



**ASSESSMENT BY BRITISH BUSINESS FEDERATION:**

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**Overall progress towards sustainable public finances in the United Kingdom**



**Assessment of progress in specific policy areas:**

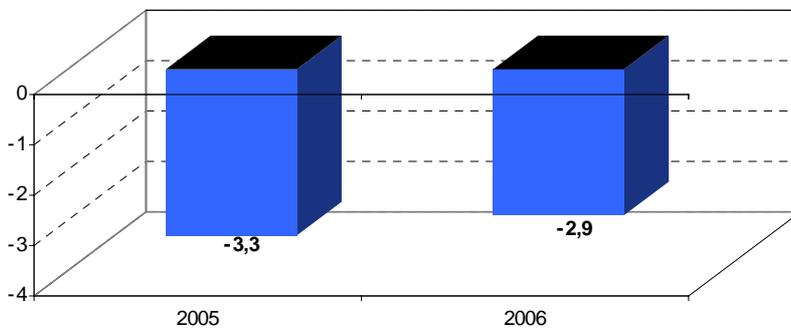
**Q 1:** Progress towards the **medium-term objective**



**Q 2:** Progress in reforms of **social security systems** in view of the projected costs of an ageing population

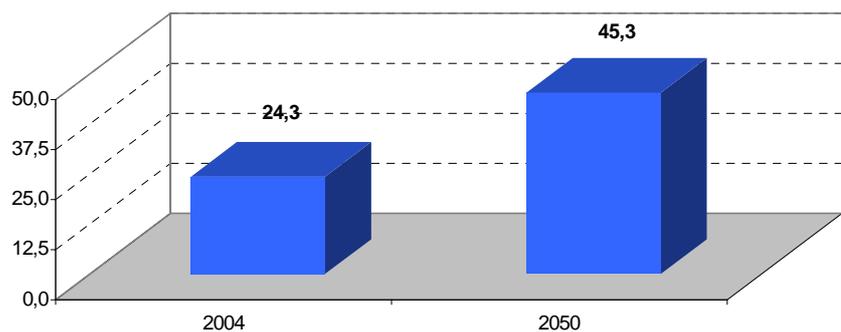


Public Balance in % of GDP: United Kingdom



Source: European Commission

Share of people older than 65 in % of working age people: United Kingdom



Source: European Commission