

Basic Survey: Obtained Responses and Their Representativeness

The response rate was 27.7% for the entire Fukushima Prefecture. However, as a result of the examination on the representativeness, the dose distribution based on the responses obtained so far in the seven districts in the prefecture was found to be unbiased and to properly represent that of respective districts.

Table 1 Responses to the Basic Survey

As of March 31, 2020

Number of responses	Coverage	2, 055, 251	
	Detailed version	493, 859	24. 0%
	Simplified version	74, 773	3. 6%
	Total	568, 632	27. 7%

* Response rates are rounded off for each category.

Table 2

Response rate by age group

As of March. 31, 2020

Age group	0～9	10～19	20～29	30～39	40～49	50～59	60～	Total
Response rate	46.6%	36.2%	18.2%	24.8%	22.5%	23.0%	27.9%	27.7%

* Rates (%) are rounded off.

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Approx. 568,632 people have responded so far (response rate: 27.7%).

In light of the fact that the response rate of the Basic Survey had remained unchanged at around 27%, an examination on the representativeness of the dose distribution was conducted in FY2015. As a result of the examination, the dose distribution based on the responses obtained so far in the seven districts in the prefecture was found to be unbiased and to properly represent that of respective districts.

See the following website for details:

<http://www.pref.fukushima.lg.jp/uploaded/attachment/151271.pdf> (in Japanese)

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