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# Quarterly Report on the Spanish Economic Situation Q1 2015

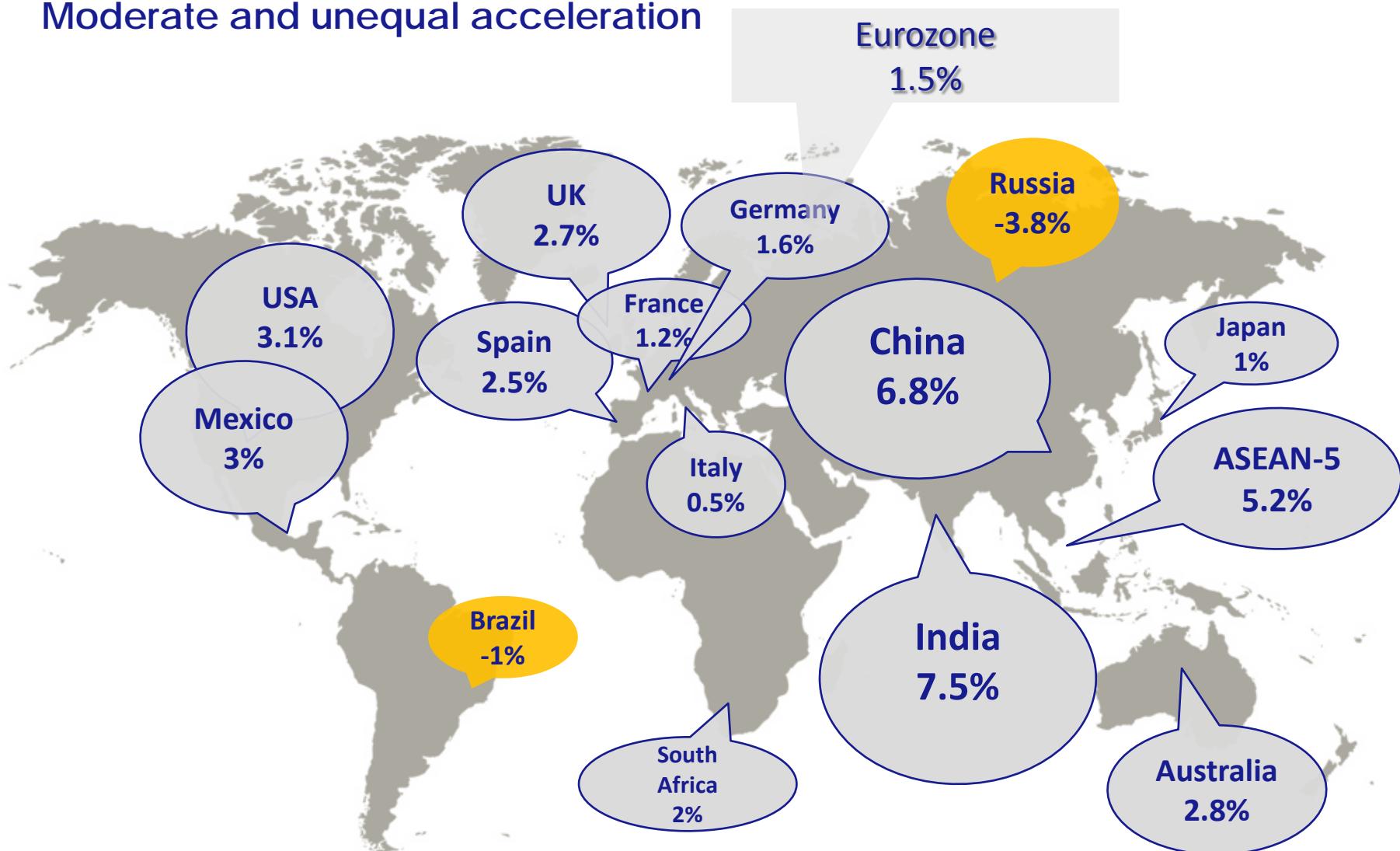
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# **GLOBAL SETTING**

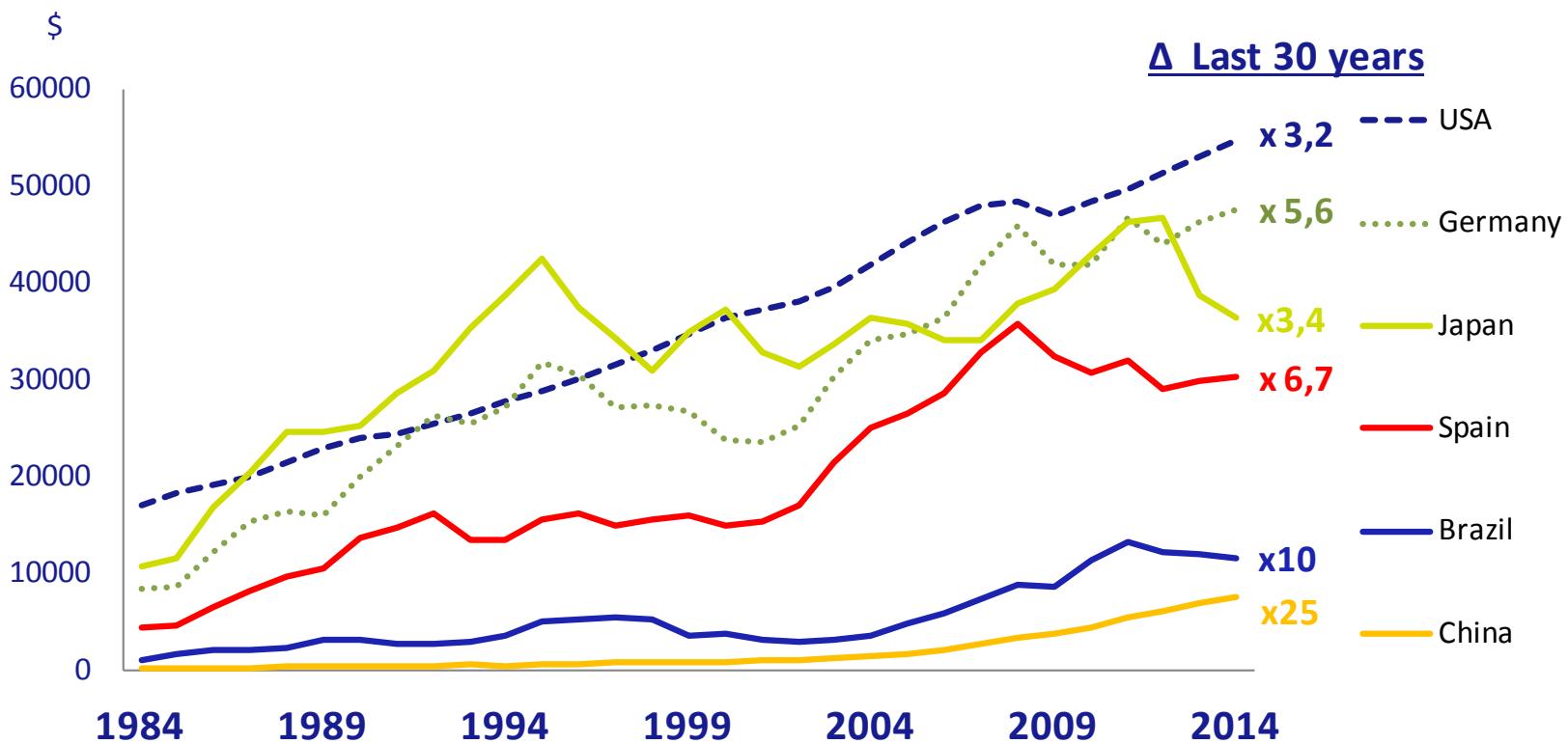
# Predictions 2015

Moderate and unequal acceleration



<sup>a</sup>ASEAN-5: Philippines, Indonesia, Malaysia, Thailand and Vietnam  
Source: World Economic Outlook, IMF - April 2015

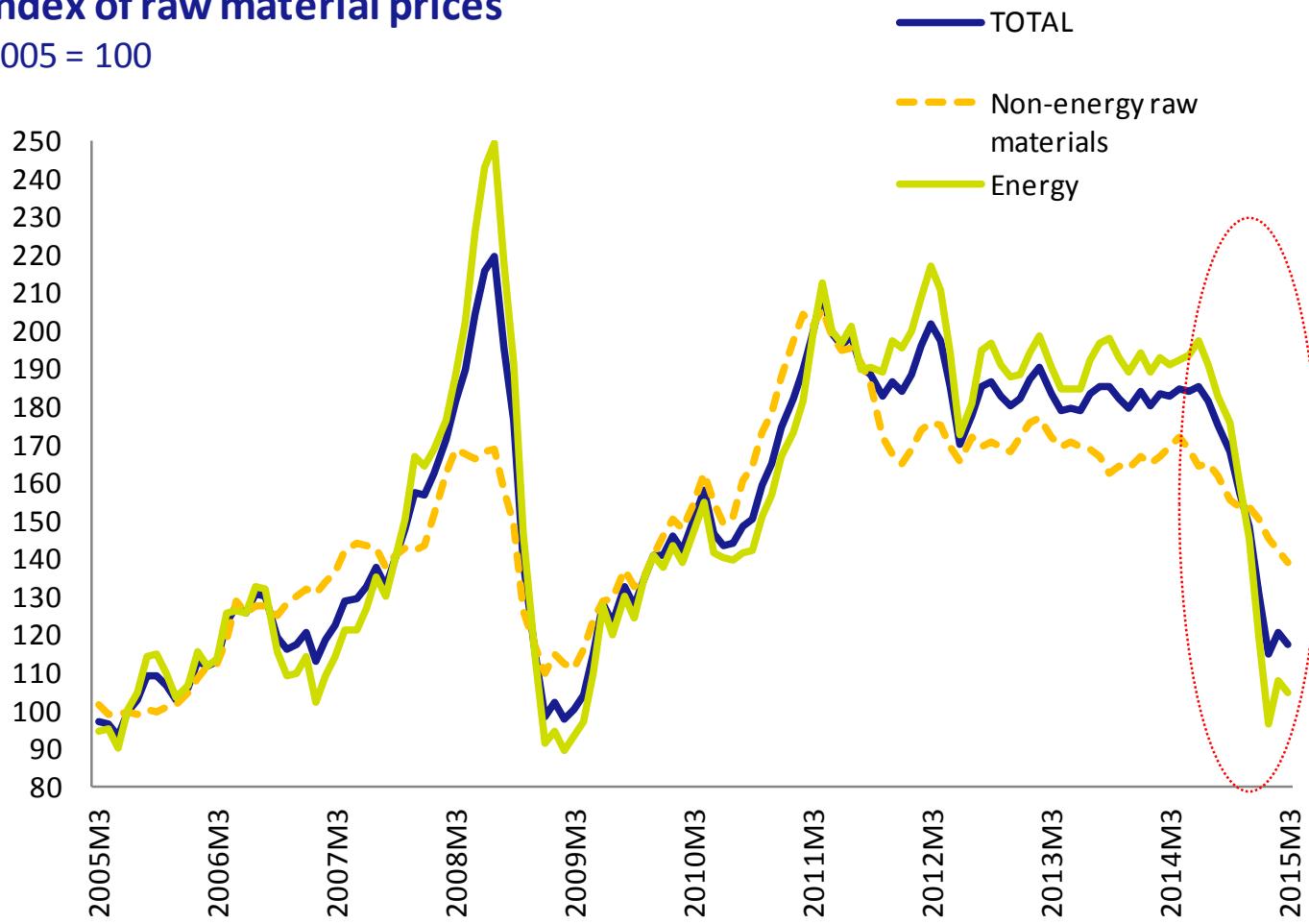
# Evolution of per capita income



# Prices of raw materials

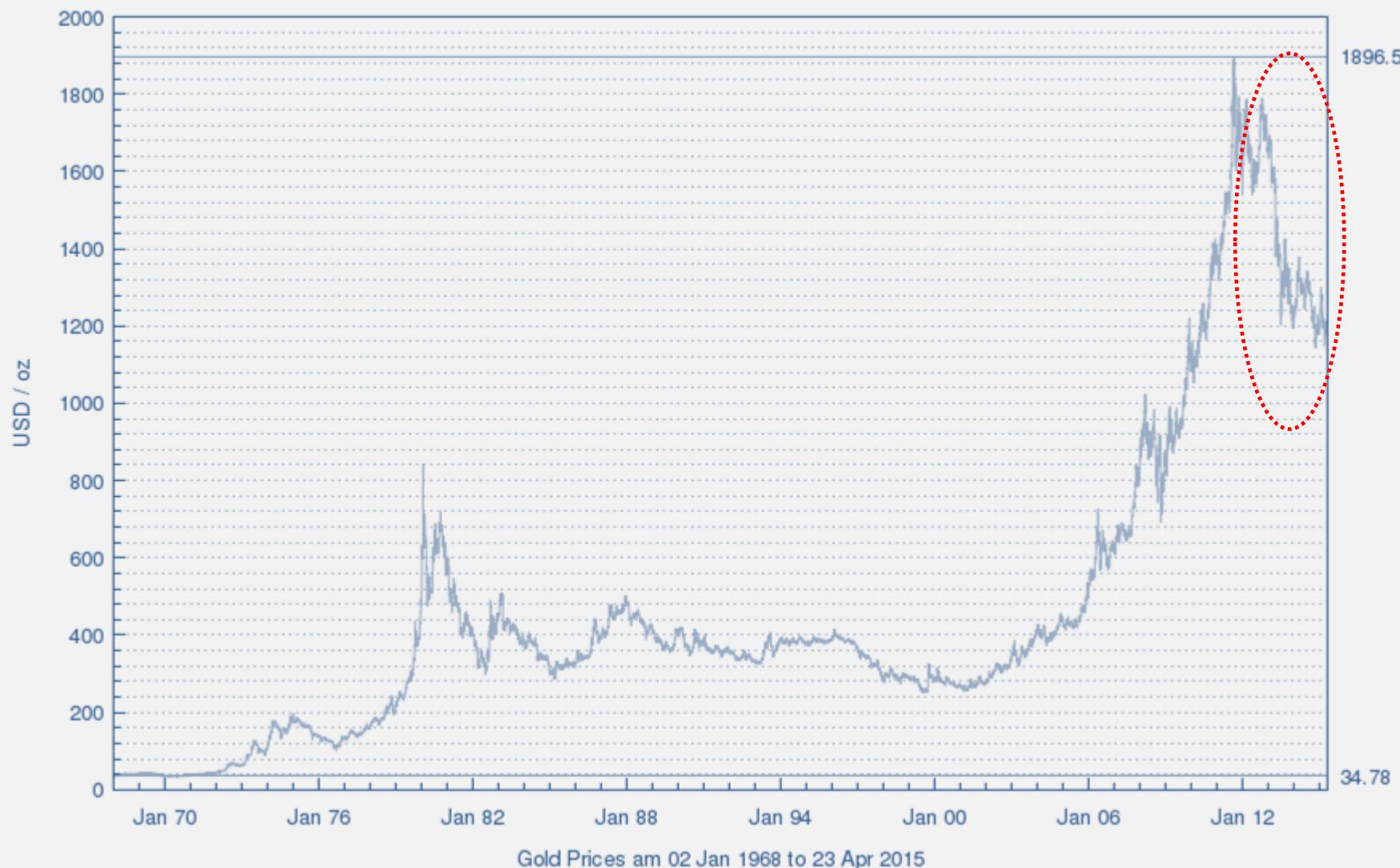
## Index of raw material prices

2005 = 100



Source: IMF, April 2015

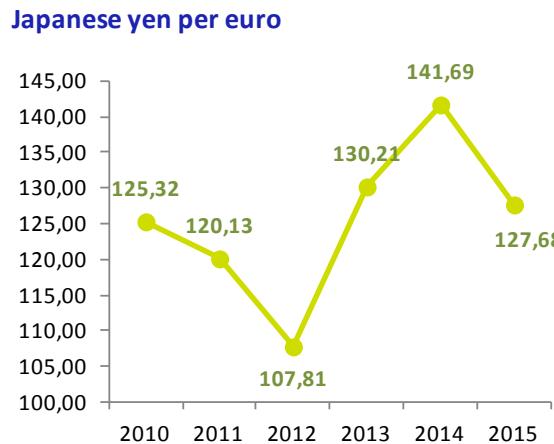
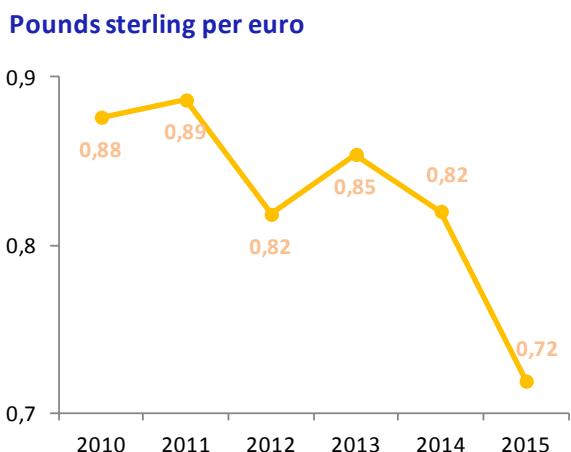
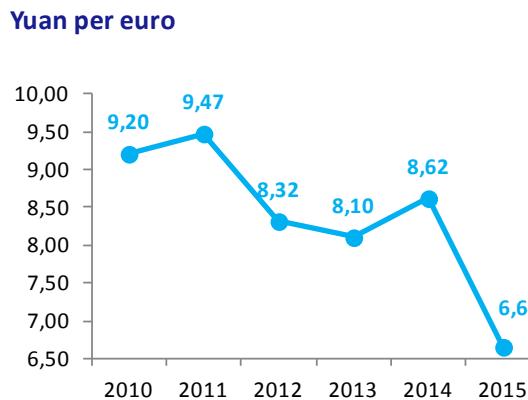
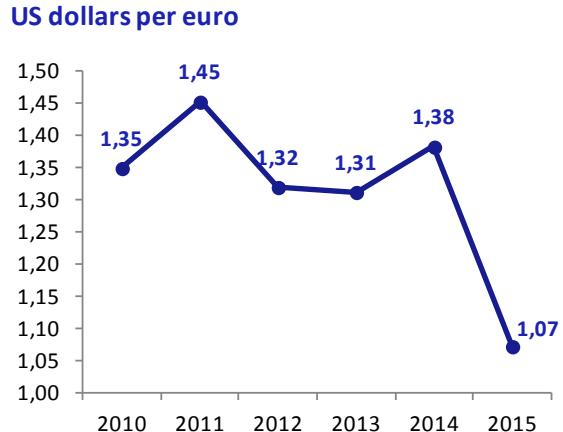
# Price of gold



Source: Bloomberg, April 2015

# Depreciation of the euro

Depreciation of the euro, with the lowest exchange rate since the spring of 2003.  
Greater competitiveness of European exports outside the eurozone and more expensive imports.



# Stock market indices



## Evolution of stock markets

%

	2000	2002	2004	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Dax 30 (Frankfurt)	-7.5	-43.9	7.3	22.0	22.3	-40.4	23.9	16.1	-14.7	29.1	25.5	2.7
Ibex 35 (Madrid)	-21.7	-28.1	17.4	32.2	7.3	-39.4	29.8	-17.4	-13.1	-4.7	21.4	3.7
CAC 40 (Paris)	-0.5	-33.7	7.6	17.5	1.3	-42.7	22.3	-6.0	-17.0	15.2	18.0	-0.5
Eurostoxx 50 (Euro)	-2.7	-36.6	6.9	15.1	6.8	-44.3	22.2	-6.8	-17.1	13.8	17.9	1.2
FTSE 100 (London)	-10.2	-24.6	7.7	10.7	3.8	-32.0	27.6	9.0	-5.6	5.8	14.4	-2.7
S&P (USA)	-10.2	-23.3	9.3	13.6	3.5	-39.3	23.5	13.1	-0.3	11.8	31.5	11.4
Dow Jones (USA)	-6.2	-16.8	3.7	16.3	6.4	-34.7	18.8	11.0	5.5	7.3	26.5	7.5
Nikkei 225 (Japan)	-27.2	-18.6	7.1	6.9	-11.1	-42.1	19.0	-3.0	-17.3	22.9	56.7	7.1

Source: Inverco, 2015



## GLOBAL

Destabilization in some countries due to the drop in petroleum prices

## EUROPE

- Weak recovery
- Variety of reforms to overcome the crisis
- Greece
- Russia - Ukraine

## EMERGING

Response to possible changes in the Fed's policies and to rising interest rates

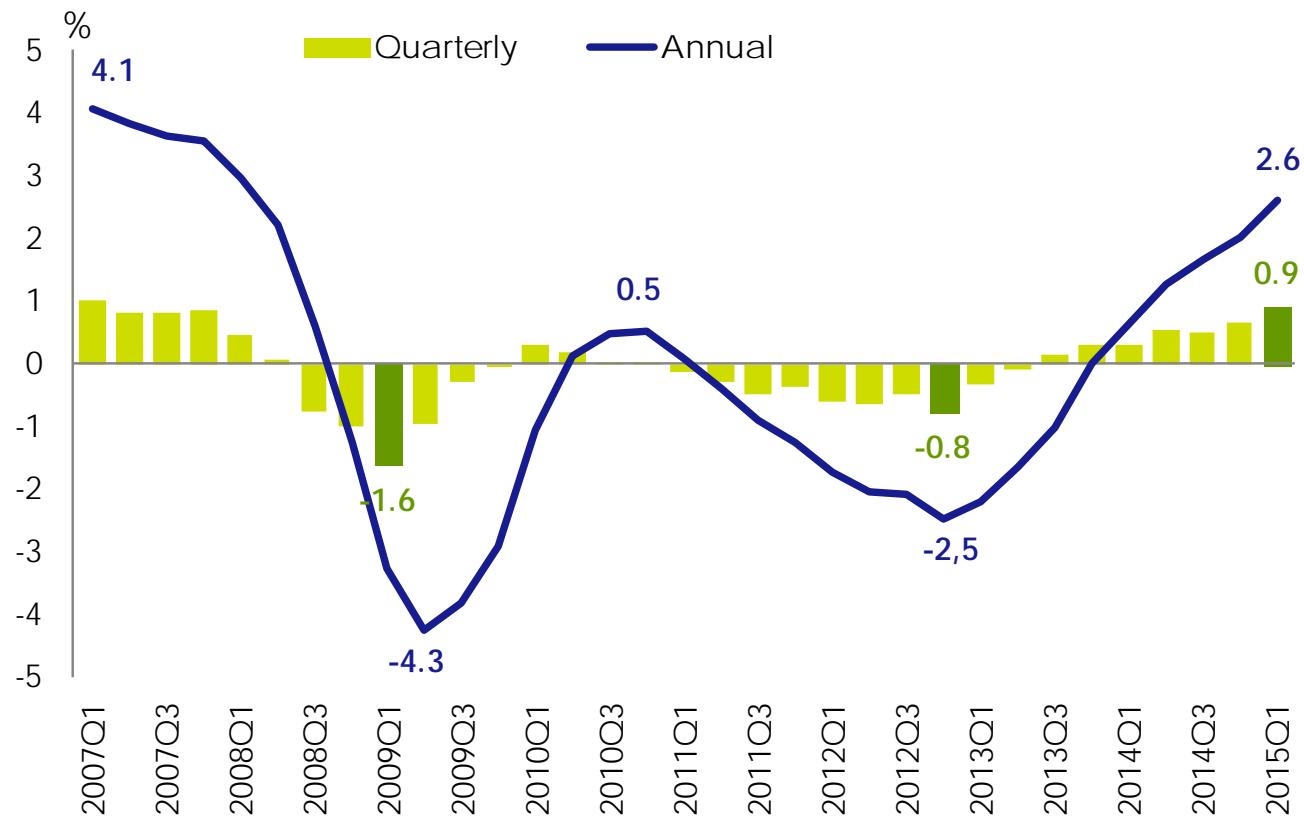
## CHINA

Brusque adjustment

A photograph of a world map where a magnifying glass is focused on the Iberian Peninsula. The word "SPAIN" is written in large, bold, blue capital letters across the center of the magnified area.

**SPAIN**

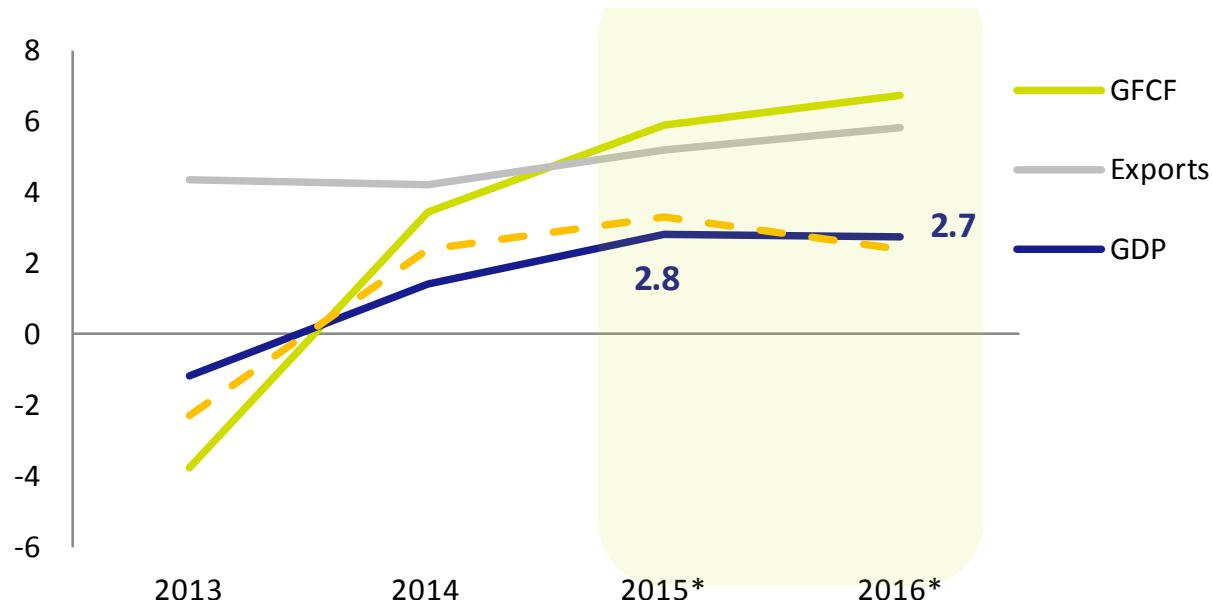
# Development of GDP



Source: National Statistical Institute (INE), April 2015

# Improved outlook for growth

The Bank of Spain predicts a rise in GDP of 2.8% in 2015 and of 2.7% in 2016, supported by an increase in investment (5.9 and 6.7%, respectively). In addition, the Bank foresees a growth in private consumption of 3.3% in 2015.



\* Forecasts

Source: Bank of Spain, March 2015

These predictions are in line with those of FUNCAS, of 2.6% (2015) and 2.6% (2016), and surpass those of the European Commission (2.3% in 2015 and 2.5% in 2016), the IMF (2.5% in 2015 and 2% in 2016), and the OECD (1.7% and 1.9%).

# Prices: CPI and underlying CPI

## Annual development of general CPI and underlying CPI

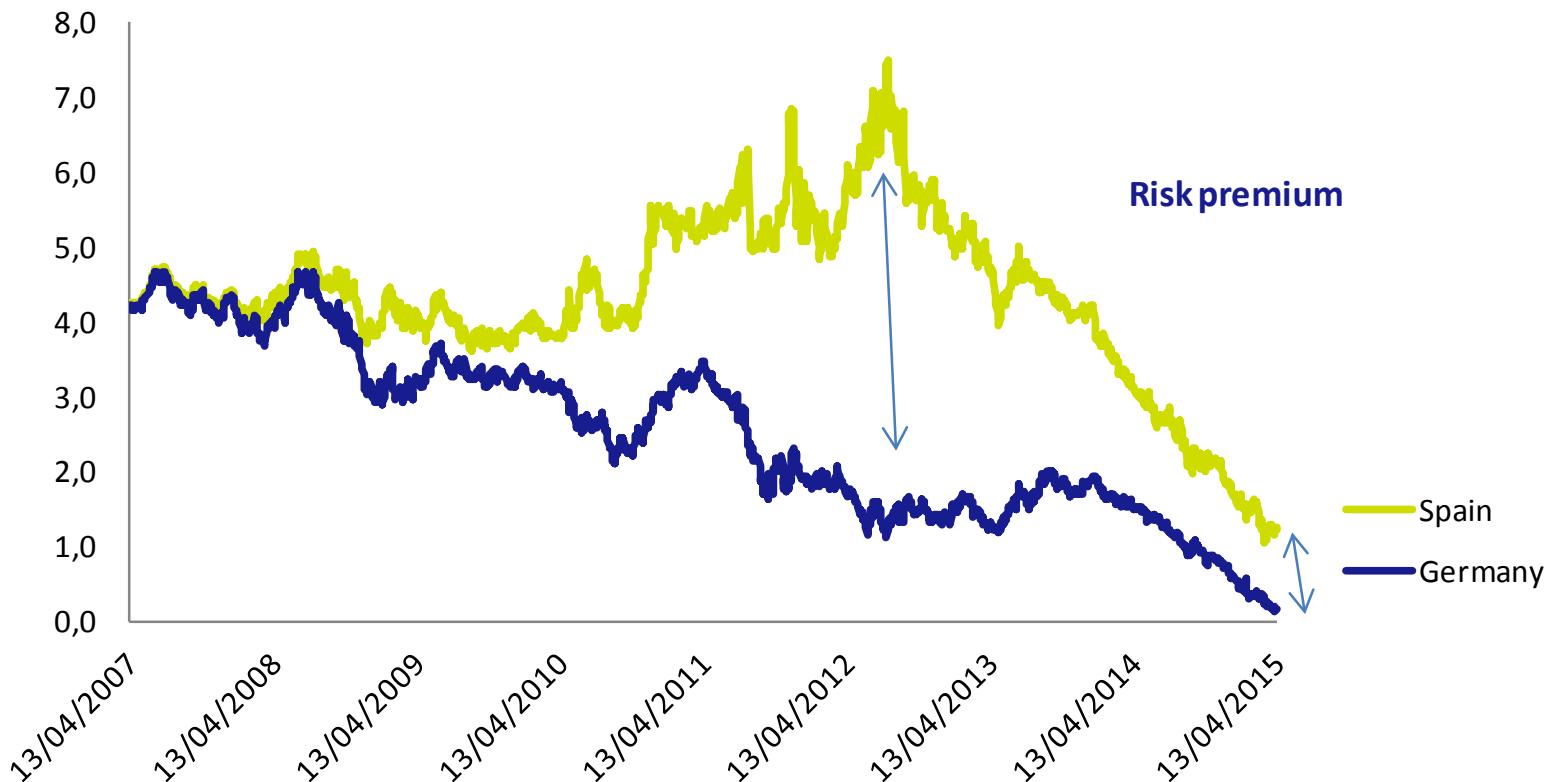


Source: INE, April 2015

The annual general Consumer Price Index rose from -1.07% to -0.66%. For its part, the underlying CPI (not counting energy and fresh foods) went from 0.15% to 0.20%.

# Interest rates

## Return on 10-year bonds in Spain and Germany

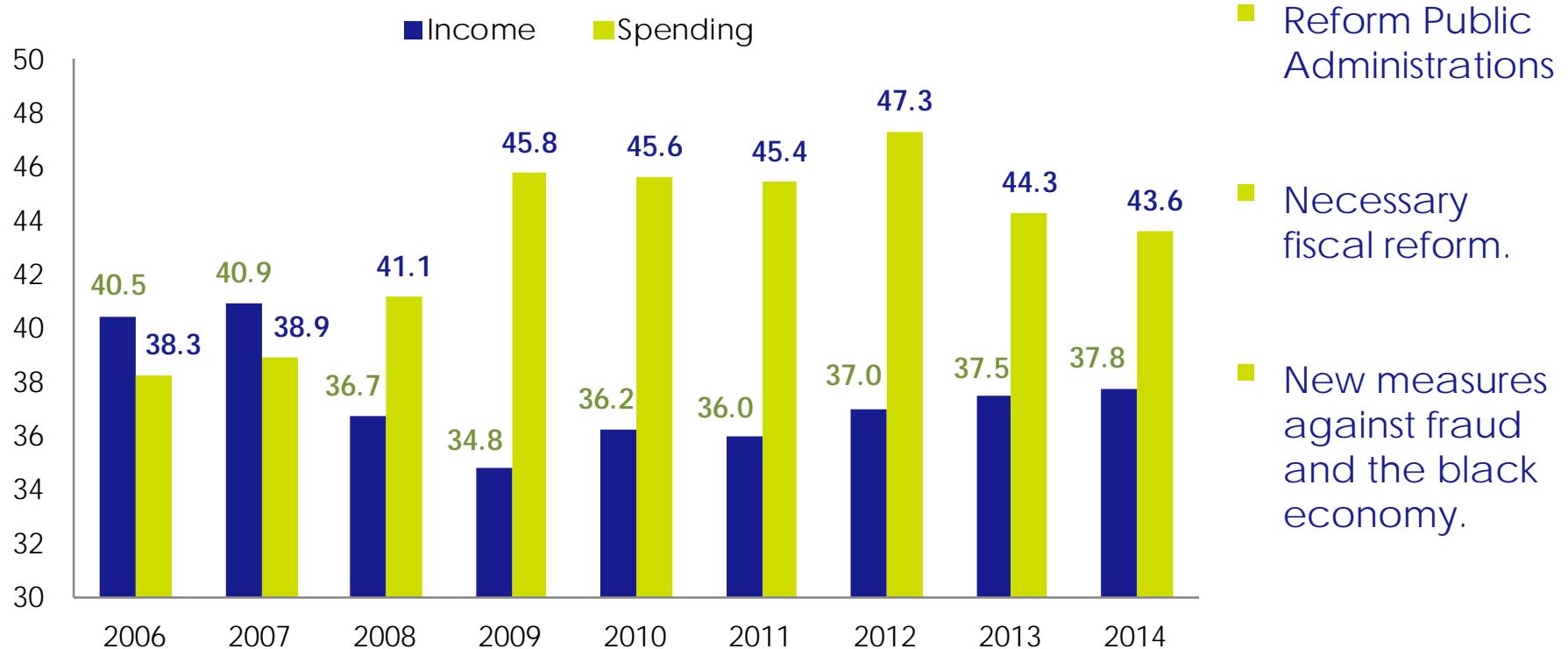


Source: Bank of Spain, April 2015

The risk premium is around 100 basis points.

# Situation of public accounts (I)

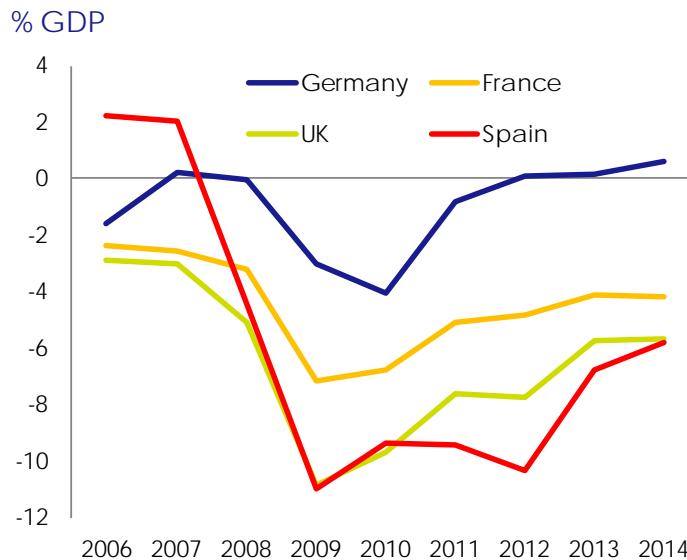
## Structure of income and public spending as a % of GDP



Source: IMF, April 2015

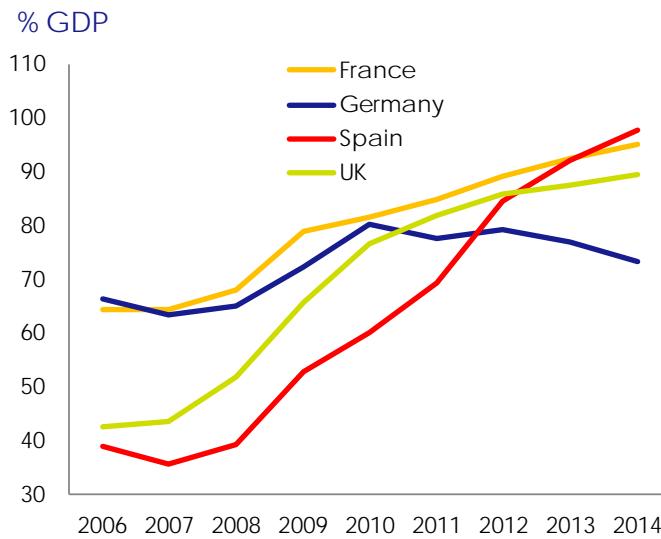
# Situation of public accounts (II)

Public deficit, 2006-2014



Source: IMF, April 2015

Public debt, 2006-2014



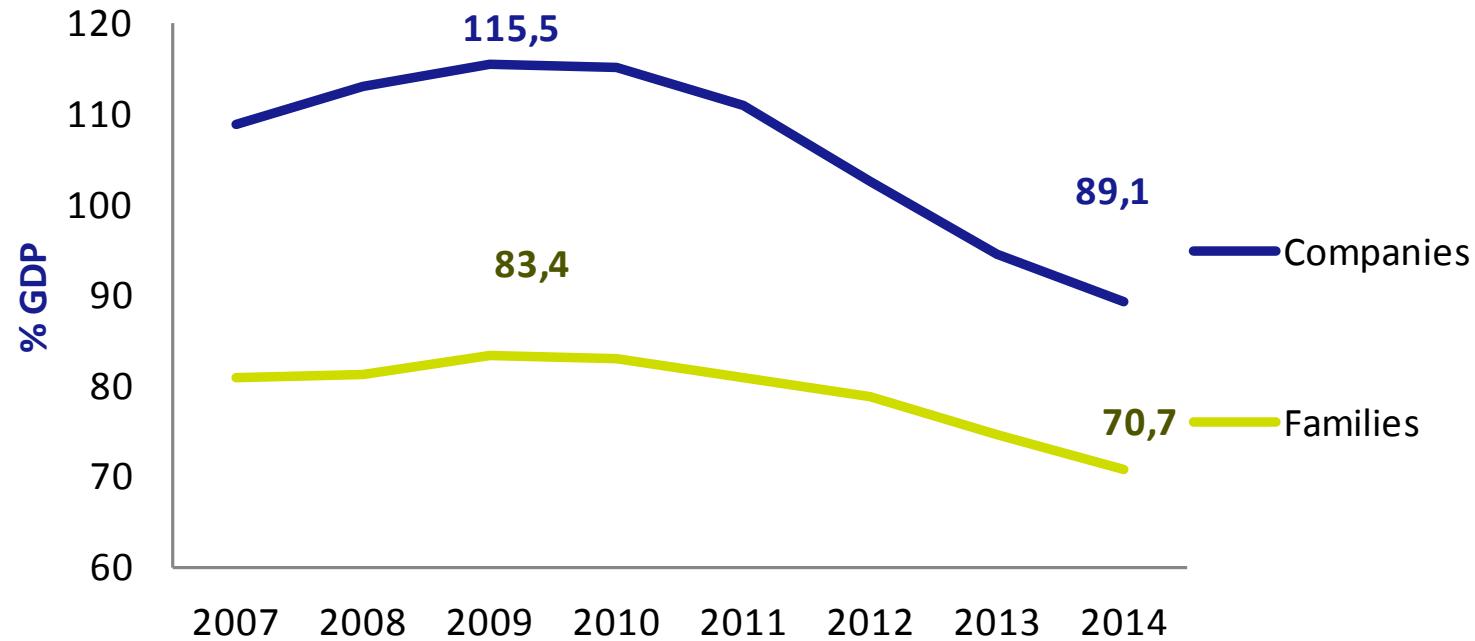
Source: IMF, April 2015

- From a surplus of 2% in 2006 to a deficit of 11% in 2009.
- 5.8% in 2014, according to Eurostat, second highest in the Eurozone after Cyprus.
- The State deficit until March rose to 9,854 million euros, some 3% more than in the same period of 2014.
- The public debt rose from 36.3% in 2007 to 97.7% in 2014.

# Deleveraging of the private sector

The private sector reduced its debt by 477,000 million euros since the end of 2008.

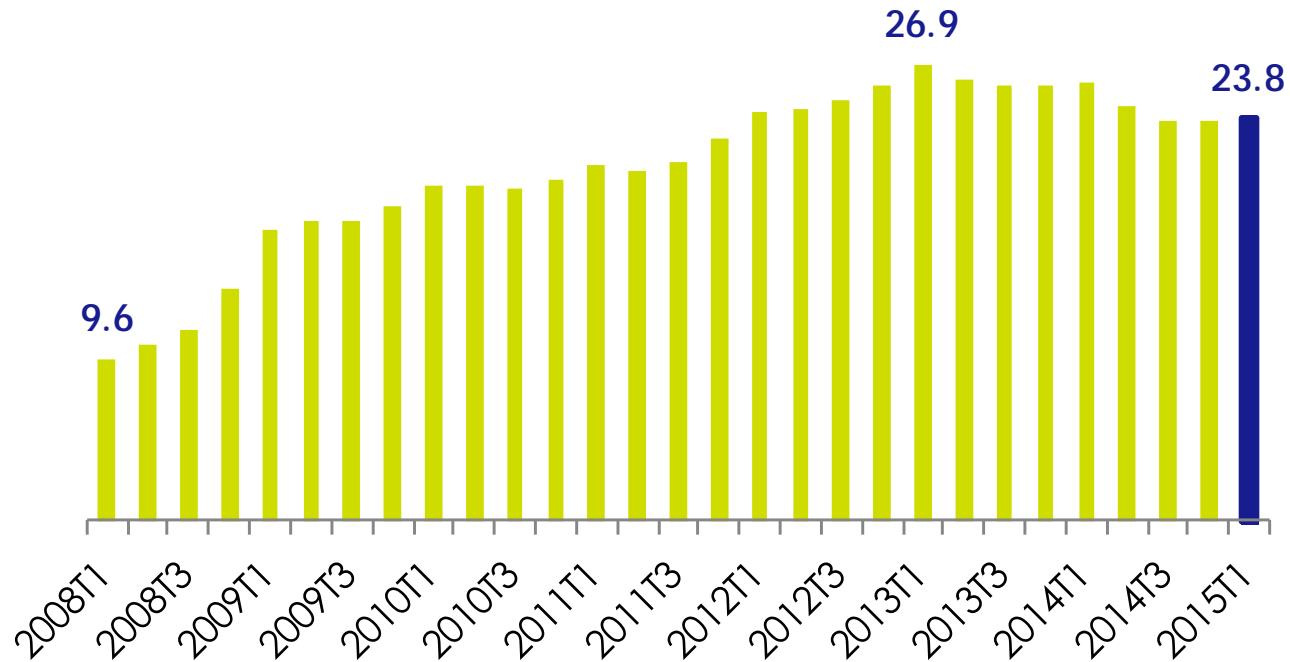
## Financing of non-financial companies and families



Source: Inhouse based on data from the Bank of Spain, 2015

# Labor market (I)

Unemployment rate  
% of total labor force



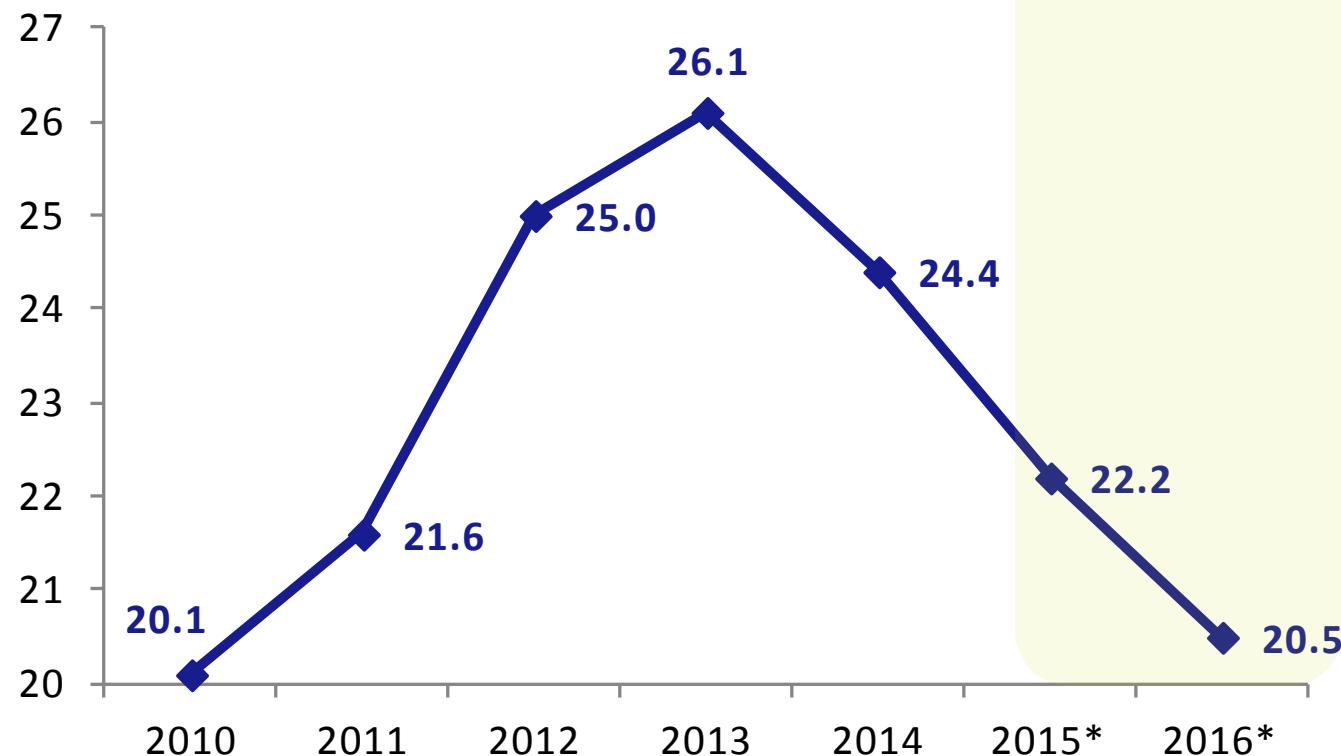
Source: EAPS 1Q2015 (INE)

Unemployment dropped in the first quarter of 2015 by 13,100 persons, the largest drop in a first quarter since 2005.

# Labor market (II)

## Forecasts for the unemployment rate

% of active population



\* Forecasts

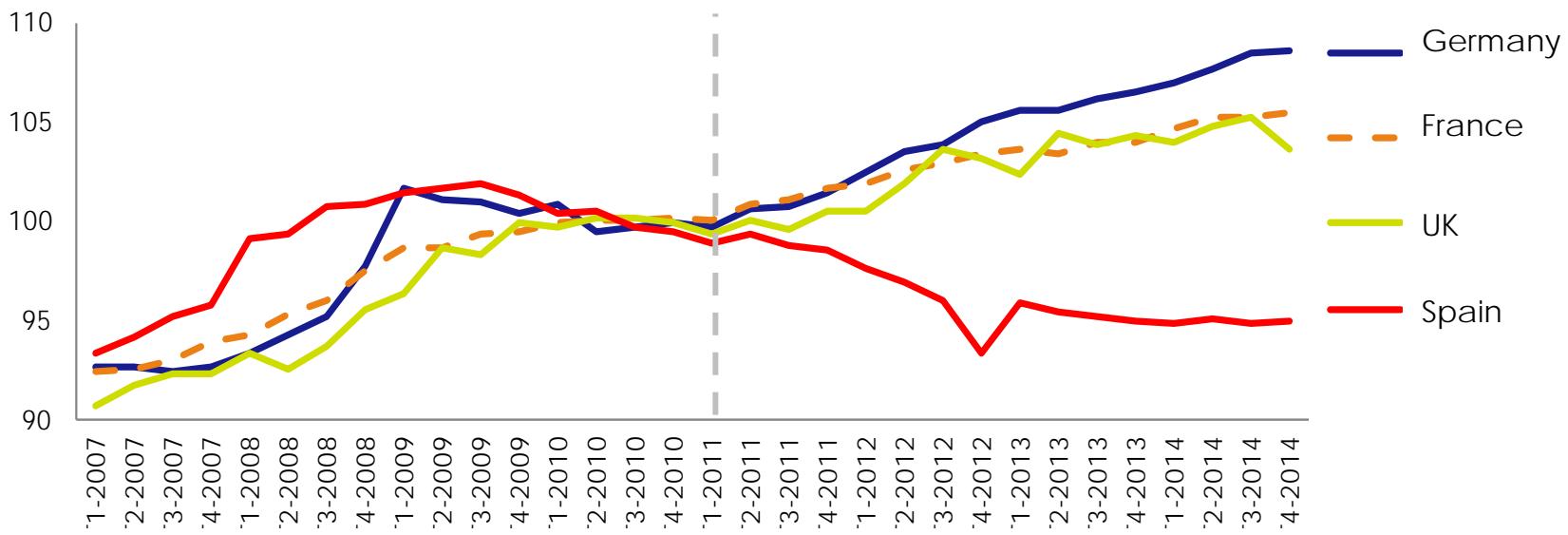
Source: Bank of Spain, March 2015

# Productivity

Starting in 2011, Spain will increase its productivity by reducing labor costs.

## Development of labor costs, 2007-2014

2010=100



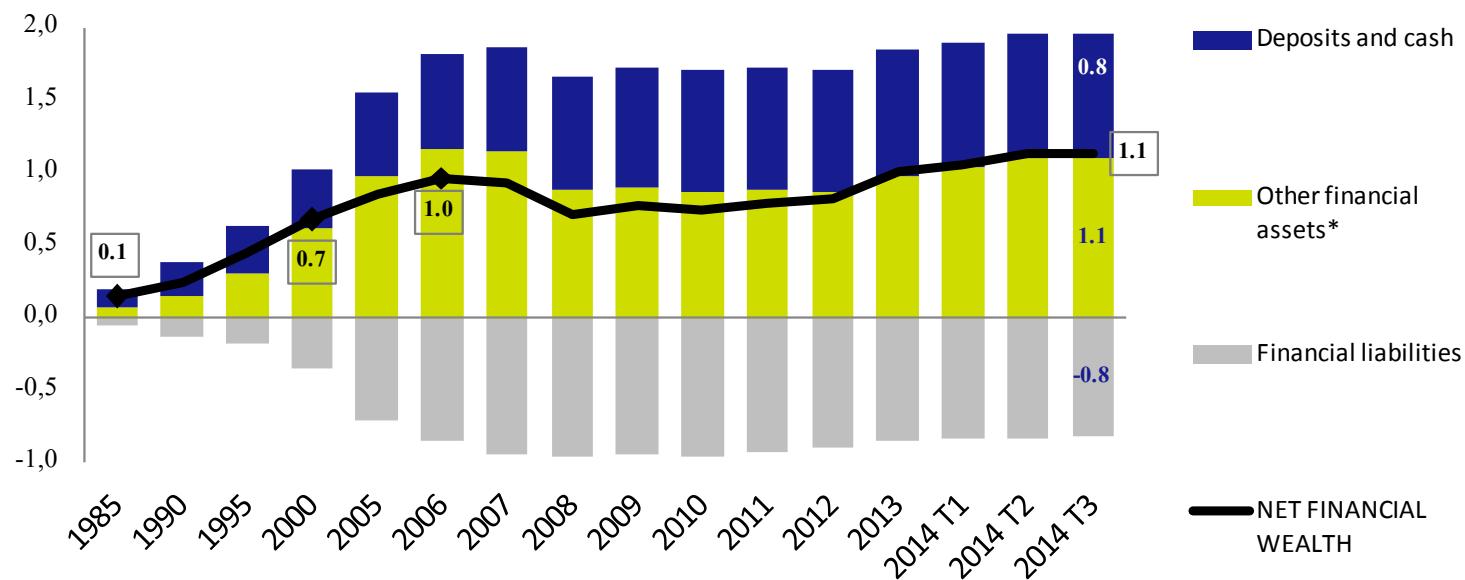
Source: OECD, 2015

# Situation of household wealth (I)

Family net financial wealth (financial assets less debt) remains at 1.1 billion euros.

## Net financial wealth of families

Billion of euros



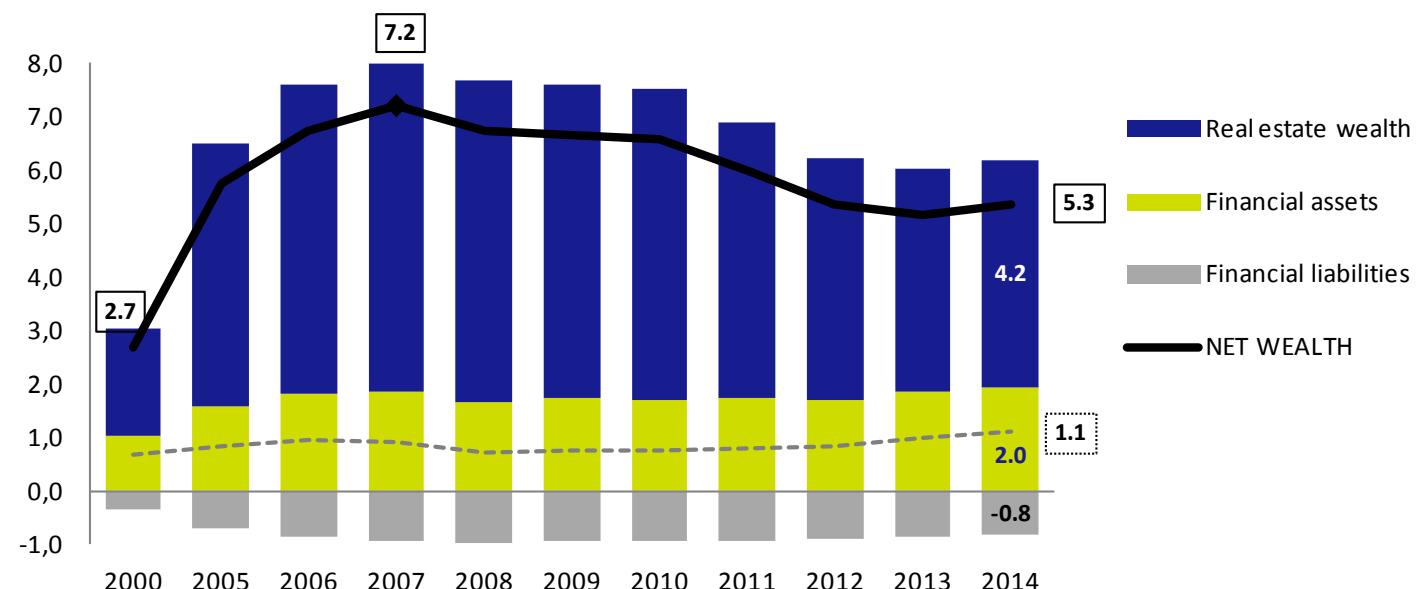
Source: Inverco and inhouse, 2015

# Situation of household wealth (II)

The net wealth of families (financial wealth plus real estate wealth without debt) doubled between 1999-2013, from 2.7 to 5.3 billion euros.

## Net wealth of families

Billions of euros



Source: Bank of Spain, Inverco and inhouse, 2015

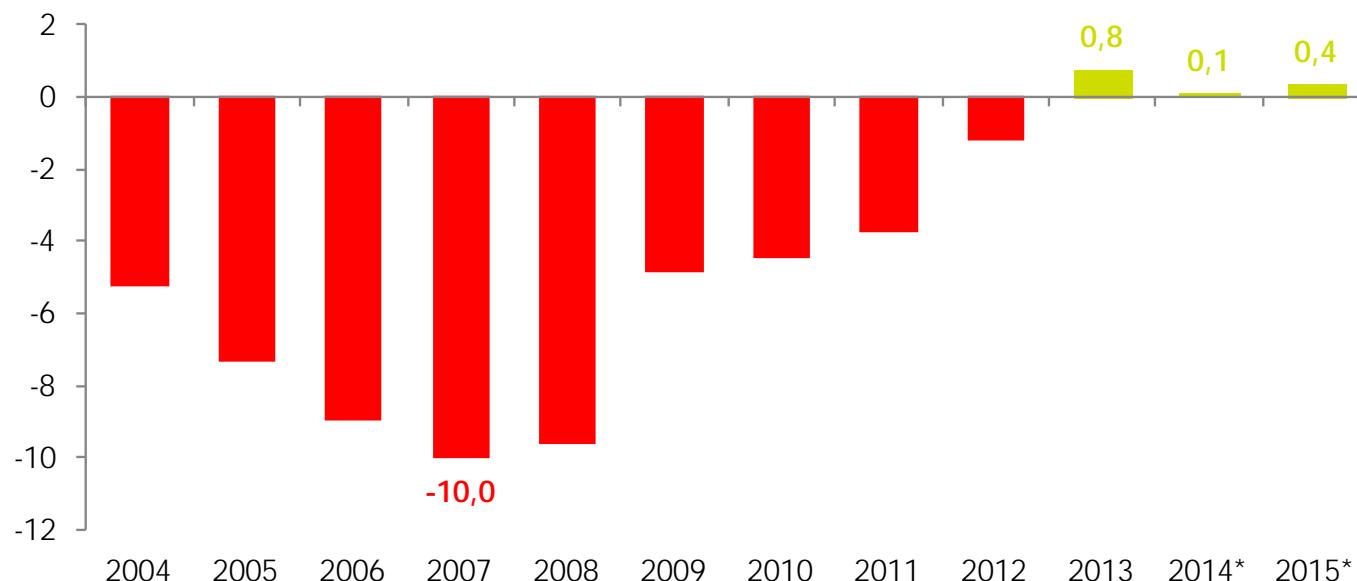
# Internationalization (I)

Historic change in the current account balance in 5 years.

After 26 years, the Spanish economy ended 2013 and 2014 with a surplus in its current account.

**Evolution of Spanish current account, 2000-2015**

% GDP



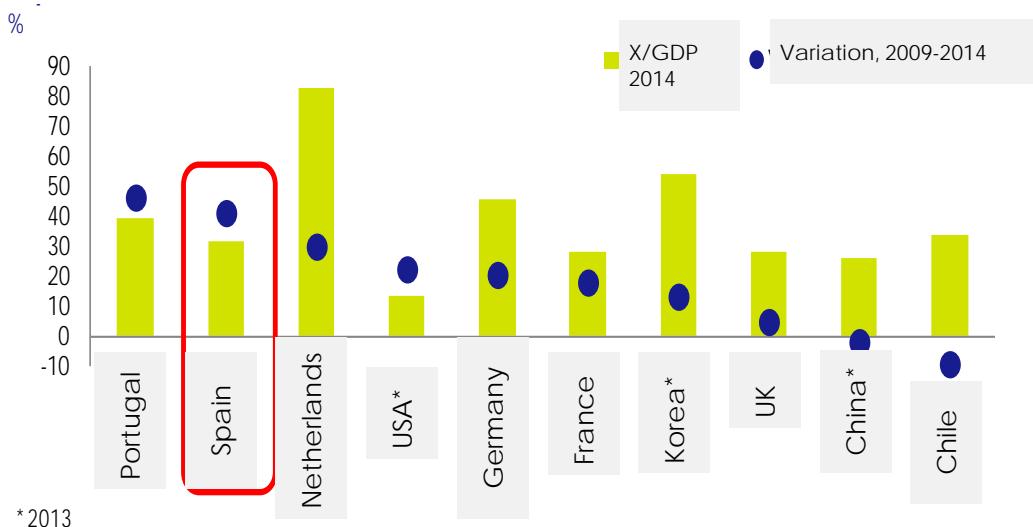
Estimated\*

Source: IMF, 2015

# Internationalization (II)

Advance in the contribution of exports to the GDP:  
from 22.7 % in 2009 to 32% in 2014

Exports as part of GDP

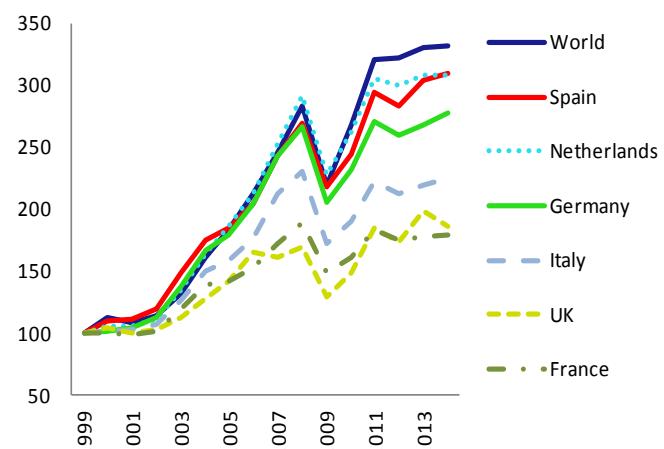


Source: OECD, 2015

Exports. Main European exporters vs.

Spain

(base 100 =1999)

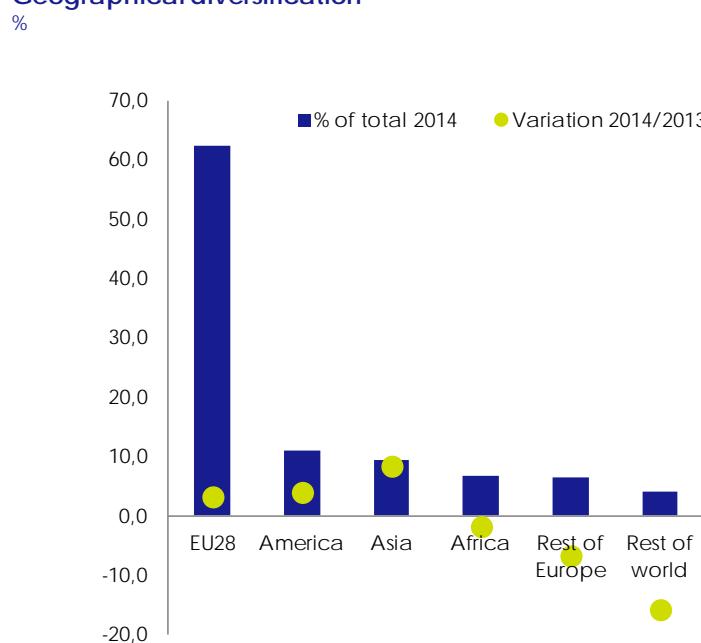


Source: WTO (2015) and in-house

# Internationalization (III)

Diversification -both geographically and by product- is the key to relaunching the Spanish exports.

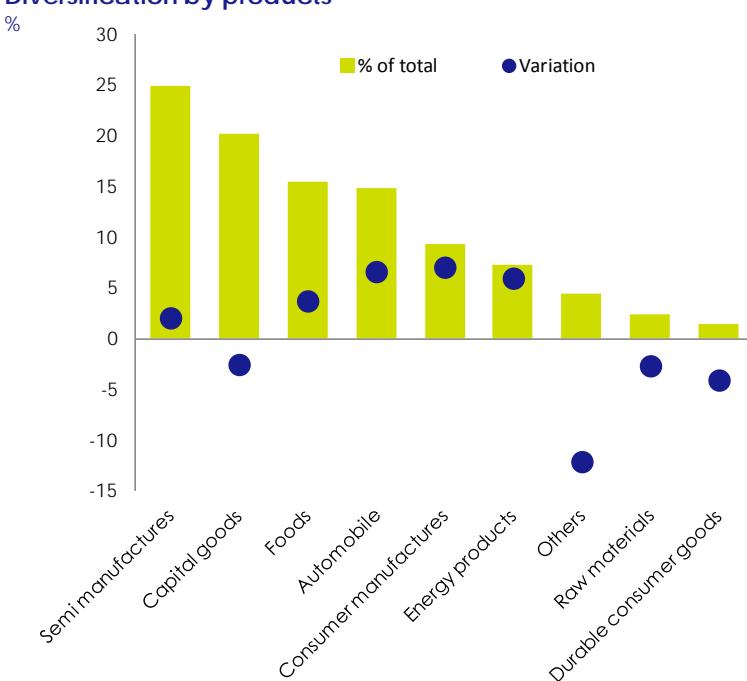
Geographical diversification



Source: Datacomex (2015)

New markets and important growth of exports to Asia and the Americas.

Diversification by products



Source: Datacomex (2015)

Diversified and added value exports

# Internationalization (IV)

Leadership in tourism- 2014 was a record year



Top 10 sources of tourists 2014

- 1 France
- 2 USA
- 3 Spain**
- 4 China
- 5 Italy
- 6 Turkey
- 7 Germany
- 8 United Kingdom
- 9 Russia
- 10 Mexico



Top 10 incomes through tourism 2014

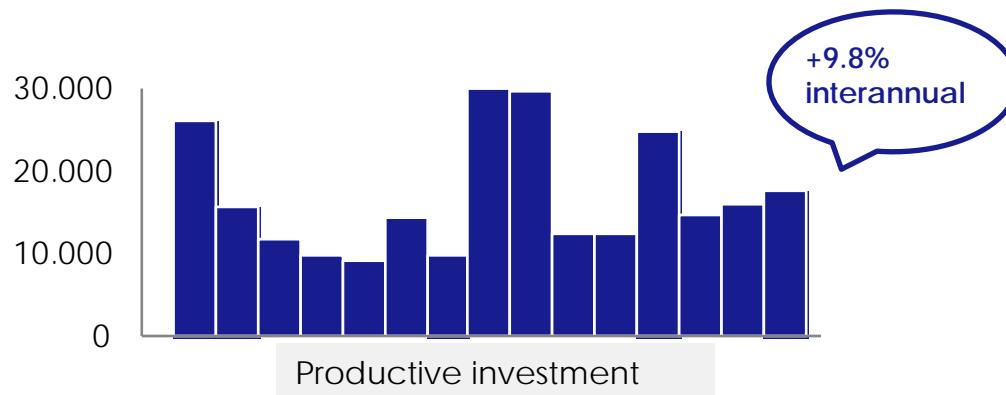
- 1 USA
- 2 Spain**
- 3 China
- 4 France
- 5 Macao (China)
- 6 Italy
- 7 United Kingdom
- 8 Germany
- 9 Thailand
- 10 Hong Kong

Source: WTO, 2015

In the first quarter of 2015 there were 10.6 million arrivals of non-residents, an increase of 5.3% over the same period of 2014, with more Asian and British citizens. In the first quarter of 2015 their spending increased by 7% with regard to the same period of 2014.

# Spanish and foreign investment

Spanish investment overseas, 2000-2014  
Millions of euros



Source: Ministry of the Economy, Registry of Overseas Investment (2015)

## Foreign investors in Spain



Source: : Ministry of the Economy, Registry of Overseas Investment (2015)

# Spain's position in international rankings



Ease of doing business ranking 2015

- 1 USA
- 2 Denmark
- 3 Finland
- ...
- 33 Spain

Source: Doing Business Report, World Bank (2015)



The Global Competitiveness Index 2014-2015

- 1 Switzerland
- 2 United Kingdom
- 3 Sweden
- ...
- 35 Spain

Source: The Global Competitiveness Report 2014-2015, WEF (2014)



Global talent index

- 1 USA
- 2 Denmark
- 3 Finland
- ...
- 22 Spain

Source: Heidrick & Struggles. Economist Intelligence Unit, 2015



Global Innovation index

- 1 Switzerland
- 2 United Kingdom
- 3 Sweden
- ...
- 27 Spain

Source: Johnson Cornell University, INSEAD, WIPO



2015 Index of Economic Freedom

- 1 Hong Kong
- 2 Singapore
- 3 New Zealand
- ...
- 49 Spain

Source: Heritage Foundation, 2015



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