

## FY2022 (Period Ended March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023) Financial Briefing

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## **Financial Results for FY2022**

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- FY22 was a turbulent year. Amidst the end of the semiconductor demand spike triggered by COVID-19, global macroeconomic weakness, and a semiconductor market slowdown, the favorable business environment of 1H turned sharply downward in 2H.
- Nevertheless, Advantest's sales, operating income, and net income achieved record highs due to:
  - Market share gains enabled by further reinforcement of our broad product portfolio and global sales and support network
  - Strategic parts procurement and management of production and shipments
  - Significant boost from JPY depreciation
- ROE also reached a record high at 39.3% (30.4% in the previous fiscal year)



### **FY22 Summary of Results**

		FY21	FY21 FY22					
		Results	Forecast as of Jan. 2023	Results	vs. F			
Optop		440.0		500.0	(Δ)	(%)		
Sales		416.9	550.0	560.2	+143.3	+34.4%		
Operating Income		114.7	170.0	167.7	+53.0	+46.2%		
Operating Margin		27.5%	30.9%	29.9%	+2.4pts			
Income Before Tax		116.3	174.0	171.3	+54.9	+47.2%		
Net Income		87.3	130.0	130.4	+43.1 +49.49			
Net Income Margin		20.9%	23.6%	23.3%	+2.4pts			
Evolution Rate	1 US\$	¥112	¥134	¥134	¥22 Depreciation			
Exchange Rate	1 Euro	¥130	¥139	¥140	¥10 Depr	eciation		
Dividend Per Share		¥120	¥135	¥135*1	+¥15			
Share Repurchase		70.0	-	50.0	-20.0			
Total Shareholder Re	turn Ratio*2	107%	-	58%	-49	ots		

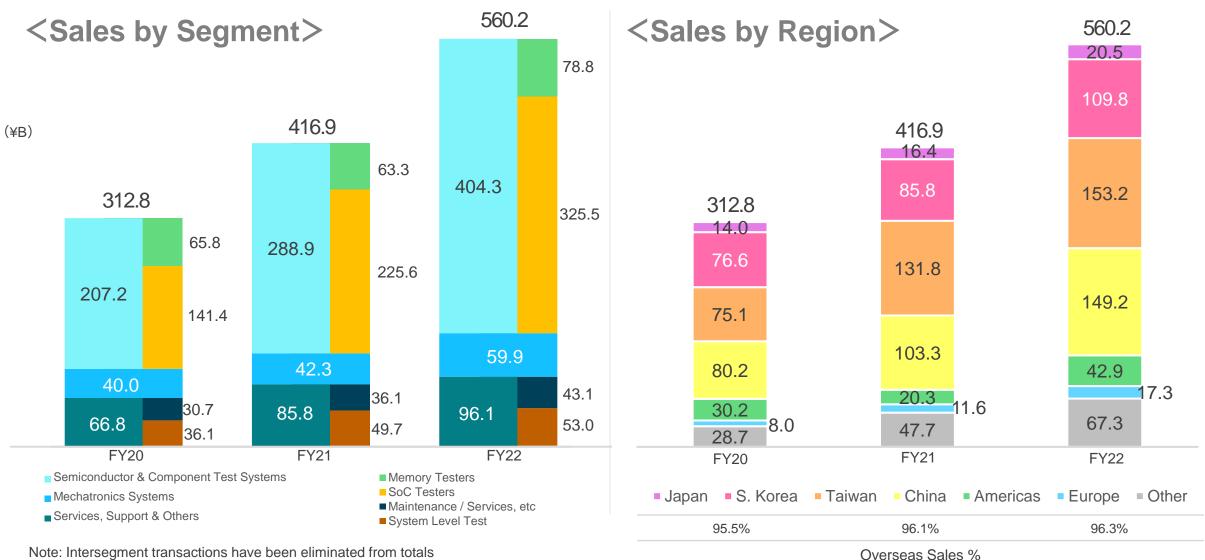
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\*1: The year-end dividends for FY22 will be formally resolved at the Board of Directors' meeting held on May 19, 2023

\*2: Total shareholder return ratio = (Total dividends +Total share repurchases) ÷ Net Income



## FY22 Sales by Segment / Region



Note: Intersegment transactions have been eliminated from totals

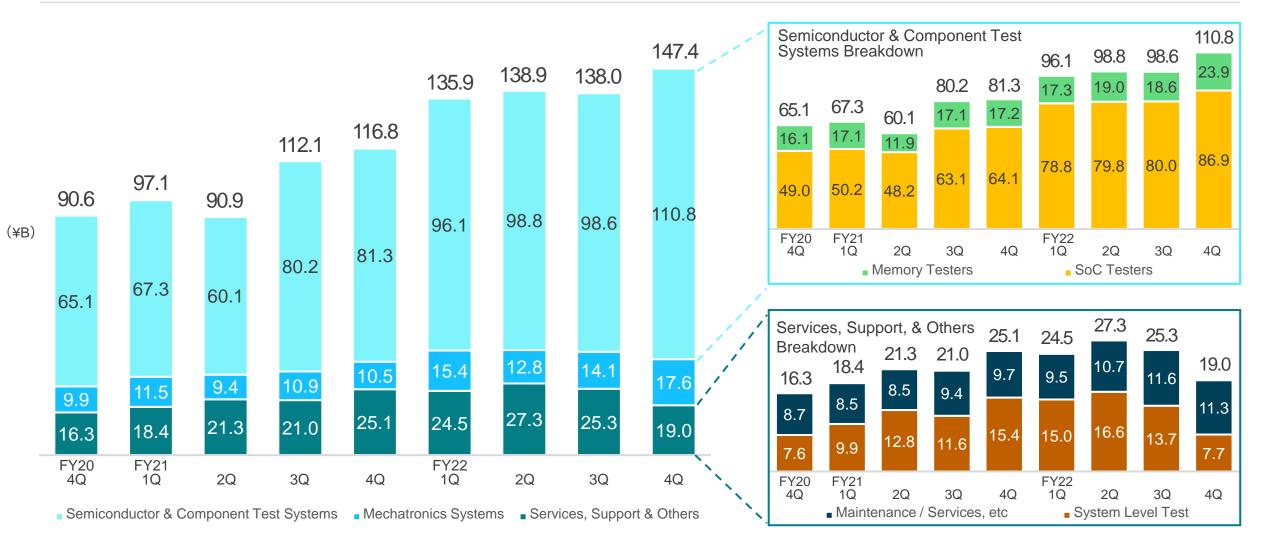
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### FY22 4Q Summary of Results

			FY	21		FY22							(+D)
		1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	Qo	Q	Yc	γY
										(Δ)	(%)	(Δ)	(%)
Sales		97.1	90.9	112.1	116.8	135.9	138.9	138.0	147.4	+9.4	+6.8%	+30.6	+26.2%
Gross Profit		54.7	50.1	64.8	66.3	78.9	79.9	81.6	78.7	-2.9	-3.6%	+12.4	+18.7%
Gross Margin		56.4%	55.0%	57.9%	56.7%	58.1%	57.5%	59.1%	53.4%	-5.7pts		-3.3pts	
Operating Inco	me	26.1	21.4	33.5	33.7	44.8	43.1	41.2	38.6	-2.7	-6.5%	+4.9	+14.4%
Operating Mar	gin	26.9%	23.5%	29.9%	28.8%	32.9%	31.1%	29.9%	26.2%	-3.7pts		-2.6pts	
Income Before	Tax	25.7	21.6	34.0	35.0	48.4	46.8	37.7	38.4	+0.8	+2.1%	+3.4	+9.7%
Net Income		19.3	15.9	25.7	26.4	36.5	34.7	28.6	30.6	+1.9	+6.8%	+4.2	+15.9%
Net Income Ma	rgin	19.9%	17.5%	22.9%	22.6%	26.8%	25.0%	20.8%	20.8%	+0.0pts		-1.8pts	
Evolution Data	1 US\$	¥109	¥110	¥112	¥115	¥124	¥135	¥144	¥133	¥11 Appi	reciation	¥18 Dep	reciation
Exchange Rate	1 Euro	¥131	¥131	¥130	¥130	¥134	¥139	¥144	¥142	¥2 Appr	eciation	¥12 Dep	reciation

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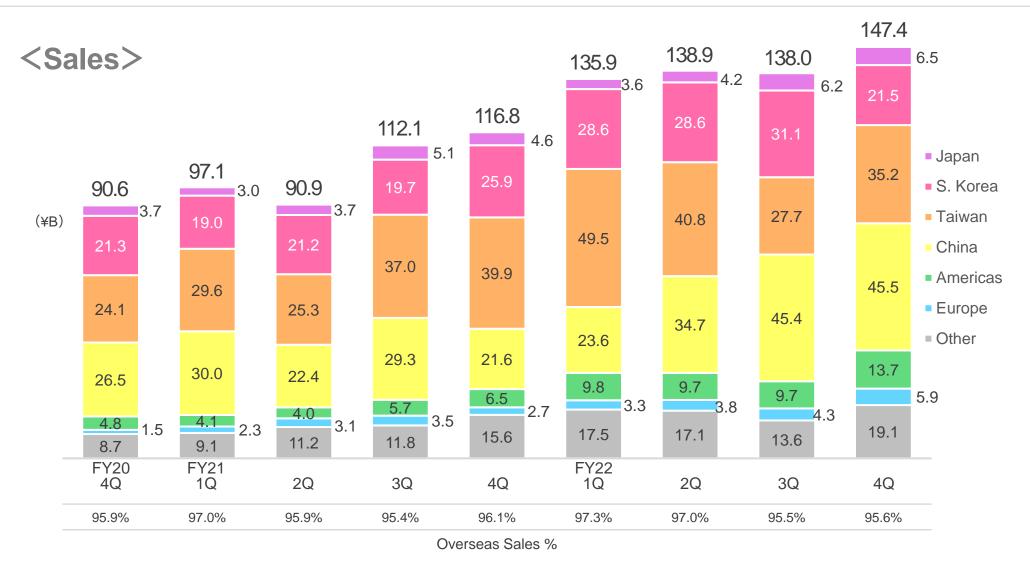
### **Quarterly Sales by Segment**



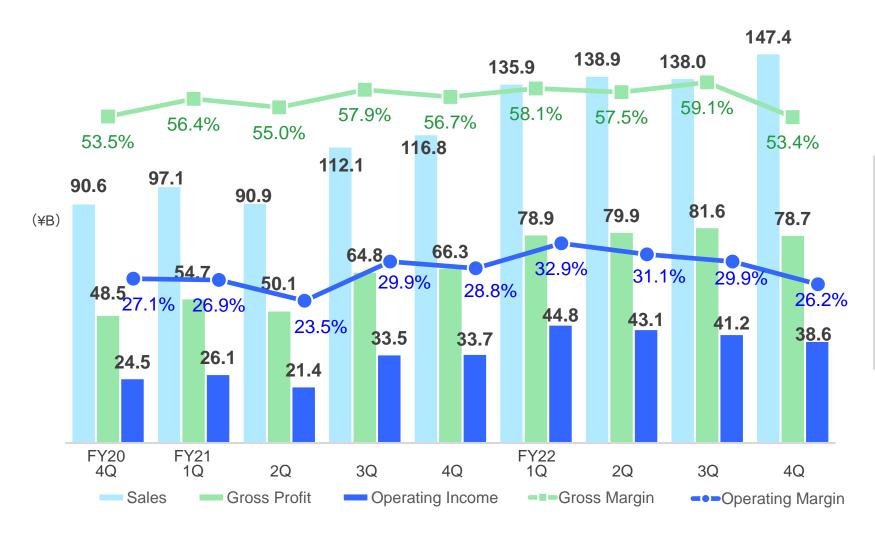
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### **Quarterly Sales by Region**



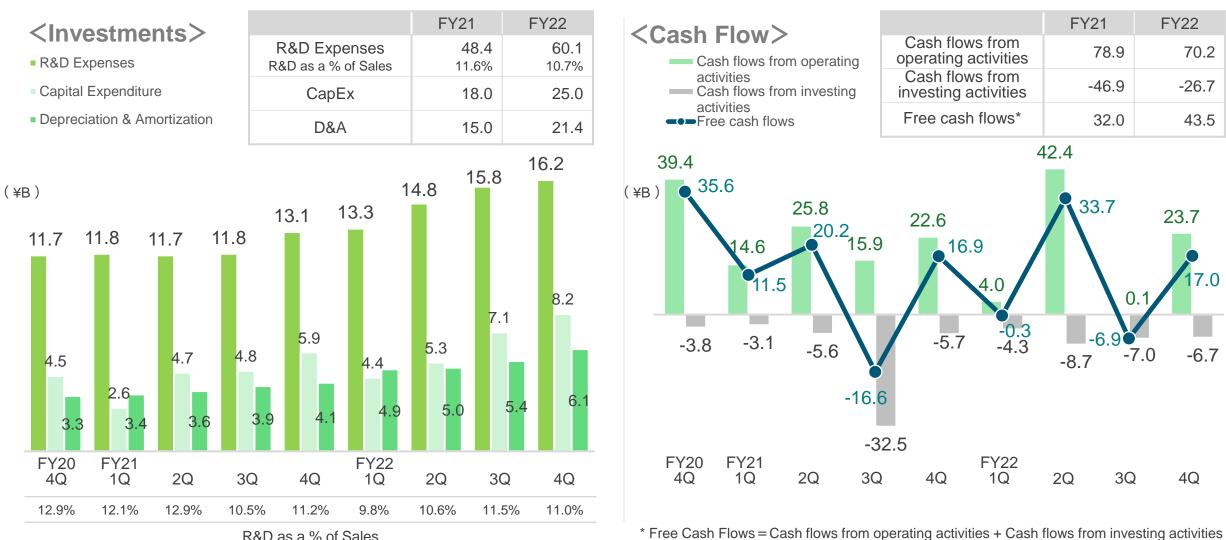
### Sales / Gross Profit / Operating Income



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	FY21	FY22
Sales	416.9	560.2
Gross Profit	235.9	319.1
Gross Margin	56.6%	57.0%
SG&A*	121.2	151.4
Operating Income	114.7	167.7
Operating Margin	27.5%	29.9%

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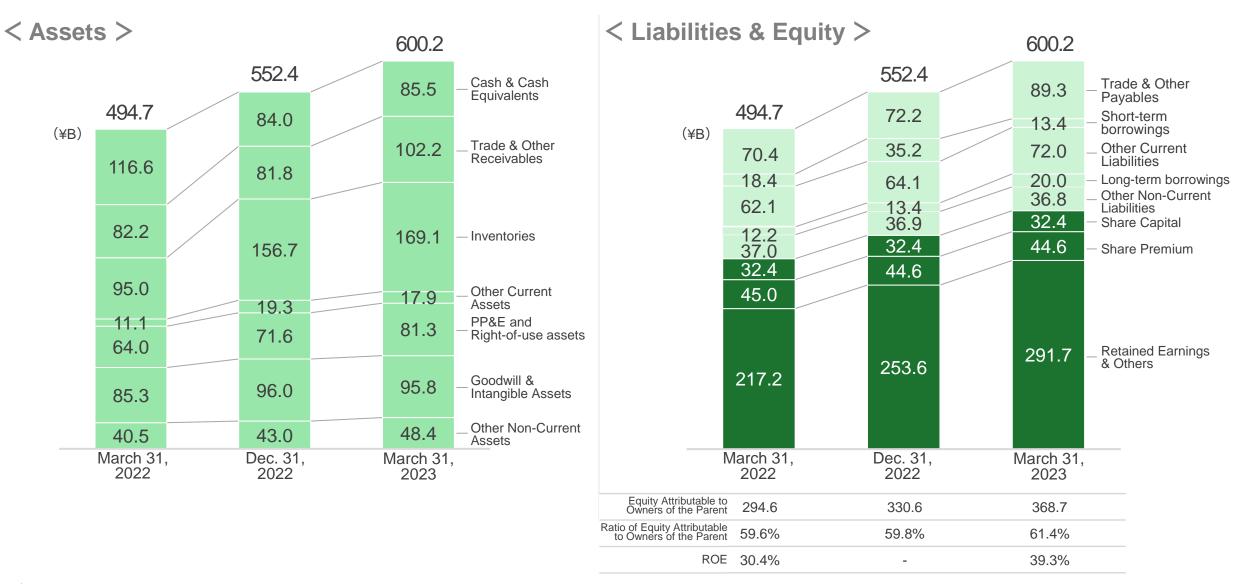
### **Investments / Cash Flow**



R&D as a % of Sales



### **Financial Position**



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### Second Mid-Term Business Plan Progress Report & FY2023 Outlook

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### **Results of 2nd Year of 2nd Mid-Term Management Plan**

	MTP1 Results Avg. of FY18-20	Targets of MTP2 Avg. of FY21-23	FY21 Results	FY22 Results	FY21-22 Average
Sales	¥290.4в	¥ <b>480-520</b> в	¥ <b>416.9</b> в	<b>¥560.2</b> в	<b>¥488.5</b> в
Operating Margin	22.3%	27-30%	27.5%	29.9%	28.7%
Net Income	¥60.1в	¥ <b>98-120</b> в	<b>¥87.3</b> в	¥ <b>130.4</b> в	¥ <b>108.9</b> в
ROE	29.1%	30-35%	30.4%	39.3%	34.9%
EPS	¥309	¥510-630	¥450	¥697	¥573

### <Growth Investment>

### <Shareholder Returns>

	FY21-23 Investment Targets	FY21 Results	FY22 Results	FY21-22 Cumulative Results		FY21-23 (estimate)	FY21 Results	FY22 Results	FY21-22 Cumulative Results
Strategic Investments e.g. M&A	¥ <b>100</b> в	¥ <b>29</b> в	<b>¥3.5</b> в	¥ <b>32.5</b> в	Shareholder Returns (Dividend + Share buybacks)	¥ <b>210</b> B or more	ore ¥ <b>93</b> B	¥ <b>75</b> в	¥ <b>168.1</b> в
Capital Expenditure	¥ <b>70</b> в	¥ <b>18</b> в	<b>¥25</b> в	¥ <b>43.1</b> в					

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### MTP2 (FY2021-FY2023) Progress Report

In FY2022, we resolutely implemented our 5 Strategies from a mid/long-term perspective to strengthen our management base and business.

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Strategies



Seek Operational Excellence

Explore Value to Reach a Higher Level

**Pioneer New Business Fields** 

Enhance ESG initiatives

#### Progress

We continued to expand each of our test solutions, starting with the V93000 EXA Scale in FY21. In FY22, we further strengthened our growth foundation with the launch of the inteXcell, an innovative new memory test cell, and the acquisition of Italian company CREA, a major power semiconductor test equipment manufacturer.

We further enhanced our responsiveness to customer needs with ongoing sales / support hiring.

The TechInsights Customer Satisfaction Survey named Advantest the SPE industry leader for the third consecutive year.

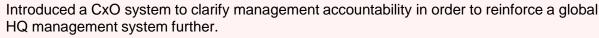
Launched global business operation initiatives to enhance efficiency and aim for a business process reform.

We made progress in developing the AI/HPC, smartphone, and automotive markets for our SLT products.

We strengthened our test interface business by acquiring US company R&D Altanova in FY21, and Taiwanese company Shin Puu (scheduled for completion in FY23 1Q).

We continued to enhance the foundational services offered by Advantest Cloud Solutions<sup>™</sup> (ACS).

We established a system for promoting new businesses, including medical equipment such as fluorescence detection systems.



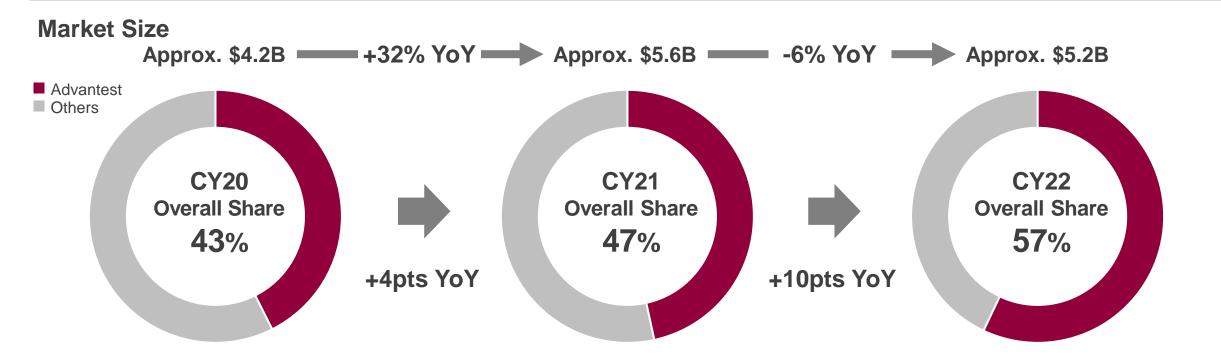
We formulated and promoted an ESG Action Plan, which serves as the framework for our ESG initiatives. It helped us to expand our social contributions through our business and improve our ESG external evaluations in FY22.

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### **Semiconductor Tester Market and Market Share Report**



	Market Size	Advantest Share		Market Size	Advantest Share		Market Size	Advantest Share
SoC Testers	Approx. \$3.0B	38%	SoC Testers	Approx. \$4.3B	45%	SoC Testers	Approx. \$4.0B	58%
Memory Testers	Approx. \$1.2B	56%	Memory Testers	Approx. \$1.3B	51%	Memory Testers	Approx. \$1.2B	53%

Source: Advantest



#### < Business Environment : Recessionary risks are intensifying>

– In addition to the increasing risk of global recession due to soaring inflation and interest rate hikes, concerns about expanding geopolitical risks and profound exchange rate fluctuations also continue.

#### < Semiconductor Market : YoY contraction expected>

– Due to the decline in demand for chips used in cornerstone consumer electronics products, semiconductor manufacturers are expected to continue their inventory and production adjustments for the time being.

#### <Semiconductor Tester Market : Contraction expected for the second straight year>

– Increasing high-performance semiconductor test volumes will support tester demand to some extent, but the market is expected to shrink year-on-year due to the ongoing semiconductor demand slowdown.

	CY21 Actual	CY22 Actual	CY23 Estimate
SoC Tester Market	Approx. \$4.3B	Approx. <b>\$4.0B</b> (January estimate: approx. \$3.9B - 4.1B)	Approx. <b>\$3.4B-3.8B</b> (January estimate: approx. <b>\$3.5B - 4.2B</b> )
Memory Tester Market	Approx. \$1.3B	Approx. <b>\$1.2B</b> (January estimate: approx. <b>\$1.2B</b> - 1.3B)	Approx. <b>\$0.9B-1.1B</b> (January estimate: approx. <b>\$0.9B - 1.2B</b> )

Source: Advantest



### **FY23 Forecast**

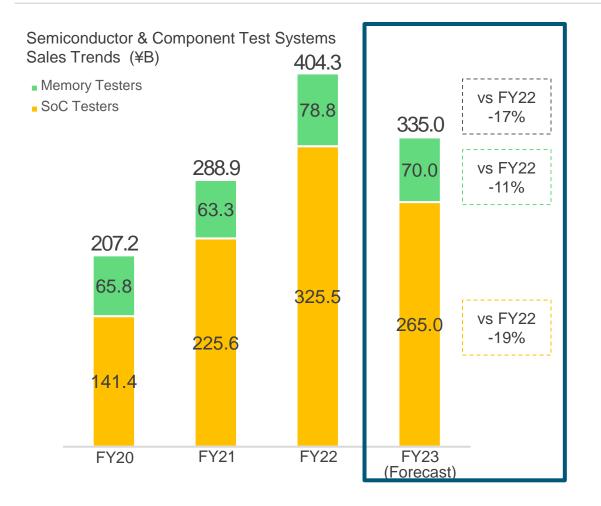
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		FY22		FY23	
		Results	Forecast	vs. F	Y22
		TCSUItS	10100031	(Δ)	(%)
Sales*1		560.2	480.0	-80.2	-14.3%
Operating Incom	ne	167.7	105.0	-62.7	-37.4%
Operating Margir	า	29.9%	21.9%	-8.0pts	
Income Before Tax		171.3	103.5	-67.8	-39.6%
Net Income		130.4	78.0	-52.4	-40.2%
Net Income Marg	gin	23.3%	16.3%	-7.0pts	
R&D Expenses		60.1	63.0	+2.9	+4.8%
CapEx	CapEx		21.0	-4.0	-16.0%
D&A	D&A		23.0	+1.6	+7.5%
Exchange	1 US\$	¥134	¥130	¥4 Appre	ciation
Rate*2	1 Euro	¥140	¥140	_	

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\*1: Intersegment transactions have been eliminated from totals
 \*2: Our latest forecast for the impact of exchange rate fluctuations on FY23 operating income is plus ¥1.1 billion per 1 yen of JPY depreciation vs USD, and minus ¥0.3 billion per 1 yen of JPY depreciation vs the euro



### **FY23 Outlook by Segment**



#### Semiconductor & Component Test Systems

#### < SoC Testers >

 Customers are likely to slow the pace of tester investments across a wide range of applications. We expect demand for both advanced process and mature process products to decline.

Applications	FY20	FY21	FY22	FY23* <sup>2</sup>
Computing / Comms	55%	60%	65%	60%
Automotive / Industrial / Consumer / DDIC*1	45%	40%	35%	40%

#### < Memory Testers >

Numbers are rounded to the nearest 5%

 Technology buys, mainly for high-end memory, will not vanish, but sales are expected to decline due to worsening memory semiconductor market conditions.

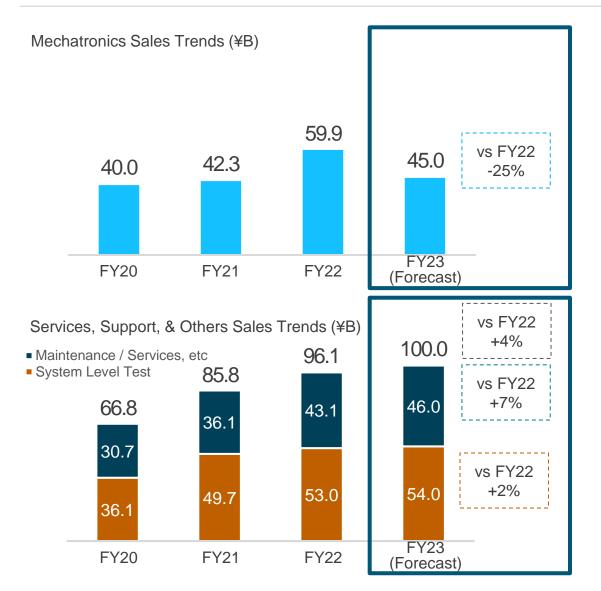
Applications	FY20	FY21	FY22	FY23*2
DRAM	60%	60%	60%	70%
Non-Volatile Memory	40%	40%	40%	30%

Numbers are rounded to the nearest 5%

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\*1 DDIC : Display Driver IC \*2 FY23 figures are forecasts

### **FY23 Outlook by Segment**



#### **Mechatronics Systems**

- -Sales of device interface products and test handlers are expected to decline in step with the slowdown in tester investment.
- Sales of SEM metrology products are expected to stay flat year-on-year due to wider customer adoption of EUV lithography and increased demand for mature process photomasks.

### Services, Support, & Others

- -We expect strong demand for maintenance services due to the steady growth of our installed base.
- -Our system-level test business is particularly exposed to the impact from the decline in consumer-related demand. Sales are expected to be flat year-on-year.

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### **Key Measures for FY23**

# We will strive to achieve our MTP2 targets and build a stronger and more resilient management foundation by:

- Creating added customer value through leading-edge test technology R&D
  - Expanding our test solutions to meet the needs of leading customers in high-growth sectors such as AI and power semiconductors
  - Continuing to execute growth investment for our future business expansion
  - Further strengthening our data analytics business foundation through close collaborations with partners

#### Seeking operational excellence

- Refining our supply chain management to improve responsiveness to demand fluctuations
- Actively utilizing DX to improve operational efficiency company-wide

(Reinforce global business operation initiatives activities to enhance efficiency)

 Implementing proactive ESG initiatives, including the investment in our human capital from a mid/longterm perspective



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