consolidated statements of shareholders' equity

Nikon Corporation and Consolidated Subsidiaries Years ended March 31, 2005 and 2004

	Thousands Millions of Yen						
	Outstanding Number of Shares of Common Stock	Common Stock	Capital Surplus	Retained Earnings	Unrealized Gain (Loss) on Available-for- sale Securities	Foreign Currency Translation Adjustments	Treasury Stock
BALANCE AT MARCH 31, 2003	369,395	¥ 36,661	¥ 51,924	¥ 80,582	¥ (3,531)	¥ (2,628)	¥ (544)
Excess arising from retirement of treasury stock Net income Increase by merger between non-consolidated subsidiary			3	2,410			
and consolidated subsidiary Adjustment of retained earnings for elimination of consolidated subsidiary				46			
Net increase in unrealized gain on available-for-sale securities Net decrease in foreign currency translation adjustments				(5)	9,640	(3,257)	(100)
Increase in treasury stock (76,515 shares) BALANCE AT MARCH 31, 2004	369,319		¥ 51,927	¥ 83,035	¥ 6,109	¥ (5,885)	(109) ¥ (653)
Excess arising from retirement of treasury stock Net income Cash dividends, ¥8.0 per share Adjustment of retained earnings for elimination of consolidated subsidiary			4	24,141 (2,954) 256			
Net increase in unrealized gain on available-for-sale securities Net increase in foreign currency translation adjustments				230	1,188	2,072	
Decrease in treasury stock (142,416 shares) BALANCE AT MARCH 31, 2005	142 369,461		¥ 51,931	¥104,478	¥ 7,297	¥ (3,813)	129 ¥ (524)
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		Common Stock	Capital Surplus	Retained Earnings	Unrealized Gain on Available-for- sale Securities	Foreign Currency Translation	Treasury Stock
BALANCE AT MARCH 31, 2004		\$341,381	\$483,538	\$773,213	\$ 56,888	\$ (54,801)	\$ (6,085)
Excess arising from retirement of treasury stock Net income Cash dividends, ¥8.0 per share Adjustment of retained earnings for elimination of			33	224,802 (27,511)			
consolidated subsidiary Net increase in unrealized gain on available-for-sale securities Net increase in foreign currency translation adjustments				2,381	11,063	19,297	4 205
Decrease in treasury stock (142,416 shares) BALANCE AT MARCH 31, 2005		\$341,381	\$483,571	\$972,885	\$ 67,951	\$ (35,504)	1,205 \$ (4,880)

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.