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Consolidated Business Results and Forecast

May 14, 2018 NSK Ltd.





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(Supplementary Information)



1. Consolidated Business Results for the Year Ended March 31, 2018



Business Environment

- Industrial machinery business: Robust demand. Strong recovery in Japan and China.
- Automotive business: Despite adjustment in NA market, moderate growth continued in other regions. Growth in AT business.
- Exchange rate: Yen weakened year-on-year, despite appreciation at the beginning of 2018.

Summary of Business Results

Consolidated Business Results		(YoY)
Net Sales :	¥ 1,020.3 billion	(+¥ 71.2 billion / +7.5%)
Segment Income * :	¥ 100.3 billion	(+¥ 16.5 billion / +19.7%)
Operating Income :	¥ 97.9 billion	(+¥ 32.5 billion / +49.8%)
(O.I%)	(9.6%)	(+2.7p)
Net Income Attributable to Owners of the Parent :	¥ 69.3 billion	(+¥ 23.8 billion / +52.1%)

- Sales reached 1 trillion yen for first time in NSK's history. Segment income exceeded 100 billion yen also a record high.
- Operating income and net income attributable to owners of the parent also hit a new high. ROE improved to 13.9%.
- ✓ Raised full-year dividend from ¥38 (forecast) to ¥40. (Increased 2nd half dividend by ¥2: ¥19 ⇒ ¥21)

*Segment Income : Operating income before deduction of other operating expenses

Summary of Consolidated Business Results for the Year Ended March 31, 2018



(Billions of yen)	FY2016 <actual></actual>	FY2017 <actual></actual>	Increase/ Decrease YOY	Difference YOY	FY2017 <nov fcst=""></nov>
Net sales	949.2	1,020.3	+71.2	+7.5%	1,000.0
Operating income	65.3	97.9	+32.5	+49.8%	92.0
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Income before income taxes	63.6	97.2	+33.6	+52.9%	91.0
Net income attributable to owners of the parent	45.6	69.3	+23.8	+52.1%	62.0
(Ex. rate:1USD=)	108.42	110.86	+2.44	+2.3%	110.54
(// 1EUR=)	118.84	129.70	+10.86	+9.1%	125.65
(// 1CNY=)	16.11	16.75	+0.64	+4.0%	16.41

*Reference: Segment Income : Operating income before deduction of other operating expenses Other operating expenses : Antimonopoly Act-related losses, foreign exchange losses

Segment income	83.8	100.3	+16.5	+19.7%	95.0
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[Major indexes]					
ROE	9.9%	13.9%			
Net D/E ratio (times)	0.28	0.22			
Inventory turnover (times)	7.2	7.4	Copyright I	NSK Ltd. All Rights Re	eserved. 4

Sales & Operating Income Results by Business Segment



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	Operating income	65.3	97.9	+32.5	+49.8%	92.0
	<%>	6.9%	9.6%			9.2%
	Net sales	226.9	266.2	+39.3	+17.3%	259.0
	Industrial Machinery Bearings	184.3	208.9	+24.6	+13.4%	204.0
	Precision Machinery and Parts	42.7	57.4	+14.7	+34.5%	55.0
	Operating income	14.7	28.3	+13.7	+93.3%	25.5
	<%>	6.5%	10.6%			9.8%
	Net sales	696.3	723.6	+27.3	+3.9%	713.0
Business	Automotive Bearings	328.0	350.9	+22.9	+7.0%	350.0
	Automotive Components	368.3	372.6	+4.4	+1.2%	363.0
	Operating income	64.6	66.0	+1.4	+2.1%	64.0
	<%>	9.3%	9.1%			9.0%
Others	Net sales	52.9	57.9	+5.1	+9.6%	56.0
	Operating income	4.4	5.7	+1.3	+28.5%	5.3
	<%>	8.4%	9.8%			9.5%
Eliminations	s (sales)	-26.9	-27.4	-0.5		-28.0
Other operating / Adjustments	expenses	-18.3	-2.1	+16.2	K Ltd. All Rights R	-2.8

(Billions of yen)		FY2017 <actual></actual>	Increase/ Decrease YOY	Difference YOY	FY2017 <nov FCST></nov 	■ Ind BRG ■ Precision ■ O.I − − O.I (%) 11.8% 6.8% 8.1% 7.7% 8.8% 7.3%
Net sales	226.9	266.2	+39.3	+17.3%	259.0	68.5 ^{70.8} 61.5 62.6 ^{64.3} 54.3 53.6 ^{57.5} 14.9 15.6
Industrial machinery Bearings	184.3	208.9	+24.6	+13.4%	204.0	9.8 10.0 10.7 9.8 10.0 10.7 9.8 10.0 10.7 9.8 10.0 10.7 9.8 10.0 10.7 9.8 10.0 10.7 10.7 10.7 10.7 10.7 10.7 10.7
Precision machinery and parts	42.7	57.4	+14.7	+34.5%	55.0	10.0 44 4 43 6 46.8 49.4 49.3 50.7 53.6 55.2
Operating income	14.7 <6.5%>	28.3 <10.6%>	+13.7	+93.3%	25.5 <9.8%>	44.4 43.6 46.8 49.4 49.3 30.7 8.1 3.7 4.6 4.7 5.5 4.7 1.6
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Volume increased backed by strong demand. Both sales and OI improved significantly.

Precision sales near record high. (Full-year OI exceeded previous record in FY2006)

Robust sectors: Machine tools, semiconductors, home appliances, construction machinery, and robotics.

Restored double-digit OI, partially due to the effect of higher sales prices.

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Business Results: Automotive Business

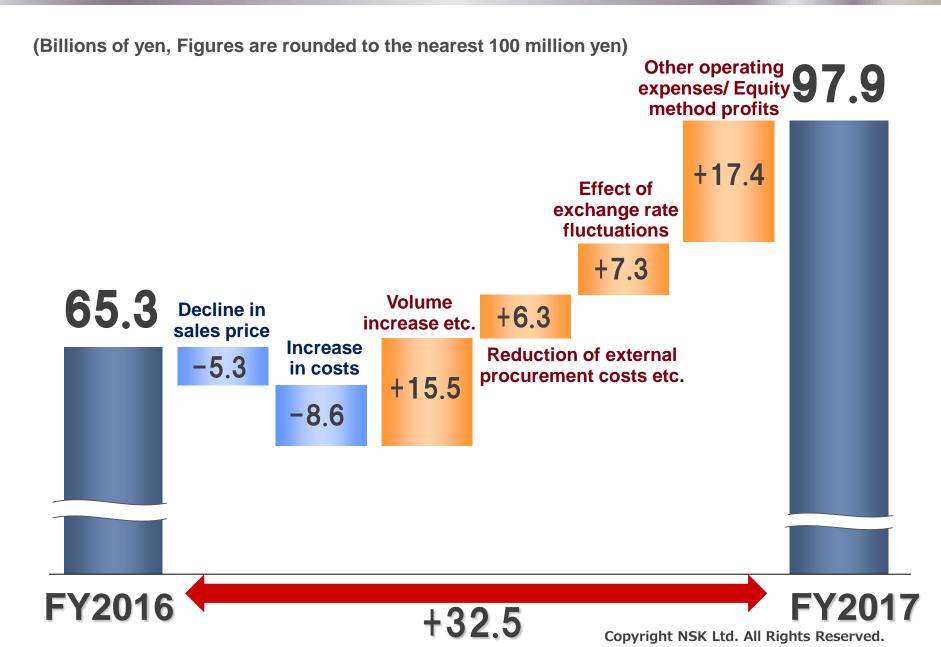


						Auto BRG Auto Comp O.I ––O.I (%)
(Billions of yen)	FY2016 <actual></actual>		Increase/ Decrease YOY	Difference YOY	FY2017 <nov FCST></nov 	9.3% 7.4% 9.5% 10.8% 9.9% 7.9% 9.9% 8.8% 7.4% 178.1 182.8 174.2 178.0 187.8 183.6 187.8 183.6 171.2 164.3
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Operating income	64.6 <9.3%>	66.0 <9.1%>	+1.4	+2.1%	64.0 <9.0%>	15.9 12.2 16.8 17.2 14.1 16.0 16.1 81.0 76.8 83.6 86.6 84.2 86.3 91.5 88.9
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- ✓ Full-year sales reached a new high. Maintained OI in the 9% range.
- ✓ Japan: Robust sales of AT-related products. Achieved high growth with 8% YoY increase.
- ✓ NA, China: Sales decreased due to vehicle model changes.
- Europe: Positive impact of a change in product mix. Volume increased by 4% YoY, outpacing market growth.

Operating Income: Factors Behind Change (FY2016 ⇒ FY2017)





Sales Results by Customer Location



	FY2016	FY2017			
(Billions of yen)	<actual></actual>	<actual></actual>	Increase / Decrease YOY	Difference YOY	
Net sales	949.2	1,020.3	+71.2	+7.5%	
Japan	330.5	372.1	+41.6	+12.6%	
Non-Japan	618.7	648.2	+29.5	+4.8%	
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The Americas	165.2	155.5	-9.7	-5.9%	
Europe	121.9	137.9	+15.9	+13.1%	
China	201.2	212.1	+10.9	+5.4%	
Other Asia	130.4	142.8	+12.4	+9.5%	
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2. Consolidated Business Forecast for the Year Ending March 31, 2019

Summary of Consolidated Business Forecast for the Year Ending March 31, 2019



Forecasted Business Environment

- Industrial machinery business: Robust demand to continue, primarily in the machine tool and semiconductor sectors.
- ✓ Automotive business: Moderate growth in global vehicle production expected.
- Risk: Material price rises, trade friction, strong yen, geopolitical risk.

Business Forecast

Consolidated Business Forecast

Net Sales :	¥ 1,020.0 billion	(-¥ 0.3 billion / -0.0%)
Operating Income :	¥ 98.0 billion	(+¥ 0.1 billion / +0.1%)
	≠ 90.0 Dimon (9.6%)	(++ 0.1 billion / +0.1 /8)
(O.I%) Net Income Attributable to		
Owners of the Parent :	¥ 69.0 billion	(-¥ 0.3 billion / -0.5%)

- Industrial machinery business: Respond to demand increase. Both sales and Ol are expected to grow.
- Automotive business: AT-related sales to increase, while steering sales to decline.
- Exchange rate : USD=¥105, EURO=¥125, CNY=¥16.7
- ✓ FY18 full-year dividend (forecast): ¥40 (Interim: ¥20, 2nd half: ¥20)

(YoY)

Summary of Consolidated Business Forecast for the Year Ending March 31, 2019



		FY2017		FY2018					
(Billions of yen)	1st half <actual></actual>	2 nd half <actual></actual>	Full year <actual></actual>	1 st half <forecast></forecast>	2 nd half <forecast></forecast>	Full year <forecast></forecast>	Increase/ Decrease YOY	Difference YOY	
Net sales	493.3	527.0	1,020.3	509.0	511.0	1,020.0	-0.3	-0.0%	
Operating income <%>	42.7 <8.7%>	55.1 <10.5%>	97.9 <9.6%>	47.0 <9.2%>	51.0 <10.0%>	98.0 <9.6%>	+0.1	+0.1%	
Income before income taxes	42.4	54.8	97.2	46.5	50.5	97.0	-0.2	-0.3%	
Net income attributable to owners of the parent	28.4	40.9	69.3	33.0	36.0	69.0	-0.3	-0.5%	
(Ex. rate:1USD=)	111.07	110.65	110.86	105	105	105	-5.86	-5.3%	
(// 1EUR=)	126.29	133.11	129.70	125	125	125	-4.70	-3.6%	
(// 1CNY=)	16.42	17.08	16.75	16.7	16.7	16.7	-0.05	-0.3%	
Segment income	44.2	56.1	100.3	47.5	51.5	99.0			
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Segment Income : Operating income before deduction of other operating expenses Other operating expenses : Antimonopoly Act-related losses, foreign exchange losses

Forecast by Business Segment



			FY2017				FY2018		
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Total	Net sales	493.3	527.0	1,020.3	509.0	511.0	1,020.0	-0.3	-0.0%
	Operating income	42.7	55.1	97.9	47.0	51.0	98.0	+0.1	+0.1%
	<%>	8.7%	10.5%	9.6%	9.2%	10.0%	9.6%		
Industrial	Net sales	126.9	139.3	266.2	139.0	144.0	283.0	+16.8	+6.3%
Machinery Business	Industrial Machinery Bearings	100.0	108.8	208.9	108.0	112.0	220.0	+11.1	+5.3%
	Precision Machinery and Parts	26.9	30.5	57.4	31.0	32.0	63.0	+5.6	+9.8%
	Operating income	10.2	18.1	28.3	17.5	20.5	38.0	+9.7	+34.1%
	<%>	8.1%	13.0%	10.6%	12.6%	14.2%	13.4%		
Automotive Business	Net Sales	352.1	371.4	723.6	355.0	351.0	706.0	-17.6	-2.4%
Duanicaa	Automotive Bearings	170.6	180.4	350.9	178.5	184.0	362.5	+11.6	+3.3%
	Automotive Components	181.6	191.1	372.6	176.5	167.0	343.5	-29.1	-7.8%
	Operating income	31.2	34.7	66.0	27.0	28.0	55.0	-11.0	-16.6%
	<%>	8.9%	9.4%	9.1%	7.6%	8.0%	7.8%		
Others	Net sales	26.7	31.2	57.9	32.0	33.0	65.0	+7.1	+12.2%
	Operating income	2.6	3.1	5.7	3.0	3.0	6.0	+0.3	+5.8%
	<%>	9.6%	9.9%	9.8%	9.4%	9.1%	9.2%		
Eliminatio	ons (sales)	-12.4	-15.0	-27.4	-17.0	-17.0	-34.0	-6.6	
Other operati / Adjustment		-1.3	-0.8	-2.1	-0.5	-0.5	-1.0	+1.1	13

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Operating Income: Factors Behind Change (FY2017 ⇒ FY2018 Forecast)



(Billions of yen) **Other operating** Effect of expenses/ Equity exchange rate method profits fluctuations +2.4-5.0 98.0 97.9 +6.0Volume -5.0 increase etc. **Reduction of external Decline in** procurement costs etc. +9.0sales price -7.3Increase in costs **FY2018 FY2017** Forecast



		FY2017		FY2018					
(Billions of yen)	1st half <actual></actual>	2 nd half <actual></actual>	Full year <actual></actual>	1 st half <forecast></forecast>	2 nd half <forecast></forecast>	Full year <forecast></forecast>	Increase/ Decrease YOY	Difference YOY	
Net sales	493.3	527.0	1,020.3	509.0	511.0	1,020.0	-0.3	-0.0%	
Japan	179.3	192.9	372.1	190.5	191.0	381.5	+9.4	+2.5%	
Non-Japan	314.1	334.1	648.2	318.5	320.0	638.5	-9.7	-1.5%	
<non-japan ratio=""></non-japan>	<63.7%>	<63.4%>	<63.5%>	<62.6%>	<62.6%>	<62.6%>			
The Americas	75.7	79.8	155.5	76.0	74.5	150.5	-5.0	-3.2%	
Europe	64.0	73.9	137.9	66.0	70.0	136.0	-1.9	-1.3%	
China	104.0	108.0	212.1	104.5	103.0	207.5	-4.6	-2.2%	
Other Asia	70.3	72.4	142.8	72.0	72.5	144.5	+1.7	+1.2%	
(Ex. rate:1USD=)	111.07	110.65	110.86	105	105	105	-5.86	-5.3%	
(// 1EUR=)		133.11	129.70	125	125	125	-4.70	-3.6%	
(// 1CNY=)	16.42	17.08	16.75	16.7	16.7	16.7	-0.05	-0.3%	



Key Initiatives of FY2018

•The final year of the 5th MTP

- Robust demand environment. Secure strong profit in growth fields and core fields.
- ✓ Absorb and recover cost hike factors (raw materials, labor).
- Maintain focus on achieving double-digit OI margin.
- Thorough implementation of Safety, Quality and Compliance.

Industrial Machinery Business

- Strong demand to continue. Optimize sales opportunities.
- Improve and strengthen supply management (Precision bearings, precision machinery products).
- Implement pricing policy.

Automotive Business

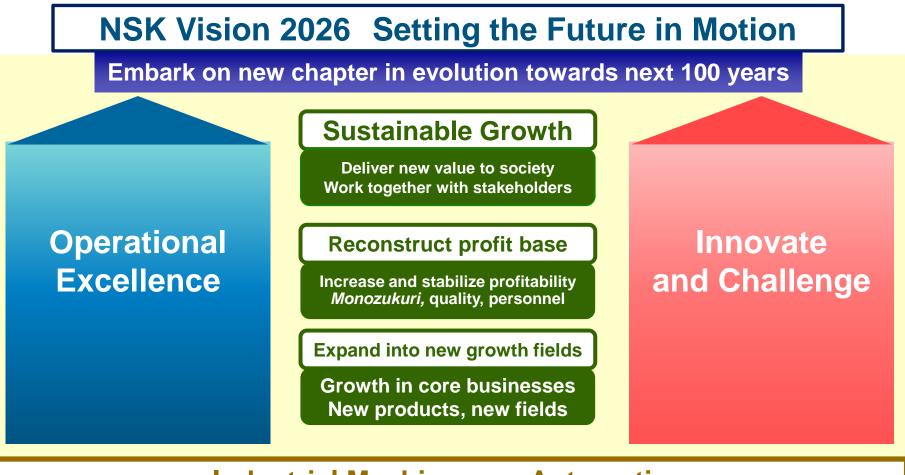
- Expand powertrain business. Increase capacity and secure profits.
- Promote development of Rack-type EPS and boost sales initiatives.
- Expand sales of ball screws for electric brake boosters.
- Develop new products for EV and autonomous driving.



3. Progress of the 5th Mid-Term Management Plan

The 5th MTP Concept





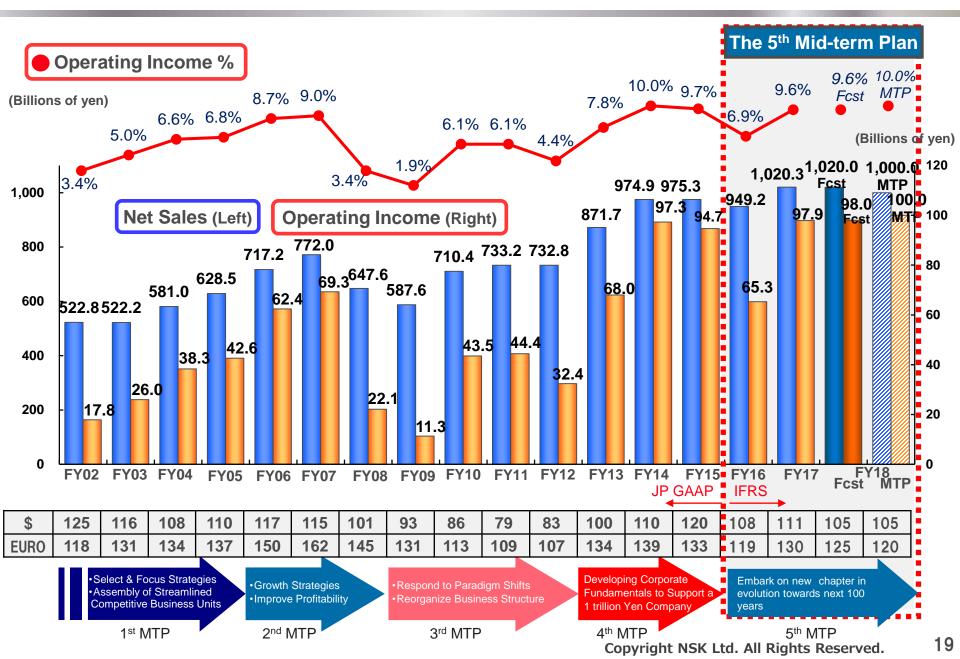
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Safety • Quality • Compliance

Business Foundation as 1 trillion Yen Company

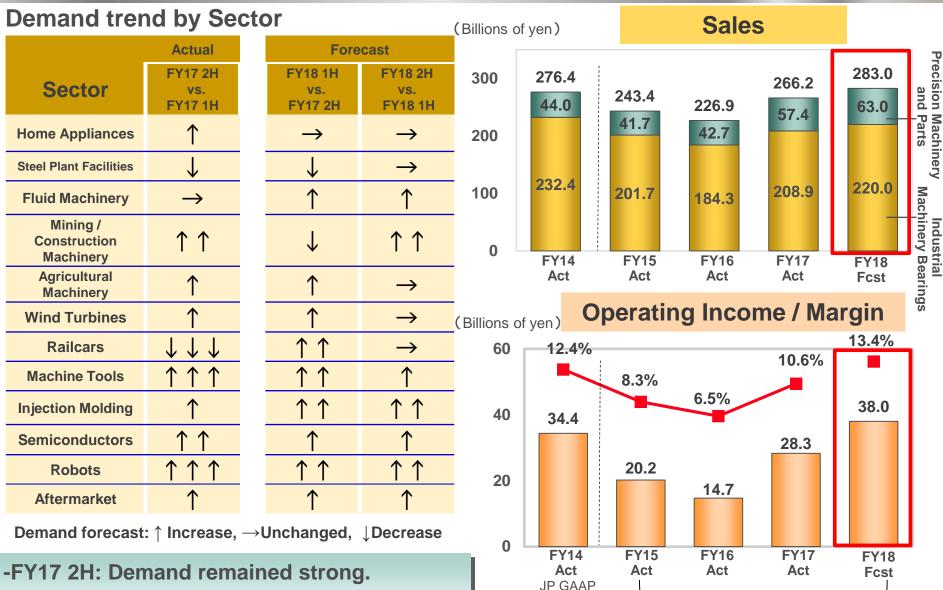
Consolidated Business Trend





Industrial Machinery Business: 1 Business Environment and Forecast





-FY18: High demand forecast to continue.

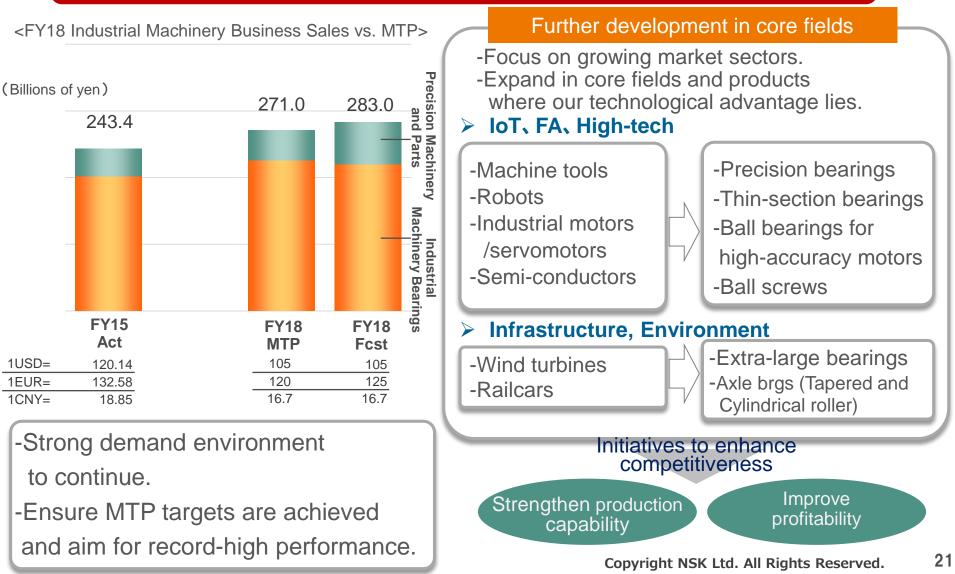
*Part of industrial machinery business operations were transferred to the automotive business In FY2016. Accordingly, figures for FY2015 have been reclassified to match current segments. Copyright NSK Ltd. All Rights Reserved.

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Industrial Machinery Business: 2 The 5th MTP: Status of Key Initiatives



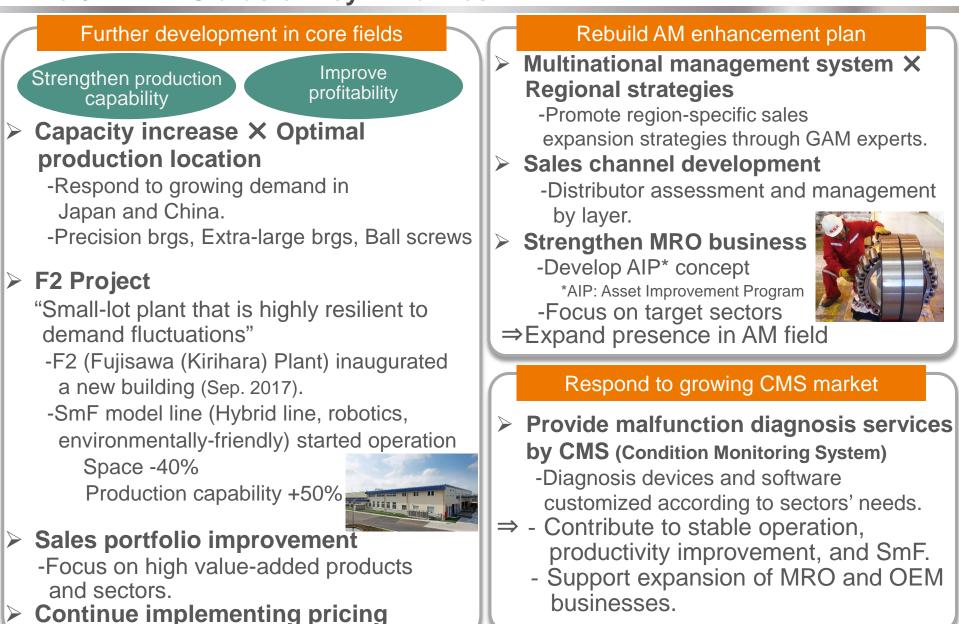
Expand presence in industrial market over mid- to long-term. Restored OI to double-digit range, striving for further improvement.



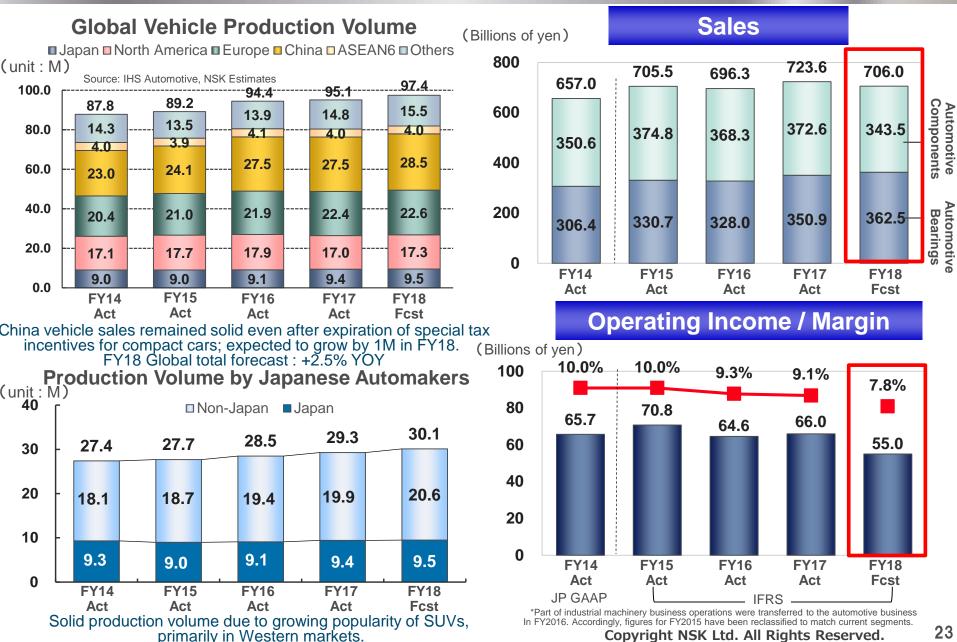
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Automotive Business: 1 Vehicle Production and Business Forecast



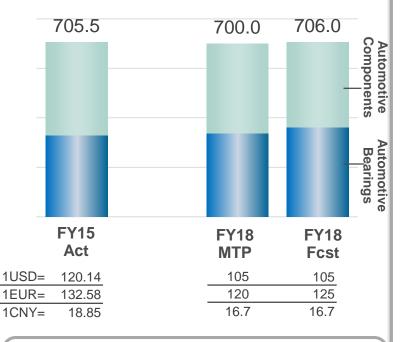
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Automotive Business: 2 The 5th MTP: Status of Key Initiatives



Continued growth in powertrain business and contribution to automotive new technologies

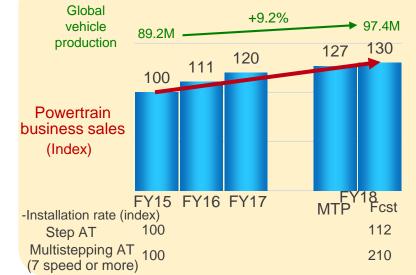
<FY18 Automotive Business Sales vs. MTP> (Billions of yen)



- -Aim for sales exceeding initial MTP targets.
- -Develop new core business in growing market fields.

Powertrain business: Sales continue to grow. Respond to the growing needs

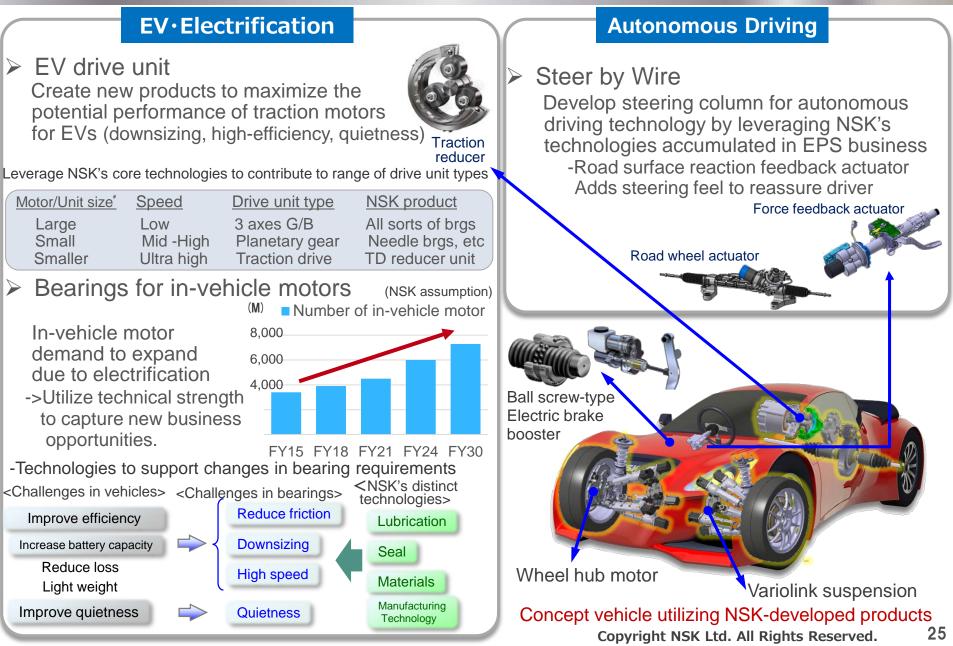
in AT market and for multistepping AT. <Powertrain business sales>



- Electrical components field: Expand sales at rate exceeding growth rate for in-vehicle motor installation.
- Chassis: Stable growth through distinct technologies.
- EPS: Decrease due to market shift to lower-assist EPS. Reinforce development toward a full-lineup supplier.
- Ball screws for brake boosters: Started mass production for new project. Will strive to further expand this business and establish NSK product as the de facto standard.

Automotive Business: 3 The 5th MTP: Status of Key Initiatives







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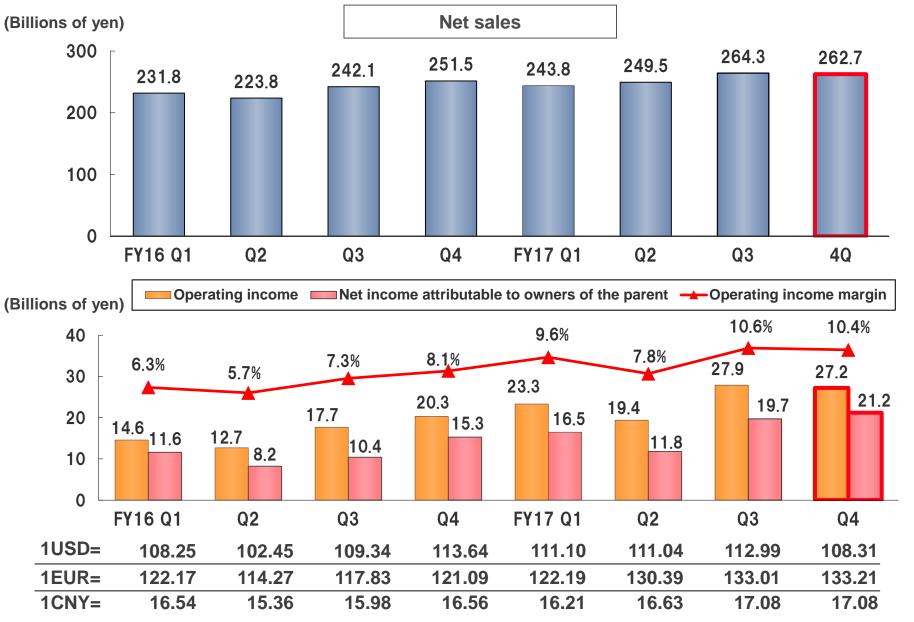
(Supplementary Information) Sales and O.I. by Geographical Segment



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Net sales	949.2		1,020.3		+71.2	+7.5%	1,000.0	
Japan	489.1		542.5		+53.4	+10.9%	549.0	
The Americas	161.0		152.6		-8.4	-5.2%	151.0	
Europe	125.5		141.3		+15.8	+12.6%	139.0	
Asia	351.2		379.4		+28.3	+8.1%	372.0	
Eliminations	-177.5		-195.5		-18.0		-211.0	
Operating Income	65.3	<6.9%>	97.9	<9.6%>	+32.5	+49.8%	92.0	<9.2%>
Japan	11.1	<2.3%>	27.7	<5.1%>	+16.5	+148.2%	26.5	<4.8%>
The Americas	12.2	<7.6%>	12.2	<8.0%>	-0.1	-0.4%	11.5	<7.6%>
Europe	11.8	<9.4%>	8.5	<6.0%>	-3.2	-27.5%	8.0	<5.8%>
Asia	48.0	<13.7%>	52.2	<13.7%>	+4.2	+8.7%	50.0	<13.4%>
Eliminations/ Corporate expenses	-17.8		-2.7		+15.1		-4.0	

(Supplementary Information) Quarterly Business Performance



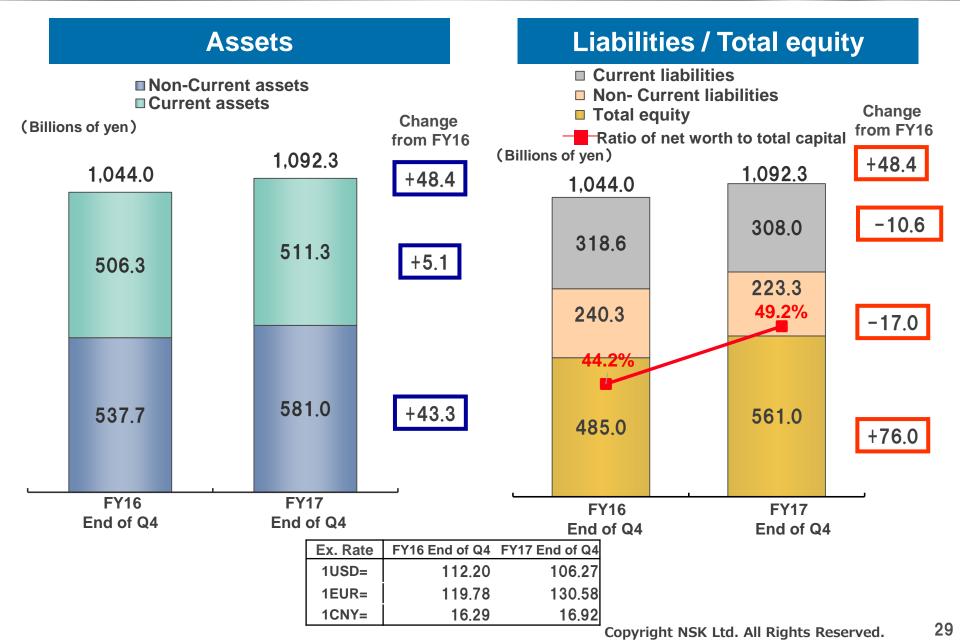


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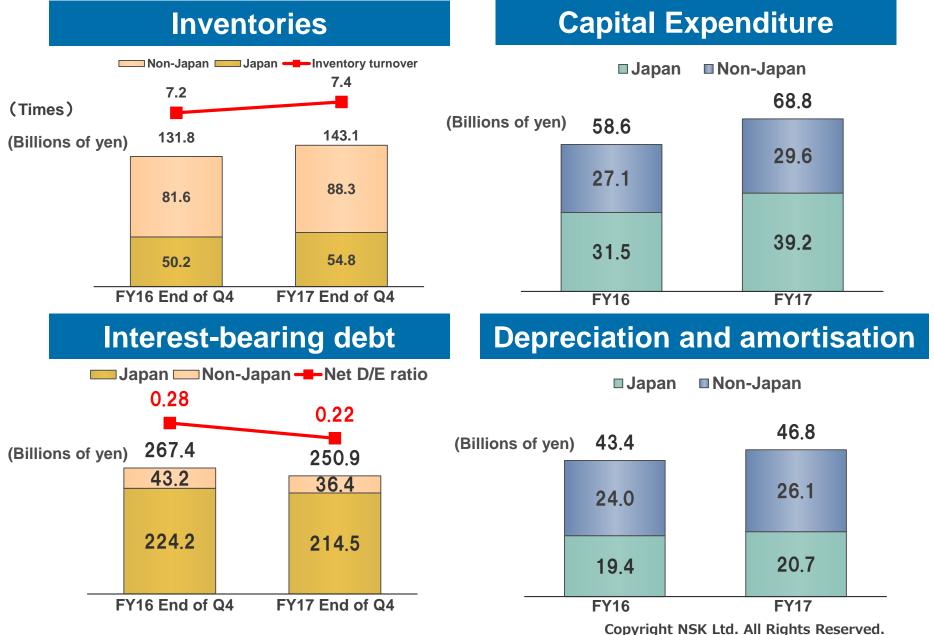
Consolidated Balance Sheet





(Supplementary Information) Inventories / Interest-Bearing Debt, Capital Expenditure / Depreciation and Amortization





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(Billions of yen)	FY2016 <actual></actual>	FY2017 <actual></actual>	FY2018 <forecast></forecast>	5 th MTP FY2016-FY2018 <revised fcst=""></revised>	5 th MTP _{FY2016-FY2018} <original plan=""></original>
Capital Expenditure	58.6	68.8	85.0	212.4	180.0
Depreciation and amortisation	43.4	46.8	50.0	140.1	130.0
R&D expenses (on Statutory basis)	13.9	17.1	18.0	48.9	40.0