

Table 1349. Real Gross Domestic Product (GDP) Per Capita and Per Employed Persons by Country: 1990 to 2009

[U.S. figures based on the System of National Income and Product Accounts (NIPA) from the Bureau of Economic Analysis. All other countries, based on the 1993 United Nations System of National Accounts. Per capita data based on total resident population. Real GDP is a macroeconomic measure of the size of an economy adjusted for price changes and inflation. Employment data include people serving in the armed forces for some countries. Real dollars are calculated based on 2009 Purchasing Power Parities (PPPs). PPPs are currency conversion rates used to convert GDPs expressed in different currencies to a common value (U.S. dollars in this case). A PPP for a given country is the number of national currency units needed to buy the specific basket of goods and services that one dollar will buy in the United States. See text, this section]

Country	Real GDP per capita (2009 U.S. dollars)				Real GDP per employed person (2009 U.S. dollars)			
	1990	2000	2008	2009	1990	2000	2008	2009
United States	35,200	43,571	47,570	45,918	72,804	88,961	98,671	99,763
Canada	29,718	35,766	39,385	37,946	62,435	73,938	76,349	75,676
Australia	27,345	34,270	39,497	39,178	58,736	72,613	78,404	79,188
Japan	28,560	31,270	34,198	32,445	54,884	60,792	68,017	65,507
Korea, South	11,627	19,961	27,194	27,169	27,561	44,353	56,063	56,342
Austria	28,834	32,458	40,314	38,701	61,905	74,987	81,623	79,381
Belgium	27,957	33,832	37,504	36,161	72,472	84,403	89,894	87,515
Denmark	29,003	36,086	38,913	36,813	57,145	71,021	73,652	72,551
France	27,681	32,252	34,779	33,679	70,431	80,491	86,185	84,978
Germany ¹	29,397	34,643	38,229	36,452	61,149	72,737	77,940	74,120
Italy	28,544	33,276	33,820	31,887	71,606	82,635	80,107	77,363
Netherlands	29,449	37,756	42,726	40,839	69,252	76,383	81,776	78,542
Norway	37,504	50,962	57,300	55,653	77,264	98,671	104,489	103,156
Spain	23,763	30,215	34,044	32,565	61,467	70,812	72,247	74,616
Sweden	28,803	34,198	40,310	37,919	53,601	70,549	81,228	78,646
United Kingdom	26,908	33,595	38,669	36,528	57,315	71,981	80,620	77,878

¹ Prior to 1991, data are for the former West Germany.

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, "International Comparisons of GDP per Capita and per Hour, 1960–2009," October 2010, <http://www.bls.gov/fls/intl_gdp_capita_gdp_hour.htm>.

Table 1350. Average Annual Percent Changes in International Economic Composite Indexes by Country: 1990 to 2010

[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	2005	2008	2009	2010	1990	2000	2005	2008	2009	2010
Total, 13 countries	2.1	6.3	5.1	0.4	-10.9	8.1	4.5	5.0	2.1	-2.3	-13.2	2.8
12 countries, excluding U.S.	3.8	7.7	5.5	0.8	-7.0	4.3	6.8	5.4	1.7	-0.2	-12.0	4.1
G-7 countries	2.0	6.0	5.0	–	-11.5	8.0	4.5	4.8	1.9	-2.6	-13.7	2.3
North America	-0.9	4.1	4.3	–	-16.3	14.0	-0.2	4.8	2.8	-5.2	-14.5	0.6
United States	-1.0	3.9	4.4	-0.3	-17.4	15.1	-0.1	4.4	2.6	-5.8	-15.2	0.2
Canada	-1.1	7.1	3.1	3.2	-4.7	3.0	-1.7	9.7	4.7	-0.3	-11.4	5.0
Four European countries	1.8	4.4	4.1	1.1	-7.6	6.0	5.9	9.8	2.0	1.2	-10.1	3.0
France	1.5	1.5	6.4	-0.7	-8.0	11.9	5.7	14.4	2.1	-1.9	-14.2	0.3
Germany	4.5	6.2	4.4	1.6	-7.0	4.1	7.2	7.9	-0.5	5.0	-7.4	7.1
Italy	0.2	7.2	2.4	-2.0	-9.4	4.9	9.3	16.2	5.3	-2.1	-15.4	0.9
United Kingdom	-0.3	2.5	2.4	5.3	-6.8	3.0	0.9	4.0	3.4	1.5	-4.6	2.8
Seven Pacific region countries	6.1	11.2	6.9	0.2	-6.7	2.9	8.1	1.2	1.2	-1.6	-13.9	5.1
Australia	-1.4	8.2	5.3	4.7	-7.8	4.6	-0.4	5.1	3.7	2.0	-1.8	3.4
Taiwan ¹	4.9	8.5	6.5	2.6	-0.8	10.7	5.1	4.9	4.8	-0.8	-7.1	12.2
Thailand	12.1	9.5	5.5	6.7	-0.6	9.6	11.6	9.4	6.5	3.1	-1.8	10.0
Japan	6.6	11.3	7.1	-1.4	-7.6	1.2	8.6	-0.5	0.3	-2.6	-16.6	4.6
Korea, South	6.5	15.9	7.3	10.0	-0.7	11.9	9.9	13.7	4.7	2.9	0.2	7.4
Malaysia	5.0	19.8	8.4	12.7	-3.8	15.9	9.1	11.1	3.1	0.4	-6.3	6.5
New Zealand	0.8	4.6	1.2	1.1	-1.9	7.1	-1.2	2.7	6.0	-1.6	-6.2	3.2

– Represents zero. ¹ See footnote 4, Table 1332.

Source: Foundation for International Business and Economic Research, New York, NY, *International Economic Indicators*, monthly.