



**FY 2005**  
(Year ended March 31, 2005)  
**RESULTS**  
**Makita Corporation**

May 10, 2005

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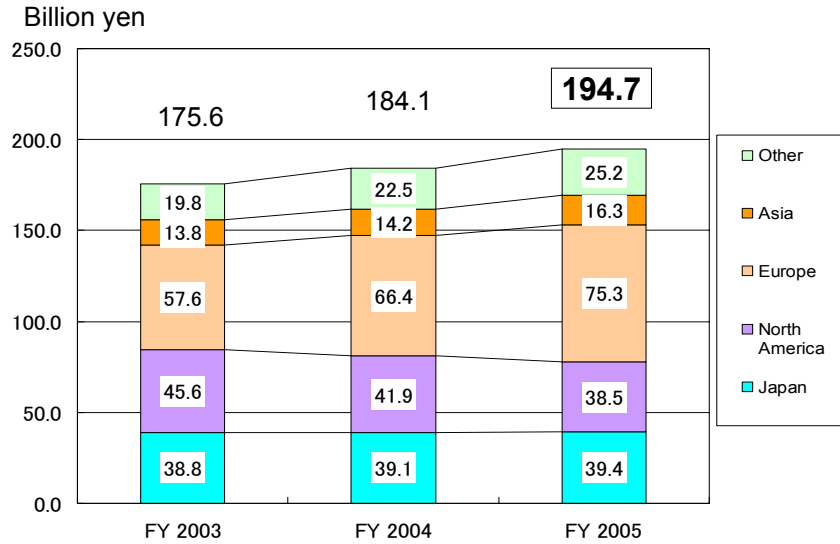
**FY 2005 Results**



		<b>% Change</b>
<b>Net sales</b>	<b>¥194.7 billion</b> <i>(Highest in Makita's history)</i>	<b>+5.8%</b>
Domestic	¥19.0 billion	+0.6%
Overseas	¥155.3 billion <i>(Highest in Makita's history)</i>	+7.2%
Overseas sales ratio: 79.8% (FY 2004: 78.7%)		

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## Sales by Geographic Area



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## Exchange Rate Trends



	2004/3	2005/3	
US\$	¥113.19	¥107.55	-5.0%
EURO	¥132.65	¥135.17	1.9%

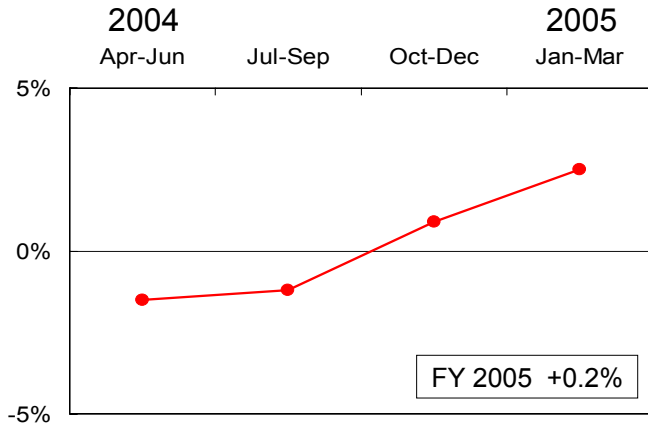
Weighted average change for all foreign currency:  
0.5% appreciated in the value of the yen  
Effect on net sales:  
decrease of approximately ¥0.8 billion

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## Sales Growth (Local Currency Basis)



Japan (Non-consolidated)



Impact Driver



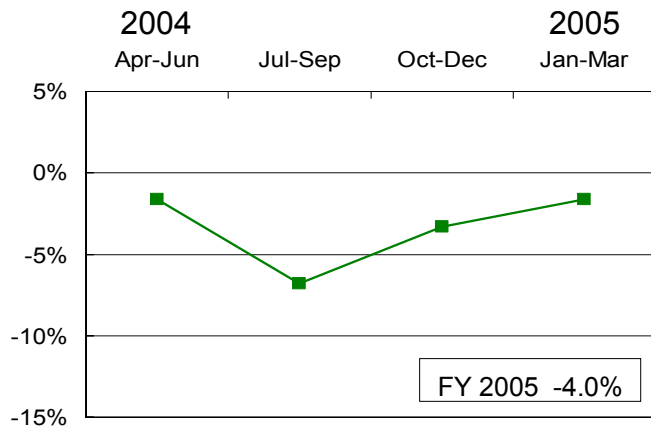
Circular Saw

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## Sales Growth (Local Currency Basis)



U.S.A.



Impact Driver



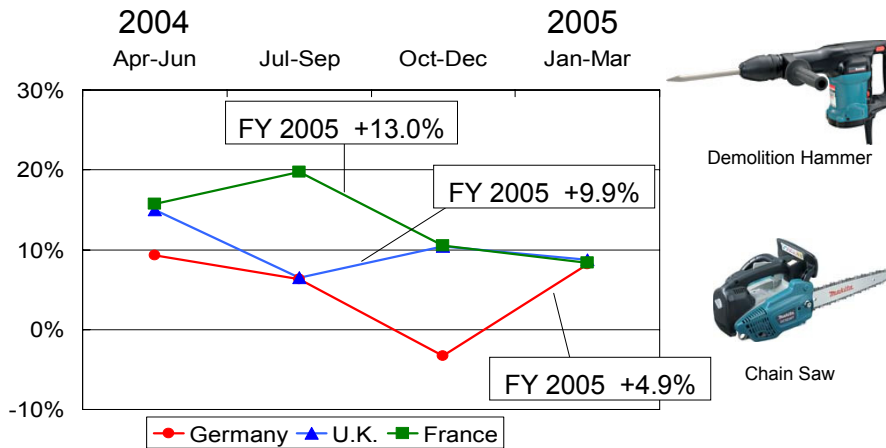
Wet Stone Polisher

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## Sales Growth (Local Currency Basis)



### Germany/U.K./France



Demolition Hammer

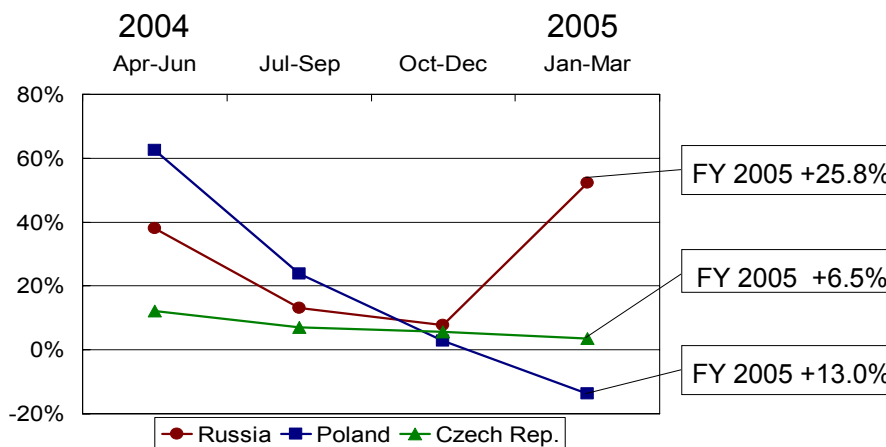


Chain Saw

## Sales Growth (Local Currency Basis)



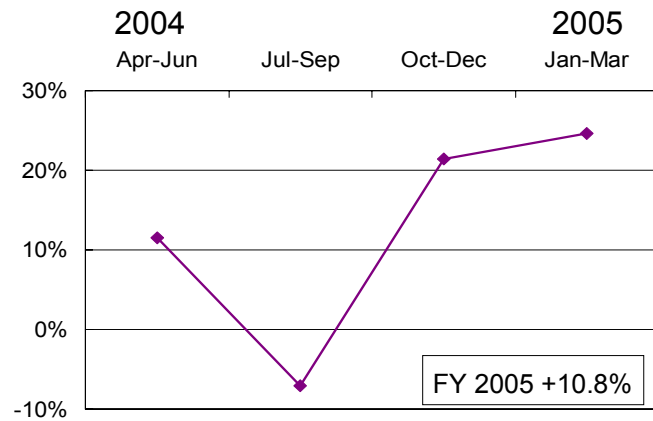
### Eastern Europe/Russia



## Sales Growth (Local Currency Basis)



### China

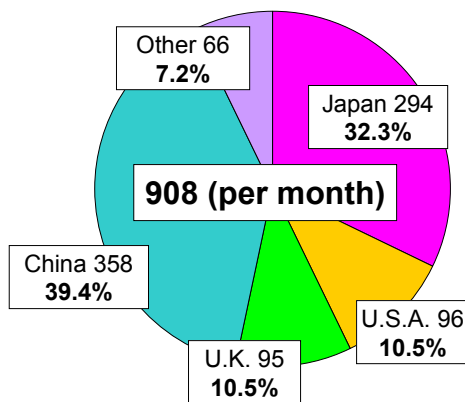


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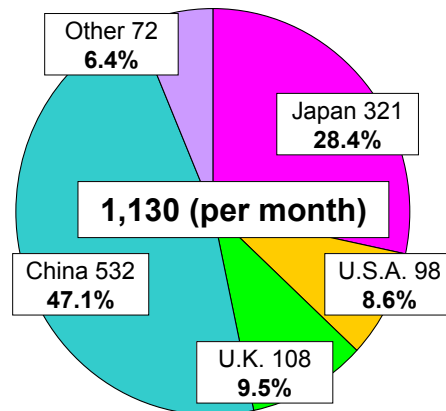
## Production by Country



FY 2004  
Total 10,900 thousand units



FY 2005  
Total 13,566 thousand units



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## FY 2005 Results



**Net Sales ¥194.7 billion**

Cost of Sales ¥113.3 billion Cost of Sales Ratio  
58.2%  
-1.7 pt

SG&A expenses ¥50.0 billion Change  
-¥9.1 billion

Excluding special factors +¥0.3 billion

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## Special Factors



	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005
Golf Course	-¥2.7 billion	-¥8.5 billion	-
Return of the Employee Retirement Benefit Fund	-	-	+¥4.4 billion
Gain/Loss on Sales of Property	-	+¥3.1 billion	-¥1.2 billion
Other	-	-¥1.3 billion	-¥0.5 billion
<b>Total</b>	<b>-¥2.7 billion</b>	<b>-¥6.7 billion</b>	<b>+¥2.7 billion</b>

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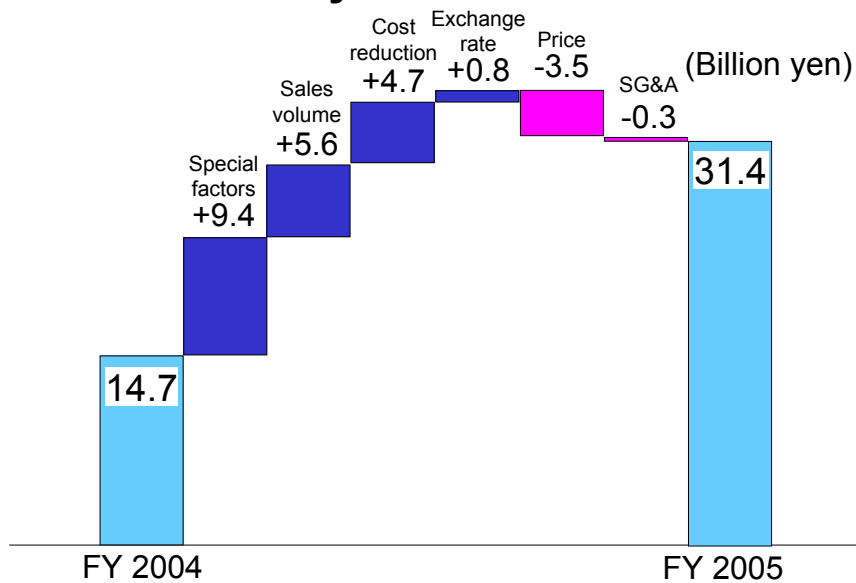
## FY 2005 Results



	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005
Net Sales	¥175.6 billion	¥184.1 billion	¥194.7 billion
Cost of Sales	¥110.2 billion	¥110.3 billion	¥113.3 billion
SG&A Expenses	¥52.9 billion	¥59.1 billion	¥50.0 billion
Operating Profit	¥12.5 billion	¥14.7 billion	¥31.4 billion
Operating Profit Ratio	7.1%	8.0%	16.1%
<b>Special Factors</b>	<b>-¥2.7 billion</b>	<b>-¥6.7 billion</b>	<b>+¥2.7 billion</b>
<b>Excluding special factors:</b>			
Operating Profit	¥15.2 billion	¥21.4 billion	¥28.7 billion
Operating Profit Ratio	8.6%	11.6%	14.8%

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## Variance Analysis (Operating Income)

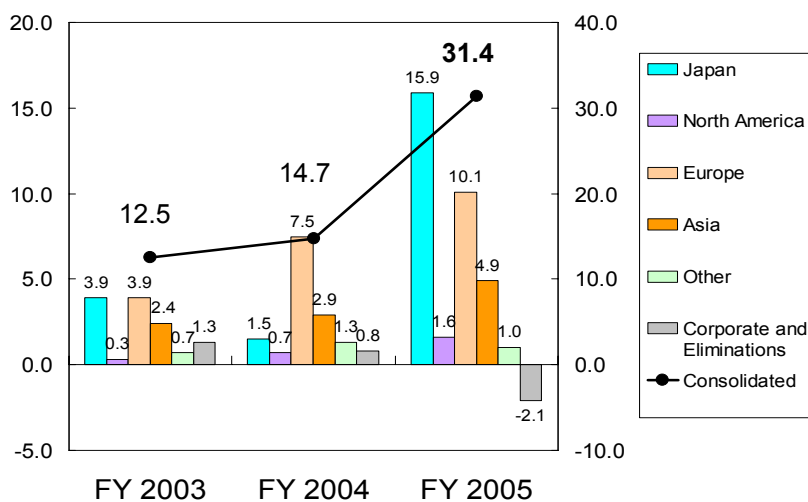


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## Operating Income (By Geographic Segment Basis)



Billion yen



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## FY 2005 Results



	FY 2004	FY 2005	% Change
Net Sales	¥184.1 billion	¥194.7 billion	+5.8%
Operating Profit	¥14.7 billion	¥31.4 billion	+113.6%
Operating Profit Ratio	8.0%	16.1%	
Excluding special factors:			
Operating Profit	¥21.4 billion	¥28.7 billion	+34%
Operating Profit Ratio	11.6%	14.8%	
Income before			
Income Taxes	¥16.2 billion	¥32.6 billion	+101.7%
Net Income	¥7.7 billion	¥22.1 billion	+187.8%
EPS	¥53.16	¥153.89	
Excluding special factors:			
Net Income	¥15.2 billion	¥20.5 billion	+36%
EPS	¥105	¥143	

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## Major Balance Sheet Items



(vs 2004/3)

**Inventories** +¥11.7 billion

- Calculated excluding currency factors, the change would have been +¥9.2 billion.
- Sales strong in Europe, Inventories increase in the United States

**Short-term borrowings** -¥5.1 billion

- Convertible bonds amounting to ¥13 billion were amortized at the end of the fiscal year
- Includes long-term liabilities of the Company's financial services subsidiary repayable within one year

**Long-term indebtedness** -¥7.3 billion

- Financial services subsidiary

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## Capex



FY 2005 (Results) **¥6.6 billion** Australian Head Office: ¥1.2 billion and other

FY 2005 (Forecast) **¥11.0 billion**

## Depreciation

FY 2005 (Results) **¥5.4 billion**

FY 2005 (Forecast) **¥5.4 billion**

Composition:

Parent company: ¥7.0 billion  
Okazaki Plant: Approximately ¥4.0 billion

Subsidiaries: ¥4.0 billion  
China Plant: Approximately ¥1.9 billion

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## Treatment of the Golf Course Subsidiary

- October 1993      Opened the Castle Hill Country Club
- FY 2004            Recorded an impairment charge
- September 2004   Filed a petition for the commencement of civil  
rehabilitation procedures to the Nagoya District Court
- April 2005         Corporate rehabilitation project approved
- May 2005          Transferred to sponsor (Scheduled)

## Treatment of Nailer Business

- November 2004   Reached basic agreement with Kanematsu NNK  
on acquisition of that company's nailer business
- December 2004   Contract signed with acquisition price of ¥3.2 billion
- February 2005     Discovery of that company's falsification of  
certifications, postponement of acquisition

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## FY2006 Forecast

		% Change
<b>Net Sales</b>	<b>¥198.5 billion</b>	<b>+1.9%</b>
Domestic	¥39.0 billion	-1.0%
Domestic	¥159.5 billion	+2.7%

**Exchange rate: ¥105 to US\$ 1 and ¥135 to 1 EURO**

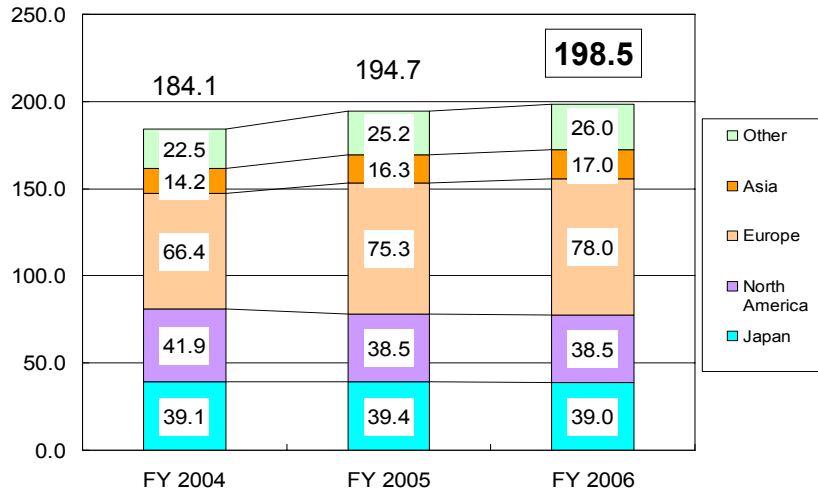
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# FY2006 Forecast

(Sales by Geographic Area)



Billion yen



# FY 2006 Forecast



	FY 2005	FY 2006	% Change
Net Sales	¥194.7 billion	¥198.5 billion	+1.9%
Operating Profit	¥31.4 billion	¥36.0 billion	+14.7%
Operating Profit Ratio	16.1%	18.1%	
Special factors	+2.7 billion (Due to return of substitutional portion of pension fund, etc.)	+8.5 billion (Liquidation of golf course management subsidiary)	+5.8 billion
Excluding special factors:			
Operating Profit	¥28.7 billion	¥27.5 billion	-4%
Operating Profit Ratio	14.8%	13.9%	

## FY 2006 Forecast



	FY 2005	FY 2006	% Change
Net Sales	¥194.7 billion	¥198.5 billion	+1.9%
Operating Profit	¥31.4 billion	¥36.0 billion	+14.7%
Income before Income Taxes	¥32.6 billion	¥37.0 billion	+13.4%
Net Income	¥22.1 billion	¥30.0 billion	+35.5%
EPS	¥153.89	¥208.66	
Special factors after tax	+¥1.6 billion (Due to return of substitutional portion of pension fund, etc.)	+12.2 billion (Liquidation of golf course management subsidiary)	+10.6 billion
Excluding special factors:			
Net Income	¥20.5 billion	¥17.8 billion	-13%
EPS	¥143	¥123	

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## Basic Policy Regarding Profit Distribution



### Cash Dividends

- Dividend payout ratio: 30% or over  
(Minimum of ¥18 annually)
- Upward/downward adjustments  
to be made for special factors

### Share Buyback

- Continue to consider in light of trends  
in stock prices

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## Cash Dividends



Net income after adjustments	¥20.5 billion
EPS after adjustments	¥143
Annual cash dividend, excluding memorial dividend	¥43
Dividend propensity after adjustments	30.1%

### Dividends for year ended March 31, 2005

Ordinary dividend	¥18
Special dividend	¥25
90 year memorial dividend	¥4
<b>Total</b>	<b>¥47</b>

( Includes an interim dividend (already paid) of ¥11  
and a year-end dividend (proposed) of ¥36 )

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### FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

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