Detailed Data 3 Number of Approvals for Manufacturing Drugs, etc.

(As of the end of 2008)

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Classification	Drugs	Quasi-drugs	Cosmetics	Total
Manufacturing	2,438	1,546	3,198	7,182

Source: Pharmaceutical and Food Safety Bureau, MHLW

(Note) Licenses are granted by prefectural governors since April 1, 1995 (Excluding some drugs).