

Gas Sales Volume

January 2009

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Osaka Gas Co., Ltd.

In January, monthly gas sales volume totaled 821 million cubic meters, down by 7.5% from the previous year. The sales profiles in each customer category are as shown below.

[Residential]

The gas sales volume increased by 1.4% from the previous year due to longer intervals in metering schedules.

[Non-Residential - Industrial]

The gas sales volume decreased by 17.0% from the previous year, due to decrease in capacity utilization of our customers' facilities.

[Non-Residential - Commercial]

The gas sales volume decreased by 0.3% from the previous year, due to energy-savings by our customers, despite of longer intervals in metering schedules.

[Non-Residential - Public and Medical]

The gas sales volume decreased by 0.8% from the previous year, due to energy-savings by our customers, despite of longer intervals in metering schedules.

The details are as follows;

1. Gas Sales Volume (1m³ = 45MJ)

		Jan-09	Change from Jan.-08
Number of newly built houses		8,251	117.4%
Gas Sales (1,000m ³)	Residential	329,708	101.4%
	Non-residential	451,262	87.6%
	Wholesale	39,672	85.1%
Total volume of gas sales		820,642	92.5%

2. Temperature and Water Temperature

	December			January		
	Dec-08	Dec-07	Change	Jan-09	Jan-08	Change
Temperature (C)	9.1	9.6	-0.5	6.5	5.8	+0.7
Water Temperature (C)*	12.2	12.2	+0.0	9.1	9.4	-0.3

* Measured by Osaka Gas

3. Cumulative Gas Sales Volume (1m³=45MJ)

		Jan-09	Jan-08	Change (%)	FY2009.3 Apr.-Jan.	FY2008.3 Apr.-Jan.	Change (%)	
Number of newly built houses		8,251	7,029	117.4%	81,191	82,029	99.0%	
Number of Customers (1,000 households)	Residential	6,595	6,533	100.9%	-	-	-	
	Non-residential	327	324	101.1%	-	-	-	
	Total	6,922	6,857	101.0%	-	-	-	
Gas Sales (1,000m ³)	Residential	329,708	325,233	101.4%	1,667,602	1,685,040	99.0%	
	Non-residential	Industrial	309,749	373,043	83.0%	3,551,460	3,684,029	96.4%
		Commercial	82,366	82,641	99.7%	822,540	855,741	96.1%
		Public and Medical	59,148	59,608	99.2%	492,281	506,661	97.2%
	Total	451,262	515,292	87.6%	4,866,281	5,046,431	96.4%	
	Total	780,970	840,525	92.9%	6,533,883	6,731,470	97.1%	
Wholesales		39,672	46,614	85.1%	365,637	378,156	96.7%	
Total		820,642	887,140	92.5%	6,899,520	7,109,626	97.0%	