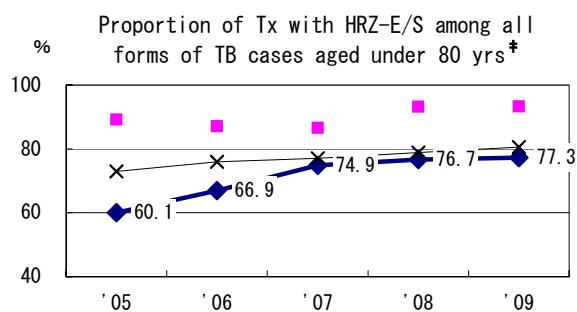
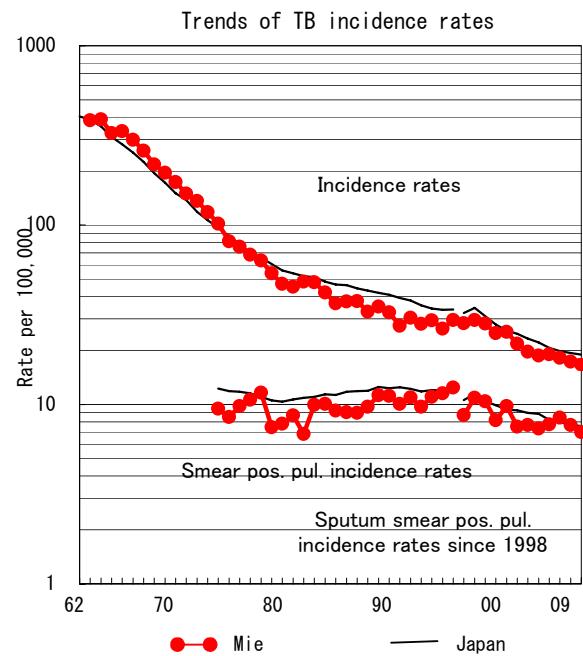
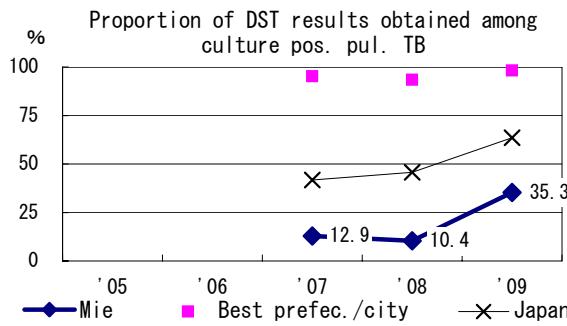
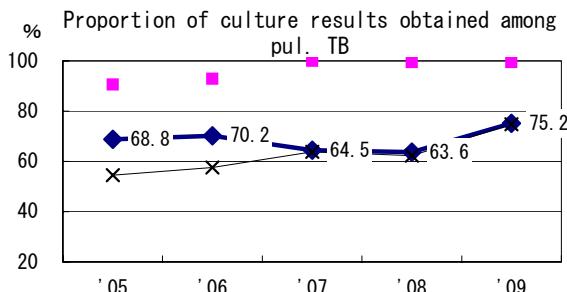
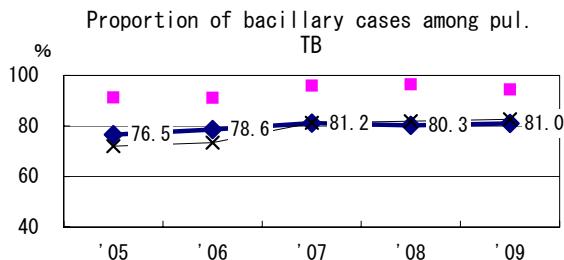
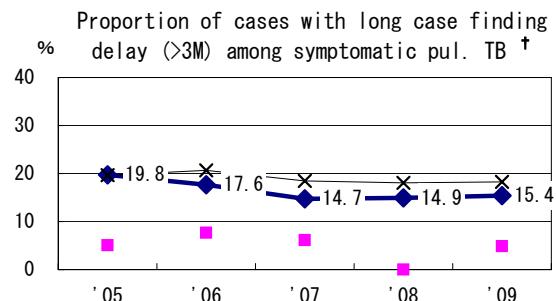
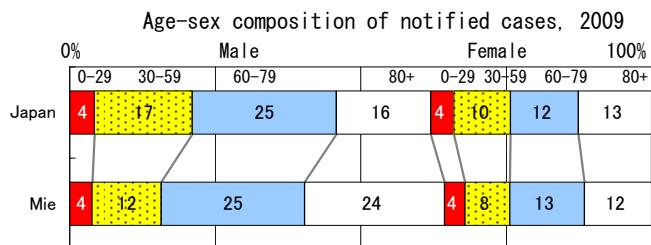
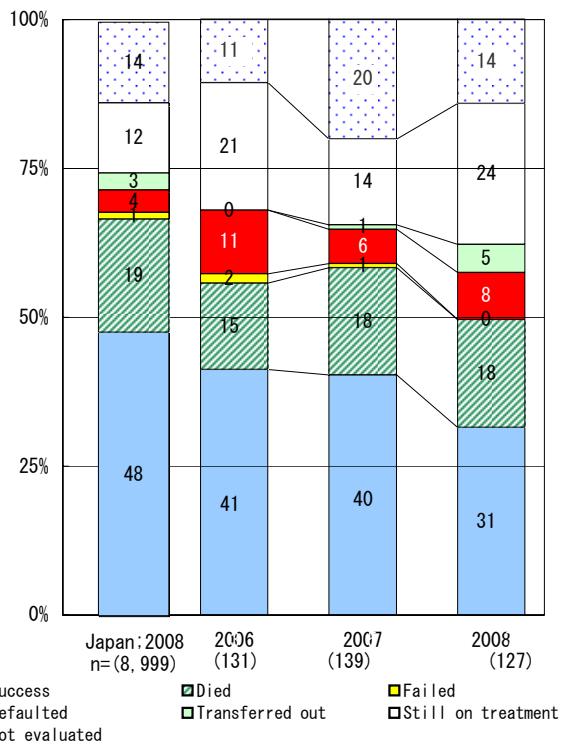


TB statistics in 2009		
Population	1,869,914	(Japan)
Foreigners	17	5.4% (3.9%)
Estimated homeless or poor TB among male cases aged 30-59 yrs	2	5.4% (12.0%)

Trends	'05	'06	'07	'08	'09
Notified cases	350	357	342	325	312
Rate per 100,000	18.7	19.1	18.2	17.3	16.7
Sputum smear pos. pul. cases	137	145	158	144	131
Rate per 100,000	7.3	7.7	8.4	7.7	7.0



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



† Excluding unk delay(%) 2.4 0.0 16.4 29.0 26.7
‡ Excluding unk Tx (%) 1.1 2.7 0.4 0.9 1.0

Registered year Median days of treatment (all forms) 2007 264 282 Japan (272)
Median days of hospitalization (pul. TB) 2008 63 75 Japan (67)