

Table 3-5 Drinking Water Quality Inspection

Period	Tap Water			Small Water Treatment Facilities		
	No. of Samples Examined	Substandard Samples		No. of Samples Examined	Substandard Samples	
		No.	%		No.	%
2008	9,943	65	0.65	253	14	5.53
2009	11,127	41	0.37	314	7	2.23
2010	11,086	31	0.28	328	16	4.88
2011	10,673	36	0.34	273	—	—
2012	10,441	29	0.28	261	—	—
2013	10,542	14	0.13	236	—	—
2014	10,463	15	0.14	249	15	6.02
2015	10,262	12	0.12	229	8	3.49
2016	10,647	8	0.08	233	1	0.43
2017	10,786	5	0.05	262	—	—
2018	10,611	4	0.04	256	2	0.78
2019	10,945	13	0.12	296	—	—
2020	11,338	13	0.11	251	1	0.40
2021	11,693	9	0.08	269	2	0.74
Nov.	876	—	—	6	—	—
Dec.	783	—	—	20	—	—
2022	11,605	5	0.04	280	—	—
Jan.	867	1	0.12	11	—	—
Feb.	855	—	—	17	—	—
Mar.	1,021	1	0.10	21	—	—
Apr.	960	—	—	8	—	—
May	1,019	—	—	22	—	—
June	1,066	—	—	46	—	—
July	1,061	2	0.19	25	—	—
Aug.	1,054	1	0.09	35	—	—
Sept.	939	—	—	14	—	—
Oct.	962	—	—	13	—	—
Nov.	910	—	—	33	—	—
Dec.	891	—	—	35	—	—
2023	873	—	—	8	—	—
Jan.	873	—	—	8	—	—

Source: EPA, and Local Environmental Protection Bureaus.

Note: 1. Substandard samples means the quality of the examined samples fails to meet "Drinking Water Quality Standards".

2. Since 2005 the "Small Water Treatment Facilities" revised from "Non-tap Water".