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## Withholding taxes\*) 2011

| Country        | Interest               | Dividends           |
|----------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| Austria        | 25                     | 25                  |
| Belgium        | 15                     | 25                  |
| Denmark        | _ 2)                   | 25                  |
| Finland        | _ 2)                   | _ 3)                |
| France         | _ 2)                   | _ 3)                |
| Germany        | 26.38 <sup>1)</sup>    | 26.38 <sup>1)</sup> |
| Greece         | 10                     | 25                  |
| Ireland        | 20                     | 20                  |
| Italy          | 20                     | _ 3)                |
| Luxembourg     | -                      | 15                  |
| Netherlands    | <u>-</u>               | 15                  |
| Norway         | _ 2)                   | _ 3)                |
| Portugal       | 21.5 <sup>4)</sup>     | 21.5                |
| Spain          | 19                     | 19                  |
| Sweden         | _ 2)                   | _ 3)                |
| Switzerland    | 35                     | 35                  |
| United Kingdom | 20                     | -                   |
| United States  | <b>-</b> <sup>2)</sup> | _ 3)                |

<sup>\*)</sup> Double taxation treaties are not taken into consideration.

Source: IBFD Tax Research Platform, http://online.ibfd.org/kbase/, state november 2011.

<sup>1)</sup> Including a solidarity surcharge of 5.5 %.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2)</sup> No withholding taxes paid to resident companies.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3)</sup> No withholding taxes on domestic dividends.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4)</sup> Special rate of 16.5% in some cases.