

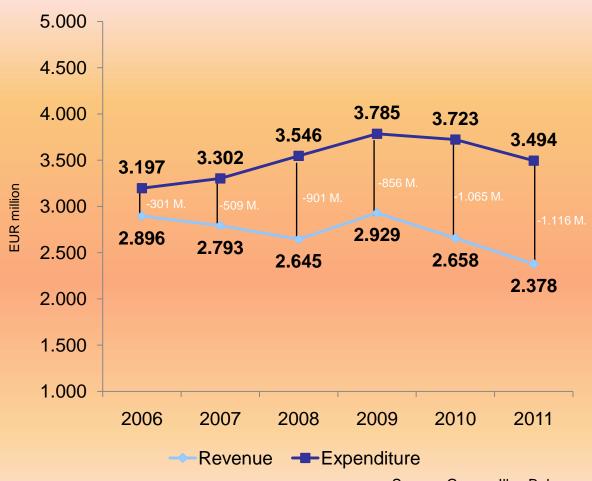
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Balearic Islands: Fiscal consolidation 2011-2013

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Public revenue and expenditure 2006-2011



2006-2009:

Expenditure increased by 18.4%, while revenue remained relatively stable

2009-2011:

Expenditure reduced by 7.7%, although revenue reduced by 18.8%

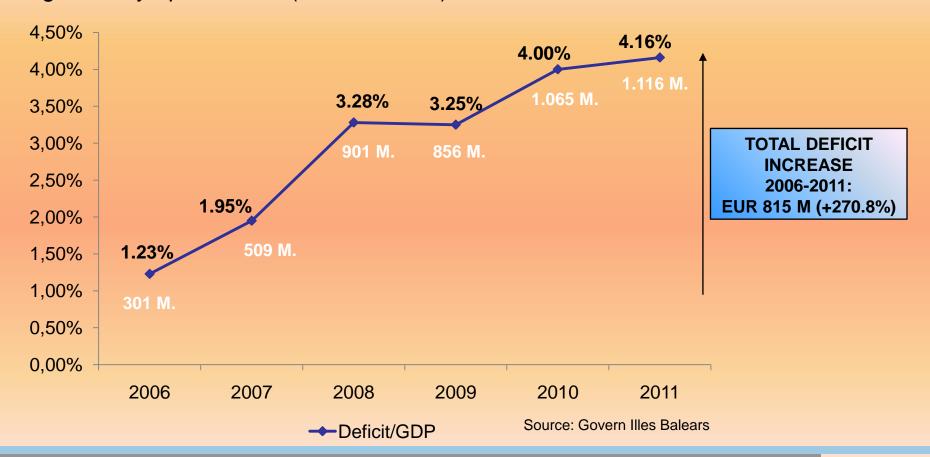
2006-2011:

Expenditure upward trend (+9.3%)
Revenue downward trend (-17.9%)

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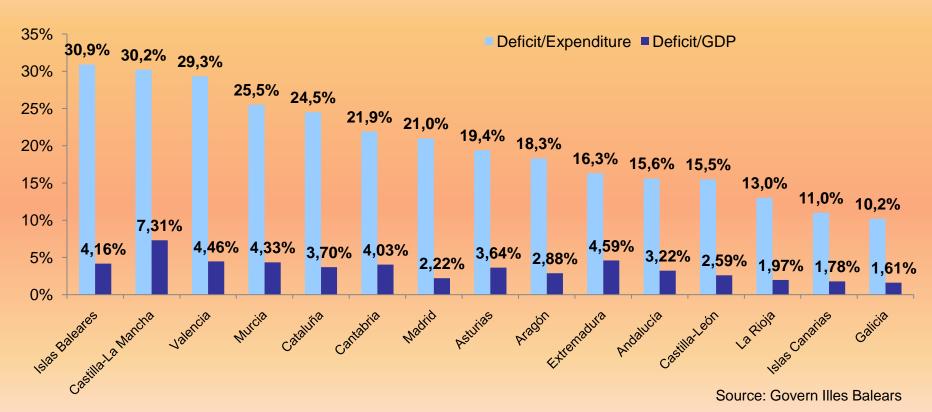
Budget deficit 2006-2011

Consequently, during the period 2006-2011, budget deficit /GDP increased significantly up to **4.16%** (**EUR 1.116 M**) in 2011



Fiscal consolidation effort in 2011

Based on 2011 expenditure and deficit, the Balearic Islands had to make the greatest fiscal consolidation effort in Spain



EXPENDITURE CORRECTIVE MEASURES (I)

Measures on staff costs

- Reduction in the number of managers
- Staff adjustment
- Suspension of recruitment
- Suspension of variable remuneration
- Plan to reduce absence from work

Saving measures in the purchase of goods and services

- Reduction of pharmaceutical expenditure
- Central purchasing unit
- Reduction in rents
- Review of purchase criteria
- Plan for energy saving

EXPENDITURE CORRECTIVE MEASURES (II)

Restructuring of public sector

• The number of public companies and other entities has been reduced from 181 in 2010 to 72 in 2013 with a budget saving of 353 M euros (2010-2013)

Coordination of financial policy with central government

- Fondo de Liquidez Autonómica (FLA)
- Mecanismos de pago a proveedores (FFPP)

Optimization of public investment

Reduction of subsidies and tax exemptions

REVENUE CORRECTIVE MEASURES

Increase in tax revenues

- Impuesto sobre Transmisiones Patrimoniales y Actos Jurídicos Documentados
- Impuesto sobre Hidrocarburos
- Impuesto sobre Determinados Medios de Transporte
- Impuesto sobre el Patrimonio
- Canon de Saneamiento de Aguas

Regional strategy to improve tax collection

Regional strategy to combat tax fraud

OTHER MEASURES

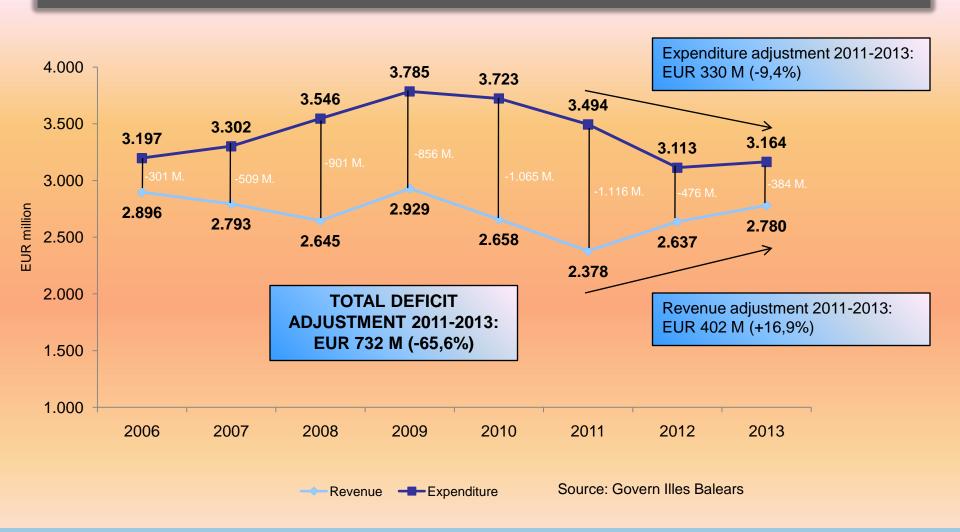
Achieve a simple, stable and predictable regulatory framework

Plan for administrative streamlining

Reduction of administrative burdens for citizens and companies

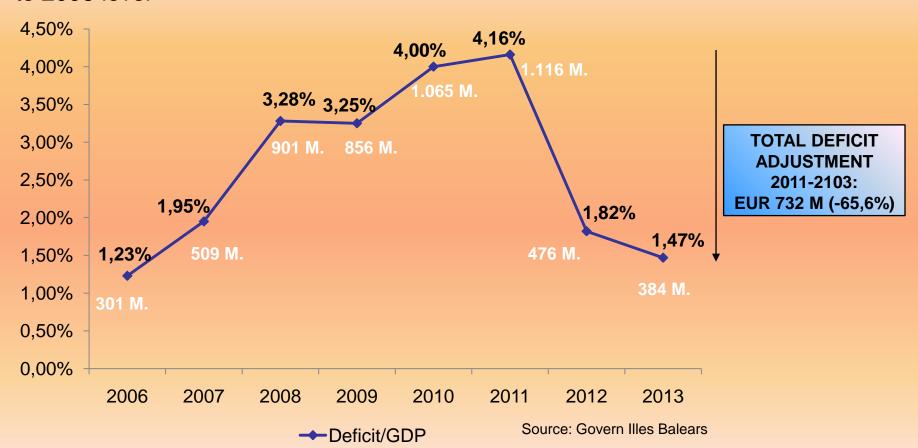
Softening of commercial opening hours

Improvement in transparency in public sector management

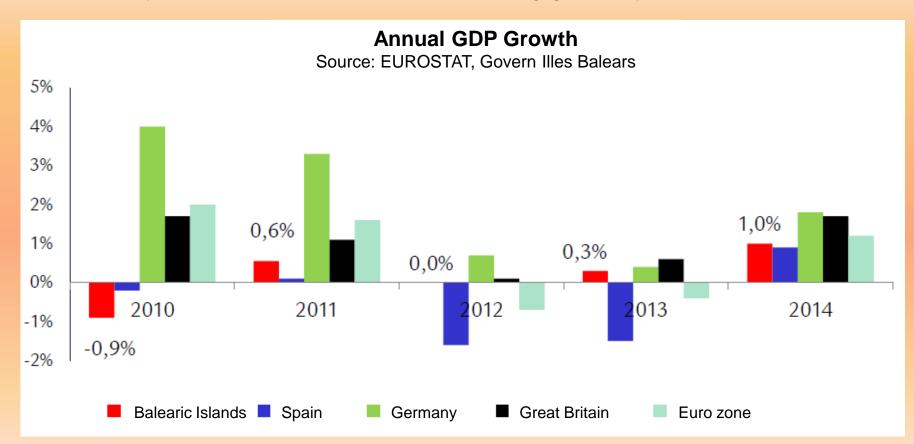


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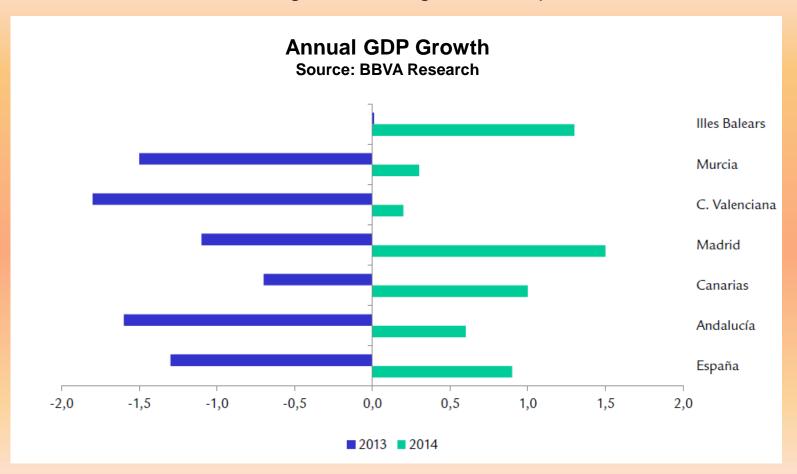
Consequently, during the period 2011-2013, budget deficit /GDP has been reduced to 2006 level



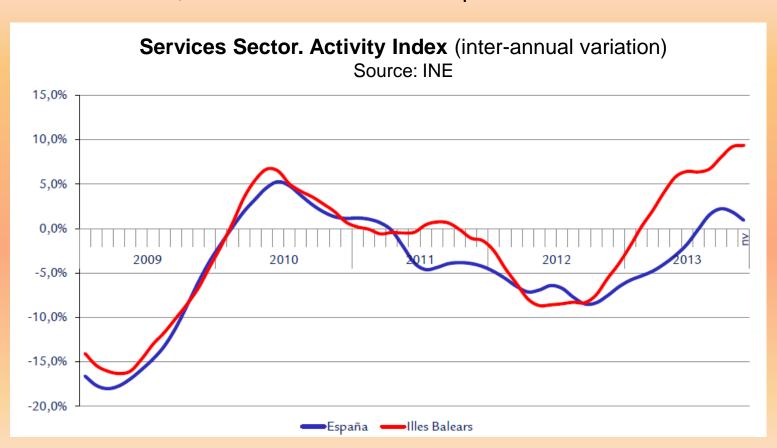
The economy of the Balearic Islands is recovering gradually



The Balearic Islands are leading economic growth in Spain



In the services sector, the turnover has a clear upward trend



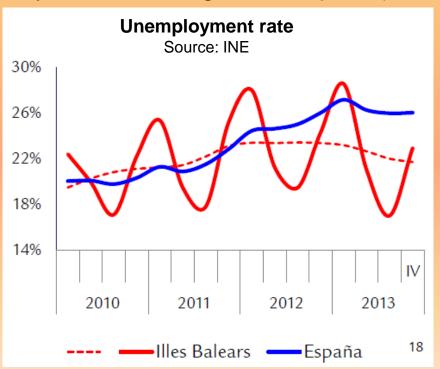


Tourism is leading the economic recovery

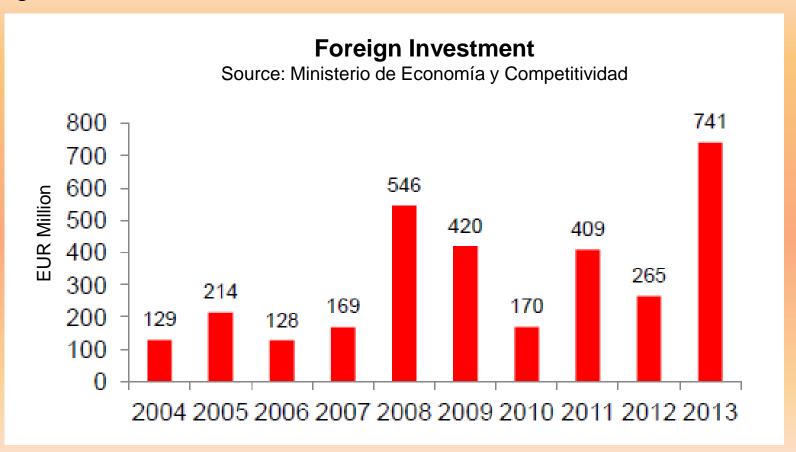


The labour market is also recovering:

- Unemployment rate has declined over the last 16 months
- Number of workers has increased over the last 10 months
- Labour market activity rate is the highest in Spain (66%)



Foreign investment has achieved record levels in 2013





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