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Proposed Contribution Key for 2009-2012

Introduction

The contribution key adopted in 2005 provided for 3 basic parameters being used, namely the population, the number of medical specialists and the gross domestic product per habitant in each country.

A repartition of 25/50/25 was then applied to the ratio of each country in each of these values. All results below 1% were also brought up to this threshold as a minimum contribution. As agreed in 2005, these figures were subject to a revision on a 3-year basis.

Updated figures were obtained from the following sources:

- Population: UN or national official databases (2007 – 2008)
- Specialists: EFMA Handbook (April 2008)
- GDP/habitant: World Economic Outlook Database, International Monetary Fund (April 2008)

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The new Key for 2009-2012

Step 1 – Updated data

Countries	Pop	%	# spec	%	GDP/hab	%
Austria	8,34	1,6%	18,45	1,9%	45,18	4,2%
Belgium	10,58	2,1%	24,40	2,5%	42,56	3,9%
Bulgaria	7,64	1,5%	22,00	2,2%	5,19	0,5%
Cyprus	0,86	0,2%	1,92	0,2%	27,33	2,5%
Czech Rep	10,40	2,0%	15,50	1,6%	17,07	1,6%
Denmark	5,49	1,1%	13,22	1,3%	57,26	5,3%
Estonia	1,34	0,3%	3,00	0,3%	15,85	1,5%
Finland	5,32	1,0%	14,08	1,4%	46,60	4,3%
France	64,47	12,6%	95,00	9,6%	41,51	3,8%
Germany	82,19	16,1%	230,18	23,2%	40,42	3,7%
Greece	11,15	2,2%	34,27	3,5%	28,27	2,6%
Hungary	10,04	2,0%	23,30	2,4%	13,76	1,3%
Iceland	0,32	0,1%	1,05	0,1%	63,83	5,9%
Ireland	4,42	0,9%	3,53	0,4%	59,92	5,6%
Italy	59,62	11,7%	173,00	17,5%	35,87	3,3%
Latvia	2,27	0,4%	10,05	1,0%	11,99	1,1%
Lithuania	3,36	0,7%	10,00	1,0%	11,35	1,1%
Luxembourg	0,48	0,1%	0,94	0,1%	104,67	9,7%
Malta	0,41	0,1%	0,35	0,0%	18,09	1,7%
Netherlands	16,45	3,2%	15,84	1,6%	46,26	4,3%
Norway	4,78	0,9%	12,13	1,2%	83,92	7,8%
Poland	38,12	7,5%	79,00	8,0%	11,69	1,1%
Portugal	10,62	2,1%	27,66	2,8%	21,02	1,9%
Romania	21,44	4,2%	27,50	2,8%	7,70	0,7%
Slovakia	5,40	1,1%	16,29	1,6%	13,86	1,3%
Slovenia	2,03	0,4%	3,08	0,3%	22,93	2,1%
Spain	46,06	9,0%	43,90	4,4%	32,07	3,0%
Sweden	9,22	1,8%	19,60	2,0%	49,66	4,6%
Switzerland	7,64	1,5%	15,98	1,6%	58,08	5,4%
UK	60,98	11,9%	35,15	3,5%	45,58	4,2%
TOTAL	511,43		990,38		1079,49	

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Step 2 – 25/50/25 on the ratio's

A repartition is applied on the ratio's:

- 1- 25% for population;
- 2- 50% for the number of specialists;
- 3- 25% for the GDP per habitant.

All results below 1% were brought up to this threshold as a minimum contribution.

Countries	25/50/25	NEW	OLD	Diff	Diff%
Austria	2,4	2,3	2,5	-0,2	-6%
Belgium	2,7	2,7	3,1	-0,4	-13%
Bulgaria	1,6	1,6	-	-	-
Cyprus	0,8	1,0	1,0	0,0	0%
Czech Rep	1,7	1,7	3,0	-1,3	-45%
Denmark	2,3	2,2	2,2	0,0	1%
Estonia	0,6	1,0	1,0	0,0	0%
Finland	2,1	2,0	2,2	-0,2	-8%
France	8,9	8,8	9,5	-0,7	-8%
Germany	16,6	16,3	16,5	-0,2	-1%
Greece	2,9	2,9	2,2	0,7	31%
Hungary	2,0	2,0	1,9	0,1	3%
Iceland	1,5	1,5	1,4	0,1	9%
Ireland	1,8	1,8	1,7	0,1	3%
Italy	12,5	12,3	14,5	-2,2	-15%
Latvia	0,9	1,0	1,0	0,0	0%
Lithuania	0,9	1,0	-	-	-
Luxembourg	2,5	2,5	2,3	0,2	7%
Malta	0,5	1,0	1,0	0,0	0%
Netherlands	2,7	2,6	2,9	-0,3	-9%
Norway	2,8	2,7	2,5	0,2	10%
Poland	6,1	6,0	6,4	-0,4	-6%
Portugal	2,4	2,4	1,8	0,6	31%
Romania	2,6	2,6	-	-	-
Slovakia	1,4	1,4	1,2	0,2	15%
Slovenia	0,8	1,0	1,0	0,0	0%
Spain	5,2	5,1	5,6	-0,5	-8%
Sweden	2,6	2,5	3,1	-0,6	-18%
Switzerland	2,5	2,5	2,3	0,2	8%
UK	5,8	5,7	6,2	-0,5	-8%
TOTAL	100,0	100,0	100,0		

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