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I.	Hedge funds				
1	Registration,	We also firmly recommitted to work in	Implementation of this recommendation		
(1)	appropriate disclosures and oversight of hedge funds	an internationally consistent and non-discriminatory manner to strengthen regulation and supervision on hedge funds. (Seoul) Hedge funds or their managers will be registered and will be required to disclose appropriate information on an ongoing basis to supervisors or regulators, including on their leverage, necessary for assessment of the systemic risks they pose individually or collectively. Where appropriate registration should be subject to a minimum size. They will be subject to oversight to ensure that they have adequate risk management. (London)	was reported to be completed by all FSB jurisdictions in the 2016 IMN survey. Given this, the reporting of progress with respect to this recommendation will take place every 2-3 years henceforth (i.e. in 2019 or 2020).		

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2 (2)	Establishment of international information sharing framework	We ask the FSB to develop mechanisms for cooperation and information sharing between relevant authorities in order to ensure effective oversight is maintained when a fund is located in a different jurisdiction from the manager. We will, cooperating through the FSB, develop measures that implement these principles by the end of 2009. (London)	Jurisdictions should indicate the progress made in implementing recommendation 6 in IOSCO's Report on Hedge Fund Oversight (Jun 2009) on sharing information to facilitate the oversight of globally active fund managers. In addition, jurisdictions should state whether they are: - Signatory to the IOSCO MMoU in relation to cooperation in enforcement - Signatory to bilateral agreements for supervisory cooperation that cover hedge funds and are aligned to the 2010 IOSCO Principles Regarding Cross-border Supervisory Cooperation. Jurisdictions can also refer to Principle 28 of the 2010 IOSCO Objectives and Principles of Securities Regulation, and take into account the outcomes of any recent FSAP/ROSC assessment against those Principles.	□Not applicable □Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification: □Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □Draft published as of: □Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: ☑Implementation completed as of: N/A Issue is being addressed through: ☑Primary / Secondary legislation ☑Regulation /Guidelines ☑Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify: MOUs,EOLs Short description of the content of the legislation/regulation/guideline: Under cooperation agreements such as MOUs and EOLs etc., the FSA cooperates with foreign authorities for supervision of Japanese invest management business operators which manage fund in foreign jurisdictions and foreign invest management business operators which manage fund in Japan. The FSA is a signatory to the IOSCO MMoU since	If this recommendation has not yet been fully implemented, please provide reasons for delayed implementation: Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: The FSA will continue the efforts. Web-links to relevant documents:



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				February 2008, and to bilateral supervisory cooperation agreements regarding hedge funds or broader area with various authorities, such as Australia ASIC, Austria FMA, Belgium FSMA, Bulgaria FSC, Cyprus CSEC, Czech Republic CNB, Denmark FSA, Estonia EFSA, Finland FSA, France AMF, Germany BaFin, Greece HCMC, Hong Kong SFC, Hungary MNB, Iceland FME, Indinesia OJK, Ireland CBI, Italy CONSOB, Korea FSS/FSC, Latvia FCMC, Liechtenstein FMA, Lithuania CBRL, Luxembourg CSSF, Malta MFSA, Netherlands AFM, New Zealand FMA, Norway FSA, Poland FSA, Portugal CMVM, Qatar FCA, Romania FSA, Singapore MAS, Slovak Republic NBS, Spain CNMV, Sweden FI, Switzerland FINMA, UK FCA, US CFTC, and US SEC. The FIEA requires registration as an Investment Management Business Operators of any entity who manages CIS regardless of their nature. As a result, managers of hedge funds (HFs) must register with the FSA. Registration requirements are the same as for any other Financial Instrument Business Operators. Highlight main developments since last year's survey: Web-links to relevant documents: "Institutional Frameworks Pertaining to Financial and Capital Markets" http://www.fsa.go.jp/en/news/2010/201001 22-3.html	



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3 (3)	Enhancing counterparty risk management	Supervisors should require that institutions which have hedge funds as their counterparties have effective risk management, including mechanisms to monitor the funds' leverage and set limits for single counterparty exposures. (London) Supervisors will strengthen their existing guidance on the management of exposures to leveraged counterparties. (Rec. II.17, FSF 2008)	Jurisdictions should indicate specific policy measures taken for enhancing counterparty risk management and strengthening their existing guidance on the management of exposure to leveraged counterparties. In particular, jurisdictions should indicate whether they have implemented recommendation 3 of the IOSCO Report on Hedge Fund Oversight (Jun 2009). In their responses, jurisdictions should not provide information on the portion of this recommendation that pertains to Basel III, since it is monitored separately by the BCBS. Jurisdictions can also refer to Principle 28 of the 2010 IOSCO Objectives and Principles of Securities Regulation, and take into account the outcomes of any recent FSAP/ROSC assessment against those Principles.	Not applicable Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification:	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: The FSA has already taken various measures on this issue and will continue the efforts. The FSA and BOJ will continue to check the risk management of institutions that have hedge funds as their counterparties through supervision/monitoring and inspection/examinations. The FSA will introduce the new standards on equity exposures in accordance with the BCBS agreement (Capital requirements for banks' equity investments in funds, Dec 2013). Web-links to relevant documents:



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				Rules in March, 2012. This notice became effective from March 31, 2013, and financial institutions are required to stricter counterparty risk management and capital requirement based on Basel3. The FIEA requires registration as an Investment Management Business Operators of any entity who manages CIS regardless of their nature. As a result, managers of hedge funds (HFs) must register with the FSA. Registration requirements are the same as for any other Financial Instrument Business Operators.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
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I	II. Securitisation							
4	Strengthening of	Insurance supervisors should strengthen	Implementation of this recommendation					
(4)	regulatory and capital	the regulatory and capital framework for	was reported to be completed by all FSB					
(4)	framework for	monoline insurers in relation to	jurisdictions in the 2016 IMN survey.					
	monolines	structured credit. (Rec II.8, FSF 2008)	Given this, the reporting of progress					
			with respect to this recommendation will					
			take place every 2-3 years henceforth					
			(i.e. in 2019 or 2020).					



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No 5 (5)	Description Strengthening of supervisory requirements or best practices for investment in structured products	G20/FSB Recommendations Regulators of institutional investors should strengthen the requirements or best practices for firms' processes for investment in structured products. (Rec II.18, FSF 2008)	Jurisdictions should indicate the due diligence policies, procedures and practices applicable for investment managers when investing in structured finance instruments and other policy measures taken for strengthening best practices for investment in structured finance products. Jurisdictions may reference IOSCO's report on Good Practices in Relation to Investment Managers' Due Diligence When Investing in Structured Finance Instruments (Jul 2009).	□ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification: □ Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:	If this recommendation has not yet been fully implemented, please provide reasons for delayed implementation: Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: The FSA has already taken various measures to enhance risk management. We will contribute to the development of the discussions through the work stream on Ratings and Securitization in the BCBS and take appropriate measures based on the discussions. Web-links to relevant documents:
			Jurisdictions may also refer to the Joint Forum report on <u>Credit Risk Transfer-Developments from 2005-2007 (Jul 2008).</u>	□ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: □ Implementation completed as of: June 2009 Issue is being addressed through: □ Primary / Secondary legislation □ Regulation / Guidelines □ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify: Supervisory Guidelines for Banks and Insurance companies Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline: The FSA has inspected invest managers whether they reconfirms their risk management according with the products' complexity and variety. The FSA/BOJ/SESC (Securities and Exchange Surveillance Commission) are gathering	



		relevant information regarding the risk management of financial institutions through their on-site inspection/examination and off-site monitoring. The FSA revised Supervisory Guidelines for Banks and Insurance companies to add viewpoints on the risk management for investment in securitized	
		products. Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
		Web-links to relevant documents:	



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6 Enhanced disc securitised pro	osure of Securities market regulators should wo with market participants to expand	Securities market regulators should work with market participants to expand information on securitised products and their underlying assets. (Rec. III.10-III.13, FSF 2008) With industry continue to stemplates are improve the investors recommendates and information on securitised products and their underlying assets. (Rec. III.10-III.10	ould indicate the policy ther initiatives taken in incing disclosure of ducts, including working and other authorities to indardise disclosure considering measures to be of information that are. Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expect publication by: □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approached will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reforce since: □ Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation publication by: □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approached will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reforce since: □ Implementation completed	If this recommendation has not yet been fully implemented, please provide reasons for delayed implementation: Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: The FSA has already taken various measures regarding this issue and will continue the efforts. Web-links to relevant documents: web-links to relevant documents: ugh: lation ervisory ent of the ine: ensive Financial so, etc. in of the products.



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				enforced the "Regulations Concerning Distributions, etc. of Securitized Products," which is self-regulation communication of information related to the contents and risks of underlying assets (March 2009).	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	

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III.	Enhancing supervision				
7 (7)	Consistent, consolidated supervision and regulation of SIFIs	All firms whose failure could pose a risk to financial stability must be subject to consistent, consolidated supervision and regulation with high standards. (Pittsburgh)	Jurisdictions should indicate: (1) whether they have identified domestic SIFIs and, if so, in which sectors (banks, insurers, other etc.); (2) whether the names of the identified SIFIs have been publicly disclosed; and (3) the types of policy measures taken for implementing consistent, consolidated supervision and regulation of the identified SIFIs.	□Not applicable □Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification: □Implementation ongoing:	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: The FSA and BOJ will continue to actively take part in the discussion on addressing systemically important financial institutions at the FSB, the BCBS and etc. Web-links to relevant documents:
			Jurisdictions should not provide details on policy measures that pertain to higher loss absorbency requirements for G/D-SIBs, since these are monitored separately by the BCBS. See, for reference, the following documents: BCBS: • Framework for G-SIBs (Jul 2013) • Framework for D-SIBs (Oct 2012) IAIS: • Global Systemically Important Insurers: Policy Measures (Jul 2013) and revised assessment methodology (updated in June 2016) • IAIS SRMP guidance - FINAL (Dec 2013)	Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: Draft in preparation, expected publication by: Draft published as of: Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: Minplementation completed as of: With regards to Consolidated Solvency Margin Ratio, implementation has been completed as of March 2012. The regulations on capital buffers were published in November 2015 and implemented in March 2016. The methodology for identifying D-SIBs and rules covering higher loss absorbency requirements for D-SIBs was published in November 2015 and implemented in March 2016. Issue is being addressed through: Primary / Secondary legislation Regulation /Guidelines	

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			Guidance on Liquidity management and planning (Oct 2014)	Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:	
			FSB:	Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:	
			• Framework for addressing SIFIs (Nov 2011)	On January 21, 2010, the FSA published the "Development of Institutional Frameworks Pertaining to Financial and Capital Markets" which includes, 1) Introducing regulation and supervision on a consolidated basis for securities companies, such as those providing large-scale and complex services as an entire group, whose overall operations and risks might be hard to identify under the current non-consolidated-based regulation and supervision, 2) Introducing prudential standards on a consolidated basis for insurance companies. As for 1), the FSA submitted the relevant draft bill to the Diet on March 9, 2010, which was established on May 12 and promulgated on May 19, 2010. The Cabinet Order and Cabinet Office Ordinance were enforced on April 1, 2011. As for 2), the consolidated Solvency Margin Ratio was enforced in March 2012. From the macro-prudential point of view, the FSA has required the major banking groups to conduct bottom-up macrofinancial stress testing with supervisory common scenarios in order to assess the impact on the soundness and stress testing models of those banks. As for G-SIBs, the rules requiring public disclosure of 12 indicators for assessing G-SIBs have been finalised and implemented as of 2014. Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	



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				Web-links to relevant documents: "Development of Institutional Frameworks Pertaining to Financial and Capital Markets" http://www.fsa.go.jp/en/news/2010/2010 0122-3.html	

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8 (8)	Establishing supervisory colleges and conducting risk assessments	To establish the remaining supervisory colleges for significant cross-border firms by June 2009. (London) We agreed to conduct rigorous risk assessment on these firms [G-SIFIs] through international supervisory colleges. (Seoul)	Remarks Reporting in this area should be undertaken solely by home jurisdictions of global systemically important insurers (G-SIIs). The BCBS is separately monitoring implementation progress in this area with respect to banks. Please indicate the progress made in establishing and strengthening the functioning of supervisory colleges for G-SIIs, including the development of any joint supervisory plans within core colleges and leveraging on supervisory activities conducted by host authorities. See, for reference, the following IAIS documents: ICPs 24 and 25, especially guidance 25.1.1 – 25.1.6, 25.6, 25.7 and 25.8 Application paper on supervisory colleges (Oct 2014)	Not applicable Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification: Japan has no G-SIIs at the moment. Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: Draft in preparation, expected publication by: Draft published as of: Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: Implementation completed as of: Issue is being addressed through: Primary / Secondary legislation Regulation / Guidelines Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify: Short description of the content of the legislation/regulation/guideline: Highlight main developments since last year's survey: Web-links to relevant documents:	If this recommendation has not yet been fully implemented, please provide reasons for delayed implementation: Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: Web-links to relevant documents:



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9	Supervisory exchange of information and coordination	To quicken supervisory responsiveness to developments that have a common effect across a number of institutions, supervisory exchange of information and coordination in the development of best practice benchmarks should be improved at both national and international levels. (Rec V.7, FSF 2008) Enhance the effectiveness of core supervisory colleges. (FSB 2012)	Remarks Jurisdictions should include any feedback received from recent FSAPs/ROSC assessments on the September 2012 BCP 3 (Cooperation and collaboration) and BCP 14 (Homehost relationships). Jurisdictions should also indicate any steps taken since the last assessment in this area, particularly in response to relevant FSAP/ROSC recommendations. Jurisdictions should describe any recent or planned regulatory, supervisory or legislative changes that contribute to the sharing of supervisory information (e.g. within supervisory colleges or via bilateral or multilateral MoUs).	□ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification: □ Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: ⋈ Implementation completed as of: N/A Issue is being addressed through: □ Primary / Secondary legislation □ Regulation / Guidelines ⋈ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify: Supervisory Colleges and other platforms such as bilateral discussions. Short description of the content of the legislation/regulation/guideline: Japan exchanges information, in coordination with other countries, through supervisory colleges. As a FSB	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: The FSA and BOJ have been taking various measures on this issue and will continue the efforts to strengthen the coordination among authorities at both national and international levels. Web-links to relevant documents:



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				sufficient strong adherence to cooperation and information exchange standards. (See FSB report: "Global adherence to regulatory and supervisory standards on international cooperation and information exchange") These activities are complemented by other platforms such as bilateral discussions. Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				Web-links to relevant documents: "Global adherence to regulatory and supervisory standards on international cooperation and information exchange" http://www.financialstabilityboard.org/p ublications/r_111102.pdf	

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10	Strengthening	We agreed that supervisors should have	Jurisdictions should indicate any steps	8	
(10)	resources and effective supervision	strong and unambiguous mandates, sufficient independence to act, appropriate resources, and a full suite of tools and powers to proactively identify and address risks, including regular	taken on recommendations 1, 2, 3, 4 and 7 (i.e. supervisory strategy, engagement with banks, improvements in banks' IT and MIS, data requests, and talent management strategy respectively) in the	□ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: Web-links to relevant documents:
		stress testing and early intervention. (Seoul)	FSB thematic peer review report on supervisory frameworks and approaches to SIBs (May 2015).	justification: ⊠Implementation ongoing:	
				Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:	
		Supervisors should see that they have the requisite resources and expertise to	Jurisdictions should also indicate any steps taken or envisaged in terms of	☐ Draft in preparation, expected publication by:	
		oversee the risks associated with financial innovation and to ensure that	resources/expertise, supervisory measures and/or regulation to strengthen	☐ Draft published as of:	
		firms they supervise have the capacity to understand and manage the risks. (FSF	the oversight of risks associated with financial innovation (FinTech).	☐ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:	
		2008)	manetal mnovation (Fireen).	☐ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since:	
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		Supervisory authorities should continually re-assess their resource		☐ Primary / Secondary legislation	
		needs; for example, interacting with and		☐Regulation /Guidelines	
		assessing Boards require particular skills, experience and adequate level of seniority. (Rec. 3, FSB 2012)		Solution Solution Solution Solution Solution Solution Solution Solution Strategic Directions and Priorities, which indicate what goals the FSA aims to attain during the period from July 2016 to June 2017. The FSA will review the progress made during the period and publish a summary report in the second half of 2017. 2017-2018 Strategic Directions and Priorities will reflect the outcome of the review. The	



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				and D-SIBs to improve the IT infrastructure and data governance.	



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				The FSA also monitors their	
				initiatives including the operations	
				of the IT infrastructure and data	
				governance. Moreover, in the supervisory guidelines, the FSA	
				requires that the recovery plans of	
				G-SIBs and other systemically	
				important financial institutions	
				should include the information	
				related to the MIS such as the list of	
				necessary data to develop the	
				recovery plans themselves. The	
				FSA is considering whether its	
				policies achieve the expected role	
				appropriately. Against this	
				backdrop, the FSA is reviewing the	
				basic process of financial	
				administration including	
				authorizing licenses, various interviews with financial	
				institutions and data requests, while	
				taking into consideration their	
				burdens. The FSA is improving its	
				administrative process with a view	
				to ensuring the transparency,	
				promptness, effectiveness and	
				accountability. In particular, the	
				FSA intends to avoid duplication of	
				its monitoring process as much as	
				possible, while enhancing	
				cooperation among related	
				divisions. Also, the FSA annually	
				reviews the content of data requests	
				to financial institutions and modifies them as necessary. The	
				FSA is considering an appropriate performance review mechanism	
				that acknowledges staff members	
				who take initiatives in meeting	
				challenges. Moreover, the FSA will	
				second its staff members as trainees	
				to domestic SMEs and to the	
				headquarters of global financial	



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				institutions so that they can broaden their perspectives and to acquire specialized skills. In addition, the FSA is trying to improve the skills of its staffs by implementing various training programs and recruiting more experts from the private sector including financial institutions. In response to the development in FinTech, the FSA submitted the relevant bill to the Diet, which was passed in May 2016 and will be enforced by June 2017. It facilitates investment in FinTech companies by financial institutions and introduces registration requirement for virtual currency (VC) exchangers trading VCs and fiat currencies. In the budget for the fiscal year of 2017, the FSA placed an increased number of staff needed to establish a framework for effective inspection and supervision of VC exchangers. The FSA established the "FinTech Support Desk" in December 2015 as a one-stop contact point for inquiries and opinions pertaining to new business, especially FinTech. The FSA aims to identify proactively the development in FinTech and promote financial innovation. Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline: Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	



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				macroprudential policy between them. Recent meetings took place in July 2016 and January 2017. Besides these meetings, the FSA and the BOJ share information on a wide range of issues and at various levels, including the following examples. (1) FSA and BOJ regularly exchange information to adjust the schedules and the lists of the financial institutions they intend to visit, in advance of the inspections/examinations. Additionally, when a request has been made from the Commissioner of the Financial Services Agency, the BOJ may submit the documents describing the results of the on-site examinations and other related materials to the Commissioner or have officials of the Financial Services Agency inspect them (Article 44 of the Bank of Japan Act). (2) On a regular basis, FSA and BOJ make contacts through a variety of channels, including frequent/informal visits, calls and e-mails at division chief/director levels.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				February 2017, the FSA proposed draft amendments to Comprehensive Guidelines for Supervision of Major Banks, regarding Basel III Countercyclical Capital Buffer rules. The amendments aim to clarify operational framework of the Countercyclical Capital Buffer, including the FSA and BOJ's coordination. The Council for Cooperation on Financial Stability will discuss the necessity for and the level of setting of the Countercyclical Capital Buffer.	



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12 (12)	Enhancing system- wide monitoring and the use of macro- prudential instruments	Authorities should use quantitative indicators and/or constraints on leverage and margins as macro-prudential tools for supervisory purposes. Authorities should use quantitative indicators of leverage as guides for policy, both at the institution-specific and at the macro-prudential (system-wide) level(Rec. 3.1, FSF 2009) We are developing macro-prudential policy frameworks and tools to limit the build-up of risks in the financial sector, building on the ongoing work of the FSB-BIS-IMF on this subject. (Cannes)	Please describe at a high level (including by making reference to financial stability or other reports, where available) the types of methodologies, indicators and tools used to assess systemic risks. Please indicate the use of tools for macroprudential purposes over the past year, including: the objective for their use; the process to select, calibrate and apply them; and the approaches used to assess their effectiveness. See, for reference, the following documents: • FSB-IMF-BIS progress report to the G20 on Macroprudential policy tools and frameworks (Oct 2011) • CGFS report on Operationalising the selection and application of macroprudential instruments (Dec 2012) • IMF staff papers on Macroprudential policy, an organizing framework (Mar 2011), Key Aspects of Macroprudential policy (Jun 2013), and Staff Guidance on Macroprudential Policy (Dec 2014) • IMF-FSB-BIS paper on Elements of Effective Macroprudential	□Not applicable □Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification: □Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □Draft published as of: □Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: □Implementation completed as of: N/A Issue is being addressed through: □Primary / Secondary legislation □Regulation /Guidelines □Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify: Supervisory College etc. Short description of the content of the legislation/regulation/guideline: The FSA is designated to stabilize the financial system, and it not only supervises each financial institution but also takes various measures such as strengthening its supervisory systems in order to identify risks of the overall	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: The FSA and BOJ will continue to monitor quantitative indicators on leverage. The FSA and BOJ will continue to take part in the discussion on the regulatory framework and details at the BCBS, etc. actively. The FSA and BOJ will continue to monitor the development of indicators such as asset prices and credit aggregates and their impacts on the macro economy and the financial system. The FSA and BOJ will continue to identify risks in the overall financial system promptly and properly, while considering the lessons learnt from the current global financial crisis and development in other countries. Web-links to relevant documents:

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			Policies: Lessons from International Experience (Aug 2016) CGFS report on Experiences with the ex ante appraisal of macroprudential instruments (Jul 2016) CGFS report on Objective-setting and communication of macroprudential policies (Nov 2016)	financial system. From the macroprudential point of view, the FSA has required the major banking groups to conduct bottom-up macrofinancial stress testing with supervisory common scenarios in order to assess the impact on the soundness and stress testing models of those banks. The FSA and the BOJ have been contributing to FSB workstream on securities lending/repo transactions. The BOJ reviews the development of indicators such as asset prices and credit aggregates in the semi-annual Financial System Report. The BOJ is also developing indicators and publishes those in the Reports. In addition, the BOJ released a report on "The Bank of Japan's Initiatives on the Macroprudential Front" that stipulated various measures taken by the Bank to enhance macroprudential monitoring in October 2011. Highlight main developments since last year's survey: February 2017, the FSA proposed draft amendments to Comprehensive Guidelines for Supervision of Major Banks, regarding Basel III Countercyclical Capital Buffer rules. The amendments aim to clarify operational framework of the Countercyclical Capital Buffer, including the FSA and BOJ's coordination. The Council for Cooperation on Financial Stability will discuss the necessity for and the level of setting of the Countercyclical Capital Buffer. Web-links to relevant documents:	





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V.	Improving oversight of	credit rating agencies (CRAs)			
13 (13)	Enhancing regulation and supervision of CRAs	All CRAs whose ratings are used for regulatory purposes should be subject to a regulatory oversight regime that includes registration. The regulatory oversight regime should be established by end 2009 and should be consistent with the IOSCO Code of Conduct Fundamentals. (London) National authorities will enforce compliance and require changes to a rating agency's practices and procedures for managing conflicts of interest and assuring the transparency and quality of the rating process. CRAs should differentiate ratings for structured products and provide full disclosure of their ratings track record and the information and assumptions that underpin the ratings process. The oversight framework should be consistent across jurisdictions with appropriate sharing of information between national authorities, including through IOSCO. (London) Regulators should work together towards appropriate, globally compatible solutions (to conflicting compliance	Jurisdictions should indicate the policy measures undertaken for enhancing regulation and supervision of CRAs including registration, oversight and sharing of information between national authorities. They should also indicate their consistency with the following IOSCO document: • Code of Conduct Fundamentals for Credit Rating Agencies (Mar 2015) (including on governance, training and risk management) Jurisdictions may also refer to the following IOSCO documents: • Principle 22 of Principles and Objectives of Securities Regulation (Jun 2010) which calls for registration and oversight programs for CRAs • Statement of Principles Regarding the Activities of Credit Rating Agencies (Sep 2003) • Final Report on Supervisory Colleges for Credit Rating Agencies (Jul 2013) Jurisdictions should take into account the outcomes of any recent FSAP/ROSC assessment against those principles.	□Not applicable □Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification: □Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □Draft published as of: □Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: ☑Implementation completed as of: April 2010 Issue is being addressed through: □Primary / Secondary legislation □Regulation /Guidelines □Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify: Short description of the content of the legislation/regulation/guideline: The Act to revise the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act, which introduced a registration system for CRAs, was established and promulgated in June 2009, with the aim of ensuring	If this recommendation has not yet been fully implemented, please provide reasons for delayed implementation: Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: The FSA and the SESC will continue to properly supervise and inspect CRAs in accordance with the Guidelines for Supervision and the Inspection Manual for CRAs. An effective oversight of cross-border CRAs is being facilitated through bilateral and multilateral dialogues, such as the Supervisory Colleges and IOSCO concerning international supervisory cooperation between/amongst regulators. The FSA continuously and effectively contributes to such discussions and activities to pursue better supervision of the CRAs. Web-links to relevant documents:



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		obligations for CRAs) as early as possible in 2010. (FSB 2009) We encourage further steps to enhance transparency and competition among credit rating agencies. (St Petersburg)		independence and prevention of conflicts of interests of CRAs, quality and fairness of the rating process, and transparency for market participants. The Cabinet Order and Cabinet Office Ordinances were published in December 2009. The ordinances included provisions concerning differentiation of ratings for structured products and disclosures of rating history and material information used in the rating process. The new registration system was enforced on April 1, 2010. On March 31, 2010, the FSA and the SESC established the Guidelines for Supervision and the Inspection Manual for CRAs. They became effective on April 1, 2010. They have enabled us to conduct appropriate inspection and supervision. To secure international consistency in regulations, the FSA has been contributing to discussions at the Supervisory Colleges, IOSCO, and bilateral dialogues. Highlight main developments since last year's survey: Web-links to relevant documents:	

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No 14 (14)	Reducing the reliance on ratings	We also endorsed the FSB's principles on reducing reliance on external credit ratings. Standard setters, market participants, supervisors and central banks should not rely mechanistically on external credit ratings. (Seoul) Authorities should check that the roles that they have assigned to ratings in regulations and supervisory rules are consistent with the objectives of having investors make independent judgment of risks and perform their own due diligence, and that they do not induce uncritical reliance on credit ratings as a substitute for that independent evaluation. (Rec IV. 8, FSF 2008) We reaffirm our commitment to reduce authorities' and financial institutions' reliance on external credit ratings, and call on standard setters, market participants, supervisors and central banks to implement the agreed FSB principles and end practices that rely mechanistically on these ratings. (Cannes) We call for accelerated progress by national authorities and standard setting	Jurisdictions should indicate the steps they are taking to address the recommendations of the May 2014 FSB thematic peer review report on the implementation of the FSB Principles for Reducing Reliance on Credit Ratings, including by implementing their agreed action plans. Any revised action plans should be sent to the FSB Secretariat so that it can be posted on the FSB website. Jurisdictions may refer to the following documents: • FSB Principles for Reducing Reliance on CRA Ratings (Oct 2010) • FSB Roadmap for Reducing Reliance on CRA Ratings (Nov 2012) • BCBS Consultative Document Revisions to the Standardised Approach for credit risk (Dec 2015) • IAIS ICP guidance 16.9 and 17.8.25 • IOSCO Good Practices on Reducing Reliance on CRAs in Asset Management (Jun 2015)	□Not applicable □Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification: □Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □Draft published as of: □Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: □Implementation completed as of: November 2011 Issue is being addressed through: □Primary / Secondary legislation □Regulation /Guidelines □Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify: Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline: Japanese authorities have taken measures to reduce reliance on CRA ratings in	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: The FSA and the BOJ will continue monitoring the appropriateness of each financial institution's risk management process and its operation in place, such as the internal credit assessment process. In addition the FSA and the BOJ will actively participate in the international discussions and review domestic actions according to the discussions. Web-links to relevant documents:
		(Cannes) We call for accelerated progress by	• IOSCO <u>Good Practices on Reducing</u> <u>Reliance on CRAs in Asset</u>	Short description of the content of the legislation/regulation/guideline: Japanese authorities have taken measures	



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		competition among credit rating agencies. (Los Cabos) We call on national authorities and standard setting bodies to accelerate progress in reducing reliance on credit rating agencies, in accordance with the FSB roadmap. (St Petersburg)	the Use of External Credit Ratings (Dec 2015).	the systems to reduce excessive reliance on external ratings are developed with regard the investment in securities products, - The FSA amended the Cabinet Office Ordinance as below: 1) Deleted the following requirement for the eligibility to use the bond issuance registration system: acquisition of single-A or higher ratings from two different designated ratings agencies: and 2) Reviewed a statement regarding credit ratings on the format of the Securities Registration Statement. 1) became effective on April 2010 and 2) did on October 2010 The BOJ conducts its own internal assessments to judge the eligibility of assets such as corporate bonds, both for collateral and asset purchasing long before the FSB Principles were issued. The policy Board of the BOJ decides the basic eligibility criteria as stipulated in Article 15 of the Bank of Japan Act so the BOJ can solely alter the way how to utilize CRA ratings. Highlight main developments since last year's survey: Web-links to relevant documents:	

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VI.	Enhancing and aligning	accounting standards			
15 (15)	Consistent application of high-quality accounting standards	Regulators, supervisors, and accounting standard setters, as appropriate, should work with each other and the private sector on an ongoing basis to ensure consistent application and enforcement of high-quality accounting standards. (Washington)	Jurisdictions should indicate the accounting standards that they follow and whether (and on what basis) they are of a high and internationally acceptable quality (e.g. equivalent to IFRSs as published by the IASB), and provide accurate and relevant information on financial position and performance. They should also explain the system they have for enforcement of consistent application of those standards. Jurisdictions may want to refer to their jurisdictional profile prepared by the IFRS Foundation, which can be accessed at: http://www.ifrs.org/Use-around-the-world/Pages/Analysis-of-the-G20-IFRS-profiles.aspx . As part of their response on this recommendation, jurisdictions should indicate the policy measures taken for appropriate application of fair value recognition, measurement and disclosure. In addition, jurisdictions should set out any steps they intend to take (if appropriate) to foster transparent and consistent implementation of the new accounting requirements for the measurement of expected credit losses on financial assets that are being introduced by the IASB and FASB.	□Not applicable □Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification: □Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □Draft published as of: □Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: □Implementation completed as of: March 2010 Issue is being addressed through: □Primary / Secondary legislation □Regulation /Guidelines □Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify: - IFRS (International Financial Reporting Standards) - J-GAAP (Japanese Generally Accepted Accounting Principles) developed by ASBJ (Accounting Standards Board of Japan)	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: To build up more examples of voluntary application of IFRS. The ASBJ will examine whether J-GAAP should be revised in line with the new accounting requirements for the measurement of expected credit losses on financial assets that were introduced by the IASB and FASB. Web-links to relevant documents:

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No	Description	G20/FSB Recommendations	Remarks See, for reference, the following BCBS documents: • Supervisory guidance for assessing banks' financial instrument fair value practices (Apr 2009) • Guidance on credit risk and accounting for expected credit losses (Dec 2015)	Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline: 1. IFRS is adopted by the Commissioner of the FSA through a formal process of endorsement that is prescribed by the Cabinet Office Ordinance on Terminology, Forms and Preparations Method s of Consolidated Financial Statements. 2. Voluntary application of IFRS by certain companies started for business years ending on or after 31 March 2010. On 28 October 2013, the FSA amended the Cabinet Office Ordinance in order to relax requirements	Next steps
				for voluntary application of IFRS. (note) On 15 April 2015, the FSA published "IFRS Adoption Report," which shows how companies that have voluntarily adopted IFRS overcame any challenges they faced during their transition to IFRS, as well as the advantages brought about by their shift to IFRS. 3. J-GAAP is also identified in the same ordinance (the Ordinance on Terminology, Forms and Preparations Method s of Consolidated Financial Statements). Considering that J-GAAP is acknowledged as a set of high quality accounting standards having converged with IFRS substantially, the European Commission assessed J-GAAP as equivalent with IFRS based on the EC Directive No. 1569/2007 on December 12, 2008. 4. The FSA has the system to review financial statements of listed companies prepared under both IFRS and J-GAAP to ensure consistent application of them. Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	



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VII.	Enhancing risk manager	nent			
16 (16)	Enhancing guidance to strengthen banks' risk management practices, including on liquidity and foreign currency funding risks	Regulators should develop enhanced guidance to strengthen banks' risk management practices, in line with international best practices, and should encourage financial firms to re-examine their internal controls and implement strengthened policies for sound risk management. (Washington) National supervisors should closely check banks' implementation of the updated guidance on the management and supervision of liquidity as part of their regular supervision. If banks' implementation of the guidance is inadequate, supervisors will take more prescriptive action to improve practices. (Rec. II.10, FSF 2008) Regulators and supervisors in emerging markets ² will enhance their supervision of banks' operation in foreign currency funding markets. (FSB 2009)	 Jurisdictions should indicate the measures taken in the following areas: guidance to strengthen banks' risk management practices, including BCBS good practice documents (Corporate governance principles for banks, External audit of banks, and the Internal audit function in banks); measures to monitor and ensure banks' implementation of the BCBS Principles for Sound Liquidity Risk Management and Supervision (Sep 2008); measures to supervise banks' operations in foreign currency funding markets;¹ and extent to which they undertake stress tests and publish their results. Jurisdictions should not provide any updates on the implementation of Basel III liquidity requirements (and other recent standards such as capital 	□ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification: □ Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: ☑ Implementation completed as of: August 2008 Issue is being addressed through: □ Primary / Secondary legislation ☑ Regulation /Guidelines □ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: The FSA has already taken various measures to enhance risk management. The FSA and the BOJ will continue to contribute to the international discussion at the BCBS & etc, and make reviews to strengthen banks' risk management, their internal management, and disclosure. The FSA and BOJ will continue to examine the liquidity risk management conducted by each financial institution based on the "Guidelines for Supervision, Financial Inspection Manuals, and Strategic Directions and Priorities" and "Liquidity Risk Management in Financial Institutions Following the Global Financial Crisis" properly. The FSA decided the following schedule to apply liquidity standards under Basel III. The NSFR will be introduced in 2018. Web-links to relevant documents:

¹ Only the emerging market jurisdictions that are members of the FSB should respond to this specific recommendation.

² Only the emerging market jurisdictions that are members of the FSB may respond to this recommendation.



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		We commit to conduct robust, transparent stress tests as needed.	requirements for CCPs), since these are monitored separately by the BCBS.	Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:	
		transparent stress tests as needed. (Pittsburgh)	monitored separately by the BCBS.	In the Guidelines for Supervision the FSA clarified that some points, including the following, would be within the scope of supervisory reviews in order to ensure sound risk management in financial institutions(August 2008). 1) Proactive management of risks by the management team and establishment of systems that enable quick decisions from the viewpoint of the group's overall portfolio. 2) Use of various risk management approaches, including stress tests, to complement statistical risk measure approaches 3) Valuation of financial products, including securitized products, as objective as possible 4) Appropriate understanding of the nature of financial products, including securitized products, for example, avoiding excessive dependence on external ratings 5) Proper management of market liquidity risk related to investment in financial products including securitized products 6) Study on risks, including the pipeline risk in originating securitized products 7) Appropriate counterparty risk management regarding transactions involving derivatives etc. The FSA has been encouraging the efforts of financial institutions to make risk management more sophisticated, following the	
				revision of the Guidelines for Supervision. The FSA and BOJ have been examining the liquidity risk	
				management conducted by each financial institution based on the Guidelines for Supervision, Financial Inspection	
				Manuals, and Strategic Directions and Priorities. In addition, the FSA has taken	



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				supervisory actions, including the	
				issuance of a business improvement order. In June 2009, the BOJ released a	
				paper on liquidity risk management in	
				order to promote stronger risk	
				management in financial institutions. In	
				July 2010, the BOJ released a paper on	
				important check points regarding the	
				liquidity risk management of financial	
				institutions so that they can enhance their crisis management ability. In September	
				2014, the FSA published "Key matters in	
				examining Liquidity Risk Management	
				at Large Complex Financial Groups" to	
				clarify matters to be ensured by large	
				complex financial groups. As for	
				Principles for effective risk data	
				aggregation and risk reporting (January 2013), the FSA and BOJ have been	
				reviewing banks' efforts to comply with	
				the Principles through regular	
				supervisory monitoring as well as regular	
				on-site inspection. In 2014, the FSA	
				published the revised Comprehensive	
				Guidelines for Supervision of Major	
				Banks to integrate the Principles in a	
				comprehensive manner. The FSA utilizes stress tests as one of the	
				supervisory tools to hold dialogue with	
				financial institutions globally expanding	
				their business in order to encourage them	
				to realize: i) forward-looking	
				management and business strategy	
				development related to both revenue and	
				risk, and ii) feasible risk governance for reviewing business strategies as a	
				flexible response to changes in domestic	
				and global economic and market	
				environments, using multiple scenarios	
				such as baseline and stress scenarios	
				based on analysis of potential risks in the	
				financial system.	



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				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				Web-links to relevant documents: http://www.fsa.go.jp/en/news/2014/2014 0912-1.html	

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17 (17)	Enhanced risk disclosures by financial institutions	Financial institutions should provide enhanced risk disclosures in their reporting and disclose all losses on an ongoing basis, consistent with international best practice, as appropriate. (Washington)	Jurisdictions should indicate the status of implementation of the disclosures requirements of IFRSs (in particular IFRS 7 and 13) or equivalent. Jurisdictions may also use as reference the recommendations of the October 2012 report by the Enhanced Disclosure Task Force on <i>Enhancing the Risk</i>	□ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification:	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: The FSA has already taken various measures on this issue and will continue to strive to strengthen risk disclosure of financial institutions. Web-links to relevant documents:
		We encourage further efforts by the public and private sector to enhance financial institutions' disclosures of the risks they face, including the ongoing work of the Enhanced Disclosure Task Force. (St. Petersburg)	Disclosures of Banks and Implementation Progress Report by the EDTF (Dec 2015), and set out any steps they have taken to foster adoption of the EDTF Principles and Recommendations.	□ Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □ Draft published as of:	
			In addition, in light of the new IASB and FASB accounting requirements for expected credit loss recognition, jurisdictions should set out any steps they intend to take (if appropriate) to foster disclosures needed to fairly depict a bank's exposure to credit risk, including its expected credit loss estimates, and to provide relevant information on a bank's underwriting practices. Jurisdictions may use as reference the recommendations in the report by the Enhanced Disclosure Task Force on the <i>Impact of Expected Credit Loss Approaches on Bank Risk Disclosures (Nov 2015)</i> , as well as the recommendations in Principle 8 of the BCBS <i>Guidance on credit risk and</i>	□ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: □ Implementation completed as of: April 2011 Issue is being addressed through: □ Primary / Secondary legislation □ Regulation / Guidelines □ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify: Short description of the content of the legislation/regulation/guideline: J-GAAP is substantially converged with IFRS and for appropriate implementation, ASBJ publishes Implementation Guidelines. For example, the ASBJ published the Guideline No.19 on 10 March 2008, which reflects the concept of the IFRS 7.	



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			accounting for expected credit losses (Dec 2015)	The FSA revised each Supervisory Guideline for Bank, Financial Instruments Business Operators, etc. by April 2011 and continues to request, according to international best practices, the proactive disclosure of exposure related to sectors of the particular market interest. It leads to the necessary disclosure in each financial institution based on international discussion.	
				Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	

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VIII.	Strengthening deposit in	surance			
18 (18)	Strengthening of national deposit insurance arrangements	National deposit insurance arrangements should be reviewed against the agreed international principles, and authorities	Jurisdictions that have not yet adopted an explicit national deposit insurance system	☐ Not applicable ☐ Applicable but no action envisaged	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date:
	insurance arrangements	should strengthen arrangements where needed. (Rec. VI.9, FSF 2008)	should describe their plans to introduce such a system. All other jurisdictions should describe	at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been	Japan has already taken measures on the deposit insurance systems and will continue to ensure the sound deposit insurance system.
			any significant design changes in their national deposit insurance system since	selected, please provide a brief justification:	Web-links to relevant documents:
			the issuance of the revised IADI <u>Core</u> Principles for Effective Deposit	☐ Implementation ongoing:	
			Insurance Systems (November 2014).	Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]:	
			In addition, jurisdictions should indicate if they have carried out a self-assessment	☐ Draft in preparation, expected publication by:	
			of compliance with the revised Core	☐Draft published as of:	
			Principles:If so, jurisdictions should	☐ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on:	
			highlight the main gaps	☐ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since:	
			identified and the steps proposed to address these gaps;	oxtimes Implementation completed as of: N/A	
			If not, jurisdictions should	Issue is being addressed through:	
			indicate any plans to undertake a	⊠Primary / Secondary legislation	
			self-assessment exercise.	☐ Regulation / Guidelines	
				☐ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify:	
				Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline:	
				Japan has an explicit deposit insurance system based on the Deposit Insurance Act(DIA). Since the June 2013 revisons to the DIA, there haven't been any design changes in Japan's deposit insurance system. All financial	



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				institutions whose headquarters in Japan, such as banks and credit unions, are obliged to join the System. If a financial institution fails, the deposits for payment and settlement are fully protected. Regarding other ordinary deposits (e.g., saving deposits), the principals of ten million yen at maximum per depositor and the interest at the time of the failure are protected. In the FSB's thematic peer review report on deposit insurance systems in February 2012, Japan, was broadly consistent with "Core Principles for Effective Deposit Insurance Systems". Although a self-assessment of compliance with the 2014 IADI Core Principles has not been performed yet, the Deposit Insurance Corporation of Japan (DICJ) undergoes regular audits by the Board of Audit, as well as carries out assessments of operating performance. Therefore, the DICJ has no specific plan to perform a self-assessment of compliance with the revised Core Principles at this moment. Highlight main developments since last year's survey: Web-links to relevant documents: "Thematic Review on Deposit Insurance Systems Peer Review Report (Feb 2012)"	
				http://www.financialstabilityboard.org/publications/r_120208.pdf	

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IX.	Safeguarding the integri	ty and efficiency of financial markets			
19 (19)	Enhancing market integrity and efficiency	We must ensure that markets serve efficient allocation of investments and savings in our economies and do not pose risks to financial stability. To this end, we commit to implement initial recommendations by IOSCO on market integrity and efficiency, including measures to address the risks posed by high frequency trading and dark liquidity, and call for further work by mid-2012. (Cannes)	Jurisdictions should indicate whether high frequency trading and dark pools exist in their national markets. Jurisdictions should indicate the progress made in implementing the recommendations: • in relation to dark liquidity, as set out in the IOSCO Report on Principles for Dark Liquidity (May 2011). • on the impact of technological change in the IOSCO Report on Regulatory Issues Raised by the Impact of Technological Changes on Market Integrity and Efficiency (Oct 2011). • on market structure made in the IOSCO Report on Regulatory issues raised by changes in market structure (Dec 2013).	□ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification: □ Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: 2018 □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: □ Implementation completed as of: N/A Issue is being addressed through: □ Primary / Secondary legislation □ Regulation /Guidelines □ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify: Short description of the content of the legislation/regulation/guideline: In Japan, the stock exchanges has been supervised under the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act which requires them to achieve fair and smooth sales and protection of investors.	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: Through the daily supervision and market surveillance, the FSA conducts analysis on market trends such as the new form of transaction. The FSA will continue such measures. Moreover, after the promulgation (May 24, 2017) of the amended Act, the Cabinet Order and Cabinet Office Ordinances will be prepared to specify the details of the Act which will come into force within one year from the promulgation. Web-links to relevant documents:



According to this requirements, the stock cxchanges in Japan have already developed price limits, circuit breaker, etc. to prevent radical price fluctuation. Moreover, market participants are required to develop appropriate order management systems. In addition, the properties of the state	No	Description	G20/FSB Recommendations	Remarks	Progress to date	Next steps
last year's survey: Regarding measures to address the risks posed by high frequency trading, the Financial System Council, an advisory body to the FSA, proposed in December 2016 to develop a regulatory framework in which high-speed traders are required to be registered with the FSA while giving consideration to regulatory responses taken by other jurisdictions. This framework is intended to require high-speed traders trading in the Japanese markets to meet organizational/system requirements including risk controls, and to allow the FSA to identify transactions and trading strategies of such traders. Based on the proposal, the amended Financial Instruments and Exchange Act was promulgated on May 24, 2017. It will come into force within one year from the promulgation, with relevant secondary legislations and regulations.					exchanges in Japan have already developed price limits, circuit breaker, etc. to prevent radical price fluctuation. Moreover, market participants are required to develop appropriate order management systems. In addition, transparency of PTS trading is ensured through adequate reporting requirement regarding information on orders, trading	
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20 (20)	Regulation and supervision of commodity markets	We need to ensure enhanced market transparency, both on cash and financial commodity markets, including OTC, and achieve appropriate regulation and supervision of participants in these markets. Market regulators and authorities should be granted effective intervention powers to address disorderly markets and prevent market abuses. In particular, market regulators should have, and use formal position management powers, including the power to set ex-ante position limits, particularly in the delivery month where appropriate, among other powers of intervention. We call on IOSCO to report on the implementation of its recommendations by the end of 2012. (Cannes) We also call on Finance ministers to monitor on a regular basis the proper implementation of IOSCO's principles for the regulation and supervision on commodity derivatives markets and encourage broader publishing and unrestricted access to aggregated open interest data. (St. Petersburg)	Jurisdictions should indicate whether commodity markets of any type exist in their national markets. Jurisdictions should indicate the policy measures taken to implement the principles found in IOSCO's report on Principles for the Regulation and Supervision of Commodity Derivatives Markets (Sep 2011). Jurisdictions, in responding to this recommendation, may also make use of the responses contained in the update to the survey published by IOSCO in September 2014 on the principles for the regulation and supervision of commodity derivatives markets.	□Not applicable □Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification: □Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □Draft published as of: □Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: ☑Implementation completed as of: N/A Issue is being addressed through: □Primary / Secondary legislation □Regulation /Guidelines □Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify: Short description of the content of the legislation/ regulation/guideline: Japan has already taken measures on this issue and will continue to enhance market transparency in commodity markets.	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: Japan has already taken measures on this issue and will continue to enhance market transparency in commodity markets. Web-links to relevant documents:



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21	Reform of financial	We support the establishment of the	Collection of information on this		
(21)	benchmarks	FSB's Official Sector Steering Group to	recommendation will continue to be		
(21)		coordinate work on the necessary	deferred given the forthcoming FSB		
		reforms of financial benchmarks. We	progress report on implementation of		
		endorse IOSCO's Principles for	FSB recommendations in this area, and		
		Financial Benchmarks and look forward	ongoing IOSCO work to review the		
		to reform as necessary of the benchmarks	implementation of the IOSCO Principles		
		used internationally in the banking	for Financial Benchmarks.		
		industry and financial markets, consistent			
		with the IOSCO Principles. (St.			
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X.	Enhancing financial con	sumer protection			
(22)	Enhancing financial consumer protection	We agree that integration of financial consumer protection policies into regulatory and supervisory frameworks contributes to strengthening financial stability, endorse the FSB report on consumer finance protection and the high level principles on financial consumer protection prepared by the OECD	Jurisdictions should describe progress toward implementation of the OECD's G-20 high-level principles on financial consumer protection (Oct 2011). Jurisdictions may also refer to OECD's September 2013 and September 2014	□ Not applicable □ Applicable but no action envisaged at the moment If "Not applicable" or "Applicable but no action envisaged" has been selected, please provide a brief justification:	Planned actions (if any) and expected commencement date: Japan will continue to participate in the discussions of the OECD task force on financial consumer protection, which works to develop effective approaches to support the implementation of the High Level Principles on Consumer Protection endorsed in Cannes.
		together with the FSB. We will pursue the full application of these principles in our jurisdictions. (Cannes)	reports on effective approaches to support the implementation of the High-level Principles. The effective approaches are of interest across all financial services sectors – banking and credit; securities; insurance and pensions – and consideration should be given to their cross-sectoral character when considering implementation. Jurisdictions should, where necessary, indicate any changes or additions that have been introduced as a way to support the implementation of the High-level Principles, to address particular national terminology, situations or determinations.	□ Implementation ongoing: Status of progress [for legislation and regulation/guidelines only]: □ Draft in preparation, expected publication by: □ Draft published as of: □ Final rule or legislation approved and will come into force on: □ Final rule (for part of the reform) in force since: ☑ Implementation completed as of: N/A Issue is being addressed through: □ Primary / Secondary legislation □ Regulation / Guidelines ☑ Other actions (such as supervisory actions), please specify: Short description of the content of the legislation/regulation/guideline: FSA, MOF and BOJ have been contributing to the discussion on financial consumer protection at OECD (CMF and its Task Force on Financial Consumer Protection). The FSA has	Web-links to relevant documents:



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				already taken various measures for financial consumer protection, which is stipulated by law as one of three major objectives of the FSA: to ensure protection of depositors, insurance policyholders, securities investors, etc. Highlight main developments since last year's survey:	
				Web-links to relevant documents:	



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List of abbreviations used XII.