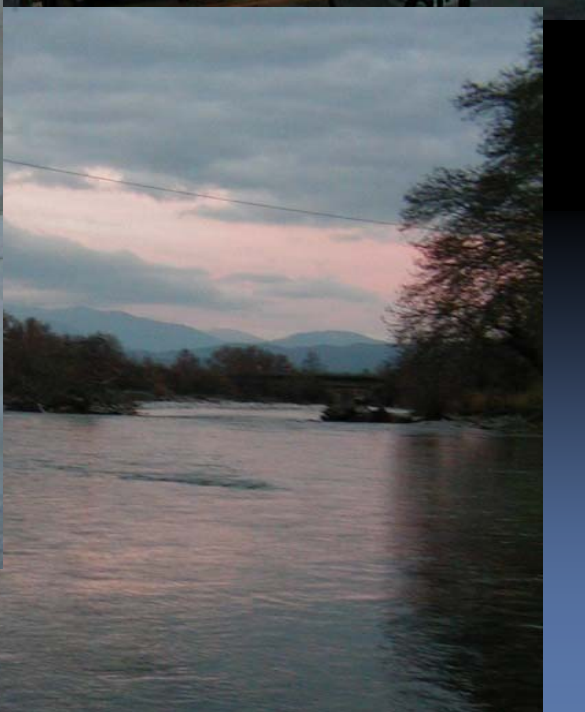




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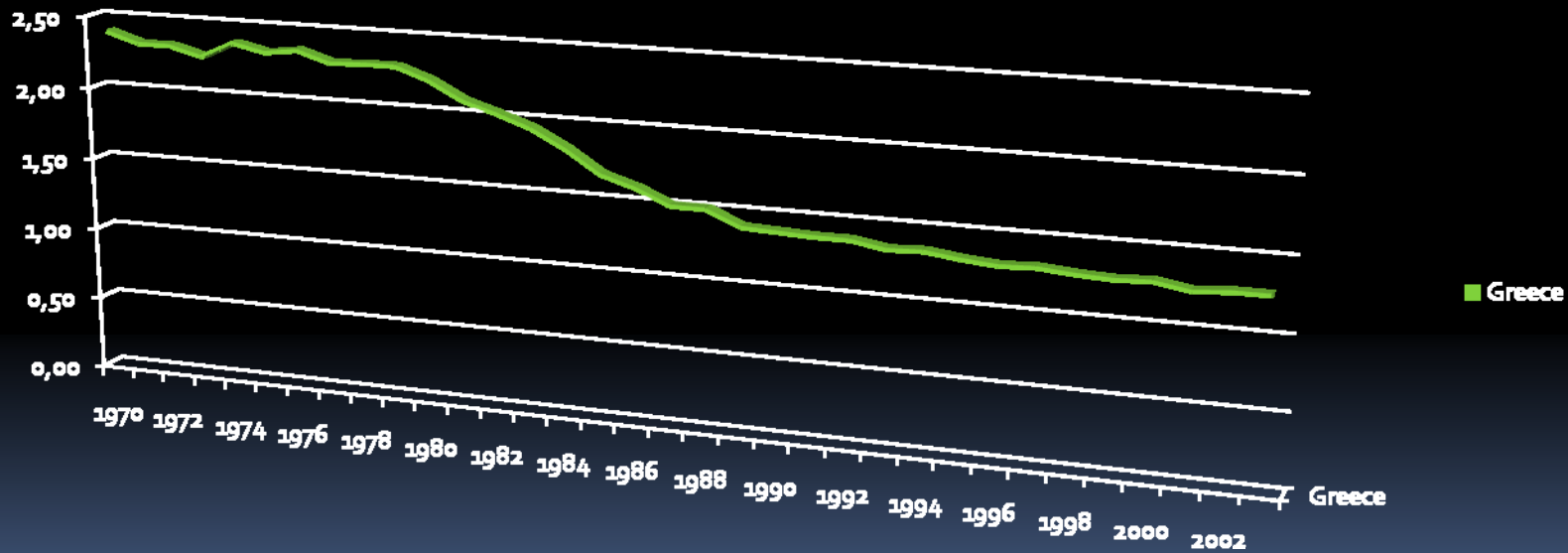
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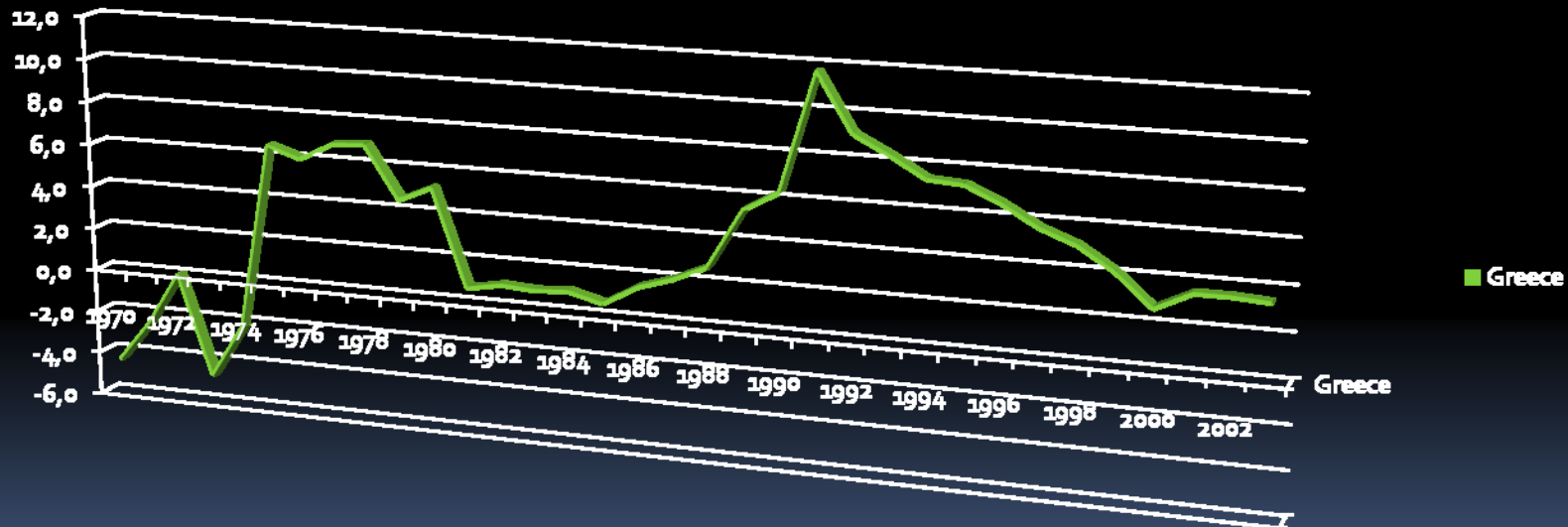
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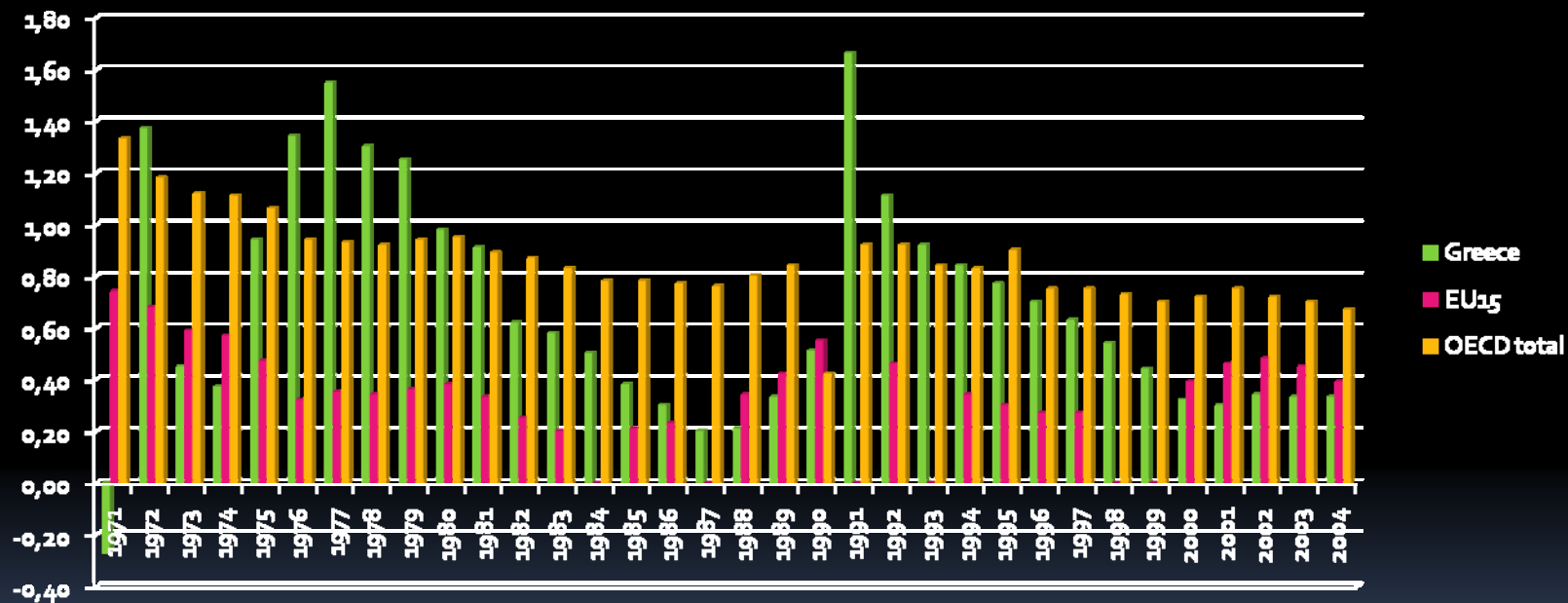


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TRIPS OF BULGARIAN RESIDENTS ABROAD BY PURPOSE OF VISIT AND BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION IN 2006

Country of destination	Total	Purpose of visit			2006 to 2005 %	
		Tourism	As guests	Profesional		Others
Total	4 180 357	1 039 432	369 824	2 282 565	488 536	98.7
Austria	93 077	39 205	5 129	41 928	6 815	100.9
Belgium	45 938	13 638	3 941	23 851	4 508	99.4
United Kingdom	78 836	3 107	6 545	25 899	43 285	124.2
Germany	239 698	63 909	18 297	118 735	38 757	101.6
Greece	709 312	141 246	24 978	454 157	88 931	117.2
Denmark	6 688	443	789	4 364	1 092	122.6
Israel	11 525	568	600	5 299	5 058	101.1
Ireland	3 929	55	198	1 723	1 953	120.7
Spain	152 912	57 041	23 646	34 591	37 634	133.1
Italy	178 483	84 463	12 921	63 541	17 558	121.8
Canada	8 819	218	1 349	455	6 797	105.8
Luxemburg	1 175	115	95	722	243	132.0
The former Yugoslav Rep. of	267 889	55 756	93 048	96 488	22 597	114.7
Netherlands	31 497	8 124	2 951	15 969	4 453	95.1
Norway	4 816	431	829	1 986	1 570	133.1
Poland	23 345	6 537	1 887	13 532	1 389	110.0
Portugal	7 597	2 297	1 035	2 662	1 603	99.1
Romania	232 371	71 788	16 894	140 549	3 140	121.5
Russian Fed.	28 021	2 854	1 961	18 111	5 095	111.5
Slovakia	7 009	1 638	684	4 228	459	196.5
USA	56 486	1 069	7 958	4 420	43 039	107.4
Serbia and Montenegro	477 533	264 031	27 698	178 723	7 081	115.0
Turkey	1 225 687	145 818	91 046	891 839	96 984	73.9
Ukraine	18 904	1 365	1 063	14 909	1 567	99.6
Hungary	26 843	6 485	1 503	16 890	1 965	109.6
Finland	2 933	202	188	1 929	614	129.4
France	67 757	20 449	5 430	32 084	9 794	116.2
Czech Rep.	31 154	10 811	1 873	16 329	2 141	110.9
Switzerland	25 522	7 677	3 200	10 461	4 184	114.8
Sweden	6 647	632	743	3 598	1 674	108.6
Other countries	107 954	27 460	11 345	42 593	26 556	115.0

ARRIVALS OF VISITORS FROM ABROAD TO BULGARIA BY PURPOSE OF VISIT AND BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN IN 2006

Country of origin	Total	Purpose of visit				Transit	2006 to 2005 %
		Tourism	As guests	Professional	Others		
Total	7 499 117	4 364 557	62 927	331 845	398 788	2 341 000	103.0
Austria	120 820	39 451	1 767	15 661	5 387	58 554	101.5
Belgium	68 965	26 840	465	4 392	436	36 832	101.5
United Kingdom	425 941	392 977	2 861	20 655	3 645	5 803	112.1
Germany	663 767	481 118	4 948	30 397	11 858	135 446	91.1
Greece	648 546	550 571	1 655	39 252	14 717	42 351	90.8
Denmark	94 089	85 525	258	2 429	423	5 454	120.7
Israel	89 703	81 080	854	6 573	901	295	86.4
Ireland	59 955	56 526	233	2 726	239	231	203.8
Spain	23 117	15 443	766	5 583	474	851	120.0
Italy	70 561	34 510	1 580	24 291	6 139	4 041	109.6
Canada	12 313	8 176	1 184	1 249	380	1 324	122.3
Luxemburg	2 771	2 508	39	181	31	12	91.3
The former Yugoslav							
Rep. of	712 941	506 193	570	2 224	39 704	164 250	94.4
Netherlands	138 975	51 071	796	6 889	1 957	78 262	107.6
Norway	70 477	67 159	224	1 084	187	1 823	168.9
Poland	158 018	107 416	380	4 643	7 014	38 565	74.9
Portugal	8 197	6 610	102	1 087	127	271	168.5
Romania	1 117 297	323 106	776	11 555	33 647	748 213	142.6
Russian Fed.	218 194	182 374	3 043	11 864	18 547	2 366	122.9
Slovakia	109 155	78 678	163	2 816	7 043	20 455	75.8
USA	69 478	49 568	4 192	9 544	2 400	3 774	108.2
Serbia and							
Montenegro	826 759	590 367	631	3 636	19 740	212 385	106.6
Turkey	849 290	30 531	23 818	58 070	118 887	617 984	95.8
Ukraine	109 393	48 812	1 365	4 597	39 440	15 179	112.8
Hungary	74 853	34 694	297	4 505	8 618	26 739	52.4
Finland	88 073	85 600	163	1 540	241	529	105.5
France	103 470	68 318	1 629	11 534	1 581	20 408	112.7
Czech Rep.	137 800	111 429	314	5 545	6 211	14 301	78.8
Switzerland	24 928	17 987	463	2 915	465	3 098	105.2
Sweden	110 981	98 813	631	2 778	380	8 379	101.2
Other countries	290 290	131 106	6 760	31 630	47 969	72 825	108.2

Foreign direct investment inflow in Bulgaria by country and by year in USD m

No	Country	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	Total by Country
1	AUSTRIA	13.0	1.0	14.7	1.4	12.1	12.5	46.9	74.6	70.5	93.6	160.6	238.4	927.3	1666.4
2	GREECE	0.2	5.1	3.0	29.8	14.6	16.1	3.3	2.3	99.1	240.2	239.3	224.6	156.9	1034.5
3	NETHERLANDS	0.1	0.5	37.9	0.9	46.3	10.8	41.3	105.6	-10.2	80.3	30.9	242.6	340.7	927.8
4	GERMANY	0.1	56.6	111.0	16.2	53.1	31.4	55.7	40.4	39.0	67.4	85.4	108.5	251.6	916.4
5	ITALY		0.2	5.2	2.3	1.2	0.4	2.1	6.9	338.3	146.5	45.2	100.5	67.1	715.9
6	CYPRUS	0.3	1.2	0.4	1.4	7.5	20.6	109.0	161.8	74.8	17.8	-8.2	120.9	38.4	545.9
7	USA		10.5	16.2	16.1	20.7	46.6	38.6	54.7	58.2	44.5	56.2	128.0	41.6	531.9
8	BELGIUM & LUXEMBOURG		0.1	0.3	10.0	8.5	255.2	21.9	0.2	100.2	60.8	0.3	31.3	9.9	498.7
9	HUNGARY	12.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.7	7.4	2.0	1.0	9.5	379.2	54.1	466.4
10	CZECH REP.			0.1	2.3	2.3	4.7	0.6	0.1	0.7	2.6	62.1	-6.8	376.0	444.6
11	SWITZERLAND	0.4	6.7	0.2	7.9	23.1	31.4	6.6	8.7	24.7	33.5	36.3	144.6	6.3	330.5
12	UK	6.2	5.6	2.4	13.7	7.3	15.8	58.9	28.1	-3.3	20.1	0.7	96.1	58.9	310.5
13	FRANCE		0.2	4.2	5.0	6.5	0.8	3.4	78.1	36.9	15.1	8.6	22.7	22.1	203.7
14	RUSSIA	0.3	1.4	2.3	15.1	14.4	2.0	14.8	99.5	21.5	-4.4	4.5	30.9	-8.4	194.0
15	TURKEY		9.8	1.3	13.7	7.3	9.9	23.8	12.3	25.4	-9.7	15.3	-5.4	26.5	130.2
16	SPAIN		0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	49.6	56.8	3.8	1.0	5.1	0.1	4.6	7.1	128.1
17	DENMARK			1.1	0.0	0.0	1.1	1.6	-1.1	2.1	-0.5	4.1	49.2	22.0	79.5
18	SWEDEN			0.0	0.0	1.4	2.4	0.9	0.4	2.2	5.7	28.5	6.9	18.5	67.0
19	IRELAND			0.0	17.4	0.2	5.2	1.0	15.8	3.2	-5.8	-2.1	2.8	20.3	58.0
20	LIECHTENSTEIN		1.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	2.5	0.8	4.8	4.0	6.9	6.4	12.9	2.4	41.8
21	ISRAEL			0.9	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.0	14.0	8.3	0.1	3.1	5.5	7.0	40.3
22	CANADA					0.1				0.2	0.0	-0.03	9.49	24.59	34.4
23	SLOVENIA									0.2	0.0	0.0	37.0	-3.7	33.6
24	JAPAN			0.1	0.5	0.6	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.6	3.1	13.6	0.6	0.1	25.8
25	MALTA				0.1	0.1	0.1	8.9	-1.2	0.9	2.7	1.1	8.4	0.1	21.1
26	LEBANON					0.3	0.7	0.0	2.4	0.3	-1.1	9.8	4.9	2.0	19.3
27	PANAMA							0.1	0.1	0.1	0.9	5.6	3.7	4.0	14.5
28	CHINA											0.2	0.5	6.5	7.1
29	SLOVAKIA						6.5	1.8	0.1	1.7	0.4	-0.1	-3.2	-0.9	6.3
30	KOREA			0.3	0.2	22.3	22.9	1.8	3.8	4.0	-9.2	-41	0.2	-0.8	4.5
	Total by years	34.4	102.4	210.9	162.6	256.4	636.2	620.0	818.8	1001.5	812.9	904.7	2096.9	2487.5	10145.2

Source: 1992-1998 - Ministry of Finance ; 1999 - 2004 - Bulgarian National Bank



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