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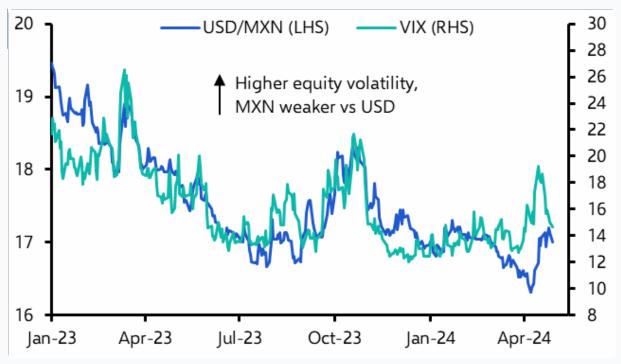


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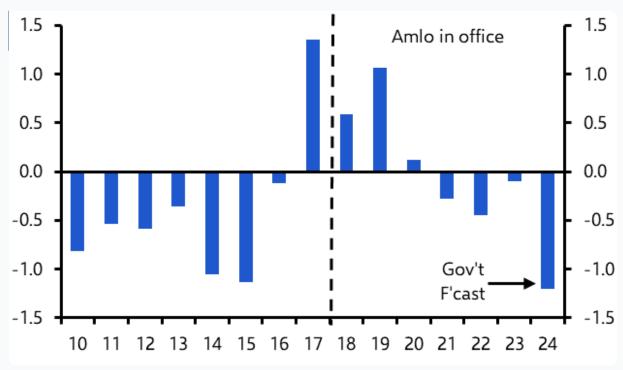


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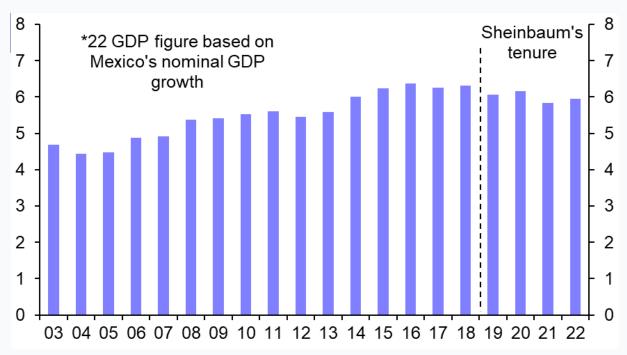


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Few signs of a "nearshoring boom" in Mexico (yet)

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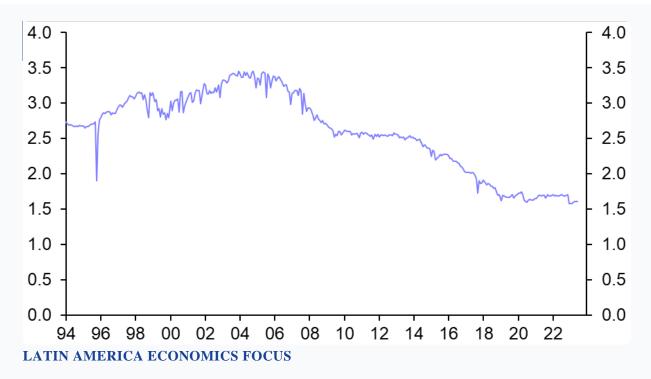


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