# **FINANCIAL SECTION**

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# 1. Business operations basic policy

Ever since establishment, the Suzuki Group has maintained a basic policy of making "value-packed products" to give our customers satisfaction. The opening paragraph of our company's mission statement promises that we will "develop products of superior quality by focusing on the customer". Of course, the value of a product varies with the times as well as the differences between countries and in lifestyles. By keeping on top of the dynamic changes occurring in the marketplace, we strive to create products of real value, products that are always designed to win our customers' approval.

We commits itself to make efforts to promote the "production of mini, small and subcompact vehicles" and the "development of environmentally benign products" needed by customers, and to be small, less, light, short and beautiful on every side of organization, facilities, parts, environment and so on as well as production, with the slogan, "Small Cars for a Big Future", and has been working for the efficient, well-knit and healthy management.

# 2. Profit sharing basic policy

The Company's basic profit sharing policy is focused on maintaining a continuous and stable payout of dividends. At the same time however, from a middle- and long-term perspective, we are always looking at how to improve our performance, how to increase the dividend payout ratio and how internal reserves can be improved as a basis for enhancing our corporate structure to allow us to expand our business operations in the future.

The Suzuki Group has a structure in which profits are highly dependent on overseas manufacturing plants. These are mainly located in developing countries, and are therefore subject to exchange rate fluctuations. We have plans to actively develop and increase our investment in these overseas manufacturing plants. To achieve stable growth, we need to further enhance our corporate structure and prepare for unforeseen circumstances.

Under those circumstances, we have paid 16.00 yen per share as common dividends (including interim dividends of 8.00 yen), an increase of 2.00 yen per share, for the current fiscal year, as already modified in the announcement of interim financial results.

As for next fiscal year, the annual dividend is scheduled to be 16.00 yen per share (including interim dividends of 8.00 yen), same as current year.

Note: "the Company" = Suzuki Motor Corporation

# 3. Current Status of Medium-term management strategy

On the "Suzuki medium term-five year plan" modified and publicized on April 27, 2007, the Suzuki Group was able to achieve the consolidated sales target of 3,500 billion yen ahead of schedule thanks to the active growth of automobile sales in Europe and Asia.

On the other hand, the business environment is drastically changing and capital investment for the new projects is expected to rise. Therefore, after three years past from start of the original five-year plan, we have newly drawn up "Suzuki medium term three-year plan (April 2008 - March 2011) by including FY 2010 to the remaining two financial years. The new plan is targeting a consolidated sales amount of 4,000 billion yen in FY 2010.

In this "three-year medium term plan", we will continue to adopt the former policy and set concrete business target as follows;

With this policy, every member of the Suzuki Group intend to strive continuously to achieve this business target.

#### [Basic policy]

Carrying out investments in R & D and facilities, the Suzuki Group will establish the revenue base and develop human resources for further growth.

	FY 2010 plan	FY 2007 actual
Consolidated sales amount	4,000 billion yen	3,502.4 billion yen
Motorcycles	620 billion yen	592.0 billion yen
Automobiles	3,300 billion yen	2,833.9 billion yen
Others	80 billion yen	76.5 billion yen
Consolidated ordinary income	170 billion yen	156.9 billion yen
Exchange rate	US\$ 100 yen	US\$ 114 yen
	EURO 145 yen	EURO 160yen
World production units		
Motorcycles	4.40 million units	3.39 million units
Automobiles	3.20 million units	2.64 million units
World sales units		
Motorcycles	4.40 million units	3.34 million units
Automobiles	2.95 million units	2.41 million units
3-year total investment on equipment	<b>750 billion yen</b> (ir	cluding main affiliates)

# 4. Outstanding issues

The business environment surrounding the Suzuki Group is extremely opaque due to fluctuation of exchange rates, increase of material price etc., and competition among companies will be increasingly tougher.

In order to cope with such stringent circumstances, the Suzuki Group selected the following motto to represent our basic policy" In order to survive, let us stop acting in a self-styled manner and get back to the basics", positively making efforts for the strengthening of management structure through reviewing our practices in every area. Moreover, the Company puts up a slogan of "Let's speak up" and makes efforts to enhance the cooperation and communication between divisions and enhance compliance with laws and regulations.

In motorcycle operations, for domestic market, the Company will promote the sales expansion of motor driven cycles and large type of models. In European and North American market, the Company will inject the new model which can develop the brand image of being "sporty, young, unique" cultivated by race activity. Through these activities, we will develop the lucrative motorcycle operations.

On the other hand, to cope with poor sales of small motorcycles in Asian market, the Company will promote injection of new models which suit market needs, strengthen sales forces and improve quality/production system.

Also, as for motorcycle and ATV business in North American market in which the sales is slow due to increase of petrol price and subprime loan crisis, the company will rearrange the market by marketing unique and original big motorcycles.

In automobile operations, the marketing activities and products supply in a close contact with the market will be executed. In domestic market, the Company will make efforts to reinforce the sales force by increasing and training sales persons, also to build and enhance "Suzuki Arena Shops", for further expansion of market share. In overseas markets, the Company will try to improve SUZUKI brand image by using the slogan of "Way of life" and increase the level of overseas bases through promotion of local procurement of parts, cost reduction activities, further improvement of quality and further progress in productivity, as well as sales enhancement.

Further more, we will build a new plant for subcompact vehicle production in this autumn, with a scale of 260 thousand units per year, in Sagara plant site to cope with the ever-increasing foreign demand and chronic shortfall of production capacity. In overseas plants, production capacity will be strengthened in Maruti Suzuki India Ltd., and others.

Moreover, efforts will be made for the development in effective and speedy manner of the products which will match world four-pole markets, and for their introduction in a good timing.

Additionally, for the protection of the global environment, the product development will be pushed ahead, with due considerations to environment, in the areas of reduction of gas emissions, improvement of fuel consumption, resource saving, and recycling, etc. The Company will utilize the effect of technical tie-up with other companies to the utmost extent, such as for diesel engine with Fiat Auto S.p.A. and for development of hybrid vehicle/fuel-cell vehicle with General Motors Corporation (GM) and so on.

Also, the Company and GM have been continuing constructive affiliation from August 1981. The Company will positively urge the collaboration with GM in various projects such as joint development of advanced technology, joint venture CAMI operation in Canada and cooperation of power train development, mutual supply of OEM products, joint global procurement of component, etc.

# 5. Corporate governance issues

#### (1) Basic concepts regarding corporate governance

The Company has made it a principle to carry out its corporate activities in a fair and efficient manner, and has desired to be a company which achieves a sustainable growth by retaining the faith of all our stakeholders including shareholders, customers, business partners, regional communities and employees, and by making contribution toward international society. For its fulfillment, the Company recognizes that enhancement of corporate governance is one of its most important management issues, and makes positive efforts toward the implementation of various measures.

#### (2) Organization of the Company

# (a) Directors/board of directors

On the occasion of enforcement of the Companies Act in May 2006, in terms of enhancement of the corporate governance, the Company has undertaken substantial organizational reform and laid the current management system aiming at agility of management, speedup of operation and clarification of responsibilities. Specifically, while the number of directors has been reduced by half against before, a new managing officer system (senior managing executive officers) has been introduced so that all directors, excluding the chairman and the president, play a central executive role by concurrently holding the office of senior managing executive officers.

Also the Company adopts divisions system so that all senior managing executive officers(Board Member) participate in decision-making at board meeting through providing on-site information by assuming as executive general manager or deputy executive general manager. Furthermore the Company has the system which each senior managing executive officers(Board Member) assist the other related divisions in order to eliminate the negative effects by bureaucratic sectionalism and control the operation in a cross-section manner from management perspective. Besides the above, the Company had stipulated the term of office of directors to be for one year in order to clarify their management responsibilities and to address the change in the business environment flexibly.

In addition to the regular meetings of the board of directors held every month, Directors hold a special board meeting whenever necessary, and discussions including viewpoints of regulatory compliance and corporate ethics are thoroughly conducted in those meetings for decision-making. Combined with participation of corporate auditors at all times, the function of management supervision in meetings of the board of directors is working effectively. And management councils are held whenever necessary to discuss the strategic decision on execution of important management issues. Furthermore, directors mutually exchange information through weekly meetings, etc.

#### (b) Auditors/board of corporate auditors and internal auditing

The Company has adopted a corporate auditor system, and their board consists of five members including three persons of external corporate auditors in order to enhance the audit function. And the Company has audit department which audit on our domestic and overseas subsidiaries and affiliates, in addition to the internal audit group. Thus, along with auditing by independent auditor, audits are executed in three different ways, from the standpoint of compliance, internal control and management efficiency respectively.

As to corporate auditors, they execute audits on proper management of the Company, in accordance with the rules of the board of corporate auditors and audit policies of the corresponding fiscal year, by holding meetings of the board of corporate auditors, participating in meetings of the board of directors, perusing approval documents and various minutes, and receiving reports and explanation from directors on execution of business, etc.

As to internal auditing, the audit department checks the integrity and efficiency of the Company's internal control system periodically, and results of the checks are reported to management together with suggestions regarding improvement and correction of problems. As to audit on our subsidiaries and affiliates, the audit department helps to make rules for enhancement of their management structures, conducts guidance, supporting and auditing for regulatory compliance. It also promotes efficiency and standardization of their business.

Corporate auditors adjust audit plans and auditing themes of the audit department, attend its audit and receive reports and explanation on all its audits whenever necessary. Corporate auditors also execute internal auditing and auditing on subsidiaries as corporate auditors' auditing in cooperation with the audit department.

#### (c) Independent auditor

Seimei Audit Corporation is assigned as an independent auditor for the Company. Corporate auditors receive explanation from independent auditor on audit plans for the corresponding fiscal year, reports on audit on interim and year-end, and also reports on audit on subsidiaries. Corporate auditors, audit department and independent auditor create a closer connection by exchanging information whenever necessary.

Name of Engagement Partners	Auditing company CPA belongs to
Satoru Imamura	Seimei Audit Corporation
Akira Iwama	Seimei Audit Corporation

Note: The number of other assistant members for audit: Seven certified public accountants and seven others.

#### (d) Relationships with external corporate auditors

Three external corporate auditors have no special interest in the Company.

#### (3) Development of internal control system and risk management system

In order to enhance corporate governance, the Company is making efforts to keep everyone informed about compliance and to strengthen internal control system. The basic policy for construction of internal control system and its development are as follows:

#### (a) Compliance system for directors

Directors respect the "Mission Statement" and the "Suzuki Action Charter" and execute their duties in compliance with the "Rules of the Board of Directors", the "Approval Procedures" and other rules of the Company, and mutually supervise their execution of duties through meetings of the board of directors, etc. And the Company established the "Suzuki Corporate Ethics Rules" (April, 2002) which lays out a set of basic points for directors and employees to act in a fair and faithful manner in compliance with the law, the norms of the society and company rules and observes the same. It is revised whenever necessary by "Corporate Ethics Committee" which promotes corporate ethics in the company. And corporate auditors audit the execution of duties of directors in accordance with the audit policies and work responsibilities set by the board of corporate auditors.

#### (b) Compliance system for employees

In order to ensure that employees execute their duties in compliance with the law and the Articles of Incorporation of the Company, the Company is making effort to keep everyone informed about the "Suzuki Employees' Action Charter" which lays out the norms of action of employees, the "Approval Procedures" and the "Job Description" which set up the proceedings of execution of their duties in details, and other rules of the Company. It is revised whenever necessary. Furthermore, in accordance with the "Suzuki Corporate Ethics Rules", the Company has developed compliance system for employees including internal report system, and has educated them through various training and in-house seminars regarding compliance. And, in accordance with the "Rule of Internal Auditing", the audit department audits on the integrity and efficiency of various control systems, organizations and rules, and properness of function of internal control, etc.

#### (c) Risk management system

The Company has set up the "Risk Management Procedure" as part of the "Suzuki Corporate Ethics Rules" to cope with risks such as malpractices or illegal acts which could occur inside and outside the Company or such as natural disasters and terrorism which the Company can not prevent. Whenever the "Corporate Ethics Committee" recognizes risks that could cause urgent and serious damages to the Company's management and business operations, the committee immediately sets up "Risk Management Headquarters", in accordance with the "Risk Management Procedure", as an organization that will decide on the measures to be taken against the occurred risk. "Risk Management Headquarters" immediately discuss and decide policies and measures to be taken and can give instructions to the appropriate divisions and departments. These divisions and departments are then able to communicate with each other to resolve any issues at hand.

#### (d) System to ensure proper business operation of the corporate group

To ensure a proper business operation of the corporate group which consists of the Company and its subsidiaries, the Company has established the "Rules of Business Control Supervision". It is revised whenever necessary. The subsidiaries and affiliates report to the Company on their business operation and consult with the Company on important matters in accordance with those rules, and departments in charge give guidance and advice to them to enhance their management structure. And our audit department helps to make rules for the subsidiaries and affiliates, conducts guidance, supporting and auditing for their regulatory compliance. It also promotes efficiency and standardization of their business.

#### (4) Remuneration for directors

Remuneration paid to directors and corporate auditors is as follows:

(Number of payees: persons, Amount: million yen)

	Directors		Corporate	e Auditors	Total	
	Number of payees	Amount	Number of payees	Amount	Number of payees	Amount
Remuneration based on resolution of shareholders' meeting	14	443	5	80	19	523
(Bonus included in above remuneration)		(252)		(28)		(280)

#### (5) Remuneration for independent auditing

(a) The remuneration amount to be paid by the Company to independent auditors is 44 million yen.

# (b) Of the amount shown in (a), the remuneration amount to be paid for audit certification is 44 million yen.

Note: Since the audit agreement between the Company and independent auditors does not distinguish the remuneration for auditing based on the "Companies Act" from that for auditing based on the "Financial Instruments and Exchange Act", the Company can not specify respective amounts substantially and has described the total amount for those audits.

# 1. Operating results

Consolidated net sales for the Suzuki Group during the current fiscal year amounted to 3,502,419 million yen (110.7% as against PFY). Operating income amounted to 149,405 million yen (112.4% as against PFY). Net income amounted to 80,254 million yen (107.0% as against PFY).

These results were due to increases of sales, cost reduction and exchange gain, etc., which absorbed increase of depreciation, R&D expenses and other expenses, etc.

Factors which significantly influenced the consolidated statement of income are described as follows: Note: PFY = Previous Fiscal Year

# (1) The operating results by business segmentation

#### (a) Motorcycle operations

In domestic market, sales of SUZUKI models increased thanks to good performance of the "Lets 4" which has fuel injection etc., though the total demand decreased. In oversea market, despite sales shrink in North America, due to recession of USA, etc., our total sales in overseas increased owing to increase of sales volume in Europe, Asia and other region. As a result, the net sales of motorcycle operation reached 591,967 million yen (100.6 % as against PFY). Operating income decreased to 22,542 million yen (49.7% as against PFY) as reduction in profits due to sales shrink in North America could not be absorbed by cost reduction and exchange gain, etc.

#### (b) Automobile operations

In domestic market, as a result of reinforcement of product line-up such as additional introduction of 1.2 liter engine and CVT into the subcompact passenger car "SWIFT", launching of a new compact sedan the "SX4" and the a new wagon-type minicar "PALETTE", domestic net sales increased slightly over the previous fiscal year despite decrease in total demand. Overseas sales increased greatly over the previous fiscal year owing to steady sales of our world strategic vehicle "SWIFT" and "SX4". As a result, the net sales of automobile operation reached 2,833,892 million yen (113.2 % as against PFY), and operating income increased to 113,962 million yen (148.8% as against PFY) through absorption of increase of depreciation cost, research and development cost and other expenses by increase of sales, cost reduction and exchange gain.

#### (c) Other businesses

The net sales of other businesses amounted to 76,559 million yen (106.8% as against PFY) and operating income amounted to 12,899 million yen (117.8% as against PFY) because of net sales increase, etc.

# (2) The operating results of geographical segmentation

#### (a) Japan

Net sales amounted to 2,194,017 million yen (105.2% as against PFY) and operating income increased to 84,960 million yen (121.9% as against PFY) through absorption of increase of depreciation, research and development expenses and other expenses by increase of sales, cost reduction and exchange gain.

#### (b) Europe

Thanks to good sales of the "SWIFT" and the "SX4", net sales amounted to 777,323 million yen (117.6% as against PFY). Operating income decreased to 13,378 million yen (90.4% as against PFY) due to launching expenses for new vehicles and increase of depreciation cost.

#### (c) North America

Due to increase in petrol price and subprime loan crisis, demand of motorcycles in USA decreased. As a result, net sales decreased to 405,696 million yen (88.3% as against PFY) and operating income also decreased to -8,535 million yen.

#### (d) Asia

Thanks to sales increase of "Maruti Suzuki India Ltd." in India and "PT Indomobile Suzuki International" in Indonesia, net sales increased to 846,801 million yen (129.1% as against PFY) and operating income also increased to 56,138 million yen (128.7% as against PFY).

#### (e) Other areas

Net sales increased to 88,411 million yen (143.6% as against PFY) but operating income decreased to 4,608 million yen (91.0% as against PFY).

# (3) Selling, general and administrative expenses

In this fiscal year, the amount of selling, general and administrative expenses increased by 69,106 million yen to 721,134 million yen. The expense of dispatch, advertising, sales promotion increased according to increase of sales. Also R&D expenses increased due to development of new product, advanced safety technology, next generation vehicle such as fuel cell vehicle, etc.

#### (4) Other income and expenses

In this fiscal year, the net amount of other income and expenses was a profit of 8,058 million yen, while in the previous fiscal year net profit was 5,832 million yen. Due to increase of interest income, profit on sale of fixed assets and decrease of impairment loss of fixed assets to zero against 796 million yen in the previous year, the net profit of this fiscal year increased by 2,226 million yen against previous fiscal year.

#### (5) Outlook for results in the next fiscal year

Though business environment is being severe due to sharp appreciation of the yen and increase in material price, etc., the Suzuki Group will work all together for innovation in every area to achieve the target of consolidated sales of 3,500 billion yen, consolidated operating income of 140 billion yen, consolidated ordinary income of 150 billion yen and consolidated net income of 80 billion yen.

The above is based on the anticipated foreign exchange rate of 1 US dollar = 102 yen (first half: 1 US\$ = 110 yen, second half: 1 US\$ = 95 yen) and 1 Euro = 155 yen (first half: 1 Euro = 160 yen, second half: 1 Euro = 150 yen).

	FY 2008 Outlook	FY 2007 actual
Net sales	3,500 billion yen	3,502 billion yen
Operating income	140 billion yen	149 billion yen
Net income	80 billion yen	80 billion yen
Exchange Rate	1 US dollar = 102 yen	1 US dollar = 114 yen
Exchange hate	1 Euro = 155 yen	1 Euro = 160 yen

\* The outlook for business results in the next fiscal year, which is estimated based on the current information available and assumption, includes risk and uncertainty. It is requested, therefore, to understand that the actual results may extensively vary by the change of many factors. Those factors, which may influence the actual results, include economic conditions and the trend of demand in major markets and the fluctuation of foreign exchange rate (mainly Yen/US dollar rate, Yen/Euro rate).

# 2. Liquidity and capital resources

#### (1) Situation of cash flow

The net cash provided by operating activities decreased to 194,039 million yen. This is 8,154 million yen less than the previous fiscal year due to a increase of inventories and income taxes paid while income before tax and depreciation and amortization expenses increased against the previous fiscal year.

The net cash used in investing activities increased by 16,447 million yen to 215,921 million yen. This is more than the previous fiscal year due to an increase in expenditure for the purchase of tangible fixed assets.

The net cash provided by financing activities decreased by 173,967 million yen to 49,322 million yen. This is less than the previous fiscal year in which the company issued convertible bonds of 150,000 million yen.

As a result, the balance of cash and cash equivalents at the end of this fiscal year increased by 12,034 million yen to 456,369 million yen compared with the previous fiscal year.

#### (2) Demand for money

During this fiscal year, the Company and the major subsidiaries and affiliates invested a total 243,604 million yen on a number of initiatives, such as new model production, production volume increase, rationalization, R&D for new models and technical innovation, distribution, sales channel and IT related investments. These costs were covered by our own funds and issuance of convertible bonds.

Planned capital expenditure spending for the next fiscal year is 290,000 million yen. These costs will be covered mainly by our own funds.

# 3. Significant accounting policies

For information regarding significant accounting policies, please refer to the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

# 4. Risks in operations

Risks which may possibly affect on the operating results, stock price and financial situation of the Suzuki Group are as follows:

#### (1) Macro-economic changes

It is possible that prolonged sluggish economy and the reduced purchasing will of consumers could drastically decrease demand for products, such as motorcycles, automobiles and outboard motors and adversely affect the business performances of the Suzuki Group.

The Suzuki Group has business operations all over the world and our dependence on overseas manufacturing plants, especially in developing countries in the Asian region, has been increasing year by year. Sudden changes in the economic situation and unexpected events could possibly have an impact on the business performances of the Suzuki Group. Furthermore, it is possible that unexpected changes in and adoptions of different tax systems in each country also could affect our operating results.

#### (2) Price and purchasing cost fluctuation

It is possible that drastic fluctuation of the prices and purchasing cost of our products are brought on by the various factors, such as sudden changes in demand, supply shortages and price-up of parts and materials, unstable economic situations, revisions of import restrictions, and intensified price competition. There is no guarantee that these fluctuations will not be prolonged nor that these fluctuations will never occur in markets where they have never occurred before. It is possible that drastic price and cost fluctuations could damage our operating results in any market where the Suzuki Group is operating.

#### (3) Foreign exchange fluctuation

The Company exports motorcycles, automobiles, outboard motors and their parts from Japan to many countries in the world and our overseas manufacturing bases also export products and parts to a number of countries. Foreign exchange fluctuations affect our business operations and our financial situation as well as our competitiveness.

Furthermore, foreign exchange fluctuations affect the pricing of products sold in foreign currencies and the purchasing price of materials. Overseas sales accounted for approximately 2/3 of our consolidated net sales in the current fiscal year and a large proportion of our transactions are denominated in foreign currencies, such as the US dollar and the Euro. To reduce the risk of foreign exchange fluctuations, we utilize hedging instruments such as forward exchange contracts. However, it is impossible to hedge all risks. The appreciation of the Yen against other currencies could possibly adversely affect our operating results.

#### (4) Environmental restrictions

The manufacturing of motorcycles, automobiles and outboard motors are subject to various laws and regulations regarding exhaust emissions levels, fuel consumption, noise, safety and the amount of the output of contaminated materials from plants. We can reasonably expect such regulations to be revised, and in many cases, strengthened. Expenses for complying with such regulations could possibly impact the operating results of the Suzuki Group.

#### (5) Quality assurance

The Suzuki Group recognizes safety of products as a matter of the highest priority. We strive to maintain the globally same level of quality, keeping a strict quality assurance system through product development to sales. Regarding product liability, although the Suzuki Group is purchasing product liability insurance, there is a risk that all liabilities are not covered fully. If a large-scale recall was made for our customers' safety and incurred major expenses, it could adversely affect the operating results of the Suzuki Group.

#### (6) Disasters, wars, terrorism and labor strikes

Our main manufacturing bases in Japan are located chiefly in the Tokai region in the mid-eastern part of Japan, and other facilities, such as the Company's head office, are also concentrated in the same region. In the event of disasters, such as earthquakes in the Tokai region or off the southeast coast of Japan, our operating results could possibly be affected. Various preventive measures are put in place, including earthquake-proofing and fire-proofing our buildings and facilities, making plan of operation recovery and carrying earthquake insurance.

Overseas, the Suzuki Group operates in many countries and occurrences of unexpected events, such as natural disasters, diseases, wars, terrorism and labor strikes, etc., could possibly cause delays and bring a halt to the purchasing of materials and parts, manufacturing, sales and distribution of products, and provision of services. If these delays or interruptions occur and if they are prolonged, they may adversely affect the operating results of the Suzuki Group.

Other various risks not mentioned above also remain - not all the risks for the Suzuki Group are listed here.

# SUZUKI MOTOR CORPORATION

# CONSOLIDATED

			Millions of yen ot per share amou	ints)		U.S. dollars (except per share amounts)
Years ended March 31	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2008
Net sales	¥3,502,419	¥3,163,669	¥2,746,453	¥2,365,571	¥2,198,986	\$34,957,779
Net income	80,254	75,008	65,945	60,506	43,835	801,027
Net income per share:						
Primary	177.96	169.41	125.64	112.94	81.38	1.776
Fully diluted	155.89	151.41	122.14	109.86	79.17	1.556
Cash dividends per share	16.00	14.00	11.00	10.00	9.00	0.160
Net Assets	902,894	855,973	616,770	745,016	692,345	9,011,824
Total current assets	1,483,038	1,435,405	1,067,709	999,887	902,263	14,802,264
Total assets	2,409,165	2,321,441	1,849,714	1,693,353	1,577,709	24,045,963
Depreciation and amortization.	161,600	149,910	126,520	97,731	87,858	1,612,945

# NON-CONSOLIDATED

		(excep	Millions of yen ot per share amou	unts)		U.S. dollars (except per share amounts)
Years ended March 31	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2008
Net sales	¥2,031,639	¥1,939,806	¥1,690,169	¥1,481,632	¥1,392,688	\$20,277,867
Net income	40,864	43,054	37,271	35,747	25,650	407,869
Net income per share:						
Primary	90.60	97.23	70.78	66.56	47.46	0.904
Fully diluted	79.39	86.91	68.82	64.75	46.17	0.792
Cash dividends per share	16.00	14.00	11.00	10.00	9.00	0.160
Net Assets	453,374	429,730	364,127	540,890	518,198	4,525,142
Total current assets	758,848	758,005	518,728	589,848	519,025	7,574,092
Total assets	1,430,088	1,381,889	1,082,344	1,098,073	1,039,261	14,273,761
Depreciation and amortization.	76,584	73,881	59,362	47,213	47,836	764,390

Note: Yen amounts are translated into U.S. dollars for convenience only, at ¥100.19 = US\$1, the prevailing exchange rate as of March 31, 2008. Calculation of net income per share from the year of 2004 to 2006 is made on the adjusted net income basis excluding the bonuses paid to directors and corporate auditors and the payment of dividends to shareholders of preferred stocks from net income shown in the income statements in accordance with the revision of regulations of financial statements. Figures in "Net assets" of FY2006 and before are referred to "Shareholder's equity" in previous, respectively.

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# **Consolidated Balance Sheets**

As of March 31, 2008 and 2007

SUZUKI MOTOR CORPORATION	Millions	of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars	
AND CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES	2008	2007	2008	
ASSETS				
Current assets:				
Cash and time deposits	¥ 129,447	¥ 179,048	\$ 1,292,024	
Marketable securities *NOTE 5	345,984	292,824	3,453,281	
Receivables:				
Trade notes and accounts *NOTE 6	<b>331,172</b>	326,606	3,305,440	
Less allowance for doubtful receivables	(3,987)	(3,641)	(39,802)	
Inventories *NOTE 4	<b>440,760</b>	401,110	4,399,241	
Other current assets	<b>239,662</b>	239,456	2,392,078	
Total current assets	1,483,038	1,435,405	14,802,264	
Buildings and structures Machinery, equipment and vehicles Construction in progress	1,256,277	302,353 1,176,154 30,711	3,087,051 12,538,949 565,460	
	1,786,327	1,669,455	17,829,399	
Less accumulated depreciation	(1,185,214)	(1,081,405)	(11,829,669)	
Total property, plant and equipment	601,112	588,050	5,999,729	
Investments and other assets:				
. NOTE E	124,696	145,784	1,244,598	
Investments in securities *NOTE 5		21 200	361,482	
Investments in affiliates	<b>36,216</b>	31,392	001,402	
		120,808	1,637,888	
Investments in affiliates	164,100			

	Millions	Thousands of U.S. dollars		
	2008	2007	2008	
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS				
Current liabilities:				
Trade notes and accounts payable	¥ 605,372	¥ 571,296	\$ 6,042,241	
Short-term bank loans *NOTE 6	196,390	167,236	1,960,178	
Current portion of long-term debt *NOTE 6	_	1,088	_	
Accrued income taxes	24,857	37,798	248,107	
Accrued expenses	154,448	164,651	1,541,560	
Other current liabilities	185,726	191,337	1,853,744	
Total current liabilities	1,166,795	1,133,409	11,645,831	
Long-term liabilities:				
Long-term debt *NOTE 6	254,265	238,308	2,537,831	
Accrued retirement and severance benefits *NOTE 8	48,037	52,080	479,465	
Other liabilities	37,171	41,669	371,009	
Total long term liabilities	339,474	332,058	3,388,306	
Total liabilities	1,506,270	1,465,468	15,034,138	
Net Assets: Shareholders' equity:* <sup>NOTE 13</sup> Common stock:				
Shareholders' equity:* <sup>NOTE 13</sup>				
Shareholders' equity:* <sup>NOTE 13</sup> Common stock: Authorized-1,500,000,000 shares	120,210	_	1,199,823	
Shareholders' equity:* <sup>NOTE 13</sup> Common stock: Authorized-1,500,000,000 shares Issued,		— 120,210	1,199,823 —	
Shareholders' equity:* <sup>NOTE 13</sup> Common stock: Authorized-1,500,000,000 shares Issued, as of March 31, 2008—542,647,091	—	 120,210 138,199	1,199,823 — 1,378,815	
Shareholders' equity:* <sup>NOTE 13</sup> Common stock: Authorized-1,500,000,000 shares Issued, as of March 31, 2008—542,647,091 as of March 31, 2007—542,647,091	138,143		-	
Shareholders' equity:* <sup>NOTE 13</sup> Common stock: Authorized-1,500,000,000 shares Issued, as of March 31, 2008—542,647,091 as of March 31, 2007—542,647,091 Capital surplus	138,143 717,357	138,199	 1,378,815	
Shareholders' equity:* <sup>NOTE 13</sup> Common stock: Authorized-1,500,000,000 shares Issued, as of March 31, 2008—542,647,091 as of March 31, 2007—542,647,091 Capital surplus Consolidated retained earnings	138,143 717,357 (219,499)	138,199 642,969	 1,378,815 7,159,974	
Shareholders' equity: * NOTE 13 Common stock: Authorized-1,500,000,000 shares Issued, as of March 31, 2008—542,647,091 as of March 31, 2007—542,647,091 Capital surplus Consolidated retained earnings Less treasury stock, at cost	138,143 717,357 (219,499)	138,199 642,969 (219,875)	1,378,815 7,159,974 (2,190,831)	
Shareholders' equity: * NOTE 13 Common stock: Authorized-1,500,000,000 shares Issued, as of March 31, 2008—542,647,091 as of March 31, 2007—542,647,091 Capital surplus Consolidated retained earnings Less treasury stock, at cost Total shareholders' equity	138,143 717,357 (219,499) 756,212	138,199 642,969 (219,875)	1,378,815 7,159,974 (2,190,831)	
Shareholders' equity: * NOTE 13 Common stock: Authorized-1,500,000,000 shares Issued, as of March 31, 2008—542,647,091 as of March 31, 2007—542,647,091 Capital surplus Consolidated retained earnings Less treasury stock, at cost Total shareholders' equity Valuation and translation adjustments:	138,143 717,357 (219,499) 756,212 16,549	138,199 642,969 (219,875) 681,504		
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Shareholders' equity:* <sup>NOTE 13</sup> Common stock: Authorized-1,500,000,000 shares Issued, as of March 31, 2008—542,647,091 as of March 31, 2007—542,647,091 Capital surplus Consolidated retained earnings Less treasury stock, at cost Total shareholders' equity Valuation and translation adjustments: Net unrealized gains on securities Deferred gains and losses on hedges	138,143 717,357 (219,499) 756,212 16,549 9,236 (3,389)	138,199 642,969 (219,875) 681,504 35,251 (149)	1,378,815 7,159,974 (2,190,831) 7,547,781 165,177 92,194	
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Shareholders' equity:* <sup>NOTE 13</sup> Common stock: Authorized-1,500,000,000 shares Issued, as of March 31, 2008—542,647,091 as of March 31, 2007—542,647,091 Capital surplus Consolidated retained earnings Less treasury stock, at cost Total shareholders' equity Valuation and translation adjustments: Net unrealized gains on securities Deferred gains and losses on hedges Foreign currency translation adjustments Total valuation and translation adjustments	138,143 717,357 (219,499) 756,212 16,549 9,236 (3,389) 22,396 124,285	138,199 642,969 (219,875) 681,504 35,251 (149) 24,917 60,020	1,378,815 7,159,974 (2,190,831) 7,547,781 165,177 92,194 (33,826) 223,544	

# **Consolidated Statements of Income**

Years ended March 31, 2008 and 2007

SUZUKI MOTOR CORPORATION	Millions	Millions of yen			
AND CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES	2008	2007	2008		
Net sales	¥3,502,419	¥3,163,669	\$34,957,779		
Cost of sales	2,631,880	2,378,742	26,268,896		
Gross profit	870,539	784,927	8,688,882		
Selling, general and administrative expenses	. 721,134	652,027	7,197,664		
Operating income	149,405	132,900	1,491,217		
Other income and expenses:					
Interest and dividend income	. 19,003	15,172	189,677		
Interest expense	(9,408)	(6,810)	(93,910)		
Equity in earnings of affiliates	. 453	2,102	4,524		
Other, net	. (1,989)	(4,632)	(19,857)		
Income before income taxes	157,463	138,732	1,571,651		
Income taxes: *NOTE 9					
Current	. 72,905	73,712	727,676		
Deferred	. (19,537)	(29,379)	(195,003)		
	53,368	44,332	532,673		
Minority interests in earnings of					
consolidated subsidiaries	23,840	19,391	237,949		
Net income		¥ 75,008	\$ 801,027		

	Yen				U.S. dollars	
Net income per share:						
Primary	¥	177.96	¥	169.41	\$	1.776
Fully diluted		155.89		151.41		1.556
Cash dividends per share		16.00		14.00		0.160

# **Consolidated Statements of Changes in Net Assets**

Years ended March 31, 2008 and 2007

SUZUKI MOTOR CORPORATION	Thousands	ousands Millions of yen					
AND CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES	of shares of common stock	Common stock	Capital surplus	Consolidated retained earnings	Treasury stock at cost	Valuation and translation adjustments	Minority Interests
Balance as of March 31, 2006	542,647	¥120,210	¥129,192	¥573,516	¥(242,934)	¥36,785	¥93,562
Net income		_	_	75,008	_	_	_
Cash dividends	—	—	—	(5,295)	—		—
Directors' and corporate							
auditors' bonuses	—	—		(260)	—	—	—
Gain on disposal of							
treasury stock	—	—	9,006	—	23,078	—	—
Treasury stock acquired	—	—		—	(19)	—	—
Other Changes						23,234	20,886
Balance as of March 31, 2007	542,647	¥120,210	¥138,199	¥642,969	¥(219,875)	¥60,020	¥114,448
Net income	—	—	—	80,254	—	—	—
Cash dividends	_	—	—	(7,215)	_	—	—
Gain on disposal of							
treasury stock	—	—	(56)	—	400	—	—
Treasury stock acquired	—	—	—	—	(25)	—	—
Increase of retained earnings due to change							
of financial period of consolidated subsidiaries	—	—		1,349	—	—	—
Other Changes						(37,623)	9,837
Balance as of March 31, 2008	542,647	¥120,210	¥138,143	¥717,357	¥(219,499)	¥22,396	¥124,285

	Thousands	Thousands of U.S. dollars					
	of shares of common stock	Common stock	Capital surplus	Consolidated retained earnings	Treasury stock at cost	Valuation and translation adjustments	n Minority Interests
Balance as of March 31, 2007	542,647	\$1,199,823	\$1,379,375	\$6,417,499	\$(2,194,581)	\$599,067	\$1,142,313
Net income	—		_	801,027	—	—	—
Cash dividends	—		—	(72,018)		—	
Gain on disposal of							
treasury stock	—	—	(559)	—	4,000	—	
Treasury stock acquired	—	—	—	_	(251)	—	—
Increase of retained earnings due to change							
of financial period of consolidated subsidiaries	—	—	—	13,465	—	—	—
Other Changes	_			_		(375,522)	98,184
Balance as of March 31, 2008	542,647	\$1,199,823	\$1,378,815	\$7,159,974	\$(2,190,831)	\$223,544	\$1,240,497

# **Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows**

average     2008     2007       SUZUKI MOTOR CORPORATION AND CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES     2008     2007       Cash flows from operating activities     income before income taxes     ¥157,463     ¥138,732     \$1,57       Depreciation and amotization expenses     161,600     149,910     1,6       Loss of impairment     -     796     2(2,102)       Decrease in accrued retirement     (453)     (2,102)     (2,102)       Decrease in account receivable     (15,829)     (64,137)     (1)       Increase in accounts preventories     (58,003)     (28,623)     (5)       Increase in accounts payable     42,871     53,805     44       Others     (4,292)     21,283     (6)       Sub Total     (70,043)     259,551     2,66       Increase in accounts payable     (8,572)     (6,747)     (1)       Interest and dividends received     (18,572)     (4,747)     (1)       Interest and dividends received     (18,572)     (4,747)     (1)       Interest and dividends received     (55,727)     (57,833)     (2)       <	olidated Statements of Cash Flows		Millions of yen		
AND CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES     2008     2007       Cash flows from operating activities     Income before income taxes     ¥157,463     ¥138,732     \$1,57       Depreciation and amortization expenses     161,600     149,910     1,6       Loss of impairment     —     796     (2,102)     1,6       Decrease in accrued refirement     (453)     (2,102)     (2,102)       Decrease in accounts receivable     (15,829)     (64,137)     (1)       Increase in accounts preventable     (15,829)     (64,137)     (1)       Increase in accounts payable     (42,821)     25,805     44       Others     (4,292)     21,283     (6)       Sub Total     (70,043)     259,551     2,60       Interest and dividends received     (8,572)     (66,324)     (8)       Net cash provided by operating activities     194,039     202,134     1,9       Deposit in time deposit     (63,620)     (2,572)     (5,335)     (6)       Disbursement from time deposit     (63,620)     (22,134     1,9     1,9       Cash flows from sales of properity, pl	ch 31, 2008 and 2007				
Income before income taxes   ¥157,463   ¥138,732   \$1,5     Depreciation and amortization expenses   161,600   149,910   1,6     Loss of impairment   -   -   796     Equity in earnings of affiliates   (453)   (2,102)     Decrease in accrued retirement   (1,750)   (1     and severance benefits   (1,750)   (1     Interest and dividend income   (19,003)   (15,172)   (1     Interease in accounts receivable   (15,829)   (64,137)   (1     Increase in inventories   (65,003)   (28,623)   (5     Increase in accounts payable   42,871   53,805   42     Others   (4,222)   21,283   (6     Sub Total   270,043   259,551   2,68     Interest and dividends received   18,572   14,747   11     Interest paid   (9,105)   (5,780)   (7     Increase in provided by operating activities   194,039   202,194   19,039     Deposit in time deposit   63,620   62,635   66     Disbursent from investing activities   67,874   7,1940 <td< th=""><th></th><th>2008</th><th>2007</th><th>2008</th></td<>		2008	2007	2008	
Depreciation and amortization expenses     161,600     149,910     1,6       Loss of impairment     -     736     736       Equity in earnings of affiliates     (453)     (2,102)       Decrease in accrued retirement     (1750)     (1       and severance benefits     (19,003)     (15,172)     (1       Interest expenses     9,408     6,810     9       Increase in accounts receivable     (15,829)     (64,137)     (1       Increase in accounts receivable     (15,829)     (24,137)     (1       Increase in accounts receivable     (18,572)     21,283     (0       Others     (4,292)     21,283     (0       Sub Total     11 <td>ash flows from operating activities</td> <th></th> <td></td> <td></td>	ash flows from operating activities				
Loss of impairment     —     796       Equity in earnings of affiliates     (453)     (2,102)       Decrease in accound retirement     (19,003)     (15,172)     (1)       Interest and dividend income     (19,003)     (15,172)     (1)       Interest expenses     9,408     6,810     (11,172)     (1)       Increase in accounts receivable     (15,829)     (64,137)     (1)       Increase in accounts payable     (28,623)     (5)     (11,173)	Income before income taxes	<b>¥157,463</b> ¥	138,732	\$1,571,651	
Equity in earnings of affiliates   (453)   (2.102)     Decrease in accrued retirement   (3,719)   (1,750)   (0)     and severance benefits   (3,719)   (1,750)   (0)     Interest and dividend income   (19,003)   (15,172)   (1)     Interest expenses   9,408   6,810   (1)     Increase in accounts receivable   (15,829)   (64,137)   (1)     Increase in accounts payable   (4,232)   21,283   (0)     Others   (4,292)   21,283   (0)     Others   (4,292)   21,283   (0)     Interest and dividends received   (18,572)   (1,747)   (1)     Interest and dividends received   (18,572)   (1,747)   (1)     Interest and dividends received   (18,572)   (2,7004)   259,551   (2,60)     Increase paid   (9,105)   (5,780)   (2)   (1,747)   (1)     Interest and dividends received   (18,572)   (4,35)   (2,194)   (1,3)     Cash flows from investing activities   (5,727)   (5,783)   (5)     Deposit in time deposit   (64,840)   (56,33	Depreciation and amortization expenses	161,600	149,910	1,612,945	
Decrease in accrued retirement     (3,719)     (1,750)     (1       and severance benefits     (19,003)     (15,172)     (11       Interest and dividend income     (19,003)     (15,172)     (11       Interest expenses     9,408     6,810     (11       Increase in accounts receivable     (15,829)     (64,137)     (11       Increase in accounts payable     (4,292)     21,283     (0)       Others     (4,292)     21,283     (0)       Sub Total     (270,043     259,551     2,66       Interest and dividends received     18,572     14,747     (11)       Interest paid     (9,105)     (5,760)     (1)       Income taxes paid     (81,6471)     (66,324)     (8)       Net cash provided by operating activities     194,039     202,194     1,9       Cash flows from investing activities     (55,727)     (57,383)     (5)       Proceeds from sales of marketable securities     (67,874     71,940     6       Purchases of property, plants and equipment     (0,071     4,661     1       Proceeds f	Loss of impairment	—	796	—	
and severance benefits   (3,719)   (1,750)   (0     Interest and dividend income   (19,003)   (15,172)   (11     Interest expenses   9,408   6,810   (15,829)   (64,137)   (11     Increase in accounts prevable   (15,829)   (64,137)   (11   (11   (11,629)   (28,623)   (5)     Increase in accounts payable   42,871   53,805   44     Others   (4,292)   21,283   (6)     Sub Total   270,043   259,551   (6)     Interest and dividends received   18,572   14,747   14     Interest paid   (9,105)   (5,780)   (0)     Income taxes paid   (85,471)   (66,324)   (8)     Net cash provided by operating activities   194,039   202,194   1,97     Cash flows from investing activities   (55,727)   (57,383)   (5)     Proceeds from sales of marketable securities   (64,840)   (6,335)   (6)     Purchases of property, plants and equipment   (21,449)   (13,064)   (2,11)     Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment   (7,269)   (21,945) <t< th=""><td>Equity in earnings of affiliates</td><th>(453)</th><td>(2,102)</td><td>(4,524)</td></t<>	Equity in earnings of affiliates	(453)	(2,102)	(4,524)	
Interest and dividend income   (19,003)   (15,172)   (11     Interest expenses   9,408   6,810   9     Increase in accounts receivable   (15,829)   (64,137)   (11     Increase in inventories   (58,003)   (28,623)   (51     Increase in accounts payable   42,671   53,805   44     Others   (4,292)   21,283   (61     Sub Total   (70,043   259,551   2,66     Interest and dividends received   (85,471)   (66,324)   (81     Interest paid   (9,105)   (5,780)   (61     Income taxes paid   (85,471)   (66,324)   (81     Deposit in time deposit   (9,105)   (5,733)   (57     Cash flows from investing activities   (9,105)   (5,733)   (57     Deposit in time deposit   (64,840)   (56,335)   (6     Outchases of property, plants and equipment   (215,449)   (173,064)   (2,11     Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment   (7,764)   (173,064)   (2,11     Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment   (7,764)   (173,064)   (2,11	Decrease in accrued retirement				
Interest expenses   9,406   6,810     Increase in accounts receivable   (15,829)   (64,137)     Increase in inventories   (58,003)   (28,623)     Sub Total   42,871   53,805   44     Others   (4,292)   21,283   (6     Sub Total   270,043   259,551   2,6     Interest paid   (9,105)   (5,780)   (6     Increase paid   (85,471)   (66,324)   (8     Net cash provided by operating activities   194,039   202,194   1,9     Cash flows from investing activities   (64,840)   (56,335)   (6     Disbursement from time deposit   63,620   62,635   66     Proceeds from sales of marketable securities   (55,727)   (57,383)   (5     Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment   (215,449)   (173,064)   (24,14)     Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment   (7,769)   (1,345)   (1     Increase in other investment securities   (215,449)   (173,064)   (24,14)     Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment   (6,71   4,561   0 <td< th=""><td>and severance benefits</td><th>(3,719)</th><td>(1,750)</td><td>(37,121)</td></td<>	and severance benefits	(3,719)	(1,750)	(37,121)	
Increase in accounts receivable   (15,829)   (64,137)   (11)     Increase in inventories   (58,003)   (28,623)   (5)     Increase in accounts payable   42,871   53,805   (4)     Others   (4,292)   21,283   (6)     Sub Total   270,043   259,551   2,66     Interest and dividends received   18,572   14,747   14     Interest paid   (9,105)   (5,780)   (6)     Income taxes paid   (85,471)   (66,324)   (8)     Net cash provided by operating activities   194,039   202,194   1,37     Cash flows from investing activities   (64,840)   (56,335)   (6)     Disbursement from time deposit   63,620   62,635   66     Disbursement from time deposit   (55,727)   (57,383)   (5)     Proceeds from sales of marketable securities   67,874   71,940   (2)     Purchases of investment securities   (28,764)   (55,330)   (2)     Proceeds from sales of investment securities   (7,269)   (1,345)   (1)     Increase in other investment   (7,269)   (1,345)   (2)<	Interest and dividend income	(19,003)	(15,172)	(189,677)	
Increase in inventories   (58,003)   (28,623)   (5     Increase in accounts payable   42,871   53,805   42     Others   (4,292)   21,283   (6     Sub Total   270,043   259,551   2,63     Interest and dividends received   18,572   14,747   11     Interest paid   (9,105)   (5,780)   (7     Income taxes paid   (85,471)   (66,324)   (8     Net cash provided by operating activities   194,039   202,194   1,97     Cash flows from investing activities   (64,840)   (56,335)   (6     Disbursement from time deposit   63,620   62,635   65     Purchases of marketable securities   (7,74)   (173,064)   (2,13)     Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment   6,074   4,760   (2     Purchases of investment securities   (2,745)   (2,745)   (2     Collection of loans receivable   (2,13,10)   1,085   33   (1,345)   (2     Increase in short term bank loans   31,871   32,296   37   97   (2,13,45)   (2   (2,45)   (2,14	Interest expenses	9,408	6,810	93,910	
Increase in accounts payable   42,871   53,805   44     Others   (4,292)   21,283   ((     Sub Total   270,043   259,551   2,60     Interest and dividends received   18,572   14,747   14     Interest paid   (9,105)   (5,780)   (0     Income taxes paid   (9,105)   (5,780)   (0     Income taxes paid   (85,471)   (66,324)   (8)     Deposit in time deposit   (64,840)   (56,335)   (6     Disbursement from time deposit   63,620   62,635   6     Purchases of marketable securities   (7,744)   (14,456)   (21,449)     Purchases of property, plants and equipment   (21,5449)   (173,064)   (2,14)     Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment   (6,704   4,760   (21,449)     Proceeds from sales of investment securities   (21,6429)   (173,064)   (2,14)     Increase in other investment   (7,269)   (1,345)   (21     Increase in other investment   (7,269)   (1,345)   (22     Increase in short term bank loans   31,871   32,296   31 <td>Increase in accounts receivable</td> <th>(15,829)</th> <td>(64,137)</td> <td>(157,998)</td>	Increase in accounts receivable	(15,829)	(64,137)	(157,998)	
Others     (4,292)     21,283     (4,292)       Sub Total     270,043     259,551     2,66       Interest and dividends received     18,572     14,747     11       Interest paid     (9,105)     (5,780)     (6       Income taxes paid     (85,471)     (66,324)     (88       Net cash provided by operating activities     194,039     202,194     1,93       Cash flows from investing activities     (64,840)     (56,335)     (6       Disbursement from time deposit     63,620     62,635     66       Purchases of marketable securities     (57,771)     (57,383)     (57       Proceeds from sales of marketable securities     67,874     71,940     66       Purchases of investment securities     (67,74     (17,064)     (2,19       Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment     (28,764)     (55,330)     (21       Increase in other investment securities     (6,704     4,760     (22,495)     -     (22       Collection of loans receivable     (21,921)     (199,473)     (2,19       Others     (774)	Increase in inventories	(58,003)	(28,623)	(578,930)	
Sub Total     270,043     259,551     2,6       Interest and dividends received     18,572     14,747     14       Interest paid     (9,105)     (5,780)     (6       Income taxes paid     (85,471)     (66,324)     (8       Net cash provided by operating activities     194,039     202,194     1,9       Cash flows from investing activities     194,039     202,194     1,9       Cash flows from investing activities     63,620     62,635     6       Disbursement from time deposit     63,620     62,635     6       Purchases of marketable securities     67,874     71,940     6       Purchases of property, plants and equipment     (215,449)     (173,064)     (2,11       Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment     (7,269)     (1,345)     (1       Proceeds from sales of investment securities     6,704     4,760     4       Increase in oleans receivable     (22,495)     -     (22     4       Collection of loans receivable     (215,921)     (199,473)     (2,11       Cash flows from financing activities     (774) </th <td>Increase in accounts payable</td> <th>42,871</th> <td>53,805</td> <td>427,899</td>	Increase in accounts payable	42,871	53,805	427,899	
Interest and dividends received   18,572   14,747   14     Interest paid   (9,105)   (5,780)   (6     Income taxes paid   (85,471)   (66,324)   (8     Net cash provided by operating activities   194,039   202,194   1,9     Cash flows from investing activities   (64,840)   (56,335)   (6     Deposit in time deposit   63,620   62,635   63     Purchases of marketable securities   (55,727)   (57,383)   (53     Proceeds from sales of marketable securities   67,874   71,940   6     Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment   (215,449)   (173,064)   (21,949)     Proceeds from sales of investment securities   (6,704   4,760   0     Increase in other investment   (7,269)   (1,345)   (1     Increase in other investment   (774)   (997)   (21,921)   (199,473)   (21,949)     Others   (774)   (997)   (21,921)   (199,473)   (21,943)   (21,943)   (21,943)     Others   (10,928)   (174)   (199,473)   (21,921)   (199,473)   (21,921)   (199,473	Others	(4,292)	21,283	(42,842)	
Interest paid   (9,105)   (5,780)   (8     Income taxes paid   (85,471)   (66,324)   (8     Net cash provided by operating activities   194,039   202,194   1,93     Cash flows from investing activities   (64,840)   (56,335)   (6     Disbursement from time deposit   63,620   62,635   66     Purchases of marketable securities   (57,727)   (57,383)   (55     Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment   (215,449)   (173,064)   (2,11     Purchases of investment securities   (28,764)   (55,330)   (21     Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment   6,071   4,561   (21     Purchases of investment securities   (28,764)   (55,330)   (21     Increase in olons receivable   (22,495)   —   (22     Increase in loans receivable   (215,921)   (199,473)   (2,11     Cash flows from long term debt and issuance of bonds   27,090   166,870   27     Net increase in short term bank loans   31,871   32,296   31     Proceeds from long term debt and redemption of bonds   (1,142)   (1,028)   (21	Sub Total	270,043	259,551	2,695,312	
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Cash flows from investing activities   (64,840)   (56,335)   (6)     Deposit in time deposit   63,620   62,635   66     Purchases of marketable securities   (55,727)   (57,383)   (5)     Proceeds from sales of marketable securities   67,874   71,940   6     Purchases of property, plants and equipment   (215,449)   (173,064)   (2,13)     Proceeds from sales of property, plants and equipment   6,071   4,561   0     Purchases of investment securities   (28,764)   (55,330)   (21)     Proceeds from sales of investment securities   6,704   4,760   0     Increase in other investment   (7,269)   (1,345)   (1)     Increase in loans receivable   (22,495)   (22,495)   (22,495)     Collection of loans receivable   (215,921)   (199,473)   (2,11)     Cash flows from financing activities   (215,921)   (199,473)   (2,11)     Cash flows from financing activities   (215,921)   (199,473)   (2,11)     Cash flows from financing activities   (215,921)   (199,473)   (2,11)     Cash flows from long term debt and redemption of bonds   (1,142) <td>Income taxes paid</td> <th>(85,471)</th> <td>(66,324)</td> <td>(853,093)</td>	Income taxes paid	(85,471)	(66,324)	(853,093)	
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# Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

#### NOTE 1: Basis of presenting consolidated financial statements

The accompanying consolidated financial statements of Suzuki Motor Corporation (the Company) have been prepared on the basis of generally accepted accounting principles and practices in Japan, and the consolidated financial statements were filed with the Ministry of Finance as required by the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act of Japan.

The preparation of the Consolidated Financial Statements requires the management to select and adopt accounting standards and make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities, revenue and expenses, and the corresponding methods of disclosure.

As such, the management's estimates are made reasonably based on historical results. But due to the inherent uncertainty involved in making estimates, actual results could differ from these estimates.

For the convenience of readers outside Japan, certain reclassifications and modifications have been made to the original Consolidated Financial Statements.

As permitted, an amount of less than one million yen has been omitted. For the convenience of readers, the Consolidated Financial Statements, including the opening balance of shareholders' equity, have been presented in U.S. dollars by translating all Japanese yen amounts on the basis of 100.19 to U.S.\$1, the rate of exchange prevailing as of March 31, 2008. Consequently, the totals shown in the Consolidated Financial Statements (both in yen and in U.S. dollars) do not necessarily agree with the sum of the individual amounts.

# **NOTE 2: Summary of significant accounting policies**

#### (a) Principles of consolidation

The Consolidated Financial Statements for the years ended March 31, 2008 and 2007, include the accounts of the Company and its significant subsidiaries and the number of consolidated subsidiaries are 139 and 138 respectively. All significant inter-company accounts and transactions are eliminated in consolidation. Investments in affiliated companies are accounted for by the equity method.

As for the evaluation of assets and liabilities of consolidated subsidiaries, the complete market value accounting method is adopted. The difference at the time of acquisition between the cost and underlying net equity of investments in consolidated subsidiaries and in affiliated companies accounted for under the equity method is, as a rule, amortized on a straight-line basis mainly over a period of five years after appropriate adjustments.

As for 34 companies of consolidated subsidiaries, their fiscal year end is December 31. "American Suzuki Motor Corporation" and the other 9 companies within above-mentioned 34 companies, their accounts were consolidated based on their financial statements by the preliminary settlement as of March 31, 2008.

#### (Additional Information)

PT Indomobil Suzuki International and its subsidiaries and subsubsidiaries, Pak Suzuki Motor Co., LTD., and Thai Suzuki Motor Co., Ltd., total 19 consolidated subsidiaries, had been consolidated based on their closing date of 31st December until FY 2006. From this fiscal year, their accounts are consolidated based on the financial period from April 1st to March 31st.

According to this change, the consolidated figures of FY 2007 have been affected as follows:

Net sales ..... increased 9,014 million yen

Operating income ..... decreased 2,612 million yen

Ordinary income ...... decreased 2,070 million yen

Net income ..... decreased 910 million yen

#### (b) Allowance for doubtful receivables

The allowance is appropriated for an estimated uncollectible amount into this account based on doubtful receivable ratio for general receivables and the identified collectibility for specific receivables.

#### (c) Provision for warranty costs

The provision is appropriated into this account based on the warranty agreement and past experience in order to allow for expenses related to the maintenance service of products sold.

#### (d) Provision for recycling end-of-life products

The provision is appropriated for an estimated expense related to the recycling end-of-life products of the Company based on actual sales.

#### (e) Provision for product liabilities

With regards to the products exported to North American market, to prepare for the payment of compensation, not covered by "Product Liability Insurance" the anticipated amount to be borne by the Company is computed and provided on the basis of actual results in the past.

#### (f) Marketable securities, investment in securities

The companies and its subsidiaries hold securities of listed companies, which have a risk of price fluctuations, and non-listed companies whose stock prices are difficult to be evaluated.

If we judge the decline in investment value is not temporary, we recognize revaluation loss based on the reasonable standard. If the stock market falls, we may incur significant revaluation losses of marketable securities.

Securities have to be classified into four categories: trading securities; held-to-maturity debt securities; investments of the Company in equity securities issued by unconsolidated subsidiaries and affiliates; and other securities.

According to this classification, securities held by the Company and its subsidiaries are other securities. Other securities for which market quotations are available are stated at fair value by the closing date's market value method. Unrealized gains or losses are included in a component of net assets at a net-of-tax amount, and gains or losses from sales of securities are recognized on cost determined by the moving average method.

Other securities for which market quotations are unavailable are stated at cost by a moving average method.

#### (g) Hedge accounting

Gains or losses arising from changes in fair value of the derivatives designated as "hedging instruments" are deferred as an asset or liability and included in net profit or loss in the same period during which the gains and losses on the hedged items or transactions are recognized.

The derivatives designated as hedging instruments by the Company and its subsidiaries are principally interest swaps and forward exchange contracts. The related hedged items are trade accounts receivable and investments in securities.

The Company and its subsidiaries have a policy to utilize the above hedging instruments in order to reduce our exposure to the risk of interest rate and foreign exchange fluctuation. Thus, our purchases of the hedging instruments are limited to, at maximum, the amounts of the hedged items. The Company and its subsidiaries evaluate effectiveness of its hedging activities by reference to the accumulated gains or losses on the hedging instruments and the related hedged items from the commencement of the hedges.

#### (h) Foreign currency translation

All monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies, whether long-term or short-term are translated into Japanese yen at the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date. Resulting gains and losses are included in net profit or loss for the period.

Assets and liabilities of the foreign subsidiaries and affiliates are translated into Japanese yen at the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date.

The components of net assets are translated into Japanese yen at their historical rates. Profit and loss accounts for the year are translated into Japanese yen using the average exchange rate during the year. Differences in yen amounts arising from the use of different rates are presented as "foreign currency translation adjustments" in the net assets and minority interests.

#### (i) Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost or market value, cost being determined principally by the periodic average method.

#### (j) Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost. Depreciation is principally computed by the declining-balance method based on estimated useful lives of the assets (mainly 3-75 years).

#### (k) Leases

Finance lease transactions are recorded based on ordinary rental transaction except for the case where ownership of the lease assets is considered to be transferred.

#### (I) Income taxes

The provision for income taxes is computed based on the income before income taxes included in Consolidated Statements of Income. The assets and liability approach is adopted to recognize deferred tax assets and liabilities for the expected future tax consequences of temporary differences between the carrying amounts and the tax bases of assets and liabilities.

In making a valuation for the possibility of collection of deferred tax assets, the Company and its subsidiaries estimate their future taxable income reasonably. If the estimated amount of future taxable income decrease, deferred tax assets may decrease and income taxes expenses may be posted.

#### (m) Accrued retirement and severance benefits

In order to allow for payment of employees' retirement benefits, based on estimated amount of retirement benefits liabilities and pension assets at the end of this fiscal year, the allowable amount which occurs at the end of this fiscal year is appropriated.

With regard to prior service costs, the amount, prorated on a straight line basis over the period of average length of employees' remaining service years at the time when it occurs, is treated as expense. As for the actuarial differences, the amounts prorated on a straight line basis over the period of average length of employees' remaining service years in each year in which the differences occur are respectively treated as expenses from the next term of the year in which they arise.

As for directors and corporate auditors of the company, the amount to be paid at the end of year had been posted pursuant to the Company's regulations on the retirement allowance of directors and corporate auditors. However, the Company's retirement benefit system for them was abolished at the closure of the ordinary general shareholders' meeting held on June 2006. And it was approved at the shareholders' meeting that reappointed directors and corporate auditors are paid their retirement benefit at the time of their retirement, based on their years of service. Estimated amount of such retirement benefits is appropriated at the end of this fiscal year.

Furthermore, for the directors and corporate auditors of some consolidated subsidiaries, the amount to be paid at the end of the year was posted pursuant to their regulation on the retirement allowance of directors and corporate auditors.

Retirement benefit cost and retirement benefit obligation are calculated based on the actuarial assumptions, which include discount rate, assumed return of investment ratio, revaluation ratio, salary rise ratio, retirement ratio and mortality ratio. Discount rate is decided on the basis of yield on low-risk, long-term bonds, and assumed return of investment ratio is decided based on the investment policies of pension assets of each pension system etc.

Decreased yield on long-term bond leads to a decrease in discount rate and has an adverse influence on the calculation of retirement benefit cost. However, the pension system adopted by the Company has a cash balance type plan, and thus the revaluation ratio, which is one of the base ratios, can offset any adverse effects caused by a decrease in the discount rate.

If the investment yield of pension assets is less than the assumed return of investment ratio, it will have an adverse effect on the calculation of retirement benefit cost. But by focusing on low-risk investments, this influence should be minimal in the case of the pension fund systems of the Company and its subsidiaries.

#### (n) Revenue recognition

Sales of products are generally recognized in the accounts as delivery is made.

#### (o) Net income per share

Primary net income per share is computed based on the weighted average number of shares issued during the respective years. Fully diluted net income per share is computed assuming that all convertible bonds were converted into common stock, with an applicable adjustment for related interest expense and net of tax. Cash dividends per share are the amounts applicable to the respective periods including dividends to be paid after the end of the period.

#### (p) Cash and cash equivalents

All highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less when purchased are considered cash and cash equivalents.

#### (q) Reclassification

Certain reclassifications of previously reported amounts are made to conform with current classifications.

#### **NOTE 3: Accounting Changes**

#### (Change in depreciation method of fixed assets)

In accordance with revision of Japanese corporation tax, the company and its domestic subsidiaries calculated depreciation expense based on the method stipulated in revised corporation tax law from this year. Effect of this change is minor.

#### **NOTE 4: Inventories**

Inventories as of March 31, 2008 and 2007 were as follows:

	Millions of yen		U.S. dollars
	2008	2007	2008
Finished products	¥360,287	¥323,314	\$3,596,042
Work in process	21,982	24,816	219,411
Raw materials and others	58,489	52,979	583,787
	¥440,760	¥401,110	\$4,399,241

# NOTE 5: Marketable securities and investments in securities

(a) Marketable securities and investments in securities quoted at an exchange as of March 31, 2008 and 2007

Millions of yen		
Acquisition Cost	2008 Amounts for BS	Valuation
¥ 20,772	¥ 49,931	¥29,158
—	—	—
123,813	127,860	4,047
¥144,585	¥177,791	¥33,206
¥ 46,681	¥ 40,808	¥(5,873)
15,995	15,847	(147)
11	11	—
¥ 62,688	¥ 56,666	¥ (6,021)
¥207,273	¥234,458	¥27,185
	<u> Cost</u> ¥ 20,772 <u>-</u> 123,813 ¥144,585 ¥ 46,681 15,995 11 ¥ 62,688	2008       Acquisition Cost     2008       ¥ 20,772     ¥ 49,931       -     -       123,813     127,860       ¥144,585     ¥177,791       ¥ 46,681     ¥ 40,808       15,995     15,847       11     11       ¥ 62,688     ¥ 56,666

	Millions of yen				
	Acquisition Cost	2007 Amounts for BS	Valuation		
Those whose amount for BS exceeds acquisition cost					
(1) Stocks	¥ 48,160	¥104,559	¥56,399		
(2) Bonds	3,000	3,015	15		
(3) Others	89,570	91,298	1,727		
Sub Total	¥140,731	¥198,873	¥58,142		
Those whose amount for BS does not exceed acquisition cost					
(1) Stocks	¥ 999	¥ 996	¥ (3)		
(2) Bonds	¥ 15,000	¥ 14,991	¥ (8)		
(3) Others					
Sub Total	¥ 15,999	¥ 15,987	¥ (12)		
Total	¥156,731	¥214,860	¥58,129		

	Thousands of U.S. dollars				
	Acquisition Cost	2008 Amounts for BS	Valuation		
Those whose amount for BS exceeds acquisition cost					
(1) Stocks	\$ 207,329	\$ 498,365	\$291,035		
(2) Bonds	—	—	—		
(3) Others	1,235,782	1,276,181	40,399		
Sub Total	\$1,443,112	\$1,774,547	\$331,435		
Those whose amount for BS does not exceed acquisition cost					
(1) Stocks	\$ 465,933	\$ 407,307	\$ (58,626)		
(2) Bonds	159,646	158,173	(1,473)		
(3) Others	113	113	—		
Sub Total	\$ 625,693	\$ 565,593	\$ (60,099)		
Total	\$2,068,805	\$2,340,141	\$ 271,335		

# (b) Other securities sold during 2008 and 2007

	Millions of	of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2008	2007	2008
Amounts sold	¥74,578	¥76,700	\$744,370
Gains from sales of the other securities	3,132	507	31,269
Losses from sales of the other securities	_	117	—

# (c) Major securities not revalued by the market

Major securities not revalued by the market	Millions of	of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2008	2007	2008
Other securities			
Commercial paper	¥ 9,981	¥ 14,970	\$ 99,624
Unlisted stock	21,185	27,268	211,455
(Stocks traded over the counter are excluded.)			
Negotiable certificate of deposit	199,900	176,400	1,995,209

# (d) The amounts to be redeemed after the closing date of securities with maturities among other securities

		Millions of yen					
		2008					
	Within one year	More than one year, within five years	More than five years, within ten years	More than ten years			
(1) Bonds							
Government, local gov. bonds, etc	—	—	—	—			
Corporate bonds	¥ 2,999	_	—	—			
(2) Others	342,983	_	—	—			
Total	¥345,983			_			

	Millions of yen					
		200	07			
	Within one year	More than one year, within five years	More than five years, within ten years	More than ten years		
(1) Bonds						
Government, local gov. bonds, etc	—	_	_	_		
Corporate bonds	¥ 4,998			—		
(2) Others	111,418			_		
Total	¥116,416					

		Thousands of U.S. dollars					
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	Within one year	More than one year, within five years	More than five years, within ten years	More than ten years			
(1) Bonds							
Government, local gov. bonds, etc	—	_	_	—			
Corporate bonds	\$ 29,938	_	_	—			
(2) Others	3,423,331	_	_	—			
Total	\$3,453,270			_			

# NOTE 6: Short-term bank loans and long-term debt

Short-term bank loans as of March 31, 2008 and 2007 consisted of the following. The annual interest rates of short-term bank loans as of March 31, 2008 were 0.79 percent to 10.00 percent.

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2008	2007	2008
Short-term bank loans			
Secured	¥ 334	¥ 734	\$ 3,336
Unsecured	196,056	166,501	1,956,842
	¥196,390	¥167,236	\$1,960,178

Long-term debt as of March 31, 2008 and 2007 consisted of:

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"The zero coupon convertible bonds" are convertible into common stock at the options of holders at the conversion price of ¥2,000 per share.

"The zero coupon convertible bonds with 130% call option" are convertible into common stock at the options of holders at the conversion price of ¥3,054 per share.

If the outstanding convertible bonds were fully converted as of March 31, 2008, 63,910,727 additional shares of common stock would be issued.

As is customary in Japan, both short-term and long-term bank loans are subject to general agreements which provide that the banks may, under certain circumstances, request additional security for those loans, and may treat any security furnished to the banks, as well as cash deposited with them, as security for all present and future indebtedness.

The aggregate annual maturities of long-term debt outstanding as of March 31, 2008 were as follows:

Year ending March 31	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
2009	_	_
2010	¥ 44,318	\$ 442,344
2011	21,706	216,656
2012	12,239	122,159
Thereafter	176,000	1,756,671
	¥254,265	\$2,537,831

Assets pledged as collateral as of March 31, 2008:

Assets pleaged as collateral as of March 31, 2006.	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
Property, plant and equipment	¥1,478	\$14,753
Trade notes and accounts receivables	627	6,265
Inventory	582	5,810
	¥2,687	\$26,828
Secured liabilities as of March 31, 2008:	Millions of	Thousands of
	yen	U.S. dollars
Short-term loans	¥ 334	\$ 3,336
Long-term loans	51	519
Other fixed liabilities	906	9,045
	¥1,292	\$12,900

# **NOTE 7: Loan commitment**

The Company has the commitment contract with five banks for effective financing. The outstanding balance of this contract as of March 31, 2008 and 2007 were as follows.

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2008	2007	2008
Commitment contract total	¥155,000	¥150,000	\$1,547,060
Actual loan balance			
Variance	¥155,000	¥150,000	\$1,547,060

# **NOTE 8: Accrued retirement and severance benefits**

## (a) Outline of an adopted retirement benefit system

In the case of the Company, as a defined benefit plan, Employee Pension Fund, Approved Retirement Annuity System and Termination Allowance Plan are established.

#### (b) Items related to a retirement benefit obligation

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2008	2007	2008
a. Retirement benefit obligation	¥(109,000)	¥(115,009)	\$(1,087,936)
b. Pension assets	62,912	61,439	627,933
c. Unrecognized retirement benefit obligation (a + b)	¥ (46,087)	¥ (53,569)	\$ (460,003)
d. Unrecognized difference by an actuarial calculation	7,275	11,430	72,615
e. Unrecognized prior service cost (decrease of liabilities)	(7,583)	(8,302)	(75,690)
f. Accrued retirement and severance benefits (c+d+e)	¥ (46,395)	¥ (50,441)	\$ (463,078)

Remarks: 1) The premium retirement allowance paid on a temporary basis is not included.

2) Some of subsidiaries adopt simplified methods for the calculation of retirement benefits.

# (c) Items related to retirement benefit cost

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2008	2007	2008
a. Service cost	¥7,274	¥6,413	\$72,603
b. Interest cost	1,491	1,474	14,887
c. Assumed return on investment	(443)	(112)	(4,428)
d. Amortized amount of actuarial difference	908	945	9,064
e. Amortized amount of prior service cost	(718)	(718)	(7,173)
f. Retirement benefit cost (a+b+c+d+e)	¥8,511	¥8,001	\$84,952

Remarks: The retirement benefit cost of subsidiaries where simplified methods are adopted is accounted for "a. Service cost".

#### (d) Items related to the calculation standard for the retirement benefit obligation

a. Term allocation of the estimated amount of retirement benefits	: Period fixed amount basis
b. Discount rate	2008 2.00% 2.00%
c. Assumed return of investment ratio	: <b>2008 0.85% - 1.90%</b> 2007 0.23% - 1.90%
d. Number of years for amortization of prior service cost	: Mainly 15 years To be amortized by straight line method with the employees' average remaining service years at the time when the difference was caused.
e. Number of years for amortization of the difference caused by an actuarial calculation	: Mainly 15 years To be amortized from the next fiscal year by straight line method with the employees' average remaining service years

at the time when the difference was caused.

# **NOTE 9: Income taxes**

Breakdown of deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities by their main occurrence causes were as follows.

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2008	2007	2008
Deferred tax assets			
Excess-depreciation	¥ 62,222	¥ 56,526	\$ 621,040
Various reserves	47,192	44,344	471,027
Unrealized gross profits elimination	28,102	26,022	280,494
Others	111,960	101,128	1,117,481
Gross deferred tax assets total	249,477	228,021	2,490,043
Valuation allowance	(5,030)	(2,188)	(50,208)
Deferred tax assets total	¥244,447	¥225,833	\$2,439,835
Deferred tax liabilities			
Net unrealized gains on security Variance from the complete market value method	¥ (10,563)	¥ (23,050)	\$ (105,431)
of newly consolidated subsidiaries	(8,031)	(7,984)	(80,160)
Reserve for fixed assets advanced depreciation	(2,806)	(2,499)	(28,010)
Others	(6,930)	(960)	(69,176)
Deferred tax liabilities total	¥ (28,331)	¥ (34,495)	\$ (282,779)
Net amounts of deferred tax assets	¥216,115	¥191,337	\$2,157,055

The differences between the statutory tax rate and the effective tax rate were summarized as follows.

	2008	2007
Statutory tax rate	39.8%	39.8%
Tax credit	(3.8%)	(5.3%)
Equity in earnings of affiliates	(0.1%)	(0.6%)
Others	(2.0%)	(1.9%)
Effective tax rate	33.9%	32.0%

# **NOTE 10: Research and development costs**

Research and development costs included in selling, general and administrative expenses, for the years ended March 31, 2008 and 2007 were as follows:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2008	2007	2008
Research and development costs	¥108,741	¥92,141	\$1,085,356

# **NOTE 11: Cash and cash equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents as of March 31, 2008 and 2007 consisted of:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2008	2007	2008
Cash and time deposits	¥129,447	¥179,048	\$1,292,024
Marketable securities	345,984	292,824	3,453,281
Time deposits with maturities of over three months	(16,457)	(15,344)	(164,262)
Marketable securities with maturities of over three months	(2,605)	(12,193)	(26,005)
	¥456,369	¥444,335	\$4,555,038

# **NOTE 12: Lease transactions**

(1) Amounts equivalent to acquisition

Finance lease transactions, except for those which meet the conditions that the ownership of the leased assets was substantially transferred to the lessee, as of March 31, 2008 and 2007 were as follows:

#### As a lessee

costs, accumulated depreciation and			Thousands of
net balance as of March 31, 2008	Millions o	of yen	U.S. dollars
	2008	2007	2008
Acquisition costs	¥523	¥619	\$5,223
Accumulated depreciation	(411)	(474)	(4,108)
Net balance	111	145	1,115
(2) Future lease payments			
Due within one year	96	120	960
Thereafter	102	131	1,027
	199	251	1,988
(3) Lease expenses	139	149	1,395
Depreciation	¥114	¥129	\$1,138

# As a lessor

(1) Amounts of acquisition costs,

accumulated depreciation and	b
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net balance as of March 31, 2008	Millions of	of yen	U.S. dollars
	2008	2007	2008
Acquisition costs	¥23,580	¥23,105	\$235,356
Accumulated depreciation	(11,409)	(10,155)	(113,883)
Net balance	¥12,170	¥12,950	\$121,473
(2) Future lease revenues			
Due within one year	6,397	6,292	63,852
Thereafter	10,849	11,951	108,291
	17,247	18,243	172,143
(3) Lease revenues	5,940	5,796	59,296
Depreciation	¥ 4,804	¥ 4,718	\$ 47,958

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Operating lease transactions as of March 31, 2008 and 2007 were as follows:

As a lessee	Millions of	Thousands of U.S. dollars	
	<b>2008</b> 2007		2008
Future lease payments			
Due within one year	¥ 404	¥159	\$ 4,032
Thereafter	1,391	512	13,891
	¥1,795	¥671	\$17,923
As a lessor	Millions of	of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2008	2007	2008
Future lease revenues			
Due within one year	¥ 920	¥849	\$ 9,189
Thereafter	493	477	4,925
	¥1,414	¥1,326	\$14,115

# **NOTE 13: Net assets**

The Companies Act requires that at least 50% of the issue price of new shares be included in a company's stated capital. The portion to be recorded as stated capital is determined by resolution of the board of directors. Proceeds in excess of the stated capital should be credited to "capital surplus".

The Companies Act provides that an amount equivalent to 10% of cash dividends should be appropriated as a legal reserve until the reserve reaches a certain limit, defined as 25% of the stated capital less certain capital reserves.

The Companies Act allows both the capital reserve and the other capital surplus to be transferred to the stated capital following the approval at a shareholders' meeting.

The legal reserves of the Company and its subsidiaries are included in "retained earnings" on the consolidated balance sheet and are not shown separately.

According to the Companies Act, the Articles of the Company allows to repurchase treasury stock and dispose of such treasury stock by resolution of the board of directors.

# **NOTE 14: Contingent liabilities**

As of March 31, 2008, the Company and certain consolidated subsidiaries had the following contingent liabilities:

	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
Guarantee of indebtedness of affiliates and others	¥8,470	\$84,541
Trade notes discounted	815	8,139
	¥9,285	\$92,681

# **NOTE 15: Segment information**

(a) Business segment

isiness segment	Millions of yen							
			2008					
	Motorcycle Automobile		Other	Elimination and corporate assets				
Net sales:								
Outside customers	¥591,967	¥2,833,892	¥76,559	¥ —	¥3,502,419			
Inter-area	—	—	—	—	—			
	591,967	2,833,892	76,559		3,502,419			
Operating expenses	569,425	2,719,929	63,659		3,353,014			
Operating income	22,542	113,962	12,899		149,405			
Assets	351,710	1,595,764	55,640	406,048	2,409,165			
Depreciation	22,711	136,718	2,170		161,600			
Capital expenditures	¥ 27,099	¥ 182,570	¥ 1,996	¥ —	¥ 211,665			

	Millions of yen							
	Motorcycle	Automobile	Other	Elimination and corporate assets	Consolidated			
Net sales:								
Outside customers	¥588,177	¥2,503,817	¥71,674	¥ —	¥3,163,669			
Inter-area								
	588,177	2,503,817	71,674	—	3,163,669			
Operating expenses	542,800	2,427,241	60,727	—	3,030,769			
Operating income	45,377	76,576	10,946		132,900			
Assets	335,668	1,506,881	53,702	425,188	2,321,441			
Depreciation	23,713	124,125	2,070		149,910			
Loss of impairment		796			796			
Capital expenditures	¥ 27,957	¥ 137,725	¥ 1,994	¥ —	¥ 167,677			

	Thousands of U.S. dollars							
	2008							
	Motorcycle	Automobile	Other	Elimination and corporate assets	Consolidated			
Net sales: Outside customers	\$5,908,450	\$28,285,182	\$764,146	\$	\$34,957,779			
Inter-area					_			
	5,908,450	28,285,182	764,146		34,957,779			
Operating expenses	5,683,452	27,147,718	635,391		33,466,561			
Operating income	224,998	1,137,464	128,754		1,491,217			
Assets	3,510,437	15,927,384	555,354	4,052,786	24,045,963			
Depreciation	226,685	1,364,595	21,663		1,612,945			
Capital expenditures	\$270,479	\$ 1,822,238	\$ 19,924	\$ —	\$ 2,112,642			

# (b) Geographical segment

	Millions of yen							
		2008						
	Japan	Europe	North America	Asia	Other areas*1	Elimination and corporate assets	Consolidated	
Net sales:								
Outside customers	¥1,405,694	¥ 773,708	¥ 401,230	¥ 833,374	¥ 88,411	¥ —	¥3,502,419	
Inter-area	788,323	3,615	4,465	13,426	0	(809,830)	—	
	2,194,017	777,323	405,696	846,801	88,411	(809,830)	3,502,419	
Operating expenses	2,109,057	763,944	414,231	790,662	83,803	(808,685)	3,353,014	
Operating income	¥ 84,960	¥ 13,378	¥ (8,535)	¥ 56,138	¥ 4,608	¥ (1,145)	¥ 149,405	
Assets	¥1,097,453	¥ 317,991	¥ 102,504	¥ 499,597	¥ 34,018	¥ 357,599	¥2,409,165	

	Millions of yen						
		2007					
	Japan	Europe	North America	Asia	Other areas*1	Elimination and corporate assets	Consolidated
Net sales:							
Outside customers	¥1,343,369	¥ 653,717	¥ 455,208	¥ 649,819	¥ 61,554	¥ —	¥3,163,669
Inter-area	742,144	7,290	4,068	6,224	0	(759,727)	—
	2,085,514	661,007	459,277	656,043	61,554	(759,727)	3,163,669
Operating expenses	2,015,831	646,204	453,362	612,436	56,492	(753,559)	3,030,769
Operating income	¥ 69,683	¥ 14,803	¥ 5,914	¥ 43,606	¥ 5,061	¥ (6,168)	¥ 132,900
Assets	¥1,034,616	¥ 304,757	¥117,135	¥ 470,564	¥ 24,662	¥369,705	¥2,321,441

	Thousands of U.S. dollars						
		2008					
	Japan	Europe	North America	Asia	Other areas*1	Elimination and corporate assets	Consolidated
Net sales:							
Outside customers	\$ 14,030,290	\$7,722,411	\$4,004,695	\$8,317,942	\$882,439	\$ —	\$34,957,779
Inter-area	7,868,281	36,083	44,574	134,011	1	(8,082,952)	—
	21,898,571	7,758,494	4,049,270	8,451,953	882,441	(8,082,952)	34,957,779
Operating expenses	21,050,582	7,624,960	4,134,462	7,891,629	836,442	(8,071,515)	33,466,561
Operating income	\$ 847,989	\$ 133,534	\$ (85,192)	\$ 560,324	\$ 45,998	\$ (11,436)	\$ 1,491,217
Assets	\$10,953,719	\$3,173,882	\$1,023,102	\$4,986,504	\$339,538	\$3,569,215	\$24,045,963

\*1 "Other areas" consists principally of Oceania and South America.

#### (c) Overseas sales

	Millions of yen						
	2008						
	Europe	North America	Asia	Other areas*2	Consolidated		
Overseas sales	¥920,459	¥415,713	¥887,904	¥296,958	¥2,521,036		
Consolidated net sales					3,502,419		
Ratio of overseas sales							
to consolidated net sales	26.3%	11.9%	25.3%	8.5%	72.0%		

	Millions of yen				
	2007				
	Europe	North America	Asia	Other areas*2	Consolidated
Overseas sales	¥796,330	¥471,114	¥701,896	¥220,825	¥2,190,168
Consolidated net sales					3,163,669
Ratio of overseas sales					
to consolidated net sales	25.1%	14.9%	22.2%	7.0%	69.2%

	Thousands of U.S. dollars				
	2008				
	Europe	North America	Asia	Other areas*2	Consolidated
Overseas sales	\$9,187,138	\$4,149,250	\$8,862,205	\$2,963,957	\$25,162,552
Consolidated net sales					34,957,779
Ratio of overseas sales					
to consolidated net sales	26.3%	11.9%	25.3%	8.5%	72.0%

\*2 "Other areas" consists principally of Oceania and South America.

## **NOTE 16: Loss of Impairment**

The assets are divided into two groups, i.e. the assets for business and the assets for rent respectively in business places. Since land prices have dropped continuously, mainly book value of the assets groups as marketing base was decreased to the recoverable amount. As a result of this change, "income before income taxes" for FY 2007 decreased by 796 million yen for land.

The amount is included in "other income and expenses" of Consolidated Statements of Income.

## **NOTE 17: Subsequent events**

The following plan for the appropriation of retained earnings for the year ended March 31, 2008 was approved by the ordinary general meeting of shareholders of the Company held on June 27, 2008:

	Millions of yen	
Year-end cash dividends	¥3,608	\$36,020

# **Report of Independent Auditor**

To the Board of Directors and Shareholders of Suzuki Motor Corporation

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of Suzuki Motor Corporation and its subsidiaries as of March 31, 2008 and 2007, and the related consolidated statements of income, changes in net assets, and cash flows for the years then ended, all expressed in Japanese Yen. These consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these Consolidated Financial Statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in Japan. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the Consolidated Financial Statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall Consolidated Financial Statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the Consolidated Financial Statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of Suzuki Motor Corporation and its subsidiaries as of March 31, 2008 and 2007, and the consolidated results of their operations and their cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan.

The amounts expressed in U.S. dollars, which are provided solely for the convenience of the reader, have been translated on the basis set forth in Note 1 to the accompanying Consolidated Financial Statements.

Seimei audit Corporation.

Seimei Audit Corporation Tokyo, Japan June 27, 2008

# **Non-Consolidated Balance Sheets**

As of March 31, 2008 and 2007

	Million	Millions of yen		
SUZUKI MOTOR CORPORATION	2008	2007	2008	
ASSETS				
Current assets:				
Cash and time deposits	¥ 48,758	¥ 55,375	\$ 486,658	
Marketable securities	217,110	199,988	2,166,987	
Receivables:				
Trade notes and accounts	80,887	72,632	807,344	
Subsidiaries and affiliates	106,278	120,399	1,060,772	
Less allowance for doubtful receivables	(72)	(72)	(718)	
Inventories	118,850	109,117	1,186,250	
Other current assets	187,034	200,563	1,866,797	
Total current assets	758,848	758,005	7,574,092	
Property, plant and equipment:	80,654	77,327	805,014	
Buildings and structures		183,922	1,860,296	
Machinery and equipment		601,042	6,448,046	
Construction in progress		11,837	209,852	
	934,092	874,130	9,323,210	
Less accumulated depreciation	(717,503)	(659,022)	(7,161,426)	
Total property, plant and equipment	216,589	215,108	2,161,784	
nvestments and other assets:				
Investments in securities	123,926	144,903	1,236,912	
Investments in subsidiaries				
and affiliates	217,474	180,441	2,170,622	
Other assets	113,249	83,431	1,130,350	
Total investments and other assets	454,650	408,776	4,537,885	
Total assets	¥1,430,088	¥1,381,889	\$14,273,761	

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars	
	2008	2007	2008	
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS				
Current liabilities:				
Short-term bank loans	¥ 21,000	¥ 21,000	\$ 209,601	
Payables:				
Trade notes and accounts	479,694	451,942	4,787,843	
Subsidiaries and affiliates	27,013	29,315	269,621	
Accrued expenses	100,022	88,967	998,323	
Accrued income taxes	15,529	24,256	155,001	
Other current liabilities	96,893	112,104	967,094	
Total current liabilities	740,152	727,586	7,387,486	
_ong-term liabilities:				
Long-term debt	195,611	179,921	1,952,404	
Reserve for retirement allowance	21,820	24,594	217,791	
Other liabilities	19,129	20,056	190,936	
Total long-term liabilities	236,561	224,572	2,361,132	
Total liabilities	976,714	952,158	9,748,619	
Net Assets:				
Shareholders' equity:				
Common stock:				
Authorized - 1,500,000,000 shares				
Issued,				
as of March 31, 2008 - 542,647,091	120,210		1,199,823	
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Capital surplus	138,143	138,199	1,378,815	
Retained earnings	391,063	357,414	3,903,218	
Treasury stock	(219,471)	(219,848)	(2,190,550	
Total shareholders' equity	429,946	395,976	4,291,306	
Valuation and translation adjustments:				
Net unrealized gains on security	13,861	33,858	138,354	
Deferred gains and losses on hedges	9,566	(103)	95,481	
Total valuation and translation adjustments	23,427	33,754	233,835	
Total net assets	¥ 453,374	429,730	\$ 4,525,142	
Total liabilities and net assets	¥1,430,088	1,381,889	\$14,273,761	

# Non-Consolidated Statements of Income

Years ended March 31, 2008 and 2007

SUZUKI MOTOR CORPORATION	Millio	Thousands of U.S. dollars	
	2008	2007	2008
Net sales	¥2,031,639	¥1,939,806	\$20,277,867
Cost of sales	1,592,729	1,542,814	15,897,087
Gross profit	438,910	396,992	4,380,779
Selling, general and administrative expenses	371,493	341,293	3,707,891
Operating income	67,416	55,698	672,888
Other income and expenses:			
Interest and dividend income	-,	7,871	98,275
Interest expense	· · · ·	. ,	(6,154)
Other, net	(-)/		(138,934)
	(4,690)	6,264	(46,813)
Income before income taxes	62,726	61,963	626,075
Income taxes	21,862	18,909	218,205
	¥ 40,864	¥ 43,054	\$ 407,869

-	Yen		U.S. dollars
Net income per share:			
Primary	¥90.60	¥97.23	\$ 0.904
Fully diluted	79.39	86.91	0.792
Cash dividends per share	16.00	14.00	0.160



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