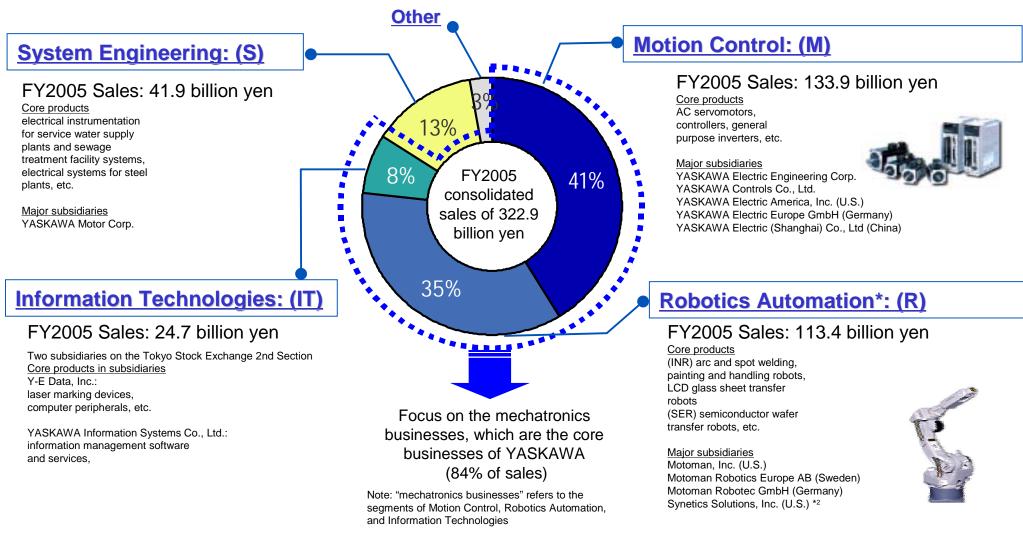


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Business Summary



* The name of the segment has changed to "Robotics" in FY2006

FY2005 Financial Highlights

<u>1. Record highs achieved for 2 consecutive FYs</u></u>

Sales: ¥322.9 billion, Operating income: ¥24.4 billion, Ordinary income: ¥24.3 billion These all set record highs. Net income (¥10.1 billion) was also a record high.

2. (M) Added-value increased. 10% profitability soon to be achieved.

Sales: ¥133.9 billion, up by 8.9% (¥11.0 billion) from previous FY Operating income: ¥12.3 billion, up by 34.6% (¥3.2 billion) from previous FY Operating income ratio: 7.4% in FY 2004 \rightarrow 9.2% in FY 2005

3. (R) Improved profitability through business expansion in automobilerelated and overseas markets, and strengthened productivity

Sales: ¥113.4 billion, up by 7.9% (¥8.3 billion) from previous FY Operating income: ¥9.8 billion, up by 35.3% (¥2.6 billion) from previous FY Operating income ratio: 6.9% in FY 2004 \rightarrow 8.7% in FY 2005

4. (S) Turned profitable in non-consolidated base through structural reforms Consolidated results with operating loss of ¥0.2 billion remained to be a challenge

5. Overseas sales ratio rose to 47% while global sales increased in each region.

Sales outside Japan: ¥151.3 billion, up by 16.2% (¥21.1 billion) from previous FY Ratio of sales outside Japan: 42% in FY 2004 \rightarrow 47% in FY 2005

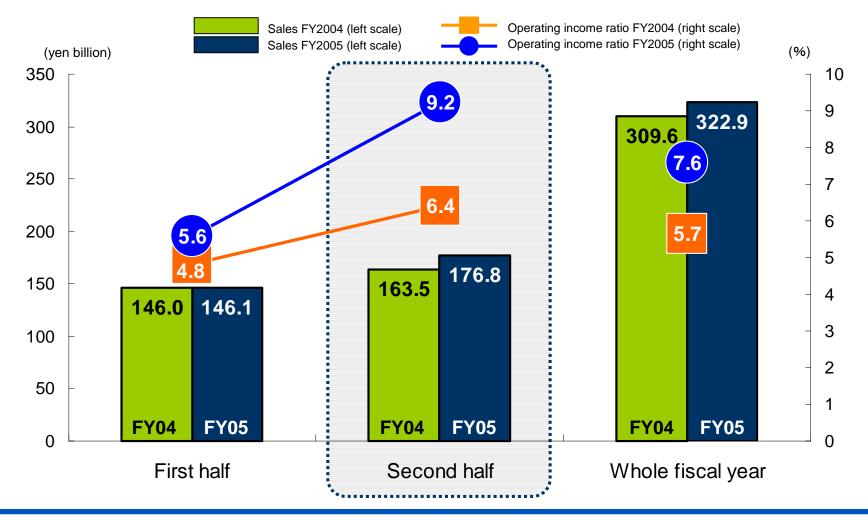
Consolidated Results by Business Segment

(M) (R): Both sales and profit improved, setting record highs. (S): Structural reform led to operating loss improving greatly although sales decreased.

	FY 2005		FY 2004		Change	Change (%)
		income ratio		income ratio		
Sales	322.9		309.6		+13.3	+4.3%
(M)	133.9		122.9		+11.0	+8.9%
(R)	113.4		105.1		+8.3	+7.9%
(S)	41.9		44.9		(3.0)	(6.7%)
(IT)	24.7		25.4		(0.6)	(2.5%)
Operating income		7.6%	17.5	5.7%	+7.0	+39.7%
(M)	12.2	9.2%	9.1	7.4%	+3.2	+34.6%
(R)	9.8	8.7%	7.2	6.9%	+2.6	+35.3%
(S)	(0.2)	(0.6%)	(2.0)	(4.7%)	+1.8	n.m.
(IT)	1.0	4.2%	1.5	5.9%	(0.5)	(30.5%)
Ordinary income	24.3	7.5%	17.4	5.6%	+6.9	+39.7%
Net income	10.1	3.1%	1.8	0.6%	+8.3	+444.6%

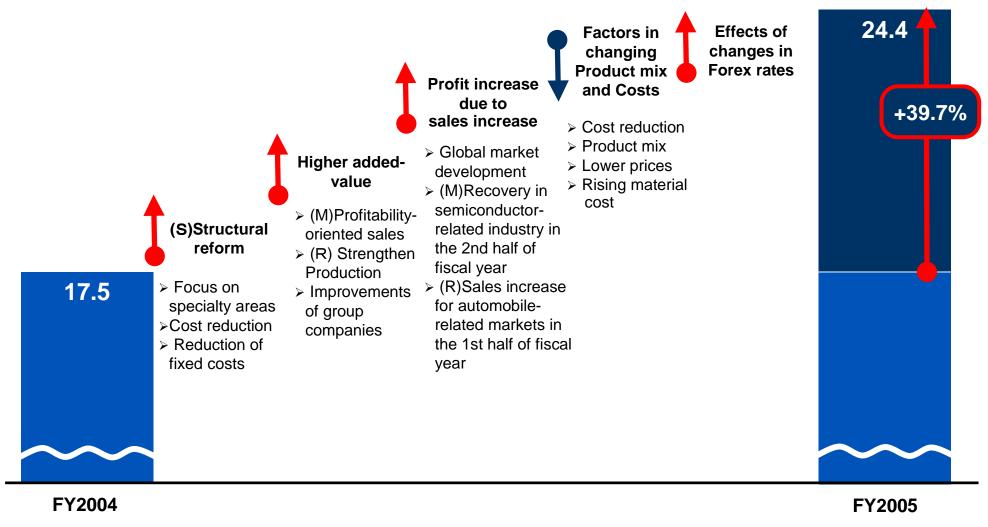
Consolidated Sales and Operating Income

Operating margin in the second half of FY2005 rose to 9.2% while we aimed for higher profitability





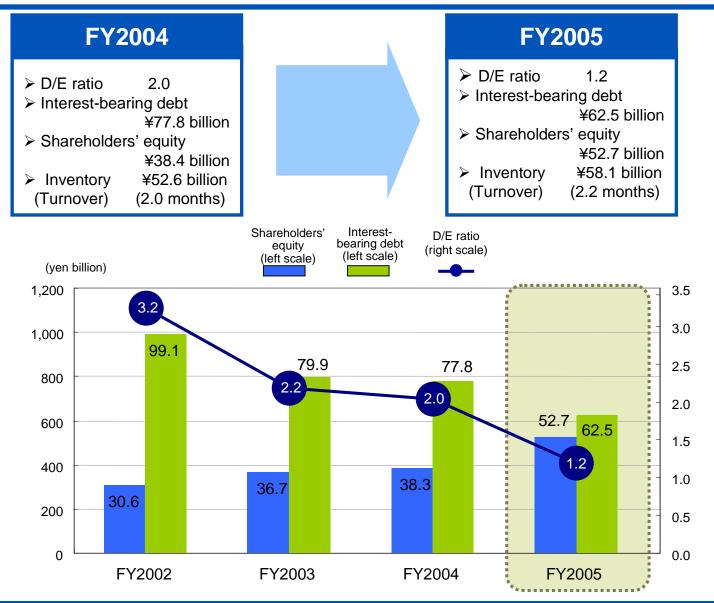
Breakdown of Changes in Operating income



(yen billion)

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Balance Sheet Structural Reform (Consolidated)





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FY2006 Financial Forecast : Main Points

1. Maximize growth opportunity and break the records for the third consecutive time

Sales	¥340.0 billion (up by 5.3%)
Operating income	¥27.5 billion (up by 12.3%)
Ordinary income	¥27.5 billion (up by 13.0%)
Net income	¥12.0 billion* (up by 18.1%) * if realized, it sets a record high for two consecutive years

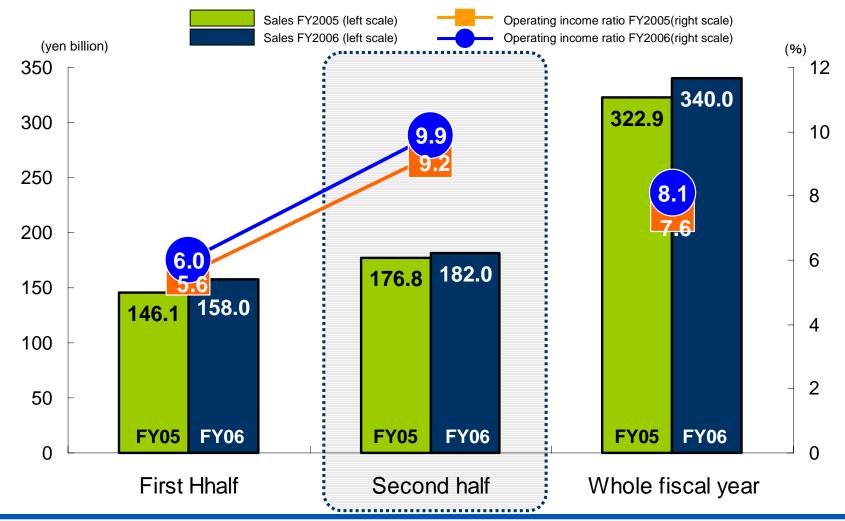
2. (M) Aim for sales expansion while continuing to improve profit structure

- 3. (R) Continue to expand business by making sure to take advantage of recoveries in automobile- and LCD- related markets.
- 4. (S) Finalize structural reform that enables 5% profitability

5. Introduce midterm dividends: expect to pay ¥3 (midterm) + ¥3 (end of year)

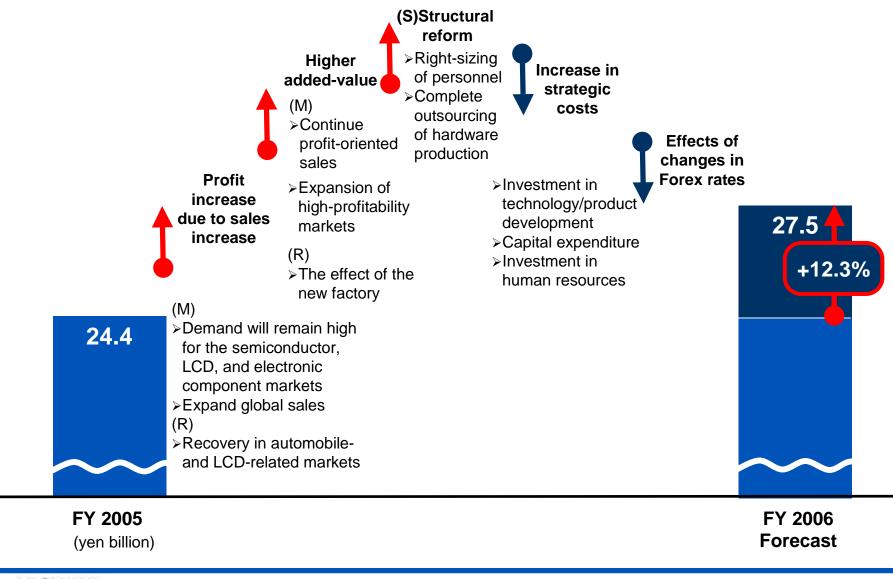
FY2006 Consolidated Financial Forecast

Operating income ratio is expected to improve up to 9.9% in the second half of FY2006.



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Risk Factors

(1)Change in exchange rates

Our effort to expand global businesses has led to sales outside Japan reaching 47% of total sales in FY2005. We expect that the number may continue to rise. Therefore, there is a possibility that changes in exchange rates may affect our business results negatively.

(Reference) Actual exchange rates of FY2005 \$1=¥112.9 €1=¥137.6 Estimated exchange rates of FY2006 \$1=¥110.0 €1=¥135.0

2Price hike for raw materials and parts

We try our best to control the price within the scope of our expectation, however there remains strong pressure for price increase. This may affect our profit in a negative way.

3Slowdown of global market

There is a possibility that we are negatively affected by global economic slowdown triggered by soaring crude oil prices, etc. which may lead to decline in exports and/or global sales.

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