The EC initiative on Sustainable and Inclusive Wellbeing

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From GDP to sustainable and inclusive wellbeing

"This broad approach to measuring and monitoring resilience should feed into an **integrated approach to measuring people's wellbeing**." *SFR 2020*

"The resilience dashboards are an important step towards a more **integrated approach for measuring wellbeing beyond GDP**." *SFR 2021*

"The EC has launched internal work on **developing Sustainable and Inclusive Wellbeing metrics for the EU to complement GDP**." *SFR 2023*

"The EC's work on a **dashboard of sustainable and inclusive well-being indicators** that has the potential to reduce reporting burdens is now **mature enough to be embedded into policy evaluation, and investment and reform decision-making.** The EC should strengthen cooperation with the OECD and the on the **international efforts to develop 'beyond GDP' frameworks**, building on the 2030 Agenda and their sustainable development goals." *SFR 2025*

Sustainable and inclusive wellbeing

The wellbeing of all people of current and future generations, and of the planet

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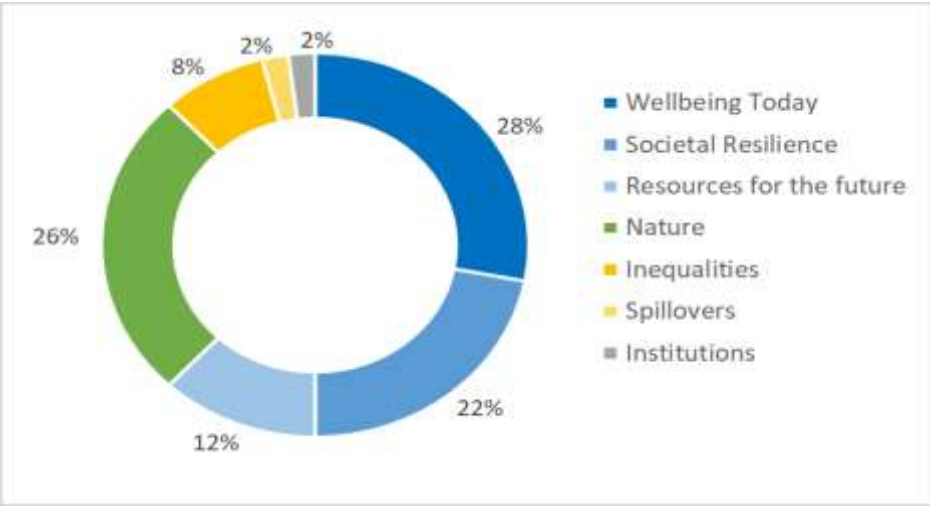
WELLBEING TODAY	SUSTAINABILITY		WELLBEING TOMORROW
	SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC RESOURCES FOR FUTURE WELLBEING	RESILIENCE: SOCIETAL CHALLENGES AND SUSTAINABILITY TRANSITIONS	
Material living conditions Productive and other main activity Health Leisure and social interactions Governance and basic rights Natural and living environment Overall experience of life	Human capital (health and education) Social capital Economic capital	Social and economic resilience Digitalisation and technological change Geopolitical resilience Demography and urbanisation	Model-based projections of selected indicators
	NATURE AND PLANETARY BOUNDARIES		
	Safeguarding ecosystems and biodiversity Climate change mitigation and adaptation Sustainable use of resources Green economy and policies		
INCLUSIVENESS (Inequalities and spillover effects beyond the EU)			
INSTITUTIONAL CAPACITY AND QUALITY			

Building on existing frameworks and expert consensus

		EC								ES Country Reports (2022)	non-EC	
● over 0.67 ● 0.33 to 0.66 ● 0 to 0.33 ○ 0		EU SDGs 2022	Quality of Life	Social scoreboard	Resilience Dashboards	TPI	EU Regional SPI	8th EAP	Statistics for EGD		OECD	The Doughnut
	Wellbeing today	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●	●
Sustainability	Social and economic resources for future wellbeing	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●	●
Sustainability	Resilience: societal challenges and sustainability transitions	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Sustainability	Nature and planetary boundaries	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
	Inclusiveness	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	●	●	●
	Institutional capacity and quality	●	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	●	●
	Total number of (mapped) indicators	**100**	**82**	**39**	**119**	**27**	**55**	**24**	**25**	**155**	**79**	**28**



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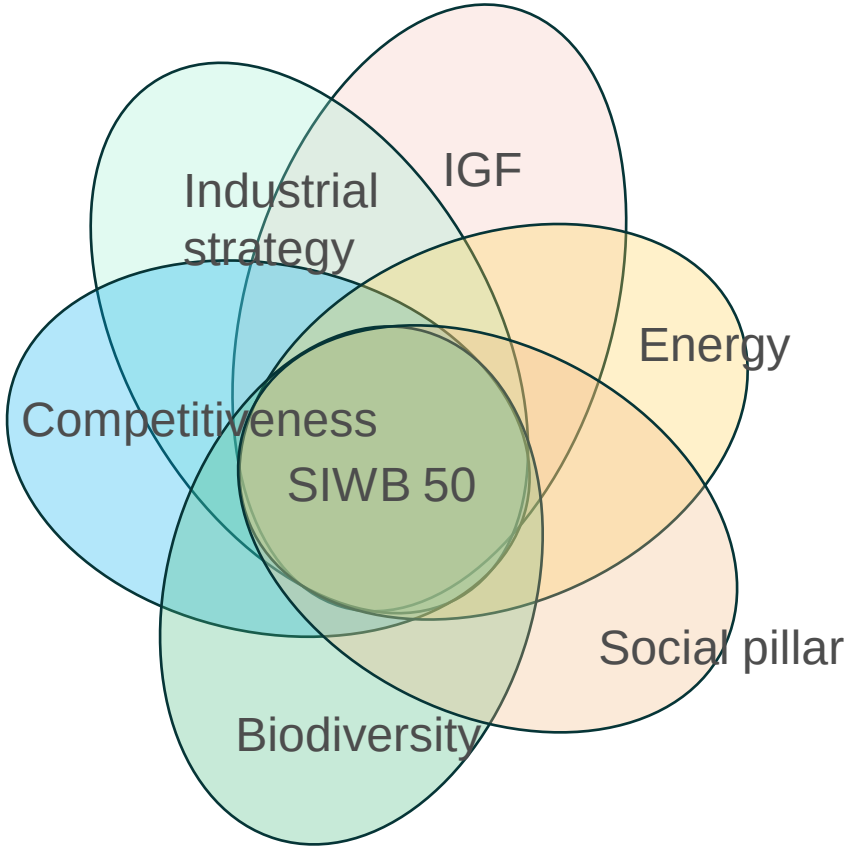
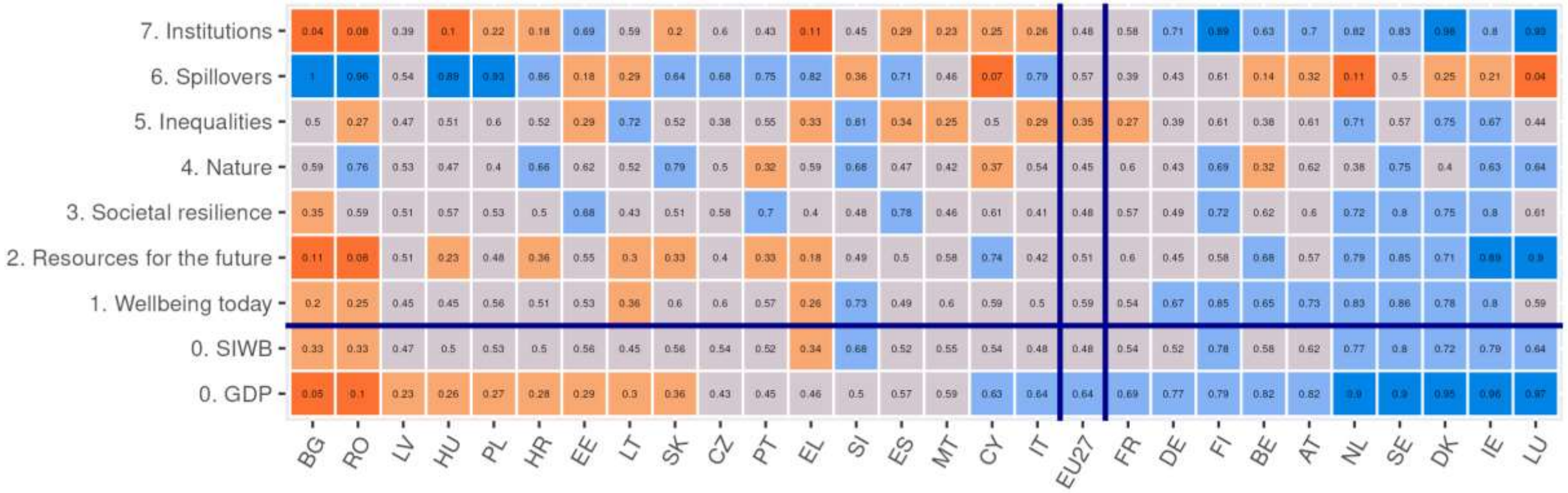
SIWB flower concept for indicators



The synthetic SIWB indices (2023)

Forthcoming 2023 update



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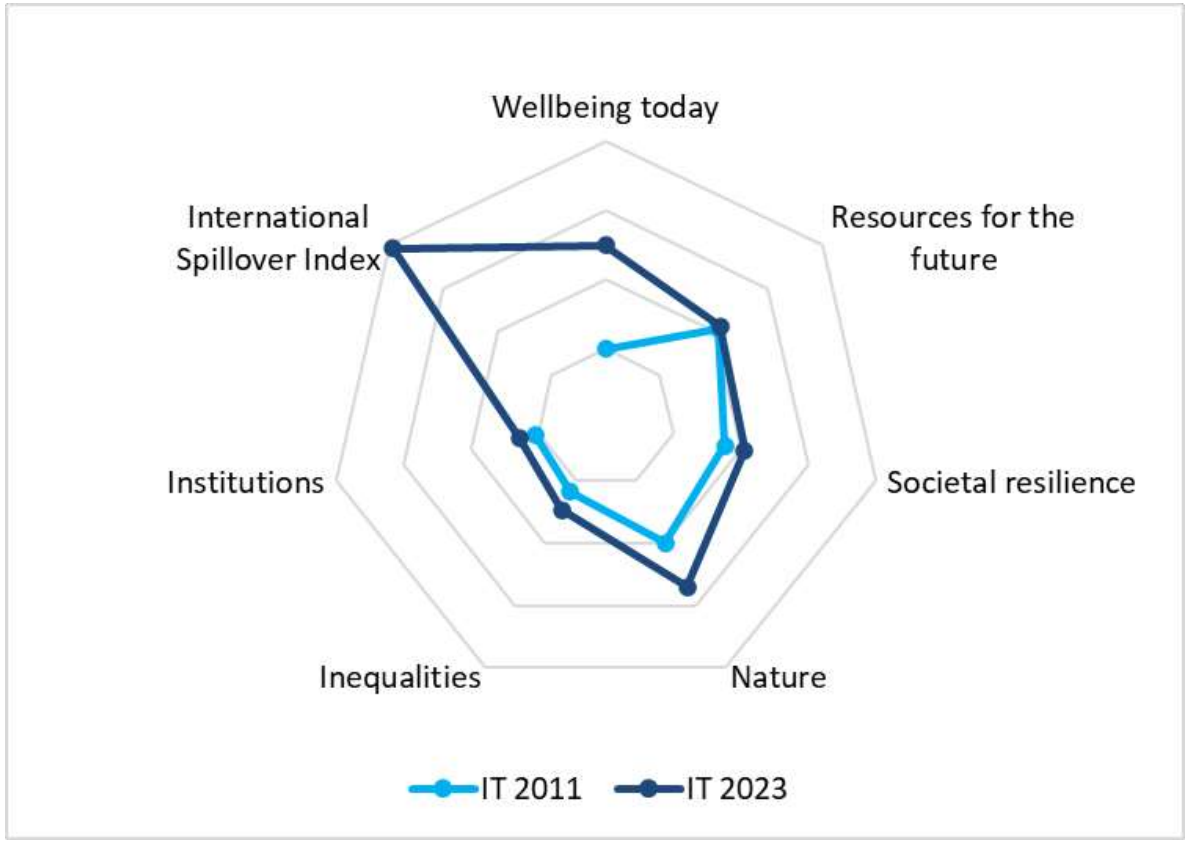
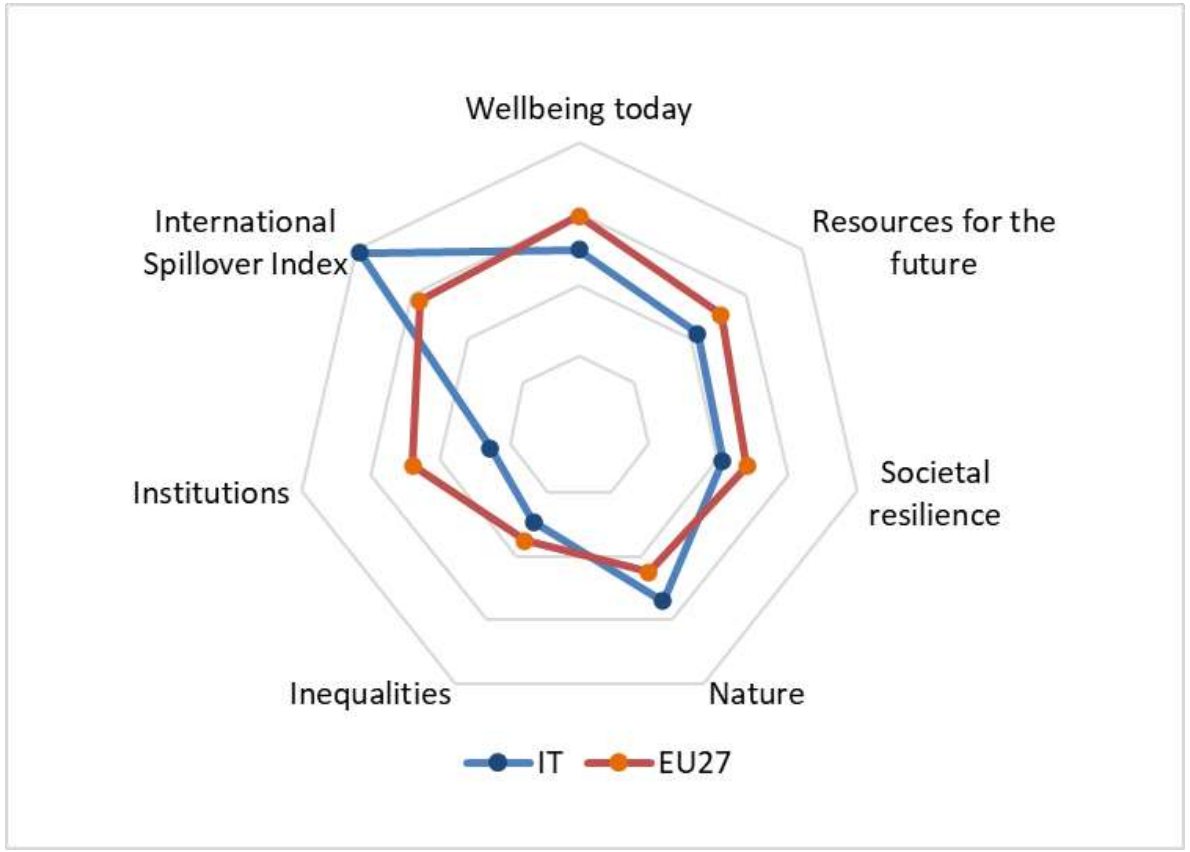
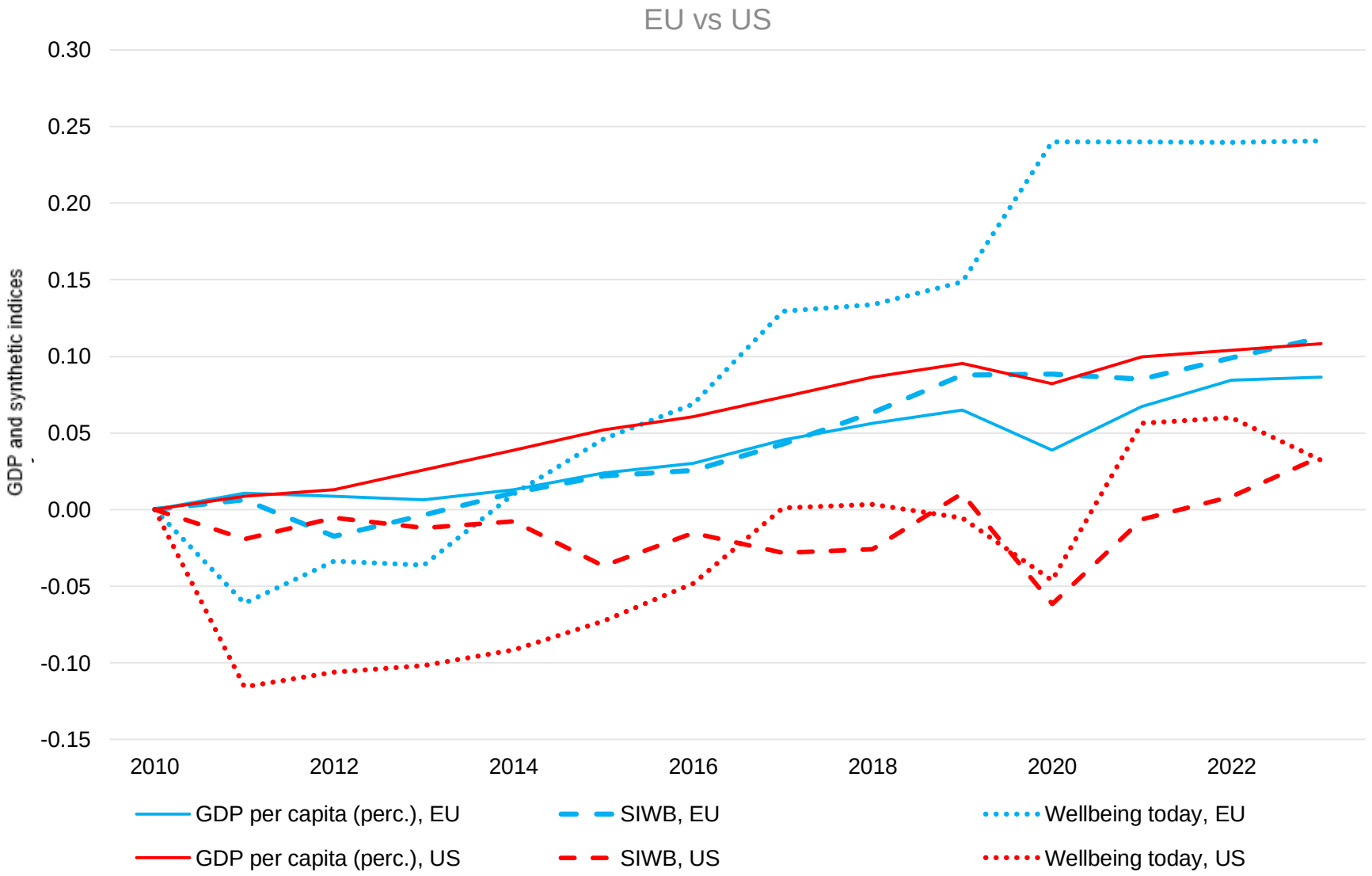
SIWB: MS insights - Italy (2023)





Global extension - forthcoming



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