Electricity Demand in June 2012 (Bulletin)

Demand Overview (Total Sales of 10 Power Companies)

- Electricity demand in June 2012, measured in terms of the total electricity sales of the ten power companies, was down year on year, decreasing by 0.2% to 64.0 billion kWh.
- Outside the liberalized segment, lighting demand grew by 0.5%, due principally to a longer meter-reading period, compared with a year ago.

Commercial demand in the liberalized segment increased by 0.7% due mainly to a rebound from the negative effect of the Great East Japan Earthquake.

Demand Volume and Year-on-year Basis by Month and Use

	This Month	Prev. 3 Month				
			(June)	May	April	March
Volume (GWh)	Other than	Lighting	17,992	21,284	24,266	28,301
	Eligible Customers'	Power	2,926	3,093	3,473	4,054
	Use	Lighting & Power Total	20,918	24,377	27,739	32,355
	Eligible	Commercial Power	14,725	14,015	14,982	15,854
	Customers'	Industrial Power	28,403	27,106	27,596	28,410
	Use	Eligible Customers' Use Total	43,127	41,121	42,578	44,264
	T	otal Electricity Sales	64,045	65,498	70,317	76,619
		(Large Industry)	23,006	22,118	22,143	22,854
	Other than	Lighting	100.5	100.0	95.8	106.8
	Eligible Customers' Use	Power	101.8	98.8	95.3	107.3
V		Lighting & Power Total	100.7	99.9	95.8	106.8
Year-on- year Basis (%)	Eligible Customers'	Commercial Power	100.7	103.8	105.3	103.7
		Industrial Power	98.7	102.5	105.5	106.5
	Use	Eligible Customers' Use Total	99.4	102.9	105.4	105.5
	T	otal Electricity Sales	99.8	101.8	101.4	106.1
		(Large Industry)	98.0	101.9	105.8	106.8

Remarks: 1) Figures in () indicate breakdown.

2) Figures may not add up due to rounding.

(Reference)

Large industrial demand dropped year on year for the first time in four months, decreasing by 2.0%. This was mainly due to a year-on-year decrease in major industries except for steel and non-ferrous metals.

(Reference) Large Industry Demand Volume and Year-on-year Basis by Sector

Units: GWh, %

	This Month (May)	Prev. 3 Months				
	Volume	Year-on-year Basis	April	March	February		
Textiles	349	89.9	97.2	96.2	91.4		
Paper & Pulp	769	93.1	97.1	96.5	93.8		
Chemicals	2,224	92.7	95.1	104.7	105.8		
Ceramic	968	98.4	100.6	103.3	101.7		
Steel	3,212	104.7	105.9	111.9	110.1		
Non-Ferrous Metals	1,376	102.6	103.8	114.2	117.9		
Machinery	6,009	97.0	104.5	108.3	109.8		

(Reference) Large Industry Demand Year-on-year Changes (%)

	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
FY2003	2.7	1.8	0.8	-4.3	-2.6	0.8	-0.6	-0.1	-0.4	0.4	3.2	1.3
FY2004	2.2	1.3	4.6	7.6	4.5	2.8	2.3	2.3	1.8	1.6	-0.1	1.7
FY2005	1.0	-0.8	0.5	-1.6	1.7	1.9	2.7	2.3	4.6	3.7	2.8	2.9
FY2006	3.1	4.9	4.0	4.7	5.6	3.1	5.5	6.7	5.4	4.5	5.0	6.1
FY2007	4.6	5.1	4.1	3.0	4.8	5.8	4.0	2.8	2.8	3.8	8.0	2.2
FY2008	3.3	3.8	2.2	6.5	-0.0	0.6	-0.5	-5.2	-13.0	-18.7	-26.4	-24.4
FY2009	-20.5	-19.4	-17.0	-16.3	-14.1	-13.7	-11.2	-6.2	1.9	10.8	17.7	19.9
FY2010	15.2	12.4	12.0	10.1	11.6	10.4	5.8	4.8	5.2	5.8	4.6	-6.3
FY2011	-6.2	-3.3	-2.8	-4.7	-5.7	-5.7	-3.2	-2.3	-3.8	-5.2	-0.7	6.8
FY2012	5.8	1.9	2.0		·	·				·		