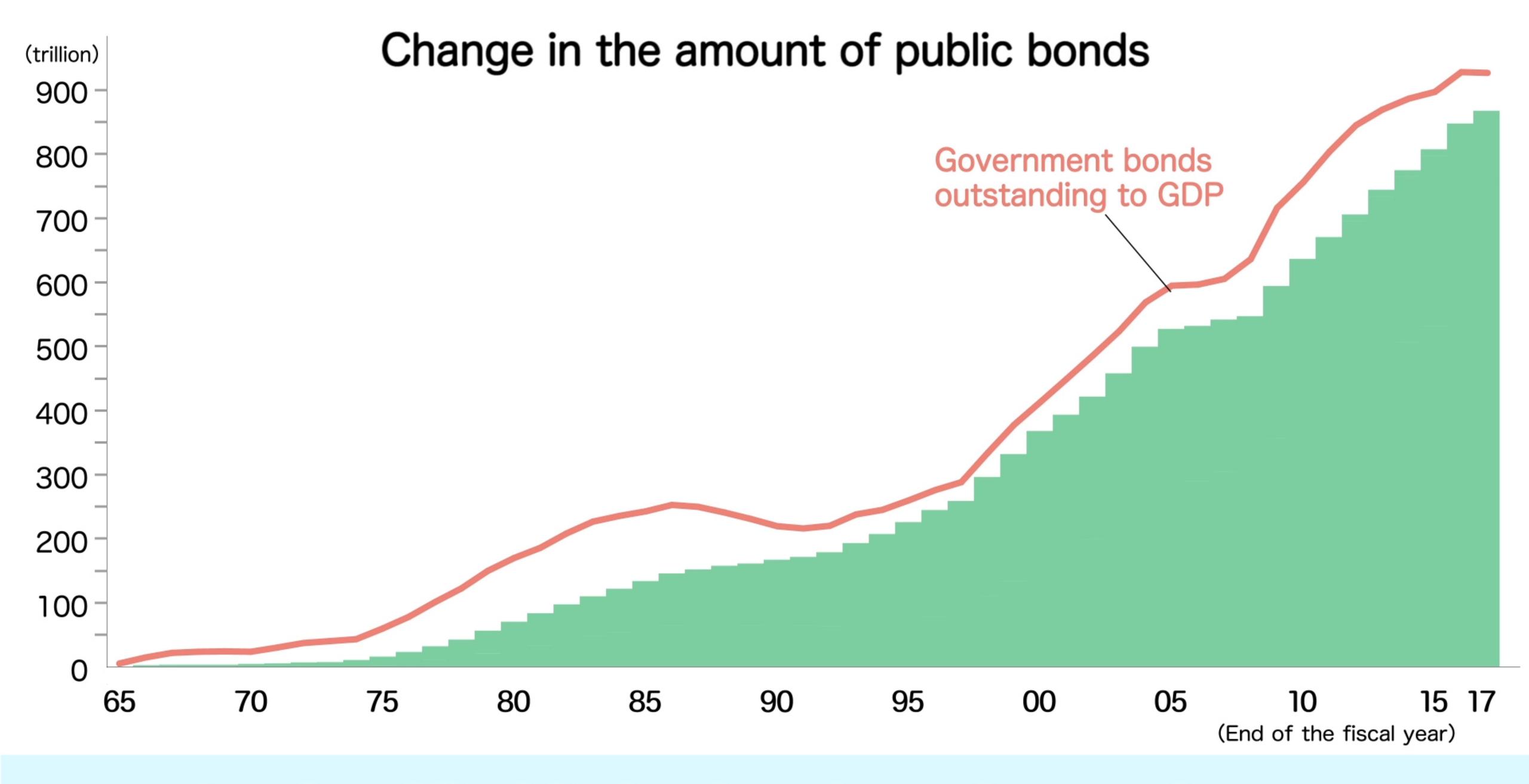
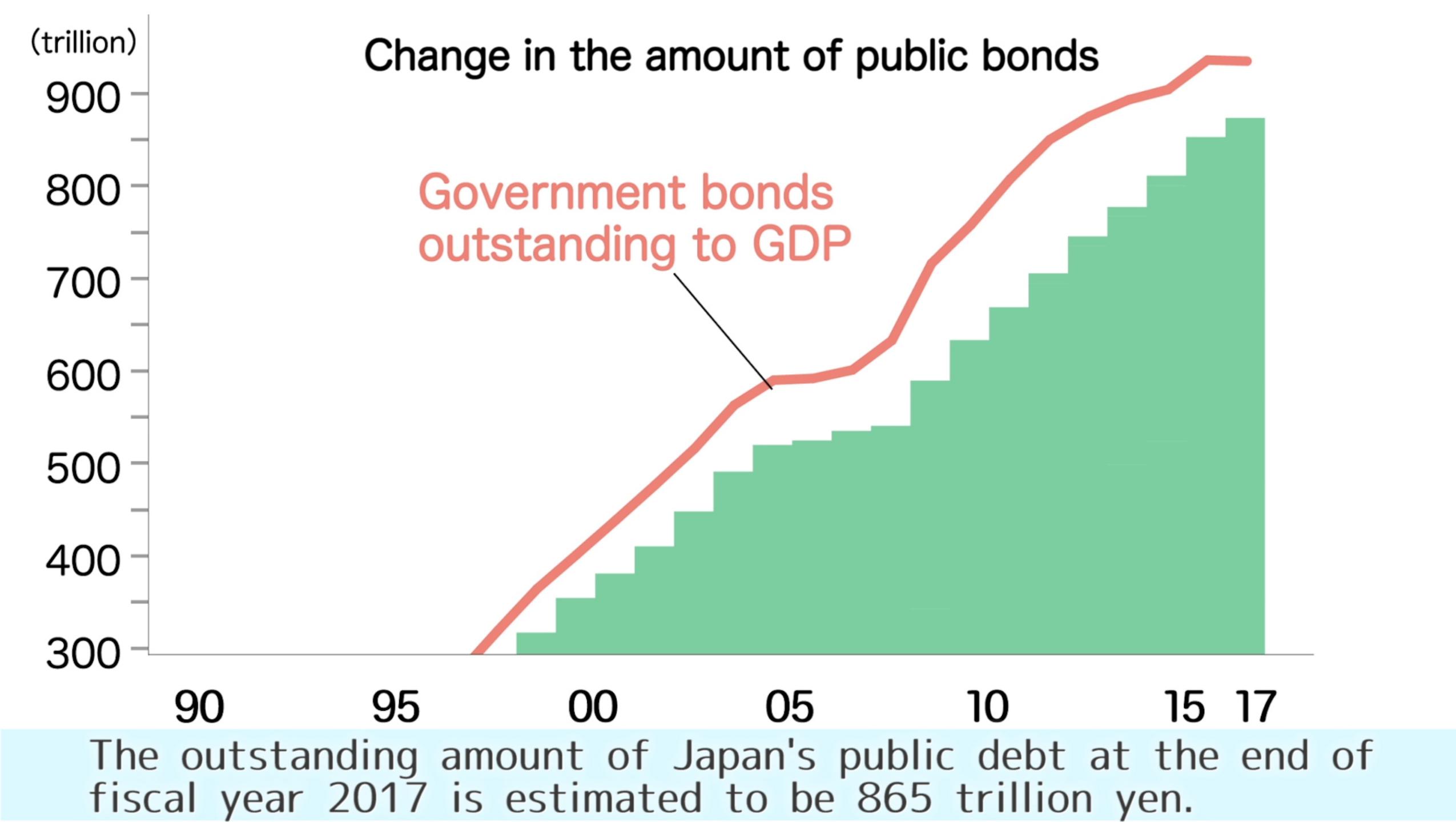
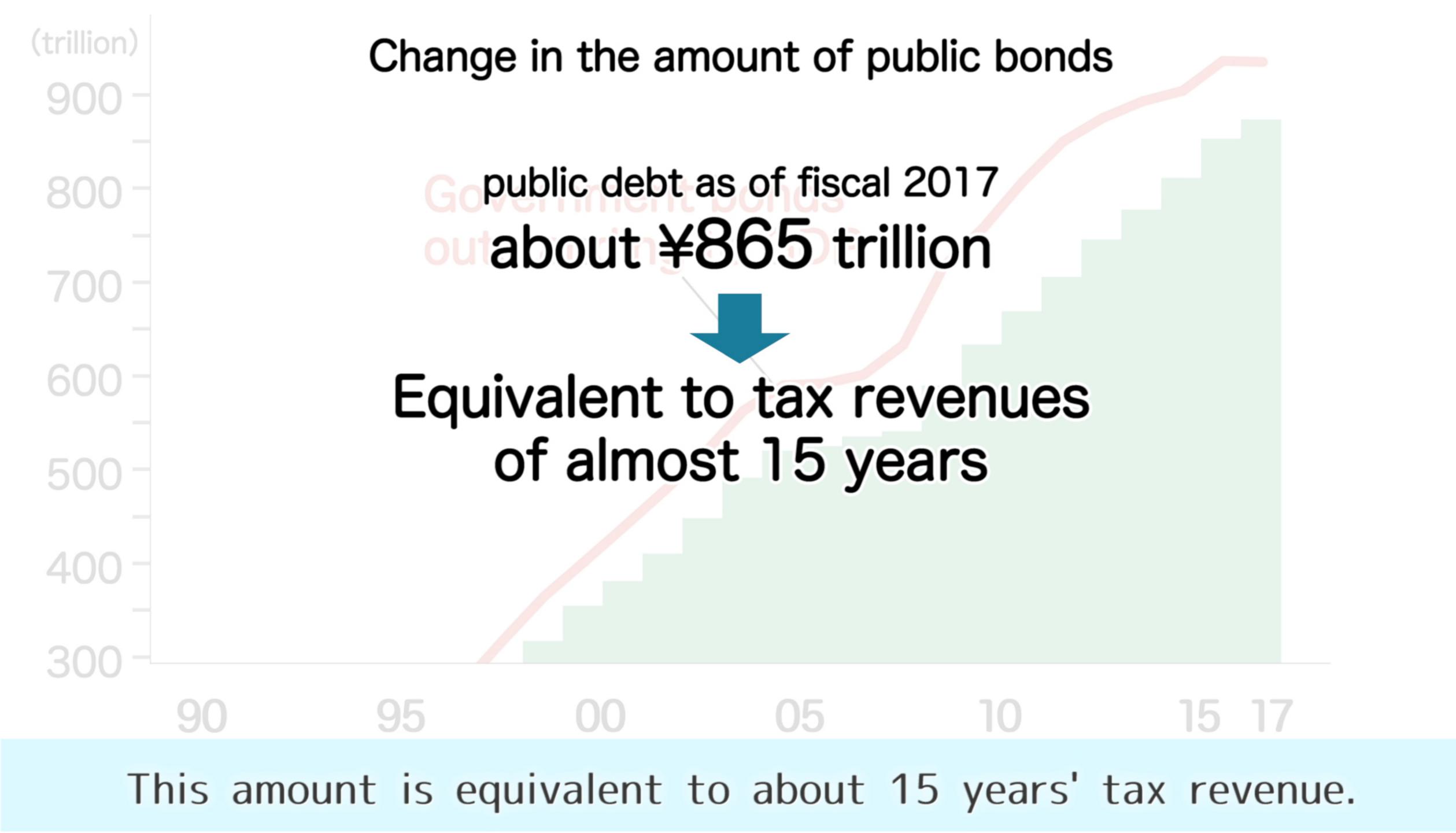
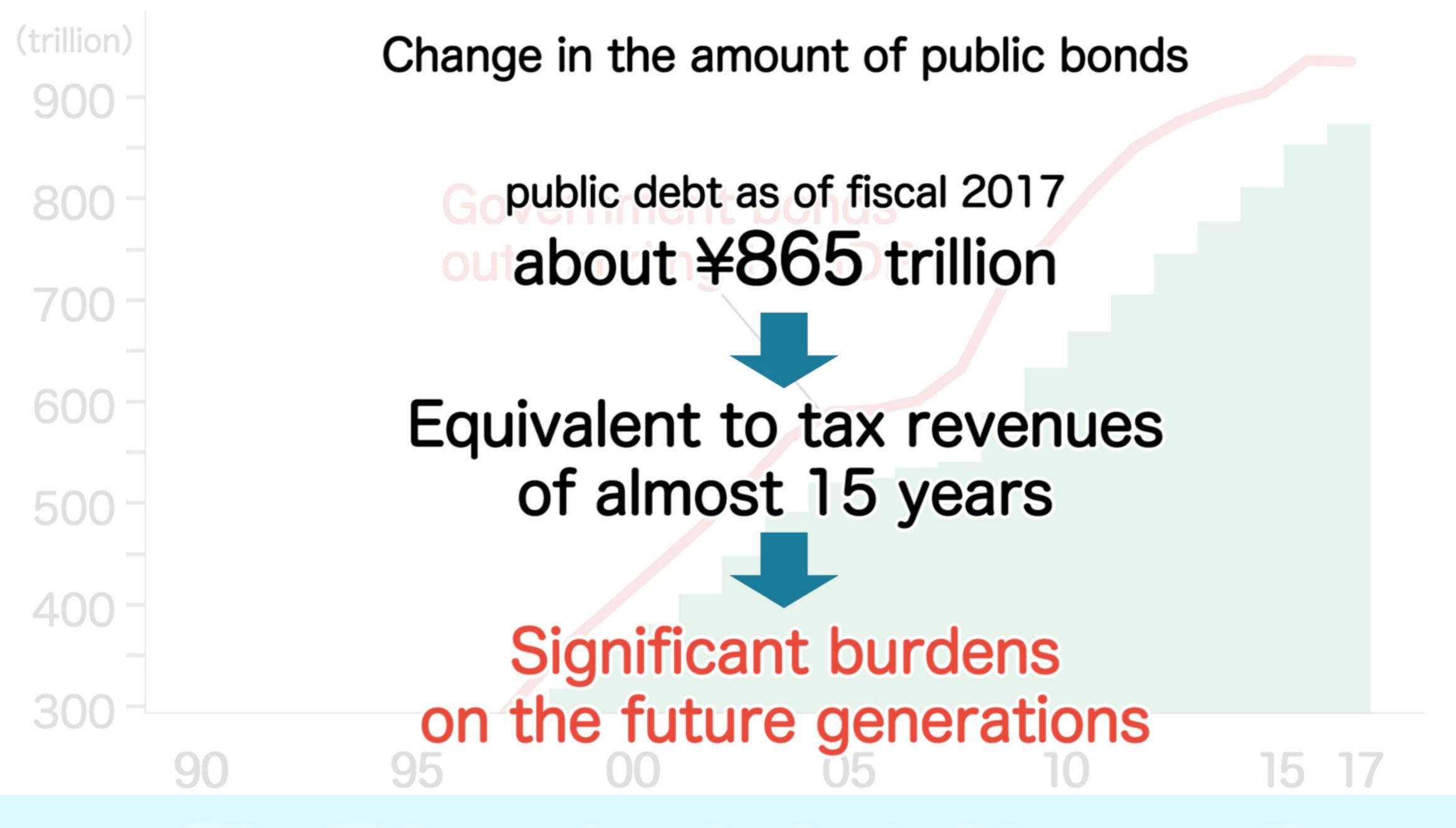
How big is Japan's debt?



Japan's public debt has been increasing year by year.

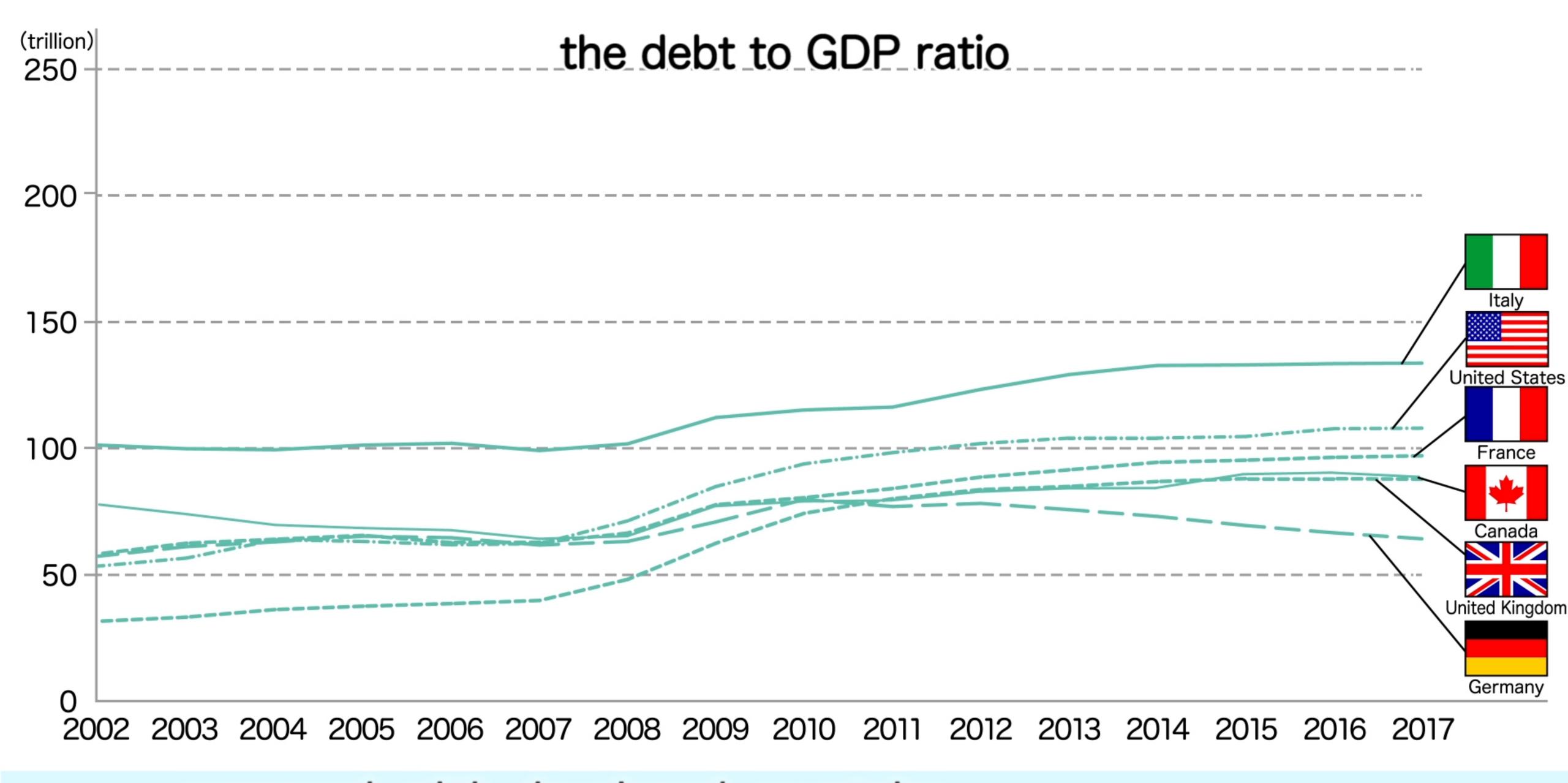




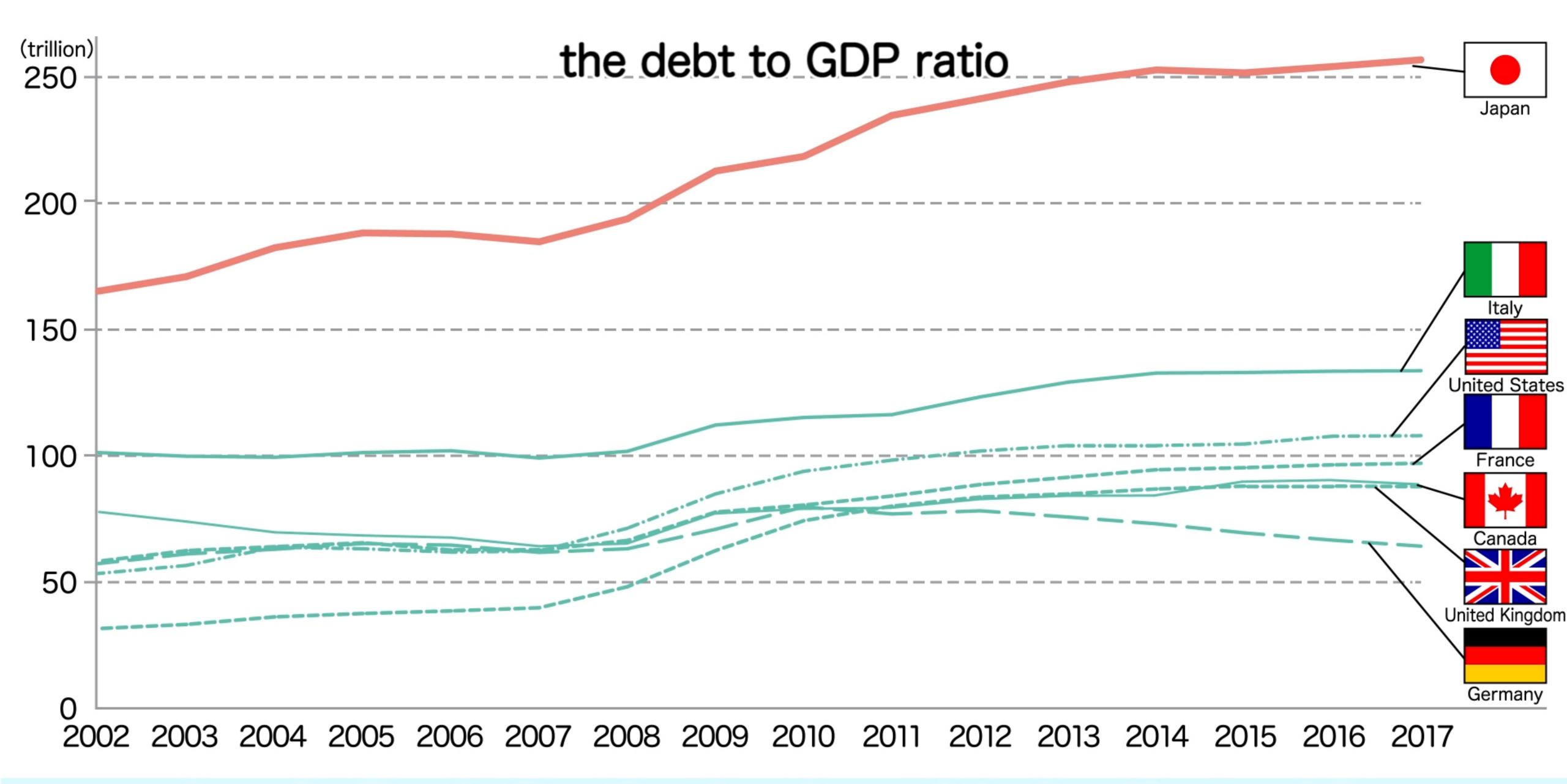


This will leave a huge burden to future generations.

the debt to GDP ratio



compared with developed countries that promoted fiscal consolidation in the late 1990s,



Japan's fiscal situation has been deteriorating rapidly, reaching to the worst level.