Presentation of the main results

Commission Européenne pour l'efficacité de la Justice European Commission for the Efficiency of Justice





- 45 Member States are included
- Report presents data year 2008
- Based on replies questionnaire received from Member States
- 4th report

(previous reports 2004, 2006 and 2008)



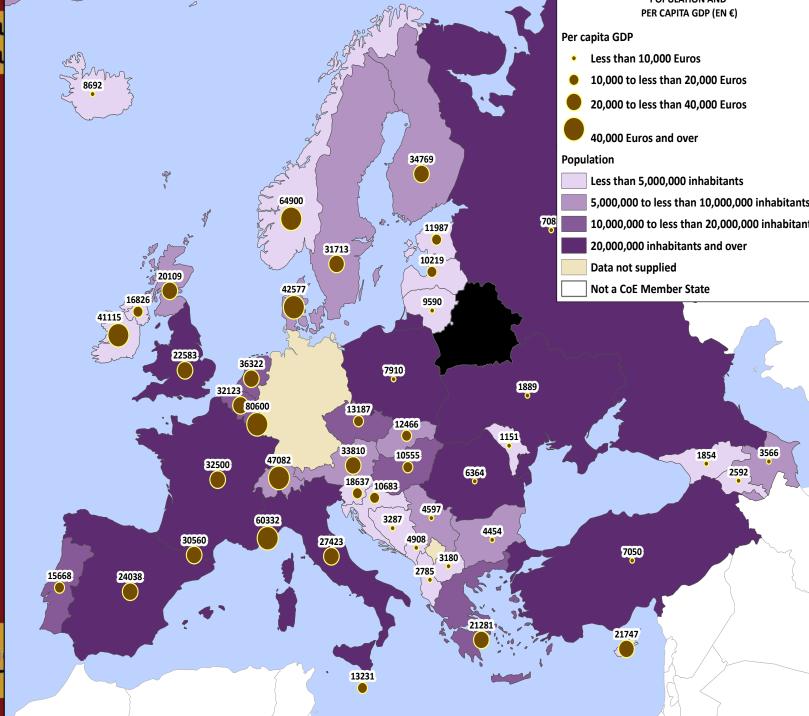
- Financing of the judicial systems
- Access to justice
- Rights and public confidence for court users
- The courts
- Alternative dispute resolution
- Judges
- Non-judge staff
- Court activity and fair trial
- Prosecutors
- Status and career of judges and prosecutors
- Lawyers
- Execution of court decisions





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Level of population and per capita GDP in Europe in 2008

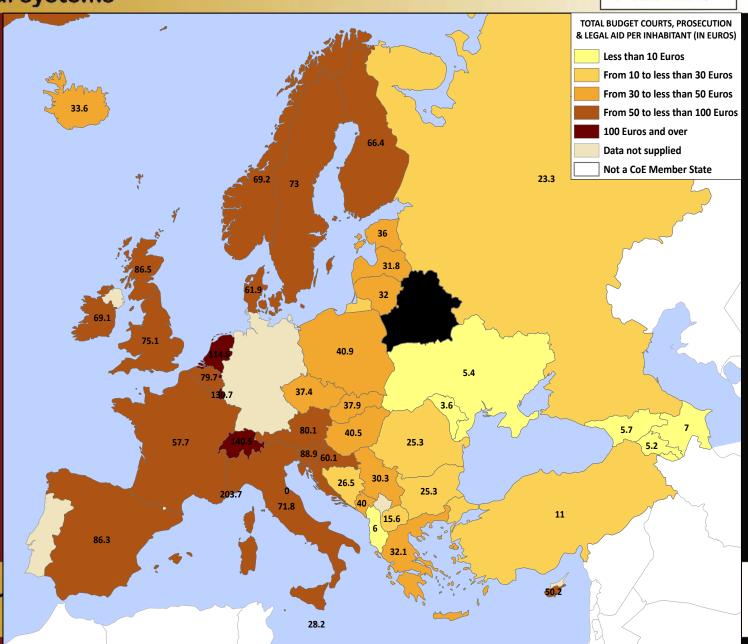


Systèmes judiciaires européens European judicial systems

2010

Total annual public budget allocated to all courts, public prosecution and legal aid per inhabitant in

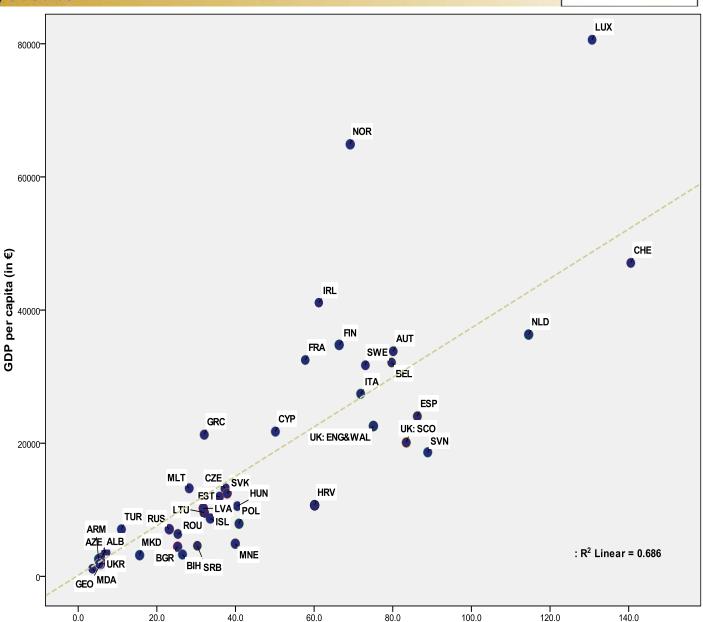
2008, in €





2010

Correlation between the GDP per capita and the total budget (courts, prosecution and legal aid), in 2008

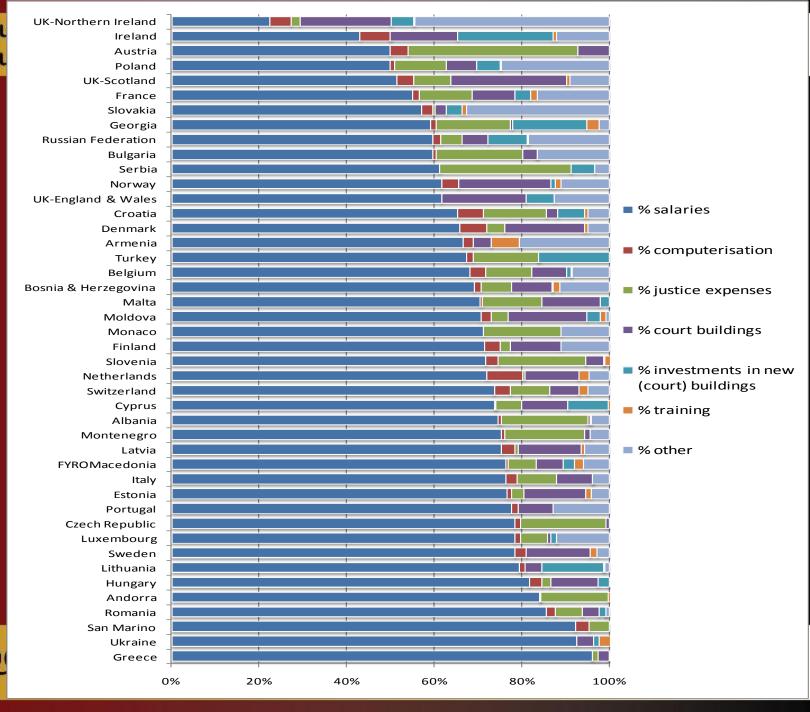


Total budget allocated to courts, prosecution and legal aid per inhabitant (in €)



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Distribution of the main budgetary posts of the courts by country, in %

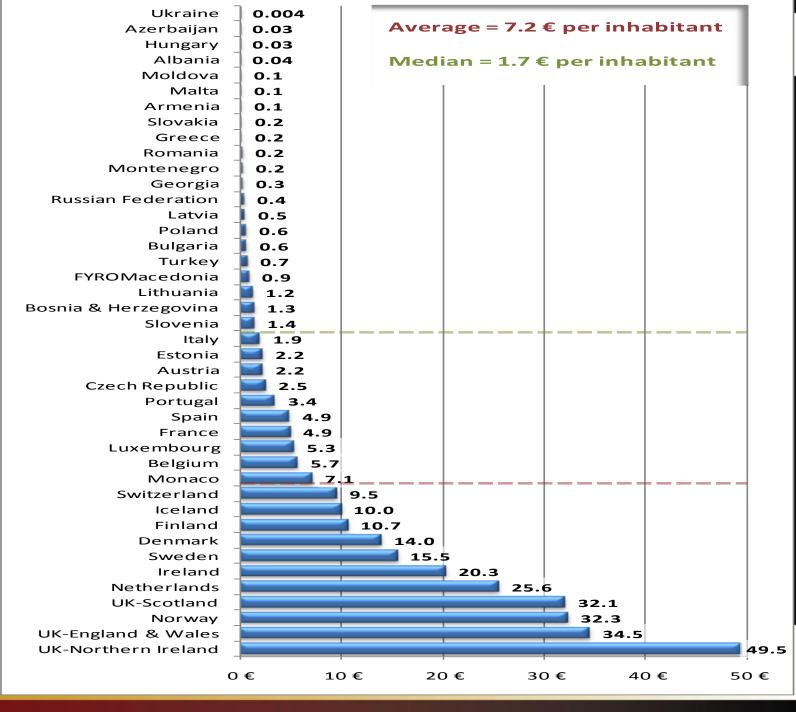




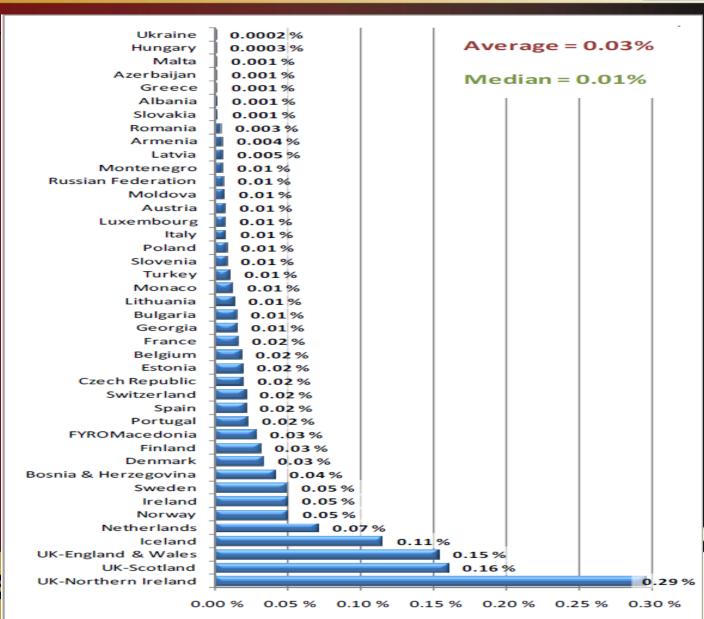
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Armenia 8 851 162 14 622 030	20.1 % 12.7 % 10.3 % 30.6 %
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Austria 976 000 000 1 172 000 000	12.7 % 10.3 % 30.6 %
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Azerbaijan 53 517 697 60 305 580	30.6 %
Belgium 1 460 600 000 1 610 500 000	
Bosnia and Herzegovina 125 125 032 163 401 586	2469/
Total Bulgaria 161 308 750 217 141 452	34.0 %
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annual Cyprus 43 236 728 47 965 235 Czech Republic 438 828 034 514 118 167	10.9 %
450 020 054 514 110 107	17.2 %
approved Denmark 1 286 000 1 521 000 Estonia 68 795 556 118 251 762	18.3 %
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budget Finland 308 395 000 748 428 000 France 6 447 440 000 6 497 010 000	0.00
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Georgia 19 813 558 24 940 020 Greece 332 875 000 356 915 000	25.9 % 7.2 %
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to the Hungary 600 700 000 1 787 400 000 1 787 400 000 1 9 008 821	-22.1 %
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OVErall 134 668 668 7 278 169 362	-6.9 %
Latvia 130 101 946 170 263 394	30.9 %
USTICE Lithuania 78 018 000 105 584 000	35.3 %
Luxembourg 57 334 448 64 300 000	12.1 %
system in Malta 8716 000 9 073 000 Moldovs 20 390 097 25 686 050	4.1 %
Moldova 20 390 097 35 686 050	
2008, in €. Montopore 7 666 500 8 547 100	11.5 %
Montenegro 18 670 104 37 358 769	100.1 %
Evolution Netherlands 5 411 049 000 5 825 626 000	7.7 %
Norway 1 981 751 000 2 160 796 000	9.0 %
of this Poland 1 507 679 000 2 428 891 000	61.1 %
Fortugal 1114 050 407 1 300 550 405	24.5 %
Romania 554 578 228 769 595 000 Russian Federation 2 401 660 110 2 406 286 197	38.8 %
	0.19 %
Serbia 253 303 797 332 713 073 Slovakia 121 962 190 293 698 463	31.3 %
	140.8 % 13.9 %
2006 and Spain 216 000 000 246 000 000 246 000 000 3 186 400 970 4 040 218 130	26.8 %
Sweden 3 083 500 000 3 033 863 752	-1.6 %
2008, in % Switzerland NA 1 384 887 814	-1.0 70
FYROMacedonia 36 534 982 47 024 005	28.7 %
Turkey 1 255 196 514 1 288 654 751	2.7 %
UK-England and Wales NA 4 032 116 766	
UK-Northern Ireland 161 600 000	
O O O O UK-Scotland 3 095 384 036 1 785 097 305	-42.3 %
Average	27.7 %
Median Median	17.7 %
Minimum	-42.3 %
Maximum	197.6 %

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Annual public budget allocated to legal aid per inhabitant in 2008

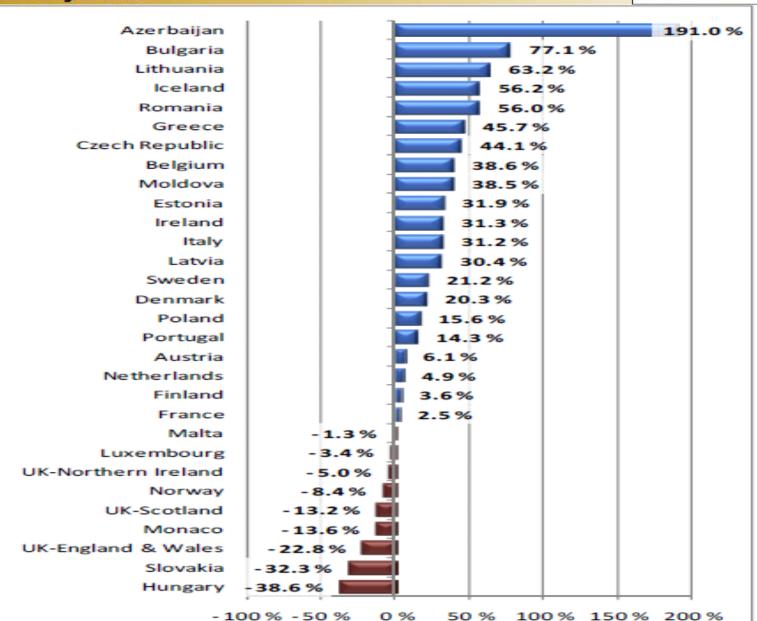


Annual public budget allocated to legal aid (% per GPD per inhabitant) in 2008





Annual public budget allocated to legal aid (changes) 2008

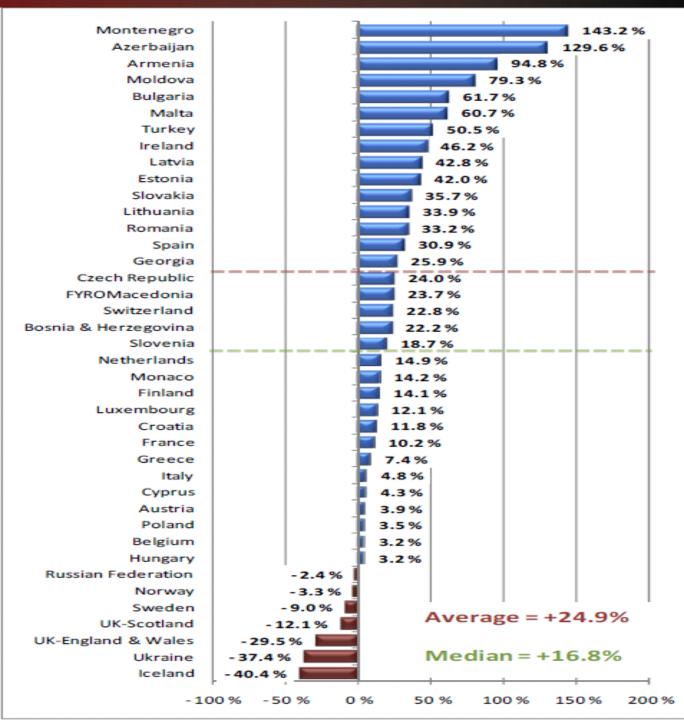




Systèmes judiciaires European judicial sys

Evolution
between 2006
and 2008 of the
total annual
approved public
budget allocated
to all courts,
public
prosecution and
legal aid





Systèmes jud European jud		Cases granted with legal aid per 100 000 inhabitants (total)	Criminal cases granted with legal aid per 100 000 inhabitants	Other than criminal cases granted with legal aid per 100 000 inhabitants	Average amount of legal aid allocated per case	Average amount of legal aid allocated per criminal case	Average amount of legal aid allocated per other than criminal case
	Armenia	66.9	66.9		164€	164€	
	Austria			165.9			
	Belgium	1 422.8			397€		
Number of	Bosnia & Herzegovina	69.5	36.2	33.3	1 928 €	3 700 €	
number of	_Bulgaria _	562.8			113€		
legal aid	Croatia	32.7		32.7			
	Denmark			62.9			(12 369 €)
cases per	Estonia	2 612.3	2 408.8	203.4	84€	76 €	189 €
•	Finland	1 609.8	712.9	896.9	663€		
100.000	France	1 392.0	626.8	765.2	353 €	263 €	427 €
inhabitants	Georgia	210.0	192.7	17.3	130€		
-	Hungary	435.9	28.2	407.7	7€		
and average	Ireland	1 419.3	1 249.7	169.6	1 432 €	1 001 €	4 619 €
	Italy	247.1	165.3	81.8	787€	898 €	563 €
amount	Lithuania	1 313.5	1 043.6	270.0	94€		
allocated in	Luxembourg	740.0	400.0		714€		
	Moldova	125.7	125.7	1.0	56€	56 €	
the public	Montenegro	187.4	186.4	1.0	132€	133 €	1.053.0
	Netherlands	2 482.3	963.4	1 518.9	1 029 €	994€	1 052 €
budget for	Portugal	1 036.9			331€		
legal aid per	Romania Russian Federation	676.9			30€		
	San Marino	991.9		3.2	38€		
case in 2008	Slovakia			13.7			1 218 €
	Slovenia	322.9	42.1	15.7	431€		1 210 €
	Spain	1 389.6	42.1		349 €		
	Switzerland	510.3			1911€		
	FYROMacedonia	141.3	139.5	1.7	614€	120€	
	Turkey	8 298.6	4 276.9	4 021.7	8€	13 €	3€
	UK-England & Wales	3 051.1	1 144.4	1 906.7	1 131 €	1931€	651 €
	UK-Northern Ireland	4 843.9	1 740.2	3 103.7	1 021 €	1 656 €	598 €
	UK-Scotland	5 975.1	3 748.9	2 226.2	537€	558€	429 €
cepe	Average	1 506.0	994.7	757.3	536€	826€	2 011 €
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	Minimum	32.7	28.2	1.0	7€	13 €	3€
	Maximum	8 298.6	4 276.9	4 021.7	1928€	3 700 €	12 369 €

Systèmes ju Country Information mechanisms Special hearing modalities Special procedural rights Other special arrangements European ju Armenia Austria Azerbaijan Belgium Bosnia and Herzegovina **Special** Croatia Cyprus favourable Czech Republic Denmark arrangemen Estonia Finland ts applied France Georgia during Greece Hungary Iceland judicial Ireland Italy proceeding Latvia Lithuania s to certain Luxembourg Malta categories Moldova Monaco Montenegro Netherlands Norway vulnerable Poland Portugal persons Romania Russian Federation San Marino Serbia Slovakia Slovenia Spain Sweden Switzerland FYROMacedonia Turkey Ukraine UK-England and Wales UK-Scotland TOTAL (Number of countries) 24 15 31 28 15 16 24 8 36 21 45 29 16 29 35 5 33 22 43 28 19 25 41 7 9

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Number of 1st
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number of all the courts as
geographic locations, from 2004
to 2008
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Country Norway Poland **Portugal** Romania **Russian Federation** San Marino Serbia Slovakia Slovenia Spain Sweden Switzerland **FYROMacedonia** Turkey Ukraine **UK-England & Wales**

UK-Northern Ireland

Average Median

Minimum

Maximum

UK-Scotland

Albania Andorra Armenia Austria Azerbaijan Belgium Bosnia & Herzegovin Bulgaria Croatia Cyprus Czech Republic Denmark Estonia **Finland France** Georgia Greece Hungary Iceland Ireland Italy Latvia Lithuania Luxembourg Malta Moldova Monaco Montenegro Netherlands

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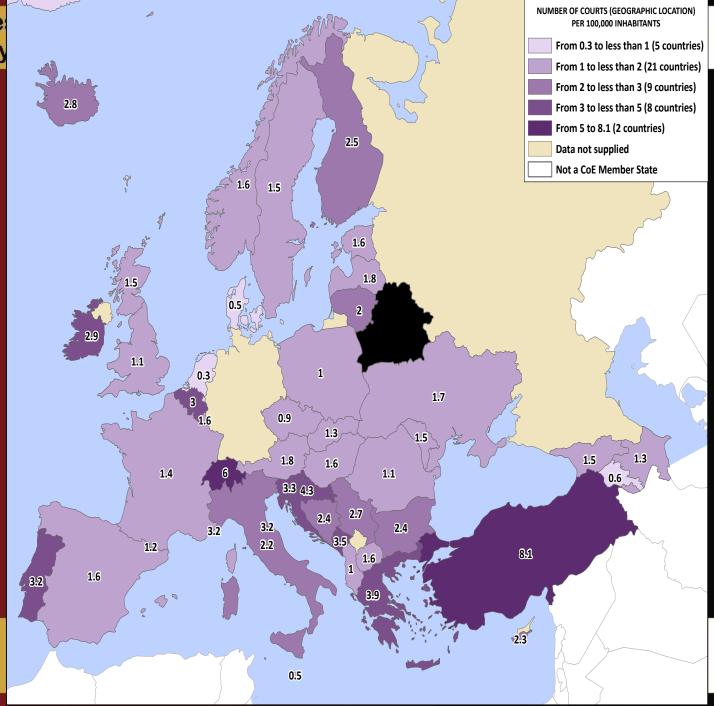
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Number of all courts (geographic locations) per 100.000 inhabitants in 2008





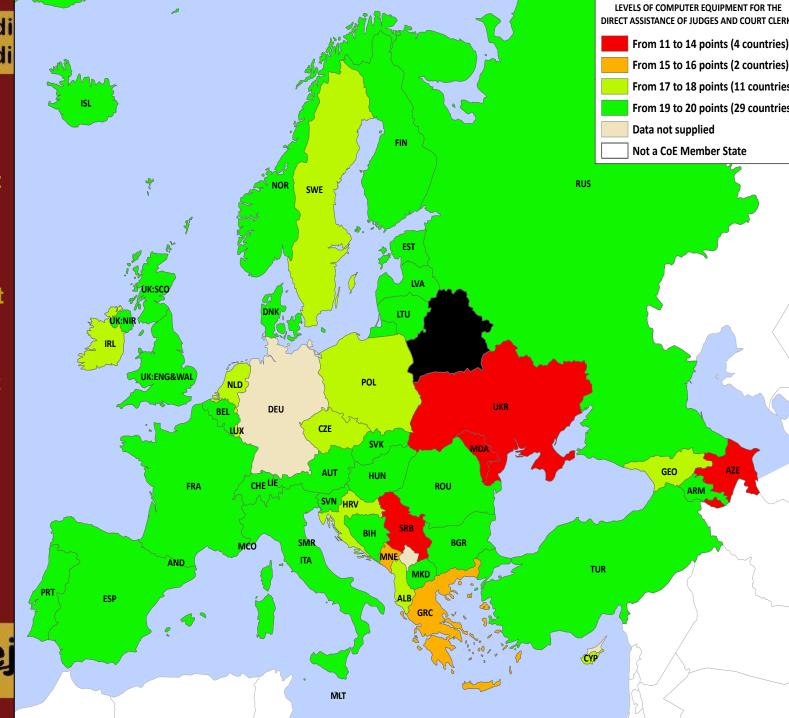
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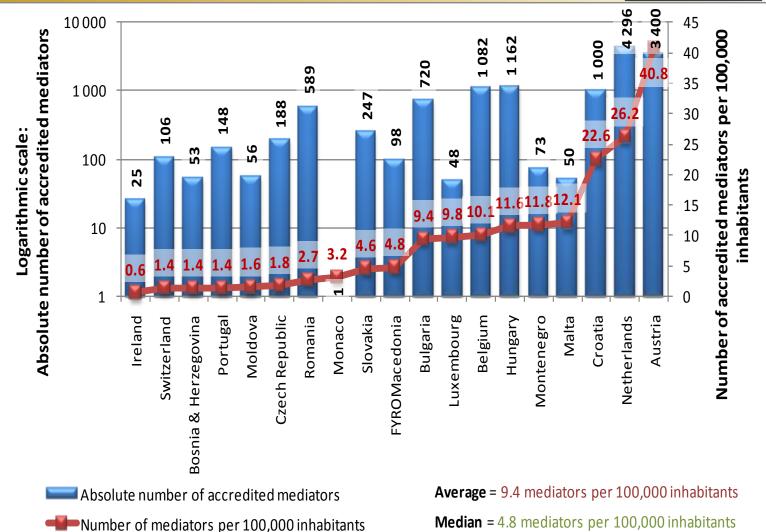


Level of implementat ion of computer equipment for the direct assistance of judges and/or court clerks





Number of accredited mediators per 100.000 inhabitants in 2008





Systèmes judiciaires européens European judicial systems

2010

Judicial mediation in civil and commercial cases in 2008

Austria Belgium Bosnia and Herzegovina Bulgaria Croatia Denmark Finland Italv Hungary Ireland Italy Lithuania Malta Monaco Montenegro Netherlands Russian Federation Slovenia Sweden Switzerland Turkey UK-England and Wales **UK-Northern Ireland UK-Scotland Private mediation** proposed by judge or

Austria Belgium Bosnia and Herzegovina Bulgaria Croatia Czech Republic Finland France Greece Hungary Ireland Latvia Lithuania Luxembourg Montenegro Netherlands Norway Poland Romania Slovakia Slovenia Sweden **FYROMacedonia** UK-England and Wales **UK-Northern Ireland UK-Scotland Private mediator**

Croatia Finland France Hungary Malta Monaco Portugal Russian Federation Slovenia Spain

Denmark Finland Iceland Lithuania Norway Russian Federation Sweden

Croatia

Croatia Russian Federation

court annexed mediation (23 countries) 50%

(27 countries) 59%

Public authority (other than the court) (10 countries) 22%

Judge (8 countries) 17%

Prosecutor (2 countries) 4%

Systèmes jud		Professional judges (FTE)		in courts oc	Professional judges sitting in courts occasionally (gross figures)		Non-professional judges (lay judges) (gross figures)	
European jud	Country	Absolute number	Per 100,000 inhabitants	Absolute number	Per 100,000 inhabitants	Absolute number	Per 100,000 inhabitants	non- professional judges per one professional judge
	Albania	391	12.3		2.4			
	Andorra	23	27.2	2	2.4			
Type and	Armenia Austria	216 1 658	6.8 19.9					
Type and	Azerbaijan	494	5.7					
	Belgium	1 626	15.2			2 712	25.4	1.7
number	Bosnia and Herzegovina	857	22.3	95	2.5	298	7.8	0.3
Hullibel	Bulgaria	2 166	28.3					
	Croatia	1 883	42.5					
of	Cyprus	100	12.5					
	Czech Republic	3 044	29.2			6 966	66.8	2.3
	Denmark	380	6.9			28 766	525.3	75.7
PADDIII	Estonia	238	17.7			582	43.4	2.4
Judges	Finland	921	17.4			3 689	69.6	4.0
judges in 2008	France	5 819	9.1	554	0.9	28 859	45.1	4.9
	Georgia	282	6.4					
IN 2008	_Greece Hungary	3 739 2 903	33.3 28.9			4 382	43.6	1.5
111 2000	Iceland	2 903	14.7			4 302	43.0	1.5
	Ireland	145	3.3					
	Italy	6 109	10.2			4 754	8.0	0.8
	Latvia	473	20.8			595	26.2	1.3
	Lithuania	755	22.5					
	Luxembourg	184	37.4			NA		
	Malta	36	8.7					
	Moldova	460	12.9					
	Monaco	20	64.3	15	48.2	118	379.4	5.9
	Montenegro	246	39.7			148	23.9	0.6
	Netherlands	2 176	13.3	around 900				
	Norway	537	11.3	34	0.7	45 000	949.9	83.8
	Poland	9 890	25.9	NA		43 613	114.4	4.4
	Portugal	1 906	18.0			454	4.3	0.2
	Romania Russian Federation	4 142 34 390	19.2 24.2					
	San Marino	19	60.8	6	19.2	NA		
	Serbia	2 506	34.1			IVA		
	Slovakia	1 388	25.7			NA		
	Slovenia	1 083	53.5			4 065	200.7	3.8
	Spain	4 836	10.7	1223	2.7	7 681	17.0	1.6
	Sweden	1 039	11.3	174	1.9	8 228	89.6	7.9
	Switzerland	1 089	14.1	502	6.5	2 535	32.9	2.3
	FYROMacedonia	659	32.2			1 794	87.7	2.7
	Turkey	7 198	10.1					
	Ukraine	7 205	15.5					
cene	UK-England and Wales	1 902	3.5	7831	14.4	29 500	54.2	15.5
CCDC	UK-Northern Ireland* UK-Scotland	123 181	7.0 3.5	123 103	7.0 2.0	239 450	13.6 8.7	1.9 2.5
	Average	101	20.6	103	9.0	450	123.4	9.9
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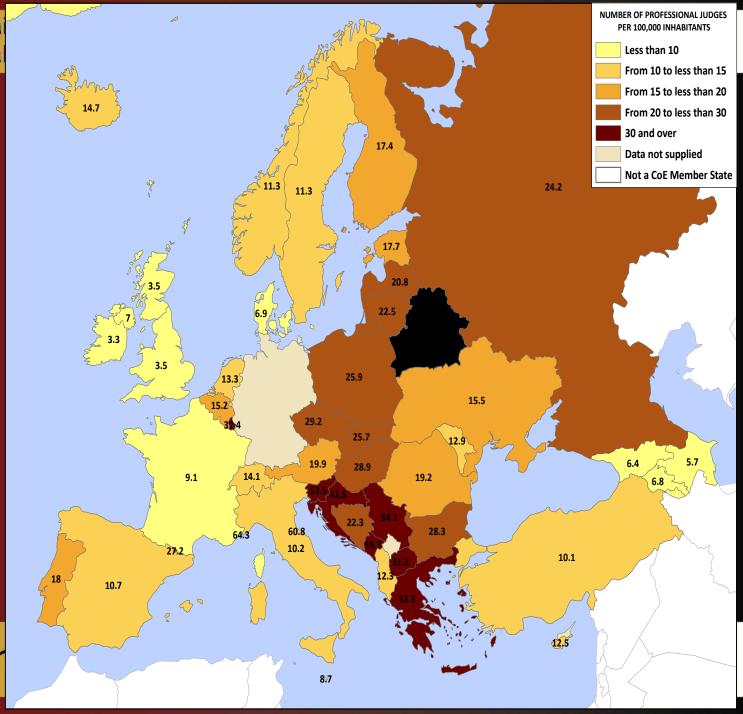
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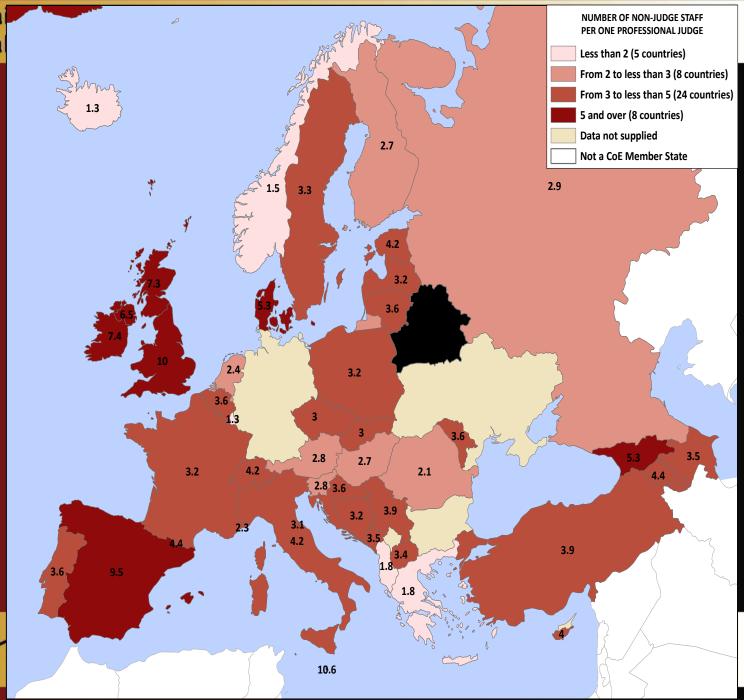
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Minimum

Number of professional judges sitting in courts (FTE) for 100.000 inhabitants, in 2008



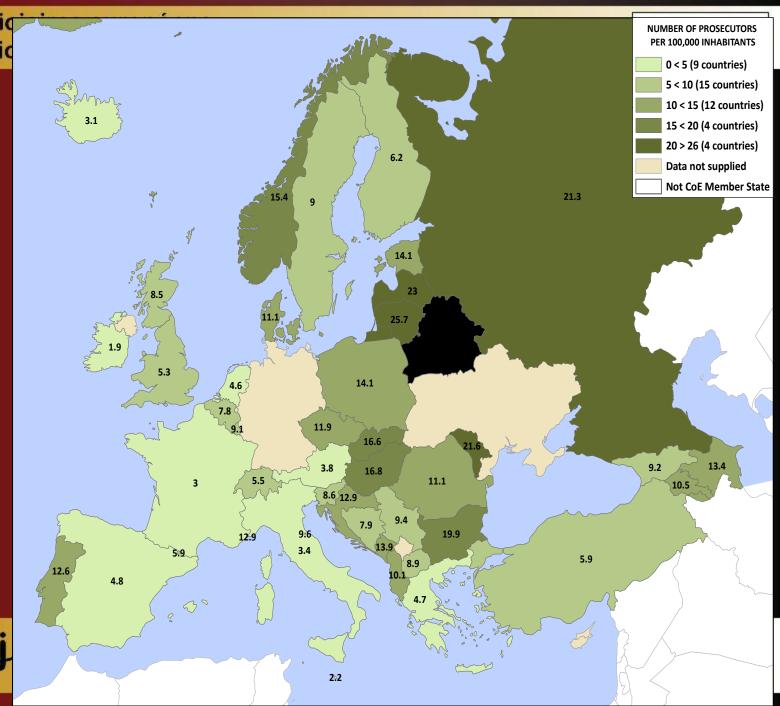
Number of non-judge staff per one professional judge



Systèmes judic European judic
Prosecutors,
persons with
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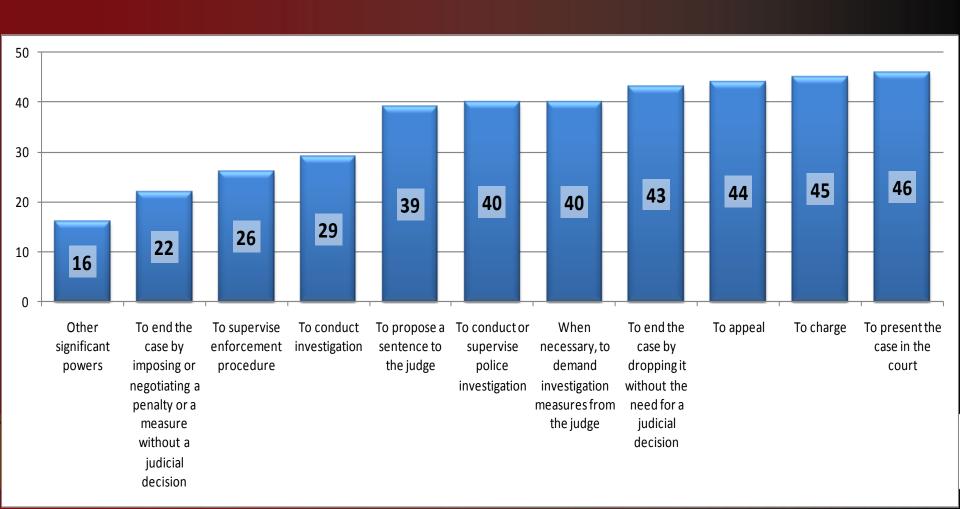
s judic n judic	Country	Number of Public Prosecutors	Number of prosecutors per 100,000 inhabitants	Number of persons with similar duties as public prosecutors	Number of non- prosecutor staff attached to the public prosecution service	Number of non- prosecutor staff per 100,000 inhabitants	Number of non- prosecutor staff per prosecutor
	Albania	321	10.1		427	13.5	1.3
	Andorra	5	5.9		5	5.9	1.0
	Armenia	337	10.5		289	9.0	0.9
	Austria	318.5	3.8	144.28	271.2	3.3	0.9
4	Azerbaijan	1 160	13.4	NA NA	800	9.3	0.7
tors,	Belgium	833	7.8		2 815.2	26.4	3.4
	Bosnia and Herzegovina	304	7.9		465	12.1	1.5
with	Bulgaria	1 522	19.9		NA	NA	NA
VVILII	Croatia	570	12.9		894	20.2	1.6
	Cyprus	4 222	44.0		4 500		
ar	Czech Republic	1 239 607	11.9 11.1	NA	1 530	14.7	1.2
	Denmark	189		NA	00		0.5
as	Estonia Finland	189 329	14.1	NA.	88 174	6.6	0.5
as	France *	1908	3.0	NA NA	(18 586)*	5.5	0.5
	Georgia	402	9.2	na.	284	6.5	0.7
C	Greece	530	4.7	NA	204	0.3	0.7
	Hungary	1 686	16.8	NA.	2 303	22.9	1.4
tors,	Iceland	10	3.1	24	6	1.9	0.6
tuis,	Ireland	84	1.9	NA.	111	2.5	1.3
	Italy	2 018	3.4	1701	9 872	16.6	4.9
on-	Latvia	523	23.0		425	18.7	0.8
	Lithuania	863	25.7	170	558	16.6	0.6
utor	Luxembourg	45	9.1		76	15.4	1.7
utoi	Malta	9	2.2	NA NA	39	9.4	4.3
c	Moldova	770	21.6		773	21.6	1.0
	Monaco	4	12.9		6	19.3	1.5
	Montenegro	86	13.9		118	19.0	1.4
d to	Netherlands	756	4.6		3 682	22.4	4.9
uto	Norway	730	15.4		57	1.2	0.1
4100	Poland	5 379	14.1	NA	6 900	18.1	1.1
ıtion	Portugal	1 341	12.6		1 676	15.8	1.2
	Romania	2 379	11.1		3 380	15.7	1.4
s in	Russian Federation San Marino	30 315 3	21.3 9.6	NA.	12 259 4	8.6 12.8	0.4
5 111	Serbia	689	9.6	NA NA	950	12.8	1.4
ETE	Slovakia	897	16.6	NA	842	15.6	0.9
FTE	Slovenia	175	8.6	20	216	10.7	1.2
	Spain	2 178	4.8	NA.	1 986	4.4	0.9
1	Sweden	831	9.0	1100	356	3.9	0.4
	Switzerland	426	5.5		693	9.0	1.6
	FYROMacedonia	181	8.9		176	8.6	1.0
	Turkey	4 222	5.9		3 692	5.2	0.9
	Ukraine						
100	UK-England and Wales	2 868	5.3	NA NA	4 745	8.7	1.7
nai	UK-Northern Ireland			NA			
per	UK-Scotland	440	8.5		1 092	21.1	2.5
-	Average		10.4			12.2	1.4
	Median		9.3			12.4	1.2
	Minimum		1.9			1.2	0.1
	Maximum		25.7			26.4	4.9

Number of public prosecutors per 100.000 inhabitants in 2008





Role and attributions of public prosecutors in criminal procedures



Gross and net annual salaries of judges and prosecutors at the Supreme Court or at the Highest Appellate Court, in

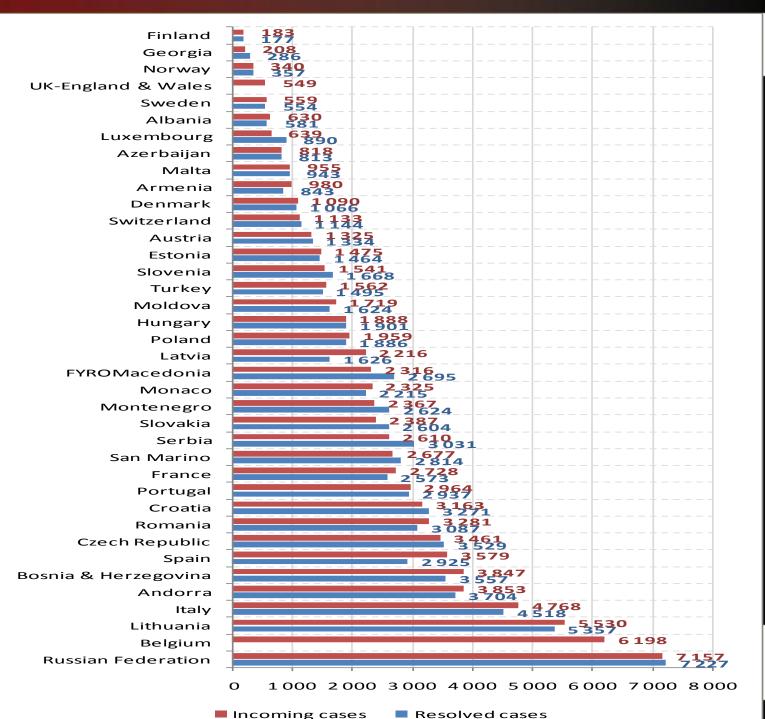
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C	Country	Gross annual salary of a judge of the Supreme Court or the Highest Appellate Court	Gross salary of a judge in regard to national average gross annual salary	Net annual salary of a judge of the Supreme Court or the Highest Appellate Court	Gross annual salary of a Public Prosecutor of the Supreme Court or the Highest Appellate Instance	Gross salary of a prosecutor in regard to national average gross annual salary	Net annual salary of a Public Prosecutor of the Supreme Court or the Highest Appellate Instance
	Albania	14 486 €	2.8	11 778 €	14 486 €	2.8	11 778 €
ı	Andorra	39 050 €	1.7	36 707 €	128 632 €	5.5	120 914 €
	Armenia	9 103 €	3.8	7 423 €	6 487 €	2.7	5 420 €
	Austria	110 633 €	2.6		110 633 €	2.6	
	Azerbaijan	13 728 €	4.8	11 112 €	13 392 €	4.7	11 820 €
	Belgium	129 673 €	3.5	60 451 €	129 673 €	3.5	60 451 €
	Bosnia and Herzegovina	41 481 €	6.1	25 646 €	41 481 €	6.1	25 646 €
	Bulgaria	23 266 €	7.0	NA	23 266 €	7.0	NA.
	Croatia	58 490 €	4.7	29 754 €	58 490 €	4.7	29 754 €
	Cyprus	127 387 €	5.1	NA	NAP		NAP
	Czech Republic	50 378 €	4.8 2.3	NA.	43 662 €	4.1	NA
	Denmark	109 212 €		38 138 €		3.9	28 205 €
-	Estonia Finland	47 817 € 114 500 €	4.8	70 000 €	36 692 €	3.7 2.1	48 000 €
	France	107 011 €	3.4	91 537 €	107 011 €	3.4	91 537 €
- 1	Georgia	22 800 €	3.4	17 100 €	NA.	3.4	NA.
	Greece	105 770 €	4.3	73 570 €	120 796 €	4.9	84 396 €
	Hungary	37 480 €	4.0	18 740 €	37 480 €	4.0	18 740 €
	Iceland	73 463 €	2.7		73 463 €	2.7	
ı	Ireland	257 872 €	7.8				
ı	Italy	131 302 €	5.8	73 327 €	131 302 €	5.8	73 327 €
	Latvia	46 764 €	5.7	32 435 €	28 812 €	3.5	19 668 €
ı	Lithuania	29 862 €	4.0	22 066 €	21 461 €	2.9	17 406 €
	Luxembourg	140 201 €	3.3	NA	140 201 €	3.3	
	Malta	32 584 €	2.5		39 944 €	3.1	
	Moldova	5 100 €	2.6	4 001 €	3 775 €	1.9	2 865 €
	Monaco				121 359 €		114 549 €
	Montenegro	25 035 €	3.4	16 649 €	25 035 €	3.4	16 649 €
	Netherlands	115 000 €	2.3	60 000 €	130 500 €	2.7	65 000 €
	Norway	136 978 €	3.2	20.200.0			20.250.5
	Poland	43 826 €	5.2	29 269 €	43 826 €	5.2	29 269 €
	Portugal	83 401 €	4.2	25 815 €	80 972 €	4.1 5.3	21 220 €
	Romania Russian	36 802 €	6.4 9.0	39 160 €	30 403 €	2.4	21 328 €
	Federation	430116	5.0	35 100 €	12 240 €	2.4	20 046 €
	San Marino	70 760 €	3.4	60 055 €			
	Serbia	33 371 €	8.2	19 840 €	27 809 €	6.9	16 533 €
- 1	Slovakia	36 550 €	4.2		36 550 €	4.2	
	Slovenia	55 509 €	3.3	29 529 €	51 456 €	3.1	27 792 €
	Spain	137 810 €	4.7	NA	137 810 €	4.7	NA.
	Sweden	96 634 €	3.2	55 713 €	143 500 €	4.8	50 000 €
	Switzerland	227 446 €	4.9	211 980 €	147 912 €	3.2	124 246 €
	FYROMacedonia	20 912 €	4.1	13 583 €	16916€	3.3	11 037 €
	Turkey	37 146 €		29 864 €	37 146 €		29 864 €
	UK-England and Wales	212 093 €	8.1	NA.			NA
V Fil	UK-Northern Ireland	176 899 €	7.7	101 273 €			
1	UK-Scotland	214 165 €	8.5		88 845 €	3.5	
	Average		4.6			3.9	
	Median		4.2			3.5	
	Minimum		1.7			1.9	
	Maximum		9.0			7.0	

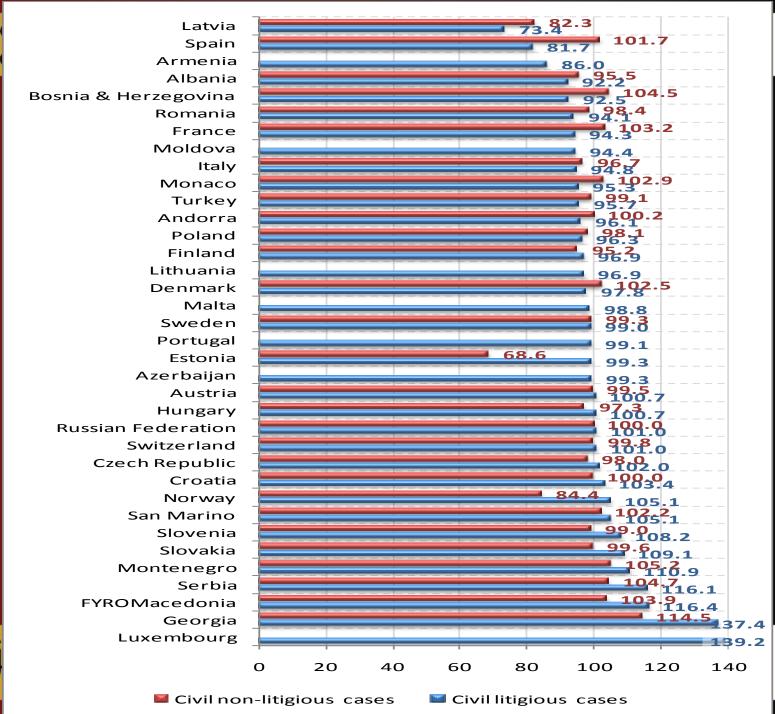


Number of 1st instance incoming and resolved civil (and commercial) litigious cases per 100.000 inhabitants in 2008



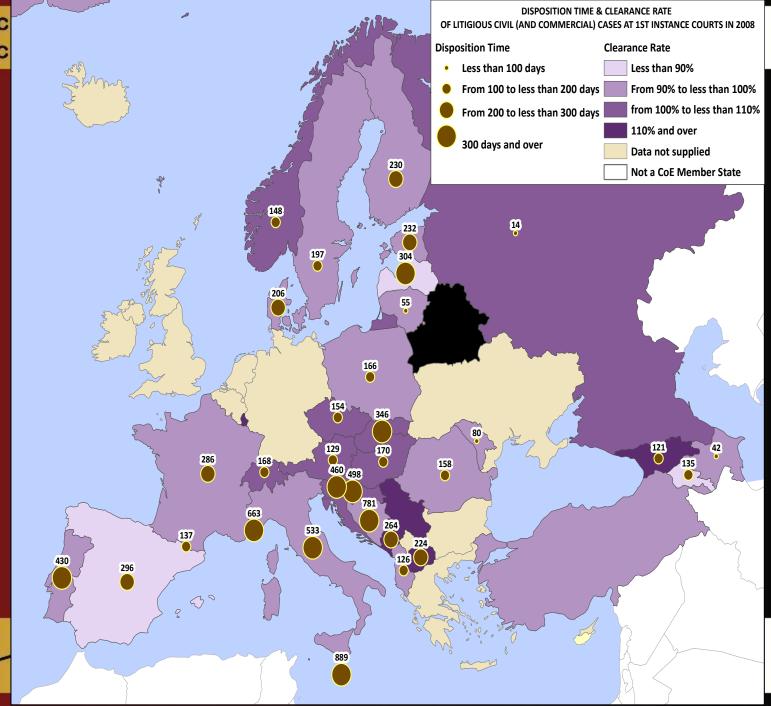


Clearance rate of civil litigious and non-litigious cases in 2008, in%



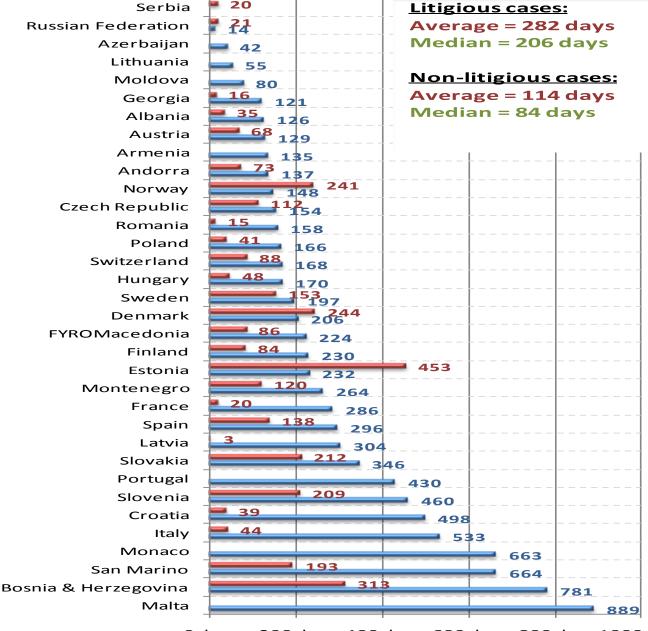


Disposition time and Clearance Rate of litigious civil (and commercial) cases at 1st instance courts in 2008





Disposition
time of
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courts in
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0 days 200 days 400 days 600 days 800 days 1000 days

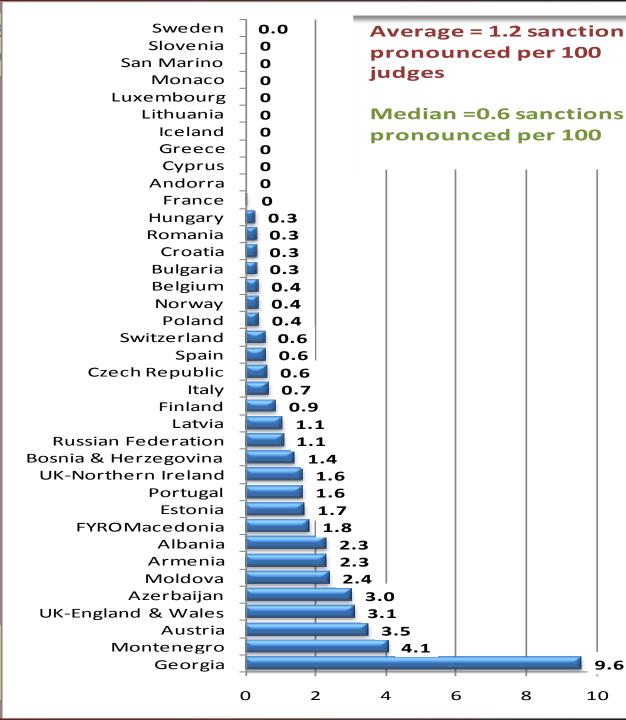
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■ Number of days: Civil (and commercial) litigious cases



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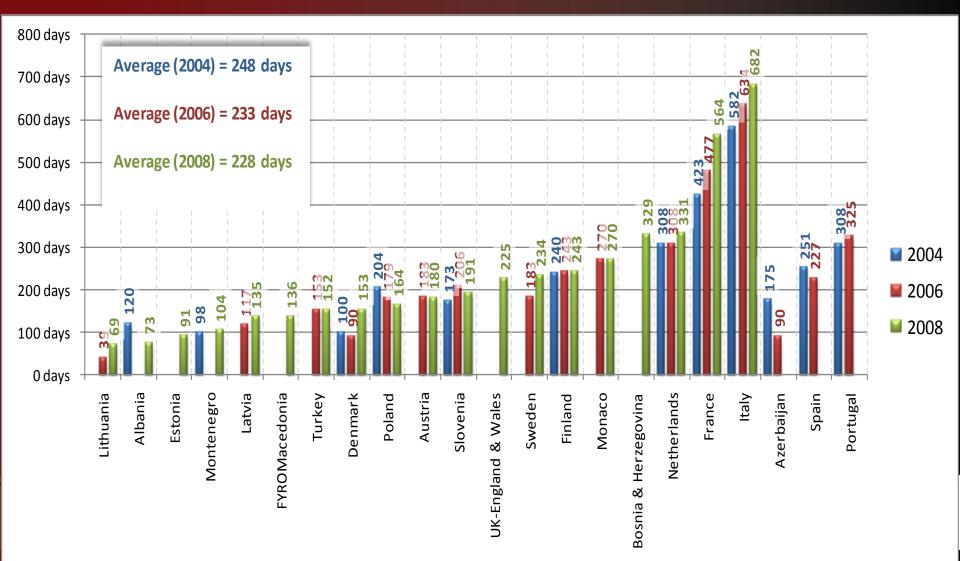
Number of sanctions pronounced per 100 judges in 2008



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Average length of proceedings for litigious divorce cases at first instance courts between 2004 and 2008, in days



Between 1 and 5 days

More than 30 days

Timeframe for notification of a court decision on debt recovery to a person living in the city where the court is sitting

	Albania		
rmenia	Cyprus		
ustria	Finland	Bulgaria	
zerbaijan	France	Croatia	
osnia and Herzegovina	Georgia	Ireland	
stonia	Hungary	Netherlands	
celand	Latvia	Norway	
uxembourg	Lithuania	Poland	
Лalta	Moldova	Slovakia	*
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witzerland	San Marino	Sweden	Czech Republic
urkey	Serbia	FYROMacedonia	Greece

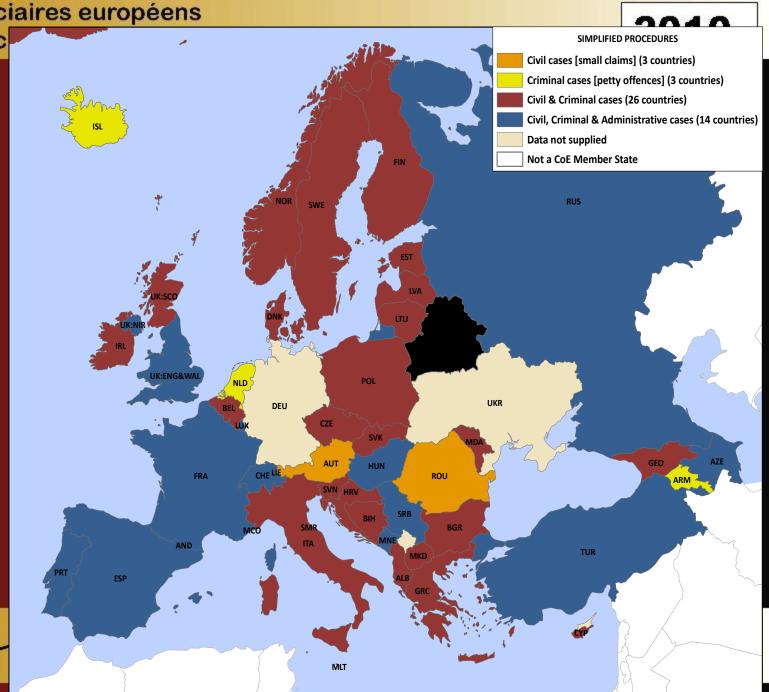
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Between 6 and 10 days

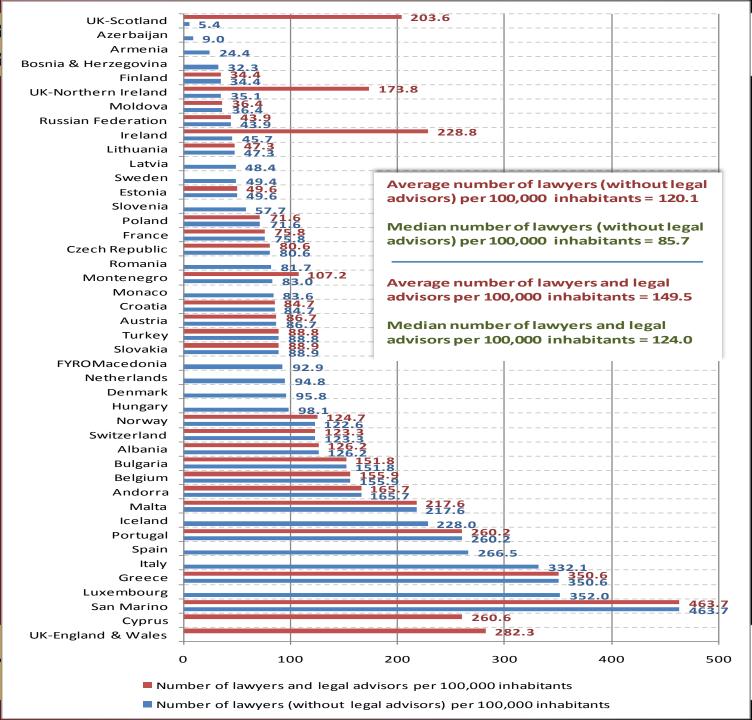
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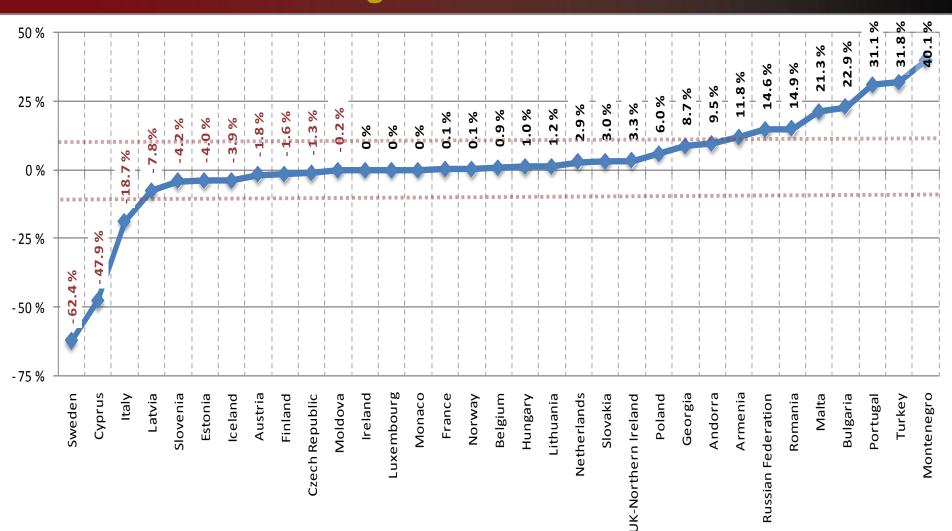
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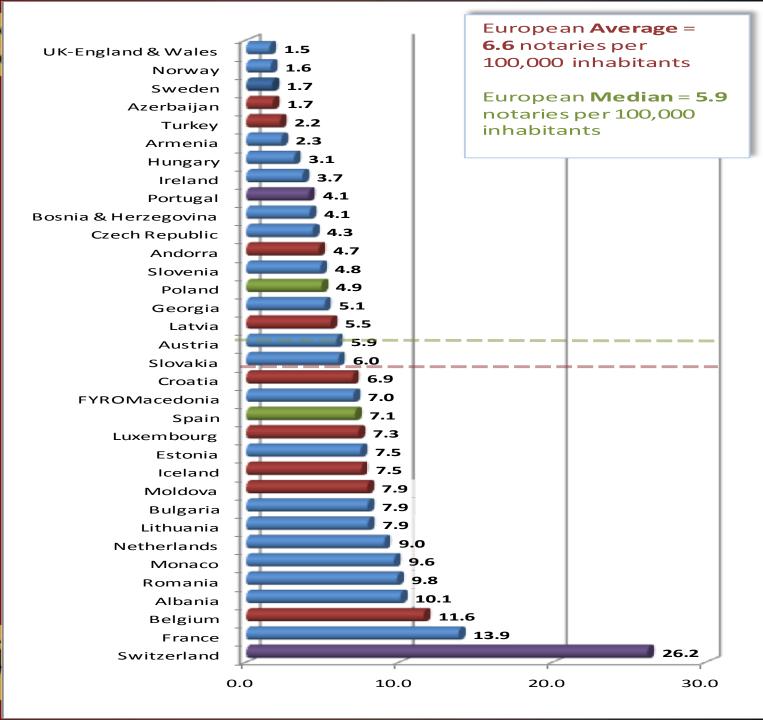
Number of lawyers (with and without legal advisors) per 100.000 inhabitants



Annual adjusted variation in the number of enforcement agents between 2004 and 2008



Number of notaries per 100.000 inhabitants in 2008



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Main event of the European Day of Civil Justice in Liubliana on 25 October 2010

The European Day of Civil Justice is organised by the European Commission for the Efficiency of Justice (CEPEJ) of the Council of Europe and the European Commission. This year, the main event

will take place in Ljubljana, on 25 October 2010, at the invitation of Mr Aleš Zalar, Slovenian Minister of Justice and in presence of Ms Maud de Boer-Buquicchio, Deputy Secretary General of the Council of Europe, Mag Claudia Bandion Ortner, Austrian Minister of Justice, Dražen Bošnjaković, Croatian Minister of Justice and Max Stadler, German Deputy Minister of Justice. The list of events communicated to the Secretariat in the Council of Europe's member States is available online. The events mainly consist in simulation of procedures and information sessions. These sessions are open to students, legal experts and the general public. European courts will also be holding open days to mark the occasion.

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