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## Actual Gas Sales volume in May 2005

### Tokyo Gas Co., Ltd.

Total gas sales volume by Tokyo Gas Co., Ltd., for the month of May 2005 came to about 914.4 million m<sup>3</sup>, up about 14.6 million m<sup>3</sup> (or 1.6%) from May 2004.

In the residential sector, volume totaled about 273.8 million m<sup>3</sup>, up by 8.4% from May 2004. The increase was due to the lower temperature than last year, which caused more demand in hot water.

In the business sector (consisting of commercial, public, and medical use), volume totaled about 192.3 million m<sup>3</sup>, almost average in the previous May.

In the industrial sector, factors such as increased consumption by existing customers brought volume to about 353.0 million m<sup>3</sup>, up 28.3% from the previous May.

Volume for wholesale supply to other gas companies totaled about 112.3 million m<sup>3</sup>, up 10.3% from May 2004, due to an increased off-take volume by contracted gas companies.

On a cumulative basis, the volume from April 2005 up to and including May 2005 totaled 2,010.7million m<sup>3</sup>, an increase of 5.6% from the same period of 2004.

#### 1. Gas sales volume

Unit: million m<sup>3</sup>/46.04655MJ, %

Use (sector)	May. 2005	May. 2004	Change		Cumulative sales for fiscal 2005 (from April 2005 to May2005)	Cumulative sales for fiscal 2004 (from April 2004 to May 2004)	Change	
				Rate of change relative to May 2004				Rate of change relative to fiscal 2004
Residential	273.788	252.458	21.330	8.4	625.454	593.107	32.347	5.5
Business	192.319	192.458	-139	-0.1	410.454	405.330	5.124	1.3
Industrial	336.013	353.049	-17.036	-4.8	740.270	700.133	40.137	5.7
Total	802.121	797.965	4.156	0.5	1,776.178	1,698.570	77.608	4.6
Wholesale	112.286	101.817	10.469	10.3	234.569	206.365	28.204	13.7
Grand total	914.407	899.783	14.624	1.6	2,010.747	1,904.934	105.813	5.6

Note: Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sums of their parts

## 2. Basic factors

### (1) Temperature

Unit: °C

	Apr.	May	Average for Apr.-May.	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Average for the first half
FY 2005	15.1	17.7	16.4	--	--	--	--	--
FY 2004	16.4	19.6	18.0	23.7	28.4	27.2	25.1	23.4
Change	-1.3	-1.9	-1.6	--	--	--	--	--

	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Average for the second half	Average for the fiscal year (April 1~March 31)
FY 2005	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
FY 2004	17.5	15.6	9.9	6.1	6.2	9.0	10.7	17.1
Change	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

### (2) Number of new customers

Unit: customers, %

	Apr.	May	Total for Apr.- May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	First half
FY 2005	14,817	14,386	29,203					
FY 2004	15,378	15,767	31,145	18,196	21,277	22,428	22,823	147,014
Change	-561	-1,381	-1,942					
Rate of change	-3.6	-8.8	-6.2					

	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Second half	Total for the fiscal year (April 1~March 31)
FY 2004								
FY 2005	19,147	22,439	29,121	25,888	38,279	38,786	173,660	289,529
Change								
Rate of change								

### (3) Number of customers

Unit: million of customers, %

	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
FY 2005	9.644	9.650				
FY 2004	9.448	9.456	9.466	9.478	9.494	9.509
Change	0.196	0.194				
Rate of change	2.1	2.1				

	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
FY 2005						
FY 2004	9.520	9.535	9.557	9.576	9.608	9.639
Change						
Rate of change						

## Gas sales volume in FY2004 and FY2003

Unit: million m<sup>3</sup>/46.04655MJ, %

	May.2004		May.2003		Cumulative sales for fiscal 2004 (from Apr. 2004 to May. 2004)		Cumulative sales for fiscal 2003 (from Apr. 2003 to May. 2003)	
		Rate of change relative to May 2003		Rate of change relative to May 2002		Rate of change relative to fiscal 2003		Rate of change relative to fiscal 2002
Residential	252.458	-6.0	268.454	-0.3	593.107	-2.6	609.173	9.0
Business	192.458	5.4	182.575	16.3	405.330	4.6	387.419	20.0
Industrial	353.049	28.3	275.096	2.9	700.133	18.8	589.553	12.5
Total	797.965	9.9	726.124	4.7	1,698.570	7.1	1,586.145	12.8
Wholesale	101.817	15.7	87.975	7.0	206.365	1.1	185.675	12.8
Grand total	899.783	10.5	814.099	4.9	1,904.934	7.5	1,771.819	12.8

Note: Due to rounding, totals may not equal the sums of their parts.

## Rate of increase relative to the previous year by segment (single months, FY2005 and FY2004)

Unit: %

		Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
		Residential	FY 2005	3.2	8.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	FY 2004	-0.0	-6.0	-4.3	-11.5	-23.0	-9.3	-6.7	-0.7	-1.5	-0.3	4.5	10.0
Business	FY 2005	2.5	-0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	FY 2004	3.9	5.4	3.0	19.6	26.5	3.1	3.6	3.6	3.1	2.4	4.9	8.7
Industrial	FY 2005	16.5	-4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	FY 2004	10.4	28.3	17.9	1.9	12.3	8.2	7.0	18.4	2.3	4.3	11.6	7.2
Total	FY 2005	8.2	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	FY 2004	4.7	9.9	7.4	4.0	9.4	3.1	2.6	8.9	1.2	2.0	7.0	8.6
Wholesale	FY 2005	17.0	10.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	FY 2004	7.0	15.7	16.2	16.5	11.3	15.6	14.5	8.5	9.8	13.4	19.0	15.4
Grand total	FY 2005	9.1	1.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	FY 2004	5.0	10.5	8.4	5.3	9.6	4.5	3.9	8.9	2.2	3.1	8.3	9.3