

Norges Bank's regional network

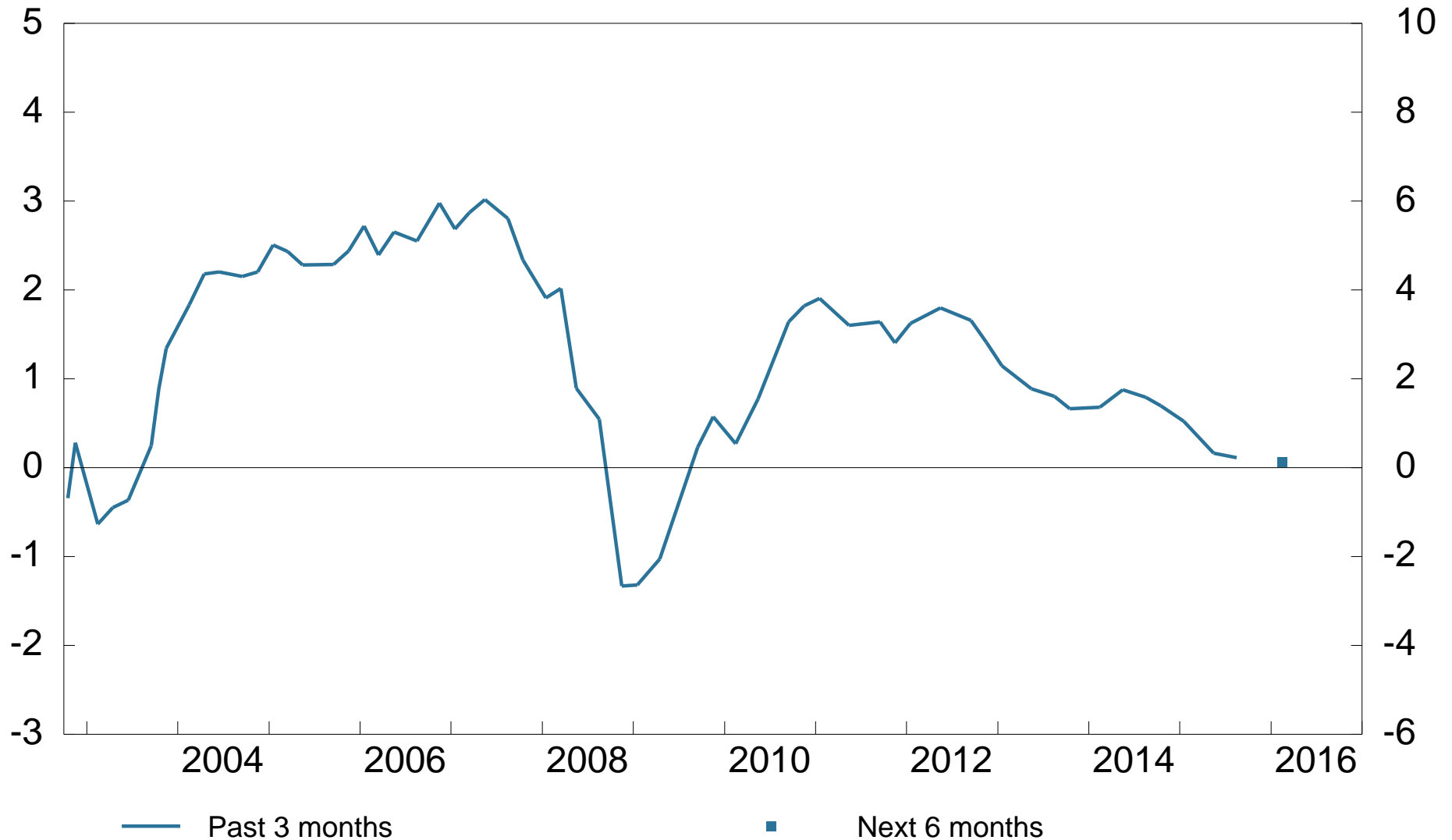
Survey 2015 3, National Charts

Interviews carried out 10 - 27 August

1 Output growth. Aggregated

Past 3 months and next 6 months

Index¹, left-hand scale; percent (annualised), right-hand scale

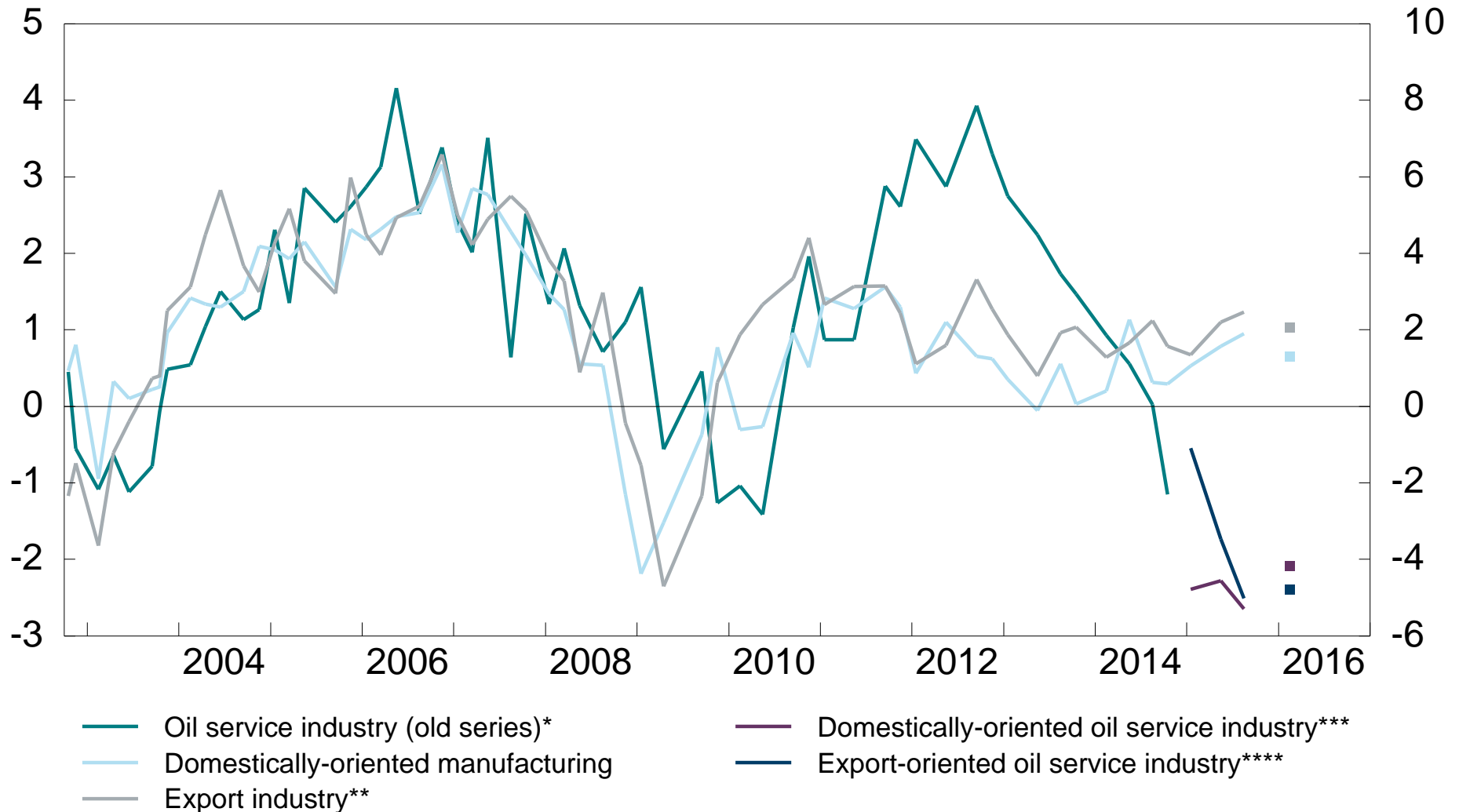


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2 Output growth. Manufacturing and oil service industry

Past 3 months and next 6 months

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* Manufacturing enterprises with deliveries to the petroleum industry on the Norwegian continental shelf terminated series (2003-2014).

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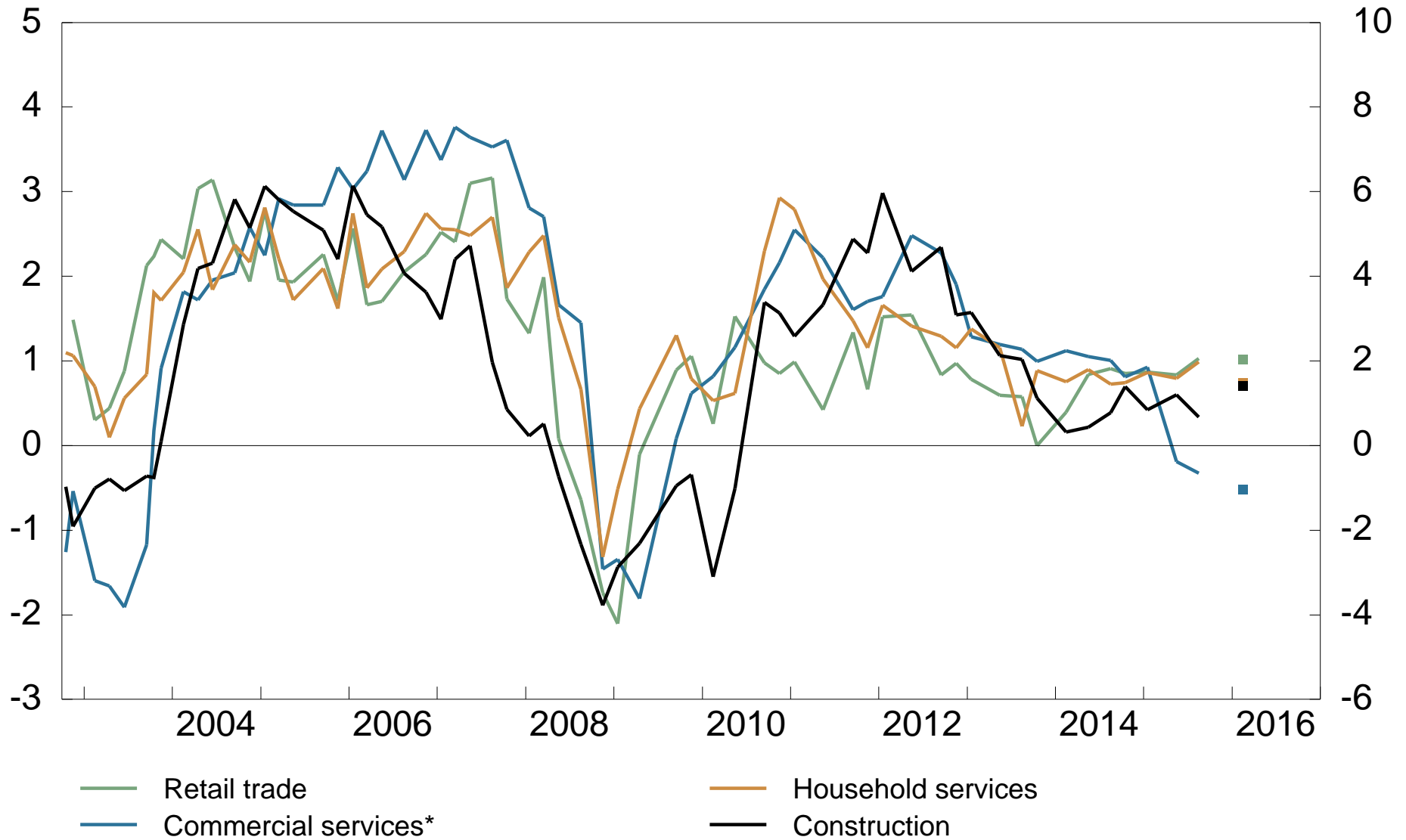
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3 Output growth. Retail trade, services and construction

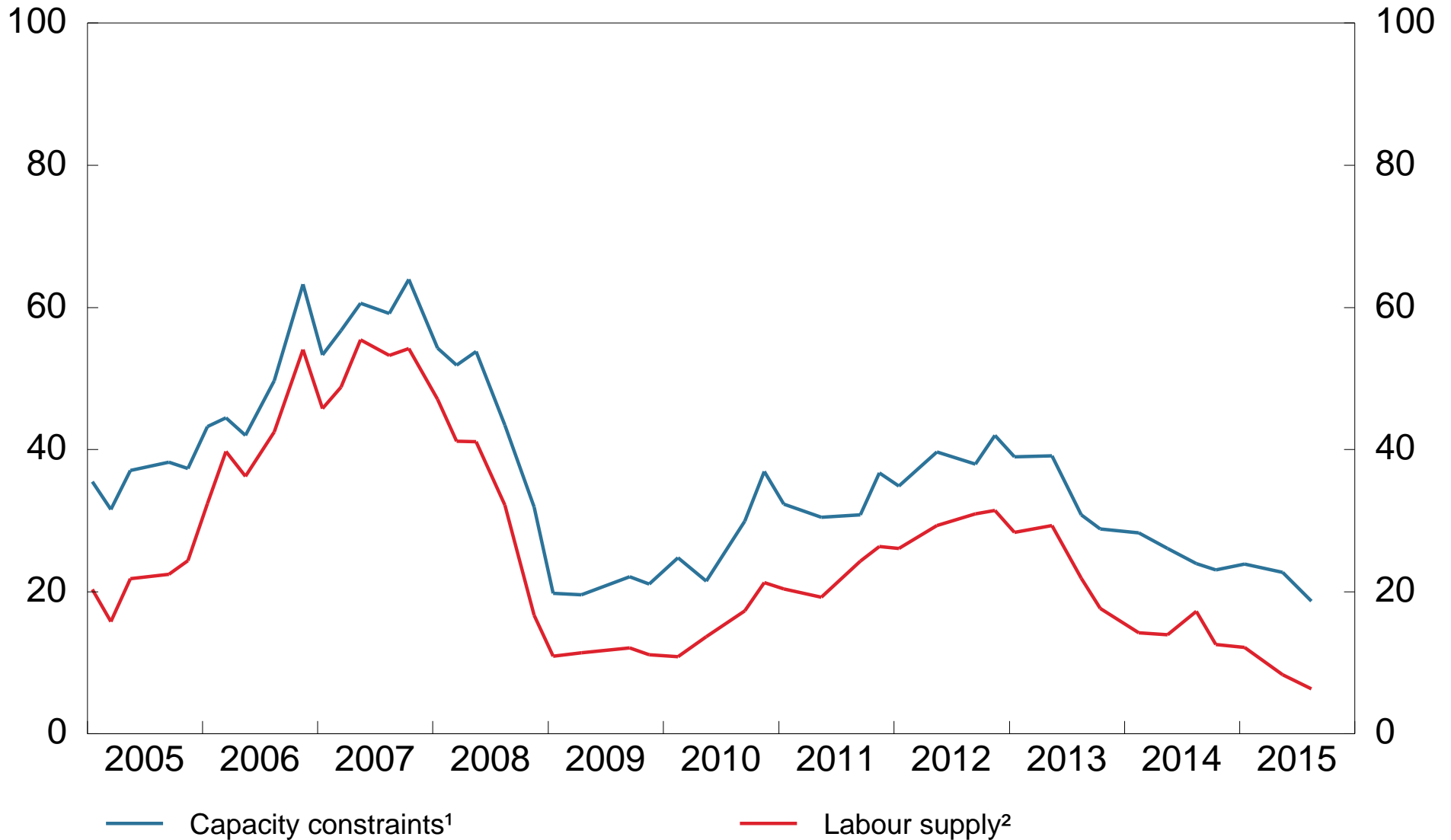
Past 3 months and next 6 months

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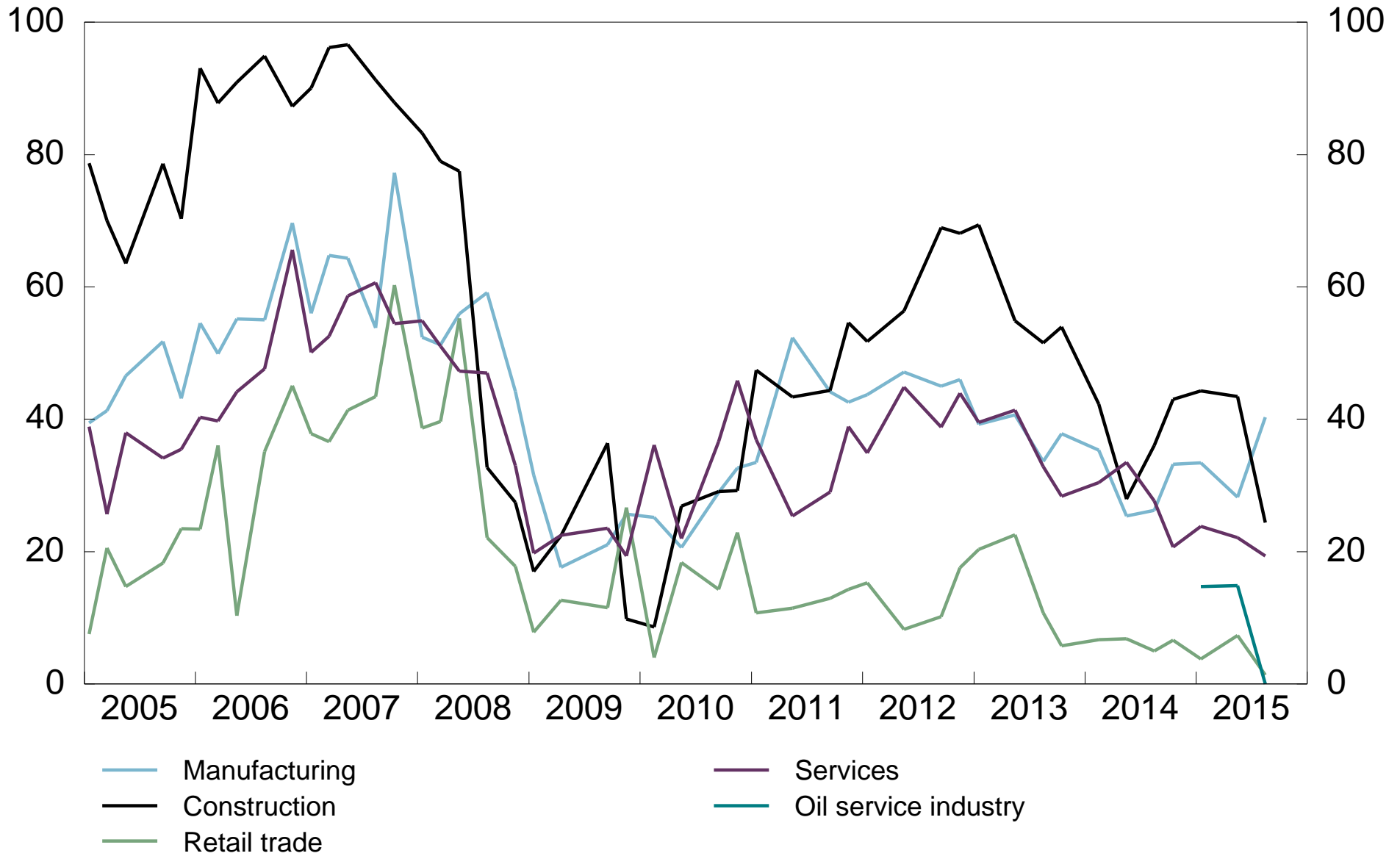
4 Capacity constraints and labour supply. Aggregated Percent



¹ Share of contacts that will have some or considerable problems accommodating an increase in demand.
² Share of contacts where production is constrained by labour supply.

5 Capacity constraints¹. All sectors

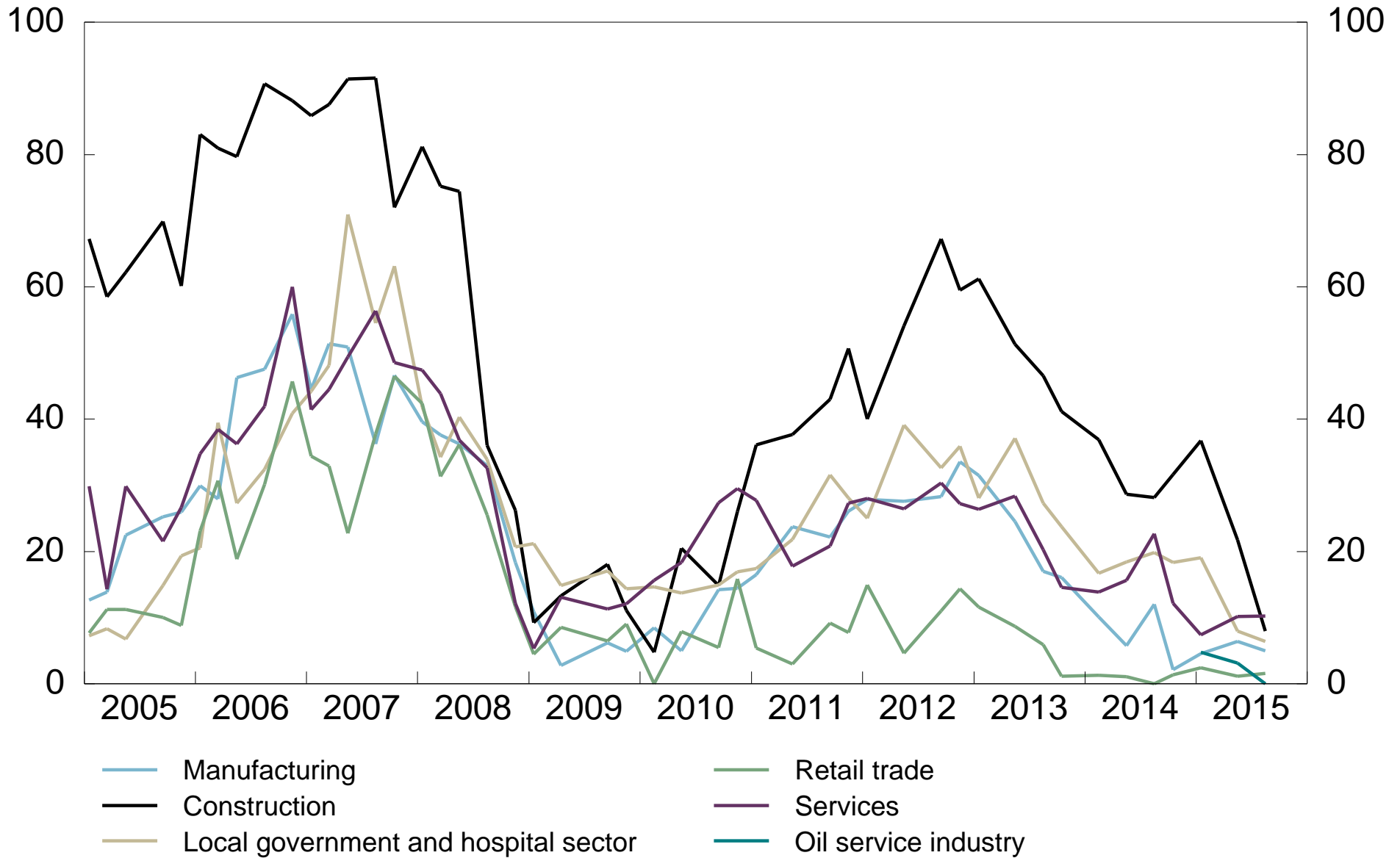
Percent



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6 Labour supply¹. All sectors

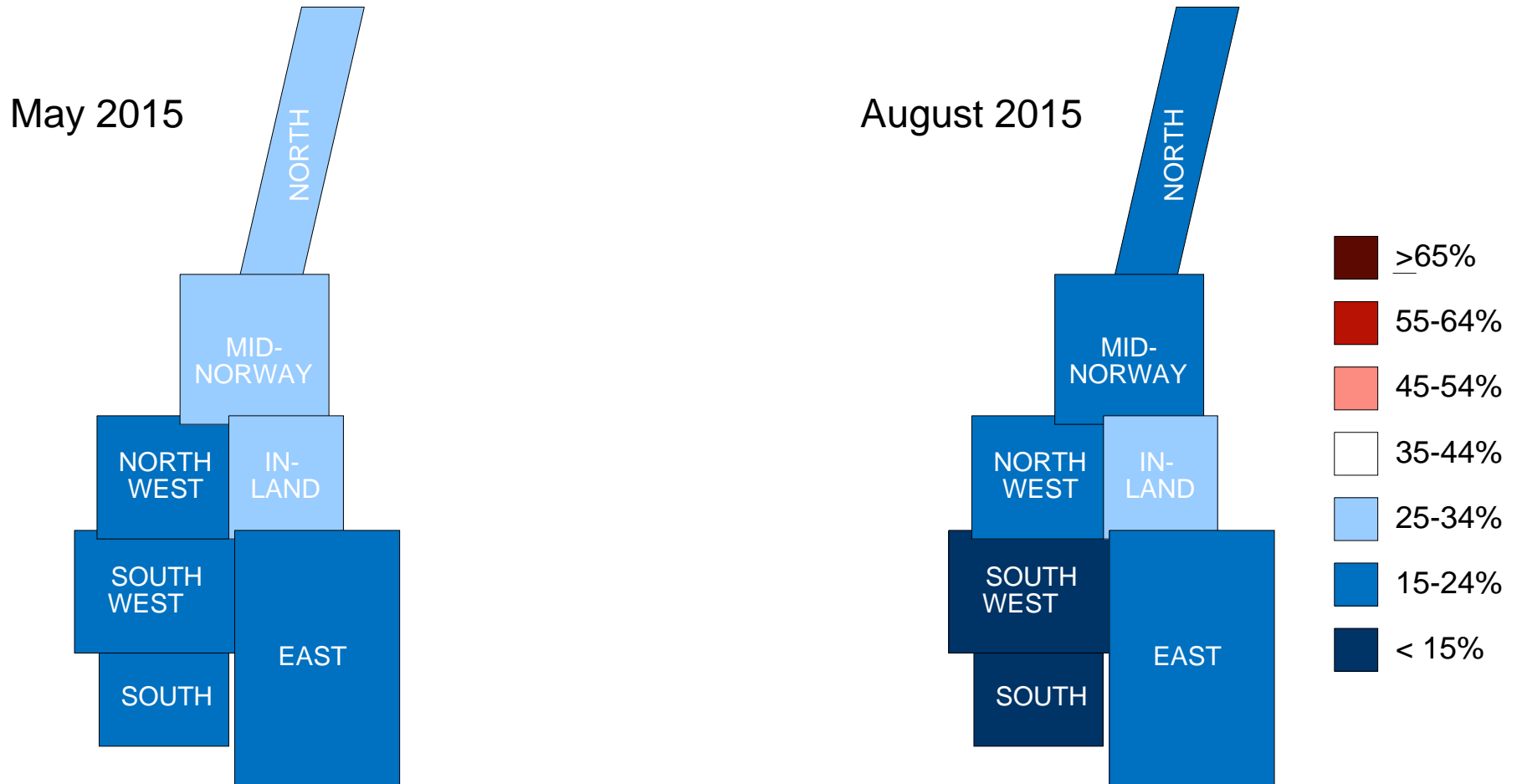
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7 Capacity constraints. All regions. Aggregated

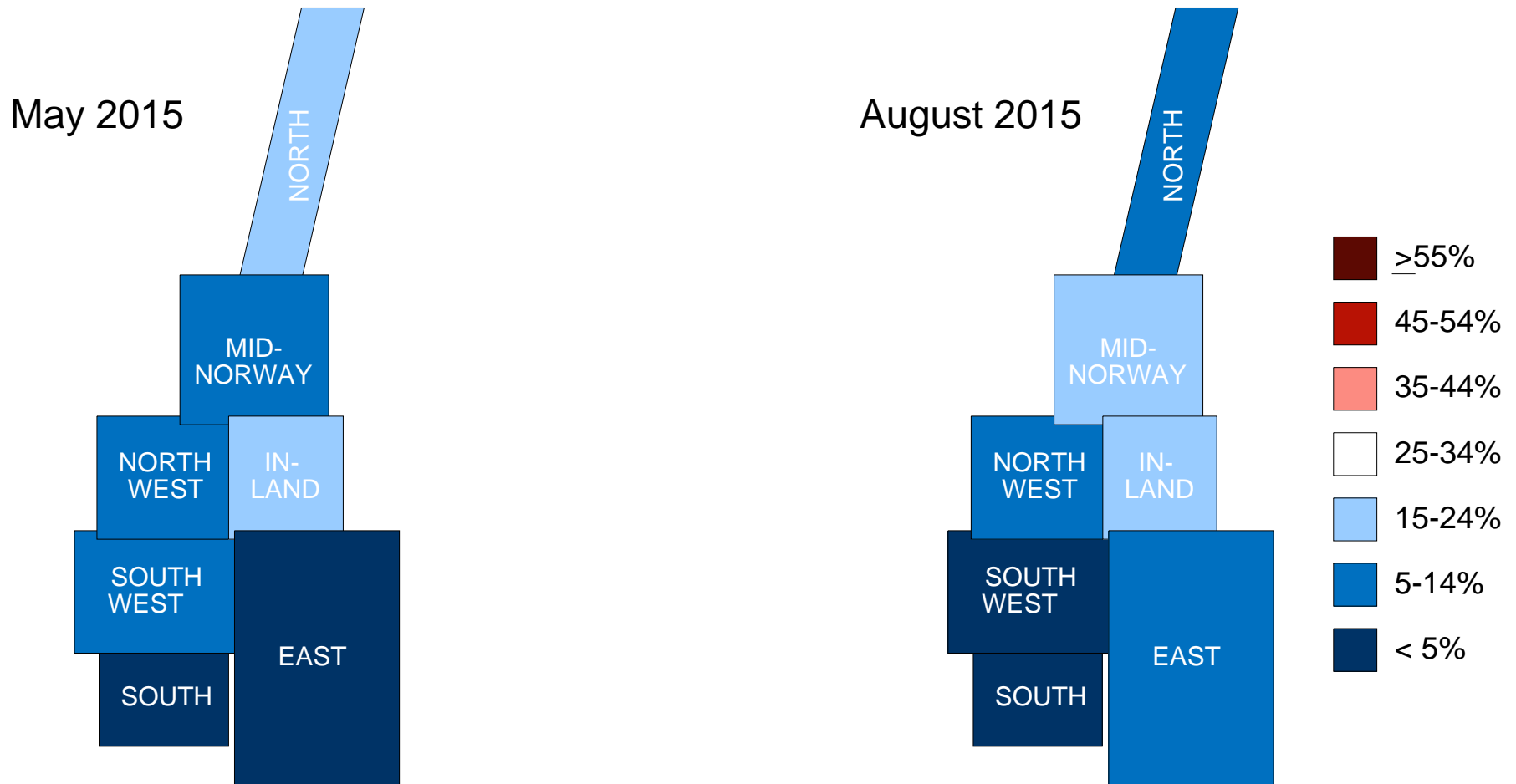
Share of contacts that will have some or considerable problems accommodating an increase in demand



Source: Norges Bank's regional network

8 Labour supply. All regions. Aggregated

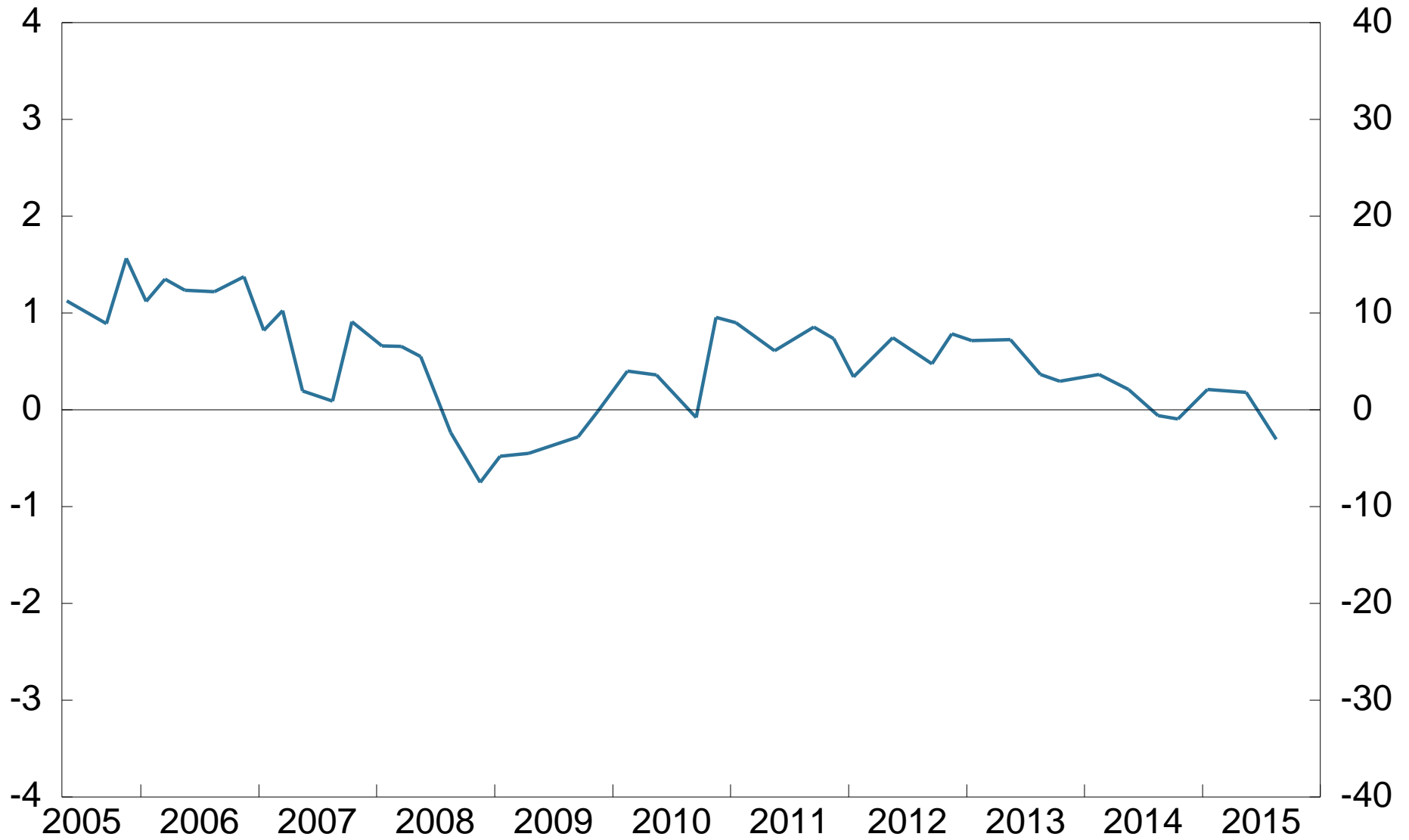
Share of contacts where production is constrained by labour supply



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9 Investment growth. Aggregated

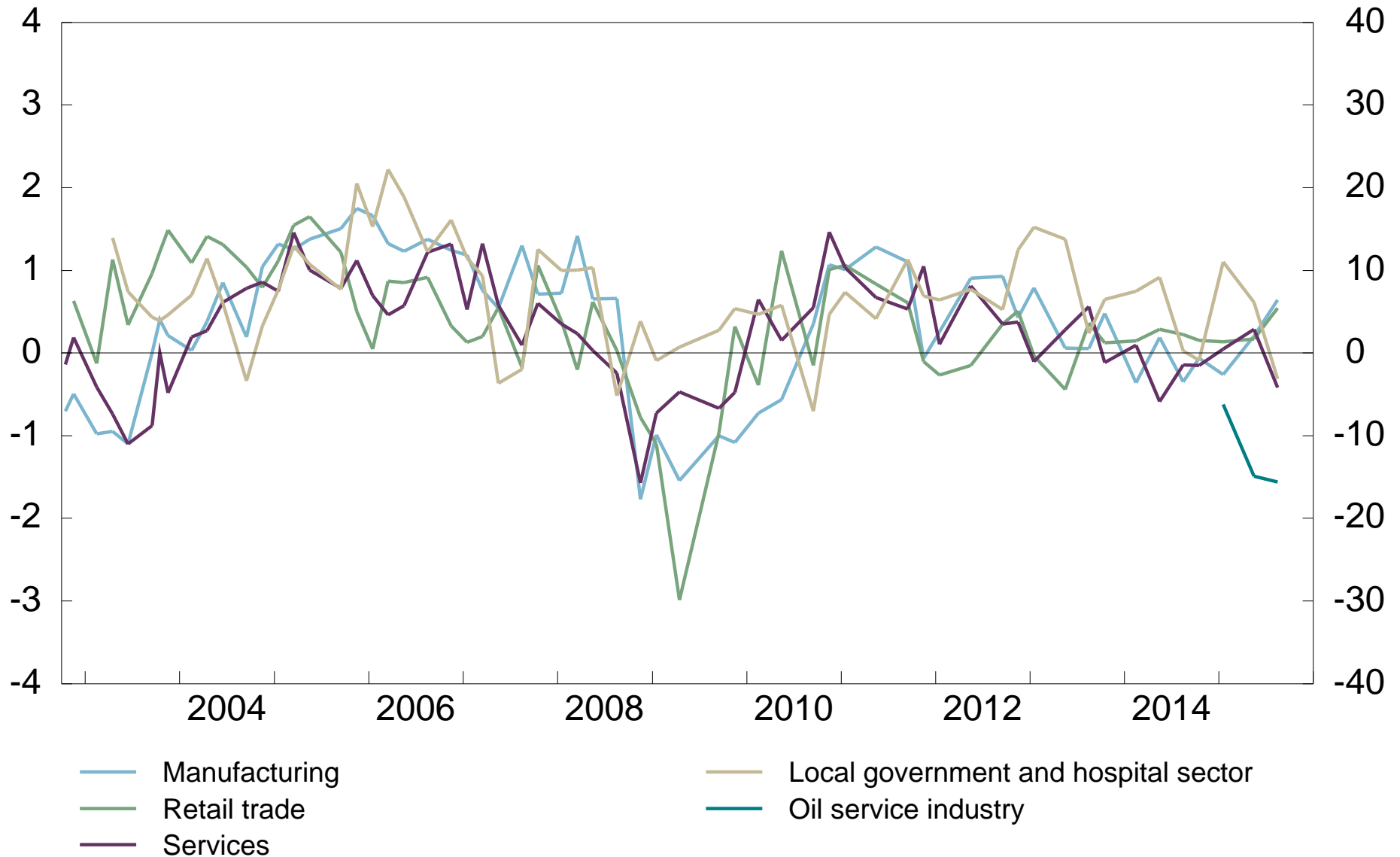
Expected change in investment next 12 months
Index¹, left-hand scale; percent, right-hand scale



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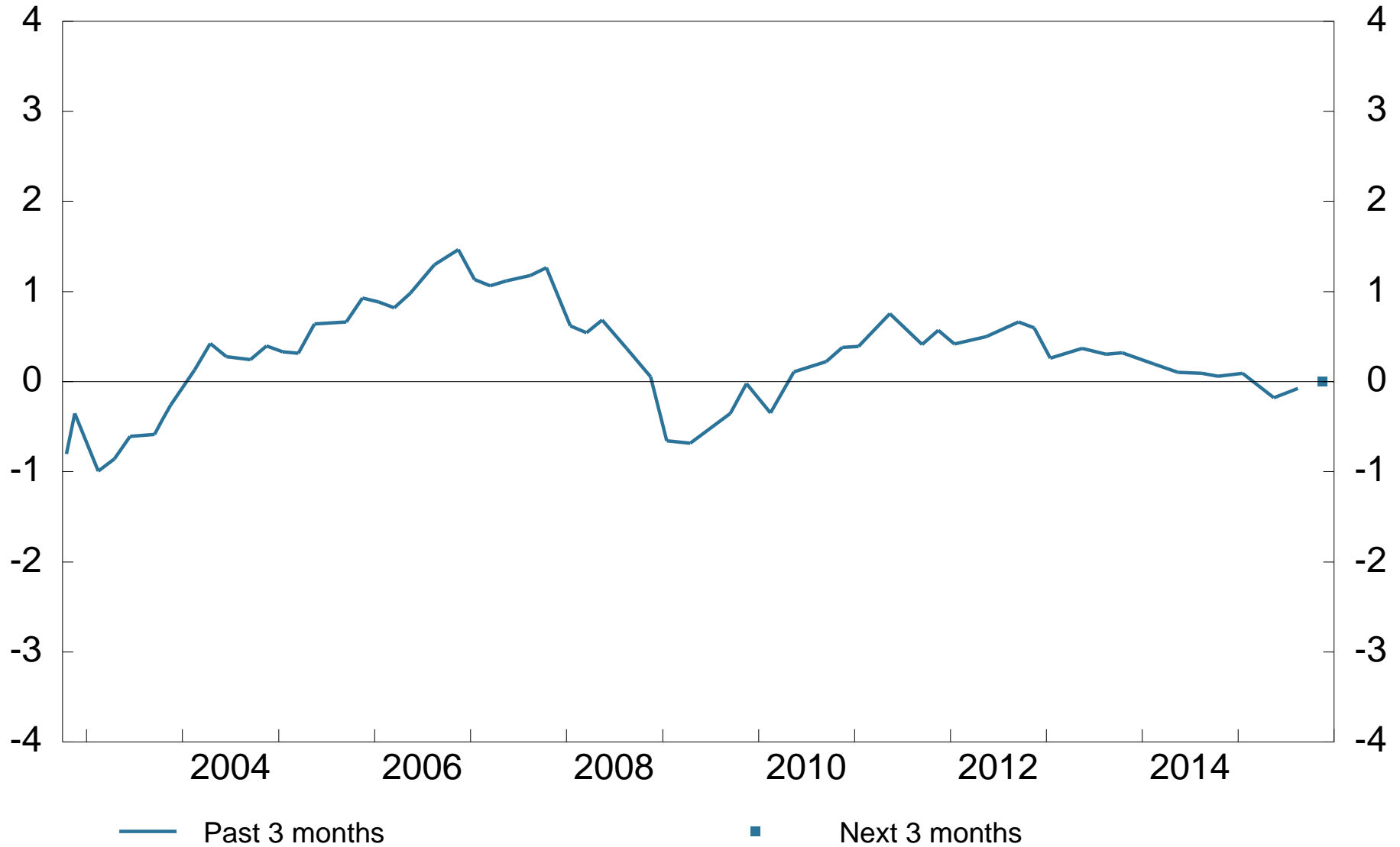


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11 Employment growth. Aggregated

Past 3 months and next 3 months¹

Percent

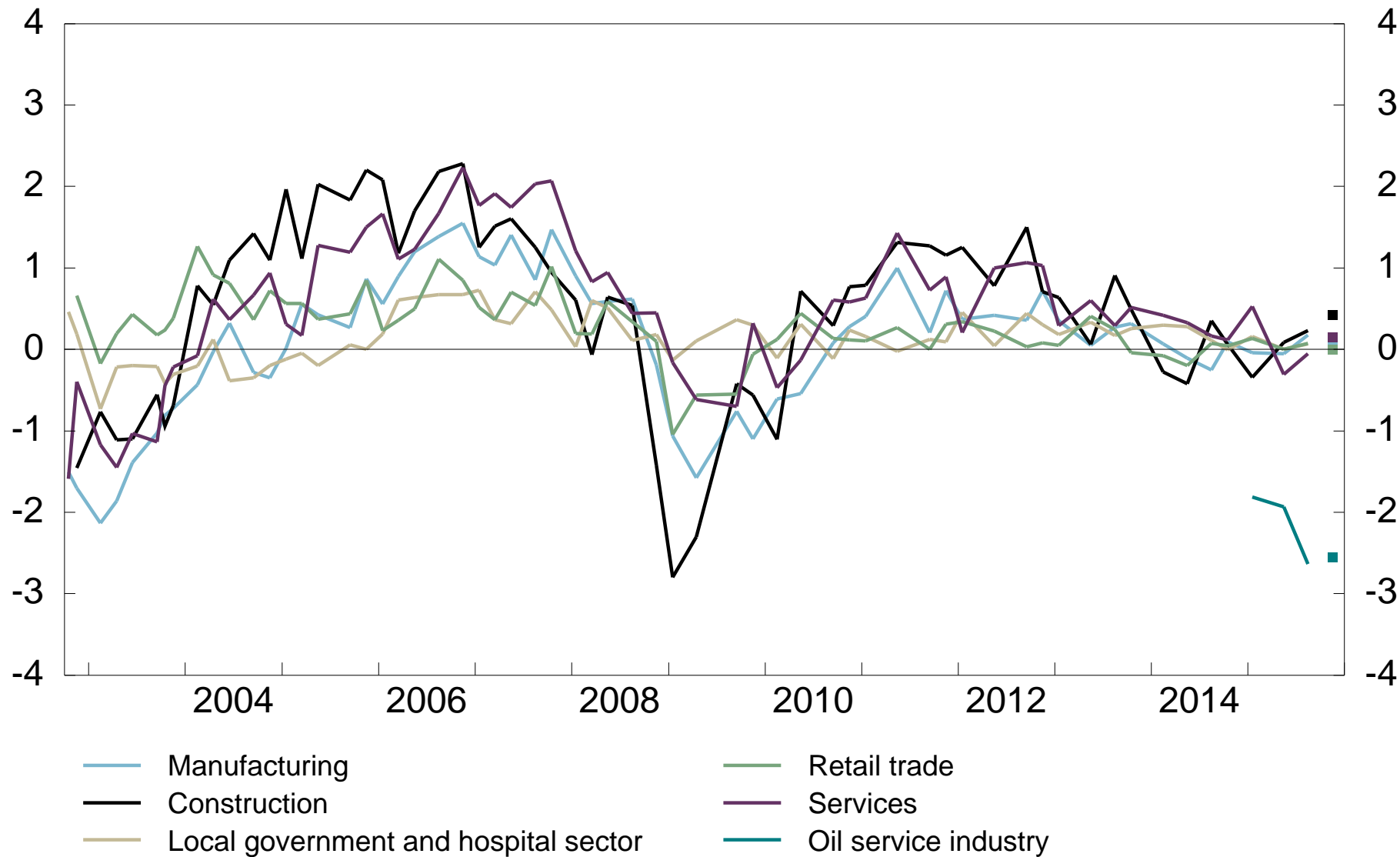


¹ Mixed indicator until 2004. Split into 'past 3 months' and next 3 months' as from 2005.

12 Employment growth. All sectors

Past 3 months and next 3 months¹

Percent

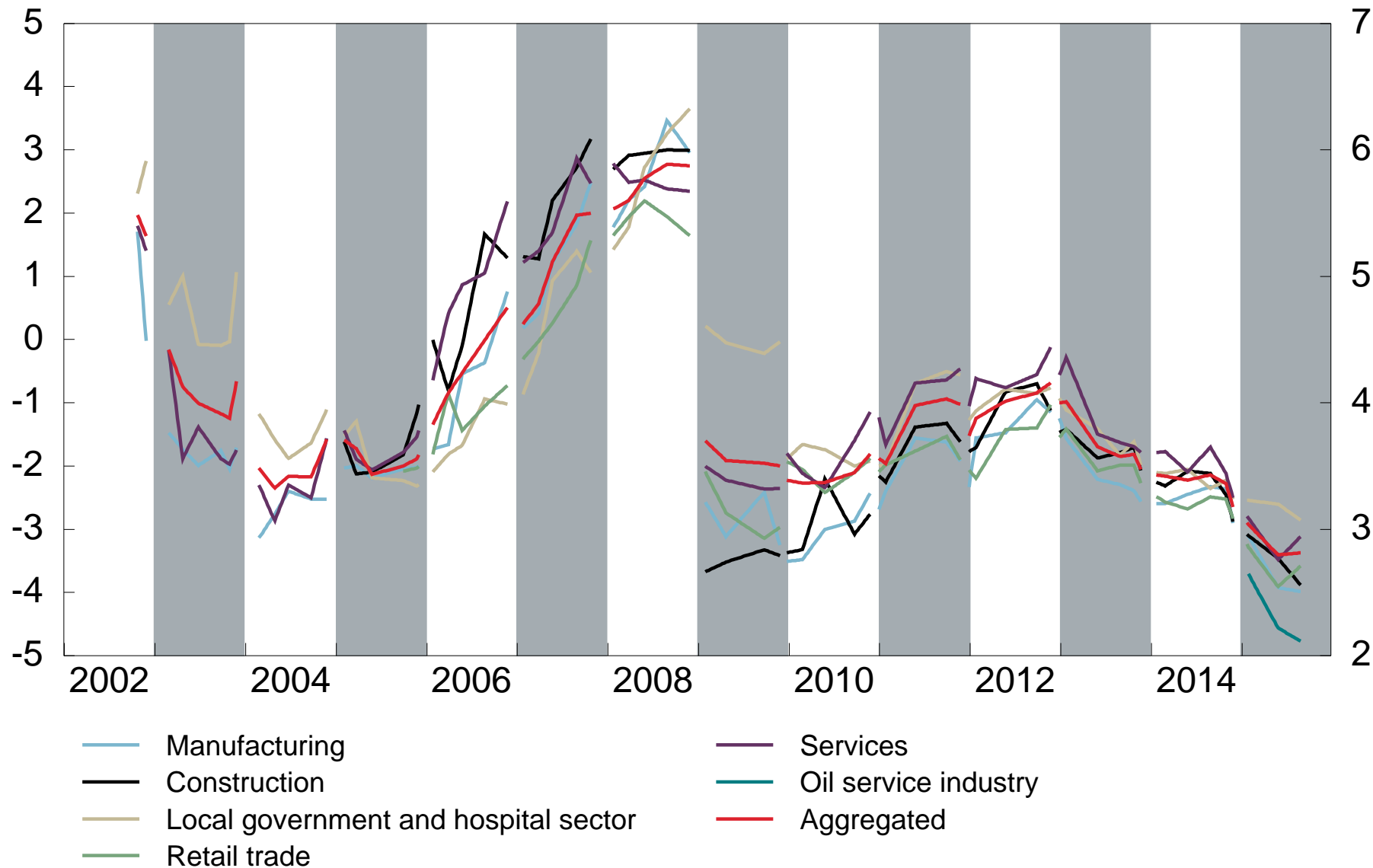


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13 Annual wage growth. Aggregated and all sectors

Contacts' estimates for each year¹

Index² - left-hand scale, percent - right-hand scale

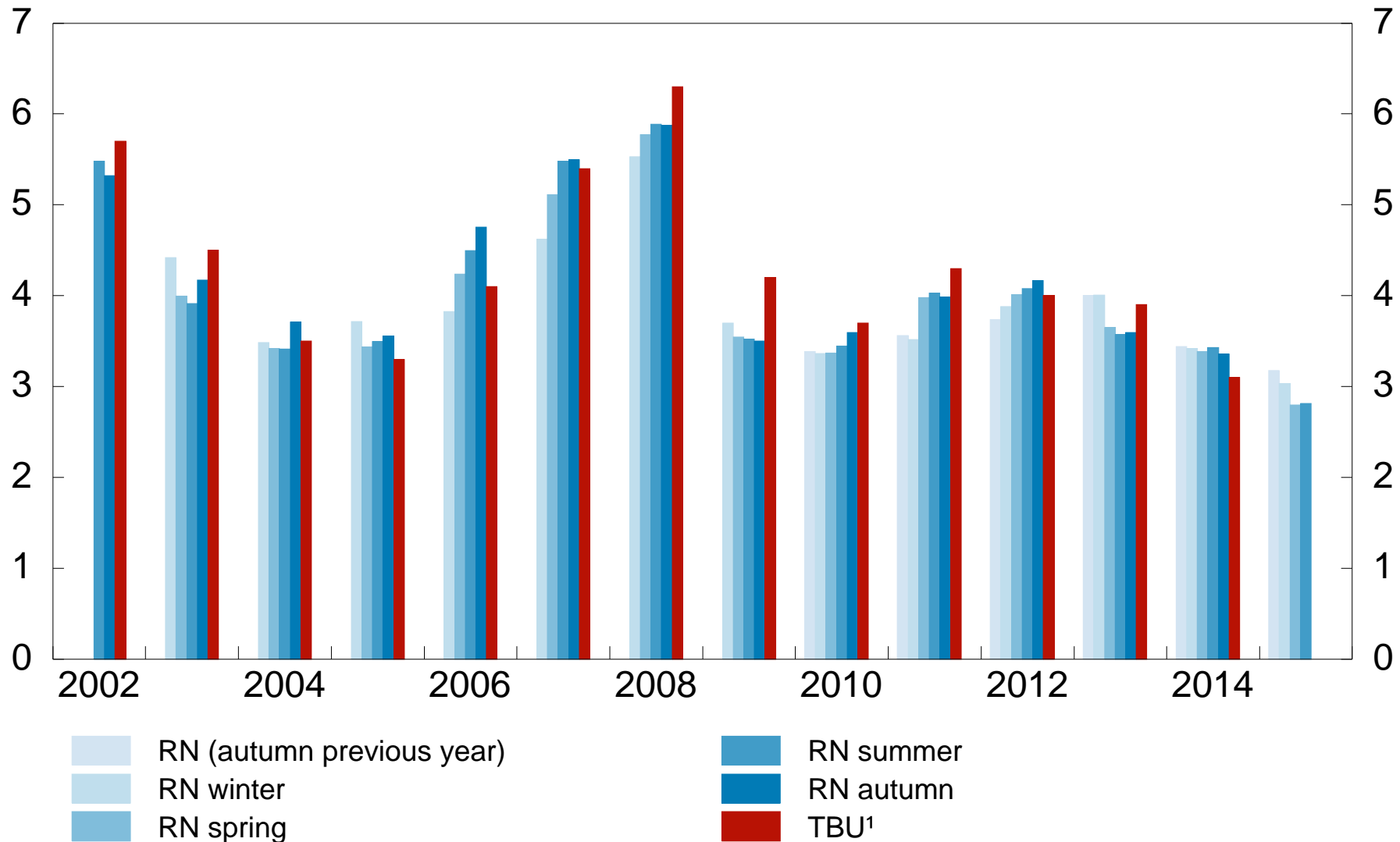


¹ As from 2010, the first observation for wage growth is collected in November the previous year.

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14 Annual wage growth. Aggregated

Technical Reporting Committee on Income Settlements (TBU) compared with network contacts' estimates (RN). Percent

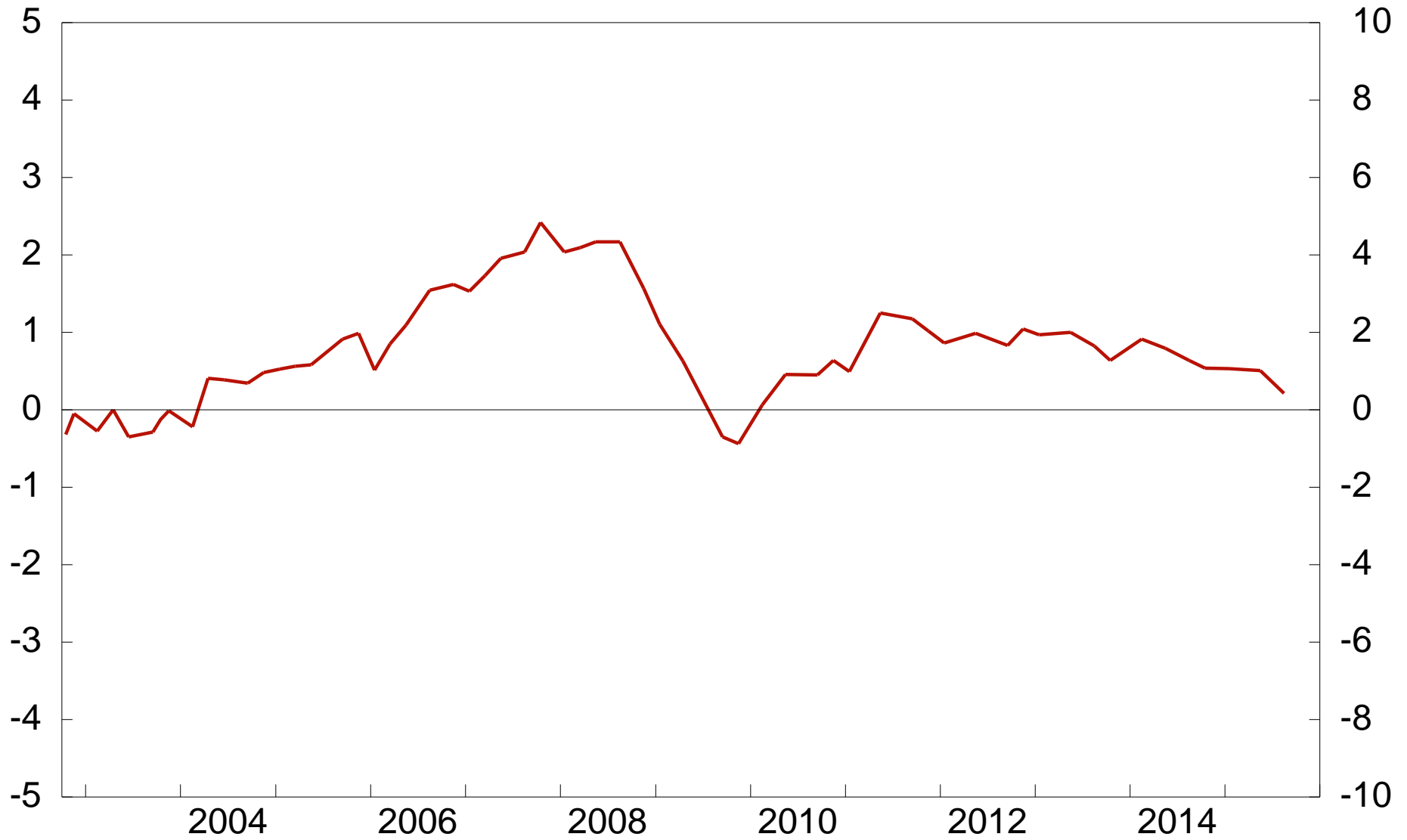


¹ For 2010: Wage growth for employees at enterprises affiliated to an employer organisation and in the public administration including the health trusts.

15 Selling prices. Aggregated

Change past 12 months

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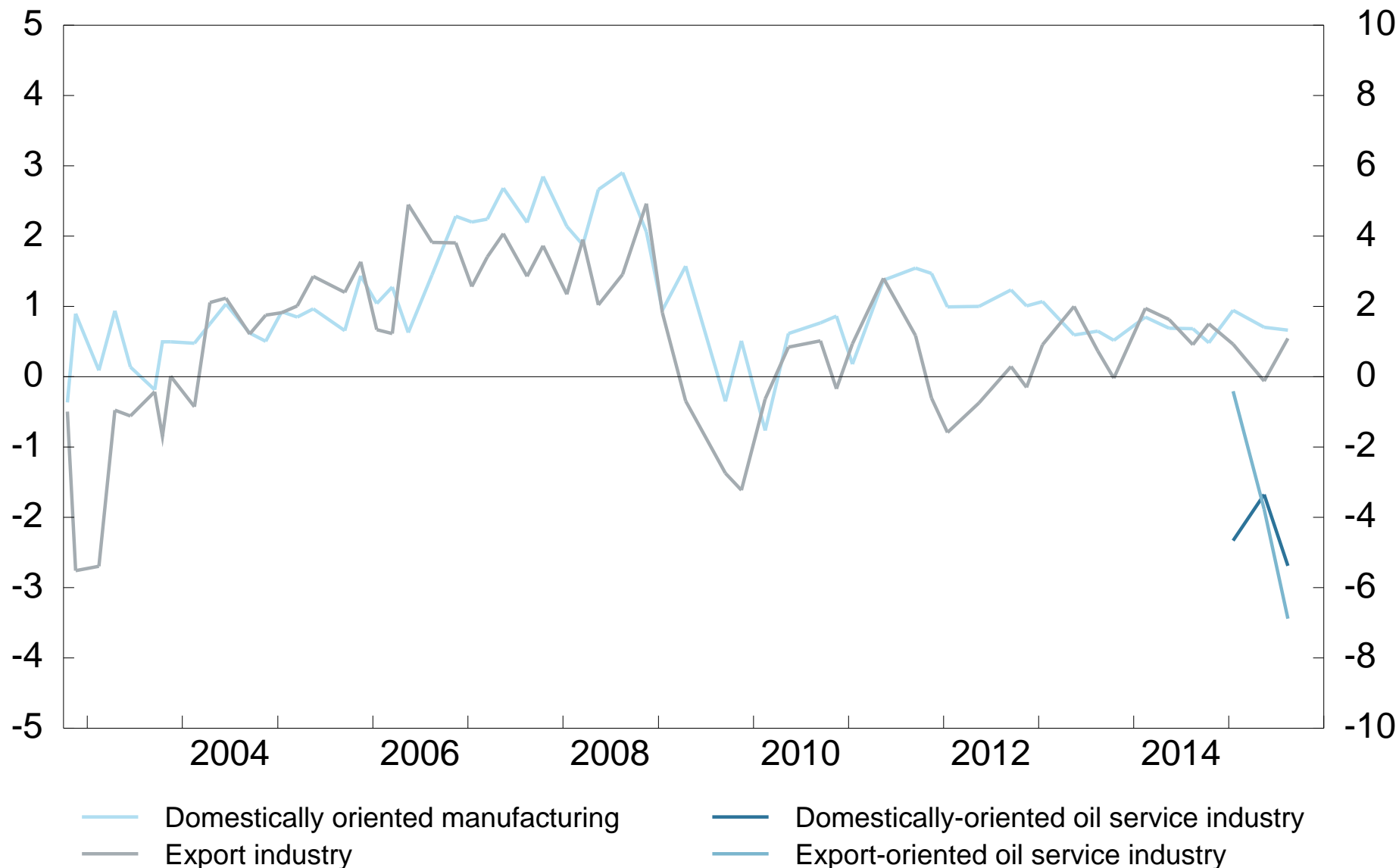


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16 Selling prices. Manufacturing and oil service industry

Change past 12 months

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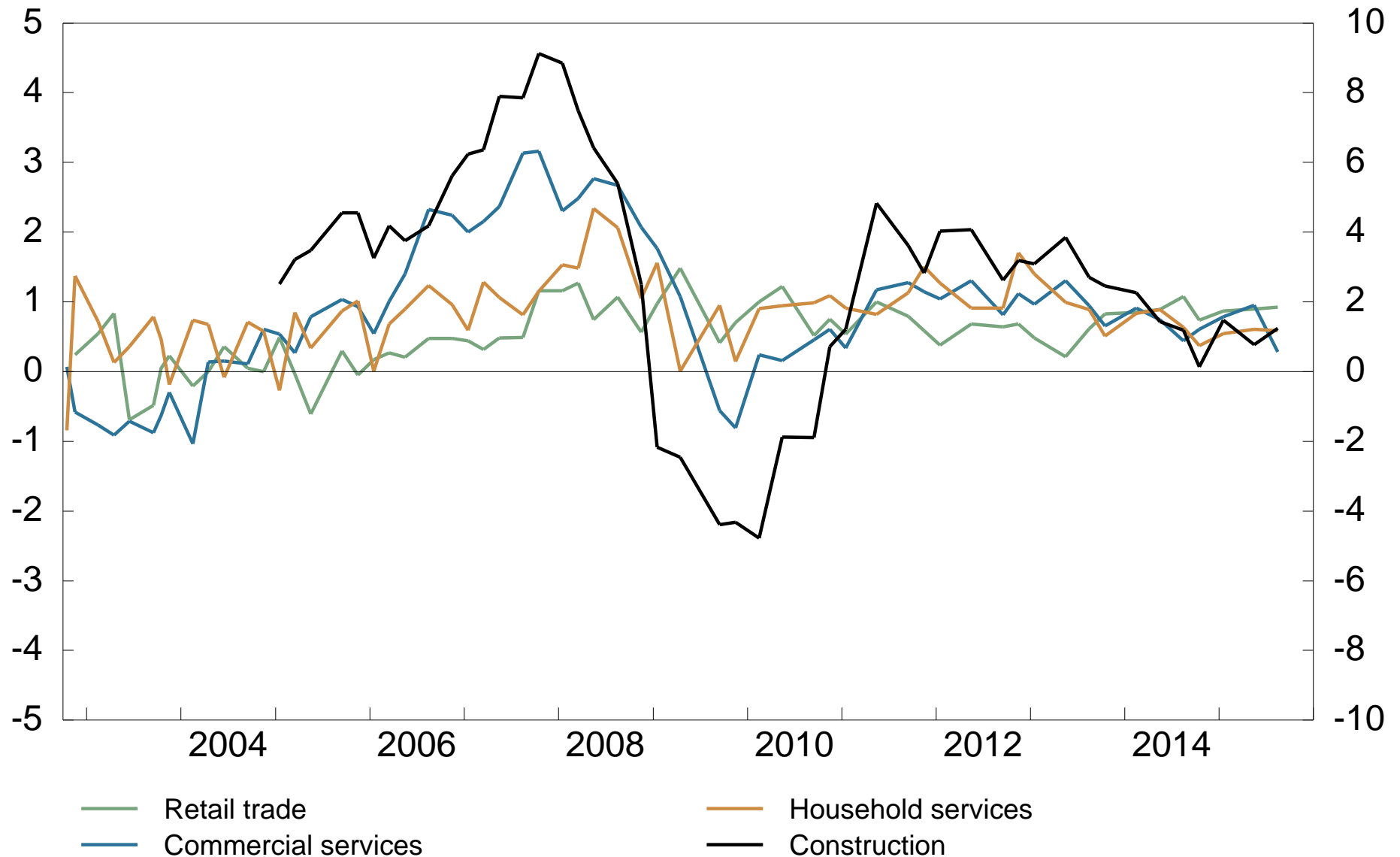


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17 Selling prices. Retail trade, services and construction

Change past 12 months

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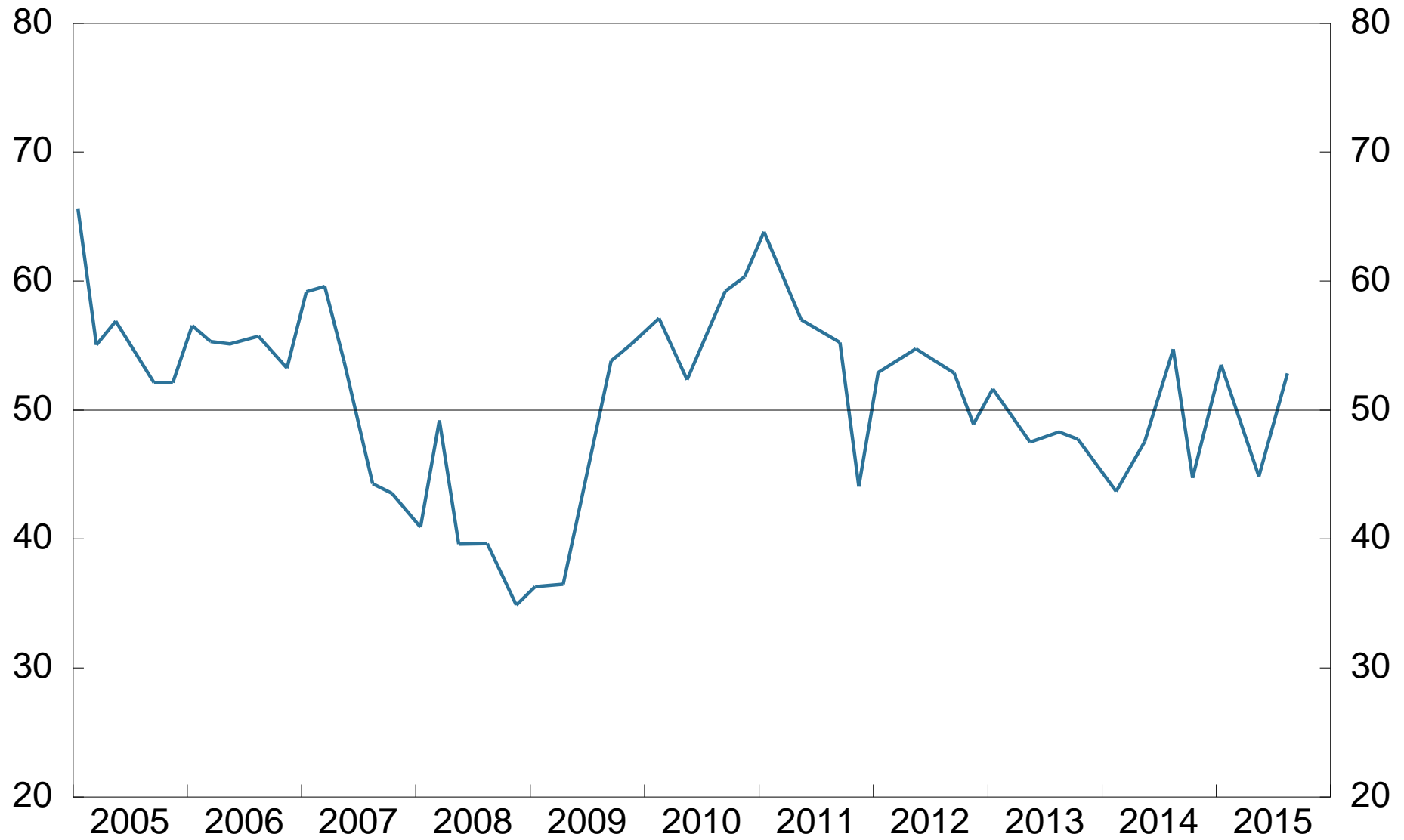


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18 Selling prices 12 months ahead. Aggregated

Expected change in rise in prices

Diffusion index¹



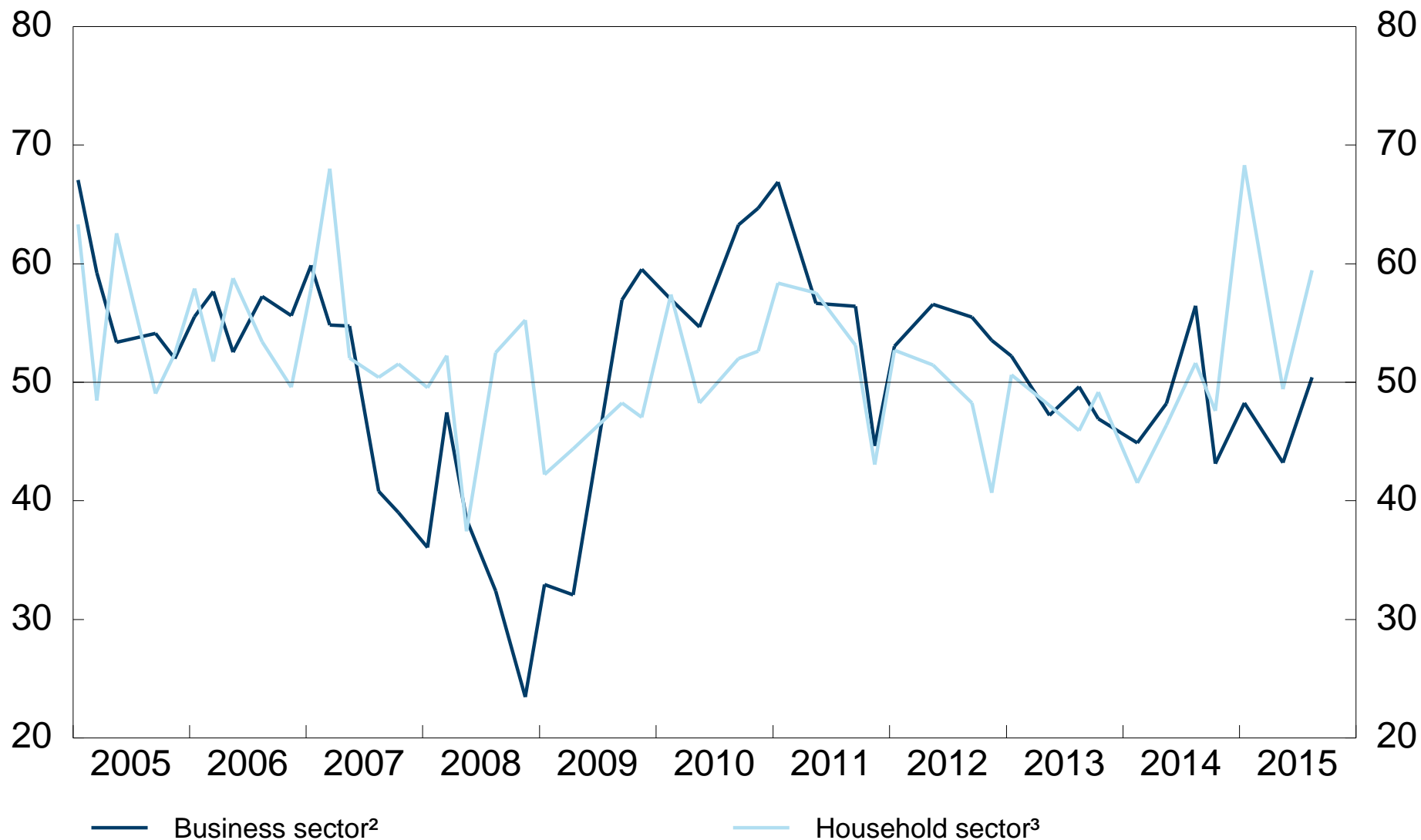
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19 Selling prices next 12 months. Business and household sector

Expected change in rise in prices

Diffusion index¹



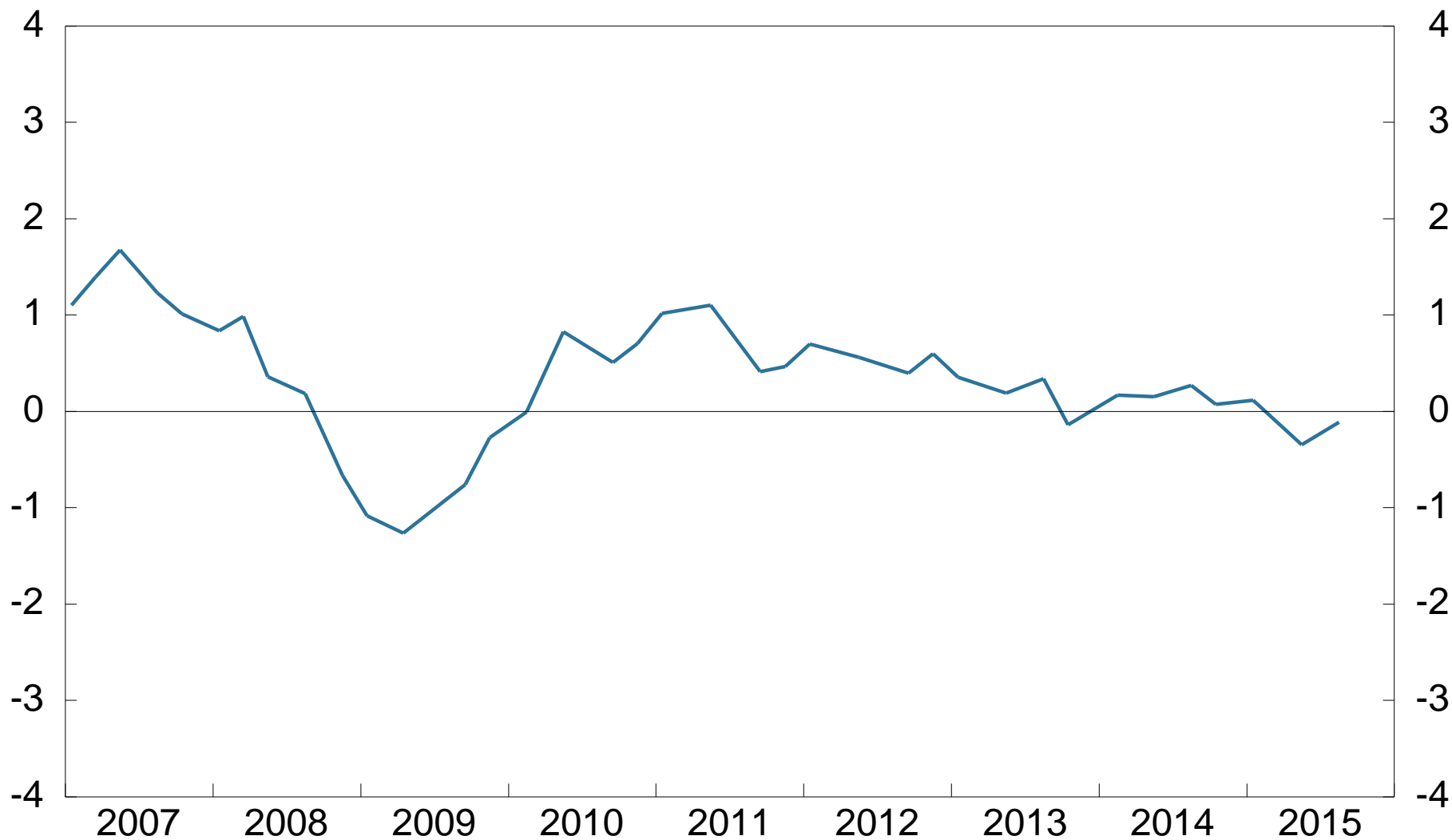
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² Manufacturing, oil service industry, construction, commercial services.

³ Retail trade, household services.

20 Profitability. Aggregated

Change in operating margins past 3 months compared to same period a year earlier.
Index¹



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