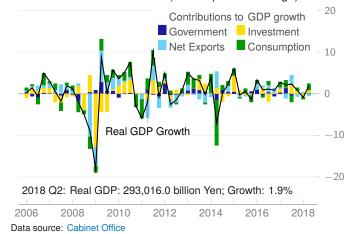
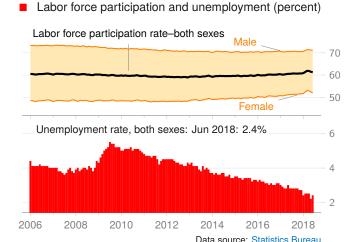
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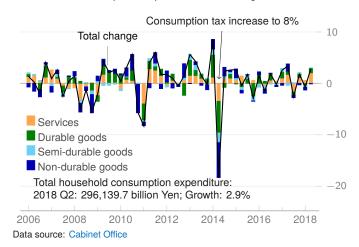
Economic growth and employment

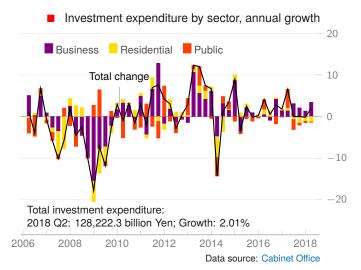
Real Gross Domestic Product (annual percent change)





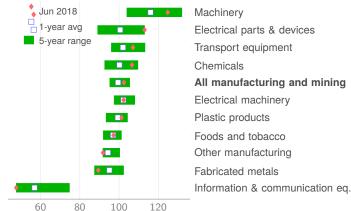
Household consumption expenditure, annual growth





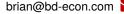
Industrial and business conditions

Industrial production by industry, index, 2010=100



TANKAN business conditions survey (manufacturing) Above zero signals perceived improvement and below zero signals perceived deterioration in business conditions. Medium firms, Large firms -20 Small firms -40 -60 As of 2018 Q2: All-firms: 17 2006 2008 2010 2012 2014 2016 Data source: Bank of Japan

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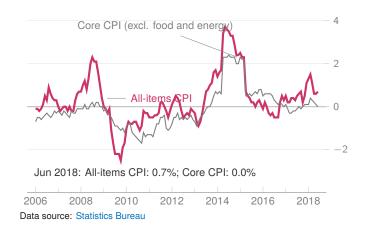


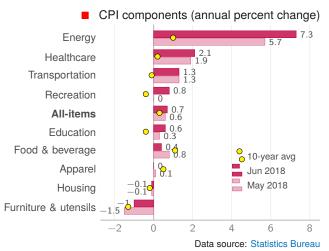


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Prices

■ Consumer price index (CPI) (annual percent change)



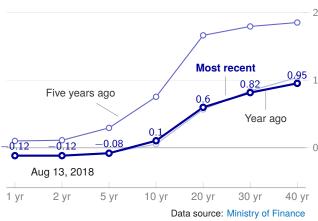


Markets and interest rates

■ 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

2018 Q2: Current Account Balance: 3.99% of GDP

2006 2008 2010 2012 2014 2016 2018

Data source: Ministry of Finance

■ Foreign exchange, trade weighted and USD-JPY rates

