

POVERTY									
Variable	At risk of poverty		Intensity of poverty	Working poor		Child poverty		Gini coefficient	
Indicator	Share of persons with an equivalised disposable income below the at risk of poverty threshold (1) after social transfers (%), 2008	Change 2005-2008 (%)	Relative median at risk of poverty gap (%), 2008	In work at risk of poverty rate (%), 2008	Change 2005-2008 (%)	Poverty rate among children (%), 2006	Point changes since mid-1990s, 2006 (2)	Gini coefficient of income inequality, mid-2000s	Point changes since mid-1990s, mid-2000s (2)
Albania								0.33a	
Andorra									
Armenia								0.30a	-31.8
Austria	12.4	0.8	15.3	6.4	-4.5	6	6.0	0.27	11.5
Azerbaijan								0.17a	-51.4
Belarus								0.29a	
Belgium	14.7	-0.7	17.2	4.8	23.1	10	-0.8	0.27	-5.4
Bosnia and Herzegovina								0.36a	
Bulgaria	21.4	52.9	27.0	7.5	25.0			0.29a	-6.5
Croatia	18.0b		23.0b	9.0c				0.29a	7.4
Cyprus	16.2	0.6	16.6	6.4	-1.5				
Czech Republic	9.0	-13.5	18.5	3.6	2.9	10	1.7	0.27	4.2
Denmark	11.8	0.0	18.0	5.1	4.1	3	0.8	0.23	8.1
Estonia	19.5	6.6	20.3	7.3	-2.7			0.36a	20.0
Finland	13.6	16.2	15.7	5.1	37.8	4	2.1	0.27	18.1
France	13.4		18.1			8	0.3	0.27	0.0
Georgia		3.1		6.8	11.5			0.41a	10.8
Germany	15.2	24.6	22.2	7.1	47.9	16	5.1	0.30	9.5
Greece	20.1	2.6	24.7	14.3	10.9	13	0.9	0.32	-4.4
Hungary	12.4	-8.1	17.3	5.4	-38.6	9	-1.6	0.29	-1.0
Iceland	10.1	4.1	14.9	6.7	-15.2	8		0.28	
Ireland	15.4	-21.8	18.0	6.5	6.6	16	2.3	0.33	1.3
Italy	18.7	-1.1	23.0	8.9	1.1	16	-3.4	0.35	1.1
Kosovo									
Latvia	25.6	33.3	28.6	11.0	22.2			0.36a	16.1
Liechtenstein									
Lithuania	20.0	-3.4	25.7	9.4	-6.9			0.36a	12.5
Luxembourg	13.4	-2.2	16.6	9.4	-4.1	12	4.5	0.26	-0.4
Macedonia								0.43a	53.6
Malta	14.6	6.6	17.7	5.1	6.3				
Moldova								0.37a	0.0
Monaco									
Montenegro								0.37a	
Netherlands	10.5	-1.9	14.9	4.8	-17.2	12	1.0	0.27	-4.0
Norway	11.3	-0.9	22.2	5.4	17.4	5	0.9	0.28	7.8
Poland	16.9	-17.6	20.6	11.5	-17.3	22		0.37	
Portugal	18.5	-4.6	23.2	11.8	-0.8	17	0.0	0.38	7.1
Romania	23.4	30.0	32.3	17.7				0.32a	14.3
Russian Federation								0.44a	-4.3
San Marino									
Serbia								0.28a	
Slovak Republic	10.9	-18.0	18.1	5.8	-34.8	11		0.27	
Slovenia	12.3	0.8	19.3	5.1	10.9			0.31a	6.9
Spain	19.6	-0.5	23.6	10.7	2.9	17	1.9	0.32	-7.1
Sweden	12.2	28.4	18.0	6.8	23.6	4	1.5	0.23	10.8
Switzerland						9	1.2	0.28	
Turkey	26.0c		31.0c	23.0c		25	5.0	0.43	-2.4
Ukraine								0.28a	-20.0
United Kingdom	18.8		20.8	8.6		10	-3.6	0.34	-5.4
Source	Eurostat		Eurostat	Eurostat		OECD		OECD and WB	

Notes:

(1) Elaboration by Social Watch on official data

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a: Data signed by a are by World Bank; others are by OECD

b: 2007

c: 2003

- The relative median at risk of poverty gap is calculated as the difference between the median income of persons below the at risk of poverty threshold and the at risk of poverty threshold. It provides an indication of "how poor are poor people".

- The Gini coefficient is a measure of the inequality in income distribution, a value of 0 expressing total equality and a value of 1 maximal inequality.