Gas Sales Volume

March 2017

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F.Y. 2017.3 (ended March 2017)

Gas sales volumes for the fiscal year ended March 2017 totaled 8,662 million cubic meters, increased by 8.0% from the last year.

The sales profiles in each customer category are as shown below.

[Residential]

The gas sales volume increased by 0.9% from the last year due to lower temperatures of the air and water in winter, which caused hot water and heating demand increase.

[Non-Residential - Industrial]

The gas sales volumes increased by 13.5% from the last year due to newly created demand.

[Non-Residential - Commercial]

The gas sales volumes increased by 1.3% from the last year due to increase in air-conditioning demand.

[Non-Residential - Public and Medical]

The gas sales volumes increased by 7.1% from the last year due to increase in air-conditioning demand.

[Wholesale]

The gas sales volumes increased by 4.3% from the last year.

March 2017

In March, monthly gas sales volumes totaled 910 million cubic meters, increased by 11.9% from the previous year. The sales profiles in each customer category are as shown below.

[Residential]

The gas sales volume increased by 5.8% from the previous year due to lower temperatures of the air and water, which caused hot water and heating demand increase.

[Non-Residential - Industrial]

The gas sales volume increased by 20.1% from the previous year due to newly created demand.

[Non-Residential - Commercial]

The gas sales volume increased by 3.6% from the previous year due to lower temperatures of the air which caused heating demand increase.

[Non-Residential - Public and Medical]

The gas sales volume increased by 6.5% from the previous year due to lower temperatures of the air which caused heating demand increase.

[Wholesale]

The gas sales volumes increased by 2.8% from previous year.

The details are as follows;

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

			Mar-17	Mar-16	Change	FY2017.3	FY2016.3	Change
					(%)	AprMar.	AprMar.	(%)
Number of newly built houses			22, 537	21, 304	105.8%	110,877	109, 457	101.3%
Number of	Residential Non-residential		6, 958	6, 903	100.8%	1	_	
Customers			352	349	100.8%	_	_	_
(1,000 households)		Total	7, 310	7, 252	100.8%	ı	_	_
Gas Sales Volume (1,000m³)	Residential		291, 482	275, 441	105.8%	2, 102, 632	2, 083, 235	100.9%
	Non-residential	Industrial	435, 939	363, 025	120.1%	4, 608, 907	4, 058, 994	113.5%
		Commercial	74, 296	71, 731	103.6%	843, 870	832, 758	101.3%
		Public and Medical	62, 102	58, 290	106.5%	617, 872	576, 814	107. 1%
	Total		572, 337	493, 046	116. 1%	6, 070, 649	5, 468, 566	111.0%
	Total		863, 819	768, 487	112.4%	8, 173, 281	7, 551, 801	108. 2%
	Wholesales		46, 612	45, 325	102.8%	489, 019	468, 915	104. 3%
Total			910, 431	813, 812	111.9%	8, 662, 300	8, 020, 715	108.0%

2. Atmospheric Temperature and Water Temperature

		February		March			
	Feb-17	Feb-16	Change	Mar-17	Mar-16	Change	
Atmospheric Temperature (C)	6. 3	7. 4	-1.1	9. 2	10.8	-1.6	
Water Temperature (C)*	7. 9	8. 9	-1.0	9.9	11. 1	-1. 2	

^{*} Measured by Osaka Gas

With the data of March 2017 being the last, the monthly gas sales volume will no longer be released to the public.