

Macro Poverty Outlook Update

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TABLE 2 The Gambia / Macro poverty outlook baseline scenario

(annual percent change unless indicated otherwise)

	2017	2018	2019e	2020f	2021f	2022f
Real GDP growth, at constant market prices	4.8	6.5	6.0	2.5	6.5	6.9
Private Consumption	4.0	10.0	6.5	2.0	4.3	3.7
Government Consumption	8.5	10.1	8.3	46.9	8.9	25.7
Gross Fixed Capital Investment	14.4	5.5	52.0	8.8	27.9	-5.2
Exports, Goods and Services	42.1	3.0	43.6	-23.7	-24.9	6.2
Imports, Goods and Services	27.9	12.9	46.4	0.7	1.4	1.0
Real GDP growth, at constant factor prices	4.8	6.5	6.0	2.5	6.5	6.9
Agriculture	-4.4	0.9	-10.0	6.4	2.7	2.9
Industry	-3.5	2.5	11.5	2.4	5.9	6.5
Services	11.7	9.9	9.9	1.4	7.8	8.1
Inflation (Consumer Price Index)	8.0	6.5	7.1	6.7	6.0	5.5
Current Account Balance (% of GDP)	-7.4	-9.8	-5.4	-9.8	-10.0	-9.4
Fiscal Balance (% of GDP)	-5.0	-6.2	-2.6	-2.6	-1.8	-1.4
Debt (% of GDP)	87.0	86.7	82.5	80.3	74.1	68.9
Primary Balance (% of GDP)	-0.2	-3.1	0.7	0.2	0.6	0.8

Source: World Bank, Poverty & Equity and Macroeconomics, Trade & Investment Global Practices.

Notes: e = estimate, f = forecast.