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For the Nine Months Ended December 31, 2011

KYOCERA Corporation



Financial Results of First Nine Months of FY3/2012

- Comparison with first nine months of FY3/2011-

	Nine	months en	ded Decembe	er 31,	Chango			
	20	10	201	1	Change			
	Amount	% of net sales	Amount	% of net sales	Amount	%		
Net sales	956.9	100.0	885.4	100.0	-71.5	-7.5		
Profit from operations	119.8	12.5	88.4	10.0	-31.4	-26.2		
Pre-tax income	133.1	13.9	102.6	11.6	-30.5	-22.9		
Net income attributable to shareholders of Kyocera Corporation	93.7	9.8	72.1	8.1	-21.6	-23.1		
EPS attributable to shareholders of Kyocera Corporation (diluted-yen)	510.67	-	393.07	_	_	_		
Capital expenditures	51.1	5.3	51.4	5.8	0.3	0.7		
Depreciation	42.6	4.4	45.2	5.1	2.6	6.1		
R&D expenses	36.7	3.8	35.1	4.0	-1.6	-4.3		



Sales by Reporting Segment

- Nine months ended December 31, 2011 -

	Nine m	onths ende	ed Decemb	er 31,	Change		
Reporting Segment	20	10	20 ⁻	11	Char	ige	
	Amount	% of total	Amount	% of total	Amount	%	
Fine Ceramic Parts Group	56.3	5.9	61.3	6.9	5.0	9.1	
Semiconductor Parts Group	132.6	13.9	117.7	13.3	-14.9	-11.2	
Applied Ceramic Products Group	150.5	15.7	133.6	15.1	-16.9	-11.2	
Electronic Device Group	183.8	19.2	165.4	18.7	-18.4	-10.1	
Components Business: Total	523.2	54.7	478.0	54.0	-45.2	-8.6	
Telecommunications Equipment Group	175.8	18.4	136.6	15.4	-39.2	-22.3	
Information Equipment Group	176.5	18.4	178.9	20.2	2.4	1.4	
Equipment Business: Total	352.3	36.8	315.5	35.6	-36.8	-10.4	
Others	102.4	10.7	111.3	12.6	8.9	8.6	
Adjustments and eliminations	-21.0	-2.2	-19.4	-2.2	1.6		
Net sales	956.9	100.0	885.4	100.0	-71.5	-7.5	



Operating Profit by Reporting Segment

- Nine months ended December 31, 2011 -

	Nine mo	nths ende	ed December	31,	Change	
Reporting Segment	2010)	2011			
	Amount	% of net sales	Amount	% of net sales	Amount	%
Fine Ceramic Parts Group	8.4	15.1	9.6	15.7	1.2	13.6
Semiconductor Parts Group	28.4	21.4	22.3	18.9	-6.1	-21.5
Applied Ceramic Products Group	23.2	15.4	7.3	5.4	-15.9	-68.8
■ Electronic Device Group	33.3	18.1	21.9	13.2	-11.4	-34.2
Components Business: Total	93.3	17.8	61.1	12.8	-32.2	-34.6
Telecommunications Equipment Group	-0.9	_	0.8	0.6	1.7	_
Information Equipment Group	20.3	11.5	22.6	12.6	2.3	11.2
Equipment Business: Total	19.4	5.5	23.4	7.4	4.0	20.8
Others	7.6	7.4	5.5	5.0	-2.1	-26.9
Operating profit	120.3	12.6	90.0	10.2	-30.3	-25.2
Corporate and othres	12.8	_	12.6	_	-0.2	-1.9
Pre-tax income	133.1	13.9	102.6	11.6	-30.5	-22.9



Summary of First Nine Months of FY3/2012 (1)

- Comparison with first nine months of FY3/2011 -
- 1. Sales and profit down in Components Business due to sluggish demand in key markets

Weak demand in digital consumer equipment market

- Continued component inventory adjustments by equipment manufacturers
- Lower production volume of equipment due to impact of Thai floods

Deteriorated business environment in solar energy market

Persistent global price erosion in addition to slow demand in Europe

Increased demand in the general industrial market

Increase in component demand for automotive market



Summary of First Nine Months of FY3/2012 (2)

- Comparison with first nine months of FY3/2011 -

2. Operating profit up in Equipment Business despite sales decline

Telecommunications Equipment Group

- Sales down due to lower sales volume of mobile phone handsets overseas
- Operating profit up due to cost reductions and contribution of smartphone in Japan

Information Equipment Group

- Sales up in emerging nations due to new product launches and sales network expansion
- Operating profit up due to higher sales of consumables and cost reductions

3. Impact of yen's appreciation

		Nine mont	hs ended December 31,
Average		2010	2011
exchange rate	US\$	¥87	¥79
(yen)	Euro	¥113	¥111

Foreign currency fluctuation effect on (compared with previous nine months)

Sales: Approximately ¥ -32.5 billion Pre-tax income: Approximately ¥ -7.5 billion



Financial Results of Three Months ended December 31, 2011

- Comparison with three months ended September 30, 2011 -

		Three mo	nths ended		Change			
	September	· 30, 2011	December	31, 2011	Criai	rige		
	Amount	% of net sales	Amount	% of net sales	Amount	%		
Net sales	299.0	100.0	281.1	100.0	-17.9	-6.0		
Profit from operations	34.5	11.5	20.6	7.3	-13.9	-40.2		
Pre-tax income	35.6	11.9	27.0	9.6	-8.6	-24.1		
Net income attributable to shareholders of Kyocera Corporation	22.0	7.3	25.3	9.0	3.3	15.4		
Capital expenditures	18.5	6.2	16.9	6.0	-1.6	-8.6		
Depreciation	15.0	5.0	16.2	5.7	1.2	7.9		
R&D expenses	11.7	3.9	11.5	4.1	-0.2	-2.3		



Sales by Reporting Segment

- Three months ended December 31, 2011 -

		Three mon	iths ended		Change		
Reporting Segment	Septembe	r 30, 2011	December	31, 2011	Criai	ige	
	Amount	% of total	Amount	% of total	Amount	%	
Fine Ceramic Parts Group	21.4	7.2	19.4	6.9	-2.0	-9.8	
Semiconductor Parts Group	41.0	13.7	36.0	12.8	-5.0	-12.2	
Applied Ceramic Products Group	45.3	15.1	42.9	15.3	-2.4	-5.3	
■ Electronic Device Group	56.4	18.9	49.5	17.6	-6.9	-12.2	
Components Business: Total	164.1	54.9	147.8	52.6	-16.3	-10.0	
Telecommunications Equipment Group	41.1	13.7	46.5	16.6	5.4	13.3	
■ Information Equipment Group	61.0	20.4	57.8	20.5	-3.2	-5.3	
Equipment Business: Total	102.1	34.1	104.3	37.1	2.2	2.2	
Others	39.9	13.4	35.1	12.5	-4.8	-12.1	
Adjustments and eliminations	-7.1	-2.4	-6.1	-2.2	1.0	_	
Net sales	299.0	100.0	281.1	100.0	-17.9	-6.0	



Operating Profit by Reporting Segment

- Three months ended December 31, 2011 -

	Т	hree mon	ths ended		Change	
Reporting Segment	September 3	30, 2011	December 3	1, 2011		
	Amount	% of net sales	Amount	% of net sales	Amount	%
Fine Ceramic Parts Group	3.8	17.8	2.3	12.1	-1.5	-38.4
Semiconductor Parts Group	8.6	20.9	4.4	12.3	-4.2	-48.4
■ Applied Ceramic Products Group	2.0	4.5	0.9	2.0	-1.1	-57.2
■ Electronic Device Group	8.2	14.6	4.3	8.6	-3.9	-48.0
Components Business: Total	22.6	13.8	11.9	8.1	-10.7	-47.4
■ Telecommunications Equipment Group	1.1	2.6	0.5	1.0	-0.6	-54.5
■ Information Equipment Group	8.2	13.5	6.8	11.7	-1.4	-17.5
Equipment Business: Total	9.3	9.1	7.3	7.0	-2.0	21.7
Others	2.7	6.8	2.0	5.8	-0.7	-24.6
Operating profit	34.6	11.6	21.2	7.5	-13.4	-38.7
Corporate	1.0	_	5.8	_	4.8	-473.2
Pre-tax income	35.6	11.9	27.0	9.6	-8.6	-24.1



Summary of Financial Results for Three Months ended December 31, 2011 (1)

- Comparison with three months ended September 30, 2011 -
- 1. Sales and profit down in Components Business due to deteriorating market environment

Component demand down in digital consumer equipment market

- Continued component inventory adjustments by equipment manufacturers
- Lower equipment production volume due to impact of Thai floods

Continued stagnation in solar energy market

Consistent price erosion with no sign of improvement in supply/demand balance

Slowdown in component demand in general industrial market

Blunted growth in demand in third quarter due to economic downturn



Summary of Financial Results for Three Months ended December 31, 2011 (2)

- Comparison with three months ended September 30, 2011 -

2. Sales up and profit down in Equipment Business

Telecommunications Equipment Group

- Sales up due to contribution of DIGNO® smartphone
- Profit down due to inventory adjustments by key customers overseas

Information Equipment Group

Sales and profit down due to European economic downturn and weak euro/strong yen

3. Impact of yen's appreciation

		Three mor	nths ended
Average		September 30, 2011	December 31, 2011
exchange rate (yen)	US\$	¥78	¥77
(3011)	Euro	¥110	¥104

Foreign currency fluctuation effect on (compared with Q2 FY3/2012)

Sales: Approximately ¥ -4 billion Pre-tax income: Approximately ¥ -1 billion



Financial Forecast

- Year ending March 31, 2012 -

	Year ended March 31, 2011				Year arch 31, 20		Changes in amount compared with		
			% of net	Previous (Od	t. 2011)	Revised (Jan. 2012)		Year ended	Previous
		Amount	% of net sales	Amount	% of net sales	Amount	% of net sales	March 31, 2011	forecast
Net sales		1,266.9	100.0	1,230.0	100.0	1,180.0	100.0	-86.9	-50.0
Profit from oper	ations	155.9	12.3	125.0	10.2	100.0	8.5	-55.9	-25.0
Pre-tax income		172.3	13.6	140.0	11.4	113.0	9.6	-59.3	-27.0
Net income attributable to shareholders of Kyocera		122.4	9.7	87.0	7.1	78.0	6.6	-44.4 -9.0	
EPS attributable to share of Kyocera Corporation		667.23	_	474.23	_	425.18	_	-	-
Capital expendi	tures	70.7	5.6	70.0	5.7	65.0	5.5	-5.7	-5.0
Depreciation		59.8	4.7	60.0	4.9	60.0	5.1	0.2	_
R&D expenses		49.5	3.9	47.0	3.8	47.0	4.0	-2.5	_
Average exchange rate (/en)	US\$: ¥86	€: ¥ 113	US\$: ¥78	€: ¥ 109	US\$: ¥78	€: ¥107		
Foreign currency fluctuation effect on:			-68.0	Approx. ¥	-53.0	Approx. ¥	-45.0	-45.0	
(compared with the previous fiscal year) billion yen	pre-tax income	Approx. ¥	-28.0	Approx. ¥	-14.5	Approx. ¥ -11.5			



Sales Forecast by Reporting Segment

- Year ending March 31, 2012 - (Unit: Yen in billions)

Reporting Segment	Year ended March 31, 2011		Marc	Year e	ending 12 (Foreca	st)	Chang amo compare	unt
- reporting deginent		Previous Revised		sed	Year ended March 31,	Previous		
	Amount	% of total	Amount	% of total	Amount	% of total	2011	forecast
Fine Ceramic Parts Group	76.3	6.0	83.0	6.7	80.0	6.8	3.7	-3.0
Semiconductor Parts Group	174.7	13.8	159.0	12.9	152.0	12.9	-22.7	-7.0
Applied Ceramic Products Group	197.6	15.6	206.0	16.8	177.0	15.0	-20.6	-29.0
■ Electronic Device Group	242.6	19.2	224.0	18.2	225.0	19.0	-17.6	1.0
Components Business: Total	691.2	54.6	672.0	54.6	634.0	53.7	-57.2	-38.0
Telecommunications Equipment Group	225.2	17.8	190.0	15.4	180.0	15.3	-45.2	-10.0
Information Equipment Group	239.9	18.9	241.0	19.6	240.0	20.3	0.1	-1.0
Equipment Business: Total	465.1	36.7	431.0	35.0	420.0	35.6	-45.1	-11.0
Others	139.4	11.0	156.0	12.7	152.0	12.9	12.6	-4.0
Adjustments and eliminations	-28.8	-2.3	-29.0	-2.3	-26.0	-2.2	2.8	3.0
Net sales	1,266.9	100.0	1,230.0	100.0	1,180.0	100.0	-86.9	-50.0



Operating Profit Forecast by Reporting Segment

- Year ending March 31, 2012 -

Donouting Comment	Year ended March 31, 2011		Mar		ending)12 (Forec	ast)	Changes in amount compared with	
Reporting Segment		.,	Previ	ous	Revi	sed	Year ended	Previous
	Amount	% of net sales	Amount	% of net sales	Amount	% of net sales	March 31, 2011	forecast
Fine Ceramic Parts Group	12.0	15.7	12.0	14.5	10.5	13.1	-1.5	-1.5
Semiconductor Parts Group	37.3	21.4	30.0	18.9	24.0	15.8	-13.3	-6.0
Applied Ceramic Products Group	29.1	14.7	14.5	7.0	7.3	4.1	-21.8	-7.2
Electronic Device Group	41.6	17.2	33.0	14.7	22.5	10.0	-19.1	-10.5
Components Business: Total	120.0	17.4	89.5	13.3	64.3	10.1	-55.7	-25.2
Telecommunications Equipment Group	2.1	0.9	3.0	1.6	2.7	1.5	0.6	-0.3
Information Equipment Group	25.9	10.8	26.0	10.8	26.0	10.8	0.1	_
Equipment Business: Total	28.0	6.0	29.0	6.7	28.7	6.8	0.7	-0.3
Others	9.6	6.9	8.0	5.1	7.0	4.6	-2.6	-1.0
Operating profit	157.6	12.4	126.5	10.3	100.0	8.5	-57.6	-26.5
Corporate and others	14.7	_	13.5	_	13.0	_	-1.7	-0.5
Pre-tax income	172.3	13.6	140.0	11.4	113.0	9.6	-59.3	-27.0



Factors behind Revisions to Forecast for FY3/2012

1. Sales and profit down in Components Business due to a decline in business environment beyond expectations

Digital consumer equipment market

- Prolonged component inventory adjustments by equipment manufacturers
- Impact of temporary drop in equipment production due to Thailand floods

Solar energy market

Continued price erosion beyond expectations

2. Sales down in the Telecommunications Equipment Group

 Decrease in sales volume of mobile phone handsets due to inventory adjustments by key customers overseas



Notes regarding the numbers in this material

- Amounts are rounded to the nearest 0.1 billion yen.
- Percentages are computed based on amounts rounded to the nearest million yen.



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