



NATO's DEFENSE BUDGETS 2011

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COUNTRY	DEFENSE BUDGET 2010			DEFENSE BUDGET 2011		SOURCES/IMPLICATIONS OF SAVINGS
	National Currency	USD	% GDP	National Currency	USD	
ALBANIA	20.3B ALL	\$0.2B	1,7 %	21.3B ALL	\$0.21B	
BELGIUM	2.75B €	\$3.76B	0.79 %	2.75B €	\$3.76B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Until there is a new government, the defense budget for 2011 remains at the same level as in 2010 • Cuts are expected in 2011
BULGARIA	1.0 B L	\$0.69B	1,46%	1.02B L	\$0.72B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduce in military manpower from 5000 to 9000 troops • Cancel and reduce orders for military helicopters and transport planes
CANADA	20.6B CS	\$20.11B	1.5%	18.9B CS	\$18.52B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Military's procurement plans not to be affected • Defense budget still expected to grow but at a slower pace • Defense spending would increase by 1.5%
CROATIA	4.74B HRK	\$0.87B	1.39%	4.96B HRK	\$0.90B	
CZECH REPUBLIC	49.3B CZK	\$2.8B	1.6 %	45.30B CZK	\$2.5B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduction of helicopters and one Canadair Challenger 601 VIP aircraft • Reduced purchases of spare parts and services, as well as ammunition and defense equipment • Reduce defense budget to 1.03% of GDP by 2013
DENMARK	23.1B DKK	\$4.25B	1.4 %	23.1B DKK	\$4.25B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduce equipment, personnel and operations to generate \$500M in new savings by 2014
ESTONIA	4.06B EEK	\$0.35B	1.78 %	4.38B EEK	\$0.38B	
FRANCE	39.23B €	\$53.36B	2.0 %	38.44 B €	\$52.23B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cut 54,000 military personnel • Delay implementation of major systems including C2 systems, land armament modernization and aircraft upgrades and acquisitions
GERMANY	31.1B €	\$42.7B	1.27 %	31.5 B €	\$43.3B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduce soldiers from current total of 252,000 to around 165,000 • Increase of sustainable deployable troops from 7,000 to 14,000 • Cut defense budget by 8.3B – 9.3B € (\$10.6B) by 2015-2016
GREECE	6.24B €	\$8.72B	3.1 %	6B €	\$8.16B	

HUNGARY	308B HUF	\$1.5B	1.15 %	275.2B HUF	\$1.36B	
ITALY	15.5B €	\$21.08B	1.4 %	15.53B €	\$21.13B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduce the size of military from 190,000 to 180,000 • Cancel, reduce or postpone air, land and sea procurement programs • Reduce spending by 29B € (\$36,8B) from 2011-2013
LATVIA	0.13B LVL	\$0.25B	1.2 %	TBD	TBD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Government to submit budget request for 2011 to parliament on December 7, 2010 • With reforms, including HQ downsizing and budget cuts, having been implemented over the last two years, further cuts in personnel, structure and budget are not anticipated. • 2011 defense budget likely to be 1.14% of GDP
LITHUANIA	0.85B LTL	\$0.34B	0,89 %	0.869B LTL	\$0.344B	
LUXEMBOURG	0.42B €	\$0.58B	0.5 %	0.2B€	\$0.27B	
NETHERLANDS	8.55B €	\$11.69B	1.5 %	8.3B €	\$11.4B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 200M € cuts will mainly come from the investment budget (163M €) • Reduction of F-35 Joint Strike Fighters from the planned 85 to 50 • Defense spending intended to decrease to 8.1B € (\$11B) in 2015
NORWAY	34.9B NOK	\$5.86B	1.6 %	39.2B NOK	\$6.6B	
POLAND	25.7 B PLN	\$8.95B	1.95 %	27.5B PLN	\$8.8B	
PORTUGAL	2.4B €	\$3.27B	1.5 %	2.14 B €	\$2.92B	
ROMANIA	6.78B RON	\$2.18B	1.33 %	4.75B RON	\$1.53B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Delays in command and control, operations and logistic support upgrades
SLOVAKIA	0.85B €	\$1.16B	1.3 %	0.76B €	\$1.04B	
SLOVENIA	0.507B €	\$0.69B	1.42 %	0.48B €	\$0.66B	
SPAIN	7.69B€	\$10.48B	1.2 %	7.15B €	\$9.7B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Postponement of the Armoured Fighting Vehicle
TURKEY	17,87B TL	\$11,87B	1.63 %	18.788B TL	\$12.07B	
UNITED KINGDOM	£35.205B	\$57B	2.7 %	£33.8B	\$54.6B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Decommission ships, including early retirement of flagship aircraft carrier, Ark Royal, mothball Harrier aircraft, drop planned Nimrod MRA4 Reconnaissance Aircraft • Delay modernization of Trident Subs • Withdraw its 20,0000 troops in Germany by 2020 • Cut budgets by 8% over next four years cumulatively
USA	\$636.3B		4.7 %	\$708B		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Administration seeks 2.2% growth over 2010 budget and 1% of growth thereafter • Secretary of Defense Gates seeks to reduce 2-3% in savings through cuts in bureaucracy to reinvest in military equipment