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Consolidated Financial Results for the Third Quarter of the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2016 [Japan GAAP]

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Scheduled date to deliver cash dividends: TBD

Quarterly earnings supplementary explanatory documents: Yes

Quarterly earnings presentation: Yes

(Figures less than one million yen are rounded, unless otherwise noted)

1. Consolidated performance for the third quarter of fiscal year 2015 (from April 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015)

(1) Consolidated operating results

(Percentages indicate year-on-year changes)

	Net sales		Operating income		Ordinary income		Net income attributable to owners of the parent	
	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%	Millions of yen	%
FY2015 3 rd quarter	1,661,965	4.6	102,003	1.2	106,685	(11.2)	76,749	(22.2)
FY2014 3 rd quarter	1,588,555	4.6	100,761	4.6	120,074	3.2	98,591	11.5

Note: Comprehensive income FY2015 3rd quarter: ¥ 54,713 million (60.0%) FY2014 3rd quarter: ¥ 136,886 million 39.6%

	Net income per share	Diluted net income per share
	Yen	Yen
FY2015 3 rd quarter	78.04	-
FY2014 3 rd quarter	100.25	-

Note: Diluted net income per shares are not shown above because there are no diluted shares.

(2) Consolidated financial position

	Total assets	Net assets	Equity ratio
As of	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	%
December 31, 2015	1,461,358	707,600	47.4
March 31, 2015	1,582,802	670,766	41.6

Reference: Equity As of December 31, 2015: ¥ 693,164 million As of March 31, 2015: ¥ 658,652 million

2. Cash dividends

	Cash dividends per share						
Record date	First quarter	Second quarter	Third quarter	Fiscal year-end	Annual		
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen		
FY2014	_	7.50	-	8.50	16.00		
FY2015	-	8.00	-				
FY2015 (Forecast)				8.00	16.00		

Note: Modifications in the cash dividend forecast from the latest announcement: Nil

3. Consolidated earnings forecasts for fiscal year 2015 (from April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016)

(Percentages indicate changes over the same period in the previous fiscal year)

	Net sales	Operating income	Ordinary income	Net income attributable to owners of the parent	Net income per share
	Millions of yen %	Yen			
Full year	2,260,000 3.6	125,000 (8.0)	130,000 (14.3)	100,000 (15.4)	101.68

Note: Modifications in the consolidated earnings forecasts from the latest announcement: Nil

* Notes:

(1) Changes in significant subsidiaries during the period (changes in specified subsidiaries resulting in the change in scope of consolidation): No

- (2) Application of simple accounting as well as specific accounting for preparing the quarterly consolidated financial statements: Yes
- (3) Changes in accounting policies, changes in accounting estimates, and restatement
 - 1) Changes in accounting policies due to revisions to accounting standards: Yes
 - 2) Changes in accounting policies due to other reasons: No
 - 3) Changes in accounting estimates: No
 - 4) Restatement: No
- (4) Number of issued shares (common stock)
 - 1) Total number of issued shares and outstanding at the end of the period (including treasury stock)
 As of December 31, 2015:

 983,661,919 shares
 As of March 31, 2015:
 983,661,919 shares
 - Number of shares of treasury stock at the end of the period
 As of December 31, 2015:
 As of March 31, 2015:
 221,976 shares
 221,845 shares
 - 3) Average number of shares during the period (cumulative from the beginning of the fiscal year)
 FY2015 3rd quarter: 983,439,973 shares
 FY2014 3rd quarter: 983,440,314 shares

* Quarterly review procedures:

As of when this summary of quarterly financial results have been released as flash report, we have not completed the review for the quarterly financial reporting required in accordance with the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act.

* Proper use of earnings forecasts, and other special matters:

(Note for the description about financial forecast)

Figures for financial forecasts are based on judgments and estimates that have been made on the basis of currently available information, and are subject to a number of risks, uncertainties and assumptions. Changes in the MMC group's business environment, market trends or exchange rates may cause actual results to differ materially from these forecasts for FY2015.

(How to obtain additional information materials / details of the earnings release conference)

Additional information materials are disclosed on the MMC web site on the same day as publication of the results. In addition, an audio recording of the earnings release conference held on the same day will, together with the material used for the conference, be posted on the MMC website promptly following conference.

1. Qualitative Information and Financial Statements

(1) Summary of operating results

The Mitsubishi Motors Group (MMC) posted cumulative consolidated results for the first nine months of FY2015 as follows: Net sales increased 73.4 billion yen, or 5% year-on-year, to 1,662 billion yen. Operating income rose 1%, or 1.2 billion yen year-on-year, to 102 billion yen. Despite increase in costs on quality measures in market, positive factors such as cost reductions and improvements in volume/model mix, among others contributed to the increase. Ordinary income decreased 11%, or 13.4 billion yen year-on-year, to 106.7 billion yen. Net income attributable to owners of the parent decreased 22%, or 21.9 billion yen year-on-year, to 76.7 billion yen due to extraordinary loss of 15.3 billion recorded from terminating the production in the United States.

Global retail sales volume for the first nine months of FY2015 totaled 787, 000 units, a decrease of 2% or 19,000 units over the same period in FY2014. Sales volumes by regions were as follows.

Japan: Sales volume totaled 66,000 units, a year-on-year decrease of 16% or 13,000 units. Despite sales increased with registered vehicles over the same period last year, decrease in minicar sales due to the harsh market environment negatively affected the total decrease for the region.

North America: Sales volume totaled 101,000 units, a year-on-year increase of 19% or 16,000 units. The increase was driven by firm sales of the *Outlander* and the *Outlander Sport* (*RVR* or *ASX* in some markets).

Europe: Sales volume in the Western European area totaled 129,000 units, a year-on-year increase of 18% or 21,000 units, contributed mainly by sales increases in Germany and the United Kingdom. However, this increase could not offset the drop in sales volume in Russia where the economic environment worsened and prices rose due to a worsening currency situation, resulting in a total of 157,000 units, a decrease of 8% or 14,000 units for the region as a whole.

Asia: Sales volume totaled 242,000 units, a year-on-year decrease of 6% or 15,000 units. Although sales increased in Thailand over the same period last year, led by firm sales of the *Pajero Sport* which debuted in October 2015, sales decrease in China and Indonesia negatively affected the total sales of the region.

Other Regions: Sales volume totaled 221,000 units, a year-on-year increase of 4% or 7,000 units due to sales increase in the Middle East and Africa.

(2) Summary of financial position

Total assets as of December 31, 2015 amounted to 1,461.4 billion yen, a decrease of 121.4 billion yen over the end of FY2014 due to the transfer of sales credit receivables during the second quarter of the fiscal year.

Cash and cash deposits amounted 484.7 billion yen, an increase of 44.4 billion yen from the end of FY2014. Total liabilities amounted to 753.8 billion yen, a decrease of 158.2 billion yen from the end of FY2014. Out of total liabilities, the interest bearing debt balance was reduced to 33 billion yen, a decrease of 111.5 billion yen from the end of FY2014 due to factors including a reduction in debts payable that brought by the transfer of sales credit receivables occurred in the second quarter of the fiscal year.

Net assets at the end of the third quarter of FY2015 amounted to 707.6 billion yen, a 36.8 billion yen increase from the end of FY2014 due to factors including the net income attributable to owners of the parent posted in this term, dividend payouts, and a decrease from the foreign currency translation adjustment affected by foreign exchange rates recorded as of the end of December 31, 2015.

(3) Summary of earnings forecasts

MMC has decided to revise sales volume and full-year (April 1, 2015 through March 31, 2016) consolidated earnings forecasts for the fiscal year. These changes were made based on the nine-month operating results and the consideration of many factors, including current global economic situation and market trends. The revision is outlined below.

MMC bases its full-year consolidated earnings forecasts on currency exchange rates of 120JPY/USD and 132JPY/EUR (116JPY/USD and 127JPY/EUR for the fourth quarter of the fiscal year.)

Sales volume forecasts for the full-year are as follows:

Sales volume (retail): 1,053,000 units (No change from the previous forecast)

Sales volume (wholesale): 1,240,000 units (11,000 units down from the previous forecast)

Revision to the Full-year Consolidated Earnings Forecast for FY2015 (April 1, 2015 through March 31, 2016)

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	Net Sales (millions of yen)	Operating Income (millions of yen)	Ordinary Income (millions of yen)	Net Income (millions of yen)	Net Income Per Share (Yen)
Previous Forecast (A)	2,280,000	125,000	130,000	100,000	101.68
Revised Forecast (B)	2,260,000	125,000	130,000	100,000	101.68
Change in amount (B-A)	(20,000)	_	_	_	_
Change as percentage	(0.9%)	_	_	_	_
(For reference only) Results for the last fiscal year (year ending March 2015)	2,180,728	135,913	151,616	118,170	120.16

2. Others

(1) Application of simple accounting as well as specific accounting for preparing the quarterly consolidated financial statements:

Income tax expenses were calculated as multiplying income before income taxes by reasonably estimated annual effective tax rate. This tax rate was reasonably estimated after applying the deferred tax accounting to the annual income before income taxes.

(2) Changes in accounting policies, changes in accounting estimates, and restatement Changes in accounting policies due to revisions to accounting standards:

Effective from the beginning of the first quarter of FY2015, Mitsubishi Motors Corporation adopted the "Revised Accounting Standard for Business Combinations" (ASBJ Statement No.21 of September 13, 2013), "Revised Accounting Standard for Consolidated Financial Statements" (ASBJ Statement No.22 of September 13, 2013), and "Revised Accounting Standard for Business Divestitures" (ASBJ Statement No.7 of September 13, 2013). In applying these accounting standards, the accounting treatment for any changes in a parent's ownership interest in a subsidiary when the parent retains control over the subsidiary and the corresponding accounting for acquisition-related costs were revised. In addition, the presentation method of net income was amended, the reference to "minority interests" was changed to "non-controlling interests", and accounting treatment for adjustments to provisional amounts during measurement period was also changed.

There is no impact to the profit/loss.

3. Consolidated financial statements

(1) Consolidated balance sheets

(Millions of yen)

		(Millions of yen
	As of March 31, 2015	As of December 31, 2015
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and deposits	440,272	484,705
Notes and accounts receivable-trade	184,653	158,569
Merchandise and finished goods	155,181	128,295
Work in process	25,968	18,649
Raw materials and supplies	30,533	33,590
Other	130,633	123,025
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(3,585)	(1,297)
Total current assets	963,658	945,538
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment		
Buildings and structures, net	80,347	81,314
Machinery, equipment and vehicles, net	174,585	127,499
Tools, furniture and fixtures, net	37,142	33,390
Land	97,129	92,798
Construction in progress	17,105	9,256
Total property, plant and equipment	406,310	344,260
Intangible assets	14,043	15,267
Investments and other assets		
Investment securities	74,298	81,155
Other	131,254	81,343
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(6,763)	(6,207)
Total investments and other assets	198,789	156,291
Total non-current assets	619,143	515,819
Total assets	1,582,802	1,461,358

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	As of March 31, 2015	As of December 31, 2015
Liabilities		
Current liabilities		
Notes and accounts payable-trade	353,862	352,081
Electronically recorded obligations	21,018	35,539
Short-term loans payable	90,907	13,413
Current portion of long-term loans payable	27,643	7,854
Accounts payable-other and accrued expenses	122,128	117,027
Income taxes payable	5,829	7,345
Provision for product warranties	34,108	32,921
Other	37,342	49,020
Total current liabilities	692,840	615,203
Noncurrent liabilities		
Long-term loans payable	25,914	11,715
Net defined benefit liability	106,821	52,295
Other	86,459	74,543
Total noncurrent liabilities	219,195	138,554
Total liabilities	912,035	753,757
Net assets		
Shareholders' equity		
Capital stock	165,701	165,701
Capital surplus	85,257	85,257
Retained earnings	432,241	492,764
Treasury stock	(220)	(220)
Total shareholders' equity	682,980	743,503
Accumulated other comprehensive income	·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	7,844	4,443
Deferred gains or losses on hedges	286	(1,566)
Foreign currency translation adjustment	(21,013)	(41,874)
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	(11,445)	(11,341)
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	(24,327)	(50,339)
Non-controlling interests	12,113	14,435
Total net assets	670,766	707,600
Total liabilities and net assets	1,582,802	1,461,358

(2) Consolidated statements of income and Consolidated statements of comprehensive income

Consolidated statements of income

(Millions of yen)

Consolidated statements of income	FY2014 3 rd quarter	FY2015 3 rd quarter
	(from April 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014)	(from April 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015)
Net sales	1,588,555	1,661,965
Cost of sales	1,239,502	1,313,669
Gross profit	349,053	348,296
Selling, general and administrative expenses		
Advertising and promotion expenses	76,356	68,071
Freightage expenses	43,638	42,080
Provision of allowance for doubtful accounts	(593)	139
Directors' compensations, salaries and allowances	50,320	51,481
Retirement benefit expenses	3,235	3,563
Depreciation	6,783	6,894
Research and development expenses	31,722	32,297
Other	36,827	41,764
Total selling, general and administrative expenses	248,292	246,292
Operating income (loss)	100,761	102,003
Non-operating income		
Interest income	3,958	3,800
Foreign exchange gains	9,191	· -
Equity in earnings of affiliates	9,324	7,071
Other	1,806	1,958
Total non-operating income	24,280	12,830
Non-operating expenses		·
Interest expenses	3,298	1,220
Foreign exchange losses	, -	5,234
Other	1,669	1,692
Total non-operating expenses	4,967	8,148
Ordinary income (loss)	120,074	106,685
Extraordinary income		,
Gain on sales of non-current assets	168	9,870
Gain on sales of shares of subsidiaries and associates	475	-
Other	33	713
Total extraordinary income	677	10,583
Extraordinary losses		
Loss on retirement of non-current assets	1,689	2,093
Impairment loss	1,486	573
Loss on closing of plants	· -	15,319
Other	2,257	811
Total extraordinary losses	5,433	18,797
Income (loss) before income taxes	115,317	98,471
Income taxes	15,468	16,776
Net income (loss)	99,849	81,695
Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests	1,258	4,945
Net income (loss) attributable to owners of the parent	98,591	76,749
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	FY2014 3 rd quarter	FY2015 3 rd quarter	
	(from April 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014)	(from April 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015)	
Net income (loss)	99,849	81,695	
Other comprehensive income			
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	2,000	(3,387)	
Deferred gains or losses on hedges	378	49	
Foreign currency translation adjustment	37,477	(21,153)	
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	(3,814)	(48)	
Share of other comprehensive income of associates accounted for using equity method	994	(2,442)	
Total other comprehensive income	37,037	(26,981)	
Comprehensive income	136,886	54,713	
Comprehensive income attributable to:			
Owners of the parent	134,282	50,738	
Non-controlling interests	2,603	3,974	

(3) Notes to consolidated financial statements

Notes on premise of going concern

N/A

Notes on significant changes in the amount of shareholders' equity

N/A

Segment information

FY2014 3rd quarter (from April 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014)

1. Net sales and income (loss) for each reportable segment

(Millions of yen)

	Automobiles	Financial services	Total	Adjustment (Note 1)	Grand total (Note 2)
Net sales					
(1) External customers	1,578,015	10,540	1,588,555	_	1,588,555
(2) Intersegment sales & transfers	151	_	151	(151)	-
Total	1,578,166	10,540	1,588,706	(151)	1,588,555
Segment income (loss)	100,192	719	100,912	(151)	100,761

Notes:

- 1. Adjustment represents the elimination of intersegment transactions.
- 2. Segment income (loss) agrees to the amount of operating income (loss) presented in the consolidated statement of income.
- 2. Information on assets by reporting segment

N/A

3. Information on impairment loss on non-current assets by reportable segments
Impairment loss was recognized in automobile segment. Loss on impairment amounted to ¥1,486 million.

(Supplementary information about geographic information)

1. Net sales to the external customers classified by the geographic location of the external customers

(Millions of yen)

	Japan	North America	Europe	Asia	Oceania	Other	Total
Net sales							
Net sales to external customers	311,495	196,785	392,558	314,788	164,357	208,570	1,588,555

Note:

Main countries and regions outside Japan are grouped as follows:

- (1) North America.....The United States
- (2) Europe......Russia, France, The Netherlands, Germany
- (3) Asia......Thailand, The Philippines, China, Indonesia
- (4) Oceania..... Australia, New Zealand
- (5) Other.....Brazil, U.A.E., Puerto Rico

2. Net sales and operating income (loss) classified by the geographic location of the company and its consolidated subsidiaries

(Millions of yen)

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	Japan	North America	Europe	Asia	Oceania	Other	Total	Adjustment (Note)	Grand total
Net sales									
(1) External customers	996,184	179,388	61,706	166,287	164,357	20,631	1,588,555	-	1,588,555
(2) Intersegment sales & transfers	330,160	48,187	1,247	288,536	124	0	668,256	(668,256)	_
Total	1,326,345	227,575	62,954	454,823	164,481	20,631	2,256,812	(668,256)	1,588,555
Operating income (loss)	59,575	4,457	6,522	24,566	7,522	470	103,115	(2,354)	100,761

Note:

Main countries and regions outside Japan are grouped as follows:

- (1) North America..... The United States
- (2) Europe...... The Netherlands, Russia
- (3) Asia.....Thailand, The Philippines
- (4) Oceania...... Australia, New Zealand
- (5) Other......U.A.E., Puerto Rico

FY2015 3rd guarter (from April 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015)

1. Net sales and income (loss) for each reportable segment

(Millions of yen)

	Automobiles	Financial services	Total	Adjustment (Note 1)	Grand total (Note 2)
Net sales					
(1) External customers	1,654,756	7,209	1,661,965	-	1,661,965
(2) Intersegment sales & transfers	(142)	-	(142)	142	-
Total	1,654,614	7,209	1,661,823	142	1,661,965
Segment income (loss)	101,865	(5)	101,860	142	102,003

Notes:

- 1. Adjustment represents the elimination of intersegment transactions.
- 2. Segment income (loss) agrees to the amount of operating income (loss) presented in the consolidated statement of income.
- 2. Information on assets by reporting segment

In the first nine months of the fiscal year under review, assets of the financial services segment decreased significantly compared with the end of the previous fiscal year due to the transferring finance receivables and leased vehicles of Mitsubishi Motors Credit of America Inc., a subsidiary in the United States.

3. Information on impairment loss on non-current assets by reportable segments No significant items to be reported.

(Supplementary information about geographic information)

1. Net sales to the external customers, classified by the geographic location of the external customers

(Millions of yen)

	Japan	North America	Europe	Asia	Oceania	Other	Total
Net sales							
Net sales to external customers	283,912	254,371	378,972	343,877	161,001	239,830	1,661,965

Note:

Main countries and regions outside Japan are grouped as follows:

- (1) North America..... The United States
- (2) Europe......Russia, England, Germany, France, The Netherlands
- (3) Asia...... Thailand, The Philippines, China, Indonesia
- (4) Oceania.....Australia, New Zealand
- (5) Other.....Brazil, U.A.E., Puerto Rico

2. Net sales and operating income (loss) classified by the geographic location of the company and its consolidated subsidiaries

(Millions of yen)

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	Japan	North America	Europe	Asia	Oceania	Other	Total	Adjustment (Note)	Grand total
Net sales									
(1) External customers	988,497	220,022	57,752	218,484	161,001	16,207	1,661,965	_	1,661,965
(2) Intersegment sales & transfers	359,796	13,746	6,043	313,379	83	-	693,049	(693,049)	-
Total	1,348,294	233,768	63,795	531,864	161,084	16,207	2,355,015	(693,049)	1,661,965
Operating income (loss)	41,889	8,908	950	40,796	8,267	525	101,338	664	102,003

Note: Main countries and regions outside Japan are grouped as follows:

- (1) North America..... The United States
- (2) Europe...... The Netherlands, Russia
- (3) Asia..... Thailand, The Philippines
- (4) Oceania......Australia, New Zealand
- (5) Other...... U.A.E., Puerto Rico