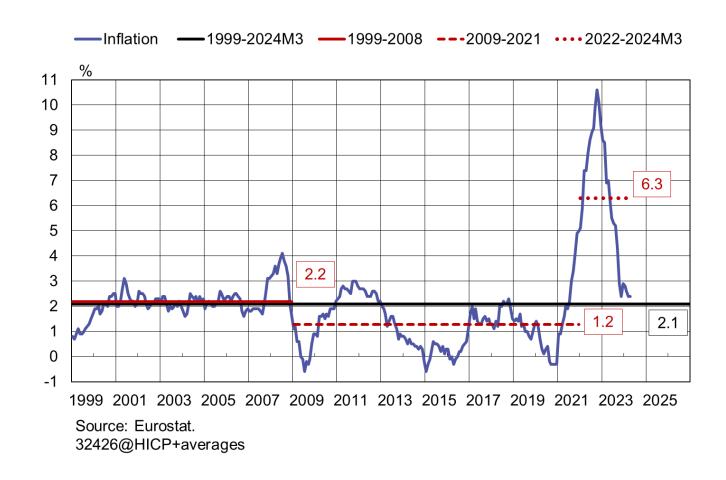
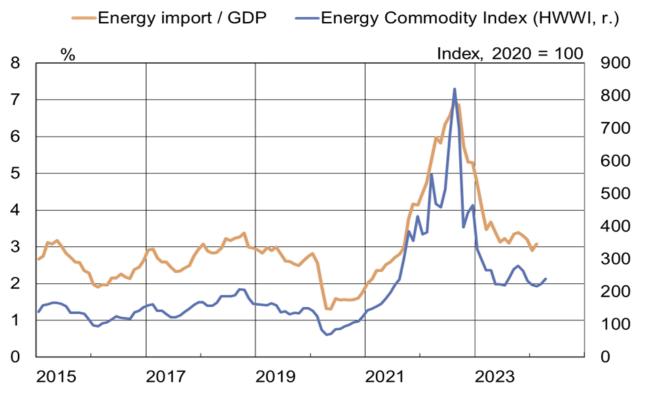


Three periods of inflation in the euro area, 1999-2024



Rapid rise of the energy bill – and its stabilisation: energy imports of GDP in the euro area, 2015-23

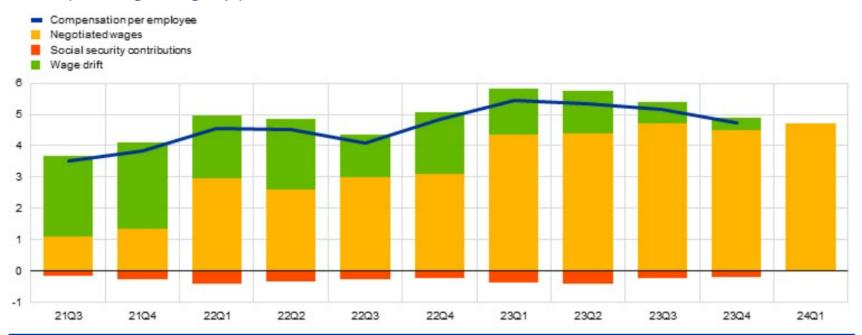


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Decomposition of compensation per employee (CPE) growth in the euro area, 2021-2024

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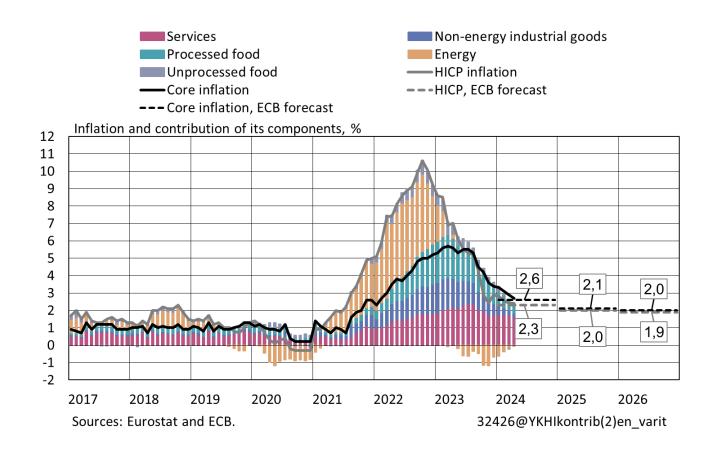


Sources: Eurostat and ECB staff calculations.

Latest observations: 2023 Q4 for CPE and 2024 Q1 for negotiated wages.

See The ECB Blog: Tracking euro area wages in exceptional times

Inflation is converging towards the ECB's 2% target



Economic activity in the euro area, 2007-2026

