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Actual Gas Sales volume in April 2008

Tokyo Gas Co., Ltd.

Total gas sales volume by Tokyo Gas Co., Ltd., for the month of April 2008 came to about 1,218.38 million m³, up about 47.937 million m³ (or 4.1%) from April 2007.

In the residential sector, volume totaled about 335.516 million m³, down 2.3% from April 2007. It is because of higher temperatures than last year in the average of April, which caused less demand in hot water and space heating.

In the business sector (consisting of commercial, public, and medical use), volume totaled about 209.874 million m³, down 4.2% from previous April. It is because of higher temperatures than last year in the average of April, which caused less demand for air-conditioning and hot water.

In the industrial sector, volume totaled about 501.031 million m³, rose by 11.6% from April 2007, due to increase in demand for existing customers, thanks to the acquisition of new customers.

Volume for wholesale supply to other companies totaled about 171.96 million m³, up 8.3% from April 2007, due to developing new demand for those utilities.

1. Gas sales volume

Unit: thousand m³/45MJ, %

Use (sector)	April 2008	April 2007	Change	Rate of change relative to fiscal 2007
Residential	335,516	343,424	-7,908	-2.3
Business	209,874	219,123	-9,249	-4.2
Industrial	501,031	449,096	51,935	11.6
Total	1,046,420	1,011,643	34,777	3.4
Wholesale	171,960	158,800	13,160	8.3
Grand total	1,218,380	1,170,443	47,937	4.1

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

2. Basic factors

(1) Temperature

Unit: °C

	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Average for the first half
FY 2008	10.7	14.7	-	-	-	-	-	-
FY 2007	10.8	13.7	19.8	23.2	24.4	29.0	25.2	22.6
Change	-0.1	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-

	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Average for the second half	Average for the fiscal year (April 1~March 31)
FY 2008	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FY 2007	19.0	13.3	9.0	5.9	5.5	10.7	10.6	16.6
Change	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

(2) Number of new customers

Unit: customers, %

	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	First half
FY 2008	12,500	-	-	-	-	-	-
FY 2007	14,820	14,651	16,901	18,596	18,026	19,988	102,982
Change	-2,320	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rate of change	-15.7	-	-	-	-	-	-

	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Second half	Total for the fiscal year (April 1~March 31)
FY 2008	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FY 2007	19,887	21,043	21,941	22,594	35,621	32,671	153,757	256,739
Change	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rate of change	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

(3) Number of customers

Unit: thousand, %

	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
FY 2008	10,127	-	-	-	-	-
FY 2007	9,960	9,966	9,975	9,986	9,997	10,010
Change	167	-	-	-	-	-
Rate of change	1.7	-	-	-	-	-

	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
FY 2008	-	-	-	-	-	-
FY 2007	10,023	10,036	10,052	10,068	10,098	10,124
Change	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rate of change	-	-	-	-	-	-

Gas sales volume in FY2007 and FY2006

Unit: thousand m³/45MJ, %

Use(sector)	April in 2007	April in		
		Rate of Change relative to fiscal 2006	2006	Rate of change relative to fiscal 2005
Residential	343,424	-3.6	356,427	-0.9
Business	219,123	-2.3	224,248	0.5
Industrial	449,096	11.0	404,703	-2.2
Subtotal	1,011,643	2.7	985,377	-1.1
Wholesale	158,800	9.3	145,331	16.1
Total	1,170,443	3.5	1,130,709	0.8

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, FY2008 and FY2007)

Unit: %

Use(sector)		April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
Residential	FY2008	-2.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	FY2007	-3.6	-0.0	-9.8	1.6	-1.1	-10.2	-4.7	0.6	6.9	3.3	16.0	6.0
Business	FY2008	-4.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	FY2007	-2.3	5.4	1.0	0.1	4.1	8.9	4.5	2.1	7.0	2.7	15.3	11.3
Industrial	FY2008	11.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	FY2007	11.0	2.5	2.0	10.0	11.2	3.9	0.1	7.9	7.9	5.5	10.6	10.2
Total	FY2008	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	FY2007	2.7	2.3	-1.3	5.4	6.8	3.1	0.2	4.7	7.4	4.0	13.8	9.0
Wholesale	FY2008	8.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	FY2007	9.3	12.1	14.6	14.2	14.6	15.6	15.9	22.9	16.8	20.4	26.9	10.0
Grand total	FY2008	4.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	FY2007	3.5	3.5	0.9	6.6	7.8	4.8	2.4	7.2	8.7	6.1	15.6	9.1