Status of Capital and Shareholders

Members and Share Ownership (As of March 31, 2006)

(1) Common Stocks (Excluding lower dividend rate stocks)

The face value of one common stock is ¥100.

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Type of Organization	Number of Members	Stocks Owned		
Agricultural Cooperatives	1,079	746,386,790		
Federations of Agricultural Cooperatives	127	3,051,161,220		
Forestry Cooperatives	833	19,628,130		
Forestry Production Cooperatives	11	14,650		
Federations of Forestry Cooperatives	47	22,899,390		
Fishery Cooperatives	1,358	42,296,891		
Fishery Production Cooperatives	35	254,740		
Federations of Fishery Cooperatives	101	343,812,699		
Marine Products Processing Cooperatives	49	718,400		
Federations of Marine Products Processing Cooperatives	6	672,650		
Mutual Insurance Federation of Fishery Cooperative Associations	1	7,064,800		
Agricultural Mutual Relief Insurance Associations	35	375,700		
Federations of Agricultural Mutual Relief Insurance Associations	42	983,100		
Fishing Boat Insurance Associations	20	2,454,350		
Agricultural Credit Guarantee Fund Associations	10	139,650		
Fishery Credit Guarantee Fund Associations	36	14,856,850		
Fishery Mutual Relief Insurance Associations	26	132,000		
Federation of Fishery Mutual Relief Insurance Associations	1	292,800		
Land Improvement Districts	849	2,885,740		
Federations of Land Improvement Districts	4	2,850		
Medium and Small-sized Enterprise Cooperative Associations Related to				
Sericulture, Forestry or Salt Production	19	144,900		
Total	4,689	4,257,178,300		

(2) Lower Dividend Rate Stocks

The face value of one stock is ¥100.

Type of Organization	Number of Members	Stocks Owned
Agricultural Cooperatives	130	1,590,960,000
Federations of Agricultural Cooperatives	36	8,204,590,000
Fishery Cooperatives	1	3,670,000
Federations of Fishery Cooperatives	33	343,780,000
Total	200	10,143,000,000

(3) Preferred Stocks

The face value of one stock is ¥100.

Type of Organization	Number of Members	Stocks Owned
Financial Institutions	9	26,787,410
Securities Companies	3	4,462,160
Other Corporations	20	24,541,880
Total	32	55,791,450

Voting Rights of Members

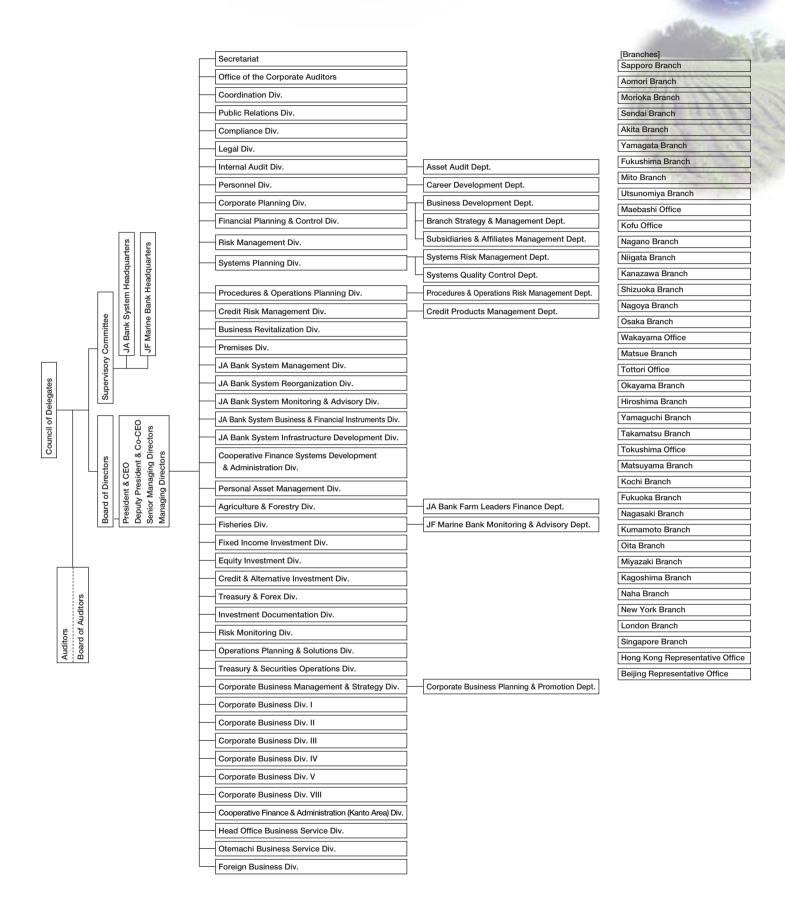
The Norinchukin Bank is the central financial institution for Japan's agricultural, forestry and fishery cooperative system. The supreme management decision-making organization for the Bank is the Council of Delegates, which consists of representative members and substitutes for the general meetings of all shareholders. Unlike stock companies, where one share represents one vote, the voting rights of the members of the Council of Delegates are equal regardless of the number of investment units they own. For this reason, a list of major shareholders has not been included in this report.

Trends in the Bank's Capital

Millions of yen

Date	Increase in Capital	tal Capital after Increase Method of I	
November 30, 1983	15,000	45,000	Allotment
November 30, 1990	30,000	75,000	Allotment
November 30, 1992	25,000	100,000	Allotment
February 16, 1995	24,999	124,999	Private placement
September 25, 1997	150,000	274,999	Allotment
March 25, 1998	850,000	1,124,999	Allotment
November 29, 2002	100,000	1,224,999	Allotment
December 1, 2005	225,717	1,450,717	Allotment
March 30, 2006	14,300	1,465,017	Allotment

Organizational Diagram (As of August 1, 2006)



Milestones in the Bank's 82-Year History

1923	 The Bank established with government funds under special legislation as the 	1996	Laws concerning the integration of the Bank and Shinnoren enacted
	central bank for industrial cooperatives	1998	• Issuance of ¥1 trillion in lower dividend
1938	Gyokyo joins the Bank		rate stock to Shinnoren and Shingyoren
1943	Forestry cooperatives (Shinrinkumiai)		and ¥0.5 trillion in subordinated loan
	join the Bank		transaction completed
	The Bank's name officially changed to		Substantial reorganization of the market
	the Norinchukin Bank		risk investment sections, updating these
1950	• The first Norinchukin Bank debentures		to match global asset management styles
	issued		 Representative offices open
1959	• Redemption of the government's equity		in Hong Kong and Beijing
	stake completed, thereby becoming a	2000	 Norinchukin-Zenkyoren Asset
	private bank		Management Co., Ltd., begin
1974	• Foreign exchange operations begin	2001	The Norinchukin Bank Law is revised
1977	 Investment and trading in foreign 		 The law concerning the reorganization
	currency denominated bonds begin		and strengthening of credit business by
1982	• A representative office opens in New		the Bank and specified cooperatives is
	York (the Bank's first overseas foothold)		revised
1984	• The New York Representative Office	2002	 The JA Banking System begins
	upgraded to branch status		 A capital increase of ¥100 billion in com-
1985	A representative office opens in London		mon stock is conducted, and ¥183 billion
1986	Fiduciary services for corporate bonds		in funds is procured through the issuance
	begin		of perpetual subordinated loans
	Norinchukin International plc opens in		The consolidation of Shinnoren with the
	London		Bank begins
1989	The Bank's U.S. dollar denominated	2003	JF Marine Bank implements fundamen-
	notes issued in the Euromarket		tal policies (January)
1990	A representative office opens in		Another ¥183 billion is procured through
	Singapore		the issuance of perpetual subordinated
1991	The London Representative Office		loans
1000	upgraded to branch status	2004	Norinchukin Securities Co., Ltd.,
1993	The Singapore Representative Office		liquidated
	upgraded to branch status	2005	Integration of Shinnoren (total of nine)
	Norinchukin Securities Co., Ltd.,		Increase in capital of ¥225 billion in
	established		common stock and perpetual subordi-
	Norinchukin Investment Trust	0000	nated loans of ¥212 billion
1005	Management Co., Ltd., established	2006	Issuance of lower dividend rate stock Issuance of lower dividend rate stock Issuance of lower dividend rate stock
1995	Preferred stocks issued, opening the		to JA in connection with the final inte-
	way for capital increases through the		gration of Miyagi Shinnoren, amounting
	participation of ordinary investors		to ¥14 billion
	The Norinchukin Trust & Banking Co., Itd. octablished.		
	Ltd., established		

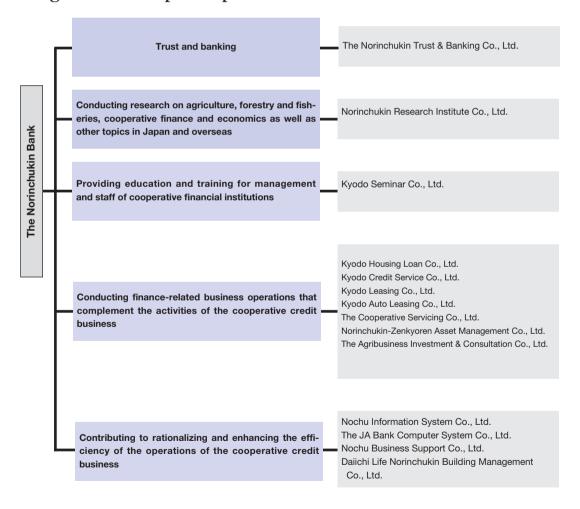
Employees of the Bank

		Fiscal 2004	Fiscal 2005
	Administrative	2,651	2,703
Number of employees	General affairs	79	75
	Total	2,730	2,778
Average age in years/mon	iths	38 years, 9 months	39 years, 5 months
verage number of years/months worked		16 years, 1 month	15 years, 8 months
Average monthly salary		¥529,810	¥510,818

Notes:

- 1. The number of personnel excludes a total of 525 staff (versus 575 in the previous fiscal year) who were employed on a contractual or temporary basis and employees hired overseas.
- 2. Average monthly salary includes overtime payments in March, but excludes bonus payments.

Diagram of Group Companies



List of Group Companies

As of March 31, 2006

Company Name	Address	Nature of Business	Date of Establishment	Capital (Millions of yen) Bank Ownership/ Group Ownership (%)
The Norinchukin Trust &	1-12, Uchikanda 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku,	Trust & Banking	August 17, 1995	20,000
Banking Co., Ltd.	Tokyo 101-0047, Japan			100.0/0.0
Kyodo Seminar Co., Ltd.	1-12, Uchikanda 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku,	Training	May 25, 1981	20
	Tokyo 101-0047, Japan			100.0/0.0
Nochu Information System	5-3, Musashino 3-chome, Akishima-City,	System Development	May 29, 1981	50
Co., Ltd.	Tokyo 196-0021, Japan	& Maintenance		100.0/0.0
Norinchukin Research	8-3, Otemachi 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku,	Research	March 25, 1986	300
Institute Co., Ltd.	Tokyo 100-0004, Japan			100.0/0.0
Nochu Business Support	8-3, Otemachi 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku,	Operations for Property	August 18, 1998	100
Co., Ltd.	Tokyo 100-0004, Japan	Accumulation Savings		100.0/0.0
		Various Operations Talent		
		Provider on behalf of		
		The Norinchukin Bank		
Kyodo Housing Loan	15-3, Chuocho 1-chome, Meguro-ku,	Mortgage Loans	August 10, 1979	10,500
Co., Ltd.	Tokyo 152-0001, Japan			90.44/0.0
The JA Bank Computer	East Net Building, 1-1, Toyo 7-chome,	System Development &	March 25, 2002	100
System Co., Ltd.	Kohto-ku, Tokyo 135-0016, Japan	Maintenance for JA Bank		60.0/0.0
		Group		
Kyodo Credit Service	1-12, Uchikanda 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku,	Credit Card Service	February 1, 1983	200
Co., Ltd.	Tokyo 101-0047, Japan			51.8/0.0
Norinchukin-Zenkyoren	2-1, Kyobashi 1-chome, Chuo-ku,	Asset Management &	September 28, 1993	1,920
Asset Management Co., Ltd.	. Tokyo 104-0031, Japan	Investment Advice		50.91/0.0
Kyodo Leasing Co., Ltd.	9-17, Kanda Surugadai 2-chome,	Leasing	March 24, 1972	6,500
	Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 101-0062, Japan			39.0/0.0
Kyodo Auto Leasing	9-17, Kanda Surugadai 2-chome,	Auto Leasing	September 13, 2005	300
Co., Ltd.	Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 101-0062, Japan			0.0/100.0
The Cooperative	8-3, Otemachi 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku,	Management of Non-	April 11, 2001	500
Servicing Co., Ltd.	Tokyo 100-0004, Japan	Performing Loans		37.96/0.0
The Agribusiness	1-12, Uchikanda 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku,	Investment Consultation to	October 24, 2002	3,400
Investment & Consultation	Tokyo 101-0047, Japan	the Agricultural Companie	S	21.56/0.0
Co., Ltd.				
Daiichi Life Norinchukin	13-1, Yurakucho 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku,	Building Maintenance	April 1, 1993	10
Building Management	Tokyo 100-8420, Japan			27.0/0.0
Co., Ltd.				

Notes: 1. The Group share ownership percentage is the percentage of shares owned by members of the Norinchukin Bank Group, excluding ownership by the concerned company itself.

^{2.} Kyodo Auto Leasing Co., Ltd., was established in September 2005 as a wholly owned subsidiary of Kyodo Leasing Co., Ltd.

^{3.} Liquidation procedures for Norinchukin International plc began in September 2004.

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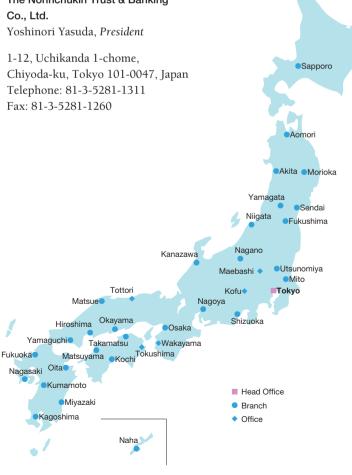
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