

# Q4/FY2013 (54th) Results Briefing

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# **RYOYO ELECTRO CORPORATION**

(Tokyo Stock Exchange - 8068)

http://www.ryoyo.co.jp

#### **Overview**



Date of establishment : February 27, 1961

Capital : 13,672 million yen

#### Represented by :

Kenhachiro Ogawa – Chairman &CEO Takayoshi Oouchi – President & COO

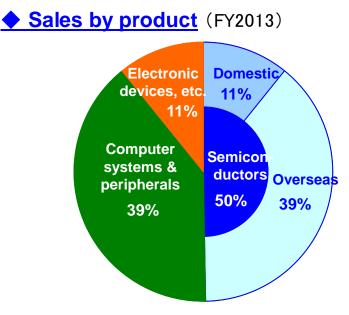
Number of employees (As of January 31, 2014) : Consolidated: 513, Whole Group: 602

#### Business areas :

- Sales of semiconductors / devices
- Sales of ICT products (HW / SW)
- Sales of embedded devices
- Various engineering support
- Various services

#### ◆ ISO 9001 / 14001 / 27001 :

All offices and subsidiaries in Japan (excluding Takasaki satellite office)



#### Domestic network :

Sendai, Koriyama, Matsumoto, Takasaki, Omiya, Hachioji, Yokohama, Kyoto, Osaka, Fukuoka

#### ♦ Overseas network :

Dalian, Shanghai, Shenzhen, Hong Kong, Taipei, Bangkok, Kuala Lumpur, Singapore, U.S.

#### Domestic subsidiaries :

Ryoyo Semicon, Ryoyo Security Service



# **FY2013 Business results**



#### Japanese economy

 Following the recovery of the US economy, the bottoming out of the EU economy, and the economic policy of the Japanese government, a sign of improvements in export/production trends has been seen.

#### Electronics industry

- The consumer product industry, mainly digital consumer electronics, has being suffered decline in demand as well as structural slump due to price drop; and
- The industrial segment has being recovered, especially for PC-related products, demands for which has being gone up in conjunction with the end of support for Windows XP in the second half of the year (special demand).

#### IT industry

- Investments by enterprises in IT, especially infrastructure, have remained stable; and
- Competition has become fierce increasingly, following a drop of prices and the shift to cloud computing.



Recovered sales in both semiconductors and computer system, as a result of which profit also went up significantly. A sharp rise in sales of Q4 contributed to the better results than the plan.

(Unit: 100 million yen, %)							
	FY2012 (Actual)	FY2013 (Plan) (Actual)		YoY	Diff from plan	Comments	
Sales	872	920	979	+12.3%	+6.4%	Exceeding the previous year in both semiconductors and computer systems, and higher than the plan, supported a sharp rise in Q4	
Grpss profit	73.7	82.0	82.8	+12.3%	+1.0%	The progressing depreciation of yen brought the benefit in H1, but the ratio of large-scale orders became higher in H2, as a result of which, the gross profit rate remains the same level	
(%)	8.5%	8.9%	8.5%			as the previous year. On an amount basis, higher sales contributed to a considerable rise in profit	
SG&A	66.5	66.0	66.3	(0.4%)	_	Ended with the almost same level as the previous year	
Operating income	7.2	16.0	16.5	+128.7%	+3.2%	Achieved the doubled amount compared to the previous year,	
(%)	0.8%	1.7%	1.7%			supported by a rise in sales	
Non-operating income	1.9	2.5	4.3	+127.0%	+70.3%	Increasing investment gains	
Ordinary income	9.1	18.5	20.8	+128.3%	+12.3%		
(%)	1.0%	2.0%	2.1%				
Extraordinary income	0.0	0.2	0.2		+2.3%		
Income before income taxes	9.1	18.7	21.0	+130.6%	+12.2%		
Income taxes	4.9	7.2	7.6	+55.4%	+4.9%	Reduced tax burdens (lower tax rate)	
Net profit	4.2	11.5	13.4	+216.8%	+16.8%		
(%)	0.5%	1.3%	1.4%				
EPS(Yen)	16.41	44.53	52.17				

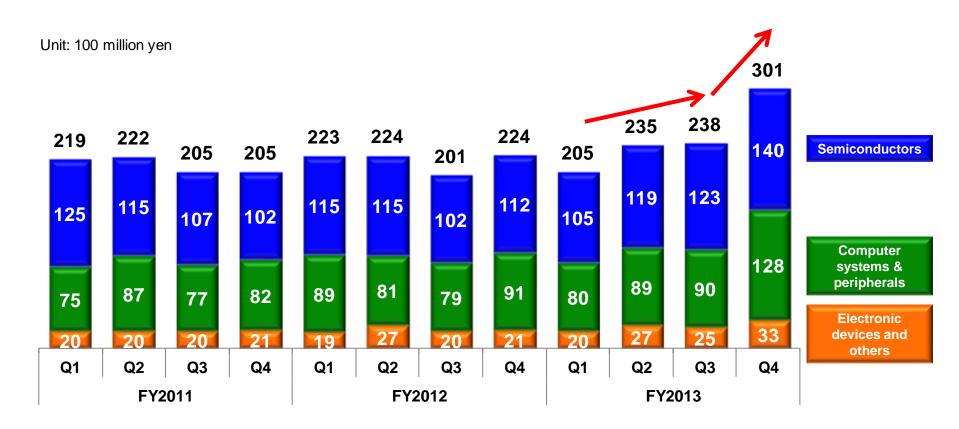
## Sales by segment: Sales increase in all segments



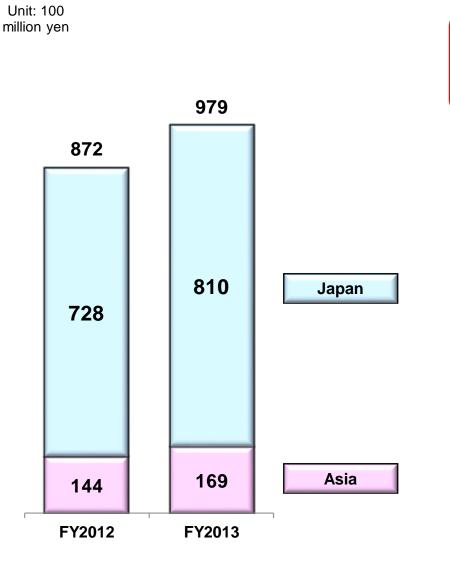
	(Unit: 100 million yen, %)						
		FY2012			YoY	Comments	
		(Actual) 872	(Plan)	(Actual)			
	Total		920	979	+12.3%		
	Semiconductors (By application)	444	465	487	+9.6%		
	Communications	53	46	49	(7.8%)	Decline in products for high-frequency products for cellular phones	
	Digital consumer electronics & Other home electronics	64	65	67	+4.9%	Products for TVs and Blu-ray are still in a slump, but those for game machines are improving	
	Vehicle installations	53	60	64	+21.1%	Higher than the previous year for both electronic parts and car electronics	
	PC & peripherals	147	134	150	+1.6%	PCs for personal use is still in a slump, but special demands immediately before the end of support for Windows XP is currently contributing	
	Industrials & others	127	160	157	+23.5%	Recovering since Q2 and continuously stable in H2	
	Computer systems & peripherals (By product)	340	360	386	+13.5%		
	PC/Server/LAN	130	150	155	+19.1%	Ended with the higher results than both the previous year and the plan, contributed by commitments to large-scale orders	
	I/O equipment	67	65	67	(0.5%)	No significant fluctuation from the previous year	
	Software/ embedded devices	143	145	164	+14.9%	Rise in software for PCs and embedded devices	
	Electronic devices, etc. (By supplier)	87	95	106	+21.4%		
	Domestic	58	65	70	+21.3%	For LC, continuously demonstrating stable sales for industrial purposes, a new order for communications (smart phones) has also started	
	Overseas	29	30	35	+21.5%	End of a spot order contributing to sales in the previous year, but a rise in LC for communications	

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In Q4/FY2013 (Nov 2013 - Jan 2014), achieved the highest sales for the last 3 years in all products. For semiconductors, sales went up in those for industrial purposes as well as for PCs supported by the special demand. For computer systems & peripherals, more orders for large system contributed.







Japan: +11.2% over the previous year Asia: +17.5% over the previous year

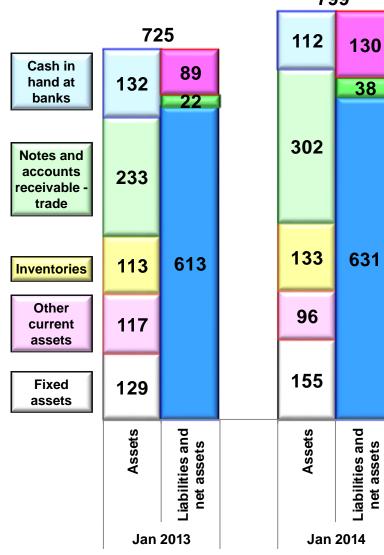
#### Japan:

For semiconductors, on the increasing trend, supported by stable sales for industrial devices as well the special demand for those for PCs. For computer systems & peripherals, a significant rise in IT products (e.g. servers).

Asia (Singapore, Hong Kong, Shanghai): Higher than the previous year, supported by new orders for LC for communication devices as well as stable sales in semiconductors for game machines and industrial devices.



Unit: 100 million yen



799 Notes and accounts payable trade Other liabilities  $\succ$ Net assets > $\succ$ 

Continue to maintain the healthy financial condition, in spite of larger operating funds required following a rise in sales

Notes and accounts receivable/payable – trade and inventories: Increased in conjunction with a recent sales growth

#### Fixed assets:

Increase in investment securities

#### Net assets:

Increase in foreign currency translation adjustment



# FY2014 Business plan

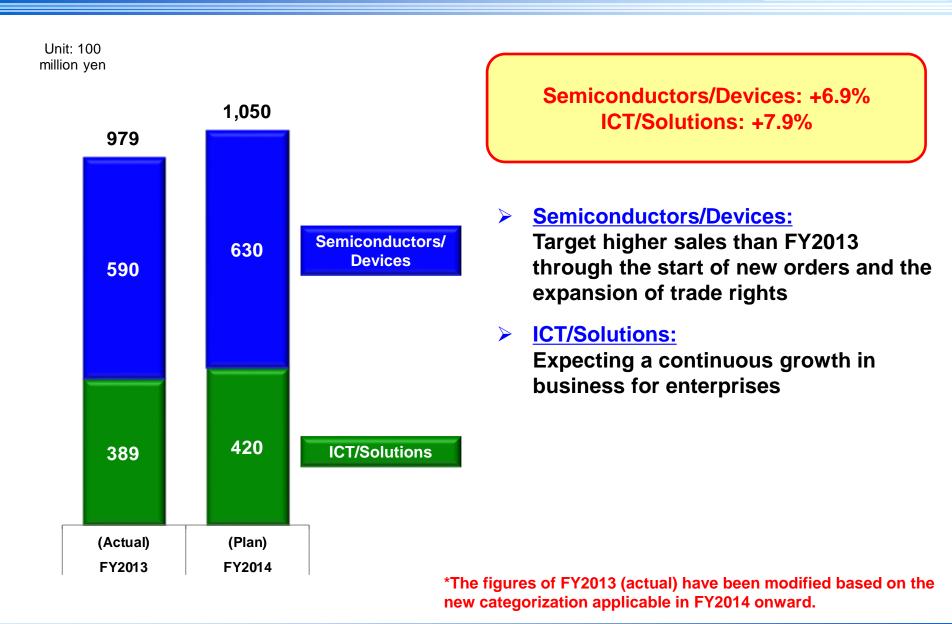


#### Continuous increase in both sales and profit Sales: 105 billion yen (+7.3%), Operating income: 2.2 billion yen (+33.2%)

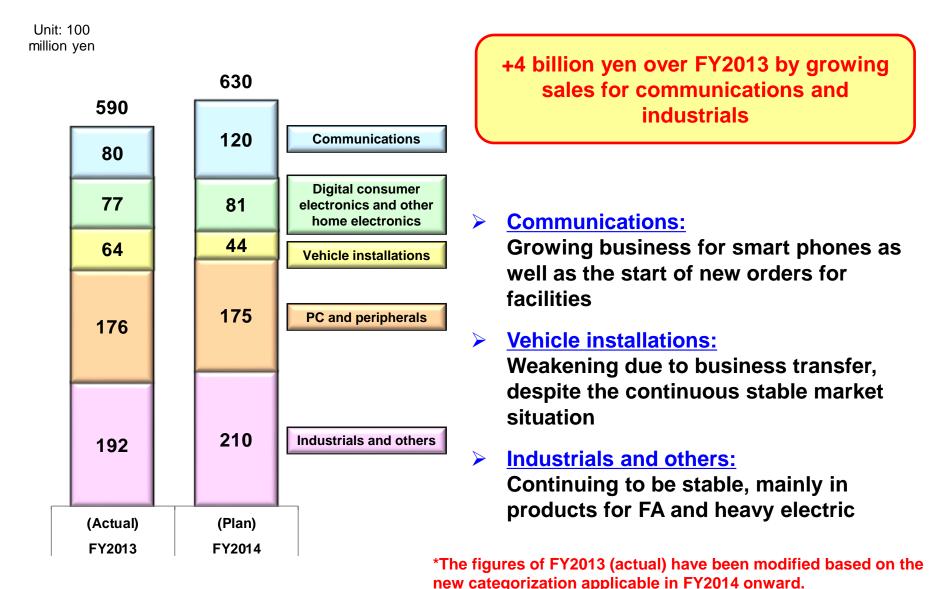
(Unit: 100 million yen)

	FY2013	F	Y2014(Plan)	)	
	(Actual)	H1	H2	Total	ΥοΥ
Sales	979	515	535	1,050	+7.3%
Gross Profit	82.8	45.5	48.5	94.0	+13.5%
(%)	8.5%	8.8%	9.1%	9.0%	
SG&A	66.3	35.5	36.5	72.0	+8.6%
Operating income	16.5	10.0	12.0	22.0	+33.2%
(%)	1.7%	1.9%	2.2%	2.1%	
Non-operating income	4.3	1.5	1.5	3.0	(29.5%)
Ordinary income	20.8	11.5	13.5	25.0	+20.3%
(%)	2.1%	2.2%	2.5%	2.4%	
Extraordinary income	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	_
Income before income taxes	21.0	11.5	13.5	25.0	+19.2%
Income taxes	7.6	4.5	5.5	10.0	+32.4%
Net profit	13.4	7.0	8.0	15.0	+11.7%
(%)	1.4%	1.4%	1.5%	1.4%	
EPS(Yen)	52.17	27.75	31.71	59.46	

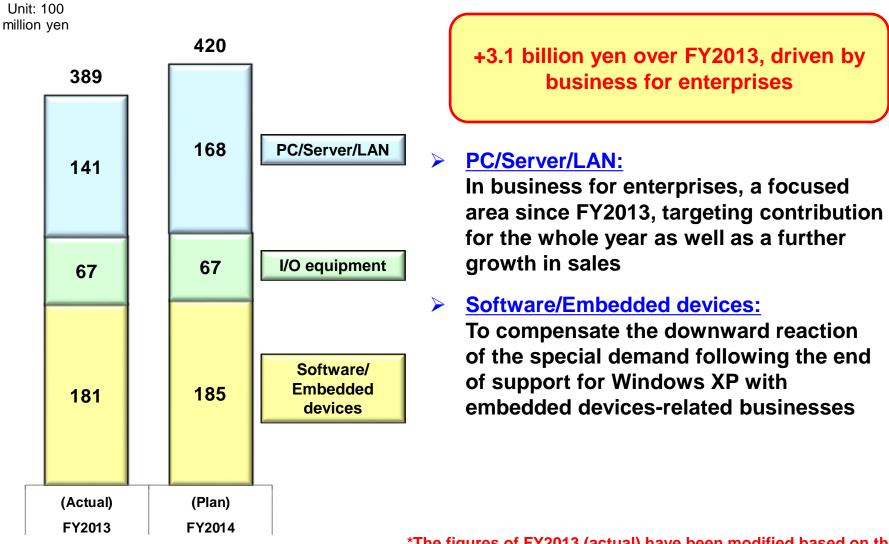












\*The figures of FY2013 (actual) have been modified based on the new categorization applicable in FY2014 onward.



# Return to shareholders:

		Di	vidend per sha	Payout ratio	Share	
		Interim	Year-end Total		rayourratio	repurchase
FY2014	Estimate	15 yen	15 yen	30 yen	50.5%	Unknown
FY2013	Estimate		15 yen	30 yen	57.5%	
F12013	Actual	15 yen				600K shares
FY2012	Actual	15 yen	15 yen	30 yen	182.8%	—

#### Dividend policy:

Allocation of profit earning through our business activity is one of our most important matters. While we seek to maintain the stable management base and expand business, we also seek a return for shareholders based on our financial condition and business performance.

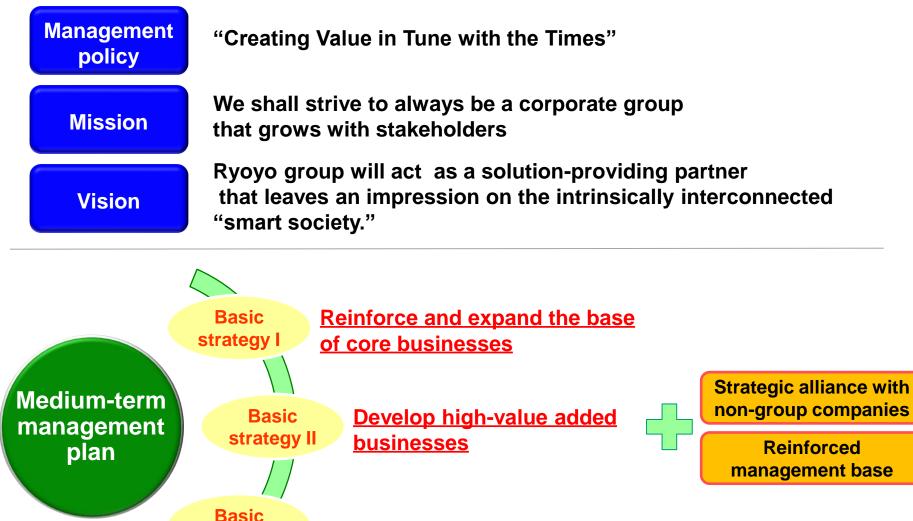
We will maintain the current dividend level (30 yen per share per year) for a few years ahead, which will be reviewed in accordance with the profit level on a medium-term basis.



# Medium-term management plan

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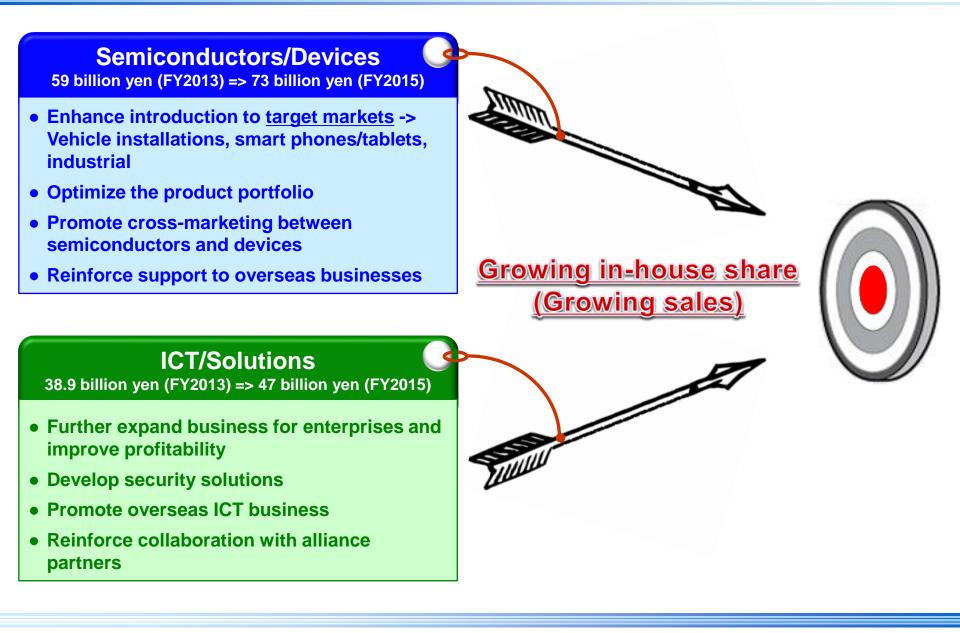




Accelerate global strategies

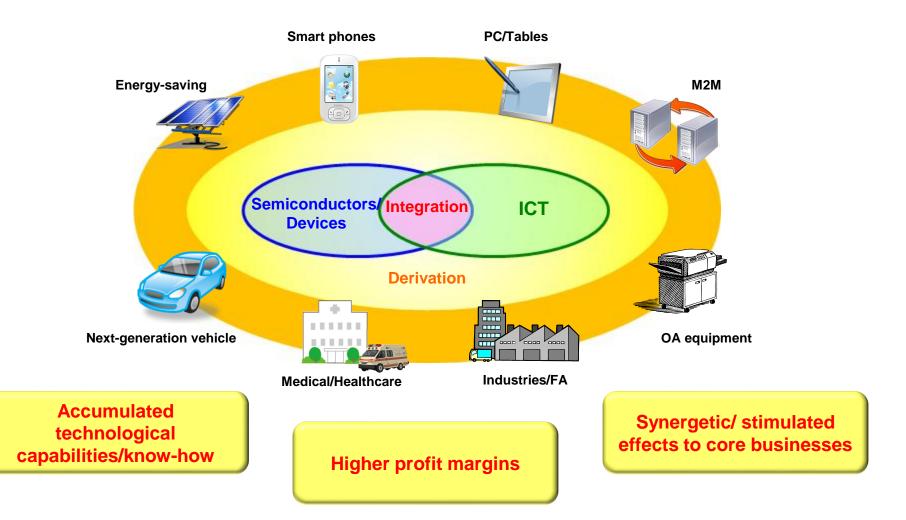
Change, Challenge, Speed





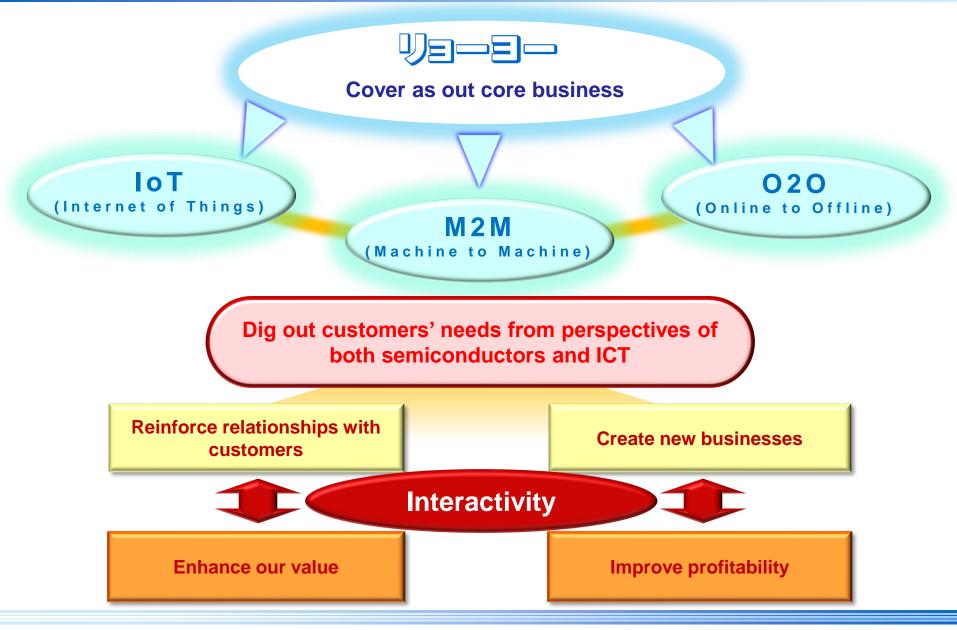


#### We can create new business opportunities by integrating our strengths and delivering them to the interconnected "smart society"



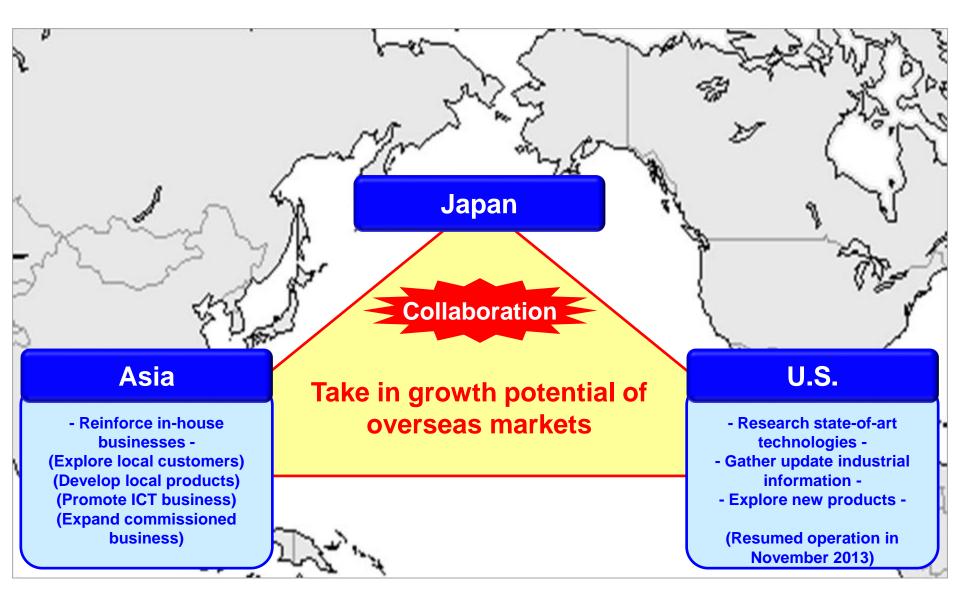
#### **Basic strategy II: Develop high-value added businesses (cont'd)**





#### **Basic strategy III: Accelerate global strategies**





## FY2015 Targets



# Set a roadmap to achieve sustainable growth through the medium-term management plan

Speed

	FY2013 (Actual)	FY2014 (Plan)	FY2015 (Plan)
Sales	97.9 billion yen	105 billion yen	120 billion yen
Operating income	1.65 billion yen	2.2 billion yen	4 billion yen
Ordinary income	2.08 billion yen	2.5 billion yen	4.3 billion yen
Net profit	1.34 billion yen	1.5 billion yen	2.6 billion yen
ROE*	2.2%	2.4%	4.1%

\*The ROEs of FY2014 and FY2015 are estimate.





# <FY2013 Business results>

- Higher sales and profit than the previous year, and exceeding the plan (announced on August 26)
- Improving sales since H2 in both semiconductors and computer systems.

# <FY2014 Business plan>

- The overall order situation is currently good, and focusing on improvement of profitability
- Targeting 105 billion yen of sales and 2.2 billion yen of operating income (higher sales and profit)

#### <Medium-term management plan>

- Promote three basic strategies with the vision of "Ryoyo group will act as a solution-providing partner that leaves an impression on the intrinsically interconnected "smart society"
- FY2015 Targets:
  - Sales: 120 billion yen, Operating profit: 4 billion yen
  - Higher ROE by making the best of funds



# • <u>Notice</u>

The business forecast and other forecasts contained in this report are based on certain assumptions, which we deemed reasonable at the time of release, and the actual results may differ due to the economic environment or various other factors.

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