



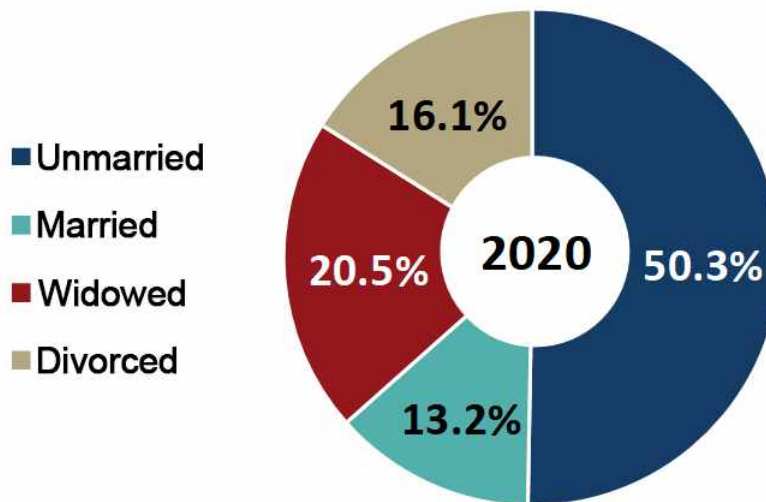
Results of the 2020 Population and Housing Census (One-person households, housing status and vacant houses)

【One-person households: Population】

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- Compared to 2015, the share of unmarried one-person households showed the highest increase of 6.4%p. Whereas, the share of widowed one-person households fell by 8.9%p.

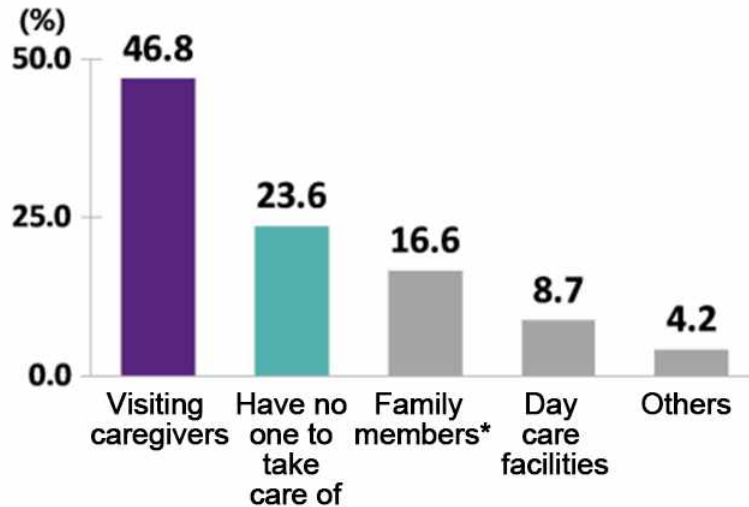
[One-person households by marital status (2020)]



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- 46.8% (117 thousand households) of one-person households received assistance from visiting caregivers. 23.6% (59 thousand households) of one-person households needed care, but had no one to take care of.

[One-person households by care type (2020)]

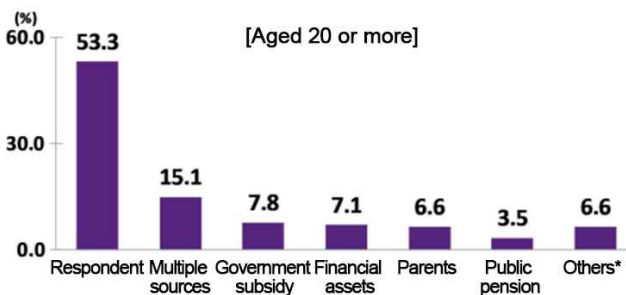


* Family: Spouse, children, parents, relatives

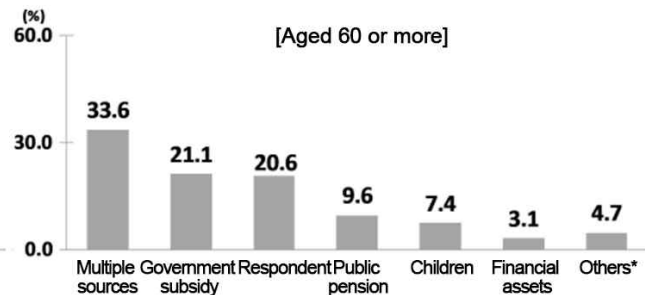
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- Among one-person households whose member was 60 years old or more, 33.6% provided their living expenses by multiple sources, which was followed by government subsidy (21.1%) and respondent themselves (20.6%).

[One-person households by source of living expenses (2020)]



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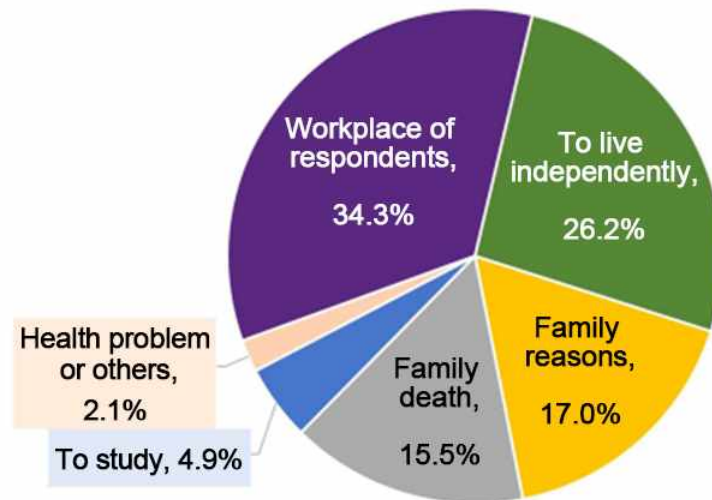
【One-person households: Household】

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- As for reasons for living alone, 48.8% of unmarried one-person households lived alone due to their workplace. 48.0% of married one-person households lived alone due to their workplace.

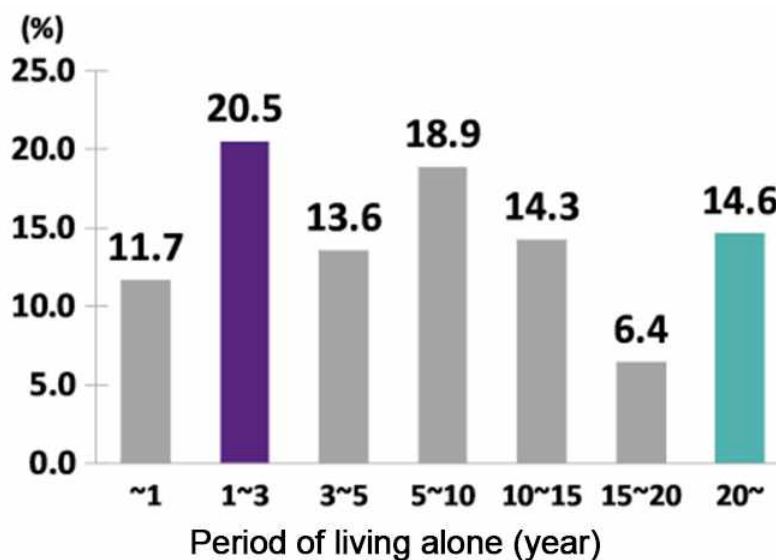
[One-person households by reason for living alone (2020)]



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- One-person households living alone for 'less than 10 years' showed a higher figure among males. One-person households living alone for '10 years or more' showed a higher figure among females.

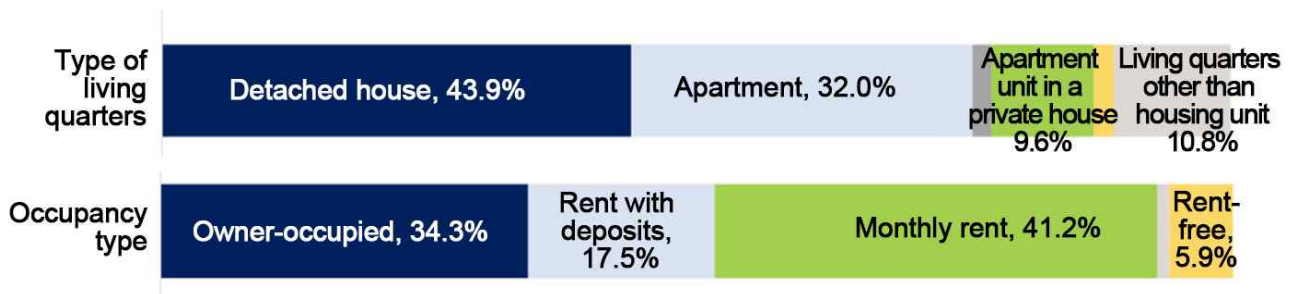
[One-person households by period of living alone (2020)]



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- As for occupancy type of living quarters of one-person households, monthly rent recorded the highest figure of 2.735 million households (41.2%), which was followed by 'owner-occupied' (2.279 million households, 34.3%) and 'rent with deposits' (1.159 million households, 17.5%).

[One-person households by type of living quarters and occupancy (2020)]

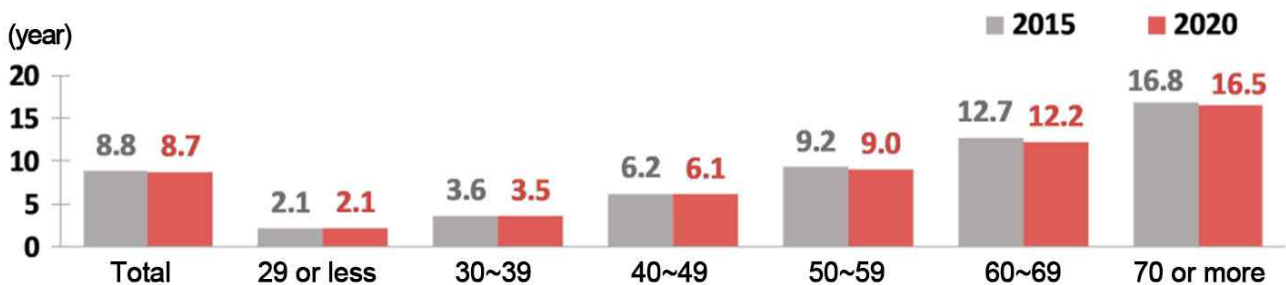


【Housing status】

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- The average residence period of household heads aged 29 or less recorded 2.1 years. The average residence period of household heads aged 70 or more recorded 16.5 years. The older household head, the longer residence period.

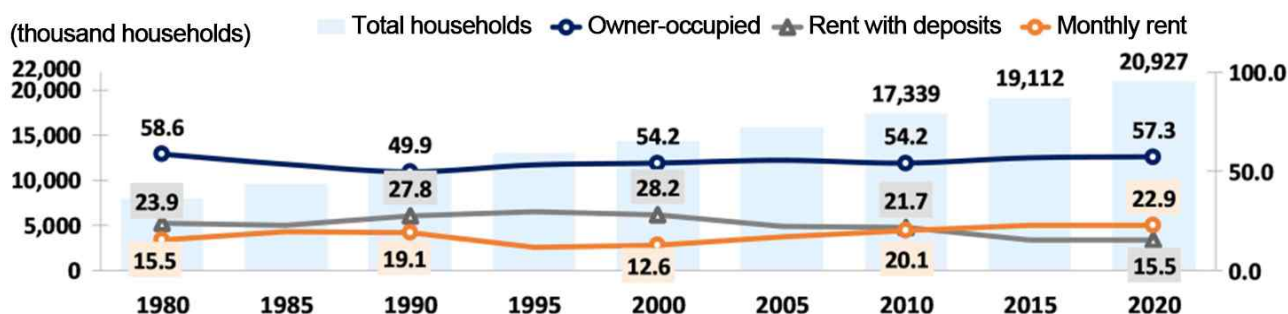
[General households by age of household head and average residence period (2015, 2020)]



As for the occupancy type of living quarters of general households, 'owner-occupied' recorded the largest share at 57.3%. From 2015, the share of monthly rent was higher than that of rent with deposits. Afterwards, this trend continued.

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- From 2015, the share of monthly rent was higher than that of rent with deposits. Afterwards, this trend continued.
- As for occupancy type by age of household head, 'monthly rent' took up the largest share for household heads aged 29 or less. 'Owner-occupied' took up the largest share for household heads aged 30 or more.

[General households by occupancy type and year (1980~2020)]



【Vacant houses】

In 2020, the number of vacant houses was 1.511 million units. As for reasons for vacancy, 'sale, lease or moving' occupied the largest share at 42.9%, which was followed by 'occasional use' (27.1%) and 'unsold or not moving in' (13.9%).

- In 2020, as for vacant houses by type of housing, apartments occupied the largest share at 54.9% (830 thousand units). This figure was followed by detached houses (22.5%, 339 thousand units) and apartment unit in a private house (16.1%, 243 thousand units).
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[Vacant houses by reason for vacancy (2020)]

