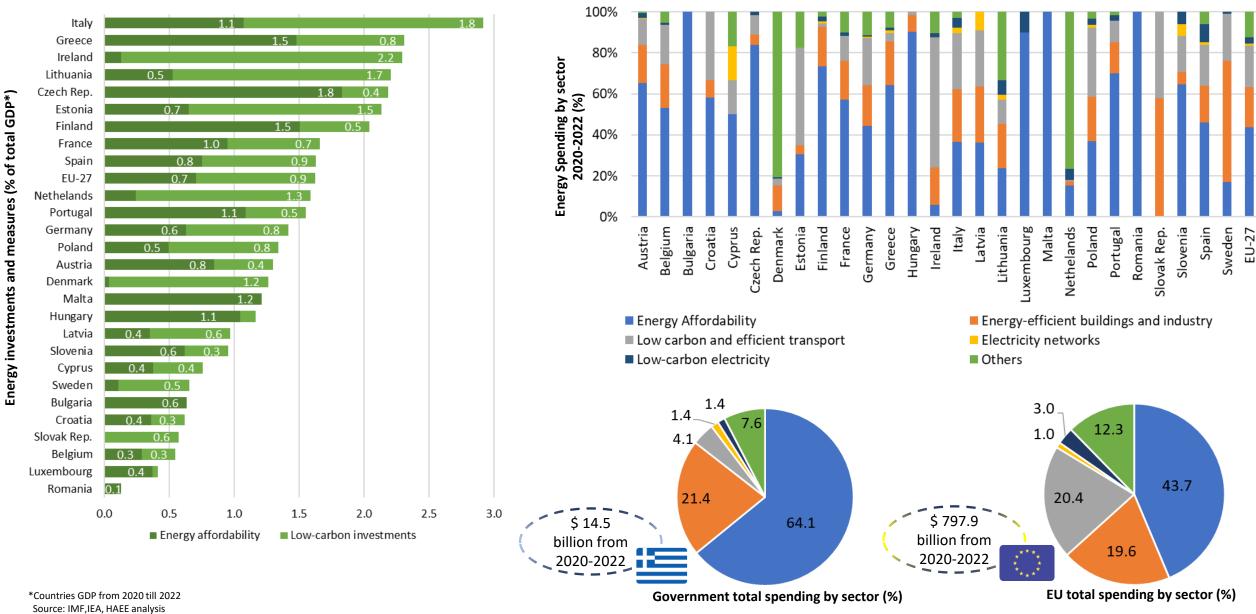
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During the second quarter of 2020 till
October of 2022 Italy's government
was the first with USD 174.9 billion
spent on low-carbon investments
and affordability measures followed
by Germany (USD 172.7 billion) and
France (USD 139.1 billion). EU-27
total expense is USD 797.9 billion.

Government spending earmarked for keeping energy affordable has reached almost USD 350 billion (43.7 % of the total) while the remaining are mostly concentrated for energy-efficient buildings/industry and low-carbon transport with a percentage of 19.6% and 20.4%, respectively.

Despite **Greece** being **below** the **EU-27 average** in energy spendings (**USD 14.5 billion**), in proportion to its GDP, has the **second highest ratio** (**2.3** %) in the EU, left behind only by **Italy**'s **2.9% to its GDP** but well above the average **EU-27 (1.6%)**.

Financing 1.5% of its GDP for energy affordability, Greece has the second highest percentage together with Finland, since Greek government has supported with more than half (64% - USD 9.3 billion) the consumers to lower electricity prices.



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