Structure of government expenditures by function and number of OECD countries targeting these areas for cuts, average for OECD29 (2008)

Rise in public spending on pensions vs. freezes/cuts to pensions as part of consolidation

Rise in public spending on health vs. freezes/cuts to health spending as part of consolidation

Size of government (e.g. government spending as pct. of GDP) vs. estimated fiscal consolidation needs