Financial Results for the Quarter ended September 30, 2022

KITO CORPORATION TSE Prime Market: 6409 October 27, 2022

FY2022 Q2 Summary

JPY in million	FY2021 Q2	FY2022 Q2	YoY Change
Net sales	28,293	35,859	+26.7%
Op income	2,459	2,652	+7.9%
Ord. income	2,412	3,196	+32.5%
Net income *	1,678	2,156	+28.5%

* Net Income attributable to owners of parent

- Sales, operating income, ordinary income and net income all reached record high.
- North American market covers other regions where demand is weakening.
- Focused on securing profit by improving production efficiency and reviewing sales prices.

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FY2022 Q2 Financial Highlight

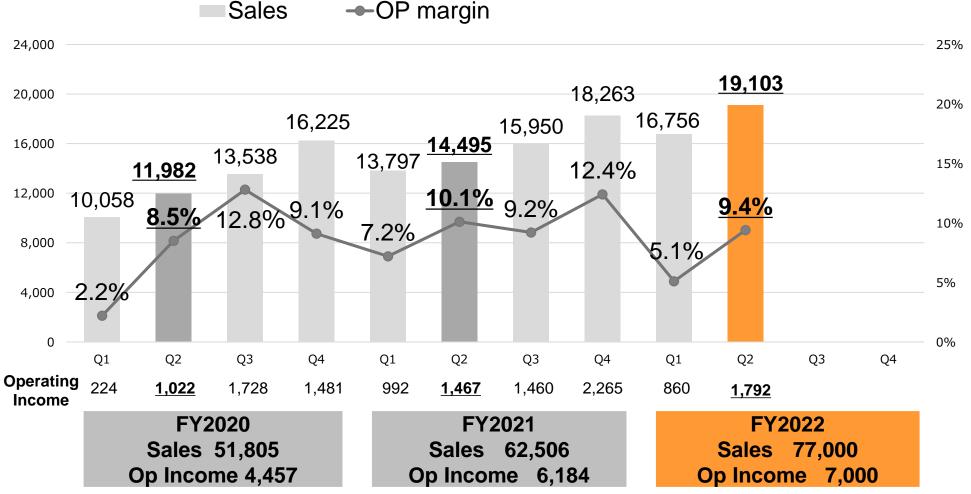
JPY in million	FY2020 Q2	FY2021 Q2	FY2022 Q2	YoY Change			
Sales	22,041	28,293	35,859	+26.7%			
Gross Profit Gross Profit/ Sales	7,973 36.2%	10,151 _{35.9%}	12,636 35.2%	+24.5%			
Operating Income Operating Income / Sales	1,247 5.7%	2,459 _{8.7%}	2,652 7.4%	+7.9%			
Ordinary Income Ordinary Income / Sales	1,213 5.5%	2,412 8.5%	3,196 8.9%	+32.5%			
Net Income / Sales	166 0.8%	1,678 5.9%	2,156 6.0%	+28.5%			
EBITDA Op Income + Depreciation	2,709	3,977	4,188				
Note: Exchange Rate (FY2021 Q2 → FY2022 Q2)							

USD/JPY 109.8 \rightarrow 134.0 CAD/JPY 88.3 \rightarrow 103.8 EUR/JPY 130.9 \rightarrow 138.7 RMB/JPY 16.7 \rightarrow 18.9

Quarterly Net Sales and Operating Margin

Record high performance due to a strong demand environment, especially in North America, and the impact of foreign exchange

JPY in million

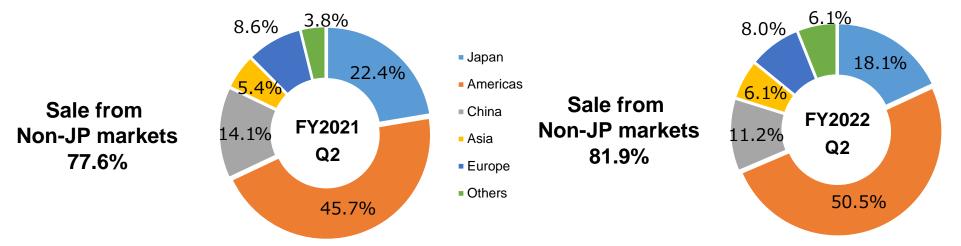


Net Sales by Region

JPY in million		FY202	FY2020 Q2		FY2021 Q2		FY2022 Q2		nange
			% share		% share		% share	Amount	%
Total		22,041	100.0%	28,293	100.0%	35,859	100.0%	7,566	26.7%
	Japan	5,660	25.7%	6,325	22.4%	6,487	18.1%	162	2.6%
	The Americas	9,522	43.2%	12,907	45.7%	18,106	50.5%	5,199	40.3%
	China	3,155	14.3%	3,997	14.1%	4,029	11.2%	32	0.8%
	Asia	1,385	6.3%	1,533	5.4%	2,176	6.1%	643	41.9%
	Europe	1,412	6.4%	2,444	8.6%	2,884	8.0%	439	18.0%
	Others	904	4.1%	1,084	3.8%	2,174	6.1%	1,090	100.6%

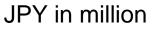
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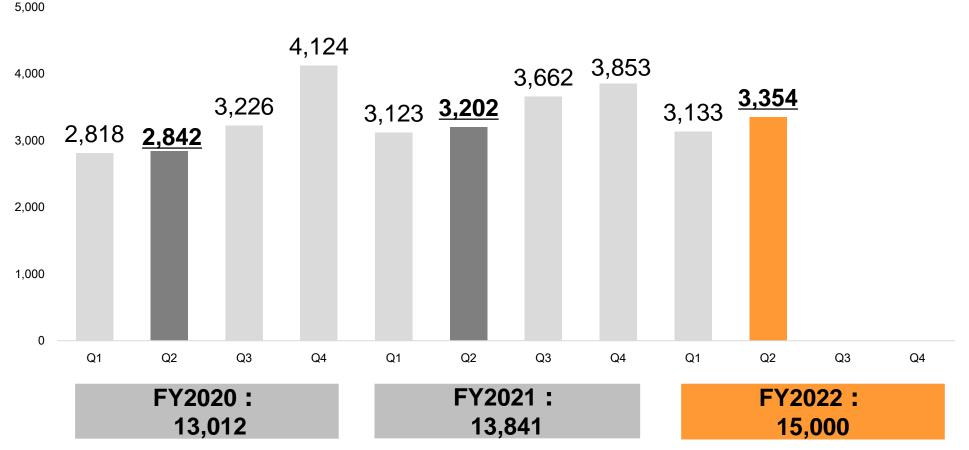
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Net Sales by Region (Japan)

- Wide range of industries, particularly small to mid-sized enterprises, cut production in response to the semiconductor shortage.
- Demand for construction in urban areas showed signs of recovery.

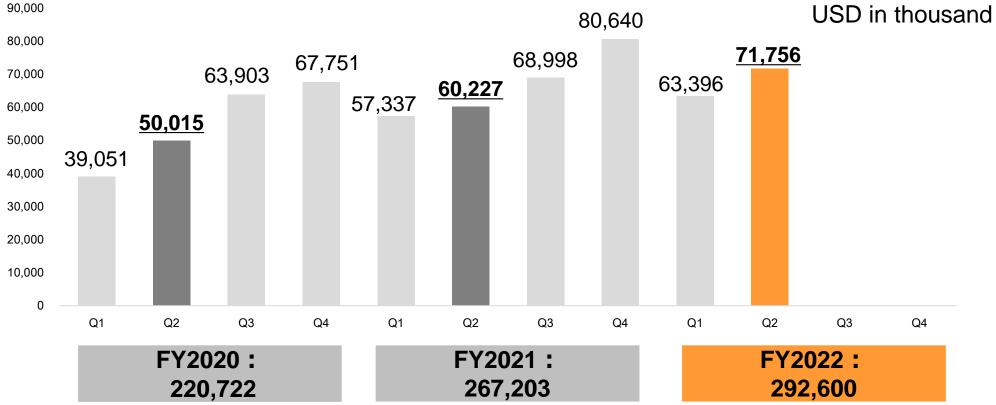




Net Sales by Region (Americas)

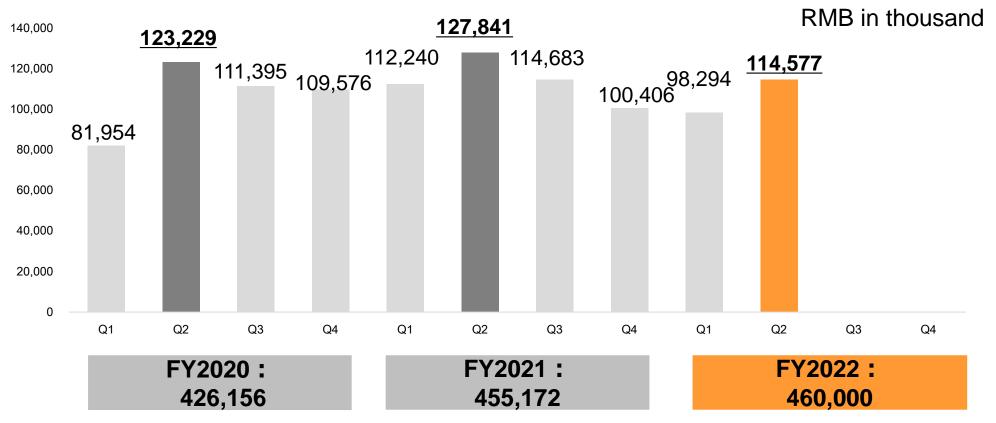
Our Business : The US business is composed of two pillars, hoist and crane business and sales and manufacturing of chain accessories, which was added after the acquisition of Peerless.

- Capex from private sector and investment for infrastructure continued.
- With the confusion in distribution, we focused on product supplies and maintaining service quality,



Our Business: The Chinese business is composed of two pillars, production and sales of wire-rope hoists for domestic market, and sales of Japanese high functioning products

- Strong demand continued, especially in domestic market.
- Far reaching measures by local authorities in response to COVID-19 impacted on economies.

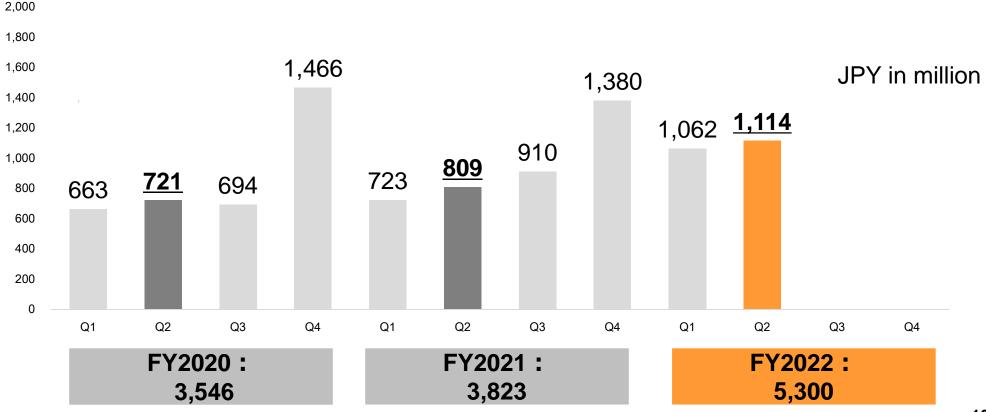


Net Sales by Region (Asia)

FY starts in Jan and ends in Dec: Thailand, Korea, Taiwan FY starts in Apr and ends in Mar: Indonesia, India

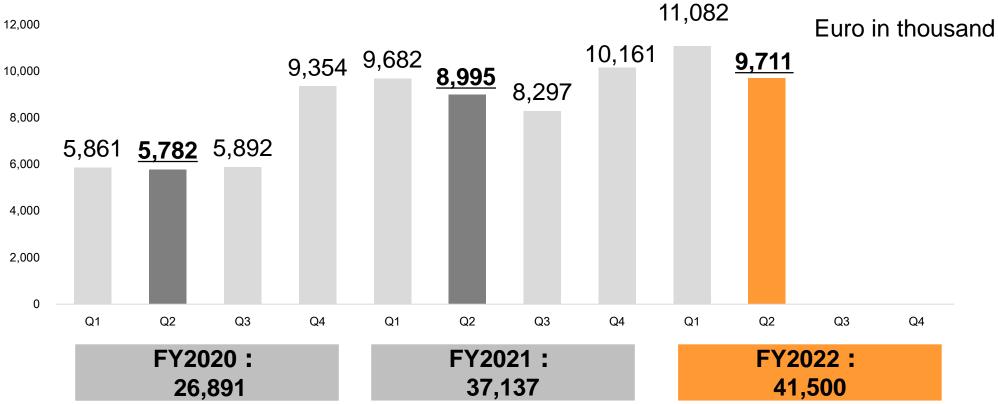
Our Business : The crane business in Thailand and South Korea is the mainstay of this segment. Improving profitability by strengthening hoist sales and maintenance services for crane.

- The business environment has been gradually recovering, with the lifting of restrictions on economic activities.

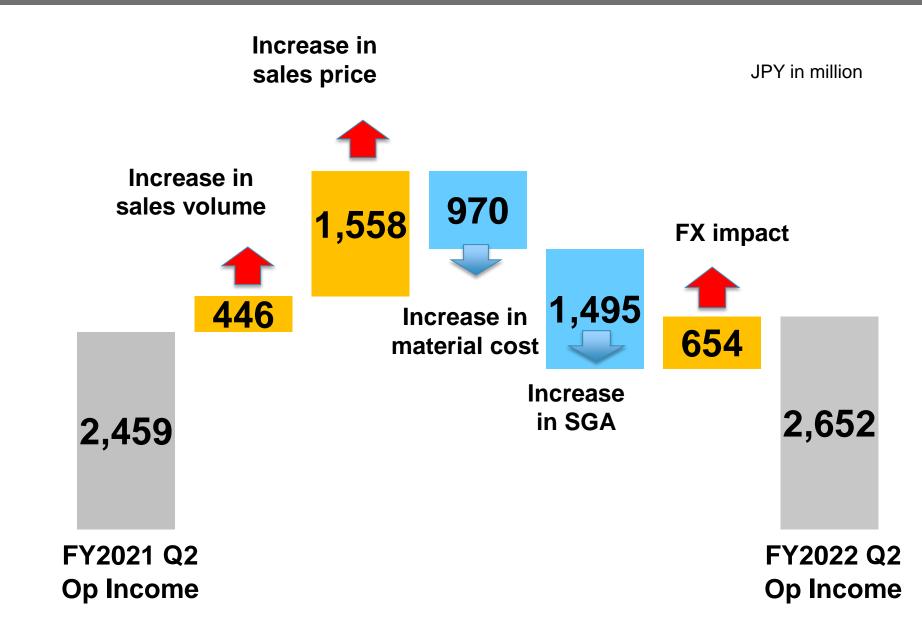


Net Sales by Region (Europe)

- Four European Group companies strengthened their cooperation to steadily capture solid demand in the region
- The impact of higher material and energy cost on profits became apparent.



Operating Income Comparison



Consolidated Balance Sheet (YoY change)

JPY in million		FY2021 Q2	FY2022 Q2	Change	JPY in million	FY2021 Q2	FY2022 Q2	Change
Current assets		42,329	54,070	11,740	Current liabilities	17,203	26,460	9,256
	Cash	10,961	10,243	(718)	Accounts payable	6,504	8,734	2,230
	Accounts receivable	10,646	14,451	3,805	Short-term debt *	4,908	9,266	4,358
	Inventories	18,858	27,945	9,087	Others	5,790	8,459	2,668
	Others	1,864	1,430	(433)				
Fi	xed assets	22,100	28,610	6,510	Fixed liabilities	14,675	13,526	(1,148)
•••		22,100	20,010	0,010	Long-term debt	11,007	9,159	(1,847)
	Tangible fixed assets	13,489	18,440	4,950	Others		,	
	Intangible fixed	4 740	5 200	549	Others	3,668	4,366	698
	assets	4,740	5,290	549	Total net assets	32,551	42,694	10,143
	Investment & 3,869 4,879 1,010		1,010		52,001	42,034	10,143	
Total assets		64,430	82,681	18,251	Total liabilities and net assets	64,430	82,681	18,251

* Includes Current portion of long-term loans payable

JPY in million	FY2021 Q2	FY2022 Q2	Change	<u>CF from operating activities</u> Income before income taxes 3,191
CF from operating activities	3,736	(292)	(4,028)	Depreciation and amortization1,356Decrease in trade receivables183Increase in inventories(3,520)
CF from investing activities	(1,983)	(2,127)	(144)	CF from investing activities
CF from financing activities	(4,697)	894	5,592	Acquisition of tangible fixed assets (1,839) Acquisition of intangible fixed assets (326)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	171	498	327	<u>CF from financing activities</u> Proceeds from short-term debt 17,307
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalent	(2,773)	(1,026)	1,746	Repayment of short-term debt(13,643)Repayment of long-term debt(2,016)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	10,951	10,243	(708)	

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FY2022 Forecast

- Revised initial forecast due to weaker yen and continued demand in North America
- Further expand customer services by strengthening e-commerce sites
- Contribute broadly to society using an environment-conscious supply chain and products and services that help secure safe work environments.

JPY in million	FY2021	FY2022 (May 16 forecast)	FY2022 (Revised on Sep 22)
Sales	62,506	70,000	77,000
Operating Income Operating Income / Sales	6,184 _{9.9%}	6,500 9.3%	7,000 9.1%
Ordinary Income Ordinary Income / Sales	6,415 10.3%	6,400 9.1%	7,100 9.2%
Net Income Net Income / Sales	4,563 7.3%	4,200 6.0%	5,000 6.5%
EBITDA Op Income +Depreciation	9,148	9,400	9,900
CAPEX	4,523	5,800	5,800

Note: Exchange Rate (FY2021 -> FY2022)

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FY2022 Forecast

Japan Sales forecast JPY 15 billion (up 8.4% YoY)

- **Market** Urban development and infra-related projects become apparent.
 - Economic recovery led by small and midsize companies is expected.
- Initiative Enhance sales by dedicating personnel to large projects.
 - steadily capture replacement demand
 - Improvement of the EC website and better customer service.

Americas Sales forecast JPY 39.5 billion (up 31.6% YoY)

- Market Firm demand for both private sector investment and infrastructure investment remained firm
 - Impact of material cost, disruptions in transportation, labor shortage needs careful watching.
- **Initiative** Differentiate from competitors and seek synergies between increased share and market expansion.
 - Review pricing and focus on reliable product supply and maintenance of customer-service quality.

FY2022 Forecast

China Sales forecast JPY 9.2 billion (up 18.8% YoY)

- Market Share growth is trending higher with increasing public awareness about environment and quality.
- Initiative Strengthen differentiation strategy by promoting safety value

Asia Sales forecast JPY 5.3 billion (up 38.6% YoY)

- Market LCD-related demand in South Korea is recovering
 - Emerging from prolonged period of stagnation
- Initiative Enhance services like crane maintenance and hoist sales.
 - Work to expand customer bases in Thailand and South Korea.

Europe Sales forecast JPY 5.6 billion (up 15.5% YoY)

- Market
- Stable demand despite geopolitical concerns
- Soaring energy costs must be closely monitored.
- Initiative Further business growth through synergy of cooperation among group companies

	JPY in million	FY2021		FY2022	Forecast	YoY Change	
	JF T III IIIIIIOII		% share		% share		% change
То	otal	62,506	100.0%	70,000	100.0%	<u>77,000</u>	100.0%
	Japan	13,841	22.1%	15,000	21.4%	15,000	19.5%
	Americas	30,025	48.0%	32,500	46.5%	<u>39,500</u>	51.3%
	China	7,747	12.4%	9,200	13.1%	9,200	11.9%
	Asia	3,823	6.1%	5,300	7.6%	5,300	6.9%
	Europe	4,848	7.8%	5,600	8.0%	5,600	7.3%
	Others	2,220	3.6%	2,400	3.4%	2,400	3.1%

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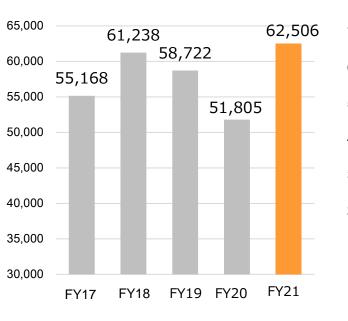
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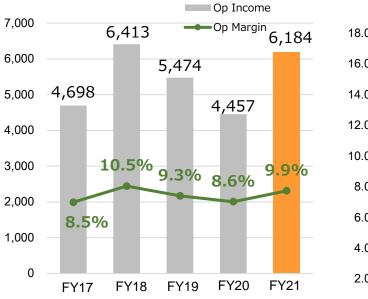
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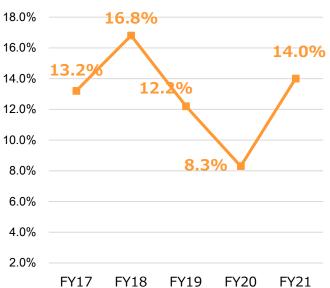
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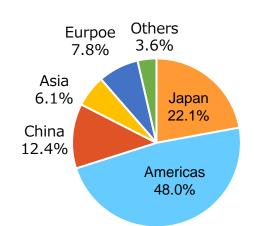
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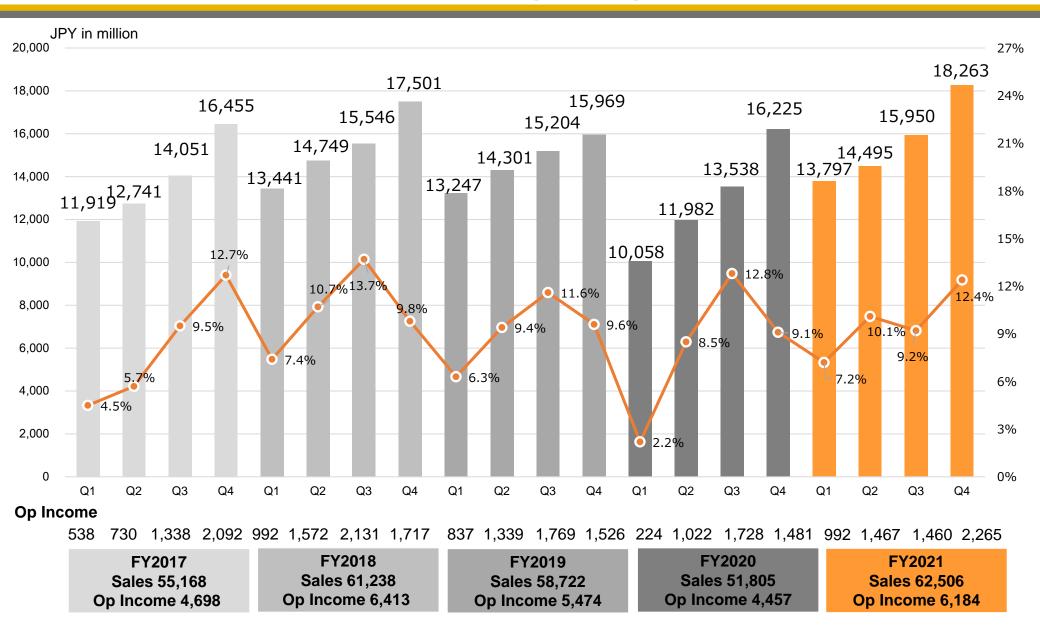


Sales by Region in FY2020

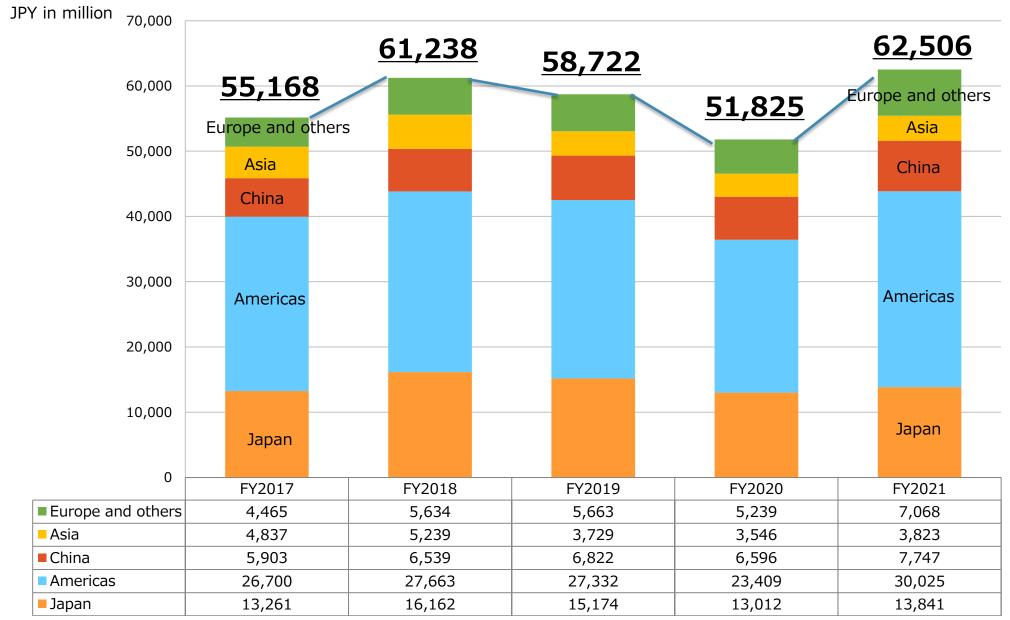


		FY2017	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020	FY2021
S	ales from Non JP Mkts	76.0%	73.6%	74.2%	74.9%	77.9%
A	verage FX Rate					
	USD/JPY	110.9	110.9	108.7	106.1	112.4
	CAD/JPY	86.5	84.6	81.8	80.3	89.7
	EUR/JPY	129.7	128.4	120.8	123.7	130.6
	RMB/JPY	16.6	16.7	15.8	15.5	17.0
С	apex (JPY in million)	1,411	1,416	1,689	2,504	4,510
D	epreciation (JPY in million)	2,116	2,470	2,711	2,697	2,647

Quarterly Sales and Operating Margin



Sales by Regions



Business Structure

Kito Advantages

A leading company in material handling equipment, hoists and crane, which are indispensable in lifting, transporting, and securing objects



At any stage of economic development

In all industries, in any country

Mature product with expanding demand

Product Domain

Cranes

- Three-dimensional movement made possible in combination with hoists

■ Hoists

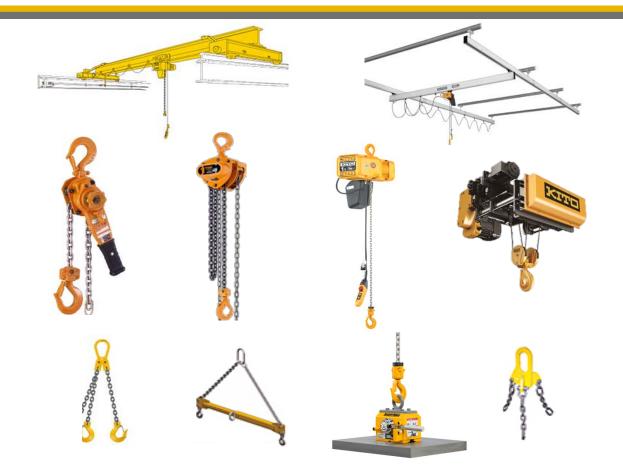
- Manual and electric chain hoists are core products
- Wire-rope hoists are the mainstay in China

Below Hook Devices

- Intermediary attachments for hoisting and loads

Various Chain

- Chain for transportation, moving, holding, hauling, etc.
- Shipping, agriculture, forestry, tires, and other industries





Expanding Customer Base



Strength of Kito Operations



Product Power Durability High performance

Safety High operability

Technological Advantages Response to complex customer needs with state-of-art technology (engineering)

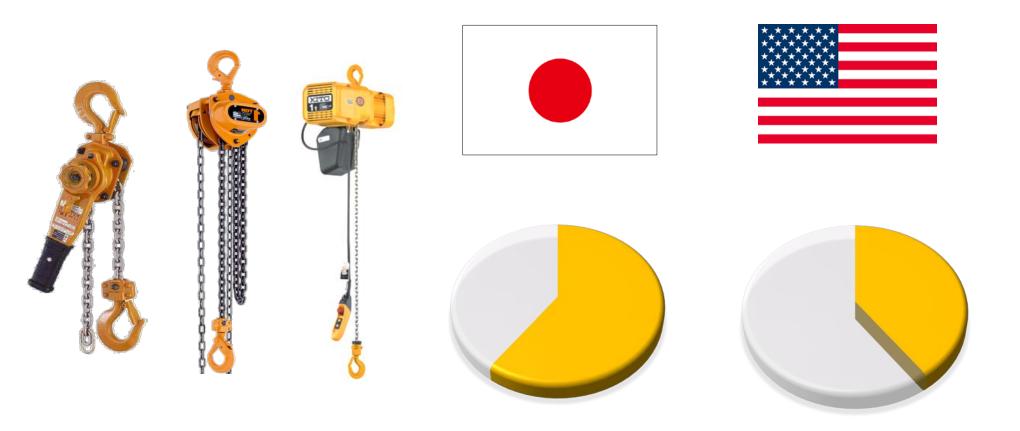
Service Network

Extensive network to provide service for high customer satisfaction



Differentiation with high value-added products and services
Strong reputation in markets demanding high quality

Global Share



Sales Growth in Overseas Markets

- Growth in overseas markets helped building a business portfolio with good regional balance.
 - Stable growth not depending on demand in any particular region

