

What's Going on In This Graph?

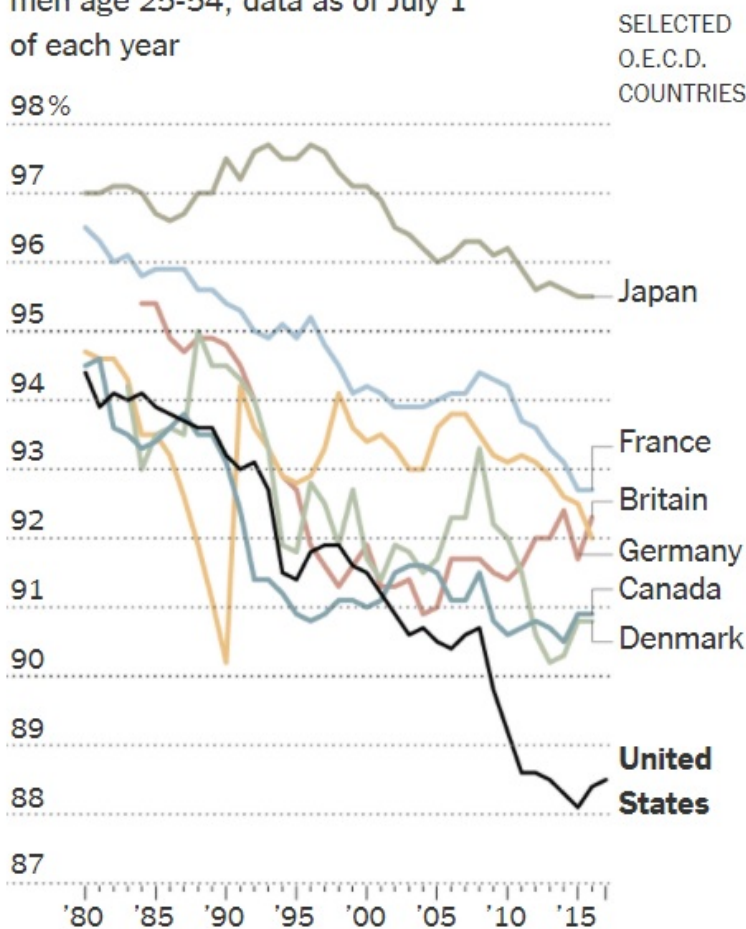
- What do you notice?
Share what you are noticing and what this may imply.
- What do you wonder?
Are there items you noticed that answer what you wonder?

Where could you find the answers to what you wonder?
- What's going on in this graph?
Use what you notice. What can you infer from this graph beyond what it shows directly? What's the deeper story that comes from this graph?

The questions are intended to build on one another, so try to answer them in order.

Labor-force participation rate

Seasonally adjusted rate among men age 25-54; data as of July 1 of each year



Glossary

Labor-force participation rate: Percentage of the population that is either working or actively seeking work.

O.E.C.D.: Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development, an international organization that promotes sustainable economic growth and employment by sharing data and strategies.