

**Table 1317. Average Annual Percent Changes in International Economic Composite Indexes by Country: 1990 to 2006**

[Change from previous year; derived from indexes with base 2000 = 100. The coincident index changes are for calendar years and the leading index changes are for years ending June 30 because they lead the coincident indexes by about 6 months, on average. The G-7 countries are United States, Canada, France, Germany, Italy, United Kingdom, and Japan. Minus sign (-) indicates decrease]

Country	Leading index						Coincident index					
	1990	2000	2003	2004	2005	2006	1990	2000	2003	2004	2005	2006
<b>Total, 13 countries . . . . .</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>4.2</b>
12 countries, excluding												
U.S. . . . .	3.8	7.7	1.7	7.4	5.7	6.2	6.8	5.4	0.8	3.6	2.1	4.6
G-7 countries . . . . .	2.0	6.0	2.8	7.5	4.6	5.7	4.5	4.8	0.1	3.5	2.2	4.1
North America . . . . .	-0.9	4.1	4.9	7.4	2.8	4.9	-0.2	4.8	0.0	3.9	2.7	3.4
United States . . . . .	-1.0	3.9	5.1	7.8	2.8	4.9	-0.1	4.4	-0.7	3.8	2.7	3.3
Canada . . . . .	-1.1	7.1	2.0	3.1	3.1	4.9	-1.7	9.7	2.8	4.8	3.5	3.6
Four European countries . . . . .	1.8	4.4	-1.3	4.7	5.0	4.9	5.9	9.8	0.2	2.5	1.4	6.1
France . . . . .	1.5	1.5	-2.3	5.0	6.8	5.9	5.7	14.4	-1.1	1.4	2.0	4.7
Germany . . . . .	4.5	6.2	-1.5	6.8	6.7	6.7	7.2	7.9	-3.0	1.2	-1.3	6.2
Italy . . . . .	0.2	7.2	0.1	1.6	2.7	4.5	9.3	16.2	4.8	5.0	4.2	10.5
United Kingdom . . . . .	-0.3	2.5	-0.6	3.3	1.8	1.1	0.9	4.0	4.1	4.8	3.3	3.8
Seven Pacific region countries . .	6.1	11.2	4.7	10.5	6.5	7.6	8.1	1.2	1.2	4.5	2.7	3.2
Australia . . . . .	-1.4	8.2	3.0	4.5	3.1	1.1	-0.4	5.1	6.0	7.9	4.7	4.4
Taiwan <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	4.9	8.5	6.8	11.5	6.7	4.9	5.1	4.9	3.2	8.3	4.3	3.3
Thailand . . . . .	12.1	9.5	6.7	13.8	5.7	5.2	11.6	9.4	8.9	8.2	6.5	2.7
Japan . . . . .	6.6	11.3	4.5	11.1	6.8	8.1	8.6	-0.5	0.5	4.0	2.3	3.0
Korea, South . . . . .	6.5	15.9	6.6	8.9	7.1	12.3	9.9	13.7	1.9	4.6	4.3	5.9
Malaysia . . . . .	-0.8	12.7	6.2	4.6	1.6	0.4	1.5	3.5	-2.3	-1.2	-4.1	-2.7
New Zealand . . . . .	0.8	4.6	-0.4	5.5	2.7	2.1	-1.2	2.7	6.2	9.3	5.1	1.1

<sup>1</sup> See footnote 2, Table 1298.

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