

# FACT BOOK 2014-2015 GENERAL INSURANCE IN JAPAN





THE GENERAL INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF JAPAN

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## Key Figures of General Insurance for Fiscal 2014

## The Number of General Insurance Companies

Total: **52** Domestic insurers: **30** Foreign insurers: **22**  As of July 1, 2015, a total of 52 general insurance companies were operating in Japan; a total of 30 companies were licensed as domestic insurers, including 7 foreign capital domestic insurers, while 22 companies were licensed as foreign insurers.

The number of people working in general insurance, including management, sales staff and temporary staff, was 92,921 as of April 1, 2015.



**Domestic insurers:** Licensed as domestic insurer

Domestic insurers with foreign capital: Licensed as domestic insurer which includes foreign capital of over 50%.

Foreign insurer: Licensed on a branch or agent basis

## The Number of Agencies and Sales Staff of Agencies

## Agencies

(at the end of fiscal 2014):

204,990

Agency sales staff (at the end of fiscal 2014): **2,063,081**  The number of agencies increased by 6.8%, and the number of sales staff also increased by 0.5%.

There were 204,990 general insurance agencies of domestic and foreign general insurers and 2,063,081 sales staffs were engaged in the agency business at the end of fiscal 2014.

These agencies shared 91.4% of the written direct premiums in fiscal 2014.

#### The number of agencies



#### The number of agency sales staff



**General insurance agency:** A general insurance agency is commissioned by an insurance company, and markets insurance products to customers.

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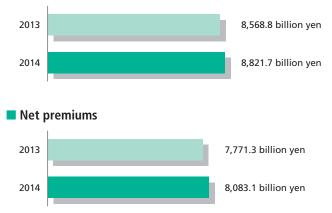
## Direct premiums: **8,821.7** billion yen Net premiums:

8,083.1 billion yen

Direct premiums: gross direct premiums (including the savings portion of maturityrefund type insurance premiums) – various returns other than maturity refunds (including return premiums for cancellation, no claim returns, and return premiums resulting from the decrease of insurable risks) Net premiums: direct premiums written + inward reinsurance net premiums – outward reinsurance net premiums – savings portion of maturity-refund type insurance premiums

# The total of direct premiums, including the savings portion thereof, written in fiscal 2014 was 8,821.7 billion yen, up 3.0%. The total of net premiums written was 8,083.1 billion yen, up 4.0% (The figures are the totals for GIAJ member companies.).

#### Direct premiums



## **4** The Amount of Claims Paid

Net claims paid: **4,605.4** billion yen Net claims paid on all classes of insurance during fiscal 2014 amounted to 4,605.4 billion yen, an increase of 1.0% due to a snow damage in February, 2014. (The figures are the totals for GIAJ member companies.).

#### Net claims paid



**Net claims:** direct claims paid + inward reinsurance net claims paid – outward reinsurance claims received

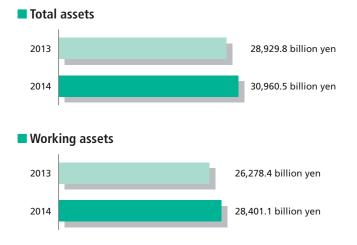
## **Assets and Investments**

## Total assets: **30,960.5** billion yen Working assets:

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28,401.1 billion yen

Total assets increased 7.0% to 30,960.5 billion yen, following the recovery of Japanese stock market and reflecting upgrades of possessing foreign security due to yen depreciation. Working assets also increased to 28,401.1 billion yen, up 8.1% (The figures are the totals for GIAJ member companies.).



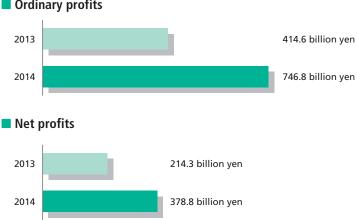
# **Total assets:** Total assets are the total of working assets and other assets (such as amounts due from the agency business, amounts due from other domestic insurance companies for reinsurance, etc.)

Working assets: Working assets include deposits, call loans, monetary receivables bought, money trusts, securities, loans, real estate, etc.

## **6** Ordinary Profits and Net Profits for the Current Year



Ordinary profit: The total of (underwriting income – expenses) + (investment income – expenses) – (other ordinary expenses) Net profit: The total of ordinary profits including special profits or losses minus corporate income taxes, corporate resident taxes, etc. Ordinary profits for fiscal 2014 increased to 746.8 billion yen, due to an increased underwriting profit. Net profits after tax also increased to 378.8 billion yen from 214.3 billion yen. (The figures are the totals for GIAJ member companies.).



## Loss Ratio and Operating Expenses Ratio

#### Loss ratio:

**62.3**%

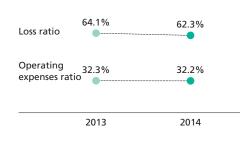
Operating expenses ratio: 32.2%

> Loss ratio: The ratio of claims paid plus loss adjustment expenses to net premiums written

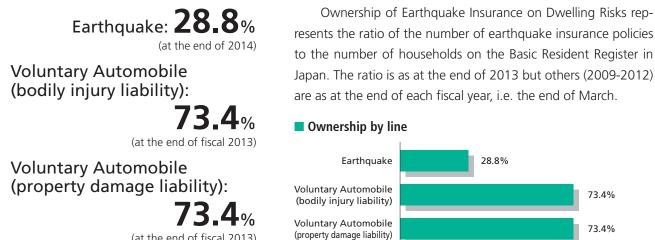
> Operating expenses ratio: The ratio of agency commission and brokerage plus operating and general administrative expenses on underwriting to net premiums written

The loss ratio decreased by 1.8% to 62.3%. The operating expenses ratio decreased by 0.1% to 32.2% in fiscal 2014 (The figures are the totals for GIAJ member companies.).

#### Loss ratio / Operating expenses ratio



## **Ownership of General Insurance Policies**



(at the end of fiscal 2013)

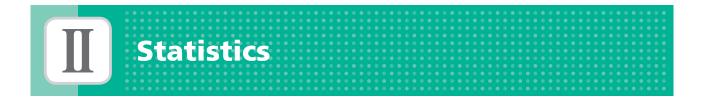
Ownership of Earthquake Insurance on Dwelling Risks Policies

Fiscal Year			2012	2013 (*)	2014				
National Average 23.7%		26.0%	27.1%	27.9%	28.8%				
(*) The ratio since 2013 is as at the end of the year. (Not Fiscal Year) Source: General Insurance Rating Organization of Japan.									

#### Ownership of Voluntary Automobile Insurance

Fiscal Year	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Number of Registered Automobiles (thousand)	78,693	78,661	79,113	79,625	80,273
Bodily Injury Liability	73.0%	73.4%	73.1%	73.3%	73.4%
Property Damage Liability	73.1%	73.4%	73.1%	73.3%	73.4%
Passengers' Personal Accident	57.7%	50.3%	45.1%	43.1%	41.7%
Physical Damage	41.2%	41.8%	42.1%	42.6%	43.0%

There is no ownership data on Bodily Injury Indemnity Insurance



(Note) The figures are the totals for GIAJ member companies.

## **1. Income Statement**

1. Income Statement		(	in billions of	yen & %)
ltem	Fiscal 2	2013	Fiscal 2	2014
item	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth
Ordinary Profit and Loss				
Underwriting Income	8,655.5	-1.5	8,967.1	3.6
Net Premiums Written	7,771.3	5.4	8,083.1	4.0
Savings Portion of Maturity-refund type Insurance Premiums	460.7	-9.5	461.9	0.3
Underwriting Expenses	7,609.0	-1.0	7,641.4	0.4
Net Claims Paid	4,560.3	-4.5	4,605.4	1.0
Loss Adjustment Expenses	422.6	1.6	432.5	2.4
Agency Commissions and Brokerage	1,340.5	4.1	1,430.7	6.7
Maturity Refunds to Policyholders	981.1	-12.4	944.0	-3.8
Net Provision for / Net Reversal of Outstanding Loss Reserves	179.4	_	-74.2	-141.4
Net Provision for / Net Reversal of Underwriting Reserves	-107.8	_	73.4	
Investment Income	683.6	2.9	700.8	2.5
Interest and Dividend Income	492.4	5.9	532.3	8.1
Profits on Sales of Securities	325.3	-3.7	293.1	-9.9
Investment Expenses	88.5	-42.9	56.8	-35.9
Losses on Sales of Securities	19.9	-46.3	8.4	-57.7
Losses on Revaluation of Securities	18.8	-74.6	6.0	-68.3
Operating and General Administrative Expenses	1,229.2	1.8	1,230.7	0.1
Operating and General Administrative Expenses on Underwriting	1,168.4	1.9	1,175.1	0.6
Other Ordinary Profits and Losses	2.3	_	7.9	248.2
Ordinary Profits	414.6	9.8	746.8	80.1
Underwriting Profits	-134.4	_	143.3	
Special Profits and Losses Balance	-76.8		-163.8	_
Profits for the Current Year before Corporate Taxes	337.8	19.7	583.1	72.6
Corporate Income Taxes and Corporate Resident Taxes	22.2	-39.9	60.3	171.7
Adjustments in Corporate Income Taxes, etc.	101.3	29.6	143.9	42.1
Total Income Taxes	123.5	7.3	204.2	65.4
Net Profits for the Current Year	214.3	28.2	378.8	76.8

## 2. Abridged Balance Sheet

## <Assets>

(in billions of yen & %)

	Fiscal 2	2012	Fiscal 2014		
ltem					
	Amount	Share	Amount	Share	
Deposits	861.2	3.0	928.8	3.0	
Call Loans	404.4	1.4	319.9	1.0	
Receivables under Resales Agreements	271.0	0.9	173.5	0.6	
Receivables under Securities Borrowing Transactions	0.0		0.0	—	
Monetary Receivables Bought	138.3	0.5	445.3	1.4	
Money Trusts	119.3	0.4	135.3	0.4	
Securities	21,836.3	75.5	23,552.3	76.1	
National Government Bonds	6,601.0	22.8	6,480.9	20.9	
Local Government Bonds	346.1	1.2	319.2	1.0	
Corporate Bonds	2,619.3	9.1	2,407.5	7.8	
Stocks	6,730.7	23.3	8,216.4	26.5	
Foreign Securities	5,292.2	18.3	5,896.8	19.1	
Other Securities	247.0	0.8	231.5	0.8	
Loans	1,625.2	5.6	1,862.4	6.0	
Real Estate	1,022.5	3.5	983.6	3.2	
Total Working Assets	26,278.4	90.8	28,401.1	91.7	
Other Assets	2,651.4	9.2	2,559.4	8.3	
Total Assets	28,929.8	100.0	30,960.5	100.0	

(Notes) "Other Assets" is composed of 1) Cash in hand, 2) Furniture and fixtures, 3) Construction in progress, 4) Amounts due from agency business, 5) Amounts due from other domestic companies for reinsurance, 6) Customer's liability for acceptance and guarantee, 7) Deferred tax assets, and 8) Miscellaneous.

#### <Liabilities and Equities>

(in billions of yen & %)

láo un	Fiscal 2	2013	Fiscal 2014		
ltem	Amount	Share	Amount	Share	
Underwriting Reserves	19,808.1	68.5	19,773.8	63.9	
Outstanding Loss Reserves	3,518.4	12.2	3,415.7	11.0	
Technical Provision	16,289.7	56.3	16,358.1	52.9	
Other Liabilities	3,307.9	11.4	3,759.0	12.1	
Total Liabilities	23,116.0	79.9	23,532.8	76.0	
Capital	881.5	3.0	798.5	2.6	
Suspense Receipts on Capital Subscriptions	—		—	—	
Additional Paid in Capital	532.3	1.8	615.9	2.0	
Earned Surplus	1,242.2	4.3	1,392.2	4.5	
Treasury Stock	-5.2	-0.0	-4.6	-0.0	
Unrealized Gain on Securities, Net of Income Taxes	3,148.4	10.9	4,629.7	14.9	
Deferred Gains and Losses on Hedge Transactions	26.9	0.1	8.2	—	
Land Revaluation Excess	-12.4	-0.0	-12.1	-0.0	
Stock Acquisition Right	_	_	—	_	
Total Equities	5,813.7	20.1	7,427.7	24.0	
Total Liabilities and Equities	28,929.8	100.0	30,960.5	100.0	

(Notes) "Other Liabilities" consists of 1) Amounts due to other domestic insurance companies for reinsurance, 2) Accured taxes,
3) Convertible bonds, 4) Reserves for bad debts and for retirement allowance, 5) Acceptance and guarantee, and 6) Miscellaneous.

## 3. Direct Premiums by Line

	Fiscal 2	005	Fiscal 2	006	Fiscal 2007		Fiscal 2008	
Class of Business	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth
Fire	1,486,268	1.5	1,455,136	-2.1	1,402,341	-3.6	1,402,328	-0.0
Maturity-refund type	334,870	-8.0	298,214	-10.9	271,036	-9.1	253,328	-6.5
Voluntary Automobile	3,501,836	-0.1	3,518,501	0.5	3,495,243	-0.7	3,447,541	-1.4
Maturity-refund type	7,433	-9.1	6,759	-9.1	6,064	-10.3	5,295	-12.7
Personal Accident	1,377,460	-6.9	1,293,711	-6.1	1,205,443	-6.8	1,109,850	-7.9
Maturity-refund type	737,305	-14.7	644,512	-12.6	559,501	-13.2	471,663	-15.7
Miscellaneous Casualty	796,556	1.5	829,201	4.1	828,219	-0.1	853,364	3.0
Maturity-refund type	9,448	9.5	3,487	-63.1	3,846	10.3	1,417	-63.2
Burglary	17,875	-4.8	15,587	-12.8	13,714	-12.0	12,915	-5.8
Glass	1,504	-11.1	1,302	-13.2	1,222	-6.1	1,045	-14.5
Aviation	32,321	-9.6	30,050	-7.0	28,007	-6.8	23,654	-15.5
Windstorm & Flood	411	12.3	325	-20.5	233	-28.3	260	11.6
Guarantee	10,713	2.7	11,913	11.3	11,511	-3.4	12,060	4.8
Credit	30,102	-0.5	31,999	6.3	33,879	5.9	38,928	14.9
Workers' Accident Compensation Liability	69,549	-0.8	63,305	-9.0	62,747	-0.9	58,363	-7.0
Maturity-refund type	8,190	26.6	3,016	-63.2	3,585	18.9	1,284	-64.2
Boiler & Turbo-set	2,357	-2.3	2,360	0.1	2,351	-0.4	2,278	-3.1
Livestock	3,182	-0.7	3,541	11.3	3,570	0.8	3,303	-7.5
General Liability	401,330	5.0	436,922	8.9	438,674	0.4	440,181	0.3
Machinery & Erection	34,583	5.9	35,905	3.8	35,540	-1.0	34,325	-3.4
Shipowners' Liability for Passengers' Personal Accident	781	2.9	722	-7.2	743	2.9	733	-1.3
Contractors' All Risks	36,993	1.6	40,607	9.8	41,079	1.2	40,792	-0.7
Atomic Energy	11,252	7.9	11,356	1.0	11,007	-3.1	10,301	-6.4
Movables Comprehensive	103,934	-3.5	103,073	-0.8	100,030	-3.0	95,327	-4.7
Maturity-refund type	41	-73.2	2	-94.9	0	-100.0	0	
Miscellaneous Pecuniary Loss	39,663	-4.6	40,148	1.2	43,816	9.1	72,368	65.2
Maturity-refund type	1,215	-39.2	468	-61.4	257	-45.1	134	-47.9
Pet	—	—	—		—		6,441	
Marine and Inland Transit	284,759	5.8	303,734	6.7	317,485	4.5	298,629	-5.9
Marine Hull	62,747	6.9	68,359	9.0	72,617	6.2	73,110	0.7
Marine Cargo	154,022	7.1	166,997	8.4	175,170	4.9	156,343	-10.7
Inland Transit	67,989	1.9	68,369	0.6	69,690	1.9	69,167	-0.8
Subtotal	7,446,881	-0.7	7,400,330	-0.6	7,248,776	-2.0	7,111,754	-1.9
Compulsory Automobile Liability	1,144,548	-3.7	1,128,961	-1.4	1,041,570	-7.7	868,362	-16.6
Grand total	8,591,430	-1.1	8,529,291	-0.7	8,290,346	-2.8	7,980,116	-3.7
Maturity-refund type	1,089,058	-12.5	952,972	-12.5	840,447	-11.8	731,703	-12.9

(Notes) 1. Figures include direct premiums written abroad.

2. Direct Premiums Written = Gross Direct Premiums (including the Savings Portion of Ma turity-refund type Insurance Premiums) - Various Returns other than Maturity Refunds (including return premiums for cancellation, no-claim returns, and return premiums resulting from the decrease of insurable risks)

(in millions of ye	n & %)
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Fiscal 2009		Fiscal 2	010	Fiscal 2	011	Fiscal 2	012	Fiscal 2		Fiscal 2	,
Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth		Growth	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth
1,398,189	-0.3	1,315,875	-5.9	1,377,306	4.7	1,413,374	2.6	1,452,324	2.8	1,514,817	4.3
244,666	-3.4	213,204	-12.9	201,925	-5.3	179,301	-11.2	151,889	-15.3	141,785	-6.7
3,413,500	-1.0	3,431,368	0.5	3,476,089	1.3	3,592,707	3.4	3,750,511	4.4	3,863,948	3.0
2,823	-46.7	1,001	-64.5	106	-89.4	_				_	—
1,025,566	-7.6	1,040,314	1.4	1,067,749	2.6	1,029,505	-3.6	1,013,391	-1.6	1,037,300	2.4
390,755	-17.2	396,559	1.5	409,703	3.3	362,265	-11.6	337,238	-6.9	345,646	2.5
892,174	4.5	896,566	0.5	922,273	2.9	964,808	4.6	1,048,629	8.7	1,089,836	3.9
489	-65.5	424	-13.3	765	80.4	250	-67.3	317	26.8	109	-65.6
11,196	-13.3	10,286	-8.1	9,856	-4.2	9,283	-5.8	9,200	-0.9	9,359	1.7
915	-12.4	820	-10.4	791	-3.5	758	-4.2	717	-5.4	682	-4.9
20,700	-12.5	19,503	-5.8	16,845	-13.6	14,506	-13.9	16,152	11.3	13,764	-14.8
197	-24.2	68	-65.5	58	-14.7	58	0.0	61	5.2	39	-36.1
10,908	-9.6	10,343	-5.2	10,600	2.5	11,622	9.6	12,513	7.7	11,628	-7.1
39,306	1.0	35,754	-9.0	34,973	-2.2	33,165	-5.2	31,318	-5.6	30,865	-1.4
53,450	-8.4	48,866	-8.6	48,510	-0.7	57,296	18.1	61,912	8.1	56,324	-9.0
152	-88.2	-24	-115.8	15	—	8	-46.7	2	-75.0	-6	-400.0
2,368	4.0	2,333	-1.5	2,295	-1.6	2,381	3.7	2,197	-7.7	2,185	-0.5
2,940	-11.0	2,926	-0.5	3,102	6.0	3,089	-0.4	3,488	12.9	3,792	8.7
474,757	7.9	474,877	0.0	476,378	0.3	489,241	2.7	517,299	5.7	523,217	1.1
32,317	-5.8	31,273	-3.2	30,661	-2.0	30,976	1.0	30,489	-1.6	33,440	9.7
709	-3.3	644	-9.2	639	-0.8	609	-4.7	602	-1.1	622	3.3
36,231	-11.2	32,121	-11.3	36,346	13.2	39,923	9.8	42,857	7.3	48,722	13.7
10,747	4.3	10,088	-6.1	8,602	-14.7	5,761	-33.0	4,557	-20.9	4,243	-6.9
86,359	-9.4	82,254	-4.8	82,485	0.3	81,276	-1.5	83,972	3.3	91,156	8.6
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100,000	38.2	123,467	23.5	143,187	16.0	164,719	15.0	207,374	25.9	230,618	11.2
334	149.3	447	33.8	748	67.3	240	-67.9	314	30.8	115	-63.4
8,980	39.4	10,858	20.9	16,872	55.4	20,065	18.9	23,844	18.8	29,107	22.1
248,395	-16.8	257,315	3.6	257,085	-0.1	261,031	1.5	281,048	7.7	286,850	2.1
73,405	0.4	71,408	-2.7	71,528	0.2	75,795	6.0	84,475	11.5	88,086	4.3
112,392	-28.1	125,113	11.3	123,325	-1.4	122,073	-1.0	132,187	8.3	134,582	1.8
62,590	-9.5	60,790	-2.9	62,225	2.4	63,159	1.5	64,386	1.9	64,179	-0.3
6,977,872	-1.9	6,941,482	-0.5	7,100,544	2.3	7,261,468	2.3	7,545,947	3.9	7,792,799	3.3
805,834	-7.2	806,334	0.1	891,712	10.6	930,807	4.4	1,022,883	9.9	1,028,895	0.6
7,783,706	-2.5	7,747,816	-0.5	7,992,256	3.2	8,192,275	2.5	8,568,830	4.6	8,821,694	3.0
638,733	-12.7	611,188	-4.3	612,499	0.2	541,816	-11.5	489,444	-9.7	487,540	-0.4

## 4. Net Premiums by Line

(in millions of yen &	%)

Class of Business	Fiscal 2	005	Fiscal 2	006	Fiscal 2	007	Fiscal 2	008	Fiscal 2	009
	Amount	Growth								
Fire	1,080,722	4.9	1,085,433	0.4	1,055,422	-2.8	1,065,231	0.9	1,054,132	-1.0
Voluntary Automobile	3,507,502	0.0	3,525,092	0.5	3,502,621	-0.6	3,456,548	-1.3	3,426,637	-0.9
Personal Accident	666,360	2.5	669,354	0.4	659,263	-1.5	647,178	-1.8	639,568	-1.2
Miscellaneous Casualty	803,847	3.1	832,604	3.6	828,328	-0.5	834,096	0.7	826,385	-0.9
Marine and Inland Transit	270,257	7.0	288,652	6.8	299,379	3.7	275,559	-8.0	224,793	-18.4
Marine Hull	47,909	7.7	52,668	9.9	55,281	5.0	55,211	-0.1	56,898	3.1
Marine Cargo	158,657	8.7	171,672	8.2	178,192	3.8	154,666	-13.2	108,724	-29.7
Inland Transit	63,685	2.5	64,304	1.0	65,900	2.5	65,672	-0.3	59,162	-9.9
Subtotal	6,328,735	1.7	6,401,188	1.1	6,345,070	-0.9	6,278,665	-1.0	6,171,571	-1.7
Compulsory Automobile Liability	1,156,706	-3.0	1,135,988	-1.8	1,124,977	-1.0	883,171	-21.5	799,543	-9.5
Grand total	7,485,441	1.0	7,537,176	0.7	7,470,047	-0.9	7,161,836	-4.1	6,971,114	-2.7

(in millions of yen & %)

Class of Business	Fiscal 2	010	Fiscal 2	011	Fiscal 2	012	Fiscal 2	013	Fiscal 2	014
Class of Busiliess	Amount	Growth								
Fire	1,007,338	-4.4	1,032,508	2.5	1,071,890	3.8	1,146,888	7.0	1,239,719	8.1
Voluntary Automobile	3,456,389	0.9	3,501,458	1.3	3,614,716	3.2	3,764,820	4.2	3,876,848	3.0
Personal Accident	647,717	1.3	661,840	2.2	678,049	2.4	687,210	1.4	701,420	2.1
Miscellaneous Casualty	818,851	-0.9	826,369	0.9	854,719	3.4	921,776	7.8	978,976	6.2
Marine and Inland Transit	232,396	3.4	231,868	-0.2	233,739	0.8	253,876	8.6	265,736	4.7
Marine Hull	55,306	-2.8	56,114	1.5	58,411	4.1	64,549	10.5	71,806	11.2
Marine Cargo	119,774	10.2	117,610	-1.8	116,728	-0.7	129,649	11.1	134,551	3.8
Inland Transit	57,310	-3.1	58,138	1.4	58,592	0.8	59,671	1.8	59,376	-0.5
Subtotal	6,162,740	-0.1	6,254,095	1.5	6,453,161	3.2	6,774,620	5.0	7,062,755	4.3
Compulsory Automobile Liability	808,254	1.1	862,038	6.7	918,644	6.6	996,660	8.5	1,020,307	2.4
Grand total	6,970,994	-0.0	7,116,133	2.1	7,371,805	3.6	7,771,280	5.4	8,083,062	4.0

(Note) Net Premiums Written = Direct Premiums Written + Inward Reinsurance Net Premiums – Outward Reinsurance Net Premiums – Savings Portion of Maturity-refund type Insurance Premiums

## 5. Direct Claims Paid by Line

(in millions of yen & %)

Class of Business	Fiscal 2	005	Fiscal 2	006	Fiscal 2	007	Fiscal 2	800	Fiscal 2	009
Class of busiliess	Amount	Growth								
Fire	476,474	-44.2	464,711	-2.5	397,528	-14.5	397,948	0.1	374,606	-5.9
Voluntary Automobile	2,079,897	-0.6	2,109,383	1.4	2,147,724	1.8	2,155,859	0.4	2,176,101	0.9
Compulsory Automobile Liability	856,479	-2.6	818,613	-4.4	824,032	0.7	807,692	-2.0	795,450	-1.5
Personal Accident	259,012	6.4	287,596	11.0	323,470	12.5	343,003	6.0	350,805	2.3
Miscellaneous Casualty	408,078	-10.8	437,185	7.1	445,340	1.9	530,498	19.1	519,920	-2.0
Marine and Inland Transit	131,799	1.9	139,522	5.9	140,303	0.6	143,656	2.4	136,628	-4.9
Total	4,211,742	-9.5	4,257,055	1.1	4,278,443	0.5	4,378,697	2.3	4,353,561	-0.6

## (in millions of yen & %)

Class of Business	Fiscal 2	Fiscal 2010		Fiscal 2011		012	Fiscal 2	013	Fiscal 2	014
Class of Busiliess	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth
Fire	356,898	-4.7	2,296,870	543.6	924,702	-59.7	635,732	-31.3	727,739	14.5
Voluntary Automobile	2,216,405	1.9	2,234,001	0.8	2,213,972	-0.9	2,137,113	-3.5	2,117,638	-0.9
Compulsory Automobile Liability	791,484	-0.5	801,485	1.3	796,363	-0.6	804,370	1.0	793,094	-1.4
Personal Accident	348,137	-0.8	348,257	0.0	347,645	-0.2	351,482	1.1	345,982	-1.6
Miscellaneous Casualty	467,655	-10.1	488,831	4.5	491,890	0.6	512,807	4.3	540,723	5.4
Marine and Inland Transit	129,466	-0.1	161,915	25.1	143,591	-11.3	150,530	4.8	142,300	-5.5
Total	4,310,089	-1.0	6,331,400	46.9	4,918,204	-22.3	4,592,081	-6.6	4,667,515	1.6

Country	Gross Dire	ect Premi	ums	Gross Direct Pr GDP	emiums	Per Capita Premiums		
(Region)	(in millions of USD)	Rank	Share (%)	(%)	Rank	(USD)	Rank	
United States	726,397	1	35.73	4.3	6	2,296	3	
Germany	132,813	2	6.53	3.6	9	1,585	11	
PR China	125,844	3	6.19	1.4	60	91	66	
Japan	108,773	4	5.35	2.3	24	861	22	
United Kingdom	106,750	5	5.25	2.8	18	1,087	16	
France	94,598	6	4.65	3.2	11	1,345	14	
Netherlands	75,135	7	3.70	9.4	1	4,466	1	
Canada	73,010	8	3.59	4.0	7	2,075	5	
South Korea	54,223	9	2.67	4.4	4	1,079	17	
Italy	50,576	10	2.49	2.2	29	750	25	
Brazil	39,513	11	1.94	1.8	42	197	49	
Spain	38,647	12	1.90	2.8	19	826	23	
Australia	32,667	13	1.61	2.1	31	1,472	12	
Switzerland	28,370	14	1.40	4.4	5	3,490	2	
Russia	25,755	15	1.27	1.2	67	180	52	
Belgium	16,578	16	0.82	2.9	16	1,290	15	
Taiwan	15,964	17	0.79	3.1	13	682	27	
Mexico	14,884	18	0.73	1.2	65	121	60	
Argentina	13,957	19	0.69	2.9	17	336	37	
Austria	13,456	20	0.66	3.2	12	1,589	10	
Other regions	244,940	_	12.04		—			
Total/Average	2,032,850	—	100.00	2.8	—	285		

(Notes) 1. Figures are complied by the GIAJ based on the "Sigma No.3/2014" by Swiss Re.

2. Total (average) figures are those total (average) figures of 147 countries/regions in 2013.

3. Gross Direct Premiums include all premiums written by domestic and foreign companies within the country.

#### 7. General Insurance Business of Overseas Consolidated Subsidiaries Net Premium of Overseas Consolidated Subsidiaries (in millio (in millions of yen & %)

	Fiscal 2	011	Fiscal 2	2012	Fiscal 2	013	Fiscal 2014	
	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth
Direct Insurers	458,793	1.2	600,162	30.8	902,747	50.4	1,349,959	49.5
The Americas	261,008	-2.8	343,903	31.8	569,192	65.5	744,188	30.7
Europe/ Middle East/ Africa	61,668	-15.8	85,929	39.3	114,858	33.7	335,256	191.9
Asia/ Oceania	136,117	21.9	170,330	25.1	218,697	28.4	270,515	23.7
(Specialized) Reinsurers	183,151	5.4	230,665	25.9	300,327	30.4	213,805	-28.9
Total	641,948	2.4	830,834	29.4	1,203,582	44.9	1,563,772	29.9

#### Net Claims Paid by Overseas Consolidated Subsidiaries

(in millions of yen & %)

	Fiscal 2	2011	Fiscal 2	012	Fiscal 2	013	Fiscal 2014	
	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth	Amount	Growth
Direct Insurers	261,683	12.0	294,947	12.7	434,167	47.2	698,823	61.0
The Americas	135,464	9.7	155,760	15.0	252,130	61.9	356,574	41.4
Europe/ Middle East/ Africa	59,923	5.7	50,287	-16.1	64,818	28.9	213,387	229.2
Asia/ Oceania	66,296	24.3	88,900	34.1	117,219	31.9	128,862	9.9
(Specialized) Reinsurers	99,975	57.9	167,101	67.1	140,547	-15.9	85,441	-39.2
Total	361,662	21.8	462,054	27.8	574,721	24.4	784,273	36.5

These figures show summation data of overseas consolidated subsidiaries whose parent companies are Japanese insurers (Notes) or Japanese insurance holding companies. Offsetting internal transactions are not taken into consideration.

## 8. International Reinsurance Business **Outward Reinsurance Balance**

Outward Reinsu	rance B	alance	200					(ir	n billions	s of yen)
Fiscal Year	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Premiums (paid)	248.4	290.7	292.5	294.6	327.2	315.7	358.2	457.8	542.7	540.6
Claims (received)	162.7	118.2	125.8	149.8	147.6	141.4	475.5	421.0	308.0	316.5
Balance	-85.7	-172.5	-166.7	-144.7	-179.5	-174.3	117.3	-36.8	-234.7	-224.1
Notes) Claims (received) include reinsurance commission.										

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### **Inward Reinsurance Balance**

Inward Reinsura	<b>nward Reinsurance Balance</b> (in billions of yen)										
Fiscal Year	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	
Premiums (received)	212.7	240.8	230.3	211.2	183.1	201.0	207.3	268.7	363.5	398.1	
Claims (paid)	227.3	225.8	229.2	195.6	191.0	194.9	244.8	320.6	324.5	314.6	
Balance     -14.6     15.0     1.1     15.6     -7.9     6.1     -37.5     -51.9     39.0     83.5											
(Notes) Claims (paid) include reinsurance commission.											

#### 9. Japanese Insurers' Offices Abroad (as of April 1 each year) Number of Japanese Insurers Conducting Foreign Business Through Overseas Offices (Note 1)

Number of Japanese insurers conducting Foreign business	inrough Ov	rerseas Onn	ces (Note I)
	2005	2006	2007
Number of Insurance Companies Operating Overseas	9	10	10

#### Number of Countries / Regions (Note 2)

	2005	2006	2007
Number of Regions Where Insurance Companies Operating Overseas	44	45	45

#### Number of Japanese Insurers' Offices Abroad

	2005	2006	2007
Number of Japanese Insurers' Offices Abroad	195	213	218

#### **Liaison Offices**

	2005	2006	2007
Number of Japanese Insurers with Liaison Offices	10	10	10
Number of Countries / Regions	42	43	43
Number of Cities	77	78	77
Number of Offices	171	175	172

(Notes) 1. Figures represent the number of Japanese insurers conducting foreign business by type of overseas offices, and include cases where a Japanese insurer conducts its business through both overseas subsidiaries and branches/agents of its home country head office in the same region.

2. Figures represent the number of countries or regions where Japanese insurers conduct foreign business through overseas offices.

2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
10	9	9	8	8	7	6	5

2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
44	51	50	50	47	46	46	43

2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
220	285	206	196	194	198	188	179

2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
10	10	7	7	7	6	5
44	41	42	41	40	43	43
81	78	79	79	79	82	83
179	174	172	175	183	184	161

# Outline of the General Insurance Association of Japan

# **1** History

Prior to the present Association's establishment in 1946, its origin can be traced back to 1917, when the Joint Fire Insurance Association of Japan was founded by domestic and foreign insurance companies operating at the time. In 1939 the Joint Association was reorganized as the Dai-Nippon Fire Insurance Association. In 1941 it was amalgamated with several marine insurance organizations, such as the Japan Marine Underwriters' Association and the Hull Insurers' Union (established in 1920 and 1927 respectively) into the former Marine and Fire Insurance Association of Japan consisting of only domestic companies as regular members. The following year, in 1942, its name and functions were changed to the Non-Life Insurance Control Association to assist the government in the control of the industry during a chaotic economic period. Shortly after hostilities ended in September 1945, however, this Control Association was dissolved. The Marine and Fire Insurance Association of Japan was reestablished on January 18, 1946, by all the domestic non-life insurance companies. On May 1, 1948, it was reorganized as an incorporated body. On May 20, 2003, it changed its English name to the General Insurance Association of Japan (GIAJ) and is currently composed of 30 member companies (as of July 1, 2015).



## Objective

The objective of the GIAJ is to promote sound development and maintain reliability of the general

insurance business in Japan, and thus contribute to a secure and safe society.

## **3** Major Activities

## a. Enhancing the dissemination and understanding of general insurance

The GIAJ provides a variety of information about general insurance for enhancing consumers understanding through the website of the GIAJ, and by sending lectors to speech sessions.

# b. Responding to consultation, complaints and disputes

The GIAJ operates the Sonpo ADR center (General insurance Counseling and ADR Center) to answer consumer inquires and carry out proceedings for complaint and dispute resolution from a neutral, fair standpoint as a designated dispute resolution organization under the Insurance Business Law.

# c. Improving the quality of insurance business administration

The GIAJ makes use of its position as a thirdparty organization to improve the quality of industry-wide business through advancing measures based on consumer opinions while establishing many other guidelines.

# d. Maintaining and improving the business environment of general insurance

The GIAJ plays key roles in industry-wide systems, such as earthquake insurance. It also carries out research and study, and issues various requests and proposals of the general insurance industry in order to maintain and improve the business environment.

## e. Preventing / reducing damage caused by accidents, disasters and crimes

The GIAJ makes efforts to reduce social losses by conducting educational activities and submitting proposals for traffic safety, and disaster and crime prevention.

# f. Education and Examinations for agents and solicitors

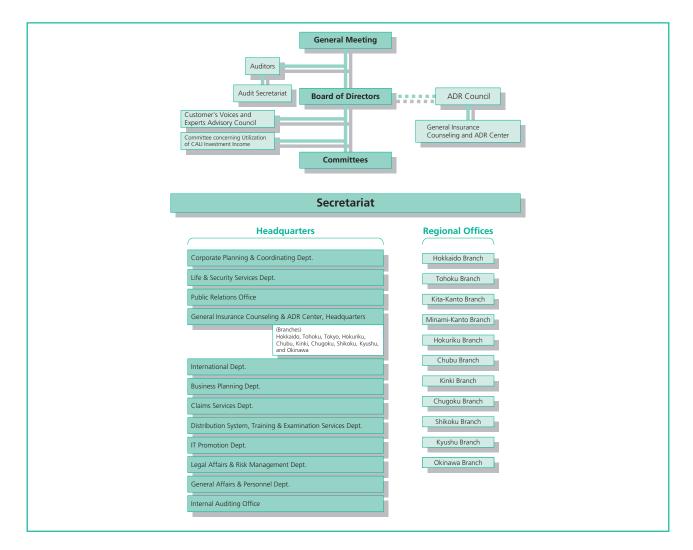
The GIAJ implements educational programs and the examination system in order to enhance the quality of insurance solicitation.

#### g. Contribution to the Global Community

The GIAJ actively participates in the International Association of Insurance Supervisors (IAIS) standard setting activities as an observer, closely monitoring and advocating multilateral and regional trade discussions, enhancing exchanges and cooperation with overseas insurance markets, and holding international seminars with participants from the East Asian region such as the Insurance School (Non-Life) of Japan (ISJ).



## Organization (as of July 1, 2015)



## Licensed Domestic Companies (30 Companies as of July 1, 2015)

- O ACE Insurance
- Aioi Nissay Dowa Insurance Co., Ltd.
- AIU Insurance Company, Ltd.
- Allianz Fire and Marine Insurance Japan Ltd.

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- American Home Assurance Company, Ltd.
- Anicom Insurance, Inc.
- The Asahi Fire & Marine Insurance Co., Ltd.
- au Insurance Company, Limited
- AXA GENERAL INSURANCE CO., Ltd.
- The Daido Fire and Marine Insurance Co., Ltd.
- E.design Insurance Co., Ltd.
- The Fuji Fire & Marine Insurance Co., Ltd.
- Hitachi Capital Insurance Corporation
- H.S. Insurance Co., Ltd.
- ipet Insurance CO., Ltd.
- Japan Earthquake Reinsurance Co., Ltd.
- JI Accident & Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.
- The Kyoei Fire & Marine Insurance Co., Ltd.
- Meiji Yasuda General Insurance Co., Ltd.
- Mitsui Direct General Insurance Co., Ltd.
- Mitsui Sumitomo Insurance Co., Ltd.
- Nisshin Fire & Marine Insurance Co., Ltd.
- SAISON Automobile and Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.
- SBI Insurance Co., Ltd.
- SECOM General Insurance Co., Ltd.
- Sompo Japan Nipponkoa Insurance Inc.
- Sonpo 24 Insurance Co., Ltd.
- Sony Assurance Inc.
- The Toa Reinsurance Co., Ltd.
- Tokio Marine & Nichido Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.

(• represents the GIAJ member companies.)

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## Licensed Foreign Companies (22 Companies as of July 1, 2015)

- Assicurazioni Generali S.p.A. (Italy)
- Assuranceforeningen GARD gjensidig (Norway)
- Atradius Credit Insurance N.V. (Netherlands)
- The Britannia Steam Ship Insurance Association Ltd. (U.K.)
- CARDIF-Assurances Risques Divers (France)
- Coface Japan (Compagnie Française d'Assurance pour le Commerce Extérieur / France)
- Euler Hermes SA (Belgium)
- Federal Insurance Company (U.S.A.)
- General Reinsurance AG (Germany)
- HDI-Gerling Industrie Versicherung AG (Germany)
- Hyundai Marine & Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. (Korea)
- Muenchener Rueckversicherungs-Gesellschaft AG in Muenchen (Germany)
- The New India Assurance Company Ltd. (India)
- The North of England Protecting and Indemnity Association Limited (U.K.)
- **O RGA Reinsurance Company (U.S.A.)**
- The Society of Lloyd's (U.K.) [Lloyd's Japan Inc.]
- Starr Indemnity & Liability Company (U.S.A.)
- Swiss Reinsurance Company Ltd (Switzerland)
- Swiss Re International SE (Luxembourg)
- Transatlantic Reinsurance Company (U.S.A.)
- The United Kingdom Mutual Steam Ship Assurance Association (Europe) Ltd. (U.K.)
- Zurich Insurance Company Ltd (Switzerland)

(The above companies are not GIAJ members.)

## General Insurance Organizations (as of July 1, 2015)

- General Insurance Rating Organization of Japan
- The Japan Atomic Energy Insurance Pool
- The General Insurance Institute of Japan
- The Foreign Non-Life Insurance Association of Japan, Inc.
- Non-Life Insurance Policyholders Protection Corporation of Japan
- Independent Insurance Agents of Japan, Inc.
- The Small Amount & Short Term Insurance Association of Japan
- The Japan Insurance Brokers Association
- Loss Adjusters Association of Japan
- All Japan Independent Adjusters Association

## - To preserve our irreplaceable environment and ensure safety -

The General Insurance Association of Japan has obtained the ISO 14001 Certificate.

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