

Budget Related to Earthquake Research for FY 2026 (by Related Organizations)

(unit: million yen)

Organizations		Fiscal Year (FY) 2025 Budget Amount	FY 2026 Budget	Major points		
Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications	National Institute of Information and Communications Technology	Included in operating expense subsidy	Included in operating expense subsidy	* Research on disaster identification technology using high-resolution airborne SAR		
	National Research Institute of Fire and Disaster		33	* Research on the coseismic enhanced safety of dangerous facilities like the oil tanks (Note 3) (Of which are collectively accounted for by the Digital Agency.)	23	(33)
	Subtotal (Note 3)	33	23	68 % (Compared with FY 2025)	4	(13)
Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology	Research and Development Bureau	2,692	2,691	* Operation of seafloor observation network for earthquakes and tsunamis, etc.	1,549	(1,549)
	National University Corporation	Included in operating expense subsidy	Included in operating expense subsidy	* The Headquarters for Earthquake Research Promotion (Administration of the Headquarters) (Note 3) (Of which are collectively accounted for by the Digital Agency.)	355	(355)
				(Active fault survey)	35	(35)
				* Strategy project for earthquake disaster prevention research (Earthquake disaster prevention research project for minimizing damage and prompt recovery and restoration from Nankai Trough earthquakes and other huge earthquake disasters)	322	(322)
	National Research Institute for Earth Science and Disaster Resilience	Included in operating expense subsidy	Included in operating expense subsidy	(Advancement of seismic activity and ground motion evaluation technology utilizing information science)	278	(278)
				(Expenses for the promotion of disaster prevention research)	182	(182)
				* Earthquake and volcano research plan to contribute to the mitigation of disaster (third)	5	(5)
	Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology	Included in operating expense subsidy	Included in operating expense subsidy	* Research and development to improve forecasting capabilities for earthquake and tsunami disasters		
				* Research and development of urban resilience enhancement utilizing research infrastructure such as the Three-Dimensional Full-Scale Earthquake Testing Facility (E-Defense)		
				* Comprehensive research and development on disaster prevention and mitigation using digital technology for knowledge integration		
	Subtotal (Note 3)	2,692	2,691	* Research and development on earthquakes and volcanic activity occurring in the sea areas		
Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry	National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology	Included in operating expense subsidy	Included in operating expense subsidy	* Research on evaluation of active faults * Research on evaluation of subduction-zone earthquakes * Research on seismic hazard assessment		
	Subtotal	-	-	- % (Compared with FY 2025)		

Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism	Geospatial Information Authority of Japan	1,158	1,067	* Basic geodetic benchmark surveys (Note 3) (Of which are collectively accounted for by the Digital Agency.)	811	(878)
	Japan Meteorological Agency	1,591	1,566	* Expenses for surveys of crustal deformation, etc.	225	(240)
				* Expenses for surveys of geography related to hazard mitigation (Development of the information for nationwide active fault zones)	31	(31)
				* Expenses necessary for research on geography and crustal dynamics	0	(9)
	Japan Coast Guard	49	120	* Seismograph networks, earthquake and tsunami monitoring system, etc. (Note 3) (Of which are collectively accounted for by the Digital Agency.)	1,107	(1,070)
	Subtotal (Note 3)	2,799	2,752	98% (Compared with FY 2025)	133	(129)
	Total (Note 3)	5,524	5,466	99% (Compared with FY 2025)	108	(107)
				* Continuous monitoring of seismic activity and crustal deformation, and evaluation of possibility of earthquake occurrence along the Nankai Trough	275	(275)
				* Collection of data from related organization (Unification)	76	(139)
				* Research on monitoring and forecasting of crustal activity, seismic motion, and tsunamis (Meteorological Research Institute)	87	(12)
				* Promotion of observation of sea bottom crustal deformations, etc.	28	(28)
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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.

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Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry	National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology	Included in operating expense subsidy	Included in operating expense subsidy	* Development of geological information		
Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism	Geospatial Information Authority of Japan	71	82	* Research on geography and crustal dynamics (Related to the promotion of earthquake research)	82	(71)

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

Note 2) Items shown in the included number are not added to the total.

Note 3) The amount of expenses related to government information systems is included in the Digital Agency's budget as a lump sum.

Parentheses to the right of "Major points" are the budget amount for FY 2025.

Supplementary Budget Amount Related to Earthquake Research for FY 2025 (by Related Organizations)

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Organizations		FY 2025 Supplementary Budget Amount	Major points	
Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications	National Research Institute of Fire and Disaster	9	* Research on the coseismic enhanced safety of dangerous facilities like the oil tanks (Note 3) (Of which are collectively accounted for by the Digital Agency.)	9
	Subtotal (Note 3)	9		
Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology	Research and Development Bureau	145	* Update of the Regional Earthquake Data Center System (Of which are collectively accounted for by the Digital Agency.)	145
	National Research Institute for Earth Science and Disaster Resilience	5,812	* Update of earthquake, tsunami and volcano observation network	4,632
	Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology	850	* E-Defense aging countermeasures	1,180
	Subtotal (Note 3)	6,807	* Development of deep seafloor crustal movement observation equipment	850
Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry	National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology	Included in subsidies for facility improvement	* Development of integrated groundwater observation stations in the Nankai Trough	
	Subtotal	-		
Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism	Geospatial Information Authority of Japan	Included in 1,922	* Promoting digital transformation, and enhancement and strengthening of geospatial information for disaster prevention and mitigation (Note 3) (Of which are collectively accounted for by the Digital Agency.)	Included in 1,922
	Japan Meteorological Agency	5,567	* Ensuring a monitoring system prepared for large-scale earthquake disasters (Note 3) (Of which are collectively accounted for by the Digital Agency.)	5,567
	Subtotal (Note 3)	5,567		941
Total (Note 3)		12,383		

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