Budget Request Related to Earthquake Research for FY 2018

(unit: million yen)

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Organization			FY 2017 Budget	FY 2018 Budget Request	Major points		
Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications	National Institute of Information and Communications Technology		Subsidy for operation	Subsidy for operation	* Study on grasping technology of the disaster using the airborne high-resolution SAR		
	National Research Institute of Fire and Disaster		9	9	* Research on the coseismic enhanced safety of dangerous facilities like the oil tanks	9	(9)
		Total	9	9	95 % (Compared with FY 2017)		
Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology	Research Bureau	and Development	3,213	3,784	* Operation of seafloor observation network for earthquakes and tsunamis * The Headquarters for Earthquake Research Promotion	1,061	(1,061)
					(Administration of the Headquarters)	352	(352)
					(Active fault survey)	420	(420)
					(Long-period ground motion hazard maps)	32	(32)
					(Research project for the comprehensive evaluation of the information on off shore faults)	220	(220)
					* Resilience comprehensive improvement projects centered on the Tokyo metropolitan area	1,007	(397)
					* Strategy project for earthquake disaster prevention research		
					(Research project for wide-area earthquake and disaster prevention of the Nankai Trough)	298	(298)
					(Research project for the earthquake and tsunami in the Japan Sea)	387	(387)
					(Research project for the support of local disaster- damage prevention measure)	0	(40)
					(Expenses for the promotion of disaster prevention research)	7	(7)
	National University Corporation		Subsidy for operation	Subsidy for operation	* Earthquake and volcano research plan to make a contribution to the mitigation of disaster		
	National Research Institute for Earth Science and Disaster Resilience		Subsidy for operation	Subsidy for operation	Strategic advancement of earthquake and tsunami prediction technology		
					* Earthquake disaster prevention research utilizing the research foundation such as E-Defense		
					* Research on natural disaster hazard, risk assessment and information utilization		
	Japan Agency for Marine- Earth Science and Technology		Subsidy for operation	Subsidy for operation	* Research and development of ocean area seismogenic zones		
					* Promotion of comprehensive ocean drilling science using advanced drilling technology		
		Total	3,213	3,784	118% (Compared with FY 2017)		
Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry	National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology		-	Subsidy for	* Research on evaluation of active faults		
			operation	operation	* Research on evaluation of subduction-zone earthquakes		
					* Research on seismic hazard assessment		
		Total	-	-	- % (Compared with FY 2017)		

	Geospatial Information Authority of Japan		1,347	1,422	* Basic geodetic benchmark surveys	1,072	(994)
					* Surveys of crustal movement, etc.	277	(277)
Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism					* Surveys of geography related to hazard mitigation (Development of the information for nationwide active fault zones)	47	(47)
					* Research on geography and crustal dynamics	26	(29)
	Japan Meteorologi	teorological Agency	1,707	1,824	monitoring system, etc.	1,366	(1,289)
					* Continuous monitoring for Tokai and other areas	187	(145)
					* Collection of data from related organization (unification)	253	(253)
					* Research on the plate interface coupling and rapid estimation of source parameters of tsunami earthquakes along the Nankai trough (Meteorological Research Institute)	11	(10)
					* Research on advanced tsunami forecasting methods (Meteorological Research Institute)	8	(10)
	Japan Coast Guard		53	147	* Promotion of the seafloor geodetic observation, etc.	48	(15)
					* Promotion of the seafloor geodetic monitoring observation, etc.	32	(24)
					* Promotion of marine geodetic measurement	15	(20)
		Total	3,106	3,393	109% (Compared with FY 2017)		
Total			6,329	7,186	114% (Compared with FY 2017)		

Furthermore, there are additional policies, the results of which are assumed to make a contribution to the promotion of earthquake research. They are as follows.

O	FY 2017 Budget	FY 2018 Budget Request	Major points	
Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications	National Institute of Information and Communications Technology	Subsidy for operation	Subsidy for operation	* Research and development of resilient ICT
Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry	National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology	Subsidy for operation	Subsidy for operation	* Development of geological information
Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism	Geospatial Information Authority of Japan	65	68	* Research on geography and crustal dynamics (related 68 (65) to the promotion of earthquake research)

Note 1) There may be slight discrepancies in the totals, as tables have been rounded off.

Note 2) Amounts related to subsidies for operation for the National Research and Development Agency are not included in the total.

Parentheses to the right of "major points" are the budget for the fiscal year 2017.

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