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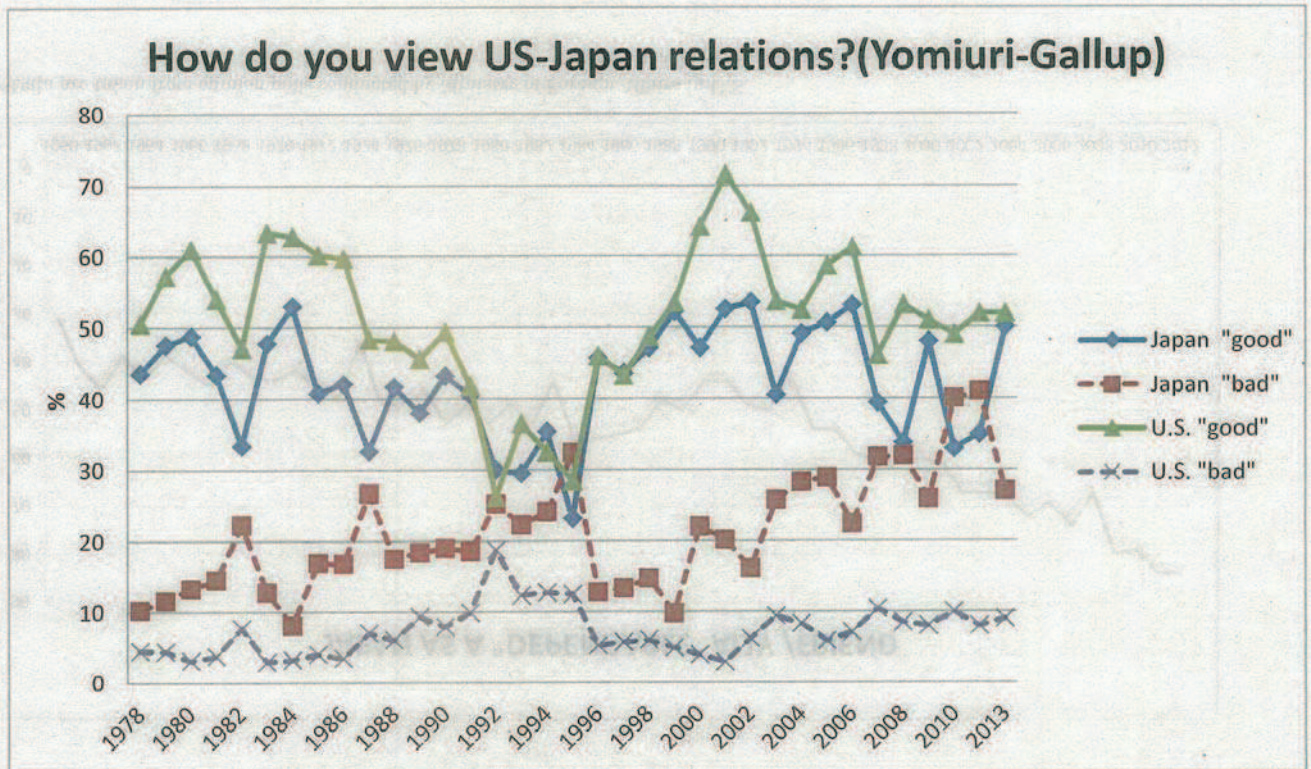
Very Selective Chronology:

- 1951 US-Japan Security Treaty signed.
- 1960 Large-scale protest against the revision of the treaty. President Eisenhower's visit to Japan cancelled. Treaty successfully revised.
- 1967 Ogasawara Islands returned to Japan. The three antinuclear principles announced. The three principles on arms export announced.
- 1972 Reversion of Okinawa. Official government statement on the right to collective self-defense(expressed since mid-1950s).
- 1976 One percent of the GDP ceiling on defense expenditure.
- 1981 Summit meeting between President Reagan and Prime Minister Suzuki. The word, "alliance," was used in the joint statement for the first time. Suzuki said there is no military aspect in the alliance. Foreign Minister resigned in protest.
- 1991 Maritime Self Defense Force was sent to the Persian Gulf for mine-sweeping.
- 1992 SDF was sent to Cambodia for peace keeping operation.
- 1993-94 White House Spokesperson Mike McCurry told that trade disputes could negatively affect other aspects of bilateral relations.
- 1996 US-Japan Joint Statement
- 2004 Ground SDF was dispatched to Iraq.
- 2011 Operation Tomodachi

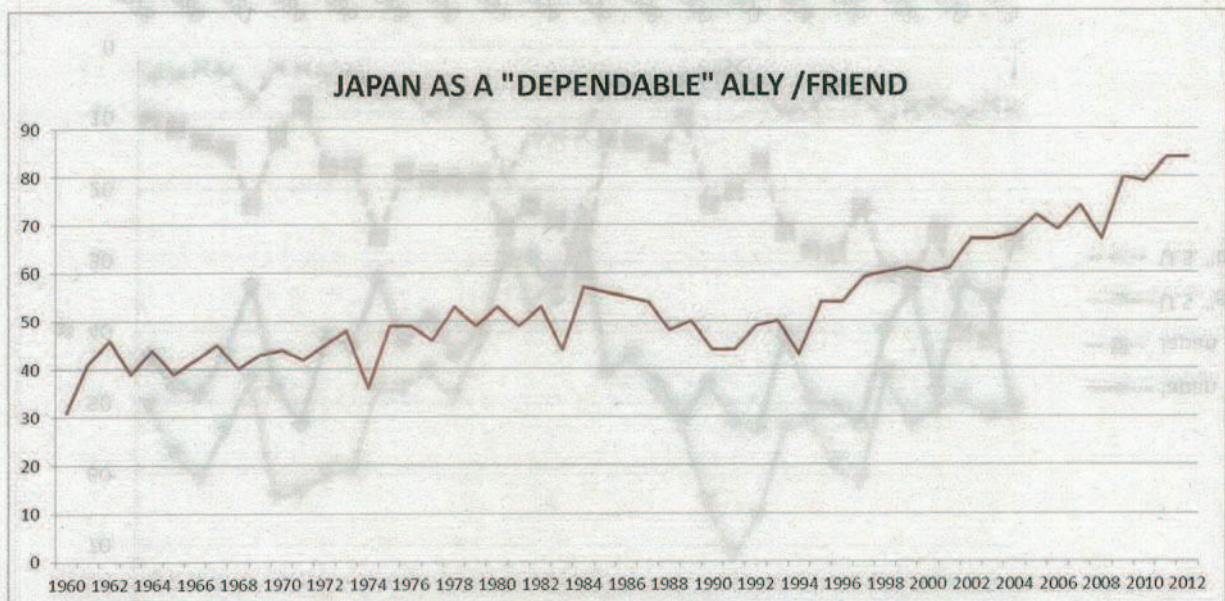
Percentage Change in Respondents said "like US"		
Percentage	Year, Month	Major incident
47%	1960s average	(6% said dislike US on average)
dip below 40%	1962.11	Cuba crisis(October)
49%	1964 average	Tokyo Olympic
dip below 40%	1965.3	bombing of North Vietnam(from February)
dip below 35%	1965.9	US base in Okinawa began to be used as lodgment fro North Vietnam bombing
remain above 30% level	1967.11	Demonstration ageinst Vietnam war spread around US
dip below 30%	1968.3	Tet Offensive(January)
		(Over 10% said dislike US)
remain above 20% level	1971.10-11	Nixon Shock(August)
remain above 15% level	1973.7	Watergate public hearing(from April)
go over 25%	1975.1	Emperor visited US(September)
reach 30%	1977.8	Prime Minister Fukuda visited US(September)
go over 40%	1980.7	Reagan won presidential
drop to 31.7%	1983.3	Japanese self-restriction of car export to US(February)
		reconciliation of IBM indutry spy scandal
go over 45%	1985.3	Reagan's second term started(January)
drop to 35%	1987.2	US trade deficit increased
go over 45%	1989.9	Prime Minister Kaifu visited US(August)
drop to 37.2%	1990.11	Racist comment by Minister of Justice Kajiyama

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Data from Yomiuri-Gallup Survey



Data from "2012 U.S. poll on opinions toward Japan" conducted by Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan.