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Actual Gas Sales volume in July 2006

Tokyo Gas Co., Ltd.

Total gas sales volume by Tokyo Gas Co., Ltd., for the month of July 2006 came to about 1,004.7 million m³, up about 45.5 million m³ (or 4.7%) from July 2005.

In the residential sector, volume totaled about 171.0 million m³, up 7.0% from July 2005, because of increase in number of customers.

In the business sector (consisting of commercial, public, and medical use), volume totaled about 262.7 million m³, up 4.5% from July 2006, because of increase demand for existing customers in addition to new demand development.

In the industrial sector, volume totaled about 434.7million m³, up 1.5% from July 2005.

Volume for wholesale supply to other gas companies totaled about 136.3 million m³, up 13.8% from July 2005, due to an increased off-take volume by contracted gas companies.

On a cumulative basis, the volume from April 2006 up to and including July 2006 totaled 4,137.5million m³, an increase of 5.2% from the same period of 2005.

1. Gas sales volume

Unit: million m³/45MJ, %

Use (sector)	July 2006	July 2005	Change		Cumulative sales for fiscal 2006 (from April 2006 to July 2006)	Cumulative sales for fiscal 2005 (from April 2005 to July 2005)	Change	
				Rate of change relative to fiscal 2005				Rate of change relative to fiscal 2005
Residential	171.021	159.801	11.220	7.0	1,044.215	1,016.138	28.077	2.8
Business	262.742	251.322	11.420	4.5	896.879	881.887	14.992	1.7
Industrial	434.679	428.300	6.379	1.5	1,656.229	1,560.138	96.091	6.2
Total	868.442	839.423	29.019	3.5	3,597.323	3,458.163	139.160	4.0
Wholesale	136.252	119.769	16.483	13.8	540.183	476.311	63.872	13.4
Grand total	1,004.694	959.192	45.502	4.7	4,137.506	3,934.474	203.032	5.2

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

2. Basic factors

(1) Temperature

Unit: °C

	April	May	June	July	Average for Apr.-July	Aug.	Sept.	Average for the first half
FY 2006	13.7	19.0	22.5	25.6	20.2	-	-	-
FY 2005	15.1	17.7	23.2	25.6	20.4	28.1	24.7	22.4
Change	-1.4	1.3	-0.7	0.0	-0.2	-	-	-

	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Average for the second half	Average for the fiscal year (April 1~March 31)
FY 2006	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FY 2005	19.2	13.3	6.4	5.1	6.7	9.8	10.1	16.2
Change	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

(2) Number of new customers

Unit: customers, %

	April	May	June	July	Total for Apr.-July	Aug.	Sept.	First half
FY 2006	13,923	12,858	19,065	16,212	62,058	-	-	
FY 2005	14,817	14,386	18,175	20,156	67,534	20,241	21,719	109,494
Change	-894	-1,528	890	-3,944	-5,476	-	-	
Rate of change	-6.0	-10.6	4.9	-19.6	-8.1	-	-	

	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Second half	Total for the fiscal year (April 1~March 31)
FY 2006	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FY 2005	19,529	21,876	25,766	23,032	35,950	39,251	165,404	274,898
Change	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rate of change	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

(3) Number of customers

Unit: million of customers, %

	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
FY 2006	9.822	9.826	9.838	9,803	-	-
FY 2005	9.644	9.650	9.660	9.672	9.684	9.698
Change	0.178	0.176	0.178	0.131	-	-
Rate of change	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.4	-	-

	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
FY 2006	-	-	-	-	-	-
FY 2005	9.709	9.723	9.743	9.758	9.788	9.818
Change	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rate of change	-	-	-	-	-	-

[Reference]

Gas sales volume in FY2005 and FY2004

Unit: million m³/45MJ, %

	June 2005		June 2004		Cumulative sales for fiscal 2005 (from Apr. 2005 to June 2005)		Cumulative sales for fiscal 2004 (from Apr. 2004 to June 2004)	
		Rate of change relative to June 2004		Rate of change relative to June 2003		Rate of change relative to fiscal 2004		Rate of change relative to fiscal 2003
Residential	159.801	3.2	154.864	-11.5	1,016.138	6.4	954.922	-4.5
Business	251.322	-7.5	271.626	19.6	881.887	-1.1	891.927	8.4
Industrial	428.300	7.7	397.663	1.9	1,560.138	5.5	1,479.122	13.5
Total	839.423	1.9	824.154	4.0	3,458.163	4.0	3,325.970	6.4
Wholesale	119.769	12.2	106.772	16.5	476.311	13.4	419.896	13.7
Grand total	959.192	3.0	930.926	5.3	3,934.474	5.0	3,745.867	7.2

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, FY2006 and FY2005)

Unit: %

Use(sector)		April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
Residential	FY 2006	-0.9	8.0	-1.0	7.0								
	FY 2005	3.2	8.4	12.0	3.2	11.4	4.7	-2.6	0.4	18.8	12.9	2.4	0.3
Business	FY 2006	0.5	1.7	-0.4	4.5								
	FY 2005	2.5	-0.1	2.5	-7.5	-1.1	7.6	4.2	0.5	15.9	13.8	4.3	0.1
Industrial	FY 2006	-2.2	18.5	9.4	1.5								
	FY 2005	16.5	-4.8	2.5	7.7	5.3	4.8	3.2	-2.8	12.0	4.5	9.6	10.3
Total	FY 2006	-1.1	10.9	4.0	3.5								
	FY 2005	8.2	0.5	4.9	1.9	3.9	5.7	2.2	-1.1	15.1	10.1	5.4	4.0
Wholesale	FY 2006	16.1	11.6	11.9	13.8								
	FY 2005	17.0	10.3	14.3	12.2	18.3	14.2	9.9	24.0	32.7	20.4	17.2	12.1
Grand total	FY 2006	0.8	11.0	5.0	4.7								
	FY 2005	9.1	1.6	6.0	3.0	5.4	6.7	3.1	1.9	17.3	11.2	6.8	4.9