



**Growth rate of GDP (% per year)**

Subregion/Economy	2011	2012		2013	
		ADO 2012	Update	ADO 2012	Update
<b>Central Asia</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>6.0</b>
Azerbaijan	0.1	4.1	3.0	3.5	3.5
Kazakhstan	7.5	6.0	5.8	6.5	6.3
<b>East Asia</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>7.1</b>
China, People's Rep. of	9.3	8.5	7.7	8.7	8.1
Hong Kong, China	4.9	3.0	1.6	4.5	3.9
Korea, Rep. of	3.6	3.4	2.7	4.0	3.4
Taipei, China	4.0	3.4	1.7	4.6	3.8
<b>South Asia</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>6.4</b>
Bangladesh	6.7	6.2	6.3	6.0	6.0
India	6.5	7.0	5.6	7.5	6.7
Pakistan	3.0	3.6	3.7	4.0	3.7
Sri Lanka	8.3	7.0	6.5	8.0	7.0
<b>Southeast Asia</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>5.5</b>
Indonesia	6.5	6.4	6.3	6.7	6.6
Malaysia	5.1	4.0	4.6	5.0	4.8
Philippines	3.9	4.8	5.5	5.0	5.0
Singapore	4.9	2.8	2.2	4.5	3.8
Thailand	0.1	5.5	5.2	5.5	5.0
Viet Nam	5.9	5.7	5.1	6.2	5.7
<b>The Pacific</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>4.2</b>
Fiji	2.0	1.0	1.3	1.2	1.7
Papua New Guinea	8.9	7.5	7.5	4.5	4.5
<b>Developing Asia</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>6.7</b>

Notes: **Developing Asia** refers to 44 developing member countries of the Asian Development Bank and Brunei Darussalam, an unclassified regional member. **East Asia** comprises the People's Republic of China; Hong Kong, China; the Republic of Korea; Mongolia; and Taipei, China. **Southeast Asia** comprises Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Myanmar, the Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, and Viet Nam. **South Asia** comprises Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, the Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan, and Sri Lanka. **Central Asia** comprises

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## Inflation (% per year)

Subregion/Economy	2011	2012		2013	
		ADO 2012	Update	ADO 2012	Update
<b>Central Asia</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>6.7</b>
Azerbaijan	7.9	9.0	6.5	8.5	6.0
Kazakhstan	8.3	6.5	6.0	6.8	6.3
<b>East Asia</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>3.3</b>
China, People's Rep. of	5.4	4.0	3.2	4.0	3.5
Hong Kong, China	5.3	3.8	3.8	3.3	3.3
Korea, Rep. of	4.0	3.0	2.7	3.0	2.9
Taipei, China	1.4	1.5	1.9	1.6	1.8
<b>South Asia</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>7.4</b>
Bangladesh	8.8	11.0	10.6	8.5	8.5
India	8.9	7.0	8.2	6.5	7.0
Pakistan	13.7	12.0	11.0	10.0	10.0
Sri Lanka	6.7	8.0	8.5	7.0	7.5
<b>Southeast Asia</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>4.0</b>
Indonesia	5.4	5.5	4.4	5.0	4.5
Malaysia	3.2	2.4	1.9	2.8	2.5
Philippines	4.6	3.7	3.5	4.1	4.1
Singapore	5.3	3.0	4.1	2.5	3.0
Thailand	3.8	3.4	3.0	3.3	3.2
Viet Nam	18.7	9.5	9.1	11.5	8.6
<b>The Pacific</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>5.4</b>
Fiji	8.7	5.1	4.7	3.0	3.0
Papua New Guinea	8.7	7.0	6.5	6.0	6.0
<b>Developing Asia</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>4.2</b>

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Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kazakhstan, the Kyrgyz Republic, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, and Uzbekistan. **The Pacific** comprises the Cook Islands, Fiji, Kiribati, the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, Nauru, Papua New Guinea, Palau, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Timor-Leste, Tonga, Tuvalu, and Vanuatu.

Data for Bangladesh, India, and Pakistan are recorded on a fiscal-year basis. For India, the fiscal year spans the current year's April through the next year's March. For Bangladesh and Pakistan, the fiscal year spans the previous year's July through the current year's June.

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