### Explanation of "Composition of Capital Disclosure"

Mizuho Financial Group As of March 31, 2016

[Consolidated] (in million yen)					
Items	Consolidated as in published fir	Balance sheet nancial statements	Cross-reference to Appended template	Reference # of common disclosure template under the Composition of Capital Disclosure	
	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015			
(Assets)	26.215.471	20.006.166			
Cash and Due from Banks Call Loans and Bills Purchased	36,315,471 893,545	29,096,166 444,115			
Receivables under Resale Agreements	7,805,798	8,582,239			
Guarantee Deposits Paid under Securities					
Borrowing Transactions	3,407,390	4,059,340			
Other Debt Purchased	2,979,797	3,239,831			
Trading Assets	13,004,522	10,781,735	6-a		
Money Held in Trust	175,638	157,728			
Securities	39,505,971	43,278,733	2-b, 6-b		
Loans and Bills Discounted	73,708,884	73,415,170	6-c		
Foreign Exchange Assets	1,447,743	1,623,736	6.1		
Derivatives other than for Trading Assets Other Assets	3,157,752 4,144,131	3,544,243 4,066,424	6-d 6-e		
Tangible Fixed Assets	1,085,791	1,078,051	0-6		
Intangible Fixed Assets	804,567	657,556	2-a		
Net Defined Benefit Asset	646,428	743,382	3		
Deferred Tax Assets	36,517	36,938	4-a		
Customers' Liabilities for Acceptances and	4 700 150	5 404 942			
Guarantees	4,798,158	5,404,843			
Reserves for Possible Losses on Loans	(459,531)	(525,486)			
Reserve for Possible Losses on Investments	-	(2)			
Total Assets	193,458,580	189,684,749			
(Liabilities)	105 (20 071	07.757.545			
Deposits	105,629,071 11,827,533	97,757,545 15,694,906			
Negotiable Certificates of Deposit Call Money and Bills Sold	2,521,008	5,091,198			
Payables under Repurchase Agreements	16,833,346	19,612,120			
Guarantee Deposits Received under Securities					
Lending Transactions	2,608,971	2,245,639			
Commercial Paper	1,010,139	538,511			
Trading Liabilities	10,276,133	8,743,196	6-f		
Borrowed Money	7,503,543	7,195,869	8-a		
Foreign Exchange Liabilities	492,473	473,060			
Short-term Bonds Bonds and Notes	648,381	816,705 6,013,731	8-b		
Due to Trust Accounts	6,120,928 5,067,490	1,780,768	8-0		
Derivatives other than for Trading Liabilities	2,571,597	3,474,332	6-g		
Other Liabilities	5,532,596	4,261,955	~ B		
Reserve for Bonus Payments	62,171	59,869			
Reserve for Variable Compensation	2,836	-			
Net Defined Benefit Liability	51,514	47,518			
Reserve for Director and Corporate Auditor	1,685	1,527			
Retirement Benefits					
Reserve for Possible Losses on Sales of Loans	267	13			
Reserve for Contingencies	5,271 16,154	7,845 15,851			
Reserve for Reimbursement of Deposits Reserve for Reimbursement of Debentures	39,245	48,878			
Reserves under Special Laws	2,024	1,607			
Deferred Tax Liabilities	414,799	524,321	4-b		
Deferred Tax Liabilities for Revaluation Reserve	67,991	72,392	4-c		
for Land			4-0		
Acceptances and Guarantees	4,798,158	5,404,843			
Total Liabilities	184,105,335	179,884,211			
(Net Assets) Common Stock and Preferred Stock	2,255,790	2,255,404	1-a		
Capital Surplus	1,110,164	1,110,006	1-a 1-b		
Retained Earnings	3,197,616	2,769,371	1-0 1-c		
Treasury Stock	(3,609)	(3,616)	1-d		
Total Shareholders' Equity	6,559,962	6,131,166			
Net Unrealized Gains (Losses) on Other Securities	1,296,039	1,737,348			
Deferred Gains or Losses on Hedges	165,264	26,635	5		
Revaluation Reserve for Land	148,483	146,419			
Foreign Currency Translation Adjustments	(53,689)	(40,454)			
Remeasurements of Defined Benefit Plans	51,752 1,607,851	160,005 2,029,955		2	
Total Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income Stock Acquisition Rights	2,762	3,820		3 1b	
Non-Controlling Interests	1,182,668	1,635,595	7	10	
Total Net Assets	9,353,244	9,800,538	•		
		189,684,749			

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Note: The regulatory scope of consolidation is the same as the accounting scope of consolidation.

### (Appended template)

### 1. Shareholders' equity

(1) Consolidated balance sheet		(in million	yen)

	(1) Consolidated balance silect						
Ref. No.	Consolidated balance sheet items	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks			
1-a	Common Stock and Preferred Stock	2,255,790	2,255,404	Including eligible Tier 1 capital instruments subject to phase-out arrangements			
1-b	Capital Surplus	1,110,164	1.110.006	Including eligible Tier 1 capital instruments subject to phase-out arrangements			
1-c	Retained Earnings	3,197,616	2,769,371				
1-d	Treasury Stock	(3,609)	(3,616)				
	Total Shareholders' Equity	6,559,962	6,131,166				

(2) Composition of capital

Basel III Template No.	Composition of capital disclosure	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks
	Directly issued qualifying common share capital plus related stock surplus and retained earnings	6,460,330	5,917,185	Shareholders' equity attributable to common shares (before adjusting national specific regulatory adjustments (earnings to be distributed))
1a	of which: capital and stock surplus	3,267,031	3,152,290	
2	of which: retained earnings	3,196,908	2,768,510	
1c	of which: treasury stock (-)	3,609	3,616	
	of which: other than above	•		
31a	Directly issued qualifying Additional Tier 1 instruments plus related stock surplus of which: classified as equity under applicable accounting standards and the breakdown			Shareholders' equity attributable to preferred shares with a loss absorbency clause upon entering into effective bankruptcy

## Intangible fixed assets Consolidated balance sheet

	(1) Consolidated barance sheet							
Ref. No.	Consolidated balance sheet items	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks				
2-a	Intangible Fixed Assets	804,567	657,556					
2-b	Securities	39,505,971	43,278,733					
	of which: share of goodwill of companies accounted for using the equity method	35,646	48.680	Share of goodwill of companies accounted for using the equity method				
	Income taxes related to above	(237,595)	(191,837)					

Ref. No. 4-a 4-b 4-c

	(2) Composition of capital			
Basel III Template No.	Composition of capital disclosure	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks
8	Goodwill (net of related tax liability, including those equivalent)	59,087	107,297	
9	Other intangibles other than goodwill and mortgage servicing rights (net of related tax liability)	543,531	407,101	Software and other
	Mortgage servicing rights (net of related tax liability)	-	-	
20	Amount exceeding the 10% threshold on specified items	-	-	
24	Amount exceeding the 15% threshold on specified items	-	-	
74	Mortgage servicing rights that are below the thresholds for deduction (before risk weighting)	-	-	

# 3. Net Defined Benefit Asset (1) Consolidated balance sheet

Ref. No.	Consolidated balance sheet items	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks
3	Net Defined Benefit Asset	646,428	743,382	
	Income taxes related to above	(197,428)	(239,199)	

(2) Composition of capital

sel III Template No.	Composition of capital disclosure	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks
15	Net Defined Benefit Asset	449,000	504,183	

## Deferred tax assets (1) Consolidated balance sheet

	Consolidated balance sheet items	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks
Deferred	Tax Assets	36,517	36,938	
Deferred	Tax Liabilities	414,799	524,321	
Deferred	Tax Liabilities for Revaluation Reserve for Land	67,991	72,392	
Tax effec	ts on intangible fixed assets	237,595	191,837	
Tax effec	ts on net defined benefit asset	197,428	239,199	

### (2) Composition of capital

Basel III Template No.	Composition of capital disclosure	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks
10	Deferred tax assets that rely on future profitability excluding those arising from temporary differences (net of related tax liability)	11,024	11,399	This item does not agree with the amount reported on the consolidated balance sheet due to offsetting of assets and liabilities.
	Deferred tax assets that rely on future profitability arising from temporary differences (net of related tax liability)	75,828		This item does not agree with the amount reported on the consolidated balance sheet due to offsetting of assets and liabilities.
21	Amount exceeding the 10% threshold on specified items	-	-	
25	Amount exceeding the 15% threshold on specified items	-	-	
75	Deferred tax assets arising from temporary differences that are below the thresholds for deduction (before risk weighting)	75,828	75,937	

### 5. Deferred gains or losses on derivatives under hedge accounting

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Ref. No.	Consolidated balance sheet items	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks
5	Deferred Gains or Losses on Hedges	165,264	26,635	

### (2) Composition of capital

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١	Basel III Template No.	Composition of capital disclosure	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks
ſ	11	Deferred gains or losses on derivatives under hedge accounting	165,264	26,635	

## 6. Items associated with investments in the capital of financial institutions (1) Consolidated balance sheet

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_	(1) Consolidated balance sheet							
	Consolidated balance sheet items	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks				
	Trading Assets	13,004,522	10,/81,/35	Including trading account securities and derivatives for trading assets				
	Securities	39,505,971	43,278,733					
	Loans and Bills Discounted	73,708,884	73,415,170	Including subordinated loans				
	Derivatives other than for Trading Assets	3,157,752	3,544,243					
	Other Assets	4,144,131	4,066,424	Including money invested				
	Trading Liabilities	10,276,133	8,743,196	Including trading account securities sold				
	Derivatives other than for Trading Liabilities	2,571,597	3,474,332					

	(2) Composition of capital			
Basel III Template No.	Composition of capital disclosure	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks
	Investments in own capital instruments	2,231	9,072	
16	Common Equity Tier 1 capital	2,231	4,872	
37	Additional Tier 1 capital	-	-	
52	Tier 2 capital	-	4,200	
	Reciprocal cross-holdings in the capital of banking, financial and			
	insurance entities	-	-	
17	Common Equity Tier 1 capital	-	-	
38	Additional Tier 1 capital	-	-	
53	Tier 2 capital	-	-	
	Investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions, where the bank does not own more than 10% of the issued share capital (amount above 10% threshold)	821,973	1,058,656	
18	Common Equity Tier 1 capital	93,508	246,646	
39	Additional Tier 1 capital	28	943	
54	Tier 2 capital	55,624	135,285	
72	Non-significant investments in the capital of other financials that are below the thresholds for deduction (before risk weighting)	672,811	675,780	
	Significant investments in the capital of banking, financial and insurance entities that are outside the scope of regulatory consolidation, net of eligible short positions	260,053	276,553	
19	Amount exceeding the 10% threshold on specified items	-		
23	Amount exceeding the 15% threshold on specified items	-	-	
40	Additional Tier 1 capital	147,677	125,753	
55	Tier 2 capital	-	-	
73	Significant investments in the common stock of financials that are below the thresholds for deduction (before risk weighting)	112,376	150,800	

## 7. Non-Controlling Interests (1) Consolidated balance sheet

(1) Consolidated balance sheet						
	Ref. No.		Consolidated balance sheet items	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remark
	7		Non-Controlling Interests	1,182,668	1,635,595	

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sel III Template No.	Composition of capital disclosure	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks
5	Common share capital issued by subsidiaries and held by third parties (amount allowed in group CET1)	14,749	12,106	After reflecting amounts eligible for inclusion (Non-Controlling Interest after adjustments)
30-31ab-32	Qualifying Additional Tier 1 instruments plus related stock surplus issued by special purpose vehicles and other equivalent entities	-	_	After reflecting amounts eligible for inclusion (Non-Controlling Interest after adjustments)
34-35	Additional Tier 1 instruments issued by subsidiaries and held by third parties (amount allowed in group AT1)	30,843		After reflecting amounts eligible for inclusion (Non-Controlling Interest after adjustments)
46	Tier 2 instruments plus related stock surplus issued by special purpose vehicles and other equivalent entities	169,035		After reflecting amounts eligible for inclusion (Non-Controlling Interest after adjustments)
48-49	Tier 2 instruments issued by subsidiaries and held by third parties (amount allowed in group Tier 2)	10,269	9.750	After reflecting amounts eligible for inclusion (Non-Controlling Interest after adjustments)

# 8. Other capital instruments (1) Consolidated balance sheet

Ref. No.	Consolidated balance sheet items	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks
8-a	Borrowed Money	7,503,543	7,195,869	
8-b	Bonds and Notes	6,120,928	6,013,731	
	Total	13,624,471	13,209,601	

### (2) Composition of capital

	(2) Composition of capital			
sel III Template No.	Composition of capital disclosure	As of March 31, 2016	As of March 31, 2015	Remarks
32	Directly issued qualifying Additional Tier 1 instruments plus related stock surplus of which: classified as liabilities under applicable accounting standards	300,000		
46	Directly issued qualifying Tier 2 instruments plus related stock surplus of which: classified as liabilities under applicable accounting standards	324,517	150,000	

Note:

\* Amounts in the "Composition of capital disclosure" are based on those before considering amounts under transitional arrangements and include "Amounts excluded under transitional arrangements" disclosed in "Composition of Capital Disclosure" as well as amounts included as regulatory capital. In addition, items for regulatory purposes under transitional arrangements are excluded from this table.