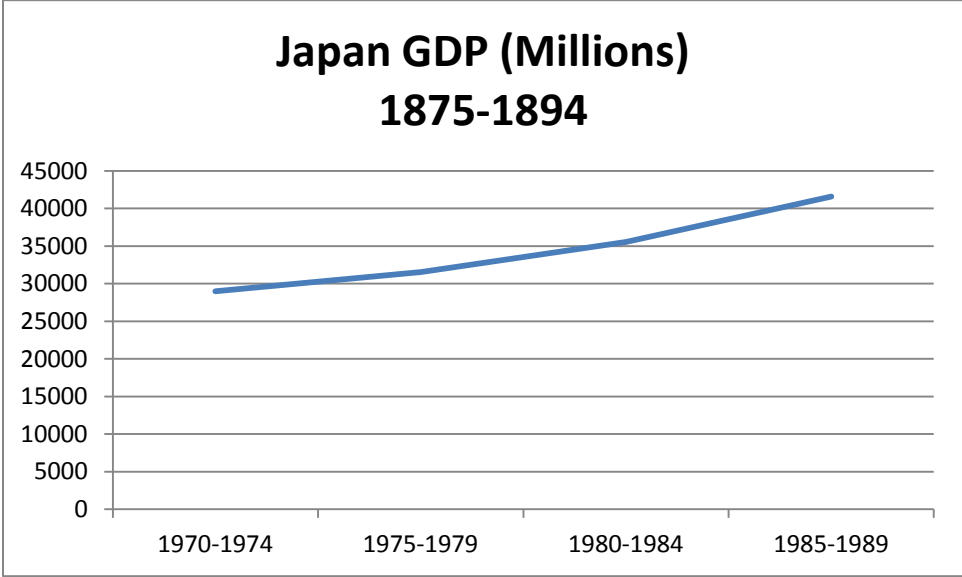
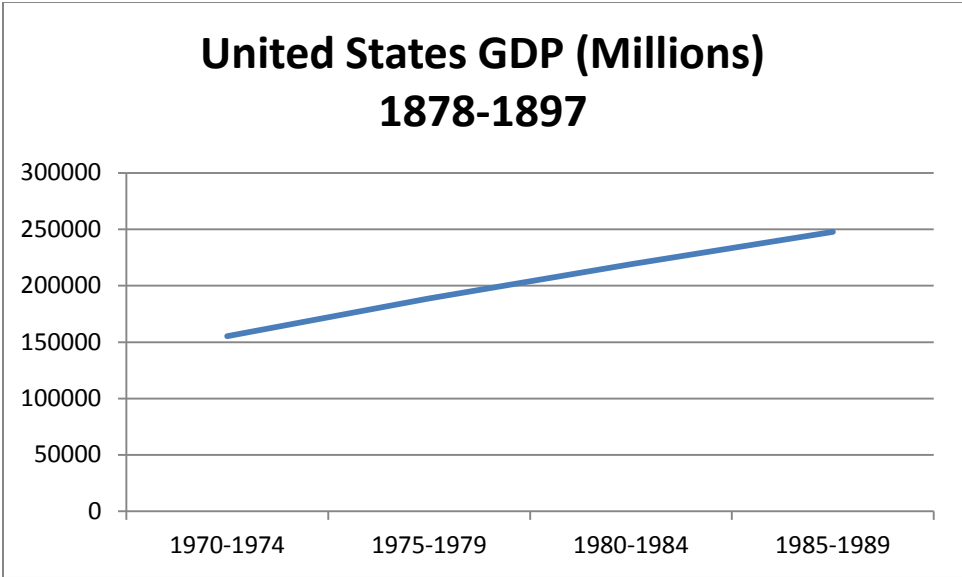
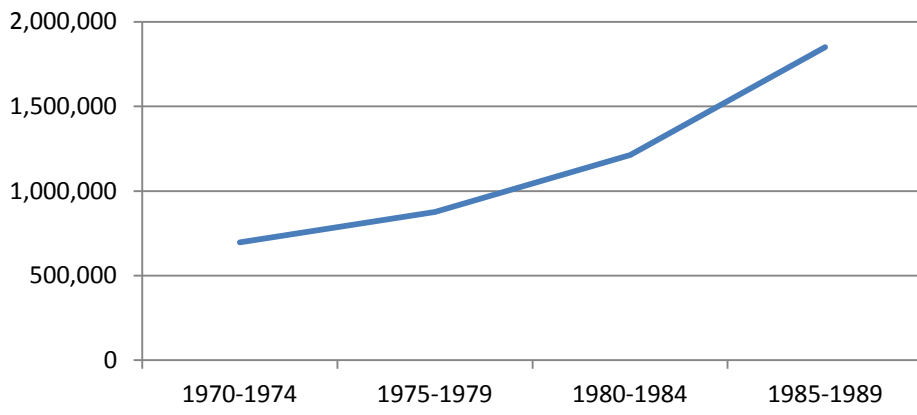


GDP Growth, Twenty Years Prior to Membership in Major Power Club¹

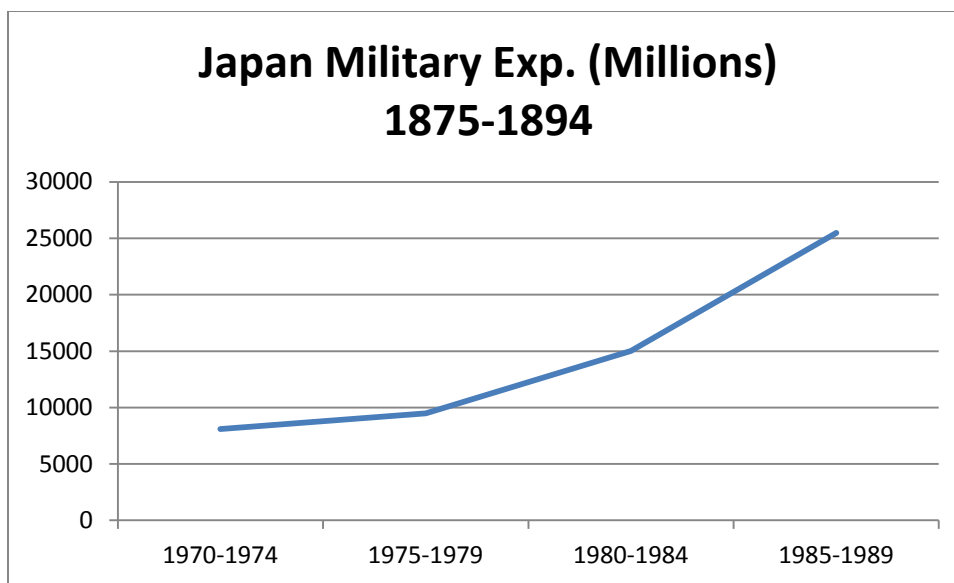
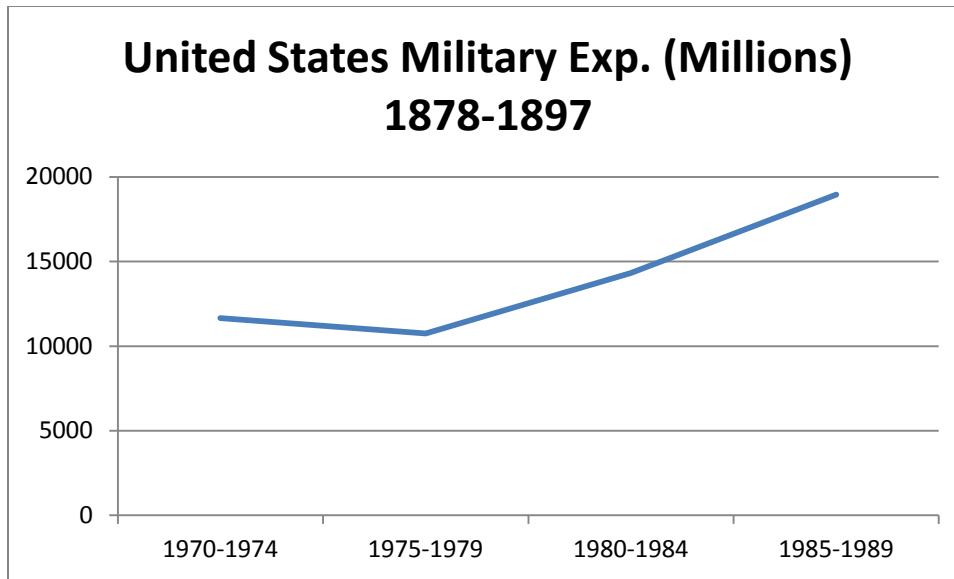


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China GDP (Millions) 1970-1989



Military Expenditures Growth, Twenty Years Prior to Major Power Club Membership²



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