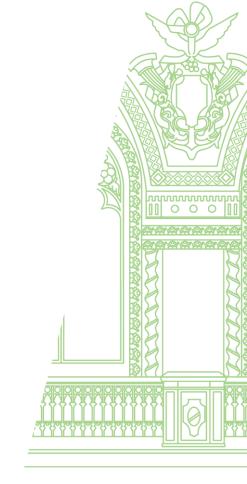


Ukraine: Macroeconomic and Policy Outlook

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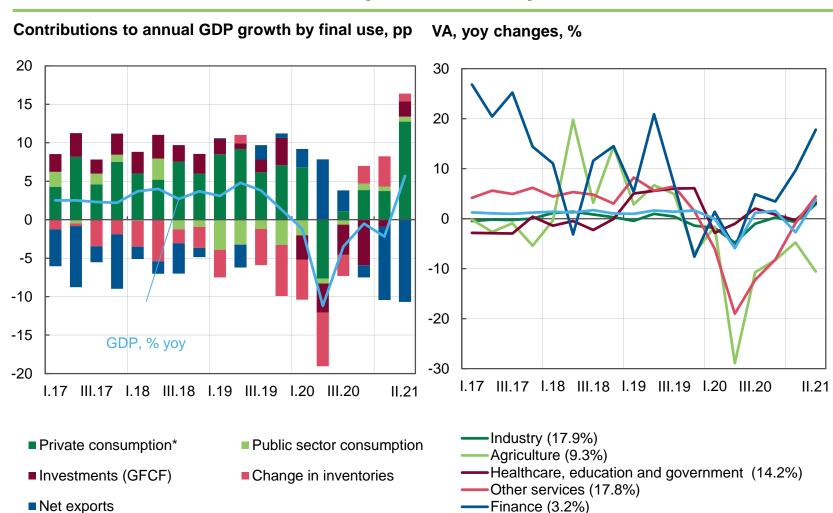
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In H1 2021, the Ukrainian economy has been recovering after Covid crisis but at a slower pace than expected



^{*}Including non-profit institutions serving households. Source: SSSU, NBU staff estimates.

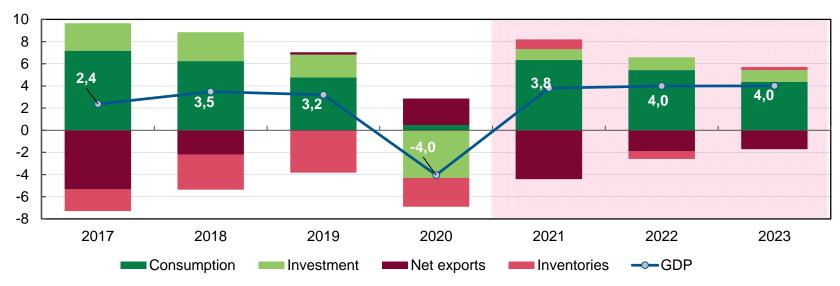
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Trade&transport (20.2%)



The economy will keep growing thanks to the world economy recovery, favorable terms of trade, and robust domestic demand

Real GDP and contributions, pp



	share, %	2020	2021	2022	2023
GDP	100	-4.0	3.8	4.0	4.0
Consumption	87	0.5	6.8	5.3	4.2
Private consumption	66	1.2	8.0	6.5	4.9
Gross fixed capital formation	16	-24.4	7.5	9.2	8.0
Exports of G&S	48	-5.6	2.7	2.5	2.7
Imports of G&S	56	-9.6	13.6	6.6	6.2

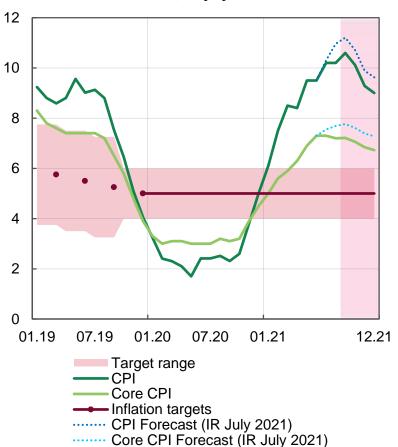
Duration	1 m	2 m
Red zones quarantine	-0.4	-0.8
Strict quarantine, all Ukraine	-0.6	-1.2



Source: SSSU, NBU staff calculations, IR July 2021

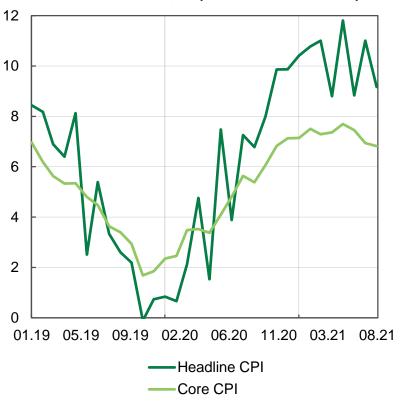
In July-August, inflation exceeded 10% as expected, but showed signs of deceleration recently

Headline and core CPI*, % yoy



^{*} Data for September-December 2021 - NBU estimates based on actual values and short-term forecasting Source: SSSU, NBU.

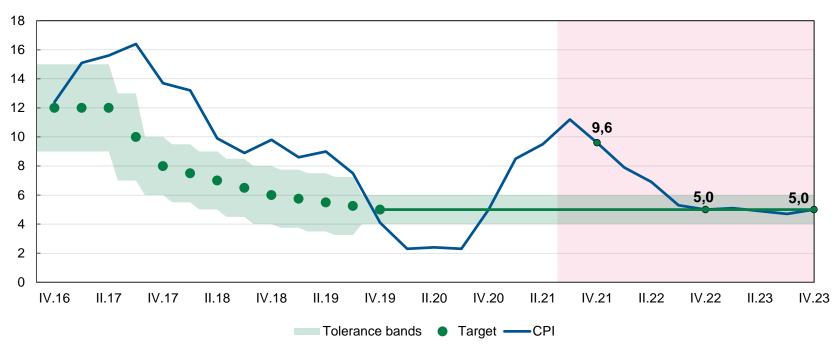
Headline and core CPI, % (annualized mom, sa)





Inflation will slow down to single digits by the end of 2021 and return to the target of 5% during 2022

Headline inflation, annual change, %

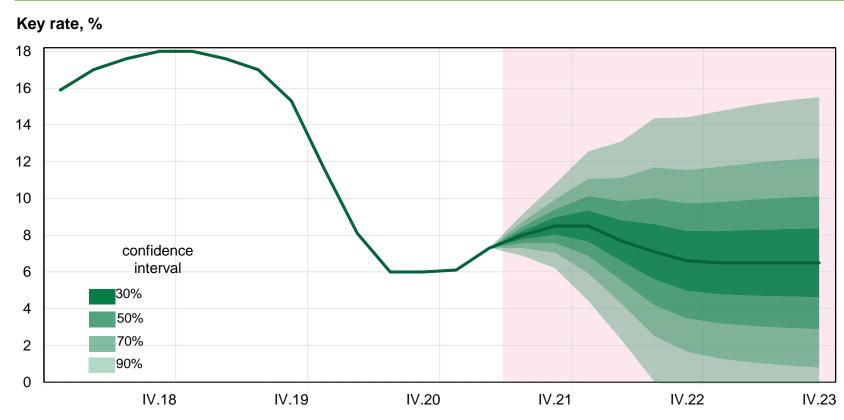


change, %	weight, %	2020	2021	2022	2023
CPI	100.0	5.0	9.6	5.0	5.0
Core CPI	59.4	4.5	7.3	4.0	4.0
Raw food	19.4	4.1	10.6	3.5	3.6
Admin	18.0	9.9	14.2	9.2	8.3
Fuel	3.2	-10.5	19.8	4.0	4.8



Source: NBU, IR July 2021.

Tighter monetary policy is aimed at reducing inflationary pressure and preventing the de-anchoring of inflation expectations



Source: NBU, IR July 2021.

NBU (9 Sep 2021): If underlying inflationary pressures increase significantly and inflation expectations continue to worsen, the NBU stands ready to take additional measures to return inflation to its 5% target

