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The 36th Middle-Term Forecast of the Japanese Economy (2009-2020 Fiscal year)

	01-10			11-20		
*: term average, rest components are based on annual rate		01-05	06-10		11-15	16-20
Real GDP growth rate (2000 prices)	0.5	1.3	-0.4	1.2	1.1	1.3
Private Demand (contribution to change)	0.3	1.0	-0.5	1.0	0.9	1.0
Public Demand (contribution to change)	-0.1	-0.1	-0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2
Net Exports	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.1	-0.0	0.1
Nominal GDP growth rate	-0.7	-0.0	-1.3	0.8	0.4	1.2
GDP Deflator (change from previous year)	-1.2	-1.3	-1.0	-0.4	-0.7	-0.1
Real Information Technology Investment (change from previous year)	-0.3	3.7	-4.2	3.2	2.8	3.7
Consumer Price Index (excluding fresh food, change from previous year)	-0.3	-0.4	-0.2	0.2	-0.1	0.5
Domestic Corporate Goods Price Index (change from previous year)	-0.0	-0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
General Government Fiscal Balance (Nominal GDP ratio)	-5.6	-6.9	-4.3	-5.9	-6.1	-5.6
Current Accounts (Nominal GDP ratio)	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.3	2.9 *
Per capita Compensation of Employee (change from previous year)	-1.0	-1.0	-0.9	0.1	-0.7	0.9
Current profits rate (companies capitalized at 10 million yen, All Industry)	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.0	3.4 *
Household Sector Saving rate	3.6	4.1	3.1	0.2	0.5	-0.1
Labor force population (change from previous year)	-0.2	-0.4	-0.1	-0.5	-0.4	-0.5
Unemployment rate	4.8	4.9	4.6	4.4	5.0	3.9
Index of Industrial Production (change from previous year)	-1.0	0.3	-2.2	1.8	1.5	2.0 *
10-years Government Bonds Rate	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.7 *
Yen / U.S. Dollar exchange rate	109.8	116.2	103.5	85.3	88.9	81.8
Crude Oil Price (\$ per barrel, WTI, Blent and Dubai average, calender year)	56.1	33.9	78.4	90.5	86.6	94.4
World Real GDP growth rate (calender year)	3.4	3.6	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2

[Notes

- 1. Figures after 2009 are forecasted by Japan Center for Economic Research.
- 2. % if not otherwise specified.
- 3. Real Information Technology Investment consist of computer, net work device and software investment that are estimated by InfoCom Research, Inc.
- 4. All figures (excluding World Real GDP growth rate) represent Fiscal Year. Fiscal year: from April to March

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