

Press release

CSO surveys results

General government deficit and debt in 2011

On 28 September 2012, in accordance with the Council Regulation (EC) No 479/2009 of 25 May 2009 on the application of the Protocol on the excessive deficit procedure annexed to the Treaty establishing European Community with amendments, the President of the CSO provided the general government deficit and debt data (EDP notification) to the European Commission (Eurostat).

According to the EDP notification, in 2011 the general government deficit was equal 76 680 mln zł (-5,0 % GDP), while the general government debt amounted to 859 076 mln zł (56,4% GDP).

Data for years 2008-2010 were verified in relation to the previously published due to changes in the coverage of the general government sector¹.

General government deficit and debt in years 2008-2011 (mln zł)

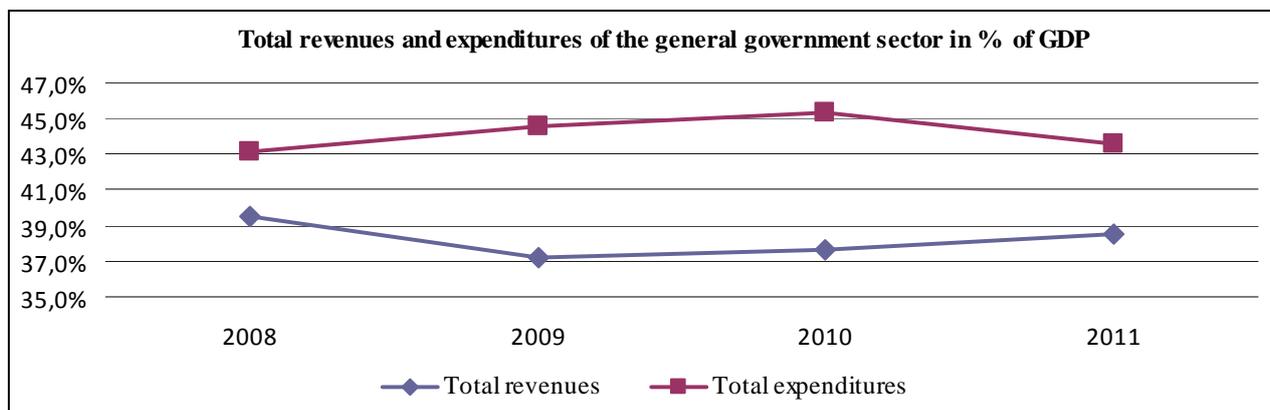
Specification	2008	2009	2010	2011
Gross Domestic Product (GDP)	1 275 508	1 344 505	1 416 585	1 523 245
General government deficit/surplus	-46 950	-99 596	-111 291	-76 680
% GDP	-3,7%	-7,4%	-7,9%	-5,0%
<i>Central government deficit/surplus</i>	-49 831	-73 164	-90 826	-64 599
% GDP	-3,9%	-5,4%	-6,4%	-4,2%
<i>Local government deficit/surplus</i>	-2 364	-14 304	-17 386	-10 733
% GDP	-0,2%	-1,1%	-1,2%	-0,7%
<i>Social security deficit/surplus</i>	5 245	-12 128	-3 079	-1 348
% GDP	0,4%	-0,9%	-0,2%	-0,1%
General government debt	600 845	684 082	776 825	859 076
% GDP	47,1%	50,9%	54,8%	56,4%

¹ Information about changes was published in *The press release: revised estimation of nominal value of gross domestic product for years 2010-2011* dated 28th September 2012. It can be found on the CSO website.

Along with the EDP notification, the CSO sent to the European Commission information about revenues and expenditures of the general government sector divided into transactions, according to the European System of National and Regional Accounts (ESA'95).

Revenues and expenditures of general government sector according to ESA'95 in years 2008-2011 (mln zł)

Specification	2008	2009	2010	2011
Total revenues	504 418	500 242	532 162	587 026
% GDP	39,5%	37,2%	37,6%	38,5%
of which:				
Taxes on production and imports	180 576	172 659	192 347	210 153
Taxes on income, wealth	109 747	100 013	98 293	107 196
Property income	17 546	18 780	15 004	16 957
Social contributions	144 578	152 443	156 981	174 587
Total expenditures	551 403	599 837	643 465	663 757
% GDP	43,2%	44,6%	45,4%	43,6%
of which:				
Intermediate consumption	78 882	76 469	88 311	87 090
Compensation of employees	127 570	138 604	144 340	148 626
Subsidies	7 933	7 158	6 723	6 958
Social benefits	205 583	227 014	241 150	248 158
Gross fixed capital formation	58 587	70 142	79 681	87 333



Information on general government deficit and debt of all EU Member States and description of data sources as well as methods used during the compilation of the EDP notification are available in English version on the Eurostat's website: <http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/portal/page/portal/eurostat/home>.

Description of data sources and methods used for compilation of the EDP notification, prepared according to the European Commission's guidelines in Polish version is available on CSO website: www.stat.gov.pl as well as in methodological study „General Government Statistics” CSO, Warsaw 2010.