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Fighting Disease with Electronics



1) Consolidated Financial Results for the 1st Quarter of FY2020

	(Amounts of less	than ¥1 million are	rounded down)
	FY2019 1Q	FY2020 1Q	YoY (%)	
Net Sales	38,551	38,461	-0.2	
Domestic Sales	28,392	24,809	-12.6	
Overseas Sales	10,159	13,652	34.4	+40% on a local currency basis
Gross Profit (Gross Profit Margin)	18,524 48.1%	19,428 50.5%	4.9	In-house FY2019 1Q FY2020 1Q sales ratio: 62.5% → 68.7%
Operating Income (Operating Income Margin)	542 1.4%	1,831 4.8%	237.8	SG&A Ratio: 46.7% → 45.7%
Ordinary Income	-26	1,581	_	Foreign exchange losses: FY2019 1Q FY2020 1Q
Income Attributable to Owners of Parent	-499	1,060	_	¥0.64 bil → ¥0.43 bil
Average Exchange Rate	(2019/6)	(2020/6)		

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1 US Dollar	¥110.7	¥107.9
1 EURO	¥123.5	¥118.1

2) Highlights of FY2020 1Q

Net Sales : -0.2%

- Japan: Sales decreased as the Company's sales and service staff limited visits to medical institutions and hospitals postponed testing and surgical procedures. Sales in the university and public hospital markets decreased significantly compared to the strong performance in FY2019 1Q when large orders related to construction of new hospitals were received.
- International: Sales in all regions achieved double-digit growth because demand for patient monitors and ventilators increased.

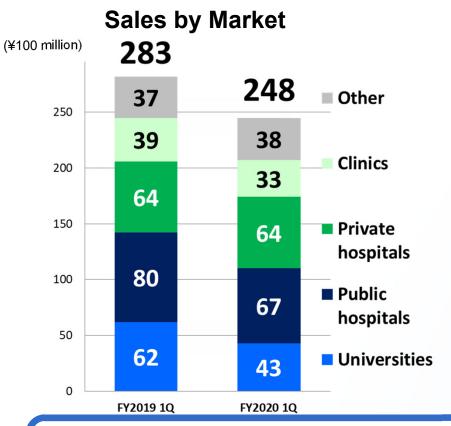
Operating Income: +237.8%

- Gross profit margin improved thanks to a favorable product mix. It is the first time since FY2014 1Q that the rate has been above 50%.
- Operating income increased significantly due to an increase in gross profit and a decrease in SG&A expenses such as traveling expenses.

Ordinary Income: ¥1,581 mil (¥26 mil of ordinary loss in FY2019 1Q)

Net Income: ¥1,060 mil (¥499 mil of net loss in FY2019 1Q)

3) Domestic Sales



Sales by Product Category

(Sales, millions of yen)

	FY2019 1Q	FY2020 1Q	YoY (%)
Physiological Measuring Equipment	7,291	5,643	-22.6
Patient Monitors	8,183	7,732	-5.5
Treatment Equipment	5,493	5,551	1.0
Other Medical Equipment	7,424	5,881	-20.8
Total Sales	28,392	24,809	-12.6

[Markets]

Sales in the university and public hospital markets decreased significantly compared to the strong performance in FY2019 1Q when large orders related to construction of new hospitals were received. Sales in the clinic market also decreased. Sales in the private hospital market remained flat.

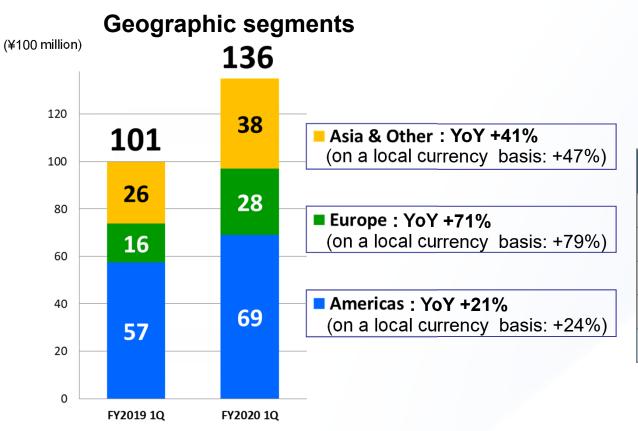
[Products] Physiological Measuring Equipment: Sales of all products recorded double-digit declines. Sales of polygraphs for cath lab decreased because hospitals postponed testing and surgical procedures.

Patient Monitors: Sales of bedside monitors and clinical information systems decreased significantly in reaction to the strong performance in FY2019 1Q. Sales of telemetry systems and transmitters increased favorably.

Treatment Equipment: Sales of ventilators manufactured by both Hamilton and Nihon Kohden showed strong growth. Sales of AEDs increased favorably thanks to orders received for replacement of existing installations. Sales of defibrillators, pacemakers and ICDs decreased.

Other Medical Equipment: Sales of locally purchased products and installation services for medical devices decreased significantly compared to FY2019 1Q when large orders were received. It was also due to our sales and service staff limiting visits to medical institutions to a minimum.

4) Overseas Sales



Percentage of overseas sales to consolidated sales

FY2019	FY2020
1Q	1Q
26.4%	35.5%

Sales by Product Category

(Sales, millions of yen)

	FY2019 1Q	FY2020 1Q	YoY (%)
Physiological Measuring Equipment	1,899	1,698	-10.6
Patient Monitors	5,215	7,650	46.7
Treatment Equipment	1,739	3,163	81.8
Other Medical Equipment	1,304	1,139	-12.6
Total Sales	10,159	13,652	34.4

+40% on a local currency basis

[Region] Americas: Sales in both the U.S. and Latin America showed double-digit growth. In Latin America, sales in Brazil and Mexico increased favorably.

Europe: Sales in Western Europe showed strong growth, primarily in Italy and the U.K.

Asia & Other: Sales in China increased favorably. Large orders in Vietnam and Qatar also contributed to increased sales.

[Products] Physiological Measuring Equipment: Sales of EEGs decreased in the U.S and China. Sales of ECGs increased favorably in Asia & Other and Europe.

Patient Monitors: Sales in all regions achieved double-digit growth. Especially, sales in Europe and Asia & Other doubled from FY2019 1Q.

Treatment Equipment: Sales of ventilators increased significantly in all regions. Sales of defibrillators showed strong growth in Asia & Other and Europe.

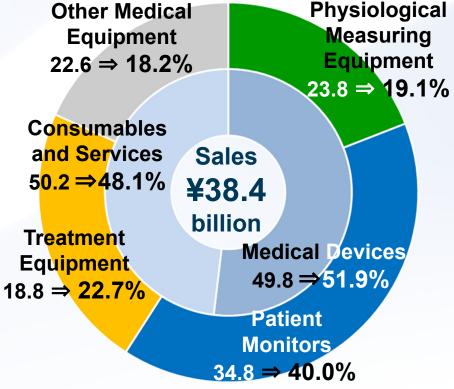
Sales of AEDs decreased due to weak demand in all regions.

Other Medical Equipment: Sales of hematology analyzers decreased in all regions.

5) Sales by Product Category

	FY2019 1Q	FY2020 1Q	YoY (%)
Physiological Measuring Equipment	9,191	7,342	-20.1
Patient Monitors	13,398	15,382	14.8
Treatment Equipment	7,233	8,714	20.5
Other Medical Equipment	8,728	7,021	-19.6
Total Sales	38,551	38,461	-0.2
(Reference)			
Consumables and Services	19,342	18,502	-4.3

Sales composition by product category (FY2019 1Q ⇒ FY2020 1Q) Other Medical Physics



(Ref.) Breakdown of Sales by Product Category

(Billions of yen)

Physiological Measuring Equipment	FY2019 1Q	FY2020 1Q
Electroencephalographs	1.4	1.1
Electrocardiographs	1.4	1.3
Polygraphs for Cath Lab	3.9	3.0
Other Physiological Measuring Equipment *	2.3	1.7

^{*}Includes diagnostic information systems and products of other companies.

Treatment Equipment	FY2019 1Q	FY2020 1Q
Defibrillators (for Hospital and Ambulance)	1.1	1.2
AEDs (Automated External Defibrillator)	3.1	3.0
Pacemakers / ICDs	0.8	0.6
Ventilators	0.7	2.4
Other Treatment Equipment	1.4	1.2

Other Medical Equipment	FY2019 1Q	FY2020 1Q
Hematology Analyzers	2.0	2.1
Imaging Systems, Medical equipment for research and others *	6.7	4.8

^{*}Includes consumables, installation and maintenance services which are not part of other categories.



6) Topics: Strengthening synergies in the U.S.

Pre/In-hospital: Enhancing our line-up of products & services that respond to the COVID-19 crisis



defibtech

 Reduces infection risk of medical staff by enabling operation from out of ward with a second display

 Provides interactive online training programs

Online Training Program

Pre/In-hospital

Pre/In-hospital

Ventilator **NKV-550**

Automated Chest Compression Device

Lifeline ARM

 Reduces infection risk of medical staff by performing mechanical chest compressions

Video Laryngoscope **NK AWS-S200**

NK University

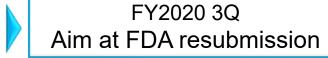
NEW! **Business acquisition** in Sep 2017 Launched in the U.S. in Jul 2020

 Reduces infection risk of medical staff by performing smooth tracheal intubation with visibility on the built-in monitor

Introduction of mid-range bedside monitors

Pre-hospital

Enhance product cybersecurity



The Company revised the schedule as development is slightly delayed due to teleworking.



7) Depreciation and R&D Costs

(Millions of yen)

	FY2019 1Q	FY2020 1Q	Change	FY2019 Actual	FY2020 Plan
Depreciation	785	722	-63	3,597	3,600
R&D Costs	1,497	1,464	-33	6,731	7,000
			Capital Investments	3,549	3,900

●FY2020 capital investments plan

Molds for new products, measuring equipment and jigs, products for demonstration, IT systems for increasing operating efficiency, production equipment including equipment related to ramping-up production for two models of ventilators and patient monitors

- Supports for production increase of ventilators and patient monitors by partners>
- Delivery of 1,000 units of carts for ventilators by Honda Motor Co., Ltd.
- Advice for improving the production process for ventilators and patient monitors by Toyota Production System (TPS) Support Team



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8) COVID-19 Impact on Business

1st Half

2nd Half

Japan

- Refrain from nonessential visits to customers until the end of May
- Decline in the number of procedures such as catheters, pacemakers and ICDs until the end of May
- Increase in the number of inquiries about ventilators and patient monitors such as telemetry systems and transmitters

People avoid visiting hospitals and clinics

Recovery of medical institutions' earnings will take time

Negotiations which do not relate to COVID-19 may be down-scaled or postponed

International

- Increase in demand for patient monitors and ventilators in all regions
- Weak demand for EEGs and hematology analyzers
- Weak demand for AEDs in the PAD market

Expansion of ICU facilities to deal with acutely ill patients

Economic stagnation/slowdown

Concerns about reduction in governments' budgets and restraints on capital expenditure

- Stockpiles of patient monitors and ventilators are expected in certain countries
- Corresponding reactionary decline is expected after the increased demand

The earnings forecasts are based on the assumption that COVID-19 pandemic will end by the end of FY2020 1H in Japan and FY2020 3Q internationally. The uncertain situation should be monitored carefully.

9) Forecast for FY2020

	FY2019 Actual	FY2020 Forecast	YoY (%)
Net Sales	185,007	180,000	△ 2.7
Domestic Sales	134,355	126,200	△ 6.1
Overseas Sales	50,651	53,800	6.2
Gross Profit	89,325	87,200	△ 2.4
(Gross Profit Margin)	48.3%	48.4%	
Operating Income	15,503	14,000	△ 9.7
(Operating Income Margin)	8.4%	7.8%	
Ordinary Income	14,846	14,000	△ 5.7
Income Attributable to Owners of Parent	9,854	10,000	1.5
Percentage of Overseas Sales	27.4%	29.9%	*E

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

+9% on a local currency basis

Breakdown of overseas sales by region

	FY2019 Actual	FY2020 Forecast	YoY (%)
Americas	24,731	26,600	7.6
Europe	9,044	8,800	-2.7
Asia & Other	16,876	18,400	9.0
Total	50,651	53,800	6.2

Effective FY2020, Asia and Other are reclassified into Asia & Other.

(Ref.) Consolidated Forecast FY2020 by Product Category/ **Exchange Rates**

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

	FY2019 Actual	FY2020 Forecast	Composition ratio (%)	YoY (%)			
Physiological Measuring Equipment	42,273	37,200	20.7	-12.0			
Patient Monitors	64,966	68,500	38.1	5.4			
Treatment Equipment	34,512	35,800	19.9	3.7			
Other Medical Equipment	43,254	38,500	21.3	-11.0			
Total	185,007	180,000	100.0	-2.7			
(Reference)							
Consumables and Services	84,160	82,200	45.7	-2.3			

Average Exchange Rate

Estimated Exchange Rate Fluctuations for Full Fiscal Year

	FY2019 Actual	FY2020 Forecast		Sales	Operating Income
1 US Dollar	109.1 yen	107 yen	1 US Dollar	0.33 bil yen	0.10 bil yen
1 EURO	121.1 yen	117 yen	1 EURO	0.06 bil yen	0.02 bil yen

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