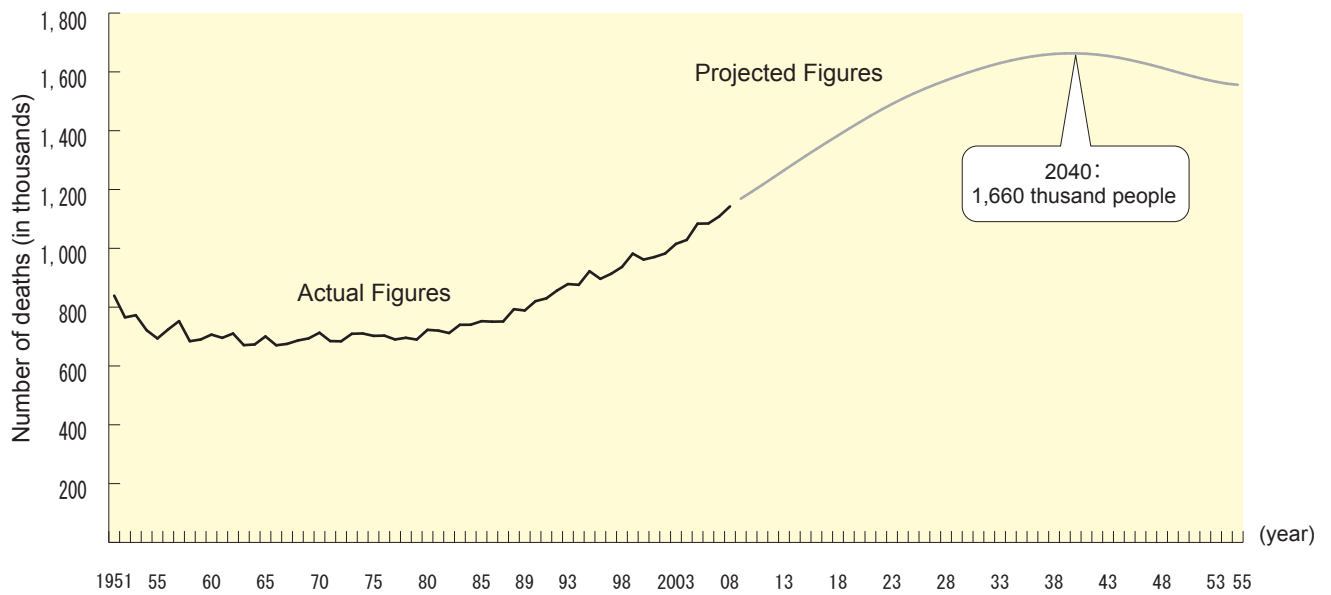


Trends in death



Sources: Until 2009 - "Vital Statistics" Statistics and Information Department, Minister's Secretariat, MHLW. The figures for 2009 are estimates.
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