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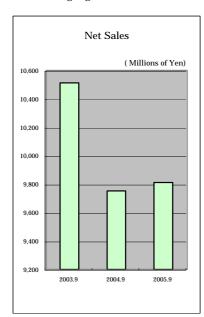
As of September 30, 2005

| Corporate Name | PROTO CORPORATION AS 01 September 30, 200 |
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| Founded | October 1 ,1977 |
| Established | June 1, 1979 |
| Common Stock | ¥1,824,620 thousand (as of September 30, 2005) |
| Head Office | 1-23-14, Aoi, Naka-ku, Nagoya 460-0006, Japan |
| | TEL 052-934-2000 FAX 052-930-4400 |
| Branch Offices | Sapporo, Sendai, Kita-Kanto, Tokyo, Hamamatsu, Nagoya, Osaka, Hiroshima, Fukuoka, Kumamoto |
| | Total of 10 Branch Offices |
| Fiscal Year-end | March 31 |
| Board of Directors | Chairman and Chief Executive Officer 'Hiroichi Yokoyama |
| and Statutory Auditors | Vice Chairman :Yoshihiro Yokoyama |
| | President and Chief Operating Officer :Tatsuzo Irikawa |
| | Vice President :Minoru Saito |
| | Managing Director :Motohisa Yokoyama |
| | Managing Director :Naoya Mizukawa |
| | Director :Susumu Kuramoto |
| | Director :Fujio Iimura |
| | Director :Shuji Yamaguchi |
| | Director Kenji Kamiya |
| | Director :Atsuya Okimura |
| | Standing Statutory Auditor Kenichi Mizuno |
| | Statutory Auditor :Wataru Shiomi |
| | Statutory Auditor Yoshio Arima |
| Number of Employees | 494 (as of September 30,2005) |
| Main Banks | The UFJ Bank, Ltd., The Sizuoka Bank, Ltd., The Mizuho Bank, Ltd. |
| Stock Exchange Listing | JASDAQ (Listed on September 12, 2001) |
| Wholly Owned Subsidiary | PROTO LINK Corporation |
| | (Data gathering for and editing and production of information magazines, |
| | advertising agency and distribution of paper used for printing) |
| Consolidated Subsidiar y | MPEC Corporation |
| | (Intermediary EC business of automobile sale) |
| Consolidated Subsidiar y | REPAIR – TECH INC. |
| | (Publishing information magazines for automobile repair industry, |
| Consolidated Subsidiary | development and sale of automobile repair estimation software) MARS FLAG Corporation |
| Component Substitut y | (Design and creation of Internet-related systems) |
| Wholly Owned Subsidiary | Shanghai Proto Corporation |
| whony owned substituting | (Market research covering automobile- and Internet-related markets) |
| Wholly Owned Subsidiary | YOYAKU NET Corporation |
| whony Owned Subsidiary | (Administration of a reservation site based on Beauty connection contents) |
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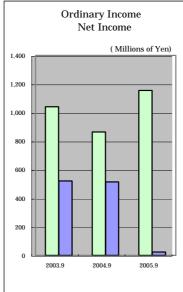
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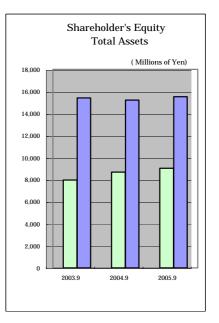
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Sales Breakdown Information(The First Half of The Year)

Total





| Fiscal Year-End | 2004.3 | 2005.3 | 2003.9 | 2004.9 | 2005.9 |
|---|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Net Sales (Thousands of Yen) | 20,781,415 | 19,778,878 | 10,513,662 | 9,753,441 | 9,811,925 |
| Ordinary Income (Thousands of Yen) | 1,927,464 | 1,715,695 | 1,041,791 | 864,442 | 1,154,900 |
| Net Income (Thousands of Yen) | 867,756 | 917,099 | 521,590 | 515,897 | 24,611 |
| Shareholder's Equity (Thousands of Yen) | 8,237,491 | 9,021,519 | 7,972,235 | 8,683,794 | 9,033,934 |
| Total Assets (Thousands of Yen) | 15,704,136 | 15,109,068 | 15,405,422 | 15,218,495 | 15,523,399 |
| Common Stock (Thousands of Yen) | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 |
| Shares Outstanding at Year-End | 8,725,000 | 8,725,000 | 8,725,000 | 8,725,000 | 8,725,000 |
| Total Employees | 568 | 575 | 602 | 576 | 594 |

| | 2003.9 | 2004.9 | 2005.9 |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Autos-Related Information | 9,412,879 | 8,985,160 | 9,376,221 |
| Information Registration Fees | 8,023,164 | 7,559,796 | 7,995,902 |
| Information Sales | 1,389,714 | 1,425,363 | 1,380,318 |
| Living-Related Information | 982,378 | 605,460 | 273,925 |
| Real Estate | 89,167 | 93,396 | 91,163 |
| Others | 29,237 | 69,423 | 70,615 |

10,513,662

9,753,441



| | | (7 | Thousands of Yen) |
|--|------------|------------|-------------------|
| As of September 30 | 2003.9 | 2004.9 | 2005.9 |
| (Assets) | | | |
| Current Assets | | | |
| Cash | 4,198,162 | 4,160,793 | 4,800,578 |
| Notes and Accounts Receivable-Trade | 2,889,358 | 2,602,382 | 2,469,038 |
| Inventory Assets | 75,183 | 69,508 | 92,169 |
| Other Current Assets | 310,720 | 283,496 | 339,128 |
| Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | -2,587 | -1,786 | -4,227 |
| Total Current Assets | 7,470,838 | 7,114,394 | 7,696,687 |
| Fixed Assets | | | |
| Tangible Fixed Assets | | | |
| Buildings and Structures | 2,464,002 | 2,387,171 | 2,016,993 |
| Land | 2,592,777 | 2,612,718 | 2,245,399 |
| Other Tangible Fixed Assets | 147,813 | 135,217 | 139,442 |
| Total Tangible Fixed Assets | 5,204,593 | 5,135,107 | 4,401,835 |
| Intangible Fixed Assets | | | |
| Consolidation Adjustments Account | 404,825 | 391,460 | 258,453 |
| Other Intangible Fixed Assets | 154,068 | 179,289 | 240,010 |
| Total Intangible Fixed Assets | 558,893 | 570,749 | 498,464 |
| Investments and Other Assets | | | |
| Investments in Capital | 843,112 | 810,180 | 268,446 |
| Long-term Time Deposits | 600,000 | 900,000 | 900,000 |
| Other Investments | 751,822 | 744,099 | 1,791,486 |
| Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | -23,838 | -56,036 | -33,521 |
| Total Investments and Other Assets | 2,171,097 | 2,398,243 | 2,926,411 |
| Total Fixed Assets | 7,934,583 | 8,104,101 | 7,826,712 |
| Total Assets | 15,405,422 | 15,218,495 | 15,523,399 |
| (Liabilities) | | | |
| Current Liabilities | | | |
| Notes and Accounts Payable-Trade | 2,215,951 | 1,904,962 | 1,801,134 |
| Current Portion of Long-Term Borrowings | 139,192 | 134,234 | 14,000 |
| Accrued Expenses | 942,808 | 939,723 | 1,152,639 |
| Accrued Income Taxes | 582,017 | 482,552 | 622,184 |
| Advances Received | 1,805,779 | 1,941,823 | 1,827,349 |
| Allowance for Sales Returns | 55,049 | 58,195 | 43,922 |
| Allowance for Bonus Payable | 18,406 | 24,962 | 30,556 |
| Other Current Liabilities | 201,631 | 121,618 | 162,764 |
| Total Current Liabilities | 5,960,836 | 5,608,072 | 5,654,551 |
| Long-Term Liabilities | ,,,,,,,, | -,, | -,, |
| Long-Term Borrowings | 308.534 | 174,300 | 37,000 |
| Allowance for Employee' Retirement Benefits | 47,597 | 23,651 | 24,321 |
| Allowance for Directors' Retirement Benefits | 368,827 | 199,987 | 202,640 |
| Other Long-Term Liabilities | 658,304 | 422,646 | 414,601 |
| Total Long-Term Liabilities | 1,383,262 | 820,584 | 678,562 |
| Total Liabilities | 7,344,098 | 6,428,657 | 6,333,114 |
| Minority Interests | 89,088 | 106,043 | 156,350 |
| (Shareholders' Equity) | | 200,020 | 200,000 |
| Common Stock | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 |
| Capital Surplus | 2,011,536 | 2,011,536 | 2,011,536 |
| Other Surplus | 4,127,998 | 4,787,342 | 4,999,506 |
| Unrealized Gains on Other Securities, Net of Tax | 12,584 | 64,800 | 202,992 |
| Treasury Stock | -4,503 | -4,503 | -4,503 |
| Total Shareholders' Equity | 7,972,235 | 8,683,794 | 9,033,934 |
| Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity | 15,405,422 | 15,218,495 | 15,523,399 |
| | 10,100,166 | 10,210,100 | 10,020,000 |

Net Income



| | | (7) | Thousands of Yen) |
|--|------------|-----------|-------------------|
| | 2003.9 | 2004.9 | 2005.9 |
| Net Sales | 10,513,662 | 9,753,441 | 9,811,925 |
| Cost of Sales | 5,234,738 | 5,007,010 | 4,706,123 |
| Reversal of Allowance for Sales Returns | 72,270 | 56,427 | 51,942 |
| Provision for Allowance for Sales Returns | 55,049 | 58,195 | 43,922 |
| Gross Profit | 5,296,145 | 4,744,662 | 5,113,822 |
| Selling, General and Administrative Expenses | 4,208,619 | 3,876,027 | 3,945,055 |
| Salaries for Directors and Employees | 1,627,119 | 1,557,426 | 1,758,979 |
| Provision for Allowance for Directors' Retirement Benefits | 7,300 | 7,460 | 7,700 |
| Provision for Allowance for Bonus Payable | 14,695 | 20,161 | 23,863 |
| Advertising | 755,785 | 494,346 | 354,094 |
| Provision for Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | 2,890 | 2,259 | 14,782 |
| Allowance for Depreciation on Consolidation Adjustment Account | 50,603 | 50,603 | 56,363 |
| Others | 1,750,226 | 1,743,770 | 1,729,272 |
| Operating Income | 1,087,526 | 868,635 | 1,168,766 |
| Non-Operating Income | 14,391 | 30,017 | 26,906 |
| Interest Income | 1,339 | 3,116 | 2,621 |
| Gains from insurance policy change | - | 14,439 | - |
| Other Income | 13,052 | 12,461 | 24,285 |
| Non-Operating Expenses | 60,125 | 34,209 | 40,772 |
| Interest Expenses of Loans | 4,363 | 3,538 | 940 |
| Investment Loss of Anonymous Association | 20,489 | 7,031 | - |
| Investment Loss of Business Association | - | 9,480 | 39,036 |
| Other Expenses | 35,272 | 14,158 | 795 |
| Ordinary Income | 1,041,791 | 864,442 | 1,154,900 |
| Extraordinary Income | 467 | 155,363 | 16,899 |
| Gains from Sales of Fixed Assets | 467 | 610 | 11 |
| Gains from Sales of Securities | - | 114,527 | - |
| Reversal of Directors' Retirement Benefits | - | 33,145 | 16,759 |
| Reversal of Allowance for doubtful debts | - | - | 128 |
| Gain from the prior-term adjustmets | - | 7,080 | - |
| Extraordinary Loss | 41 | 52,587 | 661,940 |
| Losses on Disposals of Fixed Assets | 41 | 1,216 | 35,934 |
| Loss from Write-Down of Securities | - | 12,919 | 2,610 |
| Losses on Dissolution of lease | - | 8,421 | 7,006 |
| Impairment loss | - | - | 612,389 |
| Loss from the prior-term adjustmets | - | 30,028 | - |
| Other Expenses | - | - | 4,000 |
| Income before Income Taxes | 1,042,218 | 967,219 | 509,859 |
| Income Taxes | 590,653 | 466,706 | 606,386 |
| Adjustment of Corporate Income Tax | -86,668 | -25,849 | -145,628 |
| Minority Interest in Earnings / Loss | 16,642 | 10,464 | 24,489 |
| Not Income | 591 500 | E1E 007 | 94 611 |

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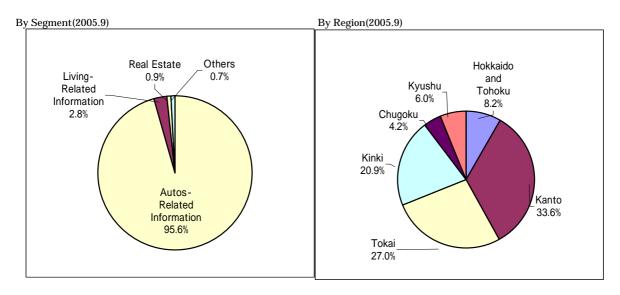
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| 4,618,478 |
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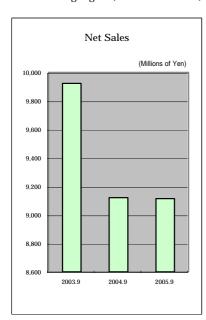
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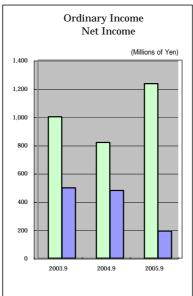


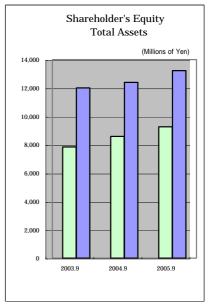
| By Segment(2005.9) | | | (Thousands of Yen) |
|-------------------------------|------------|-----------|--------------------|
| | 2003.9 | 2004.9 | 2005.9 |
| Autos-Related Information | 9,412,879 | 8,985,160 | 9,376,221 |
| Information Registration Fees | 8,023,164 | 7,559,796 | 7,995,902 |
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| Living-Related Information | 982,378 | 605,460 | 273,925 |
| Real Estate | 89,167 | 93,396 | 91,163 |
| Others | 29,237 | 69,423 | 70,615 |
| Total | 10,513,662 | 9,753,441 | 9,811,925 |

| By Region(2005.9) | | | (Thousands of Yen) |
|---------------------|------------|-----------|--------------------|
| | 2003.9 | 2004.9 | 2005.9 |
| Hokkaido and Tohoku | 942,467 | 788,507 | 807,960 |
| Kanto | 3,607,331 | 3,266,665 | 3,297,705 |
| Tokai | 2,677,893 | 2,660,636 | 2,648,181 |
| Kinki | 2,191,462 | 2,047,545 | 2,052,986 |
| Chugoku | 421,164 | 403,504 | 414,816 |
| Kyushu | 673,342 | 586,582 | 590,229 |
| Total | 10,513,662 | 9,753,441 | 9,811,925 |









| Fiscal Year-End | 2004.3 | 2005.3 | 2003.9 | 2004.9 | 2005.9 |
|---|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Net Sales (Thousands of Yen) | 19,523,265 | 18,442,015 | 9,923,835 | 9,121,614 | 9,113,749 |
| Ordinary Income (Thousands of Yen) | 1,802,994 | 1,749,916 | 1,000,984 | 818,417 | 1,234,192 |
| Net Income (Thousands of Yen) | 905,731 | 1,039,683 | 498,722 | 478,970 | 192,037 |
| Shareholder's Equity (Thousands of Yen) | 8,170,996 | 9,079,360 | 7,838,296 | 8,580,373 | 9,265,667 |
| Total Assets (Thousands of Yen) | 12,357,830 | 12,542,236 | 11,994,983 | 12,398,379 | 13,218,396 |
| Common Stock (Thousands of Yen) | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 |
| Shares Outstanding at Year-End | 8,725,000 | 8,725,000 | 8,725,000 | 8,725,000 | 8,725,000 |
| Total Employees | 498 | 484 | 532 | 496 | 494 |



| Non-Consolidated Balance Sheets (The First Half Of The Year) | | (T | housands of Yen) |
|---|------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| As of September 30 | 2003.9 | 2004.9 | 2005.9 |
| (Assets) | 2000.0 | 2001.0 | 2000.0 |
| Current Assets | | | |
| Cash | 2,975,394 | 2,765,580 | 3,637,248 |
| Notes Receivable-Trade | 74,997 | 86,586 | 79,987 |
| Accounts Receivable-Trade | 1,849,303 | 1,674,706 | 1,594,151 |
| Finished Goods and Merchandise | 1,755 | 560 | 378 |
| Work in Process | 238 | 5,029 | 16,907 |
| Supplies Prepaid Express | 21,436 62,646 | 20,108 57,790 | 13,489 99,113 |
| Deferred Tax Assets | 108,306 | 96,151 | 110,742 |
| Other Current Assets | 97,276 | 105,841 | 103,495 |
| Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | -2,433 | -1,424 | -953 |
| Total Current Assets | 5,188,921 | 4,810,930 | 5,654,561 |
| Fixed Assets | | | |
| Tangible Fixed Assets | | | |
| Buildings | 1,935,019 | 1,861,521 | 1,554,728 |
| Structures | 64,013 | 54,573 | 40,238 |
| Vehicles and Automotive Equipment | 11,489 | 8,122 | 5,281 |
| Tools , Furniture and Fixtures | 112,657 | 82,128 | 51,777 1,942,611 |
| Land Total Tangible Fixed Assets | 2,289,989 4,413,169 | 2,309,930 4,316,275 | 3,594,638 |
| Intangible Fixed Assets | 4,415,105 | 4,510,275 | 3,334,030 |
| Good Will | 5,166 | 3,166 | 1,166 |
| Trademark Rights | 500 | 420 | 340 |
| Software | 34,296 | 40,149 | 42,387 |
| Software in progress | - | - | 20,214 |
| Telephone Rights | 22,009 | 22,009 | 22,009 |
| Total Intangible Fixed Assets | 61,973 | 65,746 | 86,118 |
| Investments and Other Assets | | | |
| Investments in Securities | 227,929 | 313,630 | 1,444,598 |
| Investments in Affiliates | 653,564 | 1,143,564 | 1,293,564 |
| Investments in Capital | 570,734 | 537,802 | 20 |
| Bankrupt Credit | 6,998 18,532 | 37,964 19,080 | 3,995 19,416 |
| Long-term Prepaid Expenses Lease Deposits and Guarantee Money | 142,806 | 162,531 | 115,113 |
| Long-term Time Deposits | 600,000 | 900,000 | 900,000 |
| Deferred Tax Assets | 111,868 | 92,989 | 74,547 |
| Other Investments | 18,250 | 48,472 | 48,728 |
| Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | -19,764 | -50,607 | -16,905 |
| Total Investments and Other Assets | 2,330,918 | 3,205,427 | 3,883,078 |
| Total Fixed Assets | 6,806,062 | 7,587,449 | 7,563,835 |
| Total Assets | 11,994,983 | 12,398,379 | 13,218,396 |
| (Liabilities) Current Liabilities | | | |
| Notes Payable-Trade | 649,014 | 562,363 | 518,826 |
| Accounts Payable-Trade | 756,124 | 685,945 | 683,974 |
| Accounts Payable-others | 8,413 | 5,776 | 5,275 |
| Accrued Expenses | 924,118 | 902,982 | 1,051,095 |
| Accrued Income Taxes | 567,236 | 464,240 | 576,449 |
| Accrued Consumption Taxes | 97,748 | 44,039 | 80,828 |
| Advances Received | 826,703 | 817,530 | 705,343 |
| Deposits Received | 53,488 | 45,598 | 45,757 |
| Allowance for Sales Returns | 55,049 | 58,195 | 43,922 |
| Other Current Liabilities | 1,680 | 1,446 | 747 |
| Total Current Liabilities | 3,939,577 | 3,588,119 | 3,712,220 |
| Long-Term Liabilities Allowance for Directors' Retirement Benefits | 155,360 | 169,410 | 182,910 |
| Other Long-Term Liabilities | 61,750 | 60,476 | 57,598 |
| Total Long-Term Liabilities | 217,110 | 229,886 | 240,508 |
| Total Liabilities | 4,156,687 | 3,818,006 | 3,952,729 |
| (Shareholders' Equity) | | | |
| Common Stock | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 |
| Capital Surplus | 2,011,536 | 2,011,536 | 2,011,536 |
| Retained Earnings | | | |
| Appropriation of Retained Earnings | 254,155 | 254,155 | 254,155 |
| General Reserve | 3,130,000 | 3,830,000 | 4,630,000 |
| Unapporpriated Retained Earnings | 616,504 | 599,765 | 346,867 |
| Total Retained Earnings Unrealized Gains on Other Securities, Net of Tax | 4,000,659 5,983 | 4,683,920 64,800 | 5,231,022 202,992 |
| Treasury Stock | -4,503 | -4,503 | -4,503 |
| Total Shareholders' Equity | 7,838,296 | 8,580,373 | 9,265,667 |
| Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity | 11,994,983 | 12,398,379 | 13,218,396 |
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| | | ('. | Thousands of Yen) |
|--|-----------|-----------|-------------------|
| | 2003.9 | 2004.9 | 2005.9 |
| Net Sales | 9,923,835 | 9,121,614 | 9,113,749 |
| Cost of Sales | 5,140,883 | 4,917,424 | 4,631,108 |
| Reversal of Allowance for Sales Returns | 72,270 | 56,427 | 51,942 |
| Provision for Allowance for Sales Returns | 55,049 | 58,195 | 43,922 |
| Gross Profit | 4,800,173 | 4,202,422 | 4,490,661 |
| Selling, General and Administrative Expenses | 3,781,814 | 3,387,038 | 3,244,408 |
| Salaries for Directors | 138,713 | 141,219 | 141,436 |
| Salaries for Employees | 1,308,904 | 1,204,470 | 1,358,850 |
| Provision for Allowance for Directors' Retirement Benefits | 6,800 | 7,250 | 7,250 |
| Advertising | 685,887 | 490,252 | 336,674 |
| Provision for Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | 922 | 2,345 | - |
| Payable Commission | 227,304 | 209,121 | 185,404 |
| Depreciation | 43,531 | 37,719 | 34,187 |
| Others | 1,369,750 | 1,294,660 | 1,180,606 |
| Operating Income | 1,018,359 | 815,384 | 1,246,252 |
| Non-Operating Income | 12,621 | 13,077 | 27,109 |
| Interest Income | 1,285 | 3,062 | 2,511 |
| Dividends received | 2,022 | 1,783 | 16,868 |
| Other Income | 9,313 | 8,231 | 7,729 |
| Non-Operating Expenses | 29,995 | 10,043 | 39,168 |
| Investment Loss of Business Association | - | 9,480 | 132 |
| Other Expenses | 29,995 | 562 | 39,036 |
| Ordinary Income | 1,000,984 | 818,417 | 1,234,192 |
| Extraordinary Income | 467 | 118,854 | 77 |
| Gains from Sales of Fixed Assets | 467 | 554 | 11 |
| Reversal of Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | - | - | 65 |
| Gains from Sales of Securities | - | 114,527 | - |
| Gain from the prior-term adjustmets | - | 3,772 | - |
| Extraordinary Loss | 41 | 36,445 | 623,667 |
| Losses on Disposals of Fixed Assets | 41 | · = | 35,934 |
| Loss from Write-Down of Securities | - | 12,919 | 2,610 |
| Losses on Compensation for Damages | - | - | 4,000 |
| Losses on Dissolution of lease | - | 4,797 | 3,916 |
| Impairment loss | - | · = | 577,206 |
| Loss from the prior-term adjustmets | - | 18,728 | - |
| Income before Income Taxes | 1,001,411 | 900,826 | 610,602 |
| Income Taxes | 575,800 | 448,900 | 562,600 |
| Adjustment of Corporate Income Tax | -73,111 | -27,044 | -144,035 |
| Net Income | 498,722 | 478,970 | 192,037 |
| Unappropriated Retained Earnings Broughe Forward | 117,782 | 120,795 | 154,829 |
| Unappropriated Retained Earnings | 616,504 | 599,765 | 346,867 |
| Chappropriated Netained Earnings | 310,004 | 300,700 | 040,007 |

Reference Data



2003.3 2004.3 2005.3 As of March 31 (Assets) **Current Assets** Cash 3,346,069 4,390,360 4,192,492 3,068,117 Notes and Accounts Receivable-Trade 2.942.288 2.651.230 80,584 46,235 90,464 **Inventory Assets** 225,284 181,431 194,547 Other Current Assets Allowance for Doubtful Accounts -3 568 -1.940 -1 945 6,716,487 7,558,374 7,126,789 Total Current Assets Fixed Assets Tangible Fixed Assets 2,498,975 2,425,970 2,323,721 **Buildings and Structures** 2,592,777 2,592,777 2,612,718 Other Tangible Fixed Assets 129,837 137,880 144,892 **Total Tangible Fixed Assets** 5,221,590 5,156,628 5,081,331 Intangible Fixed Assets 455,428 354,221 314,817 Consolidation Adjustments Account Other Intangible Fixed Assets 149,449 169.581 216.261 604.877 523.803 531.079 **Total Intangible Fixed Assets** Investments and Other Assets Investments in securities 275,330 255,837 859,112 Investments in Capital 872,498 819,261 300,000 900,000 Long-term Time Deposits 900,000 417,138 595,396 Other Investments 546,208 -22,652 -55,977 -26,128 Allowance for Doubtful Accounts Total Investments and Other Assets 1,842,314 2,465,329 2,369,868 **Total Fixed Assets** 7,668,782 7,982,279 8,145,761 **Total Assets** 14,385,270 15,704,136 15,109,068 (Liabilities) Current Liabilities 2.003.868 2 599 909 2.312.215 Notes and Accounts Payable-Trade Current Portion of Long-Term Borrowings 139,192 139,192 53,900 119,417 677,349 374,882 **Accrued Income Taxes** Accrued Expenses 587,911 662,808 769,842 Advances Received 1,613,960 1,786,802 1,778,099 Allowance for Sales Returns 72,270 56,427 51,942 Allowance for Bonus Payable 16,457 22,564 25,471 Other Current Liabilities 206,011 560,765 199,125 **Total Current Liabilities** 5,355,128 6,218,125 5,257,132 Long-Term Liabilities Bonds payable 250,000 250.000 378 130 238 938 44 000 Long-Term Borrowings 46,676 57,479 22,757 Allowance for Employee' Retirement Benefits Allowance for Directors' Retirement Benefits 364,347 192,317 212,699 Other Long-Term Liabilities 389,461 416,675 419,099 Total Long-Term Liabilities 1,428,614 698,556 1,155,410 **Total Liabilities** 6,783,743 7,373,536 5,955,688 Minority Interests 72,446 93,108 131,860 (Shareholders' Equity) Common Stock 1,824,620 1,824,620 1,824,620 Capital Surplus 2,011,536 2,011,536 2,011,536 Other Surplus
Unrealized Losses on Other Securities, INET of 3,711,389 4,386,964 5,101,344 18,874 -13,961 90.274 Tax Foreign Exchange Adjustment Account -1.752-4,503 Treasury Stock -4,503 -4,503 Total Shareholders' Equity 7,529,080 8,237,491 9,021,519 Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity 14,385,270 15,704,136 15,109,068

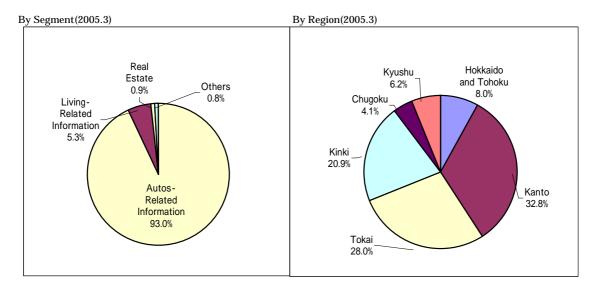


| Consolidated Statements of Income (A Year) | | | (Thousands of Yen) |
|--|------------|------------|--------------------|
| Fiscal Years Ended March 31 | 2003.3 | 2004.3 | 2005.3 |
| Net Sales | 19,217,991 | 20,781,415 | 19,778,878 |
| Cost of Sales | 9,842,882 | 10,450,856 | 9,831,164 |
| Reversal of Allowance for Sales Returns | 52,097 | 72,270 | 56,427 |
| Provision for Allowance for Sales Returns | 72,270 | 56,427 | 51,942 |
| Gross Profit | 9,354,936 | 10,346,401 | 9,952,199 |
| Selling, General and Administrative Expenses | 8,172,073 | 8,363,611 | 8,227,108 |
| Salaries for Directors and Employees | 3,050,245 | 3,196,249 | 3,179,177 |
| Provision for Allowance for Directors' Retirement Benefits | 26,708 | 16,148 | 20,381 |
| Provision for Allowance for Bonus Payable | 13,321 | 18,375 | 21,236 |
| Advertising | 1,882,859 | 1,357,486 | 1,303,924 |
| Provision for Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | 7,556 | 9,220 | 8,649 |
| Allowance for Depreciation on Consolidation Adjustment Account | 50,603 | 101,206 | 112,924 |
| Others | 3,140,778 | 3,664,923 | 3,580,813 |
| Operating Income | 1,182,863 | 1,982,790 | 1,725,090 |
| Non-Operating Income | 58,939 | 44,948 | 49,999 |
| Interest Income | 477 | 2,851 | 8,588 |
| Insurance Refunds | - | 20,775 | 5,490 |
| Gains from insurance policy change | - | - | 14,439 |
| Income from Sales of Used Paper | - | 8,112 | 6,949 |
| Other Income | 58,462 | 13,208 | 14,531 |
| Non-Operating Expenses | 13,313 | 100,274 | 59,394 |
| Interest Expenses of Loans | 11,639 | 10,960 | 8,379 |
| Investment Loss of Anonymous Association | - | 33,700 | 5,088 |
| Investment Loss of Business Association | - | 46,722 | 27,688 |
| Loss on Insurance Claims | - | - | 7,881 |
| Other Expenses | 1,674 | 8,890 | 10,356 |
| Ordinary Income | 1,228,488 | 1,927,464 | 1,715,695 |
| Extraordinary Income | 0 | 14,478 | 211,484 |
| Gains from Sales of Fixed Assets | - | 940 | 1,862 |
| Gains from Sales of Securities | - | 13,537 | 114,527 |
| Reversal of Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | - | - | 10,000 |
| Reversal of Directors' Retirement Benefits | - | - | 33,145 |
| Gain from the prior-term adjustmets | - | - | 38,624 |
| Other Income | - | - | 13,324 |
| Extraordinary Loss | 26,848 | 174,477 | 149,156 |
| Losses on Disposals/Sales of Inventories | - | - | 10,003 |
| Losses from Sales of Fixed Assets | 6,510 | 34 | 441 |
| Losses on Disposals of Fixed Assets | 3,730 | 11,661 | 32,633 |
| Loss from Sales of Securities | - | - | 894 |
| Loss from Write-Down of Securities | 16,607 | - | 12,919 |
| Losses on Dissolution of lease | - | 17,808 | 16,920 |
| Special Retirement Bonuses for Directors | - | 111,100 | - |
| Provision for Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | - | 28,378 | - |
| Transfer to Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | - | - | 14,946 |
| Loss from the prior-term adjustmets | - | - | 52,156 |
| Other Expenses | - | 5,494 | 8,240 |
| Income before Income Taxes | 1,201,640 | 1,767,465 | 1,778,023 |
| Income Taxes | 504,871 | 928,526 | 801,460 |
| Adjustment of Corporate Income Tax | 12,943 | -49,480 | 32,209 |
| Minority Interest in Earnings / Loss | 22,047 | 20,662 | 27,254 |
| Net Income | 661,778 | 867,756 | 917,099 |



| | | (Thousands of Ten) |
|------------|---|--|
| 2003.3 | 2004.3 | 2005.3 |
| -260,862 | 2,186,413 | 614,756 |
| | | |
| -1,066,354 | -829,233 | -113,557 |
| | | |
| -351,780 | -312,888 | -698,354 |
| | | |
| - | - | -712 |
| -1,678,996 | 1,044,291 | -197,868 |
| 4,842,966 | 3,163,969 | 4,208,260 |
| 3,163,969 | 4,208,260 | 4,010,392 |
| 502 677 | 133 476 | 146,716 |
| 175,986 | 188,505 | 180,450 |
| | -260,862 -1,066,354 -351,780 -1,678,996 4,842,966 3,163,969 502,677 | -260,862 2,186,413 -1,066,354 -829,233 -351,780 -312,888 -1,678,996 1,044,291 4,842,966 3,163,969 3,163,969 4,208,260 -502,677 133,476 |

Sales Breakdown Information (A Year)



| By Segment(2005.3) | | | (Thousands of Yen) |
|-------------------------------|------------|------------|--------------------|
| | 2003.3 | 2004.3 | 2005.3 |
| Autos-Related Information | 17,971,474 | 18,774,732 | 18,397,324 |
| Information Registration Fees | 15,650,724 | 15,938,820 | 15,584,413 |
| Information Sales | 2,320,750 | 2,835,911 | 2,812,910 |
| Living-Related Information | 979,410 | 1,749,637 | 1,053,399 |
| Real Estate | 178,183 | 176,601 | 177,542 |
| Others | 88,923 | 80,444 | 150,611 |
| Total | 19,217,991 | 20,781,415 | 19,778,878 |

| By Region(2005.3) | | | (Thousands of Yen) |
|---------------------|------------|------------|--------------------|
| | 2003.3 | 2004.3 | 2005.3 |
| Hokkaido and Tohoku | 1,821,439 | 1,768,133 | 1,585,012 |
| Kanto | 6,034,454 | 6,957,743 | 6,496,110 |
| Tokai | 5,278,379 | 5,552,626 | 5,535,769 |
| Kinki | 3,883,212 | 4,367,104 | 4,124,494 |
| Chugoku | 836,631 | 834,728 | 816,489 |
| Kyushu | 1,363,874 | 1,301,079 | 1,221,002 |
| Total | 19,217,991 | 20,781,415 | 19,778,878 |



| Non-Consolidated Balance Sheets (A Year) As of March 31 | 2003.3 | 2004.3 | (Thousands of Yen) 2005.3 |
|--|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| (Assets) | 2003.3 | 2004.3 | 2005.5 |
| Current Assets | | | |
| Cash | 2,264,473 | 3,001,756 | 3,031,679 |
| Notes Receivable-Trade | 76,446 | 88,786 | 88,922 |
| Accounts Receivable-Trade | 1,979,531 | 1,942,795 | 1,726,531 |
| Finished Goods and Merchandise | 1,961 | 581 | 2,767 |
| Work in Process | 6,054 | 3,870 | 17,650 |
| Supplies | 40,149 | 16,496 | 9,918 |
| Prepaid Express Deferred Tax Assets | 76,306 36,687 | 74,128 77,346 | 95,306 50,912 |
| Other Current Assets | 88,908 | 16.620 | 12,574 |
| Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | -2,564 | -1,574 | -1,001 |
| Total Current Assets | 4,567,955 | 5,220,807 | 5,035,261 |
| Fixed Assets | | | |
| Tangible Fixed Assets | | | |
| Buildings | 1,977,538 | 1,897,835 | 1,814,247 |
| Structures | 65,509 | 58,538 | 49,103 |
| Ship | 669 | - | |
| Vehicles and Automotive Equipment | 15,303 | 9,886 | 8,557 |
| Tools , Furniture and Fixtures | 102,134 | 94,192 | 68,082 |
| Land Tatal Tangible Fixed Assets | 2,289,989 | 2,289,989 4,350,442 | 2,309,930 |
| Total Tangible Fixed Assets | 4,451,144 | 4,350,442 | 4,249,921 |
| Intangible Fixed Assets Good Will | 6,166 | 4,166 | 2,166 |
| Trademark Rights | 540 | 4,100 | 380 |
| Software | 27,304 | 45.282 | 52,953 |
| Telephone Rights | 22,009 | 22,009 | 22,009 |
| Total Intangible Fixed Assets | 56,021 | 71,919 | 77,510 |
| Investments and Other Assets | 00,021 | 71,010 | 77,010 |
| Investments in Securities | 190,776 | 255,837 | 859,112 |
| Investments in Affiliates | 653,564 | 653,564 | 1,143,564 |
| Investments in Capital | 600,120 | 546,882 | 20 |
| Investments - affiliated companies | - | - | 30,000 |
| Bankrupt Credit | 7,364 | 37,817 | 9,241 |
| Long-term Prepaid Expenses | 25,161 | 17,986 | 19,694 |
| Lease Deposits and Guarantee Money | 127,180 | 219,330 | 154,081 |
| Long-term Time Deposits | 300,000 | 900,000 | 900,000 |
| Deferred Tax Assets | 121,048 | 115,459 | 67,257 |
| Other Investments | 18,000 | 18,250 | 18,472 |
| Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | -20,113 | -50,467 | -21,901 |
| Total Investments and Other Assets | 2,023,102 | 2,714,660 7,137,023 | 3,179,542 |
| Total Fixed Assets Total Assets | 6,530,268 11,098,224 | 12,357,830 | 7,506,974 12,542,236 |
| (Liabilities) | 11,000,224 | 12,557,650 | 12,342,230 |
| Current Liabilities | | | |
| Notes Payable-Trade | 692,865 | 608,577 | 556,894 |
| Accounts Payable-Trade | 821,040 | 921,049 | 714,942 |
| Accounts Payable-others | 4,722 | 5,424 | 5,473 |
| Accrued Expenses | 762,191 | 649,009 | 681,225 |
| Accrued Income Taxes | 107,776 | 651,707 | 339,646 |
| Accrued Consumption Taxes | 56,832 | 112,436 | 36,245 |
| Advances Received | 815,131 | 850,585 | 750,684 |
| Deposits Received | 118,889 | 106,279 | 94,411 |
| Allowance for Sales Returns | 72,270 | 56,427 | 51,942 |
| Other Current Liabilities | 924 | 1,638 | 858 |
| Total Current Liabilities | 3,452,644 | 3,963,135 | 3,232,324 |
| Long-Term Liabilities | 151 200 | 109 100 | 170 000 |
| Allowance for Directors' Retirement Benefits | 151,380 65,285 | 162,160 61,537 | 176,660 53,890 |
| Other Long-Term Liabilities Total Long-Term Liabilities | 216,665 | 223,697 | 230,550 |
| Total Liabilities | 3,669,310 | 4,186,833 | 3,462,875 |
| (Shareholders' Equity) | 0,000,010 | 1,100,000 | 0,102,010 |
| Common Stock | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 | 1,824,620 |
| Capital Surplus | 2,011,536 | 2,011,536 | 2,011,536 |
| Retained Earnings | , , | , , | ,. , |
| Appropriation of Retained Earnings | 254,155 | 254,155 | 254,155 |
| General Reserve | 2,730,000 | 3,130,000 | 3,830,000 |
| Unapporpriated Retained Earnings | 622,764 | 936,315 | 1,073,278 |
| Total Retained Earnings | 3,606,919 | 4,320,470 | 5,157,433 |
| Unrealized Losses on Other Securities, Net of | -9,657 | 18,874 | 90,274 |
| Treasury Stock | -4,503 | -4,503 | -4,503 |
| Total Shareholders' Equity | 7,428,914 | 8,170,996 | 9,079,360 |
| Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity | 11,098,224 | 12,357,830 | 12,542,236 |



| Non-Consolidated Statements of Income (A Year) | 2003.3 | 2004.3 | (Thousands of Yen) 2005.3 |
|--|------------|-------------------|------------------------------|
| Fiscal Years Ended March 31 Net Sales | | | |
| | 18,400,139 | 19,523,265 | 18,442,015 |
| Cost of Sales | 9,747,083 | 10,251,923 | 9,748,997 |
| Reversal of Allowance for Sales Returns | 52,097 | 72,270 | 56,427 |
| Provision for Allowance for Sales Returns | 72,270 | 56,427 | 51,942 |
| Gross Profit | 8,632,883 | 9,287,185 | 8,697,502 |
| Selling, General and Administrative Expenses | 7,636,502 | 7,457,772 | 6,944,178 |
| Salaries for Directors | 263,126 | 277,462 | 285,803 |
| Salaries for Employees | 2,522,867 | 2,529,164 | 2,372,528 |
| Provision for Allowance for Directors' Retirement Benefits | 24,000 | 13,600 | 14,500 |
| Advertising | 1,928,753 | 1,377,560 | 1,285,713 |
| Provision for Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | 5,692 | 5,352 | 5,364 |
| Sales Promotion | 284,247 | 607,070 | 390,453 |
| Payable Commission | 457,775 | 446,700 | 400,030 |
| Depreciation | 89,106 | 88,070 | 75,526 |
| Others | 2,060,934 | 2,112,791 | 2,114,285 |
| Operating Income | 996,380 | 1,829,412 | 1,753,323 |
| Non-Operating Income | 119,221 | 23,473 | 24,909 |
| Interest Income | 154 | 2,753 | 8,488 |
| Insurance Refunds | - | 1,887 | - |
| Income from Sales of Used Paper | - | 8,112 | 6,949 |
| Other Income | 119,066 | 10,720 | 9,470 |
| Non-Operating Expenses | 3,267 | 49,891 | 28,317 |
| Interest Expenses of Loans | 2,493 | - | - |
| Investment Loss of Business Association | - | 46,722 | 27,688 |
| Other Expenses | 773 | 3,168 | 628 |
| Ordinary Income | 1,112,335 | 1,802,994 | 1,749,916 |
| Extraordinary Income | - | 940 | 158,286 |
| Gains from Sales of Fixed Assets | - | 940 | 1,806 |
| Gains from Sales of Securities | - | - | 114,527 |
| Reversal of Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | - | - | 10,000 |
| Gain from the prior-term adjustmets | - | - | 31,951 |
| Extraordinary Loss | 16,911 | 55,605 | 84,739 |
| Losses on Disposals/Sales of Inventories | - | - | 10,003 |
| Losses from Sales of Fixed Assets | | 34 | 441 |
| Losses on Disposals of Fixed Assets | 303 | 11,661 | 7,836 |
| Loss from Sales of Securities | - | - | 894 |
| Loss from Write-Down of Securities | 16,607 | - | 12,919 |
| Provision for Allowance for Doubtful Accounts | - | 28,378 | - |
| Losses on Dissolution of lease | _ | 10,036 | 9,415 |
| Loss from the prior-term adjustmets | _ | - | 34,987 |
| Other Expenses | _ | 5,494 | 8,240 |
| Income before Income Taxes | 1,095,424 | 1,748,329 | 1,823,463 |
| Income Taxes | 490,073 | 900,000 | 755,000 |
| Adjustment of Corporate Income Tax | 12,558 | -57,402 | 28,780 |
| Net Income | 592,793 | 905,731 | 1,039,683 |
| Unappropriated Retained Earnings Broughe Forward | | 117,782 | |
| 11 1 | 117,206 | | 120,795 |
| Interim Dividends Paid | 87,235 | 87,199 036 315 | 87,199 |
| Unappropriated Retained Earnings | 622,764 | 936,315 | 1,073,278 |