

COFOG key indicators

Table K Government expenditure on social protection
(as a percentage of total government expenditure)

	Contribution ¹⁾ (in %; 2021)	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Belgium	4.0	34.7	35.7	35.6	36.1	36.5	37.1	36.9	37.1	38.4	37.9
Germany	28.8	42.1	42.3	42.4	43.3	44.0	44.0	43.5	43.5	42.9	40.8
Estonia	0.2	30.6	30.3	30.5	31.5	32.5	32.1	32.5	33.2	32.8	32.5
Ireland	1.4	37.1	36.9	36.0	35.0	35.3	35.8	34.9	35.8	36.3	35.2
Greece	1.4	37.6	31.3	40.1	37.7	41.4	41.2	40.8	41.4	37.7	35.9
Spain	9.5	36.0	39.1	39.6	39.0	40.0	40.3	40.4	41.1	42.7	40.7
France	23.7	42.3	42.7	42.8	42.9	43.1	42.8	43.0	43.0	44.2	41.9
Italy	16.0	40.0	41.0	41.5	42.3	42.5	42.4	42.7	43.4	44.2	42.2
Cyprus	0.1	30.9	31.5	28.1	33.4	35.4	34.6	28.6	31.3	30.1	29.1
Latvia	0.2	29.3	30.0	29.4	30.5	31.5	30.2	29.5	31.4	31.2	31.3
Lithuania	0.3	36.7	35.1	36.2	34.9	35.8	37.0	38.5	38.6	37.4	38.2
Luxembourg	0.5	41.3	42.9	43.1	43.3	42.8	42.8	42.5	42.5	43.8	42.7
Malta	0.1	32.4	32.5	31.5	29.9	31.3	31.1	29.1	28.7	26.1	25.2
Netherlands	5.5	36.1	36.7	37.0	37.6	38.5	38.4	37.7	37.6	36.0	35.7
Austria	3.4	40.8	41.2	40.9	41.4	41.9	41.8	41.4	41.5	40.1	39.1
Portugal	1.5	37.8	38.9	36.7	38.3	40.3	37.9	39.2	39.7	38.4	38.2
Slovenia	0.4	39.5	32.4	36.9	37.5	38.2	38.7	38.2	38.0	36.4	36.3
Slovakia	0.6	36.1	35.8	34.6	32.1	35.0	36.8	36.1	35.2	35.5	35.0
Finland	2.4	42.5	43.3	44.0	44.7	45.8	45.8	45.4	45.1	44.6	44.3
Euro area	100.0	40.1	40.7	41.1	41.4	42.1	42.0	41.9	42.1	42.3	40.5
Bulgaria	0.3	35.9	35.7	30.8	32.2	35.5	35.2	32.4	31.5	31.5	32.9
Czech Republic	1.1	30.7	32.4	31.4	30.8	32.0	31.6	30.5	30.5	30.3	29.3
Denmark	2.4	42.4	43.9	43.5	43.1	43.6	44.0	43.3	43.6	41.9	41.6
Croatia	0.0	30.9	30.4	31.6	32.5	30.7	31.3	30.9	30.2	29.2	29.0
Hungary	0.7	33.8	32.8	30.6	28.9	30.3	29.3	28.4	27.5	26.4	27.1
Poland	3.3	36.3	37.5	37.6	37.7	40.4	39.8	39.0	39.9	37.5	39.2
Romania	1.1	32.7	32.2	32.1	31.8	33.4	34.9	33.5	32.8	32.9	33.4
Sweden	3.3	40.0	40.6	40.5	40.8	41.3	40.6	39.2	38.6	37.7	37.5
EU	100.0	39.7	40.4	40.6	40.9	41.7	41.6	41.2	41.4	41.4	39.9
United Kingdom	-	37.1	37.6	37.4	37.8	37.5	36.6	36.5	36.1	31.9	.
United States	-	20.3	20.6	20.4	20.5	20.2	20.0	19.8	19.8	25.8	27.0
Japan	-	40.9	40.4	40.5	40.7	41.4	41.6	41.4	41.3	37.7	.

Sources: Eurostat and OECD.

1) Euro area countries: contribution in the euro area total. Non-euro area countries: contribution in the EU total.