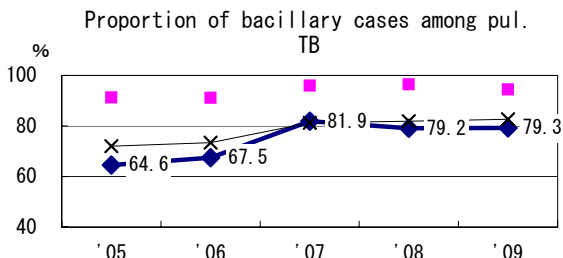
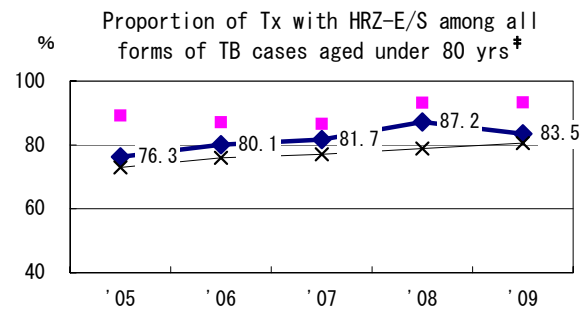
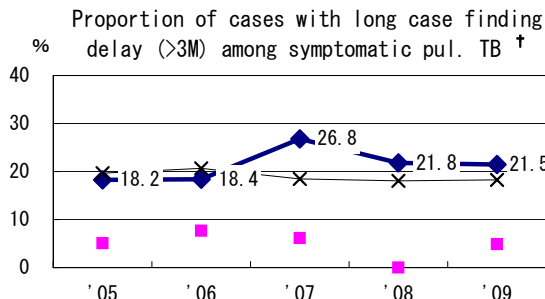
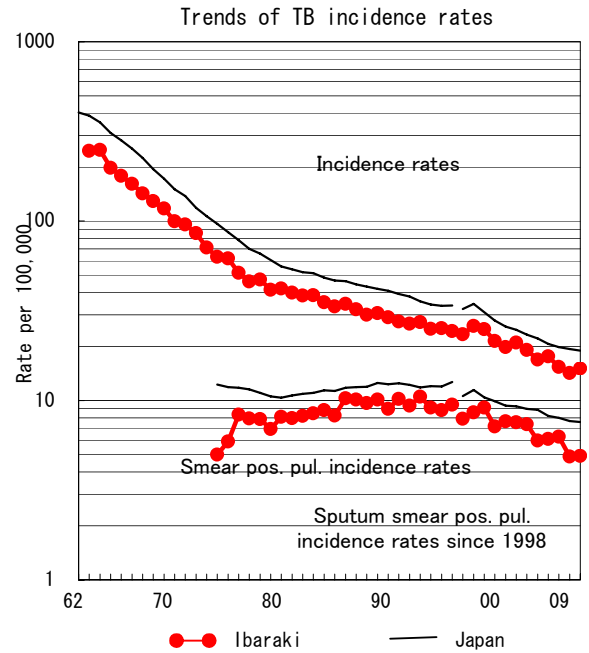
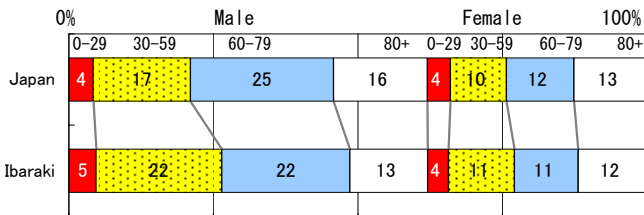


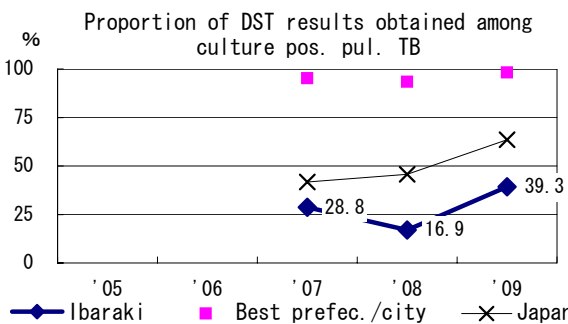
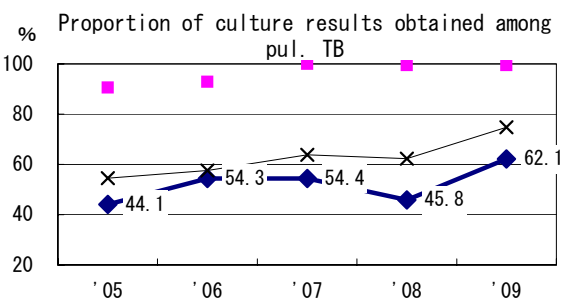
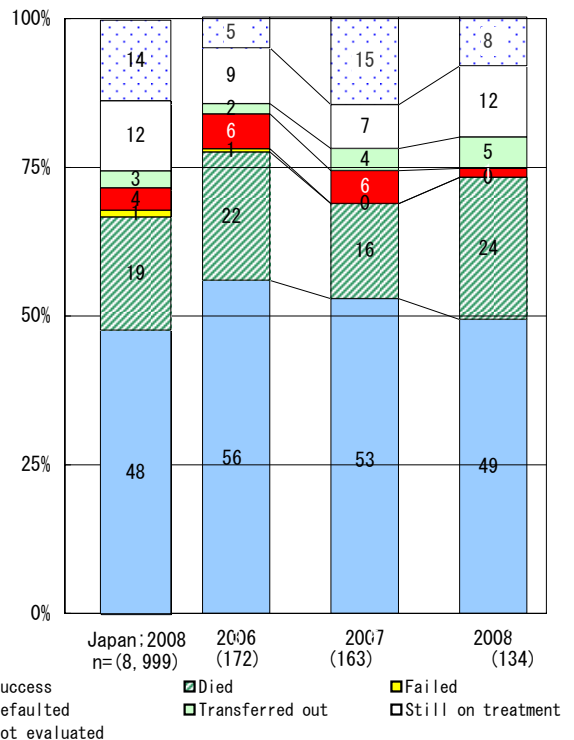
TB statistics in 2009		
Population	2,960,328	(Japan)
Foreigners	21	4.7% (3.9%)
Estimated homeless or poor TB among male cases aged 30-59 yrs	1	1.0% (12.0%)

Trends	'05	'06	'07	'08	'09
Notified cases	503	524	456	422	446
Rate per 100,000	16.9	17.6	15.4	14.2	15.1
Sputum smear pos. pul. cases	178	181	186	144	145
Rate per 100,000	6.0	6.1	6.3	4.9	4.9

Age-sex composition of notified cases, 2009



Treatment outcomes of new sputum smear-pos. pul. cases registered in 2006-2008



	'05	'06	'07	'08	'09
† Excluding unk delay (%)	23.1	12.9	22.1	37.3	49.4
‡ Excluding unk Tx (%)	4.2	1.5	0.3	2.8	0.9

Registered year	'07	'08	Japan
Median days of treatment (all forms)	214	252	(272)
Median days of hospitalization (pul. TB)	50	53	(67)