

DECLINING EUROPHILIA?

Is membership in the EU a 'good thing' or a 'bad thing'?

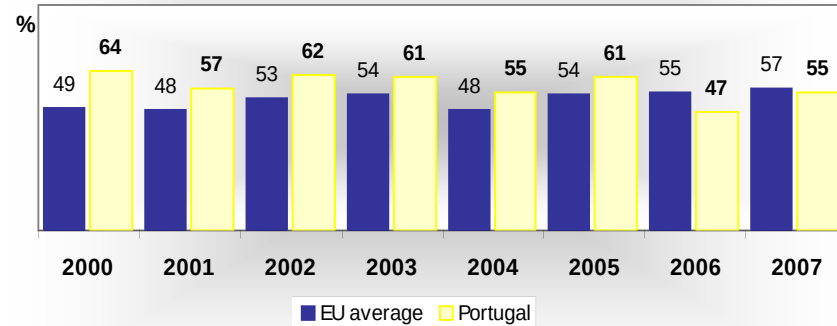
	Good thing		Bad thing		Neither good nor bad		Don't know	
	Portugal	EU Average	Portugal	EU Average	Portugal	EU Average	Portugal	EU Average
2000	64	49	5	14	22	28	10	9
2001	57	48	8	13	27	29	9	10
2002	62	53	7	11	24	28	7	8
2003	61	54	9	11	24	27	6	7
2004	55	48	13	17	24	29	7	6
2005	61	54	12	15	21	27	7	4
2006	47	55	14	13	32	28	7	4
2007	55	57	15	15	27	25	3	3

Source: Eurobarometer (several issues)

Benefits of EU membership

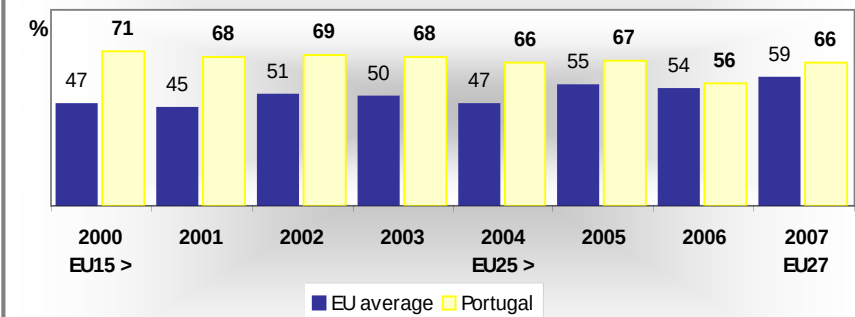
	Beneficial		Not beneficial		Don't know	
	Portugal	EU Average	Portugal	EU Average	Portugal	EU Average
2000	71	47	11	32	18	21
2001	68	45	16	30	17	25
2002	69	51	16	26	15	23
2003	68	50	20	29	12	21

EU membership 'a good thing'



Source: Eurobarometer (several issues)

EU membership 'beneficial'



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