

### Lease Statistics (July 2006)

The lease transaction volume in July 2006 is 625.4 billion yen, decreased by 3.3 % compared with the same period of the previous year. It is the first time for the last 3 months, since last April, that the volume has turned to negative growth.

With respect to the type of equipment, Factory Equipment (19.1% up) has showed double-digit increase, keeping its positive growth stably. Transport Equipment (6.8% up) and Medical Equipment (7.3% up) have also kept on the steady increase respectively, and Construction Equipment (2.1 % up) has changed to positive growth. On the other hand, Information and Communication Equipment (4.1% down) has been declining in a row of 9 months since last November. Office Equipment (4.3% down) and Commercial and Service Equipment (5.5% down) have kept on the decline.

The lease transaction volume from April to July in 2006 is 2,457.5 billion yen, decreased by 2.0 % compared with the same period of the previous year.

#### Changes in Leasing Transaction Volume (Monthly)

Year, Month	Leasing Cases	Yearly Change (%)	Leasing Volume (in million yen)	Yearly Change (%)
2005, 7	226,322	103.9	646,721.4	102.3
8	203,303	102.9	566,054.6	100.0
9	243,879	104.8	764,659.5	101.9
10	219,605	98.3	663,962.5	102.1
11	199,610	96.7	592,645.3	104.0
12	226,724	106.2	680,872.2	102.4
2006, 1	165,014	92.5	555,723.5	111.8
2	190,321	106.8	525,656.0	104.7
3	275,699	104.4	956,390.0	99.8
4	241,510	103.8	681,037.6	92.6
5	197,505	94.8	524,149.6	100.8
6	215,884	94.6	626,887.6	103.6
7	212,537	93.9	625,446.9	96.7

★Corporations researched: 252 (as of July 2006)

## Leasing Volume by Type of Equipment (July 2006)

		Leasing cases	Component Ratio (%)	Year-on-year Change (%)	Leasing Volume (in million yen)	Component Ratio (%)	Year-on-year Change (%)
1	Information and Communication Equipment	90,305	42.5	92.1	191,856.3	30.7	95.9
	Computer Hardware	( 49,323 )	( 23.2 )	( 91.4 )	( 109,446.8 )	( 17.5 )	( 98.5 )
	Computer Software	( 13,293 )	( 6.3 )	( 113.9 )	( 41,290.3 )	( 6.6 )	( 93.1 )
	Telecommunication Equipment	( 27,689 )	( 13.0 )	( 85.4 )	( 41,119.2 )	( 6.6 )	( 92.1 )
2	Office Equipment	34,340	16.2	94.1	45,973.2	7.4	95.7
3	Industrial Equipment	7,442	3.5	136.5	109,045.9	17.4	83.7
4	Factory Equipment	1,181	0.6	114.1	22,628.0	3.6	119.1
5	Construction Equipment	1,011	0.5	72.0	11,555.9	1.8	102.1
6	Transport Equipment	25,286	11.9	85.6	67,089.5	10.7	106.8
	Automobile	( 23,386 )	( 11.0 )	( 83.4 )	( 59,502.4 )	( 9.5 )	( 103.4 )
	Vessel	( 6 )	( 0.0 )	( 200.0 )	( 303.5 )	( 0.0 )	( 7,587.5 )
7	Medical Equipment	6,897	3.2	86.2	28,901.0	4.6	107.3
8	Commercial and Service Equipment	31,193	14.7	91.1	98,979.3	15.8	94.5
	Commercial Equipment	( 21,167 )	( 10.0 )	( 86.7 )	( 50,394.7 )	( 8.1 )	( 87.4 )
9	Others	14,882	7.0	122.8	49,417.8	7.9	113.7
	Physical and Chemical Equipment	( 1,801 )	( 0.8 )	( 112.6 )	( 7,460.0 )	( 1.2 )	( 112.2 )
Total		212,537	100.0	93.9	625,446.9	100.0	96.7

【Corporations researched: 252】

# Leasing Volume by Type of Equipment

(Apr. 2006 - July 2006)

		Leasing cases	Component Ratio (%)	Yearly Change (%)	Leasing Volume (in million yen)	Component Ratio (%)	Yearly Change (%)
1	Information and Communication Equipment	375,423	43.3	92.5	797,825.9	32.5	92.7
	Computer Hardware	( 200,995 )	( 23.2 )	( 92.0 )	( 439,754.5 )	( 17.9 )	( 93.9 )
	Computer Software	( 54,542 )	( 6.3 )	( 113.4 )	( 193,536.5 )	( 7.9 )	( 98.3 )
	Telecommunication Equipment	( 119,886 )	( 13.8 )	( 86.3 )	( 164,534.9 )	( 6.7 )	( 84.2 )
2	Office Equipment	151,735	17.5	99.7	207,320.8	8.4	101.1
3	Industrial Equipment	27,927	3.2	112.1	336,507.5	13.7	98.3
4	Factory Equipment	4,650	0.5	109.4	85,677.3	3.5	124.3
5	Construction Equipment	4,162	0.5	91.8	42,729.7	1.7	100.7
6	Transport Equipment	97,715	11.3	95.8	265,571.6	10.8	109.3
	Automobile	( 90,531 )	( 10.4 )	( 96.0 )	( 227,788.1 )	( 9.3 )	( 108.1 )
	Vessel	( 33 )	( 0.0 )	( 206.3 )	( 1,872.3 )	( 0.1 )	( 161.1 )
7	Medical Equipment	30,477	3.5	99.5	137,590.8	5.6	113.1
8	Commercial and Service Equipment	117,791	13.6	94.3	387,487.0	15.8	91.5
	Commercial Equipment	( 81,372 )	( 9.4 )	( 91.6 )	( 204,149.5 )	( 8.3 )	( 88.4 )
9	Others	57,556	6.6	123.4	196,811.1	8.0	98.5
	Physical and Chemical Equipment	( 6,823 )	( 0.8 )	( 100.6 )	( 28,976.4 )	( 1.2 )	( 103.8 )
Total		867,436	100.0	96.8	2,457,521.7	100.0	98.0

# Changes in Lease Transaction Volume

Unit: in 100 Million Yen, Yearly Changes: Parenthesized

	Total	Information and Communication Equipment				Office Equipment	Industry Equipment	Factory Equipment	Construction Equipment	Transport Equipment			Medical Equipment	Commercial and Service Equipment		Others		
		Computer Hardware	Computer Software	Telecommunication Equipment	Automobile					Vessel	Commercial Equipment	Physical and Chemical Equipment						
Calendar Year	2003	73,303 (▲ 2.9)	26,193 (▲ 13.1)	20,948 (▲ 15.8)	- ( - )	5,245 (▲ 0.7)	5,797 (▲ 3.5)	10,158 ( 5.6)	1,599 ( 5.3)	1,295 (▲ 10.7)	7,116 ( 14.9)	6,255 ( 16.4)	48 (▲ 58.1)	3,446 ( 4.8)	11,109 (▲ 2.8)	6,330 (▲ 2.8)	6,591 ( 13.0)	1,052 ( 1.0)
	2004	75,759 ( 3.3)	26,872 ( 2.6)	21,121 ( 0.8)	- ( - )	5,751 ( 9.6)	6,700 ( 15.6)	10,713 ( 5.5)	2,037 ( 27.4)	1,571 ( 21.3)	7,335 ( 3.1)	6,403 ( 2.4)	30 (▲ 38.2)	3,472 ( 0.8)	11,405 ( 2.7)	6,301 (▲ 0.5)	5,653 (▲ 14.2)	993 (▲ 5.6)
	2005	77,336 ( 2.1)	27,194 ( 1.2)	15,800 (▲ 2.1)	4,879 ( - )	6,516 ( 13.3)	6,034 (▲ 9.9)	10,005 (▲ 6.6)	2,296 ( 12.7)	1,621 ( 3.2)	7,755 ( 5.7)	6,446 ( 0.7)	84 ( 185.7)	3,800 ( 9.5)	12,345 ( 8.2)	6,578 ( 4.4)	6,285 ( 11.2)	911 (▲ 8.3)
Fiscal Year (Final Figures)	2003	73,778 ( 0.0)	26,488 (▲ 6.9)	21,190 (▲ 9.0)	- ( - )	5,299 ( 2.2)	6,085 ( 3.6)	10,412 ( 7.1)	1,806 ( 17.7)	1,355 (▲ 3.0)	7,362 ( 27.5)	6,535 ( 30.6)	49 (▲ 11.1)	3,445 ( 0.4)	10,862 (▲ 4.8)	6,190 (▲ 5.0)	5,964 (▲ 3.0)	937 (▲ 48.0)
	2004	76,252 ( 3.4)	27,206 ( 2.7)	16,782 (▲ 3.0)	3,780 ( - )	6,644 ( 25.4)	6,645 ( 9.2)	10,176 (▲ 2.3)	2,037 ( 12.8)	1,692 ( 24.9)	7,342 (▲ 0.3)	6,289 (▲ 3.8)	40 (▲ 18.5)	3,535 ( 2.6)	11,711 ( 7.8)	6,511 ( 5.2)	5,908 (▲ 0.9)	1,035 ( 10.5)
	2005	79,413 ( 4.1)	26,980 (▲ 0.8)	14,772 (▲ 12.0)	6,007 ( 58.9)	6,201 (▲ 6.7)	7,223 ( 8.7)	10,443 ( 2.6)	2,436 ( 19.6)	1,656 (▲ 2.2)	7,403 ( 0.8)	6,298 ( 0.1)	18 (▲ 54.0)	3,920 ( 10.9)	12,533 ( 7.0)	6,610 ( 1.5)	6,819 ( 15.4)	850 (▲ 17.8)
Half Year	'04 4-9	37,576 ( 3.7)	13,030 ( 0.2)	10,078 (▲ 2.6)	- ( - )	2,952 ( 11.4)	3,375 ( 15.0)	5,212 ( 5.3)	960 ( 25.6)	693 ( 19.0)	3,677 ( 1.4)	3,155 (▲ 1.1)	22 (▲ 47.1)	1,784 ( 1.7)	5,917 ( 5.9)	3,346 ( 1.6)	2,928 (▲ 4.1)	509 ( 2.0)
	10-3	38,432 ( 3.6)	14,095 ( 5.4)	10,756 ( 0.3)	- ( - )	3,339 ( 26.0)	3,091 (▲ 1.8)	5,041 (▲ 6.4)	1,095 ( 11.0)	909 ( 17.9)	3,650 ( 0.5)	3,100 (▲ 5.0)	21 ( 120.2)	1,756 ( 5.6)	5,782 ( 9.6)	3,184 ( 11.5)	3,023 ( 4.8)	506 ( 4.8)
	'05 4-9	38,380 ( 2.1)	13,190 ( 1.2)	7,140 ( 0.1)	2,948 ( - )	3,102 ( 5.1)	3,046 (▲ 9.7)	5,098 (▲ 2.2)	1,126 ( 17.3)	697 ( 0.6)	3,854 ( 4.8)	3,248 ( 3.0)	63 ( 190.3)	1,913 ( 7.2)	6,286 ( 6.3)	3,383 ( 1.1)	3,171 ( 8.3)	425 (▲ 16.6)
	10-3	39,752 ( 3.4)	13,643 (▲ 3.2)	7,698 (▲ 0.4)	3,014 ( - )	2,931 (▲ 12.2)	3,025 (▲ 2.1)	5,391 ( 7.0)	1,316 ( 21.3)	958 ( 5.4)	4,025 ( 10.3)	3,385 ( 9.2)	5 (▲ 74.8)	1,937 ( 10.3)	6,163 ( 6.6)	3,108 (▲ 2.4)	3,294 ( 8.9)	452 (▲ 10.7)
Quarter Year	'04 7-9	19,486 ( 6.5)	6,543 ( 5.1)	5,030 ( 2.6)	- ( - )	1,513 ( 14.4)	1,686 ( 17.4)	2,851 ( 7.7)	528 ( 27.9)	404 ( 25.6)	1,958 (▲ 3.0)	1,682 (▲ 7.6)	16 ( 181.6)	910 ( 7.4)	3,100 ( 9.7)	1,693 ( 1.4)	1,508 (▲ 3.9)	274 ( 25.6)
	10-12	18,852 ( 6.0)	6,505 ( 7.7)	5,035 ( 6.7)	- ( - )	1,470 ( 11.3)	1,604 ( 12.4)	2,568 ( 4.7)	523 ( 23.3)	493 ( 28.0)	1,745 ( 1.6)	1,504 (▲ 1.1)	0 (▲ 76.3)	851 ( 2.8)	3,073 ( 7.5)	1,681 ( 6.4)	1,490 (▲ 9.6)	235 ( 0.4)
	1-3	19,580 ( 1.3)	7,590 ( 3.4)	5,721 (▲ 4.8)	- ( - )	1,869 ( 40.6)	1,487 (▲ 13.6)	2,473 (▲ 15.7)	563 ( 1.6)	416 ( 7.9)	1,905 (▲ 0.4)	1,597 (▲ 8.5)	20 ( 172.8)	905 ( 8.2)	2,708 ( 12.2)	1,503 ( 17.9)	1,534 ( 24.2)	271 ( 9.0)
	'05 4-6	18,606 ( 2.9)	6,606 ( 1.8)	3,572 ( 1.0)	1,526 ( - )	1,508 ( 4.8)	1,570 (▲ 7.0)	2,121 (▲ 10.2)	499 ( 15.7)	311 ( 7.6)	1,801 ( 4.7)	1,532 ( 4.0)	12 ( 122.6)	947 ( 8.3)	3,186 ( 13.1)	1,733 ( 4.9)	1,564 ( 10.1)	213 (▲ 9.7)
	7-9	19,774 ( 1.5)	6,584 ( 0.6)	3,568 (▲ 0.8)	1,423 ( - )	1,594 ( 5.3)	1,476 (▲ 12.4)	2,976 ( 4.4)	627 ( 18.7)	385 (▲ 4.5)	2,053 ( 4.9)	1,716 ( 2.0)	51 ( 211.7)	966 ( 6.2)	3,101 ( 0.0)	1,650 (▲ 2.5)	1,606 ( 6.5)	212 (▲ 22.5)
	10-12	19,375 ( 2.8)	6,414 (▲ 1.4)	3,476 (▲ 3.3)	1,393 ( - )	1,545 ( 5.1)	1,501 (▲ 6.4)	2,435 (▲ 5.2)	607 ( 16.1)	509 ( 3.2)	1,996 ( 14.4)	1,602 ( 6.5)	1 ( 173.2)	982 ( 15.4)	3,350 ( 9.0)	1,692 ( 0.7)	1,581 ( 6.1)	215 (▲ 8.7)
	1-3	20,378 ( 4.1)	7,229 (▲ 4.7)	4,222 ( 2.1)	1,621 ( - )	1,386 (▲ 25.8)	1,523 ( 2.4)	2,956 ( 19.6)	709 ( 26.0)	450 ( 8.1)	2,029 ( 6.5)	1,783 ( 11.7)	4 (▲ 80.5)	955 ( 5.5)	2,813 ( 3.9)	1,416 (▲ 5.8)	1,713 ( 11.7)	238 (▲ 12.4)
	'06 4-6	18,321 (▲ 1.5)	6,060 (▲ 8.3)	3,303 (▲ 7.5)	1,522 (▲ 0.2)	1,234 (▲ 18.2)	1,613 ( 2.8)	2,275 ( 7.2)	630 ( 26.2)	312 ( 0.1)	1,985 ( 10.2)	1,683 ( 9.8)	16 ( 35.5)	1,087 ( 14.8)	2,885 (▲ 9.4)	1,538 (▲ 11.3)	1,474 (▲ 5.8)	215 ( 1.2)
Monthly	'05 7	6,467 ( 2.3)	2,001 (▲ 3.5)	1,111 ( 1.0)	443 ( - )	446 (▲ 16.6)	480 (▲ 17.1)	1,304 ( 36.4)	190 ( 19.9)	113 ( 3.9)	628 (▲ 3.0)	575 ( 1.7)	0 (▲ 98.7)	269 (▲ 2.7)	1,047 ( 0.7)	577 ( 5.0)	434 (▲ 9.7)	66 (▲ 31.8)
	8	5,661 ( 0.0)	1,870 (▲ 0.6)	984 (▲ 6.7)	354 ( - )	532 ( 18.9)	462 (▲ 9.6)	632 (▲ 14.9)	193 ( 27.3)	107 ( 4.7)	641 ( 22.6)	454 (▲ 0.6)	51 ( 2,482.4)	327 ( 23.0)	1,033 ( 2.3)	532 (▲ 6.1)	396 (▲ 16.5)	67 (▲ 16.1)
	9	7,647 ( 1.9)	2,713 ( 4.8)	1,473 ( 2.0)	625 ( - )	615 ( 16.0)	533 (▲ 10.3)	1,040 (▲ 9.6)	244 ( 11.8)	166 (▲ 14.1)	784 (▲ 0.4)	686 ( 4.1)	1 (▲ 95.4)	370 ( 0.7)	1,020 (▲ 2.8)	541 (▲ 6.2)	776 ( 40.3)	78 (▲ 18.3)
	10	6,640 ( 2.1)	2,610 ( 4.3)	1,502 ( 2.6)	580 ( - )	528 ( 11.5)	519 (▲ 5.7)	736 (▲ 10.5)	202 ( 27.5)	181 ( 6.2)	642 ( 12.4)	510 ( 1.3)	1 ( 9,860.0)	326 ( 8.3)	933 ( 12.5)	491 (▲ 1.6)	490 (▲ 18.0)	77 (▲ 20.8)
	11	5,926 ( 4.0)	1,792 (▲ 8.1)	951 (▲ 9.8)	372 ( - )	469 (▲ 2.7)	460 (▲ 10.0)	772 ( 2.5)	194 ( 22.5)	141 (▲ 8.1)	653 ( 11.3)	538 ( 9.5)	0 ( 700.0)	289 ( 14.3)	969 ( 3.5)	548 ( 3.7)	657 ( 65.8)	55 (▲ 6.5)
	12	6,809 ( 2.4)	2,012 (▲ 2.0)	1,023 (▲ 4.9)	440 ( - )	548 ( 6.5)	523 (▲ 3.7)	926 (▲ 6.6)	211 ( 2.5)	187 ( 10.4)	701 ( 19.4)	554 ( 8.8)	0 ( 0.0)	367 ( 23.6)	1,448 ( 10.7)	653 (▲ 0.1)	434 (▲ 12.5)	82 ( 4.8)
	'06 1	5,557 ( 11.8)	1,891 (▲ 0.3)	1,151 (▲ 0.6)	369 ( - )	370 ( 1.0)	450 ( 14.0)	892 ( 43.4)	153 ( 4.0)	144 ( 31.1)	457 ( 11.8)	411 ( 15.9)	0 (▲ 66.1)	244 (▲ 2.6)	810 ( 0.2)	411 (▲ 4.3)	517 ( 54.0)	52 (▲ 8.7)
	2	5,257 ( 4.7)	1,753 (▲ 3.1)	1,018 ( 6.8)	354 ( - )	381 (▲ 27.3)	425 ( 1.0)	845 ( 17.4)	217 ( 37.3)	122 ( 13.9)	587 ( 14.6)	495 ( 10.9)	1 ( 1,874.1)	248 ( 22.3)	703 ( 3.3)	388 (▲ 2.9)	357 (▲ 13.5)	69 ( 8.3)
	3	9,564 (▲ 0.2)	3,585 (▲ 7.7)	2,052 ( 1.5)	898 ( - )	635 (▲ 35.0)	649 (▲ 3.4)	1,219 ( 7.8)	339 ( 31.7)	183 (▲ 7.7)	986 ( 0.1)	878 ( 10.2)	3 (▲ 83.6)	463 ( 2.5)	1,300 ( 6.6)	617 (▲ 8.5)	840 ( 6.9)	117 (▲ 22.5)
	4	6,810 (▲ 7.4)	2,491 (▲ 14.2)	1,368 (▲ 13.9)	678 (▲ 9.9)	446 (▲ 20.8)	683 ( 17.4)	728 (▲ 17.6)	175 ( 17.6)	103 (▲ 8.3)	625 ( 11.1)	521 ( 10.8)	5 ( 6,512.5)	407 ( 24.0)	998 (▲ 8.2)	542 ( 0.0)	600 (▲ 19.8)	77 (▲ 5.3)
	5	5,241 ( 0.8)	1,606 (▲ 4.3)	880 (▲ 1.2)	343 (▲ 4.8)	382 (▲ 10.4)	444 (▲ 0.3)	663 ( 14.0)	218 ( 43.4)	108 ( 15.9)	597 ( 7.8)	495 ( 6.9)	11 ( 4.3)	326 ( 10.7)	921 (▲ 11.2)	468 (▲ 25.2)	359 (▲ 0.6)	68 ( 11.6)
	6	6,269 ( 3.6)	1,962 (▲ 3.0)	1,055 (▲ 3.4)	501 ( 21.5)	406 (▲ 21.8)	486 (▲ 10.4)	884 ( 34.6)	238 ( 19.5)	101 (▲ 4.8)	763 ( 11.5)	666 ( 11.4)	0 (▲ 70.5)	354 ( 9.2)	966 (▲ 9.0)	528 (▲ 6.7)	515 ( 13.1)	70 (▲ 0.5)
	7	6,254 (▲ 3.3)	1,919 (▲ 4.1)	1,094 (▲ 1.5)	413 (▲ 6.9)	411 (▲ 7.9)	460 (▲ 4.3)	1,090 (▲ 16.3)	226 ( 19.1)	116 ( 2.1)	671 ( 6.8)	595 ( 3.4)	3 ( 7,487.5)	289 ( 7.3)	990 (▲ 5.5)	504 (▲ 12.6)	494 ( 13.7)	75 ( 12.2)

(note) The chart shows the transaction volume of Computer Software, distinguishing from that of Computer Hardware since 2005.