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## 2nd Quarter FY2017 Financial Results

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## I－1．1st Half FY2017 Summary

## 【Business Environment】

$>$ Economic Situation $\Rightarrow$ Although the digital camera market resulted in a positive growth compared to the previous year，it shows a downward trend．
－Digital SLR cameras increased by 12\％compared to the previous year （SLR：5\％down from the previous year，Non Reflex：65\％increase from the previous year）
－Interchangeable lenses increased by $4 \%$ compared to the previous year
－Lens－integrated cameras increased by $11 \%$
＞Exchange Rate $\Rightarrow$ JPY got stronger against EUR

## 【Company＇s Results】

＞1st Half FY2016 Comparison：
－Although the sales in Optical Component segment and Commercial／Industrial－Use Optics segment increased， the total sales declined due to Photographic Product segment．
－The profit was decreased due to the lower sales，despite higher gross profit margin and lower SGA expenses．
＞1st Half FY2017 Forecast Comparison：
－The sales did not meet the forecast due to Photographic Product segment sales declined．
－The profits（Operating Income，Ordinary Income，and Net Income）resulted in better than the forecast due to reduction in manufacturing costs and SGA expenses，together with the favorable impact from the weaker JPY against EUR．

## I-2. 1st Half FY2017 Financial Results

(millions of JPY)

|  | Actual 1st H FY16 <br> (a) | Original Forecast 1st H FY17 <br> (b) | Actual 1st H FY17 <br> (c) | Inc / Dec |  | Inc / Dec |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | (c)-(a) | \% | (c)-(b) | \% |
| Net Sales | 30,499 | 28,500 | 26,912 | $(3,586)$ | 88.2\% | $(1,587)$ | 94,4\% |
| Operating Income | 1,377 | 800 | 1,177 | (200) | 85.5\% | 377 | 147.2\% |
| (\% Sales) | 4.5\% | 2.8\% | 4.4\% | (0.1)\% | - | 1.6\% | - |
| Ordinary Income | 1,486 | 800 | 1,143 | (343) | 76.9\% | 343 | 142.9\% |
| (\% Sales) | 4.9\% | 2.8\% | 4.2\% | (0.7)\% | - | 1.4\% | - |
| Net Income | 934 | 600 | 912 | (22) | 97.6\% | 312 | 152.0\% |
| (\% Sales) | 3.1\% | 2.1\% | 3.4\% | 0.3\% | - | 1.3\% | - |
| JPY - 1 USD | 111.72 | 105.00 | 112.35 | 0.63 | - | 7.35 | - |
| JPY - 1 Euro | 124.56 | 113.00 | 121.70 | (2.86) | - | 8.70 | - |

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## I-3. 1st Half FY2017 Performance Variation Factors



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## I-4. 1st Half FY2017 Results by Segment 1) Photographic Products

|  | Actual 1st H FY16 <br> (a) | Original <br> Forecast 1st H FY17 <br> (b) | Actual 1st H FY17 <br> (c) | Inc / Dec |  | FX Impact vs. 1st H FY16 | (millions of JPY) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Inc / Dec |
|  |  |  |  | (c)-(a) | \% |  | (c)-(b) | \% |
| Net Sales | 24,069 | 21,400 | 19,776 | $(4,292)$ | 82.2\% |  | (100) | $(1,623)$ | 92.4\% |
| Operating Income | 2,117 | 1,850 | 1,651 | (466) | 78.0\% | - | (198) | 89.3\% |
| (\% Sales) | 8.8\% | 8.6\% | 8.4\% | (0.4)\% | - | - | (0.2)\% | - |

> The sales and profit declined, compared to 1st Half FY2016, due to lower sales in both own-brand and OEM models. Compared to 1st Half F2017 forecast, the sales and profit did not achieve the forecast, due to the lower sales of own-brand model.


Operating Income


## I-4. 1st Half FY2017 Results by Segment 2) Optical Components

|  | Actual <br> 1st H FY16 <br> (a) | Original <br> Forecast 1st H FY17 <br> (b) | Actual 1st H FY17 <br> (c) | Inc / Dec |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { FX Impact } \\ \text { vs. 1st H } \\ \text { FY16 } \end{gathered}$ | (millions of JPY) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Inc / Dec |
|  |  |  |  | (c)-(a) | \% |  | (c)-(b) | \% |
| Net Sales | 1,009 | 1,600 | 1,532 | 522 | 151.7\% |  | - | (67) | 95.8\% |
| Operating Income | 9 | 0 | 187 | 177 | - | - | 187 | - |
| (\% Sales) | 0.9\% | 0.0\% | 12.2\% | 11.3\% | - | - | 12.2\% | - |

> The sales of DSC increased by 30\% compared to 1st Half FY2016. Planning to start mass-production and ship Drone products in the 2nd Half FY2017.



## I-4. 1st Half FY2017 Results by Segment 3) Commercial / Industrial-Use Optics

|  | Actual <br> 1st H FY16 <br> (a) | Original <br> Forecast 1st H FY17 <br> (b) | Actual 1st H FY17 <br> (c) | Inc / Dec |  | FX Impact vs. 1st H FY16 | (millions of JPY) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Inc / Dec |
|  |  |  |  | (c)-(a) | \% |  | (c)-(b) | \% |
| Net Sales | 5,419 | 5,500 | 5,604 | 184 | 103.4\% |  | (50) | 104 | 101.9\% |
| Operating Income | 459 | 200 | 427 | (31) | 93.1\% | - | 227 | 213.9\% |
| (\% Sales) | 8.5\% | 3.6\% | 7.6\% | (0.9)\% | - | - | 4.0\% | - |

> The sales of surveillance camera lenses and vehicle lenses increased, therefore, the forecasts of sales and profits were achieved.


## II . FY2017 Financial Forecast

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## II－1．FY2017 Overview

## 【Business Environment】

＞Economic Situation $\Rightarrow$ Digital camera market is on a slight recovery．
$>$ Exchange Rate $\Rightarrow$ JPY against USD and EUR is getting weaker than the original expectation．

## 【Revision of the Financial Forecast for FY17】

＞Changes in Assumptions
－Revision of the base exchange rates for 2nd Half FY17
110JPY／USD（originally 105JPY／USD），125JPY／Euro（originally 113JPY／Euro）
－Revision of the forecasts by segment based on current economic situation and progress in product development．
＞Consolidated Performance $\Rightarrow$ Although the sales forecasts is unchanged，the profit is revised upward compared to the original forecast．
＞FY2017 Forecast by Segment
－Photographic Products：Both the sales and profit are revised upward in anticipation of recovery in the 2nd half．
－Optical Components：The sales are revised downward due to the current product development schedule， however，the profits remains unchanged．
－Commercial／Industrial－use Optics：Based on the better－than－expected performance in the 1st half，the profits are revised upward，while the sales remain unchanged．

## II - 2 . FY2017 Financial Forecast



## II - 3. FY2017 Performance Variation Factors vs.FY2016

(millions of JPY)


## II-4. FY2017 Forecast by Segment 1) Photographic Products

(millions of JPY)
> The both sales and profit of own-band and OEM models are revised upward.


## Photographic Products - New Models

| Category | Launched in 2016 | Launched <br> in 1st Half, 2017 | To be Launched in 2nd Half, 2017 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Wide Zoom |  | Launched in Mar. 10-24mm VC HLD (B023) |  |
| Standard Zoom |  |  | Launched in Aug. <br> SP 24-70mm F/2.8 VC USD G2 (A032) ※Best-in-class performance and image quality zoom lens (As of May 2017:Tamron) |
| All-in-One Zoom |  |  | Launched in Jul. <br> 18-400mm VC HLD (B028) <br> ※World's first* 22.2x ultra-telephoto all-in-one zoom (As of May 2017:Tamron) |
| Tele Zoom | Launched in Sep. |  |  |
| Fixed Focal/ Macro |  | FY2017~: Increase New Model Launch <br> Vigorous efforts to bring more new products by improving R\&D efficiency \& shortening R\&D L/T |  |

## II-4. FY2017 Forecast by Segment 2) Optical Components

|  | Actual FY16 (a) | Original Forecast FY17 <br> (b) | Revised Forecast FY17 (c) | Inc / Dec |  | Inc / Dec |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | (c)-(a) | \% | (c)-(b) | \% |
| Net Sales | 2,358 | 3,600 | 3,300 | 941 | 139.9\% | (300) | 91.7\% |
| Operating Income | 75 | 200 | 200 | 124 | 265.4\% | 0 | 100.0\% |
| (\% Sales) | 3.2\% | 5.6\% | 6.1\% | 2.9\% | - | 0.5\% | - |

> The DSC/VC lens sales are revised upward while the drone lens sales are revised downward from the original forecast, however, still expecting the same operating income.


## Optical Components-Explore New Business Category

## Drone


<Required Technology>

## - Aerospace-Friendly Design

(Consideration of center of gravity for stabilized flight)

- High Resolution
(A differentiating factor in a high-end category)
- Compact \& Light-weight
(For a longer flight time)
Although the sales were revised downward due to the current development schedule, no changes in mid-term plan.


Present: Mainly for entertainment and private-use.
$\Rightarrow$ Future Prospects: Industrial-use, such as film, transportation control, agricultural monitoring, measurement, inspection, etc.
$\Rightarrow$ Aim for sales expansion with partnership with a market leader in the expanding drone markets.

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { 【Partnership with a Market Leader】 FY15 ~ Business partnership with a market TAMRON } \\
& \text { leader } \Rightarrow \text { FY16~ Product development } \Rightarrow \text { FY17~ Product supply }
\end{aligned}
$$

## II - 4. FY2017 Forecast by Segment 3) Commercial / Industrial-Use Optics

(millions of JPY)

|  | Actual FY16 <br> (a) | Original Forecast FY17 <br> (b) | Revised Forecast FY17 <br> (c) | Inc / Dec |  | Inc / Dec |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | (c)-(a) | \% | (c)-(b) | \% |
| Net Sales | 10,739 | 11,900 | 11,900 | 1,160 | 110.8\% | 0 | 100.0\% |
| Operating Income | 733 | 600 | 700 | (33) | 95.4\% | 100 | 116.7\% |
| (\% Sales) | 6.8\% | 5.0\% | 5.9\% | (0.9)\% | - | 0.9\% | - |

> Expecting the same level of operating income as previous year, despite the increase in investment.


## Lens for Automotive Applications: Growing Segment

## Lens for Automotive Applications


<Required Technology>

- Coaching
-High heat-resistant
-High reliability
-High-precision lens/lens barrel, Mold processing technology


## (•Stable supply including BCP)

※Expecting sales to increase steadily by promoting business with a view to the future.

## (billions of JPY) Tamron


-Sensing: Price increasing for higher spec products
$\Rightarrow$ Sales are expected to increase as quantity demanded increases.
$\Rightarrow$ Focusing on sensing camera lens by allocating resources
: optics technology, core competence.

## III. Reference Data

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## III-1 . Financial Summary

|  | (millions of JPY) |  |  |  |  | Inventories |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Jun30, } \\ 2016 \\ \text { (a) } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Dec 31, } \\ 2016 \end{gathered}$ <br> (b) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Jun 30, } \\ 2017 \end{gathered}$ <br> (c) | Change (c)-(b) | 15,000 12,000 |  |
| Cash \& Deposits | 15,083 | 16,030 | 17,645 | 1,615 | 900 | 1.5 |
| Notes \& Accounts Receivable | 12,667 | 13,419 | 11,991 | $(1,428)$ | 6,000 | $10,642 \begin{array}{lll}10,100 & 10,522\end{array}$ |
| Inventories | 10,642 | 10,100 | 10,522 | 422 | 3,000 | 0.5 |
| Other Current Assets | 2,006 | 2,039 | 1,577 | (461) | 0 | 16/6 16/12 ${ }^{\text {c }} 17 / 6$ |
| Non-Current Assets | 19,056 | 19,320 | 18,878 | (441) |  | Liabilities with Interests |
| Total Assets | 59,455 | 60,910 | 60,615 | (294) | 8,000 | $\rightarrow$ Loan-to-Asset $8.0 \%$ |
| Total Current Liabilities | 11,965 | 11,388 | 10,982 | (405) | 6,000 | $7.2 \% \quad 6.7 \% \quad 6.0 \%$ |
| Total Non-Current Liabilities | 2,662 | 2,200 | 2,231 | 30 | 4,000 | 5.7\% 4.0\% |
| Total Net Assets | 44,827 | 47,321 | 47,401 | 79 | 2,000 | $\begin{array}{lll\|l} 4,307 & 4,063 & 3,476 & 2.0 \% \end{array}$ |
| Total Liabilities \& Net Assets | 59,455 | 60,910 | 60,615 | (294) | 0 | $16 / 6 \quad 16 / 12 \quad 17 / 6$ |
| Ratio of Net Assets | 75.4\% | 77.7\% | 78.2\% | 0.5\% |  | AMRON |

## III-2. Capital Investment, Depreciation, \& Research \& Development Expenses

Capital Investment \& Depreciation


Research \& Development Expenses
(millions of JPY)


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## III-3. Cash Flow Situation



|  | 1st H FY16 | FY16 | 1st H FY17 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Cash Flow from Operating Activities | $\mathbf{4 , 6 6 2}$ | $\mathbf{6 , 5 3 7}$ | $\mathbf{4 , 2 5 0}$ |
| Cash Flow from Investing Activities | $\mathbf{( 1 , 6 1 5 )}$ | $(\mathbf{2 , 5 4 0 )}$ | $\mathbf{( 1 , 1 9 4 )}$ |
| Free Cash flow | $\mathbf{3 , 0 4 6}$ | $\mathbf{3 , 9 9 7}$ | $\mathbf{3 , 0 5 6}$ |
| Cash Flow from Financing Activities | $\mathbf{( 5 9 5 )}$ | $\mathbf{( 1 , 5 2 4 )}$ | $\mathbf{( 1 , 3 5 8 )}$ |
| Cash \& Cash Equivalents at the End of Period | $\mathbf{1 5 , 0 8 3}$ | $\mathbf{1 6 , 0 3 0}$ | $\mathbf{1 7 , 6 4 5}$ |
| Liquidity (Months) | 2.97 | 3.21 | 3.93 |

## III-4. Cash Dividends Outlook

| (JPY) | FY13 | FY14 | FY15 | FY16 | FY17 <br> Forecast |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Interim | 20.00 | 20.00 | 25.00 | 25.00 | 25.00 |
| Year-End | 30.00 | 30.00 | 35.00 | 30.00 | 25.00 |
| Annual | 50.00 | 50.00 | 60.00 | 55.00 | 50.00 |
| Dividends <br> Payout Ratio <br> (Consolidated) | $42.9 \%$ | $35.7 \%$ | $39.0 \%$ | $96.2 \%$ | $49.7 \%$ |

## Dividend Policy

- Keep Stable Dividend
- Dividend Payout Ratio Target: 35\% (Consolidated)



## III-5. Key Performance Indicators



## III-6. Impact of Foreign Exchange Rate Fluctuations

Actual 1st Half FY2017
(JPY)
(millions of JPY)

|  | Exchange Rate |  | Impact |  |
| :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Actual <br> 1st H FY16 | Actual <br> 1st H FY17 | Net Sales | Operating <br> Income |
| USD | 111.72 | 112.35 | 0 | 100 |
| EUR | 124.56 | 121.70 | $(100)$ | $(100)$ |
| Others | - | - | $(50)$ | 0 |
| Total | - | - | $(150)$ | 0 |

Forecast 2nd Half FY2017
(JPY)
(millions of JPY)

|  | Exchange Rate | Impact of $¥ 1$ appreciation |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Assumption <br> 2nd H FY17 | Net Sales | Operating Income |
| USD | 110.00 | $(160)$ | 0 |
| EUR | 125.00 | $(50)$ | $(40)$ |

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