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# Report to the FOMC on Economic Conditions and Monetary Policy



## Book A Economic and Financial Conditions: Current Situation and Outlook

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**Changes in GDP, Prices, and Unemployment**  
(Percent, annual rate except as noted)

	Nominal GDP		Real GDP		PCE price index		Core PCE price index		Unemployment rate <sup>1</sup>	
Interval	07/20/16	09/14/16	07/20/16	09/14/16	07/20/16	09/14/16	07/20/16	09/14/16	07/20/16	09/14/16
<i>Quarterly</i>										
2016:Q1	1.4	1.3	1.1	.8	.2	.3	2.0	2.1	4.9	4.9
Q2	3.5	3.8	1.8	1.4	1.9	2.0	1.7	1.8	4.9	4.9
Q3	2.9	3.9	1.9	2.7	1.1	1.1	1.4	1.3	4.9	4.9
Q4	3.7	3.8	2.1	2.4	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4	4.9	4.9
2017:Q1	4.1	4.2	2.1	2.3	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.7	4.9	4.8
Q2	4.5	4.2	2.6	2.3	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	4.8	4.7
Q3	4.3	4.1	2.5	2.4	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	4.7	4.6
Q4	4.6	4.3	2.8	2.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	4.6	4.5
2018:Q1	3.9	4.3	1.9	2.2	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.9	4.5	4.4
Q2	4.2	4.0	2.3	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.9	4.4	4.3
Q3	3.9	3.8	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	4.4	4.3
Q4	4.2	3.8	2.3	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	4.3	4.3
<i>Two-quarter<sup>2</sup></i>										
2016:Q2	2.5	2.6	1.4	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.9	1.9	-.1	-.1
Q4	3.3	3.8	2.0	2.5	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	.0	.0
2017:Q2	4.3	4.2	2.3	2.3	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.7	-.1	-.2
Q4	4.4	4.2	2.7	2.5	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	-.2	-.2
2018:Q2	4.1	4.1	2.1	2.1	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.9	-.2	-.2
Q4	4.0	3.8	2.1	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	.0	.0
<i>Four-quarter<sup>3</sup></i>										
2015:Q4	3.1	3.0	2.0	1.9	.5	.4	1.4	1.4	-.7	-.7
2016:Q4	2.9	3.2	1.7	1.8	1.1	1.2	1.6	1.6	-.1	-.1
2017:Q4	4.3	4.2	2.5	2.4	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	-.3	-.4
2018:Q4	4.0	4.0	2.1	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	-.3	-.2
2019:Q4		3.8	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	.0	-.1
<i>Annual</i>										
2015	3.5	3.7	2.4	2.6	.3	.3	1.3	1.4	5.3	5.3
2016	2.8	2.8	1.7	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.6	1.6	4.9	4.9
2017	4.0	4.1	2.2	2.3	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	4.8	4.7
2018	4.2	4.1	2.3	2.2	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	4.4	4.3
2019		3.8	2.0	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	4.3	4.2

- 1. Level, except for two-quarter and four-quarter intervals.
- 2. Percent change from two quarters earlier; for unemployment rate, change is in percentage points.
- 3. Percent change from four quarters earlier; for unemployment rate, change is in percentage points.

**Greensheets**  
**Changes in Real Gross Domestic Product and Related Items**  
(Percent, annual rate except as noted)

Item	2016				2017				2018				2019 <sup>1</sup>			
	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	2016 <sup>1</sup>	2017 <sup>1</sup>	2018 <sup>1</sup>	2019 <sup>1</sup>	
Real GDP <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	1.4 1.8	2.7 1.9	2.4 2.1	2.3 2.6	2.4 2.5	2.6 2.8	2.6 2.8	2.2 1.9	1.9 2.3	1.8 1.9	1.9 2.3	1.8 2.3	2.4 2.5	2.0 2.1	1.7 1.8	
Final sales <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	2.6 2.1	2.2 1.9	2.3 2.4	2.2 1.9	2.3 2.7	2.5 2.5	2.5 2.8	2.1 2.1	2.0 2.6	1.9 2.2	1.9 2.3	2.1 2.3	2.3 2.5	2.0 2.3	1.7 1.7	
Priv. dom. final purch. <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	3.2 2.8	2.5 2.7	2.5 2.5	2.8 3.0	2.9 3.1	3.0 3.2	3.3 3.3	2.8 3.1	2.6 2.9	2.4 2.7	2.4 2.7	2.3 2.6	2.3 2.3	2.5 2.8	2.2 2.2	
Personal cons. expend. <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	4.4 4.2	3.0 2.8	2.2 2.4	2.7 2.8	2.7 2.8	2.7 2.8	2.7 2.8	2.5 2.6	2.5 2.6	2.4 2.5	2.4 2.5	2.4 2.5	2.8 2.7	2.8 2.7	2.5 2.5	
Durables	9.9	8.2	3.1	5.1	5.0	4.8	5.4	4.7	4.5	4.1	3.7	5.1	5.1	4.3	4.3	1.8
Nondurables	5.7	1.5	2.9	2.6	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.6	3.0	3.0	2.4	2.6	2.4
Services	3.2	2.7	1.9	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.4
Residential investment <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-7.8 -3.5	-5.0 -7	-1.3 1.3	6.0 7.0	7.6 8.3	8.1 10.3	8.3 9.6	6.2 8.4	5.0 7.8	4.0 5.4	3.2 4.0	-1.7 2.9	7.5 8.8	4.6 6.4	2.4 2.4	
Nonres. priv. fixed invest. <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-.1 -2.8	2.3 3.1	5.1 3.2	2.0 2.9	2.7 3.5	3.0 3.6	3.1 4.2	3.0 3.8	2.5 3.1	1.8 2.6	1.7 2.5	.9 -.3	2.7 3.6	2.2 3.0	1.2 1.2	
Equipment & intangibles <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	.4 .1	1.8 4.5	6.3 2.9	2.8 2.9	3.3 3.6	4.0 4.7	3.8 4.2	3.1 4.2	2.4 3.4	2.2 3.0	2.2 2.9	1.0 .9	3.4 3.8	2.9 3.4	1.9 1.9	
Nonres. structures <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-2.2 -13.1	4.1 -2.4	1.0 4.7	-.6 2.9	.3 3.1	.9 2.4	-.1 2.2	.1 1.7	-.1 1.2	-.5 1.1	-.5 1.2	.7 1.1	.1 -.9	-.3 1.5	-1.1 -1.1	
Net exports <sup>2</sup> <i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>2</sup>	-558 -551	-570 -585	-583 -591	-606 -628	-628 -646	-648 -668	-657 -672	-675 -699	-689 -706	-701 -717	-707 -714	-569 -569	-635 -654	-693 -709	-739 -739	
Exports	1.7 .2	2.5 3.7	1.5 3.2	1.5 4.6	1.8 4.6	2.2 4.6	2.7 3.5	3.0 4.9	3.0 4.3	3.1 4.1	3.1 3.2	1.2 1.6	2.0 4.4	3.1 4.1	2.8 4.0	
Imports																
Gov't. cons. & invest. <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-1.5 -1.1	1.7 2.3	2.8 2.1	1.8 1.3	1.6 2.4	1.4 1.3	1.1 .5	.9 .3	.6 1.4	.5 .5	.3 1.4	1.1 1.2	1.5 1.4	.6 1.4	.6 1.4	
Federal	-.3 -3.1	3.1 2.5	3.0 2.6	2.4 1.8	1.9 1.8	1.3 1.0	.6 .7	.4 .2	-.4 -.3	-.6 -.5	-.6 -.5	1.0 1.2	1.6 1.4	-.5 1.4	-.4 1.4	
Defense	3.8 -2.2	3.9 .8	3.5 2.7	2.9 1.5	2.2 1.4	1.8 1.4	1.0 1.4	.7 1.2	.2 1.2	-.5 1.2	-.7 1.2	1.1 1.2	3.0 1.2	1.8 1.4	-.6 1.2	
Nonddefense																
State & local																
Change in priv. inventories <sup>2</sup> <i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>2</sup>	-11 53	10 55	11 43	15 49	17 47	19 46	21 37	23 26	20 15	16 12	13 12	13 12	18 15	18 17	9 22	

1. Change from fourth quarter of previous year to fourth quarter of year indicated.

2. Billions of chained (2009) dollars.

**Changes in Real Gross Domestic Product and Related Items**  
 (Change from fourth quarter of previous year to fourth quarter of year indicated, unless otherwise noted)

Item	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Real GDP <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	2.7	1.7	1.3	2.7	2.5	1.9	1.8	2.4	2.0	1.7
Final sales <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	2.0	1.5	1.7	2.0	2.7	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.0	1.7
Priv. dom. final purch. <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	3.5	2.6	2.3	2.6	3.8	2.7	2.3	2.5	2.3	2.3
Personal cons. expend. <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	3.1	1.5	1.3	2.0	3.5	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.3
Durables	3.1	1.5	1.3	2.3	3.2	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.6
Nondurables	9.3	4.8	7.2	5.2	8.6	5.5	5.1	5.1	4.3	1.8
Services	3.3	.4	.8	2.6	2.8	2.3	3.0	2.4	2.6	2.4
Residential investment <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-5.2	6.0	15.7	6.8	6.2	13.1	-1.7	7.5	4.6	2.4
Nonres. priv. fixed invest. <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	8.1	9.0	5.2	4.8	5.0	.8	.9	2.7	2.2	1.2
Equipment & intangibles <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	12.0	9.2	5.5	4.2	5.5	1.5	-.3	3.6	3.0	1.9
Nonres. structures <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-4.0	8.0	4.1	5.8	8.0	-8.8	.7	1	-3	-1.1
Net exports <sup>1</sup> <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-459	-459	-447	-405	-426	-540	-569	-635	-693	-739
Exports	10.1	4.2	2.2	5.9	3.1	-2.2	1.2	2.0	3.1	2.8
Imports	12.0	3.5	.3	2.5	6.1	2.5	1.6	4.4	4.1	4.0
Gov't. cons. & invest. <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-1.1	-3.0	-2.2	-2.8	.3	2.2	1.1	1.5	.6	.6
Federal	-1.1	-3.0	-2.2	-2.9	.4	1.1	1.2	1.4	.6	.6
Defense	3.2	-4.0	-2.1	-6.7	-1.3	1.7	1.0	1.6	-.5	-.4
Nondefense	2.0	-4.1	-3.9	-7.1	-4.1	.6	-.3	1.4	-.5	-.3
State & local	5.5	-3.9	1.0	-6.0	3.4	3.4	3.0	1.8	-.4	-.6
Change in priv. inventories <sup>1</sup> <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	58	38	55	79	58	84	13	18	18	9

1. Billions of chained (2009) dollars.

**Greensheets**
**Contributions to Changes in Real Gross Domestic Product**  
(Percentage points, annual rate except as noted)

Item	2016			2017			2018			2016 <sup>1</sup>			2017 <sup>1</sup>			2018 <sup>1</sup>			2019 <sup>1</sup>		
	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	2016 <sup>1</sup>	2017 <sup>1</sup>	2018 <sup>1</sup>	2019 <sup>1</sup>	2016 <sup>1</sup>	2017 <sup>1</sup>	2018 <sup>1</sup>	2019 <sup>1</sup>		
Real GDP <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	1.4	2.7	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.6	2.2	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.8	2.4	2.0	1.7	1.7	2.5	2.1	1.8		
Final sales <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.6	2.5	2.8	1.9	2.3	1.9	2.3	1.7	2.1	2.0	1.7	2.0	2.5	2.3	1.7		
Priv. dom. final purch. <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	2.6	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.0	2.0	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.0		
Personal cons. expend. <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	2.1	1.9	2.4	1.9	2.7	2.5	2.8	2.1	2.6	2.2	2.3	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.0	2.0	2.5	2.5	2.3		
Durables	.7	.6	.2	.4	.4	.4	.4	.3	.3	.3	.3	.3	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4		
Nondurables	.8	.2	.4	.4	.3	.3	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4		
Services	1.5	1.3	.9	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1		
Residential investment <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-3	-2	0	.2	.3	.3	.3	.2	.2	.2	.2	.1	-1	.3	.2	.1	.3	.3	.1		
Nonres. priv. fixed invest. <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	0	.3	.6	.3	.3	.4	.4	.4	.5	.5	.4	.3	.2	.1	.3	.3	.4	.4	.2		
Equipment & intangibles <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.4	.5	.5	.4	.3	.3	.0	.0	.4	.4	.4	.4	.2		
Nonres. structures <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	0	.2	.6	.3	.3	.3	.4	.4	.4	.4	.3	.2	.2	.1	.3	.3	.1	.4	.3		
Nonres. inventories <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	0	.4	.3	.3	.4	.4	.5	.4	.3	.3	.3	.3	.1	.1	.4	.3	.3	.3	.2		
Net exports <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-1	.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0		
Exports	.2	.3	.2	.2	.2	.2	.3	.3	.4	.4	.4	.4	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.2	.3		
Imports	0	-.5	-.5	-.7	-.7	-.7	-.5	-.7	-.6	-.6	-.5	-.5	-.2	-.2	-.2	-.2	-.2	-.6	-.6		
Gov't. cons. & invest. <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-3	.3	.5	.3	.3	.2	.2	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.0	.0	.2	.2	.2	.2	.1		
Federal Defense	-2	.4	.4	.2	.2	.1	.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	-.1	-.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.0		
Nondefense	-1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.1	.1	.1	.0	.0		
State & local	-2	.1	.3	.2	.2	.2	.2	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.2	.1	.1	.1	.1		
Change in priv. inventories <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-1.2	.5	0	.1	.0	.0	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	-.1	-.1	-.3	.1	.0	.0	.0	.0		
	-.3	.0	-.3	.1	-.1	.0	.0	-.2	-.3	-.2	-.2	-.1	-.2	-.2	.0	.0	-.2	.0	-.2		

1. Change from fourth quarter of previous year to fourth quarter of year indicated.

**Changes in Prices and Costs**  
(Percent, annual rate except as noted)

Item	2016				2017				2018				2019 <sup>1</sup>			
	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	2016 <sup>1</sup>	2017 <sup>1</sup>	2018 <sup>1</sup>	2019 <sup>1</sup>	
GDP chain-wt. price index <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	2.3 1.7	1.2 .9	1.4 1.6	1.9 2.0	1.8 1.8	1.7 1.7	1.7 1.7	2.1 2.0	2.0 1.9	1.9 1.9	1.9 1.9	1.3 1.2	1.8 1.8	2.0 2.0	1.9 1.9	
PCE chain-wt. price index <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	2.0 1.9	1.1 1.1	1.4 1.4	1.6 1.8	1.7 1.7	1.6 1.6	1.5 1.6	1.9 1.8	1.9 1.8	1.8 1.8	1.8 1.8	1.2 1.1	1.6 1.7	1.8 1.8	1.9 1.9	
Energy <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	15.5 15.6	2.1 3.0	2.4 5.3	.8 3.4	4.3 2.6	3.0 2.5	2.3 2.4	2.4 2.4	2.2 1.7	1.7 1.4	1.6 1.6	-4.3 -5.5	2.6 3.4	2.0 1.8	1.7 1.7	
Food <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-1.8 -1.7	-1.5 -1.4	.9 1.4	1.5 1.8	1.4 1.9	1.4 2.0	2.1 2.0	2.2 2.0	2.2 2.0	2.2 2.0	2.2 2.0	-1.0 -.6	1.7 1.9	2.2 2.0	2.2 2.0	
Ex. food & energy <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	1.8 1.7	1.3 1.4	1.4 1.3	1.7 1.7	1.6 1.6	1.5 1.5	1.5 1.5	1.9 1.8	1.9 1.8	1.8 1.8	1.8 1.8	1.6 1.6	1.6 1.6	1.8 1.8	1.9 1.9	
Ex. food & energy, market based <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	1.6 1.7	1.2 1.4	1.2 1.3	1.6 1.7	1.6 1.6	1.4 1.6	1.4 1.6	1.8 1.8	1.8 1.8	1.7 1.8	1.7 1.8	1.5 1.5	1.5 1.6	1.8 1.8	1.9 1.9	
CPI <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	2.5 2.5	1.6 1.7	2.1 2.0	2.1 2.3	2.3 2.2	2.2 2.2	2.2 2.3	2.3 2.3	2.3 2.2	2.3 2.2	2.3 2.2	1.5 1.5	2.2 2.3	2.3 2.3	2.3 2.3	
Ex. food & energy <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	2.1 2.1	1.9 2.1	2.2 2.1	2.2 2.1	2.2 2.2	2.2 2.2	2.2 2.3	2.3 2.3	2.3 2.3	2.3 2.3	2.3 2.3	2.2 2.2	2.2 2.2	2.2 2.2	2.3 2.3	
ECI, hourly compensation <sup>2</sup> <i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>2</sup>	2.3 2.1	2.1 2.2	2.2 2.3	2.3 2.3	2.3 2.4	2.3 2.4	2.4 2.4	2.4 2.4	2.4 2.4	2.3 2.3	2.3 2.3	2.3 2.3	2.3 2.3	2.3 2.3	2.4 2.4	
Business sector																
Output per hour <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-.8 .8	2.4 1.5	.7 .8	1.1 1.4	1.0 1.2	1.0 1.2	1.2 1.7	.9 .9	.9 1.5	1.0 1.1	1.3 1.6	.4 .7	1.1 1.3	1.1 1.3	1.2 1.2	
Compensation per hour <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	3.3 2.7	3.4 2.8	2.9 3.1	2.8 2.8	2.8 2.9	2.8 2.9	3.2 3.1	3.1 3.1	3.1 3.1	3.1 3.1	3.1 3.1	2.1 2.1	2.9 2.9	3.1 3.1	3.2 3.2	
Unit labor costs <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	4.2 1.9	1.0 1.2	2.2 2.1	1.8 2.3	1.8 1.4	1.8 1.6	1.6 1.2	2.0 2.2	2.1 2.0	2.1 2.0	1.8 1.6	1.7 1.5	1.8 1.6	2.0 2.0	2.0 2.0	
Core goods imports chain-wt. price index <sup>3</sup> <i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>3</sup>	.5 1.0	2.4 1.8	.6 .7	.9 1.1	.8 .9	.8 .9	.8 .9	.8 1.0	.8 1.0	.7 1.0	.7 1.0	.3 .3	.8 1.0	.8 1.0	.8 1.0	

1. Change from fourth quarter of previous year to fourth quarter of year indicated.

2. Private-industry workers.

3. Core goods imports exclude computers, semiconductors, oil, and natural gas.

**Greensheets****Changes in Prices and Costs**  
(Change from fourth quarter of previous year to fourth quarter of year indicated, unless otherwise noted)

Item	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
GDP chain-wt. price index <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.1	1.3	1.8	2.0	2.0
PCE chain-wt. price index <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	1.3	2.7	1.8	1.2	1.2	.4	1.2	1.6	1.8	1.9
Energy <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	6.4	12.0	2.3	-2.5	-6.2	-15.8	-4.3	2.6	2.0	1.7
Food <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	1.3	5.1	1.2	.7	2.7	.3	-1.0	1.7	2.2	2.2
Ex. food & energy <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	1.0	1.9	1.8	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.9
Ex. food & energy; market based <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	.7	1.9	1.5	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.9
CPI <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	1.2	3.3	1.9	1.2	1.2	.4	1.5	2.2	2.3	2.3
Ex. food & energy <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	.6	2.2	1.9	1.7	1.7	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3
ECL, hourly compensation <sup>1</sup> <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	2.1	2.2	1.8	2.0	2.3	1.9	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4
Business sector										
Output per hour <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	1.6	.0	-2	2.0	-.1	.5	.4	1.1	1.1	1.2
Compensation per hour <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	1.2	.5	5.8	.0	2.7	3.1	2.1	2.9	3.1	3.2
Unit labor costs <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-4	.6	6.0	-2.0	2.8	2.6	1.7	1.8	2.0	2.0
Core goods imports chain-wt. price index <sup>2</sup> <i>Previous Tealbook</i>	2.3	4.3	.1	-1.5	.5	-3.3	.3	.8	.8	.8
	2.3	4.3	.1	-1.1	.5	-3.4	.3	1.0	1.0	

1. Private-industry workers.

2. Core goods imports exclude computers, semiconductors, oil, and natural gas.

## Other Macroeconomic Indicators

Item	2016				2017				2018				2016 <sup>l</sup>	2017 <sup>l</sup>	2018 <sup>l</sup>	2019 <sup>l</sup>
	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1				
<i>Employment and production</i>																
Nonfarm payroll employment <sup>2</sup>	.5	.6	.5	.5	.6	.6	.6	.5	.4	.4	.4	2.3	2.2	1.8	1.3	1.3
Unemployment rate <sup>3</sup>	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.5	4.5	4.3	4.2	4.2
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>3</sup>	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.6	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.6	4.6	4.3	4.3	4.3
Natural rate of unemployment <sup>3</sup>	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>3</sup>	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Employment-to-Population Ratio <sup>3</sup>	59.7	59.7	59.6	59.6	59.6	59.4	59.4	59.7	59.7	59.6	59.6	59.6	59.7	59.6	59.3	59.3
Employment-to-Population Trend <sup>3</sup>	59.7	59.6	59.6	59.5	59.6	59.4	59.4	59.3	59.2	59.1	59.0	59.0	59.6	59.7	59.0	58.7
GDP gap <sup>4</sup>	-.1	.1	.2	.4	.6	.8	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	.2	1.1	1.5	1.4	1.5
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>4</sup>	-.1	.0	.1	.2	.5	.7	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.4	.1	1.0	1.4	1.0	1.4
Industrial production <sup>5</sup>	-.7	1.9	-.9	.7	.9	.8	1.5	1.5	1.1	1.1	1.0	-.4	1.0	1.2	.9	.9
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>5</sup>	-1.0	.9	.4	.8	1.1	1.2	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.4	-.4	1.3	1.6	1.1	1.6
Manufacturing industr. prod. <sup>5</sup>	-1.0	.5	-.3	.4	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.1	.9	-.1	1.0	1.1	.9	.9
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>5</sup>	-1.0	1.2	.5	.4	1.2	1.4	1.8	1.3	1.7	1.5	1.4	.2	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.5
Capacity utilization rate - mfg. <sup>3</sup>	75.0	74.9	74.7	74.6	74.7	74.8	74.9	74.9	75.0	75.0	75.1	74.7	74.9	75.1	75.1	75.1
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>3</sup>	75.0	75.1	75.0	74.9	75.0	75.1	75.3	75.5	75.6	75.8	75.9	75.0	75.3	75.9	75.3	75.9
Housing starts <sup>6</sup>	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4
Light motor vehicle sales <sup>6</sup>	17.1	17.3	17.2	17.1	17.0	16.9	16.8	16.8	16.8	16.7	16.7	17.2	17.0	16.8	16.5	16.5
<i>Income and saving</i>																
Nominal GDP <sup>5</sup>	3.8	3.9	3.8	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.3	4.3	4.0	3.8	3.8	3.2	4.2	4.0	3.8	3.8
Real disposable pers. income <sup>5</sup>	2.3	2.9	2.2	3.9	2.1	2.5	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.7	2.3	2.3	2.3
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>5</sup>	2.9	1.8	2.5	3.1	2.1	2.4	2.3	3.0	2.2	2.4	1.8	2.8	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4
Personal saving rate <sup>3</sup>	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.7	5.6	5.4	5.4	5.4
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>3</sup>	5.5	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.2	5.1	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.7	5.3	5.0	4.7	5.0	4.7	5.4
Corporate profits <sup>7</sup>	-.5	13.7	2.7	4.8	-.8	6.1	5.2	5.3	-1.9	4.5	3.7	7.3	3.8	2.9	3.8	3.8
Profit share of GNP <sup>3</sup>	10.9	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.0	11.1	11.1	11.1	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.1	11.1	11.0	11.0	11.0
Gross national saving rate <sup>3</sup>	18.1	18.1	18.2	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.1	18.0	18.0	18.0	17.9	18.2	18.1	17.9	17.7	17.7
Net national saving rate <sup>3</sup>	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.9	3.2	3.2	2.9	2.5	2.5

1. Change from fourth quarter of previous year to fourth quarter of year indicated, unless otherwise indicated.

2. Change, millions.

3. Percent; annual values are for the fourth quarter of the year indicated.

4. Percent difference between actual and potential GDP; a negative number indicates that the economy is operating below potential.

Annual values are for the fourth quarter of the year indicated.

5. Percent change, annual rate.

6. Level, millions; annual values are annual averages.

7. Percent change, annual rate, with inventory valuation and capital consumption adjustments.

**Greensheets****Other Macroeconomic Indicators**  
(Change from fourth quarter of previous year to fourth quarter of year indicated, unless otherwise noted)

Item	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
<i>Employment and production</i>										
Nonfarm payroll employment <sup>1</sup>	.8	2.0	2.1	2.4	2.8	2.8	2.3	2.2	1.8	1.3
Unemployment rate <sup>2</sup>	9.5	8.7	7.8	7.0	5.7	5.0	4.9	4.5	4.3	4.2
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>4</sup>	9.5	8.7	7.8	7.0	5.7	5.0	4.9	4.6	4.3	4.3
Natural rate of unemployment <sup>2</sup>	5.9	5.9	5.6	5.4	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>2</sup>	5.9	5.9	5.6	5.4	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Employment-to-Population Ratio <sup>2</sup>	58.3	58.5	58.7	58.5	59.2	59.4	59.6	59.7	59.6	59.3
Employment-to-Population Trend <sup>2</sup>	61.1	60.7	60.3	60.2	60.1	59.9	59.6	59.3	59.0	58.7
GDP gap <sup>3</sup>	-4.2	-3.7	-3.7	-2.5	-2.5	-9	0	2	1.1	1.5
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>3</sup>	-4.2	-3.7	-3.7	-2.5	-2.5	-9	0	1	1.0	1.4
Industrial production <sup>4</sup>	5.9	2.6	2.3	2.0	3.5	-1.6	-4	1.0	1.2	.9
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>4</sup>	5.9	2.6	2.3	2.0	3.5	-1.6	-4	1.3	1.6	
Manufacturing industr. prod. <sup>4</sup>	5.9	2.5	1.7	.8	2.0	0	-1	1.0	1.1	.9
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>4</sup>	5.9	2.5	1.7	.8	2.0	0	-1	1.2	1.5	
Capacity utilization rate - mfg. <sup>2</sup>	72.4	74.4	74.3	74.6	76.0	75.4	74.7	74.9	75.1	75.1
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>2</sup>	72.4	74.4	74.3	74.6	76.0	75.4	75.0	75.3	75.9	
Housing starts <sup>5</sup>	.6	12.7	14.4	.8	.9	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4
Light motor vehicle sales <sup>5</sup>	11.6	12.7	14.4	15.5	16.4	17.4	17.2	17.0	16.8	16.5
<i>Income and saving</i>										
Nominal GDP <sup>4</sup>	4.6	3.6	3.2	4.3	4.1	3.0	3.2	4.2	4.0	3.8
Real disposable pers. income <sup>4</sup>	2.6	1.7	5.1	-2.8	4.5	3.0	2.4	2.7	2.3	2.3
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>4</sup>	2.6	1.7	5.1	-2.9	3.6	3.3	2.8	2.5	2.4	
Personal saving rate <sup>2</sup>	5.5	5.8	9.2	4.7	5.6	6.0	5.7	5.6	5.4	5.4
<i>Previous Tealbook</i> <sup>2</sup>	5.5	5.8	9.2	4.4	4.7	5.2	5.3	5.0	4.7	
Corporate profits <sup>6</sup>	18.0	6.8	.6	4.7	6.6	-11.2	7.3	3.8	2.9	3.8
Profit share of GNP <sup>2</sup>	12.0	12.3	12.0	12.0	12.4	10.7	11.1	11.1	11.0	11.0
Gross national saving rate <sup>2</sup>	15.2	16.1	18.0	18.2	19.2	18.8	18.2	18.1	17.9	17.7
Net national saving rate <sup>2</sup>	-.3	.8	2.9	3.1	4.3	3.9	3.2	3.2	2.9	2.5

1. Change, millions.

2. Percent; values are for the fourth quarter of the year indicated.

3. Percent difference between actual and potential GDP; a negative number indicates that the economy is operating below potential.

Values are for the fourth quarter of the year indicated.

4. Percent change.

5. Level, millions; values are annual averages.

6. Percent change, with inventory valuation and capital consumption adjustments.

**Staff Projections of Federal Sector Accounts and Related Items**  
(Billions of dollars except as noted)

Item	Fiscal year				2016				2017				2018			
	2016	2017	2018	2019	Q1 <sup>a</sup>	Q2 <sup>a</sup>	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
<b>Unified budget</b>																
Receipts	3,280	3,407	3,597	3,764	711	993	811	768	725	1,072	843	802	765	1,143	888	851
Outlays	3,864	4,002	4,132	4,394	956	932	995	981	1,056	990	975	1,024	1,099	1,044	965	1,116
Surplus/deficit	-583	-595	-535	-630	-245	61	-183	-213	-331	81	-132	-222	-334	98	-77	-265
<i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-523	-531	-542	-646	-245	60	-122	-204	-323	108	-113	-219	-340	108	-92	-268
Means of financing:																
Borrowing	1,027	700	653	750	251	8	216	220	363	-44	161	248	366	-67	107	295
Cash decrease	-167	14	2	0	20	-43	-9	23	-2	-8	1	4	-1	1	0	
Other <sup>1</sup>	-276	-120	-120	-120	-25	-25	-24	-30	-30	-30	-30	-30	-30	-30	-30	-30
Cash operating balance, end of period	366	351	350	349	314	357	366	342	345	352	351	348	349	350	350	349
<b>NIPA federal sector</b>																
Receipts	3,471	3,544	3,739	3,878	3,442	3,470	3,457	3,487	3,525	3,560	3,606	3,648	3,732	3,767	3,807	3,843
Expenditures	4,129	4,319	4,507	4,736	4,111	4,137	4,211	4,237	4,325	4,388	4,420	4,510	4,515	4,583	4,635	
Consumption expenditures	974	1,010	1,033	1,041	969	975	984	993	1,009	1,016	1,021	1,026	1,033	1,038	1,038	
Defense	588	600	610	612	587	586	590	593	600	602	604	606	610	611	611	
Nondefense	386	410	424	429	382	389	394	400	409	413	417	421	423	425	426	427
Other spending	3,155	3,309	3,474	3,695	3,142	3,162	3,227	3,244	3,316	3,310	3,366	3,394	3,476	3,545	3,597	
Current account surplus	-658	-775	-768	-858	-668	-668	-754	-750	-800	-765	-782	-773	-777	-748	-775	-792
Gross investment	266	275	282	285	265	264	267	271	274	277	279	280	282	283	283	283
Gross saving less gross investment <sup>2</sup>	-653	-778	-778	-870	-662	-661	-750	-749	-803	-770	-790	-781	-787	-758	-786	-802
<b>Fiscal indicators</b>																
High-employment (HEB) surplus/deficit <sup>3</sup>	-661.4	-816.1	-875.9	-994.8	-665.0	-668.2	-765.1	-772.0	-830.0	-813.4	-848.9	-860.2	-880.0	-862.8	-900.5	-924.5
Change in HEB, percent of potential GDP	.6	.7	.2	.4	.6	.0	.5	.0	.3	-.1	.2	.0	.1	-.1	.2	.1
Fiscal impetus (FI), percent of GDP <sup>4</sup>	.4	.4	.1	.2	.5	-.1	.5	.7	.4	.4	.4	.3	.2	.1	.1	.1
<i>Previous Tealbook</i>	.4	.4	.1	.1	.4	.0	.6	.6	.3	.5	.4	.2	.1	.3	.1	.1
Federal purchases	.1	.1	.0	.1	-.1	.0	.2	.2	.2	.1	.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
State and local purchases	.1	.2	.1	.1	.4	-.2	.1	.2	.2	.1	.1	.2	.1	.1	.1	.1
Taxes and transfers	.2	.1	.0	.0	.1	.2	.2	.2	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.0	.0	.0

1. Other means of financing include checks issued less checks paid, accrued items, and changes in other financial assets and liabilities.

2. Gross saving is the current account surplus plus consumption of fixed capital of the general government as well as government enterprises.

3. HEB is gross saving less gross investment (NIPA) of the federal government in current dollars, with cyclically sensitive receipts and outlays adjusted to the staff's measure of potential output and the natural rate of unemployment. The sign on Change in HEB, as a percent of nominal potential GDP, is reversed. Quarterly figures for change in HEB are not at annual rates.

4. Fiscal impetus measures the contribution to growth of real GDP from fiscal policy actions at the general government level (excluding multiplier effects). It equals the sum of the direct contributions to real GDP growth from changes in federal purchases and state and local purchases, plus the estimated contribution from real consumption and investment that is induced by discretionary policy changes in transfers and taxes.

a Actual.

**Greensheets**
**Foreign Real GDP and Consumer Prices: Selected Countries**  
 (Quarterly percent changes at an annual rate)

Measure and country	2016				2017				Projected 2018			
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
<b>Real GDP<sup>1</sup></b>												
Total foreign	2.5	.9	2.6	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6
<i>Previous Tealbook</i>	2.7	1.5	2.6	2.4	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7
Advanced foreign economies	2.3	0	2.3	1.7	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7
Canada	2.5	-1.6	3.5	2.2	2.6	2.5	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.0	1.7	1.8
Japan	2.1	.7	1.0	.8	.8	.7	.7	.8	.8	.7	.7	.7
United Kingdom	1.8	2.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8
Euro area	2.1	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8
Germany	2.9	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5
Emerging market economies	2.6	1.7	2.8	3.1	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4
Asia	4.1	5.1	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6
Korea	2.1	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4
China	6.5	7.1	6.6	6.4	6.2	6.1	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8
Latin America	1.0	-1.1	1.5	1.9	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4
Mexico	2.0	-7	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4
Brazil	-1.7	-2.2	-1.0	-.5	1.1	1.5	1.8	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
<i>Consumer prices<sup>2</sup></i>												
Total foreign	1.5	2.1	2.0	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
<i>Previous Tealbook</i>	1.5	2.0	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
Advanced foreign economies	-.3	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6
Canada	.9	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Japan	-.5	-.5	.2	.3	.3	.4	.5	.6	.7	.9	1.0	1.1
United Kingdom	-.1	.8	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Euro area	-1.3	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5
Germany	-1.3	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.8
Emerging market economies	3.0	2.7	2.5	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2
Asia	2.4	2.3	1.5	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8
Korea	.0	.7	.1	2.8	3.3	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
China	3.1	2.3	1.6	3.1	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
Latin America	4.6	3.8	4.7	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1
Mexico	2.9	2.1	3.5	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2
Brazil	11.8	7.5	7.0	6.2	5.7	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4

<sup>1</sup>Foreign GDP aggregates calculated using shares of U.S. exports.<sup>2</sup>Foreign CPI aggregates calculated using shares of U.S. non-oil imports.

**Foreign Real GDP and Consumer Prices: Selected Countries**  
 (Percent change, Q4 to Q4)

Measure and country	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
<b>Real GDP<sup>1</sup></b>									
Total foreign	3.2	2.3	2.8	2.5	1.8	2.1	2.6	2.6	2.6
<i>Previous Tealbook</i>	3.2	2.3	2.8	2.5	1.7	2.3	2.7	2.7	2.7
Advanced foreign economies	1.8	.2	2.2	1.8	1.1	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.6
Canada	3.1	.7	3.1	2.4	.3	1.6	2.3	1.9	1.7
Japan	.3	.0	2.1	-.9	.8	1.1	.8	.8	.0
United Kingdom	1.3	1.3	2.4	3.5	1.8	1.7	1.4	1.8	1.8
Euro area	.5	-1.0	.7	1.2	2.0	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.8
Germany	2.4	.2	1.6	1.6	1.3	2.0	1.7	1.6	1.5
Emerging market economies	4.6	4.3	3.4	3.2	2.5	2.6	3.3	3.4	3.5
Asia	5.1	5.7	5.3	4.9	4.4	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.5
Korea	2.9	2.1	3.5	2.7	3.1	2.9	3.4	3.4	3.3
China	8.7	8.0	7.6	7.1	6.8	6.6	6.1	5.8	5.6
Latin America	4.1	3.3	1.6	1.8	1.0	.8	2.3	2.4	2.7
Mexico	4.2	3.4	1.1	2.6	2.4	1.4	2.3	2.4	2.7
Brazil	2.6	2.6	2.5	-.7	-5.9	-1.1	1.6	2.1	2.2
Consumer prices <sup>2</sup>									
Total foreign	3.4	2.3	2.4	2.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	2.5	2.6
<i>Previous Tealbook</i>	3.4	2.3	2.4	2.0	1.5	2.1	2.5	2.5	2.6
Advanced foreign economies	2.2	1.3	1.0	1.1	.5	.9	1.5	1.6	1.8
Canada	2.7	1.0	1.0	1.9	1.3	1.9	2.1	2.0	2.0
Japan	-.3	-.2	1.4	2.5	.3	-.1	.4	.9	2.3
United Kingdom	4.6	2.6	2.1	.9	.1	1.4	2.3	2.0	1.9
Euro area	2.9	2.3	.8	.2	.2	.5	1.3	1.4	1.5
Germany	2.6	1.9	1.4	.4	.2	.6	1.5	1.6	1.8
Emerging market economies									
Asia	4.3	3.1	3.4	2.7	2.2	2.9	3.2	3.2	3.2
Korea	4.4	2.6	3.1	1.8	1.5	2.3	2.8	2.8	2.9
China	3.9	1.7	1.1	1.0	1.1	.9	3.1	3.0	3.0
Latin America	4.6	2.0	2.9	1.5	1.5	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.5
Mexico	4.0	4.3	4.1	4.9	3.6	4.3	4.1	4.1	4.0
Brazil	3.5	4.1	3.6	4.2	2.3	2.9	3.2	3.2	3.2
	6.7	5.6	5.8	6.5	10.4	8.1	5.5	5.4	5.0

<sup>1</sup> Foreign GDP aggregates calculated using shares of U.S. exports.

<sup>2</sup> Foreign CPI aggregates calculated using shares of U.S. non-oil imports.

**U.S. Current Account  
Quarterly Data**

	<i>Billions of dollars, s.a.a.r.</i>								Projected 2018			
	2016				2017				Projected 2018			
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
<b>U.S. current account balance</b>												
<i>Previous Tealbook</i>	<b>-512.1</b>	<b>-468.1</b>	<b>-473.9</b>	<b>-491.4</b>	<b>-532.5</b>	<b>-535.9</b>	<b>-568.8</b>	<b>-596.8</b>	<b>-641.1</b>	<b>-632.9</b>	<b>-654.1</b>	<b>-673.3</b>
Current account as percent of GDP	-2.8	-2.5	-2.5	-2.6	-2.8	-2.8	-2.9	-3.0	-3.2	-3.2	-3.2	-3.3
<i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-2.7	-2.6	-2.8	-2.9	-3.2	-3.2	-3.3	-3.4	-3.7	-3.6	-3.7	-3.7
Net goods & services	-500.9	-501.0	-507.6	-524.8	-556.4	-567.0	-583.6	-601.0	-624.8	-624.4	-632.1	-643.7
Investment income, net	162.1	192.1	195.1	193.7	193.0	189.2	179.0	164.4	152.9	149.6	142.2	130.7
Direct, net	234.4	257.5	266.2	269.4	277.7	285.6	289.6	290.8	296.1	310.9	323.4	332.2
Portfolio, net	-72.3	-65.4	-71.0	-75.8	-84.7	-96.4	-110.6	-126.4	-143.2	-161.4	-181.1	-201.4
Other income and transfers, net	-173.3	-159.3	-161.4	-160.2	-169.1	-158.1	-164.2	-160.2	-169.1	-158.1	-164.2	-160.2
<i>Annual Data</i>												
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019			
<b>U.S. current account balance</b>												
<i>Previous Tealbook</i>	<b>-460.4</b>	<b>-446.5</b>	<b>-366.4</b>	<b>-366.4</b>	<b>-392.1</b>	<b>-463.0</b>	<b>-486.4</b>	<b>-558.5</b>	<b>-650.3</b>	<b>-718.8</b>		
Current account as percent of GDP	-3.0	-2.8	-2.2	-2.3	-2.3	-2.6	-2.6	-2.9	-2.9	-3.2	-3.2	-3.4
<i>Previous Tealbook</i>	-3.0	-2.8	-2.2	-2.3	-2.3	-2.6	-2.6	-3.3	-3.3	-3.7	-3.7	-3.9
Net goods & services	-548.6	-536.8	-461.9	-490.2	-500.4	-508.6	-577.0	-631.2	-631.2	-669.0		
Investment income, net	229.0	224.4	228.4	234.3	193.4	185.7	181.4	143.8	143.8	113.2		
Direct, net	298.6	293.8	296.3	289.0	265.4	256.9	285.9	315.6	315.6	365.6		
Portfolio, net	-69.5	-69.4	-67.9	-54.8	-72.0	-71.1	-104.6	-171.8	-171.8	-252.5		
Other income and transfers, net	-140.8	-134.2	-132.9	-136.1	-156.0	-163.6	-162.9	-162.9	-162.9	-162.9		