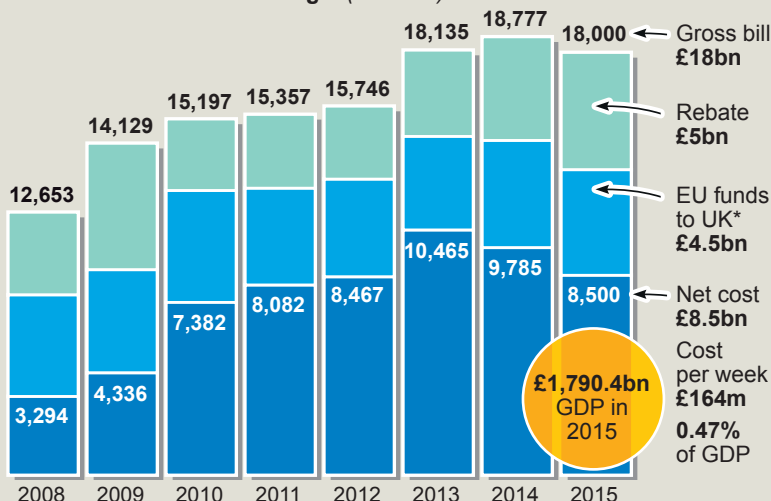


# Cost of EU membership

The EU budget accounts for around 1% of the combined Gross Domestic Product of the 28 EU Member States. However, since Margaret Thatcher negotiated Britain's rebate in 1984, the UK pays significantly less

## UK contributions to EU budget (£ million)



\*Regional development and agricultural funds, private sector science research grants

## Annual EU contributions per citizen (2014)

