Federal Ministry
Finance
Republic of Austria

BUDGET 2027

cash expenditure budget 2027	€ m
0,1 General Government Affairs, Court & Security	***15,946.0***
Presidential Chancellery (PC)	12.3
Federal Legislation	276.0
Constitutional Court (CC)	21.2
Supreme Administrative Court (SAC)	27.5
Ombudsman Board (OB)	16.6
Court of Audit (CoA)	48.9
Federal Chancellery	652.6
Interior Affairs	4,100.4
Foreign Affairs	624.1
Justice	2,419.1
Military Affairs	5,148.4
Financial Administration	1,450.2
Tax Revenues	0.0
Housing, Media, Telecomm. and Sport	608.6
Asylum and Migration	540.1
2 Employment, Social Services, Health & Family	***65,669.6***
Labour	10,975.2
Social Affairs and Consumer Protection	6,362.7
Pension Insurance	21,287.1
Pensions for Civil Servants	14,131.8
Health	3,358.5
Family and Youth	9,554.2
3 Education, Research, the Arts and Culture	***21,656.9***
Education	12,860.5
Women, Science and Research	7,360.5
The Arts and Culture	608.7
Economy (research)	223.7
Innovation und Technology (research)	603.5
4 Economic Affairs, Infrastructure & Envirnoment	***16,186.0***
Economy	1,011.5
Mobility	6,725.7
Agriculture, Forestry, Regions a. Water mgmt.	2,842.9
Environment, Climate, and Circular Economy	965.1
Intergovernmental Transfers	3,605.8
Federal Assets	1,034.9
Financial Market Stability	0.3
5 Financial Management and Interest	***8,748.9***
Cash Management	0.0
Financing and Currency Swap Agreements	8,748.9
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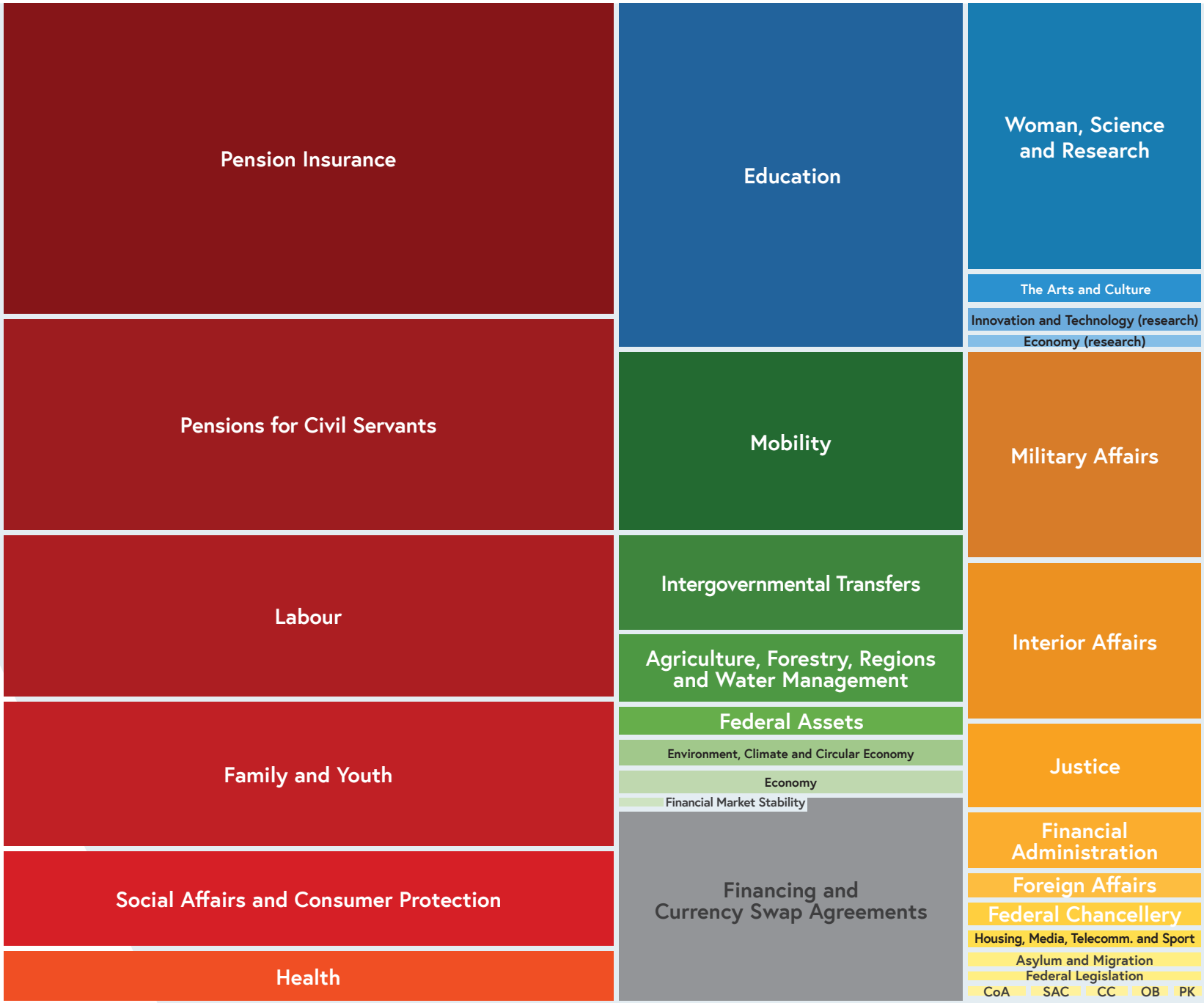

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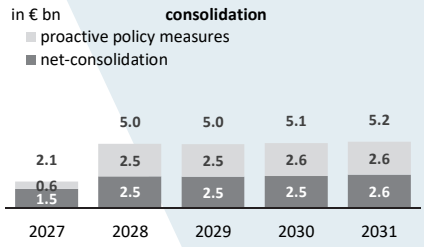
Budget 2027 & 2028 and Medium-Term Expenditure Framework 2027-2031

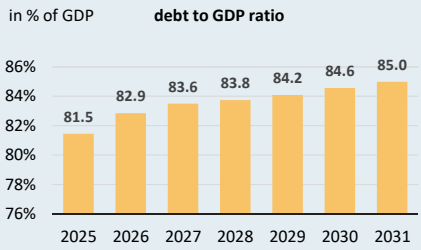
Key figures general government

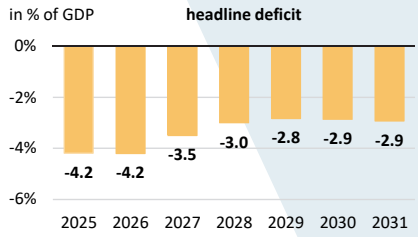


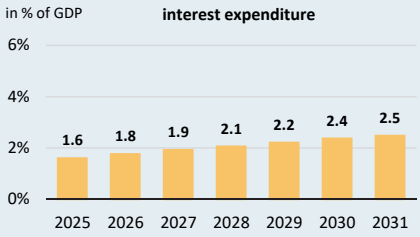
With the 2027/2028 budget, the Federal Government continues its successful fiscal consolidation efforts.

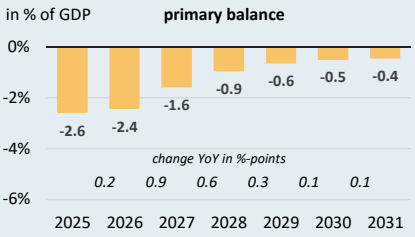
By 2028, a further €2.5 billion will be consolidated to reduce the Maastricht deficit to below 3% of GDP and exit the Excessive Deficit Procedure (EDP).

Public finances remain under pressure due to economic conditions, increasing interest expenditure, and demographic trends.







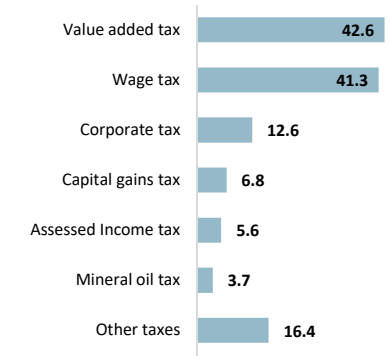


In % of GDP	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031
Government expenditure	57.3	56.0	53.0	52.3	55.3	55.2	55.2	54.7	54.3	54.0	53.9	53.8
Interest expenditure	1.4	1.1	0.9	1.2	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.5
Government revenue	49.1	50.3	49.6	49.7	50.6	51.0	51.0	51.2	51.3	51.2	51.0	50.9
Tax and social contribution ratio (national)	42.4	43.6	43.0	42.6	43.4	43.9	44.0	44.3	44.4	44.4	44.2	44.1
Maastricht balance	**-8.2**	**-5.7**	**-3.4**	**-2.6**	**-4.6**	**-4.2**	**-4.2**	**-3.5**	**-3.0**	**-2.8**	**-2.9**	**-2.9**
Central government	-7.4	-5.2	-3.9	-1.8	-3.4	-3.0	-3.0	-2.7	-2.3	-2.1	-2.2	-2.3
State & local governments, social security	-0.8	-0.5	0.5	-0.7	-1.3	-1.2	-1.2	-0.8	-0.7	-0.7	-0.6	-0.6
Primary balance	**-6.9**	**-4.6**	**-2.5**	**-1.4**	**-3.2**	**-2.6**	**-2.4**	**-1.6**	**-0.9**	**-0.6**	**-0.5**	**-0.4**
Public debt	**83.2**	**82.4**	**78.1**	**77.8**	**80.0**	**81.5**	**82.9**	**83.6**	**83.8**	**84.2**	**84.6**	**85.0**

Source: Statistics Austria, from 2026: MoF forecast

Cash flow statement, budget 2027, 2028 and MTEF 2027-2031

Public gross taxes 2027
€ bn
€ 128.9 bn.



Cash flow statement € bn	2025 outcome	2026 budget	2027 budget	2028 budget	2029 MTEF	2030 MTEF	2031 MTEF
Cash expenditure	**121.5**	**125.9**	**128.2**	**129.0**	**132.4**	**135.8**	**138.2**
Pensions (ch 22-23)	32.8	34.2	35.4	36.8	38.6	40.6	42.6
Education, Sci. & Res. (ch 30-31, ch 33-34)	20.2	20.7	21.0	21.1	21.4	21.7	21.9
Business Location, Infra. and Env. (ch 40-43)	12.5	11.8	11.5	11.8	11.8	12.0	11.9
Labour Market (ch 20)	10.8	10.3	11.0	10.7	10.5	10.2	10.0
Financing & Currency Swap Agmts. (ch 58)	6.8	8.9	8.7	8.7	10.2	10.8	11.3
Social Affairs & Consumer Protection (ch 21)	5.6	5.9	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.7
Military Affairs (ch 14)	4.6	4.8	5.1	5.2	5.4	5.5	5.7
Cash revenue	**107.1**	**107.6**	**112.7**	**115.8**	**117.9**	**120.1**	**122.1**
ch 16 Net taxes	73.8	74.3	78.5	81.9	83.8	85.5	87.6
ch 16 Gross taxes	119.7	122.1	128.9	135.1	138.4	141.8	145.1
ch 16 Intergovernmental tax transfers	-46.0	-47.8	-50.4	-53.2	-55.2	-56.6	-58.0
ch 20 Labour	10.0	10.5	11.1	11.6	12.0	12.4	12.8
ch 25 Family and Youth	9.1	9.5	10.0	8.9	9.1	9.3	9.5
Net financial balance	**-14.4**	**-18.3**	**-15.5**	**-13.2**	**-14.5**	**-15.7**	**-16.0**

Economic data

		2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031
GDP (real)	*% change*	-6.3	4.9	5.3	-0.8	-0.7	0.6	0.9	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0
GDP (nominal)	*bn €*	380.3	406.2	449.4	477.8	494.1	512.8	528.5	547.2	564.9	582.6	600.1	617.5
Unemployment (national)	*%*	9.9	8.0	6.3	6.4	7.0	7.4	7.4	7.1	6.8	6.4	6.0	5.7
Unemployment (national)	*1000-persons*	409.6	331.7	263.1	270.8	297.9	317.5	316.5	306.5	293.8	279.5	262.4	245.5
Inflation	*% change*	1.4	2.8	8.6	7.8	2.9	3.6	2.7	2.3	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.9
10-y. governm. bond yield	*in %*	-0.2	-0.1	1.7	3.1	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.1

Source: Statistics Austria, WIFO Macro-forecast April 2026

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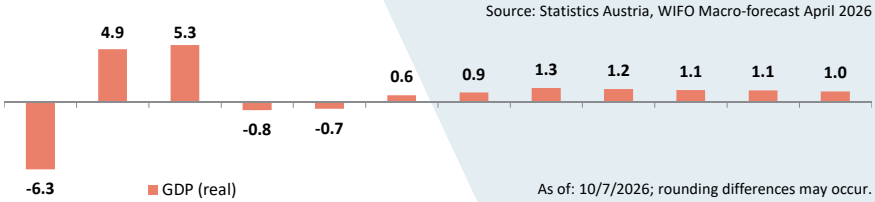

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