

## Japan's MMF Production

(ton, %)

	Production				Ending Stocks	
	Sep. 2016	Y-o-Y Change	Jan.-Sep. 2016	Y-o-Y Change	Sep. 2016	Prev. Month Change
Cellulosic fibers	14,892	-2.5	124,627	-4.2	14,687	-1.7
Synthetic fibers	63,298	-3.4	567,487	-4.8	83,900	-4.2
Nylon filament	7,812	-8.8	69,025	-0.1	13,535	-0.5
Acrylic staple fiber	10,527	-7.1	99,787	-9.1	12,367	-12.0
Polyester filament	9,823	-9.6	92,960	-3.5	10,745	-8.9
Polyester staple fiber	9,384	0.9	87,685	-17.4	21,210	-4.8
Polypropylene filament	6,331	-1.5	56,855	-1.0	780	-13.8
Polypropylene staple fiber	5,083	6.6	45,435	11.0	6,629	1.7
Others	14,338	0.7	124,740	-0.8	18,634	1.1
MMF total	78,190	-3.2	701,114	-4.7	98,587	-3.9

Source: Japan Chemical Fibers Association (provisional)