

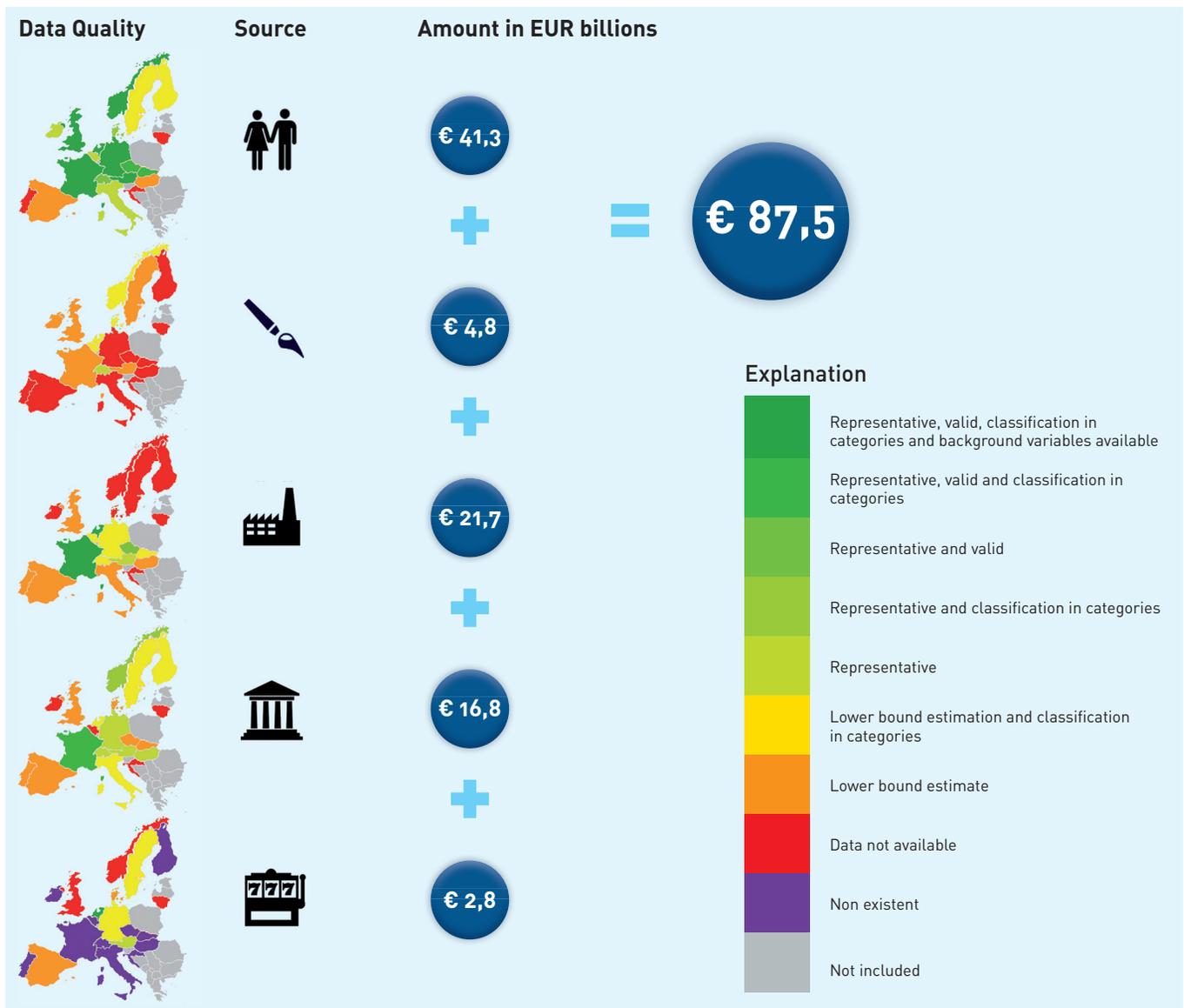
# Giving in Europe

## The current state of research on giving by households, corporations, foundations and charity lotteries in Europe

### About Giving in Europe

This factsheet<sup>1</sup> is a result of an initiative of the European Research Network On Philanthropy (ERNOP). Containing an overview of what we know about research on the philanthropy sector, it provides information about giving by individuals, bequests, corporations, foundations and charity lotteries in 20 European countries. The publication aims to stimulate researchers, policy makers and philanthropy professionals in fostering research on philanthropy and to inspire to exchange knowledge and information.

By using a standard template, ERNOP researchers have described the available data sets in their country. They provided the best total (lower bound) estimation available and classified donations to a range of different causes, based on the longitudinal Giving in the Netherlands study (GIN). For each dataset, Giving in Europe describes the target population, sampling criteria, validity and background variables that were included. In order to improve the usage of the information, the ERNOP members also described the data source(s), accessibility, availability, and studies carried out using the dataset.



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## Giving in Europe 2013 (EUR millions)

							Population 2013 (millions)	GDP 2013 (EUR billions)
	Households	Bequests	Corporations	Foundations	Lotteries	*Total		
 Austria	€ 360	***€ 50	**€ 468	**€ 61	€ 11	<b>€ 950</b>	8,4	€ 322,9
 Belgium	***€ 402	*€ 140	***€ 378	n/a	n/e	<b>€ 920</b>	11,1	€ 392,7
 Croatia	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/e	<b>n/a</b>	4,2	€ 43,5
 Czech Republic	**€ 407	n/a	**€ 157	*€ 34	n/e	<b>€ 598</b>	10,5	€ 156,9
 Denmark	**€ 795	*€ 67	n/a	*€ 1.200	*€ 10	<b>€ 2.072</b>	5,6	€ 255,2
 Finland	*€ 152	n/a	n/a	***€ 306	n/e	<b>€ 458</b>	5,4	€ 203,3
 France	€ 3.400	***€ 600	€ 2.800	€ 1.640	n/e	<b>€ 8.440</b>	65,9	€ 2.116,6
 Germany	€ 6.300	n/a	***€ 11.222	€ 6.000	*€ 280	<b>€ 23.802</b>	80,6	€ 2.820,8
 Hungary	*€ 91	n/a	*€ 179	€ 179	n/e	<b>€ 449</b>	9,8	€ 101,3
 Ireland	**€ 378	***€ 26	n/a	n/a	n/e	<b>€ 404</b>	4,6	€ 179,4
 Italy	**€ 7.200	n/a	***€ 1.000	*€ 884	n/e	<b>€ 9.084</b>	60,2	€ 1.604,5
 Lithuania	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	<b>n/a</b>	3,0	€ 35,0
 Netherlands	€ 1.944	**€ 265	€ 1.363	*€ 290	€ 494	<b>€ 4.356</b>	16,8	€ 650,9
 Norway	**€ 503	*€ 36	n/a	**€ 373	n/a	<b>€ 912</b>	5,1	€ 393,4
 Portugal	n/a	n/a	***€ 113	*€ 149	n/e	<b>€ 262</b>	10,5	€ 170,3
 Slovakia	€ 96	n/a	*€ 63	*€ 21	n/e	<b>€ 180</b>	5,4	€ 73,8
 Spain <sup>i</sup>	***€ 1.014	n/a	***€ 343	***€ 413	***€ 1.909	<b>€ 3.679</b>	46,6	€ 1.031,3
 Sweden	*€ 545	***€ 98	n/a	**€ 656	*€ 130	<b>€ 1.429</b>	9,6	€ 435,8
 Switzerland	**€ 1.381	**€ 660	***€ 893	***€ 1.278	n/e	<b>€ 4.212</b>	8,1	€ 515,7
 United Kingdom	**€ 16.380	*€ 2.880	***€ 2.750	***€ 3.300	n/a	<b>€ 25.310</b>	64,1	€ 2.042,9
 Total	<b>€ 41.348</b>	<b>€ 4.822</b>	<b>€ 21.729</b>	<b>€ 16.784</b>	<b>€ 2.834</b>	<b>€ 87.517</b>	<b>435,5</b>	<b>€ 13.546,2</b>

\* Lower bound estimation, total estimation not available \*\* Other year \*\*\* Lower bound estimation and other year  
i) Estimates for Spain produced by VU Amsterdam

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