

TABLE 2

Changes in real GDP in eastern Europe and the CIS, 2000-2004
(Percentage change over previous year)

	2000	2001	2002	2003 ^a	2004 Forecast
Eastern Europe	3.9	3.2	3.0	3.8	4.5
Albania	7.7	6.5	4.7	6	6
Bosnia and Herzegovina	5.4	4.5	3.7	3.2	4
Bulgaria	5.4	4.1	4.8	4.8	5.3
Croatia	2.9	4.4	4.6	4.7	5
Czech Republic	3.3	3.1	2.0	3.0	2.8
Estonia	7.3	6.5	6.0	4.5	5-6
Hungary	5.2	3.8	3.5	2.8	3.3
Latvia	6.8	7.9	6.1	7	6-7
Lithuania	4.0	6.5	6.8	8.9	6.2
Poland	4.0	1.0	1.4	3.7	5
Romania	2.1	5.7	4.9	4.8	5.5
Serbia and Montenegro ^b	6.4	5.5	3.8	1	3-4
Slovakia	2.0	3.8	4.4	4.1	4.1
Slovenia	4.6	2.9	2.9	2.6	3.6
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	4.5	-4.5	0.9	3.1	3-4
CIS	9.0	6.1	5.2	7.6	5.7
Armenia	5.9	9.6	12.9	13	7
Azerbaijan	11.1	9.9	10.6	11.2	9
Belarus	5.8	4.7	5.0	6.8	6-7*
Georgia	1.8	4.8	5.5	8.6	4.5
Kazakhstan	9.8	13.2	9.9	9.1	7
Kyrgyzstan	5.4	5.3	-	6.7	4.1
Republic of Moldova ^c	2.1	6.1	7.8	6.3	5
Russian Federation	10.0	5.1	4.7	7.3	5.5
Tajikistan	8.3	10.2	9.5	10.2	8
Turkmenistan ^d	18.6	20.7	19.8	17	...
Ukraine	5.9	9.2	5.2	8.5	4.8
Uzbekistan	4.0	4.5	4.2	5	6
Total above	6.9	4.9	4.4	6.1	5.2
<i>Memorandum items:</i>					
EU acceding countries	4.0	2.5	2.5	3.7	4.3
Baltic states (BS-3)	5.6	6.9	6.4	7.3	6.1
Central Europe (CE-5)	3.9	2.2	2.2	3.4	4.1
South-east Europe (SEE-7)	3.7	4.9	4.5	4.3	5.1
CIS without Russian Federation (CIS-11)	6.6	8.4	6.5	8.2	6.1
Caucasian CIS countries (CCIS-3)	6.9	8.2	9.5	10.8	7.2
Central Asian CIS countries (CACIS-5)	7.7	9.2	7.5	7.9	6.9
Three European CIS countries (ECIS-3)	5.7	7.8	5.2	8.0	5.3

Source: National statistics, CIS Statistical Committee; direct communications from national statistical offices to UNECE secretariat; reports by official forecasting agencies.

Note: Forecasts are those of national conjunctural institutes or government forecasts associated with the central budget formulation. Aggregates are UNECE secretariat calculations, using PPPs obtained from the 1996 European Comparison Programme. Aggregates shown are: eastern Europe (the 15 countries below that line), CIS (the 12 member countries of the Commonwealth of Independent States). Sub-aggregates: Baltic states (BS-3): Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania; central Europe (CE-5): Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland, Slovakia, Slovenia; EU acceding countries: Baltic states and central Europe; south-east Europe (SEE-7): Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Romania, Serbia and Montenegro, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Caucasian CIS countries (CCIS-3): Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia; central Asian CIS countries (CACIS-5): Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan; three European CIS countries (ECIS-3): Belarus, Republic of Moldova, Ukraine.

^a Preliminary estimates.

^b Excluding Kosovo and Metohia.

^c Excluding Transdniestria.

^d Figures for Turkmenistan should be treated with caution. In particular, the deflation procedures that are used to compute officially reported growth rates are not well documented and the reliability of these figures is questionable.