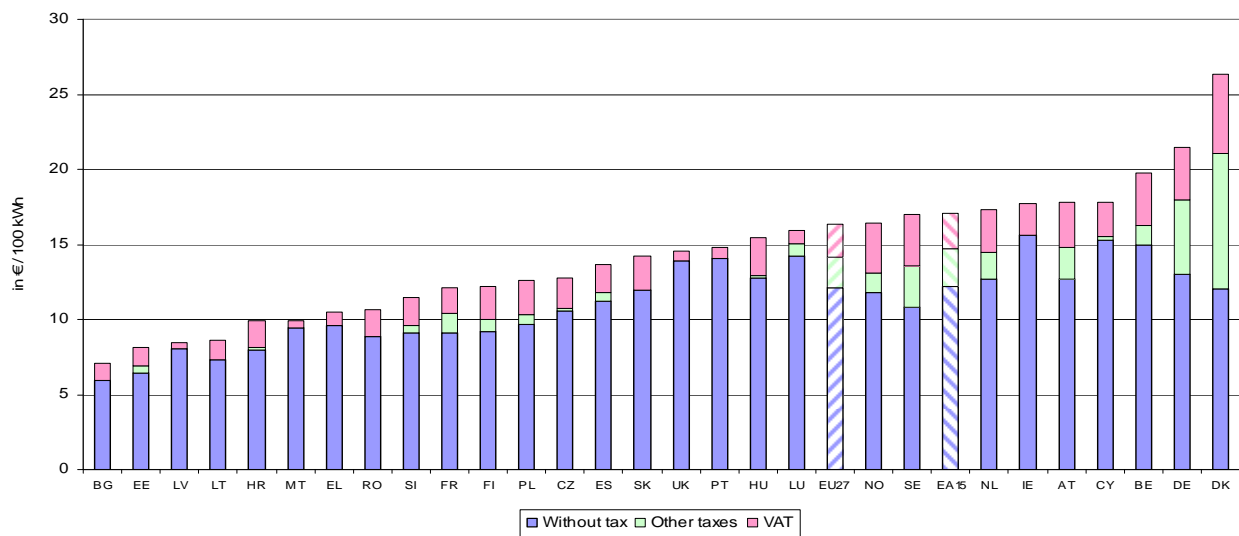


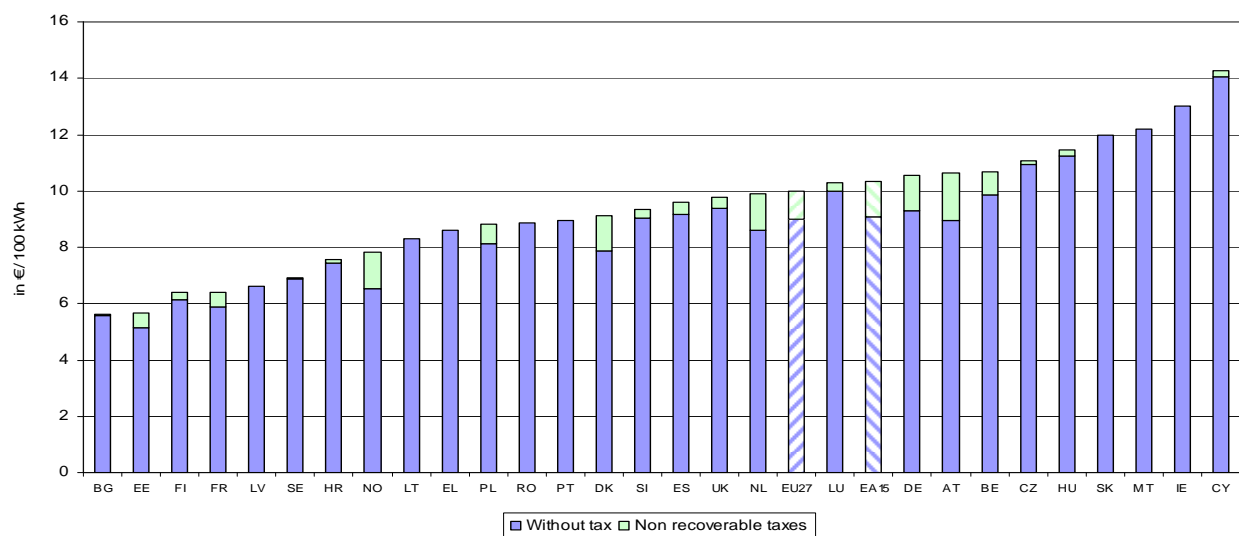
Electricity prices for first semester 2008

Figure 1: Electricity prices for household consumers *



* 'Household consumers' refer to consumer band Dc (annual consumption between 2500 and 5000 kWh)

Figure 2: Electricity prices for industrial consumers **



** 'Industrial consumers' refer to consumer band Ic (annual consumption between 500 and 2000 MWh)

Table 1: Electricity prices for household * and industrial ** consumers (in € per 100 kWh)

	EJ27	EA15	BE	BG	CZ	DK	DE	EE	IE	EL	ES	FR	IT	CY	LV	LT
Households	16.33	17.11	19.72	7.11	12.74	26.35	21.48	8.14	17.69	10.47	13.66	12.13	:	17.80	8.42	8.60
Industry	9.98	10.33	10.69	5.62	11.07	9.13	10.53	5.67	13.02	8.61	9.61	6.41	:	14.27	6.60	8.29

	LU	HU	MT	NL	AT	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	FI	SE	UK	HR	NO
Households	15.91	15.48	9.93	17.30	17.79	12.59	14.80	10.61	11.47	14.21	12.23	16.98	14.58	9.90	16.39
Industry	10.31	11.44	12.21	9.90	10.64	8.81	8.95	8.86	9.32	11.97	6.40	6.93	9.77	7.56	7.84

Table 2: Electricity prices for household * and industrial ** consumers (in national currency per 100 kWh for non-euroarea countries)

	BG	CZ	DK	EE	LV	LT	HU	PL	RO	SK	SE	UK	HR	NO
Households	13.90	321.00	196.47	127.40	5.88	29.70	3928.00	43.94	38.95	458.00	159.20	11.30	72.00	130.30
Industry	11.00	279.00	68.08	88.70	4.61	28.62	2902.00	30.76	32.53	386.00	65.00	7.57	55.00	62.30

Table 3: Share of taxes paid by end-users**Share of taxes for household* consumers :**

	Basic price	Other taxes (excl. V.A.T)	V.A.T	All Taxes
	in € per 100 kWh			in %
UK	13.94	0.00	0.64	4.4
PT	14.10	0.00	0.70	4.7
LV	8.02	0.00	0.40	4.8
MT	9.45	0.00	0.48	4.8
EL	9.57	0.03	0.87	8.6
LU	14.21	0.80	0.90	10.7
IE	15.59	0.00	2.10	11.9
CY	15.28	0.22	2.30	14.2
LT	7.29	0.00	1.31	15.2
SK	11.94	0.00	2.27	16.0
RO	8.85	0.00	1.76	16.6
BG	5.93	0.00	1.18	16.6
CZ	10.60	0.12	2.02	16.8
HU	12.77	0.13	2.58	17.5
ES	11.24	0.58	1.84	17.7
HR	7.98	0.14	1.78	19.4
SI	9.11	0.45	1.91	20.6
EE	6.39	0.52	1.23	21.5
PL	9.65	0.67	2.27	23.4
BE	15.00	1.30	3.42	23.9
FR	9.14	1.25	1.74	24.6
FI	9.15	0.88	2.20	25.2
NL	12.70	1.80	2.80	26.6
NO	11.79	1.32	3.28	28.1
AT	12.71	2.12	2.96	28.6
SE	10.85	2.74	3.39	36.1
DE	12.99	5.01	3.48	39.5
DK	12.03	9.05	5.27	54.3
IT	:	:	:	:

Share of taxes for industrial consumers :**

	Basic price	Non recoverable taxes	Non recoverable taxes
	in € per 100 kWh		in %
LV	6.60	0.00	0.0
LT	8.29	0.00	0.0
EL	8.61	0.00	0.0
RO	8.86	0.00	0.0
SK	11.97	0.00	0.0
MT	12.21	0.00	0.0
IE	13.02	0.00	0.0
PT	8.95	0.00	0.0
SE	6.88	0.05	0.7
BG	5.57	0.05	0.9
CZ	10.95	0.12	1.1
CY	14.05	0.22	1.5
HR	7.43	0.13	1.7
HU	11.24	0.20	1.7
SI	9.04	0.28	3.0
LU	9.99	0.32	3.1
FI	6.14	0.26	4.1
UK	9.37	0.40	4.1
ES	9.15	0.46	4.8
BE	9.88	0.81	7.6
PL	8.14	0.67	7.6
FR	5.90	0.51	8.0
EE	5.14	0.53	9.3
DE	9.29	1.24	11.8
NL	8.60	1.30	13.1
DK	7.85	1.28	14.0
AT	8.97	1.67	15.7
NO	6.52	1.32	16.8
IT	:	:	:

* 'Household consumers' refer to consumer band Dc (annual consumption between 2500 and 5000 kWh) and the prices include all taxes

** 'Industrial consumers' refer to consumer band Ic (annual consumption between 500 and 2000 MWh) and the prices exclude recoverable taxes and V.A.T

Figure 3: Electricity prices in purchasing power standards (PPS) for household * consumers (all taxes included)

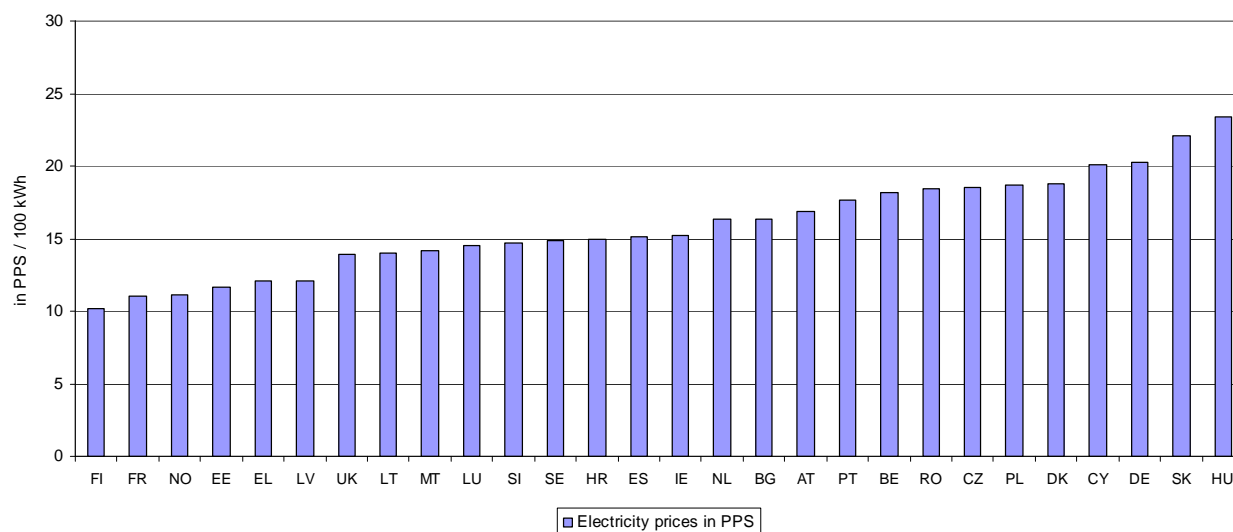


Table 4: Electricity prices in purchasing power standards (PPS) for household * consumers (all taxes included)

	BE	BG	CZ	DK	DE	EE	IE	EL	ES	FR	IT	CY	LV	LT	LU
Households	18.19	16.39	18.48	18.77	20.24	11.61	15.22	12.05	15.12	11.05	:	20.08	12.10	14.02	14.53

	HU	MT	NL	AT	PL	PT	RO	SI	SK	FI	SE	UK	HR	NO
Households	23.43	14.16	16.32	16.90	18.70	17.63	18.41	14.69	22.06	10.16	14.90	13.94	14.96	11.10

* 'Household consumers' refer to consumer band Dc (annual consumption between 2500 and 5000 kWh)

Comments

All price data for the Netherlands are provisional.

No price data for Italy.

EU averages:

EU-27 = weighted average for the following 27 countries: Belgium (BE), Bulgaria (BG), Czech Republic (CZ), Denmark (DK), Germany (DE), Estonia (EE), Ireland (IE), Greece (EL), Spain (ES), France (FR), Italy (IT), Cyprus (CY), Latvia (LV), Lithuania (LT), Luxembourg (LU), Hungary (HU), Malta (MT), Netherlands (NL), Austria (AT), Poland (PL), Portugal (PT), Romania (RO), Slovenia (SI), Slovakia (SK), Finland (FI), Sweden (SE) and the United Kingdom (UK);

EA-15 = weighted average for EuroArea countries: Belgium, Germany, Ireland, Greece, Spain, France, Italy, Cyprus, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Austria, Portugal, Slovenia and Finland.

Exchange rates:

Prices for the standard consumers are given in national currencies, PPS (Purchasing Power Standard, annual estimated value) and in euro (average exchange rate first semester 2008).

Methodology

A new methodology for the collection of electricity prices

The legal basis for the collection of industrial gas and electricity prices is defined by Council Directive 90/377/EEC. The collection of prices for household consumers is done on a voluntary agreement with the Member States.

Due to the liberalisation of the electricity market, the methodology that defines the collection of the electricity prices became outdated.

In June 2007, the Commission adopted a new methodology for these price collections.

The main changes that were introduced for the collection of price information for the second semester of 2007 include:

- Prices are to be reported as national figures.
- Prices are to be reported as an average of the last 6 months.
- Typical standard consumers are replaced by consumption bands.

Annual consumption (MWh)		
Industrial end-users	Lowest	Highest
Band Ia		< 20
Band Ib	20	< 500
Band Ic	500	< 2 000
Band Id	2 000	< 20 000
Band Ie	20 000	< 70 000
Band If	70 000	<= 150 000

Annual consumption (kWh)		
Household end-users	Lowest	Highest
Band Da		< 1 000
Band Db	1 000	< 2 500
Band Dc	2 500	< 5 000
Band Dd	5 000	< 15 000
Band De		>= 15 000

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