

Unit 8 The economy

Word	Definition	Polish
(I'm) afraid (adj)	<i>spoken</i> used to politely tell someone something that may annoy, upset or disappoint them	obawiam się
bar (n)	a small block of something solid	sztabka
benefits (n pl)	money that the government gives you when you are ill or when you do not have a job	zasiłki
bus (n)	a large vehicle that people pay to travel on	autobus
central bank (n)	a national bank that does business with the government, and controls the amount of money available and the general system of banks	bank centralny
compost (n)	a mixture of decayed plants, leaves, etc. used to improve the quality of soil	kompost
construction (n)	the process of building something	budowa
consumer (n)	someone who buys things or uses a service that a company provides	klient
continue (v)	to do something or happen for a period of time without stopping	kontynuować
decline (v)	to become weaker, smaller or less good	zmniejszać się, pogarszać się
delighted (adj)	very pleased about something	zachwycony
economist (n)	someone who studies economics	ekonomista
economy (n)	the way that money and business are organised in a country or area	gospodarka
export (n)	the business of selling things to another country or something that is sold	eksport
fall (v)	if an amount or level falls, it becomes less or lower	obniżać się
fluctuate (v)	if an amount fluctuates, it keeps going up and down	wahać się
founded (v)	when an organisation is established	założony
growth (n)	when something gets bigger or	wzrost, rozwój

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increase (v)	to become larger in number, amount, size, etc.	zwiększać się
indicator (n)	something that can be regarded as a sign of something else	wskaźnik
lead (v)	if you are leading, you are winning a game or competition	prowadzić
official (adj)	done or given by someone in authority	oficjalny
oil (n)	the thick, dark liquid from under the ground from which petrol is produced	ropa naftowa
optimistic (adj)	believing that good things will happen	optymistyczny
overall (adj)	considering or including everything	całkowity
percentage (n)	an amount that is part of a larger amount	procent
pleased (adj)	happy or satisfied	zadowolony
predict (v)	to say that something will happen	przewidywać
probably (adv)	used when saying what is likely to be true or what is likely to happen	prawdopodobnie
quarter (n)	a period of three months, used especially when discussing business and financial matters	kwartał
recession (n)	a time when businesses in a country are not successful	recesja
regret (v)	<i>spoken</i> used in formal situations when giving information that will disappoint someone or make them unhappy	żałować
regulate (v)	to control an activity or process with rules	regulować
remain (v)	to stay in the same place or position	pozostawać
reserve (n)	a supply of something that is kept to be used when it is needed	zapas
rise (v)	if an amount rises, it increases	wzrastać
sadly (adv)	used when you are saying something that you wish was not true	niestety

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sector (n)	part of an economic system, such as business, industry or trade	sektor
secure (adj)	a secure place is one which people cannot get into or out of if you do not want them to	bezpieczny
stabilise (v)	if something stabilises, it stops changing [= <i>stabilize</i> American English]	ustabilizować się
stability (n)	when a situation does not change for a long time	stabilność
staple (adj)	something that is always being produced, seen, bought, etc.	podstawowy
statistic (n)	a single number which represents a fact or measurement	dana liczbową
summer (n)	the time of the year when the sun is hottest and the days are longest, between spring and autumn	lato
supply (n)	an amount of something that is available to use	zasoby
train (n)	a set of several carriages that are connected to each other and pulled along a railway line by an engine	pociąg
trend (n)	the way that a situation is changing or developing	tendencja
unemployment (n)	when people do not have jobs or the number of people who do not have jobs	bezrobocie
unfortunately (adv)	used to say that you feel sad or disappointed about something	niestety
update (v)	to add new parts or the most recent information to something so that it stays modern	uaktualniać, modernizować
vault (n)	a room in a bank with strong walls and doors, in which money, jewels, etc. can be kept safe	skarbiec