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Update on Damages Caused by Floods in Thailand

Nidec Corporation (NYSE: NJ) (the “Company”) announced today an update as of October 21, 2011 on flood damages to Nidec Group companies in Thailand. No damages to the Company’s employees have been reported so far.

The Company plans to lay out an operation schedule for the currently inoperative factories based on changes in the situation. The exact amount of damage and the effect of the floods on the Company’s performance are being assessed currently. We will continue to report on any actual or potential impact on the Company’s business performance in a prompt manner.

Company	Factory	Location	Products	Status
Nidec Electronics (Thailand) Co., Ltd.	Rangsit Factory	Pathumthani Province	Hard disk drive (“HDD”) motors	Not inundated, but operations temporarily suspended. Preparations to resume operations underway.
	Bangkadi Factory	Bangkadi Industrial Park, Pathumthani Province		Factory precinct partially inundated and operations temporarily suspended.
	Rojana Factory	Rojana Industrial Park Ayutthaya Province		Property inundated and operations suspended. Evacuation orders issued across the Industrial Park.
Nidec Precision (Thailand) Co., Ltd.	Rojana Factory	Rojana Industrial Park Ayutthaya Province	HDD motor components	Factory precinct partially inundated and operations temporarily suspended.
	Ayutthaya Factory	Wangnoi District Ayutthaya Province		No damages detected and operations remain normal.
Nidec Component Technology (Thailand) Co., Ltd.	Saraburi Factory	SIL Industrial Land Saraburi Province	HDD base plates	Property inundated and operations suspended.
	Bang Pa-In Factory	Bang Pa-In Industrial Estate Ayutthaya Province		Factory precinct partially inundated and operations temporarily suspended.
Shibaura Electronics (Thailand) Co., Ltd.	—	Bangkadi Industrial Park, Pathumthani Province	Home appliance motors	Factory precinct partially inundated and operations temporarily suspended.
Nidec Copal (Thailand) Co., Ltd.	—	Nava Nakorn Industrial Estate, Pathumthani Province	Camera shutters Lens units	Factory precinct partially inundated and operations temporarily suspended.
Nidec-Read (Thailand) Co., Ltd.	—	Chachoengsao Province	Inspection fixtures	No damages detected and operations remain normal.