

**Detailed Date 3****Changes in Numbers of Contracts Approved and Participants of Defined Contribution Pension Plans**

FY	Number of corporate-type plans approved	Number of participants in corporate plans (1,000 people)	Number of participants in private plans (people)
2001	70	88	443
2002	361	325	13,995
2003	845	708	28,225
2004	1,402	1,255	46,066
2005	1,866	1,733	63,303
2006	2,313	2,187	80,081
2007	2,710	2,711	93,036
2008	3,043	3,110	101,201
2009	3,301	3,404	111,056

Source: Pension Bureau, MHLW

Note: The Defined Contribution Pension Act was enforced in October 2001. Private-type of DC pension plans was introduced in January 2002.

**Detailed Date 4****Changes in Number of Contracts and Participants of Tax-Qualified Pensions**

FY	Number of contracts	Number of participants (1,000 people)	Assets (¥1 trillion)
2001	73,582	9,167	22.7
2002	66,741	8,586	21.4
2003	59,162	7,779	20.7
2004	52,761	6,549	17.2
2005	45,090	5,687	17.3
2006	38,885	5,069	15.6
2007	32,826	4,434	11.7
2008	25,441	3,494	8.1
2009	17,184	2,501	6.4

Source: "Survey on Contracts of Tax-Qualified Pensions"

Note: Assets are at book value until FY 2003 and at market value from FY 2004.

**Detailed Date 5****Changes in Number of Funds and Participants of the National Pension Fund**

FY	Number of funds	Number of participants (1,000 people)	Assets (¥1 trillion)
2001	72 (25)	787 (127)	1.5
2002	72 (25)	772 (124)	1.4
2003	72 (25)	789 (126)	1.8
2004	72 (25)	751 (121)	2.1
2005	72 (25)	727 (117)	2.7
2006	72 (25)	693 (112)	2.9
2007	72 (25)	648 (106)	2.7
2008	72 (25)	615 (103)	2.2

Source: Pension Bureau, MHLW. The figures in parentheses are included in the numbers on the left and represent the numbers of occupation-type funds.

Notes: 1. Assets are evaluated at market value.

2. Asset balance includes the assets of the National Pension Fund Federation.