

## Infringement procedures listed according to stage and to Member State (1997-2001)

**Caption:** Table showing infringement procedures according to the various stages and the Member States of the European Union, from 1997 to 2001.

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**Established infringements by stage of proceedings and Member State (1997-2001)**  
**Letters of formal notice**

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Belgium	93	88	80	92	87
Denmark	64	40	46	54	38
Germany	116	88	84	92	73
Greece	109	95	88	115	83
Spain	104	78	72	93	65
France	157	121	86	110	74
Ireland	86	63	67	91	80
Italy	123	110	85	118	96
Luxembourg	74	62	65	78	50
Netherlands	65	28	68	64	53
Austria	109	76	85	85	80
Portugal	116	80	87	120	73
Finland	78	52	44	63	61
Sweden	75	54	57	72	58
United Kingdom	92	66	61	70	79
Total	1461	1101	1075	1317	1050

## Reasoned opinions

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Belgium	33	78	30	34	44
Denmark	1	10	4	7	10
Germany	35	46	30	40	39
Greece	23	51	48	35	71
Spain	23	36	21	32	37
France	49	94	61	43	50
Ireland	14	46	32	27	50
Italy	36	91	41	50	53
Luxembourg	14	39	38	40	33
Netherlands	11	23	16	16	25
Austria	38	38	37	33	44
Portugal	35	57	50	46	38
Finland	8	16	5	14	16
Sweden	6	15	14	13	14
United Kingdom	8	35	33	30	45
Total	334	675	460	460	569

## Referrals to Court

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Belgium	18	20	15	5	13
Denmark	0	1	1	0	2
Germany	19	5	9	11	12
Greece	10	16	14	23	16
Spain	7	6	7	8	14
France	15	23	35	27	22
Ireland	6	10	15	17	13
Italy	20	16	32	24	22
Luxembourg	8	11	18	16	10
Netherlands	3	3	1	12	5
Austria	0	4	9	8	7
Portugal	14	5	13	10	7
Finland	0	1	0	4	2
Sweden	0	1	1	3	3
United Kingdom	1	1	8	4	14
Total	121	123	178	172	162