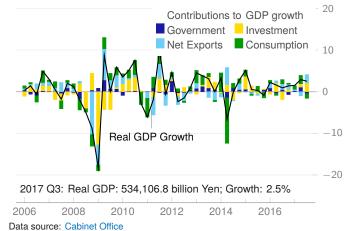
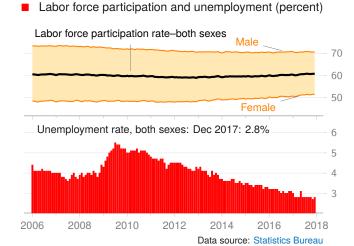
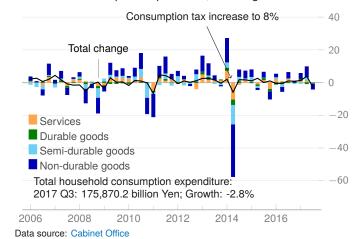
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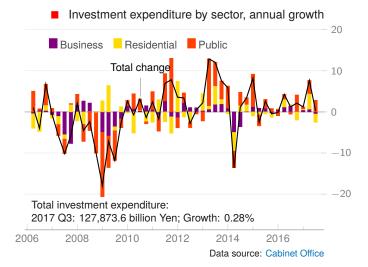
■ Real Gross Domestic Product (annual percent change)







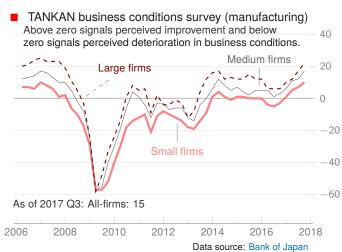




#### Industrial and business conditions

■ Industrial production by industry, index, 2010=100

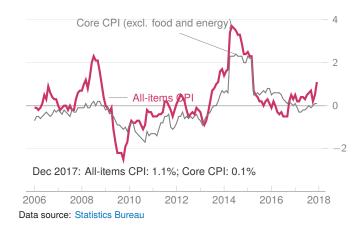


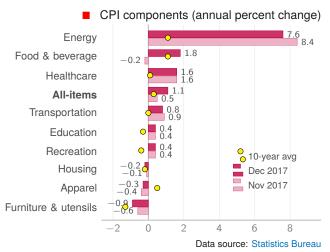


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## **Prices**

Consumer price index (CPI) (annual percent change)



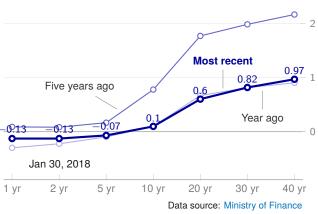


### **Markets and interest rates**

Nikkei 225 daily close price and daily percent change







## External sector and exchange rate

Current account balance, percent of GDP Current account balance Goods Services Income Transfers 2017 Q3: Current Account Balance: 4.5% of GDP 2006 2008 2010 2016 Data source: Ministry of Finance

Foreign exchange, trade weighted and USD-JPY rates

