

The Economy of Bulgaria

according to official data to June 2022

Economic Indicators	Measure	I quarter 2021	I quarter 2022	Amendment to previous period (%)
Gross Domestic Product (NSI)	mill. levs current prices	27 015	32 807	5.0*
Gross Value Added by sectors (NSI)	mill. levs current prices	23 128	28 484	4.2*
Labour productivity (Gross Value Added per employed, NSI)	levs current prices	6 403	7 820	2.1*
		January - April 2021	January - April 2022	
Export FOB (NSI)	mill. levs	21 551	28 781	33,6
Import CIF (NSI)	mill. levs	23 255	32 679	40,5
Trade balance (NSI)	mill. levs	-1 705	-3 897	
		January - May 2021	January - May 2022	
Revenue and grants (Report of Consolidated Fiscal Programm, MF)	mill. levs	20 476	22 849	11,6
Expenditure (Report of Consolidated Fiscal Programm, MF)	mill. levs	19 933	21 572	8,2
BG contribution to the EU budget (Report of Consolidated Fiscal Programm, MF)	mill. levs	683	672	-1,6
Budget balance - deficit(-)/surplus(+) (Report of Consolidated Fiscal Programm, MF)	mill. levs	-141	605	
		I quarter 2021	I quarter 2022	
Quantity of Direct Foreign Investment (BNB)	mill. EUR	49 142	51 298	4,4
		I quarter 2021	I quarter 2022	
Loans (companies and households BNB)	thousands levs	66 691 259	73 828 740	10,7
Deposits (companies and households BNB)	thousands levs	95 669 764	105 062 201	9,8
		I quarter 2021	I quarter 2022	
Average salary (NSI)	levs	1 462	1 593	1,1
Unemployment rate (NSI)	%	6,3	4,9	- 1.4 п.п.
Unemployment (NSI)	thousand	204	159	-45
		January - May 2021	January - May 2022	
Consumer Price Index (previous month=100, NSI)	%	0,1	1,2	1,1