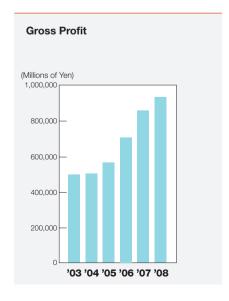
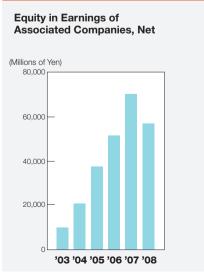
FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

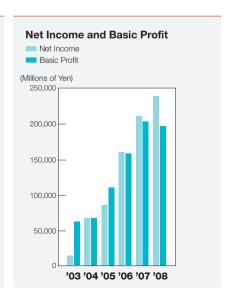
For the years ended March 31

	Millions of Yen								
	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003			
Results of Operations:									
Gross Profit	¥ 934,542	¥ 857,689	¥ 706,647	¥ 563,130	¥ 501,332	¥ 496,449			
Net Financial Income	(27,578)	(22,991)	(9,530)	(2,259)	560	367			
Interest Expense, net	(42,838)	(37,086)	(19,953)	(8,645)	(6,374)	(6,006)			
Dividends	15,260	14,095	10,423	6,386	6,934	6,373			
Equity in Earnings of									
Associated Companies, net	56,942	70,307	51,374	37,387	20,693	9,768			
Net Income	238,928	211,004	160,237	85,073	66,621	13,874			
Financial Position at Year End:									
Total Assets	7,571,399	8,430,477	6,711,894	5,533,127	5,012,465	4,856,157			
Shareholders' Equity	1,492,742	1,473,128	1,303,975	934,891	730,848	618,712			
Interest-Bearing Liabilities (net)	3,247,556	2,913,256	2,622,176	2,376,014	2,377,607	2,502,835			
Cash Flows:									
Net Cash Provided by (Used in)									
Operating Activities	320,651	191,235	(62,752)	(20,831)	61,754	67,038			
Net Cash (Used in) Provided by									
Investing Activities	(299,843)	(453,120)	(141,428)	(55,833)	57,929	(59,878)			
Free Cash Flow	20,808	(261,885)	(204,180)	(76,664)	119,683	7,160			
Net Cash Provided by (Used in)									
Financing Activities	12,679	176,106	262,145	115,825	(23,582)	43,011			

Notes: 1. The Company and its subsidiaries have changed their accounting for deferred taxes related to investments in affiliates from the year ended March 31, 2004, and restated prior year consolidated financial statements.







	Yen											
	2008		2007		2006		2005		2004		2003	
Amounts per Share:												
Net Income: Basic	¥	192.51	¥	169.93	¥	130.18	¥	72.83	¥	62.66	¥	13.04
Diluted		192.47		169.90		130.17		72.82		61.31		13.00
Shareholders' Equity		1,194.20		1,192.35		1,047.88		776.61		686.99		581.75
Cash Dividends Declared for the Year		38.00		33.00		25.00		11.00		8.00		8.00

	%, Times										
Ratios:											
Shareholders' Equity Ratio (%)	19.7	17.5	19.4	16.9	14.6	12.7					
ROE (%)	16.1	15.2	14.3	10.2	9.9	2.2					
ROA (%)	3.0	2.8	2.6	1.6	1.4	0.3					
Debt-Equity Ratio (net) (times)	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.5	3.3	4.0					

		Millions of Yen									
For Reference:											
Total Trading Transactions	¥11,484,585	¥10,528,277	¥10,336,265	¥ 9,898,598	¥ 9,197,882	¥ 9,229,576					
Operating Income	254,101	239,748	176,133	112,385	70,950	89,286					
Basic Profit	197,126	202,938	158,347	109,970	66,820	62,248					

- 2. Cash dividends per share represents the cash dividends declared applicable to each respective year, including dividends paid after the year-end.
- 3. Total trading transactions and operating income are presented in a manner customarily used in Japan solely for Japanese investors' purposes.
- 4. Total trading transactions represents the gross transaction volume of trading activities, or the nominal aggregate value of the transactions for which the Companies act as principal or as agent. Total trading transactions is a measure commonly used by Japanese trading companies. It is not to be construed as equivalent to, or a substitute for, sales or revenues under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP").
- 5. Basic Profit = (Gross profit Selling, general and administrative expenses Interest expenses, net of interest income + Dividends) x (1-Tax rate) + Equity in earnings of associated companies, net

(Tax rate was 42% for the years through fiscal year ended March 31, 2004 and 41% for fiscal year ended March 31, 2005 and after)

