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For the month of .January

CANON INC. (Translation of registrant s name into English)

2013

30-2, Shimomaruko 3-Chome, Ohta-ku, Tokyo 146-8501, Japan (Address of principal executive offices) [Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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Yes No X

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

CANON INC.

(Registrant)

Date . January 30, 2013

By /s/ Toshihide Aoki (Signature)*

Toshihide Aoki

General Manager

Consolidated Accounting Div.

Canon Inc.

* Print the name and title of the signing officer under his signature.

The following materials are included.

1. RESULTS FOR THE FOURTH QUARTER AND THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

RESULTS FOR THE FOURTH QUARTER

AND THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

January 30, 2013

CONSOLIDATED RESULTS

(Millions of yen, thousands of U.S. dollars, except per share amounts)

		Actual				Projected						
		ear ended mber 31, 20	1 D ec	Year ended ember 31, 2011	Cha	nge(%)	Dee	Year ended cember 31, 201		Year ending ember 31, 2013	Cha	unge(%)
Net sales	¥3	3,479,788	¥	3,557,433	-	2.2	\$	39,997,563	¥	3,810,000	+	9.5
Operating profit		323,856		378,071	-	14.3		3,722,483		410,000	+	26.6
Income before income taxes		342,557		374,524	-	8.5		3,937,437		400,000	+	16.8
Net income attributable to Canon Inc.	¥	224,564	¥	248,630	-	9.7	\$	2,581,195	¥	255,000	+	13.6
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				Act	ual							
	Dece	As of mber 31, 20	1 D ec	As of ember 31, 2011	Cha	nge(%)	Dee	As of cember 31, 201	2			
Total assets	¥	3,955,503	¥	3,930,727	+	0.6	\$	45,465,552				
Canon Inc. stockholders equity	¥2	2,598,026	¥	2,551,132	+	1.8	\$	29,862,368				

Notes: 1. Canon s consolidated financial statements are prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.
2. U.S. dollar amounts are translated from yen at the rate of JPY 87= U.S.\$1, the approximate exchange rate on the Tokyo Foreign

Exchange Market as of December 28, 2012, solely for the convenience of the reader.

NON-CONSOLIDATED RESULTS

(Millions of yen, thousands of U.S. dollars, except per share amounts)

		Actual							
	Year ended December 31,	Year ended December 31.	Change(%)	Year ended December 31,					
2012		2011		2012					
Net sales	¥ 2,113,420	¥ 2,160,732	- 2.2	\$ 24,292,184					

Operating profit Ordinary profit Net income	¥	198,695 235,728 157,647	¥	246,914 282,052 173,201	- -	19.5 16.4 9.0	\$ 2,283,851 2,709,517 1,812,034
Net income per share: - Basic - Diluted Dividend per share	¥	134.32 134.32 130.00	¥	142.45 142.45 120.00	- - +	5.7 5.7 8.3	\$ 1.54 1.54 1.49

	As of December 31, 2012	As of December 31, 2011	Change(%)	As of December 31, 2012
Total assets Net assets	¥ 2,337,002 ¥ 1,594,688	¥ 2,511,608 ¥ 1,729,096	- 7.0 - 7.8	\$ 26,862,092\$ 18,329,747

Note: U.S. dollar amounts are translated from yen at the rate of JPY 87= U.S.\$1, the approximate exchange rate on the Tokyo Foreign Exchange Market as of December 28, 2012, solely for the convenience of the reader.

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I. Operating Results and Financial Conditions

2012 in Review

Looking back at the global economy in 2012, in the United States there were signs of improvement in employment conditions and housing issues as the economy continued to grow moderately. In Europe, the economic downturn in Southern European countries spread to Germany and other major countries, having a serious impact on the overall European economy. Economic growth in emerging markets such as China and India slowed down somewhat due to lagging exports and the effects of tight monetary policies. In Japan, despite the reconstruction demand seen at the beginning of the year from the previous year s earthquake in Japan and flooding in Thailand, the economy entered a phase of recession during the latter half of the year due to the slowdown in the global economy and reduced domestic demand. As for the global economy overall, the effects of the European financial crisis were felt worldwide, leading to a widespread slowdown.

As for the markets in which Canon operates amid these conditions, while demand for office color multifunction devices (MFDs) showed growth in Japan and other regions, demand for laser printers remained sluggish mainly in European markets. Demand for interchangeable-lens digital cameras continued to display strong growth across global markets while demand for compact digital cameras shrunk not only in developed countries, but also in China and some emerging nations. Overall demand for inkjet printers also waned due to the weak economy. In the industry and others segment, demand for semiconductor lithography equipment remained restrained due to weak capital investment for memory devices while lithography equipment used in the production of flat panel display (FPDs) encountered sluggish demand for large-size FPD panels despite the healthy market for mid- and small-size FPD panels used mainly in smartphones and tablet PCs.

The average value of the yen during the year was \$79.96 against the U.S. dollar, a slight depreciation compared with the previous year, and \$102.80 against the euro, a year-on-year appreciation of approximately \$8.

Owing to the economic slowdown mainly in Europe and the high valuation of the yen against the euro, combined with the cooling off of demand in China during the latter half of the year, the Canon Group faced increasingly challenging conditions across all of its businesses. Amid this harsh environment, although Canon continued Group-wide efforts to expand sales, mainly for competitively priced products such as interchangeable-lens digital cameras and office equipment, net sales for the year declined 2.2% to $\frac{1}{3}$,479.8 billion (U.S. $\frac{39}{998}$ million). The gross profit ratio declined by 1.4 points year on year to 47.4% due to the significant impact of the strong yen and product mix. Thanks to Group-wide efforts to thoroughly reduce spending, operating expenses decreased by 2.4% to $\frac{1}{3}$,326.1 billion (U.S. $\frac{1}{5}$,243 million). Other income (deductions) achieved a turnaround of $\frac{1}{22.2}$ billion (U.S. $\frac{1}{3}$,937 million), a decrease of 8.5% year on year. Net income attributable to Canon Inc. decreased by 9.7% to $\frac{1}{224.6}$ billion (U.S. $\frac{1}{2}$,581 million) from the previous year.

Basic net income attributable to Canon Inc. stockholders per share for the year was \$191.34 (U.S.\$2.20), a year-on-year decrease of \$13.15 (U.S.\$0.15).

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Results by Segment

Looking at Canon s full-year performance by business sector, within the Office Business Unit, amid the continued hearty demand for color MFDs, such as imageRUNNER ADVANCE C5000/C2000-series models, sales volumes of both monochrome and color MFDs increased from the year-ago period. In addition, sales of imagePRESS C7010VPS-series color MFDs for production printing, machines that were jointly developed by Canon and Océ, contributed to sales growth. As for laser printers, sales volumes declined mainly in Europe due to deterioration in business sentiment. Consequently, sales for the segment totaled \$1,757.6 billion (U.S.\$20,202 million), a decline of 8.4% year on year, while operating profit decreased by 21.5% to \$203.6 billion (U.S.\$2,340 million) for the year.

Within the Imaging System Business Unit, unit sales of interchangeable-lens digital cameras increased thanks to the competitively priced EOS Rebel series along with the EOS 5D Mark III and EOS 60D advanced-amateur models. As for compact digital cameras, despite the significant deterioration of market conditions, sales volume remained at the same level as the previous year thanks to robust sales of the PowerShot ELPH 110 HS and PowerShot A2300. With respect to inkjet printers, sales volume surpassed that for the year-ago period owing to the early restoration of production following the flooding in Thailand. Furthermore, the company successfully entered new markets with the launch of its CINEMA EOS SYSTEM lineup of professional cinematography products, targeting Hollywood and the broader motion picture and television production market, along with the new DreamLabo 5000, targeting the commercial photo printing market. As a result, sales for the segment increased by 7.2% year on year to ¥1,406.0 billion (U.S.\$16,161 million) while operating profit decreased by 0.5% to ¥210.3 billion (U.S.\$2,417 million).

As for the Industry and Others Business Unit, among semiconductor lithography equipment, while sales of i-line steppers remained at the same level as the previous year owing to demand for image sensors and LED elements, sales volume overall decreased due to restrained capital expenditure for memory devices. As for flat-panel-display lithography equipment, unit sales dropped substantially in the face of shrinking demand for equipment used in the production of large-size panels, an area in which Canon is particularly strong. Consequently, sales for the segment totaled ¥407.8 billion (U.S.\$4,688 million), a decrease of 3.1% year on year, and operating profit totaled ¥5.9 billion (U.S.\$68 million), a decrease of 75.7%.

Cash Flow

During 2012, cash flow from operating activities totaled ¥384.1 billion (U.S.\$4,415 million), a decrease of ¥85.5 billion (U.S.\$983 million) from the previous year as a result of efforts to optimize inventory levels in order to avoid losing potential sales opportunities while increasing flexibility in responding to emergency situations, along with the recovery of production following the previous year s flooding in Thailand. Cash flow from investing activities totaled ¥212.7 billion (U.S.\$2,445 million), a decrease of ¥43.8 billion (U.S.\$503 million) year on year, due to the net effect of increased capital investment focused on boosting production and reducing the amounts of time deposits included in short-term investments. Accordingly, free cash flow totaled ¥171.4 billion (U.S.\$1,970 million), a decrease of ¥41.7 billion (U.S.\$479 million) from the previous year.

Cash flow from financing activities recorded an outlay of \$319.7 billion (U.S.\$3,675 million), mainly arising from the dividend payout and the repurchasing of treasury stock. Consequently, cash and cash equivalents decreased by \$106.5 billion (U.S.\$1,225 million) to \$666.7 billion (U.S.\$7,663 million) from the end of the previous year, including positive foreign currency translation adjustments.

Non-consolidated Results

Non-consolidated net sales totaled \$2,113.4 billion (U.S.\$24,292 million), a year-on-year decrease of 2.2%, ordinary profit declined by 16.4% to \$235.7 billion (U.S.\$2,710 million), and net income decreased by 9.0% to \$157.6 billion (U.S.\$1,812 million).

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Outlook

As for the outlook in 2013, while the challenging conditions from the previous year will continue, the global economy is expected to realize a moderate recovery in the latter half of the year. The U.S. economy is expected to achieve moderate growth thanks to improved unemployment conditions and housing issues. In Europe, since a significant amount of time will likely be needed to realize a recovery, the region s economy will likely remain sluggish throughout the year. Emerging economies such as China and India are expected to recover from the previous year s temporary slowdown to achieve high rates of growth. Japan, buoyed by aggressive economic policies and the recovery of the global economy, is expected to emerge from recession in the latter half of the year.

In the businesses in which Canon is involved, demand for such products as MFDs is projected to grow steadily while the laser printer market is expected to follow a path of recovery. Demand for interchangeable-lens digital cameras is expected to continue increasing across all regions. While the compact digital camera market is projected to shrink due to economic conditions and the spread of smartphones, the impact on advanced-functionality, high-value-added products will likely be relatively small. As for inkjet printers, demand overall is expected to remain around the same level as that for the year just ended. In the industry and others segment, while demand is expected to remain sluggish for i-line steppers due to restrained capital investment, demand for lithography equipment used to produce large-size flat-panel displays will likely pick up in line with the recovery in demand for large-size panels.

With regard to currency exchange rates for the year, on which Canon s performance outlook is based, despite the uncertainty over such factors as the euro debt crisis and economic conditions in other major countries, Canon anticipates exchange rates of \$85 to the U.S. dollar and \$115 to the euro, representing depreciations of approximately \$5 against the U.S. dollar, and approximately \$12 against the euro compared with the previous year. Upon taking into consideration these foreign exchange rate assumptions and current economic forecasts, Canon projects full-year consolidated net sales in 2013 of \$3,810.0 billion (U.S.\$43,793 million), a year-on-year increase of 9.5%; operating profit of \$410.0 billion (U.S.\$4,713 million), a year-on-year increase of 26.6%; income before income taxes of \$400.0 billion (U.S.\$4,598 million), a year-on-year increase of 16.8%; and net income attributable to Canon Inc. of \$255.0 billion (U.S.\$2,931 million), a year-on-year increase of 13.6%.

Basic Policy Regarding Profit Distribution and Dividends for the Current Fiscal Year

Canon is being more proactive in returning profits to shareholders, mainly in the form of a dividend, taking into consideration mid-term profit forecasts, planned future investments, cash flow and other factors.

In 2012, despite the challenging business environment characterized by the European recession, Canon was able to generate adequate cash on hand thanks to comprehensive cash flow management and subsequent improvements in management efficiency. In light of this situation, Canon plans to distribute a full-year dividend totaling \$130 (U.S.\$1.49) per share (interim dividend of \$60 [U.S.\$0.69] per share [already distributed], and year-end dividend of \$70 [U.S.\$0.80] per share), a regular dividend of \$120 (U.S.\$1.38) and a commemorative dividend of \$10 (U.S.\$0.11) to mark the 75th anniversary of the company s establishment.

This document contains forward-looking statements with respect to future results, performance and achievements that are subject to risk and uncertainties and reflect management s views and assumptions formed by available information. All statements other than statements of historical fact are statements that could be considered forward-looking statements. When used in this document, words such as anticipate, believe, estimate, expect, intend, may, plan, project c similar expressions, as they relate to Canon, are intended to identify forward-looking statements. Many factors could cause the actual results, performance or achievements of Canon to be materially different from any future results, performance or achievements that may be expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements, including, among others, changes in general economic and business conditions, changes in currency exchange rates and interest rates, introduction of competing products by other companies, lack of acceptance of new products or services by Canon s targeted customers, inability to meet efficiency and cost reduction objectives, changes in business strategy and various other factors, both referenced and not referenced in this document. A detailed description of these and other risk factors is included in Canon s annual report on Form 20-F, which is on file with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission. Should one or more of these risks or uncertainties materialize, or should underlying assumptions prove incorrect, actual results may vary materially from those described herein. Canon does not intend or assume any obligation to update these forward-looking statements.

II. Management Policy

(1) Basic Policy

Under the corporate philosophy of *kyosei* living and working together for the common good Canon s basic management policy is to contribute to the prosperity and well-being of the world while endeavoring to become a truly excellent global corporation targeting continued growth and development.

(2) Management Goals

Based on this basic management policy, Canon launched the Excellent Global Corporation Plan in 1996. Through Phases I, II and III, Canon worked to build a solid management base.

From 2011, Canon embarked on a new five-year plan, Phase IV (2011 2015), under the slogan Aiming for the Summit Speed & Sound Growth .

The global economy s engine of growth is undergoing a large shift from developed countries to emerging countries, a shift that is expected to lead to volatility in the business environment. Canon will take advantage of this dramatic change and will again tackle the challenge of achieving sound growth through timely transformation tailored to the changing times.

In particular, Canon is focusing on the following six important management objectives.

- 1) Achieving the overwhelming No. 1 position in all core businesses and expanding related and peripheral businesses
- 2) Developing new business through globalized diversification and establishing the Three Regional Headquarters management system
- 3) Establishing a world-leading globally optimized production system
- 4) Comprehensively reinforcing global sales capabilities
- 5) Building the foundations of an environmentally advanced corporation

6) Imparting a corporate culture and cultivating human resources befitting a truly excellent global company

Canon began 2012 with the aim of returning to a path of growth, overcoming such trials as the earthquake that struck Japan the previous year. But due to such factors as the prolonged European debt crisis and the yen's appreciation, the business environment that the Canon Group faced continued to prove exceptionally challenging. Going forward, although prospects for economic recovery in the United States and Europe and growth in emerging markets remain unclear and uncertain, the Canon Group aims to work together, overcoming challenges to firmly achieve sales and profit growth.

(3) Business Challenges and Countermeasures

2013 represents the third year of Phase IV (2011 2015) of the Excellent Global Corporation Plan, a year in which Canon will implement various measures in line with the basic policy Canon has established for the year of decisively implementing reforms and achieving sound business growth in the face of the current turbulent business environment.

In order to achieve its targets, Canon has set and will actively pursue the following five priority goals.

1. Reinforcing Business by Creating Outstanding Hit Products

Canon aims to develop next-generation products and creates business models that take into account the dramatic changes taking place in the market. It will further reinforce business profitability, launching in a timely manner new products that are of sound quality and are screened through a process of selection and concentration.

2. Securely Launching New Businesses and Achieving Sound Expansion

Canon will work to fundamentally strengthen its business targeting the rapidly growing market for network camera systems. Canon will also work to bolster its CINEMA EOS SYSTEM and its MR System (MREAL). Additionally, Canon will take full advantage of M&A opportunities to further broaden the range of its business.

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3. Thoroughly Strengthening Sales in Accordance with Respective Market Characteristics

In the office products domain, Canon will leverage its integration with Océ to accelerate the securing of large client accounts, while in the consumer products domain, Canon will strengthen its sales network of mass distributors. In emerging markets such as China, Canon will build infrastructure to expand sales in accordance with the unique characteristics in each country.

4. Relentlessly Pursuing Cost Reductions and Accelerating Optimization of Global Production

Canon will accelerate the application of automated and robot-based production. Canon will also expand its application of in-house production, which has focused mainly on key components, to include general parts and molds. Additionally, Canon will review production allocation in order to promote a globally optimized production structure.

5. Concentrating on Cultivation of Technological Themes that Lead the Way to the Future Canon will accelerate innovation by further filtering down key themes and concentrating resources.

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III. Financial Statements

1. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

		Millions of yen		
		-		Thousands of
				U.S. dollars
	As of	As of		As of
	December 31,	December 31,	Change	December 31,
	2012	2011		2012
ASSETS				
Current assets: Cash and cash equivalents	¥ 666,678	¥ 773,227	¥(106,549)	\$ 7,662,966
Short-term investments	₹ 000,078 28,322	¥ 775,227 125,517	€ (100,349) (97,195)	\$ 7,002,900 325,540
Trade receivables, net	573,375	533,208	40,167	6,590,517
Inventories	551,623	476,704	74,919	6,340,494
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	262,258	244,649	17,609	3,014,460
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Total current assets	2,082,256	2,153,305	(71,049)	23,933,977
Noncurrent receivables	19,702	16,772	2,930	226,460
Investments	56,617	51,790	4,827	650,770
Property, plant and equipment, net	1,260,364	1,190,836	69,528	14,486,943
Intangible assets, net	135,736	138,030	(2,294)	1,560,184
Other assets	400,828	379,994	20,834	4,607,218
Total assets	¥ 3,955,503	¥ 3,930,727	¥ 24,776	\$ 45,465,552
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY				
Current liabilities:	¥ 1.866	¥ 8.343	¥ (6.477)	\$ 21.448
Short-term loans and current portion of long-term debt Trade payables	¥ 1,866 325,235	¥ 8,343 380,532	¥ (6,477) (55,297)	⁵ 21,448 3,738,333
Accrued income taxes	60,057	45,900	(33,297)	5,758,555 690,310
Accrued expenses	291,348	299,422	(8,074)	3,348,828
Other current liabilities	165,929	159,651	6,278	1,907,230
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Total current liabilities	844,435	893,848	(49,413)	9,706,149
Long-term debt, excluding current installments	2,117	3,368	(1,251)	24,333
Accrued pension and severance cost	272,131	249,604	22,527	3,127,943
Other noncurrent liabilities	82,518	70,240	12,278	948,483
Total liabilities	1,201,201	1,217,060	(15,859)	13,806,908
Equity:				
Canon Inc. stockholders equity:				
Common stock	174,762	174,762	-	2,008,759
Additional paid-in capital	401,547	401,572	(25)	4,615,483
Legal reserve	61,663	59,004	2,659	708,770
Retained earnings	3,138,976	3,059,298	79,678	36,080,184
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(367,249)	(481,773)	114,524	(4,221,253)
Treasury stock, at cost	(811,673)	(661,731)	(149,942)	(9,329,575)

Total Canon Inc. stockholders equity	2,598,026	2,551,132	46,894	29,862,368
Noncontrolling interests	156,276	162,535	(6,259)	1,796,276
Total equity	2,754,302	2,713,667	40,635	31,658,644
Total liabilities and equity	¥ 3,955,503	¥ 3,930,727	¥ 24,776	\$ 45,465,552

Millions of yen

	As of December 31, 2012	As of December 31, 2011	Thousands of U.S. dollars As of December 31, 2012
Notes:			
1. Allowance for doubtful receivables	¥ 12,970	¥ 11,563	\$ 149,080
2. Accumulated depreciation	2,159,453	2,038,682	24,821,299
3. Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss):			
Foreign currency translation adjustments	(247,734)	(378,863)	(2,847,517)
Net unrealized gains and losses on securities	4,146	1,003	47,655
Net gains and losses on derivative instruments	(4,462)	455	(51,287)
Pension liability adjustments	(119,199)	(104,368)	(1,370,104)

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2. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

Consolidated statements of income

Results for the fourth quarter Net sales Cost of sales	Millio Three months ended December 31, 201 ¥ 951,394 519,002	Change(%) - 1.4	Thousands of U.S. dollars Three months ended December 31, 2012 \$ 10,935,563 5,965,540	
Gross profit Operating expenses: Selling, general and administrative expenses Research and development expenses	432,392 280,052 74,636	505,236 459,521 281,269 83,642	- 5.9	4,970,023 3,218,989 857,885
Operating profit Other income (deductions): Interest and dividend income Interest expense Other, net	354,688 77,704 1,703 (509) 10,210	364,911 94,610 2,616 (161) (4,465)	- 17.9	4,076,874 893,149 19,575 (5,851) 117,357
Income before income taxes Income taxes Consolidated net income Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	11,404 89,108 24,588 64,520 3,347	(2,010) 92,600 28,423 64,177 2,734	- 3.8	131,081 1,024,230 282,621 741,609 38,471
Net income attributable to Canon Inc.	¥ 61,173	¥ 61,443	- 0.4	\$ 703,138

Results for the fiscal year	Millions of yen Year ended Year ended December 31, 201December 31, 2011					U.S Yea	usands of . dollars r ended per 31, 2012
Net sales	¥ 3,479,788	¥	3,557,433	-	2.2	\$ 3	9,997,563
Cost of sales	1,829,822		1,820,670			2	1,032,437
Gross profit Operating expenses:	1,649,966		1,736,763	-	5.0	1	8,965,126
Selling, general and administrative expenses	1,029,646		1,050,892			1	1,835,011
Research and development expenses	296,464		307,800				3,407,632
	1,326,110		1,358,692			1	5,242,643

Operating profit Other income (deductions):	323,856	378,071	- 14.3	3,722,483
Interest and dividend income	6,792	8,432		78,069
Interest expense	(1,022)	(988)		(11,747)
Other, net	12,931	(10,991)		148,632
	18,701	(3,547)		214,954
Income before income taxes	342,557	374,524	- 8.5	3,937,437
Income taxes	110,112	120,415		1,265,655
Consolidated net income	232,445	254,109		2,671,782
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	7,881	5,479		90,587
Net income attributable to Canon Inc.	¥ 224,564	¥ 248,630	- 9.7 \$	2,581,195

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Consolidated statements of comprehensive income

<u>Results for the fourth quarter</u>	Millions of yen Three months Three months ended ended Change(9 December 31, 2012				T	housands of U.S. dollars hree months ended ember 31, 2012
Consolidated net income	¥ 64,520	¥ 64,177	+	0.5	\$	741,609
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax Foreign currency translation adjustments Net unrealized gains and losses on securities Net gains and losses on derivative instruments Pension liability adjustments	127,103 2,337 (5,123) (13,736)	4,244 1,996 (1,619) (39,878)				1,460,954 26,862 (58,885) (157,885)
Comprehensive income Less: Comprehensive income (loss) attributable to noncontrolling interests	110,581 175,101 6,047	(35,257) 28,920 (922)	+	505.5		1,271,046 2,012,655 69,506
Comprehensive income attributable to Canon Inc.	¥ 169,054	¥ 29,842	+	466.5	\$	1,943,149

Results for the fiscal year	Millions of yen					Thousands of U.S. dollars		
	Year ended		(ear ended	Change(%)			Year ended	
Consolidated net income	December 31, 2 ¥ 232,445	012ece ¥	254.109	_	8.5	Dec \$	ember 31, 2012 2,671,782	
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax	Ŧ 252, ŦŦ 5	т	237,109	-	0.5	φ	2,071,702	
Foreign currency translation adjustments	133,735		(54,086)				1,537,184	
Net unrealized gains and losses on securities	3,265		(2,116)				37,529	
Net gains and losses on derivative instruments	(4,880)		(449)				(56,092)	
Pension liability adjustments	(12,787)		(38,377)				(146,978)	
	119,333		(95,028)				1,371,643	
Comprehensive income	351,778		159,081	+	121.1		4,043,425	
Less: Comprehensive income attributable to noncontrolling interests	10,824		1,765				124,414	
Comprehensive income attributable to Canon Inc.	¥ 340,954	¥	157,316	+	116.7	\$	3,919,011	

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3. DETAILS OF SALES

Results for the fourth quarter	Millions of yen							
	Three months Three months					Three months		
Sales by business unit	ended			Cha	nge(%)	ended		
	December 31, 2012	Dece	mber 31, 2011			December 31, 2012		
Office	¥ 456,323	¥	498,341	-	8.4	\$5,245,092		
Imaging System	410,675		372,765	+	10.2	4,720,402		
Industry and Others	106,768		114,030	-	6.4	1,227,218		
Eliminations	(22,372)		(20,379)		-	(257,149)		
Total	¥ 951,394	¥	964,757	-	1.4	\$10,935,563		

	Millions of yen				
	Three months		TI	hree months	
Sales by region	ended	ended ended Change(%)))	ended
	December 31, 2012	December 31, 2011		Dece	ember 31, 2012
Japan	¥ 198,803	¥ 201,320	-	.3 \$	2,285,092
Overseas:					
Americas	266,352	274,304	-	2.9	3,061,517
Europe	288,909	290,648	-).6	3,320,793
Asia and Oceania	197,330	198,485	-).6	2,268,161
	752,591	763,437	-	.4	8,650,471
Total	¥ 951,394	¥ 964,757	-	.4 \$	10,935,563

Results for the fiscal year	Milli	Thousands of U.S. dollars					
Sales by business unit	Year endedYear endedDecemberDecember 31,		Change(%)		Year ended December		
Office	31, 2012 ¥ 1,757,575	¥	2011 1,917,943	-	8.4	\$	31, 2012 20,202,011
Imaging System Industry and Others	1,405,971 407,840		1,312,044 420,863	+ -	7.2 3.1		16,160,586 4,687,816
Eliminations	(91,598)		(93,417)		-		(1,052,850)
Total	¥ 3,479,788	¥	3,557,433	-	2.2	\$	39,997,563

Millions of yen

Thousands of U.S. dollars

Sales by region	Year ended December 31, 2012		Year ended December 31, 2011		Change(%)		Year ended ember 31, 2012
Japan	¥ 720,286	¥	694,450	+	3.7	\$	8,279,149
Overseas: Americas	939,873		961,955	-	2.3		10,803,138
Europe Asia and Oceania	1,014,038 805,591		1,113,065 787,963	- +	8.9 2.2		11,655,609 9,259,667
	000,000		101,900	·	2.2		,,,,001
	2,759,502		2,862,983	-	3.6		31,718,414
Total	¥ 3,479,788	¥	3,557,433	-	2.2	\$	39,997,563

Notes 1. The primary products included in each of the segments are as follows:

Office Business Unit Office multifunction devices (MFDs) / Office copying machines / Personal-use copying machines / Laser MFDs / Laser : printers / Digital production printing systems / High speed continuous feed printers / Wide-format printers / Document solution Imaging System Business Unit *: Interchangeable-lens digital cameras / Compact digital cameras / Digital camcorders / Digital cinema cameras / Interchangeable lenses / Inkjet printers /Large-format inkjet printers / Commercial photo printers / Image scanners / Broadcast equipment / Calculators Industry and Others Business Unit : Semiconductor lithography equipment / Flat-panel-display lithography equipment / Digital radiography systems / Ophthalmic equipment / Vacuum thin-film deposition equipment / Organic LED panel manufacturing equipment / Micromotors / Computers / Handy terminals / Document scanners

*The Consumer Business Unit has been renamed the Imaging System Business Unit .

2. The principal countries and regions included in each regional category are as follows:

Americas: United States of America, Canada, Latin America Europe: United Kingdom, Germany, France, Netherlands, European countries, Middle East and Africa Asia and Oceania: China, Asian countries, Australia

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4. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF EQUITY

Millions of yen

	C	Common Stock		dditional I-in capital	Legal reserve		Retained earnings		ccumulated other nprehensive income (loss)	Tre	easury stock		otal Canon Inc. ockholders equity		ncontrolling	Т	otal equity
Balance at December 31, 2010	¥	174,762	¥	400,425	¥ 57,930	¥	2,965,237	¥	(390,459)	¥	(562,113)	¥	2,645,782	¥	163,855	¥	2,809,637
Equity transactions with noncontrolling interests and other Dividends paid to Canon Inc.				1,193			(609)						584		(247)		337
stockholders Dividends paid to noncontrolling							(152,784)						(152,784)				(152,784)
interests Transfers to legal															(2,838)		(2,838)
reserve					1,074		(1,074)						-				-
Comprehensive income: Net income Other							248,630						248,630		5,479		254,109
comprehensive income (loss), net of tax Foreign currency																	
translation adjustments Net unrealized									(53,251)				(53,251)		(835)		(54,086)
gains and losses on securities Net gains and losses on derivative									(2,017)				(2,017)		(99)		(2,116)
instruments Pension liability									(462)				(462)		13		(449)
adjustments Total									(35,584)				(35,584)		(2,793)		(38,377)
comprehensive income													157,316		1,765		159,081
Repurchase of treasury stock, net Balance at				(46)			(102)				(99,618)		(99,766)				(99,766)
December 31, 2011	¥	174,762	¥	401,572	¥ 59,004	¥	3,059,298	¥	(481,773)	¥	(661,731)	¥	2,551,132	¥	162,535	¥	2,713,667
Equity transactions with noncontrolling interests and other				(16)			152		(1,866)				(1,730)		(13,591)		(15,321)
Dividends paid to Canon Inc.				/					× /*/								
stockholders Dividends paid to							(142,362)						(142,362)				(142,362)
noncontrolling interests Transfers to legal															(3,492)		(3,492)
reserve					2,659		(2,659)						-				-

Comprehensive income: Net income Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax Foreign currency				224,564			224,564	7,881	232,445
translation adjustments Net unrealized					132,704		132,704	1,031	133,735
gains and losses on securities Net gains and losses on					3,148		3,148	117	3,265
derivative instruments Pension liability adjustments					(4,882) (14,580)		(4,882) (14,580)	2 1,793	(4,880) (12,787)
Total comprehensive income Repurchase of treasury stock, net Balance at December 31, 2012 ¥	174,762	(9) ¥ 401,547	¥ 61,663	(17) ¥ 3,138,976	¥ (367,249)	(149,942) ¥ (811,673)	340,954 (149,968) ¥ 2,598,026	10,824 ¥ 156,276	351,778 (149,968) ¥ 2,754,302

Thousands of U.S. dollars

Delemen of								Thousanus	of U.S. dollars
Balance at December 31, 2011 Equity	\$ 2,008,759	\$ 4,615,770	\$ 678,207	\$ 35,164,345	\$ (5,537,621)	\$ (7,606,104)	\$ 29,323,356	\$ 1,868,219	\$ 31,191,575
transactions with noncontrolling interests and other Dividends paid to Canon Inc.		(184)		1,748	(21,448)		(19,884)	(156,219)	(176,103)
stockholders Dividends paid to				(1,636,345)			(1,636,345)		(1,636,345)
noncontrolling interests Transfers to legal								(40,138)	(40,138)
reserve			30,563	(30,563)			-		-
Comprehensive income: Net income Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax Foreign currency				2,581,195			2,581,195	90,587	2,671,782
translation adjustments Net unrealized					1,525,333		1,525,333	11,851	1,537,184
gains and losses on securities Net gains and losses on					36,184		36,184	1,345	37,529
derivative instruments					(56,115)		(56,115)	23	(56,092)
Pension liability adjustments Total					(167,586)		(167,586)	20,608	(146,978)
comprehensive income		(103)		(196)		(1,723,471)	3,919,011 (1,723,770)	124,414	4,043,425 (1,723,770)

 Repurchase of

 treasury stock, net

 Balance at

 December 31, 2012
 \$ 2,008,759
 \$ 4,615,483
 \$ 708,770
 \$ 36,080,184
 \$ (4,221,253)
 \$ (9,329,575)
 \$ 29,862,368
 \$ 1,796,276
 \$ 31,658,644

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5. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	Millio Year ended December 31, 2012		en Zear ended mber 31, 2011		Fhousands of U.S. dollars Year ended ember 31, 2012
Cash flows from operating activities: Consolidated net income	¥ 232,445	¥	254,109	\$	2,671,782
Adjustments to reconcile consolidated net income to net cash provided	1 202,440	1	251,105	Ψ	2,071,702
by operating activities:					
Depreciation and amortization	258,133		261,343		2,967,046
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	11,242		8,937		129,218
Deferred income taxes	7,487		29,129		86,057
Decrease in trade receivables	5,030		9,991		57,816
Increase in inventories	(24,805)		(109,983)		(285,115)
Increase (decrease) in trade payables	(102,293)		35,766		(1,175,782)
Increase (decrease) in accrued income taxes	12,427		(25,653)		142,839
Increase (decrease) in accrued expenses	(30,089)		8,938		(345,851)
Increase (decrease) in accrued (prepaid) pension and severance cost	5,515		(2,315)		63,391
Other, net	8,985		(700)		103,277
Net cash provided by operating activities Cash flows from investing activities:	384,077		469,562		4,414,678
Purchases of fixed assets	(316,211)		(238,129)		(3,634,609)
Proceeds from sale of fixed assets	4,861		3,273		55,874
Purchases of available-for-sale securities	(417)		(2,160)		(4,793)
Proceeds from sale and maturity of available-for-sale securities	344		1,934		3,954
(Increase) decrease in time deposits, net	103,137		(34,111)		1,185,483
Acquisitions of subsidiaries, net of cash acquired	(704)		29		(8,092)
Purchases of other investments	(796)		(373)		(9,149)
Other, net	(2,954)		12,994		(33,955)
Net cash used in investing activities Cash flows from financing activities:	(212,740)		(256,543)		(2,445,287)
Proceeds from issuance of long-term debt	614		725		7,057
Repayments of long-term debt	(3,732)		(4,670)		(42,897)
Increase (decrease) in short-term loans, net	(5,055)		2,466		(58,103)
Dividends paid	(142,362)		(152,784)		(1,636,345)
Repurchases of treasury stock, net	(149,968)		(99,766)		(1,723,770)
Other, net	(19,236)		(3,484)		(221,103)
Net cash used in financing activities	(319,739)		(257,513)		(3,675,161)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	41,853		(22,858)		481,069
Net change in cash and cash equivalents Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	(106,549) 773,227		(67,352) 840,579		(1,224,701) 8,887,667
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	¥ 666,678	¥	773,227	\$	7,662,966

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6. NOTE FOR GOING CONCERN ASSUMPTION

Not applicable.

7. SEGMENT INFORMATION

(1) SEGMENT INFORMATION BY BUSINESS UNIT

<u>Results for the fourth quarter</u>	Millio			Thousands of U.S. dollars				
	Three months ended December 31, 2012		ree months ended mber 31, 2011	Chai	nge(%)	Three months ended December 31, 2012		
Office Net sales:								
External customers Intersegment	¥ 454,691 1,632	¥	497,458 883	- +	8.6 84.8	\$	5,226,333 18,759	
Total	456,323		498,341	-	8.4		5,245,092	
Operating cost and expenses	405,051		429,747	-	5.7		4,655,759	
Operating profit	¥ 51,272	¥	68,594	-	25.3	\$	589,333	
Imaging System Net sales:								
External customers Intersegment	¥ 410,292 383	¥	372,495 270	+ +	10.1 41.9	\$	4,716,000 4,402	
Total	410,675		372,765	+	10.2		4,720,402	
Operating cost and expenses	355,712		321,867	+	10.5		4,088,643	
Operating profit	¥ 54,963	¥	50,898	+	8.0	\$	631,759	
Industry and Others Net sales:								
External customers	¥ 86,411	¥	94,804	-	8.9	\$	993,230	
Intersegment	20,357		19,226	+	5.9		233,988	
Total	106,768		114,030	-	6.4		1,227,218	
Operating cost and expenses	116,218		110,253	+	5.4		1,335,839	
Operating profit (loss)	¥ (9,450)	¥	3,777		-	\$	(108,621)	

Corporate and Eliminations Net sales:						
External customers	¥-	¥	-		-	\$ -
Intersegment	(22,372)		(20,379)		-	(257,149)
Total	(22,372)		(20,379)		-	(257,149)
Operating cost and expenses	(3,291)		8,280		-	(37,827)
Operating profit	¥ (19,081)	¥	(28,659)		-	\$ (219,322)
Consolidated						
Net sales: External customers Intersegment	¥ 951,394 -	¥	964,757 -	-	1.4 -	\$ 10,935,563
Total	951,394		964,757	-	1.4	10,935,563
Operating cost and expenses	873,690		870,147	+	0.4	10,042,414
Operating profit	¥ 77,704	¥	94,610	-	17.9	\$ 893,149

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Results for the fiscal year	Millio	Thousands of U.S. dollars		
	Year ended December 31, 2012	Year ended December 31, 2011	Change(%)	Year ended December 31, 2012
Office Net sales:				
External customers Intersegment	¥ 1,751,960 5,615	¥ 1,912,112 5,831	- 8.4 - 3.7	\$ 20,137,471 64,540
Total	1,757,575	1,917,943	- 8.4	20,202,011
Operating cost and expenses	1,553,997	1,658,678	- 6.3	17,862,034
Operating profit	203,578	259,265	- 21.5	2,339,977
Total assets Depreciation and amortization Capital expenditures	828,222 77,660 ¥ 58,402	821,782 93,196 ¥ 53,888	+ 0.8 - 16.7 + 8.4	9,519,793 892,644 \$ 671,287
Imaging System Net sales:				
External customers Intersegment	¥ 1,404,394 1,577	¥ 1,311,023 1,021	+ 7.1 + 54.5	\$ 16,142,460 18,126
Total	1,405,971	1,312,044	+ 7.2	16,160,586
Operating cost and expenses	1,195,653	1,100,750	+ 8.6	13,743,138
Operating profit	210,318	211,294	- 0.5	2,417,448
Total assets Depreciation and amortization Capital expenditures	614,328 53,664 ¥ 58,142	452,809 45,609 ¥ 48,192	+ 35.7 + 17.7 + 20.6	7,061,241 616,828 \$ 668,299
Industry and Others Net sales:	V 200 404	N 224 200	2.2	ф а л 1л (22
External customers Intersegment	¥ 323,434 84,406	¥ 334,298 86,565	- 3.2 - 2.5	\$ 3,717,632 970,184
Total	407,840	420,863	- 3.1	4,687,816
Operating cost and expenses	401,930	396,563	+ 1.4	4,619,885
Operating profit	5,910	24,300	- 75.7	67,931
Total assets Depreciation and amortization Capital expenditures	337,899 34,264 ¥ 44,086	362,638 29,685 ¥ 37,648	- 6.8 + 15.4 + 17.1	3,883,897 393,839 \$506,736

Corporate and	Eliminations
Not colocy	

Net sales: External customers Intersegment	¥ - (91,598)	¥	(93,417)		-	\$ (1,052,850)
Total	(91,598)		(93,417)		-	(1,052,850)
Operating cost and expenses	4,352		23,371		-	50,023
Operating profit	(95,950)		(116,788)		-	(1,102,873)
Total assets Depreciation and amortization Capital expenditures	2,175,054 92,545 ¥ 146,031	¥	2,293,498 92,853 122,753	- - +	5.2 0.3 19.0	\$ 25,000,621 1,063,735 1,678,517
Consolidated Net sales: External customers Intersegment	¥ 3,479,788 -	¥	3,557,433	-	2.2	\$ 39,997,563 -
Total	3,479,788		3,557,433	-	2.2	39,997,563
Operating cost and expenses	3,155,932		3,179,362	-	0.7	36,275,080
Operating profit	323,856		378,071	-	14.3	3,722,483
Total assets Depreciation and amortization Capital expenditures	3,955,503 258,133 ¥ 306,661	¥	3,930,727 261,343 262,481	+ - +	0.6 1.2 16.8	\$ 45,465,552 2,967,046 3,524,839

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(2) SEGMENT INFORMATION BY GEOGRAPHIC AREA

	Milli	ons of ye	en				
Results for the fourth quarter	Three months	Th	ree months			-	housands of U.S. dollars ree months
	ended	111	ended	Cha	nge(%)	11	ended
L earner	December 31, 2012	Decen	nber 31, 2011			Dece	mber 31, 2012
Japan Net sales:							
External customers Intersegment	¥ 235,054 432,284	¥	235,536 453,351	-	0.2 4.6	\$	2,701,770 4,968,782
Total	667,338		688,887	-	3.1		7,670,552
Operating cost and expenses	581,197		573,720	+	1.3		6,680,426
Operating profit	¥ 86,141	¥	115,167	-	25.2	\$	990,126
Americas Net sales:							
External customers Intersegment	¥ 265,178 5,610	¥	270,657 3,865	- +	2.0 45.1	\$	3,048,023 64,483
Total	270,788		274,522	-	1.4		3,112,506
Operating cost and expenses	266,439		270,760	-	1.6		3,062,517
Operating profit	¥ 4,349	¥	3,762	+	15.6	\$	49,989
Europe Net sales:							
External customers Intersegment	¥ 287,103 1,339	¥	290,453 1,198	- +	1.2 11.8	\$	3,300,034 15,391
Total	288,442		291,651	-	1.1		3,315,425
Operating cost and expenses	271,253		280,512	-	3.3		3,117,850
Operating profit	¥ 17,189	¥	11,139	+	54.3	\$	197,575
Asia and Oceania Net sales:							
External customers Intersegment	¥ 164,059 185,498	¥	168,111 183,399	- +	2.4 1.1	\$	1,885,736 2,132,161
Total	349,557		351,510	-	0.6		4,017,897

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Operating cost and expenses	347,868		351,680	-	1.1	3,998,483
Operating profit (loss)	¥ 1,689	¥	(170)		-	\$ 19,414
Corporate and Eliminations Net sales: External customers Intersegment	¥ (624,731)	¥	(641,813)		-	\$ - (7 ,180,81 7)
Total	(624,731)		(641,813)		-	(7,180,817)
Operating cost and expenses	(593,067)		(606,525)		-	(6,816,862)
Operating profit	¥ (31,664)	¥	(35,288)		-	\$ (363,955)
Consolidated Net sales: External customers Intersegment	¥ 951,394	¥	964,757 -	-	1.4	\$ 10,935,563 -
Total	951,394		964,757	-	1.4	10,935,563
Operating cost and expenses	873,690		870,147	+	0.4	10,042,414
Operating profit	¥ 77,704	¥	94,610	-	17.9	\$ 893,149

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Thousands of

Millions of yen				U.S. dollars
Results for the fiscal year				
	Year ended December 31, 2012	Year ended December 31, 2011	Change(%)	Year ended December 31, 2012
Japan Net sales:				
External customers Intersegment	¥ 834,406 1,829,834	¥ 807,883 1,873,157	+ 3.3 - 2.3	\$ 9,590,874 21,032,574
Total	2,664,240	2,681,040	- 0.6	30,623,448
Operating cost and expenses	2,336,536	2,273,336	+ 2.8	26,856,735
Operating profit	327,704	407,704	- 19.6	3,766,713
Total assets	¥ 1,206,702	¥ 1,236,468	- 2.4	\$ 13,870,138
Americas Net sales:				
External customers	¥ 932,987	¥ 952,833	- 2.1	\$ 10,723,989
Intersegment	23,767	16,217	+ 46.6	273,183
Total	956,754	969,050	- 1.3	10,997,172
Operating cost and expenses	937,111	948,593	- 1.2	10,771,390
Operating profit	19,643	20,457	- 4.0	225,782
Total assets	¥ 339,918	¥ 250,131	+ 35.9	\$ 3,907,103
Europe				
Net sales: External customers	¥ 1,010,922	¥ 1,109,256	- 8.9	\$ 11,619,793
Intersegment	5,650	4,681	+ 20.7	64,943
Total	1,016,572	1,113,937	- 8.7	11,684,736
Operating cost and expenses	972,585	1,069,489	- 9.1	11,179,138
Operating profit	43,987	44,448	- 1.0	505,598
Total assets	¥ 457,592	¥ 427,030	+ 7.2	\$ 5,259,678

Asia and Oceania

Net sales:

External customers Intersegment	¥ 701,473 781,836	¥ 687,461 744,179	+ 2.0 + 5.1	\$ 8,062,907 8,986,622
Total	1,483,309	1,431,640	+ 3.6	17,049,529
Operating cost and expenses	1,437,527	1,388,580	+ 3.5	16,523,299
Operating profit	45,782	43,060	+ 6.3	526,230
Total assets	¥ 548,583	¥ 442,263	+ 24.0	\$ 6,305,552
Corporate and Eliminations Net sales:				
External customers Intersegment	¥ - (2,641,087)	¥ - (2,638,234)	-	\$ - (30,357,322)
Total	(2,641,087)	(2,638,234)	-	(30,357,322)
Operating cost and expenses	(2,527,827)	(2,500,636)	-	(29,055,482)
Operating profit	(113,260)	(137,598)	-	(1,301,840)
Total assets	¥ 1,402,708	¥ 1,574,835	-	\$ 16,123,081
Consolidated Net sales: External customers Intersegment	¥ 3,479,788	¥ 3,557,433	- 2.2	\$
Total	3,479,788	3,557,433	- 2.2	39,997,563
Operating cost and expenses	3,155,932	3,179,362	- 0.7	36,275,080
Operating profit	323,856	378,071	- 14.3	3,722,483
Total assets	¥ 3,955,503	¥ 3,930,727	+ 0.6	\$ 45,465,552

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8. BASIS OF PRESENTATION AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(1) GROUP POSITION

1. Number of Group Companies

	December 31, 2012	December 31, 2011	Change
Subsidiaries	275	277	(2)
Affiliates	9	11	(2)
Total	284	288	(4)

2. Change in Group Entities

Subsidiaries	
Addition:	21 companies
Removal:	23 companies

Affiliates(Carried at Equity Basis) Removal: 2 companies

3. Subsidiaries Listed on Domestic Stock Exchange Tokyo Stock Exchange (1st section): Canon Marketing Japan Inc., Canon Electronics Inc.

(2) SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Canon s consolidated financial statements are prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

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9. NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(1)NET INCOME ATTRIBUTABLE TO CANON INC. STOCKHOLDERS PER SHARE

	Millions of yen					ousands of S. dollars
Results for the fiscal year	Year ended December 31, 2012		Year ended December 31, 2011		Year ended December 31, 2012	
Net income attributable to Canon Inc. -Basic -Diluted	¥	224,564 224,564	¥	248,630 248,630		2,581,195 2,581,195
		Number	of shares			
Average common shares outstanding -Basic -Diluted	,	3,647,835 3,668,409		15,832,419 15,892,971		
Net income attributable to		Y	en		U.	S. dollars
Canon Inc. stockholders per share:						
-Basic -Diluted	¥	191.34 191.34	¥	204.49 204.48	\$	2.20 2.20

(2) FINANCE RECEIVABLES AND OPERATING LEASES, ACQUISITIONS, MARKETABLE SECURITIES, DEFERRED TAX ACCOUNTING, EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT AND SEVERANCE BENEFITS, STOCK OPTIONS, DERIVATIVE CONTRACTS AND OTHERS

The disclosure is omitted as it is not considered significant in this report.

(3) SUBSEQUENT EVENT

There is no significant subsequent event.

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Millions of yen

10. NON-CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(Parent company only)

		-
	As of	As of
	December 31,	December 31,
	2012	2011
ASSETS		
Current assets:		
Cash	¥ 28,719	¥ 124,069
Trade receivables	552,776	548,293
Marketable securities	51,420	113,680
Inventories	183,965	153,810
Prepaid expenses and other current assets Allowance for doubtful receivables	178,881	217,675
Anowance for doubling receivables	(398)	-
Total automatic associa	005 363	1 157 507
Total current assets	995,363	1,157,527
Fixed assets:		
Net property, plant and equipment	723,256	750,924
Intangibles	31,950	35,447
Investments and other fixed assets	586,508	567,764
Allowance for doubtful receivables-noncurrent	(75)	(54)
	(10)	(31)
Total fixed assets	1,341,639	1,354,081
Total assets	¥ 2,337,002	¥ 2,511,608
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
Current liabilities:	V 202 (27	v 200.020
Trade payables	¥ 293,627	¥ 290,029
Short-term loans	239,741	282,358
Accrued income taxes	40,868 1,980	23,614 2,988
Accrued warranty expenses Accrued bonuses for employees	4,382	4,352
Accrued bonuses for directors	4,582 191	229
Other current liabilities	119,828	134,610
other eartent habilities	119,020	154,010
Total current liabilities	700,617	738,180
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Noncurrent liabilities:		
Accrued pension and severance cost	33,507	33,014
Accrued directors retirement benefits	1,575	1,789
Reserve for environmental provision	5,084	7,986
Accrued long service rewards for employees	1,522	1,533
Other noncurrent liabilities	9	10
Total noncurrent liabilities	41,697	44,332

Total liabilities	742,314	782,512
Net assets: Stockholders equity Valuation and translation adjustments Subscription right to shares	1,593,998 (1,669) 2,359	1,728,672 (1,719) 2,143
Total net assets	1,594,688	1,729,096
Total liabilities and net assets	¥ 2,337,002	¥ 2,511,608

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11. NON-CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

(Parent company only)

Millions of yen

Net sales Cost of sales	Year ended December 31, 2012 ¥ 2,113,420 1,488,101	Year ended December 31, 2011 ¥ 2,160,732 1,463,994
Gross profit Selling, general and administrative expenses	625,319 426,624	696,738 449,824
Operating profit Other income (deductions):	198,695	246,914
Interest and dividend income	12,153	17,266
Interest expense	(2,214)	(2,238)
Other, net	27,094	20,110
	37,033	35,138
Ordinary profit	235,728	282,052
Non-ordinary gain (loss), net	(4,622)	(39,903)
Income before income taxes	231,106	242,149
Income taxes	73,459	68,948
Net income	¥ 157,647	¥ 173,201

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12. NON-CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY

(Parent company only)

Stockholders equity	Year ended December 31, 2012	Year ended December 31, 2011
Common stock Balance at the beginning of current period Changes of items during the period Total changes of items during the period	¥ 174,762	¥ 174,762
Balance at the end of current period	174,762	174,762
Capital surplus Additional paid-in capital Balance at the beginning of current period Changes of items during the period Total changes of items during the period	306,288	306,288
Balance at the end of current period	306,288	306,288
Retained earnings Legal reserve Balance at the beginning of current period Changes of items during the period Total changes of items during the period	22,114	22,114
Balance at the end of current period	22,114	22,114
Other retained earnings Reserve for special depreciation Balance at the beginning of current period	371	796
Changes of items during the period Transfer to reserve for special depreciation Reversal of reserve for special depreciation	240 (177)	(425)
Total changes of items during the period	63	(425)
Balance at the end of current period	434	371
Reserve for deferral of capital gain on property Balance at the beginning of current period Changes of items during the period	2,983	2,913
Transfer to reserve for deferral of capital gain on property	201	165

Reversal of reserve for deferral of capital gain on property	(95)	(95)
Total changes of items during the period	106	70
Balance at the end of current period	3,089	2,983
Special reserves Balance at the beginning of current period Changes of items during the period Total changes of items during the period	1,249,928	1,249,928
Balance at the end of current period	1,249,928	1,249,928
Retained earnings Balance at the beginning of current period Changes of items during the period Transfer to reserve for special depreciation Reversal of reserve for special depreciation Transfer to reserve for deferral of capital gain on property Reversal of reserve for deferral of capital gain on property Dividends paid Net income Disposal of treasury stock	633,957 (240) 177 (201) 95 (142,362) 157,647 (17)	613,287 425 (165) 95 (152,784) 173,201 (102)
Total changes of items during the period	15,099	20,670
Balance at the end of current period	649,056	633,957

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	Year ended December 31, 2012	Year ended December 31, 2011
Treasury stock Balance at the beginning of current period	(661,731)	(562,113)
Changes of items during the period	(001,701)	(302,113)
Purchase of treasury stock	(150,020)	(100,038)
Disposal of treasury stock	78	420
Total changes of items during the period	(149,942)	(99,618)
Balance at the end of current period	(811,673)	(661,731)
Total stockholders equity		
Balance at the beginning of current period	1,728,672	1,807,975
Changes of items during the period	(142,2(2))	(150 794)
Dividends paid Net income	(142,362) 157,647	(152,784) 173,201
Purchase of treasury stock	(150,020)	(100,038)
Disposal of treasury stock	(130,020)	318
Disposal of doubaly stock	01	510
Total changes of items during the period	(134,674)	(79,303)
Balance at the end of current period	1,593,998	1,728,672
Valuation and translation adjustments		
Net unrealized gains (losses) on securities		
Balance at the beginning of current period	(2,107)	1,358
Changes of items during the period		,
Net changes of items other than stockholders equity	2,806	(3,465)
Total changes of items during the period	2,806	(3,465)
	,	
Balance at the end of current period	699	(2,107)
Net deferred profits (losses) on hedges		
Net deferred profits (losses) on hedges Balance at the beginning of current period	388	1,127
Changes of items during the period	500	1,127
Net changes of items other than stockholders equity	(2,756)	(739)
The charges of terms other than stockholders "equily	(2,700)	(137)
Total changes of items during the period	(2,756)	(739)
Balance at the end of current period	(2,368)	388
Subscription rights to shares		
Balance at the beginning of current period	2,143	1,441
Changes of items during the period	2,175	1,771
Net changes of items other than stockholders equity	216	702

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Total changes of items during the period	216	702
Balance at the end of current period	2,359	2,143
Total net assets Balance at the beginning of current period Changes of items during the period	1,729,096	1,811,901
Dividends paid Net income Purchase of treasury stock Disposal of treasury stock Net changes of items other than stockholders equity	(142,362) 157,647 (150,020) 61 266	(152,784) 173,201 (100,038) 318 (3,502)
Total changes of items during the period	(134,408)	(82,805)
Balance at the end of current period	¥ 1,594,688	¥ 1,729,096

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13. NOTE FOR GOING CONCERN ASSUMPTION

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Not applicable.

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Directors

(Current Titles are Shown in the Parentheses)

(1) Candidates for new Directors to be appointed on March 28

Masanori Yamada	(Senior Executive Officer, Group Executive of Network Visual Solution Business Promotion Headquarters)
Aitake Wakiya	(Executive Officer, Deputy Group Executive of Finance & Accounting Headquarters)
Kazuto Ono	(Executive Officer, Group Executive of Human Resources Management & Organization Headquarters)
	Executive Officers

(1) Candidate for Executive Officer to be promoted on April 1

Senior Executive OfficerSeymour Liebman(Executive Officer, Executive Vice President of Canon U.S.A., Inc.)(2) Candidates for new Executive Officers to be appointed on April 1

Nobutoshi Mizusawa

(Group Executive of R&D Project Group)

Yoichi Iwabuchi(Senior General Manager of Software Platform Technology Development Center)(3) Candidate for Executive Officer to be retired on March 31

Advisor to be appointed on April 1

Yukiaki Hashimoto

(Executive Officer)

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January 30, 2013

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AND THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

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(Millions of yen)

1. SALES BY GEOGRAPHIC AREA AND BUSINESS UNIT (2012)

	2012		2011		Change year	over year
	4th quarter	Year	4th quarter	Year	4th quarter	Year
Japan						
Office	94,052	368,939	97,192	362,528	-3.2%	+1.8%
Imaging System	74,403	213,465	61,590	187,397	+20.8%	+13.9%
Industry and Others	30,348	137,882	42,538	144,525	-28.7%	-4.6%
Total	198,803	720,286	201,320	694,450	-1.3%	+3.7%
Overseas						
Office	360,639	1,383,021	400,266	1,549,584	-9.9%	-10.7%
Imaging System	335,889	1,190,929	310,905	1,123,626	+8.0%	+6.0%
Industry and Others	56,063	185,552	52,266	189,773	+7.3%	-2.2%
Total	752,591	2,759,502	763,437	2,862,983	-1.4%	-3.6%
Americas						
Office	134,820	530,382	153,937	588,190	-12.4%	-9.8%
Imaging System	120,383	366,888	109,762	335,158	+9.7%	+9.5%
Industry and Others	11,149	42,603	10,605	38,607	+5.1%	+10.4%
Total	266,352	939,873	274,304	961,955	-2.9%	-2.3%
Europe						
Office	165,551	597,341	179,701	696,239	-7.9%	-14.2%
Imaging System	116,522	394,612	105,012	391,747	+11.0%	+0.7%
Industry and Others	6,836	22,085	5,935	25,079	+15.2%	-11.9%
Total	288,909	1,014,038	290,648	1,113,065	-0.6%	-8.9%
Asia and Oceania						
Office	60,268	255,298	66,628	265,155	-9.5%	-3.7%
Imaging System	98,984	429,429	96,131	396,721	+3.0%	+8.2%
Industry and Others	38,078	120,864	35,726	126,087	+6.6%	-4.1%
Total	197,330	805,591	198,485	787,963	-0.6%	+2.2%
Intersegment						
Office	1,632	5,615	883	5,831	+84.8%	-3.7%
Imaging System	383	1,577	270	1,021	+41.9%	+54.5%
Industry and Others	20,357	84,406	19,226	86,565	+5.9%	-2.5%
Eliminations	(22,372)	(91,598)	(20,379)	(93,417)	-	-
Total	0	0	0	0	-	-
Total						
Office	456,323	1,757,575	498,341	1,917,943	-8.4%	-8.4%
Imaging System	410,675	1,405,971	372,765	1,312,044	+10.2%	+7.2%
Industry and Others	106,768	407,840	114,030	420,863	-6.4%	-3.1%
Eliminations	(22,372)	(91,598)	(20,379)	(93,417)	-	-
Total	951,394	3,479,788	964,757	3,557,433	-1.4%	-2.2%

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2. SALES BY GEOGRAPHIC AREA AND BUSINESS UNIT (2013/Projection)

(1) Sales by business unit			(Millions of yen)
	2013 (P)	2012	Change year over year
	Year	Year	Year
Office	1,893,100	1,757,575	+7.7%
Imaging System	1,579,100	1,405,971	+12.3%
Industry and Others	440,800	407,840	+8.1%
Eliminations	(103,000)	(91,598)	-
Total	3,810,000	3,479,788	+9.5%
			(P)=Projection

(2) Sales by region			(Millions of yen)
	2013 (P)	2012	Change year over year
	Year	Year	Year
Japan	748,400	720,286	+3.9%
Overseas	3,061,600	2,759,502	+10.9%
Americas	1,023,400	939,873	+8.9%
Europe	1,146,800	1,014,038	+13.1%
Asia and Oceania	891,400	805,591	+10.7%
Total	3,810,000	3,479,788	+9.5%
			(P)=Projection

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(Millions of yen)

(Millions of yen)

3. SEGMENT INFORMATION BY BUSINESS UNIT (2012)

	2012		2011		Change year over ye	
	4th quarter	Year	4th quarter	Year	4th quarter	Year
Office	1		1		1	
External customers	454,691	1,751,960	497,458	1,912,112	-8.6%	-8.4%
Intersegment	1,632	5,615	883	5,831	+84.8%	-3.7%
Total sales	456,323	1,757,575	498,341	1,917,943	-8.4%	-8.4%
Operating profit	51,272	203,578	68,594	259,265	-25.3%	-21.5%
% of sales	11.2%	11.6%	13.8%	13.5%	-	-
Imaging System						
External customers	410,292	1,404,394	372,495	1,311,023	+10.1%	+7.1%
Intersegment	383	1,577	270	1,021	+41.9%	+54.5%
Total sales	410,675	1,405,971	372,765	1,312,044	+10.2%	+7.2%
Operating profit	54,963	210,318	50,898	211,294	+8.0%	-0.5%
% of sales	13.4%	15.0%	13.7%	16.1%	-	-
Industry and Others						
External customers	86,411	323,434	94,804	334,298	-8.9%	-3.2%
Intersegment	20,357	84,406	19,226	86,565	+5.9%	-2.5%
Total sales	106,768	407,840	114,030	420,863	-6.4%	-3.1%
Operating profit	(9,450)	5,910	3,777	24,300	-	-75.7%
% of sales	-8.9%	1.4%	3.3%	5.8%	-	-
Corporate and Eliminations						
External customers	-	-	-	-	-	-
Intersegment	(22,372)	(91,598)	(20,379)	(93,417)	-	-
Total sales	(22,372)	(91,598)	(20,379)	(93,417)	-	-
Operating profit	(19,081)	(95,950)	(28,659)	(116,788)	-	-
Consolidated						
External customers	951,394	3,479,788	964,757	3,557,433	-1.4%	-2.2%
Intersegment	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total sales	951,394	3,479,788	964,757	3,557,433	-1.4%	-2.2%
Operating profit	77,704	323,856	94,610	378,071	-17.9%	-14.3%
% of sales	8.2%	9.3%	9.8%	10.6%	-	-

4. OTHER INCOME / DEDUCTIONS (2012)

	2012		2011		Change year over yea	
	4th quarter	Year	4th quarter	Year	4th quarter	Year
Interest and dividend, net	1,194	5,770	2,455	7,444	(1,261)	(1,674)
Forex gain (loss)	10,477	9,130	2,372	(3,287)	+8,105	+12,417
Equity earnings (loss) of affiliated companies	(64)	610	(1,714)	(7,368)	+1,650	+7,978
Other, net	(203)	3,191	(5,123)	(336)	+4,920	+3,527
Total	11,404	18,701	(2,010)	(3,547)	+13,414	+22,248

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(Millions of yen)

5. SEGMENT INFORMATION BY BUSINESS UNIT (2013/Projection)

	2013 (P)	2012	Change year over year
	Year	Year	Year
Office			
External customers	1,885,900	1,751,960	+7.6%
Intersegment	7,200	5,615	+28.2%
Total sales	1,893,100	1,757,575	+7.7%
Operating profit	227,200	203,578	+11.6%
% of sales	12.0%	11.6%	-
Imaging System			
External customers	1,578,000	1,404,394	+12.4%
Intersegment	1,100	1,577	-30.2%
Total sales	1,579,100	1,405,971	+12.3%
Operating profit	285,000	210,318	+35.5%
% of sales	18.0%	15.0%	-
Industry and Others			
External customers	346,100	323,434	+7.0%
Intersegment	94,700	84,406	+12.2%
Total sales	440,800	407,840	+8.1%
Operating profit	(7,600)	5,910	-
% of sales	-1.7%	1.4%	-
Corporate and Eliminations			
External customers	-	-	-
Intersegment	(103,000)	(91,598)	-
Total sales	(103,000)	(91,598)	-
Operating profit	(94,600)	(95,950)	-
Consolidated			
External customers	3,810,000	3,479,788	+9.5%
Intersegment	-	-	-
Total sales	3,810,000	3,479,788	+9.5%
Operating profit	410,000	323,856	+26.6%
% of sales	10.8%	9.3%	-
			(P)=Projection
6. OTHER INCOME / DEDUCTIONS (2013/Projection)			(Millions of yen)
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	2013 (P)	2012	Change year over year
	Year	Year	Year
Interest and dividend, net	4,000	5,770	(1,770)
	(11,500)	0.120	(20, (20)

Interest and dividend, net
Forex gain (loss)
Equity earnings (loss) of affiliated companies
Other, net
Total

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(11,500)

1,100

(3,600)

(10,000)

9,130

3,191

18,701

610

(20,630) +490

(6,791) (28,701)

(P)=Projection

7. BREAKDOWN OF PRODUCT SALES WITHIN BUSINESS UNIT

	2013 (P)	2013 (P) 2012		2011	
	Year	4th quarter	Year	4th quarter	Year
Office					
Monochrome copiers	16%	16%	16%	15%	15%
Color copiers	19%	20%	19%	19%	17%
Printers	43%	43%	44%	46%	48%
Others	22%	21%	21%	20%	20%
Imaging System					
Cameras	72%	68%	70%	71%	71%
Inkjet printers	22%	25%	22%	24%	24%
Others	6%	7%	8%	5%	5%
Industry and Others					
Lithography equipment	17%	8%	15%	26%	19%
Others	83%	92%	85%	74%	81%
				(P)=	Projection

8. SALES GROWTH IN LOCAL CURRENCY

	2013 (P)	2012		
	Year	4th quarter	Year	
Office				
Japan	-	-3.2%	+1.8%	
Overseas	-	-13.3%	-8.6%	
Total	+2.2%	-11.2%	-6.6%	
Imaging System				
Japan	-	+20.8%	+13.9%	
Overseas	-	+4.3%	+8.2%	
Total	+5.3%	+7.0%	+9.0%	
Industry and Others				
Japan	-	-28.7%	-4.6%	
Overseas	-	+5.3%	-1.7%	
Total	+6.5%	-7.3%	-2.9%	
Total				
Japan	+3.9%	-1.3%	+3.7%	
Overseas	+3.6%	-4.9%	-1.5%	
Americas	+3.0%	-7.5%	-2.7%	
Europe	+2.0%	-2.1%	-2.8%	
Asia and Oceania	+6.3%	-5.4%	+1.6%	
Total	+3.7%	-4.1%	-0.5%	
		(P)	=Projection	

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9. PROFITABILITY

	2013 (P)	2012	2011
	Year	Year	Year
ROE *1	9.7%	8.7%	9.6%
ROA *2	6.4%	5.7%	6.3%
			(P)=Projection

*1 Based on Net Income attributable to Canon Inc. and Total Canon Inc. Stockholders Equity

*2 Based on Net Income attributable to Canon Inc.

10. IMPACT OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES

(1) Exchange rates

C	2013 (P)	20	012		2011
	Year	4th quarter	Year	4th quarter	Year
	85.00	81.26	79.96	77.40	79.55
	115.00	105.31	102.80	104.22	110.72
					(P)=Projection

(Billions of yen) 2013 (P)

(Billions of yen)

(2) Impact of foreign exchange rates on sales (Year over year)

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						2013 (P)		2012
						Year	4th quarter	Year
US\$						+83.6	+17.3	+9.5
Euro						+102.2	+2.4	(69.2)
Other	currencies					+17.1	+5.1	+5.4
Total						+202.9	+24.8	(54.3)
								(P)=Projection

(3) Impact of foreign exchange rates per yen

	Year
On sales	
US\$	19.7
Euro	8.6
On operating profit	
US\$	7.7
Euro	4.6
	(P)=Projection

11. STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	2013 (P)	2012	2		2011
	Year	4th quarter	Year	4th quarter	Year
Net cash provided by operating activities	455,000	118,262	384,077	126,979	469,562
Net cash used in investing activities	(325,000)	(57,707)	(212,740)	(54,543)	(256,543)
Free cash flow	130,000	60,555	171,337	72,436	213,019
Net cash used in financing activities	(150,000)	(6,629)	(319,739)	(5,944)	(257,513)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(6,700)	45,142	41,853	(4,896)	(22,858)
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	(26,700)	99,068	(106,549)	61,596	(67,352)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	640,000	666,678	666,678	773,227	773,227
					(P)=Projection

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(Yen)

(Millions of yen)

(Millions of yen)

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12. R&D EXPENDITURE

	2013 (P)	2012	2011
	Year	Year	Year
Office	-	99,484	103,378
Imaging System	-	83,948	82,731
Industry and Others	-	25,635	27,061
Corporate and Eliminations	-	87,397	94,630
Total	315,000	296,464	307,800
% of sales	8.3%	8.5%	8.7%
			(P)=Projection

13. INCREASE IN PP&E & DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION

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			(Millions of yen)
	2013 (P)	2012	2011
	Year	Year	Year
Increase in PP&E			
Office	-	54,932	48,729
Imaging System	-	55,623	46,091
Industry and Others	-	42,288	36,582
Corporate and Eliminations	-	117,614	95,467
Total	265,000	270,457	226,869
Depreciation and amortization			
Office	-	77,660	93,196
Imaging System	-	53,664	45,609
Industry and Others	-	34,264	29,685
Corporate and Eliminations	-	92,545	92,853
Total	270,000	258,133	261,343
			(P)=Projection

14. INVENTORIES

(1) Inventories			(Millions of yen)
	2012	2011	D:00
	Dec.31	Dec.31	Difference
Office	201,661	207,690	(6,029)
Imaging System	245,973	148,954	+97,019
Industry and Others	103,989	120,060	(16,071)
Total	551,623	476,704	+74,919
(2) Inventories/Sales*			(Days)
	2012	2011	Difference
	Dec.31	Dec.31	Difference
Office	43	39	+4
Imaging System	61	38	+23
Industry and Others	124	115	+9
Total	57	46	+11
*Index based on the previous six months sales.			
15. DEBT RATIO			
	2012	2011	5100
	Dec.31	Dec.31	Difference
Total debt / Total assets	0.1%	0.39	% -0.2%
16. OVERSEAS PRODUCTION RATIO			
	2012	2011	
	Year	Year	
Overseas production ratio	52%	529	%

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17. NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES

	2012	2011	Difference	
	Dec.31	Dec.31	Difference	
Japan	70,234	70,346	(112)	
Overseas	126,734	127,961	(1,227)	
Total	196,968	198,307	(1,339)	