# Japan Aiming for Sustainable Infrastructure

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#### Introduction of QII

- Infrastructure is critical as a driver of economic prosperity and a solid basis for economic growth and sustainable development.
- Not only to meet the quantitative demand but also to consider quality such as <u>transparency</u>, <u>openness</u>, <u>economic efficiency in view of life-cycle cost and debt sustainability</u> in infrastructure development in order to realize "quality growth" in developing countries



- From this viewpoint, Japan has been leading international discussions
- "G20Principles for Quality Infrastructure Investment" was endorsed by G20 Leaders at the G20 Osaka Summit

#### History of QII





#### **Relationship with SDGs**

## **G20 Principles for QII**

- 1 Maximizing the positive impact of infrastructure to achieve sustainable growth and development
- Raising Economic Efficiency in View of Life-Cycle Cost
- 3 Environmental Considerations
- Building Resilience against Natural Hazards and Other Risks
- 5 Social Considerations
- 6 Infrastructure Governance

#### **SDGs**













































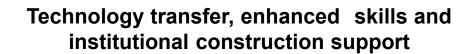
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Source: Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism

#### G20 Principles for QII that Japan can provide

## **G20 Principles for QII**

Main value Japan can provide

Maximizing the positive impact of infrastructure to achieve sustainable growth and development



Raising Economic Efficiency in View of Life-Cycle Cost



Long lifeLow life cycle cost

3 Environmental Considerations

Building Resilience against Natural Hazards and Other Risks

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Reliable technology backed by experience of development cooperation with consideration for the environment and disaster prevention

**Social Considerations** 



Construction that considers the local community and safety

**Infrastructure Governance** 



Appropriate operation, maintenance and management

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# **Promotion of PPP / PFI in Japan**

#### Challenges to overcome in Japan

#### **Social / Economic Environment**

- ① Population decline / aged society
  - Low total fertility rate and the highest level of elderly ratio in the world
- 2 Severe financial situation
  - Japan has the worst debt-to-GDP ratio among major developed countries.
- 3 Deterioration of public facilities
  - High Percentage of social infrastructure that is 50 years old or more after construction



# **PPP/PFI Experiences in Japan** ①

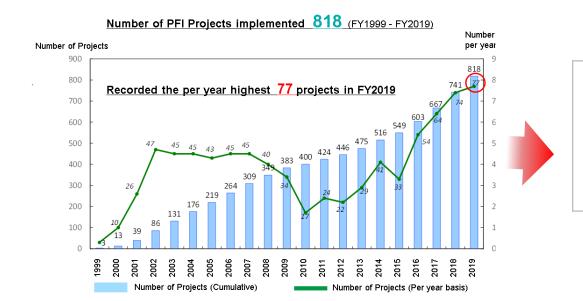


over 21 years (Since PFI act enacted in 1999)

## > PFI Projects implemented

818 Projects

- Total PFI projects being implemented from FY1999 to FY2020
- PPP projects (not compliance with PFI act) other than PFI is not included
- The latest figure is 875 projects (announced in November).



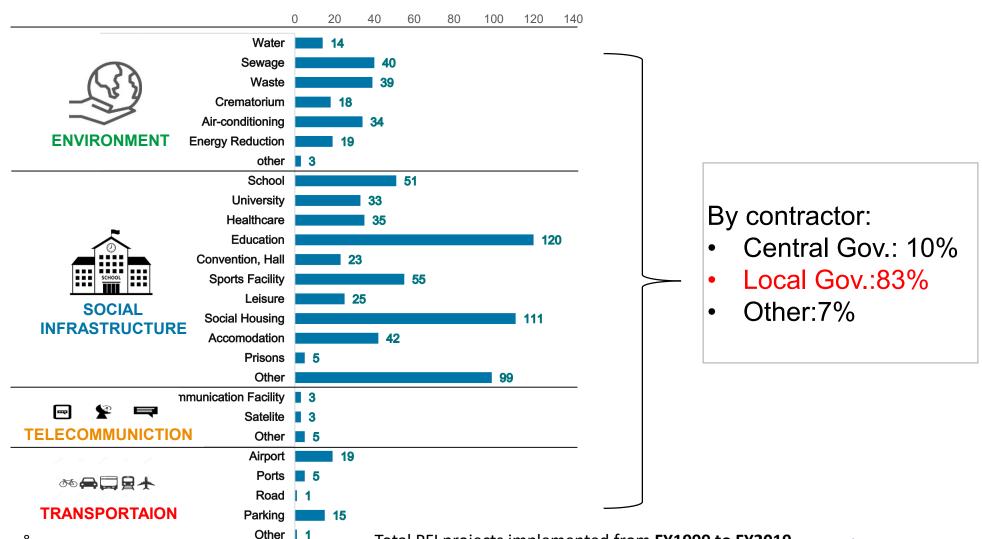
PFI project is an upward trend for these 10 years



## PPP/PFI Experiences in Japan (2)



#### Number of PFI projects by field and contractor



# Photos of PPP/PFI Projects in Japan

#### **①Education**

**X**Supply center of school meals





#### **2**Social Housing





#### **3**Complex Facility







#### **Support to Local Governments**

Various Guidelines and manuals

Process guideline, Risk guideline, VFM guideline, Contract guideline, the Right to Operate the Public Facility Guideline etc.

PPP/PFI regional platform

Formed by local enterprises, financial institutions, and local governments.

Framework for improving know-how and project formation capabilities of PPP/PFI projects in the region

PPP/PFI priority consideration principles

Principles that give priority to considering whether PPP/PFI can be used for the public works projects (Introduced in 194 local governments)

Support for feasibility study

Subsidizing for feasibility study which held by local governments before implementing PFI project

**Dispatch specialist** 

In response to requests from local governments, CAO dispatches administrative practice experts to local governments

Beside the above, CAO provide several supports to local governments.



# Thank you!



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