

Consolidated Financial Highlights for First Half of FY2011

(From April 1, 2011 to September 30, 2011)

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November 11, 2011

Fighting Disease with Electronics



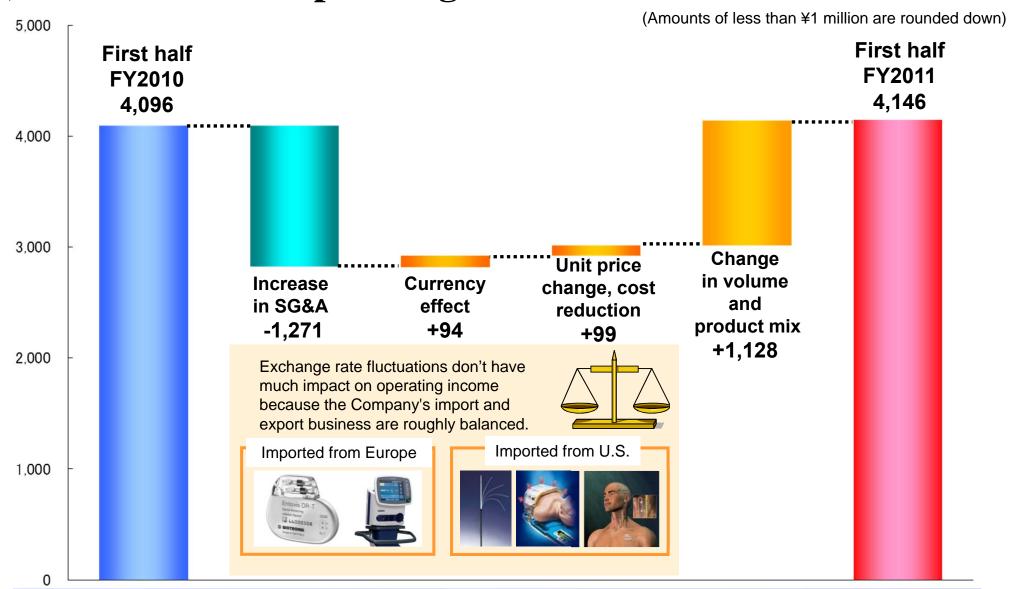
Consolidated Financial Results for First Half of FY2011

1) Consolidated Financial Results for the 1st Half of FY2011

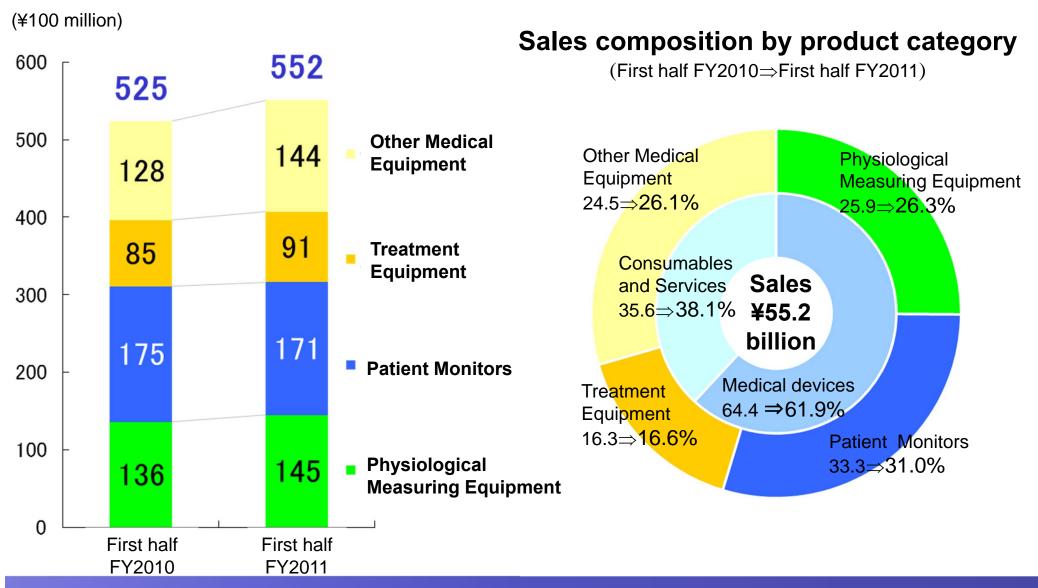
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	First half	First half FY2011)11	
	FY2010	Forecast	Actual	YoY (%)	
Sales	52,526	56,500	55,297	5.3	
Domestic sales	43,124	-	45,663	5.9	
Overseas sales	9,401	-	9,634	2.5	Currency Effect: -¥0.4 billion (-4%)
Operating income	4,096	4,100	4,146	1.2	Lower gross margin ratio: 50.4% in 1H FY2010→50.0% in 1H FY2011 SG&A costs increase 5.0%
Ordinary income	3,867	4,100	3,836	-0.8	Foreign exchange losses:
Net income	2,609	2,700	2,308	-11.5	¥0.4 billion
Average exchange rate	First half FY2010	First half FY2011			
1 US Dollar	89 yen	80 yen			
1 Euro	113 yen	116 yen			

2) Breakdown of Operating Income



3) Sales by Product Category

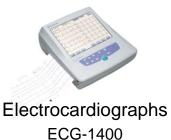


3.1) Physiological Measuring Equipment

	First half FY2010	First half FY2011	YoY (%)
Electroencephalographs	3,536	3,650	3.2
Electrocardiographs	3,057	3,208	4.9
Polygraphs for cath labs	3,557	3,676	3.3
Other physiological measuring equipment	3,474	4,033	16.1
Physiological measuring equipment	13,625	14,570	6.9
Domestic sales	11,083	11,855	7.0
Overseas sales	2,542	2,714	6.8

^{*} Other Physiological Measuring Equipment includes diagnostic information system and other company's products.







Polygraphs for cath labs RMC-4000

3.2) Patient Monitors

	First half FY2010	First half FY2011	YoY (%)
Patient monitors	17,500	17,133	-2.1
Domestic sales	12,988	12,860	-1.0
Overseas sales	4,511	4,272	-5.3



Bedside monitors
BSM-6000 series



Central monitors
CNS-6201



Transmitter with LCD ZS-530P

3.3) Treatment Equipment

	First half FY2010	First half FY2011	YoY (%)
Defibrillators (for hospital and ambulance)	1,865	2,022	8.4
AED (automated external defibrillator)	2,500	2,336	-6.6
Pacemakers / ICD	1,550	1,880	21.3
Ventilators	965	1,011	4.8
Other treatment equipment	1,698	1,933	13.8
Treatment equipment	8,580	9,184	7.0
Domestic sales	7,475	7,964	6.5
Overseas sales	1,104	1,220	10.5
(Ref.) AED unit shipments	12,500	11,400	-8.8
Domestic unit shipments	10,500	10,500	0.0





Pacemakers Entovis DR



Ventilators HAMILTON-C2



Vagus nerve stimulator

3.4) Other Medical Equipment

	First half FY2010	First half FY2011	YoY (%)
Hematology analyzers	2,902	3,235	11.5
Transformers, imaging systems, medical equipment for study, others *	9,917	11,173	12.7
Other medical equipment	12,820	14,409	12.4
Domestic sales	11,577	12,982	12.1
Overseas sales	1,243	1,426	14.8

^{*} Includes consumables, installation and maintenance service which are not applicable to other categories.



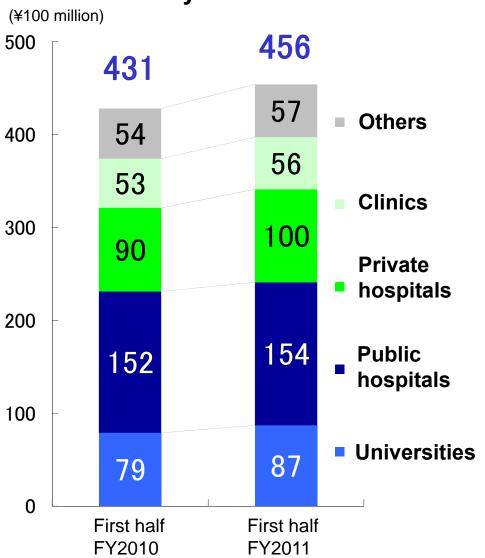
Automated hematology analyzers
MEK-6400



Multi-channel telemetry system
WEB-1000

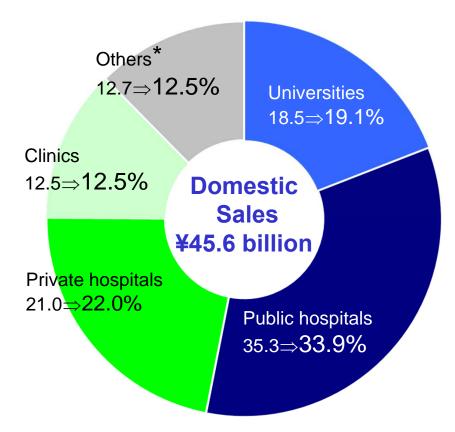
4) Domestic Sales

Sales by market



Sales composition by market

(First half FY2010⇒First half FY2011)

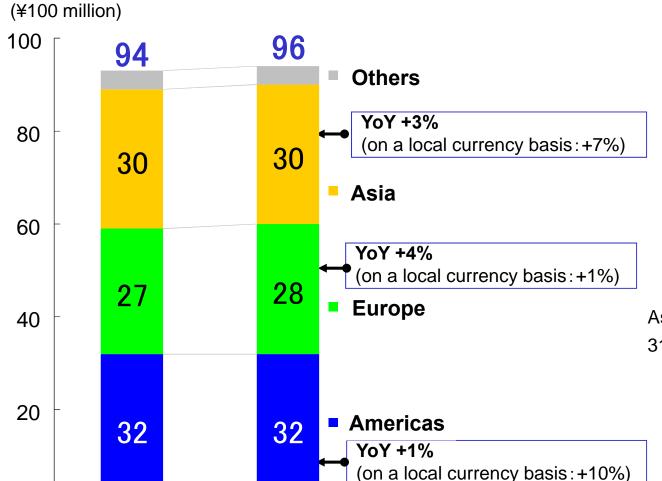


Note: Other markets include laboratories, animal hospitals, and PAD (public access defibrillation) markets such as schools and private companies.



5) Overseas Sales

Geographic Segments

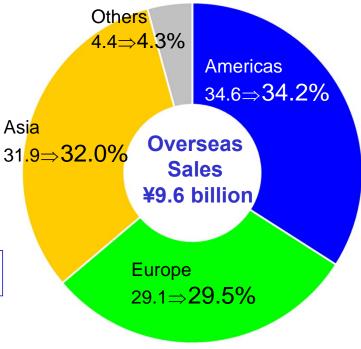


Percentage of overseas sales to consolidated sales

First half	First half
FY2010	FY2011
17.9%	

Geographic Segments

(First half FY2010 ⇒ First half FY2011)



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6) Financial Condition

(Amounts of less than ¥1 million are rounded down)

	FY2010	First half FY2011	Change
Current assets	75,366	72,046	-3,319·
Fixed assets	17,129	16,726	-403
Total assets	92,495	88,772	-3,723
Current liabilities	29,673	24,853	-4,819
Non-current fixed liabilities	528	642	114
Total liabilities	30,201	25,496	-4,705
Net assets	62,294	63,276	982
Total liabilities and net assets	92,495	88,772	-3,723

Dealings at the end of the fiscal year are more than dealings at the end of the first half.

Trade notes and accounts receivable: -5,063

Trade notes and accounts payable: -2,582

7) Capital Investments and R&D Costs

(Amounts of less than ¥1 million are rounded down)

	First half	First half	5) (00 (0	FY2	011
	FY2010	FY2011	FY2010	Original Forecast (announced May 11)	Revised Forecast (announced Nov 7)
Capital investments	1,441	935	1,804	2,700	2,600
Depreciation	1,248	1,296	2,694	3,200	3,000
R&D costs	2,279	2,628	5,105	5,400	5,400

First half FY2011 Actual Capital Investments

Molds for new products, Measuring equipment, Products for demonstration, Enhancement of ERP system

Second half FY2011 Capital Investments Plan

Molds for new products, Products for demonstration, Measuring equipment and jigs, ERP system

Forecast for FY2011



1) Business Environment

- Although there is concern about economic slowdown in Europe and the U.S., demand for medical equipment remains solid, especially in emerging countries.
- In Japan, acute care hospitals are likely to continue stable capital spending, following last year's upward revision of medical treatment fees.

Our International Business

- In the U.S., our business remains solid. However, there is concern about healthcare reform and possible reimbursement cuts.
- In Europe, our sales in Turkey and Russia are on a recovery trend, while there is concern about financial crisis.
- Emerging markets such as China, India and Latin America are expected to continue high growth.

Our Domestic Business

- In the acute care market, our business remains solid.
- Brisk inquiry in patient monitor business is expected in 2nd half.
- Our business in clinic market also remains solid.



2) Forecast for FY2011

(Amounts of less than ¥1 million are rounded down)

		FY2011		
	FY2010	Original Forecast (announced May 11)	Revised Forecast (announced Nov 7)	YoY (%)
Sales	113,380	120,000	120,000	5.8
Domestic sales	93,046	96,000	98,000	5.3
Overseas sales	20,333	24,000	22,000	8.2
Operating income	10,598	11,000	11,000	3.8
Ordinary income	10,569	11,000	11,000	4.1
Net income	6,573	7,100	7,100	8.0
Percentage of overseas sales		-	,	

20.0%

Average exchange rate

to consolidated sales

1 US Dollar	86 yen	85 yen	79 yen
1 Euro	113 yen	110 yen	109 yen

17.9%

Impact of the earthquake

Impact on earnings will be smaller than expected.

Original Forecast

- ¥500 million

Revised Forecast

- ¥200 million

Impact of the floods in Thailand

- Parts shortage may affect production of some products in the 4th quarter.
- We are currently reviewing the impact on earnings. We expect it will be minor because we can find alternative parts.
- We don't reflect the impact on this revised forecast. We will promptly disclose any new information of significant impact.

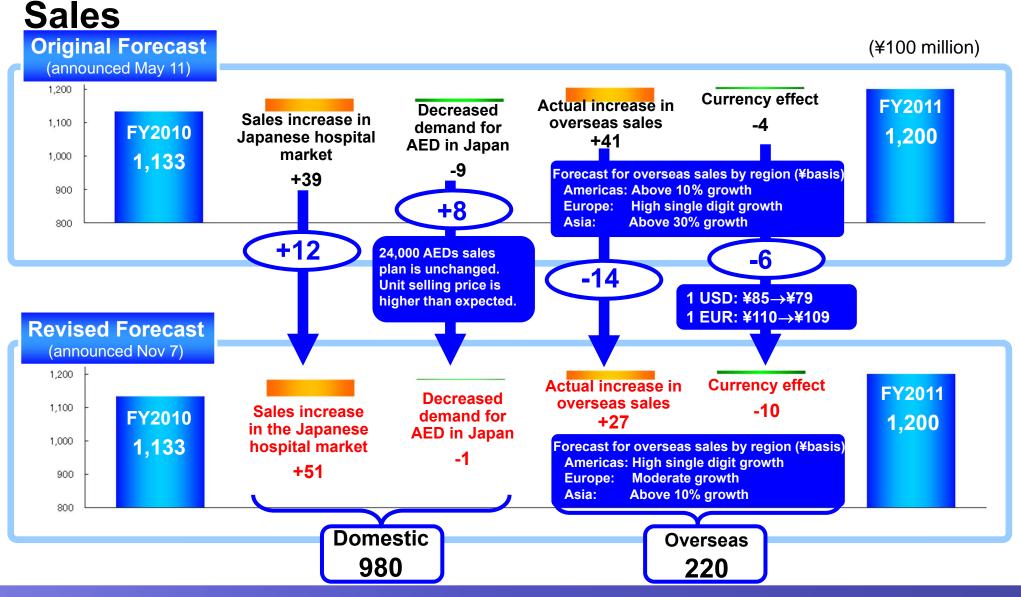
Second half FY2011

78	yen
103	yen



18.3%

3) Analysis of FY2011 Forecast



(Ref.) Consolidated Forecast FY2011 by Product Segment

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	FY2010	FY20 Original Forecast (announced May 11)	Revised Forecast (announced Nov 7)	YoY (%)
Physiological measuring equipment	28,189	29,600	30,000	6.4
Patient monitors	37,274	41,050	39,750	6.6
Treatment equipment	19,073	19,700	20,150	5.6
Other medical equipment	28,843	29,650	30,100	4.4
Total	113,380	120,000	120,000	5.8
(Ref.)				
Consumables and services	40,236	42,500	43,800	8.9

Strategy to Achieve the Mid-term Business Plan

1) Long-term Vision and Mid-term Business Plan

Long-term Vision (April 2010 to March 2020)

The CHANGE 2020
-The Global Leader of Medical Solutions-

Mid-term Business Plan
(FY2010 to FY2012)

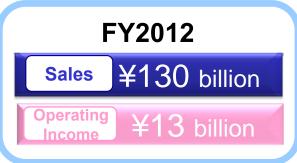
SPEED UP III

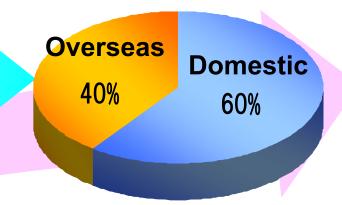
18%
82%

FY2009 actual

Sales ¥107 billion

Operating hcome ¥9.3 billion







2) Target for FY2012

		FY2009 actual	FY2010 actual	FY2011 forecast	FY2012	3 years growth
Sales		¥107.0 billion	¥113.3 billion	¥120.0 billion	¥130.0 billion	21.5%
	Domestic	¥87.4 billion	¥93.0 billion	¥98.0 billion	¥97.5 billion	11.5%
	Overseas	¥19.5 billion	¥20.3 billion	¥22.0 billion	¥32.5 billion	66.0%
Operating income		¥9.3 billion	¥10.5 billion	¥11.0 billion	¥13.0 billion	39.5%
ROE		10.6%	10.9%		12.0%	

Breakdown of overseas sales by region

* Mid-term Business Plan, SPEED UP III, is based on an exchange rate of 90 yen to the dollar and 130 yen to the euro.

Americas	¥6.2 billion	¥6.8 billion	+ high single digit	¥9.4 billion	49.2%
Europe	¥5.8 billion	¥6.0 billion	moderate growth	¥8.8 billion	50.1%
Asia	¥6.5 billion	¥6.2 billion	+ above 10%	¥13.0 billion	99.8%
Other	¥0.9 billion	¥1.1 billion		¥1.3 billion	43.2%

3) Expand and Strengthen Core Business Areas

Developed markets

Emerging economies

Defibrillators

ECGs

EEGs

Patient monitors

Hematology Analyzers

Sensor technology (etCO2, SpO2, NIBP, esCCO, aEEG, etc.)

IT solution

Nihon Kohden is the only patient monitor maker with its own sensor technology.

New products in FY2010 and FY2011











i) Neuro Business: Electroencephalographs and Evoked Potential

Top-down strategy by responding to needs of top U.S. hospitals

- Strengthen competitiveness by enriching product line-up
- Differentiated IT solutions
- Utilize successful cases in U.S. for global business

FY2011 action

Neuroworkbench
Neuro information
system
Sequential upgrades

256 channel amplifier units
2nd half of FY2011 (plan)



Cleveland Clinic

Product development and upgrade by responding to needs of world's top hospitals

Strong relationships with world's top hospitals positively affect neuro business deals in Asia and Middle East

Expand global market share in neuro business

4) Strengthen Technological Development Capacity

Leverage our strengths

The only patient monitor maker with its own sensor technology

Good relationships with key doctors in Japan and overseas

FY2011 action

Develop products that meet local needs for Patient Safety





Promote widespread use of new parameter





Support doctor exchange worldwide



Invite doctors in U.S. and Japan to speak in China



Provide users with added value that only we could have created

i) Products for "Patient Safety" - Japan-

Display patient location on monitor screen

Japan's first!

Issues in clinical practice

Medical staff can not find where the critical patient is



Solution

1. Transmitter in bathroom

Launched September 2011



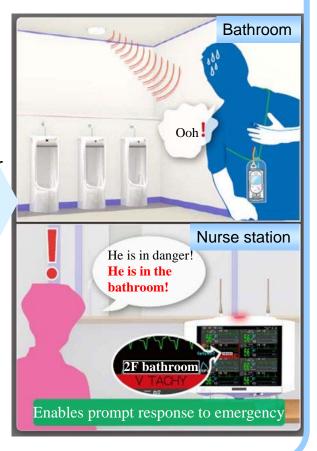
 Patient's monitor receives location information and sends it to central monitor in nurse station



3. Central monitor displays patient location



Enables indoor location information which normal GPS can't get



ii) Products for "Patient Safety" -U.S.-

Monitor every patient in general wards to prevent incidents of medical harm cost-effectively

Solution



Issues in clinical practice

High Incidence of medical error Poor quality of healthcare

 IHI launched the 5 million Lives Campaign: Voluntary initiative for quality improvement in healthcare (2006 to 2008)



 Medicare no longer pays for preventable hospital errors, injuries or infections effective October 1, 2008.

Prefense Launched May 2008

Combines a simple, easy to use and cost effective new central station interface with 40 NTX transmitters

Prefense NTX

FY2011 action



Holy Name Medical Center installed **Prefense** in early 2011

- In collaboration with Holy Name,
 - Collect data of Prefense
 - Hold observation tours
- Aim at installing in well-known hospitals and creating ripple effects in related hospitals
- Increase sales reps for Prefense



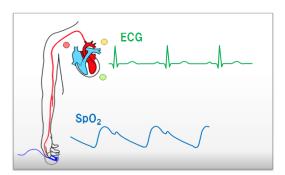
iii) Differentiate our Patient Monitors by Creating New Parameter

-Europe-

escco[™] (estimated Continuous Cardiac Output)

New non-invasive CCO measurement method using ECG and pulse oximetry

esCCO: esCCO is a new non-invasive measurement method utilizing routine clinical monitors



- No infection risk
- No pain
- Easy to measure

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Installed on

bedside monitors

Clinical research has been conducted and we launched initial sales in Europe

We are preparing for clinical research in U.S.

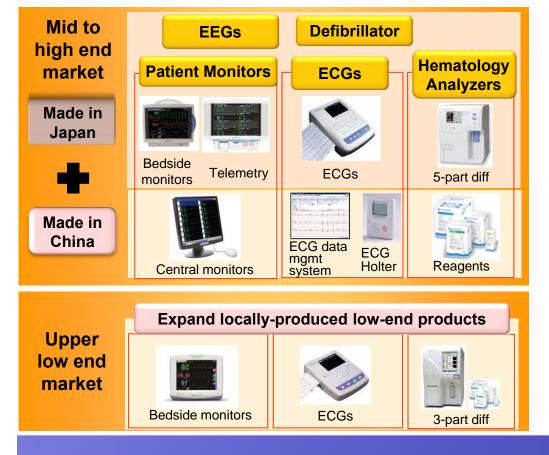


5) Expand Business in China

Expand product line-up

Got SFDA approval for a mid-to-high end bedside monitor at the end of July.

No products waiting for SFDA approval.



Enhance sales and service network

- Establish inland sales offices:
 Xian in July, Chengdu in September
- Shorten repair downtime, increase range of local repair service, without returning and repairing in Japan
- Strengthen ties with key doctors





Invited talks by
Japanese doctor
at Chinese Sleep
Research Society

Build human networks in Chinese academic conferences



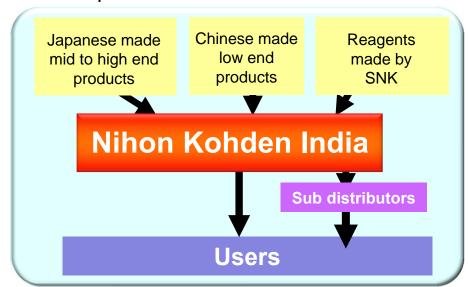
6) Expand Business in Emerging Economies

Expand sales networks

Establish sales office in India

March 2011

- Start sales operations in June
- Develop distribution network



Establish sales office in Brazil

- Establish sales office in Jan 2012
- Start sales operations in April 2012

Focus on top 22 countries

(Top 22 countries make up 3/4 of sales in emerging economies)

Strengthen assistance to key distributors

- Approach major hospitals
- Strengthen ties with key doctors



Hold seminar at Columbia Pediatric ICU Society



Expand sales of bedside monitors, BSM-3000



- Mid to high-end model for emerging economies
- All in one

March 2011



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