

# Global Economic Forecasts: Q4 2022

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China: Growth outlook clouded by slowing global and domestic demand

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