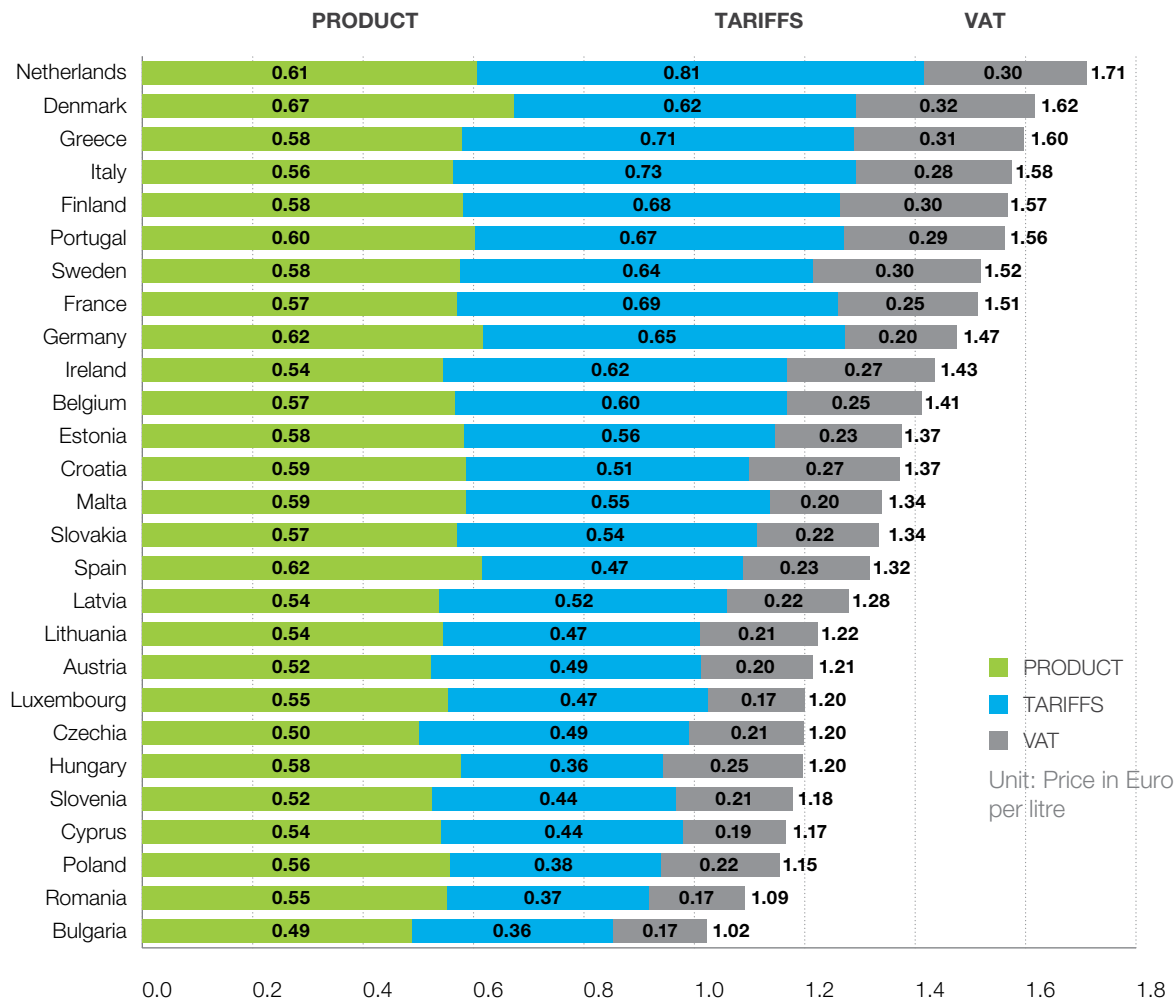


# FIG.3 BREAKDOWN OF AUTOMOTIVE GASOLINE PRICES ACROSS EU-27 (MARCH 2021)

Source: Oil Bulletin, European Commission



Whereas this is progressively evolving towards equal taxation rates, gasoline prices were generally higher than diesel prices in most member states due to a higher tax element. Only a

fraction of the price paid at the pump contributes to the refiner's income, the remainder going to Member States and the purchasing of the crude oil.