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Pioneer Announces Business Results for Fiscal 2018

Pioneer Corporation today announced its consolidated business results for fiscal 2018, the year ended March 31, 2018.

Consolidated Financial Highlights

(In millions of yen except per share information)
Year ended March 31

| | 2018 | 2017 | Percent change |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|
| Net sales | ¥365,417 | ¥386,682 | -5.5% |
| Operating income | 1,194 | 4,167 | -71.3 |
| Ordinary income (loss) | (3,121) | 2,966 | _ |
| Net income (loss) * | ¥ (7,123) | ¥ (5,054) | _% |
| Net income (loss) per share * | ¥(19.12) | ¥(13.76) | |

^{*} Net income (loss) attributable to owners of Pioneer Corporation

Consolidated Business Results

In fiscal 2018, consolidated net sales declined 5.5% year on year, to \(\frac{\pmax}{365,417}\) million, mainly from a decrease in Car Electronics sales due to a decline in sales of the OEM business, despite the positive effect of the Japanese yen's depreciation.

Operating income was ¥1,194 million, a 71.3% decrease year on year, reflecting a decrease in net sales, despite reduced selling, general and administrative (SG&A) expenses and an improvement in the cost of sales ratio. Ordinary loss was ¥3,121 million, compared with an ordinary income of ¥2,966 million for fiscal 2017, due to factors such as a foreign exchange loss of ¥1,194 million for fiscal 2018, against foreign exchange gain recorded in the previous fiscal year, and ¥1,265 million recorded in equity in losses of affiliated companies, in addition to the decrease in operating income. Net loss attributable to owners of Pioneer was ¥7,123 million, compared with a net loss of ¥5,054 million for fiscal 2017, mainly due to the ordinary loss recorded for fiscal 2018 in comparison to the recording of ordinary income in fiscal 2017.

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E-mail: pioneer_ir@post.pioneer.co.jp IR Website: http://global.pioneer/en/ir/ During fiscal 2018, the average value of the Japanese yen declined 2.2% against the U.S. dollar year on year, to \$110.85=1 U.S. dollar, and declined 8.4% against the euro, to \$129.70=1 euro.

Car Electronics sales declined 4.2% year on year, to \(\frac{\text{\$\text{\$\geq}}}{299,324}\) million, due to a decrease in sales of the OEM business, despite the positive effect of the Japanese yen's depreciation.

Sales of the consumer market business were almost unchanged year on year. This was because of favorable sales in telematics services for automobile insurance, as well as higher sales in car audio products due mainly to an increase in Europe and Central and South America supported by the positive effect of the Japanese yen's depreciation, despite lower sales in car navigation systems which was primarily caused by a decrease in North America and Japan..

Sales of the OEM business declined year on year. Sales of car audio products increased because of higher sales mainly in Japan and China, despite a decrease in North America. Car navigation system sales decreased, due mainly to lower sales in Japan.

OEM business sales accounted for 58% of total Car Electronics sales, compared with 60% in the previous fiscal year.

By geographic region, sales in Japan decreased 7.7%, to ¥114,089 million, and overseas sales were roughly flat year on year at ¥185,235 million.

Operating income declined 82.4% year on year, to ¥1,067 million, due to the decline in sales, as well as a deterioration in the cost of sales ratio and an increase of SG&A expenses both as a result of foreign exchange rate movements.

In the **Others** segment, sales declined 10.9% year on year, to ¥66,093 million, mainly because of lower sales of home AV products and the effect of the transfer of the cable TV system-related equipment business.

By geographic region, sales in Japan decreased 3.5%, to \(\frac{\pma}{3}\)7,721 million, and overseas sales decreased 19.2%, to \(\frac{\pma}{2}\)8,372 million.

Operating income was \$383 million, compared with an operating loss of \$780 million for fiscal 2017, due to an improvement in the cost of sales ratio and a decrease in SG&A expenses, although sales declined.

- Notes: 1. Operating income (loss) in each business segment represents operating income (loss) before elimination of intersegment transactions.
 - 2. In Car Electronics, some overseas car navigation systems are reclassified from "the consumer market business" to "the OEM business" from fiscal 2018. Figures shown for fiscal 2017 have been reclassified accordingly.

Consolidated Financial Position

Total assets as of March 31, 2018 were ¥287,510 million, an increase of ¥5,724 million from March 31, 2017, mainly due to an increase in intangible assets, despite decreases in trade receivables and cash and deposits. Trade receivables decreased ¥5,962 million to ¥60,094 million. Cash and deposits decreased ¥2,763 million to ¥35,642 million. Meanwhile, intangible assets increased ¥17,704 million, to ¥74,497 million, mainly reflecting increases in software and software in progress.

Total liabilities were \$202,576 million, a \$7,579 million increase from March 31, 2017. This was primarily due to an increase of \$10,786 million in borrowings.

Total equity was ¥84,934 million, a ¥1,855 million decline from March 31, 2017. This mainly reflected a recording of ¥7,123 million in net loss attributable to owners of Pioneer for fiscal 2018, despite an increase of ¥3,316 million in defined retirement benefit plans, as well as a payment received of ¥2,299 million associated with a third-party allotment of shares during fiscal 2018.

Cash Flows

During fiscal 2018, operating activities provided net cash in the amount of \(\frac{\pmathbf{\frac{4}}}{15,943}\) million, a \(\frac{\pmathbf{\frac{4}}}{3,671}\) million decrease year on year. This was mainly due to a \(\frac{\pmathbf{4}}{4,024}\) million decline in the amount of a decrease in trade receivables.

Investing activities used net cash in the amount of \$33,158 million, a \$851 million decrease year on year. This was mainly due to a \$4,201 million decrease in purchase of noncurrent assets, offsetting a \$2,674 million increase in the purchase of investment securities.

Financing activities provided net cash in the amount of \$14,264 million, an increase of \$12,818 million compared with the previous fiscal year. This was mainly due to an increase of net borrowings.

Foreign currency translation adjustments on cash and cash equivalents were a positive ¥180 million, compared with a negative ¥639 million in the previous fiscal year.

As a result, cash and cash equivalents as of March 31, 2018 totaled \(\frac{\pmax}{35,634}\) million, a \(\frac{\pmax}{2,771}\) million decrease from March 31, 2017.

Business Forecasts for Fiscal 2019

Consolidated business forecasts for fiscal 2019, ending March 31, 2019, are as follows: (In millions of yen)

| | Forecasts for fiscal 2019 | Results for fiscal 2018 | Percent change |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Net sales | ¥380,000 | ¥365,417 | +4.0% |
| Operating income (loss) | (5,000) | 1,194 | _ |
| Net income (loss)* | ¥ - | ¥ (7,123) | -% |

^{*} Net income (loss) attributable to owners of Pioneer Corporation

For fiscal 2019, Pioneer foresees an increase in net sales owing to a projected increase in sales of Car Electronics for several reasons. In the consumer market business, increases in sales are expected in new businesses, mainly in the telematics services for automobile insurance as well as in sales in emerging markets by timely introducing new products that match user needs in the markets. Also, the OEM business foresees the full-scale take-off of shipments of large-scale orders.

Although there will be an increase in gross profit due to the increase in net sales, we project an operating loss of ¥5.0 billion. One factor is a deterioration in the cost of sales ratio due to a large increase in software amortization associated with the full-scale take-off of shipments of large-scale orders in the OEM business. Another factor is an increase in SG&A expenses in Car Electronics due to rising sales variable expenses associated with the expansion in net sales, as well as an increase in upfront development costs related to autonomous driving.

Regarding the projection for net income (loss) attributable to owners of Pioneer, in light of the consolidated business results for fiscal 2018, we are examining significant revision measures in the OEM business, which has faced harsh profitability conditions, and will announce the projection once the impact of the measures have been estimated.

The yen-U.S. dollar exchange rate assumption for fiscal 2019 is \$110, and the yen-euro exchange rate assumption is \$130.

Issues to Be Addressed

With regard to the automotive industry, car sales are expected to increase, mainly in emerging markets. Meanwhile, we are entering a stage of drastic change, with the advance of technological innovation toward the implementation of safety- and comfort-oriented autonomous driving systems, as well as toward the popularization of electronic vehicles and connected cars.

Amid such circumstances, while implementing measures to improve business performance, Pioneer is pursuing its growth strategies tailored to the stage of reform of the car electronics industry, to become a leading company in "Comprehensive Infotainment" that creates comfort, excitement, reliability and safety in vehicles. In the OEM business, which has faced harsh profitability conditions, we will make every possible effort to turn profitable at an early stage by examining and discussing significant revision measures with business partners, including establishment of a joint venture.

In the consumer market business, our main source of revenue, we plan to promote Pioneer's proprietary "connected car life" by launching new products with enhanced smartphone-link functions and pursuing sound-centric entertainment in a timely manner. We will also proactively strengthen our new businesses, such as solutions businesses that combine Pioneer's strengths in both hardware and software, including telematics services for automobile insurance and *Vehicle Assist*, a driving management service for fleet vehicles, and thereby we will pursue increase profit again.

In the map business and autonomous driving field, which are drivers for future growth, we are currently undertaking evaluations and validations through the roll-out of the first samples of the 3D-LiDAR driving space sensor essential for autonomous driving, aiming for its commercialization. Furthermore, Pioneer is steadily working to become an "essential company" in an era of autonomous driving, mainly through strengthening its alliance with HERE Technologies, a Netherlands-based global provider of mapping and location services, as well as through the development of high-definition maps.

In fiscal 2019, we will make every possible effort to set a course toward improved profitability through the implementation of significant measures in the OEM business, to solidify our autonomous driving-related business as a means for future growth.

Basic Rationale for Selection of Accounting Standards

To facilitate comparisons of its consolidated financial statements across time periods and with other companies, the Pioneer Group has prepared its consolidated financial statements based on Japanese generally accepted accounting principles (JGAAP).

With regard to the adoption of international financial reporting standards (IFRS), Pioneer intends to monitor developments in Japan and overseas, and to respond appropriately to those developments.

Cautionary Statement with Respect to Forward-Looking Statements

Statements made in this release with respect to our current plans, estimates, strategies and beliefs, and other statements that are not historical facts are forward-looking statements about our future performance. These statements are based on management's assumptions and beliefs in light of the information currently available to it. We caution that a number of important risks and uncertainties could cause actual results to differ materially from those discussed in the forward-looking statements, and therefore you should not place undue reliance on them. It is not our obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. We disclaim any such obligation. Risks and uncertainties that might affect us include, but are not limited to: (i) general economic conditions in our markets, particularly levels of consumer spending, and levels of demand in the major industrial sectors which we serve; (ii) exchange rates, particularly between the Japanese yen and the U.S. dollar, the euro, and other currencies in which we make significant sales or in which our assets and liabilities are denominated; (iii) our ability to continuously design and develop and win acceptance for our products in extremely competitive markets; (iv) our ability to successfully implement our business strategies; (v) the success of our joint ventures, alliances and other business relationships with third parties; (vi) our ability to access funding; (vii) our continued ability to devote sufficient resources to research and development, and capital expenditure; (viii) our ability to ensure the quality of our products; (ix) conditions in which we are able to continuously procure key parts essential to our manufacturing operations; and (x) the outcome of contingencies.

Pioneer Corporation is a leading global manufacturer of car electronics products. Its shares are traded on the Tokyo Stock Exchange.

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Attached are consolidated financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2018.

(1) CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

| | March 31 | | |
|------------------------------------|----------|----------|--|
| | 2017 | 2018 | |
| ASSETS | | | |
| Current assets: | | | |
| Cash and deposits | 38,405 | 35,642 | |
| Trade receivables | 66,056 | 60,094 | |
| Finished products | 21,245 | 21,590 | |
| Work in process | 11,795 | 12,793 | |
| Raw materials and supplies | 16,781 | 15,750 | |
| Deferred tax assets | 3,696 | 1,816 | |
| Other current assets | 16,798 | 14,093 | |
| Allowance for doubtful receivables | (2,896) | (740) | |
| Total current assets | 171,880 | 161,038 | |
| Voncurrent assets: | | - | |
| Property, plant and equipment: | | | |
| Buildings and structures | 47,779 | 47,828 | |
| Accumulated depreciation | (33,010) | (33,684) | |
| Net | 14,769 | 14,144 | |
| Machinery, equipment and others | 63,501 | 57,525 | |
| Accumulated depreciation | (55,052) | (50,891) | |
| Net | 8,449 | 6,634 | |
| Land | 11,121 | 10,389 | |
| Lease assets | 3,574 | 8,620 | |
| Accumulated depreciation | (2,851) | (6,539) | |
| Net | 723 | 2,081 | |
| Construction in progress | 899 | 530 | |
| Others | 62,552 | 60,356 | |
| Accumulated depreciation | (57,678) | (55,925) | |
| Net | 4,874 | 4,431 | |
| Net property, plant and equipment | 40,835 | 38,209 | |
| Intangible assets: | | | |
| Goodwill | 438 | 396 | |
| Software | 16,187 | 25,896 | |
| Software in progress | 39,544 | 47,606 | |
| Others | 624 | 599 | |
| Total intangible assets | 56,793 | 74,497 | |
| Investments and other assets: | | | |
| Investment securities | 6,920 | 8,466 | |
| Deferred tax assets | 1,142 | 1,194 | |
| Net defined benefit asset | 838 | 973 | |
| Others | 3,428 | 3,156 | |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts | (50) | (49) | |
| Total investments and other assets | 12,278 | 13,740 | |
| Total noncurrent assets | 109,906 | 126,446 | |
| Deferred assets: | 109,900 | 120,770 | |
| Stock issuance cost | _ | 26 | |
| Total deferred assets | | 26 | |
| | 201 796 | 287,510 | |
| Total assets | 281,786 | 401,310 | |

| | March 31 | |
|--|----------|----------|
| | 2017 | 2018 |
| LIABILITIES | _ | _ |
| Current liabilities: | | |
| Trade payables | 62,362 | 59,770 |
| Short-term borrowings | 10,703 | 32,537 |
| Current portion of long-term debt | 11,033 | 1,667 |
| Income taxes payable | 1,305 | 893 |
| Accrued expenses | 30,987 | 33,107 |
| Warranty reserve | 1,967 | 1,841 |
| Other current liabilities | 20,529 | 19,528 |
| Total current liabilities | 138,886 | 149,343 |
| Long-term liabilities: | | |
| Convertible bonds | 15,056 | 15,041 |
| Long-term debt | 2,500 | 833 |
| Accrued pension and severance costs | 35,106 | 31,395 |
| Other long-term liabilities | 3,449 | 5,964 |
| Total long-term liabilities | 56,111 | 53,233 |
| Total liabilities | 194,997 | 202,576 |
| EQUITY | | |
| Shareholders' equity: | | |
| Common stock | 91,732 | 92,881 |
| Capital surplus | 56,016 | 32,295 |
| Retained earnings | 28,984 | 46,733 |
| Treasury stock | (11,051) | (11,052) |
| Total shareholders' equity | 165,681 | 160,857 |
| Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss): | _ | |
| Unrealized gain (loss) on available-for-sale securities | (191) | (393) |
| Deferred gain (loss) on derivatives under hedge accounting | _ | 11 |
| Foreign currency translation adjustments | (59,149) | (59,446) |
| Defined retirement benefit plans | (23,825) | (20,509) |
| Total accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) | (83,165) | (80,337) |
| Noncontrolling interests | 4,273 | 4,414 |
| Total equity | 86,789 | 84,934 |
| Total liabilities and equity | 281,786 | 287,510 |

(2) CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

| | Year ended March 31 | |
|---|---------------------|---------|
| | 2017 | 2018 |
| Net sales | 386,682 | 365,417 |
| Cost of sales | 317,497 | 299,896 |
| Gross profit | 69,185 | 65,521 |
| Selling, general and administrative expenses | 65,018 | 64,327 |
| Operating income | 4,167 | 1,194 |
| Non-operating income: | | |
| Interest income | 309 | 223 |
| Dividend income | 96 | 101 |
| Exchange gain | 605 | _ |
| Others | 328 | 185 |
| Total non-operating income | 1,338 | 509 |
| Non-operating expenses: | | |
| Interest expense | 671 | 672 |
| Equity in losses of affiliated companies | 110 | 1,265 |
| Exchange loss | _ | 1,194 |
| Others | 1,758 | 1,693 |
| Total non-operating expenses | 2,539 | 4,824 |
| Ordinary income (loss) | 2,966 | (3,121) |
| Extraordinary income: | | |
| Gain on sale of noncurrent assets | 831 | 192 |
| Gain on sale of investment securities | _ | 48 |
| Total extraordinary income | 831 | 240 |
| Extraordinary loss: | | |
| Loss on sale and disposal of noncurrent assets | 576 | 333 |
| Restructuring costs | 3,014 | 853 |
| Impairment loss | 138 | 522 |
| Loss on litigation settlement | 1,180 | 61 |
| Loss on business transfer | 1,191 | 11 |
| Others | 11 | _ |
| Total extraordinary loss | 6,110 | 1,780 |
| Income (loss) before income taxes | (2,313) | (4,661) |
| Income taxes: | | |
| Current | 2,798 | 1,751 |
| Deferred | 151 | 880 |
| Total income taxes | 2,949 | 2,631 |
| Net income (loss) | (5,262) | (7,292) |
| Net income (loss) attributable to noncontrolling interests | (208) | (169) |
| Net income (loss) attributable to owners of Pioneer Corporation | (5,054) | (7,123) |

(3) CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS)

| | Year ended March 31 | |
|--|---------------------|---------|
| | 2017 | 2018 |
| Net income (loss) | (5,262) | (7,292) |
| Other comprehensive income (loss): | | |
| Unrealized gain (loss) on available-for-sale securities | 95 | (202) |
| Deferred gain (loss) on derivatives under hedge accounting | 88 | 11 |
| Foreign currency translation adjustments | (2,940) | (191) |
| Defined retirement benefit plans | 4,532 | 3,316 |
| Share of other comprehensive income (loss) in associates | (66) | 12 |
| Total other comprehensive income (loss) | 1,709 | 2,946 |
| Comprehensive income (loss) | (3,553) | (4,346) |
| Comprehensive income (loss) attributable to: | | |
| Owners of Pioneer Corporation | (3,159) | (4,295) |
| Noncontrolling interests | (394) | (51) |

(4) CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY

| | Year ended March 31 | |
|---|---------------------|----------|
| - | 2017 | 2018 |
| HAREHOLDERS' EQUITY | | |
| Common stock: | | |
| Balance, beginning of year | 91,732 | 91,732 |
| Changes of items in the year: | | |
| Issuance of new shares | _ | 1,149 |
| Total changes of items in the year | _ | 1,149 |
| Balance, end of year | 91,732 | 92,881 |
| Capital surplus: | | |
| Balance, beginning of year | 56,016 | 56,016 |
| Changes of items in the year: | | |
| Issuance of new shares | _ | 1,150 |
| Transfer to retained earnings from capital surplus | _ | (24,872) |
| Acquisition of shares of consolidated subsidiaries | _ | 1 |
| Total changes of items in the year | _ | (23,721) |
| Balance, end of year | 56,016 | 32,295 |
| Retained earnings: | | |
| Balance, beginning of year | 34,038 | 28,984 |
| Changes of items in the year: | | |
| Net income (loss) attributable to owners of Pioneer Corporation | (5,054) | (7,123) |
| Transfer to retained earnings from capital surplus | _ | 24,872 |
| Total changes of items in the year | (5,054) | 17,749 |
| Balance, end of year | 28,984 | 46,733 |
| Treasury stock: | | |
| Balance, beginning of year | (11,051) | (11,051) |
| Changes of items in the year: | | |
| Purchase of treasury stock | (O) | (1) |
| Total changes of items in the year | (O) | (1) |
| Balance, end of year | (11,051) | (11,052) |
| Total shareholders' equity: | | |
| Balance, beginning of year | 170,735 | 165,681 |
| Changes of items in the year: | | |
| Issuance of new shares | _ | 2,299 |
| Net income (loss) attributable to owners of Pioneer Corporation | (5,054) | (7,123) |
| Purchase of treasury stock | (O) | (1) |
| Acquisition of shares of consolidated subsidiaries | _ | 1 |
| Total changes of items in the year | (5,054) | (4,824) |
| Balance, end of year | 165,681 | 160,857 |

| | Year ended March 3 | |
|---|--------------------|----------|
| | 2017 | 2018 |
| ACCUMULATED OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS) | | |
| Unrealized gain (loss) on available-for-sale securities: | | |
| Balance, beginning of year | (286) | (191) |
| Changes of items in the year: | | |
| Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity | 95 | (202) |
| Total changes of items in the year | | (202) |
| Balance, end of year | (191) | (393) |
| Deferred gain (loss) on derivatives under hedge accounting: | | |
| Balance, beginning of year | (88) | _ |
| Changes of items in the year: | | |
| Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity | 88 | 11 |
| Total changes of items in the year | 88 | 11 |
| Balance, end of year | | 11 |
| Foreign currency translation adjustments: | | |
| Balance, beginning of year | (56,329) | (59,149) |
| Changes of items in the year: | | |
| Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity | (2,820) | (297) |
| Total changes of items in the year | (2,820) | (297) |
| Balance, end of year | (59,149) | (59,446) |
| Defined retirement benefit plans: | _ | |
| Balance, beginning of year | (28,357) | (23,825) |
| Changes of items in the year: | | |
| Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity | 4,532 | 3,316 |
| Total changes of items in the year | 4,532 | 3,316 |
| Balance, end of year | (23,825) | (20,509) |
| Total accumulated other comprehensive income (loss): | _ | |
| Balance, beginning of year | (85,060) | (83,165) |
| Changes of items in the year: | | |
| Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity | 1,895 | 2,828 |
| Total changes of items in the year | 1,895 | 2,828 |
| Balance, end of year | (83,165) | (80,337) |

| | Year ended March 31 | |
|---|---------------------|---------|
| | | |
| _ | 2017 | 2018 |
| NONCONTROLLING INTERESTS | | |
| Balance, beginning of year | 4,811 | 4,273 |
| Changes of items in the year: | | |
| Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity | (538) | 141 |
| Total changes of items in the year | (538) | 141 |
| Balance, end of year | | 4,414 |
| TOTAL EQUITY | | |
| Balance, beginning of year | 90,486 | 86,789 |
| Changes of items in the year: | | |
| Issuance of new shares | _ | 2,299 |
| Net income (loss) attributable to owners of Pioneer Corporation | (5,054) | (7,123) |
| Transfer to retained earnings from capital surplus | _ | _ |
| Purchase of treasury stock | (O) | (1) |
| Acquisition of shares of consolidated subsidiaries | _ | 1 |
| Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity | 1,357 | 2,969 |
| Total changes of items in the year | (3,697) | (1,855) |
| Balance, end of year | 86,789 | 84,934 |

(5) CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(In millions of yen) Year ended March 31

| | Year ended March 31 | |
|--|---------------------|----------|
| | 2017 | 2018 |
| Cash flows from operating activities: | | |
| Income (loss) before income taxes | (2,313) | (4,661) |
| Depreciation and amortization | 24,938 | 20,589 |
| Loss (gain) on business transfer | 1,191 | 11 |
| Impairment loss | 138 | 522 |
| Increase (decrease) in accrued pension and severance costs | (3,798) | (3,816) |
| Interest and dividend income | (405) | (324) |
| Interest expense | 671 | 672 |
| Equity in losses (earnings) of affiliated companies | 110 | 1,265 |
| Loss (gain) on sale and disposal of noncurrent assets—net | (255) | 141 |
| Loss (gain) on sale of investment securities—net | _ | (48) |
| Decrease (increase) in trade receivables | 7,270 | 3,246 |
| Decrease (increase) in inventories | 2,915 | (398) |
| Increase (decrease) in trade payables | (6,658) | (2,981) |
| Increase (decrease) in accrued expenses | (144) | (2,924) |
| Adjustment to retirement benefits | 4,221 | 3,356 |
| Other—net | (4,545) | 3,787 |
| Subtotal | 23,336 | 18,437 |
| Interest and dividend income received | 405 | 324 |
| Interest expense paid | (696) | (642) |
| Income taxes paid | (3,431) | (2,176) |
| Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities | 19,614 | 15,943 |
| Cash flows from investing activities: | | 10,510 |
| Decrease (increase) in time deposits | _ | (8) |
| Payment for purchase of noncurrent assets | (35,209) | (31,008) |
| Proceeds from sale of noncurrent assets | 1,279 | 1,017 |
| Payment for purchase of investment securities | (18) | (2,692) |
| Proceeds from sale of investment securities | (10) | 134 |
| Payment for purchase of shares of associated companies | _ | (513) |
| Payment for business transfer | _ | , , |
| Proceeds from business transfer | 111 | (118) |
| | | - |
| Other—net | (172) | (22.158) |
| Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities Cash flows from financing activities: | (34,009) | (33,158) |
| | (010) | 01 540 |
| Increase (decrease) in short-term borrowings—net | (812) 3,333 | 21,540 |
| Proceeds from long-term debt | 3,333 | (11.022) |
| Repayment of long-term debt | _ | (11,033) |
| Proceeds from sale and lease back transactions | (021) | 2,563 |
| Repayment of lease obligations | (931) | (1,287) |
| Proceeds from issuance of new shares | - | 2,268 |
| Purchase of treasury stock | (0) | (1) |
| Proceeds from stock issuance to noncontrolling interests | - (1.4.4) | 214 |
| Dividends paid to noncontrolling interests | (144) | - 11.061 |
| Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities | 1,446 | 14,264 |
| Foreign currency translation adjustments on cash and cash | (639) | 180 |
| equivalents Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | (13,588) | |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | | (2,771) |
| Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period | 51,993 | 38,405 |
| Cash and cash equivalents, end of period | 38,405 | 35,634 |

(6) ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Software for sale has been amortized by the straight-line method over its expected salable period by related product group of one to three years, in view of the trends of the expected sales volume based on the life cycle of its related product group. However, a portion of software for sale newly recorded for the second quarter onward of fiscal 2018, ended March 31, 2018, is amortized at the larger of either the amount calculated based on its expected sales volume over its expected salable period by related product group of five years, or the amount calculated based on the straight-line method over its remaining salable period by related product group. This is because the trends of the expected sales volume based on the life cycle of the related product group of the said portion of software for sale are different from those of conventional ones.

(7) SEGMENT INFORMATION

<Net Sales by Segment>

(In millions of yen)

Year ended March 31

| | 2017 | | 20 | 018 | Percent |
|------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| | Amount | Ratio | Amount | Ratio | change |
| Car Electronics: | | | | | |
| Japan | 123,631 | 32.0 % | 114,089 | 31.2 % | -7.7 % |
| Overseas | 188,858 | 48.8 | 185,235 | 50.7 | -1.9 |
| Total | 312,489 | 80.8 | 299,324 | 81.9 | -4.2 |
| Others: | | | | | |
| Japan | 39,083 | 10.1 | 37,721 | 10.3 | -3.5 |
| Overseas | 35,110 | 9.1 | 28,372 | 7.8 | -19.2 |
| Total | 74,193 | 19.2 | 66,093 | 18.1 | -10.9 |
| Consolidated: | | | | | |
| Japan | 162,714 | 42.1 | 151,810 | 41.5 | -6.7 |
| Overseas | 223,968 | 57.9 | 213,607 | 58.5 | -4.6 |
| Total | 386,682 | 100.0 % | 365,417 | 100.0 % | -5.5 % |

<Segment Information>

1. Overview of Segments

The segments of the Company are the business units for which the Company is able to obtain respective financial information separately in order for the Board of Directors to conduct periodic investigation to determine distribution of management resources and evaluate their business results.

The Company has its business divisions identified by products and services. Each business division plans its comprehensive strategy for its products and services in Japan and overseas, and operates its business activities.

Therefore, the Company consists of its business divisions, identified by products and services, which are two segments of "Car Electronics" and "Others."

Principal products and services included in each segment are as follows;

Car Electronics:

Car navigation systems, car stereos, car AV systems, car speakers, telematics services, and map software

Others:

Optical disc drive-related products, factory automation systems, electronic devices and parts, organic light-emitting diode (OLED) displays, DJ equipment (subcontracted manufacturing/sales), and home AV products

2. Sales, Income (Loss), Assets and Other Items

(In millions of yen)

| | | Segment | | | |
|---|--------------------|---------|---------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Year ended March 31, 2017 | Car Electronics | Others | Total | Reconciliations * 1 | Consolidated * 2 |
| Sales: | | _ | | _ | |
| Sales to external customers | 312,489 | 74,193 | 386,682 | - | 386,682 |
| Intersegment sales | 348 | 3,059 | 3,407 | (3,407) | |
| Total sales | 312,837 | 77,252 | 390,089 | (3,407) | 386,682 |
| Segment income (loss) | 6,051 | (780) | 5,271 | (1,104) | 4,167 |
| Segment assets | 82,243 | 24,786 | 107,029 | 174,757 | 281,786 |
| Other items: | | _ | | _ | |
| Depreciation Amortization of | 21,642 | 2,745 | 24,387 | 551 | 24,938 |
| goodwill | - | _ | _ | 42 | 42 |
| Increase in property, plant and equipment and | | | | | |
| intangible assets | 18,954 | 2,608 | 21,562 | 390 | 21,952 |

Notes:

- 1. (1) Reconciliations of ¥(1,104) million recorded for segment income (loss) include elimination of intersegment transactions of ¥50 million and corporate expenses of ¥(1,154) million that are not allocated to any segment. Corporate expenses principally consist of allocation variance of general and administrative expenses, and general and administrative expenses and R&D expenses which are not attributable to any segment.
 - (2) Reconciliations recorded for segment assets of \$174,757 million are corporate assets which are not allocated to any segment.
 - (3) Reconciliations recorded for increase in property, plant and equipment and intangible assets of ¥390 million are capital investments principally in facilities and R&D.
- 2. Adjustments are made to reconcile segment income (loss) to operating income presented in the accompanying consolidated statements of operations.

| | | Segment | | | |
|---|--------------------|---------|---------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Year ended March 31, 2018 | Car Electronics | Others | Total | Reconciliations * 1 | Consolidated * 2 |
| Sales: | | _ | | | |
| Sales to external customers | 299,324 | 66,093 | 365,417 | - | 365,417 |
| Intersegment sales | 303 | 3,135 | 3,438 | (3,438) | _ |
| Total sales | 299,627 | 69,228 | 368,855 | (3,438) | 365,417 |
| Segment income | 1,067 | 383 | 1,450 | (256) | 1,194 |
| Segment assets * 3 | 134,551 | 22,573 | 157,124 | 130,386 | 287,510 |
| Other items: | | _ | | _ | |
| Depreciation | 18,366 | 2,098 | 20,464 | 125 | 20,589 |
| Amortization of goodwill | _ | - | _ | 42 | 42 |
| Increase in property, plant and equipment and | | | | | |
| intangible assets | 34,797 | 1,942 | 36,739 | 322 | 37,061 |

Notes:

- 1. (1) Reconciliations of ¥(256) million recorded for segment income include elimination of intersegment transactions of ¥163 million and corporate expenses of ¥(419) million that are not allocated to any segment. Corporate expenses principally consist of allocation variance of general and administrative expenses, and general and administrative expenses and R&D expenses which are not attributable to any segment.
 - (2) Reconciliations recorded for segment assets of ¥130,386 million are corporate assets which are not allocated to any segment.
 - (3) Reconciliations recorded for increase in property, plant and equipment and intangible assets of ¥322 million are capital investments principally in facilities and R&D.
- 2. Adjustments are made to reconcile segment income to operating income presented in the accompanying consolidated statements of operations.
- 3. From fiscal 2018, a portion of corporate assets recorded in Reconciliations of Segment assets is reclassified in Car Electronics due to the change in its management methods. The amount to be reclassified by applying this method to the figures for fiscal 2017 is \display34,617 million.