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## APLICATION OF GRAVITY MODEL FOR ANALYSIS OF BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA EXPORT

#### ПРИМЈЕНА ГРАВИТАЦИОНОГ МОДЕЛА У АНАЛИЗИ ИЗВОЗА БОСНЕ И ХЕРЦЕГОВИНЕ

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Summary: During the last two decades, the gravity model has become very popular in analysis of bilateral trade, regardless of the real limitations of econometrics methods in estimation of model parameters. In this research we analyzed Bosnia and Herzegovina export in period from 2002 to 2011, using gravity model of trade. Gravity model is constructed on the basis of experience from previous empirical and theoretical research, and on the basis of achieved exports results of Bosnia and Herzegovina. The resulting gravity model of exports is used as the basis for the analysis of potential export growth opportunities and identifying potential markets which are not fully utilized. At the same time we got information about the risk of a possible reduction of exports in some countries. Research results should be used as the basis for the adjustment measures of foreign trade policy of Bosnia and Herzegovina in order to use the potential export indicated by this analysis.

**Key words:** *Gravity model of trade, export, foreign trade policy.* 

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Резиме: Током посљедње двије деценије, гравитациони модел је постао популаран у анализи билатералне трговине, без обзира на реална ограничења у економетријским методама оцјене параметара модела. У овом истраживања смо анализирали остварени извоз Босне и Хериеговине у периоду од 2002. до 2011. године употребом гравитационог модела трговине. Гравитациони модел је конструисан на бази искустава из досадашњих емпиријских и теоријских истраживања, као и на основу остварених извозних резултата Босне и Херцеговине. Тако добијени гравитациони модел извоза је кориштен као основа за анализу потенцијалних могућности раста извоза и идентификовања тржишта чији потенцијали нису у ијелости искориштени. Истовремено су добијене и информације о постојању ризика за смањење извоза у поједине земље. Резултати истраживања треба да послуже као основа за кориговање мјера спољнотрговинске политике Босне и Херцеговине у циљу кориштења извозних потенцијала на које *указује ова анализа.* 

Кључне ријечи: Гравитациони модел трговине, извоз, спољнотрговинска политика ЈЕЛ класификација: C33,F10,F14,F15

#### **1. INTRODUCTION**

Fact is that Bosnia and Herzegovina (BH) takes a rather liberal foreign trade policy, and in particular on the use of non-tariff instruments. There is a serious lack of protection of domestic production as a result of regional trade integration and the lack of planned and coordinated activities of institutions at all levels. Due to the high level of liberalization of trade with countries of Central European Trade Agreement (CEFTA) and European Union (EU), it is necessary for BH to focus on pro trade policy, providing a stronger and more competent support for the export sector. When creating the appropriate measure of trade policy, which will favor the export of BH, it is necessary at beginning to identify what are the markets that offer the potential for export growth and make the quantification of space for growth. With the aim of identifying those markets, the paper used the gravity model of trade. The general gravity model of trade is tailored to the needs of the study, which was later explained in the text.

Gravity model of trade is classified as a new trade theory in the field that combines international trade and geography. This theory is based on economies of scale, and is a basis to consider taking the size of the market. Indicators of market size are: gross domestic product (GDP) and population of the country, a geographical element is the distance between markets. The logic of this theory is derived from Newton's law of gravitation, which states that the force that attracts two bodies depends on the masses of these bodies and their mutual distances. Similarly, the volume of trade between two countries depends on their economic weight (GDP) and their mutual distances. The first formalization of this model was made by Jan Tinbergen in 1962 and Pentti Poyhonen in 1963. Based on the baseline model, it was done for developing and adapting to the specific research. When constructing a model that was used in this study, we have had in mind econometric limitations in collecting, organizing and processing information, to get a more realistic estimation of model parameters, from which quality of a complete analysis depends. By comparing the real exports results and estimated exports using the gravity model, we have identified markets that ensure the growth of exports and markets in which there is a risk of decline in exports. Using two different models of gravity (the basic model and the model that takes into account the CEFTA, preferential trade with the EU, the existence of common borders) we can evaluate the effects of accession to the CEFTA agreement, that is, the effects of trade creation.

The paper is organized as follows: the first section provides the basic movement of BH exports, in the second section we discuss about some basic issues related to the gravity model, in the third part we design a model and make the organization of data, in the fourth part we make regression analysis using the cross section and panel data, in the fifth section we present the results of the analysis, and finally, we derived conclusions on the basis of the results.

#### 2. EXPORT TRENDS OF BH

In this analysis we used the export results achieved in the period from 2002 to 2011, to cover period immediately before advent of the global crisis and crisis period. Figure 1 gives us an overview of developments in BH exports in dollars (USD) in the period from 2002 to 2011.

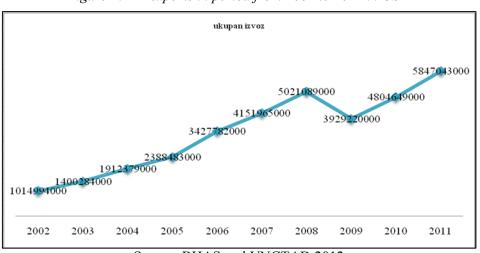


Figure 1: BH exports in period from 2002 to 2011 in USD

Source: BHAS and UNCTAD 2012

Based on the data from the Agency for Statistics of BH, the relative share of EU countries in BH exports rose from 54.25% in 2009, up to 57.28% in 2007. Therefore, the EU is the most important market for BH exporters. Participation of the countries that appeared from the disintegration of Yugoslavia was from 32.06% in 2011 to 35.74% in 2009. These two groups of countries (EU and the former Yugoslavia) account for about 90% of BH exports.

|   | 2008         | 2009         | 2010     | 2011   |
|---|--------------|--------------|----------|--------|
| According to NACE Rev2.                           |              |              |          |        |
| Manufacturing                                     | 90,66%       | 87,59%       | 89,11%   | 86,68% |
| Production of el. energy and water                | 5,44%        | 8,25%        | 6,84%    | 9,33%  |
| By main industrial groupings, by intended use     |              |              |          |        |
| Intermediate products                             | 40,62%       | 38,26%       | 41,69%   | 38,64% |
| Non-durable products                              | 18,36%       | 21,21%       | 18,74%   | 19,03% |
| Energy  | 9,65%        | 13,62%       | 15,46%   | 14,26% |
| Capital products                                  | 21,80%       | 14,49%       | 11,86%   | 11,69% |
| By SITC sections                                  |              |              |          |        |
| Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material | 31,32%       | 34,74%       | 25,67%   | 26,08% |
| Miscellaneous manufactured articles               | 20,31%       | 33,44%       | 21,30%   | 21,01% |
| Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials   | 9,81%        | 19,24%       | 15,55%   | 14,33% |
| Crude materials, inedible, except fuels           | 12,94%       | 15,42%       | 12,77%   | 13,61% |
| Machinery and transport equipment                 | 14,80%       | 19,08%       | 11,86%   | 12,07% |
| Source: Calculated on bases of data of the        | Agency for S | tatistics of | °BH 2012 |        |

Table 1: The structure of BH exports from 2008 to 2011

Source: Calculated on bases of data of the Agency for Statistics of BH 2012

Based on the data in Table 1 we concluded that the BH export is dominated by manufacturing sector, which is mainly concentrated in the production of intermediate products. It is evident that a relatively small share of products was for final consumption. As an indicator of the orientation of BH to exports, we calculated export coefficients for all observed years according to the formula that we give below.

Ek = E / Y(l)

Where is:

*Ek-export ratio E-total exports Y-gross domestic product* 

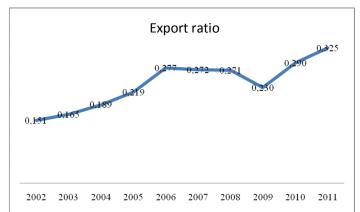


Figure 2: Export coefficients for BH in the period from 2002 to 2011

Source: Calculated on the basis of data on total exports and total GDP taken from the database of the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

Obtained export coefficients indicate that the outbreak of the global economic crisis had a negative impact on the BH export and its role in creating of GDP. In the last two observed years, we can see an intensification of BH exports. It is indicative that in the period from 2006 to 2008 we have stagnation of importance of BH exports, despite the favorable environment on export markets.

#### **3. GENERAL REMARKS ABOUT GRAVITY MODEL OF TRADE**

Gravity model is based on the logic of Newton's law of gravity. The physical law of gravity says that the force with which two bodies act on each other is directly proportional to the masses of these bodies, and inversely proportional to the square of the distance between them. Mathematically formalized, the law of gravity has the following form:

$$F=g m_1 m_2 / D^2 \tag{2}$$

where is:

F – the force with which two bodies interact g – constant (gravitational acceleration)  $m_1, m_2$  – mass of bodies 1 and 2 D – distance between the bodies.

Using this logic, we derived gravity model of trade, which says that the volume of trade between the two countries is directly proportional to their economic masses and inversely proportional to their distance (trade barriers), with existence of constants as in physical laws of gravity. GDP is taken as a measure of economic mass or GDP per capita as a measure of distance is usually taken for physical distance between the major trading centers or capitals. Volume of trade between countries depends on the conditions of supply of the exporting country (defined by the exporter GDP) and demand conditions in importer's country (determined by the importer GDP), which is in the context of trade theory. These would be preliminary assumptions of gravity model. Gravity model of trade has the following form:

$$T_{ij} = k Y_i^{\alpha} Y_j^{\beta} / D_{ij}^{\delta}$$
(3)

Where is:

k – constant Ti – volume of trade between countries i,j  $Y_i$  – GDP country i  $Y_j$  – GDP country j  $D_{ij}$  – distance between countries i,j $\alpha,\beta,\delta$  – parameters (estimated in the logarithmic form of the equation).

Application of gravity model is not restricted only to the analysis of trade flows between countries. We have its application in: analysis of the effects of accession to the World Trade Organizations (WTO), analyses of the effects of accession to regional trade agreements, migration analysis, analysis of foreign direct investment trends, analysis of choice of supermarkets by consumers, and for the similar problems. In order to provide more accurate estimation of the gravity model parameters, the basic equation is extended by dummy variables, which should lead to more reliable estimate trade costs. With the distance, for estimation of costs of trade (trade barriers), variables are introduced such as: a common border, common language, common history, common currency, quality of infrastructure, economic integration and affiliation, etc. The extended gravity model has the following form:

$$T_{ijk} = k Y_{ik}^{\ \alpha} Y_{jk}^{\ \beta} D_{ij}^{\ \delta} A_{ijk}^{\ \gamma} u_{ij}$$

$$(4)$$

Where is:

 $\begin{array}{l} k-constant\\ T_{ijk}-constant\\ T_{ijk}-constant\\ Y_i-GDP\ country\ i\ in\ period\ k\\ Y_j-GDP\ country\ j\ in\ period\ k\\ D_{ij}-distance\ between\ countries\ i,j\\ A_{ijk}-dummy\ variable\ that\ reflects\ the\ existence\ of\ any\ barriers\ to\ trade\ between\ countries\ i\ and\ j,\ in\ period\ k\\ \alpha,\beta,\delta,\ \gamma-parameters\\ u_{ij}-random\ error\ of\ model. \end{array}$ 

Of course, there is a possibility of further extension of the model depending on the subject of research. As stated in the introduction to this paper, the first formalization of the gravity model that was used for analysis of foreign trade was brought by the Dutch economist Tinbergen in 1962. The most comprehensive analysis of trade using the gravity model is made by Hans Linnemann in 1966. Walter Isard and Merton Peck (1954) demonstrated the negative impact of distance on trade, using the logic of the electric potential. Gravity model of Tinbergen has been improved in order to obtain reliable results of the analysis. Improvements of the model are going in two directions: toward expansion of model with additional variables, and the organization of data in empirical research. At the beginning of its application, gravity model did not have a strong theoretical foundation, so it is characterized as intuitive method, but in the later studies it was defined as relationship between the standard trade theory and gravity models in the works of James Anderson 1979, Jeffrey Bergstrand 1985 and 1989, Elhanan Helpman 1987, Alan Deardorff 1995 and Eric Van Wincoop 2003. The first study used a gravity model of trade and cross section data for one year which resulted in the problem of choosing a representative year, and problem of high level heteroscedasticity of random error of models. To eliminate these problems, estimations were calculated on basis of average of more years, and by means of the analysis based on the pooled cross sectional data. Maximum reliability of gravity model is achieved by using panel data, which was analyzed in the work of Radmila Dragutinović-Mitrovic 2005. The application of cross section data and pooled cross section data with averages calculated on the basis of longer time series can be found in work by Carl Hamilton and Alan Winters (1992), while Jan Fidrmuc and Jarko Fidrmuc 2003 used repeated regression analysis of cross sectional data. I-Hui Cheng and Howard Wall 2005 showed that ignoring unobserved heterogeneity leads to unrealistic estimates of bilateral trade.

There is a large number of works which have improved the gravity model by including new explanatory variables in the basic equation. Here we will mention only some of them. Laszlo Matayas 1998, Cheng and Wall 1999, Fritz Breuss and Peter Egger 1999, Egger 2000 contributed to improving the econometric specification of equation. On the other hand, Bergstrand 1985, Helpman 1987, Shang-Jin Wei 1996, Soloaga Isidro and Winters 1999, Spiros Boughes 1999, like many others, have contributed to the development of models through their refinement by introducing new explanatory variables.

#### 4. CONSTRUCTION OF MODEL AND DATA USED IN ANALYSIS

BH exports were indirectly analyzed using a gravity model in several studies, which is the subject of observation in the CEFTA and SEE countries. Matthieu Bussiere, Jarko Fidrmuc and Bernd Schantz 2005 indicate that BH is untapped potential in trade, especially in the industrialized countries located in the greater distance from BH. Some potential exists in the trade with the EU, but it is significantly smaller. Edward Christie 2001 analyzed the potential trade of the Balkan countries using the gravity model based on pooled cross section data from 1996 to 1999. One of the conclusions of the study was that trade between Bosnia, Serbia (FRY) and Croatia, which significantly exceeds the estimation obtained based on the gravity model.

For this study, a gravity model is constructed on basis of the model of Helga Kristjansdottir 2005 and model by Dragutinovic-Mitrovic 2005. Kristjansdottir 2005 has applied the gravity model to analyze export of Iceland. The model was used in this paper has the following form:

$$X_{ijt} = e^{\beta 0} Y_{it}^{\ \beta 1} Y_{jt}^{\ \beta 2} N_{it}^{\ \beta 3} N_{jt}^{\ \beta 4} D_{ij}^{\ \beta 5} e^{uijt}$$
(5)

where is:

 $X_{ijt}$  – exports from the country and in country j in time t  $Y_t$  – exporting country's GDP in time t  $Y_{jt}$  – j importing country's GDP in time t  $N_{it}$  – population of the exporters in time t  $N_{jt}$  – population of the importer j in time t  $D_{ij}$  – distance between the capital cities of countries i and j  $u_{ijt}$  – random error of model. Since the observation concerned exports of one country, in that study it was Iceland, then equation is corrected to cover export only of a single country. Index i becomes irrelevant because we have no observation of exports of several countries. Now the above-mentioned equation has the following form:

$$X_{jt} = e^{\beta 0} Y_t^{\ \beta 1} Y_{jt}^{\ \beta 2} N_t^{\ \beta 3} N_{jt}^{\ \beta 4} D_j^{\ \beta 5} e^{ujt}$$
(6)

This is equitation of the basic model. WE expand equation of basic models with dummy variable to indicate the following: membership of BH and partner country in CEFTA (Ic), membership of importing country in EU (Ie), the importing country with which BH has a preferential trade (Ip), and a dummy variable that indicates a common border of Bosnia and Herzegovina and the country (Ib). After making a logarithm operation and including the dummy variables equation has the following form:

$$\ln X_{it} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \ln Y_t + \beta_2 \ln Y_{it} + \beta_3 \ln N_t + \beta_4 \ln N_{it} + \beta_5 \ln D_i + \beta_6 \ln C_{it} + \beta_7 \ln t_{it} + \beta_8 \ln t_{it} + \beta_9 \ln t_{it} + \alpha_{it}$$
(7)

Equations are transformed into linear form (linearity by parameters), in order to be proper for regression analysis. The basic equation in logarithmic form:

$$\ln X_{it} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \ln Y_t + \beta_2 \ln Y_{it} + \beta_3 \ln N_t + \beta_4 \ln N_{it} + \beta_5 \ln D_i + u_{it}$$
(8)

Basic (8) and extended (7) models were used in the analysis for the estimation of parameters based on the panel and cross section data. Expected signs of coefficients of explanatory variables in the model are:  $Y_t$  (+),  $Y_{jt}$  (+),  $N_t$  (+),  $N_{jt}$  (+),  $D_j$  (-),  $I_{ejt}$  (+/-),  $I_{pjt}$  (+/-),  $I_{bjt}$  (+/-). To estimate the parameters in equations we used next methods: OLS (Ordinary Least Squares) and WLS (Weighted Least Squares).

In this study we used data for export of BH in the period from 2002 to 2011, expressed in USD in current prices. These data include exports to 37 countries over 10 years, which means that the total number of data pairs is 370. Sample of 37 countries were surveyed, covering 92,69% of BH exports in 2007, 92,01% in 2008, 94,08% in 2009, 96,59% in 2010 and 96,06% in 2011. We chose two specific time periods before the outbreak of the global crisis (from 2002 to 2008) and the period (from 2009 to 2011) after the onset of the crisis. Source of data was Monthly statements of foreign trade of the BH Statistics Agency.

For GDP, we used data from the online IMF database (World Economic Outlook Database), expressed in current dollars. For certain countries, GDP estimations by the IMF were used for 2011, which are available in the same database. Data for BH GDP were taken from this database. Data on population were also taken from these databases. In Table 2 in appendix we give log value of exports by country, in Table 3 we give log of the GDP value of observed countries. Also, Table 4 in the appendix presents data on the log of population.

For distance between BH and other countries, we took the distance between Sarajevo and capitols. Data on air distance in kilometers are taken from the online database www.geobytes.com. Log of the distances are given in Table 5 in appendix.

For CEFTA membership, we assume that the initial year of implementation of agreements was 2008, although the agreement entered into force in November 2007. The reason for this is that countries that were surveyed before the entry into force of the CEFTA had entered into bilateral free trade agreements with BH. BH in the period granted unilateral trade preferences by the EU, and therefore in the model introduces the dummy variable indicating membership in the EU. Data about unilateral preferential from other countries that are included in the study were taken from the online WTO database. Russia had unilateral preferential for BH until 2010. It abolished preferential after entry into force of Agreement on customs union between Russia, Belarus and Kazakhstan. Data belonging to CEFTA, EU, unilateral trade, preferential and preferential trade are given in Table 6, Table 7 and Table 8 in the appendix. We have the value 1 when the country belongs to the CEFTA, EU, when unilateral preferences is granted and where we had preferential trade agreement with BH. In the absence of these variables it gets the value 0.

Based on the conclusions by Dragutinović-Mitrovic 2005, superiority analysis of panel data, the data collected in this study are organized as a panel data using the WLS method and the method of OLS for data organized as pooled cross section.

## **5. REGRESSION ANALYSIS OF EMPIRICAL DATA**

Based on collected and systematized data, which are given in the tables from 5 to 7 in appendix, regression analysis was performed using the method of ordinary least squares OLS. Two models are used as follows: the basic model according to equation (8) and the extended model according to equation (7). Regression results of the basic model using OLS are presented in Table 8. Regression was performed based on 370 observations and based on equation (8). During the period of 10 years (from 2002 to 2011) the export was observed in 37 exporting countries, accounting for 92% to 96% of the total export of BH. And in all other models, regression was performed based on 370 observations. All calculations were performed using software Gretl 1.7.1.

| Variable | Coefficient | Stand. error | t-statistics | p-value  |     |
|----------|-------------|--------------|--------------|----------|-----|
| Constant | -469,131    | 179,794      | -2,6093      | 0,00945  | *** |
| Yjt      | 0,686338    | 0,085854     | 7,9942       | <0,00001 | *** |
| Yt       | 0,241252    | 0,118113     | 2,0426       | 0,04182  | **  |
| Njt      | 0,316044    | 0,0947818    | 3,3344       | 0,00094  | *** |
| Nt       | 31,1134     | 11,9161      | 2,6110       | 0,00940  | *** |
| Dj       | -2,18236    | 0,098955     | -22,0541     | <0,00001 | *** |

Table 9: Results of regression of basic model using the OLS method

Arithmetic mean of the dependent variable = 16,3351Standard deviation of dependent variable = 2,46635The sum of squared residuals = 808,935Standard error of residuals = 1,49075Unadjusted R<sup>2</sup> = 0,639606Adjusted R<sup>2</sup> = 0,634656F-statistics (5, 364) = 129,201 (p-value < 0,00001).

The results of the regression extended model using OLS method, according to equation (7), are given in Table 10. Regression is done on the basis of identical data.

| Variable | Coefficient | Stand. error | t-statistic | p-value  |     |
|----------|-------------|--------------|-------------|----------|-----|
| Constant | -249,715    | 172,999      | -1,4434     | 0,14977  |     |
| Yjt      | 0,823022    | 0,08533      | 9,6452      | <0,00001 | *** |
| Yt       | 0,156849    | 0,110576     | 1,4185      | 0,15692  |     |
| Njt      | 0,177752    | 0,09409      | 1,8892      | 0,05967  | *   |
| Nt       | 16,5836     | 11,4515      | 1,4482      | 0,14844  |     |
| Dj       | -2,04736    | 0,105191     | -19,4632    | <0,00001 | *** |
| Icjt     | 1,46197     | 0,489149     | 2,9888      | 0,00299  | *** |
| Iejt     | 0,524982    | 0,267134     | 1,9652      | 0,05016  | *   |
| Ipjt     | 1,27089     | 0,299315     | 4,2460      | 0,00003  | *** |
| Ibjt     | 1,45107     | 0,373713     | 3,8829      | 0,00012  | *** |

Table 10: Results of the regression extended model using the OLS method

Arithmetic mean of dependent variable = 16,3351Standard deviation dependent variable = 2,46635The sum of square residuals = 660,083Standard error of residuals = 1,35409Unadjusted R<sup>2</sup> = 0,705922Adjusted R<sup>2</sup> = 0,69857F-statistic (9, 360) = 96,0185 (p-value < 0,00001).

The extended model gives a better estimation of the parameters, since the value of adjusted  $R^2$  for the extended model is bigger than for basic model. For basic model it is 63.47% of variance explained, and for the extended model it is 69.86%. Another method that was used is method of weighted least squares (WLS). In the following table we give the results of regression for basic model.

| Variable | Coefficient | Stand. error | t-statistic | p-value  |     |
|----------|-------------|--------------|-------------|----------|-----|
| Constant | -441,696    | 80,0042      | -5,5209     | <0,00001 | *** |
| Yjt      | 0,855972    | 0,0541872    | 15,7966     | <0,00001 | *** |
| Yt       | 0,245026    | 0,0523201    | 4,6832      | <0,00001 | *** |
| Njt      | 0,0853192   | 0,0664445    | 1,2841      | 0,19994  |     |
| Nt       | 29,3011     | 5,30029      | 5,5282      | <0,00001 | *** |
| Dj       | -2,29072    | 0,0623144    | -36,7606    | <0,00001 | *** |

Table 11: Results of regression for basic model using WLS method

Statistics based on weighted data (weighted based on the error variance per unit):

The sum of squared residuals = 357,368Standard error of residuals = 0,990848Not adjusted R<sup>2</sup> = 0,870886Adjusted R<sup>2</sup> = 0,869113F-statistics (5, 364) = 491,045 (p-value <0,00001).

The results of the regression extended model using the WLS method are given in the following table:

Table 12: Results of the regression of extended model using the WLS method

| Variable | Coefficient | Stand. error | t-statistic | <i>p-value</i> |
|----------|-------------|--------------|-------------|----------------|
| Constant | -273,918    | 73,8166      | -3,7108     | 0,00024        |
| Yjt      | 0,979483    | 0,0550045    | 17,8073     | <0,00001       |
| Yt       | 0,109467    | 0,049673     | 2,2038      | 0,02817        |
| Njt      | -0,033642   | 0,0646495    | -0,5204     | 0,60312        |
| Nt       | 18,2511     | 4,8893       | 3,7329      | 0,00022        |
| Dj       | -2,12061    | 0,0598125    | -35,4544    | <0,00001       |
| Icjt     | 1,14932     | 0,196859     | 5,8383      | <0,00001       |
| Iejt     | 0,48283     | 0,14031      | 3,4412      | 0,00065        |
| Ipjt     | 0,922168    | 0,158232     | 5,8280      | <0,00001       |
| Ibjt     | 1,74778     | 0,142734     | 12,2450     | <0,00001       |

Statistics based on weighted data (weighted based on the error variance per unit):

The sum of squared residuals = 340,176Standard error of residuals = 0,972077Not adjusted R<sup>2</sup> = 0,905466Adjusted R<sup>2</sup> = 0,903103F-statistic (9, 360) = 383,128 (p-value <0,00001).

Estimated exports in 2011 were calculated by using coefficients from Tables 11 and 12, and this assessment was compared with the level of exports in the same year by the surveyed countries. In Table 13 in the appendix, we gave an overview of the estimated export based on the regression results obtained using WLS in 2011 and real exports.

## 6. ANALYSIS OF RESULTS

In the previous section regression was performed and coefficients were obtained by appropriate regression models. All the obtained coefficients have the expected sign. With expanded WLS model, the coefficient of the population of the importing country is negative, which is explained by the increase in the market consumers directed to domestic products. The coefficients of the dummy variables are positive, which is to be expected. Accession to multilateral free trade agreements positively affect volume of exports, unilaterally granted trade preferences of EU, unilateral preferences granted from other countries and bilateral trade agreements, have a positive impact on BH export. Also, a common border has positive impact on export performance of BH. The coefficients give us the flexibility of BH exports in relation to the value of independent variables. The interpretation of the

obtained coefficients is not simple, since it is a form of regression equations of log-log. The coefficients of the dummy variables (CEFTA, EU, preferences, and common border) have a different interpretation than the coefficients for other independent variables. Thus, the coefficients of independent variables that are not dummies are interpreted as the elasticity of dependent variable in comparison to the independent variable, that is, 1% change of independent variables results in a corresponding percentage changes in the dependent variable, provided that all other variables remain unchanged. If we look at the regression coefficients obtained from Table 12, we have the following explanation, a 1% increase in variable Yt (GDP growth of Bosnia and Herzegovina) will result in changes of BH export:  $\Box_2=0,1095$  we take from the table, then according to form  $((1,01)^{\Box_2}-1)*100$  we get the percentage change in exports. Finally, increase of 1% of BH GDP leads to increase in exports for 0,109%. In the same way we interpret the other coefficients. Increase of GDP of importing country by 1% leads to increase in BH exports by 0,979%, increase in the importing country's population by 1% leads to decreasing of BH exports by 0,033%, increasing the distance between BH and the partner country by 1% results to a decrease in exports by 2,132%. In dummy variable interpretation of coefficients it is different. If the country is a member of CEFTA, exports of that country increased by 215,60%, provided that other variables remain unchanged. The conversion coefficient has been done according to the form  $(e^{\Box \Box}-1)*100$ . Other coefficients with the dummy variable are interpreted in the same way. If the partner country is member of EU its exports increased by 62,07%, if a country grants unilateral preferential its exports increased by 151,47%, and if the country has common border with BH is exports increased by 474,18%.

Based on comparison of exports in 2011 and estimated exports with WLS method, for the same year, we derived some conclusions. Looking at the total exports in the observed countries, BH has exceeded the potential of the market by nearly USD 2 billion, which makes BH run the risk of a possible reduction in exports. The potential market for the EU exceeded by USD 1,935 billion, while the CEFTA market has untapped potential by USD 75 million, which is a slight amount. In general, BH has used the market potential of countries that make up over 90% of the BH export market. Individually, the greatest potential exists in the Serbian market (over USD 340 million), while the market potential in Germany largely exceeded (over USD 670 million). From results of regression analysis we can see that changes in export markets have positive or negative implications for BH exports, depending on the direction and intensity of these changes. The introduction of protectionist measures by the EU and CEFTA countries would have great negative implications for exports. Negative changes in GDP of partner countries, changes in population in BH and partner countries can expose BH export to decreasing. Trade policy of BH should help to find new markets with new potential for export, and change export structure.

#### 7. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FUTURE RESEARCH

As we noted in the previous section, the results of estimation of exports suggest need to redefine the measure of trade policy of Bosnia and Herzegovina. BH has exceeded the potential of the EU market, but in the observed CEFTA countries there is scope for further increasing exports. The expected direct effect of Croatia accession to EU will be a decrease in exports due to the coefficient of the  $I_{eit}$  smaller than the coefficient  $I_{cit}$ . According to results extended by WLS we have 0,483 <1,149. It means that membership of trade in CEFTA has higher importance than membership of partners to EU. It is necessary for BH export sector to find new markets in order to provide export growth and growth of domestic manufacturing. According to results of analyses that the market potential of the region is in a large percentage used, it is necessary for export sector to find new markets, primarily in Europe, Mediterranean and North Africa, due to lower transportation costs. We have identified a relatively large impact of these costs, which approximated by distance between countries. Coefficient for distance obtained from the extended WLS model is -2,121, indicating a very high negative significance of the distance factor. In addition to new markets, it is necessary to create products that are more differentiated, products which contain higher levels of knowledge, in order to overcome the problem of transport costs and reduce their relative importance in the final price. Results of this paper are partially consistent with earlier papers, those discussed in the third part of this work. This study indirectly suggests need to focus BH exports on industrialized countries that are at greater distances. We found that potential Serbian market are not fully utilized, and Christie 2001 in their results indicates that trade between Bosnia, Serbia and Croatia significantly exceeds potential. We must bear

in mind that in the meantime there was a significant change in the political environment, so that the characteristics of trade between these three countries have significantly changed.

In future studies, it would be necessary to expand number of observed countries. The main problem in extending is availability of data for dummy variables and problem of zero exports. The problem of zero exports can be solved by using appropriate econometric methods, but the problem of unavailability of data is solvable harder. In addition, it would be desirable to do sectoral gravity model, in order to identify export sectors of manufacturing industry with potential for export growth. Due to the considerably high level of economic sovereignty realized in entities in BH, it would be expedient to construct a gravity model to analyze the total export of BH by the entity segments.

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# APPENDIX

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| Table 2: Logarithm | value of BH export in | period 2002–2011 |
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| Tuble 2. Logurunn  | чине ој БП елроп т    | periou 2002-2011 |

| 1         Austria         19.9028         19.5796         19.2587         19.5741         19.2703         19.3190         18.8600         18.5077         18.3588           2         Belgium         16.9787         17.4995         16.9932         17.2516         17.0786         16.5484         16.2105         16.1755         15.9573           3         Bulgaria         16.3838         15.8392         15.6502         16.9569         17.7793         16.9662         15.5465         14.3458         13.8453           4         Cyprus         14.7916         15.2137         15.5494         17.2833         17.5504         17.2551         14.2353         14.5449         14.1676           6         Denmark         12.2167         15.2137         15.5498         15.4167         15.5307         14.7575         14.2333         14.5449         14.1676           7         Estonia         12.6607         15.8014         13.2323         17.504         17.504         17.607         17.7469         17.8830           10         Greece         15.8621         17.7469         17.8910         18.1258         17.9772         16.7755         15.9444         15.8427         15.8421         15.8421         15.8421         15.8  | 2002    | 2003    | 2004    | 2005    | 2006    | 2007    | 2008    | 2009    | 2010    | 2011    | ln export      |    |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|----|
| 3         Bulgaria         16,3838         15,8392         15,6502         16,9569         17,3793         16,9662         15,5465         14,3458         13,8556           4         Cyprus         14,7916         15,0310         13,2339         13,2231         13,3423         11,7629         11,6836         11,9897         13,4109           5         Czech Republic         18,1128         17,7793         15,5498         15,4167         15,5307         14,7575         14,2333         14,5449         14,1676           6         Denmark         15,2167         15,2137         15,5498         15,4167         15,3307         14,7575         14,2353         14,5449         14,1676           7         Brinand         13,6423         12,5208         13,8041         13,3421         10,8151         16,9051         15,0191         12,5652         13,33156           9         France         17,9860         17,8910         18,1691         18,1258         17,9724         16,1755         15,9434         15,8282         17,0703           11         Ireland         13,7422         13,8051         14,4844         14,2206         14,3828         13,7120         12,5140         12,7440         12,0202         14,7030  | 17,8806 | 18,3588 | 18,5077 | 18,6800 | 19,3190 | 19,3703 | 19,5541 | 19,2587 | 19,5796 | 19,9028 | Austria        | 1  |
| 4         Cyprus         14,7916         15,0310         13,2339         13,2231         13,3423         11,7263         11,6836         11,9897         13,4109           5         Czech Republic         18,1128         17,7648         17,7799         17,8393         17,5504         17,2933         16,9756         15,8304         15,8467           6         Denmark         15,2167         15,5137         15,5498         15,4167         15,5307         14,7575         14,2533         14,4549         14,1676           7         Estonia         12,1063         8,0064         6,9078         11,8204         13,3421         10,8517         8,9213         9,9050         11,5008           8         Finland         13,6423         12,5209         13,7151         14,0444         12,7021         16,1755         15,9434         15,8528         17,70703           11         Ireland         13,7462         13,8051         13,7151         14,4844         14,2264         14,8582         13,7120         12,2140         12,7440           12         Italy         20,3452         20,1849         20,2263         20,1160         19,9734         19,762         19,613         19,6353           13         Lithuania </td <td>15,4213</td> <td>15,9573</td> <td>16,1755</td> <td>16,2105</td> <td>16,5484</td> <td>17,0786</td> <td>17,2516</td> <td>16,9932</td> <td>17,4995</td> <td>16,9787</td> <td>Belgium</td> <td>2</td>     | 15,4213 | 15,9573 | 16,1755 | 16,2105 | 16,5484 | 17,0786 | 17,2516 | 16,9932 | 17,4995 | 16,9787 | Belgium        | 2  |
| 5         Czech Republic         18,1128         17,7648         17,7799         17,8393         17,5504         17,2963         16,9756         15,8304         15,8409           6         Denmark         15,2167         15,2137         15,5498         15,4167         15,5307         14,7575         14,2353         14,5449         14,1676           7         Estonia         12,1063         8,0064         6,9078         11,8204         13,3342         10,8517         8,9213         9,9050         11,5008           8         Finland         13,6423         12,2209         13,7851         14,0561         12,1808         13,4051         15,0190         12,6562         13,3356           9         France         17,8800         15,7444         15,7924         16,1755         15,9434         15,8528         17,0703           11         Ireland         13,7462         13,8205         13,7515         14,4844         14,2296         14,3882         13,1720         12,5140         12,7440           12         Italuania         16,0479         14,3325         16,6925         13,9903         12,7563         14,5941         15,1641         11,960           14         Luxembourg         17,4490         17,0  | 14,0104 | 13,8556 | 14,3458 | 15,5465 | 16,9662 | 17,3793 | 16,9569 | 15,6502 | 15,8392 | 16,3838 | Bulgaria       | 3  |
| 6         Denmark         15,2167         15,2137         15,5498         15,4167         15,5307         14,7575         14,2353         14,5449         14,1676           7         Estonia         12,1063         8,0064         6,9078         11,8204         13,3321         10,8517         8,9213         9,9050         11,5008           8         Finland         13,6423         12,5209         13,7851         14,0561         13,3421         10,8517         8,9213         9,9050         11,3336           9         France         17,9860         17,8910         18,1691         18,1258         17,9772         18,3210         17,7697         17,7469         17,8850           10         Greece         15,8632         15,7446         15,4082         15,6447         15,7924         16,1755         15,9434         15,8528         17,0703           11         Ireland         13,0421         12,3100         12,7440         12,0403         12,7440         19,062         19,613         19,6353           13         Lithuania         16,0479         14,3252         16,6925         13,9903         14,71030         12,28906         14,1564         19,060           14         Luxembourg         17,4490  | 12,4630 | 13,4109 | 11,9897 | 11,6836 | 11,7629 | 13,3423 | 13,2231 | 13,2339 | 15,0310 | 14,7916 | Cyprus         | 4  |
| 7         Estonia         12,1063         8,0064         6,9078         11,8204         13,3342         10,8517         8,9213         9,9050         11,5008           8         Finland         13,6423         12,2509         13,7851         14,0561         12,11808         13,4051         15,0190         12,6562         13,3356           9         France         17,9860         17,8910         18,1610         18,1258         17,9772         18,3210         17,7469         17,7459         17,7469         17,8500           10         Greece         15,8632         15,7446         15,4082         15,6447         15,7924         16,1755         15,9434         15,8528         17,0703           11         Ireland         13,7462         13,8205         13,7515         14,4844         14,2296         14,3882         13,1720         12,5140         12,7440           12         Italy         20,0233         16,6925         13,9903         14,7030         12,7563         14,5941         15,1641         11,9660           14         Luxembourg         17,4490         17,0089         16,756         16,8478         16,7169         14,712         12,8061         14,1568         14,2548           15   | 15,2789 | 15,8467 | 15,8304 | 16,9756 | 17,2963 | 17,5504 | 17,8393 | 17,7799 | 17,7648 | 18,1128 | Czech Republic | 5  |
| 8         Finland         13,6423         12,5209         13,7851         14,0561         12,1808         13,4051         15,0190         12,6562         13,3356           9         France         17,9860         17,8910         18,1691         18,1258         17,9772         18,3210         17,7697         17,7469         17,8850           10         Greece         15,8632         15,7446         15,6447         15,7924         16,1755         15,9434         15,8528         17,0703         12,7460         12,7460         12,7440           11         Ireland         13,7462         13,8205         13,7515         14,4844         14,2296         14,3882         13,1720         12,5140         12,7440           12         Italy         20,3452         20,180         20,2623         20,1160         19,9734         19,7062         19,6613         19,6333           13         Lithuania         16,0479         14,3325         16,6926         14,8478         16,7169         14,7412         12,8906         14,1568         14,2548           14         Luxembourg         17,4490         17,0089         16,7366         16,8478         16,7169         14,7412         12,8906         14,1568         14,2548 <td>14,9211</td> <td>14,1676</td> <td>14,5449</td> <td>14,2353</td> <td>14,7575</td> <td>15,5307</td> <td>15,4167</td> <td>15,5498</td> <td>15,2137</td> <td>15,2167</td> <td>Denmark</td> <td>6</td>     | 14,9211 | 14,1676 | 14,5449 | 14,2353 | 14,7575 | 15,5307 | 15,4167 | 15,5498 | 15,2137 | 15,2167 | Denmark        | 6  |
| 9         France         17,9800         17,8910         18,1691         18,1258         17,9772         18,3210         17,7697         17,7469         17,8850           10         Greece         15,8632         15,7446         15,4082         15,6447         15,7924         16,1755         15,9434         15,8528         17,0703           11         Ireland         13,7462         13,8205         13,7515         14,4844         14,2296         14,3882         13,1720         12,5140         12,7440           12         Italy         20,3452         20,1149         20,0281         20,2623         20,1160         19,9734         19,7062         19,6613         19,6353           13         Lithuania         16,0479         14,3325         16,6925         18,8429         18,8479         18,711         18,3511         18,15141         11,9660           14         Luxembourg         17,4490         17,0089         16,7566         16,8478         16,7169         14,7412         12,8906         14,1568         14,2548           15         Hungary         18,84216         17,863         17,4982         16,7437         16,9160         16,0844         16,3538           16         Germany         20,57  | 11,4802 | 11,5008 | 9,9050  | 8,9213  | 10,8517 | 13,3342 | 11,8204 | 6,9078  | 8,0064  | 12,1063 | Estonia        | 7  |
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| 11         Ireland         13,7462         13,8205         13,7515         14,4844         14,2296         14,3882         13,1720         12,5140         12,7440           12         Italy         20,3452         20,1849         20,0281         20,2623         20,1160         19,9734         19,7062         19,6613         19,6353           13         Lithuania         16,0479         14,3325         16,6925         13,9903         14,7010         12,7563         14,5941         15,1641         11,9660           14         Luxembourg         17,4490         17,0089         16,7566         16,8478         16,7169         14,7412         12,8906         14,1568         14,2548           15         Hungary         18,5865         18,2633         17,9925         18,8429         18,8489         18,8713         18,5371         18,1419         16,9109           16         Malta         14,1563         10,4913         11,9316         13,2691         6,9078         13,5568         9,0632         8,5943         12,0295           17         Netherlands         18,4216         17,8186         17,8549         17,4982         16,7437         16,9160         16,5333         12,9297         19,1999         19         <  | 17,0846 | 17,8850 | 17,7469 | 17,7697 | 18,3210 | 17,9772 | 18,1258 | 18,1691 | 17,8910 | 17,9860 | France         | 9  |
| 12         Italy         20,3452         20,1849         20,0281         20,2623         20,1160         19,9734         19,7062         19,6613         19,6353           13         Lithuania         16,0479         14,3325         16,6925         13,9903         14,7030         12,7563         14,5941         15,1641         11,9660           14         Luxembourg         17,4490         17,008         16,7656         16,8478         16,7169         14,7412         12,8906         14,1568         14,2548           15         Hungary         18,8565         18,2633         17,9925         18,8429         18,8473         18,5371         18,1419         16,9109           16         Malta         14,1563         10,4913         11,9316         13,2691         6,9078         13,5568         9,0632         8,5943         12,0295           17         Netherlands         18,4216         17,8186         17,6008         17,8549         17,4982         16,7437         16,9160         16,0844         16,5338           18         Germany         20,5779         20,4158         20,1749         20,3426         19,9041         19,7803         19,4996         19,5972         19,19997         19,91791         19,59051   | 17,0718 | 17,0703 | 15,8528 | 15,9434 | 16,1755 | 15,7924 | 15,6447 | 15,4082 | 15,7446 | 15,8632 | Greece         | 10 |
| 13         Lithuania         16,0479         14,3325         10,6925         13,9903         14,7030         12,7563         14,5941         15,1641         11,9660           14         Luxembourg         17,4490         17,0089         16,7566         16,8478         16,7169         14,7412         12,8906         14,1568         14,2548           15         Hungary         18,5865         18,2633         17,9925         18,8479         18,8489         18,8713         18,5371         18,1149         16,9109           16         Malta         14,1563         10,4913         11,9316         17,6008         17,8549         17,4982         16,7437         16,9160         16,0844         16,3538           18         Germany         20,5779         20,4158         20,1749         20,3426         20,0941         19,7803         19,4396         19,5972         19,1999           19         Poland         18,0521         17,7808         17,3892         17,6955         18,0897         17,4140         15,9160         15,3312           20         Portugal         15,7732         14,7722         15,3472         14,7888         14,8391         14,7587           21         Romania         17,5987         17  | 12,3576 | 12,7440 | 12,5140 | 13,1720 | 14,3882 | 14,2296 | 14,4844 | 13,7515 | 13,8205 | 13,7462 | Ireland        | 11 |
| 14         Luxembourg         17,4490         17,0089         16,7566         16,8478         16,7169         14,7412         12,8906         14,1568         14,2548           15         Hungary         18,5865         18,2633         17,9925         18,8429         18,8489         18,8713         18,5371         18,1419         16,9109           16         Malta         14,1563         10,4913         11,9316         13,2691         6,9078         13,5568         9,0632         8,5943         12,0295           17         Netherlands         18,4216         17,8186         17,6008         17,8549         17,4982         16,7437         16,9160         16,0844         16,3338           18         Germany         20,5779         20,4158         20,1749         20,3426         20,0941         19,7803         19,4396         19,5972         19,1999           19         Poland         18,0852         17,7808         17,3892         17,6102         17,6955         18,0897         17,4140         15,9160         15,3312           20         Portugal         15,7732         14,7722         15,1389         15,5363         15,6971         15,3472         14,7886         14,8391         14,7587 <t< td=""><td>19,3530</td><td>19,6353</td><td>19,6613</td><td>19,7062</td><td>19,9734</td><td>20,1160</td><td>20,2623</td><td>20,0281</td><td>20,1849</td><td>20,3452</td><td>Italy</td><td>12</td></t<>              | 19,3530 | 19,6353 | 19,6613 | 19,7062 | 19,9734 | 20,1160 | 20,2623 | 20,0281 | 20,1849 | 20,3452 | Italy          | 12 |
| 15         Hungary         18,5865         18,2633         17,9925         18,8429         18,8489         18,8713         18,5371         18,1419         16,9109           16         Malta         14,1563         10,4913         11,9316         13,2691         6,9078         13,5568         9,0632         8,5943         12,0295           17         Netherlands         18,4216         17,8186         17,6008         17,8492         16,7437         16,9160         16,0844         16,3538           18         Germany         20,5779         20,4158         20,1749         20,3426         20,0941         19,7803         19,4396         19,5972         19,1999           19         Poland         18,0852         17,7808         17,3892         17,6102         17,6955         18,0897         17,4140         15,9160         15,3312           20         Portugal         15,7732         14,7722         15,1389         15,5363         15,6971         15,3472         14,7888         14,8391         14,7587           21         Romania         17,5987         17,7056         17,5122         18,0156         17,4881         18,1164         17,4876         16,6970         13,3859           22         Sloven  | 12,0636 | 11,9660 | 15,1641 | 14,5941 | 12,7563 | 14,7030 | 13,9903 | 16,6925 | 14,3325 | 16,0479 | Lithuania      | 13 |
| 16         Maita         14,1563         10,4913         11,9316         13,2691         6,9078         13,5568         9,0632         8,5943         12,0295           17         Netherlands         18,4216         17,8186         17,6008         17,8549         17,4982         16,7437         16,9160         16,0844         16,3538           18         Germany         20,5779         20,4158         20,1749         20,3426         20,0941         19,7803         19,4396         19,5972         19,1999           19         Poland         18,0852         17,7808         17,3892         17,6012         17,6955         18,0897         17,4140         15,9160         15,3312           20         Portugal         15,732         14,7723         15,1380         15,563         15,6971         15,3472         14,7887         14,7587           21         Romania         17,5987         17,7056         17,5122         18,0156         17,4881         18,1164         17,4876         16,6970         13,3859           22         Slovania         20,0354         19,8419         19,6117         19,9467         19,9277         19,9631         19,4604         18,7449         18,3489           24         Spain </td <td>14,6702</td> <td>14,2548</td> <td>14,1568</td> <td>12,8906</td> <td>14,7412</td> <td>16,7169</td> <td>16,8478</td> <td>16,7566</td> <td>17,0089</td> <td>17,4490</td> <td>Luxembourg</td> <td>14</td> | 14,6702 | 14,2548 | 14,1568 | 12,8906 | 14,7412 | 16,7169 | 16,8478 | 16,7566 | 17,0089 | 17,4490 | Luxembourg     | 14 |
| 17         Netherlands         18,4216         17,8186         17,6008         17,8549         17,4982         16,7437         16,9160         16,0844         16,3538           18         Germany         20,5779         20,4158         20,1749         20,3426         20,0941         19,7803         19,4396         19,5972         19,1999           19         Poland         18,0852         17,7808         17,3892         17,6102         17,6955         18,0897         17,4140         15,9160         15,3312           20         Portugal         15,7732         14,7722         15,1389         15,6561         15,6971         15,3472         14,7887         14,7587           21         Romania         17,5987         17,7056         17,5122         18,0156         17,4881         18,1164         17,47876         16,6970         13,3859           22         Slovakia         18,1760         17,2773         16,9471         17,1723         17,3731         16,0977         15,4153         15,6333         15,5504           23         Slovenia         20,0354         19,8419         19,6117         19,9467         19,9277         19,9631         19,4604         18,7449         18,3489           24 <t< td=""><td>15,7779</td><td>16,9109</td><td>18,1419</td><td>18,5371</td><td>18,8713</td><td>18,8489</td><td>18,8429</td><td>17,9925</td><td>18,2633</td><td>18,5865</td><td>Hungary</td><td>15</td></t<>          | 15,7779 | 16,9109 | 18,1419 | 18,5371 | 18,8713 | 18,8489 | 18,8429 | 17,9925 | 18,2633 | 18,5865 | Hungary        | 15 |
| 18         Germany         20,5779         20,4158         20,1749         20,3426         20,0941         19,7803         19,4396         19,5972         19,1999           19         Poland         18,0852         17,7808         17,3892         17,6102         17,6955         18,0897         17,4140         15,9160         15,3312           20         Portugal         15,7732         14,7722         15,1389         15,563         15,6971         15,3472         14,7888         14,8391         14,7587           21         Romania         17,5987         17,7056         17,5122         15,0156         17,4881         18,1164         17,4786         16,6970         13,3859           22         Slovakia         18,1760         17,2773         16,9471         17,1723         17,3731         16,0977         15,4153         15,6333         15,5504           23         Slovenia         20,0354         19,8419         19,6117         19,9467         19,9277         19,9631         19,4604         18,7449         18,3489           24         Spain         17,7647         17,3923         17,1195         17,1194         16,9873         16,9426         17,0514         17,1657         16,8417           2  | 12,1724 | 12,0295 | 8,5943  | 9,0632  | 13,5568 | 6,9078  | 13,2691 | 11,9316 | 10,4913 | 14,1563 | Malta          | 16 |
| 19         Poland         18,0852         17,7808         17,3892         17,6102         17,6955         18,0897         17,4140         15,9160         15,3312           20         Portugal         15,7732         14,7722         15,1389         15,5363         15,6971         15,3472         14,7888         14,8391         14,7587           21         Romania         17,5987         17,7056         17,5122         18,0166         17,4881         18,1164         17,4876         16,6970         13,3859           22         Slovakia         18,1760         17,2773         16,9471         17,1723         17,3931         16,0977         15,4153         15,6333         15,5504           23         Slovenia         20,0354         19,8419         19,6117         19,9467         19,9277         19,9631         19,4604         18,7449         18,3489           24         Spain         17,7647         17,3923         17,1295         17,1194         16,9873         16,9426         17,0514         17,1657         16,8417           25         Sweden         17,4655         17,3005         16,9808         17,3540         17,0347         16,7526         17,0131         15,8259         15,6756           2  | 16,1313 | 16,3538 | 16,0844 | 16,9160 | 16,7437 | 17,4982 | 17,8549 | 17,6008 | 17,8186 | 18,4216 | Netherlands    | 17 |
| 20         Portugal         15,7732         14,7722         15,1389         15,5363         15,6971         15,3472         14,7888         14,8391         14,7587           21         Romania         17,5987         17,7056         17,5122         18,0156         17,4881         18,1164         17,4876         16,6970         13,3859           22         Slovakia         18,1760         17,2773         16,9471         17,1723         17,3731         16,0977         15,4153         15,6333         15,5504           23         Slovenia         20,0354         19,8419         19,6117         19,9467         19,9277         19,9631         19,4604         18,7449         18,3489           24         Spain         17,7647         17,3923         17,1295         17,1194         16,9873         16,9426         17,0131         15,8259         15,6753           26         United Kingdom         16,7638         16,9012         16,8440         17,6555         16,5434         16,4723         16,1702         15,7971         15,6756           27         Norway         15,8030         18,2048         18,7273         18,2009         16,6640         15,7825         16,4210         16,4616           29 <t< td=""><td>18,6161</td><td>19,1999</td><td>19,5972</td><td>19,4396</td><td>19,7803</td><td>20,0941</td><td>20,3426</td><td>20,1749</td><td>20,4158</td><td>20,5779</td><td>Germany</td><td>18</td></t<>          | 18,6161 | 19,1999 | 19,5972 | 19,4396 | 19,7803 | 20,0941 | 20,3426 | 20,1749 | 20,4158 | 20,5779 | Germany        | 18 |
| 21         Romania         17,5987         17,7056         17,5122         18,0156         17,4881         18,1164         17,4876         16,6970         13,3859           22         Slovakia         18,1760         17,2773         16,9471         17,1723         17,3731         16,0977         15,4153         15,6333         15,5504           23         Slovenia         20,0354         19,8419         19,6117         19,9467         19,9277         19,9631         19,4604         18,7449         18,3489           24         Spain         17,7647         17,3923         17,1295         17,1194         16,9873         16,9426         17,0514         17,1657         16,8417           25         Sweden         17,74655         16,9012         16,8440         17,6585         16,5434         16,7526         17,0131         15,8259         15,6753           26         United Kingdom         16,7638         16,9012         16,8440         17,6585         16,5434         16,4723         16,1702         15,7971         15,6756           27         Norway         15,8992         15,5065         15,5148         16,0897         15,3507         15,5609         14,9100         14,8861         14,2621   | 15,1971 | 15,3312 | 15,9160 | 17,4140 | 18,0897 | 17,6955 | 17,6102 | 17,3892 | 17,7808 | 18,0852 | Poland         | 19 |
| 22         Slovakia         18,1760         17,2773         16,9471         17,1723         17,3731         16,0977         15,4153         15,6333         15,5504           23         Slovenia         20,0354         19,8419         19,6117         19,9467         19,9277         19,9631         19,4604         18,7449         18,3489           24         Spain         17,7647         17,3923         17,1295         17,1194         16,9873         16,9426         17,0514         17,1657         16,8417           25         Sweden         17,7655         17,3605         16,9808         17,3640         17,0347         16,7526         17,0131         15,8259         15,6753           26         United Kingdom         16,7638         16,9012         16,8404         17,6585         16,5434         16,4723         16,1702         15,7971         15,6756           27         Norway         15,8992         15,5065         15,5148         16,0897         15,3507         15,5609         14,9100         14,8861         14,2621           28         Switzerland         18,5122         18,5030         18,2048         18,7273         18,2009         16,6404         15,7825         16,4210         16,4616  | 12,2829 | 14,7587 | 14,8391 | 14,7888 | 15,3472 | 15,6971 | 15,5363 |         | 14,7722 | 15,7732 | Portugal       | 20 |
| 23         Slovenia         20,0354         19,8419         19,6117         19,9467         19,9277         19,9631         19,4604         18,7449         18,3489           24         Spain         17,7647         17,3923         17,1295         17,1194         16,8873         16,9426         17,0514         17,1657         16,8417           25         Sweden         17,7655         17,3605         16,9808         17,3640         17,0347         16,7526         17,0131         15,8259         15,6753           26         United Kingdom         16,7638         16,9012         16,8440         17,6585         16,5434         16,4723         16,1702         15,7771         15,6756           27         Norway         15,8992         15,5065         15,5148         16,0897         13,5009         14,9100         14,8861         14,2621           28         Switzerland         18,5122         18,5030         18,2048         18,7273         18,2009         16,6640         15,7825         16,4210         16,4616           29         Australia         14,0003         13,8662         13,6808         13,8470         13,6967         14,4261         15,8547         13,4960         13,5529           30  | 13,0237 | 13,3859 | 16,6970 | 17,4876 | 18,1164 | 17,4881 | 18,0156 | 17,5122 | 17,7056 | 17,5987 | Romania        | 21 |
| 24         Spain         17,7647         17,3923         17,1295         17,1194         16,9873         16,9426         17,0514         17,1657         16,8417           25         Sweden         17,4655         17,3605         16,9808         17,3640         17,0347         16,7526         17,0131         15,8259         15,6753           26         United Kingdom         16,7638         16,9012         16,8440         17,6585         16,5434         16,4723         16,1702         15,7971         15,6753           27         Norway         15,8992         15,5065         15,5148         16,0897         15,3507         15,5609         14,9100         14,8861         14,2621           28         Switzerland         18,5122         18,5030         18,2048         13,6877         13,66640         15,7825         16,4210         16,4616           29         Australia         14,0003         13,8662         13,6804         13,6967         14,4261         15,8547         13,4960         13,5529           30         Canada         15,8013         15,0431         15,0295         15,4937         15,1565         15,1114         14,7922         14,9589         14,9369           31         SAD   | 14,4298 | 15,5504 | 15,6333 | 15,4153 | 16,0977 |         | 17,1723 | 16,9471 |         |         | Slovakia       |    |
| 25         Sweden         17,4655         17,3605         16,9808         17,3640         17,0347         16,7526         17,0131         15,8259         15,6753           26         United Kingdom         16,7638         16,9012         16,8440         17,6585         16,5434         16,4723         16,1702         15,7971         15,6756           27         Norway         15,8992         15,5065         15,5148         16,0897         15,3507         15,5609         14,9100         14,8861         14,2621           28         Switzerland         18,5122         18,5030         18,2048         13,8773         18,2009         16,6640         15,7825         16,4210         16,4616           29         Australia         14,0003         13,8662         13,6808         13,8470         13,6967         14,4261         15,8547         13,4960         13,5529           30         Canada         15,0431         15,0295         15,4937         15,1565         15,1114         14,7922         14,9369           31         SAD         16,4293         16,3484         16,5477         18,5001         18,4764         17,3281         17,9842         16,3503           32         Turkey         18,4856   |         | 18,3489 | 18,7449 | 19,4604 | 19,9631 | 19,9277 | 19,9467 | 19,6117 | 19,8419 | 20,0354 | Slovenia       |    |
| 26         United Kingdom         16,7638         16,9012         16,8440         17,6585         16,5434         16,4723         16,1702         15,7971         15,6756           27         Norway         15,8992         15,5065         15,5148         16,0897         15,3507         15,5609         14,9100         14,8861         14,2621           28         Switzerland         18,5122         18,5030         18,2048         18,7273         18,2009         16,6640         15,7825         16,4210         16,4616           29         Australia         14,0003         13,8662         13,6808         13,470         13,6967         14,4261         15,8547         13,4960         13,5529           30         Canada         15,0431         15,0295         15,4937         15,1565         15,1114         14,7922         14,9589         14,9369           31         SAD         16,4293         16,3484         16,5477         18,5001         18,4764         17,3281         17,9842         16,3033         16,3503           32         Turkey         18,4856         17,8282         17,4221         16,5469         16,6797         16,0484         16,4222         16,2571         15,9363           33   | 14,9616 | 16,8417 | 17,1657 | 17,0514 | 16,9426 | 16,9873 | 17,1194 | 17,1295 | 17,3923 | 17,7647 | Spain          | 24 |
| 27         Norway         15,8992         15,5065         15,5148         16,0897         15,3507         15,5609         14,9100         14,8861         14,2621           28         Switzerland         18,5122         18,5030         18,2048         18,7273         18,2009         16,6640         15,7825         16,4210         16,4616           29         Australia         14,0003         13,8662         13,6808         13,8470         13,6967         14,4261         15,8547         13,4960         13,5529           30         Canada         15,0431         15,0431         15,0295         15,4937         15,1565         15,1114         14,7922         14,9589         14,9369           31         SAD         16,4293         16,5474         16,5477         18,5001         18,4764         17,3281         17,9842         16,3073         16,3503           32         Turkey         18,4856         17,8282         17,4221         16,5469         16,6797         16,0484         16,4222         16,2571         15,9363           33         Montenegro         19,1798         19,1628         18,9697         18,5059         18,4023         17,9775         17,8831         17,2276           34         Cro  | 15,1182 | 15,6753 |         | 17,0131 | 16,7526 |         | 17,3640 | 16,9808 | 17,3605 | 17,4655 | Sweden         | 25 |
| 28         Switzerland         18,5122         18,5030         18,2048         18,7273         18,2009         16,6640         15,7825         16,4210         16,4616           29         Australia         14,0003         13,8662         13,6808         13,8470         13,6967         14,4261         15,8547         13,4960         13,5529           30         Canada         15,8013         15,0431         15,0295         15,4937         15,1565         15,1114         14,7922         14,9589         14,9369           31         SAD         16,4293         16,3484         16,5477         18,5009         16,6797         16,0484         16,4222         16,2571         15,9363           32         Turkey         18,4856         17,8282         17,4221         16,5469         16,6797         16,0484         16,4222         16,2571         15,9363           33         Montenegro         19,1798         19,1628         18,9093         18,9697         18,5059         18,4023         17,9775         17,8381         17,2276           34         Croatia         20,5684         20,4016         20,3240         20,5787         20,4519         20,2237         19,8109         19,6426         19,2740           <  | 15,3434 |         | 15,7971 | 16,1702 | 16,4723 | 16,5434 | 17,6585 | 16,8440 | 16,9012 | 16,7638 | United Kingdom |    |
| 29         Australia         14,0003         13,8662         13,6808         13,8470         13,6967         14,4261         15,8547         13,4960         13,5529           30         Canada         15,8013         15,0431         15,0295         15,4937         15,1565         15,1114         14,7922         14,9589         14,9369           31         SAD         16,4293         16,3484         16,5477         18,5001         18,4764         17,3281         17,9842         16,3073         16,3503           32         Turkey         18,4856         17,8282         17,4221         16,5469         16,6797         16,0484         16,4222         16,2571         15,9363           33         Montenegro         19,1798         19,1628         18,9093         18,5059         18,4023         17,9775         17,8831         17,2276           34         Croatia         20,5684         20,4016         20,3240         20,577         20,4519         20,2237         19,6426         19,2740           35         Macedonia         18,338         17,673         17,5763         17,3434         17,1019         16,8474         16,5723         16,2869           36         Serbia         20,3843         20,2222<  | 13,3673 | 14,2621 | 14,8861 | 14,9100 | 15,5609 | 15,3507 | 16,0897 | 15,5148 | 15,5065 | 15,8992 | Norway         | 27 |
| 30         Canada         15,8013         15,0431         15,0295         15,4937         15,1565         15,1114         14,7922         14,9589         14,9369           31         SAD         16,4293         16,3484         16,5477         18,5001         18,4764         17,3281         17,9842         16,3073         16,3503           32         Turkey         18,4856         17,8282         17,4221         16,5469         16,6797         16,0484         16,4222         16,2571         15,9363           33         Montenegro         19,1798         19,1628         18,9093         18,9697         18,5059         18,4023         17,9775         17,8831         17,2276           34         Croatia         20,5684         20,4016         20,3240         20,577         20,4519         20,2237         19,8109         19,6426         19,2740           35         Macedonia         18,3338         17,6737         17,5163         17,3434         17,1019         16,8474         16,5723         16,2869           36         Serbia         20,3843         20,2222         20,0823         20,3733         20,0032         19,5685         19,2287         19,1343         18,4787  | 17,2265 | 16,4616 | 16,4210 | 15,7825 | 16,6640 | 18,2009 | 18,7273 | 18,2048 | 18,5030 | 18,5122 | Switzerland    |    |
| 31         SAD         16,4293         16,3484         16,5477         18,5001         18,4764         17,3281         17,9842         16,3073         16,3503           32         Turkey         18,4856         17,8282         17,4221         16,5469         16,6797         16,0484         16,4222         16,2571         15,9363           33         Montenegro         19,1798         19,1628         18,9093         18,9697         18,0595         18,4023         17,9775         17,8831         17,2276           34         Croatia         20,5684         20,4016         20,3240         20,5787         20,4519         20,2237         19,8109         19,6426         19,2740           35         Macedonia         18,3338         17,6737         17,5934         17,7163         17,3434         17,1019         16,8474         16,5723         16,2869           36         Serbia         20,3843         20,2222         20,0823         20,3733         20,0032         19,5685         19,2287         19,1343         18,4787   | 12,9939 | 13,5529 |         |         | 14,4261 | 13,6967 | 13,8470 | 13,6808 | 13,8662 | 14,0003 | Australia      |    |
| 32         Turkey         18,4856         17,8282         17,4221         16,5469         16,6797         16,0484         16,4222         16,2571         15,9363           33         Montenegro         19,1798         19,1628         18,9093         18,9697         18,5059         18,4023         17,9775         17,8331         17,2276           34         Croatia         20,5684         20,4016         20,3240         20,577         20,4519         20,2237         19,8109         19,6426         19,2740           35         Macedonia         18,3338         17,6737         17,5934         17,7163         17,3434         17,1019         16,8474         16,5723         16,2869           36         Serbia         20,3843         20,2222         20,0823         20,3733         20,0032         19,5685         19,2287         19,1343         18,4787   | 14,1007 | 14,9369 | 14,9589 | 14,7922 | 15,1114 | 15,1565 | 15,4937 | 15,0295 | 15,0431 | 15,8013 | Canada         | 30 |
| 33         Montenegro         19,1798         19,1628         18,9093         18,9697         18,5059         18,4023         17,9775         17,8831         17,2276           34         Croatia         20,5684         20,4016         20,3240         20,5787         20,4519         20,2237         19,8109         19,6426         19,2740           35         Macedonia         18,3338         17,6737         17,5934         17,7163         17,3434         17,1019         16,8474         16,5723         16,2869           36         Serbia         20,3843         20,2222         20,0823         20,3733         20,0032         19,5685         19,2287         19,1343         18,4787  | 16,3962 | 16,3503 | 16,3073 | 17,9842 | 17,3281 | 18,4764 | 18,5001 | 16,5477 | 16,3484 | 16,4293 | SAD            | 31 |
| 34         Croatia         20,5684         20,4016         20,3240         20,5787         20,4519         20,2237         19,8109         19,6426         19,2740           35         Macedonia         18,3338         17,6737         17,5934         17,7163         17,3434         17,1019         16,8474         16,5723         16,2869           36         Serbia         20,3843         20,2222         20,0823         20,3733         20,0032         19,5685         19,2287         19,1343         18,4787  |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         | Turkey         |    |
| 35         Macedonia         19,3338         17,6737         17,5934         17,7163         17,3434         17,1019         16,8474         16,5723         16,2869           36         Serbia         20,3843         20,2222         20,0823         20,3733         20,0032         19,5685         19,2287         19,1343         18,4787   |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         | Montenegro     |    |
| 36         Serbia         20,3843         20,2222         20,0823         20,3733         20,0032         19,5685         19,2287         19,1343         18,4787  |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         | Croatia        |    |
|  |         | 16,2869 | 16,5723 |         | 17,1019 |         | 17,7163 | 17,5934 |         |         | Macedonia      |    |
|  | 18,5528 | 18,4787 | 19,1343 | 19,2287 |         | 20,0032 |         | 20,0823 | 20,2222 | 20,3843 | Serbia         |    |
| 37         Russia         17,4484         17,0606         16,7182         16,2313         15,4832         15,2784         14,7890         16,6302         14,5162  | 12,9863 | 14,5162 | 16,6302 | 14,7890 | 15,2784 | 15,4832 | 16,2313 | 16,7182 | 17,0606 | 17,4484 | Russia         | 37 |

## Table 3: Logarithm value of GDP in period 2002–2011

|    | ln GDP      | 2011    | 2010    | 2009    | 2008    | 2007    | 2006    | 2005    | 2004    | 2003    | 2002    |
|----|-------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1  | Austria     | 26,7617 | 26,6628 | 26,6707 | 26,7542 | 26,6517 | 26,5079 | 26,4453 | 26,3994 | 26,2623 | 26,0621 |
| 2  | Belgium     | 26,9643 | 26,8765 | 26,8847 | 26,9565 | 26,8545 | 26,7152 | 26,6579 | 26,6154 | 26,4672 | 26,2594 |
| 3  | Bulgaria    | 24,7032 | 24,5888 | 24,6063 | 24,6711 | 24,4637 | 24,2261 | 24,0869 | 23,9534 | 23,7519 | 23,4945 |
| 4  | Cyprus      | 23,9401 | 23,8588 | 23,8792 | 23,9521 | 23,8038 | 23,6368 | 23,5518 | 23,4743 | 23,3017 | 23,0723 |
| 5  | Czech Rep.  | 26,0951 | 26,0099 | 26,0022 | 26,1413 | 25,9189 | 25,7230 | 25,5913 | 25,4593 | 25,2802 | 25,0854 |
| 6  | Denmark     | 26,5321 | 26,4662 | 26,4634 | 26,5636 | 26,4644 | 26,3378 | 26,2750 | 26,2234 | 26,0828 | 25,8816 |
| 7  | Estonia     | 23,8245 | 23,6649 | 23,6795 | 23,8964 | 23,8140 | 23,5445 | 23,3556 | 23,2103 | 23,0097 | 22,7137 |
| 8  | Finland     | 26,3092 | 26,1975 | 26,2051 | 26,3336 | 26,2306 | 26,0628 | 26,0020 | 25,9667 | 25,8266 | 25,6334 |
| 9  | France      | 28,6521 | 28,5721 | 28,5987 | 28,6757 | 28,5814 | 28,4462 | 28,3909 | 28,3515 | 28,2170 | 28,0082 |
| 10 | Greece      | 26,4372 | 26,4449 | 26,5143 | 26,5774 | 26,4638 | 26,3042 | 26,2151 | 26,1628 | 25,9962 | 25,7199 |
| 11 | Ireland     | 26,1062 | 26,0559 | 26,1335 | 26,3026 | 26,2852 | 26,1344 | 26,0396 | 25,9554 | 25,7948 | 25,5438 |
| 12 | Italy       | 28,4189 | 28,3542 | 28,3808 | 28,4718 | 28,3873 | 28,2595 | 28,2129 | 28,1836 | 28,0480 | 27,8376 |
| 13 | Lithuania   | 24,4779 | 24,3216 | 24,3362 | 24,5851 | 24,3950 | 24,1324 | 23,9852 | 23,8437 | 23,6517 | 23,3792 |
| 14 | Luxembourg  | 24,7908 | 24,7016 | 24,6760 | 24,7844 | 24,6626 | 24,4749 | 24,3536 | 24,2536 | 24,0979 | 23,8438 |
| 15 | Hungary     | 25,6671 | 25,5802 | 25,5645 | 25,7617 | 25,6367 | 25,4465 | 25,4267 | 25,3475 | 25,1486 | 24,9188 |
| 16 | Malta       | 22,9089 | 22,8182 | 22,8143 | 22,8725 | 22,7384 | 22,5755 | 22,5132 | 22,4546 | 22,3576 | 22,1826 |
| 17 | Netherlands | 27,4572 | 27,3835 | 27,4028 | 27,4974 | 27,3873 | 27,2429 | 27,1841 | 27,1379 | 27,0136 | 26,8086 |
| 18 | Germany     | 28,9056 | 28,8208 | 28,8271 | 28,9232 | 28,8336 | 28,6976 | 28,6502 | 28,6353 | 28,5183 | 28,3310 |
| 19 | Poland      | 26,9651 | 26,8747 | 26,7883 | 26,9950 | 26,7761 | 26,5571 | 26,4402 | 26,2567 | 26,1023 | 26,0126 |
| 20 | Portugal    | 26,1992 | 26,1569 | 26,1815 | 26,2571 | 26,1703 | 26,0314 | 25,9817 | 25,9471 | 25,8124 | 25,6118 |
| 21 | Romania     | 25,9691 | 25,8258 | 25,8252 | 26,0431 | 25,8627 | 25,5330 | 25,3201 | 25,0513 | 24,8087 | 24,5516 |
| 22 | Slovakia    | 25,2885 | 25,1919 | 25,1945 | 25,2741 | 25,0427 | 24,7471 | 24,5940 | 24,4667 | 24,2301 | 23,9235 |
| 23 | Slovenia    | 24,6270 | 24,5733 | 24,6188 | 24,7281 | 24,5813 | 24,3864 | 24,3005 | 24,2458 | 24,0971 | 23,8668 |
| 24 | Spain       | 28,0322 | 27,9639 | 28,0091 | 28,1016 | 27,9981 | 27,8441 | 27,7557 | 27,6760 | 27,5095 | 27,2581 |
| 25 | Sweden      | 27,0116 | 26,8590 | 26,7291 | 26,9098 | 26,8599 | 26,7124 | 26,6383 | 26,6152 | 26,4749 | 26,2486 |
| 26 | U. Kingdom  | 28,5138 | 28,4478 | 28,4106 | 28,6083 | 28,6656 | 28,5263 | 28,4566 | 28,4206 | 28,2528 | 28,1100 |
| 27 | Norway      | 26,9046 | 26,7575 | 26,6495 | 26,8413 | 26,6984 | 26,5523 | 26,4405 | 26,2840 | 26,1389 | 25,9804 |
| 28 | Switzerland | 27,1786 | 26,9922 | 26,9223 | 26,9443 | 26,7966 | 26,6926 | 26,6434 | 26,6176 | 26,5073 | 26,3531 |
| 29 | Australia   | 28,0286 | 27,8504 | 27,6228 | 27,6842 | 27,5751 | 27,3800 | 27,3192 | 27,2079 | 27,0132 | 26,7720 |
| 30 | Canada      | 28,1831 | 28,0866 | 27,9219 | 28,0383 | 27,9845 | 27,8768 | 27,7566 | 27,6232 | 27,4870 | 27,3227 |
| 31 | SAD         | 30,3453 | 30,3070 | 30,2657 | 30,2907 | 30,2721 | 30,2246 | 30,1665 | 30,1036 | 30,0418 | 29,9959 |
| 32 | Turkey      | 27,3801 | 27,3226 | 27,1439 | 27,3167 | 27,1989 | 26,9946 | 26,9026 | 26,6951 | 26,4379 | 26,1712 |
| 33 | Montenegro  | 22,2353 | 22,1386 | 22,1469 | 22,2364 | 22,0245 | 21,7158 | 21,5391 | 21,4537 | 21,2586 | 20,9740 |
| 34 | Croatia     | 24,8797 | 24,8314 | 24,8734 | 24,9701 | 24,8070 | 24,6329 | 24,5255 | 24,4373 | 24,2544 | 24,0021 |
| 35 | Macedonia   | 23,0580 | 22,9383 | 22,9571 | 23,0148 | 22,8245 | 22,6055 | 22,5144 | 22,4322 | 22,2854 | 22,0485 |
| 36 | Serbia      | 24,5313 | 24,3616 | 24,4157 | 24,5875 | 24,3857 | 24,1019 | 23,9515 | 23,8867 | 23,6960 | 23,4376 |
| 37 | Russia      | 28,2464 | 28,0280 | 27,8321 | 28,1383 | 27,8932 | 27,6209 | 27,3614 | 27,1054 | 26,7877 | 26,5672 |
| 38 | BiH         | 23,6117 | 23,5315 | 23,5594 | 23,6417 | 23,4472 | 23,2378 | 23,1129 | 23,0381 | 22,8606 | 22,6270 |

|    | In population  | 2011    | 2010    | 2009    | 2008    | 2007    | 2006    | 2005    | 2004    | 2003    | 2002    |
|----|----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1  | Austria        | 15,9458 | 15,9423 | 15,9393 | 15,9362 | 15,9319 | 15,9279 | 15,9227 | 15,9159 | 15,9096 | 15,9051 |
| 2  | Belgium        | 16,2090 | 16,1988 | 16,1907 | 16,1827 | 16,1749 | 16,1679 | 16,1617 | 16,1569 | 16,1531 | 16,1486 |
| 3  | Bulgaria       | 15,8212 | 15,8311 | 15,8389 | 15,8446 | 15,8489 | 15,8540 | 15,8592 | 15,8646 | 15,8698 | 15,8755 |
| 4  | Cyprus         | 13,6122 | 13,5961 | 13,5886 | 13,5785 | 13,5658 | 13,5489 | 13,5265 | 13,5008 | 13,4800 | 13,4674 |
| 5  | Czech Republic | 16,1697 | 16,1676 | 16,1638 | 16,1555 | 16,1464 | 16,1429 | 16,1400 | 16,1390 | 16,1382 | 16,1385 |
| 6  | Denmark        | 15,5313 | 15,5266 | 15,5223 | 15,5159 | 15,5106 | 15,5069 | 15,5039 | 15,5015 | 15,4989 | 15,4960 |
| 7  | Estonia        | 14,1082 | 14,1082 | 14,1082 | 14,1089 | 14,1097 | 14,1119 | 14,1141 | 14,1164 | 14,1200 | 14,1237 |
| 8  | Finland        | 15,5021 | 15,4973 | 15,4928 | 15,4881 | 15,4832 | 15,4789 | 15,4749 | 15,4713 | 15,4680 | 15,4653 |
| 9  | France         | 17,9600 | 17,9554 | 17,9529 | 17,9475 | 17,9421 | 17,9361 | 17,9293 | 17,9220 | 17,9149 | 17,9081 |
| 10 | Greece         | 16,2932 | 16,2299 | 16,2279 | 16,2258 | 16,2235 | 16,2213 | 16,2192 | 16,2172 | 16,2153 | 16,2134 |
| 11 | Ireland        | 15,3374 | 15,3131 | 15,3104 | 15,3021 | 15,2832 | 15,2601 | 15,2348 | 15,2130 | 15,1968 | 15,1808 |
| 12 | Italy          | 17,9202 | 17,9155 | 17,9106 | 17,9035 | 17,8953 | 17,8888 | 17,8839 | 17,8740 | 17,8642 | 17,8585 |
| 13 | Lithuania      | 14,9994 | 15,0055 | 15,0212 | 15,0269 | 15,0322 | 15,0375 | 15,0434 | 15,0498 | 15,0550 | 15,0594 |
| 14 | Luxembourg     | 13,1500 | 13,1343 | 13,1163 | 13,0981 | 13,0815 | 13,0647 | 13,0498 | 13,0346 | 13,0214 | 13,0081 |
| 15 | Hungary        | 16,1167 | 16,1195 | 16,1212 | 16,1226 | 16,1247 | 16,1258 | 16,1278 | 16,1297 | 16,1322 | 16,1354 |
| 16 | Malta          | 12,9551 | 12,9480 | 12,9384 | 12,9312 | 12,9215 | 12,9141 | 12,9092 | 12,9017 | 12,8967 | 12,8892 |
| 17 | Netherlands    | 16,6303 | 16,6258 | 16,6207 | 16,6156 | 16,6117 | 16,6095 | 16,6079 | 16,6056 | 16,6021 | 16,5974 |
| 18 | Germany        | 18,2195 | 18,2193 | 18,2207 | 18,2237 | 18,2254 | 18,2267 | 18,2279 | 18,2283 | 18,2286 | 18,2281 |
| 19 | Poland         | 17,4518 | 17,4585 | 17,4579 | 17,4571 | 17,4564 | 17,4563 | 17,4568 | 17,4575 | 17,4579 | 17,4585 |
| 20 | Portugal       | 16,1818 | 16,1799 | 16,1789 | 16,1781 | 16,1763 | 16,1735 | 16,1696 | 16,1645 | 16,1580 | 16,1505 |
| 21 | Romania        | 16,8795 | 16,8811 | 16,8828 | 16,8844 | 16,8859 | 16,8870 | 16,8886 | 16,8900 | 16,8922 | 16,9205 |
| 22 | Slovakia       | 15,5104 | 15,5084 | 15,5065 | 15,5041 | 15,5021 | 15,5008 | 15,4999 | 15,4991 | 15,4982 | 15,4980 |
| 23 | Slovenia       | 14,5191 | 14,5176 | 14,5166 | 14,5151 | 14,5136 | 14,5136 | 14,5102 | 14,5077 | 14,5067 | 14,5062 |
| 24 | Spain          | 17,6475 | 17,6439 | 17,6404 | 17,6284 | 17,6104 | 17,5942 | 17,5776 | 17,5614 | 17,5451 | 17,5282 |
| 25 | Sweden         | 16,0615 | 16,0579 | 16,0499 | 16,0329 | 16,0408 | 16,0252 | 16,0171 | 16,0131 | 16,0091 | 16,0054 |
| 26 | U. Kingdom     | 17,9530 | 17,9462 | 17,9394 | 17,9325 | 17,9260 | 17,9196 | 17,9138 | 17,9073 | 17,9024 | 17,8985 |
| 27 | Norway         | 15,4195 | 15,4064 | 15,3930 | 15,3814 | 15,3677 | 15,3571 | 15,3485 | 15,3413 | 15,3357 | 15,3300 |
| 28 | Switzerland    | 15,8744 | 15,8684 | 15,8624 | 15,8500 | 15,8372 | 15,8283 | 15,8220 | 15,8156 | 15,8087 | 15,8013 |
| 29 | Australia      | 16,9392 | 16,9267 | 16,9125 | 16,8943 | 16,8725 | 16,8540 | 16,8381 | 16,8238 | 16,8118 | 16,7997 |
| 30 | Canada         | 17,3546 | 17,3440 | 17,3323 | 17,3200 | 17,3085 | 17,2978 | 17,2876 | 17,2781 | 17,2687 | 17,2593 |
| 31 | SAD            | 19,5583 | 19,5512 | 19,5436 | 19,5349 | 19,5256 | 19,5157 | 19,5063 | 19,4970 | 19,4879 | 19,4785 |
| 32 | Turkey         | 18,1189 | 18,1060 | 18,0929 | 18,0795 | 18,0671 | 18,0553 | 18,0433 | 18,0309 | 18,0183 | 18,0053 |
| 33 | Montenegro     | 13,3375 | 13,3770 | 13,3723 | 13,3692 | 13,3661 | 13,3439 | 13,3423 | 13,3407 | 13,3375 | 13,3310 |
| 34 | Croatia        | 15,3007 | 15,3007 | 15,3037 | 15,3050 | 15,3053 | 15,3062 | 15,3066 | 15,3059 | 15,3066 | 15,3068 |
| 35 | Macedonia      | 14,5377 | 14,5363 | 14,5343 | 14,5329 | 14,5309 | 14,5285 | 14,5270 | 14,5250 | 14,5216 | 14,5196 |
| 36 | Serbia         | 15,8185 | 15,8164 | 15,8146 | 15,8146 | 15,8146 | 15,8186 | 15,8225 | 15,8255 | 15,8279 | 15,8304 |
| 37 | Russia         | 18,7742 | 18,7777 | 18,7706 | 18,7706 | 18,7713 | 18,7727 | 18,7770 | 18,7818 | 18,7867 | 18,7922 |
| 38 | BiH            | 15,1739 | 15,1757 | 15,1775 | 15,1793 | 15,1806 | 15,1816 | 15,1813 | 15,1737 | 15,1657 | 15,1579 |

Table 4: Logarithm value of population in period 2007–2011

Table 5: Logarithm value of distance between capitals

| Austria        | 6,23048 | Slovakia       | 6,19032 |
|----------------|---------|----------------|---------|
| Belgium        | 7,17778 | Slovenia       | 5,96871 |
| Bulgaria       | 6,04025 | Spain          | 7,52564 |
| Cyprus         | 7,38088 | Sweden         | 7,45182 |
| Czech Republic | 6,62539 | United Kingdom | 7,39018 |
| Denmark        | 7,22839 | Norway         | 7,52833 |
| Estonia        | 7,48829 | Switzerland    | 6,82220 |
| Finland        | 7,53316 | Australia      | 9,66612 |
| France         | 7,20638 | Canada         | 8,85181 |
| Greece         | 6,67456 | SAD            | 8,92492 |
| Ireland        | 7,64108 | Turkey         | 7,15149 |
| Italy          | 6,26720 | Montenegro     | 5,15329 |
| Lithuania      | 7,17396 | Croatia        | 5,66296 |
| Luxembourg     | 7,03086 | Macedonia      | 5,30827 |
| Hungary        | 6,01372 | Serbia         | 5,29330 |
| Malta          | 6,85013 | Russia         | 7,55119 |
| Netherlands    | 7,22475 |                |         |
| Germany        | 6,93925 |                |         |
| Poland         | 6,86066 | ]              |         |
| Portugal       | 7,76599 | ]              |         |
| Romania        | 6,42811 |                |         |

|    | CEFTA          | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 |
|----|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 1  | Austria        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 2  | Belgium        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 3  | Bulgaria       | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 4  | Cyprus         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 5  | Czech Republic | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 6  | Denmark        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 7  | Estonia        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 8  | Finland        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 9  | France         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 10 | Greece         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 11 | Ireland        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 12 | Italy          | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 13 | Lithuania      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 14 | Luxembourg     | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 15 | Hungary        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 16 | Malta          | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 17 | Netherlands    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 18 | Germany        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 19 | Poland         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 20 | Portugal       | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 21 | Romania        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 22 | Slovakia       | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 23 | Slovenia       | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 24 | Spain          | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 25 | Sweden         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 26 | United Kingdom | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 27 | Norway         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 28 | Switzerland    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 29 | Australia      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 30 | Canada         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 31 | SAD            | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 32 | Turkey         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 33 | Montenegro     | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 34 | Croatia        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 35 | Macedonia      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 36 | Serbia         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 37 | Russia         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |

## Table 6: Membership to CEFTA

## Tabe 7: Membership to EU

|    | EU             | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 |
|----|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 1  | Austria        | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 2  | Belgium        | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 3  | Bulgaria       | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 4  | Cyprus         | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 5  | Czech Republic | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 6  | Denmark        | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 7  | Estonia        | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 8  | Finland        | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 9  | France         | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 10 | Greece         | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 11 | Ireland        | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 12 | Italy          | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 13 | Lithuania      | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 14 | Luxembourg     | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 15 | Hungary        | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 16 | Malta          | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 17 | Netherlands    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 18 | Germany        | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 19 | Poland         | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 20 | Portugal       | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 21 | Romania        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 22 | Slovakia       | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 23 | Slovenia       | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 24 | Spain          | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 25 | Sweden         | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 26 | United Kingdom | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 27 | Norway         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 28 | Switzerland    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 29 | Australia      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 30 | Canada         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 31 | USA            | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 32 | Turkey         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 33 | Montenegro     | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 34 | Croatia        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 35 | Macedonia      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 36 | Serbia         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 37 | Russia         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |

|    |                | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 |
|----|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 1  | Austria        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 2  | Belgium        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 3  | Bulgaria       | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 4  | Cyprus         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 5  | Czech Republic | 1    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 6  | Denmark        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 7  | Estonia        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 8  | Finland        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 9  | France         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 10 | Greece         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 11 | Ireland        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 12 | Italy          | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 13 | Lithuania      | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 14 | Luxembourg     | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 15 | Hungary        | 1    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 16 | Malta          | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 17 | Netherlands    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 18 | Germany        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 19 | Poland         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 20 | Portugal       | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 21 | Romania        | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 22 | Slovakia       | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 23 | Slovenia       | 0    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 24 | Spain          | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 25 | Sweden         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 26 | United Kingdom | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 27 | Norway         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 28 | Switzerland    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 29 | Australia      | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 30 | Canada         | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 31 | USA            | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 32 | Turkey         | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    |
| 33 | Montenegro     | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 34 | Croatia        | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 35 | Macedonia      | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 36 | Serbia         | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    |
| 37 | Russia         | 0    | 0    | 0    | 0    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 0    |

# Table 8: States that grant unilateral preferential to BH or countries that have bilateral agreement about free trade with BH

Table 13: Comparison of estitmated export by WLS method and real export in 2011

|    | Country        | Value of export in<br>USD (2011) (1) | Estimation of export<br>by basic model<br>WLS (2) | Estimation of export by<br>extended model WLS<br>(3) | (1)-(2)    | (1)-(3)    |
|----|----------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|------------|------------|
| 1  | Austria        | 440223000                            | 132196499   | 114227199  | 308026501  | 325995801  |
| 2  | Belgium        | 23645000                             | 18362113  | 18522560   | 5282887    | 5122440    |
| 3  | Bulgaria       | 13043000                             | 34767723  | 22889755   | -21724723  | -9846755   |
| 4  | Cyprus         | 2654000                              | 694398  | 679763   | 1959602    | 1974237    |
| 5  | Czech Republic | 73499000                             | 30873229  | 25582012   | 42625771   | 47916988   |
| 6  | Denmark        | 4060000                              | 10676974  | 11163946   | -6616974   | -7103946   |
| 7  | Estonia        | 181000                               | 513343  | 475537   | -332343    | -294537    |
| 8  | Finland        | 841000                               | 4375800   | 4703888  | -3534800   | -3862888   |
| 9  | France         | 64745000                             | 84807963  | 85977827   | -20062963  | -21232827  |
| 10 | Greece         | 7750000                              | 37284938  | 32030528   | -29534938  | -24280528  |
| 11 | Ireland        | 933000                               | 2831735   | 3083574  | -1898735   | -2150574   |
| 12 | Italy          | 685213000                            | 595016682   | 501944443  | 90196318   | 183268557  |
| 13 | Lithuania      | 9322000                              | 1990308   | 1704360  | 7331692    | 7617640    |
| 14 | Luxembourg     | 37845000                             | 3083266   | 3337725  | 34761734   | 34507275   |
| 15 | Hungary        | 118031000                            | 86374236  | 61564748   | 31656764   | 56466252   |
| 16 | Malta          | 1406000                              | 916759  | 780586   | 489241     | 625414     |
| 17 | Netherlands    | 100096000                            | 26064896  | 26791628   | 74031104   | 73304372   |
| 18 | Germany        | 864711000                            | 198678798   | 192556466  | 666032202  | 672154534  |
| 19 | Poland         | 71502000                             | 42338187  | 34903581   | 29163813   | 36598419   |
| 20 | Portugal       | 7083000                              | 2474874   | 2518565  | 4608126    | 4564435    |
| 21 | Romania        | 43955000                             | 46237421  | 33528286   | -2282421   | 10426714   |
| 22 | Slovakia       | 78298000                             | 39649940  | 29877015   | 38648060   | 48420985   |
| 23 | Slovenia       | 502644000                            | 34459663  | 25916749   | 468184337  | 476727251  |
| 24 | Spain          | 51893000                             | 23335818  | 24017661   | 28557182   | 27875339   |
| 25 | Sweden         | 38473000                             | 10086415  | 10912287   | 28386585   | 27560713   |
| 26 | United Kingdom | 19074000                             | 49411809  | 50855559   | -30337809  | -31781559  |
| 27 | Norway         | 8034000                              | 7320579   | 13261823   | 713421     | -5227823   |
| 28 | Switzerland    | 109589000                            | 48486696  | 76339419   | 61102304   | 33249581   |
| 29 | Australia      | 1203000                              | 162820  | 406931   | 1040180    | 796069     |
| 30 | Canada         | 7285000                              | 238   | 146  | 7284762    | 7284854    |
| 31 | USA            | 13650000                             | 8070290   | 17332606   | 5579710    | -3682606   |
| 32 | Turkey         | 106709000                            | 32824968  | 42896466   | 73884032   | 63812534   |
| 33 | Montenegro     | 213646000                            | 25947868  | 162745795  | 187698132  | 50900205   |
| 34 | Croatia        | 856521000                            | 91706150  | 688413340  | 764814850  | 168107660  |
| 35 | Macedonia      | 91675000                             | 40771750  | 43876964   | 50903250   | 47798036   |
| 36 | Serbia         | 712473000                            | 166066688   | 1054360227   | 546406312  | -341887227 |
| 37 | Russia         | 37821000                             | 29139348  | 16686324   | 8681652    | 21134676   |
|    | totally        | 5419726000                           | 1968001181  | 3436866291   | 3451724819 | 1982859709 |