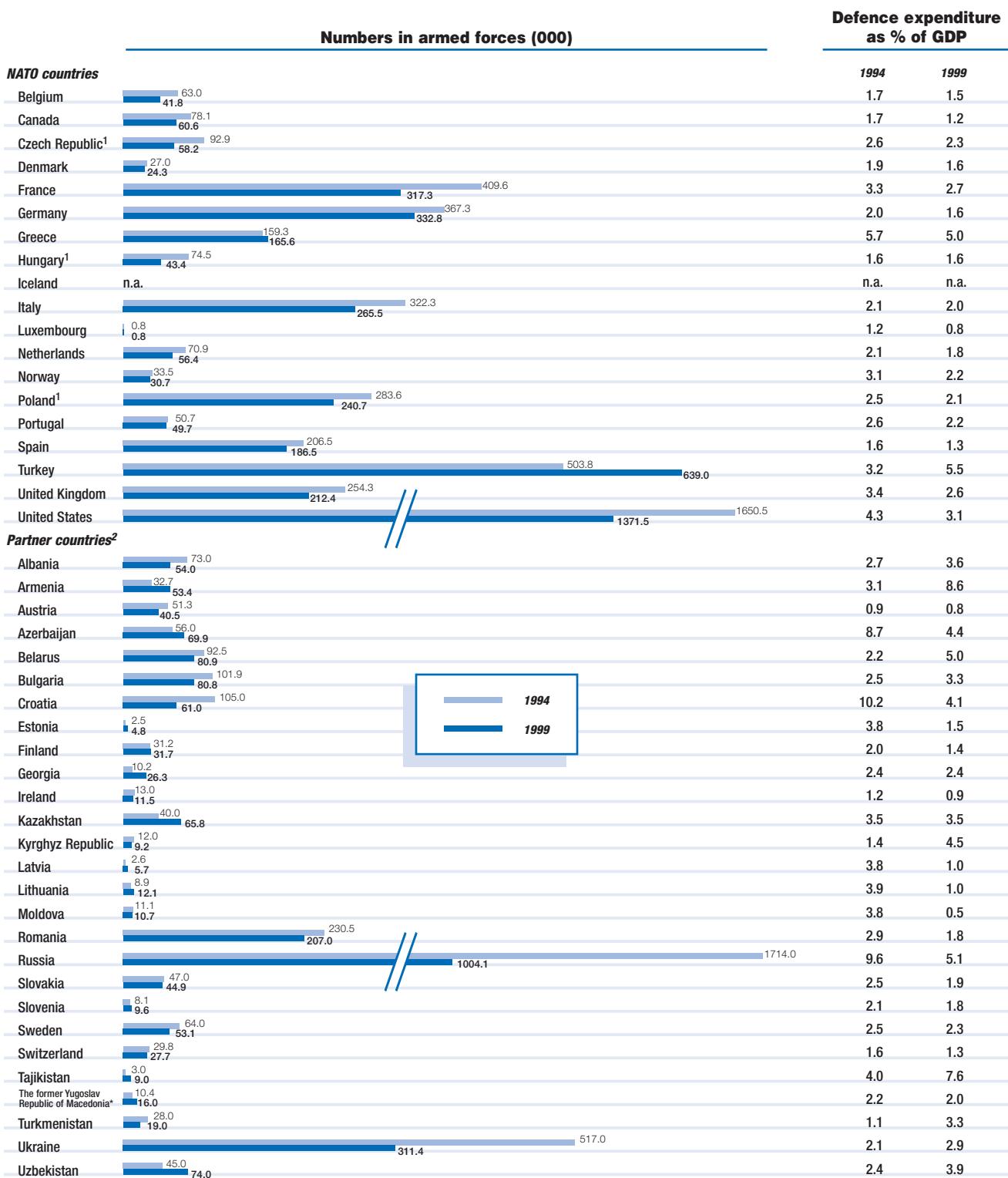


Defence expenditure and size of armed forces of NATO and Partner countries



The above statistics are from *The Military Balance 1995/96* and *The Military Balance 2000-2001*, published by the London-based International Institute of Strategic Studies.

(1) Joined NATO in 1999

(2) Members of the Euro-Atlantic Partnership Council (EAPC)