Gas Sales Volume January 2014

19 February 2014 Osaka Gas Co., Ltd.

In January, monthly gas sales volume totaled 929 million cubic meters, up 0.9% from the previous year. The sales profiles in each customer category are as shown below.

[Residential]

The gas sales volume decreased by 3.5% from the previous year due to higher temperatures of the air and water in December and January, which caused decrease of hot water and heating demand.

[Non-Residential - Industrial]

The gas sales volume increased by 7.4% from the previous year due to our marketing effort to develop new demand and increase in capacity utilization of our customers' facilities.

[Non-Residential - Commercial]

The gas sales volume decreased by 3.7% from the previous year due to higher temperatures in December and January which caused decrease of heating demand.

[Non-Residential - Public and Medical]

The gas sales volume decreased by 5.9% from the previous year due to higher temperatures in December and January which caused decrease of heating demand.

The details are as follows;

1. Gas Sales Volume $(1m^3 = 45MJ)$

		Jan-14	Change from Jan-13
Number of newly built houses		7, 320	115.4%
	Residential	351, 242	96.5%
Gas Sales (1,000m ³)	Non-residential	528, 188	103.6%
	Wholesale	49, 921	104.5%
Total volume of gas sales		929, 352	100.9%

2. Temperature and Water Temperature

	December			January			
	Dec-13	Dec-12	Change	Jan-14	Jan-13	Change	
Temperature (C)	7.8	6.6	+1.2	5.9	5.2	+0.7	
Water Temperature (C)*	10.6	9.9	+0.7	8.1	7.6	+0.5	

* Measured by Osaka Gas

			Jan-14	Jan-13	Change (%)	FY2014.3 AprJan.	FY2013.3 AprJan.	Change (%)
Number of newly built houses		7, 320	6,341	115.4%	69,941	63, 115	110.8%	
Number of	Residential		6,774	6,732	100.6%		—	_
Customers	Non-re	sidential	341	338	101.0%	—	—	-
(1,000 households)		Total	7, 115	7,070	100.6%	_	_	_
Gas Sales (1,000m ³)	Residential		351, 242	363, 794	96.5%	1,620,099	1, 706, 241	95.0%
	Non-	Industrial	375, 876	350, 125	107.4%	3, 569, 332	3, 496, 498	102.1%
		Commercial	85, 726	88,994	96.3%	739, 767	752, 130	98.4%
	residential	Public and Medical	66, 586	70, 773	94.1%	514, 777	519, 810	99.0%
		Total	528, 188	509, 892	103.6%	4, 823, 876	4, 768, 438	101.2%
	Т	otal	879, 430	873, 686	100.7%	6, 443, 975	6, 474, 679	99. 5%
	Wholesales		49, 921	47, 754	104.5%	382, 205	384, 634	99.4%
Total		929, 352	921, 440	100.9%	6, 826, 180	6, 859, 313	99.5%	

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