



Financial Results for the Fiscal Year 2008 First Quarter

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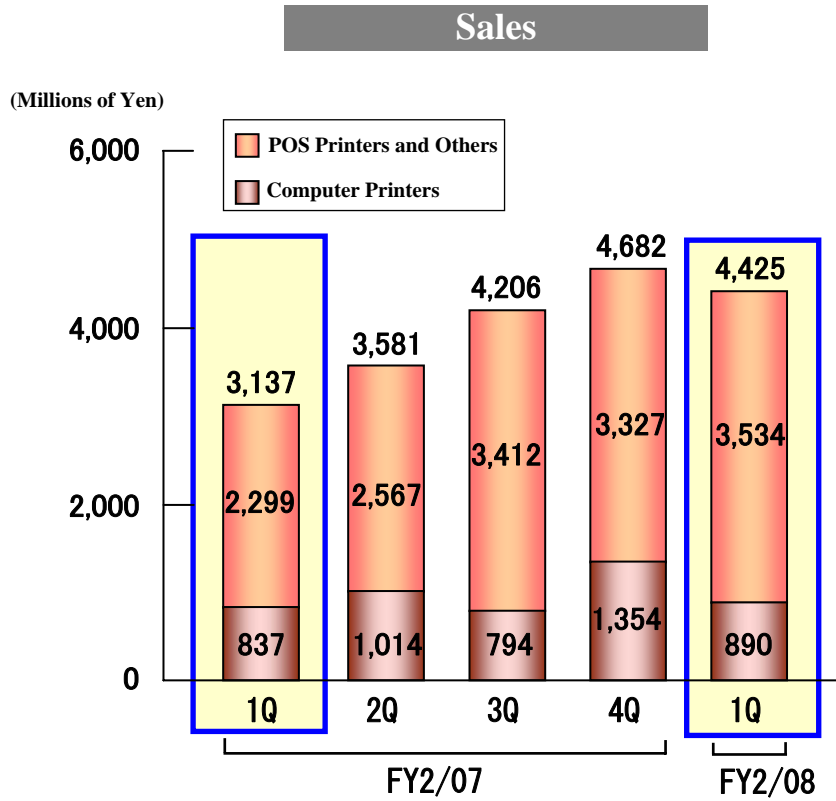
Financial Data



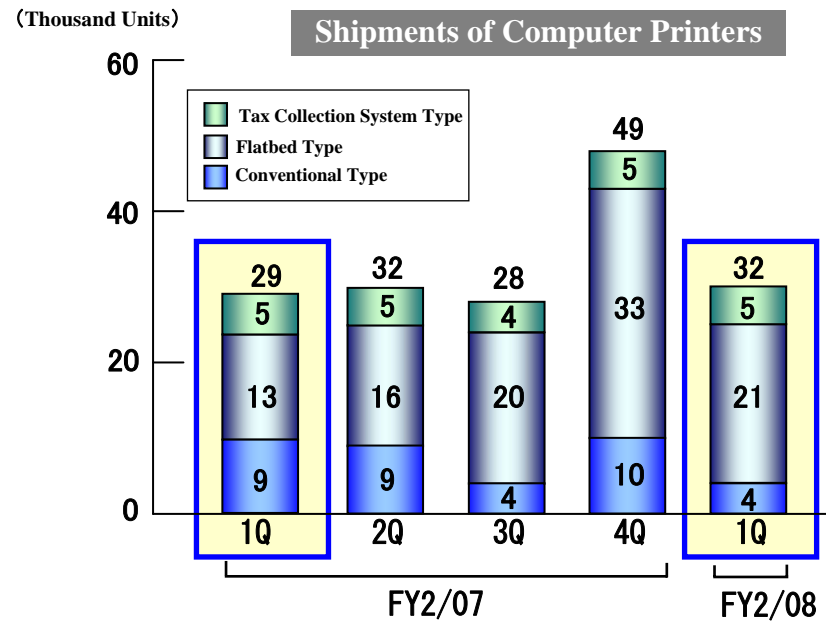
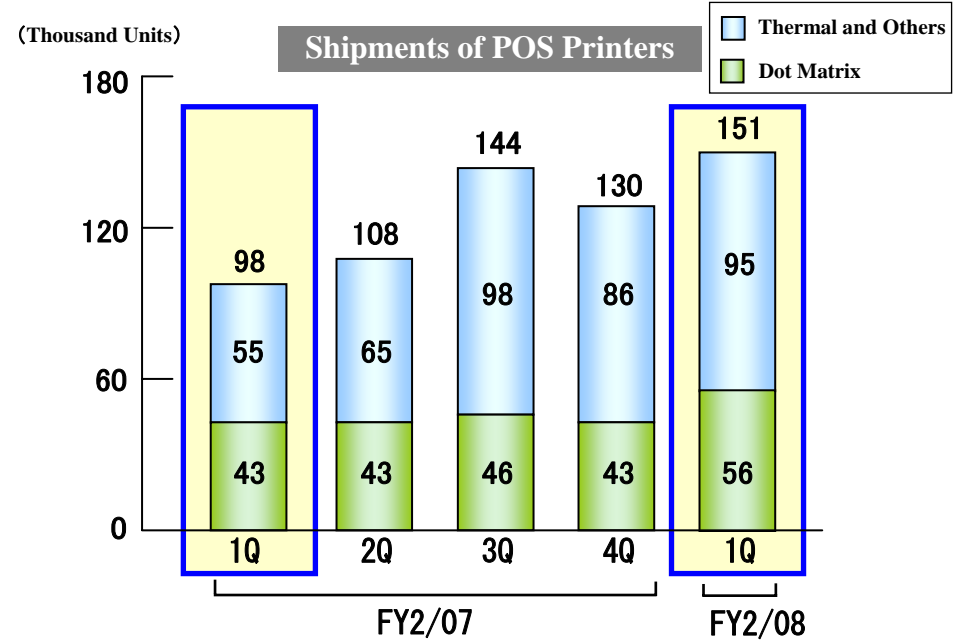
(Millions of Yen)

	FY2/07								FY2/08		Change (%) YoY
	1Q Actual		2Q Actual		3Q Actual		4Q Actual		1Q Actual		
	Amount	Income Ratio(%)	Amount	Income Ratio(%)	Amount	Income Ratio(%)	Amount	Income Ratio(%)	Amount	Income Ratio(%)	
Sales											
Special Products Computer Printers	837		1,014		794		1,354		890		6.3
POS Printers	2,299		2,567		3,412		3,327		3,534		53.7
Total	3,137		3,581		4,206		4,682		4,425		41.0
Components	2,743		2,282		2,694		2,105		2,168		-21.0
Machine Tools	6,677		8,239		8,030		9,531		8,844		32.4
Precision Products	1,210		1,247		1,294		1,003		1,078		-10.9
Total	13,770		15,351		16,225		17,322		16,516		19.9
Operating Income											
Special Products Computer Printers	-47	-5.7	-97	-9.6	-23	-2.9	5	0.4	25	2.9	-
POS Printers	377	16.4	526	20.5	1,098	32.2	855	25.7	1,031	29.2	173.5
Total	329	10.5	428	12.0	1,075	25.6	861	18.4	1,057	23.9	220.6
Components	286	10.4	-2	-0.1	196	7.3	-43	-2.1	-112	-5.2	-
Machine Tools	1,520	22.8	2,164	26.3	2,154	26.8	2,588	27.2	2,617	29.6	72.2
Precision Products	332	27.4	342	27.4	377	29.2	187	18.7	264	24.5	-20.3
Eliminations or Corporate	(591)		(542)		(530)		(691)		(642)		
Total	1,877	13.6	2,390	15.6	3,273	20.2	2,902	16.8	3,184	19.3	69.6
Ordinary Income	1,876	13.6	2,605	17.0	3,337	20.6	3,042	17.6	3,419	20.7	82.3
Net Income	1,138	8.3	1,545	10.1	2,177	13.4	2,152	12.4	2,171	13.1	90.8

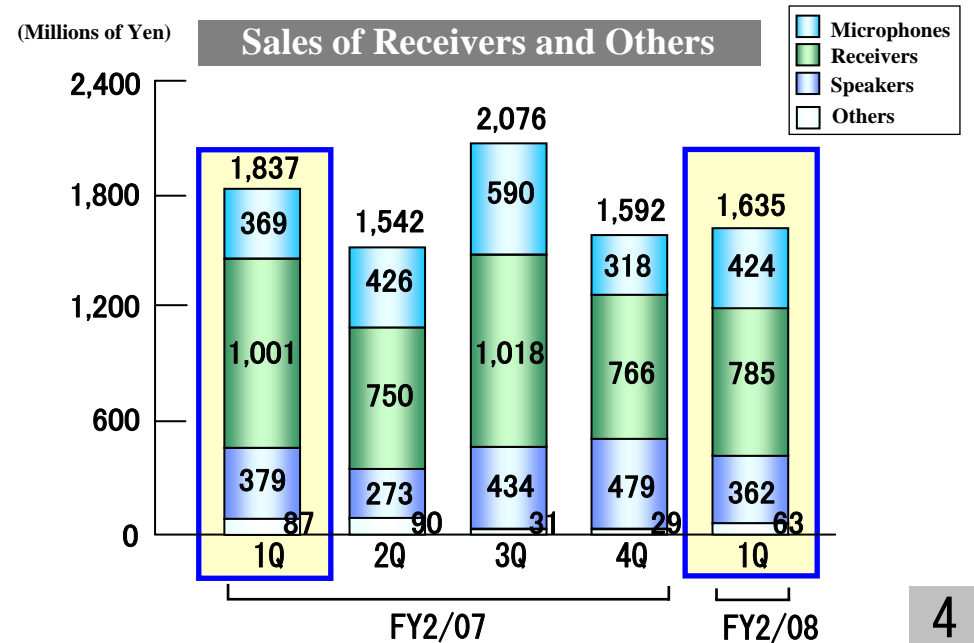
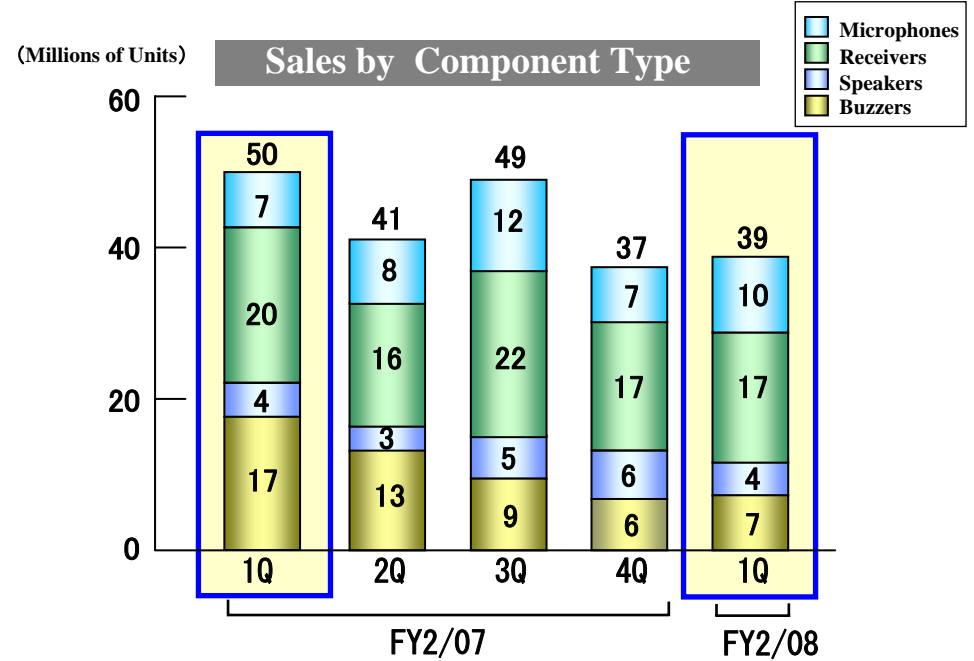
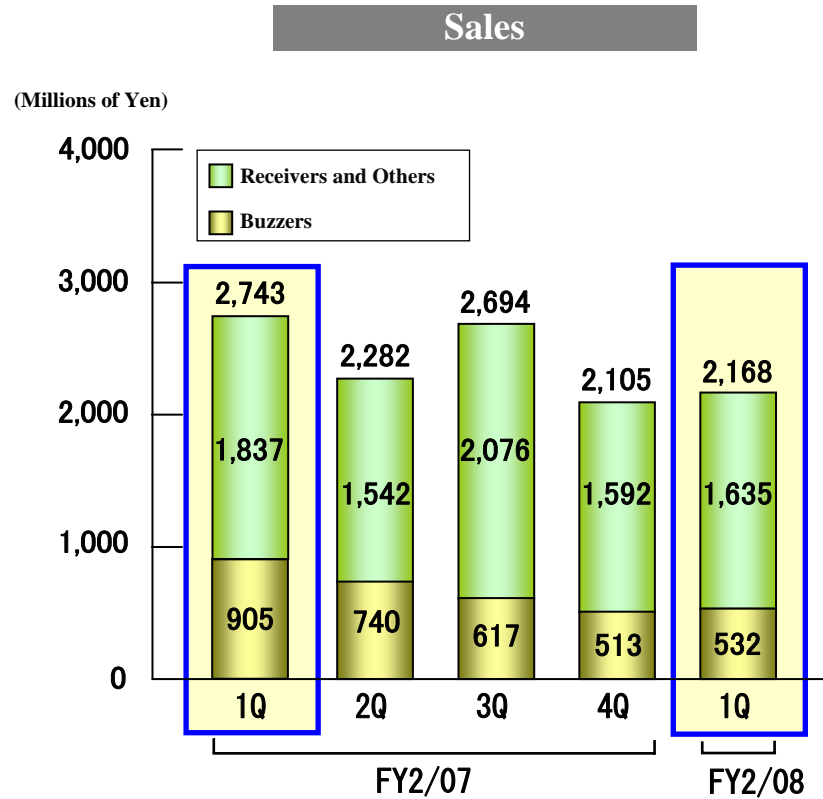
Special Products



▪ Sales of POS printers centered on the U.S. and Europe, and in emerging markets like Russia, were strong.

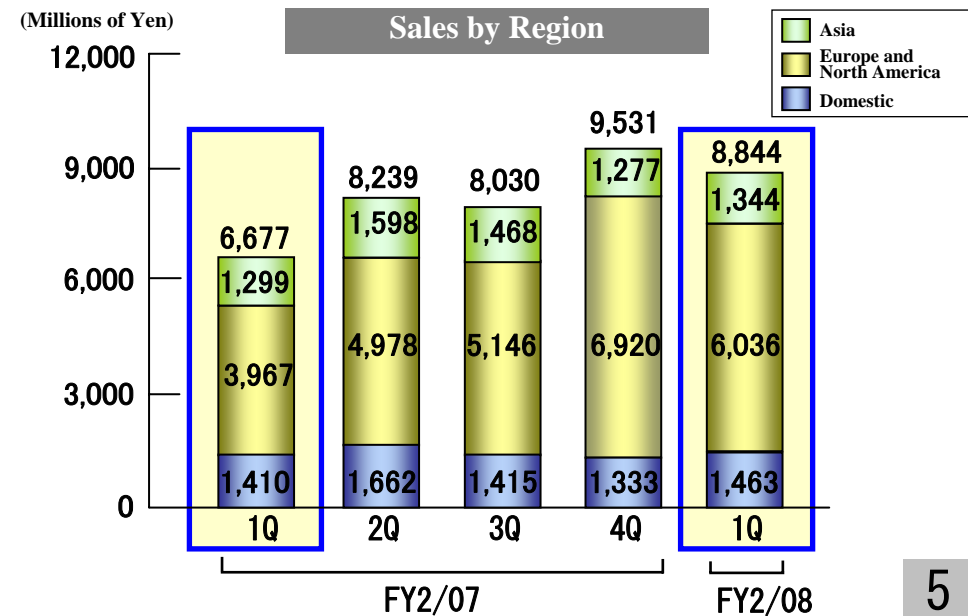
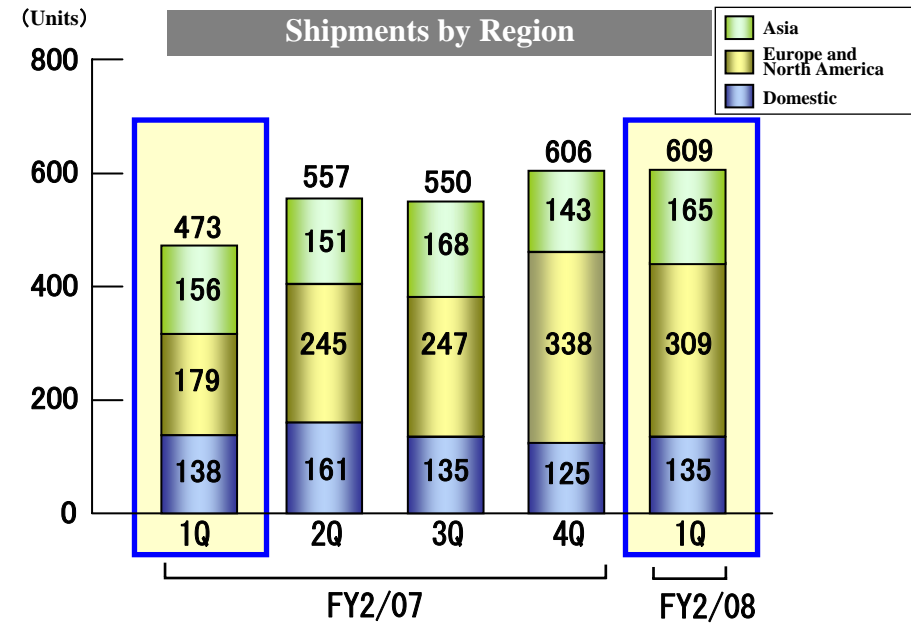
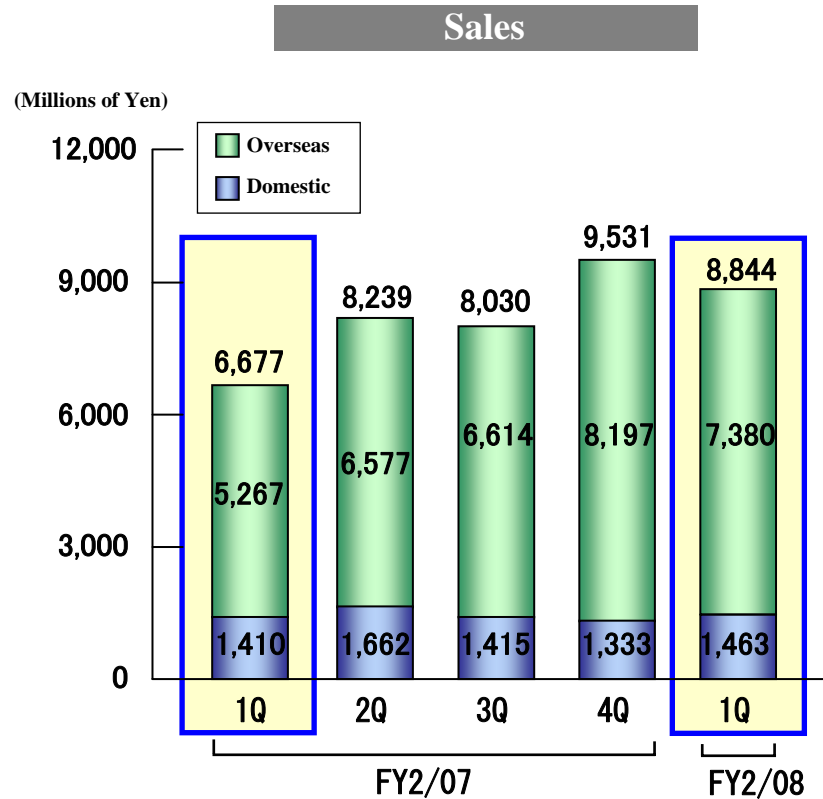


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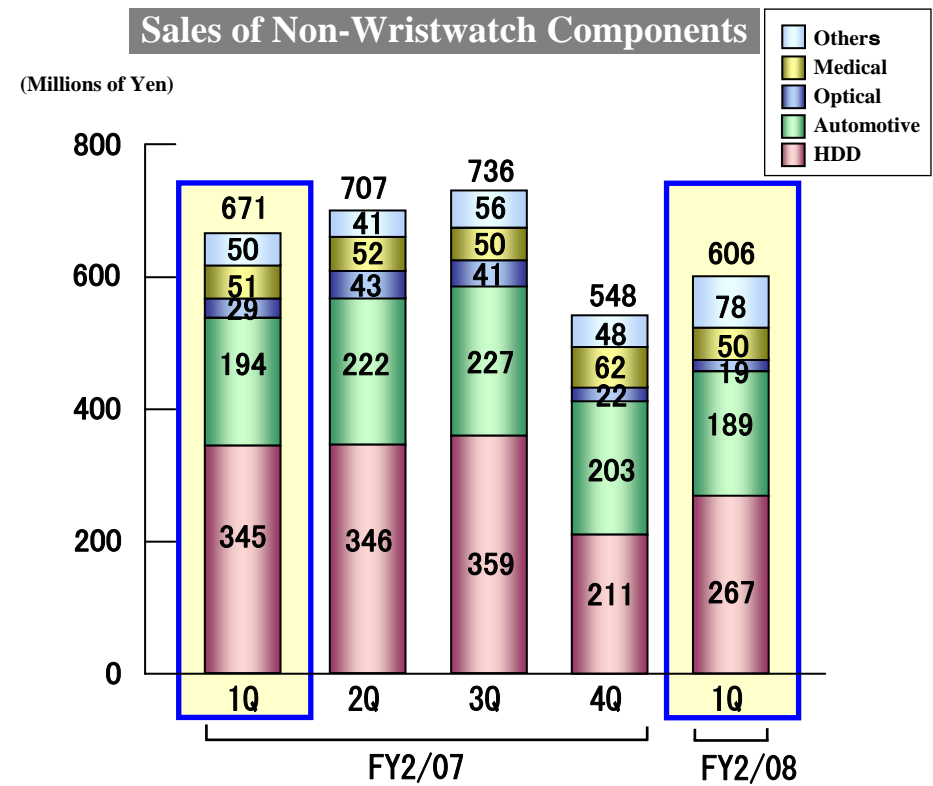
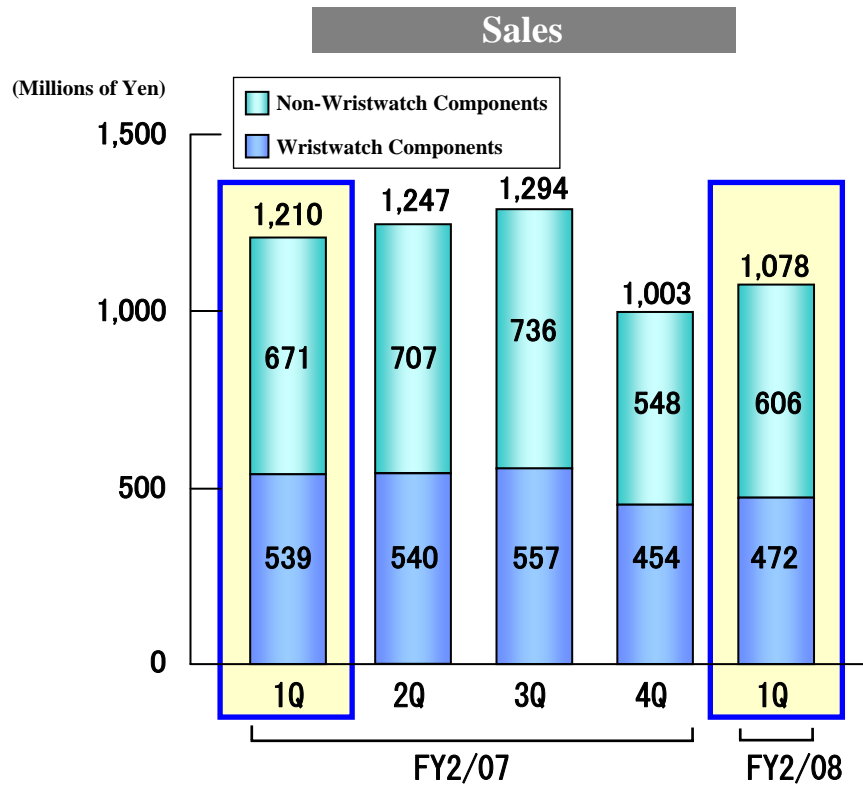


▪ Sales of receivers declined due to falling demand for the mobile phone models they are used in.




Machine Tools



- Machine tool sales were strong in Europe, and particularly Germany and Switzerland.
- Sales were flat year-on-year in the U.S., Japan and the rest of Asia.



▪ In non-wristwatch components, sales of components for HDDs used in portable digital music players dropped.

Segment	Products	
Special Products	Computer Printers POS Printers Card Reader/Writers	
Components	Micro Audio Components (Electronic Buzzers, Microphones, Speakers, Receivers)	
Machine Tools	CNC Automatic Lathes	
Precision Products	Wristwatch Parts, Optical Parts, Automotive Parts, Medical Equipment Parts	