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Financial Results of Nine Months ended December 31, 2008 Conference Call Material



Consolidated Financial Results

- Nine months ended December 31, 2008 -

		Nine	Nine months ended December 31,				
		2007		2008		% change	
		Amount	% to net sales	Amount	% to net sales		
Net sales		966.2	100.0	902.6	100.0	-6.6	
Profit from op	perations	110.1	11.4	67.3	7.5	-38.9	
Pre-tax income		132.0	13.7	82.4	9.1	-37.6	
Net income		83.5	8.6	56.8	6.3	-32.0	
EPS (diluted -	yen)	440.56	_	300.30	_	-31.8	
Average exchange	US\$:	¥1	17	¥103		_	
rate (yen)	€:	¥1	63	¥151		_	
Capital exper	nditures	53.7	5.6	55.2	6.1	2.9	
Depreciation		55.8	5.8	61.9	6.9	10.9	
R&D expense	es	46.6	4.8	51.4	5.7	10.3	



Consolidated Sales by Reporting Segment

- Nine months ended December 31, 2008 -

	N	Nine months ended December 31,						
Reporting Segment	20	07	20	% change				
	Amount	% of total	Amount	% of total				
Fine Ceramic Parts Group	61.8	6.4	52.1	5.8	-15.7			
Semiconductor Parts Group	113.9	11.8	113.5	12.6	-0.4			
Applied Ceramic Products Group	108.7	11.3	122.4	13.5	12.6			
■ Electronic Device Group	225.6	23.3	190.5	21.1	-15.5			
Components Business	510.0	52.8	478.5	53.0	-6.2			
■ Telecommunications Equipment Group	168.6	17.4	169.8	18.8	0.7			
Information Equipment Group	206.6	21.4	175.4	19.4	-15.1			
Equipment Business	375.2	38.8	345.2	38.2	-8.0			
Others	99.9	10.3	97.0	10.8	-2.9			
Adjustments and eliminations	-18.8	-1.9	-18.1	-2.0	_			
Net sales	966.2	100.0	902.6	100.0	-6.6			



Consolidated Operating Profit by Reporting Segment

- Nine months ended December 31, 2008 -

	N	Nine months ended December 31,				
Reporting Segment	2007		20	% change		
	Amount	% to net sales	Amount	% to net sales		
Fine Ceramic Parts Group	9.0	14.5	2.5	4.8	-72.3	
Semiconductor Parts Group	14.7	12.9	11.9	10.5	-19.4	
Applied Ceramic Products Group	22.8	21.0	28.0	22.9	22.7	
■ Electronic Device Group	30.5	13.5	5.1	2.7	-83.1	
Components Business	77.0	15.1	47.5	9.9	-38.3	
■ Telecommunications Equipment Group	3.1	1.9	-10.7	_	_	
Information Equipment Group	28.4	13.7	14.6	8.3	-48.6	
Equipment Business	31.5	8.4	3.9	1.1	-87.5	
Others	6.7	6.7	15.2	15.7	126.4	
Operating profit	115.2	11.9	66.7	7.4	-42.1	
Corporate	10.9	_	10.8	_	-1.0	
Equity in earnings of affiliates and unconsolidated subsidiaries	5.8	_	4.9	_	-16.0	
Adjustments and eliminations	-0.0	_	0.0	_	_	
Pre-tax income	132.0	13.7	82.4	9.1	-37.6	



Summary of Financial Results

- Nine months ended December 31, 2008 -

1. Rapid decline in demand from the second half of FY3/09

- 1) Reduction in production volume and inventory adjustment by digital consumer equipment manufacturers due to economic slowdown
- 2) Stagnating demand for high-end digital consumer equipment
- 3) Decreased overseas sales in the Information Equipment Group due to decline in IT investment by corporate sector

2. Decreased profit in the Telecommunications Equipment Group

- Flat sales despite the acquisition of SANYO's mobile phone handsets business
- · Decreased profitability due to sales decline in both Japanese and overseas markets

3. Yen appreciation against the U.S. dollar and the Euro

Impact of currency fluctuations on	Net sales	Pre-tax income
(compared with the nine months ended Dec. 31, 2007; the "previous nine months")	Approx68.0 billion yen	Approx16.5 billion yen

4. Increased sales and profit in the Applied Ceramic Products Group

Production volume of solar cells and modules increased by 40% compared with the previous nine months



Consolidated Financial Forecast

- Year ending March 31, 2009 -

		Voor ondod	March 21	Ye	ear ending N	/larch 31, 2009		% shan	no to the
			ear ended March 31, 2008		Previous forecast (Oct. 2008)		Revised forecast (Jan. 2009)		% change to the previous
		Amount	% of net sales	Amount	% of net sales	Amount	% of net sales	nine months	forecast
Net sales		1,290.4	100.0	1,240.0	100.0	1,120.0	100.0	-13.2	-9.7
Profit from opera	ations	152.4	11.8	74.0	6.0	25.0	2.2	-83.6	-66.2
Pre-tax income		174.8	13.5	94.0	7.6	40.0	3.6	-77.1	-57.4
Net income		107.2	8.3	56.0	4.5	20.0	1.8	-81.4	-64.3
EPS (diluted - ye	en)	565.80	-	295.19	_	105.80	_	-81.3	-64.2
Average	US\$:	¥11	4	¥1(¥101		0	_	_
exchange rate (yen)	€:	¥16	52	¥14	41	¥14	3		_
Capital expenditures		85.1	6.6	78.0	6.3	63.	0 5.6	-26.0	-19.2
Depreciation		75.6	5.9	87.0	7.0	84.	5 7.5	11.8	-2.9
R&D expenses		61.6	4.8	74.0	6.0	69.	0 6.2	12.0	-6.8



Consolidated Sales Forecast by Reporting Segment

- Year ending March 31, 2009 -

		Year ended March 31,		Year ending March 31, 2009				% change to the previous		
Reporting Segment		2008		Previous forecast (Oct. 2008)		Revised forecast (Jan. 2009)		nine months	forecast	
		Amount	% of total	Amount	% of total	Amount	% of total			
	Fine Ceramic Parts Group	81.3	6.3	70.0	5.7	62.0	5.5	-23.7	-11.4	
	Semiconductor Parts Group	154.5	12.0	144.0	11.6	133.0	11.9	-13.9	-7.6	
	Applied Ceramic Products Group	149.9	11.6	174.0	14.0	150.0	13.4	0.0	-13.8	
	Electronic Device Group	294.2	22.8	250.0	20.2	229.0	20.5	-22.2	-8.4	
	Components Business	680.0	52.7	638.0	51.5	574.0	51.3	-15.6	-10.0	
	Telecommunications Equipment Group	220.8	17.1	250.0	20.1	215.0	19.2	-2.6	-14.0	
	Information Equipment Group	276.7	21.5	239.0	19.3	226.0	20.2	-18.3	-5.4	
	Equipment Business	497.6	38.6	489.0	39.4	441.0	39.4	-11.4	-9.8	
	Others	138.5	10.7	138.0	11.1	128.0	11.4	-7.6	-7.2	
	Adjustments and eliminations	-25.6	-2.0	-25.0	-2.0	-23.0	-2.1	_	_	
	Net sales	1,290.4	100.0	1,240.0	100.0	1,120.0	100.0	-13.2	-9.7	



Consolidated Operating Profit Forecast by Reporting Segment - Year Ending March 31, 2009 -

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		Year ended March 31,		Year ending March 31,2009				% change to the previous	
Reporting Segment		2008		Previous forecast (Oct. 2008)		Revised forecast (Jan. 2009)		nine	forecast
		Amount	% to net sales	Amount	% to net sales	Amount	% to net sales	months	
Fine	Ceramic Parts Group	11.2	13.7	3.8	5.4	-2.5	_	_	_
■ Sem	niconductor Parts Group	20.0	13.0	16.0	11.1	5.0	3.8	-75.0	-68.8
= App	lied Ceramic Products Group	32.7	21.8	34.2	19.7	26.0	17.3	-20.4	-24.0
= Elec	tronic Device Group	36.5	12.4	9.0	3.6	-5.0	_	-	_
Compon	ents Business	100.4	14.8	63.0	9.9	23.5	4.1	-76.6	-62.7
Tele	communications Equipment Group	6.8	3.1	-17.3	-	-20.0	_	-	_
= Infor	mation Equipment Group	39.5	14.3	19.0	7.9	15.0	6.6	-62.1	-21.1
Equipme	ent Business	46.3	9.3	1.7	0.3	-5.0	_	_	_
Othe	ers	9.6	7.0	15.5	11.2	13.0	10.2	34.9	-16.1
Operatin	g profit	156.3	12.1	80.2	6.5	31.5	2.8	-79.9	-60.7
Corpora	ate and others	18.5	_	13.8	_	8.5	_	-54.1	-38.4
Pre-tax i	ncome	174.8	13.5	94.0	7.6	40.0	3.6	-77.1	-57.4



Factors in Revising Forecasts for FY3/09

(compared with the previous forecasts)

- Deteriorating business environment from the second half of FY3/09
 - Slowdown in global economy more severe than the previous forecast
- Market conditions (digital consumer equipment, automotive, information equipment, etc.) in the forth quarter (1~3/'09) will sharply worsen compared with the third quarter (10~12/'08)
- One-off costs and impairment in the second half of FY3/09: 20.0 billion yen (previous forecast: -4.0 billion yen)

	Third quarter (10~12/'08)	Forth quarter (1~3/'09)
Revaluation of various assets (Securities, goodwill, inventories, etc.)	Approx. 3.0 billion yen	Approx. 14.5 billion yen
Reorganization costs of business structure, etc.	Approx. 0.5 billion yen	Approx. 2.0 billion yen
Total	Approx. 3.5 billion yen	Approx. 16.5 billion yen



Index1: Supplementary Materials regarding Exchange Rate Fluctuation in FY3/09

1. Foreign currency fluctuation effect (Compared with the previous year)

	Year ended March 31,	Year ending March 31, 2009		
	2008	Previous forecast (Oct. 2008)	Revised forecast (Jan. 2009)	
	Amount	Amo	ount	
net sales	¥5.9	¥-105.8	Approx. ¥ -97.0	
pre-tax income	¥7.5	¥-33.0	Approx. ¥ -24.0	

2. Trends of average exchange rates for FY3/09

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4 (forecasts)
US\$	¥105	¥108	¥96	¥91
€	¥163	¥162	¥127	¥119



Index2: Breakdown of the Telecommunications Equipment Group in FY3/09

(Unit: Yen in billions)

	Sales]	Nine months	Full-year forecasts
	Mobile phone handsets business	Approx. 150.0	Approx. 190.0
	Telecommunication system equipment business	Approx. 20.0	Approx 25.0
S	egment total	169.8	215.0

【 Operating profit 】	ating profit] Nine months	
Mobile phone handsets business	Approx10.0	-20.0
Telecommunication system equipment business	Approx0.5	0.0
Segment total	-10.7	-20.0



Forward-Looking Statements

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