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Financial Data for the Third Quarter ended December 31, 2005

(From April 1, – to December 31, 2005)

NIKON CORPORATION

1. Net Sales, Operating Income, Ordinary Income, Net Income [consolidated] (Units: billions of Yen)

		Fiscal Year 2005				Fiscal Year 2006				
		1st Half	3rd Quarter	3 Quarters	Total	1st Half	3rd Quarter	3 Quarters	Total (prev. est.)	Total (new est.)
Corporate	Net Sales	312.2	153.7	465.9	638.5	342.9	192.9	535.8	700.0	710.0
	Operating Income	8.1	5.9	14.0	30.5	28.4	19.8	48.1	45.0	53.0
	Ordinary Income	4.7	3.1	7.7	14.7	20.1	17.3	37.4	29.0	34.0
	Net Income	7.8	15.6	23.4	24.1	9.4	14.5	23.9	15.0	18.0
Precision Equipment	Net Sales: Outside Customers	107.5	43.0	150.6	212.5	115.8	56.5	172.3	234.0	234.0
	Net sales: Total	108.6	43.5	152.1	214.3	116.2	56.7	172.9	235.0	235.0
	Operating Income	2.2	2.6	4.7	11.4	12.4	3.4	15.8	17.5	18.0
Imaging Products	Net Sales: Outside Customers	173.3	92.3	265.6	354.2	195.9	117.4	313.4	394.0	399.0
	Net sales: Total	174.1	92.6	266.7	355.5	196.4	117.7	314.1	395.0	400.0
	Operating Income	7.2	1.7	8.9	16.8	15.5	14.0	29.5	25.5	33.0
Instruments	Net Sales: Outside Customers	21.6	13.3	34.9	50.7	23.5	13.4	36.9	54.0	53.5
	Net sales: Total	22.5	13.6	36.2	52.2	24.3	13.8	38.1	55.0	55.0
	Operating Income	-0.4	0.9	0.5	2.8	0.7	1.0	1.7	3.0	3.0
Other	Net Sales: Outside Customers	9.7	5.1	14.8	21.2	7.6	5.7	13.3	18.0	23.5
	Net sales: Total	20.6	12.0	32.6	44.3	22.8	13.3	36.0	45.0	50.0
	Operating Income	-0.8	0.7	-0.1	-0.6	0.1	1.3	1.4	-1.0	-1.0

2. Sales units of Nikon Steppers (units)

		Fiscal Year 2005				Fiscal Year 2006				
		1st Half	3rd Quarter	3 Quarters	Total	1st Half	3rd Quarter	3 Quarters	Total (prev. est.)	Total (new est.)
IC Steppers	New products	109	29	138	193	79	33	112	170	160
	Refurbished Products	34	6	40	59	12	8	20	40	30
	Total	143	35	178	252	91	41	132	210	190
LCD Steppers		40	28	68	87	37	12	49	65	65
Grand total		183	63	246	339	128	53	181	275	255

<Ref> Sales units of Nikon IC Steppers from January to December in 2005 are as follows: New products 167 units.

3. Sales units of Nikon Digital Cameras [non-consolidated] (Unit: thousands units)

		Fiscal Year 2005				Fiscal Year 2006				
		1st Half	3rd Quarter	3 Quarters	Total	1st Half	3rd Quarter	3 Quarters	Total (prev. est.)	Total (new est.)
Single-Lens Reflex DSC		500	300	800	1,050	790	240	1,030	1,600	1,400
Compact DSC		3,000	1,200	4,200	5,560	3,410	2,040	5,450	6,400	7,000
Total		3,500	1,500	5,000	6,610	4,200	2,280	6,480	8,000	8,400

Precision Equipment: IC steppers, LCD steppers, etc

Imaging Products: Cameras, Interchangeable camera lenses, Digital cameras, etc

Instruments: Microscopes, Measuring instruments, Inspection equipments, etc

Other: Customized Products, Sport Optics, Ophthalmic frames, Surveying instruments, etc