

ROMA BRIEFS

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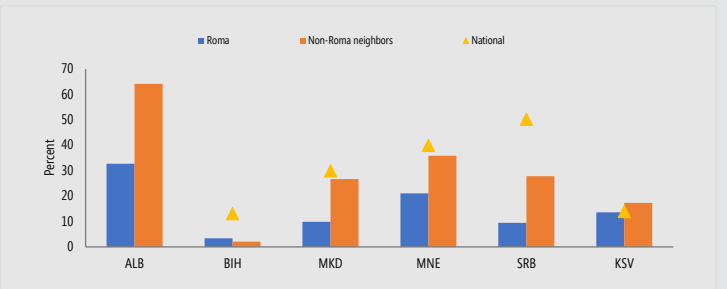
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GDP per capita, PPP (current international \$)	15,090	2017
GNI per capita, Atlas method (current US\$)	5,180	2017
Rural population (% of total population)	44	2017
Roma population (% of total population)		
From Census	2.0	2011
From Council of Europe	5.5-11.1	2010

Sources: World Development Indicators, Census, and Council of Europe.

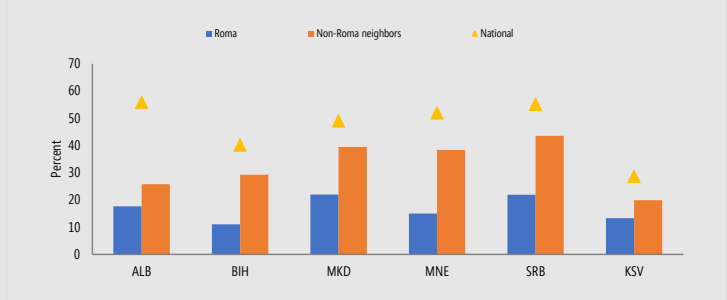
Adjusted net pre-primary enrollment rate (% of population, ages 3-5)

Source: World Bank estimates based on weighted 2017 UNDP-World Bank-EC Regional Roma Survey data. National estimates based on most recent MICS data available: BIH 2011-2012, MKD 2011, MNE 2013, SRB 2014, KSV 2012-2013.



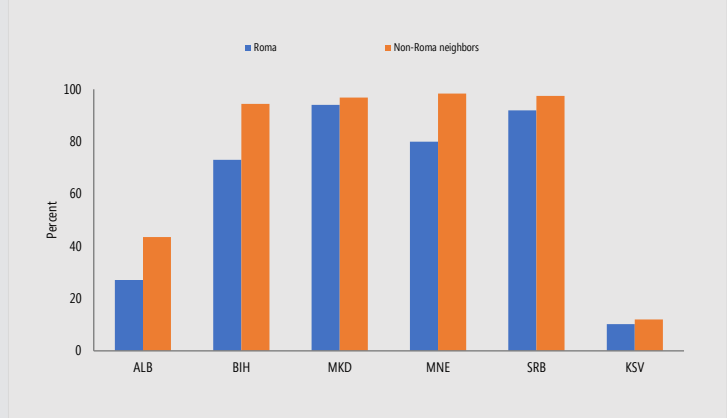
Employment to population ratio (% of population, ages 15-64)

Source: World Bank estimates based on weighted 2017 UNDP-World Bank-EC Regional Roma Survey data. National estimates are from World Bank, SEE Jobs Gateway (2016).



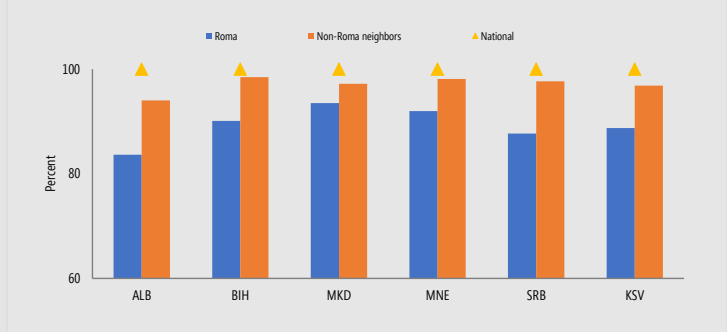
Health insurance coverage (% of population ages 16+)

Source: World Bank estimates based on weighted 2017 UNDP-World Bank-EC Regional Roma Survey data.



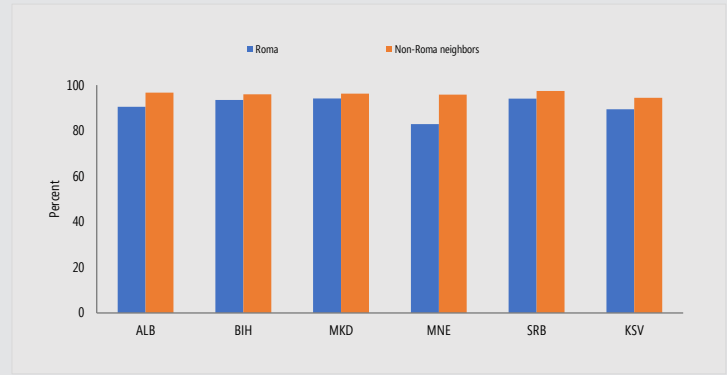
Access to electricity (% of population)

Source: World Bank estimates based on weighted 2017 UNDP-World Bank-EC Regional Roma Survey data. National estimates are from WDI 2017.



Identity card (% of population ages 16+)

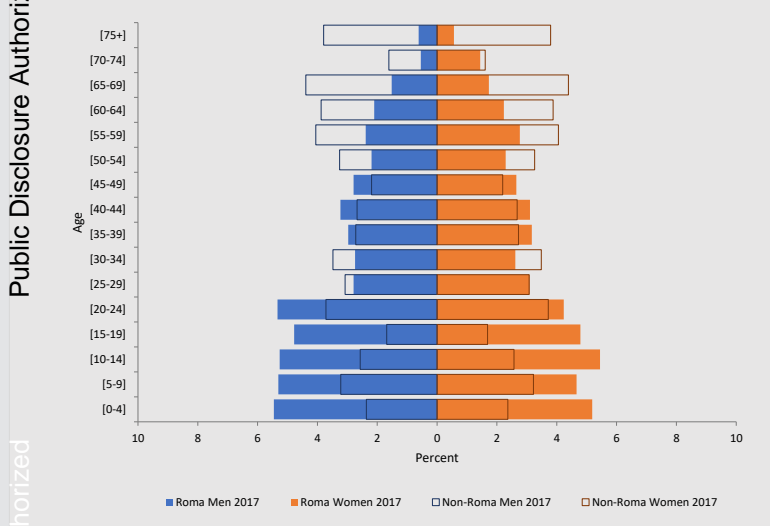
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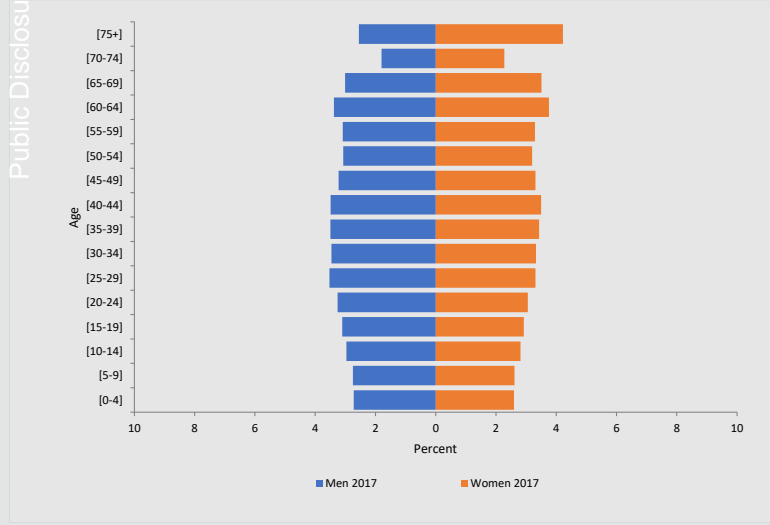
ROMA AND NEIGHBORING NON-ROMA DISTRIBUTION OF MALE AND FEMALE POPULATION BY AGE (%), 2017

Source: World Bank estimates based on weighted 2017 UNDP-World Bank-EC Regional Roma Survey data.



NATIONAL DISTRIBUTION OF MALE AND FEMALE POPULATION BY AGE (%), 2017

Source: World Bank estimates based on United Nations, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, Population Division (2017). World Population Prospects: The 2017 Revision.



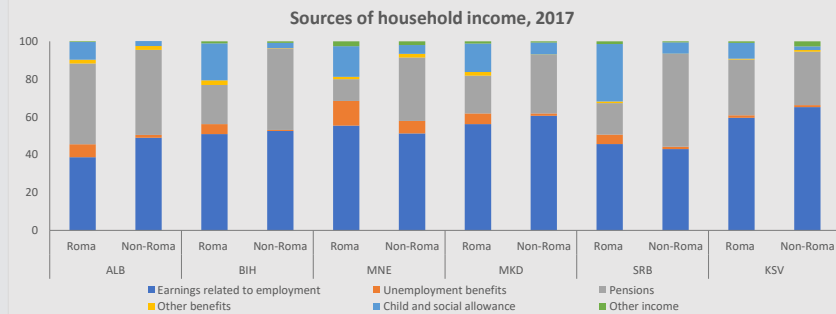
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World Bank estimates based on the 2017 UNDP-World Bank-EC Regional Roma Survey. The survey was administered in all six Western Balkan countries: Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia, and Kosovo. The survey – which is a repeater of the 2011 Regional Roma Survey – examines living conditions and key human development outcomes within Roma households and non-Roma living in close vicinity. The sample size consists of around 750 Roma and 350 non-Roma households in each country. The sample was purposefully not representative of all Roma in these countries, but rather focused on those communities where the Roma population's share equals or is higher than the national share of Roma population, the "marginalized Roma". The "non-Roma" refer to non-Roma population living in close vicinity to the marginalized Roma, and are not representative of the total population in the country. The estimates using the Regional Roma Survey instrument allow for comparison of marginalized Roma with non-Roma living in close vicinity, as well as across countries in the study.

ROMA POPULATION

SOURCE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME, 2017
(% of monthly total, avg)

	Roma	Non-Roma
Earnings related to employment	46	43
Unemployment benefits	5	1
Pensions	17	49
Other benefits	1	0
Child and social allowance	30	6
Other income	1	1



Note: Roma refers to marginalized Roma and Non-Roma to their non-Roma neighbors. Source: World Bank estimates based on weighted 2017 UNDP-World Bank-EC Regional Roma Survey data. Note: Earnings related to employment include both wage and self-employment income; pensions include old age pension, family pension, disability pension, agricultural pension, and pension from private pension insurance; other benefits refer to monetary compensation for temporary inability to work (sick leave) and aid in connection with education (educational allowance); child and social allowances include allowances for assistance and care for another person, pregnancy and maternity leave allowances, last resort social assistance program, allowances and other income of socially vulnerable persons on the household, allowances for mothers of three or more children (only Montenegro), heating subsidies, subsidies for the utility services' bills, one-time financial assistance, parental allowance, and child allowance; and other income includes inter-household transfers (financial assistance or alimonies given or received by the household) and household income from renting room, flat or house. The sample is restricted to households who report positive household income.

KEY INDICATORS, 2017

	National	Roma	Non-Roma Neighbors	Roma Female	Roma Male	Non-Roma Neighbors Female	Non-Roma Neighbors Male
Demographics							
Households with 4+ members (%)	14	40	15				
Age dependency ratio, young (% of working-age population, ages 15-64)	21	74	33				
Age dependency ratio, old (% of working-age population, ages 15-64)	24	7	19				
Share of households with female head (%)	32	19	30				
Average HH size	2.81	4.05	2.74				
Education							
Adjusted net pre-primary enrollment rate (% of population, ages 3-5)	50	9	28	8	10	39	19
Adjusted net compulsory education enrollment rate (% of population, ages 7-15)	N/A	84	99	85	83	99	98
Completion rate in compulsory education (% of population, ages 18-21)	N/A	67	96	63	72	96	97
Completion rate in upper secondary education (% of population, ages 22-25)	N/A	19	93	9	25	95	89
Completion rate in tertiary education (% of population, ages 26-29)	N/A	1	16	2	0	26	6
Students attending segregated schools (% of population, ages 7-15)	N/A	10	12	9	12	4	18
Students attending special schools (% of population, ages 7-15)	N/A	2	0	1	4	0	0
Labor Markets							
Employment (% of population, ages 15-64)	55	22	44	11	33	35	53
Labor force participation rate (% of population, ages 15-64)	66	34	52	19	49	42	63
Unemployment (% of total labor force, ages 15-64)	16	36	16	45	32	16	16
Not in education, employment or training (% of population, ages 15-24)	18	62	33	75	51	31	36
Health							
Health insurance coverage (% of population ages 16+)	N/A	92	97	92	92	99	96
Self-reported unmet need for medical care (% of population ages 16+)	5	27	16	30	23	20	12
Self-perceived health (% of population reporting good or very good health)	57	52	59	47	58	56	63
Use of preventive care (% of population ages 16+)	N/A	58	71	64	52	82	59
Housing							
Access to piped water inside the dwelling (% of population)	N/A	81	97	85	78	98	96
Access to public sewerage or waste water tank (% of population)	100	65	80	66	64	80	79
Access to toilet inside the dwelling (% of population)	N/A	72	95	73	71	95	94
Access to electricity (% of population)	100	88	98	88	87	98	97
Electricity used to heat dwelling (% of population)	N/A	8	12	8	8	12	11
Solid fuels (coal or wood) used to heat dwelling (% of population)	N/A	89	78	89	89	78	79
Mobile phone or landline (% of population)	98	88	95	87	89	95	94
Computer (% of population)	68	35	66	35	35	65	67
Overcrowding rate (% of population)	56	65	22	66	64	22	23
Documentation							
Birth certificate (% of population)	N/A	99	100	99	99	100	100
Identity card (% of population ages 16+)	N/A	94	97	94	94	97	98
Returned from abroad during the past 12 months (% of population)	N/A	2	1	1	2	1	0

DATA

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