

Second Quarter Financial Results Fiscal Year 2017 (Ending March 2018)

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Note regarding business profit

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Numerical values presented herein

Numbers are rounded down to the unit indicated. Percentages are rounded off to one decimal place.



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Financial Highlights (Second Quarter)



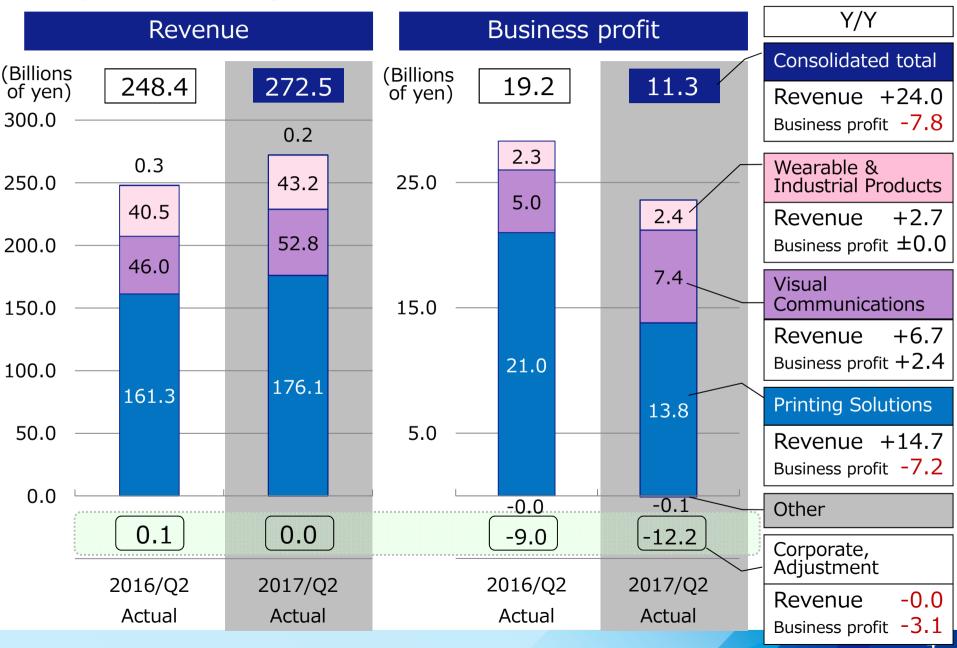
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(Billions of yen)		Q2 Actual	%	Q2 Actual	%	Amount	%
Revenue		248.4	-	272.5	-	+24.0	+9.7%
Business profit		19.2	7.8%	11.3	4.2%	-7.8	-40.9%
Profit from operating acti	Profit from operating activities		8.4%	9.0	3.3%	-11.7	-56.7%
Profit before taxes		20.7	8.3%	8.5	3.1%	-12.1	-58.7%
Profit for the period		14.4	5.8%	4.8	1.8%	-9.5	-66.3%
EPS*		¥40.66		¥13.58	Exchange d	ifference (Billio	Business profit
EXC	USD	¥102.44		¥111.00	USD EUR	+6.6 +4.9	-2.0 +3.0
Exchange rate	EUR	¥114.28		¥130.36	Other Total	+6.8 +18.4	+3.4

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FY2017 Q2 Financial Results







Financial Highlights (First Half)



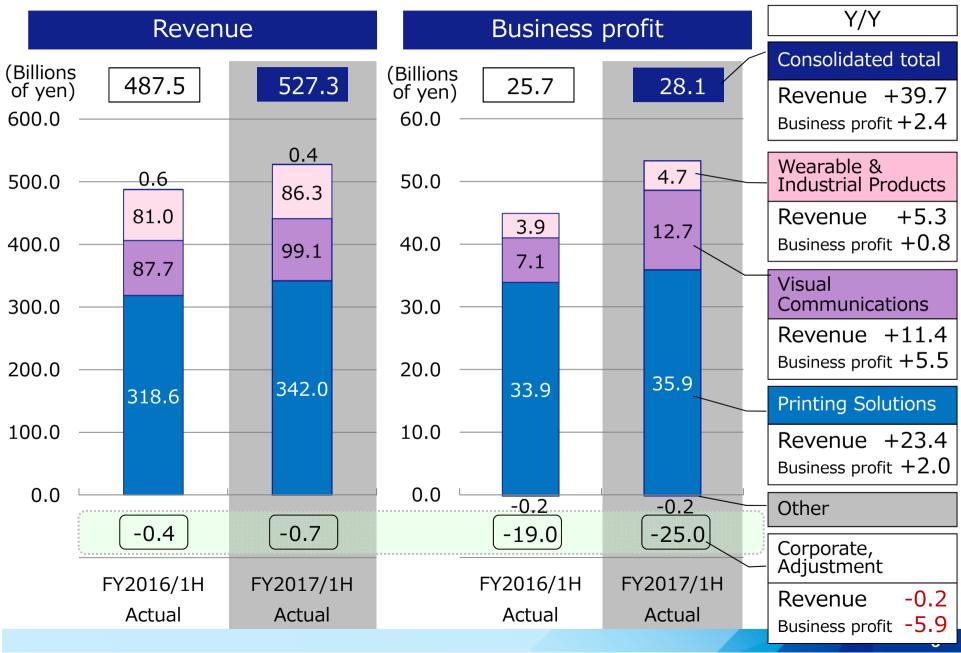
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Revenue	2	487.5	-	527.3	-	+39.7	+8.2	2%
Business profit		25.7	5.3%	28.1	5.3%	+2.4	+9.4	1%
	Profit from operating activities		5.7%	23.6	4.5%	-4.0	-14.7	7%
Profit befo taxes	Profit before taxes		5.6%	23.0	4.4%	-4.0	-15.0	0%
	Profit for the period		3.8%	15.1	2.9%	-3.4	-18.5	5%
EPS*		¥52.09		¥42.55	Exchange d	Revenue	Ons of yen) Business profit	
Exch	USD	¥105.29		¥111.04	USD EUR	+8.7 +4.9	-2.4 +3.0	
Exchange rate	EUR	¥118.15		¥126.24	Other Total	+7.8 +21.5	+4.3 +5.0	

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FY2017 1H Financial Results







FY2017 Financial Outlook



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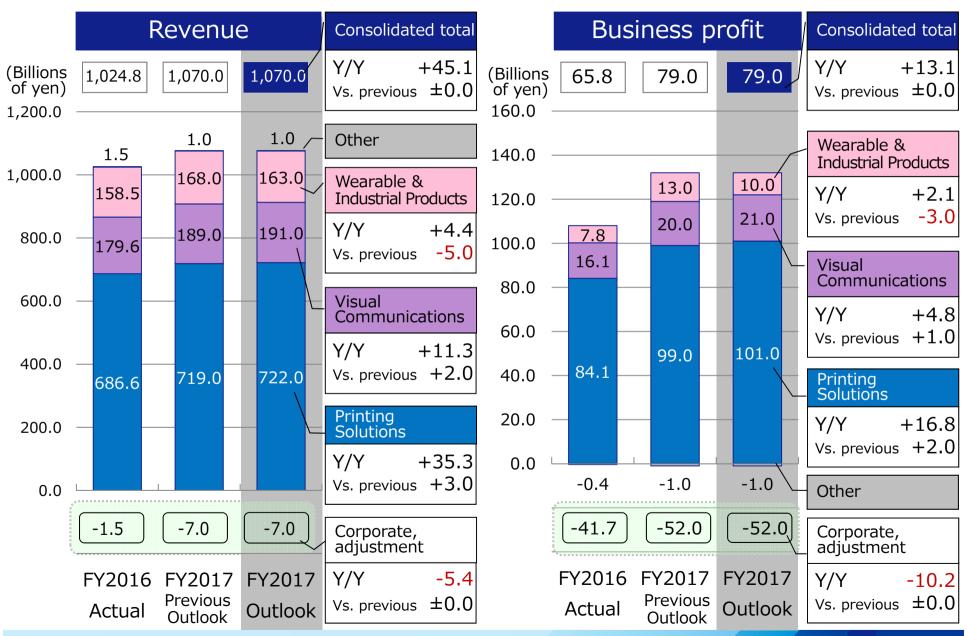
Key Factors Shaping the FY2017 Financial Outlook



- Steady progress in advancing the core strategies of the mid-range business plan
 - High-capacity ink tank printer shipments to further expand
 - Signage and textile printers, label presses, projectors, and robots to steadily expand
- Factored in business situation changes
 - Changes in the competitive environment for some products and in the product mix for some contracts
 - ✓ Large-format photo and graphics printers, POS printers, watches, crystal devices
 - Prices for raw materials to soar
- Full-year profit expected to grow steadily in line with the mid-range business plan

FY2017 Financial Outlook ► By business segment





Mid-Range Business Plan Progress



- Inkjet innovation
 - Capturing office print demand
 - ✓ Expanded sales of high-capacity ink tank printers
 - ✓ Released high-speed linehead inkjet MFPs
 - Building strength in new commercial and industrial printing segments
 - ✓ Continued expansion in signage, textile, and label printing



- Strengthening of high added value products
 - ✓ Grew sales of high-brightness projectors
 - ✓ Reinforced the product lineup













Mid-Range Business Plan Progress



- Wearables innovation
 - Leveraging existing assets to expand the customer base
 - ✓ New Trume watch brand
- Robotics innovation
 - Developing the business to meet expanded demand
 - ✓ Increased space usage efficiency with compact robots
 - ✓ Used sensing technology to expand applications







Mid-Range Business Plan Progress



- Strengthening business infrastructure
 - Strengthening the R&D and design organizations
 - ✓ Building up our global operations (in Italy, Canada, and Indonesia)
 - Building up production capacity in preparation for increased sales
 - ✓ Operations started at a new factory in the Philippines
 - ✓ Will expand facilities at the Hirooka Office (Japan)
 - Strengthening the office products sales organization
 - ✓ New staff hires/ realigned organization



New factory in the Philippines



Inkjet printhead production & development functions to be strengthened in Hirooka (under construction)



Commercial and industrial printer functions to be strengthened in Hirooka (construction planned)



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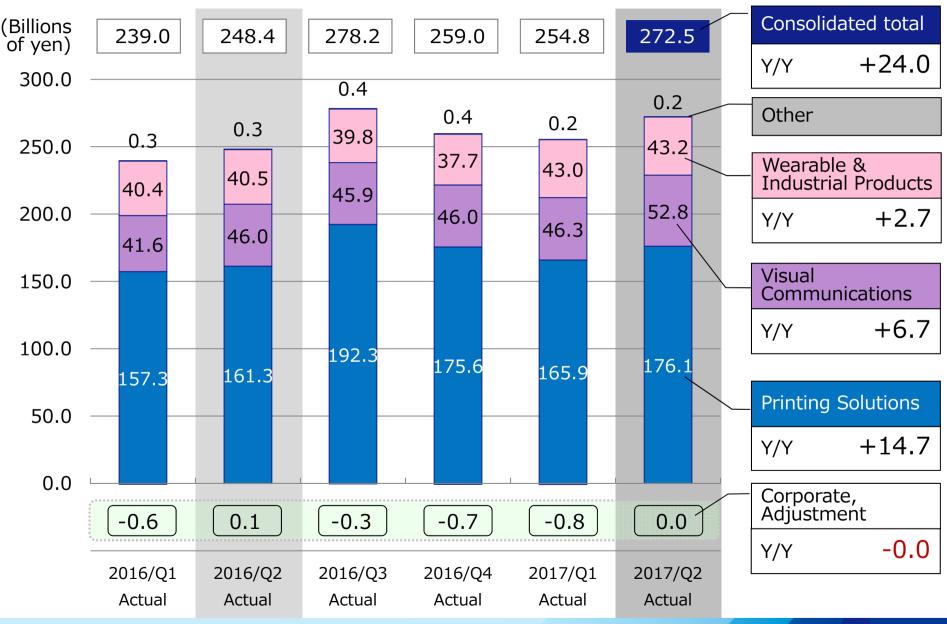


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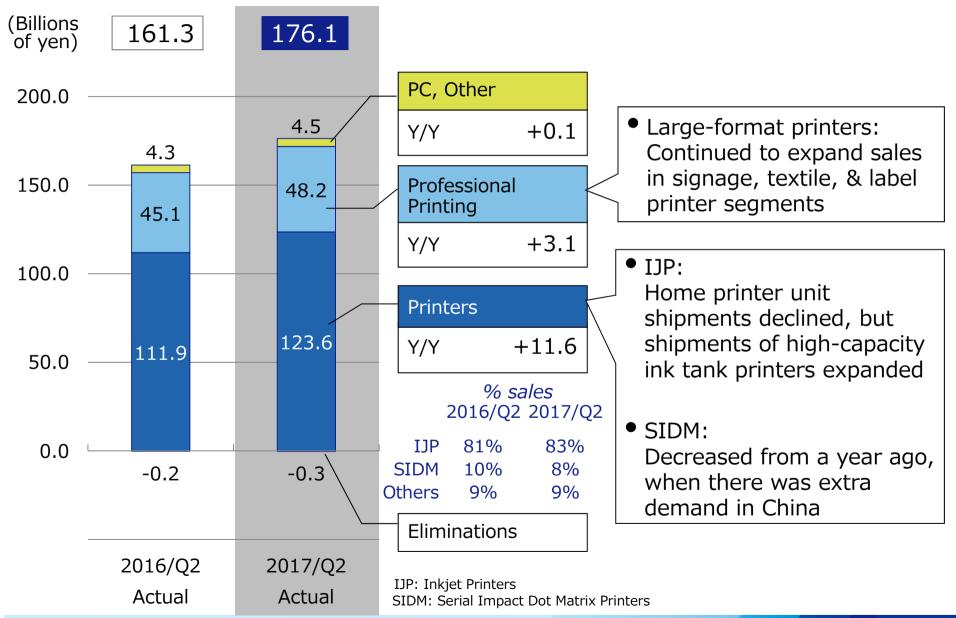




Quarterly Revenue Comparison

▶ Printing Solutions Segment

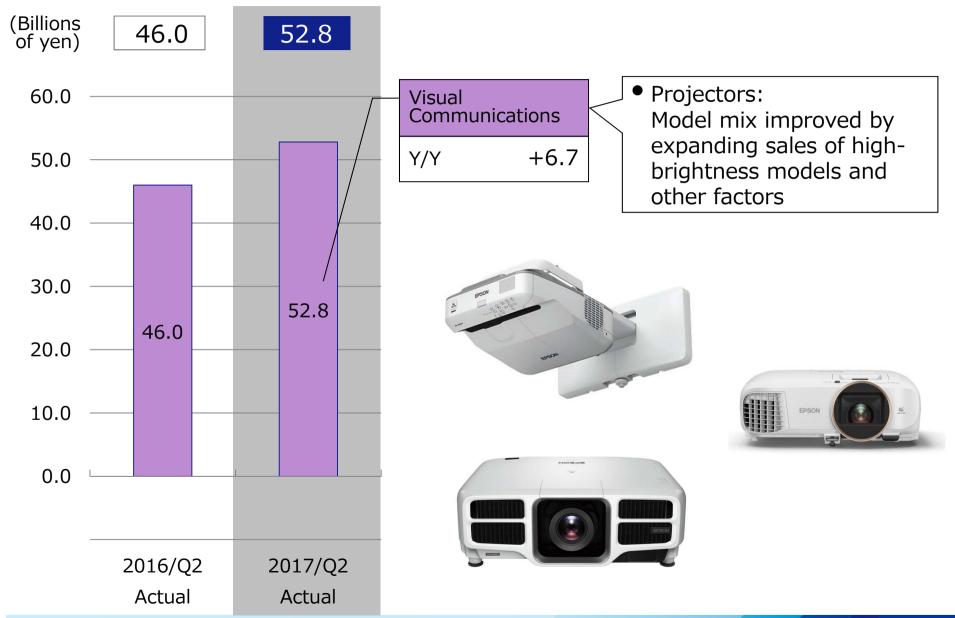




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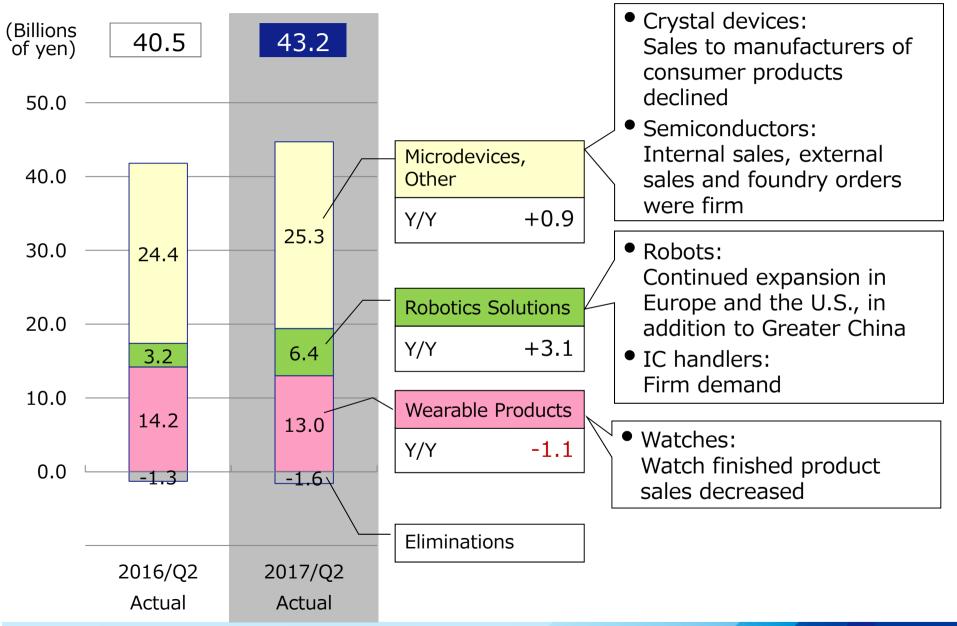
▶ Visual Communications Segment



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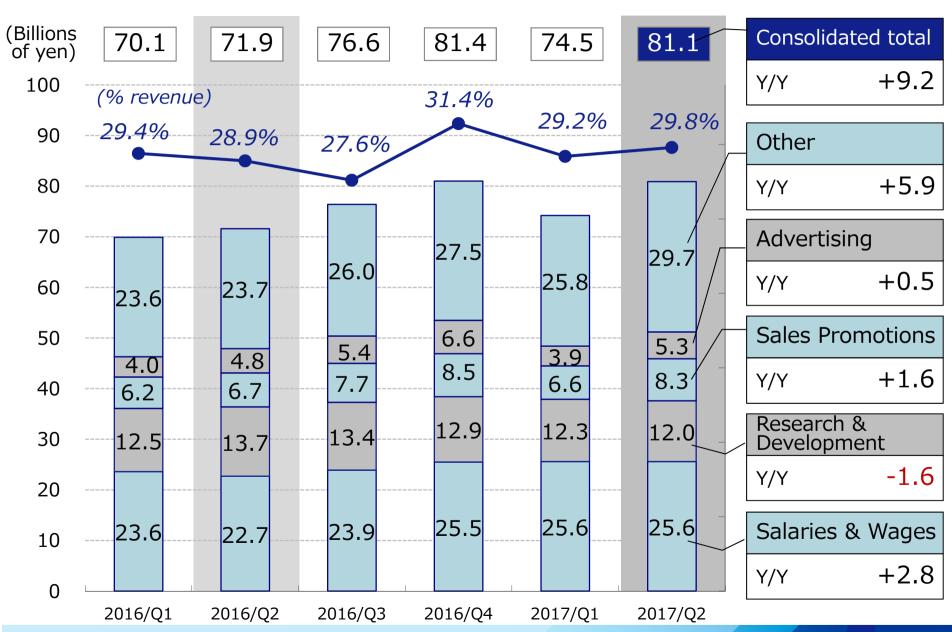


▶ Wearable Products & Industrial Products Segment



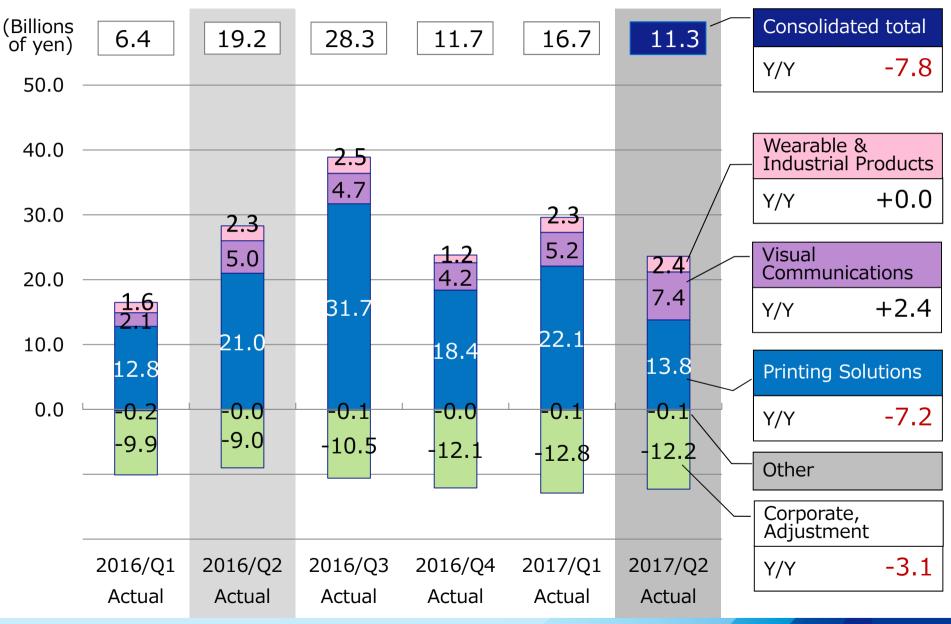
Quarterly Selling, General and Administrative Expenses





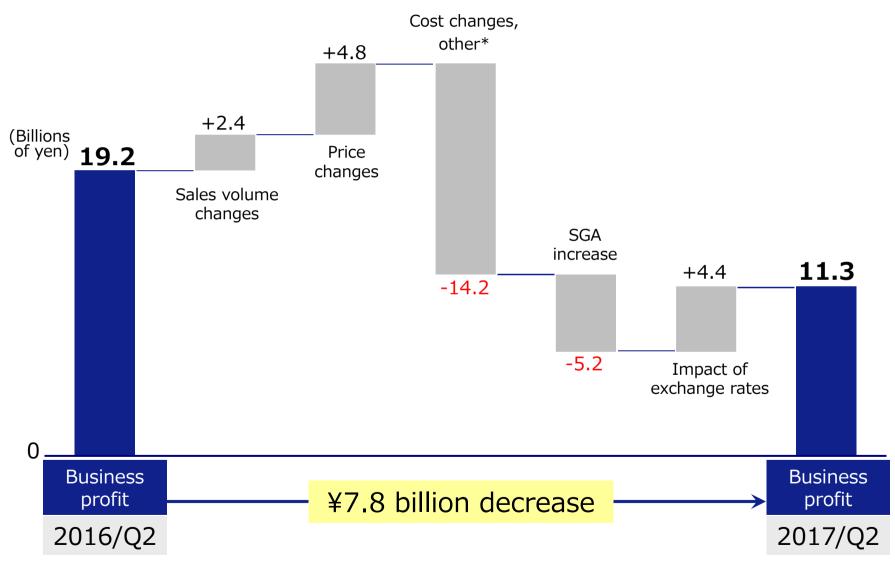
Quarterly Business Profit Trend▶ By business segment





Q2 Business Profit Change Cause Analysis

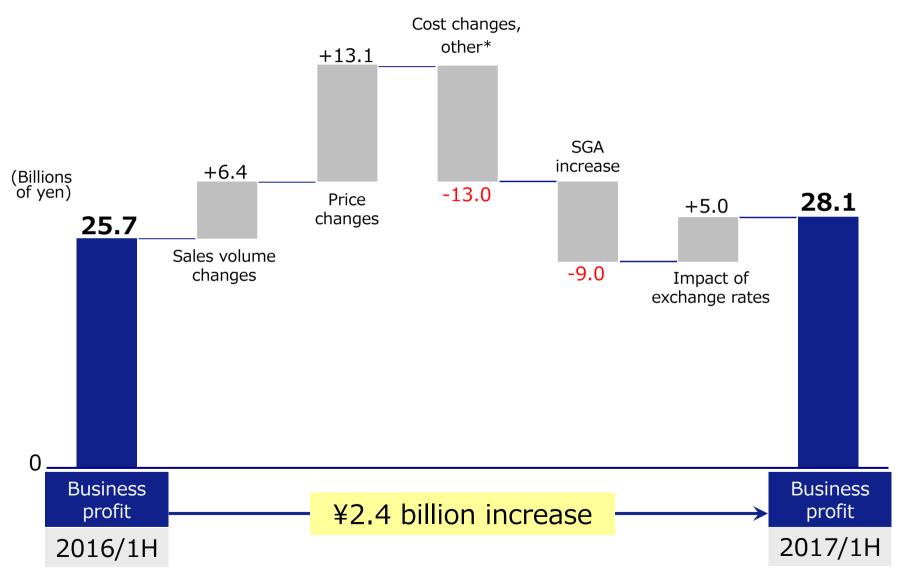




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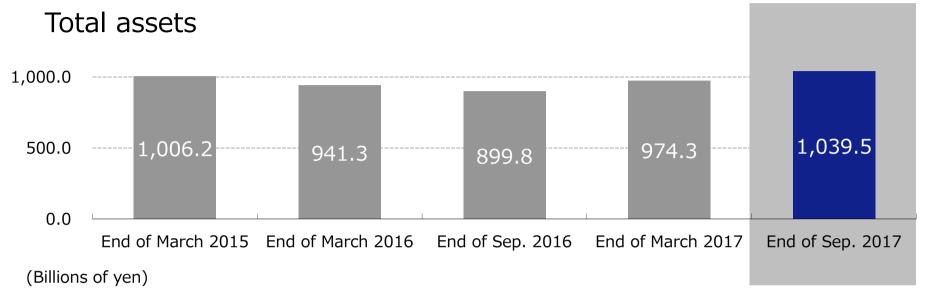




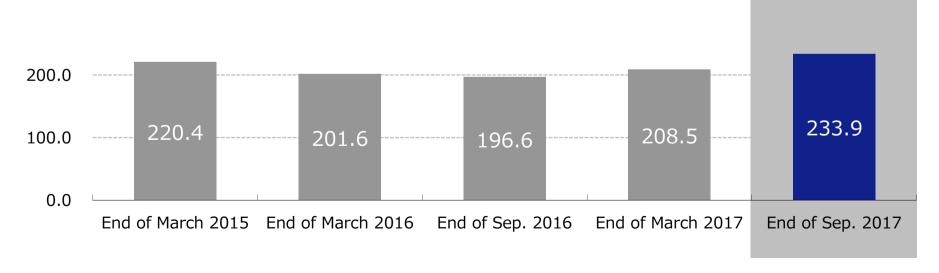
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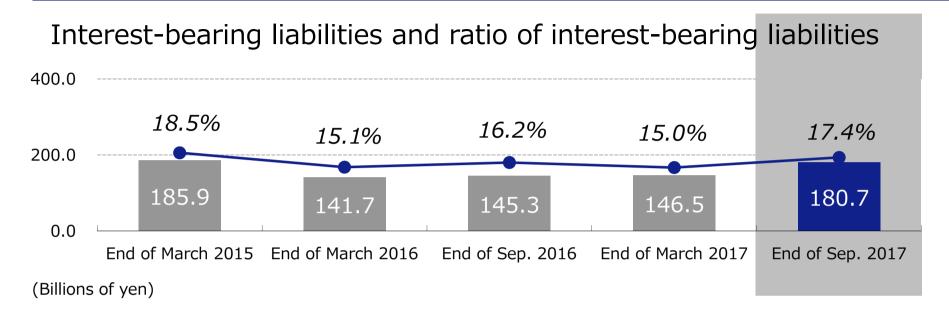




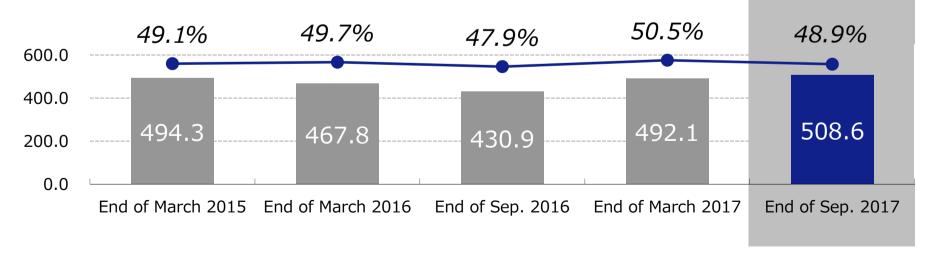


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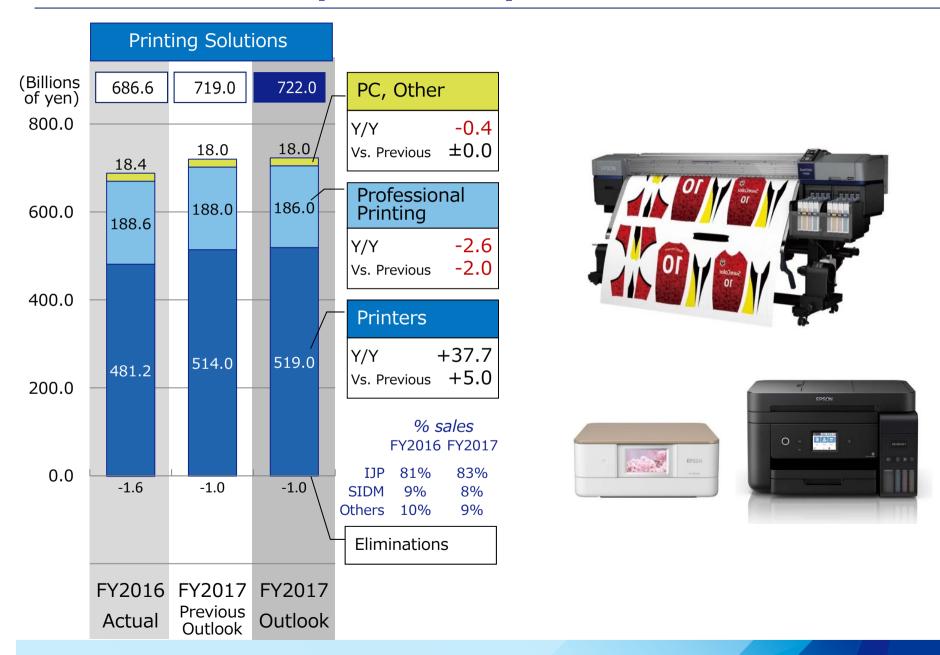


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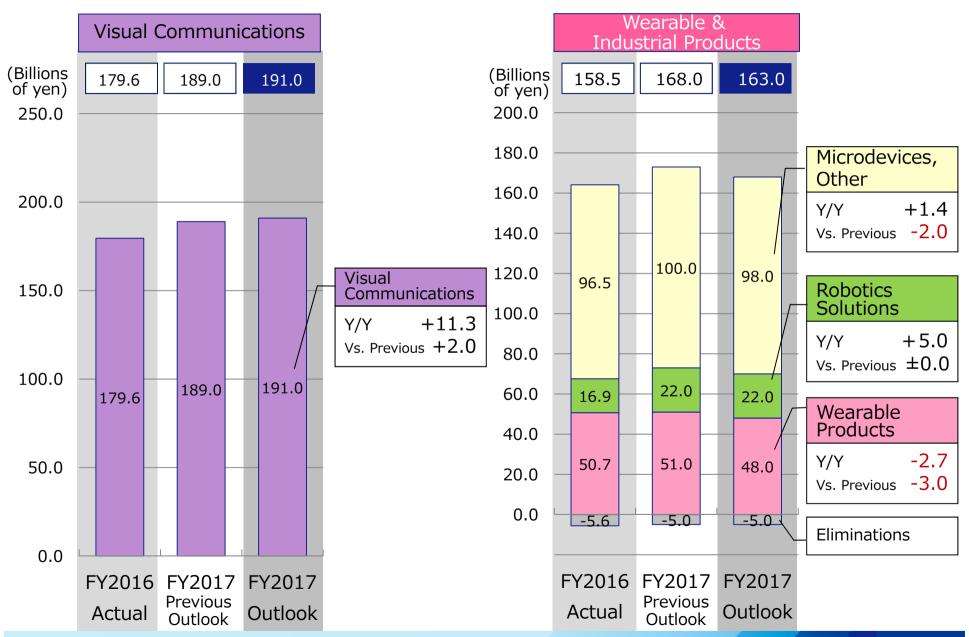
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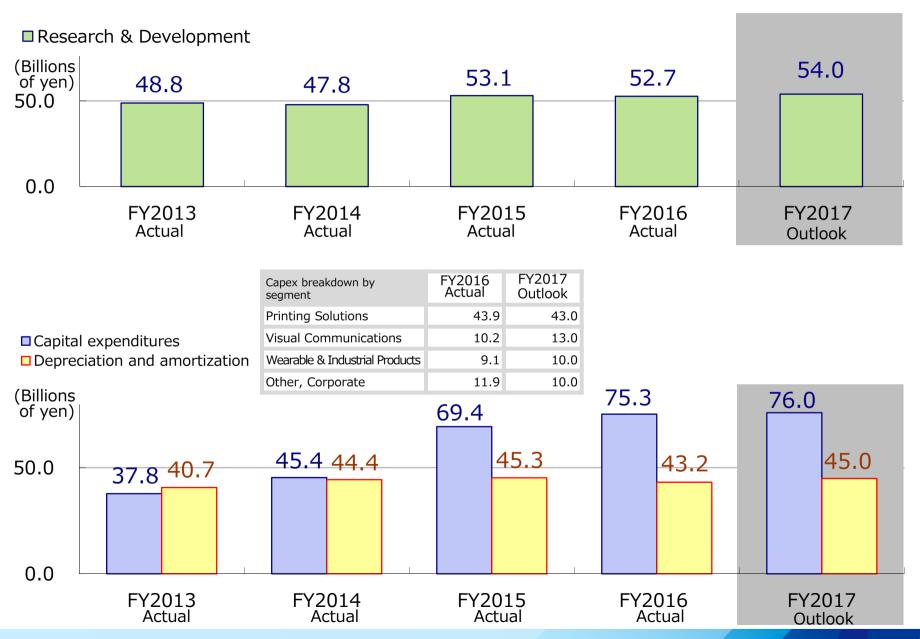
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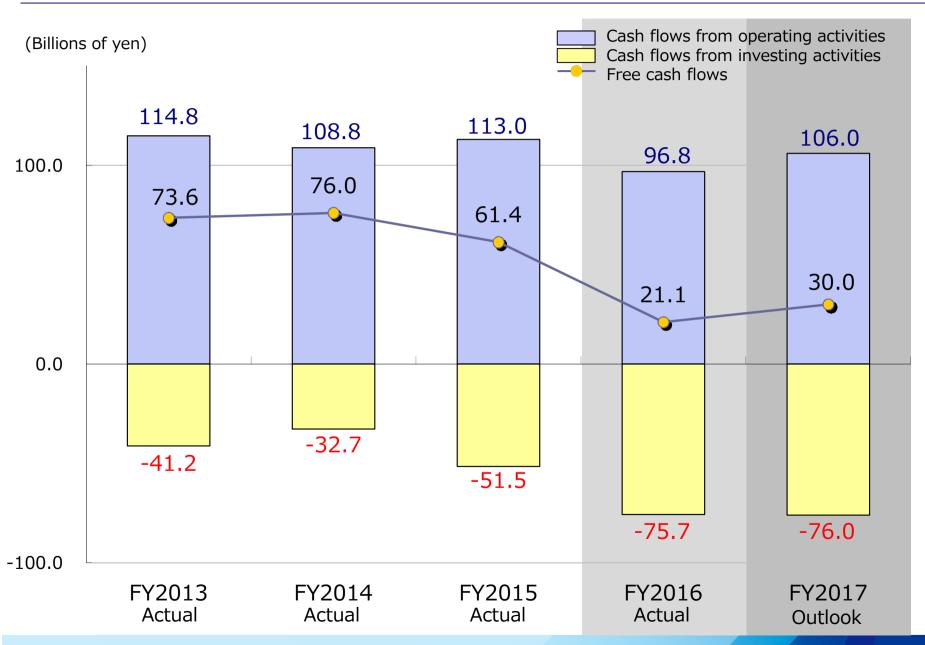
R&D Costs, Capital Expenditure and Depreciation and Amortization Expenses





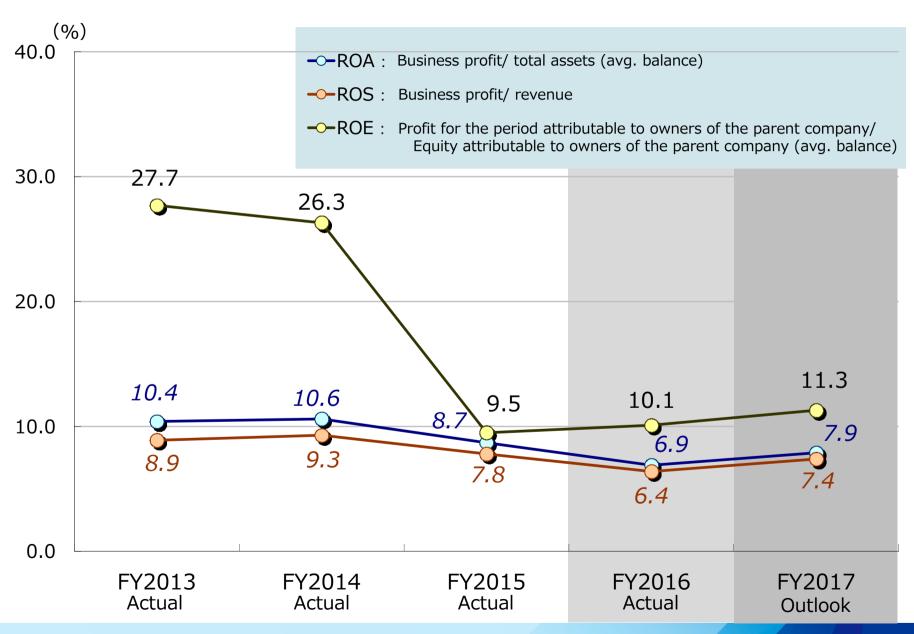
Free Cash Flows





Main Management Indicators







Reference

Major Business Indicators



(Billions of yen)

		FY2016 Actual	FY2017 Outlook	FY2018 Target
Exchange rate	USD	¥108.38	¥110.00	¥115.00
	EUR	¥118.79	¥125.00	¥125.00
Printing Solutions	Revenue	686.6	722.0	805.0
Solutions	Business profit	84.1	101.0	-
Visual Communications	Revenue	179.6	191.0	200.0
CONTINUINGUOIS	Business profit	16.1	21.0	-
Wearable & Industrial	Revenue	158.5	163.0	195.0
Products	Business profit	7.8	10.0	-
Other	Revenue	1.5	1.0	0.0
	Business profit	-0.4	-1.0	-
Corporate, Adjustment	Revenue	-1.5	-7.0	0.0
Aujustinent	Business profit	-41.7	-52.0	-
Consolidated total	Revenue	1,024.8	1,070.0	1,200.0
	Business profit	65.8	79.0	96.0
	ROS	6.4%	7.4%	8%
	ROE	10.1%	11.3%	Sustain at at least 10%

(Billions of yen)

Category	FY2016 Actual	FY2017 Outlook	3-year cumulative (FY2016-18 business plan)
USD	¥108.38	¥110.00	¥115.00
EUR	¥118.79	¥125.00	¥125.00
Operating CF	96.8	106.0	Approx. 330.0
FCF	21.1	30.0	Approx. 120.0
Capital expenditure	75.3	76.0	Approx. 210.0
R&D costs	52.7	54.0	Invest aggressively

Main Product Sales Trends



■ Results & outlook vs. previous fiscal year ASP (average selling prices) and sales amounts after conversion to yen FY2016 Full year FY2017/01 FY2017/02 FY2017 Full year Product (Actual) (Actual) (Actual) (Outlook) Exchange rate USD / EUR ¥108.38 / ¥118.79 ¥111.08 / ¥122.12 ¥111.00 / ¥130.36 ¥110.00 / ¥125.00 +7% +4% Volume +5% +10%Office/ high-Approx. 20%/ Less than 20%/ capacity ink tank as % of total unit Approx. 40% More than 45% IJP sales - high single-digit % ASP + mid-teen % + low teen % + low teen % - low single-digit % + high teen % Around +20% + low 20% Revenue Volume (packs) -4% -2% -3% IJP ink **ASP** - low single-digit % + mid-single-digit % + high single-digit % - mid-single-digit % + low single-digit % + mid-single-digit % Flat YoY Revenue +4% -25% -15% -10% Volume SIDM ASP - high teen % + low single-digit % + high single-digit % Flat YoY printers - mid-teen % - low 20% - high single-digit % Around -10% Revenue Volume +6% -2% +1% +3% **Projectors ASP** + mid-teen % - high single-digit % + mid-teen % + low single-digit % + mid-teen % - low single-digit % + low teen % + mid-single-digit % Revenue

The indicators in this document are based on values tracked internally by Epson.

