty on tobacco products	D.214	2019, 2020	0.2	0.1	0.04	0.04
	Introduction of the digital tax	D.214	2020	0	0.02	0.03	0
	Increase in excise duty on alcohol	D.214	2019	0.02	0	0	0
	Introduction (incl. extending) of a register of excluded persons in gambling + change in gambling tax rate	D.214f	2020	0.02	-0.03	-0.02	0
	Other revenue measures		2019, 2020	-0.03	0.1	0	0
	Increase in wages and salaries in the education system, security forces, state	D.1	2020	-0.3	-0.2	-0.3	0
	administration	D.1	2020	-0.3	-0.2	-0.3	U
	Increase in average old-age pensions beyond statutory requirements (incl. increase in pension for pensioners 85+)	D.6211	2019	-0.1	0	0	0
	Increase and changes in parental allowance for all households with a child up to 4 years of age who are actively receiving this benefit	D.623	2019	-0.25	0	0	0
	Increase in child allowances, Act on infant school and other cash social benefits measures	D.623	2020	-0.02	-0.04	-0.1	0
	Other expenditure measures		2020	0	-0.01	0.04	0
	Increase in the carer's allowance for persons with degrees 3 and 4 of dependence	D.623	2019, 2021	-0.03	0	-0.05	0
	Increase in payments for state-insured persons	D.623	2020	-0.4	-0.5	0	0
	Loss carryback Subtotal	D.99	2020	0	-0.3	0.3	0
	Total			-1.1 -4.6	-2.8 -1.9	-0.1 2.1	0.2
1	I OTAI  easures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF			-4.0	-1.9	_ Z.I	U.Z

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 1}$  Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	response to COVID II" Programme  "COVID III" Programme  "COVID Plus" Programme  "COVID Prague" Programme  "COVID Sport" Programme  "COVID Guarantee for Travel Services" Programme  "COVID Guarantee" Programme  "Interval Services" Programme  "Expansion-Guarantee" Programme  "Expansion-Guarantee" Programme  Prague Public Transit Co.  Guarantees for housing needs  Other guarantees  Subtotal	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)		ed take- of GDP)
				2020	2021
	"COVID II" Programme	2020	0.4	0.2	0
	"COVID III" Programme	2020	2.7	0.3	0.5
In roonanaa ta	"COVID Plus" Programme	2020	2.5	0.2	0.2
In response to	"COVID Prague" Programme	2020	0.03	0.02	0
COVID-19	"COVID Sport" Programme	2021	0.1	0	0.1
	"COVID Guarantee for Travel Services" Programme	2021	0.01	0	0.01
	Subtotal		5.6	0.7	0.8
	"National Guarantee" Programme	2015		0.1	0.1
	"Expansion-Guarantee" Programme	2014	0.2	0.1	0.1
Others	Prague Public Transit Co.	2012	0.2	0.1	
Others	Guarantees for housing needs	2014	0.02		
	Other guarantees	2014	0.03		
	Subtotal		0.4	0.2	0.1
	Total		6.0	1.0	1.0

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections	0.0	0.3	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.3	0.1			
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU		0.4	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3			

Expenditure	Expenditure financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Compensation of employees D.1											
Intermediate consumption P.2											
Social payments D.62+D.632											
Interest expenditure D.41											
Subsidies, payable D.3											
Current transfers D.7											
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE			0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1				
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g		0.3	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.1				
Capital transfers D.9											
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0.0	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.1				

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Reduction in tax revenue										
Other costs with impact on revenue										
Financial transactions			0.03	0.01	0.01	0.01				

# Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026										
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU										
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU				n.a.						

Expenditure financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Compensation of employees D.1			•								
Intermediate consumption P.2											
Social payments D.62+D.632											
Interest expenditure D.41											
Subsidies, payable D.3				n 0							
Current transfers D.7				n.a.							
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE											
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g											
Capital transfers D.9											
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE											

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Reduction in tax revenue										
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

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Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	2025
	COM	CP	COM	CP	COM	CP	CP	CP	CP
Real GDP (% change)	-2.7	-2.7	2.9	2.1	3.5	3.8	2.3	1.3	1.3
Private consumption (% change)	-1.9	-1.9	3.1	2.4	3.9	4.4	2.4	2.3	2.2
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	2.1	2.1	3.4	1.3	4.2	4.0	4.2	2.4	2.1
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-7.7	-7.7	5.4	4.2	6.1	6.7	2.6	2.2	1.7
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-4.8	-4.8	5.6	4.8	5.8	5.8	3.2	3.4	2.8
Contributions to real GDP growth:									
- Final domestic demand	-0.5	-0.5	2.6	2.2	2.8	2.9	2.4	1.8	1.8
- Change in inventories	-0.2	-0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-2.1	-2.1	0.3	0.0	0.6	8.0	-0.1	-0.5	-0.5
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-4.1	-3.9	-3.3	-3.6	-2.1	-1.7	-0.7	-0.6	-0.3
Employment (% change)	-0.7	-0.7	0.6	0.2	0.9	1.2	0.5	0.1	0.3
Unemployment rate (%)	5.6	5.8	5.5	5.4	5.2	5.1	4.9	4.8	4.8
Labour productivity (% change)	-2.0	-2.3	2.3	1.6	2.6	2.5	1.3	1.2	1.1
HICP inflation (%)	0.3	0.3	1.3	1.1	1.3	1.5	2.0	1.9	2.1
GDP deflator (% change)	2.3	2.3	1.4	0.6	1.6	8.0	1.3	1.7	1.7
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	1.6	1.6	1.6	2.4	2.0	2.5	2.6	2.9	2.9
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	7.8	7.8	8.0	7.0	8.4	7.3	6.8	6.3	5.5

Note

#### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)	2020	2021		2022		2023	2024
	СОМ	COM	СР	COM	СР	СР	СР
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure, excluding crisis-	۱.,	ا م		4.0			
related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup>	1.3	-2.5	n.a.	1.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
of which contribution from:							
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other EU funds	0.0	-0.2	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.2	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	2.3	-3.2	n.a.	0.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current expenditure	-0.8	0.8	n.a.	1.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-2.4	1.1	2.0	1.7	0.8	0.4	0.0
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-2.1	1.3	2.2	1.7	0.9	0.3	-0.2
Change in the structural balance	-2.9	-0.4	0.8	0.3	-0.4	-0.5	0.0

Note.

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	2025	Change: 2020-2025
,	COM	COM	СР	COM	СР	СР	СР	СР	СР
Revenue	52.8	51.2	49.8	49.0	49.0	48.7	48.5	49.0	-3.8
of which:									
- Taxes on production and imports	15.8	15.3	15.8	14.8	15.5	15.5	15.3	15.3	-0.5
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	30.7	29.3	28.5	28.1	28.3	27.8	27.8	28.4	-2.3
- Social contributions	0.8	0.8	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.8
- Other (residual)	5.4	5.7	5.5	5.3	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.3	-0.1
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	n.a.
Expenditure	54.0	53.3	53.0	50.4	49.9	49.4	49.1	49.0	-5.0
of which:									
- Primary expenditure	53.5	52.7	52.3	49.9	49.4	48.7	48.5	48.4	-5.1
of which:									
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	24.4	24.4	24.6	23.5	23.8	23.6	23.7	23.8	-0.6
Compensation of employees	15.4	14.9	15.2	14.4	14.9	14.8	14.8	14.9	-0.5
Intermediate consumption	9.0	9.5	n.a.	9.1	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	-0.1
Social payments	18.0	17.5	17.8	16.9	17.2	17.0	17.1	17.2	-0.8
Subsidies	3.0	2.8	2.9	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	-1.6
Gross fixed capital formation	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.5	3.4	-0.2
Other (residual)	4.5	4.3	3.2	4.0	3.0	2.5	2.5	2.4	-2.1
- Interest expenditure	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.1
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	n.a.
General government balance (GGB)	-1.1	-2.1	-3.3	-1.4	-0.9	-0.7	-0.6	0.0	1.1
Primary balance	-0.6	-1.5	-2.6	-0.9	-0.4	0.0	0.0	0.6	1.2
GGB excl. one-offs	-1.9	-1.8	-0.9	-0.9	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.0	1.9
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates									
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	9.3	0.9	-1.2	0.1	1.8	3.0	3.6	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	1.6	8.4	n.a.	0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	7.1	0.7	-3.9	1.2	-0.9	2.9	4.1	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	6.1	1.6	n.a.	1.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. mominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	4.3	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	n.a.	n.a.
Other indicators									
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-4.1	-3.3	-3.6	-2.1	-1.7	-0.7	-0.6	-0.3	3.6
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	1.2	-0.1	-1.2	-0.2	0.1	-0.3	-0.3	0.2	-1.0
One-offs	0.7	-0.1	-2.4	-0.5	-0.7	-0.6	-0.5	0.0	-0.7
	0.7	0.2	1.2	0.5	0.8	0.3	0.3	0.0	-0.7 -0.2
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>									
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	1.0	0.7	1.9	0.9	1.3	1.0	0.9	0.8	-0.1

#### Notes

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

 $<sup>^3</sup>$  Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs  $\underline{\textit{Source}}$  :

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024	2025
(% 01 GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	CP	COM	CP	CP	CP	CP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	36.0	42.2	40.2	40.7	38.8	41.3	41.6	41.3	39.7
Change in the ratio	-2.2	8.9	-2.0	-1.5	-1.4	0.6	0.3	-0.3	-1.6
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :									
1. Primary balance	-2.0	0.6	1.5	2.6	0.9	0.4	0.0	0.0	-0.6
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-0.2	0.7	-1.1	-0.4	-1.5	-1.3	-0.8	-0.6	-0.6
Of which:									
Interest expenditure	1.0	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.6
Growth effect	-1.0	0.9	-1.2	-0.9	-1.3	-1.5	-0.9	-0.5	-0.5
Inflation effect	-0.2	-0.8	-0.6	-0.2	-0.6	-0.3	-0.5	-0.7	-0.7
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.0	7.6	-2.4	-3.7	-0.8	1.5	1.1	0.3	-0.4

### Notes:

#### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commiss	ion scenario	_	convergence ne scenario
Short term	LO	W risk		
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) [1]	0.4			
Medium term	LO	W risk		
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	-3.8	LOW risk	-4.3	LOW risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	LOW risk			
Baseline scenario	LO	W risk		
Stochastic projections	LO	W risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	24.6		2	.7.1
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	LOW risk			
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	1.7	LOW risk	1.0	LOW risk
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Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / DRevenue ad		Budgetary	impact (% o		ange from
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023
	Wage compensation	Subsidies (D.3)	2020	0.5	0.1	-0.6	0
	Compensation for companies' fixed costs	Subsidies (D.3)	2020	0.3	0.0	-0.3	0
	Compensation for self-employed etc.	Subsidies (D.3)	2020	0.3	-0.3	0	0
	Expected losses on standardized guarantees concerning businesses' loans	Capital transfers (D.9)	2020	0.4	-0.4	0	0
	Expected losses on guarantee coverage for businesses' trade and exports	Capital transfers (D.9)	2020	0.2	-0.2	0	0
	Compensation to public transport companies	Capital transfers (D.9)	2020	0.1	-0.1	0	0
	Extension of reimbursement for sickness benefits to employers	Social contributions and benefits (D.6)	2020	0.1	-0.1	0	0
Temporary	Recapitalization of Scandinavian Airlines	Capital transfers (D.9)	2020	0.2	-0.2	0	0
measures <sup>2</sup>	One-off payout of savings in employers' education contribution fund	Subsidies (D.3)	2020	0.2	-0.2	0	0
	Removal af construction ceilings in municipalities and regions in 2020	Gross fixed capital formation (P.51g)	2020	0.1	-0.1	0	0
	Expenditure related to the agreement on compensation to mink farmers (placed technically in 2021)	Various (mainly capital transfers D.9)	2020/2021	0.1	0.6	-0.7	0
	COVID-19-related operating expenditure for public authorities	Compensation of employess and intermediate consumption (D.1 + P.2)	2020	0.5	-0.2	-0.3	0
	Subtotal						
Non-	New right to an early pension	Social contributions and benefits (D.6)	2020	0	0	0.1	0
<i>temporary</i> measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal						
	Total						
1 =	measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF			<u> </u>	1	<u> </u>	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
	Loan guarantees to small, medium and large companies	2020	2.0	
	The Travel Guarantee Fund	2020	0.1	
In response to	Scandinavian Airlines	2020	0.0	
COVID-19	Match funding initiatives in Vaekstfonden	2020	0.2	
	Guarantee for credit insurance for export companies' losses	2020	1.3	
	Subtotal			
	Public guarantees in total excluding COVID-19-related (cf. above)	-	22.3	
Others				
	Subtotal			
	Total			

Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)									
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026									
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections	0	0.16	0.16	0.07	0.05	0.03	0		
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU	0	0.16	0.16	0.07	0.05	0.03	0		

Cash disbursements are technically assumed to follow the profile for RFF grants.

Expenditure financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Compensation of employees D.1		-	-	-		-	-				
Intermediate consumption P.2											
Social payments D.62+D.632				n o							
Interest expenditure D.41				n.a.							
Subsidies, payable D.3											
Current transfers D.7											
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0.05	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.01	0	0				
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0.04	0.01	0.01	0	0	0	0				
Capital transfers D.9	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0	0	0				
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0.04	0.01	0.01	0	0	0	0				

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Reduction in tax revenue	0.05	0.11	0.04	0.03	0.01	0	0				
Other costs with impact on revenue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Financial transactions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				

## Table 4.2b: RRF-Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)									
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026									
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU									
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU				n.a.					

Expenditure financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Compensation of employees D.1						•				
Intermediate consumption P.2										
Social payments D.62+D.632										
Interest expenditure D.41										
Subsidies, payable D.3										
Current transfers D.7				n.a.						
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE										
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g										
Capital transfers D.9										
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE										

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)									
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026		
Reduction in tax revenue									
Other costs with impact on revenue				n.a.					
Financial transactions									

# 5. GERMANY

**Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts** 

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	2025
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-4.9	-4.9	3.4	3.0	4.1	2.6	1.2	1.2	1.2
Private consumption (% change)	-6.1	-6.1	0.1	3.6	7.3	2.9	1.2	1.2	1.2
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-3.1	-3.1	3.2	3.6	3.9	3.5	1.7	1.7	1.7
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-9.4	-9.4	10.4	6.4	4.8	5.7	3.1	3.1	3.1
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-8.5	-8.5	7.9	7.2	7.2	6.0	3.6	3.6	3.6
Contributions to real GDP growth:									
- Final domestic demand	-3.2	-3.2	1.5	2.9	4.8	2.4	1.2	1.2	1.2
- Change in inventories	-0.8	-0.7	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-0.9	-1.1	1.5	0.1	-0.6	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-4.8	-4.4	-2.7	-2.3	0.0	-0.5	0.0	0.3	0.7
Employment (% change)	-1.1	-1.1	-0.2	0.0	0.9	0.6	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2
Unemployment rate (%)	3.8	4.0	4.1	3.9	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.7
Labour productivity (% change)	-3.9	-3.9	3.6	3.0	3.1	2.0	1.4	1.4	1.4
HICP inflation (%)	0.4	n.a.	2.4	n.a.	1.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
GDP deflator (% change)	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	0.5	0.5	2.8	3.2	2.9	2.6	3.0	3.0	3.0
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	6.9	6.9	7.4	6.2	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.2

Note

#### Source.

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
()	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure, excluding		4 -					
crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup>	-2.4	-1.5	n.a.	0.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
of which contribution from:							
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	0.0	-0.2	n.a.	0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.1	0.0	n.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-0.1	-0.5	n.a.	0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	-2.2	-0.7	n.a.	0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-3.8	-3.4	-4.5	3.4	4.3	1.2	0.6
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-3.8	-3.2	-4.3	3.4	4.1	1.0	0.6
Change in the structural balance	-2.8	-4.4	-5.9	3.7	5.1	n.a.	n.a.

Note:

Source:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	2025	Change: 2020-2025
()	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	46.9	46.0	45 ¾	45.7	46 1/4	47	47 ½	47 ¾	1
of which:									
- Taxes on production and imports	10.4	10.5	10 ½	10.8	11	11	11	11	1/2
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	12.8	12.2	12	12.2	12	12 ½	12 ¾	13	1/4
- Social contributions	18.2	17.9	18	17.7	18 1/4	18 ½	19	19	3/4
- Other (residual)	5.5	5.3	5 1/4	5.0	5	5	5	5	- 1/2
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Expenditure of which:	51.1	53.5	54 ¾	48.3	49 ½	48 ½	48 1/4	47 ¾	-3 ½
	E0.4	52.9	54 1/4	47.7	49	48	47 3/4	47 1/4	-3 1/4
<ul> <li>Primary expenditure of which:</li> </ul>	50.4	32.9	34 /4	47.7	49	40	41 74	41 /4	-3 /4
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	14.6	14.8	15 1/4	14.1	14 ½	14 1/4	14	13 3/4	-3/4
Compensation of employees	8.5	8.3	8 1/4	8.1	8 1/4	8 1/4	8 1/4	8 1/4	- 1/4
Intermediate consumption	6.1	6.5	6 3/4	6.0	6 1/4	6	5 3/4	5 ½	- 1/2
Social payments	27.2	26.7	27	25.8	26 1/4	26 ½	26 ½	26 ½	-3/4
Subsidies	2.1	3.4	3 3/4	1.0	1 1/4	3/4	3/4	3/4	-1 1/4
Gross fixed capital formation	2.7	2.8	2 3/4	2.8	2 3/4	2 3/4	2 3/4	2 3/4	0
Other (residual)	3.9	5.2	5 1/4	4.0	4 1/4	4	3 ½	3 ½	- 1/4
- Interest expenditure	0.7	0.6	1/2	0.5	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2	- 1/4
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
General government balance (GGB)	-4.2	-7.5	-9	-2.5	-3	-1 1/2	- 1/2	0	4 1/4
Primary balance	-3.5	-7.0	-8 1/4	-2.0	-2 ½	-1	0	1/2	4
GGB excl. one-offs	-4.2	-7.5	-9	-2.5	-3	-1 1/2	- 1/2	0	4 1/4
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates									
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	11.1	9.6	11.9	-3.9	-5.3	0.5	1.5	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	8.2	5.5	n.a.	2.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	11.3	8.9	10.9	-4.4	-5.5	0.5	1.6	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	8.1	4.4	n.a.	2.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. mominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	n.a.	n.a.
Other indicators									
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-4.8	-2.7	-2.3	0.0	-0.5	0.0	0.3	0.7	5.1
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-1.8	-6.2	-7.9	-2.5	-2.8	-1.5	-0.8	-0.4	1.6
One-offs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-1.8	-6.2	-7.9	-2.5	-2.8	-1.5	-0.8	-0.4	1.6
	-1.1	-5.6	-7.2	-2.0	-2.2	-1.0	-0.3	0.1	1.4
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-1.1	-5.0	-1.Z	-2.0	-2.2	-1.0	-0.3	J U. I	1.4

#### Notes:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(9/, of CDD)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024	2025
(% of GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	65.6	69.8	73.1	74 ½	72.2	74	73 1/4	72	69 1/4
Change in the ratio	-3.2	10.1	3.3	4 3/4	-0.9	-1/2	-3/4	-1 1/4	-2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :									
1. Primary balance	-2.4	3.5	7.0	8 1/4	2.0	2 ½	1	0	-1/2
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-1.1	2.7	-2.7	-2.3	-3.4	-2.5	-1.5	-1.5	-1.4
Of which:									
Interest expenditure	1.1	0.7	0.6	1/2	0.5	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
Growth effect	-1.1	3.0	-2.3	-2.0	-2.8	-1.9	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8
Inflation effect	-1.1	-1.0	-1.1	-0.9	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.4	3.8	-0.9	-1.3	0.5	-0.6	-0.3	0.1	-0.7

### Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commissio	on scenario	_	convergence e scenario
Short term	LOW risk			
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>	0.3			
Medium term	LOW risk			
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	-0.8 LOW risk		-1.8	LOW risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	LOV	V risk		
Baseline scenario	MEDIL	JM risk		
Stochastic projections	LOV	/ risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	61	1.0	56	3.0
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	LOW risk			
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	1.5 LOW risk		1.2	LOW risk

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue	Date of adoption	Budgetary impact (% of GDP - change from previous year)					
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023		
Temporary	n.a.								
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal								
Non- temporary	n.a.								
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal								
	Total		_						

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue	Date of adoption	, ,				
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023	
Temporary	n.a.							
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal							
Non- temporary	n.a.							
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal							
	Total							

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections	0.03	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.04			
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU         0.03         0.3         0.1         0.1         0.1         0.1         0.04										

Expend	diture financed by	y RRF grant	ts (% of GDI	P)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7							
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0.02	0.1	0.1	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.004
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0	0.1	0.004	0.003	0.0	0.0005	0.0005
Capital transfers D.9	0.003	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.04	0.03
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0.003	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.04	0.03

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Reduction in tax revenue (in €k)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Other costs with impact on revenue											
Financial transactions											

# Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU	na									
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU	n.a.									

Expenditure	financed by RF	RF loans	(% of GDI	P)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3				n 0			
Current transfers D.7				n.a.			
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE							
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g							
Capital transfers D.9							
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE							

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Reduction in tax revenue											
Other costs with impact on revenue											
Financial transactions											

# 6. ESTONIA

Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

-2.9 -2.3 18.4	<b>SP</b> -2.9 -2.5	2.8	<b>SP</b> 2.5	<b>COM</b> 5.0		SP	SP	SP
-2.3			2.5	5.0	4.0			
	-2.5			0.0	4.8	3.2	3.1	2.9
18.4		4.3	1.3	5.8	4.0	2.3	2.2	2.0
1	18.4	-11.4	-15.4	7.9	8.8	5.1	5.2	3.0
-5.5	-5.5	5.5	6.0	5.7	6.3	3.8	3.2	3.0
0.7	0.7	0.0	-0.6	5.9	6.2	3.6	3.0	2.2
4.4	4.4	-1.0	-3.6	5.0	3.5	2.7	2.7	2.0
-2.1	-2.1	0.0	1.4	0.0	8.0	0.1	0.0	0.1
-4.5	-4.5	3.9	4.7	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.7
-4.3	-4.2	-4.5	-4.1	-2.8	-1.9	-1.1	-0.2	0.5
-2.7	-2.2	-0.8	-0.9	1.7	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.2
6.8	6.8	7.9	8.0	6.3	7.3	6.6	6.2	6.0
-0.2	-0.8	3.7	3.4	3.3	3.9	2.5	2.6	2.6
-0.6	-0.6	1.6	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.9
-0.4	-0.4	1.8	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.0	1.9
2.5	2.1	3.5	5.9	3.5	5.1	5.1	4.9	4.7
0.3	0.4	3.2	5.2	2.9	5.3	5.0	5.0	5.2
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Note

#### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
<b>Fiscal stance</b> (including EU-financed expenditure, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup>	-1.1	-1.2	n.a.	1.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
of which contribution from:							
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other EU funds	-0.1	-0.1	n.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.5	-0.8	n.a.	0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-0.5	0.1	n.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current expenditure	-0.1	-0.4	n.a.	1.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-2.9	-0.8	-3.3	3.0	3.0	0.5	1.7
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-2.6	-0.1	-2.2	2.8	2.5	0.6	0.7
Change in the structural balance	-1.6	-1.4	-2.0	2.1	1.8	0.4	0.6

Note:

Source:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	2025	Change: 2020-2025
, ,	COM	COM	SP	СОМ	SP	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	40.2	41.1	41.7	39.5	40.2	40.1	39.4	38.9	-1.3
of which:									
- Taxes on production and imports	13.4	13.6	13.5	13.6	13.3	13.4	13.1	12.7	-0.7
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	7.7	8.4	8.3	7.6	7.6	7.4	7.4	7.5	-0.2
- Social contributions	13.1	13.3	13.3	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	-0.7
- Other (residual)	5.9	5.8	6.6	5.9	6.9	6.9	6.5	6.3	0.4
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.4	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.7	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure	45.1	46.7	47.6	42.8	43.9	43.3	41.6	40.5	-4.6
of which:									
- Primary expenditure	45.1	46.6	47.6	42.7	43.8	43.2	41.5	40.4	-4.7
of which:	104	40.4	40.7	40.4	404	40.0	40.0	400	4.4
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	19.1	19.4	19.7	18.4	19.1	18.6	18.3	18.0	-1.1
Compensation of employees	12.7	12.7	12.6	12.2 6.2	12.3	12.1	12.1 6.3	11.9	-0.8
Intermediate consumption	6.5	6.7 15.9	n.a. 15.9	14.3	6.8 14.7	6.5 14.7	14.7	14.7	-0.5 -0.9
Social payments Subsidies	1.6	1.6	1.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	-0.9 -1.3
Gross fixed capital formation	5.7	6.3	6.6	6.2	6.4	6.8	6.1	5.5	-1.3 -0.2
Other (residual)	3.1	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.4	2.8	2.1	1.9	-0.2 -1.2
- Interest expenditure	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.7	n.a.
General government balance (GGB)	-4.9	-5.6	-6.0	-3.3	-3.8	-3.2	-2.2	-1.7	3.2
Primary balance	4.9	-5.5	-5.9	-3.2	-3.7	-3.1	-2.1	-1.6	3.3
GGB excl. one-offs	4.9	-6.4	-6.0	-3.4	-3.8	-3.2	-2.2	-1.7	3.2
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates		•	0.0	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	0.0				0.2
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	10.0	6.8	12.4	-1.9	-1.5	3.5	2.8	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary measures) growth rate (%)	5.4	7.8	n.a.	1.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	8.3	5.3	10.1	-3.1	-0.8	2.4	5.7	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary measures) growth rate (%)	3.1	6.4	n.a.	0.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. mominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	2.8	5.2	5.2	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.6	n.a.	n.a.
Other indicators									
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-4.3	-4.5	-4.1	-2.8	-1.9	-1.1	-0.2	0.5	4.7
					1				
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-2.8	-3.4	-4.0	-1.9	-2.9	-2.7	-2.1	-1.9	0.9
One-offs	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-2.8	-4.2	-4.0	-2.1	-2.9	-2.7	-2.1	-1.9	0.9
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-2.8	-4.2	-4.0	-2.0	-2.8	-2.6	-2.0	-1.8	1.0

#### Notes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of CDD)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024
(% of GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	9.1	18.2	21.3	21.4	24.0	24.6	27.4	28.0
Change in the ratio	-0.4	9.8	3.0	3.2	2.7	3.2	2.8	0.6
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	0.3	4.9	5.5	5.9	3.2	3.7	3.1	2.1
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-0.6	0.3	-0.8	-0.7	-1.4	-1.3	-1.1	-1.2
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Growth effect	-0.3	0.3	-0.5	-0.4	-1.0	-1.0	-0.7	-0.8
Inflation effect	-0.2	0.0	-0.3	-0.4	-0.5	-0.4	-0.5	-0.5
3. Stock-flow adjustment	-0.1	4.6	-1.7	-2.0	1.0	0.8	0.8	-0.3

### Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commiss	ion scenario	Stability or converge programme scenar		
Short term	LO	W risk			
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) [1]		0.4			
Medium term	LO	W risk			
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	-3.9	LOW risk	-2.6	LOW risk	
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	LOW risk			•	
Baseline scenario	LO	W risk			
Stochastic projections	LO	W risk			
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	23.5		3	30.1	
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	LO	W risk			
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	-0.5	LOW risk	0.8	LOW risk	
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Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue component)	Date of adoption	Budgeta		of GDP - chaus year)	ange from
				2020	2021	2022	2023
	Dividends with income tax	D.5 - Current taxes on income, wealth, etc	2021		-0.04	0.03	
emporary neasures <sup>2</sup>	Second pillar pension changes	D.5 - Current taxes on income, wealth, etc	2021		0.8	-0.8	
	Subtotal			0	0.8	-0.8	0
	Changes in timing of investments	P.51 - Gross fixed capital	2021		0.0	-0.03	0.02
		formation D.1 - Compensation of					
	Educational costs savings	employees	2022			0.03	0
	Educational costs savings	P.2 - Intermediate consumption P.51 - Gross fixed capital	2022			0.02	0
	Electronic recording of employees in construction	formation	2022			0	0
	Electronic recording of employees in construction	D.1 - Compensation of employees	2022			0	0
	Electronic recording of employees in construction	P.2 - Intermediate consumption	2022			0	0
		D.62+D.63+D.621+D.624+D.63					
	Exceptional pension increase	Social payments, of which,     where applicable, unemployment	2023			0	-0.2
	Zisopatika politici i notodo	benefits including cash benefits and in	2020				0.2
	Keeping R&D costs at the level of 1% from GDP	D.1 - Compensation of	2022			-0.01	0.01
	Keeping R&D costs at the level of 1% from GDP	employees P.2 - Intermediate consumption	2022			-0.02	0.03
	Operating costs savings	P.2 - Intermediate consumption	2022			0.1	0
	Operating costs savings	D.1 - Compensation of employees	2022			0.04	0
	Othe costs	P.51 - Gross fixed capital formation	2022			-0.01	0.02
	Othe costs	D.1 - Compensation of employees	2021		0.1	0	0.0
	Othe costs	P.2 - Intermediate consumption	2022		0	0	0.0
	Reform of collecting packaging products of plastic	D.29+D.4+D.5+D.7+P.52+P.53+ K.2+D.8 - Other (other than D.41)	2025			0	0
Non- emporary	Salary fund growth for target groups	D.1 - Compensation of employees	2022			-0.04	0.0
easures <sup>2</sup>	The cost of the Enterprise Estonia measures	D.1 - Compensation of employees	2021		-0.02	-0.01	-0.0
	The cost of the Enterprise Estonia measures	P.2 - Intermediate consumption	2021		-0.02	-0.01	-0.0
	Changes in the Gambling Tax Act	D.29+D.4+D.5+D.7+P.52+P.53+ K.2+D.8 - Other (other than D.41)	2022			0	0
	Abolition of the mortgage interest tax exemption	D.5 - Current taxes on income,	2023			0	0.02
		wealth, etc D.5 - Current taxes on income.					
	Dividends with income tax	wealth, etc	2021			0.04	-0.0
	Dividends with income tax	D.4 - Property income	2022			0.05	-0.0
	Electronic recording of employees in construction	D.5 - Current taxes on income, wealth, etc	2023			0.0	0.0
	Electronic recording of employees in construction	D.61 - Social contributions	2023			0.0	0.0
	Other income	P.11+P.12+P.131+D.39+D.7+D. 9 (other than D.91) - Other	2022			0.01	0.0
	Sale of land and real estate	D.4 - Property income	2022			0.02	0.0
	Tax revenue from Enterprise Estonia measures	D.5 - Current taxes on income, wealth, etc	2021		0	0	0
	Tax revenue from Enterprise Estonia measures	D.61 - Social contributions	2021		0	0.01	0
	Tax revenue from Enterprise Estonia measures	D.2 - Taxes on production and imports	2021		0.04	0.0	0.0
	Income tax excemption of average pension	D.5 - Current taxes on income, wealth, etc	2023			0	-0.3
	Income tax excemption of average pension	D.2 - Taxes on production and imports	2023			0	0.0
	Second pillar pension changes	D.5 - Current taxes on income, wealth, etc	2022			0.18	-0.1
	Subtotal			0	0.1	0.4	-0.5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
	Guarantees to foundation KredEx and limited company KredEx Credit	00.000	4.5	0.0
In response	Insurance Ltd, Rural Development Foundation (MES)	06-2020	1.5	0.6
to COVID-19				
	Subtotal			
	callable capital of ESM	08-2012	4.2	0
	guarantee in respect of bonds obligations of the EFSF	09-2011	2.0	0
	callable capital of EIB, NIB, CEB, EBRD, IBRD	05.2004; 01.2005; 03.1998;		
Others	Callable Capital Of ETB, NIB, CEB, EBRD, IBRD	02.1992; 04.1992 accordingly	1.6	0
Others	guarantee to foundation KredEx and limited company KredEx Credit Insurance	05.2003 and 11.2009		
	Ltd	accordingly	1.4	0
	student loans	08-2003	0.2	0
	loan guarantees (2 state owned foundations)	06.2012 and 12.2016	0.1	0
	Subtotal		9.5	0

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections		0.3	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.7					
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU			0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6					

Expenditure financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)									
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026		
Compensation of employees D.1									
Intermediate consumption P.2									
Social payments D.62+D.632									
Interest expenditure D.41									
Subsidies, payable D.3									
Current transfers D.7									
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE		0.03	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1			
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g		0.03	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.4			
Capital transfers D.9		0.04	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2			
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE		0.1	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.6			

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Reduction in tax revenue		0	0	0	0	0				
Other costs with impact on revenue		0	0	0	0	0				
Financial transactions		0.3	0.1	0	0	0				

# Table 4.2b: RRF-Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU	no.									
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU	n.a.									

Expenditure financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Compensation of employees D.1										
Intermediate consumption P.2										
Social payments D.62+D.632										
Interest expenditure D.41										
Subsidies, payable D.3										
Current transfers D.7				n.a.						
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE										
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g										
Capital transfers D.9										
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE										

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
Reduction in tax revenue										
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

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Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	2025
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	3.4	3.4	4.6	4.5	5.0	5.0	3.5	3.2	3.1
Private consumption (% change)	-9.0	<b>-</b> 9.0	5.5	3.5	8.6	10.4	3.2	2.8	2.9
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-32.3	-32.3	6.5	-30.5	6.6	8.9	8.4	7.4	5.6
Exports of goods and services (% change)	6.2	6.2	6.8	6.0	4.9	5.9	5.0	4.7	4.5
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-11.3	-11.3	7.7	-5.5	5.8	8.3	6.4	5.9	5.3
Contributions to real GDP growth:									
- Final domestic demand	-16.6	-16.6	3.7	-7.9	4.5	4.7	2.8	2.6	2.3
- Change in inventories	1.0	1.0	-0.2	-0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	20.7	20.7	1.1	13.0	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.8
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-0.8	-2.0	-0.5	-0.9	0.1	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.5
Employment (% change)	-1.5	-15.1	-3.5	4.0	5.0	11.0	3.2	2.3	0.0
Unemployment rate (%)	5.7	18.7	10.7	16.3	8.1	8.2	6.6	6.0	0.1
Labour productivity (% change)	5.0	21.8	8.4	0.5	0.0	-5.4	0.2	0.9	0.0
HICP inflation (%)	-0.5	-0.5	0.9	1.1	1.3	1.9	1.5	1.6	1.9
GDP deflator (% change)	-0.5	-0.5	1.5	0.4	1.2	1.8	1.5	1.6	1.6
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	1.6	17.4	2.0	0.1	1.8	-6.5	1.9	2.9	0.0
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	-0.3	4.6	2.0	15.1	3.9	13.1	11.8	10.7	9.8

Note

#### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)		20	2021		2022		2024
	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
<b>Fiscal stance</b> (including EU-financed expenditure, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup>	0.0	0.8	n.a.	-0.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
of which contribution from:							
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other EU funds	0.0	-0.1	n.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.2	-0.1	n.a.	0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-0.1	0.2	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current expenditure	0.2	0.9	n.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-3.7	1.0	8.0	2.5	3.2	2.3	0.9
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-3.8	1.0	0.7	2.5	2.9	2.2	0.8
Change in the structural balance	-5.1	-0.1	2.2	1.8	-0.7	1.0	0.6

Note.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	2025	Change: 2020-2025
,	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	23.4	23.0	23.5	22.9	22.9	23.0	22.9	22.8	-0.6
of which:									
- Taxes on production and imports	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.6	0.0
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	10.2	9.7	10.1	9.5	10.0	10.0	10.2	10.2	0.0
- Social contributions	4.3	4.2	4.4	4.1	4.2	4.1	3.9	3.8	-0.5
- Other (residual)	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.6	2.1	2.3	2.1	2.2	-0.1
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.1	n.a.	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure of which:	28.4	28.0	28.2	25.7	25.7	24.3	23.6	23.0	-5.4
- Primary expenditure	27.4	27.1	27.3	24.9	24.8	23.4	22.8	22.3	-5.1
of which:	21.4	27.1	27.3	24.9	24.0	23.4	22.0	22.3	<del>-</del> 0.1
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	10.8	10.8	6.7	10.6	6.5	6.3	6.2	6.1	-4.7
Compensation of employees	6.8	6.7	4.1	6.6	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.6	-3.2
Intermediate consumption	4.0	4.1	n.a.	3.9	8.8	7.7	7.3	7.0	3.0
Social payments	10.6	10.3	10.4	8.8	8.8	7.7	7.3	7.0	-3.6
Subsidies	1.5	1.6	1.6	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.5	-1.0
Gross fixed capital formation	2.7	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.1	0.4
Other (residual)	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.9	0.1
- Interest expenditure	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.7	-0.3
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	n.a.
General government balance (GGB)	-5.0	-5.0	-4.7	-2.9	-2.8	-1.2	-0.7	-0.2	4.8
Primary balance	-4.0	-4.1	-3.8	-2.0	-1.9	-0.3	0.1	0.6	4.6
GGB excl. one-offs	-5.0	-5.0	-2.3	-2.9	-2.2	-1.2	-0.7	-0.2	4.8
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates									
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	21.3	2.8	4.4	-4.2	-4.6	-2.6	2.6	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	5.2	3.0	n.a.	7.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	22.0	2.3	5.8	-5.6	-0.4	-1.6	1.0	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	3.7	2.5	n.a.	7.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. mominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	5.0	7.1	7.1	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.3	n.a.	n.a.
Other indicators									
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-0.8	-0.5	-0.9	0.1	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.5	2.4
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-4.6	-4.7	-4.2	-2.9	-3.2	-1.5	-0.9	-0.4	3.6
One-offs	0.0	0.0	-2.4	0.0	-0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-4.6	-4.7	-1.8	-2.9	-2.6	-1.5	-0.9	-0.4	3.6
_	-3.6	-3.8	-0.9	-2.0	-1.7	-0.6	-0.1	0.3	3.3
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup> Notes:	-5.0	-5.0	J -0.8	-2.0	-1.7	U.U	U. I	0.5	٥.٥

### Notes:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	2021		2022		2023	2024	2025
(% 01 GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	67.6	59.5	61.4	62.2	59.7	60.2	59.0	57.7	55.4
Change in the ratio	-9.4	2.2	1.9	2.7	-1.7	-2.0	-1.2	-1.3	-2.3
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :									
1. Primary balance	-1.5	4.0	4.1	3.8	2.0	1.9	0.3	-0.1	-0.6
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-7.1	-0.6	-2.6	-1.9	-2.7	-3.0	-1.9	-1.9	-1.8
Of which:									
Interest expenditure	2.0	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.7
Growth effect	-7.1	-1.9	-2.6	-2.6	-2.9	-2.9	-2.0	-1.8	-1.7
Inflation effect	-1.9	0.3	-0.8	-0.3	-0.7	-1.0	-0.8	-0.9	-0.9
3. Stock-flow adjustment	-0.4	-1.2	0.3	8.0	-0.9	-0.8	0.5	0.7	0.1

### Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Commission scenario		_	convergence ne scenario
LOV	V risk		
0.4			
LOW risk			
-1.7	LOW risk	-5.5	LOW risk
LOW risk			
LOV	V risk		
LOV	V risk		
4:	5.2	2	7.9
MEDIUM risk			
3.6 MEDIUM risk		-3.8	LOW risk
	LOV CLOV -1.7 LOV LOV LOV 45	LOW risk  0.4  LOW risk  -1.7 LOW risk  LOW risk  LOW risk  LOW risk  45.2  MEDIUM risk	LOW risk  0.4  LOW risk  -1.7  LOW risk  LOW risk  LOW risk  LOW risk  LOW risk  LOW risk  A5.2  MEDIUM risk

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue	Date of adoption	Budgetary impact (% of GDP - change from previous year)				
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023	
	Compensation of employees	D.1			0.2	-0.1		
	Intermediate consumption	P.2		0.7	-0.3	-0.4		
	Social payments	D.6		1.4	-0.5	-0.8		
	Subsidies	D.3		1.0	0.0	-1.0		
	Gross fixed capital formation	P.51		0.2	-0.2	0.0		
Temporary	Transfers	D.7 & D.9		0.2	-0.1	-0.1		
measures <sup>2</sup>	Other	unallocated			0.5	0.1	-0.6	
	Current taxes on income and wealth (Covid Restriction Support Scheme)	D.5		0.0				
	Taxes on production and imports (VAT- temporary rate reduction from 13.5% to 9% )	D.2			-0.1	0.1	0	
	Subtotal			3.5	-0.4	-2.2	-0.6	
Non-								
temporary								
measures <sup>2</sup>								
	Subtotal	1						
	Total			3.5	-0.4	-2.2	-0.6	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	
In response	Guarantee for the 'Support to mitigate Unemployment Risks in an Emergency (SURE)' Scheme	juil-20	0.1	
to COVID-	Guarantee for the 'EIB's Pan-European Guarantee Fund'	juil-20	0.04	
19				
	Subtotal		0.2	
Others				
	Subtotal			
	Total			

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025						2026			
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections	n.a.		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	n a			
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU			0.02	0.1	0.1	0.04	n.a.			

Expenditure	e financed by RRF	grants (%	of GDP)				
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1		0.01	0.02				
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632		0	0	0			
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3	n.a.						n.a.
Current transfers D.7	II.a.						II.a.
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE		0.02	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g		0.01	0.1	0.1	0.04	0.03	
Capital transfers D.9		0	0	0	0	0	
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE		0.01	0.1	0.1	0.04	0.03	

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026										
Reduction in tax revenue										
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

# Table 4.2b: RRF-Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2020										
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU				n a						
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU				n.a.						

Expenditur	e financed by RF	RF loans	(% of GDF	P)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1					•		
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3				n 0			
Current transfers D.7				n.a.			
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE							
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g							
Capital transfers D.9							
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE							

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026										
Reduction in tax revenue										
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

# 8. GREECE

Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-8.2	-8.3	4.1	3.6	6.0	6.2	4.1	4.4
Private consumption (% change)	-5.2	-5.2	2.5	2.6	3.3	2.9	2.1	2.8
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-0.6	-0.6	12.9	7.0	15.1	30.3	12.3	10.8
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-21.7	-21.7	9.1	10.4	14.8	13.8	7.5	6.2
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-6.8	-6.8	6.3	6.9	6.8	8.5	4.0	3.4
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-3.1	-3.1	3.7	3.0	3.7	4.9	3.0	3.4
- Change in inventories	0.7	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-5.8	-5.6	0.4	0.7	2.3	1.3	1.1	1.0
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-10.8	-5.9	-6.9	-8.0	-2.1	-3.7	-2.1	-0.9
Employment (% change)	-1.3	-1.3	0.4	0.7	0.7	2.3	1.3	1.3
Unemployment rate (%)	16.3	16.3	16.3	16.3	16.1	14.2	13.1	11.7
Labour productivity (% change)	-7.0	-7.0	3.7	2.9	5.2	3.8	2.8	3.0
HICP inflation (%)	-1.3	-1.3	-0.2	0.0	0.6	0.7	1.3	1.6
GDP deflator (% change)	-1.5	-1.5	-0.3	0.2	0.7	1.0	1.2	1.6
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	0.0	0.0	1.3	0.0	2.0	1.1	2.1	2.4
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	-6.2	-4.6	-5.9	-4.2	-3.5	-0.7	0.1	1.1
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)  Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the	0.0	0.0	1.3	0.0	2.0	1.1	2.1	2.

Note:

#### Source.

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	СОМ	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure, excluding crisis-		4.0					
related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup>	-3.6	-1.0	n.a.	-2.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
of which contribution from:							
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other EU funds	-1.3	-0.6	n.a.	-0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	1.1	-1.4	n.a.	-0.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-1.1	2.4	n.a.	-0.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current expenditure	-2.3	-1.4	n.a.	-0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-10.9	-1.7	-0.5	3.8	4.5	1.2	0.1
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-10.4	0.6	1.0	4.8	6.1	0.8	-0.1
Change in the structural balance	-6.7	-1.9	1.3	4.4	5.3	1.4	0.4

Note.

Source:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Appear

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	51.0	49.2	49.4	49.0	48.9	48.8	47.5	-3.5
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	16.4	17.2	17.3	17.3	17.2	16.8	16.3	-0.1
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	9.2	8.7	8.6	9.1	9.0	9.8	9.8	0.6
- Social contributions	15.3	14.5	14.6	13.8	13.8	13.6	13.1	-2.2
- Other (residual)	10.0	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.9	8.6	8.3	-1.7
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.9	0.9	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Expenditure	60.7	59.2	59.4	52.2	51.9	49.2	46.9	-13.8
of which:								
- Primary expenditure	57.7	56.5	56.6	49.6	49.3	46.8	44.6	-13.1
of which:	18.7	19.0	18.7	17.6	17.4	16.5	15.5	-3.2
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption Compensation of employees	13.4	13.2	13.1	12.4	12.2	11.6	11.0	-3.2 -2.4
Intermediate consumption	5.2	5.8	5.6	5.2	5.2	4.9	4.5	-2.4 -0.7
Social payments	23.8	23.5	23.4	21.8	22.1	21.1	20.0	-0.7 -3.8
Subsidies	3.6	4.1	4.9	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.0	-3.6 -2.6
Gross fixed capital formation	3.0	4.9	4.8	5.8	6.1	5.6	5.7	2.7
Other (residual)	8.6	5.0	4.9	3.1	2.7	2.5	2.4	-6.2
- Interest expenditure	3.0	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.3	-0.7
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.9	1.0	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	n.a.
General government balance (GGB)	-9.7	-10.0	-9.9	-3.2	-2.9	-0.4	0.6	10.3
Primary balance	-6.7	-7.3	-7.2	-0.6	-0.3	2.0	2.9	9.6
GGB excl. one-offs	-10.4	-10.2	-10.2	-3.3	-2.6	-0.4	0.6	11.0
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	17.7	1.4	-0.5	-7.7	-9.7	-1.8	1.3	-18.4
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	2.5	0.1	n.a.	5.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	11.9	4.5	6.5	-6.7	-9.7	-1.4	0.7	-12.6
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	2.9	2.5	n.a.	1.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	-2.3	-0.8	-0.8	0.5	0.5	1.0	1.4	3.7
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-10.8	-6.9	-8.0	-2.1	-3.7	-2.1	-0.9	5.0
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-4.1	-6.4	-5.7	-2.1	-0.9	0.7	1.1	7.7
One-offs	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.0	-0.3	0.0	0.0	-0.6
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	<b>-4.7</b>	-6.6	-6.0	-2.2	-0.6	0.7	1.1	8.3
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-1.7	-3.9	-3.2	0.5	2.0	3.1	3.4	7.7
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<sup>&</sup>lt;u>Notes</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs. Source:

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024
(% 01 GDF)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	180.8	205.6	208.8	204.8	201.5	189.5	176.7	166.1
Change in the ratio	0.1	25.1	3.2	-0.8	-7.4	-15.3	-12.8	-10.6
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-2.7	6.7	7.3	7.2	0.6	0.3	-2.0	-2.9
2. "Snow-ball" effect	2.0	22.4	-4.8	-4.8	-10.5	-11.2	-7.2	-7.6
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.3
Growth effect	-1.4	16.5	-8.1	-7.1	-11.7	-11.8	-7.4	-7.3
Inflation effect	0.1	2.9	0.6	-0.4	-1.4	-2.0	-2.2	-2.6
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.7	-3.7	0.7	-3.2	2.6	-4.3	-3.5	0.0

### Notes:

## Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commission scenario			convergence me scenario
Short term	HIC	6H risk		
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) [1]		0.6		
Medium term	term HIG			
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	4.7 HIGH risk		2.5	HIGH risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	HIC	SH risk		
Baseline scenario	HIC	GH risk		
Stochastic projections	HIC	GH risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	1	18.2	1	13.6
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	MEDIUM risk			
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) [6]	0.3	LOW risk	-2.2	LOW risk

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue component)	Date of adoption	<b>Budg</b> GDP - 0	etary ir change yea	from pro	evious
	Reduction of advanced CIT and PIT payment for enterprises and self-employed	D.5	Aug 2020, May 2021	-0.9	0.4	0.1	0.4
	Suspension of solidarity tax in the private sector	D.5	Jan 2021	0	-0.4	0	0.4
	Reduction by 3 p.p. of the SSCs of wage earners in the private sector	D.61	Jan 2021	0	-0.5	0	0.4
	Tax and SSC deferrals	D.5, D.2, D.61	March/April 2020	-0.3	0.2	0.1	0
	Extension of the deadline for the payment of scheduled SSCs instalments	D.61	March 2020	-0.2	0.1	0.1	0
	25% of the VAT paid on time discounted from future tax obligations and 25% discount on tax and SSCs installment schemes paid on time	mainly D.2, D.61, D.5	March 2020, June 2020	-0.2	0.2	0	0
	Other revenue measures (covid related)	mainly D.2, D.61, D.5		-0.2	-0.1	0.3	0.1
	2020-2021 ANFAs & SMPs revenue	D.7		0	-0.9	-0.1	0
	Other revenue measures (non -covid related)	categories		0	0.2	-0.1	-0.1
	Business financing in the form of a repayable advance payment (non-repayable part)			-1.8	0.6	1.0	0
	Temporary economic support to wage earners (allowance & SSC coverage) and self employed/scientists/individual businesses/small companies (allowance)	D.3	Apr & Dec 2020	0 -2.0 0.1		1.7	0
Temporary	COVID Healthcare expenditures (including ICU equipment, consumables, temporary healthcare personnel, vaccination costs, rapid tests etc.)	mainly P.2, D.1	March 2020	-0.3	-0.1	.1 0.2	0.1
measures <sup>2</sup>	Non-refundable grant to SMEs via LGs and working capital grant program for restaurants and other sectors	D.3	March & May 2021	0	-0.9	0.9	0
	COVID expenditures of other ministries	P.2	March 2020	-0.2	0.1	0.1	0
	Compensation to property owners that receive reduced rent	D.3	Nov 2020	0	-0.3		0
	Loan subsidy for fisrt residence owners and SMEs borrowers (GEFYRA I & II)	D.75	Dec 20/May 21	0	-0.3	0.3	0
	Non-repayment of a percentage of refundable advance 1, 2, 3, on basis of turnover reduction	D.99	May 2021	0	-0.3	0.3	0
	Extension of the regular unemployment benefit	D.62	March 2020	-0.2	0.1	0.1	0
	New hirings subsidy program (subsidize SSCs on 100.000 new hirings for 6 months)	D.3	Oct 2020	0.0	-0.2	0.2	0
	Other subsidies aiming at supporting the primary sector of the economy, the culture sector and at promoting employment	D.3	2020 Jan 2021, Apr	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0
	Subsidies to the transport sector	D.3	2021, April	0	-0.1	0.2	0
	Support on seasonal workers (Special allowance and unemployment benefit ans SSC coverage)	D.3 & D.62	Jul & Ayg 2020	-0.3	0.2	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0
	Other temporary expenditure measures	various categories		-0.3	-0.1	0.3	0
	Subtotal			-7.0	-2.2	6.1	1.3
	Reduction of CIT tax rate from 29% to 24% in 2020	D.5	December 2019	-0.4	0.2		0
Man	PIT reduction for low incomes from 22% to 9%	D.5	December 2019	-0.2	-0.2		0
Non-	Other measures on social contributions	D.61		-0.1	-0.1		ō
temporary	Tax evasion fight through expansion of electronic transactions	mainly D.2 , D.5	December 2019	0.3	0.1		0
measures <sup>2</sup>	Other non-temporary measures	mainly D.5, D.2		-0.2	0.2	-0.1	-0.1
	Subtotal	•		-0.6	0.2		-0.1
	Total			-7.6	-2.0	6.0	1.2

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.
<sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities <sup>1</sup> (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up <sup>2</sup> (% of GDP)
	Sure programme	2020	0.2	0.2
In response to	Paneuropean Guarantees' Fund	2020	0.2	0.2
COVID-19	Covid-19 Fund	May 2020	0.9	1.2
	Subtotal		1.4	1.6
	State Guarantees to non General Government Entities		2.3	
	Entrepreneurship loan (EIB loans to Greek banks)		0.9	
Others	Bank Support Scheme Guarantees		0.2	
Calore	Hercules (NPLs)		1.4	
	ETEAN & Entrepreneurship Fund		0.0	
	Subtotal		4.8	
	Total		6.2	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> These figures refer to the guarantees already provided.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>These figures refer to the estimated total take-up once all the relevant guarantees are provided.

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections		0.9	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5			
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU		2.2	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3			

Expenditure finar	ced by RRF	grants (%	of GDP)				
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1		0	0	0	0	0	0
Intermediate consumption P.2		0	0	0.1	0	0	0
Social payments D.62+D.632		0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
Interest expenditure D.41		0	0	0	0	0	0
Subsidies, payable D.3		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Current transfers D.7		0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE		0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g		0.4	1	0.9	1	0.8	0.8
Capital transfers D.9		0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.5
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE		0.7	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.3

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Reduction in tax revenue		0	0	0	0	0	0			
Other costs with impact on revenue		0	0	0	0	0	0			
Financial transactions		0	0	0	0	0	0			

Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU		1.4	1.4	1.1	1.1	1	0.5			
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU 0 0 0 0 0										

Expenditure finan	ced by RI	RF loans	(% of GDI	P)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1		0	0	0	0	0	0
Intermediate consumption P.2		0	0	0	0	0	0
Social payments D.62+D.632		0	0	0	0	0	0
Interest expenditure D.41		0	0	0	0	0	0
Subsidies, payable D.3		0	0	0	0	0	0
Current transfers D.7		0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE		0	0	0	0	0	0
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g		0	0	0	0	0	0
Capital transfers D.9		0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE		0	0	0	0	0	0

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026										
Reduction in tax revenue		0	0	0	0	0	0			
Other costs with impact on revenue		0	0	0	0	0	0			
Financial transactions		0.5	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.2	0.6			

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Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-10.8	-10.8	5.9	6.5	6.8	7.0	3.5	2.1
Private consumption (% change)	-12.1	-12.1	6.4	7.3	5.8	6.9	2.8	1.7
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-11.4	-11.4	9.6	10.3	12.7	12.3	8.8	1.7
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-20.2	-20.2	10.4	9.2	12.8	10.3	2.8	2.5
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-15.8	-15.8	11.7	10.3	11.7	10.0	3.3	0.4
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-8.5	-8.8	6.1	6.7	6.3	6.7	3.6	1.4
- Change in inventories	-0.3	-0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-2.0	-2.0	-0.2	-0.2	0.5	0.2	-0.1	0.7
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-9.3	-9.6	-5.0	-4.9	0.0	-0.2	1.1	1.2
Employment (% change)	-4.2	-4.2	0.2	2.0	2.0	2.3	1.0	1.7
Unemployment rate (%)	15.5	15.5	15.7	15.2	14.4	14.1	13.2	12.7
Labour productivity (% change)	-3.6	-3.6	1.3	2.4	4.7	4.2	2.4	1.2
HICP inflation (%)	-0.3	n.a.	1.4	n.a.	1.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
GDP deflator (% change)	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.5	1.6	1.9
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	1.4	1.4	0.5	0.9	2.0	1.5	1.8	1.8
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	1.1	1.1	0.4	2.7	0.7	4.6	3.2	2.3

Note:

#### <u>Source</u>:

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)		20	21	2022		2023	2024
,	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	ا م	ا م د		-0.5		l	
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	-0.4   -2.6		n.a.	-0.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and	-0.4	-0.7	n.a.	-0.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.1	-0.1	n.a.	0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	0.0	-0.6	n.a.	-0.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	0.0	-1.3	n.a.	0.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-2.9	-0.9	-1.3	0.1	1.3	0.5	1.3
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-2.4	-0.2	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.2	0.0
Change in the structural balance	-0.5	-0.7	-1.2	-0.3	0.4	0.2	0.7

Note:

Source :

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	41.3	41.7	40.5	41.0	39.5	39.3	39.3	-2.0
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	11.2	11.6	11.3	11.6	11.1	11.0	10.9	-0.3
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	11.2	11.0	11.1	10.7	10.8	10.9	11.2	0.0
- Social contributions	14.4	13.5	13.6	12.7	13.2	13.1	13.2	-1.2
- Other (residual)	4.5	5.6	4.5	5.9	4.4	4.3	4.0	-0.5
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	n.a.	1.3	n.a.	1.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants  Expenditure	0.0 <b>52.3</b>	0.0 <b>49.2</b>	n.a. <b>48.9</b>	0.0 <b>46.2</b>	n.a. <b>44.5</b>	n.a. <b>43.2</b>	n.a. <b>42.5</b>	n.a. -9.8
of which:	32.3	49.2	40.9	40.2	44.5	43.2	42.3	-3.0
- Primary expenditure	50.0	47.1	46.9	44.2	42.6	41.4	40.7	-9.3
of which:	00.0	77.1	10.5	77.2	72.0	71.7	40.7	-0.0
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	18.4	17.9	17.6	17.1	16.5	16.0	15.7	-2.7
Compensation of employees	12.5	12.0	12.1	11.4	11.3	11.1	10.9	-1.6
Intermediate consumption	5.9	5.9	5.5	5.7	5.1	4.9	4.8	-1.1
Social payments	23.3	21.0	21.5	19.2	19.8	19.6	19.5	-3.8
Subsidies	1.9	1.9	1.4	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	-0.9
Gross fixed capital formation	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.1	-0.4
Other (residual)	3.9	3.8	3.7	4.4	3.1	2.8	2.4	-1.5
- Interest expenditure	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	-0.4
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.3	1.0	1.9	1.7	2.0	1.4	0.1	0.1
General government balance (GGB)	-11.0	-7.6	-8.4	-5.2	-5.0	-4.0	-3.2	7.8
Primary balance	-8.7	-5.5	-6.4	-3.2	-3.1	-2.1	-1.4	7.3
GGB excl. one-offs	-9.8	-7.9	-8.2	-5.2	-5.0	-4.0	-3.2	6.6
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	7.7	2.4	0.7	-0.1	-1.3	2.4	2.4	-10.9
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	2.1	6.5	n.a.	1.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	7.7	0.8	0.1	-0.2	0.1	3.2	2.8	-8.2
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	1.8	5.2	n.a.	1.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.5	0.6
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-9.3	-5.0	-4.9	0.0	-0.2	1.1	1.2	10.7
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-5.4	-4.6	-5.5	-5.2	-4.9	-4.6	-3.9	1.4
One-offs	-1.2	0.3	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-4.2	<b>-4</b> .9	-5.2	-5.2	<b>-4</b> .9	-4.6	-3.9	0.1
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-1.9	-2.8	-3.2	-3.2	-3.0	-2.8	-2.1	-0.3
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#### Notes:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	2021		2022		2023	2024
(% 01 GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	98.0	120.0	119.6	119.5	116.9	115.1	113.3	112.1
Change in the ratio	-1.0	24.5	-0.4	-0.5	-2.7	-4.4	-1.8	-1.2
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	1.0	8.7	5.5	6.4	3.2	3.1	2.1	1.4
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-1.0	12.6	-5.6	-6.5	-6.7	-7.4	-3.8	-2.6
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	2.6	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8
Growth effect	-2.7	11.5	-6.6	-7.3	-7.5	-7.7	-3.9	-2.3
Inflation effect	-0.9	-1.1	-1.1	-1.3	-1.2	-1.6	-1.8	-2.1
3. Stock-flow adjustment	-1.0	3.0	-0.2	-0.2	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0

## Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commissio	on scenario	Stability or convergen programme scenario			
Short term	HIGH	l risk				
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) [1]	0	.5				
Medium term	HIGH	l risk				
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	4.9	HIGH risk	2.1	MEDIUM risk		
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	HIGI	H risk		•		
Baseline scenario	HIGI	H risk				
Stochastic projections	HIGI	H risk				
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	11	7.4	10	14.6		
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	MEDIL	JM risk				
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	1.2	LOW risk	-1.7	LOW risk		
		•	•	•		

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue	Date of adoption	GE	P - cha	mpact ange fro us year)	om
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023
Temporary	n.a.						
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal						
Non- temporary	n.a.						
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal						
	Total		_				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue	Date of adoption	Budgetary impact (% of GDP - change from previous year)					
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023		
Temporary	n.a.								
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal								
Non- temporary	n.a.								
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal								
	Total								

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)									
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 202									
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections									
Cash disbursements of RRF grants from EU	n.a.								

Expenditure finance	d by RRF	grants (	% of GDI	P)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1	0	0	0	0	0		-
Intermediate consumption P.2	0	0	0	0	0		
Social payments D.62+D.632	0	0.3	0.3	0.2	0		
Interest expenditure D.41	0	0	0	0	0		
Subsidies, payable D.3		•	' n.o.	•	•		_
Current transfers D.7			n.a.			n.	a.
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0.3	0.3	0.2	0		
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0		
Capital transfers D.9	0	1.4	1.5	1.1	0.1		
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	1.5	1.6	1.2	0.1		

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 202										
Reduction in tax revenue		-								
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

Table 4.2b: RRF-Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)									
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026									
Disbursements of RRF loans from EU									
Repayments of RRF loans to EU	n.a.								

Expenditure f	Expenditure financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026					
Compensation of employees D.1												
Intermediate consumption P.2												
Social payments D.62+D.632												
Interest expenditure D.41												
Subsidies, payable D.3												
Current transfers D.7				n.a.								
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE												
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g												
Capital transfers D.9												
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE												

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Reduction in tax revenue		-	-	-	-	-	_			
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

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Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	2025	2026
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-8.1	-8.2	5.7	5.0	4.2	4.0	2.3	1.6	1.4	1.4
Private consumption (% change)	-7.2	-7.3	3.4	4.0	5.6	5.7	2.6	1.5	1.3	1.4
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-10.2	-10.3	11.0	8.3	3.1	4.6	2.6	1.7	1.7	1.0
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-16.0	-16.3	10.0	8.2	9.6	9.3	6.2	4.1	3.6	3.6
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-11.1	-11.5	7.6	7.5	6.6	7.8	5.2	3.4	3.2	3.1
Contributions to real GDP growth:										
- Final domestic demand	-7.0	-7.1	5.9	5.5	3.6	3.7	2.1	1.4	1.3	1.2
- Change in inventories	0.3	0.3	-0.7	-0.5	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-1.4	-1.5	0.5	0.0	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-7.1	-6.9	-2.7	-3.1	0.1	-0.6	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.3
Employment (% change)	-1.1	-0.9	0.3	0.4	1.2	1.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
Unemployment rate (%)	8.0	0.0	9.1	0.0	8.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Labour productivity (% change)	-7.2	-7.4	5.6	4.6	2.9	3.0	2.1	1.4	1.2	1.2
HICP inflation (%)	0.5	0.5	1.4	1.1	1.1	8.0	1.2	1.5	1.8	1.8
GDP deflator (% change)	2.2	2.2	0.5	0.3	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.6	1.6
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	-2.7	-2.7	4.2	3.6	2.8	3.3	3.0	2.8	2.9	2.8
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	-2.2	-2.2	-1.1	-1.6	-0.6	-1.0	-1.3	-0.9	-0.8	-0.8

Note

<sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

**Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance** 

(% of GDP)	2020	2021		2022		2023	2024
(/3 5/ 32/ )		COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage*							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure, excluding							
crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup>	0.6	-2.9	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
of which contribution from:							
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	-0.1	-0.6	n.a.	0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	0.3	-0.2	n.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-0.1	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	0.6	-2.1	n.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-2.9	-1.8	-5.0	2.1	2.1	0.4	0.4
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-3.0	-1.1	n.a.	1.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in the structural balance	-1.3	-2.1	-2.1	2.1	2.1	0.3	0.2

#### Notes:

#### Source:

<sup>\*</sup>The large difference between the fiscal stance based on Commission's projections and plans in the Stability Programme stem mainly from the treatment of crisis-related temporary emergency measures in 2020 as one-offs in the latter case. In 2021 however, the crisis-related temporary emergency measures are no longer considered as one-offs in government's plans. A similar treatment of these crisis-related temporary emergency measures in 2020 would lead to broadly similar fiscal stances in both sets of projections.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
,	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	52.9	52.1	52.1	51.5	51.3	51.0	50.9	-2.0
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	17.0	16.7	16.5	16.8	16.5	16.5	16.4	-0.6
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	13.3	12.5	12.2	12.6	12.2	12.2	12.2	-1.1
- Social contributions	17.2	16.9	16.9	16.5	16.8	16.7	16.7	-0.5
- Other (residual)	5.4	5.9	6.5	5.5	5.8	5.6	5.6	0.2
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.8	0.7	0.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure	62.1	60.6	61.1	56.2	56.7	55.5	54.8	-7.3
of which:		F0.4	50.0	FF 4	FF C		F2.0	7.0
- Primary expenditure	60.8	59.4	59.8	55.1	55.6	54.4	53.6	-7.2
of which: Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	18.7	18.3	18.4	17.4	17.5	17.1	16.9	-1.8
Compensation of employees	13.3	12.9	12.9	12.4	12.5	12.2	12.0	-1.3
Intermediate consumption	5.4	5.5	5.4	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.9	-0.5
Social payments	29.1	27.4	27.8	25.9	26.0	25.3	25.0	-4.1
Subsidies	3.4	3.7	3.5	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.0	-1.4
Gross fixed capital formation	3.8	3.9	4.0	3.9	4.0	3.9	3.9	0.1
Other (residual)	5.9	6.1	6.1	5.6	5.9	5.8	5.7	-0.2
- Interest expenditure	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	-0.1
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.1	0.7	n.a.	0.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
General government balance (GGB)	-9.2	-8.5	-9.0	-4.7	-5.3	-4.4	-3.9	5.3
Primary balance	-7.9	-7.3	-7.8	-3.6	-4.2	-3.3	-2.7	5.2
GGB excl. one-offs	-9.1	-8.4	-8.8	-4.6	-5.1	-4.2	-3.9	5.2
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	8.0	3.4	n.a.	-1.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	1.8	5.6	n.a.	2.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	8.8	3.2	n.a.	-1.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	2.0	5.7	n.a.	2.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	3.2	1.4	1.4	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.2	-0.9
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-7.1	-2.7	-3.1	0.1	-0.6	0.3	0.5	7.4
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-4.8	-6.8	-7.0	-4.8	-4.9	-4.6	-4.2	0.7
One-offs	-0.1	-0.0	-0.2	-0.1	-0.2	-0.2	0.0	0.7
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-4.7	-6.7	-6.8	-0.1 -4.7	-0.2 -4.7	-4.4	-4.2	0.1
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Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-3.4	-5.5	-5.5	-3.6	-3.6	-3.3	-3.0	0.5

#### Notes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

 $<sup>^3</sup>$  Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs  $\underline{\textit{Source}}$  :

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	20	2021		2022		2024	2025	2026
(% OI GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	97.5	115.7	117.4	117.8	116.4	116.3	117.2	118.0	118.3	118.2
Change in the ratio	0.5	18.1	1.7	2.1	-1.0	-1.5	0.9	0.8	0.3	-0.1
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :										
1. Primary balance	1.4	7.9	7.3	7.8	3.6	4.2	3.3	2.7	2.1	1.6
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-0.7	7.4	-5.5	-4.6	-4.8	-4.6	-2.8	-2.2	-2.0	-1.8
Of which:										
Interest expenditure	1.7	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.5
Growth effect	-1.5	8.4	-6.2	-5.5	-4.7	-4.5	-2.6	-1.8	-1.6	-1.6
Inflation effect	-0.9	-2.3	-0.5	-0.3	-1.2	-1.2	-1.3	-1.6	-1.8	-1.8
3. Stock-flow adjustment	-0.2	2.6	0.0	-1.1	0.2	-1.1	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1

### Notes:

## Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commissio	on scenario	_	convergence ne scenario
Short term	HIGH	ł risk		
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>	0	.6		
Medium term	HIGH	ł risk		
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	4.7 HIGH risk		2.5	HIGH risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	HIGH	H risk		
Baseline scenario	HIGH	H risk		
Stochastic projections	HIGH	H risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	11	8.2	11	3.6
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	MEDIUM risk			
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	0.3	LOW risk	-2.2	LOW risk
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- [2] The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*
- [3] The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*
- [4] The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.
- [5] The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.
- [6] The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

Measures		ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue	Date of adoption	Budgetary impact (% of GDP - change from previous year)				
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023	
Temporary	n.a.							
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal							
Non- temporary	n.a.							
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal							
	Total							

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
	Prêts garantis par l'État	2020	13.1	5.7
	Activation d'une réassurance publique sur les en-cours d'assurance-crédit (disp	2020	0.3	0.1
	Activation d'une réassurance publique sur les en-cours d'assurance-crédit (disp	2020	0.1	0.1
In response	Mise en place d'une réassurance des crédits-ex-port de court terme	2020	0.2	0
to COVID-19	SURE	2020	0.2	0.2
	FGE (BEI)	2020	0.2	0.1
	Prêt au FMI	2020	0.1	
	Subtotal			
Othoro				
Others	Subtotal			
	Total			

# **Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants**

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Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections		-		n o							
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU	n.a.										

Expenditure fi	nanced by RRF	grants (%	of GDP)				
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3				n 0			
Current transfers D.7				n.a.			
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE							
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g							
Capital transfers D.9							
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE							

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Reduction in tax revenue										
Other costs with impact on revenue				n.a.						
Financial transactions	1									

# Table 4.2b: RRF-Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU	no.									
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU	n.a.									

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Experialture	financed by RF						
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7				n.a.			
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE							
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g							
Capital transfers D.9							
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE							

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026											
Reduction in tax revenue											
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.										
Financial transactions											

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Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	СР	COM	СР	COM	СР	СР	СР
Real GDP (% change)	-8.0	-8.0	5.0	5.2	6.1	6.6	4.1	3.4
Private consumption (% change)	-6.2	-6.2	4.9	5.1	3.4	4.0	3.7	3.6
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-2.9	-2.9	7.3	9.9	10.2	18.0	8.5	4.5
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-25.0	-25.0	16.3	12.5	12.2	15.8	6.1	3.9
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-13.8	-13.8	11.0	12.3	8.2	14.7	6.7	4.2
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-3.5	-3.5	5.1	5.8	4.7	7.0	4.8	3.8
- Change in inventories	1.3	1.3	-1.5	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0
- Net exports	-5.8	-5.8	1.4	-0.8	1.4	-0.7	-0.8	-0.5
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-5.5	-5.6	-3.1	-3.4	0.1	-0.6	0.4	1.0
Employment (% change)	-1.2	-1.2	0.6	2.3	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.4
Unemployment rate (%)	7.5	7.5	7.2	7.0	6.6	6.5	6.0	5.7
Labour productivity (% change)	-6.9	-6.9	4.4	2.8	4.6	4.8	2.5	1.9
HICP inflation (%)	0.0	0.2	1.3	2.0	1.3	1.7	2.0	2.3
GDP deflator (% change)	0.4	0.4	1.7	2.0	1.7	1.8	2.1	2.3
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	2.1	2.1	1.4	2.9	0.9	3.5	3.3	3.2
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	1.5	1.6	0.5	1.9	2.8	3.1	2.1	0.0

#### Note:

#### Source:

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)	2020	2021		2022		2023	2024
		COM	CP	COM	CP	CP	CP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	۱ , ,	-1.7		24			
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	-2.2	-1.7	n.a.	-2.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	-0.9	-1.5	n.a.	-1.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.3	-0.1	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	0.0	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	-0.9	-0.1	n.a.	-0.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-4.8	-0.6	-1.1	-1.1	-1.5	-0.6	0.5
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-3.9	0.7	0.5	0.3	-0.7	-1.0	-0.6
Change in the structural balance	-3.6	1.7	2.6	-0.1	-0.2	0.2	-0.1

Note:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
·	COM	СОМ	СР	COM	СР	СР	СР	СР
Revenue	48.0	49.6	50.5	49.8	51.0	50.5	48.9	0.9
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	19.0	19.7	19.6	19.6	20.1	20.0	20.0	1.0
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	6.7	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.7	5.7	5.6	-1.1
- Social contributions	12.1	12.0	12.5	11.4	12.1	12.0	12.0	-0.1
- Other (residual)	10.1	11.8	12.4	12.8	13.1	12.8	11.3	1.2
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.4	0.4	2.1	1.9	2.4	2.3	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure	55.4	54.2	54.3	53.0	53.6	52.4	50.5	-4.9
of which:	E2.4	E0.4	EOE	E4.4	E0.0	E4.4	40 E	2.0
<ul> <li>Primary expenditure         of which:</li> </ul>	53.4	52.4	52.5	51.4	52.0	51.1	49.5	-3.9
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	22.3	22.3	22.3	21.5	21.6	21.3	21.1	-1.2
Compensation of employees	13.6	13.5	13.6	13.0	13.1	12.8	12.6	-1.0
Intermediate consumption	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.5	8.6	8.5	8.5	-0.2
Social payments	17.4	16.8	16.8	16.1	16.0	15.5	15.2	-2.2
Subsidies	3.8	2.8	2.8	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.5	-2.3
Gross fixed capital formation	5.6	6.3	6.1	7.4	7.5	7.1	6.6	1.0
Other (residual)	4.4	4.2	4.5	4.6	5.2	5.6	5.2	0.8
- Interest expenditure	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.3	1.0	-1.0
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.4	0.3	2.1	2.0	2.4	2.3	n.a.
General government balance (GGB)	-7.4	-4.6	-3.8	-3.2	-2.6	-1.9	-1.5	5.9
Primary balance	-5.4	-2.8	-2.1	-1.6	-1.0	-0.7	-0.5	4.9
GGB excl. one-offs	-7.4	-4.6	-3.9	-3.2	-2.8	-2.2	-2.0	5.5
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	10.1	1.3	1.2	2.4	4.4	4.5	4.6	-5.4
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	4.6	3.8	n.a.	5.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	10.4	0.8	0.3	2.0	3.3	4.3	5.4	-3.1
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	4.1	3.6	n.a.	5.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	1.9	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	1.4
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-5.5	-3.1	-3.4	0.1	-0.6	0.4	1.0	6.6
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-5.0	-3.2	-2.3	-3.3	-2.3	-2.1	-1.9	3.0
One-offs	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-5.0	-3.2	-2.4	-3.3	-2.5	-2.3	-2.3	2.6
	-3.0	-5.2 -1.4	-0.6	-1.7	-2.3 -0.9	-1.0	-1.3	1.6
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup> Notes:	<u> -3.0</u>	-1.4	_0.0	-1./	-∪.5	<u> -1.0</u>	-1.3	1.0

## Notes:

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs. Source:

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	20	21	2022		2023	2024
(% 01 GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	CP	COM	CP	CP	CP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	78.0	88.7	85.6	86.6	82.9	82.5	79.5	76.8
Change in the ratio	-2.4	15.9	-3.2	-2.2	-2.7	-4.1	-3.0	-2.8
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-2.1	5.4	2.8	2.1	1.6	1.0	0.7	0.5
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-0.3	8.0	-3.8	-4.1	-4.5	-5.0	-3.6	-3.2
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	2.7	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.3	1.0
Growth effect	-2.3	6.3	-4.2	-4.3	-4.8	-5.2	-3.2	-2.5
Inflation effect	-0.7	-0.3	-1.4	-1.6	-1.3	-1.4	-1.6	-1.8
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.0	2.5	-2.1	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0

### Notes:

#### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commissi	on scenario	Stability or converge programme scenar		
Short term	HIG	H risk			
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>	(	0.6			
Medium term	MEDI	UM risk			
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	-0.9	LOW risk	-2.5	LOW risk	
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	MEDI	UM risk			
Baseline scenario	MEDI	UM risk			
Stochastic projections	MEDI	UM risk			
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	7	5.6	6	67.4	
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	MEDIUM risk				
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	-1.1	LOW risk	-3.4	LOW risk	
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<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

Measures		ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue	Date of adoption	Budgetary impact (% of GDP - change from previous year)				
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023	
Temporary	n.a.							
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal							
Non- temporary	n.a.							
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal							
	Total		_					

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures <sup>1</sup>	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
	COVID-19 liquidity loan portfolio insurance program and COVID-19 exporter liquidity loan insurance program	avr-20	0.8	0.2
In	Loan insurance approved under HBOR's Lending Program "COVID-19 Working capital for SMEs in tourism"	avr-20	0.01	0.01
response to COVID-	Loan insurance approved under HBOR's Lending Program "COVID-19 Working capital for entrepreneurs in wood processing and furniture production"	juin-20	n.a.	0.02
19	COVID-19 loan guarantees in the maritime sector, transport, transport infrastructure and related activities	juil-20	0.3	0.04
	COVID-19 loan guarantees in tourism and sport	févr-21	0.4	0
	COVID-19 loan guarantees in culture and creative industries	juil-20	0.1	0.01
	Subtotal		1.5	0.3
Others				
	Subtotal			
	Total			
1				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The guarantees presented excluded those that were granted to entities inside the general government.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The reference date is 31/12/2020. The estimated take-up amounts refer to net changes from 31/12/2019 to 31/12/2020.

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2020										
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	no	0.4	1.9	2.4	2.3	1.7	1			
Cash disbursements of RRF grants from EU	n.a.	1.5	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5			

Expenditure financed	by RRF	grants (	% of GDI	P)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1		-	-				
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632				n o			
Interest expenditure D.41				n.a.			
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7							
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE		0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	n a	0.2	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.1	0.7
Capital transfers D.9	n.a.	0.1	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.3
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE		0.4	1.7	2.2	2.1	1.5	1

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)											
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 20										
Reduction in tax revenue Other costs with impact on revenue				n.a.							
Financial transactions	n.a.	0	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0				

Table 4.2b: RRF-Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 202										
Disbursements of RRF loans from EU										
Repayments of RRF loans to EU	n.a.									

Expenditure f	inanced by RI	RF loans	(% of GI	DP)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7				n.a.			
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE							
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g							
Capital transfers D.9							
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE							

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026											
Reduction in tax revenue		-	-	-		-					
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.										
Financial transactions											

# **12. ITALY**

**Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts** 

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-8.9	-8.9	4.2	4.5	4.4	4.8	2.6	1.8
Private consumption (% change)	-10.7	-10.7	3.1	4.1	4.9	5.2	2.5	1.9
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-9.1	-9.1	9.9	8.7	8.4	9.0	4.7	3.4
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-13.8	-13.8	10.4	8.2	7.9	5.7	4.0	3.4
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-12.6	-12.6	11.5	9.4	8.7	6.6	3.8	3.3
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-7.8	-7.9	4.2	4.5	4.4	4.8	2.4	1.7
- Change in inventories	-0.3	-0.3	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-0.8	-0.7	0.1	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	0.1	0.1
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-8.6	-8.5	-4.8	-4.7	-1.4	-1.3	-0.1	0.4
Employment (% change)	-2.1	-2.1	-0.3	0.3	0.9	2.0	1.7	1.4
Unemployment rate (%)	9.2	9.3	10.2	9.6	9.9	9.2	8.5	8.0
Labour productivity (% change)	1.6	-7.0	-1.1	4.2	2.1	2.8	0.9	0.5
HICP inflation (%)	-0.1	-0.1	1.3	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.4
GDP deflator (% change)	1.2	1.2	0.8	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	2.6	2.6	0.5	0.5	1.9	1.3	1.0	1.2
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	3.5	3.7	2.9	2.9	3.1	2.7	2.7	2.8

#### Note:

#### Source:

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)		2021		2022		2023	2024
(,	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	0.0	-2.0	n 0	-2.2	<b>n</b> 0	n 0	
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	0.0	-2.0	n.a.	-2.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and	0.0	-0.3	n.a.	-0.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.1	-0.3	n.a.	-0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-1.0	0.5	n.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	1.2	-1.8	n.a.	-1.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-4.7	-4.4	-2.7	4.1	1.7	-0.2	1.0
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-4.6	-3.9	-1.7	4.6	1.9	0.1	0.2
Change in the structural balance	-2.9	-4.4	-4.5	4.2	4.0	1.0	0.7

Note:

Source:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position\*

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	47.8	47.0	47.4	46.9	47.5	47.8	46.3	-1.5
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	13.9	14.1	14.3	14.1	14.3	14.3	14.2	0.3
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	15.3	14.6	14.6	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.2	-1.1
- Social contributions	13.8	13.2	13.1	13.2	13.3	13.2	13.2	-0.6
- Other (residual)	4.8	5.1	5.4	5.4	5.7	6.1	4.7	-0.1
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.3	0.6	0.7	0.9	1.4	0.5	0.5
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1
Expenditure	57.3	58.7	56.9	52.6	52.9	51.4	49.7	-7.6
of which:								
- Primary expenditure	53.8	55.4	53.6	49.7	49.9	48.6	47.1	-6.7
of which:	400	40.5	400	450	400	454	440	2.0
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	16.8	16.5	16.6	15.9	16.0	15.4	14.8	-2.0
Compensation of employees	10.5	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.2	9.8	9.3	-1.2
Intermediate consumption	6.3	6.3	6.4	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.5	-0.8
Social payments	27.0	26.3	25.8	24.6	24.4	24.0	23.6	-3.4
Subsidies	1.9	2.0	2.1	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.6	-0.3
Gross fixed capital formation	2.7	2.9	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.5	3.2	0.5
Other (residual)	5.4	7.6	5.9	4.4	4.7	4.2	3.9	-1.5
- Interest expenditure	3.5	3.3	3.3	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.6	-0.9
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.9	1.3	0.5	0.5
General government balance (GGB)	-9.5	-11.7	-11.8	-5.8	-5.9	-4.3	-3.4	6.1
Primary balance	-6.0	-8.4	-6.2	-2.8	-2.5	-0.8	-0.8	5.2
GGB excl. one-offs  Expenditure aggreagate growth rates	-9.6	-11.9	-12.0	-5.9	-6.1	-4.4	-3.4	6.2
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	11.0	9.2	4.6	-7.0	-2.5	1.2	2.5	-7.8
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	1.4	4.7	n.a.	5.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	8.1	4.9	3.9	-3.2	-0.3	2.4	1.5	-6.1
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	-1.1	5.5	n.a.	4.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	1.4	1.1	1.1	1.6	1.6	1.9	2.1	0.7
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-8.6	-4.8	-4.7	-1.4	-1.3	-0.1	0.4	8.9
, , ,	-4.8	-9.1	-9.2	-5.0	-5.2	-4.3	-3.6	1.2
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>		I						
One-offs	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.0	-0.1
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-4.9	-9.3	-9.4	-5.1	-5.4	-4.4	-3.6	1.3
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-1.4	-6.0	-6.1	-2.2	-2.4	-1.6	-1.0	0.4

#### Notes.

<sup>\*</sup>In the table, the figures related to the Stability Programme correspond to the budgetary projections transmitted by Italy. Except for the overall figures on government deficit and debt, those projections do not take into account the fiscal package announced by Italy for May 2021. This package, adopted on 20 May 2021, included additional emergency support in 2021 as well as more resources for nationally-financed investment projects in the coming years. The estimates reported for the Stability Programme in table III.a are based on those detailed budgetary projections, and therefore do not take into account the additional fiscal package.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024
(% 01 GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	134.6	155.8	159.8	159.8	156.6	156.3	155.0	152.7
Change in the ratio	-0.2	21.2	4.0	4.0	-3.2	-3.5	-1.3	-2.3
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-1.5	6.0	8.4	8.5	2.8	3.0	1.5	8.0
2. "Snow-ball" effect	1.2	14.7	-4.1	-4.9	-5.5	-6.3	-3.1	-2.2
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	3.8	3.5	3.3	3.3	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.6
Growth effect	-1.3	12.9	-6.2	-6.6	-6.6	-7.2	-3.9	-2.7
Inflation effect	-1.2	-1.7	-1.2	-1.6	-1.8	-2.0	-2.1	-2.1
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.2	0.4	-0.2	0.5	-0.5	-0.1	0.4	-0.9

## Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commissio	on scenario	1	convergence ne scenario
Short term	HIGH	l risk		
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>	0	.5		
Medium term	HIGH	H risk		
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	8.4 HIGH risk		2.5	MEDIUM risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	HIGI	H risk		
Baseline scenario	HIGI	H risk		
Stochastic projections	HIGI	H risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	15	3.0	1:	30.0
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	MEDIUM risk			
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	-0.5 LOW risk		-4.4	LOW risk
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<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

Measures		ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue component)	Date of adoption		from pre	evious y	ear)
		. ,		2020	2021	2022	2023
Temporary	n.a.						
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal						
Non- temporary	n.a.						
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal						
	Total						

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
	Central Guarantee Fund for SMEs	17-03-2020	n.a.	5.8
In response	SACE- Italia Guarantee	08-04-2020	12.1	1.2
to COVID- 19	Commercial credits insurance	19-05-2020	0.1	0.1
19	Subtotal			7.1
	Central Guarantee Fund for SMEs			1.2
	TAV S.p.A.			0.1
	Support to rescue businesses			0
	Guarantees provided by local authorities			0.2
	GACS			0.6
Others	Bond issues by CDP S.p.A.			0.2
	Guarantee fund for first homes			0.5
	Guarantee for non-market risks in favour of SACE			3.1
	State guarantees in favour of ILVA			0.02
	Green New Deal Guarantees			0.01
	Subtotal			5.9
	Total			13.1

Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 202										
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections	0	0.6	0.9	1.4	0.5	0.2	0			
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU	0	0.5	0.5	1.1	0.9	0.4	0.1			

Expenditure financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Compensation of employees D.1											
Intermediate consumption P.2											
Social payments D.62+D.632											
Interest expenditure D.41											
Subsidies, payable D.3											
Current transfers D.7											
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1						
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.2	0.1					
Capital transfers D.9	0	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.2						
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	0.5	0.8	1.1	0.4	0.1					

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP) <sup>1</sup>										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 202										
Reduction in tax revenue	0	0	0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1			
Other costs with impact on revenue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Financial transactions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			

Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2										
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU	0	0.5	0.7	0.6	1.6	1.5	1.4			
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU  0 0 0 0 0 0										

Expenditure finan	ced by RI	RF loans	(% of GD	P)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7							
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0.2	0.2	0	0.1	0.1	0.1
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.0	0.9	0.8
Capital transfers D.9	0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.7	1.2	1.1	0.9

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Reduction in tax revenue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Other costs with impact on revenue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Financial transactions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				

# 13. CYPRUS

Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-5.1	-5.1	3.1	3.6	3.8	3.8	3.2	2.8
Private consumption (% change)	-3.9	-3.9	1.1	2.8	2.3	3.3	2.5	2.2
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-2.0	-2.1	3.8	3.5	4.8	4.8	5.4	5.5
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-12.4	-17.4	5.3	6.2	7.6	7.6	5.2	4.6
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-4.2	-5.8	3.7	4.8	4.8	5.3	4.2	3.9
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-0.7	-0.6	2.3	4.3	2.1	2.8	2.9	2.6
- Change in inventories	1.4	3.8	0.0	-0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-5.8	-8.2	0.8	0.4	1.7	1.0	0.3	0.2
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-1.9	-2.2	-0.9	-1.1	0.7	0.1	0.9	1.3
Employment (% change)	-0.6	-0.6	0.6	0.7	1.0	1.5	2.5	2.5
Unemployment rate (%)	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.2	7.2	6.7	6.0	5.5
Labour productivity (% change)	-4.6	-4.6	2.5	2.9	2.8	2.3	0.7	0.3
HICP inflation (%)	-1.1	-1.1	1.7	1.2	1.1	1.5	1.5	2.0
GDP deflator (% change)	-1.5	-0.7	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.5	1.5	2.0
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	-3.2	-3.2	1.6	2.5	1.8	2.0	2.0	2.5
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	-11.6	-11.8	-10.9	-11.2	-8.8	-9.7	-9.0	-8.5

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)		2020 202		2022		2023	2024
		СОМ	SP	СОМ	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	ا م	ا م ا		-0.3			
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	-2.0	-0.9	n.a.	-0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and	-0.1	0.0	n.a.	-0.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.2	-0.7	n.a.	0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	0.0	-0.1	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	-1.7	-0.2	n.a.	0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-5.6	-0.6	-0.5	2.9	5.2	2.6	3.1
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-5.5	-0.1	0.3	3.6	5.2	2.5	3.0
Change in the structural balance	-4.7	0.0	0.4	2.4	3.2	0.6	1.3

Note:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)		20	21	2022		22 2023		Change: 2020-2024
` '	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	40.6	42.3	42.9	41.8	42.0	41.3	41.3	0.7
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	13.7	14.4	13.5	14.2	13.4	13.4	13.3	-0.4
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	10.0	9.8	9.8	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.6	-0.4
- Social contributions	11.4	12.0	12.0	11.9	11.9	11.8	12.2	0.8
- Other (residual)	5.5	6.1	7.6	6.2	7.1	6.5	6.2	0.7
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	0.0	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure	46.3	47.4	47.6	43.8	42.8	41.2	39.7	-6.6
of which:	<b> </b>							
- Primary expenditure	44.1	45.3	45.6	42.0	41.0	39.8	38.5	-5.6
of which:	18.1	17.8	18.2	17.1	17.3	17.0	16.7	-1.4
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption Compensation of employees	13.8	13.6	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.3	13.1	-1.4 -0.7
Intermediate consumption	4.3	4.2	4.6	3.7	3.9	3.8	3.6	-0.7 -0.7
Social payments	16.9	17.6	17.8	17.2	17.0	16.3	15.7	-1.2
Subsidies	2.8	2.6	2.6	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	-2.4
Gross fixed capital formation	2.9	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.3	0.4
Other (residual)	3.4	3.8	3.3	3.7	2.9	2.7	2.6	-0.8
- Interest expenditure	2.2	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.4	1.2	-1.0
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.1	0.3	0.6	0.8	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
General government balance (GGB)	-5.7	-5.1	-4.7	-2.0	-0.9	0.1	1.6	7.3
Primary balance	-3.5	-3.0	-2.7	-0.2	0.9	1.5	2.8	6.3
GGB excl. one-offs	-5.7	-5.2	-4.7	-2.0	-0.9	0.1	1.6	7.3
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	14.3	4.6	2.6	-4.6	-7.5	-3.6	-4.7	-19.6
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	4.7	5.6	n.a.	2.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	15.1	2.8	2.2	-5.1	-9.2	-3.9	-5.4	-21.3
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	4.6	3.7	n.a.	3.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	-0.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.5
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-1.9	-0.9	-1.1	0.7	0.1	0.9	1.3	3.5
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-4.7	-4.6	-4.1	-2.4	-0.9	-0.4	0.9	5.5
One-offs	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	<b>-4.7</b>	-4.7	-4.1	-2.4	-0.9	-0.4	0.9	5.5
	-2.6	-2.6	-2.1	-0.5	0.9	1.0	2.1	4.6
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup> Notes:	-2.0	-2.0	-2.1	-0.5	۳.0	1.0	۷.۱	4.0

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

 $<sup>^3</sup>$  Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs Source:

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	- 1 2020		2021		22	2023	2024
(% 01 GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	99.4	118.2	112.2	111.9	106.6	103.9	99.5	92.9
Change in the ratio	-3.0	24.2	-6.0	-6.3	<b>-</b> 5.7	-8.0	-4.4	-6.7
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-2.4	3.5	3.0	2.7	0.2	-0.9	-1.5	-2.8
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-2.3	7.9	-3.1	-3.4	-3.5	-3.9	-3.2	-3.3
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	2.6	2.2	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.4	1.2
Growth effect	-4.5	5.1	-3.6	-4.1	-4.0	-4.1	-3.2	-2.6
Inflation effect	-0.4	0.7	-1.6	-1.3	-1.3	-1.6	-1.4	-1.9
3. Stock-flow adjustment	1.7	12.7	-5.8	-5.5	-2.3	-3.1	0.4	-0.5

## Notes:

#### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commission scenario		Commission scenario			convergence e scenario
Short term	HIGH risk					
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>	0	.6				
Medium term	MEDIUM risk					
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	-1.4 LOW risk		-2.5	LOW risk		
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	MEDIL	JM risk				
Baseline scenario	MEDIL	JM risk				
Stochastic projections	MEDIL	JM risk				
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	80	).7	64.2			
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	MEDIL	JM risk				
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	-0.8	LOW risk	-1.8	LOW risk		
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<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue component)	Date of adoption	Budgeta	ry impact (% previou	of GDP - chaus year)	ange from
	lo benerous in Committee in Table D. 610 committee in the	componenty		2020	2021	2022	2023
	Scheme supporting Companies for Total or Partial Suspension of their Operations/ wage subsidization	D.39	2020	1.7	-0.7	-0.9	0
	Strengthening of the public health sector	P.29	2020	0.2	0.3	-0.5	0
	Tourism support	D.75	2020	0	0	0	0
	Overseas student allowance	D.75	2020	0.1	-0.1	0	0
	Special absence leave	D.62	2020	0.1	-0.1	-0.02	0
	Suspension of NHS increased contributions	D.1	2020	0.0	0.02	0	0
	Sickness allowance	D.62	2020	0.1	-0.05	0	0
	Small business support scheme	D.39	2020	0.2	-0.1	-0.1	0
	NHS health expenditure	D.63	2019	2.0	1.3	0.1	0.05
	National Health System (NHS)	D.1	2019	0.1	0.1	0.01	0
	Gradual abolition of wage cuts (public sector)	D.1	2018	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
	Repatriation	P.2	2020	0.05	-0.05	0	0
	Subsidization scheme of very small and small enterprises and self-employed	D.39	2020	0.5	0.6	-1.0	0
	Special Support Allowance for The Unemployed	D.62	2020	0.1	0.01	-0.1	0
	Special Plans for farmers/ fisheries/ animal welfare organizations etc	D.75	2020	0.01	-0.01	0	0
	Expenses related to various consumables for the prevention of the spread of covid-19	P.2	2020	0.03	-0.03	0	0
	Other expenses for possible needs related to the second wave of the pandemic crisis	D.75	2021	0	0.2	-0.2	0
Temporary	National Health System (NHS)	D.61	2019	0.8	0.6	0.2	0.1
measures <sup>2</sup>	Social security contributions/ increase in 2024 as per the related to the issue Law	D.61	2014	0	0	0	0
	Temporary contribution	D.5	2017	0	0	0	0
	VAT on land	D.2	2018	0	0	0	0
	Hydrocarbons bonus	D.4	2017	-0.2	0	0	0
	Immovable property tax	D.5	2017	0	0	0	0
	Suspension of NHS increased contributions	D.61	2020	-0.2	0.2	0	0
	Road tax reform	D.5	2019	0	0	0	0
	National Health System (NHS)	P.11+P.12+P. 131+D.39+D. 7+D.9 (other than D.91) - Other	2019	0.14	0.2	0.004	0.004
	Excise duties on fuel	D.2	2019	0	0	0	0
	Vehicles taxations	D.2	2019	0	0	0	0
	Kedipes' activities - rents, interests and others	D.4	2018	0	0	0	0
	Revenue loss from special support subsidisation schemes	D.61	2020	-0.4	0.1	0.2	0
	Reduction of the VAT special rates	D.2	2020	-0.1	0.1	0	0
	Tax credit for voluntary rent reduction	D.5	2020	0	0	-0.1	0.1
	Subtotal			-5.0	-0.5	2.9	-0.01
Non tomporari	Interest Subsidy Scheme for new business loans	D.39	2020	0	0.1	0	-0.033
Non-temporary	Interest Subsidy Scheme for housing loans	D.39	2020	0	0.1	0	0
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal			0	-0.1	0	0.03
	Total			-5.0	-0.7	2.9	0.03

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	
	Support to the tourism sector in the form of government guarantees related to	2222	0.4	
In response to	credit notes issued for the cancellation of contracts due to the pandemic of COVID-19, in case of insolvency of the issuers	2020	0.4	0
COVID-19	To, in dade of incorveries of the location			
	Subtotal		0.4	0
	Stock of Government Guarantees (excluding related to Covid-19 and linked to the financial sector)		8.8	0
Others	APS exposure (linked to the financial sector)		7.5	0
	Subtotal		16.3	0
	Total		16.7	0

Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)									
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026									
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections	0	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	n o			
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU	0	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	n.a.			

Expenditure financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Compensation of employees D.1						Į				
Intermediate consumption P.2										
Social payments D.62+D.632				A.						
Interest expenditure D.41		n.Aa.								
Subsidies, payable D.3										
Current transfers D.7										
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0	0	0	0					
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4					
Capital transfers D.9	0	0	0	0	0					
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4					

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)									
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026									
Reduction in tax revenue	0	0	0	0	0				
Other costs with impact on revenue	0	0	0	0	0	n.a.			
Financial transactions	0	0	0	0	0				

Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU	0	0	0	0	0	- n.a				
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU	0	0	0	0	0					

Expenditure fina	nced by R	RF loans	(% of GD	P)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41				n.a.			
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7							
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0	0	0	0		
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0	0	0	0	0		
Capital transfers D.9	0	0	0	0	0		
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	0	0	0	0		

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Reduction in tax revenue	0	0	0	0	0	•					
Other costs with impact on revenue	0	0	0	0	0	n.	a.				
Financial transactions	0	0	0	0	0						

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**Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts** 

	20	2020		21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-3.6	-3.6	3.5	3.0	6.0	4.5	3.2	2.8
Private consumption (% change)	-10.0	-10.0	6.5	4.0	8.9	10.1	4.0	2.6
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	0.2	0.2	4.3	4.1	7.1	7.6	2.5	2.5
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-2.7	-2.7	6.5	4.3	6.1	4.7	4.0	4.0
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-3.3	-3.3	10.2	4.9	6.0	5.4	4.0	3.3
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-5.4	-5.4	5.6	3.7	6.0	8.0	3.4	2.6
- Change in inventories	1.4	1.3	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-2.7	-0.1	-0.1
- Net exports	0.4	0.5	-2.1	-0.6	0.0	-0.7	-0.2	0.3
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-3.6	-3.2	-3.0	-2.7	-0.2	-1.0	-0.2	0.6
Employment (% change)	-2.3	-1.9	0.1	-0.4	1.8	1.0	0.3	0.0
Unemployment rate (%)	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.3	6.9	7.1	6.3	5.9
Labour productivity (% change)	-1.3	-1.8	3.4	3.4	4.1	3.5	2.8	2.8
HICP inflation (%)	0.1	0.2	1.7	1.4	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
GDP deflator (% change)	0.1	0.1	2.2	1.4	2.1	1.8	2.0	2.1
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	5.3	6.2	3.9	4.0	4.3	5.0	5.0	5.0
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	4.7	4.7	1.6	4.5	2.3	4.4	2.8	2.8

Note:

#### Source

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)		20	2021		22	2023	2024
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Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	ا م ۔	ا م ا					
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	-0.5	-0.9	n.a.	-0.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	0.4	-0.5	n.a.	-0.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.5	-0.2	n.a.	0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	0.1	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	-0.4	-0.1	n.a.	-0.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-3.4	-2.9	-3.5	4.0	5.7	1.9	0.8
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-3.7	-2.4	-2.7	4.3	6.8	0.9	1.1
Change in the structural balance	-1.7	-2.9	-4.8	4.3	6.0	1.1	0.7

Note:

Source .

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	39.1	39.6	39.3	39.7	39.9	39.0	38.6	-0.5
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	14.2	14.4	14.5	14.3	14.5	14.4	14.4	0.2
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.3	7.2	7.2	0.0
- Social contributions	10.5	10.2	10.1	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1	-0.4
- Other (residual)	7.1	7.8	7.6	8.1	8.0	7.3	6.9	-0.2
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.1	0.1	0.8	0.8	0.8	1.1	1.1
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0 <b>43.6</b>	0.0 <b>46.9</b>	0.0 <b>48.6</b>	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Expenditure of which:	43.6	46.9	48.6	41.7	42.5	40.3	39.0	-4.6
- Primary expenditure	42.9	46.3	47.9	41.1	41.7	39.5	38.3	-4.6
of which:	42.5	40.5	41.3	41.1	41.7	33.3	30.5	74.0
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	18.1	19.0	18.3	17.0	17.4	16.6	15.9	-2.2
Compensation of employees	11.8	12.3	11.7	11.4	11.1	10.6	10.2	-1.6
Intermediate consumption	6.3	6.7	6.6	5.6	6.3	5.9	5.7	-0.6
Social payments	13.7	14.9	14.0	13.9	13.5	13.3	13.2	-0.5
Subsidies	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0	-0.3
Gross fixed capital formation	5.7	6.2	6.0	6.1	6.4	5.5	5.8	0.1
Other (residual)	4.2	4.8	8.3	2.9	3.4	3.1	2.4	-1.8
- Interest expenditure	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.0
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.1
General government balance (GGB)	-4.5	-7.3	-9.3	-2.0	-2.7	-1.3	-0.3	4.2
Primary balance	-3.9	-6.7	-8.6	-1.4	-1.9	-0.6	0.3	4.2
GGB excl. one-offs	-4.6	-7.3	-9.3	-2.0	-2.7	-1.3	-0.3	4.3
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	12.7	11.1	11.7	-6.5	-10.6	1.0	2.1	-11.0
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency	4.7	6.0	n.a.	5.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
measures) growth rate (%)	'''	0.0	Ti.d.	0.0	Ti.G.	i ii.u.	Thu.	Thu.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	9.3	14.0	14.7	-6.6	-12.8	1.8	1.0	-9.8
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	3.8	5.2	n.a.	6.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	2.5	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	2.1
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-3.6	-3.0	-2.7	-0.2	-1.0	-0.2	0.6	3.8
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-3.2	-6.2	-8.3	-1.9	-2.3	-1.2	-0.5	2.8
One-offs	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-3.3	-6.2	-8.3	-1.9	-2.3	-1.2	-0.5	2.9
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-2.6	-5.5	-7.6	-1.3	-1.5	-0.4	0.2	2.9
Notes:	_							

### Notes:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs. Source:

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(9/, of CDD)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024
(% of GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	38.1	43.5	47.3	48.9	46.4	50.3	48.8	48.5
Change in the ratio	-0.9	6.5	3.9	5.4	-0.9	1.4	-1.5	-0.3
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-0.2	3.9	6.7	8.6	1.4	1.9	0.6	-0.3
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-1.0	2.0	-1.7	-1.1	-3.0	-2.1	-1.7	-1.6
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.7
Growth effect	-1.2	1.4	-1.4	-1.2	-2.6	-2.1	-1.5	-1.3
Inflation effect	-0.7	0.0	-0.9	-0.6	-0.9	-0.8	-1.0	-1.0
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.3	0.6	-1.1	-2.0	0.7	1.6	-0.3	1.7

### Notes:

#### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commiss	ion scenario	1	convergence me scenario
Short term	LO	W risk		
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) [1]		0.4		
Medium term	LO	LOW risk		
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	-2.4	-2.4 LOW risk		LOW risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	LC	LOW risk		•
Baseline scenario	LC	)W risk		
Stochastic projections	MEC	NUM risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (	(%) <sup>[4]</sup>	39.0	3	36.4
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	LO	LOW risk		
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) [6]	-0.3	LOW risk	-1.5	LOW risk
2004 (4 Hilli			1.0	

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures		Date of adoption	Budgetary impact (% of GDP - change from previous year)				
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023	
	Extension or apportionment of the period for payment of taxes up to 3 years	D2;D5;D61	20.03.2020	-0.2	0.1	0.1	0	
	Possibility of not paying advance payments to PITs	D5	20.03.2020	-0.1	0.1	0.1	-0.1	
	Faster refund of VAT overpayments	D2	20.03.2020	-0.2	0.2	0.0	0	
	Outage support for company employees, patent payers, self-employed	D7	26.03.2020	-0.2	-0.1	0.3	0	
	Wage subsidies	D7	14.07.2020	-0.2	0.1	0.1	0	
	Allowance for families with children	D7	16.02.2021	0	-0.6	0.6	0	
	Allowance for pensioners and persons with disabilities	D7	04.03.2021	0	-0.4	0.4	0	
	Increasing the limit on local government borrowings	P51	30.04.2020	-0.2	0	0.1	0	
	Loans for working capital	D7	24.03.2020	-0.2	0.1	0	0	
	Credit guarantees	D7	24.03.2020	-0.1	0.1	0	0	
_	Portfolio guarantees	D7	24.03.2020	-0.1	0.1	0	0	
Temporary	Guarantees for large enterprises	D7	14.07.2020	-0.1	0.1	0	0	
measures <sup>2</sup>	Loans and interest rate subsidies to large enterprises	D7	02.06.2020	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0	
	Aid to the air transport industry	D9	08.05.2020	-0.9	0.8	0.1	0	
	Health-related support	P2;P51;D1;D 7	03.03.2020	-0.5	-1.5	1.9	0	
	Reducing the financial difficulties of the agricultural, forestry, fisheries and food sectors	D3	17.04.2020	-0.1	0.0	0.2	0	
	Construction of public roads and repairs of bridges	P51	29.04.2020	-0.3	-0.1	0.3	0	
	Aid for passenger and freight transport operators	D3;D7;D9	14.07.2020	-0.3	0.3	0	0	
	Gravel current assets	D7	10.11.2020	0	-1.0	1.0	0	
	High-prepared projects related to the management of the COVID-19 crisis and economic recovery	P51	18.03.2021	0	-0.4	0.1	0.3	
	Others			-0.2	-0.2	0.4	0.0	
_	Subtotal			-3.7	-2.5	6.0	0.2	
Non- temporary								
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal							
	Total							

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	
-	Credit guarantees	24.03.2020	1.0	0.3
In response	Portfolio guarantees	24.03.2020	0.9	0.0
to COVID-19	Guarantees for large enterprises	14.07.2020	0.2	0.0
IO COVID-19				
	Subtotal		2.1	0.3
	Central and local government guarantees			1.7
Others				
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	Subtotal			1.7
	Total		2.1	2.0

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	0	0.1	8.0	8.0	1.1	1.2	0.6			
Cash disbursements of RRF grants from EU	0	0.7	0.5	8.0	0.9	1.1	0.6			

Expenditure finance	d by RRF	grants (	% of GDI	P)							
	2020	2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 202									
Compensation of employees D.1	0		-	-		-					
Intermediate consumption P.2	0										
Social payments D.62+D.632	0										
Interest expenditure D.41	0	n.a.									
Subsidies, payable D.3	0										
Current transfers D.7	0										
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.2				
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0	0	0.6	0.6	0.7	8.0	0.4				
Capital transfers D.9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	0	0.6	0.6	0.7	8.0	0.4				

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Reduction in tax revenue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Other costs with impact on revenue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Financial transactions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				

**Table 4.2b: RRF-Loans** 

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Disbursements of RRF loans from EU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Repayments of RRF loans to EU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				

Expenditure finance	ed by RI	RF loans	(% of GI	OP)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Intermediate consumption P.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Social payments D.62+D.632	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Interest expenditure D.41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subsidies, payable D.3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Current transfers D.7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Capital transfers D.9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Reduction in tax revenue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Other costs with impact on revenue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Financial transactions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				

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**Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts** 

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-0.9	-0.8	2.9	2.6	3.9	3.2	3.2	3.2
Private consumption (% change)	-2.0	-1.5	3.1	2.6	3.8	3.2	3.3	3.3
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-0.2	-0.2	6.2	4.6	9.1	5.3	5.7	5.7
Exports of goods and services (% change)	0.0	-1.3	6.5	4.8	6.0	6.7	6.0	6.0
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-5.3	-6.0	7.9	5.3	7.1	7.5	7.4	7.4
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-1.2	-0.9	3.2	2.6	4.2	3.1	3.3	3.3
- Change in inventories	-3.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	3.8	3.3	-0.3	0.1	-0.3	0.0	-0.5	-0.6
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-1.8	-1.6	-2.9	-2.4	-2.6	-2.1	-1.3	-0.1
Employment (% change)	-1.5	-1.5	0.4	0.7	8.0	0.9	-0.1	-0.5
Unemployment rate (%)	8.5	8.5	8.3	8.5	7.1	7.5	6.9	6.5
Labour productivity (% change)	0.6	0.7	2.4	1.9	3.1	2.3	3.3	3.7
HICP inflation (%)	1.1	1.1	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.9	2.0
GDP deflator (% change)	1.1	8.0	2.0	1.8	2.1	1.8	1.9	2.0
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	8.2	7.9	6.0	7.1	4.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	9.7	9.6	8.2	9.4	8.2	8.6	8.0	7.3

#### Note:

#### Source:

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
,	СОМ	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	-2.7	-1.7		-2.0	n 0	n 0	
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	-2.7	-1.7	n.a.	-2.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	0.2	-0.3	n.a.	-0.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-1.1	0.3	n.a.	0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-0.4	-0.3	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	-1.4	-1.4	n.a.	-1.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-6.8	-0.9	-0.8	1.3	1.8	2.2	2.0
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-6.1	-0.9	-0.8	1.5	1.7	1.8	2.3
Change in the structural balance	-5.7	-0.3	-0.3	2.1	2.0	1.7	1.3

Note:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Source :

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
, ,	COM	СОМ	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	36.1	36.0	36.7	36.4	37.7	37.3	37.2	1.1
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	11.7	11.5	11.7	11.5	11.8	11.6	11.5	-0.2
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	8.9	8.7	8.9	9.0	9.6	9.7	9.8	0.9
- Social contributions	10.8	10.7	10.9	10.7	11.0	11.0	10.9	0.1
- Other (residual)	4.7	5.1 0.3	5.2 0.3	5.2	5.3	5.0	5.0	0.3
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	n.a.	l		0.8	0.8	1.0	0.9	
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants  Expenditure	n.a. <b>43.5</b>	n.a. <b>44.2</b>	n.a. <b>44.8</b>	n.a. <b>42.4</b>	n.a. <b>43.6</b>	n.a. <b>41.4</b>	n.a. <b>39.4</b>	n.a. <b>-4.1</b>
of which:	45.5	44.2	44.0	42.4	43.0	41.4	33.4	~4.1
- Primary expenditure	42.8	43.7	44.3	42.1	43.3	41.1	39.1	-3.7
of which:	12.0	10.7	11.0	'2.'	10.0	''''	00.1	0.7
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	16.0	16.8	17.4	16.9	17.4	16.9	16.3	0.3
Compensation of employees	11.5	11.7	11.8	11.4	11.6	11.6	11.6	0.1
Intermediate consumption	4.6	5.1	5.6	5.5	5.7	5.3	4.7	0.1
Social payments	17.0	17.0	17.2	17.1	17.3	16.9	16.4	-0.6
Subsidies	2.7	2.3	2.3	1.3	1.3	0.5	0.4	-2.3
Gross fixed capital formation	4.1	3.9	4.0	3.9	4.0	3.8	3.8	-0.3
Other (residual)	2.9	3.7	3.5	2.9	3.2	2.8	2.2	-0.7
- Interest expenditure	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	-0.4
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	n.a.	0.3	0.3	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.9
General government balance (GGB)	-7.4 -6.7	-8.2 -7.7	-8.1 -7.6	-6.0 -5.7	-6.0 -5.6	-4.0 -3.7	-2.2 -1.9	5.2
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Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary								
revenue measures) growth rate (%)	25.9	6.7	6.5	0.7	0.4	0.2	-0.5	-26.4
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency	13.1	9.2	20	9.4	20		20	no
measures) growth rate (%)	13.1	9.2	n.a.	3.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	21.9	7.5	6.8	1.2	1.0	0.3	-0.7	-23.0
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency	8.9	9.6	n.a.	10.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
measures) growth rate (%)	4.0				- 1		<b>.</b>	4.0
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	4.3	5.2	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.3	1.0
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-1.8	-2.9	-2.4	-2.6	-2.1	-1.3	-0.1	1.4
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-6.7	-7.0	-7.1	-5.0	-5.2	-3.5	-2.2	4.6
One-offs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-6.7	-7.0	-7.1	-5.0	-5.2	-3.5	-2.2	4.6
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-6.0	-6.6	-6.6	-4.6	-4.9	-3.2	-1.9	4.2

#### Notes:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(0/ of CDD)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024
(% of GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	38.2	47.3	51.9	52.1	54.1	54.2	57.9	57.9
Change in the ratio	-0.9	11.3	4.7	4.8	2.2	2.1	3.7	0.0
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-1.4	6.7	7.7	7.6	5.7	5.6	3.7	1.9
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-1.0	0.7	-1.7	-1.5	-2.6	-2.1	-2.3	-2.5
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	1.1	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Growth effect	-1.2	0.3	-1.3	-1.2	-1.9	-1.6	-1.7	-1.8
Inflation effect	-0.9	-0.3	-0.9	-0.8	-1.0	-0.9	-0.9	-1.1
3. Stock-flow adjustment	1.5	4.0	-1.3	-1.2	-0.8	-1.4	2.3	0.7

## Notes:

#### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

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Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

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Subtotal   -0.6   -1.7   -0.1   -0.			Various					-0.01
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Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Instruments	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of guarantees (%) of GDP	Utilisation (%) of GDP
	Tour operators' guarantees (INVEGA)	2020 07	0.03	0.01
	Portfolio guarantees (INVEGA)	2020 06	0.2	0.1
	Individual guarantees (CFGF)	2020 06	0.01	0.01
In	State guarantees on loans and non-equity securities used to achieve the			
respons	objectives of promoting the economy affected by emergency situations and to	2020 03	1.0	0
e to	State guarantees on the creation of a European instrument for temporary			
COVID-	support to mitigate unemployment risks in an emergency related to the COVID-			
19	19 Problem (SURE)	2020 09	0.16	0.16
	State guarantees on the European Guarantee Fund set up by the European			
	Investment Bank in response to the COVID-19 pandemic	2020 07	0.1	0
	Sub-total		1.5	0.3
	State guarantees for commitments entered into by INVEGOS under			
	guarantees		1,2*	0.2
	State guarantees for commitments entered into by the RAGGF under			
	guarantees		0,3*	0.2
	State guarantees on loans granted to finance State investment projects and/or			
O41	used to supplement the working capital of undertakings of importance to			
Others	national security referred to in the Law of the Republic of Lithuania on the			
	Protection of Objects Important to National Security		0.7	0.2
	State guarantees on State-supported loans referred to in the Law on Research			
	and Studies		0.2	0.2
	State guarantees on European Investment Bank loans		0.01	0
	Sub-total Sub-total		2.2	0.7
	Total		3.7	1.0

<sup>\*</sup>The INVEGA and EAFRD guarantees related to COVID-19 measures are part of this amount.

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	0	0.3	8.0	1	0.9	n.a.				
Cash disbursements of RRF grants from EU	0	0.6	0.2	0.9	0.9					

Expenditure financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Compensation of employees D.1		-	-	-	-						
Intermediate consumption P.2											
Social payments D.62+D.632				n o							
Interest expenditure D.41				n.a.							
Subsidies, payable D.3											
Current transfers D.7											
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4						
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g			n.a.			n	2				
Capital transfers D.9			II.a.			n.	a.				
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	0.1	0.6	0.6	0.5						

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Reduction in tax revenue										
Other costs with impact on revenue				n.a.						
Financial transactions										

Table 4.2b: RRF-Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Disbursements of RRF loans from EU										
Repayments of RRF loans to EU	n.a.									

Expenditure financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Compensation of employees D.1										
Intermediate consumption P.2										
Social payments D.62+D.632										
Interest expenditure D.41										
Subsidies, payable D.3										
Current transfers D.7				n.a.						
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE										
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g										
Capital transfers D.9										
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE										

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Reduction in tax revenue		-	-		-	-					
Other costs with impact on revenue				n.a.							
Financial transactions											

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**Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts** 

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	2025
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-1.3	-1.3	4.5	4.0	3.3	4.0	2.7	2.6	2.6
Private consumption (% change)	-6.9	-7.0	6.5	8.4	4.3	3.7	2.9	2.3	2.3
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-8.8	-8.8	7.0	2.7	5.0	-0.2	5.4	3.7	3.7
Exports of goods and services (% change)	2.5	2.5	3.0	8.5	1.8	6.2	4.4	4.8	4.8
Imports of goods and services (% change)	2.1	2.1	3.0	9.5	1.9	5.8	5.1	5.2	5.2
Contributions to real GDP growth:									
- Final domestic demand	-2.3	-2.3	3.4	3.1	2.7	1.3	2.4	1.9	1.9
- Change in inventories	-0.4	-0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	1.4	1.4	1.1	0.9	0.6	2.7	0.2	0.7	0.7
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-4.7	-4.6	-3.2	-3.5	-2.7	-2.1	-1.6	-1.2	-0.8
Employment (% change)	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.7	2.0	2.8	2.4	2.2	2.2
Unemployment rate (%)	6.8	6.3	7.4	6.8	7.3	6.4	6.6	7.1	7.6
Labour productivity (% change)	-3.2	-3.2	2.5	2.2	1.3	1.1	0.3	0.5	0.4
HICP inflation (%)	0.0	0.0	2.1	2.0	1.6	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
GDP deflator (% change)	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.5	0.7	1.4	1.5	1.6
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	-0.7	-0.8	2.4	5.6	2.2	2.8	2.4	2.4	2.4
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	5.8	n.a.	7.3	n.a.	8.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

Note

#### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)		2020 202		2022		2023	2024	2025
		COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	-1.6	1.6	n.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	-1.0	•	11.0.	-0.2	ii.a.	11.0.	11.0.	11.4.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	-0.2	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.8	0.6	n.a.	0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-0.1	0.2	n.a.	0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-4.1	3.4	n.a.	0.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Stability and Growth Pact indicators								
Expenditure benchmark	-3.3	2.7	n.a.	0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in the structural balance	-4.7	3.0	1.6	0.0	-1.4	0.7	0.2	0.2

Note:

Source:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
` '	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	43.7	43.6	43.5	43.1	43.6	44.3	44.5	0.8
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	11.0	11.2	11.5	11.3	11.5	11.6	11.7	0.7
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	15.7	15.6	15.2	15.4	15.3	15.8	16.0	0.3
- Social contributions	12.7	12.5	12.2	12.3	12.3	12.3	12.4	-0.3
- Other (residual)	4.4	4.3	4.6	4.2	4.5	4.6	4.4	0.0
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure	47.8	44.0	45.5	43.3	44.9	44.6	44.4	-3.4
of which:	47.0	40.0	45.0	40.4	44.7		440	0.0
- Primary expenditure	47.6	43.8	45.3	43.1	44.7	44.5	44.3	-3.3
of which: Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	15.3	15.0	15.0	14.9	15.0	14.9	14.9	-0.4
Compensation of employees	10.8	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.7	10.7	10.8	0.0
Intermediate consumption	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.5	4.2	4.2	4.1	-0.4
Social payments	20.9	18.7	19.5	18.5	19.1	19.2	19.2	-1.7
Subsidies	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	-0.2
Gross fixed capital formation	5.0	4.3	4.5	4.2	4.6	4.6	4.5	-0.5
Other (residual)	5.1	4.6	5.1	4.3	4.9	4.7	4.7	-0.4
- Interest expenditure	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	-0.1
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
General government balance (GGB)	-4.1	-0.3	-2.0	-0.1	-1.3	-0.4	0.0	4.1
Primary balance	-3.9	-0.2	-1.8	0.1	-1.1	-0.2	0.1	4.0
GGB excl. one-offs	-4.1	-0.3	-2.0	-0.1	-1.3	-0.4	0.0	4.1
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	14.6	-2.6	1.6	4.1	4.2	3.9	4.0	-5.5
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	8.6	1.1	n.a.	5.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	12.8	-1.2	2.0	4.8	4.4	4.1	4.2	-3.2
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	6.6	2.8	n.a.	6.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.3	5.3	5.1	4.9	-0.3
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-4.7	-3.2	-3.5	-2.7	-2.1	-1.6	-1.2	3.5
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-1.9	1.1	-0.4	1.1	-0.3	0.3	0.5	2.5
One-offs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-1.9	1.1	-0.4	1.1	-0.3	0.3	0.5	2.5
	-1.7	1.3	-0.4	1.3	-0.3	0.4	0.6	2.4
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup> Notes:	-1./	1.3	-0.2	1.3	-U. I	U. <del>4</del>	0.0	2.4

<u>Notes</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024	2025
(% 01 GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	21.5	24.9	27.0	26.9	26.8	28.0	28.4	28.2	27.6
Change in the ratio	-0.1	2.8	2.1	2.0	-0.1	1.1	0.4	-0.2	-0.6
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :									
1. Primary balance	-2.4	3.9	0.2	1.8	-0.1	1.1	0.2	-0.1	-0.5
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-0.7	0.0	-1.4	-1.3	-1.3	-1.0	-0.9	-1.0	-1.0
Of which:									
Interest expenditure	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
Growth effect	-0.7	0.3	-1.0	-0.9	-0.8	-1.0	-0.7	-0.7	-0.7
Inflation effect	-0.3	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	-0.6	-0.2	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4
3. Stock-flow adjustment	2.9	-1.0	3.4	1.5	1.2	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.9

## Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Commission	on scenario		convergence ne scenario
LOV	V risk		
С	0.3		
LOV	V risk		
-4.5	LOW risk	-3.8	LOW risk
LOV	V risk		
LOV	V risk		
LOV	V risk		
1:	2.5	19	9.4
HIGI	H risk		
7.0	HIGH risk	8.5	HIGH risk
	LOV C LOV -4.5 LOV LOV LOV HIGI	LOW risk  LOW risk  LOW risk  12.5  HIGH risk	Commission scenario programm  LOW risk  0.3  LOW risk  -4.5 LOW risk  LOW risk  LOW risk  LOW risk  HIGH risk

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures		Date of adoption	Budgetar change	from pre	evious y	
Temporary	n.a.			2020	2021	2022	2023
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal						
Non- temporary	n.a.						
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal						
	Total						

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

Measures		ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue	Date of adoption	GE	P - cha	mpact ange fro us year)	om
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023
Temporary	n.a.						
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal						
Non- temporary	n.a.						
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal						
	Total						

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

# **Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants**

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)										
2020     2021     2022     2023     2024     2025     2026										
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections										
Cash disbursements of RRF grants from EU	n.a.									

Expenditure financed	by RRF	grants (	% of GDI	P)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1			-		-	-	
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7				n.a.			
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE							
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g							
Capital transfers D.9							
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE							

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)											
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026											
eduction in tax revenue											
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.										
Financial transactions											

Table 4.2b: RRF-Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026										
Disbursements of RRF loans from EU										
Repayments of RRF loans to EU				n.a.						

Expenditure finan	ced by R	RF loans	(% of GI	DP)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7				n.a.			
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE							
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g							
Capital transfers D.9							
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE							

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Reduction in tax revenue										
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

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Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

	20	20	2021		2022		2023	2024	2025
	COM	CP	COM	CP	COM	CP	CP	CP	CP
Real GDP (% change)	-5.0	-5.0	5.0	4.3	5.5	5.2	4.1	4.0	4.2
Private consumption (% change)	-2.3	-2.3	3.7	3.2	6.0	5.8	3.9	3.9	4.1
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-7.3	-7.3	3.8	4.2	8.4	7.2	6.1	4.3	4.5
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-6.8	-6.8	10.3	6.4	8.8	10.5	7.0	6.7	7.1
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-4.4	-4.4	9.2	5.2	8.4	10.0	6.7	6.2	6.5
Contributions to real GDP growth:									
- Final domestic demand	-3.3	-3.4	3.9	3.3	4.9	4.7	3.7	3.3	3.5
- Change in inventories	0.4	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-2.1	-2.1	1.1	1.0	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.7
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-3.9	-3.5	-2.3	-2.6	-0.4	-0.9	-0.4	0.1	0.7
Employment (% change)	-2.2	-0.9	1.2	0.0	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.3	0.2
Unemployment rate (%)	4.3	4.1	4.3	4.2	3.8	3.3	2.9	2.7	2.6
Labour productivity (% change)	-2.8	-4.1	3.7	4.2	4.1	4.1	3.5	3.6	4.0
HICP inflation (%)	3.4	3.3	4.0	3.6	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
GDP deflator (% change)	5.7	5.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.5
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	4.9	7.0	6.9	6.2	6.3	6.0	6.5	7.5	8.0
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	1.8	2.1	1.5	3.5	1.8	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.5

Note

#### Source.

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
(** /	СОМ	COM	СР	COM	СР	СР	СР
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure, excluding crisis-	0.2	-1.4	n.a.	0.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup>	0.2	-1.4	II.a.	0.7	II.a.	11.a.	II.a.
of which contribution from:							
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other EU funds	0.0	0.2	n.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	0.3	-0.3	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-1.8	1.3	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current expenditure	1.7	-2.7	n.a.	1.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-3.0	1.2	0.0	1.2	-0.2	0.4	0.2
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-3.6	1.0	-0.3	1.5	0.3	0.0	-0.8
Change in the structural balance	-2.4	0.6	0.2	1.4	0.9	1.8	0.7

Note:

Source:

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	2025	Change: 2020-2025
(	COM	COM	СР	COM	СР	СР	СР	СР	СР
Revenue	43.5	42.4	42.1	42.0	41.3	40.6	38.7	37.7	-5.8
of which:									
- Taxes on production and imports	18.2	17.9	17.6	17.9	17.3	16.9	16.5	16.2	-2.0
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	6.8	6.7	6.8	6.6	6.8	6.9	6.9	6.9	0.1
- Social contributions	11.3	11.0	10.9	10.6	10.6	10.2	9.8	9.8	-1.5
- Other (residual)	7.2	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.6	6.6	5.5	4.8	-2.4
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.4	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.6	0.4	0.4
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Expenditure	51.6	49.1	49.6	46.5	47.2	44.5	41.7	39.7	-11.9
of which:	40.0	40.7	47.0		440	40.4	00.4	07.0	44.7
- Primary expenditure	49.3	46.7	47.2	44.1	44.8	42.1	39.4	37.6	-11.7
of which: Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	18.9	19.4	19.5	18.3	17.6	17.0	15.8	14.9	-4.0
Compensation of employees fintermediate consumption	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.1	10.1	9.9	9.3	8.8	-1.8
Intermediate consumption	8.3	8.9	n.a.	8.3	7.5	7.1	6.5	6.1	-2.2
Social payments	12.8	12.5	12.7	12.0	12.4	12.0	11.7	11.3	-1.5
Subsidies	1.7	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.9	-0.8
Gross fixed capital formation	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.6	7.1	6.6	6.0	5.2	-1.2
Other (residual)	9.4	6.9	7.0	5.8	6.5	5.3	4.9	5.2	-4.2
- Interest expenditure	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.1	-0.3
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.4	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.6	0.5	0.5
General government balance (GGB)	-8.1	-6.8	-7.5	-4.5	-5.9	-3.9	-3.0	-2.0	6.1
Primary balance	-5.7	-4.3	-5.0	-2.1	-3.5	-1.5	-0.8	0.1	5.8
GGB excl. one-offs	-8.1	-6.8	-7.5	-4.5	-5.9	-3.9	-3.0	-2.0	6.1
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates									
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	16.2	4.7	7.6	3.5	7.3	5.1	8.8	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	8.3	11.1	n.a.	4.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	8.0	12.2	13.0	2.4	6.0	7.6	9.7	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	3.8	15.2	n.a.	3.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. mominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	8.9	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	6.8	6.6	n.a.	n.a.
Other indicators									
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-3.9	-2.3	-2.6	-0.4	-0.9	-0.4	0.1	0.7	4.3
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-6.3	-5.7	-6.3	-4.3	-5.5	-3.7	-3.0	-2.3	4.2
One-offs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-6.3	-5.7	-6.3	-4.3	-5.5	-3.7	-3.0	-2.3	4.2
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-4.0	-3.3	-3.9	-1.9	-3.1	-1.3	-0.7	-0.2	3.9
Structural primary balance  Notes:	7.0	-0.0	-0.9	-1.3	-U. I	-1.0	-0.1	-∪.∠	0.0

### Notes:

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024	2025
(% 01 GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	CP	COM	CP	CP	CP	CP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	71.5	80.4	78.6	79.9	77.1	79.3	77.5	75.7	73.1
Change in the ratio	-2.2	15.0	-1.9	-0.5	-1.4	-0.6	-1.8	-1.8	-2.6
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :									
1. Primary balance	-0.7	5.7	4.3	5.0	2.1	3.5	1.5	0.8	-0.1
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-2.4	1.9	-4.0	-3.4	-4.2	-4.2	-3.3	-3.2	-3.3
Of which:									
Interest expenditure	2.8	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.1
Growth effect	-2.7	3.2	-3.7	-3.2	-3.9	-3.8	-3.0	-2.9	-2.9
Inflation effect	-2.4	-3.7	-2.7	-2.7	-2.7	-2.8	-2.7	-2.6	-2.4
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.9	7.2	-2.1	-2.0	0.8	0.2	0.1	0.7	0.9

### Notes:

## Source:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commissio	on scenario	_	convergence le scenario
Short term	LOW risk			
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) [1]	C	).4		
Medium term	MEDIL	JM risk		
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	0.1	MEDIUM risk	-1.0	LOW risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	MEDI	JM risk		
Baseline scenario	MEDI	JM risk		
Stochastic projections	MEDI	JM risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	6	1.7	56	S.5
Long term [5]	MEDIUM risk			
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) [6]	4.4	MEDIUM risk	2.7	MEDIUM risk
	•	•		•

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	1a: Discretionary measures adopted/ai	ESA Code (Expenditur e / Revenue	Date of adoption		ry impact (%	of GDP - cha us year)	
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023
	Annual VAT returns of local governments	D.2		-0.1	0.2	-0.1	
	Suspension of the contribution to tourism development from 1 March						
	2020 to 31 December 2021	D.2		-0.1	-0.02	0.1	
	Measures related to the SZÉP card	D.61		-0.1	0.0	0.1	
	Capping the rate of business tax at 1 %	D.2			-0.2	0.1	0.1
		D 20.D 4.D 5					
	Special tax on credit institutions related to the epidemiological situation	D.29;D.4;D.5 ;D.7;P.52;P.5 3;K.2;D.8		0.1	-0.1		
	Reducing the VAT rate for new dwellings from 27 % to 5 %	D.2			-0.2	-0.04	-0.03
	Other measures			-0.2	0.0	0.1	0.01
	3 million HUF refurbishment aid – From 2021 onwards, families	D.9			-0.2	0.0	0.2
	raising children may apply for up to HUF 3 million for renovation aid.					0.0	0.2
	Extension of the FAQ and GYES expiring in an emergency	D.62		-0.02	0.02		
	Re-allocation of EU funds and REACT EU: Employment protection wage subsidy – 70 % of net lost wage is paid by the state	D.39		-0.1	0.1		
	Re-allocation of EU funds and REACT EU: Job-creating wage subsidy scheme	D.39		-0.1	0.1		
	Re-allocation of EU funds and REACT EU: Employment protection wage subsidy – 40 % wage subsidy for engineers (research and development)	D.39		-0.03	0.03		
	Re-allocation of EU funds and REACT EU: SME efficiency-enhancing aid	D.92		-0.2	0.2		
	Re-allocation of EU funds and REACT EU: Digital training courses for structural change	D.75		-0.01	0.01		
Temporary	Re-allocation of EU funds and REACT EU: Provision of liquidity to corporations (MFB current asset loan)	F.4		-0.1	0.1		
measures <sup>2</sup>	Re-allocation of EU funds and REACT EU: Interest-free SME re- launch of HUF 10 million	D.75			-0.2	0.2	
	Re-allocation of EU funds and REACT EU: Sectoral wage subsidy scheme (until the end of the emergency)	D.3		-0.1	-0.1	0.1	
	Epidemiological Defence Fund - Expenditure decided on epidemiological control, broken down by ESA	D.1		-0.01	0.01		
	Epidemiological Defence Fund - Expenditure decided on epidemiological control, broken down by ESA	P.2		-0.5	0.5		
	Epidemiological Defence Fund - Expenditure decided on epidemiological control, broken down by ESA	P.51		-0.5	0.4		
	Epidemiological Defence Fund - Expenditure decided on epidemiological control, broken down by ESA	P.52		-0.8	0.7		
	Epidemiological Defence Fund - Expenditure decided on epidemiological control, broken down by ESA	F.8		-0.03	0.02		
	Epidemiological Defence Fund - Issuing of wage increases for health workers and protective women	D.1		-0.2	0.2		
	Epidemiological Defence Fund - One-off wage supplement for 2020 for health workers (HUF 500/person)	D.1		-0.2	0.2		
	Expenditure of the Economic Protection Fund broken down by ESA	D.1		-0.03	0.02		
	Expenditure of the Economic Protection Fund broken down by ESA	D.3		-0.05	0.05		
	Expenditure of the Economic Protection Fund broken down by ESA	D.75		-0.2	0.02	0.1	
	Expenditure of the Economic Protection Fund broken down by ESA	D.92		-1.1	1.1		
	Expenditure of the Economic Protection Fund broken down by ESA	D.99		-0.3	0.3		<u> </u>
	Expenditure of the Economic Protection Fund broken down by ESA  Expenditure of the Economic Protection Fund broken down by ESA	F.5 P.2		-0.5 -0.1	0.5		
	Expenditure of the Economic Protection Fund broken down by ESA	P.51		-0.1	0.1		
	Subtotal	1.51		-0.2 - <b>5.6</b>	3.9	0.5	0.3
	Exemption for young people from 2022	D.51				-0.3	0
	VAT reduction to 5 % on Braille displays and printers, edible pig internals, all milk species (ESL, UHT), restaurant services, fish, internet services, accommodation services	D.2		-0.1			
	A further 1 % point reduction of the KIVA tax rate (in line with the reduction of the social contribution tax) in 2023	D.214					-0.02
Non-	Introduction of a retail tax	D.51		0.1	0.03	0.02	0.01
temporary measures <sup>2</sup>	Phased reduction of employers' tax burden 2019-2023	D.61;D.29;D. 4;D.5;D.7;P.5 2;P.53;K.2;D.		-0.7	-0.3	-0.2	-0.4
		8					
	Other			-0.1	0.03	-0.02	0.02
	Gradual reinstatement of the 13rd month pension	D.62			-0.2	-0.2	-0.1
	Increase in medical pay	D.1			-0.7	-0.6	-0.4
	Increase in medical pay Subtotal Total	D.1		-0.7 -6.3	-0.7 -1.1 2.8	-0.6 -1.2 -0.7	-0.4 -0.9 -0.6

 $<sup>\</sup>overline{\ }^1$  Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	
	Garantiqa Loan Guarantee Garantiqa – Crisis Guarantee programme	2020	1.0	
	Agricultural Guarantee Programme	2020	0.2	
	Programme	2020	0.3	
In response	Coverage Programme	2020	0.1	
to COVID-19	Programme	2020	0.1	
	MFB Magyar Fejlesztési Bank Zrt. – MFB Crises Credit Programme	2020	0.4	
	Programme	2020	0.3	
	Subtotal		2.5	
Others				
	Subtotal			
	Total		2.5	

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections		0.87	0.89	0.99	0.61	0.4				
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU										

Expenditure	e financed by RRF	grants (%	of GDP)				
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632				n o			
Interest expenditure D.41				n.a.			
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7							
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE		0.09	0.12	0.12	0.07	0.1	
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g		0.78	0.77	0.87	0.54	0.35	
Capital transfers D.9			•	' n.o	•	•	
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE				n.a.			

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2									
Reduction in tax revenue			-							
Other costs with impact on revenue				n.a.						
Financial transactions										

# Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU										
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU	n.a.									

Evnanditura	Expenditure financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
Experioliture			<u> </u>				1				
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Compensation of employees D.1			-	-	-	-	-				
Intermediate consumption P.2											
Social payments D.62+D.632											
Interest expenditure D.41											
Subsidies, payable D.3											
Current transfers D.7				n.a.							
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE											
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g											
Capital transfers D.9											
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE											

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 202									
Reduction in tax revenue		-	-							
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

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Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

•	20	020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-7.0	-7.0	4.6	3.8	6.1	6.8	4.5	4.0
Private consumption (% change)	-7.6	-7.6	4.4	2.4	5.8	5.4	3.0	2.7
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-4.5	-4.5	8.5	9.2	10.1	12.5	3.6	3.2
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-7.8	-7.8	5.2	5.1	5.7	6.9	4.6	4.2
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-4.1	-4.1	6.0	5.9	4.8	5.8	3.5	3.3
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-1.7	-1.7	5.2	4.5	4.4	4.9	2.7	2.3
- Change in inventories	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-5.9	-5.9	-0.6	-0.7	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.7
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-5.6	-5.5	-4.5	-5.2	-2.1	-2.5	-1.1	-0.1
Employment (% change)	2.6	4.1	1.1	2.2	1.9	3.5	3.2	3.0
Unemployment rate (%)	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.7
Labour productivity (% change)	-9.4	-10.7	3.5	1.6	4.2	3.2	1.3	0.9
HICP inflation (%)	8.0	8.0	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.7
GDP deflator (% change)	1.4	1.3	1.6	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.2
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	0.1	-0.8	2.5	1.2	3.0	2.1	2.1	2.1
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	-0.7	-3.3	-0.9	-1.5	1.1	-0.2	0.8	1.9

Note:

<sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

Source:

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)		20	2021		2022		2024
	COM	СОМ	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	0.0	-4.5		2.1			
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	0.0	-4.5	n.a.	2.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	-0.1	-0.8	n.a.	0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.1	-0.4	n.a.	0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-0.2	-1.1	n.a.	1.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	0.3	-2.2	n.a.	8.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-6.3	-1.8	-2.1	5.5	5.4	1.6	1.1
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-6.4	-1.1	-1.1	5.1	4.2	1.4	0.6
Change in the structural balance	-5.7	-2.2	-2.0	5.2	5.1	1.0	0.5

Note:

Source:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
,	COM	СОМ	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	36.5	36.9	36.7	37.0	36.6	36.2	35.7	-0.8
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	10.7	10.7	10.6	11.4	11.4	11.5	11.5	0.8
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	13.2	12.9	13.0	12.8	13.0	12.8	12.8	-0.4
- Social contributions	6.6	6.3	6.3	6.0	6.2	6.1	6.1	-0.5
- Other (residual)	6.0	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.0	5.8	5.3	-0.7
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.2	0.3	0.4	0.8	0.6	0.3	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	n.a.
Expenditure	46.6	48.7	48.7	42.4	42.2	40.1	38.6	-8.0
of which:	45.3	47.2	17.5	44.0	11 1	20.0	27.5	7.0
<ul><li>- Primary expenditure of which:</li></ul>	45.3	47.2	47.5	41.0	41.1	39.0	37.5	-7.8
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	21.7	22.4	22.4	20.8	20.6	20.0	19.5	-2.2
Compensation of employees	12.2	12.5	12.5	12.2	12.0	11.8	11.6	-0.6
Intermediate consumption	9.5	9.9	9.9	8.5	8.5	8.2	7.9	-1.6
Social payments	10.5	10.4	10.4	9.8	9.8	9.6	9.5	-1.0
Subsidies	5.0	3.9	4.3	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.4	-3.6
Gross fixed capital formation	4.5	5.6	5.4	5.3	4.7	4.6	4.0	-0.5
Other (residual)	3.6	5.0	5.1	3.7	4.5	3.5	3.1	-0.5
- Interest expenditure	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.1	1.1	1.1	-0.2
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.8	0.6	0.3	n.a.
General government balance (GGB)	-10.1	-11.8	-12.0	-5.5	-5.6	-3.9	-2.9	7.2
Primary balance	-8.8	-10.4	-10.8	-4.1	-4.5	-2.8	-1.8	7.0
GGB excl. one-offs	-10.2	-11.8	-12.0	-5.5	-5.6	-3.9	-2.9	7.2
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	23.2	8.7	8.4	-7.0	-5.9	1.3	2.9	-19.4
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	6.0	16.7	n.a.	0.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	24.3	5.1	4.5	-5.6	-6.2	3.7	4.3	-17.5
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	5.2	13.3	n.a.	3.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	6.2	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.6	5.2	-1.0
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-5.6	-4.5	-5.2	-2.1	-2.5	-1.1	-0.1	5.4
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-7.4	-9.7	-9.5	-4.5	-4.4	-3.4	-2.8	4.7
One-offs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-7.5	-9.7	-9.5	<b>-4</b> .5	<b>-4.4</b>	-3.4	-2.8	4.7
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-6.1	-8.2	-8.3	-3.1	-3.3	-2.3	-1.7	4.4
Structural primary balance  Notes:	-0.1	-0.2	-0.5	-0.1	-0.0	-2.0	-1.7	7.7

#### Notes:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

 $<sup>^3</sup>$  Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs Source:

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	2021		2022		2023	2024
(% 01 GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	49.1	54.3	64.7	65.0	65.5	65.8	66.0	65.6
Change in the ratio	-3.9	12.3	10.4	10.7	0.8	0.8	0.3	-0.5
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-2.9	8.8	10.4	10.8	4.1	4.5	2.8	1.8
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-2.6	3.8	-1.7	-1.8	-3.5	-4.1	-3.0	-2.7
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	1.8	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.1	1.1	1.1
Growth effect	-3.2	3.1	-2.3	-1.9	-3.6	-4.1	-2.8	-2.5
Inflation effect	-1.3	-0.6	-0.8	-1.0	-1.2	-1.2	-1.3	-1.3
3. Stock-flow adjustment	1.7	-0.3	1.8	1.7	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.5

### Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Commission	on scenario	_	convergence ne scenario
LOV	V risk		
(	0.3		
MEDIL	JM risk		
-2.8 LOW risk		-3.7	LOW risk
MEDI	JM risk		
MEDI	JM risk		
MEDI	JM risk		
6	0.8	5	4.7
MEDIL	JM risk		
5.6	MEDIUM risk	5.0	MEDIUM risk
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Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

- [3] The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*
- [4] The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.
- [5] The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.
- [6] The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Total			-5.9	0.1	3.6	1.0	
	Subtotal				-1.3	0.0	1.0	
	budgets and projects financed from the National Development and Social Fund			-0.1	-0.02	-0.04	-0.04	
mododios	Other revenue measures, including measures legislated in previous budgets  Other expenditure measures, including measures legislated in previous			-0.04	0.01	-0.03	-0.02	
measures <sup>2</sup>	Financial support to the national airline  Other revenue measures, including measures legislated in previous budgets	D9 - E	2021 - 2022	-0.04	-1.0 0.01	0.1 -0.03	1.0 -0.02	
Non- temporary	Measures to address housing affordability, pension adequacy and the integration of vulnerable individuals in society; cash payments by Government to households	D6 - E	2016 - 2021	-0.6	-0.1	0.1	0.1	
	Housing Programmes	D6 - E	2020	0.0	0.0	0	0	
	Government-guaranteed loans schemes	D3 - E	2020	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.1	
	Revenue from the Individual Investor Programme	P10 - R	2014	-0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.04	
	Subtotal			-4.9	1.5	3.5	0	
l l	COVID-19 Business Assistance Programme and the Economic Regeneration Voucher Scheme	D3 - E	2020 - 2021	-3.3	0.8	2.5	0	
	Short Term Social Measures	D6 - E	2020	-0.1	0.1	0.02	0	
measures <sup>2</sup>	Tourism Regeneration Plan	D3 - E	2021	0	-0.1	0.1	0	
Temporary	Cargo Transportation and Repatriation	P2 - E	2020	-0.4	0.4	0	0	
	Various medical supplies and equipment in relation to COVID-19	P2 - E	2020 - 2021	-0.6	0.2	0.4	0	
	Fiscal incentives for private pensions	D5 - R	2019 - 2021	0	0.0	0	0	
	Budget measures enabling business activity	D2 - R	2019 - 2021	0	-0.1	0	0	
	Reduced Excise Duty	D2 - R	2020	-0.1	0.2	0.4	0	
	Reduced tax on the transfer of immovable property	D2, D5 - R	2020 - 2021	<b>2020</b> -0.4	<b>2021</b> 0.2	<b>2022</b> 0.4	<b>2023</b> 0	
	Measures		Date of adoption	Budgetary impact (% of GDP - change previous year)				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	
	Malta Development Bank - COVID-19 Guarantee Scheme	2020	2.7	1.0
	EU SURE loan instrument	2020	0.2	0.2
to COVID-19				
	Subtotal		2.9	1.2
	Non-financial corporations		7.8	6.0
	Financial corporations		3.7	1.9
Others	Households and NPISHs		0.1	0.1
	Subtotal		11.6	8.0
	Total		14.5	9.1

Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)									
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2							2026		
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections	0	0.3	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.1	0		
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU 0 0.3 0.8 0.6 0.3 0.1 0									

Expenditure f	inanced by RRF	grants (%	of GDP)							
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Compensation of employees D.1			-							
Intermediate consumption P.2										
Social payments D.62+D.632				no						
Interest expenditure D.41		n.a.								
Subsidies, payable D.3										
Current transfers D.7										
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0	0.3	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.1	0			
Capital transfers D.9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	0.3	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.1	0			

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)									
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 202									
Reduction in tax revenue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Other costs with impact on revenue 0 0 0 0 0 0						0			
Financial transactions 0 0 0 0 0 0 0							0		

Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025									
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU	n.a.									
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU										

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Expenditure	financed by RF	KF loans	(% of GDI	ر)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7				n.a.			
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE							
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g							
Capital transfers D.9							
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE							

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2									
Reduction in tax revenue		-			-	-				
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

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Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

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	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-3.7	-3.7	2.3	2.2	3.6	3.5	1.8	1.4
Private consumption (% change)	-6.4	-6.4	1.1	0.6	6.5	6.1	2.3	2.0
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-3.6	-3.6	2.7	2.4	2.3	2.8	1.8	1.1
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-4.3	-4.3	6.4	2.6	5.2	5.2	3.5	3.1
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-4.3	-4.3	6.5	3.0	6.0	5.4	4.0	3.7
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-3.4	-3.3	1.7	2.1	3.5	3.0	1.9	1.5
- Change in inventories	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	-0.2	0.0
- Net exports	-0.4	-0.4	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	-0.1
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-3.7	-3.7	-2.5	-2.6	-0.2	-0.4	0.2	0.4
Employment (% change)	-0.6	-0.7	-0.2	-0.2	0.2	8.0	1.2	0.8
Unemployment rate (%)	3.8	3.8	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.7	4.5	4.5
Labour productivity (% change)	-3.2	-3.1	2.5	2.4	3.3	2.7	0.6	0.6
HICP inflation (%)	1.1	1.1	1.6	1.9	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.6
GDP deflator (% change)	2.4	2.4	1.9	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.9	1.6
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	4.9	6.2	1.5	0.7	0.9	0.4	2.3	2.2
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	7.8	8.9	8.1	8.9	8.6	9.0	9.1	9.1

### Note:

<sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

### Source:

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

**Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance** 

(% of GDP)		20	21	2022		2023	2024
,	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	۱ ۵ ۵	ا م ا		ا م ا			
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	-1.2	0.8	n.a.	-0.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and	0.0	-0.1	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	0.1	-0.5	n.a.	0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	0.0	-0.1	n.a.	-0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	-1.4	1.5	n.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-4.2	0.2	-0.1	2.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-4.3	0.7	n.a.	2.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in the structural balance	-2.8	-1.3	-2.3	1.7	2.9	-0.1	0.2

Note:

Source: Stability Programme (SP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
· · ·	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	43.9	43.4	43.5	42.1	43.1	42.8	42.9	-1.0
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	12.1	12.0	12.2	12.3	12.1	12.0	12.0	-0.1
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	13.2	13.4	12.8	12.4	13.1	12.9	13.3	0.1
- Social contributions	14.1	13.7	13.9	13.1	13.4	13.6	13.3	-0.8
- Other (residual)	4.4	4.3	4.6	4.3	4.5	4.3	4.3	-0.1
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.1	n.a.	0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure	48.1	48.4	49.3	43.9	44.8	44.2	43.9	-4.2
of which:								
- Primary expenditure	47.4	47.9	48.8	43.4	44.4	44.0	43.7	-3.7
of which:	151	15.0	15.5	115	1/10	110	116	0.5
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption Compensation of employees	15.1 8.9	15.0 8.8	15.5 8.8	14.5 8.6	14.8 8.6	14.8 8.5	14.6 8.5	-0.5 -0.4
Intermediate consumption	6.2	6.1	6.7	5.9	6.2	6.2	6.1	-0. <del>4</del> -0.1
Social payments	21.8	22.0	22.5	21.5	22.1	21.9	21.9	0.1
Subsidies	5.0	4.2	4.2	1.1	1.5	1.3	1.3	-3.7
Gross fixed capital formation	3.4	3.9	4.0	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	0.4
Other (residual)	2.2	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.1	-0.1
- Interest expenditure	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.2	-0.5
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.1	n.a.	0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
General government balance (GGB)	-4.3	-5.0	-5.9	-1.8	-1.7	-1.4	-1.1	3.2
Primary balance	-3.6	-4.5	-5.4	-1.3	-1.3	-1.1	-0.9	2.7
GGB excl. one-offs	-4.3	-4.9	-5.9	-1.8	-1.7	-1.4	-1.1	3.2
Expenditure aggregate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	13.8	2.7	3.4	-2.7	-3.1	2.0	2.5	-13.0
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	6.6	1.2	n.a.	3.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	14.7	0.6	-0.9	-2.8	-0.6	2.1	2.5	-12.5
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	7.3	-0.6	n.a.	3.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	3.7	3.3	3.3	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	-0.7
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-3.7	-2.5	-2.6	-0.2	-0.4	0.2	0.4	4.1
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-2.0	-3.5	<b>-4</b> .3	-1.7	-1.4	-1.5	-1.3	0.7
Cyclically-adjusted balance One-offs	0.0	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7
		l				1		
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-2.0	-3.4	-4.3	-1.7	-1.4	-1.5	-1.3	0.7
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-1.3	-2.8	-3.8	-1.2	-1.0	-1.3	-1.1	0.2

#### Notes

Stability Programme (SP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs Source:

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	20	21	2022		2023	2024
(% OI GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	56.9	54.5	58.0	58.6	56.8	56.9	56.0	55.3
Change in the ratio	-3.8	5.7	3.5	4.1	-1.2	-1.7	-0.9	-0.7
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-1.5	3.6	4.5	5.4	1.3	1.3	1.1	0.9
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-1.2	1.4	-1.7	-1.5	-2.5	-2.5	-1.7	-1.4
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	1.0	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.2
Growth effect	-1.3	1.8	-1.2	-1.2	-2.0	-1.9	-1.0	-0.8
Inflation effect	-0.9	-1.2	-1.0	-0.8	-0.9	-0.9	-1.0	-0.9
3. Stock-flow adjustment	-1.2	0.8	8.0	0.2	0.0	-0.5	-0.3	-0.1

## Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon		Commissio	on scenario	Stability or converge programme scenar		
Short term		LOV	V risk			
Sho	ort-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>	O	0.2			
Medium term	1	LOV	V risk			
Med	lium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) <sup>[2]</sup>	-0.3 LOW risk		-0.4	LOW risk	
Deb	t sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	LOV	V risk			
	Baseline scenario	LOV	V risk			
	Stochastic projections	LOV	V risk			
(Per r	memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	50	0.0	4	9.5	
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>		MEDIL	JM risk			
Lon	g-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	3.8	MEDIUM risk	3.5	MEDIUM risk	
	g-term fiscal risk indicator (52)	3.8	INICUIONITISK	3.5		

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures		Data of	Budgetary impact (% of GDP - change from previous year)					
			Date of adoption	2020	2021	2022	2023		
	Lower 'usual wage' for owner-director in 2020 and 2021 due to lower	D.5: Current taxes	24-04-2020	-0.1	0	0	0		
	Possibility of creating a fiscal reserve for corporations in CIT year 2019, anticipating losses in 2020	D.5: Current taxes on income, wealth, etc	24-04-2020	0	0.01	0	0		
Temporary	Other revenue measures	Various taxes	Various	0	0	0	0		
measures <sup>2</sup>	'NOW', temporary employment support 'TOZO', support for self-employed workers Other additional COVID expenditures	NA NA NA	Q2 2020 Q2 2020 Q2 2020 Q2 2020	0 0.02 0 0.01	0.01 0 0 0.01	-0.01 -0.01 0 -0.02	0 0 0 0		
	Subtotal  Delayed introduction 'excessive borrowing owner-directors from own	D.5: Current taxes	24-04-2020	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>0.02</b> 0	<b>-0.04</b>	<b>0</b>		
Non- temporary measures <sup>2</sup>	Delayed introduction excessive ponowing owner-directors from own	D.J. Current taxes	24-04-2020	<u> </u>	0		U		
	Subtotal	1	<u>'</u>	-0.1	0.02	-0.04	0		
	Total								

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.
<sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
	Total Dutch guarantees - Covid	Q2 2020	6.0	0.01
In roononco	Including KLM guarantee, reinsurance of supplier credits, GO - corona,			
In response to COVID-19	BMKB - corona, small credits - corona			
10 COVID-19				
	Subtotal		6.0	0.01
	Total Dutch guarantees - Regular	n.a.	30.0	0.02
Others				
	Subtotal		30.0	0.02
	Total		36.0	0.02

# **Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants**

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026									
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	n.a.									
Cash disbursements of RRF grants from EU										

Expenditure financed	by RRF	grants (	% of GDI	P)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1			-		-	-	
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7				n.a.			
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE							
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g							
Capital transfers D.9							
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE							

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 20										
Reduction in tax revenue		-								
Other costs with impact on revenue				n.a.						
Financial transactions										

# Table 4.2b: RRF-Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026									
Disbursements of RRF loans from EU	n.a.									
Repayments of RRF loans to EU										

Expenditure financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
·	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Compensation of employees D.1											
Intermediate consumption P.2											
Social payments D.62+D.632											
Interest expenditure D.41											
Subsidies, payable D.3											
Current transfers D.7				n.a.							
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE											
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g											
Capital transfers D.9											
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE											

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Reduction in tax revenue										
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

## 20. AUSTRIA

**Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts** 

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-6.6	-6.6	3.4	1.5	4.3	4.7	1.6	1.8
Private consumption (% change)	-9.6	<b>-</b> 9.6	3.0	1.1	5.3	4.6	2.7	2.0
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-4.9	-4.9	4.8	3.5	3.3	4.4	-1.7	0.9
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-10.4	-10.4	7.5	2.3	7.2	7.8	4.9	4.5
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-10.2	-10.2	8.2	3.5	6.6	6.5	4.7	4.4
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-5.8	-5.8	3.4	1.7	3.7	3.7	1.1	1.5
- Change in inventories	-0.3	-0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1
- Net exports	-0.4	-0.4	0.0	-0.5	0.5	0.9	0.3	0.3
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-5.5	-4.9	-3.2	-4.1	-0.2	-0.6	0.0	0.7
Employment (% change)	-1.7	-1.7	1.2	8.0	1.3	2.0	0.6	0.6
Unemployment rate (%)	5.4	5.4	5.0	5.1	4.8	4.8	4.6	4.5
Labour productivity (% change)	-5.0	-5.0	2.2	0.7	2.9	2.7	0.6	0.6
HICP inflation (%)	1.4	1.4	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.7
GDP deflator (% change)	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	0.2	-0.1	0.7	0.9	1.8	1.7	2.1	2.2
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	2.6	2.6	2.1	1.3	2.6	2.1	0.0	0.0

### Note:

### Source:

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)		202		2022		2023	2024
	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	-1.2	-1.6	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	-1.2	-1.0	II.a.	0.0	II.a.	II.a.	ii.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	0.0	-0.1	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	0.0	-0.3	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	0.0	-0.4	n.a.	0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	-1.1	-0.9	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-6.6	-0.1	0.0	3.2	2.9	1.0	0.2
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-6.7	0.2	0.2	3.2	3.1	1.0	0.0
Change in the structural balance	-5.1	0.0	0.0	2.9	2.1	1.0	0.1

Note:

Source: Stability Programme (SP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
,	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	49.0	48.4	48.5	48.4	47.9	48.3	48.3	-0.7
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	13.7	13.5	13.6	13.7	13.3	13.3	13.3	-0.4
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	12.9	12.8	12.5	13.1	12.4	13.0	13.2	0.3
- Social contributions	16.2	15.9	16.1	15.4	15.7	15.6	15.6	-0.6
- Other (residual)	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.1	6.5	6.4	6.2	0.0
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	n.a.	n.a.						
Expenditure	57.9	56.0	56.9	51.3	52.2	51.3	50.8	-7.1
of which:	50.5			50.0		500	40.0	0.0
- Primary expenditure	56.5	54.7	55.7	50.2	51.1	50.3	49.9	-6.6
of which: Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	18.2	18.2	18.5	17.4	17.6	17.3	17.1	-1.1
Compensation of employees	11.4	11.1	11.4	10.9	11.0	10.9	10.8	-0.6
Intermediate consumption	6.8	7.1	7.2	6.6	6.6	6.4	6.3	-0.5
Social payments	24.9	24.3	24.8	23.5	23.6	23.5	23.4	-1.5
Subsidies	5.3	3.5	3.5	1.0	1.6	1.5	1.5	-3.8
Gross fixed capital formation	3.4	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.4	0.0
Other (residual)	4.7	5.1	5.4	4.9	4.9	4.6	4.5	-0.2
- Interest expenditure	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0	0.9	-0.4
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
General government balance (GGB)	-8.9	-7.6	-8.4	-3.0	-4.3	-3.0	-2.5	6.4
Primary balance	-7.5	-6.3	-7.1	-1.9	-3.2	-2.0	-1.6	5.9
GGB excl. one-offs	-8.9	-7.6	-8.4	-3.0	-4.3	-3.0	-2.5	6.3
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	15.5	2.5	2.1	-3.6	-3.0	0.7	2.8	-12.7
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	4.6	5.6	n.a.	2.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	16.5	1.3	0.7	-3.9	-3.5	1.0	2.9	-13.6
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	4.7	4.5	n.a.	2.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	2.2	2.5	2.5	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	0.7
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-5.5	-3.2	-4.1	-0.2	-0.6	0.0	0.7	5.6
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-5.7	-5.7	-6.0	-2.9	-4.0	-3.0	-2.9	3.1
One-offs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	-5.7	-5.8	l					3.1
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>			-6.0	-2.9	-4.0	-3.0	-2.9	
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup> Notes:	-4.4	-4.5	-4.8	-1.8	-2.9	-2.0	<b>-</b> 2.0	2.7

#### Notes:

 $Stability\ Programme\ (SP);\ Commission\ 2021\ spring\ forecasts\ (COM);\ Commission\ calculations.$ 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024
(% 01 GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	78.2	83.9	87.2	89.6	85.0	88.1	88.1	87.6
Change in the ratio	-2.7	13.4	3.3	5.7	-2.2	-1.5	0.0	-0.5
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-1.3	7.5	6.3	7.1	1.9	3.2	2.0	1.6
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-0.9	5.4	-2.6	-1.0	-3.8	-4.3	-1.7	-2.0
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	1.9	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0	0.9
Growth effect	-1.5	4.9	-2.7	-1.2	-3.5	-3.9	-1.3	-1.5
Inflation effect	-1.3	-0.8	-1.1	-1.0	-1.4	-1.5	-1.4	-1.4
3. Stock-flow adjustment	-0.4	0.4	-0.5	-0.4	-0.2	-0.3	-0.3	-0.1

## Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commissio	on scenario	_	convergence ne scenario
Short term	LOW	/ risk		
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>	0	.4		
Medium term	MEDIL	JM risk		
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	-0.4	LOW risk	-0.6	LOW risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	MEDIL	JM risk		
Baseline scenario	MEDIL	JM risk		
Stochastic projections	MEDI	JM risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	7	1.2	79	9.5
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	MEDIUM risk			
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	1.3	LOW risk	0.8	LOW risk
0.004.4.133		1	-	L

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures <sup>1,3,4</sup>	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue	Date of adoption	Budgetar	y impact (% previous		nge from
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023
	COFAG (fixed cost subsidy, sales replacement, liabilities,) <sup>3)</sup>	D.3 (D.9)		2.0	1.0	0.2	0.1
	Short-time work <sup>4)</sup>	D.3		1.6	0.8		
	Protective screen for organizers	D.3			0.1		
	Loss replacement (wine, pork and potatoes)	D.3			0		
	NPO Fund <sup>4)</sup>	D.7		0.1	0.2		
	Medical equipment, masks, tests	P.2		0.1	0.1		
	Special Purpose Grants Act (1450, Protective equipment, health infrastructure)	P.2		0.1	0.1		
	Vaccination programme	P.2		0	0.1	0	
	Austrian Health Insurance Fund	P.2		0			
	Test strategy tourism, pharmacy testing, operational testing	P.2/D.3		0	0.1		
	Epidemic Law	P.2 (D.62)		0	0.1		
Temporary	Hardship Fund <sup>4)</sup>	D.62		0.2	0.3		
measures <sup>2</sup>	One-time payment for unemployed	D.62		0.1	0		
mododioo	Increase in unemployment assistance	D.62		0	0		
	Family Hardness Compensation	D.62		0	0		
	Child bonus	D.62		0.2			
	Leave of absence for pregnant women	D.62			0		
	Support for artists and cultural institutions	D.62		0	0		
	Long-term care fund/dedicated long-term care subsidy, dementia pilot projects, etc.	D.62/D.63		0	0		
	Municipal Investment Act	P.5		0.1	0.2	0	
	Other expenditure-side temporary measures	1.0		0.1	0.1	0	
	VAT reduction in the gastronomy, masks, hotel industry,			0.1	0.1	U	
	etc.	D.2 (Revenue)		0.2	0.4	0.1	
	Loss carryback	D.5 (Revenue)		0.5	0.5	0.2	-0.2
	Other revenue-side temporary measures	D.2/D.5 (Revenue)		0.1			
	Subtotal	(ixeveriue)		5.5	4.3	0.6	-0.2
	Investment premium	D.9		0	0.4	0.3	0.3
	Domestic environmental subsidies and new renovation						
	campaign	D.9		0	0	0	0
	Expansion of renewable energies	D.9		0	0	0	0
	Universities (increase total 2022-2024)	D.1/P.2		0	0	0.1	0.1
	Pension decisions (early starter bonus, abolition of pension without deductions,)	D.62		0	0	0	0
	Pension adjustment	D.62		0	0.1	0.1	0.1
	Research institutions (ISTA, ÖAW, FWF,)	D.7		0	0	0	0
Non-	Environmental protection, climate-friendly industries, rural development	D.7		0	0	0	0
	Forestry Package/Forest Fund Act	D.3		0	0	0	0
temporary measures <sup>2</sup>	Economic stimulus package: Expansion of public transport for federal, state and local governments	P.5		0	0	0	0
	Other longer-term expenditure measures	_		0.05	0.3	0.2	0.1
	Gastronomy package: tax exemption meal vouchers, flat	D.2 (Revenue)		0.00	0.1	0.1	0.1
	rate for restaurants			0	0.4	0.2	0.4
	Introduction of declining balance depreciation Wage tax: reduction of the first rate bracket from 25 % to	D.5 (Revenue) D.5 (Revenue)		0.4	0.1	0.3	0.4
	20 %						
	Home office package	D.5 (Revenue)		0	0	0	0
	Other longer-term revenue-side measures	D.2/D.5 (Revenue)		0	0	0	0
	Subtotal			0.5	1.5	1.6	1.5

<sup>1)</sup> Excluding measures financed by ARP funds. Table includes only federally funded measures.

<sup>2)</sup> In this table, temporary measures are those that do not have a budgetary impact of 0.1 % of GDP after 2022 (except for COFAG liabilities).

3) Due to orgoing application periods for 2020 for some COFAG crisis measures, adjustments regarding the impact between 2020 and 2021 will be necessary.

4) ESA values include time adjustments to assign payments according their timely economic impact, e.g. +677 mn. for short time labour in 2020, -677 in 2021.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures <sup>1, 2, 3</sup>	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
	aws SME Promotion Act (aws KMU-FG)		1.0	0.7
	aws Guarantee Act 1977 (aws GG)		0.5	0.1
	ÖHT SME Promotion Act (ÖHT KMU-FG)		0.4	0.3
In response	ÖHT Authorized to perform travel services3)		0.1	0.01
to COVID-19	OeKB Special Framework KRR (Kontrollbank Refinancing Framework)		0.8	0.5
	OeKB 90 %			0.2
	Subtotal		2.8	1.8
Others				
	Subtotal			
	Total			
1				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Budgetary effects resulting from liabilities (write-downs) can be found in Table 19.

<sup>3</sup> According to Section 7 (2b) of the Austrian SME Promotion Act (KMU-FG) AWS - Austria Wirtschaftsservice, ÖHT - Österreichische Hotel- und Tourismusbank , OeKB - Österreichische Ko

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> As of 15 March 2021

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)												
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026												
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	0	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.2							
Cash disbursements of RRF grants from EU	0	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.2	n.a.						

Expenditure f	inanced by R	RF grants (	% of GDP)						
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026		
Compensation of employees D.1	0	0	0	0	0				
Intermediate consumption P.2	0	0.1	0.1	0	0				
Social payments D.62+D.632	0	0	0	0	0				
Interest expenditure D.41	0	0	0	0	0				
Subsidies, payable D.3	0	0	0	0	0		_		
Current transfers D.7	0	0	0	0	0	n.a	а.		
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1				
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0	0	0	0	0				
Capital transfers D.9	0	0	0.1	0.1	0.1				
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	0	0.1	0.2	0.1				

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)											
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026											
Reduction in tax revenue											
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.										
Financial transactions											

# Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Disbursements of RRF loans from EU										
Repayments of RRF loans to EU	n.a.									

Expenditure f	inanced by RI	RF loans	(% of GI	DP)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1			•			•	
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7				n.a.			
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE							
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g							
Capital transfers D.9							
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE							

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026											
Reduction in tax revenue		-	-								
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.										
Financial transactions											

# 21. POLAND

Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

-	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	2025
	COM	CP	COM	CP	COM	CP	CP	CP	CP
Real GDP (% change)	-2.7	-2.7	4.0	3.8	5.4	4.3	3.7	3.5	n.a
Private consumption (% change)	-3.1	-3.1	4.2	4.3	5.9	4.4	4.0	3.3	n.a
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-9.6	-9.6	3.7	2.0	7.2	3.9	2.2	5.8	n.a
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-0.2	-0.2	8.8	8.8	6.9	7.3	4.5	4.0	n.a
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-1.9	-1.9	9.2	9.4	7.3	7.8	5.2	4.6	n.a
Contributions to real GDP growth:									
- Final domestic demand	-2.7	-3.5	3.6	3.4	5.2	4.1	3.9	3.6	n.a
- Change in inventories	-0.8	-0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.1	n.a
- Net exports	0.8	8.0	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.1	-0.1	-0.1	n.a
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-2.0	-1.7	-1.2	-1.1	0.7	-0.1	0.4	0.5	n.a
Employment (% change)	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	n.a
Unemployment rate (%)	3.2	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.0	2.5	2.0	n.a
Labour productivity (% change)	-2.8	-2.8	4.0	3.6	5.2	4.3	3.7	3.5	n.a
HICP inflation (%)	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.5	n.a
GDP deflator (% change)	4.1	4.1	2.8	2.4	2.5	2.2	1.8	1.9	n.a
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	4.6	4.3	5.9	6.1	6.0	6.4	5.8	5.3	n.a
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	4.8	6.0	5.0	3.9	4.9	3.2	1.9	0.0	n.a

#### Note

#### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)		2020 2021		2022		2023	2024
		COM	CP	COM	CP	СР	CP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	ا م د						
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	-0.5	0.2	n.a.	0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	0.0	-0.1	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	0.1	-0.2	n.a.	-0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-0.8	0.4	n.a.	0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	0.3	0.0	n.a.	0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-4.8	2.8	n.a.	1.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-4.9	3.0	n.a.	2.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in the structural balance	-3.7	2.3	-0.2	1.0	2.2	1.0	0.6

### Note:

### Source:

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	2025	Change: 2020-2025
(10.01.01.1)	COM	СОМ	СР	COM	СР	СР	СР	СР	СР
Revenue	41.7	41.8	41.5	41.0	41.2	41.0	41.0	n.a.	n.a.
of which:									
- Taxes on production and imports	14.0	14.4	14.7	14.3	14.6	14.3	14.3	n.a.	n.a.
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	8.0	7.9	8.0	7.7	8.0	8.3	8.6	n.a.	n.a.
- Social contributions	14.7	14.5	14.3	14.1	14.3	14.4	14.3	n.a.	n.a.
- Other (residual)	5.0	5.1	4.5	4.9	4.3	4.0	3.8	n.a.	n.a.
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	,,	0.4	n.a.	0.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure	48.7	46.0	48.4	43.3	45.4	44.2	43.5	0.0	-48.7
of which:	47.4	44.8	47.2	42.2	44.3	43.2	42.5	,,	20
<ul> <li>Primary expenditure of which:</li> </ul>	47.4	44.0	47.2	42.2	44.5	43.2	42.5	n.a.	n.a.
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	16.8	16.7	16.9	16.5	17.0	17.1	17.0	n.a.	n.a.
Compensation of employees	10.9	10.7	10.9	10.6	10.7	10.6	10.5	n.a.	n.a.
Intermediate consumption	5.9	6.0	n.a.	5.9	6.3	6.5	6.5	n.a.	n.a.
Social payments	18.7	18.9	19.3	17.9	18.5	18.5	18.4	0.0	-18.7
Subsidies	3.8	1.4	1.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.0	-3.8
Gross fixed capital formation	4.4	4.7	4.8	4.9	4.8	4.3	4.3	0.0	-4.4
Other (residual)	3.6	3.1	4.8	2.5	3.6	2.9	2.5	0.0	-3.6
- Interest expenditure	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.4	n.a.	0.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
General government balance (GGB)	-7.0	-4.3	-6.9	-2.3	-4.2	-3.2	-2.5	0.0	7.0
Primary balance	-5.7	-3.1	-5.7	-1.2	-3.1	-2.2	-1.5	n.a.	n.a.
GGB excl. one-offs	-7.2	-4.5	-7.1	-2.5	-4.4	-3.2	-2.5	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates									
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	19.9	-0.6	5.0	1.5	0.0	2.7	3.9	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	8.8	5.4	n.a.	5.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	18.8	-0.5	3.9	1.0	-0.9	3.7	3.5	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	6.7	6.2	n.a.	5.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. mominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	7.5	6.2	6.2	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.8	n.a.	n.a.
Other indicators									
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-2.0	-1.2	-1.1	0.7	-0.1	0.4	0.5	0.0	1.7
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-5.9	-3.7	-6.3	-2.7	-4.2	-3.4	-2.8	0.0	6.1
One-offs	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	n.a.	n.a.
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-6.2	-3.9	-6.5	-2.9	-4.4	-3.4	-2.8	n.a.	n.a.
	-4.9	-2.7	-5.3	-1.7	-3.3	-2.4	-1.8		
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	J <del>-4</del> .9	-2.1	-5.5	-1.7	-5.5	-2.4	-1.0	n.a.	n.a.

## Notes:

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(9/, of CDD)	Average	2020	20	21	2022		2023	2024	2025
(% of GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	CP	COM	CP	CP	CP	CP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	50.1	57.5	57.1	60.0	55.1	59.2	58.7	57.9	n.a.
Change in the ratio	-1.1	11.9	-0.3	2.5	-2.1	-0.8	-0.5	-0.8	-57.9
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :									
1. Primary balance	-0.1	5.7	3.1	5.7	1.2	3.1	2.2	1.5	n.a.
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-1.3	0.6	-2.5	-2.1	-3.1	-2.5	-2.1	-2.0	n.a.
Of which:									
Interest expenditure	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	n.a.
Growth effect	-2.1	1.2	-2.2	-2.1	-2.9	-2.4	-2.1	-1.9	n.a.
Inflation effect	-0.7	-1.9	-1.5	-1.2	-1.3	-1.2	-1.0	-1.0	n.a.
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.3	5.5	-0.8	-1.1	-0.1	-1.3	-0.6	-0.3	n.a.

## Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commission	on scenario	_	convergence ne scenario
Short term	LOV	V risk		
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>	C	).4		
Medium term	LOV	V risk		
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	-1.5 LOW risk		-1.8	LOW risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	LOV	V risk		
Baseline scenario	LOV	V risk		
Stochastic projections	LOV	V risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	4	4.8	4	7.1
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	MEDIUM risk			
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	2.4 MEDIUM risk		1.4	LOW risk
		1		

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures	ESA Code	Date of adoption	change from previous year)				
				2020	2021	2022	2023	
	Standstill benefit for persons working under civil law contracts and self-employed persons	D.39	2020	0.3	0.2	0.1	0	
	Health care and social security contribution exemptions	D.39	2020	-0.6	0.5	0.1	0	
	Wage subsidies for firms	D.39	2020	-0.7	0.4	0.2	0	
	Financial subsidies-PFR Financial Shields for micro, small and medium enterprises	D.39	2020	-1.8	1.4	0.4	0	
	Additional parental allowance for school closures	D.62	2020	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0	
	Polish Tourist Voucher	D.63	2020	0.0	-0.1	0.2	0	
	Additional social benefits from Social Insurance Fund and solidarity allowance from the Labour Fund	D.62	2020	-0.1	0.0	0.1	0	
Temporary nealth expenditures from the Counteracting Fund COVID-19	D.73, P.2	2020	-0.2	-0.4	0.6	0		
measures	Other expenditures, i.a.: support for railway operators of passanger transport, payment from Counteracting Fund COVID-19 to the Social Insurance Fund and payment from Counteracting Fund COVID-19 to Minister of Economy (i.a. subsidies to the interest rate of bank loans granted to entrepreneurs)		2020	-0.2	0.1	0.1	0	
	Grants for micro- and small enterprises	D.99	2020	-0.4	0.2	0.2	0	
	Introduction of the estonian tax and measures aimed at sealing CIT	D.5	2021	0	-0.1	-0.1	-0.02	
	Introduction of a power fee (including VAT impact)	D.2	2021	0	0.3	0.0	0	
	Non-collection of tax (CIT, PIT) arising from the value of redeemed payments (financial subsidies) granted from PFR to entrepreneurs in 2020 under Financial Shield	D.5	2021	0	-0.2	0.1	0.1	
	Subtotal			-4.2	2.3	1.9	0.03	
	Local investment Fund	P.51	2020	-0.1	-0.3	0.3	0.2	
Non-temporary	Sales of the unused greenhouse gas emission allowances	D.2	2020	0.3	-0.04	-0.01	-0.2	
measures	measures Subtotal			0.2	-0.3	0.2	-0.1	
	Total			-4.1	2.0	2.2	-0.02	

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
	1. State Treasury guarantees related to the issue of bonds by the Polish Development Fund	April 2020	7.8	3.5
	2. State Treasury guarantees for BGK's liabilities incurred for the purposes of the COVID-19 Counteracting Fund	March 2020	8.1	5.4
In response to COVID-	3. State Treasury guarantees for BGK's liabilities incurred for the purposes of the National Guarantee Fund	March 2020	-	-
19	4. State Treasury guarantees for BGK's liabilities incurred for the purposes of the Liquidity Guarantee Fund of BGK	March 2020	-	-
	Subtotal		15.9	8.9
	Usual guarantees - contingent liabilities	-	6.7	5.1
Others				
	Subtotal			
	Total		22.6	14

# **Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants**

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)									
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026									
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections							_		
Cash disbursements of RRF grants from EU	n.a.								

Expenditure financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Compensation of employees D.1			-		-	-					
Intermediate consumption P.2											
Social payments D.62+D.632											
Interest expenditure D.41											
Subsidies, payable D.3											
Current transfers D.7				n.a.							
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE											
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g											
Capital transfers D.9											
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE											

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026									
Reduction in tax revenue		-								
Other costs with impact on revenue				n.a.						
Financial transactions										

Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026										
Disbursements of RRF loans from EU	n.a.									
Repayments of RRF loans to EU										

Expenditure financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026				
Compensation of employees D.1											
Intermediate consumption P.2											
Social payments D.62+D.632											
Interest expenditure D.41											
Subsidies, payable D.3											
Current transfers D.7				n.a.							
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE											
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g											
Capital transfers D.9											
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE											

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026									
Reduction in tax revenue										
Other costs with impact on revenue				n.a.						
Financial transactions										

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**Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts** 

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023 2024		2025
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-7.6	-7.6	3.9	4.0	5.1	4.9	2.8	2.4	2.2
Private consumption (% change)	-5.9	-5.9	4.0	2.8	3.8	3.7	2.2	2.1	2.1
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-1.9	-1.9	4.6	4.0	6.9	8.0	8.6	6.3	5.7
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-18.6	-18.6	10.3	8.7	8.9	7.9	5.1	4.8	4.6
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-12.0	-12.0	9.5	5.4	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.6	5.4
Contributions to real GDP growth:									
- Final domestic demand	-4.1	-4.6	3.8	2.9	4.1	4.2	3.2	2.8	2.6
- Change in inventories	-0.6	-0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-2.9	-2.9	0.1	1.1	1.0	0.7	-0.4	-0.4	-0.4
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-5.6	-5.9	-3.3	-3.7	-0.2	-1.1	-0.2	0.6	1.2
Employment (% change)	-1.7	-1.7	1.0	0.2	1.2	1.1	0.8	0.8	0.8
Unemployment rate (%)	6.9	6.8	6.8	7.3	6.5	6.7	6.4	6.0	5.8
Labour productivity (% change)	-5.9	-5.9	2.9	3.8	3.9	3.8	2.0	1.6	1.4
HICP inflation (%)	-0.1	-0.1	0.9	0.8	1.1	0.9	1.1	1.3	1.5
GDP deflator (% change)	2.4	2.4	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.5	2.8	2.6	2.9	2.6	2.5
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	0.1	0.1	0.5	2.1	1.1	3.4	3.4	3.0	2.6

Note

#### Source.

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)		2021		2022		2023	2024
		COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,							
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	0.4	-2.3	n.a.	-1.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	-0.2	-1.3	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.1	-0.2	n.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-0.1	-0.2	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	8.0	-0.7	n.a.	-0.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-2.7	-1.8	-1.4	0.4	1.0	0.5	0.2
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-2.6	-0.5	-0.1	0.6	8.0	8.0	0.1
Change in the structural balance	-0.8	-1.2	-0.9	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.2

Note:

Source :

 $Stability\ Programme\ (SP);\ Commission\ 2021\ spring\ forecasts\ (COM);\ Commission\ calculations.$ 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
	СОМ	СОМ	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	42.8	43.5	43.6	42.4	42.2	42.2	42.0	-0.8
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	14.4	14.2	14.2	13.9	13.9	13.8	13.8	-0.6
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	9.9	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.4	-0.5
- Social contributions	12.6	12.3	12.3	12.1	12.0	11.9	11.9	-0.7
- Other (residual)	5.8	7.6	7.6	7.0	7.0	7.2	6.9	1.1
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.3	0.3	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.3
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Expenditure	48.4	48.2	48.1	45.8	45.4	44.4	43.6	-4.8
of which:								
- Primary expenditure	45.6	45.6	45.5	43.4	43.0	42.2	41.7	-3.9
of which:	l	l						
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	17.3	17.5	17.2	16.8	16.5	16.3	16.2	-1.1
Compensation of employees	11.7	11.8	11.5	11.5	11.2	11.1	11.0	-0.7
Intermediate consumption	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	-0.4
Social payments	19.8	19.5	19.6	18.9	18.7	18.5	18.4	-1.4
Subsidies	1.8	2.0	2.1	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	-1.4
Gross fixed capital formation	2.2	2.5	2.6	3.2	3.3	3.6	3.6	1.4
Other (residual)	4.5	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.0	3.2	3.1	-1.4
- Interest expenditure	2.9	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.2	1.9	-1.0
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.3	0.4	1.3	1.4	1.6	1.3	1.3
General government balance (GGB)	-5.7	-4.7	-4.5	-3.4	-3.2	-2.2	-1.6	4.1
Primary balance	-2.8	-2.1	-1.9	-1.0	-0.8	0.1	0.3	3.1
GGB excl. one-offs	-5.0	-5.0	-4.7	-3.3	-3.2	-2.2	-1.6	3.4
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	9.7	3.9	3.0	1.6	0.3	1.1	2.9	-6.0
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	2.2	5.3	n.a.	5.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	7.6	3.6	2.9	0.9	0.7	1.6	2.5	-4.3
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	1.5	4.5	n.a.	4.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	3.5	2.6	2.6	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	-0.6
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-5.6	-3.3	-3.7	-0.2	-1.1	-0.2	0.6	6.4
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-2.7	-2.9	-2.5	-3.3	-2.6	-2.1	-1.9	0.6
One-offs	-0.7	0.3	0.3	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.7
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-2.0	-3.2	-2.8	-3.2	-2.6	-2.1	-1.9	0.0
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	0.8	-0.6	-0.2	-0.8	-0.2	0.1	0.0	-1.0
Notes:								

#### Notes

Stability Programme (SP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

 $<sup>^3</sup>$  Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs Source:

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	2021		2022		2023	2024	2025
(% 01 GDF)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	125.4	133.6	127.2	128.0	122.3	123.0	120.7	117.1	114.3
Change in the ratio	-3.2	16.8	-6.4	-5.6	-5.0	-5.0	-2.3	-3.6	-2.8
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :									
1. Primary balance	-1.8	2.8	2.1	1.9	1.0	8.0	-0.1	-0.3	-0.7
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-1.5	9.3	-4.1	-4.2	-5.5	-5.1	-2.8	-2.6	-2.3
Of which:									
Interest expenditure	3.8	2.9	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.2	1.9	1.8
Growth effect	-3.1	9.3	-5.0	-5.1	-6.1	-5.9	-3.3	-2.8	-2.5
Inflation effect	-2.2	-2.9	-1.7	-1.7	-1.8	-1.6	-1.7	-1.6	-1.6
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.2	4.5	-4.3	-3.2	-0.3	-0.7	0.6	-0.7	0.3

## Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commission scenario		Stability or o	-
Short term	HIGH	l risk		
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>	0	.6		
Medium term	HIGH	HIGH risk		
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	1.3	MEDIUM risk	-0.7	LOW risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	HIGH risk			
Baseline scenario	HIGH risk			
Stochastic projections	MEDIUM risk			
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	105.2		100.3	
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	MEDIUM risk			
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	-4.2	LOW risk	-5.5	LOW risk
	I			

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures <sup>1,2</sup>		Date of adoption	Budgetar	Budgetary impact (% of GDP - change from previous year)					
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	
	"Ativar" programme	D.39	2020	0.01	0.1	-0.1				
	IVAucher	D.39	2021		0.1	-0.1				
	Additional wage spending in the National Health Service (overtime, bonuses, and staff reinforcements)	D.1	2020	0.1	0.04	-0.1				
	COVID-19 tests	D.632	2020	0.03	0.01	-0.02	-0.02			
	COVID-19 vaccines	P.2	2020	0	0.2	-0.1	-0.1			
	Personal protective equipment and other health-related spending	P.2	2020	0.3	-0.05	-0.2	-0.1			
	Temporary reduction of VAT on disinfectant gel and masks	D.2	2021		0.01	-0.01	0			
	REACT- EU and European Social Fund	D.7	2020	-0.1	-0.9	1.0				
	Extraordinary support for workers' income	D.62+D.39	2020	0.2	0.1	-0.3				
_	Prophylactic isolation and sickness benefit	D.62	2020	0.1	0.03	-0.1				
Temporary	Social protection support, including exceptional family support	D.62	2020	0.1	-0.01	-0.05				
measures <sup>3</sup>	Financial support to TAP Air Portugal	D.9	2020	0.6	-0.1	-0.1	-0.3			
	Labour costs support to firms	D.39	2021	1.0	-0.2	-0.7				
	Fixed costs support to firms	D.39	2021	0.4	0.3	-0.6				
	Other investments and support	D.7	2021		0.1	0.2	-0.3			
	Transfer from the Mutual Agricultural Credit Guarantee Fund to the Bank of Portugal	D.9	2020	0.0	0.0					
	Court decisions related to the remuneration of police officers	D.9	2020	0.1	-0.1					
	Reimbursement of European Financial Stability Facility pre-paid margins	D.9	2021		-0.5	0.5				
	BPP guarantee recovery	D.9	2020	0.0	0.0	0.0				
	Capital injection into Novo Banco	D.9	2020	0.5	-0.3	-0.2				
	Conversion of deferred tax assets	D.9	2020	0.1	0.0	0.0	-0.1			
	Subtotal			3.3	-1.2	-0.9	-0.9			
	Extraordinary increase in pensions	D.62	2021		0.1					
	Spending review	P.2	2021		-0.1	-0.04	-0.03	-0.02	-0.02	
	Reduction of VAT on electricity	D.2	2021		0.1					
	Reduction of PIT withholdings	D.5	2021		0.1					
	Extraordinary tax credit for investment	D.5	2021		0.1	-0.01	-0.1	-0.01	0	
Non-	PT2020 revenue: structural investments	D.9	2021		-0.2	-0.04	0.02	0.1	0.1	
temporary measures <sup>3</sup>	Progressions, promotions and other public wage policy measures (PIT, contributions to Social Security and ADSE)	D.5	2021		-0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	
	Progressions, promotions and other public wage policy measures	D.1	2021		0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	
	Structural investments	P.51	2021		0.4	0.2	-0.1	-0.2	-0.2	
	Execution of guarantees	D.9	2021		0.03	0	0.01	0	-0.01	
	Additional investment financed by RRF loans	P.51	2021		0.1	-0.03	0.04	0.02	-0.01	
	Subtotal				0.9	0.2	0.1	0.04	0.02	
	Total			3.3	-0.4	-0.6	-0.9	-0.01	0.04	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> A positive (negative) sign corresponds to a worsening (improvement) of the budget balance.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures <sup>1</sup>	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities  (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
	Credit line to support firms ("Linha Capitalizar 2018" - COVID-19)	12-03-2020	0.1	0.1
	COVID-19 credit line to support the economy	30-03-2020	2.5	2.4
	COVID-19 credit line to support the economy in Madeira ("Linha Investe RAM" - COVID-19)	27-04-2020	0.04	0.03
	COVID-19 specific credit line to support firms in the Azores	04-06-2020	0.1	0.1
	COVID-19 financial guarantees	29-07-2020	0.03	0.03
	COVID-19 credit line to support micro and small enterprises ("Linha de Apoio à Economia COVID-19 - MPE")	06-08-2020	0.4	0.4
•	2020 support credit line in Madeira ("Linha de Crédito Apoiar Madeira 2020")	03-09-2020	0.01	0
to COVID-19	COVID-19 social sector support credit line ("Linha de Apoio ao Setor Social COVID-			
	19")	14-09-2020	0.1	0.05
	COVID 19 economy support credit line - exporters	18-01-2021	0.1	0.1
	COVID 19 economy support credit line - events	18-01-2021	0	0
	COVID 19 economy support credit line - travel agencies and tour operators	23-02-2021	0.04	0
	Pan-European Guarantee Fund (EGF)	24-08-2020	0.1	
	Instrument for temporary support to mitigate unemployment risks in an emergency (SURE)	18-09-2020	0.2	
	Subtotal		3.7	3.2
	State-owned enterprises		0.6	-0.03
Others <sup>2</sup>	Other		0.6	-0.1
Olliels	Portfolio Guarantee European Investment Bank		0	-1.3
1 The minerate of	Subtotal		1.2	-1.4

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The guarantees presented excluded those that were granted to entities inside the general government.

<sup>2</sup> The reference date is 31/12/2020. The estimated take-up amounts refer to net changes from 31/12/2019 to 31/12/2020.

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)									
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025			
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections		0.3	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.1			
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU		0.6	1.2	1.5	1.3	1.1			

Expenditure financed	by RRF g	rants (% of	GDP)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Compensation of employees D.1						
Intermediate consumption P.2		0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Social payments D.62+D.632		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Interest expenditure D.41						
Subsidies, payable D.3		0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
Current transfers D.7						
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE		0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g		0.2	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.8
Capital transfers D.9		0.1	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.2
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE		0.3	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.0

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024					2025				
Reduction in tax revenue										
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

**Table 4.2b: RRF-Loans** 

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)									
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025			
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU		0.7	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1			
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU									

Expenditure finance	ced by RRF loan	s (% of G	DP)								
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025					
Compensation of employees D.1			-	•							
Intermediate consumption P.2											
Social payments D.62+D.632											
Interest expenditure D.41		n.a.									
Subsidies, payable D.3											
Current transfers D.7											
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE											
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1					
Capital transfers D.9											
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1					

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)									
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025			
Reduction in tax revenue Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.								
Financial transactions		0.6	0.1	0	0	0			

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**Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts** 

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	СР	COM	СР	COM	СР	СР	СР
Real GDP (% change)	-3.9	-3.9	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.8	5.0	4.9
Private consumption (% change)	-5.2	-5.2	6.1	5.1	5.9	4.9	4.9	4.7
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	6.8	6.8	5.8	7.0	7.4	8.8	9.4	8.6
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-9.7	-9.7	9.8	8.3	8.7	5.7	6.0	5.6
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-5.1	-5.1	11.4	10.1	10.1	7.2	7.3	6.7
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-1.3	-1.3	5.8	5.2	5.9	5.6	5.8	5.5
- Change in inventories	-0.9	-0.9	0.4	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	-1.6	-1.6	-1.1	-1.1	-1.0	-0.9	-0.8	-0.7
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-5.3	-5.1	-3.6	-3.7	-2.1	-2.5	-1.1	0.2
Employment (% change)	-1.8	-1.8	0.2	1.1	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.5
Unemployment rate (%)	5.0	5.0	5.2	4.8	4.8	4.0	3.5	3.2
Labour productivity (% change)	-2.1	-2.1	4.9	3.9	4.1	3.8	4.4	4.4
HICP inflation (%)	2.3	2.3	2.9	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.6	2.5
GDP deflator (% change)	3.8	3.8	3.2	3.2	2.7	3.0	2.9	2.8
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	7.3	7.3	5.8	5.0	6.1	6.1	6.7	6.5
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	-3.4	-3.4	-3.2	-2.6	-3.0	-1.8	-1.4	-0.8

### Note:

### Source:

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from: Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other Change in nationally financed investments Change in other capital expenditure Change in net nationally financed primary current Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	2020	0 2021		2022		2023	2024
	COM	COM	СР	COM	CP	СР	CP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	-2.2	0.5	n.a.	-0.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
. , , , ,	-2.2	0.5	II.a.	-0.5	II.a.	II.a.	II.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	-0.4	-0.2	n.a.	-0.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.5	-0.4	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-0.7	0.3	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	-0.6	0.8	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-3.6	1.2	0.7	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.5
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-2.9	1.3	0.7	0.4	0.7	1.0	0.8
Change in the structural balance	-2.8	0.7	8.0	0.5	1.4	1.4	1.1

Note:

Source:

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024	
,	COM	COM	СР	СОМ	СР	СР	СР	СР	
Revenue	33.1	33.0	33.3	33.2	33.8	34.1	34.3	1.2	
of which:									
- Taxes on production and imports	10.4	10.3	10.4	10.2	10.4	10.4	10.5	0.1	
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	0.1	
- Social contributions	12.0	11.9	11.6	11.9	11.7	11.8	11.9	-0.1	
- Other (residual)	6.0	6.1	6.7	6.4	7.0	7.2	7.1	1.1	
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.1	0.1	0.6	0.6	1.2	1.2	n.a.	
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	n.a.	
Expenditure	42.4	41.1	41.3	40.3	40.1	38.6	37.2	-5.2	
of which:				l		l			
- Primary expenditure	40.9	39.3	39.8	38.4	38.6	37.1	35.8	-5.1	
of which:	18.1	17.0	16.9	16.2	16.0	15.1	14.4	-3.7	
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption Compensation of employees	12.1	11.3	11.2	10.7	10.5	9.7	9.1	-3.7 -3.0	
Intermediate consumption	5.9	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.3	-0.6	
Social payments	13.5	13.5	13.6	13.2	13.2	12.7	12.3	-1.2	
Subsidies	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	-0.6	
Gross fixed capital formation	4.6	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	0.7	
Other (residual)	3.8	3.3	3.8	3.6	3.9	3.7	3.4	-0.4	
- Interest expenditure	1.4	1.8	1.5	1.9	1.5	1.5	1.4	0.0	
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.6	1.2	1.2	n.a.	
General government balance (GGB)	-9.2	-8.0	-8.0	-7.1	-6.2	-4.4	-2.9	6.3	
Primary balance	-7.8	-6.3	-6.5	-5.2	-4.7	-2.9	-1.5	6.3	
GGB excl. one-offs	-9.2	-8.0	-8.0	-7.1	-6.2	-4.4	-2.9	6.3	
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates									
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	16.9	3.1	3.6	4.2	2.7	2.4	3.3	-13.8	
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	12.6	4.7	n.a.	6.6	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	14.2	2.4	4.5	3.7	2.3	2.6	3.4	-10.9	
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	9.3	4.2	n.a.	6.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	7.5	6.9	6.9	6.3	6.3	5.9	5.6	-1.9	
Other indicators	_					, .			
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-5.3	-3.6	-3.7	-2.1	-2.5	-1.1	0.2	5.3	
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-7.5	-6.9	-6.8	-6.4	-5.4	-4.0	-3.0	4.6	
One-offs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-7.5	-6.9	-6.8	-6.4	-5.4	-4.0	-3.0	4.6	
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-6.1	-5.1	-5.3	-4.5	-3.9	-2.5	-1.6	4.6	
Notes:									

#### Notes.

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

 $<sup>^3</sup>$  Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs  $\underline{\textit{Source}}$  :

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(9/, of CDD)	Average	ge 2020 2021			202	22	2023	2024
(% of GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	CP	COM	CP	CP	CP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	36.1	47.3	49.7	50.8	52.7	52.9	53.3	52.4
Change in the ratio	-0.8	12.0	2.5	3.5	3.0	2.1	0.4	-0.9
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	1.3	7.8	6.3	6.5	5.2	4.7	2.9	1.5
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-1.8	1.5	-1.8	-2.1	-1.6	-2.2	-2.4	-2.4
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	1.3	1.4	1.8	1.5	1.9	1.5	1.5	1.4
Growth effect	-1.6	1.4	-2.2	-2.2	-2.2	-2.3	-2.4	-2.4
Inflation effect	-1.5	-1.3	-1.4	-1.4	-1.2	-1.4	-1.4	-1.4
3. Stock-flow adjustment	-0.2	2.6	-1.9	-0.8	-0.6	-0.4	0.0	0.1

### Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commissio	on scenario	_	convergence ne scenario
Short term	LOV	V risk		
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>	C	).4		
Medium term	HIGH	l risk		
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	dium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2] 4.8 HIGH risk		1.8	MEDIUM risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	HIGI	H risk		
Baseline scenario	MEDI	JM risk		
Stochastic projections	MEDI	JM risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	86	6.4	56	6.4
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	HIGH	H risk		
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) [6]	4.9	MEDIUM risk	1.7	LOW risk
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Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue component)	Date of adoption		P - ch	mpact ange fro	om
				2020	2021	2022	2023
	Bonuses granted for payment of corporation tax and income tax on micro-enterprises at due date, exemption from the specific tax	D.5:Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	2020	0.1	-0.1		
	Active measures:allowances granted during the temporary suspension of the individual employment contract on the employer's initiative, allowances granted to other professionals, as well as for persons who have concluded individual employment agreements that interrupt work as a result of the effects of SARS-CoV-2, the provision of employers for the payment of part of the gross wage of the employees kept at work (41.5 %), allowances granted to parents for the supervision of children during the temporary closure of educational establishments, allowances granted during the temporary reduction of work for professionals as well as for persons on the basis of individual employment agreements	D.3:Subsidies	2020	0.8	-0.5	-0.2	
	Risk incentive	D.1:Compensation of employees	2020	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	Wage increases awarded in the public administration during the pandemic	D.1:Compensation of employees	2020	0.1	0.0	-0.1	
	Expenditure on medicines, sanitary materials, reagents and other products necessary for the diagnosis and treatment of patients infected with the coronavirus SARS-CoV-2	P.2:Intermediate consumption	2020	0.4	-0.2	-0.1	
Temporary	Procurement of medical emergency stocks	P.2:Intermediate consumption	2020	0.1	0	0	
measures <sup>2</sup>	other products necessary for the diagnosis and treatment of patients infected with the coronavirus SARS-CoV-2  Procurement of medical emergency stocks  Purchase of medical equipment, mobile hospitals and othe capital expenditure outside medical emergency stocks  Information technology equipment — mobile IT and tablets with access to the internet for students  National programme for the purchase of anti-COVID-19 vaccine and costs for the organisation and operation of vaccination centres  State aid scheme in the form of a grant aimed at granting State guarantee facilities for loans granted to small and medium-sized enterprises and small mid-market capitals by credit institutions	P.51:Gross fixed capital formation	2020	0.1	0	0	
	Information technology equipment — mobile IT and tablets with access to the internet for students	P.51:Gross fixed capital formation	2020	0	0	0	
	vaccine and costs for the organisation and operation of	P.2:Intermediate consumption	2020	0	0.1	1 2022 1 2022 1 2022 1 2022 1 2022 1 2022 2 -0.2	
	State guarantee facilities for loans granted to small and medium-sized enterprises and small mid-market capitals by	D.3:Subsidies	2020	0	0.1		
	The Investment Grants programme provides non-repayable external financial support under the Competitiveness Operational Programme 2014-2020 in the context of the COVID-19 crisis, whose activity has been affected by the spread of the SARS-CoV-2 virus.	D.3:Subsidies	2020	0.1	0.3		
	GEO nr.224/2020 on measures to provide financial support to tourism enterprises, accommodation facilities, restaurants and tourism agencies affected in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic as well as on fiscal measures (commitment appropriations)	D.3:Subsidies	2021		0.2		
	Provisions related to guarantees issued in 2020 for Covid measures (mainly related to SME Invest Romania)	D99p — Other capital transfers	31.12.2020	4-			
	Sub Increase the manufactured level in order to comply with the provisions of Art. 10 (2) of Council Directive 2011/64/EU on the structure and rates of excise duty applied on manufacturing.	total D.2 — Taxes on production and imports	2020	<b>1.5</b> 0.1	-0.1	-1.3	
	Employees that have working part time to pay social contributions at the level fo the income.	D.61 — Social contributions	2020	-0.1			
<i>Non-temporary</i> measures <sup>2</sup>	Updating the excise duties for energy products	D.2 — Taxes on production and imports	2020	-0.3		0.0	
	Granting of bonuses for the payments in advance by 25.04.2020, representation CIT for the first quarter of 2020 (GEO 33/2020) — COVID-19 revenue measure	D.5 — Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	2020	-0.1			
	Elimination of the tax on part of the bank assets introduced last year	D.5 — Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	2020	-0.1		-0.2  0.0 -0.1  0  0 -0.1  -0.1  -0.4  -0.2  0 -1.3	
		total		-0.5			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Measures planned to be financed by grants below RRF are excluded.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The temporary measures concern those discretionary measures which have no budgetary impact after 2022, corresponding to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon.By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1 % of GDP or more until at least 2023 shall be considered permanent measures.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

Cuarantees granted by EximBank, on behalf of and on behalf of the State, to support SMEs with total turnover above EUR 20 million in 2019 and to large companies in the context of the Covid-19 pandemic. The scheme became operation since 07.10.200.	able 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to	me i i o	grannin	5
total furnour above EUR 2D million in 2019 and to large companies in the context of the Covid-19 pandemic. The scheme became operational since 07 1.0220.  Government Emergency Ordinance No 37/2020, Programme for granting facilities for loans granted by oredit institutions and non-bank financial institutions to certain categories of borrowers. The man objective of the Programme is to suspend at the request of the borrowers by oreditions up to 9 months but no longer than 15 March 2011, to borrowers whose reverues have been directly or indirectly affected by the severe situation caused by the COVID-19 pandemic.  Government Emergency Ordinance No 118/2020, Support Programme for Small and Medium-sized Enterprises — SMEs renting out the equipment and machinery programme. The objective of the programme is to susport companies' access to finance for their activity, in particular those that need to transfer trachrology into production processes, but also be ensure the recessary financial fittee in the control of the Covid the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic.  Overnment Emergency Orden No 119/2017, Support Programme for Small and Medium-sized Enterprises. — SME interests of MSME updated in 2020 in the context of the Covid pandemic. The objective is to provide guarantee facilities by the State for loans granted to small and medium-sized distributions. The maximal duration of funding is 27 months for investing capital to small and medium-sized sometimes and will be reministed in the size months for working capital bioans/crodit lines, Working fund appropriators/crodit lines may be extended by a maximum of 36 months and will be reministed in the late of the section of the covid pandemic. In accordance with Government Emergency Orden No 139/2020  Guarantee granted to the National Company for Air Transport — Tarom Sk to compensate for the ecoromic losses incurred in the context of the COVID19 pandemic, in accordance with Government Emergency Orden No 139/2020  Quarantee inhed to the SURE instrument, GD 584/2020  Quarantee inhed to the SU	Measures		amount of contingent liabilities	
granted by credit institutions and non-bank financial institutions to cartain categories of the prospect of the borrowers. The main objective of the programme is to suspend aft the request of the borrowers by creditions up to 9 months but no longer than 16 March 2021, to borrowers who such a contract of the contract	total turnover above EUR 20 million in 2019 and to large companies in the context of the Covid-19	30.09.2020	0.2	0.02
sized Enterprises — SMEs renting out the equipment and machinery programme. The objective of the programme is to support companies' access to finance for their activity, in particular those that need to transfer technology into production processes, but also to ensure the necessary financial flows in the context of the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic.  In response to COVID-19  Government Emergency Order No 110/2017, Support Programme for Small and Medium-sized Enterprises — SME invests ROMANIA, updated in 2020 in the context of the Covid pandemic. The objective is to provide guarantee facilities by the State for loans granted to small and medium-sized enterprises, hereinafter referred to as beneficiancies, by credit institutions. The maximum duration of funding is 72 months for investment loans and 36 months for working capital loans/credit lines. Working Ind proprepriations chredit lines may be extended by a maximum of 36 months and will be enimbursed in the last year of extension under the conditions laid down in the implementing rules for this emergency ordinance.  Guarantee granted to the National Company for Air Transport — Tarom SA to compensate for the economic losses incurred in the context of the COVID19 pandemic, in accordance with Government Emergency Order No 139/2020  Guarantee granted to Blue-Air AVIATION SA to compensate for economic losses incurred in the context of the COVID19 pandemic, in accordance with Government Emergency Order No 139/2020  Guarantee linked to the SURE instrument, GD 594/2020  Guarantees given by EximBank on behalf of and on behalf of the State (on market terms) for bank loans  Note No annual budget is allocated. Guarantees shall be issued within the exposure limit of the account of the State (on market terms) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/customer group  Counter-guarantees for SMEs ('SME Guarantee Place') granted by EximBank on behalf of and on behalf of the State (market conditions) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/customer group  Government Eme	granted by credit institutions and non-bank financial institutions to certain categories of borrowers. The main objective of the Programme is to suspend at the request of the borrower the outstanding loan instalments, representing capital rates, interest and fees, granted to borrowers by creditors up to 9 months but no longer than 15 March 2021, to borrowers whose revenues have	30.03.2020	0.02	0.02
COVID-19  Government Emergency Order No 110/2017, Support Programme for Small and Medium-sized enterprises — SME invests ROMANIA, updated in 2020 in the context of the Covid pandemic. The objective is to provide guarantee facilities by the State for loans granted to small and medium-sized enterprises, hereinafter referred to as beneficiaries, by credit institutions. The maximum duration of funding is 72 months for investment loans and 36 months and will be reinhoused in the last year of extension under the conditions laid down in the implementing unles for this emergency ordinance.  Guarantee granted to the National Company for Air Transport — Tarom SA to compensate for the economic losses incurred in the context of the COVID19 pandemic, in accordance with context of the COVID19 pandemic, in accordance with Government Emergency Order No 139/2020  Guarantee granted to Blue-Air AVIATION SA to compensate for economic losses incurred in the context of the COVID19 pandemic, in accordance with Government Emergency Order No 139/2020  Guarantee linked to the SURE instrument, GD 594/2020  Guarantee linked to the SURE instrument, GD 594/2020  Guarantee siven by EximBank on behalf of and on behalf of the State (on market terms) for bank loans  Note: No annual budget is allocated Guarantees shall be issued within the exposure limit of the guarantee fund provided for in Article 10 (a) of Law No nr.96/2000, republished.  Guarantees for SMES ("SME Guarantee Place") granted by EximBank on behalf of and for the account of the State (on market terms) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/customer group  Counter-guarantees granted by EximBank on behalf of and on behalf of the State (market conditions) for the Bank's LGs  Note:No annual budget is allocated Guarantees shall be issued within the exposure limit of the account of the State (market conditions) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/customer group  Outlines grantees facilitating the absorption of European funds (European Funds Guarantee Place) g	sized Enterprises — SMEs renting out the equipment and machinery programme. The objective of the programme is to support companies' access to finance for their activity, in particular those that need to transfer technology into production processes, but also to ensure the necessary financial flows in the context of the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic.		0.14	0
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context of the COVID19 pandemic, in accordance with Government Emergency Order No 139/2020  Guarantee linked to the SURE instrument, GD 594/2020  Subtotal  Guarantees given by EximBank on behalf of and on behalf of the State (on market terms) for bank loans Note:No annual budget is allocated.Guarantees shall be issued within the exposure limit of the guarantee fund provided for in Article 10 (a) of Law No nr.96/2000, republished.  Guarantees for SMEs ("SME Guarantee Place") granted by EximBank on behalf of and for the account of the State (on market terms) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/customer group  Counter-guarantees granted by EximBank on behalf of and on behalf of the State (market conditions) for the Bank's LGs Note:No annual budget is allocated.Guarantees shall be issued within the exposure limit of the guarantee fund provided for in Article 10 (a) of Law No nr.96/2000, republished.  Guarantees facilitating the absorption of European funds (European Funds Guarantee Place) granted by EximBank on behalf of and for the account of the State (market conditions) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/customer group  Government Emergency Order No 60/2009 on implementing measures for the Casa Nouà programme  Government Emergency Ordinance No 66/2014, Programme to support the acquisition by natural persons of new vehicles Government Emergency Ordinance No 50/2018 on measures for the implementation of the "investis in tine" programme  Subtotal	economic losses incurred in the context of the COVID19 pandemic, in accordance with	19.08.2020	0.01	0.01
Guarantees given by EximBank on behalf of and on behalf of the State (on market terms) for bank loans  Note:No annual budget is allocated. Guarantees shall be issued within the exposure limit of the guarantee fund provided for in Article 10 (a) of Law No nr.96/2000, republished.  Guarantees for SMEs ("SME Guarantee Place") granted by EximBank on behalf of and for the account of the State (on market terms) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/customer group  Counter-guarantees granted by EximBank on behalf of and on behalf of the State (market conditions) for the Bank's LGs Note:No annual budget is allocated. Guarantees shall be issued within the exposure limit of the guarantee fund provided for in Article 10 (a) of Law No nr.96/2000, republished.  Guarantees facilitating the absorption of European funds (European Funds Guarantee Place) granted by EximBank on behalf of and for the account of the State (market conditions) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/customer group  Government Emergency Order No 60/2009 on implementing measures for the Casa Nouă programme  Government Emergency Ordinance No 66/2014, Programme to support the acquisition by natural persons of new vehicles  Government Emergency Ordinance No 50/2018 on measures for the implementation of the "investis in tine" programme  Subtotal	context of the COVID19 pandemic, in accordance with Government Emergency Order No	19.08.2020	0.03	0.03
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loans Note:No annual budget is allocated. Guarantees shall be issued within the exposure limit of the guarantee fund provided for in Article 10 (a) of Law No nr.96/2000, republished.  Guarantees for SMEs ("SME Guarantee Place") granted by EximBank on behalf of and for the account of the State (on market terms) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/customer group  Counter-guarantees granted by EximBank on behalf of and on behalf of the State (market conditions) for the Bank's LGs Note:No annual budget is allocated.Guarantees shall be issued within the exposure limit of the guarantee fund provided for in Article 10 (a) of Law No nr.96/2000, republished.  Guarantees facilitating the absorption of European funds (European Funds Guarantee Place) granted by EximBank on behalf of and for the account of the State (market conditions) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/customer group  Government Emergency Order No 60/2009 on implementing measures for the Casa Nouă programme  Government Emergency Ordinance No 66/2014, Programme to support the acquisition by natural persons of new vehicles  Government Emergency Ordinance No 50/2018 on measures for the implementation of the "investis in tine" programme  Subtotal			2.5	1.4
account of the State (on market terms) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/customer group  Counter-guarantees granted by EximBank on behalf of and on behalf of the State (market conditions) for the Bank's LGs Note:No annual budget is allocated. Guarantees shall be issued within the exposure limit of the guarantee fund provided for in Article 10 (a) of Law No nr.96/2000, republished.  Guarantees facilitating the absorption of European funds (European Funds Guarantee Place) granted by EximBank on behalf of and for the account of the State (market conditions) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/customer group  Government Emergency Order No 60/2009 on implementing measures for the Casa Nouă programme  Government Emergency Ordinance No 66/2014, Programme to support the acquisition by natural persons of new vehicles  Government Emergency Ordinance No 50/2018 on measures for the implementation of the "investis in tine" programme  Subtotal  28.04,2016  0.01  06.08.2016  n.a.  01.00  08.00.8.2016  0.10  08.00.8.2016  09.01	loans Note:No annual budget is allocated.Guarantees shall be issued within the exposure limit of the	06.08.2016	n.a.	0.1
Conditions) for the Bank's LGs Note:No annual budget is allocated.Guarantees shall be issued within the exposure limit of the guarantee fund provided for in Article 10 (a) of Law No nr.96/2000, republished.  Guarantees facilitating the absorption of European funds (European Funds Guarantee Place) granted by EximBank on behalf of and for the account of the State (market conditions) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/customer group  Government Emergency Order No 60/2009 on implementing measures for the Casa Nouă programme  Government Emergency Ordinance No 66/2014, Programme to support the acquisition by natural persons of new vehicles  Government Emergency Ordinance No 50/2018 on measures for the implementation of the "investis in tine" programme  Subtotal  0.0  0.0  0.0  0.1  0.1  0.0  0.0  0.	account of the State (on market terms) for loans not exceeding RON 1,5 million per client/custome	r 28.04.2016	0.01	0.01
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persons of new vehicles  Government Emergency Ordinance No 50/2018 on measures for the implementation of the "investis in tine" programme  Subtotal  15.10,2014  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0	programme	03.06.2009	0.2	0.1
"investis in tine" programme Subtotal 21.06.2018 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	persons of new vehicles	15.10.2014	0	0
i i	"investis in tine" programme	21.06.2018		
Total   2.7   1.7	·		i e	

<sup>\*</sup> ceiling 2020 for guarantee programmes \*\* Excess on 31.12.2020 — Preliminary data

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)									
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026									
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections		0.1	0.6	1.2	1.2	0.9	0.9		
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU 0 0 0 0 0									

Expenditure finance	d by RRF	grants (%	6 of GDP)				
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41							
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7							
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE		0	0	0	0	0	0
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g		0.1	0.6	1.2	1.2	0.9	0.9
Capital transfers D.9		0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE		0.1	0.6	1.2	1.2	0.9	0.9

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Reduction in tax revenue		0	0	0	0	0	0			
Other costs with impact on revenue 0 0 0 0 0 0										
Financial transactions		0	0	0	0	0	0			

Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
2020         2021         2022         2023         2024         2025         2026										
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU		0	0	0	0.7	0	0			
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU 0 0 0 0 0										

Expenditure financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Compensation of employees D.1										
Intermediate consumption P.2										
Social payments D.62+D.632										
Interest expenditure D.41										
Subsidies, payable D.3										
Current transfers D.7										
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE		0	0	0	0	0	0			
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g		0	0	0	0	0	0			
Capital transfers D.9		0	0	0	0	2.3	2.5			
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE		0	0	0	0	2.3	2.5			

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026										
Reduction in tax revenue		0	0	0	0	0	0			
Other costs with impact on revenue 0 0 0 0 0 0										
Financial transactions		0	0	0	0	0	0			

## 24. SLOVENIA

Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	2025	2026
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-5.5	-5.5	4.9	4.6	5.1	4.4	3.3	3.0	2.5	2.5
Private consumption (% change)	-9.7	-9.7	4.4	4.0	5.6	4.7	2.9	2.3	1.7	1.7
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-4.1	-4.1	7.2	9.0	9.5	8.0	6.5	6.5	6.0	5.0
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-8.7	-8.7	9.5	8.6	7.5	7.3	5.5	4.9	4.1	3.9
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-10.2	-10.2	9.8	8.8	8.3	8.1	6.1	5.4	4.6	4.2
Contributions to real GDP growth:										
- Final domestic demand	-5.6	-6.0	4.1	3.9	4.9	4.2	3.2	2.9	2.5	2.3
- Change in inventories	-0.4	-0.4	0.0	-0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.7	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.2
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-3.4	-3.4	-1.6	-1.6	0.0	-0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1	-0.2
Employment (% change)	-1.0	-1.0	0.9	8.0	2.0	1.5	1.5	1.2	0.9	8.0
Unemployment rate (%)	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.8	4.8	4.5	4.2	4.0	3.9
Labour productivity (% change)	-4.6	-4.6	3.9	3.8	3.0	2.8	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.7
HICP inflation (%)	-0.3	-0.1	0.8	8.0	1.7	1.2	1.7	2.1	2.0	1.9
GDP deflator (% change)	1.3	1.3	1.2	0.1	1.3	1.5	1.8	2.1	2.0	2.0
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	2.3	2.3	2.0	2.9	1.4	1.8	2.5	3.2	3.3	3.3
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	7.0	7.0	4.0	n.a.	2.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

Note:

<sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

Source.

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
,	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,							
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	-0.1	-3.6	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	0.0	-0.5	n.a.	-0.3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	-0.1	-1.4	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	0.1	-0.1	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	-0.1	-1.6	n.a.	0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-5.5	-1.1	-0.7	2.4	2.0	1.8	1.2
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-5.6	0.3	1.6	2.3	2.2	0.6	0.2
Change in the structural balance	-5.0	-1.0	-1.0	3.0	2.3	1.7	0.9

Note:

Source:

Stability Programme (SP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
· ,	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	43.6	43.0	43.5	43.0	43.1	42.5	42.0	-1.6
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	12.9	12.8	12.8	12.9	12.6	12.4	12.2	-0.7
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.6	7.6	0.2
- Social contributions	17.4	16.8 6.2	16.9 6.5	16.4	16.6 6.6	16.4	16.3 5.9	-1.1 -0.1
- Other (residual)  RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	6.0	0.2	0.6	6.4 0.6	1.2	6.1 0.7	0.2	-0.1 n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	n.a.
Expenditure	52.0	51.5	52.1	47.7	48.8	46.4	44.8	-7.2
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- Primary expenditure	50.3	50.0	50.6	46.4	47.5	45.2	43.6	-6.7
of which:								
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	19.3	18.9	19.1	18.1	18.4	17.5	16.8	-2.5
Compensation of employees	12.7	12.5	12.6	11.9	12.2	11.6	11.2	-1.5
Intermediate consumption	6.6	6.4	6.5	6.2	6.3	5.8	5.6	-1.0
Social payments	19.7	20.0	20.2	18.6	19.1	18.6	18.2	-1.5
Subsidies	3.9	1.8	2.1	0.7	1.0	1.0	0.9	-3.0
Gross fixed capital formation	4.2	5.8	6.2	5.8	6.2	5.6	5.2	1.0
Other (residual) - Interest expenditure	3.3 1.6	3.5 1.5	3.0 1.5	3.1 1.3	2.7 1.3	2.5 1.2	2.4 1.2	-0.9 -0.4
·	0.0	0.2	0.6	0.6	1.2	0.8	0.2	
Expenditure financed by RRF grants  General government balance (GGB)	- <b>8.4</b>	-8.5	- <b>8.6</b>	<b>-4.7</b>	-5.7	-3.8	-2.8	n.a. <b>5.6</b>
Primary balance	-6.8	-7.0	-7.1	-3.4	-4.3	-2.6	-1.6	5.0 5.2
GGB excl. one-offs	-8.3	-8.5	-8.5	-4.7	-5.6	-3.7	-2.7	5.6
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	16.0	4.7	2.3	-2.1	-2.4	0.9	2.6	-11.1
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	3.5	11.0	n.a.	3.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	17.4	1.3	-2.1	-2.7	-3.1	1.9	3.1	-11.7
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	3.7	7.8	n.a.	3.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup> Other indicators	3.3	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.7	4.0	4.2	0.9
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-3.4	-1.6	-1.6	0.0	-0.2	0.2	0.3	3.7
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-6.8	-7.7	-7.9	-4.7	-5.6	-3.9	-3.0	3.9
One-offs	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1	0.0
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-6.7	-7.7	-7.8	-4.7	-5.5	-3.8	-2.9	3.9
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-5.1	-6.2	-6.3	-3.4	-4.2	-2.6	-1.7	3.4
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#### Notes.

Stability Programme (SP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

 $<sup>^3</sup>$  Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs  $\underline{\textit{Source}}$  :

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024
(% 01 GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	74.2	80.8	79.0	80.4	76.7	79.6	79.0	78.0
Change in the ratio	-2.9	15.2	-1.9	-0.4	-2.2	-0.8	-0.6	-1.0
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-1.8	6.8	7.0	7.1	3.4	4.3	2.6	1.6
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-1.2	4.6	-3.1	-2.1	-3.4	-3.1	-2.7	-2.6
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	2.5	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.2
Growth effect	-2.6	3.8	-3.7	-3.6	-3.8	-3.3	-2.5	-2.3
Inflation effect	-1.1	-0.9	-0.9	-0.1	-0.9	-1.2	-1.4	-1.5
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.1	3.9	-5.7	-5.4	-2.2	-1.9	-0.5	0.0

## Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commissio	on scenario	_	convergence ne scenario
Short term	LOV	V risk		
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>	C	).4		
Medium term	MEDIL	JM risk		
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	2.1	MEDIUM risk	0.0	MEDIUM risk
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	MEDI	UM risk		
Baseline scenario	MEDI	UM risk		
Stochastic projections	MEDI	UM risk		
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	70	0.8	6	64.7
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	HIGI	H risk		
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	6.0	HIGH risk	4.1	MEDIUM risk

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

Table 4.	1a: Discretionary measures a	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue component)	Date of adoption		/ impact (% o	of GDP - char	
		. ,		2020	2021	2022	2023
	Allowances and supplements for special working conditions for public sector employees, concessionaires, private institutions	D.1	02-04-2020	0.7	-0.02	-0.5	-0.04
	Vouchers for citizens to be spent in tourism facilities in Slovenia	D.29+D.4+D.5+D.7+P.52+P.53 +K.2+D.8	29-05-2020	0.3	-0.1	-0.2	0
	Compensation to the providers of health care loss due to reduced activity	D.29+D.4+D.5+D.7+P.52+P.53 +K.2+D.8	29-05-2020	0.2	-0.2	0	0
	Financing private kindergartens, coverage restricted range of student dormitory services, compensation of employees	D.29+D.4+D.5+D.7+P.52+P.53 +K.2+D.8	02-04-2020	0.1	-0.05	0	0
	Other measures	D.29+D.4+D.5+D.7+P.52+P.53 +K.2+D.8	Adopted (various dates)	0.04	0.02	-0.1	0
	Humanitarian aid / donations / vaccines	D.29+D.4+D.5+D.7+P.52+P.53 +K.2+D.8	Adopted (various dates)	0.01	0	-0.01	0
	Exemption from payment of contributions for pension and disability insurance for working employees	D.3	02-04-2020	0.9	-0.9	0	0
	Wage compensations for employees waiting at home	D.3	02-04-2020	0.9	-0.6	-0.2	0
	Coverage of fix costs	D.3	25-11-2020	0.3	0.3	-0.5	0
	Payment of social contributions for employees waiting at home	D.3	02-04-2020	0.3	-0.3	0	0
	Stimulation of business and development of tourism	D.3	25-11-2020	0.1	-0.1	-0.01	0
	Short time work scheme (subsidised working time)	D.3	29-05-2020	0.1	-0.04	-0.03	0
	Wage compensations for employees in quarantine (Art.2. ZIUPPP)	D.3	20-03-2020	0.04	0.1	-0.1	0
	Coverage of costs of sick leave pay for all workers during the epidemic from the first day onwards	D.3	02-04-2020	0.04	-0.02	-0.02	0
	Compensation to the providers of health care loss due to reduced activity - concessionaires	D.3	29-05-2020	0.03	-0.03	0	0
	Finance support for corporations by performing COVID tests	D.3	29-12-2020	0	0.01	-0.01	0
	Reimbursement of crisis salary bonus/supplement	D.3	02-04-2020	0	0.1	-0.1	0
	Exemption from payment of chargers for the use of water, water right concessions and reduced tax base for income from water rights	D.5	02-04-2020	0.02	-0.01	0	0
	Single payment solidarity assistance for pensioners	D.62+D.63+D.621+D.624+D.63 1	02-04-2020	0.3	-0.3	0	0
	Special assistance in the form of a monthly basic income for self-employed workers, farmers etc. (5th package)	D.62+D.63+D.621+D.624+D.63 1	15-10-2020	0.3	0.2	-0.4	0
	Special assistance in the form of a monthly basic income for self-employed workers, farmers etc.	D.62+D.63+D.621+D.624+D.63 1	02-04-2020	0.2	-0.2	0	0
	Exemption from payment of social contributions for self- employed workers, farmers etc.	D.62+D.63+D.621+D.624+D.63 1	02-04-2020	0.1	-0.1	0	0
	Coverage of income loss, reimbursement of maintenance costs, direct co-financing of measures in the field of social protection	D.62+D.63+D.621+D.624+D.63 1	15-10-2020	0.1	-0.1	0	0
	Single payment solidarity assistance for vulnerable groups, students, allowance to large families, support to long-term care providers (costs and human resources), temporary (financial) compensation	D.62+D.63+D.621+D.624+D.63 1	02-04-2020	0.1	0.01	-0.1	0
	Exemption from parental payment for kindergartens	D.62+D.63+D.621+D.624+D.63 1	02-04-2020	0.02	0	-0.02	0
	Influenza vaccination and additional funds for Health Insurance Institute of Slovenia	D.62+D.63+D.621+D.624+D.63 1	15-10-2020	0.01	0.02	-0.03	0
	Protective equipment, tests, co-financing of protection and rescue for local communities and co-financing of stocks (Agency for Commodity Reserves)	P.2	Adopted (various dates)	0.2	-0.2	0.03	-0.062
	Additional health programs, implementation of microbiological tests and support to performing public service to National Institute for Health	P.2	15-10-2020	0.02	0.01	-0.03	0
	Medical protective equipment, funds intended to increase health capacity	P.51	29-05-2020	0.03	-0.03	0	0
	Investments, protective equipment, financing of the Information and communication technology, epidemic management, cooperation in global response to COVID-	P.51	Adopted (various dates)	0.02	-0.01	0	0
		ubtotal		5.2	-2.3	-2.4	-0.1
Non-temporary							
measures <sup>2</sup>							
IIICasules		ubtotal					
		Total					

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
In	Guarantee Act of the Republic of Slovenia in the European Instrument for Temporary Support for Mitigation of Unemployment Risks in Emergencies (SURE) after the outbreak of COVID-19 (ZPEIPUTB) 0.2 0.1		0.2	0.1
In response to COVID-19	mitigate the consequences of the COVID-19 epidemic (ZDLGPE)	28-04-2020	4.3	0.1
	19 Epidemic and Mitigate Its Consequences for Citizens and the Economy (ZIUZEOP) 02/04/2020 0.4 0.1	02-04-2020	0.04	0.1
Others	Subtotal  Guarantee Act of the Republic of Slovenia for liabilities of the company 2TDK doo from loans and debt securities leased or issued to finance the construction of the second track of the Divača – Koper railway line and for liabilities of DARS dd from loans and debt securities leased or issued for financing construction of part of the 3rd development axis (ZPOD2TDK)	18-12-2019	4.9 1.7	0.4
	Subtotal		1.7	0.2
	Total		6.6	0.6

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)											
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026											
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU	n.a.	0	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2				
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU n.a. 0 0.1 0.2 0.3 0.4 0.2											

Expenditure finan	ced by RF	RF loans	(% of GDI	P)				
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	
Compensation of employees D.1					-	-		
Intermediate consumption P.2								
Social payments D.62+D.632	n.a.							
Interest expenditure D.41								
Subsidies, payable D.3	0	0	0	0.02	0.04	0.1	0.05	
Current transfers D.7								
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0	0	0.02	0.04	0.1	0.05	
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0	0	0.07	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2	
Capital transfers D.9								
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	0	0.07	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2	

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)											
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026											
Reduction in tax revenue											
Other costs with impact on revenue n.a.											
Financial transactions											

Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)											
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026											
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections	0	0.6	1.2	0.7	0.2	0.3	0.3				
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU 0 0.8 1.1 0.7 0.2 0.3 0.3											

Expenditure financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)												
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026					
Compensation of employees D.1	0	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01					
Intermediate consumption P.2	0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0					
Social payments D.62+D.632	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Interest expenditure D.41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Subsidies, payable D.3	0	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1					
Current transfers D.7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1					
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.2					
Capital transfers D.9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.2					

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)											
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026											
Reduction in tax revenue		-	-		<del>-</del>	-	-				
Other costs with impact on revenue				n.a.							
Financial transactions											

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Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	SP	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Real GDP (% change)	-4.8	-4.8	4.8	3.3	5.2	6.3	2.8	0.3
Private consumption (% change)	-1.0	-1.1	0.8	-3.3	5.2	6.8	2.7	2.4
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	-12.0	-11.9	8.6	8.0	12.5	11.9	8.4	-10.9
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-7.5	-7.2	12.2	10.6	5.3	4.8	4.2	3.6
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-8.3	-8.5	10.9	8.8	5.6	5.3	4.1	2.0
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-3.1	-3.6	2.7	-1.1	5.4	6.2	3.9	-1.2
- Change in inventories	-2.4	-2.8	0.8	2.5	0.0	0.4	-1.4	-0.3
- Net exports	0.7	1.0	1.3	2.0	-0.2	-0.3	0.3	1.7
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-3.9	-3.5	-1.4	-2.1	0.8	1.4	1.5	-0.1
Employment (% change)	-1.9	-1.9	-0.6	-0.4	8.0	0.9	1.2	0.3
Unemployment rate (%)	6.7	6.7	7.4	7.1	6.6	6.5	5.4	4.7
Labour productivity (% change)	-2.9	-3.4	5.4	3.7	4.4	5.3	1.6	0.0
HICP inflation (%)	2.0	2.0	1.5	1.1	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.3
GDP deflator (% change)	2.4	2.4	1.5	1.4	2.3	2.1	2.8	2.6
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	3.3	1.9	4.0	5.0	4.7	5.0	5.5	4.6
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	-1.6	0.0	-0.4	0.5	-0.6	0.5	0.6	1.0

### Note:

### Source:

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)		2021		2022		2023	2024
		COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	ا ۾ ا	4.0		00			
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup>	8.0-	-1.9	n.a.	0.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
of which contribution from:							
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	-0.1	-0.2	n.a.	-0.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	0.4	-0.1	n.a.	0.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	-0.3	0.6	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	-0.9	-2.2	n.a.	1.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-2.4	-1.5	0.4	1.1	-0.3	0.0	-0.1
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-2.7	-1.2	-1.9	1.5	0.8	1.0	1.4
Change in the structural balance	-2.4	-1.3	-0.8	1.6	0.0	1.0	0.9

Note:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Source:
Stability Programme (SP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	41.8	41.8	41.6	41.6	40.5	41.5	40.0	-1.8
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	12.2	11.8	11.7	11.7	11.6	11.6	11.3	-0.9
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	6.8	7.1	6.9	7.1	6.8	6.9	6.9	0.1
- Social contributions	15.9	15.7	16.1	15.4	15.4	15.3	15.4	-0.5
- Other (residual)  RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	7.0	7.2 0.2	6.9	7.5 1.0	6.7	7.7	6.4	-0.6
	00	0.2	n.a.		n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants  Expenditure	0.0 <b>48.0</b>	48.2	0.0 <b>51.6</b>	0.0 <b>45.7</b>	0.0 <b>45.7</b>	0.0 <b>45.6</b>	0.0 <b>43.9</b>	0.0 <b>-4.1</b>
of which:	40.0	40.2	31.0	45.7	43.7	45.0	40.9	<b>~</b> ₩.1
- Primary expenditure	46.7	47.1	50.6	44.6	44.8	44.7	42.8	-3.9
of which:	'0.,	''''	00.0	11.0	11.0	''''	12.0	0.0
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	17.5	17.0	19.2	16.6	17.1	17.3	16.8	-0.7
Compensation of employees	11.5	11.3	11.3	11.1	10.3	10.0	10.0	-1.5
Intermediate consumption	6.1	5.8	7.9	5.5	6.7	7.3	6.9	0.8
Social payments	21.3	21.8	22.9	20.0	20.1	19.6	19.7	-1.6
Subsidies	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.2	-0.2
Gross fixed capital formation	3.5	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.7	3.1	-0.4
Other (residual)	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.0	2.7	2.7	2.1	-1.0
- Interest expenditure	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.1	-0.1
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.2	0.2	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.3
General government balance (GGB)	-6.2	-6.5	-9.9	-4.1	-5.1	4.1	-3.8	2.4
Primary balance GGB excl. one-offs	-4.9 -6.2	-5.3 -6.5	-8.9 -6.4	-3.0 -4.1	-4.2 -5.1	-3.2 -4.1	-2.8 -3.8	2.1 2.4
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates	-0.2	-0.5	-0.4	~4.1	-3.1		-3.0	2.4
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	10.2	6.8	9.0	0.1	2.8	2.4	0.6	-5.2
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency	6.4	7.9	n.a.	0.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
measures) growth rate (%)								
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	10.5	8.4	13.4	1.4	-4.8	1.7	1.0	-10.6
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	6.9	9.5	n.a.	1.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	4.6	3.8	3.8	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	0.0
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-3.9	-1.4	-2.1	0.8	1.4	1.5	-0.1	3.4
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-4.7	-6.0	-9.1	-4.4	-5.6	-4.7	-3.8	1.1
One-offs	0.0	0.0	-3.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-4.7	-6.0	-5.6	-4.4	-5.6	-4.7	-3.8	1.1
Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-3.4	<b>-</b> 4.8	-4.6	-3.3	-4.7	-3.8	-2.7	0.9
Notes:				1 0.0		1 3.0		

Notes:

Stability Programme (SP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(% of GDP)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024
(% 01 GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	50.7	60.6	59.5	64.1	59.0	65.5	64.6	65.8
Change in the ratio	-1.1	12.3	-1.1	3.5	-0.5	1.4	-0.9	1.2
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	0.2	4.9	5.3	8.9	3.0	4.2	3.2	2.8
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-0.6	2.7	-2.4	-1.7	-3.1	-4.0	-2.5	-0.8
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	1.5	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.1
Growth effect	-1.6	2.4	-2.7	-1.9	-2.9	-3.7	-1.7	-0.2
Inflation effect	-0.5	-0.9	-0.9	-0.8	-1.3	-1.2	-1.7	-1.6
3. Stock-flow adjustment	-0.7	4.7	-4.0	-3.6	-0.3	1.3	-1.5	-0.8

### Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commiss	ion scenario	Stability or convergend programme scenario			
Short term	HIG	6H risk				
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) <sup>[1]</sup>		0.5				
Medium term	MED	IUM risk				
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	dium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2] 1.9 MEDIUM risk		0.6	MEDIUM risk		
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	MED	IUM risk		•		
Baseline scenario	LO	W risk				
Stochastic projections	LO	W risk				
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	Ę	58.2		60.3		
Long term [5]	HIGH risk					
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	indicator (S2) [6] 8.2 HIGH risk		6.4	HIGH risk		
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Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue component)	Date of adoption	Budgetar change	from pre	vious y	
Temporary	n.a.			2020	12021	LULL	2020
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal						
Non- temporary	n.a.						
measures <sup>2</sup>	Subtotal						
	Total	_	<u> </u>	_	_		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
	anti-Covid19 guarantees (cumulative 2020 and 2021)	2020		1.6
In response to				
COVID-19				
	Subtotal		0	1.6
	EFSF and ESM		9.4	
	international financial institutions		1.4	
Others	state-owned financial institutions			0.3
Others				
	Subtotal		10.7	0.3
	Total		10.7	1.9

## **Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants**

Table 1.2a. 10th Grants										
Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2025	2026							
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections	na									
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU	n.a.									

Expenditure financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Compensation of employees D.1			-	-	-	-				
Intermediate consumption P.2										
Social payments D.62+D.632										
Interest expenditure D.41										
Subsidies, payable D.3				n a						
Current transfers D.7				n.a.						
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE										
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g										
Capital transfers D.9										
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE										

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Reduction in tax revenue		•	•		•					
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

Table 4.2b: RRF- Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025									
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU	n.a.									
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU										

Expenditure financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Compensation of employees D.1			•							
Intermediate consumption P.2										
Social payments D.62+D.632										
Interest expenditure D.41										
Subsidies, payable D.3										
Current transfers D.7				n.a.						
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE										
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g										
Capital transfers D.9										
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE										

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Reduction in tax revenue			-							
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

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Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

_	SP	СОМ	0.0	!			
.8   -		COIVI	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
	-2.8	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.5	1.5	1.4
.9 -	-4.9	3.4	3.5	3.6	2.9	1.6	1.6
.1   -	-3.1	2.1	-0.2	3.4	3.5	2.8	2.1
.6 -	-6.6	5.1	4.6	7.0	4.7	3.7	2.2
.6 -	-6.6	5.9	4.1	5.8	3.8	3.1	2.2
.8 -	-2.8	3.0	2.3	2.3	2.3	1.1	1.3
1 (	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	-0.2	0.1	0.0
0   0	0.0	-0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.1
.6 -	-3.5	-2.3	-2.1	-1.0	-0.9	-0.4	0.1
.5 -	-1.5	0.9	0.1	1.1	1.2	0.6	0.4
8   7	7.8	7.6	7.8	7.2	7.2	6.9	6.7
.3 -	-1.3	1.8	2.5	1.6	1.3	0.9	0.9
4 (	0.4	1.2	1.5	1.2	1.7	1.9	1.8
7   '	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.8
.1 -	-0.1	2.1	4.4	2.0	2.6	2.5	2.4
4 (	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
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### Note:

### Source:

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)	2020	2021		2022		2023	2024
	COM	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	۱	اما		ا م د			
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	1.2	-1.2	n.a.	0.5	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	0.0	-0.2	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	0.0	-0.1	n.a.	0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	0.1	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	1.2	-0.8	n.a.	0.4	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-1.6	0.2	0.1	1.9	1.3	0.5	8.0
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-1.7	0.4	0.1	1.8	1.2	0.4	0.8
Change in the structural balance	-2.1	0.1	-0.1	1.7	1.1	0.5	0.1

Note.

Stability Programme (SP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Source

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
,	COM	COM	SP	СОМ	SP	SP	SP	SP
Revenue	51.2	51.7	51.6	51.5	51.1	51.0	50.7	-0.5
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	13.8	13.9	13.9	14.0	13.6	13.4	13.2	-0.6
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	15.9	15.7	15.8	15.4	15.7	15.6	15.6	-0.3
- Social contributions	11.6	12.0	12.2	11.8	12.0	12.0	12.0	0.4
- Other (residual)	9.9	10.1	9.7	10.3	9.8	10.0	9.9	0.0
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	n.a.
Expenditure	56.7	56.3	56.3	53.6	54.0	53.1	52.3	-4.4
of which:		0	o	F0.0	E0.0		F0.0	4.0
<ul> <li>Primary expenditure         of which:</li> </ul>	56.0	55.8	55.8	53.2	53.6	52.8	52.0	-4.0
Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	24.1	24.7	24.2	23.9	23.7	23.3	23.0	-1.1
Compensation of employees	12.8	12.9	n.a.	12.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Intermediate consumption	11.3	11.8	n.a.	11.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Social payments	22.6	21.5	22.0	21.2	21.5	21.3	21.2	-1.4
Subsidies	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	-0.7
Gross fixed capital formation	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.3	4.4	4.2	4.1	-0.5
Other (residual)	3.0	3.2	3.4	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.7	-0.3
- Interest expenditure	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	-0.4
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2
General government balance (GGB)	-5.4	-4.6	-4.7	-2.1	-2.9	-2.1	-1.7	3.7
Primary balance	-4.8	-4.1	-4.2	-1.7	-2.5	-1.8	-1.4	3.4
GGB excl. one-offs	-5.4	-4.6	-4.7	-2.1	-2.9	-2.1	-1.7	3.7
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	5.9	2.3	2.7	-0.9	0.4	2.0	1.4	-4.0
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	0.5	4.9	n.a.	1.7	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate $(\%)$	6.2	1.3	1.7	-0.1	1.3	2.1	1.5	-4.0
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	0.3	4.8	n.a.	2.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	0.3
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-3.6	-2.3	-2.1	-1.0	-0.9	-0.4	0.1	3.6
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-3.4	-3.3	-3.5	-1.5	-2.4	-1.9	-1.8	1.6
One-offs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-3.4	-3.3	-3.5	-1.5	-2.4	-1.9	-1.8	1.6
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Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup>	-2.7	-2.7	-3.0	-1.1	-2.0	-1.6	-1.5	1.3

### Notes:

#### Source.

Stability Programme (SP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

 $<sup>^3</sup>$  Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(9/, of CDD)	Average	2020	20	21	202	22	2023	2024
(% of GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	SP	COM	SP	SP	SP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	61.4	69.2	71.0	71.6	70.1	72.4	73.9	74.7
Change in the ratio	-0.1	9.7	1.8	2.4	-0.9	0.8	1.5	0.8
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	0.3	4.8	4.1	4.2	1.7	2.5	1.8	1.4
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-0.8	1.4	-2.5	-2.4	-2.6	-2.5	-2.1	-2.0
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	1.0	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
Growth effect	-1.1	1.7	-1.8	-1.7	-1.9	-1.7	-1.1	-1.0
Inflation effect	-0.7	-1.0	-1.1	-1.2	-1.2	-1.1	-1.3	-1.3
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.4	3.6	0.3	0.6	0.0	0.8	1.8	1.4

### Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Stability Programme (SP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commission	on scenario	Stability or convergen- programme scenario		
Short term	HIGI	H risk			
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) [1]	С	).5			
Medium term	LOW risk				
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	-0.1 LOW risk		-1.2	LOW risk	
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	LOV	V risk			
Baseline scenario	MEDI	JM risk			
Stochastic projections	LOV	V risk			
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	62	2.8	6	63.9	
Long term <sup>[5]</sup>	MEDIUM risk				
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) <sup>[6]</sup>	3.9 MEDIUM risk		3.0	MEDIUM ris	
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Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue	Date of adoption	Budgeta		of GDP - cha is year)	ange from
		component)		2020	2021	2022	2023
	Support for enterprises: grants provided for companies by Business Finland and ELY Centres, support for solvency of sole entrepreneurs, support for catering entrepreneurs, support for agricultural and natural resource economy enterprises, general cost support for companies, estimated increase in Finnvera's loss compensation, support for public transportation, capital injection fo Finavia, hybrid loan to Finnair	D.39	2020	1.0	-0.4	-0.5	0
	Extension of unemployment security: eliminating the waiting period, speeding up the layoff procedure, making entrepreneurs eligible for unemployment security, extending the payment period of startup grants, streamlining unemployment benefit payments, epidemic compensation	D.62	2020	0.2	-0.2	-0.05	0
	Extension of social benefits: support for individuals arriving from other countries and parents of small children, temporary increase in social assistance	D.62	2020	0.1	-0.1	0	0
Children and young people, and wellbeing of the elderly: free leisure activities early childhood education and care, basic education and general upper secondary education, guidance counselling and youth work, student health care, ensuring properly functioning services for the elderly	D.1	2020	0.1	-0.1	-0.01	0	
	Investment projects: basic transport infrastructure maintenance, developing the transport network, renovation construction, and public transport support. The sum for the year 2022 is based on a technical assumption concerning the timing of the projects.	P.51g	2020	0.1	-0.1	-0.01	0
	R&D&I, competence and wellbeing: additional starting places for higher education and developing continuous learning, research appropriations for the Academy of Finland, public employment and business services and developing the service structure.	D.1	2020	0.1	-0.1	-0.01	0
	Health and social services resources and equipment purchases, and covid-19 research	P.2	2020	0.5	0.3	-0.7	0
	Other expenditure increases arising from the coronavirus situation	D.39	2020	0.4	-0.3	-0.03	0
	Subtotal			2.6	-1.0	-1.3	0
Non- temporary measures <sup>2</sup>	Lowering of private-sector pension contributions for the period 1 May - 31 December 2020. Funding will come from the EMU buffer fund of the employment pension scheme. The buffer fund will be augmented again by raising the pension contributions for the period 2022-2025.	D.61	2020	-0.4	0.4	0.1	0.1
	Subtotal			-0.4	0.4	0.1	0.1
	ISTOTALO			-0.4	0.4	0.1	0.1

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
	Increase in Finnvera's domestic guarantee limit to 12 billion euros	2020	5.1	0.7
	Guarantee to Finnair's loan from employment pension institutions	2020	0.3	0.2
In response to	Guarantee to shipping companies to secure vital supplies	2020	0.3	0.02
COVID-19	Guarantee to secure financing of Employment Fund	2020	0.4	0
00115 10	European Commision's SURE program	2020	0.2	0.2
	EIB's COVID19-guarantee fund	2020	0.2	0.2
	Subtotal		6.3	1.3
	Other central government guarantees			24.8
Others				0.1.0
	Subtotal			24.8
	Total			26.1

**Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants** 

Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections	0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0			
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU	0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1			

Expenditure	financed by RRF	grants (%	of GDP)				
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632				n o			
Interest expenditure D.41				n.a.			
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7							
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.0
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0	0	0.1	0	0	0	0
Capital transfers D.9	0	0	0.1	0	0	0	0
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	0	0.1	0.1	0	0	0

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Reduction in tax revenue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Other costs with impact on revenue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Financial transactions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			

Table 4.2b: RRF-Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)										
	2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025									
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			

Expenditure	financed by RF	RF loans	(% of GD	P)			
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
Compensation of employees D.1							
Intermediate consumption P.2							
Social payments D.62+D.632							
Interest expenditure D.41				n.a.			
Subsidies, payable D.3							
Current transfers D.7							
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Capital transfers D.9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2										
Reduction in tax revenue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Other costs with impact on revenue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Financial transactions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			

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Table 1: Macroeconomic developments and forecasts

	20	20	20	21	20	22	2023	2024
	COM	СР	COM	СР	COM	СР	СР	CP
Real GDP (% change)	-2.8	-2.8	4.4	3.2	3.3	3.8	1.9	1.6
Private consumption (% change)	-4.7	-4.7	3.8	3.3	5.5	6.2	2.8	1.9
Gross fixed capital formation (% change)	0.6	0.6	2.0	2.6	3.6	3.4	2.6	2.2
Exports of goods and services (% change)	-5.2	-5.2	7.8	6.0	4.4	4.7	3.3	2.8
Imports of goods and services (% change)	-5.8	-5.8	6.8	6.2	3.7	4.6	3.2	2.6
Contributions to real GDP growth:								
- Final domestic demand	-2.1	-2.1	3.5	2.6	2.8	3.5	1.7	1.4
- Change in inventories	-0.8	-0.8	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Net exports	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.2
Output gap <sup>1</sup>	-4.8	-4.4	-2.5	-2.8	-1.4	-0.8	-0.5	-0.5
Employment (% change)	-1.3	-1.3	0.5	0.3	1.3	1.9	1.7	0.6
Unemployment rate (%)	8.3	8.3	8.2	8.7	7.5	7.9	7.0	7.0
Labour productivity (% change)	-1.5	-1.8	3.9	3.1	2.0	1.8	0.1	1.0
HICP inflation (%)	0.7	0.7	1.8	1.5	1.1	1.2	1.6	1.9
GDP deflator (% change)	1.4	1.4	1.6	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.8
Comp. of employees (per head, % change)	2.3	2.3	2.2	3.1	2.5	2.6	2.0	2.5
Net lending/borrowing vis-à-vis the rest of the world (% of GDP)	5.4	5.4	6.0	4.7	6.7	4.3	4.3	4.3
Note:								

### Note:

### Source:

Commission2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP).

Table 2a: Main indicators for fiscal surveillance

(% of GDP)	2020	2021		2022		2023	2024
	COM	COM	СР	COM	СР	СР	CP
Relevant indicators for fiscal guidance at this stage							
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure,	1.4	-2.2	n.a.	-0.2	n 0		n .
excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) <sup>1</sup> of which contribution from:	'.4	-2.2	II.a.	-0.2	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in expenditure financed by RRF grants and other	0.0	-0.1	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in nationally financed investments	0.0	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in other capital expenditure	0.2	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in net nationally financed primary current	1.3	-2.1	n.a.	-0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Fiscal stance (including EU-financed expenditure) <sup>1</sup>	-1.9	-1.3	n.a.	1.8	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Stability and Growth Pact indicators							
Expenditure benchmark	-2.0	-1.3	n.a.	1.9	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Change in the structural balance	-1.1	-1.4	-2.3	2.1	2.4	1.4	0.5

Note:

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In % of potential GDP, with potential GDP growth recalculated by Commission services on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A negative sign of the indicator corresponds to an excess of the primary expenditure growth compared with medium-term economic growth, which indicates an expansionary fiscal policy. For the definition of the fiscal impluse and fiscal adjustment indicators see the Box on p.3 of this Statistical Annex.

Source:

Table 2b: General government budgetary position

(% of GDP)	2020	20	21	20	22	2023	2024	Change: 2020-2024
,	COM	COM	СР	COM	СР	СР	СР	СР
Revenue	49.9	49.8	48.9	50.1	45.8	48.6	48.3	-1.6
of which:								
- Taxes on production and imports	21.7	22.0	21.8	22.5	21.7	22.0	21.9	0.2
- Current taxes on income, wealth, etc.	18.2	18.1	17.4	18.2	17.3	17.5	17.4	-0.8
- Social contributions	3.5	3.1	3.4	3.0	3.3	3.4	3.3	-0.2
- Other (residual)	6.5	6.6	6.3	6.4	3.5	5.7	5.7	-0.8
RRF grants as included in the revenue projections		0.1	n.a.	0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Revenue reductions financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.0	n.a.	0.0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Expenditure	52.9	53.1	53.4	50.6	49.4	48.1	47.3	-5.6
of which:					40.4	47.0	47.0	
- Primary expenditure	52.6	52.8	53.1	50.4	49.1	47.8	47.0	-5.6
of which: Compensation of employees+Intermediate consumption	21.2	21.8	21.1	20.4	20.4	19.9	19.7	-1.5
Compensation of employees Compensation of employees	13.1	12.6	13.1	12.4	12.7	12.4	12.2	-0.9
Intermediate consumption	8.1	9.2	8.0	8.0	7.7	7.5	7.4	-0.7
Social payments	16.7	16.0	16.3	16.2	15.5	15.0	14.8	-1.9
Subsidies	2.8	2.8	3.3	2.4	1.6	1.5	1.5	-1.3
Gross fixed capital formation	5.1	5.0	5.3	5.0	5.1	5.0	4.9	-0.2
Other (residual)	6.8	7.3	7.2	6.4	6.5	6.2	6.1	-0.7
- Interest expenditure	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.0
Expenditure financed by RRF grants	0.0	0.1	n.a.	0.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
General government balance (GGB)	-3.1	-3.3	-4.5	-0.5	-1.0	0.5	1.0	4.1
Primary balance	-2.8	-3.0	-4.2	-0.3	-0.7	0.8	1.3	4.1
GGB excl. one-offs	-3.1	-3.3	-4.5	-0.5	-1.0	0.5	1.0	4.1
Expenditure aggreagate growth rates								
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	7.3	6.3	8.2	0.1	-4.4	0.9	1.5	-5.1
Nationally financed primary expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures, excluding crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	0.6	8.4	n.a.	4.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures) growth rate (%)	7.6	6.9	6.3	-0.3	-4.4	1.2	1.8	-4.9
Nationally financed primary current expenditure (net of discretionary revenue measures and crisis-related temporary emergency measures) growth rate (%)	0.6	8.8	n.a.	4.1	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
p.m. nominal 10-year average potential growth (%) <sup>1</sup>	3.5	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	0.4
Other indicators								
Output gap <sup>2</sup>	-4.8	-2.5	-2.8	-1.4	-0.8	-0.5	-0.5	4.0
Cyclically-adjusted balance <sup>2</sup>	-0.4	-1.9	-2.8	0.2	-0.6	0.8	1.3	1.7
One-offs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Structural balance <sup>3</sup>	-0.4	-1.9	-2.8	0.0	-0.6	0.8	1.3	1.7
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Structural primary balance <sup>3</sup> Notes:	-0.1	-1.6	-2.5	0.5	-0.3	1.1	1.6	1.7

<sup>&</sup>lt;u>Notes</u>

Convergence Programme (CP); Commission 2021 spring forecasts (COM); Commission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This estimate does not include the impact of the structural reforms that are part of the Recovery and Resilience Plan and can boost economic potential growth.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Output gap (in % of potential GDP) and cyclically-adjusted balance according to the programme as recalculated by Commission on the basis of the programme scenario using the commonly agreed methodology.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Structural (primary) balance refers to cyclically-adjusted (primary) balance excluding one-offs

Table 3a: General government debt developments

(9/, of CDD)	Average	2020	2021		2022		2023	2024
(% of GDP)	2015-2019	2020	COM	CP	COM	CP	CP	CP
Gross debt ratio <sup>1</sup>	40.1	39.9	40.8	39.9	39.4	37.0	33.7	31.4
Change in the ratio	-2.0	4.8	1.0	0.0	-1.4	-2.9	-3.3	-2.3
Contributions <sup>2</sup> :								
1. Primary balance	-1.2	2.8	3.0	4.2	0.3	0.7	-0.8	-1.3
2. "Snow-ball" effect	-1.4	0.8	-2.0	-1.6	-1.7	-1.8	-0.9	-0.8
Of which:								
Interest expenditure	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Growth effect	-1.0	1.0	-1.7	-1.2	-1.3	-1.4	-0.7	-0.5
Inflation effect	-0.9	-0.5	-0.6	-0.7	-0.7	-0.6	-0.5	-0.6
3. Stock-flow adjustment	0.7	1.2	0.0	-2.5	0.0	-1.8	-1.6	-0.2

### Notes:

### Source:

Commission 2021 spring forecast (COM); Convergence Programme (CP), Comission calculations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> End of period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The snow-ball effect captures the impact of interest expenditure on accumulated debt, as well as the impact of real GDP growth and inflation on the debt ratio (through the denominator). The stock-flow adjustment includes differences in cash and accrual accounting (including leads and lags in the disbursements in RRF grants), accumulation of financial assets and valuation and other residual effects.

Table 3b: Debt sustainability analysis and sustainability indicators

Time horizon	Commissio	on scenario	Stability or convergence programme scenario		
Short term	LOW	/ risk			
Short-term fiscal risk indicator (S0) [1]	0	.3			
Medium term	LOW risk				
Medium-term fiscal risk indicator (S1) [2]	-4.3	LOW risk	-6.7	LOW risk	
Debt sustainability analysis <sup>[3]</sup>	LOW risk				
Baseline scenario	LOV	V risk			
Stochastic projections	LOV	V risk			
(Per memo.) Baseline projected government debt-to-GDP in 2031 (%) [4]	22.4		10	).8	
Long term [5]	MEDIUM risk				
Long-term fiscal risk indicator (S2) [6]	2.0	MEDIUM risk	0.7	LOW risk	
	•	•		•	

Sources: Commission services; 2021 stability or convergence programmes.

<sup>[1]</sup> The S0 indicator informs the early detection of fiscal stress associated to fiscal risks within a one-year horizon.\*

<sup>[2]</sup> The S1 indicator measures the effort required to bring the debt-to-GDP ratio to 60 % in 15 years. It corresponds to a cumulated improvement in the structural primary balance over 5 years compared with the baseline. Below 0: low risk. Between 0 and 2.5: medium risk. Above 2.5: high risk.\*

<sup>[3]</sup> The debt sustainability analysis is performed around the Commission's baseline scenario to test the response to different shocks, including sensitivity tests and stochastic projections.\*

<sup>[4]</sup> The Commission scenario assumes a gradual reversal of temporary pandemic-related measures (and 'financing' of permanent ones).\* The stability or convergence programme scenario assumes that the budgetary plans in the programmes are fully implemented over the period covered by the programmes.

<sup>[5]</sup> The long-term risk classification is based on both the S2 indicator and the results of the debt sustainability analysis.

<sup>[6]</sup> The S2 indicator shows the upfront and permanent fiscal adjustment required to stabilise the debt-to-GDP ratio over the infinite horizon. Below 2: low risk. Between 2 and 6: medium risk. Above 6: high risk.\*

<sup>\*</sup> For more information, see the 2020 Debt Sustainability Monitor.

Table 4.1a: Discretionary measures adopted/announced according to the Programme<sup>1</sup>

1 avic 4.1a.	Discretionary measures ado	pteu/announceu accoru	ing to the					
	Measures	ESA Code (Expenditure / Revenue component)	Date of adoption	Budgetary impact (% of GDP - change from previous year)				
				2020	2021			
	Care backlog and continued COVID-19 care	Total current expenditure	Sept 2020	0	-0.1	0.04	0.07	
		Total capital expenditure	0001.2020	0	-0.01	0	0	
	Compensation for extended costs for health	Total current expenditure	March 2020	-0.2	-0.01	0.2	0	
	care and social services	Total capital expenditure	Waldin 2020	0	0	0	0	
	Continued testing and contact tracing	Total current expenditure	June 2020	-0.2	-0.1	0.2	0	
	Continued testing and contact tracing	Total capital expenditure	04110 2020	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	
	Disease carrier's allowance and others	Total current expenditure	June 2020	-0.1	0.1	0.1	0	
	Disease carrier's allowance and others	Total capital expenditure	Julie 2020	0	0	0	0	
	Extended reorientation support, and turnover-	Total current expenditure	April 2020	-0.1	-0.8	0.9	0	
	based support for sole traders	Total capital expenditure	April 2020	0	0	0	0	
	General government grants to municipalities	Total current expenditure	A! 1 0000	-0.4	-0.01	0.3	0.1	
	and regions	Total capital expenditure	April 2020	0.0	0	0.02	0.01	
	IP-L	Total current expenditure	M 1 0000	-0.1	-0.02	0.04	0.1	
	Higher unemployment compensation levels	Total capital expenditure	March 2020	0	0	0	0	
	Increased number of education and training	Total current expenditure	0 10000	-0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.1	
	places	Total capital expenditure	Sept 2020	0	0	0	0	
Temporary	Ob and to see James for	Total current expenditure	M	-0.7	0.3	0.5	0	
measures <sup>2</sup>	Short-term layoffs	Total capital expenditure	March 2020	0	0	0	0	
measures	O'close on head 6th and others	Total current expenditure	M	-0.3	0.1	0.3	0	
	Sickness benefit and others	Total capital expenditure	March 2020	0	0	0	0	
		Total current expenditure		-0.1	-0.1	0.2	0	
	Strengthened culture and civil society	Total capital expenditure	March 2020	0	0	0	0	
		Total current expenditure		0	-0.16	0.16	0	
	Vaccination	Total capital expenditure	Sept 2020	0	-0.01	0.01	0	
	Lower employers' social security contributions for young people	Taxes on production and imports, D.2r	March 2020	-0.7	0.5	0.0	0.1	
	Tax reduction to promote investment	Taxes on income, wealth, etc. from corporations, D5r bx	Sept 2020	0	-0.1	0.1	0.02	
	Tax reduction on labour income to address increased work-related costs due to the pandemic	Taxes on income, wealth, etc. D5r b	Sept 2020	0	-0.1	0.01	0.1	
		Taxes on production and imports, D.2r	0 10000	0	-0.01	0	0.01	
	Other tax changes	Taxes on income, wealth, etc. D5r b	Sept 2020	0	-0.1	0.1	0.1	
		Subtotal		-3.1	-0.7	3.1	0.6	
	Other Expenditure (with partly permanent effect)	Total current expenditure	March 2020	-0.1	-0.8	0.3	0.04	
Non-temporary	Caron Exponential Children Party Pormanont effect)	Total capital expenditure	1110111 2020	-0.03	-0.1	0.03	0.02	
measures <sup>2</sup>	Lower income tax (with partly permanent effect)	Taxes on income, wealth, etc. D5r b	Sept 2020	0	-0.1	-0.03	-0.1	
		Subtotal		-0.2	-1.0	0.3	-0.1	
		Total		-3.2	-1.7	3.4	0.6	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding those measures that are planned to be financed by grants under the RRF.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> For the purpose of this table, temporary measures refer to those discretionary measures that have no budgetary impact beyond 2022, which corresponds to the end of the Commission spring 2021 forecast horizon. By contrast, those measures adopted or announced for 2020, 2021 or 2022 that continue to have a fiscal effect of 0.1% of GDP or greater until at least 2023 are considered as 'non-temporary' for the purpose of this table.

Table 4.1b: Stock of guarantees adopted/announced according to the Programme

	Measures	Date of adoption	Maximum amount of contingent liabilities (% of GDP)	Estimated take-up (% of GDP)
	State credit guarantees for Swedish airlines	March 2020		0.0
	State guarantees for loans to companies	April 2020	2.0	0.0
In response to COVID-19	Guarantees via the Swedish Export Credit Agency	April 2020	1.0	1.1
00110	Guarantees to EU institutions (EIB and SURE)	June 2020	0.4	0.2
	Subtotal		3.5	1.3
Others				
	Subtotal			
	Total		3.5	1.3

## **Table 4.2a: RRF – Grants**

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Revenue from RRF grants (% of GDP)									
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026		
RRF GRANTS as included in the revenue projections	n a								
Cash disbursements of RRF GRANTS from EU				n.a.					

Expenditure financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Compensation of employees D.1			-	-	-	-				
Intermediate consumption P.2										
Social payments D.62+D.632										
Interest expenditure D.41										
Subsidies, payable D.3				n a						
Current transfers D.7				n.a.						
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE										
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g										
Capital transfers D.9										
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE										

Other costs financed by RRF grants (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Reduction in tax revenue		•	•		-					
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										

## Table 4.2b: RRF-Loans

Cash flow from RRF loans projected in the programme (% of GDP)									
	2020   2021   2022   2023   2024   2025   2026					2026			
Disbursements of RRF LOANS from EU	n a								
Repayments of RRF LOANS to EU				II.a.					

Expenditure financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026			
Compensation of employees D.1		•	-	-	-					
Intermediate consumption P.2										
Social payments D.62+D.632										
Interest expenditure D.41										
Subsidies, payable D.3				<b>n</b> 0						
Current transfers D.7				n.a.						
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENDITURE										
Gross fixed capital formation P.51g										
Capital transfers D.9										
TOTAL CAPITAL EXPENDITURE										

Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)										
Other costs financed by RRF loans (% of GDP)  2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026  Reduction in tax revenue Other costs with impact on revenue n.a.										
Reduction in tax revenue		•								
Other costs with impact on revenue	n.a.									
Financial transactions										