

El Salvador Market and Economic Indicators

Series Title	Currency	Units	2009	2010	2011	2012	Source	Definition
1. Gross Domestic Product								
1.1. Key indicators								
GDP (% real change pa)			1.80	2.30	3.00	3.10	Derived from World Bank, World Development Indicators	Percentage change in real GDP, over previous year.
Nominal GDP (US\$ at PPP)	PPP	bn	32.10	33.24	34.95	36.85	EIU calculation	Gross domestic product (GDP) at purchasing power parity
1.2. Expenditure on GDP								
GDP (% real change pa)			1.80	2.30	3.00	3.10	Derived from World Bank, World Development Indicators	Percentage change in real GDP, over previous year.
2. Fiscal and monetary indicators								
2.1. Key indicators								
Budget balance (% of GDP)			-2.10	-1.60	-0.80	-0.80	Derived from IMF, International Financial Statistics	Central government receipts minus central government outlays, as a percentage of GDP.
Consumer prices (% change pa; av)			4.50	5.20	4.40	4.00	IMF, International Financial Statistics	Percentage change in consumer price index in local currency (period average), over previous year. Derived from line 64 in
Exchange rate LCU:US\$ (av)	LCU/US\$		1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	IMF, International Financial Statistics	National currency per US\$, period average. Line rf of IFS.
Lending interest rate (%)			8.00	8.70	8.80	8.50	IMF, International Financial Statistics	Interest rate charged by commercial banks to the private sector on loans in local currency of one year or less. Row 60p
2.2. Exchange rate								
Exchange rate LCU:US\$ (av)	LCU/US\$		1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	IMF, International Financial Statistics	National currency per US\$, period average. Line rf of IFS.
2.3. Budgetary indicators								
Budget balance (% of GDP)			-2.10	-1.60	-0.80	-0.80	Derived from IMF, International Financial Statistics	Central government receipts minus central government outlays, as a percentage of GDP.
2.4. Interest rates								
Lending interest rate (%)			8.00	8.70	8.80	8.50	IMF, International Financial Statistics	Interest rate charged by commercial banks to the private sector on loans in local currency of one year or less. Row 60p
Deposit interest rate (%)			4.50	5.40	5.70	5.50	IMF, International Financial Statistics	Rate offered by commercial banks and other financial organistaions on time deposits of local currency of a period of less than 180 days. Line 60l in IFS.
Money market interest rate (%)			4.50	5.50	6.20	6.50	IMF, International Financial Statistics	Rate paid on 1-7 loans between commercial banks
2.5. Inflation and wages								
Consumer prices (% change pa; av)			4.50	5.20	4.40	4.00	IMF, International Financial Statistics	Percentage change in consumer price index in local currency (period average), over previous year. Derived from line 64 in
3. Demographics and income								
3.1. Key indicators								
Population		m	7.05	7.15	7.24	7.34	IMF, International Financial Statistics	Mid-year population estimate. Line 99z in the IFS.
GDP per head (\$ at PPP)	PPP		4,550.00	4,650.00	4,820.00	5,020.00	EIU calculation	GDP at purchasing power parity (PPP), divided by population.
3.2. Population								
Population		m	7.05	7.15	7.24	7.34	IMF, International Financial Statistics	Mid-year population estimate. Line 99z in the IFS.
Population (% change pa)			1.40	1.40	1.30	1.30	Derived from IMF, International Financial Statistics	Percentage change in mid-year population estimate over previous year. Derived from line 99z in IFS.
Labour force		m	3.03	3.08	3.11	3.15	Latin American Demographic Center (CELADE)	Economically active population.
Recorded unemployment (%)			6.80	7.00	6.70	6.50	ECLAC, Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean	Recorded official unemployment as a percentage of total labour force.
3.3. Income								
GDP per head	US\$		3,410.00	3,640.00	3,860.00	4,080.00	Derived from IMF, International Financial Statistics	Nominal GDP divided by population. Derived from lines 99b and 99z and period-average exchange rate.
Private consumption per head	US\$		3,330.00	3,550.00	3,770.00	4,010.00	Derived from IMF, International Financial Statistics	Private consumption expenditure divided by population. Derived from lines 96f and 99z and period-average exchange
GDP per head (\$ at PPP)	PPP		4,550.00	4,650.00	4,820.00	5,020.00	EIU calculation	GDP at purchasing power parity (PPP), divided by population.
Real GDP growth per head (% pa)			0.40	0.90	1.70	1.80	Derived from World Bank, World Development Indicators and IMF, International Financial Statistics	Percentage change in real gross domestic product per head.

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Actuals in Black

Estimates in Blue

Forecasts in Green