

1.Remittances

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1.1 Remittances in Ukraine

(according to the 6th edition of the Balance of Payments and International Position Manual)

USD millions

Description	2018				2019				2020				2021				2022				2023			
	I	II	III	IV	I*	II*	III	IV	I	II	III	IV												
Personal remittances (2. + 3.)	2571	2714	2865	2961	2678	2898	3125	3220	2866	2693	3077	3344	3370	3522	3456	3671	3276	3136	3052	3079	2880	2817	2805	2866
1. Compensation of employees	2555	2740	3047	3152	2871	3095	3380	3428	2969	2616	2901	3252	3341	3437	3274	3539	3294	3183	3157	3208	3089	2841	2697	2672
including:																								
1.a Expenditures of short-term workers	670	712	802	811	736	784	846	837	719	573	645	731	801	808	767	819	833	827	799	828	809	704	662	640
1.b Taxes and social contributions	135	142	152	159	152	161	174	177	155	134	126	150	177	215	220	234	231	215	247	260	250	242	220	228
2. Net compensation of employees (1. - 1.a – 1.b)	1750	1886	2093	2182	1983	2150	2360	2414	2095	1909	2130	2371	2363	2414	2287	2486	2230	2141	2111	2120	2030	1895	1815	1804
3. Personal transfers	821	828	772	779	695	748	765	806	771	784	947	973	1007	1108	1169	1185	1046	995	941	959	850	922	990	1062
including:																								
Remittances from individuals who work abroad more than a year	233	216	211	212	209	229	239	257	277	288	290	308	444	498	478	487	460	437	396	389	364	457	488	474
Other personal transfers	588	612	561	567	486	519	526	549	494	496	657	665	563	610	691	698	586	558	545	570	486	465	502	588
<i>Memorandum items:</i>																								
Official channels	1339	1428	1415	1493	1351	1482	1551	1656	1600	1743	1990	2076	1855	2019	2079	2181	1862	1805	1702	1723	1422	1475	1487	1614
including:																								
salaries received from abroad	510	555	608	672	631	711	766	839	829	889	975	1064	957	1024	985	1077	795	727	794	768	704	766	748	770
other personal remittances	829	873	807	821	720	771	785	817	771	854	1015	1012	898	995	1094	1104	1067	1078	908	955	718	709	739	844
- through banks accounts	251	269	283	272	198	213	220	234	221	218	260	259	209	214	247	264	174	154	160	152	135	141	140	143
- through international money transfer systems	578	604	524	549	522	558	565	583	550	636	755	753	689	781	847	840	893	924	748	803	583	568	599	701
Informal channels	1232	1286	1450	1468	1327	1416	1574	1564	1266	950	1087	1268	1515	1503	1377	1490	1414	1331	1350	1356	1458	1342	1318	1252
<i>Remittances in percents of GDP</i>	<i>10,0</i>	<i>8,8</i>	<i>7,9</i>	<i>7,9</i>	<i>9,0</i>	<i>8,3</i>	<i>7,1</i>	<i>7,0</i>	<i>8,4</i>	<i>8,3</i>	<i>7,3</i>	<i>7,3</i>	<i>9,2</i>	<i>8,2</i>	<i>6,1</i>	<i>5,7</i>	<i>8,6</i>	<i>8,9</i>	<i>7,4</i>	<i>6,9</i>	<i>8,0</i>	<i>7,1</i>	<i>5,8</i>	<i>5,3</i>

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Note 1: Detailed information about methodology and results of the review is available at https://bank.gov.ua/control/uk/publish/category?cat_id=44001331.

Note 2: Since 2014, data exclude the temporarily occupied by the Russian Federation territories of Ukraine.

Remittances represent household income from foreign economies arising mainly from temporary or permanent migration of people to these economies (BPM6, A5.1).□

Remittances include cash and noncash items that flow through formal channels, such as via electronic wire, or through informal channels, such as money or goods carried across borders.

Remittances are mainly derived from two items in the balance of payments framework: income earned by workers in economies where they are not resident (or from nonresident employers) and transfers from residents of one economy to residents of another.

These standard components are presented in the current account.

Remittances include: net compensation of employees; personal transfers.

Compensation of employees represent income of border, seasonal, and other short-term workers who are employed in nonresident economy less than one year and of residents employed by nonresident entities .

Net compensation of employees is the difference between the compensation of employees that workers receive from temporary employment abroad, and taxes and other expenses incurred in the host country.

Personal transfers consist of all current transfers in cash or in kind received by resident households from nonresident households. They consist of remittances of workers who work more than a year, and other private transfers between residents and nonresidents

1.2 Remittances in Ukraine by major countries

by official and unofficial channels

USD millions

Countries	2018				2019				2020				2021				2022*		2023				
	I	II	III	IV	III	IV	I	II	III	IV													
Receipts	2571	2714	2865	2961	2678	2898	3125	3220	2866	2693	3077	3344	3370	3522	3456	3671	3052	3079	2880	2817	2805	2866	
including:																							
Poland	827	837	1015	970	847	900	937	874	774	722	805	999	1256	1217	1062	1112	1001	975	1080	1065	1060	1034	
United States	192	213	226	239	217	241	256	270	262	277	331	350	321	373	383	414	334	348	300	315	295	311	
Czech Republic	171	210	217	248	237	268	295	313	261	165	214	194	189	211	230	247	307	326	323	231	227	201	
United Kingdom	86	91	101	116	124	142	159	176	196	252	270	295	252	268	235	233	271	186	172	181	200	253	
Germany	102	104	110	110	108	112	118	124	117	120	136	140	137	156	149	166	191	198	186	193	180	169	
Israel	86	84	83	84	87	87	88	89	84	73	98	106	97	106	107	112	123	179	122	105	101	164	
Italy	122	125	119	126	121	123	121	133	121	121	114	119	112	117	125	136	186	210	76	80	79	80	
Cyprus	75	80	91	95	88	97	98	108	97	98	110	109	99	105	111	125	72	74	67	77	79	81	
Lithuania	7	9	11	12	11	13	16	15	13	13	13	14	12	17	25	30	22	52	46	71	74	72	
Netherlands	32	29	30	32	28	31	32	36	45	42	54	51	49	51	51	52	32	34	33	36	34	35	
Greece	49	47	48	47	45	47	51	52	47	46	50	52	46	53	53	55	29	27	27	30	29	30	
Singapore	33	35	32	29	28	30	30	32	33	30	34	34	34	37	38	39	19	20	20	22	25	25	
United Arab Emirates	40	44	33	36	31	33	34	37	34	34	37	40	38	44	52	58	23	22	19	22	21	23	
Canada	21	22	26	28	22	24	23	26	24	26	30	31	25	29	28	31	21	23	20	21	19	20	
Spain	20	23	22	23	21	22	21	22	21	22	27	26	24	27	25	26	19	19	18	20	18	19	
Switzerland	21	22	21	25	20	22	22	24	21	20	22	23	21	22	21	24	15	17	16	18	17	18	
Turkey	31	35	20	20	17	19	21	22	20	18	23	22	23	23	25	26	23	21	19	17	17	16	
Portugal	13	15	15	14	13	15	16	16	14	15	20	18	16	19	19	18	11	10	10	12	11	11	
Norway	15	14	14	12	13	17	17	13	11	11	13	13	11	13	14	15	7	6	5	5	6	5	
Virgin Islands, British	19	41	43	54	34	44	46	58	37	48	45	57	32	4	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	
russian federation	282	279	250	280	249	263	361	393	258	180	210	215	176	190	194	217	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Other countries	327	355	338	361	317	348	363	387	376	360	421	436	400	440	505	532	345	331	320	295	312	317	
Reference:																							
EU countries	1529	1602	1806	1819	1648	1768	1854	1857	1666	1519	1721	1916	2112	2164	2096	2230	2064	2120	2063	1982	1952	1914	

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Note 1: Data are based on bank statements on transactions with non-residents and the transfers performed using international money transfer systems, and they include the amounts received through informal channels.

Note 2: United Kingdom are excluded from the data for EU countries since 2015

1.3.Remittances in Ukraine

by official channels

USD millions

Countries	2021												2022*												2023											
	I			II			III			IV			I			II			III			IV			I			II			III			IV		
	The banking system	The international money transfer systems	Total	The banking system	The international money transfer systems	Total	The banking system	The international money transfer systems	Total	The banking system	The international money transfer systems	Total	The banking system	The international money transfer systems	Total	The banking system	The international money transfer systems	Total	The banking system	The international money transfer systems	Total	The banking system	The international money transfer systems	Total	The banking system	The international money transfer systems	Total	The banking system	The international money transfer systems	Total	The banking system	The international money transfer systems	Total			
United States	190,4	131,0	321,5	220,5	152,7	373,2	225,9	157,2	383,1	256,6	157,7	414,3	211,7	121,6	333,3	225,0	122,9	347,9	188,5	111,5	299,9	194,9	120,2	315,1	176,4	119,4	295,8	185,1	125,9	310,9						
United Kingdom	239,9	12,2	252,1	245,3	22,4	267,8	183,8	50,9	234,7	198,8	34,2	233,0	255,5	15,1	270,6	174,9	11,2	186,1	162,3	10,1	172,4	172,9	8,1	181,1	169,8	30,1	199,9	179,3	73,2	252,5						
Israel	8,3	88,8	97,1	9,5	96,6	106,1	13,3	93,3	106,5	13,2	99,0	112,2	11,3	112,2	123,5	12,1	167,1	179,1	11,7	110,6	122,2	11,8	93,0	104,8	10,9	90,0	100,9	11,3	152,8	164,1						
Germany	71,3	43,3	114,6	78,1	51,1	129,2	77,4	56,5	133,9	77,8	57,4	135,2	43,1	53,7	96,8	42,2	52,6	94,8	39,6	53,5	93,0	42,2	59,0	101,1	43,9	61,3	105,1	42,7	62,8	105,5						
Cyprus	97,3	1,9	99,2	102,7	2,3	105,0	108,8	2,4	111,2	122,9	2,3	125,3	70,1	2,0	72,1	71,9	2,0	73,9	65,5	1,8	67,3	75,6	1,9	77,5	77,6	1,9	79,5	79,0	1,9	81,0						
Lithuania	9,0	3,0	12,0	13,5	3,7	17,1	14,3	11,0	25,3	16,4	13,2	29,6	10,7	8,6	19,2	42,5	6,8	49,3	37,2	5,8	43,0	63,8	3,7	67,5	65,2	5,4	70,6	62,7	6,4	69,2						
Italy	10,4	86,6	97,0	11,3	91,0	102,3	12,7	85,2	97,9	11,6	84,9	96,5	5,7	155,8	161,5	5,3	191,0	196,3	5,8	57,7	63,6	6,1	60,6	66,6	6,1	58,3	64,4	6,1	61,5	67,5						
Poland	31,4	35,6	67,0	38,8	43,3	82,1	46,5	59,6	106,1	51,3	55,8	107,1	36,2	35,0	71,2	38,6	20,8	59,4	31,0	18,1	49,1	35,7	17,4	53,0	36,0	17,0	52,9	36,0	16,4	52,4						
Ireland	23,3	1,4	24,7	25,9	1,6	27,5	26,7	1,7	28,5	30,5	1,9	32,4	20,9	22,5	43,4	21,8	28,4	50,2	19,4	41,4	60,8	19,2	26,5	45,7	17,6	47,0	64,7	19,5	24,0	43,5						
Netherlands	44,4	4,5	48,9	45,51	5,0	50,5	45,2	5,3	50,6	46,5	5,3	51,8	26,0	5,6	31,7	28,5	5,6	34,2	27,5	5,5	33,0	30,1	5,8	36,0	28,4	5,6	34,0	29,0	5,7	34,7						
Greece	38,9	7,6	46,5	43,9	8,9	52,8	45,1	8,2	53,3	47,1	8,4	55,5	22,6	6,1	28,7	21,4	5,7	27,2	21,8	5,4	27,2	23,9	6,4	30,3	22,4	6,3	28,6	23,7	6,1	29,8						
Singapore	33,4	0,2	33,6	37,0	0,2	37,2	38,0	0,2	38,2	38,5	0,2	38,7	19,2	0,1	19,3	19,5	0,2	19,7	20,4	0,1	20,5	21,6	0,1	21,7	25,3	0,1	25,4	25,0	0,1	25,1						
United Arab Emirates	28,4	9,5	37,9	33,5	9,9	43,4	41,6	9,9	51,4	46,8	11,0	57,8	18,2	4,8	23,0	16,7	4,9	21,6	14,3	4,4	18,7	17,4	4,3	21,7	16,7	3,9	20,6	19,1	3,8	23,0						
Czech Republic	25,3	23,6	48,9	11,28	30,2	41,4	4,0	31,4	35,4	4,1	28,7	32,8	2,9	23,4	26,3	2,7	19,3	22,0	2,5	15,1	17,7	2,6	17,3	19,9	2,8	17,8	20,6	3,3	18,4	21,7						
Canada	12,8	12,5	25,3	13,9	15,2	29,1	13,9	14,4	28,2	16,0	15,3	31,3	8,6	12,8	21,4	9,3	13,5	22,8	8,7	11,8	20,5	7,2	13,8	20,9	6,1	13,5	19,5	7,0	13,5	20,5						
Spain	4,6	19,4	24,1	4,7	21,9	26,6	5,5	19,8	25,3	5,5	20,6	26,1	3,9	14,7	18,5	4,1	14,7	18,8	3,8	14,2	18,0	4,3	15,4	19,6	4,2	14,1	18,4	3,9	14,9	18,8						
Switzerland	18,1	2,6	20,7	19,4	2,8	22,2	18,7	2,8	21,4	20,9	2,9	23,8	11,4	3,3	14,7	12,8	4,1	17,0	12,6	3,4	16,0	13,5	4,0	17,5	14,0	3,3	17,3	14,6	3,7	18,3						
Belgium	12,4	6,0	18,4	14,2	7,6	21,8	14,2	7,7	21,9	17,0	8,7	25,7	7,8	6,8	14,6	8,8	6,7	15,5	6,5	6,3	12,7	7,3	7,2	14,5	8,8	6,7	15,5	9,8	7,3	17,1						
Turkey	7,0	16,2	23,2	7,4	15,5	23,0	7,8	16,9	24,7	9,1	16,4	25,5	5,5	17,5	23,0	5,5	15,8	21,3	5,8	13,1	18,9	5,0	12,1	17,2	4,6	11,6	16,3	5,4	10,5	15,9						
France	5,7	14,5	20,1	4,4	16,0	20,4	4,9	17,1	22,0	5,6	17,3	22,9	4,4	12,4	16,8	4,3	12,1	16,4	3,9	10,9	14,8	3,5	10,3	13,8	4,5	9,5	14,0	4,5	9,7	14,2						
Iberia	28,5	0,1	28,7	29,3	0,1	29,4	31,3	0,2	31,5	32,9	0,1	33,0	11,4	0,0	11,4	10,2	0,0	10,2	10,9	0,0	10,9	12,9	0,0	13,0	12,7	0,0	12,7	13,2	0,0	13,2						
Marshall Islands	19,9	0,0	19,9	27,5	0,0	27,5	30,9	0,0	30,9	30,9	0,0	30,9	14,3	0,0	14,3	11,9	0,0	11,9	12,2	0,0	12,2	13,6	0,0	12,3	12,7	0,0	12,7	0,0	0,0	12,						