

World Economic Survey WES

The individual survey results will be treated as absolutely confidential. Please mark the appropriate boxes. No mark means: "Not applicable" or "no judgement". The answer "no change" implies no remarkable change.

Your country of residence: _____

1. This country's general situation regarding	present judgement			compared to the same time last year			from now on: expected situation by the end of the next 6 months		
	good	satisfactory	bad	better	about the same	worse	better	about the same	worse
- overall economy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- capital expenditures	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- private consumption	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

2. Expected foreign trade volume by the end of the next 6 months (in convertible currency)	higher	about the same	lower
exports	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
imports	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

3. Expected trade balance within the next 6 months (in convertible currency)	improvement (a)	no change	deterioration (b)
(a) increasing surplus or decreasing deficit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(b) decreasing surplus or increasing deficit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

4. Expected inflation rate by the end of the next 6 months (change of consumer prices compared to the same month previous year)	higher	about the same	lower
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

The rate of inflation on average of this year will be _____ % (p.a.)

5. Expected interest rates by the end of the next 6 months	higher	about the same	lower
- short term rates (3-month money market rates)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- long-term rates (government bonds with 10 and more years of maturity)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

6. At present, in relation to this country's currency the following currencies (US\$, Euro; UK£; Yen) are...	US \$	Euro	UK £	Yen
overvalued	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
about at proper value	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
undervalued	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

7. The value of the US \$ in relation to this country's currency by the end of the next 6 months will be	higher	about the same	lower
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

8. The level of domestic share prices by the end of the next 6 months will be	higher	about the same	lower
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

9. Please try to assess the importance of the following problems the economy of your country is facing at present	most important	important	not so important
- Lack of confidence in the government's economic policy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Insufficient demand	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Unemployment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Inflation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Lack of international competitiveness	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Trade barriers to exports	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Lack of skilled labour	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Public deficits	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Foreign debts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Capital shortage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Others: _____			

10. Expected growth real Gross Domestic Product (GDP) this year in %
