49 SELECTED ECONOMIC INDICATORS

ADVANCED ECONOMIES

2013 - 2016

	Period		US	Japan	UK	Euro	Australia	New Zealand
1. Real Sector								
A. Real GDP Growth Rate	2013		1.5	1.4	2.2	0.2	2.0	2.5
(in percent)	2014		2.4	0.0	2.9	1.4	2.6	3.0
	2015		2.4	0.6	2.3	1.4	2.5	3.9
		Q1	2.9	-1.0	2.3	1.7	2.3	3.4
		Q2	2.7	0.7	2.2	1.9	1.9	3.8
		Q3	2.1	1.8	3.0	2.0	2.9	4.3
		Q4	2.0	0.7	1.8	2.0	2.8	4.2
	2016	Q1	2.0	0.0	-	-	-	-
B. Nominal GDP Growth Rate	2013		3.1	0.8	4.2	0.9	3.3	5.5
(in percent)	2014		4.1	1.6	4.7	3.0	2.8	5.2
	2015		3.5	2.5	2.6	4.8	1.9	3.8
		Q1	3.9	2.2	3.2	4.6	1.1	2.5
		Q2	3.7	2.1	2.7	5.2	1.5	4.0
		Q3	3.1	3.5	2.6	4.8	2.5	4.7
		Q4	3.1	2.0	1.9	4.5	2.3	4.0
	2016	Q1	3.3	0.8	-	-	-	-
2. Current Account Balance								
(in million US $)	2013		-376,760	48,441	-121,776	287,032	-51,421	-5,848
	2014		-389,526	47,406	-152,248	329,371	-44,099	-6,135
	2015		-484,077	135,584	-146,978	364,938	-58,395	-5,070
		Q1	-92,950	36,532	-34,402	63,710	-10,519	617
		Q2	-118,447	30,814	-27,477	75,980	-13,411	-859
		Q3	-144,753	39,821	-38,404	107,231	-17,028	-3,087
		Q4	-127,927	28,416	-46,695	118,017	-17,436	-1,742
	2016	Q1	-	51,932	-	55,686	-14,267	-
Current Account Balance	2013		-2.3	1.0	-4.5	1.6	-3.4	-3.2
As % of GDP	2014		-2.2	1.0	-5.1	1.8	-3.1	-3.1
	2015		-2.7	3.3	-5.2	2.2	-4.8	-2.9
		Q1	-0.5	3.5	-4.9	1.6	-3.4	1.4
		Q2	-0.7	3.0	-3.9	1.9	-4.3	-1.9
		Q3	-0.8	4.0	-5.3	2.6	-5.7	-8.0
		Q4	-0.7	2.7	-6.5	2.8	-5.7	-4.0
	2016	Q1	-	4.8	-	-	-	-
3. Fiscal Position			**(US$ bn)**	**(Yen Bn)**	**(GBP mn)**	**(Euro Bn)**	**(A$ Mn)**	**(NZ$ Mn)**
	2013		-699	-53,466	-46,341	-295	-12,965	-
	2014		-691	-45,888	-49,636	-265	-30,843	-
	2015		-645	-44,881	-	-217	-35,657	-
		Q1	-158	-6,032	14,953	-101	-4,850	-
		Q2	-157	-23,513	-20,638	-42	-3,639	-
		Q3	-167	-6,204	-8,028	-46	-22,080	-
		Q4	-164	-9,133	-	-28	-5,088	-
	2016	Q1	-	-	-	-	-7,961	-
		Q2	-	-	-	-	3,733 [a]	-
Fiscal Position	2013		-4.3	-11.1	-2.7	-2.2	-0.8	-
As % of GDP	2014		-4.1	-9.4	-2.8	-1.9	-1.9	-
	2015		-3.7	-9.0	-	-1.5	-2.2	-
		Q1	-0.9	-4.9	3.2	-2.9	-1.2	-
		Q2	-0.9	-19.0	-4.4	-1.1	-0.9	-
		Q3	-0.9	-5.1	-1.7	-1.3	-5.4	-
		Q4	-0.9	-7.1	-	-0.7	-1.2	-
	2016	Q1	-	-	-	-	-	-

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4. Gross International Reserves								
(in million US $)	2013		145,740	1,266,815	108,804	349,641	53,227	16,320
	2014		132,221	1,260,548	109,088	345,179	53,891	15,861
	2015	Q1	123,191	1,245,316	124,617	347,680	56,873	18,509
		Q2	120,820	1,242,935	127,289	347,411	51,672	18,063
		Q3	120,972	1,248,936	131,039	349,295	50,942	14,927
		Q4	118,457	1,233,214	130,486	350,696	49,272	14,705
	2016	Q1	118,741	1,262,099	138,018	355,652	49,265	16,770
		Q2	119,551 [b]	1,253,967 [b]	139,957 [b]	357,785 [c]	50,308 [c]	17,760 [c]
Import Cover	2013		0.8	18.3	2.0	1.9	2.7	4.9
(Equivalent in months of average	2014		0.7	18.6	1.9	1.9	2.8	4.5
imports of goods)[1]	2015	Q1	0.6	19.5	2.2	1.9	3.1	5.3
		Q2	0.6	20.6	2.3	2.0	2.9	5.4
		Q3	0.6	21.9	2.4	2.1	3.0	4.7
		Q4	0.7	22.8	2.5	2.2	3.0	4.8
	2016	Q1	0.7	24.2	2.7	2.3	3.0	5.6
		Q2	0.7 [b]	24.4 [b]	2.9 [b]	2.3 [c]	3.1 [c]	6.0 [c]
5. Inflation Rate								
(in percent)	2013		1.5	0.4	2.6	1.3	2.5	1.1
	2014		1.6	2.2	1.5	0.4	2.5	1.2
	2015		0.1	0.8	0.1	0.0	0.9	0.3
		Q1	-0.1	2.3	0.1	-0.3	1.3	0.3
		Q2	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.2	1.5	0.4
		Q3	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.5	0.4
		Q4	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.1
	2016	Q1	1.1	0.1	0.3	0.0	-0.2	0.4
		Q2	1.1 [a]	-0.3 [a]	0.3 [a]	-0.2 [a]	-	-
6. Interest Rate								
91-day T-Bill	2013		0.06	0.07	0.31	-	2.83	2.39
	2014		0.04	0.03	0.39	-	-	3.24
	2015		0.06	-0.01	0.45	-	-	3.00
		Q1	0.02	0.01	0.37	-	-	3.46
		Q2	0.02	0.00	0.47	-	-	3.24
		Q3	0.06	-0.01	0.47	-	-	2.71
		Q4	0.13	-0.03	0.49	-	-	2.59
	2016	Q1	0.30	-0.02 [d]	0.47	-	-	2.33
		Q2	0.23 [a]	-	-	-	-	2.03 [a]

[1] *Based on International Merchandise Trade Statistics*
[a] *April*
[b] *End May*
[c] *End April*
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