

## Part 2: Radioactive Material Monitoring in the Water Environment in and around Fukushima Prefecture (FY2015)

### 1. Objective and Details

#### 1.1 Objective

This monitoring was conducted in response to the Fukushima NPS Accident for the purpose of clarifying the distribution of the accident-derived radioactive materials in the water environment.

#### 1.2 Details

##### (1) Locations

The survey was conducted mainly in the Tohoku and Kanto districts at around 600 locations for public water areas and at around 400 locations for groundwater. Specific locations are as shown in Figure 1.2-1.

##### (2) Targets

For public water areas (rivers, lakes, and coastal areas), water and sediments were surveyed. Additionally, radioactive concentrations in soil were measured in the surrounding environment (river beds, etc.) near the sampling locations as reference.

Radioactive concentrations in groundwater were also measured.

##### (3) Frequencies and periods

The monitoring for public water areas was conducted 2 to 10 times a year (varying by location).

The monitoring for groundwater was conducted 1 to 4 times a year (varying by location).

##### (4) Conducted analyses

Primarily, analyses targeting Cs-134 and Cs-137 were conducted.

Additionally, analyses on Sr-89, Sr-90 and other artificial radionuclides were also conducted for some of the collected samples.

##### (5) Compilation and evaluation of results

The results of the measurement are compiled and released sequentially as preliminary reports on the website of Ministry of the Environment.

This report is the compilation of the overall monitoring results, and the details of individual monitoring surveys are available on the following website.

<http://www.env.go.jp/en/water/rmms/surveys.html>

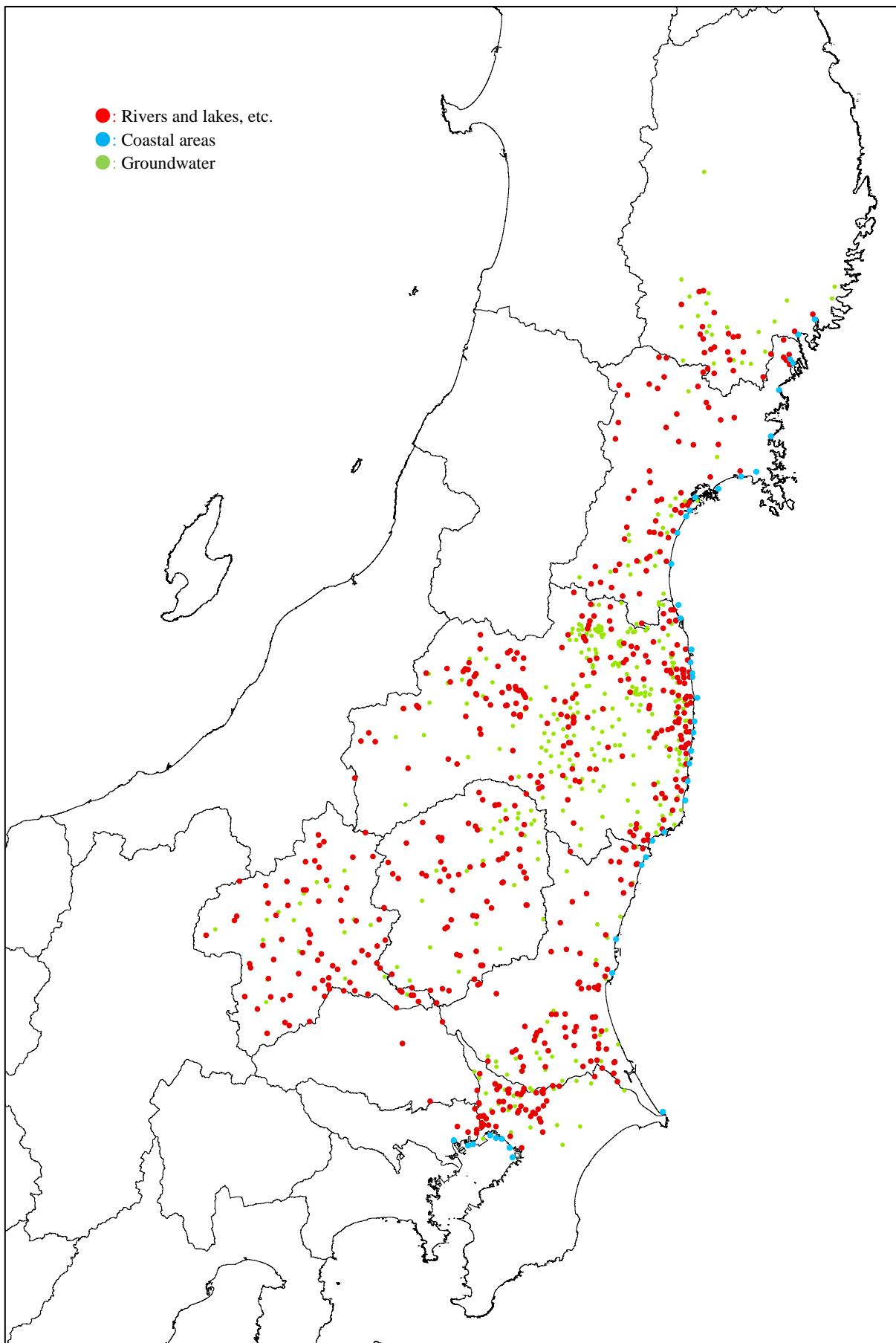


Figure 1.2-1 Map showing locations for the Post-Earthquake Monitoring

## 2. Survey Methods and Analysis Methods

### 2.1 Survey methods

Samples were collected at predetermined locations (for public water areas and groundwater) and the following analyses of radioactive materials were conducted.

Samples were collected based on the following guidelines in principle, as outlined below.

- Water Quality Survey Method (September 30, 1971; Notice Kansuikan No. 30 issued by the Director General of the Water Quality Preservation Bureau, Ministry of the Environment)
- Sediment Survey Method (August 8, 2012; Notice Kansuikansuuhatsu No. 120725002 issued by the Director General of the Environmental Management Bureau, Ministry of the Environment)
- Groundwater Quality Survey Method (September 14, 1989; Notice Kansuikan No. 189 issued by the Director General of the Water Quality Preservation Bureau, Ministry of the Environment)
- Environmental Sample Collection Method (1983, MEXT's Radioactivity Measurement Method Series)
- Sample Pretreatment for Instrumental Analysis Using Germanium Semiconductor Detectors (1982, MEXT's Radioactivity Measurement Method Series)

### 2.2 Analysis methods

The  $\gamma$ -ray spectrometry measurement using a germanium semiconductor detector was conducted for water samples and sediment samples from public water areas and for groundwater samples, primarily targeting Cs-134 and Cs-137.

Additionally, analyses on Sr-89, Sr-90 and other artificial radionuclides were also conducted for some of the collected samples. Detected values were indicated with two significant digits in the unit of "Bq/L" in the case of water samples from public water areas and groundwater samples, and in the unit of "Bq/kg (dry)" in the case of sediment samples from public water areas. The measurement results were corrected for attenuation, and reported figures were activity concentrations as of the time of completing sampling.

Adopted analysis methods were basically in line with the MEXT's Radioactivity Measurement Method Series, and detection limit targets were as shown in the table below.

Table 2.2-1 Detection limit targets for radionuclides for the Post-Earthquake Monitoring

Radionuclide		Public water areas (water)	Public water areas (sediments)	Groundwater
Radioactive cesium (Cs-134 and Cs-137)		Approx. 1 Bq/L	Approx. 10 Bq/kg (dry)	Approx. 1 Bq/L
Radioactive strontium	Sr-90	—	Approx. 1 Bq/kg (dry) (0.16 to 2.9 Bq/kg (dry))	Approx. 1 Bq/L
	Sr-89	—	—	Approx. 1 Bq/L
Other artificial radionuclides (*1)		—	Ag-110m: 7 to 180 Bq/kg (dry) Sb-125: 130 to 330 Bq/kg (dry)	—

\*1: Vary by type of radionuclides; The above table shows detection limit targets for Ag-110m and Sb-125, which were detected in the monitoring (see Chapter 5.2 of the main text).

### 3. Outline of the Results

The results of the Post-Earthquake Monitoring conducted in Tokyo Metropolis and other nine prefectures of FY2015 were as outlined below.

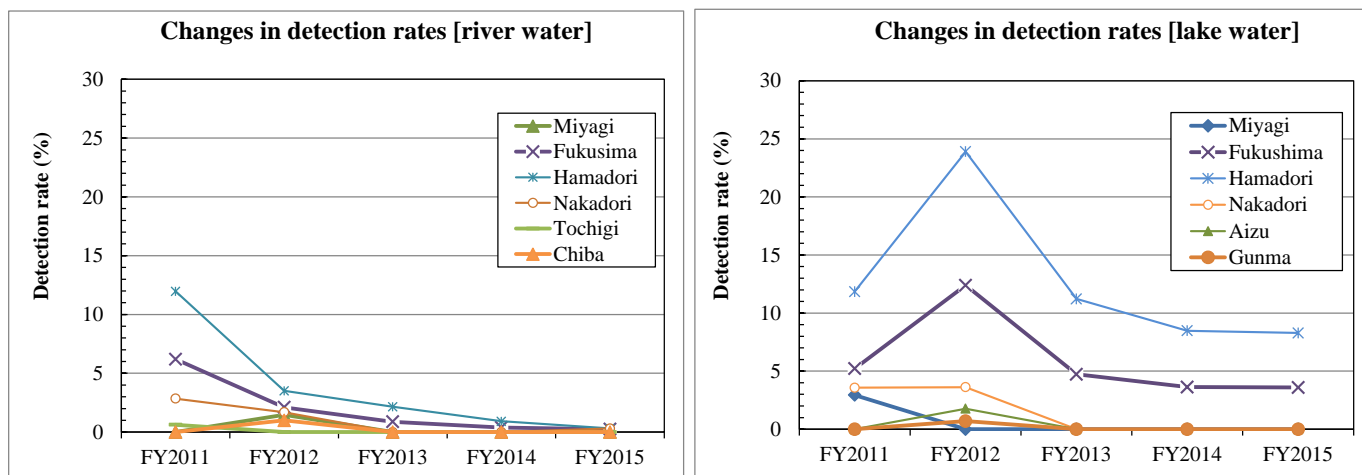
#### 3.1 Detection of radioactive cesium

Radioactive cesium (total of Cs-134 and Cs-137) was detected as follows.

##### (1) Public water areas (water)

In FY2015, radioactive cesium activity concentrations ranged from not detectable to 1.3 Bq/L and had a detection rate of 0.1% in river water samples; from not detectable to 52 Bq/L and with a detection rate of 2.1% in lake water samples; and were not detectable in any coastal area water samples.

Judging from the changes over time since FY2011, all prefectures have shown decreasing trends in the detection rate for river water specimens (9,000 or more in total number of samples) and lake water specimens (5,400 or more in total number of samples). In prefectures other than Fukushima Prefecture, radioactive cesium has not been detected since FY2013 (see Figure 3.1-1). In addition, no survey detected radioactive cesium in coastal area water specimens (2,300 or more in total number of samples).



(\*) Data for Fukushima Prefecture are the total of those for Hamadori, Nakadori, and Aizu. Not listed prefectures are as not detected. The same applies in other figures below.

Figure 3.1-1 Changes in detection rates of radioactive cesium in water samples from public water areas (left: rivers; right: lakes)

##### (2) Groundwater

Radioactive cesium was not detectable in any of the groundwater samples in FY2015.

Judging from the changes over time since FY2011, radioactive cesium has not been detected in groundwater specimens (4,700 or more in total number of samples) since FY2012, except when it was detected in two specimens from Fukushima Prefecture in FY2011 (detected values were 2 Bq/L and 1 Bq/L).

### (3) Public water areas (sediments)

#### 1) Overall trends

In FY2015, radioactive cesium activity concentrations ranged from not detectable to 20,100 Bq/kg and were detected with a detection rate of 88.1% in river sediment samples, from not detectable to 920,000 Bq/kg and with a detection rate of 99.1% in lake sediment samples, and from not detectable to 2,950 Bq/kg and at a detection rate of 82.0% in coastal area sediment samples.

#### 2) Situation by location

As radioactive cesium was detected at many locations, the situations in respective locations were compared. Detected concentration levels and their changes were statistically compiled as shown in "4.3 Detection of radioactive materials in sediments by location."

Detected concentration levels were compiled as shown in Table 3.1-1.

Locations belonging to Categories A and B (top 10 percentile of the whole) were in Hamadori District, Fukushima Prefecture as well as in Nakadori District, Fukushima Prefecture, Ibaraki, Gunma, Chiba, and Miyagi Prefectures.

Table 3.1-1 Categorization of detected concentration levels for sediment samples from public water areas(FY2015) (rivers, lakes, and coastal areas)

<Rivers>

Category	Percentile (see Figure 4.3-1)	[River sediments] Range [Bq/kg (dry)]	Number of locations											Total	
			Iwate	Miyagi	Fukushima			Ibaraki	Tochigi	Gunma	Chiba	Saitama	Tokyo	Number of locations	Percentage
					Hamadori	Nakadori	Aizu								
A	Upper 5 percentile	1,077 or more	0	0	11	0	0	2	0	1	5	0	0	19	4.8
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	529 ~ 1,077	0	0	9	1	0	2	0	0	8	0	0	20	5.1
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	182 ~ 529	0	8	6	14	1	11	1	0	18	0	1	60	15.2
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	59 ~ 182	2	14	19	9	7	21	5	9	12	1	1	100	25.3
E	Lower 50 percentile	59 or less	20	21	8	20	18	17	50	38	4	1	0	197	49.7
Total			22	43	53	44	26	53	56	48	47	2	2	396	100.0

<Lakes>

Category	Percentile (see Figure 4.3-1)	Range [Lake sediments] [Bq/kg (dry)]	Number of locations								Total		
			Miyagi	Fukushima			Ibaraki	Tochigi	Gunma	Chiba	Number of locations	Percentage	
				Hamadori	Nakadori	Aizu							
A	Upper 5 percentile	23,760 or more	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	4.9
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	12,306 ~ 23,760	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	4.9
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	1,969 ~ 12,306	1	11	4	6	1	0	1	1	1	25	15.2
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	624 ~ 1,969	3	10	6	3	4	4	10	1	1	41	25.0
E	Lower 50 percentile	624 or less	17	4	2	22	14	4	13	6	6	82	50.0
Total			21	41	12	31	19	8	24	8	8	164	100.0

<Coastal areas>

Category	Percentile (see Figure 4.3-1)	Range [coastal area sediments] [Bq/kg (dry)]	Number of locations							Total	
			Iwate	Miyagi	Fukushima	Ibaraki	Chiba	Tokyo	Number of location	Percentage	
A	Upper 5 percentile	580 or more	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	4.8
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	400 ~ 580	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	4.8
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	248 ~ 400	0	1	4	0	0	1	1	6	14.3
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	65 ~ 248	0	5	3	0	1	2	11	11	26.2
E	Lower 50 percentile	65 or less	2	4	6	5	4	0	21	21	50.0
Total			2	12	15	5	5	3	42	42	100.0

Changes in detected concentration levels were compiled as shown in Figure 3.1-2, which shows Table 4.3-45 graphically.

At most monitoring locations for rivers, a decreasing trend was observed. For lakes, a decreasing or unchanged trend was generally observed with some locations showing fluctuations. For coastal areas, a decreasing trend was observed at most locations with some locations showing fluctuations.

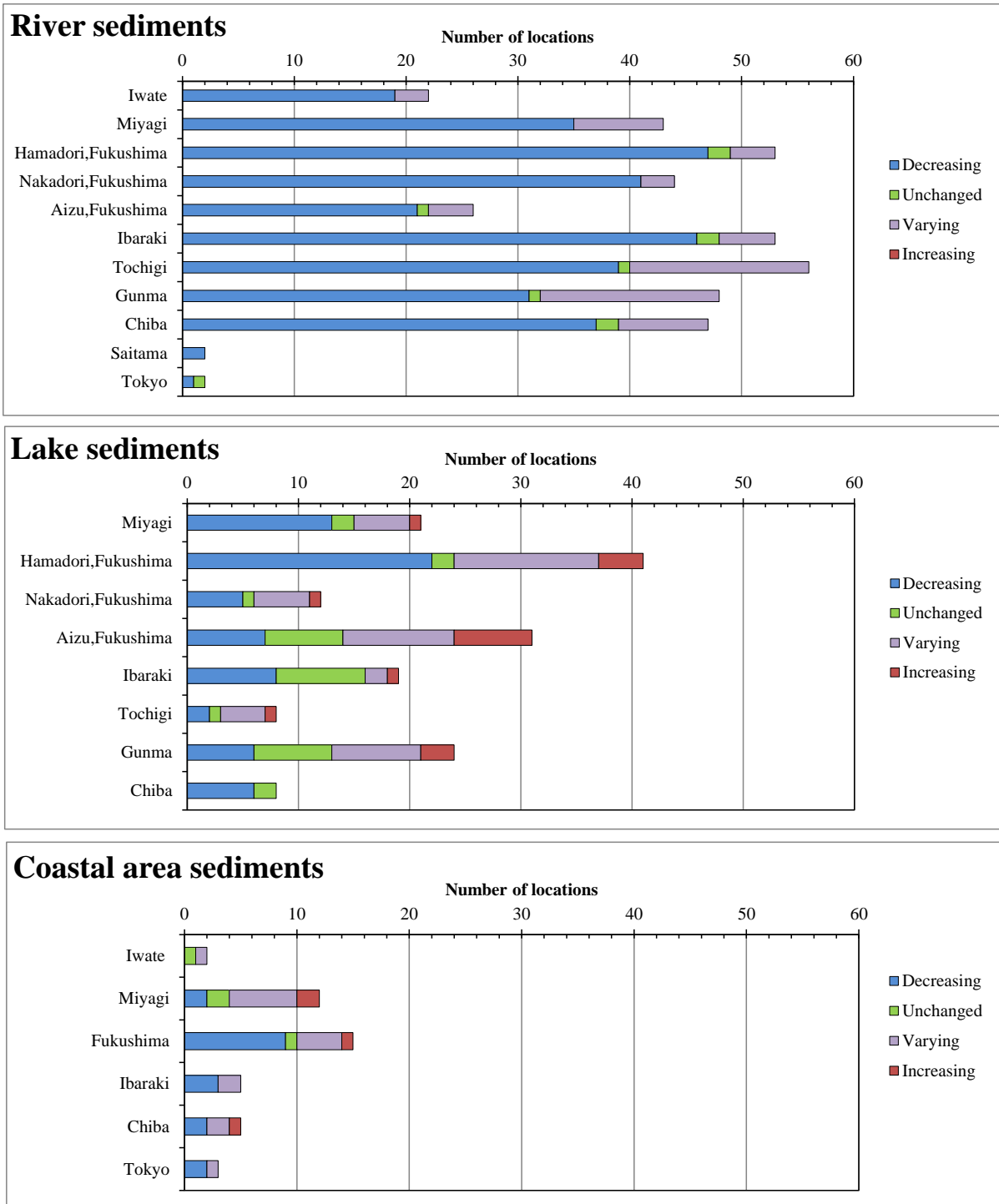


Figure 3.1-2 Changes in detected concentration levels of radioactive materials in sediment samples from public water areas (rivers, lakes, and coastal areas)



### 3.2 Detection of radionuclides other than radioactive cesium

#### (1) Sr-89 and Sr-90

As shown by the results, including the past fiscal years, Sr-90 was included in the monitoring surveys conducted from FY2011 to FY2015 for sediment samples (approximately 500 samples in total) from public water areas (rivers, lakes, and coastal areas) and for groundwater samples (approximately 240 specimens in total) (see Figure 3.2-1).

In FY2015, Sr-90 ranged in concentration from not detectable to 1.9 Bq/kg and was detected with a detection rate of 40.9% in river sediment samples, from not detectable to 150 Bq/kg and with a detection rate of 97.1% in lake sediment samples, and from not detectable to 0.78 Bq/kg and with a detection rate of 9.4% in coastal area sediment samples.

Sr-89 was not detectable in any of the monitoring surveys conducted for sediment samples from public water areas (a total of 22 samples collected from rivers and lakes in FY2011) and for groundwater samples (a total of approx. 240 samples surveyed from FY2011 to FY2015) (detection limit: 1 Bq/L for water and approximate 2 Bq/kg for sediments).

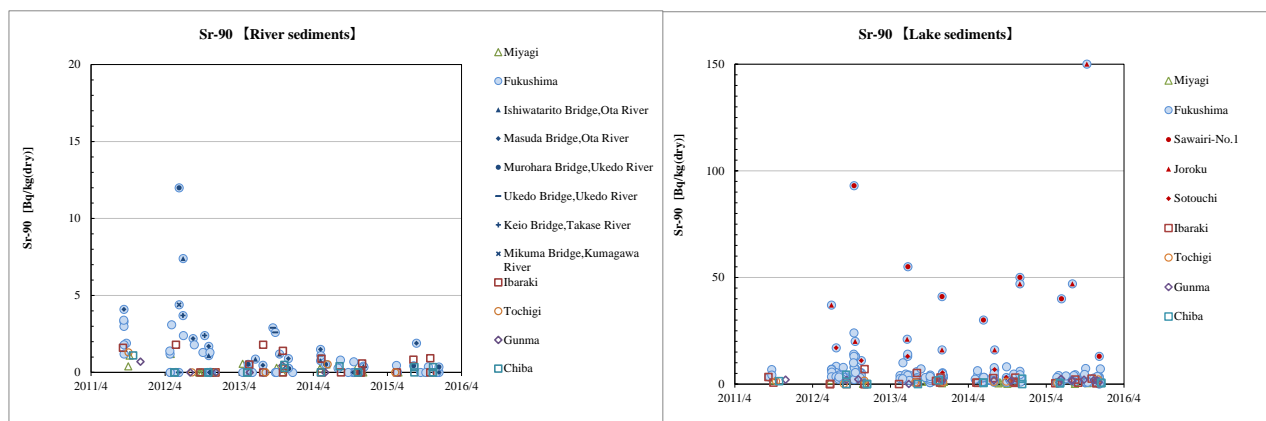


Figure 3.2-1 Detection of Sr-90 in sediment samples from public water areas (left: rivers; right: lakes)

#### (2) Other artificial radionuclides

None have been detected since FY 2013.

## 4. Results (Radioactive cesium (Cs-134 and Cs-137))

### 4.1 Water

#### (1) Public water areas

##### 1) Rivers

Detection of radioactive cesium (Cs-134 and Cs-137) in river water samples is as shown in Table 4.1-1 and Figure 4.1-1.

According to the results, including the past fiscal years, most prefectures, have shown decreasing trends in the detection rate since FY2011. In FY2015, radioactive cesium has not been detected in any location other than the Hamadori and Nakadori Districts, Fukushima Prefecture.

Detected values (the total of Cs-134 and Cs-137) have been decreasing since FY2011. The measured values from FY2015 ranged from not detectable to 1.3 Bq/L (detection limit: 1 Bq/L for both Cs-134 and Cs-137).

##### 2) Lakes

Detection of radioactive cesium (Cs-134 and Cs-137) in lake water samples is as shown in Table 4.1-2 and Figure 4.1-2.

According to the results, including the past fiscal years, most prefectures have shown decreasing trends in the detection rate since FY2012. Radioactive cesium has not been detected in any location other than Hamadori District, Fukushima Prefecture since FY2013.

Detected values (the total of Cs-134 and Cs-137) have been decreasing since FY2012. The measured values in FY2015 ranged from not detectable to 52 Bq/L (detection limit: 1 Bq/L for both Cs-134 and Cs-137).

##### 3) Coastal areas

Detection of radioactive cesium (Cs-134 and Cs-137) in coastal area water samples is as shown in Table 4.1-3.

According to the results, including the past fiscal years, radioactive cesium has not been detected at any site (detection limit: 1 Bq/L for both Cs-134 and Cs-137).

#### (2) Groundwater

Detection of radioactive cesium (Cs-134 and Cs-137) in groundwater samples is as shown in Table 4.1-4.

According to the results, including the past fiscal years, approximately 4,700 specimens from eight prefectures were surveyed. In FY2011, radioactive cesium was detected at concentrations of 2 Bq/L and 1 Bq/L at two locations (both in Fukushima Prefecture) only, and has not been detected at any location since FY2012.

#### <Reference>

- Specification and Standards for Food, Food Additives, etc. in Accordance with the Food Sanitation Act (Drinking Water) (Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare Public Notice No.130, March 15, 2012)  
Radioactive cesium (the total of Cs-134 and Cs-137): 10 Bq/kg
- Reference Values for Radioactive Materials in Tap Water (Management Target for Water Supply Facilities) (March 5, 2012; 0305 Notice No.1 from the Director of the Water Supply Division, Health Service Bureau,

Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare)

Radioactive cesium (the total of Cs-134 and Cs-137): 10 Bq/kg

Table 4.1-1 Detection of radioactive cesium in river water samples (by fiscal year)

Prefecture	FY2011				FY2012				FY2013				FY2014				FY2015				Total		
	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Range of measured values (Bq/L)
Iwate	18	0	0.0	-	64	0	0.0	-	80	0	0.0	-	80	0	0.0	-	80	0	0.0	-	322	0	-
Yamagata	10	0	0.0	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	10	0	-
Miyagi	114	0	0.0	-	204	3	1.5	ND - 6.3	193	0	0.0	-	196	0	0.0	-	196	0	0.0	-	903	3	ND - 6.3
Fukushima	452	28	6.2	ND - 20	854	18	2.1	ND - 4.6	801	7	0.9	ND - 5.5	770	3	0.4	ND - 1.6	819	2	0.2	ND - 1.3	3,696	58	ND - 20
Hamadori	192	23	12.0	ND - 20	342	12	3.5	ND - 4.6	325	7	2.2	ND - 5.5	326	3	0.9	ND - 1.6	330	1	0.3	ND - 1.3	1,515	46	ND - 20
Nakadori	176	5	2.8	ND - 8.0	355	6	1.7	ND - 1.9	322	0	0.0	-	324	0	0.0	-	324	1	0.3	ND - 1.1	1,501	12	ND - 8.0
Aizu	84	0	0.0	-	157	0	0.0	-	154	0	0.0	-	120	0	0.0	-	165	0	0.0	-	680	0	-
Ibaraki	128	0	0.0	-	214	0	0.0	-	212	0	0.0	-	212	0	0.0	-	212	0	0.0	-	978	0	-
Tochigi	161	1	0.6	ND - 1.0	277	0	0.0	-	276	0	0.0	-	274	0	0.0	-	278	0	0.0	-	1,266	1	ND - 1.0
Gunma	90	0	0.0	-	216	0	0.0	-	214	0	0.0	-	210	0	0.0	-	214	0	0.0	-	944	0	-
Saitama	2	0	0.0	-	8	0	0.0	-	8	0	0.0	-	8	0	0.0	-	8	0	0.0	-	34	0	-
Chiba	82	0	0.0	-	202	2	1.0	ND - 1.3	200	0	0.0	-	200	0	0.0	-	200	0	0.0	-	884	2	ND - 1.3
Tokyo	3	0	0.0	-	12	0	0.0	-	8	0	0.0	-	8	0	0.0	-	8	0	0.0	-	39	0	-
Total	1,060	29	2.7	ND - 20	2,051	23	1.1	ND - 6.3	1,992	7	0.4	ND - 5.5	1,958	3	0.2	ND - 1.6	2,015	2	0.1	ND - 1.3	9,076	122	ND - 20

ND: Not detectable

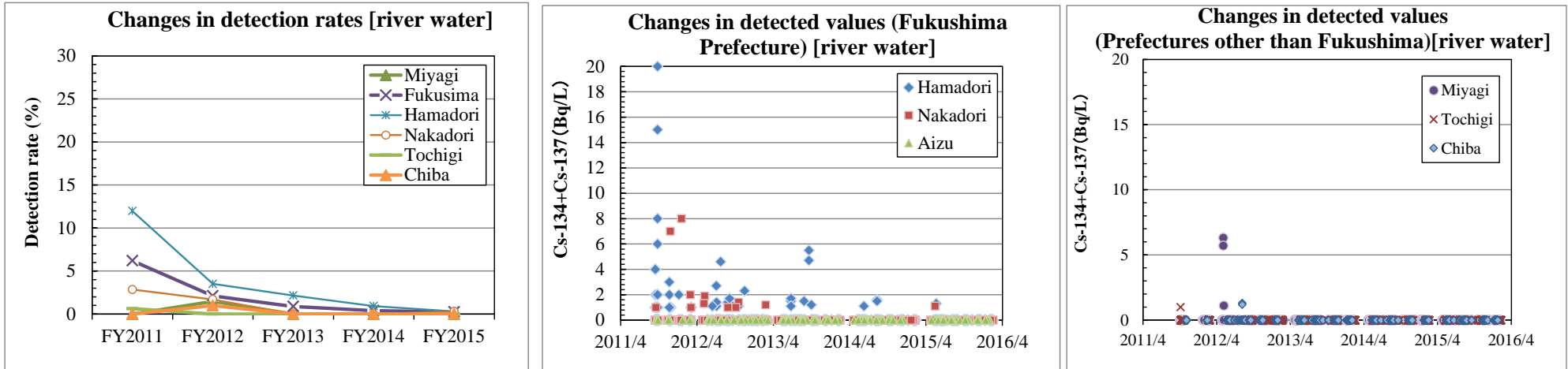


Figure 4.1-1 Detection rates of radioactive cesium in river water samples (left) and changes in detected values (center and right)

Table 4.1-2 Detection of radioactive cesium in lake water samples (by fiscal year)

Prefecture	FY2011				FY2012				FY2013				FY2014				FY2015				Total		
	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Range of measured values (Bq/L)
Yamagata	4	0	0.0	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	4	0	-
Miyagi	34	1	2.9	ND - 3.0	90	0	0.0	-	118	0	0.0	-	114	0	0.0	-	118	0	0.0	-	474	1	ND - 3.0
Fukushima	211	11	5.2	ND - 27	581	72	12.4	ND - 100	761	36	4.7	ND - 47	799	29	3.6	ND - 34	807	29	3.6	ND - 52	3,159	177	ND - 100
Hamadori	76	9	11.8	ND - 27	272	65	23.9	ND - 100	321	36	11.2	ND - 47	342	29	8.5	ND - 34	350	29	8.3	ND - 52	1,361	168	ND - 100
Nakadori	56	2	3.6	ND - 5.0	83	3	3.6	ND - 1.2	109	0	0.0	-	113	0	0.0	-	115	0	0.0	-	476	5	ND - 5.0
Aizu	79	0	0.0	-	226	4	1.8	ND - 5.1	331	0	0.0	-	344	0	0.0	-	342	0	0.0	-	1,322	4	ND - 5.1
Ibaraki	48	0	0.0	-	93	0	0.0	-	152	0	0.0	-	152	0	0.0	-	149	0	0.0	-	594	0	-
Tochigi	24	0	0.0	-	54	0	0.0	-	62	0	0.0	-	64	0	0.0	-	64	0	0.0	-	268	0	-
Gunma	51	0	0.0	-	144	1	0.7	ND - 1.0	188	0	0.0	-	187	0	0.0	-	192	0	0.0	-	762	1	ND - 1.0
Chiba	32	0	0.0	-	50	0	0.0	-	53	0	0.0	-	50	0	0.0	-	37	0	0.0	-	222	0	-
Total	404	12	3.0	ND - 27	1,012	73	7.2	ND - 100	1,334	36	2.7	ND - 47	1,366	29	2.1	ND - 34	1,367	29	2.1	ND - 52	5,483	179	ND - 100

ND: Not detectable

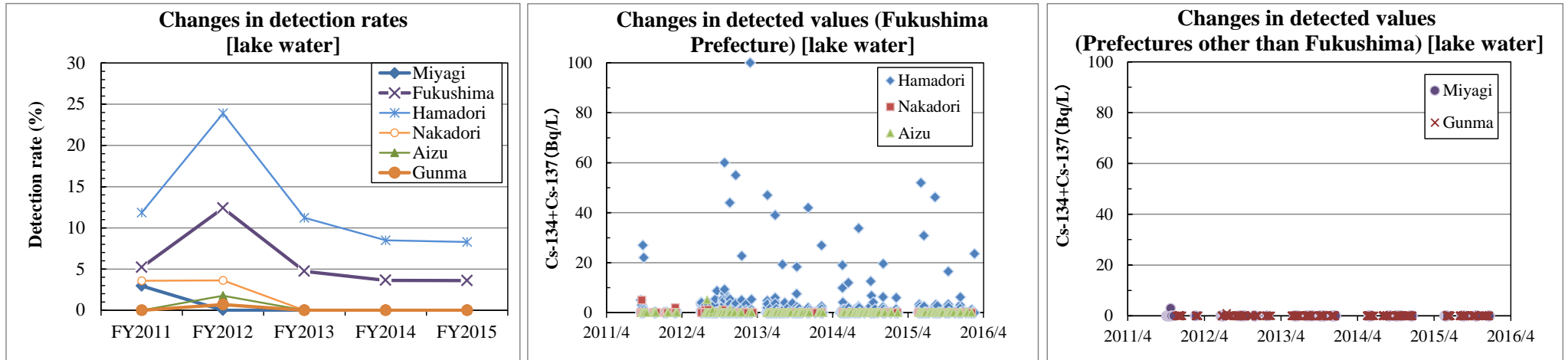


Figure 4.1-2 Detection rates of radioactive cesium in lake water samples (left) and changes in detected values (center and right)

Table 4.1-3 Detection of radioactive cesium in coastal area water samples (by fiscal year)

Prefecture	FY2011				FY2012				FY2013				FY2014				FY2015				Total		
	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Range of measured values (Bq/L)
Iwate	5	0	0.0	-	8	0	0.0	-	8	0	0.0	-	8	0	0.0	-	8	0	0.0	-	37	0	-
Miyagi	94	0	0.0	-	96	0	0.0	-	102	0	0.0	-	104	0	0.0	-	104	0	0.0	-	500	0	-
Fukushima	116	0	0.0	-	189	0	0.0	-	300	0	0.0	-	300	0	0.0	-	300	0	0.0	-	1,205	0	-
Ibaraki	45	0	0.0	-	62	0	0.0	-	40	0	0.0	-	40	0	0.0	-	40	0	0.0	-	227	0	-
Chiba	0	0	-	-	62	0	0.0	-	46	0	0.0	-	46	0	0.0	-	46	0	0.0	-	200	0	-
Tokyo	0	0	-	-	38	0	0.0	-	36	0	0.0	-	36	0	0.0	-	36	0	0.0	-	146	0	-
Total	260	0	0.0	-	455	0	0.0	-	532	0	0.0	-	534	0	0.0	-	534	0	0.0	-	2,315	0	-

ND: Not detectable

Table 4.1-4 Detection of radioactive cesium in groundwater samples (by fiscal year)

Prefecture	FY2011				FY2012				FY2013				FY2014				FY2015				Total		
	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/L)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Range of measured values (Bq/L)
Iwate	42	0	0.0	-	44	0	0.0	-	44	0	0.0	-	22	0	0.0	-	22	0	0.0	-	174	0	-
Miyagi	79	0	0.0	-	44	0	0.0	-	48	0	0.0	-	24	0	0.0	-	24	0	0.0	-	219	0	-
Yamagata	79	0	0.0	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	79	0	-
Fukushima	540	2	0.4	ND - 2.0	543	0	0.0	-	766	0	0.0	-	771	0	0.0	-	767	0	0.0	-	3,387	2	ND - 2.0
Ibaraki	89	0	0.0	-	54	0	0.0	-	54	0	0.0	-	27	0	0.0	-	27	0	0.0	-	251	0	-
Tochigi	76	0	0.0	-	54	0	0.0	-	54	0	0.0	-	27	0	0.0	-	27	0	0.0	-	238	0	-
Gunma	40	0	0.0	-	40	0	0.0	-	42	0	0.0	-	21	0	0.0	-	21	0	0.0	-	164	0	-
Chiba	54	0	0.0	-	46	0	0.0	-	46	0	0.0	-	23	0	0.0	-	23	0	0.0	-	192	0	-
Total	999	2	0.2	ND - 2.0	825	0	0.0	-	1,054	0	0.0	-	915	0	0.0	-	911	0	0.0	-	4,704	2	ND - 2.0

ND: Not detectable

(\* ) Detected in FY2011. Both Cs-134 and Cs-137 were detected at one site, and only Cs-137 was detected at another site, at a level of 1 Bq/L (detection limit: 1 Bq/L) (see the main text).

## 4.2 Sediments

Detection of radioactive cesium in sediment samples from public water areas (rivers, lakes, and coastal areas) were as outlined below.

### (1) Public water areas (rivers)

Radioactive cesium (Cs-134 and Cs-137) detected in river sediment samples was as shown in Table 4.2-1 and Figure 4.2-1.

According to the results, including the past fiscal years, the detection rate ranged between 50 and 100%, and has been slightly decreasing over time in many prefectures.

As shown in Figure 4.2-1, more locations are showing lower concentration levels (the total of Cs-134 and Cs-137) and fewer locations are showing higher concentration levels.

### (2) Public water areas (lakes)

Detection of radioactive cesium (Cs-134 and Cs-137) in lake sediment samples is as shown in Table 4.2-2 and Figure 4.2-2.

According to the results, including the past fiscal years, the detection rate ranged between 83 and 100%. In FY2015, detection rates of 90% or more were observed in all prefectures.

Detected values (the total of Cs-134 and Cs-137) were generally decreasing or unchanged though some locations exhibited fluctuations. In Hamadori District, Fukushima Prefecture, however, radioactive cesium was still detected at concentrations of 100,000 Bq/kg or more in FY2015.

### (3) Public water areas (coastal areas)

Detection of radioactive cesium (Cs-134 and Cs-137) in coastal area sediment samples is as shown in Table 4.2-3 and Figure 4.2-3.

According to the results, including the past fiscal years, the detection rate ranged between 40 and 100% and slightly decreased in FY2015, except for Iwate Prefecture with a small number of specimens.

Coastal area locations showed lower detected values (the total of Cs-134 and Cs-137) than those in rivers or lakes. In Fukushima Prefecture, however, radioactive cesium was still detected at concentrations of 1,000 Bq/kg or more in FY2015.

Table 4.2-1 Detection of radioactive cesium in river sediment samples (by fiscal year)

Prefecture	FY2011				FY2012				FY2013				FY2014				FY2015				Total		
	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)
Iwate	18	18	100.0	62 - 990	64	63	98.4	ND - 1,040	80	71	88.8	ND - 340	80	68	85.0	ND - 301	80	60	75.0	ND - 121	322	280	ND - 1,040
Yamagata	10	6	60.0	ND - 132	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	10	6	ND - 132
Miyagi	113	111	98.2	ND - 11,100	199	191	96.0	ND - 3,700	192	182	94.8	ND - 2,450	196	187	95.4	ND - 1,620	196	176	89.8	ND - 1,860	896	847	ND - 11,100
Fukushima	441	421	95.5	ND - 92,000	847	808	95.4	ND - 165,000	795	750	94.3	ND - 45,000	770	724	94.0	ND - 24,700	845	776	91.8	ND - 20,100	3,698	3,479	ND - 165,000
Hamadori	192	191	99.5	ND - 92,000	336	329	97.9	ND - 165,000	325	321	98.8	ND - 45,000	326	318	97.5	ND - 24,700	358	354	98.9	ND - 20,100	1,537	1,513	ND - 165,000
Nakadori	176	174	98.9	ND - 30,000	354	353	99.7	ND - 20,000	316	316	100.0	10 - 8,300	324	317	97.8	ND - 3,060	324	316	97.5	ND - 3,270	1,494	1,476	ND - 30,000
Aizu	73	56	76.7	ND - 25,000	157	126	80.3	ND - 2,590	154	113	73.4	ND - 1,410	120	89	74.2	ND - 720	163	106	65.0	ND - 810	667	490	ND - 25,000
Ibaraki	128	125	97.7	ND - 5,800	214	208	97.2	ND - 4,800	212	209	98.6	ND - 4,200	212	208	98.1	ND - 1,640	212	203	95.8	ND - 2,160	978	953	ND - 5,800
Tochigi	159	150	94.3	ND - 4,900	275	267	97.1	ND - 1,780	276	245	88.8	ND - 1,540	274	231	84.3	ND - 820	278	212	76.3	ND - 1,010	1,262	1,105	ND - 4,900
Gunma	88	74	84.1	ND - 410	211	184	87.2	ND - 1,560	214	179	83.6	ND - 1,560	210	177	84.3	ND - 2,160	214	161	75.2	ND - 1,510	937	775	ND - 2,160
Saitama	2	2	100.0	35 - 530	8	8	100.0	12 - 540	8	8	100.0	10 - 67	8	7	87.5	ND - 68	8	4	50.0	ND - 291	34	29	ND - 540
Chiba	83	83	100.0	50 - 9,700	199	199	100.0	17 - 20,200	200	199	99.5	ND - 7,900	200	200	100.0	11 - 5,200	200	199	99.5	ND - 4,100	882	880	ND - 20,200
Tokyo	2	2	100.0	580 - 700	12	12	100.0	131 - 670	8	8	100.0	75 - 460	8	8	100.0	96 - 430	8	8	100.0	86 - 404	38	38	75 - 700
Total	1,044	992	95.0	ND - 92,000	2,029	1,940	95.6	ND - 165,000	1,985	1,851	93.2	ND - 45,000	1,958	1,810	92.4	ND - 24,700	2,041	1,799	88.1	ND - 20,100	9,057	8,392	ND - 165,000

ND: Not detectable

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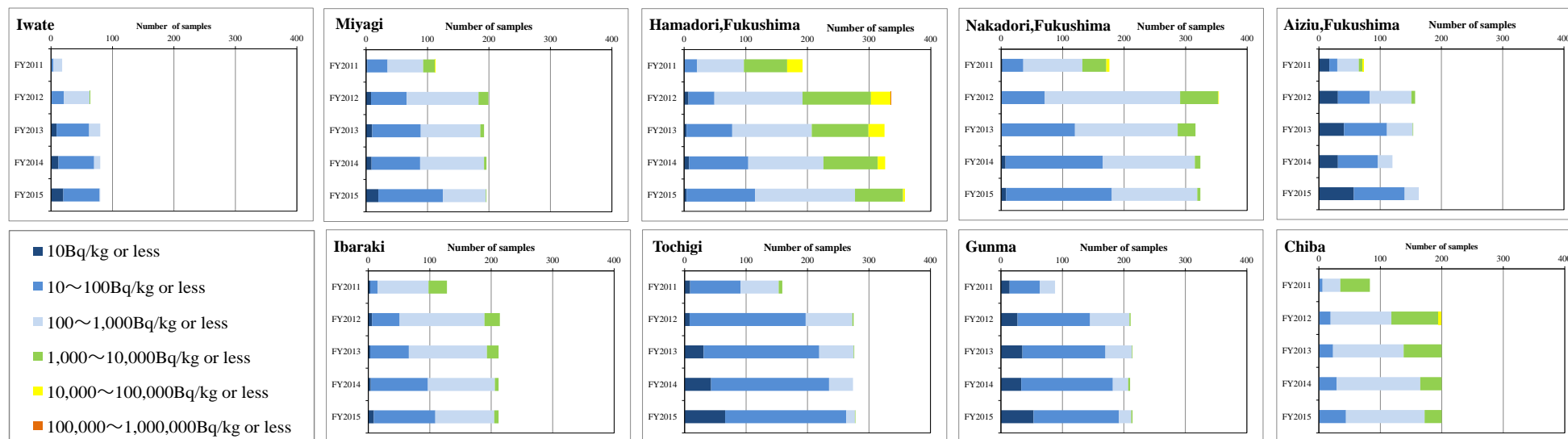


Figure 4.2-1 Detection of radioactive cesium in river sediment samples (changes) (Prefectures where only a small number of samples were collected are omitted.)



Table 4.2-2 Detection of radioactive cesium in lake sediment samples (by fiscal year)

Prefecture	FY2011				FY2012				FY2013				FY2014				FY2015				Total		
	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)
Yamagata	2	2	100.0	34 - 470	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	2	2	34 - 470
Miyagi	24	24	100.0	31 - 3,000	58	57	98.3	ND - 9,700	76	76	100.0	18 - 4,200	75	74	98.7	ND - 2,220	76	74	97.4	ND - 4,490	309	305	ND - 9,700
Fukushima	147	141	95.9	ND - 260,000	389	386	99.2	ND - 780,000	501	499	99.6	ND - 460,000	501	496	99.0	ND - 297,000	541	535	98.9	ND - 920,000	2,079	2,057	ND - 920,000
Hamadori	62	62	100.0	45 - 260,000	201	201	100.0	42 - 780,000	239	239	100.0	68 - 460,000	243	243	100.0	18 - 297,000	278	278	100.0	16 - 920,000	1,023	1,023	16 - 920,000
Nakadori	42	41	97.6	ND - 35,000	58	58	100.0	63 - 24,900	77	77	100.0	68 - 11,100	76	74	97.4	ND - 10,900	78	78	100.0	44 - 6,200	331	328	ND - 35,000
Aizu	43	38	88.4	ND - 2,020	130	127	97.7	ND - 10,200	185	183	98.9	ND - 13,400	182	179	98.4	ND - 7,800	185	179	96.8	ND - 12,300	725	706	ND - 13,400
Ibaraki	24	24	100.0	37 - 1,840	48	48	100.0	93 - 1,300	76	75	98.7	ND - 5,400	76	75	98.7	ND - 3,170	73	73	100.0	61 - 3,070	297	295	ND - 5,400
Tochigi	12	10	83.3	ND - 6,700	27	27	100.0	11 - 4,100	31	31	100.0	106 - 5,100	32	32	100.0	134 - 8,700	32	32	100.0	103 - 1,760	134	132	ND - 8,700
Gunma	26	22	84.6	ND - 4,600	72	72	100.0	16 - 4,100	95	95	100.0	21 - 4,300	94	94	100.0	38 - 5,100	96	96	100.0	47 - 4,570	383	379	ND - 5,100
Chiba	16	16	100.0	440 - 7,400	32	32	100.0	460 - 8,200	32	32	100.0	151 - 5,700	32	32	100.0	121 - 5,700	32	32	100.0	187 - 4,240	144	144	121 - 8,200
Total	251	239	95.2	ND - 260,000	626	622	99.4	ND - 780,000	811	808	99.6	ND - 460,000	810	803	99.1	ND - 297,000	850	842	99.1	ND - 920,000	3,348	3,314	ND - 920,000

ND: Not detectable

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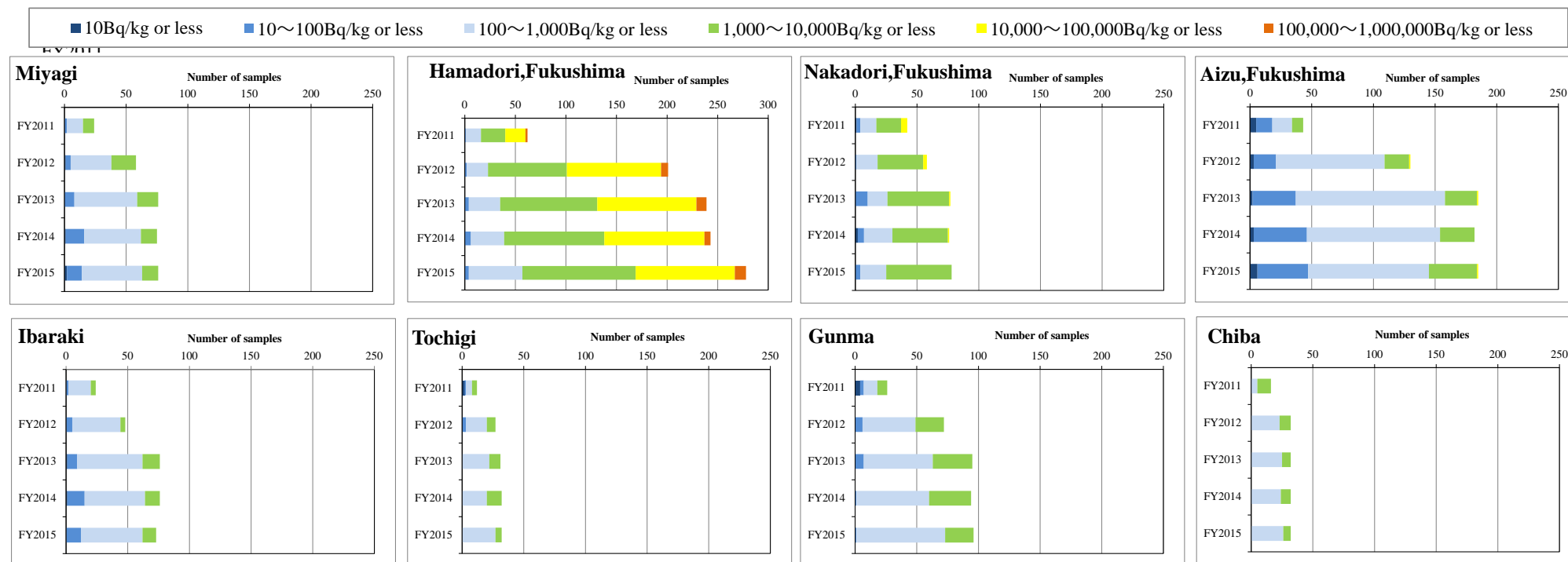


Figure 4.2-2 Detection of radioactive cesium in lake sediment samples (changes) (Yamagata Prefecture where only a small number of samples were collected was omitted.)

Table 4.2-3 Detection of radioactive cesium in coastal area sediment samples (by fiscal year)

Prefecture	FY2011				FY2012				FY2013				FY2014				FY2015				Total		
	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)	Number of samples	Number of detections	Range of measured values (Bq/kg)
Iwate	3	0	0.0	ND - 0	4	2	50.0	ND - 39	4	2	50.0	ND - 46	4	2	50.0	ND - 16	4	1	25.0	ND - 10	19	7	ND - 46
Miyagi	52	34	65.4	ND - 830	48	38	79.2	ND - 1,530	51	47	92.2	ND - 2,040	52	42	80.8	ND - 1,090	52	41	78.8	ND - 910	255	202	ND - 2,040
Fukushima	80	77	96.3	ND - 1,240	97	93	95.9	ND - 1,110	150	145	96.7	ND - 1,600	150	139	92.7	ND - 830	150	140	93.3	ND - 2,950	627	594	ND - 2,950
Ibaraki	28	27	96.4	ND - 230	31	17	54.8	ND - 69	20	11	55.0	ND - 67	20	11	55.0	ND - 67	20	8	40.0	ND - 178	119	74	ND - 230
Chiba	0	0	-	-	31	20	64.5	ND - 134	23	14	60.9	ND - 54	23	14	60.9	ND - 21	23	11	47.8	ND - 315	100	59	ND - 315
Tokyo	0	0	-	-	19	17	89.5	ND - 780	18	18	100.0	12 - 780	18	17	94.4	ND - 630	18	18	100.0	83 - 410	73	70	ND - 780
Total	163	138	84.7	ND - 1,240	230	187	81.3	ND - 1,530	266	237	89.1	ND - 2,040	267	225	84.3	ND - 1,090	267	219	82.0	ND - 2,950	1,193	1,006	ND - 2,950

ND: Not detectable

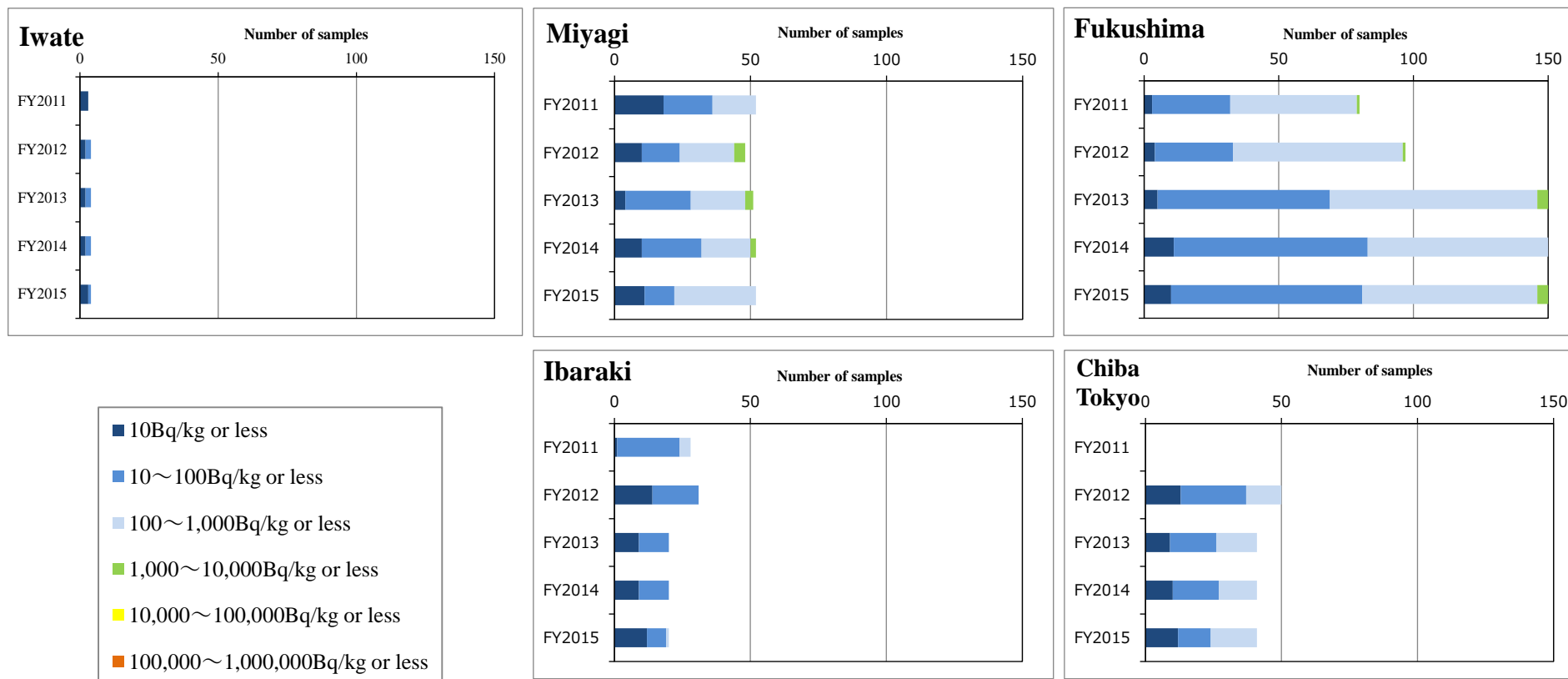


Figure 4.2-3 Detection of radioactive cesium in coastal area sediment samples (changes)

### 4.3 Detection of radioactive materials in sediments by location

#### (1) Evaluation policy

Circumstances where radioactive materials were detected were compiled more in detail by sampling location, while separately considering the property such as rivers, lakes and coastal areas.

Circumstances for each location were statistically analyzed from the following two perspectives by using all available data for each location. The evaluation excluded if no longer required after surveyed and Yamagata prefecture, where surveys have not been conducted since FY2012.

##### 1) Detected concentration levels

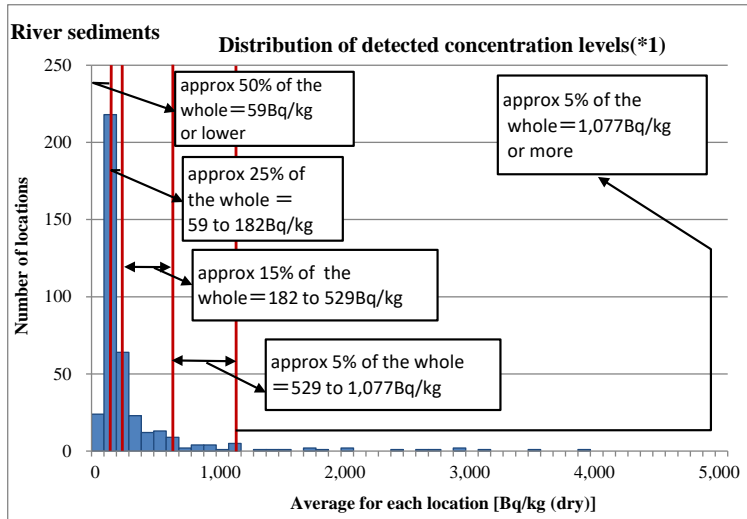
- i. Obtain the average for each location for FY2015 by using all survey results concerning concentrations of radioactive cesium (the total of Cs-134 and Cs-137) (arithmetic average calculated by assuming not detectable to be zero; hereinafter referred to as the "average for each location").
- ii. Arrange all such averages (separately for samples from rivers, lakes, and coastal areas) in descending order and set the following five categories depending on upper percentile ranges (see Figure 4.3-1).
  - Category A: Upper 5 percentile of the entirety
  - Category B: Upper 5 to 10 percentile of the entirety
  - Category C: Upper 10 to 25 percentile of the entirety
  - Category D: Upper 25 to 50 percentile of the entirety
  - Category E: Upper 50 to 100 percentile of the entirety (lower 50 percentile)

(Incidentally, a comparison between the average and the maximum value for each location for FY2015 revealed a good correlation (see right below of Figure 4.3-1). Therefore, considering that the evaluation of the average for each location covers that of large detected values (maximum values) that emerge occasionally, the evaluation was conducted by using only the average for each location.)

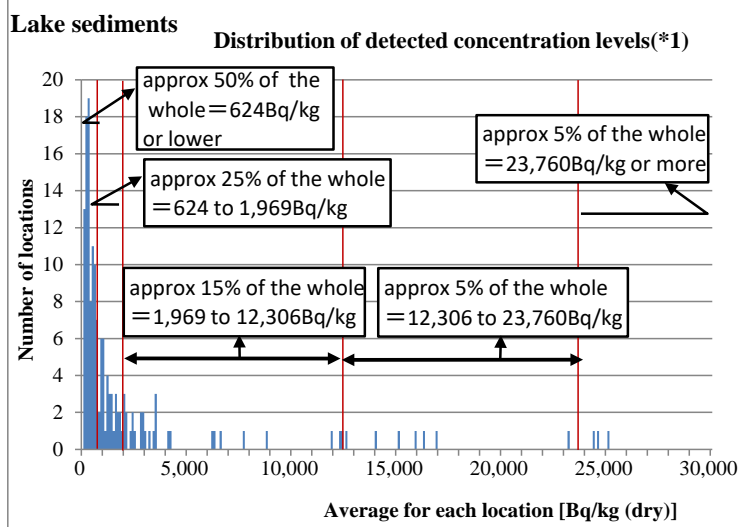
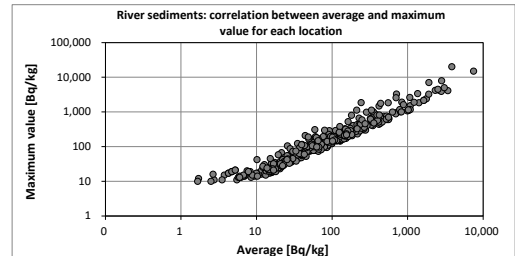
##### 2) Changes in detected values

- i. Changes in detected values were categorized based on the following thinking in order to evaluate their changes over the years.
  - (i) Based on visual judgment of graphs that show changes in detected values over the years for each location, those negatively sloped are judged as "decreasing" and those positively sloped are judged as "increasing."
  - (ii) When visual judgment is difficult, a regression analysis is conducted to check the trend. Specifically, when the lower and upper 95% of the slope are both negative, it is judged as "decreasing," and when the lower and upper 95% of the slope are both positive, it is judged as "increasing."
  - (iii) When neither a decreasing nor an increasing trend is clear (either the lower or upper 95% of the slope is negative and the other is positive), coefficient of variation of 0.5 was used as a reference. When a coefficient of variation is less than 0.5, it is judged as "unchanged," and when a coefficient of variation is 0.5 or higher, it is judged as "varying."
- ii. However, data may show fluctuations, depending on minor differences in sampling points or properties of

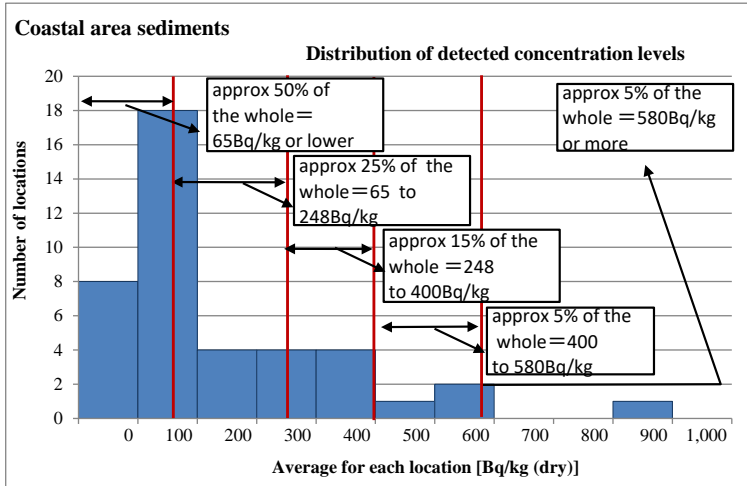
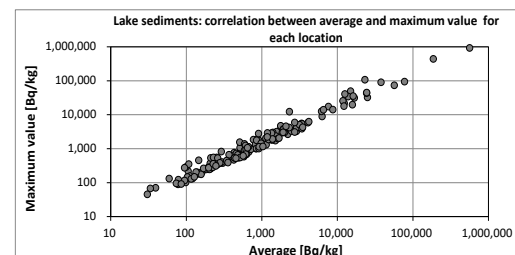
samples, and it is considered to be too early to make judgments on changes in detected values at this point in time. Even if a certain location is judged to show an increasing trend based on the abovementioned thinking, it is necessary to accumulate further data and conduct careful examination for making a judgment on whether the increasing trend will be continuously observed in the relevant location.



Category	Percentile	Range [River sediments] [Bq/kg (dry)]	Number of locations	Same as on the left. [%]
A	Upper 5 percentile	1,077 or more	19	4.8
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	529 - 1,077	20	5.1
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	182 - 529	60	15.2
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	59 - 182	100	25.3
E	Lower 50 percentile	59 or less	197	49.7
Total			396	100.0



Category	Percentile	Range [Lake sediments] [Bq/kg (dry)]	Number of locations	Same as on the left. [%]
A	Upper 5 percentile	23,760 or more	8	4.9
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	12,306 - 23,760	8	4.9
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	1,969 - 12,306	25	15.2
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	624 - 1,969	41	25.0
E	Lower 50 percentile	624 or less	82	50.0
Total			164	100.0



Category	Percentile	Range [River sediments] [Bq/kg (dry)]	Number of locations	Same as on the left. [%]
A	Upper 5 percentile	580 or more	2	4.8
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	400 - 580	2	4.8
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	248 - 400	6	14.3
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	65 - 248	11	26.2
E	Lower 50 percentile	65 or less	21	50.0
Total			42	100.0

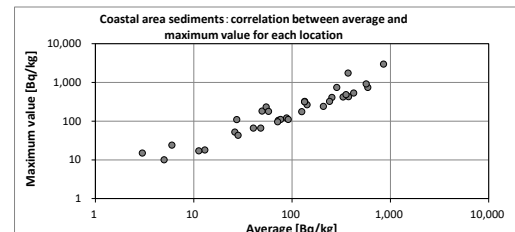


Figure 4.3-1 Categories based on the average for each location (left: picture showing means of categorization; upper right: results of categorization<sup>11</sup>; lower right correlation between average and maximum value for each location)

\*1: locations with values exceeding the maximum one of the horizontal axis are not shown.

<sup>11</sup>How to set categorization boundary value: The boundary value of the categorization to be in contact is the average value of the minimum value of the upper categorization and the maximum value of the lower categorization.

(2) Concentration levels in sediment samples from rivers, lakes, and coastal areas and their changes by prefecture

(2)-1 Rivers

1) Iwate Prefecture

In Iwate Prefecture, surveys were conducted 9 to 17 times from December 2011 to February 2016 for river sediment samples collected at 22 locations (this analysis excludes the survey results at one location where the survey was conducted only in 2011).

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, two locations were categorized into Category D and 20 locations were categorized into Category E (see Table 4.3-1 and Table 4.3-2).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at 19 locations and were varying at three locations.

Table 4.3-1 Categorization of detected values at respective locations (Iwate Prefecture: river sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	0	(None)
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	2	No.4, No.19
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	20	No.1, No.2, No.3, No.5, No.6, No.7, No.8, No.9, No.10, No.11, No.12, No.13, No.14, No.15, No.16, No.17, No.18, No.20, No.21, No.22

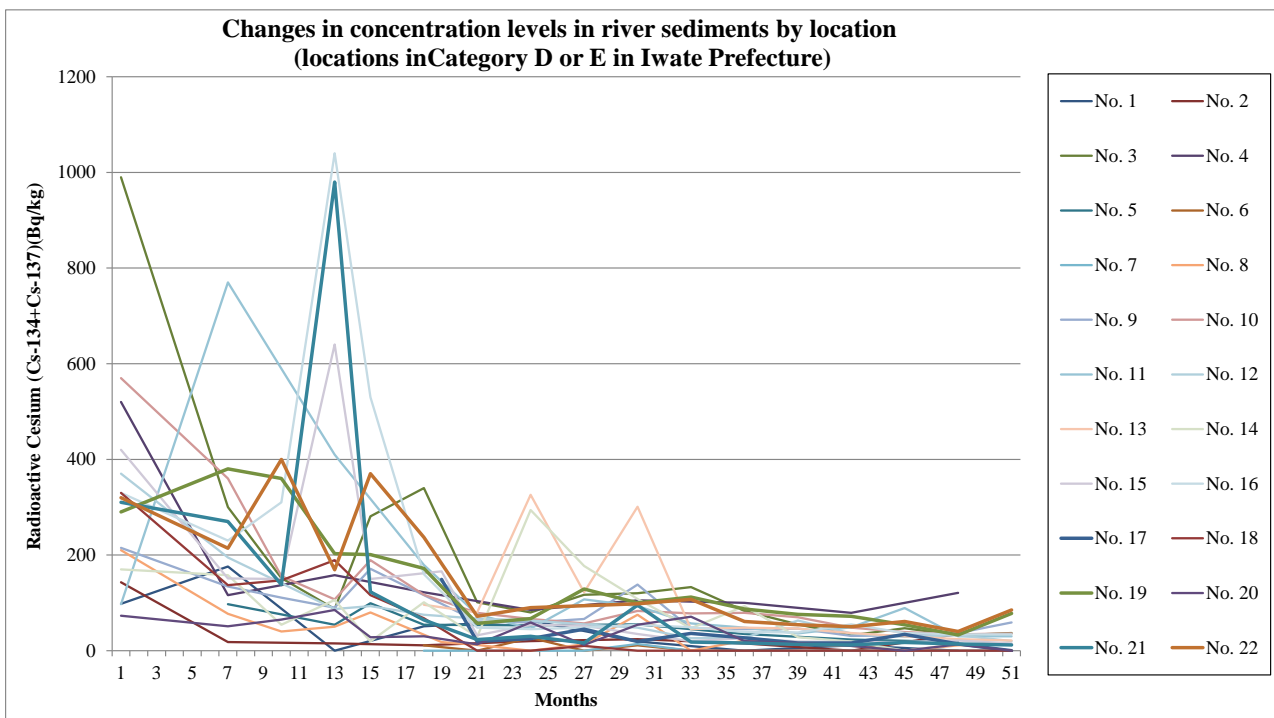


Figure 4.3-2 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations (Iwate Prefecture: river sediments)



## 2) Miyagi Prefecture

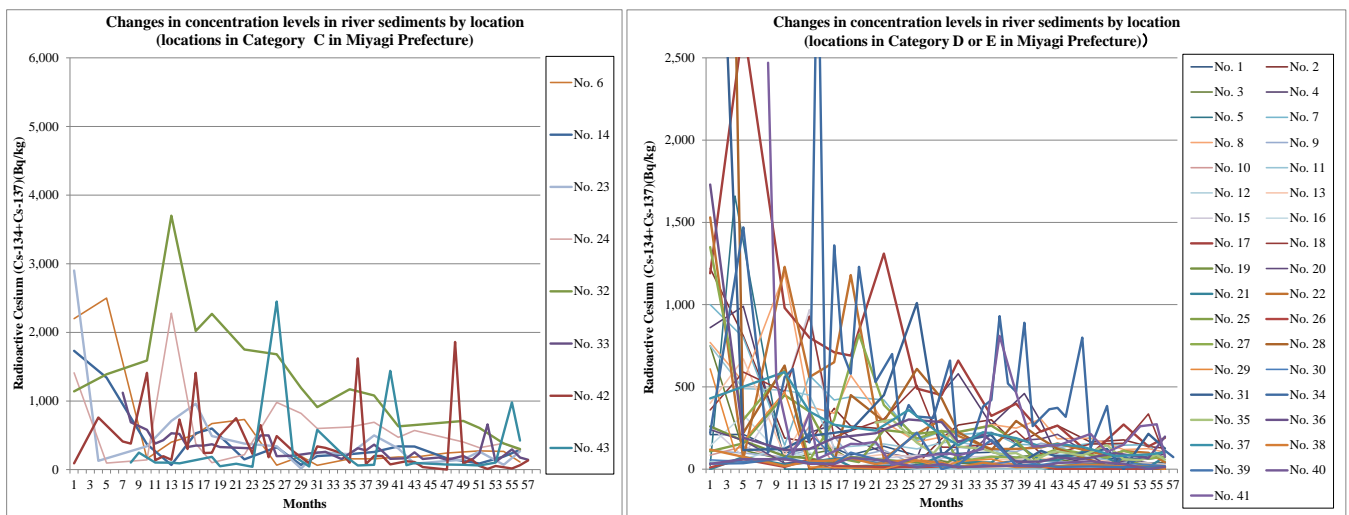
In Miyagi Prefecture, surveys were conducted 16 to 43 times from October 2011 to February 2016 for river sediment samples collected at 43 locations (this analysis excludes the survey results at 37 locations where the survey was conducted only in 2011).

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, eight locations were categorized into Category C, 14 locations into Category D, 21 locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-3 and Table 4.3-4).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at 35 locations and were varying at eight locations.

Table 4.3-3 Categorization of detected values at respective locations (Miyagi Prefecture: river sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	8	No.6, No.14, No.23, No.24, No.32, No.33, No.42, No.43
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	14	No.1, No.2, No.7, No.8, No.17, No.18, No.22, No.27, No.31, No.34, No.35, No.36, No.37, No.41
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	21	No.3, No.4, No.5, No.9, No.10, No.11, No.12, No.13, No.15, No.16, No.19, No.20, No.21, No.25, No.26, No.28, No.29, No.30, No.38, No.39, No.40



(\*). Scales of the vertical axes differ in the left and right figures.

Figure 4.3-3 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations (Miyagi Prefecture: river sediments)





Table 4.3-4 Detection of radioactive cesium at respective locations  
(Miyagi Prefecture: river sediments) (No.2)

No.	Location			River sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)*1																								Changes	Average of FY2015 (*2)	No.	Coefficient of variation	Trends(*3)		
	Water area	Location	Municipality	FY2014												FY2015																		
				4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3							
1	Shabetsu River	Kizumi Bridge	Kesennuma City	103			71			93		85				61			68			62		73		66	1	0.42						
2		Nanika Bridge		300		150			231		205				164			178			158		127		152	2	0.96							
3	Okawa River	Tateyama-obashi Bridge	Kesennuma City	33		54			60		61				27			30			22		46		31	3	1.77							
4		Kamiyama Bridge		269			460		288		76				34			62			38		35		42	4	1.02							
5		Okawa River Estuary		0		0			0		0				0			0			0		0		0		0	5	4.18					
6	Onose River	Okaki Bridge	Okaki City	158			188			185		182			242			273			266		111		223	6	1.39							
7		Arima River		225			152			145		131				156			146			149		45		124	7	0.83						
8	Kiryu River	Obata Bridge	Kiryu City	271			250			304		184			188			119			125		102		134	8	0.80							
9		Kakumai River		119			106			158		139				60			27			31		33		38	9	0.53						
10	Sanbaama River	Donan Bridge (Kariyama Dam)	Kiryu City	40			33			26		22			20			27			19		22		22	10	1.19							
11		Kajya Bridge		124			54			98		91				71			44			38		26		45	11	1.02						
12		Hasama Dam, inflow area		0			0			0		10				0			0			15		0		3.8	12	1.80						
13	Kakumai River Area	Wakayanagi	Tone City	62			55			61		72			59			36			36		26		39	13	1.32							
14		Yamaguchi Bridge		225			258			339		337				165			89			191		288		183	14	1.09						
15	Eai River Area	Todoroki Bridge (Todoroki)	Okaki City	80			67			49		46			37			21			26		0		21	15	1.65							
16		Shaborikubo, entrance		16			18			11		0				13			0			0		12		6.3	16	0.69						
17		Shaborikubo, entrance		324			398			229		265				88			271			138		191		172	17	0.94						
18		Dokigawa River		153			232			95		101				153			157			336		78		181	18	0.77						
19	Eai River	Okawa Bridge (Tanda)	Wakaya Town/Ishinomaki Town	20			19			13		18			33			17			16		13		20	19	1.12							
20		Kyo-Kakumai River		221			171			184		212							21			30		92		58	20	0.96						
21	Naruse River	Onobashi Bridge (Ono)	Higashi-Matsushima City	40			153			53		54			122			17			13		74		57	21	0.78							
22		Fagajoshi Weir		122			123			132		156							82			110		100		84	22	1.22						
23	Sanoshi River	Neubutsu Bridge	Tagajo City	225			500			307		87						145			264		71		187	23	1.40							
24		Teizan-anga Canal (Kyu-sanoshi River)		620			690			470		570				403			319			384		283		347	24	0.90						
25	Nanuka River System	Nanuka Bridge	Sendai City	264			173			201		18			26			63			13		14		29	25	0.86							
26		Fukuda-obashi Bridge		18			22			16		0			0			0			0		0		0	26	1.10							
27		Unoda River		76			71			84		124				69			113			64		76		81	27	1.24						
28	Nanuka River	Takago Bridge	Sendai City	114			293			185		124						21			30		0		13	28	3.14							
29		Yurige-obashi Bridge		61			26			23		18				17			14			11		0		11	29	1.93						
30	Natori River System	Yakushi Bridge	Natori City	28			52			27		43			26			35			29		21		28	30	0.98							
31		Koyama Bridge		208			31			112		74				123			0			315		325		116	31	2.48						
32	Abukama River	Behamon Bridge	Marumori Town	1,170			1,680			630		650			710			608			381		300		500	32	0.64							
33		Hadenawa Bridge		153	236	312	280	363	272	157		165	251	155		176	144	199	137	238	660	113		294	177	143		228	33	0.59				
34		Marumori Bridge		380	420	930	520	470	890	262		364	373	318		800	150	384	27	84	42	69			87	113	73		181	34	1.16			
35	Abukama River	Higashine Bridge	Kakuda City	122			91			98		46			83			146			60		55		82	35	0.59							
36		Shiroishi River		212			45			46		71				61			97			67		198		106	36	1.62						
37	Shiroishi River Area	Saikawa River	Shiroishi City	225			188			137		153			136			80			89		102		102	37	0.61							
38		Myo-obashi Bridge		39			13			15		14				28			19			15		11		16	38	0.80						
39		Niragami Bridge		178			26			26		14				16			12			15		17		15	39	1.18						
40	Shiroishi River	Shibata Bridge	Shibata Town	19			20			16		37			48			31			0		14		23	40	0.60							
41		Tsukiroshi-obashi Bridge		123			810			463		137		145	143				214			149		261		180	41	1.68						
42	Abukama River	Abukama-obashi Bridge (Iwamura)	Iwamura City/Watari Town	240	101	1,620	82	197	200	77		123	111	37				0	1,860	85	151	10	54		243	42	1.23							
43		Abukama River Estuary (Watarobashi Bridge)		237			60			70		1,440				65			98			75		71		286	43	1.73						
				*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0".																								A B C D E				104	Average	
				*2: Arithmetic Average, calculated by assuming ND=0. Color codes show categories (see the right).																														
				*3: Results of the analysis of trends at respective locations using the method explained on 4.3/11.2																														

### 3) Fukushima Prefecture

#### (i) Hamadori

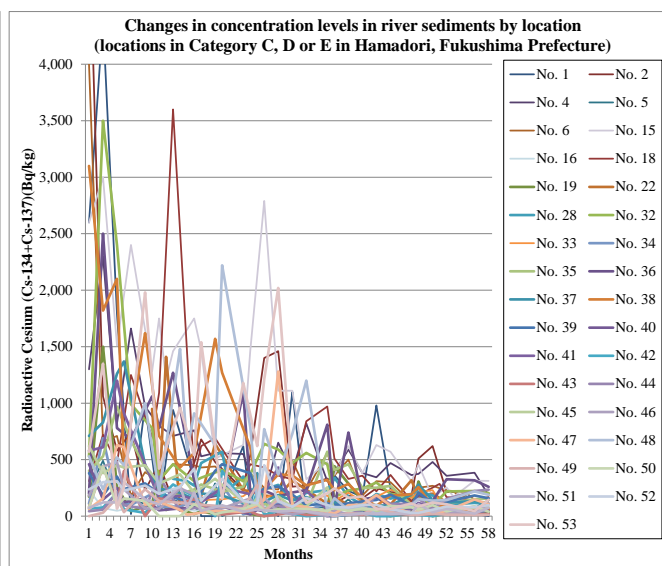
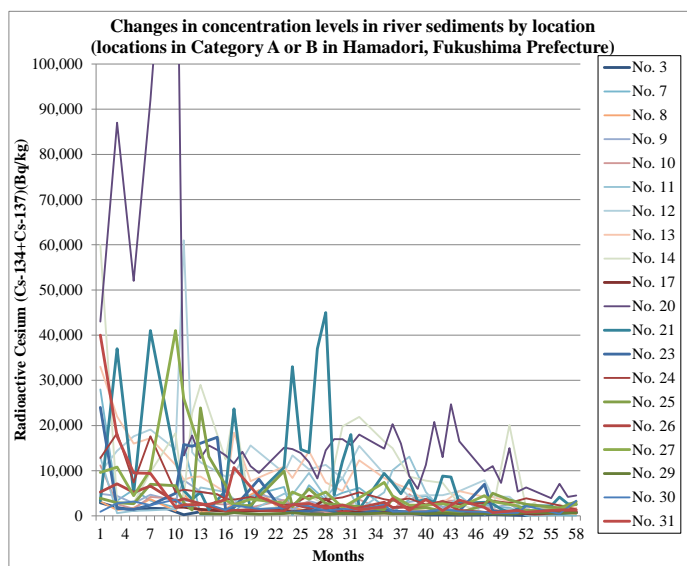
In Hamadori, Fukushima Prefecture, surveys were conducted 23 to 45 times from September 2011 to February 2016 for river sediment samples collected at 53 locations.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, 11 locations were categorized into Category A, nine locations into Category B, six locations into Category C, 19 locations into Category D, and eight locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-5 and Table 4.3-6).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at 47 locations, were unchanged at two locations, and varying at four locations.

Table 4.3-5 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Hamadori, Fukushima Prefecture: river sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	11	No.12, No.13, No.14, No.20, No.21, No.23, No.24, No.25, No.27, No.30, No.31
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	9	No.3, No.7, No.8, No.9, No.10, No.11, No.17, No.26, No.29
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	6	No.2, No.4, No.6, No.15, No.32, No.36
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	19	No.1, No.5, No.18, No.19, No.22, No.28, No.33, No.35, No.37, No.38, No.39, No.41, No.44, No.45, No.47, No.48, No.50, No.52, No.53
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	8	No.16, No.34, No.40, No.42, No.43, No.46, No.49, No.51



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Figure 4.3-4 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Hamadori, Fukushima Prefecture: river sediments)





(ii) Nakadori

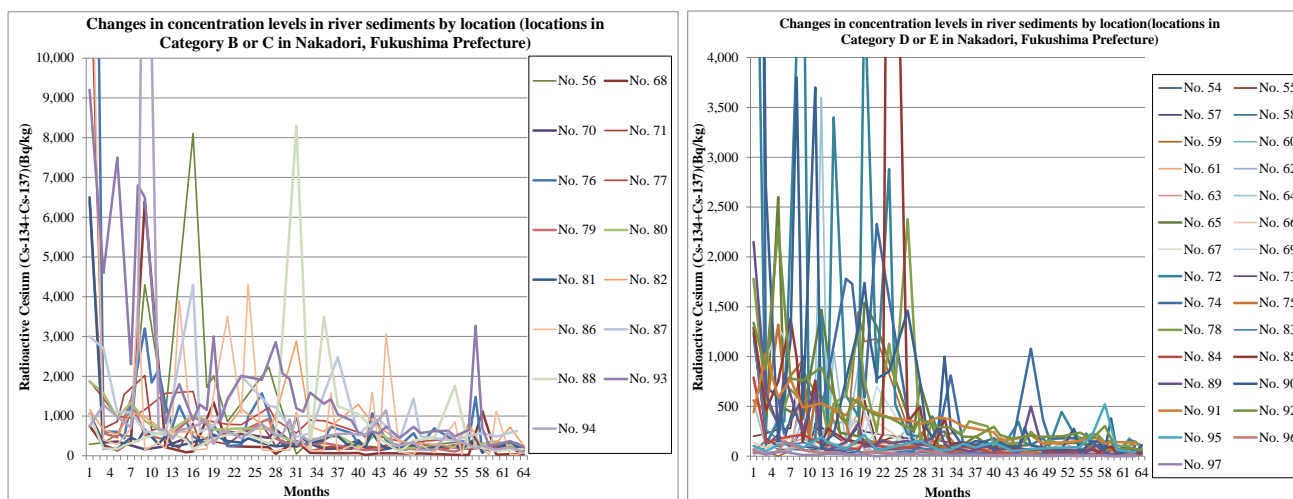
In Nakadori, Fukushima Prefecture, surveys were conducted 27 to 47 times from September 2011 to February 2016 for river sediment samples collected at 44 locations.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, one location was categorized into Category B, 14 locations into Category C, nine locations into Category D, and 20 locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-7 and Table 4.3-8).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at 41 locations and were vary at three locations.

Table 4.3-7 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Nakadori, Fukushima Prefecture: river sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	1	No.93
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	14	No.56, No.68, No.70, No.71, No.76, No.77, No.79, No.80, No.81, No.82, No.86, No.87, No.88, No.94
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	9	No.59, No.65, No.72, No.74, No.78, No.90, No.91, No.92, No.95
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	20	No.54, No.55, No.57, No.58, No.60, No.61, No.62, No.63, No.64, No.66, No.67, No.69, No.73, No.75, No.83, No.84, No.85, No.89, No.96, No.97



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Figure 4.3-5 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Nakadori, Fukushima Prefecture: river sediments)







(iii) Aizu

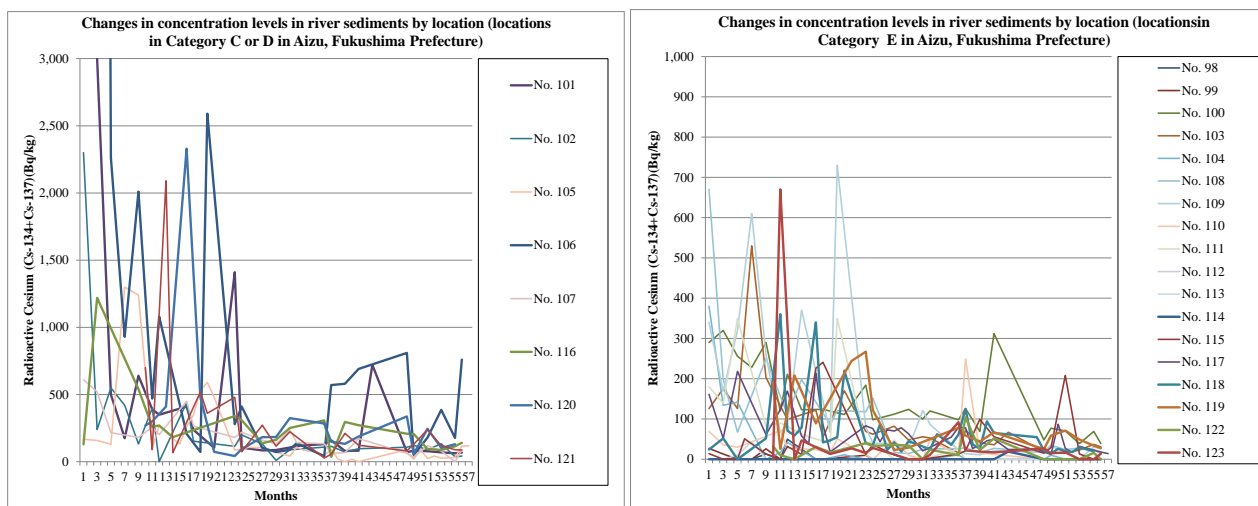
In Aizu, Fukushima Prefecture, surveys were conducted 19 to 41 times from September 2011 to February 2016 for river sediment samples collected at 26 locations.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, one location was categorized into Category C, seven locations into Category D, and 18 locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-9 and Table 4.3-10).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at 21 locations, were unchanged at one location and fluctuating at four locations.

Table 4.3-9 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Aizu, Fukushima Prefecture: river sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	1	No.106
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	7	No.101, No.102, No.105, No.107, No.116, No.120, No.121
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	18	No.98, No.99, No.100, No.103, No.104, No.108, No.109, No.110, No.111, No.112, No.113, No.114, No.115, No.117, No.118, No.119, No.122, No.123



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Figure 4.3-6 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Aizu, Fukushima Prefecture: river sediments)



#### 4) Ibaraki Prefecture

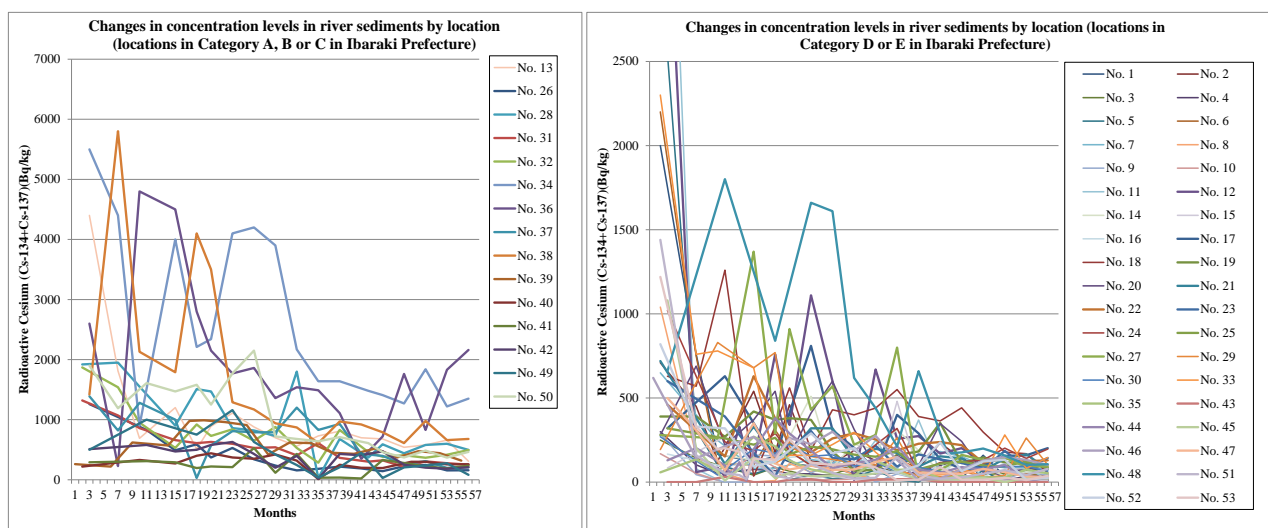
In Ibaraki Prefecture, surveys were conducted 15 to 21 times from August 2011 to February 2016 for river sediment samples collected at 53 locations (this analysis excludes the survey results at 39 locations where the survey was conducted only in 2011).

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, two locations were categorized into Category A, two locations into Category B, 11 locations into Category C, 21 locations into Category D, and 17 locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-11 and Table 4.3-12).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at 46 locations, were unchanged at two locations and fluctuating at five locations.

Table 4.3-11 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Ibaraki Prefecture: river sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	2	No.34, No.36
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	2	No.28, No.38
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	11	No.13, No.26, No.31, No.32, No.37, No.39, No.40, No.41, No.42, No.49, No.50
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	21	No.1, No.2, No.7, No.14, No.17, No.18, No.19, No.20, No.21, No.22, No.23, No.24, No.25, No.27, No.29, No.30, No.33, No.46, No.48, No.51, No.52
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	17	No.3, No.4, No.5, No.6, No.8, No.9, No.10, No.11, No.12, No.15, No.16, No.35, No.43, No.44, No.45, No.47, No.53



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Figure 4.3-7 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Ibaraki Prefecture: river sediments)





## 5) Tochigi Prefecture

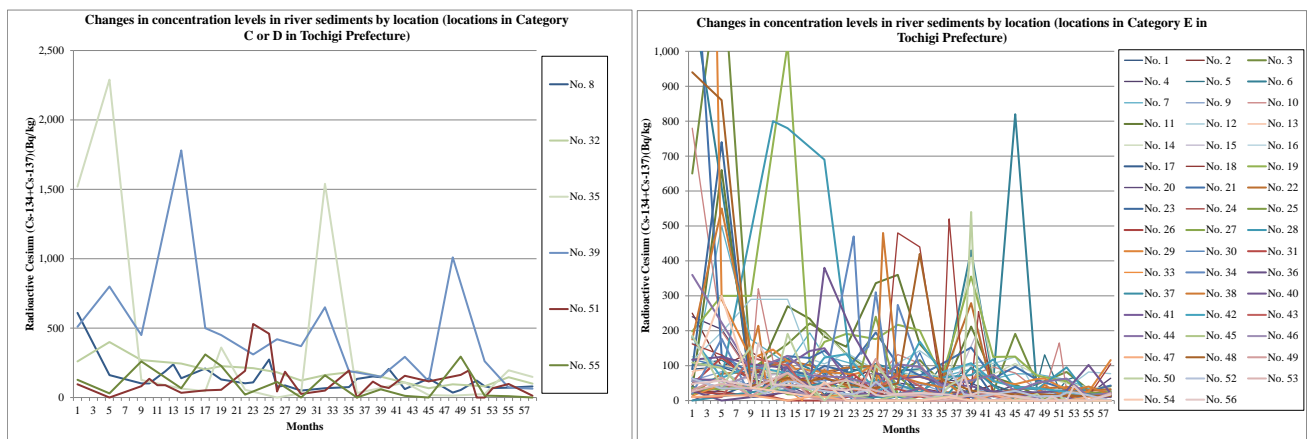
In Tochigi Prefecture, surveys were conducted 15 to 30 times from October 2011 to February 2016 at 56 locations (rivers) in public water areas (this analysis excludes the survey results at 49 locations where the survey was conducted only in 2011).

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, one location was categorized into Category C, five locations were categorized into Category D and 50 locations were categorized into Category E (see Table 4.3-13 and Table 4.3-14).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at 39 locations, were unchanged at one location and fluctuating at 16 locations.

Table 4.3-13 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Tochigi Prefecture: river sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	1	No.39
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	5	No.8, No.32, No.35, No.51, No.55
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	50	No.1, No.2, No.3, No.4, No.5, No.6, No.7, No.9, No.10, No.11, No.12, No.13, No.14, No.15, No.16, No.17, No.18, No.19, No.20, No.21, No.22, No.23, No.24, No.25, No.26, No.27, No.28, No.29, No.30, No.31, No.33, No.34, No.36, No.37, No.38, No.40, No.41, No.42, No.43, No.44, No.45, No.46, No.47, No.48, No.49, No.50, No.52, No.53, No.54, No.56



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Figure 4.3-8 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Tochigi Prefecture: river sediments)







## 6) Gunma Prefecture

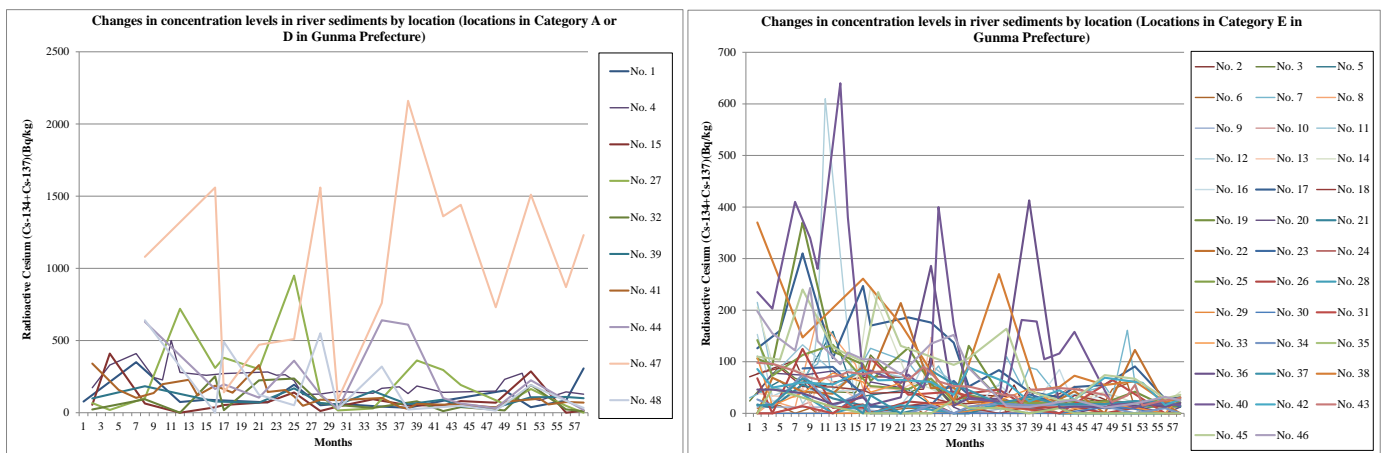
In Gunma Prefecture, surveys were conducted 10 to 30 times from November 2011 to January 2016 at 48 locations (rivers) in public water areas (this analysis excludes the survey results at eight locations where the survey was conducted only in 2011).

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, one location was categorized into Category A, nine locations into Category D, and 38 locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-15 and Table 4.3-16).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at 31 locations, were unchanged at one location and fluctuating at 16 locations.

Table 4.3-15 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Gunma Prefecture: river sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	1	No.47
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	0	(None)
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	9	No.1, No.4, No.15, No.27, No.32, No.39, No.41, No.44, No.48
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	38	No.2, No.3, No.5, No.6, No.7, No.8, No.9, No.10, No.11, No.12, No.13, No.14, No.16, No.17, No.18, No.19, No.20, No.21, No.22, No.23, No.24, No.25, No.26, No.28, No.29, No.30, No.31, No.33, No.34, No.35, No.36, No.37, No.38, No.40, No.42, No.43, No.45, No.46



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Figure 4.3-9 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Gunma Prefecture: river sediments)





## 7) Chiba and Saitama Prefectures and Tokyo Metropolis

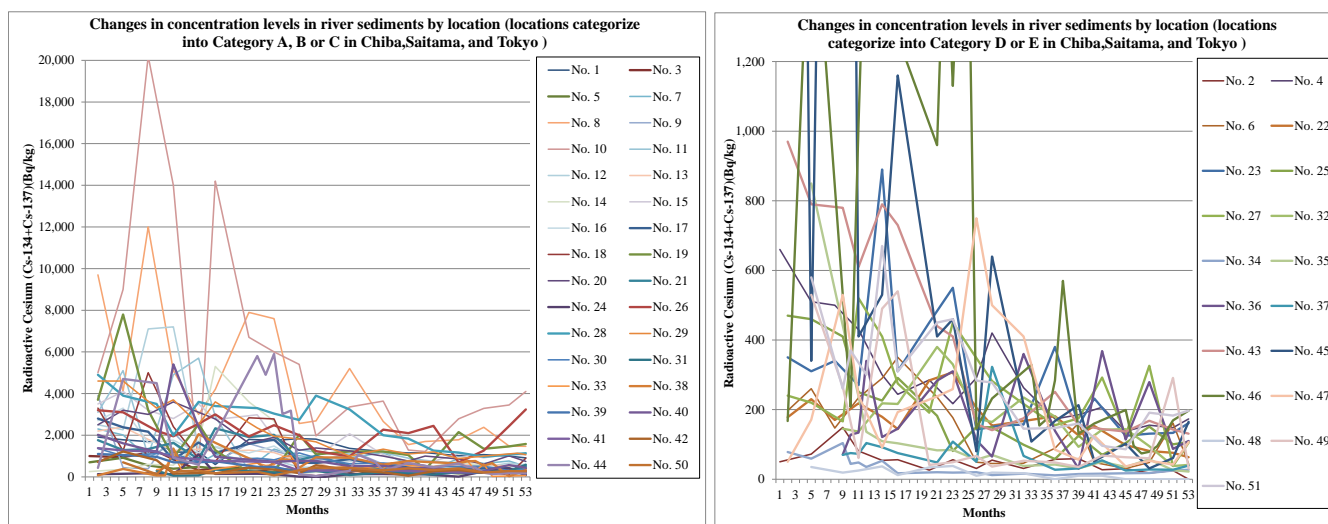
In Chiba and Saitama Prefectures and Tokyo Metropolis, surveys were conducted 16 to 29 times from October 2011 to January 2016 at 51 locations (rivers) in public water areas (47 locations in Chiba Prefecture, two locations in Saitama Prefecture, and two locations in Tokyo Metropolis).

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, five locations were categorized into Category A, eight locations into Category B, 19 locations into Category C, 14 locations into Category D, and five locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-17 and Table 4.3-18).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at 40 locations, were unchanged at three locations and fluctuating at eight locations.

Table 4.3-17 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Chiba and Saitama Prefectures and Tokyo Metropolis: river sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	5	No.8, No.10, No.19, No.26, No.28
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	8	No.1, No.7, No.11, No.12, No.13, No.15, No.20, No.29
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	19	No.3, No.5, No.9, No.14, No.16, No.17, No.18, No.21, No.24, No.30, No.31, No.33, No.38, No.39, No.40, No.41, No.42, No.44, No.50
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	14	No.4, No.6, No.22, No.23, No.25, No.27, No.32, No.36, No.43, No.45, No.46, No.47, No.49, No.51
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	5	No.2, No.34, No.35, No.37, No.48



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Figure 4.3-10 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Chiba and Saitama Prefectures and Tokyo Metropolis: river sediments)





(2)-2 Lakes

1) Miyagi Prefecture

In Miyagi Prefecture, surveys were conducted 9 to 17 times from October 2011 to December 2015 for lake sediment samples collected at 21 locations.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, one location was categorized into Category C, three locations were categorized into Category D and 17 locations were categorized into Category E (see Table 4.3-19 and Table 4.3-20).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at 13 locations, were unchanged at two locations, were fluctuating at five locations, and generally increasing at one location.

Table 4.3-19 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Miyagi Prefecture: lake sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	1	No.16
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	3	No.9, No.13, No.17
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	17	No.1, No.2, No.3, No.4, No.5, No.6, No.7, No.8, No.10, No.11, No.12, No.14, No.15, No.18, No.19, No.20, No.21

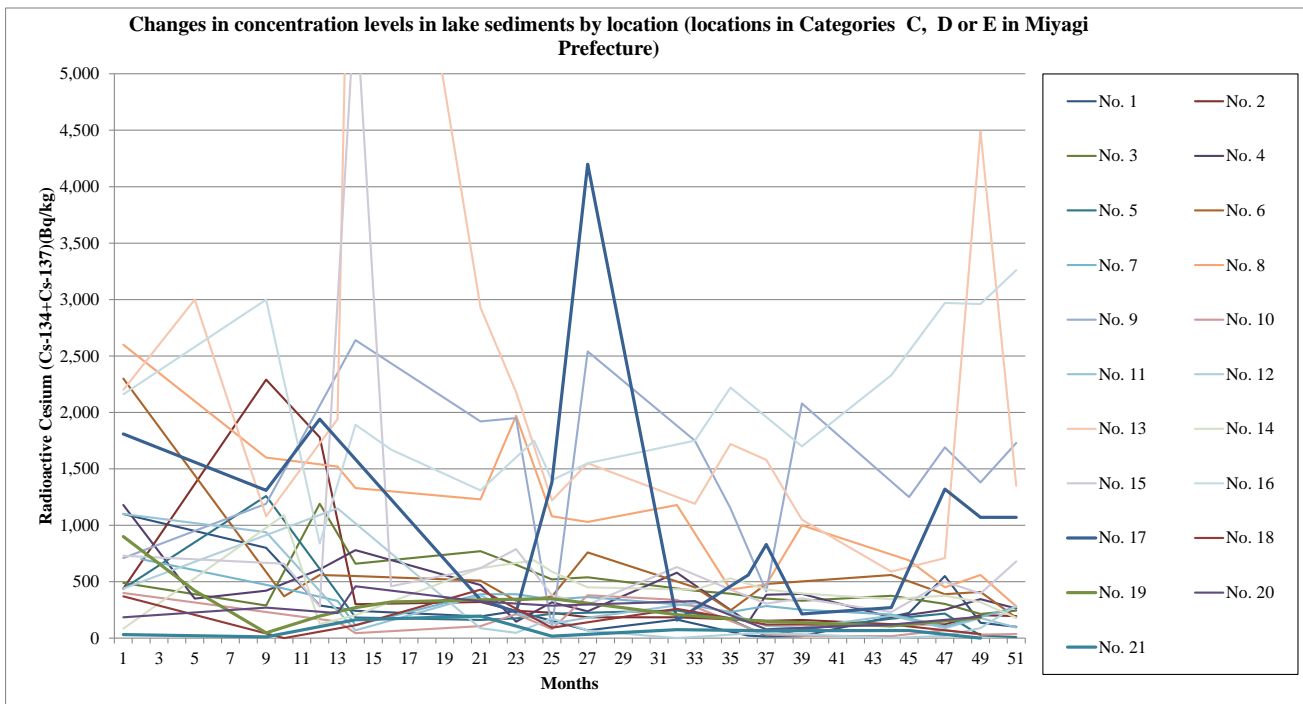


Figure 4.3-11 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Miyagi Prefecture: lake sediments)





## 2) Fukushima Prefecture

### (i) Hamadori

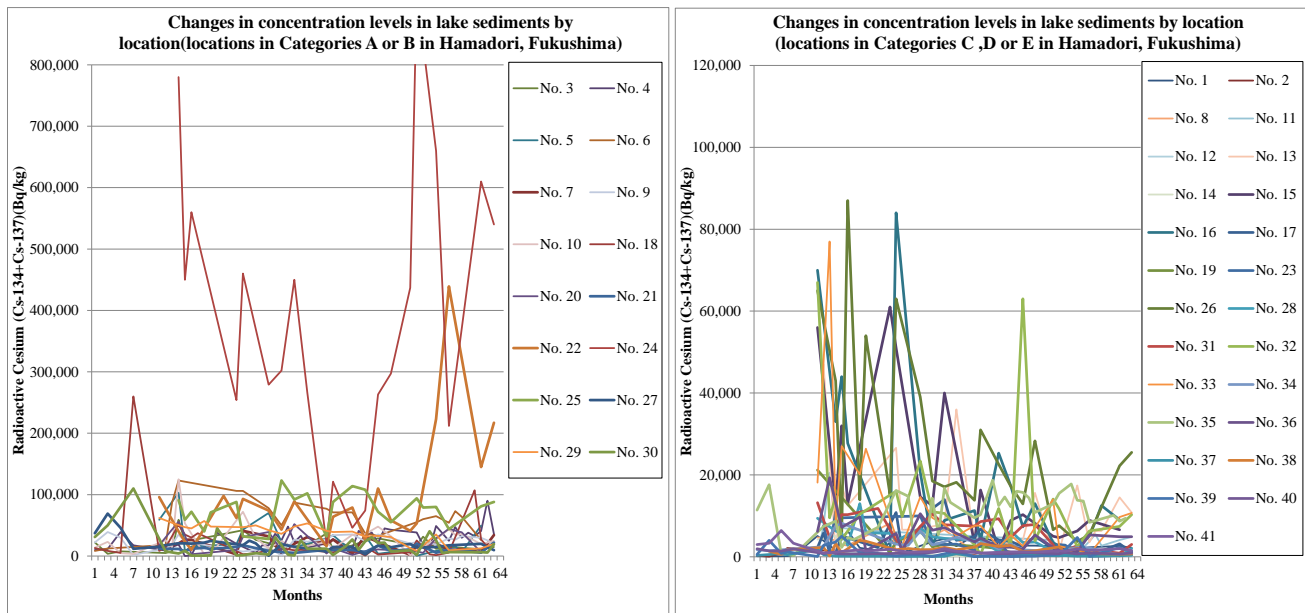
In Hamadori, Fukushima Prefecture, surveys were conducted 13 to 44 times from September 2011 to February 2016 for lake sediment samples collected at 41 locations.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, eight locations were categorized into Category A, eight locations into Category B, 11 locations into Category C, 10 locations into Category D, and four locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-21 and Table 4.3-22).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at 22 locations, were unchanged at two locations, fluctuating at 13 locations, and generally increasing at four locations.

Table 4.3-21 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Hamadori, Fukushima Prefecture: lake sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	8	No.4, No.6, No.9, No.10, No.20, No.22, No.24, No.25
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	8	No.3, No.5, No.7, No.18, No.21, No.27, No.29, No.30
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	11	No.1, No.11, No.13, No.15, No.16, No.26, No.31, No.32, No.33, No.35, No.36
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	10	No.8, No.14, No.17, No.23, No.28, No.34, No.38, No.39, No.40, No.41
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	4	No.2, No.12, No.19, No.37



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Figure 4.3-12 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Hamadori, Fukushima Prefecture: lake sediments)





(ii) Nakadori

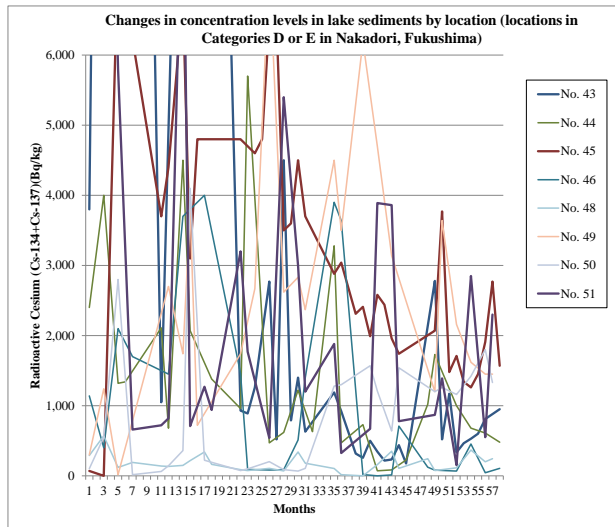
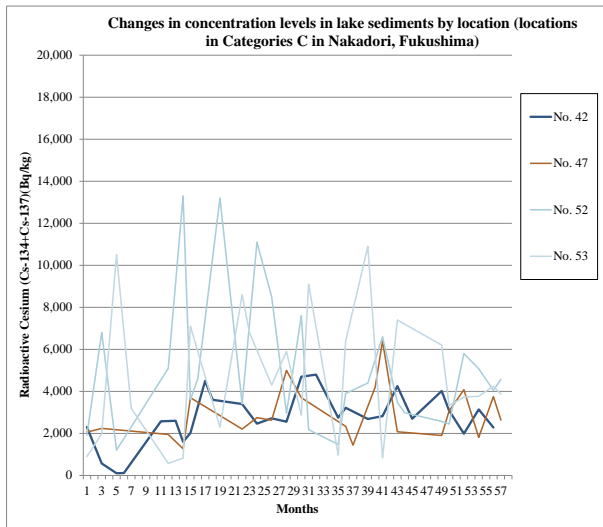
In Nakadori, Fukushima Prefecture, surveys were conducted 21 to 36 times from September 2011 to February 2016 for lake sediment samples collected at 12 locations.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, four locations were categorized into Category C, six locations into Category D, and two locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-23 and Table 4.3-24).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at five locations, were unchanged at one location, fluctuating at five locations, and generally increasing at one location.

Table 4.3-23 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Nakadori, Fukushima Prefecture: lake sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	4	No.42, No.47, No.52, No.53
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	6	No.43, No.44, No.45, No.49, No.50, No.51
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	2	No.46, No.48



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Figure 4.3-13 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Nakadori, Fukushima Prefecture: lake sediments)

**Table 4.3-24 Detection of radioactive cesium at respective locations  
(Nakadori, Fukushima Prefecture: lake sediments)**

Location			Lake Sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*1)																															
No.	Water area	Location	FY2011								FY2012								FY2013															
			8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3
42	Surikamigawa Dam Reservoir	Fukushima City		2,300		570			104	116					2,580	2,600	1,600	2,020	4,500	3,600					3,400	2,470	2,720	2,560	4,700	4,800				
43	Lake Handanuma (farm pond)	Kori Town	3,800	21,900	35,000							1,050	8,800	7,400	6,900	24,900							930	890	1,260	2,770	520	4,500	790	1,400	630			
44	Oike Pond (farm pond)	Motomiya City	2,400	4,000	1,320	1,340						2,110	680	4,500	2,070	1,840		1,380				960	5,700		470		620	1,220	630					
45	Miharu Dam	Miharu Town	69	0	7,500							3,700	4,400	6,800	3,100	4,800						4,800	4,600	4,800	6,500	6,500	3,500	3,600	4,500	3,700				
46	Houokusa (farm pond)	Koriyama City	1,140	400	2,100	1,700						1,450	3,700			4,000					1,460	92		83		88	510	1,400						
47	Lake Hatori	Tenei Village	2,060	2,240								1,950	1,270	3,700								2,210		2,750	2,630	5,000	3,700							
48	Hirodaira (farm pond)	Sukagawa City	290	570	119	191					139	133	148	217	340	163					88	75		106	69		340	179						
49	Sengosawa Dam Reservoir	Ishikawa Town	300	1,240	17							2,700	1,740	3,800	720							1,740	2,670	7,300	2,620	2,830	2,370							
50	Watarike Pond (farm pond)	Yabuki Town	102	550	2,800	17					63	144	360	4,100	222						75	99		202	88	68	107							
51	Izumikawa (farm pond)	Shirakawa City	11,300	14,300	5,800	660					720	820	8,900	710	1,270	940					3,200	1,770		540	5,400	3,000	1,200							
52	Hokkawa Dam	Nishigo Village	1,920	6,800	1,210							5,100	13,300	3,600	4,600		13,200				3,400		11,100	8,500	2,970	7,600	2,180							
53	Lake Nanko	Shirakawa City	900	1,980	10,500	3,200						580	820	7,100			2,300				8,600	6,800		4,300	5,900	2,870	9,100							
			total number of samples	78	Detection times	78																												

\*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0."

Location			Lake Sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*1)																						Average of FY2015 (*2)	No.	coefficient of variation	Trends (*3)	
No.	Water area	Location	FY2014										FY2015										Changes						
			4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11		12	1	2	3		
42	Surikamigawa Dam Reservoir	Fukushima City	2,750	3,320		2,690		2,820	4,250	2,700				4,020	3,090	1,990	3,140	2,280				2,904	42	0.45	↗				
43	Lake Handanuma (farm pond)	Kori Town	1,190	920	317	257	500	346	216	233	437	176			2,780	520	1,170	335	464	529	600	810	950			906	43	2.03	↘
44	Oike Pond (farm pond)	Motomiya City	3,280	470		730		71	85	226			1,020	1,730	1,000	680	610	479				920	44	0.93	↘				
45	Miharu Dam	Miharu Town	2,880	3,040	2,310	2,410	1,990	2,580	2,440	1,960	1,740			2,070	3,770	1,480	1,710	1,340	1,260	1,450	1,910	2,770	1,570			1,933	45	0.58	↘
46	Houokusa (farm pond)	Koriyama City	3,900	3,640		18	0	13	710				123	81	68	454	44	107				146	46	1.25	↘				
47	Lake Hatori	Tenei Village		2,340	1,440		4,200	6,400	2,080				1,900	3,070	4,080	1,810	3,750	2,640				2,875	47	0.44	↔				
48	Hirodaira (farm pond)	Sukagawa City	104	16	0	159	351	107				244	75	113	368	201	245					208	48	0.68	↔				
49	Sengosawa Dam Reservoir	Ishikawa Town	4,500	3,500	6,200	4,700	3,140						1,200	3,640	2,160	1,620	1,450	1,450				1,920	49	0.66	↔				
50	Watarike Pond (farm pond)	Yabuki Town	1,280	1,300		1,570	1,210	640	1,540				1,200	1,260	1,160	1,420	1,800	1,330				1,362	50	1.05	↔				
51	Izumikawa (farm pond)	Shirakawa City	1,880	326		670	3,890	3,860	780				870	1,390	153	2,850	552	2,300				1,353	51	1.21	↘				
52	Hokkawa Dam	Nishigo Village	1,480	3,900	4,400	6,600	3,480	2,990					2,570	2,450	5,800	5,080	4,050	4,580				4,088	52	0.65	↔				
53	Lake Nanko	Shirakawa City	970	6,400	10,900	840	7,400						6,200	3,320	3,730	3,770	4,250	3,870				4,190	53	0.66	↔				
																									A B C D E	1,900	Average		

\*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0."

\*2: Arithmetic Average; calculated by assuming ND=0; Color codes show categories (see the right).

\*3: Results of the analysis of trends at respective locations using the method explained on 4.3(1) 2) Decreasing Increasing Unchanged Varying

(iii) Aizu

In Aizu, Fukushima Prefecture, surveys were conducted 14 to 40 times from September 2011 to February 2016 for lake sediment samples collected at 31 locations.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, six locations were categorized into Category C, three locations were categorized into Category D and 22 locations were categorized into Category E (see Table 4.3-25 and Table 4.3-26).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at seven locations, unchanged at seven locations, fluctuating at 10 locations, and generally increasing at seven locations.

Table 4.3-25 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Aizu, Fukushima Prefecture: lake sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	6	No.55, No.56, No.58, No.59, No.60, No.78
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	3	No.54, No.57, No.74
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	22	No.61, No.62, No.63, No.64, No.65, No.66, No.67, No.68, No.69, No.70, No.71, No.72, No.73, No.75, No.76, No.77, No.79, No.80, No.81, No.82, No.83, No.84

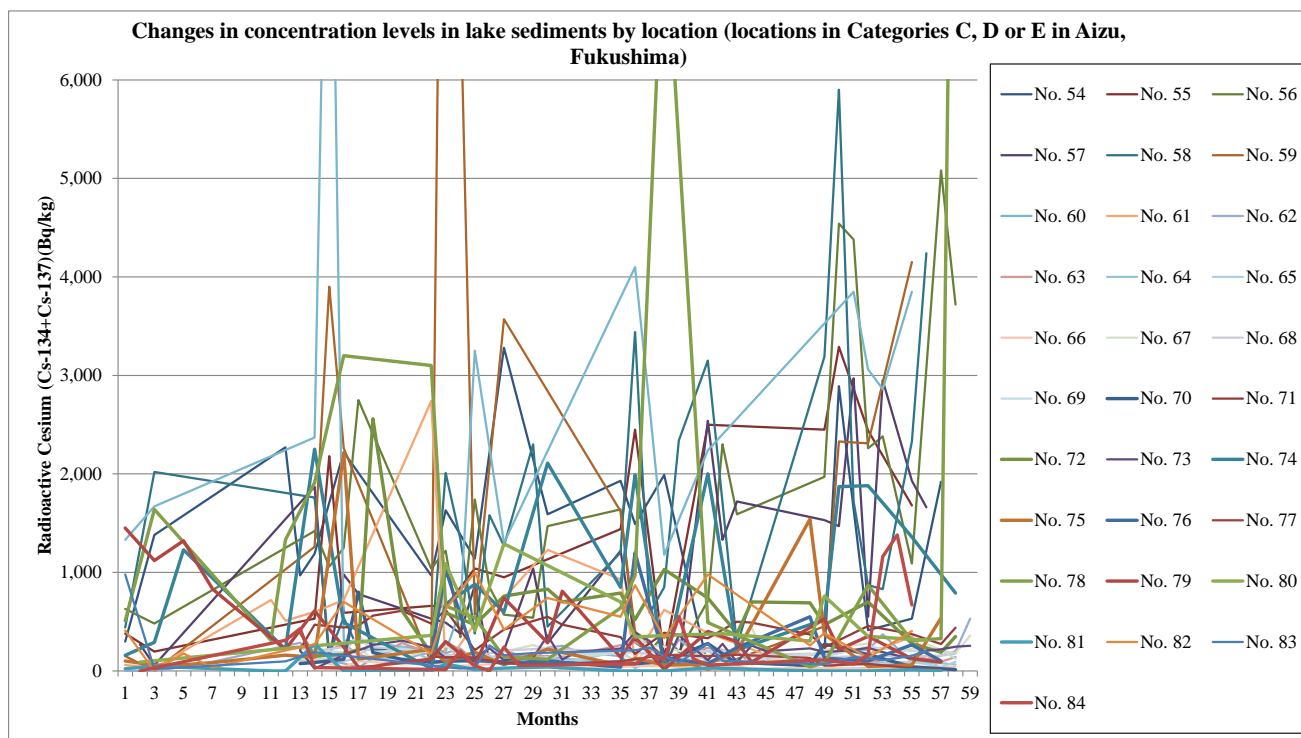


Figure 4.3-14 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Aizu, Fukushima Prefecture: lake sediments)

Table 4.3-26 Detection of radioactive cesium at respective locations  
(Aizu, Fukushima Prefecture: lake sediments) (No.1)

Location			Lake Sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*1)																																		
No.	Water area	Location	FY2011						FY2012						FY2013																						
			8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3			
54	Nicchi Dam	Krakata City		298		1,380																															
55	Lake Sohara			380		196																															
56	Lake Hibara	Ktashiobara Village		630		480																															
57	Lake Onogawa				270	57																															
58	Lake Akimoto	Inawashiro Town		440		2,020																															
59	Lake Bshamonnuma	Ktashiobara Village		150		0																															
60	Lake Oguminuma			1,330		1,670																															
61	Aizu(farm pond)	Lake Onuma		61		28																															
62	Lake Inawashiro	Center		0		0				44											93																
63		Fukahashi River Estuary																																			
64		Oguro River Estuary																																			
65		Tenjinbama Beach	Inawashiro Town																																		
66		Hshinuma River Estuary																																			
67		Intake of Asakasosui																																			
68		Hamajhama Beach																																			
69		Funatsu Port																																			
70		Offshore of Funatsu River Estuary	Koriyama City																																		
71		Seishogahama Beach																																			
72		Haragawa River Estuary	Aizuwakamatsu City																																		
73		Koishigahama Floodgate	Inawashiro Town																																		
74		Hgashiyama Dam Reservoir	Aizuwakamatsu City		157		290																														
75		Lake Numazawa	Center		100		59																														
76	Midpoint between the center of the lake and off the estuary		Kaneyama Town																																		
77	Offshore of Maenosawa River Estuary																																				
78	Aizu (farm pond)	Aizumisato Town		510		1,640																															
79	Okawa Dam Reservoir	Aizuwakamatsu City		1,450		1,120				1,320				830																							
80	Tagokura Reservoir				90																																
81	Minamiizu (farm pond)	Fukui		22		47									0	0																					
82	Tajima Dam Reservoir (Lake Funehama)	Minamiizu Town		410		0				177				34																							
83	Okutadami Reservoir	Tadami Town		980		18									97																						
84	Lake Otsumma	Hinoemata Village				0																															
			total number of samples	725		Detection times	706																														

\*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0."

Table 4.3-26 Detection of radioactive cesium at respective locations  
(Aizu, Fukushima Prefecture: lake sediments) (No.2)

No.	Location		Lake Sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137) Concentration (Bq/kg)(*)																								Changes	Average of FY2015 (**)	No.	Coefficient of variation	Trends (**)
	Water area	Location	FY2014												FY2015																
			4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3					
54	Nevins Dam	Kiakata City	1,930	1,490		1,990			43								180	2,890		413			530			1,920					
55	Lake Sobara		1,440	2,450		130		2,500								2,450	3,290		2,440			1,680									
56	Lake Hibara	Kiashobara Village	1,640	287	196	373	192	710	2,300	1,900						1,970	4,540	4,380	2,260	2,380	1,090	3,070	5,080	3,720							
57	Lake Onogawa		1,220	309	168	97	62	2,540	1,330	1,720						1,530	1,470	2,970	550	2,950	1,930	1,660									
58	Lake Akimoto	Inawashiro Town	1,200	3,440	590	850	2,340	3,150	1,710	257						3,190	5,900	1,720	870	830	2,330	4,240									
59	Lake Bishamonuma	Kiashobara Village	1,620	400		140		11								452	2,130		2,310			4,150									
60	Lake Ogumuma		4,100		2,670	1,180		2,240										3,850	3,060	2,860	3,850										
61	Aizu (farm pond)	Lake Onuma	930	129		620		385							0	17		172			351	0									
62		Center	149	29	114	63	319	97	119	194	67	193			81	159	214	212	372	87	102	156	198	530							
63		Takahashi River Estuary	261	291		142		233	195	98					97	99		86		155	93	141									
64		Oguro River Estuary	90	99		95		96	110	88					75	85		75		89	78	65									
65		Tenjishama Beach	198	99		106		201	47	148					83	71		62		95	39	92									
66		Hishama River Estuary	99	47		49		25	47	23					28	27		28		25	30	45									
67		Intake of Asakasouji	182	91	255	247	201	160	170	248	440	103			162	211	262	278	156	225	272	211	178	359							
68	Lake Inawashiro	Hamagihama Beach	189	189		151		206	213	161					175	138		152		149	156	176									
69		Funatsu Port	192	382		101		141	224	109					174	146		244		202	221	123									
70		Offshore of Funatsu River Estuary	67	74		91		278	73	79					54	273		166		42	22	13									
71		Seishogahama Beach	344	174		387		331	500	490					370	241		455		374	272	438									
72		Haragawa River Estuary	790	520		1,030		740	379	700					690	469		700		279	188	348									
73		Koishigahama Floodgate	226	389	303	30	363	109	274	89	257	200			229	193	211	235	190	121	205	219	246	256							
74	Higashiyama Dam Reservoir	Aizuwakamatsu City	850	1,990		18		2,000	214						520	1,870		1,880		1,360			790								
75		Center	57	127		58		70	197						1,540	372		45		60	537										
76	Lake Numazawa	Midpoint between the center of the lake and off the estuary	37	1,200		129		74	237						550	130		101		265	100										
77		Offshore of Maenosawa River Estuary	98	118		163		148	163						131	53		72		26	15										
78	Aizu (farm pond)	Aizumiato Town	640	970		7,800		490							41	79		870		308	327	12,300									
79	Okawa Dam Reservoir	Aizuwakamatsu City	139	344		14		400	298	90					526	218		350		124	89										
80	Tagakura Reservoir		700	543		360		378							303	760		351			310										
81	Minamiizu (farm pond)	Fukai	0	0		0		30							0	0		0		10	0										
82	Tajima Dam Reservoir (Lake Fudohama)	Minamiizu Town	550	870		333		980							260	384		134		404											
83	Okutadami Reservoir	Tadami Town		209	236	148	86	277	103						71	140	131	109	154	203											
84	Lake Onuma	Hisoemata Village		70	160	117	550	122	59						112	70	160	1,160	1,380	670											
*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0".																						A	B	C	D	E	824	Average			
*2: Arithmetic Average, calculated by assuming ND=0. Color codes show categories (see the right).																															
*3: Results of the analysis of trends at respective locations using the method explained on 4.3(1) 2.																						↘	↗	↔	↻	↻					



### 3) Ibaraki Prefecture

In Ibaraki Prefecture, surveys were conducted 9 to 18 times from September 2011 to February 2016 for lake sediment samples collected at 19 locations.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, one location was categorized into Category C, four locations into Category D, and 14 locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-27 and Table 4.3-28).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at eight locations, were unchanged at eight locations, fluctuating at two locations, and generally increasing at one location.

Table 4.3-27 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Ibaraki Prefecture: lake sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	1	No.13
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	4	No.12, No.14, No.15, No.16
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	14	No.1, No.2, No.3, No.4, No.5, No.6, No.7, No.8, No.9, No.10, No.11, No.17, No.18, No.19

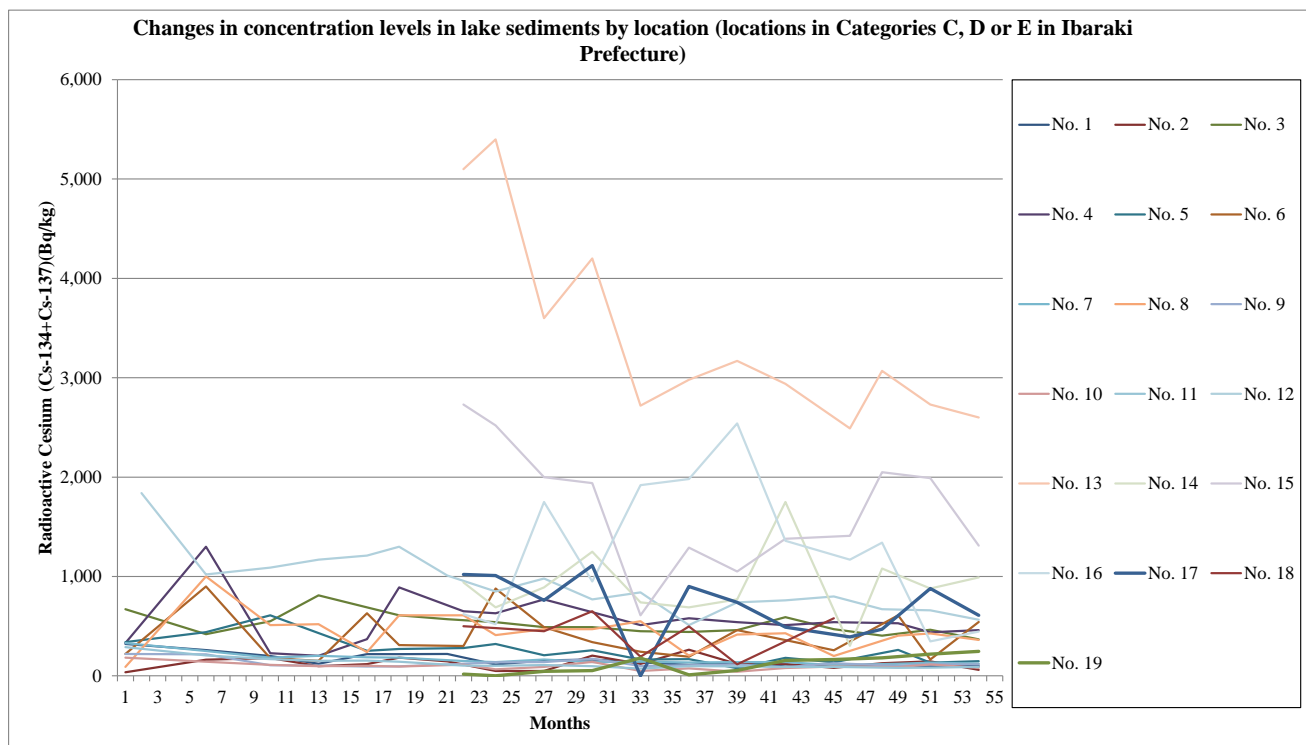


Figure 4.3-15 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Ibaraki Prefecture: lake sediments)

Table 4.3-28 Detection of radioactive cesium at respective locations  
(Ibaraki Prefecture: lake sediments) (No.1)

Location			Lake Sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*1)																																			
No.	Water area	Location	FY2011						FY2012						FY2013																							
			8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3				
1	Hinuma	Hiroura		320					260					200					122					219	219			221			114			155			165	
2		Miyamae		37					162					179					98					118	184			146			49			49			204	
3		Oyazawa		670					420					550					810					690	610			570			540			490			490	
4	Lake Kasumigaura	Offshore of Tamatsukuri		330					1,300					228				201					370	890			650			630			770			640		
5		Offshore of Kakeuma		340					440					610				430					252	270			280			320			208			257		
6		Center		221					900					178				151					630	310			300			880			490			340		
7		Offshore of Aso		330					250					183				202					186	183			150			139			164			138		
8	Lake Kitaura	Offshore of Kamaya		90					1,000					510				520					239	610			610			410			470			470		
9		Jingu Bridge		220					217					106				103					93	95			121			136			139			172		
10	Hitachitone River	Lake Sotonasakaura		184					143					110				97					102	93			113			66			91			141		
11		Ikisu		290					205					168				152					154	142			104			102			108			98		
12	Lake Ushikunuma	Center of Lake Ushikunuma			1,840				1,020					1,090				1,170					1,210	1,300			1,010			850			980			770		
13	Mizunuma Dam	Center	Kitaibaraki City																								5,100			5,400			3,600			4,200		
14	Koyama Dam		Takahagi City																									940			690			890			1,250	
15	Hananuki Dam																											2,730			2,520			2,000			1,940	
16	Jyuou Dam		Hitachi City																										620			520			1,750			950
17	Ryuji Dam		Hitachiota City																										1,020			1,010			760			1,110
18	Fujigawa Dam		Shirosato Town																										500			480			450			650
19	Iida Dam		Kasama City																										18			0			45			53
			total number of samples	297		Detection times		295																														

\*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0."

Table 4.3-28 Detection of radioactive cesium at respective locations  
(Ibaraki Prefecture: lake sediments) (No.2)

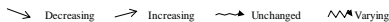
Location			Lake Sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration Bq/kg(*1)																								Changes	Average of FY2015 (*2)	No.	coefficient of variation	Trends (*3)					
No.	Water area	Location	FY2014												FY2015																					
			4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3										
1	Hinuma	Hiroura		136			111				136				94				101				99			95			99		99	1	0.42			
2		Miyamae		119			264				120				119				80				128			146			61		104	2	0.47			
3		Oyazawa		450			442				460				590				470				405			465			367		427	3	0.22			
4	Lake Kasumigaura	Offshore of Tamatsukuri		510			580				540				510				540				530			439			461		493	4	0.45			
5		Offshore of Kakeuma		165			168				78				182				137				261			132			147		169	5	0.51			
6		Center		242			192				460				360				257				610			165			543		394	6	0.58			
7	Lake Kitaura	Offshore of Aso		143			134				139				138				108				121			133			124		122	7	0.33			
8		Offshore of Kamaya		550			203				416				429				200				405			427			361		348	8	0.46			
9		Jingu Bridge		99			107				115				86				128				102			118			117		116	9	0.31			
10	Hitachitone River	Lake Sotonasakaura		49			76				42				79				94				89			115			81		95	10	0.35			
11		Ikisu		74			97				95				91				91				80			82			91		86	11	0.44			
12	Lake Ushikumuma	Center of Lake Ushikumuma		840			510				740				760				800				670			660			565		674	12	0.34			
13	Mizunuma Dam	Center	Karabarak City		2,720			2,980				3,170				2,940				2,490				3,070			2,730			2,600		2,723	13	0.29		
14	Koyama Dam		Takahagi City		740			690				770				1,750				302				1,080			880			990		813	14	0.39		
15	Hinanuki Dam			610			1,290				1,050				1,380					1,410				2,050			1,990			1,310		1,690	15	0.37		
16	Jyuou Dam		Hitachi City		1,920			1,980				2,540				1,360					1,170				1,340			346			445		825	16	0.56	
17	Ryuji Dam		Hitachiota City		0			900				740				490					391				469			880			610		588	17	0.46	
18	Fujigawa Dam		Shirosato Town		193			498				117				346				580												580	18	0.41		
19	Iida Dam		Kasama City		180			11				55				156					165				182			218			246		203	19	0.80	

\*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0."



\*2: Arithmetic Average, calculated by assuming ND=0; Color codes show categories (see the right).

\*3: Results of the analysis of trends at respective locations using the method explained on 4.3(1) 2



#### 4) Tochigi Prefecture

In Tochigi Prefecture, surveys were conducted 14 to 18 times from October 2011 to December 2015 for lake sediment samples collected at eight locations.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, four locations were categorized into Category D, and four locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-29 and Table 4.3-30).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at two locations, were unchanged at one location, fluctuating at four locations, and generally increasing at one location.

Table 4.3-29 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Tochigi Prefecture: lake sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	0	(None)
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	4	No.1, No.2, No.4, No.7
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	4	No.3, No.5, No.6, No.8

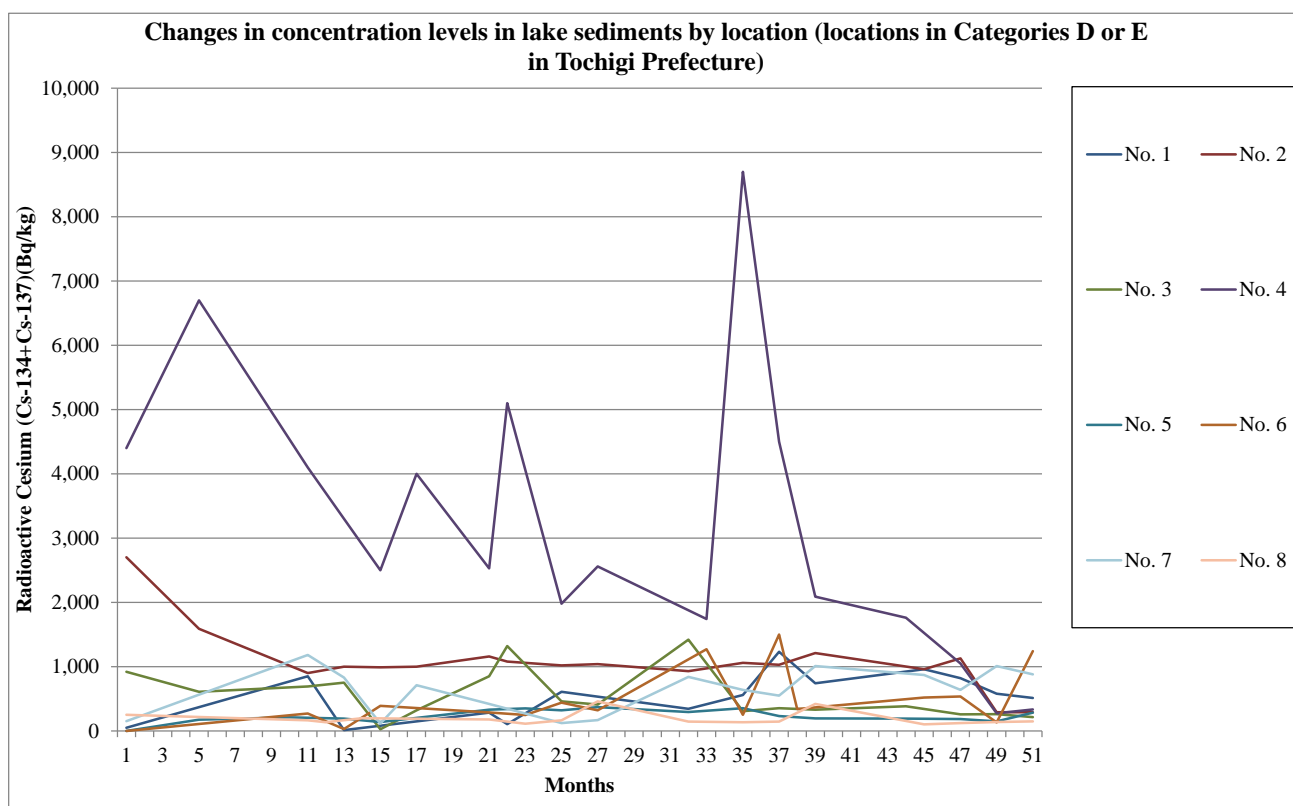


Figure 4.3-16 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Tochigi Prefecture: lake sediments)



### 5) Gunma Prefecture

In Gunma Prefecture, surveys were conducted 12 to 18 times from November 2011 to December 2015 for lake sediment samples collected at 24 locations.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, one location was categorized into Category C, 10 locations were categorized into Category D and 13 locations were categorized into Category E (see Table 4.3-31 and Table 4.3-32).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at six locations, were unchanged at seven locations, fluctuating at eight locations, and generally increasing at three locations.

Table 4.3-31 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Gunma Prefecture: lake sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	1	No.10
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	10	No.1, No.2, No.5, No.6, No.7, No.9, No.14, No.15, No.22, No.24
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	13	No.3, No.4, No.8, No.11, No.12, No.13, No.16, No.17, No.18, No.19, No.20, No.21, No.23

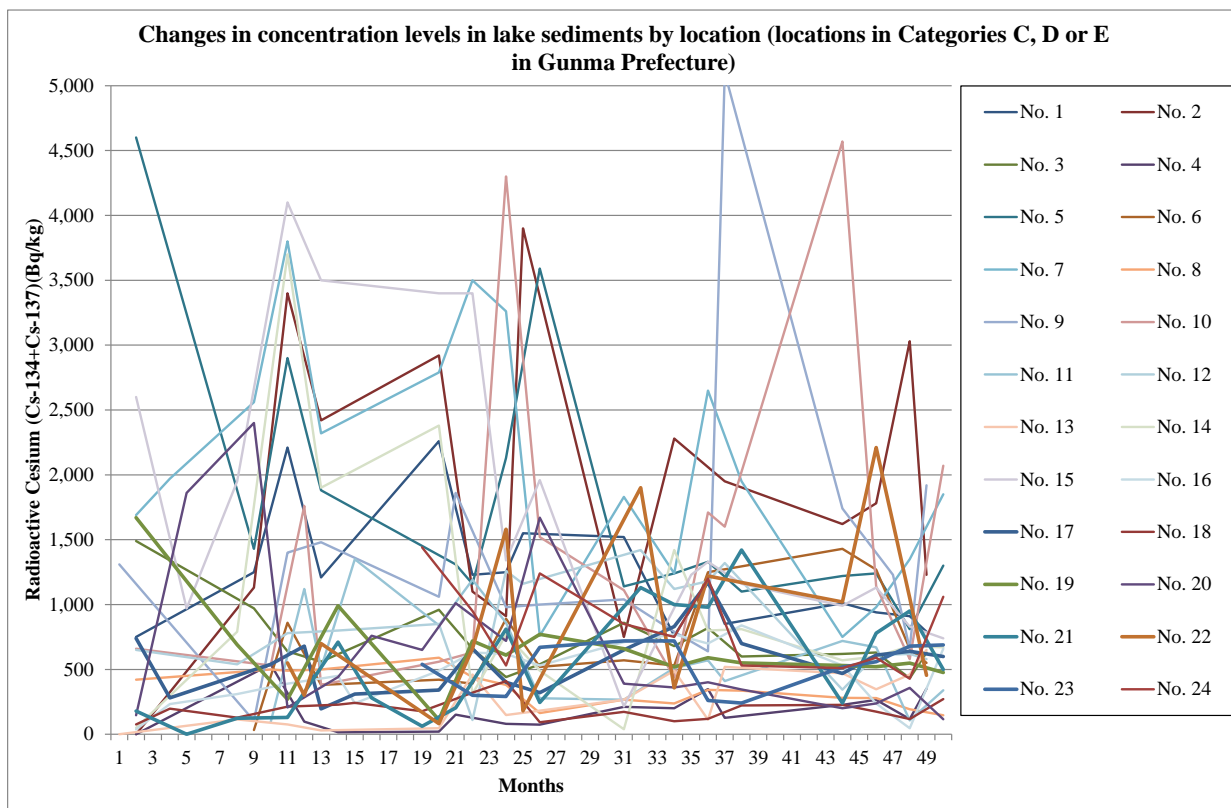


Figure 4.3-17 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Gunma Prefecture: lake sediments)

Table 4.3-32 Detection of radioactive cesium at respective locations (Gunma Prefecture: lake sediments)

No.	Water area	Location		Lake Sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*)																											
		Location	Municipality	FY2011													FY2012										FY2013				
				8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Tonegawa River Area	Lake Okutone (Yagisawa Dam)	Center	Minakami Town																											
2		Lake Naramata (Naramata Dam)	Center																												
3		Lake Dogen (Sadagai Dam)	Center																												
4		Lake Marumuma (Marumuma Dam)	Center	Katashina Village																											
5		Lake Fujiwara (Fujiwara Dam)	Center	Minakami Town																											
6		Lake Tanbara (Tanbara Dam)	Center	Numata City																											
7		Lake Akaya (Aimata Dam)	Center	Minakami Town																											
8		Lake Sonohara (Sonohara Dam)	Center	Numata City																											
9		Lake Akagonuma	Center	Maebashi City																											
10	Agatsuma River Area	Lake Okushima (Shimaga Dam)	Center	Nakanoyo Town																											
11		Lake Shimako (Nakanoyo Dam)	Center																												
12		Lake Tashiro (Kazawa Dam)	Center		Tsumagoi Village																										
13	Karasu River	Lake Haruma	Center	Takasaki City/Hgashi-Agatsuma Town																											
14		Lake Kirizumi (Kirizumi Dam)	Center	Annaka City																											
15		Lake Usui (Sakamoto Dam)	Center																												
16		Lake Arafune (Dodairagawa Dam)	Center	Shimonita Town																											
17		Lake Oshio (Oshio Dam)	Center	Tomioaka City																											
18	Lake Kanna (Shimokubo Dam)	Center	Fujoka City/Kamikawa Town																												
19	Lake Hebiaki (Shiozawa Dam)	Center	Kanna Town																												
20	Watarase River Area	Lake Kusaki (Kusaki Dam)	Center	Midori City																											
21		Lake Umeda (Kiryugawa Dam)	Center	Kiryu City																											
22	Nakatsu River	Lake Nozori (Nozori Dam)	Center	Nakanoyo Town																											
23	Watarase River Area	Lake Jonuma	Center	Tatebayashi City																											
24		Lake Tataranuma	Center																												

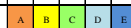
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No.	Water area	Location		Municipality	Lake Sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*)																											Changes	Average of FY2015 (*2)	No.	coefficient of variation	Trends (*3)
		Location			FY2011													FY2012										FY2013								
					4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6					
1	Tonegawa River Area	Lake Okutone (Yagisawa Dam)	Center	Minakami Town																													913	1	0.38	
2		Lake Naramata (Naramata Dam)	Center																														1,915	2	0.55	
3		Lake Dogen (Sadagai Dam)	Center																														578	3	0.36	
4		Lake Marumuma (Marumuma Dam)	Center	Katashina Village																													241	4	0.82	
5		Lake Fujiwara (Fujiwara Dam)	Center	Minakami Town																													1,143	5	0.59	
6		Lake Tanbara (Tanbara Dam)	Center	Numata City																													978	6	0.57	
7		Lake Akaya (Aimata Dam)	Center	Minakami Town																													1,233	7	0.45	
8		Lake Sonohara (Sonohara Dam)	Center	Numata City																													225	8	0.38	
9		Lake Akagonuma	Center	Maebashi City																													1,388	9	0.79	
10	Agatsuma River Area	Lake Okushima (Shimaga Dam)	Center	Nakanoyo Town																													2,090	10	0.87	
11		Lake Shimako (Nakanoyo Dam)	Center																														459	11	0.62	
12		Lake Tashiro (Kazawa Dam)	Center		Tsumagoi Village																													538	12	0.45
13	Karasu River	Lake Haruma	Center	Takasaki City/Hgashi-Agatsuma Town																													482	13	0.77	
14		Lake Kirizumi (Kirizumi Dam)	Center	Annaka City																													630	14	0.95	
15		Lake Usui (Sakamoto Dam)	Center																													923	15	0.64		
16		Lake Arafune (Dodairagawa Dam)	Center	Shimonita Town																													369	16	0.52	
17		Lake Oshio (Oshio Dam)	Center	Tomioaka City																													580	17	0.42	
18	Lake Kanna (Shimokubo Dam)	Center	Fujoka City/Kamikawa Town																													198	18	0.44		
19	Lake Hebiaki (Shiozawa Dam)	Center	Kanna Town																													519	19	0.53		
20	Watarase River Area	Lake Kusaki (Kusaki Dam)	Center	Midori City																													227	20	0.96	
21		Lake Umeda (Kiryugawa Dam)	Center	Kiryu City																													618	21	0.80	
22	Nakatsu River	Lake Nozori (Nozori Dam)	Center	Nakanoyo Town																													1,184	22	0.75	
23	Watarase River Area	Lake Jonuma	Center	Tatebayashi City																													612	23	0.37	
24		Lake Tataranuma	Center																														647	24	0.40	

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\*2: Arithmetic Average, calculated by assuming ND=0. Color codes show categories (see the right).

\*3: Results of the analysis of trends at respective locations using the method explained on 4.3.(1) 2)



## 6) Chiba Prefecture

In Chiba Prefecture, surveys were conducted 18 times from November 2011 to February 2016 for lake sediment samples collected at eight locations.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, one location was categorized into Category C, one location into Category D, and six locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-33 and Table 4.3-34).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at six locations and were unchanged at two locations.

Table 4.3-33 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Chiba Prefecture: lake sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	1	No.4
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	1	No.3
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	6	No.1, No.2, No.5, No.6, No.7, No.8

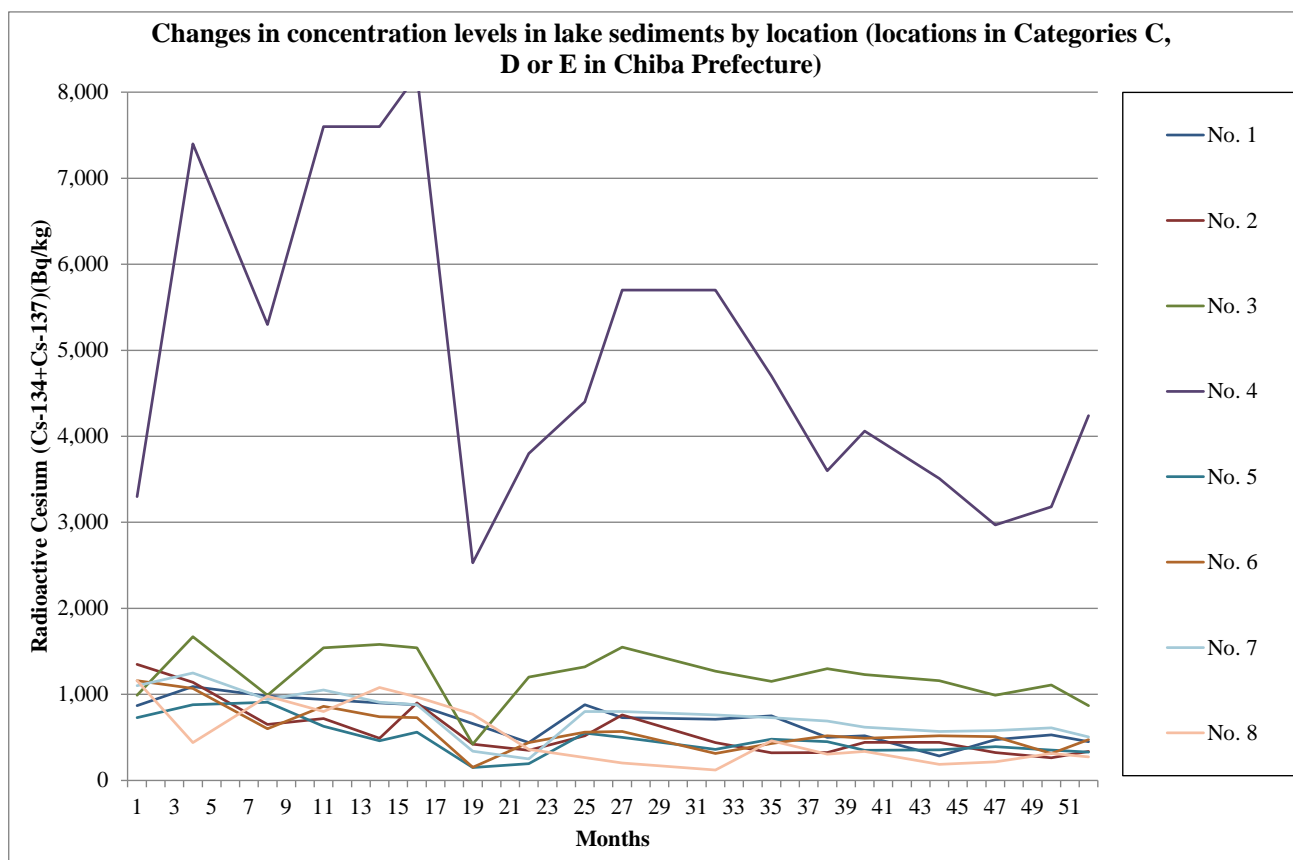


Figure 4.3-18 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations



(Chiba Prefecture: lake sediments)

Table 4.3-34 Detection of radioactive cesium at respective locations (Chiba Prefecture: lake sediments)

Location			Lake Sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*1)																																			
No.	Location	Municipality	FY2011						FY2012						FY2013																							
			8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3				
1	Lake Teganuma	Fusashita				870			1,090						980			940			900			880			660			440			880			730		
2		Shimoteganuma Chuo				1,350			1,140						650			720			490			900			420			349			520			760		
3	Lake Inbanuma	Teganuma Chuo				990			1,670					990			1,540			1,580			1,540			420			1,200			1,320			1,550			
4		Nedoshita				3,300			7,400					5,300			7,600			7,600			8,200			2,530			3,800			4,400			5,700			
5	Lake Inbanuma	Kita-Inbanuma Chuo				730			880					910			630			460			560			151			195			550			500			
6		Ipponmatsushita				1,160			1,070					600			860			740			730			152			440			560			570			
7	Lake Inbanuma	Lower area of Josuido water intake				1,100			1,250					940			1,050			910			880			340			251			800			800			
8		Asobashi Bridge				1,160			440					980			800			1,080			970			770			360			266			202			
			total number of samples	144	Detection times	144																																
*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0."																																						

Location			Lake Sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*1)																							Average of FY2015 (*2)	No.	coefficient of variation	Trends (*3)					
No.	Location	Municipality	FY2014											FY2015											Changes									
			4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1		2	3							
1	Lake Teganuma	Fusashita			710			750				500			520			283			474			530			451			435		1	0.33	↘
2		Shimoteganuma Chuo			440			320				325			443			441			324			264			338			342		2	0.54	↘
3	Lake Inbanuma	Teganuma Chuo			1,270			1,150				1,300			1,230			1,160			990			1,110			870			1,033		3	0.25	↔
4		Nedoshita			5,700			4,700				3,600			4,060			3,510			2,970			3,180			4,240			3,475		4	0.37	↔
5	Lake Inbanuma	Kita-Inbanuma Chuo			360			480				450			350			355			391			354			328			357		5	0.43	↘
6		Ipponmatsushita			313			430				520			490			520			509			313			473			454		6	0.44	↘
7	Lake Inbanuma	Lower area of Josuido water intake			760			730				690			620			570			580			610			505			566		7	0.35	↘
8		Asobashi Bridge			121			460				304			338			187			216			312			273			247		8	0.67	↘
																										A B C D E	863	Average						
*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0."																																		
*2: Arithmetic Average; calculated by assuming ND=0. Color codes show categories (see the right).																																		
*3: Results of the analysis of trends at respective locations using the method explained on 4.3(1) 2) ↘ Decreasing → Increasing ↔ Unchanged ↔ Varying																																		

(2)-3 Coastal areas

1) Iwate Prefecture

In Iwate Prefecture, surveys were conducted 9 times from January 2012 to November 2015 for coastal area sediment samples collected at two locations.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, both two locations were categorized into Category E (see Table 4.3-35 and Table 4.3-36).

Concentration levels were generally unchanged at one location and fluctuating at one location.

Table 4.3-35 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Iwate Prefecture: coastal area sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	0	(None)
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	0	(None)
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	2	No.1、No.2

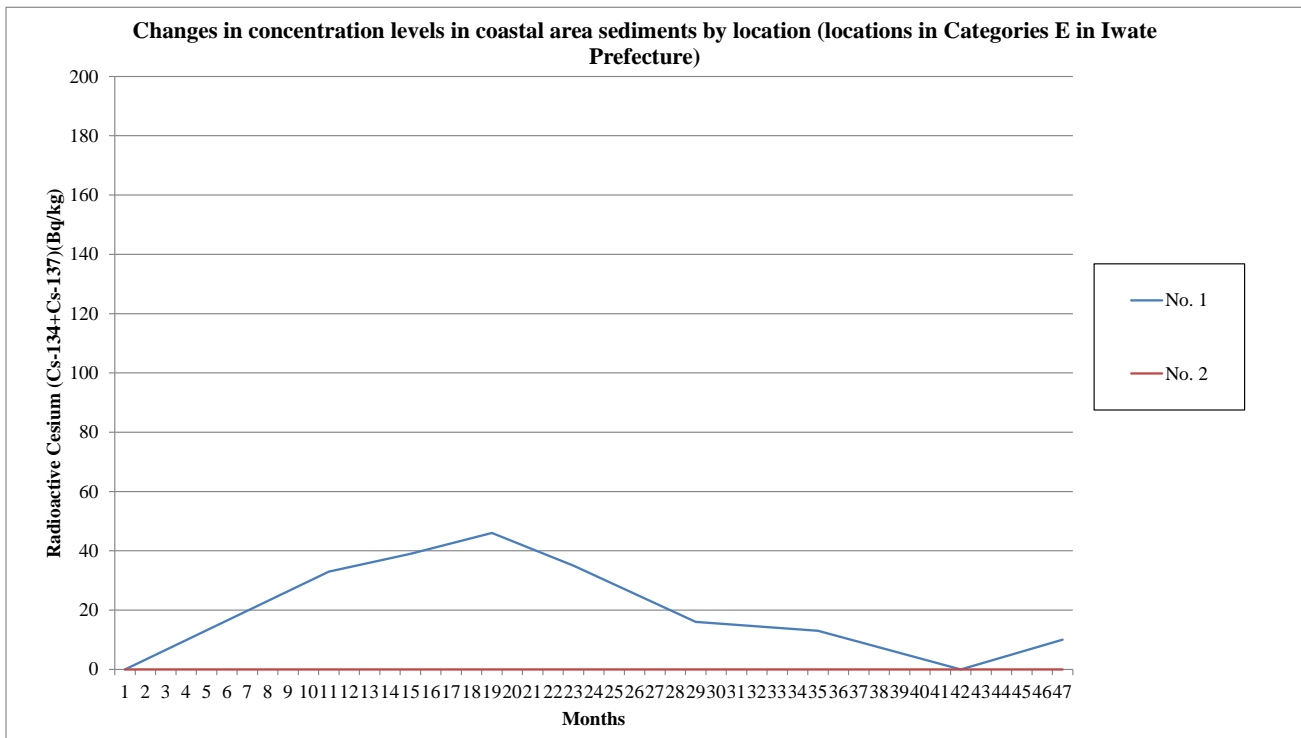


Figure 4.3-19 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Iwate Prefecture: coastal area sediments)



## 2) Miyagi Prefecture

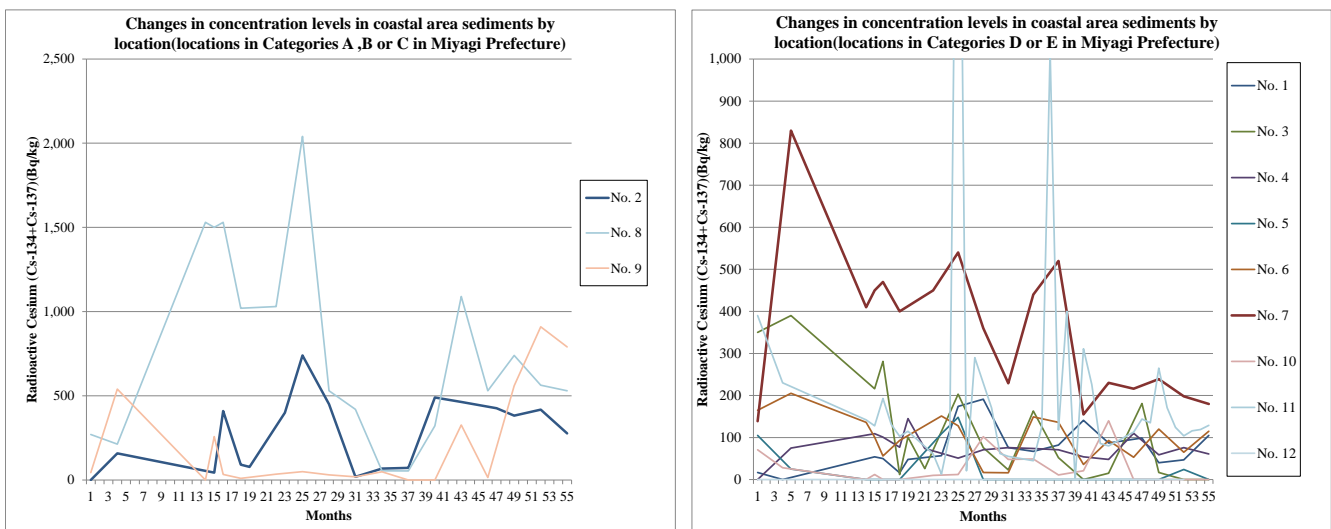
In Miyagi Prefecture, surveys were conducted 9 to 37 times from October 2011 to February 2016 for coastal area sediment samples collected at 12 locations (excluding the 28 locations surveyed only in 2011 from the analysis herein).

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, one location was categorized into Category A, one location into Category B, one location into Category C, five locations into Category D, and four locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-37 and Table 4.3-38).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at two locations, were unchanged at two locations, fluctuating at six locations, and generally increasing at two locations.

Table 4.3-37 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Miyagi Prefecture: coastal area sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	1	No.8
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	1	No.9
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	1	No.2
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	5	No.1, No.4, No.6, No.7, No.11
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	4	No.3, No.5, No.10, No.12



(\*) Scales of the vertical axes differ in the left and right figures.

Figure 4.3-20 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Miyagi Prefecture: coastal area sediments)

Table 4.3-38 Detection of radioactive cesium at respective locations  
(Miyagi Prefecture: coastal area sediments)

No.	Location		Coastal area sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*1)																																	
	Location	FY2011									FY2012									FY2013																
		8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3			
1	Kesennuma Bay (B)	Offshore of Hachigasaki			17			0									54	50	16	48				57	174		191			76						
2	Kesennuma Bay (C)	Offshore of Oshimakita			0			158									44	410	91	78				400	740		450			19						
3	All other neighboring sea areas	Oppa Bay (Jyusanhama Beach)			350												216	281	12	101			26			203		76		23						
4	Neighboring sea area of Ishinomaki (C)	Lake Mangokuura, M-6 (center)			0												109	101	77	145			74			51		71		76						
5	Neighboring sea area of Ishinomaki (B-3)	Offshore of Kitakami River Estuary			105											0	0	0	0					109	148		0		0							
6	Neighboring sea area of Ishinomaki (C)	Offshore of Naruse			165											136	101	56	93					151	128		17		16							
7	Matsushima Bay (B)	Nishhama Beach			139											410	450	470	400					450	540		360		229							
8	Neighboring sea area of Sendai Port(A)	Naiko Inner Port, 4-Nai			270											1,530	1,500	1,530	1,020					1,030	2,040		530		420							
9	Neighboring sea area of Sendai Port (B)	Gamo-3			44											0	258	33	10					35	50		31		19							
10	All other neighboring sea areas	Ido-5			71											0	12	0	0					10	12		102		48							
11	Offshore of Abukuma River Estuary				390											142	128	193	131	103	115			61	13	108	2,030	21	290	170	62	55				
12	Offshore of Tsuyagawa River Estuary				0											0								0			0									
			total number of samples	226	Detection times	187																														

\*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0."

No.	Location		Coastal area sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*1)																								Changes	Average of FY2015 (*2)	No.	coefficient of variation	Trends (*3)	
	Location	FY2014												FY2015																		
		4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3							
1	Kesennuma Bay (B)	Offshore of Hachigasaki		67			82					141				87				99	40			47			105		73	1	0.69	
2	Kesennuma Bay (C)	Offshore of Oshimakita		68			72					490				464				426	382			418			277		376	2	0.77	
3	All other neighboring sea areas	Oppa Bay (Jyusanhama Beach)		163			52					0				15				181	17			0			0		50	3	1.09	
4	Neighboring sea area of Ishinomaki (C)	Lake Mangokuura, M-6 (center)		74			71					54				48				110				59			61		77	4	0.41	
5	Neighboring sea area of Ishinomaki (B-3)	Offshore of Kitakami River Estuary		0			0					0				0				0				24			0		6.0	5	2.03	
6	Neighboring sea area of Ishinomaki (C)	Offshore of Naruse		149			136					36				93				53				65			115		88	6	0.52	
7	Matsushima Bay (B)	Nishhama Beach		440			520					155				230				216				198			180		208	7	0.50	
8	Neighboring sea area of Sendai Port(A)	Naiko Inner Port, 4-Nai		55			54					322				1,090				530				563			530		591	8	0.74	
9	Neighboring sea area of Sendai Port (B)	Gamo-3		49			0					0				327				15				910			790		569	9	1.45	
10	All other neighboring sea areas	Ido-5		49			11					21				140				0				0			0		0	10	1.43	
11	Offshore of Abukuma River Estuary			45	126	1,020	118	400	0	311	226	86	80				113	144	135	265	171	124	104	116	119	129		142	11	1.61		
12	Offshore of Tsuyagawa River Estuary			0								0								0				0					0	12		
																													182	Average		

\*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0."

\*2: Arithmetic Average; calculated by assuming ND=0; Color codes show categories (see the right).

\*3: Results of the analysis of trends at respective locations using the method explained on 4.3(1) 2

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### 3) Fukushima Prefecture

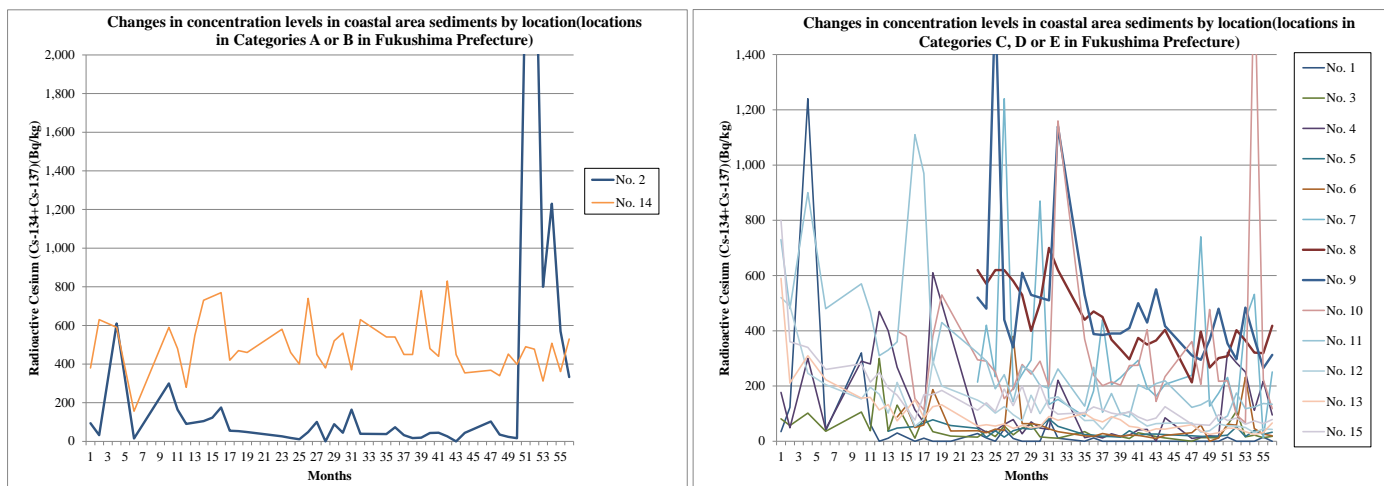
In Fukushima Prefecture, surveys were conducted 30 to 43 times from October 2011 to February 2016 for coastal area sediment samples collected at 15 locations (this analysis excludes the survey results at eight locations where the survey was conducted only once in 2011).

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, one location was categorized into Category A, one location into Category B, four locations into Category C, three locations into Category D, and six locations into Category E (see Table 4.3-39 and Table 4.3-40).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at nine locations, were generally unchanged at one location, were fluctuating at four locations, and generally increasing at one location.

Table 4.3-39 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Fukushima Prefecture: coastal area sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	1	No.2
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	1	No.14
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	4	No.7, No.8, No.9, No.10
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	3	No.4, No.11, No.15
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	6	No.1, No.3, No.5, No.6, No.12, No.13



(\*) Scales of the vertical axes differ in the left and right figures.

Figure 4.3-21 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Fukushima Prefecture: coastal area sediments)





#### 4) Ibaraki Prefecture

In Ibaraki Prefecture, surveys were conducted 19 to 21 times from October 2011 to February 2016 for coastal area sediment samples collected at five locations.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, all five locations were categorized into Category E (see Table 4.3-41 and Table 4.3-42).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at three locations and were generally varying at two locations.

Table 4.3-41 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Ibaraki Prefecture: coastal area sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	0	(None)
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	0	(None)
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	5	No.1、No.2、No.3、No.4、No.5

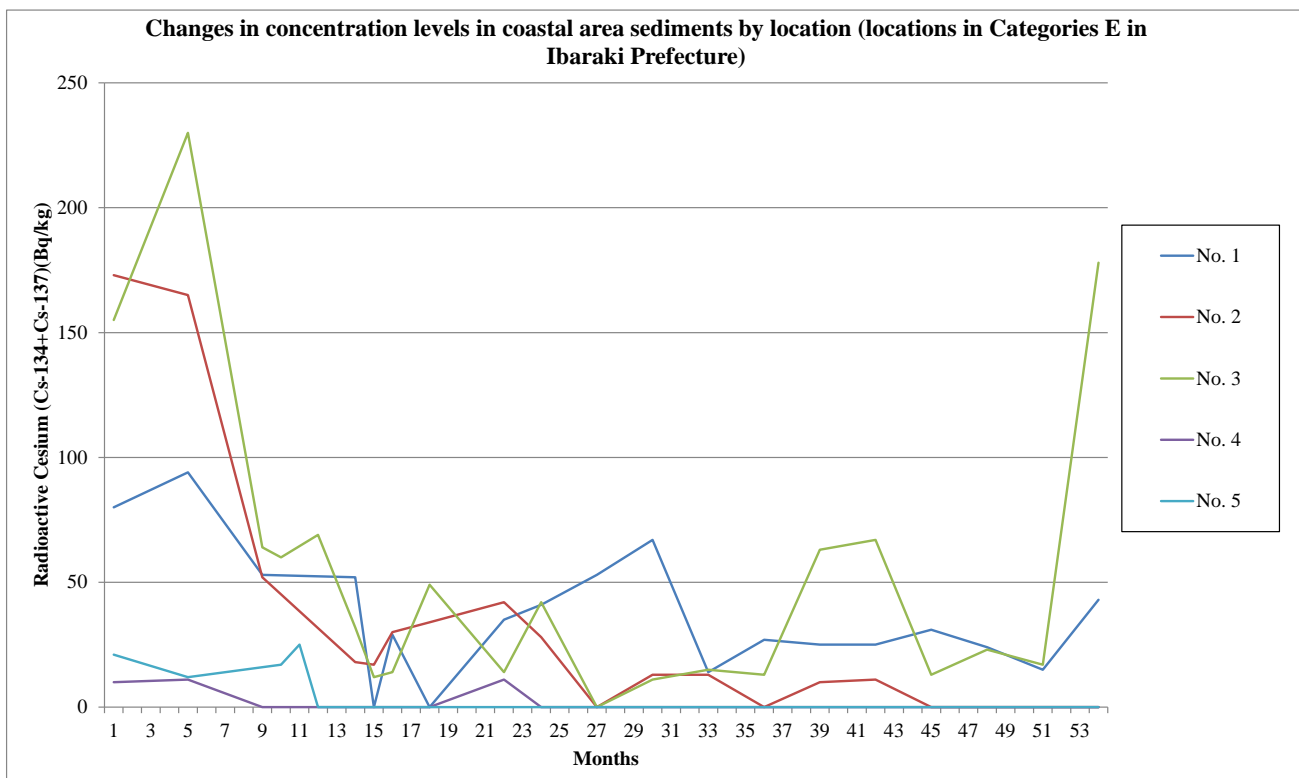


Figure 4.3-22 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Ibaraki Prefecture: coastal area sediments)

Table 4.3-42 Detection of radioactive cesium at respective locations  
(Ibaraki Prefecture: coastal area sediments)

Location		Coastal area sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*1)																														
No.	Location	FY2011							FY2012							FY2013																
		8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2
1	Offshore of Satone River Estuary							94				53				52	0	29	0					35		41			53			67
2	Offshore of Okita River Estuary			173				165				52				18	17	30		34				42		28			0			13
3	Offshore of Momiya River/Kujigawa River Estuaries			155				230				64	60	69		32	12	14		49				14		42			0			11
4	Neighboring water body of Ken-o Offshore of Nakagawa River			10				11				0	0	0		0	0	0		0				11		0			0			0
5	Offshore of Tonegawa River Estuary			21				12				17	25	0		0	0	0		0				0		0		0			0	
		total number of samples	101	Detection times	57																											

\*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0."

Location		Coastal area sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*1)																				Changes	Average of FY2015 (*2)	No.	coefficient of variation	Trends (*3)									
No.	Location	FY2014										FY2015																							
		4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3										
1	Offshore of Satone River Estuary		14					27			25				25				31				24				15			43		28	1	0.67	
2	Offshore of Okita River Estuary		13			0				10			11			0			0				0			0			0		0	2	1.59		
3	Offshore of Momiya River/Kujigawa River Estuaries		15			13				63			67			13						23				17			178		58	3	1.13		
4	Neighboring water body of Ken-o Offshore of Nakagawa River		0			0				0			0			0			0				0			0			0		0	4	2.51		
5	Offshore of Tonegawa River Estuary		0			0				0			0			0			0				0			0			0		0	5	2.20		
																							17	Average											

\*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0."

\*2: Arithmetic Average; calculated by assuming ND=0; Color codes show categories (see the right).

\*3: Results of the analysis of trends at respective locations using the method explained on 4.3(1) 2) Decreasing Increasing Unchanged Varying

### 5) Chiba Prefecture and Tokyo Metropolis

In Chiba Prefecture and Tokyo Metropolis, surveys were conducted 17 to 29 times from May 2012 to February 2016 for coastal area sediment samples collected at eight locations in total.

Regarding concentration levels of detected values, one location was categorized into Category C, three locations were categorized into Category D and four locations were categorized into Category E (see Table 4.3-43 and Table 4.3-44).

Concentration levels were generally decreasing at four locations, were fluctuating at three locations, and increasing at one location.

Table 4.3-43 Categorization of detected values at respective locations  
(Chiba Prefecture and Tokyo Metropolis: coastal area sediments)

Category	Percentile (percentile in all detected values)	Number of locations	Locations
A	Upper 5 percentile	0	(None)
B	Upper 5 to 10 percentile	0	(None)
C	Upper 10 to 25 percentile	1	No.6
D	Upper 25 to 50 percentile	3	No.5, No.7, No.8
E	Upper 50 to 100 percentile(lower 50%)	4	No.1, No.2, No.3, No.4

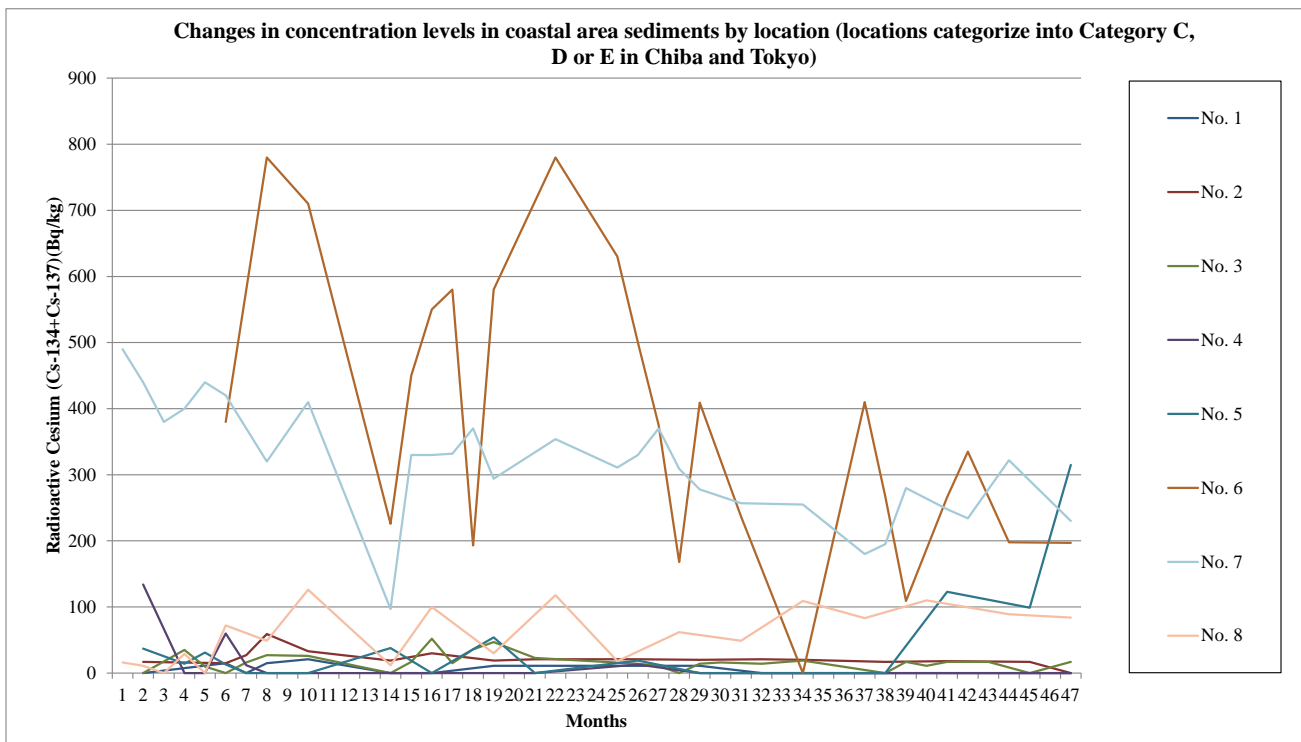


Figure 4.3-23 Changes in concentration levels over the years at respective locations  
(Chiba Prefecture and Tokyo Metropolis: coastal area sediments)

Table 4.3-44 Detection of radioactive cesium at respective locations  
(Chiba Prefecture and Tokyo Metropolis: coastal area sediments)

No.	Prefecture	Location		Coastal area sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*)																																													
		Location	FY2011								FY2012								FY2013																														
			8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3															
1	Chiba Prefecture	Tokyo Bay 7	Offshore of Yorogawa River Estuary											0									15	0	15					21					0	0								11	11				
2		Tokyo Bay 5	Offshore of Miyako River Estuary											17									15	27	59					33					19	30								19	21				
3		Coastal sea area of Makuhari	Offshore of Inbanuma Discharge Channel												0									35	10	0	16	27					26					0	17	52	15	36	47	23					
4		Approx. 1 km offshore of Ebigawa River Estuary	Coastal area of Keiyo Port (Ebigawa River Estuary)												134									0	0	60	12	0					0					0	0								0	0	
5		Approx. 1 km offshore of Edogawa River Estuary														37									14	31	13	0	0					0					38	0								54	0
6	Tokyo Metropolis	Approx. 1 km offshore of Kyu-Edogawa River Estuary	Offshore of Kyu-Edogawa River Estuary																								380					780	710					226	450	550	580	193	580		780				
7		St-8	Offshore of Arakawa River/Kyu-Edogawa River Estuaries												490	440	380	400	440	420								320					410					97	330	330	332	370	294		354				
8		Southwestern area of Toyosu Wharf	Offshore of Sumida River Estuary													16	11	0	29	0	72								49					126					12	100								30	
				total number of samples	173	Detection times	129																																										

\*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0."

No.	Prefecture	Location		Coastal area sediments/Radioactive Cesium (Cs-134+Cs-137)/Concentration(Bq/kg)(*)																								Average of FY2015 (**)	No.	coefficient of variation	Trends (***)													
		Location	FY2014								FY2014								Changes																									
			4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3	4	5	6	7		8	9	10	11	12	1	2	3																	
1	Chiba Prefecture	Tokyo Bay 7	Offshore of Yorogawa River Estuary			11			11				0	0									0				0					0	0								0	1	1.30	
2		Tokyo Bay 5	Offshore of Miyako River Estuary			21			20				21	20									17				18					17	0								13	2	0.54	
3		Coastal sea area of Makuhari	Offshore of Inbanuma Discharge Channel			14	11	0	14	16			14	19									0	17	11	17	17					0	17								11	3	0.80	
4		Approx. 1 km offshore of Ebigawa River Estuary	Coastal area of Keiyo Port (Ebigawa River Estuary)			13								0									0				0					0	0								0	4	2.84	
5		Approx. 1 km offshore of Edogawa River Estuary					19								0									0				123					99	315								134	5	1.93
6	Tokyo Metropolis	Approx. 1 km offshore of Kyu-Edogawa River Estuary	Offshore of Kyu-Edogawa River Estuary	630	500	375	168	409		237			0			410	267	109		266	335			198		197								255	6	0.55								
7		St-8	Offshore of Arakawa River/Kyu-Edogawa River Estuaries	311	330	370	309	278		257			255			180	195	280		248	234			322		230								241	7	0.27								
8		Southwestern area of Toyosu Wharf	Offshore of Sumida River Estuary		18			62			49			109			83			110					89		84								92	8	0.72							
																					93	Average																						

\*1: Blank cells are locations where samples were not collected. The result "Not detectable" is indicated as "0."

\*2: Arithmetic Average, calculated by assuming ND=0. Color codes show categories (see the right).  
A B C D E

\*3: Results of the analysis of trends at respective locations using the method explained on 4.3(1) 2) Decreasing Increasing Unchanged Varying

### (3) Conclusion

Concentration levels of detected values for sediment samples from public water areas (rivers, lakes, and coastal areas) from FY2011 to FY2015 and their changes shown so far are summarized as follows (see Figure 4.3-24 and Table 4.3-45).

#### 1) Concentration levels of detected values

##### • Rivers

Within all surveyed locations (396 locations in total), the number of locations categorized into Category A or B, which fall under the upper 10%, was the largest in Hamadori in Fukushima Prefecture (20 locations). Such locations were also found in Nakadori, Fukushima Prefecture, Ibaraki Prefecture, Gunma Prefecture and Chiba Prefecture.

##### • Lakes

Among all the locations (164 locations), locations categorized into Category A or B were found in Hamadori in Fukushima Prefecture.

##### • Coastal areas

Among all locations (42 locations), locations categorized into Category A or B were found in Miyagi and Fukushima Prefectures.

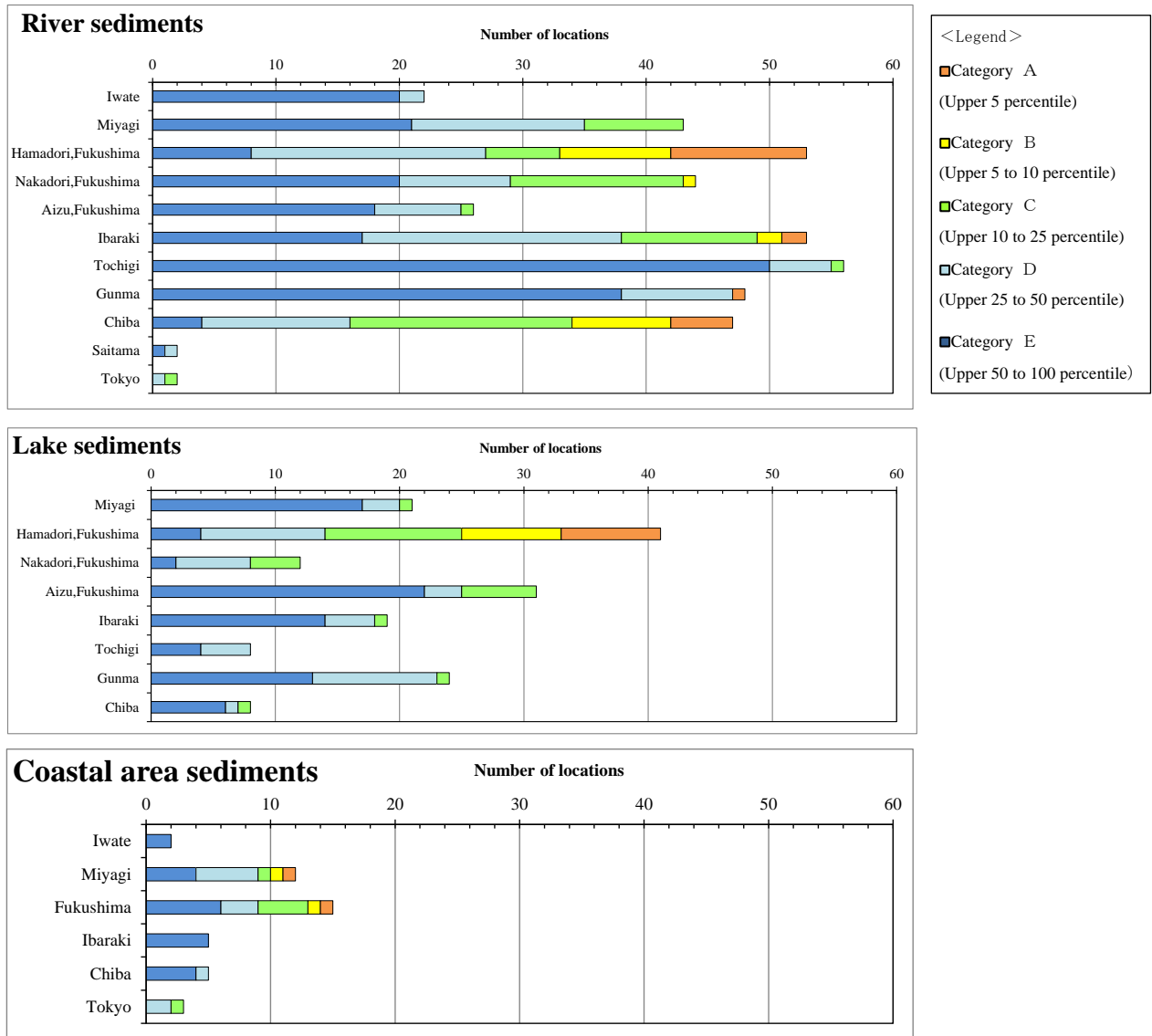


Figure 4.3-24 Categorization by concentration levels of detected values for sediment samples  
 (upper: rivers; middle: lakes; lower: coastal areas)  
 (\* Figure 4.3-24 shows the aforementioned Table 3.1-1 graphically.)

## 2) Changes in detected values

### • Rivers

A decreasing trend was observed at most locations.

### • Lakes

Detected values were generally decreasing or unchanged at most locations but some locations showed fluctuations.

### • Coastal areas

A decreasing trend was observed at most locations except for some locations showing fluctuations.

Table 4.3-45 Changes in detected values for sediment samples from public water areas (rivers, lakes, and coastal areas)

#### <Rivers>

Trends	Number of locations												
	Iwate	Miyagi	Fukushima			Ibaraki	Tochigi	Gunma	Chiba	Saitama	Tokyo	Total	
			Hamadori	Nakadori	Aizu							Number of locations	Percentage
Decreasing	19	35	47	41	21	46	39	31	37	2	1	319	80.6
Unchanged	0	0	2	0	1	2	1	1	2	0	1	10	2.5
Varying	3	8	4	3	4	5	16	16	8	0	0	67	16.9
Increasing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	22	43	53	44	26	53	56	48	47	2	2	396	100.0

#### <Lakes>

Trends	Number of locations									
	Miyagi	Fukushima			Ibaraki	Tochigi	Gunma	Chiba	Total	
		Hamadori	Nakadori	Aizu					Number of locations	Percentage
Decreasing	13	22	5	7	8	2	6	6	69	42.1
Unchanged	2	2	1	7	8	1	7	2	30	18.3
Varying	5	13	5	10	2	4	8	0	47	28.7
Increasing	1	4	1	7	1	1	3	0	18	11.0
Total	21	41	12	31	19	8	24	8	164	100.0

#### <Coastal areas>

Trends	Number of locations							
	Iwate	Miyagi	Fukushima	Ibaraki	Chiba	Tokyo	Total	
							Number of locations	Percentage
Decreasing	0	2	9	3	2	2	18	42.9
Unchanged	1	2	1	0	0	0	4	9.5
Varying	1	6	4	2	2	1	16	38.1
Increasing	0	2	1	0	1	0	4	9.5
Total	2	12	15	5	5	3	42	100.0

### 3) Summary by prefecture

Concentration levels of detected values and their changes are summarized by prefecture as follows (see Figures 4.3-25 to 4.3-27).

#### (i) Iwate Prefecture

- Surveyed locations for rivers were the 22 locations categorized into Category D or E. A decreasing trend was observed at most locations.
- Surveyed locations for coastal areas were all two locations categorized into Category E. An unchanged trend was observed at most locations except for several locations showing fluctuations.

#### (ii) Miyagi Prefecture

- Surveyed locations for rivers were over 80% categorized into Category D or E, among the 43 locations, some locations in the lower reaches were Category C. A decreasing trend was observed at most locations.
- Surveyed locations for lakes were almost all categorized into Category D or E, among the 21 locations, only one location categorized into Category C. Concentration levels were generally decreasing or unchanged at most locations.
- Surveyed locations for coastal areas were three-quarters of all locations categorized into Category D or E, among the 12 locations, one categorized into Category A, another into Category B, and yet another into Category C. There was a location categorized into Category A in the Sendai Port. Concentration levels were fluctuating at many locations and the other locations shown mixture of each trend.

#### (iii) Hamadori, Fukushima Prefecture

- Approximately 50% of the 53 surveyed locations for rivers were categorized into Category A, B or C. Many of the locations categorized into Category A or B were found near or northwest to Fukushima Daiichi NPS, while the locations categorized into Category C were seen in the northern and southern parts of the district. A decreasing trend was observed at most locations.
- Approximately 70% of the 41 surveyed locations for lakes were categorized into Category A, B or C. Many of the locations categorized into Category A or B were found northwest to Fukushima Daiichi NPS. A decreasing or unchanged trend was observed generally at most locations except for several locations showing fluctuations.
- 60% of the 15 surveyed locations for coastal areas were categorized into Category D or E and the rest were categorized into Category A, B, or C. The one location categorized into Category A was seen in the Matsukawaura. A decreasing trend was observed generally at most locations except for several locations showing fluctuations.

#### (iv) Nakadori, Fukushima Prefecture

- Approximately 70% of the 44 surveyed locations for rivers were categorized into Category D or E and the rest were categorized into Category B or C. The locations categorized into Category B or C were found from the center of the Abukuma River to the northern part. A decreasing trend was observed at most locations.
- Eight of the 12 surveyed locations for lakes were categorized into Category D or E and the rest four locations were categorized into Category C. The locations categorized into Category C were seen in the upper and



lower reaches of the Abukuma River basin. A decreasing trend was observed at most locations except for several locations showing fluctuations.

(v) Aizu, Fukushima Prefecture

- One of the 26 surveyed location for rivers was categorized into Category C and all the remaining locations were categorized into Category D or E. A decreasing trend was observed at most locations.
- Six of the 31 surveyed locations for lakes were categorized into Category C and over 80% of the locations were categorized into Category D or E. Concentration levels were fluctuations at many locations and the other locations showed mixture of each trend.

(vi) Ibaraki Prefecture

- Over 70% of the 53 surveyed locations for rivers were categorized into Category D or E and the rest were categorized into Category A, B, or C. The locations categorized into Category A or B were found in rivers flowing into Lake Kasumigaura. A decreasing trend was observed at most locations.
- One of the 19 surveyed location for lakes was categorized into Category C in the northern part of the prefecture and the remaining locations were categorized into Category D or E. A decreasing or unchanged trend was observed at most locations.
- Surveyed locations for coastal areas were all the categorized into Category E. A decreasing trend was observed generally at most locations except for several locations showing fluctuations.

(vii) Tochigi Prefecture

- One of the 56 surveyed locations for rivers was categorized into Category C and the remaining locations were categorized into Category D or E. A decreasing trend was observed generally at most locations except for several locations showing fluctuations.
- All eight locations for lakes were categorized into Category D or E. Concentration levels were fluctuating at many locations and the other locations showing mixture of each trend.

(viii) Gunma Prefecture

- One of the 48 surveyed locations for rivers was categorized into Category A in the lower reach of the Watarase River basin and all remaining locations were categorized into Category D or E. A decreasing trend was observed generally at most locations except for several locations showing fluctuations.
- One of the 24 surveyed locations for lakes was categorized into Category C and all remaining locations were categorized into Category D or E. Concentration levels were fluctuating at many locations and other locations showing mixture of each trend.

(ix) Chiba and Saitama Prefectures and Tokyo Metropolis

- Over 60% of the 51 surveyed locations for rivers were categorized into Category A, B, or C. The locations categorized into Category A or B were found in rivers flowing into Lake Teganuma or Lake Inbanuma, the Edogawa River system, and a part of the Tonegawa River system. A decreasing trend was observed at most locations.
- One of the eight surveyed locations for lakes was categorized into Category C in Lake Teganuma and all the remaining locations were categorized into Category D or E. A decreasing trend was observed at most locations.

- One of the eight surveyed location for lake was categorized into Category C at the mouth of the Kyuedogawa River and all remaining locations were categorized into Category D or E. A decreasing trend was observed at most locations except for several locations showing fluctuations.

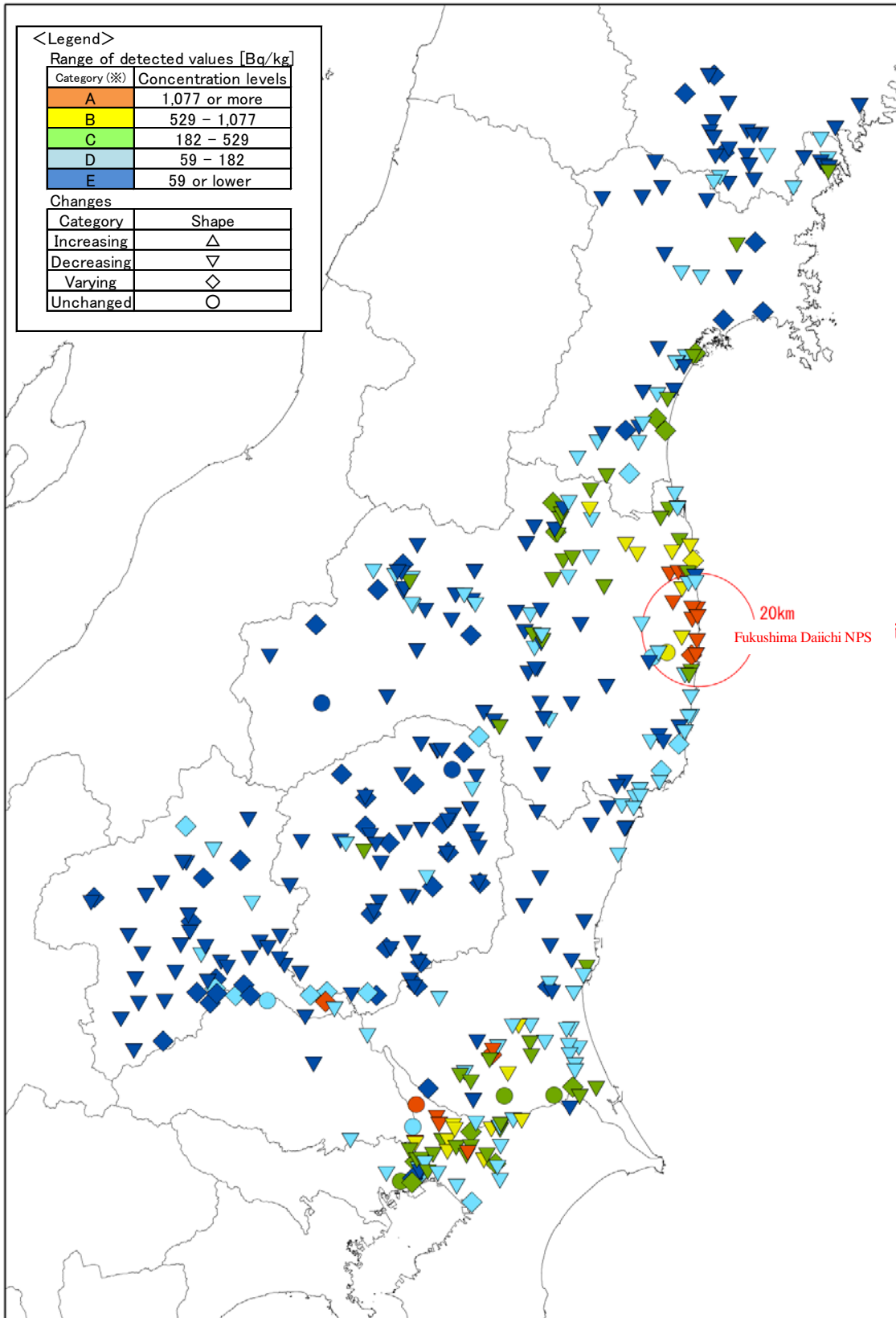


Figure 4.3-25 Categorization of and changes in concentration levels for river sediment samples from public water areas

(\*) Categories A to E show relative concentration levels for river sediment samples and cannot be compared with those for lake sediment samples or coastal area sediment samples.

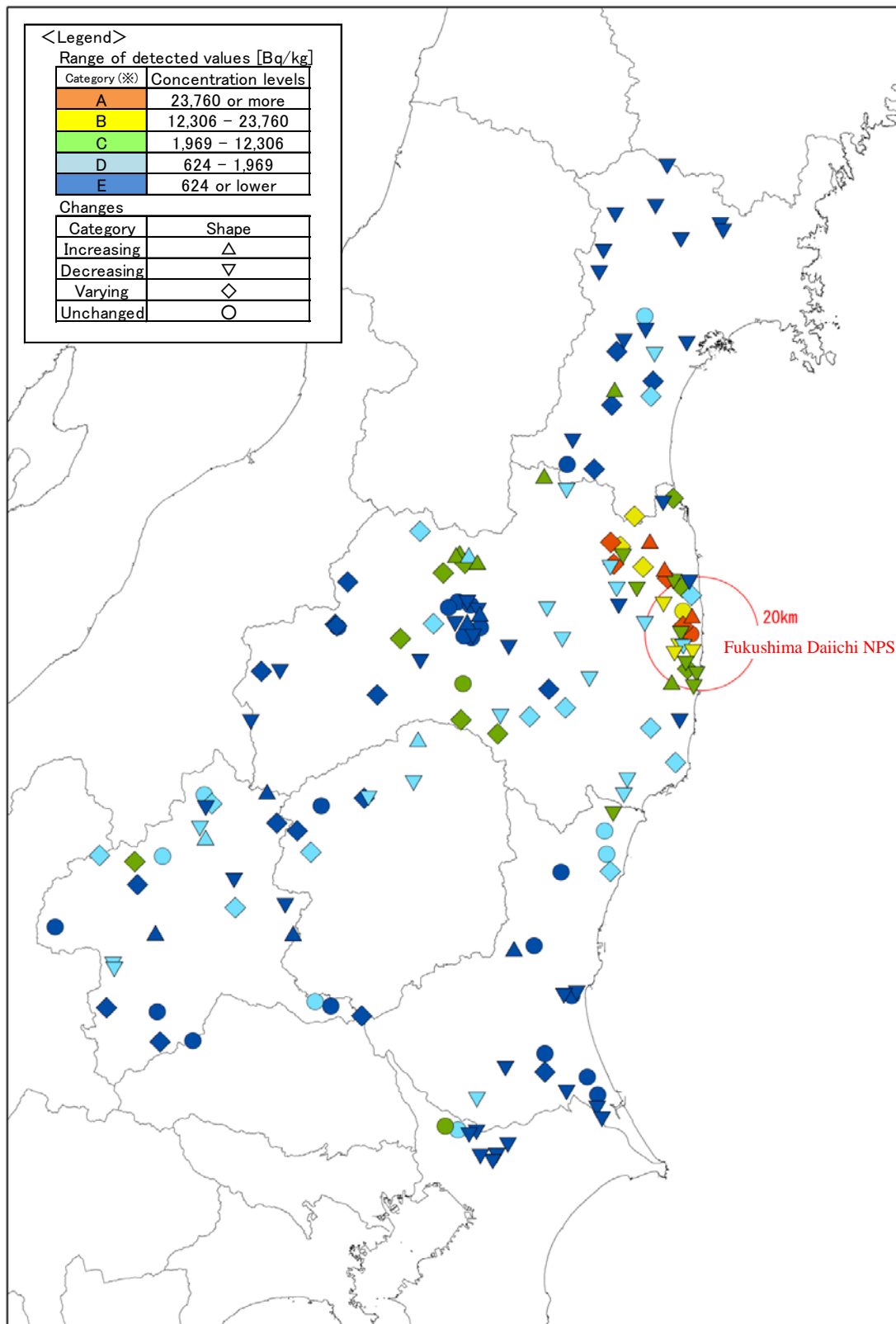


Figure 4.3-26 Categorization of and changes in concentration levels for lake sediment samples from public water areas

(\*) Categories A to E show relative concentration levels for lake sediment samples and cannot be compared with those for river sediment samples or coastal area sediment samples.

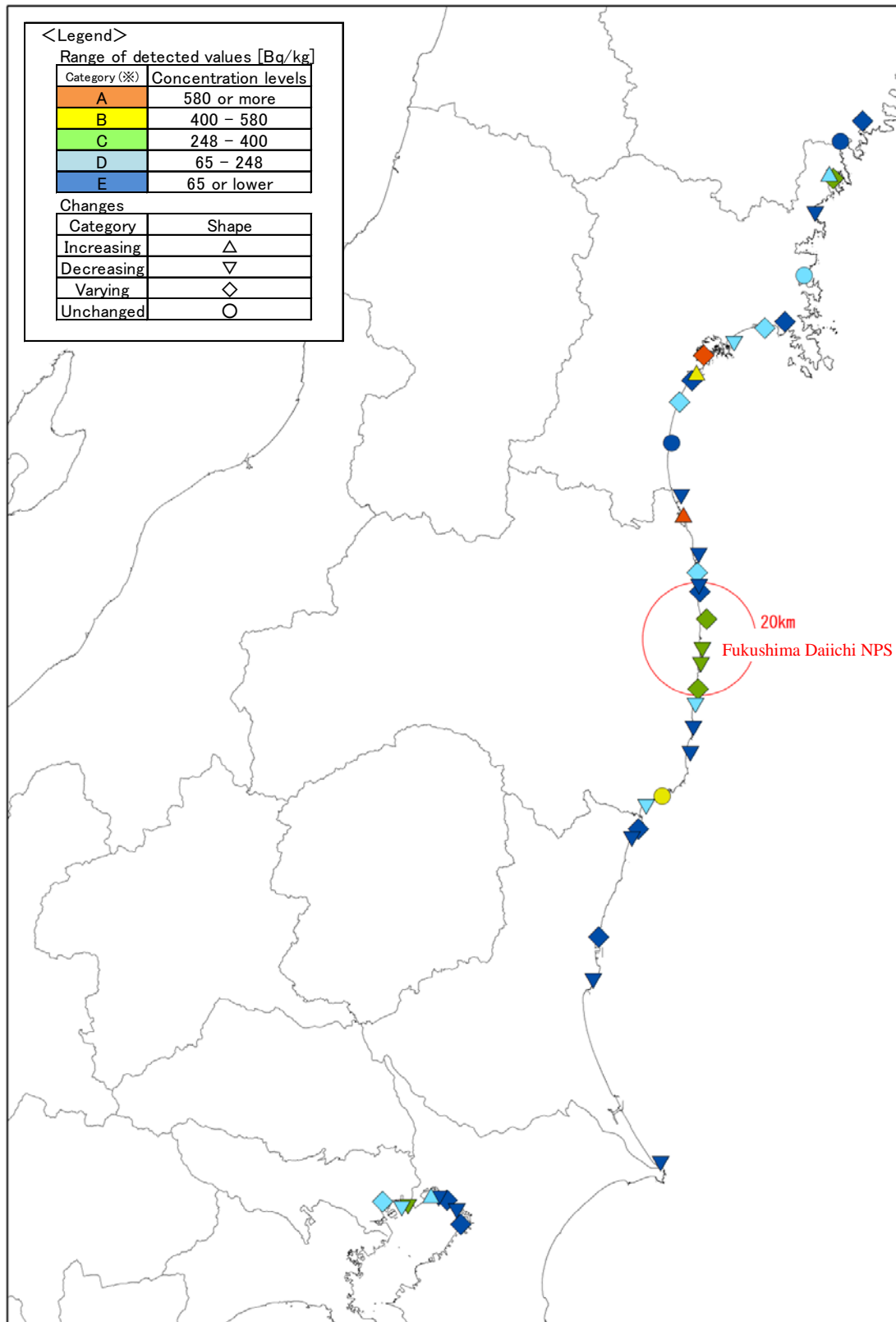


Figure 4.3-27 Categorization of and changes in concentration levels for coastal area sediment samples from public water areas

(\*) Categories A to E show relative concentration levels for coastal area sediment samples and cannot be compared with those for river sediment samples or lake sediment samples.

## 5. Results (Radionuclides Other than Radioactive Cesium)

### 5.1 Radioactive strontium (Sr-90 and Sr-89)

#### (1) Public water areas

##### 1) Outline

In principle, radioactive strontium was measured at locations with where the radioactive cesium concentrations in sediments were high. Sediment samples from public water areas (rivers, lakes, and coastal areas) were surveyed for Sr-90 from FY2011 to FY2015, and those from public water areas (rivers and lakes) for Sr-89 in FY2011, respectively. The status of the survey and the summary of the results are as shown in Table 5.1-1 (detection limits: approx. 1 Bq/kg (dry) for Sr-90 and approx. 2 Bq/kg (dry) for Sr-89).

Sr-90 was detected as detailed are as shown in 2).

A survey of Sr-89 was conducted with regard to 22 samples (13 river sediment samples and nine lake sediment samples) only in FY2011 but Sr-89 was not detectable in any of these samples.

##### 2) Detection of Sr-90 in sediment samples

###### (i) River sediments

Sr-90 was detected in nine of the 22 river sediments specimens surveyed in FY2015 (detection rate: 40.9%). Except for Fukushima Prefecture, detected values were less than 1 Bq/kg (dry) (see Table 5.1-1).

Sr-90 was continuously detected since FY2011 at some locations in the Ota River and the Ukedo River in Fukushima Prefecture, but detected values gradually decreased to fall below 2 Bq/kg (dry) in FY2014 (see Figure 5.1-1).

###### (ii) Lake sediments

In FY2015, the 68 lake sediments specimens were surveyed for Sr-90; from the 66 of these specimens, Sr-90 was detected (detection rate: 97.1%) (see Table 5.1-1). Sr-90 has been detected until FY2015 in each prefecture surveyed. When reviewed site by site, detected values have been at relatively low levels and within the range of FY2015 measured values from not detectable to 150 Bq/kg (dry) (see Figure 5.1-1).

###### (iii) Coastal area sediments

In FY2015, the 32 coastal area sediment specimens were surveyed; from three specimens from Fukushima Prefecture, Sr-90 was detected (detection rate: 9.4%) (see Table 5.1-1). Measured values ranged from not detectable to 0.78 Bq/kg (dry), which were lower than those obtained from rivers and lakes.

Table 5.1-1 Detection of Sr-90 and Sr-89 in sediment samples from public water areas (rivers, lakes, and coastal areas)

○ Sr-90

Property	Prefecture	FY2011				FY2012				FY2013				FY2014				FY2015				Total		
		Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values [Bq/kg(dry)]	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values [Bq/kg(dry)]	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values [Bq/kg(dry)]	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values [Bq/kg(dry)]	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values [Bq/kg(dry)]	Number of samples	Number of detections	Range of measured values [Bq/kg(dry)]
Rivers	Miyagi	2	2	100.0	0.40 - 1.1	7	1	14.3	ND - 1.2	5	3	60.0	ND - 0.56	4	3	75.0	ND - 0.52	2	0	-	-	20	9	ND - 1.2
	Fukushima	7	7	100.0	1.2 - 4.1	25	15	60.0	ND - 12	16	10	62.5	ND - 2.9	14	9	64.3	ND - 1.5	10	5	50.0	ND - 1.9	72	46	ND - 12
	Ibaraki	1	1	100.0	1.6 - 1.6	4	1	25.0	ND - 1.8	6	4	66.7	ND - 1.8	6	2	33.3	ND - 0.89	4	2	50.0	ND - 0.92	21	10	ND - 1.8
	Tochigi	1	1	100.0	1.3 - 1.3	2	0	-	-	2	1	50.0	ND - 0.23	2	1	50.0	ND - 0.53	1	0	-	-	8	3	ND - 1.3
	Gunma	1	1	100.0	0.70 - 0.70	2	0	-	-	2	1	50.0	ND - 0.44	1	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	6	2	ND - 0.70
	Chiba	1	1	100.0	1.1 - 1.1	4	0	-	-	4	2	50.0	ND - 0.49	4	1	25.0	ND - 0.40	5	2	40.0	ND - 0.35	18	6	ND - 1.1
	Total	13	13	100.0	0.40 - 4.1	44	17	38.6	ND - 12	35	21	60.0	ND - 2.9	31	16	51.6	ND - 1.5	22	9	40.9	ND - 1.9	145	76	ND - 12
Lakes	Miyagi	1	1	100.0	1.6 - 1.6	3	2	66.7	ND - 2.1	5	5	100.0	0.3 - 2.2	6	5	83.3	ND - 0.96	8	7	87.5	ND - 1.4	23	20	ND - 2.2
	Fukushima	3	3	100.0	3.3 - 6.8	41	41	100.0	2.1 - 93	40	40	100.0	0.7 - 55	39	39	100.0	0.70 - 50	40	39	97.5	ND - 150	163	162	ND - 150
	Ibaraki	2	2	100.0	0.70 - 3.3	6	1	16.7	ND - 7.0	6	5	83.3	ND - 5.2	6	6	100.0	0.57 - 3.0	6	6	100.0	0.34 - 2.6	26	20	ND - 7.0
	Tochigi	1	1	100.0	1.3 - 1.3	2	1	50.0	ND - 1.6	2	2	100.0	0.74 - 0.93	2	2	100.0	1.0 - 1.1	2	2	100.0	0.47 - 2.2	9	8	ND - 2.2
	Gunma	1	1	100.0	2.0 - 2.0	2	2	100.0	1.9 - 2.2	2	1	50.0	ND - 1.7	2	2	100.0	1.5 - 1.7	8	8	100.0	0.67 - 2.4	15	14	ND - 2.4
	Chiba	1	1	100.0	1.4 - 1.4	4	1	25.0	ND - 4.4	2	1	50.0	ND - 1.8	4	3	75.0	ND - 2.5	4	4	100.0	0.36 - 0.61	15	10	ND - 4.4
		Total	9	9	100.0	0.70 - 6.8	58	48	82.8	ND - 93	57	54	94.7	ND - 55	59	57	96.6	ND - 50	68	66	97.1	ND - 150	251	234
Coastal areas	Miyagi	0	0	-	-	2	0	-	-	4	0	-	-	2	0	-	-	2	0	-	-	10	0	-
	Fukushima	0	0	-	-	21	0	-	-	30	1	3.3	ND - 0.33	30	2	6.7	ND - 0.58	30	3	10.0	ND - 0.78	111	6	ND - 0.78
	Tokyo Metropolis	0	0	-	-	2	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	0	0	-	-	2	0	-
		Total	0	0	-	-	25	0	-	-	34	1	2.9	ND - 0.33	32	2	6.3	ND - 0.58	32	3	9.4	ND - 0.78	123	6

ND: Not detectable

○ Sr-89 (FY2011)

Prefecture	River		Lake	
	Number of samples	Number of detections	Number of samples	Number of detections
Miyagi	2	0	1	0
Fukushima	7	0	3	0
Ibaraki	1	0	2	0
Tochigi	1	0	1	0
Gunma	1	0	1	0
Chiba	1	0	1	0
Total	13	0	9	0

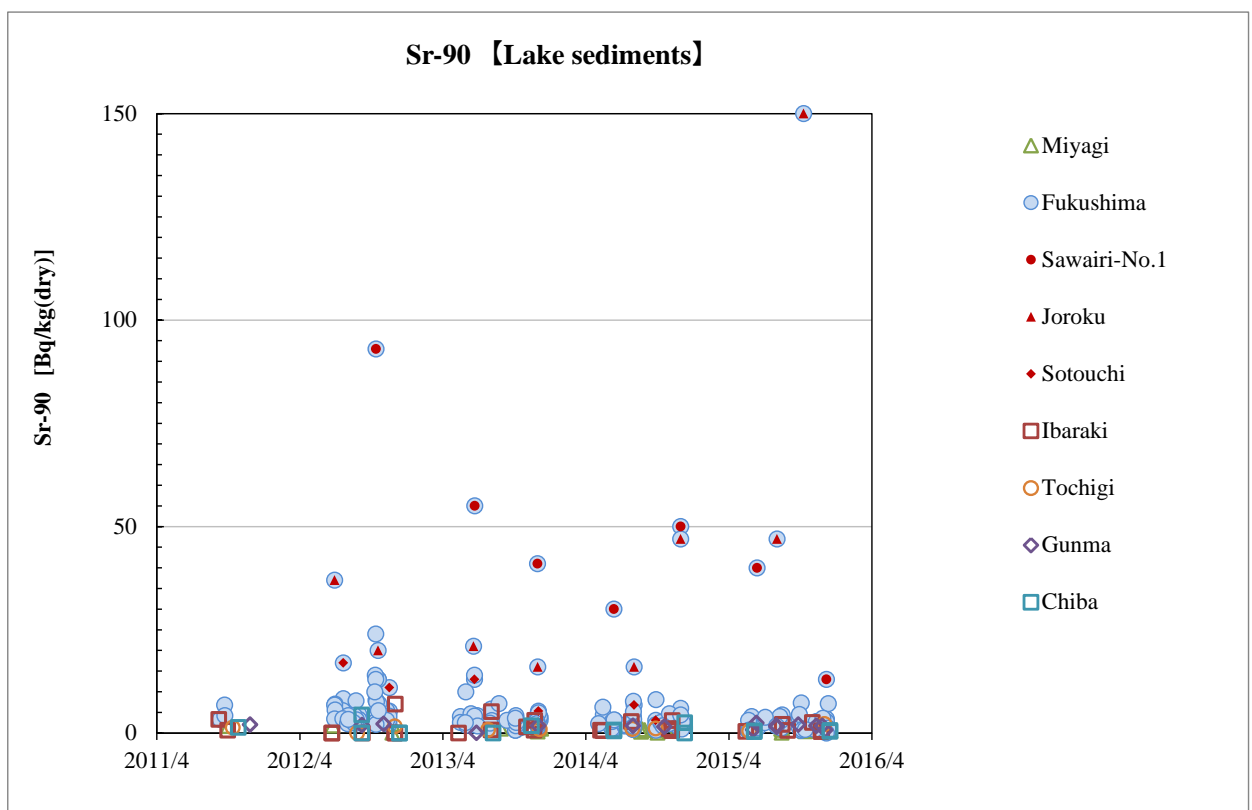
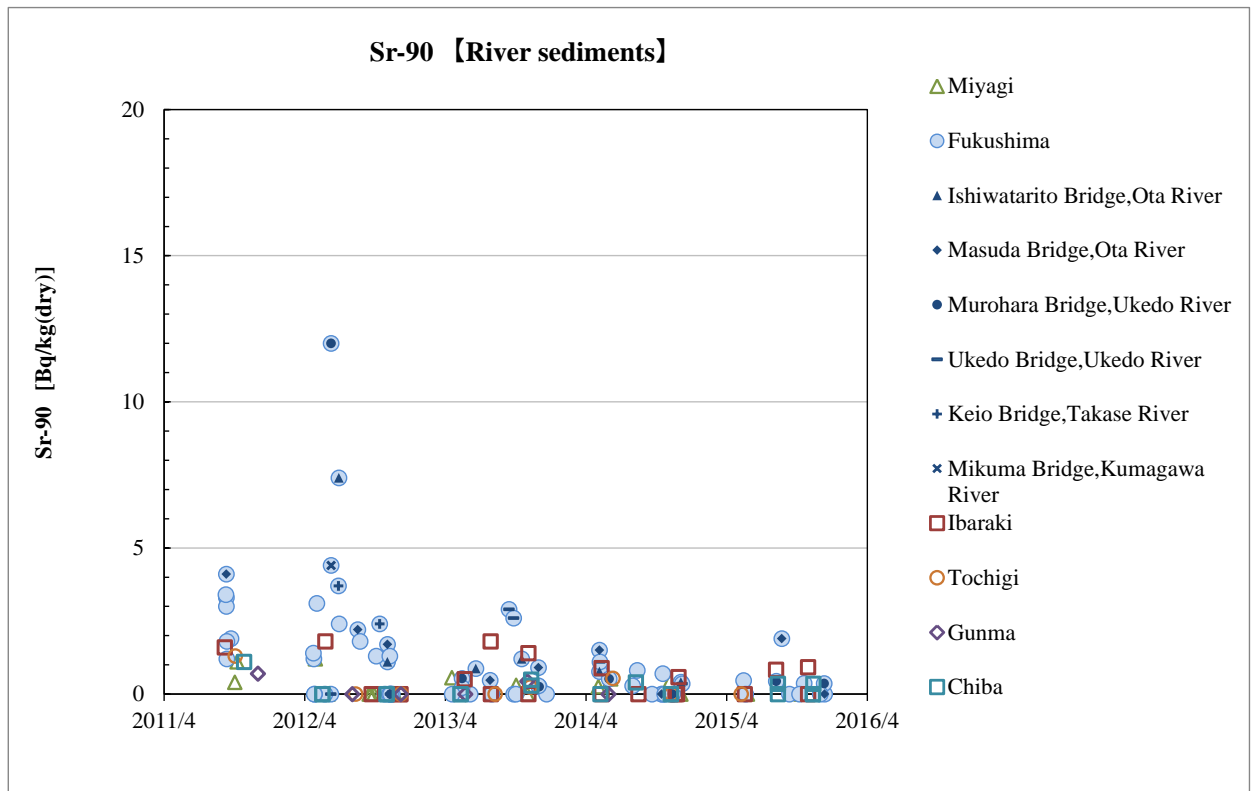


Figure 5.1-1 Detection of Sr-90 in sediment samples from public water areas  
(upper: rivers; lower: lakes)



## (2) Groundwater

Surveys of Sr-89 and Sr-90 were conducted with regard to approx. the 240 groundwater samples collected in Fukushima Prefecture from January 2012 to February 2016.

The outline of the results of these surveys is as shown in Table 5.1-2. Detected values of Sr-89 and Sr-90 were all below the detection limit (1 Bq/L).

Table 5.1-2 Detection of Sr-89 and Sr-90 in groundwater samples (all collected in Fukushima Prefecture)

Financial year	Sr-90				Sr-89			
	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values [Bq/L]( <sup>*1</sup> )	Number of samples	Number of detections	Detection rate(%)	Range of measured values [Bq/L]( <sup>*1</sup> )
FY2011	8	0	0.0	-	8	0	0.0	-
FY2012	60	0	0.0	-	60	0	0.0	-
FY2013	77	0	0.0	-	77	0	0.0	-
FY2014	48	0	0.0	-	48	0	0.0	-
FY2015	48	0	0.0	-	48	0	0.0	-
Total	241	0	0.0	-	241	0	0.0	-

<sup>\*1</sup>:Results were compiled by setting the detection limit at 1 Bq/L.In reality, the detection limit was set at 0.0002 Bq/L and at 0.001 Bq/L for Sr-90 and Sr-89, respectively, for the FY2011 survey, and was set at 1 Bq/L for both Sr-90 and Sr-89 for surveys in FY2012 onward.

In the FY2011 survey (calendar year 2012), Sr-90 was detected in all eight specimens, with detected values ranging from 0.0004 to 0.0029 Bq/L. Similarly, while the detection limit for Sr-89 was set to 0.001 Bq/L in FY2011 (calendar year 2012), Sr-89 in all eight specimens was below the detection limit.

## 5.2 Other $\gamma$ -ray emitting radionuclides

Apart from the aforementioned radionuclides (Cs-134, Cs-137, Sr-89 and Sr-90), measurement results for water samples and sediment samples using a germanium semiconductor detector were analyzed from FY2011 to FY2015 to obtain activity concentrations of accident-derived radionuclides (Ag-110m, Te-129m, Nb-95, Sb-125 and Ce-144, etc<sup>12</sup>.) and major naturally occurring radionuclides such as K-40. The summary of the results is as shown in Table 5.2-1.

Among the detected radionuclides, no artificial radionuclides were detected in water samples, while two types of radionuclides, Ag-110m and Sb-125, were detected in sediment samples with detection rates of 1% or less. Since FY2013, neither radionuclide has been detected.

Six naturally occurring radionuclides (K-40, Pb-212, Pb-214, Tl-208, Ac-228 and Bi-214) were detected; K-40 is a naturally occurring radionuclide entrained during the Earth's formation, while the other species are all either uranium series or thorium series radionuclides, which are widely distributed in nature including earth crusts.

Among the detected radionuclides, Ag-110m and Sb-125 are artificial radionuclides that are generated at nuclear power stations, etc. Therefore, their emitting sources are examined below.

<sup>12</sup> For I-131 from among the accident-derived radionuclides, water samples from public water areas (3,111 river water specimens, 1,416 lake water specimens, and 715 coastal area water specimens) and sediment samples (3,073 river sediment specimen, 877 lake sediment specimens, and 393 coastal area sediment specimens) were surveyed from FY 2011 to FY 2012; from FY 2011 to FY 2014, groundwater samples (3,793 specimens) were surveyed. In none of these samples was I-131 detected (lower detection limit values: 1 Bq/L for water and 10 Bq/kg for sediments).

Table 5.2-1 Detection of other radionuclides

## &lt;Water&gt;

Fiscal year	Number of samples	Major detected artificial radionuclide		Major detected naturally occurring radionuclide	
		Type	Detection rate and detected values	Type	Detection rate
FY2011	1,755	—	—	K-40	10%
FY2012	3,518	—	—	K-40	6%
FY2013	3,860	—	—	K-40	13%
FY2014	3,856	—	—	K-40	10%
FY2015	3,916	—	—	Pb-214 Pb-212 K-40	9% 7% 7%

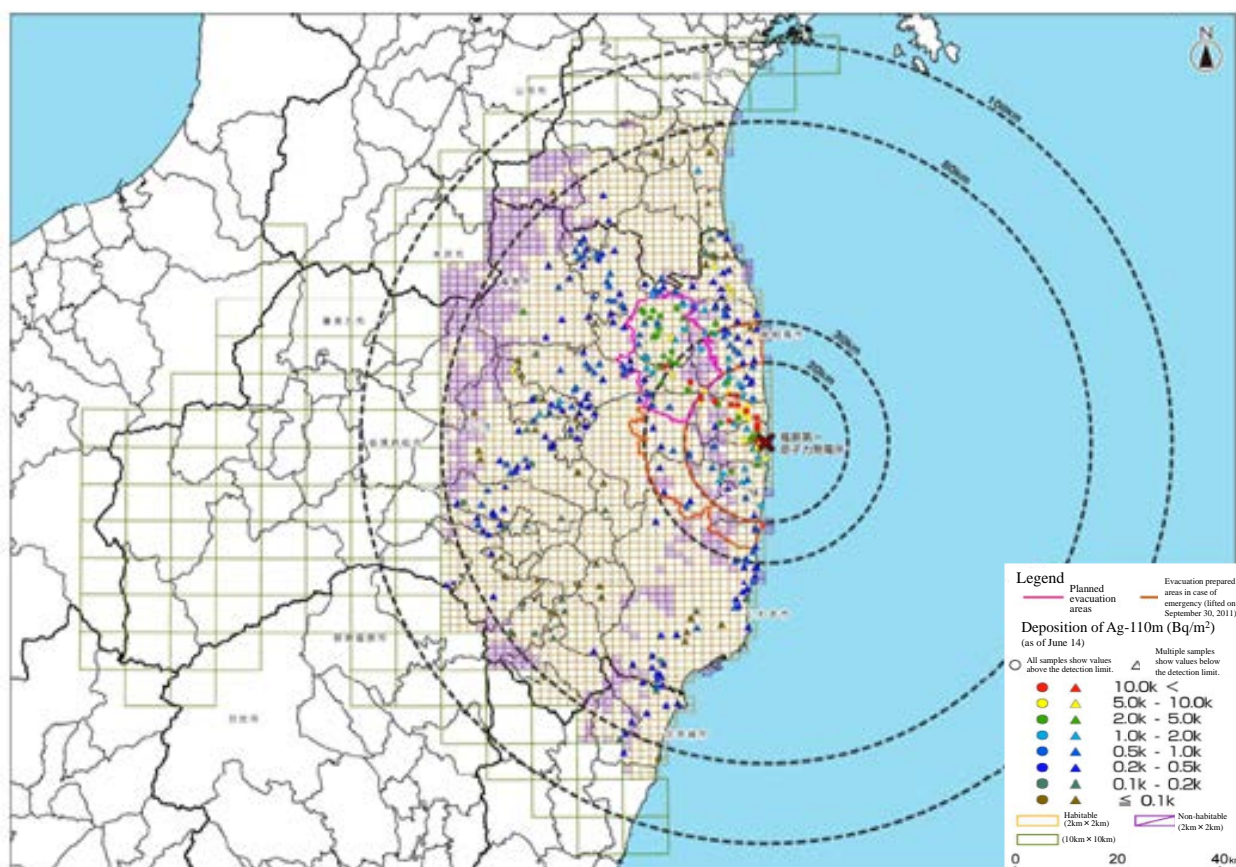
## &lt;Sediments&gt; (detection limits: 7 - 180 Bq/kg for Ag-110m and 130 - 330 Bq/kg for Sb-125)

Fiscal year	Number of samples	Major detected artificial radionuclide		Major detected naturally occurring radionuclide	
		Type	Detection rate and detected values	Type	Detection rate
FY2011	1,559	Ag-110m	4 samples (0.26%) 46 - 170 Bq/kg	K-40	79%
				Pb-212	41%
				Pb-214	16%
				Tl-208	14%
FY2012	2,885	Ag-110m	26 samples (0.90%) 7.9 - 350 Bq/kg	Ac-228	41%
				Bi-214	43%
				K-40	97%
		Sb-125	3 samples (0.10%) 140 - 420 Bq/kg	Pb-212	75%
				Pb-214	44%
				Tl-208	39%
FY2013	3,062	-	-	Ac-228	25%
				Bi-214	25%
				K-40	91%
				Pb-212	49%
				Pb-214	23%
FY2014	3,035	-	-	Tl-208	23%
				Ac-228	24%
				Bi-214	24%
				K-40	91%
				Pb-212	48%
FY2015	3,158	-	-	Pb-214	24%
				Tl-208	24%
				Ac-228	32%
				Bi-214	60%
				K-40	88%
Pb-212	63%				
Pb-214	67%				
Tl-208	37%				

The two types of detected artificial radionuclides (Ag-110m and Sb-125) were not included in the publicized reference materials concerning the amount of radioactive materials discharged due to the Fukushima NPS Accident<sup>13</sup>, but the Distribution Maps of Radiation Doses, etc., prepared in October 2011 include a detailed map showing activity concentrations in soil which contains data for Ag-110m (see Figure 5.2-1). In addition, there were instances of detection of Sb-125 in Niigata Prefecture after the accident<sup>14</sup>. Since FY2013, however, Sb-125 has not been detected.

Ag-110m is produced as the result of activation of Ag-109 in a nuclear reactor, while Sb-125 is a radioisotope produced as a result of nuclear fission.

Accordingly, in light of the distribution of the detected artificial radionuclides and their production processes, they are considered to have been derived from the Fukushima NPS Accident.



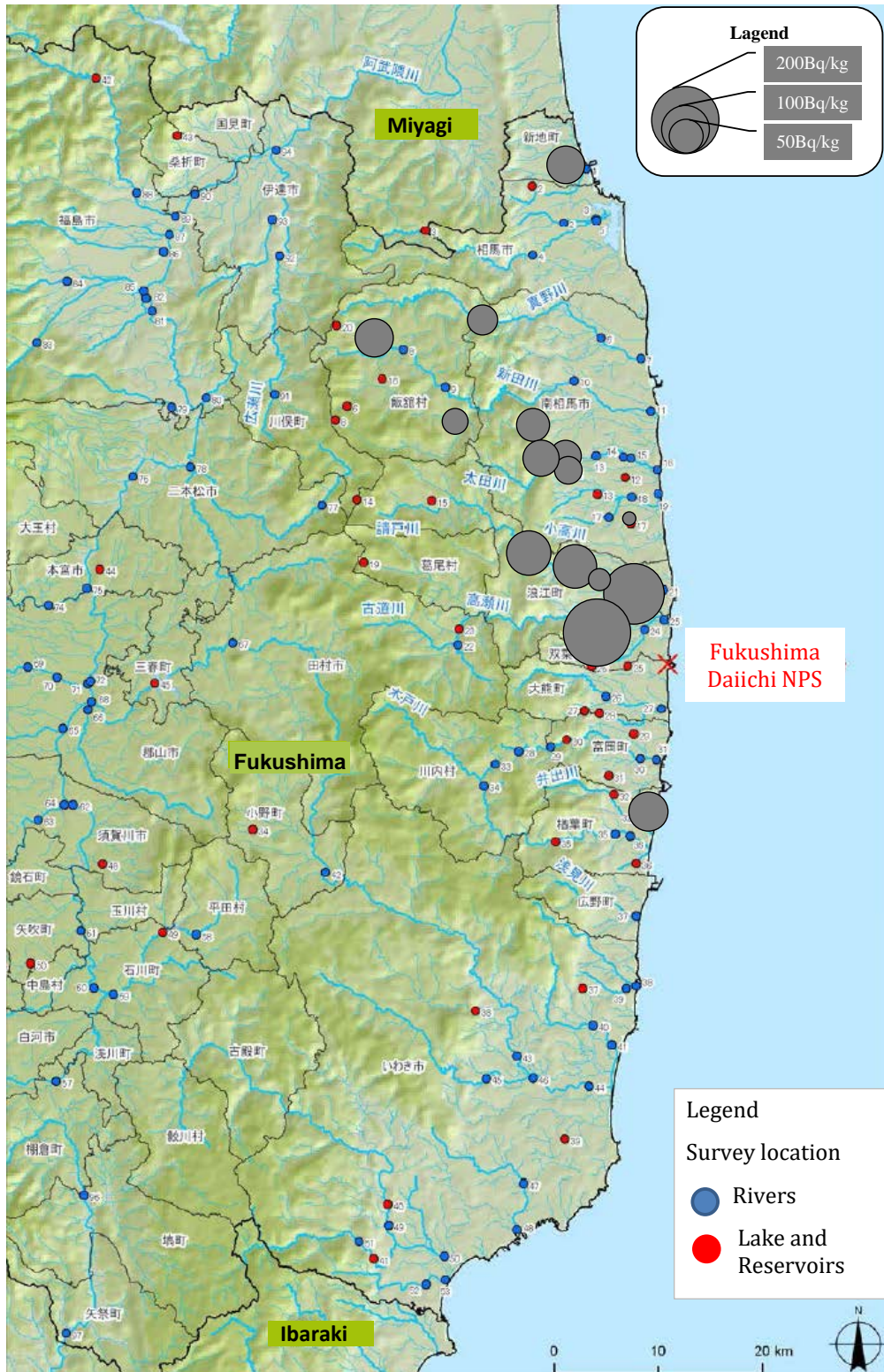
(\*) Reference: Website of the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology<sup>15</sup>

Figure 5.2-1 Map showing concentrations of Ag-110m in soil

<sup>13</sup> Errors in the Released Data on the Amount of Radioactive Materials (October 20, 2011; Nuclear and Industrial Safety Agency) <http://www.meti.go.jp/press/2011/10/20111020001/20111020001.pdf>

<sup>14</sup> Artificial Radionuclides Detected in Niigata Prefecture After the Accident at the Fukushima Daiichi NPS, by Ono, et al.; Annual Report of the Niigata Prefectural Institute of Environmental Radiation Monitoring, vol. 9, 19-29.

<sup>15</sup> Preparation of Distribution Maps of Radiation Doses, etc. (Te-129m and Ag-110m) by MEXT: [http://radioactivity.nsr.go.jp/ja/contents/6000/5050/24/5600\\_111031\\_rev130701.pdf](http://radioactivity.nsr.go.jp/ja/contents/6000/5050/24/5600_111031_rev130701.pdf)



(\* Average of detected values; Ag-110m was not detectable at any other time, or at any unmarked locations.

(\* Sb-125 was detected only at Joroku (agricultural reservoir) (approx. 10 km northwest of the Fukushima Daiichi NPS) at Levels of 140 to 420 Bq/kg during the period from July to November 2012.

Figure 5.2-2 Detection of Ag-110m in sediment samples from public water areas (average of data from September 2011 to March 2013)