

Brazilian Economic Outlook

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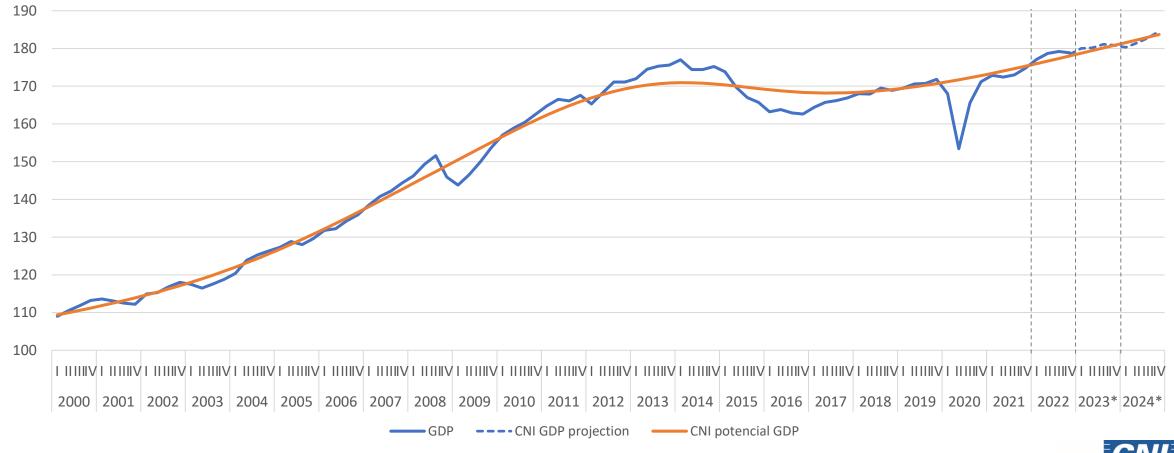
Brazil: low growth in recent decades

The problem of low growth

Potential for economic growth remains low

BRAZILIAN GDP, CNI PROJECTION, AND POTENTIAL GDP

Quarterly volume index with seasonal adjustment (1995 = 100)



Source: IBGE. Elaboration: CNI.

*CNI Projection

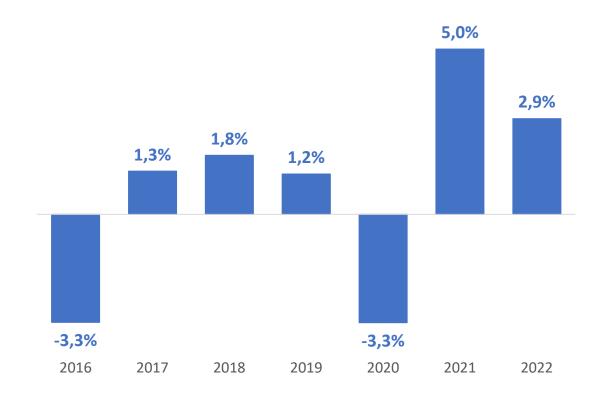


The problem of low growth

Growth in 2021 and 2022 only represented a return to the previous growth trend

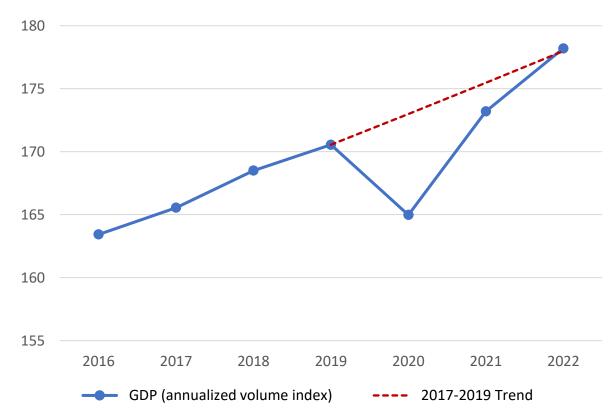
BRAZILIAN GDP GROWTH

Growth rate, %



BRAZILIAN GDP AND RECENT TREND

Quarterly volume index with seasonal adjustment (1995 = 100)





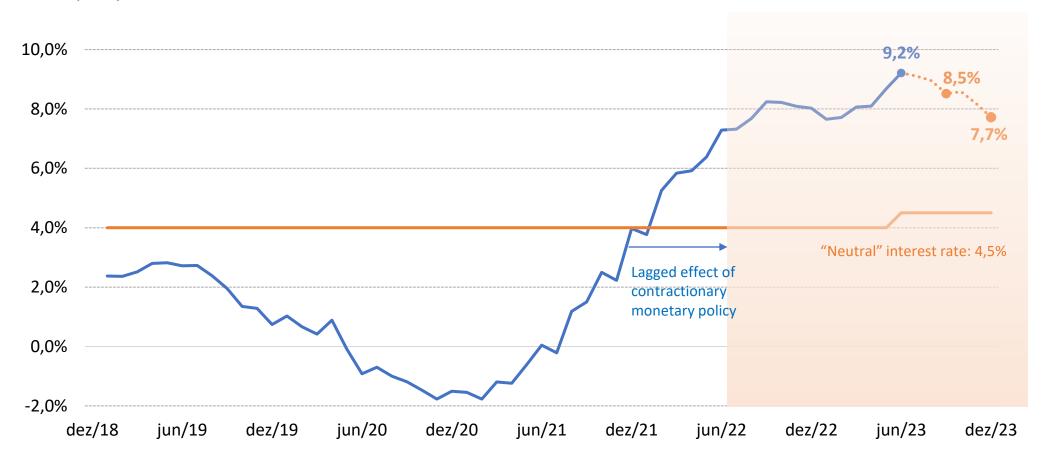
Where are we and what to expect in 2023?

2023: Contractionary monetary policy with effects felt throughout the year

High interest rates are expected to be the main constraint on GDP growth in 2023

REAL INTEREST RATE*

In % per year



^{*}Real Selic rate (ex ante), that is, Selic rate in the month with the expectation of inflation for the following 12 months. Source: Central Bank of Brazil, IBGE. Elaboration and Projection: CNI.

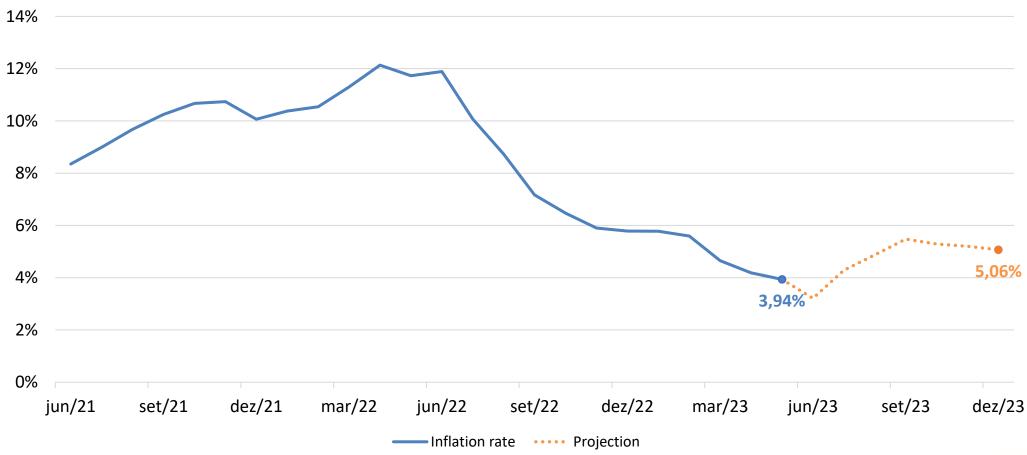


2023: Despite the slowdown, inflation remains high and above target

Inflation is expected to end 2022 at 5.9%

INFLATION RATE MEASURED BY IPCA

12-month accumulated, %



Source: IBGE.

Elaboration and Projection: CNI.

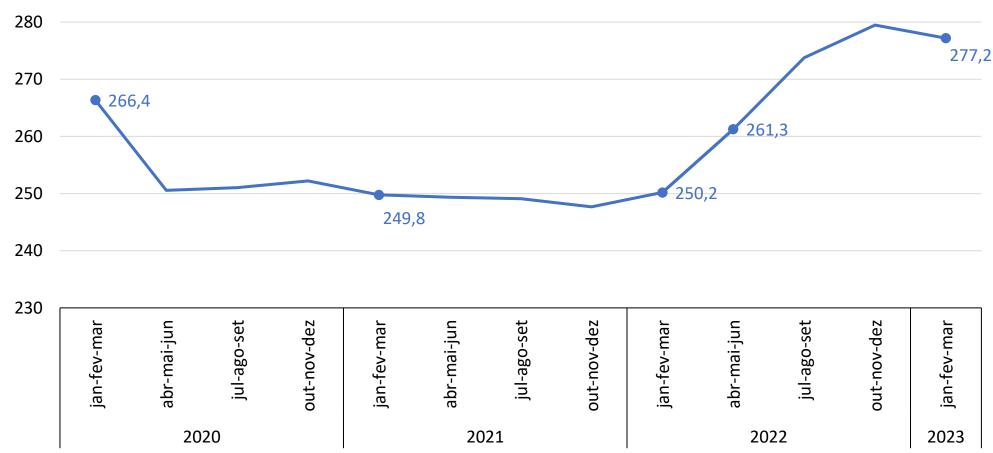


2023: Labor market still resilient to the effects of monetary policy

Total labor income has been recovering since the beginning of 2022

TOTAL LABOR INCOME

In billions of Brazilian reais (R\$)

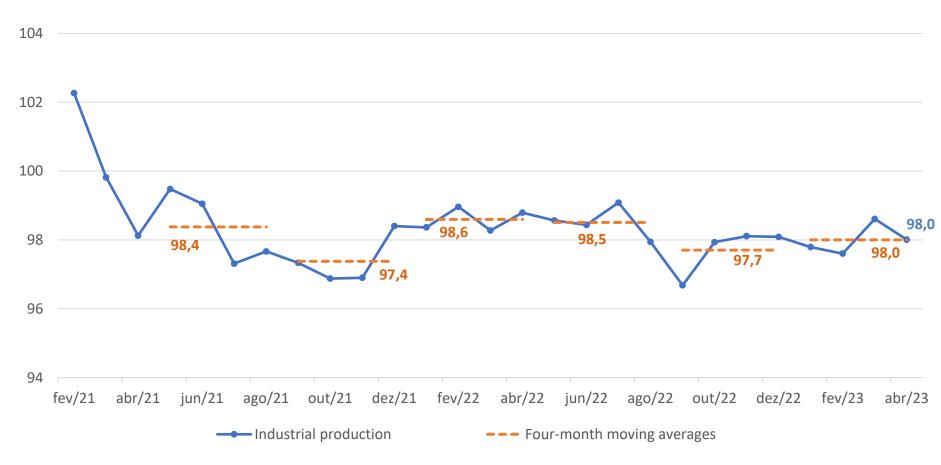




Industrial production is expected to remain without significant advances

INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

Index number (2022 = 100) and four-month moving averages



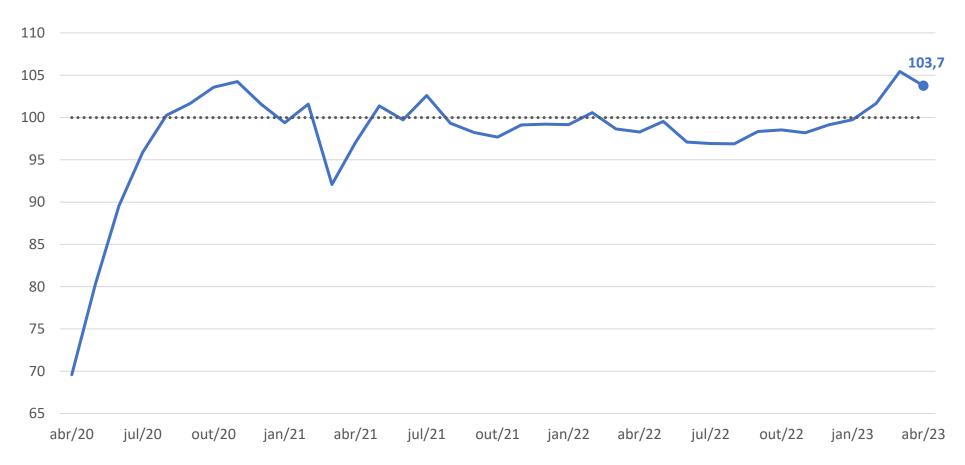




Sales in the retail trade are benefiting from the recovery of average labor income

RETAIL TRADE SALES

Index number with seasonal adjustment (fev 2020 = 100)



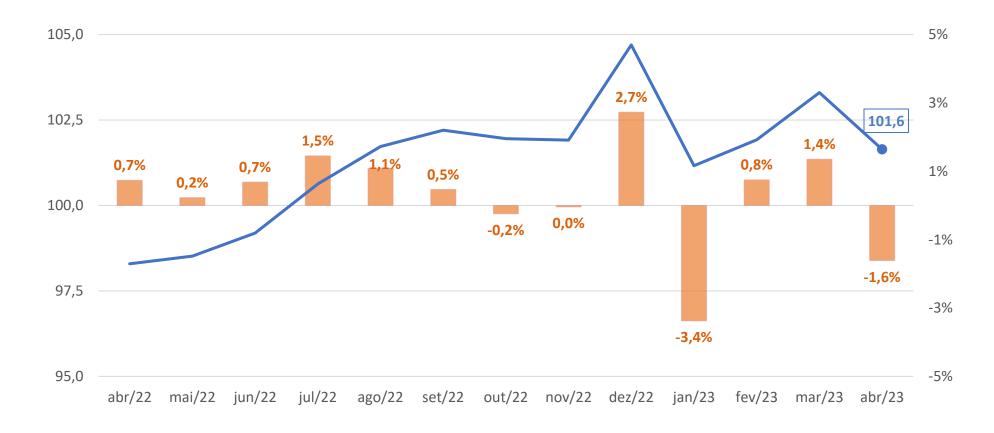


Source: IBGE. Elaboration: CNI

Demand for services loses steam

VOLUME OF SERVICES

Index number with seasonal adjustment (2022 = 100) and month over month change



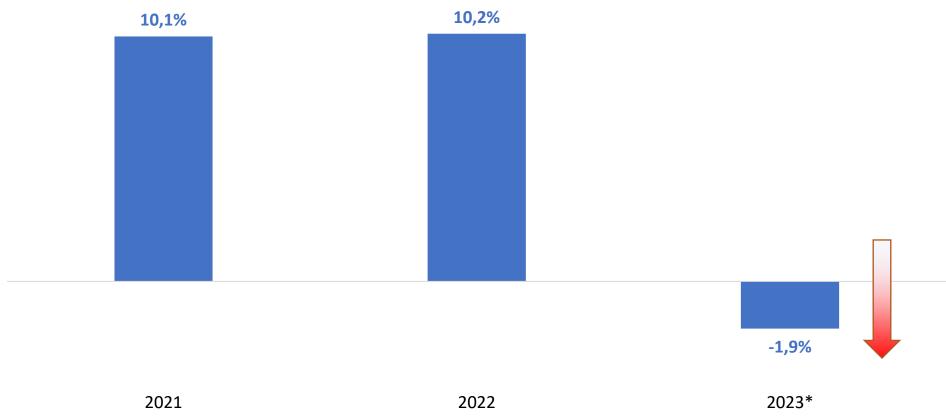


2023: Credit concessions are expected to decline by the end of the year

High interest rates, high delinquency, and high indebtedness affect credit concessions

REAL VARIATION OF CREDIT CONCESSIONS

Year-to-date growth, %



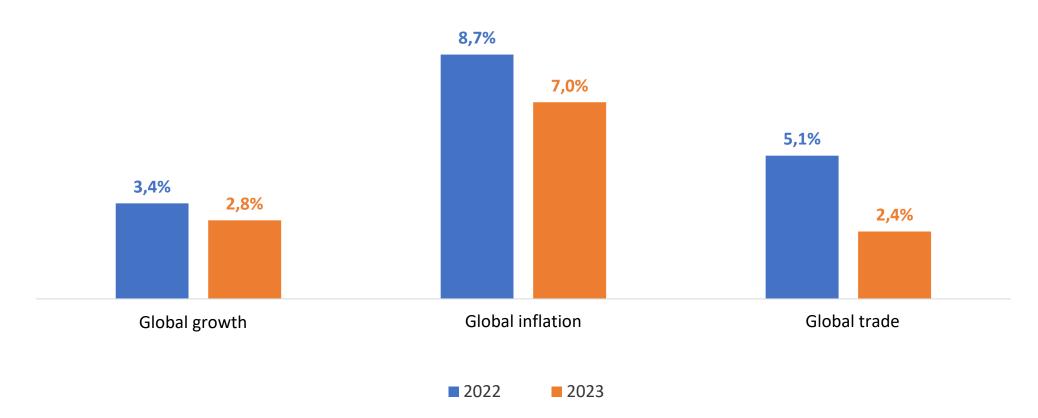


2023: External scenario does not favor growth through exports

Slower global economic and trade growth and inflation deceleration

EXPECTATIONS FOR GDP, INFLATION, AND GLOBAL TRADE

Annual percentage variation, %





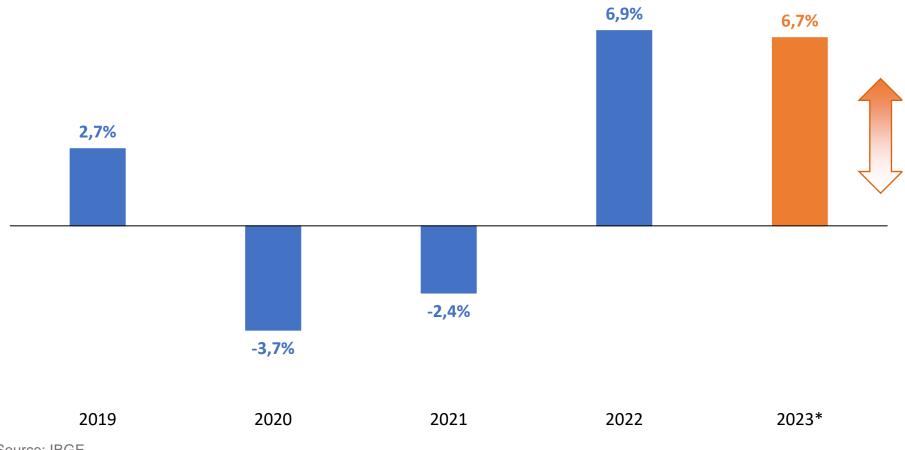


2023: Despite slower growth, the labor market sustains growth

Total labor income will advance, sustaining household consumption

TOTAL LABOR INCOME GROWTH RATE

In percentage





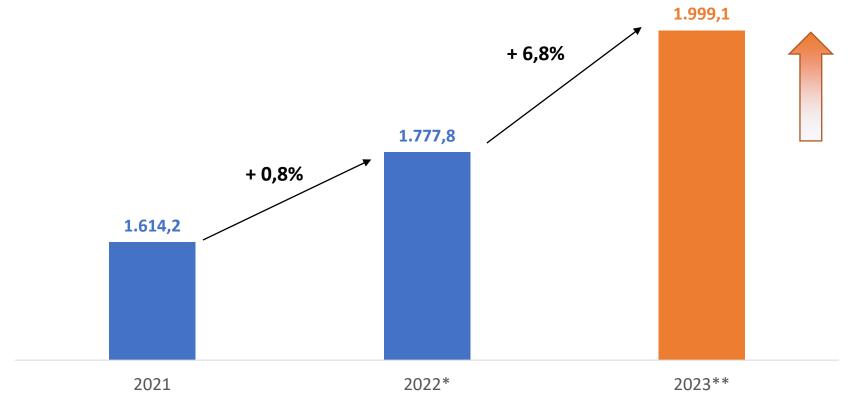


2023: Fiscal expansion counteracts (and pressures) monetary policy

Increased public spending in 2023 helps sustain demand

PRIMARY EXPENDITURE OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

In billions (R\$) and real variation (%)



Source: Brazilian National Treasury.



^{*}Does not consider expenses with Campo de Marte

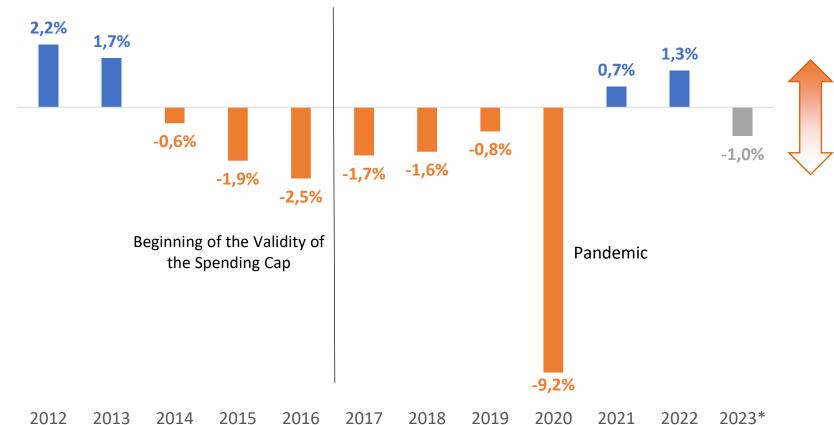
^{**}CNI Projection

2023: Public sector expected to return to primary deficit

Worsening fiscal situation at both federal and regional governments

CONSOLIDATED PRIMARY RESULT OF THE PUBLIC SECTOR

As % of GDP



Source: Central Bank of Brazil.

Elaboration: CNI *CNI Projection

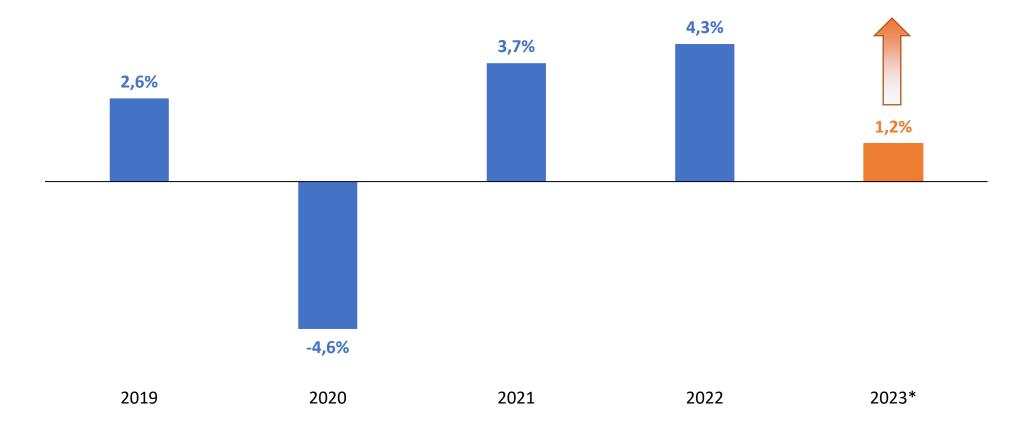


2023: Consumption will be sustained by the labor market and fiscal policy

Consumer market will still benefit from increased labor income and public spending

HOUSEHOLD CONSUMPTION GROWTH RATE

Annual growth rate (%)

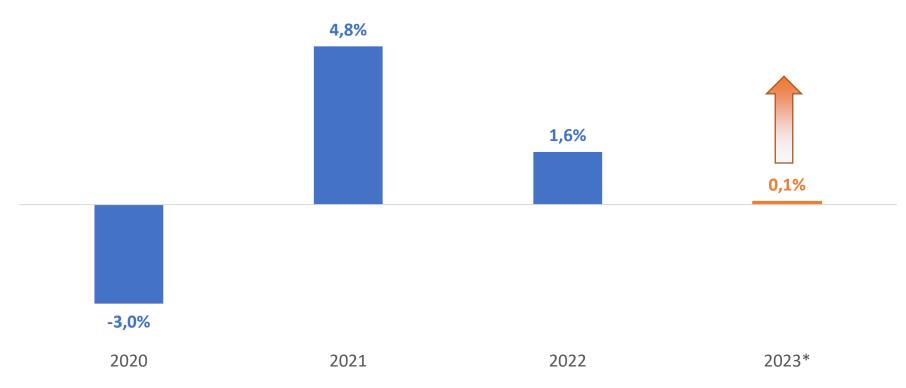




Expectation of industrial growth very much affected by interest rates

INDUSTRIAL GDP AND CNI EXPECTATION

Annual growth rate (%)



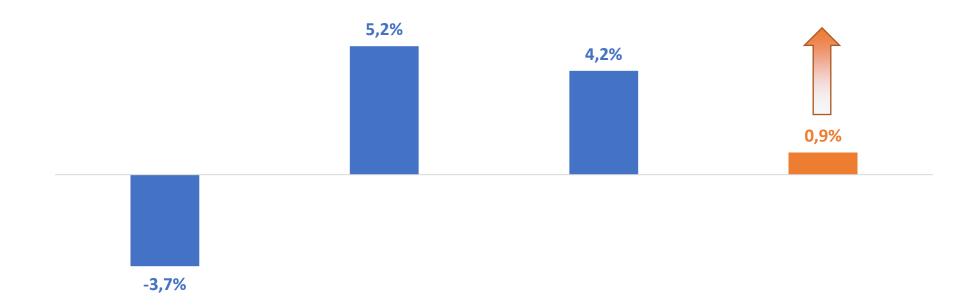


Expectation of services sector slowdown in 2023

SERVICES GDP AND CNI EXPECTATION

2020

Annual growth rate (%)



2022

2023*

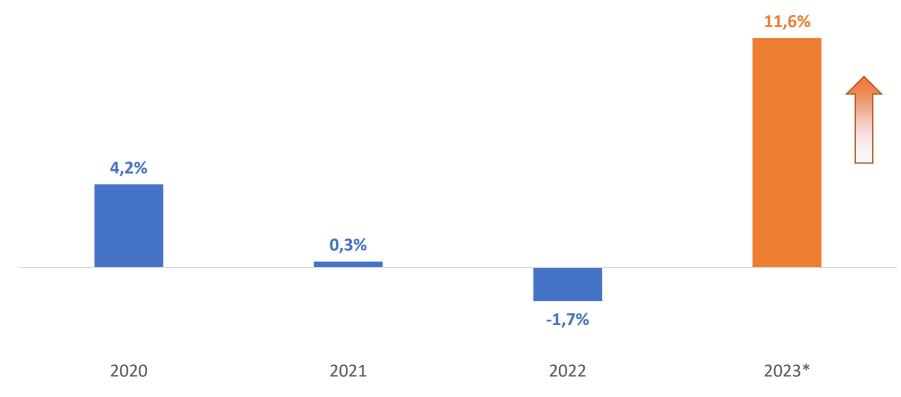
2021



Expectation of strong agricultural GDP growth in 2023

AGRICULTURAL GDP AND CNI EXPECTATION

Annual growth rate (%)





Reduction in economic growth in 2023

TOTAL GDP AND CNI EXPECTATION

2020

Annual growth rate (%)

1,2%

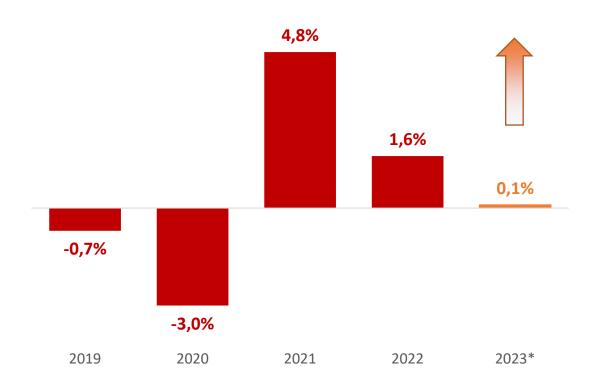
2021

2022

2023*

INDUSTRIAL GDP AND CNI EXPECTATION

Annual growth rate (%)





2019



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