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	Manufacturing	Nonmanufacturing	Total	Response rate
All Enterprises	4,072	5,717	9,789	98.8%
Large Enterprises	1,173	1,189	2,362	99.3%
Medium-sized Enterprises	1,102	1,544	2,646	98.6%
Small Enterprises	1,797	2,984	4,781	98.7%
Financial institutions	-	-	204	99.0%

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	FY 2005			FY 2006		
		1H	2H		1H	2H
June 2006 Survey	111.47	108.60	114.07	111.09	111.19	110.99
Sept. 2006 Survey	-	-	-	111.64	111.99	111.31
Dec. 2006 Survey	-	-	-	114.04	114.71	113.40

Memo: Average of predicted exchange rates expected by large manufacturing enterprises.

Responding Period: November 10 to December 14

1. Business Conditions

(Diffusion index of "Favorable" minus "Unfavorable", %points)

	Large Enterprises						Medium-size	d Enterprise	s				Small En					
	Sept. 200	Sept. 2006 Survey Dec. 2006 Survey				Sept. 200	6 Survey		Dec. 200)6 Survey		Sept. 200	06 Survey		Dec. 200)6 Survey		
	Actual result	Forecast	Actual result		Forecast		Actual result	Forecast	Actual result		Forecast		Actual result	Forecast	Actual result		Forecast	
				Changes		Changes				Changes		Changes				Changes		Changes
Manufacturing	24	21	25	1	22	-3	14	11	17	3	12	-5	6	7	10	4	5	-5
Textiles	6	9	9	3	4	-5	-26	-22	-21	5	-28	-7	-30		-23	7	-25	-2
Lumber & Wood products	8	25	25	17	17	-8	-6	3	3	9	-10	-13	-17	-15	-4	13	-15	-11
Pulp & Paper	0	7	-3	-3	0	3	-10	-10	-8	2	-10	-2	-5	-4	-5	0	-5	0
Chemicals	16	20	24	8	23	-1	11	1	13	2	10	-3	8	14	16	8	8	-8
Petroleum & Coal products	25	25	25	0	15	-10	26	5	33	7	6	-27	-19	-23	-4	15	-16	-12
Ceramics, Stone & Clay	17	17	23	6	14	-9	-5	-2	10	15	2	-8	-24	-19	-10	14	-18	-8
Iron & Steel	53	51	41	-12	43	2	50	52	62	12	52	-10	35	36	46	11	34	-12
Nonferrous metals	41	28	46	5	41	-5	29	25	46	17	34	-12	30	22	28	-2	23	-5
Food & Beverages	8	4	10	2	8	-2	-6	-2	-7	-1	-6	1	-8	-4	-7	1	-4	3
Processed metals	-5	-7	-4	1	-9	-5	24	15	33	9	27	-6	18	23	26	8	17	-9
Industrial machinery	52	44	49	-3	44	-5	40	31	42	2	30	-12	28	24	26	-2	23	-3
Electrical machinery	28	22	25	-3	22	-3	25	17	26	1	15	-11	15	16	18	3	12	-6
Shipbuilding & Heavy machinery etc.	0	0	-3	-3	7	10	26	33	25	-1	33	8	16	17	20	4	8	-12
Motor vehicles	30	27	33	3	34	1	16	6	7	-9	13	6	23	17	24	1	15	-9
Precision machinery	30	25	33	3	32	-1	28	23	28	0	21	-7	15	16	19	4	15	-4
Basic materials	21	22	24	3	22	-2	7	6	16	9	7	-9	-4	-3	3	7	-3	-6
Processing	25	20	25	0	23	-2	18	13	18	0	14	-4	11	12	14	3	10	-4
Nonmanufacturing	20	21	22	2	20	-2	5	4	4	-1	2	-2	-8	-9	-6	2	-10	-4
Construction	4	5	3	-1	-2	-5	-7	-8	-9	-2	-13	-4	-19	-25	-18	1	-25	-7
Real estate	45	39	46	1	39	-7	21	18	23	2	14	-9	10	13	12	2	8	-4
Wholesaling	21	22	24	3	24	0	7	5	9	2	5	-4	-2	-1	-1	1	-3	-2
Retailing	15	19	13	-2	13	0	-5	1	-8	-3	-3	5	-16	-12	-20	-4	-17	3
Transportation	15	14	21	6	18	-3	-2	-4	-4	-2	-8	-4	-8	-9	0	8	-6	-6
Communications	28	25	28	0	28	0	9	20	15	6	23	8	6	29	3	-3	10	7
Information services	42	47	46	4	48	2	25	27	23	-2	25	2	13	19	15	2	24	9
Electric & Gas utilities	14	5	18	4	9	-9	12	6	8	-4	4	-4	-18	-23	-9	9	-9	0
Services for businesses	20	24	32	12	22	-10	21	17	21	0	15	-6	0	1	3	3	-5	-8
Services for individuals	13	21	10	-3	14	4	4	-2	10	6	6	-4	2	-3	2	0	-4	-6
Restaurants & Accommodations	18	16	19	1	18	-1	-8	-3	-11	-3	-5	6	-11	-13	-14	-3	-15	-1
Leasing	26	28	30	4	24	-6	15	17	19	4	17	-2	7	1	13	6	6	-7
All industries	22	20	23	1	20	-3	9	7	10	1	6	-4	-3	-3	0	3	-4	-4

		All Enterprises									
Manufacturing	13	12	16	3	12	-4					
Nonmanufacturing	1	1	2	1	-1	-3					
All industries	6	6	8	2	5	-3					

Notes) 1. Response rate = The number of enterprises that responded to the question on Business Conditions / The number of sample enterprises*100

2. Actual result: Judgement at the time of the survey, Forecast: Judgement at the time of three months hence.

Changes in actual result = "Actual result of the current survey" minus "Actual result of the previous survey"

Changes in forecast = "Forecast of the current survey" minus "Actual result of the current survey"

3. "Shipbuilding & Heavy machinery etc." indicates Transportation machinery excluding Motor vehicles.

1. Business Conditions (Continued)

<memo> Percentage share</memo>	e of the numb	er of responde	ents choosing e	ach alterna	tive				(%, %points)			
	S	ept. 2006 Surve	ey	Dec. 2006 Survey								
		Actual result			Actual resul	t		Forecast				
	Large Enterprises	Medium-sized Enterprises		Large Enterprises	Medium- sized Enterprises	Small Enterprises	Large Enterprises	Medium- sized Enterprises	Small Enterprises			
Manufacturing	24	14		25		10	22	12	5			
1.Favorable	31	28	25	32	30	27	28	24	21			
2.Not so favorable	62	58	56	61	57	56	66	64	63			
3.Unfavorable	7	14	19	7	13	17	6	12	16			
Nonmanufacturing	20	5	-8	22	4	-6	20	2	-10			
1.Favorable	26	20	15	28	19	16	25	16	13			
2.Not so favorable	68	65	62	66	66	62	70	70	64			
3.Unfavorable	6	15	23	6	15	22	5	14	23			

(Note) Business Conditions DI = Diffusion index of "Favorable" minus "Unfavorable"

2. Supply and Demand Conditions, Inventories, and Prices

							(%points)							(%points)
				Large Ei	nterprises						Small En	terprises		
		Sept. 200	6 Survey		Dec. 200	6 Survey			Sept. 2006	6 Survey		Dec. 2006	5 Survey	
		Actual	Forecast	Actual		Forecast			Actual	Forecast	Actual		Forecast	
		result		result	Changes		Changes		result		result	Changes		Changes
Domestic Supply & Demand Conditions for Products	Manufacturing	-6	-7	-6	0	-8	-2	Domestic Supply & Demand Conditions for Products Manufacturing	-21	-22	-18	3	-21	-3
and Services:	Basic materials	-7	-9	-9	-2	-9	0	and Services: Basic materials	-30	-32	-29	1	-32	-3
Diffusion index of "Excess demand" minus "Excess supply"	Processing	-5	-6	-5	0	-8	-3	Diffusion index of "Excess demand" minus "Excess supply" Processing	-16	-16	-13	3	-16	-3
	Nonmanufacturing	-17	-17	-17	0	-18	-1	Nonmanufacturin	-31	-32	-31	0	-32	-1
Overseas Supply & Demand Conditions for Products:	Manufacturing	3	2	2	-1	-1	-3	Overseas Supply & Demand Conditions for Products: Manufacturing	-7	-8	-5	2	-7	-2
	Basic materials	-1	-1	-2	-1	-4	-2	Basic materials	-11	-15	-12	-1	-15	-3
Diffusion index of "Excess demand" minus "Excess supply"	Processing	5	4	3	-2	1	-2	Diffusion index of "Excess demand" minus "Excess supply" Processing	-4	-5	-2	2	-3	-1
Inventory Level of Finished Goods & Merchandise:	Manufacturing	15		14	-1			Inventory Level of Finished Goods & Merchandise: Manufacturing	13		13	0		
Diffusion index of "Excessive or somewhat excessive"	Basic materials	15		13	-2			Diffusion index of "Excessive or somewhat excessive" Basic materials	16		15	-1		
minus "Insufficient or somewhat insufficient"	Processing	14		15	1			minus "Insufficient or somewhat insufficient" Processing	12		12	0		/
Wholesalers' Inventory Level:	Manufacturing	11		11	0			Wholesalers' Inventory Level: Manufacturing	16		14	-2		/
Diffusion index of "Excessive or somewhat excessive"	Basic materials	12		12	0			Diffusion index of "Excessive or somewhat excessive" Basic materials	23		19	-4		
minus "Insufficient or somewhat insufficient"	Processing	10		10	0			minus "Insufficient or somewhat insufficient" Processing	12		11	-1		/
Change in Output Prices:	Manufacturing	2	-2	1	-1	-2	-3	Change in Output Prices: Manufacturing	-4	-2	-4	0	-7	-3
	Basic materials	27	18	21	-6	14	-7	Basic materials	7	8	7	0	1	-6
Diffusion index of "Rise" minus "Fall"	Processing	-11	-13	-10	1	-11	-1	Diffusion index of "Rise" minus "Fall" Processing	-10	-7	-9	1	-12	-3
	Nonmanufacturing	0	0	-1	-1	0	1	Nonmanufacturin	-12	-10	-13	-1	-14	-1
Change in Input Prices:	Manufacturing	45	34	35	-10	26	-9	Change in Input Prices: Manufacturing	52	54	46	-6	42	-4
	Basic materials	60	40	42	-18	30	-12	Basic materials	56	56	50	-6	44	-6
Diffusion index of "Rise" minus "Fall"	Processing	37	30	32	-5	25	-7	Diffusion index of "Rise" minus "Fall" Processing	50	53	45	-5	41	-4
	Nonmanufacturing	21	21	15	-6	14	-1	Nonmanufacturin	32	36	23	-9	25	2

3. Sales and Current Profits

Sales				(Year-t	o-year % change)		
		FY2005		FY2006			
			Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate		
	Manufacturing	6.7	-	4.7	1.0		
	Domestic Sales	5.1	-	2.5	-0.1		
Large Enterprises	Exports	11.7	-	10.9	4.0		
	Nonmanufacturing	6.1	-	3.5	0.7		
	All industries	6.4	-	4.0	0.8		
Medium-sized	Manufacturing	3.6	-	6.2	0.9		
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	1.8	-	4.6	0.7		
	All industries	2.3	-	5.0	0.7		
	Manufacturing	5.6	-	3.1	0.7		
Small Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	2.9	-	1.4	0.7		
	All industries	3.5	-	1.8	0.7		
	Manufacturing	6.1	-	4.6	0.9		
All Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	4.2	-	3.1	0.7		
	All industries	4.8	-	3.6	0.8		

					(Year-	to-year % change)		
1H FY2005	2H FY2005		1H FY2006		2H FY2006			
		Revision rate		Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate		
4.9	8.4	-	6.7	1.0	3.0	1.0		
4.4	5.7	-	3.6	-0.5	1.5	0.2		
6.5	16.8	-	15.1	4.9	7.1	3.1		
5.9	6.3	-	4.7	1.2	2.4	0.3		
5.5	7.2	-	5.5	1.1	2.6	0.6		
2.4	4.8	-	6.9	0.8	5.5	1.0		
0.8	2.7	-	4.4	0.6	4.7	0.7		
1.2	3.3	-	5.1	0.7	4.9	0.8		
4.9	6.4	-	4.6	0.9	1.8	0.4		
2.7	3.1	-	2.5	1.0	0.4	0.5		
3.2	3.7	-	2.9	0.9	0.7	0.5		
4.5	7.5	-	6.3	1.0	3.1	0.9		
3.8	4.6	-	4.0	1.0	2.2	0.4		
4.0	5.5	-	4.7	1.0	2.5	0.6		

(Note) Revision rates are calculated as the percentage change of the figures between the current and the previous survey.

Current Profits				(Year-	to-year % change)
		FY2005		FY2006	
			Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate
	Manufacturing	16.5	-	6.6	5.1
	Basic materials	16.8	-	-1.0	4.3
Large Enterprises	Processing	16.3	-	11.8	5.6
	Nonmanufacturing	10.0	-	4.4	2.3
	All industries	13.3	-	5.5	3.8
Medium-sized	Manufacturing	9.4	-	8.2	2.8
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	12.4	-	2.3	-0.2
	All industries	11.3	-	4.4	0.9
	Manufacturing	8.4	-	3.0	2.4
Small Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	9.7	-	1.6	0.4
	All industries	9.3	-	2.0	1.0
	Manufacturing	14.6	-	6.4	4.5
All Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	10.3	-	3.3	1.4
	All industries	12.3	-	4.7	2.9

1H FY2005	2H FY2005		1H FY2006		2H FY2006		
		Revision rate		Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate	
12.5	20.2	-	14.8	13.0	-0.6	-1.8	
29.4	5.8	-	1.6	14.3	-3.8	-5.0	
1.6	30.7	-	25.6	12.1	1.3	0.1	
5.0	15.5	-	14.1	12.2	-5.5	-7.6	
8.7	18.0	-	14.4	12.6	-2.8	-4.5	
5.9	12.6	-	11.5	8.0	5.5	-1.5	
15.1	10.6	-	3.8	5.7	1.2	-4.0	
11.4	11.3	-	6.8	6.6	2.7	-3.1	
7.0	9.6	-	8.0	5.5	-1.4	-0.5	
5.1	12.6	-	12.5	3.4	-4.8	-1.6	
5.7	11.8	-	10.9	4.1	-3.9	-1.3	
11.1	18.0	-	13.6	11.5	0.0	-1.6	
6.5	13.8	-	12.2	9.5	-4.1	-5.3	
8.6	15.6	-	12.8	10.4	-2.2	-3.7	

(Year-to-vear % change)

3. Sales and Current Profits(Continued)

Ratio of Current Profit to Sales (%,							
		FY2005		FY2006			
			Changes	(Forecast)	Changes		
	Manufacturing	6.48	-	6.60	0.26		
Large Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	3.93	-	3.97	0.07		
	All industries	4.95	-	5.02	0.14		
Medium-sized	Manufacturing	4.37	-	4.46	0.09		
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	2.66	-	2.60	-0.02		
	All industries	3.10	-	3.08	0.00		
	Manufacturing	3.76	-	3.75	0.06		
Small Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	2.43	-	2.43	-0.01		
	All industries	2.71	-	2.72	0.01		
	Manufacturing	5.68	-	5.78	0.20		
All Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	3.20	-	3.21	0.02		
	All industries	4.01	-	4.05	0.08		

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1H FY2005	2H FY2005		1H FY2006		2H FY2006	
		Changes		Changes	(Forecast)	Changes
6.39	6.56	-	6.88	0.73	6.34	-0.18
4.17	3.72	-	4.54	0.45	3.44	-0.2
5.05	4.86	-	5.48	0.56	4.60	-0.24
4.13	4.60	-	4.31	0.29	4.60	-0.1
2.32	2.97	-	2.30	0.11	2.87	-0.1
2.79	3.38	-	2.84	0.16	3.31	-0.1
3.62	3.88	-	3.74	0.16	3.76	-0.0
1.88	2.92	-	2.07	0.05	2.77	-0.0
2.26	3.13	-	2.44	0.08	2.98	-0.0
5.55	5.80	-	5.93	0.56	5.63	-0.1
3.08	3.32	-	3.32	0.26	3.12	-0.1
3.88	4.12	-	4.18	0.36	3.93	-0.1

Net Income		FY2005		FY2006	o-year % change
		112003	Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate
	Manufacturing	23.4	-	23.0	8.0
	Basic materials	10.4	-	11.7	11.7
Large Enterprises	Processing	35.0	-	31.3	5.8
	Nonmanufacturing	119.3	-	26.2	4.4
	All industries	53.9	-	24.5	6.3
Medium-sized	Manufacturing	10.1	-	22.7	0.6
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	-11.0	-	23.3	-6.9
	All industries	-3.6	-	23.1	-4.0
	Manufacturing	0.3	-	28.5	3.7
Small Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	45.1	-	11.0	-6.7
	All industries	28.0	-	16.2	-3.5
	Manufacturing	18.9	-	23.6	6.7
All Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	63.2	-	22.1	-0.1
	All industries	38.3	-	22.8	3.1

		to-year % change)				
1H FY2005	2H FY2005		1H FY2006		2H FY2006	
		Revision rate		Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate
4.1	49.7	-	31.0	20.6	15.6	-2.9
7.1	14.1	-	23.5	29.4	-0.9	-5.5
1.8	88.0	-	37.0	14.8	26.3	-1.5
39.5	605.5	-	27.2	13.5	24.9	-5.1
18.6	124.2	-	29.2	17.1	19.5	-3.9
8.5	11.5	-	20.4	6.5	24.7	-4.0
-37.9	22.5	-	18.0	-7.6	26.7	-6.4
-23.3	18.2	-	19.0	-1.7	26.0	-5.6
-3.8	4.1	-	38.4	6.1	19.9	1.5
39.3	47.6	-	38.7	-11.0	-0.1	-4.1
17.7	34.0	-	38.6	-4.7	4.7	-2.6
3.6	37.8	-	30.7	17.3	17.0	-2.5
20.4	134.1	-	27.8	6.0	17.3	-5.1
11.5	75.8	-	29.2	11.4	17.2	-3.9

(Year-to-year % change)

4. Fixed Investment etc.

Fixed Investm	xed Investment including Land Purchasing Expenses* (Year-to-year %										(Year-to	-year % change)
	FY2005		FY2006		1H FY2005	2H FY2005		1H FY2006		2H FY2006		
			Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate			Revision rate		Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate
Large	Manufacturing	13.9	-	16.5	-0.3	16.2	11.9	-	10.7	-9.2	21.5	7.8
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	3.8	-	10.1	1.5	2.8	4.7	-	8.0	-3.2	11.9	5.5
	All industries	7.2	-	12.4	0.8	7.3	7.1	-	9.0	-5.5	15.2	6.3
Medium-sized	Manufacturing	21.0	-	6.9	5.4	16.1	25.3	-	12.6	-0.6	2.2	11.6
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	10.9	-	10.0	-0.9	3.2	18.0	-	19.9	-2.0	2.0	0.1
	All industries	13.9	-	9.0	0.9	7.0	20.1	-	17.6	-1.6	2.1	3.4
Small	Manufacturing	8.0	-	14.0	10.3	17.4	0.4	-	1.7	4.6	25.6	15.2
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	11.7	-	1.9	7.7	9.2	14.2	-	12.9	10.2	-8.6	4.9
	All industries	10.7	-	5.1	8.4	11.2	10.2	-	9.9	8.8	0.5	8.1
	Manufacturing	14.0	-	14.6	1.9	16.4	12.1	-	9.7	-6.1	18.9	9.4
All Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	6.5	-	8.5	2.1	4.2	8.5	-	11.0	-0.4	6.3	4.4
	All industries	8.9	-	10.5	2.1	8.0	9.7	-	10.6	-2.4	10.4	6.1

* Excludes Software Investment

Software Investment (Year-to-year % change							
		FY2005		FY2006			
			Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate		
Large	Manufacturing	-4.3	-	1.8	3.0		
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	10.4	-	4.4	1.2		
	All industries	5.2	-	3.6	1.8		
Medium-sized	Manufacturing	-3.3	-	14.2	2.5		
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	15.3	-	2.4	-0.4		
_	All industries	13.2	-	3.5	-0.1		
Small	Manufacturing	-8.6	-	12.9	-1.9		
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	14.0	-	-1.3	-0.3		
	All industries	9.2	-	1.2	-0.6		
	Manufacturing	-4.5	-	3.4	2.6		
All Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	11.9	-	3.4	0.7		
	All industries	7.1	-	3.4	1.2		

Land Purchasi	Land Purchasing Expenses (Year-to-year % change)								
		FY2005		FY2006					
			Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate				
Large	Manufacturing	-15.2	-	-17.7	29.9				
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	22.1	-	12.2	25.4				
	All industries	12.4	-	6.3	26.0				
Medium-sized	Manufacturing	160.9	-	-65.1	49.1				
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	-2.9	-	91.2	1.7				
	All industries	21.4	-	41.4	4.3				
Small	Manufacturing	35.5	-	-4.6	30.6				
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	-8.9	-	1.5	12.5				
	All industries	-2.0	-	0.2	15.8				
	Manufacturing	22.6	-	-26.2	32.4				
All Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	4.7	-	21.8	14.4				
	All industries	8.3	-	10.9	16.8				

Software and Fixed Investment excluding Land

Purchasing Ex	penses	(Year-to	o-year % change		
		FY2005		FY2006	
			Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate
Large	Manufacturing	13.3	-	16.4	-0.5
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	3.5	-	9.5	0.3
	All industries	6.8	-	12.0	0.0
Medium-sized	Manufacturing	15.0	-	13.2	4.5
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	12.6	-	3.0	-1.2
	All industries	13.3	-	6.0	0.5
Small	Manufacturing	5.0	-	16.2	8.4
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	16.0	-	1.8	6.6
	All industries	12.8	-	5.7	7.1
	Manufacturing	12.4	-	15.9	1.3
All Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	7.1	-	7.0	1.1
_	All industries	8.8	-	10.0	1.1

Production Capacity

(Diffusion index of "Excessive capacity" minus "Insufficient capacity", %points)

		Sept. 200	6 Survey	Dec. 2006 Survey				
		Actual	Forecast	Actual		Forecast		
		result		result	Changes		Changes	
Large	Manufacturing	-2	-1	-3	-1	-1	2	
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	-1	-1	-1	0	-3	-2	
	All industries	-1	-1	-2	-1	-2	0	
Medium-sized	Manufacturing	-2	-2	-3	-1	-2	1	
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	-1	-3	-1	0	-3	-2	
	All industries	-2	-3	-2	0	-3	-1	
Small	Manufacturing	1	-3	0	-1	-1	-1	
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	1	-2	0	-1	-2	-2	
	All industries	1	-1	0	-1	-1	-1	
	Manufacturing	-1	-1	-2	-1	-2	0	
All Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	0	-1	-1	-1	-3	-2	
	All industries	0	-2	-1	-1	-2	-1	

5. Fixed Investment of Financial institutions

	FY2005		FY2006	
		Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate
Financial institutions	8.0	-	22.3	2.1
Banks	43.6	-	4.5	-3.4
Shinkin banks & Other financial institutions for small businesses	23.5	-	24.4	-0.3
Securities companies	24.2	-	45.6	4.8
Insurance companies	-34.9	-	71.8	15.3
Non-deposit money corporations	6.5	-	-12.8	-9.4
(Memo) All industries including Financial institutions	8.9	-	10.8	2.1
Nonmanufacturing including Financial institutions	6.6	_	8.9	2.1

* Excludes Software Investment

Software Investment of Financial institutions	(Year-to-	year % change)		
Financial institutions	12.0	-	26.7	11.5
Banks	18.8	-	0.2	3.1
Shinkin banks & Other financial institutions for small businesses	182.4	-	45.2	-2.9
Securities companies	7.9	-	32.3	-1.6
Insurance companies	-14.5	-	116.5	68.3
Non-deposit money corporations	-4.0	-	52.6	3.5
(Memo) All industries including Financial institutions	8.0	-	7.8	3.3
Nonmanufacturing including Financial institutions	11.9	-	9.0	3.5

Land Purchasing Expenses of Financial institutions			(Year-to-	year % change)
Financial institutions	73.7	-	-18.1	28.4
Banks	201.4	-	-67.4	13.0
Shinkin banks & Other financial institutions for small businesses	378.2	-	-27.2	9.0
Securities companies	-	-	-	0.0
Insurance companies	-41.0	-	152.5	42.7
Non-deposit money corporations	-	-	-97.1	-
(Memo) All industries including Financial institutions	10.8	-	9.2	17.2
Nonmanufacturing including Financial institutions	8.0	-	18.9	15.0

Software and Fixed Investment excluding Land Purchasing Expenses of Financial institutions				(Year-to-year % change)	
Financial institutions	5.1	-	29.3	4.8	
Banks	20.4	-	12.7	-1.0	
Shinkin banks & Other financial institutions for small businesses	21.1	-	42.1	-2.1	
Securities companies	12.7	-	36.1	0.5	
Insurance companies	-27.7	-	77.3	28.5	
Non-deposit money corporations	0.9	-	12.5	-3.4	
(Memo) All industries including Financial institutions	8.7	-	10.6	1.3	
Nonmanufacturing including Financial institutions	7.0	_	8.1	1.3	

6. Employment

Employment Conditions	(Diffusion index of	"Excessive employment"	" minus "Insufficient employment", %point	s)
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		Sept. 200	Sept. 2006 Survey Dec			6 Survey	
		Actual result	Forecast	Actual result		Forecast	
					Changes		Changes
Large	Manufacturing	-2	-6	-5	-3	-7	-2
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	-13	-16	-15	-2	-19	-4
	All industries	-8	-11	-11	-3	-13	-2
Medium-sized	Manufacturing	-5	-7	-7	-2	-8	-1
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	-12	-16	-12	0	-17	-5
	All industries	-9	-12	-10	-1	-13	-3
Small	Manufacturing	-7	-10	-8	-1	-9	-1
Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	-9	-11	-11	-2	-13	-2
	All industries	-8	-11	-10	-2	-11	-1
	Manufacturing	-5	-8	-6	-1	-8	-2
All Enterprises	Nonmanufacturing	-11	-13	-12	-1	-15	-3
	All industries	-8	-11	-10	-2	-13	-3

Number of Employees (All industries) (Year-to-year % c					
	end of	end of	end of	end of	
	Dec. 2005	Mar. 2006	June 2006	Sept. 2006	
Large Enterprises	0.4	1.7	2.1	1.9	
Medium-sized Enterprises	0.9	1.1	3.0	3.3	
Small Enterprises	2.0	1.0	1.2	0.6	
All Enterprises	1.2	1.3	1.9	1.6	
All Enterprises & Financial institutions	1.2	1.3	1.9	1.7	
Financial institutions	1.3	1.2	2.6	2.4	

Number of New Graduates Hired (All industries)

(Surveyed only in June and De	(Year-to-y	ear % change				
	FY2005		FY2006		FY2007	
		Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate	(Forecast)	Revision rate
Large Enterprises	15.3	-	14.5	0.1	9.5	1.3
Medium-sized Enterprises	10.4	-	10.3	0.0	1.6	1.8
Small Enterprises	3.1	-	5.8	-2.3	10.6	4.0
All Enterprises	8.8	-	9.9	-0.9	8.1	2.5
All Enterprises & Financial institutions	10.2	-	10.6	-0.8	9.3	2.7
Financial institutions	33.3	-	19.5	-0.2	24.2	4.8

7. Corporate Finance

Financial Position (All industries)

(Diffusion index of "Easy" minus "Tight", %points							
	Sept. 200)6 Survey	Dec. 2006 Survey				
	Actual result Forecast		Actual result				
				Changes			
Large Enterprises	21		21	0			
Medium-sized Enterprises	9		11	2			
Small Enterprises	-2		-1	1			
All Enterprises	7		8	1			

Lending Attitude of Financial institutions (All industries)

(Diffusion index of "Accommodative" minus "Severe", %points)

	Sept. 200	6 Survey	Dec. 200	6 Survey
	Actual result	Forecast	Actual result	
				Changes
Large Enterprises	24		25	1
Medium-sized Enterprises	15		17	2
Small Enterprises	9		10	1
All Enterprises	14		15	1

Change in Interest Rate on Loans (All industries)

((Diffusion	index	of '	'Rise"	minus	"Fall",	%points)

	Sept. 2006 Survey		Dec. 2006 Survey			
	Actual result	Forecast	Actual result		Forecast	
				Changes		Changes
Large Enterprises	42	44	33	-9	42	9
Medium-sized Enterprises	50	56	43	-7	48	5
Small Enterprises	46	60	45	-1	50	5
All Enterprises	46	55	41	-5	48	7

Condition for CP Issuance (All industries)

	(Diffusion index of "Easy" minus "Severe", %points)						
	Sept. 200)6 Survey	Dec. 200	6 Survey			
	Actual result	Forecast	Actual result				
				Changes			
Large Enterprises	2		4	2			

Ratio of Liquidity (All industries)						
	end of	end of	end of	end of		
	Dec. 2005	March 2006	June 2006	Sept. 2006		
Large Enterprises	0.88	0.94	0.88	0.88		
Medium-sized Enterprises	1.08	1.13	1.03	1.05		
Small Enterprises	1.63	1.70	1.63	1.66		
All Enterprises	1.12	1.17	1.10	1.12		

Ratio of Liquidity =

8. Business Conditions of Financial institutions

Business Conditions

		(Diffusion index	of "Favorable"	minus "Unfavo	rable", %points	
	Sept. 200	6 Survey		Dec. 2006 Survey			
	Actual result Forecast		Actual result F		Forecast		
				Changes		Changes	
Banks	49	49	50	1	53	3	
Shinkin banks & Other financial institutions for small businesses	29	29	44	15	38	-6	
Securities companies	-4	36	0	4	40	40	
Insurance companies	46	60	42	-4	49	7	
Non-deposit money corporations	41	27	14	-27	18	4	
Financial institutions	38	44	37	-1	44	7	

Production Capacity

(Diffusion index of "Excessive capacity" minus "Insufficient capacity", %points)

	Sept. 2006 Survey		Dec. 2006 Survey			
	Actual result	Forecast	Actual result		Forecast	
				Changes		Changes
Banks	-2	-1	-2	0	0	2
Shinkin banks & Other financial institutions for small businesses	0	0	-3	-3	3	6
Securities companies	-24	-28	-28	-4	-32	-4
Insurance companies	-3	-2	-9	-6	-7	2
Non-deposit money corporations	0	5	5	5	0	-5
Financial institutions	-5	-4	-7	-2	-5	2

Employment Conditions

(Diffusion index of "Excessive employment"minus "Insufficient employment", %points)

	Sept. 200	6 Survey	Dec. 2006 Survey			
	Actual result	Forecast	Actual result		Forecast	
				Changes		Changes
Banks	-23	-24	-27	-4	-31	-4
Shinkin banks & Other financial institutions for small businesses	0	-23	-9	-9	-17	-8
Securities companies	-52	-60	-44	8	-64	-20
Insurance companies	-44	-38	-47	-3	-40	7
Non-deposit money corporations	-13	-9	-22	-9	-13	9
Financial institutions	-27	-30	-30	-3	-33	-3

Quarter-end balance of cash, deposits, and securities listed as liquid assets

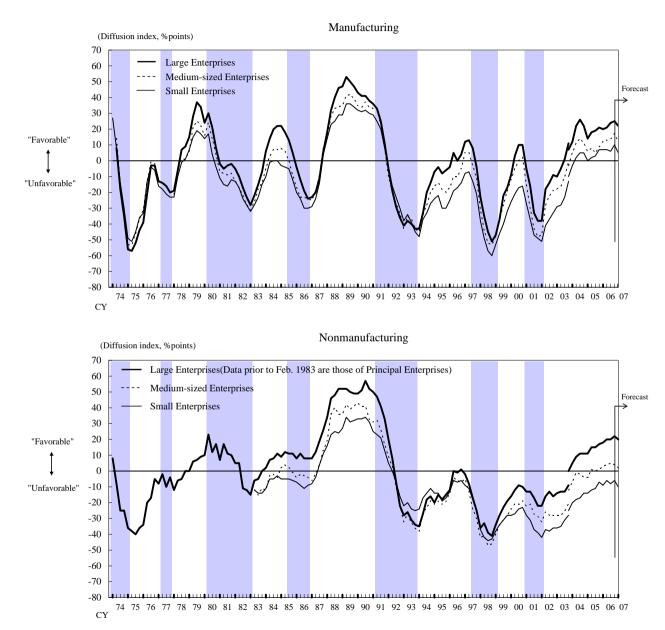
Monthly average sales during the fiscal year, which includes the related quarter

(Reference Charts)

Notes: 1. Unless otherwise noted, shaded areas indicate periods of recession (according to the Cabinet Office).

- 2. There is no continuity between the figures up to the December 2003 survey and those from the March 2004 survey (as for the December 2003 survey, the results of preliminary survey based on "Capital" are also shown).
- 3. The "Principal Enterprises" survey has been abolished from the March 2004 survey.

[Business Conditions]



Peaks and Bottoms of Business Conditions (from May 1974)

(Diffusion index of "Favorable" minus "Unfavorable", %points)

	Manufacturing						
Large Ei	Large Enterprises		d Enterprises	Small Enterprises			
Peak	Bottom	Peak	Bottom	Peak	Bottom		
	-57		-53		-51		
	(75/5)		(75/2,5)		(75/5)		
-3	-20	-1	-21	-4	-23		
(76/8,11)	(77/11)	(76/8)	(78/2)	(76/8)	(77/11,78/2)		
37	-28	25	-31	19	-32		
(79/8)	(83/2)	(79/8)	(83/2)	(79/8)	(83/2)		
22	-24	8	-25	0	-30		
(84/11,85/2)	(86/11)	(85/2)	(87/2)	(84/8,11)	(86/8,11)		
53	-43	42	-45	36	-48		
(89/5)	(93/11,94/2)	(89/8)	(94/2)	(89/5,8)	(94/2)		
13	-51	5	-53	-7	-60		
(97/6)	(98/12)	(97/3,6)	(98/12)	(97/6)	(98/12)		
10	-38	2	-48	-16	-51		
(00/9,12)	(01/12,02/3)	(00/12)	(01/12)	(00/12)	(02/3)		

	December 2006 survey					
	Large	Medium-sized	Small			
	Enterprises	Enterprises	Enterprises			
Actual result	25	17	10			
Forecast	22	12	5			

Peaks and Bottoms of Business Conditions (from May 1983)

(Diffusion index of "Favorable" minus "Unfavorable", %points)

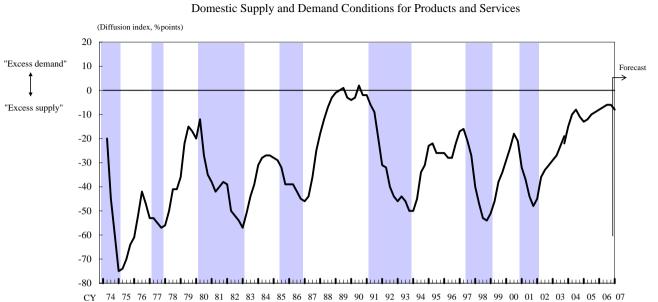
	Nonmanufacturing						
Large E	Interprises	Medium-size	d Enterprises	Small Er	nterprises		
Peak	Bottom	Peak	Bottom	Peak	Bottom		
	-6		-15		-14		
	(83/5)		(83/8)		(83/8,11)		
12	8	4	-6	-3	-11		
(85/5)	(86/2,8,11,87/2)	(85/5)	(87/2)	(84/11)	(86/8)		
57	-35	43	-38	34	-25		
(90/8)	(94/2)	(90/2)	(94/2)	(89/5,90/8)	(93/11)		
1	-41	-4	-47	-6	-44		
(96/11)	(98/12)	(96/5)	(98/9)	(96/5,11)	(98/9)		
-9	-22	-19	-32	-23	-42		
(00/9)	(01/12,02/3)	(00/12)	(02/3)	(00/12)	(02/3)		

	December 2006 survey				
	Large	Medium-sized	Small		
	Enterprises	Enterprises	Enterprises		
Actual result	22	4	-6		
Forecast	20	2	-10		

[Supply and Demand Conditions and Prices (Large Manufacturing Enterprises)]

"Rise"

"Fall"



Peaks and Bottoms of Domestic Supply and Demand Conditions for Products and Services (from May 1974)

(Diffusion index of "Excess demand" minus "Excess supply", %points)

Large Manufacturing Enterprises						
Peak	Bottom					
	-75					
	(75/2)					
-42	-57 (77/11)					
(76/8)	(77/11)					
-12	-57 (83/2)					
-27	-46					
(84/8,11)	-46 (87/2) -50 (93/11,94/2)					
2	-50					
-16	-54 (98/12) -48 (01/12)					
(97/6)	(98/12)					
-18	-48					
(00/9)	(01/12)					

December 2006 survey						
Actual result	-6					
Forecast	-8					
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			Prices	5					
(Diffusion index, %points)								
100	Output prices								
80	Input prices								
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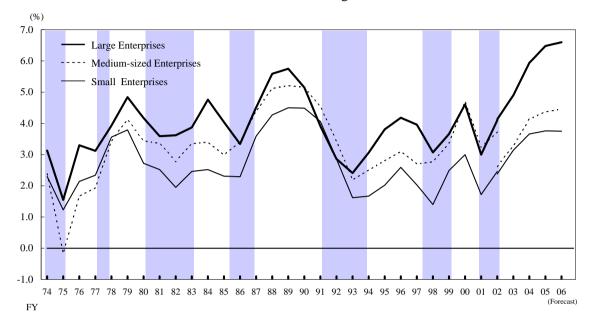
Peaks and Bottoms of Prices (from May 1974)

	(Diffusion index of "Rise" minus "Fall", %points)						
	Large Manufacturing Enterprises						
Output	Prices	Input	Prices				
Peak	Bottom	Peak	Bottom				
	-13		8				
	(75/2,8)		(75/8)				
13	-19	34	-16				
(76/8)	(78/11)	(76/8)	(78/8)				
39	-23	77	4				
(80/5)	(83/2)	(80/5)	(82/2)				
-4	-42	14	-35				
(84/2)	(86/8,11)	(82/11)	(86/8,11)				
5	-29	31	-19				
(90/11)	(93/11,94/5)	(90/11)	(93/11)				
-16	-38	9	-15				
(97/6)	(98/12)	(97/3)	(98/12,99/3)				
-18	-38	7	-16				
(00/9)	(02/3)	(00/12)	(01/12)				

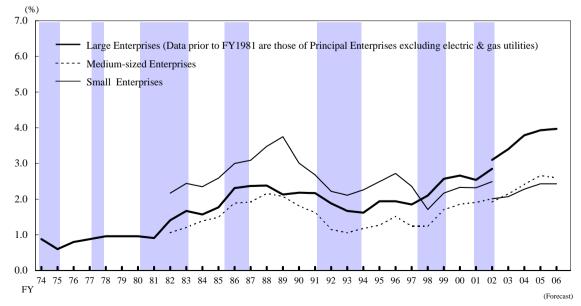
	December 2006 survey				
	Output Prices	Input Prices			
Actual result	1	35			
Forecast	-2	26			

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Manufacturing



Nonmanufacturing



Peaks and Bottoms of Ratio of Current Profit to Sales (from 1974)

					(%)	
	Manufacturing					
Large Er	nterprises	Medium-size	d Enterprises	Small Er	nterprises	
Peak	Bottom	Peak	Bottom	Peak	Bottom	
	1.55		-0.16		1.23	
	(FY75)		(FY75)		(FY75)	
4.84	3.59	4.12	2.78	3.79	1.95	
(FY79)	(FY81)	(FY79)	(FY82)	(FY79)	(FY82)	
4.76	3.34	3.40	2.99	2.52	2.29	
(FY84)	(FY86)	(FY84)	(FY85)	(FY84)	(FY86)	
5.75	2.41	5.21	2.19	4.50	1.62	
(FY89)	(FY93)	(FY89)	(FY93)	(FY89)	(FY93)	
4.18	3.07	3.10	2.70	2.59	1.40	
(FY96)	(FY98)	(FY96)	(FY97)	(FY96)	(FY98)	
4.61	3.00	4.70	3.24	3.00	1.72	
(FY00)	(FY01)	(FY00)	(FY01)	(FY00)	(FY01)	

	December 2006 survey			
	Large Enterprises	Medium-sized Enterprises	Small Enterprises	
FY2005	6.48	4.37	3.76	
FY2006 (Forecast)	6.60	4.46	3.75	

Peaks and Bottoms of Ratio of Current Profit to Sales (from 1982)

(%) Nonmanufacturing Small Enterprises Large Enterprises Medium-sized Enterprises Peak Bottom Peak Bottom Peak Bottom 1.41 1.06 2.17 (FY82) (FY82) (FY82) 1.67 1.57 2.44 2.35 _ ____ (FY83) (FY84) (FY83) (FY84) 2.38 1.62 2.16 3.75 2.11 1.06 (FY88) (FY94) (FY88) (FY93) (FY89) (FY93) 1.94 2.72 1.85 1.52 1.25 1.71 (FY97) (FY97,98) (FY96) (FY98) (FY95,96) (FY96) 2.66 2.54 2.33 2.32 (FY01) (FY00) (FY01) (FY00)

	December 2006 survey			
	Large Medium-sized Small			
	Enterprises	Enterprises	Enterprises	
FY2005	3.93	2.66	2.43	
FY2006 (Forecast)	3.97	2.60	2.43	

[Developments of Fixed Investment including Land Purchasing Expenses]

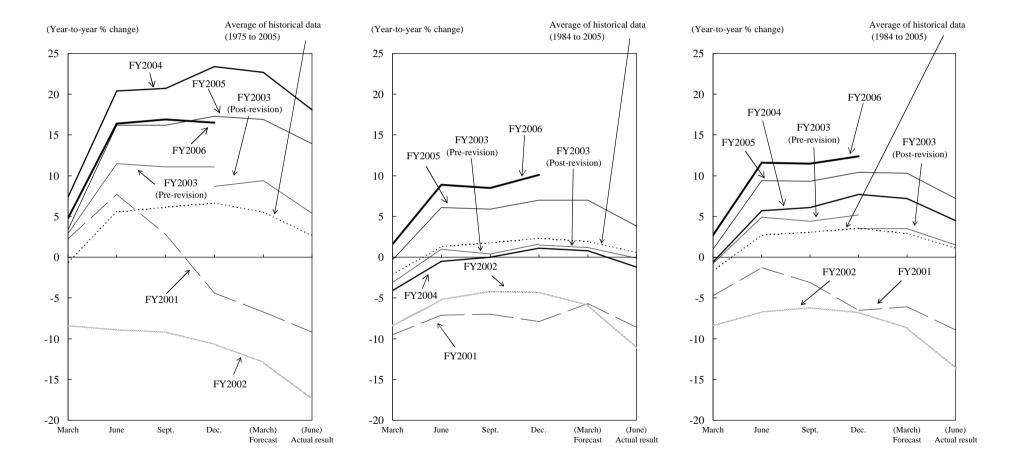
Note:1. This graph indicates the revision pattern of fixed investment. The horizontal axis represents the point of time when the survey is conducted for each fiscal year. Namely, the first survey for each year (March survey) is at the very left, and the last survey (June survey of the following year; actual result) is at the very right. The vertical axis represents the year-to-year percent change.
2. Excludes Software Investment.

(1) Large Enterprises

Manufacturing

Nonmanufacturing

All industries

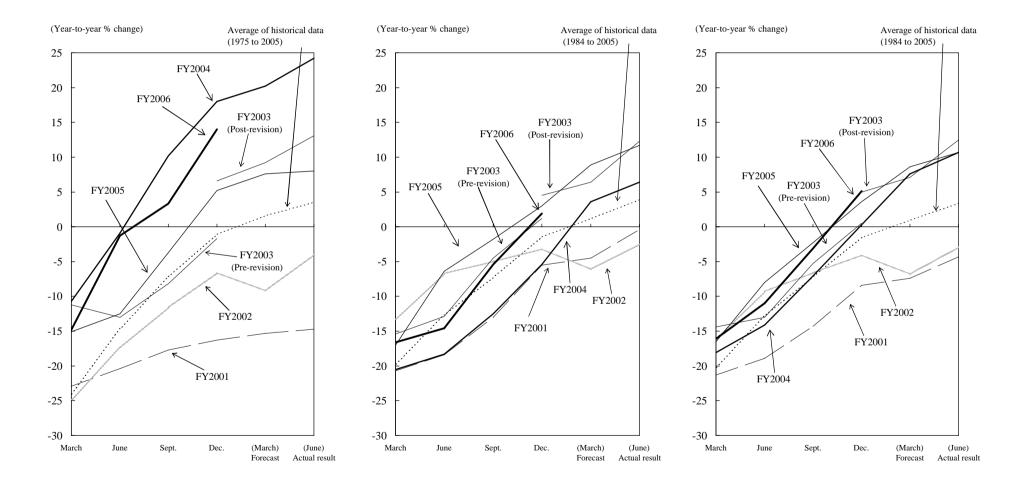


(2) Small Enterprises

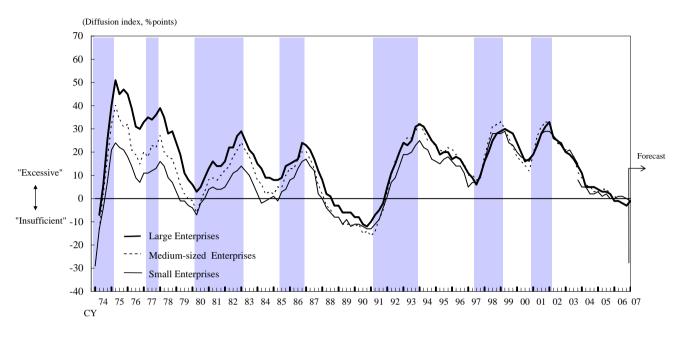
Manufacturing

Nonmanufacturing

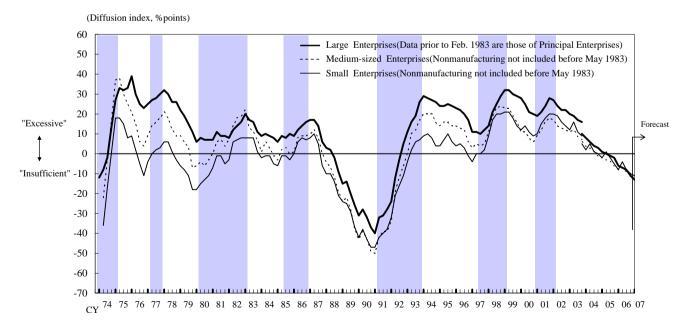
All industries



[Production Capacity (Manufacturing)]



[Employment Condition (All industries)]



Peaks and Bottoms of Production Capacity (from May 1974)

(Diffusion index of "Excessive capacity" minus "Insufficient capacity", %points)

	Manufacturing					
Large Er	nterprises	Medium-size	Medium-sized Enterprises		nterprises	
Peak	Bottom	Peak	Bottom	Peak	Bottom	
51	30	40	15	24	7	
(75/5)	(76/11)	(75/5)	(76/11)	(75/5)	(76/11)	
39	3	27	-6	16	-7	
(78/2)	(80/5)	(78/2)	(80/5)	(78/2)	(80/5)	
29	8	24	2	14	-2	
(83/2)	(85/2,5)	(83/2)	(84/8,85/2)	(83/2)	(84/5)	
24	-12	20	-16	17	-13	
(86/11)	(90/11)	(86/11,87/2)	(91/2)	(87/2)	(90/11,91/2)	
32	6	33	8	25	5	
(94/2)	(97/9)	(94/2)	(97/9)	(94/2)	(97/3)	
30	16	33	12	29	16	
(99/6)	(00/9)	(99/3)	(00/12)	(99/6)	(00/12)	
33		33		29		
(02/3)		(01/12,02/3)		(01/12,02/3)		

	December 2006 survey				
	Large Medium-sized Sma				
	Enterprises	Enterprises	Enterprises		
Actual result	-3	-3	0		
Forecast	-1	-2	-1		

Peaks and Bottoms of Employment Condition (from May 1983)

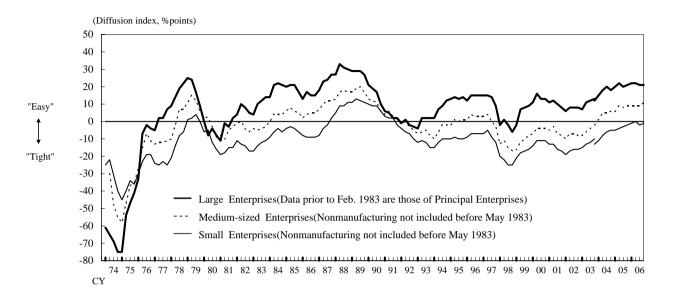
(Diffusion index of "Excessive employment" minus "Insufficient employment", %points)

		All industries					
Interprises	rises Small Enterprises						
Bottom	Peak	Bottom					
-3	8	-6					
(85/2)	(83/5,8)	(85/2)					
-50	10	-47					
(91/2)	(87/5)	(90/11,91/2)					
3	10	-4					
(97/3)	(94/5,95/8)	(97/3)					
6	21	9					
(00/12)	(99/3,6)	(00/12)					
	20						
	(01/12,02/3)						
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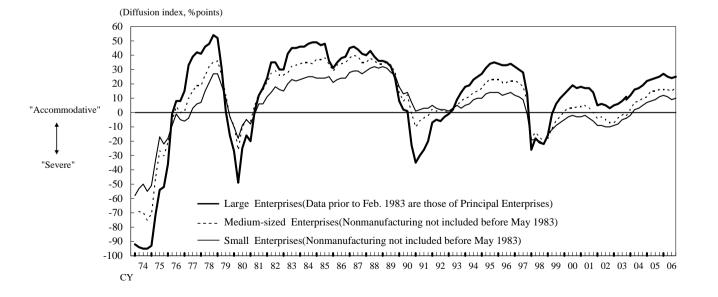
	December 2006 survey			
	Large	Small		
	Enterprises	Enterprises	Enterprises	
Actual result	-11	-10	-10	
Forecast	-13	-13	-11	

[Corporate Finance (All industries)]

Financial Position



Lending Attitude of Financial institutions



Peaks and Bottoms of Financial Position (from May 1983)

	(Diffusion index of "Easy" minus "Tight", %points)					
	All industries					
Large Enterprises Medium-sized Enterprises Small Enterprises					nterprises	
Peak	Bottom	Peak	Bottom	Peak	Bottom	
33	-6	20	-17	13	-25	
(88/5)	(98/12)	(89/8)	(98/12)	(89/5)	(98/9,12)	

	December 2006 survey				
	Large Medium-sized Sma				
	Enterprises	Enterprises	Enterprises		
Actual result	21	11	-1		

Peaks and Bottoms of Lending Attitude of Financial institutions (from May 1983)

(Diffusion index of	"Accommodative"	minus "Severe",	%points)
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All industries					
Large Enterprises		Enterprises Medium-sized Enterprises		Small Er	nterprises
Peak	Bottom	Peak	Bottom	Peak	Bottom
49	-35	40	-21	32	-22
(84/11,85/2)	(91/2)	(87/5)	(98/12)	(88/8,89/2)	(98/12)

	December 2006 survey				
	Large Medium-sized Small				
	Enterprises	Enterprises	Enterprises		
Actual result	25	17	10		