

### Quarterly Economic Outlook

April 2024



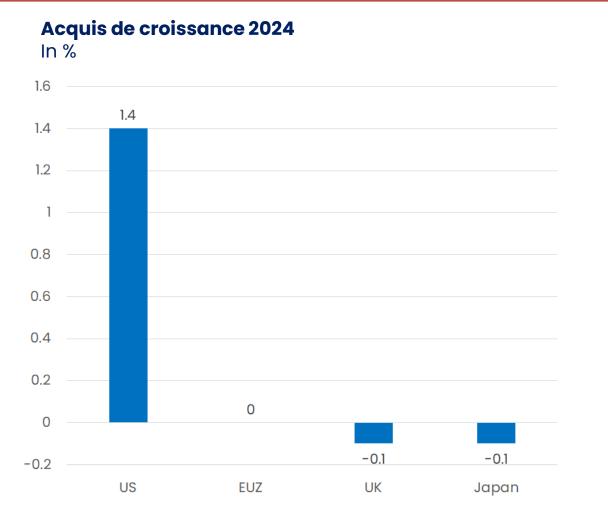


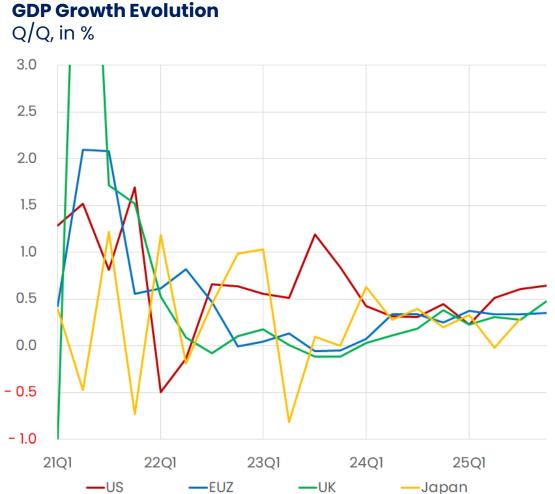
- 1. The resilient US trajectory poised for a managed deceleration, while the EUZ may witness a slight resurgence, linked to positive real income effects. Persistent uncertainties, in the context of elections, and potential downside risks could dampen spendings, necessitating a cautious approach. EM are poised for a moderate rebound, driven primarily by domestic demand.
- **2. Headline inflation will trend closer to target levels by mid-2024**, supported by ongoing labor market adjustments. Nevertheless, inflationary pressures persist notably within the services sector with risks tilted to the upside in 2025.
- **3. ECB/Fed/BoE will engineer gradual monetary policy easing starting June 2024**. Majority of major EM are poised to initiate a prudent easing cycle. The main question remains the level and pace of tightening. Uncertainty and inflationary bias validate a slow easing pace in 2024 and 2025. A faster acceleration assumes a quicker disinflation trend.



- 4. Projections suggest a potential slight decline in long-term interest rates for the years 2024/2025, with the possibility of stock markets maintaining their upward trajectory.
- 5. While the "back to pre-covid normal 2025 scenario" remains central, **attention is drawn to the substantial risks either from financial risks or geopolitical issues**. The concentration of particular sectors, regions, and companies is recognized as amplifying the susceptibility of market trends.

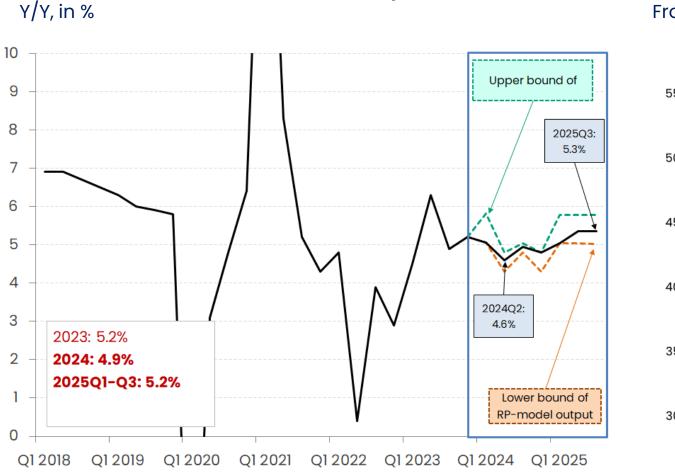
2024 as a transition year with US overperformance and mature economies' cycle resynchronisation





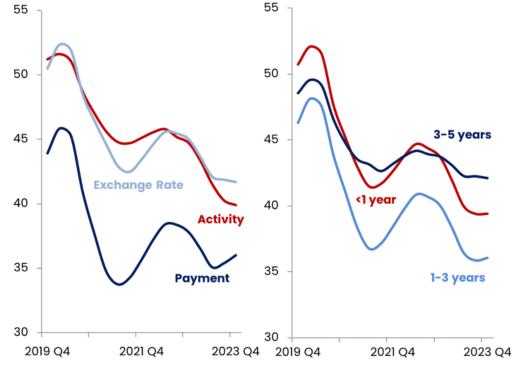
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## China Outlook: Steady economic growth ahead with visible improvement for shorter-term horizons



**China GDP Growth TAC ECONOMICS Projections** 

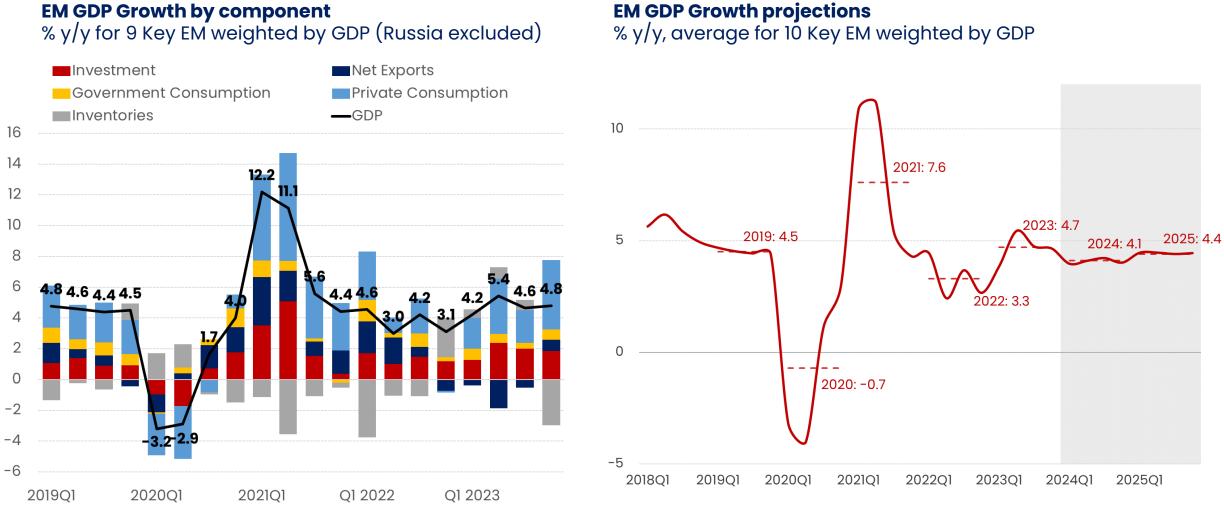
#### **Economic & Financial Risk Rating by type and horizon** From 0 (lowest risk) to 100 (highest risk)



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# Global EM Outlook: Continuous strength, though stabilizing at current speed rather than accelerating.



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#### **TAC ECONOMICS Real GDP Growth Projections**

In %, Consensus in grey

	2023	2024	2025
US	2.5	<b>2.6</b> 2.2	<b>1.8</b> 1.6
EUZ	0.5	<b>0.6</b> 0.5	<b>1.5</b> 1.3
UK	0.2	<b>0.4</b> 0.2	<b>1.2</b> 1.1
Japan	1.9	<b>0.7</b> 0.6	<b>1.3</b> 1.1
China	5.2	<b>4.9</b> 4.7	<b>5.2</b> 4.4
10 key EM	4.7	4.1	4.4

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### **Any question?**

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