Exposure to Securitized Products

Including Subprime-Related Investments

The Dai-ichi Mutual Life Insurance Company (the "Company"; President: Katsutoshi Saito) discloses its exposure to securitized products, including subprime-related investments, based on the "Leading-Practice Disclosures for Selected Exposures" included in the Financial Stability Forum (FSF) report announced in April 2008.

The Company's exposure to securitized and subprime-related products is as follows:

- The Company held no direct investments in subprime-related products as of September 30, 2008.
- The Company holds investments in hedge funds in the form of fund-of-funds and single fund investments, and some of their underlying investments include subprime-related products. As there are both long and short positions, the Company believes that they will have a limited impact on the Company's financial condition even under market fluctuations.
- RMBS accounts for approximately 70% of the Company's total balance of securitized products in terms of fair value as of September 30, 2008. The breakdown of the RMBS is: (1) securities backed by US government agencies or US government-sponsored enterprises, (2) securities backed by Japanese mortgage loans, and (3) securities issued by Japan Housing Finance Agency.

The Company defines "unrealized gains (losses)" as fair value less book value and "realized gains (losses)" as total of gains (losses) on sales and impairment losses.

1. The Company's exposure to securitized products

Table 1. Special-Purpose Entities (SPEs, as of September 30, 2008)

The Company holds no investments in SPEs.

(¥ in billion)

		Fair value	Unrealized gains (losses)	Realized gains (losses)
Sp	ecial-Purpose Entities, Total	ı	_	_
	ABCP	1	_	_
	SPEs which the Company originated	-	_	_
	SIV	-	_	_
	SPEs which the Company originated	-	_	_
	Others	_	_	_
	SPEs which the Company originated	_	_	_

Table 2. Collateralized Debt Obligations (CDOs, as of September 30, 2008)

(¥ in billion)

		Fair Value	Unrealized gains (losses)	Realized gains (losses)
DOs (*	1) (*2)	32.4	(6.5)	(9.2)
ABS-C	DOs		, ,	, ,
	Senior			
	Subprime/Alt–A exposure			
	Mezzanine			
	Subprime/Alt–A exposure			
	Equity			
	Subprime/Alt–A exposure			
CLOs		21.0	(3.2)	(2.2)
	Senior	1.4	(0.0)	,
	Mezzanine		, ,	
	Equity	19.5	(3.2)	(2.2)
CBOs	•		, ,	, ,
	Senior			
	Mezzanine			
	Equity			
Synthet	ic CDOs	11.3	(3.2)	(7.0)
	Senior	1.7	, , ,	(3.2)
	Mezzanine	3.8	(1.3)	(3.7)
	Equity	5.7	(1.8)	, ,
Others	•		` /	
	Senior			
	Mezzanine			
	Equity			

^{*1.} The size of issuance as a whole on such CDOs is ¥2,678.1 billion which consists of senior (¥926.8 billion), mezzanine (¥590.0 billion) and equity (¥1,161.3 billion). Among the total amount, CDOs of ¥32.4 billion are held by the Company.

^{*2.} Breakdown of credit ratings of CDOs which the Company held as of September 30, 2008 is as follows:

(¥ in billion)

Credit rating	Fair value	Percentage
AAA	4.2	13.1%
AA	-	-
A	4.6	14.3%
BBB	4.0	12.3%
no credit ratings	19.5	60.3%
Total	32.4	100.0%

Table 3. Other Subprime/Alt-A Exposure (as of September 30, 2008)

The Company holds no securitized products backed by subprime/Alt-A exposure.

(¥ in billion)

		Fair value	Unrealized gains (losses)	Realized gains (losses)
Other Subprime/Alt-A Exposure, Total				
	Unsecuritized loan			
	RMBS			
	Derivatives			
	Commitment line			
	Others			

Table 4. Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities (CMBS, as of September 30, 2008)

(¥ in billion)

		Fair value		YY 1' 1 '	5 11 1 1
			(ref.) as of June 30, 2008	Unrealized gains (losses)	Realized gains (losses)
CMBS		1.3	1.3	(0.0)	
	Japan	1.3	1.3	(0.0)	
	USA				
	Europe				
	UK		_		
	Others			_	

^{*1.} Real estate as collateral consists of office buildings only.

Table 5. Leveraged Finance (as of September 30, 2008)

The Company holds no leveraged finance products.

(¥ in billion)

		Fair value		II	D 1: 1 :
			(ref.) as of June 30, 2008	Unrealized gains (losses)	Realized gains (losses)
Leveraged Finance, Total					
	Telecommunication				
	Electronics				
	Entertainment				
	Service		_		_
	Others		_		

Table 6. Others (as of September 30, 2008) (*1)

(¥ in billion)

	Fair value	Unrealized gains (losses)	Realized gains (losses)
Hedge fund (*2)	261.5	(33.0)	
CDS	(*3)	(0.0)	(*4) (0.0)
RMBS	(*5) 1,140.7	(16.3)	(1.3)
ABS	107.9	0.3	
Credit-linked note	3.0	0.0	

^{*1.} The Company held no direct investments in subprime-related products as of September 30, 2008.

2. Breakdown of Securitized Products as a Whole

The Company held no direct investments in securitized products related to subprime loans as of September 30, 2008.

(¥ in billion)

	Fair value	Unrealized gains (losses)	Realized gains (losses)	Percentage (Fair Value)
Securitized products, total	1,547.0	(55.6)	(10.5)	100.0%
CDO	32.4	(6.5)	(9.2)	2.1%
CMBS	1.3	(0.0)	_	0.1%
Hedge fund	261.5	(33.0)	_	16.9%
CDS	(*1) -	(0.0)	(0.0)	-
RMBS	1,140.7	(16.3)	(1.3)	73.7%
ABS	107.9	0.3	-	7.0%
Credit-linked note	3.0	0.0	-	0.2%

^{*}I. Notional amount of CDS amounted to \(\frac{\text{\frac{4}}}{2.0}\) billion, totaling long and short protection.

The Company holds investments in hedge funds in the form of fund-of-funds and single fund investments, and some of their underlying investments include subprime-related products. As there are both long and short positions, the Company believes that they will have a limited impact on the Company even under market fluctuations.

^{*2.} The Company holds hedge funds in the form of fund-of-funds and single fund investments, and some of their underlying investments include subprime-related products. As there are both long and short positions, the Company believes that they will have a limited impact on the Company even under market fluctuations.

^{*3.} Notional amount of CDS amounted to \(\frac{1}{2}\).0 billion, totaling long and short protection.

^{*4.} Realized gains (losses) of CDS represent the amount of net derivative transaction gains (losses) associated with CDS, which are derivative transaction gains from CDS less derivative transaction losses from CDS.

^{*5.} Consisted of: (1) approx. ¥905.8 billion of US mortgage securities backed by US government agencies or US government-sponsored enterprises, (2) approx. ¥226.0 billion of securities backed by Japanese mortgage loans, and (3) approx. ¥8.7 billion of securities issued by Japan Housing Finance Agency.

3. Other Related Information on Securitized Products

The Company's subsidiaries have no exposure to subprime-related products.

Abbreviated terms:

ABCP: Asset Backed Commercial Paper

ABS: Asset Backed Security

ABS-CDO: CDO of ABS

CBO: Collateralized Bond Obligation
CDO: Collateralized Debt Obligation

CDS: Credit Default Swap

CLO: Collateralized Loan Obligation

CMBS: Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities
RMBS: Residential Mortgage-Backed Securities

SIV: Structured Investment Vehicle