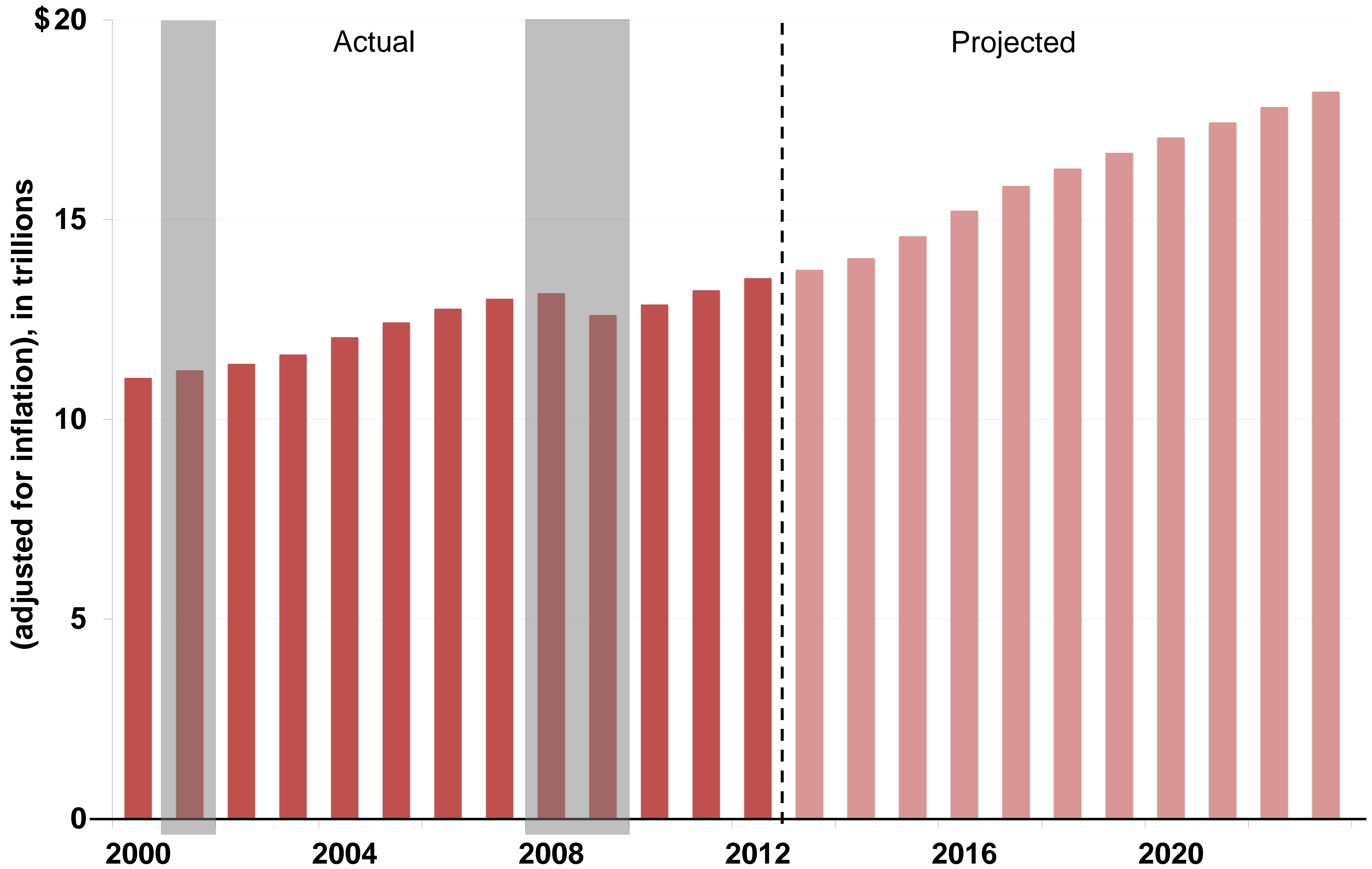


Real GDP in Perspective (in trillions of dollars)



Source: Congressional Budget Office, *The Budget and Economic Outlook: FY 2013 to 2023*; OMB Historical Tables.
Data note: Highlighted regions indicate periods of recession.
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