Financial Highlights
Nikon Corporation and Consolidated Subsidiaries
Years ended March 31

		Millions of Yen				
	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2010
For the year						
Net sales	¥785,499	¥879,719	¥955,792	¥822,813	¥730,944	\$8,442,593
Operating income (loss)	(13,854)	48,185	135,169	102,007	66,587	(148,905)
Net income (loss)	(12,615)	28,056	75,484	54,825	28,945	(135,590)
Per share of common stock (yen and U.S. o	dollars):					
Basic net income (loss)	¥(31.82)	¥70.76	¥189.00	¥146.36	¥78.16	\$(0.34)
Diluted net income	-	67.91	181.23	131.42	69.33	-
Cash dividends applicable to the year	8.00	18.00	25.00	18.00	10.00	0.09
At year-end						
Total assets	¥740,632	¥749,805	¥820,622	¥748,939	¥690,920	\$7,960,364
Total equity	372,070	379,087	393,126	348,445	243,122	3,999,031
Financial ratios						
Equity ratio (%)	50.2	50.5	47.9	46.5	35.2	
ROE (%)	(3.4)	7.3	20.4	18.5	13.2	
ROA (%)	(1.7)	3.6	9.6	7.6	4.4	

Notes: 1. Per share of common stock information is computed based on the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the year.

- 2. U.S. dollar figures are translated for reference only at ¥93.04 to U.S. \$1.00, the exchange rate at March 31, 2010.
- 3. Throughout this annual report, ROE is calculated as net income (loss) divided by average shareholders' equity, and ROA is calculated as net income (loss) divided by average total assets.





