

# Fiscal Indicators, Overall Balance (as % of GDP) 2008–15 -

(Source : IMF; October, 2014)

(Percent of potential GDP, except where otherwise noted)

								Projections	Difference from April 2014 Fiscal Monitor		
	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2013	2014	2015
<b>Overall balance (Percent of GDP)</b>											
<b>World</b>	<b>-2.2</b>	<b>-7.3</b>	<b>-6.0</b>	<b>-4.3</b>	<b>-3.9</b>	<b>-3.2</b>	<b>-3.2</b>	<b>-2.7</b>			
<b>Advanced economies</b>	<b>-3.6</b>	<b>-9.0</b>	<b>-7.8</b>	<b>-6.5</b>	<b>-5.8</b>	<b>-4.3</b>	<b>-3.9</b>	<b>-3.1</b>			
United States	<b>-7.0</b>	<b>-13.5</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>-9.9</b>	<b>-8.6</b>	<b>-5.8</b>	<b>-5.5</b>	<b>-4.3</b>			
Euro area	<b>-2.1</b>	<b>-6.3</b>	<b>-6.2</b>	<b>-4.1</b>	<b>-3.7</b>	<b>-3.0</b>	<b>-2.9</b>	<b>-2.5</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>-0.4</b>
France	<b>-3.2</b>	<b>-7.2</b>	<b>-6.8</b>	<b>-5.1</b>	<b>-4.9</b>	<b>-4.2</b>	<b>-4.4</b>	<b>-4.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>-1.3</b>
Germany	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-3.1</b>	<b>-4.2</b>	<b>-0.8</b>	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3
Greece	<b>-9.9</b>	<b>-15.6</b>	<b>-11.0</b>	<b>-9.6</b>	<b>-6.4</b>	<b>-3.2</b>	<b>-2.7</b>	<b>-1.9</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>
Ireland <sup>2</sup>	<b>-7.1</b>	<b>-13.2</b>	<b>-29.3</b>	<b>-12.5</b>	<b>-7.8</b>	<b>-6.7</b>	<b>-4.2</b>	<b>-2.8</b>	0.7	0.9	0.2
Italy	<b>-2.7</b>	<b>-5.4</b>	<b>-4.4</b>	<b>-3.6</b>	<b>-2.9</b>	<b>-3.0</b>	<b>-3.0</b>	<b>-2.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>-0.5</b>
Portugal	<b>-3.7</b>	<b>-10.2</b>	<b>-9.9</b>	<b>-4.3</b>	<b>-6.5</b>	<b>-5.0</b>	<b>-4.0</b>	<b>-2.5</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>
Spain <sup>2</sup>	<b>-4.5</b>	<b>-11.1</b>	<b>-9.6</b>	<b>-9.6</b>	<b>-10.6</b>	<b>-7.1</b>	<b>-5.7</b>	<b>-4.7</b>	0.1	0.2	0.2
Japan	<b>-4.1</b>	<b>-10.4</b>	<b>-9.3</b>	<b>-9.8</b>	<b>-8.7</b>	<b>-8.2</b>	<b>-7.1</b>	<b>-5.8</b>	0.2	0.1	0.6
United Kingdom	<b>-5.0</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>-10.0</b>	<b>-7.8</b>	<b>-8.0</b>	<b>-5.8</b>	<b>-5.3</b>	<b>-4.1</b>	0.0	0.0	0.0
Canada	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>-4.5</b>	<b>-4.9</b>	<b>-3.7</b>	<b>-3.4</b>	<b>-3.0</b>	<b>-2.6</b>	<b>-2.1</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-0.1</b>
Others	2.5	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>-0.2</b>	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.4	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
<b>Emerging market economies</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>-3.7</b>	<b>-2.4</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>-0.7</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>-1.9</b>	<b>-1.9</b>			
<b>Excluding China</b>	1.2	<b>-4.5</b>	<b>-2.9</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>-1.8</b>	<b>-2.5</b>	<b>-2.6</b>	0.2	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
Asia	<b>-1.9</b>	<b>-3.4</b>	<b>-2.7</b>	<b>-1.2</b>	<b>-1.3</b>	<b>-1.9</b>	<b>-2.1</b>	<b>-1.8</b>			
<b>China</b>	0.0	<b>-1.8</b>	<b>-1.2</b>	0.6	0.2	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>-0.8</b>			
<b>India<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>-10.0</b>	<b>-9.8</b>	<b>-8.4</b>	<b>-8.0</b>	<b>-7.4</b>	<b>-7.2</b>	<b>-7.2</b>	<b>-6.7</b>	0.0	0.0	0.3
Europe	0.8	<b>-5.9</b>	<b>-3.8</b>	0.3	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>-1.6</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	0.0	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>-0.1</b>
Russia	4.9	<b>-6.3</b>	<b>-3.4</b>	1.5	0.4	<b>-1.3</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	0.0	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>-0.3</b>
Turkey	<b>-2.7</b>	<b>-6.1</b>	<b>-3.4</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>-2.0</b>	<b>-1.9</b>	0.0	0.4	0.4
Latin America	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>-3.9</b>	<b>-3.2</b>	<b>-2.9</b>	<b>-3.2</b>	<b>-3.4</b>	<b>-4.0</b>	<b>-3.7</b>	0.4	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-0.5</b>
Brazil	<b>-1.6</b>	<b>-3.3</b>	<b>-2.8</b>	<b>-2.6</b>	<b>-2.8</b>	<b>-3.3</b>	<b>-3.9</b>	<b>-3.1</b>	0.0	<b>-0.5</b>	<b>-0.6</b>
Mexico	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>-5.1</b>	<b>-4.3</b>	<b>-3.3</b>	<b>-3.7</b>	<b>-3.8</b>	<b>-4.2</b>	<b>-4.0</b>	0.0	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-0.5</b>
Middle East and North Africa	13.8	<b>-0.4</b>	2.9	5.1	7.2	4.6	2.2	1.0	0.5	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>-0.1</b>
<b>South Africa</b>	<b>-0.5</b>	<b>-4.9</b>	<b>-4.9</b>	<b>-4.0</b>	<b>-4.3</b>	<b>-4.4</b>	<b>-4.9</b>	<b>-5.1</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-0.5</b>	<b>-0.6</b>
Low-income countries	0.6	<b>-4.4</b>	<b>-2.7</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>-2.1</b>	<b>-3.2</b>	<b>-3.1</b>	<b>-3.1</b>	1.0	0.4	0.1
Oil producers	7.3	<b>-2.5</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	3.0	2.8	1.1	0.2	<b>-0.3</b>	0.5	<b>-0.2</b>	<b>-0.3</b>
World Output (%)	3.0	0.0	5.4	4.1	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.8	0.1	<b>-0.4</b>	<b>-0.2</b>

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<b>Overall balance (Percent of GDP)</b>													
<b>Cyclically adjusted balance (Percent of potential GDP)</b>													
<b>Advanced economies</b>	-3.8	-5.9	-6.6	-5.5	-4.5	-3.4	-3.0	-2.5					
United States <sup>1,3</sup>	-5.3	-7.2	-9.1	-7.8	-6.3	-4.8	-4.0	-3.3					
Euro area	-3.3	-4.7	-4.9	-3.7	-2.7	-1.3	-1.2	-1.0	0.2	0.2	0.1		
France	-3.7	-5.4	-5.6	-4.6	-4.1	-3.1	-2.9	-2.8	-0.1	-0.4	-0.7		
Germany	-1.4	-1.2	-3.5	-1.3	-0.1	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.6		
Greece	-14.3	-19.1	-12.3	-8.3	-2.3	1.6	1.6	1.2	-0.6	0.1	0.1		
Ireland <sup>3</sup>	-12.1	-9.5	-7.9	-6.5	-5.1	-4.1	-3.3	-2.2	0.9	0.7	0.0		
Italy	-3.7	-3.6	-3.6	-3.0	-1.5	-0.8	-0.8	-0.5	0.0	0.1	0.0		
Portugal	-4.2	-9.3	-9.6	-3.5	-4.5	-2.6	-2.4	-1.5	0.2	0.3	0.2		
Spain <sup>3</sup>	-5.3	-9.5	-7.8	-7.3	-4.4	-3.7	-3.4	-2.9	1.0	1.0	0.8		
Japan	-3.5	-7.4	-7.8	-8.3	-7.6	-7.6	-6.7	-5.5	0.2	0.2	0.6		
United Kingdom	-6.7	-10.3	-8.4	-6.0	-5.8	-3.8	-4.1	-3.6	-0.1	-0.3	-0.5		
Canada	-0.7	-2.9	-4.0	-3.1	-2.7	-2.4	-2.1	-1.8	0.0	0.0	-0.1		
Others	-0.1	-1.8	-1.6	-1.3	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	-0.9	0.0	-0.2	-0.2		
<b>Emerging market economies</b>	-1.5	-3.5	-3.1	-1.7	-1.7	-2.2	-2.2	-2.0					
<b>Excluding China</b>	-2.0	-4.4	-4.1	-3.0	-3.0	-3.4	-3.5	-3.2	0.3	0.0	0.0		
Asia	-2.1	-3.3	-2.8	-1.2	-1.1	-1.6	-1.7	-1.6					
China	-0.3	-1.8	-1.3	0.6	0.4	-0.5	-0.6	-0.5					
India <sup>4</sup>	-9.5	-9.5	-8.9	-8.4	-7.5	-7.2	-7.1	-6.6	0.0	0.0	0.3		
Europe	-0.1	-4.9	-3.8	-0.8	-1.1	-2.0	-1.6	-1.4	0.0	-0.2	0.1		
Russia	4.5	-5.0	-2.9	1.6	0.1	-1.5	-0.8	-0.8	-0.1	-0.3	0.0		
Turkey	-3.1	-3.6	-2.8	-1.4	-1.6	-1.8	-2.1	-1.8	0.1	0.2	0.3		
Latin America	-1.5	-2.8	-3.0	-2.8	-2.6	-3.1	-3.4	-3.0	0.6	0.2	-0.1		
Brazil	-2.2	-2.4	-3.3	-3.0	-2.7	-3.5	-3.6	-2.8	-0.2	-0.4	-0.4		
Mexico	-1.2	-4.4	-4.0	-3.3	-3.8	-3.7	-4.0	-4.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.5		
South Africa	-0.8	-3.2	-3.6	-3.8	-4.2	-4.3	-4.6	-4.8	-0.3	-0.4	-0.6		
<b>Memorandum items:</b>													
<b>World growth (percent)</b>	2.7	-0.4	5.2	3.9	3.2	3.0	3.6	3.9	0.1	0.0	-0.1		

Sources: IMF staff estimates and projections, WEO Database October, 2014.

Note: All fiscal data country averages are weighted by nominal GDP converted to U.S. dollars at average market exchange rates in the years

<sup>1</sup> For overall fiscal balance and cyclically adjusted balance, positive values indicate a smaller fiscal deficit; for gross debt, positive values

<sup>2</sup> For Greece, projections to be revised.

<sup>3</sup> Excluding financial sector support.