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The consolidated financial results of the Company are being reported according to the U.S. GAAP.

Summary of Q3/FY2006

- Sales hit a record quarterly high, marking double-digit growth for all business segments y/y.
- Record Operating Income driven by "Small Precision Motors" and "Mid-size Motors."
- HDD motor sales grew 22% on a 26% shipment increase y/y, crossing the ¥50 billion quarterly mark.
- Operating Income Ratio down in "Machinery" and "Electronic and Optical Components."

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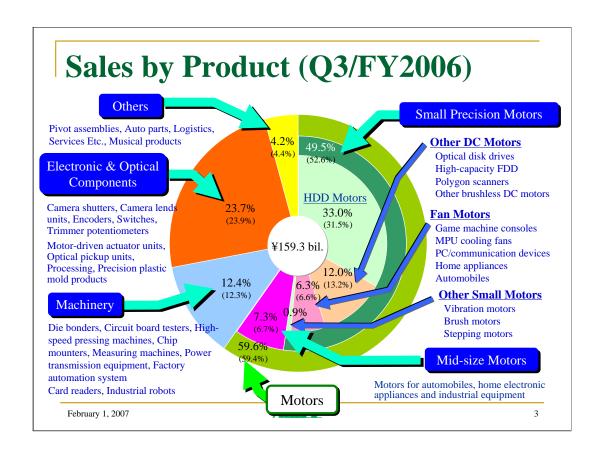
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Summary of Q3/FY2006

Total net sales for the third quarter were up \(\frac{\text{\frac{4}}}{22,575}\) million, or 16.5\(\text{\frac{6}}\), year-on-year, and all segments including small precision motors business posted double-digit growth.

Operating income for the third quarter was ¥17,031 million, up slightly more than ¥2,000 million, or 13.5%, year-on-year. Most of this growth was in the motors business, with operating income from small precision motors up just over ¥1,500 million and from midsize motors up nearly ¥800 million.

The details are as follows.



Sales by Product (Q3/FY2006)

As of the end of Dec. 31, 2006, Nidec's motor business comprised of "Small Precision Motors" and "Mid-size Motors" accounted for 59.6% of the consolidated sales mix. The remaining businesses categorized as "Machinery", "Electronic and Optical Components" and "Others" represented 12.4%, 23.7% and 4.2%, respectively.

Profit/Loss - year on year -

(Yen in millions)	Q3/FY05	Q3/FY06	Change	April-Dec. 9 Months	FY06 Forecast
Net sales	136,729	159,304	+16.5%	459,141	580,000
Operating income (Operating income ratio)	15,003 (11.0%)	17,031 (10.7%)	+13.5%	49,077 (10.7%)	65,000 (11.2 %)
Income before tax	19,638	18,057	-8.1%	50,718	65,000
Net income	12,124	9,299	-23.3%	30,075	40,000
EPS (¥)	84.4	64.28	-23.9%	207.92	276.59
Foreign Exchange (¥/\$) Average: Term end:	¥117.4 ¥118.1	¥117.82 ¥119.11	+0.4% +0.9%	¥116.19 ¥119.11	¥115.00

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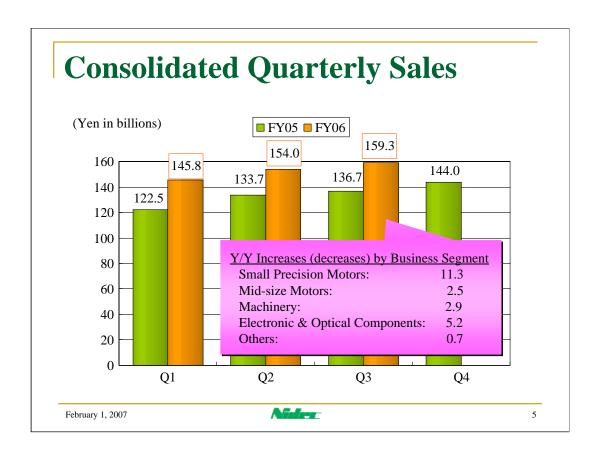
During the first three quarters of fiscal 2006, net sales grew by approximately \(\frac{1}{2}66,200\) million (17%) year-on-year, and operating income rose by \(\frac{1}{2}9,000\) million (just over 22%).

Over the first three quarters of fiscal 2006 (the nine-month period April 1, 2006 to December 31, 2006) total consolidated net sales reached \(\frac{4}{4}59,141\) million, rising 16.9% in comparison to the corresponding nine-month period of the previous fiscal year, while consolidated operating income increased by \(\frac{4}{8},996\) million, or 22.4%, to \(\frac{4}{4}9,077\) million. However, factors in non-operating areas, including a substantial decline in foreign exchange gain, a drop in gains on sales of marketable securities, and a special income tax of \(\frac{4}{2},875\) million associated with transfer pricing taxation, resulted in a 7.5% decline in consolidated net income to \(\frac{4}{3}3,075\) million. Excluding the factor regarding transfer pricing taxation, consolidated net income would have increased by around \(\frac{4}{3}430\) million year-on-year.

The following discussion, including year-on-year comparisons, refers to the third quarter alone. Net sales for the third quarter were \\(\frac{\text{159,304}}{159,304}\) million, up \(\frac{\text{22,575}}{220,575}\) million, or 16.5%, in comparison with the third quarter of the previous fiscal year, and operating income rose by \(\frac{\text{22,028}}{20,028}\) million, or 13.5%, to \(\frac{\text{17,031}}{100,013}\) million. Income before provision for income taxes, however, fell \(\frac{\text{13,057}}{100,000}\) million to \(\frac{\text{18,057}}{100,000}\) million, as a result of a decline in foreign exchange gain and gains on sales of marketable securities. As a result of the above factors and the increase in corporate taxes, net income declined \(\frac{\text{22,825}}{200,000}\) million year-on-year to \(\frac{\text{49,299}}{200,0000}\) million. However, if the effect of transfer pricing taxation were excluded, net income would actually have increased by \(\frac{\text{50}}{200}\) million over the third quarter of the previous year.

Qualitative information regarding forecast of business results

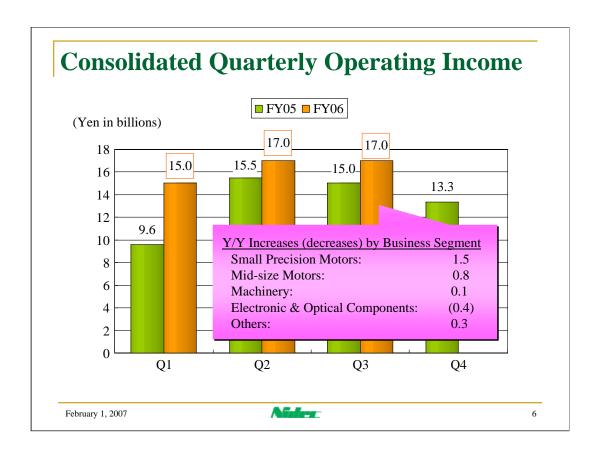
There are no changes to the forecast of consolidated performance for fiscal 2006 released on October 27, 2006.



Consolidated Quarterly Sales

Net sales for the third quarter were \\ \pm 159,304 \text{ million, up }\ \\ \pm 22,575 \text{ million, or } 16.5\%, \text{ in comparison with the third quarter of the previous fiscal year.}

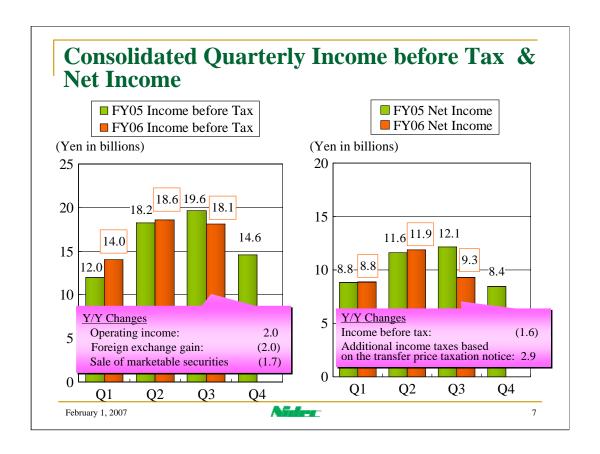
Compared to the second quarter of fiscal 2006, third quarter net sales increased ¥5,286 million, or 3.4%



Consolidated Quarterly Operating Income

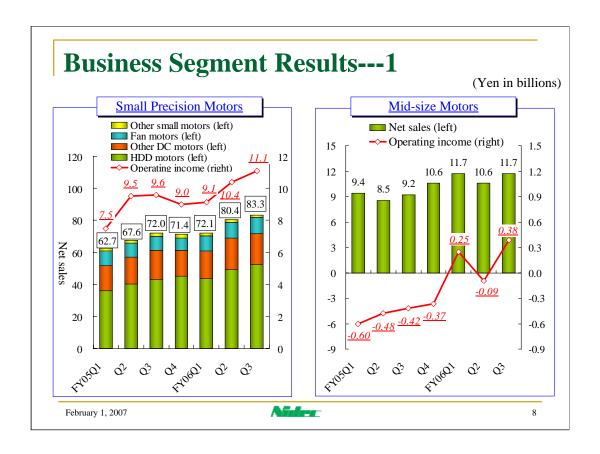
Operating income rose by \(\pma2,028\) million, or 13.5\%, to \(\pma17,031\) million. Most of this growth was in the motors business, with operating income from small precision motors up just over \(\pma1,500\) million and from mid-size motors up nearly \(\pma8800\) million.

Compared to the second quarter of fiscal 2006, third quarter operating income rose only a slight ¥19 million.



Consolidated Quarterly Income before Tax & Net Income

Compared to the second quarter of fiscal 2006, third quarter net income for the quarter declined ¥2,628 million, or 22.0%, as a result of the fall in foreign exchange gain and the increase in corporate taxes. If the effect of the transfer pricing taxation on third-quarter income were excluded, net income would have increased by approximately ¥250 million.

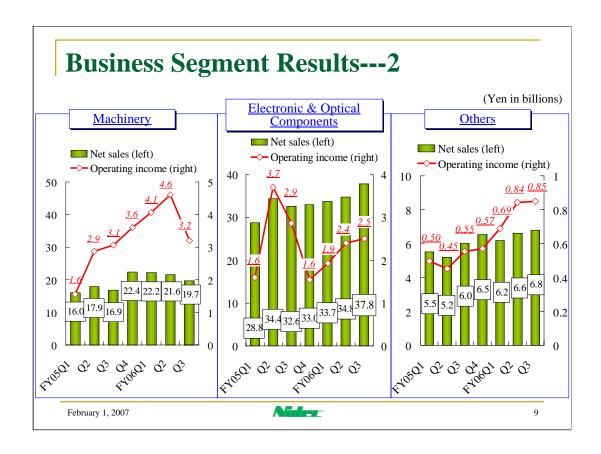


Business Segment Results---1

Sales for each business segment were as follows.

Net sales in the small precision motors business rose ¥11,331 million, or 15.7%, to ¥83,302 million. Operating income climbed ¥1,528 million to ¥11,128 million, supported by strong demand for spindle motors for HDDs and motors for optical disk drives. The profit ratio recovered to around 13%, almost the level seen in the third quarter of the previous fiscal year. The 16% increase in sales over the third quarter of the previous year contributed to the increase in profits. Compared to the second quarter of fiscal 2006, the profit ratio also improved by around 0.5%, boosted by the growth in sales.

Net sales in the mid-size motor business rose by ¥11,699 million, or 27.2%. Of that increase, sales of motors for automobiles contributed approximately ¥600 million, around one and a half times the sales for the same period last year. In addition, motors for home appliances and industrial use both increased, with sales of the former in particular growing nearly 30%. The mid-size motors segment moved into the black, posting profits of ¥383 million. This was due chiefly to adjustments in the sales prices of motors for home appliances to allow for the absorption of escalating raw materials prices, and to substantial growth in sales of motors for consumer electronics and automotive.

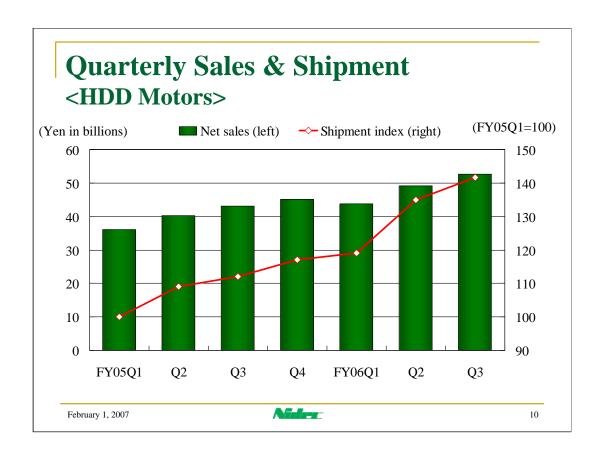


Business Segment Results---2

Net sales in the machinery business were ¥19,743 million, a ¥2,857 million, or 16.9%, year-on-year increase. The rate of growth slowed in the third quarter compared with the 29% growth rate of the first half, due to lackluster growth in Nidec Sankyo's machinery-related sales. The machinery business posted operating income of ¥3,219 million, an increase of around ¥150 million. Strong demand for capital investment overall drove increased sales. However, sales of Nidec Sankyo's robot systems and other machinery were already at high levels in the third quarter of the previous fiscal year, explaining the relatively slight increase in revenue achieved in the third quarter. This, in turn, held profit growth in the sector to a low level. Notably, factors including the deferment of capital investment in the LCD industry resulted in a decline in third-quarter operating income of around ¥1,400 million in the robot systems business in comparison with the second quarter of fiscal 2006.

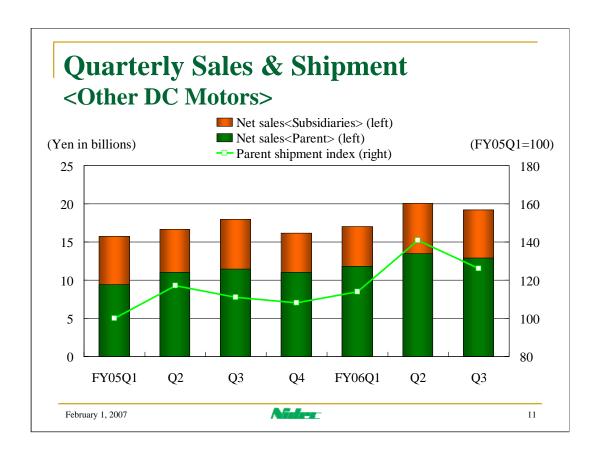
Net sales in the electronic and optical components business rose approximately \(\frac{4}{5}\),200 million, or 15.8%, to \(\frac{4}{3}\)7,807 million. This was primarily due to steady growth in sales of Nidec Copal's camera shutters, lens units and other optical equipment, as well as expansion in sales of Nidec Copal Electronics' electronic circuit components. Operating income in the electronic and optical components business was \(\frac{4}{2}\),513 million, a \(\frac{4}{3}\)50 million year-on-year decline. The principal cause of this was a decline in sales of precision components by Nidec Nisshin, Nidec Pigeon, and other Nidec Sankyo Group members. Operating profits at other Group companies were substantially unchanged from the third quarter of the previous fiscal year.

Net sales in "other" businesses totaled ¥6,753 million, an increase of ¥716 million. Around ¥500 million of this increase was due to growth in sales of pivot assemblies. "Other" businesses recorded operating income of ¥850 million, up around ¥300 million. This was due to improved profitability in Nidec Tosok's auto parts business and Nidec's pivot assemblies business.



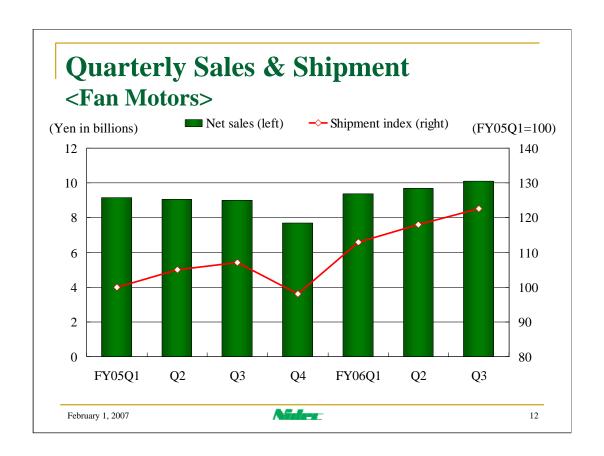
Quarterly Sales & Shipment < HDD Motors>

Sales of spindle motors for hard disk drives (HDDs) grew approximately ¥9,500 million, or 22%, and by volume increased 26%. Average selling prices were down approximately 3% on a yen basis, and, because the exchange rate was almost unchanged from the third quarter of the previous fiscal year, dollar-denominated sales prices were also about 3% lower. In comparison with the second quarter, sales volume rose approximately 5%, representing growth of approximately 4 million HDD spindle motors.



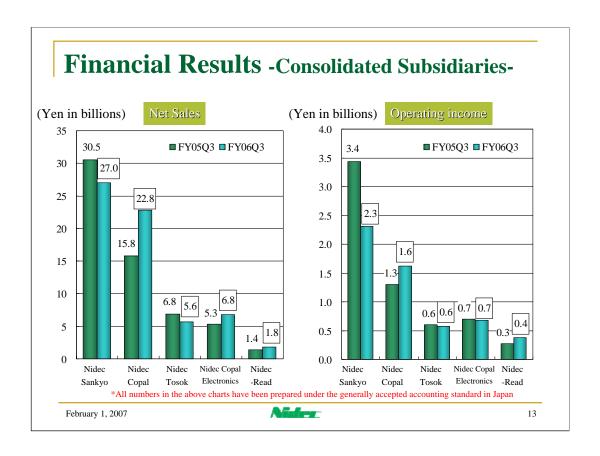
Quarterly Sales & Shipment<Other DC Motors>

Net sales of DC motors increased approximately ¥1,200 million, or 6.5%, but this included the sales contributed by group companies such as Nidec Sankyo, which showed a 4% decline. Accordingly, sales for Nidec in DC motors, chiefly DC motors for optical disk drives, rose approximately 13%.



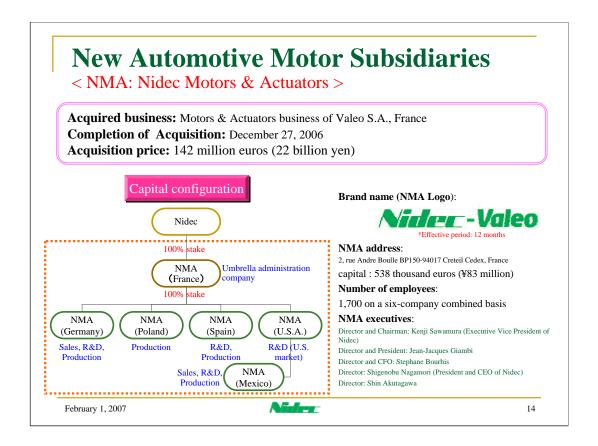
Quarterly Sales & Shipment <Fan Motors>

Sales for brushless DC fans grew by around ¥1,100 million, or 12%, year-on-year.



Financial Results -Consolidated Subsidiaries>

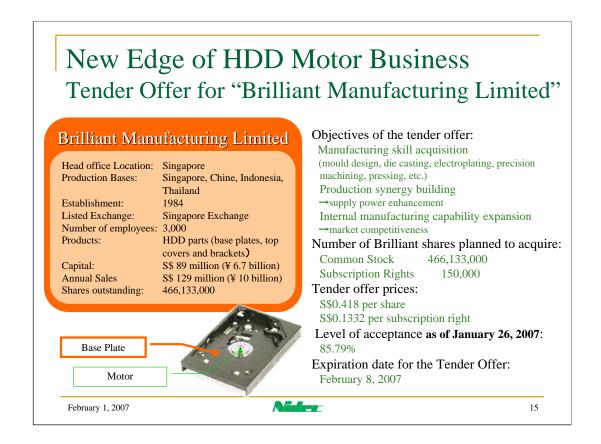
Nidec group has five listed subsidiaries (Nidec Sankyo, Nidec Copal, Nidec Tosok, Nidec Copal Electronics, Nidec-Read). During the Quarter, Nidec Copal and Nidec-Read achieved increased sales and operating income over the same period of the previous fiscal year. Nidec Copal Electronics increased sales but declined operating income. Nidec Sankyo and Nidec Tosok declines sales and operating income.



New Automotive Motor Subsidiaries <NMA: Nidec Motors & Actuators>

Nidec completed the acquisition of the Motors & Actuators business of Valeo S.A., France, on December 27, 2006, for approximately 142 million euros (22 billion yen). As a result, Nidec has included six additional companies (collectively "Nidec Motors & Actuators" or "NMA") in its scope of subsidiaries. With its umbrella administration function based in France, NMA has operating arms in Germany, Poland, Spain, U.S.A. and Mexico, employing a total of approximately 1,700 people. While strengthening NMA's competitive positions in its key European and North American markets, Nidec intends to expand NMA's market reach to Japan and other Asian countries.

Nidec expects NMA to deliver sales contribution of approximately ¥10 billion and breakeven operating profit performance for the year ending March 31, 2007.



New Edge of HDD Motor Business

<u>Tender Offer for Brilliant Manufacturing Limited</u>

Our tender offer for Brilliant Manufacturing Limited in Singapore is scheduled to complete on February 8, 2007. As of January 25, 2007, we obtained an 85.79% acceptance of the offer.