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Table III. Expenditure by function

Billion JPY

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
III.1 GENERAL GOVERNMENT								
1 Total expenditure	207 441	210 066	210 389	212 071	213 163	217 256	254 190	244 273
2 General public services	21 849	22 009	21 495	20 835	20 848	20 843	20 719	20 688
3 Defence	4 828	4 832	4 522	5 022	5 057	5 141	4 942	5 540
4 Public order and safety	6 691	6 730	6 681	6 613	6 777	6 960	6 964	6 778
5 Economic affairs	20 036	19 811	19 579	19 699	20 065	20 733	47 321	30 934
6 Environment protection	6 028	6 115	6 310	6 292	6 201	6 267	6 818	6 340
7 Housing and community amenities	3 829	3 572	3 647	3 522	3 530	3 497	3 727	3 482
8 Health	39 603	40 911	40 811	41 654	42 029	43 050	46 170	50 522
9 Recreation, culture and religion	1 942	1 983	2 033	2 072	2 137	2 354	2 216	2 472
10 Education	18 624	18 507	18 157	18 180	18 236	18 634	19 401	19 004
11 Social protection	84 011	85 596	87 153	88 183	88 284	89 779	95 912	98 514
<i>of which:</i>								
12 Compensation of employees	29 291	29 417	29 452	29 473	29 574	29 602	29 583	29 716
13 General public services	4 631	4 650	4 541	4 492	4 505	4 522	4 499	4 444
14 Defence	1 947	1 957	1 995	1 999	2 025	2 017	1 978	2 052
15 Public order and safety	4 703	4 775	4 848	4 865	4 919	4 974	4 851	4 859
16 Economic affairs	2 203	2 249	2 246	2 243	2 253	2 227	2 199	2 203
17 Environment protection	761	752	747	740	734	729	727	725
18 Housing and community amenities	321	324	325	327	331	331	329	330
19 Health	847	855	848	875	876	904	919	1 004
20 Recreation, culture and religion	460	459	463	467	471	476	516	519
21 Education	11 098	11 118	11 142	11 122	11 120	11 075	10 979	10 957
22 Social protection	2 319	2 278	2 298	2 344	2 340	2 348	2 588	2 625
23 Gross capital formation	20 559	19 765	19 614	20 533	20 889	22 043	23 281	22 524
24 General public services	1 181	1 221	1 194	1 330	1 401	1 519	1 508	1 557
25 Defence	1 150	1 236	971	1 523	1 437	1 334	1 200	1 381
26 Public order and safety	930	890	772	694	745	815	859	670
27 Economic affairs	9 811	9 211	9 516	9 681	9 972	10 510	11 364	11 216
28 Environment protection	2 204	2 190	2 250	2 278	2 430	2 501	2 983	2 552
29 Housing and community amenities	1 383	1 327	1 380	1 477	1 506	1 482	1 501	1 475
30 Health	194	145	172	173	153	162	200	268
31 Recreation, culture and religion	537	550	583	595	612	676	590	571
32 Education	2 806	2 613	2 324	2 346	2 181	2 606	2 671	2 493
33 Social protection	362	383	453	437	452	438	405	341
III.2 CENTRAL GOVERNMENT								
1 Total expenditure	94 497	94 259	93 292	92 662	92 649	94 950	130 915	122 791
2 General public services	33 498	33 342	32 501	31 668	31 714	31 777	31 825	34 694
3 Defence	4 934	4 941	4 619	5 124	5 148	5 284	5 096	5 695
4 Public order and safety	1 422	1 429	1 455	1 455	1 531	1 617	1 595	1 509
5 Economic affairs	11 156	11 012	10 540	10 501	10 533	11 152	38 264	21 621
6 Environment protection	936	996	1 310	886	687	726	1 138	727
7 Housing and community amenities	3 070	2 961	2 852	2 848	2 738	2 968	3 183	2 876
8 Health	10 428	10 465	10 476	10 541	10 710	10 812	15 164	17 045
9 Recreation, culture and religion	192	195	190	214	211	221	323	299
10 Education	6 031	5 823	5 543	5 601	5 634	5 706	6 411	6 174
11 Social protection	22 830	23 095	23 806	23 824	23 743	24 689	27 917	32 152
<i>of which:</i>								
12 Compensation of employees	6 149	6 233	6 287	6 298	6 362	6 378	6 312	6 437
13 General public services	1 085	1 084	1 098	1 086	1 095	1 113	1 106	1 138
14 Defence	1 947	1 957	1 995	1 999	2 025	2 017	1 978	2 052
15 Public order and safety	871	880	899	904	920	929	929	936
16 Economic affairs	798	849	850	839	847	841	827	829
17 Environment protection	24	24	30	30	26	26	27	27
18 Housing and community amenities	54	55	56	57	57	57	57	58
19 Health	121	127	126	126	130	133	133	137
20 Recreation, culture and religion	22	22	22	23	25	25	25	25
21 Education	1 143	1 151	1 124	1 145	1 151	1 155	1 149	1 151
22 Social protection	84	86	87	88	88	83	81	84
23 Gross capital formation	6 870	6 456	6 182	6 904	6 891	6 967	7 676	7 445
24 General public services	504	483	422	612	624	578	655	650
25 Defence	1 150	1 236	971	1 523	1 437	1 334	1 200	1 381
26 Public order and safety	97	100	103	103	144	171	156	114
27 Economic affairs	3 694	3 330	3 347	3 360	3 321	3 510	3 882	3 905
28 Environment protection	38	40	71	97	163	167	518	165
29 Housing and community amenities	21	19	15	16	16	19	19	19
30 Health	69	72	61	66	52	56	73	75
31 Recreation, culture and religion	55	51	51	39	56	58	46	46
32 Education	1 220	1 100	1 069	1 019	1 046	1 050	1 101	1 063
33 Social protection	23	24	72	68	33	26	27	29

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Table III. Expenditure by function (cont.)

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	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
III.4 LOCAL GOVERNMENT								
1 Total expenditure	82 241	82 890	83 526	83 475	83 499	85 403	106 348	101 937
2 General public services	9 020	9 103	8 840	8 584	8 639	8 723	8 640	8 652
3 Defence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4 Public order and safety	5 359	5 389	5 317	5 249	5 335	5 427	5 453	5 348
5 Economic affairs	11 574	11 454	11 683	11 849	12 296	12 609	28 085	19 733
6 Environment protection	5 630	5 558	5 651	5 726	5 771	5 814	5 947	5 854
7 Housing and community amenities	3 442	3 389	3 449	3 322	3 357	3 215	3 203	3 126
8 Health	9 432	9 843	9 796	9 794	9 849	9 976	13 062	14 352
9 Recreation, culture and religion	1 798	1 833	1 890	1 935	1 978	2 177	2 020	2 221
10 Education	14 987	15 020	14 860	14 886	14 844	15 224	15 637	15 229
11 Social protection	20 999	21 300	22 040	22 130	21 429	22 238	24 301	27 423
<i>of which:</i>								
12 Compensation of employees	22 417	22 523	22 516	22 477	22 539	22 536	22 594	22 613
13 General public services	3 547	3 566	3 443	3 406	3 410	3 410	3 393	3 305
14 Defence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15 Public order and safety	3 832	3 895	3 949	3 961	3 999	4 045	3 922	3 923
16 Economic affairs	1 405	1 401	1 396	1 404	1 407	1 386	1 372	1 374
17 Environment protection	737	728	717	710	708	703	699	698
18 Housing and community amenities	267	269	269	271	274	274	272	272
19 Health	446	452	453	462	464	469	501	593
20 Recreation, culture and religion	438	438	440	444	447	451	491	493
21 Education	9 955	9 967	10 018	9 977	9 969	9 920	9 830	9 806
22 Social protection	1 790	1 808	1 830	1 845	1 861	1 878	2 115	2 149
23 Gross capital formation	13 628	13 259	13 374	13 570	13 939	15 012	15 521	14 977
24 General public services	677	738	771	718	777	941	853	907
25 Defence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26 Public order and safety	833	789	668	590	602	645	703	556
27 Economic affairs	6 118	5 881	6 169	6 321	6 651	7 000	7 482	7 311
28 Environment protection	2 166	2 150	2 180	2 181	2 268	2 334	2 465	2 388
29 Housing and community amenities	1 363	1 308	1 365	1 461	1 490	1 464	1 483	1 456
30 Health	89	72	80	99	90	93	104	123
31 Recreation, culture and religion	482	499	532	556	557	618	545	525
32 Education	1 586	1 512	1 255	1 327	1 136	1 556	1 570	1 430
33 Social protection	315	310	354	318	370	361	318	281
III.5 SOCIAL SECURITY FUNDS								
1 Total expenditure	100 511	103 171	103 924	105 876	107 913	109 950	115 657	117 256
2 General public services	17	15	19	28	22	22	19	19
3 Defence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4 Public order and safety	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 Economic affairs	20	7	15	15	14	20	23	19
6 Environment protection	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7 Housing and community amenities	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8 Health	33 865	35 152	35 147	35 894	36 183	37 142	38 760	40 855
9 Recreation, culture and religion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10 Education	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
11 Social protection	66 609	67 997	68 743	69 939	71 694	72 765	76 855	76 364
<i>of which:</i>								
12 Compensation of employees	725	661	650	698	673	688	677	667
13 General public services	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
14 Defence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15 Public order and safety	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16 Economic affairs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17 Environment protection	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18 Housing and community amenities	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
19 Health	280	277	269	287	282	301	285	274
20 Recreation, culture and religion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
21 Education	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
22 Social protection	446	384	381	411	391	387	392	392
23 Gross capital formation	61	50	58	59	59	64	84	102
24 General public services	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25 Defence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26 Public order and safety	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
27 Economic affairs	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
28 Environment protection	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
29 Housing and community amenities	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30 Health	36	1	31	8	10	12	23	70
31 Recreation, culture and religion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
32 Education	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
33 Social protection	24	48	27	50	49	51	61	32

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