Earnings Release Conference Second Quarter of FY2010 (April 1, 2010 to September 30, 2010)

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1. Second Quarter of FY2010

From April 1, 2010 to September 30, 2010 Consolidated basis



| | FY2 | 009 | FY2010 | | | | Change | | | |
|-------------------------------|---------|-------|---------|---------------|---------|--------|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| | First | Half | 1Q | 2Q First Half | | Q on Q | | Y on Y | | |
| | (a) | | (b) | (c) | (d) | | (c) vs. (b) | | (d) vs. (a) | |
| | (B JPY) | (%) | (B JPY) | (B JPY) | (B JPY) | (%) | (B JPY) | (%) | (B JPY) | (%) |
| Net sales | 255.6 | 100.0 | 153.7 | 161.3 | 315.0 | 100.0 | +7.6 | +5.0 | +59.4 | +23.2 |
| Operating income | 6.1 | 2.4 | 21.5 | 24.8 | 46.3 | 14.7 | +3.3 | +15.2 | +40.2 | +658.3 |
| Income before income taxes | 7.8 | 3.0 | 23.3 | 24.2 | 47.5 | 15.1 | +0.9 | +3.9 | +39.7 | +512.3 |
| Net income | 4.7 | 1.9 | 15.5 | 15.6 | 31.1 | 9.9 | +0.1 | +0.9 | +26.3 | +555.0 |



| | FY2 | 009 | | | FY2 | 010 | | Change | | | |
|-----------------------------|---------|------------|---------|------------------|---------|-------|-------------|--------|-------------|-------|--|
| | First | First Half | | 1Q 2Q First Half | | Half | Q on Q | | Y on Y | | |
| | (a) | | (b) | (C) | (d) | | (c) vs. (b) | | (d) vs. (a) | | |
| | (B JPY) | (%) | (B JPY) | (B JPY) | (B JPY) | (%) | (B JPY) | (%) | (B JPY) | (%) | |
| Capacitors | 83.1 | 32.6 | 54.9 | 59.3 | 114.2 | 36.4 | +4.4 | +8.0 | +31.1 | +37.4 | |
| Piezoelectric Components | 39.2 | 15.4 | 23.2 | 22.8 | 46.0 | 14.7 | ▲0.3 | ▲1.5 | +6.8 | +17.5 | |
| Other Components | 46.4 | 18.2 | 29.2 | 31.2 | 60.3 | 19.2 | +2.0 | +6.8 | +13.9 | +30.0 | |
| Communication Modules | 64.5 | 25.3 | 32.0 | 33.9 | 65.9 | 21.0 | +1.9 | +5.8 | +1.4 | +2.2 | |
| Other Modules | 21.5 | 8.5 | 13.8 | 13.6 | 27.4 | 8.7 | ▲0.3 | ▲1.9 | +6.0 | +27.7 | |
| Net sales | 254.7 | 100.0 | 153.1 | 160.7 | 313.8 | 100.0 | +7.6 | +5.0 | +59.2 | +23.2 | |

Sales by Product FY10 First Half vs. FY09 First Half



| Capacitors +37.4% | Aultilayer ceramic capacitors> Grew significantly thanks to production growth of electronic equipment, increased number of components per equipment, and improvement of product mix through growing demand for ultra-compact and high-capacitance capacitors. |
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| Piezoelectric Components +17.5% | SAW filters> Increased greatly, owing to growing production of mobile phones and data cards, and increased number of components per equipment. Ceramic resonators> Rose significantly for all applications including automotive electronics. Shock sensors> Attained large growth for HDDs. |
| Other Components +30.0% | CEMI suppression filters> Increased substantially for communication equipment, computers and peripheral equipment, and automotive electronics. Connectors Connectors Rose considerably for mobile phones. Connectors Strong for home appliances, smartphones and notebook PCs. |
| Communication Module | S CWireless communication modules> Grew largely especially for smartphones. |
| Other Modules +27.7% | Power supplies> Largely increased mainly for office equipment. |



| Capacitors +8.0% | Aultilayer ceramic capacitors> Increased greatly for mobile phones and AV equipment. |
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| Piezoelectric Components ▲1.5% | SAW filters> Grew significantly for mobile phones and data cards. Piezoelectric speakers> Decreased largely for portable media players. |
| Other Components +6.8% | EMI suppression filters> Showed steady growth for all applications. Inductors (Coils), Connectors> Rose substantially mainly for mobile phones. |
| Communication Modules +5.8% | Wireless communication modules> Grew largely for smartphones, portable media players and automotives. Multilayer Ceramic devices> Decreased for mobile phones. |
| Other Modules ▲1.9% | Power supplies> Declined for communication and AV equipment. |

Sales by Application



| | FY2 | 009 | | | FY2 | 010 | Change | | | |
|------------------------------|---------|------------|---------|---------|------------|-------|-------------|-------|-------------|-------|
| | First | First Half | | 2Q | First Half | | Q on Q | | Y on Y | |
| | (a) | | (b) | (c) | (d) | | (c) vs. (b) | | (d) vs. (a) | |
| | (B JPY) | (%) | (B JPY) | (B JPY) | (B JPY) | (%) | (B JPY) | (%) | (B JPY) | (%) |
| AV | 40.7 | 16.0 | 20.2 | 22.8 | 42.9 | 13.7 | +2.6 | +12.9 | +2.3 | +5.6 |
| Communication | 115.2 | 45.2 | 63.9 | 68.6 | 132.5 | 42.2 | +4.7 | +7.4 | +17.3 | +15.0 |
| Computers and Peripherals | 43.8 | 17.2 | 30.0 | 29.5 | 59.5 | 19.0 | ▲0.5 | ▲1.5 | +15.7 | +36.0 |
| Automotive Electronics | 29.3 | 11.5 | 19.5 | 19.9 | 39.5 | 12.6 | +0.4 | +2.1 | +10.2 | +34.9 |
| Home and Others | 25.7 | 10.1 | 19.5 | 19.8 | 39.4 | 12.5 | +0.3 | +1.5 | +13.6 | +52.9 |
| Net sales | 254.7 | 100.0 | 153.1 | 160.7 | 313.8 | 100.0 | +7.6 | +5.0 | +59.2 | +23.2 |

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Sales by Application FY10 First Half vs. FY09 First Half



| AV +5.6% | Flat-screen TVs> Sales of MLCCs increased significantly. Portable media players> Sales of piezoelectric speakers decreased largely. |
|--|--|
| Communication +15.0% | Sales of MLCCs, WiFi modules, SAW filters, connectors, EMI suppression filters and inductors (coils) grew substantially. |
| Computers and Peripherals +36.0% | CS Sales of MLCCs, HDD shock sensors, communication modules, multilayer devices and EMI suppression filters increased considerably. Coffice Equipment> Sales of power supplies rose greatly. |
| Automotive Electronics +34.9% | Sales of ceramic multilayer substrates, MLCCs, ultrasonic sensors for back sonar, actuators for diesel engines, and ceramic resonators increased significantly. |

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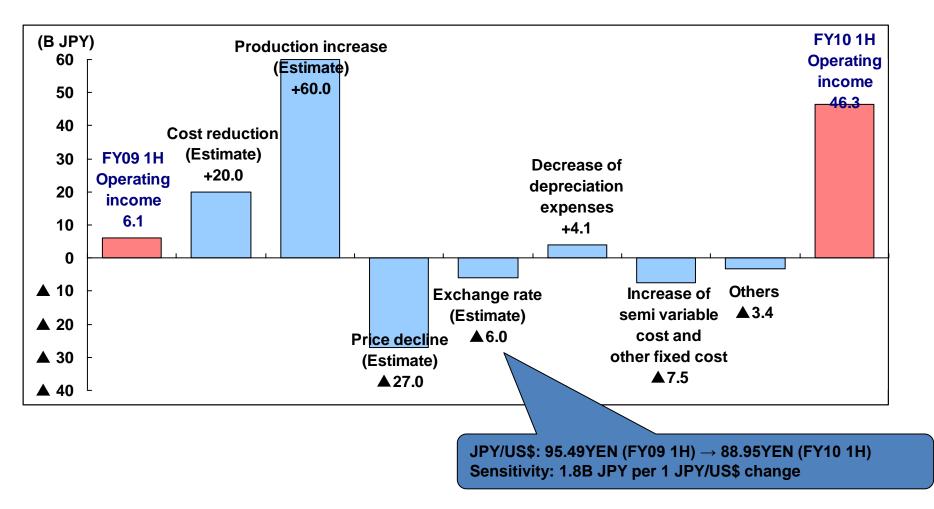
| AV +12.9% | <portable media="" players=""></portable> Sales of WiFi modules grew substantially. <video consoles="" game=""></video> Sales of MLCCs rose considerably. |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Communication +7.4% | Sales of MLCCs, WiFi modules, SAW filters and connectors increased significantly. Sales of multilayer devices decreased. |
| Computers and Peripherals ▲1.5% | PCs> Sales of HDD shock sensors declined largely. |
| Automotive Electronics +2.1% | Sales of MLCCs showed steady growth. |

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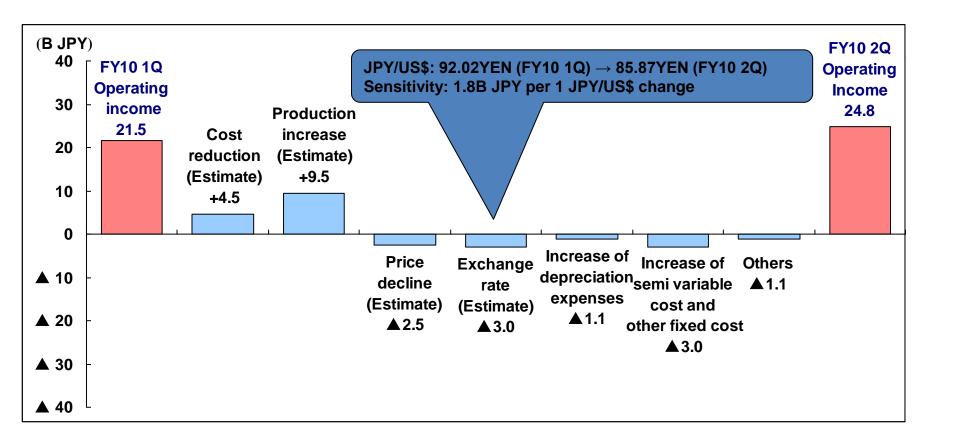
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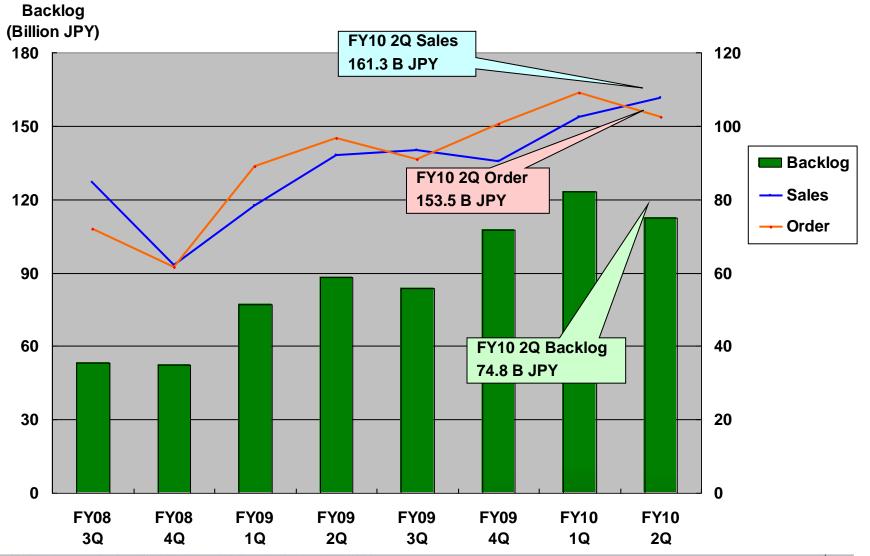


Breakdown of Operating Income Changes FY10 First Quarter to Second Quarter





Quarterly Sales, Order, and Backlog



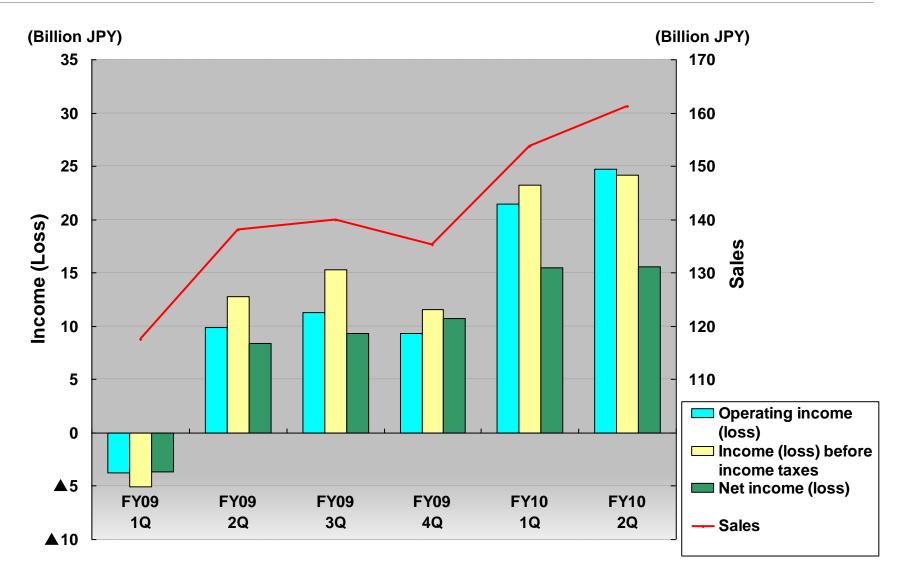
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Quarterly Financial Results



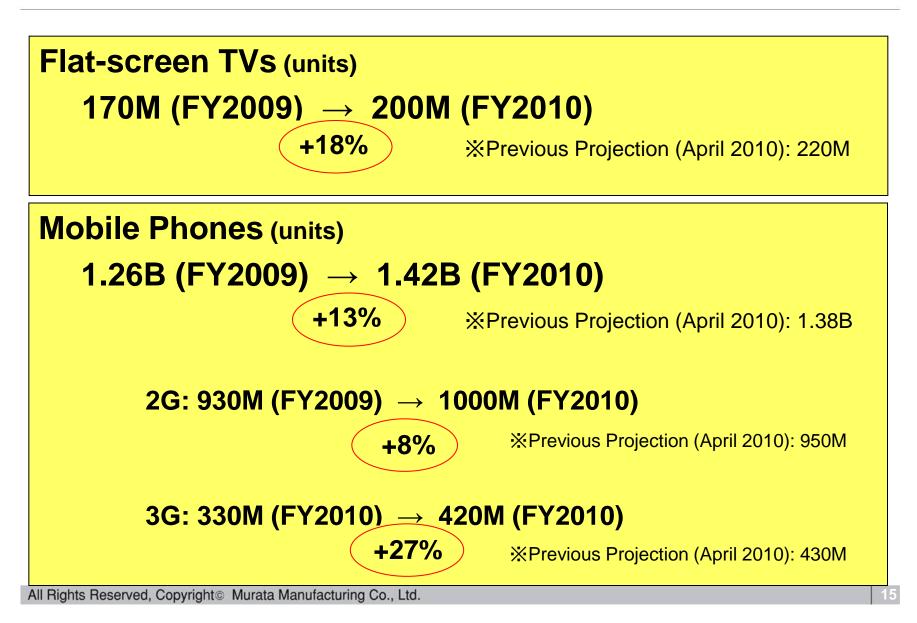




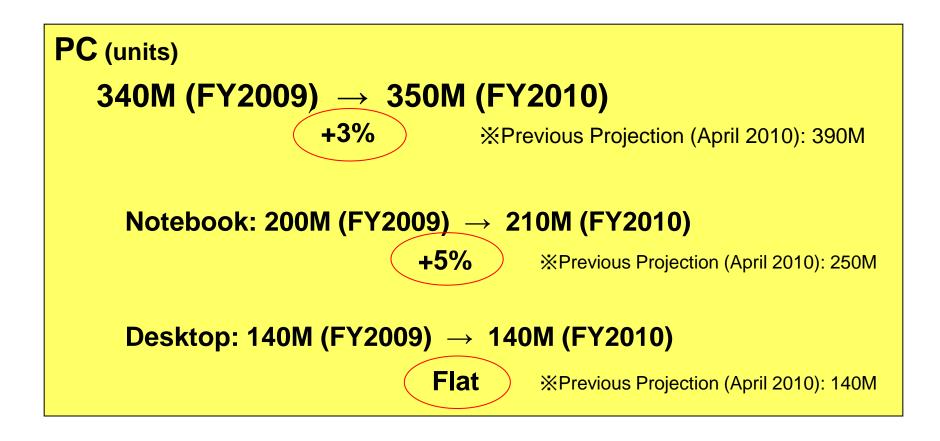
2. Projected Financial Results for FY2010

(from April 2010 to March 2011)





Projection of Demands (Computers and Peripherals)



Projected Sales by Product



| | FY2010 Projections (Growth Ratio against FY2009) | FY2010 Second Half Projections (Growth Ratio against First Half) |
|-----------------------------|---|--|
| Capacitors | +22% | ▲8% |
| Piezoelectric Components | +5% | ▲ 10% |
| Other Components | +20% | ▲5% |
| Communication Modules | +10% | +5% |
| Other Modules | +15% | ▲5% |
| Net sales | +16% | ▲5% |



| | FY2010 Projections (Growth Ratio against FY2009) | FY2010 Second Half Projections (Growth Ratio against First Half) |
|------------------------------|---|--|
| AV | +3% | ▲5% |
| Communication | +16% | Flat |
| Computers and Peripherals | +25% | ▲7% |
| Automotive Electronics | +13% | ▲7% |
| Home and Others | +25% | ▲ 10% |
| Net sales | +16% | ▲5% |



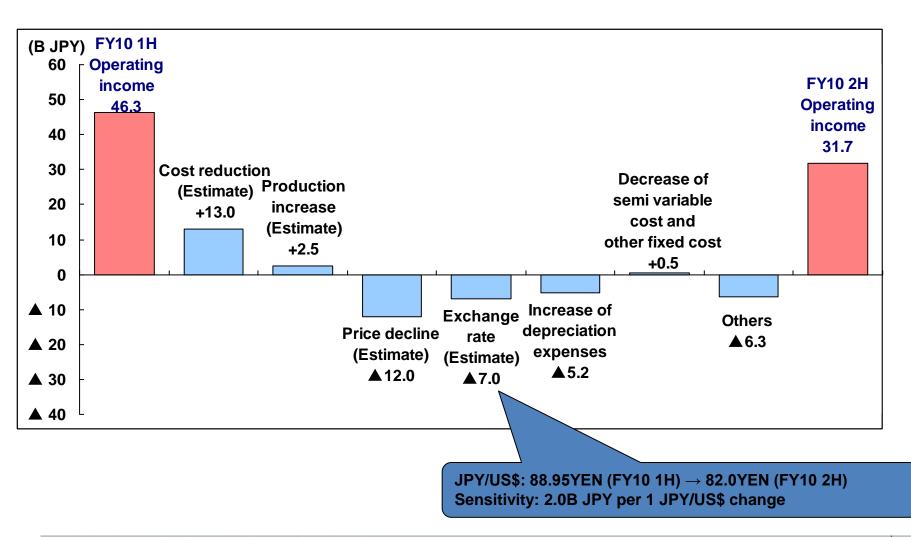
| | FY2010 First Half | FY2010 Second Half | FY2010 |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------|
| | Results | Projections | Projections |
| Depreciation and amortization | 29.4B JPY | 34.6B JPY | 64.0B JPY |
| R & D expenses | 20.2B JPY | 20.8B JPY | 41.0B JPY |
| Capital expenditures | 20.8B JPY | 31.2B JPY | 52.0B JPY |
| Average exchange rate (JPY/US\$) | 88.95 | 82.0 | |
| Average exchange rate (JPY/EUR) | 113.84 | 110.0 | |



| | Pr | evious(July | 2010) | Revised(October 2010) | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------|---------|-------|-----------------|-------|-------------|--|
| | | | FY2010 | FY2010 | | | | | | | |
| | First Half Projections | Second Half Projections | Projections | First Half Results | | | | Secon Projec | | Projections | |
| | (B JPY) | (B JPY) | (B JPY) | (B JPY) | (%) | (B JPY) | (%) | (B JPY) | (%) | | |
| Netsales | 315.0 | 290.0 | 605.0 | 315.0 | 100.0 | 300.0 | 100.0 | 615.0 | 100.0 | | |
| Operating Income | 42.0 | 29.0 | 71.0 | 46.3 | 14.7 | 31.7 | 10.6 | 78.0 | 12.7 | | |
| Income before income taxes | 46.0 | 31.0 | 77.0 | 47.5 | 15.1 | 33.5 | 11.2 | 81.0 | 13.2 | | |
| Netincome | 31.0 | 21.0 | 52.0 | 31.1 | 9.9 | 21.9 | 7.3 | 53.0 | 8.6 | | |

Breakdown of Operating Income Changes FY10 First Half to Second Half







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