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ANNEX I

Indexes	THIRD PARTY INDICATORS RELATED TO THE STATUS OF DEMOCRACY, GOOD GOVERNANCE AND THE RULE OF LAW IN CANDIDATE COUNTRIES AND POTENTIAL CANDIDATES ¹									
	Albania	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Kosovo	North Macedonia	Montenegro	Serbia	Türkiye	Georgia	Moldova	Ukraine
Nations in Transit 2024 - Democracy Scores, Freedom House https://freedomhouse.org/countries/nations-transit/scores	Total score: 46/100 (2023: 46/100) Status: Transitional or Hybrid Regime (2023: Transitional or Hybrid Regime)	Total score: 36/100 (2023: 37/100) Status: Transitional or Hybrid Regime (2023: Transitional or Hybrid Regime)	Total score: 38/100 (2023: 38/100) Status: Transitional or Hybrid Regime (2023: Transitional or Hybrid Regime)	Total score: 46/100 (2023: 48/100) Status: Transitional or Hybrid Regime (2023: Transitional or Hybrid Regime)	Total score: 46/100 (2023: 46/100) Status: Transitional or Hybrid Regime (2023: Transitional or Hybrid Regime)	Total score: 43/100 (2023: 46/100) Status: Transitional or Hybrid Regime (2023: Transitional or Hybrid Regime)	n/a	Total score: 34/100 (2023: 34/100) Status: Transitional or Hybrid Regime (2023: Transitional or Hybrid Regime)	Total score: 36/100 (2023: 36/100) Status: Transitional or Hybrid Regime (2023: Transitional or Hybrid Regime)	Total score: 40/100 (2023: 39/100) Status: Transitional or Hybrid Regime (2023: Transitional or Hybrid Regime)
Freedom in the World 2024 - Global Freedom Score, Freedom House https://freedomhouse.org/countries/freedom-world/scores	Total score: 68/100 (2023: 67/100) Status: Partly free (2023: Partly free)	Total score: 51/100 (2023: 52/100) Status: Partly free (2023: Partly free)	Total score: 60/100 (2023: 60/100) Status: Partly free (2023: Partly free)	Total score: 67/100 (2023: 68/100) Status: Partly free (2023: Partly free)	Total score: 69/100 (2023: 67/100) Status: Partly free (2023: Partly free)	Total score: 57/100 (2023: 60/100) Status: Partly free (2023: Partly free)	Total score: 33/100 (2023: 32/100) Status: Not free (2023: Not free)	Total score: 58/100 (2023: 58/100) Status: Partly free (2023: Partly free)	Total score: 61/100 (2023: 62/100) Status: Partly free (2023: Partly free)	Total score: 49/100 (2023: 50/100) Status: Partly free (2023: Partly free)
Democracy Index 2023 - The Economist Intelligence Unit https://www.eiu.com/n/campaigns/democracy-index-2023/	Overall Score: 6.28/10 (2022: 6.41/10) Rank: 66/167 (2022: 64/167) Regime type: Flawed democracy (2022: Flawed democracy)	Overall Score: 5.00/10 (2022: 5.00/10) Rank: 94/167 (2022: 97/167) Regime type: Hybrid regime (2022: Hybrid regime)	n/a	Overall Score: 6.03/10 (2022: 6.10/10) Rank: 72/167 (2022: 72/167) Regime type: Flawed democracy (2022: Flawed democracy)	Overall Score: 6.67/10 (2022: 6.45/10) Rank: 52/167 (2022: 61/167) Regime type: Flawed democracy (2022: Flawed democracy)	Overall Score: 6.33/10 (2022: 6.33/10) Rank: 64/167 (2022: 68/167) Regime type: Flawed democracy (2022: Flawed democracy)	Overall Score: 4.33/10 (2022: 4.35/10) Rank: 102/167 (2022: 103/167) Regime type: Hybrid regime (2022: Hybrid regime)	Overall Score: 5.20/10 (2022: 5.20/10) Rank: 89/167 (2022: 90/167) Regime type: Hybrid regime (2022: Hybrid regime)	Overall Score: 6.23/10 (2022: 6.23/10) Rank: 68/167 (2022: 69/167) Regime type: Flawed democracy (2022: Flawed democracy)	Overall Score: 5.06/10 (2022: 5.42/10) Rank: 91/167 (2022: 87/167) Regime type: Hybrid regime (2022: Hybrid regime)

¹ The table presents the latest available ranking and/or scores by third parties. Additional reference to data from previous assessment is shown in between parenthesis, when available.

World Press Freedom Index 2024 - Reporters without borders https://rsf.org/en/index	Global Score: 54.1/100 (2023: 57.86/100) Rank: 99/180 (2023: 96/180)	Global Score: 58.85/100 (2023: 65.43/100) Rank: 81/180 (2023: 64/180)	Global Score: 60.19/100 (2023: 68.38/100) Rank: 75/180 (2023: 56/180)	Global Score: 73.78/100 (2023: 74.35/100) Rank: 36/180 (2023: 38/180)	Global Score: 73.21/100 (2023: 74.28/100) Rank: 40/180 (2023: 39/180)	Global Score: 54.48/100 (2023: 59.16/100) Rank: 98/180 (2023: 91/180)	Global Score: 31.6/100 (2023: 33.97/100) Rank: 158/180 (2023: 165/180)	Global Score: 53.05/100 (2023: 61.69/100) Rank: 103/180 (2023: 77/180)	Global Score: 74.86/100 (2023: 77.62/100) Rank: 31/180 (2023: 28/180)	Global Score: 65/100 (2023: 61.19/100) Rank: 61/180 (2023: 79/180)
Rule of Law Index 2023 - World Justice Project https://worldjusticeproject.org/rule-of-law-index/global/	Overall Score: 0.48/1 (2022: 0.49/1) Global Rank: 91/142 (2022: 87/140)	Overall Score: 0.51/1 (2022: 0.52/1) Global Rank: 75/142 (2022: 70/140)	Overall Score: 0.56/1 (2022: 0.56/1) Global Rank: 58/142 (2022: 57/140)	Overall Score: 0.53/1 (2022: 0.53/1) Global Rank: 67/142 (2022: 63/140)	Overall Score: 0.56/1 Global Rank: 57/142	Overall Score: 0.48/1 (2022: 0.49/1) Global Rank: 93/142 (2022: 83/140)	Overall Score: 0.41/1 (2022: 0.42/1) Global Rank: 117/142 (2022: 116/140)	Overall Score: 0.60/1 (2022: 0.60/1) Global Rank: 48/142 (2022: 49/140)	Overall Score: 0.53/1 (2022: 0.52/1) Global Rank: 68/142 (2022: 68/140)	Overall Score: 0.49/1 (2022: 0.50/1) Global Rank: 89/142 (2022: 76/140)
Worldwide Governance Indicators 2022 – Rule of Law, The World Bank Group http://info.worldbank.org/governance/wgi/	Percentile Rank: 47.17/100	Percentile Rank: 41.5/100	Percentile Rank: 39.62/100	Percentile Rank: 50.00/100	Percentile Rank: 48.58/100	Percentile Rank: 49.06/100	Percentile Rank: 36.79/100	Percentile Rank: 56.60/100	Percentile Rank: 41.98/100	Percentile Rank: 18.87/100
Worldwide Governance Indicators 2022 – Governance Effectiveness, The World Bank Group http://info.worldbank.org/governance/wgi/	Percentile Rank: 56.60/100	Percentile Rank: 12.74/100	Percentile Rank: 44.34/100	Percentile Rank: 49.53/100	Percentile Rank: 51.42/100	Percentile Rank: 57.08/100	Percentile Rank: 43.87/100	Percentile Rank: 72.64/100	Percentile Rank: 40.57/100	Percentile Rank: 33.02/100

Worldwide Governance Indicators 2022 – Control of Corruption, The World Bank Group http://info.worldbank.org/governance/wgi/	Percentile Rank: 38.68/100	Percentile Rank: 25.94/100	Percentile Rank: 47.17/100	Percentile Rank: 43.87/100	Percentile Rank: 50.94/100	Percentile Rank: 35.38/100	Percentile Rank: 34.91/100	Percentile Rank: 72.17/100	Percentile Rank: 42.92/100	Percentile Rank: 29.25/100
Corruption Perceptions Index 2023 - Transparency International https://www.transparency.org/en/cpi/2023	Score: 37/100 (2022: 36/100) Rank: 98/180 (2022: 101/180)	Score: 35/100 (2022: 34/100) Rank: 108/180 (2022: 110/180)	Score: 41/100 (2022: 41/100) Rank: 83/180 (2022: 84/180)	Score: 42/100 (2022: 40/100) Rank: 76/180 (2022: 85/180)	Score: 46/100 (2022: 45/100) Rank: 63/180 (2022: 65/180)	Score: 36/100 (2022: 36/100) Rank: 104/180 (2022:101/180)	Score: 34/100 (2022: 36/100) Rank: 115/180 (2022: 101/180)	Score: 53/100 (2022: 56/100) Rank: 49/180 (2022: 41/180)	Score: 42/100 (2022: 39/100) Rank: 76/180 (2022: 91/180)	Score: 36/100 (2022: 33/100) Rank: 104/180 (2022: 116/180)

ANNEX II

STATISTICAL DATA (as of 5/09/2024), part 1 (Albania – Montenegro)

Demography	Note	Albania		Bosnia and Herzegovina		Kosovo		North Macedonia		Montenegro		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Total population (thousands)		2 830 i	2 794 i	:	3 464 pi	1 798 i	:	2 069 i	1 837 bi	621 i	618 i	446 306 bi	446 056 bpi
Share of 15-64 in total population (%)		68.2 i	68.0 i	:	:	67.3 i	67.1 i	69.1 i	65.9 bi	66.2 i	66.1 i	64.1 bpi	63.9 bpi
Crude rate of natural population change (per 1 000 inhabitants)		-1.2	0.2	:	- 4.2 p	:	:	-5.1	- 2.4 b	-3.4	-0.1	- 2.7 bep	- 2.9 bep
Life expectancy at birth, males (years)		73.6	77.4	:	:	:	:	71.1 b	:	70.8	:	77.2 bep	77.9 bep
Life expectancy at birth, females (years)		77.7	80.9	:	:	:	:	75.5 b	:	77	:	82.9 bep	83.3 bep

Labour market	Note	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Economic activity rate for persons aged 20-64: proportion of the population aged 20-64 that is economically active (%)													
Total		75.1 ew	79.1 ew	63.4 b	63.6	43.9 w	43.2 w	70.5 w	:	64.7 w	:	78.4 b	79.3
Males		84.2 ew	86.7 ew	76.7 b	77.2	63.8 w	62.4 w	83.2 w	:	71.7 w	:	84.0 b	84.7
Females		66.3 ew	72.0 ew	50.0 b	49.8	24.4 w	24.5 w	57.4 w	:	57.8 w	:	72.8 b	73.9
Employment rates, aged 20-64 (% of the population)													
Total		66.3 ew	70.4 ew	52.6 b	53.9	35.1 w	37.9 w	59.5 w	:	54.2 w	:	73.0 b	74.6
Males		74.6 ew	77.4 ew	66.0 b	67.7	51.9 w	55.7 w	69.5 w	:	59.8 w	:	78.5 b	79.9
Females		58.3 ew	63.7 ew	39.1 b	40	18.5 w	20.5 w	49.2 w	:	48.7 w	:	67.6 b	69.2
Persons aged 15-24 not in employment, education or training, % of the population in the age group		24.0 w	23.3 w	19.9	18.2	32.1 w	33.0 w	17.9 w	:	20.2 w	:	10.8 b	9.6

Labour market (cont.)	Note	Albania		Bosnia and Herzegovina		Kosovo		North Macedonia		Montenegro		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Persons aged 15-29 not in employment, education or training, % of the population in the age group		26.1 w	25.2 w	25.1	23.5	36.6 w	36.6 w	24.3 w	:	26.5 w	:	13.1 b	11.7
Employment by main sectors													
Agriculture, forestry and fisheries (%)		33.8 ew	33.9 ew	9.4 bi	7.3 i	2.8 w	2.2 w	11.5 w	:	6.4 w	:	3.8 bi	3.7 i
Industry (%)		13.8 ew	14.3 ew	24.4 bi	25.4 i	14.8 w	13.3 w	23.9 w	:	10.2 w	:	18.0 bi	17.7 i
Construction (%)		8.1 ew	7.6 ew	9.1 bi	9.2 i	10.5 w	11.0 w	6.9 w	:	6.7 w	:	6.7 bi	6.8 i
Services (%)		44.3 ew	44.2 ew	57.0 bi	58.2 i	71.9 w	73.4 w	57.7 w	:	76.7 w	:	70.9 bi	71.5 i
People employed in the public sector as a share of total employment, persons aged 20-64 (%)	1) 2) 3)	16.0 ew	15.1 ew	19.8 bw	19.0 w	28.3 w	27.7 w	25.6 w	:	32.7 w	:	:	:
People employed in the private sector as a share of total employment, persons aged 20-64 (%)	1)	84.0 ew	84.9 ew	80.2 bw	81.0 w	71.7 w	72.3 w	74.4 w	:	63.7 w	:	:	:
Unemployment rates (% of the labour force)													
Total		11.6 ew	11.0 ew	17.4 b	15.4	20.6 w	12.5 w	15.7 w	:	16.6 w	:	7.1 b	6.2
Males		11.4 ew	10.6 ew	14.4 b	12.6	18.9 w	11.0 w	16.4 w	:	17.1 w	:	6.8 b	5.9
Females		11.8 ew	11.4 ew	22.0 b	19.8	24.9 w	16.5 w	14.6 w	:	15.9 w	:	7.4 b	6.5
Youth, aged 15-24		27.1 ew	24.9 ew	38.3 b	35.1	38.0 w	21.4 w	36.4 w	:	37.1 w	:	16.7 b	14.5
Long-term (>12 months)		7.3 ew	7.4 ew	13.4	11.4	14.5 w	8.1 w	12.5 w	:	11.0 w	:	2.8	2.4
Average nominal monthly wages and salaries (EUR)	4) 5)	467 iw	520 iw	510 iw	574 iw	484 iw	521 iw	466 iw	517 iw	532 iw	712 iw	:	:

Education	Note	Albania		Bosnia and Herzegovina		Kosovo		North Macedonia		Montenegro		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Early leavers from education and training: percentage of the population aged 18-24 with at most a lower secondary education and not in further education or training (%)		16.8 w	15.5 w	4.7	3.6	7.0 w	7.8 w	4.6 w	:	6.7 w	:	9.8 b	9.7
Public expenditure on education relative to GDP (%)		3.1 piw	2.9 iw	4.2 iw	:	4.3 iw	3.9 iw	:	:	:	:	4.9 d	:
Percentage of the population aged 20-24 with at most lower secondary education, total		17.2 w	15.0 w	6.1	6.8	9.8 w	10.7 w	4.9 w	:	2.8 w	:	15.6 b	16.5
Percentage of the population aged 20-24 with at most lower secondary education, males		18.4 w	16.3 w	6.8	6.7	10.3 w	12.1 w	4.9 w	:	3.4 w	:	18.1 b	18.7
Percentage of the population aged 20-24 with at most lower secondary education, females		16.1 w	13.8 w	5.3	6.8	9.4 w	9.4 w	4.9 w	:	2.2 w	:	12.9 b	14.2
Percentage of the population aged 20-24 with upper secondary or post secondary non-tertiary education, total		56.1 w	57.6 w	84.5	87	75.6 w	73.9 w	88.8 w	:	85.2 w	:	65.8 b	64.8
Percentage of the population aged 20-24 with upper secondary or post secondary non-tertiary education, males		64.8 w	64.7 w	86.5	89.4	78.4 w	77.4 w	91.8 w	:	87.6 w	:	66.4 b	65.7
Percentage of the population aged 20-24 with upper secondary or post secondary non-tertiary education, females		47.9 w	51.1 w	82.4	84.6	72.6 w	70.1 w	85.7 w	:	82.6 w	:	65.2 b	63.8
Percentage of the population aged 30-34 with tertiary education, total		32.1 ew	38.4 ew	28.8	28.6	32.3 w	30.9 w	36.9 w	:	39.0 w	:	41.9 b	42.8
Percentage of the population aged 30-34 with tertiary education, males		25.4 ew	31.9 ew	23.9	23.4	30.8 w	26.3 w	31.8 w	:	34.9 w	:	36.6 b	37.3

Percentage of the population aged 30-34 with tertiary education, females		39.3 ew	45.5 ew	34	34.1	34.0 w	35.9 w	42.3 w	:	43.0 w	:	47.3 b	48.3
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National accounts	Note	Albania		Bosnia and Herzegovina		Kosovo		North Macedonia		Montenegro		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Gross domestic product													
In current prices (EUR million)		15 157	17 972 p	20 015	23 324	7 958	8 896	11 835	13 033 p	4 955	5 924	14 689 980	15 989 796
Per capita (EUR)		5 390	6 433 iw	:	6 733 pi	4 426 i	:	6 440 e	7 021 biw	8 000	9 600	32 830	35 620
In purchasing power standards (PPS) per capita		10 255	:	:	:	:	:	14 108 e	:	15 456	17 577	32 831	35 616
In purchasing power standards (PPS) per capita, relative to the EU average (EU-27 = 100)		31.2	:	:	:	:	:	43.0 e	:	47.1	49.4	100	100
Real (volume) annual rate of change, compared with the previous year (%)		:	:	7.4	4.2	10.7	4.3	4.5	2.2 p	13	6.4	6.1	3.4
Gross value added by main sectors													
Agriculture, forestry and fisheries (%)		21.1	21.3 p	6	5.7	8.6	9.2	8.3	8.6 p	8	7.5	1.8	1.8
Industry (%)		12.9	13.4 p	24.6	24.2	23.6	23.3	19.7	19.1 p	12.5	11.3	20.1	20.4
Construction (%)		10.9	11.1 p	5.1	5.2	10.6	10.7	6.4	6.7 p	5.8	4.8	5.5	5.5
Services (%)		55.2 i	54.2 pi	64.3 i	64.9 i	57.2 i	56.9 i	65.5 i	65.7 pi	73.8 i	76.3 i	72.9 i	72.2 i

Balance of payments	Note	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Net (inward - outward) foreign direct investment (FDI) (million euro)	6)	988.8 i	1 188.8 i	539.0 w	688.7 w	320.4 w	556.9 w	387.5 w	654.2 w	581.6 w	782.6 w	- 415 593.3 i	- 325 742.5 i
Net (inward - outward) foreign direct investment (FDI) (% of GDP)	6)	6.52 i	6.61 pi	2.30 iw	:	4.03 i	6.26 i	3.27 i	5.02 pi	11.74 iw	13.21 iw	- 2.83 i	- 2.04 i
Net (inward - outward) foreign direct investment (FDI) in relation to EU-27 (million euro)	7)	652.5 i	692.1 i	205.8 w	355.5 w	189.1 i	351.1 i	390.0 i	452.3 w	180.1 w	215.3 w	- 93 997.4 i	- 62 947.1 i

Net (inward - outward) foreign direct investment (FDI) in relation to EU-27 (% of GDP)	7)	4.30 i	3.85 ip	0.93 iw	:	2.38 i	3.95 i	3.30 i	3.51 iw	3.64 iw	3.64 iw	- 0.64 i	- 0.39 i
Remittances as % of GDP		5.02 i	4.63 pi	7.77 i	7.86 i	14.49 i	13.75 i	2.91 i	2.69 pi	6.82 i	7.36 i	0.14 i	0.14 i

External trade in goods	Note	Albania		Bosnia and Herzegovina		Kosovo		North Macedonia		Montenegro		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Share of exports to EU-27 countries in value of total exports (%)		44.7	47.8 p	53.9	61.9	65.2	71.4	81.3	94.9 p	62.2	74.4	47.1	55
Share of imports from EU-27 countries in value of total imports (%)		31.3	37.4 p	42.6	48.1	33.4	38.6	65.4	74.0 p	42.8	51.5	51	56.9
Trade balance (EUR million)		44.7	47.8 p	53.9	61.9	65.2	71.4	81.3	94.9 p	62.2	74.4	47.1	55
International trade in goods and services relative to GDP													
Imports (% of GDP)		44.7	47.8 p	53.9	61.9	65.2	71.4	81.3	94.9 p	62.2	74.4	47.1	55
Exports (% of GDP)		31.3	37.4 p	42.6	48.1	33.4	38.6	65.4	74.0 p	42.8	51.5	51	56.9

Public finance	Note	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
General government surplus (+) / deficit (-) (%)		:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	-4.7	-3.4
General government debt (%)		:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	87.4	83.4

Financial indicators	Note	Albania		Bosnia and Herzegovina		Kosovo		North Macedonia		Montenegro		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Annual change in consumer prices (%)	8)	2.3 d	6.6 d	2.0 w	14.0 w	3.4 d	11.6 d	3.4 d	14.0 d	2.5 d	11.9 d	2.9	9.2
Total external debt, relative to GDP (%)	9)	64.4 i	54.3 pi	57.2 iw	51.4 iw	37.4 iw	38.6 iw	80.9 i	82.8 pi	191.7 i	158.4 i	:	:
Total debt in foreign currency, relative to GDP (%)		:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Value of reserve assets (including gold) (million euro)		938.9	-71.8	1 377.8	72.8	168.9	67.6	304.7	271.6	8	164	:	:
International reserves - equivalence in months of imports		:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:

Business	Note	Albania		Bosnia and Herzegovina		Kosovo		North Macedonia		Montenegro		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Industrial production index (2015 = 100)	10)	113.0 w	116.1 w	106.2 w	107.9 w	:	:	103.9 w	:	110.8 w	107.2 w	:	:

Infrastructure	Note	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Density of railway network (lines in operation per thousand km ²)		7.8 i	7.1 i	19.9 iw	19.9 iw	30.5 iw	30.5 iw	26.9 i	26.9 i	18.0 i	18.0 i	47.9 i	47.8 i
Length of motorways (kilometres)		25	25	218	231	137 w	137 w	335	335	0	0	:	:

Energy	Note	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Net energy imports in relation to GDP		2.7 i	3.9 pi	3.5 i	6.5 i	6.7 i	10.0 i	7.6 i	13.6 pi	4.1 i	7.0 i	2.7 i	5.2 i

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Demography	Note	Serbia		Türkiye		Georgia		Moldova		Ukraine		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Total population (thousands)		6 872 i	6 797 i	83 614 i	84 680 i	3 729 i	3 689 i	2 597 pi	2 604 i	:	40 998 i	446 306 bi	446 056 bpi
Share of 15-64 in total population (%)		64.5 i	64.4 i	67.7 i	67.9 i	64.2 i	63.7 i	66.7 pi	:	67.4 i	67.4 i	64.1 bpi	63.9 bpi
Crude rate of natural population change (per 1 000 inhabitants)		-10.9	-6.9	:	6.2	-3.8	:	:	- 3.6 ep	:	:	- 2.7 bep	- 2.9 bep
Life expectancy at birth, males (years)		70	72.7 b	:	74.3	:	69.4	:	:	:	:	77.2 bep	77.9 bep
Life expectancy at birth, females (years)		75.7	77.9 b	:	78.4	:	78.1	:	:	:	:	82.9 bep	83.3 bep

Labour market	Note	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Economic activity rate for persons aged 20-64: proportion of the population aged 20-64 that is economically active (%)													
Total	11) 12) 13)	75.0 b	76.4	61.2 b	63.1	64.5 w	65.9 w	52.8 w	53.7 w	71.9 w	:	78.4 b	79.3
Males	11) 12) 13)	82.6 b	83.7	82.3 b	83.3	76.2 w	77.9 w	57.8 w	57.8 w	78.2 w	:	84.0 b	84.7
Females	11) 12) 13)	67.4 b	69.1	40.0 b	42.8	53.4 w	54.7 w	48.1 w	50.0 w	66.0 w	:	72.8 b	73.9
Employment rates, aged 20-64 (% of the population)													
Total	11) 13)	66.7 b	69.3	53.9 b	56.5	50.6 w	54.0 w	51.1 w	52.1 w	64.8 w	:	73.0 b	74.6
Males	11) 13)	74.2 b	76.2	73.6 b	75.9	58.1 w	62.2 w	55.6 w	55.8 w	70.8 w	:	78.5 b	79.9
Females	11) 13)	59.3 b	62.3	34.2 b	37	43.5 w	46.4 w	46.9 w	48.7 w	59.3 w	:	67.6 b	69.2
Persons aged 15-24 not in employment, education or training, % of the population in the age group	11) 13)	16.4 b	13	24.8 b	24.1	26.8 w	23.4 w	17.2 w	17.2 w	14.3 w	:	10.8 b	9.6

Labour market (cont.)	Note	Serbia		Türkiye		Georgia		Moldova		Ukraine		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Persons aged 15-29 not in employment, education or training, % of the population in the age group	11) 13)	18.8 b	15.1	28.4 b	27.2	34.6 w	30.7 w	26.4 w	26.2 w	19.8 w	:	13.1 b	11.7
Employment by main sectors													
Agriculture, forestry and fisheries (%)	11) 13) 14)	15.0 bi	14.8 i	17.2 bi	15.7 i	18.9 w	17.9 w	21.5 w	20.8 w	14.1 w	:	3.8 bi	3.7 i
Industry (%)	11) 13) 14)	23.7 bi	24.0 i	21.4 bi	21.7 i	11.3 w	11.9 w	14.4 w	14.8 w	18.2 w	:	18.0 bi	17.7 i
Construction (%)	11) 13) 14)	6.0 bi	5.9 i	6.1 bi	6.0 i	7.8 w	8.5 w	7.7 w	7.7 w	7.0 w	:	6.7 bi	6.8 i
Services (%)	11) 13) 14)	55.3 bi	55.3 i	55.3 bi	56.6 i	62.1 w	61.8 w	56.4 w	56.7 w	60.7 w	:	70.9 bi	71.5 i
People employed in the public sector as a share of total employment, persons aged 20-64 (%)	15) 16)	25.8 w	:	16.9 bw	:	24.3 w	23.4 w	28.6 w	28.8 w	:	:	:	:
People employed in the private sector as a share of total employment, persons aged 20-64 (%)	15) 16)	74.2 w	:	83.1 bw	:	75.7 w	76.6 w	71.4 w	71.2 w	:	:	:	:
Unemployment rates (% of the labour force)													
Total	11) 13) 17) 18)	11.1 b	9.4	12.0 b	10.5	20.6 w	17.3 w	3.2 w	3.1 w	9.8 w	:	7.1 b	6.2
Males	11) 13) 17) 18)	10.2 b	9.1	10.7 b	9	22.7 w	19.3 w	3.9 w	3.6 w	9.5 w	:	6.8 b	5.9
Females	11) 13) 17) 18)	12.1 b	9.9	14.7 b	13.5	17.8 w	14.6 w	2.5 w	2.6 w	10.1 w	:	7.4 b	6.5
Youth, aged 15-24	11) 13)	26.4 b	24.4	22.7 b	19.5	42.9 w	39.4 w	9.2 w	10.7 w	19.1 w	:	16.7 b	14.5
Long-term (>12 months)	11) 13) 17) 18)	4.9	3.8	3.7 b	2.5	7.2 w	6.6 w	0.8 w	0.7 w	2.4 w	:	2.8	2.4
Average nominal monthly wages and salaries (EUR)	11) 13) 19) 20) 21)	772 iw	:	371 iw	272 iw	372 iw	:	447 iw	:	453 iw		:	:

Education	Note	Serbia		Türkiye		Georgia		Moldova		Ukraine		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Early leavers from education and training: percentage of the population aged 18-24 with at most a lower secondary education and not in further education or training (%)		6.3 b	5	23.1 b	21.2	7.3 w	6.0 w	19.6 w	21.5 w	:	:	9.8 b	9.7
Public expenditure on education relative to GDP (%)	11) 22)	3.3 iw	3.2 piw	3.5 iw	:	3.6 iw	3.3 iw	:	:	5.1 iw	:	4.9 d	:
Percentage of the population aged 20-24 with at most lower secondary education, total	11) 13) 23)	6.7 b	5.7	29.3 b	26.2	7.3 w	6.0 w	23.3 w	26.5 w	2.7 w	:	15.6 b	16.5
Percentage of the population aged 20-24 with at most lower secondary education, males	11) 13)	7.7 b	6.3	31.3 b	28	7.4 w	5.9 w	27.3 w	28.0 w	2.9 w	:	18.1 b	18.7
Percentage of the population aged 20-24 with at most lower secondary education, females	11) 13)	5.7 b	5.2	27.3 b	24.3	7.2 w	6.1 w	19.4 w	25.0 w	2.5 w	:	12.9 b	14.2
Percentage of the population aged 20-24 with upper secondary or post secondary non-tertiary education, total	11) 13)	85.3 b	86.9	48.1 b	50.8	77.2 w	78.1 w	68.2 w	62.7 w	55.2 w	:	65.8 b	64.8
Percentage of the population aged 20-24 with upper secondary or post secondary non-tertiary education, males	11) 13)	86.3 b	88.3	51.4 b	54.6	84.0 w	83.4 w	66.4 w	62.8 w	58.9 w	:	66.4 b	65.7
Percentage of the population aged 20-24 with upper secondary or post secondary non-tertiary education, females	11) 13)	84.1 b	85.3	44.7 b	47	70.2 w	72.2 w	69.9 w	62.7 w	51.3 w	:	65.2 b	63.8
Percentage of the population aged 30-34 with tertiary education, total	11) 13)	35.3 b	35.2	35.5 b	37.6	35.5 w	35.2 w	31.8 w	31.8 w	58.0 w	:	41.9 b	42.8
Percentage of the population aged 30-34 with tertiary education, males	11) 13)	27.7 b	28.8	36.0 b	37.4	32.3 w	30.4 w	28.6 w	27.8 w	51.4 w	:	36.6 b	37.3
Percentage of the population aged 30-34 with tertiary education, females	11) 13)	43.2 b	41.8	35.1 b	37.9	38.9 w	40.1 w	34.7 w	35.2 w	64.8 w	:	47.3 b	48.3

National accounts	Note	Serbia		Türkiye		Georgia		Moldova		Ukraine		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Gross domestic product													
In current prices (EUR million)	11) 22) 24)	53 345	60 427 p	690 246	862 310	15 921 w	23 662 w	11 569 w	13 781 w	168 710 w	154 173 w	14 689 980	15 989 796
Per capita (EUR)	11) 13) 22) 24)	7 810	9 070 p	8 200	10 150	4 293 w	6 374 w	4 457 w	5 428 w	4 077 w	:	32 830	35 620
In purchasing power standards (PPS) per capita	24)	14 235	15 553 p	19 950	23 802	:	:	16 299 w	17 243 w	:	:	32 831	35 616
In purchasing power standards (PPS) per capita, relative to the EU average (EU-27 = 100)		43.4	43.7 p	60.8	66.8	:	:	:	:	:	:	100	100
Real (volume) annual rate of change, compared with the previous year (%)	11) 22) 24)	7.7	2.5 p	11.4	5.5	10.6 w	11.0 w	13.9 w	- 5.0 w	3.4 w	- 28.8 w	6.1	3.4
Gross value added by main sectors													
Agriculture, forestry and fisheries (%)	11) 25) 24) 22)	7.6	7.7 p	6.2	7.2	8.3 w	7.6 w	12.3 w	9.6 w	12.7 w	9.7 w	1.8	1.8
Industry (%)	11) 25) 24) 22)	23	23.9 p	29.2	29.5	16.9 w	16.5 w	14.7 w	14.3 w	23.8 w	18.9 w	20.1	20.4
Construction (%)	11) 25) 24) 22)	7.3	6.6 p	5.7	5.5	7.3 w	8.0 w	9.3 w	8.2 w	3.2 w	1.5 w	5.5	5.5
Services (%)	11) 25) 24) 22)	62.2 i	61.9 pi	59.0 i	57.7 i	67.5 w	67.9 w	63.6 w	67.8 w	60.3 w	69.9 w	72.9 i	72.2 i
Balance of payments	Note	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Net (inward - outward) foreign direct investment (FDI) (million euro)	11) 26)	3 656.9 w	4 328.2 w	5 417.4 i	8 007.4 i	792.7 w	1 684.5 w	314.2 w	514.0 w	6 351.5 w	202.7 w	- 415 593.3 i	- 325 742.5 i
Net (inward - outward) foreign direct investment (FDI) (% of GDP)	11) 22) 24)	6.85 i	7.16 pi	0.78 i	0.93 i	5.04 iw	7.23 iw	2.72 iw	3.73 iw	3.76 iw	0.13 iw	- 2.83 i	- 2.04 i
Net (inward - outward) foreign direct investment (FDI) in relation to EU-27 (million euro)	11) 26) 27)	1 801.0 i	1 430.0 i	363.5 i	2 711.9 i	188.8 w	736.5 w	:	:	4 748.7 w	22.8 w	- 93 997.4 i	- 62 947.1 i
Net (inward - outward) foreign direct investment (FDI) in relation to EU-27 (% of GDP)	11) 22)	3.38 i	2.37 ip	0.05 i	0.31 i	1.20 iw	3.16 iw	:	:	2.81 iw	0.01 iw	- 0.64 i	- 0.39 i
Remittances as % of GDP	11) 22) 24)	:	6.63 pi	:	:	8.65 iw	9.62 iw	9.00 diw	8.30 diw	0.96 iw	1.04 iw	0.14 i	0.14 i

External trade in goods	Note	Serbia		Türkiye		Georgia		Moldova		Ukraine		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Share of exports to EU-27 countries in value of total exports (%)		65.8 iw	66.0 iw	41.1 iw	40.4 iw	16.9 iw	15.4 iw	61.0 iw	58.4 iw	:	:	:	:
Share of imports from EU-27 countries in value of total imports (%)		53.9 iw	51.9 iw	31.1 iw	25.5 iw	22.9 iw	22.6 iw	43.8 iw	47.4 iw	:	:	:	:
Trade balance (EUR million)	11)	- 6 279	- 10 386	- 38 925	- 100 663	- 4 951 iw	- 7 563 iw	- 3 415 iw	- 4 673 iw	- 4 106 iw	- 10 843 iw	56,816	- 435 974
International trade in goods and services relative to GDP													
Imports (% of GDP)	11) 22) 24)	62.9	74.8 p	35.3	42.6	58.9 w	62.2 w	57.8 w	69.5 w	41.9 w	51.9 w	47.1	55
Exports (% of GDP)	11) 22) 24)	54.9	63.8 p	35.7	38.6	42.7 w	52.5 w	30.6 w	41.2 w	40.7 w	35.4 w	51	56.9

Public finance	Note	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
General government surplus (+) / deficit (-) (%)	11) 22)	:	:	:	:	- 6.2 pw	- 2.4 pw	- 1.9 ew	- 3.2 ew	- 3.3 w	- 15.5 w	-4.7	-3.4
General government debt (%)	11) 22) 28)	:	:	:	:	49.0 pw	39.1 pw	32.6 ew	35.0 ew	49.0 w	77.8 w	87.4	83.4

Financial indicators	Note	Serbia		Türkiye		Georgia		Moldova		Ukraine		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Annual change in consumer prices (%)	11) 29)	4.0 d	11.7 d	19.6 d	72.3 d	:	11.8 w	5.1 w	28.7 w	9.4 w	20.2 w	2.9	9.2
Total external debt, relative to GDP (%)	11) 22) 24)	75.8 i	77.5 pi	54.2 iw	48.7 iw	123.9 iw	94.4 iw	66.7 iw	65.4 iw	67.8 iw	80.5 iw	:	:
Total debt in foreign currency, relative to GDP (%)		:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Value of reserve assets (including gold) (million euro)	11) 30)	2 620.0	2 919.0	19 405.7	13 110.7	3 777.0 w	4 591.6 w	3 445.8 w	4 206.0 w	27 294.4 w	26 751.2 w	:	:
International reserves - equivalence in months of imports	11)	:	:	:	:	4.8 iw	3.7 iw	6.2 iw	5.2 iw	4.6 iw	4.0 iw	:	:

Business	Note	Serbia		Türkiye		Georgia		Moldova		Ukraine		EU-27	
		2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Industrial production index (2015 = 100)	11) 31) 32)	118.6 w	:	135.6 w	143.3 w	124.3 w	144.6 w	120.3 w	115.1 w	105.4 w	66.7 w	:	:

Infrastructure	Note	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Density of railway network (lines in operation per thousand km ²)	11) 33)	43.4 iw	43.6 iw	13.5 i	13.7 i	22.2 iw	:	34.0 iw	:	32.7 iw	:	47.9 i	47.8 i
Length of motorways (kilometres)	11) 13)	928	941	3 532	3 633	263	263 w	0	0	15 w	:	:	:

Energy	Note	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Net energy imports in relation to GDP	22) 24)	4.0 i	8.8 i	5.2 i	8.8 i	1.7 i	1.8 i	3.2 i	9.5 i	:	:	2.7 i	5.2 i

Source: Eurostat and/or the statistical authorities of the candidate countries and potential candidates

: = not available

b = break in series

d = definition differs

e = estimated value

p = provisional

i = Eurostat estimate

w= data supplied by and under the responsibility of the national statistical authority and published on an "as is" basis and without any assurance as regards their quality and adherence to EU statistical methodology

Footnotes:

- 1) Bosnia and Herzegovina: The public sector includes NACE Rev. 2 Sections O, P and Q while the private sector includes other NACE Sections.
- 2) North Macedonia: The public sector includes data for 'Other' (mixed, collective, state, undefined).
- 3) Montenegro: Data refer to number of employees in the public sector as a share of the total number of persons employed.
- 4) Albania: Source of information: General Directorate of Taxation, social insurance contributors; INSTAT's calculation
- 5) Bosnia and Herzegovina: Net earnings.
- 6) Bosnia and Herzegovina: Based on IMF balance of payments manual, Asset - Liability Approach
- 7) Bosnia and Herzegovina: Based on IMF balance of payments manual, sixth edition and OECD Benchmark Definition of Foreign Direct Investment - 4th edition
- 8) Bosnia and Herzegovina: Consumer price inflation
- 9) Bosnia and Herzegovina: Based on IMF balance of payments manual, sixth edition.
- 10) Albania: Based on NACE Rev. 2. Coverage is Sections B to D.
- 11) Ukraine: Data for 2014-2022 exclude the temporarily occupied territories of the Autonomous Republic of Crimea, the city of Sevastopol and the parts of the Donetsk and Luhansk regions which are temporarily occupied.
- 12) Ukraine: Fixing from 2019 economically active population - labour force.
- 13) Ukraine: Data on Ukraine for the years 2021-2022 is limited due to exemption under the martial law from mandatory data submission to the State Statistics Service of Ukraine, effective as of 3 March 2022.
- 14) Georgia: Since 2020 - NACE Rev.2, before 2020 - NACE Rev.1.1.
- 15) Türkiye: Adjustments in the definition, scope and design of the HLFS have been implemented from 2021. Data from 2021 on are not comparable to previous years.
- 16) Türkiye: Annual LFS results.
- 17) Georgia: Persons aged 15 years and older.
- 18) Ukraine: Persons aged 15 years and older.
- 19) Serbia: Wages and salaries are obtained from administrative sources (tax administration records). Average earnings are calculated on the basis of the total amount of accrued earnings for the reporting month and the number of full-time equivalent (FTE) employees.

- 20) Türkiye: Source: Income and Living Conditions Survey.
- 21) Moldova: Includes units with 1 and more employee.
- 22) Georgia: Based on 2008 SNA.
- 23) Georgia: Persons without education are excluded.
- 24) Moldova: Based on 2008 SNA.
- 25) Georgia: Calculations are made according to NACE Rev. 2.
- 26) Ukraine: The National bank of Ukraine have improved the FDI compilation, in context of which non-financial corporations' reinvested earnings so as loans between fellow enterprises have been incorporated in FDI flows and stocks data.
- 27) Ukraine: FDI Data were recalculated taking into account EU-27 Member States, excluding the United Kingdom.
- 28) Ukraine: State and state guaranteed debt.
- 29) Moldova: Consumer price inflation
- 30) Ukraine: Assets and debt converted from US dollars to euro using cross rates at the end of the reporting year.
- 31) Georgia: Seasonally adjusted data.
- 32) Ukraine: Adjustment for the effect of calendar days of the dynamic series of indices to the average monthly value of the base. (2016) year is carried out using the DEMETRA+ program, using the TRAMO/SEATS method activity.
- 33) Moldova: Including the Transnistrian region. Including wetlands.