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Main Aggregates of the General Government (April EDP reporting), Slovenia, 2017–2020

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In 2020, the deficit of the general government sector amounted to EUR 3,868 million or 8.4% of GDP. This is EUR 4,075 million lower balance than in 2019. The central government subsector generated a deficit of EUR 3,959 million and the other two sectors generated a surplus (local government EUR 83 million, social security funds EUR 8 million).

Total revenue decreased by 4.6% compared to 2019, mainly due to lower tax revenues. Taxes on production and imports were lower by 9.8%, and current taxes on income and wealth by 9.4%.

Total expenditure increased by 14.8%, the main reason being expenditure related to the elimination of the consequences of the new coronavirus epidemic (SARS-Cov-2): subsidies were higher by EUR 1,475 million or 425.4%, and social benefits in cash by EUR 759 million or 10.3%.

At the end of 2020, gross debt of the general government sector amounted to EUR 37,429 million or 80.8% of GDP. Compared to the end of 2019, it increased by EUR 5,684 million or 15.2 percentage points of GDP.

Revision for previous years

According to the revision policy, the statistics for 2019 were revised. Due to the lower value of income tax, the general government surplus was reduced by EUR 42 million (0.1% of GDP).

More detailed statistics

More detailed statistics are available in the [SiStat Database](#).

Main aggregates of the general government sector, Slovenia

	2017	2018	2019	2020
	mio. EUR			
Revenue	18,931	20,293	21,160	20,195
Less: Expenditure	18,952	19,960	20,953	24,062
Surplus (+) / Deficit (-)	-21	334	208	-3,868
Central government	-90	399	229	-3,959
Local government	12	-80	-32	83
Social security funds	57	14	10	8
Less: interest expenditure	1,079	920	825	756
Primary deficit/surplus	1,059	1,253	1,033	-3,112
Debt at the end of the year	31,891	32,237	31,744	37,429
Central government	31,320	31,656	31,123	36,766
Local government	782	806	857	889
Social security funds	1	1	0	0
Intra subsector consolidation (-)	-212	-225	-236	-227

Source: SURS

Main aggregates of the general government sector, Slovenia

	2017	2018	2019	2020
	% of GDP			
Revenue	44.0	44.2	43.7	43.6
Less: Expenditure	44.1	43.5	43.3	52.0
Surplus (+) / Deficit (-)	0.0	0.7	0.4	-8.4
Central government	-0.2	0.9	0.5	-8.6
Local government	0.0	-0.2	-0.1	0.2
Social security funds	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Less: interest expenditure	2.5	2.0	1.7	1.6
Primary deficit/surplus	2.5	2.7	2.1	-6.7
Debt at the end of the year	74.1	70.3	65.6	80.8
Central government	72.8	69.0	64.3	79.4
Local government	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9
Social security funds	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Intra subsector consolidation (-)	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5	-0.5

Source: SURS

Detailed data

 Detailed data and time series are available on the [SI-STAT data portal](#), which enables simple browsing and exporting of data in various formats. Registered users have the possibility to store tables for later

browsing and to sign up to be informed when data are updated.

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