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Annual status report of the greenhouse gas inventory of Japan

1. This status report was prepared by the secretariat as part of the initial check of the greenhouse gas inventory submitted in accordance with decision 19/CP.8. It reflects the content of the inventory submission of 2007 as originally submitted by the Party.
2. Japan has reported the LULUCF tables under the Kyoto Protocol on a voluntary basis in accordance with decision 15/CP.10.
3. In this report, the following abbreviations are used:

CRF: common reporting format
LUCF: Land-use Change and Forestry
LULUCF: Land Use, Land-use Change and Forestry
NIR: national inventory report
SBDT: sectoral background data tables

Notation keys
C: confidential
IE: included elsewhere
NA: not applicable
NE: not estimated
NO: not occurring

Greenhouse gases
CO₂: carbon dioxide
CH₄: methane
N₂O: nitrous oxide
HFCs: hydrofluorocarbons
PFCs: perfluorocarbons
SF₆: sulphur hexafluoride
NOx: nitrogen oxides
CO: carbon monoxide
NMVOCs: non-methane volatile organic compounds
SO₂: sulphur dioxide

INTRODUCTION																
General information	Date of receipt	CRF	26 May 2007		NIR	26 May 2007										
		Additional information	26 May 2007													
	Date of resubmission	CRF			NIR											
		Additional information														
	Base year or period ^a	1990														
	CRF provided for years	1990–2005														
National inventory report	Gases covered	CO ₂	CH ₄	N ₂ O	HFCs	PFCs	SF ₆	NOx	CO	NMVOCs	SO ₂					
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	Description	The organization of the NIR follows the structure as outlined in the revised UNFCCC reporting guidelines (decision 18/CP.8). In addition Japan has submitted worksheets containing activity data and emission factors for all sectors. Japan has also provided supplementary information under the Kyoto Protocol containing relevant CRF tables and an NIR for Articles 3.3 and 3.4 activities, and supplementary information under Article 7.1.														
	Language of NIR	English														

^a Information on the base year in this status report does not reflect or prejudge any decision that may be taken by the Party in relation to the use of 1995 as base year for HFCs, PFCs and SF₆, in accordance with Article 3.8 of the Kyoto Protocol.

PART I Provision of information for the latest reported inventory year in the CRF: 2005							
		Energy	Industrial Processes	Solvent Use	Agriculture	Land Use, Land-use Change and Forestry	Waste
Tables	Sectoral report tables	1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2(I) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2(II) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	6 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Sectoral background data tables	1.A(a) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2(I).A-G <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3.A-D <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4.A <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5.A <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	6.A <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		1.A(b) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2(II).C,E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		4.B(a) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5.B <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	6.B <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		1.A(c) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2(II).F <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		4.B(b) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5.C <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	6.C <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		1.A(d) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			4.C <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5.D <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		1.B.1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			4.D <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5.E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		1.B.2 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			4.E <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5.F <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		1.C <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			4.F <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5 (I) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	Bunkers separately <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					5 (II) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
						5 (III) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
						5 (IV) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
						5 (V) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Summary tables (emission totals)	Summary 1.A			Summary 1.B		Summary 2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Summary 3			Table 7 (Key categories)		Table 9(a) (Completeness)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Table 10 (Trends)					Table 9(b) (Completeness)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Comments							
Trends	Totals provided for	CO ₂	CH ₄	N ₂ O	HFCs	PFCs	SF ₆
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Totals provided for years		1990–2005	1990–2005	1990–2005	1990–2005	1990–2005	1990–2005
CO ₂	Comparison of CO ₂ from fuel combustion	Reference approach		Sectoral approach	Difference more than 2 per cent	If difference is more than 2 per cent	
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Explanation provided	<input type="checkbox"/>
HFCs, PFCs, SF ₆	Disaggregation by species	HFCs		PFCs		SF ₆	
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Reporting of actual and/or potential estimates in the consumption of halocarbons and SF ₆	Actual	Potential	Actual	Potential	Actual	Potential	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Notation keys	Used in	Summary table 1.A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sectoral report tables	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sectoral background data tables	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Comments						

PART II

Provision of CRF tables for years reported

PART II
Provision of CRF tables for years reported (continued)

		Years															Information gaps relating to reporting ^b	Comments	
Agriculture SBDT	Sectoral report – Table 4	Base year ^a	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	
		Table 4.A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Numerical values are reported only for population size and implied emission factors
		Table 4.B(a)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
		Table 4.B(b)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
		Table 4.C	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
		Table 4.D	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
		Table 4.E	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	No data are reported in this table, but for years 2004–2005 notation key NO is used and for years 1990–2003 notation keys NE, NO are used
		Table 4.F	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Land Use, Land-use Change and Forestry SBDT	Sectoral report – Table 5	Table 5.A	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
		Table 5.B	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
		Table 5.C	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
		Table 5.D	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
		Table 5.E	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
		Table 5.F	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
		Table 5 (I)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	No data are reported in this table, but notation key IE is used
		Table 5 (II)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	No data are reported in this table, but notation keys NE, NO are used
		Table 5 (III)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
		Table 5 (IV)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	No data are reported in this table, but notation key NE is used
		Table 5 (V)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

PART II
Provision of CRF tables for years reported (continued)

		Years														Information gaps relating to reporting ^b	Comments			
		Base year ^a	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005		
Waste SBDT	Sectoral report – Table 6		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
	Table 6.A		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
	Table 6.B		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
	Table 6.C		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Summary and other tables	Summary 1.A		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
	Summary 1.B		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
	Summary 2 (CO ₂ equivalent emissions)		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
	Summary 3 (Methods/emission factors)		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	Table 7 (Key categories)		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
	Table 8(a) (Recalculation – recalculated data)		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
	Table 8(b) (Recalculation – explanatory information)		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	Table 9(a) (Completeness)		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	Table 9(b) (Completeness)																			
	Table 10 (Trends)		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		

^a This Party uses a base year of 1990.

^b This column indicates that reporting gaps (blank cells) have been identified in a given table of the CRF. This was due to limited use, or lack of, notation keys (NO, NE, NA, IE, C).

PART III
Provision of information relating to recalculation

Table 8(a) (Recalculated data)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Comments				
Recalculation for years	1990–2004					
Recalculated sectors/gases	Energy	Industrial Processes	Solvent Use	Agriculture	Land Use, Land-use Change and Forestry	Waste
CO ₂	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CH ₄	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
N ₂ O	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
HFCs		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
PFCs		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
SF ₆		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
Table 8(b) (Explanatory information)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Full CRF for the recalculated base year	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Percentage difference in aggregate greenhouse gas base year estimate			- with LULUCF - without LULUCF	-1.46% 0.00%