

Investor's Guide Business Part

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YASKAWA ELECTRIC CORPORATION (TSE6506)

1. Motion Control

1-1. AC servo & controller

1-2. Drives

2. Robotics

3. System Engineering



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1. Motion Control



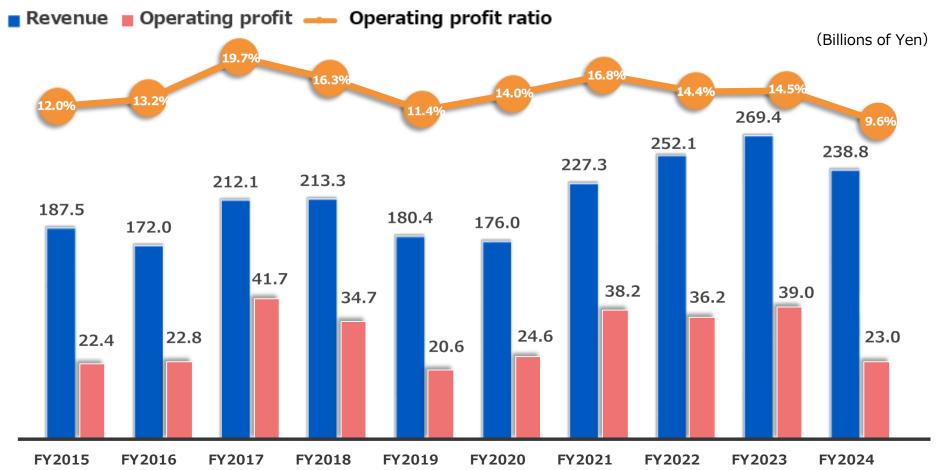
Product Basics

Motion control product includes "AC servo & controller" and "AC drive".

 Main difference is subjects and types of control. 						
	AC s	ervo & contr	oller		AC drive	
Subject of control	Position and motor-driven	•		Rotational of motors	speed	Visitaria
Features	 Move exactly and steadily to the commanded position and speed 			 Provide smooth and stable movement by freely changing the speed of rotation Contribute to energy saving by adjusting the speed of rotation and reducing wasted power consumption 		
Range of use	Narrow: Field where high speed and precision are required			Wide: Life related, industrial equipment, etc.		
Application	Machine tool	Semiconductor	Industrial	Elevator	Air conditioning	Convoyan
	Machine tool	production equipment	robots	Elevator	fan	Conveyor

equipment

Revenue / Operating Profit (Motion Control)



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Note5: From FY2024, we revised the segment classification of PV inverter, which had been included in the System Engineering segment, to be included in the Motion Control segment. Figures for FY2023 are also presented based on the revised information.

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1-1. AC servo & controller





Product Basics (1/3)

What is an AC servo drive?

An automatic controller consisting of a servo amplifier and a servo motor that follows the target level indicated by the controller

Commanding controller

Command the target level



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Operating status

Position · Speed ·

Torque command

Servo amplifier

AC servo drives

Controlling servo amplifier

Control the torque, speed and position of the motor to follow the target level

Driving and Detecting motor / encoder

Feedback the operation status to the servo amplifier

Dedicated servo motor





Position · Speed Feedback

* A servo amplifier can only control a dedicated synchronous motor.

The purpose is to improve equipment performance and stabilize quality through highly accurate position, speed and torque control.

Product Basics (2/3)

What is a controller?

A control equipment that controls AC servo drives, AC drives, and robots, etc.

Input

Push buttons, sensors, cameras, etc.

Processing program

Input information and controll output

Controller (MP Series)

Output

AC servo drives, AC drives, robots etc.



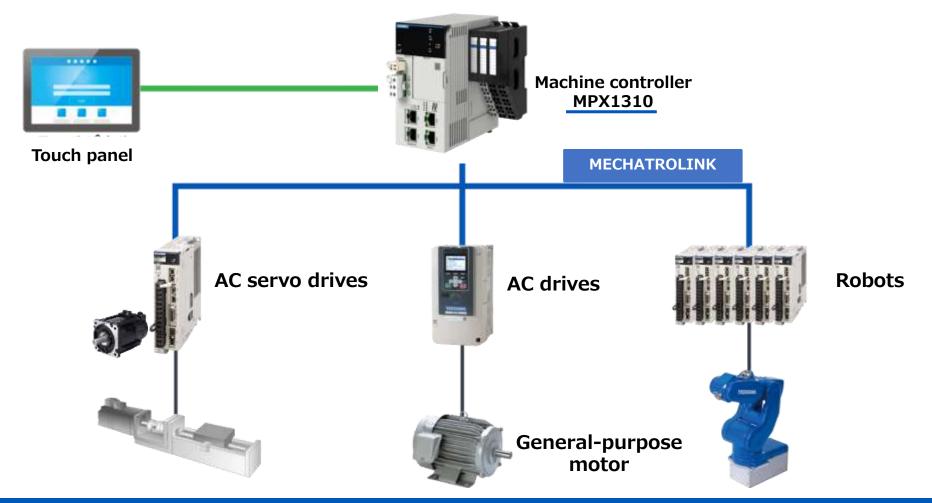


The purpose is to improve productivity through highly accurate control

Product Basics (3/3)

Flowchart of machine controller (MP Series)

Receive signals from touch panels to control AC servo drives, AC drives, and robots, etc.



Applications and Market

Machines for semiconductor, LCD & electronic component

- Semiconductor manufacturing Equipment
- LCD manufacturing equipment
- Electronic component processing and assembly equipment



AC servo motor



Supports motion control for various applications

General industrial machines

- Metal processing machine Printing machine
- Wood processing machine Textile machine
- Resin molding machine Papermaking
- Food processing machine
- Packaging and filling machine
- Logistics and transportation equipment





Machine tools

- NC lathe
- Machining center
- Milling machine
- Grinder



Robots

- Industrial robot
- Clean transfer robot
- Vacuum transfer robot





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Product Lineup

Wide lineup to accommodate to various applications









Board type / Modular type

Unit Connection type

Machine Controller Board type / Modular type All-in-one type / Compact Unit type



Large-capacity

Network

AC Servo

Drives



(MECHATROLINK-II, MECHATROLINK-III, MECHATROLINK-4), other Field Network



Σ -XSeries



SERVOPACKS

Σ-XS model

Σ-XW model

200W to 1.0kW

Σ-XT model AC200V 200W to 400W



Rotary **Servomotors**

SGMXA model

SGMXJ model Medium inertia,

SGMXG model Medium inertia, high torque 300W to 15kW

SGMXP model Medium inertia, flat type 100W to 1.5kW



ERVOPACKS

Σ-7S model AC100V/200V 11W to 15kW

Σ-7W model Two-axis AC200V 200W to 1.0kW



Servomotors

SGM7M model

ultra-small capacity 3.3W to 33W

SGM7J model Medium inertia, high-speed 50W to 750W

SGM7A model Low inertia, high-speed 50 to 7.0kW

SGM7P model Medium inertia, flat type 100W to 1.5kW

SGM7G model

Medium inertia, large torque 300W to 15kW



Direct Drive Servomotors

SGM7E model Inner Rotor 2N·m to 35N·m

SGM7F model With Core, Inner Rotor Small capacity 2N·m to 35N·m Medium capacity 45N·m to 200N·m

SGM7D model With Core, **Outer Rotor** 1.3N·m to 240N·m Σ - V_{Series}

Linear

SGLG model Coreless 12.5N to 750N

SGLFW2 model With core F 45N to 2520N

SGLTW model With core T 130N to 2000N



SERVOPACKS

SGDV model 22kW to 55kW

SGMVV model Large capacity, Low inertia 22kW to 55kW



Revenue Breakdown by Region and Application, Market Share

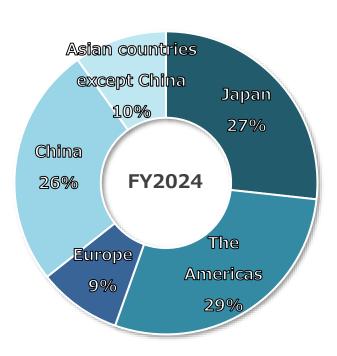
Breakdown of revenue by region

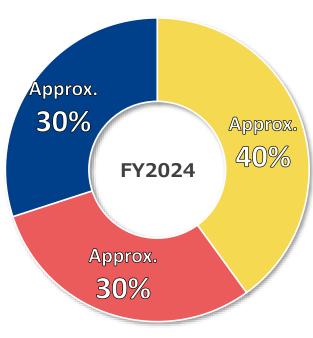
Revenue breakdown by application



FY2024

(Global)







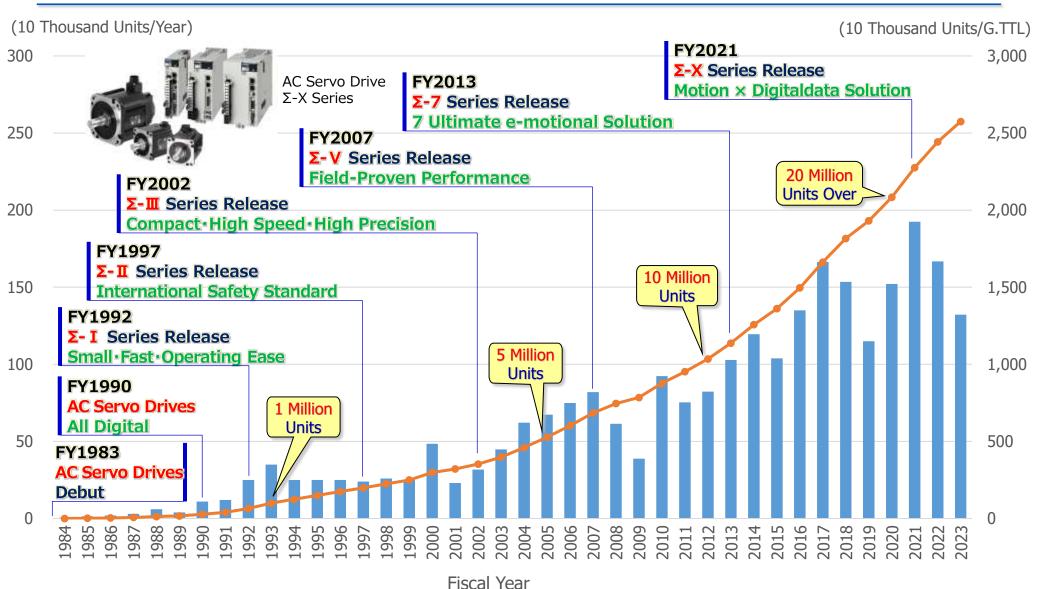


Global No.1

16%

- Electronics-related industries including semiconductor,
 FPD and electronic components
- Machinery-related industries including machine tool, metal processing, press machine and robots
- Other (Packaging,textile,injection molding,etc.)

Total Shipment



New Product Features (1/3)

Features of Σ -X Series – Improvement of motion performance

Maximum motor rotation speed

The maximum rotation speed of the motor has increased from the earlier value of 6,000 min⁻¹ to 7,000 min⁻¹.



All SGMXJ and SGMXA models

Applicable models:

Σ-x 7000 min⁻¹

6000 min⁻¹

Equipped with a high-resolution 26-bit encoder

The resolution* of the encoder has been increased to 26 bits, four times that of the earlier model.

24 bits of encoder resolution is position precision resolving 1 revolution of a motor to 67 million pulses



Encoder resolution 24 bits ≈ 16 million pulses/rev



Encoder resolution 26 bits ≈ 67 million pulses/rev





Increased position resolution/stop precision → Precise stops

Speed frequency response

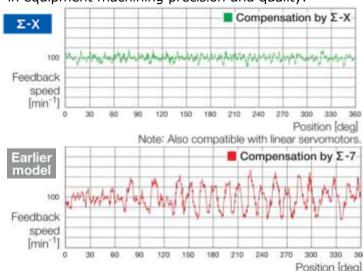
Speed frequency response has changed from 3.1 kHz for the earlier model to 3.5 kHz. Maximizing the following performance for the speed reference improves equipment productivity.



2-x 3.5 kHz 3.1 kHz

Improved control precision and smoothness

Smoother drive is possible from a more effective speed ripple compensation algorithm for cogging compensation. This helps reduce inconsistency in equipment machining precision and quality.



^{*}Ability to measure how finely a motor rotation can be split

New Product Features (2/3)

Features of Σ-X Series –Sensing and use of data

The servomotor acts as a sensor and collects various data. It can be used for preventive maintenance of equipment.

 Σ -X uses the servomotor as a sensor to sense and monitor the parts used by the servo and the servo's installation environment. This can be useful for accurately determining maintenance periods and for preventing sudden failures.

Sensing Items



 Both installation environment information and the service life of parts used by the servo can be monitored.

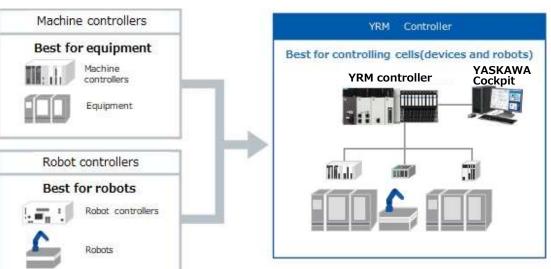


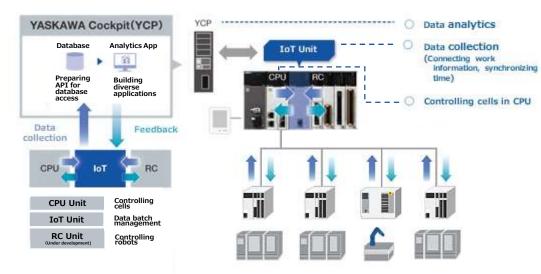
New Product Features (3/3)

YRM controller YRM-X controller YRM1010

① Controller controlling cells

Cells: A connected equipment where data relatedness exists e.g.) Facilities composing devices or/and industrial robots etc. and working on common tasks

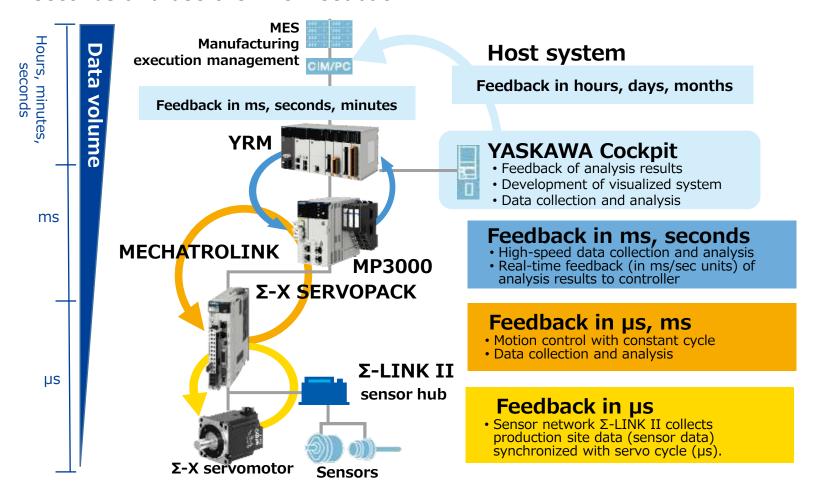




- ② A controller that enables to integrate equipment, robots, and data and turn data into movement
 - Real-time understanding of the status of an entire cell by acquiring synchronized data of equipment and robots is possible. The results of analysis of the acquired data are fed back to the entire cell as "data" and "motion" to realize automation of manufacturing (stable operation, stable quality, and process improvement).

Products realizing i³-Mechatronics

- Products realizing i³-Mechatronics enable the collection and use of time-aligned data
- While Σ -X enables the acquisition of small amounts of data at a high frequency of μ s, YASKAWA Cockpit and YRM controller enable the collection and analysis of large amounts of data in seconds and use them for feedback.



(Reference) Application of AC servo & controller

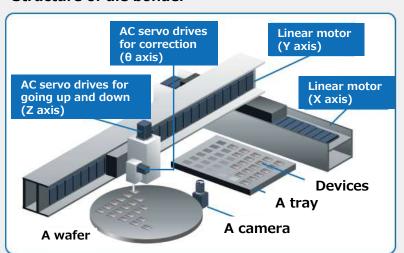


Electronic component

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Semiconductor production equipment

Structure of die bonder





Metal processing machine



Injection molding machine

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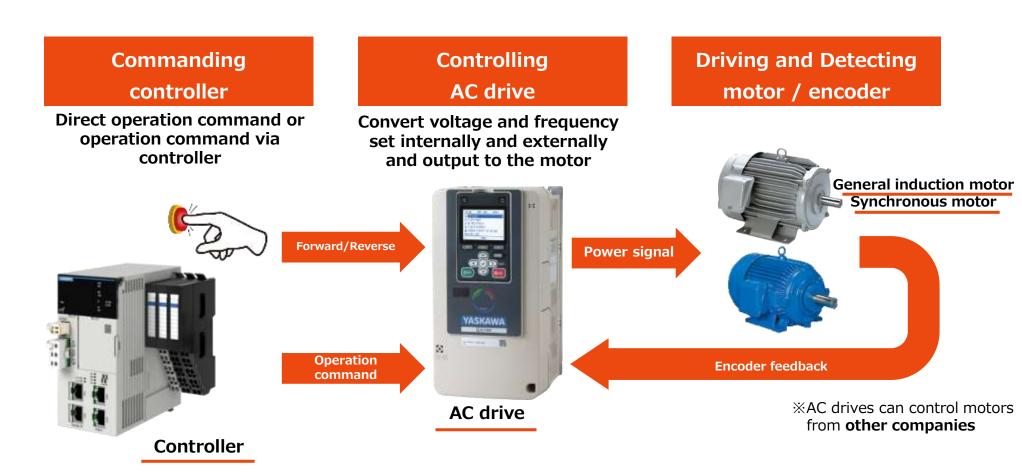
1-2. Drives



Product Basics (1/3)

What is an AC drive?

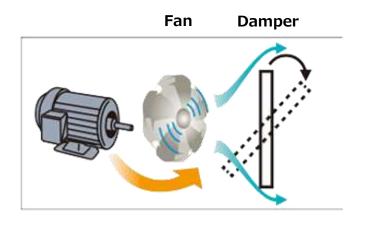
Device for controlling rotation speed by changing voltage and frequency supplied to motor

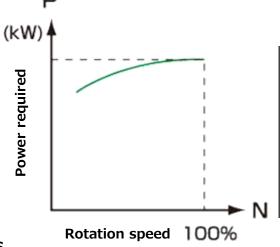


Product Basics (2/3)

What are energy conservation benefits of AC drives?

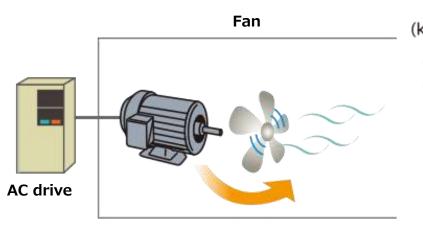
♦Conventionally, motors had constant speed + damper

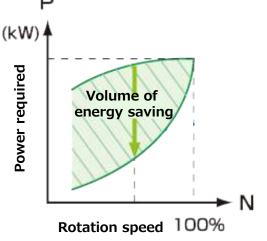




Without AC drives, the rotational speed of the motor cannot be changed, so the air volume is adjusted with a damper (on-off valve).

♦ Variable speed motor control by AC drives



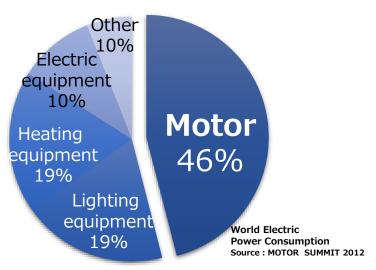


AC drives can adjust the motor speed according to the required air quantity, resulting in saving a lot of energy.

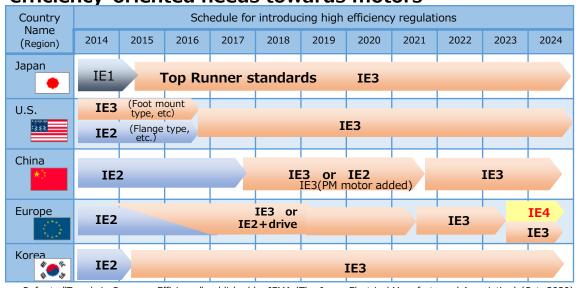
Product Basics (3/3)

The reason AC drives are needed

Motor takes about half of the world's electric power consumption

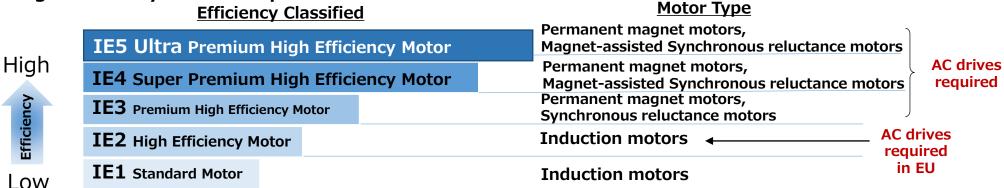


♦ Global regulations have accelerated the high efficiency-oriented needs towards motors



♦ High efficiency motors require AC drives **Efficiency Classified**

Refer to "Trends in Overseas Efficiency" published by JEMA (The Japan Electrical Manufacturers' Association) (Oct, 2020)



Applications and Market

Fluid machinery

- Air conditioning system
- Fan/pump
- Compressor
- Vacuum pump





General industrial machine

- Metal processing machine Food machine
- Wood processing machine Textile machine
- Resin molding machine Chemical machine
- Papermaking and printing machines
- Packaging and filling machines
- Environment-related machine
- Life-related machine





Conveyance machine

- Conveyor
- Crane
- Hoisting machine
- Multistory parking garage





Lift

- Elevator
- Escalator
- Light lift
- Automated warehouse



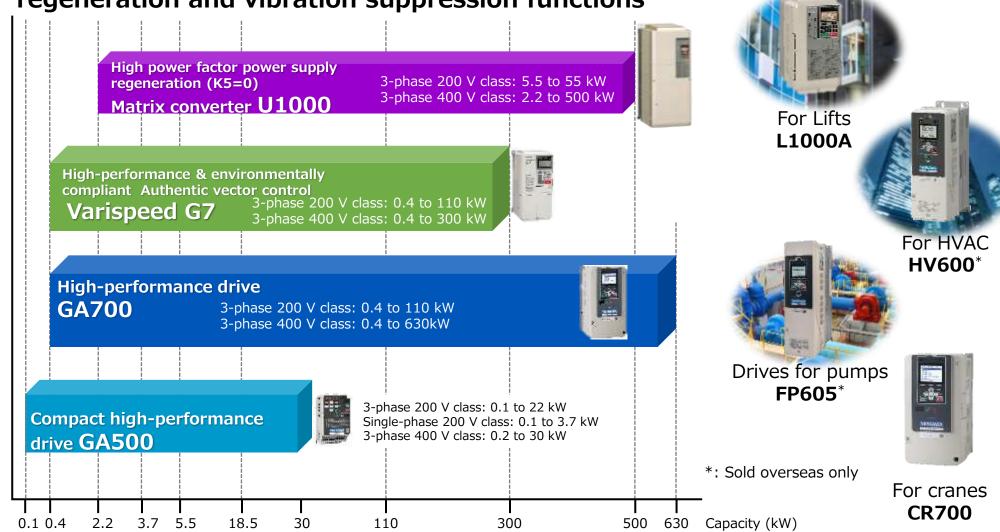




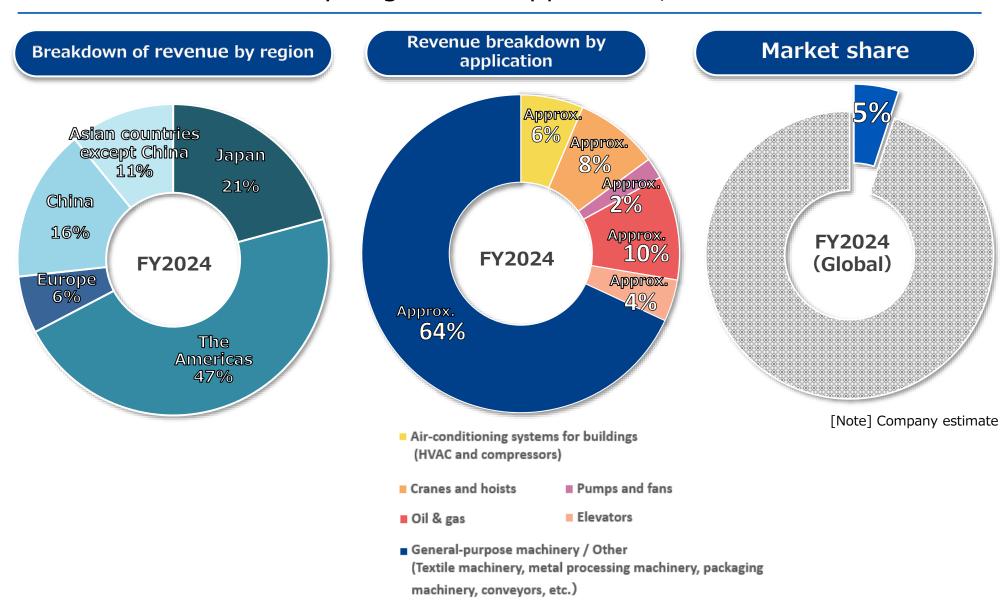
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Product Lineup

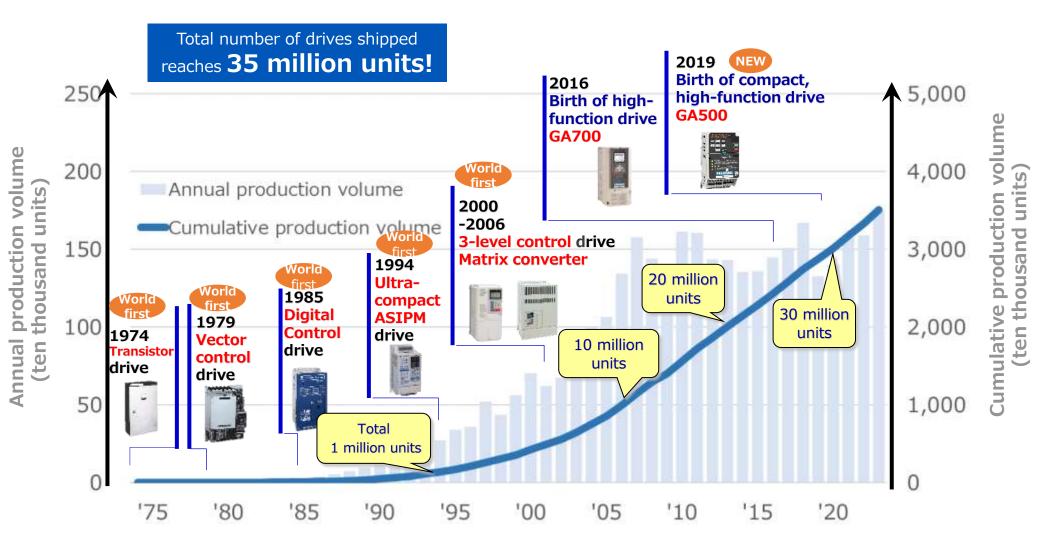
Develop lineup for application-specific products, including power supply regeneration and vibration suppression functions



Revenue Breakdown by Region and Application, Market Share



Total Shipment

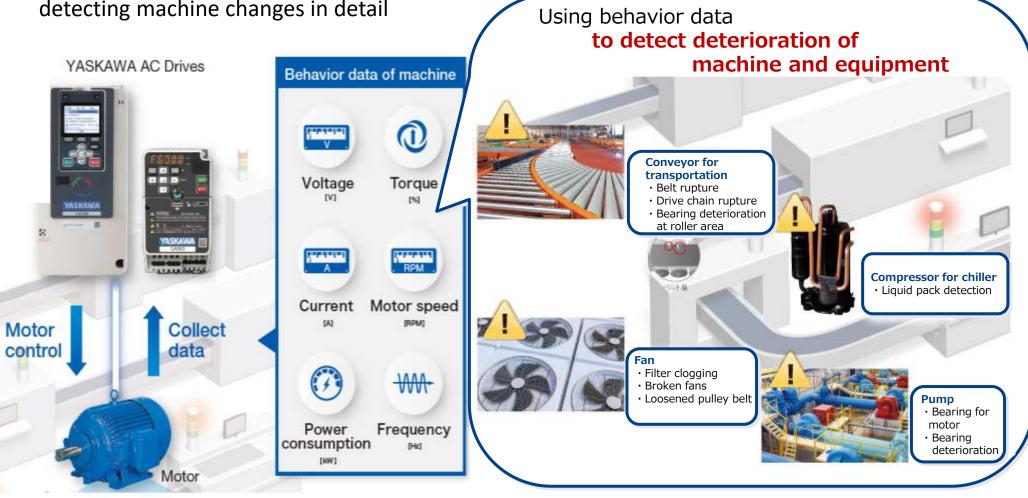


Features of Yaskawa's products (1/4)

Unique detecting function

Monitoring machine behavior data through AC drives and preventing serious troubles by

detecting machine changes in detail



Features of Yaskawa's products (2/4)

Energy-saving initiatives 1

Selling **PM motor** achieving high-efficiency, energy-saving operation when used in combination with AC drives

Lineup



Eco PM motor flat type

- Achieving the highest (IE5) efficiency of the five efficiency classes
- Contributing to space-saving, resource-saving, and energy-saving by significant reduction of motor length
- Decreasing noise level by reduction of fans

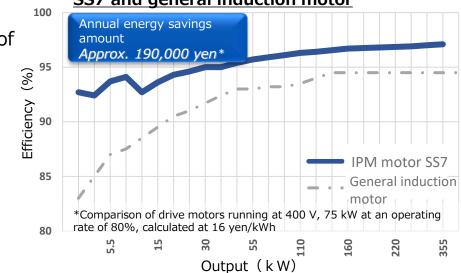
IPM motor SS7

- Realizing the high efficiency which is nearly the second highest (IE4) of the five efficiency classes
- Compact and lightweight, contributing to resource conservation



Comparison of efficiency between IPM motor SS7 and general induction motor

Flat type (M) (M)





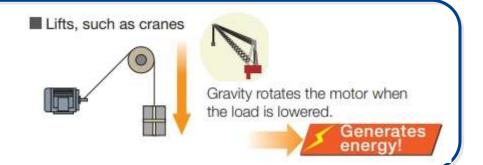
Features of Yaskawa's products (3/4)

Energy-saving initiatives 2

Save energy by reusing the regenerative energy

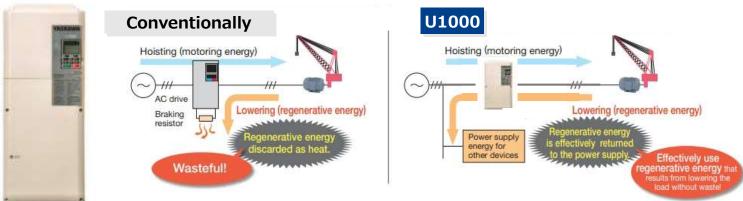
Regenerative energy

- Energy generated by the motor
- When the crane lowers the load, the weight of the load rotates the motor and generates energy.



Low Harmonics Regenerative Matrix Converter U1000

 Return the regenerative energy which was conventionally discarded as heat to the power supply and reuse



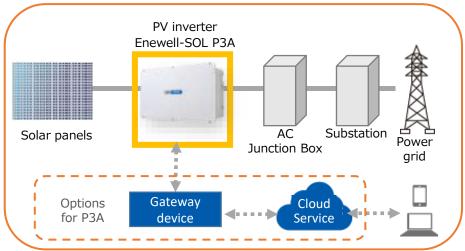
Features of Yaskawa's products (4/4)

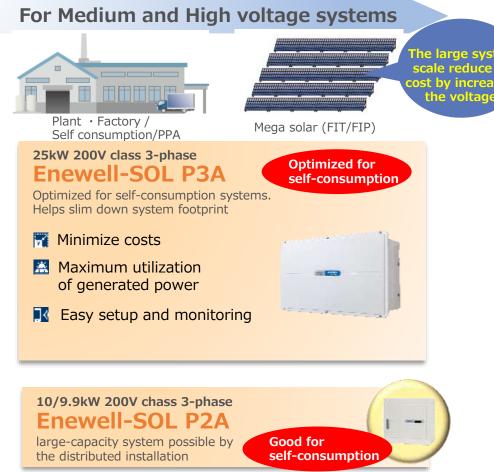
PV inverter for solar power generation*

Supporting a wide range systems, from self-use and low-voltage grid connection less than 50kW to mega solar.



System configuration





*Device for converting DC power generated by solar panel into AC power

(Reference) Application of AC drives







Cranes Fans Pumps







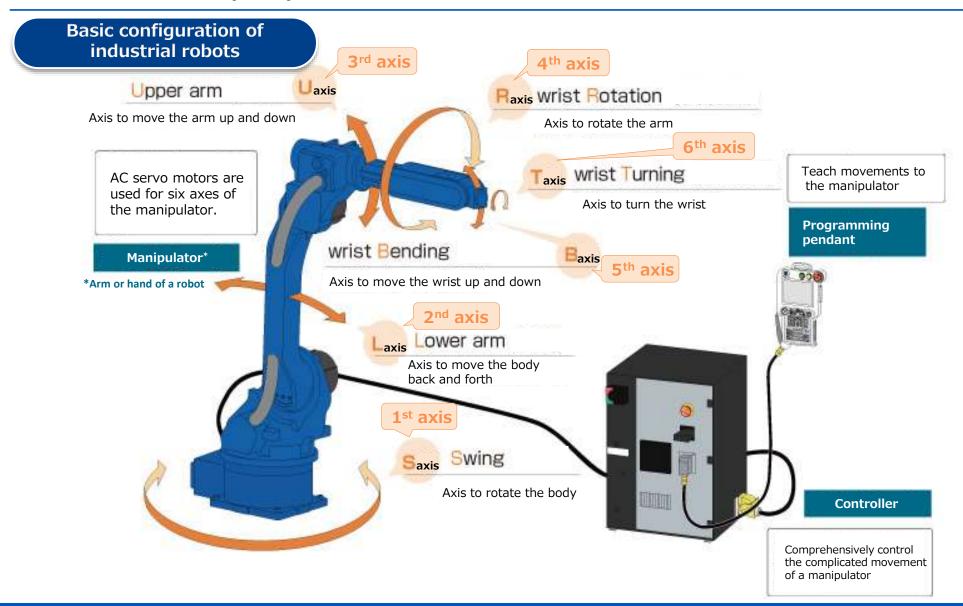
Automated warehouse

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2. Robotics



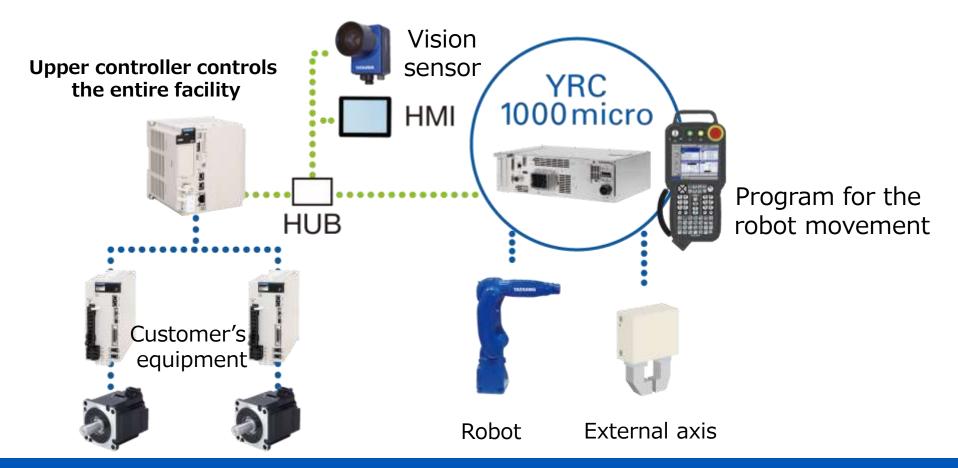
Product Basics (1/2)



Product Basics (2/2)

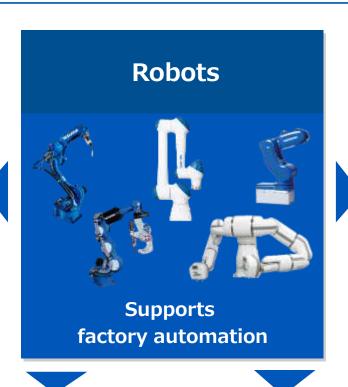
Image of robot control

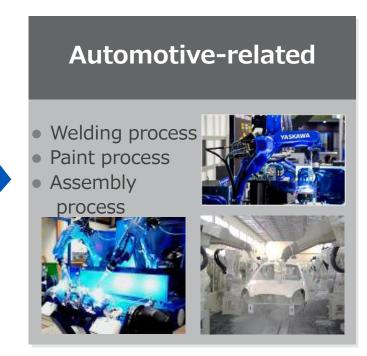
- A robot motion program is created in the dedicated robot controller (e.g.: YRC 1000 micro) with a teach pendant.
- The upper controller such as MP controller controls the entire facility including starting the operation program and collecting operation status data.



Applications







• Wafer transportation process

Logistics · Food · Medical

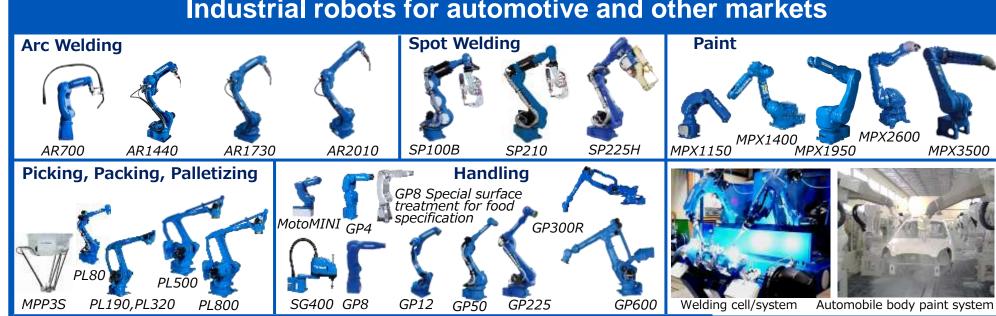
- Picking process
- Packing process
- Palletizing process
- Pre-inspection process





Product Lineup

Industrial robots for automotive and other markets



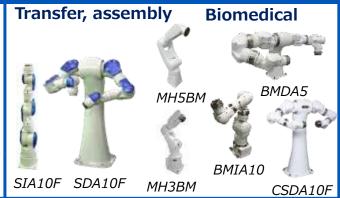
Clean room robots (Semiconductor)

Collaborative

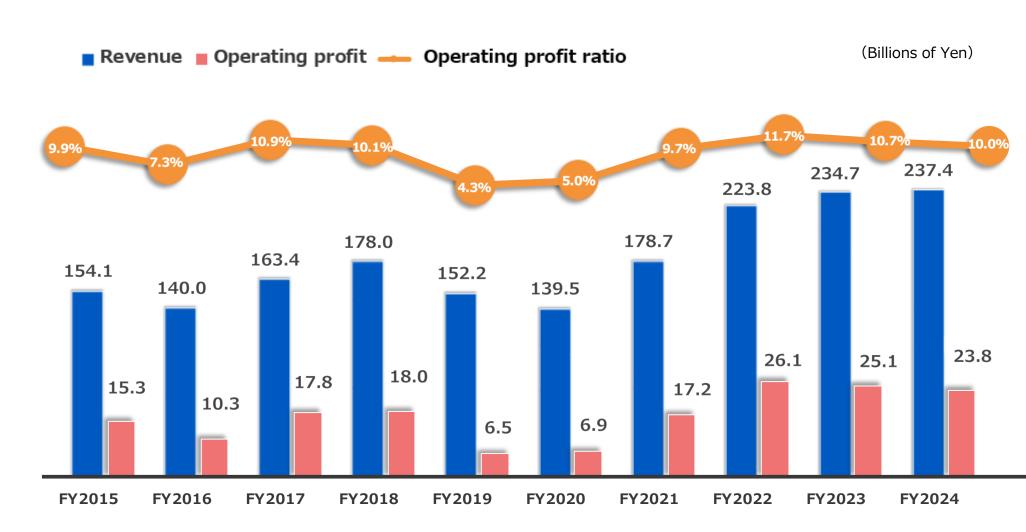
Dual Arm







Revenue / Operating Profit (Robotics)



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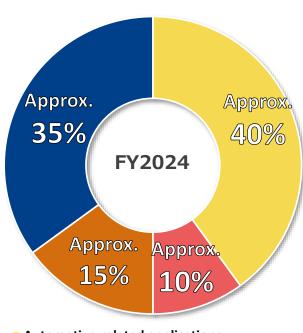
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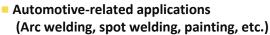
Breakdown of revenue by region

Revenue breakdown by application

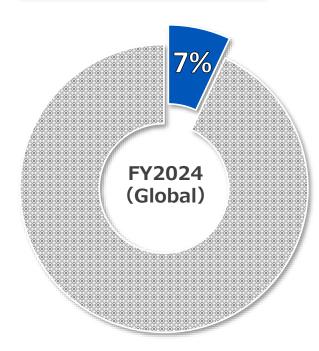
Market share





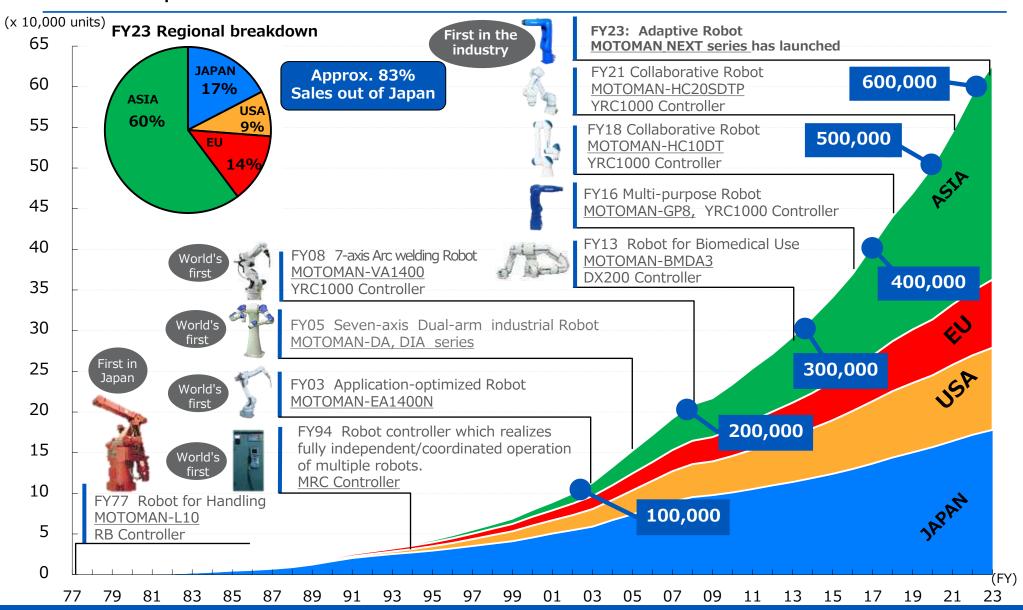


- Semiconductor and LCD related applications
- Customer service
- General / Other (3C, Handling, etc.)



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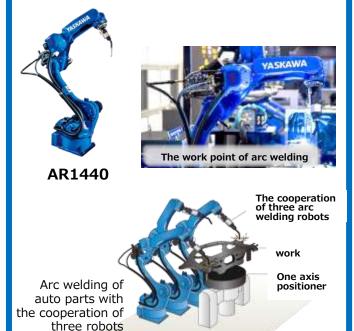
Total Shipment



Arc welding

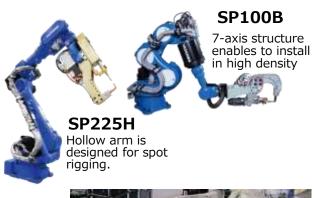
An adhesion method by melting base material. It contributes to the automation of parts processing in various industries, including

the automotive industry. It increases productivity by expanding flexibility of robot posture and speeding up operation.



Spot welding

A welding method in which two steel plates are crimped together, a large electric current is passed through them, and make them high temperature. It is used in automobile body joining





Car production line Spot welding system

Laser welding

A welding method in which metal is melted and joined by a laser beam.





Handling Provide wide variation of robots (payload: 0.5 - 600kg) to contribute automation of customers' production line **MotoMINI** GP4 (Payload 0.5kg) (Food specification) (Payload 4kg) (Pavload 225kg) Handling of tomatoes with small robots MotoMINI

Collaborative

MOTOMAN-HC series is designed to collaborate with human

Realize the cost reduction

- 1) Elimination of the safety fences by the safe structure and function.
- 2) Saving spaces because of elimination of safety fences.

Expansion of the applicable area by extensive product lineup

- 1) Dust & Drip-Proof Specifications
- 2) Food Specifications
- 3) High payload type
- 4) Hand-carry type



HC10SDTP (Dust & Drip-Proof (Dust & Drip-Proof Specifications)



Specifications)

Smart functionality

1) Robot teaching can be simplified by the direct teaching function and Smart Pendant.







HC10DTFP (Food Specifications)



Picking · Packing · Palletizing Contributing to automated conveyor system for food, cosmetics and pharmaceuticals **Picking · Packing** Grabbing and lining up items on a conveyor belt and packing them in boxes



Placing boxes on a pallet

Palletizing

Bio Medical

Best for automation in Bio-Medical field which requires hygiene control

- Resolve challenges such as manual variations and errors, risk of exposure to powerful drugs, and long routine work
- Use of analytical equipment and containers used by humans



Application Examples

- Bio analysis
- Drug development
- Preparation of anticancer





New technologies (1/3)

Industry's first adaptive robot MOTOMAN NEXT series



such as logistics

warehouses and

Aim

Automation of "unautomated areas," where workers make judgments and do tasks, such as indefinite state, shape, and size of items, changes in work order, and interruptions.

Examples Human-centered workplace, such as restaurant backyards



Hazardous work, such Heavy-duty workplace, as post-processing at medical sites



Features

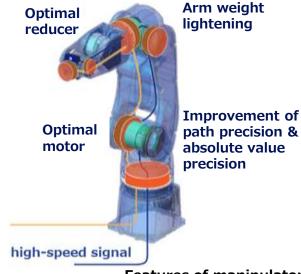
Autonomous control unit

An autonomous control unit is adopted to make a motion planning and perform based on the recognition and judgment process of the environment and the position data acquired from the sensor.

Optimal motor developed in-house An optimal motor developed in-house is adopted to enhance its capability to follow commands from the controller (minimize the difference between the commanded position and the actual position).

Open platform

The development environment is opened up, so customers and partners utilize their know-how and technologies for robot applications.



Features of manipulator

New technologies (2/3)

YASKAWA Cell Simulator

- An engineering tool that can provide total support from design to launch, to checking the operation of the entire cell, to analyzing and redesigning the operation in a digital twin.
- It can build a digital twin with high accuracy using environmental data.

Features

1 Cell engineering

From designing to checking the operation all in one place in the virtual environment

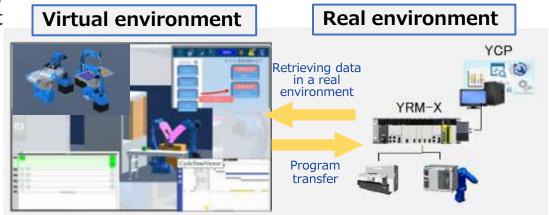
② Cell motion analysis

Analyzing the differences between a real environment and a virtual environment.

3 Cell replanning

Performing the same work as engineering in a real environment by using data from a real environment in a virtual environment.





Food process automation

Automating solution for "labor shortage", "rising labor cost", and "countermeasures against contamination" in food industry

Automation for process required special skills

- Foreign matter contamination and sanitary
- Inline support for production



Sandwich bagging cell

Laborsaving for simple work

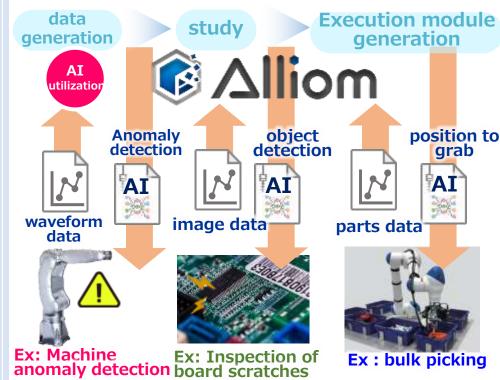
- Installation space similar to people
- Foreign matter contamination and sanitary
- Cells applicable to various processes



Topping cell

Artificial intelligence (AI)

Developing AI(Alliom) for manufacturing and industrial robots in the subsidiary, AI Cube Inc. Expansion of automation area in the FA field



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Monitoring and control of water supply and sewerage systems

3. System Engineering

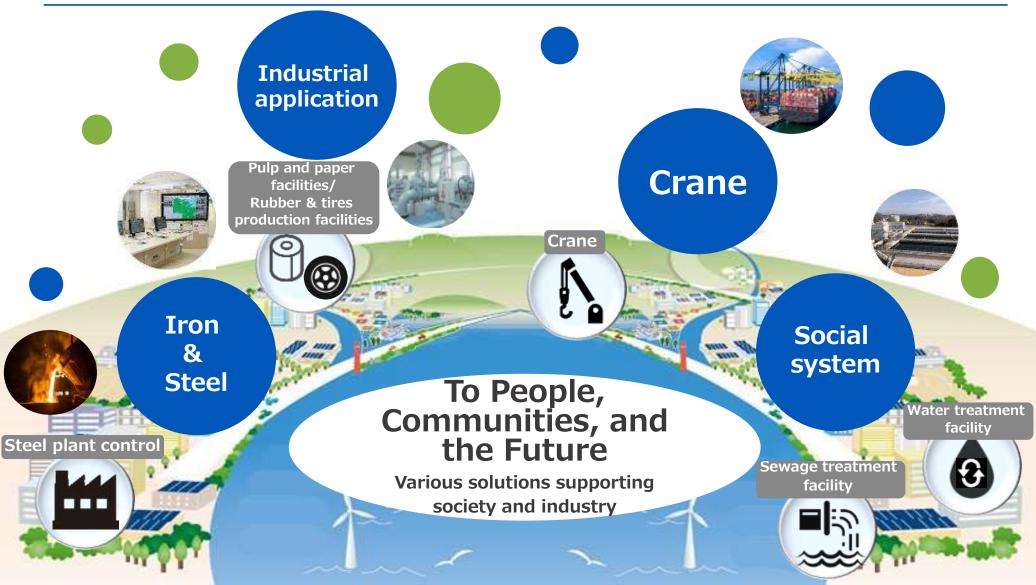
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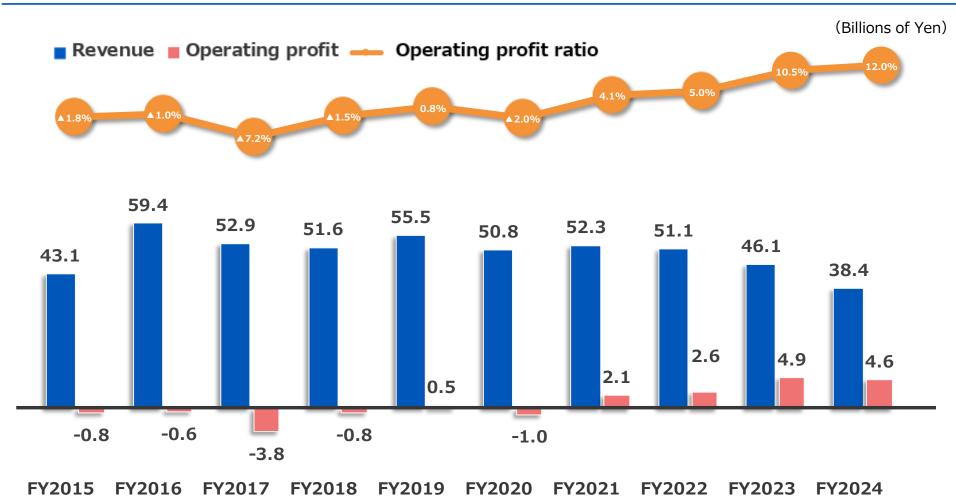


Supply of control systems and electrical products for continuous casting facilities

System engineering business



Revenue / Operating Profit (System Engineering)



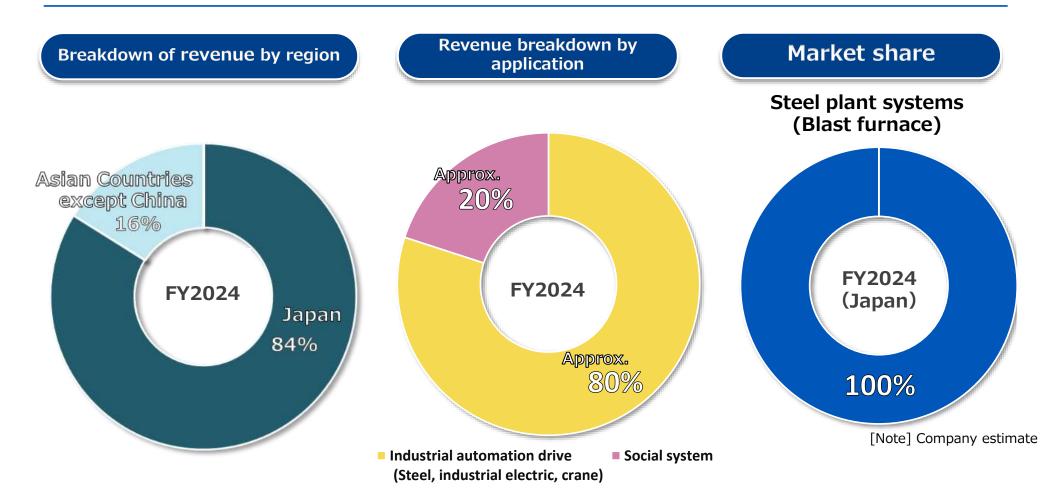
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Note2: The Company changed its accounting period starting FY2017 from March 20 to the last day of February. As a transitional year for this change, FY2017 was from March 21, 2017 to February 28, 2018.

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Revenue Breakdown by Region and Application, Market Share

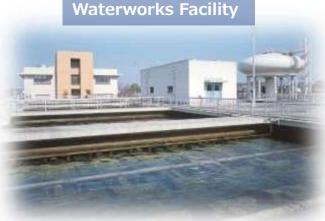


Social system business

Yaskawa supports the advanced operating management and maintenance management of social infrastructure including water treatment plant.

Main target facilities

Electric products for water supply and sewerage











Power receiving and distribution electricity self-generation



Medium-voltage Enclosed Switchboard



System Controller CP-3550

Iron & steel business

Contributing to stable continuous operation with high reliability by providing dedicated control systems and electrical equipment that meet the needs of various facilities in steel plants

Key process

Features of the equipment

Application features/Yaskawa strengths

Blast furnace





Control room

required.

•The process of making hot metal from iron ore

- ·Stable operation and long-term continuous operation under adverse environment are
- 1100% share of raw material charging control in Japan
- 2)Stable production of consistent quality pig iron in response to changes in the operating environment
- (3) High-reliability products and system redundancy enable long-term continuous operation

Continuous casting



Blast furnace

- Step of solidifying molten iron from a blast furnace
- Stable operation is essential because equipment shutdowns have a major impact on operations.
- 1) Domestic market share: 50% or more
- 2) System redundancy and reliability design for stable operation
- 3 Implement backup control to prevent internal coagulation in case of trouble.

Continuous casting equipment

Process / cold rolling







Cold rolling mill

- Final process of steel manufacturing process
- Continuously process connected steel plates (Surface processing, heat treatment processing, etc.)
- 1) High-precision and high-function line control that makes the most of years of accumulated control technology
- 2) High-precision control of steel plate speed, tension, slack, etc. by drive system
- 3 Large number of products delivered in Japan and overseas

Industrial application business

We contribute to the engineering in various industries, including pulp and paper, textiles, rubber and tires, film, metal processing, and plastics industries which we have a lot of experience and reliability, with our outstanding continuous drive technology.

System construction examples

Paper-making control system



Film manufacturing · machining facility control system



Equipment system for synthetic fiber, carbon fiber, and synthetic leather



