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Table 1
Change in GDP

	<i>1989</i>	<i>1990</i>	<i>1991</i>	<i>1992</i>	<i>1993</i>	<i>1994</i>	<i>1995</i>
All countries	1.55	-4.50	-10.45	-17.17	-9.29	-7.74	-0.84
Excluding war	1.93	-3.20	-10.65	-13.79	-6.67	-6.02	0.11

Source: EBRD (fn. 8, 1995).

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Table 2
Unemployment

	<i>1990</i>	<i>1991</i>	<i>1992</i>	<i>1993</i>	<i>1994</i>
Advanced					
Poland	6.1	11.8	13.6	16.4	16
Slovenia	4.7	8.2	11.1	14.5	14.5
Hungary	2.5	8.0	12.3	12.1	10.9
Czech Republic	0.8	4.1	2.6	3.5	3.2
Slovak Republic	1.5	11.8	10.4	14.4	14.8
Average	3.1	8.8	10.0	12.2	11.9
High intermediate					
Estonia	0.0	0.1	4.8	8.8	8.1
Bulgaria	1.5	11.1	15.3	16.4	12.8
Lithuania	0.0	0.3	1.3	4.4	3.8
Latvia	0.0	0.1	2.1	5.3	6.5
Albania	7.7	8.6	26.9	28.9	19.5

Romania	0.0	3.0	8.4	10.2	10.9
Average	1.5	3.9	9.8	12.3	10.3
Low intermediate					
Kyrgyzstan	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.7
Russia	0.0	0.1	0.8	1.1	2.2
Moldova	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.8	1.2
Kazakhstan	0.0	0.1	0.5	0.6	1.0
Average	0.0	0.1	0.5	0.7	1.3
Slow					
Uzbekistan	0	0	0.1	0.2	0.3
Ukraine	0	0	0.3	0.4	0.4
Belarus	1	1	0.5	1.5	2.1
Turkmenistan	0	0	0	0	n.a.
Average	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.9
War					
Armenia	1	3.5	3.5	6.2	5.6
Azerbaijan	0	0.1	0.2	0.7	0.9
Georgia	0	0	5.4	8.4	n.a.
Tajikistan	0	0	0.3	1.1	1.7
Croatia	9.3	15.5	17.8	17.5	18
Macedonia	n.a.	18	19	19	19
Average	2.1	6.2	7.7	8.8	9.0

Source: De Melo, Denizer, and Gelb (fn. 8).

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Table 3
Government Stability

	<i>Executive Turnovers</i>	<i>Average Government Tenure (# Months)</i>
Advanced		
Poland	6	14
Slovenia	2	34
Hungary	3	26
Czech Republic	2	35
Slovakia	5	14
Average	3.6	24.6
High intermediate		
Estonia	4	17
Bulgaria	6	13
Latvia	4	15
Lithuania	5	14

Albania	2	27.5
Romania	1	67
Average	3.7	25.6
Low intermediate		
Kyrgyzstan	1	62
Russia	1	54
Moldova	1	61
Kazakhstan	0	69
Average	0.8	61.5
Slow		
Turkmenistan	0	62
Ukraine	2	24
Uzbekistan	0	62
Belarus	2	26
Average	1	43.5

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Table 4
Selected CLI Scores

	<i>1990</i>	<i>1991</i>	<i>1992</i>	<i>1993</i>	<i>1994</i>
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Hungary					
Internal prices	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
External prices	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
Private sector entry	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8
Poland					
Internal prices	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.9
External prices	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
Private sector entry	0.5	0.6	0.9	0.7	0.8
Lithuania					
Internal prices	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.9	0.9
External prices	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.9	1.3
Private sector entry	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.8
Estonia					

Internal prices	0.3	0.5	0.9	0.9	0.9
External prices	0.1	0.3	0.7	1.3	1.3
Private sector entry	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.8
Slovakia					
Internal prices	0.3	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
External prices	0.3	0.8	0.9	0.8	0.8
Private sector entry	0.4	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8
Bulgaria					
Internal prices	0.3	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8
External prices	0.5	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8
Private sector entry	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4

Source: World Bank (fn. 8).

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Table 5
Partial Reform and Inequality

	<i>Variance in EBRD Scores</i>	<i>Gini Coeff 1988-89</i>	<i>Gini Coeff 1993-94</i>	<i>% Change Gini 1988-94</i>	<i>Change in Income Share Top Quint</i>	<i>GDP 1993-94 GDP 1988-89</i>
Advanced						
Poland	0.25	26	31	0.19	3.43	88
Slovenia	0.36	24	28	0.17	3.76	84
Hungary	0.28	21	23	0.10	1.07	81
Czech Republic	0.28	19	27	0.42	5.77	81
Slovakia	0.19	20	20	0.00	-0.10	79
Average	0.27	22	25.8	0.18	2.79	82.6
High intermediate						
Estonia	0.44	23	39	0.70	13.61	73
Bulgaria	0.53	23	34	0.48	7.78	69
Latvia	0.75	23	27	0.17	4.01	60

Lithuania	0.69	23	36	0.57	9.75	44
Albania	1.25	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	74
Romania	0.78	23	29	0.26	4.08	69
Average	0.74	23	33.0	0.43	7.85	64.8
Low intermediate						
Kyrgyzstan	0.94	26	35	0.35	n.a.	61
Russia	0.53	24	48	1.00	20.02	57
Moldova	0.53	24	36	0.50	8.89	53
Kazakhstan	0.36	26	33	0.27	n.a.	57
Average	0.59	25	38.0	0.53		57.0
Slow						
Turkmenistan	0.11	26	36	0.38	n.a.	69
Ukraine	0.19	23	33	0.43	n.a.	56
Uzbekistan	0.25	28	33	0.18	n.a.	89
Belarus	0.11	23	28	0.22	n.a.	73
Average	0.17	25	32.5	0.30		71.75

Source: Milanovic (fn. 39, 1996), 58.

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