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# TAKASHIMAYA FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Years ended February 28, 2015 and 2014

# CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

Takashimaya Company, Limited and Consolidated Subsidiaries  
February 28, 2015 and 2014

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 1)
	2015	2014	2015
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>Current assets:</b>			
Cash and deposits (Notes 4, 5 and 11)	¥ 87,888	¥106,452	\$ 736,883
Marketable securities (Notes 5, 6 and 11)	2,001	43,100	16,777
Notes and accounts receivable:			
Trade (Note 5)	119,528	105,621	1,002,163
Non-consolidated subsidiaries and affiliated companies (Note 5)	933	1,230	7,823
Other	12,721	11,062	106,657
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts (Note 5)	(446)	(440)	(3,740)
	132,736	117,473	1,112,903
Inventories (Note 7)	42,399	39,240	355,488
Deferred tax assets (Note 12)	8,501	7,222	71,275
Other current assets (Note 5)	14,623	18,635	122,604
Total current assets	288,148	332,122	2,415,930
<b>Investments and advances:</b>			
Investment securities (Notes 5 and 11)	120,761	64,676	1,012,501
Investments in and advances to:			
Non-consolidated subsidiaries and affiliated companies	6,279	41,215	52,645
Other	4,945	5,029	41,461
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts	(2,680)	(2,768)	(22,470)
	8,544	43,476	71,636
Total investments and advances	129,305	108,152	1,084,137
<b>Property and equipment:</b>			
Land (Notes 13, 17 and 23)	225,210	223,296	1,888,237
Buildings and structures (Note 13)	385,514	368,160	3,232,280
Equipment and fixtures	32,100	32,799	269,137
Lease assets	5,732	5,291	48,059
Construction in progress (Note 23)	2,582	1,476	21,648
	651,138	631,022	5,459,361
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(238,663)	(236,586)	(2,001,031)
Total property and equipment	412,475	394,436	3,458,330
<b>Leasehold and other deposits</b> (Notes 5, 8 and 11)	34,045	34,420	285,445
<b>Goodwill</b> (Note 22)	518	632	4,343
<b>Deferred tax assets</b> (Note 12)	6,133	4,293	51,421
<b>Other assets</b>	108,988	28,085	913,792
<b>Total assets</b> (Note 21)	¥979,612	¥902,140	\$8,213,398

See accompanying notes.

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 1)
	2015	2014	2015
<b>Current liabilities:</b>			
Short-term bank loans (Notes 5 and 9)	¥ 5,887	¥ 5,887	\$ 49,359
Current portion of long-term debt (Notes 5 and 9)	31,406	41,415	263,319
Notes and accounts payable:			
Trade (Note 5)	96,583	91,228	809,784
Non-consolidated subsidiaries and affiliated companies	4,976	4,673	41,720
Other	19,734	15,364	165,457
	121,293	111,265	1,016,961
Accrued income taxes (Note 12)	9,784	7,823	82,032
Accrued expenses	3,194	3,273	26,780
Allowance for directors' and corporate auditors' bonuses	33	17	277
Gift certificates outstanding	53,184	54,498	445,913
Advances received	79,321	78,126	665,054
Employees' saving deposits (Note 5)	15,563	15,746	130,485
Allowance for Point Gift Certificates	3,252	3,260	27,266
Asset retirement obligations	—	12	—
Other current liabilities (Note 5)	13,786	14,278	115,586
Total current liabilities	336,703	335,600	2,823,032
<b>Long-term debt</b> (Notes 5 and 9)	126,226	120,228	1,058,321
<b>Deposits from tenants</b>	26,979	24,889	226,201
<b>Allowance for employees' retirement benefits</b> (Note 15)	—	42,098	—
<b>Net defined benefit liability</b> (Note 15)	62,983	—	528,071
<b>Allowance for directors' and corporate auditors' retirement benefits</b>	311	254	2,608
<b>Deferred tax liabilities</b> (Note 12)	2,235	360	18,739
<b>Deferred tax liabilities related to land revaluation</b> (Note 17)	7,570	8,722	63,469
<b>Long-term accounts payable</b>	1,193	1,176	10,002
<b>Asset retirement obligations</b>	1,537	1,515	12,887
<b>Allowance for environmental measures</b>	623	647	5,223
<b>Other long-term liabilities</b>	4,774	1,738	40,027
Total liabilities	571,134	537,227	4,788,580
<b>Contingent liabilities</b> (Note 14)			
<b>Net assets</b> (Note 16)			
<b>Owners' equity:</b>			
Common stock	66,025	56,025	553,576
Authorized: 600,000 thousand shares			
Issued: 355,518,963 shares in 2015			
330,827,625 shares in 2014			
Capital surplus	55,086	45,086	461,860
Retained earnings	229,185	221,857	1,921,564
Less: Treasury stock, at cost: 960,573 shares in 2015			
946,227 shares in 2014	(563)	(549)	(4,720)
Total owners' equity	349,733	322,419	2,932,280
<b>Accumulated other comprehensive income:</b>			
Unrealized gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities, net of taxes	28,999	16,816	243,137
Unrealized gains (losses) on hedging derivatives, net of taxes	(2)	(1)	(17)
Land revaluation difference, net of taxes (Note 17)	6,455	8,538	54,121
Foreign currency translation adjustments	16,467	10,422	138,065
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans, net of taxes	(545)	—	(4,569)
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	51,374	35,775	430,737
<b>Minority interests in consolidated subsidiaries:</b>	7,371	6,719	61,801
Total net assets	408,478	364,913	3,424,818
<b>Total liabilities and net assets</b>	¥979,612	¥902,140	\$8,213,398

See accompanying notes.

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

Takashimaya Company, Limited and Consolidated Subsidiaries  
Years ended February 28, 2015 and 2014

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 1)
	2015	2014	2015
<b>Sales and other operating revenue (Note 21):</b>			
Net sales	¥851,374	¥845,785	\$7,138,207
Other operating revenue	61,149	58,395	512,694
	<b>912,523</b>	904,180	<b>7,650,901</b>
<b>Operating expenses:</b>			
Cost of sales	636,881	631,112	5,339,825
Selling, general and administrative expenses	243,619	243,969	2,042,584
	<b>880,500</b>	875,081	<b>7,382,409</b>
<b>Operating income (Note 21)</b>	<b>32,023</b>	29,099	<b>268,492</b>
<b>Other income (expenses):</b>			
Interest and dividend income	1,511	1,429	12,669
Interest expenses	(988)	(1,121)	(8,284)
Gain (loss) on sale and disposal of property and equipment, net	408	(3,543)	3,421
Loss (gain) on sale of securities, net	(0)	39	(0)
Gain on liquidation of gift certificates outstanding, net	151	178	1,266
Equity in gain of affiliated companies	2,906	2,482	24,365
Exchange gain (loss), net	13	409	109
Other, net	194	549	1,626
	<b>4,195</b>	422	<b>35,172</b>
<b>Income before income taxes and minority interests</b>	<b>36,218</b>	29,521	<b>303,664</b>
<b>Income taxes (Note 12):</b>			
Current	13,669	10,101	114,606
Deferred	(860)	(71)	(7,211)
	<b>12,809</b>	10,030	<b>107,395</b>
<b>Income before minority interests</b>	<b>23,409</b>	19,491	<b>196,269</b>
<b>Minority interests</b>	<b>(828)</b>	(775)	<b>(6,942)</b>
<b>Net income (Note 20)</b>	<b>¥ 22,581</b>	¥ 18,716	<b>\$ 189,327</b>

See accompanying notes.

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

Takashimaya Company, Limited and Consolidated Subsidiaries  
 Years ended February 28, 2015 and 2014

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 1)
	2015	2014	2015
<b>Income before minority interests</b>	<b>¥23,409</b>	¥19,491	<b>\$196,269</b>
<b>Other comprehensive income</b>			
Unrealized gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities, net of taxes	<b>11,959</b>	4,520	<b>100,268</b>
Unrealized gains (losses) on hedging derivatives, net of taxes	<b>(1)</b>	(2)	<b>(8)</b>
Foreign currency translation adjustments	<b>3,850</b>	5,272	<b>32,280</b>
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans, net of taxes	<b>3,069</b>	—	<b>25,731</b>
Share of other comprehensive income of associates accounted for using equity method	<b>2,464</b>	3,572	<b>20,659</b>
Total other comprehensive income (Note 3)	<b>21,341</b>	13,362	<b>178,930</b>
<b>Comprehensive income</b>	<b>44,750</b>	32,853	<b>375,199</b>
<b>Comprehensive income attributable to:</b>	<b>—</b>		
Owners of parent	<b>43,899</b>	32,078	<b>368,064</b>
Minority interests	<b>851</b>	775	<b>7,135</b>

See accompanying notes.

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

Takashimaya Company, Limited and Consolidated Subsidiaries  
Years ended February 28, 2015 and 2014

	Number of shares issued	Millions of yen				
		Common stock	Capital surplus	Retained earnings	Treasury stock, at cost	Total owners' equity
<b>Balance, February 28, 2013</b>	330,827,625	¥56,025	¥45,085	¥206,440	¥(536)	¥307,014
Cumulative effect of changes in accounting policies						—
Restated balance	330,827,625	56,025	45,085	206,440	(536)	307,014
Issuance of new shares—exercise of subscription rights to shares						(3,299)
Cash dividends paid				(3,299)		(3,299)
Net income for the fiscal year				18,716		18,716
Disposal of treasury stock and acquisition of treasury stock, net			1		(13)	(12)
Reversal of revaluation reserve for land						—
Net changes during the year						—
<b>Balance, February 28, 2014</b>	330,827,625	¥56,025	¥42,086	¥221,857	¥(549)	¥322,419
Cumulative effect of changes in accounting policies				(14,003)		(14,003)
Restated balance	<b>330,827,625</b>	<b>56,025</b>	<b>45,086</b>	<b>207,854</b>	<b>(549)</b>	<b>308,416</b>
Issuance of new shares—exercise of subscription rights to shares	<b>24,691,338</b>	<b>10,000</b>	<b>10,000</b>			<b>20,000</b>
Cash dividends paid				(3,333)		(3,333)
Net income for the fiscal year				22,581		22,581
Disposal of treasury stock and acquisition of treasury stock, net			—		(14)	(14)
Reversal of revaluation reserve for land				2,083		2,083
Net changes during the year						—
<b>Balance, February 28, 2015</b>	<b>355,518,963</b>	<b>¥66,025</b>	<b>¥55,086</b>	<b>¥229,185</b>	<b>¥(563)</b>	<b>¥349,733</b>

	Millions of yen							
	Unrealized gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities, net of taxes	Unrealized gains (losses) on hedging derivatives, net of taxes	Land revaluation difference, net of taxes	Foreign currency translation adjustments	Remeasurements of defined benefits plans	Total accumulated other comprehensive income	Minority interests in consolidated subsidiaries	Total net assets
<b>Balance, February 28, 2013</b>	¥12,106	¥ 1	¥8,538	¥ 1,768	¥ —	¥22,413	¥6,016	¥335,443
Cumulative effect of changes in accounting policies						—		—
Restated balance	12,106	1	8,538	1,768	—	22,413	6,016	335,443
Issuance of new shares—exercise of subscription rights to shares								(3,299)
Cash dividends paid								18,716
Net income for the fiscal year								(12)
Disposal of treasury stock and acquisition of treasury stock, net								—
Reversal of revaluation reserve for land								—
Net changes during the year	4,710	(2)	—	8,654	—	13,362	703	14,065
<b>Balance, February 28, 2014</b>	¥16,816	¥(1)	¥8,538	¥10,422	¥ —	¥35,775	¥6,719	¥364,913
Cumulative effect of changes in accounting policies					(3,636)	(3,636)	(117)	(17,756)
Restated balance	<b>16,816</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>8,538</b>	<b>10,422</b>	<b>(3,636)</b>	<b>32,139</b>	<b>6,602</b>	<b>347,157</b>
Issuance of new shares—exercise of subscription rights to shares								20,000
Cash dividends paid								(3,333)
Net income for the fiscal year								22,581
Disposal of treasury stock and acquisition of treasury stock, net								(14)
Reversal of revaluation reserve for land								2,083
Net changes during the year	<b>12,183</b>	<b>(1)</b>	<b>(2,083)</b>	<b>6,045</b>	<b>3,091</b>	<b>19,235</b>	<b>769</b>	<b>20,004</b>
<b>Balance, February 28, 2015</b>	<b>¥28,999</b>	<b>¥(2)</b>	<b>¥6,455</b>	<b>¥16,467</b>	<b>¥ (545)</b>	<b>¥51,374</b>	<b>¥7,371</b>	<b>¥408,478</b>

See accompanying notes.

	Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 1)				
	Common stock	Capital surplus	Retained earnings	Treasury stock, at cost	Total owners' equity
<b>Balance, February 28, 2014</b>	\$469,733	\$378,016	\$1,860,124	\$(4,603)	\$2,703,270
Cumulative effect of changes in accounting policies			(117,406)		(117,406)
Restated balance	<b>469,733</b>	<b>378,016</b>	<b>1,742,718</b>	<b>(4,603)</b>	<b>2,585,864</b>
Issuance of new shares—exercise of subscription rights to shares	<b>83,843</b>	<b>83,844</b>			<b>167,687</b>
Cash dividends paid			(27,945)		(27,945)
Net income for the fiscal year			<b>189,327</b>		<b>189,327</b>
Disposal of treasury stock and acquisition of treasury stock, net		—		(117)	(117)
Reversal of revaluation reserve for land			<b>17,464</b>		<b>17,464</b>
Net changes during the year					—
<b>Balance, February 28, 2015</b>	<b>\$553,576</b>	<b>\$461,860</b>	<b>\$1,921,564</b>	<b>\$(4,720)</b>	<b>\$2,932,280</b>

	Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 1)							
	Unrealized gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities, net of taxes	Unrealized gains (losses) on hedging derivatives, net of taxes	Land revaluation difference, net of taxes	Foreign currency translation adjustments	Remeasurements of defined benefits plans	Total accumulated other comprehensive income	Minority interests in consolidated subsidiaries	Total net assets
<b>Balance, February 28, 2014</b>	\$140,991	\$ (8)	\$ 71,585	\$ 87,382	\$ —	\$299,950	\$56,334	\$3,059,554
Cumulative effect of changes in accounting policies					(30,485)	(30,485)	(981)	(148,872)
Restated balance	<b>140,991</b>	<b>(8)</b>	<b>71,585</b>	<b>87,382</b>	<b>(30,485)</b>	<b>269,465</b>	<b>55,353</b>	<b>2,910,682</b>
Issuance of new shares—exercise of subscription rights to shares						—		<b>167,687</b>
Cash dividends paid						—		<b>(27,945)</b>
Net income for the fiscal year						—		<b>189,327</b>
Disposal of treasury stock and acquisition of treasury stock, net						—		<b>(117)</b>
Reversal of revaluation reserve for land						—		<b>17,464</b>
Net changes during the year	<b>102,146</b>	<b>(9)</b>	<b>(17,464)</b>	<b>50,683</b>	<b>25,916</b>	<b>161,272</b>	<b>6,448</b>	<b>167,720</b>
<b>Balance, February 28, 2015</b>	<b>\$243,137</b>	<b>\$(17)</b>	<b>\$ 54,121</b>	<b>\$138,065</b>	<b>\$(4,569)</b>	<b>\$430,737</b>	<b>\$61,801</b>	<b>\$3,424,818</b>

See accompanying notes.

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

Takashimaya Company, Limited and Consolidated Subsidiaries  
Years ended February 28, 2015 and 2014

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 1)
	2015	2014	2015
<b>Cash flows from operating activities:</b>			
Income before income taxes and minority interests	¥ 36,218	¥ 29,521	\$ 303,664
Depreciation	19,345	18,219	162,195
Amortization of goodwill	114	114	956
Decrease in allowance for doubtful accounts	(87)	(167)	(729)
Decrease in allowance for employees' retirement benefits	—	(1,550)	—
Decrease in net defined benefit liability	(1,985)	—	(16,643)
Decrease in allowance for directors' and corporate auditors' retirement benefits	56	47	469
Increase (decrease) in allowance for point tickets	(8)	124	(67)
Interest and dividend income	(1,511)	(1,429)	(12,669)
Interest expenses	988	1,121	8,284
Equity in gain of affiliated companies	(2,906)	(2,482)	(24,365)
Gain on sale of property and equipment, net	(2,910)	(214)	(24,398)
Loss on disposal of property and equipment	1,213	2,297	10,170
Decrease (increase) in notes and accounts receivable—trade	(13,979)	(7,720)	(117,205)
Decrease (increase) in inventories	(760)	(862)	(6,372)
Increase (decrease) in notes and accounts payable—trade	4,990	6,775	41,838
Other	12,374	1,669	103,748
Subtotal	51,152	45,463	428,876
Interest and dividend income received	2,740	2,446	22,973
Interest expenses paid	(983)	(1,116)	(8,242)
Income taxes paid	(11,890)	(6,211)	(99,690)
Net cash provided by operating activities	41,019	40,582	343,917
<b>Cash flows from investing activities:</b>			
Purchase of time deposits	—	(1,073)	—
Repayment of time deposits	173	5,647	1,450
Purchase of securities	(384)	(782)	(3,220)
Proceeds from sale of securities	3,000	57	25,153
Purchase of property and equipment	(124,670)	(34,547)	(1,045,275)
Proceeds from sale of property and equipment	5,677	243	47,598
Other	155	66	1,300
Net cash used in investing activities	(116,049)	(30,389)	(972,994)
<b>Cash flows from financing activities:</b>			
Net increase (decrease) in short-term bank loans	—	40	—
Proceeds from long-term bank loans	27,500	16,500	230,569
Payment of long-term bank loans	(11,413)	(13,361)	(95,690)
Proceeds from issuance of bonds	10,000	65,525	83,843
Redemption of bonds	(10,000)	—	(83,843)
Cash dividends paid	(3,333)	(3,299)	(27,945)
Other	(1,135)	(1,014)	(9,516)
Net cash provided by financing activities	11,619	64,391	97,418
<b>Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>4,801</b>	<b>6,543</b>	<b>40,253</b>
<b>Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>(58,610)</b>	<b>81,127</b>	<b>(491,406)</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year</b>	<b>145,108</b>	<b>63,981</b>	<b>1,216,634</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at end of year (Note 4)</b>	<b>¥ 86,498</b>	<b>¥ 145,108</b>	<b>\$ 725,228</b>

See accompanying notes.



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## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### 1 BASIS OF PRESENTING CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The accompanying consolidated financial statements of Takashimaya Company, Limited (hereafter, the "Company") and its consolidated subsidiaries have been prepared in accordance with the provisions set forth in the Japanese Financial Instruments and Exchange Law and its related accounting regulations and in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan, which are different in certain respects as to the application and disclosure requirements of International Financial Reporting Standards.

The accounts of consolidated overseas subsidiaries have been prepared in accordance with either International Financial Reporting Standards or U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, with adjustments for the specified six items as applicable. Japanese GAAP requires that accounting policies and procedures applied by a parent company and its subsidiaries to similar transactions and events under similar circumstances should be unified for the preparation of the consolidated financial statements. Japanese GAAP, however, as a tentative measure, allows a parent company to prepare consolidated financial statements using foreign subsidiaries' financial statements prepared in accordance with either International Financial Reporting Standards or U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. In this case, adjustments for the following six items are required in the consolidation process so that their impacts on net income are accounted for in accordance with Japanese GAAP unless the impact is not material.

- (a) Goodwill not subject to amortization
- (b) Actuarial gains and losses of defined-benefit retirement plans recognized outside of profit or loss
- (c) Capitalized expenditures for research and development activities
- (d) Fair value measurement of investment properties and revaluation of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets
- (e) Retrospective application of a change in accounting policies
- (f) Accounting for net income attributable to minority interests

The accompanying consolidated financial statements have been restructured and translated into English (with some expanded descriptions) from the consolidated financial statements of the Company, prepared in accordance with Japanese GAAP and filed with the appropriate Local Finance Bureau of the Ministry of Finance as required by the Financial Instruments and Exchange Law. Some supplementary information included in the statutory Japanese-language consolidated financial statements, but not required for fair presentation, is not presented in the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

The translations of the Japanese yen amounts into U.S. dollars are included solely for the convenience of readers outside Japan, using the prevailing exchange rate at February 28, 2015, which was ¥119.27 to U.S.\$1. 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 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **(a) Principles of consolidation**

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its significant subsidiaries (hereafter, the "Companies").

Investments in certain significant affiliated companies are accounted for by the equity method after the elimination of unrealized intercompany profits. Investments in the remaining non-consolidated subsidiaries and affiliated companies are not accounted for by the equity method because of the immaterial effect on the consolidated financial statements. Such investments are, therefore, carried at cost, adjusted for any substantial and non-recoverable diminution in value, and income from those non-consolidated subsidiaries and affiliated companies is recognized only when the Companies receive dividends therefrom.

In accordance with the accounting standards for consolidation, the Company's subsidiaries include companies over which substantial control is exerted through either majority ownership of voting stock and/or by other means. Also, the Company's affiliated companies include companies over which the Company has the ability to exercise significant influence.

All significant intercompany transactions and unrealized profits among the Companies have been eliminated in consolidation.

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.

The differences between the cost and underlying net equity of investments in consolidated subsidiaries ("Goodwill" and "Negative goodwill" which arose prior to March 31, 2010) are amortized on a straight-line basis over mainly 20 years with the exception of minor differences, which are charged or credited to income in the period of acquisition.

All the Company's non-consolidated subsidiaries are of a limited scale in terms of total assets, net sales, profit, retained earnings and other indicators, and taken together they do not have a significant impact on the consolidated financial statements.

#### **(b) Foreign currency translation**

All monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into Japanese yen at the current exchange rate at the balance sheet date, and translation gains and losses are charged to income.

The balance sheets of consolidated overseas subsidiaries are translated into Japanese yen at the year-end rate except for owners' equity accounts, which are translated at the historical rates. Statements of operations of consolidated overseas subsidiaries are translated at average rates.

#### **(c) Cash and cash equivalents**

In preparing the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows, cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, readily available deposits and short-term highly liquid investments with maturities not exceeding three months at the time of purchase.

#### **(d) Securities**

No trading securities are held by the Companies. Held-to-maturity debt securities are stated at amortized cost. Equity securities issued by subsidiaries and affiliated companies which are not consolidated or accounted for using the equity method are stated at moving-average cost. Available-for-sale securities with available fair market values are stated at fair market value. Unrealized gains and unrealized losses on these securities are reported, net of applicable income taxes, as a separate component of the net assets section in the balance sheets. Realized gains and losses on sale of such securities are computed using moving-average cost.

Debt securities with no available fair market values are stated at amortized cost, net of the amount considered not collectible. Other securities with no available fair market values are stated at moving-average cost.

#### **(e) Derivatives and hedging transactions**

Derivative financial instruments are stated at fair value and changes in the fair value as gains or losses are charged to income unless the derivative financial instruments are used for hedging purposes.

If derivative financial instruments are used as hedges and meet certain hedging criteria, the Companies defer recognition of gains or losses resulting from changes in the fair value of derivative financial instruments until the related losses or gains on the hedged items are recognized.

However, in cases where forward foreign exchange contracts are used as hedges and meet certain hedging criteria, forward foreign exchange contracts and hedged items are accounted for in the following manner:

- (1) If a forward foreign exchange contract is executed to hedge an existing foreign currency receivable or payable,
  - (i) the difference, if any, between the Japanese yen amount of the hedged foreign currency receivable or payable translated using the spot rate at the inception date of the contract and the book value of the receivable or payable is recognized in the statement of income in the period which includes the inception date, and
  - (ii) the discount or premium on the contract (that is, the difference between the Japanese yen amount of the contract translated using the contracted forward rate and that translated

using the spot rate at the inception date of the contract) is recognized over the term of the contract.

- (2) If a forward foreign exchange contract is executed to hedge a future transaction denominated in a foreign currency, the future transaction will be recorded using the contracted forward rate, and no gains or losses on the forward foreign exchange contract are recognized.

Also, if interest rate swap contracts are used as hedges and meet certain hedging criteria, the net amount to be paid or received under the interest rate swap contract is added to or deducted from the interest on the assets or liabilities for which the swap contract was executed.

In addition, special treatment is applied to interest rate swaps if they meet the requirements for special treatment.

The Companies use forward foreign currency contracts, currency swaps and interest rate swaps as derivative financial instruments only for the purpose of mitigating future risks of fluctuation of foreign currency exchange rates and increases in the interest rate and loans.

The related hedged items are trade receivables, trade payables, loans payable, and interest on foreign currency bonds.

#### **(f) Allowance for doubtful accounts**

Allowance for doubtful accounts is provided principally for amounts sufficient to cover possible losses on collection. It consists of the estimated uncollectible amount with respect to specific items and possible losses on collection calculated by applying a percentage based on collection experience to the remaining items.

#### **(g) Inventories**

Inventories held by the Companies were measured at cost (book value is reduced on the basis of declines in profitability) determined by the following method.

Merchandise:	principally retail method and specific identification method
Products:	principally first-in, first-out method
Work in process:	principally specific identification method
Raw materials:	principally first-in, first-out method
Supplies:	principally first-in, first-out method

#### **(h) Property and equipment**

Property and equipment are stated at cost and depreciated by using mainly the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets as prescribed by Japanese tax laws. Maintenance and repairs, including minor renewals and improvements, are charged to income as incurred. The cost of property and equipment sold or disposed of and the accumulated depreciation thereon are deducted from the related accounts, and the net gain or loss is credited or charged to income.

#### **(i) Software**

The Companies amortize capitalized software using the straight-line method over its estimated useful life (five years).

#### **(j) Lease assets**

Lease assets arising from transactions under finance lease contracts that do not transfer ownership to the lessee are amortized to a residual value of zero by the straight-line method using the lease term as the useful life.

Finance leases commencing prior to March 1, 2009, which do not transfer ownership of the leased property to lessees are accounted for in the same manner as operating leases.

#### **(k) Allowance for Point Gift Certificates**

The Company provides its customers with credit points when they make purchases using the Takashimaya Card and, upon request, issues gift certificates (Point Gift Certificates) to those customers who have earned sufficient points.

The Company provides an allowance for the estimated future costs of the issuance of the certificates based on the number of credit points outstanding at each fiscal year-end.

#### **(l) Employees' retirement benefit liability**

(1) Attribution method for projected retirement benefits

The Companies account for the liability for retirement benefits based on the defined benefit obligations and plan assets at the balance sheet date. The defined benefit obligations are attributed to periods on a benefit formula basis.

(2) How to recognize the prior service cost and the actuarial gains or losses

The unrecognized prior service cost obligations are recognized as expenses and recorded in equal amounts mainly 10 years from their recognition, which is less than the average remaining years of employment of the employees.

Actuarial gains or losses incurred during the year are amortized by using the straight-line method over a certain period of time (mainly 10 years), which is less than the average remaining years of employment of the employees, commencing from the succeeding fiscal year.

(3) Adoption of simplified method in some consolidated subsidiaries

Some consolidated subsidiaries adopt the simplified method which assumes retirement benefit obligation to be equal to the benefits payable if all eligible employees voluntarily terminated their employment at fiscal year-end for the calculation of net defined liability and retirement benefit costs.

#### **(m) Allowance for directors' and corporate auditors' bonuses**

An allowance for directors' and corporate auditors' bonuses is provided for the estimated amounts which the Company is obliged to pay to directors and corporate auditors subject to the resolution of the shareholders' meeting.

#### **(n) Allowance for directors' and corporate auditors' retirement benefits**

An allowance for directors' and corporate auditors' retirement benefits of the consolidated subsidiaries was provided based on the consolidated subsidiaries' pertinent rules and is calculated as the estimated amount which would be payable if all officers were to retire at the balance sheet date.

The payments are subject to approval of the shareholders' meeting.

#### **(o) Allowance for environmental measures**

Allowance for environmental measures is provided based on estimated costs for treatment of Polychlorinated Biphenyl ("PCB") waste, which is obligated to be treated by the Act on Special Measures Concerning Promotion of Proper Treatment of PCB Waste.

#### **(p) Income taxes**

Income taxes consist of corporation, inhabitants' and enterprise taxes.

The Companies recognize the tax effects of temporary differences between the financial statements' carrying amounts and the tax basis of assets and liabilities. The provision for income taxes is computed based on the income before income taxes and minority interests included in the statements of income of each of the Companies. The assets and liabilities approach is used to recognize deferred tax assets and liabilities for the expected future tax consequences of temporary differences.

#### **(q) Per share information**

Net income per share is based on the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding during each year and diluted net income per share reflects the potential dilution that could occur if it were converted into common stock.

Cash dividends per share represent interim dividends declared by the Board of Directors in each year and year-end dividends approved by the shareholders at the annual meeting held subsequent to the end of the fiscal year.

#### **(r) Changes in accounting standards**

Adoption of Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits

Concomitant with the Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits (Accounting Standards Board of Japan (ASBJ) Statement No. 26 of May 17, 2012), and Guidance on Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits (ASBJ Guidance No. 25 of May 17, 2012), which became eligible for adoption from April 1, 2013, the Company has applied these standards from the year ended February 28, 2015. Under the new standard, pension assets are deducted from retirement benefit obligations and the net amount is recognized as a liability for retirement benefits, and previously unrecognized actuarial gains and losses and unrecognized prior service costs are recorded as a liability for retirement benefits. The method of calculating retirement benefit obligations and service costs is revised, with the method of determination of the discount rate revised to a single weighted average discount rate reflecting the estimated timing and amount of benefit payment, and the method of attributing benefits to accounting periods changed from the straight-line method to the standard pension benefit formula basis.

In accordance with the Article 37 of the Statement No. 26, the effect of recognizing the difference between retirement benefit obligations and plan assets as a liability for retirement benefits at the beginning of the year ended February 28, 2015 has been recognized in accumulated other comprehensive income. And the effect of changing the determination of retirement benefit obligations and current service costs has been recognized in retained earnings at the beginning of the year ended February 28, 2015.

As a result of the application, accumulated other comprehensive income has decreased by ¥3,636 million (\$30,485 thousand), minority interests in consolidated subsidiaries has decreased by ¥117 million (\$981 thousand), and retained earnings has decreased by ¥14,003 million (\$117,406 thousand), at the beginning of the year ended February 28, 2015.

In addition, operating income has increased by ¥831 million (\$6,967 thousand), and ordinary income and income before income taxes and minority interests have each increased by ¥845 million (\$7,085 thousand), in the current fiscal year.

The effects of this change on earnings per share are described in the related note.

#### **(s) Accounting standards issued but not yet applied**

Accounting Standard for Business Combinations (ASBJ Statement No. 21)

Accounting Standard for Consolidated Financial Statements (ASBJ Statement No. 22)

Accounting Standard for Business Divestitures (ASBJ Statement No. 7)

Accounting Standard for Earnings Per Share (ASBJ Statement No. 2)

Guidance on Accounting Standard for Business Combinations and Accounting Standard for Business Divestitures (ASBJ Guidance No. 10)

Guidance on Accounting Standard for Earnings Per Share (ASBJ Guidance No. 4)

(1) Overview

Major amendments made by the aforementioned standards and guidance released on September 13, 2013, concern the following: the recognition of a change in a parent company's equity interest in its subsidiaries that continue to be under its control as a result of the additional acquisition of the shares of those subsidiaries or other means; the recognition of acquisition-related expenses; a change in the designation of net income; a change in the designation of minority interests to non-controlling interests; and accounting based on provisional estimates.

(2) Schedule date of adoption

The Company expects to apply the revised accounting standard from the beginning of the fiscal year ending February 28, 2017.

(3) Effect of adoption

The effect of adoption of the aforementioned standards and guidance on the Company's consolidated financial statements is under evaluation.

### (t) Reclassification

Certain prior year amounts have been reclassified to conform to the current year presentation. These changes had no impact on previously reported results of operations.

## 3 OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

The recycling and effect of deferred income tax on the other comprehensive income for the years ended at February 28, 2015 and 2014 were summarized as follows:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2014	2015
Unrealized gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities, net of taxes			
Occurrence amount	<b>¥18,571</b>	¥ 7,057	<b>\$155,706</b>
Recycling	<b>0</b>	(39)	<b>0</b>
Before tax effect	<b>18,571</b>	7,018	<b>155,706</b>
Tax effect	<b>(6,612)</b>	(2,498)	<b>(55,438)</b>
Unrealized gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities, net of taxes	<b>11,959</b>	4,520	<b>100,268</b>
Unrealized gains (losses) on hedging derivatives, net of taxes			
Occurrence amount	<b>(1)</b>	(4)	<b>(8)</b>
Tax effect	<b>0</b>	2	<b>0</b>
Unrealized gains (losses) on hedging derivatives, net of taxes	<b>(1)</b>	(2)	<b>(8)</b>
Foreign currency translation adjustments realized for the year	<b>3,850</b>	5,272	<b>32,280</b>
Remeasurements of defined benefits plans, net of taxes			
Occurrence amount	<b>3,103</b>	—	<b>26,017</b>
Recycling	<b>1,727</b>	—	<b>14,480</b>
Before tax effect	<b>4,830</b>	—	<b>40,496</b>
Tax effect	<b>(1,761)</b>	—	<b>(14,765)</b>
Remeasurements of defined benefits plans, net of taxes	<b>3,069</b>	—	<b>25,731</b>
Share of other comprehensive income of associates accounted for using equity method for the year	<b>2,464</b>	3,572	<b>20,659</b>
Total other comprehensive income	<b>¥21,341</b>	¥13,362	<b>\$178,930</b>

## 4 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

1. Cash and cash equivalents at February 28, 2015 and 2014 consisted of the following:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2014	2015
Cash and deposits	<b>¥87,888</b>	¥106,452	<b>\$736,882</b>
Time deposits with maturities exceeding three months	<b>(1,390)</b>	(1,444)	<b>(11,654)</b>
Securities with dates of amortization three months or less from the acquisition date	<b>0</b>	40,100	<b>0</b>
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	<b>¥86,498</b>	¥145,108	<b>\$725,228</b>

2. Exercise of subscription rights to shares attaching to bonds with subscription rights to shares at February 28, 2015 and 2014 consisted of the following:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2014	2015
Increase in common stock by exercise of subscription rights to shares	<b>¥10,000</b>	¥—	<b>\$ 83,843</b>
Increase in capital surplus by exercise of subscription rights to shares	<b>10,000</b>	—	<b>83,843</b>
Decrease in bonds with subscription rights to shares by exercise of subscription rights to shares	<b>¥20,000</b>	¥—	<b>\$167,686</b>

## **1. Matters related to financial instruments**

### **(1) Policies for financial instruments**

In view of its capital investment plan, the Group raises needed funds (primarily bank loans and issuance of bonds). Temporary surplus funds are invested in highly secure financial assets. Derivative transactions are only used to avoid the risks attributable to fluctuations in foreign currency exchange and interest rates. The Group does not engage in derivative transactions for speculative purposes.

### **(2) Financial instruments and their risks**

Notes and accounts receivable as operating receivables are exposed to credit risk. Securities and investment securities are exposed to market price volatility risk. Guarantee deposits paid are exposed to credit risk of counterparties.

Notes and accounts payable as operating payables are almost all subject to payment deadlines of one year or less. A certain portion of trade obligations is related to the import of goods and as such are denominated in foreign currencies. Long-term debts and corporate bonds are for the purpose of procuring needed funds mainly for capital investment. Some of them are exposed to interest rate risk because of variable interest rates.

Derivative transactions employed in an effort to offset the above-mentioned risk include forward foreign currency exchange rate contracts; interest rate swap transaction agreements, which seek to provide hedges for the risks of fluctuations in the foreign currency exchange rates of trade receivables and trade obligations; and interest rates applicable to loans and bonds payable, respectively. For hedge instruments and hedge targets, hedging policy, the method of assessing the effectiveness of hedges and other details in connection with hedge accounting, refer to Note 2 (e) "Derivatives and hedging transactions".

Moreover, operating payables and long-term debts are exposed to the liquidity risk of the inability to make payment by the payment due date.

### **(3) Risk management systems relating to financial instruments**

#### **(i) Management of credit risk (risk relating to non-performance of a contract obligation by a counterparty, etc.)**

With respect to operating receivables, credit risk is guided by its own set of accounting rules and regulations. The Group regularly monitors the status of customers, managing due dates and balances on an individual customer basis. In this manner, every effort is made to ensure early detection and the mitigation of concerns regarding collection due to deterioration in financial standing or other factors.

#### **(ii) Management of market risks (risks associated with fluctuations in foreign currency exchange as well as interest rates, etc.)**

The Group utilizes forward foreign currency exchange rate contracts in an effort to offset the risks of movements in foreign currency exchange rates in connection with operating payables denominated in foreign currencies, and interest rate swap transaction agreements aimed at converting floating rates of interest applicable to loans and bonds payable to fixed rate interest.

With respect to investment securities, the Group regularly monitors fair values as well as the financial status of issuers (counterparties), and reviews its holdings on a continuous basis taking into consideration its relationships with counterparties.

#### **(iii) Management of liquidity risks associated with the procurement of funds (the risk of being unable to make payments on due dates)**

The Group manages its liquidity risk by concluding the commitment-line and overdraft contracts, along with adequate financial planning.

#### **(iv) Supplementary explanation for fair values, etc. of financial instruments**

Fair values of financial instruments are determined by market prices. If no market price is available, the fair value is based on the value that is calculated in a reasonable manner. The determination of such value contains variable factors, and the adoption of wide ranging and differing assumptions may cause values to change.

## 2. Matters related to fair value of financial instruments

The book values recorded in the Consolidated Balance Sheets for the years ended February 28, 2015 and 2014, and fair values and their differences are as follows. Figures for which fair value is not readily recognized are not included in the following tables (See Note 2.).

	Millions of yen		
	2015		
	Book value	Fair value	Difference
(1) Cash and deposits	¥ 87,888	¥ 87,888	¥ —
(2) Notes and accounts receivable—trade	120,381	—	—
Allowance for doubtful accounts (*1)	(352)	—	—
	120,029	122,213	2,184
(3) Securities and investment securities			
1) Securities to be held until maturity	6,005	6,149	144
2) Available-for-sale securities	72,788	72,788	—
	78,793	78,937	144
(4) Guarantee deposits paid (*2)	10,223	10,011	(212)
Total assets	¥296,933	¥299,049	¥2,116
(1) Notes and accounts payable—trade	¥101,559	¥101,559	¥ —
(2) Short-term bank loans	5,887	5,887	—
(3) Deposits received	23,384	23,384	—
(4) Long-term debt (*3)	157,632	161,607	3,975
Total liabilities	¥288,462	¥292,437	¥3,975
Derivatives (*4)			
Amounts not subject to hedge accounting	¥ (54)	¥ (54)	¥ —
Amount subject to hedge accounting	(3)	(3)	—
Total derivatives	¥ (57)	¥ (57)	¥ —

  

	Millions of yen		
	2014		
	Book value	Fair value	Difference
(1) Cash and deposits	¥106,452	¥106,452	¥ —
(2) Notes and accounts receivable—trade	106,671	—	—
Allowance for doubtful accounts (*1)	(375)	—	—
	106,296	108,386	2,090
(3) Securities and investment securities			
1) Securities to be held until maturity	9,007	9,247	240
2) Available-for-sale securities	94,307	94,307	—
	103,314	103,554	240
(4) Guarantee deposits paid (*2)	12,879	12,575	(304)
Total assets	¥328,941	¥330,967	¥2,026
(1) Notes and accounts payable—trade	¥ 95,901	¥ 95,901	¥ —
(2) Short-term bank loans	5,887	5,887	—
(3) Deposits received	24,505	24,505	—
(4) Long-term debt (*3)	161,643	166,889	5,246
Total liabilities	¥287,936	¥293,182	¥5,246
Derivatives (*4)			
Amounts not subject to hedge accounting	¥ —	¥ —	¥ —
Amount subject to hedge accounting	(1)	(1)	—
Total derivatives	¥ (1)	¥ (1)	¥ —



	Thousands of U.S. dollars		
	<b>2015</b>		
	Book value	Fair value	Difference
(1) Cash and deposits	<b>\$ 736,883</b>	<b>\$ 736,883</b>	<b>\$ —</b>
(2) Notes and accounts receivable—trade	<b>1,009,315</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>
Allowance for doubtful accounts (* 1)	<b>(2,951)</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>
	<b>1,006,364</b>	<b>1,024,675</b>	<b>18,311</b>
(3) Securities and investment securities			
1) Securities to be held until maturity	<b>50,348</b>	<b>51,555</b>	<b>1,207</b>
2) Available-for-sale securities	<b>610,279</b>	<b>610,279</b>	<b>—</b>
	<b>660,627</b>	<b>661,834</b>	<b>1,207</b>
(4) Guarantee deposits paid (* 2)	<b>85,713</b>	<b>83,936</b>	<b>(1,776)</b>
Total assets	<b>\$2,489,587</b>	<b>\$2,507,328</b>	<b>\$17,741</b>
(1) Notes and accounts payable—trade	<b>\$ 851,504</b>	<b>\$ 851,504</b>	<b>\$ —</b>
(2) Short-term bank loans	<b>49,359</b>	<b>49,359</b>	<b>—</b>
(3) Deposits received	<b>196,059</b>	<b>196,059</b>	<b>—</b>
(4) Long-term debt (* 3)	<b>1,321,640</b>	<b>1,354,968</b>	<b>33,328</b>
Total liabilities	<b>\$2,418,562</b>	<b>\$2,451,890</b>	<b>\$33,328</b>
Derivatives (* 4)			
Amounts not subject to hedge accounting	<b>\$ (453)</b>	<b>\$ (453)</b>	<b>\$ —</b>
Amount subject to hedge accounting	<b>(25)</b>	<b>(25)</b>	<b>—</b>
Total derivatives	<b>\$ (478)</b>	<b>\$ (478)</b>	<b>\$ —</b>

\* 1. Accounts receivable—trade are deducted from the carrying amount.

\* 2. The figure includes guarantee deposits paid with repayment due dates of one year or less.

\* 3. The figure includes long-term loans and corporate bonds with repayment due dates of one year or less.

\* 4. Net receivables and payables arising from derivative transactions are shown as a net amount.

Note 1: Fair values of financial instruments and matters pertaining to securities and derivative transactions

Assets

(1) Cash and deposits and (2) Notes and accounts receivable—trade

As these items have short repayment periods, the fair value approximates the book value; therefore, the said book value shall be the fair value, although the fair value of a portion of accounts receivable—trade is based on the present value of the discounted cash flows using the interest rate determined by the factor of the estimated redemption terms and the government bond interest rate.

(3) Securities and investment securities

The fair value of these securities is measured at their stock market price, while the fair value of bonds is measured at their stock market price or the price submitted by the correspondent financial institutions. Because negotiable certificates of deposit have short repayment periods, the fair value approximates the book value; therefore, the said book value shall be the fair value.

(4) Guarantee deposits paid

The fair value of guarantee deposits paid is based on the present value of discounted cash flows using the interest rate determined by the factor of the estimated redemption terms and the government bond interest rates.

Liabilities

(1) Notes and accounts payable—trade, (2) Short-term bank loans and (3) Deposits received

As these items have short payment periods, the fair value approximates the book value; therefore, the said book value shall be the fair value.

(4) Long-term debt

The fair value of long-term bank loans is measured at the present value by discounting expected repayments of principal and interest in the remaining period using an assumed interest rate on an equivalent new loan.

The fair value of these bonds is measured at their market price or the price submitted by the correspondent financial institutions.

The fair value of interest rate swaps for which the special treatment is applied is included in the fair value of long-term bank loans, as such swaps are treated as a single item incorporating the hedged long-term bank loans.

The special treatment under Japanese GAAP may be applied for interest rate swap contracts that meet certain hedging criteria. In the special treatment, the net amount to be paid or received under the interest rate swap contract is added to or deducted from the interest on debts for which the swap contract is executed.

Derivatives

The fair value of interest rate swaps is measured at the price submitted by the correspondent financial institution. The fair value of forward exchange contracts is estimated based on actual cost and other items in the forward foreign exchange market.

Note 2: Items for which obtaining an estimated fair value is deemed to be extremely difficult

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2014	2015
(a) Stock of subsidiaries	¥ 2,982	¥ 2,573	\$ 25,002
(b) Stock of affiliates	45,382	41,215	380,498
(c) Unlisted stocks	1,884	1,888	15,796
(d) Guarantee deposits paid	24,963	27,409	209,298

(a) Stock of subsidiaries and (b) Stock of affiliates

They have no market value and their fair value is not readily determinable.

(c) Unlisted stocks

They are not included in "(3) Securities and investment securities" in the above tables, as they have no market value and their fair value is not readily determinable.

(d) Guarantee deposits paid

The fair value of a portion of these guarantee deposits paid has not been presented in "(4) Guarantee deposits paid" in the above tables because it is deemed to be extremely difficult to estimate the time when these will be returned and estimate their fair value.

Note 3: Estimated amounts of repayment after the balance sheet date for monetary receivables and securities with maturity dates

	Millions of yen			
	2015			
	Within 1 year	Over 1 year but within 5 years	Over 5 years but within 10 years	Over 10 years
Cash and deposits	¥ 87,888	¥ —	¥ —	¥ —
Notes and accounts receivable—trade	115,891	4,389	77	24
Securities and investment securities				
Securities to be held until maturity	2,004	4,000	—	—
Available-for-sale securities with maturity dates	—	—	—	—
Guarantee deposits paid	1,021	4,015	3,233	1,954
Total	¥206,804	¥12,404	¥3,310	¥1,978

	Millions of yen			
	2014			
	Within 1 year	Over 1 year but within 5 years	Over 5 years but within 10 years	Over 10 years
Cash and deposits	¥106,452	¥ —	¥ —	¥ —
Notes and accounts receivable—trade	102,369	4,193	87	22
Securities and investment securities				
Securities to be held until maturity	3,000	6,007	—	—
Available-for-sale securities with maturity dates	40,100	—	—	—
Guarantee deposits paid	5,378	2,184	3,338	1,979
Total	¥257,299	¥12,384	¥3,425	¥2,001

	Thousands of U.S. dollars			
	2015			
	Within 1 year	Over 1 year but within 5 years	Over 5 years but within 10 years	Over 10 years
Cash and deposits	\$ 736,883	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Notes and accounts receivable—trade	971,669	36,799	646	201
Securities and investment securities				
Securities to be held until maturity	16,802	33,537	—	—
Available-for-sale securities with maturity dates	—	—	—	—
Guarantee deposits paid	8,560	33,663	27,107	16,383
Total	\$1,733,914	\$103,999	\$27,753	\$16,584

Note 4: Estimated amounts of repayment after the balance sheet date for corporate bonds and long-term loans

	Millions of yen					
	2015					
	Within 1 year	Over 1 year but within 2 years	Over 2 years but within 3 years	Over 3 years but within 4 years	Over 4 years but within 5 years	Over 5 years
Long-term debt—Corporate bonds	¥ —	¥ —	¥ —	¥40,000	¥ —	¥35,000
Long-term debt—Long-term loans	31,406	11,280	7,540	4,500	7,500	20,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>¥31,406</b>	<b>¥11,280</b>	<b>¥7,540</b>	<b>¥44,500</b>	<b>¥7,500</b>	<b>¥55,000</b>

	Millions of yen					
	2014					
	Within 1 year	Over 1 year but within 2 years	Over 2 years but within 3 years	Over 3 years but within 4 years	Over 4 years but within 5 years	Over 5 years
Long-term debt—Corporate bonds	¥30,000	¥ —	¥ —	¥ —	¥40,000	¥25,000
Long-term debt—Long-term loans	11,415	31,404	11,280	7,540	4,500	—
<b>Total</b>	<b>¥41,415</b>	<b>¥31,404</b>	<b>¥11,280</b>	<b>¥7,540</b>	<b>¥44,500</b>	<b>¥25,000</b>

	Thousands of U.S. dollars					
	2015					
	Within 1 year	Over 1 year but within 2 years	Over 2 years but within 3 years	Over 3 years but within 4 years	Over 4 years but within 5 years	Over 5 years
Long-term debt—Corporate bonds	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$335,374	\$ —	\$293,452
Long-term debt—Long-term loans	263,319	94,575	63,218	37,730	62,883	167,687
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$263,319</b>	<b>\$94,575</b>	<b>\$63,218</b>	<b>\$373,104</b>	<b>\$62,883</b>	<b>\$461,139</b>

## 6 SECURITIES

The following tables summarize the acquisition costs, book values and fair values of securities with available fair values as of February 28, 2015 and 2014:

(1) Held-to-maturity debt securities:

Securities with available fair values exceeding book values:

Type	Millions of yen					
	2015			2014		
	Book value	Fair value	Difference	Book value	Fair value	Difference
Government bonds	¥6,001	¥6,145	¥144	¥9,003	¥9,243	¥240

Type	Thousands of U.S. dollars		
	2015		
	Book value	Fair value	Difference
Government bonds	\$50,314	\$51,522	\$1,208

Securities with available fair values not exceeding book values:

Type	Millions of yen					
	2015			2014		
	Book value	Fair value	Difference	Book value	Fair value	Difference
Corporate bonds	¥4	¥4	¥—	¥4	¥4	¥—

Type	Thousands of U.S. dollars		
	2015		
	Book value	Fair value	Difference
Corporate bonds	\$34	\$34	\$—

(2) Available-for-sale securities:

Securities with book values exceeding acquisition costs:

Type	Millions of yen					
	2015			2014		
	Acquisition cost	Book value	Difference	Acquisition cost	Book value	Difference
Equity securities	¥27,110	¥70,484	¥43,374	¥26,348	¥51,030	¥24,682
Government bonds	—	—	—	—	—	—
Others	186	196	10	200	214	14
<b>Total</b>	<b>¥27,296</b>	<b>¥70,680</b>	<b>¥43,384</b>	<b>¥26,548</b>	<b>¥51,244</b>	<b>¥24,696</b>

Type	Thousands of U.S. dollars		
	2015		
	Acquisition cost	Book value	Difference
Equity securities	\$227,299	\$590,962	\$363,663
Government bonds	—	—	—
Others	1,560	1,643	83
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$228,859</b>	<b>\$592,605</b>	<b>\$363,746</b>

Securities with book values not exceeding acquisition costs:

Type	Millions of yen					
	2015			2014		
	Acquisition cost	Book value	Difference	Acquisition cost	Book value	Difference
Equity securities	¥2,452	¥2,108	¥(344)	¥ 3,196	¥ 2,963	¥(233)
Bonds	—	—	—	—	—	—
Others	—	—	—	40,100	40,100	—
<b>Total</b>	<b>¥2,452</b>	<b>¥2,108</b>	<b>¥(344)</b>	<b>¥43,296</b>	<b>¥43,063</b>	<b>¥(233)</b>

Type	Thousands of U.S. dollars		
	2015		
	Acquisition cost	Book value	Difference
Equity securities	\$20,558	\$17,674	\$(2,884)
Bonds	—	—	—
Others	—	—	—
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$20,558</b>	<b>\$17,674</b>	<b>\$(2,884)</b>

Note: Securities without fair value

Please see Note 5. Financial Instruments for information as of February 28, 2015 and 2014.

(3) The total sales for available-for-sale securities sold in the year ended February 28, 2015 amounted to ¥0 million (\$0 thousand).

The related losses amounted to ¥0 million (\$0 thousand) in the year ended February 28, 2015.

(4) Impairment losses on securities

The Companies recognized a loss of ¥1 million (\$8 thousand) on its securities for the year ended February 28, 2015 and a loss of ¥0 million for the year ended February 28, 2014.

## 7 INVENTORIES

Inventories at February 28, 2015 and 2014 consisted of the following:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2014	2015
Merchandise	<b>¥39,052</b>	¥38,422	<b>\$327,425</b>
Products	<b>14</b>	68	<b>118</b>
Work in process	<b>2,573</b>	263	<b>21,573</b>
Raw materials	<b>22</b>	43	<b>184</b>
Supplies	<b>738</b>	444	<b>6,188</b>
Total	<b>¥42,399</b>	¥39,240	<b>\$355,488</b>

## 8 LEASEHOLD AND OTHER DEPOSITS

The Companies conduct a substantial portion of their retail business through leased properties. The terms of the relevant leases for stores are generally from 10 to 20 years with options for renewal, subject to renegotiation of rental fees every 2 or 5 years.

In connection with such leases, lessors require, under certain circumstances, large deposits relative to the amount of annual lease rental payments, and such deposits bear no interest or interest only at nominal rates.

## 9 SHORT-TERM BANK LOANS AND LONG-TERM DEBT

Short-term bank loans outstanding were generally represented by bank overdrafts and notes issued by the Companies to banks bearing interest at average rates of 0.56% and 0.61% at February 28, 2015 and 2014, respectively.

Long-term debt at February 28, 2015 and 2014 was as follows:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2014	2015
0.0% convertible bonds due 2014	<b>¥ —</b>	¥ 20,000	<b>\$ —</b>
2.03% bonds due 2014	<b>—</b>	10,000	<b>—</b>
0.0% convertible bonds due 2018	<b>40,303</b>	40,383	<b>337,914</b>
0.0% convertible bonds due 2020	<b>25,103</b>	25,121	<b>210,472</b>
0.45% bonds due 2021	<b>10,000</b>	—	<b>83,843</b>
Loans from banks, insurance companies and others due serially to 2024:			
Unsecured (bearing interest at rates from 0.25% to 2.8% at February 28, 2015)	<b>82,226</b>	66,139	<b>689,411</b>
	<b>157,632</b>	161,643	<b>1,321,640</b>
Less: Current portion of long-term debt	<b>(31,406)</b>	(41,415)	<b>(263,319)</b>
Total	<b>¥126,226</b>	¥120,228	<b>\$1,058,321</b>

The current conversion price of 0.0% convertible bonds due 2018 issued by the Company is ¥1,445 (\$12.12). At February 28, 2015, the convertible bonds were convertible into approximately 27,682 thousand shares of common stock.

The current conversion price of 0.0% convertible bonds due 2020 issued by the Company is ¥1,345 (\$11.28). At February 28, 2015, the convertible bonds were convertible into approximately 18,587 thousand shares of common stock.

Years ending February 28 and 29	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
2016	<b>¥ 31,406</b>	<b>\$ 263,318</b>
2017	<b>11,280</b>	<b>94,575</b>
2018	<b>7,540</b>	<b>63,219</b>
2019	<b>44,500</b>	<b>373,103</b>
2020 and thereafter	<b>62,500</b>	<b>524,021</b>
Total	<b>¥157,226</b>	<b>\$1,318,236</b>

## 10 COMMITMENT CONTRACT

The Company has entered into a loan commitment contract with six banks in order to procure operating funds efficiently. The unexercised loan balance related to the loan commitment at February 28, 2015 is summarized below.

Year ended February 28, 2015	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
Total amount of loan commitment	¥20,000	\$167,687
Exercised loan balance	—	—
Unused balance	¥20,000	\$167,687

## 11 DEPOSITED ASSETS

The deposited assets required by the Installment Sales Law at February 28, 2015 and 2014 were as follows:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2014	2015
Cash and deposits	¥1,390	¥ 1,270	\$11,654
Marketable securities	2,001	3,000	16,777
Investment securities	4,000	6,003	33,537
Leasehold and other deposits	10	10	84
Total	¥7,401	¥10,283	\$62,052

## 12 INCOME TAXES

The Companies are subject to a number of taxes based on income. The aggregate statutory tax rate in Japan was approximately 37.9% for the year ended February 28, 2015.

The following table summarizes the significant differences between the statutory tax rate and the Companies' effective tax rate for financial statement purposes for the years ended February 28, 2015 and 2014.

	%	
	2015	2014
Statutory tax rate	37.9%	37.9%
Permanent differences (including dividends)	(2.4)	(2.7)
Difference in statutory tax rate of foreign subsidiaries	(3.8)	(4.2)
Elimination of dividends received	2.7	2.9
Increase in valuation allowance	2.2	2.2
Equity in gain of affiliated companies	(3.0)	(3.2)
Effect arising from change in tax rate	1.3	0.4
Others	0.5	0.7
Effective tax rate	35.4%	34.0%

Significant components of the Companies' deferred tax assets and liabilities as of February 28, 2015 and 2014 were as follows:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2014	2015
<b>Deferred tax assets (current):</b>			
Accrued enterprise tax	¥ 779	¥ 754	\$ 6,531
Undeductible allowance for doubtful accounts	136	142	1,140
Accrued bonuses	71	80	595
Undeductible write-down of inventories	416	399	3,488
Allowance for Point Gift Certificates	1,782	1,834	14,941
Adjustment of gift certificates	5,510	4,741	46,198
Others	858	524	7,194
Gross deferred tax assets	9,552	8,474	80,087
Less: Valuation allowance	(11)	(25)	(92)
Total deferred tax assets	9,541	8,449	79,995
Net deferred tax liabilities	(1,040)	(1,227)	(8,720)
Net deferred tax assets	¥ 8,501	¥ 7,222	\$ 71,275
<b>Deferred tax liabilities (current):</b>			
Adjustments of allowance for doubtful accounts	¥ 39	¥ 33	\$ 327
Adjustment of gift certificates	1,000	1,194	8,384
Others	1	—	9
Total deferred tax liabilities	1,040	1,227	8,720
Net deferred tax assets	(1,040)	(1,227)	(8,720)
Net deferred tax liabilities	¥ —	¥ —	\$ —
<b>Deferred tax assets (non current):</b>			
Unrealized intercompany profits	¥ 2,173	¥ 943	\$ 18,219
Undeductible allowance for employees' retirement benefits	22,468	15,172	188,379
Undeductible write-down of securities	838	838	7,026
Undeductible amortization of software costs	291	401	2,440
Loss on impairment of property and equipment	702	717	5,886
Tax loss carryforward	2,041	1,717	17,112
Undeductible allowance for doubtful accounts	653	755	5,475
Devaluation of property and equipment resulting from spin-off	770	770	6,456
Allowance for environmental measures	222	233	1,861
Others	2,925	1,885	24,524
Gross deferred tax assets	33,083	23,431	277,378
Less: Valuation allowance	(2,832)	(2,555)	(23,744)
Total deferred tax assets	30,251	20,876	253,634
Net deferred tax liabilities	(24,118)	(16,583)	(202,213)
Net deferred tax assets	¥ 6,133	¥ 4,293	\$ 51,421
<b>Deferred tax liabilities (non current):</b>			
Reserve for deferred capital gains of property	¥10,475	¥ 8,028	\$ 87,826
Unrealized holding gains on securities	15,323	8,711	128,473
Others	555	204	4,653
Gross deferred tax liabilities	26,353	16,943	220,952
Net deferred tax assets	(24,118)	(16,583)	(202,213)
Net deferred tax liabilities	¥ 2,235	¥ 360	\$ 18,739

Following the promulgation on March 31, 2014 of the "Act for Partial Revision of the Income Tax Act" (Act No. 10 of 2014), the special corporate tax for reconstruction from the Great East Japan Earthquake will no longer be imposed from the fiscal year beginning on or after April 1, 2014. In line with this revision, the Company's statutory tax rate used to calculate deferred tax assets and liabilities for temporary differences expected to be eliminated in the consolidated fiscal year commencing from March 1, 2015 changed from 37.9% to 35.6%.

The effect of this change was to decrease the current deferred tax assets by ¥321 million (\$2,691 thousand) and to decrease the non-current deferred tax assets by ¥21 million (\$176 thousand), and to increase the non-current deferred tax liabilities by ¥111 million (\$931 thousand) and to increase income taxes-deferred by ¥455 million (\$3,815 thousand).

Following the promulgation on March 31, 2015 of the "Act for Partial Revision of the Income Tax Act" (Act No. 9 of 2015), the corporate tax rate and others will change from the fiscal year beginning on or after April 1, 2015. In line with this revision, the Company's statutory tax rate used to calculate deferred tax assets and liabilities for temporary differences expected to be eliminated in or after the consolidated fiscal year commencing from March 1, 2016 will change from 35.6% to 33.1%.

Also, the Company's statutory tax rate used to calculate deferred tax assets and liabilities for temporary differences expected to be eliminated in or after the consolidated fiscal year commencing from March 1, 2017 will change from 35.6% to 32.3%. If the Company takes the above change into consideration and uses it as a basis for recalculating the temporary differences at the end of the current consolidated fiscal year, the current deferred tax assets will decrease by ¥239 million (\$2,004 thousand), the non-current deferred tax assets will decrease by ¥221 million (\$1,853 thousand), the non-current deferred tax liabilities will decrease by ¥508 million (\$4,259 thousand), the deferred tax liabilities to land revaluation will decrease by ¥574 million (\$4,813 thousand), and remeasurement of defined benefit plans will decrease by ¥26 million (\$218 thousand).

In addition, the land revaluation difference, net of tax will increase by ¥574 million (\$4,813 thousand), and unrealized gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities, net of taxes will increase by ¥1,418 million (\$11,889 thousand).

As the result of these, income taxes-deferred will increase by ¥1,344 million (\$11,269 thousand).

## 13 RENTAL PROPERTY

The Company and certain of its consolidated subsidiaries own some rental properties, such as office buildings and commercial properties principally in areas where they conduct operations.

Certain domestic commercial properties are not recognized as rental properties but as real estate including spaces used as rental properties since the Company or certain consolidated subsidiaries use some of the floor space of these properties.

The carrying amounts of these properties in the Consolidated Balance Sheets, their changes during the current fiscal year, their fair value, and the method for calculating the fair value at February 28, 2015 and 2014 were as follows:

### Amounts on the Consolidated Balance Sheets

	Millions of yen			
	2015			
	Book value		Fair value	
March 1, 2014	Increase (decrease)	February 28, 2015	February 28, 2015	
Rental property	¥ 58,776	¥ (7,488)	¥ 51,288	¥ 58,621
Real estate including spaces used as rental properties	254,545	106,426	360,971	457,336

  

	Millions of yen			
	2014			
	Book value		Fair value	
March 1, 2013	Increase	February 28, 2014	February 28, 2014	
Rental property	¥ 56,886	¥ 1,890	¥ 58,776	¥ 66,714
Real estate including spaces used as rental properties	243,096	11,448	254,544	354,416



	Thousands of U.S. dollars			
	2015			
	Book value			Fair value
	March 1, 2014	Increase (decrease)	February 28, 2015	February 28, 2015
Rental property	\$ 492,798	\$ (62,782)	\$ 430,016	\$ 491,498
Real estate including spaces used as rental properties	2,134,191	892,312	3,026,503	3,834,460

Notes: 1. The amounts presented on the Consolidated Balance Sheets are the acquisition value minus accumulated depreciation and minus accumulated impairment losses.

2. Rental property: The increase during the year ended February 28, 2015 primarily represents acquisition of rental properties, and the decrease primarily represents depreciation and exclusion by changing management.

3. Real estate including spaces used as rental properties: The increase during the year ended February 28, 2015 primarily represents the acquisition, and the decrease primarily represents depreciation.

4. The fair value as of the end of the fiscal year was calculated by the Company based on Real Estate Appraisal and Valuation Standards (including adjustments made using indicators and other information).

Profit (loss) on rental property and the portion of real estate including spaces used as rental properties during the years ended February 28, 2015 and 2014 was as follows:

	Millions of yen			
	2015			
	Rental income	Rental expenses	Difference	Other, net
Rental property	¥14,853	¥10,803	¥4,050	¥ 48
Real estate including spaces used as rental properties	19,539	14,138	5,401	1,459

	Millions of yen			
	2014			
	Rental income	Rental expenses	Difference	Other, net
Rental property	¥14,842	¥10,760	¥4,082	¥—
Real estate including spaces used as rental properties	19,842	14,857	4,985	—

	Thousands of U.S. dollars			
	2015			
	Rental income	Rental expenses	Difference	Other, net
Rental property	\$124,533	\$ 90,576	\$33,957	\$ 402
Real estate including spaces used as rental properties	163,822	118,538	45,284	12,233

Note: Since real estate includes spaces used as rental properties by the Company and certain of its subsidiaries for the purposes of providing services and management, a part of the related rental income is not reported. Expenses related to rental properties (depreciation, maintenance, insurance, taxes, etc.) are included in rental expenses.

## 14 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The Company and certain consolidated subsidiaries were contingently liable for the following:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2014	2015
Guarantees on loans from financial institutions:			
Keppel Land Watco II Co., Ltd.	¥1,697	¥1,450	\$14,228
Keppel Land Watco III Co., Ltd.	1,211	1,035	10,154
Loan guarantees made for employees and others	209	285	1,752
Total	¥3,117	¥2,770	\$26,134

## 15 EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT BENEFITS

### 1. Summary of employees' retirement benefits which the Companies adopted

The Company and domestic consolidated subsidiaries have defined benefit plans (i.e., welfare pension plans and corporate pension plans) and lump-sum pension plans. The Company and some consolidated subsidiaries have adopted a defined contribution pension plan for part of their retirement benefit plans. Under the defined-benefit plans owned by some consolidated subsidiaries, retirement benefit liability and employees' retirement benefit cost are calculated using the simplified method.

### 2. Defined benefit obligation

(1) The changes in defined benefit obligation for the year ended February 28, 2015 are as follows:

	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2015
Balance at beginning of the year	¥ 99,704	\$ 835,952
Cumulative effect of changes in accounting policies	22,116	185,428
Restated balance	121,820	1,021,380
Service cost	2,983	25,011
Interest cost	814	6,825
Actuarial losses	(262)	(2,197)
Benefit paid	(7,855)	(65,859)
Balance at end of the year	¥117,500	\$ 985,160

(2) The changes in plan assets for the year ended February 28, 2015 are as follows:

	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2015
Balance at beginning of the year	¥53,332	\$447,153
Expected return on plan assets	1,333	11,176
Actuarial gains	2,840	23,812
Contribution from the employer	2,349	19,695
Benefit paid	(3,958)	(33,185)
Balance at end of the year	¥55,896	\$468,651

(3) Reconciliation between the liability recorded in the Consolidated Balance Sheet and the balance of benefit obligation and plan assets as of February 28, 2015 is as follows:

	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2015
Funded defined benefit obligation	¥64,537	\$541,100
Plan assets	(55,896)	(468,651)
	8,641	72,449
Unfunded defined benefit obligation	52,963	444,060
Net liability for defined benefit obligation	¥61,604	\$516,509
Net defined benefit liability	61,604	516,509
Net liability for defined benefit obligation	¥61,604	\$516,509

(4) The components of periodic benefit costs for the year ended February 28, 2015 are as follows:

	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2015
Service cost	¥3,116	\$26,126
Interest cost	814	6,825
Expected return on plan assets	(1,333)	(11,176)
Recognized actuarial losses	2,090	17,523
Recognized prior service cost	(363)	(3,044)
Total	¥4,324	\$36,254

(5) The components of other comprehensive income on defined retirement benefits plans, before tax, are as follows:

	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2015
Prior service cost	¥ (363)	\$ (3,044)
Actuarial losses	5,193	43,540
Total	¥4,830	\$40,496

(6) Accumulated other comprehensive income on defined retirement benefits plans, before tax, is as follows:

	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2015
Unrecognized prior service cost	¥ —	\$ —
Unrecognized actuarial losses	(728)	(6,104)
Total	¥(728)	\$(6,104)

(7) Plan assets

1) Components of plan assets are as follows:

	%
	2015
Debt investments	67%
Equity investments	24
General accounts with life insurance companies	8
Cash and deposits	1
Total	100%

2) Method for determining the expected rate of return on plan assets

The expected rate of return on plan assets is determined considering the long-term rates of return which are expected currently and in the future from the various components of the plan assets.

(8) The assumptions used for the year ended February 28, 2015 are as follows:

Discount rate	
Relating to funded defined benefit obligation	Mainly 0.8%
Relating to unfunded defined benefit obligation	Mainly 0.5%
Expected rate of return on plan assets	2.5%

### 3. Defined benefit obligation of the simplified method

(1) The changes in defined benefit obligation of the simplified method for the year ended February 28, 2015 are as follows:

	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2015
Balance at beginning of the year	¥1,310	\$10,983
Employees' retirement benefit cost	188	1,576
Benefit paid	(118)	(989)
Balance at end of the year	¥1,380	\$11,570

(2) Reconciliation between the liability recorded in the Consolidated Balance Sheet and the balance of benefit obligation and plan assets as of February 28, 2015 is as follows:

	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2015
Funded defined benefit obligation	¥ —	\$ —
Plan assets	—	—
	—	—
Unfunded defined benefit obligation	1,380	11,570
Net liability for defined benefit obligation	¥1,380	\$11,570
Net defined benefit liability	1,380	11,570
Net liability for defined benefit obligation	¥1,380	\$11,570

(3) Employees' benefit cost of the simplified method is ¥319 million (\$2,675 thousand).

### 4. Defined contribution pension plan

The Companies paid ¥542 million (\$4,544 thousand) as defined contribution pension costs for the year ended February 28, 2015.

## 16 NET ASSETS

Net assets consist of shareholders' equity, valuation and translation adjustments, and minority interests. Under Japanese laws and regulations, the entire amount paid for new shares must be designated as common stock.

However, by resolution of the Board of Directors, a company can designate an amount not exceeding one-half of the price of the new shares as additional paid-in capital, which is then included in the capital surplus. It is a requirement under Japanese Corporate Law ("the Law") that, in cases where the surplus is distributed among shareholders as a dividend, the smaller of an amount equal to 10% of the dividend or the excess, if any, of 25% of common stock over the total of additional paid-in capital and the legal earnings reserve is set aside as additional paid-in capital or the legal earnings reserve.

The legal earnings reserve is included in retained earnings in the accompanying Consolidated Balance Sheets. Under the Law, appropriations of the legal earnings reserve and additional paid-in capital generally require a resolution by a General Meeting of Shareholders. Although additional paid-in capital and the legal earnings reserve may not be distributed as dividends, the Law allows all additional paid-in capital and all legal earnings reserves to be transferred to other capital surplus and retained earnings, respectively, which are potentially available for dividends. The maximum amount that the Company can return to shareholders as dividends is calculated based on the non-consolidated financial statements in accordance with the Law.

## 17 LAND REVALUATION

In accordance with the Law Concerning Revaluation of Land, land used for business owned by the Company and two consolidated subsidiaries was revalued. The unrealized gain, net of deferred tax, was excluded from earnings and reported as "Excess of land revaluation" in shareholders' equity, and the relevant deferred tax was included as "Deferred tax liabilities related to land revaluation in liabilities."

Related information is shown as follows:

Date of revaluation:	
The Company	December 31, 2000 and February 28, 2001
A consolidated subsidiary	February 28, 2001
A consolidated subsidiary	March 31, 2002

## 18 LEASES

### Operating leases

Future minimum lease payments subsequent to February 28, 2015 for noncancellable operating leases are summarized as follows:

Years ending February 28 and 29	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2015
2016	¥ 1,879	\$ 15,754
2017 and thereafter	108,602	910,556
Total	¥110,481	\$926,310

## 19 DERIVATIVE TRANSACTIONS

### 1. Derivatives to which hedge accounting is not applied

		Millions of yen			
		2015			
Classification	Type of derivatives	Contract amount	Contract amount due after one year	Fair value	Valuation loss
Non-market transactions	Swaps				
	Receive: Singapore dollars				
	Pay: CN yuan	¥733	¥—	¥(54)	¥(54)
Total		¥733	¥—	¥(54)	¥(54)

		Thousands of U.S. dollars			
		2015			
Classification	Type of derivatives	Contract amount	Contract amount due after one year	Fair value	Valuation loss
Non-market transactions	Swaps				
	Receive: Singapore dollars				
	Pay: CN yuan	\$6,146	\$—	\$(453)	\$(453)
Total		\$6,146	\$—	\$(453)	\$(453)

### 2. Derivatives to which hedge accounting is applied

#### (1) Currency related derivatives

			Millions of yen		
			2015		
Hedge accounting method	Type of derivatives	Major hedged items	Contract amount	Contract amount due after one year	Fair value
Deferral hedge accounting	Forward contracts	Accounts payable-trade			
	To buy U.S. dollars		¥271	¥—	¥ 2
	To buy Euros		237	—	(5)
	To buy G.B. pounds		1	—	0
Total			¥509	¥—	¥(3)

			Millions of yen		
			2014		
Hedge accounting method	Type of derivatives	Major hedged items	Contract amount	Contract amount due after one year	Fair value
Deferral hedge accounting	Forward contracts	Accounts payable-trade			
	To buy U.S. dollars		¥135	¥—	¥(2)
	To buy Euros		193	—	1
<b>Total</b>			<b>¥328</b>	<b>¥—</b>	<b>¥(1)</b>

			Thousands of U.S. dollars		
			2015		
Hedge accounting method	Type of derivatives	Major hedged items	Contract amount	Contract amount due after one year	Fair value
Deferral hedge accounting	Forward contracts	Accounts payable-trade			
	To buy U.S. dollars		<b>\$2,272</b>	\$—	<b>\$ 17</b>
	To buy Euros		<b>1,987</b>	—	<b>(42)</b>
	To buy G.B. pounds		<b>9</b>	—	<b>0</b>
<b>Total</b>			<b>\$4,268</b>	<b>\$—</b>	<b>\$(25)</b>

Note: The fair value is determined based on the quoted price obtained from the financial institutions with which the derivatives are transacted.

## (2) Interest rate related derivatives

			Millions of yen		
			2015		
Hedge accounting method	Type of derivatives	Major hedged items	Contract amount	Contract amount due after one year	Fair value
Specified treatment for interest rate swaps	Interest rate swaps	Long-term debt			
	Receive floating rate		<b>¥39,000</b>	<b>¥16,000</b>	¥—
	Pay fixed rate				
<b>Total</b>			<b>¥39,000</b>	<b>¥16,000</b>	<b>¥—</b>

			Millions of yen		
			2014		
Hedge accounting method	Type of derivatives	Major hedged items	Contract amount	Contract amount due after one year	Fair value
Specified treatment for interest rate swaps	Interest rate swaps	Long-term debt			
	Receive floating rate		¥30,500	¥29,000	¥—
	Pay fixed rate				
<b>Total</b>			<b>¥30,500</b>	<b>¥29,000</b>	<b>¥—</b>

			Thousands of U.S. dollars		
			2015		
Hedge accounting method	Type of derivatives	Major hedged items	Contract amount	Contract amount due after one year	Fair value
Specified treatment for interest rate swaps	Interest rate swaps	Long-term debt			
	Receive floating rate		<b>\$326,989</b>	<b>\$134,149</b>	\$—
	Pay fixed rate				
<b>Total</b>			<b>\$326,989</b>	<b>\$134,149</b>	<b>\$—</b>

Note: The interest rate swaps which qualify for hedge accounting and meet specific matching criteria are not remeasured at market value, but the amount paid or received under the swap agreements is recognized and included in interest expenses of the long-term debt as hedged items. Accordingly, the fair value of the interest rate swaps is considered to be included in the fair value of the long-term debt.

### (3) Interest rate and currency related

			Millions of yen		
			2015		
Hedge accounting method	Type of derivatives	Major hedged items	Contract amount	Contract amount due after one year	Fair value
Specified treatment for interest rate and currency swaps	Interest rate and currency swaps	Long-term debt	¥10,000	¥10,000	¥—
Total			¥10,000	¥10,000	¥—

			Thousands of U.S. dollars		
			2015		
Hedge accounting method	Type of derivatives	Major hedged items	Contract amount	Contract amount due after one year	Fair value
Specified treatment for interest rate and currency swaps	Interest rate and currency swaps	Long-term debt	\$83,843	\$83,843	\$—
Total			\$83,843	\$83,843	\$—

Note: The interest rate and currency swaps which qualify for hedge accounting and meet specific matching criteria are not remeasured at market value, but the amount paid or received under the swap agreements is recognized and included in the long-term debt as hedged items. Accordingly, the fair value of the interest rate and currency swaps is considered to be included in the fair value of the long-term debt.

## 20 PER SHARE INFORMATION

Reconciliation of the difference between basic and diluted net income per share ("EPS") for the years ended February 28, 2015 and 2014 was as follows:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2014	2015
Basic net income per share			
Income (numerator):			
Net income	¥ 22,581	¥ 18,716	\$189,327
Amounts not belonging to common stock	—	—	—
Net income available to common shareholders	22,581	18,716	189,327
Shares, thousands (denominator):			
Weighted average number of shares	340,596	329,887	—
Basic EPS (yen and U.S. dollars)	¥ 66.29	¥ 56.73	\$ 0.56
Diluted net income per share			
Income (numerator):			
Net income	¥ 22,581	¥ 18,716	\$189,327
Amounts not belonging to common stock	—	—	—
Net income available to common shareholders	22,581	18,716	189,327
Effect of dilutive securities — convertible bonds	(61)	(13)	(511)
Adjusted net income	22,520	18,703	188,816
Shares, thousands (denominator):			
Weighted average number of shares	340,596	329,887	—
Assumed conversion of convertible bonds	61,189	35,369	—
Adjusted weighted average number of shares	401,785	365,256	—
Diluted EPS (yen and U.S. dollars)	¥ 56.05	¥ 51.20	\$ 0.47

Net assets per share as of February 28, 2015 and 2014 were calculated as follows:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2014	2015
Net assets per share			
Net assets (numerator):			
Total net assets	<b>¥ 408,478</b>	¥ 364,913	<b>\$3,424,818</b>
Minority interests in consolidated subsidiaries	<b>(7,371)</b>	(6,719)	<b>(61,801)</b>
Adjusted net assets	<b>401,107</b>	358,194	<b>3,363,017</b>
Common stock, thousands (denominator):			
Issued number of shares	<b>355,519</b>	330,828	<b>355,519</b>
Treasury stock	<b>(961)</b>	(947)	<b>(961)</b>
Outstanding number of shares	<b>354,558</b>	329,881	<b>354,558</b>
Net assets per share (yen and U.S. dollars)	<b>¥1,131.28</b>	¥1,085.82	<b>\$ 9.49</b>

As stated in Note 2 (r) "Changes in accounting standards", the Company has applied the Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits and the Guidance on Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits. The Company transitionally applied this Accounting Standard as determined in its Paragraph 37. As a result, net assets per share decreased by ¥39.55 (\$0.33), net income per share increased by ¥1.54 (\$0.01) and diluted EPS increased by ¥1.31 (\$0.01).

## 21 SEGMENT INFORMATION

### 1. General information about reportable segments

The Company Group's reportable segments are components of the Group whose operating results are regularly reviewed by the Board of Directors when making resource allocation and performance assessment decisions, and for which discrete financial information is available. The Companies consist of segments identified by services based on Department store, and the four segments: "Department store," "Contract & Design," "Real Estate," and "Finance" are identified as reportable segments.

The Department Store segment is engaged in retailing operations of clothing, accessories, home furnishings, foods and others.

The Contract & Design segment is engaged in making plans for furnishings of houses and shops, and carrying out the plans.

The Real Estate segment is engaged in property management and operating shopping malls.

The Finance segment is engaged in credit card and lease business in the Companies.

### 2. Basis of measurement about reportable segment net sales, segment income or loss, segment assets and other items

The accounting policies for the reportable segments are basically the same as those described in Note 1. Basis of Presenting Consolidated Financial Statements. Income by the reportable segments is presented on an operating income basis. Intersegment sales and transfers are recognized based on the current market prices.



(a) Business segment information

Business segment information for the years ended February 28, 2015 and 2014 was as follows:

Year ended February 28, 2015	Millions of yen								
	Department Store	Contract & Design	Real Estate	Finance	Total of Reportable Segments	Other	Total	Adjustments	Consolidated
Sales and other operating revenue:									
Outside customers	¥802,957	¥24,659	¥ 38,102	¥12,385	¥878,103	¥34,420	¥912,523	¥ —	¥912,523
Intersegment	6,288	4,396	4,381	4,393	19,458	29,360	48,818	(48,818)	—
Total	809,245	29,055	42,483	16,778	897,561	63,780	961,341	(48,818)	912,523
Segment income	¥ 15,520	¥ 1,439	¥ 9,528	¥ 4,177	¥ 30,664	¥ 1,591	¥ 32,255	¥ (232)	¥ 32,023
Segment assets	¥637,464	¥18,166	¥167,454	¥97,280	¥920,364	¥23,136	¥943,500	¥ 36,112	¥979,612
Amortization of goodwill	—	—	188	—	188	18	206	—	206
Investment expenditures for affiliated company accounted for by equity method	15,382	—	26,605	—	41,987	98	42,085	—	42,085
Depreciation	14,791	38	3,912	113	18,854	484	19,338	7	19,345
Impairment loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Increase in property, plant and equipment, and intangibles	120,102	60	4,063	4	124,229	723	124,952	(441)	124,511

Year ended February 28, 2014	Millions of yen								
	Department Store	Contract & Design	Real Estate	Finance	Total of Reportable Segments	Other	Total	Adjustments	Consolidated
Sales and other operating revenue:									
Outside customers	¥798,079	¥20,623	¥ 36,804	¥11,912	¥867,418	¥36,762	¥904,180	¥ —	¥904,180
Intersegment	6,302	4,791	4,362	4,284	19,739	30,361	50,100	(50,100)	—
Total	804,381	25,414	41,166	16,196	887,157	67,123	954,280	(50,100)	904,180
Segment income	¥ 13,963	¥ 1,110	¥ 8,381	¥ 4,144	¥ 27,598	¥ 1,651	¥ 29,249	¥ (150)	¥ 29,099
Segment assets	¥533,626	¥16,225	¥160,863	¥87,704	¥798,418	¥21,977	¥820,395	¥81,745	¥902,140
Amortization of goodwill	—	—	188	—	188	18	206	—	206
Investment expenditures for affiliated company accounted for by equity method	14,396	—	23,522	—	37,918	0	37,918	—	37,918
Depreciation	13,547	42	4,056	108	17,753	395	18,148	71	18,219
Impairment loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Increase in property, plant and equipment, and intangibles	29,031	35	6,314	96	35,476	305	35,781	(389)	35,392

Year ended February 28, 2015	Thousands of U.S. dollars								
	Department Store	Contract & Design	Real Estate	Finance	Total of Reportable Segments	Other	Total	Adjustments	Consolidated
Sales and other operating revenue:									
Outside customers	\$6,732,263	\$206,749	\$ 319,460	\$103,840	\$7,362,312	\$288,589	\$7,650,901	\$ —	\$7,650,901
Intersegment	52,721	36,858	36,732	36,832	163,143	246,164	409,307	(409,307)	—
Total	6,784,984	243,607	356,192	140,672	7,525,455	534,753	8,060,208	(409,307)	7,650,901
Segment income	\$ 130,125	\$ 12,065	\$ 79,886	\$ 35,021	\$ 257,097	\$ 13,340	\$ 270,437	\$ (1,945)	\$ 268,492
Segment assets	\$5,344,714	\$152,310	\$1,403,991	\$815,628	\$7,716,643	\$193,980	\$7,910,623	\$302,775	\$8,213,398
Amortization of goodwill	—	—	1,576	—	1,576	151	1,727	—	1,727
Investment expenditures for affiliated company accounted for by equity method	128,968	—	223,065	—	352,033	822	352,855	—	352,855
Depreciation	124,013	319	32,799	947	158,078	4,058	162,136	59	162,195
Impairment loss	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Increase in property, plant and equipment, and intangibles	1,006,976	503	34,066	33	1,041,578	6,062	1,047,640	(3,698)	1,043,942

(b) Related information

Amortization of goodwill and unamortized balance by reportable segment

As of and for the year ended February 28, 2015	Millions of yen							
	Department Store	Contract & Design	Real Estate	Finance	Total of Reportable Segments	Other	Adjustments	Consolidated
Goodwill:								
Amortization	¥—	¥ —	¥188	¥—	¥188	¥ 18	¥—	¥ 206
Unamortized balance	¥—	¥ —	¥939	¥—	¥939	¥134	¥—	¥1,073
Negative goodwill:								
Amortization	¥—	¥ 93	¥ —	¥—	¥ 93	¥ —	¥—	¥ 93
Unamortized balance	¥—	¥555	¥ —	¥—	¥555	¥ —	¥—	¥ 555

As of and for the year ended February 28, 2014	Millions of yen							
	Department Store	Contract & Design	Real Estate	Finance	Total of Reportable Segments	Other	Adjustments	Consolidated
Goodwill:								
Amortization	¥—	¥ —	¥ 188	¥—	¥ 188	¥ 18	¥—	¥ 206
Unamortized balance	¥—	¥ —	¥1,126	¥—	¥1,126	¥153	¥—	¥1,279
Negative goodwill:								
Amortization	¥—	¥ 93	¥ —	¥—	¥ 93	¥ —	¥—	¥ 93
Unamortized balance	¥—	¥647	¥ —	¥—	¥ 647	¥ —	¥—	¥ 647

As of and for the year ended February 28, 2015	Thousands of U.S. dollars							
	Department Store	Contract & Design	Real Estate	Finance	Total of Reportable Segments	Other	Adjustments	Consolidated
Goodwill:								
Amortization	\$—	\$ —	\$1,576	\$—	\$1,576	\$ 151	\$—	\$1,727
Unamortized balance	\$—	\$ —	\$7,873	\$—	\$7,873	\$1,123	\$—	\$8,996
Negative goodwill:								
Amortization	\$—	\$ 780	\$ —	\$—	\$ 780	\$ —	\$—	\$ 780
Unamortized balance	\$—	\$4,653	\$ —	\$—	\$4,653	\$ —	\$—	\$4,653

## 22 PRESENTATION OF GOODWILL AND NEGATIVE GOODWILL

The partial offsetting of goodwill by negative goodwill at February 28, 2015 and 2014 was as follows:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2014	2015
Goodwill	¥1,073	¥1,279	\$8,996
Negative goodwill	555	647	4,653
Goodwill, net	¥ 518	¥ 632	\$4,343

## 23 PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

The following table summarizes amounts of advanced depreciation deducted from acquisition cost of property and equipment, as a result of conversion of ownership based on the Urban Rental Act, as of February 28, 2015.

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2015	2014	2015
Land	¥31,326	¥—	\$262,648
Construction in progress	19,966	—	167,401
Total	¥51,292	¥—	\$430,049

## 24 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

### Subsequent Events

#### Own-share repurchase

The Board of the Company adopted a resolution on April 7, 2015 concerning implementation of an own-share repurchase by means of a Tender Offer (the "Tender Offer") in accordance with the provisions of Article 156, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act (Law No. 86 of 2005, as amended; referred to as the "Companies Act") applied with certain replacement of terms pursuant to Article 165, Paragraph 3 of the Companies Act.

#### (1) Purpose of the Repurchase

The Company and H<sub>2</sub>O Retailing Corporation ("H<sub>2</sub>O Retailing") concluded the contracts regarding reinforcement of the business tie-up and capital tie-up on March 23, 2015.

Complying with the contracts, H<sub>2</sub>O Retailing decided to keep holding 17,774,000 shares (5.00% of total issued shares) and to sell 15,310,000 shares (4.31% of total issued shares). The Board of Directors of the Company adopted a resolution at a meeting held on March 23, 2015 to repurchase 5,000,000 shares of 15,310,000 shares which H<sub>2</sub>O Retailing intended to sell, from April 1, 2015 to August 31, 2015, in accordance with Article 156, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act applied with certain replacement of terms pursuant to Article 165, Paragraph 3 of the Companies Act.

The Company believes that this repurchase will ease an influence on supply and demand which was caused by disposal of a considerable amount of shares at once, and enable the Company to enforce redistribution of profits to shareholders and more flexible capital policy.

(2) Type of Publicly traded Shares Purchased:	Common shares
(3) Number of shares purchased:	5,000,000 shares (1.4% of the issued shares)
(4) Repurchase price:	¥1,103 (\$9.25) per share of common stock (10% discount from ¥1,225 (the closing price of the Company's common shares on April 6, 2015))
(5) Tender Offer Period:	From April 8, 2015 to May 11, 2015
(6) Settlement Commencement Date:	June 3, 2015

Reference information: Details of the Board of Directors Resolution on March 23, 2015

(1) Type of shares to be acquired:	Common shares
(2) Total number of shares that may be acquired:	5,600,000 shares (maximum)
(3) Total share repurchase amount:	¥7,000 million (\$58,690 thousand, maximum)
(4) Repurchase period:	From April 1, 2015 to August 31, 2015

#### Sale of Investment Securities

#### (1) Summary

The Company sold 4,078 thousand shares (3.26% of the total shares issued, book value of ¥5,199 million (\$43,590 thousand)) out of the 10,337 thousand shares of H<sub>2</sub>O Retailing Corporation ("H<sub>2</sub>O Retailing") on March 24, 2015.

#### (2) Amount of gain on sale of investment securities

The Company will record ¥4,197 million (\$35,189 thousand) of gain on the sale of investment securities as extraordinary income in the fiscal year ending February 29, 2016.



## Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Directors of Takashimaya Company, Limited:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Takashimaya Company, Limited and its consolidated subsidiaries, which comprise the consolidated balance sheets as at February 28, 2015 and 2014, and the consolidated statements of income, statements of comprehensive income, statements of changes in net assets and statements of cash flows for the years then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information expressed in Japanese yen.

### **Management's Responsibility for the Consolidated Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatements, whether due to fraud or error.

### **Auditor's Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in Japan. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on our judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, we consider internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, while the objective of the financial statement audit is not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### **Opinion**

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Takashimaya Company, Limited and its consolidated subsidiaries as at February 28, 2015 and 2014, and their financial performance and cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan.

### **Emphasis of Matter**

- (1) Without qualifying our opinion, we draw attention to the following:  
As discussed in Note 2(r) to the consolidated financial statements, Takashimaya Company, Limited and domestic subsidiaries applied the revised accounting standard for retirement benefits from the beginning of the annual period beginning on March 1, 2014.

### **Convenience Translation**

The U.S. dollar amounts in the accompanying consolidated financial statements with respect to the year ended February 28, 2015 are presented solely for convenience. Our audit also included the translation of yen amounts into U.S. dollar amounts and, in our opinion, such translation has been made on the basis described in Note 1 to the consolidated financial statements.

**KPMG AZSA LLC**

May 19, 2015  
Tokyo, Japan

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