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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	
		41st	42nd	43rd	44th	Cum 2011	44th	Cum 2011
I	Ebola hemorrhagic fever							
	Crimean-Congo hemorrhagic fever							
	Smallpox							
	South American hemorrhagic fever							
	Plague							
	Marburg disease							
	Lassa fever							
II	Acute poliomyelitis						1	1
	Tuberculosis	82	97	74	54	4,203	350	25,791
	Diphtheria							
	Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome(SARS)							
III	Avian influenza H5N1							
	Cholera				2		3	10
	Shigellosis	4	7	3	3	71	3	264
	Enterohemorrhagic Escherichia coli infection	4	3	1	3	241	49	3,555
	Typhoid fever					5	1	21
IV	Paratyphoid fever					9		20
	Hepatitis E				1		9	50
	West Nile fever							
	Hepatitis A				1		24	1
	Echinococcosis						1	13
	Yellow fever							
	Psittacosis						3	13
	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						1	7
	Scrub typhus(Tsutsugamushi disease)						8	13
	Dengue fever	1	1				21	90
	Eastern equine encephalitis							
	Avian influenza (excluding H5N1)							
	Nipah virus infection							
	Japanese spotted fever						1	12
	Japanese encephalitis						1	8
	Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome							
	Herpes B virus infection							
	Glanders							
	Brucellosis							
	Venezuelan equine encephalitis							
	Hendra virus infection							
	Epidemic typhus							
	Botulism							3
	Malaria	1	2	1			24	70
	Tularemia							
	Lyme disease						3	7
	Lyssavirus infection(excluding rabies)							
	Rift valley fever							
	Melioidosis							2
	Legionellosis	1	2	4			61	13
	Leptospirosis		1				4	1
	Rocky mountain spotted fever							27

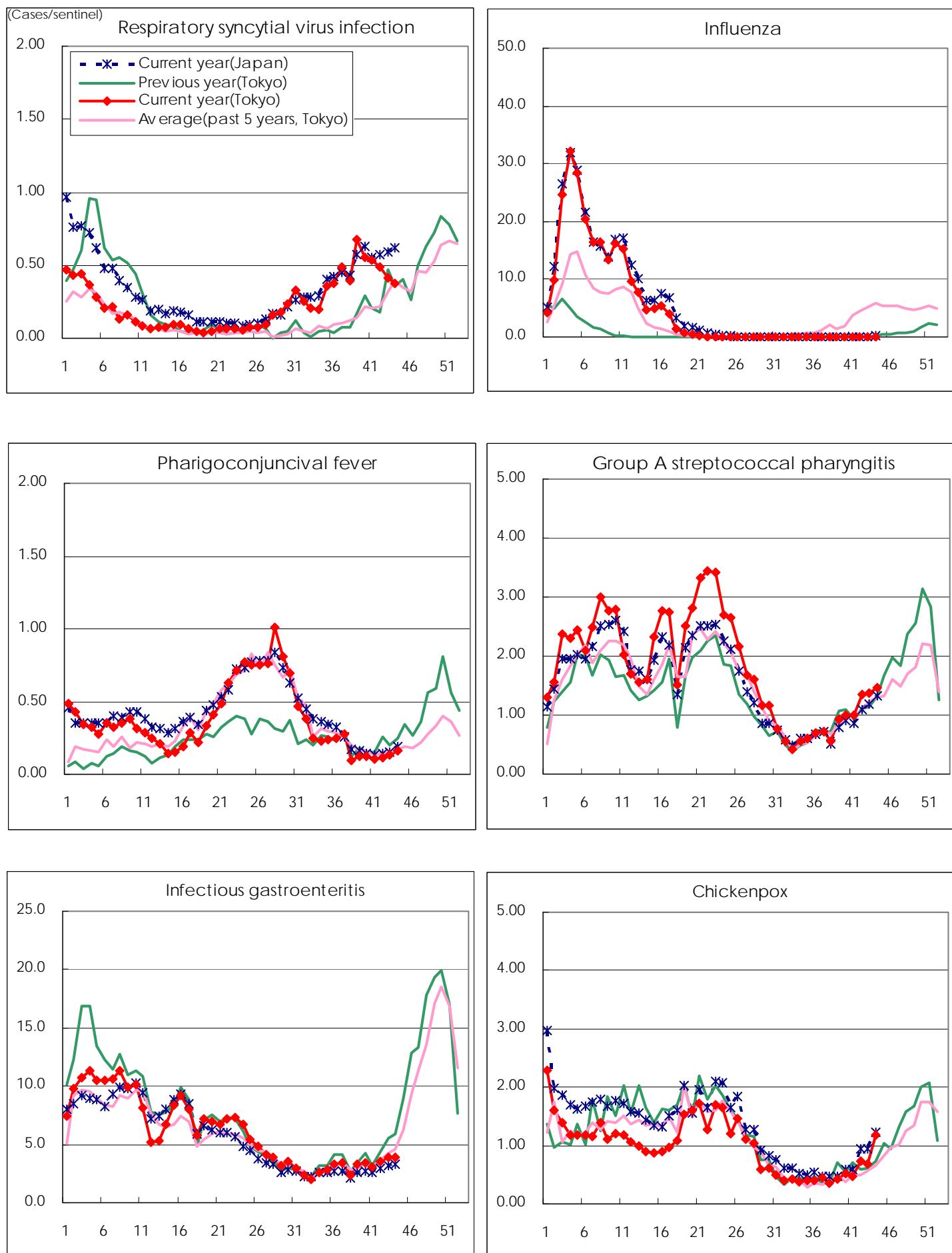
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		41st	42nd	43rd	44th	Cum 2011	44th	Cum 2011
V	Amebiasis	1	4	2	6	147	11	693
	Viral hepatitis(excluding hepatitis A and E)			1	1	32	3	208
	Acute encephalitis(excluding JE and WNE)	1		3		17	2	220
	Cryptosporidiosis					2		7
	Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease					13	1	113
	Severe invasive streptococcal infections(TSLS)					28	1	172
	Acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS)	2	8	10	9	341	9	1,212
	Giardiasis				1	10	1	53
	Meningococcal meningitis					2		8
	Congenital rubella syndrome							1
	Syphilis	4	6	8	3	201	10	666
	Tetanus			1		7		97
	Vancomycin-resistant S. aureus infection							
	Vancomycin-resistant Enterococcus infection				1	2		54
	Rubella					27	4	337
	Measles	2	1	2		172		417

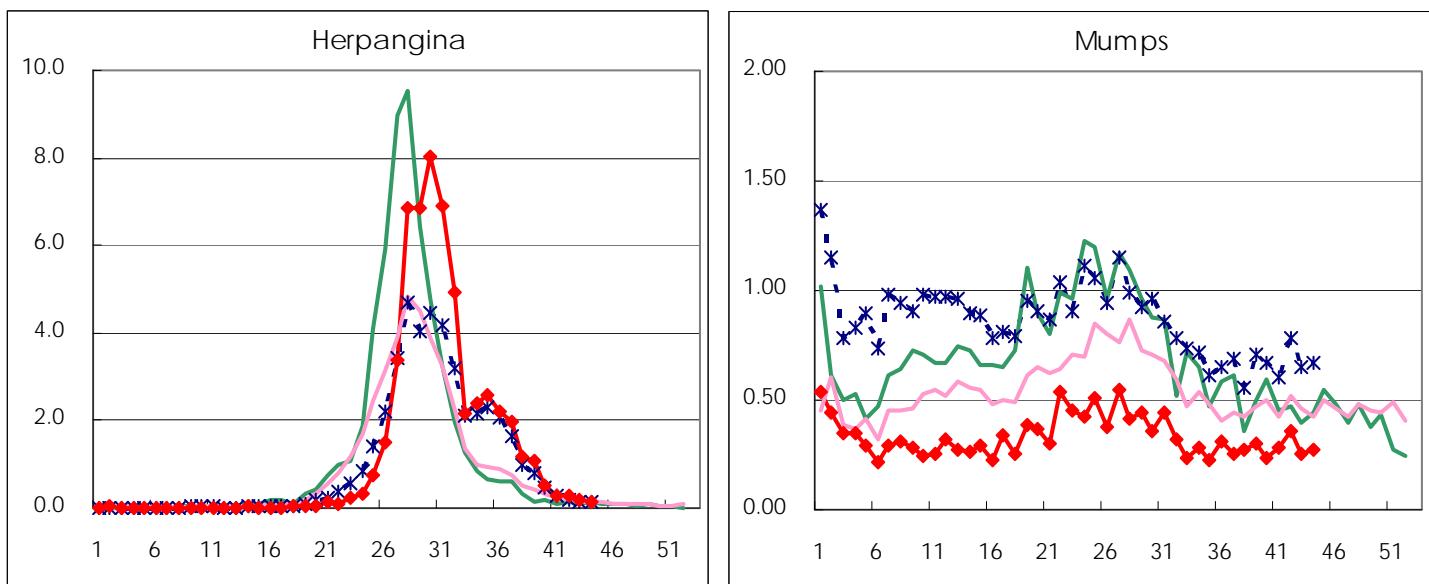
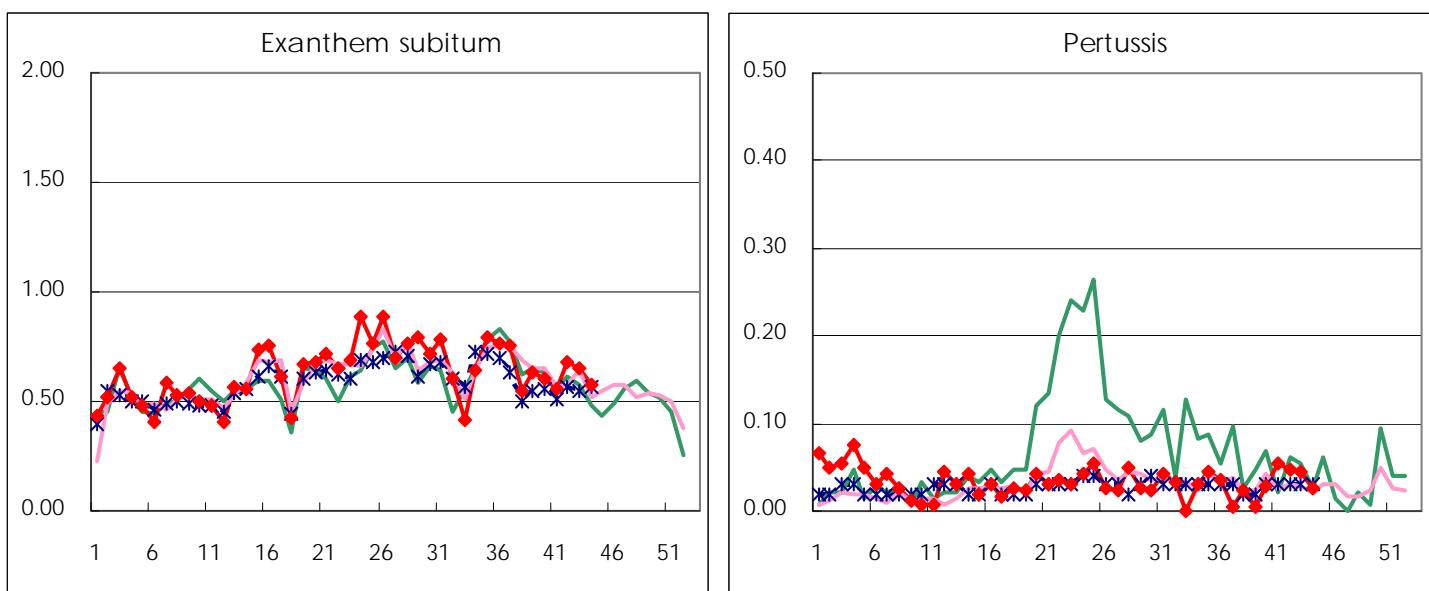
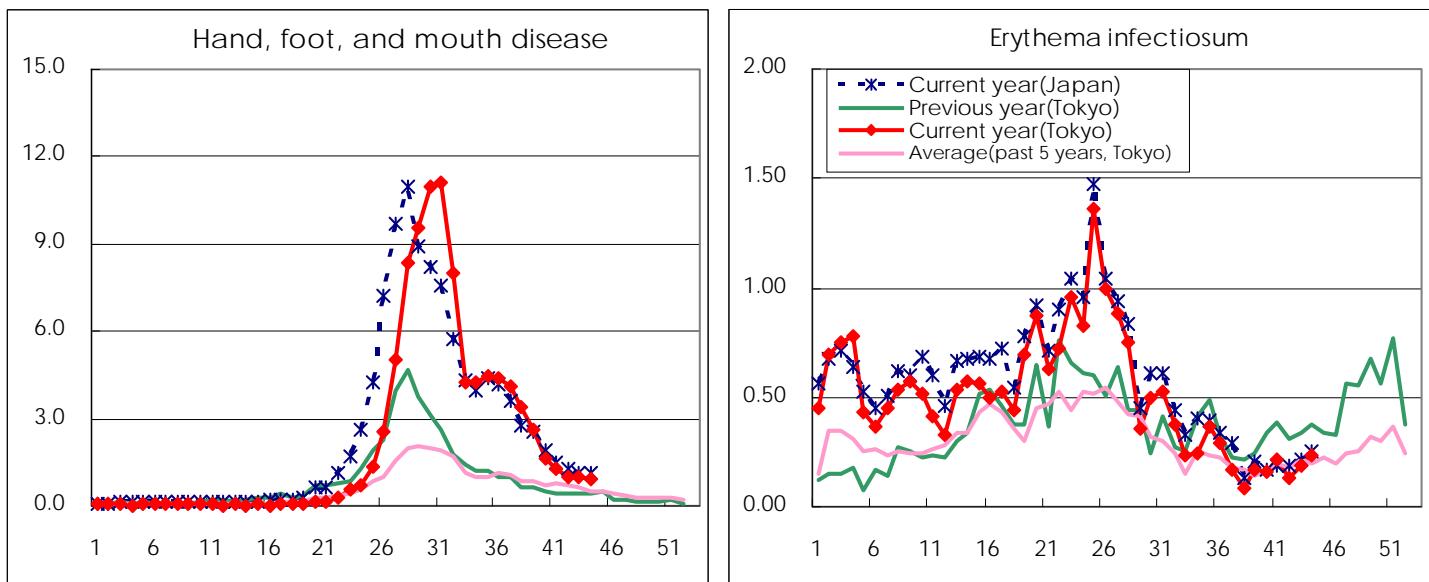
Number of patients with the diseases to be reported
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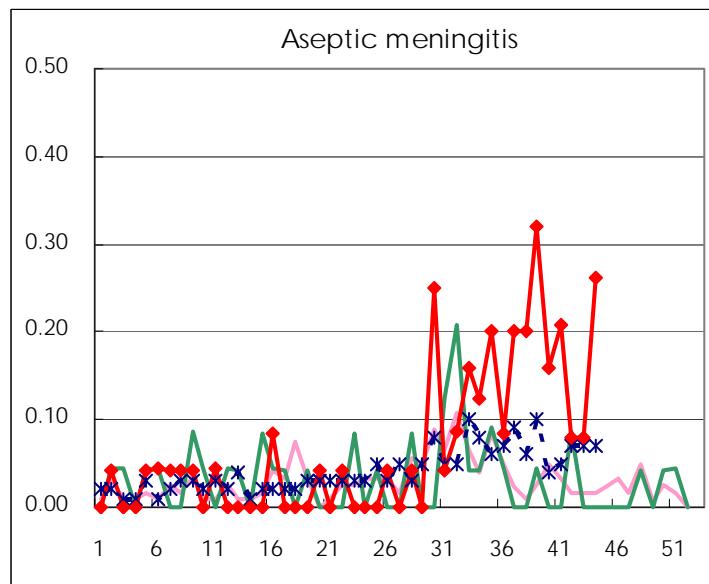
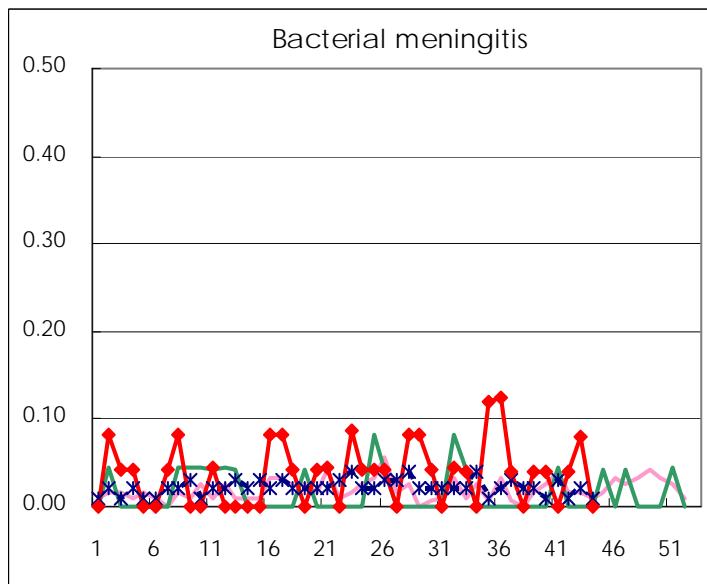
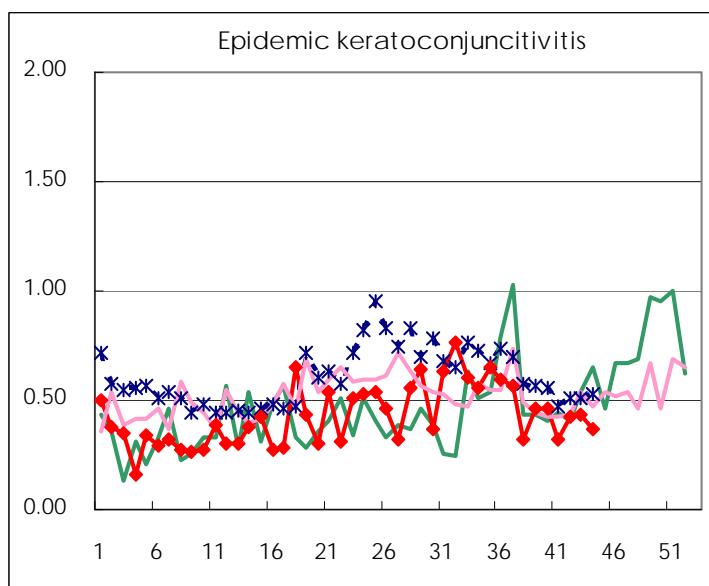
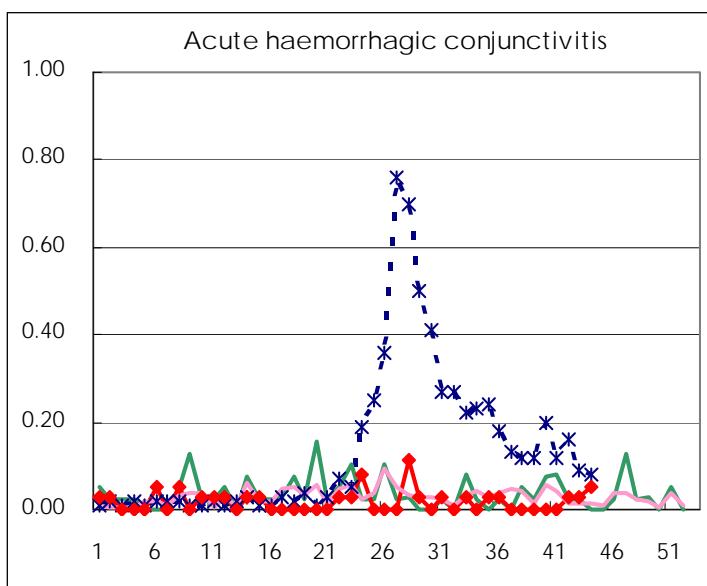
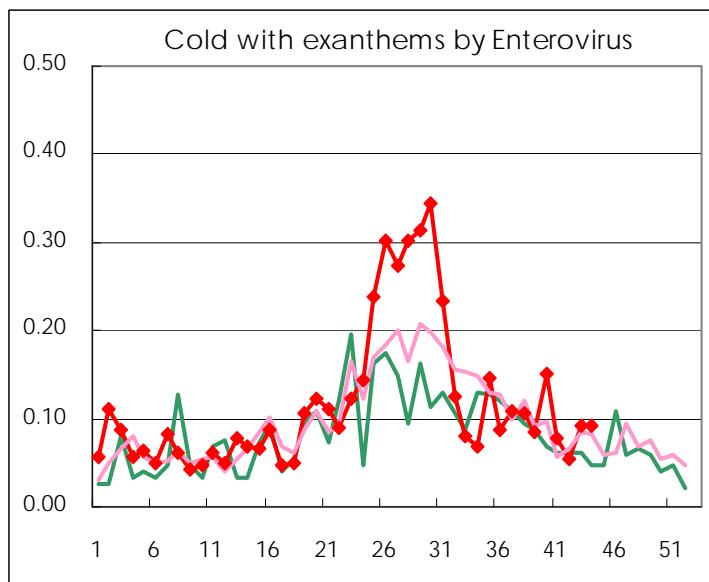
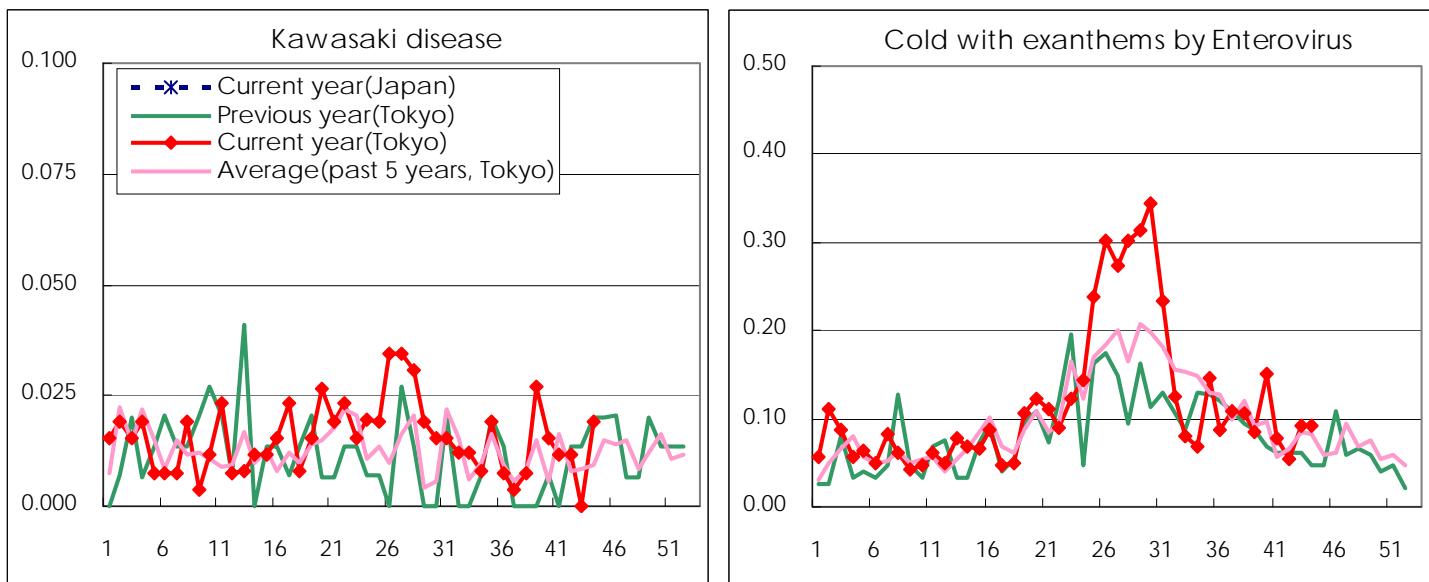
Diseases	2011				
	41st	42nd	43rd	44th	/sentinel
Respiratory syncytial virus infection	137	128	108	98	0.37
Pharygoconjunctival fever	28	29	34	42	0.16
Group A streptococcal pharyngitis	256	349	361	388	1.48
Infectious gastroenteritis	796	907	1,003	1,037	3.94
Chickenpox	124	192	178	310	1.18
Hand, foot, and mouth disease	321	256	260	248	0.94
Erythema infectiosum	56	33	48	62	0.24
Exanthem subitum	144	177	170	151	0.57
Pertussis	14	12	12	7	0.03
Herpangina	75	71	45	32	0.12
Mumps	74	93	66	73	0.28
Kawasaki disease	3	3		5	0.02
Cold with exanthems by Enterovirus	20	14	24	24	0.09
Influenza	27	15	18	12	0.03
Acute hemorrhagic conjunctivitis			1	2	0.05
Epidemic keratoconjunctivitis	12	16	16	14	0.37
Bacterial meningitis			1	2	
Aseptic meningitis	5	2	2	6	0.26
Mycoplasma pneumonia	55	34	40	38	1.65
Chlamydial pneumonia (excluding psittacosis)					

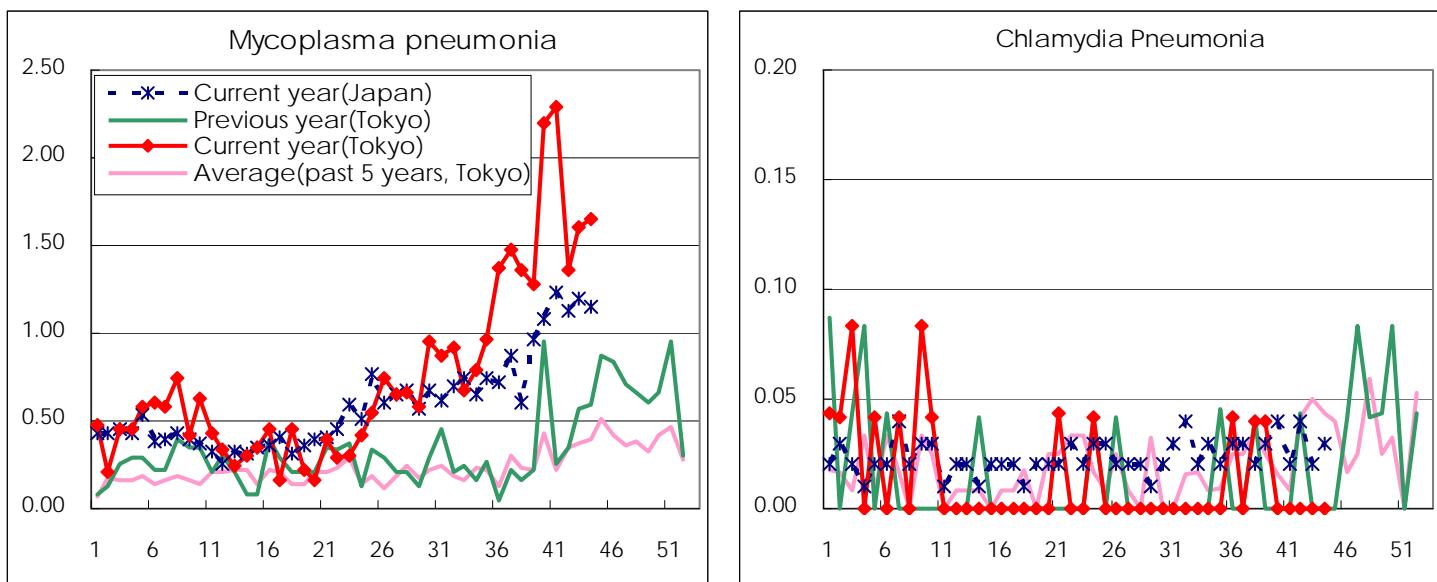
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Disease Trend Graph (weekly reported cases per sentinel in comparison)









Number of sentinel facilities for weekly reporting		
Types of sentinels	Number of sentinels	Sentinels having reported
Pediatric	264	263
Influenza	419	418
Ophthalmic	39	38
Specially- designated	25	23

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