

#### **H2 2014 IN 10 GRAPHS**

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# **H2 2014: Gradual global recovery continues**

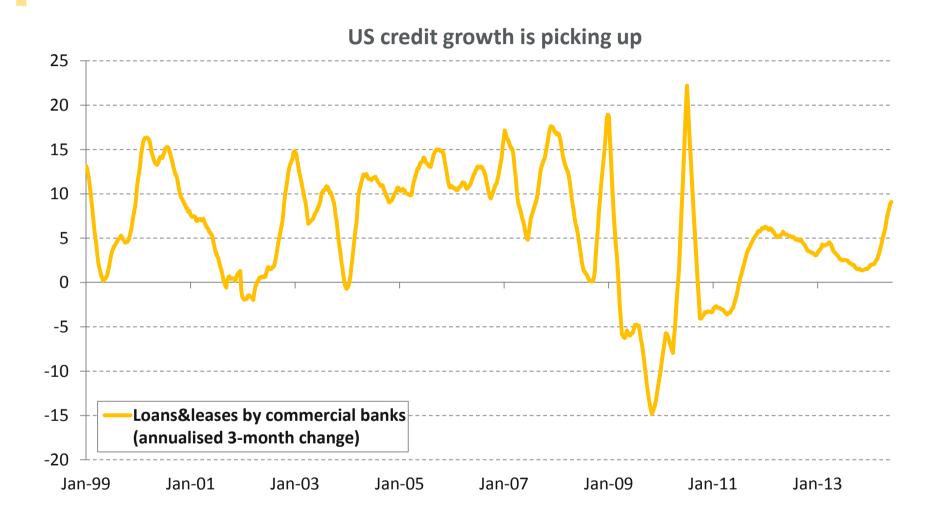
→ Global recovery remains on track

→ Inflation remains very low

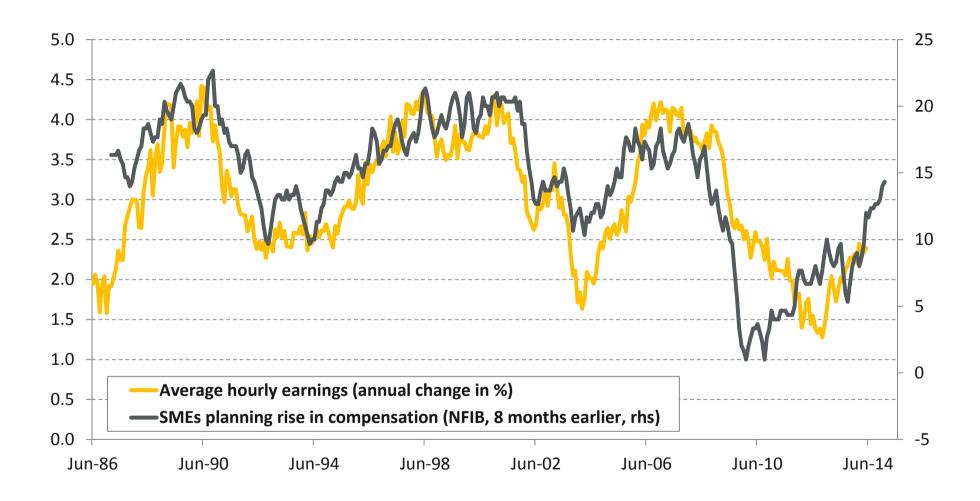
→ Fed/BoE towards first rate hike, while ECB/BoJ consider more stimulus

→ Managed slowdown in China

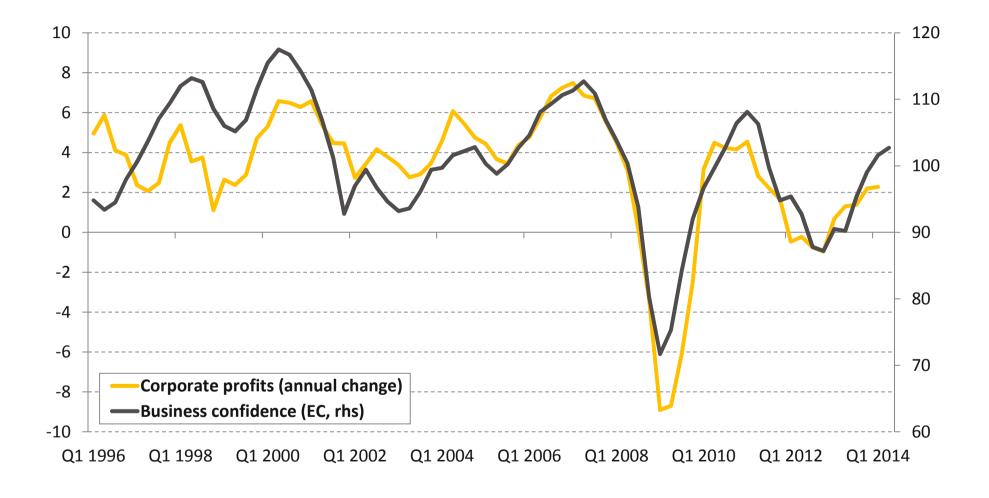
# US monetary policy feeding through into economic recovery



# US: Increasing wage growth becomes an issue for the Fed



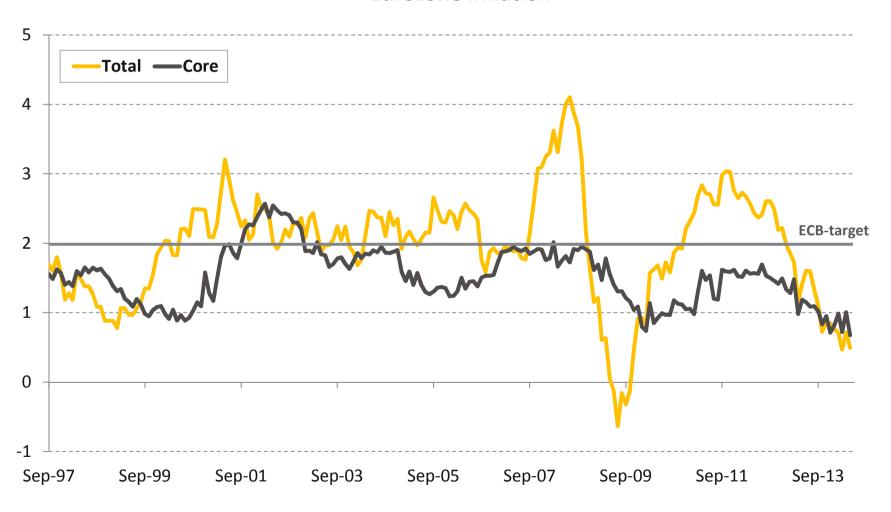
### **Eurozone companies benefit from improving outlook**



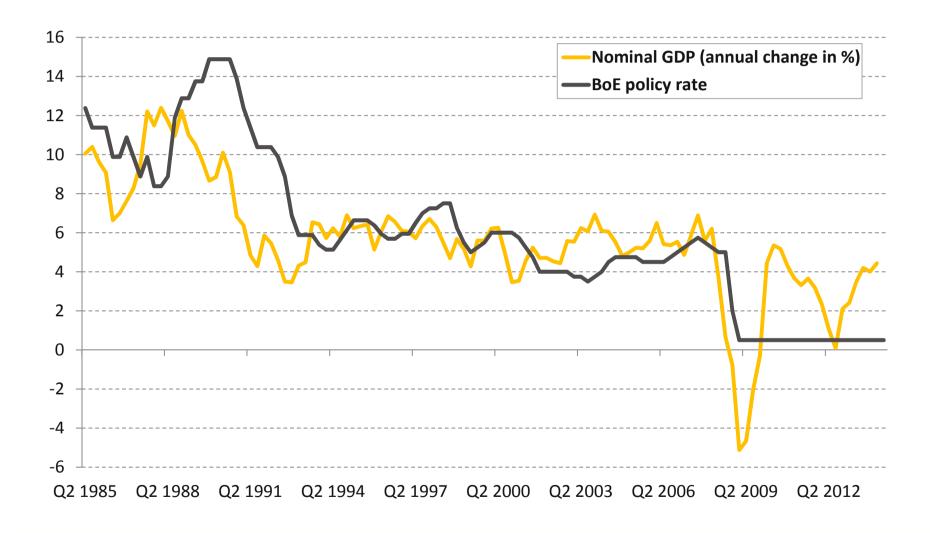


# ECB is missing its inflation target by a wide margin

#### **Eurozone inflation**

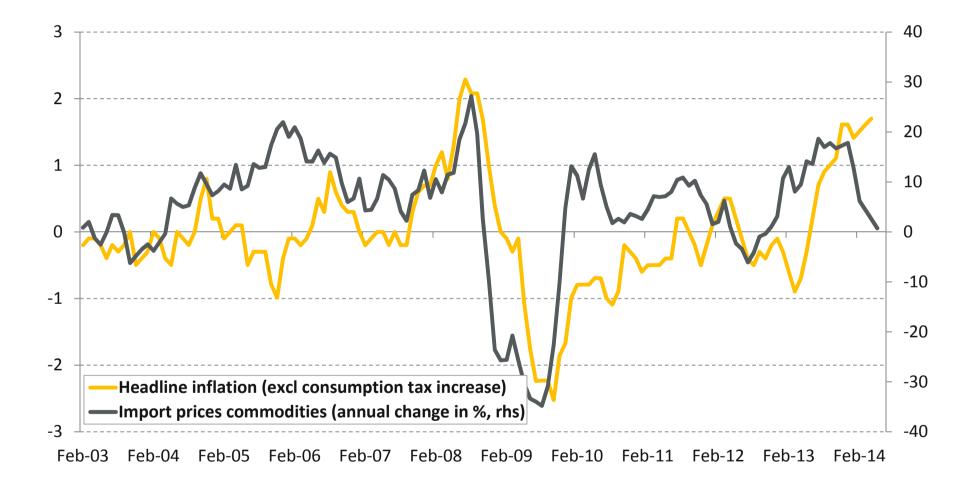


# **UK: BoE moving towards first rate hike**

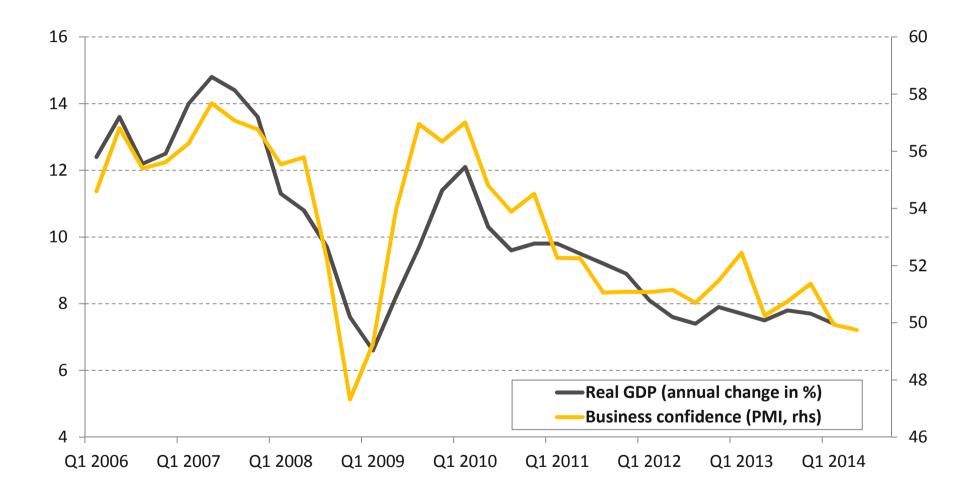




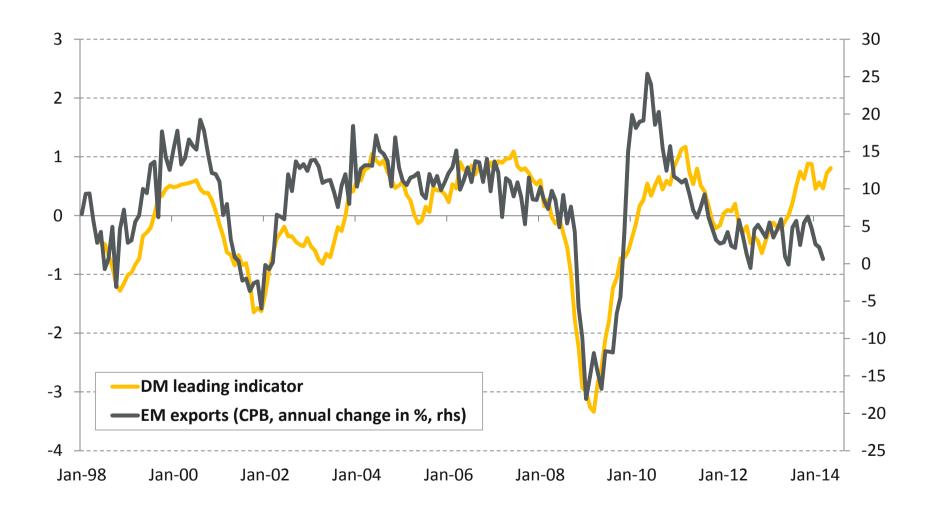
### Fading Yen impact on inflation highlights need for more BoJ stimulus



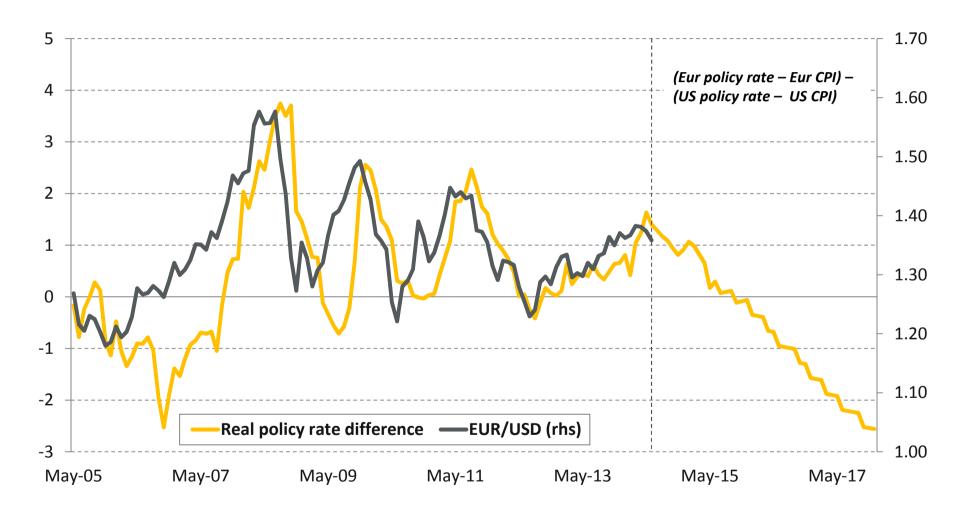
# **China: Managed slowdown continues**



# **EM:** improving outlook thanks to exports

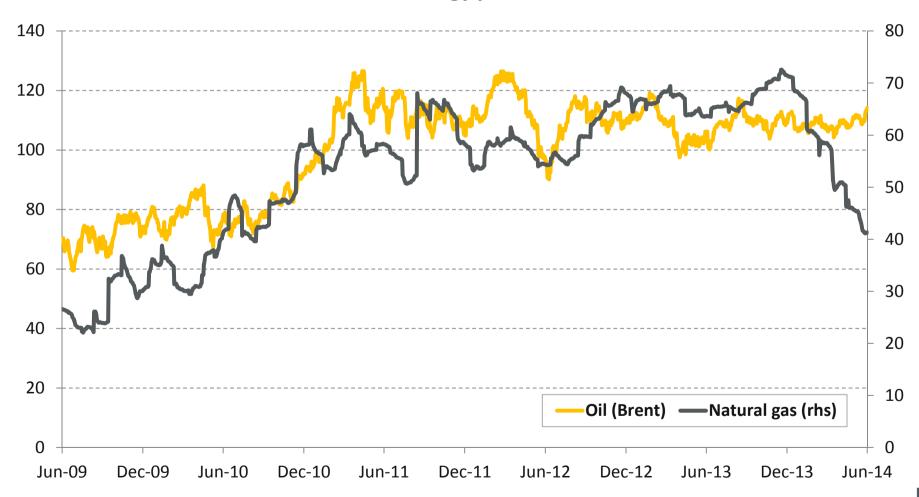


# Diverging policy ECB-Fed should push up USD vs EUR



# Geopolitics: Ukraine and Iraq will not derail global recovery

#### **Energy prices**



### Risks to the global recovery

→ Early monetary tightening by the Fed

Ukraine, Iraq: worrying politics, but limited economic implications

Scare stories about China: managed slowdown rather than hard landing

→ Longer term issues: debt situation, financial repression, secular stagnation, monetary policy experiment, ...