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Otsuka, K., D. Liu and N. Murakami (1998), *Industrial Reform in China: Past Performance and Future Prospects*, Oxford, Clarendon Press.

References in Japanese:

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Liu, Guoguang, Li, Jingwen et al. (1998), *Jingji Lanpishu: 1998nian Zhongguo Jingji Xingshi yu Yuce*, Beijing, Social Sciences Academic Press (CHINA).

Shen, Liren and Dai, Yuanchen (1990), "Woguo 'Zhuhoujingji' de Xingcheng ji qi Biduan he Genyuan", *Jingji Yanjiu*, No.3, March.

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