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2Q25 GDP Nowcast:

Slowing with a hint of resilience

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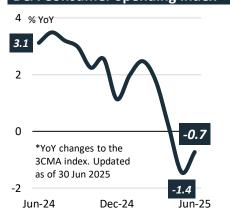
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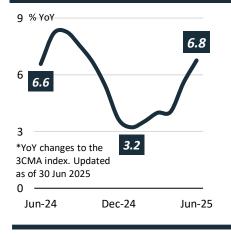
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BCA Consumer Spending Index*

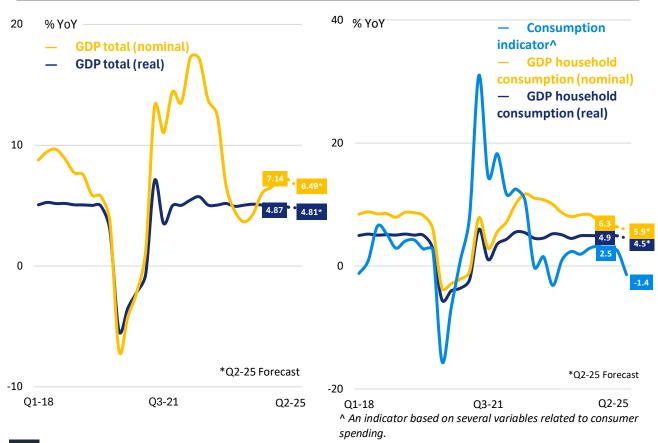


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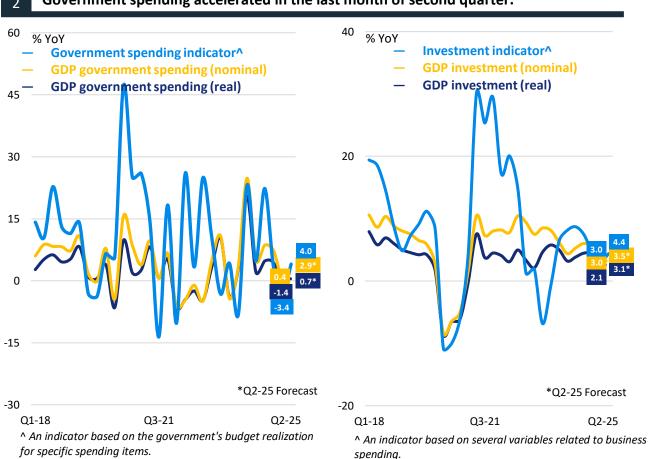


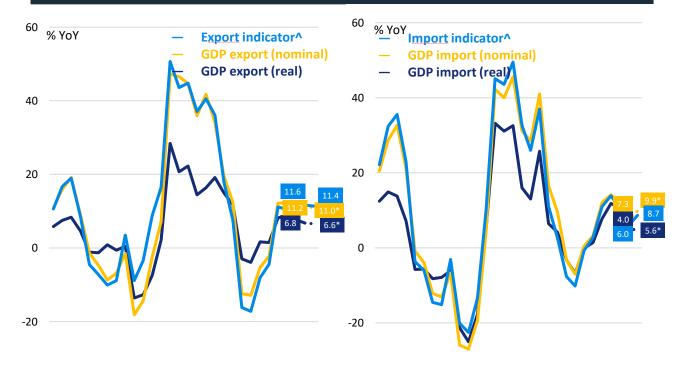
- We forecast Indonesia's GDP growth for 2Q25 at 4.69%–4.81% YoY, moderating from 4.87% in the previous quarter. This is broadly in line with consensus, with Bloomberg's median estimate at 4.8%. We expect nominal GDP to slow to 6.49% YoY, in line with decelerating loan growth at 7.77% in Jun-25 (vs 9.16% in Mar-25).
- Among the four components of GDP, investment and government spending are expected to support growth, while consumption and net exports likely acted as drags in 2Q.
- Consumption continues to weaken, with our internal data showing a sharp contraction in 2Q (-1.42% YoY). Large-ticket items such as car sales dropped significantly (-12.11% YoY), despite some strength in early 2Q. While BI retail sales remained positive, growth has slowed to 1.19% YoY (from 2.77% YoY in previous quarter).
- Government spending started weak in early 2Q, but picked up strongly in June. Central government spending reached IDR 312.3 Tn in June alone, bringing total 2Q spending to IDR 593.3 Tn, equivalent to a 4.03% YoY increase supported by stronger fiscal stimulus towards the end of the quarter.
- Overall investment indicators remain positive despite softening PMI index (46.9 in Jun-25). Capital goods imports stood out, jumping 30.92% YoY as of May-25.
- The import spike is likely temporary, possibly due to dumping or transshipment activity. Meanwhile, **exports** remain under pressure from Trump's baseline 10% tariff and waning global demand.
- Despite the anticipated moderation, the actual 2Q figures (will be published on August 5th) may surprise on the upside, particularly if (1) government spending delivers a stronger-than-expected boost, or (2) sectoral strength continues in transportation investment and strong plantation performance, as noted in BI's policy meeting.

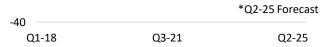
Household consumption remained weak, dragging overall GDP growth down.



2 Government spending accelerated in the last month of second quarter.







^ An indicator based on several variables related to export performance.

*Q2-25 Forecast -40 Q1-18 Q3-21 Q2-25

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Selected Macroeconomic Indicators

Key Policy Rates	Rate (%)	Last Change	Real Rate (%)	Trade & Commodities	25-Jul	-1 mth	Chg (%)
US	4.50	Dec-24	1.80 Baltic Dry Index		2,257.0	1,681.0	34.3
UK	4.25	May-25	0.65	S&P GSCI Index	545.1	542.0	0.6
EU	2.15	Jun-25	0.15	Oil (Brent, \$/brl)	68.4	67.1	1.9
Japan	0.50	Jan-25	-2.80	Coal (\$/MT)	115.5	113.4	1.9
China (lending)	2.00	Sep-24	4.25	Gas (\$/MMBtu)	3.10	3.30	-6.1
Korea	2.50	May-25	0.30	Gold (\$/oz.)	3,337.3	3,323.7	0.4
India	5.50	Jun-25	3.40	Copper (\$/MT)	9,715.8	9,819.9	-1.1
Indonesia	5.25	Jul-25	3.38	Nickel (\$/MT)	15,115.3	14,721.6	2.7
Manay Mist Pates	25-Jul	-1 mth	Chg	CPO (\$/MT)	997.2	943.1	5.7
Money Mkt Rates	25-Jui	-1 111(11	(bps)	Rubber (\$/kg)	1.79	1.64	9.1
SPN (1Y)	5.32	5.92	-60.0	External Sector	May	Apr	Chg (%)
SUN (10Y)	6.51	6.74	-23.1	External Sector			
INDONIA (O/N, Rp)	4.81	5.14	-32.8	Export (\$ bn)	24.61	20.74	18.66
JIBOR 1M (Rp)	5.87	6.15	-28.8	Import (\$ bn)	20.31	20.59	-1.32
Bank Rates (Rp)	Apr	Mar	Chg (bps)	Trade bal. (\$ bn)	4.30	0.16	2,608.75
1 (WC)	0.66	0.66		Central bank reserves (\$ bn)*	152.5	152.5	0.01
Lending (WC)	8.66	8.66	-0.66	(\$ 011)			
Deposit 1M	5.02	5.01	0.50	Prompt Indicators	Jun	May	Apr
Savings Currency/USD	0.69 25-Jul	0.68 -1 mth	0.32 Chg (%)	Consumer confidence index (CCI)	117.8	117.5	121.7
UK Pound	0.744	0.734	-1.30	Car sales (%YoY)	-22.6	-15.1	5.0
Euro	0.852	0.861	1.15	(,			
Japanese Yen	147.7	144.9	-1.86	Motorcycle sales	-0.3	-0.1	-3.0
Chinese RMB	7.170	7.172	0.03	(%YoY)			
Indonesia Rupiah	16,315	16,350	0.21		Jun	Мау	Chg (bps)
Capital Mkt	25-Jul	-1 mth	Chg (%)	Manufacturing PMI			
JCI	7,543.5	6,869.2	9.82	USA	52.9	52.0	90
DJIA	44,901.9	43,089.0	4.21	Eurozone	49.5	49.4	10
FTSE	9,120.3	8,759.0	4.13	Japan	50.1	49.4	70
Nikkei 225	41,456.2	38,790.6	6.87	China	50.4	48.3	210
Hang Seng	25,388.4	24,177.1	5.01 Korea		48.7	47.7	100
Foreign portfolio ownership (Rp Tn)	Jun	May	Chg (Rp Tn)	Indonesia	46.9	47.4	-50
Stock	3,336.8	3,435.7	-98.91				
Govt. Bond	918.7	995.6	-76.96				
Corp. Bond	4.3	5.2	-0.92				

Source: Bloomberg, BI, BPS

^{***}For PMI, >50 indicates economic expansion, <50 otherwise





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^{*}Data from earlier period

^{**}For changes in currency: **Black** indicates appreciation against USD, **Red** otherwise

Indonesia - Economic Indicators Projection

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025E
Real GDP growth (% YoY)	5.0	-2.1	3.7	5.3	5.0	5.0	4.8
Nominal GDP growth (% YoY)	6.7	-2.5	9.9	15.4	6.7	6.0	6.6
GDP per capita (USD)	4175	3912	4350	4784	4920	4960	4996
CPI inflation (% YoY)	2.7	1.7	1.9	5.5	2.6	1.6	2.0
BI Rate (%)	5.00	3.75	3.50	5.50	6.00	6.00	5.00
SBN 10Y yield (%)	7.04	5.86	6.36	6.92	6.45	6.97	7.02
USD/IDR exchange rate (average)	14,141	14,529	14,297	14,874	15,248	15,841	16,350
USD/IDR exchange rate (end of year)	13,866	14,050	14,262	15,568	15,397	16,102	16,625
Trade balance (USD Bn)	-3.2	21.7	35.3	54.5	37.0	31.0	26.0
Current account balance (% of GDP)	-2.7	-0.4	0.3	1.0	-0.1	-0.6	-1.0

Notes:

· USD/IDR exchange rate projections are for fundamental values; market values may diverge significantly at any moment in time

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