Consolidated Business Results for First Quarter of Fiscal 2005 Ending March 31, 2005

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Name of Listed Company: Hitachi Cable, Ltd.

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Osaka Securities Exchange Co., Ltd. (First Section)

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1. Important information about preparing this overview of quarterly business results

(1) Changes from accounting procedures and interpretation of recent consolidated fiscal years: Yes (Content)

Simplified methods, such as calculating this quarter's figures from estimates for the full year, have been partly adopted to depreciate fixed assets.

- (2) Changes in accounting policy from recent consolidated fiscal years: No
- (3) Changes in companies to which consolidated and equity methods apply: Yes Consolidated subsidiaries:

(New) Tonichi Densen Kako Co., Ltd., Tonichi Shoji, Ltd., KYOTECH, Ltd.,

Tohoku Rubber Hanbai, Ltd., Tohoku Rubber Molding Co., Ltd., Hitaka Dengyo Corp., Takasuzu Engineering, Ltd., Kawanishi Kogyo Co., Ltd., MIYAKO PRECISION Co., Ltd., FUJINAGA Ltd., Shanghai Hitachi Cable Trading Co., Ltd., Giga Epitaxy Technology Corp., HC Queretaro S. A. de C. V., Hitachi Cable UK, Ltd.,

Euro Wire & Cable Services Industry and Trading, Ltd., HDS INTERNATIONAL (HK), LTD., Hitachi Cable Trading (Dalian F.T.Z) Co., Ltd., HCAS Thai Trading Co., Ltd.

(Removed) ConEx Cable, Inc.

Affiliates under equity method:

(New) Outokumpu Hitachi Copper Tube (Thailand) Ltd., Zhongtian Hitachi Fiber Optic Cable Co., Ltd.

(4) Involvement of certified public accountant or auditing firm: No

2. Performance over the year under review (Apr. 1, 2004 — Jun. 30, 2004)

(1) Operating results

| | Net sales (million yen) Operating income (loss) (million yen) Ordinary income (million yen) | | Ordinary income (million yen) | Net income (loss) (million yen) | |
|----------|---|--------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Jun. /04 | 90, 911 (14. 8%) | 1, 526 (-%) | 2, 027 (-%) | 1, 356 (-%) | |
| Jun. /03 | 79, 210 | —143 | 116 | -225 | |
| Mar. /04 | 340, 470 | 5, 782 | 5, 373 | - 2, 248 | |

| | Net income (loss) per share | Diluted net income per share |
|----------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | (yen) | (yen) |
| Jun. /04 | 3. 69 | 3. 68 |
| Jun. /03 | - 0. 61 | _ |
| Mar. /04 | −6.25 | _ |

(Note) ① Figures are rounded off to nearest 1 million yen.

² Figures in parentheses represent % change from the 1st quarter of the last fiscal year.

(2) Qualitative information about consolidated business results

With regard to sales in this first quarter, in addition to the effects of rising copper prices and improvements in the performance of semiconductor-related products such as copper strips, TAB tape, and compound semiconductors, sales of 1.346 billion yen due to the effects of new consolidation led to a consolidated sales figure of 90.911 billion yen, an increase of 15% from the figure for the same quarter of the previous fiscal year. In terms of income, ordinary income increased from 116 million yen in the same quarter of the previous fiscal year to 2.027 billion yen, with a net income for this quarter of 1.356 billion yen. Streamlining of administrative procedures, as well as other cost reductions, aided in achieving the above figure.

Reports on business performance by segment follow.

Wires and Cables

Since capital investment by domestic telecommunications providers was sluggish, performance in land fiber-optic cables declined from the same quarter of the previous fiscal year. On the other hand, performance of wires for electronic devices (centered on products such as digital home electronics), magnet wires for air-conditioners and electric components for motor vehicles was strong, exceeding the level from the same quarter of the previous fiscal year. In addition, performance of power cables greatly exceeded that of the same quarter of the previous fiscal year, due to major orders from power providers. Partly as a result of the effects of the increased copper prices, sales in this segment were 36.015 billion yen, an increase of 19% in comparison with the figure for the same quarter of the previous fiscal year.

Information Systems and Electronic Components

Following the yearly trend concerning increased shipment of information transmission system products in the latter half of the fiscal year, performance in this segment mirrored that of last year's same quarter.

On the back of increased demand for laser diodes, stimulated by growth in DVD devices and related areas, sales rose for compound semiconductors over the same quarter of the previous fiscal year. In addition, sales of TAB tape greatly exceeded those of the same quarter of the previous fiscal year, due to growth in COF (Chip On Film) for use in high-definition LCD displays and in µBGA® *1 products for use in high-end DDR II *2 memory used in servers and other devices.

These factors combined for sales of 24.647 billion yen for this segment, an increase of 7% over the same quarter of the previous fiscal year.

- *1 µBGA® is a registered trademark of Tessera Inc. of the United States. BGA is an abbreviation for "ball grid array."
- *2 DDR (double data rate): memory capable of high-speed data transmission

Copper Products

Sales centered on dual-gauge copper strips for use in transistor leadframes and other

semiconductor-related products saw growth, leading to an overall increase in copper strip sales performance from the same quarter of the previous fiscal year.

Partly due to upward pressure on sales figures in connection with rising copper prices, sales for the copper products segment overall increased by 27% over the same quarter of the previous fiscal year, to 15.498 billion yen.

Electric Equipment, Construction, and Others

Sales of automotive electrical components, such as antilock brake system (ABS) sensor harnesses saw growth, against no change for sales of automotive rubber hoses (the major products of the rubber segment) over the same quarter of the previous fiscal year. Performance was strong for processed terminal wires, centered on those for use in semiconductor manufacturing equipment. As a result, sales in this segment were 19.463 billion yen, for an increase of 8% over the same quarter of the previous fiscal year.

(3) Financial standing

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|------------------|-------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| | Total assets (million yen) | Shareholders' equity (million yen) | Shareholders' equity ratio (%) | Shareholders' equity per share (yen) |
| Jun. /04 | 324, 438 | 176, 357 | 54. 4 | 479. 92 |
| Jun. /03 | 350, 405 | 181, 376 | 51.8 | 493. 17 |
| Mar. /04 | 333, 786 | 176, 912 | 53. 0 | 481. 30 |

[Statement of cash flows]

| | Cash flows from operating activities (million yen) | Cash flows from investment activities (million yen) | Cash flows from financing activities (million yen) | Cash, time deposit and marketable securities at the end of term (million yen) |
|----------|--|---|--|--|
| Jun. /04 | 3, 051 | 6, 629 | -10, 437 | 7, 501 |
| Jun. /03 | 4, 910 | -1, 271 | -1, 937 | 8, 712 |
| Mar. /04 | 26, 731 | -1, 057 | -25, 372 | 7, 763 |

(4) Qualitative information about changes in consolidated financial status

Cash flow from operating activities was 3.051 billion yen. This figure resulted from factors including net income before taxes and other adjustments of 2.285 billion yen for the quarter, and depreciation of 4.899 billion yen, as well as an increase of 8.032 billion yen resulting from decreased accounts receivable, a decrease of 6.562 billion yen due to increased inventory assets, and decreases of 2.591 billion yen and 2.438 billion yen resulting from decreases in accounts payable and purchase liabilities.

Cash flow from investment activities was 6.629 billion yen. This figure resulted from factors including expenditures of 3.131 billion yen on acquisition of tangible fixed assets, income of 9.199 billion yen from repayment of loans, and income of 409 million yen from sale of tangible fixed assets.

Cash flow from financing activities was 10.437 billion yen. This figure resulted from factors including repayment of 8.849 billion yen in short-term debts, payment of 918 million yen in dividends, and repayment of 580 million yen in long-term debts.

(reference)

Non-consolidated performance over the year under review (Apr. 1, 2004 - Jun. 30, 2004)

| | | Net sales | Operating income | Ordinary income | Net income | |
|--|----------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------|--|
| | | (million yen) | (million yen) | (million yen) | (million yen) | |
| | Jun. /04 | 62, 182 | 780 | 1, 868 | 1, 649 | |

| | Total assets (million yen) | Shareholders' equity (million yen) |
|----------|-------------------------------|--|
| Jun. /04 | 266, 172 | 159, 506 |

3. Business results forecast for fiscal year 2005 (Apr. 1, 2004-Mar. 31, 2005)

| | Net sales (million yen) | Ordinary income (million yen) | Net income (million yen) | Net income per share |
|----------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| Sep. /04 | 184, 000 | 5, 000 | 1, 500 | 4. 08 |
| Mar. /05 | 370, 000 | 14, 000 | 6, 000 | 16. 33 |

(reference)

Non-consolidated business results forecast for fiscal year 2005 (Apr. 1, 2004-Mar. 31, 2005)

| | | | | Annual | dividend per | share |
|----------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------|
| | Net sales (million yen) | Ordinary income (million yen) | Net income (million yen) | Interim dividend (ven) | Term-end dividend (yen) | |
| | | | | (yen) | (yen) | |
| Sep. /04 | 124, 000 | 2, 500 | 1, 000 | 3. 50 | _ | _ |
| Mar. ∕05 | 250, 000 | 7, 000 | 3, 000 | | 3. 50 | 7. 00 |

① Qualitative data and other information concerning projections of business performance Since business performance in this first quarter was on par with forecasts announced on April 27, 2004, indications are strong that Company will meet performance projections for this fiscal year.

② Business performance projections: usage and disclosure format

The above projections have been prepared based on the information available to the Company at the time of release of this document and on assumptions concerning uncertainties that could affect future business performance as of the time of release of this document. Due to various factors, actual business performance may vary significantly from these projections.

1. Consolidated Balance Sheet

| | 1st quarter | 1st quarter | End of | | 1st quarter | 1st quarter | End of |
|--|-------------|----------------|-----------|--|----------------|----------------|-------------|
| | | of fiscal 2005 | | | of fiscal 2004 | of fiscal 2005 | Fiscal 2004 |
| | (Jun. 30, | (Jun. 30, | (Mar. 31, | | (Jun. 30, | (Jun. 30, | (Mar. 31, |
| (Assets) | 2003) | 2004) | 2004) | [Liabilities] | 2003) | 2004) | 2004) |
| [Assets] | | | | (LIADITILIES) | | | |
| Current Assets | 146, 841 | 148, 743 | 155, 559 | Current Liabilities Note Payable and Accounts | 107, 008 | 90, 502 | 99, 711 |
| Cash and Deposit in bank Note Receivable and Accounts | 9, 801 | 7, 518 | 8, 200 | | 34, 178 | 43, 742 | 43, 560 |
| Receivable | 75, 192 | 76, 841 | 82, 215 | Short-term Debt | 23, 180 | 18, 511 | 19, 368 |
| Inventories | 42, 952 | 45, 600 | 38, 201 | Commercial Paper | 20, 000 | 6,000 | 14, 000 |
| Deferred Income Taxes | 4, 213 | 7, 346 | 7, 181 | Amortized Company Bonds | 10, 000 | _ | _ |
| Others Allowance for Doubtful | 15, 235 | 12, 464 | 20, 801 | Others | 19, 650 | 22, 249 | 22, 783 |
| Accounts | △ 552 | △ 1,026 | △ 1,039 | | | | |
| | | | | Fixed Liabilities | 55, 976 | 55, 284 | 55, 854 |
| Fixed Assets | 203, 564 | 175, 695 | 178, 227 | Company Bonds | 15, 000 | 15, 000 | 15, 000 |
| Tangible Fixed Assets | 138, 675 | 127, 242 | 126, 387 | Long-term Debt Accrued Pension and | 19, 913 | 19, 349 | 19, 479 |
| Building and Structure | 50, 466 | 48, 089 | 48, 002 | Severance Cost for Employees | 19, 394 | 17, 142 | 17, 179 |
| Machinery and Vehicles, etc. | 66, 086 | 59, 781 | 60, 141 | Reserve for Directors' Retirement Allowance | 670 | 746 | 875 |
| Land | 11, 267 | 11, 191 | 10, 997 | | 397 | 300 | 292 |
| Construction in progress | 10, 856 | 8, 181 | 7, 247 | Consolidated Adjustment Accounts | _ | 1, 889 | 2, 158 |
| | | | | Others | 602 | 858 | 871 |
| Intangible Fixed Assets | 3, 538 | 4, 254 | 4, 035 | Total Liabilities | 162, 984 | 145, 786 | 155, 565 |
| Utility Rights, etc. | 3, 538 | 4, 254 | 4, 035 | (Minority Investment) | | | |
| | | | | Minority Investment | 6, 045 | 2, 295 | 1, 309 |
| Investment, etc. | 61, 351 | 44, 199 | 47, 805 | (Shareholders' Equity) | | | |
| Investment | 48, 469 | 32, 491 | 36, 150 | Paid-in Capital | 25, 948 | 25, 948 | 25, 948 |
| Deferred Income Tax | 16, 101 | 14, 586 | 14, 567 | Capital Surplus | 30, 098 | 30, 420 | 30, 420 |
| Allowance for Doubtful Debt | △ 3, 219 | △ 2,878 | △ 2,912 | | 127, 493 | 124, 385 | 124, 374 |
| | | | | The Balance of Other Accountable Securities Adjustment Account of Exchange | 2, 001 | 2, 341 | 2, 268 |
| | | | | Rate | -1, 897 | -4, 193 | -3, 560 |
| | | | | Treasury Stock | -2, 267 | -2, 544 | -2, 538 |
| | | | | Total Shareholders' Equity | 181, 376 | 176, 357 | 176, 912 |
| Total Assets | 350, 405 | 324, 438 | 333, 786 | Total Liabilities, Minority Investment and Shareholders' Equity | 350, 405 | 324, 438 | 333, 786 |

2. Consolidated Statement of Profit and Loss

| | 1st quarter of | 1st quarter of | Fiscal 2004 | |
|---|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|-----------|
| | fiscal 2004 (A) (Apr. 1, 2003- | fiscal 2005 (B) (Apr. 1, 2004- | (Apr. 1, 2003- | B/A(%) |
| | Jun. 30, 2003 | Jun. 30, 2004) | | D/ A (90) |
| | | | , | |
| Net Sales | 79, 210 | 90, 911 | 340, 470 | 115 |
| Cost of Sales | 68, 009 | 78, 157 | 290, 534 | 115 |
| Sales, General and Administrative Expense | 11, 344 | 11, 228 | 44, 154 | 99 |
| Operating Income (Loss) | -143 | 1, 526 | 5, 782 | _ |
| Non-operating Income | 985 | 1 005 | 4 240 | 110 |
| (Interest and Dividend Received) | | 1, 085 | 4, 340 | 110 |
| (Miscellaneous Revenues) | (171) | (138) | (466) | |
| , | (814) | (601) | (3, 874) | |
| Investment Income by Equity Method | (-) | (346) | (-) | |
| Non-operating Expenses | 726 | 584 | 4, 749 | 80 |
| (Interest Expenses) | (350) | (271) | (1, 276) | |
| (Miscellaneous Losses) | (297) | (313) | (3, 446) | |
| (Investment Losses by Equity Method) | (79) | (-) | (27) | |
| Ordinary Income | 116 | 2, 027 | 5, 373 | _ |
| Extraordinary Income | 1, 062 | 307 | 6, 597 | 29 |
| (Gain on Sale of Land) | (1, 062) | (305) | (2, 194) | 20 |
| (Gain on Sale of Negotiable Securities) | (-) | (2) | (1, 366) | |
| (Reversal of Employees' Severance | | | | |
| Obligation for Prior Services) | (-) | (-) | (2, 758) | |
| (Others) | (-) | (-) | (279) | |
| Extraordinary Loss | 1, 183 | 49 | 15, 101 | 4 |
| (Cost for Restructuring) | (1, 183) | (10) | (12, 807) | |
| (Valuation Loss of Negotiable Securities) | (-) | (-) | (130) | |
| (Loss on Sale of Negotiable Securities) | (-) | (-) | (106) | |
| (Others) | (-) | (39) | (2, 058) | |
| Income (Loss) before Income Tax | -5 | 2, 285 | -3, 131 | |
| | | | | |
| Corporation, Inhabitant Taxes | 163 | 858 | 1, 245 | |
| Deferred | -25 | 29 | -2, 441 | |
| Minority Shareholders' Income | 82 | 42 | 313 | |
| Net Income (Loss) | -225 | 1, 356 | -2, 248 | _ |

3. Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

(million yen)

| | 1-4 | 1_44 | T:I 2004 |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|
| | | 1st quarter of | Fiscal 2004 |
| | fiscal 2004 (Apr. 1, 2003- | fiscal 2005 (Apr. 1, 2004- | /Apr 1 2002 |
| | | | |
| [Cook Flows from Onewating Astivities] | Jun. 30, 2003) | Jun. 30, 2004) | Mar. 31, 2004) |
| [Cash Flows from Operating Activities] | - | 0.005 | 0 101 |
| Income (Loss) before Income Tax | -5 -5 | 2, 285 | -3, 131 |
| Depreciation | 5, 062 | 4, 899 | 20, 325 |
| Increase/Decrease of Allowance for Doubtful Debt (Decrease:-) | 106 | -29 | 540 |
| Gain on Sale of Negotiable Securities | 15 | -2 | -1, 241 |
| Interest Received and Dividends Received | -171 | -138 | -153 |
| Interest Expenses | 350 | 271 | 1, 276 |
| Exchange Profit/Loss (Profit:-) | 78 | -186 | 612 |
| Increase/Decrease of Trade Receivable (Increase:-) | 6, 371 | 8, 032 | 1, 204 |
| Increase/Decrease of Inventories (Increase:-) | -2, 121 | -6, 562 | 2, 708 |
| Increase/Decrease of Trade Payable (Decrease:-) | 1, 156 | -2, 438 | 7, 818 |
| Increase/Decrease of Amount in Arrears (Decrease:-) | -3, 917 | -2, 591 | 1, 289 |
| Others | -1, 799 | -522 | -2, 619 |
| Sub Total | 5, 125 | 3, 019 | 28, 628 |
| Earning on Interest and Dividends | 171 | 138 | 153 |
| Interest Paid | -383 | -266 | -1, 363 |
| Corporation Tax and Other Tax Paid | -3 | 160 | -687 |
| Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities | 4, 910 | 3, 051 | 26, 731 |
| [Cash Flows from Investing Activities] | | | |
| Expenditures for Acquisition of Securities | -702 | -4 | -1, 889 |
| Proceeds from Sale of Securities | 55 | 6 | 5, 860 |
| Expenditures for Acquisition of Tangible Fixed Assets | -1, 833 | -3, 131 | -12, 634 |
| Proceeds from Sale of Tangible Fixed Assets | 1, 700 | 409 | 3, 646 |
| Expenditures for Loans | _ | _ | -8, 767 |
| Proceeds from Collection of Loans | _ | 9, 199 | 1, 579 |
| Proceeds from Surrender Value of Business Annuity Insurance | _ | _ | 10, 224 |
| Proceeds from Acquisition of Subsidiary's Securities | _ | _ | 728 |
| Accounting to Changing in Scope of Consolidation | 404 | 450 | |
| Others | -491 | 150 | 196 |
| Net Cash Used in Investenting Activities | -1, 271 | 6, 629 | -1, 057 |
| [Cash Flows from Financing Activities] | | | |
| Increase/Decrease in Short-term Borrowing (Decrease:-) | -342 | -8, 849 | -10, 489 |
| Proceeds from Long-term Debt Expenditures for Repayment of Long-term Debt | _ -571 | | — −1, 019 |
| Proceeds from Issue of Company Bond | - | | 1,013 |
| Payment of Company Bond | _ | _ | -10, 000 |
| Payment for Purchase of Treasury Stock | -1 | -8 | -1, 907 |
| Dividends Paid by Parent Company | -920 | -918 | -1, 830 |
| Dividends Paid to Minority Shareholders | -103 | -82 | -127 |
| Net Cash Provided by Financing Activities | -1, 937 | -10, 437 | -25, 372 |
| Effect of Exchange Rate Change on Cash and Cash Equivalents | -86 | 64 | 408 |
| Net Increase/Decrease in Cash and Cash Equivalent | | | |
| (Decrease:-) | 1, 616 | -693 | 710 |
| Cash and Cash Equivalent at Beginning of Term | 7, 016 | 7, 763 | 7, 016 |
| Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents by Newly Consolidated Subsidiaries | 80 | 431 | 37 |
| Cash and Cash Equivalent at the End of Term | 8, 712 | 7, 501 | 7, 763 |
| | -, · · - | -, | ., |

(Note)

Listed cash and deposit to consolidated balance sheet at end of term and relation of listed cash and cash equivalent to consolidated statement of cash flows

| | Jun. 30, 2003 | Jun. 30, 2004 | Mar.31, 2004 |
|--------------------------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| Cash and Deposits | 9, 801 | 7, 518 | 8, 200 |
| Fixed Deposits (over 3 Months) | -1, 089 | -17 | -437 |
| Total | 8, 712 | 7, 501 | 7, 763 |

4. Segment information

(1) Results by operating segment

1st quarter of fiscal 2005 (Apr. 1, 2004-Jun. 30, 2004)

(million yen)

| | Wires and cables | Information systems and electronic components | Copper products | Electric equipment, cosntrction and others | Total | Eliminated or company-wide | Consoli- dated |
|--|------------------|---|--------------------|---|---------|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Net sales (1) Sales to customers (2) In-house sales or | 36, 015 | 24, 647 | 14, 739 | 15, 510 | 90, 911 | _ | 90, 911 |
| between operating seg. | _ | _ | 759 | 3, 953 | 4, 712 | (4, 712) | _ |
| Total | 36, 015 | 24, 647 | 15, 498 | 19, 463 | 95, 623 | (4, 712) | 90, 911 |
| Operating expense | 35, 714 | 24, 625 | 14, 725 | 19, 031 | 94, 095 | (4, 710) | 89, 385 |
| Operating income | 301 | 22 | 773 | 432 | 1, 528 | (2) | 1, 526 |

1st quarter of fiscal 2004 (Apr. 1, 2003-Jun. 30, 2003)

(million yen)

| | Wires and Cables | Information systems and electronic components | Copper products | Electric equipment, cosntrction and others | Total | Eliminated or company-wide | Consoli- dated |
|---|---------------------|---|--------------------|---|---------|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Net sales (1) Sales to customers (2) In-house sales or between operating seg. | 30, 289 | 22, 933 | 11, 760 411 | 14, 228 3, 772 | | | 79, 210 |
| · | 00.000 | 00 000 | | , | , | | 70.010 |
| Total | 30, 289 | 22, 933 | 12, 171 | 18, 000 | 83, 393 | (4, 183) | 79, 210 |
| Operating expense | 30, 369 | 23, 499 | 11, 649 | 18, 031 | 83, 548 | (4, 195) | 79, 353 |
| Operating income(loss) | -80 | -566 | 522 | -31 | -155 | 12 | -143 |

Previous fiscal year (Apr. 1, 2003-Mar. 31, 2004)

(million yen)

| | Wires and Cables | Information systems and electronic components | Copper products | Electric equipment, cosntrction and others | Total | Eliminated or company-wide | Consoli- dated |
|--|---------------------|--|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Net sales (1) Sales to customers (2) In-house sales or | 137, 458 | 98, 847 | ŕ | , | 340, 470 | | 340, 470 |
| between operating seg. | _ | | 1, 986 | , | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | |
| Total | 137, 458 | 98, 847 | 50, 136 | 70, 654 | 357, 095 | (16, 625) | 340, 470 |
| Operating expense | 134, 949 | 99, 264 | 48, 032 | 69, 094 | 351, 339 | (16, 651) | 334, 688 |
| Operating income(loss) | 2, 509 | -417 | 2, 104 | 1, 560 | 5, 756 | 26 | 5, 782 |

(Note) 1. As a rule, business operation is divided into ①Wires and cables, ②Information systems and electronic components, ③Copper products and ④Electric equipment, construction and others, according to similarities of manufacturing processes, usage and selling methods.

| Operating segments | Main products |
|---|---|
| Wires and cables | Wires and cables |
| Information systems and electronic components | Semiconductor packaging materials, compound semiconductors, optical components, systems related to information transmission |
| Copper products | Copper products |
| Electric equipment, construction and others | Accessories for wires and cables, construction, Rubber products, others |

2. Because all of the operating expenses are allocated to individual business segment, there are no unallocatable operating expenses in the "elimination or company—wide" item.

(2) Sales results by location

1st quarter of fiscal 2005 (Apr. 1, 2004-Jun. 30, 2004)

(million yen)

| | Japan | Others | Total | Eliminated or | Consoli- |
|------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------------|----------|
| | | | | company-wide | dated |
| Ι. | | | | | |
| Net sales | | | | | |
| (1) Sales to customers | 75, 042 | 15, 869 | 90, 911 | _ | 90, 911 |
| (2) In-house sales or | | | | | |
| between operating seg. | 6, 718 | 943 | 7, 661 | (7, 661) | _ |
| Total | 81, 760 | 16, 812 | 98, 572 | (7, 661) | 90, 911 |
| Operating expense | 80, 399 | 16, 672 | 97, 071 | (7, 686) | 89, 385 |
| Operating income | 1, 361 | 140 | 1, 501 | 25 | 1, 526 |

1st quarter of fiscal 2004 (Apr. 1, 2003-Jun. 30, 2003)

(million yen)

| | Japan | Others | Total | Eliminated or | Consoli- |
|------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------------|-------------|
| | | | | company-wide | dated |
| Ι. | | | | | |
| Net sales | | | | | |
| (1) Sales to customers | 66, 299 | 12, 911 | 79, 210 | _ | 79, 210 |
| (2) In-house sales or | | | | | |
| between operating seg. | 5, 304 | 663 | 5, 967 | (5, 967) | _ |
| Total | 71, 603 | 13, 574 | 85, 177 | (5, 967) | 79, 210 |
| Operating expense | 71, 937 | 13, 378 | 85, 315 | (5, 962) | 79, 353 |
| Operating income(loss) | -334 | 196 | -138 | (5) | —143 |

Previous fiscal year (Apr. 1, 2003-Mar. 31, 2004))

| | Japan | Others | Total | Eliminated or | Consoli- |
|------------------------|----------|---------|----------|---------------|----------|
| | | | | company-wide | dated |
| Ι. | | | | | |
| Net sales | | | | | |
| (1) Sales to customers | 289, 647 | 50, 823 | 340, 470 | _ | 340, 470 |
| (2) In-house sales or | | | | | |
| between operating seg. | 23, 098 | 3, 201 | 26, 299 | (26, 299) | _ |
| Total | 312, 745 | 54, 024 | 366, 769 | (26, 299) | 340, 470 |
| Operating expense | 308, 379 | 52, 594 | 360, 973 | (26, 285) | 334, 688 |
| Operating income | 4, 366 | 1, 430 | 5, 796 | (14) | 5, 782 |

- (Note) 1. It is omitted to mention business results by country or region in the term under review, because the every ratio of sales of country or region in total net sales is less than 10%.
 - 2. Others • U. S. A., Thailand, China, etc.
 - 3. Because operating expenses are allocated to individual business segments, there are no unallocatable operating expenses in the "elimination or company-wide" item.

(3) Overseas

1st quarter of fiscal 2005 (Apr. 1, 2004-Jun. 30, 2004)

(million yen)

| | Asia | North America | Others | Total |
|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| I. Overseas | | | | |
| | 14,087 million yen | 5,325 million yen | 2,089 million yen | 21,501 million yen |
| II. Consolidated | | | | |
| sales | | | | 90,911 million yen |
| Ⅲ. Ratio of | | | | |
| overseas sales in | 15. 5% | 5.9% | 2. 3% | 23. 7% |
| consolidated sales | | | | |

1st quarter of fiscal 2004 (Apr. 1, 2003-Jun. 30, 2003)

(million yen)

| | Asia | North America | Others | Total |
|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| I. Overseas | | | | |
| | 12,134 million yen | 3,883 million yen | 1,654 million yen | 17,671 million yen |
| Ⅱ. Consolidated | | | | |
| sales | | | | 79,210 million yen |
| Ⅲ. Ratio of | | | | |
| overseas sales in | 15. 3% | 4. 9% | 2. 1% | 22. 3% |
| consolidated sales | | | | |

Previous fiscal year (Apr. 1, 2003-Mar. 31, 2004))

| | Asia | North America | Others | Total |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| I. Overseas | | | | |
| | 48,240 million yen | 15,590 million yen | 6,572 million yen | 70,402 million yen |
| Ⅱ. Consolidated | | | | |
| sales | | | | 340,470 million yen |
| Ⅲ. Ratio of | | | | |
| overseas sales in | 14. 2% | 4. 6% | 1. 9% | 20. 7% |
| consolidated sales | | | | |

- (Note) 1. As a rule, countries or regions are divided according to geographical proximity to each other.
 - 2. Main countries and regions
 - (1) Asia · · · China, South Korea, Taiwan, Thailand, Singapore
 - (2) North America • U. S. A., Canada
 - (3) Other countries • Italy, U.K., etc.
 - 3. Overseas sales represent sales made by the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries in countries or regions other than Japan.

Transition of Performance by Each Quarter

Fiscal 2005 (consolidated)

| | 1st quarter | 2nd quarter | 3rd quarter | 4th quarter | Total |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|
| | Apr. 2004-Jun. 2004 | Jul. 2004-Sep. 2004 | Oct. 2004-Dec. 2004 | Jan. 2005-Mar. 2005 | Apr. 2004-Jun. 2004 |
| | million yen |
| Net Sales | 90, 911 | _ | _ | _ | 90, 911 |
| Gross Income | 12, 754 | - | - | - | 12, 754 |
| Operating Income | 1, 526 | _ | _ | _ | 1, 526 |
| Ordinary Income | 2, 027 | _ | _ | _ | 2, 027 |
| Income before Income Tax | 2, 285 | _ | _ | _ | 2, 285 |
| Net Income | 1, 356 | | _ | | 1, 356 |
| | yen | yen | yen | yen | yen |
| Net Income per Share | 3. 69 | _ | _ | _ | 3. 69 |
| Diluted Net Income per Share | 3. 68 | | _ | _ | 3. 68 |
| T | million yen |
| Total Asset | 324, 438 | _ | _ | | 324, 438 |
| Shareholders' Equity | 176, 357 | _ | _ | _ | 176, 357 |
| Shareholders' Equity per Share | 479. 92 | yen — | yen — | yen — | 479. 92 |
| | million yen |
| Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities | 3, 051 | _ | _ | _ | 3, 051 |
| Net Cash Used in Investing Activities | 6, 629 | _ | | _ | 6, 629 |
| Net Cash Provided by Financing Activities | —10, 437 | _ | _ | _ | —10 , 437 |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents at the End of Term | 7, 501 | _ | _ | _ | 7, 501 |

Fiscal 2004 (consolidated)

| | 1st Quarter | 2nd Quarter | 3rd Quarter | 4th Quarter | Total |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| | Apr. 2003-Jun. 2003 | Jul. 2003-Sep. 2003 | Oct. 2003-Dec. 2003 | Jan. 2004-Mar. 2004 | Apr. 2003- Mar. 2004 |
| | Million Yen | Million Yen | Million Yen | Million Yen | Million Yen |
| Net Sales | 79, 210 | 85, 302 | 81, 682 | 94, 276 | 340. 470 |
| Gross Income | 11, 201 | 12, 336 | 12, 626 | 13, 773 | 49, 936 |
| Operating Income (Loss) | -143 | 1, 268 | 1, 972 | 2, 685 | 5, 782 |
| Ordinary Income | 116 | 791 | 1, 145 | 3, 321 | 5, 373 |
| Income (Loss) before Income Tax | - 5 | — 8, 773 | 1, 113 | 4, 534 | — 3, 131 |
| Net Income (Loss) | -225 | - 5, 4 97 | 521 | 2, 953 | -2,248 |
| N 1 1 (1) | Yen | Yen | Yen | Yen | Yen |
| Net Income (Loss) per Share | − 0. 61 | −14 . 98 | 1. 43 | 8. 06 | − 6. 29 |
| Diluted Net Income per Share | 1 | 1 | 1. 43 | 8. 04 | - |
| Total Asset | Million Yen 350, 405 | Million Yen 343, 014 | Million Yen 334, 770 | Million Yen 333, 786 | Million Yen 333, 786 |
| Shareholders' Equity | 181, 376 | 174, 582 | 172, 817 | 176, 912 | 176, 912 |
| | Yen | Yen | Yen | Yen | Yen |
| Shareholders' Equity per Share | 493. 17 | 479. 95 | 476. 12 | 481. 30 | 481. 30 |
| Net Cash Provided by Operating | Million Yen | Million Yen | Million Yen | Million Yen | Million Men |
| Activities | 4, 910 | 5, 412 | 1, 604 | 14, 805 | 26, 731 |
| Net Cash Used in Investing Activities | − 1, 271 | 91 | 9, 152 | -9,029 | — 1, 057 |
| Net Cash Provided by Financing Activities | − 1, 937 | −7 , 494 | − 9, 100 | − 6, 841 | −25 , 372 |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents at the End of Term | 8, 712 | 6, 766 | 8, 691 | 7, 763 | 7, 763 |