

# The 55 OSCE Participating States – Facts and Figures<sup>1</sup>

## 1. Albania

*Date of accession:* June 1991

*Scale of distribution:* 0.19 per cent (OSCE ranking: 32)<sup>2</sup>

*Area:* 28,748 km<sup>2</sup> (OSCE ranking: 45)<sup>3</sup>

*Population:* 3,563,112 (OSCE ranking: 41)<sup>4</sup>

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates<sup>5</sup>:* 4,900 (OSCE ranking: 46)<sup>6</sup>

*GDP growth:* 5.6 per cent (OSCE ranking: 20)<sup>7</sup>

*Armed forces (active):* 21,500 (OSCE ranking: 32)<sup>8</sup>

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1995), EAPC, PfP (1994), SAP, Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEI (1995), SECI, SEECP, BSEC.

## 2. Andorra

*Date of accession:* April 1996

*Scale of distribution:* 0.125 per cent (43)

*Area:* 468 km<sup>2</sup> (50)

*Population:* 70,549 (51)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 26,800 (20)<sup>9</sup>

*GDP growth:* 2 per cent (44)<sup>10</sup>

*Armed forces (active):* none

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1994).

## 3. Armenia

*Date of accession:* January 1992

*Scale of distribution:* 0.11 per cent (49)

*Area:* 29,800 km<sup>2</sup> (44)

*Population:* 2,982,904 (42)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 4,600 (47)

*GDP growth:* 9 per cent (7)

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1 Compiled by Jochen Rasch.

2 Of 55 states.

3 Of 55 states.

4 Of 55 states.

5 The international dollar is a hypothetical unit of currency used to compare different national currencies in terms of purchasing power parity (PPP). PPP is defined as the number of units of a country's currency required to buy the same amounts of goods and services in the domestic market as one US dollar would buy in the United States. See The World Bank, *World Development Report 2002*, Washington, D.C., 2002.

6 Of 48 states.

7 Of 53 states.

8 Of 54 states.

9 2003 (estimated).

10 2003 (estimated).

*Armed forces (active):* 44,874 (23)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (2001), EAPC, PfP (1994), CIS (1991), BSEC.

#### **4. Austria**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 2.3 per cent (13)  
*Area:* 83,870 km<sup>2</sup> (29)  
*Population:* 8,184,691 (24)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 31,300 (10)  
*GDP growth:* 1.9 per cent (45)  
*Armed forces (active):* 35,000 (25)<sup>11</sup>  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1961), CoE (1956), EAPC, PfP (1995), EU (1995), WEU Observer (1995), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEI (1989).

#### **5. Azerbaijan**

*Date of accession:* January 1992  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.11 per cent (49)  
*Area:* 86,600 km<sup>2</sup> (28)  
*Population:* 7,911,974 (25)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 3,800 (48)  
*GDP growth:* 9.8 per cent (4)  
*Armed forces (active):* 66,490 (15)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (2001), EAPC, PfP (1994), CIS (1991), BSEC.

#### **6. Belarus**

*Date of accession:* January 1992  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.51 per cent (28)  
*Area:* 207,600 km<sup>2</sup> (19)  
*Population:* 10,300,483 (20)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 6,800 (42)  
*GDP growth:* 6.4 per cent (17)  
*Armed forces (active):* 72,940 (14)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* EAPC, PfP (1995), CIS (1991), CEI (1995).

#### **7. Belgium**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 3.55 per cent (10)  
*Area:* 30,528 km<sup>2</sup> (43)  
*Population:* 10,364,388 (19)

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<sup>11</sup> Approximately.

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 30,600 (11)  
*GDP growth:* 2.6 per cent (38)  
*Armed forces (active):* 40,800 (24)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1961), CoE (1949), NATO (1949), EAPC, EU (1958), WEU (1954), Eurocorps (1993), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

#### **8. Bosnia and Herzegovina**

*Date of accession:* April 1992  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.19 per cent (32)  
*Area:* 51,129 km<sup>2</sup> (36)  
*Population:* 4,430,494 (38)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 6,500 (43)  
*GDP growth:* 5 per cent (25)  
*Armed forces (active):* 24,600 (35)<sup>12</sup>  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (2002), SAP, Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEI (1992), SECI, SEECP.

#### **9. Bulgaria**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.55 per cent (26)  
*Area:* 110,910 km<sup>2</sup> (23)  
*Population:* 7,450,349 (27)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 8,200 (37)  
*GDP growth:* 5.3 per cent (22)  
*Armed forces (active):* 51,000 (21)<sup>13</sup>  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1992), NATO (2004), EAPC, PfP (1994), EU Accession Negotiations (1999), EU Association Agreement (1993), Associate Partner of the WEU (1994), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEFTA, CEI (1995), SECI, SEECP, BSEC.

#### **10. Canada**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 5.45 per cent (7)  
*Area:* 9,984,670 km<sup>2</sup> (2)  
*Population:* 32,805,041 (11)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 31,500 (9)  
*GDP growth:* 2.4 per cent (40)  
*Armed forces (active):* 52,300 (20)

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12 OSCE ranking based on the total sum of the armed forces (active) of the Muslim-Croat Federation (16,400) and the Republika Srpska (8,200).

13 Approximately 10,000 construction troops not included.

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* G8 (1976), OECD (1961), NATO (1949), EAPC, Observer of the Barents Euro-Arctic Council, Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, NAFTA.

### **11. Croatia**

*Date of accession:* March 1992

*Scale of distribution:* 0.19 per cent (32)

*Area:* 56,542 km<sup>2</sup> (35)

*Population:* 4,495,904 (36)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 11,200 (35)

*GDP growth:* 3.7 per cent (30)

*Armed forces (active):* 20,800 (34)

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1996), EAPC, PfP (2000), EU Accession Negotiations (2004), SAA (2001), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEI (1992), SECI, SEECP.

### **12. Cyprus**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 0.19 per cent (32)

*Area:* 9,250 km<sup>2</sup> (48)<sup>14</sup>

*Population:* 780,133 (47)<sup>15</sup>

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 20,300

*GDP growth:* 3.2 per cent (35)

*Armed forces (active):* Greek sector: 10,000, Turkish sector: 5,000

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1961), EU (2004, Greek sector only), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

### **13. Czech Republic**

*Date of accession:* January 1993

*Scale of distribution:* 0.67 per cent (24)

*Area:* 78,866 km<sup>2</sup> (30)

*Population:* 10,241,138 (21)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 16,800 (28)

*GDP growth:* 3.7 per cent (30)

*Armed forces (active):* 45,000 (17)

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1995), CoE (1993), NATO (1999), EAPC, PfP (1994), EU (2004), Associate Member of the WEU (1999), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEFTA, CEI (1990/1993).

### **14. Denmark**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 2.05 per cent (15)

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14 Greek sector: 5,895 km<sup>2</sup>, Turkish sector: 3,355 km<sup>2</sup>.

15 Total of Greek and Turkish sectors.

*Area:* 43,094 km<sup>2</sup> (39)  
*Population:* 5,432,335 (29)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 32,200 (6)  
*GDP growth:* 2.1 per cent (42)  
*Armed forces (active):* 21,180 (31)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1961), CoE (1949), NATO (1949), EAPC, EU (1973), WEU Observer (1992), Barents Euro-Arctic Council, Nordic Council (1952), CBSS (1992), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

### **15. Estonia**

*Date of accession:* September 1991  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.19 per cent (32)  
*Area:* 45,226 km<sup>2</sup> (38)  
*Population:* 1,332,893 (46)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 14,300 (31)  
*GDP growth:* 6 per cent (18)  
*Armed forces (active):* 4,980 (44)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1993), NATO (2004), EAPC, PfP (1994), EU (2004), Associate Partner of the WEU (1994), Baltic Defence Council, CBSS (1992), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

### **16. Finland**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 2.05 per cent (15)  
*Area:* 338,145 km<sup>2</sup> (13)  
*Population:* 5,223,442 (31)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 29,000 (14)  
*GDP growth:* 3 per cent (37)  
*Armed forces (active):* 27,000 (29)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1969), CoE (1989), EAPC, PfP (1994), EU (1995), WEU Observer (1995), Barents Euro-Arctic Council, Nordic Council (1952), CBSS (1992), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

### **17. France**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 9.1 per cent (1)  
*Area:* 547,030 km<sup>2</sup> (7)  
*Population:* 60,656,178 (5)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 28,700 (15)  
*GDP growth:* 2.1 per cent (42)  
*Armed forces (active):* 259,050 (6)<sup>16</sup>

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16 8,600 *Service de santé* not included.

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* G8 (1975), OECD (1961), CoE (1949), NATO (1949), EAPC, EU (1958), WEU (1954), Eurocorps (1992), Observer of the Barents Euro-Arctic Council, Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

### **18. Georgia**

*Date of accession:* March 1992

*Scale of distribution:* 0.11 per cent (49)

*Area:* 69,700 km<sup>2</sup> (32)

*Population:* 4,677,401 (34)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 3,100 (49)

*GDP growth:* 9.5 per cent (5)

*Armed forces (active):* 17,770 (36)<sup>17</sup>

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1999), EAPC, PfP (1994), CIS (1993), BSEC.

### **19. Germany**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 9.1 per cent (1)

*Area:* 357,021 km<sup>2</sup> (12)

*Population:* 82,431,390 (3)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 28,700 (15)

*GDP growth:* 1.7 per cent (48)

*Armed forces (active):* 284,500 (5)

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* G8 (1975), OECD (1961), CoE (1950), NATO (1955), EAPC, EU (1958), WEU (1954), Eurocorps (1992), Observer of the Barents Euro-Arctic Council, CBSS (1992), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

### **20. Greece**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 0.85 per cent (20)

*Area:* 131,940 km<sup>2</sup> (22)

*Population:* 10,668,354 (17)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 21,300 (23)

*GDP growth:* 3.7 per cent (30)

*Armed forces (active):* 170,800 (9)

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1961), CoE (1949), NATO (1952), EAPC, EU (1981), WEU (1995), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, SECI, SEEC, BSEC.

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17 Estimated.

## **21. The Holy See**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 0.125 per cent (43)

*Area:* 0.44 km<sup>2</sup> (55)

*Population:* 932 (55)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* n/a

*GDP growth:* n/a

*Armed forces (active):* 110 (49)<sup>18</sup>

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* none.

## **22. Hungary**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 0.7 per cent (22)

*Area:* 93,030 km<sup>2</sup> (26)

*Population:* 10,006,835 (22)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 14,900 (29)

*GDP growth:* 3.9 per cent (28)

*Armed forces (active):* 32,300 (26)<sup>19</sup>

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1996), CoE (1990), NATO (1999), EAPC, PIP (1994), EU (2004), Associate Member of the WEU (1999), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEFTA, CEI (1989), SECI.

## **23. Iceland**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 0.19 per cent (32)

*Area:* 103,000 km<sup>2</sup> (24)

*Population:* 296,737 (50)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 31,900 (7)

*GDP growth:* 1.8 per cent (46)

*Armed forces (active):* none

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1961), CoE (1950), NATO (1949), EAPC, EU Association Agreement (1996), Associate Member of the WEU (1992), Barents Euro-Arctic Council, Nordic Council (1952), CBSS (1995).

## **24. Ireland**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 0.65 per cent (25)

*Area:* 70,280 km<sup>2</sup> (31)

*Population:* 4,015,676 (39)

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18 Authorized strength 100-110 members of the Swiss Guard, cf. at: [http://www.vatican.va/news\\_services/press/documentazione/documents/sp\\_ss\\_scv/informazione\\_generale/guardia-svizzera\\_it.html](http://www.vatican.va/news_services/press/documentazione/documents/sp_ss_scv/informazione_generale/guardia-svizzera_it.html).

19 Estimated.

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 31,900 (7)  
*GDP growth:* 5.1 per cent (24)  
*Armed forces (active):* 10,460 (40)<sup>20</sup>  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1961), CoE (1949), EAPC, PfP (1999), EU (1973), WEU Observer (1992), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

## **25. Italy**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 9.1 per cent (1)  
*Area:* 301,230 km<sup>2</sup> (16)  
*Population:* 58,103,033 (7)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 27,700 (18)  
*GDP growth:* 1.3 per cent (49)  
*Armed forces (active):* 194,000 (8)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* G8 (1975), OECD (1961), CoE (1949), NATO (1949), EAPC, EU (1958), WEU (1954), Observer of the Barents Euro-Arctic Council, Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEI (1989).

## **26. Kazakhstan**

*Date of accession:* January 1992  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.42 per cent (29)  
*Area:* 2,717,300 km<sup>2</sup> (4)  
*Population:* 15,185,844 (15)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 7,800 (38)  
*GDP growth:* 9.1 per cent (6)  
*Armed forces (active):* 65,800 (16)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* EAPC, PfP (1994), CIS (1991).

## **27. Kyrgyzstan**

*Date of accession:* January 1992  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.11 per cent (49)  
*Area:* 198,500 km<sup>2</sup> (20)  
*Population:* 5,146,281 (32)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 1,700 (53)  
*GDP growth:* 6 per cent (18)  
*Armed forces (active):* 12,500 (39)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* EAPC, PfP (1994), CIS (1991).

## **28. Latvia**

*Date of accession:* September 1991  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.19 per cent (32)

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<sup>20</sup> Estimated.

*Area:* 64,589 km<sup>2</sup> (34)  
*Population:* 2,290,237 (43)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 11,500 (34)  
*GDP growth:* 7.6 per cent (10)  
*Armed forces (active):* 4,880 (45)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1995), NATO (2004), EAPC, PfP (1994), EU (2004), Associate Partner of the WEU (1994), Baltic Defence Council, CBSS (1992), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

### **29. Liechtenstein**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.125 per cent (43)  
*Area:* 160 km<sup>2</sup> (52)  
*Population:* 33,717 (52)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 25,000 (21)<sup>21</sup>  
*GDP growth:* 11 per cent (2)<sup>22</sup>  
*Armed forces (active):* none<sup>23</sup>  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1978), EU Association Agreement (1995), since 1923 Community of Law, Economy, and Currency with Switzerland.

### **30. Lithuania**

*Date of accession:* September 1991  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.19 per cent (32)  
*Area:* 65,200 km<sup>2</sup> (33)  
*Population:* 3,596,617 (40)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 12,500 (32)  
*GDP growth:* 6.6 per cent (15)  
*Armed forces (active):* 13,510 (38)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1993), NATO (2004), EAPC, PfP (1994), EU (2004), Associate Partner of the WEU (1994), Baltic Defence Council, CBSS (1992), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

### **31. Luxembourg**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.55 per cent (26)  
*Area:* 2,586 km<sup>2</sup> (49)  
*Population:* 468,571 (48)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 58,900 (1)  
*GDP growth:* 2.3 per cent (41)

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21 1999 (estimated).

22 1999 (estimated).

23 In 1868, the armed forces were dissolved, cf. at: <http://www.liechtenstein.li/pdf-fl-multimedia-information-liechtenstein-bildschirm.pdf>.

*Armed forces (active):* 900 (48)

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1961), CoE (1949), NATO (1949), EAPC, EU (1958), WEU (1954), Eurocorps (1996), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

### **32. Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia**

*Date of accession:* October 1995

*Scale of distribution:* 0.19 per cent (32)

*Area:* 25,333 km<sup>2</sup> (46)

*Population:* 2,045,262 (44)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 7,100 (41)

*GDP growth:* 1.3 per cent (49)

*Armed forces (active):* 10,890 (37)

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1995), EAPC, PfP (1995), SAP, SAA (2001), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEI (1993), SECI, SEECP.

### **33. Malta**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 0.125 per cent (43)

*Area:* 316 km<sup>2</sup> (51)

*Population:* 398,534 (49)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 18,200 (26)

*GDP growth:* 1 per cent (53)

*Armed forces (active):* 2,140 (47)

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1965), EU (2004).

### **34. Moldova**

*Date of accession:* January 1992

*Scale of distribution:* 0.11 per cent (49)

*Area:* 33,843 km<sup>2</sup> (42)

*Population:* 4,455,421 (37)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 1,900 (51)

*GDP growth:* 6.8 per cent (13)

*Armed forces (active):* 6,809 (41)

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1995), EAPC, PfP (1994), CIS (1991), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEI (1996), SECI, BSEC.

### **35. Monaco**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 0.125 per cent (43)

*Area:* 1.95 km<sup>2</sup> (54)

*Population:* 32,409 (53)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 27,000 (19)<sup>24</sup>  
*GDP growth:* 0.9 per cent (54)<sup>25</sup>  
*Armed forces (active):* none  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (2004), Member of the European Economic and Monetary Space by special agreement with France.

### **36. Netherlands**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 3.8 per cent (9)  
*Area:* 41,526 km<sup>2</sup> (40)  
*Population:* 16,407,491 (14)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 29,500 (13)  
*GDP growth:* 1.2 per cent (51)  
*Armed forces (active):* 53,130 (19)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1961), CoE (1949), NATO (1949), EAPC, EU (1958), WEU (1954), Observer of the Barents Euro-Arctic Council, Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

### **37. Norway**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 2.25 per cent (14)  
*Area:* 324,220 km<sup>2</sup> (14)  
*Population:* 4,593,041 (35)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 40,000 (3)  
*GDP growth:* 3.3 per cent (34)  
*Armed forces (active):* 26,600 (30)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1961), CoE (1949), NATO (1949), EAPC, EU Association Agreement (1996), Associate Member of the WEU (1992), Barents Euro-Arctic Council, Nordic Council (1952), CBSS (1992), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

### **38. Poland**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 1.4 per cent (17)  
*Area:* 312,685 km<sup>2</sup> (15)  
*Population:* 38,557,984 (10)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 12,000 (33)  
*GDP growth:* 5.6 per cent (20)  
*Armed forces (active):* 141,500 (10)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1996), CoE (1991), NATO (1999), EAPC, PfP (1994), EU (2004), Associate Member of the WEU

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24 2000 (estimated).

25 2000 (estimated).

(1992), Observer of the Barents Euro-Arctic Council, CBSS (1992), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEFTA, CEI (1991).

### **39. Portugal**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 0.85 per cent (20)

*Area:* 92,391 km<sup>2</sup> (27)

*Population:* 10,566,212 (18)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 17,900 (27)

*GDP growth:* 1.1 per cent (52)

*Armed forces (active):* 44,900 (22)

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1961), CoE (1976), NATO (1949), EAPC, EU (1986), WEU (1990), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

### **40. Romania**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 0.7 per cent (22)

*Area:* 237,500 km<sup>2</sup> (18)

*Population:* 22,329,977 (13)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 7,700 (39)

*GDP growth:* 8.1 per cent (9)

*Armed forces (active):* 97,200 (12)

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1993), NATO (2004), EAPC, PfP (1994), EU Accession Negotiations (1999), EU Association Agreement (1993), Associate Partner of the WEU (1994), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEFTA, CEI (1995), SECI, SEECP, BSEC.

### **41. Russian Federation**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 9 per cent (5)

*Area:* 17,075,200 km<sup>2</sup> (1)

*Population:* 143,420,309 (2)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 9,800 (36)

*GDP growth:* 6.7 per cent (14)

*Armed forces (active):* 1,212,700 (2)

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* G8 (1998), CoE (1996), EAPC, PfP (1994), NATO-Russia Council (2002), CIS (1991), Barents Euro-Arctic Council, CBSS (1992), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, BSEC.

### **42. San Marino**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 0.125 per cent (43)

*Area:* 61 km<sup>2</sup> (53)

*Population:* 28,880 (54)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 34,600 (4)<sup>26</sup>  
*GDP growth:* 7.5 per cent (11)<sup>27</sup>  
*Armed forces (active):* none  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1988).

#### **43. Serbia and Montenegro**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.19 per cent (32)  
*Area:* 102,350 km<sup>2</sup> (25)  
*Population:* 10,829,175 (16)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 2,400 (50)  
*GDP growth:* 6.5 per cent (16)  
*Armed forces (active):* 65,300 (13)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (2003), SAP, Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEI (1989/2000), SECI, SEECP.

#### **44. Slovakia**

*Date of accession:* January 1993  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.33 per cent (31)  
*Area:* 48,845 km<sup>2</sup> (37)  
*Population:* 5,431,363 (30)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 14,500 (30)  
*GDP growth:* 5.3 per cent (22)  
*Armed forces (active):* 20,195 (32)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (2000), CoE (1993), NATO (2004), EAPC, PfP (1994), EU (2004), Associate Partner of the WEU (1994), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEFTA, CEI (1990/1993).

#### **45. Slovenia**

*Date of accession:* March 1992  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.19 per cent (32)  
*Area:* 20,273 km<sup>2</sup> (47)  
*Population:* 2,011,070 (45)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 19,600 (25)  
*GDP growth:* 3.9 per cent (28)  
*Armed forces (active):* 6,550 (42)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* CoE (1993), NATO (2004), EAPC, PfP (1994), EU (2004), Associate Partner of the WEU (1994), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, CEFTA, CEI (1992), SECI.

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26 2001 (estimated).

27 2001 (estimated).

#### **46. Spain**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 4 per cent (8)

*Area:* 504,782 km<sup>2</sup> (8)

*Population:* 40,341,462 (9)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 23,300 (22)

*GDP growth:* 2.6 per cent (38)

*Armed forces (active):* 150,700 (11)

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1961), CoE (1977), NATO (1982), EAPC, EU (1986), WEU (1990), Eurocorps (1994), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

#### **47. Sweden**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 3.55 per cent (10)

*Area:* 449,964 km<sup>2</sup> (10)

*Population:* 9,001,774 (23)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 28,400 (17)

*GDP growth:* 3.6 per cent (33)

*Armed forces (active):* 27,600 (28)

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1961), CoE (1949), EAPC, PfP (1994), EU (1995), WEU Observer (1995), Barents Euro-Arctic Council, Nordic Council (1952), CBSS (1992), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

#### **48. Switzerland**

*Date of accession:* June 1973

*Scale of distribution:* 2.45 per cent (12)

*Area:* 41,290 km<sup>2</sup> (41)

*Population:* 7,489,370 (26)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 33,800 (5)

*GDP growth:* 1.8 per cent (46)

*Armed forces (active):* 4,000 (46)<sup>28</sup>

*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* OECD (1961), CoE (1963), EAPC, PfP (1996), EU Association Agreement (rejected by referendum), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

#### **49. Tajikistan**

*Date of accession:* January 1992

*Scale of distribution:* 0.11 per cent (49)

*Area:* 143,100 km<sup>2</sup> (21)

*Population:* 7,163,506 (28)

*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 1,100 (54)

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28 In addition, 24,000 conscripts, recruited twice a year for 15 weeks.

*GDP growth*: 10.5 per cent (3)  
*Armed forces (active)*: 7,600 (43)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation*: EAPC, PfP (2002), CIS (1991).

#### **50. Turkey**

*Date of accession*: June 1973  
*Scale of distribution*: 1 per cent (18)  
*Area*: 780,580 km<sup>2</sup> (5)  
*Population*: 69,660,559 (4)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates*: 7,400 (40)  
*GDP growth*: 8.2 per cent (8)  
*Armed forces (active)*: 514,850 (3)<sup>29</sup>  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation*: OECD (1961), CoE (1949), NATO (1952), EAPC, EU Accession Negotiations (2005), EU Association Agreement (1964), Associate Member of the WEU (1992), Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, SECI, SEECP, BSEC.

#### **51. Turkmenistan**

*Date of accession*: January 1992  
*Scale of distribution*: 0.11 per cent (49)  
*Area*: 488,100 km<sup>2</sup> (9)  
*Population*: 4,952,081 (33)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates*: 5,700 (45)  
*GDP growth*: 7.5 per cent (11)  
*Armed forces (active)*: 26,000 (27)<sup>30</sup>  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation*: EAPC, PfP (1994), CIS (1991).

#### **52. Ukraine**

*Date of accession*: January 1992  
*Scale of distribution*: 0.95 per cent (19)  
*Area*: 603,700 km<sup>2</sup> (6)  
*Population*: 46,996,765 (8)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates*: 6,300 (44)  
*GDP growth*: 12 per cent (1)  
*Armed forces (active)*: 272,500 (4)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation*: CoE (1995), EAPC, PfP (1994), NATO-Ukraine Charter/NATO-Ukraine Commission (1997), CIS (1991), CEI (1995), BSEC.

#### **53. United Kingdom**

*Date of accession*: June 1973  
*Scale of distribution*: 9.1 per cent (1)

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29 Estimated; being reduced.  
30 Estimated.

*Area:* 244,820 km<sup>2</sup> (17)  
*Population:* 60,441,457 (6)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 29,600 (12)  
*GDP growth:* 3.2 per cent (35)  
*Armed forces (active):* 207,630 (7)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* G8 (1975), OECD (1961), CoE (1949), NATO (1949), EAPC, EU (1973), WEU (1954), Observer of the Barents Euro-Arctic Council, Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe.

#### **54. USA**

*Date of accession:* June 1973  
*Scale of distribution:* 9 per cent (5)  
*Area:* 9,631,418 km<sup>2</sup> (3)  
*Population:* 295,734,134 (1)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 40,100 (2)  
*GDP growth:* 4.4 per cent (26)  
*Armed forces (active):* 1,433,600 (1)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* G8 (1975), OECD (1961), NATO (1949), EAPC, Observer of the Barents Euro-Arctic Council, Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe, NAFTA.

#### **55. Uzbekistan**

*Date of accession:* January 1992  
*Scale of distribution:* 0.41 per cent (30)  
*Area:* 447,400 km<sup>2</sup> (11)  
*Population:* 26,851,195 (12)  
*GDP per capita in international dollars at PPP rates:* 1,800 (52)  
*GDP growth:* 4.4 per cent (26)  
*Armed forces (active):* 55,000 (18)  
*Memberships and forms of co-operation:* EAPC, PfP (1994), CIS (1991).

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*Date of accession:*

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*Scale of distribution:*

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