

Inflation-targeting after the financial crisis

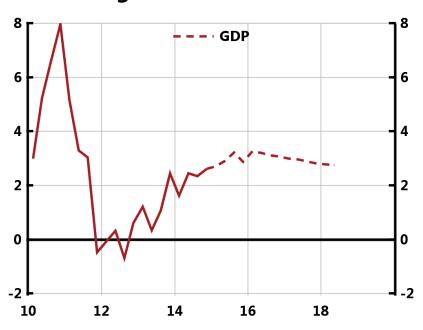
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Deputy Governor Cecilia Skingsley

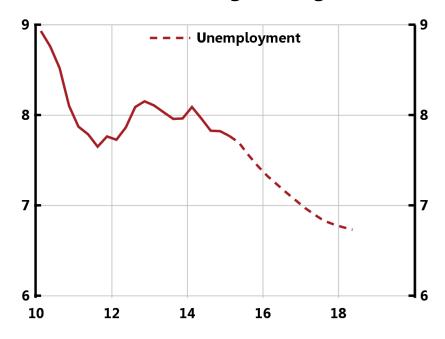


Economic activity improving

Good GDP growth



Labour market strengthening



International discussion about inflation-targeting



Rethinking Macroeconomic Policy1

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Monetary Policy After the Fall

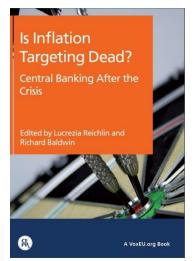
Remarks
Mark Carney - Former Governor (2008 - 2013)

IMF Assesses New Era of Monetary Policy

IMF Survey

Augmented inflation targeting: Le roi est mort, vive le roi

Richard Baldwin, Daniel Gros 17 April 2013



The Effects of the Great Recession on Central Bank Doctrine and Practice

Remarks by

Ben S. Bernanke

Central banking post-crisis: What compass for uncharted waters?

by Claudio Borio

Monetary policy will never be the same

Olivier Blanchard 27 November 2013

Are the Golden Years of Central Banking Over? Monetary Policy after the Crisis

Stefan Gerlach

Monetary Policy Targets After the Crisis

MONETARY POLICY IN THE POST-CRISIS WORLD: LESSONS LEARNED AND STRATEGIES FOR THE FUTURE

Michael Woodford

Does the Crisis Experience Call for a New Paradigm in Monetary Policy?

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Stanley Fischer: Central bank lessons from the global crisis

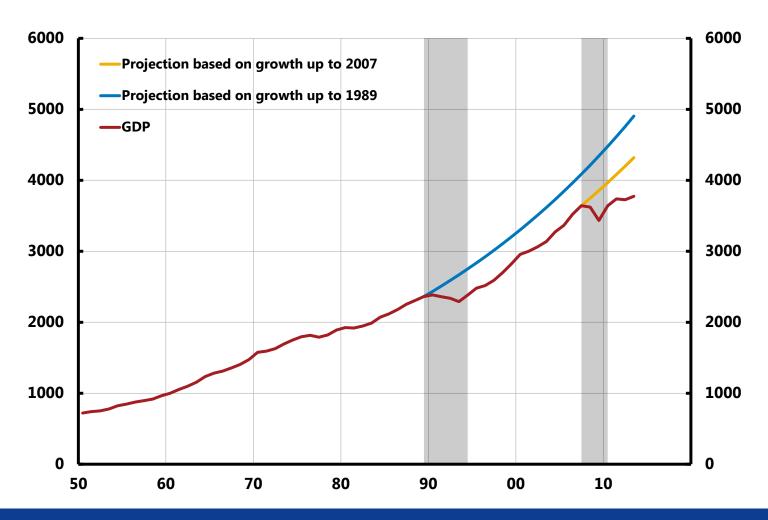
Navigating Monetary Policy in the New Normal

Speech by Christine Lagarde at the ECB Forum on Central Banking



Financial crises highly costly to society

GDP in Sweden 1950-2014, SEK billion



Should monetary policy take financial imbalances into account?

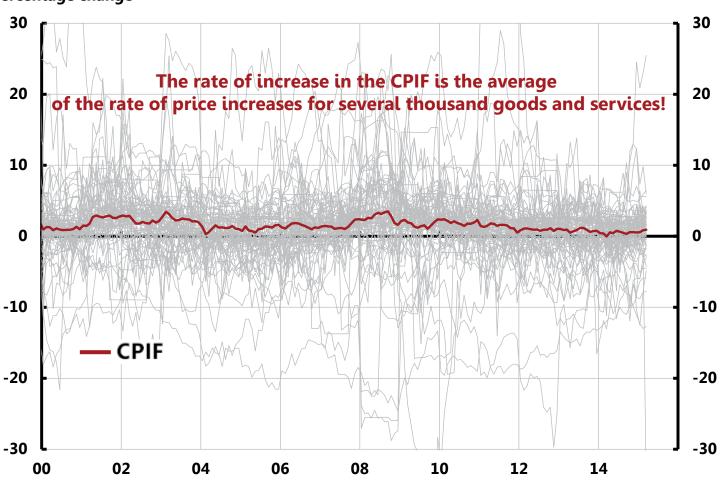




Inflation is "a general rise of the price level"



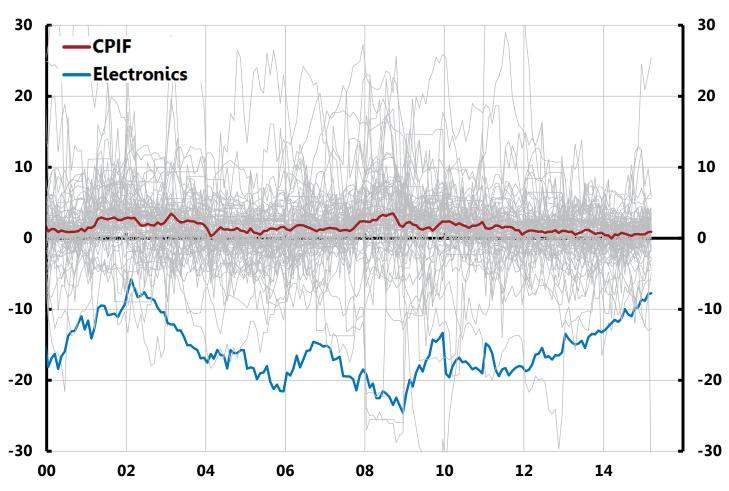
Annual percentage change



Prices for electronics have long been falling, but recently the fall has slowed down



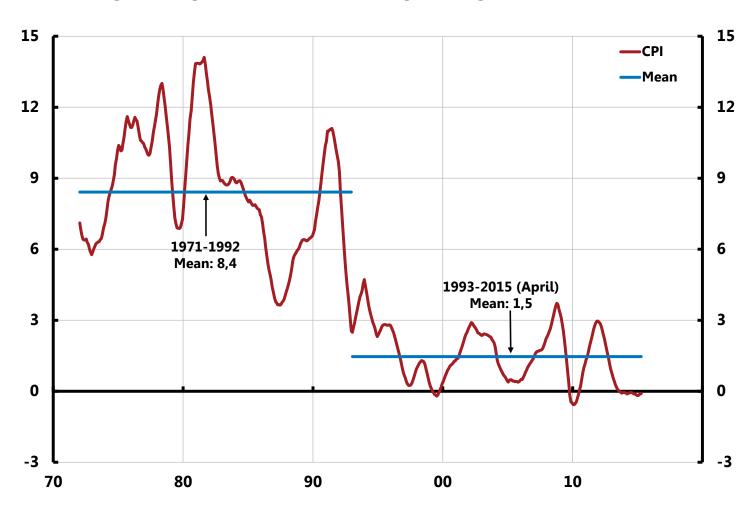
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Low and more stable inflation since the target was introduced



Annual percentage change, 12 months moving average



Important to safeguard the inflation target



- Has created stable game rules for price-setting and wage formation since the 1990s
- One should be able to assume the inflation target will be attained
- Creates the conditions for good and long-term sustainable growth

But

- The low interest rates can lead to excessive risk taking
- Household debts and housing market have long posed a risk
- Measures to reduce these risks are needed urgently

Clear effects on analysis and working methods



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2000:

- 5-6 researchers
- Macroeconomics/ Monetary policy

2015:

- 16-17 researchers
- Bank&Finance/Financial Stability
- Macroeconomics/ Monetary policy

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September 20-21, 2012 Sveriges Riksbank, Stockholm, Sweden

Bubbles

September 12-13, 2013 Sveriges Riksbank, Stockholm, Sweden



Examples of internal work reported in articles and commentaries:

- Why is inflation low?
- Digitisation and inflation
- Low global interest rates
- Lower neutral interest rate in Sweden?
- Recent inflation outcomes and forecasts
- Why haven't companies raised their prices?

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