

Do You Have the Latest Ammunition To Fight for the SDI?

Japan and the SDI: An Inside Look

Japan's full-scale participation in the U.S. Strategic Defense Initiative could shorten the research time for deployment by a full two years, and bring enormous economic and defense benefits to Japan.

How this can happen is detailed in the just-published transcript of a two-day conference in Tokyo, "SDI: Military, Economic, and Strategic Implications," sponsored by the Fusion Energy Foundation and the Schiller Institute on April 22-23, with 180 members of Japan's scientific and political elite in attendance.

The consensus at the end of the two days was that Japan's participation in the SDI as an equal partner is both necessary and urgent. As Prof. Makoto Momoi of the Yomiuri Research Center put it, "Every day that Japan does not participate in the SDI is another day lost" in the battle to counter the Soviet threat.

Top U.S., European, and Japanese scientific, military, and political representatives discussed:

- the latest technologies of the SDI;
- specifically what Japan can contribute;
- the political climate in Japan;
- the nature of the Soviet threat.

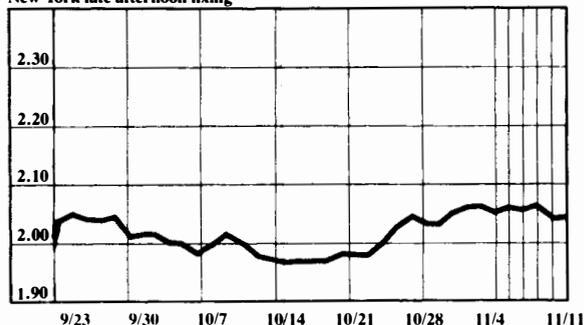
Fully documented at the conference is how SDI technologies will bring about a 100-fold leap in energy flux density, abruptly reversing the decline in productivity in industry.

Now, the full proceedings of the conference are available in a transcript. Order your copy for \$100.00 by writing the Fusion Energy Foundation, P.O. Box 17149, Washington, D.C. 20041-0149. Or call (703) 771-7000 to place your order by telephone. Visa/MasterCard accepted.

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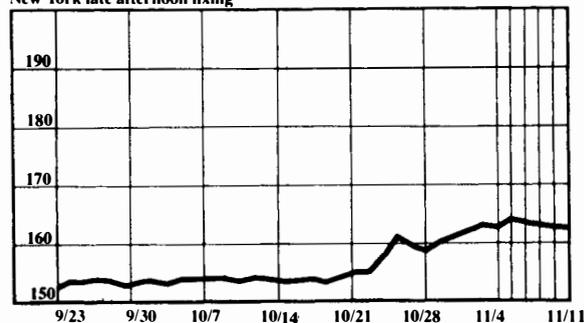
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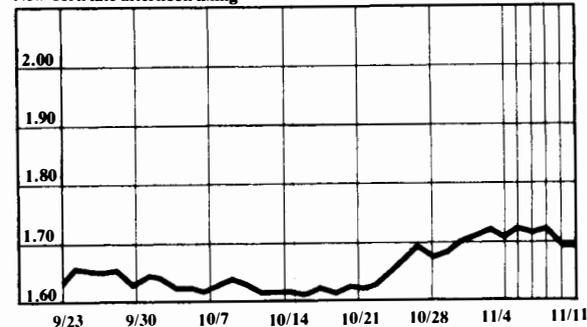
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