
STATISTICAL TABLES

Table 1
Unemployment rates in G-7 countries, by specified periods, 2001 to December 2002¹

Country	2001				2002						
	Q:I	Q:II	Q:III	Q:IV	Q:I	Q:II	Q:III	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
	<i>Percent</i>										
United States	4.2	4.5	4.8	5.6	5.6	5.9	5.7	5.7	6.0	6.0	
Canada	6.2	6.3	6.5	6.9	7.1	6.9	7.0	7.0	6.9	6.8	
Japan	4.8	4.9	5.2	5.5	5.3	5.4	5.5	5.6	5.4	5.5	
France	8.5	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.9		
Germany	7.9	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.2	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.6		
Italy	10.0	9.7	9.5	9.3	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.0			
United Kingdom . .	5.1	5.0	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.2	5.3	5.2			

¹ Rates presented on a civilian labor force basis, seasonally adjusted. Rates for foreign countries adjusted to be comparable to the U.S. rate.

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, "Unemployment Rates in Nine Countries, Civilian Labor Force Basis, Approximating U.S. Concepts, Seasonally Adjusted, 1990-2002," release of Feb. 7, 2003, found at Internet address <ftp://ftp.bls.gov/pub/special.requests/ForeignLabor/flsjec.txt>.

Table 2
Consumer prices of G-7 countries, by specified periods, 2001 to December 2002

Percent, change from same period of previous year

Country	2001				2002						
	Q:I	Q:II	Q:III	Q:IV	Q:I	Q:II	Q:III	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
United States	3.4	3.4	2.7	1.9	1.3	1.3	1.6	2.0	2.2	2.4	
Canada	2.8	3.6	2.7	1.1	1.5	1.3	2.3	3.2	4.3	3.9	
Japan	-0.4	-0.7	-0.8	-1.0	-1.4	-0.9	-0.8	-0.9	-0.4	-0.3	
France	1.3	2.0	1.8	1.4	2.1	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.2	2.3	
Germany	2.5	3.2	2.5	1.8	1.9	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.1	1.1	
Italy	2.9	3.1	2.8	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.7	2.8	2.8	
United Kingdom . .	2.5	1.9	1.8	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.5	2.1	2.6	2.9	

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, "Consumer Prices in Nine Countries, Percent Change from Same Period of Previous Year, 1990-2002," release of Feb. 7, 2003, found at Internet address <ftp://ftp.bls.gov/pub/special.requests/ForeignLabor/flscpim.txt>.

Table 3
U.S. trade balances by major commodity categories and by specified periods, December 2001 to December 2002¹

Sector	2001	2002												
	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
	<i>Billion dollars</i>													
Manufactures	-26.8	-31.6	-30.5	-28.9	-34.3	-33.4	-33.1	-40.8	37.2	-38.7	-39.8	-40.0	-40.5	
Agriculture	1.5	1.3	1.5	0.9	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	-0.9	0.7	1.1	1.5	1.2	
Petroleum ²	-5.8	-6.7	-5.4	-7.4	-9.2	-9.4	-8.9	-9.3	9.0	-9.1	-10.7	-9.8	-10.0	
Dollar unit price of U.S. petroleum imports ²	15.51	16.31	16.56	19.18	22.48	23.76	23.30	23.72	24.57	25.47	26.17	24.36	24.15	

¹ Exports, f.a.s. value, not seasonally adjusted. Imports, customs value, not seasonally adjusted.

² Petroleum and selected products, not seasonally adjusted.

Source: Calculated from official data of the U.S. Department of Commerce, Exhibits 15 and 17, FT-900 release of Feb. 20, 2003, found at Internet address <http://www.bea.doc.gov/bea/newsrel/tradnewsrelease.htm>.