

investor information

Nikon Corporation

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Date of Establishment

July 25, 1917

Number of Employees

16,758

Common Stock

Authorized:

1,000,000,000 shares

Issued:

369,945,332 shares

¥36,661 million

Number of Shareholders

32,148

Stock Exchange Listings

Tokyo, Osaka, Fukuoka, Sapporo

Transfer Agent and Registrar

The Mitsubishi Trust and Banking Corporation

Transfer Agent Department

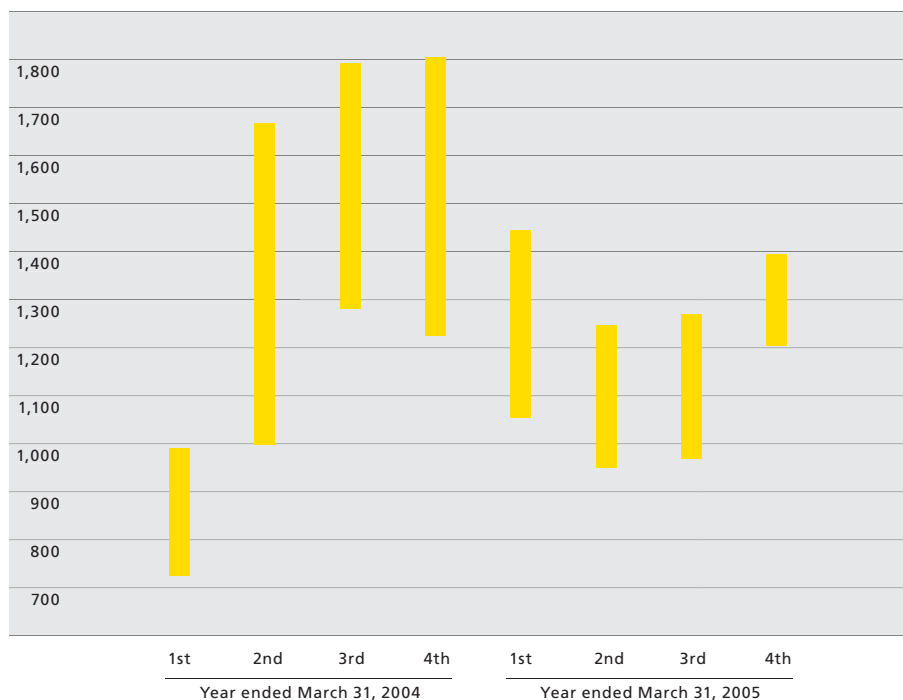
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(As of March 31, 2005)

Major Shareholders	Number of shares held (thousands)	Percentage of total shares issued
The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd., Trust Account	26,895	7.3
Meiji Yasuda Life Insurance Company	20,565	5.6
Japan Trustee Services Bank, Ltd., Trust Account	14,983	4.1
The Chase Manhattan Bank NA London	14,877	4.0
The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi, Ltd.	12,297	3.3
State Street Bank and Trust Company	10,421	2.8
Tokio Marine & Nichido Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	10,067	2.7
The Mitsubishi Trust and Banking Corporation	9,134	2.5
Nippon Life Insurance Company	8,769	2.4
The Jojo Bank, Ltd.	6,801	1.8

Price Range of Common Stock (¥)



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<http://www.nikon.co.jp/main/eng/portfolio/ir/index.htm>