

FLASH REPORT

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(All amounts are rounded down to the nearest million yen, unless otherwise noted.)

# Consolidated financial results for the fiscal first half-year (April 1, 2015 to September 30, 2015) (1) Consolidated operating results

	Net sales		Operating income	e
	(% change from the previous perio	(% change from the previous pe	eriod)	
	Millions of yen		Millions of yen	
Fiscal first half-year	179,765	(1.0)	7,210	(18.6)
Previous corresponding period	181,606	6.4	8,855	(11.5)
Previous fiscal year	370,425	5.0	13,591	(25.2)

	Net income attributable to owners of parent		Net income attributable to owners of parent
	(% change from the previous period	d)	per share
	Millions of yen		Yen
Fiscal first half-year	(3,392)	-	(13.28)
Previous corresponding period	6,832	4.0	26.74
Previous fiscal year	7,052	(44.7)	27.60

## (2) Consolidated financial position

	Total assets	Net assets	Shareholders' equity ratio
	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	%
Fiscal first half-year	368,279	164,052	43.2
Previous fiscal year	384,929	174,258	43.7

### 2. Cash dividends

Annual cash dividends per share					
End of first	End of second	End of third			

	quarter	quarter	quarter	Year-end	Total
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen
Previous fiscal year	_	5.00	_	7.00	12.00
Fiscal year	_	5.00			
Fiscal year (forecast)			-	6.00	11.00

## 3. Forecast for the current fiscal year (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

	Net sales	Operating income	Net income attributable to owners of parent	Net income attributable to owners of parent per share
	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	Yen
Current fiscal year	362,000	13,700	1,760	6.89

#### **Consolidated Balance Sheets** oncolidated Subsidiaria

	Million		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	Mar.31,2015	Sep.30,2015	Sep.30,2015
ssets			
Current assets	21.752	20.00	240.050
Cash and deposits	31,752	29,886	249,050
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	91,249	83,085	692,375
Finished goods Work in process	25,365	23,912	199,267
-	12,905 8,855	13,443 9,241	112,025 77,008
Raw materials and supplies Deferred tax assets			,
	4,756	4,443	37,025
Short-term loans receivable Other	116 10,166	138 9,063	1,150
			75,525
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(306)	(429)	(3,575
Total current assets	184,859	172,786	1,439,883
Non-current assets			
Property, plant and equipment	52.019	50.970	110 000
Buildings and structures, net	52,018	52,872	440,600
Machinery, equipment and vehicles, net	63,849	63,990	533,250
Land	27,252	27,247	227,058
Leased assets, net	2,752	2,865	23,875
Construction in progress	14,519	11,819	98,492
Other, net	3,516	3,609	30,075
Total property, plant and equipment	163,910	162,404	1,353,367
Intangible assets			<b>a</b> 400
Goodwill	316	263	2,192
Software	219	195	1,625
Other	1,440	1,407	11,725
Total intangible assets	1,976	1,866	15,550
Investments and other assets			
Investment securities	28,204	24,957	207,975
Net defined benefit asset	1,699	1,804	15,033
Deferred tax assets	2,189	2,217	18,475
Other	2,146	2,298	19,150
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(57)	(57)	(475
Total investments and other assets	34,183	31,221	260,175
Total non-current assets	200,069	195,493	1,629,108
Total assets	384,929	368,279	3,068,992

	Million	s of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	Mar.31,2015	Sep.30,2015	Sep.30,2015
Liabilities			
Current liabilities			
Notes and accounts payable - trade	64,991	59,099	492,492
Short-term loans payable	46,785	51,171	426,425
Lease obligations	574	596	4,967
Accounts payable - other	13,439	16,936	141,133
Income taxes payable	1,614	1,159	9,658
Notes payable - facilities	1,539	717	5,975
Provision for product warranties	6,783	6,127	51,058
Provision for directors' bonuses	226	111	925
Other	13,522	14,643	122,025
Total current liabilities	149,475	150,564	1,254,700
Non-current liabilities			
Long-term loans payable	42,623	35,616	296,800
Lease obligations	2,105	2,190	18,250
Deferred tax liabilities	5,157	3,947	32,892
Deferred tax liabilities for land revaluation	3,599	3,599	29,992
Provision for directors' retirement benefits	88	75	625
Provision for environmental measures	220	220	1,833
Net defined benefit liability	6,011	6,618	55,150
Asset retirement obligations	399	420	3,500
Other	989	973	8,108
Total non-current liabilities	61,195	53,663	447,192
Total liabilities	210,671	204,227	1,701,892
Net assets			, , ,
Shareholders' equity			
Capital stock	27,647	27,647	230,392
Capital surplus	29,543	29,414	245,117
Retained earnings	81,066	75,885	632,375
Treasury shares	(573)	(574)	(4,783
Total shareholders' equity	137,684	132,372	1,103,100
Accumulated other comprehensive income		,	
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	9,671	7,663	63,858
Revaluation reserve for land	5,682	5,682	47,350
Foreign currency translation adjustments	9,640	8,156	67,967
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	5,670	5,153	42,942
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	30,664	26,655	222,125
Non-controlling interests	5,909	5,024	41,867
Total net assets	174,258	164,052	1,367,100
Total liabilities and net assets	384,929	368,279	3,068,992

## **Consolidated Statements of Income**

	Millions of	f yen T	Thousands of U.S. dollars	
	Half-year ended Sep.30,2014	Half-year ended Sep.30,2015	Half-year ended Sep.30,2015	
Net sales	181,606	179,765	1,498,042	
Cost of sales	144,653	144,460	1,203,833	
Gross profit	36,953	35,304	294,200	
Selling, general and administrative expenses	28,098	28,094	234,117	
Operating income	8,855	7,210	60,08	
Non-operating income				
Interest income	112	85	70	
Dividend income	337	272	2,26	
Foreign exchange gains	834	_	-	
Technical support fee	401	435	3,62	
Equity in earnings of affiliates	164	_	_	
Other	585	875	7,292	
Total non-operating income	2,435	1,668	13,90	
Non-operating expenses				
Interest expenses	709	649	5,408	
Foreign exchange losses	_	435	3,62	
Equity in losses of affiliates	_	425	3,54	
Other	201	213	1,77	
Total non-operating expenses	911	1,724	14,36	
Ordinary income	10,379	7,154	59,61	
Extraordinary income		,	,	
Gain on sales of non-current assets	10	17	142	
Gain on disposition of foreign currency translation adjustments	_	210	1,75	
Total extraordinary income	10	227	1,892	
Extraordinary losses			,	
Loss on disposal of non-current assets	390	199	1,65	
Impairment loss	2	107	89	
Loss on valuation of investment securities	4	3	2:	
Special retirement expenses	2	13	103	
Loss on violation of antitrust law	_	7,801	65,00	
Other	0	б	5	
Total extraordinary losses	400	8,132	67,76	
Income (loss) before income taxes	9,989	(750)	(6,250	
Income taxes - current	3,618	2,279	18,99	
Refund of income taxes for prior periods	(670)	—	-	
Income taxes - deferred	(21)	109	90	
Total income taxes	2,927	2,388	19,90	
Net income (loss)	7,062	(3,139)	(26,158	
Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests	229	253	2,10	
Net income (loss) attributable to owners of parent	6,832	(3,392)	(28,267	

# **Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income**

KYB Corporation and its Consolidated Subsidiaries

	Millions of	f yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	Half-year ended Sep.30,2014	Half-year ended Sep.30,2015	Half-year ended Sep.30,2015
Net income (loss)	7,062	(3,139)	(26,158)
Other comprehensive income			
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	3,009	(2,008)	(16,733)
Foreign currency translation adjustment	2,666	(1,541)	(12,842)
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans, net of tax	32	(516)	(4,300)
Share of other comprehensive income of associates accounted for using equity method	(43)	(238)	(1,983)
Total other comprehensive income	5,665	(4,305)	(35,875)
Comprehensive income	12,727	(7,444)	(62,033)
Comprehensive income attributable to			
Comprehensive income attributable to owners of parent	12,272	(7,401)	(61,675)
Comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling interests	455	(42)	(350)

# **Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows**

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	Half-year ended Sep.30,2014	Half-year ended Sep.30,2015	Half-year ended Sep.30,2015
ash flows from operating activities			
Income (loss) before income taxes	9,989	(750)	(6,25
Depreciation	7,664	9,104	75,8
Loss (gain) on sales of non-current assets	(10)	(17)	(14
Loss (gain) on disposal of non-current assets	390	199	1,6
Loss (gain) on sales and valuation of investment securities	4	3	
Loss on violation of antitrust law	-	7,801	65,0
Impairment loss	2	107	8
Gain on disposition of foreign currency translation adjustments	-	(210)	(1,7
Amortization of goodwill	78	53	
Increase (decrease) in allowance for doubtful accounts	4	120	1,
Increase (decrease) in net defined benefit asset and liability	(317)	(198)	(1,6
Increase (decrease) in provision for product warranties	44	(783)	(6,5
Increase (decrease) in provision for directors' bonuses	(70)	(115)	(9
Increase (decrease) in provision for directors' retirement benefits	6	(12)	(1
Interest and dividend income	(449)	(357)	(2,9
Interest expenses	709	649	5,
Equity in earnings (losses) of affiliates	(164)	425	3,
Decrease (increase) in notes and accounts receivable - trade	(2,667)	7,830	65,
Decrease (increase) in inventories	(1,730)	290	2,
Increase (decrease) in notes and accounts payable - trade	3,120	(5,471)	(45,5
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable - other	324	(1,442)	(12,0
Other, net	(3)	1,889	15,
Subtotal	16,925	19,117	159,
Interest and dividend income received	859	629	5,
Interest expenses paid	(751)	(640)	(5,3
Income taxes paid	(6,248)	(2,401)	(20,0
Income taxes refund	50	43	
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	10,835	16,747	139,

	Millions o	f yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	Half-year ended Sep.30,2014	Half-year ended Sep.30,2015	Half-year ended Sep.30,2015
Cash flows from investing activities			
Payments into time deposits	(202)	(353)	(2,942)
Proceeds from withdrawal of time deposits	334	201	1,675
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(16,183)	(11,903)	(99,192)
Proceeds from sales of property, plant and equipment	113	46	383
Payments for retirement of property, plant and equipment	-	(11)	(92)
Purchase of investment securities	(304)	(3)	(25)
Purchase of shares of subsidiaries and associates	_	(604)	(5,033)
Payments for investments in capital of subsidiaries and associates	_	(90)	(750)
Payments of loans receivable	(153)	(142)	(1,183)
Collection of loans receivable	133	117	975
Other, net	151	(269)	(2,242)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(16,112)	(13,013)	(108,442)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Net increase (decrease) in short-term loans payable	746	1,353	11,275
Repayments of lease obligations	(305)	(315)	(2,625)
Proceeds from long-term loans payable	4,511	2,649	22,075
Repayments of long-term loans payable	(9,942)	(6,222)	(51,850)
Proceeds from share issuance to non-controlling shareholders	205	_	_
Purchase of treasury shares	(1)	(1)	(8)
Proceeds from sales of treasury shares	0	0	0
Cash dividends paid	(1,277)	(1,788)	(14,900)
Dividends paid to non-controlling interests	(308)	(268)	(2,233)
Purchase of shares of subsidiaries not resulting in change in scope of consolidation		(675)	(5,625)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(6,371)	(5,267)	(43,892)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	497	(416)	(3,467)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(11,150)	(1,948)	(16,233)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	38,132	30,510	254,250
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	26,981	28,561	238,008
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