



Moments of
the Prime Minister
Summer 2014





These photographs are a record of the various diplomatic and domestic activities of Prime Minister Abe in summer 2014. The prime minister was able to meet with the leaders of many countries to deepen understanding and strengthen ties, making possible joint international contributions. He also visited areas affected by the Great East Japan Earthquake and other places in Japan closely connected to government policy, as well as introduced Japanese technology to foreign guests. We hope that these photographs can demonstrate Japan's friendship with many countries as well as the prime minister's character.

1. Shaking hands with British Prime Minister David Cameron outside 10 Downing Street, May 2014.
2. German Chancellor Angela Merkel receives a Japan women's national soccer team uniform during the Japan-Germany Summit Meeting, April 2014.
3. The prime minister pays an informal visit to President Anibal Cavaco Silva during a trip to Portugal, May 2014.
4. Joint press conference held during U.S. President Barack Obama's state visit to Japan, April 2014.
5. Listening to a technical explanation during maglev train test ride with U.S. Ambassador Caroline Kennedy, April 2014.
6. Visiting the Santiago de Compostela Cathedral with Spanish President Mariano Rajoy during a tour of sites in the city, May 2014.
7. Attending a reception featuring Japanese cuisine with French President François Hollande during a visit to France, May 2014.
8. Joining hands with European Council President Herman Van Rompuy and European Commission President José Manuel Barroso during the G7 Meeting in Brussels, Belgium, June 2014.
9. Tasting freshly picked cherries in Fukushima Prefecture, May 2014.
10. The prime minister plays with children on a visit to an elementary school in Yokohama, May 2014.



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