

Electricity Demand in September 2015 (Bulletin)

Demand Overview (Total Sales of 10 Power Companies)

- Electricity demand in September 2015, measured in terms of the total electricity sales of the ten power companies, was down year on year, decreasing by 2.9% to 66.3 billion kWh.

- Outside the liberalized segment, lighting demand dropped by 0.9%, due principally to decreased cooling demands caused by relatively lower temperatures from late August to early September than the previous year.

Commercial demand in the liberalized segment declined by 5.1%.

(Reference)

Large industrial demand dropped year on year for the seventeenth consecutive month, decreasing by 3.4%.

This was due mainly to a year-on-year decrease in all major industries.

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

Units: GWh, %

	This Month (Sep.)		Prev. 3 Months		
	Volume	Year-on-year Basis	Aug.	Jul.	Jun.
Textiles	317	94.4	98.9	94.4	98.9
Paper & Pulp	621	93.8	92.8	93.3	93.9
Chemicals	2,121	96.7	99.5	100.2	96.4
Ceramic	813	95.9	97.4	96.9	91.8
Steel	2,793	91.1	93.6	93.5	90.5
Non-Ferrous Metals	1,181	97.0	97.3	104.4	99.3
Machinery	5,840	97.7	98.5	98.7	99.3

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

			This Month (Sep.)	Prev. 3 Month		
				Aug.	Jul.	Jun.
Volume (GWh)	Other than Eligible Customers' Use	Lighting	20,087	24,857	18,761	16,812
		Power	3,362	4,341	3,173	2,775
		Lighting & Power Total	23,449	29,198	21,934	19,587
	Eligible Customers' Use	Commercial Power	15,625	17,587	15,278	14,088
		Industrial Power	27,192	27,848	28,714	27,338
		Eligible Customers' Use Total	42,819	45,435	43,992	41,426
	Total Electricity Sales			66,267	74,633	65,926
(Large Industry)			21,664	21,940	23,278	22,073
Year-on-year Basis (%)	Other than Eligible Customers' Use	Lighting	99.1	103.5	97.7	97.3
		Power	96.3	101.6	95.7	98.1
		Lighting & Power Total	98.7	103.2	97.4	97.4
	Eligible Customers' Use	Commercial Power	94.9	97.1	94.3	96.1
		Industrial Power	96.9	98.2	98.0	97.5
		Eligible Customers' Use Total	96.2	97.8	96.7	97.0
	Total Electricity Sales			97.1	99.8	96.9
(Large Industry)			96.6	98.0	98.3	97.2

Remarks: 1) Figures in () indicate breakdown.

2) Figures may not add up due to rounding.

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

	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
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	-5.8	-5.6	-3.2	-2.3	-3.8	-5.2	-0.7	6.8
FY2012	5.8	1.9	-2.0	-1.7	-1.3	-2.1	-3.3	-4.7	-4.2	-3.9	-7.4	-5.0
FY2013	-4.0	-1.8	-1.2	0.8	-0.3	-1.1	2.4	1.3	1.9	3.4	2.5	2.8
FY2014	0.8	0.0	-0.1	-1.1	-2.1	-1.5	-2.3	-1.2	-0.6	-1.8	-2.6	-2.3
FY2015	-2.0	-3.3	-2.8	-1.7	-2.0	-3.4						