

March 17, 2014

## Actual Gas Sales volume in February 2014

In February, monthly gas sales volume totaled 386.608 million cubic meters, increase by 0.4% from the previous year.

 (Unit:1,000m<sup>3</sup>)

	February 2014		February 2013		Change	
	Gas sales volume	Composition ratio	Gas sales volume	Composition ratio	Volume	Rate of change
Residential	101,438	28.1%	100,211	28.2%	1,227	1.2%
Commercial	23,344	6.5%	23,378	6.6%	-34	-0.1%
Industrial	210,130	58.3%	206,181	58.0%	3,949	1.9%
Public and Medical	25,669	7.1%	25,872	7.3%	-203	-0.8%
Total	360,581	100.0%	355,642	100.0%	4,938	1.4%
Wholesale	26,028	—	29,427	—	-3,399	-11.6%
Grand total	386,608	—	385,069	—	1,539	0.4%
Number of Customers	2,336,102	—	2,317,634	—	18,468	0.8%
Residential	2,251,203	—	2,232,445	—	18,758	0.8%

 ※1m<sup>3</sup>=11,000kcal [46.04655MJ]

### 1. Gas Sales Volume

#### (1) Residential

The gas sales volume increased from the previous year, due to lower temperatures in early February which caused increase of heating and hot water demand, etc.

#### (2) Commercial, Public and Medical

The gas sales volume remained the same level as the previous year.

#### (3) Industrial

The gas sales volume increased from the previous year, due to our marketing efforts to develop new gas demand, etc.

#### (4) Wholesale

The gas sales volume to other gas utilities decreased.

### 2. Temperature

(Unit: °C)

	FY2013	FY2012	Change
January	4.6	4.0	0.6
February	5.3	4.6	0.7
Average for two months	5.0	4.3	0.7

### <Reference> Cumulative Gas Sales Volume

 (Unit:1,000m<sup>3</sup>)

	FY2013 (April-February)		FY2012 (April-February)		Change	
	Gas sales volume	Composition ratio	Gas sales volume	Composition ratio	Volume	Rate of change
Residential	644,446	19.7%	662,101	20.3%	-17,655	-2.7%
Commercial	253,402	7.7%	254,006	7.8%	-604	-0.2%
Industrial	2,142,142	65.5%	2,113,143	64.9%	28,999	1.4%
Public and Medical	231,434	7.1%	227,537	7.0%	3,897	1.7%
Total	3,271,423	100.0%	3,256,787	100.0%	14,637	0.4%
Wholesale	265,441	—	262,838	—	2,603	1.0%
Grand total	3,536,864	—	3,519,625	—	17,240	0.5%

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