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Data Source

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Data:	© Michael Bauer Research GmbH 2024 based on © National Statistics Office, Eurostat.
Boundaries:	© Michael Bauer Research GmbH, Nuremberg, Germany, 2023.
Settlement Points:	These settlement points were created using 2023 OpenStreetMap (OSM) Building Footprints, Microsoft Global ML Building Footprints and the European Commission Global Human Settlement Layer (GHSL). More information about the data can be found here: https://www.openstreetmap.org, https://github.com/microsoft/GlobalMLBuildingFootprints, https://ghslsys.jrc.ec.europa.eu. The buildings were constrained to include only residential housing units. The buildings were verified and improved upon using the latest Esri imagery and HERE (Esri Street Map Premium Layers (LandArea, BuiltUpArea)). When necessary, household values were distributed evenly onto multiunit residential buildings using a top-down approach with the Michael Bauer Research household values from the lowest level geographies.

Dataset Information

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3 Letter ISO Country code	MLT
Currency	Euro
3 Letter Currency code	EUR
Number of attributes available	114
Number of geography levels	5

Geography Levels

Esri Geography Name	Local Geography Name	Available through ArcGIS.com Maps	Feature Count
Country	Malta	X	1
Regions	Regions	X	2
Districts	Districts	X	6
Local Councils	Local_Councils	X	68
Postcodes3	Postcodes3		73

Data Apportionment Settings

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Threshold Upper Bound	Aggregation Method	Level of Geography
150 km	Block Apportion	MT.Postcodes3
250 km	Centroids In Polygon	MT.Postcodes3
more	Centroids In Polygon	MT.LocalCouncils

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Change Summary

Changes to geography level names

None.

New Attributes

None.

Attributes no longer available

None.

Change Notes

Market Data are now projections for 2023 (before: 2022). Unemployed Persons are shown for 2022 (before 2021). The Purchasing Power projections for 2023 show an upward trend due an upward revision of the 2022 Purchasing Power and inflation. Consumer Spending 2023 shows high deviations from last year's delivery due to high inflation in almost all European countries and significant volatility of the raw data of the official statistical offices in the aftermath of Covid-19 pandemic. Using new input data from the Census 2021 leads to deviations in Age Bands. Based on official statistics, the number of Unemployed Persons shows a significant decline due to an economic recovery after the Covid-19 pandemic.

The updated settlement points have been constrained using current MBR boundaries. These settlement points could result in minor changes to previously run values in some trade areas. Settlement points are used in the data apportionment algorithm to redistribute data variables to input polygon features.

Other Data Notes

Birkirkara, G ajnsielem and Comino, Munxar, Kalkara and Zebbug Gozo in totals.