

## *Note on Names and Currency*

**A**sian names are written in the following order: family name (surname) followed by given name, except in those cases when the individual publishes primarily in English. Diacritics are used for locations but are omitted for places that are typically rendered in English (e.g., Tokyo).

The value of the Japanese yen fluctuates over a wide range. Although in some discussions amounts are given in U.S. dollars, most values are given in yen. A useful shorthand for the reader might be to assume that one dollar equals approximately one hundred yen.



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