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FINANCIAL CONFERENCE Consolidated Business Results and Forecast and Mid-term Plan(FY'09~FY'12)

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Consolidated Business Results for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2009

Summary of Consolidated Business Results for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2009



Business Environment

Industrial Machinery :Although inventory adjustment by industrial machinery manufacturers progressed, a delay in demand recovery is expected.

✓ Automotive Products: Signs of a recovery in production were seen due to the positive effect of stimulus policies implemented by governments around the world.

✓ Semiconductors/Liquid crystal production equipment: Demand from liquid crystal display and semiconductor production manufacturers remained stagnant although demand in capital investment appeared to be recovering.

Summary of Business Results

- Sales ¥257.9 billion, Operating income -¥3.9 billion
- Returned to overall profitability in Q2 for the first time in 3 straight quarters.
- Operating loss for 1st half of the year shrank compared to the original forecast.

Results by Business Segment

- Industrial Machinery Bearings : Sales increased with the bottom of 1Q, returned to profitability.
- Automotive Products : Sales volume increase contributed to the turnaround of Q2, in addition to the effects from profitability improvement.
- Precision Machinery and Parts: Continued slow sales of linear-motion products contributed to an operating loss.

Summary of Consolidated Business Results for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2009

(100 Million)	09/3 1st half <actual></actual>	10/3 1st half <actual></actual>	Increase/ decrease YOY	Difference YOY	10/3 1st half <original forecast=""></original>
Sales	3,833	2,579	-1,254	-32.7%	2,500
Operating income	286	-39	-325	-	-70
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Ordinary income	289	-87	-376	-	-120
Extraordinary gains	5	-	-5	-	-
Extraordinary losses(※)	17	11	-6	-	-
Income before tax	277	-98	-375	-	-120
Net income	177	-59	-236	-	-85
(Exchange rate:1US\$=) (// 1EURO=)	(¥105.95) (¥162.88)	(¥95.45) (¥133.06)			(¥95) (¥125)

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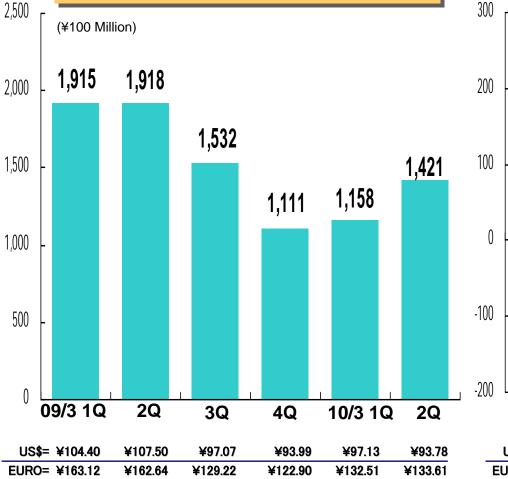
ROE	12.9%	-5.0%	
Net D/E ratio (times)	0.61	0.86	
Inventory turnover (times)	6.9	4.9	

Quarterly Business Performance



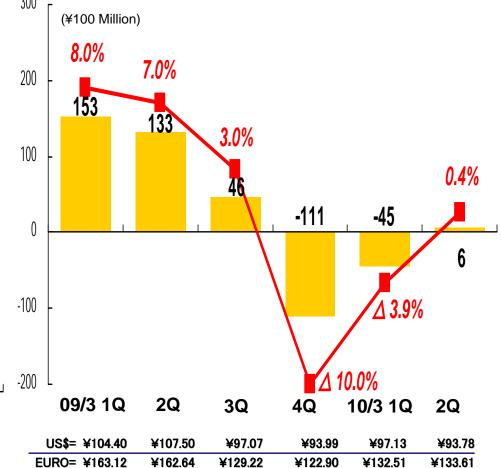
Sales

Sales increased from the Q4 low due to demand recovery in automotive production.



Operating income/Margin

In addition to the positive effects of profitability improvement initiatives, increased sales contributed to a return to profitability in Q2.



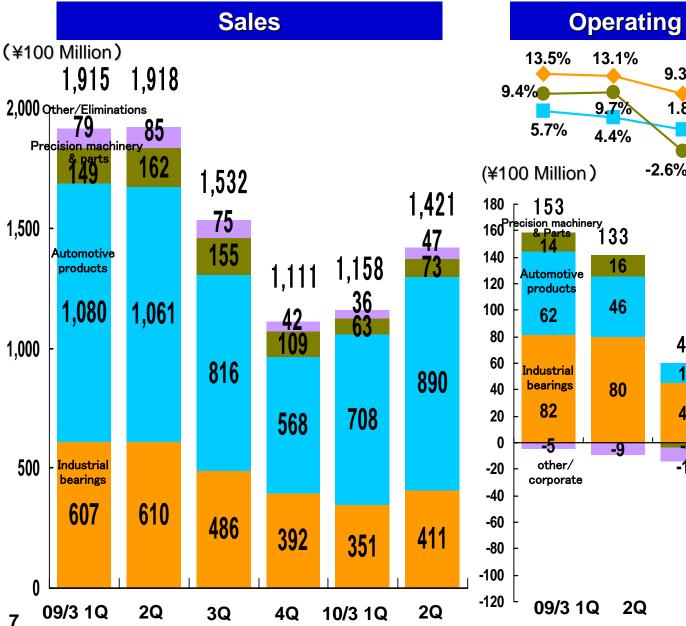
Results by Business Segment



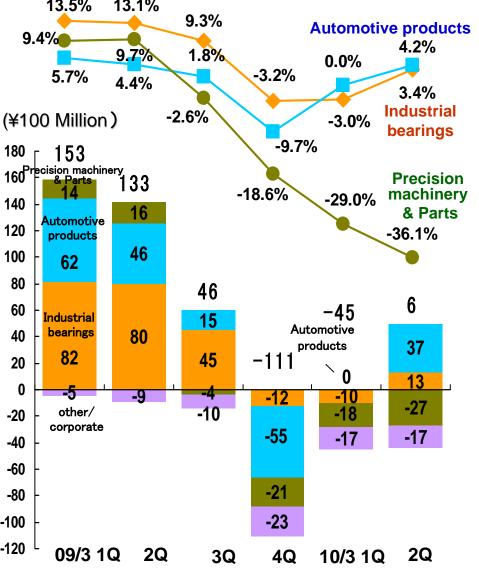
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Sales	3,833		2,579		-1,254	-32.7%	2,500
Industrial bearings	1,217		762		-455	-37.4%	850
Automotive products	2,141		1,598		-543	-25.4%	1,400
Precision machinery & parts	311		136		-175	-56.1%	150
Other	299		149		-150	-50.1%	180
Eliminations	-135		-66		69	-	-80
Operating income	286	<7.5%>	-39	<-1.5%>	-325	-	-70
Industrial bearings	162	<13.3%>	3	<0.4%>	-159	-98.0%	35
Automotive products	108	<5.1%>	37	<2.3%>	-71	-65.4%	-20
Precision machinery & parts	30	<9.6%>	-45	<-32.8%>	-75	-	-45
Other	18	<5.9%>	-9	<-6.3%>	-27	-	-15
Eliminations/Corporate	-32		-25		7	-	-25

Quarterly Business Segment Performance

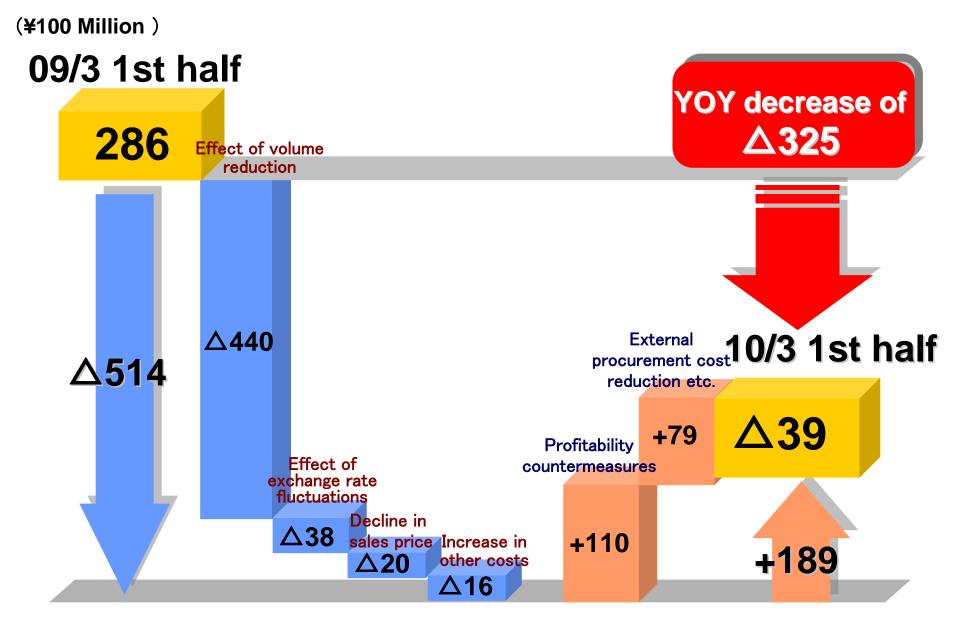




Operating income / Margin



Operating Income: Factors Behind Decline (09/3⇒10/3) NSK







Consolidated Business Forecast for the Year Ending March 31, 2010

Forecast for the Year Ending March 31, 2010 **NSK**

Revised Business Forecast

- Upward revisions were made to both sales and profit forecasts announced in May 12, 2009.
 - Recovery in the automotive products business will support overall results of 2nd half of the year continuously.
- Exchange rate forecast : US\$=¥90.0, EURO=¥130.0

(Original Forecast US\$=¥95.0 EURO=¥125.0)

Forecasted Business Environment for the 2nd Half

Production appears to be gradually heading towards recovery despite uncertainty over future.
 Negative effects expected from end of government fiscal stimulus programs for automobile sales.
 Japan :

General/Industrial machinery — Overall demand will remain stagnant despite

completion of inventory adjustment by manufacturers.

- Automotive Production—Production will continue to recover.
- Semiconductors and Liquid crystal Production Equipment
 - Sales level will remain low, although capital investment demand appears to head for recovery.
- Americas : The economy in Americas is still uncertain. Sales of automobiles in North America will remain stagnant.

Europe : Economy will continue to adjust. Automobile sales appears to be decreasing from 4Q.

Asia : The recovery trend will continue in China.

Forecast for the Year Ending March 31, 2010

(¥100 Million)	09/3	10/3					
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Sales	6,476	2,579	3,121	5,700	-776	-12.0%	5,500
Operating income	221	-39	119	80	-141	-63.8%	30
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Ordinary income	170	-87	87	0	-170	-	-50
income before tax	103	-98	87	-11	-114	-	-50
Net income	46	-59	59	0	-46	-	-35
(Exchange rate:1US\$=) (<i>"</i> 1EURO=)	(¥100.74) (¥144.47)	(¥95.45) (¥133.06)	. ,	(¥93) (¥132)			(¥95) (¥125)

Key Strategies for 2nd half of the Year Ending March 31, 2010

Enhance Response Capability to Change in Market Demand

- Industrial Machinery Bearings/Precision Machinery and Parts
 Promote thorough sales expansion
- -Automotive products
 - ⇒Respond steadily to production volume increase

Continue Profitability Improvement Activities

- Reorganize global production structure
- Reduce external procurement costs
- Concentrate resources on VA/VE activities
- Reduce SG&A, general and administrative costs

Continue Capital Expenditure Reduction

-10/3 Capital Expenditure will be ¥20.0 billion as original forecast

Continue Inventory Reduction

Continue to improve inventory turnover, paying attention to demand trends

Forecast by Business Segment

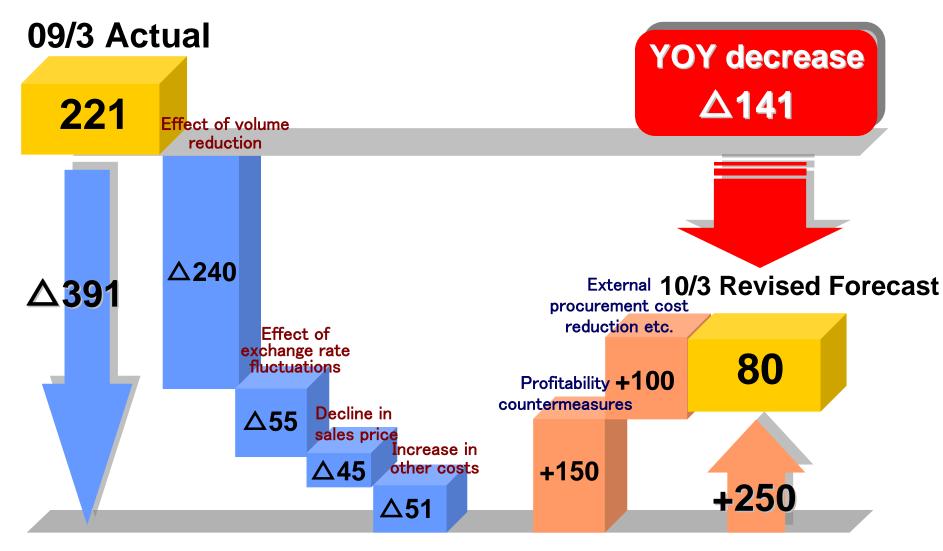


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Automotive products	3,525	1,598 1,952 3,550 +25 +0.7%	3,100
Precision machinery & parts	575	136 174 310 -265 -46.1%	350
Other	507	149 201 350 -157 -31.0%	370
Eliminations	-226	-66 -94 -160 +66 -	-170
Operating income	221 <3.4%>	-39 <-1.5%> 119 <3.8%> 80 <1.4%> -141 -63.8%	30 <0.5%>
Industrial bearings	195 <9.3%>	3 <0.4%> 57 <6.4%> 60 <3.6%> -135 -69.0%	130 <7.0%>
Automotive products	68 <1.9%>	37 <2.3%> 123 <6.3%> 160 <4.5%> + 92 +135.3%	35 <1.1%>
Precision machinery & parts	5 <0.9%>	-45 <-32.8%> -30 <-17.2%> -75 <-24.2%> -80 -	-65 <-18.6%>
Other	8 <1.6%>	-9 <-6.3%> -6 <-3.0%> -15 <-4.3%> -23 -	-20 <-5.4%>
Eliminations/ Corporate	-55	-25 -25 -50 +5 -	-50

Forecast for operating income: Factors Behind Decline (09/3⇒10/3)



(¥100 Million)







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Review of the Mid-term Plan (FY'06~08)

(¥100 Million)		Mid-term plan (FY'06~08)					
	06/3 Actual	07/3 Actual	08/3 Actual	09/3 Actual	09/3 original plan		
Net sales	6,285	7,172	7,720	6,476	7,400		
Operating Income	426	624	693	221	740		
Ordinary Income	389	576	649	170	715		
Net Income	256	349	426	46	445		
Operating Income (margin)	6.8%	8.7%	9.0%	3.4%	10.0%		
ROE	12.1%	14.0%	16.1%	1.8%	15.0%		
Net D/E ratio	0.73	0.69	0.56	0.85	0.4		
\$ =	110.37	116.93	114.55	100.74	108		
 P=	137.39	150.35	162.22	144.47	136		

OProgress was steady through to the second year of the mid-term plan. However, declining demand and higher raw material costs caused by the sudden global recession prevented us achieving our final year targets.

Achievements	Unfinished Tasks
 OEnhanced industrial machinery bearing business (improved roller-bearing supply capacity/Enhanced distribution sales network for the aftermarket sector) OExpanded global sales of automotive products OImproved profitability in Europe and Asia OReinforced business organization in China and India 	 Overall delayed response to changes in business environment (especially in Japan), despite emergency profitability improvement programs enacted from 2nd half of FY2008 OInsufficient profitability improvement measures in Precision Machinery & Parts business OLack of profitability in Americas, despite implementing profitability improvement programs, such as the closure of our Ann Arbor plant

Transition of Our Mid-term Plans





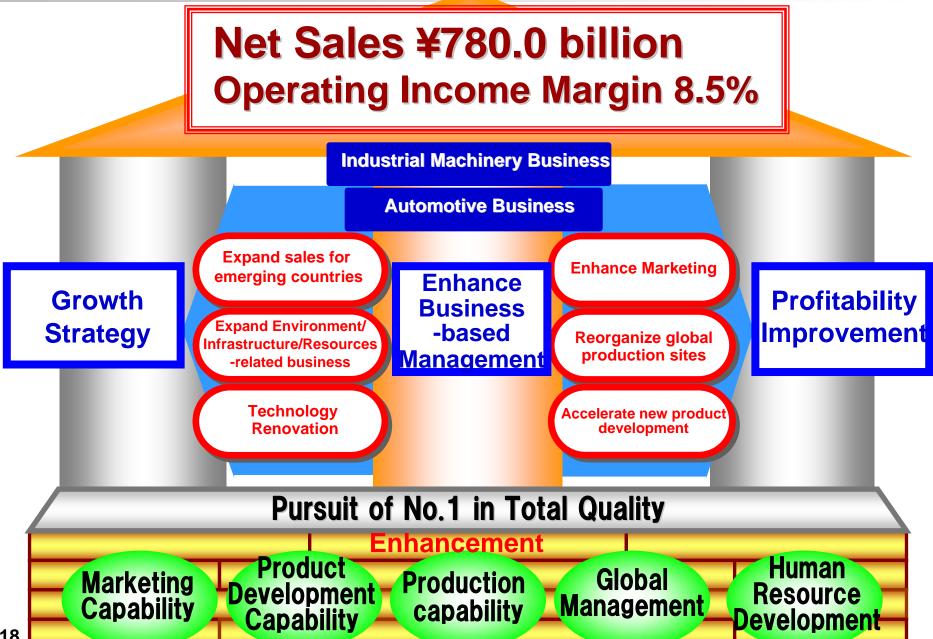
Change of Business Environment

- Although we have emerged from the worst period of downturn, the direction of recovery is still uncertain. A full recovery from the market bottom is expected to occur in the 2nd half of FY2010.
 - Market demand in emerging countries will support overall sales.
- Demand from environment and infrastructure-related business remains strong.
- Change in demand structure due to innovations in automotive technology.

The strong yen expected to continue. (Forecasted exchange rate US\$=¥90/Euro=¥120)

Outline of the FY'09~FY'12 Mid-term Plan







Further accelerate business-based management, under one umbrella of sales, production, technology departments

《Mid-term policy by business segment **》**

Industrial Machinery Business

Comprehensively expand sales to emerging and growing market

Reorganize sales and production structure in the precision Machinery and Parts business

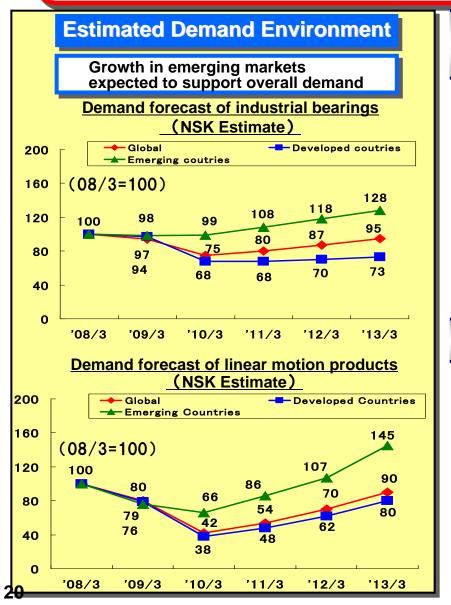
Automotive Business

Capture sales in growing markets and respond to technological innovations

Strategy by business segment> Industrial Machinery Business ①



Expand sales for emerging Countries



Enhance sales in emerging countries and Technology structure

- Adjust and enhance sales structure in emerging countries (BRICs, Latin America, Middle East) *Expand sales sites and workforce (Particularly in China/India) *Enhance frontline (field) technology support structure
- (Enhance overseas technology centers) *Increase application engineers

Expand sales for the aftermarket sector

- Continue and expand channel development
- *Expand sales distribution networks in emerging countries
- Enhance total service capability (Technology/Supply/Training)
- Enhance sales through full line-up of products
 - (Bearings + Precision Machinery and Parts)

Strategy by business segment> Industrial Machinery Business 2

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Expand growing field

Reorganize global production Sites

Enhance sector activities Enhance productivity of roller bearings *****Make use of reorganized production *Focus on environment, infrastructure sites in Japan resource-related fields *****Consider local production in China Industrial Machinery ⇒Capture expanding market demand in *****Expand important target sectors **Bearings** China *****Strengthen technology marketing Cost reduction through integration of ball bearing production sites structure $*OEM \Rightarrow$ grow in aftermarket sector *****Effective integration by manufacturing in by focusing on sector activities most appropriate global location Maximize a production site in China Further activities through sales expansion teams (Shenyang NSK) *****Break away from machine-tool, *****Utilize as a global production site as well as supplier for semiconductor-dependent business Precision local demand in China model Machinery and Parts <Key fields> **Reorganize global production sites** Solar energy /LED/lithium battery /fuel cells/nuclear energy

- Medical equipment/food/biotechnology
- *Cost reduction through integration of production sites in Japan

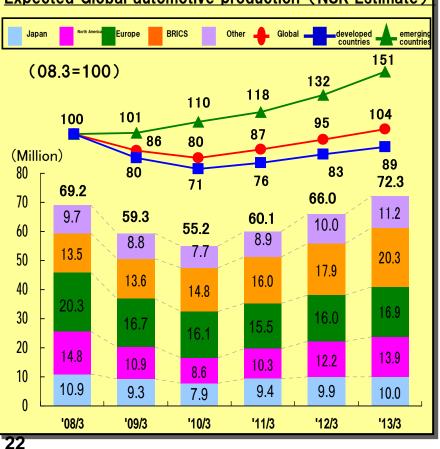
<Strategy by business segment> Automotive Business ①



Expand Sales in emerging countries

Estimated Demand Environment

Sales in emerging countries continue to expand Expanding demand for smaller cars Increase demand for low-cost products



Expected Global automotive production (NSK Estimate)

Deal with downsizing and severe environment

Product Strategy

*Expand product lineup to emerging markets *Accelerate new product development

Customer Strategy

*Actively seek out business with local manufacturers as well as Japanese and European makers

*Enhance business with Tier one suppliers
*Establish a headquarters in India
*Improve regional technology centers
(Particularly in China/Thailand/Brazil/India)

Enhance cost reduction countermeasures

Expand local production

*****Use local raw materials, procure locally and expand in-house manufacturing

Supply components globally by manufacturing in ideal location

<Strategy by business segment> Automotive Business ②



FY2014

Forecast

About 70%

Respond to Technological Innovations

Low fuel

consumption

HEV/EV

Respond to HEV/EV



Expand Electric Power Steering (EPS)

widespread

FY2007

About 35%

EPS Equipment becoming

FY2011

Forecast

About 60%

Proactively capture increasing EPS demand



- *Expand lineup of products
 - ⇒Respond to downsizing trend with Integrated Gearbox and ECU Column type EPS
 - ⇒Speed up development of product lineup by output type

Enhance global production base

- *Trouble-free production launch at new plants (China/India)
- *Adjust production structure in response to an increase in market demand

Create new technologies/products, in response to technological innovations

- *Launch new bearing for hybrid cars
 - ⇒Upgraded downsized/lightweight/ low torque technology
- *****Capture new demand by electricalization
- ⇒Capture increasing demand for motors
 ⇒Develop new markets for actuators
 (Ball screws/utilize bearing technology)

Proactively expand sales of new application

< Regional Strategy > China

Further expand business, strengthen business structure in China

Production

April, 2010:, start production of Precision Machinery

and Parts

⇒Consider production of large-type bearings Build supply structure for local demand in all business segments

Sales

Increase number of sales people, sales sites ⇒Strengthen marketing by increasing sales force and number of sites in North-East and inland regions

Technology

Start practical operations at new site, NSK China

- Technology Center
- ⇒Build autonomous structure in China (Spanning R&D to technological support for customers)

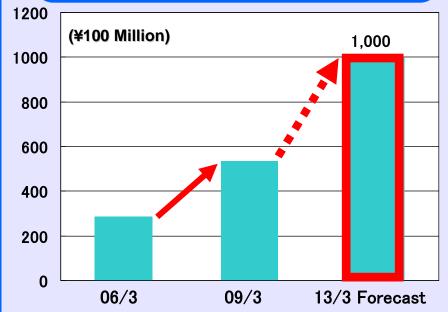
Management

Further enhance management capability by

- moving headquarter office for Chinese business to
- technology development center
- Develop throughout growth strategy, managing overall China business and cooperating with each department

- <Industrial Machinery>
- Key Field : Wind turbine/railways/infrastructurerelated/machine tool/aftermarket sector etc.
- Key Region: Inland /North-East region
- <Automobiles>
- Order-winning activities from Japanese
 manufacturers
- Expand sales to local and European manufacturers

Sales Forecast in China

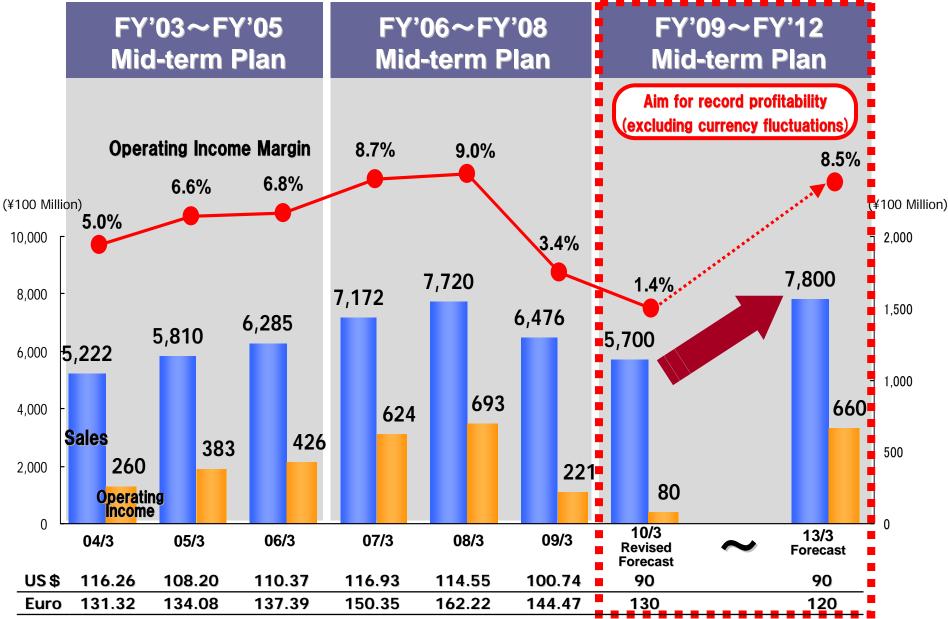


Numerical Target of Mid-term Plan (FY'09~FY'12) NSK

	09/3 Actual		13/3 Forecast
Net Sales	¥647.6 billion		¥780.0 billion
Operating Income	¥22.1 billion		¥66.0 billion
Ordinary Income	¥17.0 billion		¥62.0 billion
Net Income	¥4.6 billion		¥37.0 billion
Operating income (margin)	3.4%		8.5%
ROE	1.8%	//	14.0%
Net D/E ratio (Times)	0.85		0.5
Forecasted exchange rate	US\$=¥100.74 Euro=¥144.47		US\$=¥90 Euro=¥120

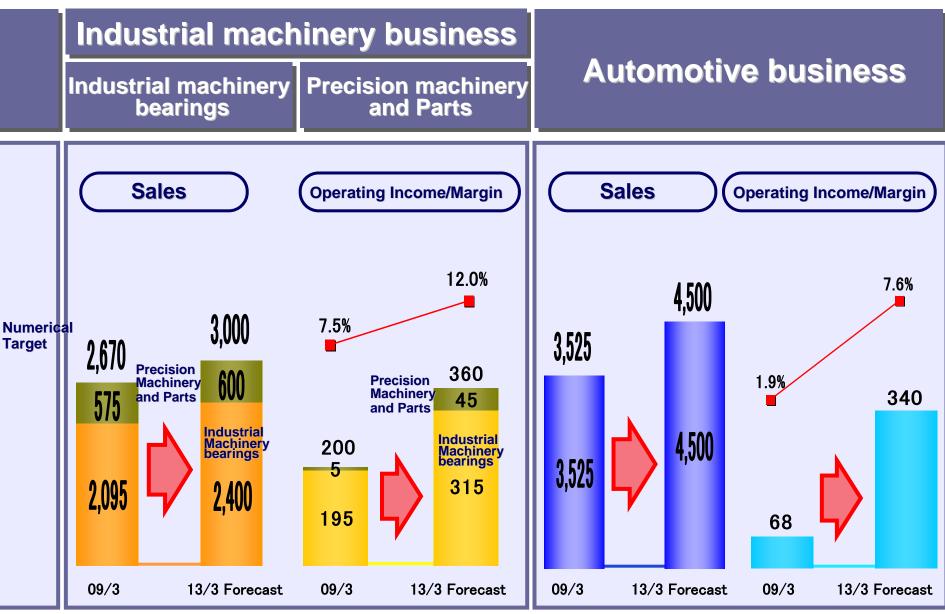
Transition of Sales and Operating Income



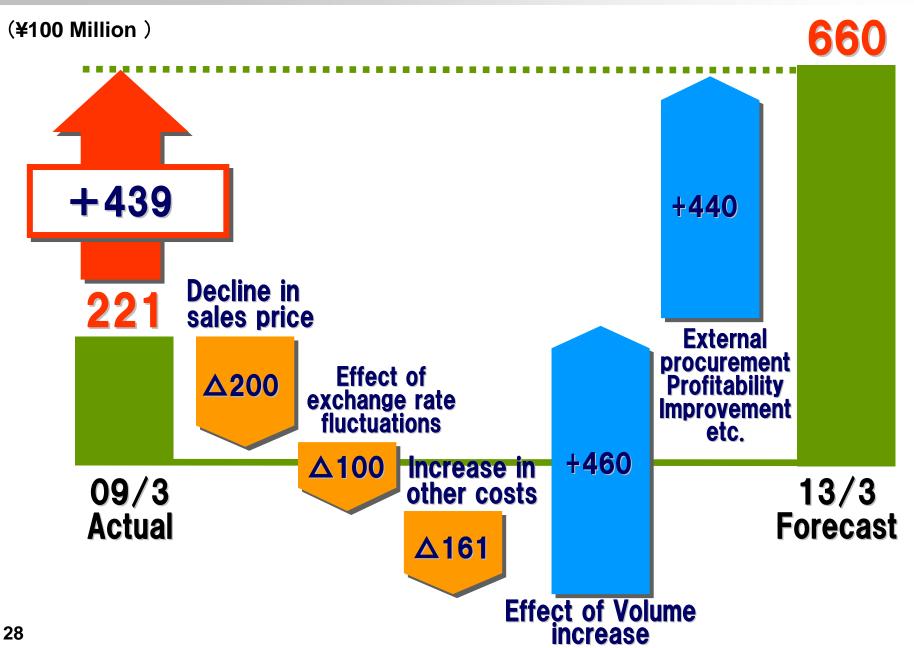


Numerical Target by Business Segments



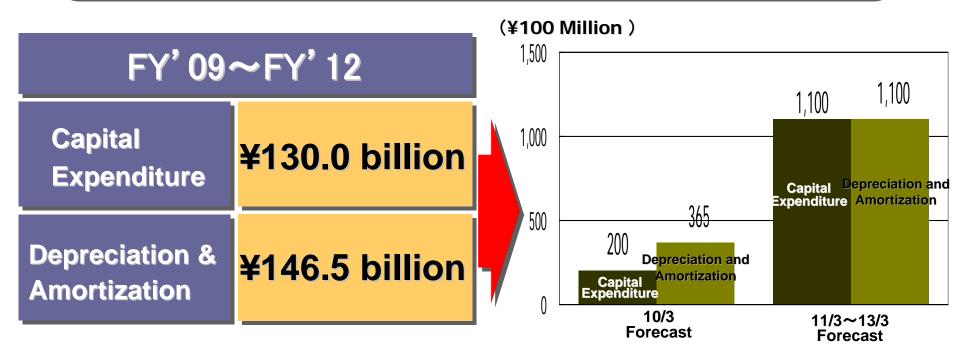


Forecast for operating income: Improvement Factors NSK (09/3⇒13/3)



Capital Expenditure / Depreciation and Amortization **NSK**

FY'09~FY'12 Capital Expenditure and Depreciation and amortization



Total Capital Expenditure ¥130.0 billion (FY'09~FY'12) (as far as depreciation and amortization level)

In addition to ordinary expenditure, strategy expenditure (China/EPS etc.,), system and infrastructure-related expenditure are planned.

Summary



《Mid-term Plan FY'09~FY'12 Policy **》**

Although the business environment is still challenging, we will proactively tackle paradigm shifts in the industry. We consider the Mid-term plan (FY'09 \sim 12) as the strategic building period in preparation for the next growth phase (sales target ¥1 trillion)

Basic Strategies

OProfitability enhancement : Enhance and restructure sales and production foundation/accelerate development of new products
 OGrowth Strategy : Proactively expand sales in emerging countries and key fields (environment, infrastructure and resource-related) as well as responding to new innovations in automotive technology.

《For Achieving Our Goal》

©Enhance quality of our business, by aiming to be "No.1 in Total Quality."

- **O**Focus on business-based management, clarifying responsibility structure.
- **©**Enhance global management and frontline capabilities.



(Supplementary Material)

(Supplementary Material) Forecast by Geographical Segment



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Japan	2,815	1,979	4,794	1,875	2,265		4,140	-654	-13.6%	3,980
Americas	490	292	782	307	353		660	-122	-15.7%	690
Europe	717	429	1,146	464	476		940	-206	-18.0%	920
Asia	610	475	1,085	429	591		1,020	-65	-6.0%	930
Eliminations	-799	-532	-1,331	-496	-564		-1,060	271	-	-1,020
Operating income	286 <7.5%	> -65 <-2.5%>	221 <3.4%>	-39 <-1.5%>	119	<3.8%>	80 <1.4%>	-141	-63.8%	30 <0.5%>
Japan	164 <5.8%	> -98 <-5.0%>	66 <1.4%>	-51 <-2.7%>	55	<2.5%>	5 <0.1%>	-61	-92.4%	5 <0.1%>
Americas	22 <4.4%	-13 <-4.2%>	9 <1.2%>	1 <0.4%>	16	<4.5%>	17 <2.6%>	8	+88.9%	5 <0.7%>
Europe	61 <8.5%	> 33 <7.7%>	94 <8.2%>	22 <4.8%>	25	<5.3%>	47 <5.0%>	-47	-50.0%	20 <2.2%>
Asia	67 <11.0%	> 29 <6.0%>	96 <8.8%>	17 <3.9%>	53	<9.0%>	70 <6.9%>	-26	-27.1%	60 <6.5%>
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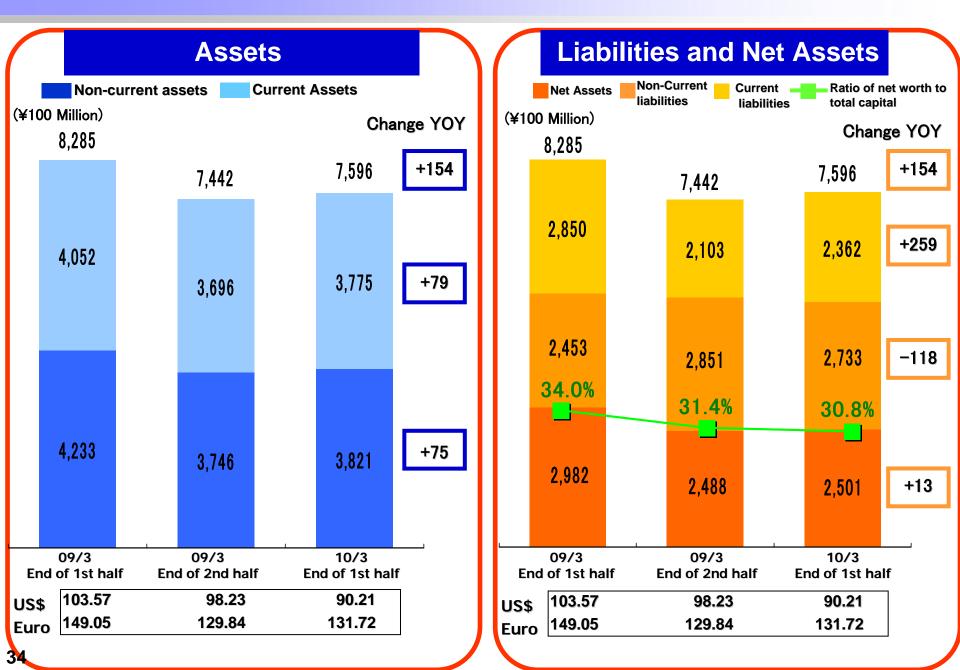
(Supplementary Material) Forecast by Customer Location



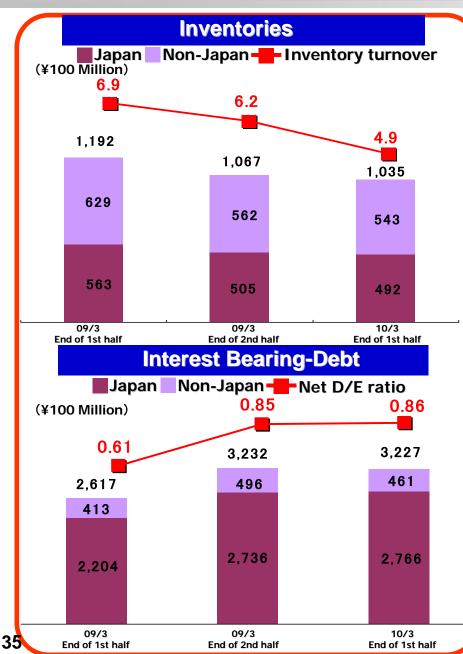
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Non-Japan	1,904 1,338 3,242	1,311 1,569 2,880 -362 -11.2% 2,79
(Non-Japan ratio)	(49.7%) (50.6%) (50.1%)	(50.8%) (50.3%) (50.5%) (50.7
Americas	494 293 787	313 347 660 -127 -16.1% 69
Europe	692 427 1,119	455 485 940 -179 -16.0% 93
Asia	718 618 1,336	543 737 1,280 -56 -4.2% 1,17

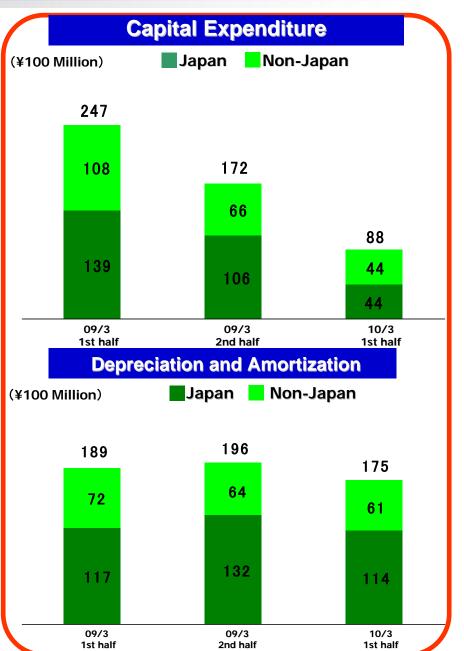
(Supplementary Material) Consolidated Balance Sheets





(Supplementary Material) Inventory/ Interest-Bearing Debt, Capital Expenditure/ Depreciation





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(Supplementary Information) For the Year Ending March 31, 2010



(¥100 Million)	09/3 Actual	10/3 1st half Actual	10/3 Forecast
Capital expenditure(*)	419	88	200
Japan	243	44	115
Non-Japan	174	44	85
The Americas	22	4	12
Europe	35	3	13
Asia	117	37	60

* Excluding intangible assets

(¥100 Million)	09/3	10/3	10/3
	Actual	1st half Actual	Forecast
Depreciation(*)	385	175	365

* Excluding intangible assets

(¥100 Million)	09/3	10/3	10/3	
	Actual	1st half Actual	Forecast	
R&D	107	43	100	

(Supplementary Material) Forecast for Mid-term Plan by business segment



(¥100 Million)	09/3 Actual		10/3 Forecast		13/3 Forecast	
Industrial machinery business						
Sales	2,670		1,960		3,000	
Operating Income<%>	200	<7.5%>	-15	<-0.8%>	360	<12.0%>
Industrial machinery bearings						
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