











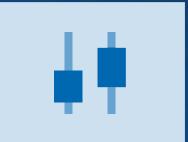


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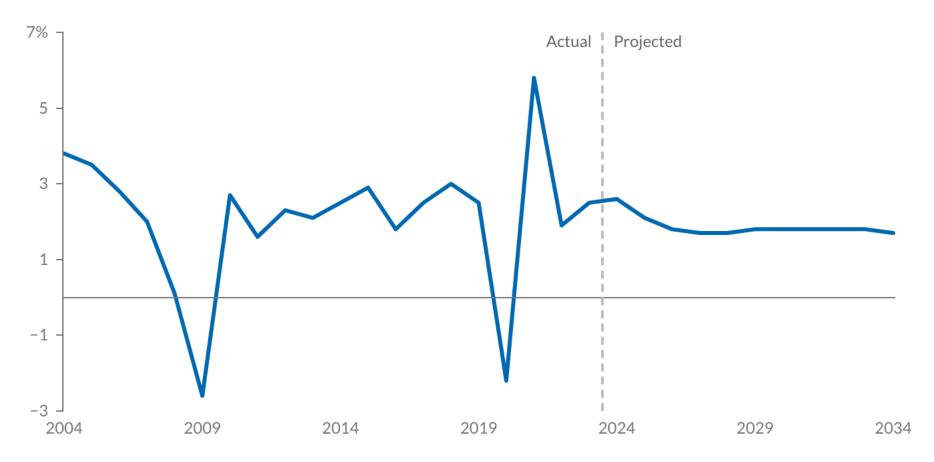






# Real GDP growth is projected to remain around 2 percent throughout the upcoming decade

Year-Over-Year Growth of Real GDP (%)

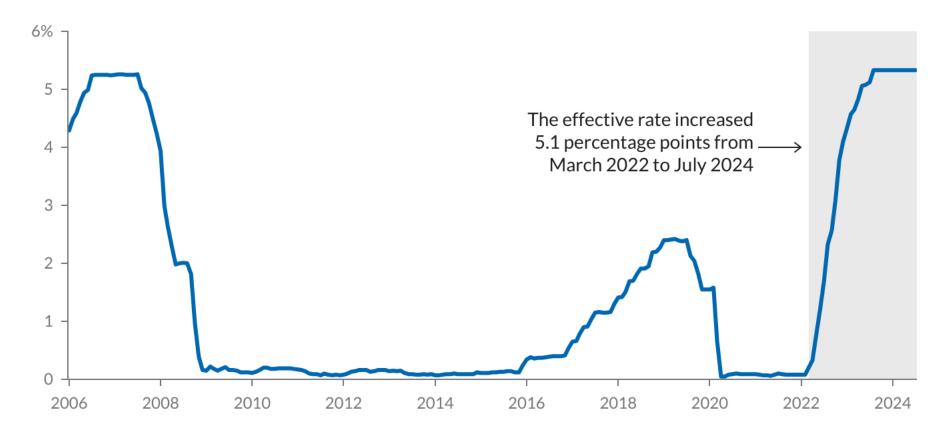


Source: Congressional Budget Office



### The Federal Reserve has significantly raised short-term rates since March 2022

Federal Funds Effective Rate (%)



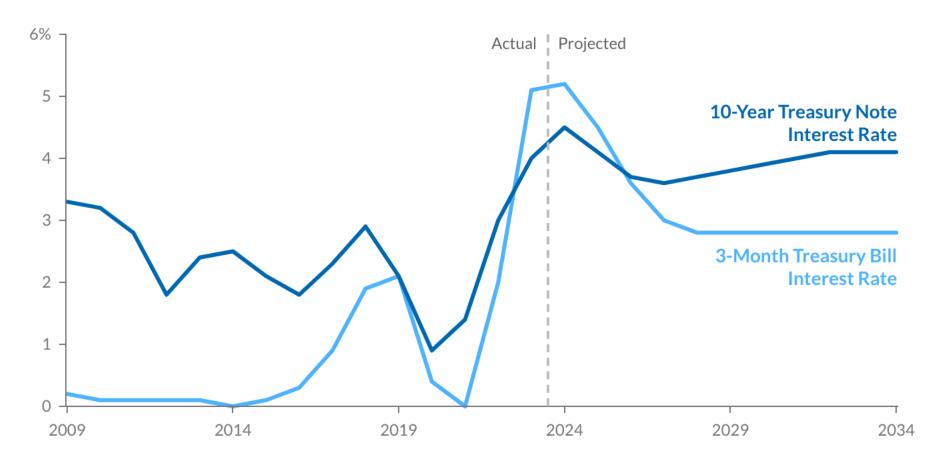
Source: Federal Reserve Economic Data

Notes: The effective rate is calculated as a weighted average of all rates charged by the banks for lending to other banks across the country. The target rate range is specified by the members of the Federal Open Market Committee under the Federal Reserve.



### CBO projects that short- and long-term interest rates will decrease by the end of the decade

**Rate (%)** 

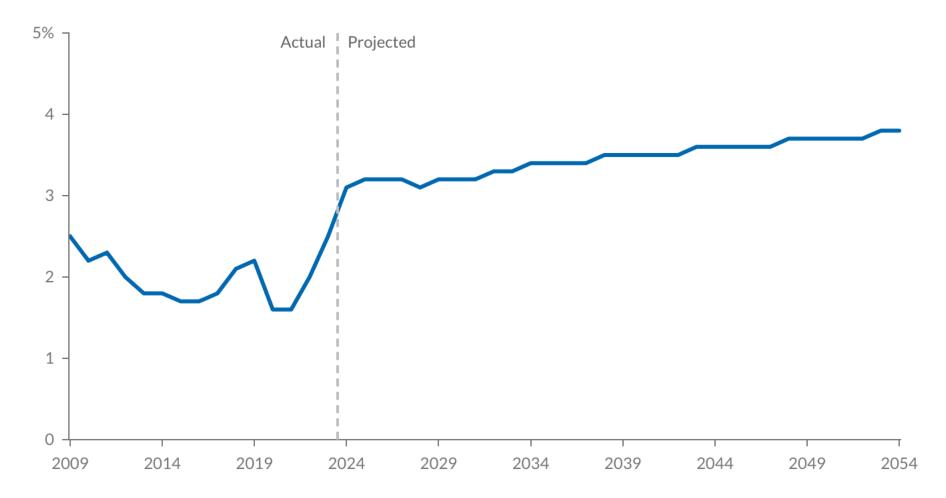


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#### The average interest rate on federal debt is expected to rise

Nominal Interest Rate on all Federal Debt Held by the Public (%)



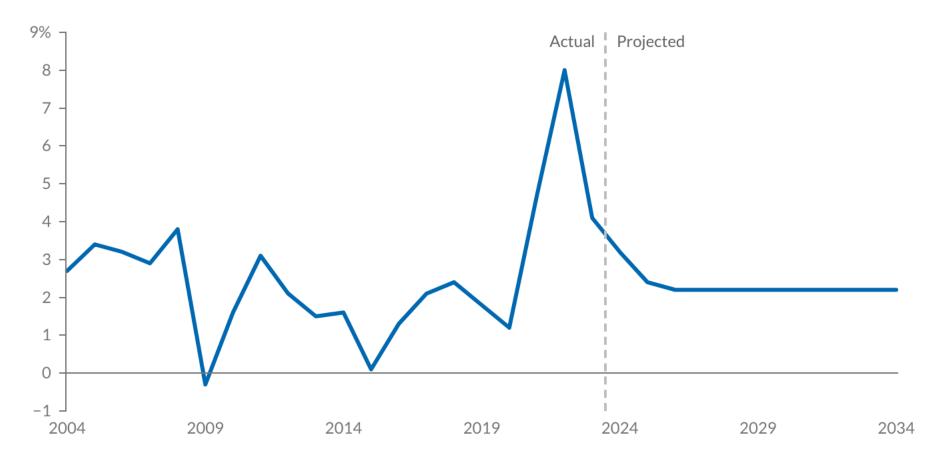
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Note: The interest rate on all federal debt held by the public equals net interest payments in the current fiscal year divided by debt held by the public at the end of the previous fiscal year.



## Inflation is projected to moderate to around 2.2 percent over the next 10 years

Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (%)

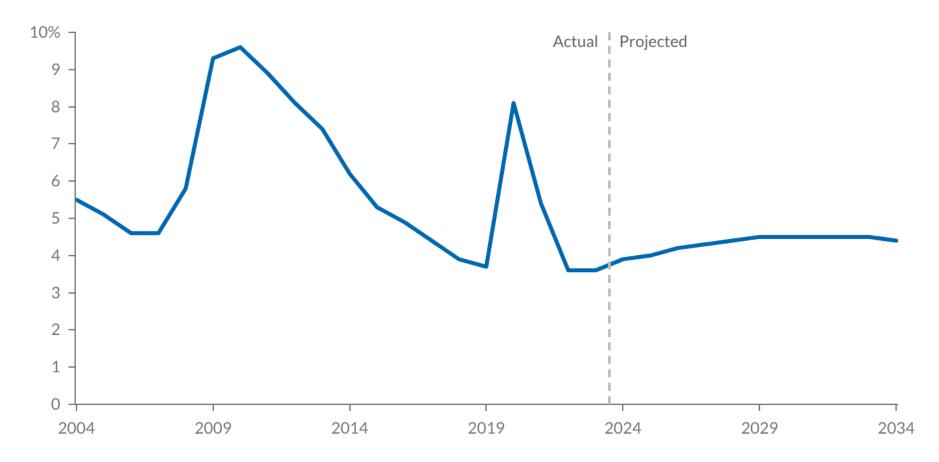


Source: Congressional Budget Office



# The unemployment rate is projected to be around 4.5 percent through the next several years

**Unemployment Rate (%)** 



Source: Congressional Budget Office

