

KAWASAKI HEAVY INDUSTRIES, LTD.

Profile

Founded in 1878, Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd. (KHI) is a leading comprehensive manufacturer of transportation equipment and industrial goods in the world. With a broad technological base that encompasses land, sea and air, KHI manufactures ships, rolling stock, aircraft and jet engines, refuse incinerators, industrial plants, steel structures and various manufacturing equipment and systems. KHI also produces such world-famous consumer products as Kawasaki brand motorcycles and Jet Ski® personal watercraft.

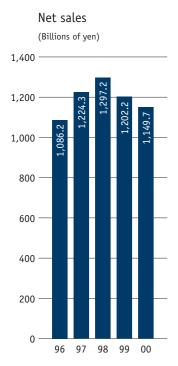
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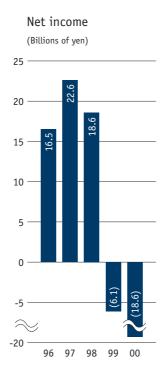
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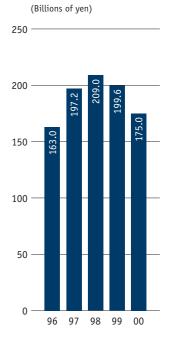
Financial Highlights
Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd. and consolidated subsidiaries
Years ended March 31, 2000, 1999 and 1998

	Millions of yen			Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2000	1999	1998	2000
For the year:				
Net sales	¥ 1,149,698	¥ 1,202,189	¥ 1,297,212	\$10,830,881
Net income (loss)	(18,632)	(6,132)	18,556	(175,525)
Capital expenditure	37,513	40,428	42,928	353,396
Depreciation and amortization	35,081	34,607	32,416	330,485
At year-end:				
Total assets	1,206,806	1,204,857	1,222,906	11,368,874
Total shareholders' equity	174,955	199,637	209,040	1,648,187
Interest-bearing debt	486,350	447,028	437,387	4,581,724
Per share amounts (yen and U.S. dollars):				
Net income (loss)	¥ (13.4)	¥ (4.4)	¥ 13.3	\$ (0.13)
Cash dividends	_	6.0	6.0	

 $Note: The \ U.S. \ dollar \ amounts \ represent \ arithmetical \ results \ of \ translating \ Japanese \ yen \ to \ dollars \ on \ the \ basis \ of \ $106.15=$1$, the \ rate \ prevailing \ as \ of \ March \ 31,2000.$ These translations are solely for the convenience of the readers.







Total shareholders' equity

To Our Shareholders

Amid harsh business conditions caused by a prolonged recession in Japan and the delayed recovery of other Asian economies, we focused on finding new opportunities for our products in Western markets, where growth was robust. Alongside this, we made further progress in radically lowering our cost base to improve earnings across our entire business.

For the fiscal year ended March 31, 2000 (fiscal 2000), sales of the Consumer Products segment were up slightly from the previous year, increasing 2.6% to ¥277.2 billion. However, sales fell in Transportation Equipment, Aerospace, Industrial Equipment and Other. As a result, total net sales declined 4.4% to ¥1,149.7 billion. Operating income slumped ¥20.4 billion, or 94.2%, to ¥1.3 billion, and the net loss for the year widened to ¥18.6 billion.

Sales fell in the face of a persistent economic downturn in Japan and slow growth throughout the rest of Asia. The strong yen compounded these problems. In terms of profits, margins declined substantially in our industrial equipment business. Another principal reason for our weaker performance were extraordinary losses including a write down of securities and prior period retirement allowances regarding designated subsidiaries.

In view of these losses, we elected not to pay a dividend for the fiscal year ended March 2000. We hope that our shareholders will understand and appreciate our position on this issue.

Owing to a sluggish pace of recovery, demand in the Japanese and other Asian markets remains depressed. The resulting intense competition is likely to cause ongoing erosion of selling prices. Combined with uncertainties over currency movements in foreign exchange markets and growing concerns about an economic slowdown in the United States, we expect general business conditions to remain harsh.

It is therefore imperative that we face and overcome these difficulties so that we can survive and continue to grow as a globally competitive company. Accordingly, we must reassess and reorganize our business as quickly as possible. To do so, we need to implement a raft of structural reforms so that we can shift to a mix of technologically advanced, high-value-added businesses—and, in the process, win the approval of capital markets.

Accordingly, we have designated the fiscal year ending March 2001 as a year of structural business reform. In the near-term, in addition to undertaking a radical review of our business structures, we plan to rapidly implement a series of measures designed to reduce our fixed cost base and thereby lower our break-even point.

Fundamentally, on a mid- to long-term basis, our primary objective is to strengthen our core businesses. In addition, we will undertake a comprehensive review of our shipbuilding operations targeting international competitiveness. In our industrial equipment business, which is afflicted by a combination of slumping demand and falling selling prices, we will selectively focus on, and direct resources toward, specific areas that are profitable as well as demonstrate future growth potential. Moreover, within this segment, we will reevaluate the production process, including the integration of facilities and other improvement measures.

We ask our shareholders for their continued support and understanding as we take on these important challenges.

July 2000

Masamoto Tazaki

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President

KHI President
Masamoto Tazaki
speaks frankly about
the critical need for
change to ensure
the future.



Having taken up your new appointment as president, how do you intend to manage KHI during these difficult times?

I have always regarded adversity as a positive advantage point when managing—difficulties need to be tackled with passion, energy and a spirit of challenge. My attitude is that, by tackling such obstacles, we can grasp an ideal opportunity to capture the lead over our competitors. In this way, I intend to take over at the helm of KHI with this same strong sense of determination.

Today's business environment is characterized by huge changes that are rapidly transforming the structure of our economy and society—indeed, you could say that we are at an historic turning point. We are in an age where the axiom "survival of the fittest" applies particularly strongly. Only those who force their own evolution to change will survive. At such a turning point, using the basic policy of enhancing customer satisfaction as embraced by our consumer products business as an example, we must revolutionize our thinking along these lines to grow as a company over the coming decades.

Traditionally, our portfolio includes an enormous number of products that are made to order, such as industrial plants, wherein cost reduction is necessarily a perennial issue. However, if we are to boost earnings and thrive during this era of mega-competition, we must move beyond conventional thinking of simply taking orders for custom-made products, and then seeking efficient ways to reduce costs.

As I mentioned above, in the consumer products business, raising customer satisfaction is a core concept. Even with those businesses that characteristically involve made-to-order products, we must work to assess customer needs, and then deliver "something different" that sets us apart from the competition at a price that creates value both for us as a company and for the customer. Through such value-added, differentiated products, I believe that we can increase customer satisfaction while generating profits. We also need to realize that raising customer satisfaction is as much about the development of technologies that will give our products a competitive edge as it is about after-sales service, or the total cost and performance over the life cycle of respective products.

Around the world, the Kawasaki brand name has a well-established image for high quality, high performance, and good service—especially in sports motorbikes. I want to transfer the benefits of that brand image to all our company's products. If we raise customer satisfaction and build up the Kawasaki brand image for all our operations, this will in turn enable us to realize the optimum means in truly creating something different.

The consumer products business also has another important asset that sets KHI apart from other firms—namely a marketing, production, sales, distribution and service network that spans the globe. In promoting globalization and efficiency across all business lines, from now, I want us to make increased use of this network, particularly in relation to our mass-produced industrial items.







What issues will be important during the coming year of business reform?

Above all, we need to put an end to the losses that have afflicted us for two years' running. We must stage a significant recovery in earnings. I have designated the coming year as one of business reform primarily to emphasize a fundamental shift in our management approach. Instead of pursuing volume, we need to pursue quality, namely a higher rate of earnings. Further, we need to build businesses that can produce strong profit levels without being contingent on scale.

Last year, we formulated a medium-term business plan that would take us through to the end of March 2004. Under the current business conditions, we must also switch the focus of this plan from quantity to quality on a clearly defined basis. I plan to complete the review of this process by the end of this year. However, as a first step in the practical implementation of this transition, we will be significantly reducing our fixed cost base through greater selectivity and focus. This will involve the integration of manufacturing plants and other measures to streamline our operations, principally in our plant engineering and steel structures businesses. My aim is to drastically lower our break-even point through such actions.

As a separate course of action, I also want to institute a much more rigorous internal evaluation system with regard to effectively managing the profitability of long-term and large-scale contracts. In reviewing KHI's performance over the past two years, losses incurred on major orders in the rolling stock and plant engineering divisions had a significant impact on our profitability. From now, we must be much more selective regarding respective projects in ensuring comprehensive analyses and avoidance of order-related contractual risks.

In your view, what conditions do KHI's core businesses need to fulfill?

I believe there are three conditions. First, the products must be highly competitive. This is fundamental for a manufacturer: unless the products enjoy a superior position in world markets in terms of their competitiveness on technical, sales and service fronts, they cannot be considered a core business. Second is the

scale of operations. To develop a business on a global scale, I think it needs to have a turnover of at least \$1 billion. Third, the market needs to be large and stable, or have high potential.

Judged on these criteria, KHI currently has five businesses that qualify as being core: rolling stock, aerospace, gas turbines, environmental plant and related products, and consumer products. We will invest in these five areas selectively and shift the focus of management resources accordingly.

First of all, we are well positioned to expand our rolling stock business. Although revenues have not grown to the scale I just mentioned, we can leverage our position as a leading and highly regarded rolling stock manufacturer, in supplying markets in the United States and Asia, which demonstrate a substantial growth potential.

Next, aerospace fully satisfies the criteria for being a core business. We rank among the top makers of aircraft in Japan, and we have immense technical expertise in this field. In addition, there are high barriers to entry by new competitors, a stable demand in the defense industry, and considerable growth potential in the commercial aviation sector.

Gas turbines represents another field with the potential to grow into a core business. Although KHI's business for gas turbines is currently small in scale, further expansion is anticipated supported by the overall growth of the jet engine business. Increased demand is also expected for gas turbine generators, which we have developed capitalizing on original KHI technologies.

Additionally, environmental plant and related products is an area with tremendous opportunities in the future. At the moment, we are predominantly a manufacturer of municipal refuse incinerators, but in the future I want us to apply our accumulated engineering technical expertise in other businesses to this sector.

Finally, in consumer products, we rank among the four main world manufacturers of motorcycles. We are especially strong in the premium and sports motorbike classes. Having developed our business in Western markets, we see a lot of room for growth by developing our position in the expanding Asian market.





What is KHI's financial strategy?

In the short term, we need to return to the black and repair our balance sheet as a matter of urgency. However, I see my ultimate mission as senior management as the creation of enterprise value. Previously, I was talking about customer satisfaction. In the same vein, the most important product for me as a representative of top management is KHI stock, and the customers for that stock are KHI shareholders. So it is vital that we work to raise the satisfaction of these customers by maximizing enterprise value.

Specifically, if we are to survive and thrive over the coming decades, we must revitalize our operations by selectively investing our finite resources to the maximum effect. This involves becoming better versed in the thinking that we first introduced last year, when we started using return on invested capital as a key management indicator. It is vital that we begin to use our capital more efficiently than we have in the past.

It is also crucial that we gain the confidence of shareholders and investors in how we will generate earnings growth. For this reason, we must increase disclosure and accountability to shareholders in all aspects of our business performance, policies and strategy. This means building trust and boosting transparency.

Lastly, making a profit for our owners must be a foremost priority. I firmly believe that it is important to satisfy all our stakeholders. If we maximize enterprise value, then we can achieve objectives in this respect as well.

Where do you want the KHI Group to be in, say, five years' time?

As a comprehensive heavy industries manufacturer, we benefit from the fact that cyclical variations in the earnings of our various businesses tend to complement each other. Through our varied product and customer mix, we can achieve a good balance between the private and public sectors, and between domestic and overseas markets. This makes it easier to manage the effects of fluctuations in exchange rates, public investment levels, and the state of the domestic economy. As well as financial synergy between the various parts of the

business, we also derive operational synergy from a combination of the technological, manufacturing and sales expertise in each business. Finally, the high loyalty, transferability and quality of our employees afford us great versatility in combining the efforts of our various divisions.

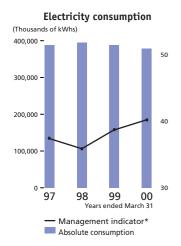
I believe that these are our fundamental strengths as a company. Through the policies I am proposing, we can take full advantage of such assets, by rebuilding our business model and developing multiple core businesses to provide stable revenue streams with growth potential. Once each business is able to operate as a financially independent entity, we will seek to further optimize the KHI Group management structure through consideration of such options as the establishment of separate companies, an internal company system, or a holding company structure. Regardless of such measures, we will endeavor to retain the aforementioned synergy-generating features.

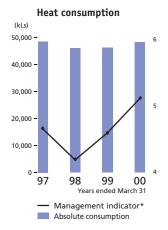
My personal management philosophy is based on the concept of sustainable growth. By reforming our business and management structures along the lines I have discussed, and by applying our wholehearted efforts to the task, I believe we can make this company prosper again. I hope our shareholders will lend us their support.



Concern for the Environment

Fiscal 2000 was the final year of the second three-year stage of KHI's environmental protection activities plan (EPAP). The primary focus during the year was to finalize the establishment and implementation of internal environmental management systems (EMS).





for the company's environmental protection activities. To guide companywide progress on tackling environmental problems, a new Environmental Management Department was created in April 1999, while the KHI Environmental Charter was formulated in August. By establishing multiple goals in connection with its environmental protection program and pursuing the achievement of these objectives, KHI aims to make its operations more eco-friendly, while also contributing to the realization of a recycling-oriented society that is able to coexist in harmony with the environment.

Alongside these measures, KHI established the fundamental concepts and policies as a framework

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS SET-UP

Within the scope of its global operations, KHI strives to be a positive contributor to the process of protecting the environment. The company aims not only to solve environmental problems, but also to help develop a truly eco-friendly and recycling-oriented society. By harmonizing its operations with the environment, and by developing technology and products that can help protect and preserve the environment, KHI hopes to contribute to the sustainable development of society. To realize these aims, KHI has been developing and implementing a range of practical environmental protection activities since 1994, when the company initiated the first stage of EPAP.

As previously noted, fiscal 2000 marked the final year of the second, three-year stage of EPAP, which began in April 1997. The principal objective of this stage was to construct EMS based on ISO14001 standards that would underpin KHI's environmental protection activities, and to gain ISO14001 certification for them.

The activities undertaken in fiscal 2000 tackled this challenge on a number of fronts. First, KHI's basic EMS structure was completed during the year.

Under the current EMS, the Corporate Environment Committee promotes the environmental protection activities for the entire company. The Committee, being chaired by the board director in charge of KHI's overall environmental protection activities, plans and evaluates EPAP.

At the divisional level, the heads of each division are charged with the responsibility of implementing the division's environmental protection activities. They chair Divisional Environment Committees, which formulate divisional activities plans in line with EPAP, and oversee divisional activities. Each division is taking active measures to reduce the environmental impact of KHI's activities through reviewing its total business processes as a manufacturer–from R&D through to design, purchasing, manufacturing, distribution, use and disposal of its products.

Second, three divisions of KHI gained ISO14001 certification during fiscal 2000–namely, the Steel Structure & Industrial Equipment, the Gas Turbines, and the Consumer Products & Machinery. This brought the total number of KHI divisions that have gained ISO14001 certification to five, out of thirteen.

Third, in line with the establishment of the company's EMS, the KHI Environmental Charter was formulated in August 1999. This states the fundamental concept underlying the company's stance on the environment and outlines basic policies.

^{*}Management indicator = absolute consumption (emission) volume/(non-consolidated sales (¥ billion) x10)

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION PERFORMANCE INDICATORS & COSTS

Energy-saving measures are a prime focus of KHI's environmental protection program. The company has drawn up several numerical energy-saving targets, using energy consumption per unit of non-consolidated sales as the corresponding management performance indicator. The performance targets set for fiscal 2000 were 1% reductions in the corresponding management indicators. However, primarily due to the 6.2% fall in non-consolidated sales during fiscal 2000 compared with the previous year, actual performance indicators of electricity, water and heat rose 4.0%, 5.2% and 11.2%, respectively. During fiscal 2000, absolute consumption of electricity, water and heat recorded decreases of 2.4% and 1.3%, and an increase of 4.3%, respectively, compared to the previous fiscal year. This led to a reduction in total energy costs in absolute terms of ¥132 million.

KHI is also working to conserve resources by reducing waste product volume produced by all its operations, and through a variety of companywide recycling programs. During fiscal 2000, the total amount of waste product volume was reduced by 3,204 tons, or 4.3%, to 71,922 tons. At 48,095 tons, the total volume of materials recycled was on a par with the previous year. The proportion of the waste product volume accounted for by recycling thus rose by 2.2 percentage points, to 66.9%.

KHI is managing its use of chemicals to exercise greater control over their effects on the environment. Since 1997, the company has been voluntarily recording the amounts being handled of 178 separate chemical substances. This is in line with the Pollutant Release & Transfer Register (PRTR) system, which is scheduled to become mandatory following the enactment of Japanese legislation in April 2001. This system governs the release of specified chemical substances into the environment and any improvements made to the handling of such processes.

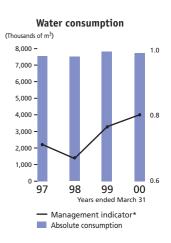
In compliance with the PRTR system, each KHI division keeps precise records of the amounts of these 178 chemicals that are purchased, used, discharged, or transferred. The two chemicals that have the greatest usage in volume terms within the company are xylene and toluene, which are used in paints and other coatings. In the future, KHI plans to switch to more eco-friendly paints.

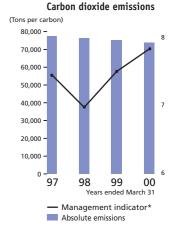
The total cost of KHI's environmental protection measures during fiscal 2000 amounted to \$7,772 million. This figure included environmental R&D costs of \$6,100 million, calculated on an accrual base. As a proportion of non-consolidated sales, environmental costs rose 0.05 percentage point to 0.82%.

In November 1999, to improve disclosure of such actions in response to the demands of society, KHI issued its first environmental report. The company also created a special environmental section within its corporate home page.

MAKING BUSINESS MORE ECO-FRIENDLY

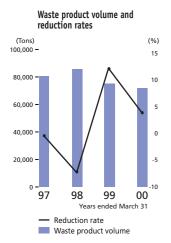
Modern society has changed immensely in economic terms, and now is much more highly focused on environmental concerns. In other words, the era of a society centered on the economics of mass production, mass consumption and mass disposal is at an end. In its place, the focus has shifted to making the most efficient use of resources over the life cycle

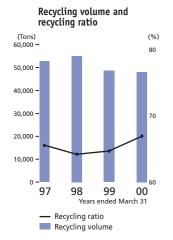




Concern for the Environment

Against this backdrop, KHI has formulated the third three-year stage of EPAP, which will cover the period ending in March 2003.





of a product, from production through distribution, consumption and disposal. Within this context, the aim is to make society more oriented towards the recycling of all resources, thereby reducing the impact of economic activity on the environment. In Japan, legislation was passed in May 2000 based on this concept.

Against this backdrop, KHI has formulated the third three-year stage of EPAP, which will cover the period ending in March 2003. Based on the concepts and policies stated in KHI's Environmental Charter and on the company's EMS, this plan aims to establish an eco-friendly means of conducting business throughout the company. Specifically, the plan mandates KHI to make continuous progress on the following matters.

- Development of environmental protection measures on a companywide basis
- Compliance with environmental legislation and regulations
- Programs addressing global warming countermeasures
- Implementation of green purchasing
- Development of eco-friendly products
- Implementation of environmental performance evaluations
- Fuller disclosure of environmental actions via issuance of reports
- Implementation of environmental accounting

Green purchasing is one of the new initiatives in the third stage of KHI's EPAP. The company's green purchasing program will place environmental concerns alongside such traditional purchasing criteria as quality, cost and delivery lead time, with the idea being to give priority to the procurement of products and materials that reduce environmental impact as much as possible.

In assessing environmental impact, KHI will analyze and select purchased products over their entire life cycle, from raw material sourcing to final disposal. When suppliers are equivalent in terms of quality, cost and delivery, priority will be given to those that are more eco-friendly. To make such judgments, KHI will source environmental information on products from all of its suppliers.

In product development, KHI plans to introduce the use of Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) methodology to help design products that are kinder to the environment. As well as ensuring that products use and emit smaller quantities of environmental pollutants, conserve resources, save energy, and make use of sustainable resources, this process will help design products that can be used over a long period, and that are made out of recycled, reusable or recyclable materials. In addition, products will be designed for ease of disposal or ease of processing for recycling. During fiscal 2001, ahead of the introduction of LCA methodology, KHI aims to establish product environmental assessment methods.

As part of the third stage of the company's EPAP, KHI also plans to introduce environmental performance evaluations and environmental accounting. The former will be conducted via annual internal environmental audits by division. During fiscal 2001, KHI aims to introduce this practice throughout its operations. The environmental accounting system will be used to determine the precise costs and effects of environmental protection measures at divisional level. During fiscal 2001, as a means of identifying existing or potential problems, KHI will conduct a trial environmental accounting program in designated divisions using guidelines issued by Japan's Environment Agency.

Along with the environmental report for the whole of KHI, which was first issued in 1999, from 2000 onwards the company plans to begin issuing divisional reports on the environmental status of its individual businesses.

Review of Kawasaki Global Operations





Transportation Equipment



Aerospace

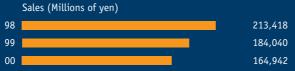


Industrial Equipment



Consumer Products

Transportation Equipment



Main Products

LNG carriers

LPG carriers

Container ships

VLCCs and other types of tankers

Bulk carriers

Highspeed vessels

Submarines

Maritime application equipment

Electric cars (including Shinkansen)

Electric and diesel locomotives

Passenger coaches

Integrated transit systems

Monorail cars

Platform screen doors

Due to increased overseas revenues, which derived mainly from contracts for U.S. customers, rolling stock sales rose. However, sales from ships declined, primarily due to the effects of the strong yen. Total segment sales for fiscal 2000 fell 10.4% to ¥164.9 billion.

Segment operating income was swayed by a number of factors. With most of the losses on large rolling stock contracts for U.S. customers having been recognized in the previous fiscal year, rolling stock largely improved in terms of profit performance. However, a slump in the prices of ships, combined with the strength of the yen, affected the profitability of ships. As a result, the segment registered an operating loss of ¥9.7 billion–though this was a 35.5% improvement on the previous year.

During fiscal 2000, KHI received orders for a total of nine vessels, including a submarine and seven container ships. However, previous orders for three VLCCs (very large crude-oil carriers) were canceled. Combined with a decline in large-scale orders for rolling stock from overseas customers, this resulted in a substantial decrease in the level of orders secured by the segment as a whole compared with the previous year.

KHI's shipbuilding specialty is the construction of high-value-added and high-speed vessels. In particular, the company is one of the world's technologically most accomplished suppliers of LNG, LPG and other types of gas carriers. During fiscal 2000, KHI delivered a total of 12 vessels, including two VLCCs, one LNG carrier, one LPG carrier, and a submarine. However, the global shipbuilding industry still suffers from oversupply. The resulting intense competition continues to make business conditions harsh for KHI. The company is responding by focusing on its specialty areas, and by seeking alliances with other firms. In this way, this area of operations will strive to improve international competitiveness.

In terms of both operational scale and technical expertise—the latter deriving partly from the company's wealth of aerospace technology—KHI is Japan's leading rolling stock manufacturer. As such, it is supplying high-speed Shinkansen bullet trains to Japan Railways (JR) companies, and is participating in a number of development and manufacturing projects for various types of rolling stock. The company also actively supplies overseas orders. During fiscal 2000, domestic revenues included the sale of new types of Shinkansen bullet trains, such as the *Hikari Railstar* Series 700E to JR West and the *Max* Series E4 to JR East. Overseas, the division delivered subway cars for Singapore.

Owing to its efficiency as a mass transportation method and its environmental advantages, demand for railways continues to rise worldwide–particularly in big cities in the United States and Asia. By tapping its vast wealth of expertise and experience, and by using advanced technology, KHI plans to forge ahead as one of the leading global suppliers of rolling stock.

Reggane LPG Carrier

Ordered by Sonatrach Petroleum Corporation of Algeria, this LPG (liquefied petroleum gas) carrier has an 84,000 m³ capacity. The vessel's four independent gas storage tanks constructed using special steel keep the LPG at temperatures as low as -48°C. The ship also features advanced fire-prevention and fire-fighting facilities.



Max Series E4 Shinkansen Bullet Train

Having produced *Max* series E4 Shinkansen bullet trains since their debut in December 1997, KHI delivered a E4 Shinakansen featuring the application of new, world-class technology in July 1999. Jointly developed by JR East and KHI, the nose structures of this new E4 are the first in the world to be constructed from carbon fiber-reinforced plastic (CFRP). By fully applying aerospace technology for compound materials, CFRP enables the production of a car body which is as strong or even stronger, as well as lighter and more classically streamlined compared with conventional aluminum models.



Singapore Subway Cars

These cars have been designed to boost capacity on existing lines, and will also be used on the line to Changi Airport in Singapore scheduled to open in 2001. Fitted with wider seats, they provide increased comfort and safety. The trains incorporate improved external design features such as a renewed front view and painted outer panels.



Aerospace

Main Products

T-4 intermediate jet trainers

CH-47, OH-1 and BK117 helicopters

Component parts for B777 and B767 passenger airplanes

Missiles

Electronic equipment

Space equipment

Jet engines

Gas turbines

During fiscal 2000, while sales to the Japan Defense Agency (JDA) rose, commercial aviation sales declined. Total segment sales decreased by 4.0% to ¥219.4 billion. Primarily due to the appreciation of the yen, segment operating income plunged 41.3% to ¥10.8 billion. With commercial aviation demand declining, orders received by the segment as a whole dipped below the level of the previous year.

KHI ranks among Japan's leading aircraft manufacturers, and is renowned internationally for its technological prowess. The company manufactures high-quality products, mainly aircraft and jet engines, for both the defense and commercial sectors. With regard to commercial business operations, KHI is a member of joint development and production programs for the Boeing 767 and 777 passenger airplanes. In the jet engine field, it has been involved in the V2500 international development and production project. KHI is also jointly developing and manufacturing aircraft engines with leading world suppliers such as Rolls-Royce of the U.K. for the RB211/Trent series and Pratt & Whitney of the United States for the PW4000 series.

During fiscal 2000, KHI commenced delivery of OH-1 light observation helicopter to JDA. In the commercial fields, one of the year's highlights was the establishment of a new business relationship with Embraer of Brazil for a joint development and manufacturing contract for the ERJ-170, a regional jet aircraft.

Defense programs remain a core revenue source, accompanied by a stable upward trend related to worldwide demand for commercial aircraft over the medium and long term. As one of Japan's leading aircraft manufacturers, KHI continues to be competitive internationally in terms of technology and quality. By capitalizing on such expertise, and through strengthening its network of alliances with overseas manufacturers, KHI continues to expand its business base in this segment. With its commercial aviation operations well positioned to grow, KHI's global aerospace business undoubtedly has a bright future.

OH-1 Helicopter

As prime contractor, KHI started full-scale production of OH-1 light observation helicopter for the JDA back in 1998, with the first being delivered in January 2000. Developed and manufactured entirely in Japan, they will be used for Ground Self-Defense Force surveillance operations. As well as aerial reconnaissance, they can also be used for mid-air troop control and supervision.



BK117 Helicopter

Over 400 Kawasaki BK117 helicopters have been delivered around the world. Of these, 128 have gone to Japanese customers—such as the Yamaguchi Prefecture fire-prevention unit pictured here. The BK117 is being widely used by public services in a range of civilian applications, from personnel transport to fire-fighting and police operations. Advanced functionality and meticulous after-sales support have drawn high praise from many customers.

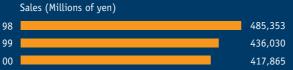


Regional Jet Aircraft Development with Embrae

In October 1999, KHI concluded a joint development and manufacturing contract with Brazilian commercial aircraft manufacturer Embraer for the ERJ-170, a 70-seater regional jet aircraft. Concerning this project, the company will be responsible for the development, design and manufacture of major wing components wherein a high level of technical expertise is required.



Industrial Equipment



Main Products

Steel making, cement, chemical and other industrial plants

Power plants

Municiple refuse incineration plants

Aero-derived gas turbine engines for naval vessels

Bridges

LNG and LPG tanks

Shield machines and tunnel boring machines

Crushing machinery

Industrial hydraulic equipment

Wheel loaders

Medium-sized gas turbine generators In fiscal 2000, while sales of environmental plants and related products rose, sales pertaining to KHI's steel structures operations declined, owing to a fall in Japanese publicworks spending. This resulted in a decrease in total segment sales, which fell 4.2% to \$417.9 billion. Margins tumbled in both industrial plant and steel structures operations, producing a segment operating loss of \$11.3 billion, compared with operating income of \$0.7 billion in the previous year. Overall, orders received fell as a large increase in environment-related orders failed to offset a decline in orders for industrial plants and power plants.

KHI is regarded as a leading engineering expert involving a diverse range of industrial plant construction projects in Japan and abroad. In particular, the company's proven technical expertise in steel and cement plant engineering is noted as one of the highest in the world. Relating to its steel structures business, KHI has participated in the construction of a number of bridges and other major infrastructure projects. During the year, completed projects included a hot strip mill delivered to a Japanese steel maker and the glass dome of the Osaka Maritime Museum.

Both the industrial plant and steel structures businesses have been adversely affected by a prolonged recession in Japan and a slow recovery in Southeast Asia. Accordingly, KHI is currently undertaking measures aimed at accelerating the streamlining of its operations in these areas. In addition, by shifting resources and focusing on specialist areas and high-value-added products, the company plans to reinforce earnings, thereby establishing a strong base for future development.

In contrast, environmental plants and related products offer positive, long-term, growth prospects. KHI ranks in the top echelon of Japanese makers of municipal refuse incineration plants, both in terms of a solid customer base and technical expertise. Fiscal 2000 saw the delivery of a major municipal refuse incineration plant, the Kobe Clean Center. The company also undertook renovation of a number of existing facilities to eliminate dioxin emissions. KHI continues to develop and improve technologically advanced products that are expected to generate new business.

KHI is one of Japan's leading manufacturers of industrial hydraulic equipment and gas turbine generators, and is also developing its construction machinery business. Cooperating with the Consumer Products & Machinery Group, these businesses are enhancing their worldwide sales network to boost sales of such mass-produced industrial equipment.

Kobe East Municipal Refuse Incineration Plant

Each of the three incinerators at this plant, known as the Kobe Clean Center, is capable of processing 300 tons of refuse per day. Fully fitted with anti-dioxin installations, it also features a highly efficient power generation system that converts any excess heat produced.



Hot Strip Mil

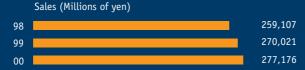
KHI designed, developed, constructed and installed this hot strip mill for Nakayama Steel Works on a full turnkey basis, including all pilot-scale testing and civil engineering work. Fitted with a blast furnace and all the machines necessary to roll, cut and finish various thicknesses of steel, the mill boasts a compact design that saves space and energy.



Osaka Maritime Museum Dome

The glass dome of the Osaka Maritime Museum, opened in July 2000, is a steel-framed hemisphere 35 meters high with a diameter of 70 meters. Constructed entirely at KHI's Harima Works, it was assembled from approximately 4,800 individual sheets of glass and then transported by sea to Osaka city.

Consumer Products



Main Products

Motorcycles

All-Terrain Vehicles (ATVs)

Jet Ski® personal watercraft

General-purpose gasoline engines

Brush cutters

Transmissions

Industrial robots

Sales of motorcycles in the United States and Europe remained robust, and motorcycle demand in Asia also recovered. Sales of ATVs (All-Terrain Vehicles) and *MULE* utility vehicles also rose in the United States. As a result, despite the effects of the strong yen, segment sales rose slightly compared with the previous year, advancing 2.6% to ¥277.2 billion. However, the strength of the yen had a significant impact on profits. Despite higher earnings at KHI's U.S. subsidiaries, segment operating income fell 39.0% to ¥9.5 billion.

The Kawasaki brand name is widely associated with medium and large super sports bikes, and other top-of-the-range motorcycles. Other popular consumer products are ATVs and Jet Ski® watercraft, which KHI was the first firm in the world to commercialize successfully. These products are made at 16 manufacturing bases, and distributed globally through a total of over 6,000 dealerships around the world. During fiscal 2000, to extract greater synergy in manufacturing and sales from this network, industrial robots were transferred to this segment from the Industrial Equipment segment.

Demand in the major markets of Europe and North America is projected to demonstrate healthy growth. Demand should also continue to recover in Asian markets as their economies regain previous levels of growth. KHI is developing new Kawasaki brand products designed to cater to market trends and user needs. At the same time, KHI is focusing on building up its development, manufacturing and sales expertise to foster the growth of its global business.

Motor sports and marine sports remain the prime focus. Through the development of professional racing factory bikes, KHI uses the resulting stream of technical advances to make constant improvements to its commercial product range. While building the brand image, racing also helps to develop an avid fan base.

Ninia ZX-12R Super Sports Bi

Incorporating KHI's state-of-the-art technology, the ZX-12R sits at the pinnacle of the Kawasaki super sports bike range. Featuring the world's first aluminum monocoque frame on a mass-production bike, it is powered by a water-cooled, 4-stroke, 4-cylinder, DOHC, 1,199cm³ engine. With a sleek, streamlined form, it displays a balance of power, handling and high-speed stability that make it one of the finest motorcycles available.



Japan Superbike Championship

In the 2000 Japan Superbike Championship race series, Hitoyasu Izutsu competed for Kawasaki on a ZX-7RR. This bike has a water-cooled, 4-stroke, 4-cylinder, DOHC, 748cm³ engine.



MULE 2510 Diesel

This model is the top of the range of the *MULE* utility vehicle series. Fitted with a water-cooled, 4-stroke, 3-cylinder, 953cm³ diesel engine, it was developed and is being manufactured under an alliance with a Japanese diesel engine maker.



Z-Series Industrial Robots

This series of robots is designed to transport objects weighing between 130 and 300 kg. Featuring a compact design that enables them to take up little room, they also boast long reach and wide maneuverability.



Financial Review

With the economy hit by sluggish consumer spending and a downturn in capital investment, Japan's GDP contracted during the fiscal year ended March 31, 2000 (fiscal 2000).

OVERVIEW

During the fiscal year ended March 31, 2000 (fiscal 2000), KHI's net sales declined for a second consecutive year in the face of a persistent economic downturn in Japan and sluggish growth throughout the rest of Asia. These problems were further compounded by continued appreciation of the yen. With the exception of Consumer Products, which was taken out of the Transportation Equipment segment and reclassified as a segment on its own, all of KHI's business segments posted decreases in sales revenues. Total consolidated net sales fell 4.4% to ¥1,149.7 billion (\$10,831 million).

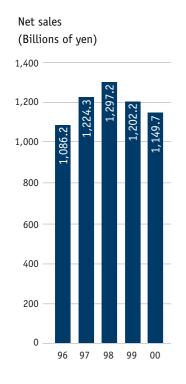
OVERSEAS SALES

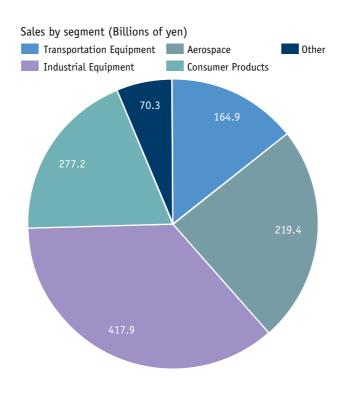
Total overseas sales fell ¥9.6 billion (\$91 million), or 2.0%, to ¥461.5 billion (\$4,348 million). This accounted for 40.1% of total sales, compared with a percentage of 39.2% in fiscal 1999. The breakdown of this sales figure between the four overseas regions was: North America ¥221.3 billion (\$2,085 million), down 4.3%; Europe ¥94.0 billion (\$885 million), up 7.2%; Asia ¥75.1 billion (\$707 million), up 5.9%; and Other Areas ¥71.2 billion (\$671 million), down 12.6%.

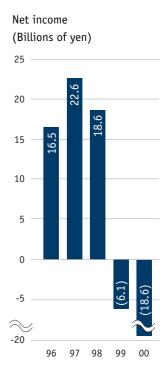
NET INCOME

The ratio of the cost of sales to net sales rose 0.9 percentage point, from 86.9% to 87.8%. The ratio of selling, general and administrative (SGA) expenses to net sales rose 0.8 percentage point, from 11.3% to 12.1%. As a result, operating income plunged 94.2% to ¥1.3 billion (\$12 million). The ratio of operating income to net sales fell 1.7 percentage points, from 1.8% to 0.1%.

Net other income (expenses) was an expense of ¥24.0 billion (\$226 million), compared with an expense of ¥22.2 billion for fiscal 1999. This amount includes a ¥3.9 billion (\$37 million) write-down of marketable securities, investments in securities and others, and a ¥2.7 billion (\$26 million) prior-period retirement allowance, recorded as extraordinary losses. Loss before income taxes and minority interests totaled ¥22.7 billion (\$214 million), compared with a loss of ¥0.5 billion for fiscal 1999. KHI adopted tax effect accounting beginning fiscal 1999, by which an amount of ¥9.5 billion (\$89 million) was recorded as deferred income taxes for fiscal 2000. The net loss for the year increased from ¥6.1 billion to ¥18.6 billion (\$176 million). The net loss per share amounted to ¥13.4 (\$0.13), compared with a loss of ¥4.4 per share in fiscal 1999.







In view of the situation, management elected not to pay any cash dividends for fiscal 2000.

RESULTS BY GEOGRAPHIC AREA

Sales in Japan declined 5.5% to ¥929.1 billion (\$8,753 million), while operating income fell from a ¥27.3 billion profit in fiscal 1999 to a loss of ¥4.5 billion (\$42 million), because the parent company was affected by continued appreciation of the yen, a persistent economic downturn in Japan and sluggish growth throughout the rest of Asia.

In North America, boosted by the recovery of a rolling stock subsidiary, sales rose 3.1% to ¥160.4 billion (\$1,511 million). Following substantial losses on rolling stock contracts posted in fiscal 1999, operating income of ¥3.7 billion (\$35 million) was recorded.

Due primarily to the substantial appreciation of the yen against the euro, sales in Europe fell 14.5%, to \pm 39.6 billion (\$373 million). At \pm 0.8 billion (\$8 million), operating income was down 36.3% compared with the previous year.

Sales in Asia increased sharply to \$16.3 billion (\$154 million), a 26.7% rise due mainly to higher sales of motorcycles. However, due to the continued affect of the currency crisis, the operating loss increased from \$0.9 billion to \$1.6 billion (\$15 million).

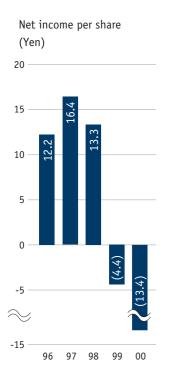
At ¥4.3 billion (\$40 million), sales in Other Areas were 5.6% below fiscal 1999. However, operating income was substantially higher, increasing 85.1% to ¥87 million (\$819 thousand).

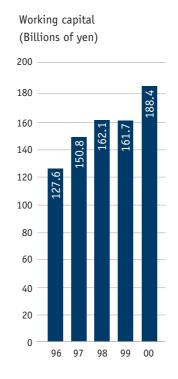
R&D AND CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

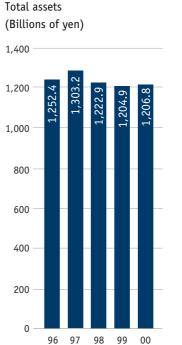
Total consolidated R&D expenses during fiscal 2000 rose ¥1.3 billion to ¥19.9 billion (\$188 million). This was equivalent to 1.7% of net sales. Capital expenditures on a cash flow basis during fiscal 2000 totaled ¥37.5 billion (\$353 million), a decrease of 7.2% from fiscal 1999.

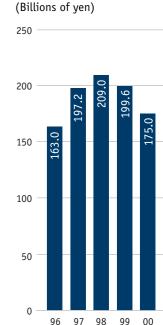
CASH FLOWS

A decrease in inventories, combined with an increase in advances received, more than offset the cash outflow resulting from the consolidated loss before income taxes and minority









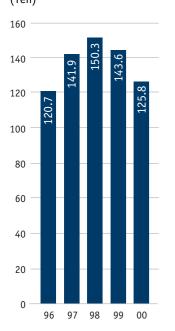
Total shareholders' equity

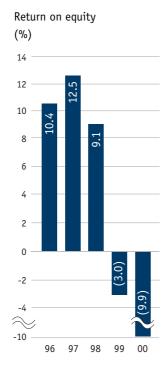
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interests of ¥22.7 billion (\$214 million). As a result of decreases in cash paid for interest and cash paid for income taxes, net cash provided by operating activities rose 39.8% to ¥31.2 billion (\$294 million). Due mainly to an increase in addition to long-term loans receivable, net cash used for investing activities increased 7.4% to ¥46.6 billion (\$439 million). Proceeds from long-term debt, mainly issue of corporate bond, increased 61.0%, or ¥33.5 billion (\$315 million) to ¥88.4 billion (\$832 million), while repayment of long-term debt was ¥39.7 million (\$374 million). Cash dividends paid decreased, and decrease in short-term borrowings was also reduced. As a result of the foregoing, net cash provided by financing activities was ¥39.7 billion (\$374 million), an increase of ¥37.4 billion (\$352 million).

This resulted in a net increase in cash and cash equivalents of ¥23.0 billion (\$217 million). Combined with an increase in cash and cash equivalents of ¥4.3 billion (\$41 million) arising from newly consolidated subsidiaries, cash and cash equivalents at the fiscal 2000 year-end amounted to ¥82.2 billion (\$774 million).

Total shareholders' equity per share (Yen)





FINANCIAL CONDITION

A rise of 55.1%, or \$30.5 billion (\$287 million), in cash on hand and in banks, including time deposits with maturities of over three months in an amount of \$3.6 billion (\$34 million), was partially offset by a 9.0% fall in inventories. Current assets decreased to \$879.4 billion (\$8,285 million). Total investments and long-term loans fell 7.3% to \$47.3 billion (\$445 million). Due to an amount of \$9.3 billion (\$88 million) being recognized as deferred tax assets, intangible and other assets rose 70.8% to \$17.0 billion (\$160 million). Total assets were largely unchanged, rising 9.2% to \$1,206.8 billion (\$11,369 million).

Current liabilities decreased 4.4% to ¥691.0 billion (\$6,510 million). This was due largely to decreases in trade payables, short-term borrowings and current portion of long-term debt, and accrued expenses.

Total long-term liabilities increased 21.0% to \(\frac{4}334.4\) billion (\(\frac{5}{3},150\) million), due primarily to a 26.5% increase in long-term debt, less current portion, which was mainly used for refinancing. As a result, total liabilities increased slightly, rising 2.7% to \(\frac{4}{1},025.4\) billion (\(\frac{5}{9},660\) million). However, working capital increased substantially, rising 16.5% to \(\frac{4}{1}88.4\) billion (\(\frac{5}{1},775\) million).

Due to the consolidated net loss of ¥18.6 billion (\$176 million), which was the principal factor causing a 26.4% fall in retained earnings to ¥68.8 billion (\$649 million), and following the payment of cash dividends worth ¥4.2 billion (\$39 million), shareholders' equity dropped 12.4% to ¥175.0 billion (\$1,648 million). The shareholders' equity ratio fell 2.1 percentage points, from 16.6% to 14.5%.

Six-Year Summary
Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd. and consolidated subsidiaries
Years ended March 31

	Millions of yen						
	2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	
Operating results:							
Net sales	¥1,149,698	¥1,202,189	¥1,297,212	¥1,224,259	¥1,086,244	¥1,070,444	
Cost of sales	1,008,860	1,045,143	1,114,693	1,041,697	928,126	912,432	
Gross profit	140,838	157,046	182,519	182,562	158,118	158,012	
Selling, general and administrative							
expenses	139,587	135,380	131,440	120,351	111,362	110,413	
Operating income	1,251	21,666	51,079	62,211	46,756	47,599	
Net income (loss)	(18,632)	(6,132)	18,556	22,572	16,462	10,216	
Capital expenditure	37,513	40,428	42,928	35,130	39,319	33,729	
Depreciation and amortization	35,081	34,607	32,416	31,245	30,823	30,899	
R & D expenses	19,900	18,600	17,800	17,400	17,300	17,000	
Financial position at year-end:							
Working capital	¥ 188,403	¥ 161,712	¥ 162,084	¥ 150,759	¥ 127,644	¥ 106,458	
Net property, plant and equipment	245,278	244,866	242,435	233,196	231,615	227,173	
Total assets	1,206,806	1,204,857	1,222,906	1,303,168	1,252,371	1,191,664	
Long-term debt, less current portion	264,048	208,763	198,135	197,130	204,801	184,535	
Total shareholders' equity	174,955	199,637	209,040	197,161	162,984	152,991	
Per share amounts (yen):							
Net income (loss)	¥ (13.4)	¥ (4.4)	¥ 13.3	¥ 16.4	¥ 12.2	¥ 7.6	
Cash dividends	_	6.0	6.0	7.0	5.5	5.0	
Shareholders' equity	125.8	143.6	150.3	141.9	120.7	113.3	
Other data:							
Number of shares issued (millions)	1,391	1,391	1,391	1,389	1,350	1,350	
Number of employees	29,772	26,486	26,102	24,211	24,401	24,266	
Non-consolidated data:							
Orders received	865,834	950,312	1,007,695	958,477	1,028,903	939,899	

Consolidated Balance Sheets Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd. and consolidated subsidiaries As of March 31, 2000 and 1999

		Million	Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 1)	
Assets		2000	1999	2000
Current assets:				
Cash on hand and in banks	¥	85,782	¥ 55,306	\$ 808,121
Marketable securities (Notes 3 and 5)		46,021	47,785	433,547
Receivables		·	,	,
Trade		397,616	403,423	3,745,794
Other		16,304	13,173	153,594
Allowance for doubtful receivables		(3,375)	(3,041)	(31,795)
		410,545	413,555	3,867,593
Inventories (Notes 4 and 5)		316,529	347,765	2,981,902
Deferred tax assets (Note 9)		4,216	5,507	39,717
Other current assets		16,345	14,481	153,981
Total current assets		879,438	884,399	8,284,861
Investments and long-term loans:				
Investments in securities (Notes 3 and 10)		32,136	38,967	302,742
Long-term loans		8,716	1,784	82,110
Other (Note 5)		13,734	13,264	129,383
Allowance for doubtful receivables		(7,327)	(3,009)	(69,025)
Total investments and long-term loans		47,259	51,006	445,210
Property, plant and equipment (Note 5):				
Land		50,822	50,070	478,775
Buildings		244,103	238,406	2,299,604
Machinery and equipment		443,876	429,758	4,181,592
Construction in progress		5,829	5,115	54,913
Construction in progress		744,630	723,349	7,014,884
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Accumulated depreciation Net property, plant and equipment		245,278	244,866	2,310,673
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Intangible and other assets				
Deferred tax assets (Note 9)		9,315	2,956	87,753
Intangible and other assets		7,676	6,989	72,313
		16,991	9,945	160,066
Foreign currency translation adjustments		17,840	14,641	168,064
Total assets	¥ 1,	206,806	¥ 1,204,857	\$11,368,874

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	Millio	Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 1)	
Liabilities and shareholders' equity	2000	1999	2000
Current liabilities:			
Short-term borrowings and current portion of long-term debt (Note 5)	¥ 222,302	¥ 238,265	\$ 2,094,225
Trade payables	310,557	321,830	2,925,643
Advances from customers	86,012	81,409	810,287
Accrued income taxes (Note 9)	2,441	3,424	22,996
Accrued expenses	19,549	21,375	184,164
Provision for product warranty	1,648	1,386	15,525
Deferred tax liabilities (Note 9)	515	5,162	4,852
Other current liabilities	48,011	49,836	452,294
Total current liabilities	691,035	722,687	6,509,986
Long-term liabilities:			
Long-term debt, less current portion (Note 5)	264,048	208,763	2,487,499
Retirement and severance benefits	58,332	54,024	549,524
Deferred tax liabilities (Note 9)	2,705	2,573	25,483
Other	9,313	10,894	87,734
Total long-term liabilities	334,398	276,254	3,150,240
Contingent liabilities (Note 11)			
Minority interests	6,418	6,279	60,461
Shareholders' equity (Note 6): Common stock of ¥50 par value:			
Authorized - 3,360,000,000 shares			
Issued - 1,390,595,964 shares	81,427	81,427	767,094
Capital surplus	24,682	24,682	232,520
Retained earnings	68,846	93,528	648,573
Total shareholders' equity	174,955	199,637	1,648,187
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	¥ 1,206,806	¥ 1,204,857	\$11,368,874

Consolidated Statements of Operations Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd. and consolidated subsidiaries For the three years ended March 31, 2000, 1999 and 1998

		Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 1)		
	2000	1999	1998	2000
Net sales	¥ 1,149,698	¥ 1,202,189	¥ 1,297,212	\$10,830,881
Cost of sales	1,008,860	1,045,143	1,114,693	9,504,098
Gross profit	140,838	157,046	182,519	1,326,783
Selling, general and administrative expenses	139,587	135,380	131,440	1,314,998
Operating income	1,251	21,666	51,079	11,785
Other income (expenses):				
Interest and dividend income	4,274	5,495	5,122	40,264
Equity in income (loss) of unconsolidated				
subsidiaries and affiliates	(654)	683	1,236	(6,161)
Interest expense	(11,782)	(12,646)	(11,907)	(110,994)
Other, net (Note 8)	(15,819)	(15,723)	(3,815)	(149,025)
Income (loss) before income taxes and minority				
interests	(22,730)	(525)	41,715	(214,131)
Income taxes (Note 9)				
Current	(5,899)	(9,358)	(22,618)	(55,572)
Deferred	9,466	2,943	_	89,176
Minority interests in net (income)				
loss of consolidated subsidiaries	531	808	(541)	5,002
Net income (loss)	¥ (18,632)	¥ (6,132)	¥ 18,556	\$ (175,525)
		Yen		U.S. dollars (Note 1)
Per share amounts (Note 2 (v)):				
Net income (loss)	¥(13.4)	¥ (4.4)	¥13.3	\$(0.13)
Net income - diluted	_	_	12.0	_
Cash dividends	_	6.0	6.0	_

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Consolidated Statements of Shareholders' Equity Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd. and consolidated subsidiaries For the three years ended March 31, 2000, 1999 and 1998

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Net loss for the year	Bonuses to directors and statutory auditors	_	_	_	(292)
Net loss for the year	Conversion of convertible bonds	1,473	339	337	_
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Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd. and consolidated subsidiaries For the years ended March 31, 2000 and 1999

	Millions of yen			n	Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 1)		
		2000		1999		2000	
Cash flows from operating activities:							
Loss before income taxes and minority interests	¥	(22,730)	¥	(525)	\$	(214,131)	
Adjustments to reconcile loss before income taxes and minority interests				, ,		•	
to net cash provided by operating activities:							
Depreciation and amortization		35,081		34,607		330,485	
Provision for retirement and severance benefits		3,479		1,842		32,774	
Accrued bonuses		(3,419)		186		(32,209)	
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment		1,317		1,382		12,407	
Provision for (reversal of) estimated loss on uncompleted contract		(4,111)		5,784		(38,728)	
Write-downs of securities and others		3,031				28,554	
Provision for allowance for doubtful accounts		4,765		876		44,889	
Interest and dividend income		(4,274)		(5,495)		(40,264)	
		11,782		12,646		110,994	
Interest expense		11,702		12,040		110,554	
Changes in assets and liabilities: Decrease (increase) in							
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Trade receivables		3,583		6,985		33,754	
Inventories		21,447		3,471		202,044	
Other current assets		(5,615)		1,258		(52,897)	
Increase (decrease) in		()		(=)		()	
Trade payables		(2,911)		(5,346)		(27,423)	
Advances received		5,972		(16,294)		56,260	
Other current liabilities		38		2,552		359	
Other, net		(432)		1,417		(4,070)	
Sub total		47,003		45,346		442,798	
Cash received for interest and dividends		4,122		6,562		38,832	
Cash paid for interest		(11,270)		(12,380)		(106,171)	
Cash paid for income taxes		(8,623)		(17,181)		(81,234)	
Net cash provided by operating activities		31,232		22,347		294,225	
Cash flows from investing activities:							
Acquisition of property, plant and equipment		(37,513)		(40,428)		(353,396)	
Additions to long-term loans receivable		(5,866)		(406)		(55,261)	
Other		(3,200)		(2,546)		(30,146)	
Net cash used for investing activities		(46,579)		(43,380)		(438,803)	
Cash flows from financing activities:							
Proceeds from long-term debt		88,368		54,894		832,482	
Repayment of long-term debt		(39,719)		(37,681)		(374,178)	
Cash dividends paid		(4,203)		(8,310)		(39,595)	
Cash dividends paid to minority interests		(64)		(62)		(603)	
Decrease in short-term borrowings		(4,643)		(6,514)		(43,740)	
Net cash provided by financing activities	_	39,739		2,327		374,366	
Effect of exchange rate changes	_	(1,408)		(946)		(13,264)	
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	_	22,984		(19,652)		216,524	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		54,837		74,489		516,599	
Increase in cash and cash equivalents arising from		0 2,007		, 1,10,		010/033	
newly consolidated subsidiaries		4,339		_		40,876	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	¥	82,160	¥	54,837	\$	773,999	
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Cash and cash equivalents Cash on hand and in banks in the balance sheet	¥	85,782	¥	55,306	\$	808,121	
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Time deposits with maturities over three months	<u></u>	(3,622)	V	(469)	¢	(34,122)	
Total	¥	82,160	¥	54,837	\$	773,999	

The accompanying notes to the consolidated financial statements are an integral part of these statements.

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements

1. Basis of presenting consolidated financial statements

Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd. (the "Company") and its consolidated domestic subsidiaries maintain their accounts and records in accordance with the provisions set forth in the Japanese Commercial Code and the Securities and Exchange Law and in conformity with accounting principles and practices generally accepted in Japan, which are different from the accounting and disclosure requirements of International Accounting Standards. The accounts of overseas consolidated subsidiaries are based on their accounting records maintained in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles and practices prevailing in the respective countries of domicile.

The accompanying consolidated financial statements are a translation of the audited consolidated financial statements of the Company which were prepared in accordance with accounting principles and practices generally accepted in Japan from the accounts and records maintained by the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries and were filed with the Minister of Finance

("MOF") as required by the Securities and Exchange Law.

In preparing the accompanying consolidated financial statements, certain reclassifications have been made in the consolidated financial statements issued domestically in order to present them in a form which is more familiar to readers outside Japan. The consolidated cash flow statement for 1999 has been prepared for the purpose of inclusion in the consolidated financial statements, although such statement was not customarily prepared in Japan and not required to be filed with MOF prior to 2000.

The translation of the Japanese yen amounts into U.S. dollars are included solely for the convenience of the reader, using the prevailing exchange rate at March 31, 2000, which was ¥106.15 to U.S. \$1.00. The convenience translations should not be construed as representations that the Japanese yen amounts have been, could have been, or could in the future be, converted into U.S. dollars at this or any other rate of exchange.

2. Significant accounting policies

(a) Consolidation

The Company prepared the consolidated financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2000 in accordance with the revised Accounting Principles for Consolidated Financial Statements (the "Revised Accounting Principles") effective from the year ended March 31, 2000.

The accompanying consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and significant companies, over which the Company has power of control through majority voting right or existence of certain conditions evidencing control by the Company. Investments in non-consolidated subsidiaries and affiliates, over which the Company has the ability to exercise significant influence over operating and financial policies of the investees, are accounted for on the equity method. The effect of adopting the Revised Accounting Principles is immaterial.

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and 112 (65 in 1999 and 62 in 1998) subsidiaries.

For the years ended March 31, 2000, 1999 and 1998, respectively, 4, 58 and 59 subsidiaries are excluded from the consolidation. The amounts of total assets, net sales, net income and retained earnings of these excluded subsidiaries, in the aggregate, would not have had a material effect on the consolidated financial statements.

(b) Application of the equity method of accounting

For the year ended March 31, 2000, 20 (12 in 1999 and 1998) affiliates are accounted for by the equity method.

For the years ended March 31, 2000, 1999 and 1998, investments in 4, 58 and 59 unconsolidated subsidiaries and 14, 22 and 23 affili-

ates, respectively, are stated at cost without applying the equity method of accounting. If the equity method had been applied for these investments, the amounts of net income and retained earnings of these excluded subsidiaries and affiliates would not have had a material effect on the consolidated financial statements.

(c) Consolidated subsidiaries' fiscal year-ends

Fiscal year-ends of 29 (20 in 1999 and 17 in 1998) consolidated subsidiaries end on December 31. The Company consolidates such subsidiaries' financial statements as of each subsidiary's latest year-end. Unusual significant transactions for the period between each subsidiary's year-end and the Company's year-end are adjusted on consolidation.

(d) Elimination of inter-company transactions and accounts

All significant inter-company transactions and accounts and unrealized inter-company profits are eliminated on consolidation, and the portion thereof attributable to minority interests is credited to minority interests.

In the elimination of investments in subsidiaries, the assets and liabilities of the subsidiaries, including the portion attributable to minority shareholders, are evaluated using the fair value at the time the Company acquired control of the respective subsidiaries.

When the excess of equity in net assets over the cost of an investment is considered significant, it is amortized to income by the straightline method over five years. Otherwise, it is credited directly to retained earnings in the year of acquisition or the year newly included in consolidation.

(e) Translation of foreign currency statements

The financial statements of the overseas consolidated subsidiaries are translated into yen as stated below, in accordance with a regulation issued by the Financial Accounting Deliberation Council.

- (1) Assets and liabilities are translated at the fiscal year-end exchange rates.
- (2) Share capital accounts and retained earnings are translated at historical rates.
- (3) Revenue and expense accounts are translated at average rates prevailing during the fiscal year.

Differences arising from the application of the process stated above are shown as foreign currency translation adjustments in the accompanying consolidated balance sheet.

(f) Appropriations of retained earnings

Appropriations of retained earnings are recorded in the fiscal year when the proposed appropriations are approved.

(g) Revenue recognition

Sales are principally recognized at the time of completion of the contracts. However, the percentage-of-completion method is applied to long-term contracts exceeding ¥5,000 million.

(h) Consolidated statements of cash flows

In accordance with the "Standards for Preparation of Consolidated Cash Flow Statement, etc." (the "New Standards"), effective from the year ended March 31, 2000, the Company is required to prepare consolidated cash flow statements. The 1999 consolidated cash flow statement, which was prepared for readers outside Japan although such statement was not required, has been restated to conform to the 2000 presentation.

(i) Cash and cash equivalents

In preparing the consolidated statements of cash flows, cash on hand, readily-available deposits and short-term highly liquid investments with maturities of not exceeding three months at the time of purchase are considered to be cash and cash equivalents.

(j) Allowance for doubtful receivables

Possible losses from notes and accounts receivable, loans and other receivables are provided for based on relevant income tax laws and the Companies' estimates of losses on collection.

(k) Inventories

Inventories are stated at cost, as determined principally by the specific identification cost method, the first-in, first-out method or the moving-average method.

(1) Marketable securities

Marketable securities are stated principally at cost, as determined by the moving-average method. When significant impairment of value has been deemed permanent, cost has been appropriately reduced.

(m) Investments in securities

Investments in securities are stated at cost, as determined by the moving-average method, except for those accounted for by the equity method as explained in Note 2 (b). When significant impairment of value has been deemed permanent, cost has been appropriately reduced.

(n) Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost. Depreciation is computed principally by the declining-balance method over estimated useful lives.

(o) Intangible assets

Amortization of intangible assets is computed by the straight-line method.

(p) Provision for product warranty

Expected future product warranty costs are provided for ships and consumer products.

(q) Bond issue expenses

Bond issue expenses are charged to income as incurred.

(r) Foreign currency translation

Foreign currency accounts of the Company and its domestic subsidiaries are translated into yen as stated below, in accordance with a regulation issued by the Financial Accounting Deliberation Council.

- (1) Foreign currencies and short-term monetary accounts are translated at the rates of exchange prevailing at the balance sheet date. The resulting translation gain or loss is included in the determination of net income for the year.
- (2) Long-term monetary accounts and non-monetary accounts are translated at historical exchange rates prevailing at the time of transactions.
- (3) Monetary accounts which are hedged by forward exchange contracts are translated into yen at the contracted rates of exchange. If long-term monetary items were translated at exchange rates in effect at March 31, 2000, net translation losses of ¥131 million (\$1,234 thousand) would have been recorded.

(s) Income taxes

Income taxes were principally provided for based on taxable income for the period, determined in accordance with applicable tax laws, for the year ended March 31, 1998. Effective April 1, 1998, the Company adopted the new accounting standard, which recognizes tax effects of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for tax and financial reporting.

Under the new accounting standard, the asset and liability approach is used to recognize deferred tax assets and liabilities for the expected future tax consequences of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for income tax purposes.

The amount of deferred income taxes attributable to the net tax effects of the temporary differences at April 1, 1998 is reflected as an adjustment to the retained earnings brought forward from the previous year. Prior year's financial statements have not been restated. The cumulative effect of adopting the new accounting standard is $\pm 5,652$ million and the effect for the year ended March 31, 1999 was to decrease net loss by $\pm 2,741$ million.

(t) Retirement and severance benefits

Employees who terminate their services with the Company and its domestic consolidated subsidiaries are generally entitled to lump-sum payments, the amounts of which are determined by reference to their current basic rates of pay and length of service. The Company and its domestic consolidated subsidiaries provide for 40 percent of the amount which would be required to be paid if all eligible employees voluntarily terminated their services at the balance sheet date. For the year ended March 31, 2000, certain domestic consolidated subsidiaries changed the percentage from 40 percent to 100 percent. As a result of this change, the loss before income taxes and minority interests was increased by ¥2,745 million (\$25,860 thousand).

Employees of the Company's overseas consolidated subsidiaries are generally covered by various pension plans, accounted for in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the country of incorporation. In addition, the Company and some of its domestic consolidated subsidiaries provide for retirement and severance benefits for directors and statutory auditors principally at 50 percent of the amount required if they retired at the balance sheet date.

(u) Finance leases

For the Company and its domestic consolidated subsidiaries, finance leases which do not transfer ownership and do not have bargain purchase provisions are accounted for in the same manner as operating leases in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in Japan.

(v) Per share amounts of net income (loss) and cash dividends

The computations of per share amounts of net income (loss) shown in the consolidated statements of operations are based upon the weighted average number of issued shares outstanding during each period. Diluted income per share, is computed based on the assumption that all dilutive convertible bonds were converted at the beginning of the year.

Per share amounts of cash dividends for each period represent dividends declared as applicable to the respective year.

(w) Reclassifications

Certain prior year amounts have been reclassified to conform to 2000 presentation. These changes had no impact on previously reported results of operations or shareholders' equity.

3. Market value information for securities

Market values, book values and unrealized gains of quoted securities as of March 31, 2000 is as follows:

	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
Market values:	winners of yell	C.S. donars
Marketable securities	¥ 77,611	\$ 731,145
Investments in securities:		
Subsidiaries and affiliates	4,770	44,936
Other	136	1,281
	82,517	777,362
Book values:		
Marketable securities	¥ 45,867	\$ 432,096
Investments in securities:		
Subsidiaries and affiliates	8,134	76,627
Other	104	980
	54,105	509,703
Unrealized gains	¥ 28,412	\$ 267,659

4. Inventories

Inventories as of March 31, 2000 and 1999 are comprised as follows:

	Million	Millions of yen		
	2000	1999	2000	
Finished products	¥ 44,006	¥ 37,950	\$ 414,564	
Work in process	235,050	268,027	2,214,319	
Raw materials and supplies	37,473	41,788	353,019	
Total	¥ 316,529	¥ 347,765	\$ 2,981,902	

5. Short-term borrowings and long-term debt

Short-term borrowings and long-term debt as of March 31, 2000 and 1999 are comprised as follows:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2000	1999	2000
Short-term borrowings:			
Short-term debt, principally bank loans and commercial paper	¥ 187,211	¥ 198,093	\$ 1,763,646
Current portion of long-term debt	35,091	40,172	330,579
Total short-term debt	¥ 222,302	¥ 238,265	\$ 2,094,225
Long-term debt:			
Loans from banks and other financial institutions, partly secured by mortgage			
or other collateral, due from 2000 to 2034, bearing interest ranging			
from 0.57 percent to 7.9 percent and from 0.694 percent to 7.5 percent			
as of March 31, 2000 and 1999, respectively	¥ 108,242	¥ 82,601	\$ 1,019,708
2.10~6.15 percent notes due 1999	_	25,000	_
2.50 percent notes due 2000	10,000	10,000	94,206
2.55 percent notes due 2001	10,000	10,000	94,206
1.00 percent notes due 2002	10,000	_	94,206
1.05~2.00 percent notes due 2003	20,000	10,000	188,413
1.94 percent notes due 2004	20,000	20,000	188,413
1.67 percent notes due 2005	10,000	_	94,206
1.87 percent notes due 2006	10,000	_	94,206
2.51~2.775 percent notes due 2008	20,000	20,000	188,413
2.33 percent notes due 2009	10,000	_	94,206
0.80 percent convertible bonds due 2001	8,573	8,573	80,763
0.65~0.90 percent convertible bonds due 2003	19,079	19,079	179,736
0.75 percent convertible bonds due 2005	9,609	9,609	90,523
1.10 percent convertible bonds due 2006	17,118	17,118	161,262
0.90 percent convertible bonds due 2008	8,926	8,977	84,089
1.00 percent convertible bonds due 2011	7,592	7,978	71,522
	299,139	248,935	2,818,078
Less portion due within one year	(35,091)	(40,172)	(330,579)
Total long-term debt	¥ 264,048	¥ 208,763	\$ 2,487,499

The convertible bonds due 2001 through 2011 as of March 31, 2000 were convertible into 136,908,609 shares of common stock at the option of the holders at prices of ¥459 (\$4.32) or ¥598 (\$5.63) per share. The conversion prices are subject to adjustments under specified conditions.

As of March 31, 2000 and 1999, the following assets were pledged as collateral for short-term borrowing and long-term debt:

	Millio	Thousands of U.S. dollars	
	2000	1999	2000
Marketable securities	¥ 177	¥ 180	\$ 1,667
Inventories	6,144	5,091	57,880
Property, plant and equipment (at net book value)	_	11,517	_
Land	6,247	_	58,851
Buildings	6,635	_	62,506
Machinery and equipment	491	_	4,626
Other	233	63	2,195
Total	¥ 19,927	¥ 16,851	\$ 187,725

As of March 31, 2000, debt secured by the above pledged assets was as follows:

	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
Trade payables	¥ 97	\$ 914
Short-term and long-term debt	18,940	178,427
Total	¥ 19,037	\$179,341

The aggregate annual maturities of long-term debt as of March 31, 2000, are as follows:

Year ending March 31,	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
2001	¥ 35,091	\$ 330,579
2002	33,386	314,517
2003	32,471	305,898
2004	44,688	420,989
2005 and thereafter	153,503	1,446,095
Total	¥299,139	\$ 2,818,078

6. Shareholders' equity

(a) Capital surplus

The Commercial Code of Japan provides that the entire issue price of new shares must be credited to common stock, provided that, by resolution of the Board of Directors, up to one-half of such issue price may be credited to capital surplus so long as the common stock is equal to at least the aggregate par value of the shares issued.

(b) Dividends

The maximum amount that the Company can distribute as dividends is calculated based on the unconsolidated financial statements of the Company in accordance with the Commercial Code of Japan.

(c) Restrictions on dividends

Under the terms of indentures for certain notes and convertible bonds due through 2006, cumulative cash dividend payments by the Company are not to exceed an amount equivalent to accumulated net income of the Company earned during the years such securities are outstanding plus ¥10,000 million (for certain indentures ¥10,100 million).

7. Research and development expenses

For the year ended of March 31, 2000, Research and development expenses was ¥19,905 million (\$187,518 thousand).

8. Other income (expenses): other, net

Other income (expenses): other, net in the consolidated statements of operations is comprised as follows:

		Thousands of U.S. dollars		
	2000	1999	1998	2000
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	¥ (1,317)	¥ (1,382)	¥ (993)	\$ (12,407)
Gain (loss) on sales of marketable securities and investments in securities	266	(1,077)	799	2,506
Foreign exchange loss, net	(7,774)	(11,411)	(1,654)	(73,236)
Gain on cancellation of the shipbuilding contracts	2,053	_	_	19,341
Write down of marketable securities, investments in securities and others	(3,917)	_	_	(36,901)
Prior-period retirement allowance	(2,744)	_	_	(25,850)
Other, net	(2,386)	(1,853)	(1,967)	(22,478)
Total	¥ (15,819)	¥(15,723)	¥ (3,815)	\$ (149,025)

9. Income taxes

Income taxes in Japan applicable to the Company and its domestic consolidated subsidiaries consist of corporation tax (national tax) and enterprise tax and inhabitants taxes (local taxes) which, in the aggregate, result in normal statutory tax rates of approximately 41.9 percent for the year ended March 31, 2000 and 47.5 percent for the prior year.

Significant components of deferred tax assets and liabilities as of March 31, 2000 and 1999 are as follows:

	Millior	Millions of yen				
	2000	1999	2000			
Deferred tax assets						
Excess bonuses accrued	¥ 2,085	¥ 1,471	\$ 19,642			
Retirement benefits	5,872	2,684	55,318			
Estimated loss on uncompleted contracts	1,653	3,692	15,572			
Allowance for doubtful receivables	2,868	732	27,018			
Fixed assets - intercompany profits	1,046	1,127	9,854			
Depreciation	999	250	9,411			
Net operating loss carryforwards	4,844	3,262	45,634			
Other	6,499	8,798	61,225			
Gross deferred tax assets	25,866	22,016	243,674			
Less - Valuation allowance	(7,702)	(7,193)	(72,558)			
Total deferred tax assets	18,164	14,823	171,116			
Deferred tax liabilities						
Deferral of gain on sale of fixed assets	1,997	2,028	18,813			
Unrealized gain on uncompleted contracts	1,430	7,565	13,472			
Other	4,426	4,502	41,696			
Total deferred tax liabilities	7,853	14,095	73,981			
Net deferred tax assets	¥ 10,311	¥ 728	\$ 97,135			

10. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and affiliates

Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and affiliates as of March 31, 2000 and 1999 are as follows:

	Mil	lions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2000	1999	2000
Investments in securities	¥ 23,102	¥ 24,570	\$ 217,635

11. Contingent liabilities

Contingent liabilities as of March 31, 2000 and 1999 are as follows:

	Millions of yen					ousands of .S. dollars
	2000		2000 1999		2000	
As drawer of trade notes discounted	¥	355	¥	721	\$	3,344
As endorser of trade notes		36		60		339
As guarantor of indebtedness of employees, unconsolidated subsidiaries						
and affiliates, and others	4	40,642		46,647		382,873

12. Finance leases

Finance lease information, as required to be disclosed in Japan, for the respective years is as follows:

(a) As lessee

The original cost of leased assets under non-capitalized finance leases and accumulated depreciation, assuming it is calculated on the straight-line method over lease terms, as of March 31, 2000 and 1999 are as follows:

	Millions of yen				nousands of J.S. dollars
	_	2000		1999	 2000
Property, plant and equipment	¥	13,793	¥	13,582	\$ 129,939
Accumulated depreciation		(6,816)		(6,309)	(64,211)
	¥	6,977	¥	7,273	\$ 65,728
Intangible assets	¥	379	¥	438	\$ 3,571
Accumulated amortization		(261)		(240)	(2,459)
	¥	118	¥	198	\$ 1,112

The present values of future minimum lease payments under non-capitalized finance leases as of March 31, 2000 and 1999 are as follows:

	M	Millions of yen				
	2000	1999			2000	
Current portion	¥ 2,55	6 ¥	2,654	\$	24,079	
Non-current portion	4,71	5	5,006		44,418	
Total	¥ 7,27	1 ¥	7,660	\$	68,497	

Lease payments and "as if capitalized" depreciation and amortization and interest expense for non-capitalized finance leases are as follows:

		Thousands of U.S. dollars			
	2000 1999 1998			2000	
Lease payments	¥ 3,076	¥ 3,094	¥ 3,419	\$ 28,978	
Depreciation and amortization	2,862	3,058	N/A	26,962	
Interest	230	277	N/A	2,167	

(b) As lessor

The original cost of leased assets under finance leases and accumulated depreciation, as of March 31, 2000 and 1999 are as follows:

		Million		ousands of .S. dollars		
		2000		1999		2000
Property, plant and equipment	¥	1,295	¥	2,069	\$	12,200
Accumulated depreciation		(714)		(1,025)		(6,726)
	¥	581	¥	1,044	\$	5,474

The present values of future minimum lease payments to be received under finance leases as of March 31, 2000 and 1999 are as follows:

		Millio		ousands of .S. dollars		
		2000		1999	2000	
Current portion	¥	173	¥	288	\$	1,630
Non-current portion		489		811		4,607
Total	¥	662	¥	1,099	\$	6,237

Lease payments received, depreciation and amortization and interest on finance leases are as follows:

	Millions of yen						usands of 6. dollars	
	2000		1999		1998		2000	
Lease payments received	¥	218	¥	325	¥	334	\$	2,054
Depreciation and amortization		147		276		N/A		1,385
Interest		38		50		N/A		358

13. Operating leases

The present values of future minimum lease payments under operating leases as of March 31, 2000 and 1999 are as follows:

		Millions of yen				Thousands of U.S. dollars	
	2	2000		1999		2000	
Current portion	¥	50	¥	302	\$	471	
Non-current portion		178		517		1,677	
Total	¥	228	¥	819	\$	2,148	

14. Derivative transactions

Since the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries operate internationally and have a substantial volume of export and import transactions, it enters into foreign currency exchange and option transactions in order to manage risk of fluctuations in exchange rates in relation to foreign currency denominated assets and liabilities.

The Company and its consolidated subsidiaries also enter into interest swap and option transactions to hedge against future fluctuations in interest rates on borrowings, primarily to fix, cap or collar interest rates on variable rate debt.

The Company and its consolidated subsidiaries's purpose for purchasing derivatives is to hedge against risks of fluctuations in currency exchange rates and interest rates rather to than be exposed to such risks through dealing or speculation. In order to minimize credit risk, the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries use only highly-rated international financial institutions as counterparty to derivative transactions.

The Company and its consolidated subsidiaries have established policies that restrict the use of derivative instruments, including limits as to the purpose, nature, type and amount, and that require reporting and review in order to control the use of derivatives and manage risk.

			Millions of yen				ousands of .S. dollars
			20	000			2000
			ontract mount		realized in (loss)		nrealized ain (loss)
Currency related	d contracts:						
Foreign excl	nange contracts						
Sell	U.S. dollars	¥	291	¥	8	\$	76
	Other currencies		240		3		28
Purchase	e German Marks		640		(66)		(622)
	U.S. dollars		570		9		85
	Pounds		515		13		122
	Euro		423		(10)		(94)
	Other currencies		1,003		(101)		(951)
Option contr	racts						
Sell option	ons						
Call	U.S. dollars		6,635		59		556
Purchase	e options						
Put	U.S. dollars		6,300		(39)		(368)
Total				¥	(124)	\$	(1,168)
Interest rate rela	ited contracts:			-			
Option contr	racts						
Collar	purchase	¥	3,000	¥	(8)	\$	(75)
Swap contra	cts						
Receive	fixed for variable rates		_		_		_
Receive	variable for fixed rates	9	92,000		(977)		(9,204)
Total				¥	(985)	\$	(9,279)

15. Segment information

Industry segments of the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries in prior years were classified into Transportation Equipment, Aerospace, Industrial Equipment and Other. Consumer products such as motorcycles, which were included in the Transportation Equipment segment, are separated from the Transportation Equipment segment and classified as the Consumer Products segment for the year ended March 31, 2000. Previously reported data have been restated accordingly. The Transportation Equipment segment manufactures and sells ships and rolling stock.

Operations within the Aerospace segment include the production and sale of airplanes, helicopters and airplane engines. Products manufactured and sold by the Industrial Equipment segment include boilers, prime movers, gas turbines, hydraulic, crushing, and construction machines, chemical and steel making plants, steel bridges and hospital respiration equipment. The Consumer Products segment manufactures and sells motorcycles and Jet Ski® personal watercraft. Operations in the Other segment involve trade, mediation of overseas sales and orders and other activities.

		Millions of yen													
							20	000							_
	External	In	tersegment		Total		Operating	Op	erating		Total		preciation		Capital
	sales		sales		sales		expenses	iı	ncome		assets	and a	mortization	exp	enditures
Transportation equipment	¥ 164,942	¥	1,857	¥	166,799	¥	176,534	¥	(9,735)	¥	159,783	¥	3,681	¥	2,793
Aerospace	219,447		5,981		225,428		214,633	-	10,795		201,494		4,536		6,437
Industrial equipment	417,865		34,597		452,462		463,738	(1	11,276)		441,886		9,928		8,677
Consumer products	277,176		1,986		279,162		269,621		9,541		208,780		11,095		16,485
Other	70,268		43,499		113,767		112,108		1,659		171,703		5,862		5,308
Total	1,149,698		87,920		1,237,618		1,236,634		984		1,183,646		35,102		39,700
Eliminations and corporate	_		(87,920)		(87,920)		(88,187)		267		23,160		(21)		(16)
Consolidated total	¥ 1,149,698	¥	_	¥	1,149,698	¥	1,148,447	¥	1,251	¥	1,206,806	¥	35,081	¥	39,684

		Millions of yen										
				19	999							
	External sales	Intersegment sales	Total sales	Operating expenses	Operating income	Total assets	Depreciation and amortization	Capital expenditures				
Transportation equipment	¥ 184,040	¥ 2,326	¥ 186,366	¥ 201,462	¥(15,096)	¥ 181,424	¥ 3,696	¥ 3,814				
Aerospace	228,618	6,152	234,770	216,392	18,378	227,397	4,602	4,596				
Industrial equipment	436,030	53,178	489,208	488,522	686	434,453	11,312	8,239				
Consumer products	270,021	4,747	274,768	259,132	15,636	188,316	9,888	17,449				
Other	83,480	44,138	127,618	125,461	2,157	192,349	5,134	8,046				
Total	1,202,189	110,541	1,312,730	1,290,969	21,761	1,223,939	34,632	42,144				
Eliminations and corporate	_	(110,541)	(110,541)	(110,446)	(95)	(19,082)	(25)	(1)				
Consolidated total	¥ 1,202,189	¥ —	¥ 1,202,189	¥ 1,180,523	¥ 21,666	¥ 1,204,857	¥ 34,607	¥ 42,143				

				Million	ns of yen			
				1	998			
	External sales	Intersegment sales	Total sales	Operating expenses	Operating income	Total assets	Depreciation and amortization	Capital expenditures
Transportation equipment	¥ 213,418	¥ 1,640	¥ 215,058	¥ 220,966	¥ (5,908)	¥ 163,551	¥ 3,652	¥ 2,885
Aerospace	255,328	6,173	261,501	240,962	20,539	218,618	4,695	3,823
Industrial equipment	485,353	53,608	538,961	521,358	17,603	444,082	10,592	9,787
Consumer products	259,107	3,825	262,932	246,158	16,774	198,657	8,695	10,729
Other	84,006	43,341	127,347	125,346	2,001	196,322	4,810	7,829
Total	1,297,212	108,587	1,405,799	1,354,790	51,009	1,221,230	32,444	35,053
Eliminations and corporate		(108,587)	(108,587)	(108,657)	70	1,676	(28)	(23)
Consolidated total	¥ 1,297,212	¥ —	¥ 1,297,212	¥ 1,246,133	¥ 51,079	¥ 1,222,906	¥ 32,416	¥ 35,030

		Thousands of U.S. dollars									
						20	000				
	External	Inter	segment	Total		Operating	Operating	Total	Depreciation	Capital	
	sales	S	sales	sales		expenses	income	assets	and amortization	expenditures	
Transportation equipment	\$ 1,553,858	\$	17,494	\$ 1,571,352	\$	1,663,062	\$(91,710)	\$ 1,505,257	\$ 34,677	\$ 26,312	
Aerospace	2,067,329	,	56,345	2,123,674		2,021,978	101,696	1,898,201	42,732	60,641	
Industrial equipment	3,936,552	3	25,926	4,262,478		4,368,705	(106,227)	4,162,845	93,528	81,743	
Consumer products	2,611,173		18,709	2,629,882		2,540,000	89,882	1,966,839	104,522	155,299	
Other	661,969	4	09,788	1,071,757		1,056,128	15,629	1,617,550	55,224	50,005	
Total	10,830,881	8	28,262	11,659,143	1	1,649,873	9,270	11,150,692	330,683	374,000	
Eliminations and corporate		(8	28,262)	(828,262)		(830,777)	2,515	218,182	(198)	(151)	
Consolidated total	\$10,830,881	\$	_	\$10,830,881	\$1	0,819,096	\$ 11,785	\$11,368,874	\$330,485	\$373,849	

Segment information by geographic area, as required to be disclosed in Japan, for the respective years is as follows:

						Millions	of y	yen				
						200	0					
		External sales	Iı	ntersegment sales		Total sales		Operating expenses		perating income		Total assets
Japan	¥	929,110	¥	148,766	¥	1,077,876	¥	1,082,344	¥	(4,468)	¥	1,084,113
North America		160,436		11,288		171,724		167,977		3,747		105,322
Europe		39,554		4,515		44,069		43,231		838		24,496
Asia		16,321		4,009		20,330		21,927		(1,597)		16,675
Other areas		4,277		128		4,405		4,318		87		1,894
Total		1,149,698		168,706		1,318,404		1,319,797		(1,393)		1,232,500
Eliminations and corporate		_		(168,706)		(168,706)		(171,350)		2,644		(25,694)
Consolidated total	¥	1,149,698	¥	_	¥	1,149,698	¥	1,148,447	¥	1,251	¥	1,206,806

		Millions of yen									
					199	9					
		External sales	Ir	ntersegment sales	Total sales		Operating expenses	Operating income		Total assets	
Japan	¥	982,857	¥	154,699	¥ 1,137,556	¥	1,110,276	¥ 27,280	¥	1,106,765	
North America		155,635		11,869	167,504		172,780	(5,276)		112,105	
Europe		46,287		6,252	52,539		51,224	1,315		25,736	
Asia		12,881		2,855	15,736		16,611	(875)		17,036	
Other areas		4,529		_	4,529		4,482	47		1,777	
Total		1,202,189		175,675	1,377,864		1,355,373	22,491		1,263,419	
Eliminations and corporate		_		(175,675)	(175,675)		(174,850)	(825)		(58,562)	
Consolidated total	¥	1,202,189	¥	_	¥ 1,202,189	¥	1,180,523	¥ 21,666	¥	1,204,857	

		Millions of yen										
			199	8								
	External sales	Intersegment sales	Total sales	Operating expenses	Operating income	Total assets						
Japan	¥ 1,105,123	¥ 125,662	¥ 1,230,785	¥ 1,183,543	¥ 47,242	¥ 1,096,854						
North America	127,613	9,830	137,443	136,519	924	120,853						
Europe	36,922	6,194	43,116	41,810	1,306	20,830						
Asia	23,056	682	23,738	21,398	2,340	5,987						
Other areas	4,498	_	4,498	4,353	145	1,669						
Total	1,297,212	142,368	1,439,580	1,387,623	51,957	1,246,193						
Eliminations and corporate		(142,368)	(142,368)	(141,490)	(878)	(23,287)						
Consolidated total	¥ 1,297,212	¥ —	¥ 1,297,212	¥ 1,246,133	¥ 51,079	¥ 1,222,906						

			Thousands of	U.S. dollars		
			200	0		
	External sales	Intersegment sales	Total sales	Operating expenses	Operating income	Total assets
Japan	\$ 8,752,803	\$ 1,401,470	\$10,154,273	\$10,196,364	\$(42,091)	\$10,213,029
North America	1,511,408	106,340	1,617,748	1,582,449	35,299	992,200
Europe	372,624	42,534	415,158	407,263	7,895	230,768
Asia	153,754	37,767	191,521	206,566	(15,045)	157,089
Other areas	40,292	1,206	41,498	40,679	819	17,842
Total	10,830,881	1,589,317	12,420,198	12,433,321	(13,123)	11,610,928
Eliminations and corporate		(1,589,317)	(1,589,317)	(1,614,225)	24,908	(242,054)
Consolidated total	\$10,830,881	\$ —	\$10,830,881	\$10,819,096	\$ 11,785	\$11,368,874

(c) Corporate assets

Included in eliminations and corporate in (a) and (b) above under total assets are corporate assets of \(\frac{\pmax}{\pmax}33,062\) million (\(\frac{\pmax}{\pmax}11,465\) thousand), \(\frac{\pmax}{\pmax}34,540\) million and \(\frac{\pmax}{\pmax}59,245\) million at March 31, 2000, 1999 and 1998, respectively, which are mainly comprised of cash and time deposits of the Company.

(d) Overseas sales

Overseas sales consist of the total sales of the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries made outside of Japan. Overseas sales information, as required to be disclosed in Japan, for the respective years is as follows:

	Millions of yen	%	Millions of ven	%	Millions of ven	%	Thousands of U.S. dollars
		000	1999		19	2000	
	Overseas sales	% against net sales	Overseas sales	% against net sales	Overseas sales	% against net sales	Overseas sales
North America	¥ 221,272	19.2%	¥ 231,159	19.2%	¥179,235	13.8%	\$ 2,084,522
Europe	93,984	8.2%	87,683	7.3%	66,806	5.1%	885,389
Asia	75,058	6.5%	70,845	5.9%	99,413	7.7%	707,094
Other areas	71,191	6.2%	81,453	6.8%	102,599	7.9%	670,664
Total	¥ 461,505	40.1%	¥ 471,140	39.2%	¥448,053	34.5%	\$ 4,347,669

Report of Independent Public Accountants

To the Shareholders and the Board of Directors of Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd.:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd. (a Japanese corporation) and subsidiaries as of March 31, 2000 and 1999, and the related consolidated statements of operations and shareholders' equity for each of the three years in the period ended March 31, 2000 and cash flows for each of the two years in the period ended March 31, 2000, expressed in Japanese yen. Our audits were made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards in Japan and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly the consolidated financial position of Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd. and subsidiaries as of March 31, 2000 and 1999, and the consolidated results of their operations for each of the three years in the period ended March 31, 2000 and their cash flows for each of the two years in the period ended March 31, 2000 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan which, except for the change in the method of segmentation referred to in Note 15, were applied on a consistent basis.

Also, in our opinion, the U.S. dollar amounts in the accompanying consolidated financial statements have been translated from Japanese yen on the basis set forth in Note 1.

Asahi & Co.

(Member Firm of Andersen Worldwide SC)

Asahi & Co.

Kobe, Japan June 29, 2000

Statement on Accounting Principles and Auditing Standards

This statement is to remind users that accounting principles and auditing standards and their application in practice may vary among nations and therefore could affect, possibly materially, the reported financial position and results of operations. The accompanying financial statements are prepared based on accounting principles generally accepted in Japan, and the auditing standards and their application in practice are those generally accepted in Japan. Accordingly, the accompanying financial statements and the auditors' report presented above are for users familiar with Japanese accounting principles, auditing standards and their application in practice.

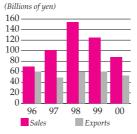
Supplementary Information on Non-Consolidated Results

Years ended March 31

Ships

(Billions of yen)

	96	97	98	99	00
Sales	69.5	100.6	154.5	124.9	88.0
Exports	60.0	49.0	59.4	60.2	52.4
Orders Received	119.3	56.3	120.9	86.5	60.6
Order Backlog	269.1	243.5	213.6	168.0	130.1





Major Orders

- 7 Container ships
- 1 Bulk carrier
- 1 Submarine
- Canceled: 3 VLCCs

Major Components of Sales

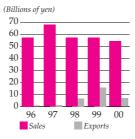
- VLCC (Very Large Crude-oil Carrier)
- LNG carrier
- LPG carrier
- Pure car carrier
- RO/RO Ship
- Patrol Ship
- Submarine
- Deep submergence rescue vehicle

Rolling Stock

(Billions of yen)

	50	,,	,,,	,,	00
Sales	57.3	68.0	57.1	57.2	54.2
Exports	0.3	1.3	6.7	15.9	7.0
Orders Received	72.0	62.0	77.0	85.1	72.5
Order Backlog	71.6	67.2	87.5	111.5	125.2

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Major Orders

- 388 cars for JR Group, including 131 Shinkansen cars
- 147 cars for other domestic railways
- 70 cars for Hong Kong

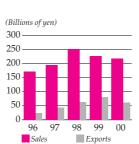
Major Components of Sales

- 246 cars for JR Group, including 87 Shinkansen cars
- 235 cars for other domestic railways
- 24 subway cars for Singapore
- 8 electric locomotives for Panama

Aerospace

(Billions of yen)

	96	97	98	99	00
Sales	171.8	194.9	252.3	226.8	217.9
Exports	23.4	43.4	63.2	81.1	61.0
Orders Received	198.5	212.8	223.9	217.4	192.6
Order Backlog	324.9	349.7	323.0	308.6	272.0





Major Orders

- T-4 intermediate jet trainers
- CH-47J large transport helicopters
- OH-1 light observation helicopters
- Helicopter engines
- Gas turbine engines for naval vessels
- Component parts for the Boeing 767 and 777
- Component parts for V2500, RB211/Trent and PW4000 turbo-fan engines

Major Components of Sales

- \bullet T-4 intermediate jet trainers
- CH-47J large transport helicopters
- OH-1 light observation helicopters
- UP-3D fleet EW training support aircraft
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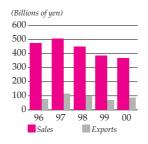
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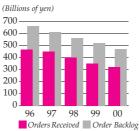
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Backlog

	96	97	98	99	00
Sales	475.2	505.1	451.6	385.0	368.7
Exports	75.2	114.7	97.6	68.3	86.3
Orders Received	465.3	450.0	400.6	349.6	323.6
Order					

663.3 612.7 562.4 520.6 471.9





Major Orders

- Municipal refuse incineration plants and plant modifications for dioxin reduction
- Flue gas desulfurization plant from Taiwan
- Acrylic fiber manufacturing plant from China
- Marine gas turbines and diesel engines from domestic and overseas customers
- Natural gas compression modules from Malaysia
- Bridges
- Container cranes

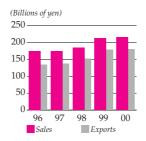
Major Components of Sales

- Municipal refuse incineration plants and plant modifications for dioxin reduction
- Cogeneration power plant for a domestic steel manufacturer
- Hot strip mill for a domestic steel manufacturer
- Cattle-feed / food additive production plants to the United Sates
- Heat recovering boiler to India
- Baggage and cargo handling systems for China
- Marine gas turbines and diesel engines for domestic and overseas customers
- Shield machines and tunnel boring machines

Consumer Products

(Billions of yen)

	96	97	98	99	00
Sales	175.2	174.4	184.7	213.1	216.0
Exports	134.1	137.3	151.7	178.6	180.8
Orders Received	173.8	177.4	185.3	211.7	216.5
Order Backlog	14.7	17.7	17.9	21.4	21.6



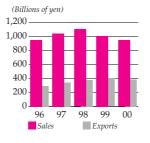


Sales of motorcycles in the United States and Europe remained robust and motorcycle demand in Asia also recovered. Sales of ATVs (All-Terrain Vehicles) and *MULE* utility vehicles also rose in the United States. As a result, despite the effects of the strong yen, sales rose slightly compared with the previous year.

Total

(Billions of yen)

	50	,,	,,,	,,	00
Sales	949.0	1,043.0	1,100.2	1,007.0	944.8
Exports	293.0	345.7	378.6	404.1	387.5
Orders Received	1,028.9	958.5	1,007.7	950.3	865.8
Order Backlog	1,343.6	1,290.8	1,204.4	1,130.1	1,020.8





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Name	Location	Paid-in Capital (Millions of yen, unless otherwise noted)	Equity (% ownership by KHI, unless otherwise noted)	Principal Businesses
Transportation Equipment				
Kawasaki Rolling Stock Engineering Co., Ltd.	Japan	140	100.00	Manufacture and repair of parts and components for rolling stock; design of rolling stock
Kawasaki Industrial Co., Ltd.	Japan	125	98.71	Construction of arcades; manufacture and inspection of high-pressure containers; maintenance and repair of rolling stock
Kawasaki Rail Car, Inc.	U.S.A.	US\$60,600*	100.00	Engineering, manufacture, sales and after-sales service of rolling stock in the United States
Nangtong Cosco KHI Ship Engineering Co., Ltd.+	China	US\$80,000*	50.00	Manufacture and sale of ships
Aerospace				
Kawasaki Helicopter System Ltd.	Japan	200	100.00	Transportation of passengers or cargo by helicopter; maintenance and repair of helicopters and flight training services; research, design and construction of heliports
Advanced Technology Institute of Commuter-Helicopter †	Japan	8,025	19.40	Research and development of basic technology for commuter helicopters
Japan Aircraft Manufacturing Co., Ltd.†	Japan	6,048	25.70	Manufacture and sale of aircraft parts
Industrial Equipment				
Kawasaki Safety Service Industries, Ltd.	Japan	1,708	72.69	Manufacture, sale and installation of hospital respiration, fire-extinguishing and medical equipment
Kawasaki Thermal Engineering Co., Ltd.	Japan	1,460	83.01	Manufacture, sale and installation of general purpose boilers and air-conditioning equipment
Kawasaki Hydromechanics Corporation	Japan	272	99.71	Manufacture, sale and installation of hydraulic presses and various hydraulic equipment
Kawasaki Construction Co., Ltd.	Japan	300	100.00	Installation of steel structures
Kawasaki Machine Systems, Nishi-Nihon Ltd.	Japan	104	100.00	Sale and repair of industrial machinery and equipment
Kawasaki Machine Systems, Naka-Nihon Ltd.	Japan	112	100.00	Sale and repair of industrial machinery and equipment
Nichijo Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	Japan	120	50.04	Manufacture and sale of snow removal equipment
Kawasaki Construction Machinery Corp. of America	U.S.A.	US\$8,000*	100.00 (owned by Kawasaki Motors Corp., U.S.A.)	Manufacture and sale of construction machinery in the United States
Kawasaki Precision Machinery (UK) Limited	U.K.	£5,000*	100.00	Manufacture and sale of hydraulic products
Wuhan Kawasaki Marine Machinery Co., Ltd.	China	1,100	55.00	Manufacture, sale and after-sales service of Kawasaki-branded azimuth thrusters and side-thrusters, and other machinery
Kawasaki Setsubi Kogyo Co., Ltd. [†]	Japan	1,581	33.62	Design and installation of air conditioning, heating/cooling, plumbing and hygiene, lighting and power equipment and facilities
Japan Gas Turbine K.K.†	Japan	1,500	40.00	Sale, assembly, site engineering support, repair, testing, pilot operation, installation and arrangement of power generation equipment, plus related service-based businesses
Shanghai Cosco Kawasaki Heavy Industries Steel Structure Co., Ltd.†	China	US\$14,900*	40.00	Manufacture and sale of steel structures

Name	Location	Paid-in Capital (Millions of yen, unless otherwise noted)	Equity (% ownership by KHI, unless otherwise noted)	Principal Businesses
Consumer Products				
Kawasaki Motors Corporation Japan	Japan	560	100.00	Domestic wholesale of motorcycles and Jet Ski® personal watercraft
Kawasaki Metal Industries, Ltd.	Japan	350	100.00	Manufacture, processing and assembly of various steel products
Kawasaki Motors Manufacturing Corp., U.S.A.	U.S.A.	US\$30,000*	100.00	Manufacture of motorcycles, all-terrain vehicles (ATVs), Jet Ski® personal watercraft, small gasoline engines and industrial robots
Kawasaki Motors Corp., U.S.A.	U.S.A.	US\$65,900*	100.00	Distribution of motorcycles, all-terrain vehicles (ATVs), Jet Ski® personal watercraft and small gasoline engines in the United States
Kawasaki Motors Finance Corporation	U.S.A.	US\$10,000*	100.00 (owned by Kawasaki Motors Corp., U.S.A.)	Inventory financing for dealers of Kawasaki Motors Corp., U.S.A.
KM Receivables Corporation	U.S.A.	US\$100	100.00 (owned by KMFC)	Management of accounts receivables of Kawasaki Motors Finance Corporation
Canadian Kawasaki Motors Inc.	Canada	C\$2,000*	100.00	Distribution of motorcycles, all-terrain vehicles (ATVs), and Jet Ski® personal watercraft in Canada
Kawasaki Motors (UK) Ltd.	U.K.	£2,000*	100.00	Distribution of motorcycles, all-terrain vehicles (ATVs), and Jet Ski® personal watercraft in the United Kingdom
Kawasaki Motoren GmbH	Germany	DM12,300*	100.00	Distribution of motorcycles, all-terrain vehicles (ATVs), and Jet Ski® personal watercraft in Germany
Kawasaki Motors Pty. Ltd.	Australia	A\$2,000*	100.00	Distribution of motorcycles, all-terrain vehicles (ATVs), and Jet Ski® personal watercraft in Australia
P.T. Kawasaki Motor Indonesia	Indonesia	US\$10,000*	51.00	Manufacture and distribution of motorcycles in Indonesia
Kawasaki Motors (Phils.) Corporation	Philippines	P101,430*	50.001	Manufacture and distribution of motorcycles in the Philippines
Kawasaki Motors Enterprise (Thailand) Co., Ltd.	Thailand	B1,400,000*	75.50	Manufacture and distribution of motorcycles in Thailand
Kawasaki Robotics (U.S.A.), Inc.	U.S.A.	US\$1,000*	100.00 (owned by Kawasaki Motors Corp., U.S.A.)	Sales and after-sales service of industrial robots in the United States
Kawasaki Robotics (UK) Ltd.	U.K.	£917*	100.00	Sales and after-sales service of industrial robots in the U.K. and Ireland
Kawasaki Machine Systems Korea Ltd.	Korea	W1,500**	100.00	Sale and after-sales service of industrial robots, robot systems and other industrial machinery
Hainan Sundiro-Kawasaki Engine Co., Ltd.†	China	US\$29,900*	33.00	Manufacture and sale of motorcycle engines
Other				
Kawaju Shoji Co., Ltd.	Japan	600	70.00	Trading
Kawaju Real Estate Co., Ltd.	Japan	320	100.00	Administration of Company welfare facilities; real estate sales, leasing and construction
Kawasaki Kosan Co., Ltd.	Japan	300	100.00	Insurance representation; real estate leasing, administration and maintenance; leasing and provision of loans
Kawasaki Foods Co., Ltd.	Japan	160	100.00	Food supply to Company facilities; operation of dining facilities

Name	Location	Paid-in Capital (Millions of yen, unless otherwise noted)	Equity (% ownership by KHI, unless otherwise noted)	Principal Businesses
Kawaju Tomakomai Kanko Kaihatsu Co., Ltd.	Japan	300	100.00	Management of a golf course
Uji Kanko Co., Ltd.	Japan	240	100.00	Management of a golf course
Kawasaki do Brasil Industria e Comércio Ltda.	Brazil	R1,136*	100.00	Sale of KHI products in Brazil, and the rest of Central and South America; provision of order intermediation and various engineering services
Kawasaki Heavy Industries (U.S.A.), Inc.	U.S.A.	US\$600*	100.00	Product sales, mediation of orders and provision of various engineering support services in North America
Kawasaki Heavy Industries (UK) Ltd.	U.K.	£500*	100.00	Sale of KHI products in various countries in Europe (principally the U.K.), the Middle East, and Africa; provision of order intermediation services

(As of March 31, 2000)

^{*} Monetary unit in thousands
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Incorporated: 1896

Paid-in Capital:

¥81,426,590,792

Number of Shares Outstanding: 1,390,595,964 shares

Number of Shareholders:

128,242

Number of Employees:

29,772

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