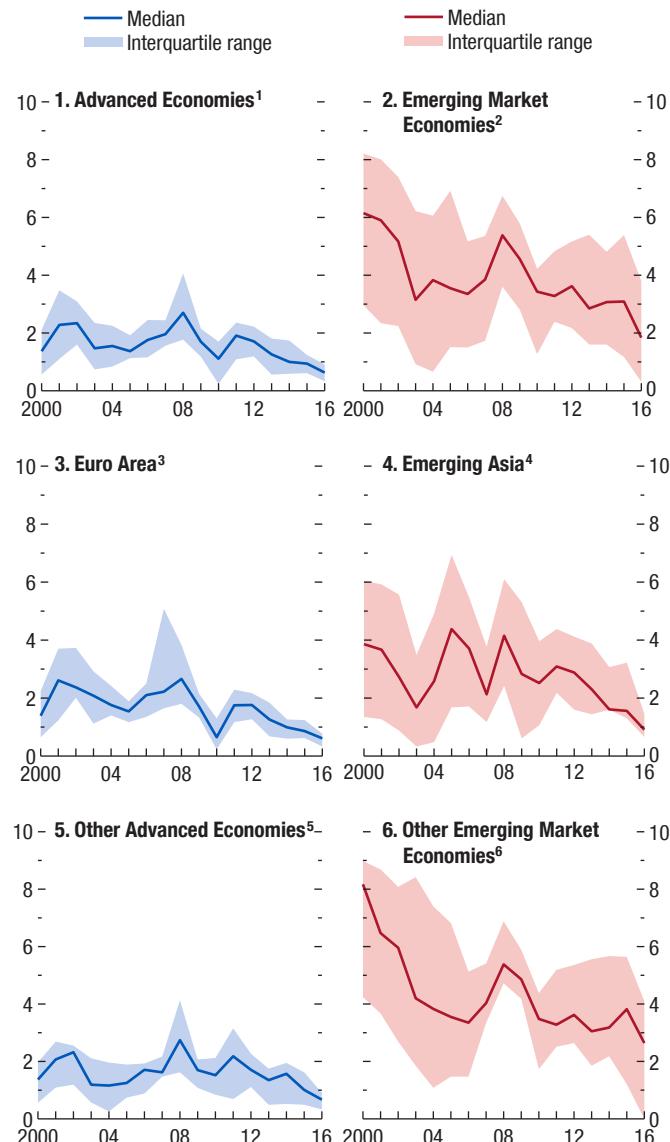


**Figure 3.7. Core Consumer Price Inflation
(Percent)**

The decline in core inflation over the past few years was broad based across regions.



Sources: Haver Analytics; and IMF staff calculations.

Note: Labels in footnotes 1–6 below use International Organization for Standardization (ISO) country codes.

¹ AUS, AUT, BEL, CAN, CHE, CZE, DEU, DNK, ESP, EST, FIN, FRA, GRC, HKG, ISL, ITA, IRL, ISR, JPN, KOR, LVA, LTU, LUX, NLD, NOR, NZL, PRT, SGP, SVK, SVN, SWE, GBR, USA.

² ARG, BGR, BRA, CHN, CHL, COL, DOM, ECU, EGY, HUN, IND, IDN, JOR, KAZ, MAR, MEX, MYS, PER, PHL, POL, ROU, RUS, THA, TUR, VEN, ZAF.

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