Business Results for Nine Months (April-December, 2020) of FY2020 [Telephone conference]

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I . Coronavirus (COVID-19) Effects on Komatsu Group's Business



Coronavirus (COVID-19) Effects on Komatsu Group's Business

1. Effects on operations

1) Production

Current conditions

Normal operations at all plants since October 2020

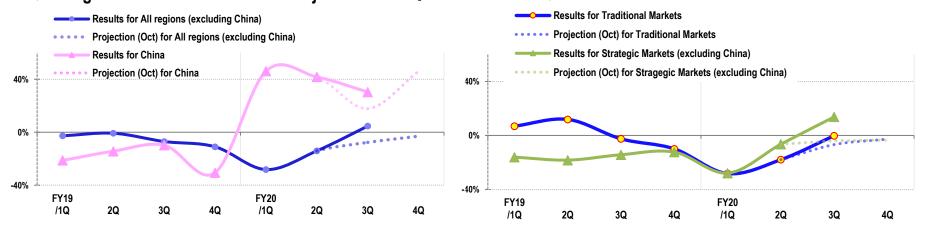
2) Sales and service

Items	Updates
Operating conditions of machines on construction sites*	Same-as-usual conditions have continued in many regions since the second quarter.
Sales	Teleworking in some regions. Regular working or working with restrictions in many regions.
Service	Regular working (in general) at parts warehouses and service workshops

^{*} Averaged daily hours of operations based on Komtrax in major regions available on page 28

2. Results and Outlook of Demand for FY2020

<Y-o-Y growth rate of Demand for 7 Major Products (FY2019~FY2020>



II. Business Results for Three and Nine Months ended December 31, 2020



Highlights of Business Results for the Third Quarter (Oct.- Dec., 2020)

- Consolidated net sales decreased by 9.5% from the corresponding period a year ago, to JPY555.5 billion.
- Operating income declined by 28.3% to JPY47.1 billion. Operating income ratio was 8.5%, down 2.2 points.
- Net income attributable to Komatsu Ltd. declined by 36.6% to JPY28.6 billion.

Billions of yen	OctDec., 2019 (A) ¥108.6/USD	OctDec., 2020 (B) ¥104.9/USD	Changes (B-A)		
Dillions of yen	¥119.7/EUR ¥15.4/RMB	¥123.4/EUR ¥15.7/RMB	increase (decrease)	Change %	
Net sales	613.9	555.5	(58.3)	(9.5)%	
Segment profit	63.5	47.4	(16.1)	(25.4)%	
Other operating income (expenses)	2.2	(0.2)	(2.5)	-	
Operating income	65.8	47.1	(18.6)	(28.3)%	
Profit ratio	10.7%	8.5%	(2.2)pts.		
Other income (expenses)	(4.1)	(2.3)	+1.7	-	
Income before income taxes	61.7	44.8	(16.8)	(27.4)%	
Net income attributable to Komatsu Ltd.	45.2	28.6	(16.5)	(36.6)%	



Segment Sales and Profits for the Third Quarter(Oct.- Dec., 2020)

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- Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment: Sales decreased by 7.5% from the corresponding period a year ago, to JPY505.2 billion. Segment profit declined by 28.8% to JPY37.7 billion. Segment profit ratio worsened to 7.5%, down 2.2 points.
- Retail Finance: Revenues decreased by 7.6% from the corresponding period a year ago, to JPY16.7 billion. Segment profit declined by 14.6% to JPY3.4 billion.
- Industrial Machinery & Others: Sales decreased by 30.4% from the corresponding period a year ago, to JPY37.0 billion. Segment profit declined by 12.7% to JPY 4.8billion.

		% : Profit ration	[]: Sales after elimination	of inter-segment transactions	
-	OctDec., 2019 (A)		Changes (B-A)		
Billions of yen		OctDec., 2020 (B)	increase (decrease)	Change %	
Net sales	613.9	555.5	(58.3)	(9.5)%	
Construction, mining & utility equipment Retail finance Industrial machinery & others	546.4 [545.1] 18.1 [16.0] 53.2 [52.7]	505.2 [504.0] 16.7 [14.7] 37.0 [36.7]	(41.2) [(41.0)] (1.3) [(1.3)] (16.2) [(16.0)]	(7.5)% [(7.5)%] (7.6)% [(8.1)%] (30.4)% [(30.4)%]	
Elimination	(3.8)	(3.4)	+0.4	-	
Segment profit	10.4% 63.5	8.5% 47.4	(1.9)pts. (16.1)	(25.4)%	
Construction, mining & utility equipment Retail finance Industrial machinery & others	9.7% 53.0 22.6% 4.0 10.5% 5.5	7.5% 37.7 20.8% 3.4 13.2% 4.8	(2.2)pts. (15.2) (1.8)pts. (0.5) +2.7pts. (0.7)	(28.8)% (14.6)% (12.7)%	
Corporate & elimination	0.8	1.3	+0.4	•	

Review of three business segments

■ Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment:

Sales were adversely affected by foreign exchange rates, reduced sales of mining equipment and other factors. While reduced fixed costs absorbed some part of decreased segment profit, segment profit declined, mainly due to reduced volume of sales.

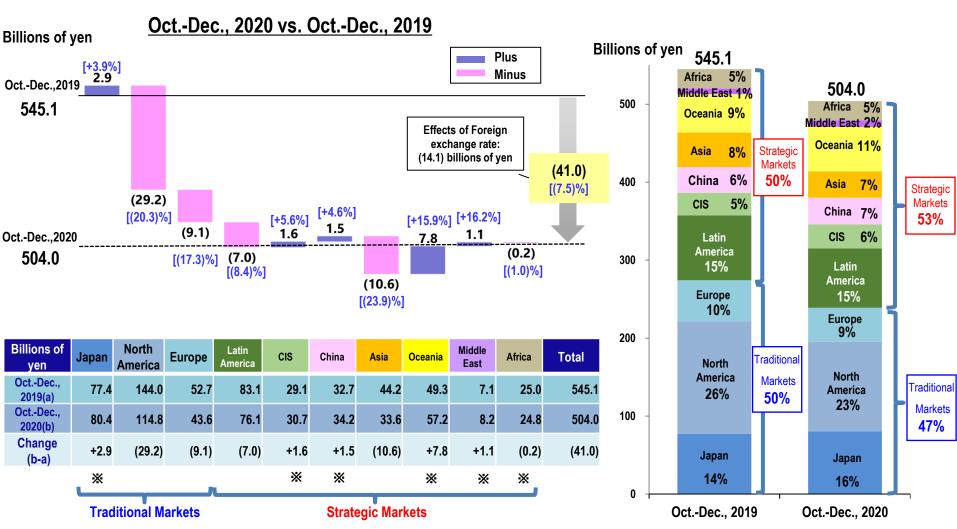
■ Retail Finance:

Both revenues and segment profit declined, mainly due to a decrease in new contracts.

■ Industrial Machinery & Others

Both sales and segment profit decreased, mainly due to declined demand for presses and machine tools in the automobile manufacturing industry as well as delayed installation of machinery.

- Sales to outside customers decreased by 7.5% from the corresponding period a year ago, to JPY504.0 billion.
- Sales dropped sharply in North America, Asia, Europe, and Latin America. Sales increased in Oceania and some other regions.
- The proportion of Traditional Markets decreased to 47% of total sales.



^{*} Region where sales increased, when foreign exchange effects were excluded.



Highlights of Business Results for Nine Months (Apr.- Dec., 2020)

- Consolidated net sales declined by 17.2% from the corresponding period a year ago, to JPY1,513.3 billion.
- Operating income dropped by 48.3% to JPY107.5 billion. Operating income ratio was 7.1%, down 4.3points.
- Net income attributable to Komatsu Ltd. dropped by 51.2% to JPY65.9 billion.

Billions of yen	AprDec., 2019 (A) ¥108.9/USD	AprDec., 2020 (B) ¥106.4/USD	Changes (B-A)		
Billions of yell	¥121.0/EUR ¥15.7/RMB	¥122.1/EUR ¥15.4/RMB	increase (decrease)	Change %	
Net sales	1,827.4	1,513.3	(314.1)	(17.2)%	
Segment profit	204.2	108.2	(96.0)	(47.0)%	
Other operating income (expenses)	3.5	(0.6)	(4.2)		
Operating income	207.8	107.5	(100.2)	(48.3)%	
Profit ratio	11.4%	7.1%	(4.3)pts.	-	
Other income (expenses)	(17.9)	(4.1)	+13.7	-	
Income before income taxes	189.9	103.3	(86.5)	(45.6)%	
Net income attributable to Komatsu Ltd.	135.2	65.9	(69.2)	(51.2)%	



Segment Sales and Profits for Nine Months (Apr.- Dec., 2020)

- Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment: Sales declined by 16.7% from the corresponding period a year ago, to JPY1,381.7 billion. Segment profit dropped by 50.8% to JPY89.9 billion. Segment profit ratio was 6.5%, down 4.5 points.
- Retail Finance: Revenues decreased by 6.4% to JPY49.5 billion. Segment profit dropped by 25.0% to JPY8.1 billion.
- Industrial Machinery & Others: Sales dropped by 19.7% to JPY102.0 billion. Segment profit declined by 6.7% to JPY8.9 billion.

% : Profit ratio []: Sales after elimination of inter-segment transactions

			Changes (B-A)		
Billions of yen	AprDec.,2019 (A)	AprDec.,2020 (B)	increase (decrease)	Change %	
Net sales	1,827.4	1,513.3	(314.1)	(17.2)%	
Construction, mining & utility equipment Retail finance Industrial machinery & others	1,658.0 [1,654.4] 52.9 [47.2] 127.0 [125.7]	1,381.7 [1,368.4] 49.5 [43.6] 102.0 [101.2]	(276.3) [(286.0)] (3.4) [(3.5)] (24.9) [(24.5)]	(16.7)% [(17.3)%] (6.4)% [(7.5)%] (19.7)% [(19.5)%]	
Elimination	(10.5)	(19.9)	(9.4)		
Segment profit	11.2% 204.2	7.2% 108.2	(4.0)pts. (96.0)	(47.0)%	
Construction, mining & utility equipment Retail finance Industrial machinery & others	11.0% 20.6% 7.6% 10.8 9.6	6.5% 89.9 16.5% 8.1 8.8% 8.9	(4.5)pts. (92.9) (4.1)pts. (2.7) +1.2pts. (0.6)	(50.8)% (25.0)% (6.7)%	
Corporate & elimination	0.8	1.0	+0.2		

Review of three business segments

■ Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment:

Sales were adversely affected by foreign exchange rates, reduced sales of mining equipment and other factors. While reduced fixed costs absorbed some part of decreased segment profit, segment profit declined, mainly due to reduced volume of sales.

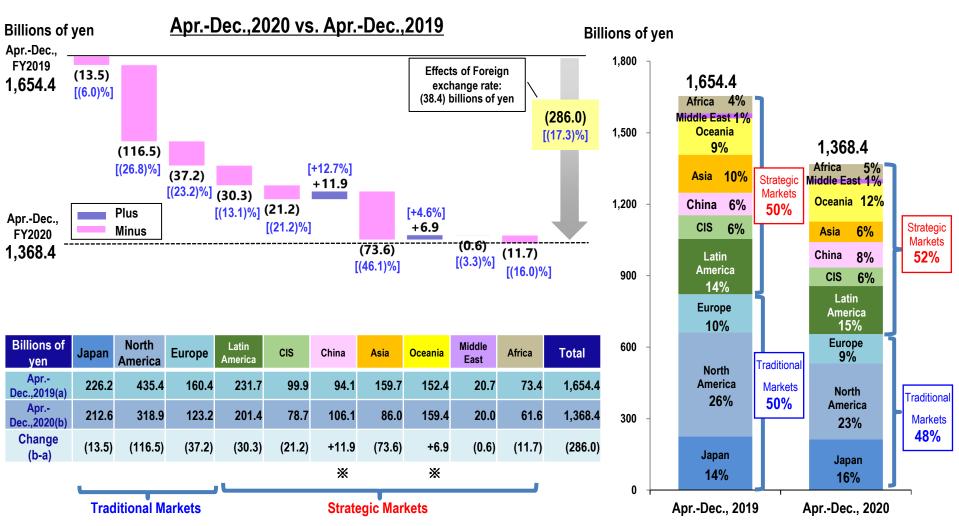
■ Retail Finance:

Revenues declined as mainly affected by a decrease in new contracts. Segment profit declined, mainly due to reduced revenues, adverse effects of extension of payments and revaluation of vehicles after lease use.

■ Industrial Machinery & Others

Both sales and segment profit decreased, mainly due to declined demand for presses and machine tools in the automobile manufacturing industry as well as delayed installation of machinery.

- Sales to outside customers decreased by 17.3% from the corresponding period a year ago, to JPY1,368.4 billion.
- Sales dropped sharply in North America, Asia, Europe, and Latin America. Sales increased in China and Oceania.
- The proportion of Traditional Markets decreased to 48% of total sales.

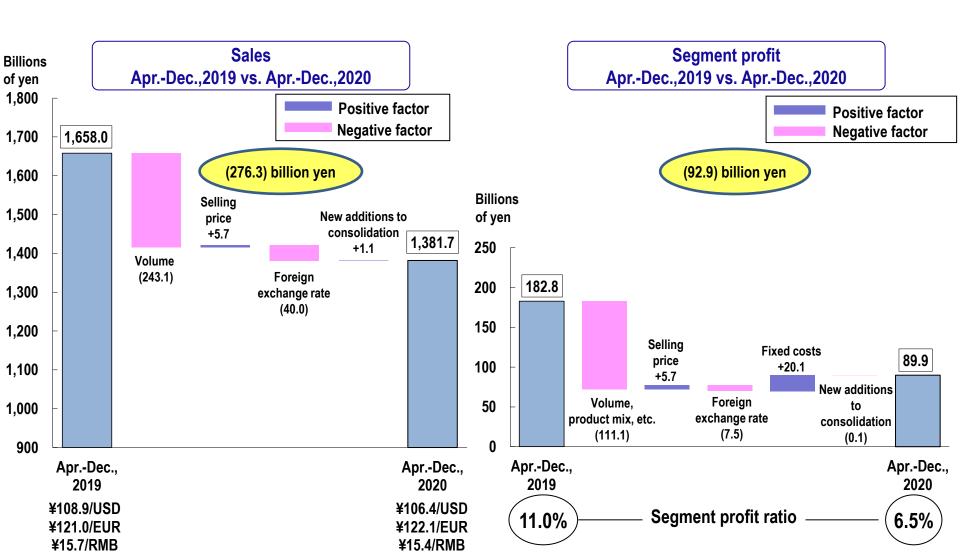


^{*} Region where sales increased, when foreign exchange effects were excluded.

Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment:

Causes of Difference in Sales and Segment Profit for Nine Months (Apr.- Dec., 2020)

- Sales decreased by JPY276.3 billion from the corresponding period a year ago, as adversely affected by reduced sales volume and foreign exchange rates.
- Segment profit dropped by JPY92.9 billion, while we absorbed adverse effects of declined volume of sales with reduced fixed costs.
- Segment profit ratio was 6.5%, down 4.5 points.



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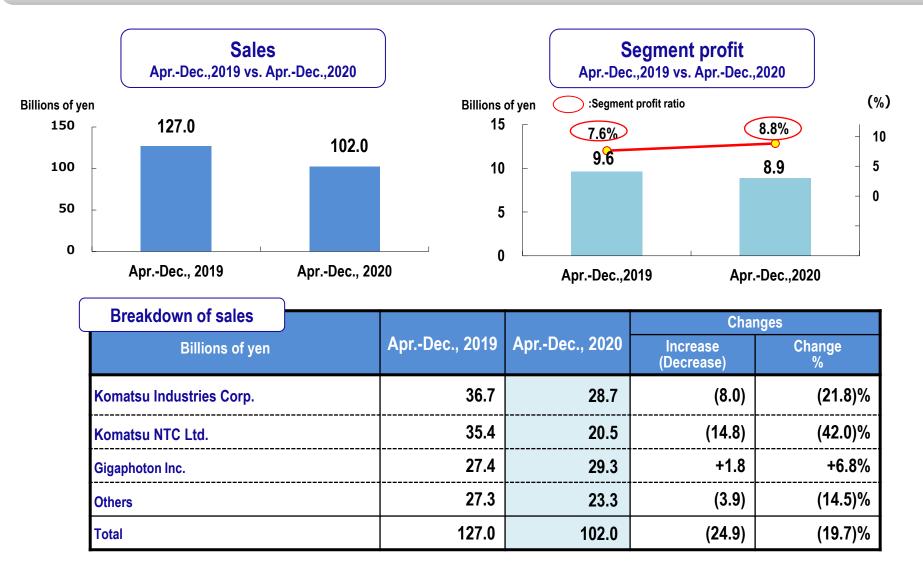
- Assets decreased from the previous fiscal year-end, as mainly affected by foreign exchange rates.
- New contracts declined year-on-year, due to reduced sales under the coronavirus pandemic.
- · Revenues decreased year-on-year, especially affected by reduced new contracts.
- · Segment profit decreased year-on-year, due mainly to declined revenues and revaluation of vehicles after lase use.



Billions of yen	2020/3E	2020/12E	Changes
Interest-bearing debt	648.0	634.7	(13.3)
Interest-bearing debt, net	642.4	632.5	(9.8)
Net D/E ratio	3.80	3.71	(0.09)pts.



- Sales declined by 19.7% year-on-year, to JPY102.0 billion, as affected by declined demand for presses and machine tools in the automobile manufacturing industry as well as delayed installation of machinery.
- Segment profit declined by JPY0.6 billion year-on-year.
- Segment profit ratio was 8.8%.





Consolidated Balance Sheets

- Total assets decreased by JPY60.6 billion from the previous fiscal year-end, to JPY3,592.9 billion. Accounts receivable declined, while inventories increased.
- Komatsu Ltd. shareholders' equity ratio increased by 1.6 percentage point, to 50.1%.

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Billions of yen : Net D/E ratio	Mar. 31, 2020 ¥108.8/USD ¥119.6/EUR ¥15.3/RMB	Dec. 31, 2020 ¥103.1/USD ¥126.2/EUR ¥15.9/RMB	Increase (Decrease)
Cash & deposits (incl. time deposits) [a]	249.6	218.4	(31.1)
Accounts receivable (incl. long-term trade receivables)	1,165.3	1,122.5	(42.7)
Inventories	805.3	821.9	+16.6
Tangible fixed assets	757.6	765.0	+7.4
Other assets	675.7	664.8	(10.8)
Total assets	3,653.6	3,592.9	(60.6)
Accounts payable	220.1	217.9	(2.2)
Interest-bearing debt [b]	1,012.3	916.3	(95.9)
Other liabilities	564.9	566.5	+1.6
Total liabilities	1,797.4	1,700.8	(96.5)
[Shareholders' equity ratio]	[48.5%]	[50.1%]	[+1.6 pts.]
Komatsu Ltd. shareholders' equity	1,771.6	1,799.5	+27.8
Non-controlling interests	84.6	92.6	+8.0
Liabilities & Equity	3,653.6	3,592.9	(60.6)
Interest-bearing debt, net [b-a]	0.43 762.7	0.39 697.8	(64.8)
Net D/E ratio (excl. the retail finance business)	0.08	0.04	

III. Outlook of FY2020 Business Results



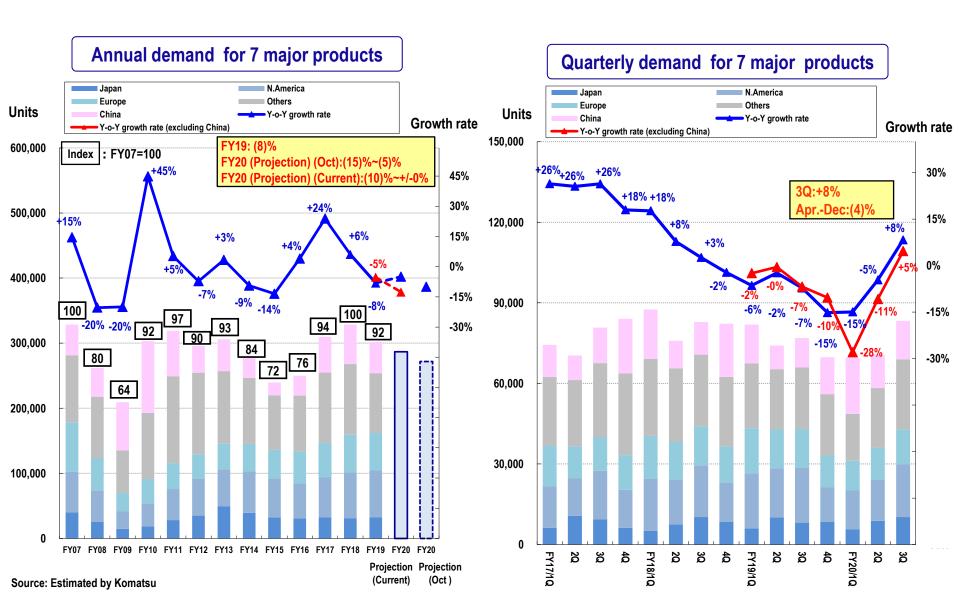
• We have not changed our projection of full-year results for FY2020. (See below for the projection of October 2020.)

	FY2019	FY2020	FY2020	Changes (B-A)	
Billions of yen	Results (A) ¥108.7/USD ¥120.8/EUR ¥15.6/RMB	Projection (B) (Oct) ¥106.1/USD ¥122.7/EUR ¥15.1/RMB	Projection (C)(July) ¥105.6/USD ¥116.7/EUR ¥15.0/RMB	Increase (Decrease)	Change %
Net sales	2,444.8	2,119.0	2,068.0	(325.8)	(13.3)%
Segment profit	255.0	139.0	121.0	(116.0)	(45.5)%
Other operating income (expenses)	(4.3)	(5.0)	(6.0)	(0.6)	-
Operating income	250.7	134.0	115.0	(116.7)	(46.6)%
Profit ratio	10.3%	6.3%	5.6%	(4.0)pts.	-
Other income (expenses)	(27.5)	(7.0)	(7.0)	+20.5	•
Income before income taxes	223.1	127.0	108.0	(96.1)	(43.1)%
Net income attributable to Komatsu Ltd.	153.8	80.0	67.0	(73.8)	(48.0)%
ROE	8.6%	4.5%	3.8%	(4.1)pts.	
Cash dividends per share	94Yen	43Yen	36Yen	(51)Yen	
Consolidated payout ratio	57.7%	50.8%	50.8%		



Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment: Actual and Projected Demand for 7 Major Products

- In the third quarter of FY2020, demand increased presumably by 8% from the corresponding period a year ago.
- We have revised our projection of FY2020 full-year demand to -10% to 0% from FY2019.



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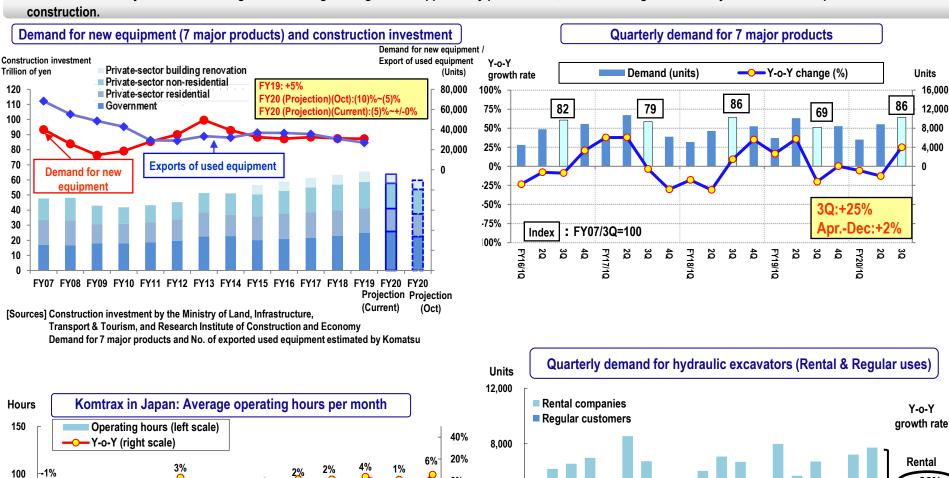
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Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment: Demand in Major Markets (1) Japan

- In the third quarter of FY2020, demand increased presumably by 25% from the corresponding period a year ago.
- We have revised our projection of FY2020 full-year demand to -5% to 0% from FY2019.

-8%^{-3%}-6%

· In addition to steady demand remaining in the civil engineering sector supported by public works, we also see signs of recovery of demand in the private-sector construction.



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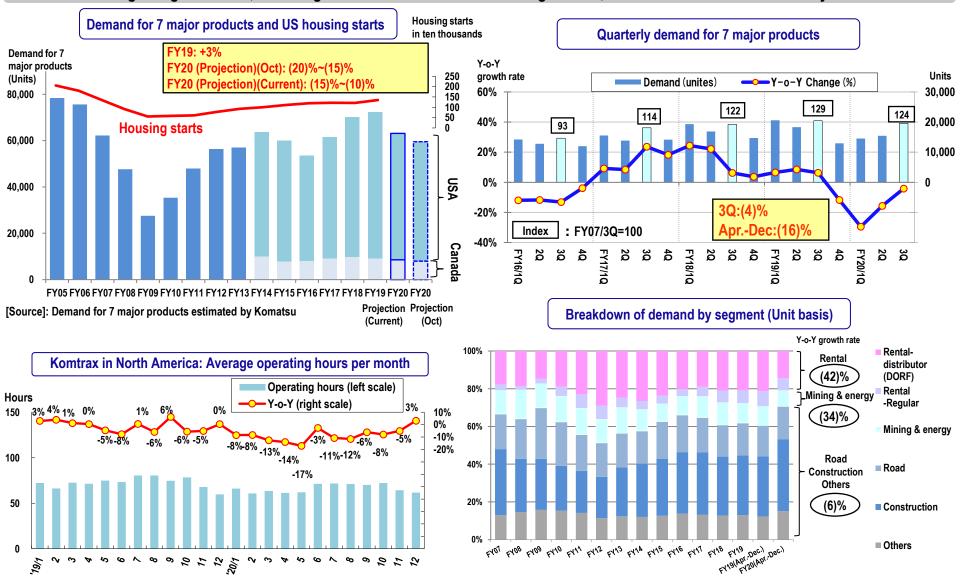
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-20%



Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment: Demand in Major Markets (2) North America

- In the third quarter of FY2020, demand decreased presumably by 4% from the corresponding period a year ago.
- We have revised our projection of FY2020 full-year demand to -15% to -10% from FY2019.
- Demand is beginning to recover, centering on the construction and housing sectors, as economic activities have fully resumed.



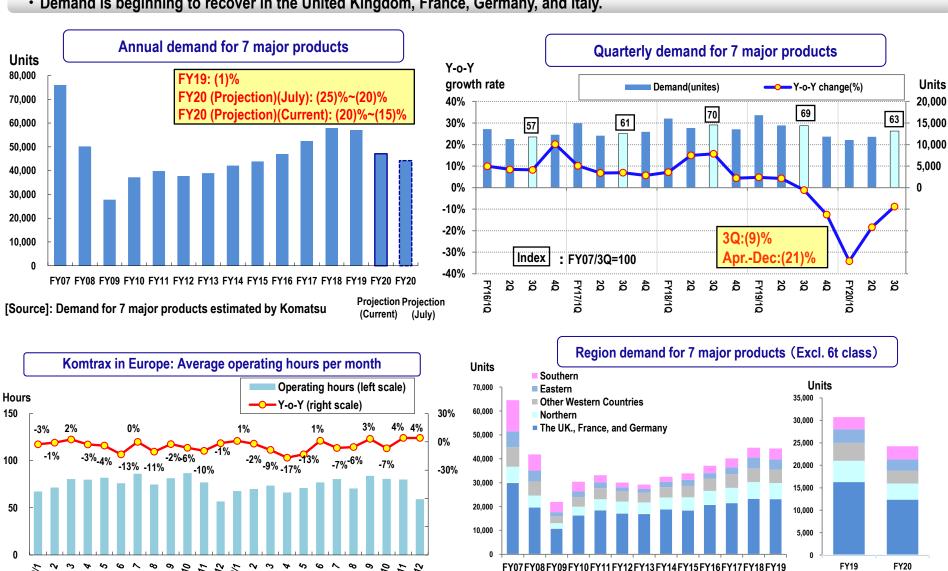
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Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment: Demand in Major Markets (3) Europe

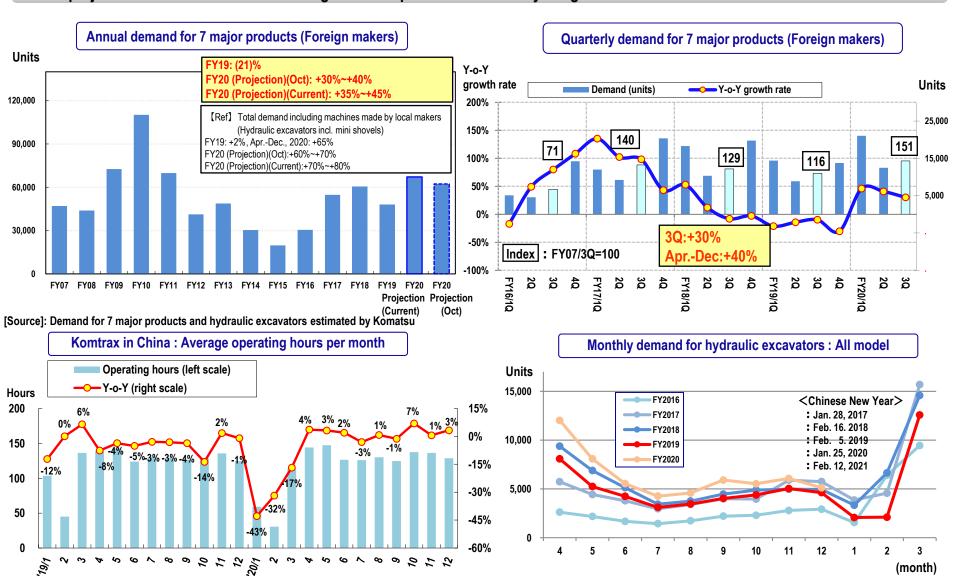
- In the third quarter of FY2020, demand decreased presumably by 9% from the corresponding period a year ago.
- We have revised our projection of FY2020 full-year demand to -20% to -15% from FY2019.
- Demand is beginning to recover in the United Kingdom, France, Germany, and Italy.





Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment : Demand in Major Markets (4) China

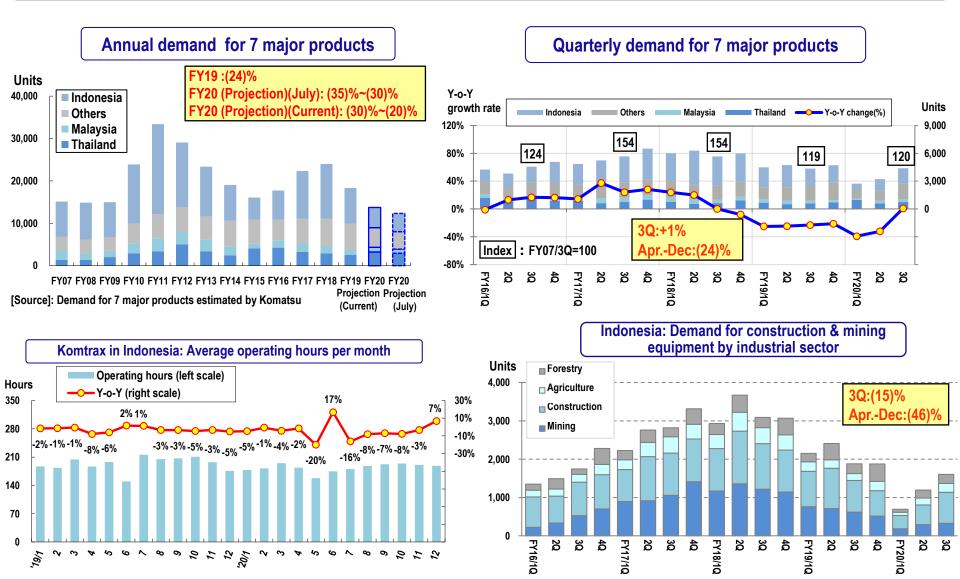
- In the third quarter of FY2020, demand increased presumably by 30% from the corresponding period a year ago.
- We have revised our projection of FY2020 full-year demand to +35% to +45% from FY2019.
- · We project that demand will remain strong thanks to public investment by the government.





Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment: Demand in Major Markets (5) Southeast Asia

- In the third quarter of FY2020, demand presumably remained flat from the corresponding period a year ago.
- We have revised our projection of FY2020 full-year demand to -30% to -20% from FY2019.
- Demand is beginning to recover for construction equipment in major countries, including Indonesia, the largest market of the region.





Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment: Actual and Projected Demand for Mining Equipment

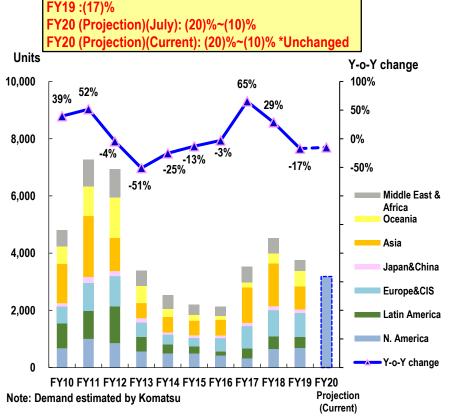
- In 3Q FY2020, global demand for mining equipment declined by 8% from the corresponding period a year ago.
- We project that full-year demand will decline by 20% to 10% in FY2020 from FY2019 (unchanged from our projection of July 2020).

Annual demand for mining equipment

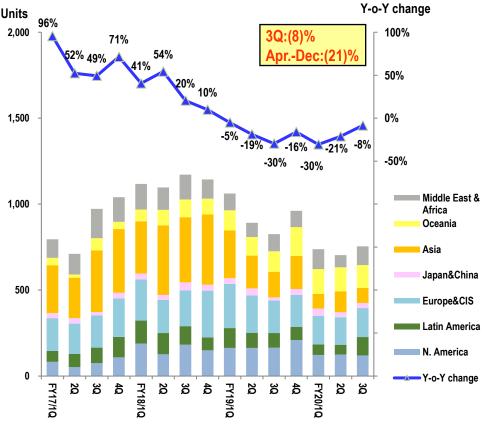
- Dump trucks: 75 tons (HD785) and larger
- •Bulldozers: 525HP (D375) and larger 810HP (WA800) and larger

•Excavators: 200 tons (PC2000) and larger Motor graders: 280HP (GD825) and larger

Wheel loaders (mechanical driven):



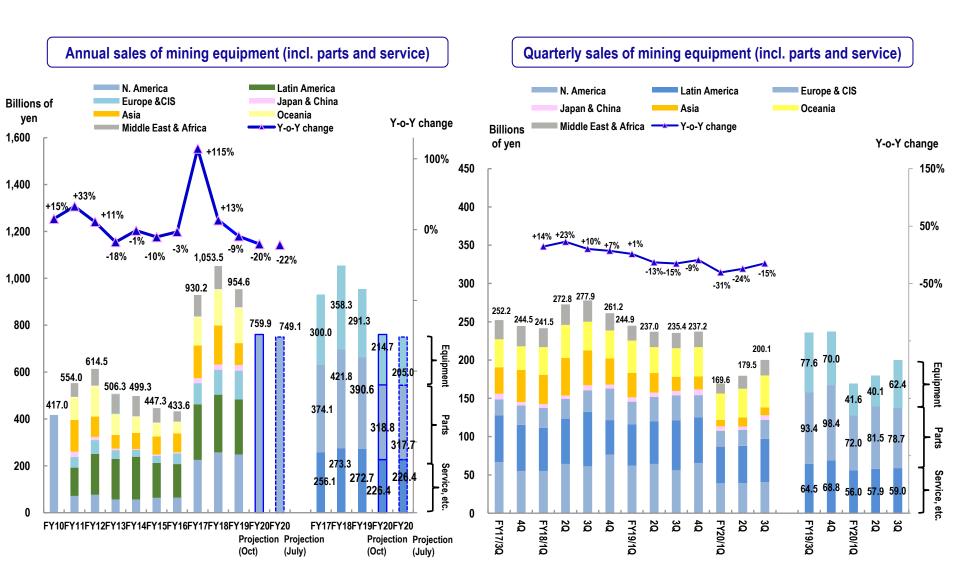
Quarterly demand for mining equipment





Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment: Sales of Mining Equipment

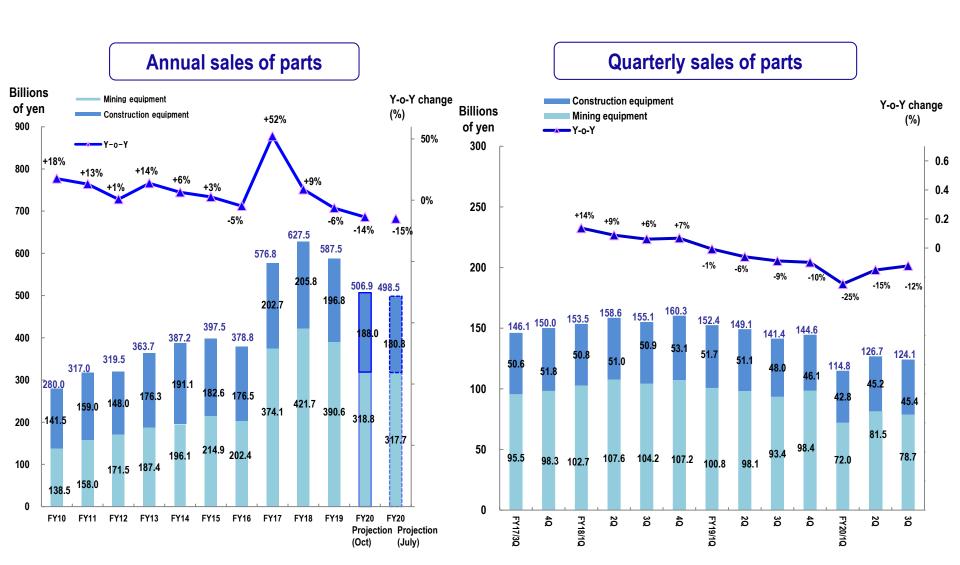
- For 3Q FY2020, sales decreased by 15% from the corresponding period a year ago, to JPY200.1 billion.
- · Sales decreased, especially in North America and Asia.





Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment: Sales of Parts

- For 3Q FY2020, sales of parts decreased by 12% from the corresponding period a year ago, to JPY124.1 billion.
- Sales of parts, especially for mining equipment, declined.

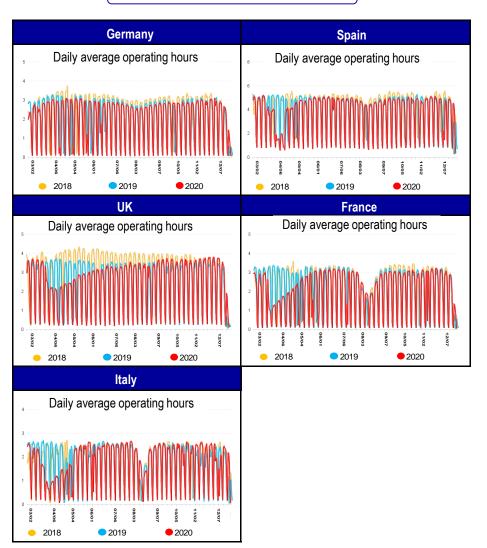


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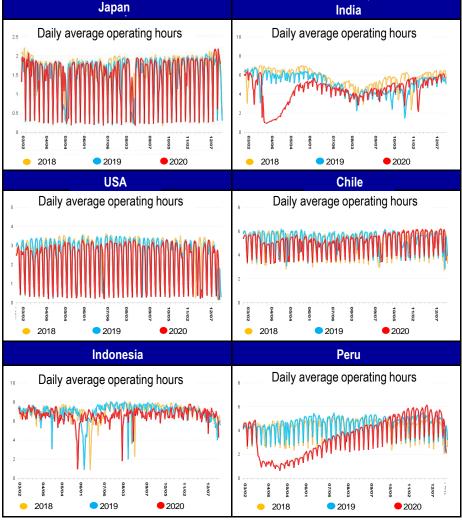


<Appendix> Daily Komtrax data





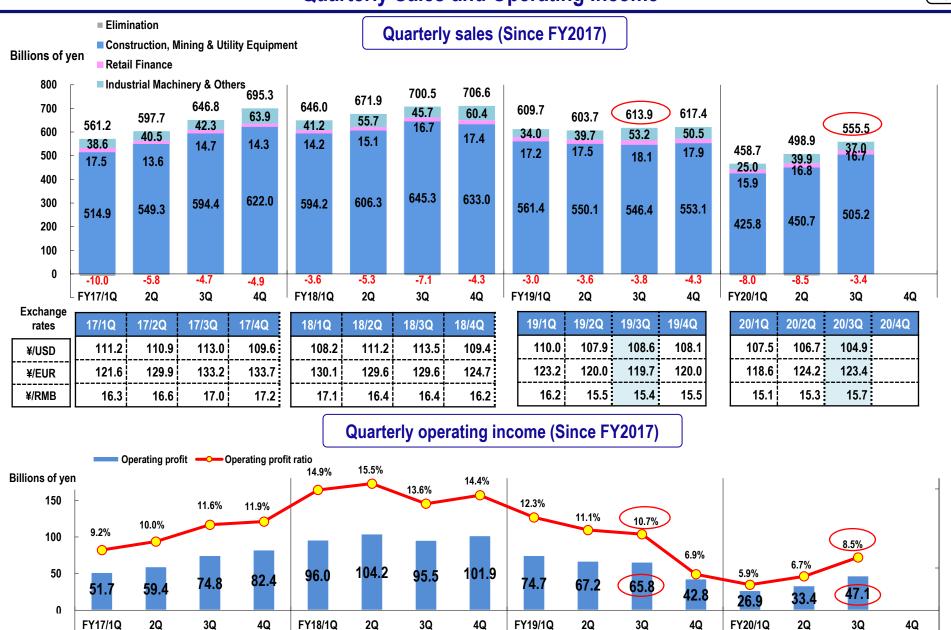
Other Regions





<Appendix> **Quarterly Sales and Operating Income**

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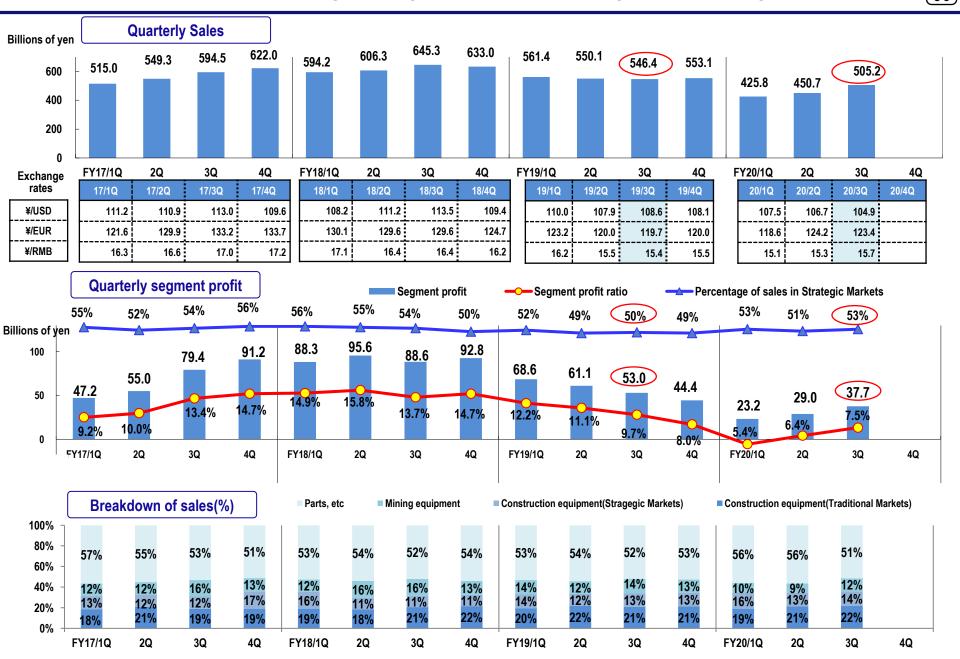
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Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment: Quarterly Sales and Segment Profit

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Construction, Mining & Utility Equipment: Quarterly Sales by Region (To Outside Customers) (31)

Billions of yen 640.3 631.1 618.7 31.9 27.0 603.0 592.1 591.7 34.7 8.7 600 7.0 33.7 30.9 31.3 12.5 560.5 54.0 51.5 551.5 548.7 545.8 7.6 545.1 6.8 9.5 23.9 45.2 24.8 24.3 25.0 31.0 6.9 58.9 510.9 51.0 51.5 504.0 9.9 6.6 7.1 10.1 72.9 **Africa** 27.8 88.4 500 56.1 24.8 46.9 50.9 49.3 40.0 88.5 7.4 444.3 8.2 **Middle East** 76.9 86.0 91.6 45.1 420.0 46.0 62.3 53.0 45.9 20.3 57.2 44.2 37.2 Oceania 68.9 7.5 16.4 50.8 32.6 25.2 32.7 32.9 4.2 36.3 43.8 400 64.1 Asia 33.6 30.9 36.2 50.5 51.6 31.7 36.7 27.4 50.5 29.0 29.1 26.2 34.3 34.2 China 34.0 80.7 25.6 31.3 38.3 29.0 90.6 23.3 30.7 CIS 28.7 74.1 77.4 82.6 83.1 27.6 82.0 77.4 74.5 43.1 300 77.8 76.6 23.6 Latin 60.9 76.1 46.4 24.3 **America** 72.2 48.6 59.2 39.7 63.7 52.7 56.0 46.2 41.6 59.1 53.8 61.5 43.6 **Europe** 43.0 200 43.7 35.8 164.4 158.6 147.9 152.1 131.4 138.1 144.0 North 138.6 148.5 114.8 140.6 143.4 116.0 **America** 105.0 99.0 100 Japan 87.4 87.6 87.6 84.9 84.6 80.4 78.7 80.4 77.4 73.5 70.8 63.9 69.1 63.7 61.4 0 FY17/1Q 2Q 3Q 4Q FY18/1Q 2Q 3Q FY19/1Q 2Q 3Q 4Q FY20/1Q 2Q 3Q 4Q 4Q Exchange rates 17/1Q 17/2Q 17/3Q 17/4Q 18/1Q 18/2Q 18/3Q 18/4Q 19/1Q 19/2Q 19/3Q 19/4Q 20/2Q 20/3Q 20/4Q 20/1Q 108.2 ¥/USD 111.2 110.9 113.0 109.6 111.2 113.5 109.4 110.0 107.9 108.6 108.1 107.5 106.7 104.9 129.9 133.2 129.6 119.7 121.6 133.7 130.1 129.6 124.7 123.2 120.0 120.0 118.6 124.2 123.4 ¥/EUR 16.3 17.2 17.1 16.2 15.7 ¥/RMB 16.6 17.0 16.4 16.4 16.2 15.5 15.4 15.5 15.1 15.3



Billions of yen

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Exchange

rates ¥/USD

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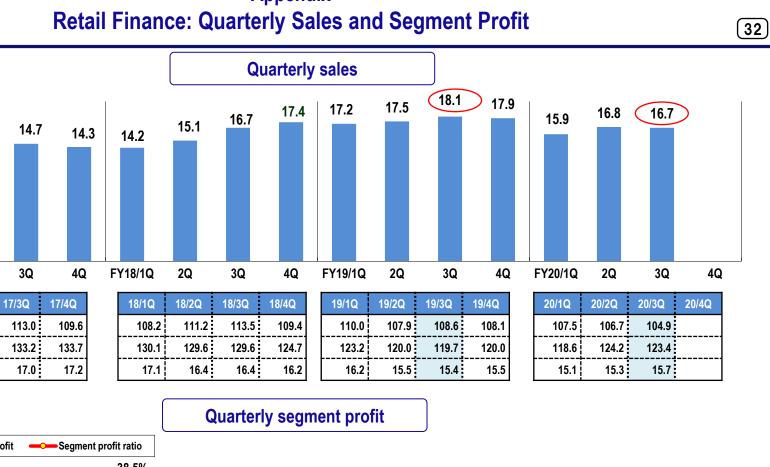
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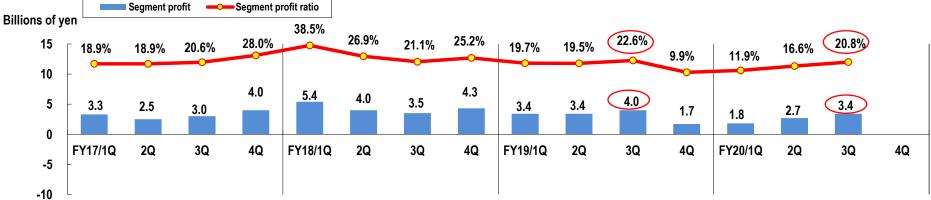
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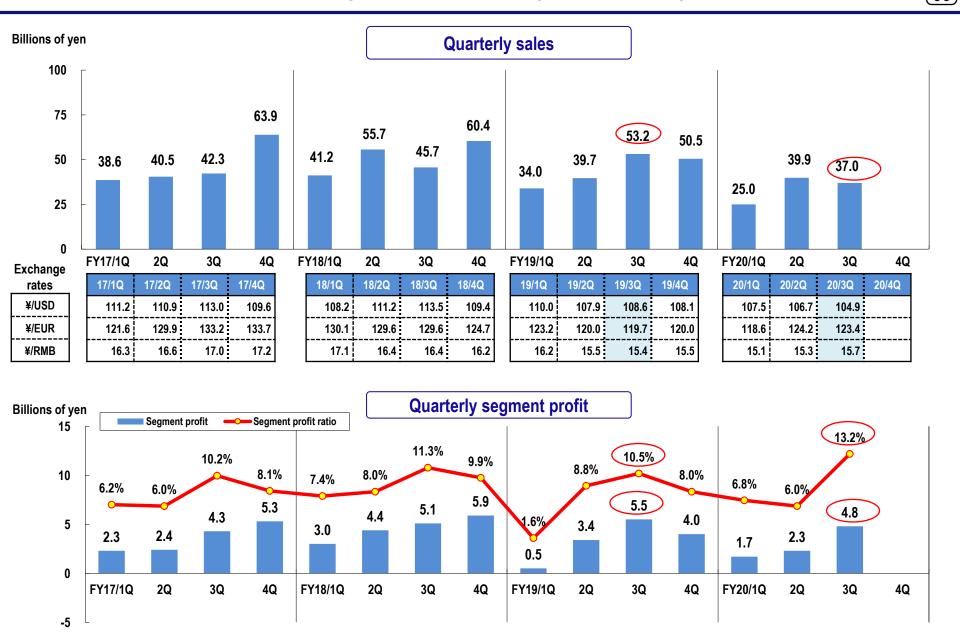




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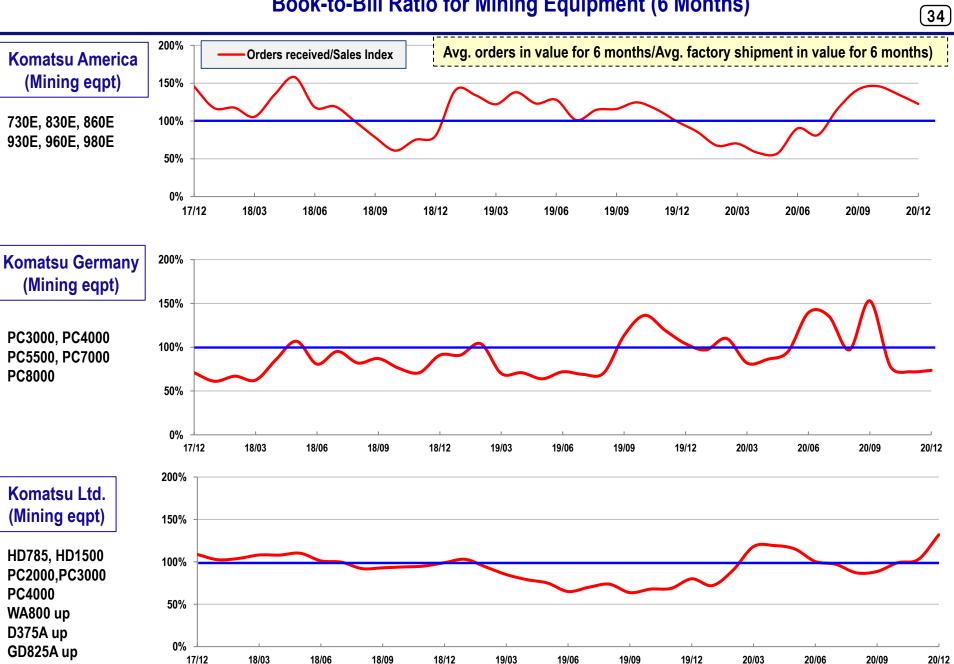
Industrial Machinery & Others: Quarterly Sales and Segment Profit







<Appendix> Book-to-Bill Ratio for Mining Equipment (6 Months)





<Appendix> Book-to-Bill Ratio for KMC Mining Equipment (6 Months)

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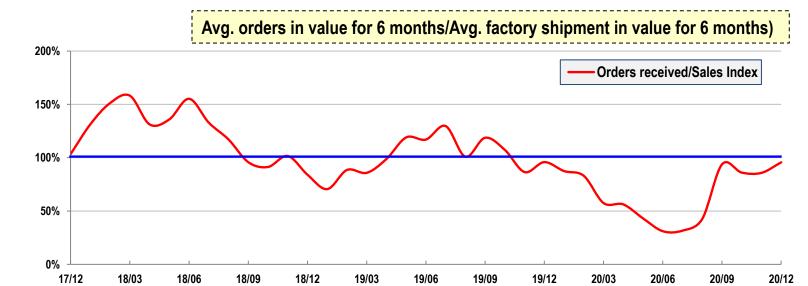
KMC (Mining eqpt)

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Rope Shovel Blasthole Drills Dragline ,etc

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Continuous Miner Sheerer Load Haul Dump Machine Jumbo Drills,etc



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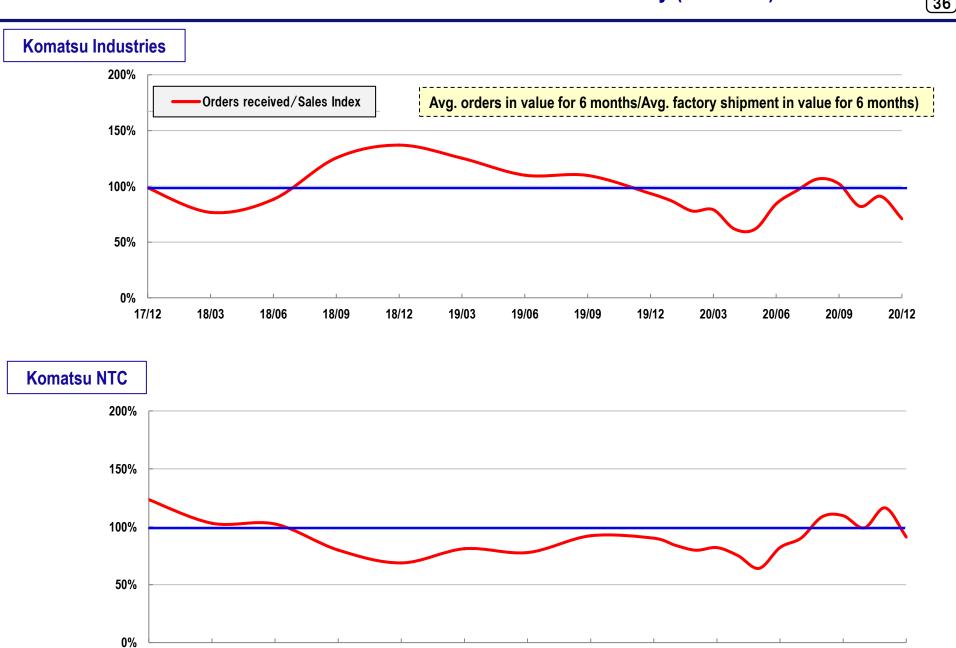
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Book-to-Bill Ratio for Industrial Machinery (6 Months)

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Komatsu was selected as a component of the Dow Jones Sustainability World Index (DJSI World) in 2020, an internationally leading SRI index.

News Release on November 16, 2020





In 2020, Komatsu has been identified as Climate & Water "A" List company by CDP, the non-profit global environmental disclosure platform.

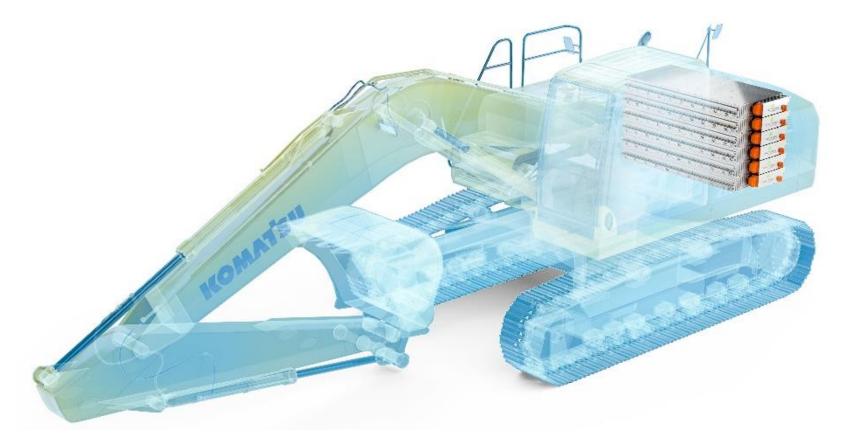
News Release on December 9, 2020



Joint PoC Verification Tests to Start for Electrification of Small and Medium-sized Hydraulic Excavators -Announcing Collaboration with Proterra of the United States -

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- Komatsu has signed a collaboration agreement with Proterra Inc of the United States, to receive the supply of Proterra's industry-leading battery systems with the aim of having Komatsu electrify its small and medium-sized hydraulic excavators.
- Komatsu plans to advance the PoC (Proof of Concept) tests starting in 2021 and enter commercial production of its electric excavators in 2023 to 2024.



Conceptual images of Electric Excavators







The 100th anniversary website has been pre-opened.













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