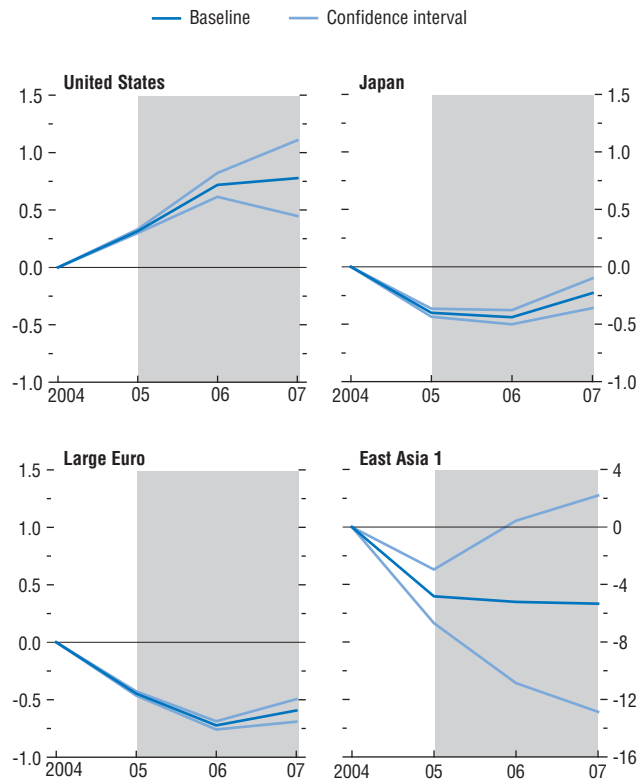


Figure 2.10. How Would Current Account Imbalances React to Changes in the Investment Rate in Asia?¹
(Percent of GDP)

A 5-percent-of-GDP increase in the investment rate in East Asia 1 countries would have a relatively significant effect on the U.S. current account deficit.



Source: IMF staff estimates.

¹See footnote 15 in main text for definition of country groupings.