Dec, 04 The 3rd Quarter Financial Summary



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Company Name

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1. Achievements of The 3rd Quarter ended Dec. 31, 2004 (Apr. 1, 2004 through Dec. 31, 2004)

(1)Operating Results					(The amount	less	thar	mi	Ilion yen is rounde	d down	.)
	Net Sales	рі	nge from revious period		Operating Income	pre	ge from vious riod		Ordinary Income pr	nge from evious eriod	
	Millions of	Yen	%)	Millions of Y	'en	%		Millions of Yen	%	
3rd Quarter ended Dec, 04	1,308,185	(12.6)	61,048	(6.5)	63,003 (10.0)
3rd Quarter ended Dec, 03	1,162,165	(-)	57,331	(-)	57,250 (-)
Year ended Mar 31, 2004	1,605,252				86,768				84,654		

	Net Income (Change previ peri	ous	Net Income Per Share Basic	Net Income Per Share Diluted
	Millions of Yen	6		
3rd Quarter ended Dec, 04	26,863 (12.8)	94.02yen	93.92yen
3rd Quarter ended Dec, 03	23,817 (-)	89.83yen	84.35yen
Year ended Mar 31, 2004	34,719		126.11yen	118.38yen

(2) Financial condition

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	Total Assets	Shareholders' Equity	Equity to Assets Ratio	Shareholders' Equity Per Share
3rd Quarter ended Dec, 04	Millions of Yen 1,450,123	Millions of Yen 539,275	% 37.2	1,885.02yen
3rd Quarter ended Dec, 03	1,284,629	463,712	36.1	1,749.35yen
Year ended Mar 31, 2004	1,382,584	506,260	36.6	1,771.12yen

(3) The number of consolidated subsidiaries and affiliates accounted for under the equity method is as follows.

Consolidated Subsidiaries 121 Affiliates under the Equity Method

Consolidated Subsidiaries Applicated to Equity Method none

(4) Changes of the number of consolidated subsidiaries and affiliates accounted for under the equity method.

Consolidated (New) 8 Affiliates (New) 1
(Exclusion) 1 (Exclusion) none
(Merged to another consolidated subsidiary)

2. Operating Results forecast ended Mar. 31, 2005 (Apr. 1, 2004 through Mar. 31, 2005)

	Net Sales	Operating Income	Ordinary Income	Net Income
	Millions of Yen	Millions of Yen	Millions of Yen	Millions of Yen
Year ended Mar. 31, 2005	1,770,000	96,000	96,000	42,000

(Reference)

Net Income par share forecast (Year ended Mar. 31, 2005) 143.38yen

Results of Operations

(1) Achievements of this 3rd quarter ended Dec 31, 2004

In the 3rd quarter accumulated, net sales totaled $\mbox{\ensuremath{\mathfrak{A}}}$,308,185 million. By business segment, automotive related sales rose 12.6%to $\mbox{\ensuremath{\mathfrak{A}}}$,248,271 million. In this business, especially sales of automatic transmission , brake and chassis related products , power sliding door systems, power back door systems , occupant weight sensors; and car navigation have increased. Sales in the life related products segment increased 4.7% to $\mbox{\ensuremath{\mathfrak{A}}}$ 7,380 million. Sales of products in the other products segment, which includes civil engineering and petroleum sales, climbed 28.7% to $\mbox{\ensuremath{\mathfrak{A}}}$ 2,532 million.

As a result of the above performance, operating income increased by 6.5%to \(\)\(\)61,048 million. This was due to increase of sales and cost reduction activities in all operating fields. Ordinary income increased 10.0% to 63,003 million yen.

Net income increased 12.8% to 26,863million yen though booked 2,798 million yen as impairment loss of fixed assets.

(2) Future Outlook

We anticipate insufficient supply and price increase of raw materials, and many kinds of risk. In such conditions, we proceed development of engineering, accelerate new products rollout, and proceed more cost down.

Net sales is expected 1,770,000 million yen, operating income is expected 96,000 million yen, ordinary income is expected 96,000 million yen and net income is expected 42,000 million yen for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2005 in the assumption of 106yen average rate par 1US\$.

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Net Sales by Item

(Millions of Yen)

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		3rd qua	rter	Previous 3rd	d quarter			Year ended	
	Classification	(9 months ended Dec. 31, 2004)			(9 months ended Dec. 31, 2003)		Variation ratio	(Mar. 31, 2004)	
		Amount	Percent age	Amount	Percent age			Amount	Percent age
А	Engine Related	127,440	% 9.7	111,135	% 9.5	16,305	% 14.7	153,695	% 9.6
t o m	Drivetrain Related	537,061	41.1	494,696	42.6	42,365	8.6	673,760	42.0
o t i v	Brake & Chassis Related	272,895	20.9	242,118	20.8	30,777	12.7	343,048	21.4
e R e	Body Related	233,402	17.8	204,528	17.6	28,874	14.1	286,229	17.8
l a t e	Information Related	77,472	5.9	56,469	4.9	21,003	37.2	75,900	4.7
d	Sub Total	1,248,271	95.4	1,108,947	95.4	139,324	12.6	1,532,634	95.5
Lif	e & Energy Related	37,380	2.9	35,713	3.1	1,667	4.7	48,338	3.0
	Others	22,532	1.7	17,504	1.5	5,028	28.7	24,279	1.5
	Grand Total	1,308,185	100.0	1,162,165	100.0	146,020	12.6	1,605,252	100.0
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(Notes) Sales of "Others" includes "Construction and engineering works business" and "oil sales business", and so on.

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Consolidated Statements of Income

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Subject	3rd quarter	Previous 3rd quarter	Increase (decrease)	Year ended
	(9 months ended Dec. 31, 2004)	(9 months ended Dec. 31, 2003)	(decrease)	(Mar. 31, 2004)
Net Sales	1,308,185	1,162,165	146,020	1,605,252
Cost of Sales	1,128,421	1,005,337	123,084	1,377,161
Gross Profit	179,763	156,828	22,935	228,091
Selling, General & Administrative Expenses	118,714	99,497	19,217	141,322
Operating Income	61,048	57,331	3,717	86,768
Non-Operating Income	11,336	8,928	2,408	13,304
Interest & Dividend Income	2,353	2,119	234	2,387
Investment Profit on Equity Method	3,024	1,796	1,228	2,691
Other	5,959	5,012	947	8,225
Non-Operating Expenses	9,381	9,009	372	15,418
Interest Expenses	1,701	2,006	(305)	2,393
Other	7,679	7,002	677	13,024
Ordinary Income	63,003	57,250	5,753	84,654
Extraordinary Losses	2,798		2,798	7,319
Determinate Loss on Refunding Substitution Benefit of Employee Pension Fund				7,319
Impairment Loss of Fixed Assets	2,798		2,798	
Income Before Income Taxes and Minority Interests	60,205	57,250	2,955	77,335
Income Taxes	25,068	24,101	967	29,336
Minority Interest in Net Income	8,272	9,330	(1,058)	13,279
Net Income	26,863	23,817	3,046	34,719

Consolidated Balance Sheets

(Millions Yen)

Subject	3rd quarter (As of Dec. 31, 2004)	Year ended (As of Mar. 31, 2004)	Increase (decrease)	Previous 3rd quarter (As of Dec. 31, 2003)	
(Assets)	(7.60 61 2001. 01, 2001)	(, to or mar. or, 2001)	(400.0400)	(7.6 6. 200. 61, 2000)	
Current Assets	566,408	555,063	11,345	478,729	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	91,103	99,792	(8,689)	72,977	
Trade Notes & Accounts Receivable	261,342	257,028	4,314	235,973	
Marketoble Securities	36,193	37,028	(835)	27,204	
Inventories	113,498	99,518	13,980	94,010	
Deferred Tax Assets	29,414	36,554	(7,140)	29,014	
Other Current Assets	35,695	26,249	9,446	21,001	
Less: Allowance for Doubtful Accounts	(839)	(1,108)	269	(1,450)	
Fixed Assets	883,715	827,521	56,194	805,899	
Property, Plant & Equipment, at cost	612,148	581,552	30,596	564,845	
Buildings & Structures	176,360	174,301	2,059	167,647	
Machinery & Equipment	285,058	259,667	25,391	248,790	
Furniture, Fixtures & Office	33,234	30,026	3,208	28,604	
Land	81,222	76,708	4,514	77,185	
Construction in Progress	36,273	40,848	(4,575)	42,618	
Intangible Fixed Assets	10,233	9,659	574	9,438	
Software	6,106	5,447	659	4,508	
Excess of Cost of Investments Over Equity in Net Assets Acquird	424	632	(208)	767	
Other	3,701	3,579	122	4,162	
Investments & Other Assets	261,333	236,309	25,024	231,614	
Investments in Securities	213,911	188,971	24,940	178,358	
Long-term Loasns	4,265	4,439	(174)	4,386	
Deferred Tax Assets	21,816	21,806	10	23,098	
Other Assets	21,962	21,694	268	26,387	
Less: Allowance for Doubtful Accounts	(623)	(602)	(21)	(616)	
Total Assets	1,450,123	1,382,584	67,539	1,284,629	

(Millions of Yen)

0.11.7	3rd quarter	Year ended	Increase and	(Millions of Yen) Previous 3rd quarter
Subject	•	(As of Mar. 31, 2004)	decrease	(As of Dec. 31, 2003)
(Liabilities)				
Current Liabilities	495,489	493,294	2,195	473,808
Trade Notes & Accounts Payable	248,652	241,526	7,126	222,974
Short-term Borrowings	79,450	53,027	26,423	62,935
Current Portion of Bonds Payable		5,000	(5,000)	5,000
Current Portion of Convertible Bonds Payable				29,100
Amount in Arrears	31,834	37,758	(5,924)	24,144
Accrued Expenses	93,096	104,146	(11,050)	87,099
Accrued Income Taxes	6,279	19,166	(12,887)	9,979
Deposits Received from Employees	17,501	16,691	810	16,901
Accrued Warranty Cost	11,501	11,422	79	11,305
Other Current Liabilities	7,172	4,554	2,618	4,368
Long-term Liabilities	274,408	249,395	25,013	216,790
Bonds Payable	25,650	25,650		15,150
Long-term Debt	128,674	104,319	24,355	86,988
Deferred Tax Liabilities	29,104	23,786	5,318	19,350
Liability for Employees' Retirement Benefits	81,286	78,385	2,901	77,694
Long-term Amount in Arrears	9,693	17,253	(7,560)	17,607
Total Liabilities	769,897	742,690	27,207	690,599
(Minority Interests)				
Minority Interests	140,950	133,633	7,317	130,316
(Shareholders' Equity)				
Capital	45,049	45,049		41,140
Capital Surplus	63,057	62,926	131	59,022
Retained Earnings	373,085	352,590	20,495	344,179
Net unrealized gain on available-for- sale securities	67,321	60,140	7,181	53,802
Foreign Curreny Translation Adjustments	(6,091)	(10,091)	4,000	(6,496)
Less:Treasury Stock, at Cost	(3,147)	(4,354)	1,207	(27,935)
Total Shareholders' Equity	539,275	506,260	33,015	463,712
Total Liabilities, Minority Interests and Shareholders' Equity	1,450,123	1,382,584	67,539	1,284,629

Segment Information

1 .Industry Segments

The company's main business is manufacturing and sales of automotive parts. Sales, operating income occupy over 90% in all segments. Therefore information of industry segments is omitted.

2 .Geographical Segments

3rd quarter (9 months ended Dec. 31, 2004) (Millions of Yen)

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	Japan	North America	Europe	Others	Total	Eliminatio ns	Consolid ated
Sales Customers	992,833	187,873	82,922	44,555	1,308,185		1,308,185
Intersegment	167,036	5,675	3,189	3,628	179,530	(179,530)	
Total	1,159,869	193,549	86,112	48,184	1,487,715	(179,530)	1,308,185
Operating Costs & Expenses	1,108,207	190,204	85,308	42,529	1,426,249	(179,113)	1,247,136
Operating Income	51,662	3,344	803	5,654	61,465	(417)	61,048

Previous 3rd quarter (9 months ended Dec. 31, 2003) (Millions of Yen)

	Japan	North America	Europe	Others	Total	Eliminatio ns	Consolid ated
Sales Customers	941,565	133,793	53,367	33,439	1,162,165		1,162,165
Intersegment	108,038	3,102	3,123	2,476	116,740	(116,740)	
Total	1,049,604	136,895	56,491	35,915	1,278,906	(116,740)	1,162,165
Operating Costs & Expenses	996,417	137,360	56,621	30,752	1,221,152	(116,317)	1,104,834
Operating Income	53,186	(464)	(130)	5,162	57,754	(422)	57,331

Year ended (Mar. 31, 2004)						(Millions	of Yen)
	Japan	North	Europe	Others	Total	Eliminatio	Consolid

	Japan	North America	Europe	Others	Total	Eliminatio ns	Consolid ated
Sales Customers	1,295,625	188,743	77,007	43,874	1,605,252		1,605,252
Intersegment	154,115	6,451	4,401	4,986	169,955	(169,955)	
Total	1,449,740	195,195	81,409	48,861	1,775,207	(169,955)	1,605,252
Operating Costs & Expenses	1,368,876	194,954	81,487	42,304	1,687,623	(169,139)	1,518,483
Operating Income	80,864	240	(77)	6,556	87,584	(815)	86,768

(Notes)1. It gets down from the classification of a country or an area with the degree of geographical proximity.

2. Main countries or regions are

North America ···U.S.A., Mexico Europe ···Belgium, UK

Others ··· Taiwan, Thailand, China

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3 .Sales by Customer Location

3rd quarter (9 months ended Dec. 31, 2004) (Millions of Yen)

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	North America	Europe	Others	Total
Overseas Sales	190,729	105,286	83,633	379,649
Net Sales				1,308,185
Overseas Sales Ratio to Net Sales	14.6 %	8.0 %	6.4 %	29.0 %

Previous 3rd quarter (9 months ended Dec. 31, 2003) (Millions of Yen) North America Europe Others Total Overseas Sales 77,562 136,501 76,917 290,982 Net Sales 1,162,165 Overseas Sales % % % 11.7 25.0 6.6 6.7 Ratio to Net Sales

Year ended (Mar. 31	Millions of Yen)			
	North America	Europe	Others	Total
Overseas Sales	192,520	108,941	95,478	396,940
Net Sales				1,605,252
Overseas Sales Ratio to Net Sales	12.0 %	6.8 %	5.9 %	24.7 %

(Notes) 1.It gets down from the classification of an area with the degree of geographical proximity.

2. Main countries or regions are

North America ··· U.S.A., Canada Europe ··· Sweden, Germany

Others ··· Korea, Taiwan, Thailand, China

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1. Individual financial statement of The 3rd Quarter ended Dec 31, 2004 (Apr. 1, 2004 through Dec. 31, 2004) (summary)

Statements of Income

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Subject	3rd quarter (9 months ended	Previous 3rd quarter (9 months ended	IIICIEase	Year ended
•	Dec. 31, 2004)	Dec. 31, 2003)	(decrease)	(Mar. 31, 2004)
Net Sales	474,398	437,000	37,398	601,872
Operating Income	20,820	16,772	4,048	25,042
Ordinary Income	23,614	18,569	5,045	26,425
Extraordinary Income(Loss)	(1,375)		(1,375)	(4,032)
Net Income	14,396	11,495	2,901	15,250

Balance Sheets

(Millions of Yen)

Subject	3rd quarter (As of Dec. 31, 2004)	Year ended (As of Mar. 31, 2004)	Increase (decrease)	Previous 3rd quarter (As of Dec. 31, 2003)
(Assets)	(1001-001, 001, 001,	(10 01 11011 0 1, 200 1)	(40010400)	(1001-001-001-001-001-001-001-001-001-00
Current Assets	220,745	218,061	2,684	184,241
Fixed Assets	459,717	433,840	25,877	414,147
Property, Plant & Equipment, at cost	130,715	134,733	(4,018)	131,376
Intangible Fixed Assets	3,062	2,290	772	2,015
Investments & Other Assets	325,939	296,817	29,122	280,755
Total	680,462	651,902	28,560	598,389

Subject	3rd quarter (As of Dec. 31, 2004)	Year ended (As of Mar. 31, 2004)	Increase (decrease)	Previous 3rd quarter (As of Dec. 31, 2003)
(Liabilities)			,	
Current Liabilities	132,418	148,082	(15,664)	158,723
Long-term Liabilities	186,918	159,267	27,651	134,052
Total Liabilities	319,337	307,349	11,988	292,775
(Shareholders' Equity)				
Capital	45,049	45,049		41,140
Capital Surplus	63,057	62,926		59,022
Retained Earnings	189,339	181,026	8,313	179,614
Net unrealized gain on available-for-sale securities	65,792	58,870	6,922	52,738
Less:Treasury Stock, at Cost	(2,112)	(3,320)	1,208	(26,901)
Shareholders' Equity Total	361,125	344,552	16,573	305,613
Total	680,462	651,902	28,560	598,389

2. Operating Results Forecast ended Mar. 31, 2005 (Apr. 1, 2004 through Mar. 31, 2005)

		Net Sales	Operating Income	Ordinary Income	Net Income
Γ		Millions of Yen	Millions of Yen	Millions of Yen	Millions of Yen
	Year ended Mar. 31, 2005	640,000	30,000	32,000	20,800

Forecast has been amended due to increase of net sales.