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Surveillance System in Tokyo, Japan

The infectious diseases which all physicians must report

All physicians must report to health centers the incidence of the diseases which are shown at page one. Health centers electronically report the individual cases to Tokyo Metropolitan Infectious Disease Surveillance Center.

The infectious diseases required to be reported by the sentinels

The numbers of patients who visit the sentinel clinics or hospitals during a week are reported to health centers in Tokyo. And they electronically report the numbers to Tokyo Metropolitan Infectious Disease Surveillance Center. We have about 500 sentinel clinics and hospitals in Tokyo.

1st Week is early January and 52nd Week is end of December.

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Number of patients with the diseases which all physicians must report

Category	Diseases	Tokyo					Japan	
		15th	16th	17th	18th	Cum 2011	18th	Cum 2011
I	Ebola hemorrhagic fever							
	Crimean-Congo hemorrhagic fever							
	Smallpox							
	South American hemorrhagic fever							
	Plague							
	Marburg disease							
	Lassa fever							
II	Acute poliomyelitis							
	Tuberculosis	94	71	60	23	1,493	160	9,043
	Diphtheria							
	Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome(SARS)							
III	Avian influenza H5N1							
	Cholera							1
	Shigellosis	2			2	17	3	67
	Enterohemorrhagic Escherichia coli infection	2	1			24	43	288
	Typhoid fever				1	1	1	3
IV	Paratyphoid fever	1				7		10
	Hepatitis E					5		23
	West Nile fever							
	Hepatitis A		1	1		13	3	112
	Echinococcosis					1		9
	Yellow fever							
	Psittacosis					1		7
	Omsk hemorrhagic fever							
	Relapsing fever							
	Kyasانur forest disease							
	Q fever							
	Rabies							
	Coccidioidomycosis					2		2
	Monkeypox							
	Hemorrhagic fever with renal syndrome							
	Western equine encephalitis							
	Tick-borne encephalitis							
	Anthrax							
	Chikungunya fever							3
	Scrub typhus(Tsutsugamushi disease)					7	1	45
	Dengue fever	1				11		33
	Eastern equine encephalitis							
	Avian influenza (excluding H5N1)							
	Nipah virus infection							
	Japanese spotted fever							1
	Japanese encephalitis					1		1
	Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome							
	Herpes B virus infection							
	Glanders							
	Brucellosis							
	Venezuelan equine encephalitis							
	Hendra virus infection							
	Epidemic typhus							
	Botulism							2
	Malaria	1				7		17
	Tularemia							
	Lyme disease	1				2		2
	Lyssavirus infection(excluding rabies)							
	Rift valley fever							
	Melioidosis							
	Legionellosis	1	3		1	15	9	169
	Leptospirosis				1		3	4
	Rocky mountain spotted fever							

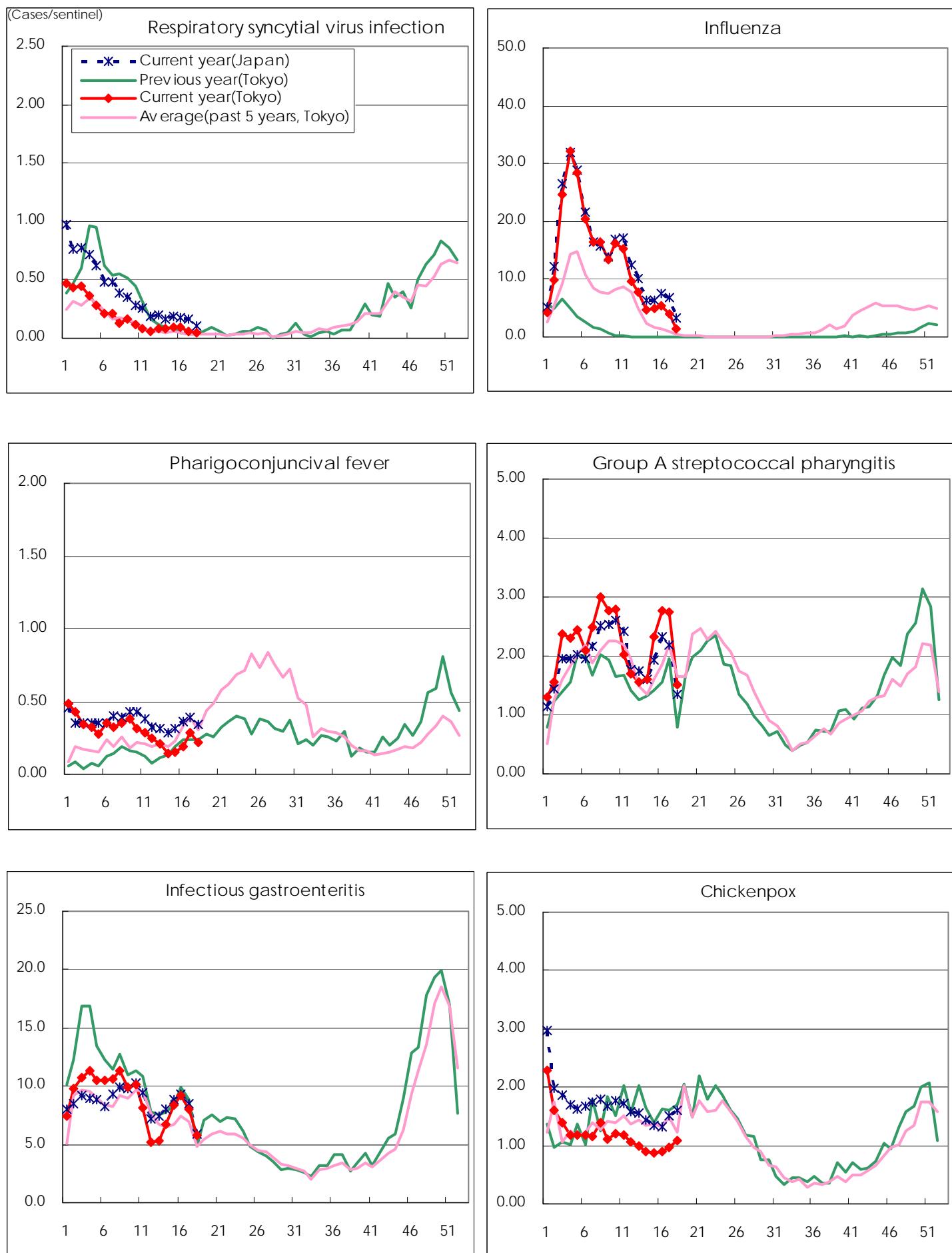
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		15th	16th	17th	18th	Cum 2011	18th	Cum 2011
V	Amebiasis	4	3	3	1	58	3	249
	Viral hepatitis(excluding hepatitis A and E)	2				11		76
	Acute encephalitis(excluding JE and WNE)					7	2	124
	Cryptosporidiosis					2		3
	Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease	1				8	1	35
	Severe invasive streptococcal infections(TSLS)	1			1	14	1	79
	Acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS)	4	10	6	3	139	3	438
	Giardiasis				1	5		23
	Meningococcal meningitis				1	1		2
	Congenital rubella syndrome							
	Syphilis	1	1	5	4	62	3	214
	Tetanus					1		24
	Vancomycin-resistant S. aureus infection							
	Vancomycin-resistant Enterococcus infection						1	19
	Rubella	2	2			7	4	90
	Measles	14	13	23	15	90	15	206

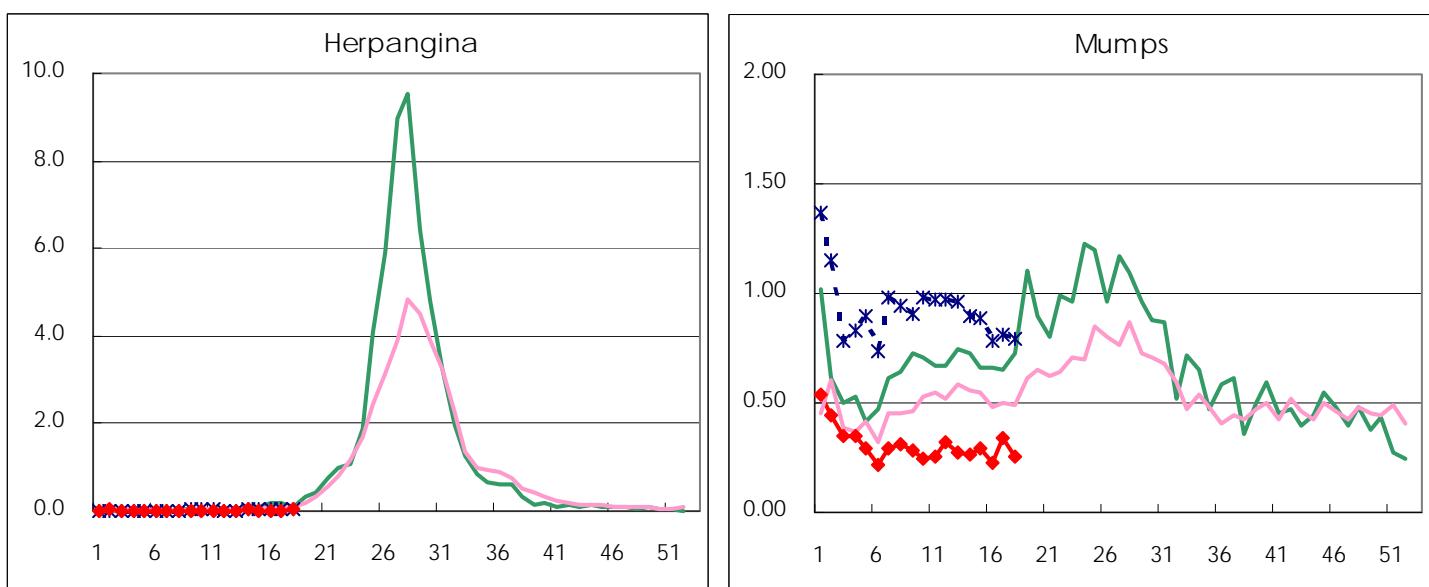
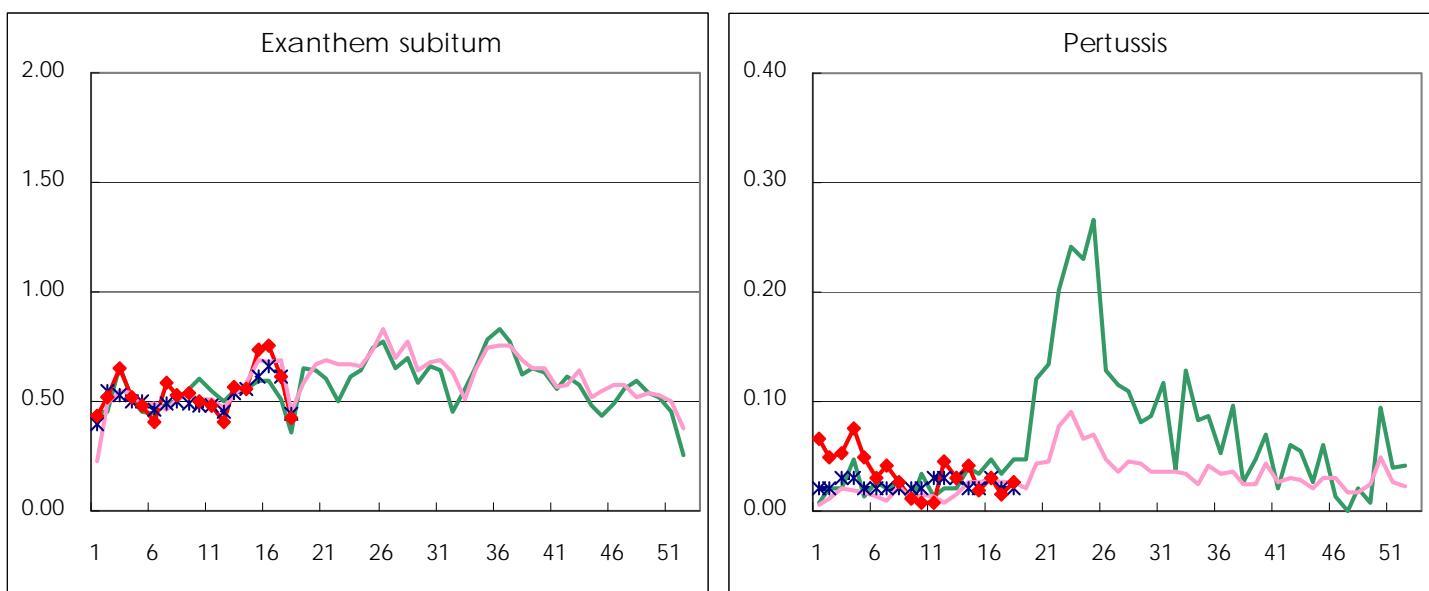
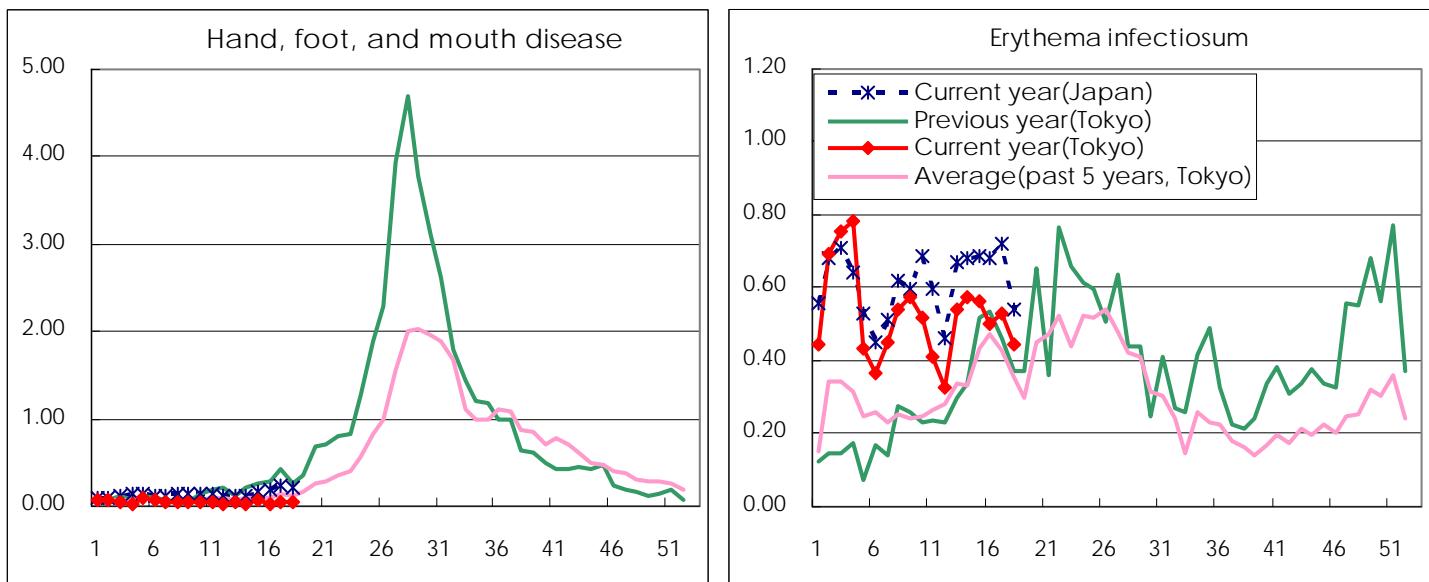
Number of patients with the diseases to be reported
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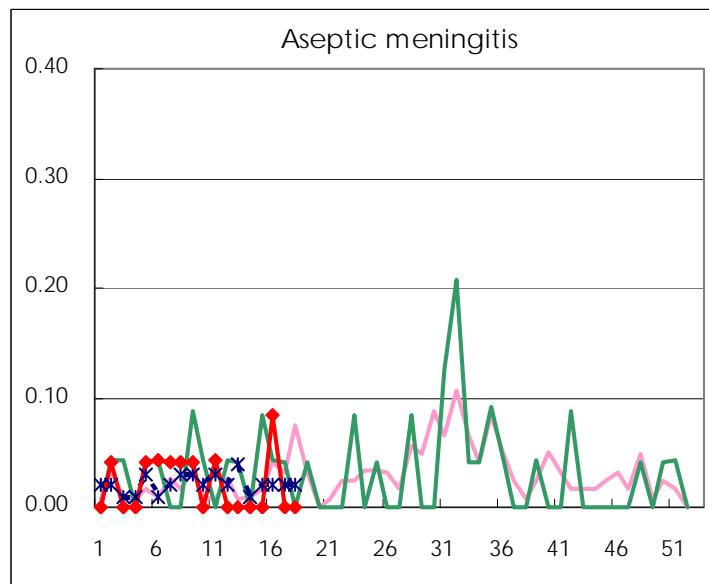
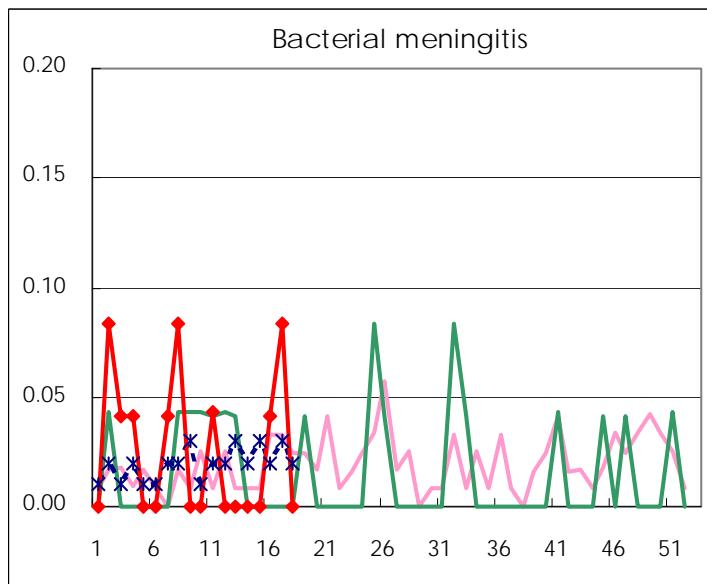
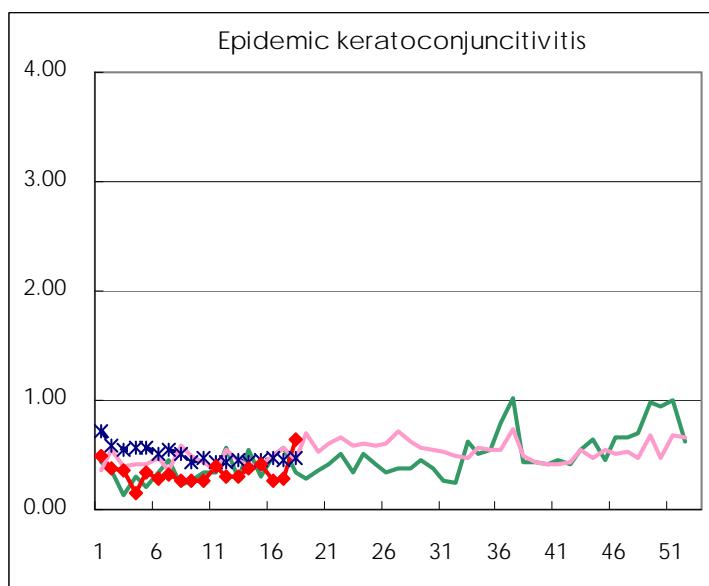
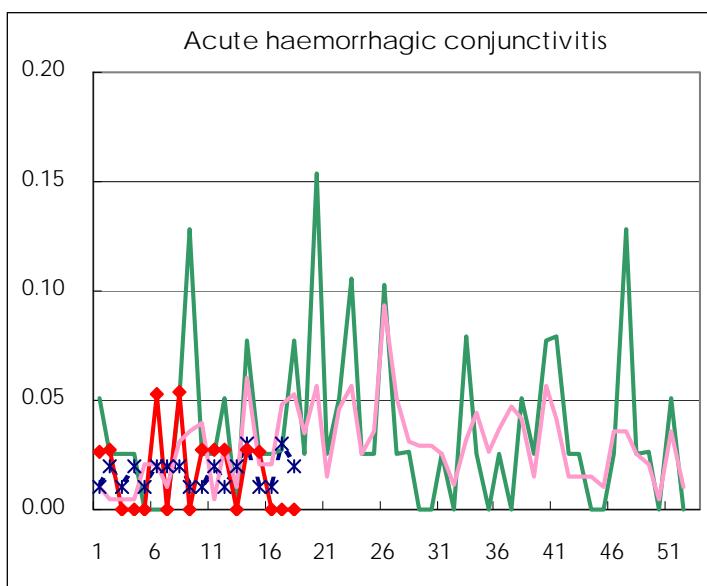
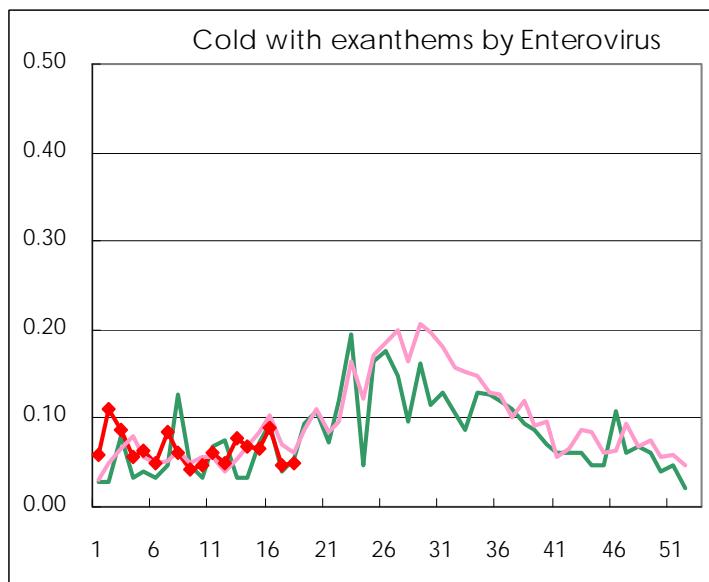
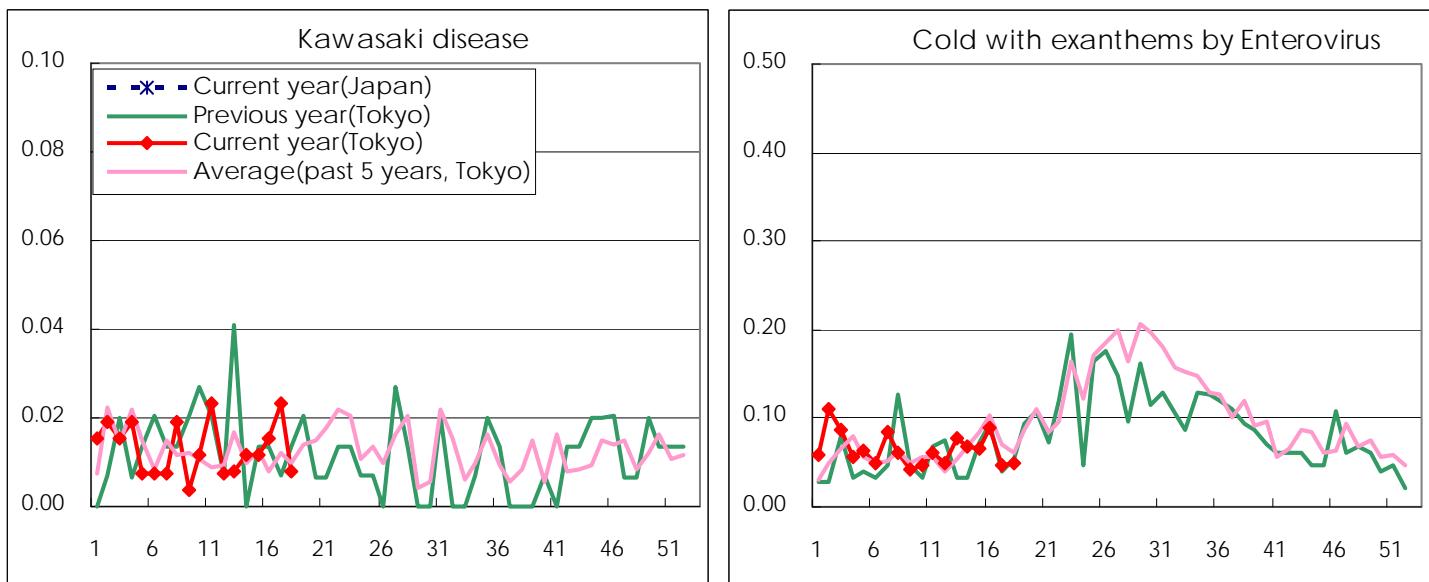
Diseases	2011				
	15th	16th	17th	18th	/sentinel
Respiratory syncytial virus infection	24	25	16	11	0.04
Pharygoconjunctival fever	40	49	75	56	0.22
Group A streptococcal pharyngitis	611	721	712	390	1.51
Infectious gastroenteritis	2202	2,394	2,072	1,488	5.75
Chickenpox	228	233	253	284	1.10
Hand, foot, and mouth disease	17	8	14	14	0.05
Erythema infectiosum	147	131	137	115	0.44
Exanthem subitum	193	198	159	109	0.42
Pertussis	5	8	4	7	0.03
Herpangina	4	6	6	8	0.03
Mumps	77	60	88	65	0.25
Kawasaki disease	3	4	6	2	0.01
Cold with exanthems by Enterovirus	17	23	12	13	0.05
Influenza	2,098	2,253	1,656	566	1.38
Acute hemorrhagic conjunctivitis	1				
Epidemic keratoconjunctivitis	16	10	10	24	0.65
Bacterial meningitis			1	2	
Aseptic meningitis				2	
Mycoplasma pneumonia	8	11	4	11	0.46
Chlamydial pneumonia (excluding psittacosis)					

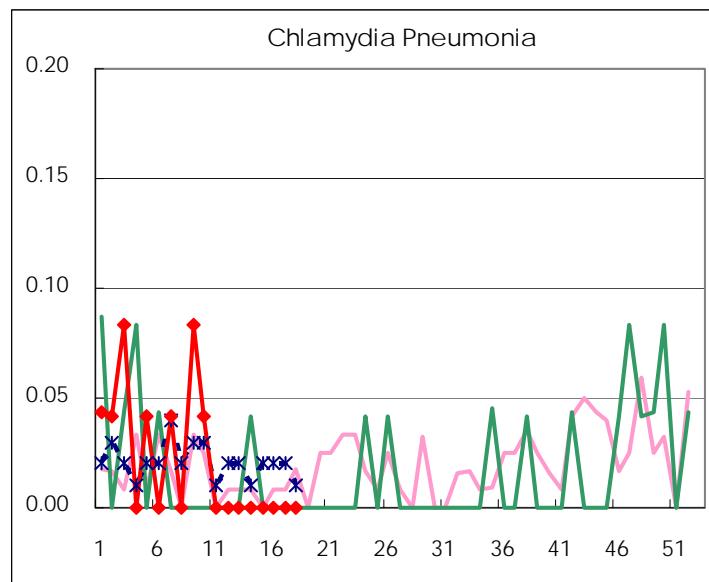
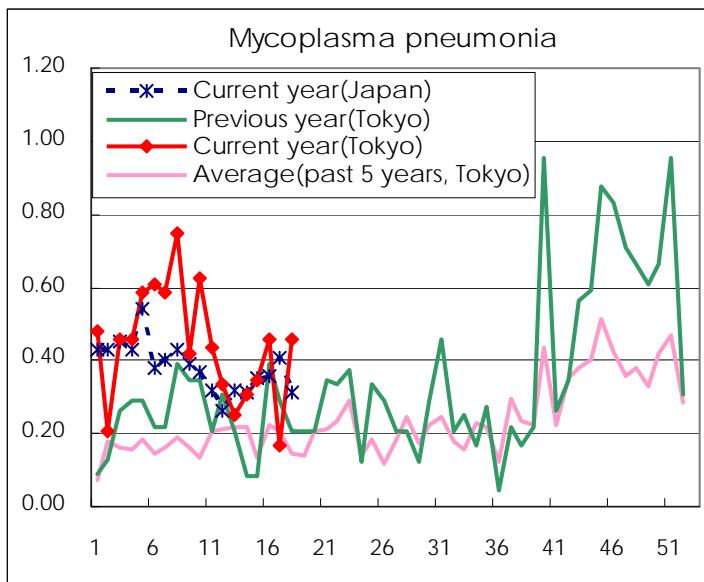
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Disease Trend Graph (weekly reported cases per sentinel in comparison)









Number of sentinel facilities for weekly reporting		
Types of sentinels	Number of sentinels	Sentinels having reported
Pediatric	264	259
Influenza	419	411
Ophthalmic	39	37
Specially- designated	25	24

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