

Haiti: trade, migration and poverty

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Dominican Republic vs. Haiti income (GDP) per person

(Source: IMF World Economic Outlook, October 2009 \$ppp 2009)

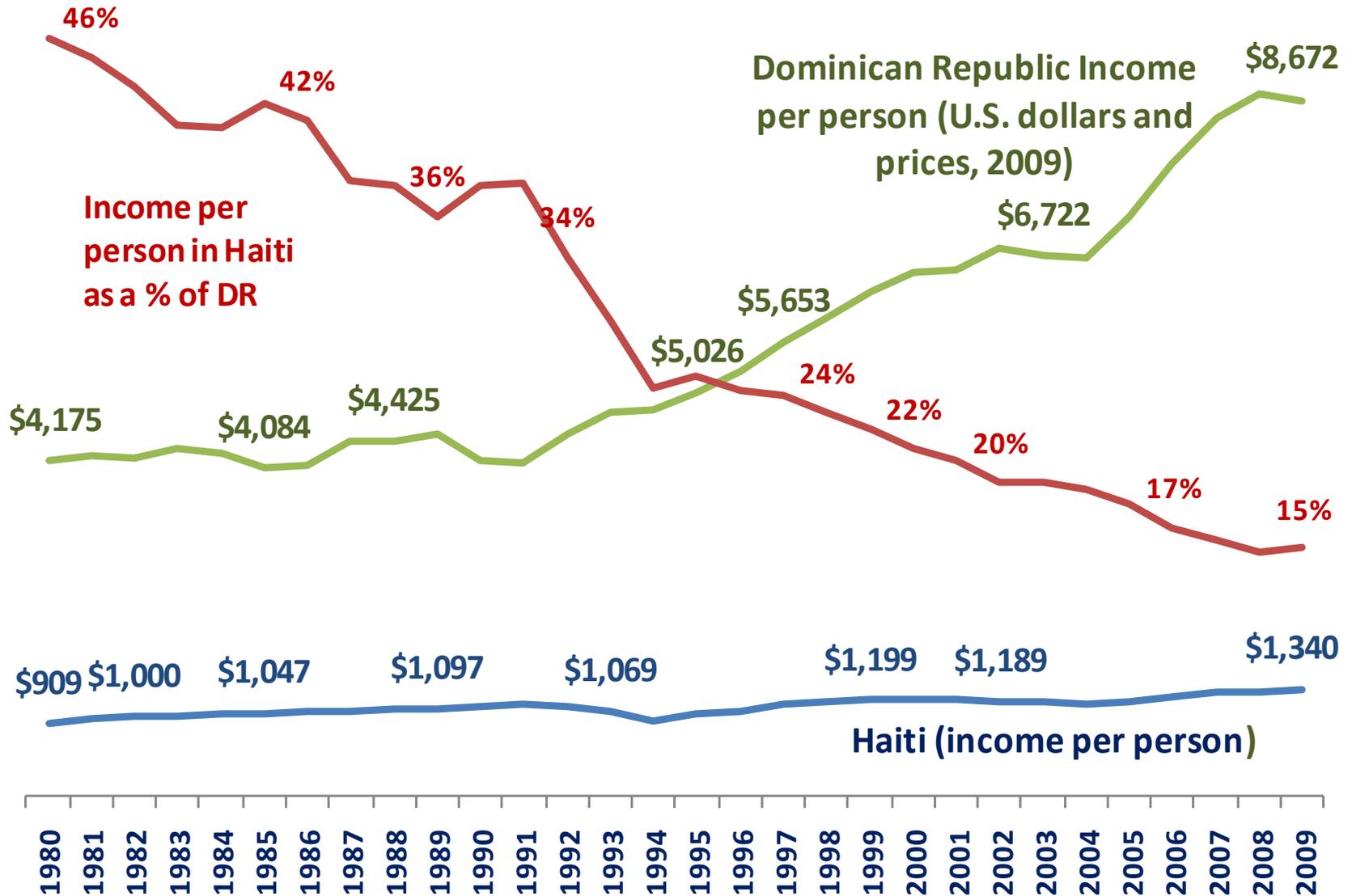


Figure 1: Per capita income \$2005 PPP

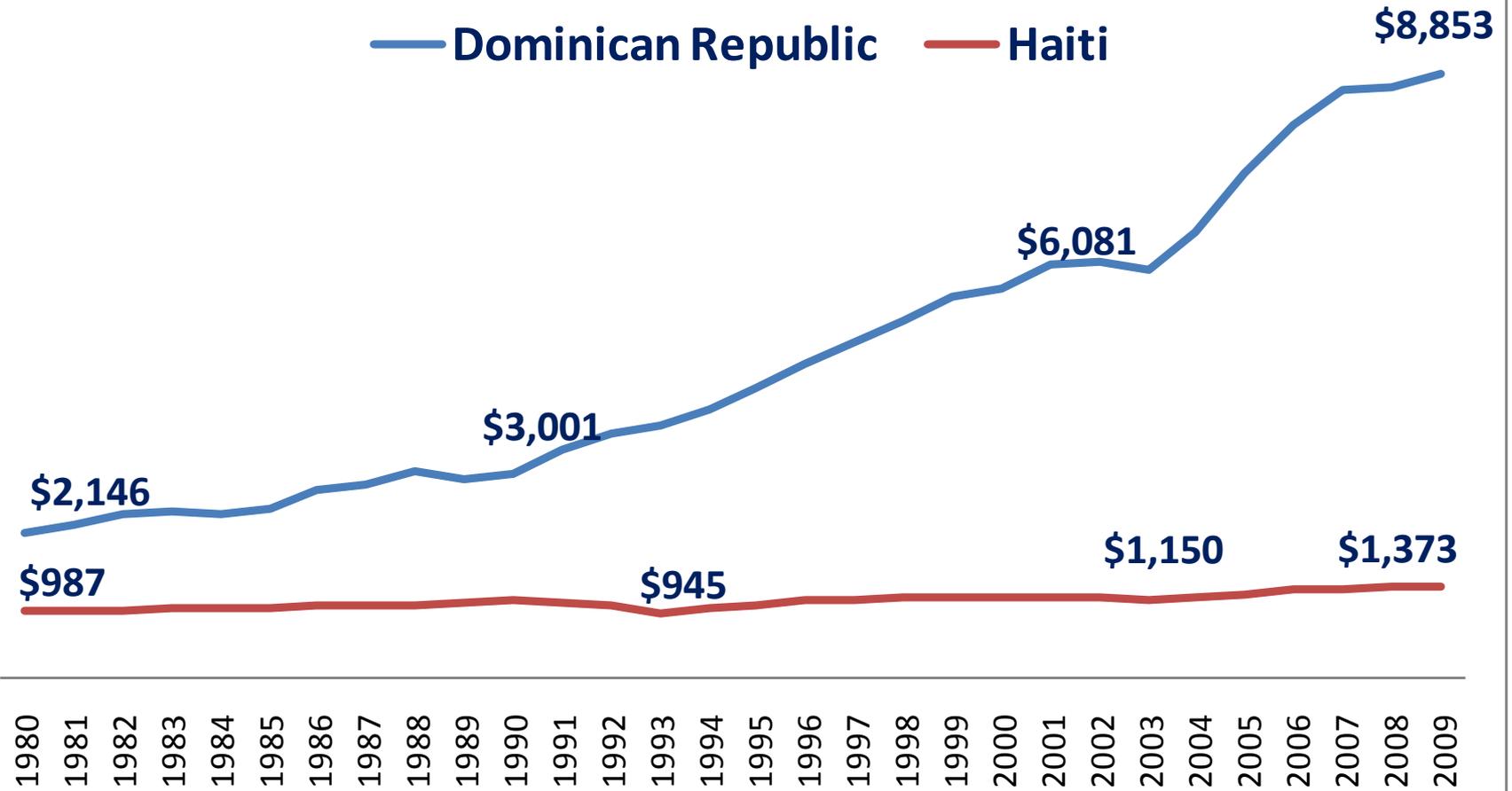


Figure 2: Per capita Economic Growth

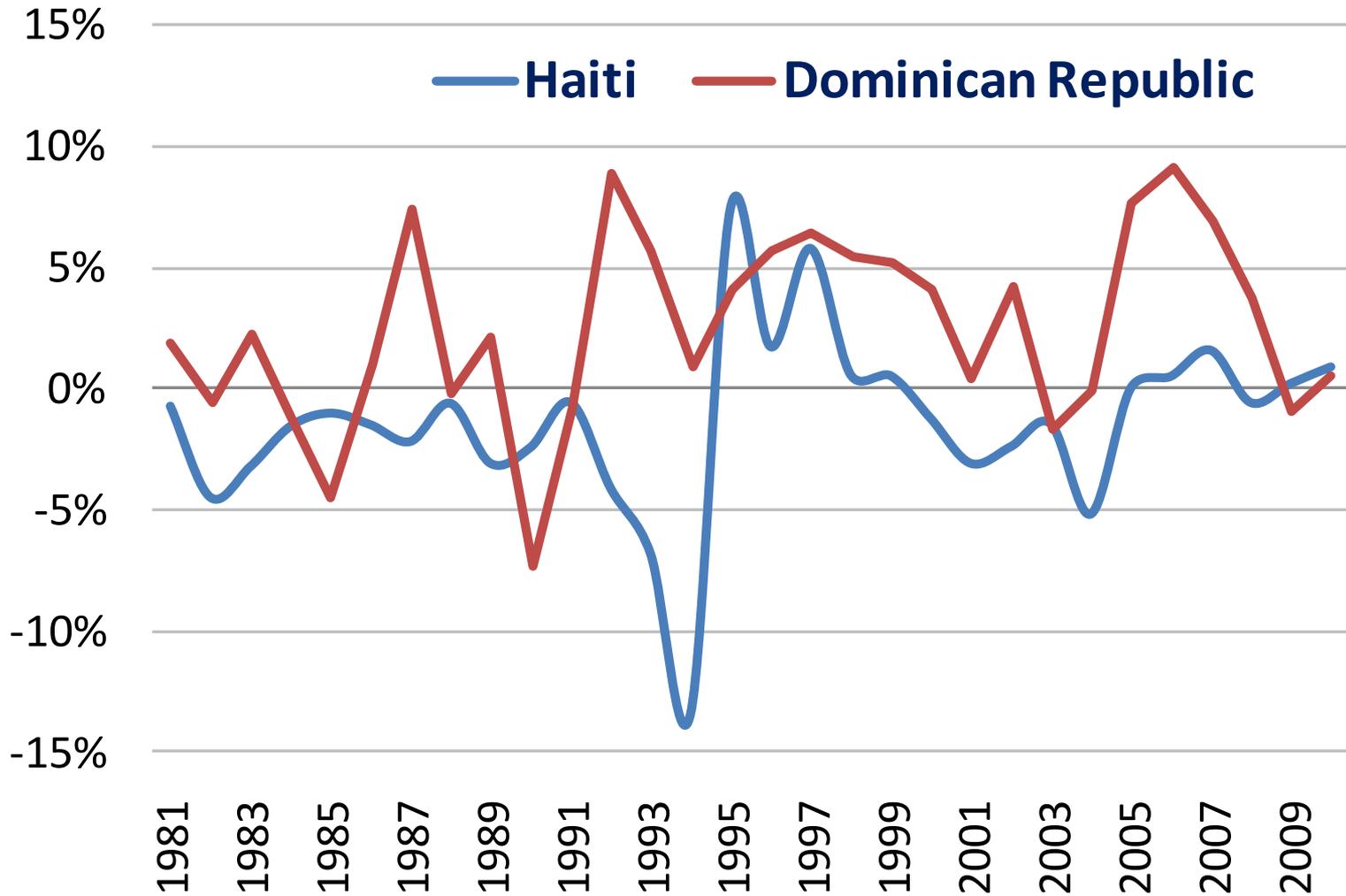
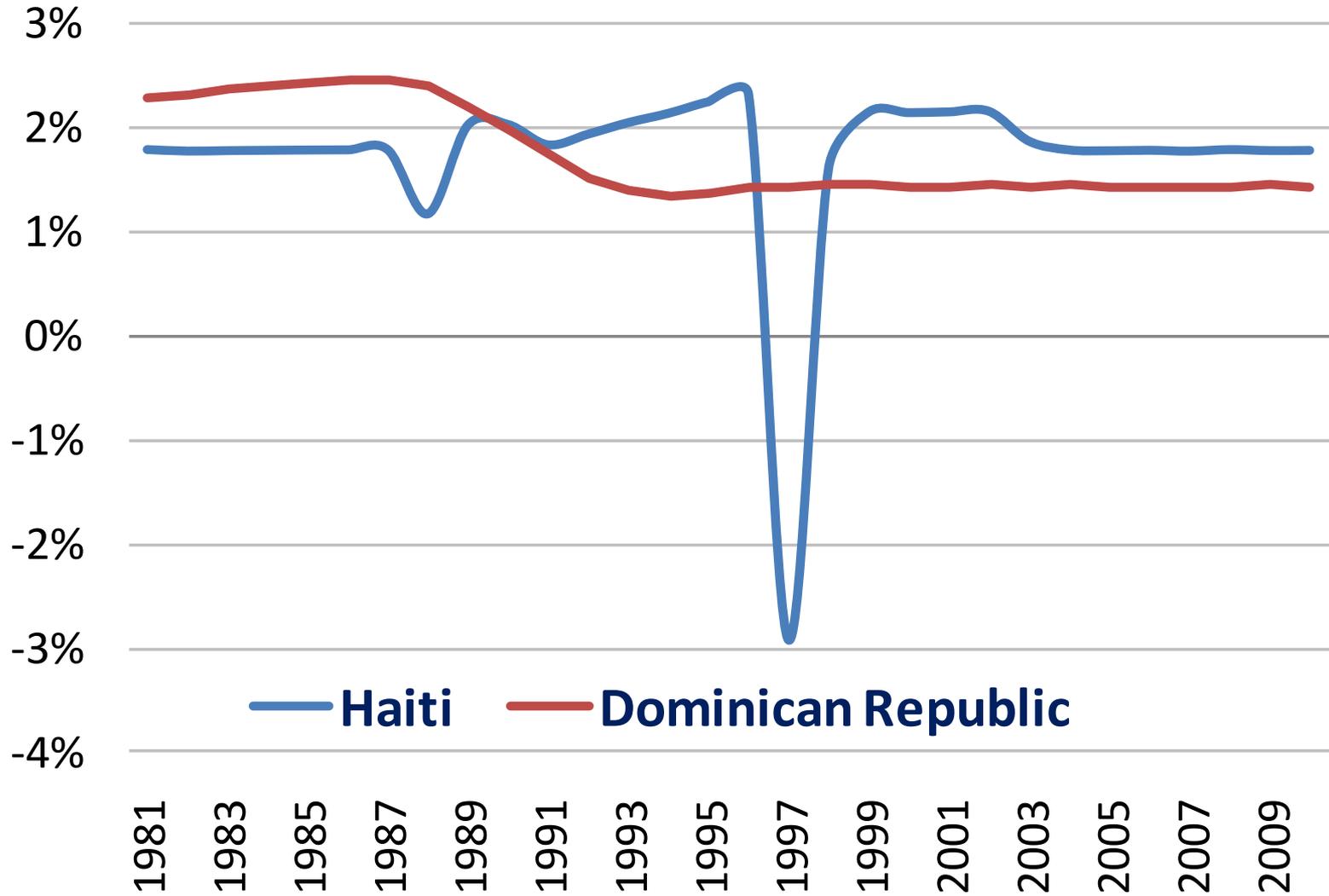
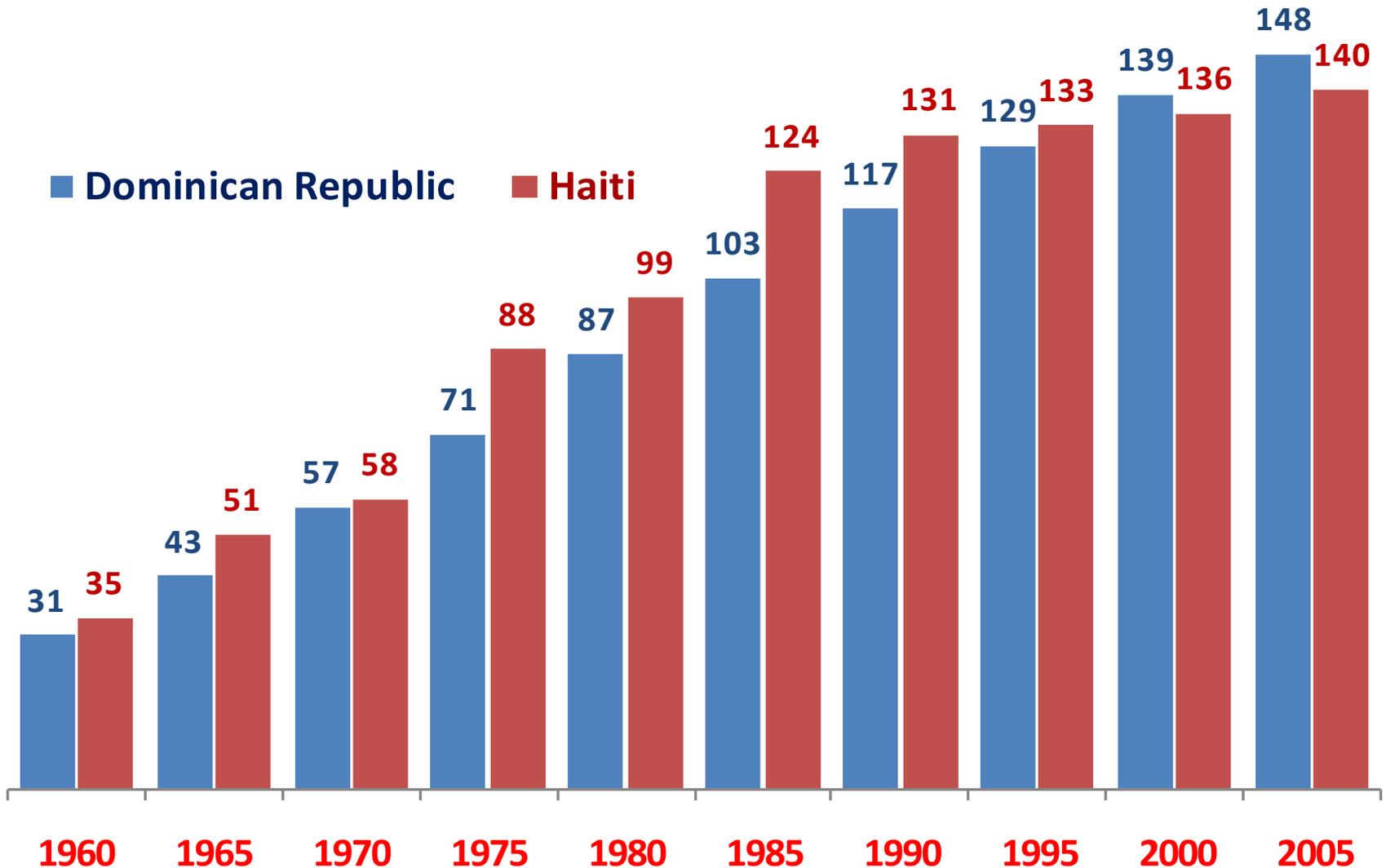


Figure 3: Population Growth

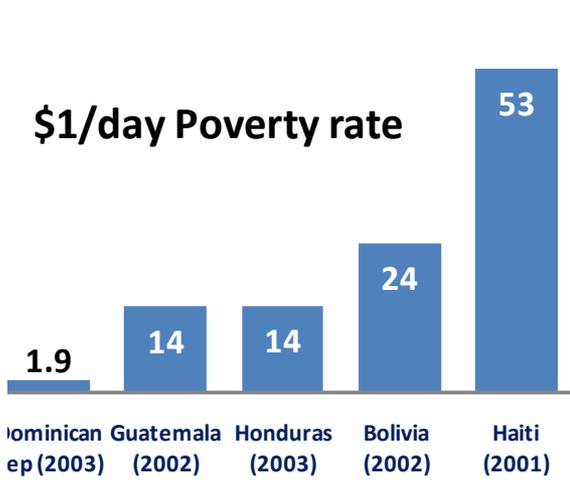


Haiti vs Dominican Republic net out migration (1000s)

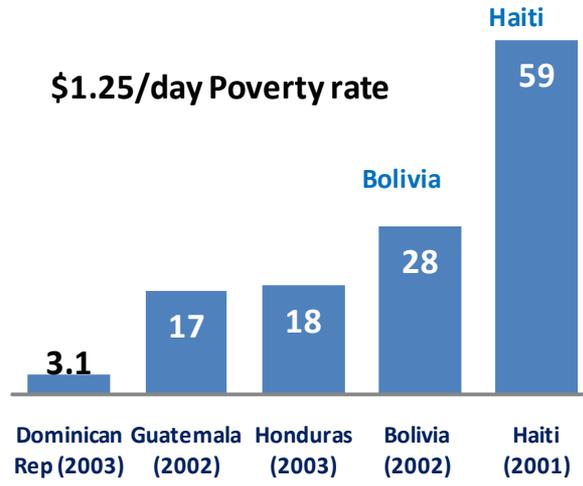


Source: World Bank, World Development Indicators (WDI online)

\$1/day Poverty rate



\$1.25/day Poverty rate



\$2.50/day Poverty rate

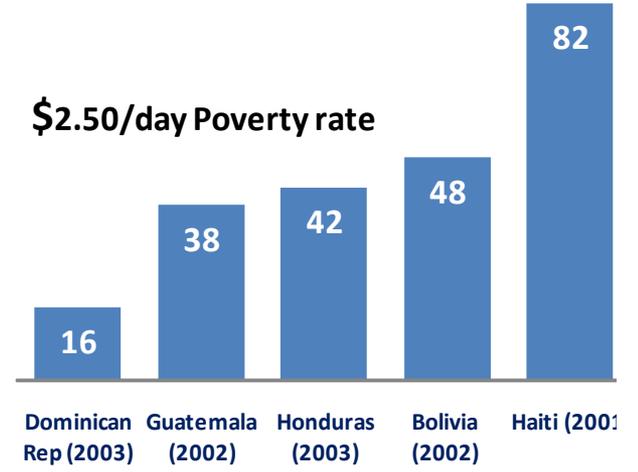
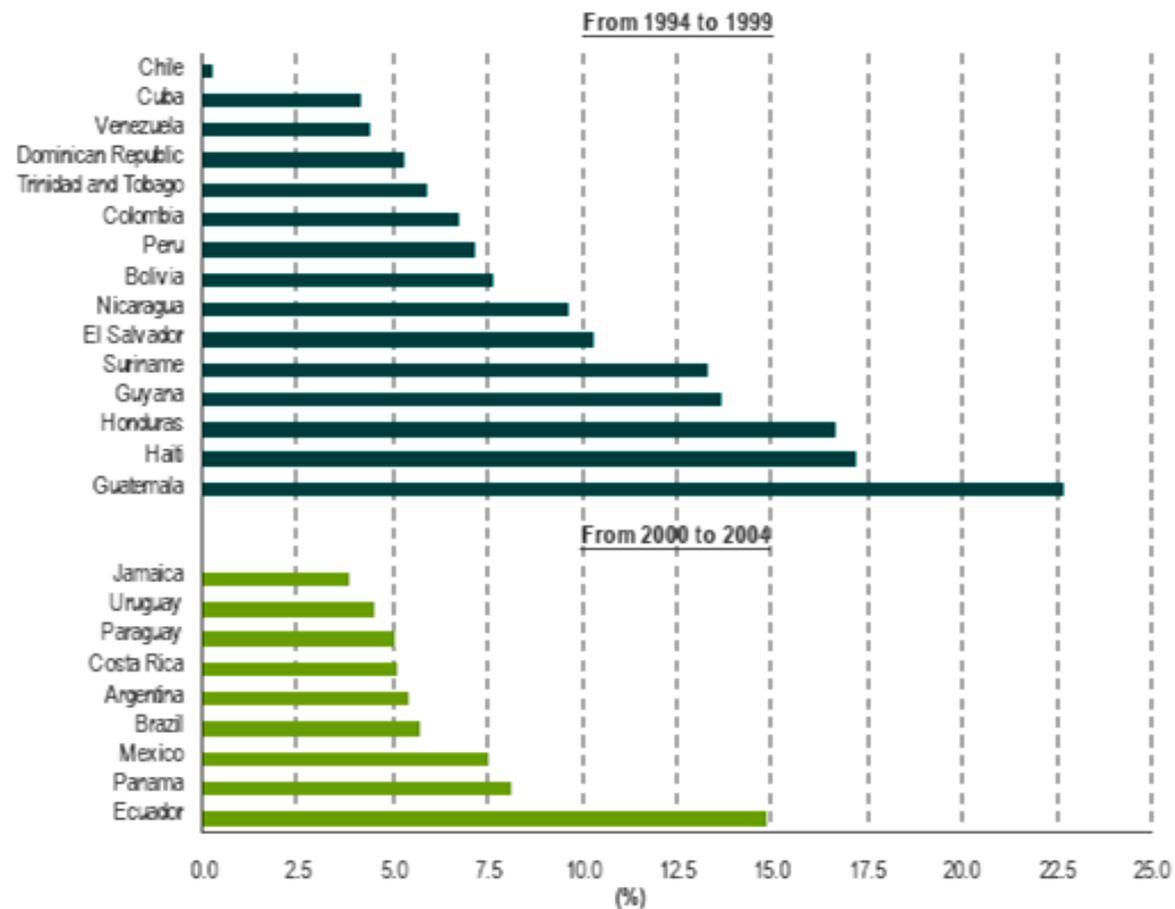


Chart 5 (indicator 1.8)

Prevalence of underweight children under-five years of age
Latin America and the Caribbean countries. (From 1994 to 1999) and (from 2000 to 2004)*
(percentage)



Notes:

* Data comes from Household surveys conducted in the countries in the following years: Argentina: 1995 - 1996; Bolivia, El Salvador: 2003 - 2004; Brazil: 1996; Chile: 2004; Colombia, Cuba, Guyana, Haiti, Peru, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Venezuela: 2000; Costa Rica: 1996; Ecuador, Jamaica: 1999; Guatemala, Dominican Republic: 2002; Honduras, Nicaragua: 2001; Mexico: 1998-1999; Panama: 1997; Paraguay: 1998; Uruguay: 1994 - 1995.

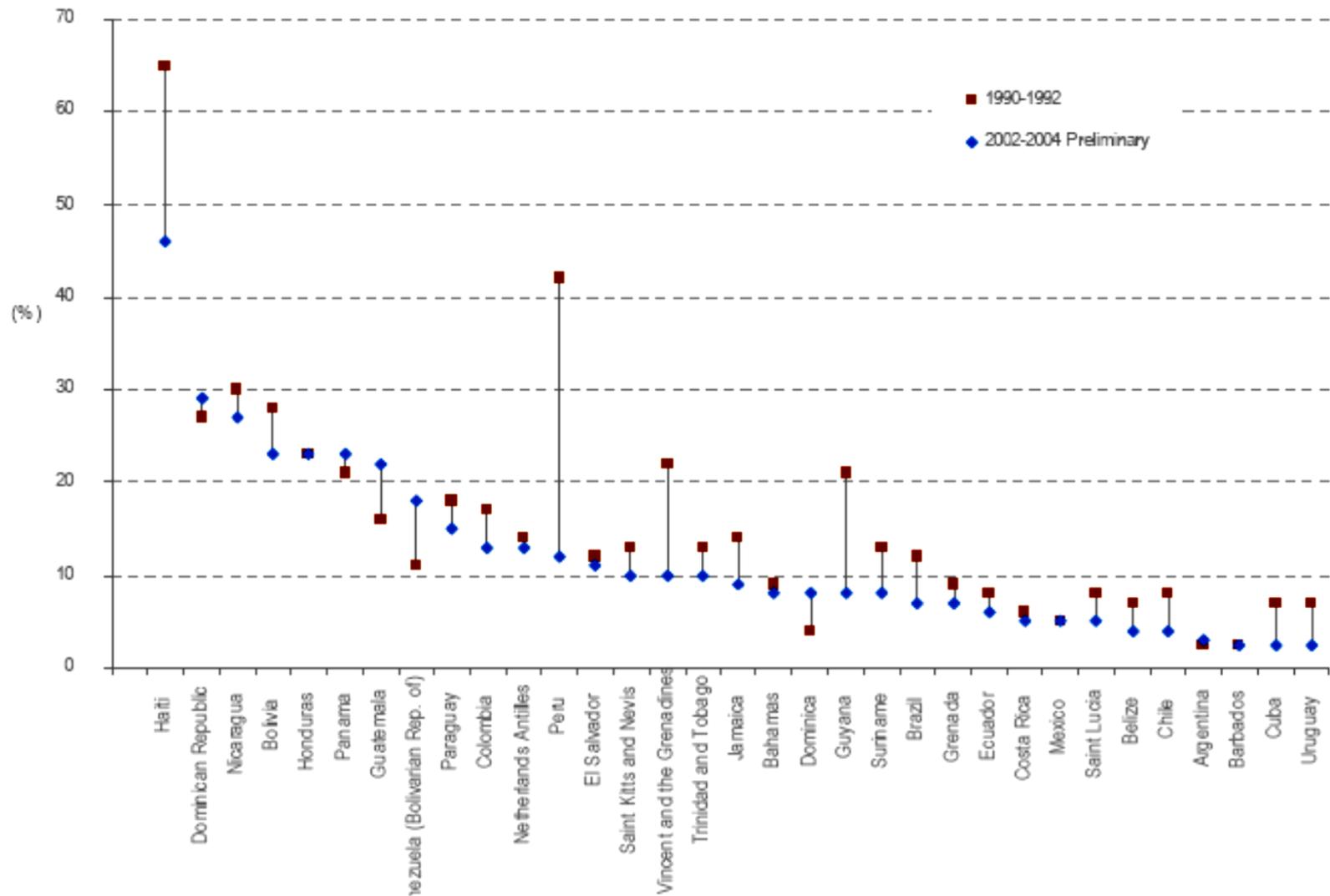
Source: ECLAC on the basis of: WHO, World Health Organization. 2006. Global Database on Child Growth and Malnutrition. Information download: September, 2008.

Chart 6 (Indicator 1.9)

Proportion of Population below minimum level of dietary energy consumption

Latin America and Caribbean Countries

(percentage)

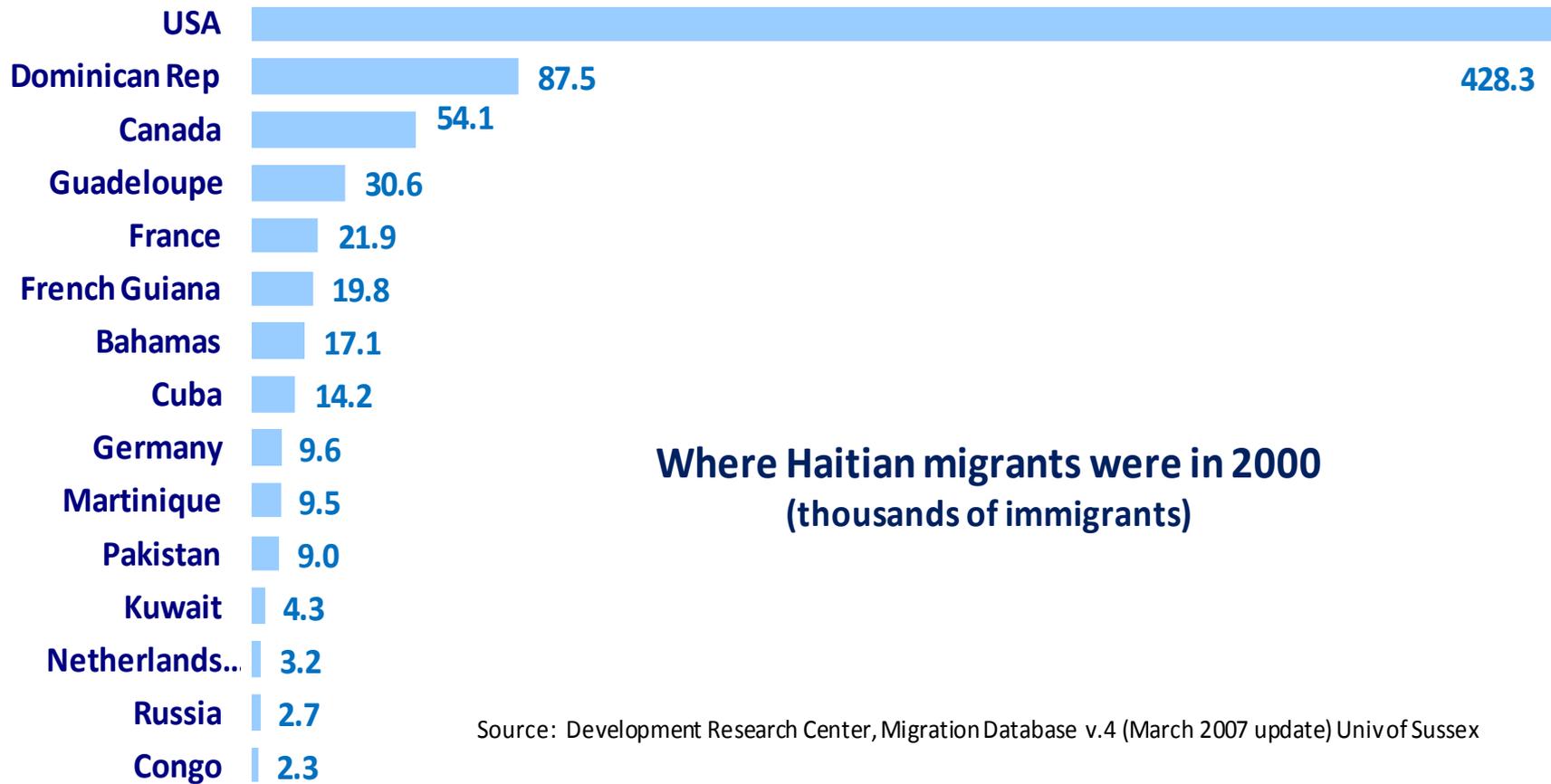


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2.5 value = or < 2.5.

Source: ECLAC on the basis of: FAO Statistic Division. FAOSTAT Online database. Information download:

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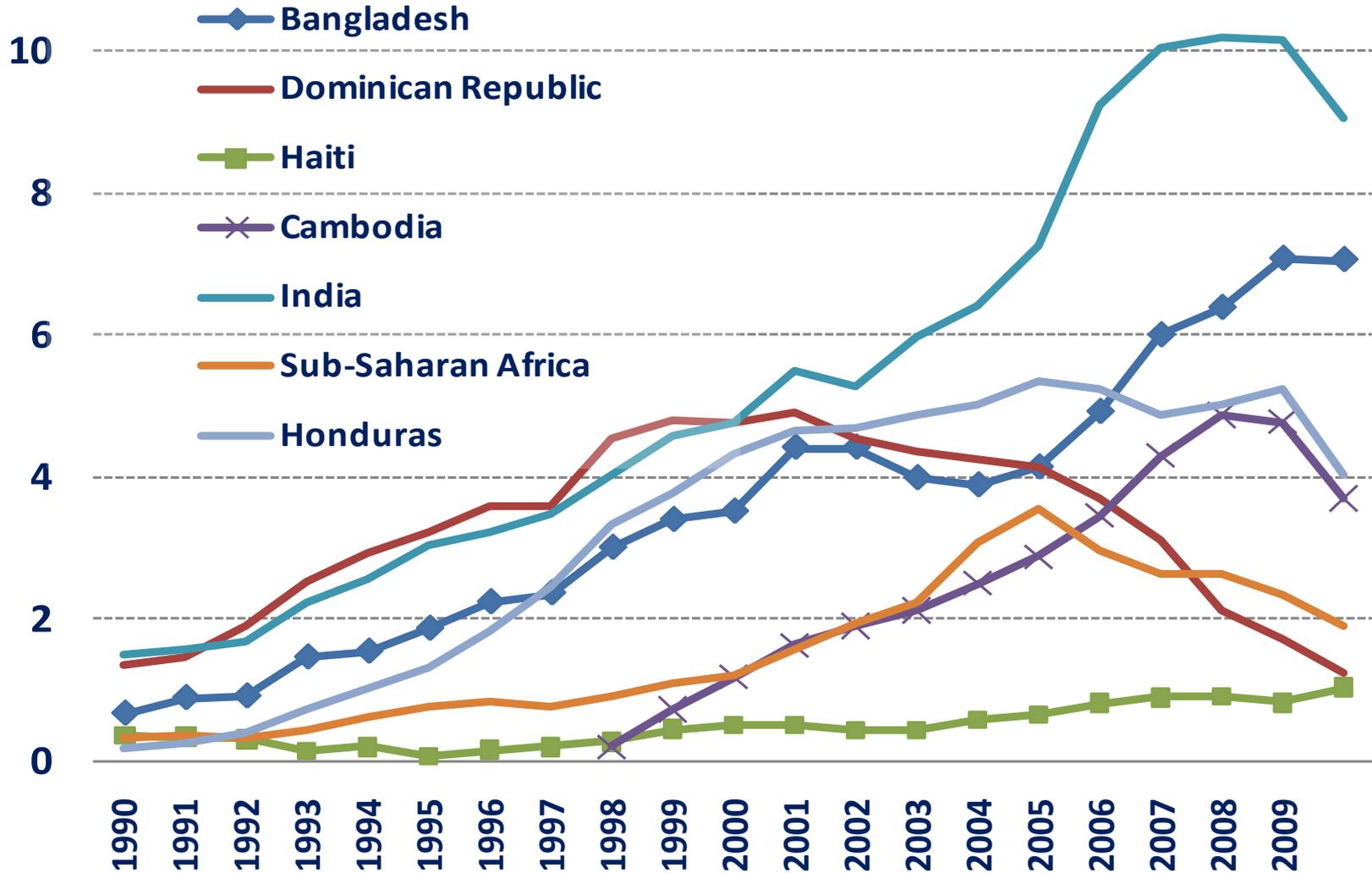
Source: Development Research Center, Migration Database v.4 (March 2007 update) Univ of Sussex

Persons Granted Asylum in U.S., 1999-2008

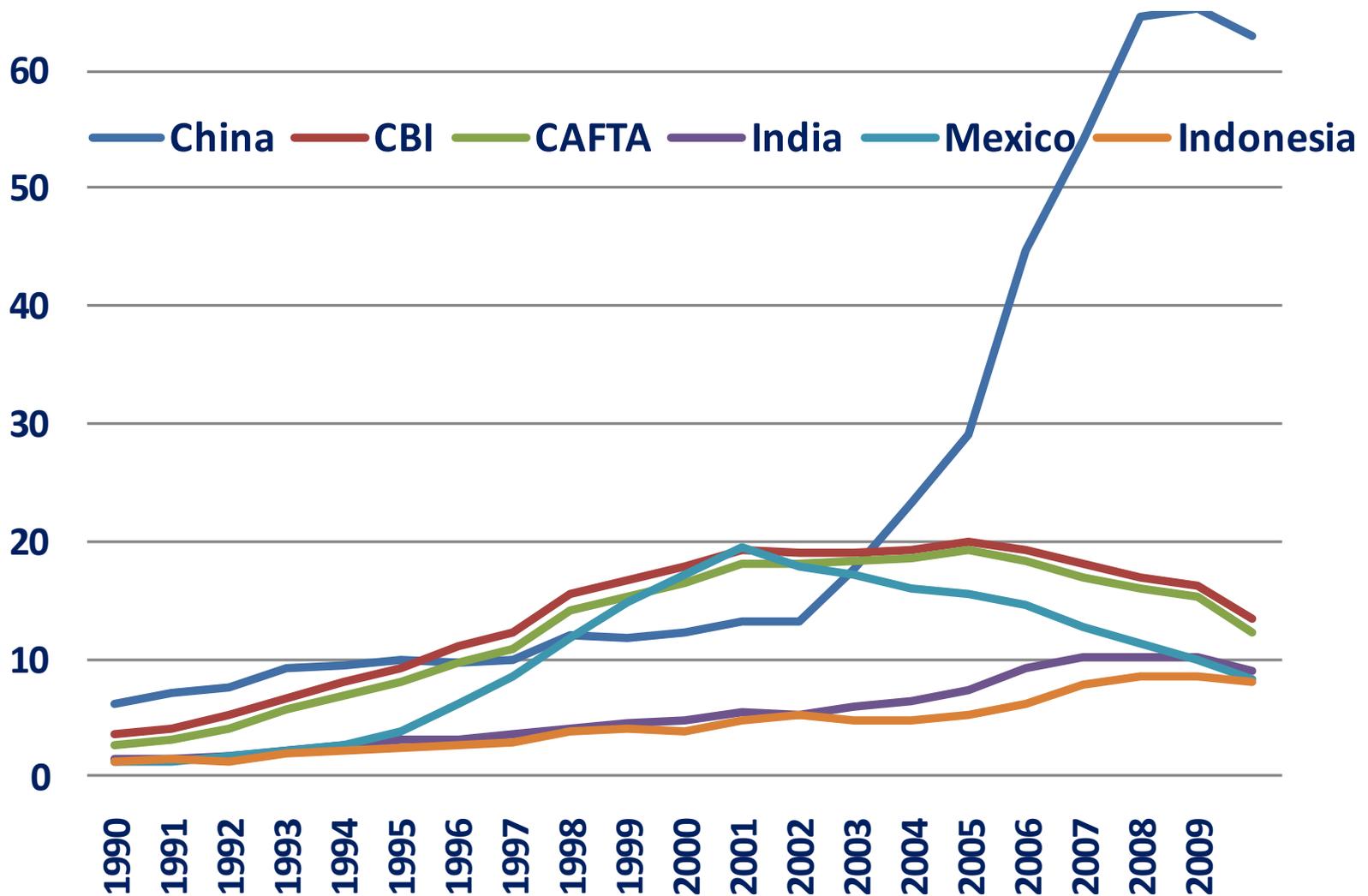
	Share	Thousands
China, People's Republic	14.9%	26.3
Colombia	14.8%	26.1
Haiti	7.2%	12.6
Ethiopia	4.6%	8.1
Somalia	3.7%	6.5
Indonesia	3.0%	5.4
Armenia	3.0%	5.3
Venezuela	3.0%	5.3
Iran	2.6%	4.6
Cameroon	2.4%	4.2
Russia	2.1%	3.8
India	2.1%	3.8
Liberia	2.1%	3.7
Iraq	2.1%	3.7
Burma	1.8%	3.1
Guatemala	1.7%	3.1
Egypt	1.7%	3.0
Pakistan	1.5%	2.7
Sudan	1.4%	2.4
Albania	1.3%	2.4
El Salvador	1.3%	2.3
Yugoslavia, former	1.0%	1.8
Kenya	0.9%	1.6
Eritrea	0.9%	1.5
Nepal	0.8%	1.5
Congo, Republic	0.8%	1.5

Source: U.S. Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service (USCIS), Refugee, Asylum, and Parole System (RAPS).

Apparel Exports to the U.S. (Otexa)



Apparel Exports to the U.S. billions of dollars, China on the same scale



Apparel Exports to the U.S. \$billions, China alone on right axis

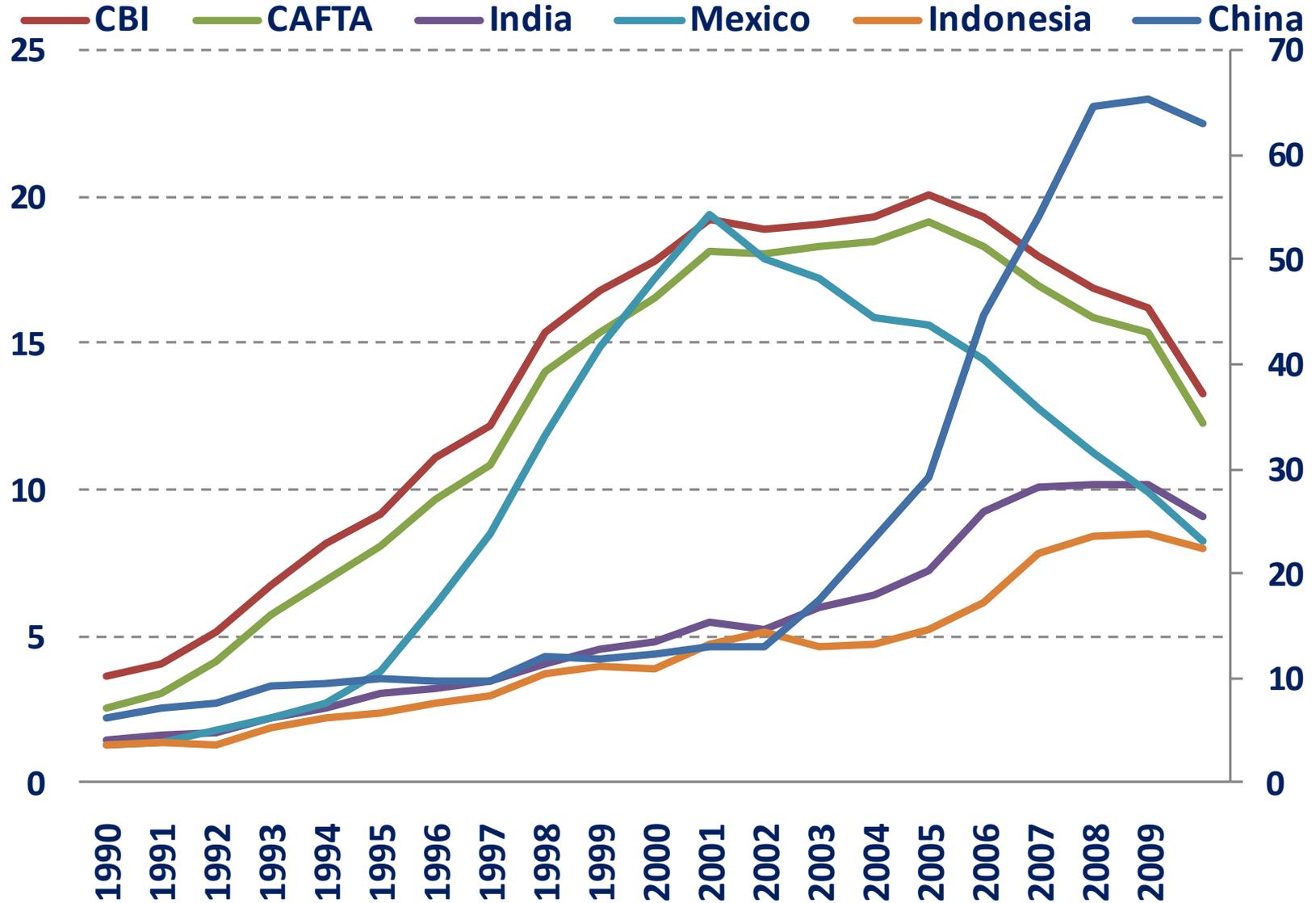
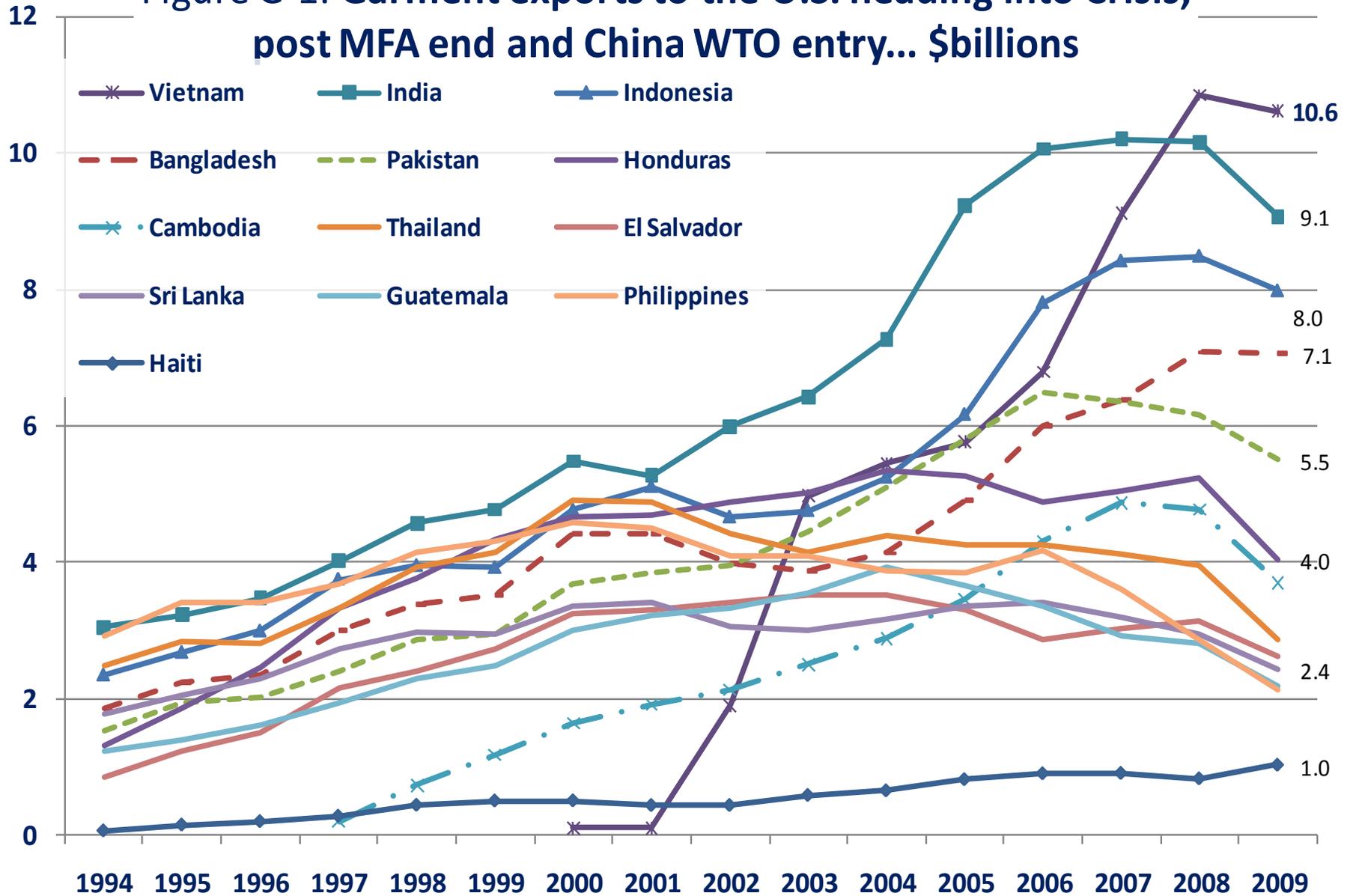
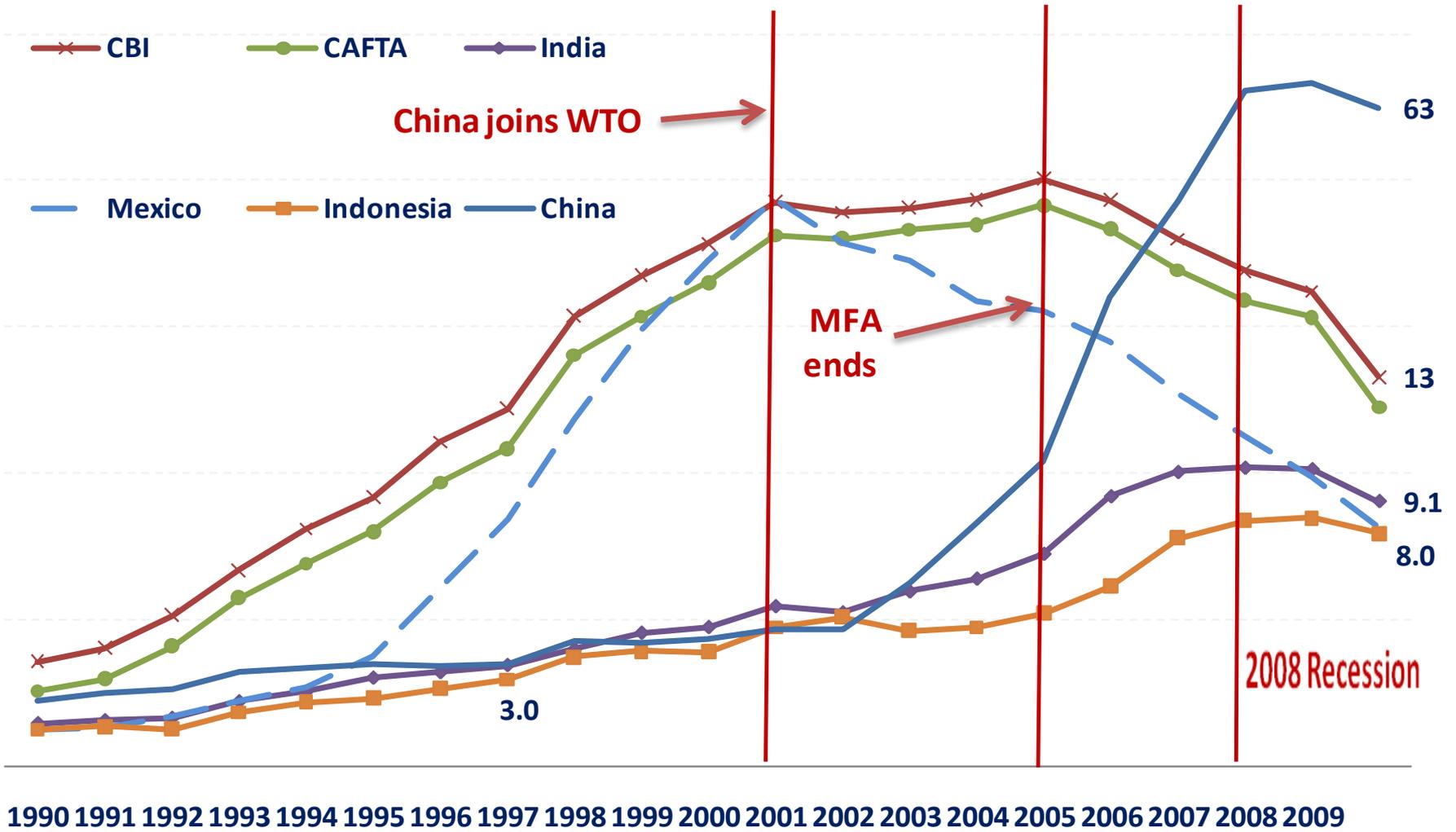


Figure G-1: **Garment exports to the U.S. heading into Crisis, post MFA end and China WTO entry... \$billions**



Apparel Exports to the U.S. \$billions, China alone on right axis from Otexa



1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009

U.S imports of Haitian apparel are increasing!

