Information Meeting The First Half Ended September 2008



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I. Financial Results for the First Half of FY2008

II. Management Strategy

Financial Results for the First Half of FY2008 – 1. Summary of Profit and Loss



		1H FY	1H FY	′2008
	(¥ billion)	2007		Y/Y change
1	Core gross business profit	33.0	33.8	+0.8
2	Interest income	32.4	31.6	-0.7
3	Fees and commissions	4.2	4.0	-0.2
4	Other operating income (*1)	(3.6)	(1.7)	+1.8
5	Cost of derivative financial products	3.8	1.9	-1.8
6	Expenses	23.9	26.3	+2.4
7	Personnel expenses	12.8	13.5	+0.6
8	Non-personnel expenses	9.7	11.0	+1.3
9	Taxes	1.3	1.7	+0.4
10 Core net business profit		9.0	7.5	-1.5
11 Gains/Losses on bonds (JGBs, etc.)		(3.0)	(4.8)	-1.7
12 Net transfer to general provision for possible loan losses		(0.1)	(2.1)	-1.9
13 Net business profit		6.1	4.8	-1.3
14	Extra-ordinary gains/losses	(1.0)	(3.8)	-2.7
15	Gains/Losses on stocks	1.4	3.0	+1.5
16	Disposal of non-performing loans	2.8	6.0	+3.1
17	Ordinary income	5.0	0.9	-4.0
18	Extraordinary gains/losses	3.0	0.4	-2.5
19	Bad debt recovered	3.0	0.5	-2.4
20	Income before taxes	8.0	1.4	-6.6
21	Net income	5.0	1.0	-4.0
22	Credit cost (*2)	(0.3)	3.2	+3.6

<No.10 Core net business profit >

- ♦ Fees and commissions fell ¥0.2 billion for various reasons including a decline in sales of investment trusts, but core gross business profit rose ¥0.8 billion year on year as a result of an increase in interest on loans and market sector profit including fees on derivatives.
- ◆ On the other hand, core net business profit shrank ¥1.5 billion year on year because of several factors including an increase in expenses related to the regional bank partnership system.

	(¥ billion)	1H FY2007	1H FY2008	
				Y/Y Change
	nterest income net interest income]	32.4 [28.5]	31.6 [29.7]	- <mark>0.7</mark> [+1.1]
Ir	nterest on loans and deposits	19.8	20.7	+0.8
	Interest on loans	25.4	26.8	+1.4
	Interest on deposits	5.5	6.1	+0.5
Interest on market sector [Real interest on market sector]		12.5 [8.7]	10.9 [8.9]	-1. <mark>6</mark> [+0.2]
	Interest on securities	14.5	11.7	-2.7
	Interest on fund management	0.4	0.7	+0.3
	Interest on fund procurement	2.3	1.5	-0.7
	[Cost of derivative financial products]	[3.8]	[1.9]	[-1.8]

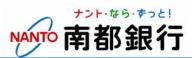
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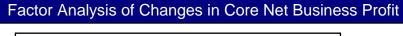
◆ Net profit for the first half shrank ¥4.0 billion to ¥1.0 billion for numerous reasons including the following: Even though gains on stocks rose ¥1.5 billion year on year following the recording of ¥5.1 billion in gains from the disposal of shares, a loss of ¥4.8 billion on the disposal of bonds (Japanese government bonds, etc.) was posted, and there was an increase in the disposal of non-performing loans.

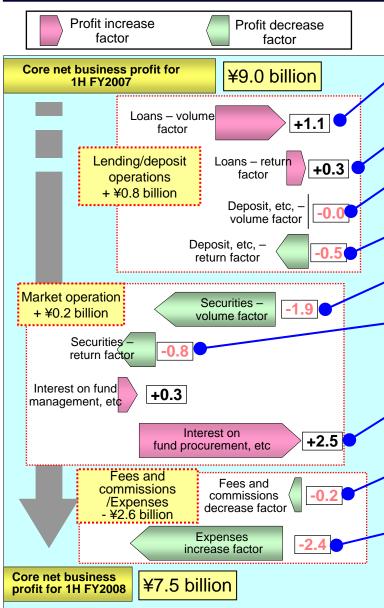
	(¥ billion)			Y2008	
		FY2007		Y/Y Change	
Cre	edit cost	(0.3)	3.2	+3.6	
	Net transfer to general provision for possible loan losses	(0.1)	(2.1)	-1.9	
	Disposal of non-performing loans	2.8	6.0	+3.1	
	Recoveries of write-offs	3.0	0.5	-2.4	

^{1*1} Except bonds (ex. Government Bonds) gains/losses 1*2 (Net transfer to general provision for possible loan losses + Disposal of non-performing !loans) - (Bad debt recovered)

Financial Results for the First Half of FY2008 – 2. Summary of Core Net Business Profit







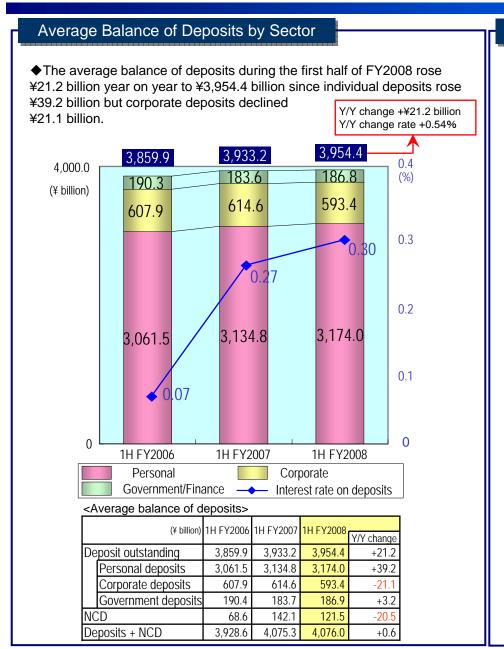
- Average balance of loans ¥2,663.3 billion (Y/Y change +¥101.7 billion Rate of change +4.0%)
- Interest rate on loans 2.01% (Y/Y +0.03%)
- Average balance of deposits ¥4,076.0 billion (Y/Y change +¥0.6 billion Rate of change +0.01%)
- Interest rate on deposits 0.30% (Y/Y +0.03%)
- Average balance of securities ¥1,567.7 billion (Y/Y change -¥78.5 billion Rate of change -4.7%)
- Yield on securities 1.49% (Y/Y change -0.27%)
- Interest payables under securities lending transactions Y/Y -¥0.9 billion Cost of derivative financial products Y/Y -¥1.8 billion
- Fees related to investment trust sales income ¥0.9 billion Y/Y -¥0.6 billion Life insurance sales income ¥1.3 billion Y/Y +¥0.3 billion
- Personnel expenses ¥13.5 billion Y/Y +0.6 billion

 Non-personnel expenses ¥11.0 billion Y/Y +¥1.3 billion

 (Factors behind the increase in non-personnel expenses included depreciation of software for the regional bank partnership)

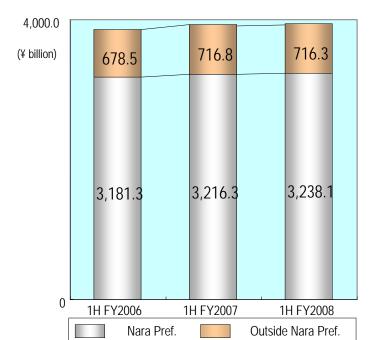
Financial Results for the First Half of FY2008 – 3. Deposits





Average Balance of Deposits by Prefecture

◆During the first half of FY2008, the average balance of deposits for Nara prefecture was ¥3,232.2 billion, which accounted for 82% of Nanto Bank's total deposits.

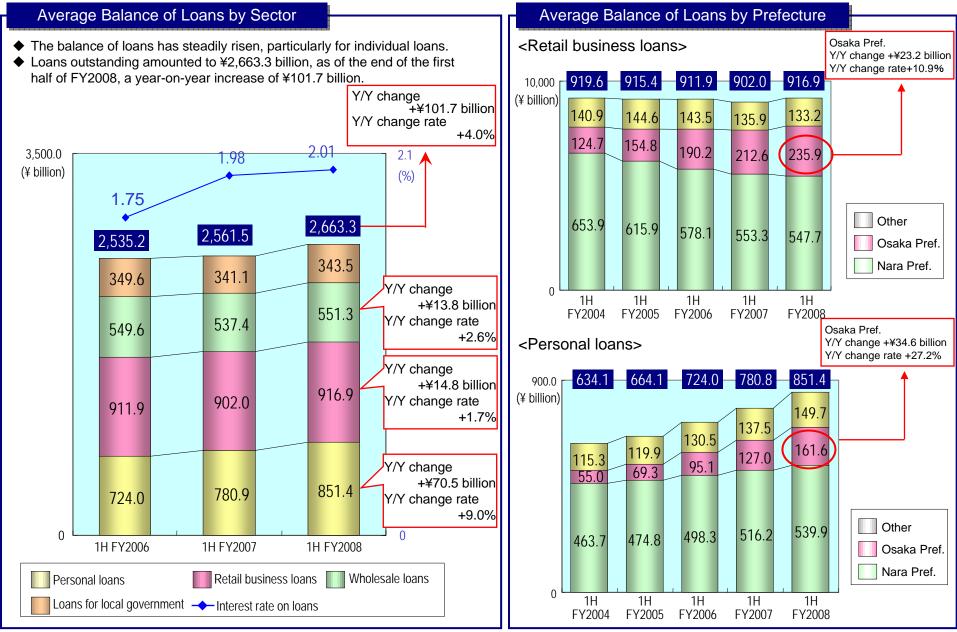


<Average balance of deposits by prefecture>

(¥ billion)	1H	1H	1H	
(# DIIIIOTI)	FY2006	FY2007	FY2008	Y/Y change
Total deposits	3,859.9	3,933.2	3,954.4	+21.2
Total- Nara Pref.	3,181.3	3,216.3	3,238.1	+21.7
Total -Outside Nara Pref.	678.5	716.8	716.3	-0.4
Osaka	173.0	182.5	190.2	+7.7
Kyoto	284.4	290.3	295.2	+4.8
Wakayama	161.0	164.7	164.8	+0.0
Mie	54.8	57.9	59.5	+1.5
Tokyo	5.1	21.1	6.4	-14.6

Financial Results for the First Half of FY2008 – 4. Loans





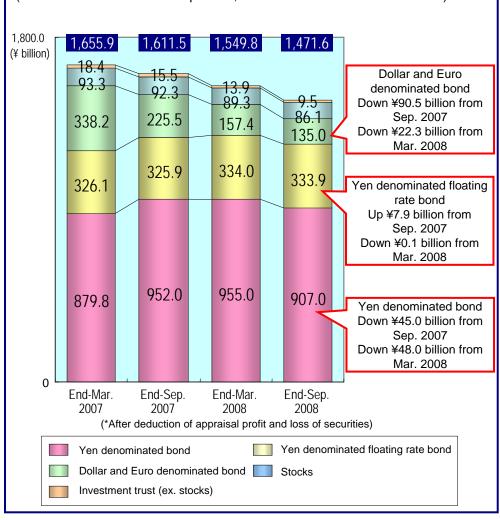
Financial Results for the First Half of FY2008 – 5. Securities-1



Balance of Outstanding Securities

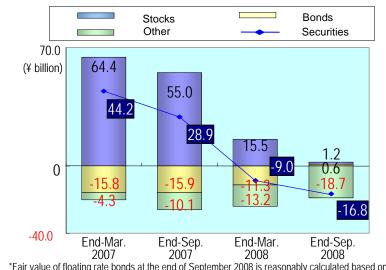
- ◆There was decline in foreign bonds, whose spread between acquisition cost and management return declined, and an increase in the asset allocation towards yen-denominated bonds which generate strong interest income.

 (Rate of foreign bonds: Mar. 2006 27.0% ⇒ Sep. 2007 14.0% ⇒ Sep. 2008 9.2%)
- ◆Balance of outstanding securities as of Sep. 2008: ¥1,471.6 billion (Down ¥139.8 billion from Sep. 2007, Down ¥78.1 billion from Mar. 2008)



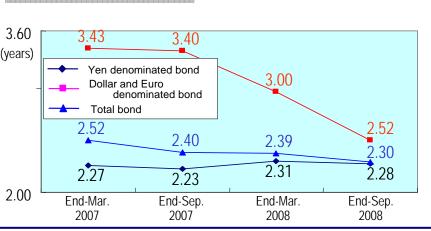
Unrealized Gains and Losses of Securities

As of Sep. 30, 2008, Nanto Bank recorded unrealized gains and losses on securities of -¥16.8 billion mainly as a result of a decline in unrealized gains on shares due to the stagnant equity market.



*Fair value of floating rate bonds at the end of September 2008 is reasonably calculated based on *Practical Solution on Measurement of Fair Value Financial Assets (ASBJ PITF No.25).

Bond Duration



Financial Results for the First Half of FY2008 – 5. Securities-2



- Loss on securities is recorded due to financial market turmoil associated with financial instability originated from U.S. and the global economic recession.
- The book value of securitized products, such as synthetic CDOs, CDOs, and Capital Notes, which were written down, declined to ¥8.2 billion at the end of Sep. 2008 from ¥16.3 billion at the end of March 2008. (The share of securitized products declined to 0.5% of total securities held by the bank)

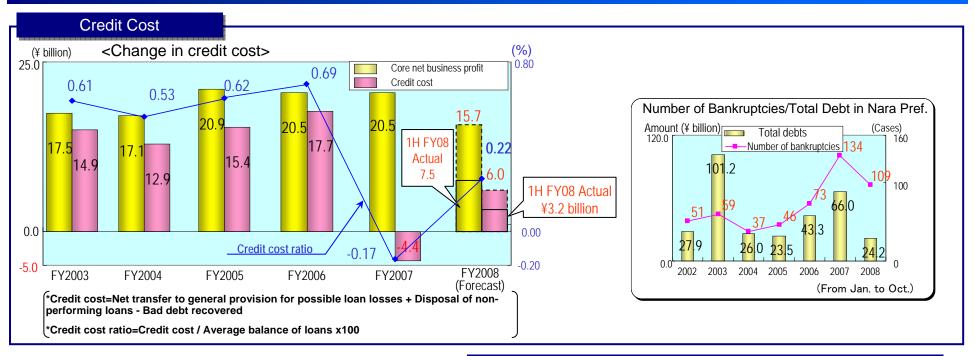
<Breakdown of gains/losses on securities> <Breakdown of securities portfolio> End of Mar. 2008 End of Sep. 2008 1H FY2008 No. 4 Unrealized gain/loss Unrealized Book value Loss on disposal of securities: (¥ billion)|FY2007 Differen ¥1.8 billion Change from 03/08 Forecast Result Y/Y ce from from 03/08 Loss on disposal of J-REITs: (¥ billion) Change forecast ¥1.0 billion 1.549.8 -9.06 1,471.6 -78.1 16.83 Gains/losses on bonds Marketable securities total Loss on disposal of ¥800 million (Japanese government bonds -4.8 302.2 362.9 2 -60.64 16.76 Lehman Brother bonds Overseas securities 205.4 167.2 3 -38.27 Gain on disposal of bonds Yen-denominated bonds 10.92 0.5 2.7 +2.7 +2.2 _ No. 5 0.00 4 of which are synthetic CDOs 14.3 7.5 -6.76 0.00 Gain on redemption of bonds 0.0 0.1 ±0.1 +0.1 (1) 0.00 -Loss on redemption of bonds: 5 4 Loss on disposal of bonds 2.1 1.8 +1.8 of which are capital notes 1.1 0.05 0.3 -0.79 -0.15 -0.20 (2) ¥5.8 billion Loss on redemption of bonds 0.0 5.8 +5.8 +5.8 6 of which are CMBS 0.6 0.00 0.4 -0.19 0.00 0.00 а Securitized products: 6 Write-offs 1.4 0.1 +0.1 135.0 ¥5.5 billion 7 157.4 -4 00 -22.3 -5.84 -1.84 Foreign-currency-denominated bonds Gains/losses on stocks 1.4 3.0 +3.0 +1.5 -J-REITs: ¥ 0.2 billion 8 0.12 of which are CDOs 0.5 -0.12 0.0 -0.56 0.00 (3) Gain on disposal of stocks 8 1.9 -5.1 +5.1 +3.1 9 of which are capital notes 0.3 0.00 0.3 -0.02 -0.03 -0.03 (4) 9 Loss on disposal of stocks 0.1 0.1 +0.1+0.0 No. 10 10 5.7 0.06 2.9 -0.0 of which are US mortgages -2.80 -0.02Write-offs 1.9 10 0.3 +1.9 +1.5 Disposal of shares: 11 1.081.0 1.070.8 0.63 12.03 -11.39 -10.13 Domestic bonds ¥1.9 billion 40.54 12 655.6 -14.64 696.1 2.77 17.41 Japanese government bonds Losses due to decline in the 13 Of which are Japanese government bonds 321.5 2.79 362.2 40.67 0.91 stock market 14 333.9 19.29 334.0 -17.44 -0.12 1.85 Of which are floating rate bonds <Breakdown of securitized products and losses> 15 144.3 0.80 131.1 -13.19 -0.4 Corporate bonds Book value as of Mar 16 0.00 0.00 Book value as of Sep. 2008 Losses recorded in 1H FYs2008 1H FY2008 1.0 -0.67 0.00 of which are CMBS 1.6 2008 17 0.2 0.00 0.1 -0.07 0.00 0.00 (¥ billion Change from Mar. of which are ABS d (after right Unrealized (after right Unrealized Less than Loss of Write offs Total Redemption | Total 18 281.0 2.44 243.5 -4.16 -37.49 down) gain/loss down gain/loss sales redemption Local government bonds -1.71 2008 19 87.3 15.52 84.1 1.26 -14.26 Synthetic Stocks -3.19 14.3 0.00 7.5 -6.760.00 4.7 4.7 2.0 6.7 -1.40 18.5 14.3 20 Other securities -4.18 -1.96 -0.56 0.5 0.0 0.00 0.6 CDO -0.1-0.560.1 0.1 0.7 21 Trust beneficiary rights 2.5 -0.02 2.3 -0.16 -0.03 -0.01 Capital 0.05 0.0 1.4 0.6 -0.81-0.19 8.0 0.8 0.8 22 2.3 note of which are CMBS 2.5 -0.02 -0.16-0.03 -0.01е 16.3 82 8.14 -0.19 0.0 0.1 5.5 5.7 2.6 8.3 Sub-total 23 ,552.3 1,474.0 16.87 U.S. 5.7 0.06 2.9 -2.80 -0.02 0.0 nortgage Securitized products that were written down in FY2007 {(1)+(2)+(3)+(4)} 16.3 8.2 -0.19 -0.11 -8.140.0 4.8 3.7 CMBS ABS 0.2 0.00 0.1 0.0 -0.070.00 10.7 0.03 6.8 Other securitized products (a+b+c+d+e) -3.90-0.0-0.1015.0 0.0 0.1 5.5 5.7 2.6 Total securitized products 27.1 15.0

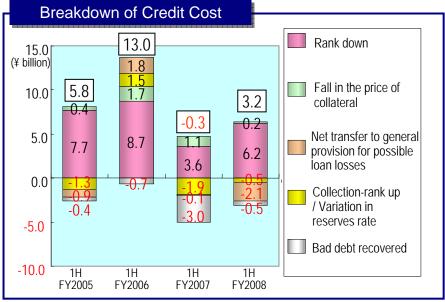
Synthetic CDO: Synthetic collateralized debt obligations that make use instruments such as credit derivatives and issued based on products such as corporate bonds, loans, and securities products CDO: Collateralized debt obligations backed by actual assets such as corporate bonds, loans, securitized products
Capital note: Securities issued by a securities investment vehicle. The funds raised by the company issuing the capital notes are leveraged and used to invest in high-quality securities
ABS: Securities backed by assets such as corporate loans, consumer loans, or leases

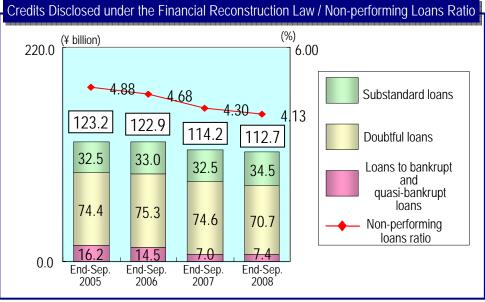
CMBS: Commercial mortgage backed securities are securities backed by domestic commercial mortgages US mortgage: US mortgage securities issued by government sponsored entities

Financial Results for the First Half of FY2008 – 6. Disposal of NPLs







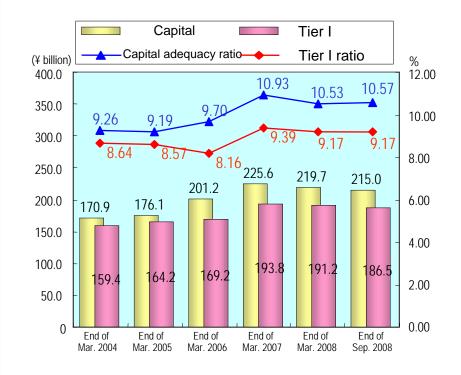


Financial Results for the First Half of FY2008 – 7. Capital Adequacy Ratio/Capital Allocation

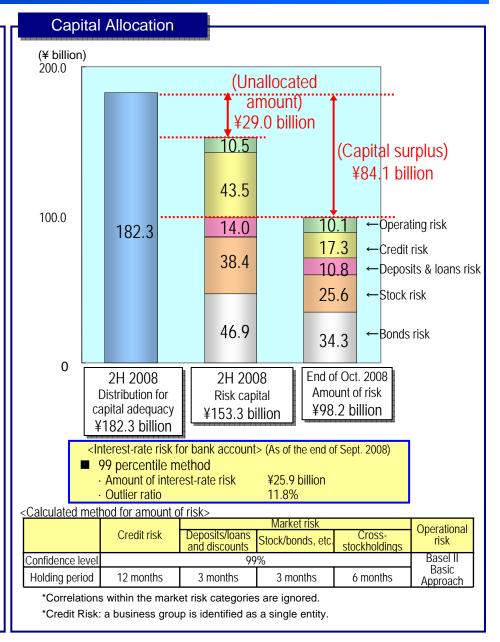


Capital Adequacy Ratio

• Sep. 2008 Capital adequacy ratio= 10.57%
(Change from Mar. 2008: +0.04%)
Tier I Ratio= 9.17%
(Change from Mar. 2008: Flat)



* Calculated by standard method of Basle II from March 2007 As for risk-weighted assets, calculated by "credit risk = standard method", "Operational risk = basic method"



Business Forecast for FY2008



		FY 2007	FY2008 Forecast
	(¥ billion)	2007	Y/Y Compared with the initial change forecast
1	Core gross business profit	66.2	67.7 +1.4 -0.6
2	Interest income	64.7	63.1 -1.6 +0.0
3	Interest on loans	51.9	54.3 +2.3 -0.5
4	Interest on securities	26.9	23.4 -3.5 +0.1
5	Interest on fund management	1.2	1.1 -0.1 +0.0
6	Interest on deposits	11.3	12.3 +0.9 +0.2
7	Interest on fund procurement	4.0	3.3 -0.6 -0.4
8	Fees and commissions	7.8	8.0 +0.1 +0.0
9	Other operating income (*1)	(6.3)	(3.4) +2.9 -0.5
10	Cost of derivative financial products	6.7	3.7 -3.0 +0.5
11	Expenses	46.9	52.0 +5.0 +1.2
Personnel expenses		25.2	26.4 +1.1 +1.5
Non-personnel expenses		19.6	23.0 +3.3 -0.4
14	Taxes	1.9	2.6 +0.6 +0.0
15	Core net business profit	19.3	15.7 -3.6 -1.8
16	Gains/Losses on bonds (JGBs, etc.)	17.7	(6.1) +11.6 -6.1
17	Net transfer to general provision for possible loan losses		(1.4) -1.4 -0.9
18	Net business profit	1.5	11.0 +9.4 -7.0
19	Non-recurrent gains/losses	(2.5)	(8.0) -5.4 -1.0
20	Gains/Losses on stocks	3.0	1.5 -1.5 +1.5
21	Disposal of non-performing loans	4.7	8.4 +3.6 +2.4
22	Ordinary income	(0.9)	3.0 +3.9 -8.0
23	Extraordinary gains/losses	9.1	1.0 -8.1 0.0
24	Bad debt recovered	7.1	1.0 -6.1 0.0
25	Gain on reversal of provision for possible loan loss	2.0	2.0 -
26			4.0 -4.1 -8.0
27	Net income	5.0	2.5 -2.5 -4.5
28	Credit cost (*2)	(4.4)	6.0 +10.4 +1.5

^{1*1} Except bonds (ex. Government Bonds) gains/losses

<No15 Core net business profit>

◆ Although core gross business profit is expected to increase mainly as a result of the increase in interest on loans, core net business profit is projected to decline ¥3.6 billion YoY to ¥15.7 billion because of an increase in partnership system related expenses.

<Factors behind changes in interest on loans and deposits for FY2008 (comparison with FY2007) >

	(¥ billion/%)	(¥ billion/%) Change		Change	Factor	
		Balanc e	Return	Interest	Balance factor	Return factor
Loa	ans	+102.9	+0.01	+2.3	+2.2	+0.1
	Business loans	+30.5	-0.01	+0.3	+0.5	-0.1
	Retail	+15.9	-0.05	+0.0	+0.3	-0.4
	Wholesale	+14.5	+0.05	+0.4	+0.1	+0.2
	Personal loans	+67.5	-0.01	+1.5	+1.6	+0.0
	Loans for local government	+4.8	+0.11	+0.4	+0.0	+0.3
De	posits	+5.7	+0.02	+0.9	+0.0	+0.8

<No22 Ordinary income>

• Ordinary income is expected to increase ¥3.9 billion year on year to ¥3.0 billion since gains/losses on bonds (Japanese government bonds, etc.), a large volume of which were recorded last year, are expected to improve although the disposal of non-performing loans is projected to increase as a result of a decline in corporate earnings.

<No27 Net income>

• Although ordinary income is forecast to increase, net income is expected to decrease ¥2.5 billion year-on-year to ¥2.5 billion. This is because ¥9.1 billion in extraordinary gains, including collection of written-off non-performing loans and gain on reversal of provisions for possible loans losses, were recorded for the previous fiscal year, this fiscal year only ¥1.0 billion will be recorded.

<Dividends>

		FY2005	FY2006	FY2007
Net income	(¥ billion)	6.4	6.3	5.0
Total dividends	(¥ billion)	1.3	1.6	1.6
Acquisition of treas stock	(¥ billion)			0.5
Dividend per share		5.0	6.0	6.0
Shareholder return (%)	ratio	21.5	26.2	42.7
Payout ratio	(%)	21.5	26.2	32.8

Forecast for FY 2008 (2.5)

(1.6)

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^{1*2 (}Net transfer to general provision for possible loan losses + Disposal of non-performing loans) – (Bad debt recovered)



I. Financial Results for the First Half of FY2008

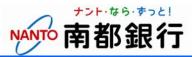
II. Management Strategy

Outline of the Medium-Term Management Plan –1. Long-Term Vision and Outline of the Plan



Long-term vision – Aim to further increase corporate value and become a bank that grows with the local community June 2014 is 6 years the 80th year Stage 2 Stage 1 3 years later later anniversáry of founding. **April 2008 - March 2011** April 2011 - March 2014 **Medium-Term Management Plan** ♦ Create a healthy and sound Previous Medium-Term More Value -"Nanto" management system, establish Management Plan a strong presence, and improve Strive to expand the business foundation and Value Up "NANTO" improve risk management with the goal of further corporate value (April 2005 - March 2008) increasing corporate value Basic Policies (summary) **Priority Strategies** Strengthen the sales II. Enhance and 1. Strengthen profitability and improve risk capabilities of regions upgrade internal management control systems and divisions IV. Promote 2. Invigorate employees and the organization CSR 3. Invigorate local economies III. Strengthen human resource 4. Promote CSR management <Numerical Targets> 1.Core net business profit 2.Net income 3.Outstanding loans All (Management indicator) 1)ROE 2)OHR 3)Capital adequacy ratio 4) Non-performing loans ratio measures

Outline of the Medium-Term Management Plan –2. Numerical Targets



Long-term vision – Aim to further increase corporate value and become a bank that grows with the local community

(FY2009)

Stage 1

3 years later

Stage 2

6 years later June 2014 is the 80th year anniversary of founding.

April 2008 - March 2011

Medium-Term Management Plan More Value -"Nanto"

Strive to expand the business foundation and

improve risk management with the goal of further increasing corporate value

April 2011 - March 2014

Previous Medium-Term Management Plan

Value Up "NANTO"

(April 2005 - March 2008)

<Numerical Targets>

Item		FY2007
1.Core net busin	ess profit	¥19.3 billion
2.Net income		¥5.0 billion
3.Outstanding lo	ans	¥2,690 billion

FY2008	
1H Result	Full-year forecast
¥7.5 billion	¥15.7 billion
¥1.0 billion	¥2.5 billion
¥2,690 billion	¥2,770 billion

¥26.0 billion or higher
¥12.0 billion or higher
¥3,000 billion or higher

FY2010 Plan

<Management Indicator>

	FY2007				
Profitability	ofitability 1.R O E (*1)				
Efficiency	70.83%				
Coundness	3.Capital adequacy ratio	10.53%			
Soundness	4.Non-performing loans ratio (*3)	3.86%			

FY2008						
1H Result	Full-year forecast					
1.21%	1.48%					
77.81%	76.81%					
10.57%	10.80%					
4.13%	4.17%					
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FY2010 Plan
5.40%
66.25%
10.67%
2.72%

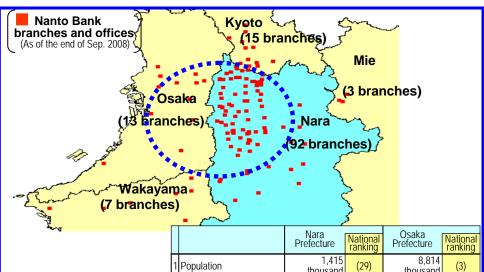
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Numerical Target

- (*1) ROE=Net income/ Net assets × 100
- (*2) OHR=Expenses/Core gross business profit × 100
- (*3) Non-performing loan ratio = amount of non-performing loans based on Financial Reconstruction Law / Total value of credit provided x 100

Loans Increase Plan – 1





- The loan market for Osaka prefecture is around 14 times the size of the market in Nara.
- Nara prefecture is the typical retail market with many wealthy residents.
- Osaka city is around 30 minutes from the center of Nara prefecture, and 29.32% of Nara prefecture residents work outside the prefecture (the largest percent in Japan). Around 90% of the residents working outside of the prefecture work in Osaka.

		Nara Prefecture National ranking		Osaka Prefecture	National ranking
1	Population	1,415 thousand	(29)	8,814 thousand	(3)
2	Number of private enterprises (offices)	48 thousand	(40)	421 thousand	(2)
3	Housing starts	10 thousand	(29)	95 thousand	(3)
4	Deposits balance	¥10.3 trillion	(22)	¥79.7 trillion	(2)
5	Loans balance	¥3.3 trillion	(30)	¥46.3 trillion	(2)
6	Personal savings (per capita)	¥5,891 thousand	(6)	¥6,004 thousand	(5)
7	Number of residents traveling abroad (per 1,000 people)	163.5	(4)	156.0	(6)
8	Employment rate outside the Prefecture	29.3%	(1)	5.1%	(15)

largest percent in Japan).
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working outside of the prefecture
work in Osaka.

(Source) Population: Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications Population
Estimates 2006: Number of private enterprises: 2006 Establishment and
Enterprise Census; Housing starts: Annual Construction Statistics 2006; Deposits
and Loans balance: Kinyu Journal "Regional Financial Map 2008"; Personal
savings: The Central Council for Financial Services Information 2007; Number of
residents traveling abroad: Annual Report of Statistics on Legal Migrants 2006;
Employment rate outside the Prefecture: 2005 Population Census

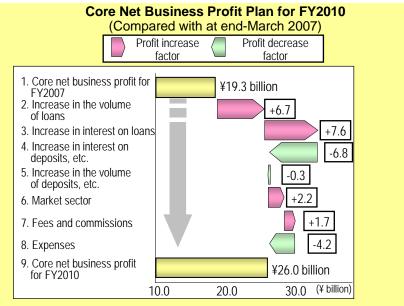
< Nanto Bank's Growth Scenario >

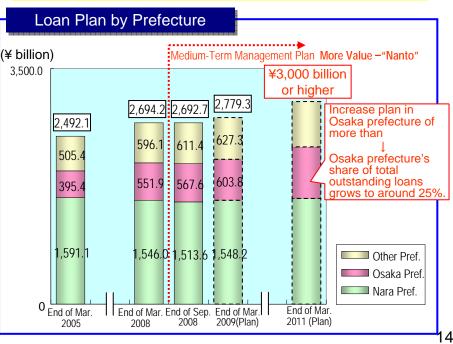
♦ Priority strategic areas

•Nanto Bank will increase business loans and personal loans and strive to expand and strengthen sales offices in areas such as Osaka, which are the bank's strategic areas.

◆ Existing area centered on Nara prefecture

•Nanto Bank will make a detailed breakdown of customer segments, develop more strategic business activities, and promote asset management products and personal loans.

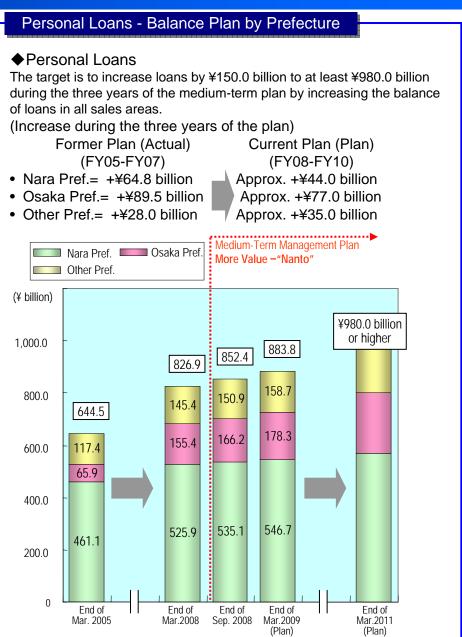




Loans Increase Plan – 2



Retail Business Loans - Balance Plan by Prefecture ◆Retail business loans The target is to expand financing by around ¥60.0 billion to at least ¥1,030.0 billion during the three years of the medium-term business plan by increasing the balance of loans in Osaka prefecture. (Increase during the three years of the plan) Former Plan (Actual) Current Plan (Plan) (FY05-FY07) (FY08-FY10) Nara Pref.= -¥66.5 billion Approx. -¥40.0 billion Approx. +¥100.0 billion Osaka Pref.= +¥98.9 billion Other Pref.= -¥8.1 billion Flat Medium-Term Management Plan Nara Pref. Osaka Pref. More Value - "Nanto" Other Pref. (¥ billion) ¥1,030 billion or higher 986.2 974.5 950.3 941.8 1,000.0 142.9 144.6 151.1 136.5 800.0 158.0 257.0 284.8 250.8 600.0 400.0 641.1 574.6 554.4 556.7 200.0 End of End of End of End of End of Mar.2008 Sep. 2008 Mar. 2005 Mar.2009 Mar.2011 (Plan) (Plan)



Aggressive Investment in Osaka Region –1



- ♦ Starting with the launch of the Higashi Osaka-Corporate Business Office in October 2000, corporate sales offices have steadily been opened, and after developing new corporate clients for a certain period, the offices were upgraded to a branch office. Since October 2001, home mortgage promotion offices have been created in 9 locations.
- ◆The Osaka Regional Head Office, which possesses sales planning, sales promotion, and credit screening functions, was created in June 2007.
- ◆The medium-term plan contains plans to vigorously expand offices and invest resources and further strengthen retail lending.

Medium-term management plan: Expansion of offices – at least 10 offices

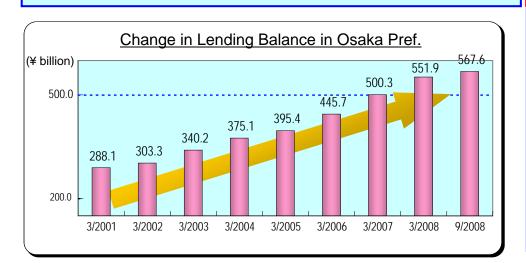
Commitment of human resources – at least 140 staff

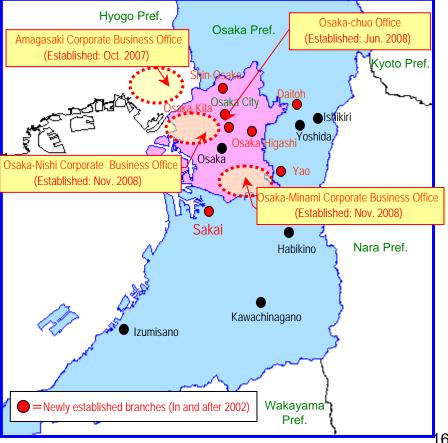
<Actual figures for the first half FY2008>

- With the goal of further improving Nanto Bank's presence in Osaka, the Osaka-Chuo Office was established as the sales base for Osaka Pref. in June 2008.
- The Osaka South Corporate Office and Osaka West Corporate Business Office were opened in November 2008.

<New Offices>

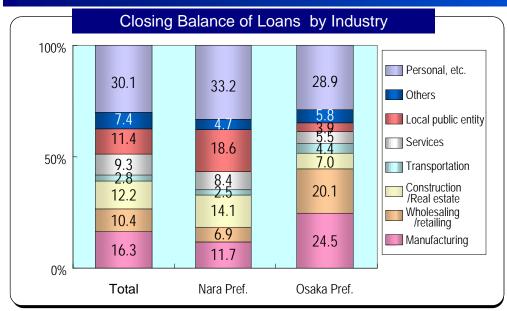
- 1) Oct. 2000, established Higashi-Osaka Corporate Business Office -> Oct. 2002 Osaka-Higashi Branch
- 2) Oct.2000, established Yao Corporate Business Office -> Apr.2004 Yao Branch (Transfer of the Yao South Office)
- 3) Oct.2001, established Daitoh Corporate Business Office -> Dec.2003 Daitoh Branch
- 4) Jan.2003, established Osaka Corporate Business Office ->Jun.2008 incorporated into Osaka-chuo office
- 5) Jun.2003, established Osaka North Corporate Office -> Osaka-Kita Branch
- 6) Jun.2004, established Sakai Corporate Business Office -> Nov.2005 Sakai Branch
- 7) Aug.2005, established Shin-Osaka Corporate Business Office -> Aug.2006 Shin-Osaka Branch
- 8) Oct.2007, established Amagasaki Corporate Business Office
- 9) Nov.2008, established Osaka-Minami Corporate Business Office
- 10) " established Osaka West Corporate Business Office

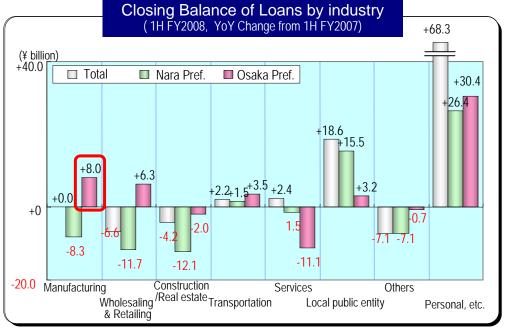


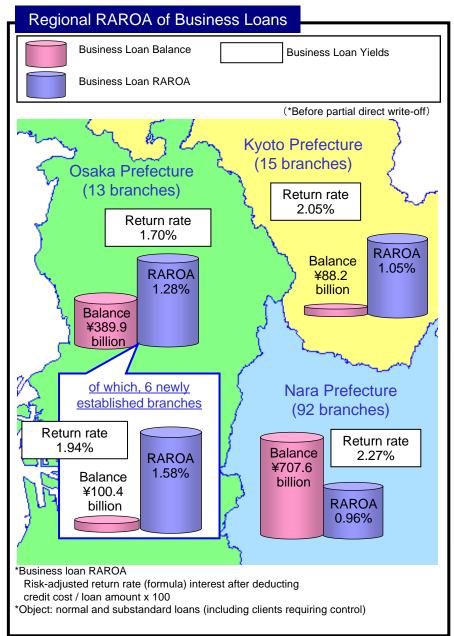


Aggressive Investment in Osaka Region – 2







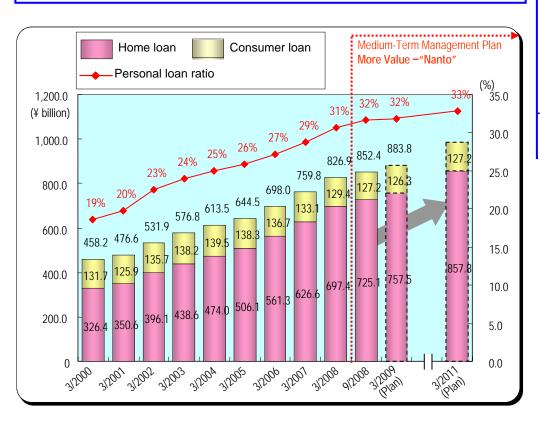


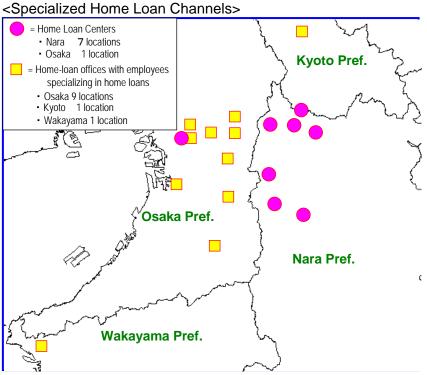
Expansion of Home Loans

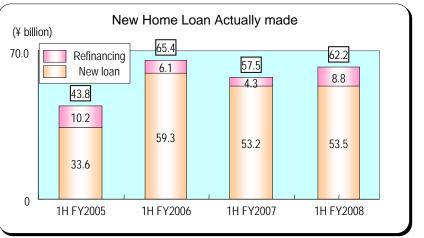


Reinforce Home Loans

- ◆Strengthen promotion through tie-ups between specialized home loan channels (home loan centers at eight locations and home-loan offices at nine locations) and sales offices
- ◆Actively respond to new projects by strengthening the relationship with the housing related businesses
- ◆Commit personnel and expand home-loan offices with employees specializing in home loans
- ◆Participation in the Regional Bank Home Mortgage Partnership Council







Expansion of Asset on Deposit



Reinforce Assets on Deposit

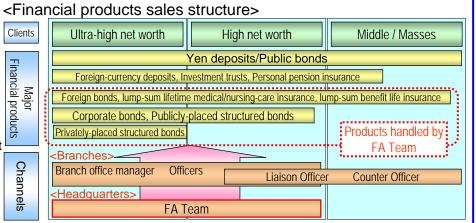
Focus is on the sale of financial instruments such as investment trusts and life insurance, the core of commission and feels.

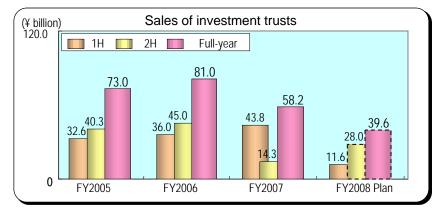
<Measures to increase trust assets>

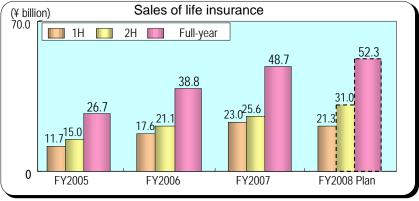
Assign 2 FA teams to offices in Nara prefecture in November 2008 and strengthen the sales system for financial products.

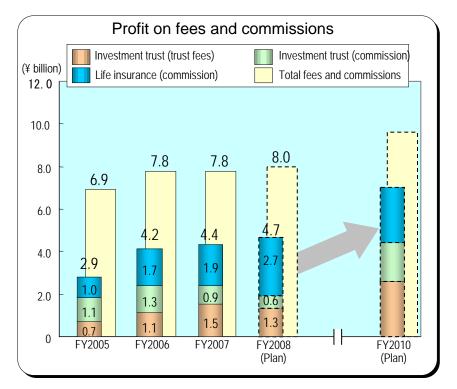
Enhancement of products lineup [37 products for investment trust, 11 products for personal pension insurance, 10 products for lump-sum benefit life insurance

Upgrade existing skills of personnel (At least 50% on the employees shall have the qualifications.)





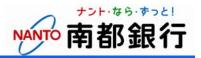




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Profile of The Nanto Bank



(As of the end of September 2008)

1.Founded June 1, 1934

2.Location of Head Office 16, Hashimoto-cho, Nara City

3.Capital ¥29,249 million

4. Number of employees 2,743

5. Number of offices 131 (Japan),

2 (Overseas, representative offices in Hong Kong and Shanghai)

6.Total assets ¥4,485.4 billion

7. Deposits outstanding ¥4,059.9 billion

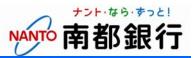
8.Outstanding loans ¥2,692.7 billion

9. Capital adequacy ratio Non-consolidated: 10.57%

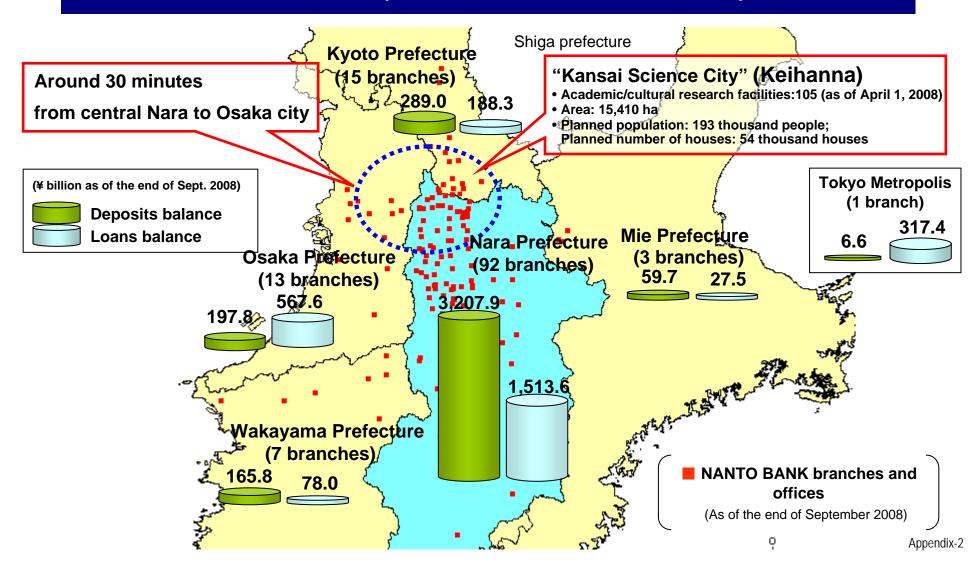
Consolidated:10.83%



(Head Office)



Bases for business: Nara Pref. 92, Osaka Pref. 13, Kyoto Pref. 15, Wakayama Pref. 7, Mie Pref. 3, Tokyo 1



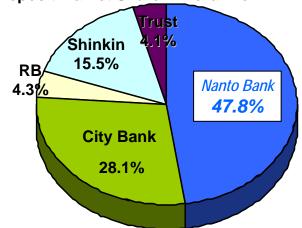
Share in Nara Prefecture



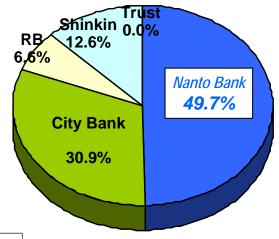
Maintained firmly approximately 50% of deposit and loan market share within Nara Prefecture Deposit market share in Nara Pref.: 47.8%

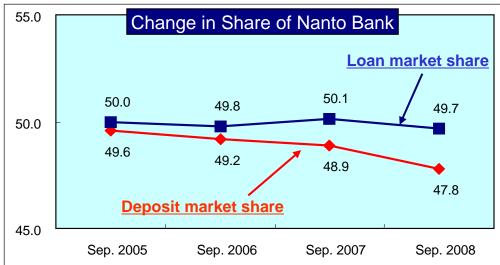
Loan Market Share in Nara Pref.: 49.7% (at end of September 2008)

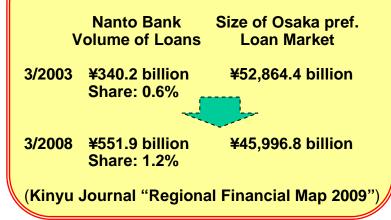




<Loan Market Share in Nara Pref.>







<Loan Market Share in Osaka Pref.>

^{*} Total number of commercial banks, trust banks, and shinkin banks in Nara Prefecture. (excluding agricultural cooperatives, postal savings)

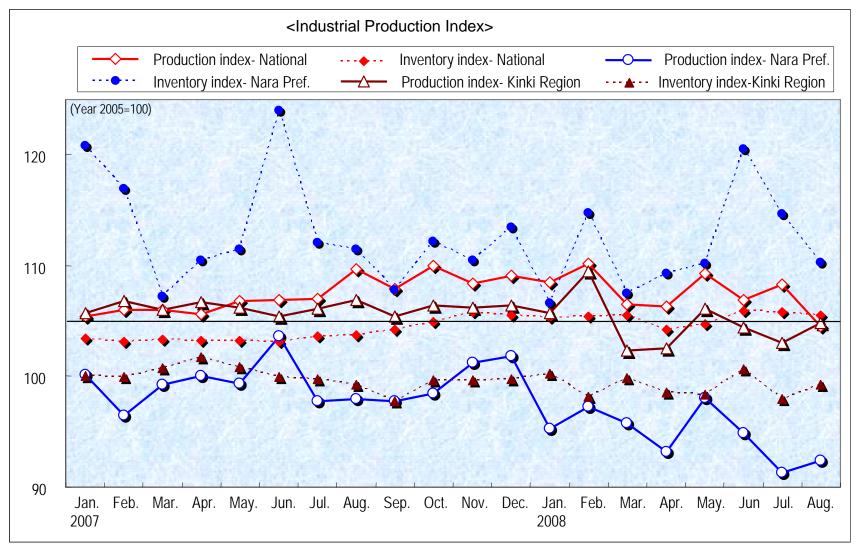
Main Indicators for Nara Prefecture



No.	Indicator	Nara Prefecture	National ranking	Osaka Prefecture	National ranking	Source
1	Population	1,415 thousand	29	8,814 thousand	3	2006 Population Census
2	Number of private enterprises (offices)	48 thousand	40	421 thousand	2	2006 Establishment and Enterprise Census
3	Housing starts	10 thousand	29	95 thousand	3	Annual Construction Statistics 2006
4	Deposits balance	¥10.3 trillion	22	¥79.7 trillion	2	Kinyu Journal "Regional Financial Map 2008"
5	Loans balance	¥3.3 trillion	30	¥46.3 trillion	2	Kinyu Journal "Regional Financial Map 2008"
6	Personal savings (per capita)	¥5,891 thousand	6	¥6,004 thousand	5	The Central Council for Financial Services Information 2007
7	Newspapers subscriptions (per household)	1.37	1	0.99	32	Japan Newspaper Association 2007
8	Number of residents traveling abroad (per 1,000 people)	163.58	4	156.07	6	Annual Report of Statistics on Legal Migrants 2006
9	Number of households with piano (per 1,000 households)	353	2	256	33	National Survey of Family Income and Expenditure 2004
10	Employment rate outside the Prefecture	29.32%	1	5.11%	15	2005 Population Census



<Industrial Production Index in Nara Prefecture> Production has remained at a low level since the start of 2008.

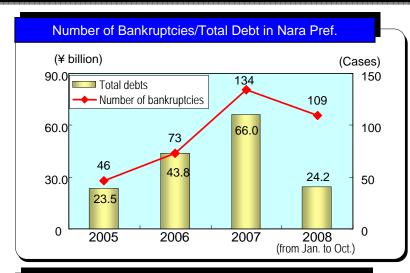


[Source: Nara Prefecture]

Business Bankruptcy and Employment Conditions

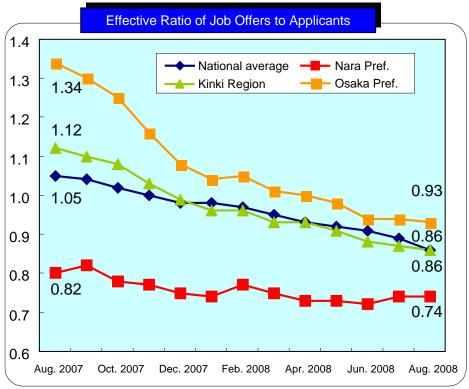


- ◆Business Bankruptcy
 - •Both bankruptcy and total debts increased in 2007.
 - •Bankruptcy in Nara Prefecture in 2007
 - → 134 cases, ¥66. 0 billion in total debts
 - •There has been a recent upward trend in the number of bankruptcies (for the period between Jan. and Oct. 2008)





- ◆Employment Conditions
 - •Effective ratio of job offers to applicants in Nara Pref. is below the ratio of other prefectures in Japan.
 - •Effective ratio of job offers to applicants in Nara Pref. in 2008 → 0.74 times, 0.08 point down from the previous year.



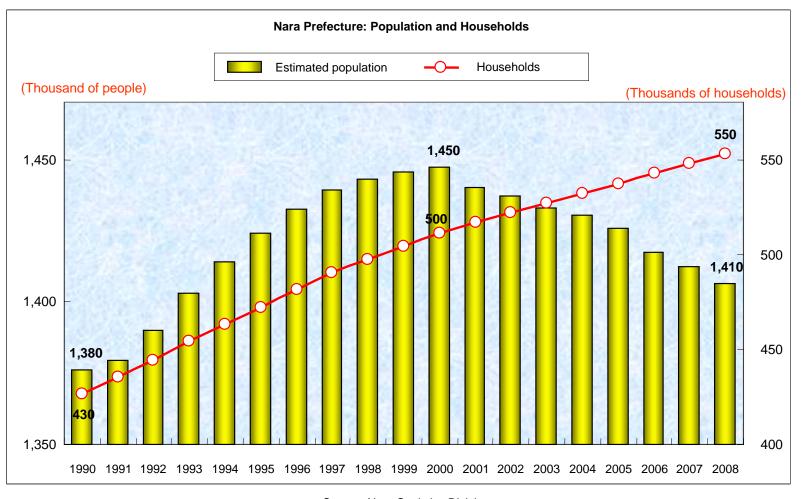
[Source: Health, Labor and Welfare Ministry / Nara Labor Bureau]

Number of Population and Households in Nara Prefecture



◆Population of Nara Prefecture (2008): 1.41 million, comprising 550,000 households

- The population has been on a declining trend since 2000.
- On the other hand, the upward trend in the number of households has continued as more and more households are made up of nuclear families.

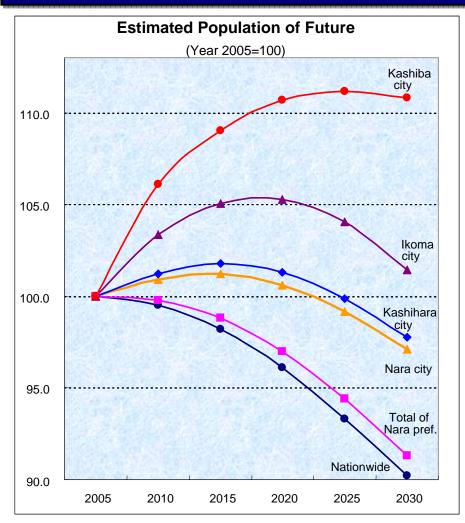


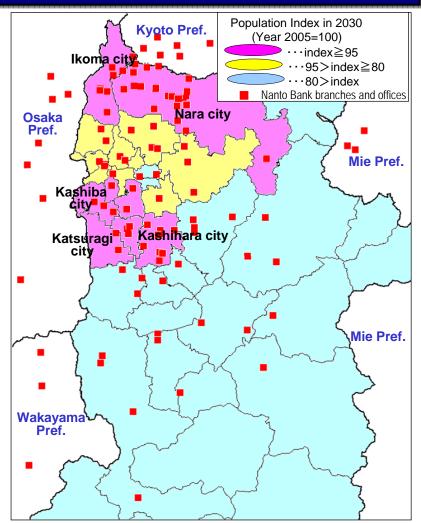
Source: Nara Statistics Division

Estimated Population of Future in Nara Prefecture



- According to projections for Nara prefecture, the population is expected to decline in a similar fashion to all Japan but will be slightly higher than the national average.
- By area, the future population for areas that have been developed as bed towns for Osaka will remain high.



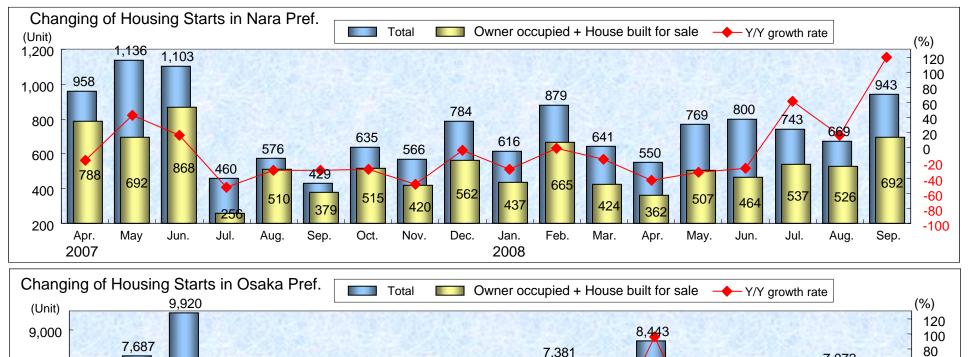


[Source: National Institute of Population and Social Security Research]

Housing Starts

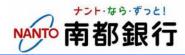


- There was a temporary decline in the number of housing starts due to revisions to the Building Standards Law in 2007.
- Although the number of housing starts has been growing since the beginning of 2008, they have not reached the level of 2007.

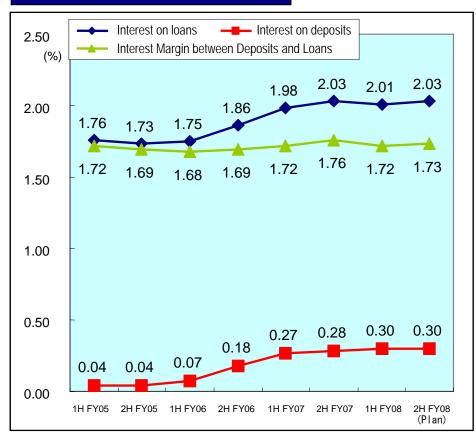




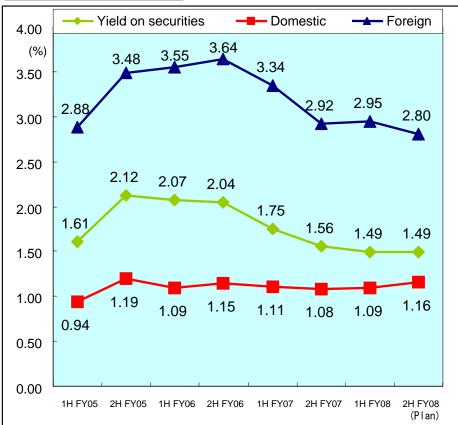
[Source: Land, Infrastructure and Transportation Ministry]



Interest on Deposit and loan



Yield on securities



Ratio of Loans by Industry



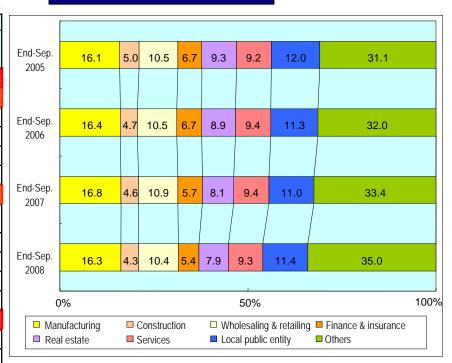
- As of September 30, 2008, industries with the largest number of outstanding loans, in order of volume of loans, were the
 manufacturing industry, local public entity, wholesaling and retailing industry, and services industry.
 - There has been a downward trend in the share of outstanding loans held by the construction industry, real estate industry, and local public entity.

Loans Outstanding by Industry

(¥billion)

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	End of Sep. 2005	End of Sep. 2006	End of Sep. 2007	End of Sep. 2008	Y/Y change	Compared with at end-Sep. 2005
Domestic lending total volume	2,480.8	2,584.6	2,619.2	2,692.7	+73.5	+211.9
Manufacturing	400.5	424.0	440.2	440.1	-0.0	+39.6
Agriculture	10.9	9.0	7.6	4.4	-3.2	-6.4
Forestry	11.7	9.3	6.8	4.9	-1.9	-6.8
Fishery	2.5	2.8	2.5	3.5	+1.0	+1.0
Mining	24.3	23.4	17.9	18.1	+0.2	-6.2
Construction	124.7	120.7	119.7	114.9	-4.7	-9.8
Electric, gas, heat supply and water utility	12.3	7.3	7.1	6.7	-0.3	-5.6
Information communication	12.0	14.9	15.4	16.0	+0.6	+4.0
Transportation	66.5	69.0	74.5	76.7	+2.2	+10.1
Wholesaling & retailing	260.1	272.6	285.7	279.0	-6.6	+18.9
Finance & insurance	167.3	174.3	149.4	145.8	-3.5	-21.4
Real estate	231.8	229.6	213.3	213.8	+0.4	-18.0
Services	228.9	243.0	247.0	249.5	+2.4	+20.5
Local public entity	296.9	292.3	289.4	308.1	+18.6	+11.2
Personal and others	629.8	691.6	742.2	810.5	+68.3	+180.7

Ratio of Loans by Industry



Shift in Classification of Debtors



<The End of September 2008>

◆ Total credit (loans): ¥2,725.4 billion (decrease of ¥1.7 billion from Mar. 2008)

◆ Loans to normal debtors:
¥2,428.3 billion (increase of ¥27.2 billion from Mar. 2008)

◆ Loans to debtors requiring caution and Substandard debtors: ¥218.9 billion (decrease of ¥36.0 billion from Mar. 2008)

◆ Loans to potentially bankrupt debtors and lower: ¥78.1 billion (increase of ¥7.1 billion from Mar. 2008)

		Balance	As of the end of September 2008						
	(Subject: Credit related claimable assets such as loans)	(As of the end of March 2008)	Normal assets	Assets requiring caution	Substandard assets	Potentially bankrupt assets	Bankrupt and effectively bankrupt assets	For collection or write-offs	
		а	b	С	d	е	F	g	
1	Normal debtors	2,401.0	2,288.5	25.1	7.8	2.2	1.8	75.4	
2	Debtors requiring caution	206.2	47.6	142.4	3.1	7.5	0.4	5.0	
3	Substandard debtors	48.7	0.3	1.2	37.1	4.3	0.7	4.7	
4	Potentially bankrupt debtors	64.4	0.0	0.9	0.5	56.4	1.4	5.0	
5	Bankrupt and effectively bankrupt debtors	6.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	2.8	3.5	
6	New debtors	0.0	91.6	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
7	Total	2,727.1	2,428.3	170.2	48.6	70.7	7.4	93.8	

Loans to normal debtors: Increase of ¥27.2 billion from March 2008

Loans to debtors requiring caution and Substandard debtors

Decrease of ¥36.0 billion from March 2008 Loans to potentially bankrupt debtors or below Increase of ¥7.1 billion from March 2008

Loans to potentially bankrupt debtors or below For collection or right-offs ¥8.5 billion



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