Business Report for Q3 FY ending March 31, 2020 (April-December 2019)

Wacom Chapter 2

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Q3 FY 03/20 Results Overview

- Consolidated net sales: JPY 71.0 bn (YOY -4%)
- Operating profit: JPY 5.7 bn (YOY -6%)
- Net profit: **JPY 4.3 bn** (YOY -0%)

Key Points

- Posted record high sales (JPY 38.7 bn) and segment profit (JPY 7.1 bn) in Technology Solution Business
- Experienced declines in sales (JPY 32.3 bn) and segment profit (JPY 1.5 bn) in Branded Business. Segment profit increased if impacts of yen appreciation and supplemental US tariffs on imports from China are excluded (total negative impact on segment profit: approx. JPY -1.2 bn)
- > Record-low SG&A ratio (26%) on optimization of expenses (incl. administrative divisions)

Consolidated P/L

 Operating profit slightly decreased on negative impact from yen appreciation (approx. JPY -0.7 bn) and supplemental US tariffs on imports from China (approx. JPY -0.6 bn) despite optimization of SG&A.

	Q3 FY 03/19	Q3 FY 03/20	YOY Change		(Unit:
	04/18-12/18	04/19-12/19	Amount	Ratio	
Net Sales	73,734	70,999	-2,735	-3.7%	
Gross Profit	25,717	24,112	-1,605	-6.2%	
profit margin %	34.9%	34.0%			
SG&A	19,655	18,400	-1,255	-6.4%	
SG&A ratio %	26.7%	25.9%			
Operating Profit	6,062	5,713	-349	-5.8%	
profit margin %	8.2%	8.0%			
Ordinary Profit	6,046	5,461	-585	-9.7%	
Net Profit after Tax	4,333	4,323	-10	-0.2%	

Note: Net profit is equivalent to profit attributable to owners of parent

(Ref.) Changes in Operating Profit

- Reasons for change exclusive of exchange rate impact (year on year)
 - (1) Corporate function (administrative divisions): Control of SG&A expenses JPY +0.50 bn
 - (2) Tech. Solution Business: Profit increase on sales expansion

JPY +0.26 bn

(3) Branded Business: Profit decline on lower sales and tariff impact despite SG&A control

JPY -0.45 bn

Exchange rate impact (year on year, against JPY)

Currencies	Changes of forex	Sales	ОР
1 USD	JPY -1.72 (strong yen)	JPY -0.77 bn	JPY -0.01 bn
1 EUR	-7.92 (strong yen)	-0.54 bn	-0.30 bn
Asian currencies total CNY (Included, lower column)	-0.85 (strong yen)	-0.52 bn -0.28 bn	-0.35 bn -0.20 bn
Grand Total		-1.83 bn	-0.66 bn

SG&A Expenses

Reduced SG&A by JPY 0.8 bn (excluding negative exchange rate impact of approx. JPY -0.5 bn) through optimization, and SG&A ratio reached a historical low in terms of Q3 (Apr.-Dec.)

	Q3 FY 03/19	Q3 FY 03/20	YOY Change		(Unit: JPY million)
	04/18-12/18	04/19-12/19	Amount	Ratio	
Personnel	7,008	6,586	-422	-6.0%	(1)
R&D	2,890	3,125	235	8.1%	(2)
Ad. & Promo.	2,247	2,005	-242	-10.8%	(3)
Subcontractor	1,504	1,300	-204	-13.5%	(3)
Depreciation	899	731	-168	-18.7%	
Others	5,108	4,652	-456	-8.9%	(3)
Total	19,655	18,400	-1,255	-6.4%	
SG&A ratio %	26.7%	25.9%		-0.8%	

⁽¹⁾ Decrease mainly due to attrition of executives and optimization of personnel composition (2) Increase due to R&D investment to promote Technology Leadership

⁽³⁾ Decrease mainly due to cost optimization in each expense

Q3 FY 03/20 Results Overview by Segment - 1

Branded Business

- Sales: JPY 32.3 bn (YOY -9%)
- Segment profit: **JPY** 1.5 bn (YOY -41%*)
- Lower sales due to declines for pen tablet and other product lines despite strong sales of entry-level display products
- Significant decrease in segment profit on negative impact (approx. JPY -0.6 bn) of forex fluctuations (incl. yen appreciation) and direct negative impact (approx. JPY -0.6 bn) of supplemental US tariffs on imports from China despite optimization of SG&A against decreased sales

Q3 FY 03/20 Results Overview by Segment - 2

Technology Solution Business

- Sales: JPY 38.7 bn (YOY +1%)
- Segment profit: **JPY** 7.1 bn (YOY +2%*)
- Increased sales of pen-sensor systems for new smartphone model from sole customer Samsung, but slightly decreased sales for tablets and note PCs despite increased sales to key customers
- Increased segment profit owing to increased sales

(Ref.) Consolidated B/S

(Unit: JPY Million)	Key	/ Changes

	End of March 2019	End of December 2019	Change	Assets · Increase in notes and accounts	n)
Current Assets	42,158	46,663	4,505	receivable-trade	4.1
Non-current Assets	9,393	10,330	937		2.40.9
Total Assets	51,551	56,993	5,442	 Decrease in inventories 	2.4
Current Liabilities	14,653	18,799	4,146	Mainly due to a decrease of inventories in Branded Busine Liabilities	SS.
Non-current Liabilities	11,470	9,744	-1,727	 Increase in notes and accounts 	
Total Liabilities	26,123	28,542	2,419	p ory and to a create	5.5
Minority Interest in Subsidiaries	0	0	0		1.02.5
Net Assets	25,428	28,450	3,022	• Decrease in long-term borrowings -	2.0
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	51,551	56,993	5,442	Net Assets	
Equity Ratio	49.3%	49.9%	+0.6pts	 Increase in shareholders' equity Mainly due to an increase of retained earnings 	3.3

(Ref.) Consolidated C/F

(Unit: JPY Million)

	Q3 FY 03/19	Q3 FY 03/20	YOY Change
	04/18-12/18	04/19-12/19	Amount
C/F from operating activities	2,454	10,080	7,626
C/F from investing activities	-2,205	-1,742	463
C/F from financing activities	-951	-5,736	-4,785
Effect of change in exchange rate	5	-179	-184
Increase-decrease of cash & cash equivalent	-697	2,424	3,121
Beginning balance of cash & cash equivalent	19,157	16,763	-2,394
Ending balance of cash and cash equivalent	18,460	19,187	727

Major Activities in Q3 FY 03/20 **C/F from operating activities**

 Increase in notes and accounts 	
payable-trade	5.5
 Profit before income taxes 	5.4
 Decrease in inventories 	2.2
 Depreciation 	2.0
 Increase in notes and accounts 	
receivable-trade	-4.8

C/F from investing activities

Purchase of non-current assets

C/F from financing activities

 Repayments of borrowings 	-6.5
 Payment of cash dividends 	-1.0

 Proceeds from borrowings 2.0

Financial Forecast for FY ending March 2020



Guidance for FY 03/20 Forecast

- Consolidated net sales: JPY 91.5 bn (YOY +2%)
- Operating Profit: JPY 5.2 bn (YOY +25%)
- Net Profit: **JPY 3.2 bn** (YOY -17%)
- Taking into account foreign exchange market trends and current business conditions for each business segment that can be factored in at present, no revision is being made to the full-year forecast for operating profit and net profit announced on Oct. 31, 2019. Full-year forecast for net sales is being revised downward

Net sales: (vs prev. JPY -2.5bn*)

^{*}For details, pleas refer to the next pages(Forecast by business segment).

Guidance for FY 03/20 Forecast by Segment -1

Branded Business

- Sales: **JPY 44.5 bn** (YOY -2%)
- Segment profit: **JPY** 2.3 bn (YOY +26%*)
- ➤ Revised downward full-year forecast for sales despite strong sales of entry-level display products, mainly due to sluggish sales of other products (vs prev. sales forecast: JPY -2.0 bn)
- Revised downward full-year forecast for segment profit mainly due to downwardly revised sales despite optimization of SG&A (vs prev. segment profit forecast: JPY -0.5 bn)

Guidance for FY 03/20 Forecast by Segment -2

Technology Solution Business

- Sales: **JPY 47.0 bn** (YOY +7%)
- Segment profit: **JPY** 7.0 bn (YOY +5%*)
- Revised full-year forecast to account for updated sales forecasts for smartphones and for tablets and note PCs, and optimization of SG&A (vs prev. sales forecast: JPY -0.5 bn, vs prev. segment profit forecast: JPY +0.3 bn)

(Ref.) FY 03/20 Forecast by Business Segment

(comparison to the previous forecast announced on Oct.31, 2019)

(unit: million yen)

	FY 03/20 (prev. fcst.)	FY 03/20 (revised fcst.)	chai	change	
	04/19-03/20	04/19-03/20	Amount	Ratio	
Net Sales Total	94,000	91,500	-2,500	-2.7%	
Branded Biz	46,500	44,500	-2,000	-4.3%	
Tech. Solution Biz	47,500	47,000	-500	-1.1%	
Operating Profit Total	5,200	5,200	0	0.0%	
Branded Biz	2,800	2,300	-500	-17.9%	
Tech. Solution Biz	6,700	7,000	300	4.5%	
Adjustment	-4,300	-4,100	200	-4.7%	
Profit Margin %	5.5%	5.7%			

Forecasts of R&D expense, Capex, and Depreciation for FY03/20

R&D expense

JPY 4.6 bn (YOY +5%) prev. forecast: JPY 5.1 bn

Key items: New products development and next-generation technology research, etc.
in order to promote Technology Leadership

Capital expenditure

JPY 2.2 bn (YOY -8%) prev. forecast: JPY 2.7 bn

• Key items: Metallic mold for products in Branded Business and Tech. Solution Business

Depreciation

JPY 2.3 bn (YOY -0%) prev. forecast: JPY 2.5 bn

• Key items: Depreciation of metallic mold for products and global IT infrastructure

Shareholders Return Policy for FY 03/20

Basic policy of profit distribution

- Aims to provide stable and sustainable dividends and to flexibly exercise treasury stock acquisition, while maintaining sufficient retained earnings to enhance future business development and financial quality.
- We will strive to distribute profits by increasing dividend per share over the medium- to long-term, while maintaining adequate financial soundness by targeting a consolidated dividend payout ratio of 30%.

<u>Dividend per share (forecast)</u> No revision

- Year-end dividend: JPY 6.50 for FY 03/20 (JPY 6.00 for FY 03/19)
- Payout ratio: 33.0% for FY 03/20 (25.3% for FY 03/19)
 (capital ratio at the end of FY: FY 03/19 49%, FY 03/18 45%, FY 03/17 42%)

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Q3 FY 03/20 Financial Summary

Business Performance	Q3 FY 03/20	YOY Change
Net Sales	JPY 70,999 mil.	-3.7%
Operating Profit	5,713 mil.	-5.8%
Ordinary Profit	5,461 mil.	-8.4%
Net Profit after Tax	4,323 mil.	-0.2%

Financial Indices	Q3 FY 03/20	YOY Change
EPS	JPY 26.61	JPY -0.07
BPS	175.16	+15.37

(Ref.)

Average Forex rate	Q3 FY 03/20	YOY Change
1 USD	JPY 109.10	-1.6% (strong yen)
1 EUR	121.46	-6.1% (strong yen)
1 CNY	15.70	-5.1% (strong yen)

Note: Net profit is equivalent to profit attributable to owners of parent

(Ref.) Guidance for P/L by Business Segment

Note

- Allocation policy of "Adjustment before operating profit (expense allocations related to administrative divisions)" was changed from FY 03/20. Appropriate portion of the related expenses was allocated to profit and loss in each business segment.
- > This is to refine and increase accountability of segment-wise profitability management, and to respond to opinions from investors.
- In this material, each segment profit for Q3 FY 03/19 is hypothetical value supposing the change of the expense allocation policy for administrative divisions ("Adjustment" before operating profit), effective from FY 03/20, were applied to FY 03/19 (see **value after new allocation*** in the following table)

Segment profit/loss classification	Q3 FY03/19 (value before new allocation	Q3 FY03/19 (value after new allocation)*	
Branded Business	JPY 4.5 bn		
Tech. Solution Business	JPY 7.6 bn		
<u>Adjustment</u>	<u>- JPY 6.0 bn</u>	⇒ <u>- JPY 3.4 bn</u>	
Operating Profit	JPY 6.1 bn (No	change) JPY 6.1 bn	

Consolidated P/L by Business Segment

(Unit: JPY Million)

		Q3 FY 03/19*	Q3 FY 03/20	YOY C	hange
		04/18-12/18	04/19-12/19	Amount	Ratio
N	et Sales total	73,734	70,999	-2,735	-3.7%
	Branded Business	35,561	32,296	-3,265	-9.2%
	Tech. Solution Biz.	38,173	38,703	530	1.4%
0	perating Profit total	6,062	5,713	-349	-5.8%
	Branded Business	2,509	1,484	-1,025	-40.8%
	Tech. Solution Biz	7,000	7,107	107	1.5%
	Adjustment (Corporate, etc.)	-3,447	-2,878	569	-16.5%
	profit margin %	8.2%	8.0%		

^{*}Value after new allocation resulting from change in the expense allocation policy for administrative divisions (Adjustment Amount) were applied in FY03/19

Business Segment for FY 03/20

Branded Business

Creative Business for creative users

Product line: Pen tablet, Display, Mobile

Consumer Business

Product line: Products optimized for digital ink

Business Solution for enterprise

Product line: Digital signature pen tablet, Display pen tablet, etc.

Technology Solution Business

• Technology solution for partners of smartphone, tablet, note PC, etc.

Product line: Digital pen sensor system, etc.

Ink Division

 Development of digital ink technology and related product, software solution services, etc.

Business Highlights (trending topics in sales)

(Unit: JPY)

Branded Business 32.3 bn YOY -9%

Creative Business 28.3 bn YOY -5%

(subsection)	Pen Tablet	14.1 bn	YOY -16%
	Display	13.3 bn	YOY +25%
	Mobile	0.9 bn	YOY -60%

- > **Pen Tablet**: Sales of professional models, launched more than three years ago, have slowed while sales of low-to-mid price range models declined due to a changes in the competitive environment
- > **Display**: Sales increased on favorable contributions of 16-inch entry-level model (launched Jan. 2019) and 22-inch entry-level model (launched Jul. 2019)
- ➤ **Mobile**: Sales declined significantly due to stagnation among existing models despite product line update during the latest quarter ended Dec. 2019





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Business Highlights (trending topics in sales)

Branded Business (Unit: JPY)

- Consumer Business 1.1 bn YOY -41%
- > Launched new stylus products developed in collaboration with Microsoft optimized for Windows Ink in June 2019. But overall sales continued to stagnate







- Business Solution 2.9 bn YOY -28%
- Sales decreased on sales decline of LCD signature tablet products for financial institutions in the U.S. reflecting a change in market trends and competitive environment

STU-540

DTU-1141

DTH-2452

Business Highlights (trending topics in sales)

(Unit: JPY

Technology Solution Business 38.7 bn YOY +1%

- Pen Sensor System
 for Smartphones
 18.2 bn YOY +6%
- Sales increased slightly on increased sales for sole customer Samsung's new smartphone
- Pen Sensor System for Tablets, Note PCs 20.5 bn YOY -2%
- Overall sales decreased slightly while sales for key customers increased as the Active-ES (AES) pen sensor system built its reputation with manufacturers









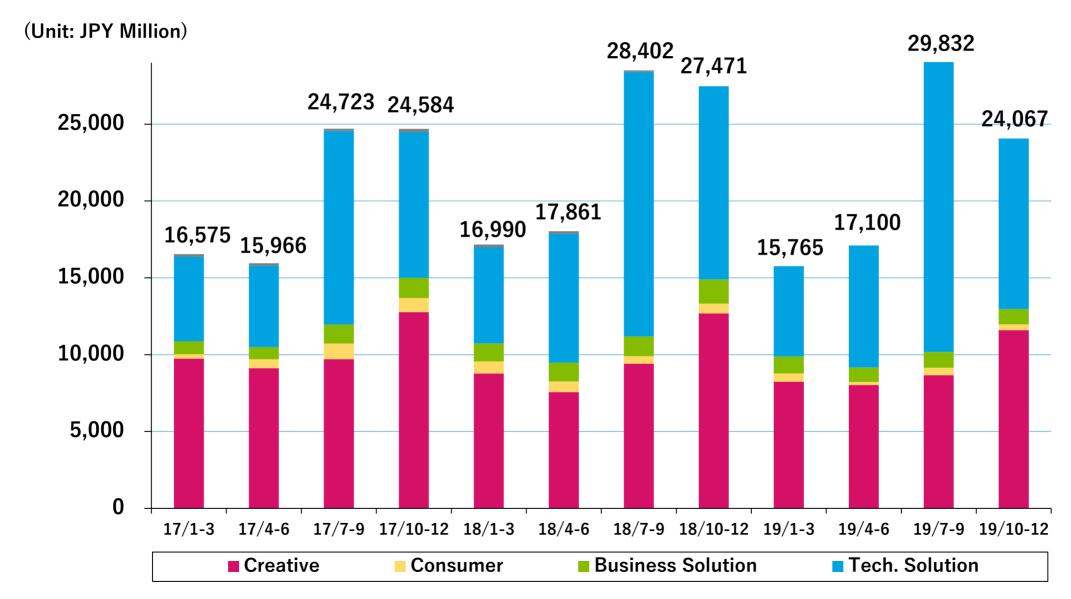




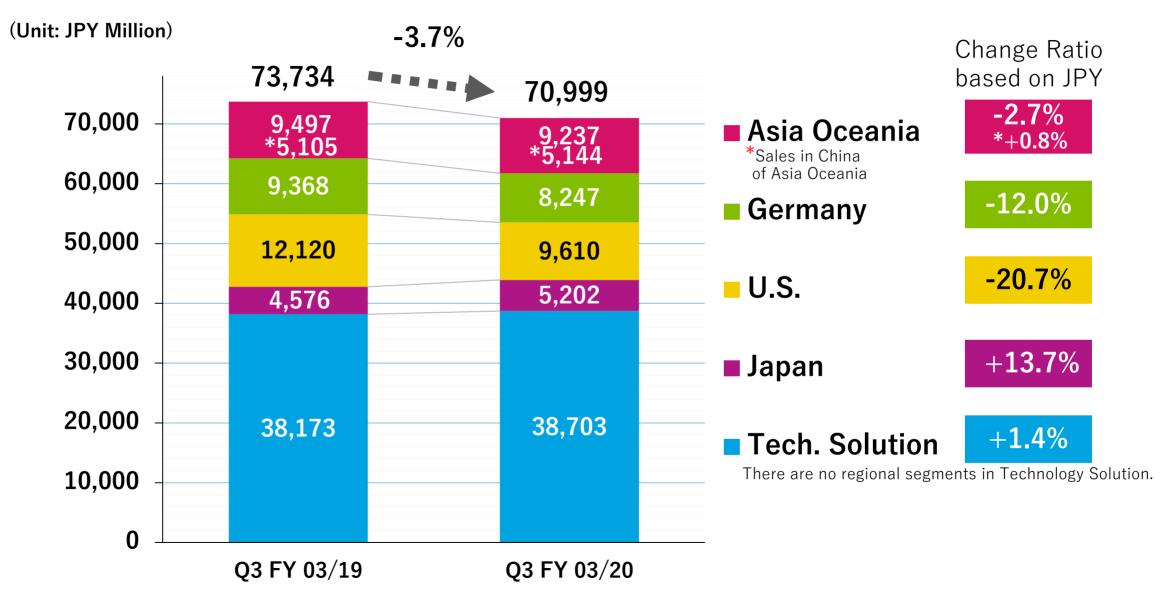




(Ref.) Quarterly Sales Trend by Product Line



(Ref.) Sales by Regional Subsidiary (Year on Year)



(Ref.) Sales Changes on Local Currency Base in Branded Business

Region	Currency	YOY Change
Japan	JPY	+14%
U.S.	USD	-20%
Europe	EUR	-6%
China	CNY	+6%
Korea	KRW	-3%
Australia	AUD	-3%
Singapore	USD	-2%
Hong Kong	USD	-12%
Taiwan	NTD	-6%
India	INR	+22%

Footprint for FY ending March 2020



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New entry-level display product "Wacom Cintiq 22"

- Launched in July 2019, targeting users who want to create using a large-screen LCD pen tablet.



NTT DOCOMO 5G Pre-service presentation, "5G OPEN DAY"

- Gave presentation as a member of "DOCOMO 5G Open Partner Program" in Sep. 2019.





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Participated in the largest creative events in Europe and the U.S.

Marketing activities for year-end sales season in Sep. & Oct. 2019

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Pen Sensor System for the Latest Smartphone Galaxy Note10, 10+



Samsung's latest high-end smartphone, "Galaxy Note10, 10+" unpacked in Aug. 2019

- **New S Pen** featured with seamless design and gesture control function, etc.





"Inkathon" - developer contest for educational apps

- In Tokyo on Nov. 4, 2019 under the theme "Revolutionize EdTech with Digital Ink".



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- Open event for creating a new "Digital Ink & Digital Stationery" market with partners and customers.

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In response to disclosure requirements related to ESG. Dec. 2019

Financial Forecast for FY ending March 2020 Supplementary material

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Assumptions of FY 03/20 Forecast

Forex rate assumptions from January 2020

USD 1 = JPY 108.0 No revision

EUR 1 = JPY 121.0 No revision

CNY 1 = JPY 15.5 No revision

Sensitivity to currency fluctuations: 12-month forecast

(unit: million yen)

Unit of sensitivity	In case of stronger JPY 1.0 (*JPY 0.1 for CNY) In case of the weaker JPY, read the following signs of plus and minus the other way round.					
	FY 03/20 (forecast) (for ref.) FY 03/19 (results)					esults)
Currency	USD	EUR	*CNY	USD	EUR	*CNY
Sales	-550	-100	* -60	-540	-90	* -40
Operating Profit	20	-60	* -40	10	-50	* -30

Consolidated Forecast for FY 03/20

(unit: million yen)

	JanMar. FY 03/19 (act.)		JanMar. FY 03/20 (fcst.)		YOY
	01/19-03	01/19-03/19		/20	Change
Net Sales	15,765		20,501		30.0%
Operating Profit	-1,910	-12.1%	-513	-2.5%	
Ordinary Profit	-1,897	-12.0%	-661	-3.2%	
Net Profit	-482	-3.1%	-1,123	-5.5%	

(1) Expect increases in both sales and operating profit due to contribution by the launch of new display product in Branded Business.

	FY 03/19 (act.)		FY 03/20 (fcst.)		YOY	
	04/18-03/19		04/19-03/20		Change	
Net Sales	89,499		91,500		2.2%	
Operating Profit	4,152	4.6%	5,200	5.7%	25.2%	
Ordinary Profit	4,149	4.6%	4,800	5.2%	15.7%	
Net Profit	3,851	4.3%	3,200	3.5%	-16.9%	(
ROE	16.0%		12.1%		-3.9pts	

⁽²⁾ Expect decrease in net profit compared to the level of net profit in prior FY lifted by a decrease of tax expenses

FY 03/20 Forecast by Business Segment

(unit: million ven)

	FY 03/19 (actual)	FY 03/20 (forecast)	YOY	
	04/18-03/19	04/19-03/20	Amount	Ratio
Net Sales Total	89,499	91,500	2,001	2.2%
Branded Biz	45,443	44,500	-943	-2.1%
Tech. Solution Biz	44,056	47,000	2,944	6.7%
Operating Profit Total	4,152	5,200	1,048	25.2%
Branded Biz	1,822	2,300	478	26.2%
Tech. Solution Biz	6,659	7,000	341	5.1%
Adjustment	-4,329	-4,100	229	-5.3%
Profit Margin %	4.6%	5.7%		

^{*}Values in FY03/19 are hypothetical supposing the change of the expense allocation policy for administrative divisions ("Adjustment" before operating profit), effective from FY03/20, were applied to FY03/19. Refer to #45.

Impact to FY03/19 segment profit: Branded business JPY -2,624 mil Tech. Solution business JPY

(Ref.) Guidance for P/L by Business Segment

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Segment profit/loss classification	FY03/19 (value before new allocation)	FY03/19 (value after new allocation)*		
Branded Business	JPY 4.4 bn	⇒ <u>JPY 1.8 bn</u>		
Tech. Solution Business	JPY 7.4 bn	⇒ <u>JPY 6.7 bn</u>		
<u>Adjustment</u>	<u>- JPY 7.6 bn</u>	⇒ <u>- JPY 4.3 bn</u>		
Operating Profit	JPY 4.2 bn (No o	change) JPY 4.2 bn		

Wacom Chapter 2

Medium-Term Business Plan FY ending March 2019 - FY ending March 2022

(An excerpt of presentation materials announced on May 11, 2018)



Wacom opens "Chapter 2"

Taking a new step as

"Technology Company"

Corporate Level Strategy and Direction

- 1. Technology Leadership
- 2. Island & Ocean

3. Extreme Focus

High-priority Issues

- "Technology Innovation" through dialogues with customers
- Organization/Operation update
- Solid financial structure securing profitability
- Enhancement of management quality through BOD* update

* BOD: Board of Directors

MTP: Consolidated P/L & Financial Indicator

(unit: JPY million)

	(diffe: 31 1 million)				
	FY 03/18 (FY35)	FY 03/22 (FY39)	CAGR		
Net Sales	82,263	100,000	5%		
Brand Business	48,173	60,400	6%		
Technology Solution Biz	33,648	39,600	4%		
Operating Profit	3,527	10,000			
Operating Margin	4.3%	10.0%			
Net Profit	2,362	6,948			
ROE	11%	15-20%			
Capital Ratio	44%	Approx. 60%			

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