1. Percentage of Population Change

There were 802,082 persons in Tokyo Prefecture, Saitama Prefecture, Chiba Prefecture, and Kanagawa Prefecture, where the population increased from 1965 to 1970. This accounted for 29.4% of the 2,790,481 persons in the entire nation. Population increase rates showed a high increase of 48% in the Tokyo Metropolitan Area, while the population in the remaining prefectures, including Hokkaido, Tohoku, Kanto, and Kyushu, showed a decrease.

The population decreased in 38 prefectures, including each prefecture of the Kyushu Region, including Nagasaki, Oita, Kumamoto, and Kagoshima Prefectures, and in 6 prefectures of the Tottori, Shimane, and Kyoto Prefectures. The population decrease rate was highest in Osaka Prefecture, followed by Tokyo Prefecture, and then by Aichi Prefecture. The population decrease rate was lowest in Sendai, Yamagata, and Ibaraki Prefectures.

2. Domestic Movement of the Population

The movements of population between prefectures averaged 43,000 persons a year between 1964 and 1972. The greater part of the population moving out of the Hokkaido and Tohoku regions, Nagano, and Yamanashi prefectures moves to the Kanto region, the greatest number moving to Tokyo Prefecture. The majority of the population moving out of all prefectures of the Kinki region, including Mie Prefecture, and each prefecture of the Okinawa region, moves to the Kanto region. The greater number moving to Osaka Prefecture.

The population moving out of each prefecture of the Tottori, Shimane, and Kyoto regions and other prefectures of the Kinki region, and other prefectures of the Kanto region, moves to the Kinki region. The population moving out of Osaka Prefecture moves into the Kanto and Honshu regions. The population movements shown in the maps are actual numbers. The number of population movements in the maps are not shown. The number of population movements in the maps are not shown.
DOMESTIC MOVEMENT OF THE POPULATION

NUMBER OF PERSONS MOVING OUT

NUMBER OF PERSONS MOVING IN

COLOR OF REGION
- Hokkaido: 1
- Tōhoku: 2-7
- Tōkyō: 31-35
- Kanto: 6-14
- Kantō: 15-23
- Kinki: 36-39

Average annual movement for the period 1960-1972

1:4,000,000