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Financial Data for the Third Quarter ended December 31, 2004

(From April 1, – to December 31, 2004)

Nikon Corporation

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

		Fiscal Year 2004				Fiscal Year 2005			
		2003-9	2003 3rd Quarter	2003 3Q Total	2004-3	2004-9	2004 3rd Quarter	2004 3Q Total	'05-3(est.)
Corporate	Net Sales	240.9	121.2	362.1	506.4	312.2	153.7	465.9	660.0
	Operating Income	1.7	-7.4	-5.8	3.7	8.1	5.9	14.0	28.0
	Ordinary Income	-0.5	-7.6	-8.2	-4.3	4.7	3.1	7.7	19.0
	Net Income	2.0	-4.9	-2.8	2.4	7.8	15.6	23.4	28.6
Precision Equipment	Net Sales:								
	Outside Customers	68.9	31.5	100.3	156.6	107.5	43.0	150.6	227.0
	Net Sales: Total	69.6	31.8	101.4	158.1	108.6	43.5	152.1	230.0
	Operating Income	-12.5	-8.2	-20.7	-20.8	2.2	2.6	4.7	9.0
Imaging Products	Net Sales:								
	Outside Customers	141.9	73.9	215.9	283.3	173.3	92.3	265.6	358.0
	Net Sales: Total	142.6	74.3	216.8	284.7	174.1	92.6	266.7	360.0
	Operating Income	15.5	1.9	17.4	25.2	7.2	1.7	8.9	19.0
Instruments	Net Sales:								
	Outside Customers	21.4	10.2	31.6	46.7	21.6	13.3	34.9	53.0
	Net Sales: Total	22.0	10.5	32.5	48.0	22.5	13.6	36.2	55.0
	Operating Income	0.5	-0.4	0.1	2.7	-0.4	0.9	0.5	2.0
Other	Net Sales:								
	Outside Customers	8.7	5.6	14.3	19.8	9.7	5.1	14.8	22.0
	Net Sales: Total	18.3	11.5	29.8	39.6	20.6	12.0	32.6	45.0
	Operating Income	-1.7	-0.7	-2.4	-3.2	-0.8	0.7	-0.1	-2.0

<Note 1> Rounded to 0.1 billion Yen

<Note 2> Operating income by industry segment includes intersegments sales.

2. Sales units of Nikon Steppers (Units)

		2003-9	2003 3rd Quarter	2003 3Q Total	2004-3	2004-9	2004 3rd Quarter	2004 3Q Total	'05-3(est.)
IC Steppers	New products	76	31	107	159	109	29	138	210
	Used products	8	15	23	46	34	6	40	55
Total		84	46	130	205	143	35	178	265
LCD Steppers		15	16	31	52	40	28	68	85
Grand Total		99	62	161	257	183	63	246	350

<Ref> Sales units of Nikon IC Steppers from January to December in 2004 are as follows: New products 190 units

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

	2003-9	2003 3rd Quarter	2003 3Q Total	2004-3	2004-9	2004 3rd Quarter	2004 3Q Total	'05-3(est.)
Total	2,230	1,300	3,520	5,400	3,500	1,500	5,000	6,600

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