

AUTUMN 2011 ECONOMIC OUTLOOK FOR THE EU27

A. MAIN FORECASTS

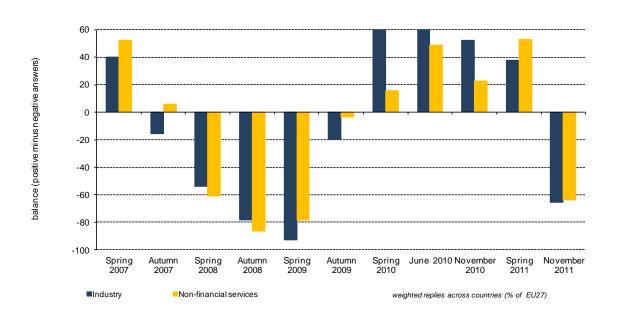
	EU27	
Main Variables	2011	2012
Real GDP (annual % growth)	1,6	1,0
Inflation (%)	2,9	2,0
Unemployment (%)	9,1	9,1
Employment (%)	0,5	0,2
Hourly wage growth (%)	1,9	1,9
Hourly productivity growth (%)	1,2	0,7
government net lending (% of GDP)	-4,5	-3,4
gross public debt (% of GDP)	83,8	85,4
	EU27	
GDP components	2011	2012
Private consumption (%)	0,3	0,3
Public consumption (%)	0,0	-0,8
Gross fixed capital formation	2,0	1,3
Private non-residential investment	1,2	2,2

ECONOMIC SENTIMENT

Exports (%)

Imports (%)

Assessment business confidence



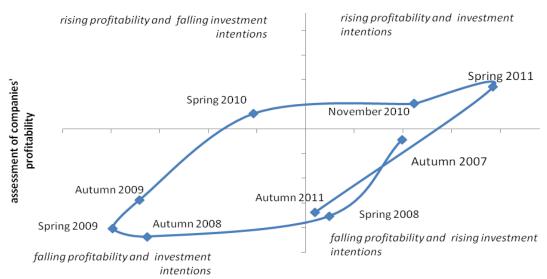
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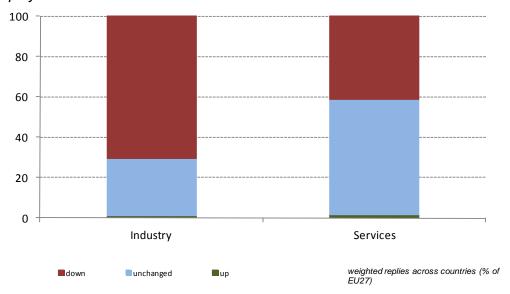
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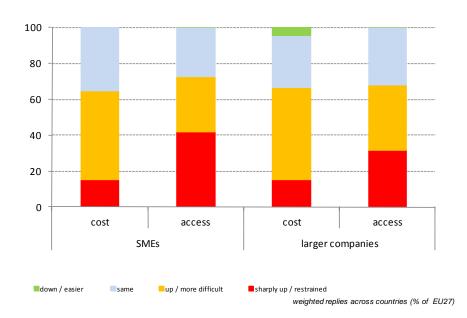


trend in companies' investment decisions over the coming six months

Employment intentions over the next six months



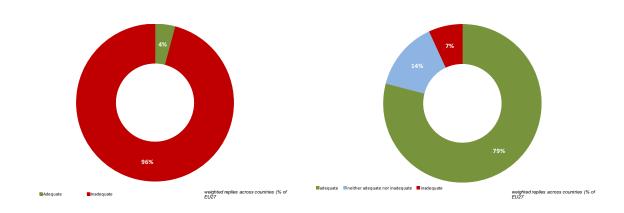




POLICY MIX

Assessment of consistency between national fiscal and monetary measures

Assessment of governments' commitments to ensure sustainability of public finances





Balance of responses between satisfactory (+) and unsatisfactory (-) progress, weighted (%)

