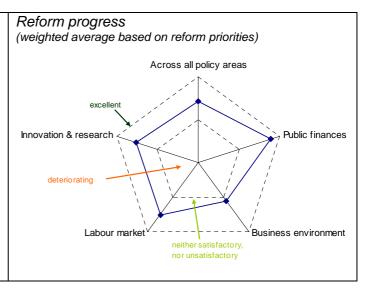




AUTUMN 2007 REFORM BAROMETER: ANSWERS FROM MFOI (MALTA)

Reform priorities

- Ensure employment-friendly labour cost developments
- 2. Adapt education and training systems to labour market needs
- 3. Improve business regulation
- Improve framework conditions for innovation



REFORM PROGRESS IN FOUR MAJOR POLICY AREAS:

(Average progress is weighted by reform priorities)

0.00: deteriorating

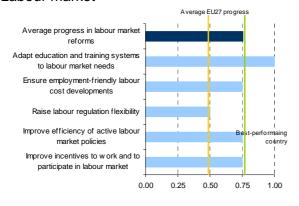
0.25: unsatisfactory

0.50: neither unsatisfactory, nor satisfactory

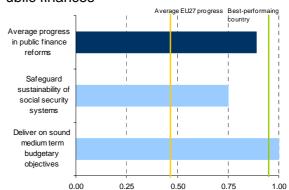
0.75: satisfactory

1.00: excellent

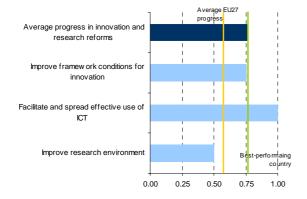
Labour market



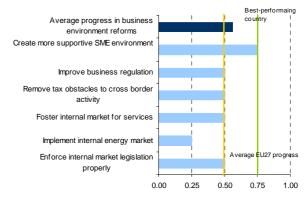
Public finances



Innovation and research



Business environment





ASSESSMENT OF SPRING SUMMIT 2007 COUNCIL RECOMMENDATIONS

Are the country specific recommendations issued in March 2007 being implemented?	To a large extent
Are these recommendations still relevant for 2008?	Yes, absolutely
Is an update of these recommendations required?	Yes
Is your federation appropriately involved in the national debate on the implementation of the EU Growth and Jobs Strategy?	not at all