- Nikkei Stock Average (Nikkei 225) marked 70th anniversary on September 7, 2020. – Please visit and bookmark the anniversary special site (Click <u>here</u>).

Monthly Summary of the Tokyo Market

- The Nikkei Stock Average (Nikkei 225) closed August at <u>28089.54</u>, gained 805.95 points (2.95%) from the end of July. The index recovered month-end 28,000 mark since June and it was the highest in the month.
- In the end of August, Federal Reserve Chair Jerome Powell remarked at a central bankers' symposium that FRB could begin tapering this year but not in a hurry to raise interest rates. This comment boosted the US equity market and the Japanese market tracked the move. However, the effect of FRB Chair's comment was limited in Japan as the market was cautious on the Covid-19 woes. The Covid-19 infection cases recorded the highest in many prefectures including Tokyo and Toyota Motor announced to reduce global production by 40% in September. Warries over stagnation of the economic activities due to Covid-19 were widely shared and continued to cast a shadow on the market.

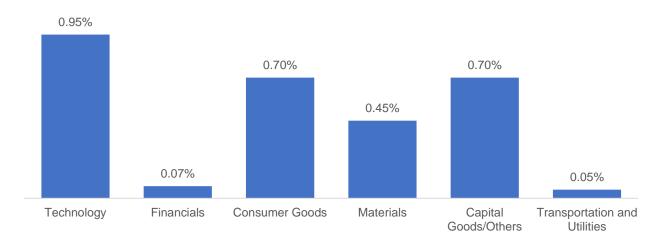
Nikkei 225 in August 2021 - Closing Price in Each Currency

Currency	Closing Value	1M	3M	
US Dollar	255.68	2.84% up	3.08% down	
Euro	216.60	3.31% up	0.38% up	
Japanese Yen	28,089.54	2.95% up	2.66% down	

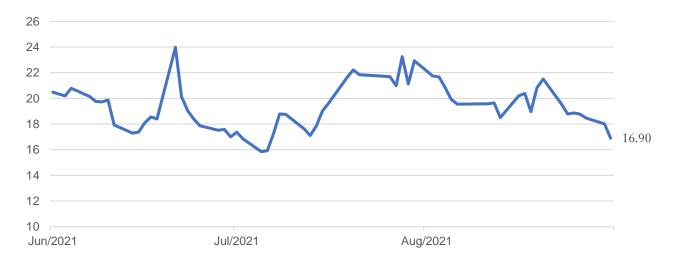
Index Performance

INDEX	1M	3M	YTD	Yield
Nikkei 225	2.95%	-2.66%	2.35%	1.72%
Nikkei 225 High Dividend Yield Stock 50	3.97%	0.95%	19.96%	4.65%
Nikkei 225 Domestic Exposure 50	0.94%	-3.22%	5.95%	2.24%
Nikkei 225 Global Exposure 50	0.72%	-2.45%	13.47%	2.29%
JPX-Nikkei 400	3.50%	1.56%	8.04%	2.17%
JPX-Nikkei Mid Small	1.94%	5.52%	11.06%	2.24%

Nikkei 225 Sector Monthly Contribution



Nikkei Stock Average (Nikkei 225) Volatility Index



Note) The data on this page are as of the end of previous month.

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JPX-Nikkei 400 ETFs listed on NYSE

ETF Name	Ticker	Provider	Listed date
iShares JPX-Nikkei 400 ETF*	JPXN	BlackRock	Oct 23, 2001
iShares Currency Hedged JPX-Nikkei 400 ETF	HJPX	BlackRock	Sep 29, 2015
Xtrackers Japan JPX-Nikkei 400 Equity ETF	JPN	DWS	Jun 24, 2015

Note: *The ETF name was changed in July 2015 with the change to the current benchmark (JPX-Nikkei 400).

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Cease the calculations of Nikkei JQ Average in April 2022

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