

### Changes in Number of Funds and Participants of the Employees' Pension Fund

FY	Number of funds	Number of participants (1,000 people)	Assets (¥1 trillion)
2001	1,737	10,871	57.0
2002	1,656	10,386	51.2
2003	1,357	8,351	48.6
2004	838	6,152	36.8
2005	687	5,310	37.3
2006	658	5,221	38.8
2007	626	-	-
2008	617	-	-

Source: Pension Bureau, MHLW

Notes: 1. Assets are evaluated at market value.

2. Asset balance includes the assets of the Employees' Pension Fund Association.