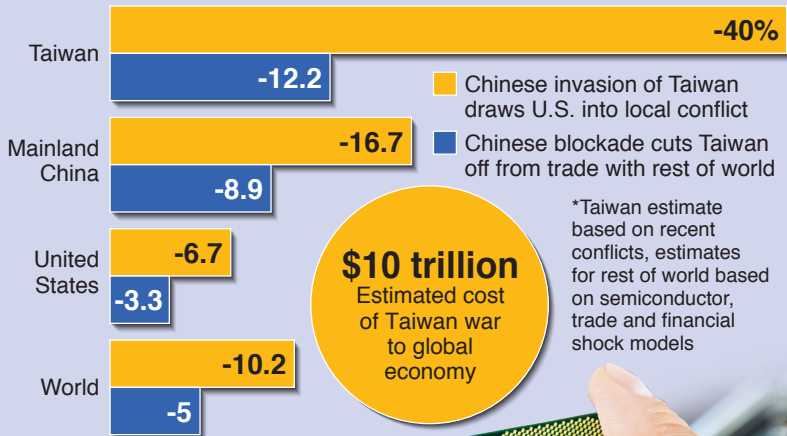


Taiwan war could decimate global economy

A potential conflict over Taiwan would have a cost so vast that even those unhappiest with the status quo have reason not to risk it, according to estimates by Bloomberg Economics

IMPACT ON GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT (in first year of scenario)*



Biggest hit to GDP comes from missing semiconductors – used in wide range of electronic devices and machinery

Taiwan is world's biggest semiconductor manufacturer, producing over 60% of them globally, and over 90% of most advanced chips

