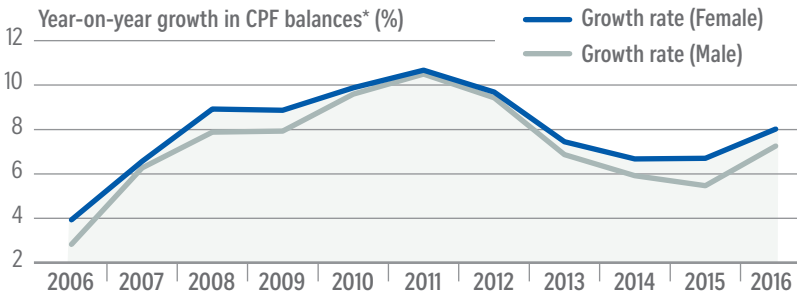


Retirement readiness

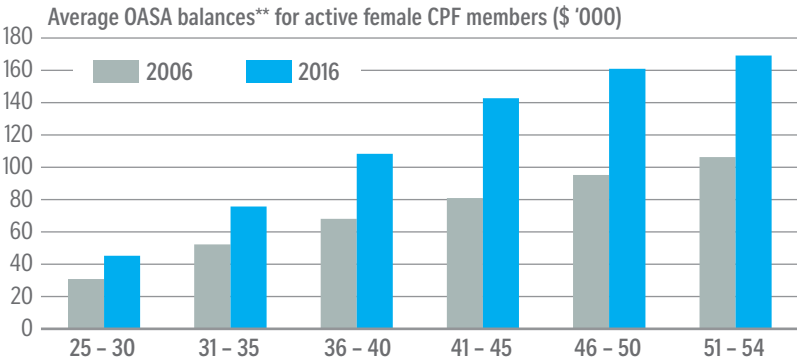
Women's retirement savings in their Central Provident Fund accounts have risen on average over the past decade, boosted by better employment opportunities and top-ups from husbands.

Women's average CPF balances growing faster than men's



NOTE: *Refers to balances in Ordinary, Special, Medisave and Retirement accounts

Older women's balances grew more



NOTE: **Refers to sum of balances in Ordinary Account, Special Account, and amount withdrawn under CPF Investment Scheme

Source: CPF BOARD STRAITS TIMES GRAPHICS