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Consolidated Business Results and Forecasts

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Review of Mid-Term Plan Progress (FY'06 ~ FY'08)

November 02, 2007 NSK Ltd.

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1. Consolidated Business Results for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2007

Summary of Consolidated Business Results for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2007



« Business Environment »

- Industrial machinery bearings: Demand related to capital expenditures was strong globally.
- Automotive products: Demand for exports drove sales increase in Japan. Demand in China remained robust.
- Semiconductors/liquid crystal production equipment : Demand has been in an adjustment phase since the previous fiscal year.

《 Summary of Business Results 》

- Both sales and profits increased YOY and exceeded the forecasts announced in May 16, 2007
- Results by Business Segment
 - *Industrial machinery bearings:

 Maintained an operating income margin of over 13% backed by aggressive demand.
 - *Automotive products:
 - Profitability improved due to internal efforts of improvement activities.
 - *Precision machinery and parts:

 Profits decreased due to the effects of demand environment.

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Summary of Consolidated Business Results for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2007

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(100 Million)	FY'06:1st half <actual></actual>	FY'07:1st half <actual></actual>	Increase/ Decrease YOY	Difference YOY
Sales	3,493	3,693	+200	+5.7%
Operating income	300	316	+16	+5.2%
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Ordinary income	278	294	+16	+5.8%
Income before tax	280	294	+14	+4.9%
Net income	173	177	+7	+2.4%
(Exchange rate:1US\$=) (" 1EURO=)	(¥115.29) (¥146.16)	(¥119.42) (¥162.33)		
(100 Million)	FY'06:1st half <actual></actual>	FY'07:1st half <actual></actual>	Increase/ Decrease YOY	
ROE	14.4%	13.1%	_	
Net Interest-bearing debts	1,733	1,697	-36	
Net D/E Ratio (times)	0.71	0.61	_	
Inventory	1,053	1,070	+17	
Inventory turnover (times)	6.8	7.0	_	

Business Results

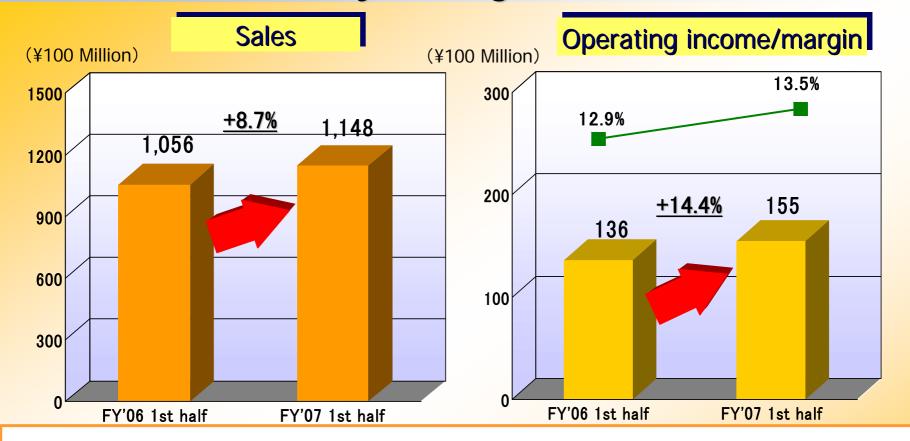
By Business Segment



(100 Million)	FY'06:1st half <actual></actual>	FY'07:1st half <actual></actual>	Increase/ Decrease YOY	Difference YOY	FY'07:1st half <original forecast=""></original>
Sales	3,493	3,693	+200	+5.7%	3,600
Industrial bearings	1,056	1,148	+92	+8.7%	1,124
Automotive products	1,922	2,091	+169	+8.8%	1,999
Precision machinery &parts	389	318	-71	-18.2%	350
Other	226	245	+19	+8.6%	227
Eliminations	-100	-109	-9		-100
Operating income	300 <8.6%>	316 <8.5%>	+16	+5.2%	310 <8.6%>
Industrial bearings	136<12.9%>	155 <13.5%>	+19	+14.4%	159 <14.1%>
Automotive products	108 <5.6%>	139 <6.7%>	+31	+28.7%	119 <6.0%>
Precision machinery &parts	60<15.4%>	38 <12.0%>	-22	-36.0%	43 <12.3%>
Other	13 <5.8%>	10 <4.1%>	-3	-22.7%	12 <5.3%>
Eliminations/corporate	-17	-26	-9		-23

Business Segment InformationIndustrial Machinery Bearings

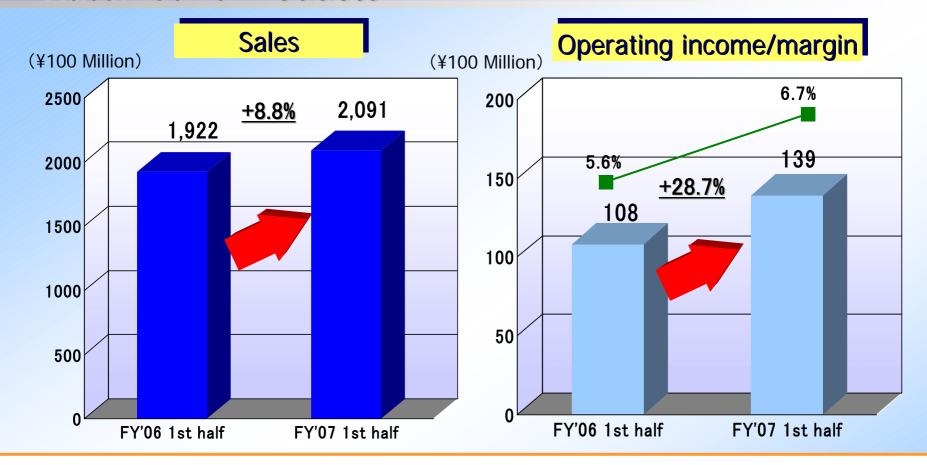




- Total sales in this segment increased 8.7% YOY backed by strong demand related to capital expenditures and sales increase for aftermarket, particularly in non-Japan markets.
- Operating income margin increased 14.4% YOY due to volume growth, increase in sales price and effect resulting from exchange rate fluctuations due to the depreciation of the Japanese yen.

Business Segment Information Automotive Products

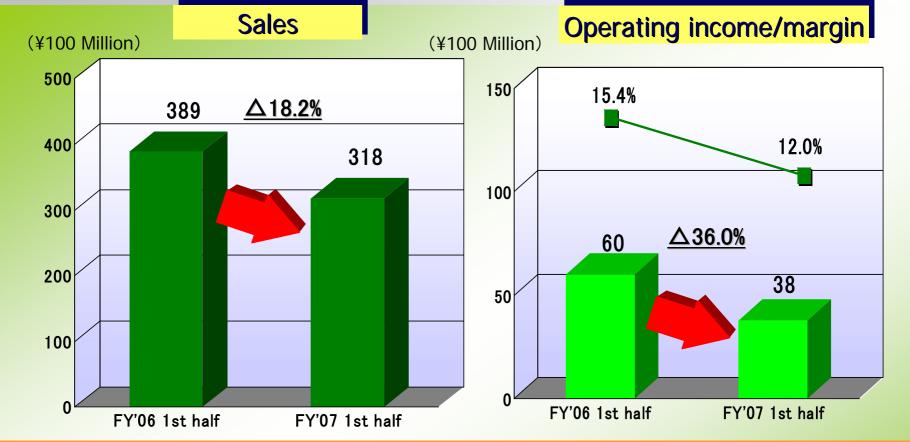




- Exports from Japan increased. Demand environment in non-Japan sites, particularly in China, remained robust. Sales increased 8.8% YOY.
- Operating income increased 28.7% YOY and profitability improved steadily backed by volume growth, effects of reduction of external procurement costs and internal efforts for productivity improvement affected by capital expenditures.

Business Segment InformationPrecision Machinery and Parts





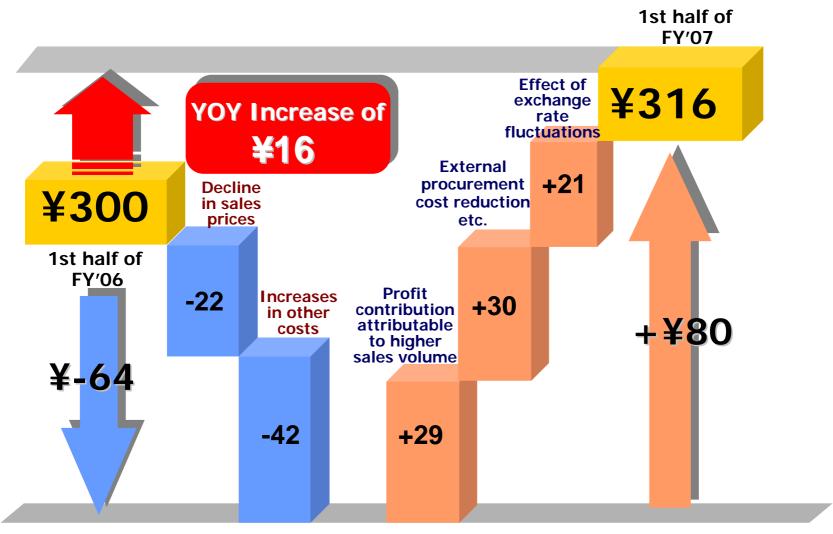
- Demand from machine tool makers continued to grow. However, demand from semiconductors/liquid crystal production equipment remained stagnant, and sales of photofabrication equipment for LCD production decreased. Sales in this segment decreased 18.2% YOY.
- Productivity improvement activities continued, but operating income decreased 36.0% YOY due to lower production volume.

Operating Income: Improvement Factors





(¥100 Million)



Business Results

by Geographical Segment



(100 Million)	FY'06:1st half <actual></actual>	FY'07:1st half <actual></actual>	Decrease/ VOY	Difference YOY	FY'07:1st half <original forecast=""></original>
Sales	3,493	3,693	+200	+5.7%	3,600
Japan	2,538	2,629	+91	+3.6%	2,614
The Americas	502	545	+43	+8.6%	522
Europe	618	662	+44	+7.1%	575
Asia	496	554	+58	+11.9%	546
Eliminations	-661	-697	-36	-	-657
Operating income	300 <8.6%>	316 <8.5%>	+16	+5.2%	310 <8.6%>
Japan	222 <8.8%>	214 <8.1%>	-8	-3.6%	218 <8.3%>
The Americas	20 <4.0%	25 <4.6%>	+5	+24.5%	28 <5.4%>
Europe	32 <5.2%	41 <6.2%>	+9	+28.2%	36 <6.3%>
Asia	46 <9.2%	63 <11.3%>	+17	+38.1%	53 <9.7%>
Eliminations/ corporate	-20	-27	-7	-	-25

- Japan: We had positive factors such as volume growth, effects of internal efforts including productivity improvement and reduction of external procurement costs, and effects of exchange rate fluctuations. However profits decreased YOY due to decrease in sales price, increases in selling, general and administrative expenses, and increase in depreciation and amortization partly caused by amendment to the Japanese Corporate Tax Law.
- administrative expenses, and increase in depreciation and amortization partly caused by amendment to the Japanese Corporate Tax Law.

 The Americas: Profitability improved backed by volume growth and decrease in expenses for transfer of plant in North America. (The transfer has already been completed.)
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 Europe:Increase in sales especially in industrial machinery segment, increase in sales price and reduction of external procurement costs contributed to total sales increase.

A Raia: Sales expansion in China and the ASEAN countries such as Thailand pushed up total increase in profits.

Business Results

by Customer Location



(100	Million)	FY'06:1st half <actual></actual>	FY'07:1st half <actual></actual>	Increase/ Decrease YOY	Difference YOY	FY'07:1st half <original forecast=""></original>
Sale	S	3,493	3,693	+200	+5.7%	3,600
	Japan	1,764	1,857	+93	+5.3%	1,857
	Non-Japan	1,729	1,836	+107	+6.2%	1,743
	(Non-Japan ratio)	(49.5%)	(49.7%)			(48.4%)
	The Americas	514	553	+39	+7.6%	544
	Europe	589	630	+41	+6.9%	559
	Asia	626	653	+27	+4.3%	640

Sales to automotive manufacturers increased. (EPS etc.)

The Americas: Sales of industrial machinery bearings and automotive products increased in

■ Japan : Sales to machine tools/general industrial machinery sectors continued to be robust.

- The Americas: Sales of industrial machinery bearings and automotive products increased in North America and Brazil.
- ■Europe : Sales of bearings to general industrial machinery and automotive manufacturers increased.
- Asia: Although sales in China and sales of automotive products in Thailand increased, sales of photofabrication equipment decreased substantially.

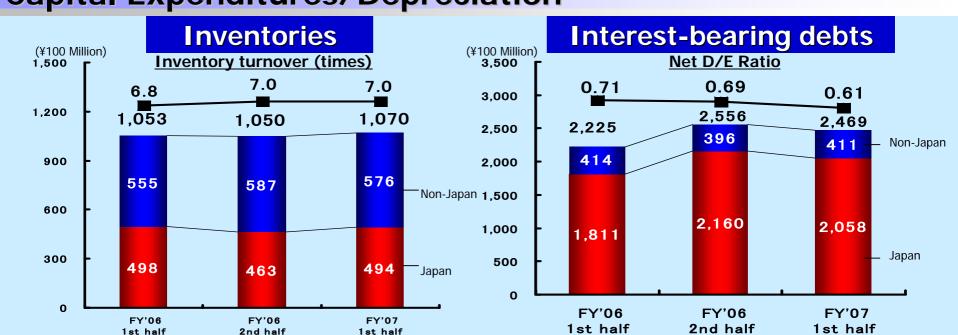
Consolidated Balance Sheets

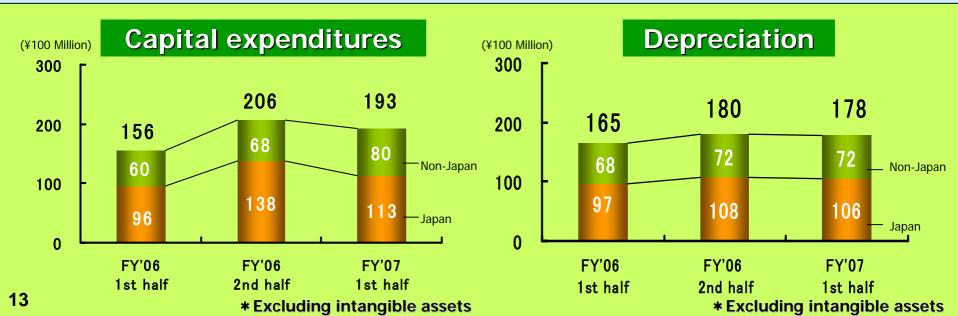


(100 Million)	FY'06		FY'07	Increase/ Decrease
	1st half	2nd half	1st half	YOY
<u>Assets</u>				
Current assets	3,250	3,891	3,812	-79
Non-current assets	4,212	4,267	4,363	+96
Total assets	7,462	8,158	8,175	+17
Liabilities and net assets				
Current liabilities	2,693	2,975	2,924	-51
Non-current liabilities	2,184	2,416	2,331	-85
Total liabilities	4,877	5,391	5,255	-136
Total net assets	2,585	2,767	2,920	+153
Total liabilities and	7,462	8,158	8,175	+17
net assets				
(Exchange rate:1US\$=)	(¥117.90)	(¥118.05)	(¥115.43)	
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Inventories/Interest-Bearing Debts/ Capital Expenditures/Depreciation









1. Consolidated Business Forecasts for the Year Ending March 31, 2008

Forecasts for the Year Ending March 31, 2008



Revised Business Forecasts

- [Upward revisions were made to forecasts for both sales and profits announced in May, 2007
- Sales:¥76.5 billion, Operating income:¥69.0 billion, Ordinary income:¥65.0 billion, Net income:¥41.0 billion
- Forecasted exchange rate for the 2nd half: us\$=\frac{\pmax}{115}, Euro=\frac{\pmax}{160} (Forecasts announced in May, 2007:us\frac{\pmax}{2007} = \frac{\pmax}{115}, Euro=\frac{\pmax}{150})

《Forecasted Business Environment for the 2nd Half》

[Expected to be robust overall, although some uncertainties remain.]

- [Japan]
 *Machine tools/industrial machinery : Strong demand expected to continue overall.
 - *Automotive production : Production expected to increase YOY due to favorable demand for exports.
 - *Semiconductors/liquid crystal production equipment: Recovery of demand for semiconductors expected to be delay, and demand for liquid crystal production equipment expected to remain in an adjustment phase.
- The Americas: Uncertainty expected to remain in demand environment.
- [Europe]: Demand expected to continue to recover gradually.
- (Asia): Economic growth in China expected to continue. Uncertainty expected to be seen in automotive production in the ASEAN region.
- Business risks: 1.Impact of subprime crisis on the real economy 2.Acceleration of Yen strength 3.Crude oil prices

Key Strategies for the 2nd Half of the Year Ending March 31, 2008



Key Strategies

Maintain our consistent implementation of growth strategies and profitability improvement

Steadily capture demand in growing fields

Steadily deal with cost-increase factors

Respond quickly to changes in business Environment

Reinforce the corporate foundation as NSK moves towards the final year of the Mid-term Plan (FY'08).

Forecasts for the Year Ending March 31, 2008



(¥150)

(100 Million)	FY'06	FY'07					
	Full year <actual></actual>	1st half <actual></actual>	2nd half <revised forecast=""></revised>	Full year <revised forecast=""></revised>	Increase/ Decrease YOY	Difference YOY	Full year <original forecast=""></original>
Sales	7,172	3,693	3,907	7,600	+428	+6.0%	7,450
Operating income	624	316	374	690	+66	+10.6%	680
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Ordinary income	576	294	356	650	+74	+12.9%	635
Profits before tax	570	294	356	650	+80	+14.0%	635
Net income	349	177	233	410	+61	+17.6%	390
(Exchange rate:1US\$=)	(¥116.93)	(¥119.42)	(¥115)	(¥117.21)			(¥115)

Expected record sales and profits for the fourth consecutive years

(¥160)

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Forecasts By Business Segment



(100 Million)	FY'06	FY'07			
	Full year <actual></actual>	1st half <actual></actual>	2nd half <revised forecast=""></revised>	Full year Increase/ <revised forecast=""> YOY</revised>	Full year <original forecast=""></original>
Sales	7,172	3,693	3,907	7,600 +428	7,450
Industrial bearings	2,163	1,148	1,212	2,360 +197	2,328
Automotive products	3,979	2,091	2,199	4,290 +311	4,102
Precision machinery &parts	777	318	362	680 -97	765
Other	451	245	245	490 +39	455
Eliminations	-198	-109	-111	-220 -22	-200
Operating income	624 <8.7%>	316 <8.5%>	374 <9.6%>	690 <9.1%> +66	680 <9.1%>
Industrial bearings	296 <13.7%>	155 <13.5%>	180 <14.9%>	335 <14.2%> + 39	334 <14.3%>
Automotive products	227 <5.7%>	139 <6.7%>	156 <7.1%>	295 <6.9%> +68	252 <6.1%>
Precision machinery &parts	115 <14.8%>	38 <12.0%>	52 <14.4%>	90 <13.2 %> -25	116 <15.2%>
Other	24 <5.3%>	10 <4.1%>	12 <4.9%>	22 < 4.5 %> -2	25 <5.5%>
Eliminations	-38	-26	-26	-52 -14	-47

Forecasts

By Geographical Segment



(100 Million)	FY'06	FY'07			
	Full year <actual></actual>	1st half <actual></actual>	2nd half <revised forecast=""></revised>	Full year	Full year <original forecast=""></original>
Sales	7,172	3,693	3,907	7,600 +428	7,450
Japan	5,223	2,629	2,776	5,405 +182	5,421
The Americas	1,029	545	530	1,075 +46	1,031
Europe	1,276	662	703	1,365 +89	1,199
Asia	987	554	650	1,204 +217	1,125
Eliminations	-1,343	-697	-752	-1,449 -106	-1,326
Operating income	624 <8.7%>	316 <8.5%>	374 <9.6%>	690 <9.1%> +66	680 <9.1%>
Japan	474 <9.1%>	214 <8.1%>	251 <9.0%>	465 <8.6%> -9	475 <8.8%>
The Americas	38 <3.7%>	25 <4.6%>	29 <5.5%>	54 < 5.0 %> +16	57 <5.5%>
Europe	67 <5.2%>	41 <6.2%>	51 <7.3%>	92 <6.7%> +25	83 <6.9%>
Asia	95 <9.6%>	63 <11.3%>	70 <10.8%>	133 <11.0%> +38	115 <10.2%>
Eliminations/ Corporate	-50	-27	-27	-54 -4	-50

Forecasts By Customer Location



(100 Million)	FY'06	FY'07				
	Full year <actual></actual>	1st half <actual></actual>	2nd half <revised forecast=""></revised>	Full year <revised forecast=""></revised>	Increase/ Decrease YOY	Full year <original forecast=""></original>
Sales	7,172	3,693	3,907	7,600	+428	7,450
Japan	3,644	1,857	1,963	3,820	+176	3,817
Non-Japan	3,528	1,836	1,944	3,780	+252	3,633
(Non-Japan ratio)	(49.2%)	(49.7%)	(49.8%)	(49.7%)		(48.8%)
The Americas	1,051	553	537	1,090	+39	1,072
Europe	1,217	630	654	1,284	+67	1,169
Asia	1,260	653	753	1,406	+146	1,392

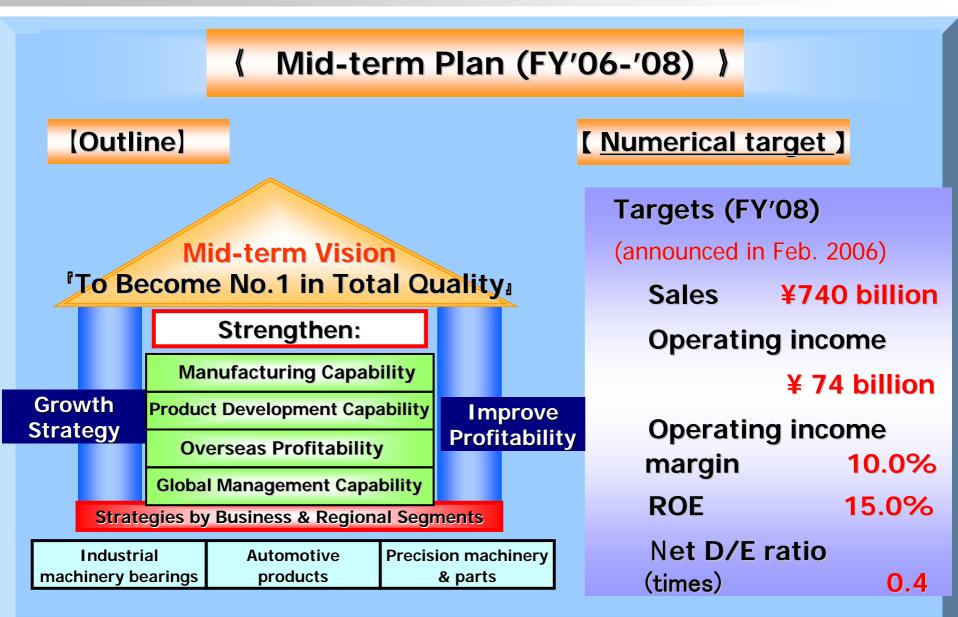


1. Review of Mid-term Plan Progress (FY'06-'08)



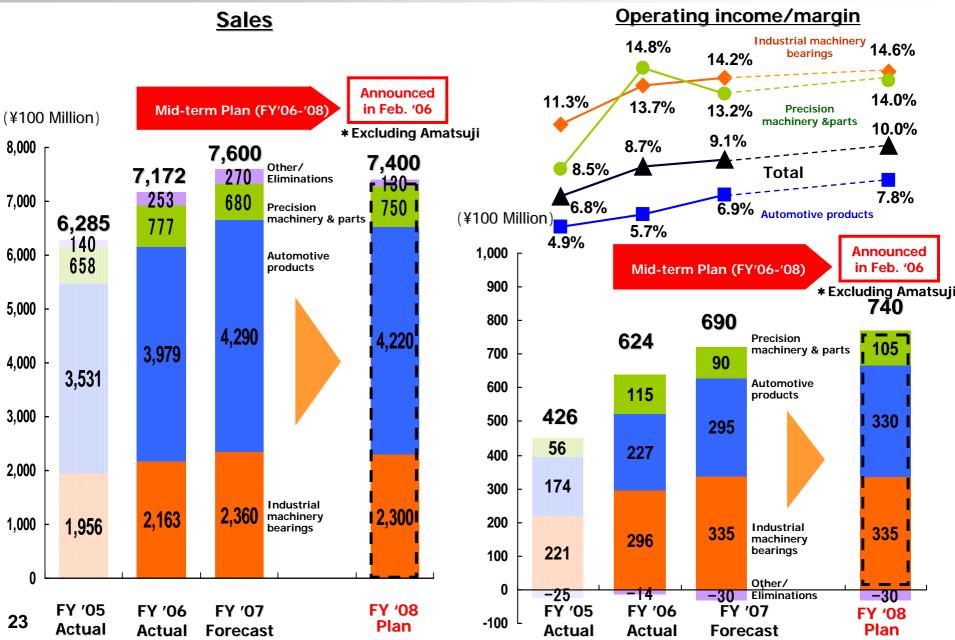
Summary of Mid-term Plan





Review of Mid-term Plan By Business Segment





Industrial Machinery Bearings



Basic Policy: Expand sales by strengthening our marketing and manufacturing capabilities

(Strengthen marketing capability)

- Improve key business sector-oriented activities
- ⇒Sectors such as steels/machine tool/wind power generators/construction machinery
- Channel Development
- ⇒Cultivate new distribution network overseas
- Expand sales lead by NSK technology
- ⇒Improve services to end users by technical support
- ⇒Speed up and increase development of new products

(Strengthen manufacturing capability)

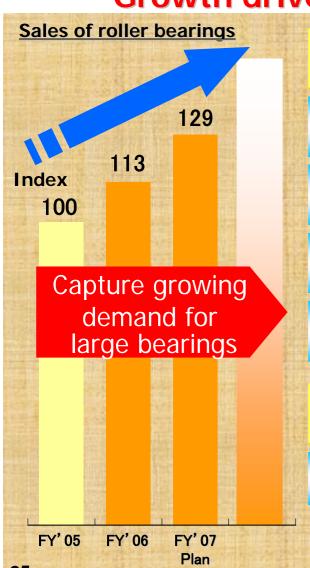
- Start operation of the second Fujisawa plant smoothly
- ⇒Operation will start in Jan. '08
- Optimize production including existing Fujisawa plant



Industrial Machinery Bearings



"Roller bearings" Growth driver in industrial machinery bearings



Expand NSK's presence in growth driving areas

Steelmaking equipment: Strengthen ability to respond to demand expansion in emerging markets.

Machine tools: Strengthen sales expansion activities for main manufacturers in Japan, Europe and Asia.

Wind power generators: Continue to win orders for large bearings from European leading manufacturers.

Rail cars: Respond to demand regarding new JR rail cars and development of railway network in Eastern Asia.

Capture further growth opportunity from global top users

Mining/Fluid(Pump & Compressor)/Paper production etc.

Automotive Products

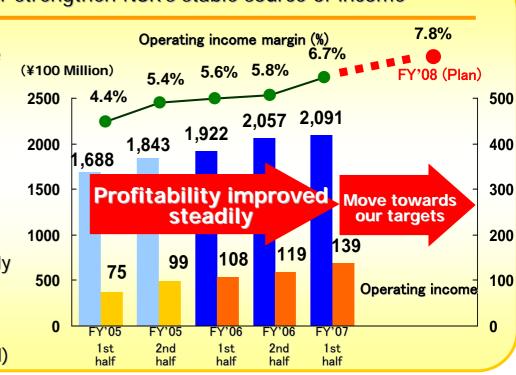


Basic Policy: Reinforce profitability and order-winning activities

Reinforce profitability Further strengthen NSK's stable source of income

- Maximize the effects of capital investments, and accelerate bringing the effects into business performance
- Further reduce direct costs
- Continue APS (Advanced Production System) activities (Continue productivity improvement)
- Promote global procurement measures (Make most appropriate way to optimize the supply chain. Expand in-house manufacturing)
- Stabilize production in plant in Northern America

(Production transfer has already been completed)



(Reinforce order-winning activities)

Accelerate aggressive order winning activities focusing on beyond '09

- Accelerate expansion of global sales of drive train bearings
- Expand sales of high-power EPS systems through differentiation

Automotive Products



Strengthen business expansion Aiming for further growth in automotive industry

✓ Strategic investments in Asia (China, India and the ASEAN)

Newly develop our business into emerging regions in Asia

Strengthen ability to respond to local needs

Improve profitability through local production

Respond to increase in automotive production of Japanese and European manufacturers

Reinforce business expansion in automotive business in Asia

NSK-Yagi

EPS Plant in India

Suzhou NSK Kunshan NSK
Hangzhou NSK
Mantatsu EPS
NSK Vietnam sales

NSK India Sales

NSK India Sales

NSK Indonesia
Sales sites

Region	Project	Target		
China	Expand and strengthen the 3rd building in Kunshan plant	Respond to increasing demand for hub unit bearings		
	Establish NSK-Yagi pre-processing joint venture	Strengthen pre-processing ability of bearings		
	Wholly own Timken-NSK (Completed)	Expand sales of tapered roller bearings		
	Establish a joint venture of Hangzhou NSK and Mantatsu EPS	Capture demand for EPS from local automotive manufacturers		
India	Establish a plant of joint venture; NSK-ABC bearings Ltd.	Respond to growing Indian market		
	Establish an EPS plant	Develop our business to respond to needs for EPS in India		
	Establish a sales company	Increase local sales in India		
ASEAN	Establish the 2nd building in NBMT(Thailand)plant (Completed)	Respond to growing demand for bearings in Thailand		
	Establish the 2nd building in SNSS(Thailand) plant	Expand in-house manufacturing of steering parts		
	Expand plant in NSK Indonesia	Respond to sales expansion of motorcycle bearings		
	Establish a sales company in Vietnam	Increase local sales in Vietnam		

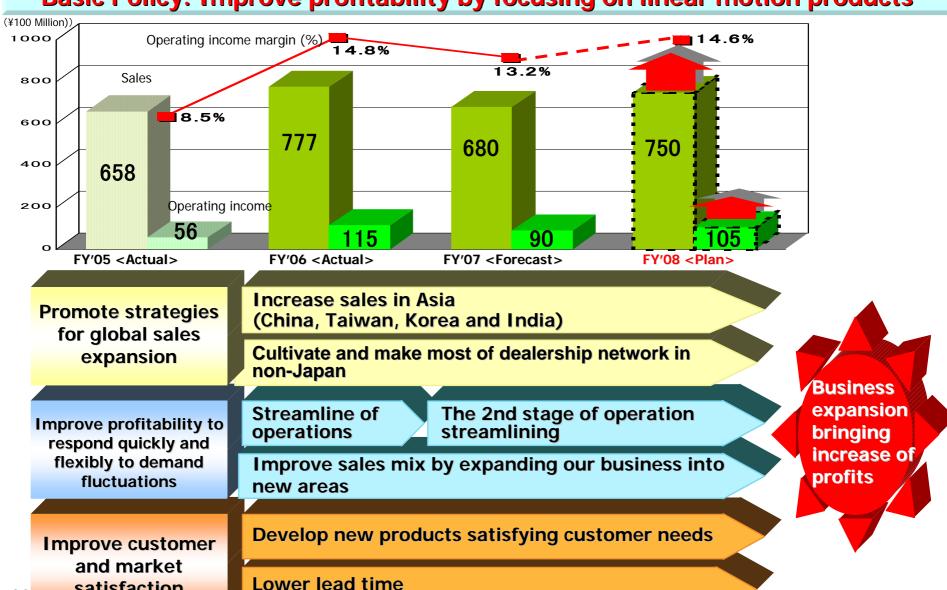
Precision Machinery and Parts

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Basic Policy: Improve profitability by focusing on linear motion products



Priorities for Achieving Mid-term Plan Targets



To Achieve Mid-term Targets

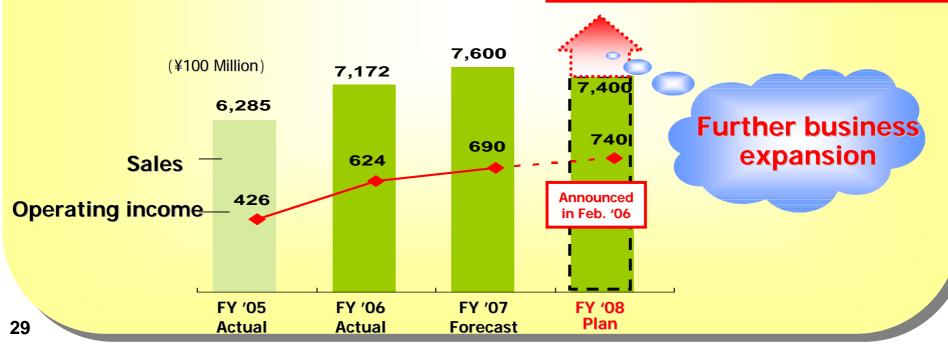


Strive to continue implementation of profitability improvement

Promote global expansion

Aggressively continue strategic investments focusing on emerging demand

- Maximize output to growing business areas
- Maximize profitability
- Further expand business
- Establish foundation for the next stage



(Supplementary Information) For the Year Ending Mar. 31, 2008)



(¥100 Million)	FY'06 Actual	FY'07 1st half Actual	FY'07 full year Forecast
Capital expenditures(*)	362	193	465
Japan	234	113	321
Non-Japan	128	80	144
The Americas	36	18	27
Europe	32	24	41
Asia	60	38	76

^{*} Excluding intangible assets

(¥100 Million)	FY'06	FY'07 1st half	FY'07 full year	
	Actual	Actual	Forecast	
Depreciation(*)	345	178	378	

^{*} Excluding intangible assets

(¥100 Million)	FY'06	FY'07 1st half	FY'07 full year	
	Actual	Actual	Forecast	
R&D	101	50	105	

(Supplementary Information)



Sales & Profits of Mid-term Plan by Business Segment

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			Announced in Feb. '06					
(¥100 Million)	FY'05 <a< th=""><th colspan="2">05 <actual> FY'06 <actual> FY'07 <forecast></forecast></actual></actual></th><th>Forecast></th><th colspan="2">FY'08 <mid-term plan=""></mid-term></th></a<>	05 <actual> FY'06 <actual> FY'07 <forecast></forecast></actual></actual>		Forecast>	FY'08 <mid-term plan=""></mid-term>			
Industrial machinery bearings								
Sales	1,956		2,163		2,360		2,300	
Operating income <%>	221 <1	11.3%>	296	<13.7%>	335	<14.2%>	335	<14.6%>
Automotive products								
Sales	3,531		3,979		4,290		4,220	
Operating income <%>	174 <	<4.9%>	227	<5.7%>	295	<6.9%>	330	<7.8%>
Precision machinery & parts								
Sales	658		777		680		750	
Operating income <%>	56 <	<8.5%>	115	<14.8%>	90	<13.2%>	105	<14.0%>
Other								
Sales	235		451		490		220	
Operating income <%>	13 <	<5.5%>	24	<5.3%>	22	<4.5%>	15	<6.8%>
Eliminations/corporate								
Sales	-95		-198		-220		-90	
Operating income	-38		-38		-52		-45	
Total								
Sales	6,285		7,172		7,600		7,400	
Operating income <%>	426 <	<6.8%>	624	<8.7%>	690	<9.1%>	740	<10.0%>

(Supplementary Information) Mid-term Target for Profitability Improvement



Announced in Feb. '06

(¥100 Million)	FY'05 <actual></actual>	FY'06 <actual></actual>	FY'07 <forecast></forecast>	FY'08 <plan></plan>	
Operating income margin	6.8%	8.7%	9.1%	10%	
ROE	12.1%	14.0%		15%	
Capital expenditures	473	(Plan) Total of 3 years: 1,000			
Capital experiantales		362	465		
Depreciation	294	(Plan)Total of 3 years: 990			
Depreciation	2/7	345	378		
Net interesting-bearing debts	1,711	1,822		1,090	
Shareholders' equity	2,357	2,624		3,100	
Net D/E ratio (times)	0.73	0.69		0.4	