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Highlights

▶ Spain grew well above its peers from 2014 to 2019 amid significant deleveraging.

▶ In 2020 the impact of Covid-19 has been very significant, limited by short-term mitigation measures. Bold and timely package of direct budgetary support (5.3% GDP) and liquidity measures (15.3% GDP).

▶ Going forward, the government's growth-enhancing agenda will continue to be pursued, focusing on digitalization, the greening of the economy, gender equality and inclusiveness, notably leveraging resources from Next Generation EU.

Commitment to resume the downward trend in the fiscal deficit and debt-to-GDP ratio as soon as output gap closes.

▶ Full-year budget approved for 2021, first time since 2016.

Net government funding is expected to be around €100bn in 2021, below the €110bn that were executed in 2020. Funding costs are at historic lows: average cost of debt outstanding at 1.85% and cost at issuance at 0.02%.

Political consensus to take advantage of historic opportunity to enhance potential growth.



Macroeconomic scenario 2020-2021

Macroeconomic scenario (YoY growth rates in percent)													
	2017	2019	2010				2020			2021			
	2017	2010	2018 2019	Q1	Q2	QЗ	Q4	2020	Q1	Q2	QЗ	Inertial	Han
Private consumption expenditure	3.0	1.8	0.9	1.1	0.4	1.2	1.0	-12.6	-61	-24.7	-10.2	83	10.7
General Government consumption expenditure	1.0	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.6	63	3.7	3.1	3.7	0.5	2.6
Gross Fixed Capital Formation	68	61	2.7	5.7	1.3	2.8	0.9	-183	-5.1	-25.8	-11.9	7.2	15.0
National Demand (Contribution to GDP Growth)	3.1	3.0	1.4	2.1	0.9	15	1.0	- 9 .7	-3.9	-18.8	-7.8	6.1	9.3
Exports of goods and services	5.5	2.3	2.3	1.1	3.2	2.7	2.1	-22.7	-5.6	-381	-17.0	11.7	180
Imports of goods and services	68	4.2	0.7	0.8	-0.1	2.0	0.3	-20.0	-5.4	-33.5	-15.7	86	17.1
External demand (Contribution to GDP Growth)	-0.2	-0.5	0.6	0.1	1.2	0.3	0.7	-1.5	-0.2	-2.7	-0.9	1.1	0.5
Gress Domestic Product	3.0	2.4	2.0	2.2	2.1	18	17	-11.2	-4.2	-215	-8.7	7.2	9.8

Othervariables

	2017	2019	2018 2019				2020				2021		
	2017	2010	2019	Q1	Q2	QЗ	Q4	2020	Q1	Q2	QЗ	Inertial	Han
Unemployment rate (in% of Active Population)	17.2	15.3	14.1	147	140	13.9	13.8	17.1	14.4	15.3	163	169	163
Full-time Equiv. Employment (YoY Growth)	2.9	2.6	2.3	2.8	2.5	1.8	2.1	-84	-0.5	-184	-5.5	5.6	7.2
Netlending(+) /borrowing(-) with RoW(% of GDP)	3.0	2.4	2.5	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.5	1.4	2.5	1.8	-	1.4	1.1
Private Consumption deflator (YoY Growth)	1.5	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.5	0.7	0.8	0.0	1.1	0.2	0.1	0.9	0.9
Headline Balance General Gov't(in%of GDP)*	-3.0	-2.5	-2.9	-2.5	-2.8	-2.7	-2.9	-11.3	-3.4	-69	—	-7.7	-7.7
USD /€ exchange rate	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	2
Euro Area GDP growth (YoY growth)	2.7	1.9	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.0	-80	-3.3	-148	-4.3	5.0	כ
Oil prices (Brent, USD /barrel)	54.3	70.9	64.8	63.1	69.7	62.2	64.4	42.6	51.0	27.8	43.3	46.	6

Sources: Ministerio de Asuntos Económicos y Transformación Digital and Ministerio de Hacienda. Shaded areas are realisations. In white, forecasts contained in the Macroeconomic Scenario Update - Oct 2020.

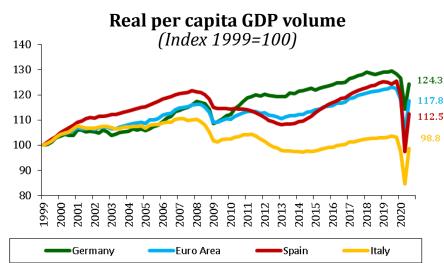
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Spain has recorded six years of strong and sustainable growth...

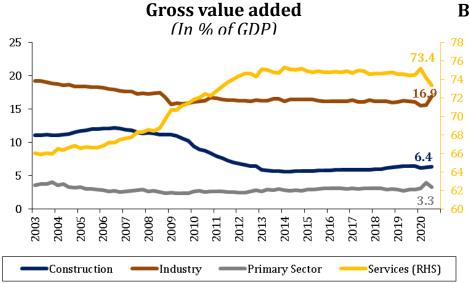
Strong growth, above euro area average. More balanced sectoral composition of GDP and growth pattern.

Very dynamic job creation, significant competitiveness gains and persistent current account surpluses.

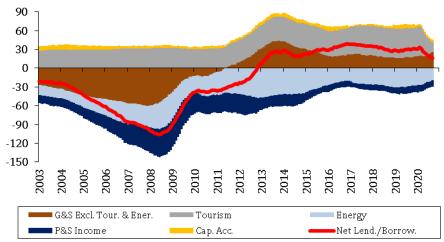
Strong impact of Covid-19 (tourism-related activities, average firm size, openness, population density).



Source: EUROSTAT.



Breakdown of the Current Account & Capital Account (€ bn. 12-Month Rolling Sums)

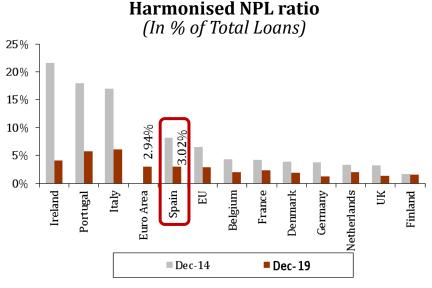


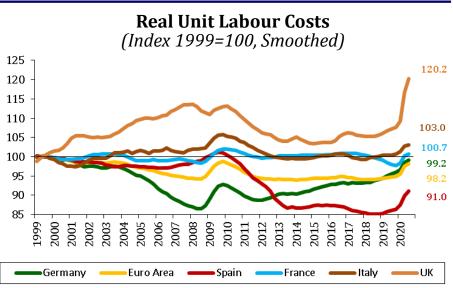
Growth pattern



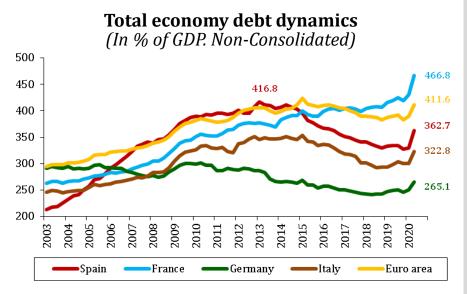
...following a structural transformation and correction of past imbalances

- A sizeable de-risking in the financial sector, notably by banks.
- A remarkable deleveraging of both the private and public sector.
- Shows our capacity and willingness to overcome severe economic challenges.
- ► We are also much better equipped to withstand the current Covid-19 shock.









Source: World Bank.

Source: Instituto Nacional de Estadística and Bank of Spain.

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Immediate response to the Covid-19 shock

▶ Timely, bold and targeted policy response, to cushion short-term impact of the crisis.

Ensure the continuity of productive activity:	Painforce the fight against the diseases
 Ensure the continuity of productive activity: €100bn in guarantees for corporates and self-employed with liquidity issues against all sort of financial debt. €40 billion in guarantees to boost investment. €10bn increase in ICO's indebtedness capacity to channel credit to corporates. €2bn insurance policy for exporting Spanish SMEs 6-month deferral of tax collection. Deferral and waivers of social security contributions. €10bn Solvency Support Fund for strategic companies. €4.2bn Support programme for the tourism sector. €3.75bn Support programme for the car industry. 	 Reinforce the fight against the disease: Centralized provision and price regulation of fundamental products. €1bn extra funding and €2.8bn cash advance to regions for healthcare expenditure. €16bn in direct transfers to the regions (Covid Fund) that will finance healthcare and education expenses. Streamlining of customs procedures to facilitate industrial imports. Relaxation of budgetary procedures to facilitate re-allocation of resources. Extraordinary credits for R&D related to the fight against the disease.
 Minimize the impact on employment: Significant use of furlough procedures (ERTE), which have been made more flexible Access to full social benefits for all furloughed workers. Public and private sector workers in quarantine can perceive benefits for temporary incapacity. Extension of the Social Security allowance for permanent seasonal workers related to tourism. €500mn credit line to R&D projects of SMEs. €200mn program to support telework and digitalization of SMEs. 	 Protect the most vulnerable: €25mn euros in meal grants for the regions. Mortgage loan, rent payments and other personal loan deferral for vulnerable collectives. €300mn euros to guarantee home care for the dependent. Authorization to city councils to use 2019 budget surplus for social services. Protection against energy poverty for vulnerable citizens Guarantee of basic utilities (water, electricity, natural gas) for home consumption

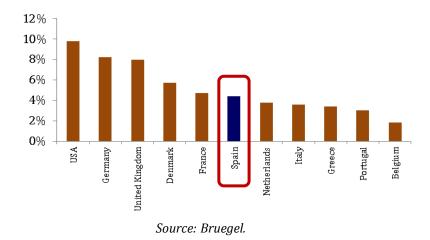


Policy approach in line with peers

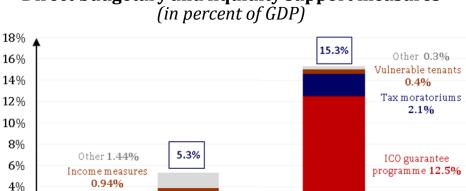
Similar policy approach and degree of support accross EU countries.

Spain's relatively stronger liquidity assistance, while also firmly supporting households and businesses through direct budgetary measures.

Government Covid Fund (€16bn) has crucial to support additional been regional expenditure on healthcare.



Direct budgetary support (in percent of GDP)



Direct budgetary and liquidity support measures

Direct budgetary support Liquidity support measures Source: Ministerio de Asuntos Económicos y Transformación Digital.

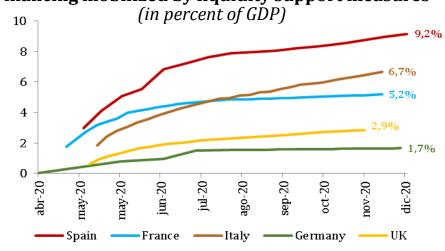
Financing mobilized by liquidity support measures

Covid fund (CCAA)

1.43% ERTE 1.5%

2%

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Source: : ICO, Banca d'Italia , Etalab.fr, KfW , UK Treasury.



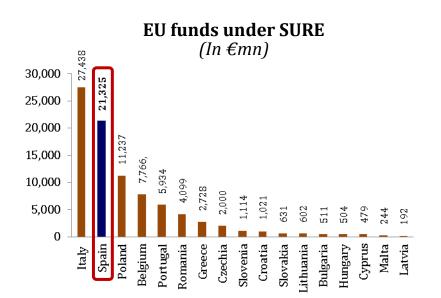
Temporary furlough scheme (ERTEs)

With the objective of minimizing the social and economic impact of the pandemic, Spain's ERTEs have allowed to protect millions of jobs.

More than €21.3bn in EU funds from SURE disbursed between 2020 and 2021 (around €11.3bn in 2021) will contribute to its financing.

The steady decrease of workers under ERTEs shows the recovery underway and the effectiveness of the measure. ERTEs extended until January 2021.

Social Security affiliations are improving, with the most important increase since 2006 in November 2020, surpassing once again **19.4 million workers**.



Number of workers on furlough scheme





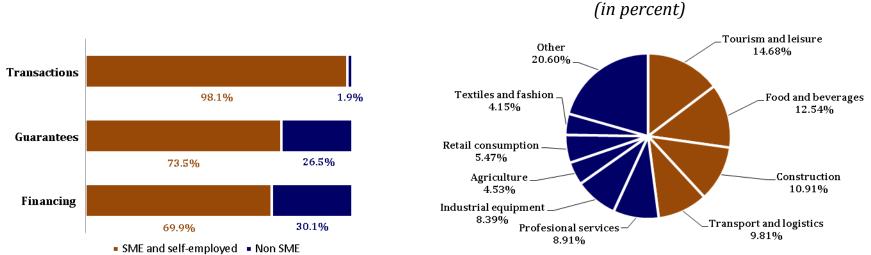
Government Public Guarantees

Programme of 100bn€ of public guarantees (through ICO) to loans granted by financial institutions to firms and the self-employed. More than 909,000 financing operations guaranteed, corresponding to 578,000 enterprises.

▶ The scheme has provided more than **€84bn in guarantees**, allowing to mobilize more than **€110bn in financing** to secure the private sector's liquidity needs. Up to 74% of the transactions with micro-SMEs and the self-employed.

In mid November, the Government decided to allow its beneficiaries to **extend maturities** and **deferral periods** to avoid that some liquidity issues might turn into solvency problems.

Distribution among sectors



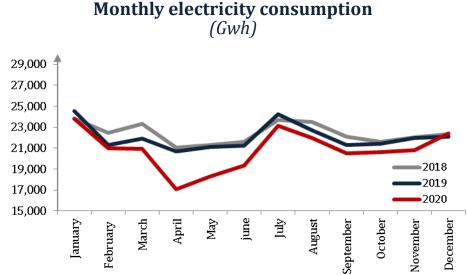
Distribution between SME and non SME

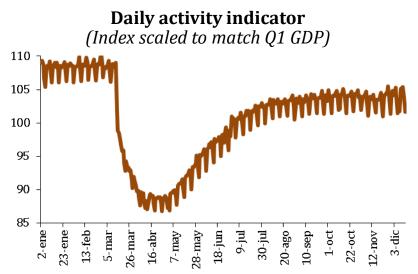


Indicators show a recovery in activity

► After severe contraction in Q2, the **ongoing recovery** is taking hold following an **asymmetric-V-shaped trajectory**.

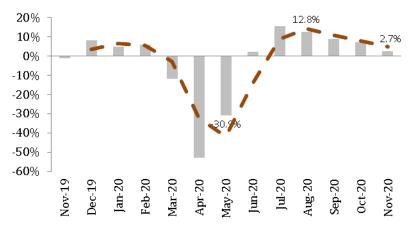
- ► A 16.4% q-o-q GDP growth in Q3. Policy measures have proven to be effective.
- Significantly lower impact of the second wave of the pandemic. Risk to be carefully managed.





Source: Ministerio de Asuntos Económicos y Transformación Digital

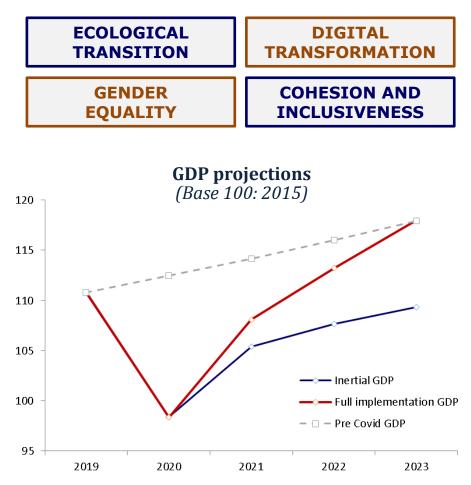
Industrial sector: 3 month production expectations (monthly growth rate)





Spain's Recovery, Resilience and Transformation Plan

Supported by Next Generation EU, the Spanish RRT Plan foresees to deploy €140bn in public investment and to mobilize up to €500bn in private investment. This is expected to lift Spain's growth potential above 2%. Four overarching objectives and ten policy areas.



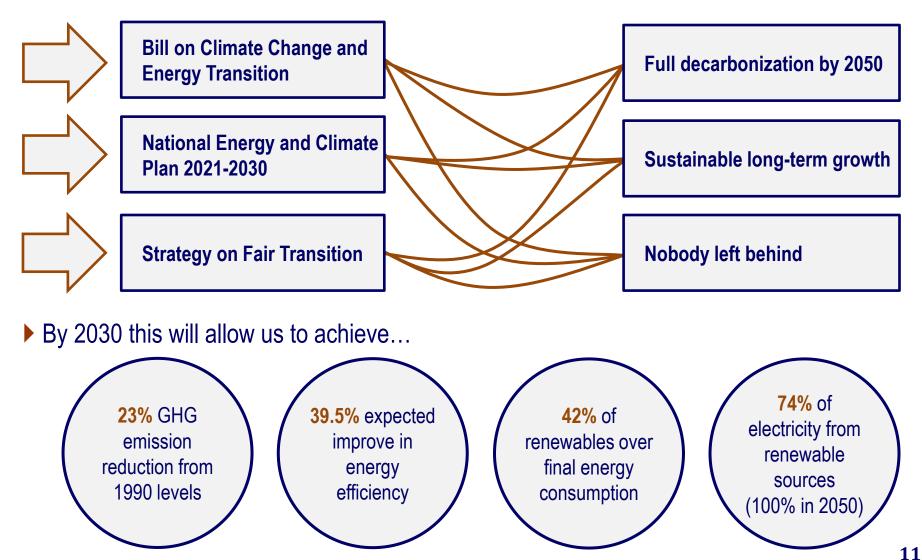
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1.	Urban and rural agenda	16.0%
2.	Ecosystems and infrastructures	12.2%
3.	Energy transition	8.9%
4.	21st century public administration	5.0%
5.	Modernization and digitalisation	17.1%
6.	Science and innovation	16.5%
7.	Education and knowledge	17.6%
8.	Employment and social care	5.7%
9.	Cultural industry	1.1%
10.	Retrofitting of the fiscal system	-



Climate and Energy Strategic Framework

Spain is fully committed to the sustainability agenda. The government supports the UN's Paris Agreement and SDGs, as well as the EU Climate and Energy Framework.





A digital transformation for Spain: "España Digital 2025"

Structural reforms aiming to the digitalization of the economy and the deployment of public and private investments, aligned with a more inclusive and sustainable growth.

1.	Digital connectivity	Coverage of 100 Mbps for all the population.
2.	5G deployment	100% of the radio spectrum prepared for 5G tecnology .
3.	Digital skills	Basic digital skills for 80% of the population (50% women).
4.	Cyber security	20,000 new cyber security experts.
5.	Digital administration	At least 50% of public services available in mobile apps .
6.	Digital SME and start-ups	25% of SME overall business volume in e-commerce.
7.	Structural swift projects	10% reduction in CO_2 emissions thanks to digitalization.
8.	Audiovisual industry	Increasing by 30% audiovisual production in Spain.
9.	Data based economy	25% of enterprises using AI and big data.
10.	Citizen's rights	Endorse a National Charter for Digital Rights .

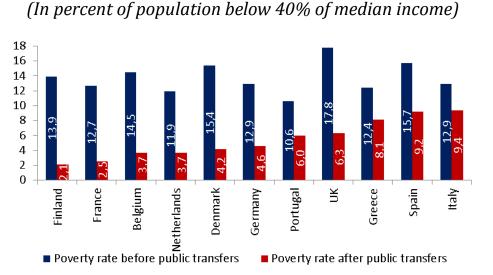
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National Minimum Income scheme as structural reform

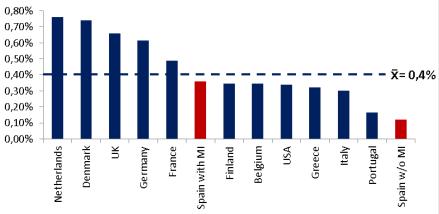
Social Justice. Spain's transfer system is less redistributive than peers. The plan will benefit 850k households and 2.3m people, lift 1.6 million people out of extreme and very-high poverty.

- Rationalisation of existing regional minimum income schemes.
- Productivity. Promotes social inclusion, labour market participation ("make work pay" schemes), regional mobility, skills matching, training.
- **Transparency**. Recipients must report income. Ex-post evaluation by permanent committee.
- **Economy**. It will place Spain in line with its peers in terms of spending as % GDP.



Poverty Rate Before and After Public Transfers

Minimum income over GDP (In percent)

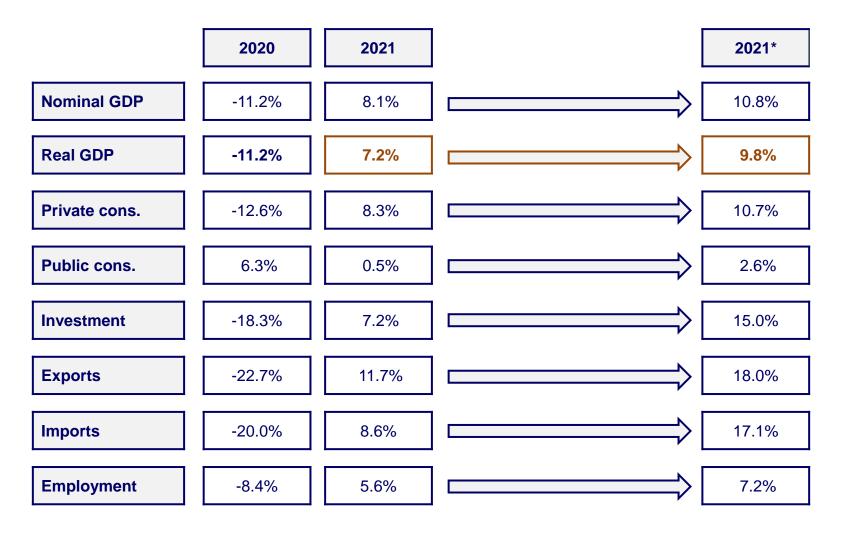


Source: EUROSTAT.



Macroeconomic projections and RRT Plan full implementation impact

▶ The RRT Plan will allow to boost Spanish growth in 2021, notably leveraging the green and digital transitions.





Bounded uncertainty: what we don't know... and what we do.

COVID dynamics remains key: tackling the outbreak would minimize the economic cost.

EVOLUTION OF THE	HYSTERESIS	IMPLEMENTATION	BREXIT AND TRADE
PANDEMIC		OF THE PLAN	TENSIONS
 If there are new	 If damage to	 If the Plan is	 Uncertain impact
confinement	production capacity	implemented	on certain sector
measures or a	is greater than	partially in Spain or	exposed
delay in vaccine distribution	currently expected, especially in	in other European economies	 …but Brexit deal reached and
 …but Spain's incidence is being controlled without full confinement. 	 vulnerable sectors but Social Security affiliation data are surprising 	 but Spain is frontloading an ambitious reform and investment 	encouraging geopolitical developments improve prospects

Some positive news narrow the range of outcomes:

on the upside.

Spain Q3 q-o-q growth of 16.4% makes many pessimistic 2020 estimates less likely.

programme.

- ✤ 2021 Budget approved in Spain, Multiannual Financial Framework approved in EU.
- Vaccine distribution deployed in Spain and Europe.

for trade.

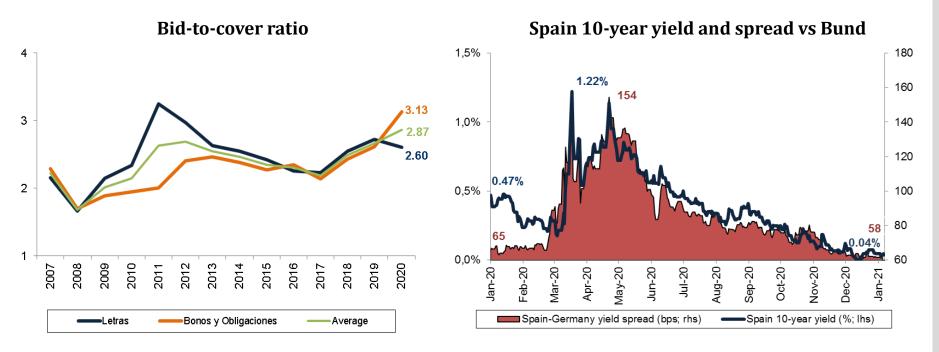
Funding Programme

Source: Secretaría General del Tesoro y Financiación Internacional.



Good market access. Despite higher issuance, demand for SPGBs increased more than proportionally. The bid-to-cover ratio of medium & long-term instruments surged.

The yield of the 10 year Bono increased at the beginning of the pandemic, but then fell below January levels. The risk premium followed a similar trend.

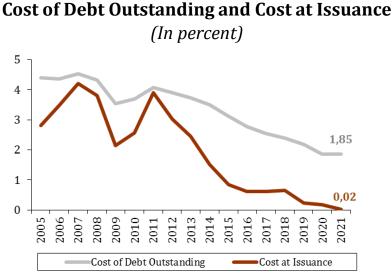




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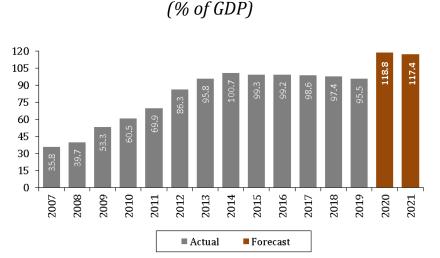
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Cost and life of debt: a longer-dated portfolio at historically low rates

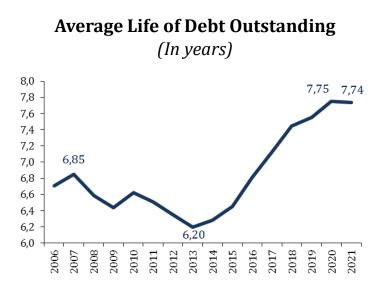


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General Government Debt. EDP

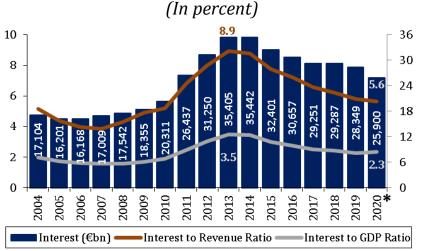


Source: Bank of Spain and Ministerio de Asuntos Económicos.



Source: Secretaría General del Tesoro y Financiación Internacional.

Interest burden over GDP and public expenses



Source: INE and IGAE.; Data 2020: Spain's DBP

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Spanish investors' holdings of public debt at historic lows

Government bond holdings as % of Holdings of Letras & Bonos and Spanish bank's balance sheet. **Obligaciones del Estado** 100% 12% 90% 28.4% 10% 80% 70% 8% 1.7% 60% 26.5% 50% 6% 40% 4% 7.0% 30% 45.1% 20% 2% 10% 0% 0% 2012 2013 2016 2018 2019 2014 2015 2017 2020 2012 2015 2016 2018 2019 2020 2013 2014 2017 Non-residents Bank of Spain Spain ex. Bank of Spain Spanish govt. Bonds Other Euro Area govt. Bonds

Source: Bank of Spain.

Source: ECB.



2021 Funding Programme: diversified funding sources

For 2021, financing needs in net terms add to €100bn. Most of it will be obtained through medium and long-term issues.

New funding mix (SURE, RRF), which requires a higher degree of flexibility in the issuance front.

(In billion euros and in effective terms)	End 2020	Forecast 2021
Total Net Issuance	109.922	100.000
Total Gross Issuance	277.059	289.138
Medium- and Long-term		
Gross Issuance ¹	183.468	184.380
Of which SURE	9.979	11.325
Amortisation ¹	84.969	94.380
Net Issuance ¹	98.500	90.000
Of which SURE	9.979	11.325
Letras del Tesoro		
Gross Issuance	93.591	104.758
Amortisation	82.168	94.758
Net Issuance	11.423	10.000

Funding Programme

¹ Includes Bonos & Obligaciones, debt in other currencies, loans and assumed debts.

Funding Sources

2020	2021
Capital Market Issuance	Capital Market Issuance
Revenues	Revenues
Regions Early Redemptions	Regions Early Redemptions
SURE	SURE
	RRF

Source: Ministerio de Asuntos Económicos y Transformación Digital.



Spanish Green Bond

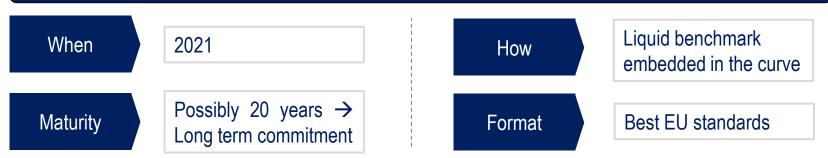
Spain is fully committed to the environmental and sustainability Agenda. The Government supports:

- The United Nations 2015 Paris Agreement and Sustainable Development Goals
- The EU 2030 climate and energy framework
- At a national level, the Spanish government presented an ambitious package of measures:
 - Spain's National Energy and Climate Plan (NECPs) 2021-2030
 - The Bill on Climate Change and energy transition
 - Strategy on Fair Transition



Estimated economic impact: It is estimated to generate over 240 billion euros of investments over the following decade, 50 of which would come from the Public Sector (State, regions, EU) and part of it will be financed through Green Bonds.

Main features of the Spanish Green Bond





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