

# Reference Materials Nine-Month Period Ended December 31,2015

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A number of factors could cause actual results to be materially different from and worse than those discussed in forward-looking statements. Such factors include, but not limited to:

- 1. changes in economic conditions affecting our operations;
- 2. fluctuations in currency exchange rates, particularly with respect to the value of the Japanese yen, the U.S. dollar and the Euro;
- SQUARE ENIX GROUP's ability to continue to win acceptance of our products and services, which are
  offered in highly competitive markets characterized by the continuous introduction of new products and
  services, rapid developments in technology, and subjective and changing consumer
  preferences;
- 4. SQUARE ENIX GROUP's ability to expand international success with a focus on our businesses; and
- 5. regulatory developments and changes and our ability to respond and adapt to those changes.

The forward-looking statements regarding earnings contained in these materials were valid at the time these materials were drafted. SQUARE ENIX GROUP assumes no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements, including forecasts or projections, whether as a result of new information, subsequent events or otherwise.

The financial information presented in this document is prepared according to generally accepted accounting principles in Japan.

## Results for the Nine-Month Period Ended December 31, 2015

#### **Billions of Yen**

	Apr - Dec	, 2014	Apr - Dec,		
		%		%	Change
Net Sales	118.9	100%	152.8	100%	+33.9
Operating Income	14.8	12%	23.8	16%	+9.0
Recurring Income	16.5	14%	24.2	16%	+7.7
Profit attributable to owners of parent	10.9	9%	13.5	9%	+2.6

## (Ref.) Full-Year Forecasts (Consolidated)

#### **Billions of Yen**

	Fiscal Year Ended 3/15	Fiscal Year Ending 3/16	Change
Net Sales	167.9	200.0~220.0	32.1~52.1
Operating Income	16.4	17.0~25.0	0.6~8.6
Recurring Income	16.9	17.0~25.0	0.1~8.1
Profit attributable to owners of parent	9.8	11.0~18.0	1.2~8.2

# Results for the Nine-Month Period ended December 31, 2015 by Business Segment

#### 1. Results for the Nine-Month Period Ended December 31, 2015

(Billions of Yen)

	Digital Entertainment	Amusement	Publication	Merchandising	Eliminations or unallocated	Total
Net Sales	110.1	31.8	7.7	3.6	(0.4)	152.8
Operating Income	23.1	4.4	1.9	1.2	(6.8)	23.8
Operating Margin	21.0%	13.7%	24.9%	32.8%	_	15.6%

#### 2. Results for the Nine-Month Period Ended December 31, 2014

(Billions of Yen)

	Digital Entertainment	Amusement	Publication	Merchandising	Eliminations or unallocated	Total
Net Sales	75.5	31.2	9.3	3.1	(0.2)	118.9
Operating Income	14.1	3.3	2.7	1.1	(6.3)	14.8
Operating Margin	18.7%	10.4%	29.0%	33.9%	_	12.5%

#### 3. Change (1-2)

(Billions of Yen)

	Digital Entertainment	Amusement	Publication	Merchandising	Eliminations or unallocated	Total
Net Sales	34.7	0.5	(1.6)	0.5	(0.2)	33.9
Operating Income	9.0	1.1	(8.0)	0.1	(0.5)	9.0

# Transition of achievements by Business Segment

## **Net Sales(consolidated)**

(Billions of yen)

	FY Ending 2016/3			(Ref.) FY Ended 2015/3				
	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Jan-Mar	Full-year
Digital Entertainment	30.3	29.9	49.9	23.5	20.3	31.7	36.5	111.9
Amusement	8.5	10.5	12.7	11.0	10.3	9.9	9.5	40.7
Publication	2.7	2.3	2.7	2.6	3.6	3.0	2.3	11.5
Merchandising	1.2	1.4	1.1	0.7	1.3	1.2	0.9	4.0
Eliminations or unallocated	(0.3)	(0.1)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.0)	(0.1)	(0.1)	(0.3)
Total	42.3	44.1	66.4	37.8	35.4	45.7	49.0	167.9

### **Operating Income(consolidated)**

(Billions of yen)

	FY Ending 2016/3			(Ref.) FY Ended 2015/3				
	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	Jan-Mar	Full-year
Digital Entertainment	8.2	4.7	10.2	4.5	3.4	6.2	3.2	17.3
Amusement	0.9	1.2	2.2	1.5	0.8	0.9	0.4	3.6
Publication	0.7	0.4	0.9	0.6	1.1	0.9	0.6	3.2
Merchandising	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.1	1.2
Eliminations or unallocated	(2.3)	(2.2)	(2.4)	(1.8)	(2.4)	(2.1)	(2.6)	(8.9)
Total	7.9	4.7	11.2	5.1	3.4	6.3	1.6	16.4



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