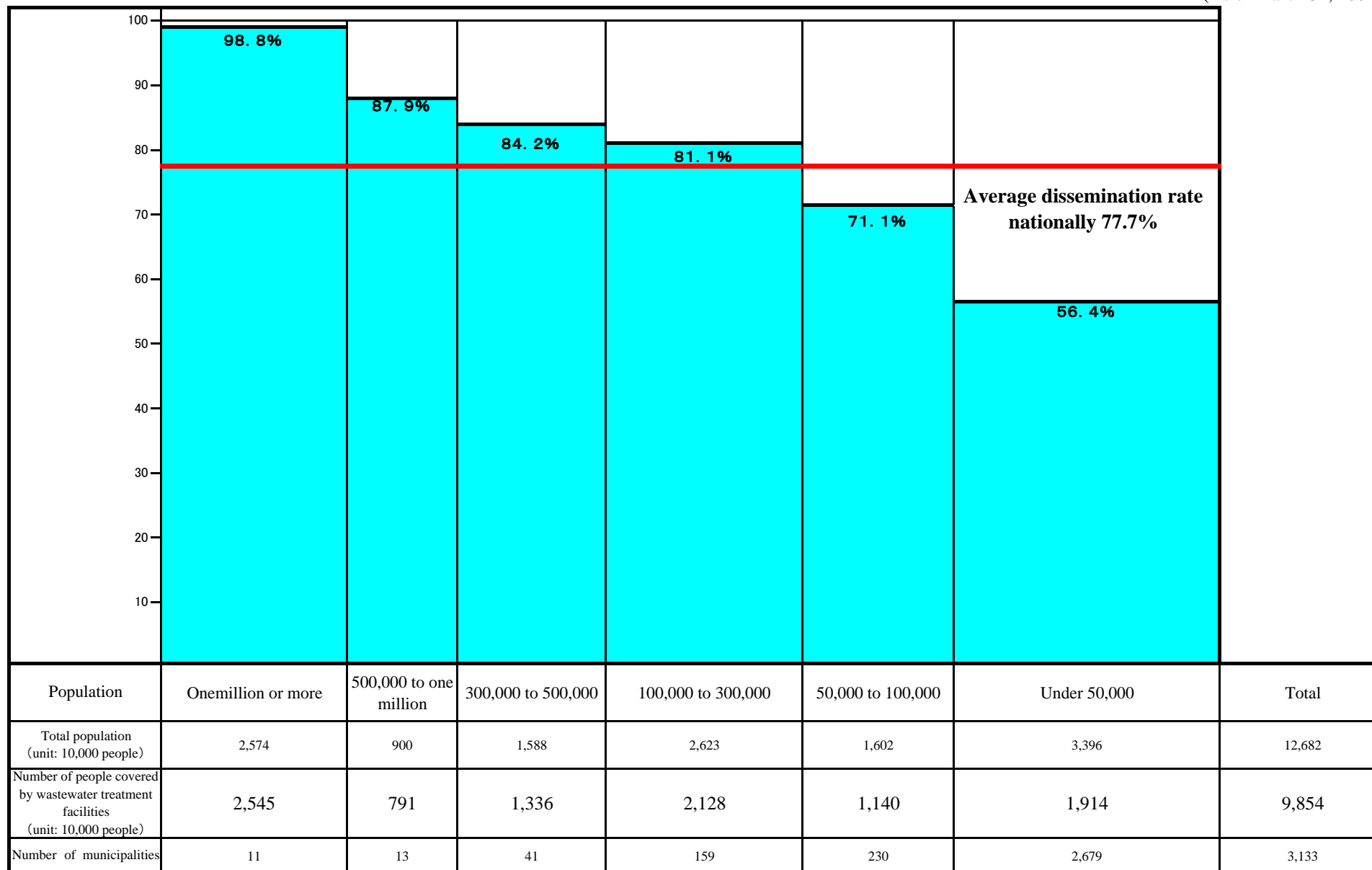


FY 2003 Population Covered by Wastewater Treatment Facilities by City Scale

(As of March 31, 2004)



Notes: 1. Breakdown of the total 3,133 municipalities: 690 cities (including the 23 wards of Tokyo), 1,903 towns and 540 villages.

2. Population figures may not add up due to rounding.

3. Dissemination rate is the ratio of number of the people covered by wastewater treatment facilities, including sewage, agricultural effluent treatment facilities, johkasoh and community wastewater