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Bank of Japan

Financial System and Bank Examination Department

Revising the list of surveyed banks for the "Senior Loan Officer Opinion Survey on Bank Lending Practices at Large Japanese Banks"

The Bank of Japan revised the list of surveyed banks for the "Senior Loan Officer Opinion Survey on Bank Lending Practices at Large Japanese Banks" from the April 2021 survey.

Of the domestically licensed banks (excluding some banks) and *shinkin* banks that hold current accounts at the Bank of Japan, the 50 largest banks in terms of the average amount outstanding of loans are surveyed. Respondent banks are reviewed every three years.

This revision is based on the average amount outstanding of loans during fiscal 2019.

The aggregate amount of loans of the 50 surveyed banks accounts for approximately 80 percent of the total amount outstanding of loans of the domestically licensed banks and *shinkin* banks that hold current accounts at the Bank of Japan.

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