

Young Population and Social Exclusion in IRELAND

In order to provide a comprehensive and detailed overview of youth social inclusion degree in each EU country, the InterArts' partnership has decided to focus on 7 main areas:

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Each area is made up of several indicators, highlighting **trends and differences with the EU average from 2013 to 2018**.

In addition, each indicator is provided with one **graphic showing differences among all the EU countries in 2017 and 2018**.

The whole set of statistics has been extracted from the **Eurostat online database** in May 2019.

For further information, please refer to the official webpage: <https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/data/database>

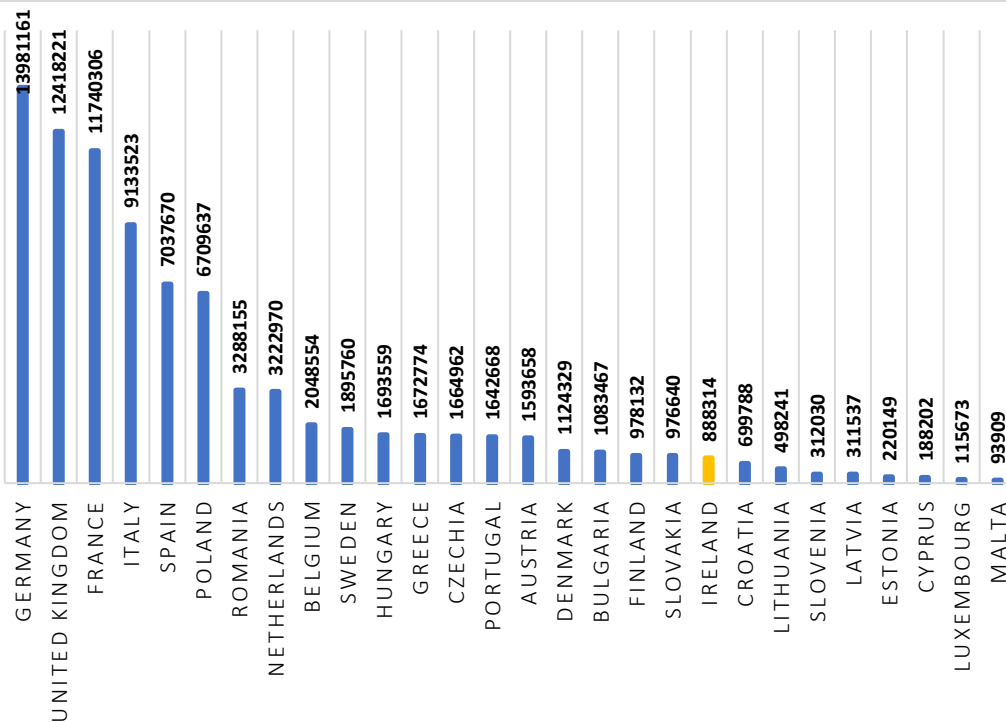
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1. POPULATION AND TRENDS

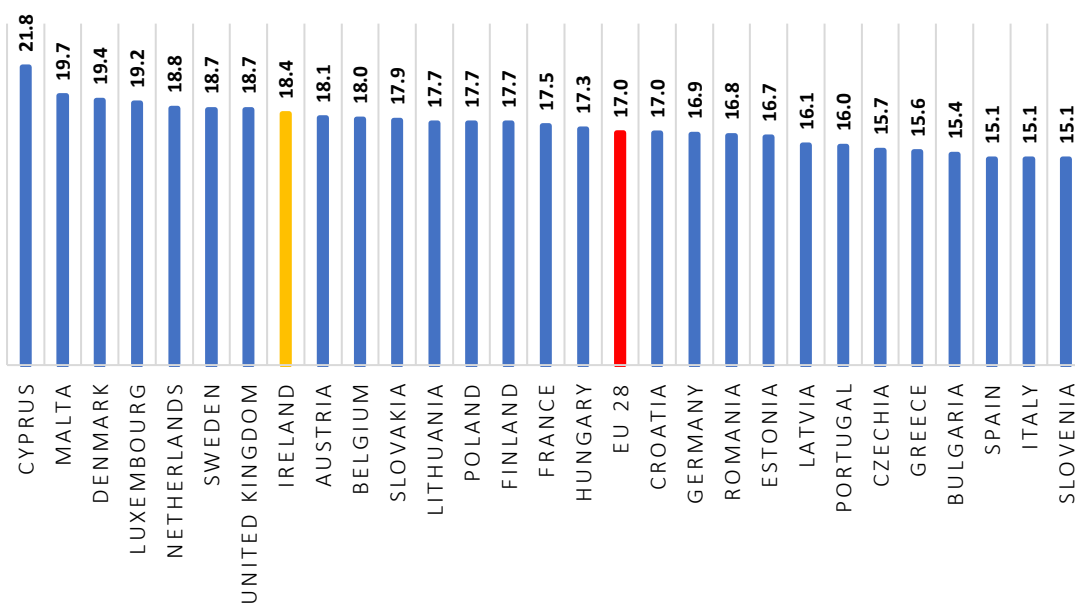
1.1. Youth population on 1 January 2018 Age: 15 - 29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	90.317.159	89.658,602	88.965.765	88.669.272	87.969.026	87.233.989
Ireland	890.792	875.986	871.041	871.341	877.128	888.314



1.2. Ratio of young people in the total population on 1 January 2018 Age: 15 - 29

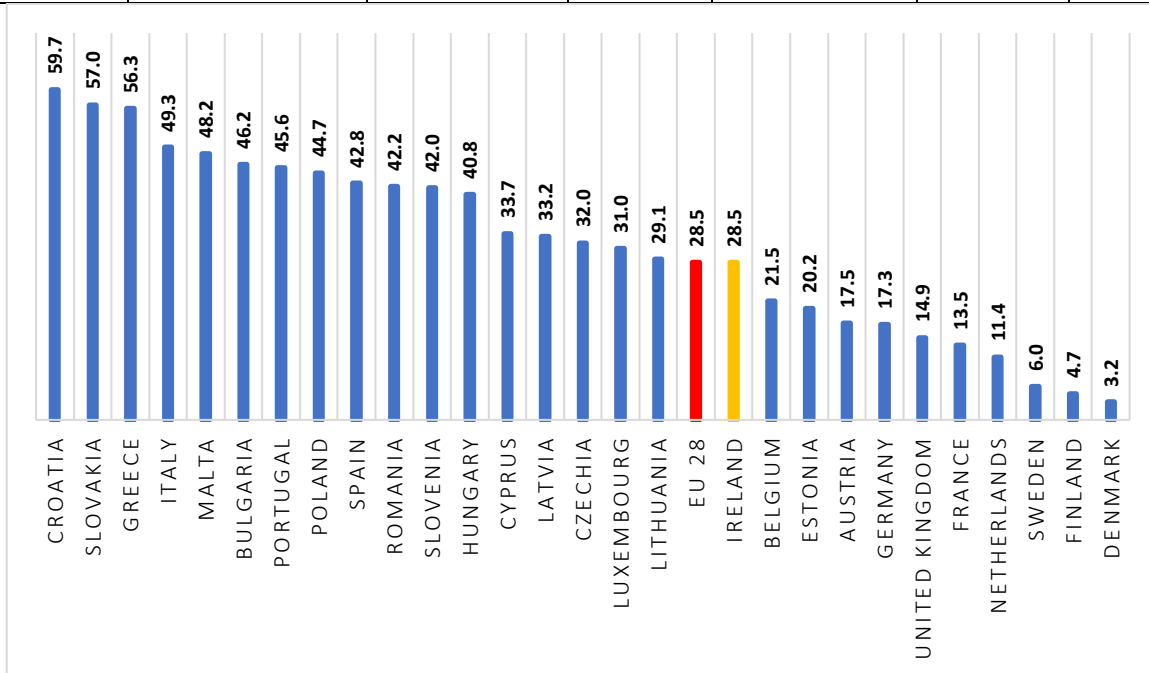
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	17,9	17,7(b)	17,5(b)	17,4	17,2(b)	17,0
Ireland	19,3	18,9	18,6	18,4	18,3	18,4



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1.3. Share of young adults aged 18-34 living with their parents
Age: 25 - 34

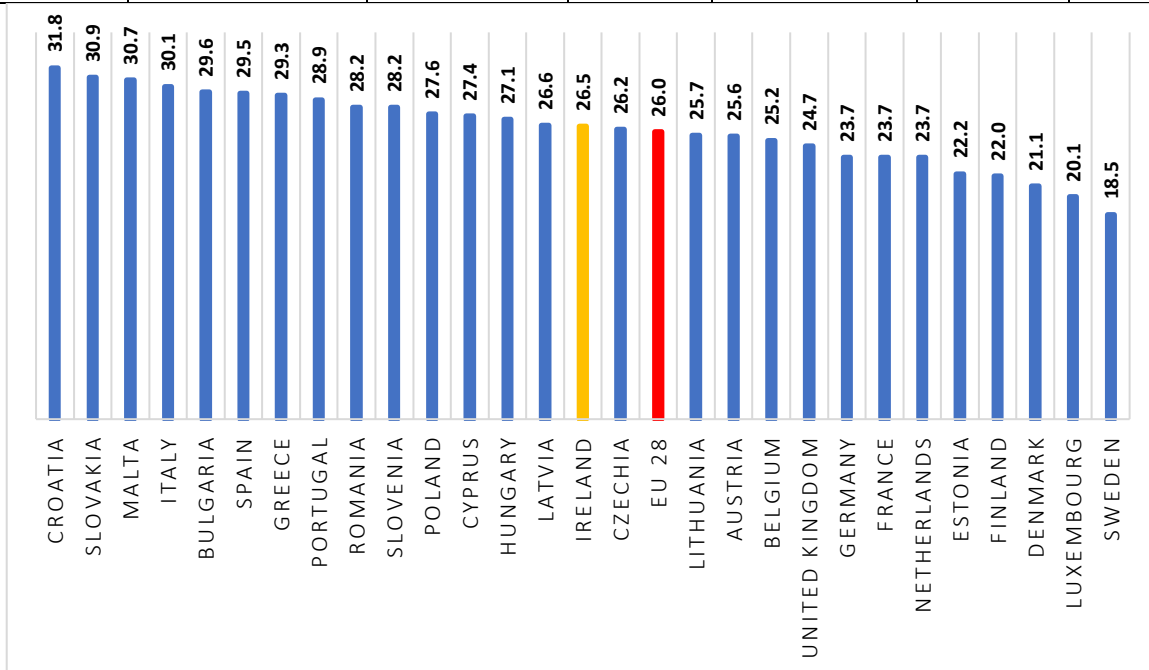
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	28,2	28,6	28,6	28,6	28,5	:
Ireland	19,4	21,4	22,3	27,4	28,5	:



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1.4. Estimated average age of young people leaving the parental household

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	26,1	26,2	26,1	26,1	26	26
Ireland	25,7	25,9	26,4	26,5	26,3	26,5



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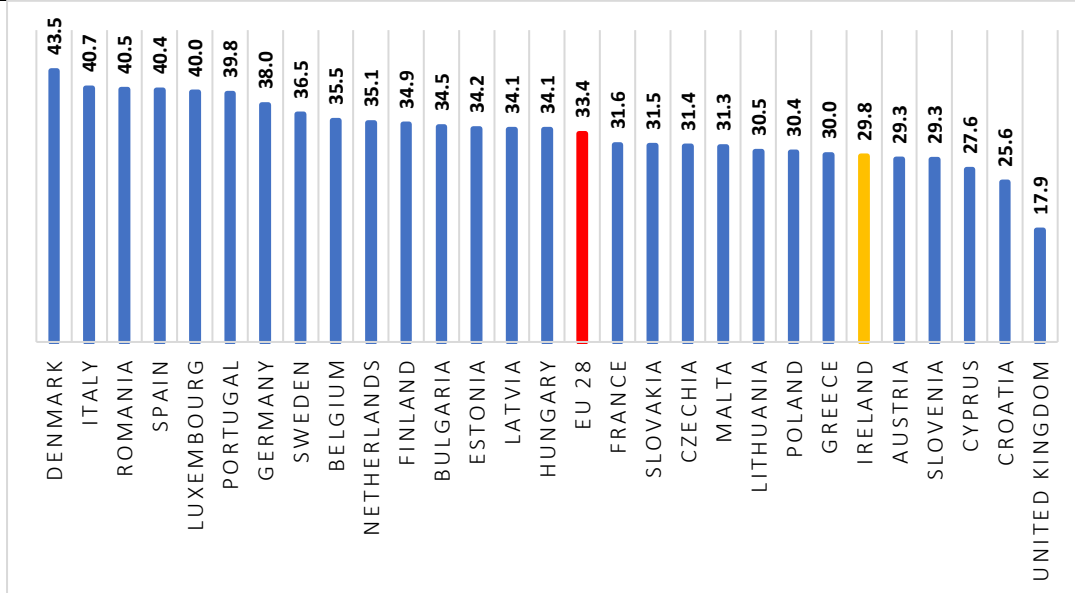
2. EDUCATION

2.1. Young people by educational attainment level

ISCED 11: Less than primary, primary and lower secondary education (levels 0-2)

Age: 15 -29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	34,0	34,3(b)	34,1	33,7	33,6	33,4
Ireland	32,1	30,8	31,3	30,5	29,3	29,8



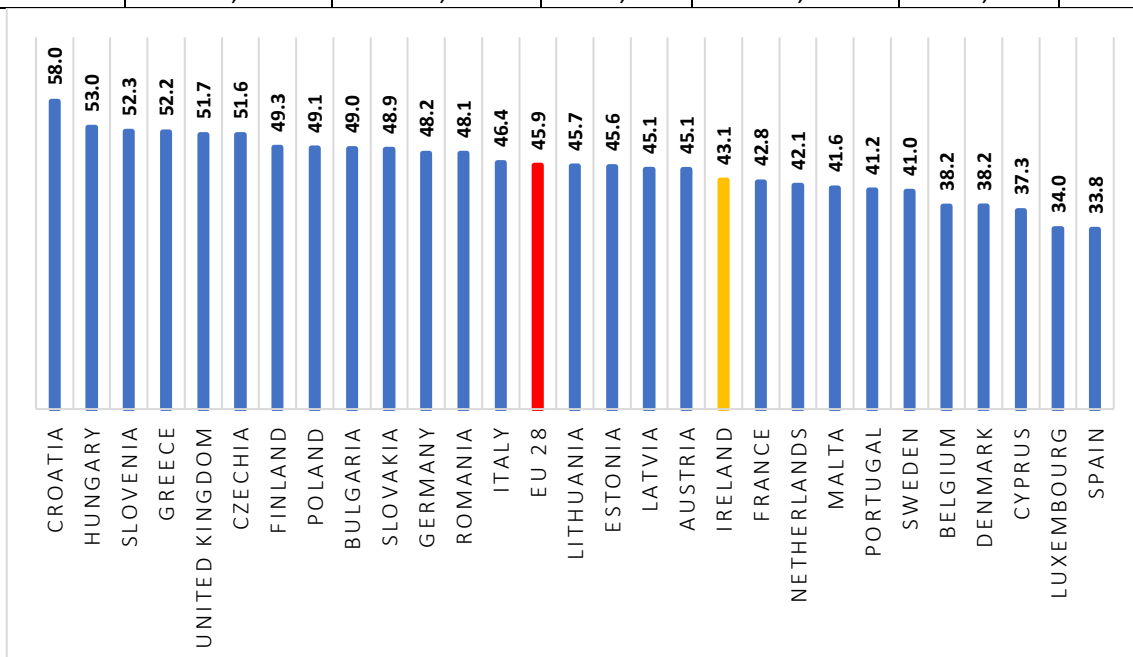
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2.2. Young people by educational attainment level

ISCED 11: Upper secondary and post-secondary non-tertiary education (levels 3 and 4)

Age: 15 -29

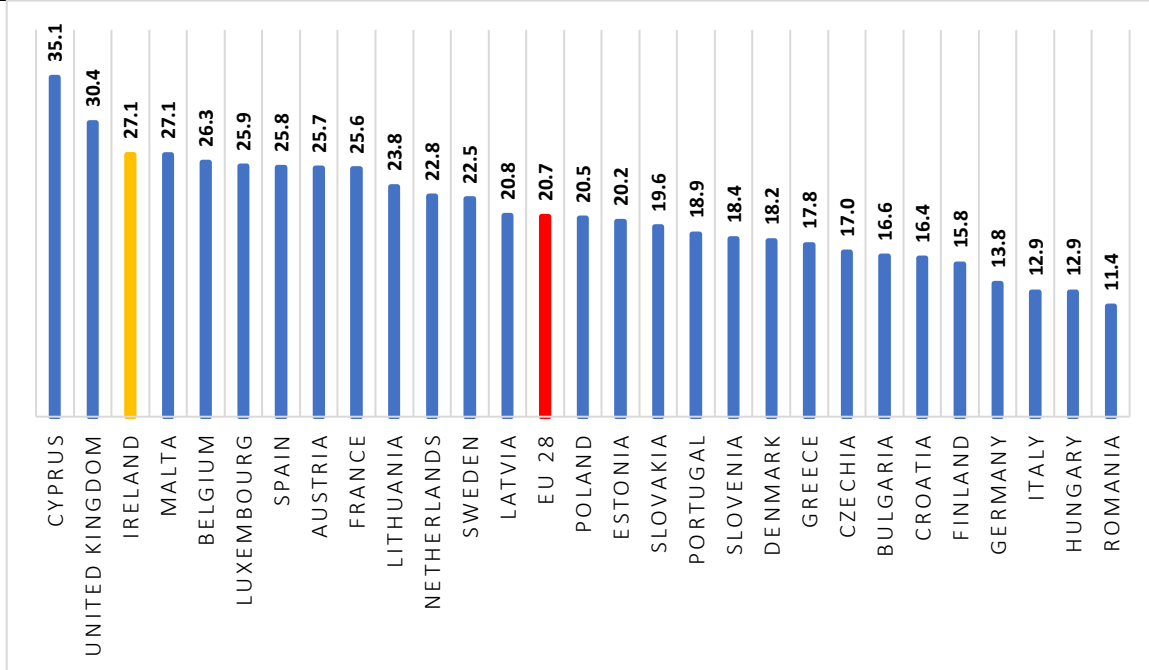
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	47,0	46,5(b)	46,4	46,4	46,1	45,9
Ireland	40,8	41,6	40,5	41,4	43,0	43,1



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2.3. Young people by educational attainment level
ISCED 11: Tertiary education (levels 5-8)
Age: 15 -29

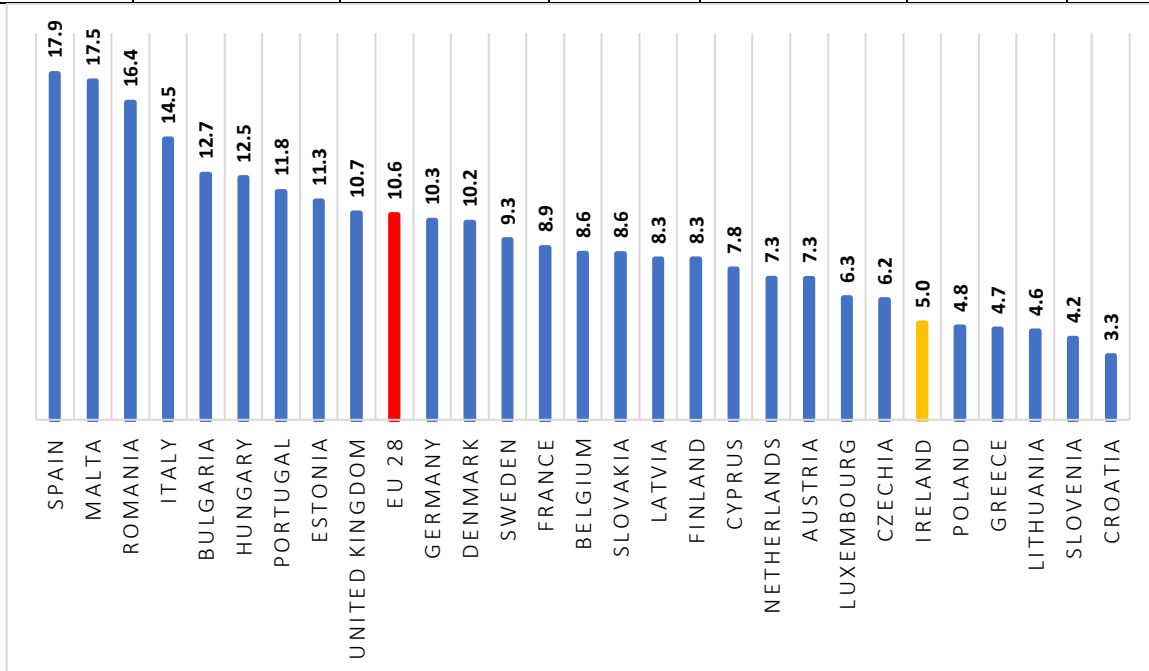
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	19,0	19,2(b)	19,5	19,9	20,2	20,7
Ireland	27,1	27,6	28,3	28,1	27,7	27,1



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2.4. Early leavers from education and training
Age: 18 - 24

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	11,9	11,2(b)	11,0	10,7	10,6	10,6
Ireland	8,7	6,7	6,8	6,0	5,0	5,0

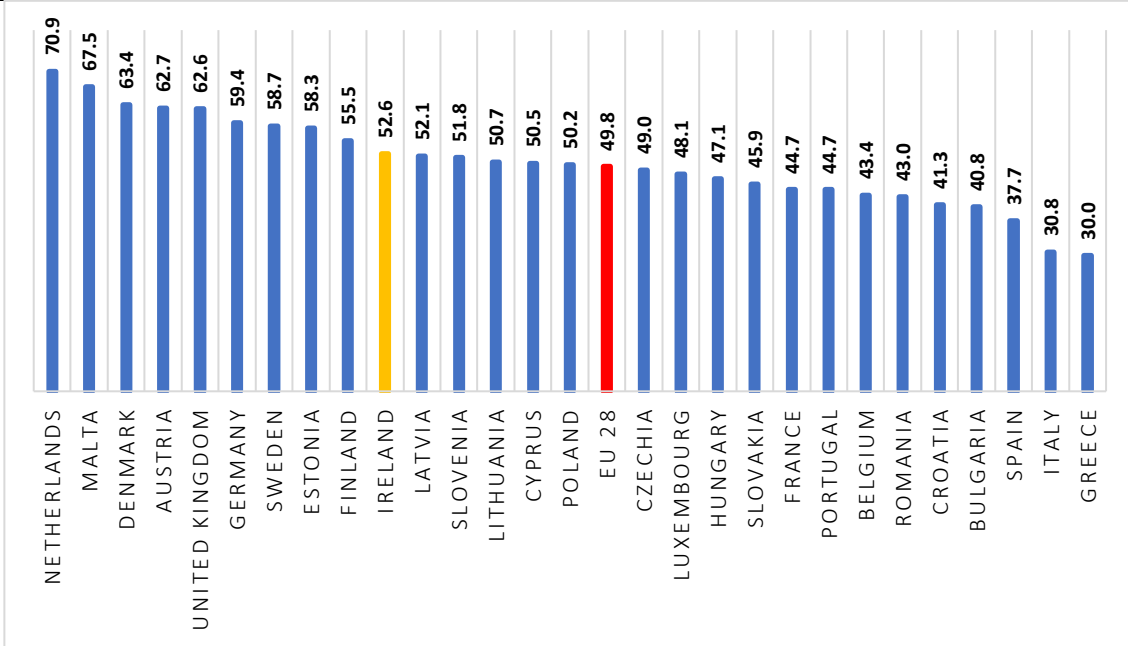


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3. EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

3.1. Youth Employment rate ALL ISCED 11 levels Age: 15 -29

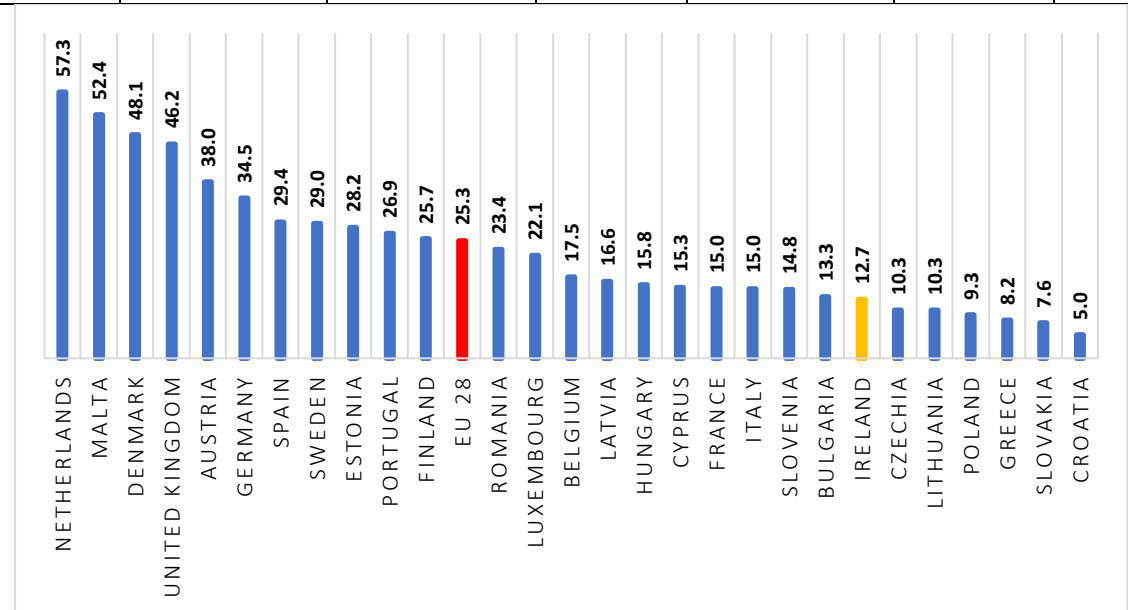
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	45,9	46,4	47,3	48,3	49,2	49,8
Ireland	48,1	48,1	49,4	52,9	52,2	52,6



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3.2. Youth Employment rate ISCED 11 level: Less than primary, primary and lower secondary education (levels 0-2) Age: 15 -29

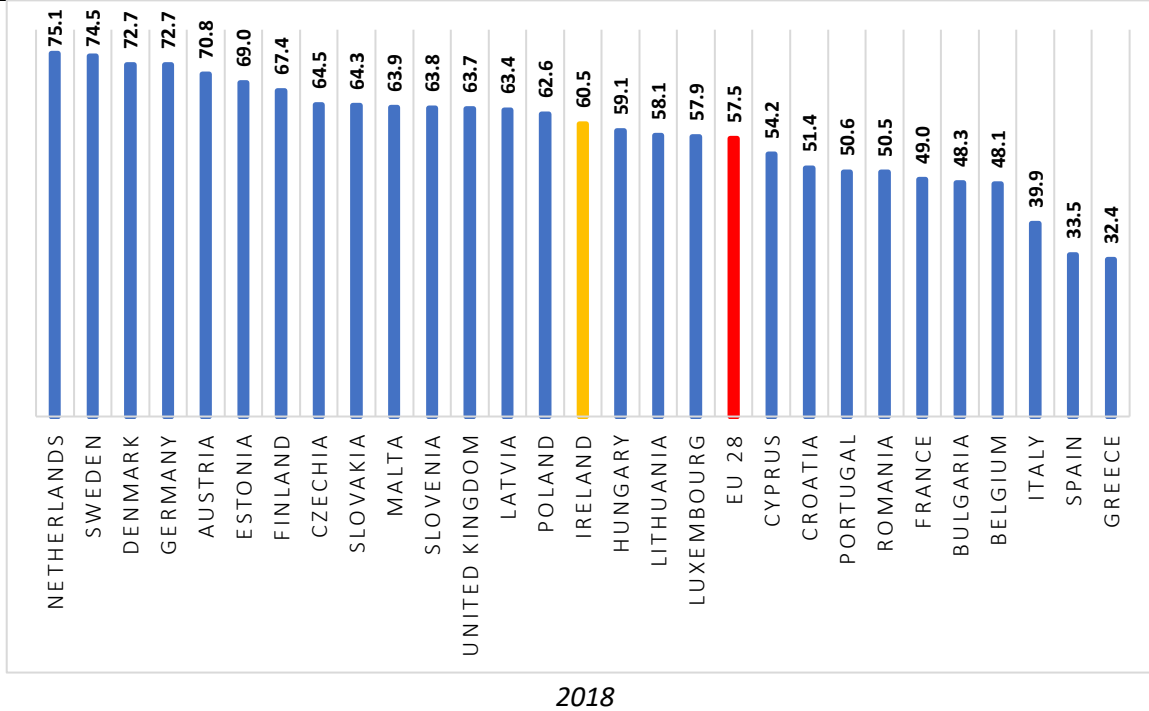
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	25,5	24,1(b)	24,1	24,6	25,0	25,3
Ireland	16,2	12,5	13,5	16,2	12,9	12,7



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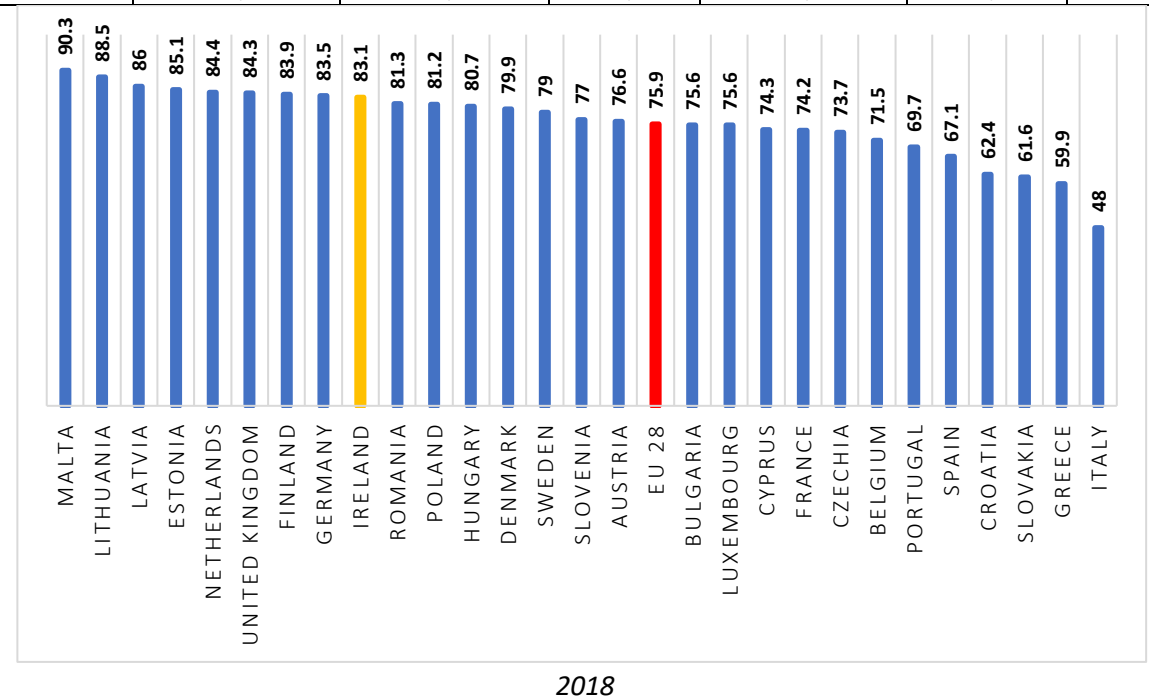
3.3. Youth Employment rate
ISCED 11 level: Upper secondary and post-secondary non-tertiary education (levels 3 and 4)
Age: 15 -29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	53,3	53,8(b)	54,8	55,9	56,9	57,5
Ireland	53,1	53,9	55,2	60,2	58,3	60,5



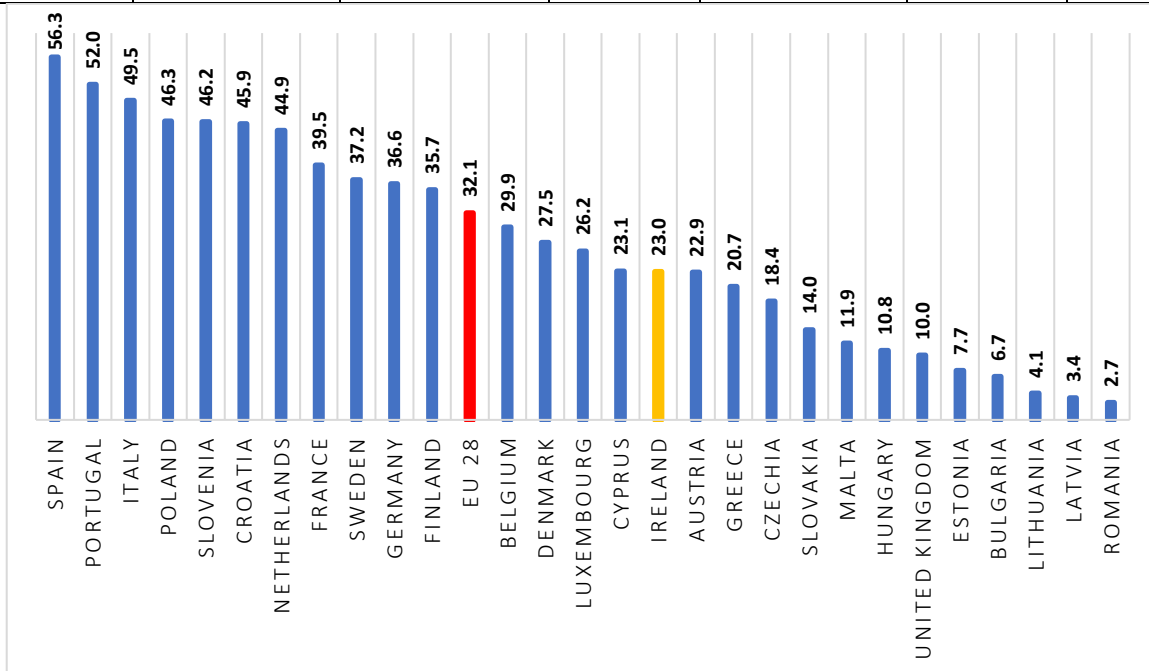
3.4. Youth Employment rate
ISCED 11 level: tertiary
Age: 15 -29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	71,3	71,6	73,1	74,1	75,3	75,9
Ireland	77,7	77,3	79,4	81,3	83,3	83,1



3.5. Young temporary employees as percentage of the total number of employees Age: 15 - 29

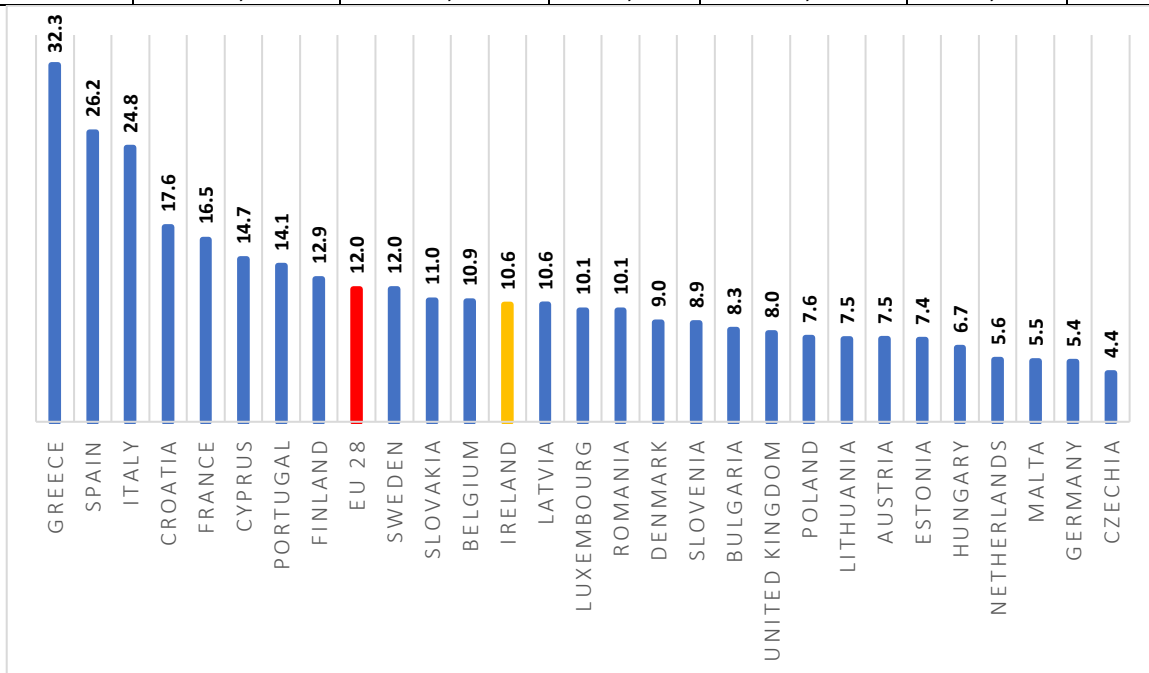
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	31,4	32,0	32,3	32,4	32,5	32,1
Ireland	23,1	23,5	23,0	20,4	20,8	23,0



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3.6. Youth unemployment ALL ISCED Levels Age: 15 - 29

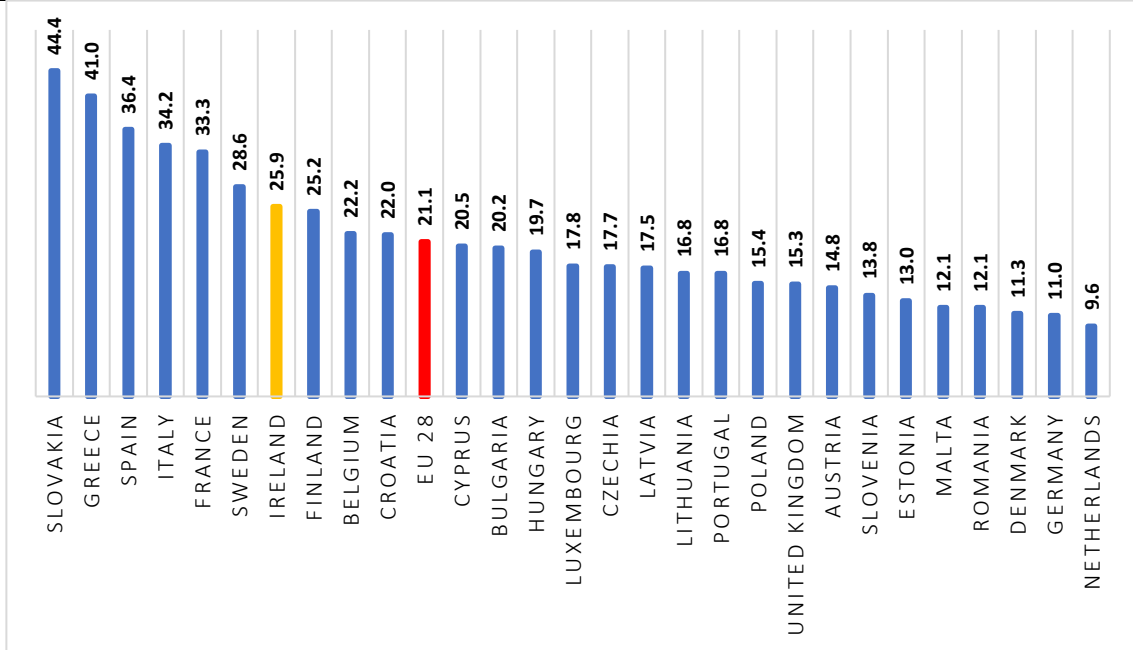
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	18,9	17,7	16,2	14,7	13,2	12,0
Ireland	21,5	19,6	16,7	13,9	11,5	10,6



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3.7. Youth unemployment
ISCED 11 level: Less than primary, primary and lower secondary education (levels 0-2)
Age: 15 -29

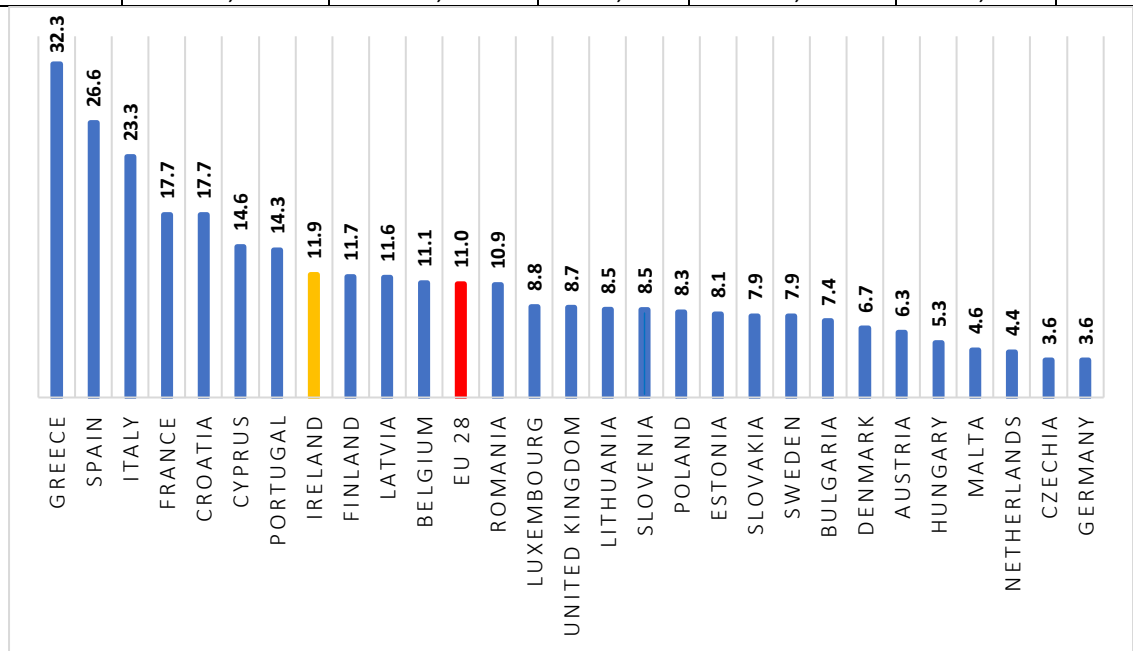
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	30,4	29,0(b)	27,3	25,3	23,3	21,1
Ireland	38,8	39,5	34,4	27,7	26,0	25,9



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3.8. Youth unemployment
ISCED 11 level: Upper secondary and post-secondary non-tertiary education (levels 3 and 4)
Age: 15 -29

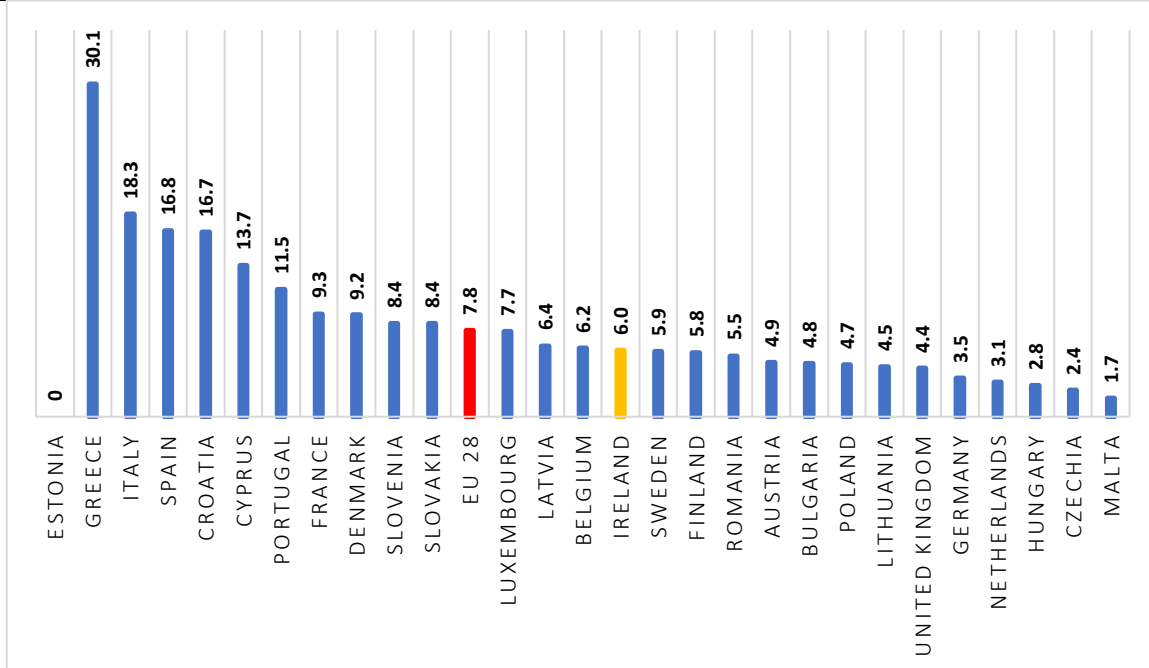
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	17,4	16,3	14,8	13,5	12,1	11,0
Ireland	24,9	22,8	19,6	16,0	13,6	11,9



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3.9. Youth unemployment ISCED 11 level: Tertiary Age: 15 -29

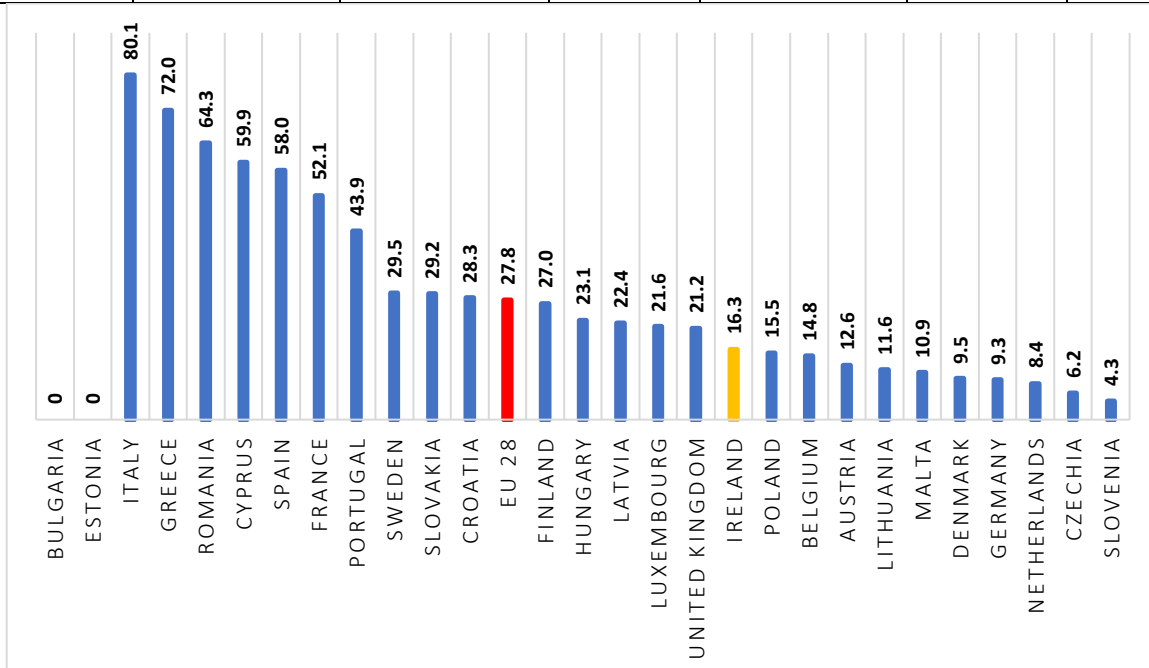
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	12,8	12,0	10,8	9,6	8,5	7,8
Ireland	11,4	11,4	9,2	7,9	6,3	6,0



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3.10. Involuntary part-time employment as percentage of the total part-time employment for young people Age: 15 -29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	34,0	34,5	33,7	31,0	29,7	27,8
Ireland	39,9	38,3	36,1	28,5	20,7	16,3

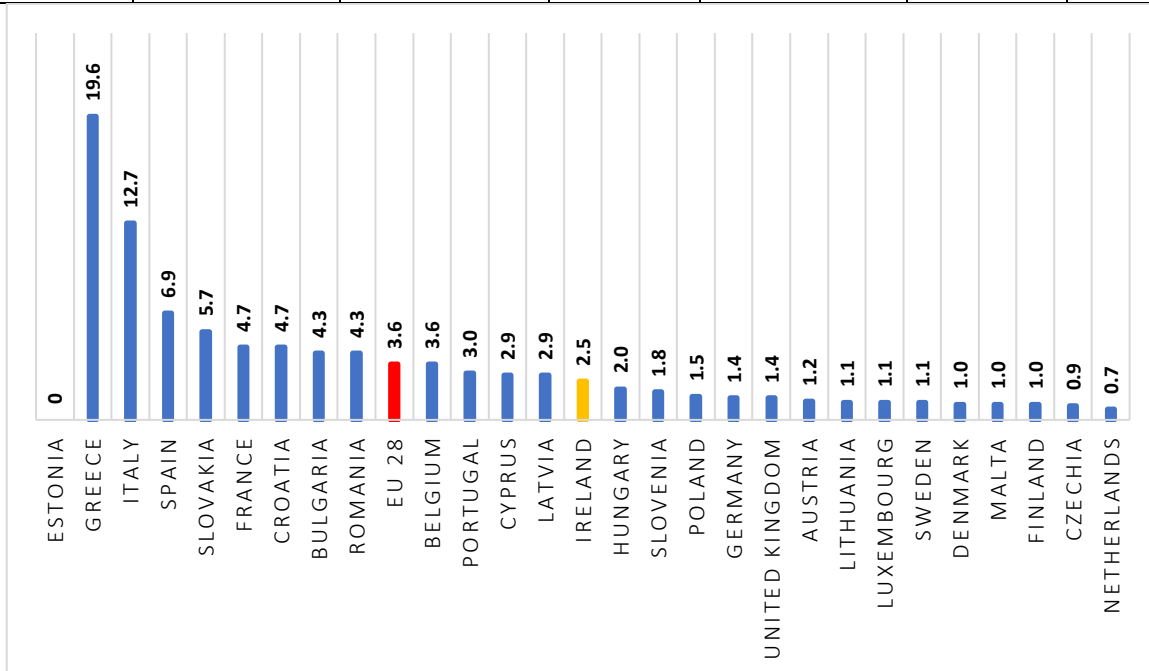


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3.11. Youth long-term unemployment rate (12 months or longer)

Age: 15 -29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	7,1	6,9	5,9	4,9	4,2	3,6
Ireland	9,7	8,2	6,8	5,2	3,6	2,5



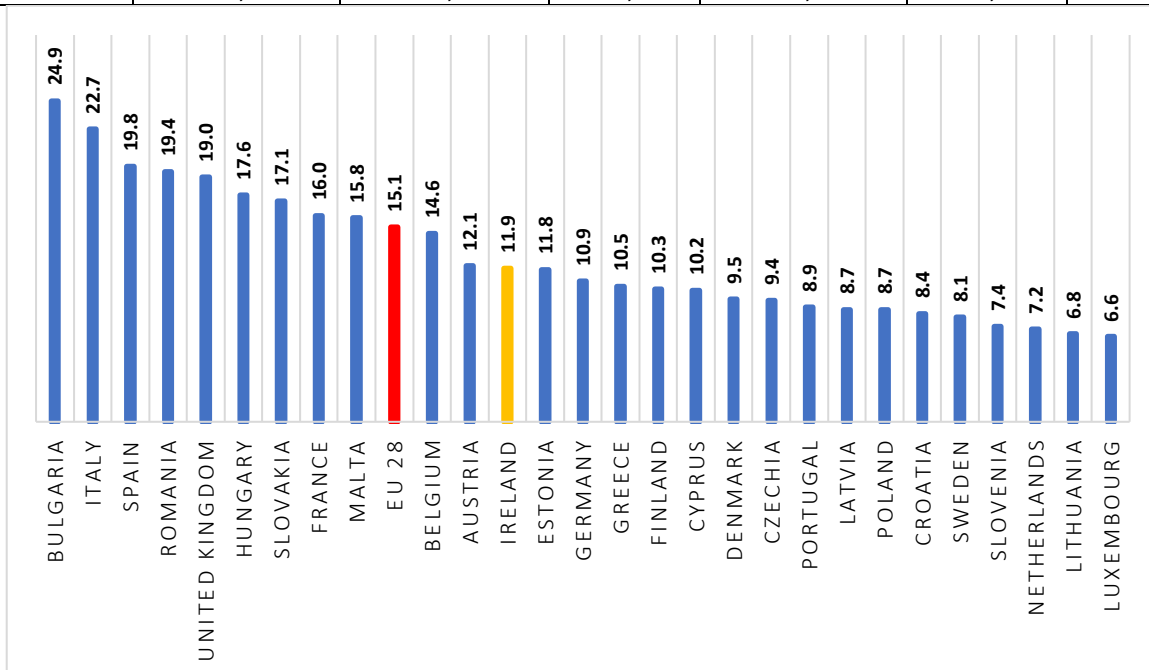
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3.12. Young people neither in employment nor in education and training

ISCED11: Less than primary, primary and lower secondary education (levels 0-2)

Age: 15 -29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	18,7	17,3(b)	16,7	16,3	15,7	15,1
Ireland	19,2	17,2	15,9	14,7	13,3	11,9

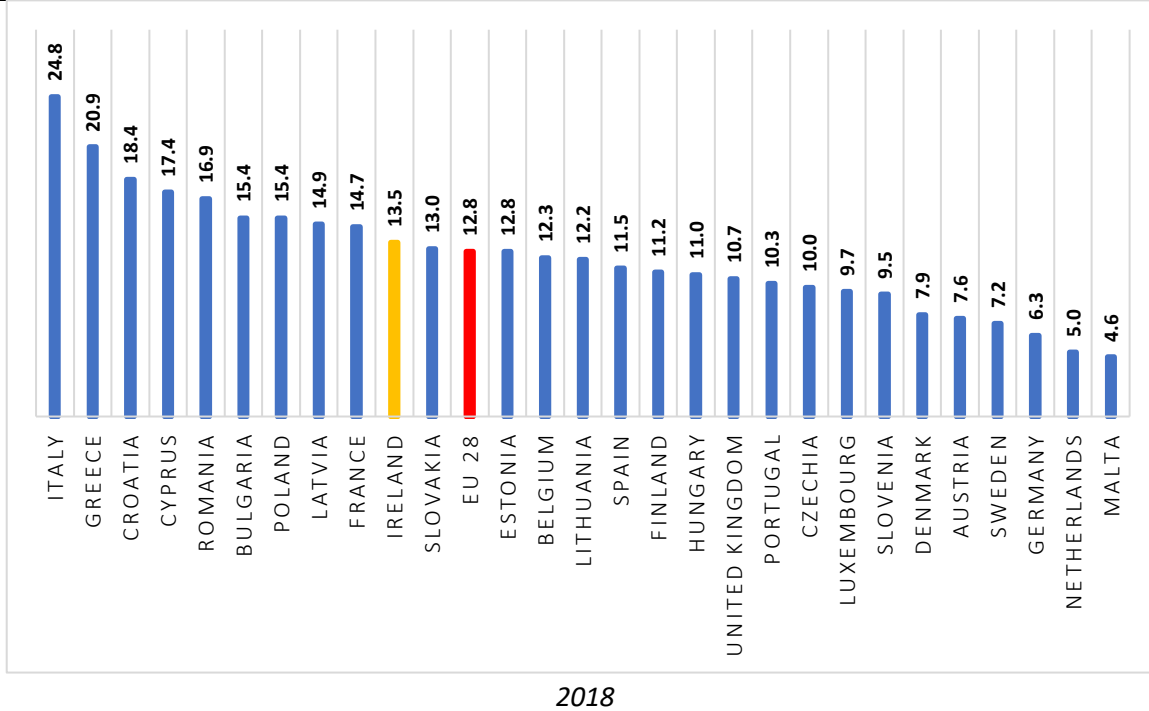


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3.13. Young people neither in employment nor in education and training
ISCED11: Upper secondary and post-secondary non-tertiary education – general (levels 3 and 4)

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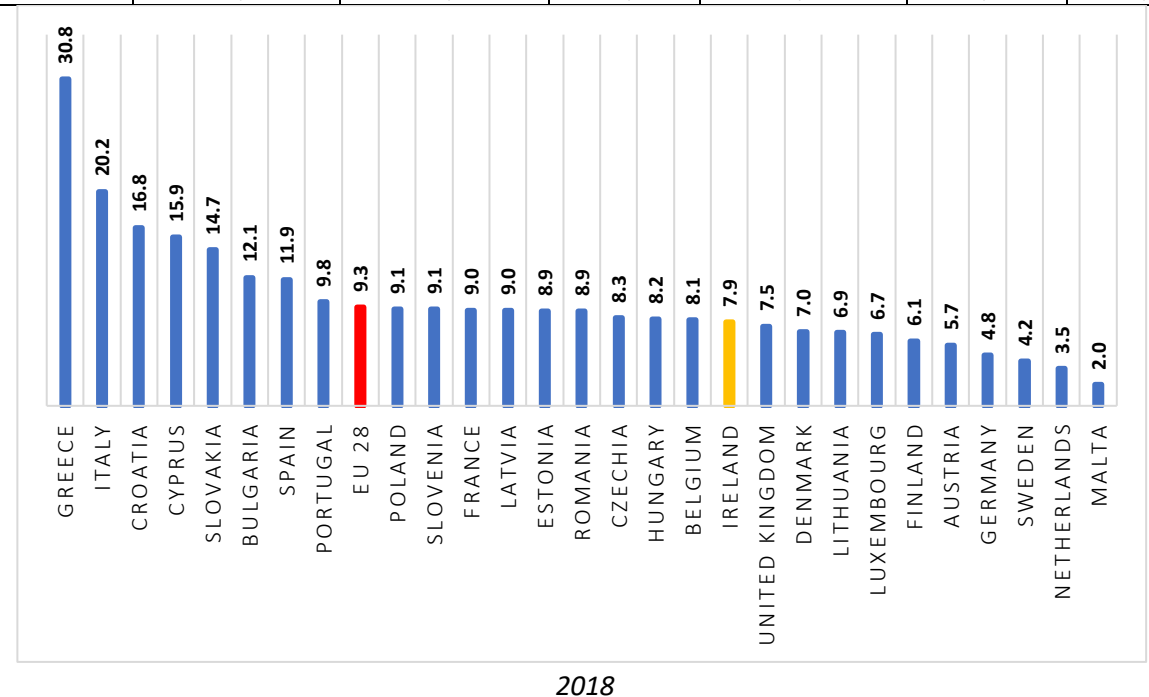
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	15,9	15,4(b)	14,9	14,2	13,3	12,8
Ireland	22,0	21,8	20,4	17,3	15,1	13,5



3.14. Young people neither in employment nor in education and training
ISCED11: Tertiary

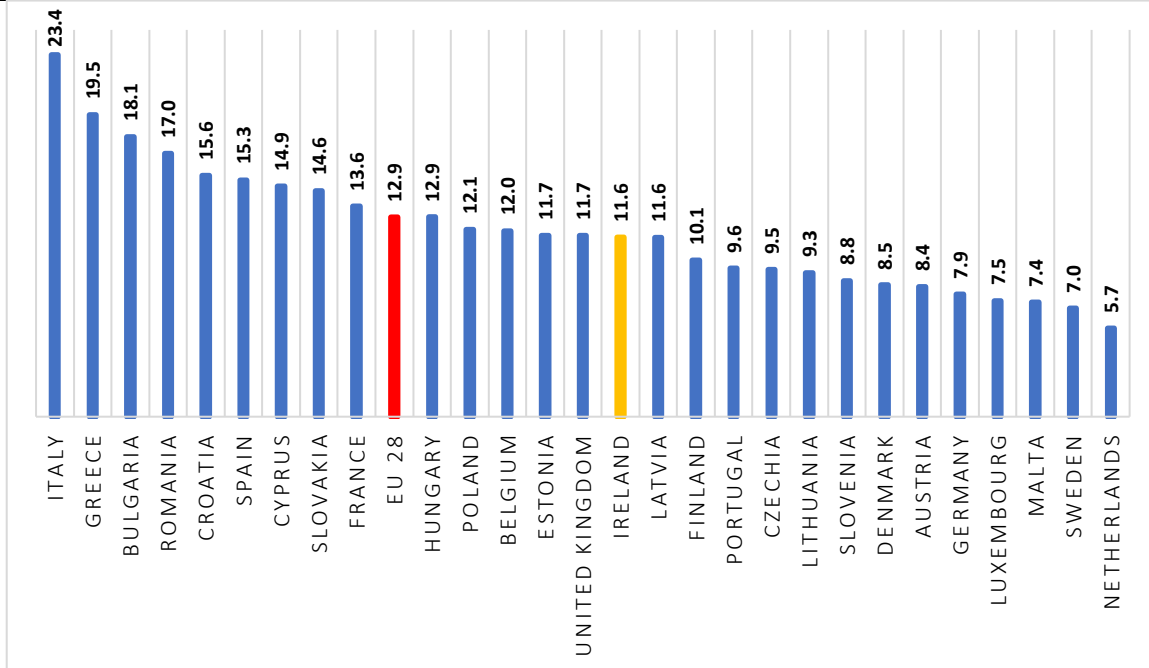
Age: 15 -29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	11,9	11,6(b)	11,1	10,4	9,6	9,3
Ireland	12,6	12,3	10,8	9,6	8,3	7,9



3.15. Young people neither in employment nor in education and training – Not employed Age: 15 -29

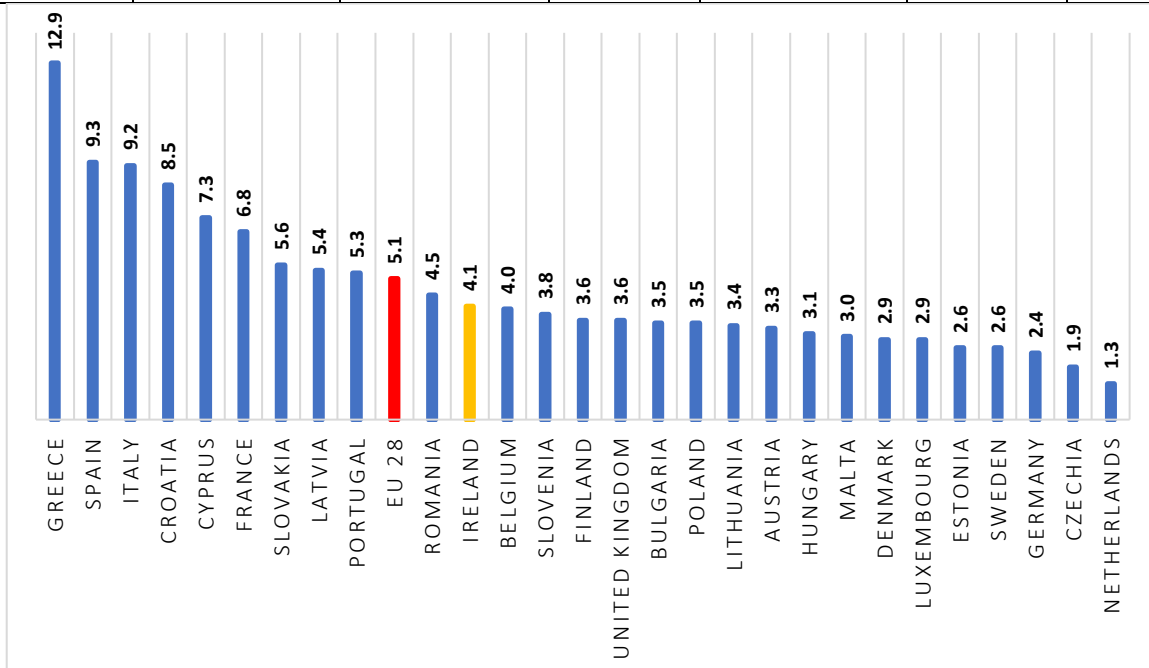
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	15,9	15,3	14,8	14,2	13,4	12,9
Ireland	18,8	17,8	16,5	14,5	12,8	11,6



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3.16. Young people neither in employment nor in education and training – Unemployed Age: 15 -29

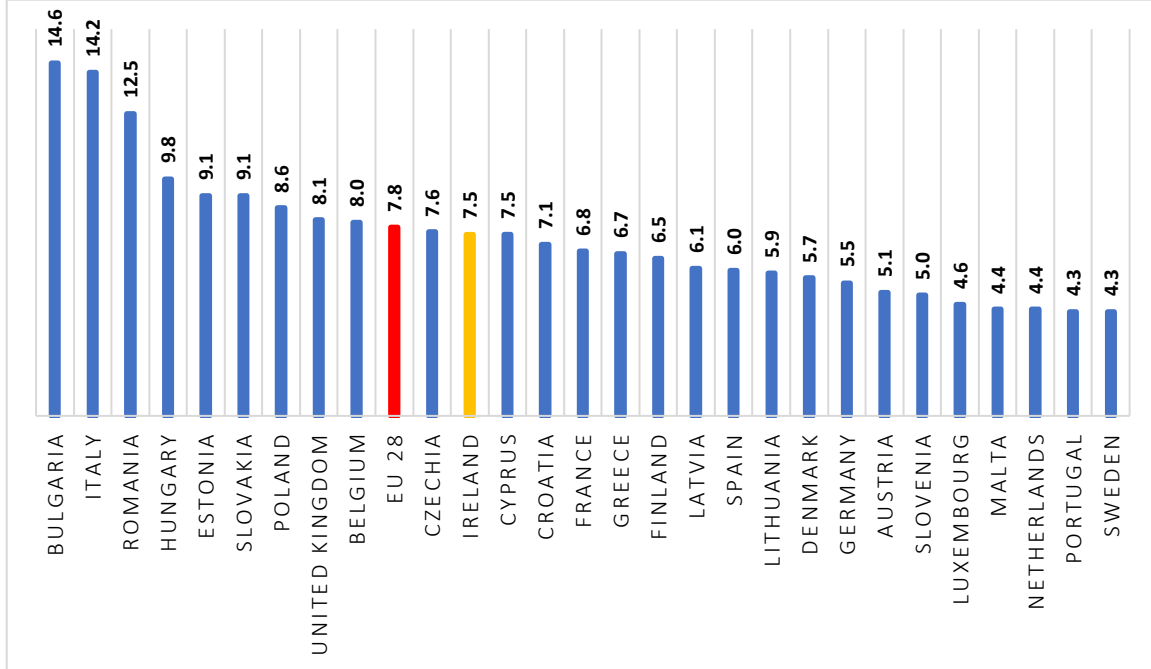
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	8,1	7,5	6,9	6,3	5,6	5,1
Ireland	10,9	9,8	8,6	7,0	5,0	4,1



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**3.17. Young people neither in employment nor in education and training – Inactive
Age: 15 -29**

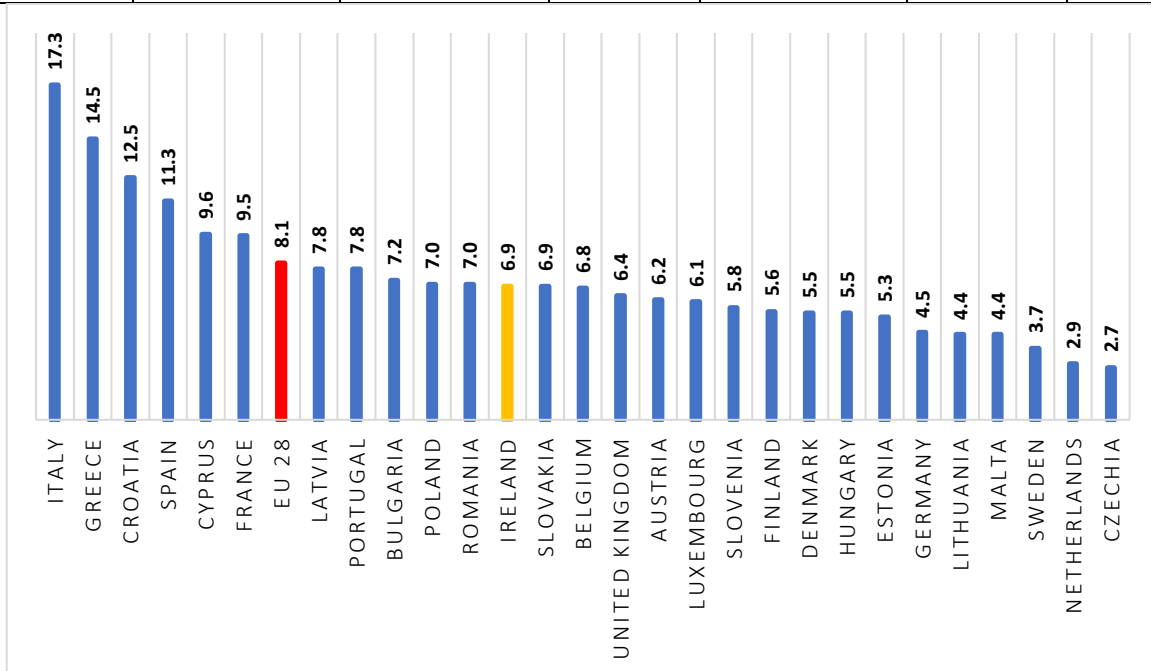
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	7,8	7,8	7,9	7,9	7,9	7,8
Ireland	7,9	8,0	7,9	7,6	7,9	7,5



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**3.18. Young people neither in employment nor in education and training – People who would like to work
Age: 15 -29**

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	11,4	10,9	10,3	9,6	8,7	8,1
Ireland	13,0	11,6	10,3	8,3	7,1	6,9

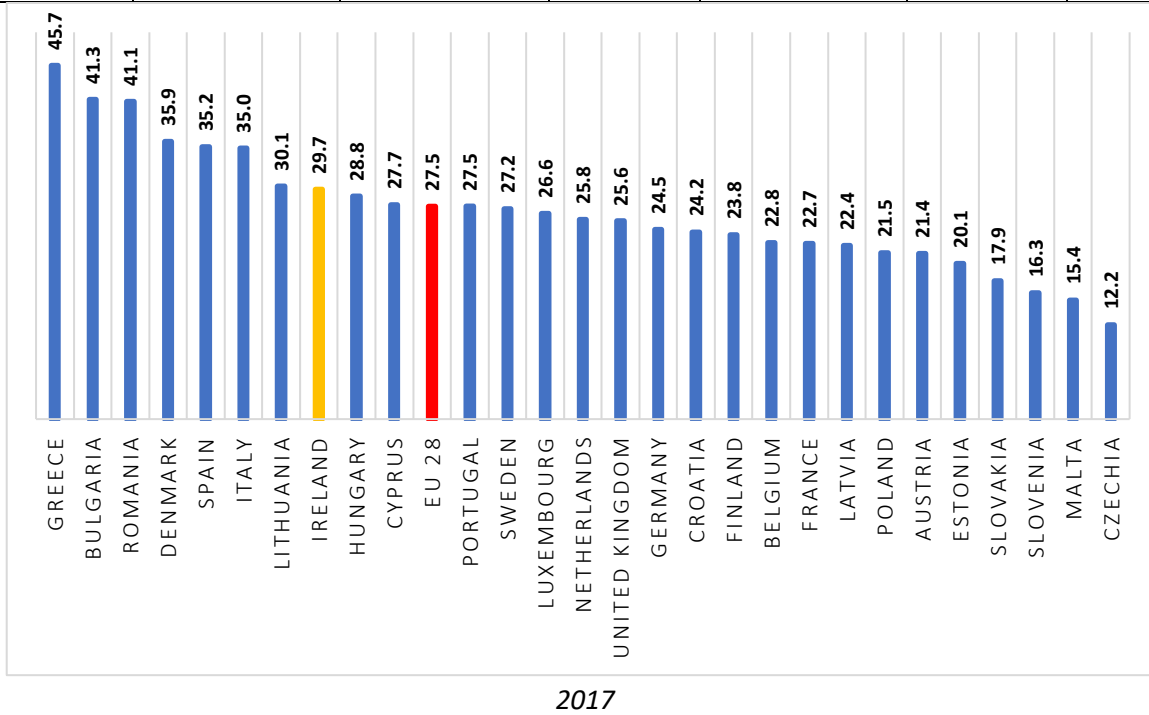


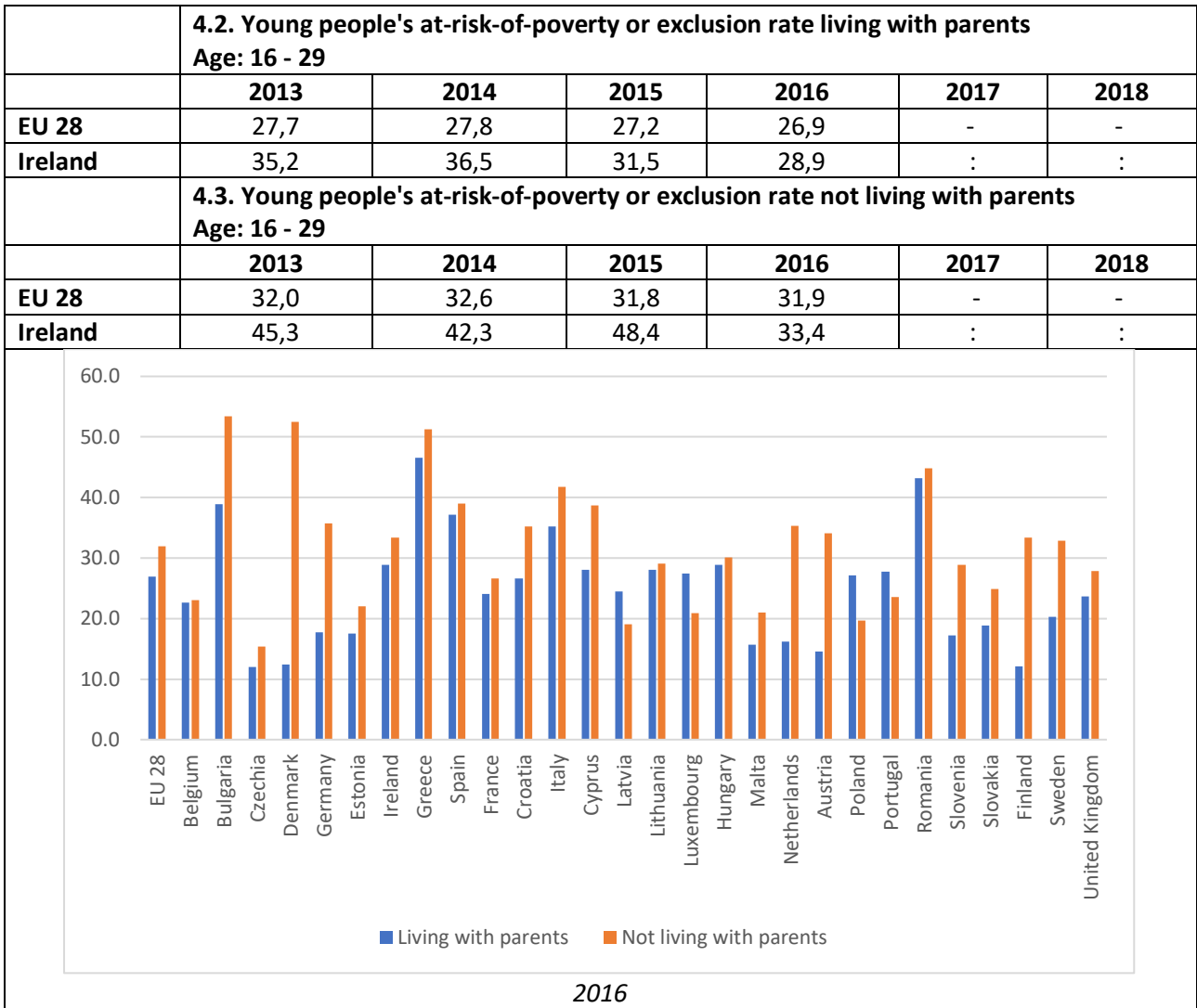
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4. SOCIAL INCLUSION

4.1. People at risk of poverty or social exclusion Age: 16 - 29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	29,6	29,7	29,2	28,9	27,5	:
Ireland	37,8	38,4	35,0	30,5	29,7	:

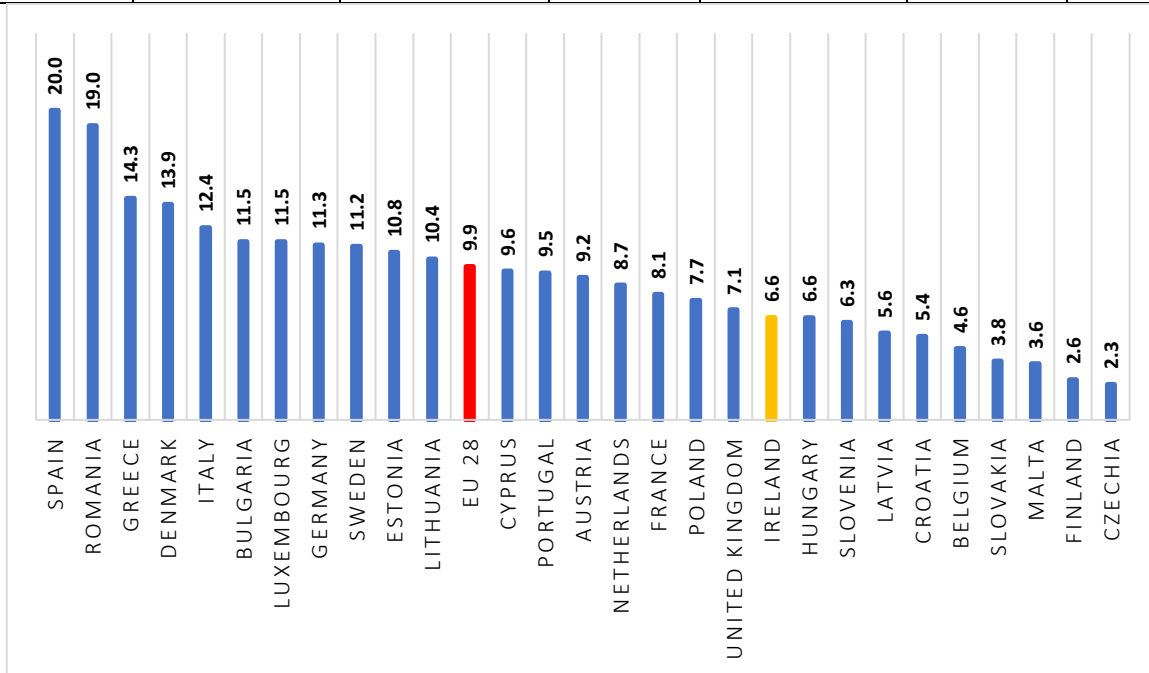




4.4. In-work at-risk-of-poverty rate

Age: 16 - 29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	9,3(e)	10,5(e)	10,4(e)	10,4(e)	9,9(e)	-
Ireland	4,2	6,2	4,4	5,0	6,6	:

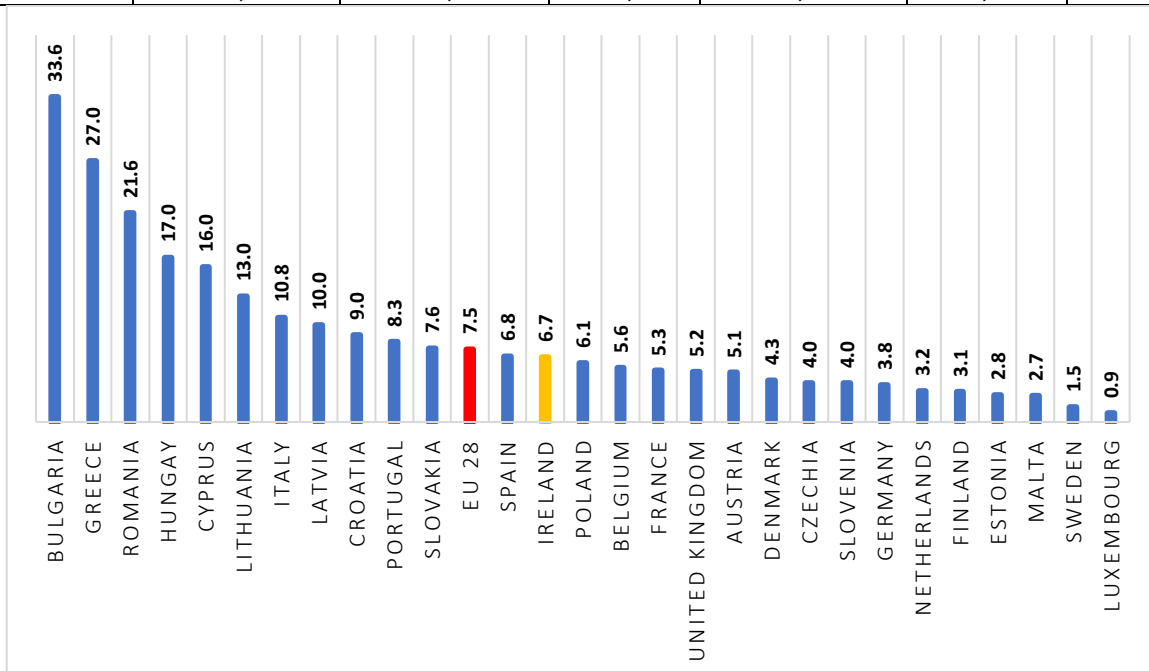


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4.5. Severe material deprivation rate

Age: 15 - 29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	11,3	10,5	9,5	8,7	7,5	11,4
Ireland	12,1	11,7	10,8	9,4	6,7	:

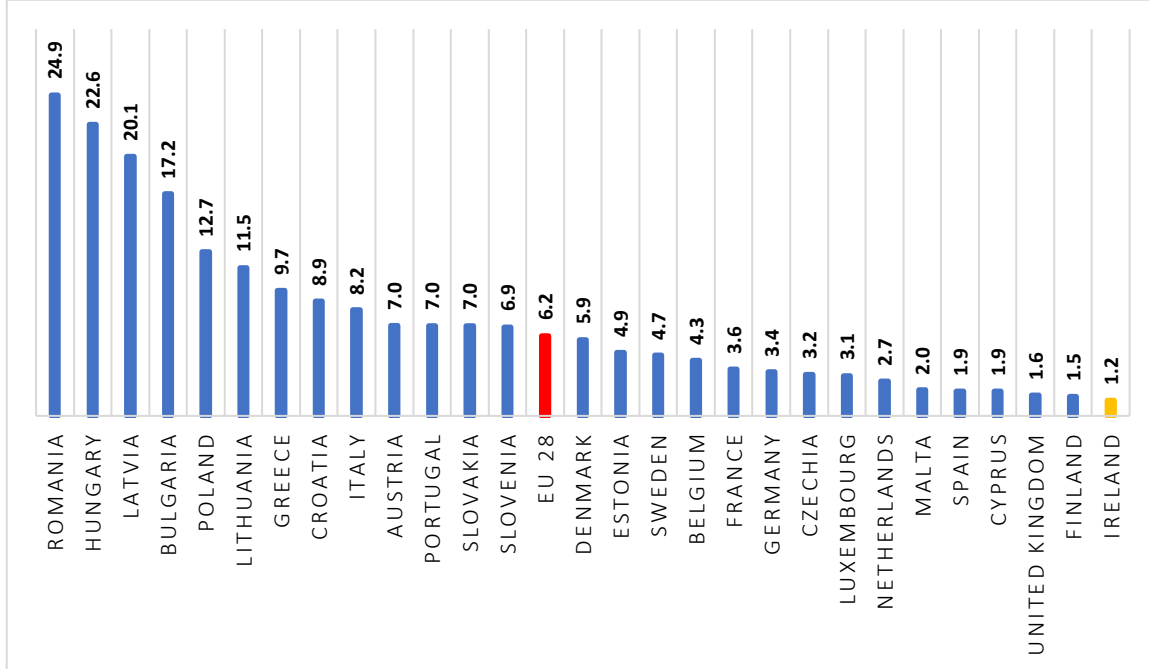


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4.6. Severe housing deprivation rate

Age: 15 - 29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	7,5	7,7	7,4	7,1	6,2	-
Ireland	3,5	2,0	1,7	1,7	1,2	:

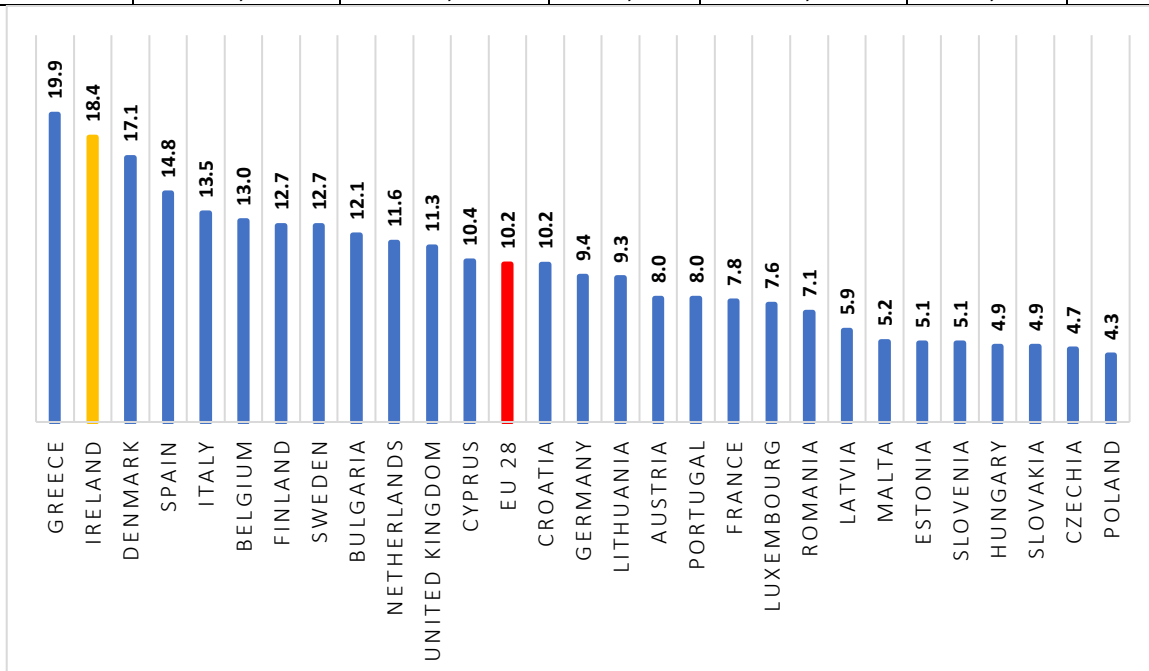


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4.7. People living in households with very low work intensity

Age: 15 - 29

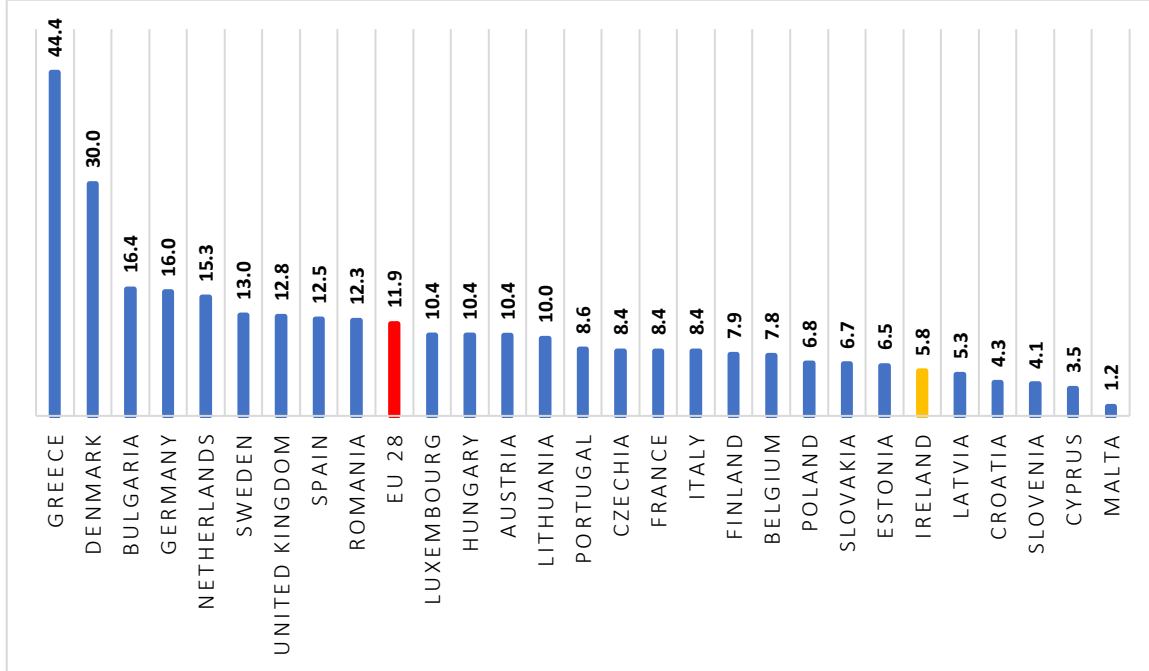
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	11,1	11,7	10,9	11,2	10,2	-
Ireland	27,2	24,1	21,3	19,4	18,4	:



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4.8. Housing cost overburden rate
Age: 16 - 29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	12,8	13,7	13,5	13,2	11,9	:
Ireland	7,0	10,9	5,9	6,3	5,8	:

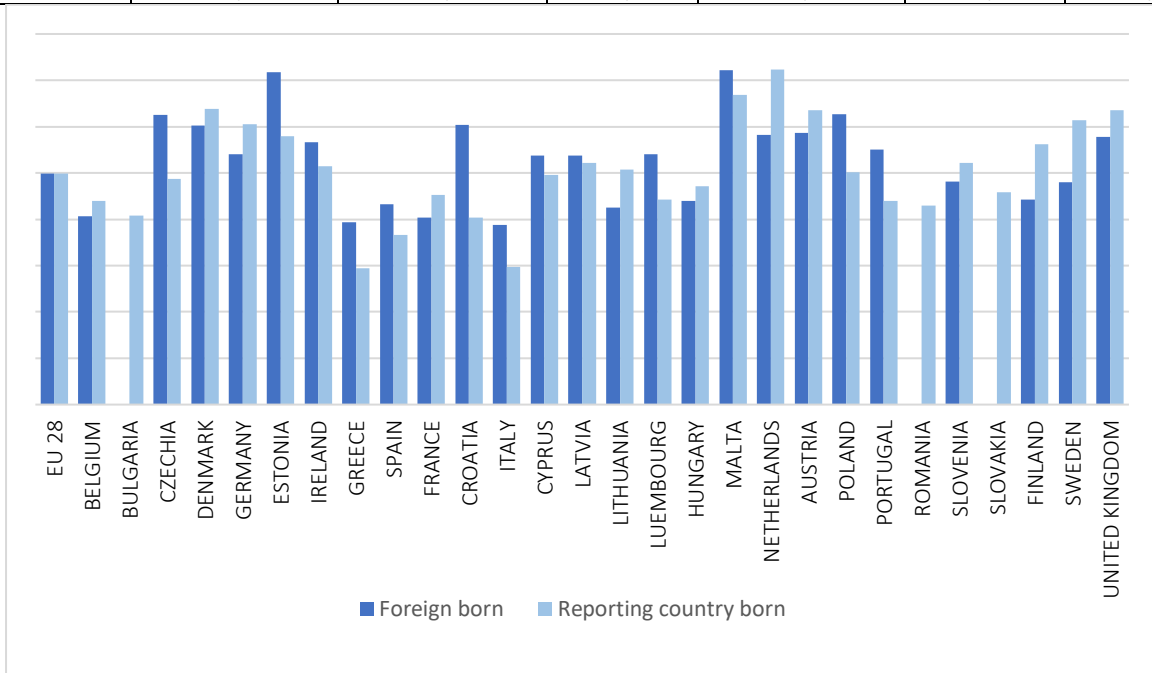


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5. DIFFERENCE BETWEEN YOUNG PEOPLE BORN IN EU-REPORTING COUNTRIES AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES

5.1. Youth employment rate Age: 15 – 29 EU Reporting countries

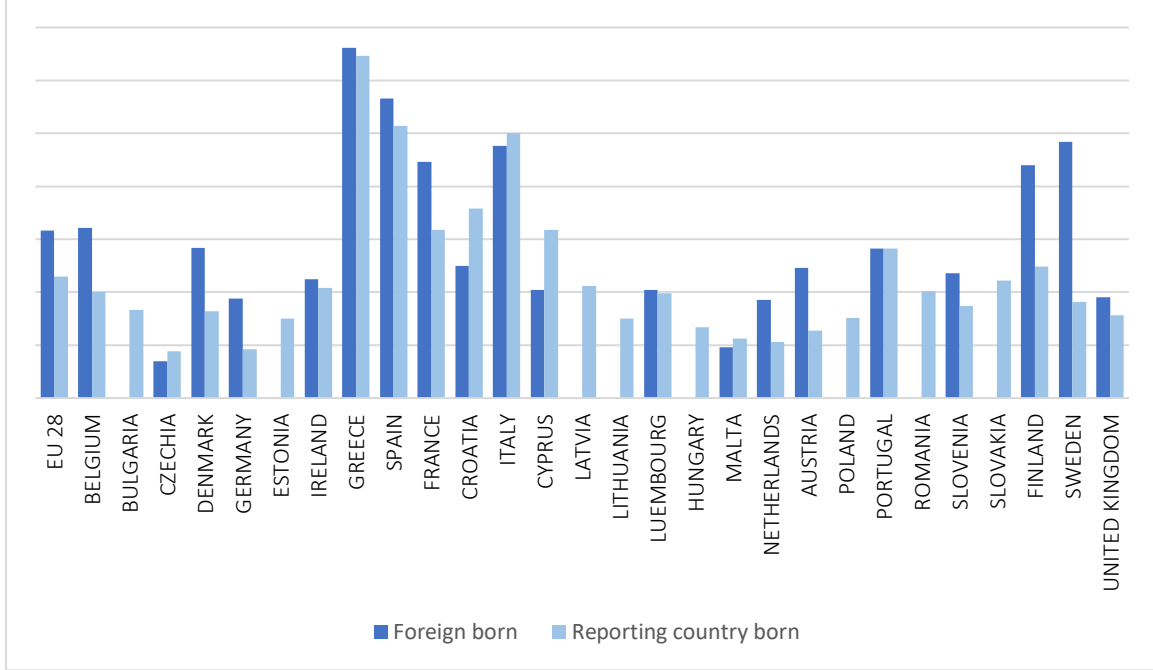
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	45,9	46,4	47,3	48,3	49,3	49,8
Ireland	51,2	50,5	50,9	55,2	55,1	56,6
Foreign countries						
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	45,8	46,6	46,9	47,6	47,8	49,9
Ireland	47,4	47,5	49,0	52,3	51,3	51,5



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5.2. Youth unemployment rate
Age: 15 – 29
EU Reporting countries

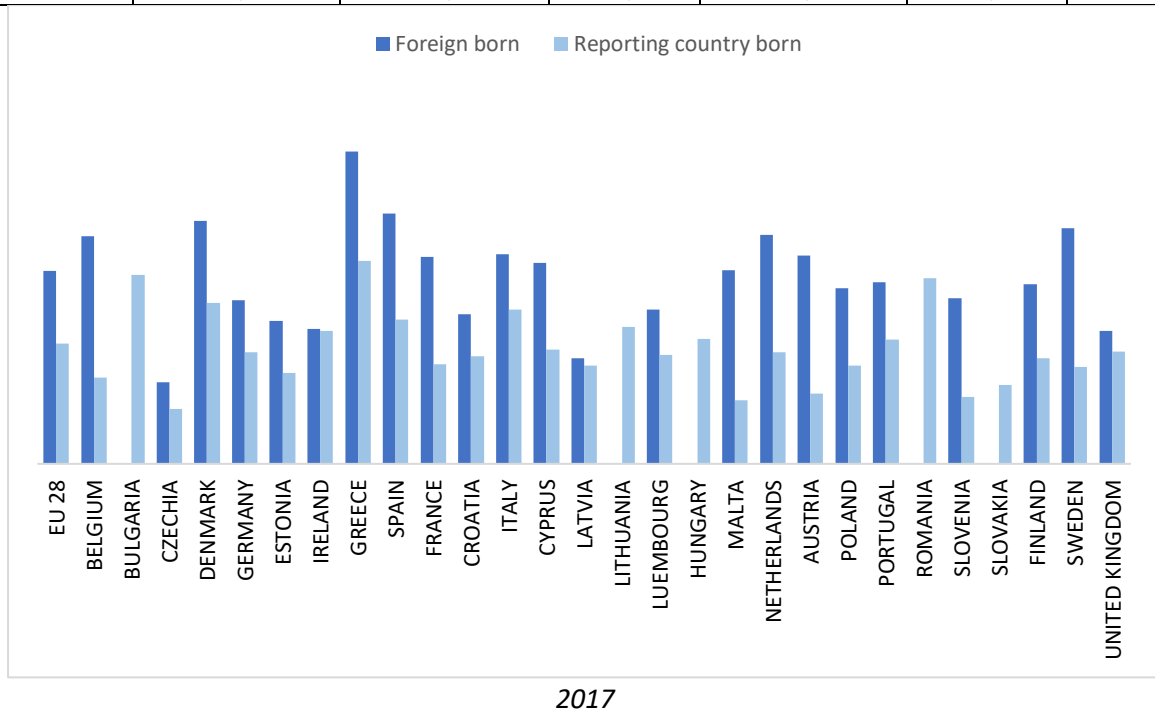
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	18,4	17,3	15,7	14,3	12,7	11,5
Ireland	18,4	17,1	15,5	12,8	11,6	11,2
Foreign countries						
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	23,3	21,1	20,0	18,1	17,0	15,8
Ireland	22,2	20,3	16,9	14,2	11,4	10,4



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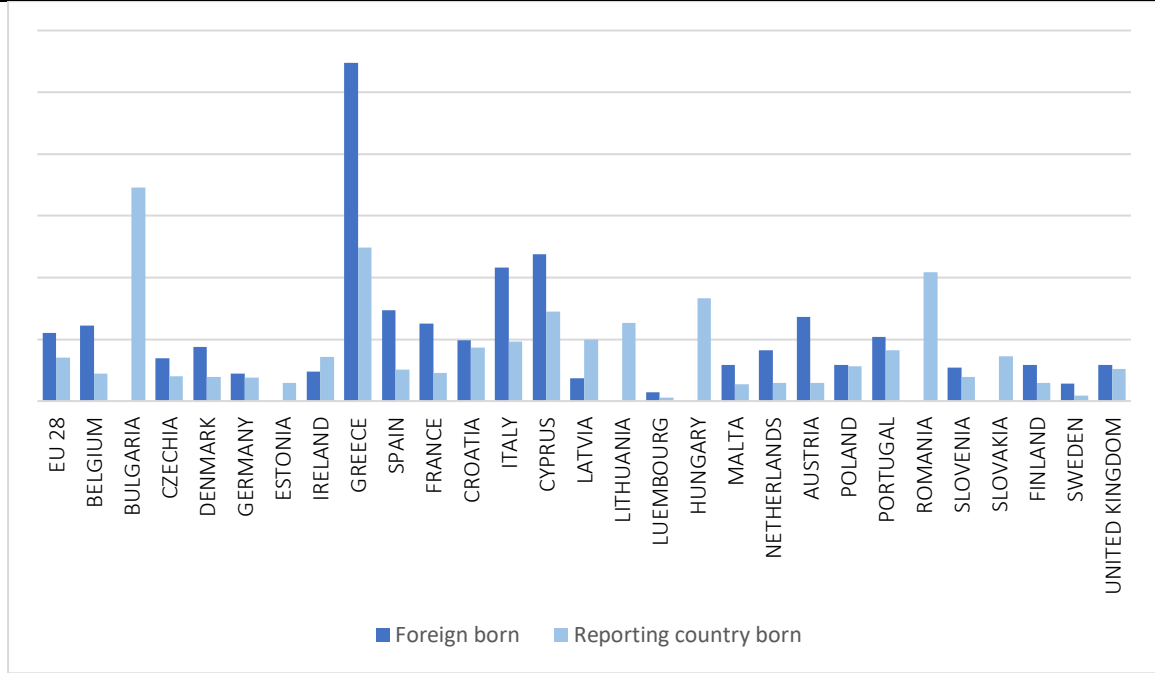
5.3. People at risk of poverty or social exclusion by broad group of country of birth
Age: 16 – 29
EU Reporting countries

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	28,0	28,3	27,5	27,4	26,1	:
Ireland	41,6	45,2	42,2	40,7	29,3	:
Foreign countries						
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	44,2	44,4	45,1	43,2	41,9	:
Ireland	37,3	36,1	33,8	27,2	28,9	:



5.4. Severe material deprivation rate by broad group of country of birth
Age: 16 – 29
EU Reporting countries

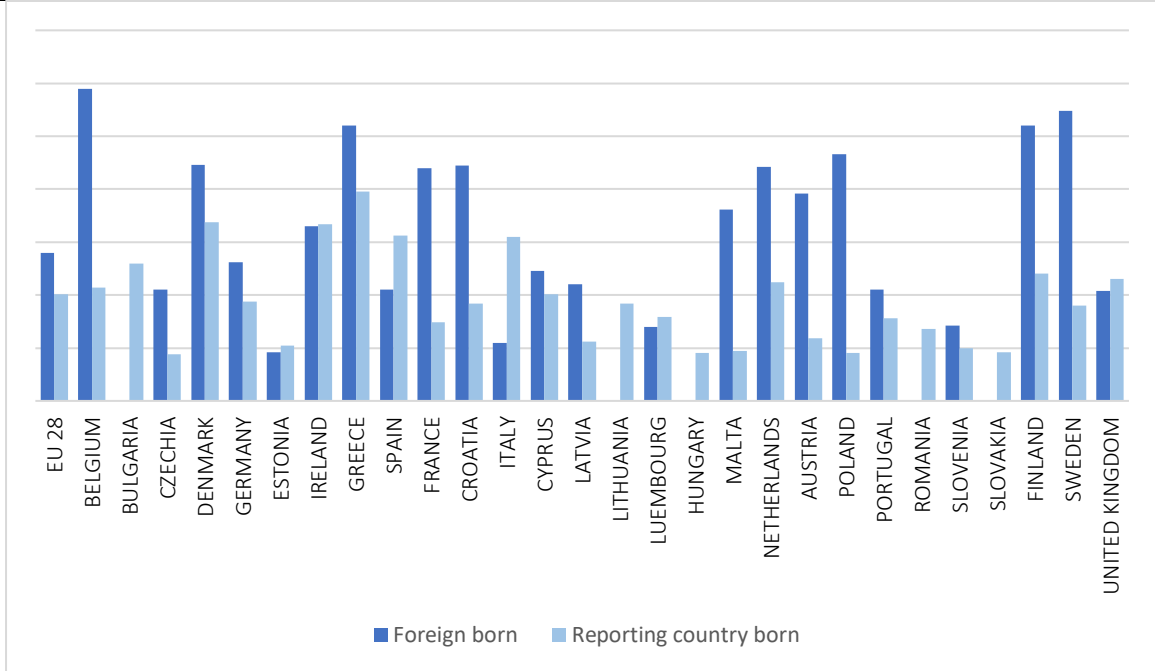
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	10,8	10,0	8,8	8,1	7,0	:
Ireland	15,6	13,0	13,4	13,7	4,8	:
Foreign countries						
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	15,4	14,3	14,5	12,5	11,0	:
Ireland	11,3	11,5	10,3	8,3	7,1	:



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5.5. People living in households with very low work intensity by broad group of country of birth
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EU Reporting countries

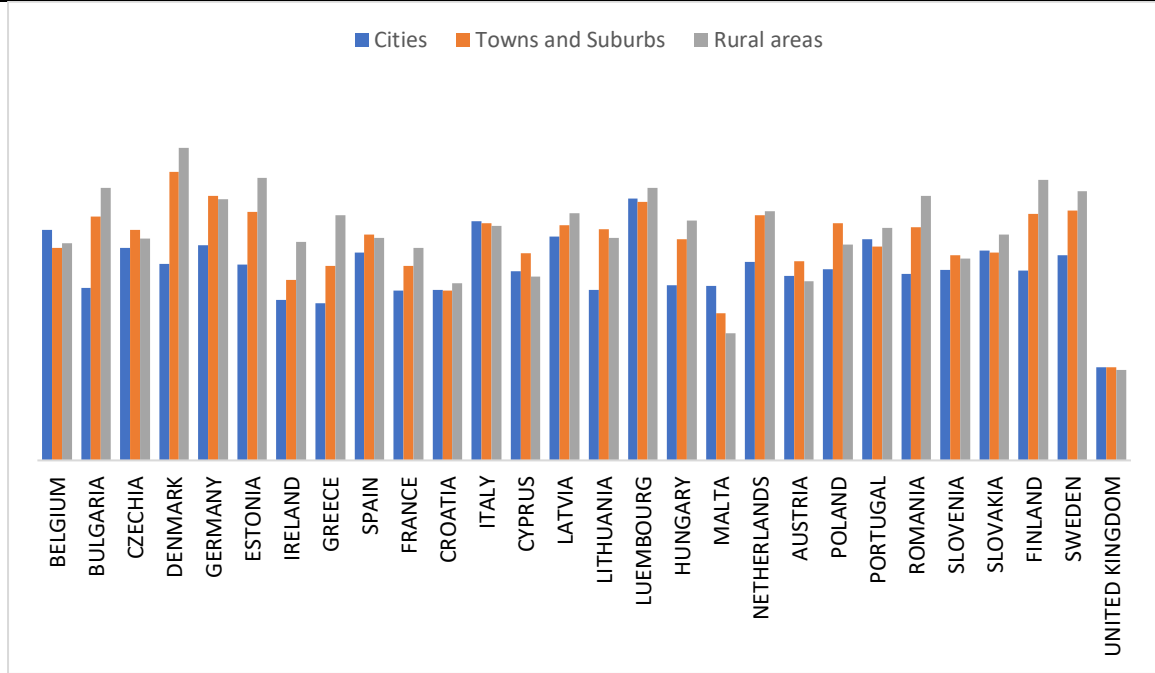
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	10,5	11,2	10,5	10,9	10,1	:
Ireland	23,4	26,9	27,3	24,6	16,5	:
Foreign countries						
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	17,4	17,8	15,9	15,2	14,0	:
Ireland	28,4	23,1	21,0	17,4	16,7	:



6. Difference between young people living in CITIES, TOWNS AND SUBURBS AND RURAL AREAS

6.1. Population by educational attainment level and degree of urbanisation Less than primary, primary and lower secondary education (levels 0-2) Age: 15 – 24

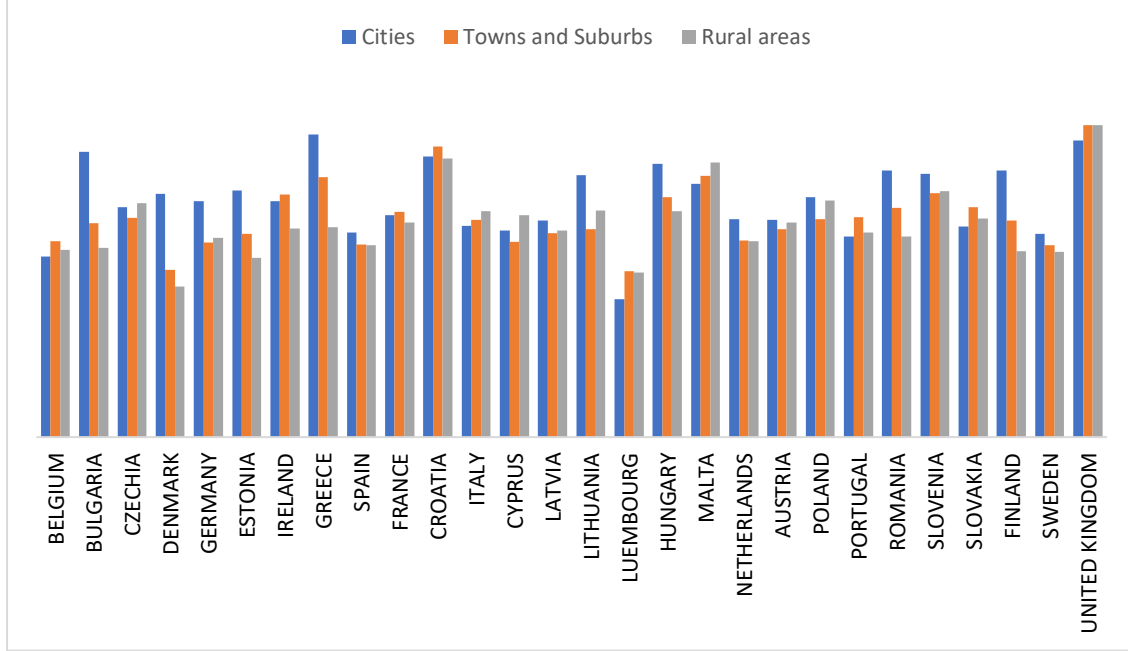
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	34,0	33,4	35,3	34,1	33,1	34,9
Towns - Suburbs	42,7	44,0	44,2	41,1	38,8	39,2
Rural Areas	50,7	49,4	48,7	48,8	48,0	47,5



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**6.2. Population by educational attainment level and degree of urbanisation
Upper secondary and post-secondary non-tertiary education (levels 3 and 4)
Age: 15 – 24**

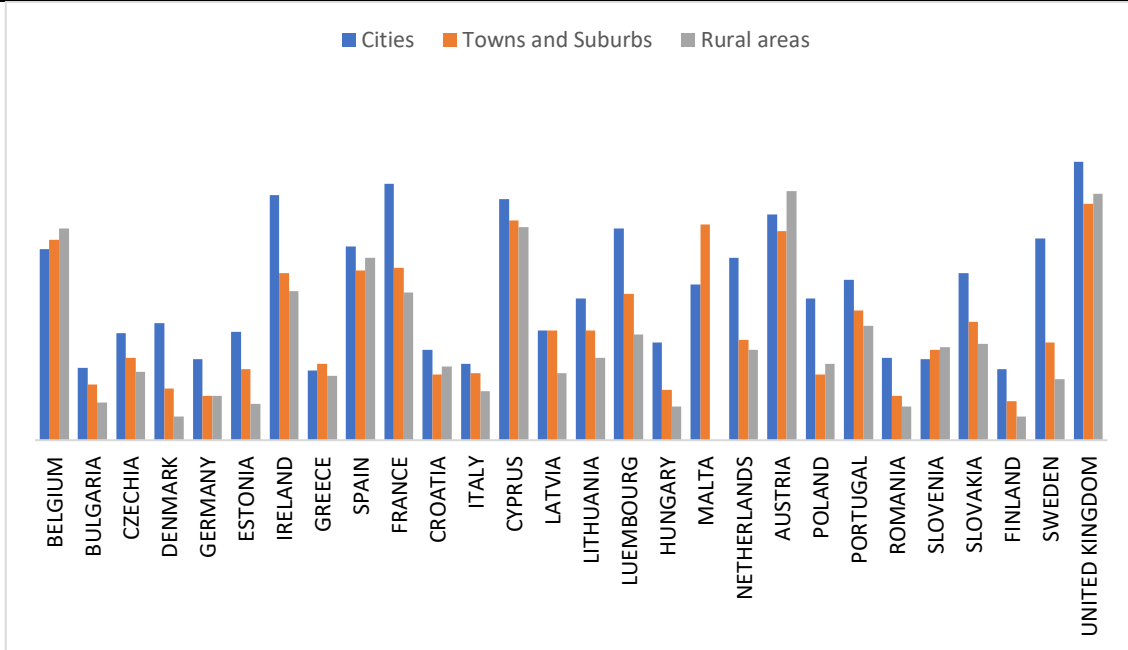
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	48,5	45,9	44,7	46,0	47,9	47,5
Towns - Suburbs	44,9	43,7	43,1	46,9	49,2	48,8
Rural Areas	36,8	39,3	39,0	38,3	40,5	41,9



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**6.3. Population by educational attainment level and degree of urbanisation
Tertiary education (level 5)
Age: 15 – 24**

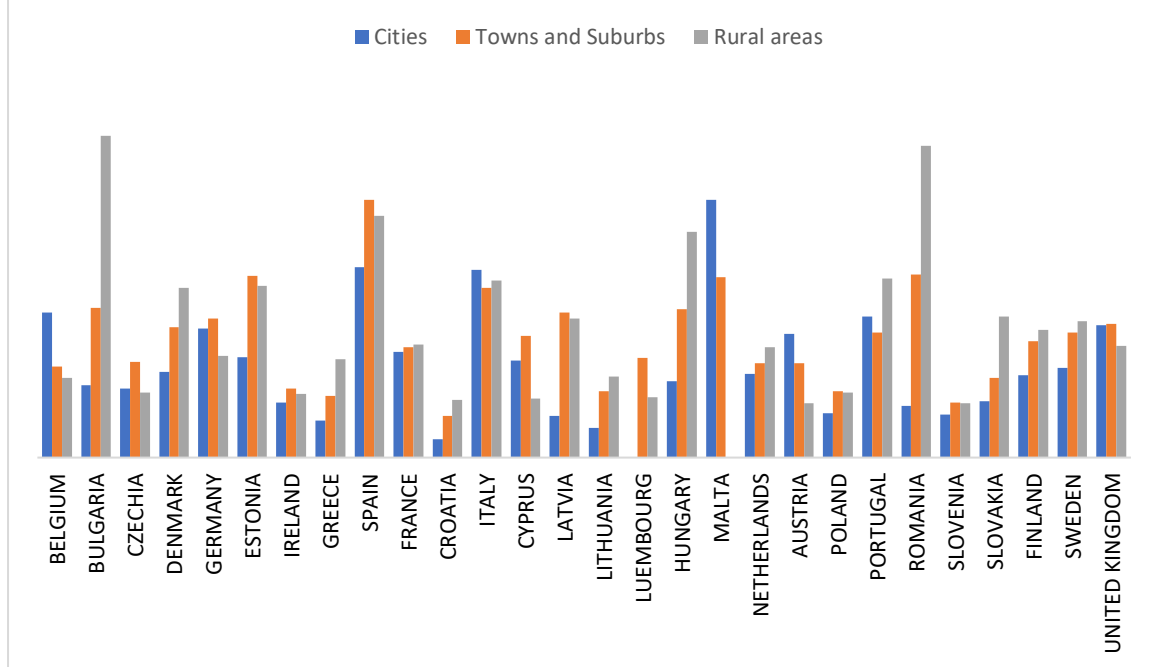
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	17,5	20,7	20,0	19,9	19,0	17,6
Towns - Suburbs	12,4	12,3	12,7	12,0	12,0	12,0
Rural Areas	12,5	11,3	12,4	12,9	11,5	10,7



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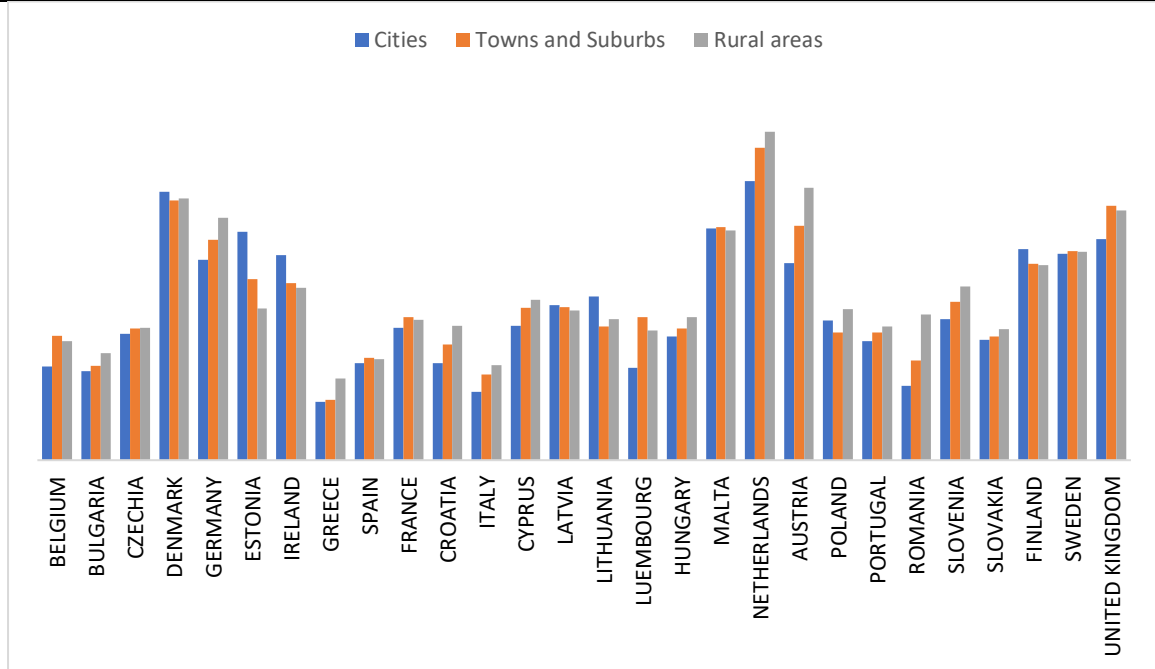
6.4. Early leavers by degree of urbanisation
Age: 18 – 24

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	5,7	4,6	5,2	5,3	4,7	4,5
Towns - Suburbs	11,2	9,1	8,9	5,9	5,1	5,6
Rural Areas	10,3	7,6	7,2	6,8	5,3	5,2



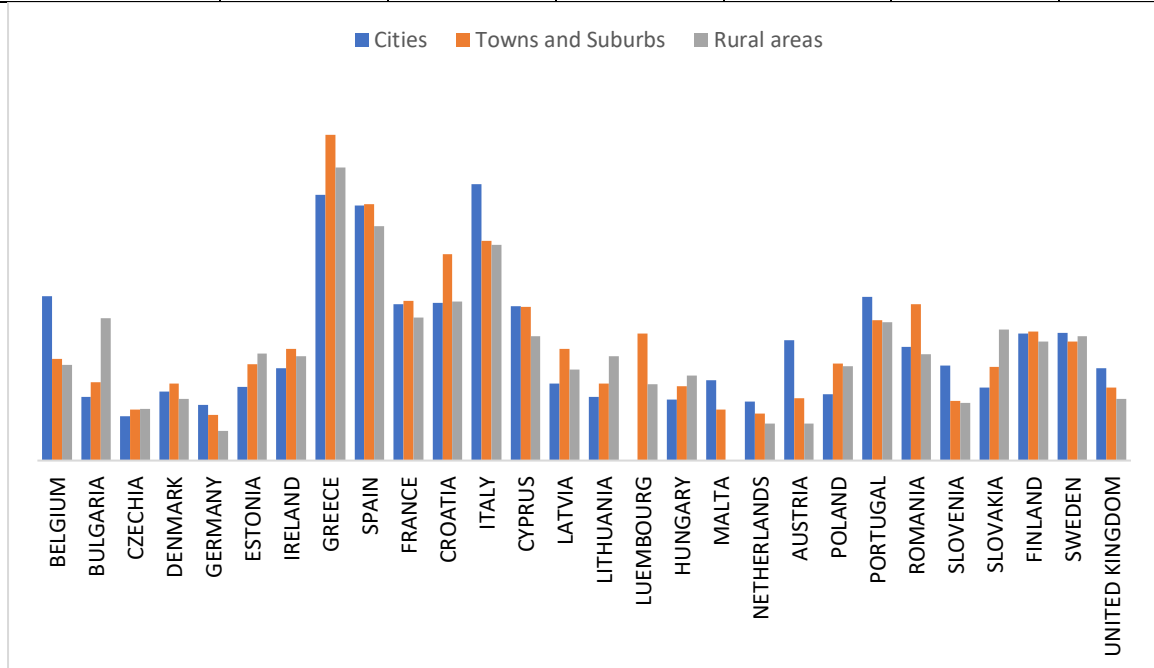
6.5. Employment rate by degree of urbanisation
Age: 15 - 24

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	40,9	41,9	43,1	47,5	43,5	44,5
Towns - Suburbs	34,8	35,6	35,0	38,7	38,7	38,5
Rural Areas	33,6	32,9	35,0	38,9	37,5	37,5



6.6. Unemployment rate by degree of urbanisation
Age: 15 - 24

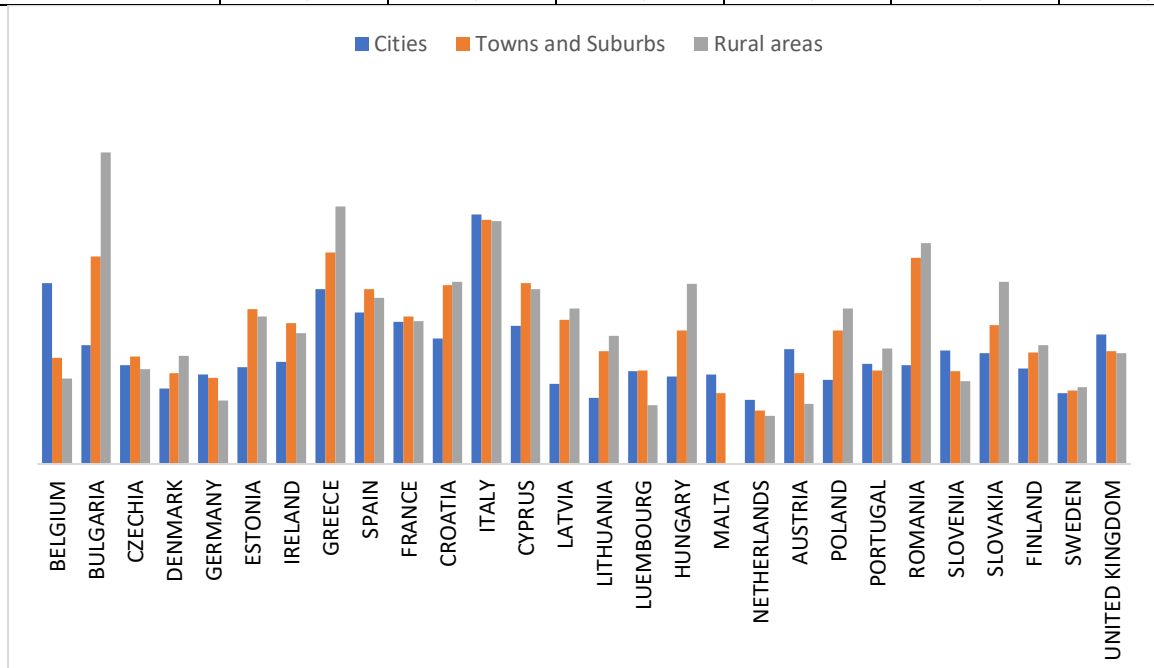
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	22,5	19,6	16,2	14,3	13,9	12,5
Towns - Suburbs	30,1	25,6	23,7	19,7	15,7	15,2
Rural Areas	28,9	26,1	22,2	17,8	14,1	14,2



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6.7. Young people neither in employment nor in education and training by degree of urbanisation
Age: 15 - 29

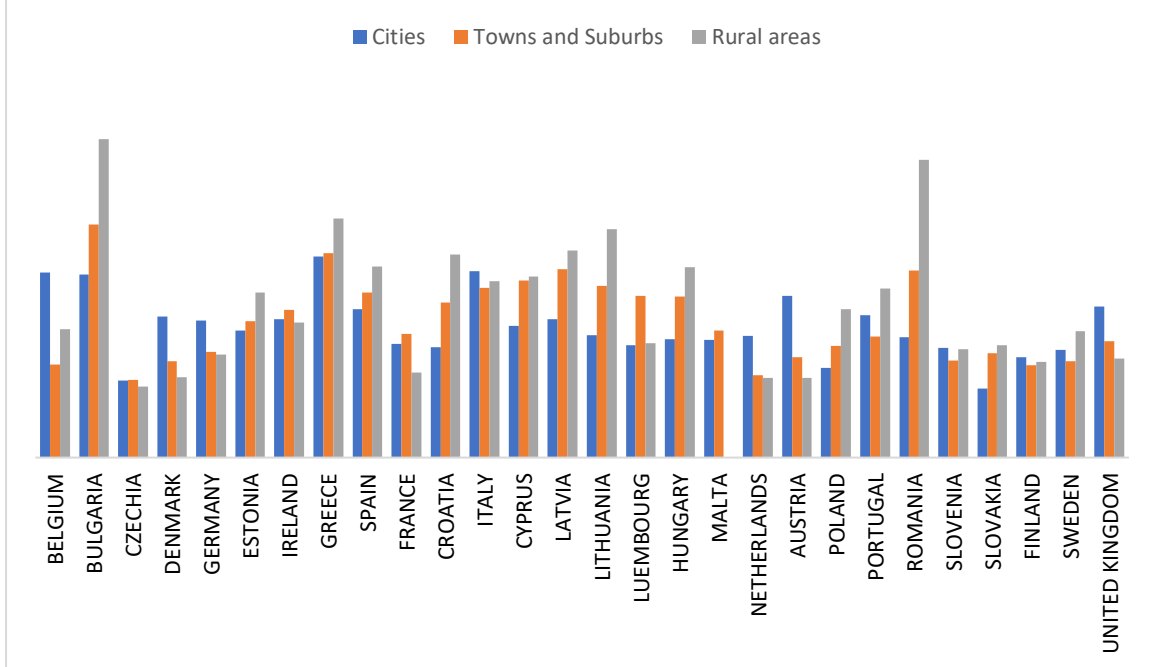
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	15,0	14,1	13,8	11,9	11,2	9,7
Towns - Suburbs	21,7	19,8	18,9	16,6	13,7	13,4
Rural Areas	20,9	20,4	17,7	16,1	14,0	12,4



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6.8. People at risk of poverty or social exclusion
Overall population (N\A statistics for young population)

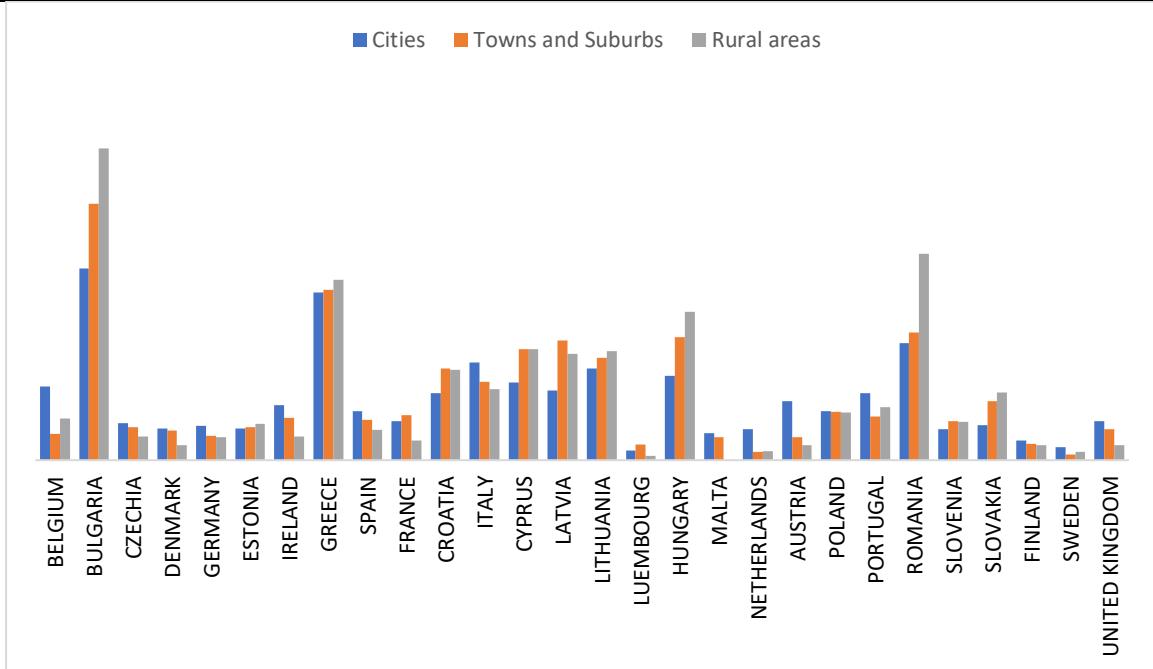
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	26,4	26,3	25,2	23,5	22,5	:
Towns - Suburbs	32,3	29,4	28,4	28,0	24,1	:
Rural Areas	31,6	27,9	25,3	22,9	22,0	:



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6.9. Severe material deprivation rate
Overall population (N\A statistics for young population)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	10,8	9,8	9,4	8,6	6,7	:
Towns - Suburbs	12,3	10,3	8,2	8,1	5,2	:
Rural Areas	7,6	5,5	4,7	3,0	2,9	:



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7. YOUNG POPULATION WITH DISABILITY – 2011 statistics*				
7.1. Population participating in education and training by type of disability				
Age: 15 - 34				
	Difficulty in basic act	No difficulty in basic act	Limitation in work capacity	No limitation in work capacity
Ireland	14,269	561,642	13,422	562,048
7.2. Early leavers rate by type of disability				
Age: 15 - 24				
	Difficulty in basic act	No difficulty in basic act	Limitation in work capacity	No limitation in work capacity
Ireland	27,7	10,1	33,9	9,9
7.3. Tertiary educational attainment rate by type of disability				
Age: 30 - 34				
	Difficulty in basic act	No difficulty in basic act	Limitation in work capacity	No limitation in work capacity
Ireland	27,5	50,6	20,3	51,3
7.4. Young people neither in employment nor in education and training by type of disability				
Age: 15 - 29				
	Difficulty in basic act	No difficulty in basic act	Limitation in work capacity	No limitation in work capacity
Ireland	44,8	20,7	60,4	20,2

* In 2011, the European Union Labour Force Survey (EU-LFS) included an ad hoc module (AHM) on employment of disabled people. The module consisted of 11 variables dealing with:

- Health problems and difficulties in basic activities;
- Limitations in work caused by health problems/difficulties in basic activities;
- Special assistance needed or used by people with health problems/difficulties in basic activities;
- Limitation in work because of other reasons.

On the basis of how the module was operationalised, the following two main definitions for disability were considered for presenting the results:

- Disabled persons = People having a basic activity difficulty (such as seeing, hearing, walking, communicating);
- Disabled persons = People having a work limitation caused by a longstanding health condition and/or a basic activity difficulty.