

Young Population and Social Exclusion in LATVIA

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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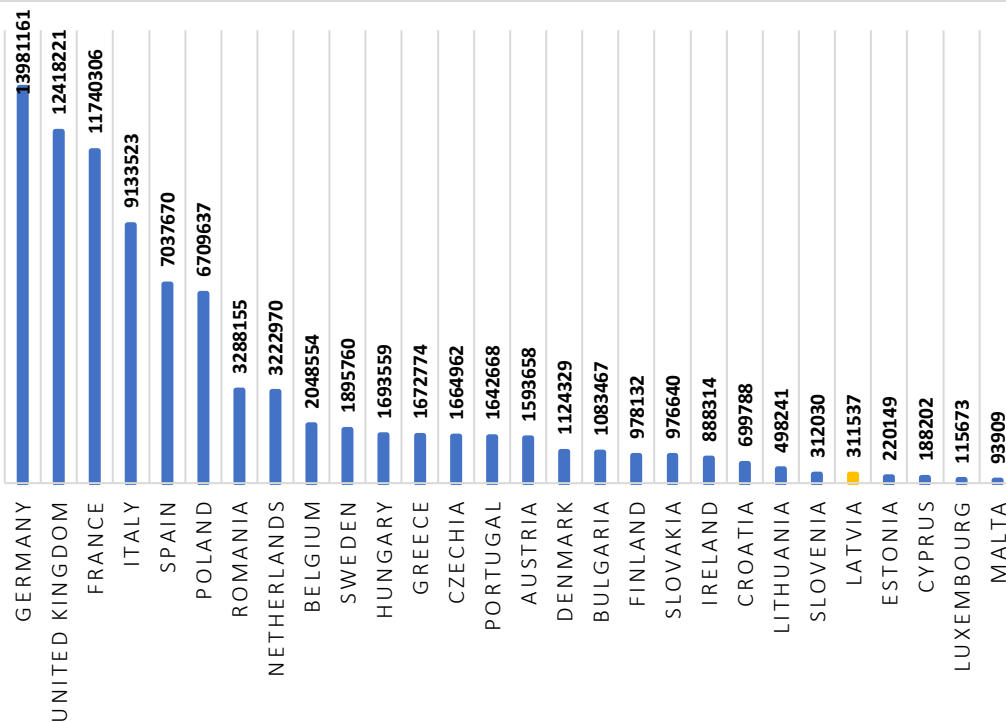
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1. POPULATION AND TRENDS

1.1. Youth population on 1 January 2018

Age: 15 - 29

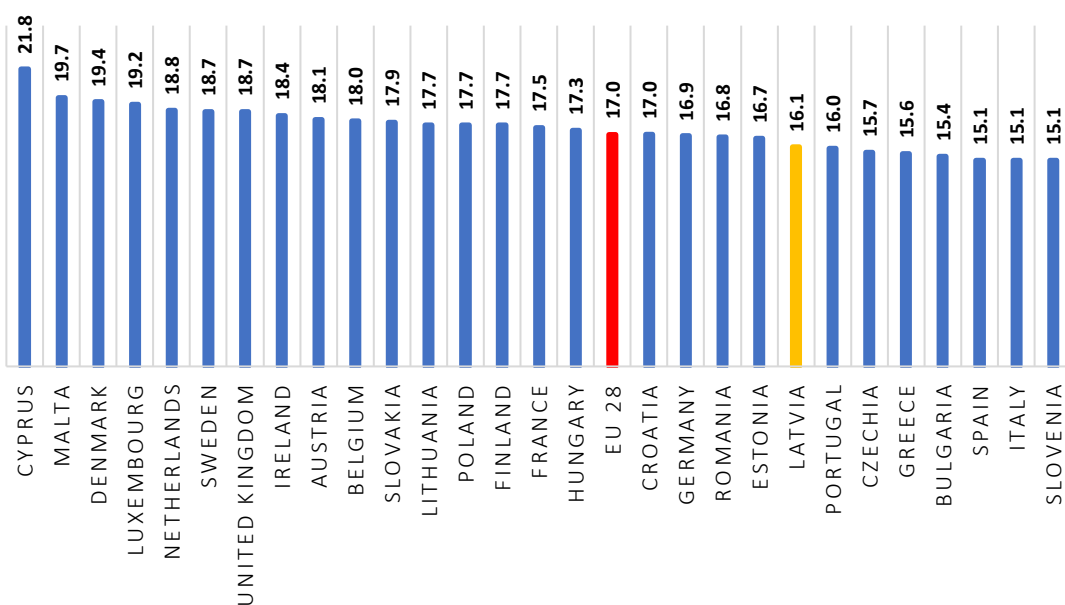
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	90.317.159	89.658,602	88.965.765	88.669.272	87.969.026	87.233.989
Latvia	392.612	373.082	357.099	341.793	325.464	311.537



1.2. Ratio of young people in the total population on 1 January 2018

Age: 15 - 29

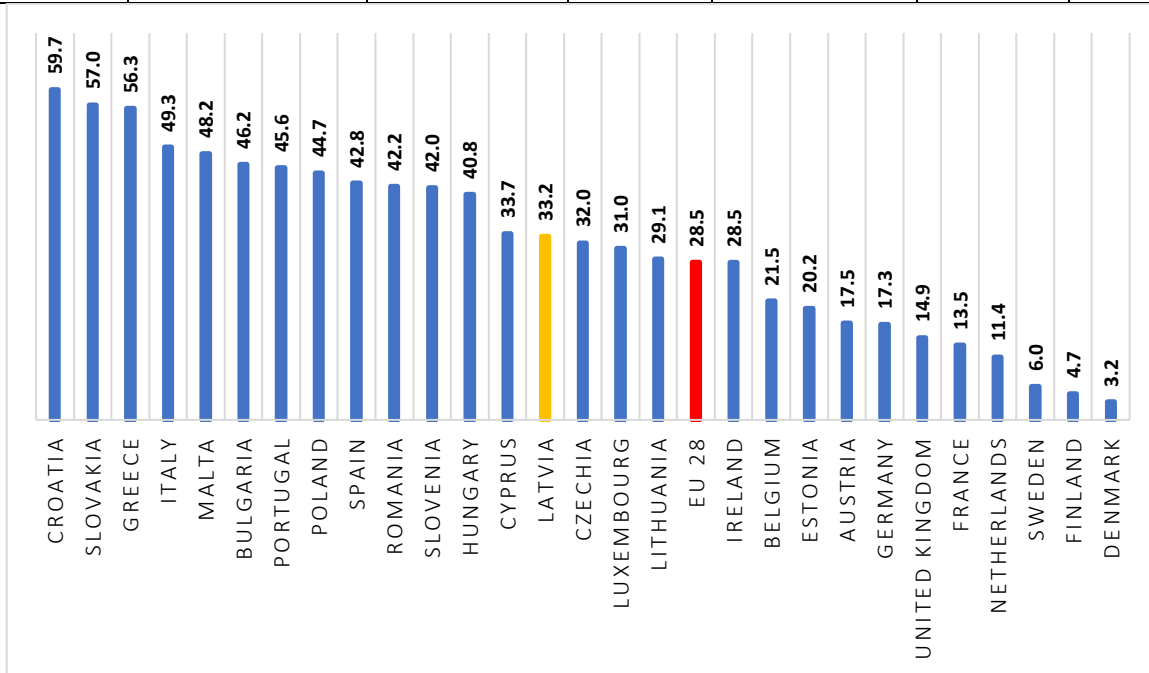
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	17,9	17,7(b)	17,5(b)	17,4	17,2(b)	17,0
Latvia	19,4	18,6	18,0	17,4	16,7	16,1



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

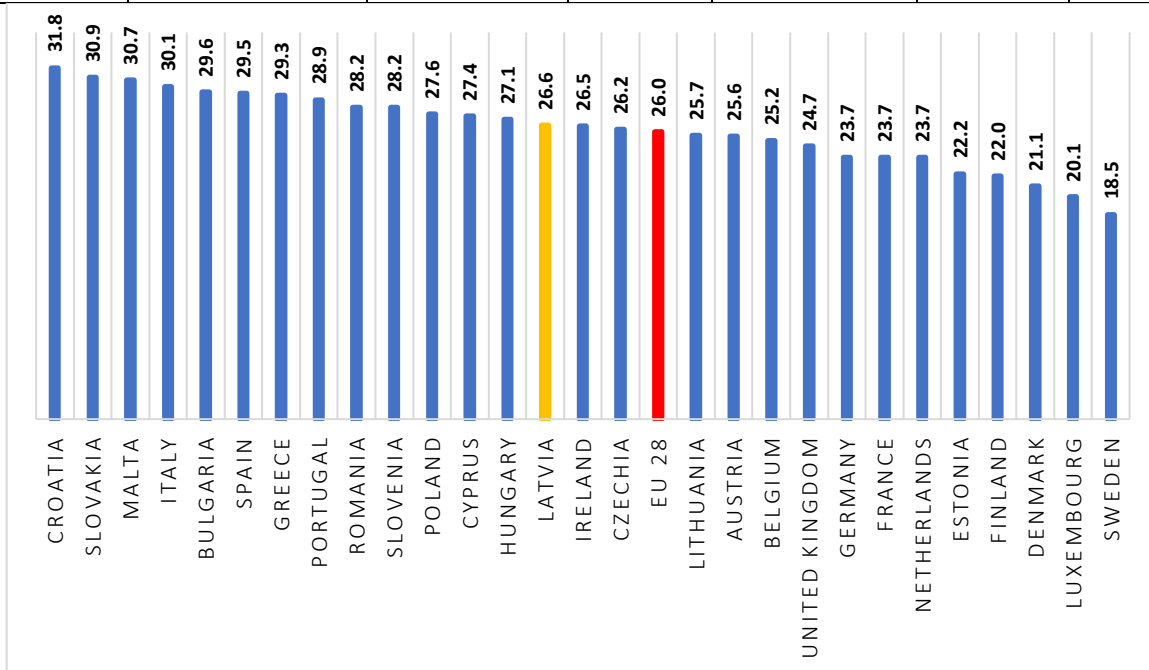
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	28,2	28,6	28,6	28,6	28,5	:
Latvia	32,3	36,1	34,4	35,8	33,2	31,8



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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
Latvia	27,8	28,0	27,5	27,7	27,0	26,6



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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
Latvia	32,6	32,2	32,9	31,8	33,1	34,1

Country	Percentage
DENMARK	43.5
ITALY	40.7
ROMANIA	40.5
SPAIN	40.4
LUXEMBOURG	40.0
PORTUGAL	39.8
GERMANY	38.0
SWEDEN	36.5
BELGIUM	35.5
NETHERLANDS	35.1
FINLAND	34.9
BULGARIA	34.5
ESTONIA	34.2
LATVIA	34.1
HUNGARY	34.1
EU 28	33.4
FRANCE	31.6
SLOVAKIA	31.5
CZECHIA	31.4
MALTA	31.3
LITHUANIA	30.5
POLAND	30.4
GREECE	30.0
IRELAND	29.8
AUSTRIA	29.3
SLOVENIA	29.3
CYPRUS	27.6
CROATIA	25.6
UNITED KINGDOM	17.9

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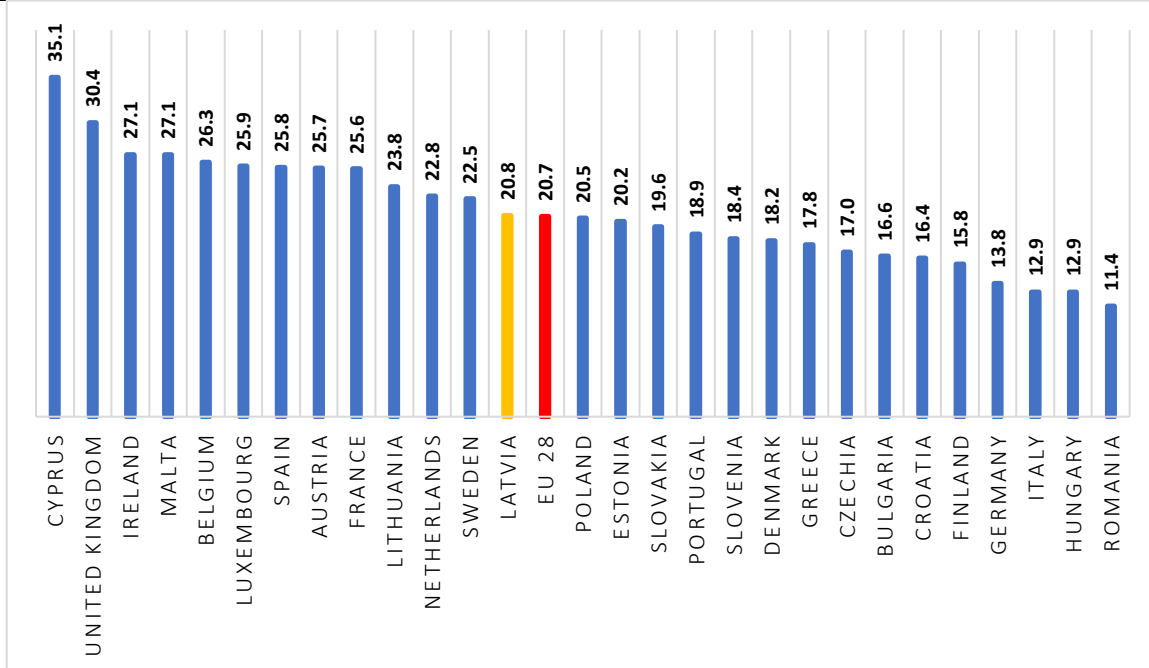
2.2. Young people by educational attainment level						
ISCED 11: Upper secondary and post-secondary non-tertiary education (levels 3 and 4)						
Age: 15 -29						
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	47,0	46,5(b)	46,4	46,4	46,1	45,9
Latvia	46,7	46,3	45,7	46,4	46,1	45,1

Country	Percentage
CROATIA	58.0
HUNGARY	53.0
SLOVENIA	52.3
GREECE	52.2
UNITED KINGDOM	51.7
CZECHIA	51.6
FINLAND	49.3
POLAND	49.1
BULGARIA	49.0
SLOVAKIA	48.9
GERMANY	48.2
ROMANIA	48.1
ITALY	46.4
EU 28	45.9
LITHUANIA	45.7
ESTONIA	45.6
LATVIA	45.1
AUSTRIA	45.1
IRELAND	43.1
FRANCE	42.8
NETHERLANDS	42.1
MALTA	41.6
PORTUGAL	41.2
SWEDEN	41.0
BELGIUM	38.2
DENMARK	38.2
CYPRUS	37.3
LUXEMBOURG	34.0
SPAIN	33.8

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

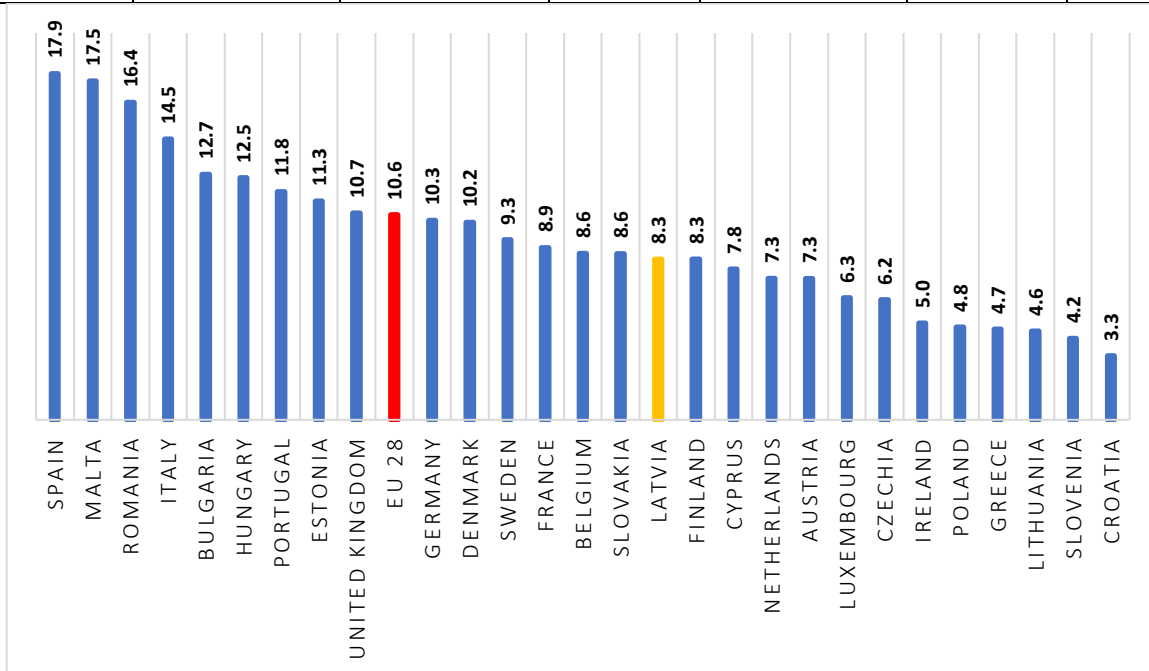
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	19,0	19,2(b)	19,5	19,9	20,2	20,7
Latvia	20,7	21,5	21,4	21,8	20,7	20,8



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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
Latvia	9,8	8,5	9,9	10,0	8,6	8,3

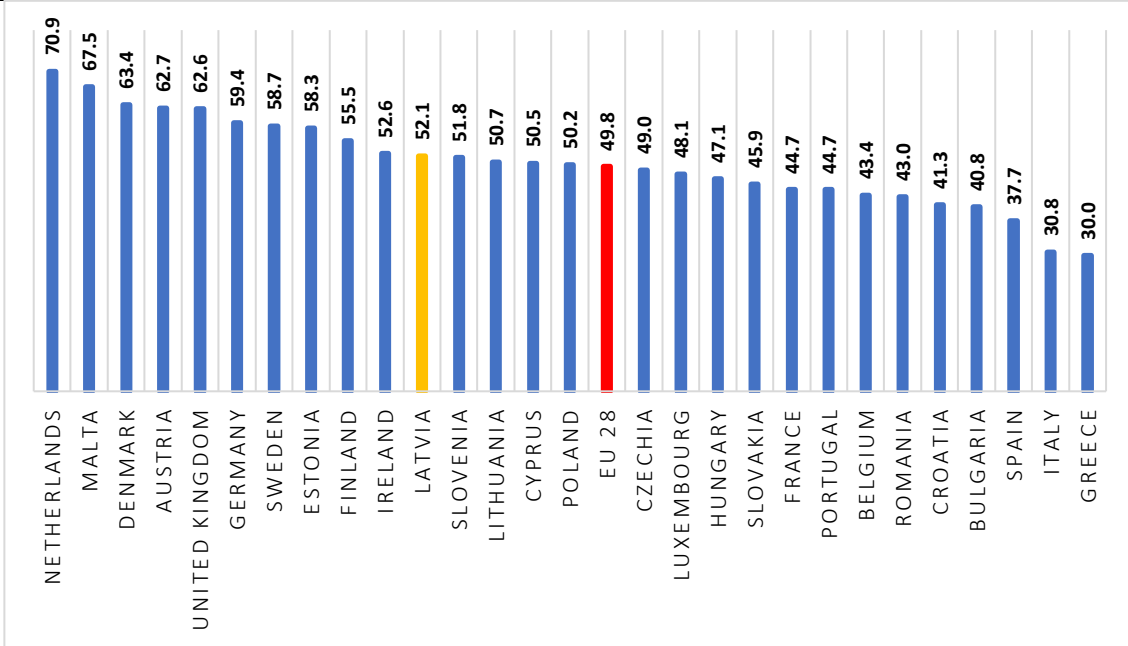


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3. EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

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

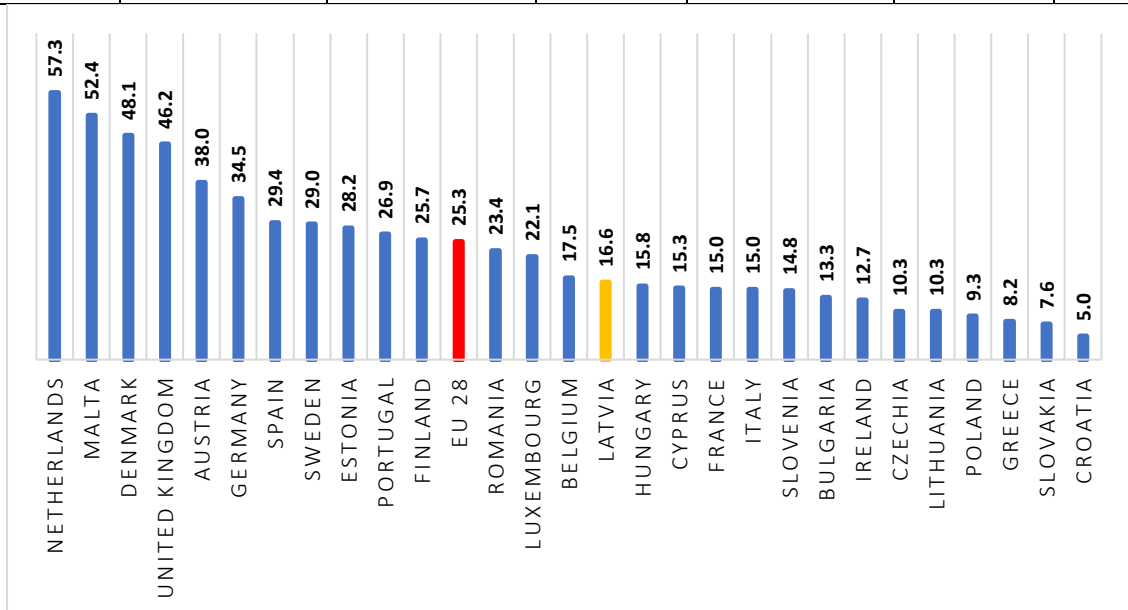
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	45,9	46,4	47,3	48,3	49,2	49,8
Latvia	47,9	50,3	52,2	51,9	53,4	52,1



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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

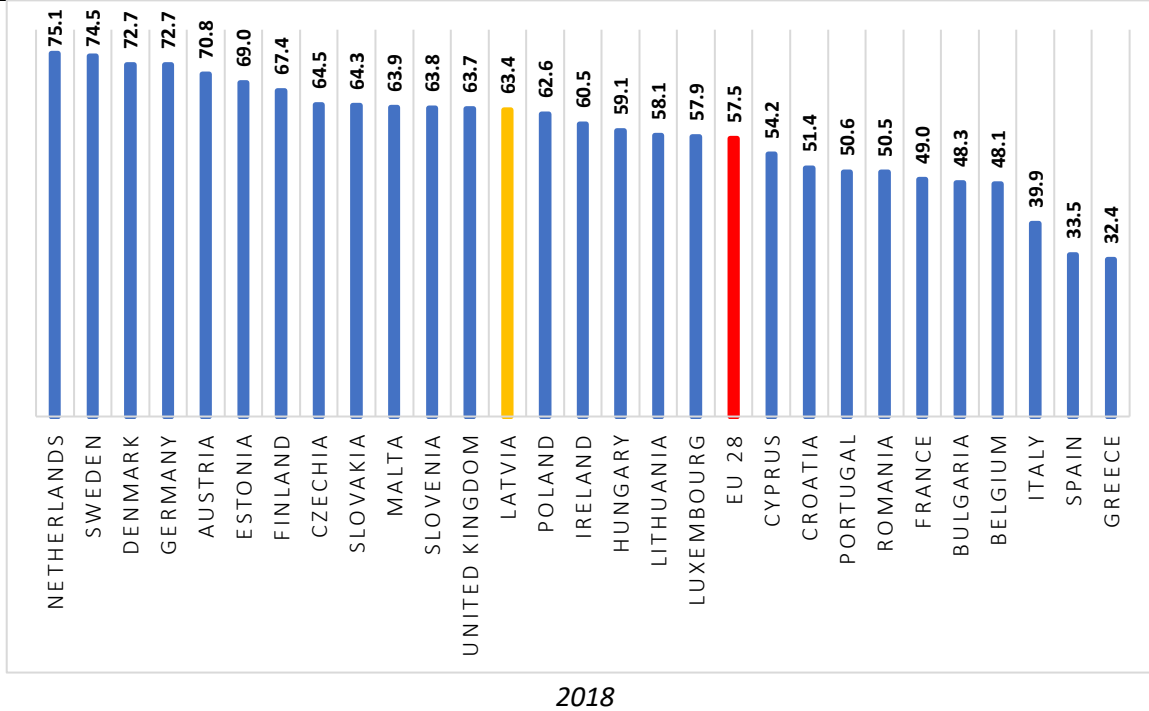
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	25,5	24,1(b)	24,1	24,6	25,0	25,3
Latvia	18,3	18,0	21,2	19,5	19,8	16,6



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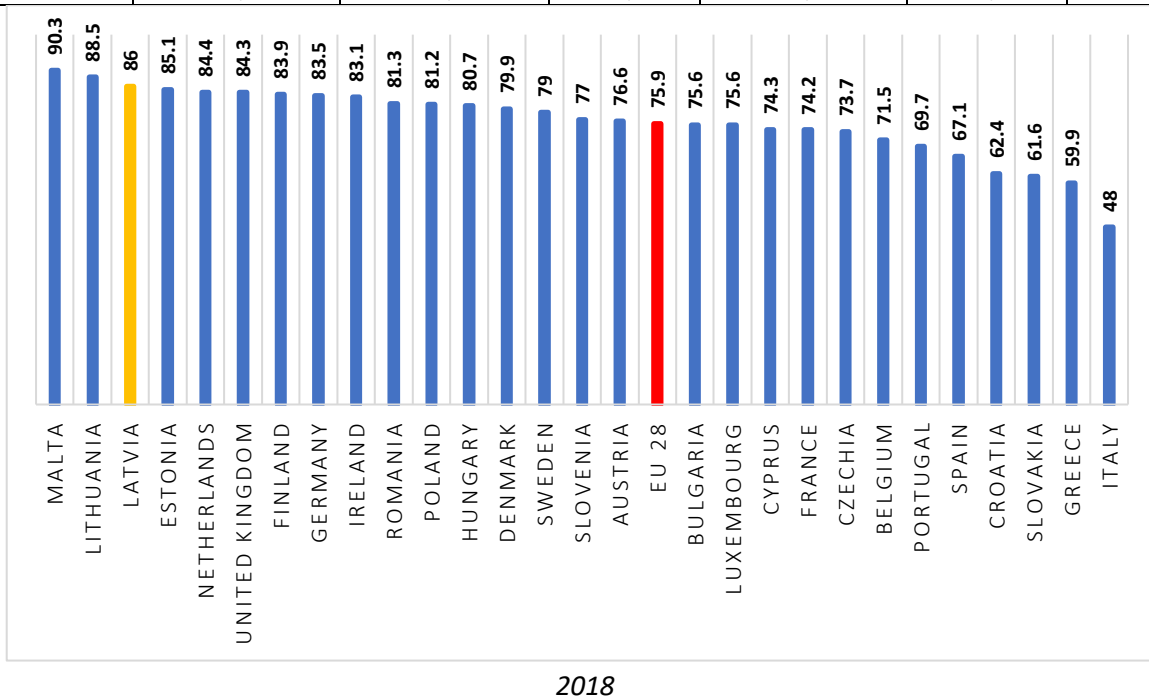
3.3. Youth Employment rate
ISCED 11 level: Upper secondary and post-secondary non-tertiary education (levels 3 and 4)
Age: 15 -29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	53,3	53,8(b)	54,8	55,9	56,9	57,5
Latvia	54,1	59,0	60,9	59,0	64,4	63,4



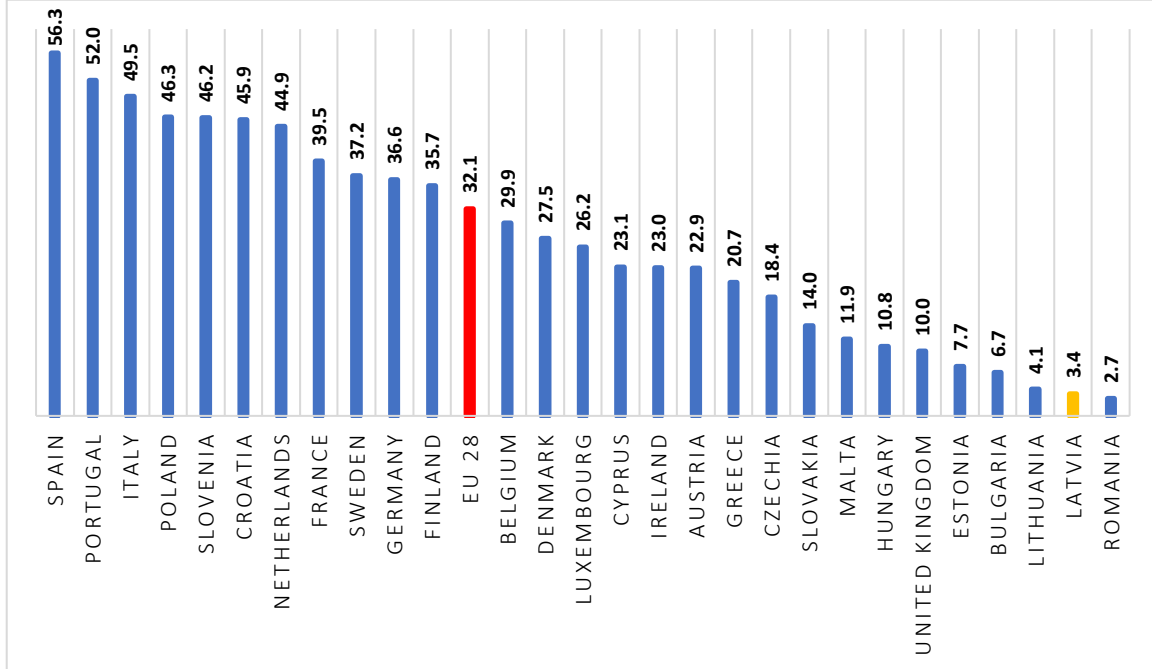
3.4. Youth Employment rate
ISCED 11 level: tertiary
Age: 15 -29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	71,3	71,6	73,1	74,1	75,3	75,9
Latvia	80,4	79,7	81,3	84,0	82,3	86,0



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

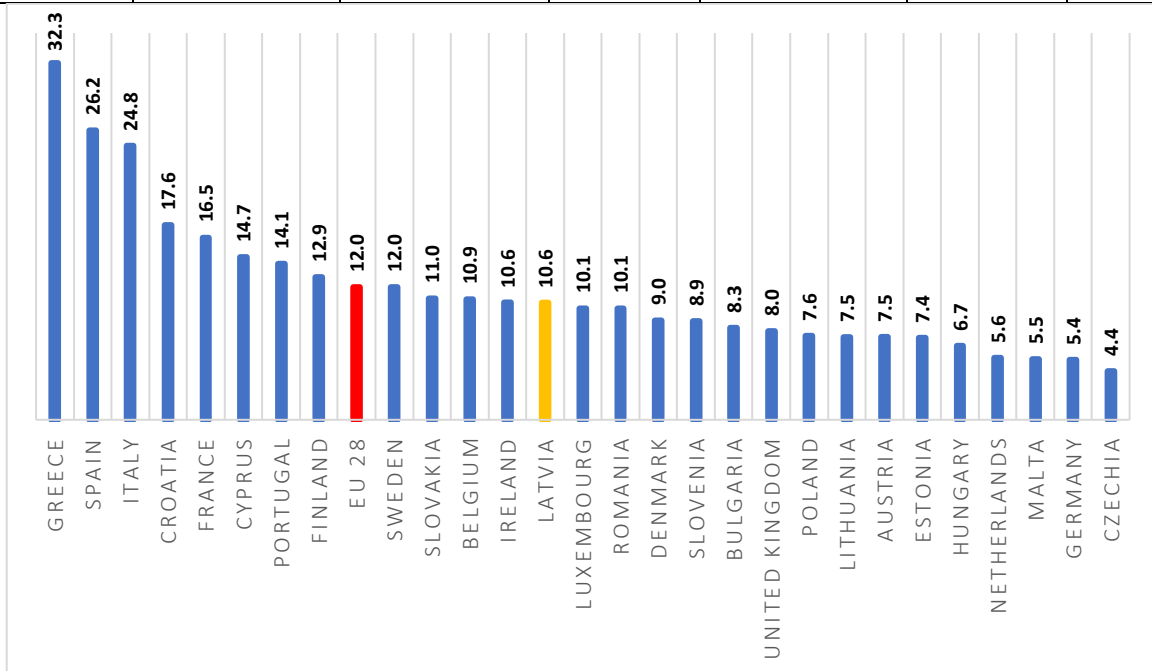
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	31,4	32,0	32,3	32,4	32,5	32,1
Latvia	6,2	5,1	6,0	5,6	4,2	3,4



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

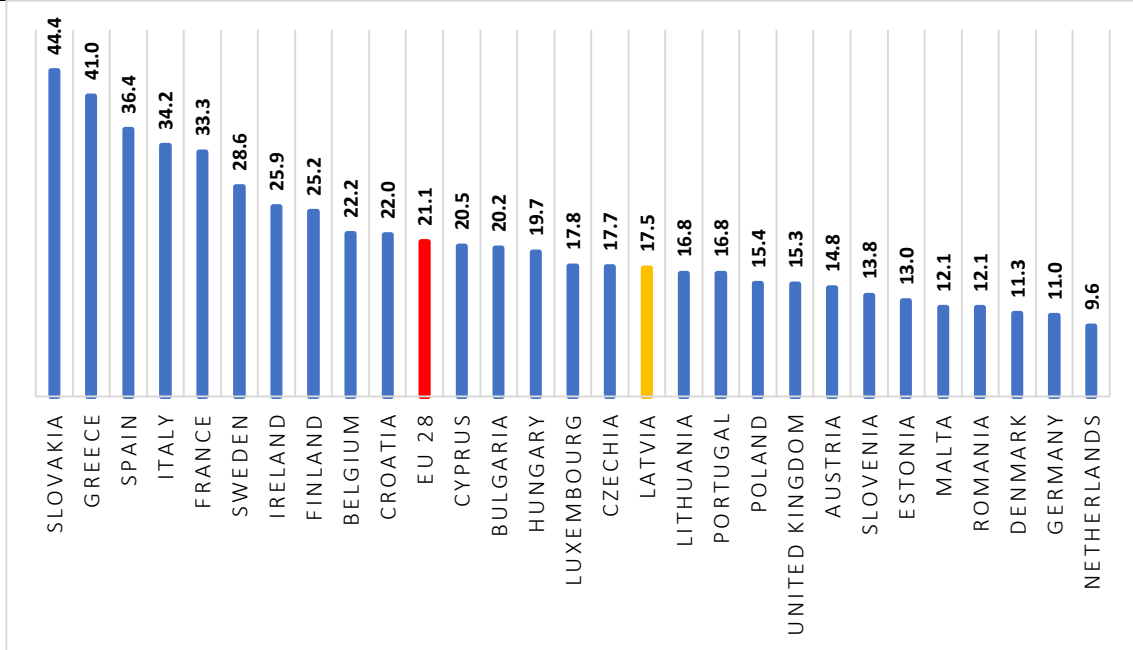
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	18,9	17,7	16,2	14,7	13,2	12,0
Latvia	16,4	14,4	12,9	13,3	11,6	10,6



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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

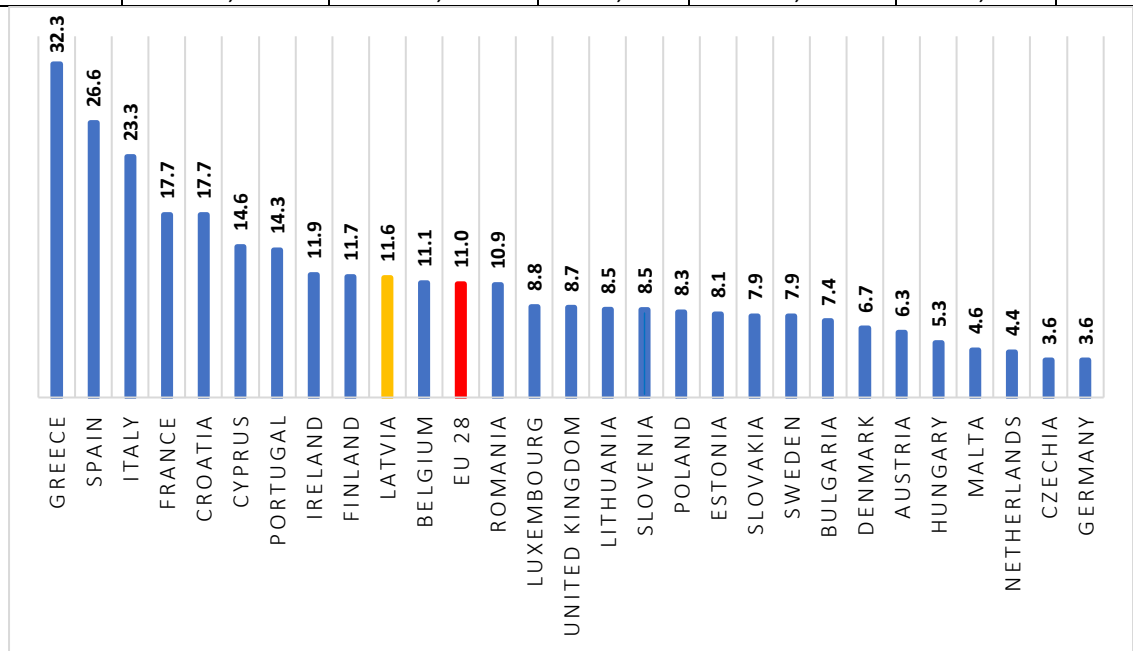
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	30,4	29,0(b)	27,3	25,3	23,3	21,1
Latvia	31,2	26,7	22,4	22,3	18,3	17,5



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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

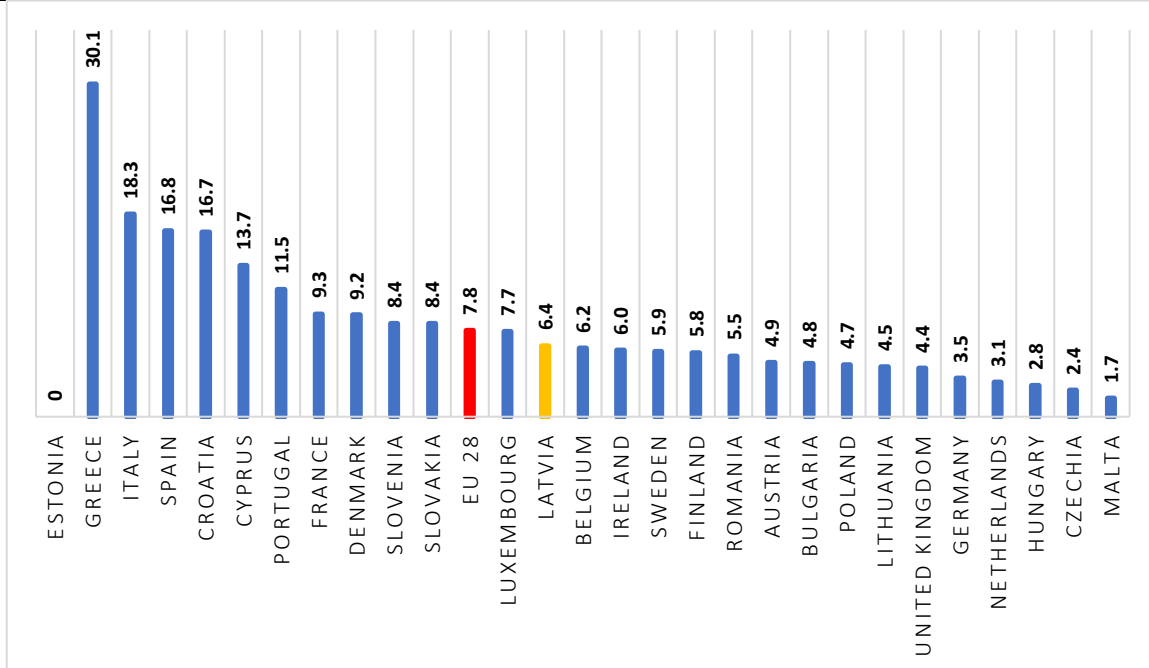
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	17,4	16,3	14,8	13,5	12,1	11,0
Latvia	16,8	14,4	12,8	14,5	11,6	11,6



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

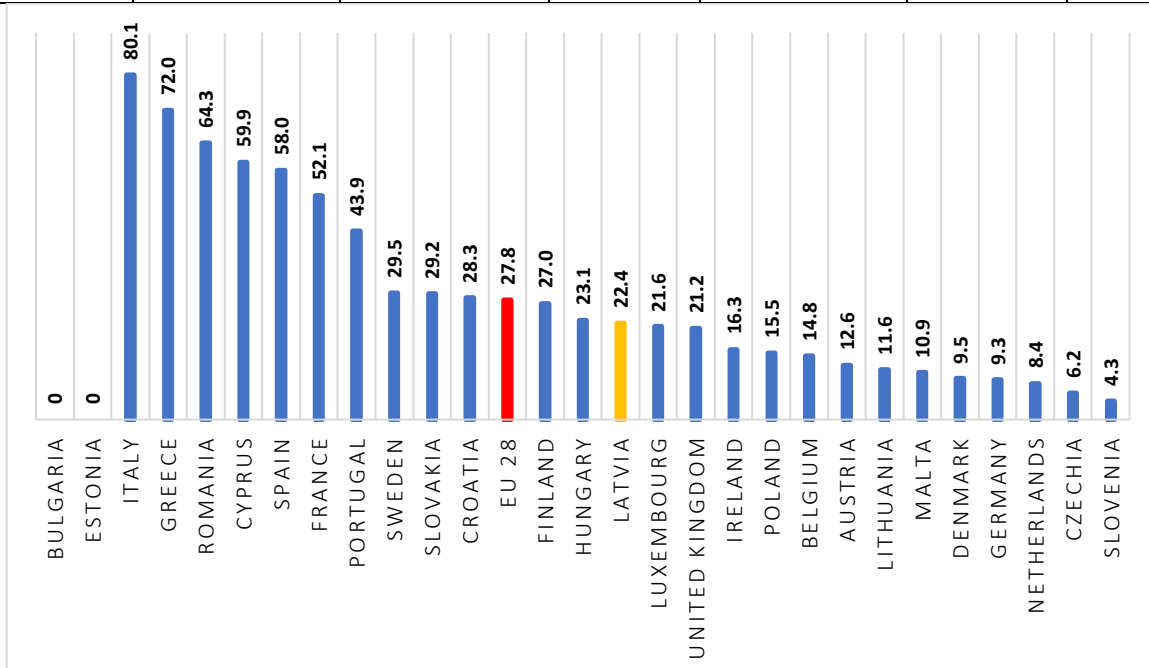
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	12,8	12,0	10,8	9,6	8,5	7,8
Latvia	8,5	9,0	8,7	7,7	8,6	6,4



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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
Latvia	25,8	22,2	20,0	20,6	14,3	22,4

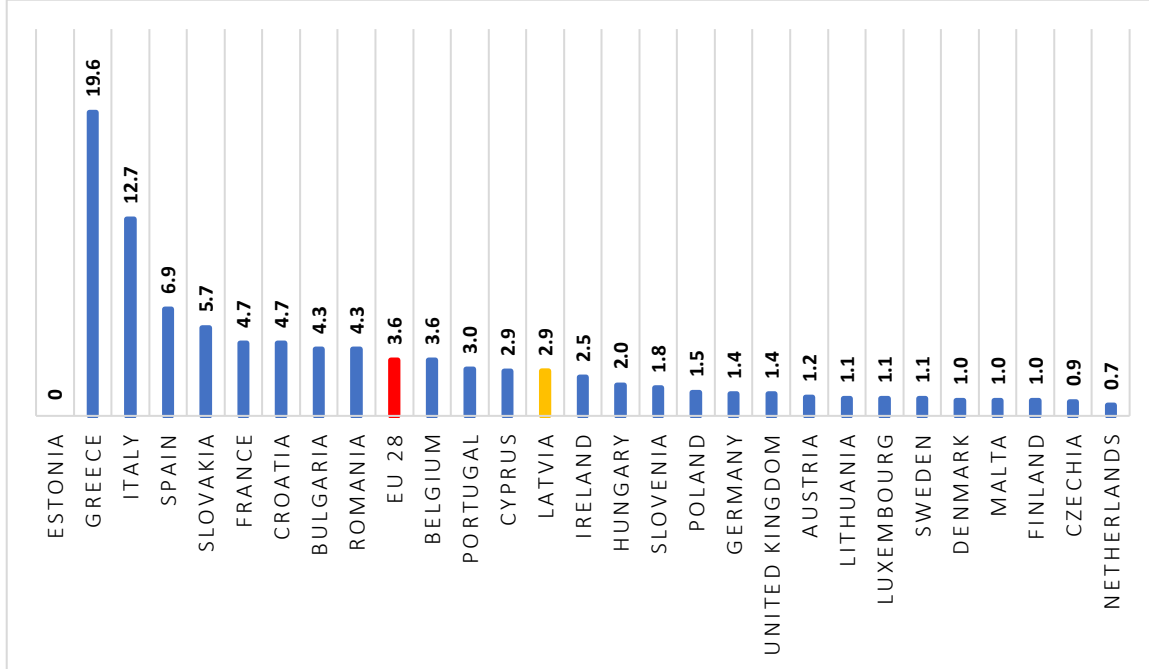


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3.11. Youth long-term unemployment rate (12 months or longer)

Age: 15 -29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	7,1	6,9	5,9	4,9	4,2	3,6
Latvia	5,7	4,0	4,3	4,1	2,9	2,9



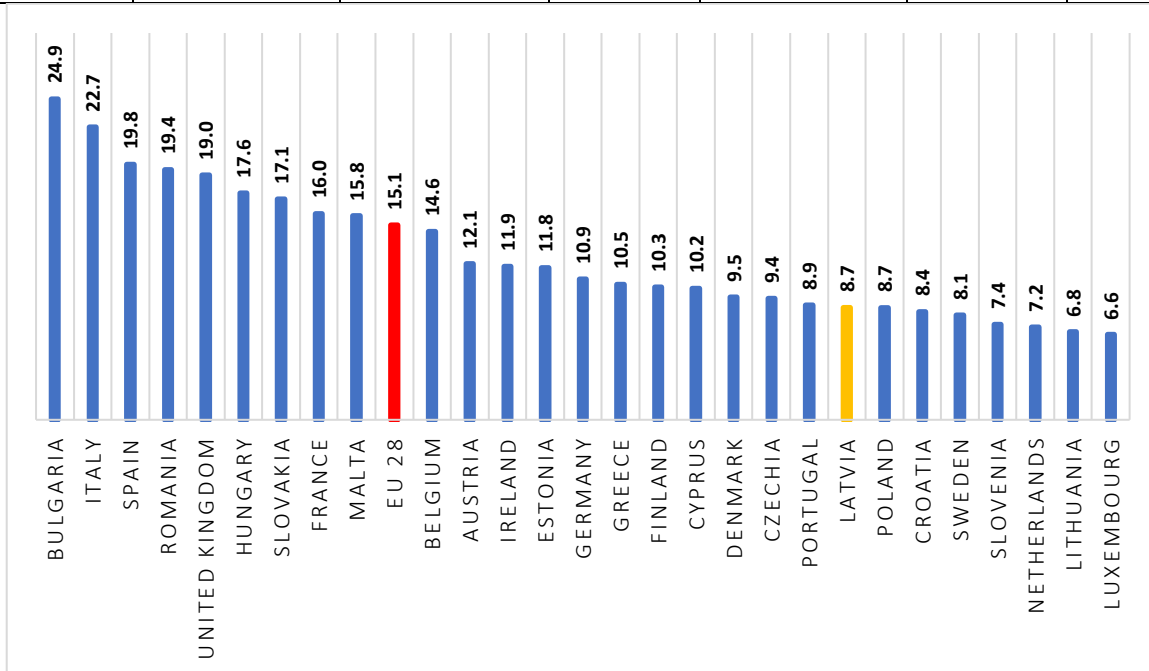
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3.12. Young people neither in employment nor in education and training

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
Latvia	14,7	13,8	12,6	12,9	9,1	8,7

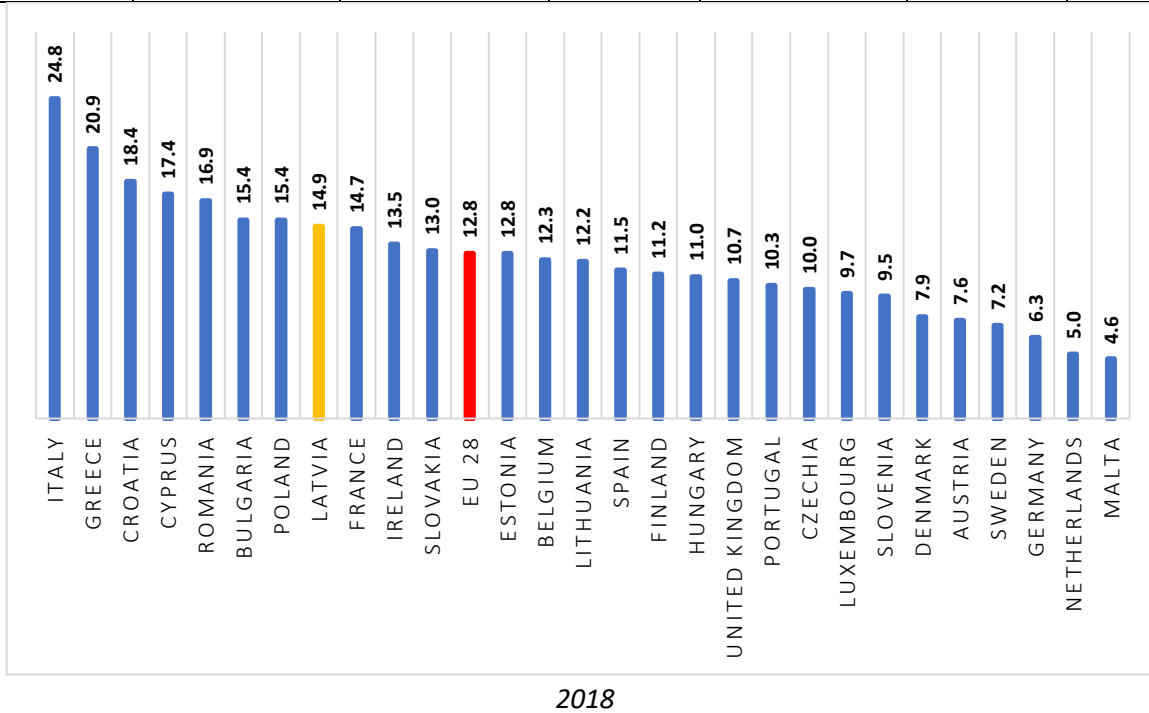


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**3.13. Young people neither in employment nor in education and training
ISCED11: Upper secondary and post-secondary non-tertiary education – general (levels
3 and 4)**

Age: 15 -29

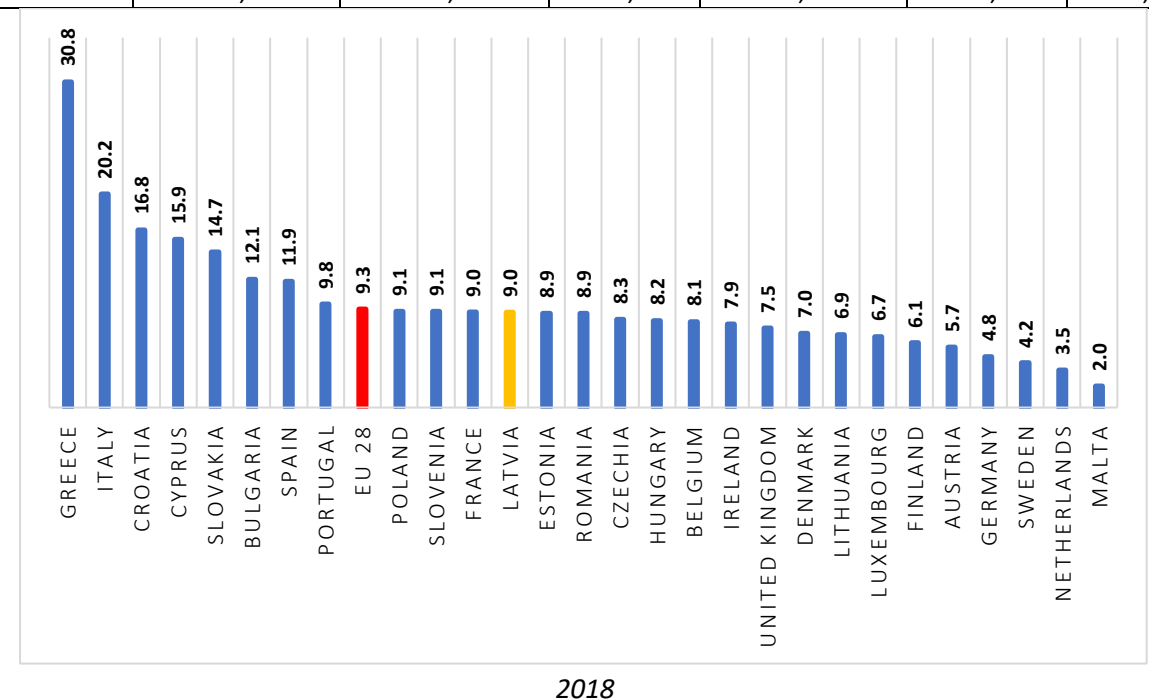
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	15,9	15,4(b)	14,9	14,2	13,3	12,8
Latvia	17,5	16,6	15,2	15,7	14,6	14,9



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

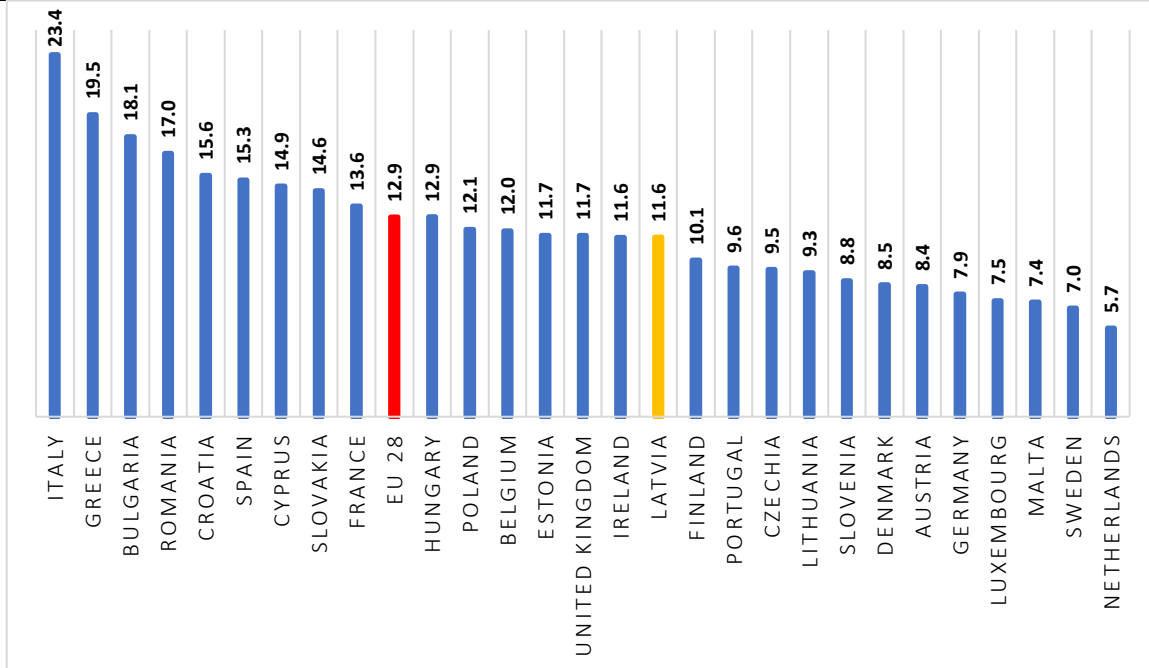
Age: 15 -29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	11,9	11,6(b)	11,1	10,4	9,6	9,3
Latvia	12,7	14,2	12,6	8,6	12,3	9,0



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

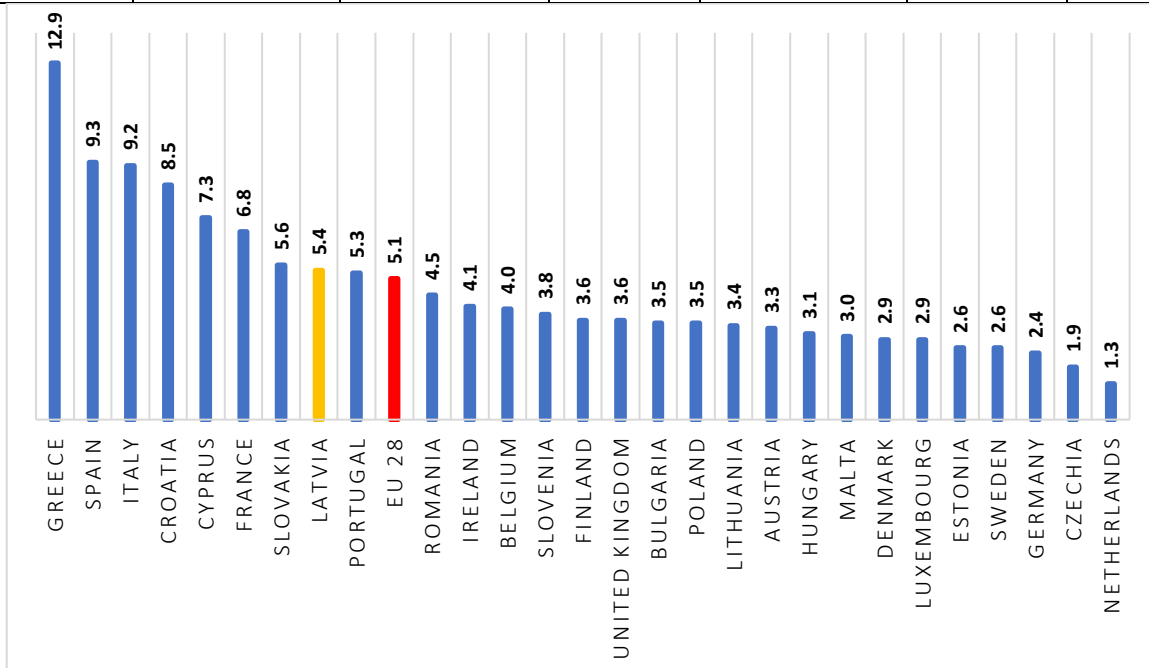
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	15,9	15,3	14,8	14,2	13,4	12,9
Latvia	15,6	15,2	13,8	13,3	12,3	11,6



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

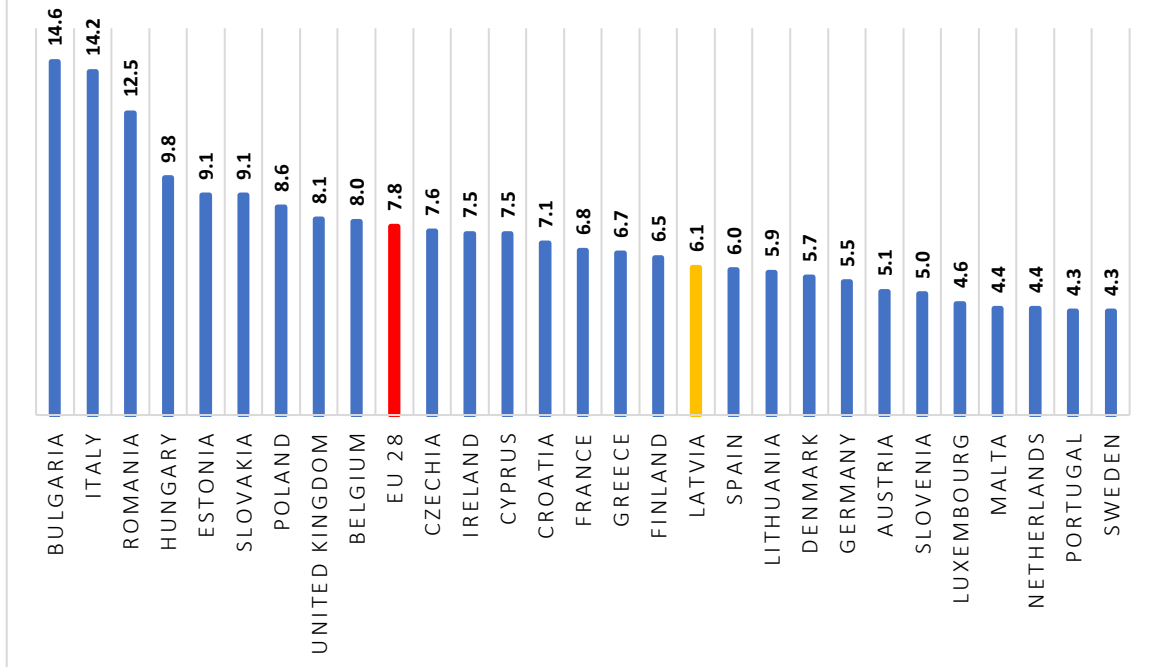
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	8,1	7,5	6,9	6,3	5,6	5,1
Latvia	7,6	7,0	6,4	6,5	5,7	5,4



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

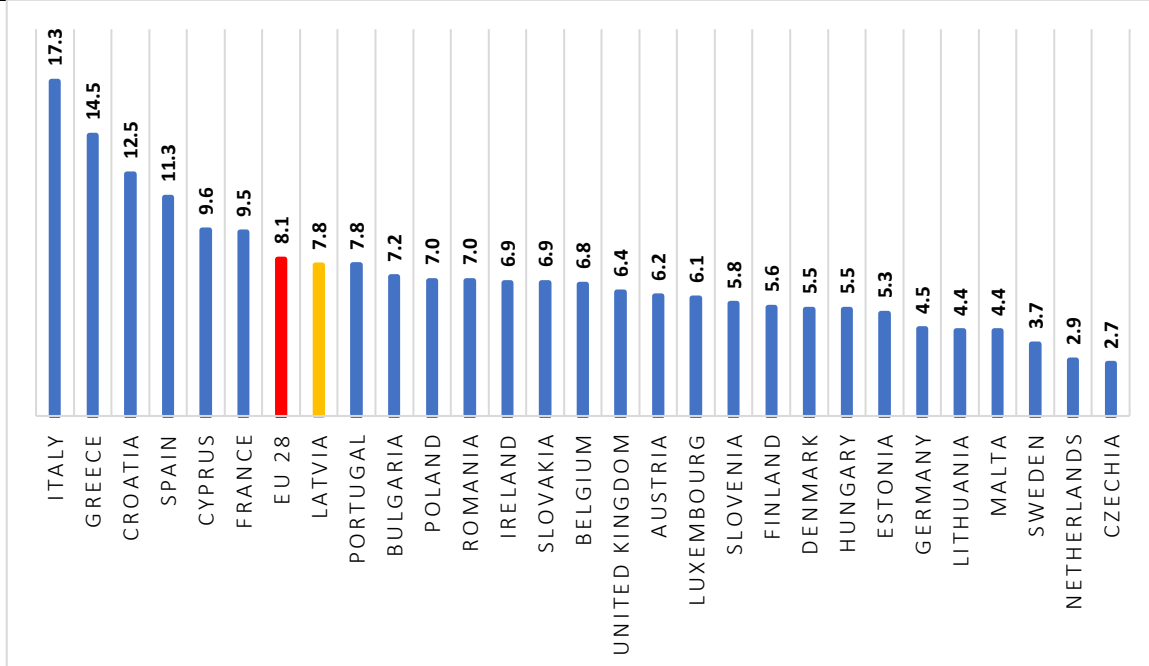
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	7,8	7,8	7,9	7,9	7,9	7,8
Latvia	8,0	8,2	7,4	6,8	6,6	6,1



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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
Latvia	11,5	10,8	10,0	9,7	8,7	7,8

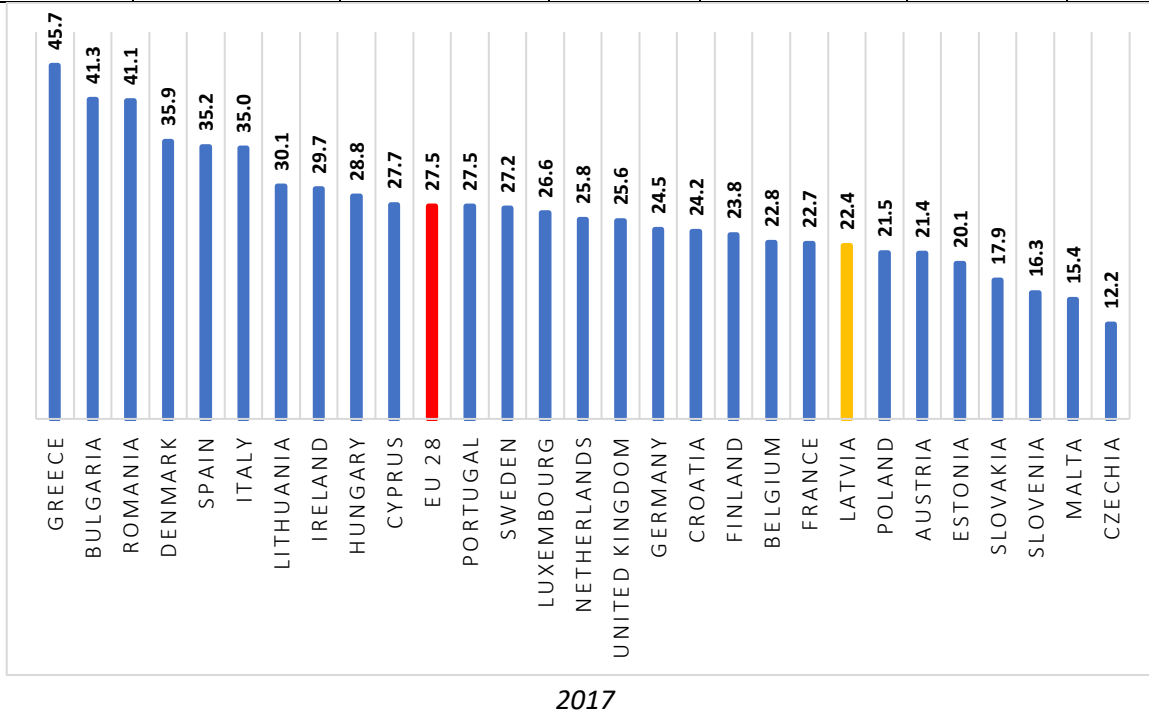


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4. SOCIAL INCLUSION

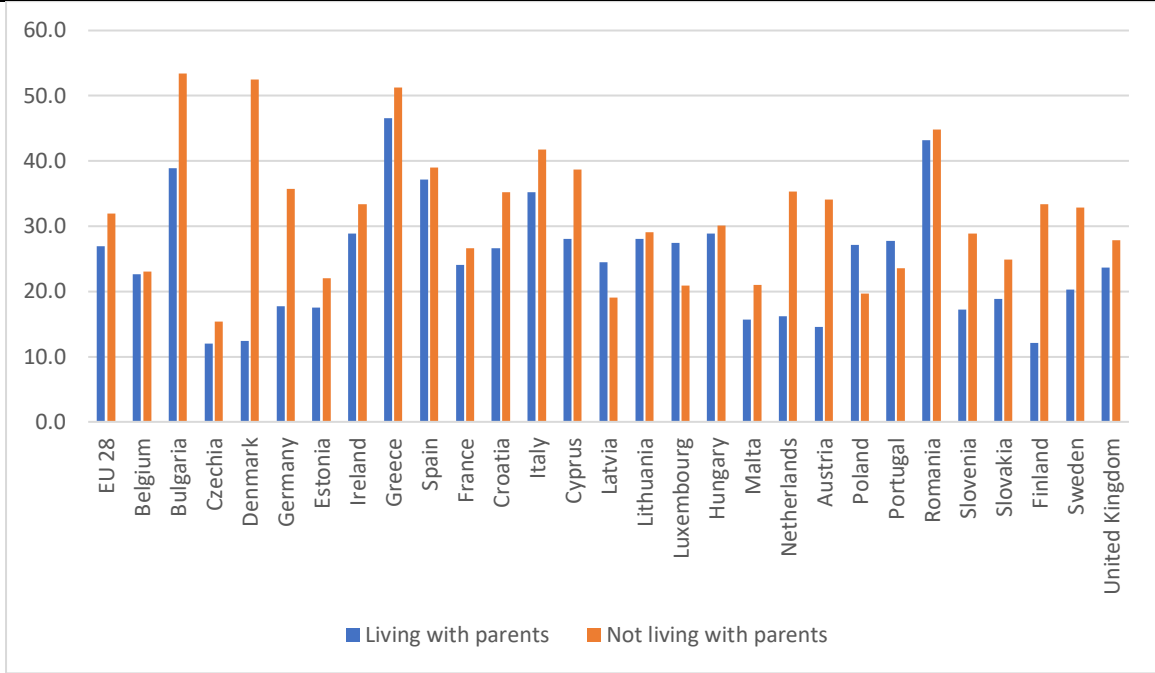
4.1. People at risk of poverty or social exclusion Age: 16 - 29

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	29,6	29,7	29,2	28,9	27,5	:
Latvia	33,8	29,0	27,9	23,1	22,4	22,5



4.2. Young people's at-risk-of-poverty or exclusion rate living with parents						
Age: 16 - 29						
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	27,7	27,8	27,2	26,9	-	-
Latvia	36,4	29,5	29,3	24,5	:	:

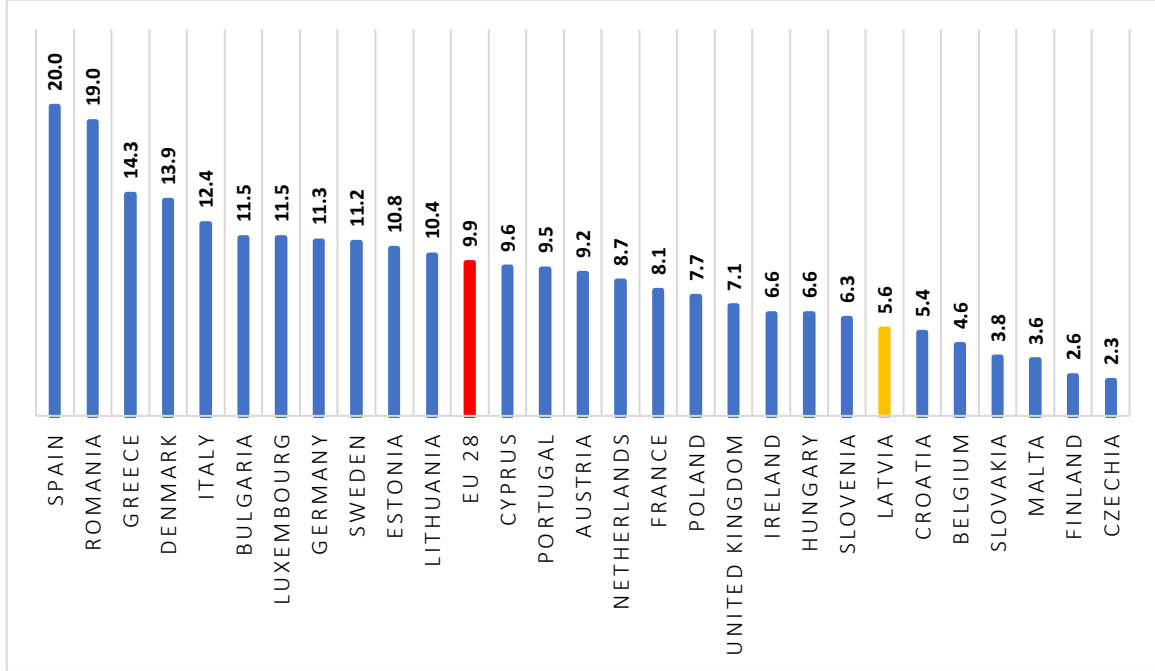
4.3. Young people's at-risk-of-poverty or exclusion rate not living with parents						
Age: 16 - 29						
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	32,0	32,6	31,8	31,9	-	-
Latvia	27,6	26,2	23,2	19,1	:	:



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4.4. In-work at-risk-of-poverty rate
Age: 16 - 29

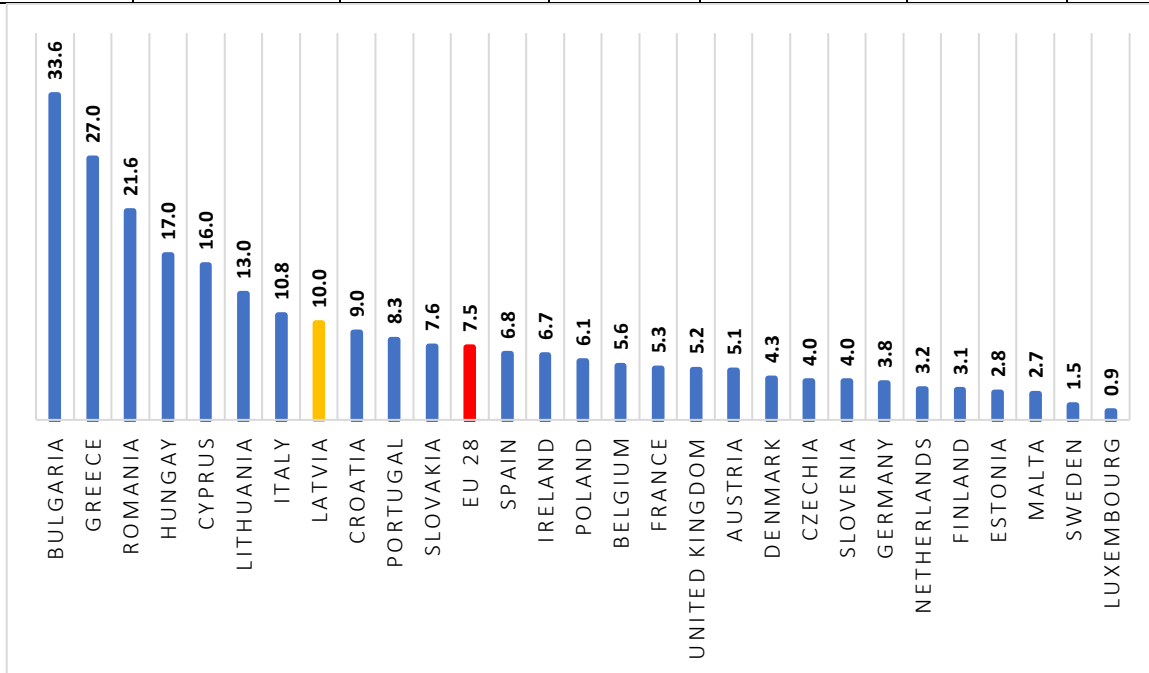
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	9,3(e)	10,5(e)	10,4(e)	10,4(e)	9,9(e)	-
Latvia	7,1	5,1	6,7	6,2	5,6	4,2



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4.5. Severe material deprivation rate
Age: 15- 29

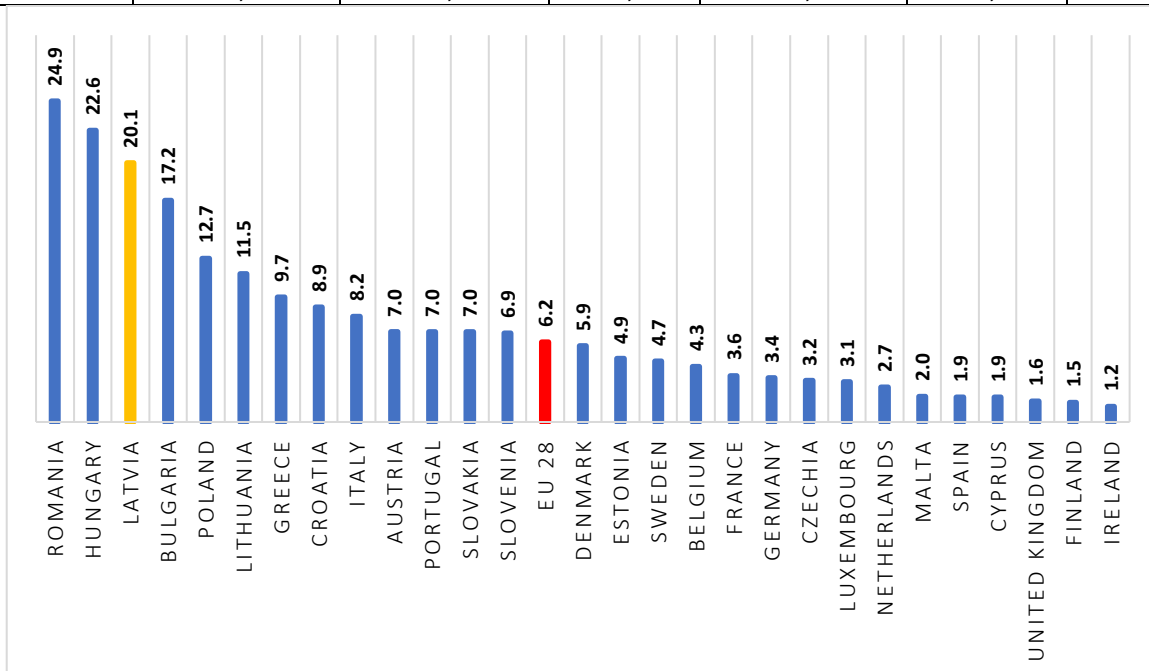
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	11,3	10,5	9,5	8,7	7,5	11,4
Latvia	21,7	17,5	15,4	11,6	10,0	8,1



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4.6. Severe housing deprivation rate
Age: 15 - 29

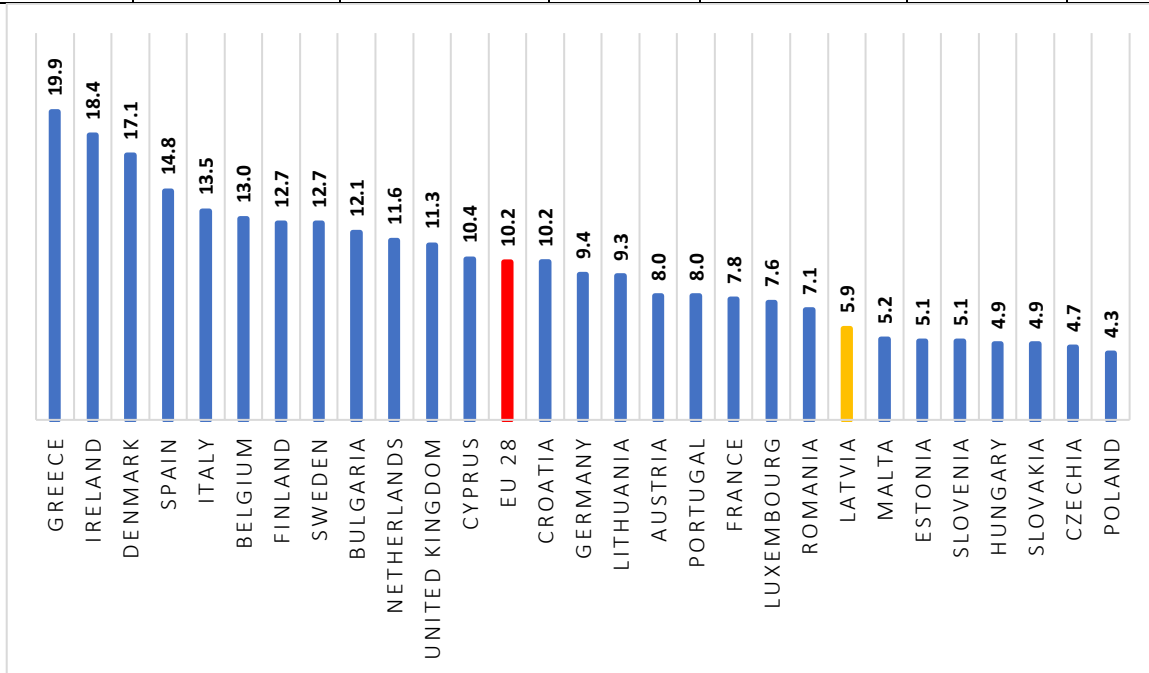
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	7,5	7,7	7,4	7,1	6,2	-
Latvia	22,5	23,1	19,9	18,8	20,1	18,4



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4.7. People living in households with very low work intensity Age: 15 - 29

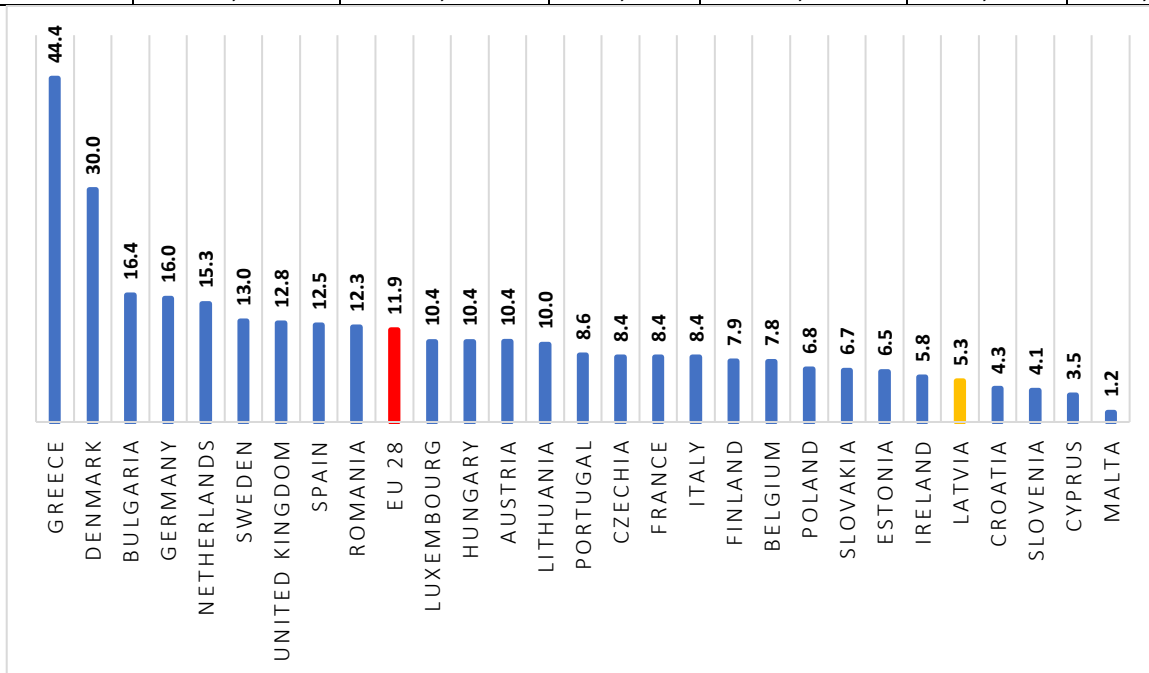
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	11,1	11,7	10,9	11,2	10,2	-
Latvia	7,9	7,4	6,3	5,9	5,9	7,0



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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	:
Latvia	8,9	7,0	5,5	4,5	5,3	5,5



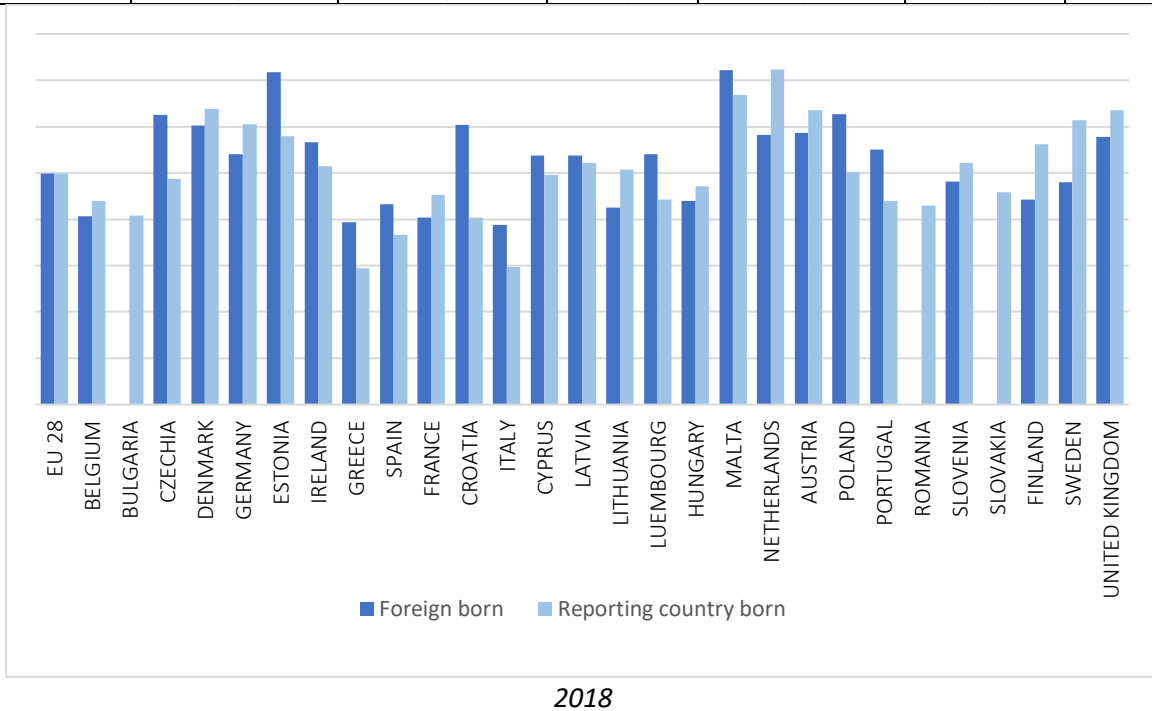
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5. DIFFERENCE BETWEEN YOUNG PEOPLE BORN IN EU-REPORTING COUNTRIES AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES

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
Latvia	46,5	45,7	47,5	64,1	67,8	53,7

Foreign countries						
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	45,8	46,6	46,9	47,6	47,8	49,9
Latvia	47,9	50,3	52,3	51,7	53,2	52,1

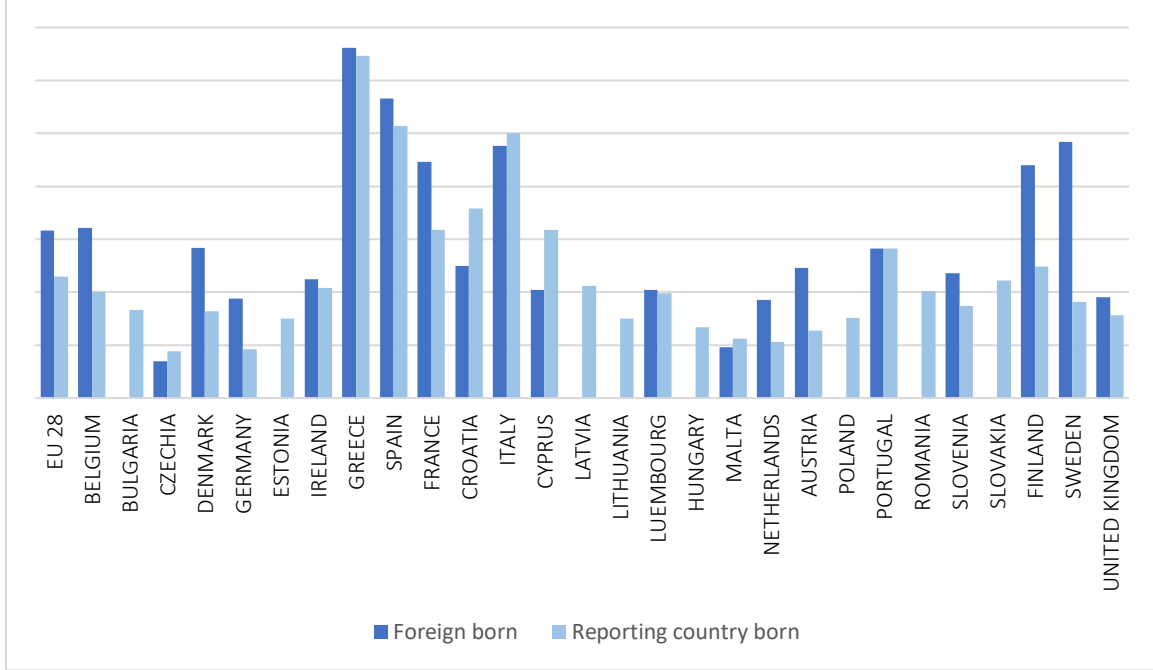


5.2. Youth unemployment rate

Age: 15 – 29

EU Reporting countries

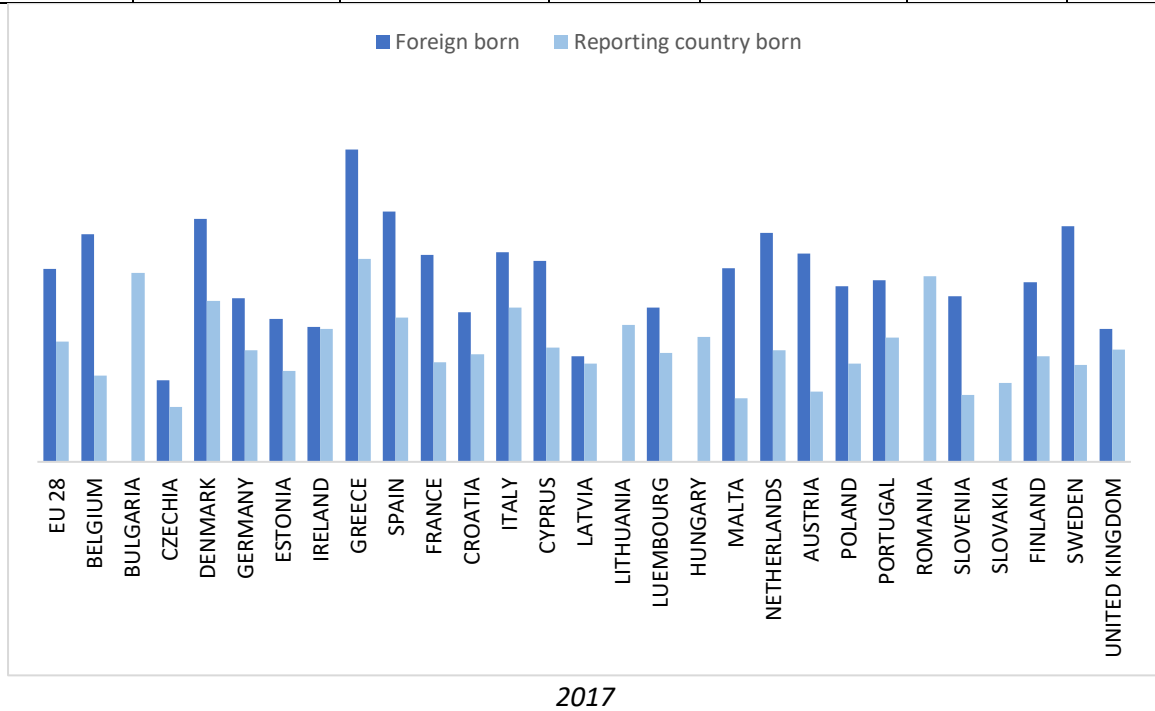
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	18,4	17,3	15,7	14,3	12,7	11,5
Latvia	:	:	28,8	:	:	:
Foreign countries						
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	23,3	21,1	20,0	18,1	17,0	15,8
Latvia	16,5	14,2	12,5	13,3	11,6	10,6



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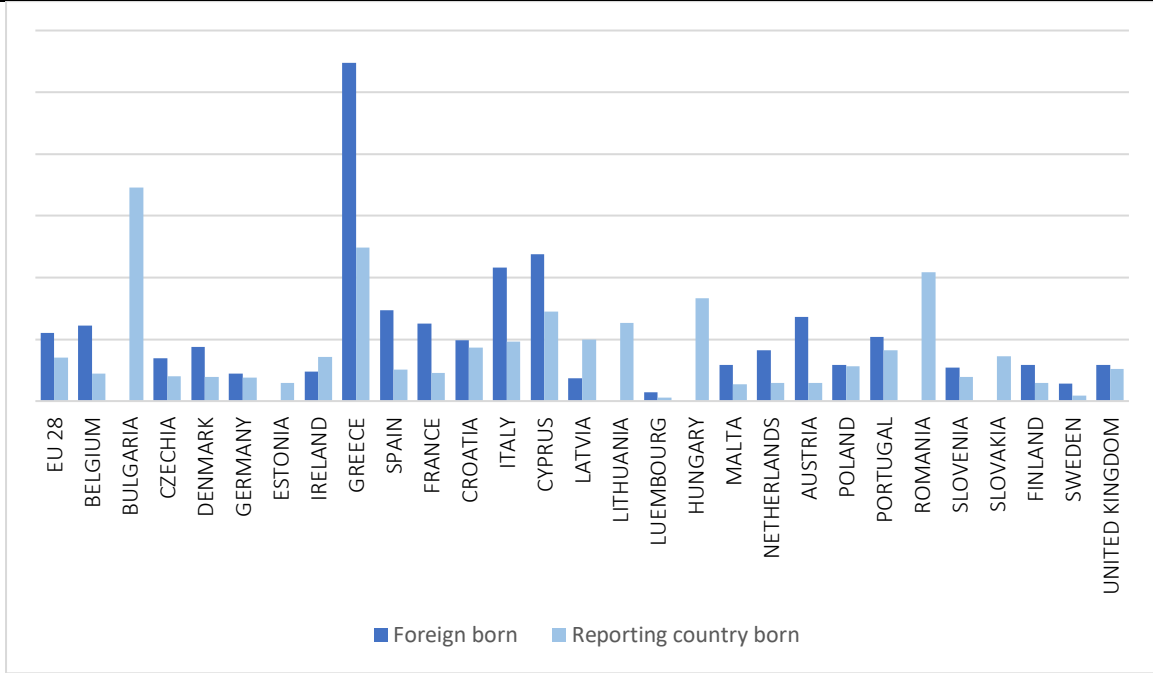
5.3. People at risk of poverty or social exclusion by broad group of country of birth
Age: 16 – 29
EU Reporting countries

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	28,0	28,3	27,5	27,4	26,1	:
Latvia	40,0	:	27,3	28,7	23,0	16,7
Foreign countries						
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	44,2	44,4	45,1	43,2	41,9	:
Latvia	33,2	28,1	27,2	22,4	21,3	22,2



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	:
Latvia	13,9	:	16,7	9,1	3,7	5,0
Foreign countries						
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	15,4	14,3	14,5	12,5	11,0	:
Latvia	21,3	17,3	15,0	11,4	10,0	7,8



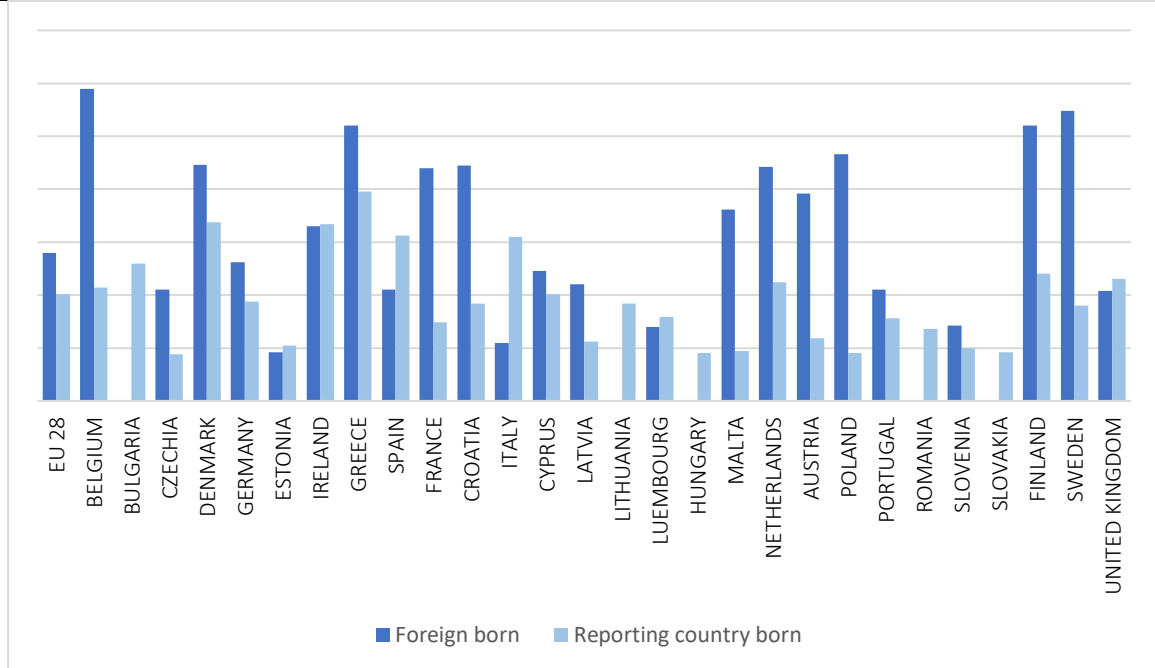
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5.5. People living in households with very low work intensity by broad group of country of birth

Age: 16 - 29

EU Reporting countries

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	10,5	11,2	10,5	10,9	10,1	:
Latvia	18,3	:	11,0	19,8	11,0	10,5
Foreign countries						
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
EU 28	17,4	17,8	15,9	15,2	14,0	:
Latvia	7,5	7,2	6,2	5,5	5,6	6,7

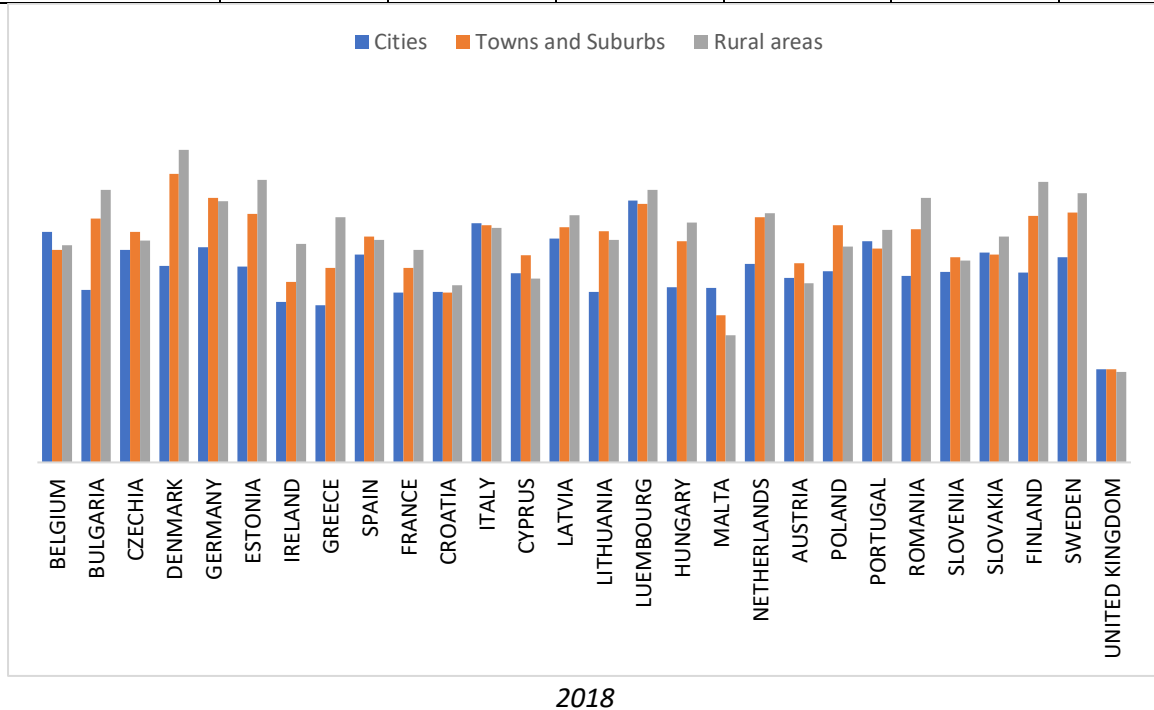


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6. Difference between young people living in CITIES, TOWNS AND SUBURBS AND RURAL AREAS

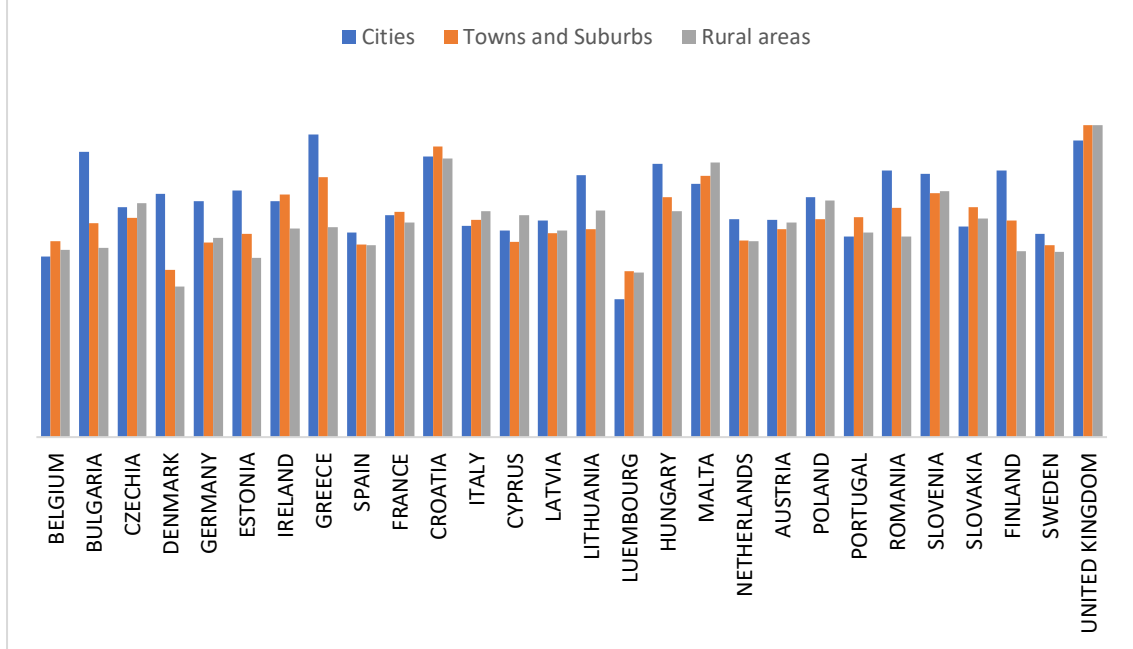
6.1. Population by educational attainment level and degree of urbanisation Less than primary, primary and lower secondary education (levels 0-2) Age: 15 – 24

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	38,5	41,8	42,1	39,9	44,2	48,6
Towns - Suburbs	42,7	41,3	47,2	48,4	51,3	51,1
Rural Areas	50,1	49,7	48,8	52,1	50,4	53,7



**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**

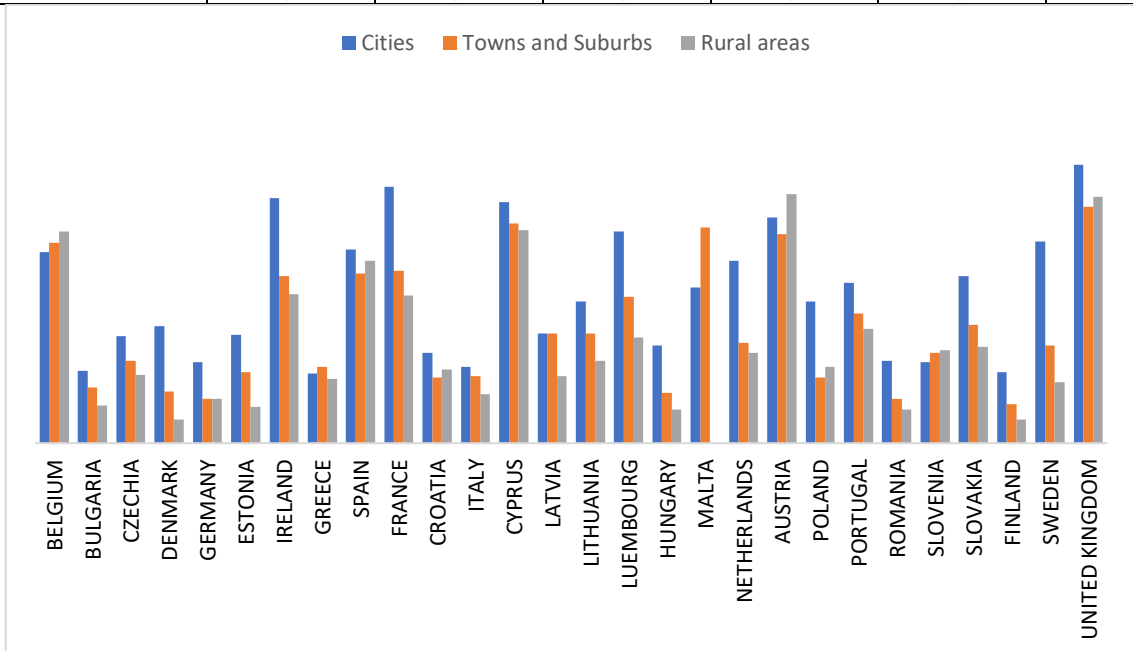
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	50,2	44,9	45,9	51,3	48,0	43,5
Towns - Suburbs	50,6	49,8	44,7	45,4	40,2	41,0
Rural Areas	43,6	43,0	43,0	40,6	43,6	41,5



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

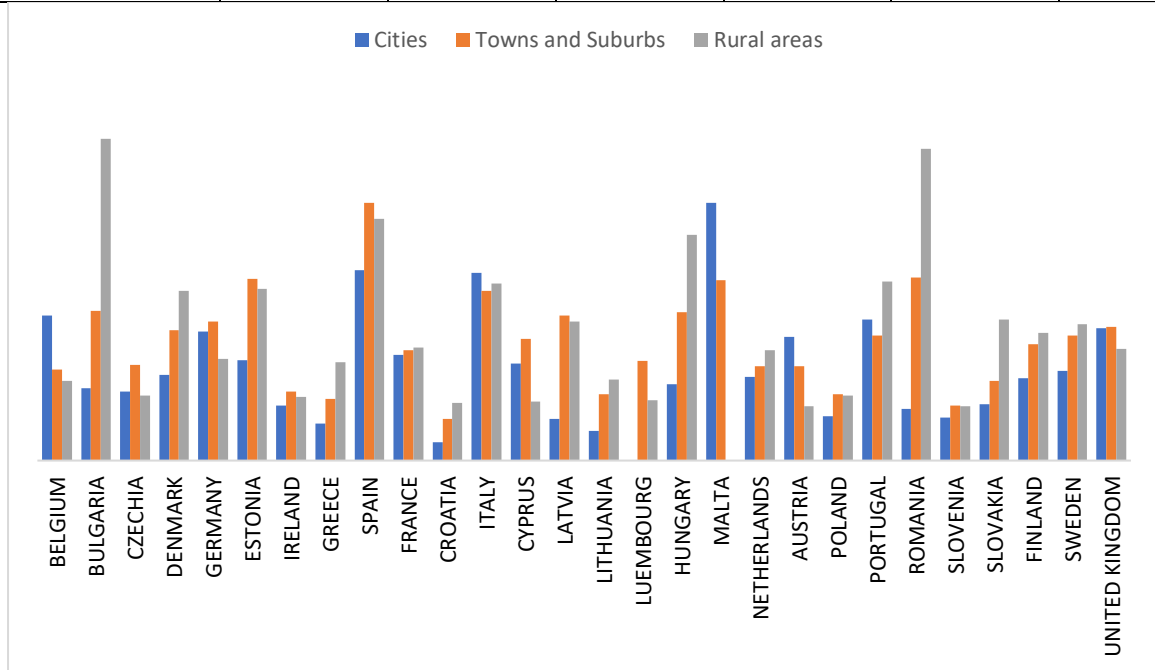
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	11,3	13,2	12,0	8,8	7,8	7,9
Towns - Suburbs	6,7	8,9	8,1	6,1	8,5	7,9
Rural Areas	6,3	7,3	8,2	7,3	6,0	4,8



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

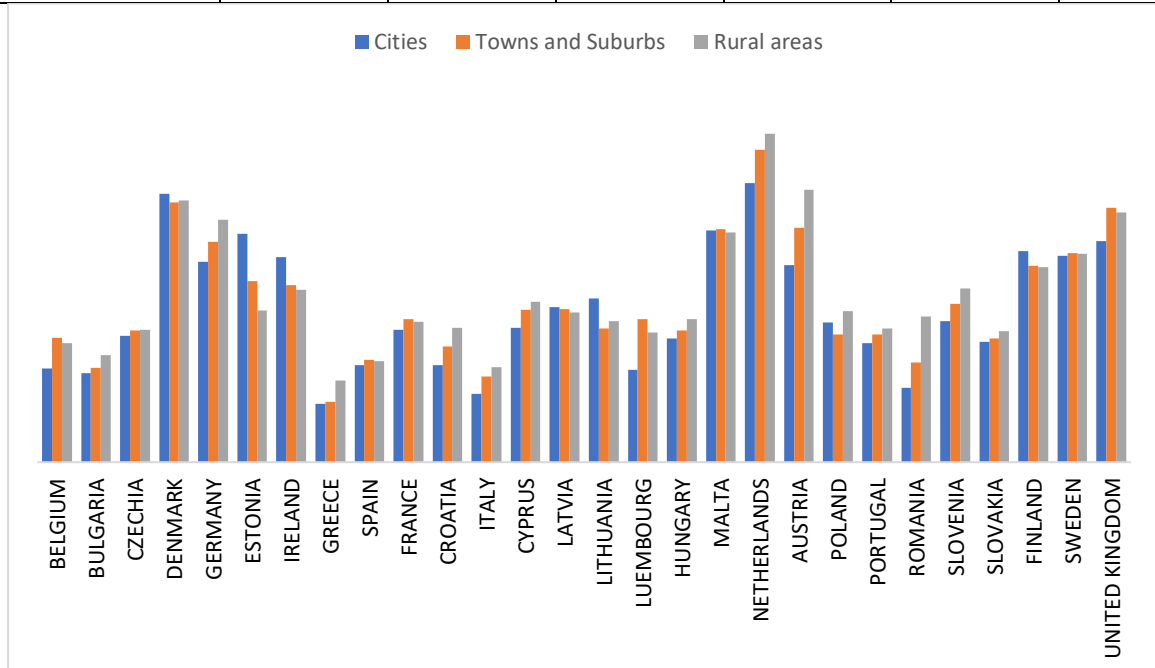
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	6,5	5,3	6,9	5,4	4,8	3,4
Towns - Suburbs	8,4	6,9	11,0	9,5	8,0	11,8
Rural Areas	13,5	12,2	12,1	14,7	12,3	11,3



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

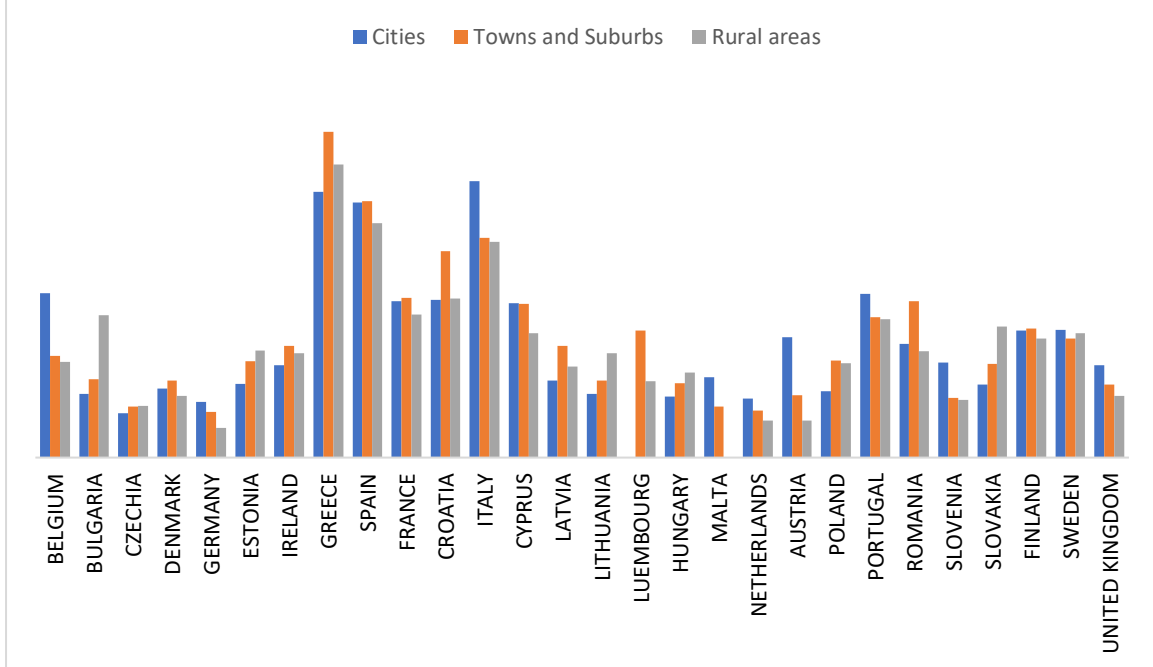
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	35,6	37,4	38,7	36,7	35,2	33,6
Towns - Suburbs	30,5	31,4	33,1	30,8	33,1	33,3
Rural Areas	25,5	28,7	31,6	30,2	30,9	32,5



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

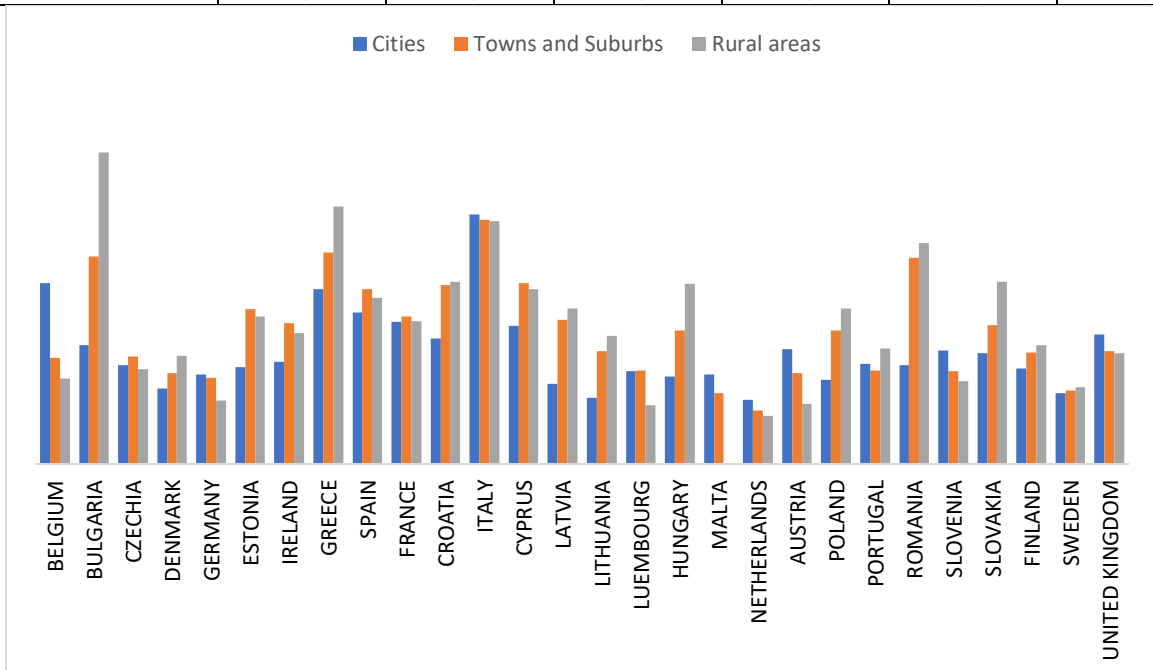
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	19,3	17,4	14,4	12,4	16,4	10,5
Towns - Suburbs	21,6	18,2	13,8	21,9	16,5	15,2
Rural Areas	28,3	22,7	19,6	19,9	17,8	12,4



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

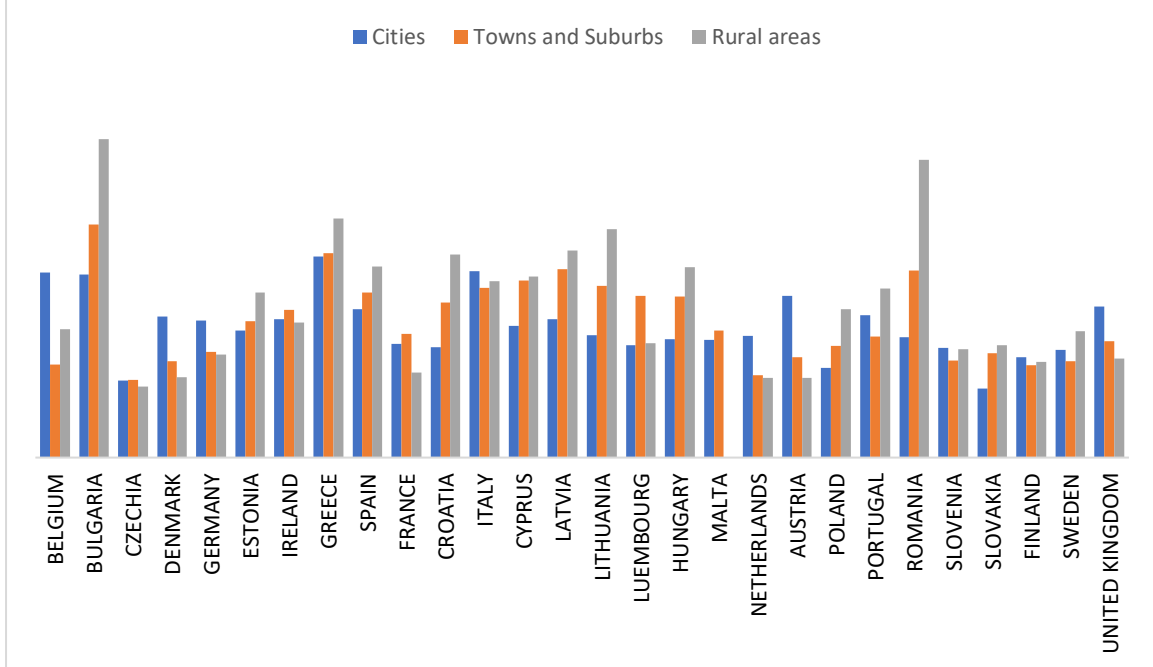
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	12,4	13,5	11,1	9,2	9,6	7,6
Towns - Suburbs	16,2	15,2	16,0	13,5	10,6	13,7
Rural Areas	18,5	17,0	15,4	17,5	16,1	14,8



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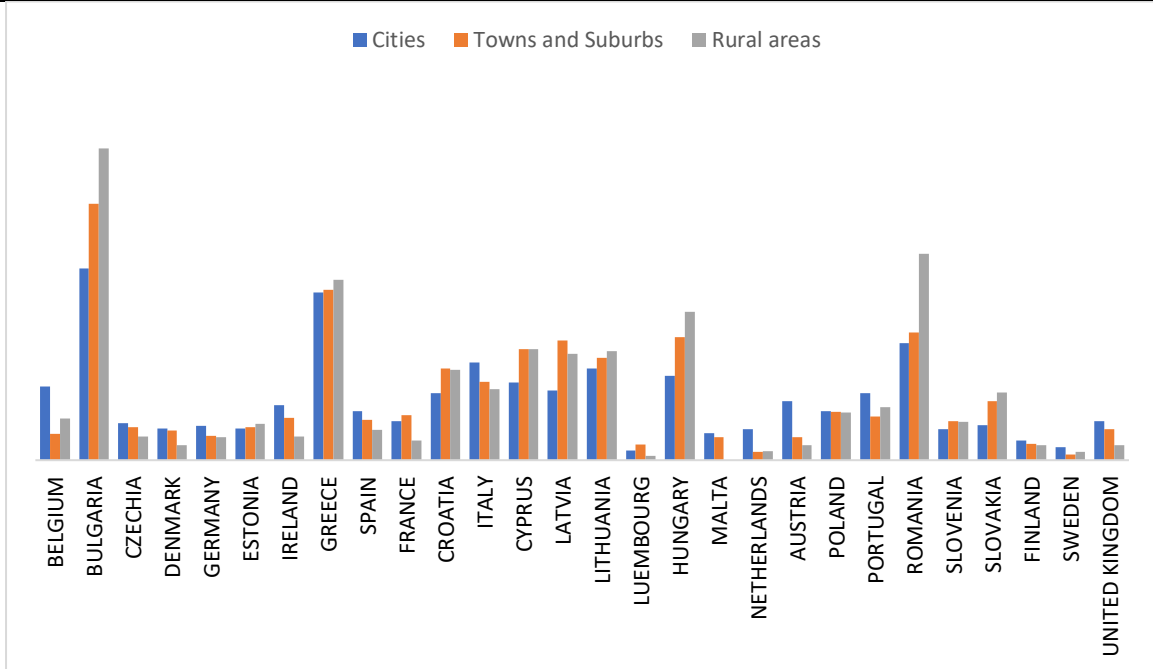
6.8. People at risk of poverty or social exclusion
Overall population (N\A statistics for young population)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	29,6	26,5	25,6	22,1	22,5	24,2
Towns - Suburbs	31,9	31,6	24,8	29,9	30,7	30,2
Rural Areas	40,9	38,6	37,0	35,0	33,7	32,3



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

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cities	21,5	16,2	13,1	9,3	8,5	7,8
Towns - Suburbs	23,7	20,3	17,0	14,5	14,6	10,6
Rural Areas	26,4	21,8	19,4	15,8	13,0	11,0



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
Latvia	12,882	261,033	8,609	265,306
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
Latvia	:	13,2	:	13,6
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
Latvia	:	37,2	:	36,4
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
Latvia	26,4	19,6	:	19,7

* 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.