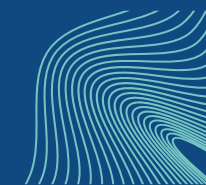




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Finnish central government borrowing

February 2021



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AA+

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Credit ratings

The government has solicited credit ratings from two credit rating agencies: S&P Global Ratings and Fitch Ratings.

For long-term debt, they are

AA+ and AA+

(stable, stable)



1 Finnish economy

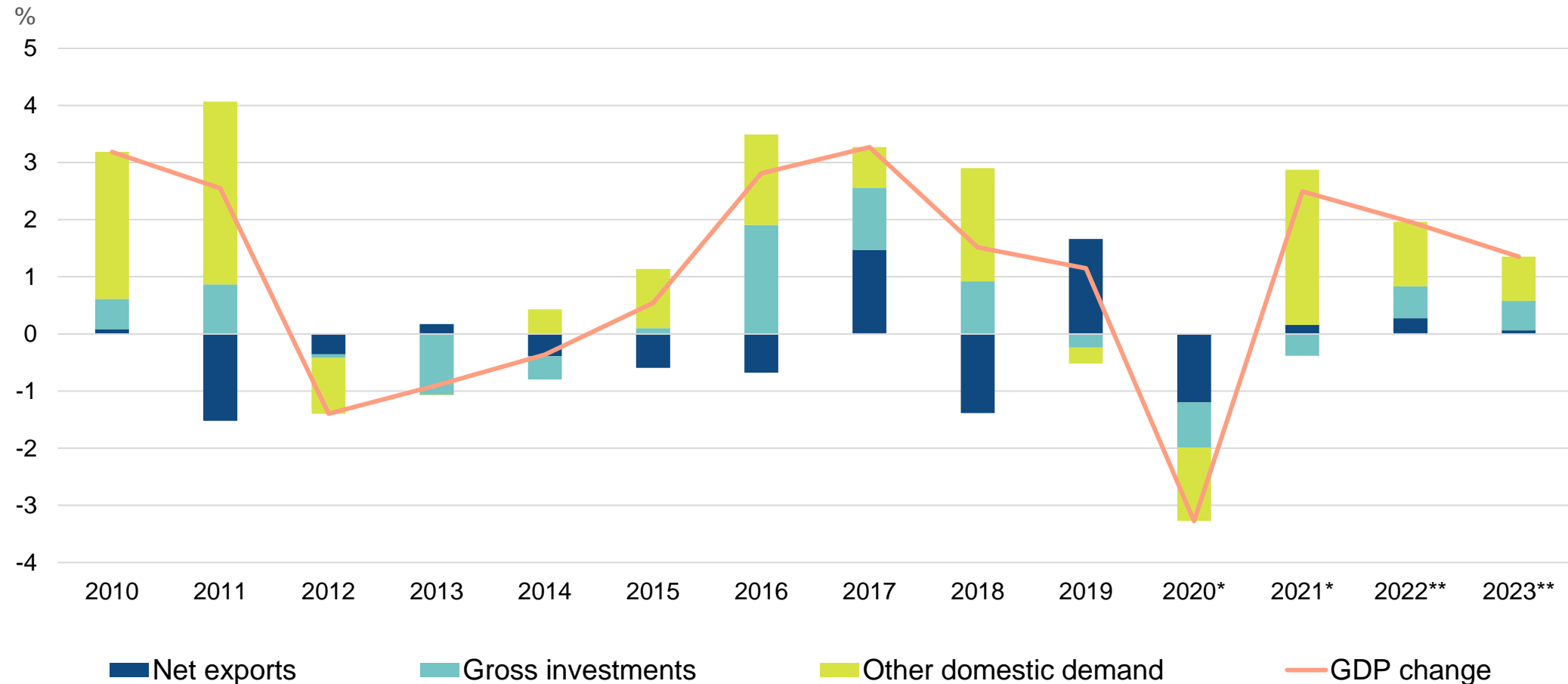
Economic recovery foreseen in Finland in 2021

- Goods picking up faster than services both in consumption and exports
- Overall uncertainty hampering investment growth
- The employment rate will stand at 72.8% in 2023
- Strong measures to stimulate production and demand have been initiated and are planned in the EU

	2020	2021	2022	2023
GDP change %	-3.3	2.5	2.0	1.4
Inflation, %	0.3	1.0	1.4	1.6
Current account, %/GDP	-1.0	-1.0	-0.7	-0.7
Private investment change, %	-6.0	-2.0	3.8	3.7
Exports change %	-10.4	5.0	4.6	2.2
Unemployment rate, %	7.8	8.0	7.6	7.2
Public deficit, %/GDP	-6.1	-4.9	-2.8	-2.4
Public debt, %/GDP	69.0	71.4	72.5	73.6

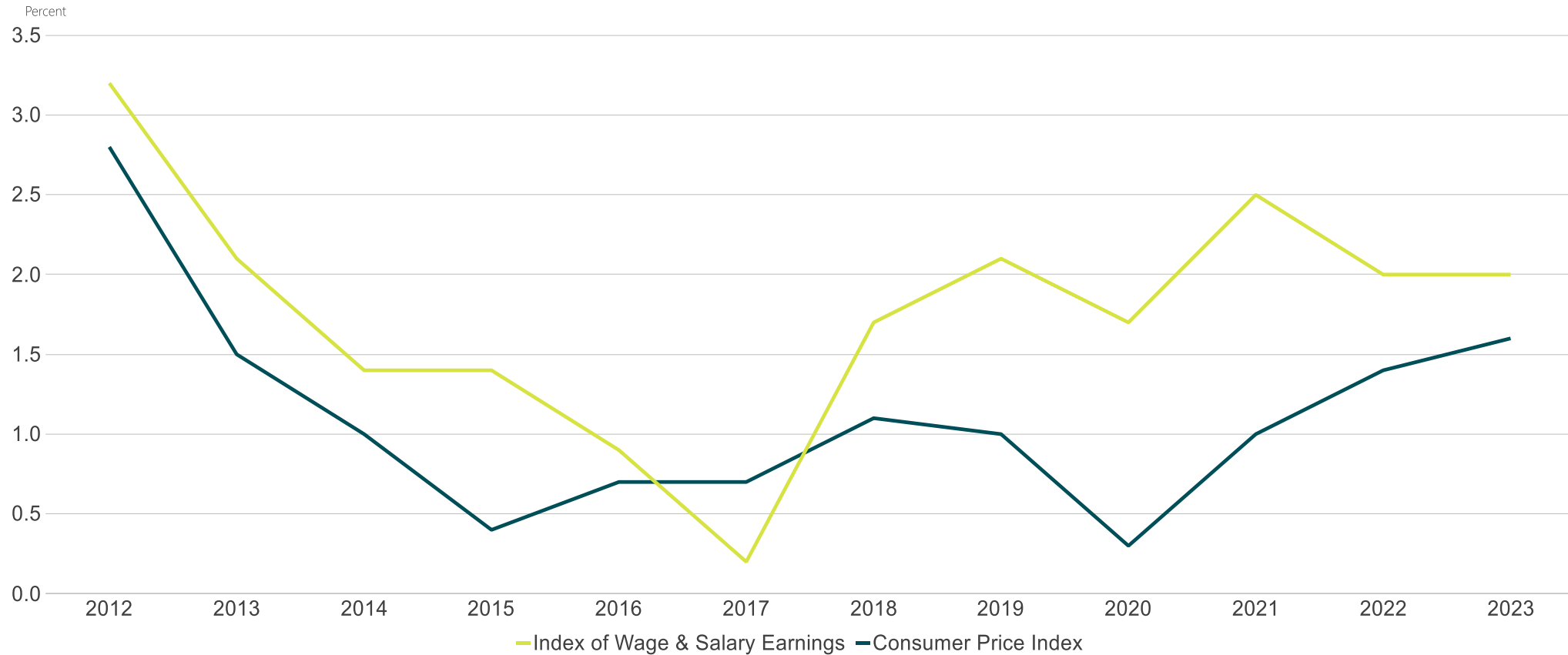
Source: Ministry of Finance, Winter 2020

Exports recovering but contribution to growth remains moderate



Inflation will accelerate only slightly in 2021

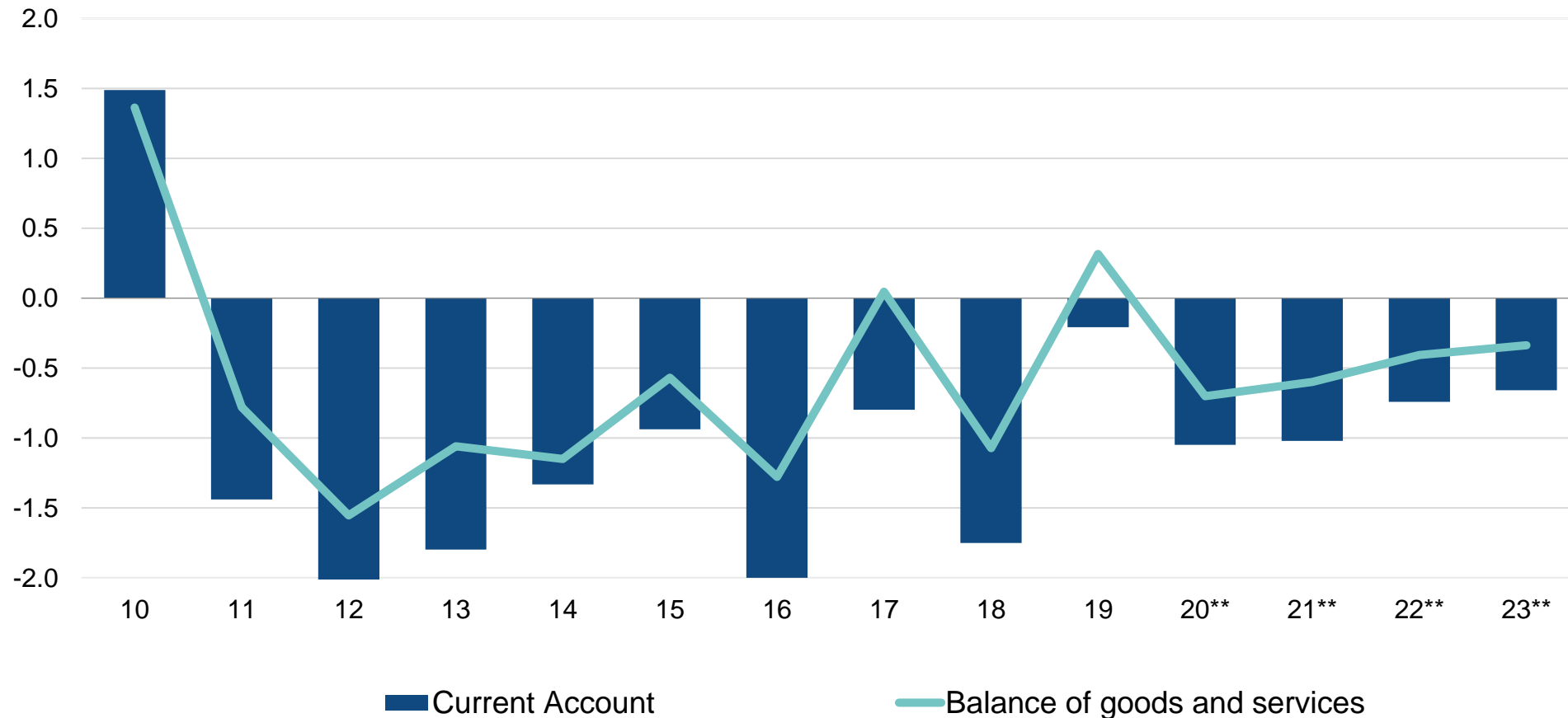
change from previous year, %



Source: Macrobond

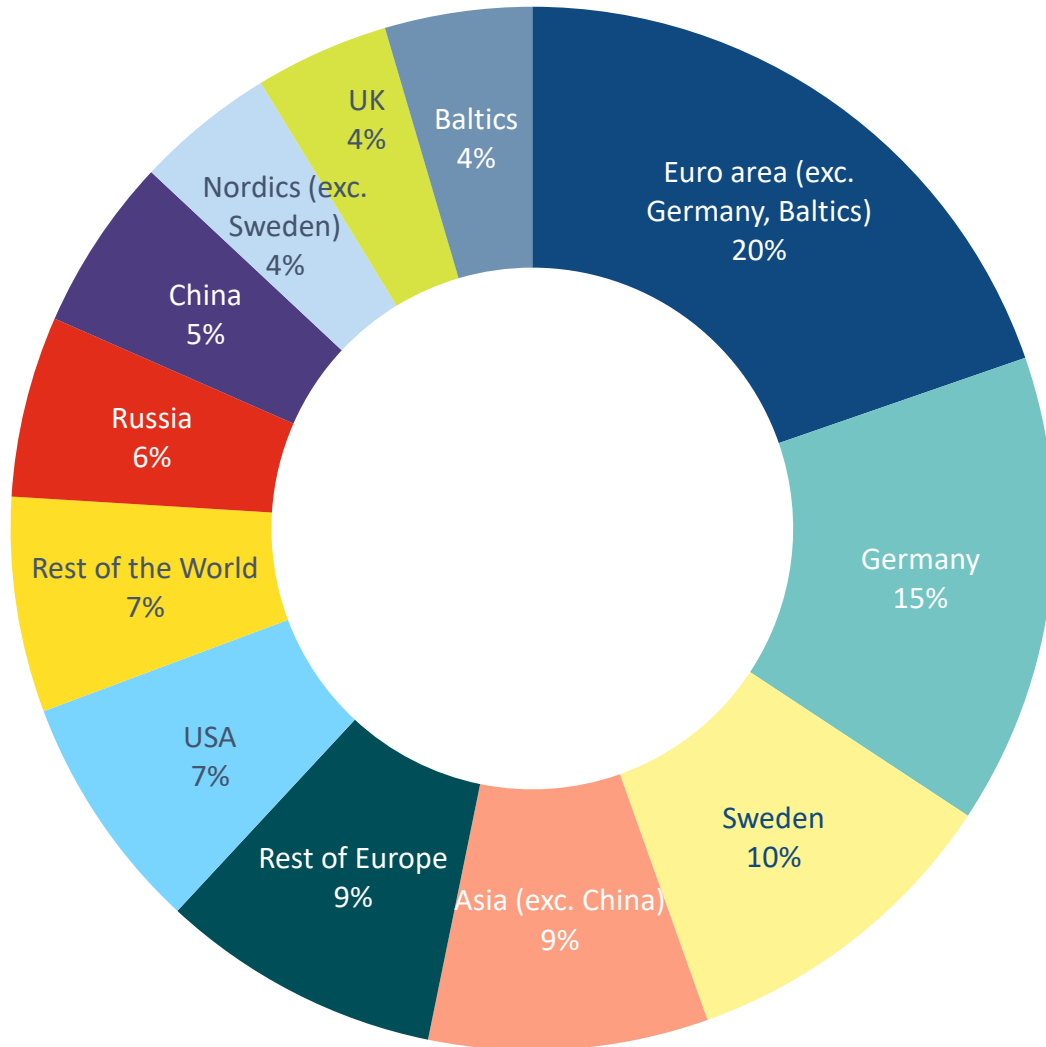
Current account deficit to shrink during the outlook period

% of GDP

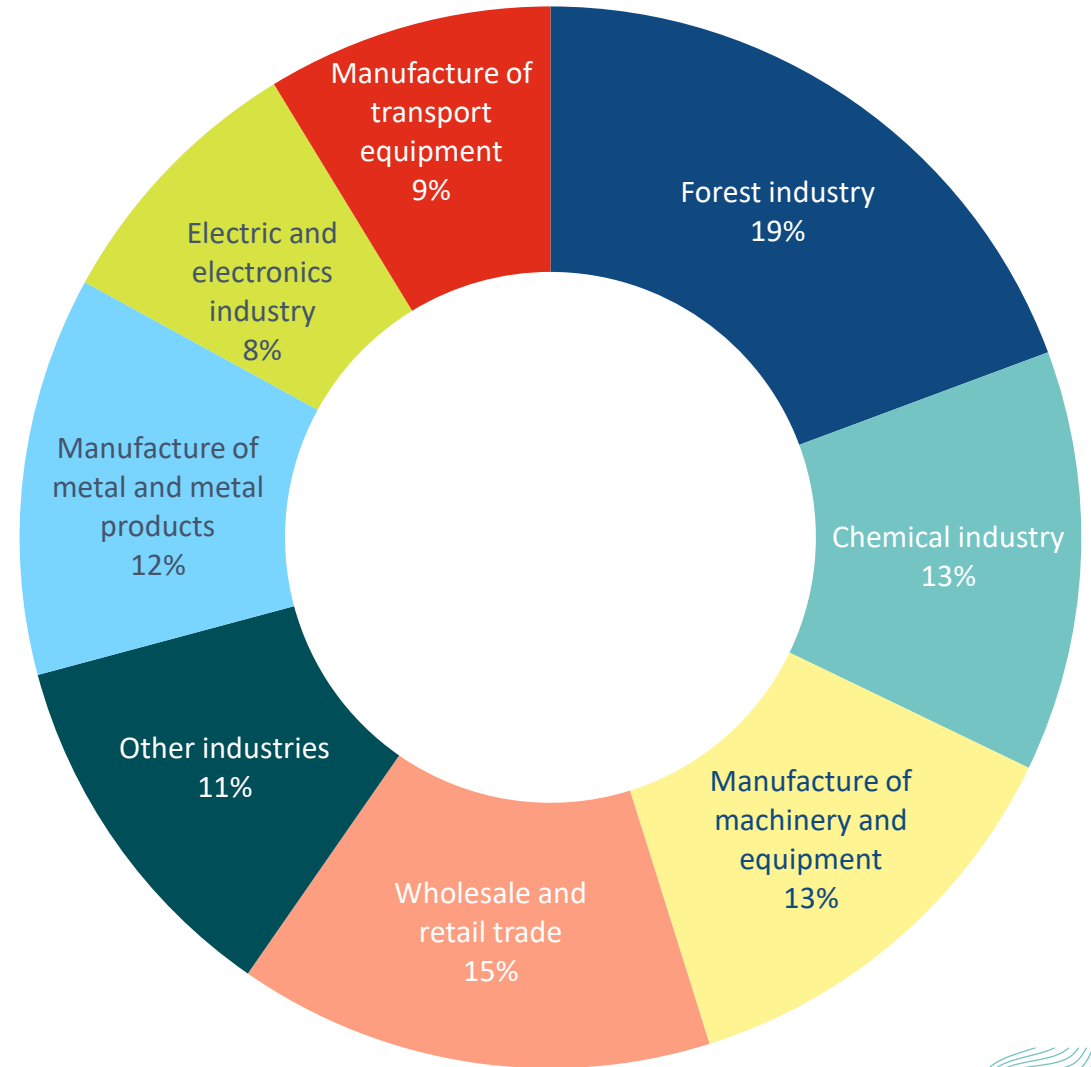


Exports of goods well diversified

Exports by countries of destination in 2019

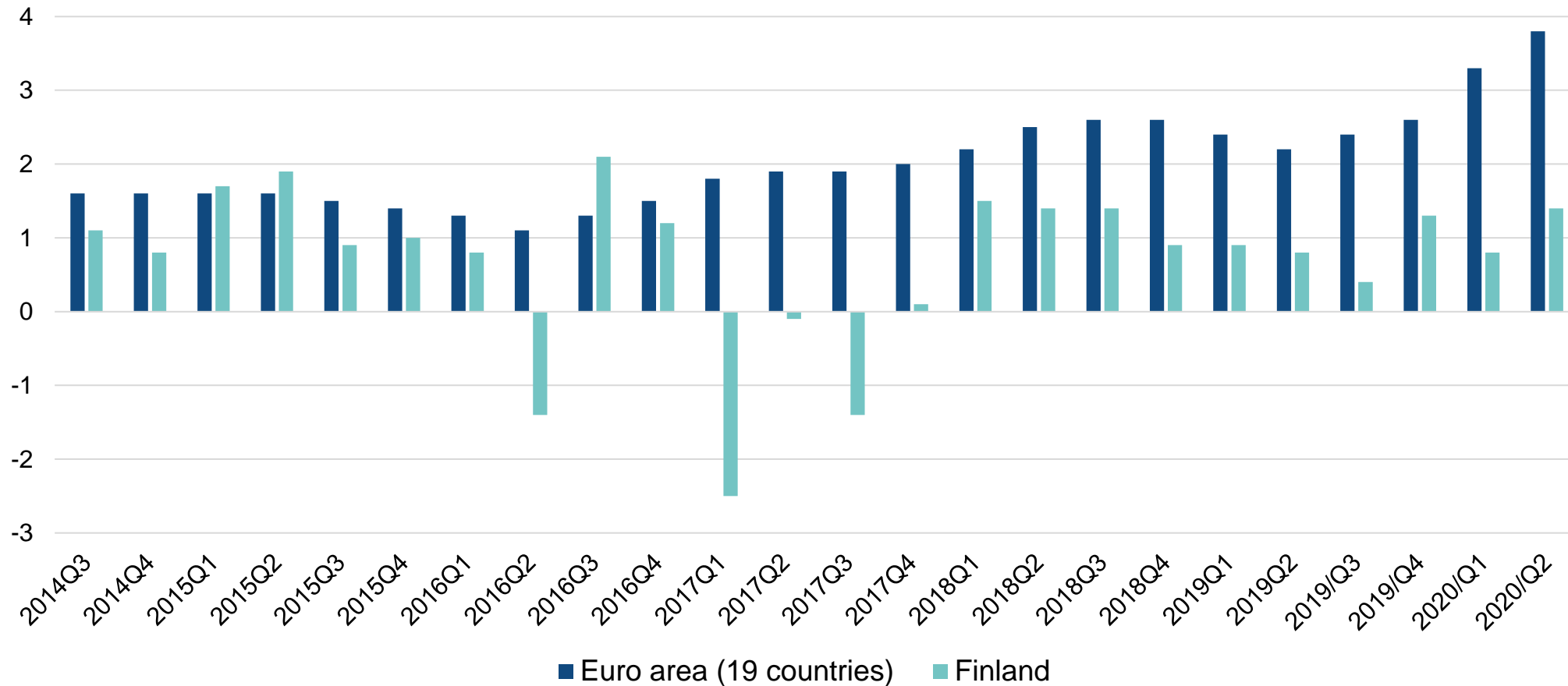


Exports by industries 2019



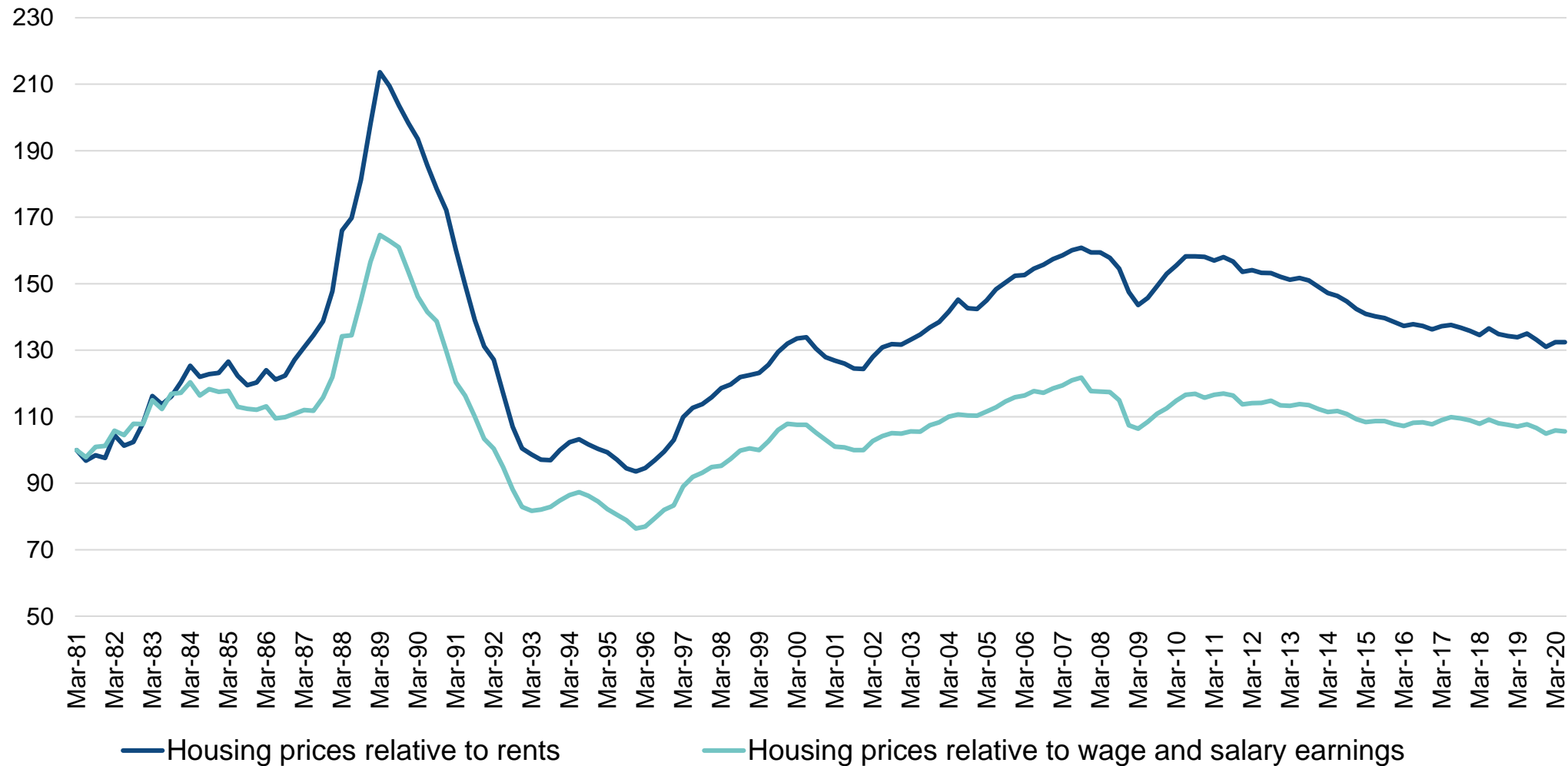
Labour costs competitiveness improved

Hourly labour cost % change from previous year



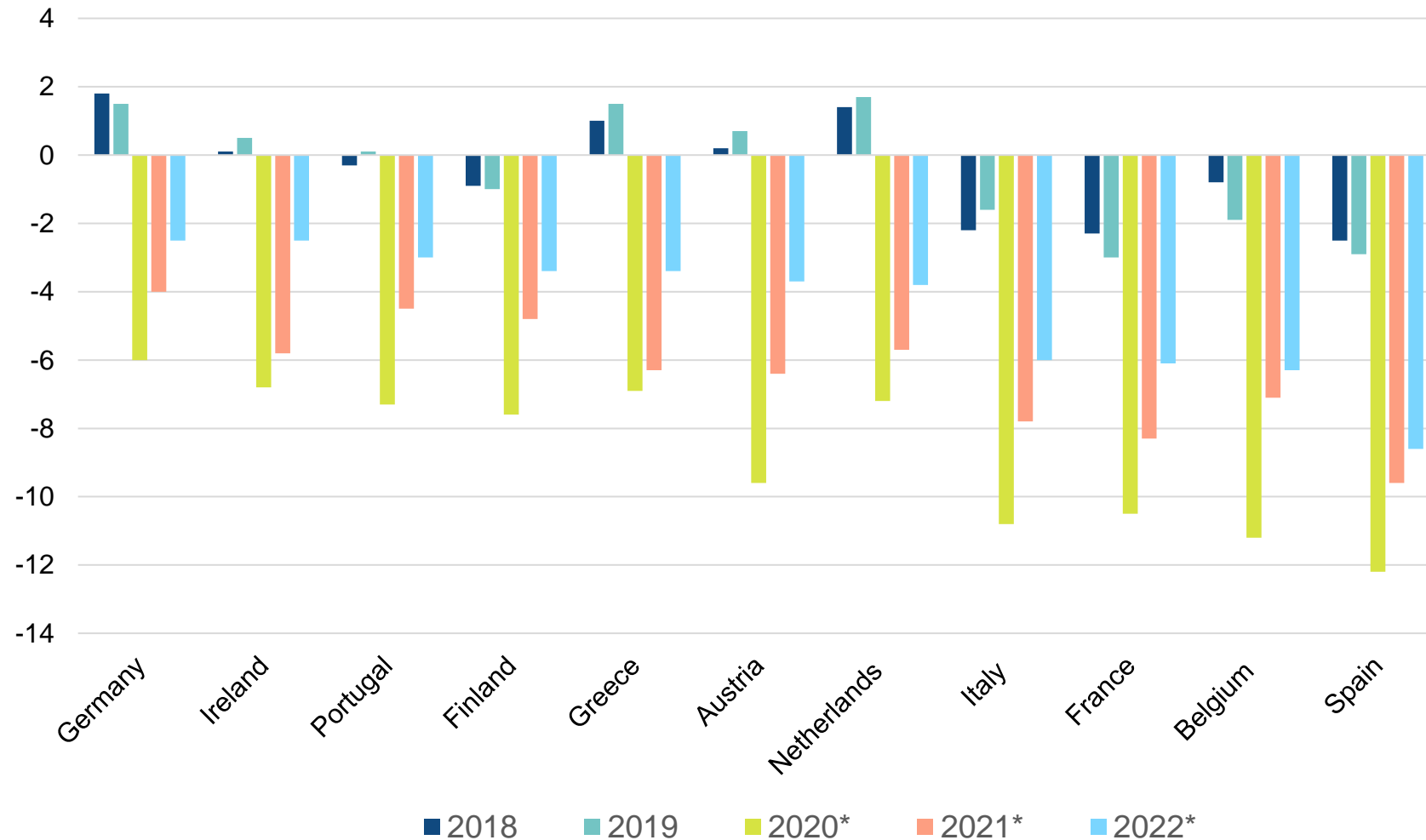
Source: Eurostat, October 2020

Relative housing prices in Finland



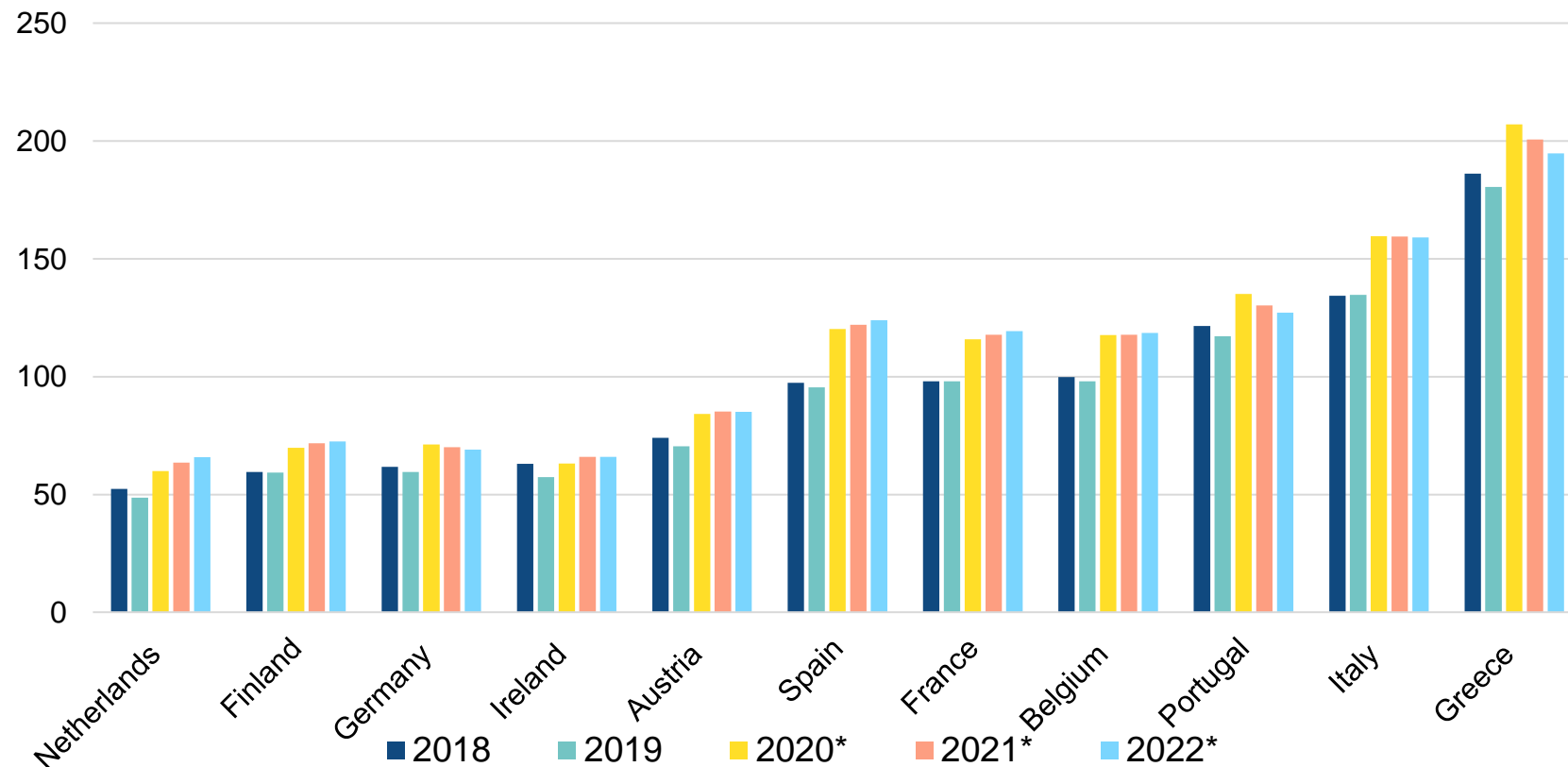
EMU general government financial balance

in ratio to GDP, %

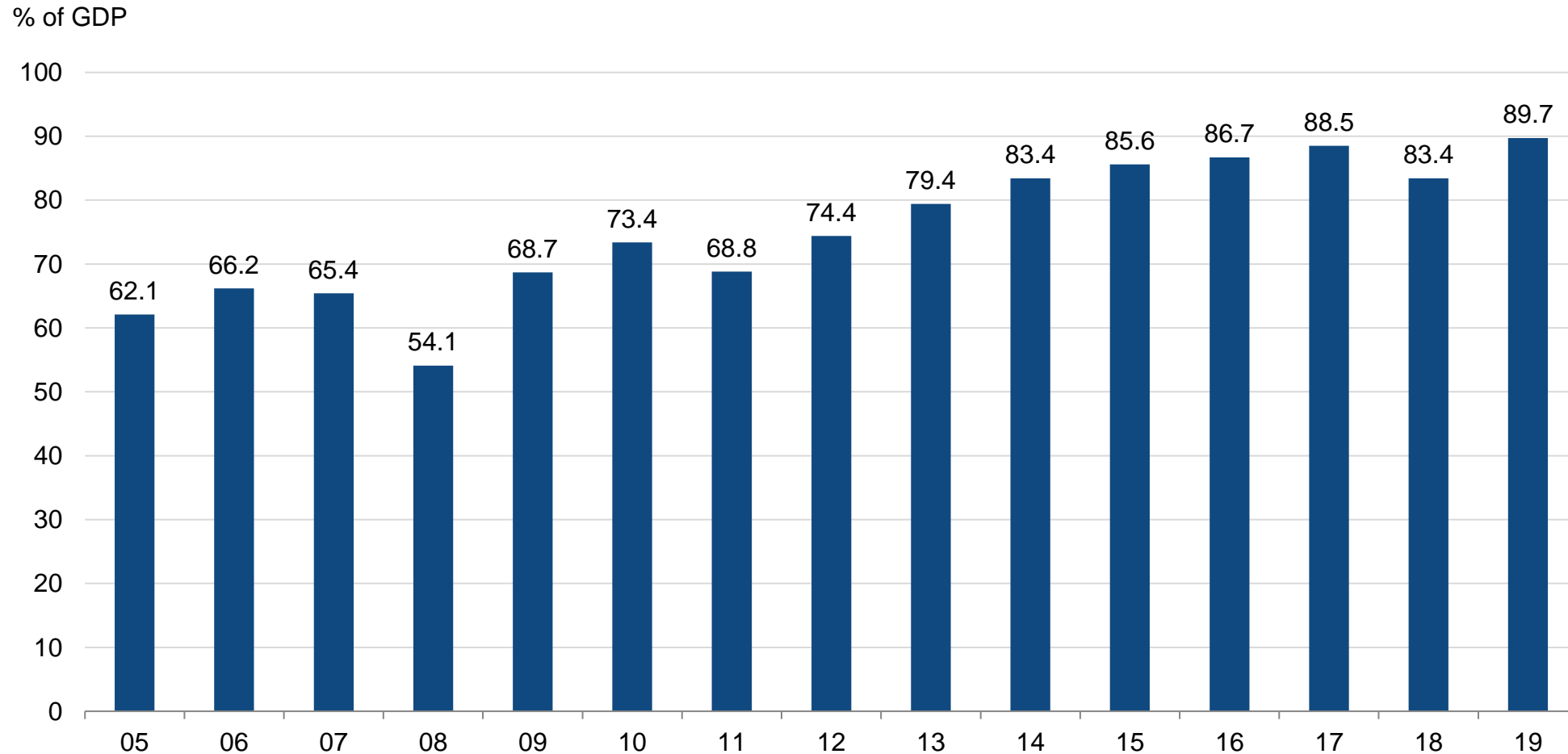


The public debt-to-GDP ratio in Finland is one of the lowest in the euro area

EMU general government gross debt, % of GDP

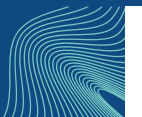


Earnings-related pension assets including public sector pension assets

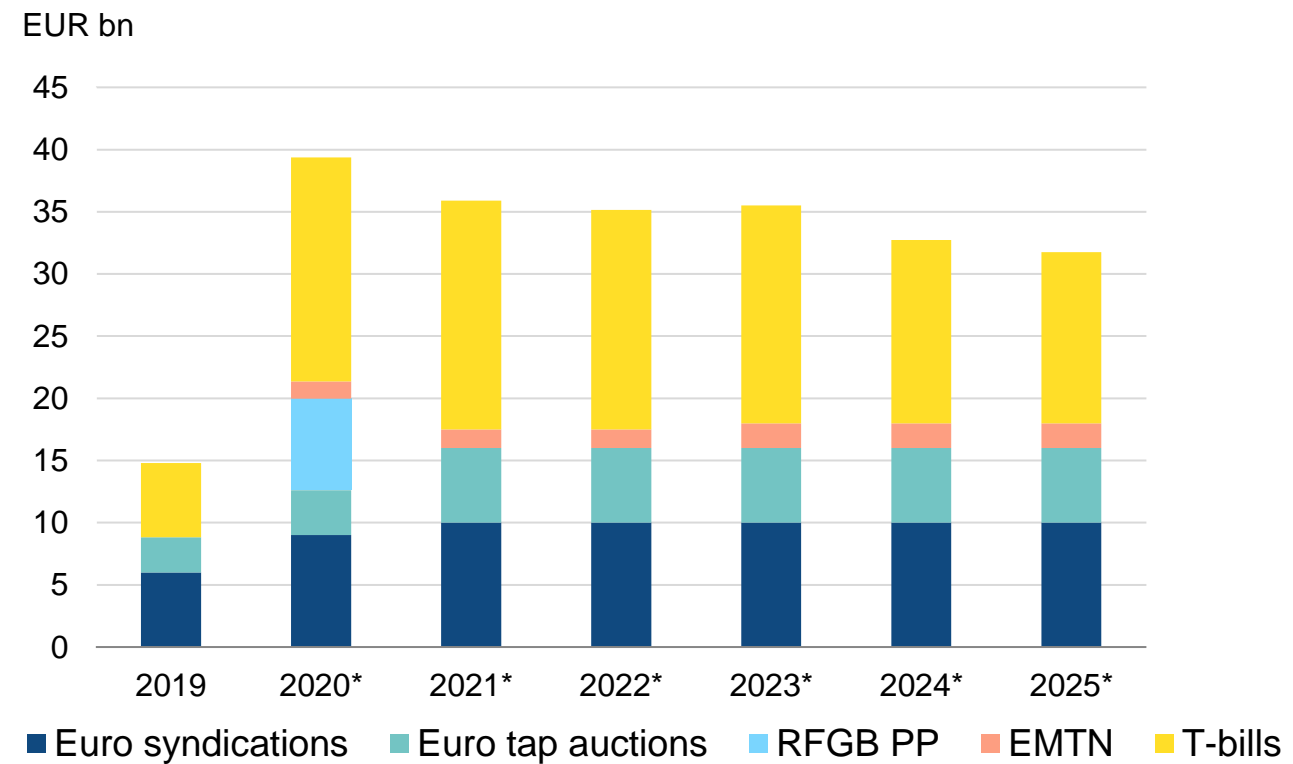
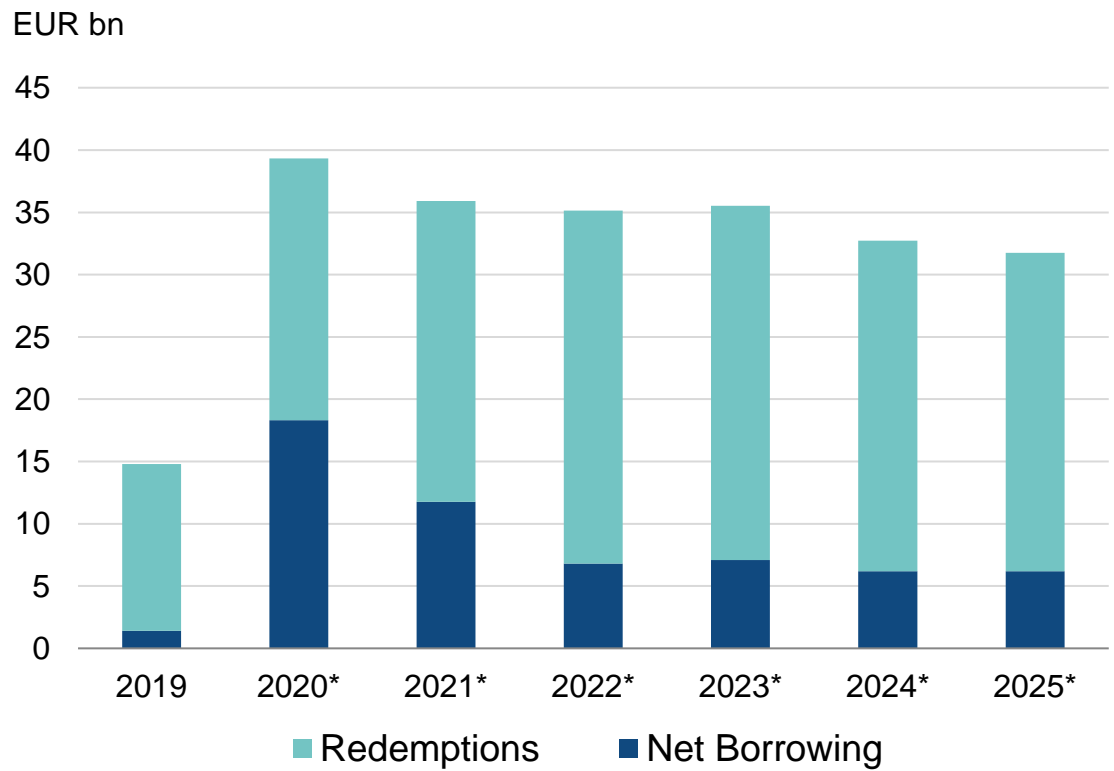




2 Funding



Central government gross borrowing estimate and projected funding instrument allocation

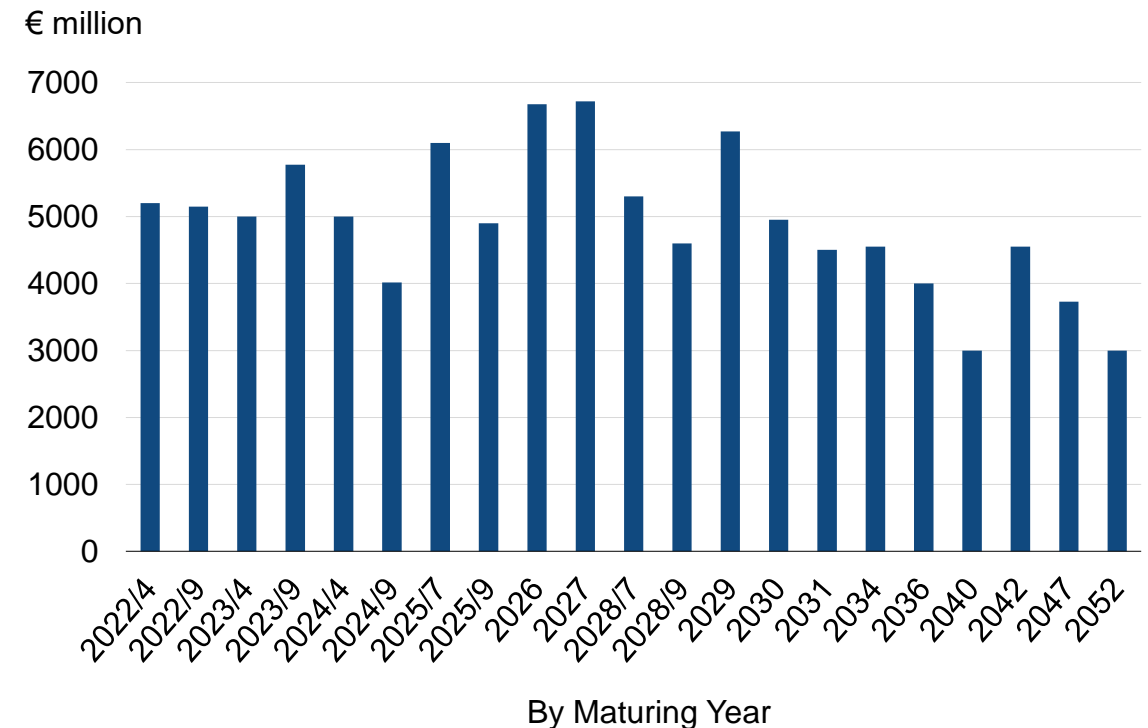


Funding strategy

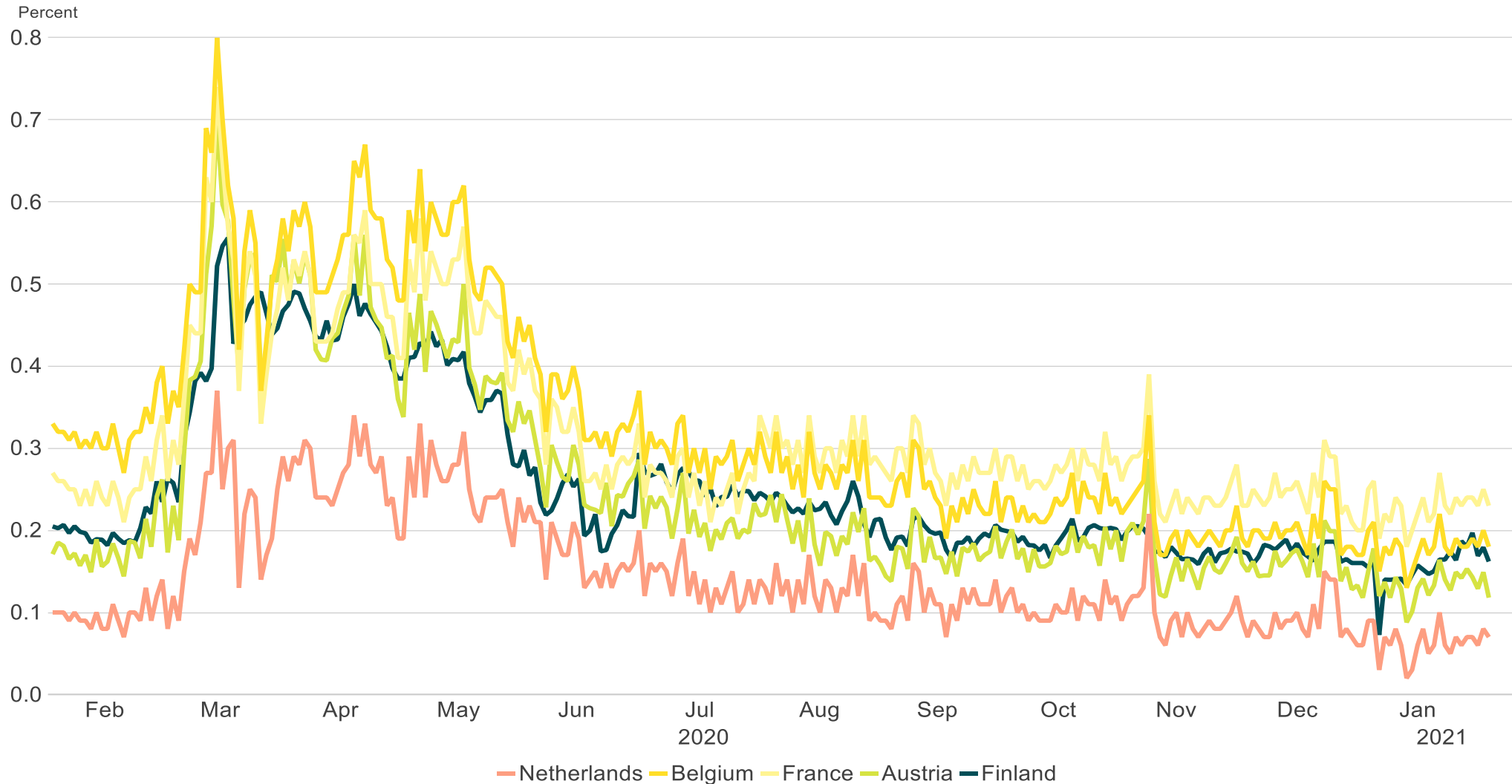
“Maintaining a globally diversified investor base by geography and investor type”

- Euro benchmark bond curve to 30 years
- Three syndicated euro benchmark bonds per year complemented by tap auctions
- Liquidity in focus – Primary Dealers and 3 inter-dealer platforms (MTS, BrokerTec, BGC E-Speed)
- EMTN issuance complements euro benchmark bonds

Benchmark bonds outstanding



10-year government bond yield spreads to Germany



Source: Macrobond

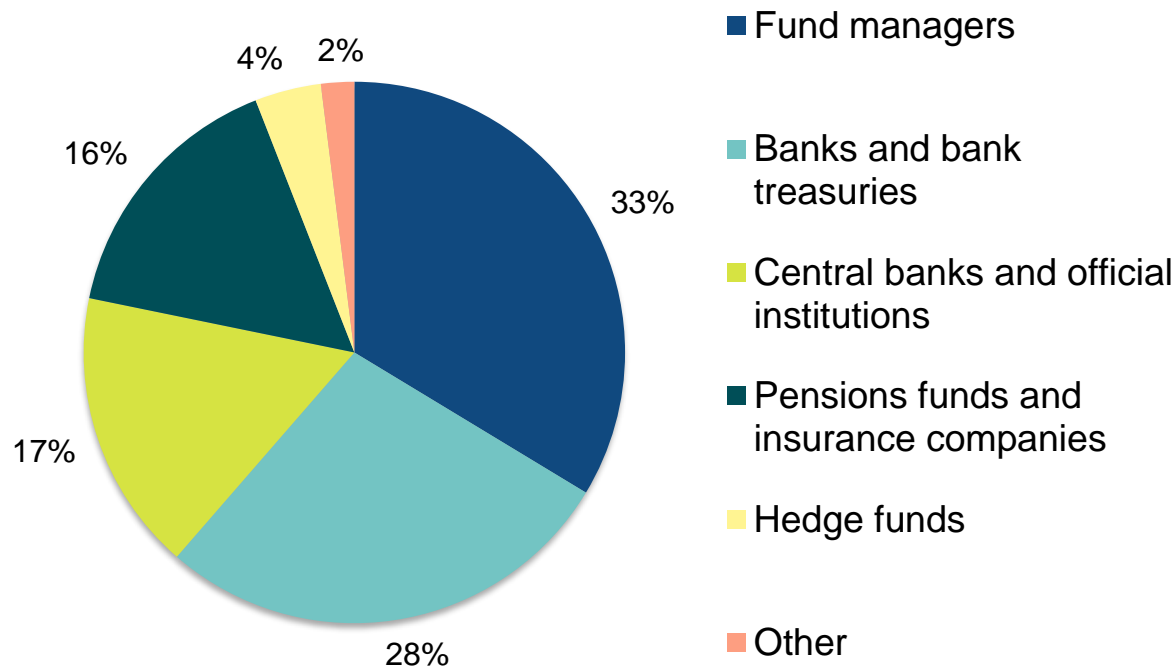
Primary Dealers 2021

BofA Securities
 Barclays
 BNP Paribas
 Citi
 Crédit Agricole
 Danske Bank
 Deutsche Bank
 Goldman Sachs
 HSBC
 J.P. Morgan
 NatWest Markets
 Nomura
 Nordea
 Société Générale

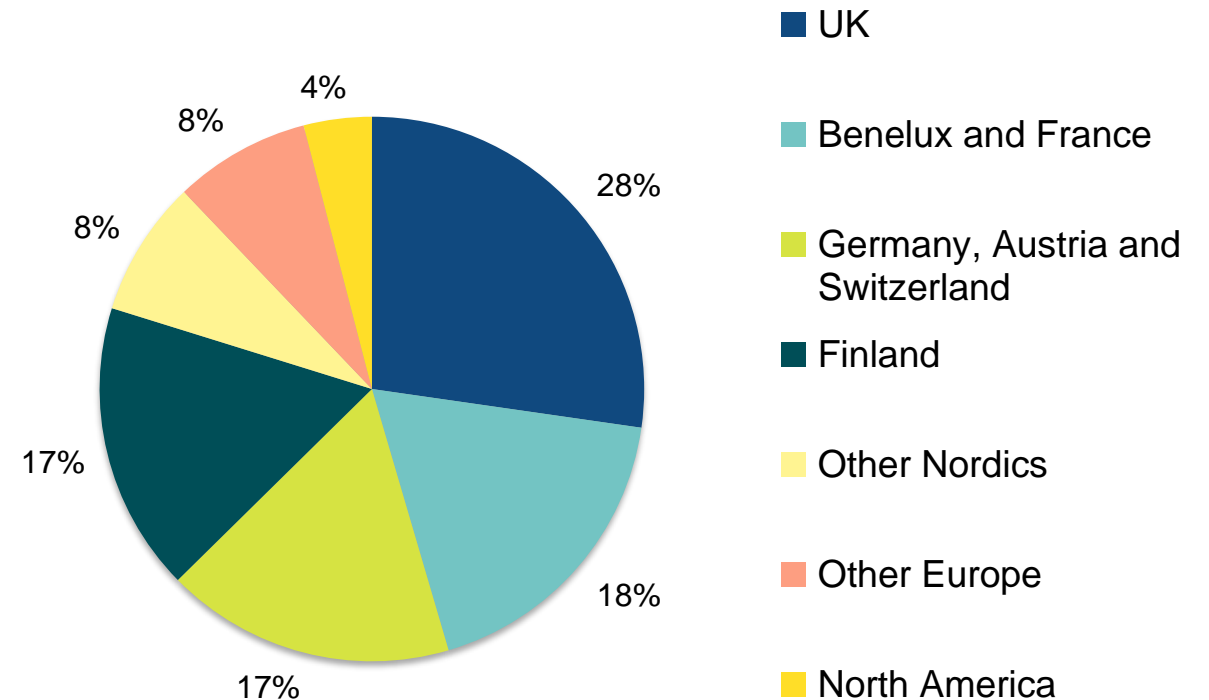
Investor base for RFGB 0.00% EUR 3bn due September 2030

- Launched in August 2020
- Allocated to over 150 investors

Distribution of the bond by investor type



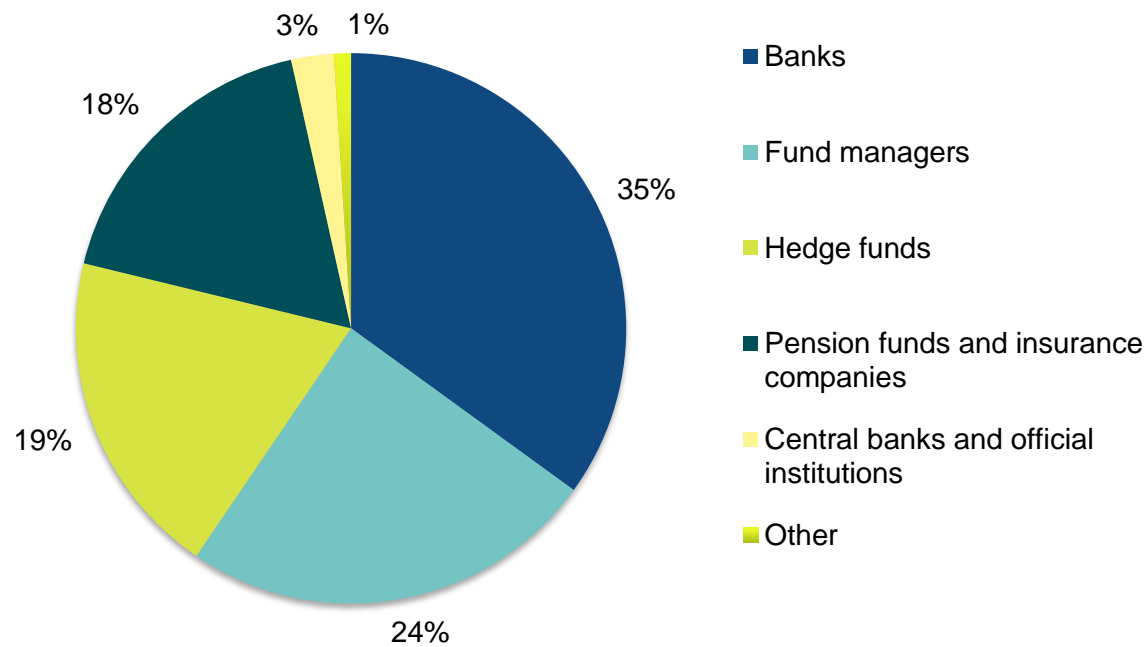
Distribution of the bond by region



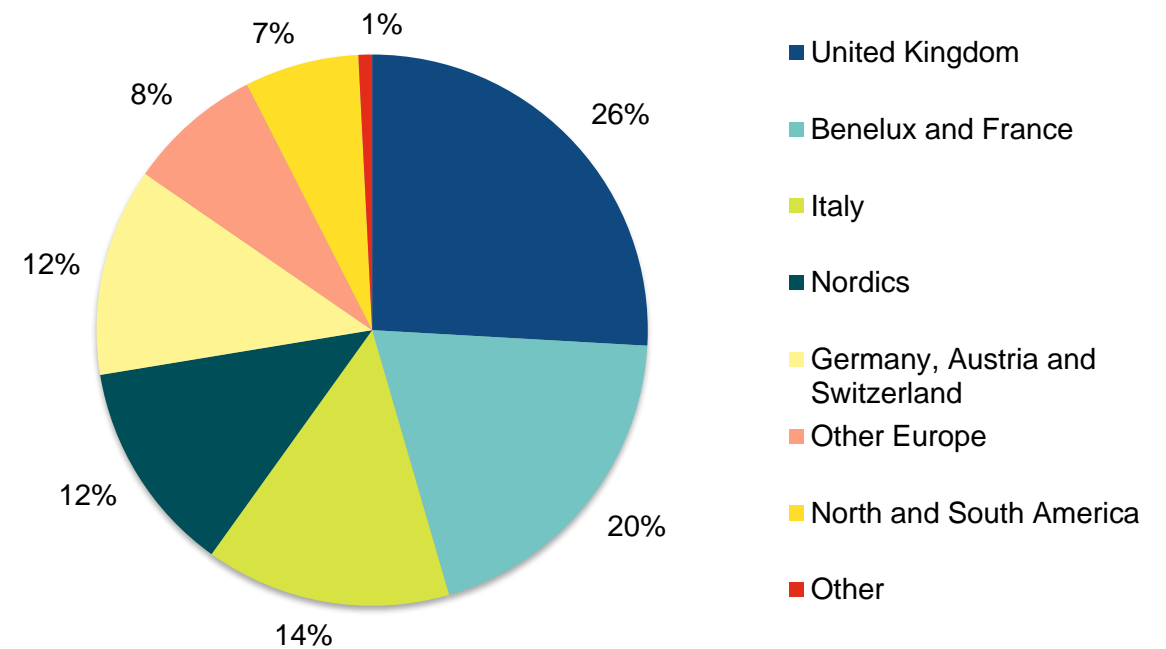
Investor base for RFGB 0.125% EUR 3bn April 2052

- Launched in February 2021
- Allocated to over 130 investors

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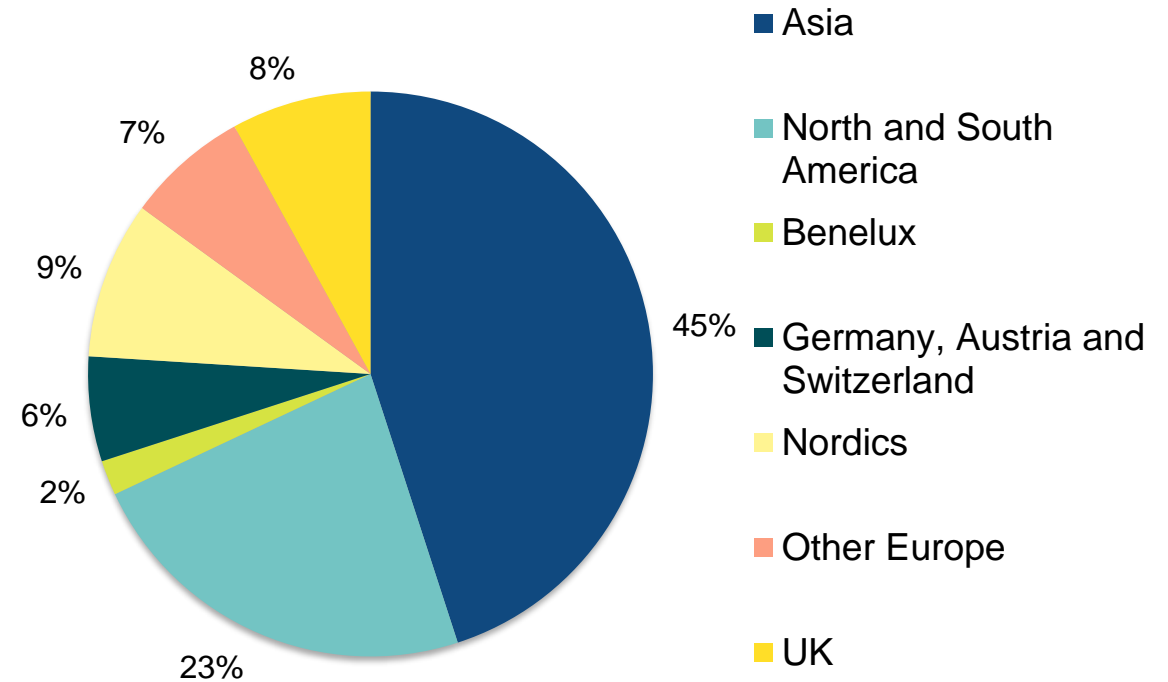
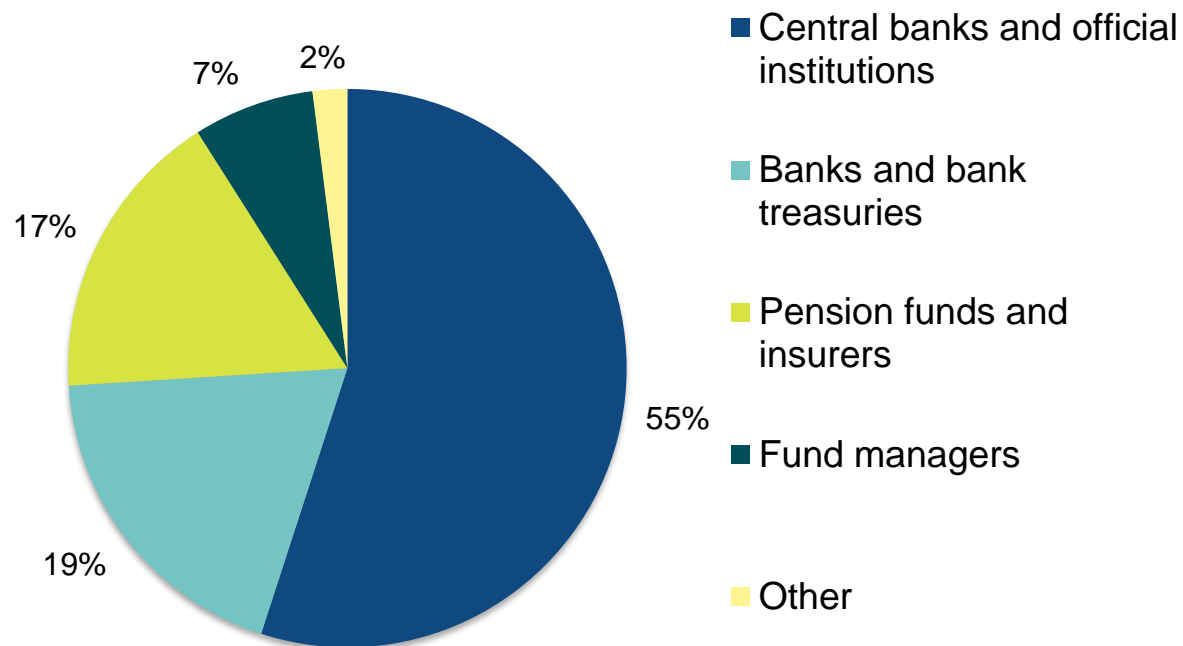


Distribution of the bond by region



Investor base for FINL 0.875% USD 1.5 bn due 2030

- Launched in May 2020
- Allocated to 87 investors



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