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Monthly Report on the Corporate Service Price Index

(January 2005)

	C S P I			(Ref.) Domestic CGPI		
	<2000 average=100>					
	Yearly changes	Monthly changes	Indexes	Yearly changes	Monthly changes	Indexes
	%			%		
2000 C.Y.	-0.5	-	100.0	0.0	-	100.0
2001	-2.2	-	97.8	-2.3	-	97.7
2002	-2.2	-	95.6	-2.0	-	95.7
2003	-1.5	-	94.2	-0.8	-	94.9
2004	-0.4	-	93.8	1.3	-	96.1
1999 F.Y.	-1.1	-	100.5	-0.8	-	100.1
2000	-0.9	-	99.6	-0.6	-	99.5
2001	-2.5	-	97.1	-2.4	-	97.1
2002	-2.1	-	95.1	-1.6	-	95.5
2003	-1.2	-	94.0	-0.5	-	95.0
2003/ Dec.	-0.8	-0.1	94.2	-0.2	0.1	94.9
2004/ Jan.	-0.7	-0.7	93.5	0.0	0.2	95.1
Feb.	-0.7	0.2	93.7	0.0	0.2	95.3
Mar.	-0.5	0.9	94.5	0.2	0.2	95.5
Apr.	-0.5	-0.6	93.9	0.6	0.2	95.7
May	-0.3	-0.2	93.7	0.9	0.0	95.7
June	-0.5	0.0	93.7	1.5	0.3	96.0
July	-0.3	0.1	93.8	1.6	0.4	96.4
Aug.	-0.2	-0.4	93.4	1.7	0.1	96.5
Sep.	-0.2	0.2	93.6	1.8	0.1	96.6
Oct.	-0.2	0.3	93.9	2.0	0.0	96.6
Nov.	-0.3	0.1	94.0	2.0	0.1	96.7
Dec.	-0.4	-0.2	93.8	1.8	-0.1	96.6
2005/ Jan. (p)	-0.5	-0.9	93.0	1.3	-0.3	96.3

p:preliminary figures

The year-to-year change of the Corporate Service Price Index in January 2005 was -0.5%. The rate of decrease accelerated from that in the previous month.

In prices of **Advertising services** (e.g., advertising services by four representative media <television commercials>), the rate of year-to-year increase accelerated (year-to-year change; December +1.3% → January +3.5%). However, in prices of **Transportation** (e.g., ocean freight transportation <ocean tanker>), the rate of year-to-year increase decelerated (+2.2% → +0.5%). And in prices of **Communications and broadcasting services** (fixed telecommunications services <fixed telephone services>), the rate of year-to-year decrease accelerated (-0.9% → -1.7%).

Indexes for Major Groups and Subgroups

--January 2005

2000 average = 100

	Weight	Indexes (preliminary figures)	Previous month	Yearly changes (preliminary figures)	Previous month	Monthly changes (preliminary figures)	Previous month
				%	%	%	%
All items	1,000.0	93.0	93.8	-0.5	-0.4	-0.9	-0.2
Finance and insurance	50.4	97.5	97.4	-1.0	-1.4	0.1	-0.1
Financial services	37.3	99.1	98.9	-1.1	-1.3	0.2	-0.2
Property and casualty insurance services	13.1	93.0	93.1	-0.7	-1.9	-0.1	0.0
Real estate services	72.8	91.8	91.7	-1.9	-2.4	0.1	0.0
Office space rental	51.0	88.4	88.4	-3.1	-3.5	0.0	-0.1
Other space rental	21.8	99.8	99.5	0.5	-0.1	0.3	0.4
Transportation	193.3	103.0	104.6	0.5	2.2	-1.5	0.1
Railroad passenger transportation	19.5	98.6	98.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7
Road passenger transportation	11.5	95.4	95.4	0.1	-0.3	0.0	-2.5
Air passenger transportation	14.3	113.7	115.7	2.4	3.1	-1.7	5.7
Railroad freight transportation	0.9	99.0	97.5	0.1	-1.3	1.5	-1.2
Road freight transportation	64.6	96.5	96.5	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0
Ocean freight transportation	20.7	128.2	137.0	4.0	12.9	-6.4	-2.4
Coastal and inland waterway freight transportation	6.1	92.8	93.4	0.2	0.4	-0.6	0.8
Ship chartering services	7.2	131.3	143.0	-6.8	4.4	-8.2	1.0
Marine cargo handling	10.4	100.1	100.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
International air freight transportation	4.0	98.6	r 101.4	2.2	r 4.5	-2.8	r 1.2
Domestic air freight transportation	0.7	102.9	102.7	0.5	0.5	0.2	2.3
Warehousing and storage	9.1	96.3	96.3	-0.3	-0.3	0.0	0.0
Packing for freights	8.6	95.5	95.6	0.3	0.3	-0.1	0.0
Toll roads	15.7	100.2	100.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
Communications and broadcasting services	96.3	86.6	87.3	-1.7	-0.9	-0.8	0.0
Postal services	14.2	99.3	99.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Fixed telecommunications services	52.3	82.5	83.8	-3.1	-1.5	-1.6	0.0
Mobile telecommunications services	21.5	89.8	89.8	-0.7	-0.7	0.0	0.0
Access charges	6.2	76.7	76.8	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	0.0
Broadcasting services	2.1	100.7	100.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Advertising services	74.9	93.7	99.1	3.5	1.3	-5.4	-2.0
Advertising services by four representative media	51.9	92.6	100.4	5.7	2.4	-7.8	-2.8
Other advertising services	23.0	96.3	96.0	-0.9	-1.3	0.3	0.0
Information services	106.1	93.7	93.5	0.5	-0.4	0.2	-0.1
Software development	61.3	92.3	91.9	1.2	-0.4	0.4	-0.4
Other information services	44.8	95.5	95.6	-0.6	-0.3	-0.1	0.1
Leasing and rental	93.0	69.0	69.2	-5.7	-6.0	-0.3	-0.9
Leasing	77.2	66.2	66.3	-6.8	-7.1	-0.2	-1.2
Rental	15.8	83.0	83.2	-1.1	-1.2	-0.2	-0.1
Other services	313.2	95.1	95.1	-0.5	-0.5	0.0	-0.1
Sewage disposal	7.3	107.2	107.2	2.0	2.0	0.0	0.0
Industrial waste disposal	18.8	107.6	108.2	-0.4	0.4	-0.6	0.0
Motor vehicle repair and maintenance	33.4	93.3	93.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Machinery repair and maintenance	57.7	96.7	96.7	0.8	0.5	0.0	0.0
Legal and accounting services	25.2	100.0	100.3	-1.2	-0.8	-0.3	0.0
Civil engineering and architectural service	40.4	84.5	84.5	-2.8	-2.8	0.0	0.0
Other professional services	43.9	98.0	98.0	-0.4	-0.1	0.0	0.0
Building maintenance	40.4	89.8	90.0	-1.3	-1.5	-0.2	0.0
Temporary employment services	15.5	97.6	96.9	0.0	-0.7	0.7	-0.4
Security services	18.4	94.9	94.9	-0.9	-0.9	0.0	0.0
Laundry services	12.2	95.3	95.3	-0.2	-0.2	0.0	0.0
Reference:							
All items (contract currency basis)*	1,000.0	93.1	93.9	-0.4	-0.2	-0.9	-0.2

r:revised figures

*:All items (contract currency basis) is the weighted average of all item indexes compiled by contracted prices. There are foreign currency contracted prices in subgroup 'Ocean freight transportation,' 'Ship chartering services,' and 'International air freight transportation'.

Corporate Service Price Index (2000 average=100)



Appendix

Indexes for Major Groups and Subgroups

(Calendar Year 2004)

2000 average = 100

	Weight	Indexes	Yearly	Yearly
			changes	changes for
			%	CY 2003
			%	%
All items	1,000.0	93.8	-0.4	-1.5
Finance and insurance	50.4	97.8	-0.6	0.7
Financial services	37.3	99.4	-0.2	1.7
Property and casualty insurance services	13.1	93.3	-2.0	-1.8
Real estate services	72.8	92.5	-2.9	-2.1
Office space rental	51.0	89.7	-4.2	-2.9
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Transportation	193.3	103.4	2.6	0.7
Railroad passenger transportation	19.5	98.4	-0.8	-0.5
Road passenger transportation	11.5	96.6	-0.7	-1.2
Air passenger transportation	14.3	111.6	4.2	3.0
Railroad freight transportation	0.9	98.9	-0.2	0.0
Road freight transportation	64.6	96.4	-0.3	-0.9
Ocean freight transportation	20.7	131.2	15.4	5.8
Coastal and inland waterway freight transportation	6.1	92.0	-0.6	-2.0
Ship chartering services	7.2	136.6	18.7	14.0
Marine cargo handling	10.4	100.1	0.0	0.1
International air freight transportation	4.0	r 99.0	r -2.3	-7.2
Domestic air freight transportation	0.7	103.2	1.3	-1.0
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Packing for freights	8.6	95.5	-0.8	-2.1
Toll roads	15.7	100.2	0.0	-0.1
Communications and broadcasting services	96.3	87.5	-1.1	-1.7
Postal services	14.2	99.3	-0.4	-0.1
Fixed telecommunications services	52.3	84.1	-1.5	-1.7
Mobile telecommunications services	21.5	89.9	-1.0	-2.3
Access charges	6.2	76.8	-0.1	-3.0
Broadcasting services	2.1	100.7	0.0	0.0
Advertising services	74.9	97.4	0.5	-0.6
Advertising services by four representative media	51.9	97.8	2.0	-0.8
Other advertising services	23.0	96.6	-2.4	-0.3
Information services	106.1	93.5	-0.5	-2.8
Software development	61.3	92.0	-0.5	-3.8
Other information services	44.8	95.6	-0.5	-1.3
Leasing and rental	93.0	71.6	-4.7	-7.1
Leasing	77.2	69.0	-5.2	-7.7
Rental	15.8	84.0	-2.8	-4.1
Other services	313.2	95.3	-0.8	-1.3
Sewage disposal	7.3	106.4	1.2	0.3
Industrial waste disposal	18.8	108.2	0.7	0.7
Motor vehicle repair and maintenance	33.4	93.3	-1.0	-2.4
Machinery repair and maintenance	57.7	96.6	0.0	-0.7
Legal and accounting services	25.2	100.5	-0.4	0.4
Civil engineering and architectural services	40.4	85.1	-2.7	-3.0
Other professional services	43.9	98.1	0.0	-0.5
Building maintenance	40.4	90.3	-2.2	-3.5
Temporary employment services	15.5	97.4	-0.6	-0.7
Security services	18.4	95.2	-1.7	-1.7
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