Bond vigilantes target eurozone debt

Financial markets are targeting Spanish and Portuguese government bonds over concerns they will follow Greece and Ireland in seeking EU/IMF bailouts. Italy is also in the sights of the so-called "bond vigilantes"

10-year bond yields (annual interest rates %)

May 8: Eurozone

Nov 28: European Union

approves □85 billion package
agree □110 billion

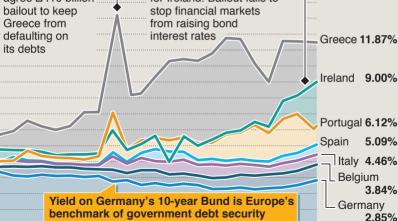
bailout to keep

Greece from

defaulting on

its debts

Greece 11.87%



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