

Earnings Release Conference Third Quarter of FY2015 (October 1,2015 to December 31,2015)

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1. Third Quarter of FY2015

From October 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015 Consolidated Basis

Topics of Financial Results for FY2015 Third Quarter

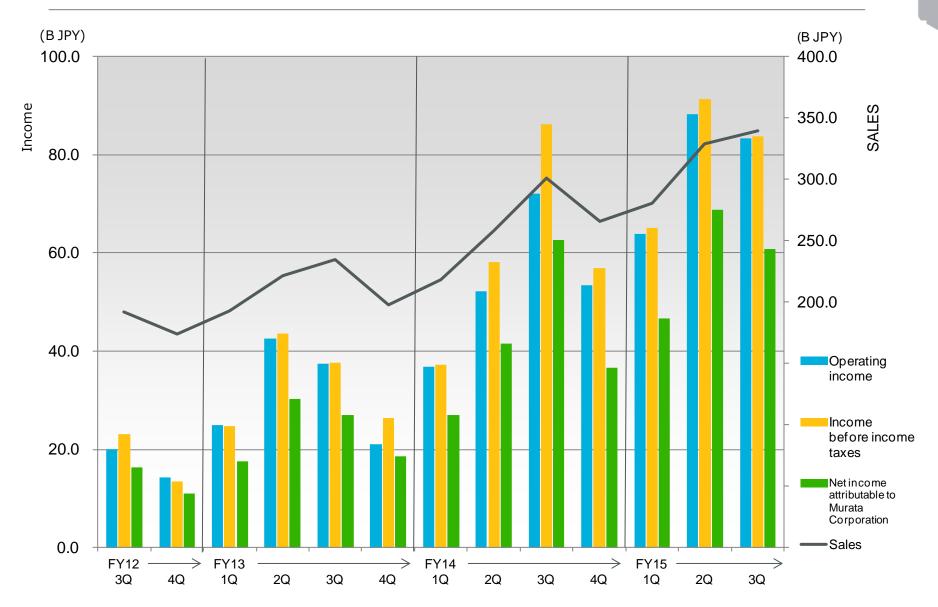


 Demands of SAW Filters and Communication modules for smartphones expanded. Sales amount was the highest in our history for both the third quarter and the nine month period of this fiscal year.

Operating income maintained a high level.
 Operating income ratio achieved 24.5%.

Quarterly Financial Results





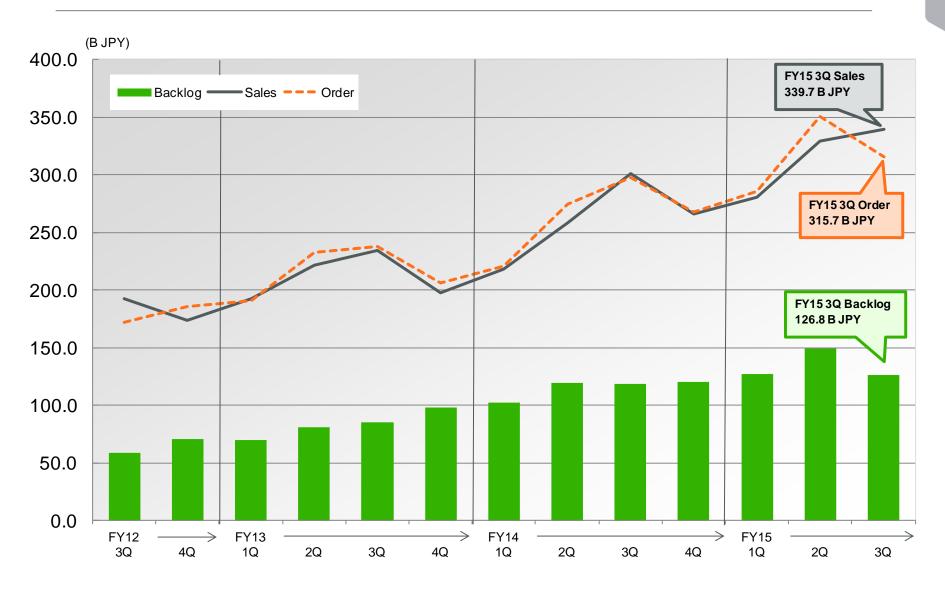
Financial Results Overview



	FY2014 3rd Quarter		FY2015 2nd Quarter		FY2015 3rd Quarter		Y on Y Change		Q on Q Change	
	(a)		(b)		(c)		(c) vs. (a)		(c) vs. (b)	
	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)
Net sales	301.1	100.0	329.0	100.0	339.7	100.0	+38.5	+12.8	+10.7	+3.3
Operating income	72.0	23.9	88.2	26.8	83.3	24.5	+11.3	+15.7	(4.9)	(5.6)
Income before income taxes	86.2	28.6	91.3	27.8	83.7	24.6	(2.5)	(2.9)	(7.6)	(8.3)
Net income attributable to Murata Corporation	62.7	20.8	68.8	20.9	60.8	17.9	(1.9)	(3.1)	(8.0)	(11.7)

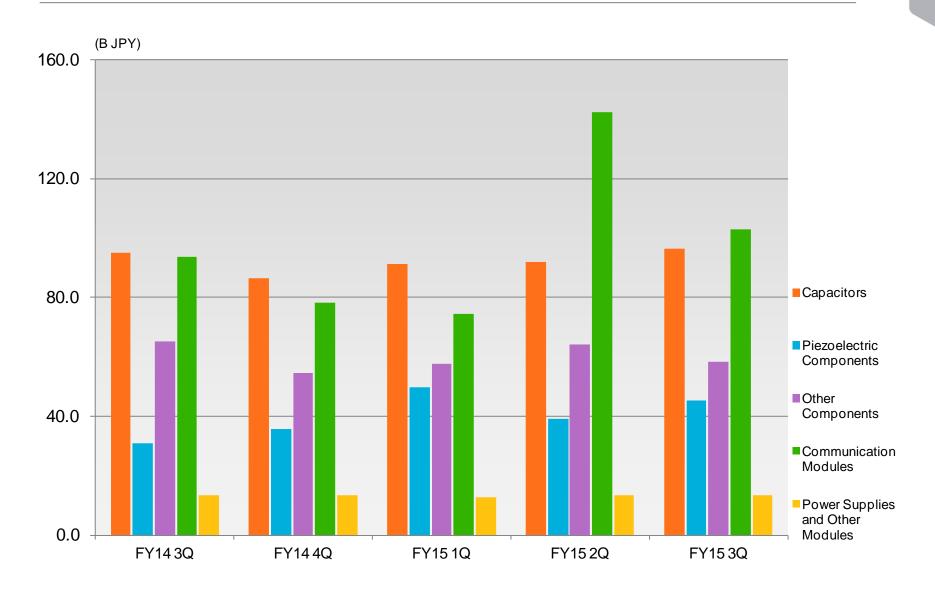
Quarterly Sales, Order and Backlog





Orders by Product





Sales by Product



	FY2014 3rd Quarter		FY2015 2nd Quarter		FY2015 3rd Quarter		Y on Y Change		Q on Q Change	
	(a)		(b)		(c)		(c) vs. (a)		(c) vs. (b)	
	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)
Capacitors	94.6	31.5	95.5	29.1	97.2	28.7	+2.7	+2.8	+1.8	+1.9
Piezoelectric Components	31.6	10.5	41.9	12.8	43.5	12.9	+11.8	+37.4	+1.6	+3.8
Other Components	64.7	21.6	63.8	19.5	62.1	18.3	(2.6)	(4.1)	(1.8)	(2.7)
Communication Modules	96.4	32.1	113.0	34.4	123.0	36.3	+26.6	+27.6	+10.0	+8.9
Power Supplies and Other Modules	12.9	4.3	13.7	4.2	13.0	3.8	+0.1	+0.4	(0.8)	(5.5)
Net sales	300.2	100.0	327.9	100.0	338.8	100.0	+38.6	+12.8	+10.9	+3.3

Sales by Product FY15 Third Quarter vs. FY15 Second Quarter



Capacitors +1.9%	Multilayer Ceramic Capacitors: Sales of Ultra-compact and high-capacitance MLCCs for smartphones and car-electronics increased, while sales for AV decreased.
Piezoelectric Components +3.8%	Saw Filters: Sales for smartphones increased thanks to demand increase in China and penetration of LTE device. Piezoelectric Sensors: Sales of Ultra-sonic sensors increased for safety device of automotive.
Other Components (2.7%)	 Inductors (Coil): Sales of High frequency coils increased for smartphones. Connector: Sales for smartphones decreased because of reaction of rapid increased 2nd quarter.
Communication Modules +8.9%	Wireless modules: Sales for smartphones significantly increased. Circuit modules: Sales for smartphones strongly grew due to the impact of releasing new products.
Power Supplies and Other Modules (5.5 %)	Power Supplies: Sales for car electronics decreased.

Sales by Application



	FY2014 3rd Quarter		FY2015 2nd Quarter		FY2015 3rd Quarter		Y on Y Change		Q on Q Change	
	(a)		(b)		(c)		(c) vs. (a)		(c) vs. (b)	
	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)
AV	13.3	4.4	13.9	4.2	11.8	3.5	(1.6)	(11.7)	(2.1)	(15.3)
Communication	173.6	57.8	201.5	61.4	217.7	64.3	+44.2	+25.4	+16.3	+8.1
Computers and Peripher	49.5	16.5	45.2	13.8	43.6	12.8	(5.9)	(12.0)	(1.6)	(3.5)
Automotive Electronics	36.6	12.2	38.6	11.8	38.9	11.5	+2.3	+6.3	+0.3	+0.7
Home Electronics and Others	27.2	9.1	28.8	8.8	26.8	7.9	(0.4)	(1.5)	(1.9)	(6.7)
Net sales	300.2	100.0	327.9	100.0	338.8	100.0	+38.6	+12.8	+10.9	+3.3

^{*}Based on our estimate

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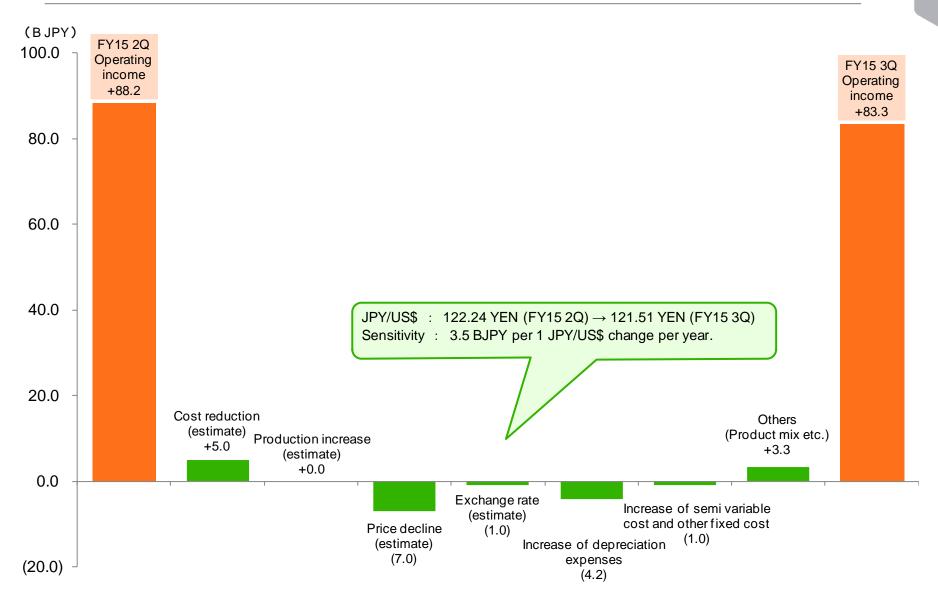


AV (15.3%)	Sales of high-capacitance MLCCs increased for set top box. Sales of MLCCs decreased for gaming hardware.
Communication +8.1%	Sales of Wireless modules, Circuit modules, RF sub modules, Ultra- compact and high-capacitance MLCCs, High frequency coil strongly grew for smartphone, especially LTE device production increase. Sales of SAW filters increased for penetration of LTE devices in China.
Computers and Peripherals (3.5%)	Sales of Actuator increased for HDD. Sales of Wireless modules decreased for tablets.
Automotive Electronics +0.7%	Sales of MLCC increased thanks to advanced automotive electrification. Sales of Power Supply decreased for car-audio.

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Breakdown of Operating Income Changes FY15 Second Quarter to FY15 Third Quarter







1. Projected Financial Results for FY2015

(From April 2015 to March 2016)

Projected Financial Results for FY2015



	Pre	vious (April 20	15)	Revised (October 2015)								
	First Half Projections	Second Half Projections	FY2015 Projections	First Half Results			nd Half ctions	FY2015 Projections				
	(B JPY)	(B JPY)	(B JPY)	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)	(B JPY)	(%)			
Net sales	572.0	588.0	1160.0	609.8	100.0	590.2	100.0	1,200.0	100.0			
Operating income	130.0	120.0	250.0	152.1	24.9	119.9	20.3	272.0	22.7			
Income before income taxes	132.0	120.0	252.0	156.3	25.6	119.7	20.3	276.0	23.0			
Net income attributable to Murata Corporation	96.0	87.0	183.0	115.4	18.9	86.6	14.7	202.0	16.8			

^{*}The Company did not revise the projected results for the year ending March 31, 2016 which were announced on October 30, 2015.



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