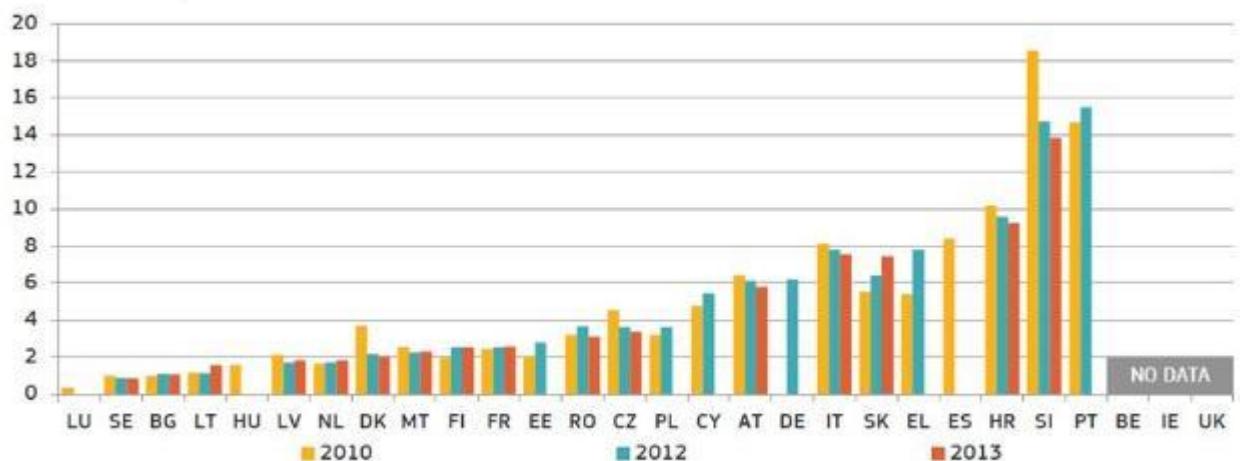


Efficiency

Figure 10

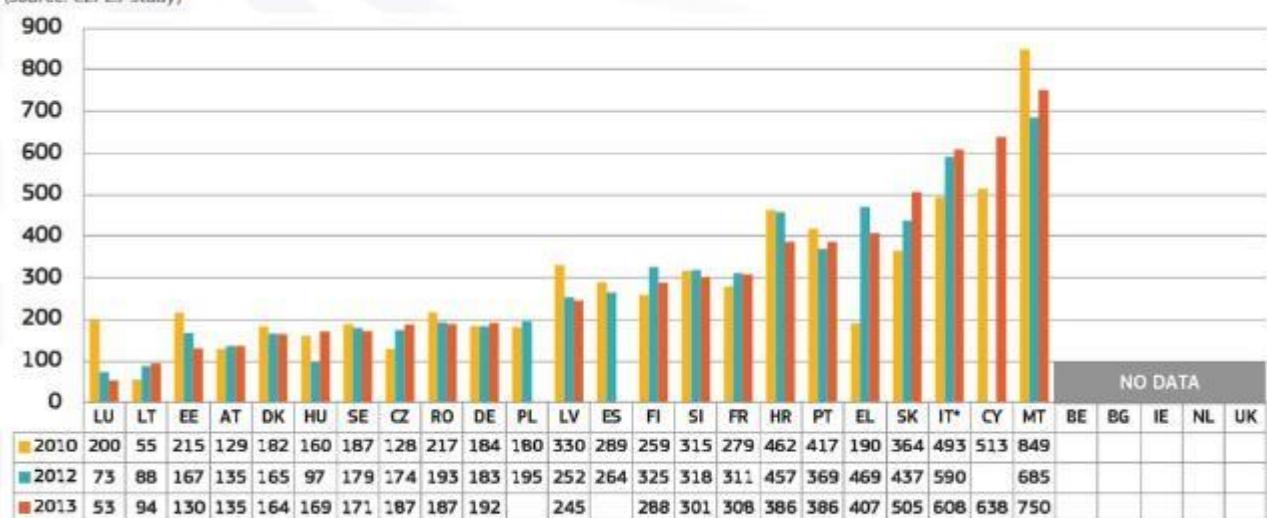
Number of civil, commercial, administrative and other pending cases* (First instance/per 100 inhabitants)
source: CEPEJ study



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Time needed to resolve litigious civil and commercial cases (First instance/in days)

(source: CEPEJ study)¹

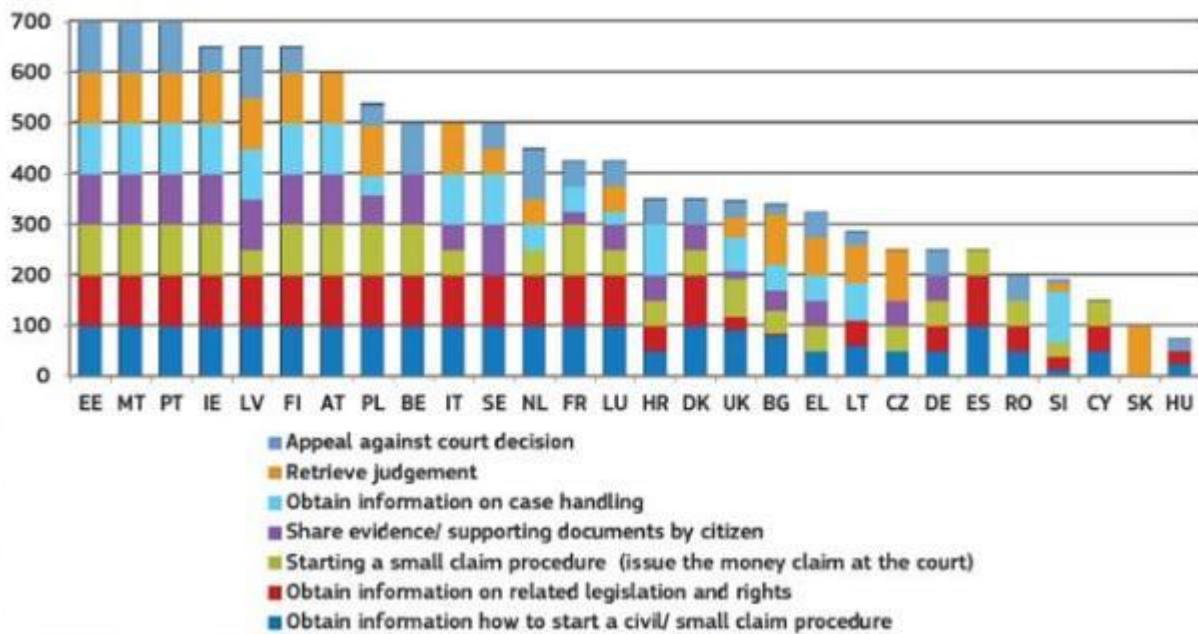


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Quality

Benchmarking of small claims procedures online (for each category maximum 100 points, in total maximum 700 points)

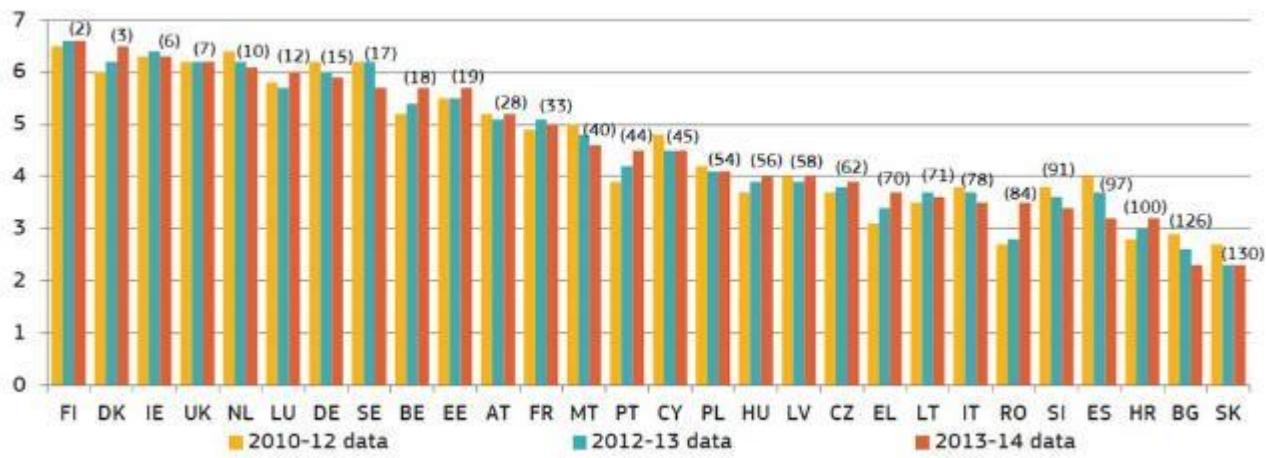
(source: study prepared for the European Commission, Directorate-General Communications Networks, Content and Technology)



Independence

Perceived judicial independence* (perception – higher value means better perception)

source: World Economic Forum⁵⁴



* The number in brackets displays the latest rank among 144 countries in the world.