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Data availability heatmap

COVERAGE
1800–2030

VARIABLES
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Source coverage by variable

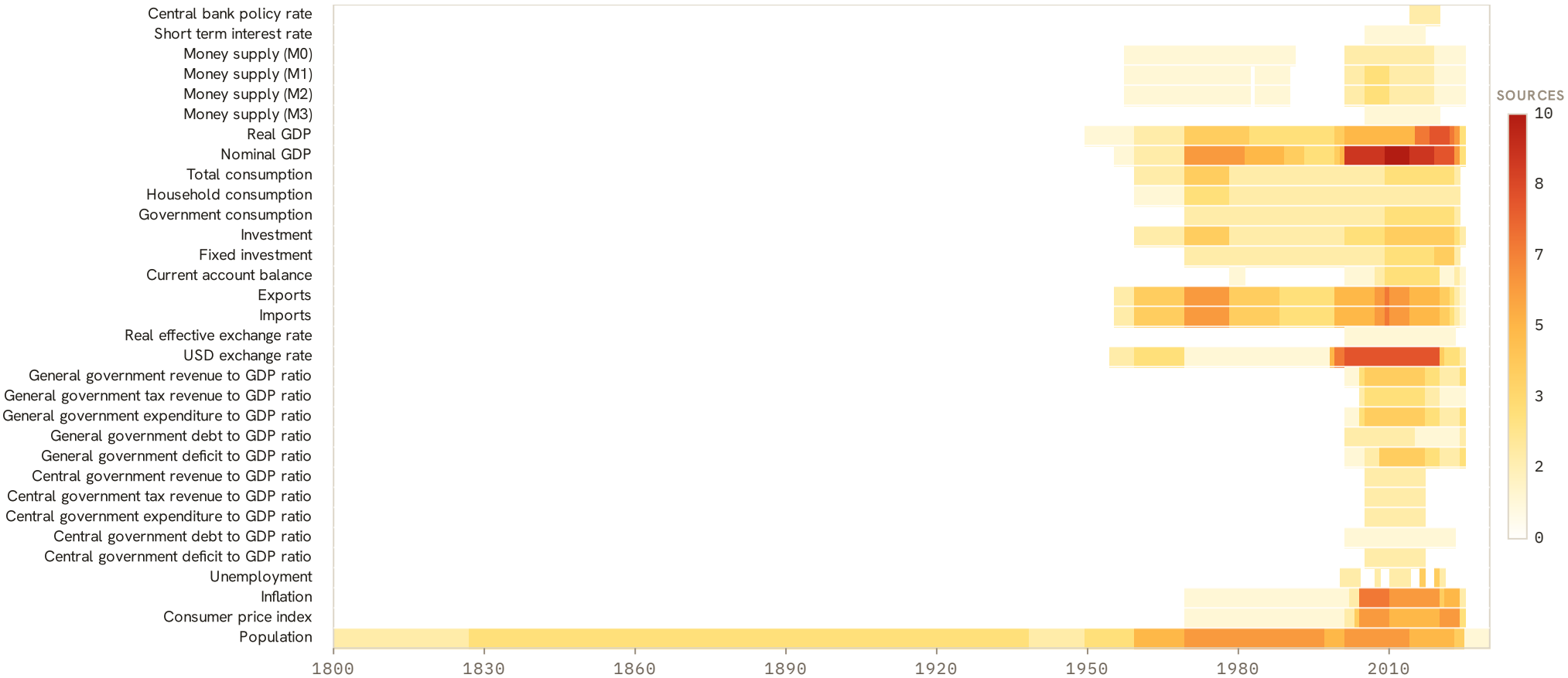


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Central Bank Policy Rate

COVERAGE

2015–2020

UNIT

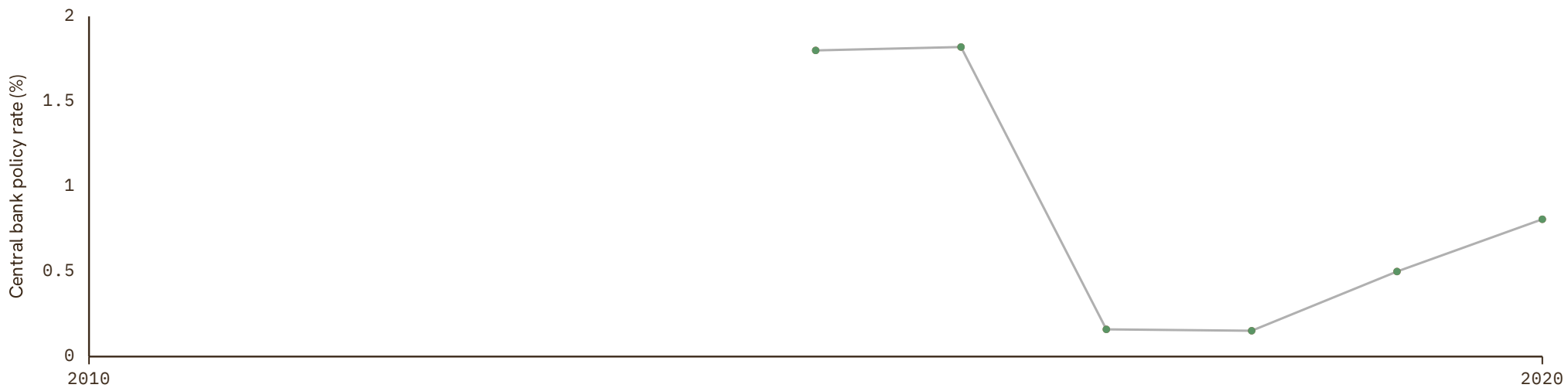
in %

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF IFS	2015 - 2020	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate ● Grimm ● IMF IFS



Short Term Interest Rate

COVERAGE

2006–2017

UNIT

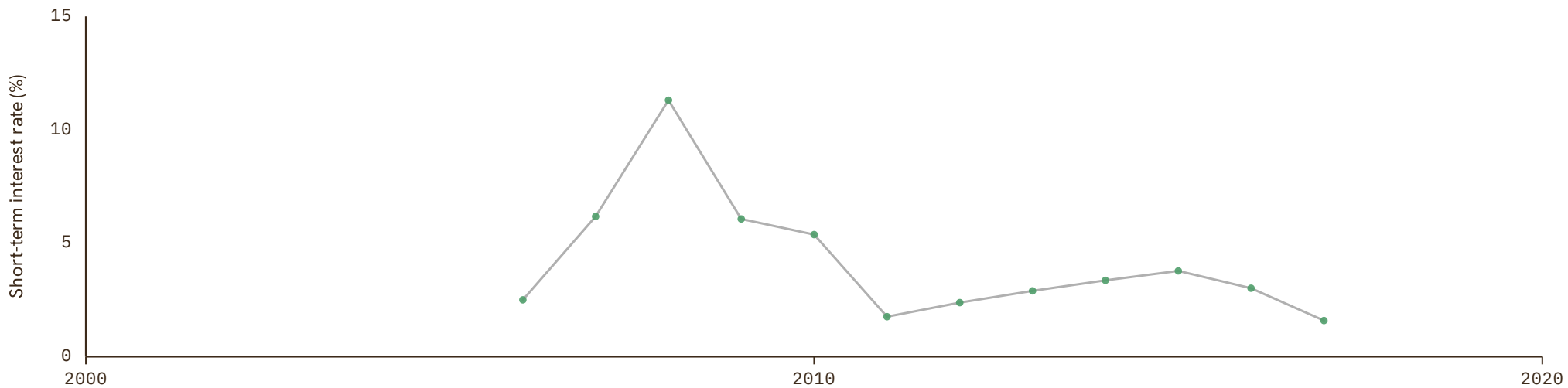
in %

1 Source composition

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International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF IFS	2006 - 2017	Replacing using overlapping data in 2018.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate ● IMF IFS



Money Supply (M0)

COVERAGE
1958-2025

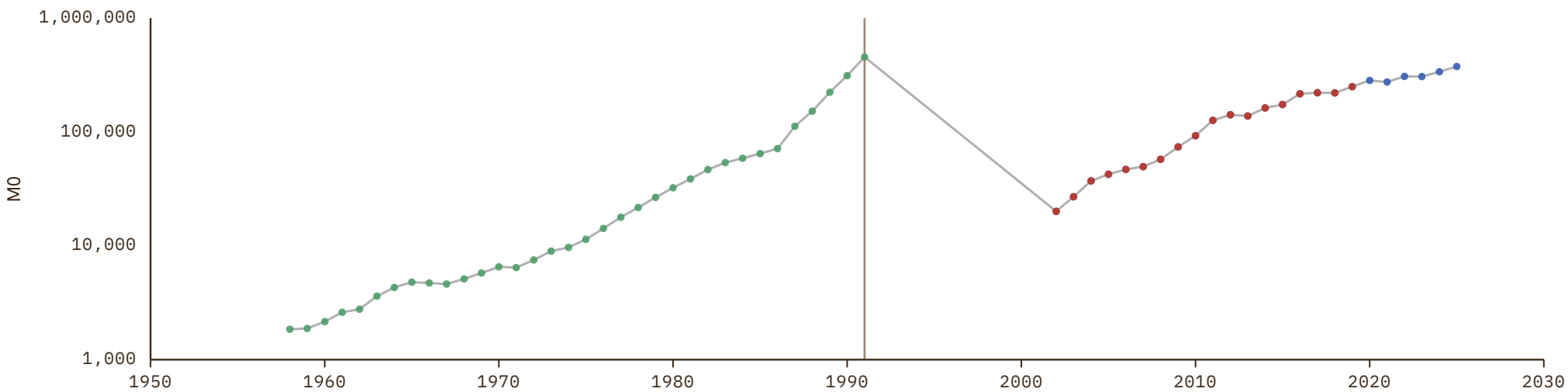
UNIT
millions of LC

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
Brian Mitchell (2013)	Mitchell	1958 - 1991	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1992: (ratio = 100%).
Asian Development Bank (2024)	ADB	2002 - 2025	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2023.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate | Source change ● ADB ● ADB ARC ● Mitchell



Money Supply (M1)

COVERAGE
1958-2025

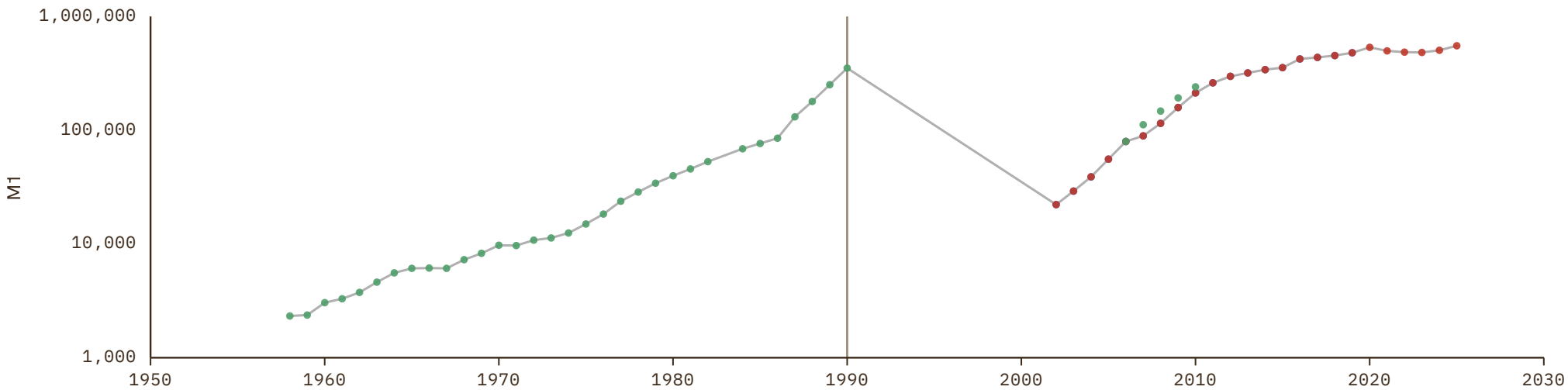
UNIT
millions of LC

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
Brian Mitchell (2013)	Mitchell	1958 - 1982	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1983: (ratio = 100%).
Brian Mitchell (2013)	Mitchell	1984 - 1990	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1991: (ratio = 100%).
Asian Development Bank (2024)	ADB	2002 - 2025	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate | Source change ● ADB ARC ● ADB ● Mitchell



Money Supply (M2)

COVERAGE
1958-2025

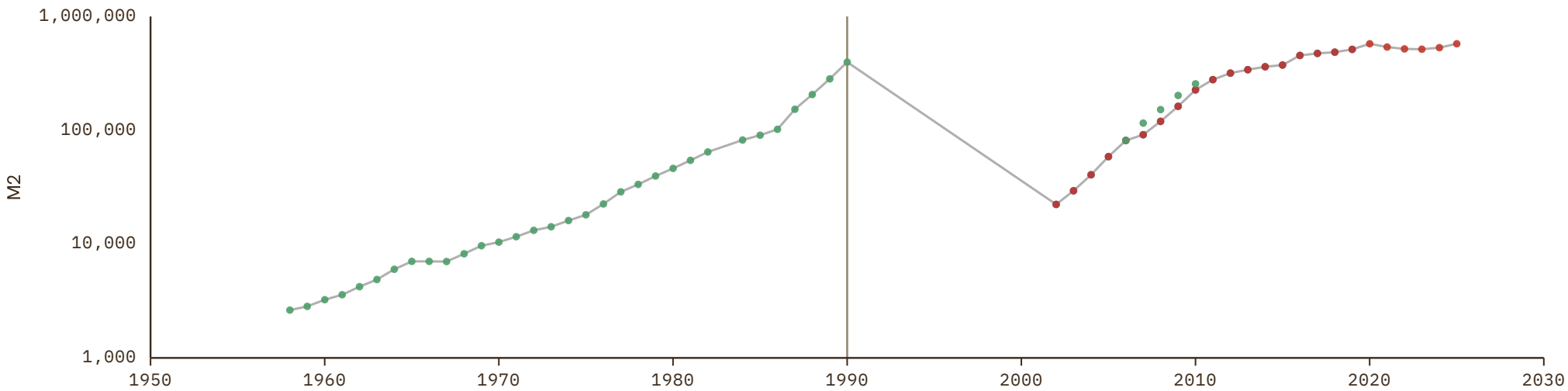
UNIT
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1 Source composition

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Brian Mitchell (2013)	Mitchell	1984 - 1990	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1991: (ratio = 100%).
Asian Development Bank (2024)	ADB	2002 - 2025	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate | Source change ● ADB ARC ● ADB ● Mitchell



Money Supply (M3)

COVERAGE
2006-2020

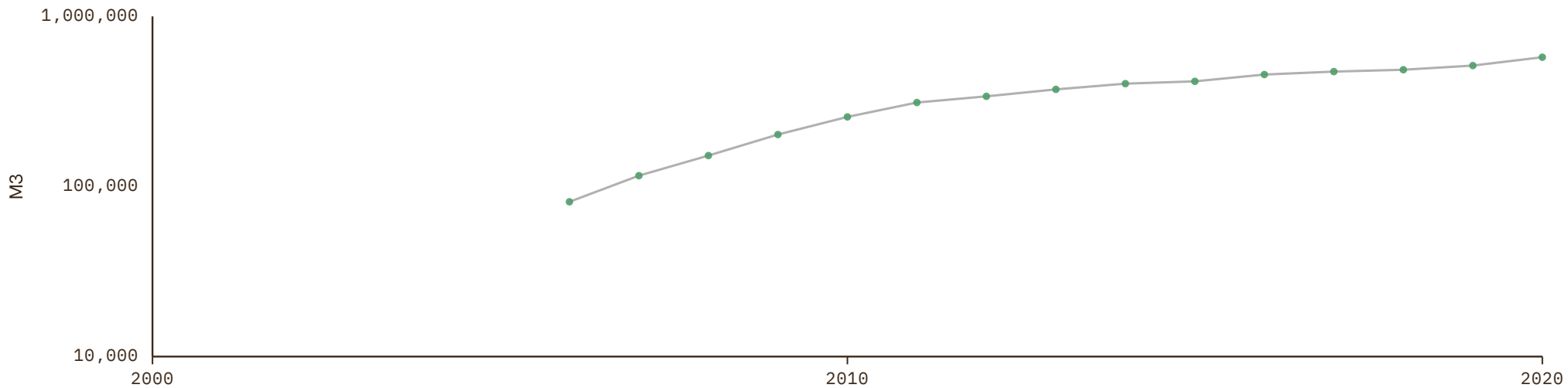
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1 Source composition

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2 Historical series

— GMD estimate ● IMF IFS



Real GDP

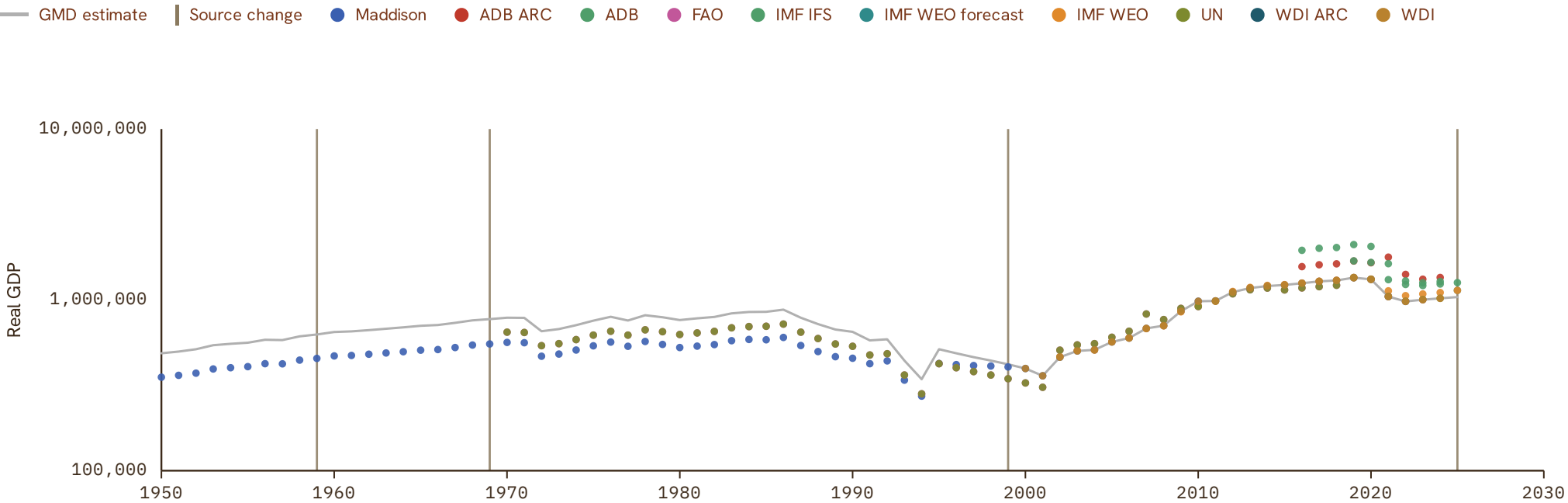
COVERAGE
1950–2025

UNIT
millions of LC

1 Source composition

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Inklaar et al. (2018)	Maddison	1950 - 1959	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 138%).
World Bank (1999)	WDI ARC	1960 - 1969	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1970: (ratio = 596331.9%).
United Nations (2024)	UN	1970 - 1999	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 2000: (ratio = 121.6%).
World Bank (2024)	WDI	2000 - 2024	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.
Asian Development Bank (2024)	ADB	2025 - 2025	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 2026: (ratio = 82.4%).

2 Historical series



Nominal GDP

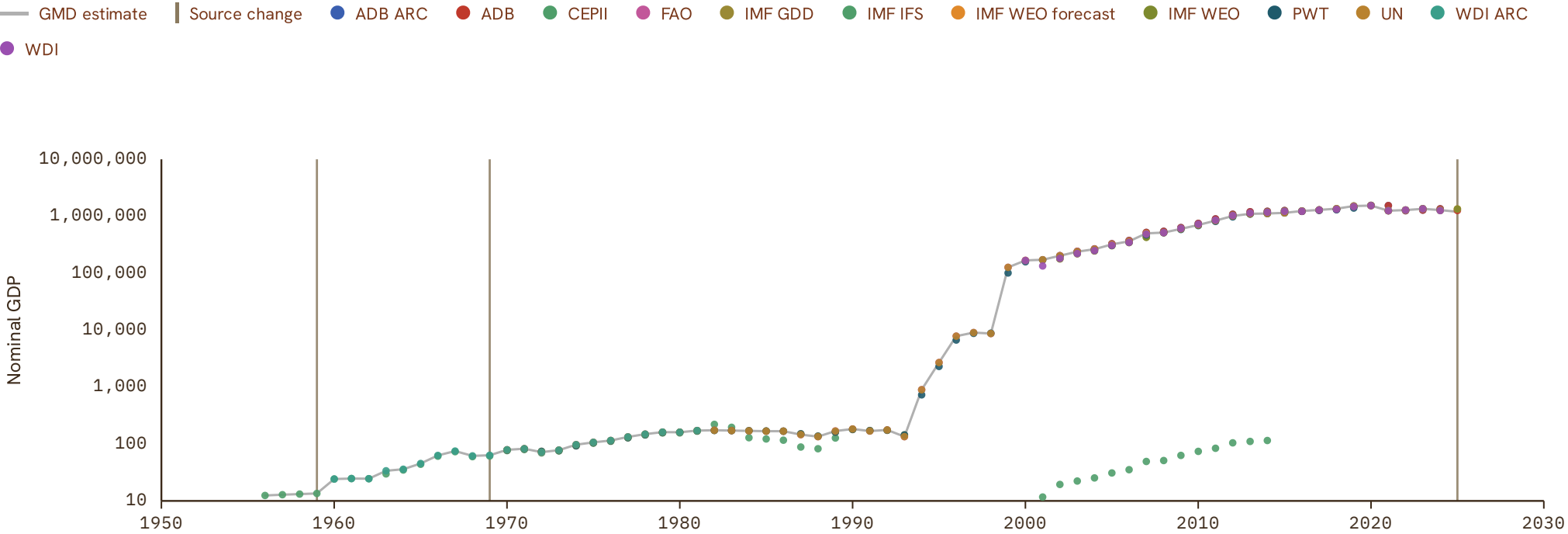
COVERAGE
1956-2025

UNIT
millions of LC

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
Fouquin et al. (2016)	CEPII	1956 - 1959	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 100%).
World Bank (1999)	WDI ARC	1960 - 1969	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1970: (ratio = 100%).
United Nations (2024)	UN	1970 - 2024	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.
Asian Development Bank (2024)	ADB	2025 - 2025	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 2026: (ratio = 94.8%).

2 Historical series



Total Consumption

COVERAGE
1960-2024

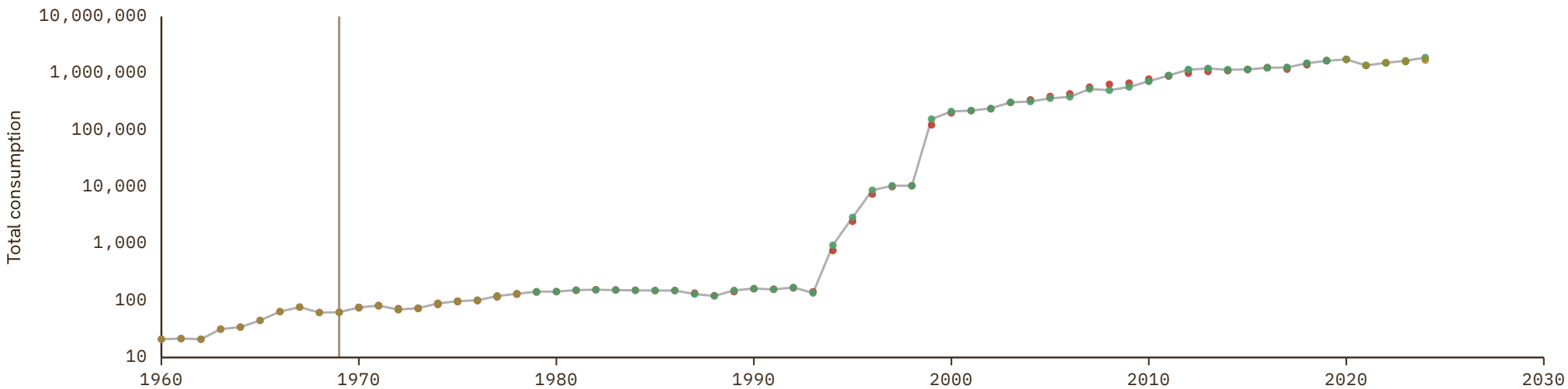
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millions of LC

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
World Bank (2024)	WDI	1960 - 1969	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1970: (ratio = 100%).
United Nations (2024)	UN	1970 - 2024	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate | Source change ● IMF IFS ● PWT ● UN ● WDI ARC ● WDI



Household Consumption

COVERAGE
1960-2024

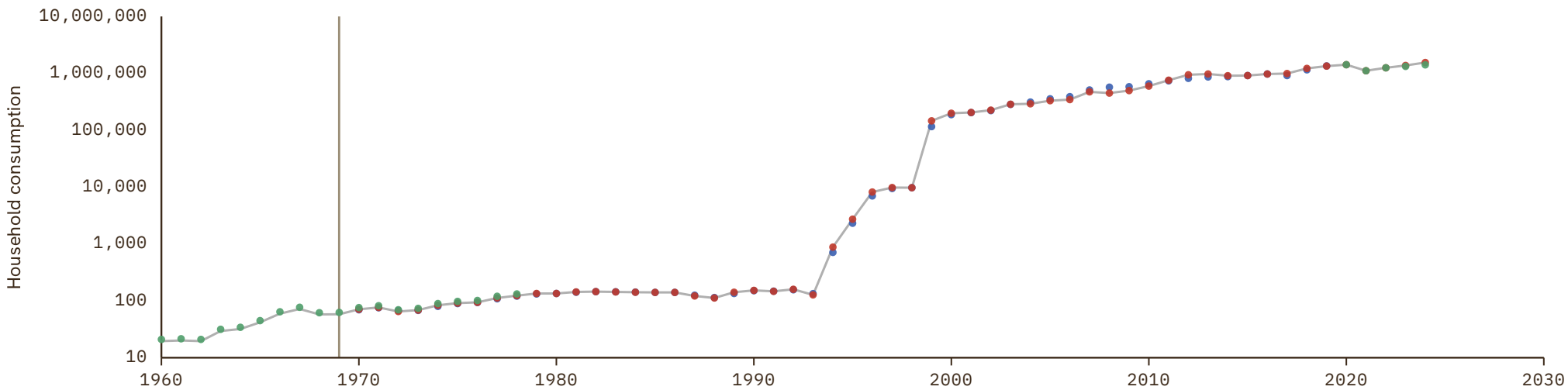
UNIT
millions of LC

1 Source composition

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World Bank (2024)	WDI	1960 - 1969	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1970: (ratio = 93.3%).
United Nations (2024)	UN	1970 - 2024	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate | Source change ● PWT ● UN ● WDI



Government Consumption

COVERAGE
1970-2024

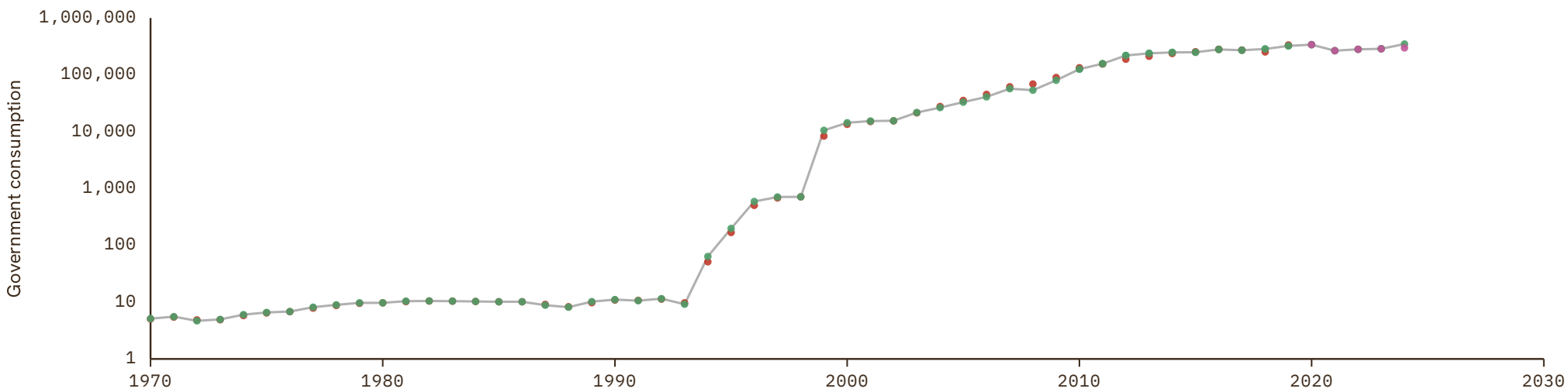
UNIT
millions of LC

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
United Nations (2024)	UN	1970 - 2024	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate ● IMF IFS ● PWT ● UN ● WDI



Investment

COVERAGE
1960-2025

UNIT
millions of LC

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
World Bank (2024)	WDI	1960 - 1969	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1970: (ratio = 100%).
United Nations (2024)	UN	1970 - 2024	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.
International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF WEO	2025 - 2025	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 2026: (ratio = 104%).

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate | Source change ● IMF IFS ● IMF WEO forecast ● IMF WEO ● PWT ● UN ● WDI ARC ● WDI



Fixed Investment

COVERAGE
1970-2024

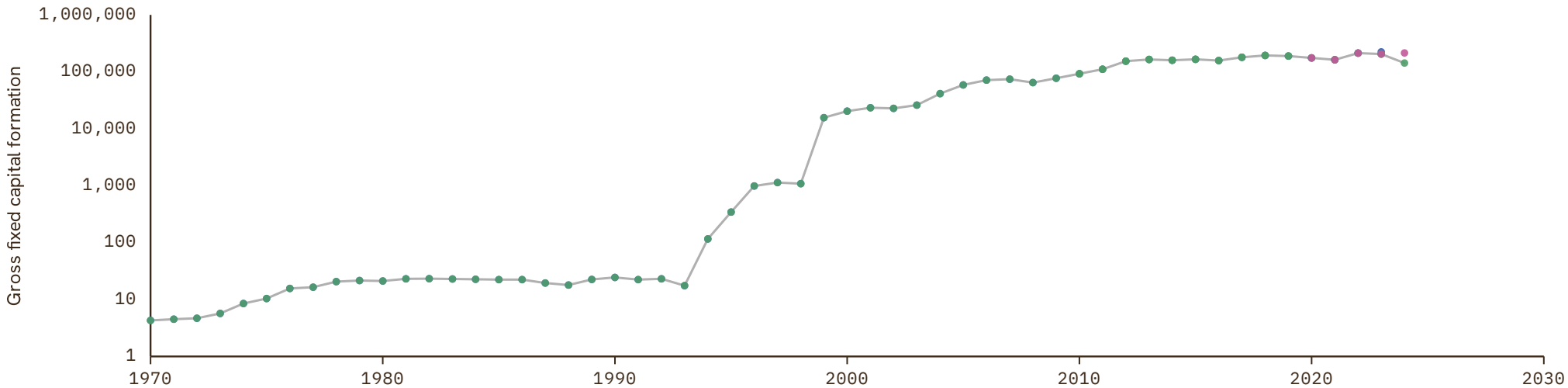
UNIT
millions of LC

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
United Nations (2024)	UN	1970 - 2024	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate ● FAO ● IMF IFS ● UN ● WDI



Current Account Balance

COVERAGE
1979-2025

UNIT
in %

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
World Bank (1999)	WDI ARC	1979 - 1981	Replacing using overlapping data in 1982.
International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF WEO	2002 - 2007	Replacing using overlapping data in 2008.
World Bank (2024)	WDI	2008 - 2020	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.
International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF WEO	2021 - 2024	Replacing using overlapping data in 2025.
International Monetary Fund (2025) <i>(forecasts)</i>	IMF WEO forecast	2025 - 2025	Replacing using overlapping data in 2026.

2 Historical series

GMD forecast

GMD estimate

Source change

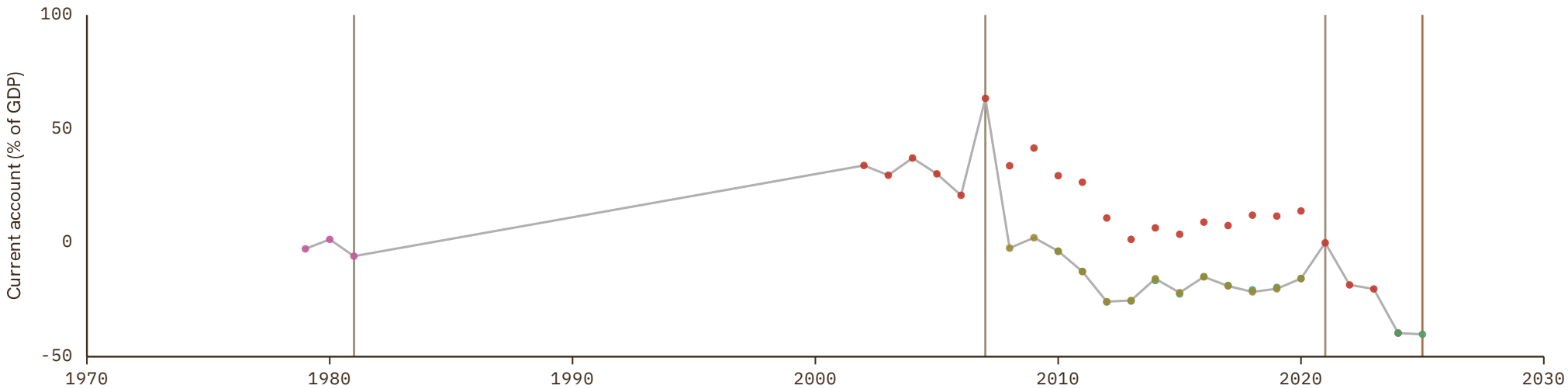
IMF IFS

IMF WEO

IMF WEO forecast

WDI ARC

WDI



Exports

COVERAGE
1956-2025

UNIT
millions of LC

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
Brian Mitchell (2013)	Mitchell	1956 - 1959	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 51.3%).
World Bank (2024)	WDI	1960 - 1969	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1970: (ratio = 100%).
United Nations (2024)	UN	1970 - 2024	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.
International Monetary Fund (2025) <i>(forecasts)</i>	IMF WEO forecast	2025 - 2025	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 2026: (ratio = 100%).

2 Historical series

GMD forecast

GMD estimate

Source change

ADB ARC

ADB

CEPII

IMF IFS

IMF WEO forecast

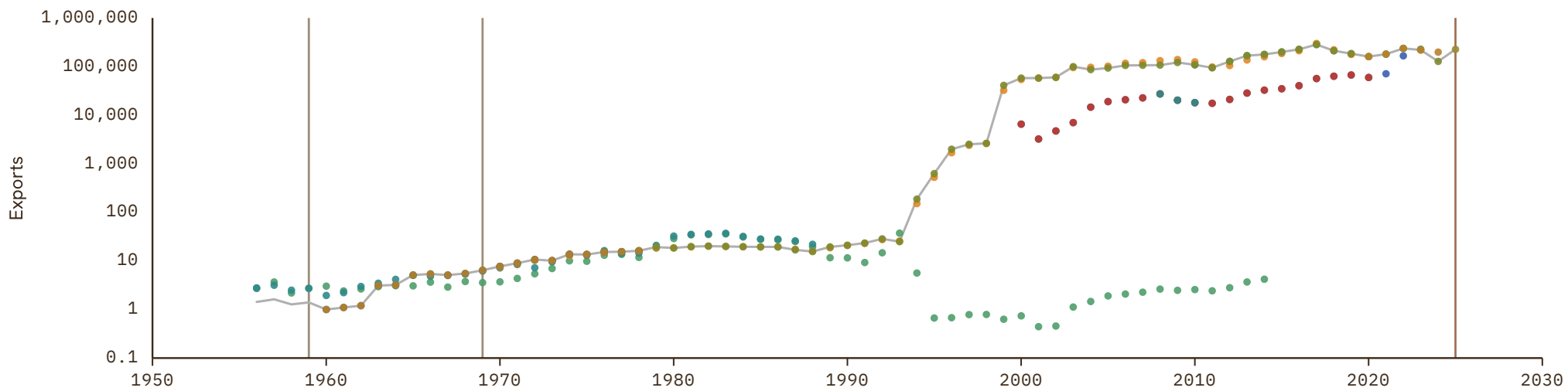
Mitchell

PWT

UN

WDI ARC

WDI



Imports

COVERAGE
1956-2025

UNIT
millions of LC

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
Brian Mitchell (2013)	Mitchell	1956 - 1959	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 50.1%).
World Bank (2024)	WDI	1960 - 1969	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1970: (ratio = 100%).
United Nations (2024)	UN	1970 - 2024	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.
International Monetary Fund (2025) <i>(forecasts)</i>	IMF WEO forecast	2025 - 2025	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 2026: (ratio = 100%).

2 Historical series

GMD forecast

GMD estimate

Source change

ADB ARC

ADB

CEPII

IMF IFS

IMF WEO forecast

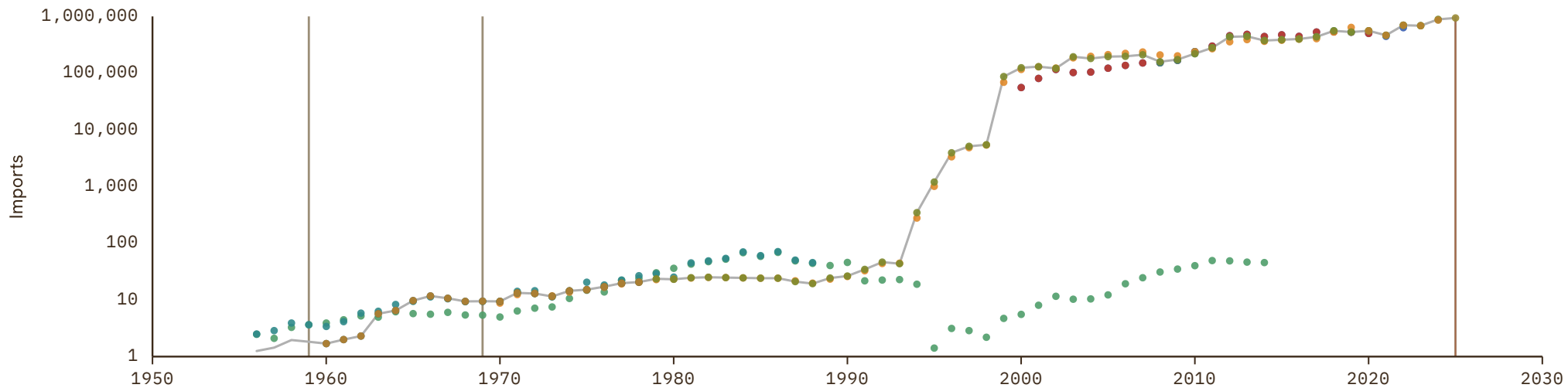
Mitchell

PWT

UN

WDI ARC

WDI



Real Effective Exchange Rate

COVERAGE
2002-2023

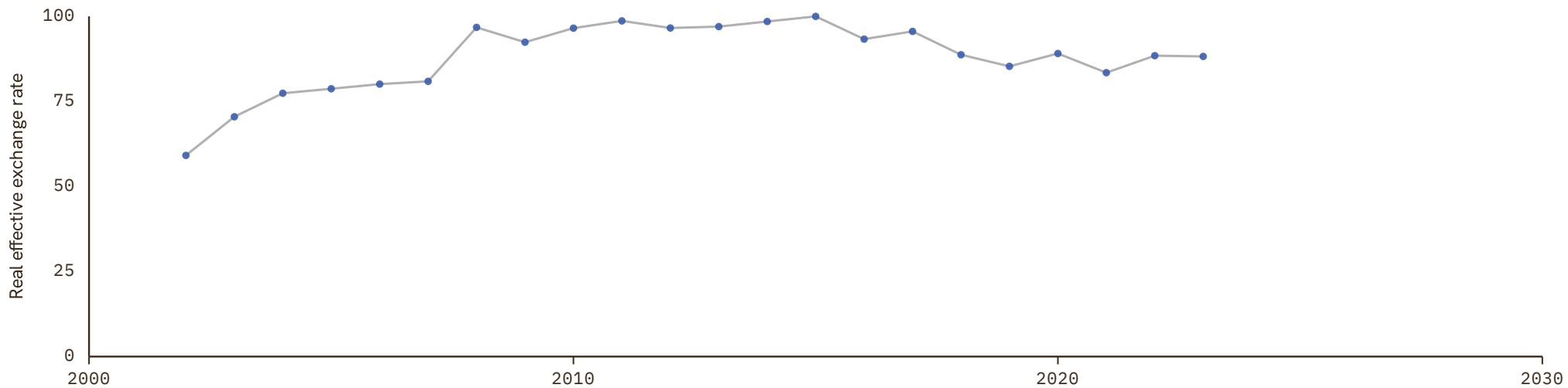
UNIT
index, 2015 = 100

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
Darvas (2021)	BRUEGEL	2002 - 2023	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate ● BRUEGEL



USD Exchange Rate

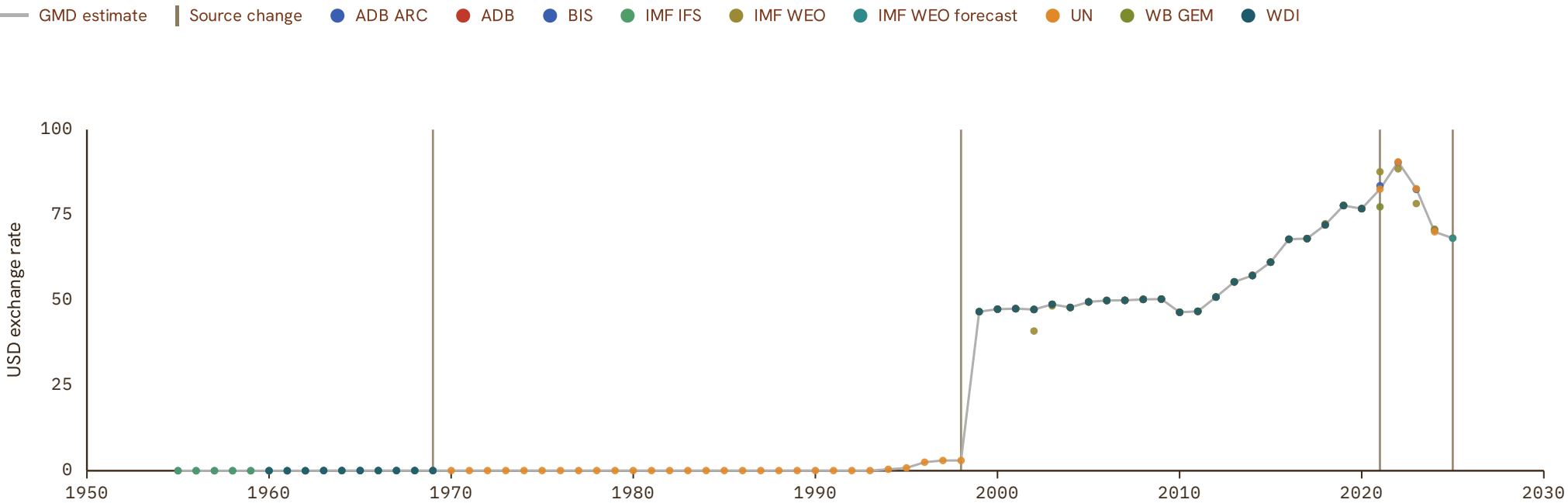
COVERAGE
1955-2025

UNIT
1 USD in LC

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
Bank for Internl Settlements (2024)	BIS	1955 - 1969	Replacing using overlapping data in 1970.
United Nations (2024)	UN	1970 - 1998	Replacing using overlapping data in 1999.
Bank for Internl Settlements (2024)	BIS	1999 - 2020	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.
United Nations (2024)	UN	2021 - 2024	Replacing using overlapping data in 2025.
International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF WEO	2025 - 2025	Replacing using overlapping data in 2026.

2 Historical series



General Government Revenue To GDP Ratio

COVERAGE
2002-2025

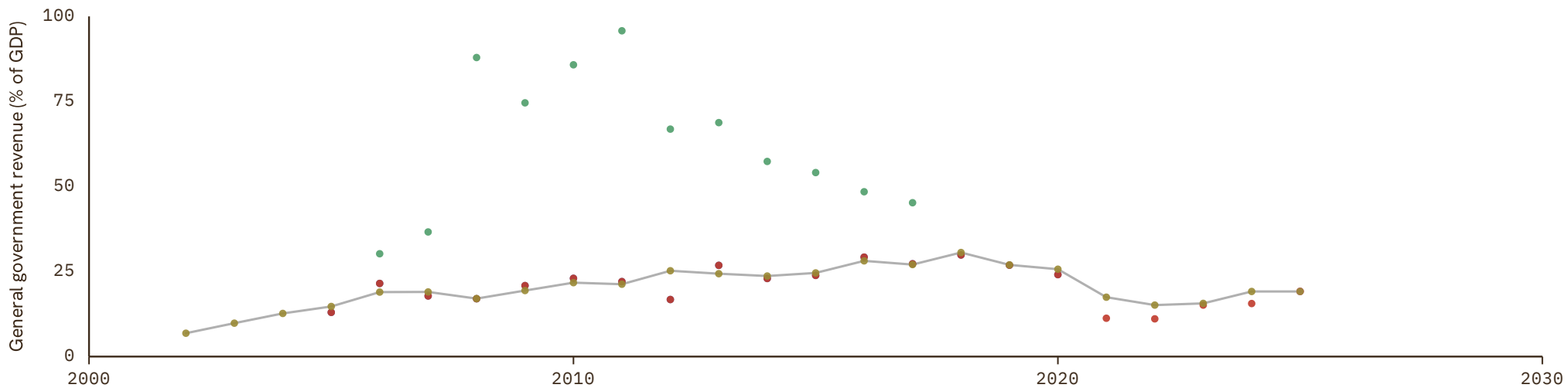
UNIT
in %

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF WEO	2002 - 2025	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2015.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate ● ADB ARC ● ADB ● IMF GFS ● IMF WEO forecast ● IMF WEO



General Government Tax Revenue To GDP Ratio

COVERAGE
2005–2025

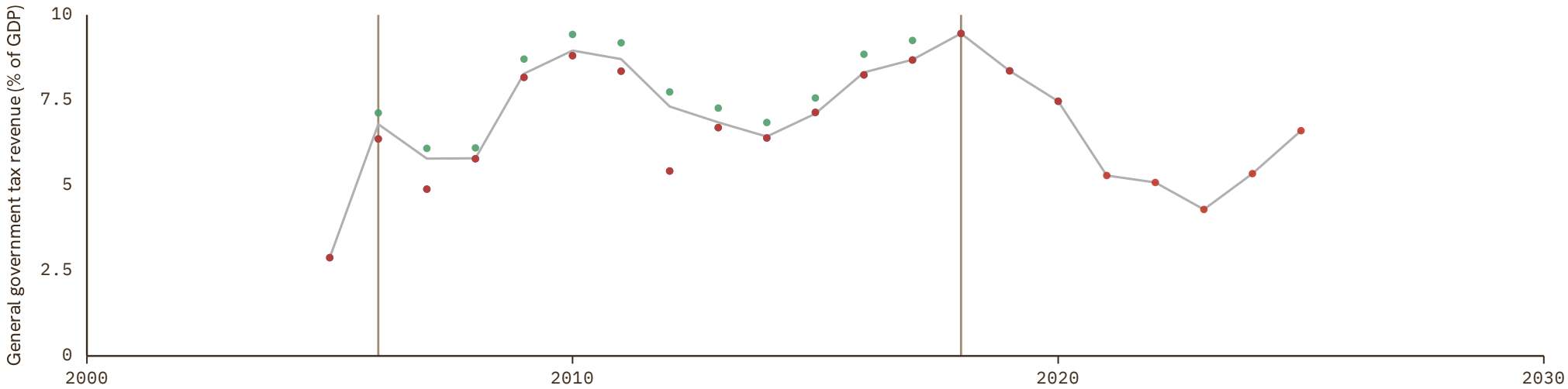
UNIT
in %

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
Asian Development Bank (2024)	ADB	2005 - 2005	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 2006: (ratio = 100%).
International Monetary Fund (2024)	IMF GFS	2006 - 2017	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2015.
Asian Development Bank (2024)	ADB	2018 - 2025	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 2026: (ratio = 100%).

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate | Source change ● ADB ARC ● ADB ● IMF GFS



General Government Expenditure To GDP Ratio

COVERAGE
2002-2025

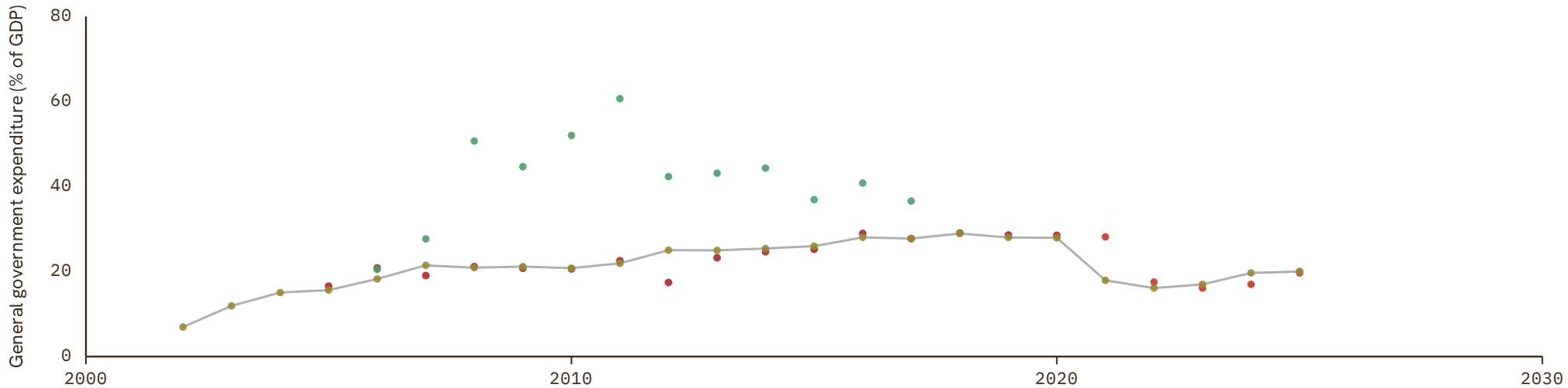
UNIT
in %

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF WEO	2002 - 2025	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2015.

2 Historical series

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General Government Debt To GDP Ratio

COVERAGE
2002-2025

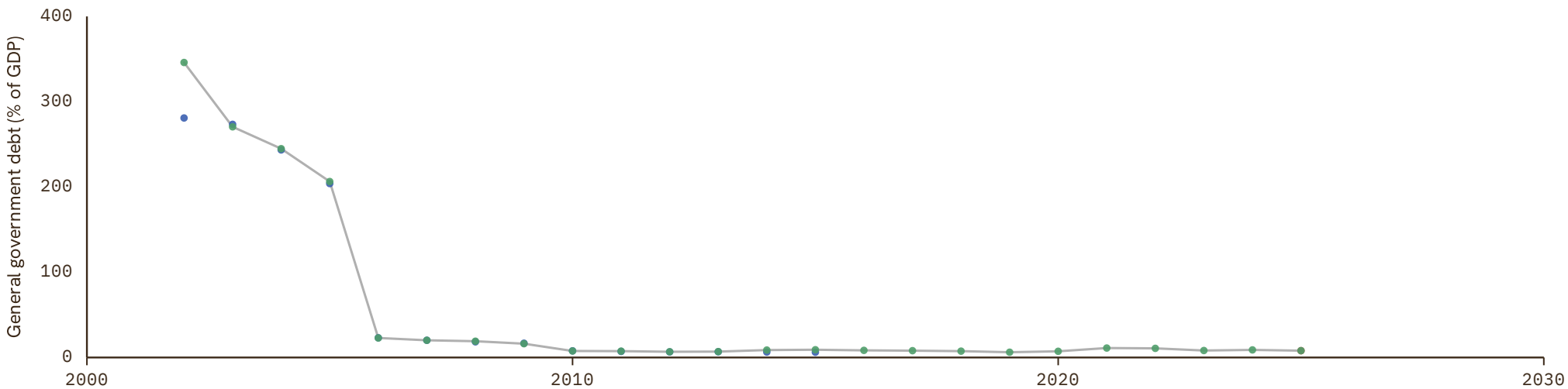
UNIT
in %

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF WEO	2002 - 2025	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2015.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate ● IMF HDD ● IMF WEO forecast ● IMF WEO



General Government Deficit To GDP Ratio

COVERAGE
2002–2025

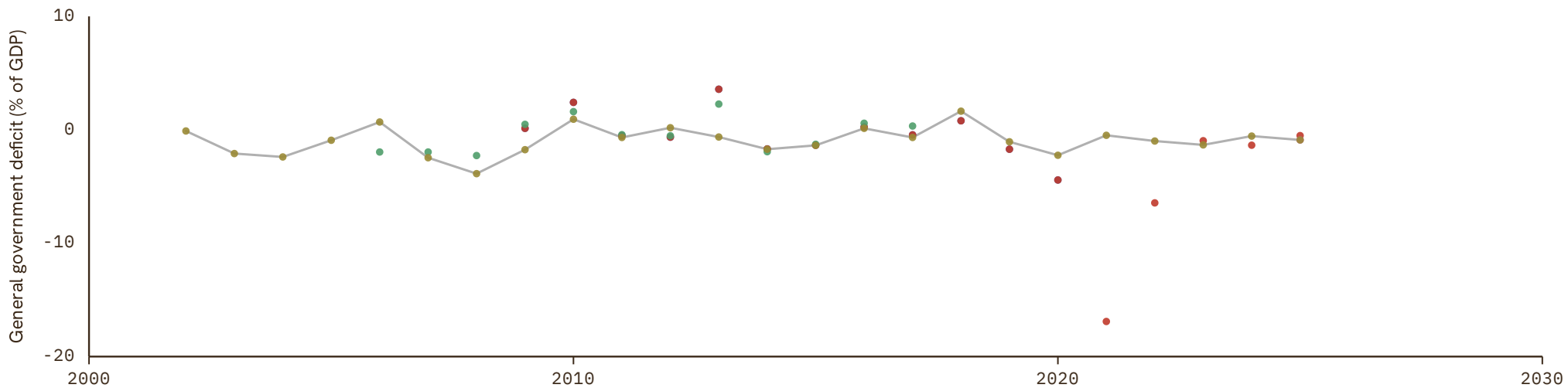
UNIT
in %

1 Source composition

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International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF WEO	2002 - 2025	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2015.

2 Historical series

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Central Government Revenue To GDP Ratio

COVERAGE

2006–2017

UNIT

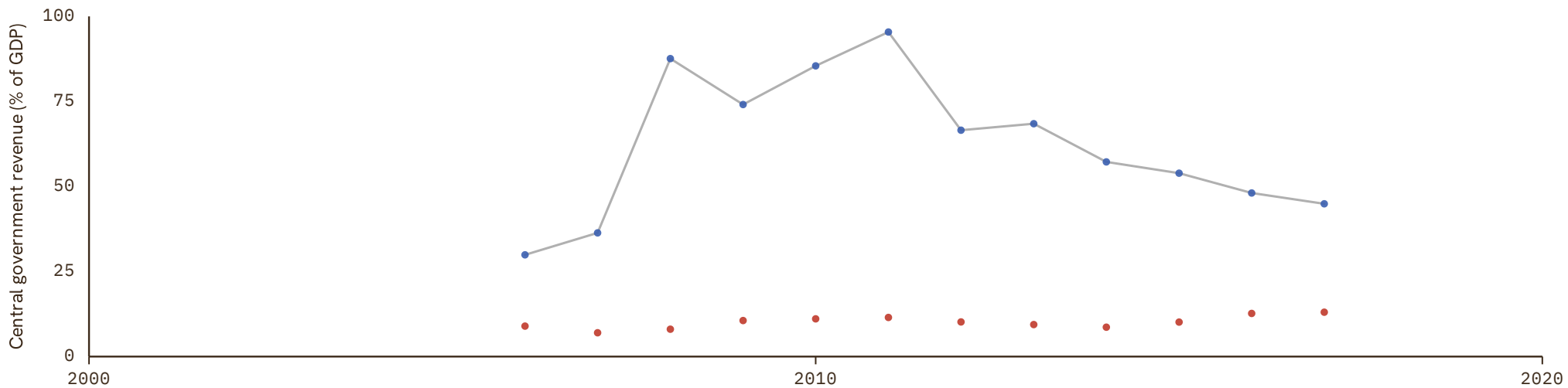
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1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
International Monetary Fund (2024)	IMF GFS	2006 - 2017	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2015.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate ● IMF GFS ● WDI



Central Government Tax Revenue To GDP Ratio

COVERAGE

2006-2017

UNIT

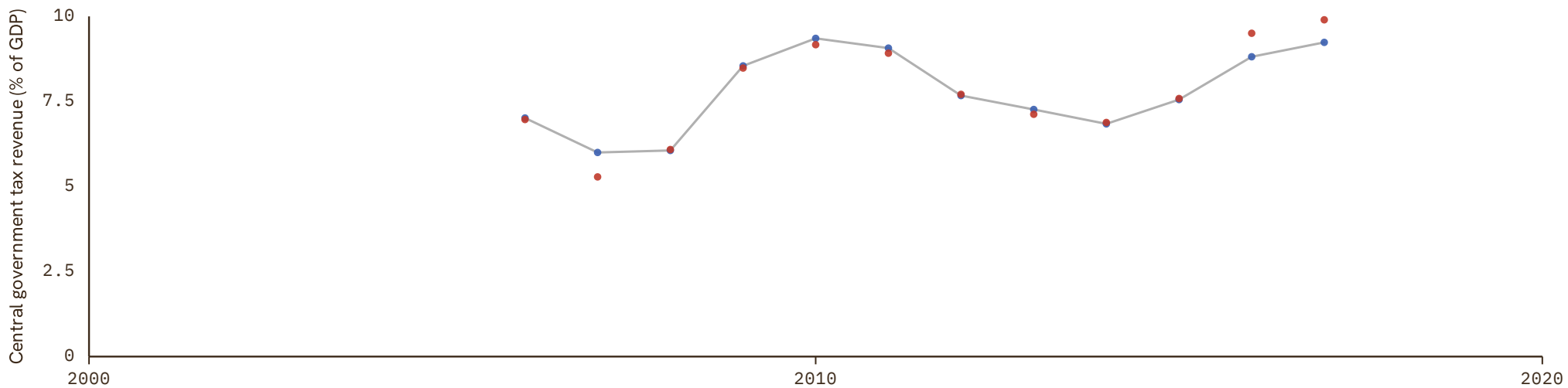
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2 Historical series

— GMD estimate ● IMF GFS ● WDI



Central Government Expenditure To GDP Ratio

COVERAGE
2006-2017

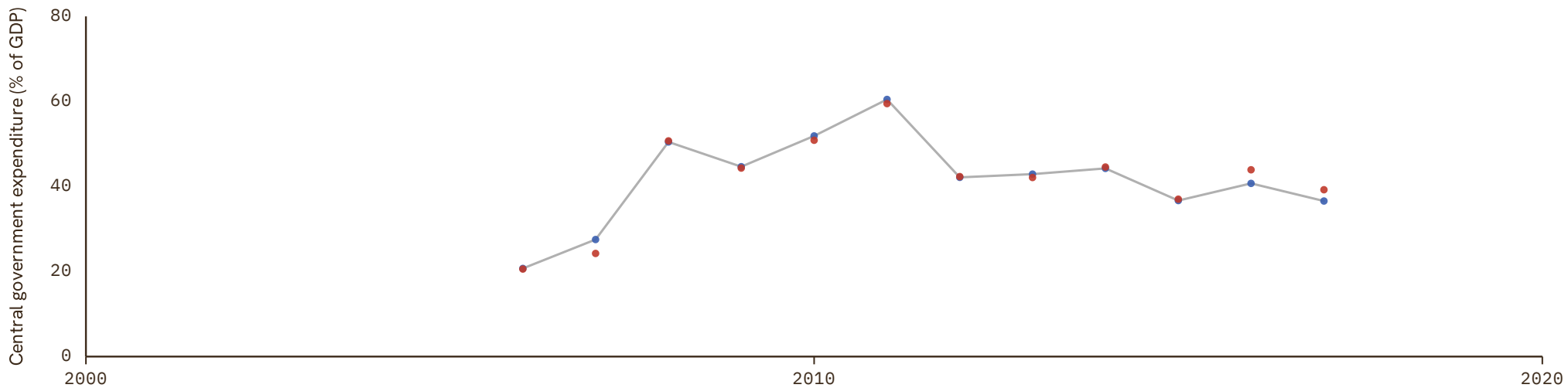
UNIT
in %

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
International Monetary Fund (2024)	IMF GFS	2006 - 2017	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2015.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate ● IMF GFS ● WDI



Central Government Debt To GDP Ratio

COVERAGE
2002-2023

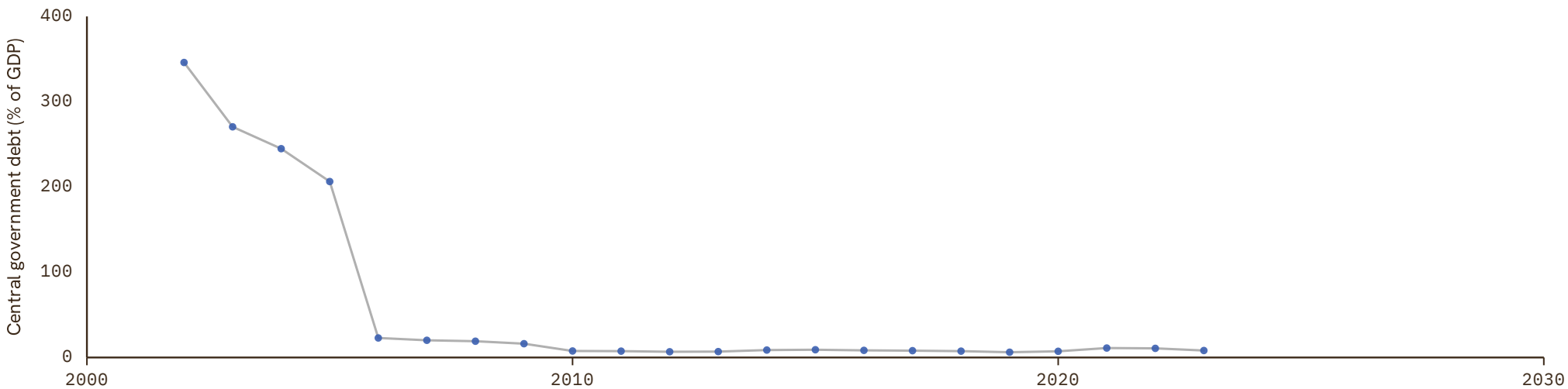
UNIT
in %

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
Samba Mbaye et al. (2018)	IMF GDD	2002 - 2023	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2015.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate ● IMF GDD



Central Government Deficit To GDP Ratio

COVERAGE
2006-2017

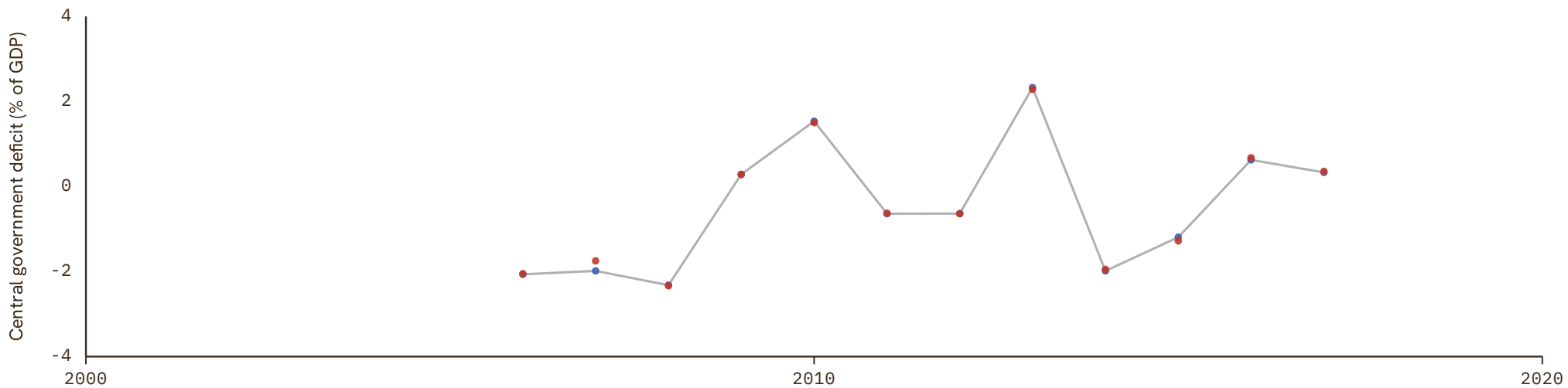
UNIT
in %

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
International Monetary Fund (2024)	IMF GFS	2006 - 2017	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2015.

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate ● IMF GFS ● WDI



Unemployment

COVERAGE

2001–2021

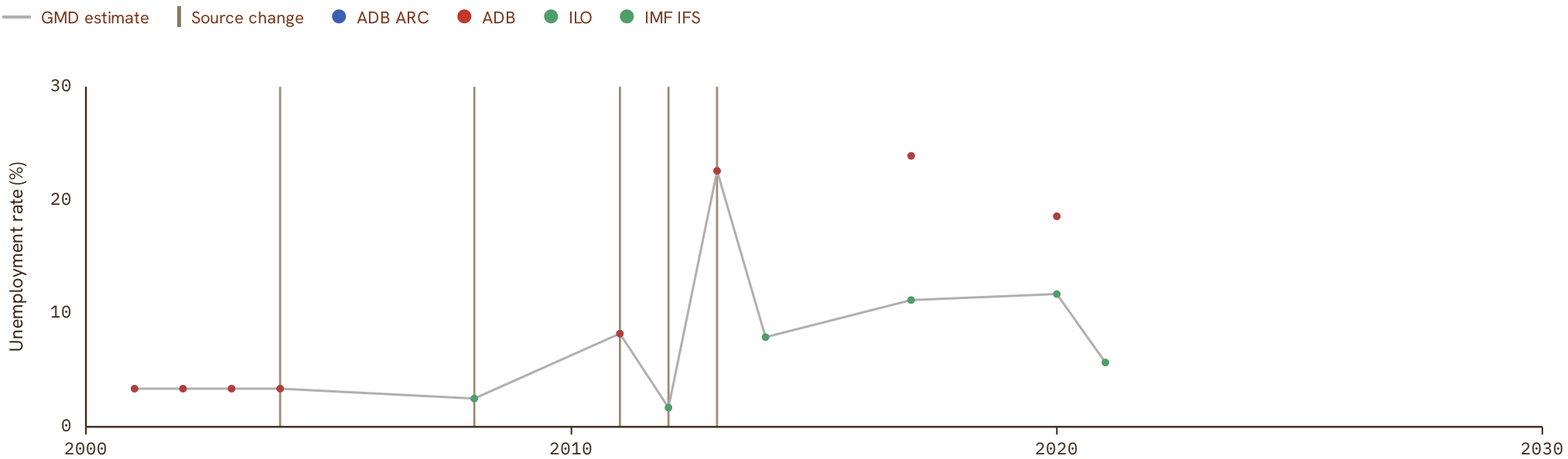
UNIT

in %

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
Asian Development Bank (2024)	ADB	2001 - 2004	Replacing using overlapping data in 2005.
International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF IFS	2008 - 2008	Replacing using overlapping data in 2009.
Asian Development Bank (2024)	ADB	2011 - 2011	Replacing using overlapping data in 2012.
International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF IFS	2012 - 2012	Replacing using overlapping data in 2013.
Asian Development Bank (2024)	ADB	2013 - 2013	Replacing using overlapping data in 2014.
International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF IFS	2014 - 2014	Replacing using overlapping data in 2015.
International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF IFS	2017 - 2017	Replacing using overlapping data in 2018.
International Monetary Fund (2025)	IMF IFS	2020 - 2021	Replacing using overlapping data in 2022.

2 Historical series



Inflation

COVERAGE

1970-2025

UNIT

in %

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
World Bank (2024)	WB	1970 - 2024	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.
Asian Development Bank (2024)	ADB	2025 - 2025	Replacing using overlapping data in 2026.

2 Historical series

GMD estimate

Source change

ADB

CLIO

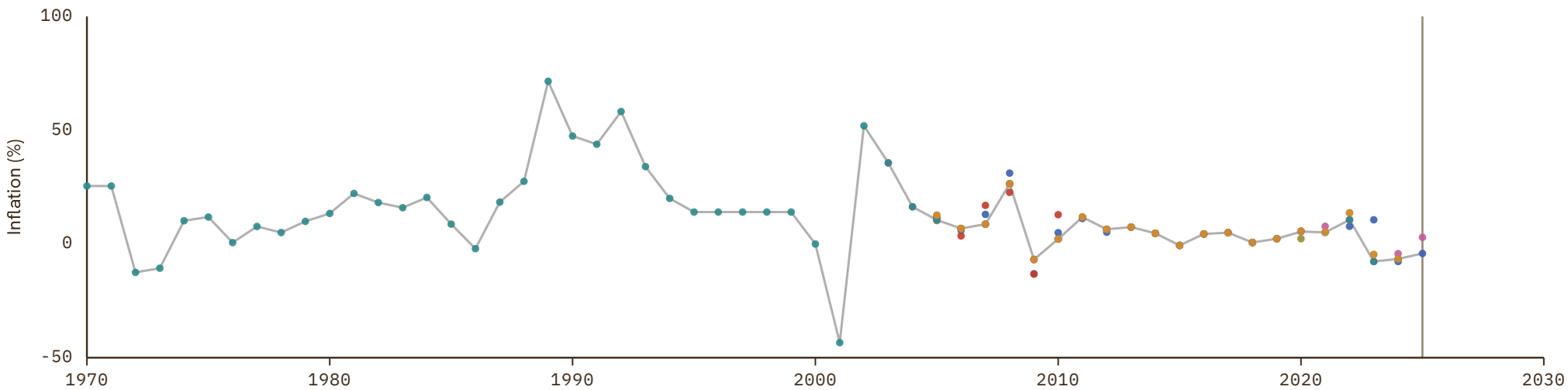
IMF IFS

IMF WEO

WB GEM

WB infl

WDI



Consumer Price Index

COVERAGE
1970-2025

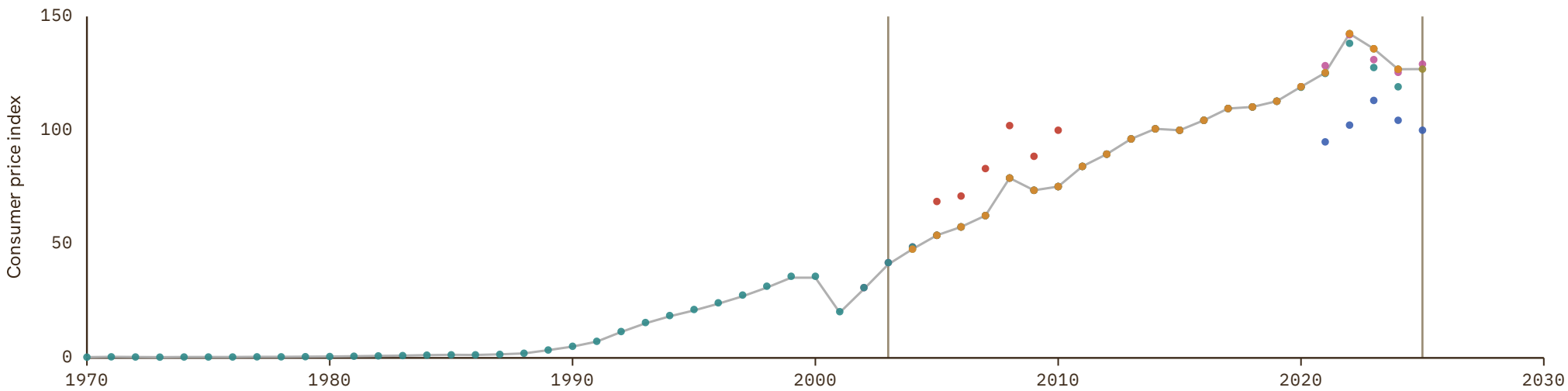
UNIT
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1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
Ha et al. (2023)	WB infl	1970 - 2003	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 2004: (ratio = 98.1%).
World Bank (2024)	WDI	2004 - 2024	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.
World Bank (2026)	WB GEM	2025 - 2025	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 2026: (ratio = 100%).

2 Historical series

— GMD estimate | Source change ● ADB ● CLIO ● IMF IFS ● IMF WEO ● WB GEM ● WB infl ● WDI



Population

COVERAGE

1800–2030

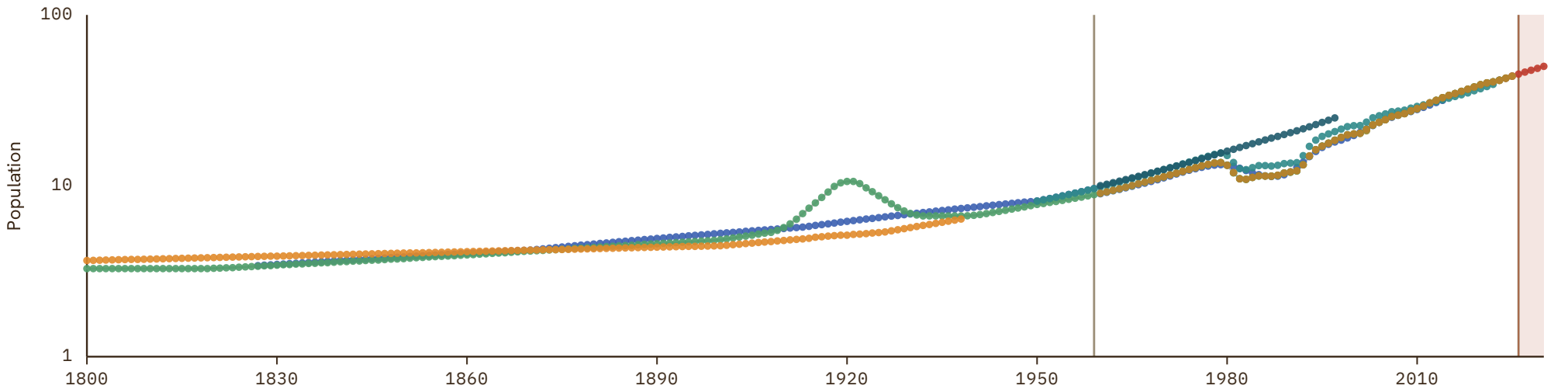
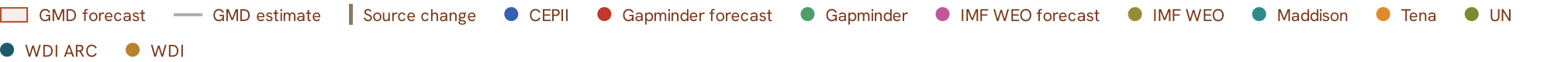
UNIT

millions

1 Source composition

SOURCE	CODE	TIME SPAN	NOTES
Gapminder (2024)	Gapminder	1800 - 1959	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 1960: (ratio = 99.9%).
World Bank (2024)	WDI	1960 - 2025	Baseline source, overlaps with anchor year 2018.
Gapminder (2024) (forecasts)	Gapminder forecast	2026 - 2030	Ratio-spliced using overlapping data in 2031: (ratio = 100.1%).

2 Historical series



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