

Updated Growth Projections for Latin America and the Caribbean in 2017 and 2018

Country or region	GDP Growth	
	2017	2018
Latin America and the Caribbean	1.2	2.2
Argentina	2.4	2.7
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	4.0	4.0
Brazil	0.7	2.0
Chile	1.5	2.8
Colombia	1.8	2.6
Ecuador	0.7	1.0
Paraguay	4.0	4.0
Peru	2.5	3.5
Uruguay	3.0	3.2
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	-8.0	-4.0
South America	0.7	2.0
Costa Rica	3.9	4.0
Cuba	0.5	0.5
El Salvador	2.4	2.4
Guatemala	3.4	3.5
Haiti	1.0	2.0
Honduras	3.7	3.7
Mexico	2.2	2.4
Nicaragua	4.5	4.5
Panama	5.5	5.4
Dominican Republic	4.9	5.1
Central America and Mexico	2.5	2.6
Central America	3.4	3.5
Latin America	1.2	2.2
Antigua and Barbuda	5.0	5.0
Bahamas	1.4	2.2
Barbados	1.5	1.8
Belize	3.2	2.3
Dominica	-3.0	2.0
Grenada	4.2	3.1
Guyana	2.9	3.6
Jamaica	1.6	2.4
Saint Kitts and Nevis	1.9	3.8
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	3.0	1.6
Saint Lucia	1.5	3.4
Suriname	-0.2	0.8
Trinidad and Tobago	-2.3	1.0
The Caribbean	0.3	1.9

Note: Central America includes the Spanish-speaking Caribbean

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), October 2017