



Live Updates on Today's Stock Market

Description

The Bank of Japan opted to maintain its policy rate unchanged, resulting in the yen hitting a new low against the U.S. dollar. The decision led to fresh 34-year lows for the yen, while the Nikkei 225 index saw a 0.7% increase. The central bank plans to continue with its bond purchases in line with previous decisions, and investors are eagerly anticipating a press conference later in the day with BOJ Governor Kazuo Ueda.

In other market news, Hon Hai Precision Industry, a Taiwanese company, experienced a 4.3% surge in its shares, reaching a peak not seen in over two weeks. This rise was attributed to a partnership with U.S. software company Cerence, which will supply Hon Hai's EV subsidiary Foxtron with a voice-powered AI assistant incorporating bilingual recognition.

Additionally, Tokyo's inflation saw a significant slowdown, with core inflation coming in lower than expected. This data is closely monitored as an indicator of nationwide trends. Looking ahead, the Federal Reserve is set to release the personal consumption expenditures price index on Friday, shedding light on the latest inflation metrics. Investors will be keenly watching these developments as economic conditions continue to evolve.

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Vocabulary List:

1. **opted** // (verb): To make a choice or decision.
2. **unchanged** // (adjective): Not altered or modified.
3. **surge** // (noun): A sudden powerful forward or upward movement.
4. **peak** // (noun): The highest point or maximum level.
5. **incorporating** // (verb): To include something as part of a whole.
6. **indicator** // (noun): A thing that shows the state or level of something.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. What term refers to the process of ensuring compliance with laws and regulations?
Option: A. Opted
Option: B. Surge
Option: C. Enforcement
Option: D. Peak
2. What term describes a prediction of future trends or outcomes?
Option: A. Revenue
Option: B. Forecast
Option: C. Peak
Option: D. Initiative
3. What are consequences or punitive measures imposed for violations of rules or laws?
Option: A. Allegations
Option: B. Mass
Option: C. Penalties
Option: D. Forecast
4. Which term refers to one's power or ability to perform certain tasks or activities?
Option: A. Revenue
Option: B. Capabilities
Option: C. Suspension
Option: D. Deceptive
5. What term describes goods that have been produced in a factory?



- Option: A. Optimistic
- Option: B. Manufactured
- Option: C. Fabricate
- Option: D. Enforcement

6. Which term describes a systematic review or examination of records to ensure accuracy and compliance?

- Option: A. Undisclosed
- Option: B. Enforcement
- Option: C. Audit
- Option: D. Allegations

7. What term refers to the act of adhering to rules regulations or standards?

- Option: A. Innovation
- Option: B. Compliance
- Option: C. Revenue
- Option: D. Violation

8. What term describes the action of compelling observance of laws or rules?

- Option: A. Initiative
- Option: B. Capabilities
- Option: C. Enforcement
- Option: D. Deliberate

9. Which term refers to a recovery after a decline or setback?

- Option: A. Revenue
- Option: B. Rebound
- Option: C. Stiff
- Option: D. Suspension

10. Which term describes having a positive outlook or expecting favorable outcomes?

- Option: A. Misleading
- Option: B. Optimistic
- Option: C. Surge
- Option: D. Unveiling

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. _____ of corruption were made against several government officials.

12. Strict _____ of traffic laws is necessary to ensure public safety.



13. The new software enhances the company's _____ to handle large amounts of data.
14. The charity organization launched an educational _____ to help underprivileged children.
15. During summer energy consumption often reaches its _____ due to high demand for cooling systems.
16. The student faced a one-week _____ for violating the school's code of conduct.
17. Economists _____ that the market will experience steady growth in the next quarter.
18. The company prides itself on its culture of _____ constantly developing new products and solutions.
19. The advertisement was _____ promising results that were impossible to achieve.
20. The witness admitted to trying to _____ a story to protect the accused.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. The marketing campaign containing false information was considered unethical.
22. The company had financial liabilities that were only revealed during the audit.
23. The sabotage of the competitor's product was a attempt to gain market share.
24. Any of the terms of service will result in immediate account suspension.
25. The company will be their latest product line at the upcoming trade show.
26. The competitors in the market offered competition making it challenging to enter the industry.
27. The event drew a of participants from various backgrounds.
28. Strict of regulations is essential to maintain order in society.
29. The company high-quality products for export to international markets.



30. The company's to sustainability is evident in its eco-friendly practices.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. C. Enforcement 2. B. Forecast 3. C. Penalties 4. B. Capabilities 5. B. Manufactured 6. C. Audit 7. B. Compliance 8. C. Enforcement 9. B. Rebound 10. B. Optimistic

Gap-Fill: 11. Allegations 12. Enforcement 13. Capabilities 14. Initiative 15. Peak 16. Suspension 17. Forecast 18. Innovation 19. Deceptive 20. Fabricate

Matching sentence: 1. Misleading 2. Undisclosed 3. Deliberate 4. Violation 5. Unveiling 6. Stiff 7. Mass 8. Enforcement 9. Manufactured 10. Commitment

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