

Electricity Demand in Second Half of Fiscal 2015 (Bulletin)

Demand Overview (Total Sales of 10 Power Companies)

- Electricity demand in the second half of fiscal 2015, measured in terms of the total electricity sales of the ten power companies, decreased by 4.3% to 401.2 billion kWh.

- Outside the liberalized segment, lighting demand decreased by 4.1%, due principally to decreased heating demands caused by relatively higher temperatures from December to the early January than last year.

Commercial demand in the liberalized segment decreased by 6.4%.

(Reference)

Large industrial user demand declined year-on-year for the fourth consecutive term, decreasing by 3.0%.

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

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

			This Period (2nd half of FY2015)	Prev. 3 Periods			
				1st half of FY2015	2nd half of FY2014	1st half of FY2014	
Volume (GWh)	Other than Eligible Customers' Use	Lighting	143,554	123,295	149,641	123,461	
		Power	19,484	19,668	20,578	19,895	
		Lighting & Power Total	163,038	142,963	170,219	143,356	
	Eligible Customers' Use	Commercial Power	82,881	89,700	88,564	93,106	
		Industrial Power	155,293	163,183	160,601	167,153	
		Eligible Customers' Use Total	238,174	252,883	249,165	260,259	
	Total Electricity Sales			401,212	395,846	419,384	403,615
	(Large Industry)			124,982	130,946	128,852	134,334
Year-on- year Basis (%)	Other than Eligible Customers' Use	Lighting	95.9	99.9	97.5	94.4	
		Power	94.7	98.9	96.3	92.9	
		Lighting & Power Total	95.8	99.7	97.3	94.2	
	Eligible Customers' Use	Commercial Power	93.6	96.3	96.5	95.6	
		Industrial Power	96.7	97.6	98.1	99.2	
		Eligible Customers' Use Total	95.6	97.2	97.5	97.9	
	Total Electricity Sales			95.7	98.1	97.4	96.5
	(Large Industry)			97.0	97.5	98.2	99.3

Remarks: 1) Figures in () indicate breakdown.

2) Figures may not add up due to rounding.

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

Units: GWh, %

	This Period (2nd half of FY2015)		Prev. 3 Periods		
	Volume	Year-on-year Basis	1st half of FY2015	2nd half of FY2014	1st half of FY2014
Textiles	1,819	94.8	97.0	98.8	97.2
Paper & Pulp	3,682	93.1	93.5	96.6	93.8
Chemicals	12,450	96.0	98.0	98.8	98.9
Ceramic	4,966	96.3	94.1	96.9	97.7
Steel	16,852	93.9	92.3	94.7	101.5
Non-Ferrous Metals	7,179	98.3	99.4	101.6	102.6
Machinery	32,782	97.8	98.8	99.4	99.7