

Main Macroeconomic and State Social Insurance indicators

	INDICATORS	2012 r.	2013 r.	2014 r.	2015 r.	2016 r.	2017 r.	2018 r.	2019 r.	2020 r.	2021 r.
MACROECONOMIC											
1	GDP (current prices, in millions BGN)	82 239	81 955	83 885	89 362	95 131	102 741	109 964	120 395	119 951	132 744
2	Harmonised Index of Consumer Prices										
	- Annual average HICP (in %)	2,4	0,4	-1,6	-1,1	-1,3	1,2	2,6	2,5	1,2	2,8
	- At the end of the year (in %)	2,8	-0,9	-2,0	-0,9	-0,5	1,8	2,3	3,1	0,0	6,6
3	Average monthly salary (in BGN)	731	775	822	878	948	1 037	1 146	1 267	1 391	1 551
4	Registered unemployed (administrative statistics) (monthly average number)	364 537	371 380	366 471	330 816	284 707	236 752	202 994	185 266	233 160	181 487
5	Unemployment rate (administrative statistics) (in %)	11,1	11,3	11,2	10,1	8,7	7,2	6,2	5,6	7,4	5,5
6	Unemployed entitled to cash benefits for unemployment (monthly average number)	117 688	115 327	107 312	92 249	91 979	82 684	76 535	69 845	109 019	82 774
SOCIAL											
7	Insured persons (monthly average number)	2 770 030	2 729 800	2 735 101	2 755 906	2 765 138	2 779 820	2 790 182	2 794 029	2 693 720	2 747 495
	- including self-insured	206 264	198 656	200 276	207 464	212 233	204 987	207 874	215 642	206 016	215 852
	- including farmers	30 496	33 575	33 017	34 315	37 701	46 016	44 073	30 776	27 287	34 362
8	Number of pensioners (monthly average)	2 217 642	2 195 904	2 181 896	2 177 716	2 180 890	2 172 753	2 162 890	2 145 271	2 123 017	2 080 454
9	Number of pensions (monthly average)	2 696 906	2 677 598	2 669 061	2 658 461	2 625 152	2 577 223	2 532 369	2 162 013	2 138 389	2 094 528
10	Average contributory income (monthly in BGN)	618,06	648,73	683,34	726,40	770,07	821,51	889,90	986,52	1 069,50	1 169,25
11	Revenue from social insurance contributions (thousands BGN)	3 832 294,4	4 220 170,2	4 487 397,4	4 798 107,4	5 064 900,7	5 914 007,3	6 772 399,8	7 559 866,3	7 882 663,2	8 756 011,7
12	Transfers and subsidies by the State Budget to the State Social Insurance's budget (thousands BGN)	4 519 978,7	4 703 173,6	4 877 275,4	4 924 425,3	4 953 632,1	4 557 449,3	4 292 306,1	3 931 563,4	6 247 090,1	8 221 985,9
13	State Social Insurance Expenditure (thousands BGN)	8 362 149,2	8 972 158,3	9 380 683,4	9 761 899,0	10 188 000,8	10 558 597,9	11 178 879,0	11 656 486,0	14 285 694,3	17 314 521,6
14	Expenditure on pensions (thousands BGN)	7 217 334,8	7 746 096,4	8 116 484,3	8 408 865,1	8 706 419,1	9 007 188,3	9 455 890,5	9 860 527,1	11 137 328,0	14 249 161,8
15	Expenditure on unemployment benefits (thousands BGN)	353 914,9	347 132,5	340 176,4	338 982,7	389 972,0	394 081,1	431 362,7	424 517,7	658 598,4	528 860,8
16	Expenditure on cash benefits due to general sickness, quarantine and accidents not related to employment (thousands BGN)	281 591,7	329 580,5	352 227,2	403 085,2	454 127,2	508 820,8	556 957,8	596 735,1	671 985,2	823 408,0
17	Expenditure on cash benefits for pregnancy and childbirth (thousands BGN)	270 345,7	286 012,7	297 535,0	331 379,0	355 066,3	385 566,8	416 204,9	446 899,1	492 614,8	520 277,1
18	Expenditure on benefits for raising a child up to 2 years of age and for adoption of a child up to 5 years of age (thousands BGN)	109 096,6	128 302,8	144 684,1	153 180,5	156 936,8	156 762,1	178 239,7	176 734,4	169 785,2	194 121,6
INDICES											
19	Average monthly gross contributory income for the country (in BGN)	618,06	648,73	683,34	726,40	770,07	821,51	889,90	986,52	1 069,50	1 169,25
	Index based on previous period (in %)	104,0	105,0	105,3	106,3	106,0	106,7	108,3	110,9	108,4	109,3
20	Average monthly pension (all types of pensions) (in BGN)	271,21	293,96	310,00	321,78	332,68	345,46	364,32	383,03	437,17	536,71
	Index based on previous period (in %)	101,7	108,4	105,5	103,8	103,4	103,8	105,5	105,1	114,1	122,8
21	Average monthly old-age pension (in BGN)	294,36	318,09	334,41	351,73	365,21	379,38	398,81	422,84	483,21	585,41
	Index based on previous period (in %)	101,8	108,1	105,1	105,2	103,8	103,9	105,1	106,0	114,3	121,2
22	Average monthly social pension for old-age (non-contributory) (in BGN) (average for the period)	100,86	107,72	111,50	114,08	116,65	119,56	123,28	129,16	137,19	145,17
	Index based on previous period (in %)	100,0	106,8	103,5	102,3	102,3	102,5	103,1	104,8	106,2	105,8
23	Average monthly minimum old-age pension (in BGN)	141,28	148,75	152,25	155,97	159,41	175,69	203,80	213,52	234,72	300,00
	Index based on previous period (in %)	103,8	105,3	102,4	102,4	102,2	110,2	116,0	104,8	109,9	127,8
24	Average monthly maximum pension (in BGN)	700,00	752,50	805,00	875,00	910,00	910,00	910,00	1055,00	1 200,00	1440,00
	Index based on previous period (in %)	100,0	107,5	107,0	108,7	104,0	100,0	100,0	115,9	113,7	120,0
25	Statutory monthly minimum wage (in BGN)	283,33	310,00	340,00	370,00	420,00	460,00	510,00	560,00	610,00	650,00
	Index based on previous period (in %)	113,3	109,4	109,7	108,8	113,5	109,5	110,9	109,8	108,9	106,6
RATIOS											
26	State Social Insurance Expenditure as a share of GDP (in %)	10,2	10,9	11,2	10,9	10,7	10,3	10,2	9,7	11,9	13,0
27	Pension expenditure as a share of GDP (in %)	8,8	9,4	9,7	9,4	9,2	8,8	8,6	8,2	9,3	10,7
28	Number of pensioners per 100 insured persons	80,1	80,4	79,8	79,0	78,9	78,2	77,5	76,8	78,8	75,7
29	Average monthly pension (all types of pensions) to the average monthly gross contributory income for the country (in %)	43,9	45,3	45,4	44,3	43,2	42,1	40,9	38,8	40,9	45,9
30	Average monthly pension (all types of pensions) to the average monthly net contributory income for the country (in %)	56,0	57,8	57,9	56,5	55,1	53,9	52,8	50,0	52,7	59,2

Sources : NSSI, NSI, NEA