

# Download Worldwide Economic Outlook In 2014

Largely due to weaker-than-expected global activity in the first half of 2014, the growth forecast for the world economy has been revised downward to 3.3 percent for this year, 0.4 percentage point lower than in the April 2014 World Economic Outlook (WEO). The global growth projection for 2015 was lowered to 3.8 percent. World Economic and Financial Surveys. World Economic Outlook (WEO) Recovery Strengthens, Remains Uneven. April 2014. Global activity has broadly strengthened and is expected to improve further in 2014–15, according to the April 2014 WEO, with much of the impetus for growth coming from advanced economies. Just released: the OECD Economic Outlook. The expansion is set to persist over the next two years, with global GDP projected to rise by close to 4% in 2018 and 2019. Growth in the OECD area is set to remain around 2½ per cent per annum, helped by fiscal easing in many economies, and will strengthen to close to 5% elsewhere. The latest issue of StraightTalk® analyses the short and medium-term outlook for the global economy and discusses possible effects of potential trade disruptions. Furthermore, it introduces the new global consumer confidence index by The Conference Board. [Click here](#) for timely analysis on trade and global value chains.