

NEWS RELEASECorrection of Earnings Results Forecast of FY2010**Yokohama, Japan, April 18, 2011**

Please be informed that the forecast of earnings results of fiscal year 2010 (April 1, 2010 to March 31, 2011) indicated at the time of the 3rd quarterly financial announcement on January 26, 2011 is corrected as follows based on the latest achievements.

1. Correction of the consolidated earnings results forecast of FY2010 (April 1, 2010 to March 31, 2011)

	Net Sales	Operating Income	Ordinary Income	Net Income	Earnings per Share
Previous Forecast(A)	millions in yen 22,064	millions in yen 5,891	millions in yen 5,578	millions in yen 3,970	yen 487. ¹⁷
Current Forecast(B)	21,400	5,180	4,830	4,300	527. ⁶⁶
Changes in Amount	-664	-711	-748	330	
Changes in % (B-A)/A	-3.0	-12.1	-13.4	8.3	
*reference FY2010 Result	17,836	2,892	2,585	2,231	290. ⁵³

Note: EPS of FY2010 has been fairly adjusted taking one to ten share splitting carried out on May 28, 2010 into account.

2. Reason for Correction

The change from the previous forecast announcement is restrictive as the above-mentioned.

Although the impact on the Great East Japan Earthquake in earnings of this year was very slight, we decided to announce the revised forecast at present moment in consideration of a strong concern about the influence to the corporate earnings on the earthquake disaster.

In the previous announcement, the shortfall in amount of System LSI business was supposed to be absorbed by the upturn of Memory business, nevertheless, it did not come to fully compensate.

Moreover, with regard to net income, it is likely to exceed the amount in the previous announcement due to the increase in appropriation of a deferred tax asset.

Since the above-mentioned forecast is made based on available information as of today, the actual result of earnings may differ from it by various factors from now on.

The influence of the earthquake disaster to FY2011 (April 1, 2011 to March 31, 2012) is under investigation at present and is scheduled to be mentioned in an official announcement on the forecast of earnings for FY2011 on May 11, 2011.

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