

REPORT ON RESULTS OF 2000 WORLD CENSUS  
OF  
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## Preface

The Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (the MAFF) in Japan participates in the World Census of Agriculture and Forestry as advocated by the FAO (Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations) for its member nations every ten years. The MAFF conducts a Japanese Census of Agriculture in order to measure actual agricultural conditions in Japan. The findings of the census are submitted to the FAO and member countries of the FAO.

This report primarily represents the findings of the Census of Agriculture conducted in 2000, an outline of implementation process of the 2000 Census and the farm household survey results.

I appreciate that this report will become a useful source of information for the development of agriculture and the Census of Agriculture for each country.

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