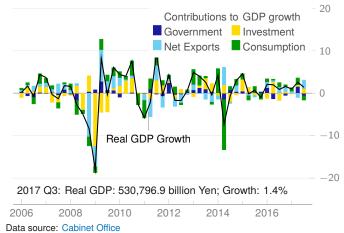
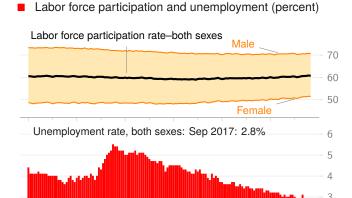
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# **Economic growth and employment**

Real Gross Domestic Product (annual percent change)





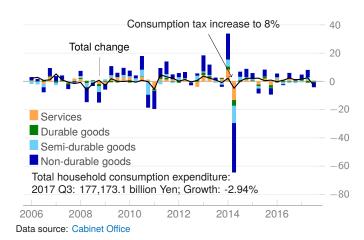
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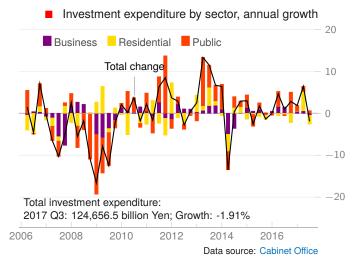
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2016

Data source: Statistics Bureau

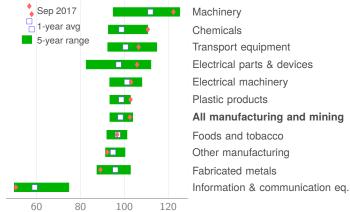
Household consumption expenditure, annual growth

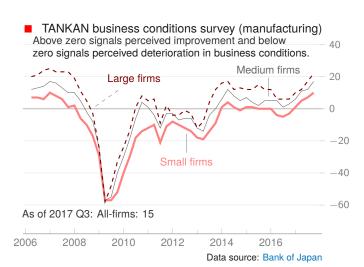




#### Industrial and business conditions

Industrial production by industry, index, 2010=100





Data source: Ministry of Trade, Economy, and Industry



2006

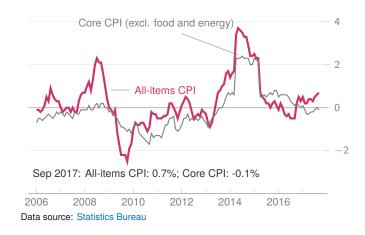
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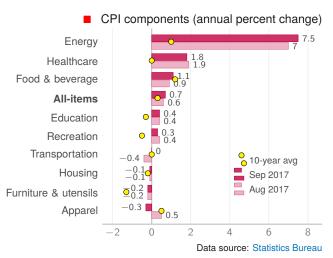
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## **Prices**

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



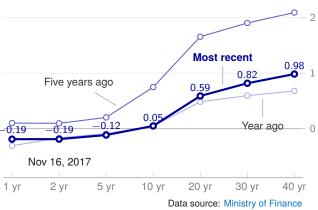


#### **Markets and interest rates**

■ Nikkei 225 daily close price and daily percent change



■ Japanese government bond yield curve



## 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 2012 2014 2016

Data source: Ministry of Finance

Values indexed to 2014=1; Nominal effective Effective rates are BIS broad-index

Real effective

As of Nov 15, 2017: 113.4 JPY per 1 USD

0.8

2014

2015

2016

2017

Data source: FRED: RBJPBIS, NBJPBIS; Quandl