

TABLE 2  
Real GDP in the ECE market economies, 2000-2002  
(Percentage change over previous year)

	2000	2001	2002 <sup>a</sup>
France .....	3.8	1.8	1.4
Germany .....	3.0	0.6	1.0
Italy .....	2.9	1.8	1.2
Austria .....	3.0	1.0	1.2
Belgium .....	4.0	1.0	1.3
Finland .....	5.6	0.7	1.4
Greece .....	4.1	4.1	3.3
Ireland .....	11.5	5.9	3.8
Luxembourg .....	7.5	3.5	3.0
Netherlands .....	3.5	1.0	1.0
Portugal .....	3.5	1.7	1.3
Spain .....	4.1	2.8	2.0
<b>Euro area</b> .....	3.5	1.5	1.3
United Kingdom .....	3.0	2.2	1.8
Denmark .....	3.0	1.2	1.6
Sweden .....	3.6	1.2	1.7
<b>European Union</b> .....	3.4	1.6	1.4
Cyprus .....	5.1	4.0	2.8
Iceland .....	5.0	1.5	-0.6
Israel .....	6.4	-0.5	-
Malta .....	5.4	-0.3	4.4
Norway .....	2.3	1.7	1.3
Switzerland .....	3.0	1.3	1.2
Turkey .....	7.2	-7.4	1.8
<b>Western Europe</b> .....	3.6	1.2	1.4
Canada .....	4.5	1.5	3.2
United States .....	4.1	1.2	2.7
<b>North America</b> .....	4.2	1.2	2.7
Japan .....	2.4	-0.5	-0.5
<b>Total above</b> .....	3.6	0.9	1.7

**Source:** National statistics; OECD, *Economic Outlook*, No. 71 (Paris), June 2002; Consensus Economics, Inc., *Consensus Forecasts* (London), June 2002.

<sup>a</sup> Forecast.