BASIC STATISTICS OF ITALY

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LAND, PEOPLE AND ELECTORAL CYCLE					
Population (million)	62.0		Population density per km²	205.3	(37.2)
Under 15 (%)	13.8	(17.9)	Life expectancy (years, 2016)	83.3	(80.6)
Over 65 (%)	21.9	(17.0)	Men	81.0	(77.8)
Foreign-born (%, 2016)	9.6		Women	85.6	(83.2)
Latest 5-year average growth (%)	0.4	(0.6)	Latest general election	March	2018
ECONOMY					
Gross domestic product (GDP)			Value added shares (%)		
In current prices (billion USD)	1 944		Primary sector	2.1	(2.5)
In current prices (billion EUR)	1 726		Industry including construction	24.1	(27.0)
Latest 5-year average real growth (%)	0.4	(2.1)	Services	73.8	(70.5)
Per capita (000 USD PPP)	40.9	(44.3)			
GENERAL GOVERNMENT					
Per cent of GDP					
Expenditure	48.8	(41.0)	Gross financial debt	154.0	(109.5)
Revenue	46.4	(38.8)	Net financial debt	125.0	(70.8)
EXTERNAL ACCOUNTS					
Exchange rate (EUR per USD)	0.89		Main exports (% of total merchandise exports)		
PPP exchange rate (USA = 1)	0.70		Machinery and transport equipment	36.3	
In per cent of GDP			Miscellaneous manufactured articles	17.9	
Exports of goods and services	31.3	(55.4)	Manufactured goods	17.7	
Imports of goods and services	28.4	(51.0)	Main imports (% of total merchandise imports)		
Current account balance	2.8	(0.4)	Machinery and transport equipment	28.7	
Net international investment position	-6.7		Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	15.6	
			Manufactured goods	15.5	
LABOUR MARKET, SKILLS AND INNOVATION					
Employment rate for 15-64 year-olds (%)	58.0	(67.7)	Unemployment rate, Labour Force Survey (age 15 and over) (%)	11.2	(5.8)
Men	67.0	(75.4)	Youth (age 15-24, %)	34.8	(11.9)
Women	48.9	(60.1)	Long-term unemployed (1 year and over, %)	6.5	(1.7)
Participation rate for 15-64 year-olds (%)	65.4	(72.1)	Tertiary educational attainment 25-64 year-olds (%)	18.7	(36.9)
Average hours worked per year	1 723	(1 744)	Gross domestic expenditure on R&D (% of GDP, 2016)	1.3	(2.3)
ENVIRONMENT					
Total primary energy supply per capita (toe)	2.5	(4.1)	CO_2 emissions from fuel combustion per capita (tonnes, 2016)	5.3	(9.1)
Renewables (%)	17.0	(10.2)	Water abstractions per capita (1 000 m³, 2008)	0.9	
Exposure to air pollution (more than 10 g/m3 of PM2.5, % of population, 2015)	97.2	(75.2)	Municipal waste per capita (tonnes, 2016)	0.5	(0.5)
SOCIETY					
Income inequality (Gini coefficient, 2016)	0.328	(0.313)	Education outcomes (PISA score, 2015)		
Relative poverty rate (%, 2016)	13.7	(11.7)	Reading	485	(493)
Median disposable household income (000 USD PPP, 2016)	22.8	(23.1)	Mathematics	490	(490)
Public and private spending (% of GDP)			Science	481	(493)
Health care	8.9	(8.8)	Share of women in parliament (%, 2016)	31.0	(28.7)
Pensions (2015)	17.1	(8.5)	Net official development assistance (% of GNI)	0.30	(0.38)
Education (primary, secondary, post sec. non tertiary, 2015)	3.0	(3.5)			

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1. Where the OECD aggregate is not provided in the source database, a simple OECD average of latest available data is calculated where data exist for at least 29 member countries.

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