

Country Data and Graphs for Benin

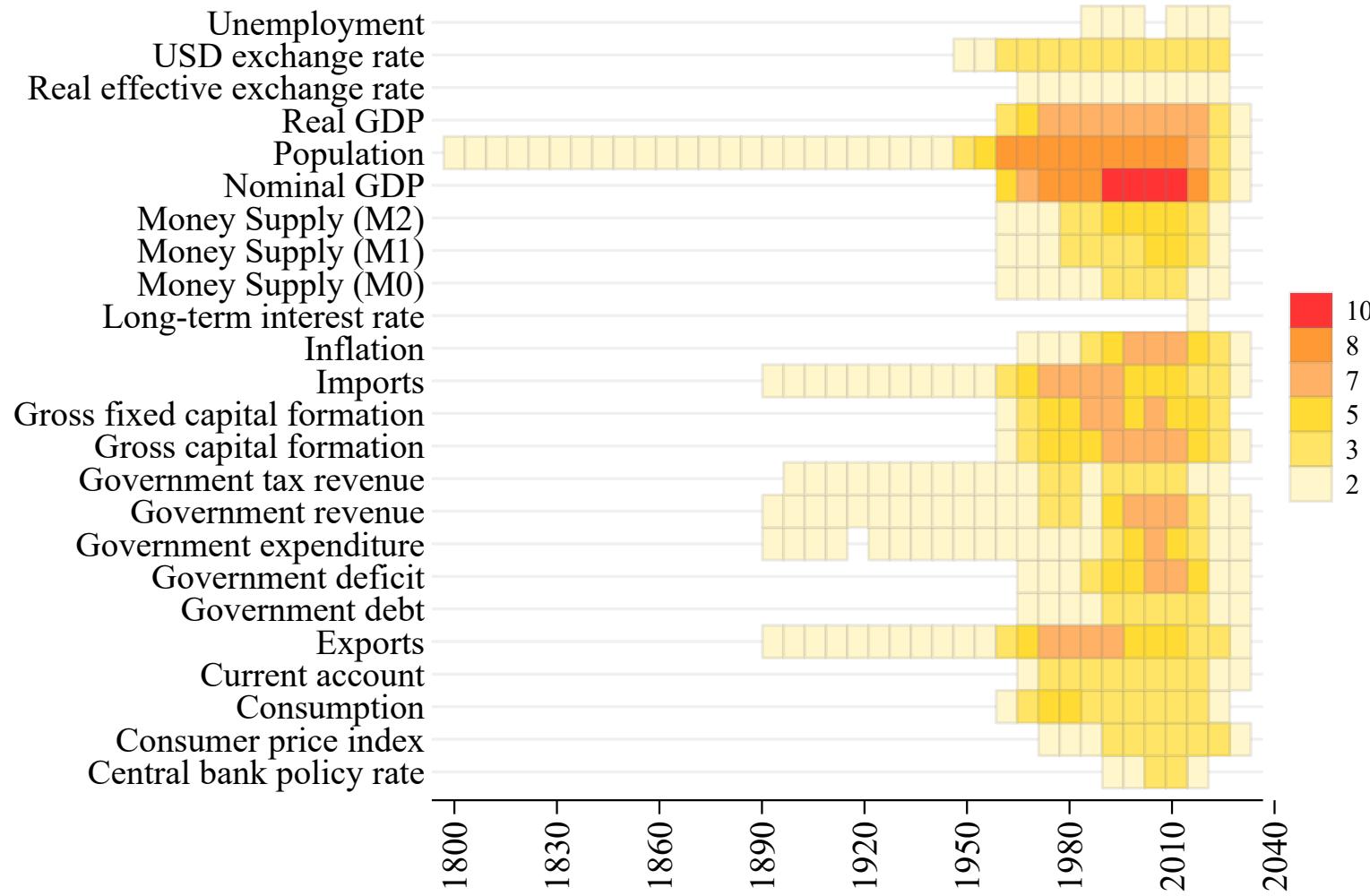
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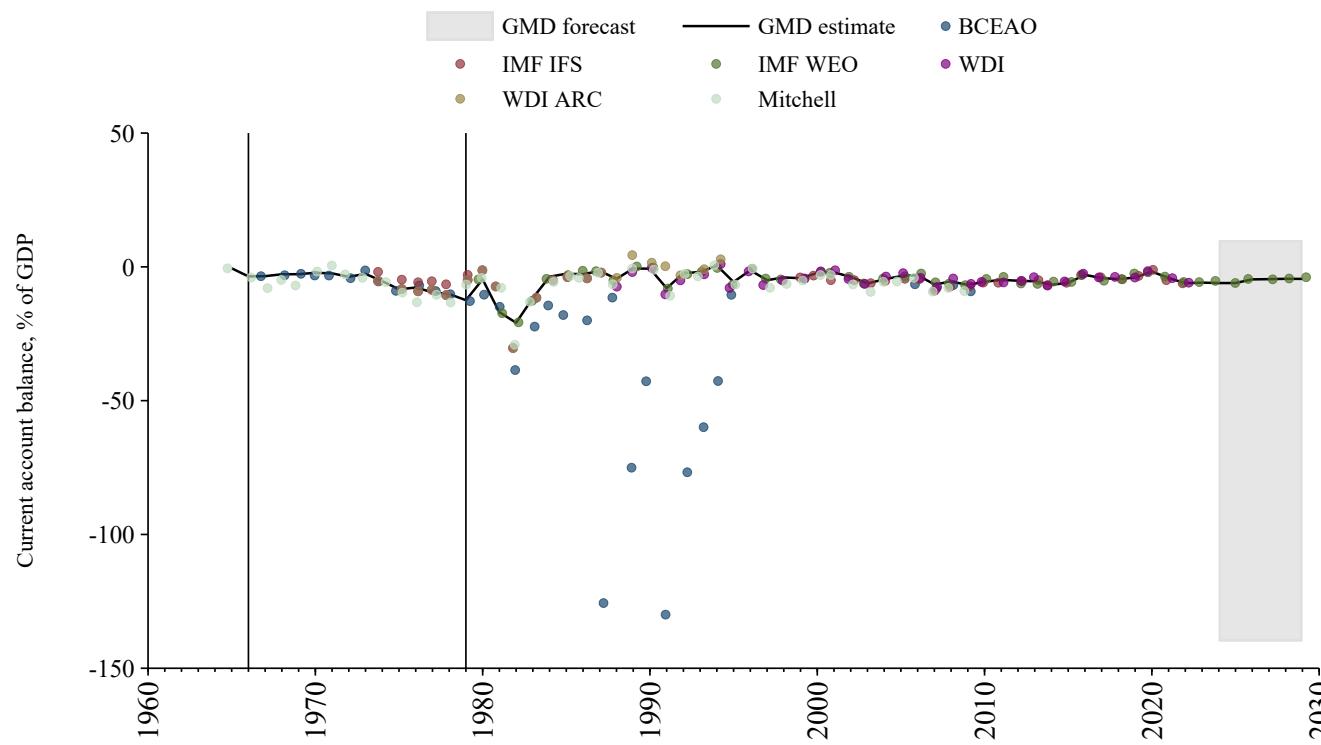
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Data availability heatmap



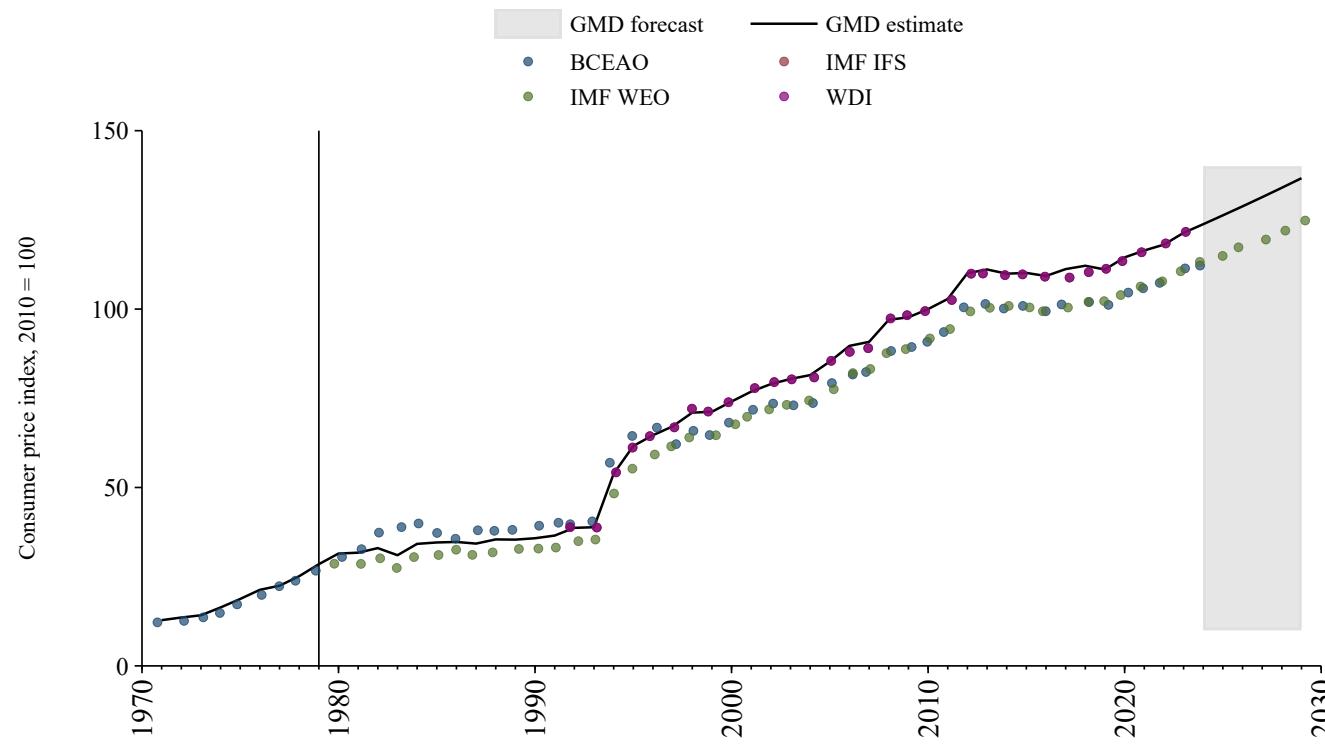
Current account balance

Source	Time span	Notes
Mitchell (2013)	1965 - 1966	Spliced using overlapping data in 1967.
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	1967 - 1979	Spliced using overlapping data in 1980.
WEO (2024)	1980 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.



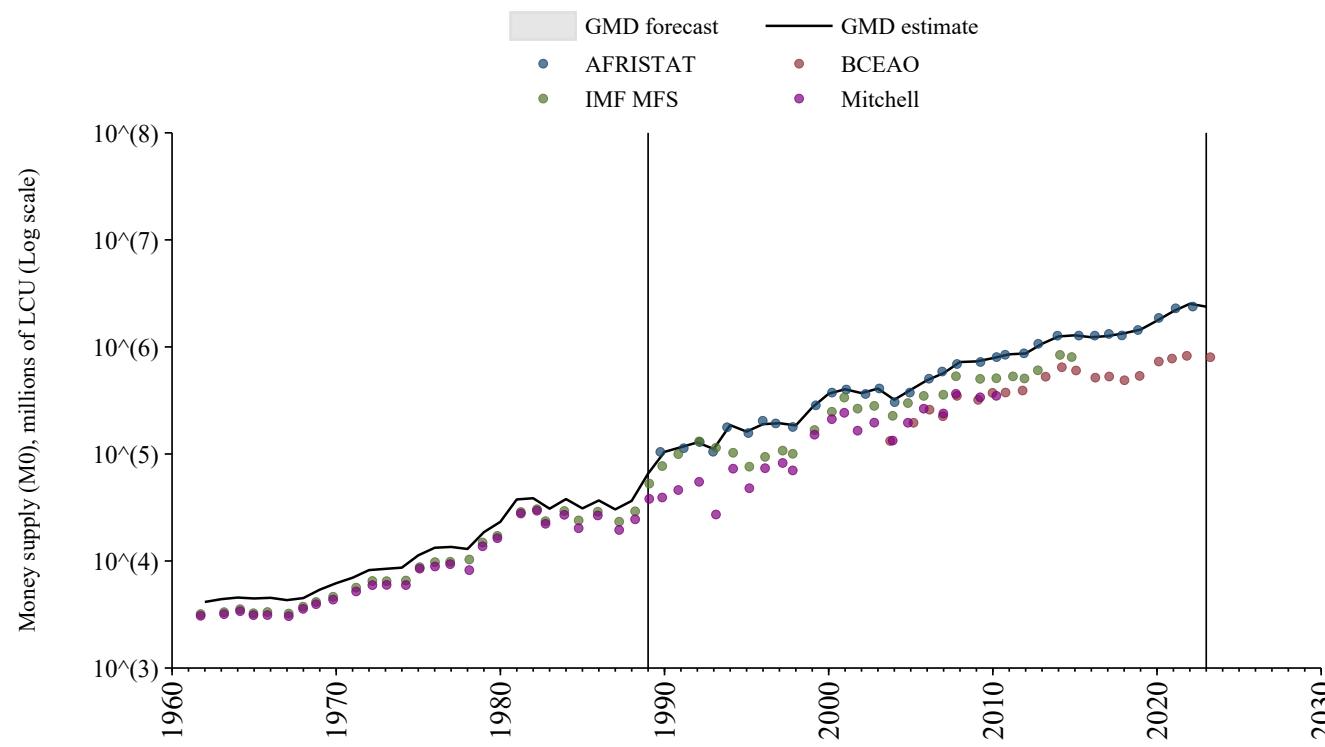
Consumer price index

Source	Time span	Notes
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	1971 - 1979	Spliced using overlapping data in 1980: (ratio = 95.6%)..
WEO (2024)	1980 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.



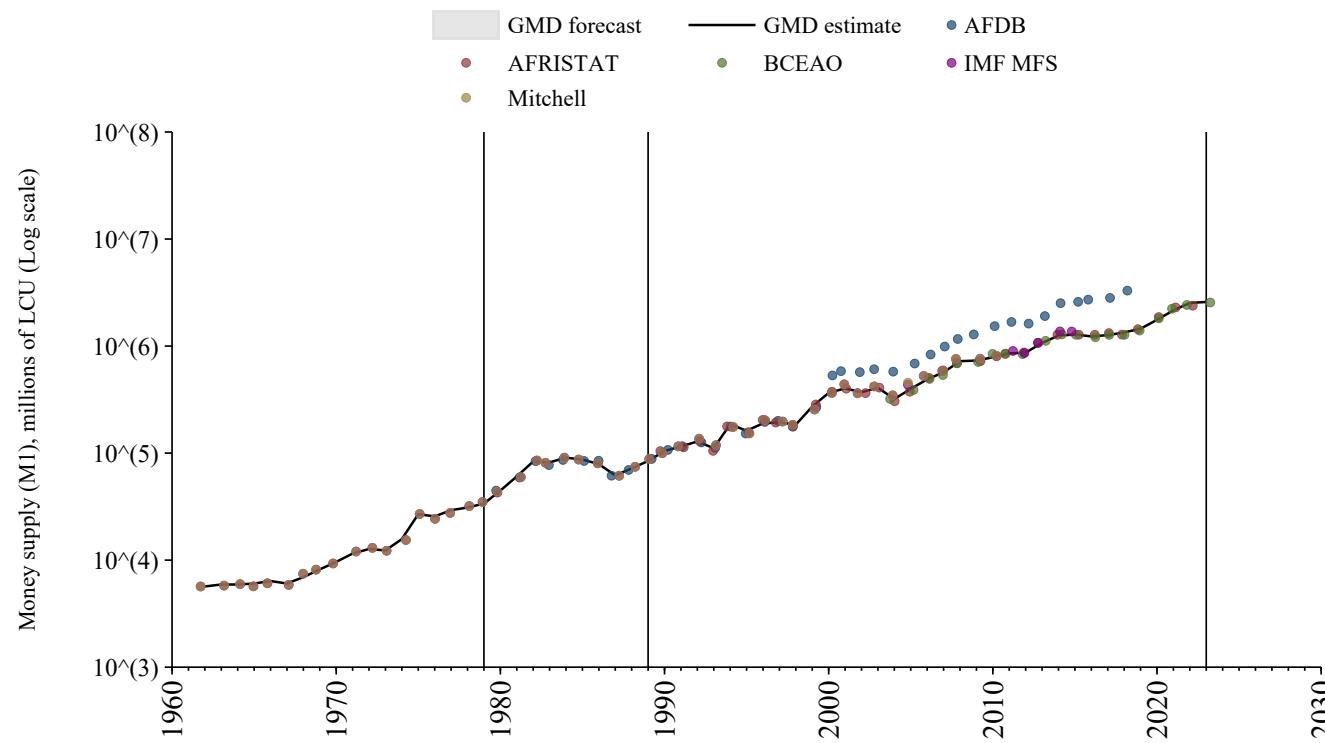
Money supply (M0)

Source	Time span	Notes
International Monetary Fund (2024b)	1962 - 1989	Spliced using overlapping data in 1990: (ratio = 129.5%)..
African Union (2024)	1990 - 2022	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	2023 - 2023	Spliced using overlapping data in 2024: (ratio = 293.3%)..



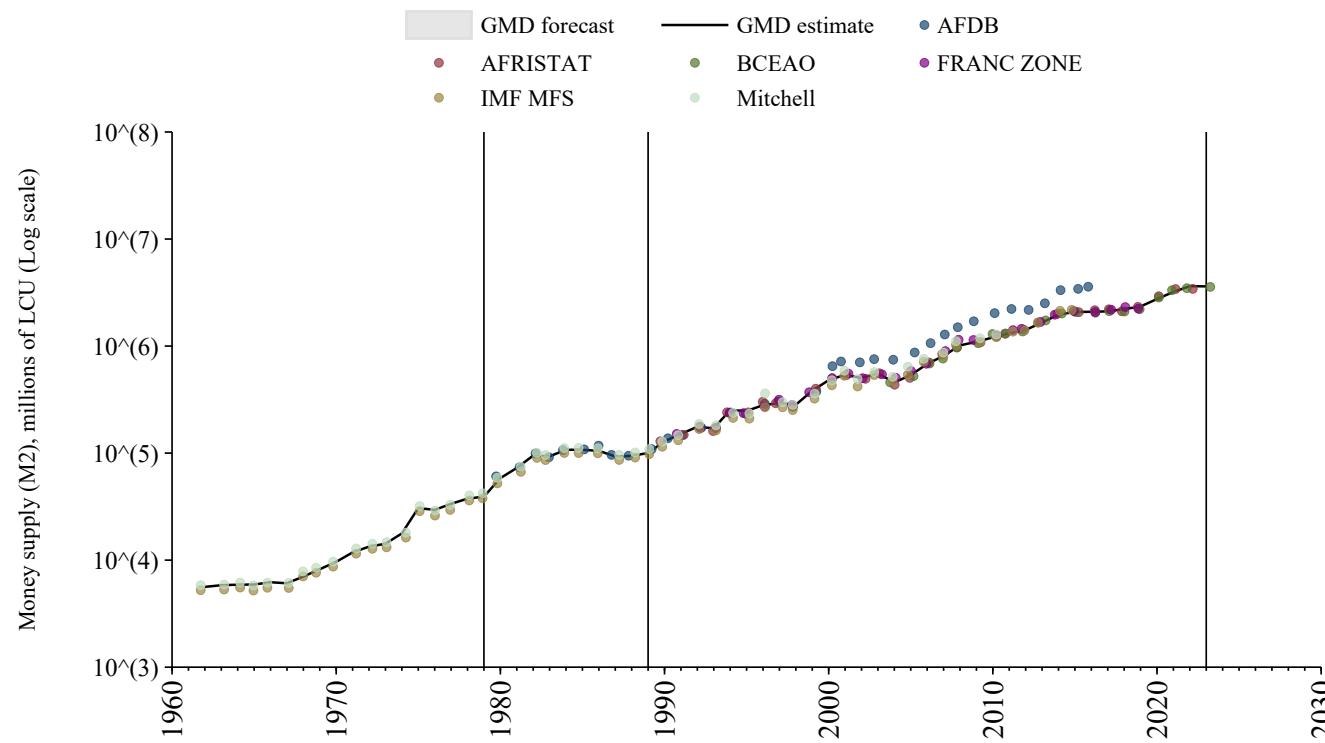
Money supply (M1)

Source	Time span	Notes
International Monetary Fund (2024b)	1962 - 1979	Spliced using overlapping data in 1980.
Bank (2024)	1980 - 1989	Spliced using overlapping data in 1990.
African Union (2024)	1990 - 2022	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	2023 - 2023	Spliced using overlapping data in 2024.



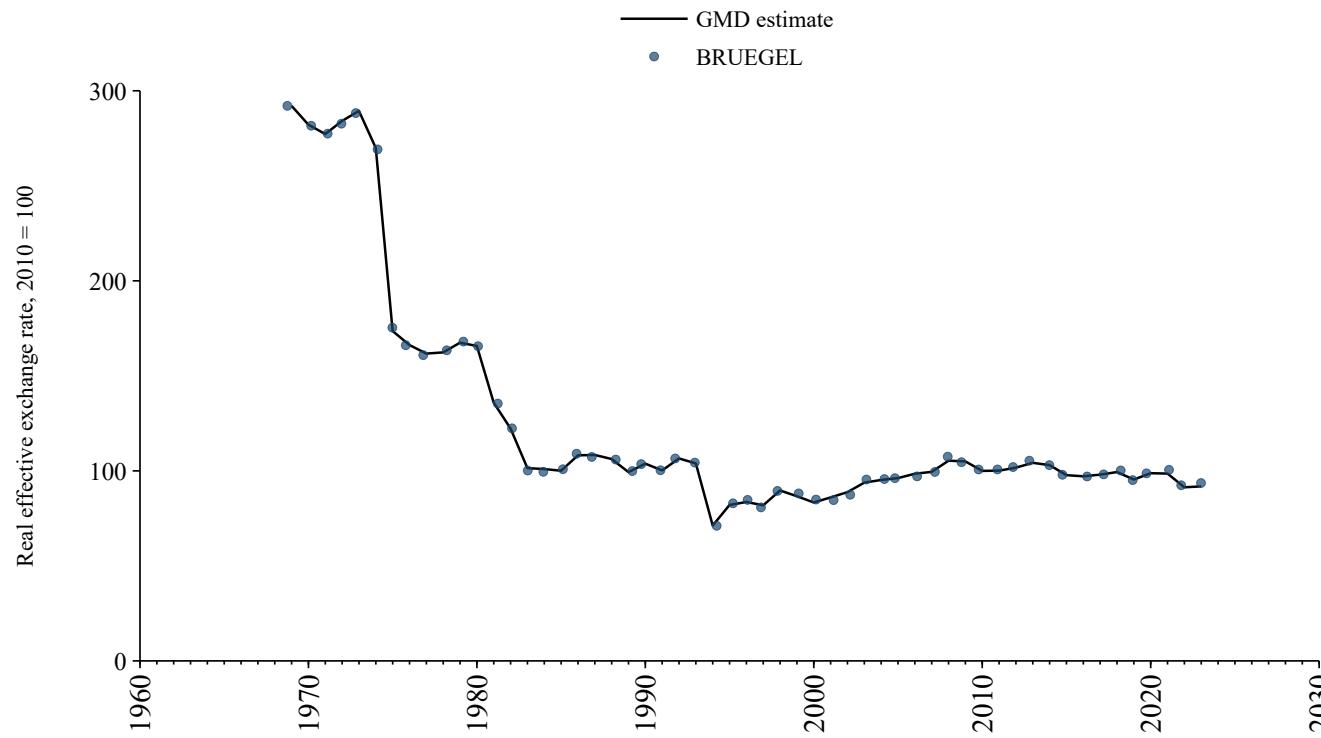
Money supply (M2)

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International Monetary Fund (2024b)	1962 - 1979	Spliced using overlapping data in 1980: (ratio = 107.3%)..
Bank (2024)	1980 - 1989	Spliced using overlapping data in 1990: (ratio = 96.3%)..
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Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	2023 - 2023	Spliced using overlapping data in 2024.



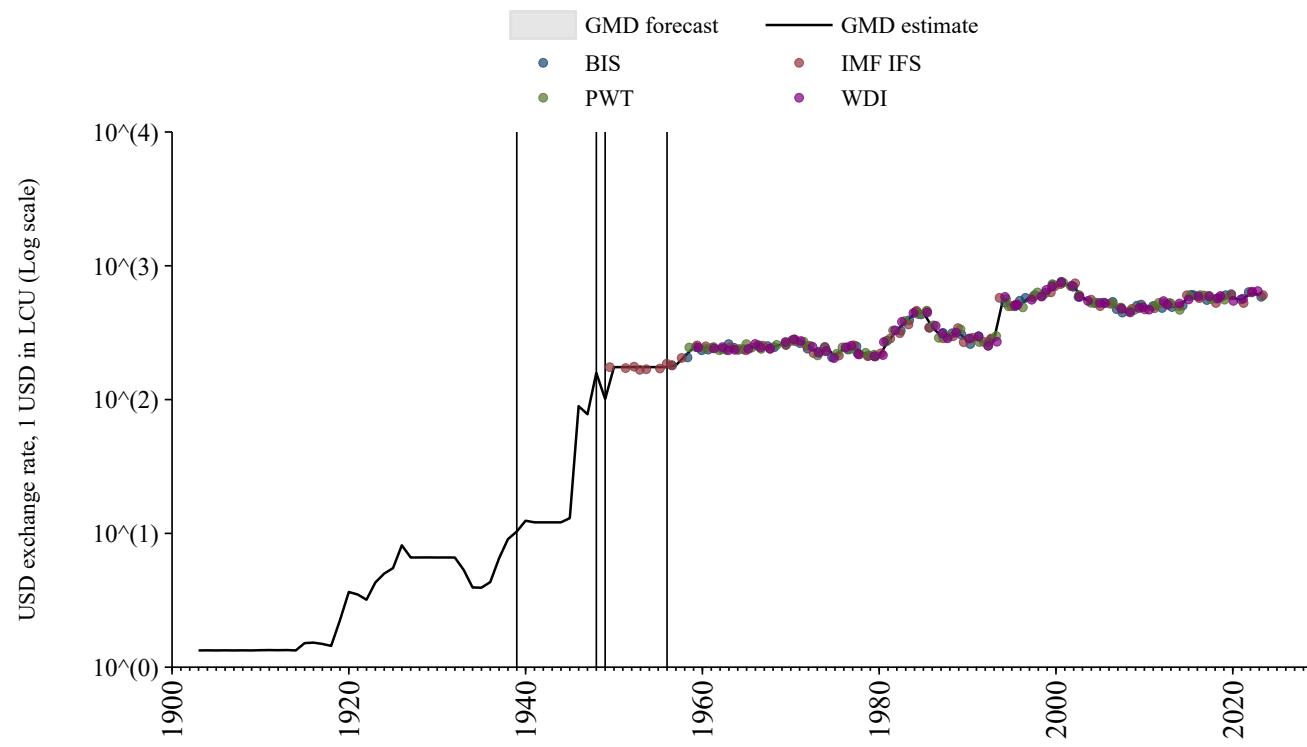
Real effective exchange rate

Source	Time span	Notes
Darvas (2021)	1969 - 2023	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.



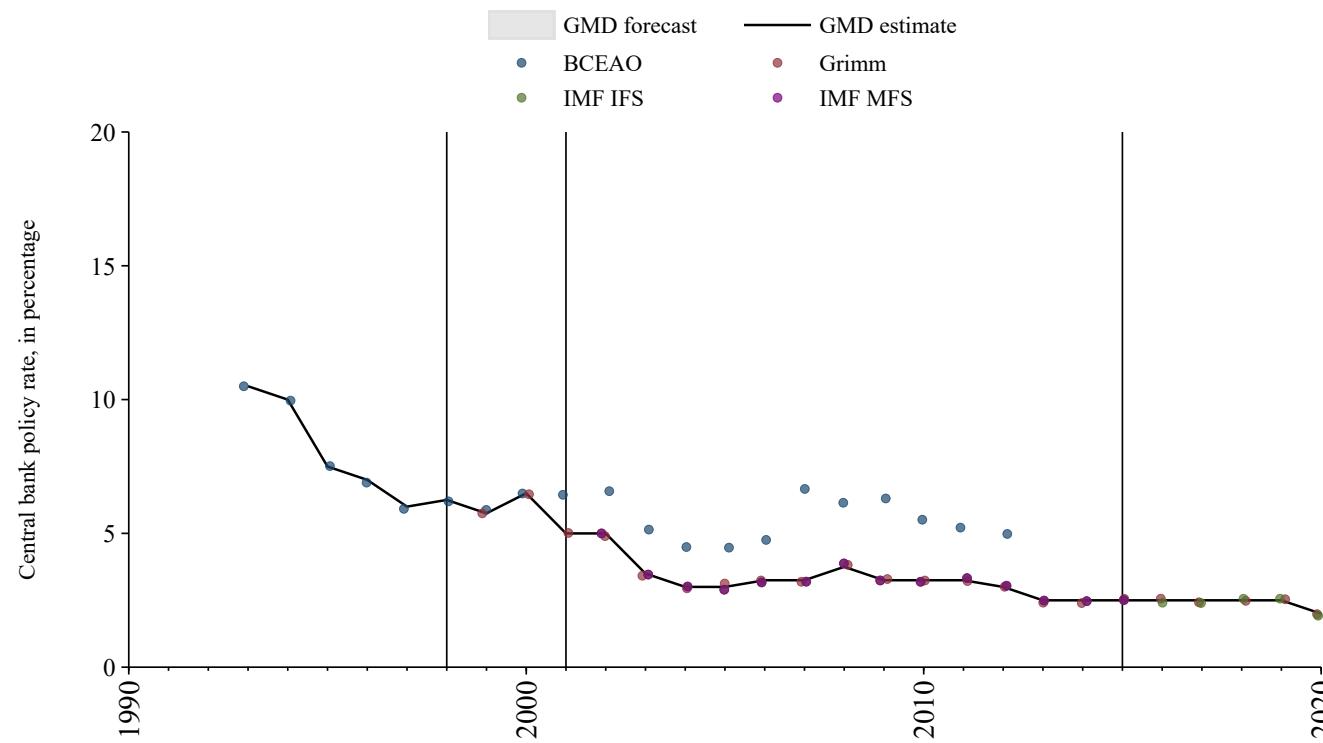
USD exchange rate

Source	Time span	Notes
Jordà et al. (2017)	1903 - 1949	Spliced using overlapping data in 1950.
International Monetary Fund (2024a)	1950 - 1956	Spliced using overlapping data in 1957.
Bank for International Settlements (2024)	1957 - 2023	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.



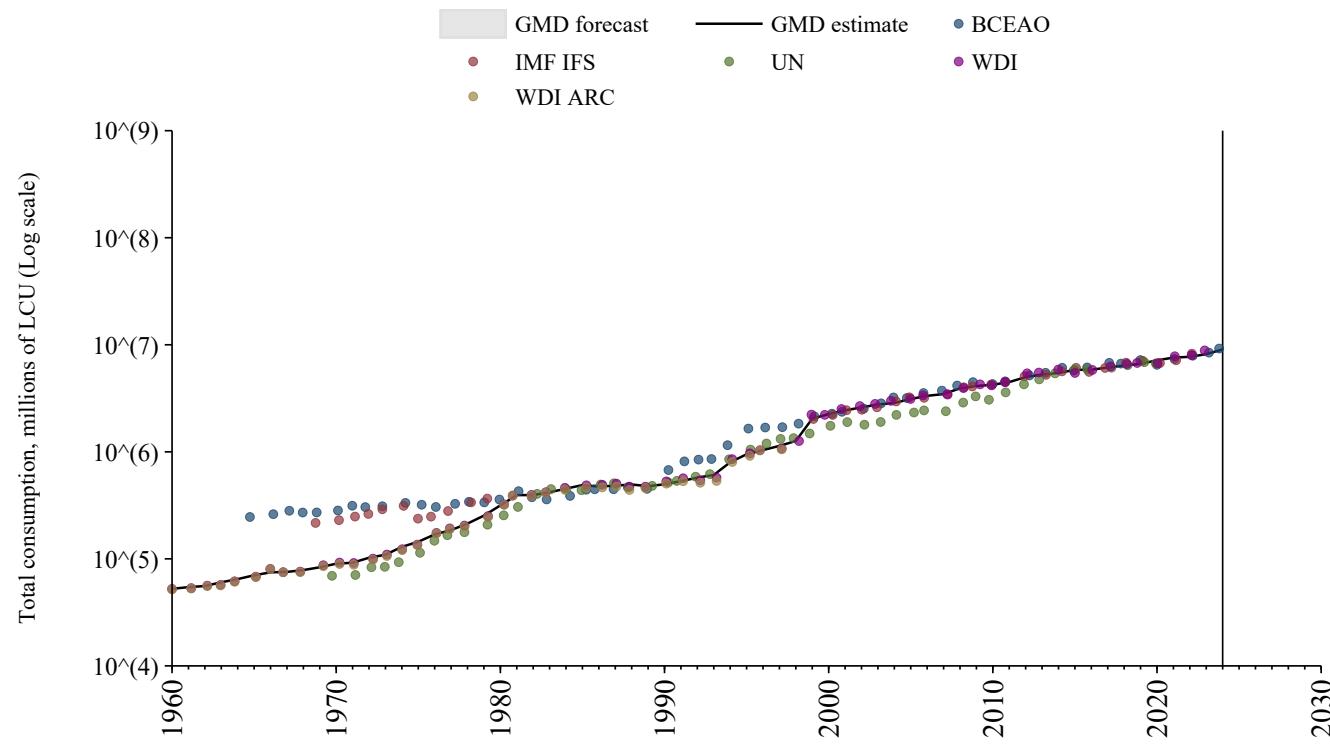
Central bank policy rate

Source	Time span	Notes
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	1993 - 1998	Spliced using overlapping data in 1999.
Grimm (2024)	1999 - 2001	Spliced using overlapping data in 2002.
International Monetary Fund (2024b)	2002 - 2015	Spliced using overlapping data in 2016.
Grimm (2024)	2016 - 2020	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.



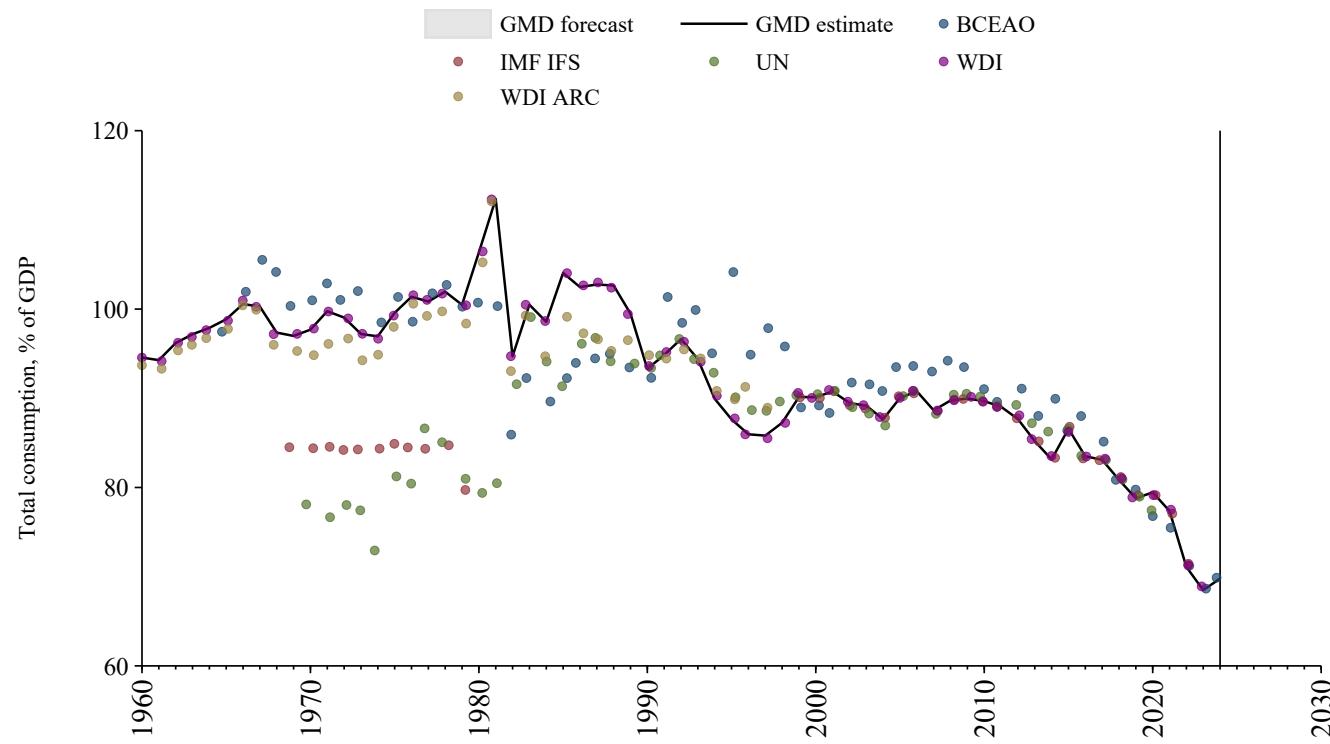
Total consumption

Source	Time span	Notes
World Bank (2024)	1960 - 2023	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	2024 - 2024	Spliced using overlapping data in 2025.



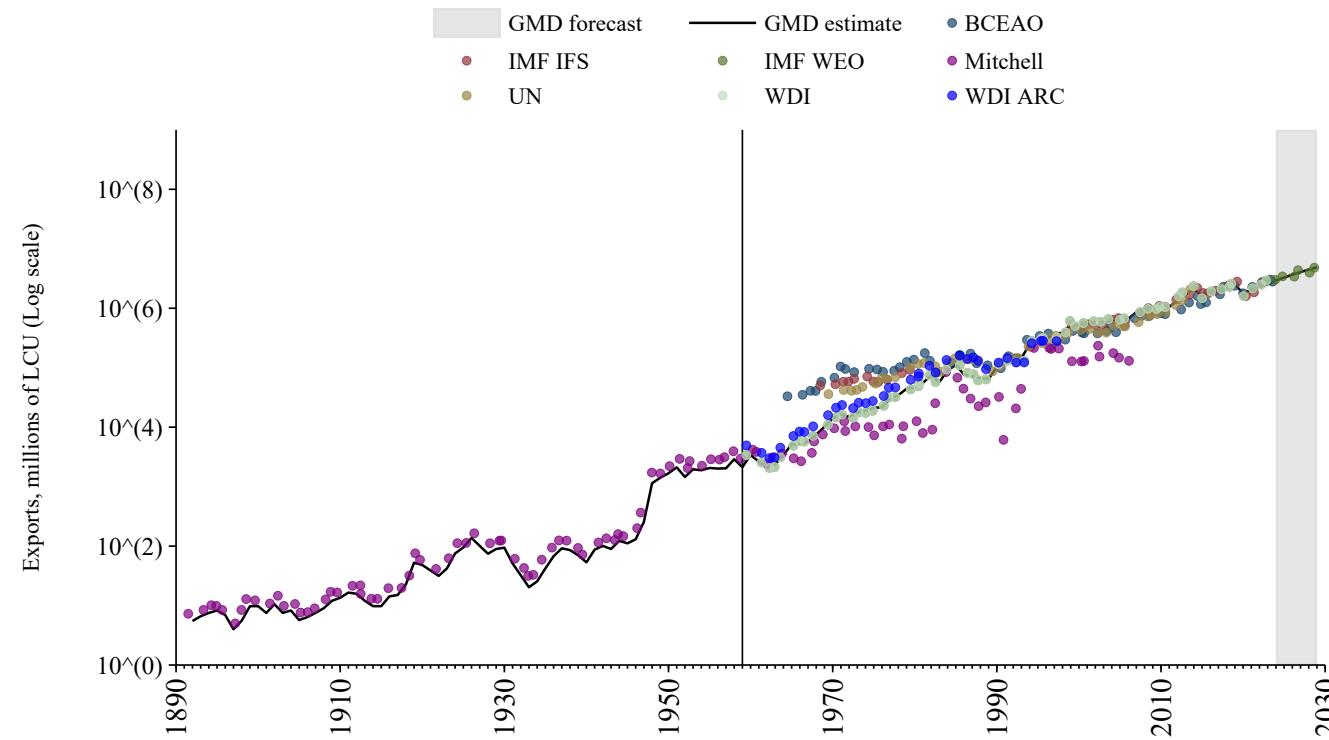
Total consumption to GDP ratio

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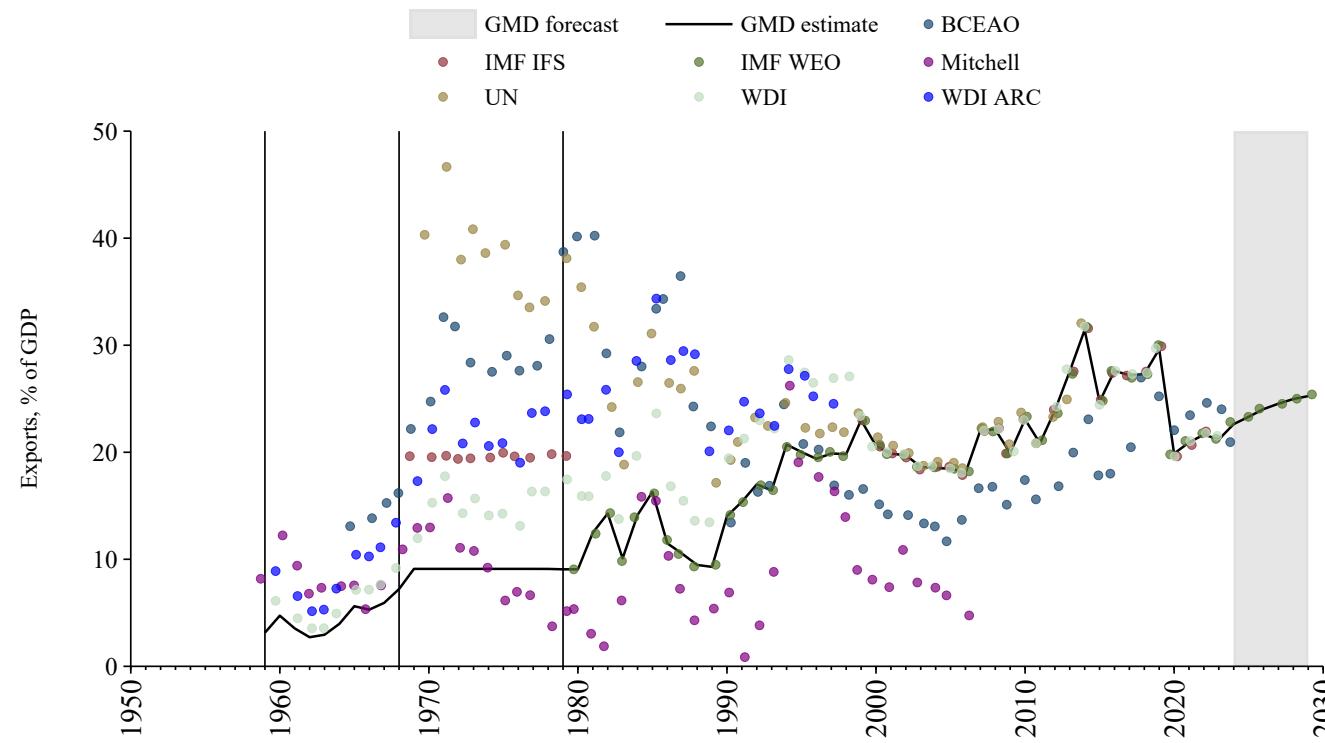
Exports

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Mitchell (2013)	1892 - 1959	Spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 75.3%)..
WEO (2024)	1960 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.



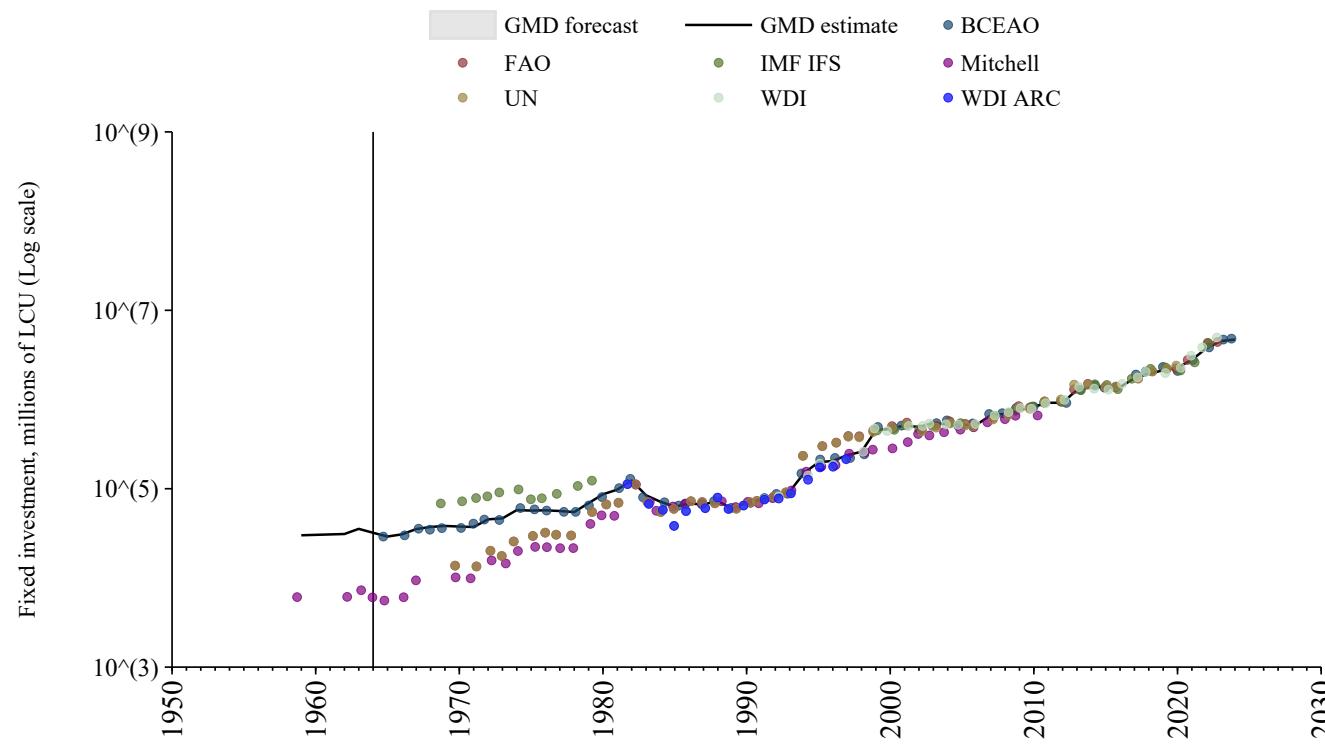
Exports to GDP ratio

Source	Time span	Notes
Mitchell (2013)	1959 - 1959	Spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 38.4%)..
World Bank (2024)	1960 - 1968	Spliced using overlapping data in 1969: (ratio = 77.4%)..
International Monetary Fund (2024a)	1969 - 1979	Spliced using overlapping data in 1980: (ratio = 46.4%)..
WEO (2024)	1980 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.



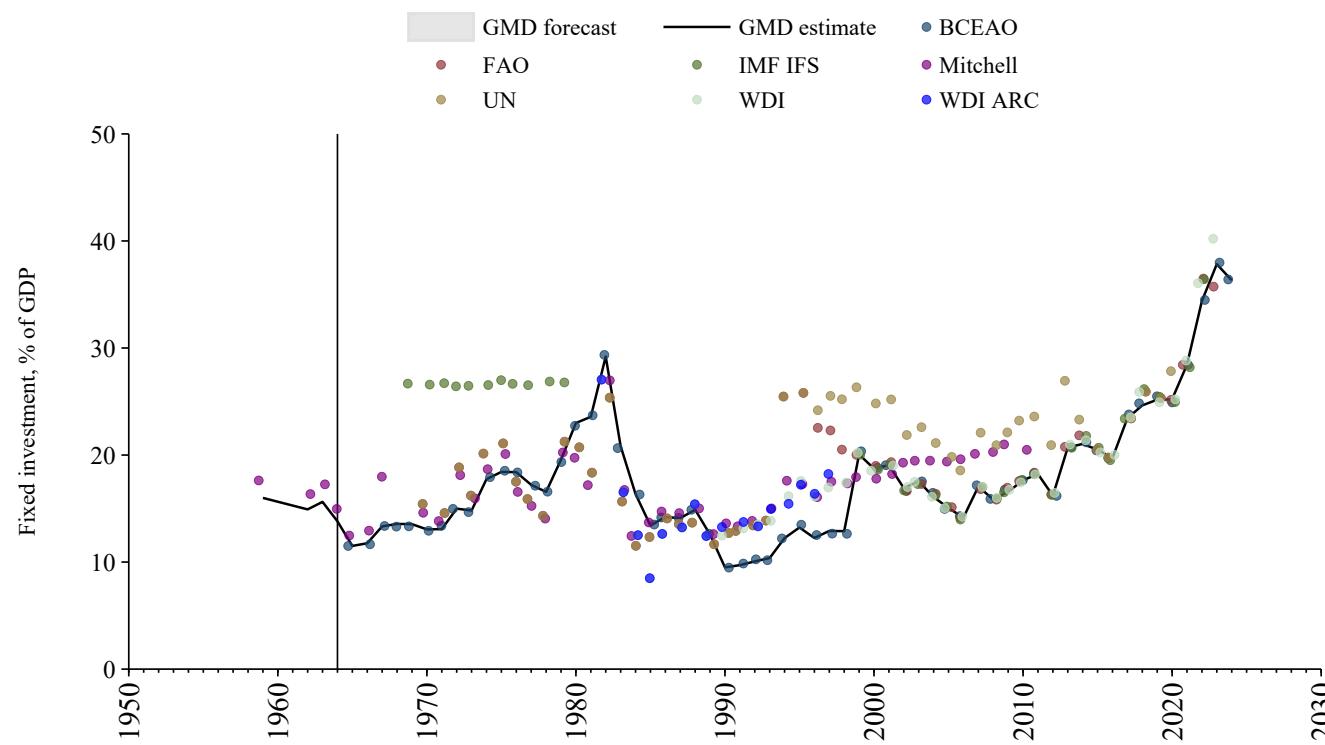
Fixed investment

Source	Time span	Notes
Mitchell (2013)	1959 - 1964	Spliced using overlapping data in 1965: (ratio = 493.2%)..
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	1965 - 2024	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.



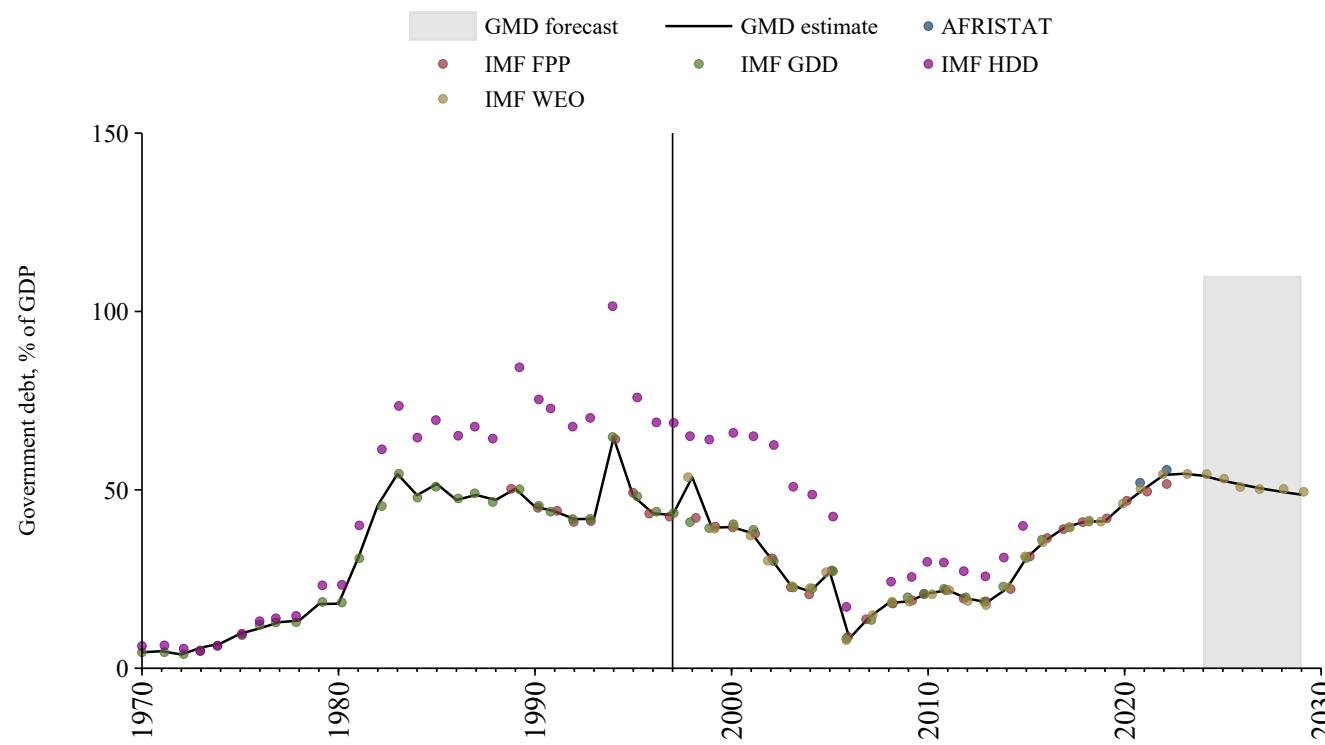
Fixed investment to GDP ratio

Source	Time span	Notes
Mitchell (2013)	1959 - 1964	Spliced using overlapping data in 1965: (ratio = 90.7%)..
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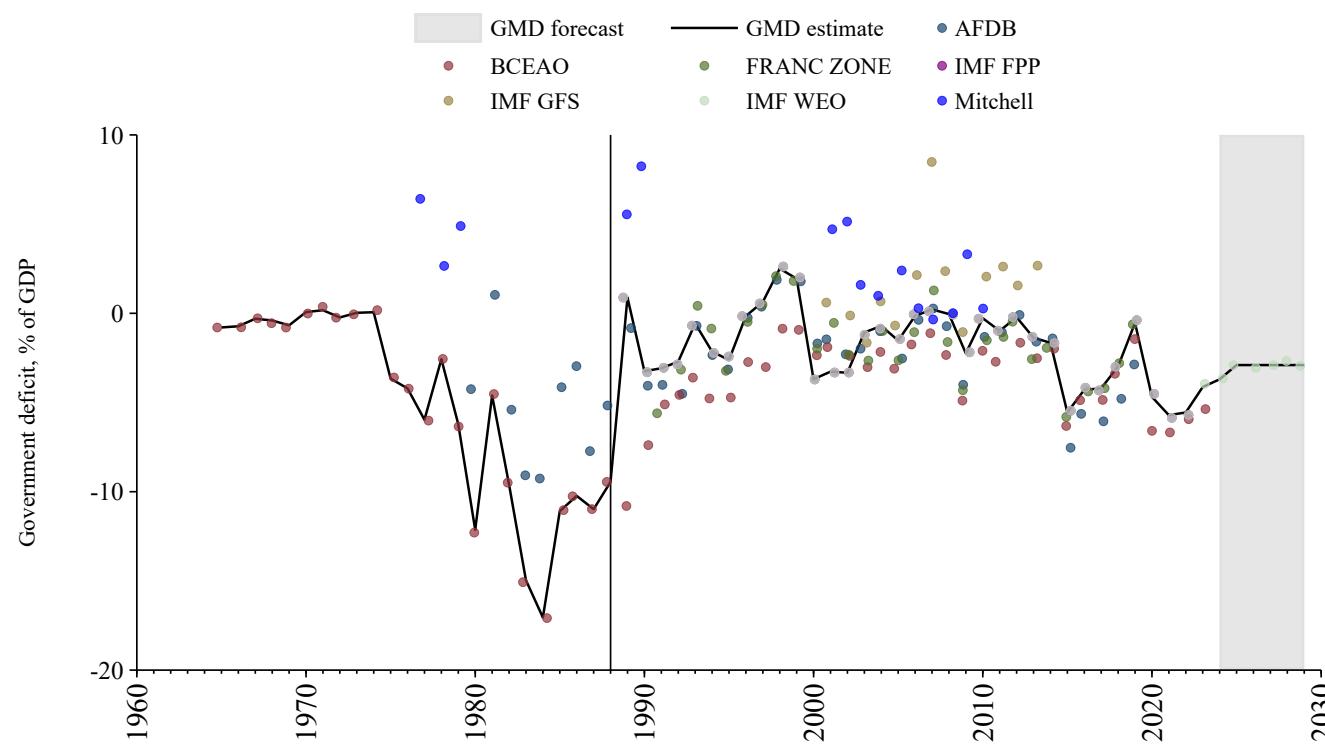
Government debt

Source	Time span	Notes
Mbaye et al. (2018)	1970 - 1997	Spliced using overlapping data in 1998. Data refers to central government.
WEO (2024)	1998 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018. Data refers to general government.



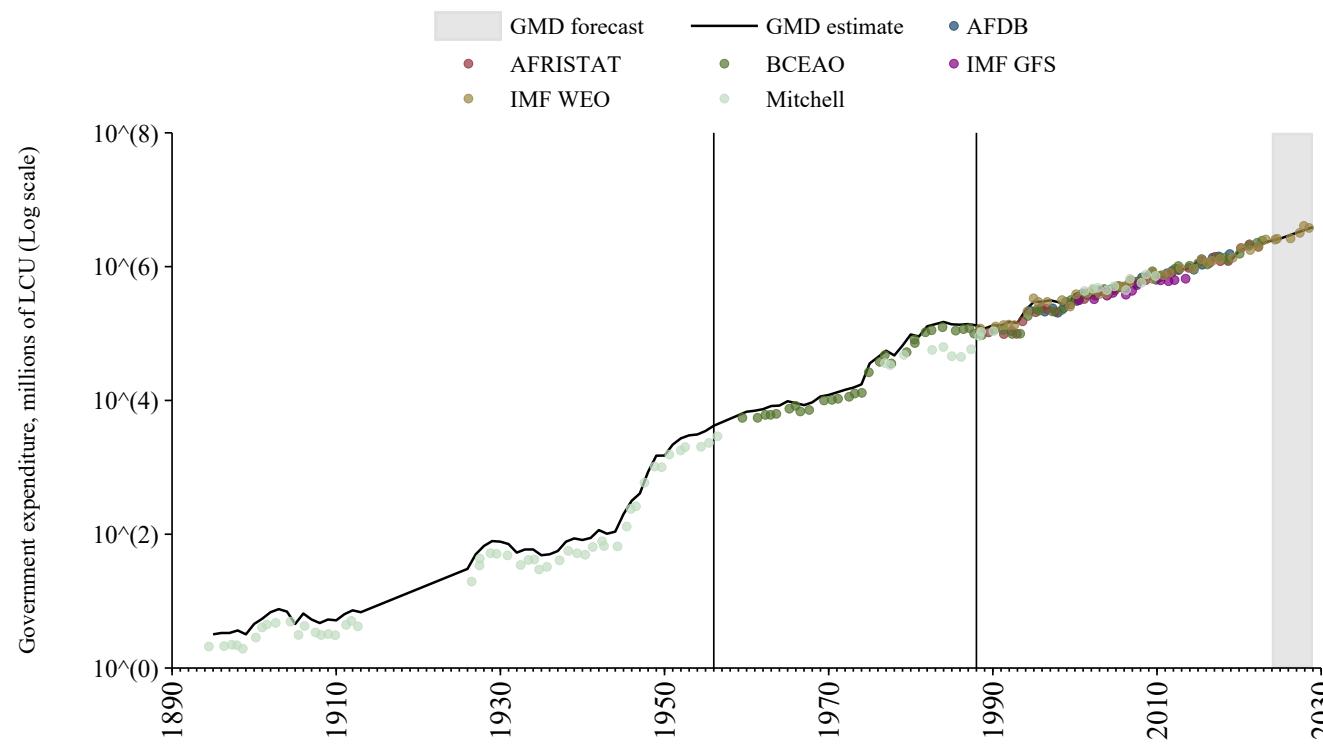
Government deficit

Source	Time span	Notes
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WEO (2024)	1989 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.



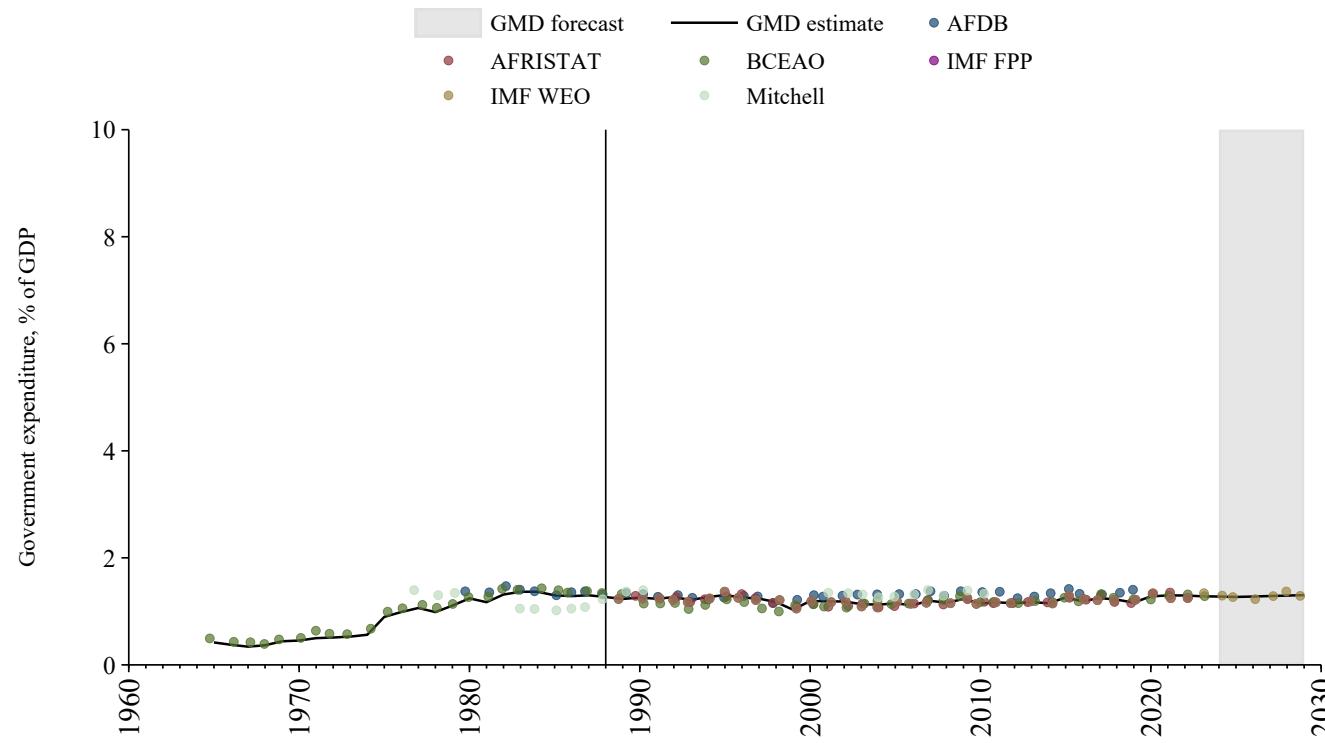
Government expenditure

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Mitchell (2013)	1895 - 1956	Spliced using overlapping data in 1957: (ratio = 152%).. Data refers to central government.
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	1957 - 1988	Spliced using overlapping data in 1989: (ratio = 123.3%).. Data refers to general government.
WEO (2024)	1989 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018. Data refers to general government.



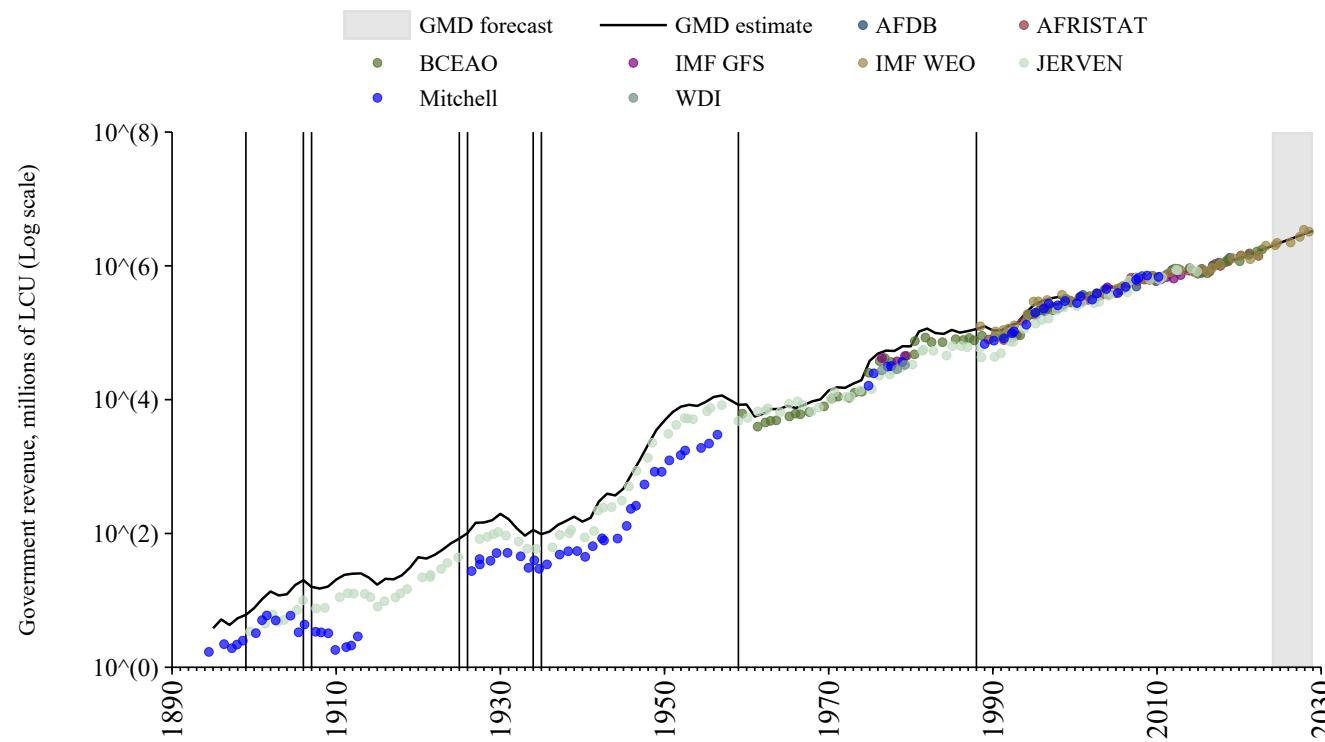
Government expenditure to GDP ratio

Source	Time span	Notes
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	1965 - 1988	Spliced using overlapping data in 1989: (ratio = 84.1%).. Data refers to general government.
WEO (2024)	1989 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018. Data refers to general government.



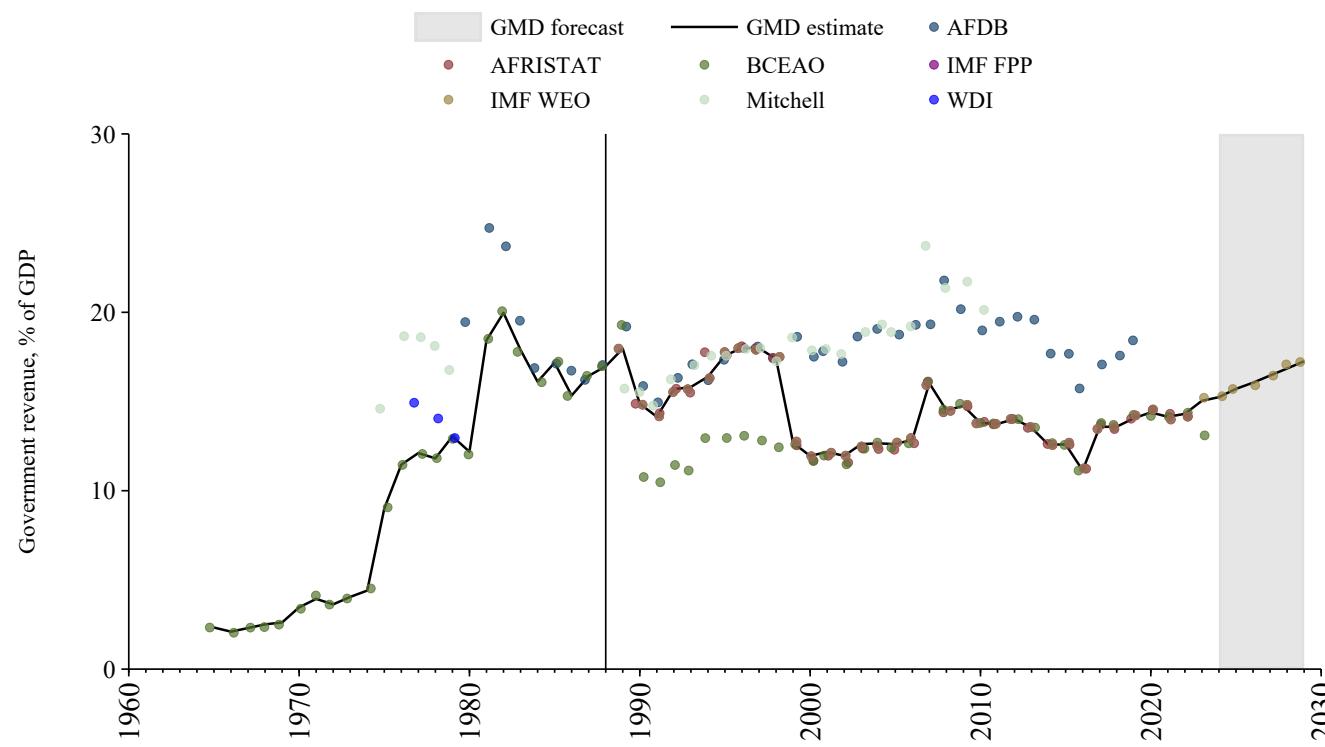
Government revenue

Source	Time span	Notes
Mitchell (2013)	1895 - 1899	Spliced using overlapping data in 1900: (ratio = 225.6%).. Data refers to central government.
Albers et al. (2023)	1900 - 1906	Spliced using overlapping data in 1907: (ratio = 224.7%).. Data refers to general government.
Mitchell (2013)	1907 - 1907	Spliced using overlapping data in 1908: (ratio = 455.4%).. Data refers to central government.
Albers et al. (2023)	1908 - 1925	Spliced using overlapping data in 1926: (ratio = 196.4%).. Data refers to general government.
Mitchell (2013)	1926 - 1926	Spliced using overlapping data in 1927: (ratio = 361.7%).. Data refers to central government.
Albers et al. (2023)	1927 - 1934	Spliced using overlapping data in 1935: (ratio = 173.6%).. Data refers to general government.
Mitchell (2013)	1935 - 1935	Spliced using overlapping data in 1936: (ratio = 305.5%).. Data refers to central government.
Albers et al. (2023)	1936 - 1959	Spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 157%).. Data refers to general government.
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	1960 - 1988	Spliced using overlapping data in 1989: (ratio = 136.8%).. Data refers to general government.
WEO (2024)	1989 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018. Data refers to general government.



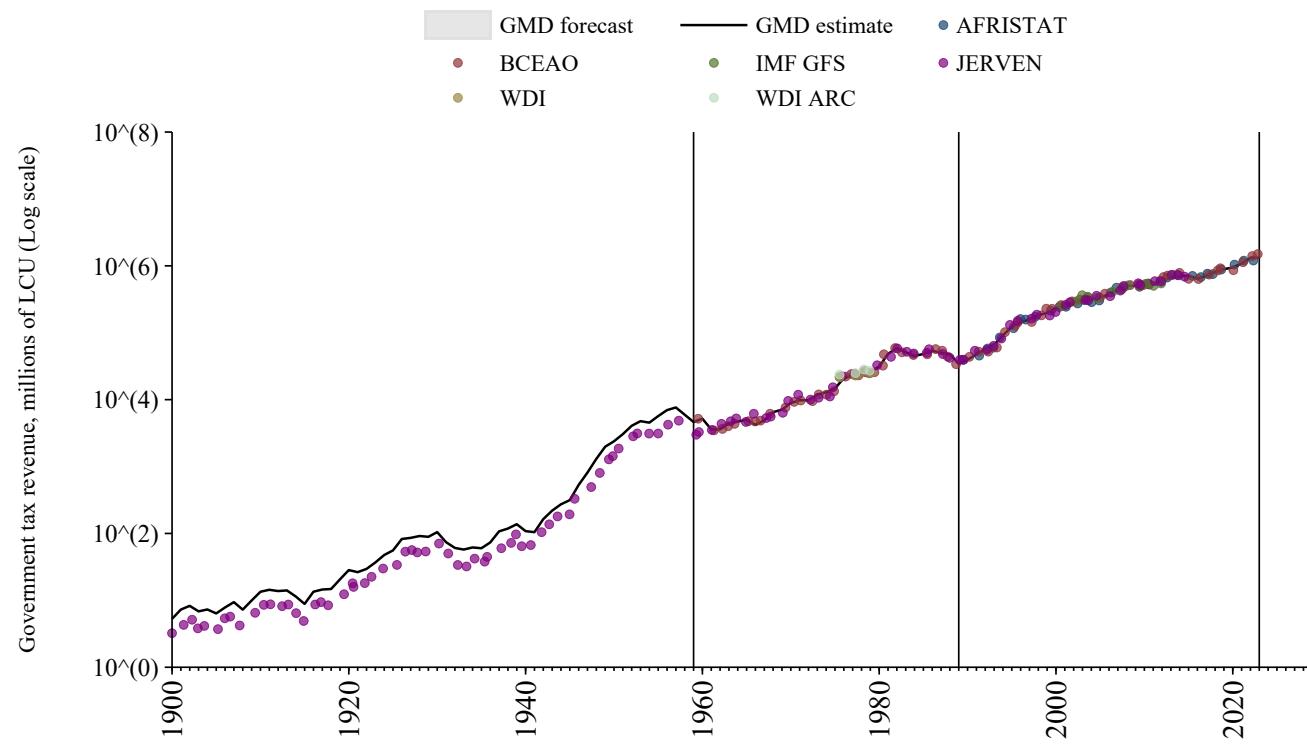
Government revenue to GDP ratio

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Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	1965 - 1988	Spliced using overlapping data in 1989. Data refers to general government.
WEO (2024)	1989 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018. Data refers to general government.



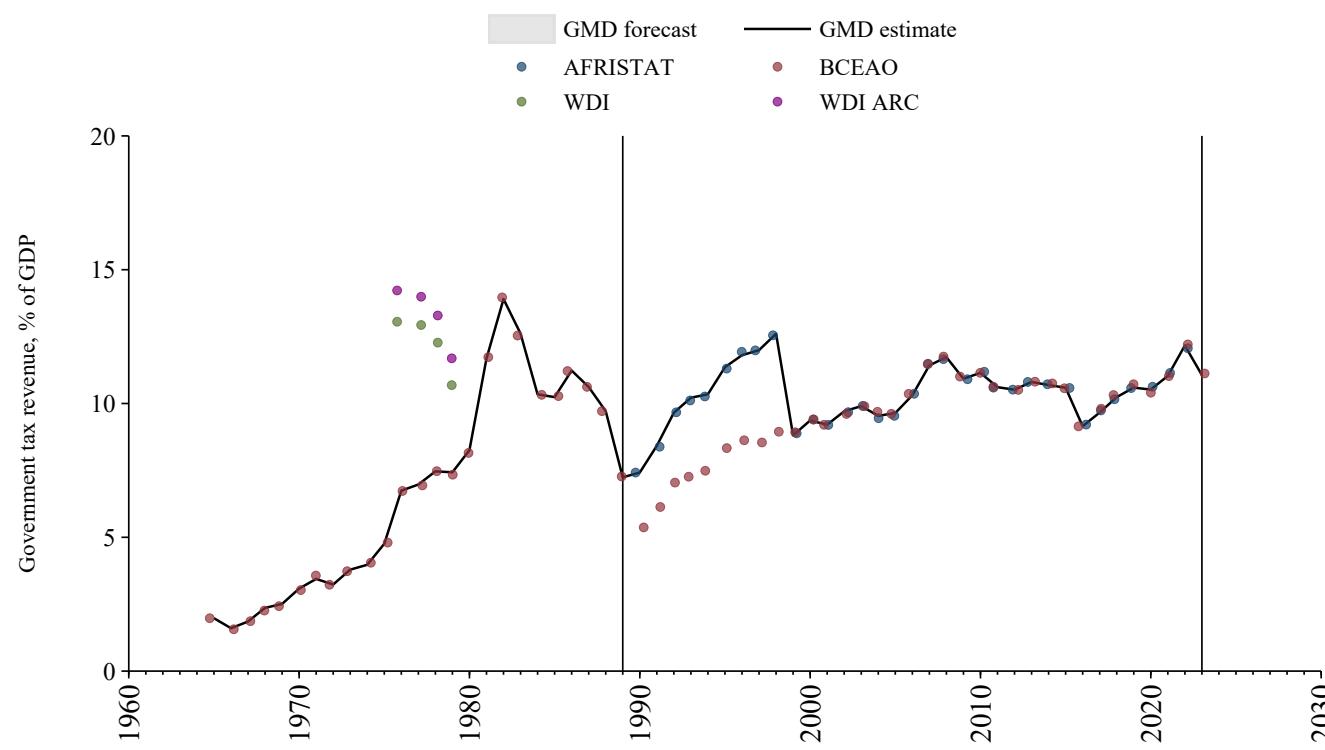
Government tax revenue

Source	Time span	Notes
Albers et al. (2023)	1900 - 1959	Spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 163.5%).. Data refers to general government.
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	1960 - 1989	Spliced using overlapping data in 1990. Data refers to general government.
African Union (2024)	1990 - 2022	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018. Data refers to general government.
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	2023 - 2023	Spliced using overlapping data in 2024. Data refers to general government.



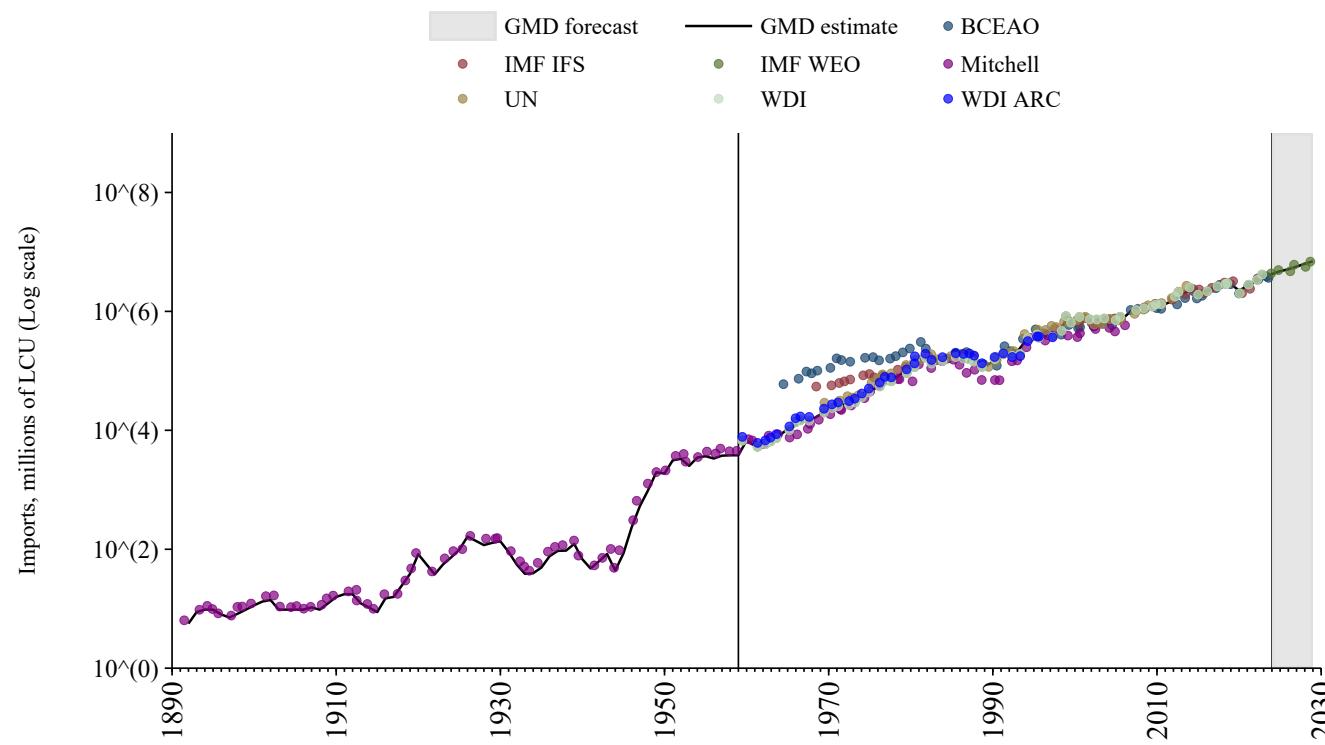
Government tax revenue to GDP ratio

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Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	1965 - 1989	Spliced using overlapping data in 1990. Data refers to general government.
African Union (2024)	1990 - 2022	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018. Data refers to general government.
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	2023 - 2023	Spliced using overlapping data in 2024. Data refers to general government.



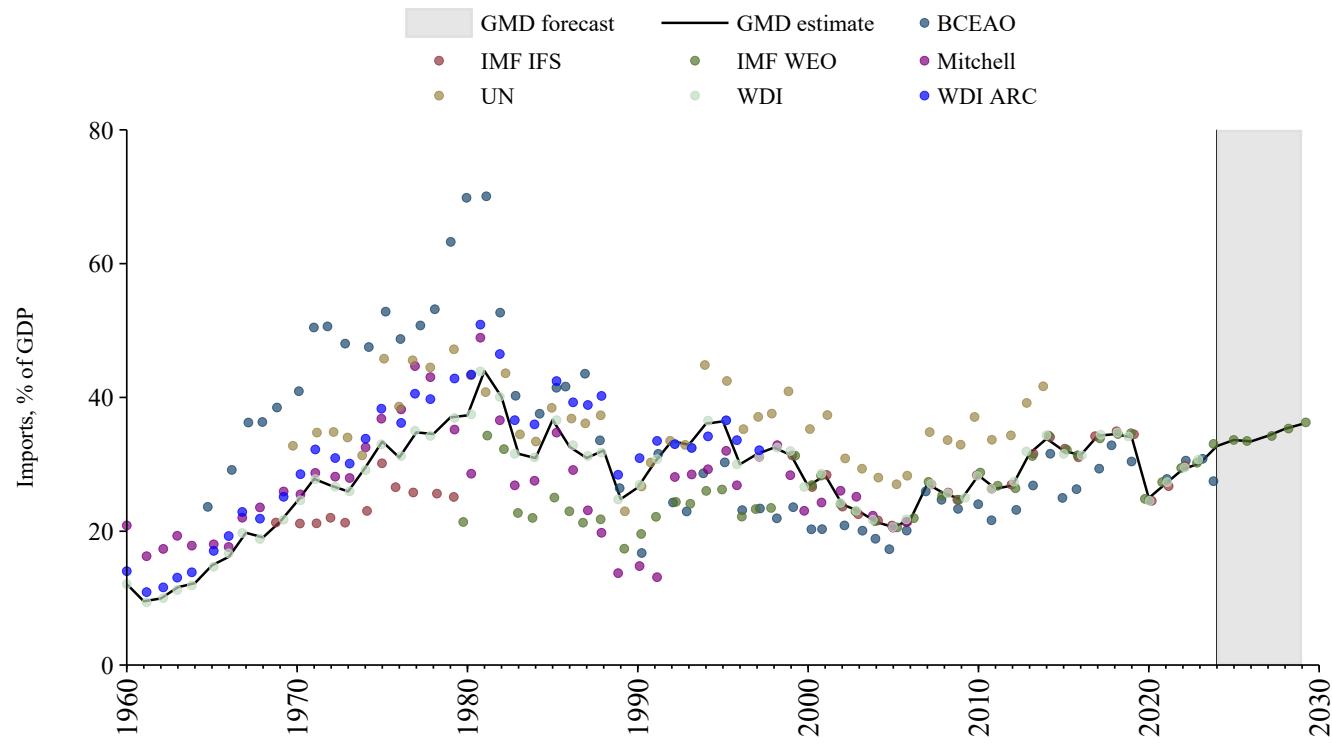
Imports

Source	Time span	Notes
Mitchell (2013)	1892 - 1959	Spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 87.9%)..
World Bank (2024)	1960 - 2023	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.
WEO (2024)	2024 - 2029	Spliced using overlapping data in 2030.



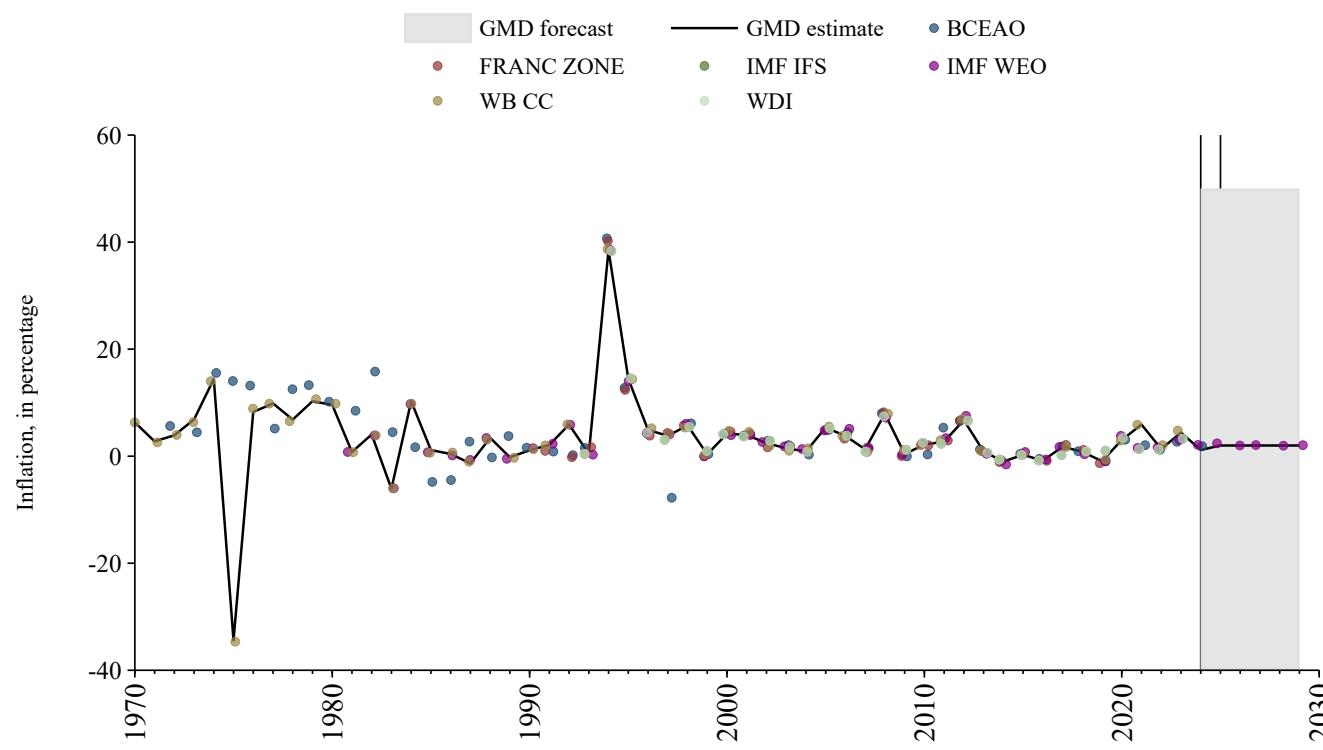
Imports to GDP ratio

Source	Time span	Notes
World Bank (2024)	1960 - 2023	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.
WEO (2024)	2024 - 2029	Spliced using overlapping data in 2030.



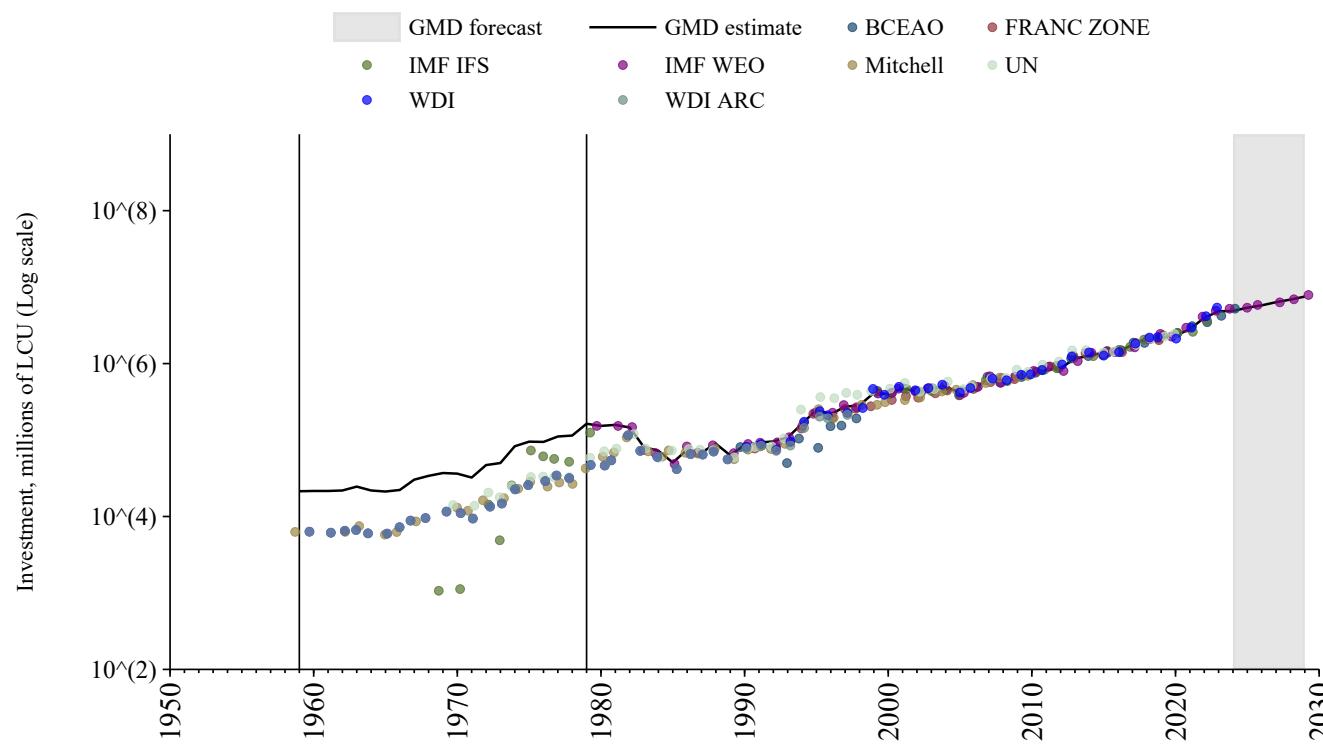
Inflation

Source	Time span	Notes
Ha et al. (2023)	1970 - 2023	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	2024 - 2024	Spliced using overlapping data in 2025.
WEO (2024)	2025 - 2029	Spliced using overlapping data in 2030.



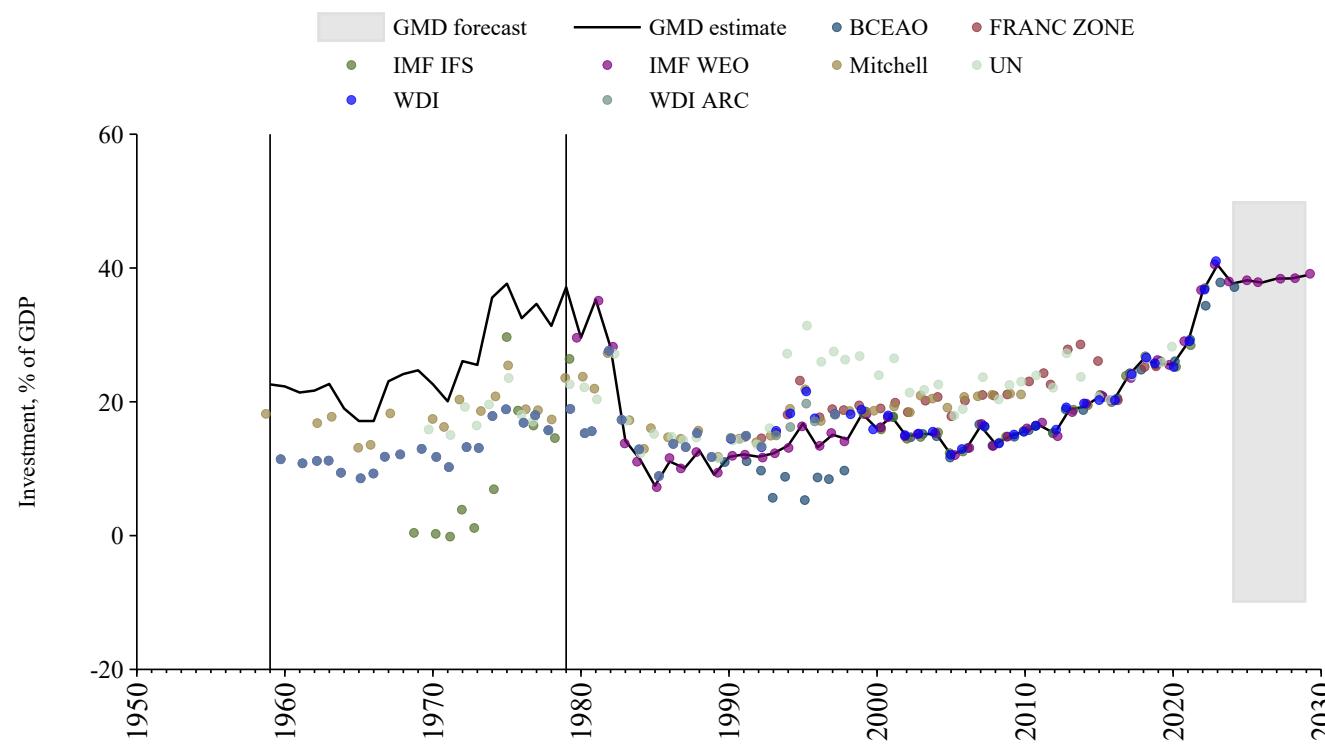
Investment

Source	Time span	Notes
Mitchell (2013)	1959 - 1959	Spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 339.9%)..
World Bank (2024)	1960 - 1979	Spliced using overlapping data in 1980: (ratio = 340.5%)..
WEO (2024)	1980 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.



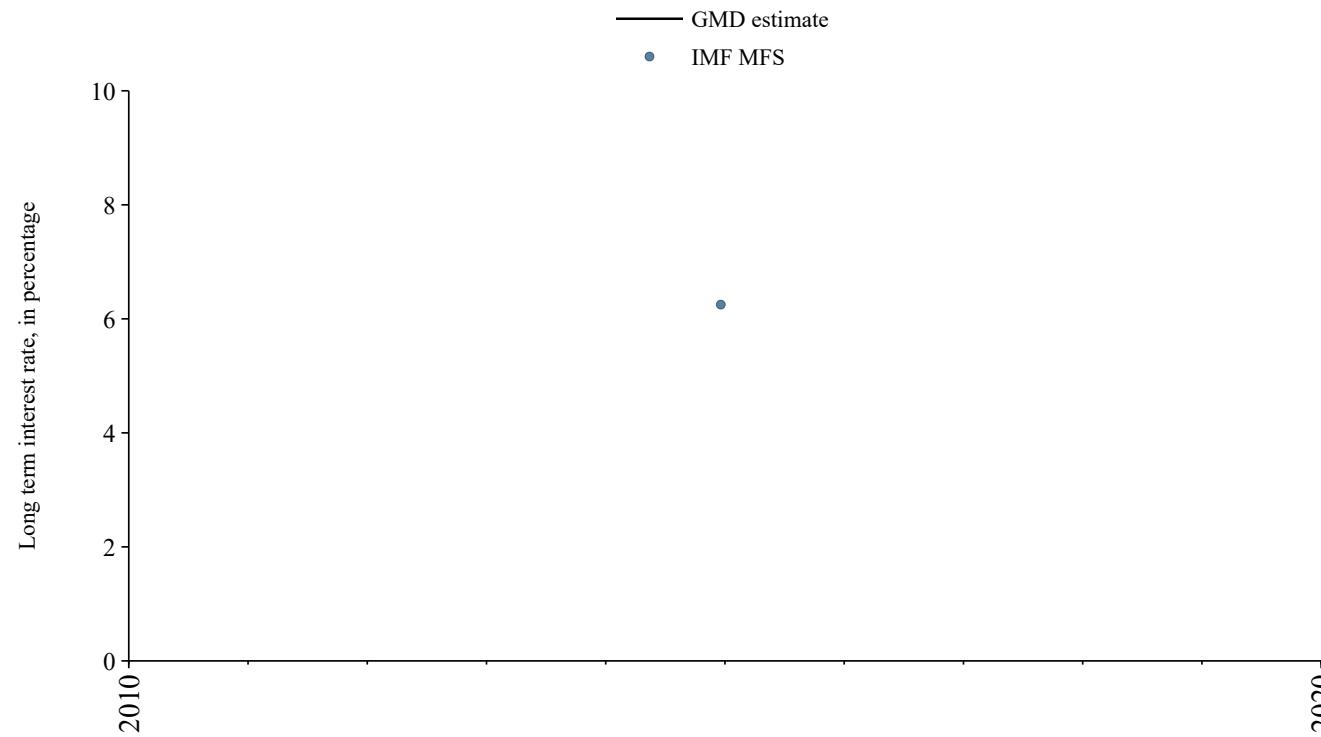
Investment to GDP ratio

Source	Time span	Notes
Mitchell (2013)	1959 - 1959	Spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 124.1%)..
World Bank (2024)	1960 - 1979	Spliced using overlapping data in 1980: (ratio = 195.2%)..
WEO (2024)	1980 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.



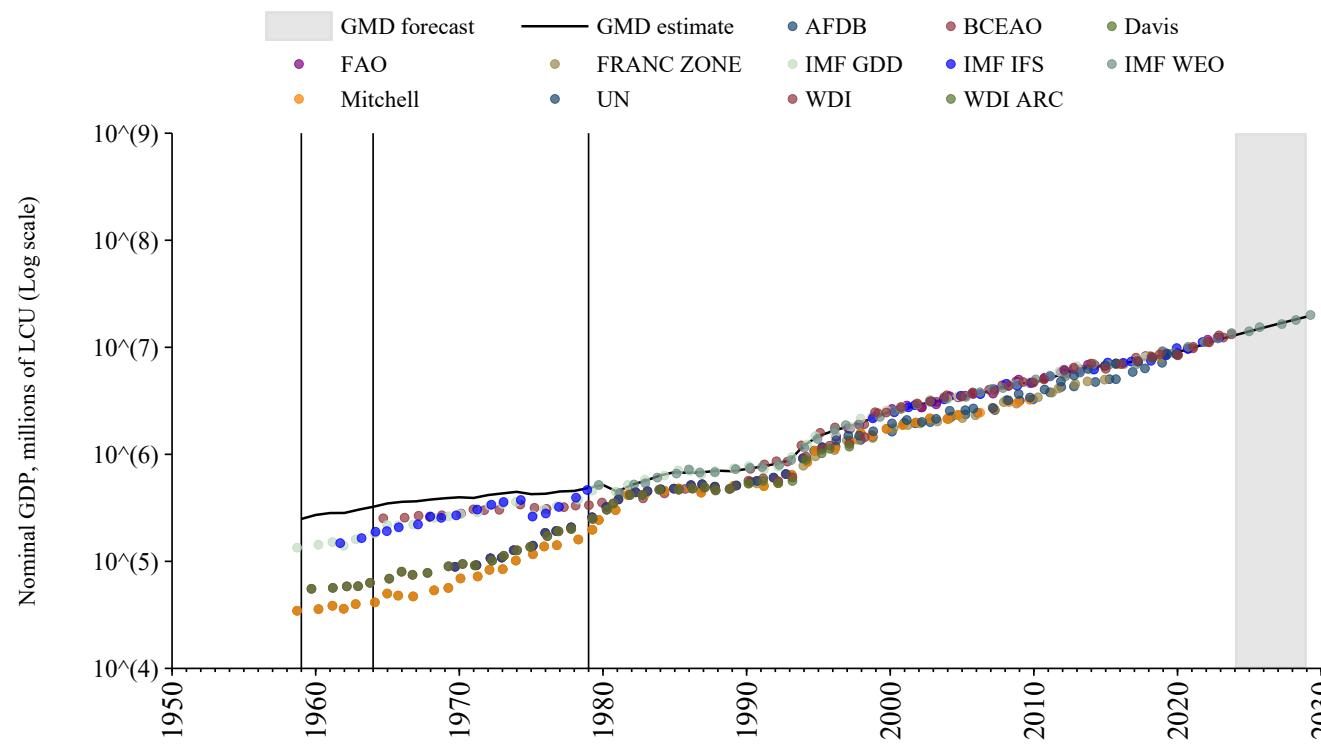
Long term interest rate

Source	Time span	Notes
International Monetary Fund (2024b)	2015 - 2015	Spliced using overlapping data in 2016.



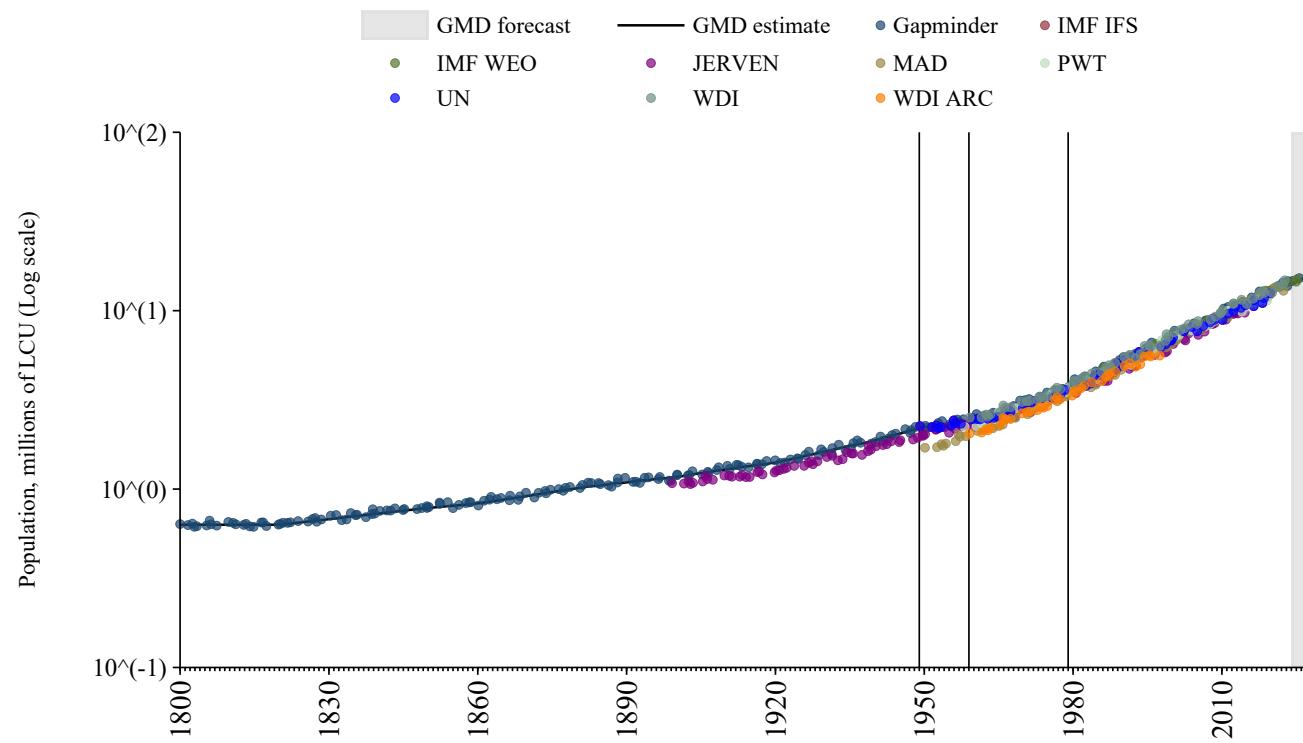
Nominal GDP

Source	Time span	Notes
Mbaye et al. (2018)	1959 - 1959	Spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 185.3%)..
World Bank (2024)	1960 - 1964	Spliced using overlapping data in 1965: (ratio = 489.5%)..
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	1965 - 1979	Spliced using overlapping data in 1980: (ratio = 137.6%)..
WEO (2024)	1980 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.



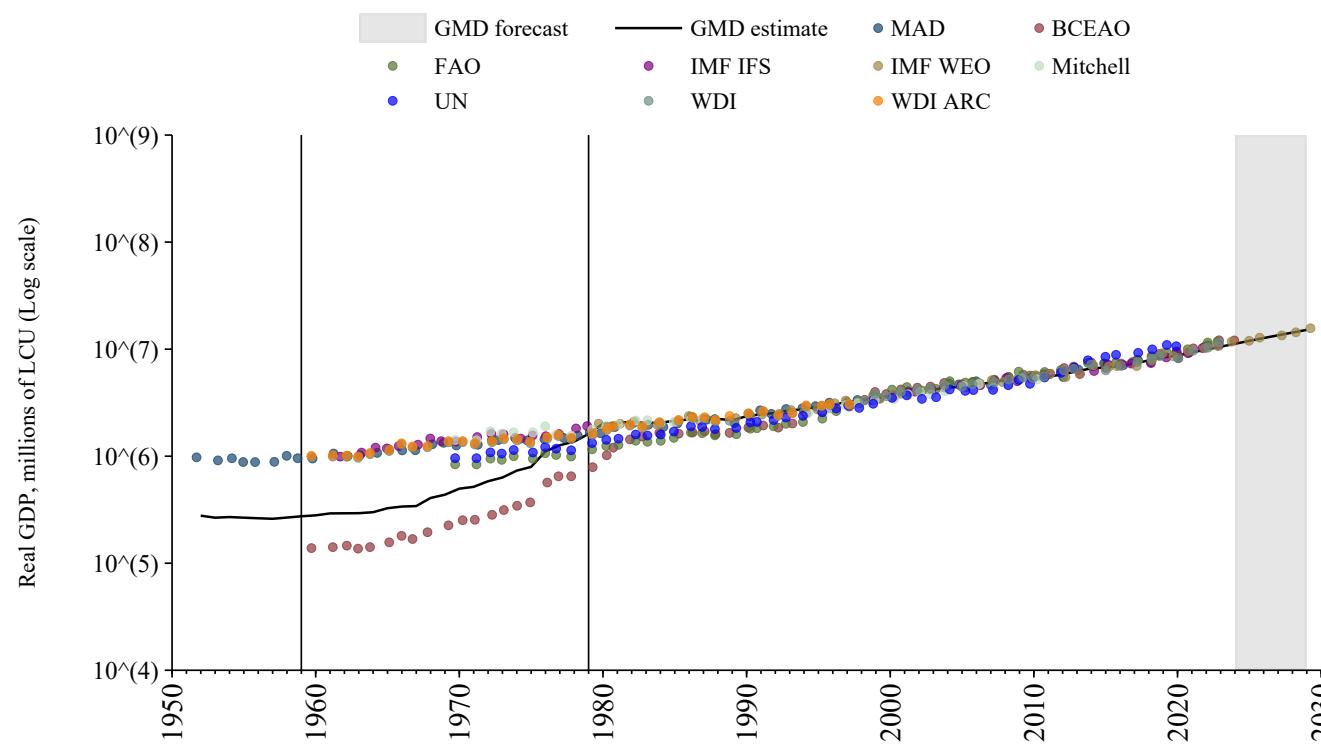
Population

Source	Time span	Notes
Gapminder (2024)	1800 - 1949	Spliced using overlapping data in 1950: (ratio = 99.1%)..
International Monetary Fund (2024a)	1950 - 1959	Spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 98.9%)..
World Bank (2024)	1960 - 1979	Spliced using overlapping data in 1980: (ratio = 95.5%)..
WEO (2024)	1980 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.
Gapminder (2024)	2030 - 2030	Spliced using overlapping data in 2031: (ratio = 100.4%)..



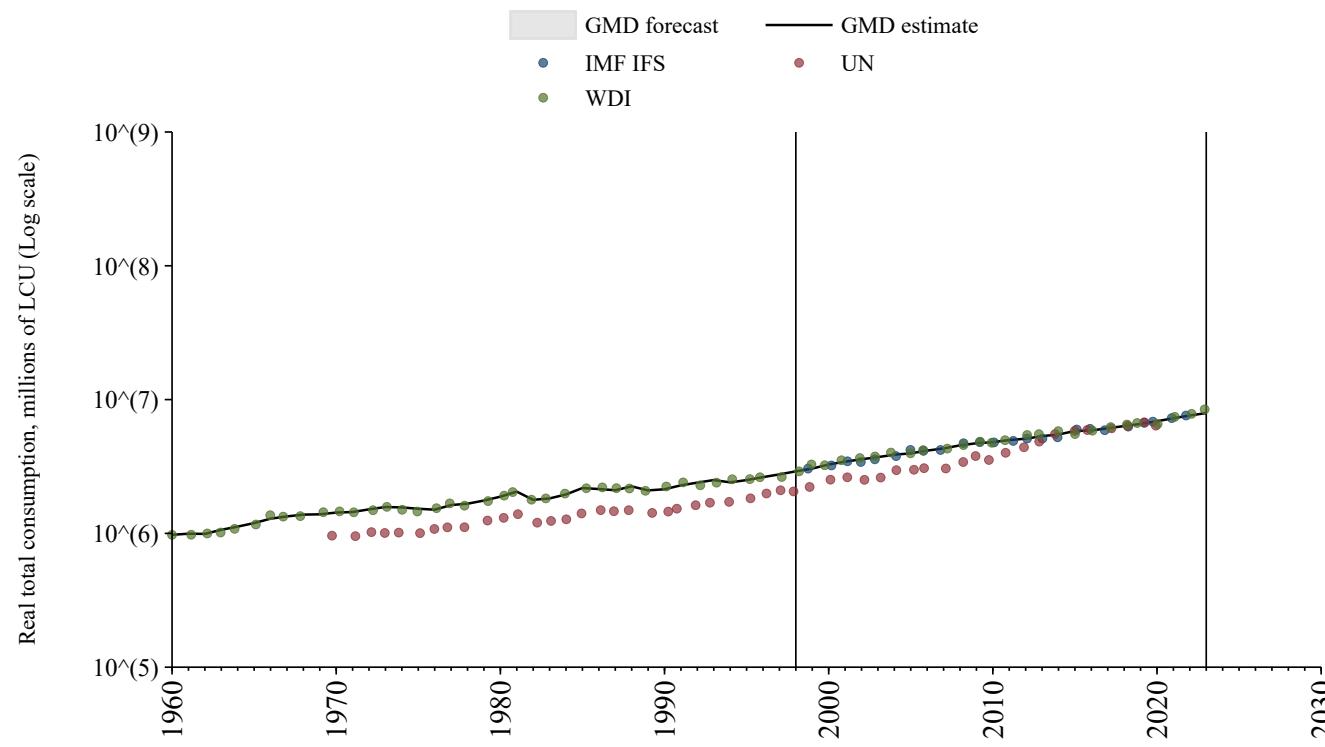
Real GDP

Source	Time span	Notes
Bolt et al. (2018)	1952 - 1959	Spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 28.5%)..
Banque centrale des États de l'Afrique de l'Ouest (2024)	1960 - 1979	Spliced using overlapping data in 1980: (ratio = 202.1%)..
WEO (2024)	1980 - 2029	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.



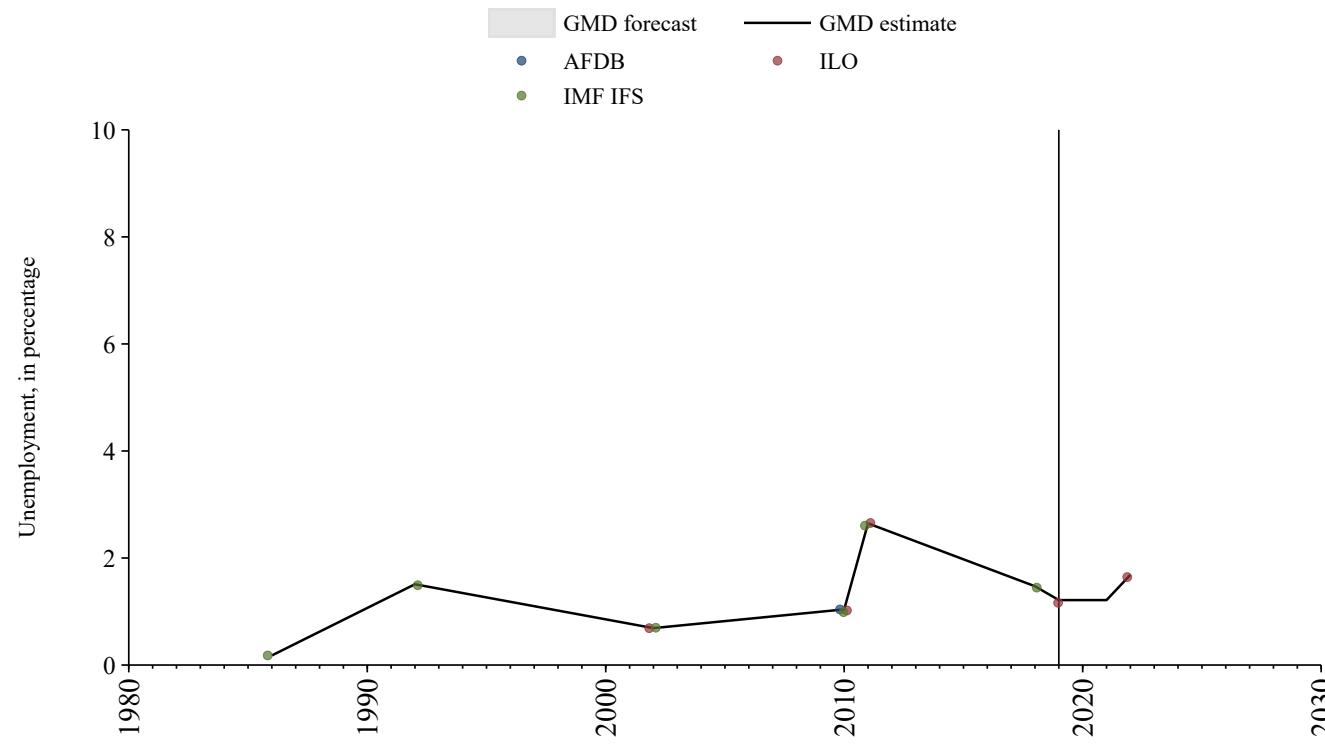
Real total consumption

Source	Time span	Notes
World Bank (2024)	1960 - 1998	Spliced using overlapping data in 1999.
International Monetary Fund (2024a)	1999 - 2022	Baseline source, overlaps with base year 2018.
World Bank (2024)	2023 - 2023	Spliced using overlapping data in 2024.



Unemployment

Source	Time span	Notes
International Monetary Fund (2024a)	1986 - 2018	Spliced using overlapping data in 2019.
International Labour Organization (2024)	2019 - 2022	Spliced using overlapping data in 2023.



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