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## 1. Housing market

Summary			As of	Results	Year-on-year, Month-on-month change	
Listing volume	REINS information content	Registered properties	January	51,575	Year-on-year change	10.2% ↑
		Unsold inventory	January	76,200	Year-on-year change	△2.7% ↓
Contracts concluded	REINS contracts concluded	Condominiums	January	2,440	Year-on-year change	△9.23% ↓
		Land/Detached Houses	January	1,058	Year-on-year change	△11.76% ↓
		Total (units)	January	3,498	Year-on-year change	△10.01% ↓
	Registered transfer of titles due to purchase and sale (Nationwide)	December	52,328	Year-on-year change	△4.21% ↓	
Price trends	REINS average contract price	Condominiums (10,000 yen)	January	2,798	Month-on-month change	△1.72% ↓
		Detached houses (10,000 yen)	January	3,054	Month-on-month change	4.34% ↑
		Land (10,000 yen)	January	2,651	Month-on-month change	△2.75% ↓
	REINS contracts concluded	Condominiums (10,000 yen/sqm)	January	43.7	Month-on-month change	△2.54% ↓
		Unit price sqm	Land (10,000 yen/sqm)	January	18.1	Month-on-month change
	JREI home price indices ※ (December 1, 2000 = 100)(Greater Tokyo area)		November	83.9	Month-on-month change	1.08% ↑
	Property price indices(Residential) (FY2008 = 100)(Nationwide)		October	90.3	Month-on-month change	△3.98% ↓
	Officially published land prices	Residential land	January, 2014	-	Year-on-year	0.70% →
Commercial land		January, 2014	-	Year-on-year	1.70% ↑	
New home market	New home construction starts	Nationwide (dwellings)	December	76,416	Year-on-year change	△14.69% ↓
	Condominiums in Greater Tokyo area	Condominiums supplied (units)	January	1,679	Year-on-year change	△8.05% ↓
		Contract conclusion rate	January	74.9%	Year-on-year change	△3.70pt ↓
		Inventory (units)	January	5,564	Month-on-month change	△7.91% ↓
		Unsold inventory after completion (units)	January	1,534	Month-on-month change	1.46% ↑
		Average price (10,000 yen)	January	4,455	Month-on-month change	△11.29% ↓
		Average sqm unit price (10,000 yen/sqm)	January	63.9	Month-on-month change	△10.00% ↓
Mortgage interest rates	Bank variable interest rate (%) (Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation)		as of February 1	2.475%	Month-on-month change	0.00pt →
	Bank (10-year) fixed rate (%) (Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation)		as of February 1	3.300%	Month-on-month change	△0.05pt ↓
	JHFA standard interest rate(%) ※		as of February 1	1.740%	Month-on-month change	△0.10pt ↓
	Long-term prime rate (%)		as of February 1	1.05%	Month-on-month change	△0.05pt ↓
	Official discount rate (%)		as of December 19, 2008	0.30%	Month-on-month change	0.00pt →

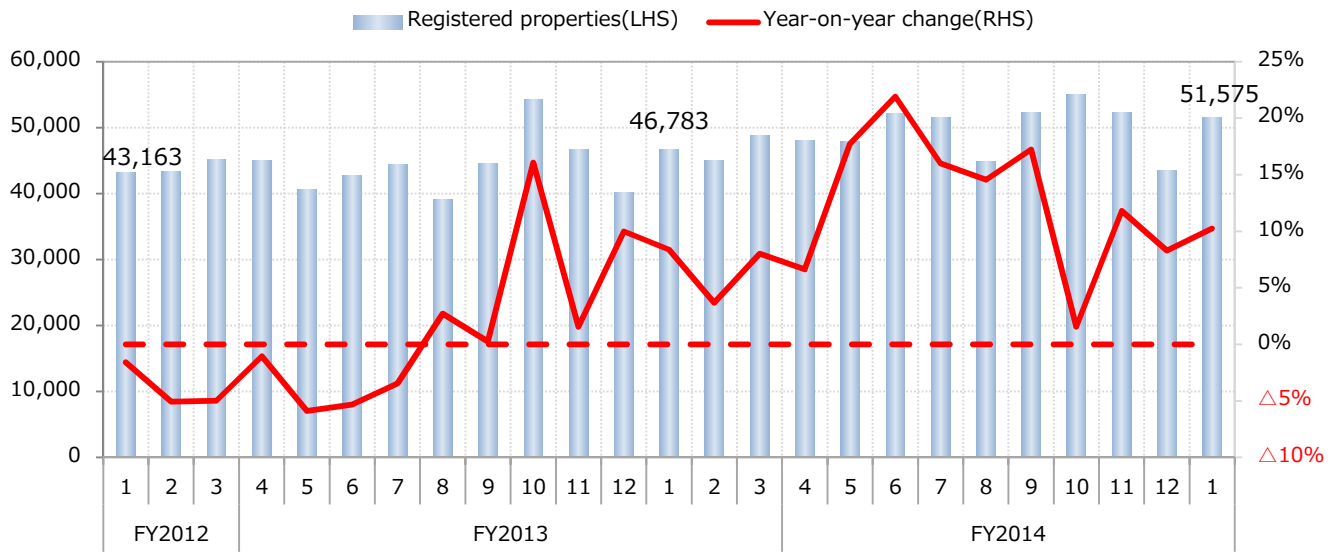
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※ JREI : Japan Real Estate Institute  
 ※ JHFA : Japan Housing Finance Agency

(1). Listing volume; 1. REINS registered properties

(Unit: units)

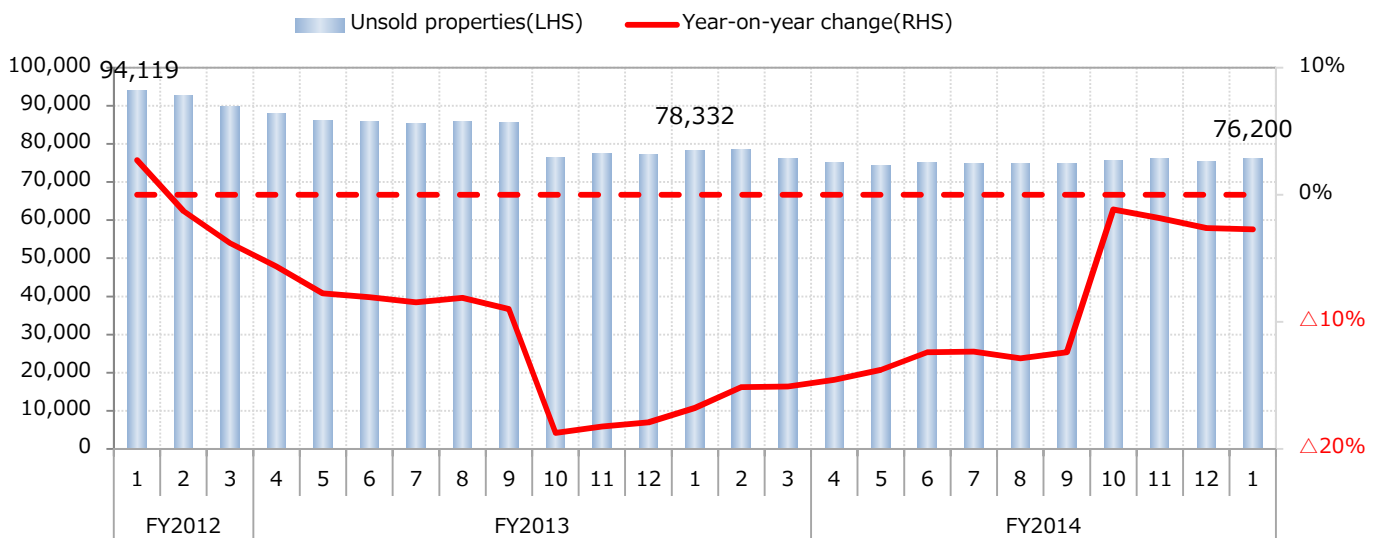
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(1). Listing volume; 2. REINS inventory

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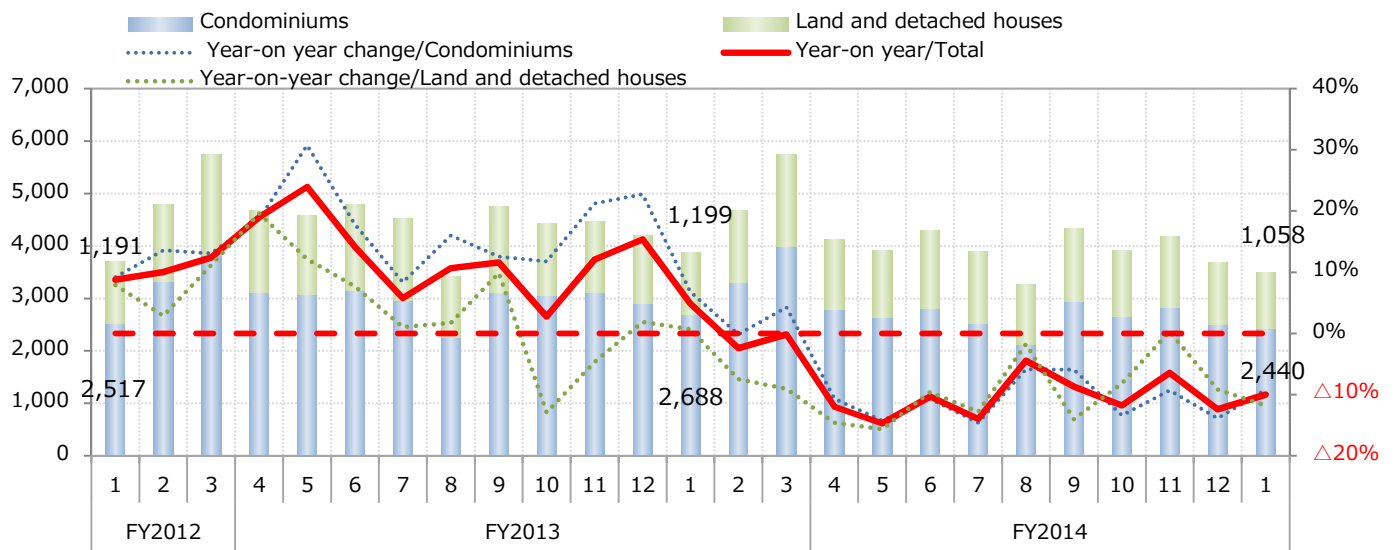
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(2). Contracts concluded; 1. REINS contracts concluded

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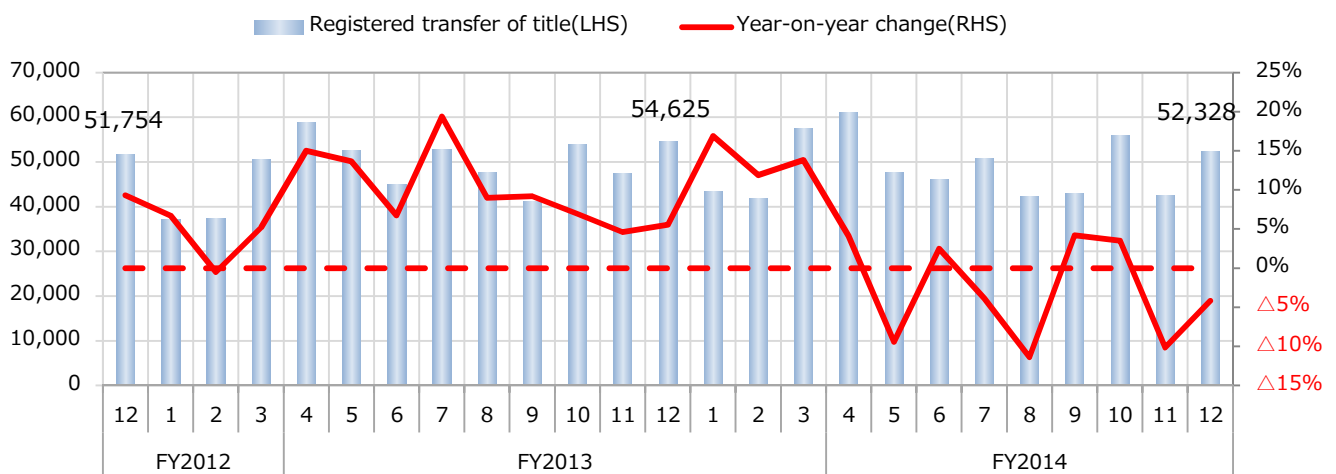
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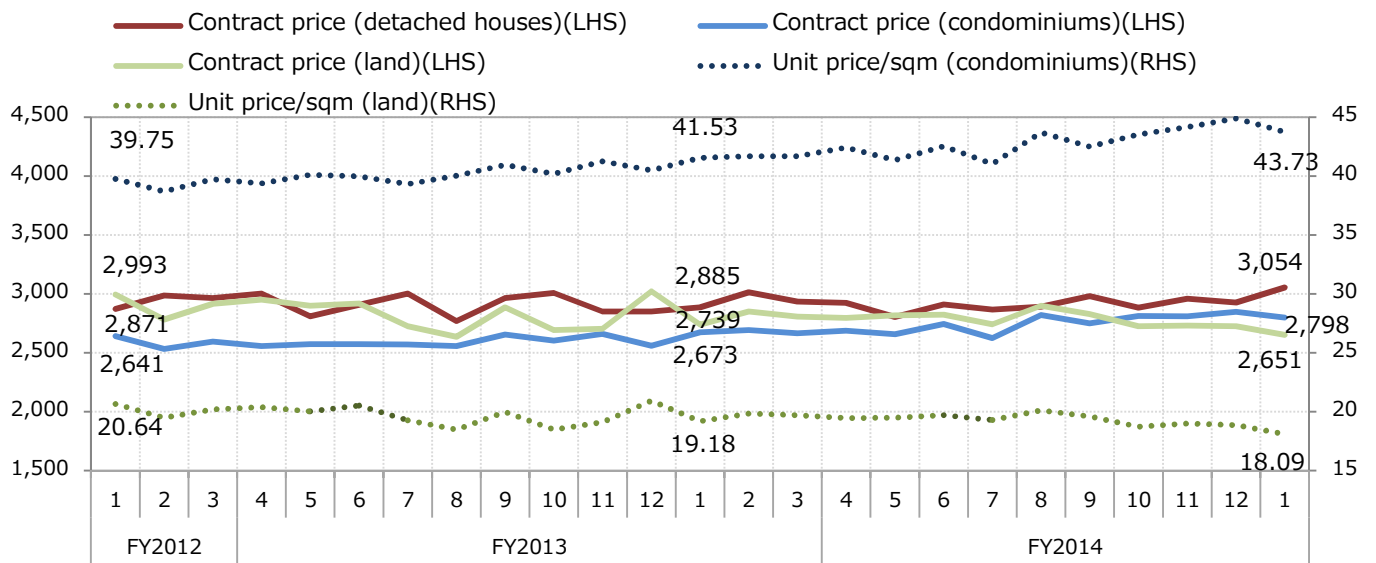
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(3). Price trends; 1. REINS contract unit price, Unit price per sqm

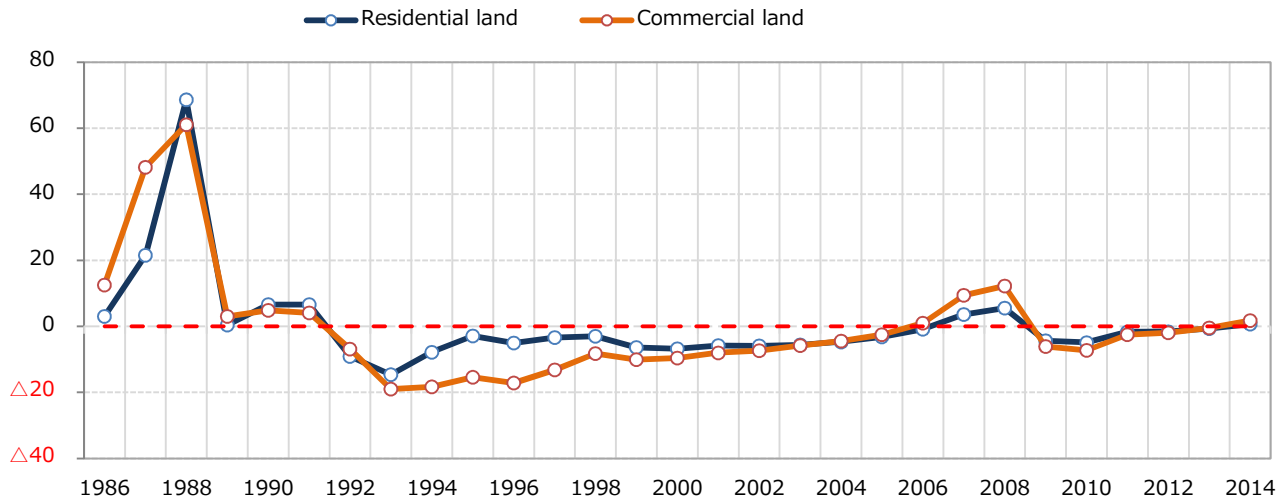
(Unit: 10,000 yen)

(Unit: 10,000 yen/sqm)

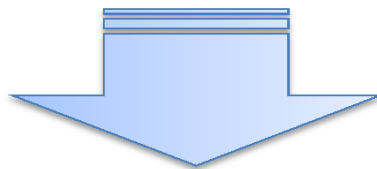


(3). Price trends; 2. Officially published land prices (Greater Tokyo area)

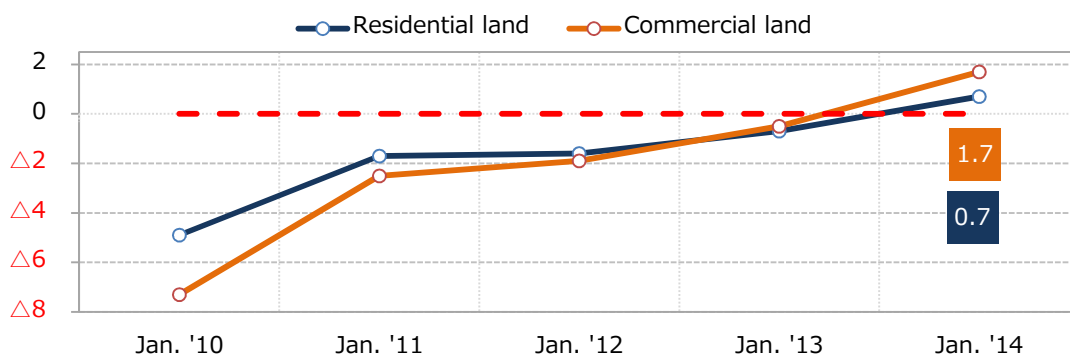
(Unit: %)



※Officially published land prices are the prices of standardized values published late March annually by the Land Appraisal Committee of the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism in accordance with the Public Notice of Land Prices Act. The Land Appraisal Committee determines and publishes normal prices based on appraisals by real estate appraisers and others of benchmark locations selected across the nation as of January 1 each year.

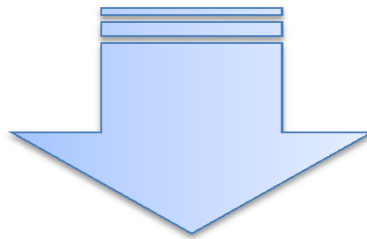
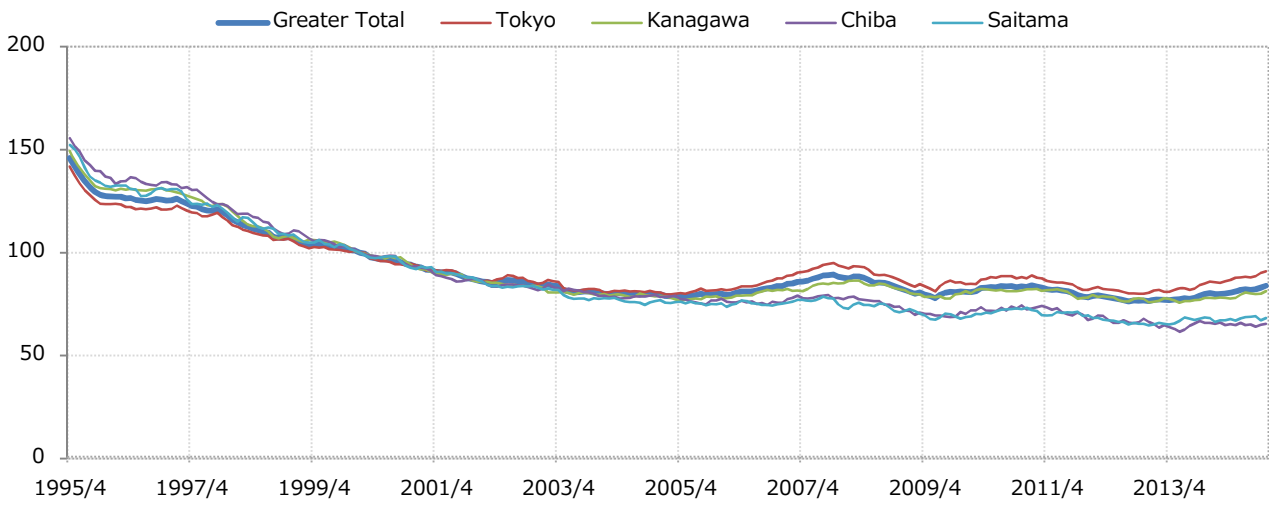


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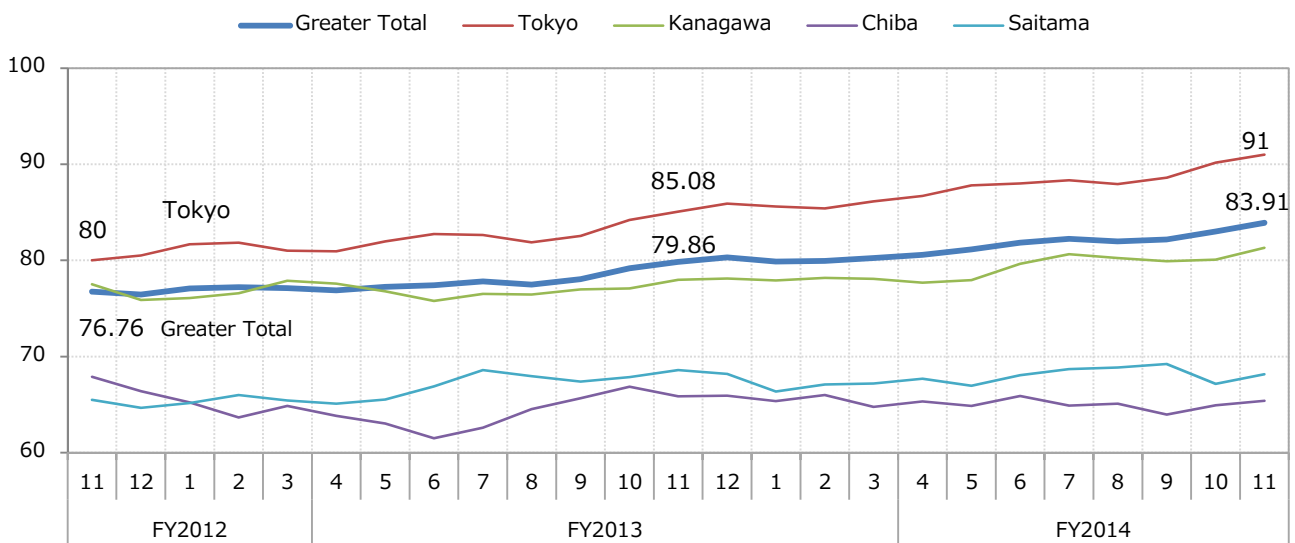
(3). Price trends; 3. JREI home price indices

(January 2000 = 100)



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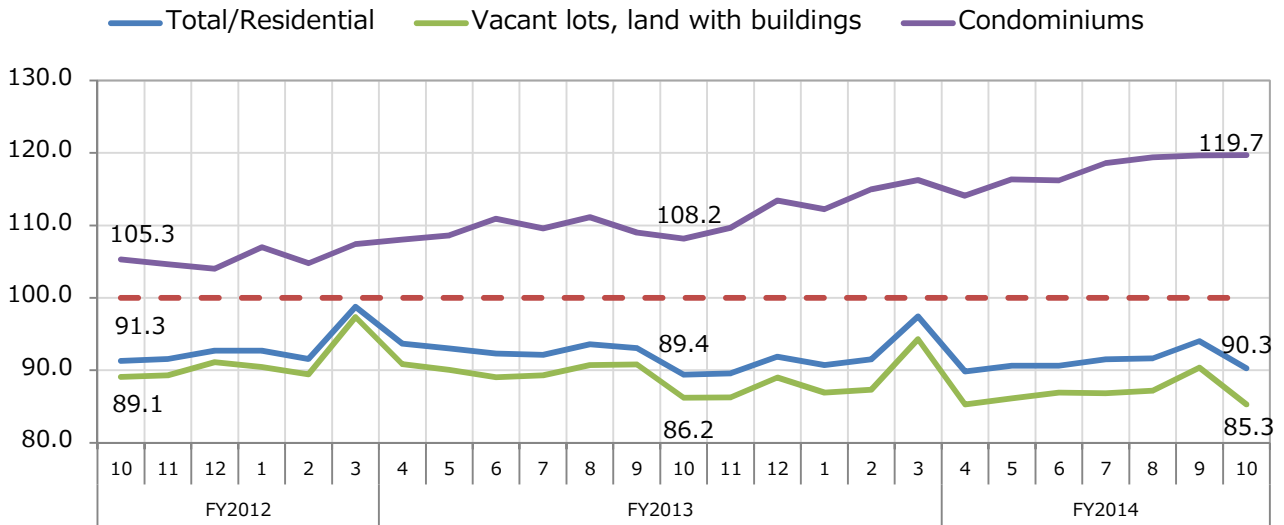
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(3). Price trends; 4. Property price indices (Residential) (Nationwide)

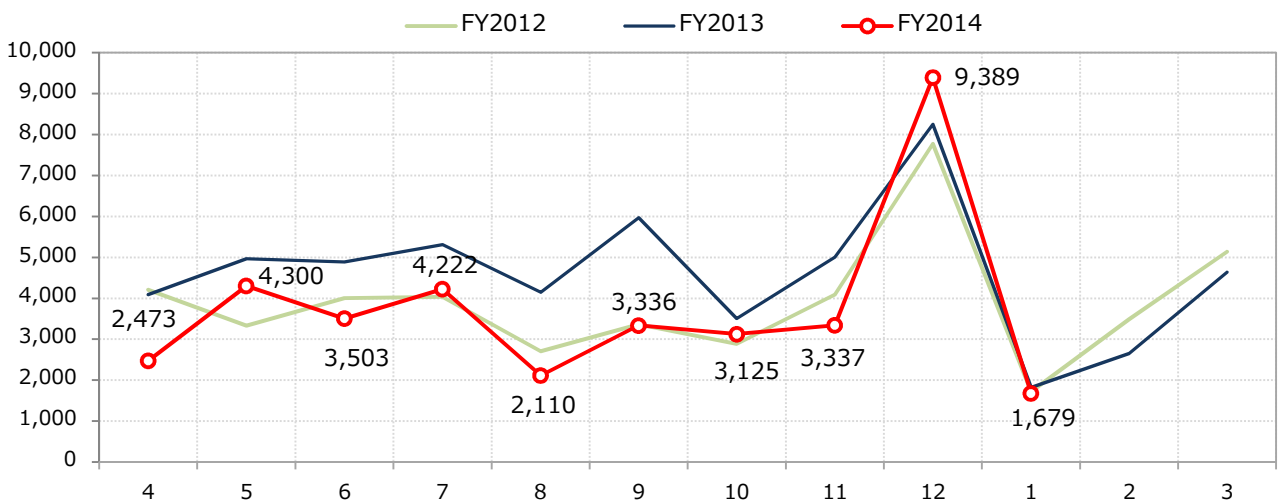
(FY2008 average = 100)



Real estate prices indexed monthly, classified nationally, by block and by metropolitan area based on price data of almost 300,000 dwelling and condominium transactions conducted over 12 months.

(4). New home market; 1. Condominium sales in Greater Tokyo area

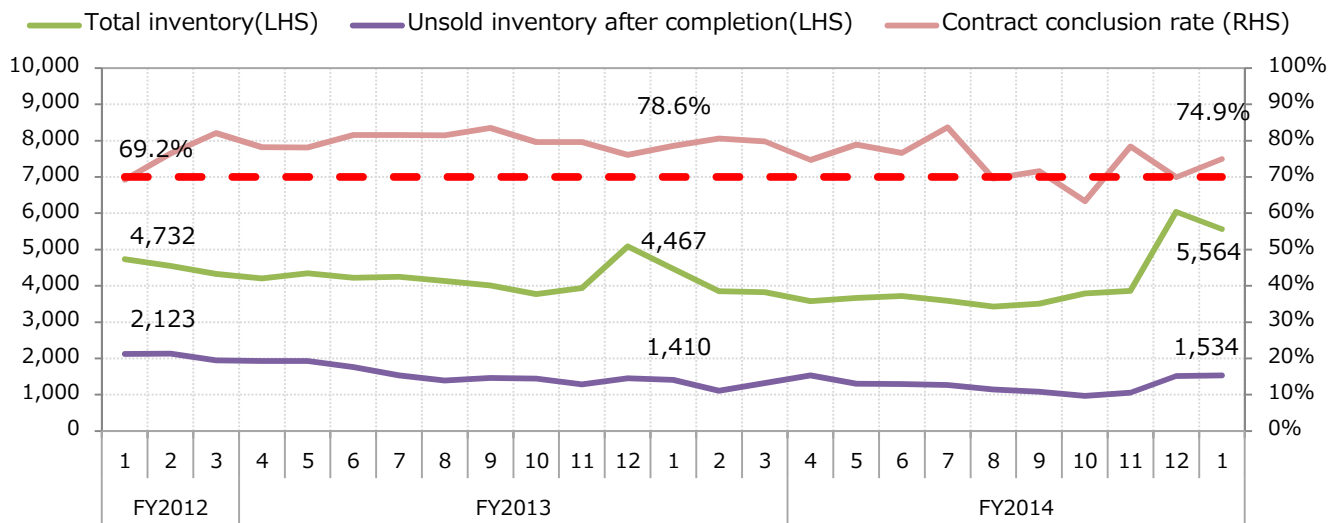
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(4). New home market; 2. Contract conclusion rate and inventory of condominiums in Greater Tokyo area

(Unit: units)

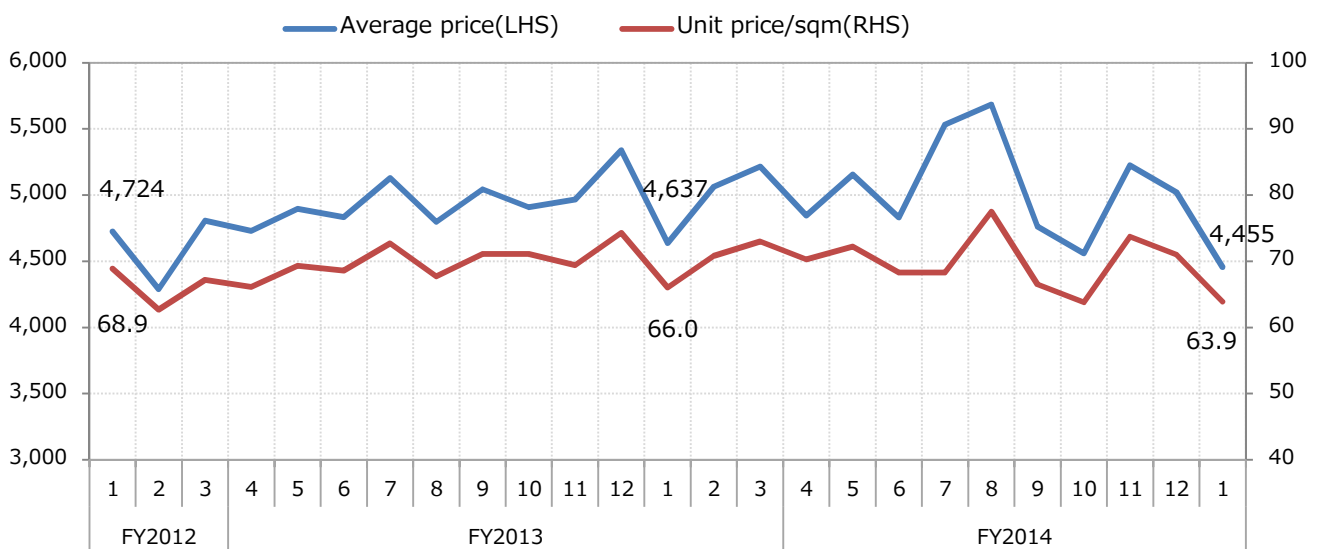
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(4). New home market; 3. Average price of condominiums in Greater Tokyo area

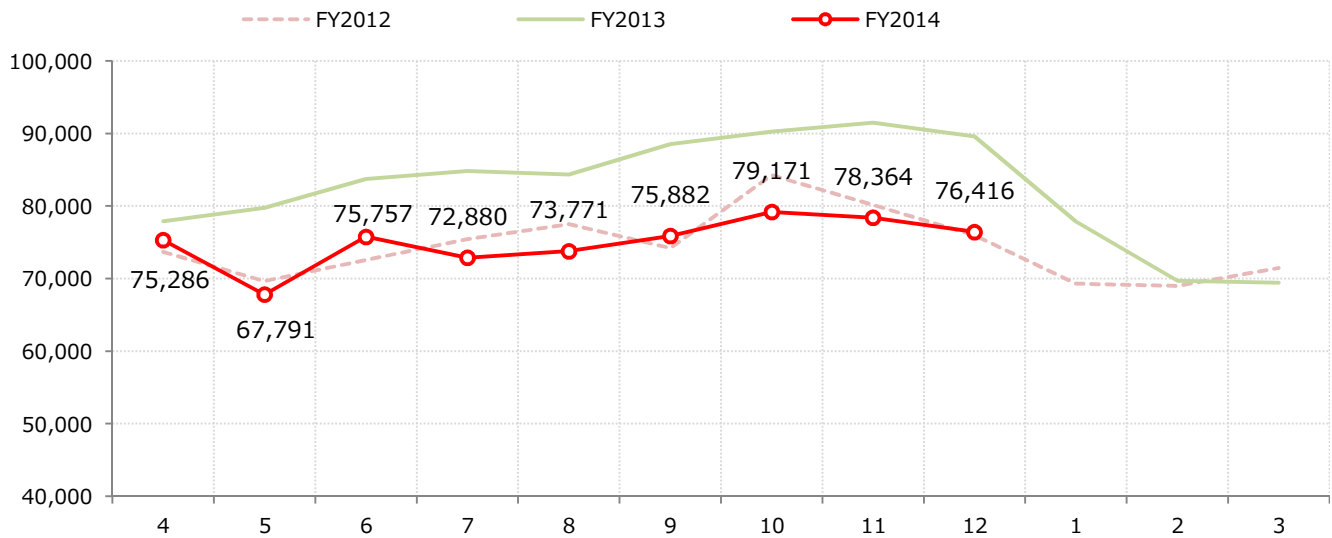
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(Unit: 10,000 yen/sqm)



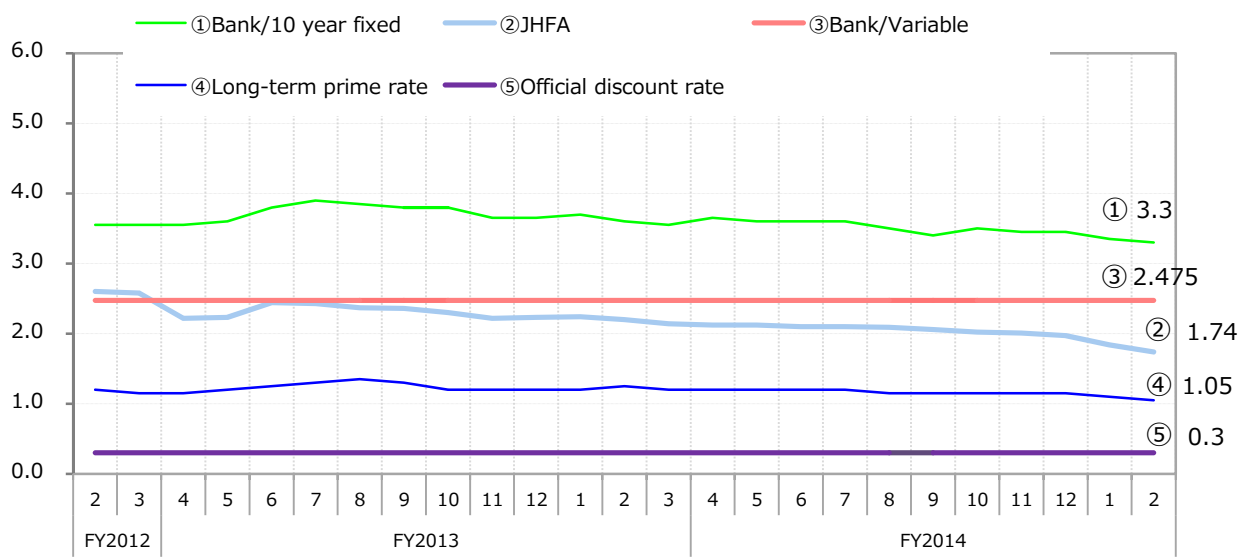
(4). New home market; 4.New home construction starts (Nationwide)

(Unit: units)



(5). Mortgage interest rates

(Unit: %)



as of February 1, 2015

Bank interest rates: Those by Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation are shown here.  
Rate as of 1st of each month

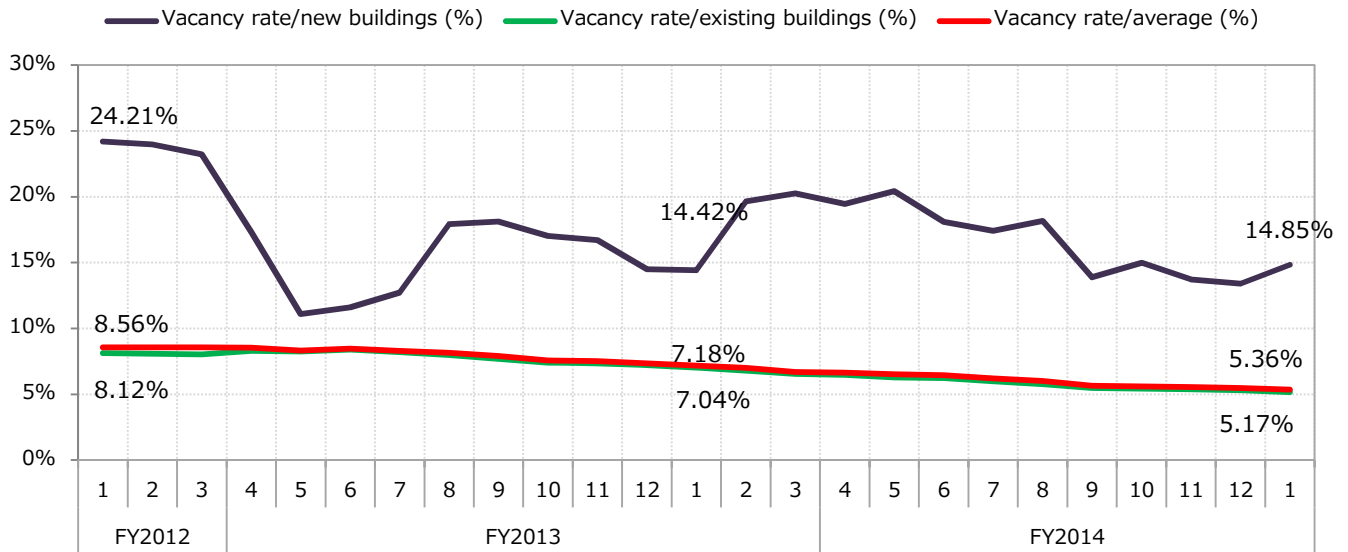
## 2. Office building and new construction markets

### ■ Office building, new construction markets

Summary			Month, year	Results	Year-on-year, Month-on-month change	
Leasing	Vacancy rate in central 5 wards of Tokyo	New buildings (%)	January	14.9%	Month-on-month change	1.45pt ↑
		Existing buildings (%)	January	5.2%	Month-on-month change	△ 0.14pt ↓
		Overall average (%)	January	5.4%	Month-on-month change	△ 0.11pt ↓
	Average rent	New buildings (yen/3.31sqm)	January	27,241	Year-on-year change	△ 0.54% →
		Existing buildings (yen/3.31sqm)	January	16,827	Year-on-year change	5.41% ↑
		Overall average (yen/3.31sqm)	January	17,109	Year-on-year change	5.34% ↑
Construction	Value of building construction orders received (million yen)		December	1,219,934	Year-on-year change	7.48% ↑
	Building Materials Price Index (FY2010 = 100)		January	107.5	Month-on-month change	△ 0.19% →
	Construction Cost Deflator(FY2005 = 100)		November	110.4	Month-on-month change	1.28% ↑
Investment	TSE REIT Index		January	1,887	Month-on-month change	△ 0.60% →

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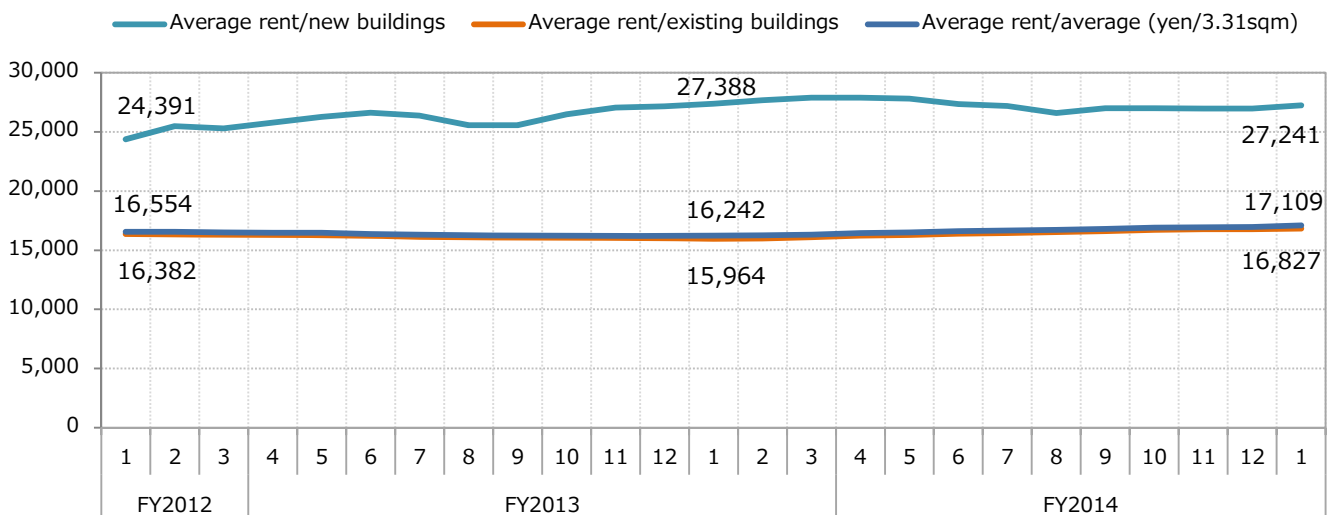
(1). Office leasing; 1. Vacancy rate in central 5 wards of Tokyo



Survey subject: Large rental office buildings with standard floor space exceeding 331sqm in Tokyo business district (Chiyoda ward, Chuo ward, Minato ward, Shinjuku ward, and Shibuya ward)  
New buildings: Buildings completed less than one year ago.

(1). Office leasing; 2.Rents in central 5 wards of Tokyo

(Unit: yen/3.31sqm per month)

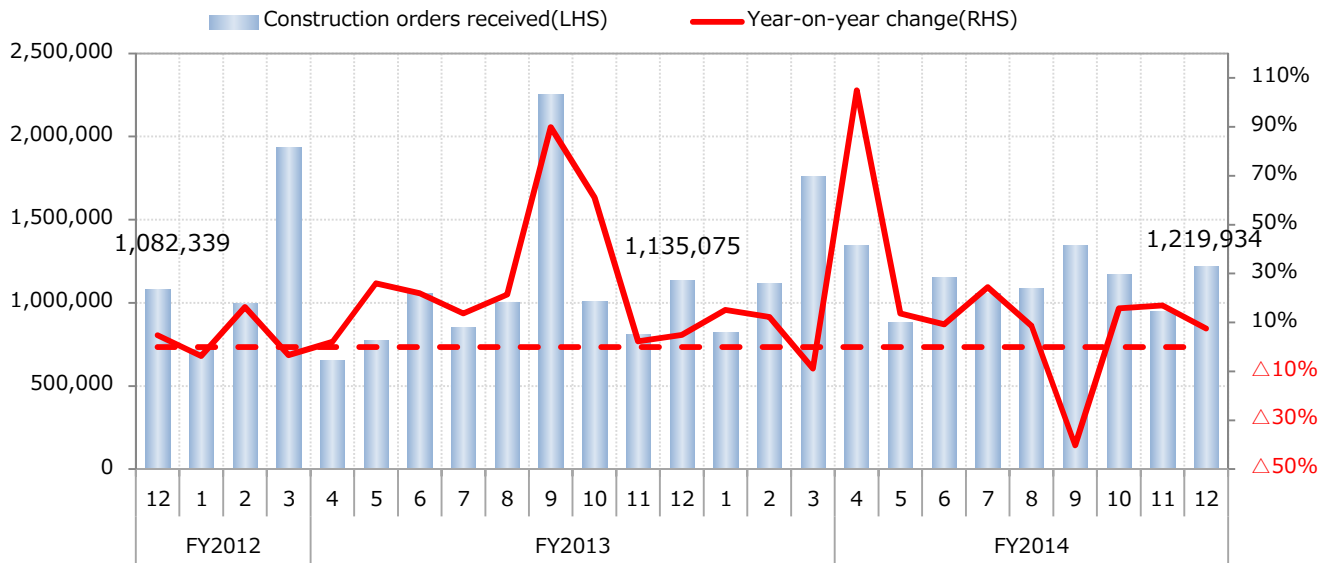


Survey subject: Same as above.  
New buildings: Same as above.

## (2). Construction; 1. Value of construction orders received

(Unit: million yen)

(Unit: %)

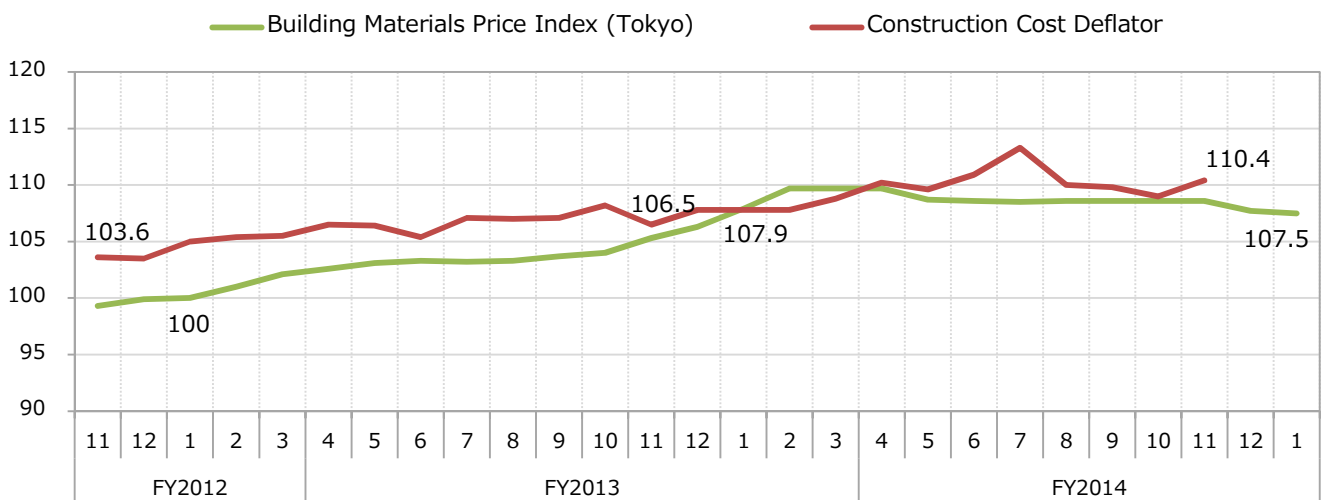


※Value of construction orders received: Total value of orders received by Japan's 50 largest construction companies. Both private sector construction and public works projects by national and local governments are included.

## (2). Construction; 2. Building Materials Price Index, Construction Cost Deflator

(Building Materials Price Index: FY2010 average = 100)

(Construction Cost Deflator: FY2005 average = 100)

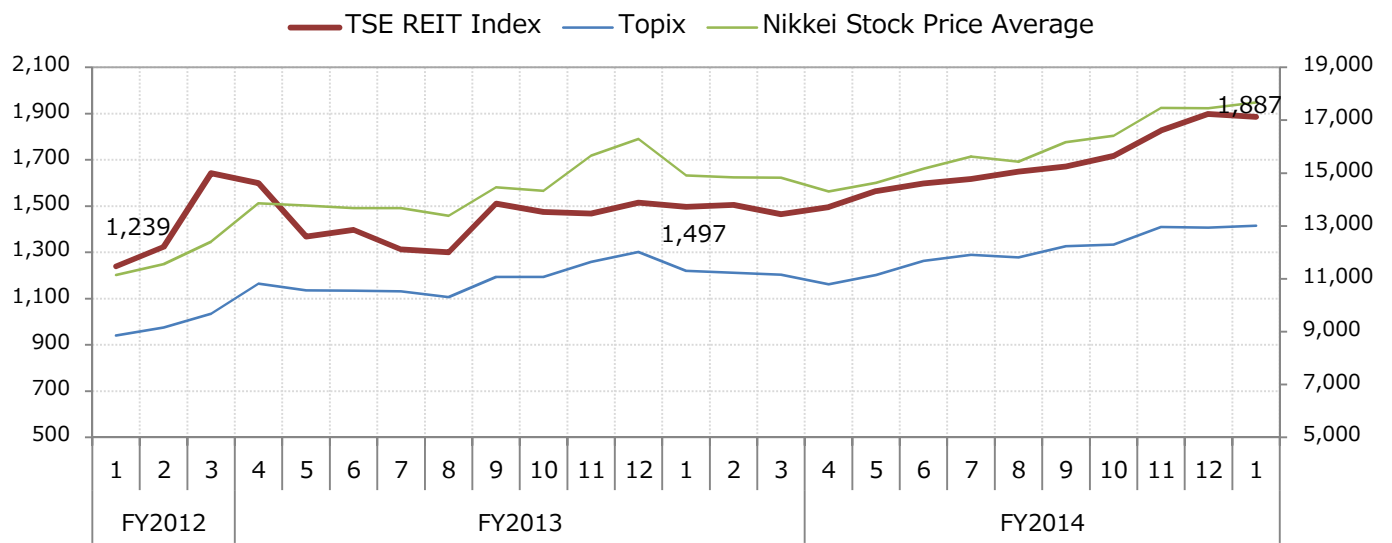


Construction Cost Deflator: An index prepared by the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism to convert nominal construction cost into real construction cost. This is also used as a construction cost index.

(3). Investment; 1. TSE REIT Index (reference data: Topix, Nikkei Stock Price Average)

(TSE REIT Index: End of March 2003 = 1,000; Topix: Jan. 4, 1968 = 100)

(Nikkei Stock Price Average values: yen)



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