Years to Double GDP

GDP Growth Rate (annual percentage)	Years Needed	US Population (projection, in millions)	GDP per Person
1.5%	46.5	416.8	\$ 87,475
2.0%	35.0	398.3	\$ 91,530
2.5%	28.0	385.8	\$ 94,507
3.0%	23.5	378.3	\$ 96,373
3.5%	20.0	370.3	\$ 98,448
4.0%	17.7	366.1	\$ 99,586
4.5%	15.8	361.7	\$100,803
5.0%	14.2	357.1	\$ 102,105



Data note: GDP figures are in real 2016 dollars, current GDP per person = \$56.264. Source: US Census Bureau and authors' calculations. Produced by William Beach, Veronique de Rugy, and Rizqi Rachmat, September 2016.