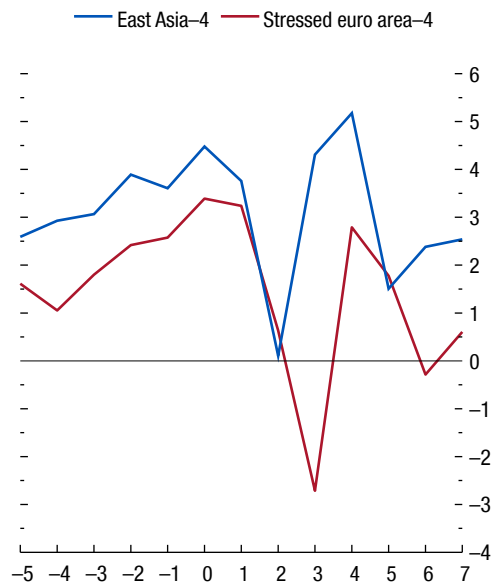


Figure 4.2.4. Real External Demand Growth
(Percent)



Source: IMF staff calculations.

Note: The horizontal axis depicts years, with year 0 being 1996 for the East Asia economies and 2006 for the stressed euro area economies. The figure depicts the weighted average of real domestic demand for trading partners of each country. East Asia-4 = Indonesia, Korea, Malaysia, Thailand; stressed euro area-4 = Greece, Ireland, Portugal, Spain.