DENSO CORPORATION and Consolidated Subsidiaries Consolidated Financial Results for the First Quarter Ended June 30, 2004

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Results for the First Quarter ended June 30, 2004 (From April 1, 2004 to June 30, 2004)

(1) Operating Results (Millions of yen, except per share figures) Three months ended Three months ended Year ended June 30, 2004 June 30, 2003 March 31, 2004 680,284 614,367 2,562,411 Net sales.... % change from the previous corresponding period..... 10.7% 9.8% 59.954 51,724 188,659 Operating income..... % change from the previous corresponding period...... 15.9% 18.0% Income before income taxes and minority interest...... 63,694 57,710 185,892 % change from the previous corresponding period...... 10.4% (20.4%)36,956 29,123 110,027 Net income..... 26.9% (0.9%)% change from the previous corresponding period..... Basic net income per share..... 34.53 yen44.32 yen 130.02 yenFully diluted net income per share 44.30 yen 130.01 yen

- Notes: 1. % change from the previous corresponding period of June 30, 2003 data is omitted because quarterly financial statements started from previous fiscal term.

 2. "Fully diluted net income per share" on the previous corresponding period is not disclosed because it is
 - anti-dilutive.

(2) Financial Position

Financial Position		(Millions of yen, except per share		
	As of	As of	As of	
	June 30, 2004	March 31, 2004	June 30, 2003	
Total assets	2,596,081	2,526,502	2,362,189	
Shareholders' equity	1,568,436	1,509,489	1,450,886	
Shareholders' equity ratio	60.4 %	59.7 %	61.4 %	
Shareholders' equity per share	1,880.91 yen	1,809.55 yen	1,720.38 yen	

Note: "Shareholders' equity per share" is based upon the number of shares outstanding as of the respective balance sheet dates.

(3) Consolidation Scope

Number of consolidated subsidiaries : 164 Number of unconsolidated subsidiaries

28 (Affiliates accounted for by the equity method: 28) Number of affiliates

(4) Changes in Consolidation Scope and Application of the Equity Method

Consolidated subsidiaries Added 0 Excluded 0

Companies accounted for by the equity method

Added : 0 Excluded

Consolidated Statements of Income

	Three months ended	Three months ended	Increase	Millions of yen Year ended
	June 30, 2004	June 30, 2003	(Decrease)	March 31, 2004
Net Sales	680,284	614,367	65,917	2,562,411
Cost of Sales	555,504	504,856		2,128,604
Gross profit	124,780	109,511	15,269	433,807
Selling, General and Administrative Expenses	64,826	57,787		245,148
Operating income	59,954	51,724	8,230	188,659
Other Income (Expenses):				
Interest and dividend income	3,337	2,987		8,311
Interest expense	(830)	(1,148)		(3,448)
Equity in earnings of affiliates	874	151		2,333
Gain on exemption from future pension obligation of the governmental program	_	1,429		1,429
Gain on transfer to defined contribution pension plans	_	379		667
Impairment loss on fixed assets	(1,004)	_		_
Impairment loss on investment securities	(62)	(150)		(361)
Loss on settlement of the substitution of governmental pension program due to return of corresponding plan assets	onal –	_		(12,132)
Other, net	1,425	2,338		434
Income before income taxes and minority interests	63,694	57,710	5,984	185,892
Income Taxes:				
Current	15,726	18,380		88,990
Deferred	9,065	8,107		(20,579)
Minority Interests in Net Income	1,947	2,100		7,454
Net income	36,956	29,123	7,833	110,027

Consolidated Balance Sheets

				Millions of yen
	As of	As of	Increase	As of
Assets	June 30, 2004	March 31, 2004	(Decrease)	June 30, 2003
Current Assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	241,051	244,509		225,994
Short-term investments	27,010	28,709		39,045
Notes and accounts receivable,				
less allowance for doubtful accounts	468,309	473,178		423,833
Inventories	215,385	214,751		203,445
Deferred income taxes	35,179	43,745		31,548
Other current assets	54,301	54,104	(1===1)	50,357
Total current assets	1,041,235	1,058,996	(17,761)	974,222
Property, Plant and Equipment:				
Buildings and structures	565,919	563,439		554,075
Machinery and equipment	1,793,870	1,766,964		1,726,178
	2,359,789	2,330,403		2,280,253
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(1,784,187)	(1,758,281)		(1,726,225)
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Land	141,982	142,858		140,224
Construction in progress Net property, plant and equipment	69,587 787,171	62,076 777,056	10,115	78,407 772,659
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Investments and Other assets	767,675	690,450	77,225	615,308
Total	2,596,081	2,526,502	69,579	2,362,189
	As of	As of	Increase	Millions of yen As of
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	June 30, 2004	March 31, 2004	(Decrease)	June 30, 2003
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Current Liabilities:	41 400	40.006		21 459
Short-term borrowings	41,428	49,996		31,452
Current portion of long-term debt	1,949	3,325		4,856
Notes and accounts payable	338,721	344,674		302,340
Income taxes payable	15,353	43,556		17,746
Accrued expenses	147,917	105,187		144,175
Accrued bonuses to employees	25,404	49,262		24,302
Other current liabilities	52,601	53,817		50,026
Total current liabilities	623,373	649,817	(26,444)	574,897
Long-term Liabilities:	,	,	. , ,	,
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Long-term debt	140,559	122,826		108,293
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Liability for employees' retirement benefits	145,025	143,160		140,488
Other long-term liabilities	45,846	29,275	22.122	17,434
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Segment Information

. Geographical Segi	ments (by compan	y location)			Millions of yer
			Three months ended	Three months ended	Year ended
			June 30, 2004	June 30, 2003	March 31, 2004
Sales	Japan	Customers	380,172	336,936	1,469,552
		Intersegment	110,968	99,526	416,245
		Total	491,140	436,462	1,885,797
	The Americas	Customers	147,667	143,968	549,208
		Intersegment	2,087	2,302	8,532
		Total	149,754	146,270	557,740
	Europe	Customers	95,183	83,322	333,486
		Intersegment	1,704	924	4,809
		Total	96,887	84,246	338,295
	Asia & Oceania	Customers	57,262	50,141	210,165
		Intersegment	4,090	2,994	13,438
		Total	61,352	53,135	223,603
	Eliminations		(118,849)	(105,746)	(443,024
	Consolidated		680,284	614,367	2,562,411
Operating Income	Japan		48,595	36,536	153,473
(Loss)	The Americas		9,025	10,731	24,833
	Europe		(707)	(289)	(4,250)
	Asia & Oceania		4,090	5,249	14,903
	Eliminations		(1,049)	(503)	(300
	Consolidated		59,954	51,724	188,659

. Sales by Customer Location			Millions of yen
•	Three months ended June 30, 2004	Three months ended June 30, 2003	Year ended March 31, 2004
Japan	370,730	330,154	1,442,645
	54.5%	53.7%	56.3%
The Americas	150,071	145,713	557,035
	22.1%	23.7%	21.7%
Europe	95,281	83,313	332,019
	14.0%	13.6%	13.0%
Asia & Oceania	62,792	53,499	224,511
	9.2%	8.7%	8.8%
Others	1,410	1,688	6,201
	0.2%	0.3%	0.2%
Net Sales	680,284	614,367	2,562,411