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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	
		8th	9th	10th	11st	Cum 2012	11st	Cum 2012
I	Ebola hemorrhagic fever							
	Crimean-Congo hemorrhagic fever							
	Smallpox							
	South American hemorrhagic fever							
	Plague							
	Marburg disease							
	Lassa fever							
II	Acute poliomyelitis							
	Tuberculosis	86	69	58	64	830	374	5,404
	Diphtheria							
	Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome(SARS)							
III	Avian influenza H5N1							
	Cholera							1
	Shigellosis	1	4	2	5	19	10	58
	Enterohemorrhagic Escherichia coli infection	2	2			7	9	110
	Typhoid fever					3	1	5
IV	Paratyphoid fever					2		4
	Hepatitis E					5		32
	West Nile fever							
	Hepatitis A				2	3	3	26
	Echinococcosis							2
	Yellow fever							
	Psittacosis							1
	Omsk hemorrhagic fever							
	Relapsing fever							
	Kyasانur forest disease							
	Q fever							
	Rabies							
	Coccidioidomycosis							
	Monkeypox							
	Hemorrhagic fever with renal syndrome							
	Western equine encephalitis							
	Tick-borne encephalitis							
	Anthrax							
	Chikungunya fever							
	Scrub typhus(Tsutsugamushi disease)					1	2	60
	Dengue fever	1			3	10	4	34
	Eastern equine encephalitis							
	Avian influenza (excluding H5N1)							
	Nipah virus infection							
	Japanese spotted fever							
	Japanese encephalitis							
	Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome							
	Herpes B virus infection							
	Glanders							
	Brucellosis							
	Venezuelan equine encephalitis							
	Hendra virus infection							
	Epidemic typhus							
	Botulism							
	Malaria				1	2	2	8
	Tularemia							
	Lyme disease							
	Lyssavirus infection(excluding rabies)							
	Rift valley fever							
	Melioidosis							
	Legionellosis	1	1	1	2	11	8	135
	Leptospirosis					1		1
	Rocky mountain spotted fever							

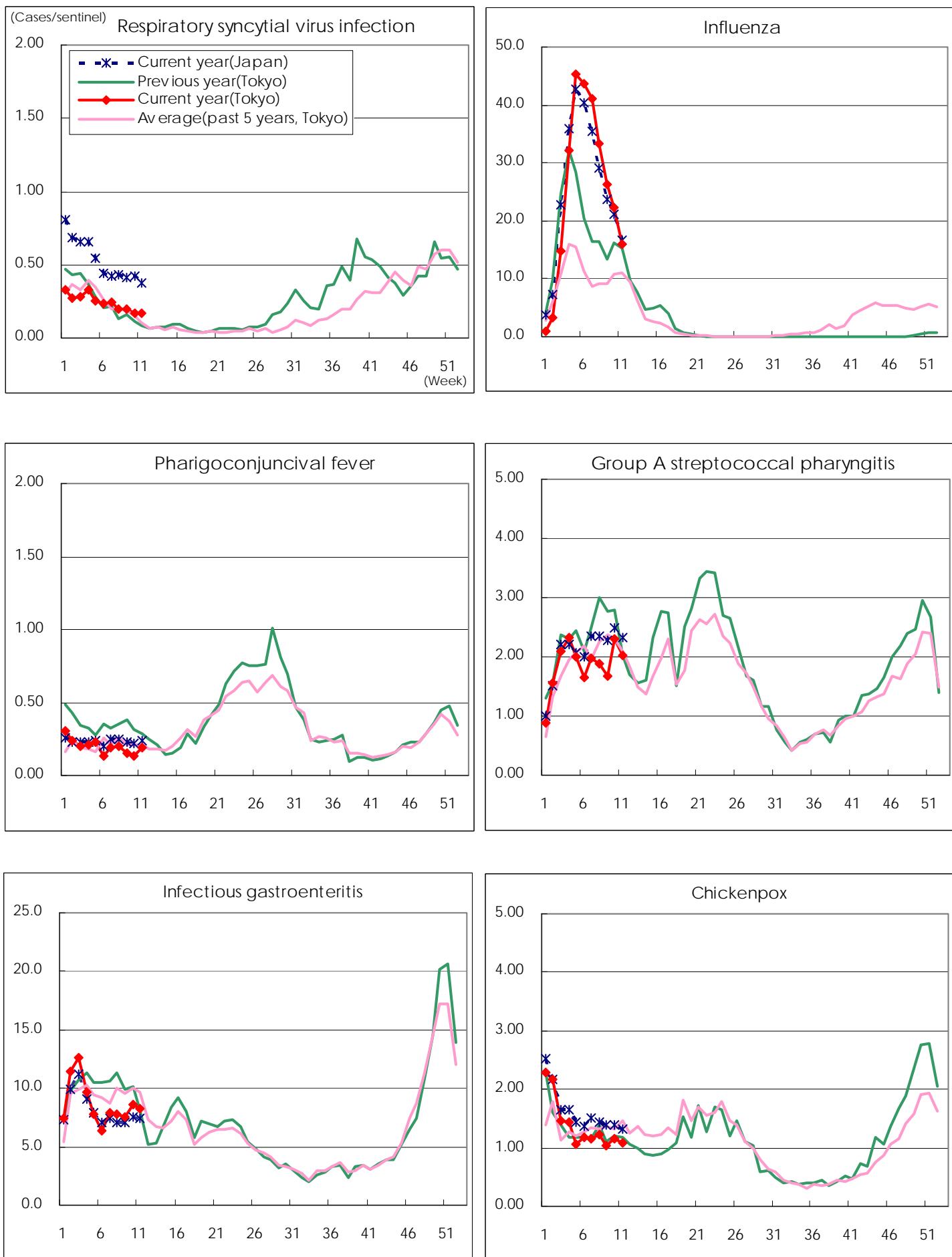
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		8th	9th	10th	11st	Cum 2012	11st	Cum 2012
V	Amebiasis	5	2	4	3	39	7	176
	Viral hepatitis(excluding hepatitis A and E)	2		1	1	10	4	38
	Acute encephalitis(excluding JE and WNE)	1	5			13	4	132
	Cryptosporidiosis					1		4
	Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease				2	3	4	38
	Severe invasive streptococcal infections(TSLS)			1		4	5	71
	Acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS)	7	6	8	5	90	7	268
	Giardiasis	1			1	3	1	6
	Meningococcal meningitis							4
	Congenital rubella syndrome							
	Syphilis	6	7	3	3	58	4	163
	Tetanus						1	16
	Vancomycin-resistant S. aureus infection							
	Vancomycin-resistant Enterococcus infection				1	4	2	19
	Rubella	2	1	3		15	8	84
	Measles	1	1	1		12	5	76

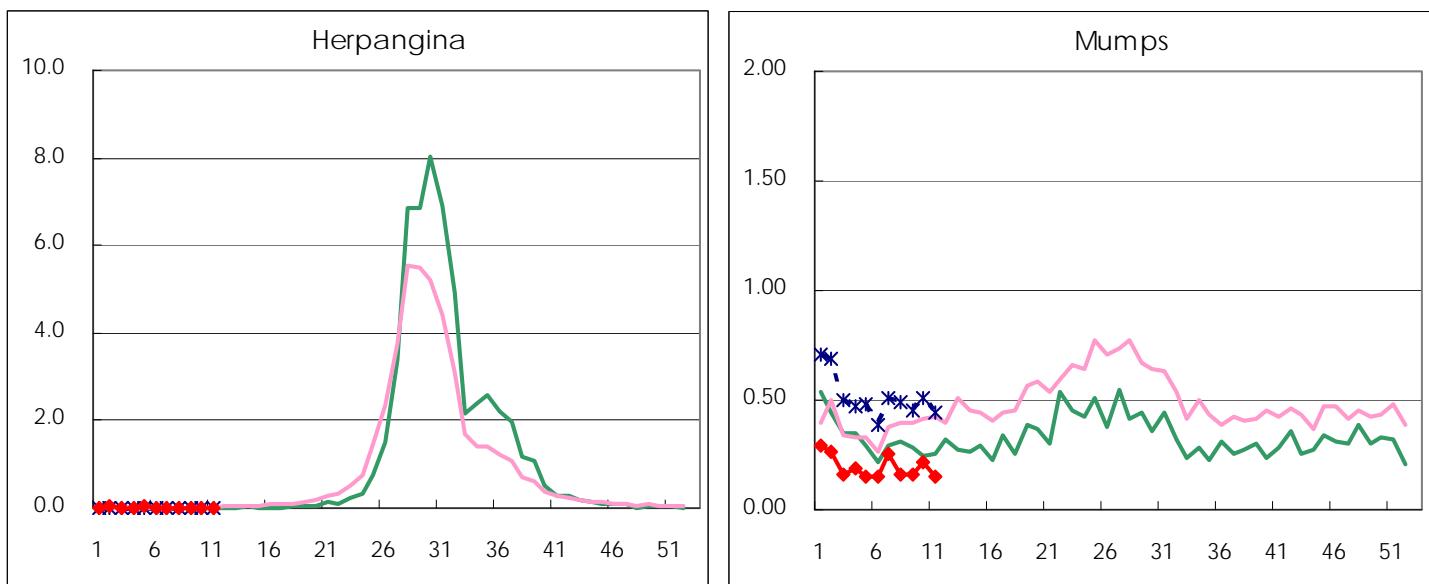
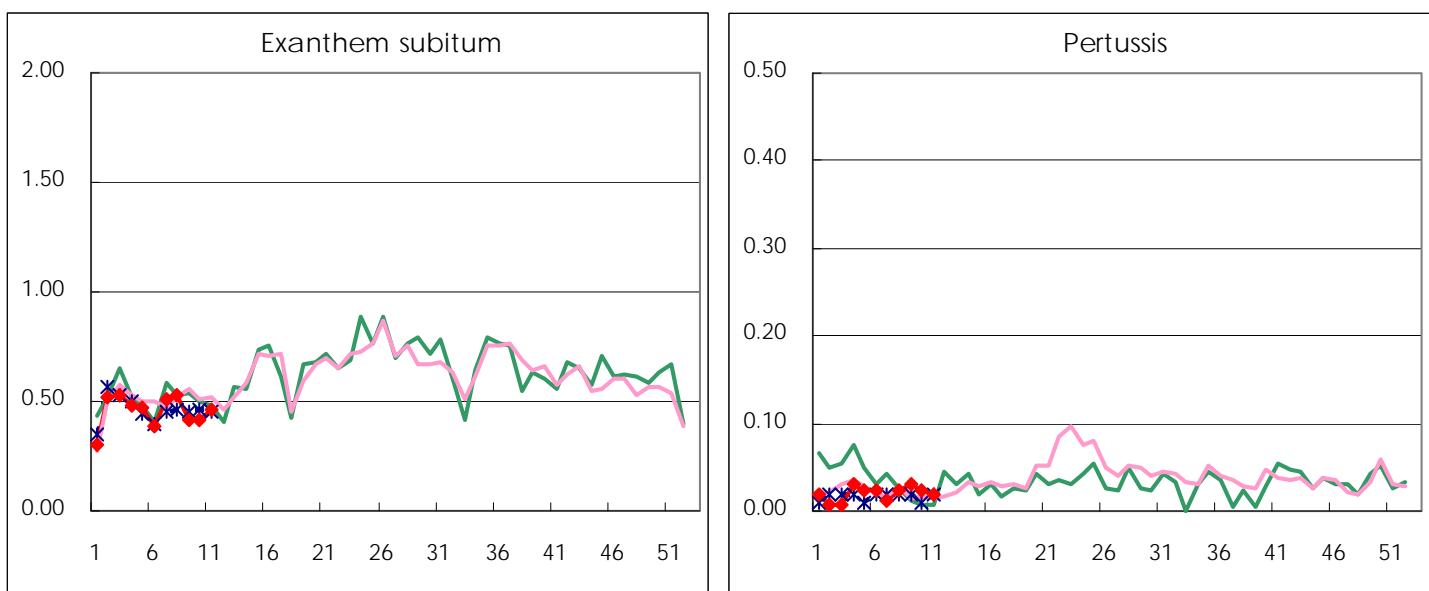
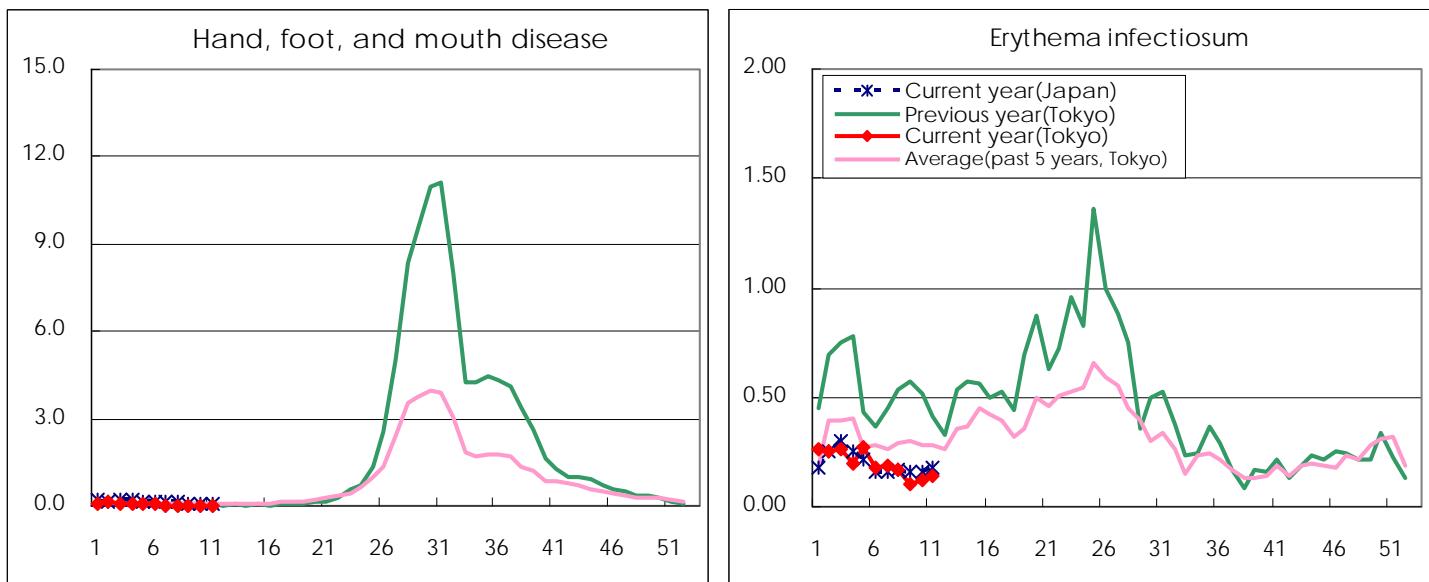
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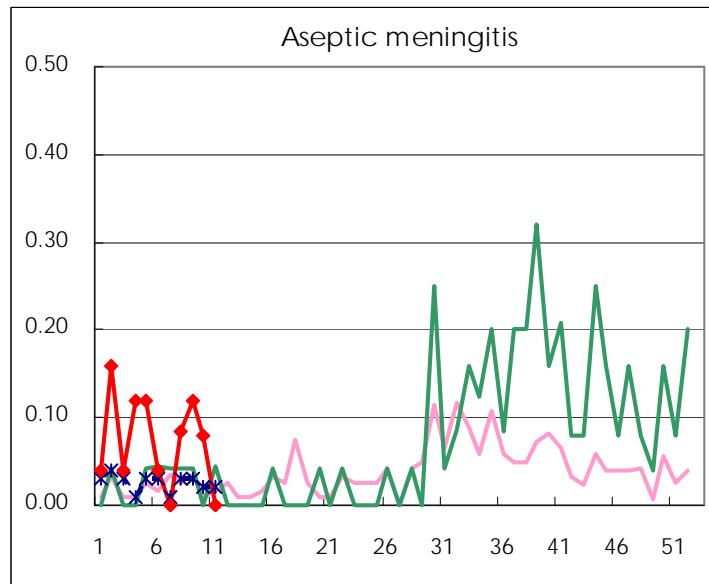
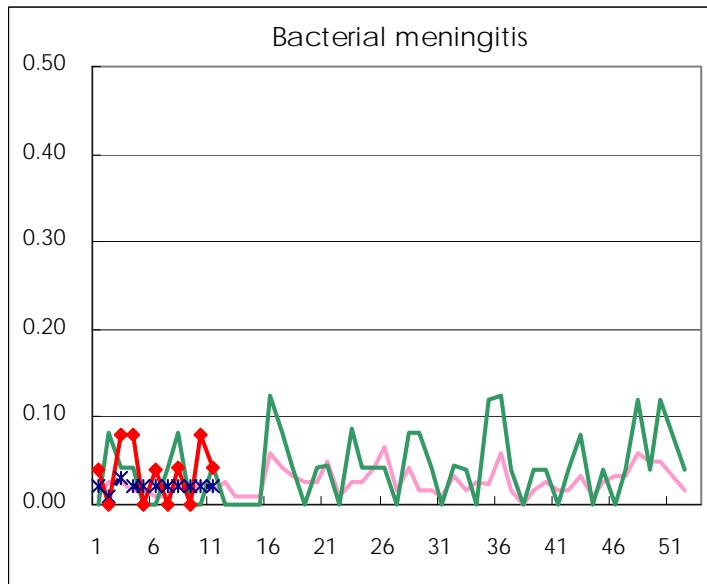
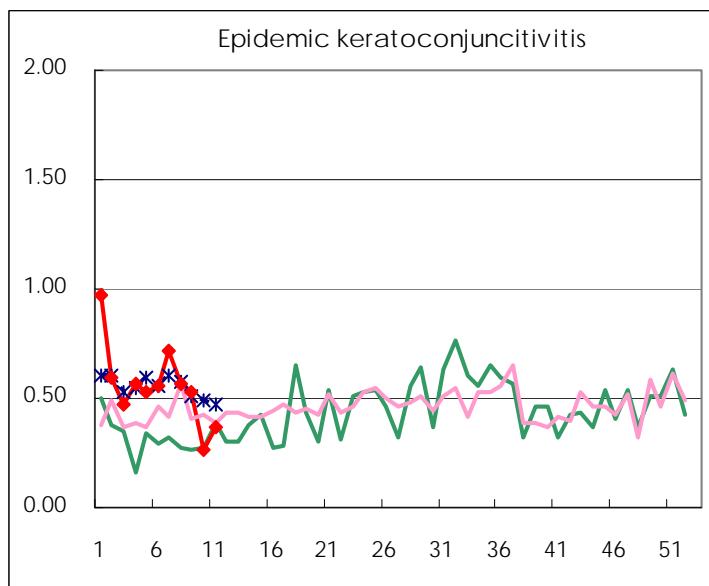
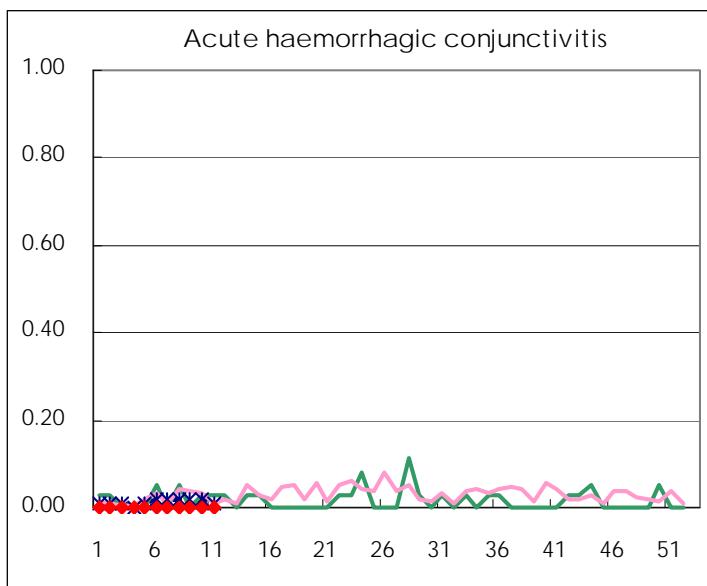
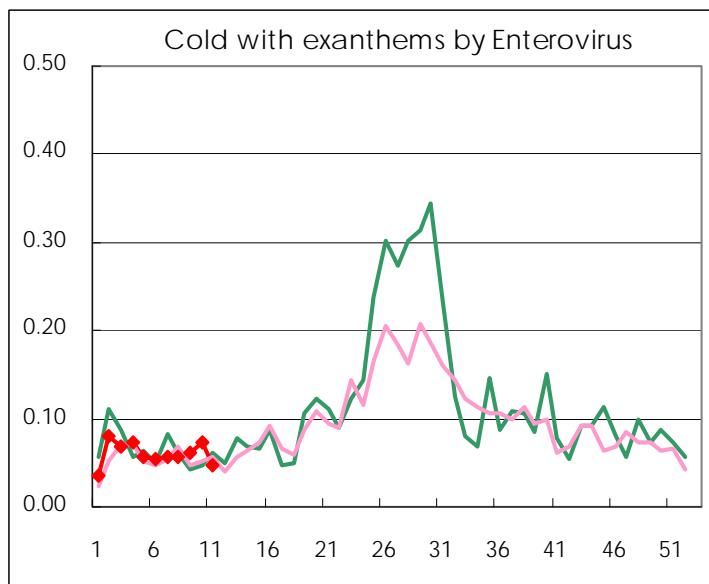
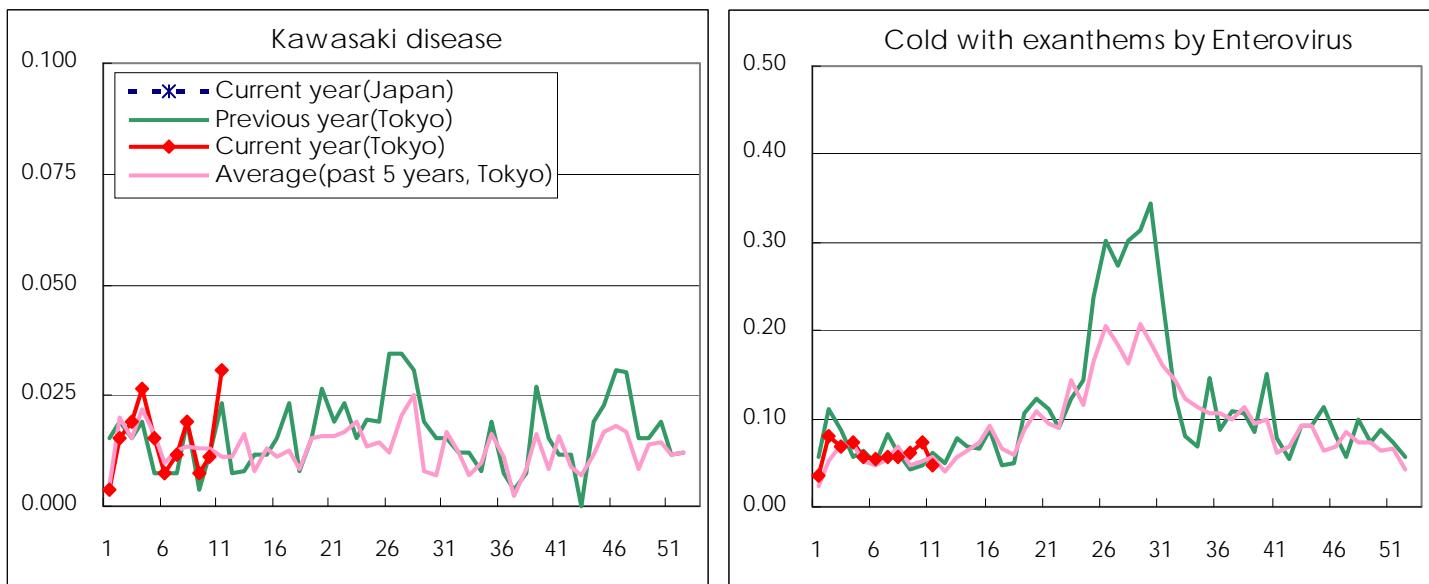
Diseases	Tokyo					/sentinel
	8th	9th	10th	11st		
Respiratory syncytial virus infection	51	52	45	45	45	0.17
Pharygoconjunctival fever	52	40	36	49	49	0.19
Group A streptococcal pharyngitis	498	441	609	525	525	2.02
Infectious gastroenteritis	2066	1,978	2,287	2,146	2,146	8.25
Chickenpox	324	274	303	280	280	1.08
Hand, foot, and mouth disease	5	2	2	2	2	0.01
Erythema infectiosum	44	27	31	36	36	0.14
Exanthem subitum	140	110	109	120	120	0.46
Pertussis	6	8	6	5	5	0.02
Herpangina	5	6	3	2	2	0.01
Mumps	43	42	57	40	40	0.15
Kawasaki disease	5	2	3	8	8	0.03
Cold with exanthems by Enterovirus	15	16	19	12	12	0.05
Influenza	13,963	11,006	9,327	6,633	6,633	16.02
Acute hemorrhagic conjunctivitis						
Epidemic keratoconjunctivitis	22	20	10	14	14	0.37
Bacterial meningitis	1		2	1	1	0.04
Aseptic meningitis	2	3	2			
Mycoplasma pneumonia	23	25	21	14	14	0.58
Chlamydial pneumonia (excluding psittacosis)						
Influenza-Associated Hospitalizations	68	53	26	18	18	0.75

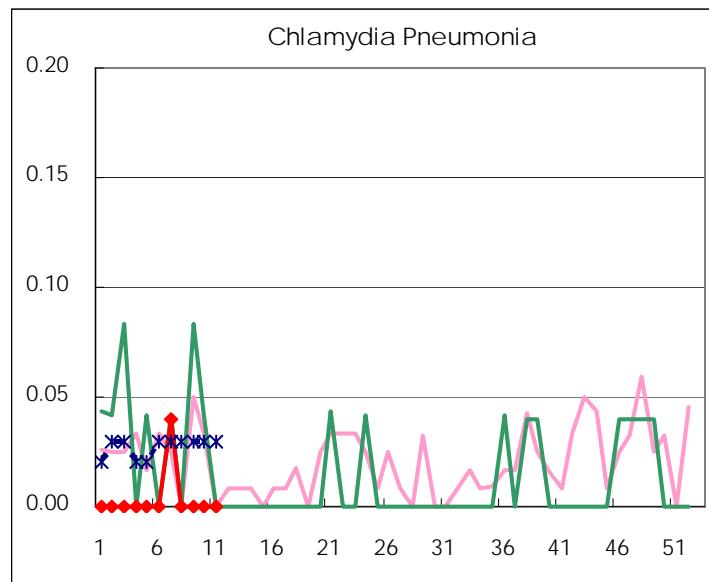
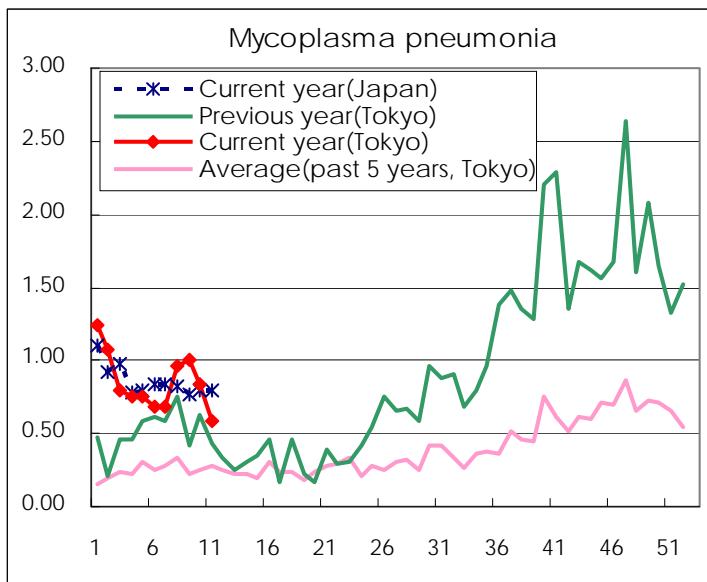
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Disease Trend Graph (weekly reported cases per sentinel in comparison)









Number of sentinel facilities for weekly reporting		
Types of sentinels	Number of sentinels	Sentinels having reported
Pediatric	264	260
Influenza	419	414
Ophthalmic	39	38
Specially- designated	25	24

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