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Ministry of information society



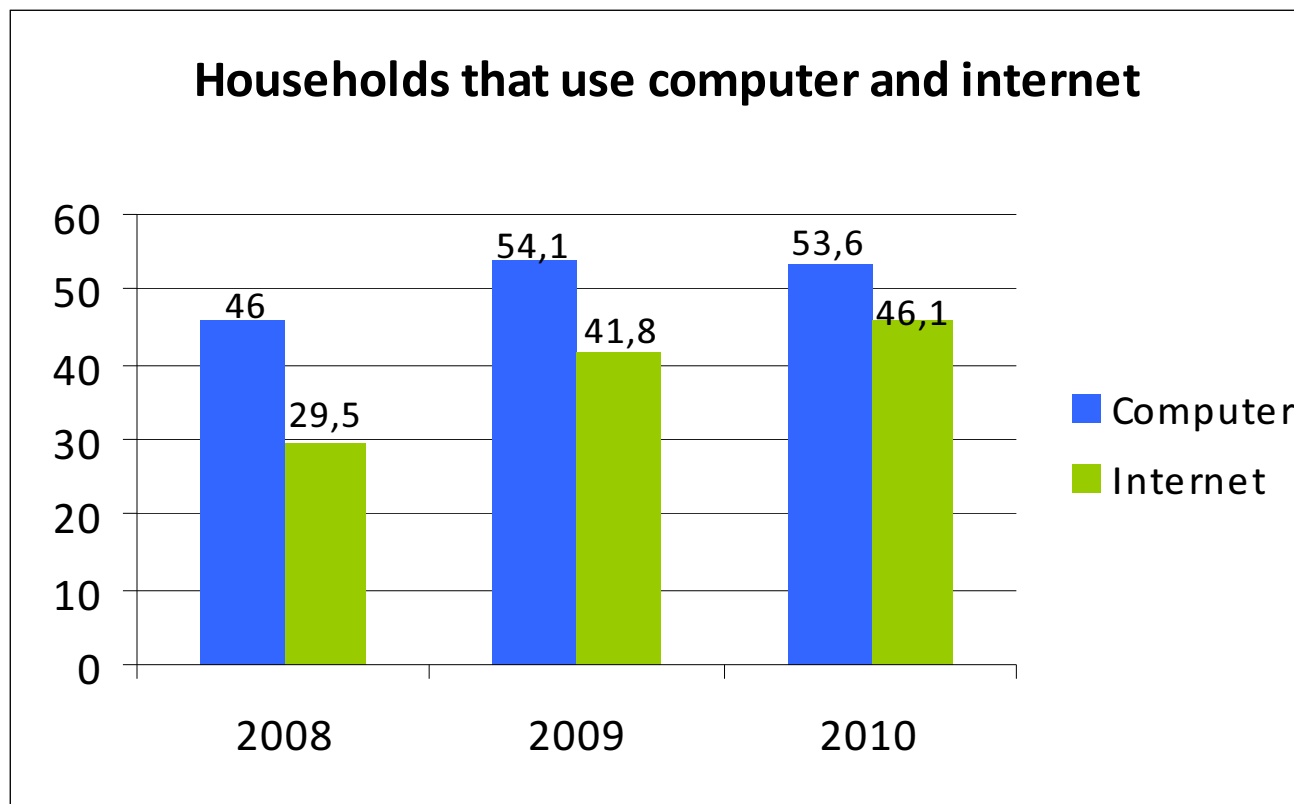
# Information society development in the Republic of Macedonia

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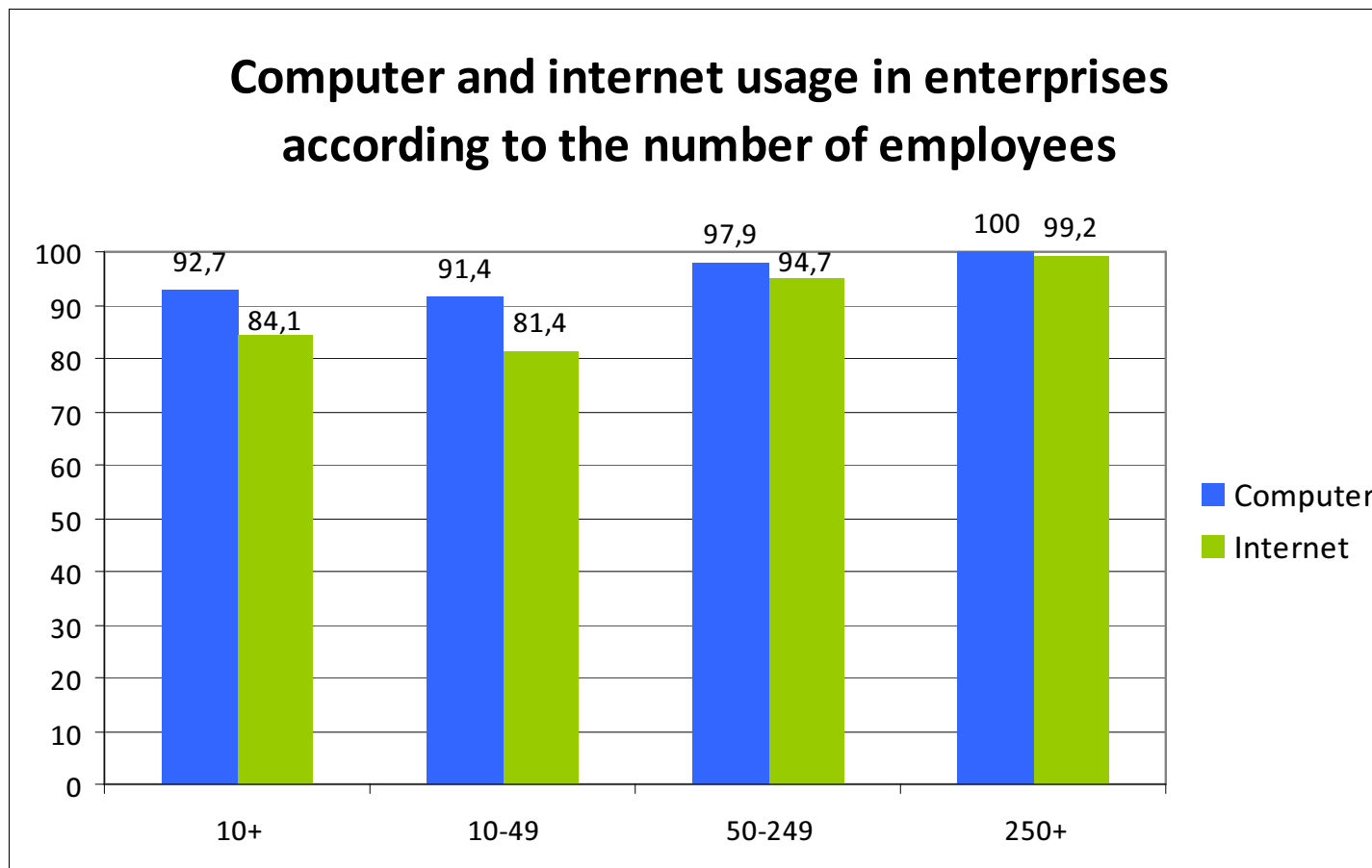


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### “Information society measurement” by *ITU*

- ICT development index is calculated for 159 countries and the ICT price basket index for 161 countries.
- Among the highest ranked countries, as countries with strongest achievements are Bahrain, Greece, United Arab Emirates and the Republic of Macedonia
- The total score of the republic of Macedonia has grown from 3.40 to 4.32 which is a movement of 12 places. The Republic of Macedonia has the 51th place from the total 159 countries.





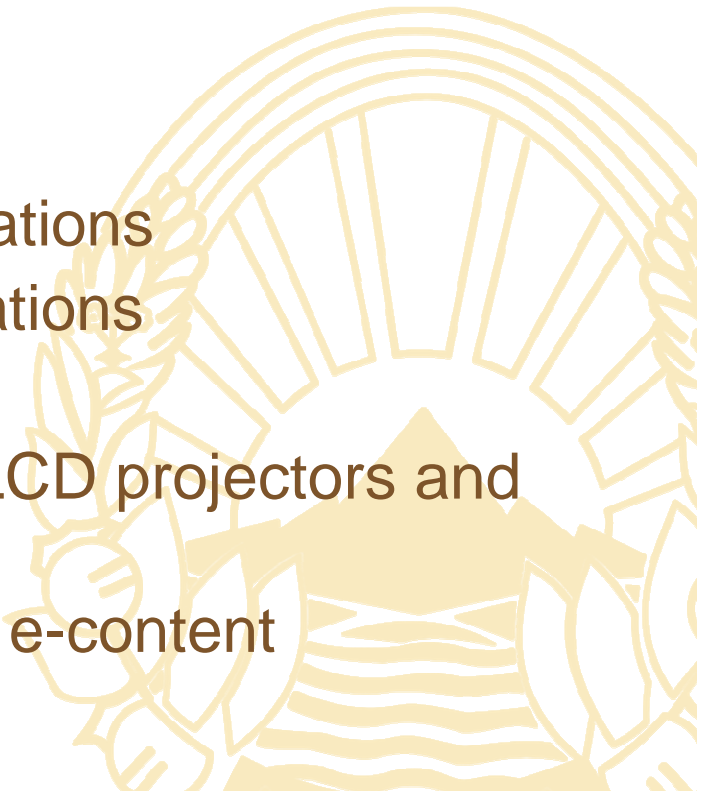
## Projects for the purpose of ICT development E-education

### **Finished:**

- **Computer for every child**

*Installed:*

- 1 to 3 grade – 53.000 CMPCs
- 4 to 9 grade – 107.000 work stations
- High schools – 55.000 work stations
- Teachers – 22.000 notebooks
- In addition - 808 printers, 564 LCD projectors and 433 multifunctional devices
- Educational software tools and e-content





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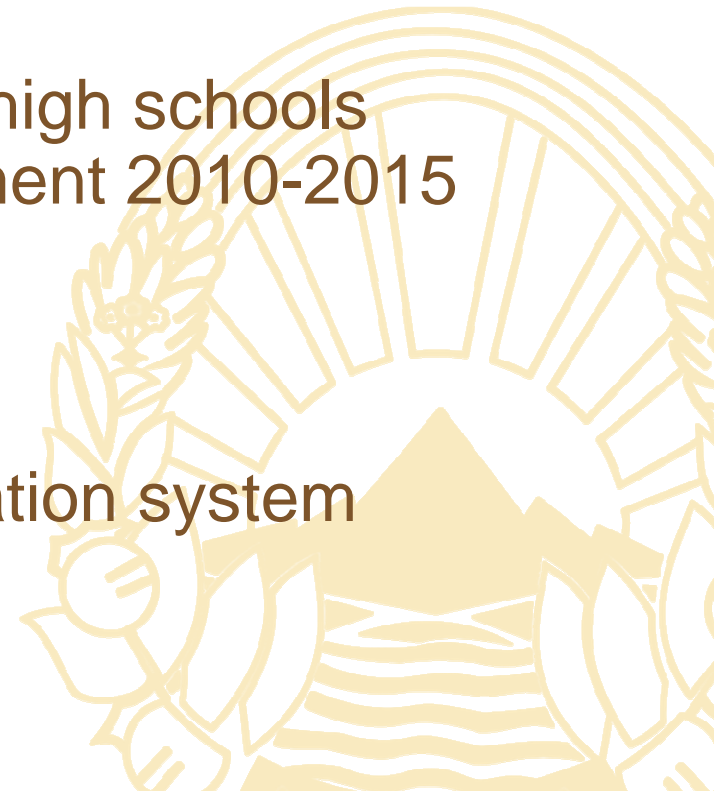
### E-education

#### **Finished:**

- LAN network and free internet in all student dormitories
- Free internet in all primary and high schools
- Strategy for e-content development 2010-2015

#### **In progress:**

- Electronic educational content
- Education management information system
- Electronic external testing





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## Projects for the purpose of ICT development

### E-citizens

#### **Finished:**

- Free IT courses
- Free internet clubs in 22 cities
- 680 internet kiosks and free wi-fi points in the rural areas
- Portal for people with disabilities
- Campaign “Use Macedonian words”

#### **In progress:**

- Free advanced IT courses and certification for unemployed people
- Increasing the Macedonian content on Wikipedia
- Web portal for e-democracy
- Developing a strategy for e-inclusion





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## Projects for the purpose of ICT development

### E-citizens

#### **Future planned projects:**

- Additional 8 free internet clubs
- New free IT courses
- Stimulations for increased computer and Internet usage
- Web accessibility initiatives







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## Projects for the purpose of ICT development E-Infrastructure

### **In progress:**

- Interoperability in all state institutions
- Government communication network
- Broadband infrastructure
- Government PKI





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## Projects for the purpose of ICT development

### E-Government

#### **Finished:**

- Adopted National Strategy for e-Government 2010-2012
- Law on Electronic Management and its bylaws
- System for preparation of materials for government sessions
- e-Taxes for business entities
- e-Forms
- Electronic application in the state administration
- e-Cadastre
- EXIM system
- Electronic registration and repudiation of employments
- Electronic procurement system





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## Projects for the purpose of ICT development E-Government

### **In progress:**

- Document management system
- e-Documents exchange
- e-Health information system and e-Health cards
- e-Taxes for citizens
- Electronic payment of administrative taxes





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## Projects for the purpose of ICT development E-Government

### **Planned for future:**

- Introduction of new e-services according to the e-Government strategy 2010 - 2012
- Upgrade of the government portal [uslugi.gov.mk](http://uslugi.gov.mk)
- eID
- Citizen relationship management
- e-Government trainings for the civil servants
- Promotion of electronic services





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**Thank you for your attention !**

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