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# **11-Year Financial Information**INPEX CORPORATION and Consolidated Subsidiaries

The translation of yen amounts into U.S. dollar amounts is included solely for convenience, as a matter of arithmetic computation only, at ¥112.20=US\$1.00, the approximate exchange rate in effect as of March 31, 2017.

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(Results of operations)	2007/3	2008/3	2009/3	2010/3	2011/3	2012/3	2013/3	2014/3
Net sales	¥ 969,713	¥1,202,965	¥1,076,165	¥ 840,427	¥ 943,080	¥1,186,732	¥1,216,533	¥1,334,626
Cost of sales	343,795	390,554	319,038	298,168	334,833	395,443	426,326	490,417
Gross profit	625,918	812,411	757,127	542,259	608,247	791,289	790,207	844,209
Operating income	559,077	714,211	663,267	461,668	529,743	709,358	693,448	733,610
Income before income taxes	586,263	685,800	616,167	442,027	508,587	767,039	718,146	750,078
Net income attributable to owners of parent	¥ 165,092	¥ 173,246	¥ 145,063	¥ 107,210	¥ 128,699	¥ 194,001	¥ 182,962	¥ 183,691
(Financial position)								
Current assets	¥ 474,124	¥ 565,111	¥ 411,110	¥ 492,855	¥ 492,932	¥ 908,702	¥1,106,504	¥1,140,204
Tangible fixed assets	219,227	254,481	297,636	358,094	379,862	383,698	584,541	951,779
Intangible assets	265,822	265,481	253,681	239,205	249,111	233,318	380,156	439,179
Investments and other assets	648,934	722,828	805,618	923,624	1,558,475	1,540,680	1,544,958	1,506,977
Total assets	1,608,107	1,807,901	1,768,045	2,013,778	2,680,380	3,066,398	3,616,159	4,038,139
Current liabilities	266,248	325,286	206,059	227,905	254,729	367,844	414,977	375,670
Long-term liabilities	261,843	243,802	199,925	295,270	328,268	384,361	530,198	666,432
Net assets	¥1,080,016	¥1,238,813	¥1,362,061	¥1,490,603	¥2,097,383	¥2,314,193	¥2,670,984	¥2,996,037
(Cash flows)								
Cash flows from operating activities	¥ 231,982	¥ 363,995	¥ 230,352	¥ 241,373	¥ 274,094	¥ 320,692	¥ 252,347	¥ 213,514
Cash flows from investing activities	(209,243)	(261,767)	(240,168)	(251,812)	(844,511)	(280,864)	(489,870)	(395,555)
Cash flows from financing activities	13,794	(45,228)	(46,090)	68,937	548,057	29,294	137,069	48,961
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	¥ 189,417	¥ 222,270	¥ 162,845	¥ 216,395	¥ 182,025	¥ 249,233	¥ 199,859	¥ 117,531
(Per share data)								
Net assets per share (Yen)	¥1,091.17*	¥1,227.92*	¥1,350.25*	¥1,473.87*	¥1,367.40*	¥1,492.27*	¥1,699.10*	¥1,911.25*
Cash dividends per share (Yen)	17.50*	18.75*	20.00*	13.75*	15.00*	17.50*	17.50*	18.00*
Earnings per share (EPS) (Yen)	¥ 176.06*	¥ 183.78*	¥ 154.00*	¥ 113.88*	¥ 102.08*	¥ 132.84*	¥ 125.29*	¥ 125.78*
* Retroactively adjusted for a sto (Financial indicators)	ock split at a ratio o	of 1:400 of commo	n stock on Octobe	r 1, 2013.				
Net debt / Net total capital employed (%)	(18.6)%	(36.1)%	(31.2)%	(30.6)%	(48.9)%	(60.7)%	(43.9)%	(31.9)%
Equity ratio (%)	64.0	64.0	71.9	68.9	74.5	71.1	68.6	69.1
D/E ratio (%)	24.2%	16.8%	12.9%	17.3%	13.7%	14.6%	19.2%	20.9%

	Millions of yen		Thousands of
2015/3	2016/3	2017/3	U.S. dollars 2017/3
¥1,171,227	¥1,009,564	¥ 874,423	\$ 7,793,431
525,444	526,758	453,847	4,044,982
645,783	482,806	420,576	3,748,449
534,886	390,139	336,453	2,998,690
540,023	328,887	327,525	2,919,118
¥ 77,820	¥ 16,777	¥ 46,168	\$ 411,480
¥1,342,410	¥ 984,345	¥ 942,960	\$ 8,404,278
1,497,622	1,752,615	1,928,598	17,188,930
458,770	541,471	521,253	4,645,749
1,200,352	1,091,411	919,363	8,193,966
4,499,154	4,369,842	4,312,174	38,432,923
365,212	319,128	297,465	2,651,203
845,238	871,911	807,166	7,193,993
¥3,288,704	8,704 ¥3,178,803 ¥3,207,543		\$28,587,727
¥ 216,749	¥ 183,708	¥ 275,810	\$ 2,458,200
(81,087)	(543,534)	53,484	476,684
(4,178)	156,726	(65,428)	(583,137)
¥ 260,978	¥ 53,813	¥ 316,791	\$ 2,823,449
¥ 2,099.95	¥ 2,008.34	¥ 2,015.38	\$ 17.96
18.00	18.00	18.00	0.16
¥ 53.29	¥ 11.49	¥ 31.61	\$ 0.28
(16.8)%	(8.1)%	0.9%	0.9%
68.2	67.1	68.3	68.3
22.1%	25.3%	23.4%	23.4%

#### **Notes**

- \* EBIDAX = Net income (including non-controlling interests) + Deferred tax + (1 Tax rate) × (Interest expense Interest income) + Foreign exchange gain and loss + Depreciation and amortization + Amortization of goodwill + Recovery of recoverable accounts under production sharing (capital expenditures) + Exploration expenses + Provision for exploration projects + Provision for allowance for recoverable accounts under production sharing + Impairment loss
- \* Net assets excluding non-controlling interests = Net assets Noncontrolling interests
- \* Equity ratio = Net assets excluding non-controlling interests / Total
- \* Net debt = Interest-bearing debt Cash and cash equivalents - Time deposits - Certificate of deposits - Public bonds and corporate bonds and other debt securities with determinable value - Long-term time deposits
- \* Net debt / Net total capital employed = Net debt / (Net assets + Net debt)
- \* D/E ratio = Interest-bearing debt / (Net assets Non-controlling interests)
- \* ROE = Net income attributable to owners of parent / Average of net assets excluding non-controlling interests at the beginning and end of the year
- \* The reserves cover most of INPEX group projects including the equity-method affiliates. The reserves from March 31, 2007 to March 31 2010 were evaluated by DeGolyer & MacNaughton, and from March 31, 2011, the reserves of projects which are expected to be invested a large amount and affect the Group's future result materially are evaluated by DeGolyer & MacNaughton, and the others are done internally.

The proved reserves are evaluated in accordance with SEC regulations.

The probable reserves are sum of proved reserves and probable reserves evaluated in accordance with SPE/WPC/AAPG/SPEE guideline Petroleum Resources Management System 2007(PRMS) approved in March 2007 after deduction of proved reserves evaluated in accordance with SEC regulations. Probable reserves as of March 31, 2007 are evaluated in accordance with the guideline established by SPE and WPC (1997 SPE/WPC).

Possible reserves are evaluated in accordance with PRMS.

\* Production volumes are calculated in accordance with SEC regulations and include the equity-method affiliates. The production volume of crude oil and natural gas under the production sharing contracts entered into by the Group corresponds to the net economic take of the Group.

Calculation of the conversion factor from gas to oil equivalent was altered from the year ended March 31, 2012.

Notes: In consolidated financial statements, amounts are basically rounded to the nearest million.

### **Background Information** Oil and Gas Accounting Policies and Treatment

### ACCOUNTING METHODS FOR TYPES OF AGREEMENTS

The oil and gas business generates the bulk of consolidated net sales revenues for INPEX CORPORATION and its consolidated subsidiaries (the "Group"). Two types of agreements govern the Group's oil and gas operations. One is production sharing contracts (the "PSCs") and the other is concession agreements. The latter category also includes domestic mining rights, as well as overseas permits, licenses and lease agreements.

#### 1. Production sharing contracts

Production sharing contract is an agreement by which one or several oil and gas development companies serve as contractors that undertake at their own expense exploration and development work on behalf of the governments of oil-producing countries or national oil companies and receive production from the projects as cost recovery and compensation.

### Cost recovery and production sharing

The PSCs determine the allocation of oil and gas production among the host country's government (or related entity) and the contractors such as the Group. The allocation formula generally differs according to the terms of the individual PSC. The overview below is specific to one type of PSC typical of many oil and gas projects in Indonesia, a country with which the Group has concluded numerous PSCs.

Under this type of arrangement, the total production in any given year or other accounting period is allocated at the end of the period between three

- (1) "First tranche petroleum": This is a prescribed portion of total production allocated between the host country's government and the contractors in line with agreed percentages.
- (2) "Cost recovery portion": This is the oil and gas equivalent of a) noncapital production-related expenditures incurred in that period, plus b) the scheduled depreciation expenses in that period for capital expenditures, as calculated under the PSC. The equivalents are determined based on the current unit prices of crude oil and natural gas and allocated between the contractors alone. The quantity of oil and gas in the "cost recovery portion" decreases as unit prices increase, whereas that of the "equity portion" (explained below) rises.

If the actual production for the period is insufficient to cover the quantity of oil and gas equivalent calculated for the cost recovery portion, the latter is capped at actual production and any surplus amount is carried forward to the following period, as stipulated in the PSC

(3) "Equity portion": This is any residual production after the first two portions have been allocated. It is allocated between the host country's government and the contractors based on agreed percentages

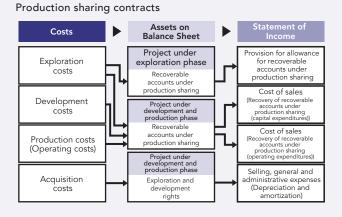
The calculation of items in the income statement based on the above PSC-related considerations is as follows:

- The Group records as net sales its share of total sales relating to the oil and gas production that is allocated to contractors under the PSCs.
- The Group books as cost of sales the portion of "Recoverable accounts under production sharing" that is recovered through the allocation of its share of the "cost recovery portion."

### Recoverable costs under the PSCs

### **Exploration costs**

The share of recoverable exploration costs incurred by the Group under the



terms of the relevant PSC is capitalized within "Recoverable accounts under production sharing.

#### Development costs

The share of all development costs incurred by the Group that is recoverable under the terms of the relevant PSC is recorded within "Recoverable accounts under production sharing."

Any operating costs incurred during the production phase that are recoverable under the relevant PSC are initially recorded within "Recoverable accounts under production sharing."

#### Administrative expenses

Any administrative expenses that are recoverable under the relevant PSC are recorded within "Recoverable accounts under production sharing."

As discussed above, in "Cost recovery and production sharing," these costs are recovered either as capital or operating expenditures.

#### Non-recoverable costs under the PSCs

#### Acquisition costs

Costs relating to the acquisition of rights (recorded as intangible assets under "Exploration and development rights") for any projects governed by the PSCs that are entirely in the exploration phase are expensed as incurred and amortized. Expenditures or costs relating to the acquisition of rights to projects already in the development or production phase are capitalized within "Exploration and development rights" and amortized based on the unit-of-production method. These amortization costs are recorded within "Depreciation and amortization." Cost recovery provisions in the PSCs do not generally cover these expenditures.

### 2. Concession agreements

Concession agreement is an agreement or authorization (including mining rights awarded in Japan, as well as overseas permits, licenses and lease agreements) by which a government entity or a national oil company of the country directly awards mining rights to an oil company. The oil company makes its own investment in exploration and development and has the right of disposition of the oil and gas it extracts. Revenues are returned to the host country in the form of royalties, taxes, etc., on sales.

#### Acquisition costs

Costs relating to the acquisition of rights (recorded as intangible assets under "Mining rights") for projects governed by concession agreements are treated in the same way as projects governed by the PSCs, as described above.

### **Exploration costs**

The Group's share of exploration costs is expensed as incurred.

### **Development costs**

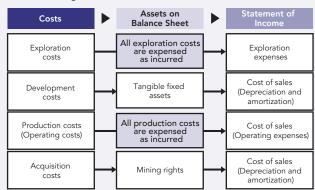
The Group's share of any development costs related to mining facilities is capitalized within tangible fixed assets. The depreciation of tangible fixed assets that are governed by concession agreements is computed primarily using the unit-of-production method for mining assets located outside Japan and the straight-line method for domestic facilities. These depreciation  $\label{eq:control_def}$ expenses are recorded within the cost of sales.

### **Production costs**

The Group's share of operating costs that are incurred during the production phase is recorded within the cost of sales.

Administrative expenses
The Group's share of administrative expenses is expensed as incurred.

#### Concession agreements



### CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND ESTIMATES

The Group's consolidated financial statements are prepared in conformity with Japanese GAAP. The preparation of these financial statements requires the application of estimates, judgments and assumptions that affect the reported values of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, as well as the reported amounts of revenues and expenses for the reporting period. Actual results may differ from the previously estimated or assumed values.

Accounting estimates pursuant to the preparation of the consolidated financial statements are deemed critical if the degree of uncertainty associated with such estimates is high, or if rational changes to such estimates could exert a material impact on the financial condition or operating results. Critical accounting policies and estimates relating to the financial presentation are outlined below.

#### — Allowance for recoverable accounts under production sharing

Any expenditures made during the exploration, development and production phases of projects governed by the PSCs are capitalized within "Recoverable accounts under production sharing" if they are recoverable under the relevant PSC. A reserve equal to exploration costs is recorded within "Allowance for recoverable accounts under production sharing" to provide for potential losses from unsuccessful exploration. This reserve typically remains unchanged on the balance sheet until it exceeds the residual balance of exploration costs that previously had been capitalized within "Recoverable accounts under production sharing" during the exploration phase. Reflecting the uncertainty associated with oil and gas projects, a reserve is recorded within "Allowance for recoverable accounts under production sharing" to provide for probable losses on development activities, as individually estimated for each project. Although assessments and accounting estimates are made on a reasonable basis, actual operating results can change depending on the project status.

### — Unit-of-production method

Overseas mining facilities, mining rights and exploration and development rights that are acquired during the development and production phase are mainly depreciated or amortized based on the unit-of-production method. This approach requires the estimation of reserves. Although the Group believes that the assessment of reserves is done in an appropriate manner, any changes in these estimates could significantly affect future operating results.

### — Asset retirement obligations

Asset retirement obligations are recorded by a reasonable estimate of the present value of retirement costs incurred upon termination of the operation and production with respect to oil and gas production facilities, based on the oil and gas contracts or laws and regulations within the countries in which the Group operates or has working interests. Although the Group believes that such estimates of the present value of retirement costs are reasonable, changes to estimates of the present value of retirement costs which caused by the factors such as changes to retirement plans, escalating prices of drilling equipment and materials and others could significantly affect future operating results.

#### - Allowance for investments in exploration companies

A reserve is recorded to provide for probable losses on investments made by the Group in entities engaged in oil and gas activities, as estimated based on the net assets of such entities. Although the Group believes that the assessments and estimates relating to such investments are reasonable, changes in actual production volumes, prices or foreign exchange rates could significantly affect future operating results.

#### Provision for exploration projects

A provision for exploration projects is provided for future expenditures of consolidated subsidiaries at the exploration stage based on a schedule of investments in exploration. Although the Group believes that assessments relating to the schedule of investments are reasonable, changes to the schedule could significantly affect future operating results.

#### — Provision for loss on business

A provision for loss on business is provided for future potential loss on crude oil and natural gas development, production and sales business individually estimated for each project. Although assessments and accounting estimates are made on a reasonable basis, actual operating results can change depending on the business status.

#### — Deferred tax assets

Deferred tax assets reflect temporary differences (including net operating loss carry-forwards) arising mainly from the write-down of exploration expenditures, foreign taxes payable and excess of tax allowable depreciation. Valuation allowances are provided once it is judged that the non-realization of deferred tax assets has become the more probable outcome. The effect of foreign tax credits is taken into account in the calculation of such valuation allowances. The realization of deferred tax assets is principally dependent on the generation of sufficient taxable income, based on the available information. Adjustments to deferred tax assets could be required if future taxable income was lower than expected due to market conditions, foreign exchange rate fluctuations or poor operating performance.

### — Retirement benefits to employees

Retirement benefit obligation to employees are recognized at the net present value of future obligations as of the end of the accounting period, taking into account any periodic benefit costs that have arisen during the period. The calculation of retirement benefit obligations and retirement benefit expenses is based on various actuarial assumptions, including the discount rate, employee turnover and retirement rates, remuneration growth rates, and the long-term expected return on plan assets. Future operating results could be significantly affected by deviation between the base assumptions and actual results or the revision of such assumptions which were to generate actuarial gains or losses.

### — Goodwill

The excess cost over underlying net assets excluding non-controlling interests as fair value as of their dates of acquisition is accounted for as goodwill and amortized over 20 years on a straight-line method.

# Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

### BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT

During the year ended March 31, 2017, the Japanese economy continued on a path of gradual recovery overall driven by improvements in employment and income levels, although improvement in certain segments of the economy was delayed.

Of the international crude oil price indices, which significantly influence the financial performance of the INPEX Group, Brent crude, commonly considered a benchmark index, started at US\$38.67 per barrel on April 1, 2016 and increased to US\$52.51 per barrel in early June due to concerns over crude oil supply shortages caused by large-scale wildfires in Canada and political instability in Libya and Nigeria.

Thereafter, the index dropped to US\$41.80 per barrel in early August due to increased oil production from major OPEC countries.

The index then bounced back following the agreement in principle to reduce oil production at the OPEC Meeting in late September contrary to market expectations, and rose to US\$53.14 in mid-October. While the index then dropped again to US\$44.43 in mid-November due to high levels of output in Russia, Saudi Arabia and other countries as well as skepticism over OPEC's plans to cut back on production, the agreement to reduce production at the OPEC Meeting in late November was a turning point that saw the index rise again and reach a high of US\$57.10 in early January.

Brent then hovered at around US\$55 per barrel for some time, after which it dropped in early March following revelations that the U.S. crude oil inventory had risen to unprecedented levels, ultimately closing at US\$52.83 per barrel on March 31, 2017.

Meanwhile, in Japan too, the prices of crude oil and petroleum products shifted in correlation with international oil

prices. The Group's average crude oil sales price for the year ended March 31, 2017 reflected this shift and fell to US\$46.41 per barrel, down US\$1.54 from the year ended March 31, 2016.

The foreign exchange market, another important factor that affects the business of the Group, began to trade at ¥112 level against the U.S. dollar. In late-April, the Bank of Japan passed on the additional monetary easing and United States included Japan in the "Monitoring List". Therefore, the Yen appreciated to ¥105 level.

Thereafter the suggestion by Chairman of Federal Reserve Board Yellen, which showed a possibility to rise Federal Funds rate within a few months, brought the dollar buying to ¥111 level. However, "Current Employment Statistics (CES)" in early-June was much lower than the market forecast, which brought the Yen buying. In addition, Brexit was passed on in late-June, which accelerated the Yen buying to under ¥100 level for the first time in two and a half years. From July onward, the Yen has remained in steadiness roughly ¥100 to ¥105 level to the U.S. dollar.

In November, Donald Trump won United States Presidential election against the market forecast, which raise the expectation for easing the restrictions and changing the trade policy and finance policy. In addition, after FOMC appreciated the interestrate in December, the Yen depreciated to ¥118 level.

In March, FOMC appreciated the interest-rate again. The Yen has remained in steadiness in the anticipation of the interest-rate appreciation. TTM closed at ¥112.20 to the U.S. dollar which turned out to be ¥0.49 higher than that on March 31, 2016.

Reflecting these situations, the average sales exchange rate for the Group for the year ended March 31, 2017, was ¥108.60 to the U.S. dollar, which is ¥11.95 higher than that for the year ended March 31, 2016.

### PERFORMANCE OVERVIEW

### Net sales

Consolidated net sales for the year ended March 31, 2017, decreased by ¥135.1 billion, or 13.4%, to ¥874.4 billion from ¥1,009.6 billion for the year ended March 31, 2016, due to a decrease in unit sales price and the appreciation of the Japanese yen against the U.S. dollar.

Compared with the year ended March 31, 2016, net sales of crude oil decreased by ¥62.0 billion, or 9.1%, to ¥617.2 billion from ¥679.2 billion, and net sales of natural gas decreased by ¥74.2 billion, or 23.4%, to ¥242.6 billion from ¥316.8 billion.

The sales volume of crude oil increased by 4,980 thousand barrels, or 4.2%, to 122,207 thousand barrels compared with the year ended March 31, 2016. The sales volume of natural gas increased by 6 billion cubic feet (Bcf), or 1.7%, to 343 Bcf compared with the year ended March 31, 2016. Of this, the sales volume of overseas natural gas decreased by 0 Bcf, or 0.1%, to 272 Bcf compared with the year ended March 31, 2016. The sales

volume of domestic natural gas increased by 161 million m³, or 9.2%, to 1,910 million m³ (equivalent to 71 Bcf) compared with the year ended March 31, 2016. The average sales price of overseas crude oil was US\$46.41 per barrel, a decrease of US\$1.54, or 3.2%, compared with the year ended March 31, 2016. The average sales price of overseas natural gas was US\$5.19 per thousand cubic feet (Mcf), a decrease of US\$1.39, or 21.1%, compared with the year ended March 31, 2016. The average sales price of domestic natural gas was ¥43.36 per m³, a decrease of ¥8.93 per m³, or 17.1%, compared with the year ended March 31, 2016.

The decrease of ¥135.1 billion in net sales was mainly derived from the following factors: regarding net sales of crude oil and natural gas, an increase in sales volume contributing ¥34.9 billion to the increase, a decrease in unit sales price pushing sales down of ¥85.9 billion, the appreciation of the Japanese yen against the U.S. dollar pushing sales down of ¥85.2 billion, and an increase in net sales excluding crude oil and natural gas of ¥1.1 billion.

	(Millions of yen, %)			
Years ended March 31,	2016	2017	Change	Ratio
Net sales	¥1,009,564	¥874,423	¥(135,141)	(13.4)%
Crude oil	679,241	617,194	(62,047)	(9.1)
Natural gas	316,761	242,576	(74,185)	(23.4)
Other	13,562	14,653	1,091	8.1
Cost of sales	526,758	453,847	(72,911)	(13.8)
Gross profit	482,806	420,576	(62,230)	(12.9)
Exploration expenses	6,166	6,734	568	9.2
Selling, general and administrative expenses	61,387	57,265	(4,122)	(6.7)
Depreciation and amortization	25,114	20,124	(4,990)	(19.9)
Operating income	390,139	336,453	(53,686)	(13.8)
Other income	69,934	39,090	(30,844)	(44.1)
Interest income	10,751	10,460	(291)	(2.7)
Dividend income	10,826	2,803	(8,023)	(74.1)
Gain on sales of marketable securities	25,987	_	(25,987)	(100.0)
Gain on sales of investment securities	5,669	5,000	(669)	(11.8)
Equity in earnings of affiliates	_	2,175	2,175	_
Foreign exchange gain	2,964	_	(2,964)	(100.0)
Other	13,737	18,652	4,915	35.8
Other expenses	131,186	48,018	(83,168)	(63.4)
Interest expense	4,199	5,229	1,030	24.5
Equity in losses of affiliates	20,696	_	(20,696)	(100.0)
Provision of allowance for doubtful accounts	122	8,309	8,187	_
Provision for allowance for recoverable accounts under production sharing	25,026	14,375	(10,651)	(42.6)
Provision for exploration projects	335	_	(335)	(100.0)
Foreign exchange loss	_	3,759	3,759	_
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	13,288	4,786	(8,502)	(64.0)
Impairment loss	45,885	6,366	(39,519)	(86.1)
Other	21,635	5,194	(16,441)	(76.0)
Income before income taxes	328,887	327,525	(1,362)	(0.4)
Income taxes	354,393	271,393	(83,000)	(23.4)
Net income (loss)	(25,506)	56,132	81,638	
Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests	(42,283)	9,964	52,247	
Net income attributable to owners of parent	¥ 16,777	¥ 46,168	¥ 29,391	175.2%

### Cost of sales

Cost of sales for the year ended March 31, 2017, decreased by ¥72.9 billion, or 13.8%, to ¥453.8 billion from ¥526.8 billion for the year ended March 31, 2016. This was mainly due to the appreciation of the Japanese yen against the U.S. dollar.

**Exploration expenses**Exploration expenses for the year ended March 31, 2017, increased by ¥0.6 billion, or 9.2%, to ¥6.7 billion from ¥6.2 billion for the year ended March 31, 2016. This was mainly due to an increase in exploration activities in the Japan and Asia & Oceania

Selling, general and administrative expenses

Selling, general and administrative expenses for the year ended March 31, 2017, decreased by ¥4.1 billion, or 6.7%, to ¥57.3 billion from ¥61.4 billion for the year ended March 31, 2016. This was mainly due to decreases in freight expenses, taxes and personnel expenses.

Depreciation and amortization

Depreciation and amortization for the year ended March 31, 2017, decreased by ¥5.0 billion, or 19.9%, to ¥20.1 billion from ¥25.1 billion for the year ended March 31, 2016. This was mainly due to change in useful lives of structures (pipelines). The Group records depreciation costs for production facilities that are covered by concession agreements as cost of sales. In addition, under its accounting treatment of the PSCs, the Group records capital expenditures as "Recoverable accounts under production sharing" instead of capitalizing these costs within tangible fixed assets and depreciating them. Costs that are recovered in any given year based on the terms of the PSCs are included in the cost of sales.

Operating income As a result of the above, operating income for the year ended March 31, 2017, decreased by  $\pm 53.7$  billion, or 13.8%, to  $\pm 336.5$ 

billion from ¥390.1 billion for the year ended March 31, 2016.

Other income for the year ended March 31, 2017, decreased by ¥30.8 billion, or 44.1%, to ¥39.1 billion from ¥69.9 billion for the year ended March 31, 2016. This was mainly due to decreases in gain on sales of marketable securities and dividend income.

Other expenses

Other expenses for the year ended March 31, 2017, decreased by ¥83.2 billion, or 63.4%, to ¥48.0 billion from ¥131.2 billion for the year ended March 31, 2016. This was mainly due to decreases in impairment loss, equity in losses of affiliates and provision for allowance for recoverable accounts under production sharing.

Total current income taxes and deferred income taxes for the year ended March 31, 2017, decreased by \$83.0 billion, or 23.4%, to \$271.4 billion from \$354.4 billion for the year ended March 31, 2016. The Group pays the majority of its taxes outside Japan. In addition to the high corporate tax rates imposed in a number of regions, the Group is generally unable to deduct expenses incurred in Japan for such taxes. Despite the positive effects attributable to the application of the foreign tax credit system, this situation resulted in a high effective income tax rate.

Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests Net income attributable to non-controlling interests for the year ended March 31, 2017, was ¥10.0 billion. Meanwhile, net loss attributable to non-controlling interests for the year ended March 31, 2016, was ¥42.3 billion.

**Net income attributable to owners of parent**As a result of the above, net income attributable to owners of parent for the year ended March 31, 2017, increased by ¥29.4 billion, or 175.2%, to ¥46.2 billion from ¥16.8 billion for the year ended March 31, 2016.

### FINANCIAL POSITION

Total assets as of March 31, 2017, decreased by ¥57.7 billion, or 1.3%, to ¥4,312.2 billion from ¥4,369.8 billion as of March 31, 2016. Current assets decreased by ¥41.4 billion, or 4.2%, to ¥943.0 billion from ¥984.3 billion due to a decrease in time deposits and others. Fixed assets decreased by ¥16.3 billion, or 0.5%, to ¥3,369.2 billion from ¥3,385.5 billion as of March 31, 2016, due to a decrease in investments and other assets and others.

Meanwhile, total liabilities decreased by ¥86.4 billion, or 7.3%, to ¥1,104.6 billion from ¥1,191.0 billion as of March 31, 2016. Current liabilities decreased by ¥21.7 billion, or 6.8%, to

¥297.5 billion from ¥319.1 billion as of March 31, 2016. Long-term liabilities decreased by ¥64.7 billion, or 7.4%, to ¥807.2 billion from ¥871.9 billion as of March 31, 2016.

Net assets increased by ¥28.7 billion, or 0.9%, to ¥3,207.5 billion from ¥3,178.8 billion as of March 31, 2016. Total shareholders' equity increased by ¥19.9 billion, or 0.8%, to ¥2,556.9 billion from ¥2,537.0 billion as of March 31, 2016. Total accumulated other comprehensive income decreased by ¥9.6 billion, or 2.4%, to ¥386.3 billion from ¥395.9 billion as of March 31, 2016, and non-controlling interests increased by ¥18.5 billion, or 7.5%, to ¥264.4 billion from ¥245.9 billion as of March 31, 2016.

### INVESTMENT AND FUNDING

### — Investments in upstream oil and gas projects

Continuous exploration for new reserves of crude oil and natural gas is essential for stable earnings of the Group. The information in this section on upstream oil and gas investments is based on the data reported by project operators relating to exploration expenditures, development expenditures and operating expenses. The Group's expenditure categories are defined as

- Exploration expenditures include the costs of exploratory drilling and any geological or geophysical studies. The costs of local personnel and office operations and related administrative expenses are also included in this category if a project (or contract area) is in the exploration phase.
- Development expenditures include the costs of development drilling and any production facilities.
- · Operating expenses include the costs of well operations, maintenance and the supervision of production activities. This category also includes the administrative expenses for the project (or contract area) if it contains a field in active
- Discrepancies exist between the standards stipulated in

U.S. FASB Accounting Standards Codification Topic 932, "Extractive Industries—Oil and Gas (Topic 932)," and both the Group's definitions of exploration and development expenditures and the standards used in preparing the following tables. The following is a partial list of the discrepancies between the Group's accounting policies and Topic 932.

- Group expenditures relating to the PSC-governed joint ventures where the Group is not the operator are disclosed on a cash basis rather than an accrual basis as required by Topic 932.
- The tables below have been prepared based on the cost definitions used by operators in their reporting, which may not be consistent with Topic 932.
- Topic 932 requires that administrative costs not directly related to exploration and development activities be excluded from exploration and development expenditures, whereas such administrative costs are not necessarily excluded from those expenditures under the Group's accounting policies.

The table below shows the Group's exploration and development costs and other expenditures (excluding capitalized interest costs and asset retirement costs corresponding to asset retirement obligations capitalized under fixed assets) by segment for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017.

	(Millions of yen)					
Year ended March 31, 2016	Japan	Asia & Oceania	Eurasia (Europe & NIS)	Middle East & Africa	Americas	Total
INPEX CORPORATION and Consolidated Subsidiaries						
Exploration	¥ 2,492	¥ 23,981	¥ —	¥ 1,372	¥11,495	¥ 39,340
Development	6,352	418,496	58,890	113,849	1,807	599,394
Subtotal* <sup>1</sup>	8,844	442,477	58,890	115,221	13,302	638,734
Equity-method Affiliates						
Exploration	_	_	343	4	0	347
Development	_	155	_	14,695	849	15,699
Subtotal	_	155	343	14,699	849	16,046
Other capital expenditures*2	51,142	281,399	_	_	_	332,541
Total* <sup>3</sup>	¥59,986	¥724,031	¥59,233	¥129,920	¥14,151	¥987,321

<sup>1</sup> Figures include an equity-method affiliate of Japan Oil Development Co., Ltd. (JODCO).

<sup>\*2</sup> Other capital expenditures include the construction costs of domestic gas infrastructure, the Group's share of investment in the Ichthys downstream entity (Ichthys LNG Pty Ltd, an equity-method affiliate) and others.

\*3 The amount capitalized for the asset retirement costs (including change in estimates) corresponding to asset retirement obligations for the year ended March

<sup>31, 2016</sup> was ¥6,882 million.

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Year ended March 31, 2017	Japan	Asia & Oceania	Eurasia (Europe & NIS)	Middle East & Africa	Americas	Total
INPEX CORPORATION and Consolidate	d Subsidiarie	S				
Exploration	¥ 3,322	¥ 10,035	¥ 195	¥ 1,693	¥ 917	¥ 16,162
Development	4,352	214,650	46,029	76,719	3,174	344,924
Subtotal* <sup>1</sup>	7,674	224,685	46,224	78,412	4,091	361,086
Equity-method Affiliates						
Exploration	_	_	148	7	_	155
Development	_	475	833	5,191	447	6,946
Subtotal	_	475	981	5,198	447	7,101
Other capital expenditures*2	10,334	233,837	_	_	_	244,171
Total* <sup>3</sup>	¥18,008	¥458,997	¥47,205	¥83,610	¥4,538	¥612,358

\*1 Figures include an equity-method affiliate of Japan Oil Development Co., Ltd. (JODCO).
\*2 Other capital expenditures include the construction costs of domestic gas infrastructure, the Group's share of investment in the Ichthys downstream entity (Ichthys LNG Pty Ltd, an equity-method affiliate) and others.
\*3 The amount capitalized for the asset retirement costs (including change in estimates) corresponding to asset retirement obligations for the year ended March 31, 2017 was ¥5,966 million.

Total investments for the year ended March 31, 2017, decreased by ¥375.0 billion, or 38.0%, to ¥612.4 billion (including ¥7.1 billion for exploration and development by equity-method affiliates) from ¥987.3 billion for the year ended March 31, 2016. This was mainly due to a decrease in expenditures in the Asia & Oceania region.

The table below shows the Group's operating expenses by segment for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017.

	(Millions of yen, %)				
Years ended March 31,	201	6	2017		
INPEX CORPORATION and Consolidated Subsidiaries					
Japan	¥ 12,380	7.9%	¥ 11,501	9.9%	
Asia & Oceania	75,259	48.1	55,084	47.2	
Eurasia (Europe & NIS)	10,761	6.9	7,809	6.7	
Middle East & Africa	56,178	35.9	40,338	34.6	
Americas	1,938	1.2	1,867	1.6	
Subtotal	156,516	100.0	116,599	100.0	
Equity-method Affiliates					
Asia & Oceania	1,390	7.4	513	5.2	
Eurasia (Europe & NIS)	_	_	85	0.9	
Middle East & Africa	7,676	40.8	5,312	54.0	
Americas	9,762	51.8	3,925	39.9	
Subtotal	18,828	100.0	9,835	100.0	
Total	¥175.344	<b>—</b> %	¥126,434	<b>—</b> %	

### - Expenditures for acquisitions of upstream oil and gas projects

The table below shows the Group's expenditures for acquisitions of upstream oil and gas projects by segment for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017. Expenditures in this category include the costs of acquiring mining rights, exploration and development rights, signing bonuses and any tangible fixed assets or recoverable accounts under production sharing gained through the acquisition of interest in upstream oil and gas projects.

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### — Analysis of recoverable accounts under production sharing

For upstream projects governed by the PSCs, the Group's share of costs arising during the exploration, development and production phases is capitalized under "Recoverable accounts under production sharing." The following table shows the changes in the balance of "Recoverable accounts under production sharing" during the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017.

	(Million:	s ot yen)
Years ended March 31,	2016	2017
Balance at beginning of the year	¥ 703,291	¥ 727,772
Add: Exploration costs	30,970	9,461
Development costs	104,519	39,929
Operating expenses	70,365	55,514
Other	9,745	6,970
Less: Cost recovery—capital expenditures	(64,200)	(79,874)
Cost recovery—operating expenditures	(107,133)	(73,414)
Other	(19,785)	(27,156)
Balance at end of the year	727,772	659,202
Allowance for recoverable accounts under production sharing at end of the year	¥(131,766)	¥(120,544)

The amount posted as "Cost recovery—operating expenditures" in recoverable accounts under production sharing is greater than that posted as operating expenses. Along with operating expenses, this is because a portion of the exploration and development costs, which are incurred and recoverable within the year, is included in the "Cost recovery—operating expenditures" account.

Costs for the year ended March 31, 2017, decreased compared with the year ended March 31, 2016. This was mainly due to a decrease in expenditures in the Asia & Oceania region.

### - Funding sources and liquidity

Oil and gas exploration and development projects, as well as the construction of gas infrastructure, require significant funding. The Group relies on cash flow derived from internal reserves, together with external sources, to procure funds. The Group's basic policy is to utilize internal cash flow and external equity financing to fund exploration projects and to utilize internal cash flow and external loans to fund development projects and the construction of gas infrastructure. The Group currently receives loans from the Japan Bank for International Cooperation, Japanese commercial banks and others. The Japan Oil, Gas and Metals National Corporation (JOGMEC) guarantee system covers these loans. In addition, the Development Bank of Japan and various Japanese commercial banks provide loans for the construction of domestic gas infrastructure.

Cost recovery for the year ended March 31, 2017, decreased compared with the year ended March 31, 2016. This was mainly due to a decrease in cost recovery in the Asia & Oceania region.

In addition, other deduction was mainly due to the decrease in recoverable accounts under production sharing related to the business withdrawal from certain exploration blocks.

The allowance for recoverable accounts under production sharing as of March 31, 2017, decreased compared with March 31, 2016. This was mainly due to the business withdrawal from certain exploration blocks.

The Ichthys downstream entity (Ichthys LNG Pty Ltd, an equity-method affiliate), as the borrower, has utilized external loans from export credit agencies and commercial banks for project financing and others throughout the year ended March 31, 2017.

The Group's basic liquidity policy is to maintain sufficient cash on hand at all times to fund expenditures for existing and new oil and gas projects in a timely manner, while also keeping a cushion of liquidity to provide for steep falls in oil and gas prices. In line with this policy, excess cash reserves are invested in low-risk, highly liquid financial instruments. The Group's strategy is to improve capital efficiency over the long term through business expansion while continuing to maintain a sound financial position with sufficient liquidity.

### — Maturities of long-term debt

The aggregate annual maturities of long-term debt subsequent to March 31, 2017, are summarized as follows:

	(Millions of U.S. dollars and Millions of yen)				
	Long-term debt denominated in				
Years ending March 31,	U.S. dollars	Yen	Total yen equivalent		
2018	\$ 258.6	¥ 10,288	¥ 39,305		
2019	458.6	17,381	68,838		
2020	658.6	43,330	117,226		
2021	704.0	26,197	105,186		
2022	339.0	24,238	62,274		
2023 and thereafter	1,897.5	77,009	289,908		
Total	\$4,316.3	¥198,443	¥682,737		

### - Cash flows

Cash flows for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017, are summarized as follows:

	(Millions	of yen)
Years ended March 31,	2016	2017
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	¥ 183,708	¥275,810
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(543,534)	53,484
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	156,726	(65,428)
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	¥ 53,813	¥316,791

### Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities

Net cash provided by operating activities for the year ended March 31, 2017, was ¥275.8 billion, an increase of ¥92.1 billion from ¥183.7 billion for the year ended March 31, 2016. This was mainly due to decreases in income taxes paid and recoverable accounts under production sharing (operating expenditures), despite a decrease in income before income taxes.

### Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities

Net cash provided by investing activities for the year ended March 31, 2017, was ¥53.5 billion. This was mainly due to an increase in proceeds from time deposits, the lack of payments

for purchases of mining rights, and a decrease in payments for purchases of tangible fixed assets. Meanwhile, net cash used in investment activities for the year ended March 31, 2016, was ¥543.5 billion.

### Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities

Net cash used in financing activities for the year ended March 31, 2017, was ¥65.4 billion. This was mainly due to an increase in repayments of long-term debt and decreases in proceeds from long-term debt and proceeds from non-controlling interests for additional shares. Meanwhile, net cash provided by financing activities for the year ended March 31, 2016, was ¥156.7 billion.

### Consolidated Balance Sheet

INPEX CORPORATION and Consolidated Subsidiaries March 31, 2017

	Millions o	f yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 3)	
ASSETS	2016	2017	2017	
Current assets				
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 6)	¥ 53,813	¥ 316,791	\$ 2,823,449	
Time deposits (Note 12)	718,715	335,824	2,993,084	
Accounts receivable—trade (Note 4)	56,462	72,364	644,955	
Marketable securities (Notes 4 and 5)	_	5,503	49,046	
Inventories (Note 6)	35,916	30,721	273,806	
Deferred tax assets (Note 7)	2,852	7,265	64,750	
Accounts receivable—other (Note 4)	84,650	83,291	742,344	
Recoverable accounts under production sharing	_	47,264	421,248	
Other (Note 6)	45,013	68,403	609,653	
Less allowance for doubtful accounts	(13,076)	(20,764)	(185,062)	
Less allowance for recoverable accounts under production sharing	(.e/e/ e/	(3,702)	(32,995)	
Total current assets	984,345	942,960	8,404,278	
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Tangible fixed assets				
Buildings and structures	298,714	399,647	3,561,916	
Wells	298,855	320,311	2,854,822	
Machinery, equipment and vehicles	399,665	410,072	3,654,831	
Land (Note 6)	19,674	19,190	171,034	
Construction in progress (Note 6)	1,407,490	1,511,660	13,472,905	
Other	29,000	30,039	267,727	
	2,453,398	2,690,919	23,983,235	
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	(700,783)	(762,321)	(6,794,305)	
Total tangible fixed assets	1,752,615	1,928,598	17,188,930	
Intangible assets				
Goodwill (Note 17)	67,558	60,797	541,863	
Exploration and development rights	146,262	154,557	1,377,514	
	318,438	298,371	2,659,278	
Mining rights Other	9,213			
Total intangible assets	541,471	7,528 521,253	4,645,749	
Total littaligible assets	341,471	321,233	4,043,747	
Investments and other assets				
Recoverable accounts under production sharing	727,772	611,938	5,453,993	
Less allowance for recoverable accounts under production sharing	(131,766)	(116,842)	(1,041,373)	
	596,006	495,096	4,412,620	
Investment securities (Notes 4, 5 and 6)	213,731	246,085	2,193,271	
Long-term loans receivable (Note 6)	4,231	134,235	1,196,391	
Long-term time deposits	202,842	_	_	
Deferred tax assets (Note 7)	13,105	25,750	229,501	
Other (Note 6)	71,358	29,249	260,686	
Less allowance for doubtful accounts	(7,815)	(8,283)	(73,824)	
Less allowance for investments in exploration	(2,047)	(2,769)	(24,679)	
Total investments and other assets	1,091,411	919,363	8,193,966	
Total fixed assets	3,385,497	3,369,214	30,028,645	
Total assets	¥4,369,842	¥4,312,174	\$38,432,923	

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

	Millions o	Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 3)		
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	2016	2017	2017	
Current liabilities				
Accounts payable—trade	¥ 47,351	¥ 51,105	\$ 455,481	
Short-term borrowings and current portion of long-term debt (Notes 4, 6 and 12)	68,469	44,253	394,412	
Income taxes payable (Note 7)	42,845	45,219	403,021	
Accounts payable—other (Note 6)	79,621	73,721	657,050	
Provision for loss on business	_	2,920	26,025	
Provision for exploration projects	4,782	4,479	39,920	
Accrued bonuses to officers	56	63	562	
Asset retirement obligations (Note 16)	2,234	4,301	38,333	
Other (Note 7)	73,770	71,404	636,399	
Total current liabilities	319,128	297,465	2,651,203	
Long-term liabilities				
Long-term debt (Notes 4, 6, 11 and 12)	673,099	643,432	5,734,688	
Deferred tax liabilities (Note 7)	56,045	45,615	406,551	
Provision for loss on business	4,737			
Accrued special repair and maintenance	293	331	2,950	
Liability for retirement benefits (Note 15)	7,462	5,953	53,057	
Asset retirement obligations (Note 16)	100,829	104,845	934,448	
Other	29,446	6,990	62,299	
Total long-term liabilities	871,911	807,166	7,193,993	
Total liabilities	1,191,039	1,104,631	9,845,196	
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Net assets (Note 9)				
Common stock	290,810	290,810	2,591,889	
Authorized: 2016 — 3,600,000,001 shares 2017 — 3,600,000,001 shares Issued: 2016 — 1,462,323,601 shares 2017 — 1,462,323,601 shares				
Capital surplus	676,273	676,273	6,027,389	
Retained earnings	1,575,136	1,595,018	14,215,847	
Less: Treasury stock 2016 — 1,966,400 shares 2017 — 1,966,500 shares	(5,248)	(5,248)	(46,774)	
Total shareholders' equity	2,536,971	2,556,853	22,788,351	
Unrealized holding gain on securities	4,959	6,480	57,754	
Unrealized gain (loss) from hedging instruments	(6,660)	717	6,390	
Translation adjustments	397,622	379,120	3,378,966	
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	395,921	386,317	3,443,110	
Non-controlling interests	245,911	264,373	2,356,266	
Total net assets	3,178,803	3,207,543	28,587,727	
Contingent liabilities (Note 19)				
Total liabilities and net assets	¥4,369,842	¥4,312,174	\$38,432,923	

### Consolidated Statement of Income and Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income

### Consolidated Statement of Income

INPEX CORPORATION and Consolidated Subsidiaries For the year ended March 31, 2017

	Millions o	of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 3)
	2016	2017	2017
Net sales	¥1,009,564	¥874,423	\$7,793,431
Cost of sales	526,758	453,847	4,044,982
Gross profit	482,806	420,576	3,748,449
Exploration expenses	6,166	6,734	60,018
Selling, general and administrative expenses (Notes 13, 15 and 17)	61,387	57,265	510,383
Depreciation and amortization	25,114	20,124	179,358
Operating income	390,139	336,453	2,998,690
Other income			
Interest income	10,751	10,460	93,227
Dividend income	10,826	2,803	24,982
Gain on sales of marketable securities	25,987	_	_
Gain on sales of investment securities	5,669	5,000	44,563
Equity in earnings of affiliates	_	2,175	19,385
Foreign exchange gain	2,964	_	_
Other	13,737	18,652	166,239
Total other income	69,934	39,090	348,396
Other expenses			
Interest expense	4,199	5,229	46,604
Equity in losses of affiliates	20,696	_	_
Provision of allowance for doubtful accounts	122	8,309	74,055
Provision for allowance for recoverable	25.027	14.075	120 120
accounts under production sharing	25,026	14,375	128,120
Provision for exploration projects	335	_	_
Foreign exchange loss	_	3,759	33,503
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	13,288	4,786	42,656
Impairment loss (Note 14)	45,885	6,366	56,738
Other	21,635	5,194	46,292
Total other expenses	131,186	48,018	427,968
Income before income taxes	328,887	327,525	2,919,118
Income taxes (Note 7)			
Current	356,585	304,620	2,714,973
Deferred	(2,192)	(33,227)	(296,140)
Total income taxes	354,393	271,393	2,418,833
Net income (loss)	(25,506)	56,132	500,285
Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests	(42,283)	9,964	88,805
Net income attributable to owners of parent	¥ 16,777	¥ 46,168	\$ 411,480

# Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income INPEX CORPORATION and Consolidated Subsidiaries

For the year ended March 31, 2017

	Millions	Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 3)	
	2016	2017	2017
Net income (loss)	¥ (25,506)	¥ 56,132	\$ 500,285
Other comprehensive income			
Unrealized holding gain (loss) on securities	(41,094)	1,522	13,565
Translation adjustments	(129,079)	(19,868)	(177,077)
Share of other comprehensive income of affiliates accounted for by the equity-method	29,310	6,120	54,546
Total other comprehensive income (Note 8)	(140,863)	(12,226)	(108,966)
Comprehensive income	(166,369)	43,906	391,319
Total comprehensive income attributable to:			
Owners of parent	(104,488)	36,564	325,882
Non-controlling interests	¥ (61,881)	¥ 7,342	\$ 65,437

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

### Consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Assets

INPEX CORPORATION and Consolidated Subsidiaries

			Millior	ns of yen				
•				ders' equity				
For the year ended March 31, 2016	Common stock	Capital surplus				otal shareholders' equit		
Balance as of April 1, 2015	¥290,810	¥679,28	88	¥1,584,645	¥(5,248)	¥2,549,495		
Change in treasury shares of parent arising from transactions with non-controlling shareholders		(3,0	15)			(3,015)		
Cash dividends paid				(26,286)		(26,286)		
Net income attributable to owners of parent				16,777		16,777		
Purchase of treasury stock						_		
Net changes in items other than those in shareholders' equity  Total changes during the period		(3,0)	15)	(9,509)		(12,524)		
Balance as of March 31, 2016	¥290,810			¥1,575,136	¥(5,248)	¥2,536,971		
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		Accumulated other comp						
	Unrealized holding	Unrealized gain (loss) from	Translation	Total accumulated other	Non-controlling	Total net assets		
For the year ended March 31, 2016  Balance as of April 1, 2015	gain on securities ¥46,049	hedging instruments ¥(36,423)	adjustments ¥507,560	comprehensive income ¥517,186	interests ¥222,023	¥3,288,704		
Change in treasury shares of parent arising from	¥40,U49	<del>+</del> (30,423)	\$5U7,56U	‡317,100	‡ZZZ,UZ3	· · · · ·		
transactions with non-controlling shareholders						(3,015)		
Cash dividends paid						(26,286)		
Net income attributable to owners of parent						16,777		
Purchase of treasury stock  Net changes in items other than those in						_		
shareholders' equity	(41,090)	29,763	(109,938)	(121,265)	23,888	(97,377)		
Total changes during the period	(41,090)	29,763	(109,938)	(121,265)	23,888	(109,901)		
Balance as of March 31, 2016	¥ 4,959	¥ (6,660)	¥397,622	¥395,921	¥245,911	¥3,178,803		
				ns of yen				
For the year and -d March 24 2047	C	Caraital annulus		ders' equity	T.			
For the year ended March 31, 2017 Balance as of April 1, 2016	Common stock ¥290,810	Capital surplus ¥676,27		d earnings Tre ¥1,575,136	easury stock To ¥(5,248)	otal shareholders' equi ¥2,536,971		
Change in treasury shares of parent arising from	+270,010	+070,2		+1,373,130	+(3,240)	+2,330,771		
transactions with non-controlling shareholders						_		
Cash dividends paid				(26,286)		(26,286)		
Net income attributable to owners of parent Purchase of treasury stock				46,168	(0)	46,168 (0)		
Net changes in items other than those in					(0)	(0)		
shareholders' equity								
Total changes during the period				19,882	(0)	19,882		
Balance as of March 31, 2017	¥290,810	¥676,27		¥1,595,018	¥(5,248)	¥2,556,853		
	Millions of yen Accumulated other comprehensive income							
-	Unrealized holding	Unrealized gain (loss) from	Translation	Total accumulated other	Non-controlling	<b>+</b> . 1		
For the year ended March 31, 2017	gain on securities	hedging instruments	adjustments	comprehensive income	interests	Total net assets		
Balance as of April 1, 2016	¥4,959	¥(6,660)	¥397,622	¥395,921	¥245,911	¥3,178,803		
Change in treasury shares of parent arising from transactions with non-controlling shareholders						_		
Cash dividends paid						(26,286)		
Net income attributable to owners of parent						46,168		
Purchase of treasury stock						(0)		
Net changes in items other than those in shareholders' equity	1,521	7,377	(18,502)	(9,604)	18,462	8,858		
Total changes during the period	1,521	7,377	(18,502)	(9,604)	18,462	28,740		
Balance as of March 31, 2017	¥6,480	¥ 717	¥379,120	¥386,317	¥264,373	¥3,207,543		
				S. dollars (Note 3)				
				ders' equity				
For the year ended March 31, 2017 Balance as of April 1, 2016	Common stock \$2,591,889	Capital surplus \$6.027.38		d earnings Tre 14,038,646	easury stock To \$(46,774)	otal shareholders' equi \$22,611,150		
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transactions with non-controlling shareholders						_		
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See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

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Total changes during the period Balance as of March 31, 2017 256,150 \$28,587,727

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### **Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows**

INPEX CORPORATION and Consolidated Subsidiaries For the year ended March 31, 2017

	Millions o	of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars (Note 3)	
	2016	2017	2017	
Cash flows from operating activities				
Income before income taxes	¥ 328,887	¥ 327,525	\$ 2,919,118	
Depreciation and amortization	86,791	91,159	812,469	
Impairment loss	45,885	6,366	56,738	
Amortization of goodwill	6,761	6,761	60,258	
Provision for allowance for recoverable accounts under	29,844	15,934	142,014	
production sharing	(4.200)	(240)	(2.120)	
Provision for exploration projects	(4,399)	(240)	(2,139) 63,681	
Other provisions Liability for retirement benefits	(4,353) 945	7,145	•	
Interest and dividend income	(21,580)	(1,483) (13,263)	(13,217) (118,209)	
Interest expense	3,465	5,229	46,604	
Foreign exchange loss (gain)	15,085	4,896	43,636	
Equity in losses (earnings) of affiliates	20,696	(2,175)	(19,385)	
Loss (gain) on sales of marketable securities	(25,987)	(2,175)	(17,303)	
		(5,000)	(44 E42)	
Loss (gain) on sales of investment securities	(5,669)	(5,000)	(44,563)	
Recovery of recoverable accounts under production sharing (capital expenditures)	64,200	79,874	711,889	
Recoverable accounts under production sharing	(45,833)	(2,823)	(25,160)	
(operating expenditures)				
Accounts receivable—trade	15,193	(16,351)	(145,731)	
Inventories	(2,551)	5,593	49,848	
Accounts payable—trade	(4,389)	4,300	38,324	
Accounts receivable—other	41,632	11,569	103,111	
Accounts payable—other	(13,746)	4,182	37,273	
Advances received	2,882	280	2,496	
Other	15,294	23,312	207,772	
Subtotal	549,053	552,790	4,926,827	
Interest and dividends received	31,447	18,773	167,317	
Interest paid	(3,206)	(2,912)	(25,954)	
Income taxes paid	(393,586) 183,708	(292,841) 275,810	(2,609,990) 2,458,200	
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities  Cash flows from investing activities	103,700	2/3,010	2,430,200	
Payments for time deposits	(544,331)	(355,238)	(3,166,114)	
Proceeds from time deposits	790,267	921,781	8,215,517	
	(439,989)	721,701	0,213,317	
Payments for long-term time deposits  Payments for purchases of tangible fixed assets	(476,789)	(278,360)	(2,480,927)	
Proceeds from sales of tangible fixed assets	1,132	4,611	41,096	
Payments for purchases of intangible assets	(26,898)	· ·		
Proceeds from sales and redemptions of marketable securities	175,585	(21,954)	(195,668)	
		(90 33E)	/71E 019)	
Payments for purchases of investment securities  Proceeds from sales and redemptions of investment securities	(6,877) 27,701	(80,225) 10,601	(715,018) 94,483	
	27,701	10,001	74,403	
Investment in recoverable accounts under production sharing (capital expenditures)	(60,442)	(37,326)	(332,674)	
Decrease (increase) in short-term loans receivable	(4,120)	(1,322)	(11,783)	
Long-term loans made	(215,710)	(133,478)	(1,189,643)	
Collection of long-term loans receivable	384,759	275	2,451	
Payments for purchases of mining rights	(134,516)	- 1	_	
Other	(13,306)	24,119	214,964	
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(543,534)	53,484	476,684	
Cash flows from financing activities				
Increase (decrease) in short-term loans	92	(96)	(856)	
Proceeds from long-term debt	127,120	11,760	104,813	
Repayments of long-term debt	(26,869)	(62,904)	(560,642)	
Proceeds from non-controlling interests for additional shares	87,279	16,110	143,583	
Cash dividends paid	(26,298)	(26,287)	(234,287)	
Cash dividends paid to non-controlling interests	(4,524)	(3,939)	(35,107)	
Other Other	(74)	(72)	(641)	
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	156,726	(65,428)	(583,137)	
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(4,065)	(888)	(7,915)	
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(207,165)	262,978	2,343,832	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period	260,978	53,813	479,617	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	¥ 53,813	¥ 316,791	\$ 2,823,449	

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements.

### Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

INPEX CORPORATION and Consolidated Subsidiaries

### 1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

INPEX CORPORATION (the "Company") is primarily engaged in the research, exploration, development and production of crude oil and natural gas.

The Company and its domestic subsidiaries maintain their accounting records and prepare their financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan.

The accompanying consolidated financial statements have been prepared by using the accounts of foreign consolidated subsidiaries prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards, or IFRS or the accounting principles generally accepted in

the United States, or U.S. GAAP as adjusted for certain items.

The accompanying consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan, which may differ in certain material respects from IFRS or U.S. GAAP, and are compiled from the consolidated financial statements prepared by the Company as required by the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act of Japan.

The Company has made certain reclassifications of the previous years' consolidated financial statements to conform to the presentation used for the year ended March 31, 2017.

### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### (a) Principles of consolidation and accounting for investments in affiliates

The accompanying consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and companies controlled directly or indirectly by the Company. Companies over which the Company exercises significant influence in terms of their operating and financial policies are included in the consolidated financial statements on an equity basis. All significant intercompany balances and transactions are eliminated in consolidation. Further, certain companies that do not have significant impact on the consolidated financial statements, are not consolidated or accounted for by the equity-method.

For the 48 companies for which the closing date differed from the consolidated closing date, including but not limited to, INPEX Sahul, Ltd. and INPEX Masela, Ltd., the financial statements for the year ended December 31 were used. However, the necessary adjustments have been made to the financial statements of those companies to reflect any significant transactions made between the Company's closing date and that of the consolidated subsidiaries. For the 10 companies, including but not limited to, Japan Oil Development, Co., Ltd., INPEX Southwest Caspian Sea, Ltd., INPEX North Caspian Sea, Ltd., INPEX Holdings Australia Pty Ltd, and INPEX Ichthys Pty Ltd, the financial statements for the year ended on the consolidated closing date were used, even though their closing date is December 31

The excess of cost over underlying net assets excluding noncontrolling interests at fair value as of the date of acquisition is accounted for as goodwill and amortized over 20 years on a straightline method.

### (b) Cash equivalents

All highly liquid investments with a maturity of three months or less when purchased are considered cash equivalents, including short-term time deposits with original maturities of three months or less.

### (c) Foreign currency translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into yen at the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date. All revenues and expenses associated with foreign currencies are translated at the rates of exchange prevailing when such transactions were made. The resulting exchange gain or loss is credited or charged to income.

The assets and liability accounts of overseas subsidiaries are translated into yen at the exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date. The revenue and expense accounts of the overseas subsidiaries are translated into yen at the average rates of exchange during the period. The components of net assets excluding non-controlling interests are translated at their historical exchange rates. The differences arising from the translation are presented as translation adjustments and non-controlling interests in the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

### (d) Securities

In general, securities are classified into three categories: trading, held-to-maturity or other securities. Securities held by the Company and its subsidiaries are all classified as other securities. Other

securities with a determinable market value are mainly stated at fair value with any changes in unrealized holding gain or loss, net of the applicable income taxes, included directly in net assets. Other securities without a determinable market value are stated at cost. Cost of securities sold is determined by the moving average method.

### (e) Derivatives

Derivatives are stated at fair value.

### (f) Inventories

Overseas inventories are carried mainly at cost, determined by the average cost method (balance sheet value is carried at the lower of cost or market). Domestic inventories are carried mainly at cost, determined by the moving-average method (balance sheet value is carried at the lower of cost or market).

### (g) Allowance for doubtful accounts

The allowance for doubtful accounts is provided at an amount determined based on the historical experience of bad debt with respect to ordinary receivables, plus an estimate of uncollectible amounts determined by reference to specific doubtful receivables from customers experiencing financial difficulties.

### (h) Recoverable accounts under production sharing and related allowance

Cash investments made by the Company during an exploration, development and production project under a production sharing contract are recorded as "Recoverable accounts under production sharing" so long as they are recoverable under the terms of the relevant contract. When the Company receives crude oil and natural gas in accordance with the relevant contract, an amount corresponding to the purchase costs of the products (i.e., a cost recovery portion of the investments) is released from this account.

Because these investments are recoverable only where commercial oil or gas is discovered, an allowance for recoverable accounts under production sharing is provided for probable losses on investments made during the exploration stage under production sharing contracts arising from the failure to discover commercial oil and gas. In light of this uncertainty, an allowance for recoverable accounts under production sharing is provided for probable losses on development investment individually estimated for each project.

### (i) Allowance for investments in exploration

The allowance for investments in exploration is provided for future potential losses on investments in exploration companies at an estimated amount based on the net assets of the investees.

### (j) Tangible fixed assets (except leased assets)

Depreciation of overseas mining facilities is mainly computed by the unit-of-production method.

For other tangible fixed assets, the straight-line method of depreciation is applied. The useful lives of fixed assets are based on the estimated useful lives of the respective assets.

### (k) Intangible assets (except leased assets)

Exploration and development rights at the exploration stage are fully amortized in the year such rights are acquired, and those at the production stage are amortized by the unit-of-production method.

Mining rights are amortized mainly by the unit-of-production method.

Other intangible assets are amortized mainly by the straight-line method.

Capitalized computer software costs are amortized by the straightline method over a period of 5 years.

### (I) Leased assets

Leased assets are amortized by the straight-line method over the lease period assuming no residual value.

### (m) Provision for exploration projects

Provision for exploration projects is provided for future expenditures of consolidated subsidiaries at the exploration stage based on a schedule of investments in exploration.

### (n) Accrued bonuses to officers

Accrued bonuses to officers are provided at the expected payment amount for the fiscal year.

### (o) Provision for loss on business

Provision for loss on business is provided for future potential losses on crude oil and natural gas development, production and sales business individually estimated for each project.

### (p) Accrued special repair and maintenance

Accrued special repair and maintenance are provided for planned major repair and maintenance activities on tanks in certain subsidiaries at amounts accumulated through the next activity.

### (q) Accounting for retirement benefits

(Method of attributing expected retirement benefits to proper periods)

When calculating retirement benefit obligations, the benefit formula method is used for attributing expected retirement benefits to periods through March 31, 2017. Because certain subsidiaries are classified as small enterprises, a simplified method (the amount which would be required to be paid if all active employees voluntarily terminated their employment as of the balance sheet date) is applied for the calculation of the retirement benefit obligation for those subsidiaries.

(Method of recognizing for actuarial differences)

Actuarial gains and losses are charged or credited to income as incurred.

### (r) Asset retirement obligations

Asset retirement obligations are recorded by a reasonable estimate of the present value of retirement costs incurred upon termination of the operation and production with respect to oil and gas production facilities, based on the oil and gas contracts or laws and regulations within the countries in which the Group operates or has working interests.

### (s) Hedge accounting

The special treatment is applied to the interest rate swaps that meet certain criteria. For certain equity-method affiliates, the deferred hedge accounting method is adopted.

In addition, derivative transactions are limited to the scope of actual demand, and the Company does not engage in speculative derivative transactions.

### (t) Research and development expenses

Research and development expenses are charged to income as incurred.

### (u) Income taxes

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are determined based on the differences between financial reporting and the tax bases of the assets and liabilities and are measured using the enacted tax rates and laws which will be in effect when the differences are expected to reverse.

### (v) Changes in accounting estimates

(Change in useful life)

The Company reviewed the estimated period of economic use of structures (pipelines) considering the progress of initiatives on strengthening our gas supply chain defined in the "Medium- to Long-Term Vision", actual use records and others since the Toyama Line commenced operation in the year ended March 31, 2017. It was confirmed that they could be used longer than their conventional useful lives, which had been based on the method prescribed in the Corporation Tax Act, and the Company has changed their useful lives from the year ended March 31, 2017.

As a result, compared with the conventional method, operating income and income before income taxes for the year ended March 31, 2017 increased by ¥7,171 million (\$63,913 thousand), respectively.

### 3. U.S. DOLLAR AMOUNTS

The translation of yen amounts into U.S. dollar amounts is included solely for convenience, as a matter of arithmetic computation only, at ¥112.20=US\$1.00, the approximate exchange rate in effect as of March 31, 2017. This translation should not be construed as a representation that yen have been, could have been, or could in the future be, converted into U.S. dollars at the above or any other rate.

### 4. STATUS OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

### (a) Policy regarding financial instruments

The Company raises funds for oil and gas development and production, construction or expansion of gas infrastructure primarily from cash flow on hand and from bank loans. Oil and gas development projects are primarily funded from long-term loans that the Company has secured from the Japan Bank for International Cooperation, Japanese commercial banks and others. Japan Oil, Gas and Metals National Corporation has provided guarantees for the principal on certain outstanding amounts of the Company's long-term loans. The Development Bank of Japan and Japanese commercial banks and others have provided long-term loans for the construction or expansion of domestic gas infrastructure. The Company generally borrows loans with variable interest rates, while some loans are with a fixed interest rate depending on the nature of each project.

Regarding the financing policy, the Company manages funds mainly from deposits and government bonds, which are considered to be of low-risk and high-liquidity. The Company limits the use of derivative transactions for managing risks of forecasted transactions and portfolio assets, and does not engage in speculative derivative transactions.

### (b) Details of financial instruments, associated risks and risk management

(Credit risk related to trade receivables)

Trade receivables such as accounts receivable-trade and accounts receivable-other are comprised mainly from sales of crude oil and natural gas. Main trading partners are national oil companies, major oil companies and others. In line with the criteria for trading and credit exposure management, the Company properly analyzes the status of trading partners for early detection and reduction of default risks.

#### (Market price fluctuation risk related to securities)

For marketable securities and investment securities exposed to market price fluctuation risk, analysis of market values is regularly reported to the Executive Committee. For shares of stock, the Company mainly holds shares of trading partners and others to establish close and smooth relationships for the purpose of maintaining a medium- to long-term stable business. A part of these shares are held for the purpose of investment. As for bonds, the Company mainly holds bonds with short-term maturities by considering medium- to long-term cash outflow forecast and market price fluctuation risk.

### (Interest rate fluctuation risk related to short-term loans and long-term debt)

Loans are mainly used to fund oil and natural gas development projects and construction or expansion of domestic gas infrastructure and others. The borrowing period is determined considering the financial prospects of the project and useful lives of the facilities. Loans with variable interest rates are exposed to interest rate fluctuation risk, however, the Company analyzes the impact of interest rate fluctuation at the time of borrowing and on an annual basis, and leverages fixed-rate-loans or interest rate swaps as necessary.

### (Exchange rates fluctuation risk related to assets and liabilities in foreign currencies)

As most of the Company's business is conducted overseas, the Company is exposed to exchange rate fluctuation risk due to a large portion of monetary assets and liabilities held in foreign currencies such as cash and deposits, accounts receivables and loans required in overseas projects. As a result of fiscal year-end conversion, yen appreciation causes a foreign exchange loss on assets and a foreign exchange gain on liabilities while yen depreciation causes a foreign exchange gain on assets and a foreign exchange loss on liabilities. For this reason, the Company endeavors to reduce exchange rate fluctuation risk by maintaining the position between assets and liabilities in foreign currencies. In addition to planned expenditures in foreign currencies on the Ichthys Project and others, the Company manages exchange rate fluctuation risk through derivative transactions such as foreign exchange forwards and others as necessary.

### (Management of derivative transactions)

For the above derivative transactions, the Company follows its internal rules. For derivative transactions exposed to market price fluctuation, market values of these derivatives are regularly reported to the Executive Committee, and the Company only transacts with financial institutions with high credit ratings to reduce counterparty risks for the use of derivatives.

### (Management of liquidity risk related to financing)

The finance and accounting division controls cash management based on a monthly financing plan prepared by each project division and secures sufficient liquidity on hand to prepare for liquidity risk.

### 5. SECURITIES

(a) Information regarding other securities as of March 31, 2016 and 2017 is as follows:

	Millions of yen					
March 31, 2016	Acquisition cost Carrying value		Unrealized gain (loss)			
Securities with carrying values exceeding their acquisition costs						
Stock	¥14,582	¥22,889	¥ 8,307			
Bonds:						
Corporate bonds	5,500	5,509	9			
Other <sup>*</sup>	2,462	4,971	2,509			
Subtotal	22,544	33,369	10,825			
Securities with acquisition cos	sts exceeding the	r carrying values				
Stock	33,676	28,054	(5,622)			
Subtotal	33,676	28,054	(5,622)			
Total	¥56,220	¥61,423	¥ 5,203			

		Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars			
March 31, 2017	Acquisition cost	Carrying value	Unrealized gain (loss)	Acquisition cost	Carrying value	Unrealized gain (loss)	
Securities with carrying values exceeding their acquisition costs							
Stock	¥33,905	¥40,369	¥6,464	\$302,184	\$359,795	\$57,611	
Bonds:							
Corporate bonds	5,500	5,503	3	49,019	49,046	27	
Other Other	2,178	4,963	2,785	19,412	44,234	24,822	
Subtotal	41,583	50,835	9,252	370,615	453,075	82,460	
Securities with acquisition cos	sts exceeding the	ir carrying values					
Stock	8,718	7,966	(752)	77,701	70,998	(6,703)	
Subtotal	8,718	7,966	(752)	77,701	70,998	(6,703)	
Total	¥50,301	¥58,801	¥8,500	\$448,316	\$524,073	\$75,757	

(b) Information regarding sales of securities classified as other securities for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017 is as follows:

		Millions of yen						
Year ended March 31, 2016	Proceeds from sales	Gain on sales	Loss on sales					
Bonds								
Public bonds	¥ 31,205	¥ 59	¥—					
Corporate bonds	30,906	9	3					
Other	102,667	31,633	_					
Total	¥164,778	¥31,701	¥ 3					

	Millions of yen			Thousands of U.S. dollars			
Year ended March 31, 2017	Proceeds from sales	Gain on sales	Loss on sales	Proceeds from sales	Gain on sales	Loss on sales	
Stock	¥10,600	¥5,000	¥—	\$94,474	\$44,563	\$—	

(c) Components of securities for which it is extremely difficult to determine fair value as of March 31, 2016 and 2017 are summarized as follows:

	Millions	s of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
March 31,	2016	2017	2017
Other securities			
Unlisted securities	¥ 32,239	¥ 29,260	\$ 260,784
Stocks of subsidiaries and affiliates	120,069	163,527	1,457,460
Total	¥152,308	¥192,787	\$1,718,244

These securities are not included in (a) as they have no quoted market prices and it is extremely difficult to determine their fair value. For shares of exploration companies, an allowance for investments in exploration is provided at an estimated amount based on the financial position of the investment.

(d) Redemption schedule for securities with maturity dates classified as other securities as of March 31, 2017 is as follows:

		Millions of yen				Thousands of U.S. dollars			
March 31, 2017	1 year or less	year baciess	More than 5 years but less than 10 years	More than 10 years	1 year or less	year but less	More than 5 years but less than 10 years	More than 10 years	
Bonds Corporate bonds	¥5,500	¥—	¥—	¥—	\$49,020	\$—	\$—	\$—	

# 6. SHORT-TERM BORROWINGS AND LONG-TERM DEBT, ASSETS PLEDGED

(a) Short-term borrowings as of March 31, 2016 and 2017 are as follows:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars	
March 31,	2016	2017	2017	
Short-term borrowings from banks and others (Interest rates ranging from 0.784% to 19.000% and from 0.635% to 3.700% at March 31, 2016 and 2017)	¥5,182	¥4,948	\$44,100	

(b) Long-term debt as of March 31, 2016 and 2017 are as follows:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars	
March 31,	2016	2017	2017	
Loans from banks and others, due through 2028 (Interest rates ranging from 0.360% to 2.012% and from 0.094% to 2.560% at March 31, 2016 and 2017)	¥736,386	¥682,737	\$6,085,000	
Less: Current portion	63,287	39,305	350,312	
·	¥673,099	¥643,432	\$5,734,688	

(c) Assets pledged as of March 31, 2016 and 2017 are as follows:

	Millio	Thousands of U.S. dollars	
March 31,	2016	2017	2017
Cash and cash equivalents	¥ 1,507	¥ 222	\$ 1,979
Inventories	8,862	8,533	76,052
Land	150	150	1,337
Construction in progress	945,518	1,119,050	9,973,707
Investment securities	15,039	62,492	556,970
Long-term loans receivable	_	131,261	1,169,884
Other	15,113	10,147	90,436
Total	¥986,189	¥1,331,855	\$11,870,365

The above is mainly related to the Ichthys LNG Project Finance, and include others that are pledged as collateral for liabilities of affiliates.

(d) Collateral-backed debt as of March 31, 2016 and 2017 are as follows:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars	
March 31,	2016	2017	2017	
Accounts payable—other	¥532	¥—	\$—	

(e) The aggregate annual maturities of long-term debt subsequent to March 31, 2017 are summarized as follws:

Years ending March 31,	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
2018	¥ 39,305	\$ 350,312
2019	68,838	613,529
2020	117,226	1,044,795
2021	105,186	937,487
2022	62,274	555,027
2023 and thereafter	289,908	2,583,850
Total	¥682,737	\$6,085,000

### 7. INCOME TAXES

The Company and its domestic consolidated subsidiaries are subject to income taxes which, in the aggregate, resulted in a statutory tax rate of approximately 28.8% and 28.2% for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017, respectively.

(a) The effective tax rates reflected in the consolidated statement of income for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017 differ from the statutory tax rate for the following reasons:

Years ended March 31,	2016	2017
Statutory tax rate	28.8%	28.2%
Effect of:		
Permanently non-taxable expenses such as entertainment expenses	0.8	0.3
Permanently non-taxable income such as dividends income	(0.7)	(2.1)
Valuation allowance	8.8	6.3
Foreign taxes	95.3	76.3
Foreign tax credits	(15.4)	(12.6)
Adjustment of deducted amounts of foreign taxes	(13.3)	(15.6)
Amortization of goodwill	0.6	0.6
Differences of effective tax rates applied to tax effect accounting	1.1	1.8
Other	1.8	(0.3)
Effective tax rates	107.8%	82.9%

(b) The significant components of deferred tax assets and liabilities as of March 31, 2016 and 2017 are as follows:

	Million	s of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
March 31,	2016	2017	2017
Deferred tax assets			
Exploration expenditures	¥ 77,785	¥ 58,237	\$ 519,047
Loss on valuation of investment securities	2,583	2,413	21,506
Recoverable accounts under production sharing (foreign taxes)	8,524	7,096	63,244
Allowance for investments in exploration	573	776	6,916
Foreign taxes payable	32,102	18,727	166,907
Net operating loss carry forward	119,972	184,483	1,644,234
Accumulated depreciation	12,316	37,575	334,893
Liability for retirement benefits	2,070	1,960	17,469
Provision for loss on business	1,338	825	7,353
Translation differences of assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies	15,802	15,090	134,492
Asset retirement obligations	11,830	14,142	126,043
Allowance for doubtful accounts	3,958	6,189	55,160
Impairment loss	14,605	15,418	137,415
Other	23,597	37,145	331,061
Total gross deferred tax assets	327,055	400,076	3,565,740
Valuation allowance	(276,292)	(315,192)	(2,809,198)
Total deferred tax assets	50,763	84,884	756,542
Deferred tax liabilities			
Foreign taxes	(83,019)	(83,042)	(740,125)
Translation differences of assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies	(234)	(102)	(909)
Reserve for overseas investment loss	(2,840)	_	_
Translation differences due to an application of purchase accounting method	(1,732)	(7,052)	(62,852)
Reserve for exploration	(5,026)	(5,509)	(49,100)
Unrealized holding gain on securities	(248)	(2,023)	(18,030)
Other	(6,331)	(3,993)	(35,588)
Total deferred tax liabilities	(99,430)	(101,721)	(906,604)
Net deferred tax assets (liabilities)	¥ (48,667)	¥ (16,837)	\$ (150,062)

### 8. COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

Amount of reclassification adjustments and income tax effects allocated to each component of other comprehensive income for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017 are as follows:

	h 4:11:		Thousands of	
_	Millions of yen		U.S. dollars	
Years ended March 31,	2016	2017	2017	
Unrealized holding gain (loss) on securities				
Amount recognized during the period	¥ (15,819)	¥ 8,327	\$ 74,216	
Amount of reclassification adjustments	(27,568)	(5,030)	(44,831)	
Before income tax effect	(43,387)	3,297	29,385	
Amount of income tax effect	2,293	(1,775)	(15,820)	
	(41,094)	1,522	13,565	
Translation adjustments				
Amount recognized during the period	(128,941)	(19,878)	(177,166)	
Amount of reclassification adjustment	(138)	10	89	
	(129,079)	(19,868)	(177,077)	
Share of other comprehensive income of affiliates accounted for by the equity-method				
Amount recognized during the period	8,668	(2,838)	(25,294)	
Amount of reclassification adjustments	(154)	(553)	(4,929)	
Adjustment for acquisition cost of assets	20,796	9,511	84,769	
	29,310	6,120	54,546	
Total other comprehensive income	¥(140,863)	¥(12,226)	\$(108,966)	

### 9. NET ASSETS

The total number of the Company's shares issued consisted of 1,462,323,600 shares of common stock and 1 Class A stock as of March 31, 2017.

Class A stock has no voting rights at the common shareholders' meeting, but the ownership of Class A stock gives its holder a right of veto over certain important matters described below. However, requirements stipulated in the Articles of Incorporation need to be met in cases involving the exercise of the veto over the appointment or removal of directors, the disposition of all or a portion of material assets, and business integration;

- Appointment or removal of Directors
- Disposition of all or a portion of material assets
- Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation relating to the Company's business objectives and granting voting rights to any shares other than the common shares of the Company
- Business integration
- Capital reduction
- Company dissolution

Class A stock shareholder may request the Company to acquire Class A stock. Besides, the Company may also acquire Class A stock by a resolution of the meeting of the Board of Directors in case where Class A stock is transferred to a non-public entity.

The Company conducted a stock split at a ratio of 1:400 of common stock with October 1, 2013 as the effective date, but for Class A stock, no stock split was conducted. The Articles of Incorporation specifies that dividends of Class A stock are equivalent to dividends of a common stock prior to the stock split. The cash dividends of Class A stock for the year ended March 31, 2017 amounted to ¥7,200.

Under the Companies Act of Japan, 10% of the amount to be distributed as dividends from capital surplus (other than capital reserve) and retained earnings (other than legal reserve) should be transferred to capital reserve and legal reserve, respectively, up to the point where total amount of capital reserve and legal reserve equals 25% of the common stock account.

Distributions can be made at any time by a resolution of the meeting of shareholders, or the Board of Directors if certain conditions are met, but neither capital reserve nor legal reserve is available for distributions.

### 10. AMOUNTS PER SHARE

Amounts per share as of March 31, 2016 and 2017 are as follows:

	Yer	Yen	
Years ended March 31,	2016	2017	2017
Net assets excluding non-controlling interests per share	¥2,008.34	¥2,015.38	\$17.96
Cash dividends per share	18.00	18.00	0.16
Net income per share	¥ 11.49	¥ 31.61	\$ 0.28

Diluted net income per share is not presented because there are no dilutive potential of shares of common stock.

Net assets excluding non-controlling interests per share are computed based on the net assets excluding non-controlling interests and the number of common stock outstanding at the year end.

Cash dividends per share represent the cash dividends proposed by the Board of Directors together with the interim cash dividends paid. Net income per share is computed based on the net income available for distribution to shareholders of common stock and the average number of shares of common stock outstanding during the year.

### 11. DERIVATIVE TRANSACTIONS

### (a) Derivatives not subject to hedge accounting

Contract amounts, fair value and valuation gain (loss) regarding derivatives not subject to hedge accounting as of March 31, 2016 and 2017 are as follows:

	Millions of yen			
March 31, 2016	Contract amounts	Due after one year	Fair value	Valuation gain (loss)
Foreign exchange forwards*				
Sell (CAD) Buy (USD)	¥37,451	¥—	¥(270)	¥(270)
		Millions	of yen	
March 31, 2017	Contract amounts	Due after one year	Fair value	Valuation gain (loss)
Foreign exchange forwards*				
Sell (CAD) Buy (USD)	¥39,981	¥—	¥43	¥43
	Thousands of U.S. dollars			
March 31, 2017	Contract amounts	Due after one year	Fair value	Valuation gain (loss)
Foreign exchange forwards*				
Sell (CAD) Buy (USD)	\$356,337	\$—	\$383	\$383

<sup>\*</sup> Fair value is the price obtained from the counterparty financial institutions.

### (b) Derivatives subject to hedge accounting

Contract amounts, fair value and valuation gain (loss) regarding derivatives subject to hedge accounting as of March 31, 2016 and 2017 are as follows:

			Millions of yen	
March 31, 2016	Principal items hedged	Contract amounts	Due after one year	Fair value
Interest rate swaps				
Payment fixed, receipt fluctuated (Special treatment)	Long-term debt	¥4,760	¥4,760	*
			Millions of yen	
March 31, 2017	Principal items hedged	Contract amounts	Due after one year	Fair value
Interest rate swaps				
Payment fixed, receipt fluctuated (Special treatment)	Long-term debt	¥4,760	¥4,760	*
		Т	housands of U.S. dollars	
March 31, 2017	Principal items hedged	Contract amounts	Due after one year	Fair value
Interest rate swaps				
Payment fixed, receipt fluctuated (Special treatment)	Long-term debt	\$42,424	\$42,424	*

<sup>\*</sup> Fair value of derivatives for which special treatment of interest rate swaps is applied is included in the estimated fair value of the long-term debt as disclosed in Note 12. (a) since the interest rate swap is treated together with long-term debt subject to hedging.

### 12. OTHER FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

(a) The carrying value and estimated fair value of financial instruments excluding marketable securities and investment securities which are disclosed in Note 5.(a) and derivatives which are disclosed in Note 11 as of March 31, 2016 and 2017 are as shown below. The following summary also excludes cash and cash equivalents, and accounts receivable-trade for which fair values approximate their carrying amounts.

			Millions of yen		
March 31, 2016		Carrying va	lue	Estimated fair value	
Time deposits		¥718,7′	15	¥723,322	
Short-term borrowings and current portion of long-term	debt	68,46	59	68,361	
Long-term debt		¥673,09	9	¥663,985	
	Million	s of yen	Thousand:	s of U.S. dollars	
March 31 2017	Carrying value	Estimated fair value	Carrying value	Estimated fair value	

	Million	s of yen	Thousands of	of U.S. dollars
March 31, 2017	Carrying value	Estimated fair value	Carrying value	Estimated fair value
Time deposits	¥335,824	¥335,906	\$2,993,084	\$2,993,815
Short-term borrowings and current portion of long-term debt	44,253	43,967	394,412	391,863
Long-term debt	¥643,432	¥635,083	\$5,734,688	\$5,660,276

<sup>(</sup>b) For other financial instruments, computation methods of estimated fair value are as shown below.

### (Time deposits)

The fair value of current portion of long-term time deposits included in time deposits, is calculated by applying a discount rate to the total of principal and interest. The discount rate is based on the assumed interest rate if a similar new deposit is entered into. For the other time

deposits, the relevant carrying value is used since the item is settled in a short period of time and its market value is almost the same as the carrying value.

### (Short-term borrowings and current portion of long-term debt)

The estimated fair value of current portion of long-term debt is calculated by the same method as long-term debt. For short-term borrowings, the relevant carrying value is used since these items are settled in a short periods of time and its fair value is almost the same as the carrying value.

### (Long-term debt)

The estimated fair value of long-term debt is calculated by applying a discount rate to the total of principal and interest. The discount rate is based on the assumed interest rate if a similar new loan is entered into.

### 13. RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES

Research and development expenses included in general and administrative expenses and cost of sales amounted to ¥755 million and ¥1,984 million (\$17,683 thousand) for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017, respectively.

### 14. IMPAIRMENT LOSS

The Company groups mining area and other assets as a basic unit that generates cash inflows independently of other groups of assets. Due to impact from deteriorating business environments based on such factors as the drop in oil prices, the Company reduced the respective carrying amounts of the assets listed below to recoverable amounts, posting the reductions as impairment loss.

For the year ended March 31, 2016

Use	Location	Classification -	Impairment loss
Use	Location	Classification	Millions of yen
Assets related to		Wells	¥ 2,335
Keathley Canyon Blocks	U.S. Gulf of Mexico	Machinery, equipment and vehicles	4,379
874/875/918/919	U.S. Gull of Mexico	Mining rights	19,736
(Lucius Oil Field)		Subtotal	26,450
	Timor Sea Joint Petroleum	Wells	2,702
Assets related to JPDA06-105 Block	Development Area (JPDA), the Commonwealth of	Machinery, equipment and vehicles	2,517
(Kitan Oil Field)	Australia / the Democratic	Construction in progress	2,185
,	Republic of Timor-Leste	Subtotal	7,404
		Buildings and structures	392
		Wells	2,858
Assets related to	Buitish Calumbia Casada	Machinery, equipment and vehicles	745
the shale gas project in the Horn River area	British Columbia, Canada	Mining rights	471
		Other	104
		Subtotal	4,570
		Buildings and structures	73
		Wells	945
Assets related to	Bolivarian Republic of	Machinery, equipment and vehicles	77
Copa Macoya Block	Venezuela	Construction in progress	2,587
		Other	3
		Subtotal	3,685
		Buildings and structures	76
		Wells	1,202
Assets related to	LIAE	Machinery, equipment and vehicles	1,294
Abu Al Bukhoosh Block		Construction in progress	577
		Other	43
		Subtotal	3,192
Other			584
Total			¥45,885

The recoverable amount of the assets related to Keathley Canyon Blocks 874/875/918/919 (Lucius Oil Field), the shale gas project in the Horn River area and Abu Al Bukhoosh Block is reasonably estimated by discounting the future cash flows at a rate of 6.5%. The recoverable amount of the assets related to JPDA06-105 Block (Kitan Oil Field) and Copa Macoya Block is estimated at zero.

For the year ended March 31, 2017

Use	Location	Classification -	Impairment loss	
		Classification	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
		Buildings and structures	¥ 225	\$ 2,005
		Wells	1,689	15,053
Assets related to	British Columbia, Canada	Machinery, equipment and vehicles	421	3,752
the shale gas project in the Horn River area	Diffusii Columbia, Canada	Mining rights	268	2,389
		Other	27	241
		Subtotal	2,630	23,440
		Buildings and structures	650	5,793
		Wells	11	98
Assets related to Yabase Oil Field Akita City, Akita, etc.	Alcita City Alcita ata	Machinery, equipment and vehicles	906	8,075
	Akita City, Akita, etc.	Land	443	3,948
		Other	17	152
		Subtotal	2,027	18,066
Assets related to South Natuna Sea Block B	Republic of Indonesia	Exploration and development rights	1,703	15,178
Other			6	54
Total			¥6,366	\$56,738

The recoverable amount of the assets related to the shale gas project in the Horn River area is reasonably estimated by discounting the future cash flows at a rate of 8.3%. The recoverable amount of the assets related to South Natuna Sea Block B is estimated at zero. The recoverable assets of the land related to Yabase Oil Field is estimated by the net realizable value of the assets (reasonably adjusted amount based on the valuation for real estate tax purposes), and the others are estimated at zero.

### 15. RETIREMENT BENEFITS

Retirement benefits for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017 are as follows:

(a) Defined benefit plans
(1) Reconciliation of beginning and ending balances of the retirement benefit obligations (excluding plans included in (3))

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars	
<u></u>	2016	2017	2017	
Balance at beginning of the period	¥19,979	¥20,500	\$182,709	
Service cost	1,047	1,046	9,323	
Interest cost	204	209	1,863	
Actuarial loss (gain)	(187)	(9)	(80)	
Retirement benefits paid	(543)	(679)	(6,052)	
Balance at end of the period	¥20,500	¥21,067	\$187,763	

(2) Reconciliation of beginning and ending balances of plan assets at fair value (excluding plans included in (3))

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars	
	2016	2017	2017	
Balance at beginning of the period	¥13,940	¥13,552	\$120,784	
Expected return on plan assets	348	339	3,022	
Actuarial gain (loss)	(916)	356	3,173	
Contributions to the plans	567	592	5,276	
Retirement benefits paid	(387)	(378)	(3,369)	
Contributions to retirement benefit trust	_	1,135	10,116	
Balance at end of the period	¥13,552	¥15,596	\$139,002	

(3) Reconciliation of beginning and ending balances of liability for retirement benefits applying simplified methods

	Million	Millions of yen	
	2016	2017	2017
Balance at beginning of the period	¥ 661	¥514	\$4,581
Retirement benefit expenses	86	62	553
Retirement benefits paid	(32)	(90)	(802)
Contributions to the plans	(13)	(13)	(116)
Other	(188)	9	80
Balance at end of the period	¥ 514	¥482	\$4,296

(4) Reconciliation between retirement benefit obligations and plan assets at fair value and liability for retirement benefits and asset for retirement benefits on the consolidated balance sheet

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars
	2016	2017	2017
Retirement benefit obligations (funded plans)	¥ 20,780	¥ 21,334	\$ 190,143
Plan assets at fair value	(13,778)	(15,810)	(140,909)
	7,002	5,524	49,234
Retirement benefit obligations (unfunded plans)	460	429	3,823
Net liability (asset) on consolidated balance sheet	7,462	5,953	53,057
Liability for retirement benefits	7,462	5,953	53,057
Net liability (asset) on consolidated balance sheet	¥ 7,462	¥ 5,953	\$ 53,057

<sup>\*</sup> Including plans applying simplified methods.

#### (5) Details of retirement benefit expenses

	Millions	Millions of yen	
	2016	2017	2017
Service cost	¥1,047	¥1,046	\$ 9,323
Interest cost	204	209	1,863
Expected return on plan assets	(348)	(339)	(3,022)
Amortization of actuarial loss (gain)	729	(365)	(3,253)
Retirement benefit expenses under simplified methods	85	63	561
Retirement benefit expenses for defined benefit plans	¥1,717	¥ 614	\$ 5,472
(6) Plan assets (excluding plans applying simplified methods)			
Components of plan assets		2016	2017
Stock		39%	44%

### (7) Basis of measurement for long-term expected return rate on plan assets

The expected long-term return rate on plan assets is determined based on the current and expected future distribution of plan assets and the current and expected future long-term return rate on various assets of which plan assets are composed.

### (8) Basis of the actuarial assumptions

General accounts

Bonds

Other

Total

	2016	2017
Discount rate	1.0%	1.0%
Long-term expected return rate on plan assets	2.5%	2.5%

### (b) Defined contribution plans

The Group's contributions for defined contribution plans amounted to  $\pm 1,913$  million and  $\pm 2,302$  million ( $\pm 20,517$  thousand) for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017, respectively.

43%

18%

100%

0%

39%

17%

0%

100%

### 16. ASSET RETIREMENT OBLIGATIONS

### (a) Asset retirement obligations recognized in the consolidated balance sheet

The changes in asset retirement obligations for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017 are as follows:

	Millions of yen		Thousands of U.S. dollars	
Years ended March 31,	2016	2017	2017	
Balance at beginning of the period	¥106,328	¥103,063	\$918,565	
New obligations	10,103	15,611	139,135	
Accretion expenses	1,793	2,592	23,102	
Obligations settled	(503)	(1,504)	(13,405)	
Change in estimates *1	(7,166)	(9,336)	(83,208)	
Other * <sup>2</sup>	(7,492)	(1,280)	(11,408)	
Balance at end of the period	¥103,063	¥109,146	\$972,781	

<sup>\*1 &</sup>quot;Change in estimates" for the year ended March 31, 2016 mainly reflects the change in the estimated period of use of certain subsidiaries. "Change in estimates" for the year ended March 31, 2017 mainly reflects the revised discount rate of certain subsidiaries.

### (b) Asset retirement obligations other than those recognized in the consolidated balance sheet

Regarding domestic oil and gas production facilities and gas supply and marketing facilities, the Group has obligations to prevent mine pollution at abandoned well sites after the completion of the production under Mine Safety Act and restore sites to their original condition at the time of business termination in accordance with lease contracts.

Among these facilities, certain domestic oil and gas production facilities are operated complementarily and holistically in connection with the LNG terminal and it is impossible to determine the timing of decommission since it is difficult to formulate reasonable long-term production plan considering the balance between the production and the inflow of LNG at this time. The Group plans to operate domestic gas supply and marketing facilities permanently as highly public infrastructures for energy supply.

The Group also has obligations to decommission mines with respect to certain overseas oil production facilities. However, it is difficult to

The Group also has obligations to decommission mines with respect to certain overseas oil production facilities. However, it is difficult to estimate retirement costs since the information about decommissioning work including the assets subject to the work based on the approval by the government of oil-producing country has not been specified yet.

Therefore, it is impossible to estimate the relevant asset retirement obligations reasonably and the Group does not recognize them in the consolidated balance sheet.

### 17. GOODWILL

The changes in the carrying amount of goodwill for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017 are as follows:

	Millions	Thousands of U.S. dollars	
Years ended March 31,	2016	2017	2017
Balance at beginning of the period	¥74,319	¥67,558	\$602,121
Goodwill acquired during the period	_	_	_
Amortization of goodwill	(6,761)	(6,761)	(60,258)
Balance at end of the period	¥67,558	¥60,797	\$541,863

### 18. LEASES

Future minimum lease payments subsequent to March 31, 2017 for operating lease transactions are summarized as follows:

(a) As lessee	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
2018	¥ 4,594	\$ 40,945
2019 and thereafter	11,285	100,579
Total	¥15,879	\$141,524
(b) As lessor	·	
	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars
2018	¥49	\$437
2019 and thereafter	<u> </u>	_
Total	¥49	\$437

### 19. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

As of March 31, 2017, the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries were contingently liable as guarantors of indebtedness of affiliates in the aggregate amount of ¥585,233 million (\$5,215,980 thousand).

In addition, the Company guarantees for derivative transactions utilized to hedge exchange rate fluctuation risk regarding payments of development costs for the Ichthys LNG Project. The relevant loss on valuation as of March 31, 2017 was ¥212 million (\$1,889 thousand).

In connection with the Ichthys LNG Project Finance, the Company and other project participants provide lenders with a guarantee of liabilities during the construction phase based on each participating interest. The portion guaranteed by the Company as of March 31, 2017, was ¥903,862 million (\$8,055,811 thousand).

### 20. SEGMENT INFORMATION

### Segment information for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017

### (a) Overview of reportable segments

The reportable segments for the Group's oil and natural gas development activities are composed of individual mining area and others for which separate financial information is available in order for the Board of Directors to make Group management decisions. Since the Group operates oil and natural gas businesses globally, the Group's reportable segments are the mining areas and others by geographical region, categorized in "Japan", "Asia & Oceania" (mainly Indonesia, Australia and East Timor), "Eurasia (Europe & NIS)" (mainly Azerbaijan), "Middle East & Africa" (mainly UAE) and "Americas."

The Company produces oil and natural gas in each segment. In addition, the Company conducts marketing activities for petroleum products and others in "Japan" segment.

<sup>\*2 &</sup>quot;Other" mainly includes the change due to foreign exchange rates fluctuation.

(b) Basis of measurement for sales, income (loss), assets and other items by reportable segment
Accounting policies for the reportable segments are substantially the same as those described in "Note 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES"

As described in Note 2. (v) Changes in accounting estimates, the Company reviewed the period of economic estimated use of structures (pipelines) considering the progress of initiatives on strengthening our gas supply chain defined in the "Medium- to Long-Term Vision", actual use records and others since the Toyama Line commenced operation in the year ended March 31, 2017. It was confirmed that they could be used longer than their conventional useful lives, which had been based on the method prescribed in the Corporation Tax Act, and the Company has changed their useful lives from the year ended March 31, 2017. As a result, compared with the conventional method, "Japan" segment income for the year ended march 31, 2017 increased by ¥7,171 million (\$63,913 thousand).

### (c) Information on sales, income (loss), assets and other items by reportable segment

	Millions of yen							
Year ended March 31, 2016	Japan	Asia & Oceania	Eurasia (Europe & NIS)	Middle East & Africa	Americas	Total	Adjustments *	<sup>1</sup> Consolidated * <sup>2</sup>
Sales to third parties	¥109,601	¥ 302,871	¥ 66,852	¥516,513	¥ 13,727	¥1,009,564	¥ —	¥1,009,564
Total sales	109,601	302,871	66,852	516,513	13,727	1,009,564	_	1,009,564
Segment income (loss)	12,096	97,204	13,832	290,866	(14,002)	399,996	(9,857)	390,139
Segment assets	338,026	1,729,119	576,843	412,577	165,634	3,222,199	1,147,643	4,369,842
Other items								
Depreciation and amortization	20,642	23,171	10,143	14,756	16,440	85,152	1,639	86,791
Amortization of goodwill	_	_	_	_	(192)	(192)	6,953	6,761
Investment to affiliates accounted for by the equity-method	1,684	73,328	_	35,535	_	110,547	_	110,547
Increase of tangible fixed assets and intangible assets	¥ 59,369	¥ 308,434	¥ 24,156	¥210,659	¥ 4,798	¥ 607,416	¥ 1,652	¥ 609,068

		Millions of yen						
Year ended March 31, 2017	Japan	Asia & Oceania	Eurasia (Europe & NIS)	Middle East & Africa	Americas	Total	Adjustments *1	Consolidated *2
Sales to third parties	¥102,660	¥ 218,099	¥ 60,192	¥482,182	¥ 11,290	¥ 874,423	¥ —	¥ 874,423
Total sales	102,660	218,099	60,192	482,182	11,290	874,423	_	874,423
Segment income (loss)	18,034	51,566	12,113	276,870	(9,361)	349,222	(12,769)	336,453
Segment assets	320,853	1,997,494	600,854	446,792	137,119	3,503,112	809,062	4,312,174
Other items								
Depreciation and amortization	16,992	21,623	10,328	29,298	11,405	89,646	1,513	91,159
Amortization of goodwill	_	_	_	_	(192)	(192)	6,953	6,761
Investment to affiliates accounted for by the equity-method	1,966	116,619	253	34,773	_	153,611	281	153,892
Increase of tangible fixed assets and intangible assets	¥ 15,082	¥ 197,958	¥ 19,871	¥ 42,967	¥ 3,329	¥ 279,207	¥ 574	¥ 279,781

	Thousands of U.S. dollars							
Year ended March 31, 2017	Japan	Asia & Oceania	Eurasia (Europe & NIS)	Middle East & Africa	Americas	Total	Adjustments *1	Consolidated *2
Sales to third parties	\$ 914,973	\$ 1,943,841	\$ 536,471	\$4,297,522	\$ 100,624	\$ 7,793,431	\$ —	\$ 7,793,431
Total sales	914,973	1,943,841	536,471	4,297,522	100,624	7,793,431	_	7,793,431
Segment income (loss)	160,731	459,590	107,959	2,467,647	(83,431)	3,112,496	(113,806)	2,998,690
Segment assets	2,859,652	17,802,977	5,355,205	3,982,104	1,222,094	31,222,032	7,210,891	38,432,923
Other items								
Depreciation and amortization	151,444	192,718	92,050	261,123	101,649	798,984	13,485	812,469
Amortization of goodwill	_	_	_	_	(1,711)	(1,711)	61,969	60,258
Investment to affiliates accounted for by the equity-method	17,522	1,039,385	2,255	309,920	_	1,369,082	2,504	1,371,586
Increase of tangible fixed assets and intangible assets	\$ 134,421	\$ 1,764,332	\$ 177,103	\$ 382,950	\$ 29,670	\$ 2,488,476	\$ 5,116	\$ 2,493,592

<sup>\*1</sup> Adjustments include elimination of inter-segment transactions and corporate incomes, expenses and assets that are not allocated to a reportable segment.

### (d) Products and service information

(Sales to third parties)

, , ,	Millions	Thousands of U.S. dollars		
Years ended March 31,	2016	2017	2017	
Crude oil	¥ 679,241	¥617,194	\$5,500,837	
Natural gas (excluding LPG)	306,206	235,794	2,101,551	
LPG	10,555	6,782	60,446	
Other	13,562	14,653	130,597	
Total	¥1,009,564	¥874,423	\$7,793,431	

<sup>\*2</sup> Segment income is reconciled with operating income on the consolidated statement of income.

### (e) Geographical information

(Sales)	Millions	Thousands of U.S. dollars	
Years ended March 31,	2016	2017	2017
Japan	¥ 491,204	¥409,945	\$3,653,699
Asia & Oceania (excluding Singapore)	279,532	296,733	2,644,679
Singapore	98,862	91,226	813,066
Other	139,966	76,519	681,987
Total	¥1,009,564	¥874,423	\$7,793,431
(Tangible fixed assets)			

(Tallyble linea assets)	Millions	Thousands of U.S. dollars		
March 31,	2016	2017	2017	
Japan	¥ 291,248	¥ 282,442	\$ 2,517,308	
Australia	1,209,075	1,390,187	12,390,258	
Other	252,292	255,969	2,281,364	
Total	¥1.752.615	¥1,928,598	\$17,188,930	

(f) Information on impairment loss from fixed assets	Millions	Millions of yen			
Years ended March 31,	2016	2017	2017		
Japan	¥ —	¥2,033	\$18,120		
Asia & Oceania	7,404	1,703	15,178		
Middle East & Africa	3,192	_	_		
Americas	35,289	2,630	23,440		
Total	¥45.885	¥6.366	\$56.738		

### 21. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

There are the following related party transactions for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017.

### (a) Affiliated company

Year ended March 31, 2016

Name of		0 1: 1				Description of the Transaction business detail relationship			Amounts				ounts			
related party	Location	Capital investment	Nature of operations	Voti inter	est b			business		dotoil	Millions of yen	Title o	f account	Million	ns of yen	
			Transportation, liquefaction and		Se		Loan: fund:		¥ 215,138		_		¥—			
Ichthys LNG Pty Ltd	Western Australia, Australia	\$482,700 thousand	sales of oil and natural gas throu pipeline in WA-50 block in offshore Western Australi	gh 62.2 )-L	ctly 5% con	anıtal		antee of ities* <sup>2</sup>	¥1,388,370	1	_		¥—			
Year ended	March 31,	2017														
Name of		6 11	N	\	Description			Am	ounts	. Tal C.	А	mounts	5			
related party	Location	Capital investment	Nature of operations	Voting interest	9		on	Millions of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars	Title of account	Millions or yen		usands of 5. dollars			
Ichthys	Western	\$1,617,600	Transportation, liquefaction and sales of oil and					Serve the	Loans of funds*1	1	¥ 133,107	\$ 1,186,337	Long-term loans receivable	¥131,261	\$1	,169,884
LNG Pty Ltd	Australia, Australia	thousand	natural gas through pipeline in WA-50-L block in offshore	Indirectly 62.25%	capital	capital	Subscriptic for new sha		¥76,562	\$682,371	_	_	-	_		
			block in offshore subscrip Western Australia		Guarante liabilities		of	¥1,466,099	\$13,066,836	_	¥ _	- \$	_			

<sup>\*1</sup> The Company determines the interest rate on loans of funds based on market interest rates in a reasonable and appropriate manner.

### (b) Note related to the parent company or significant affiliated companies

The significant affiliated company for the years ended March 31, 2016 and 2017 is Ichthys LNG Pty Ltd. The summary of its financial information is as follows:

is as follows.	Millions	of yen	Thousands of U.S. dollars			
Years ended March 31,	2016	2017	2017			
Total current assets Total fixed assets Total current liabilities Total long-term liabilities Total net assets	¥ 46,826 2,604,208 75,472 2,537,755 37,807	¥ 20,516 3,094,713 61,411 2,882,514 171,304	\$ 182,852 27,582,112 547,335 25,690,856 1,526,773			
Net sales Net income (loss) before income taxes Net income (loss)	(3,901) ¥ (572)	(1,882) ¥ (1,634)	(16,774) \$ (14,563)			

<sup>\*2</sup> Guarantee of liabilities are for securing loans from financial institutions and for providing lender with a guarantee of liabilities during the construction phase based on each participating interest. In addition, "Amounts" are guaranteed balance by the Company.

### Independent Auditor's Report



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### Independent Auditor's Report

#### The Board of Directors INPEX CORPORATION

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of INPEX CORPORATION and its consolidated subsidiaries, which comprise the consolidated balance sheet as at March 31, 2017, and the consolidated statements of income, comprehensive income, changes in net assets, and cash flows for the year then ended and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, all 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 designing and operating such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in Japan. Those standards require that we 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 the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. The purpose of an audit of the consolidated financial statements is not to express an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control, but in making these risk assessments the auditor considers internal controls 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. 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.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of INPEX CORPORATION and its consolidated subsidiaries as at March 31, 2017, and their consolidated financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan.

#### Convenience Translation

We have reviewed the translation of these consolidated financial statements into U.S. dollars, presented for the convenience of readers, and, in our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements have been properly translated on the basis described in Note 3.

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June 27, 2017 Tokyo, Japan

### **Subsidiaries and Affiliates**

As of March 31, 2017

### Consolidated Subsidiaries

Company name	Issued capital* (Millions of yen)	Voting rights held by us (%)	Main business
INPEX Sahul, Ltd.	4,600	100.00%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil and natural gas in the JPDA03-12 Block and Bayu-Undan Gas-Condensate Field in the Timor Sea JPDA, Australia and East Timor
INPEX Alpha, Ltd.	8,014	100.00%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil and natural gas in the WA-35-L Block and others, Australia
INPEX Tengah, Ltd.	1,020	100.00%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil and natural gas in the Tengah Block in Offshore East Kalimantan, Indonesia
INPEX Browse, Ltd.	423,190	100.00%	Financing for oil and natural gas exploration and development in the WA-285-P Block and others, Australia
INPEX Ichthys Pty Ltd	804,456 (Thousands of U.S. dollars)	100.00%	Exploration and development of oil and natural gas in the Ichthys Gas-Condensate Field (WA-50-L/WA-51-L), Australia
INPEX Browse E&P Pty Ltd	358,650 (Thousands of U.S. dollars)	100.00%	Exploration of oil and natural gas in the WA-494-P Block and others, Australia
INPEX Masela, Ltd.	58,518	51.93%	Exploration and development of oil and natural gas in the Masela Block in the Arafura Sea, Indonesia
INPEX South Makassar, Ltd.	1,097	100.00%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil and natural gas in the Sebuku Block in the Makassar Strait, Indonesia
INPEX Oil & Gas Australia Pty Ltd	746,000 (Thousands of U.S. dollars)	100.00%	Exploration and development of oil and natural gas in the Prelude Gas Field (WA-44-L) and others, Australia
INPEX Babar Selaru, Ltd.	1,426	51.01%	Exploration of oil and natural gas in the Babar Selaru Block in the eastern sea area, Indonesia
INPEX Southwest Caspian Sea, Ltd.	53,594	51.00%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil in the ACG Oil Fields, Azerbaijan
INPEX North Caspian Sea, Ltd.	50,680	45.00%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil in the Offshore North Caspian Sea Block, Kazakhstan
Japan Oil Development Co., Ltd.	18,800	100.00%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil in the ADMA Block in Offshore Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
INPEX ABK, Ltd.	2,500	100.00%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil in the Abu Al Bukhoosh Block in Offshore Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
JODCO Onshore Limited	111 (Thousands of U.S. dollars)	65.76%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil in the ADCO Block in onshore Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
Teikoku Oil (D.R. Congo) Co., Ltd.	10	100.00%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil in the Offshore D.R. Congo Block
INPEX Angola Block 14 Ltd.	475,600 (Thousands of U.S. dollars)	100.00%	Investment in oil exploration, development, production and sales in Block 14, Offshore Angola
Teikoku Oil & Gas Venezuela, C.A.	1,620 (Thousands of bolivars)	100.00%	Investment in exploration, development, production and sale of natural gas in the Copa Macoya Block and exploration, development, production and sale of oil in the Guarico Oriental Block, Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela
Teikoku Oil (North America) Co., Ltd.	19,793 (Thousands of U.S. dollars)	100.00%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil and natural gas in the Lucius Oil Field and others, in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico
INPEX Canada, Ltd.	10	100.00%	Exploration and development of oil including oil sands in the Joslyn project, Canada
INPEX Gas British Columbia Ltd.	1,043,488 (Thousands of Canadian dollars)	45.09%	Exploration, development, production and sales of natural gas in the shale gas blocks of the Horn River, Cordova and Liard basins in British Columbia, Canada
Teiseki Pipeline Co., Ltd.	100	100.00%	Natural gas transportation, pipeline operation, maintenance and management

Company name	Issued capital* (Millions of yen)	Voting rights held by us (%)	Main business
INPEX DLNGPL Pty Ltd	86,135 (Thousands of AUS dollars)	100.00%	Investment in Darwin LNG Pty Ltd, which constructs and operates the undersea pipeline and LNG plant connecting the Bayu Undan Gas-Condensate Field and Darwin (Australia)
INPEX BTC Pipeline, Ltd.	63,800 (Thousands of U.S. dollars)	100.00%	Investment in the pipeline construction and management business that connects Baku (Azerbaijan), Tbilisi (Georgia) and Ceyhan (Turkey)
INPEX Trading, Ltd.	50	100.00%	Sales, agency and brokerage of crude oil and market research and sales planning in connection with oil and natural gas sales
Saitama Gas Co., Ltd.	60	62.67%	City gas sales
INPEX Geothermal Sarulla, Ltd.	10	100.00%	Supply of business capital, etc. to geothermal power project in Sarulla Geothermal Field, Indonesia

<sup>37</sup> other subsidiaries

### **Equity-Method Affiliates**

Company name	Issued capital* (Millions of yen)	Voting rights held by us (%)	Main business
MI Berau B.V.	588,601 (Thousands of U.S. dollars)	44.00%	Exploration, development, production and sales of natural gas in the Berau Block and the Tangguh LNG Project, West Papua province, Indonesia
PT Medco Geopower Sarulla	52,776 (Thousands of U.S. dollars)	49.00%	Supply of business capital, etc. to geothermal power project in Sarulla Geothermal Field, Indonesia
Ichthys LNG Pty Ltd	1,617,600 (Thousands of U.S. dollars)	62.25%	Engaged in laying the undersea pipeline from the Ichthys Gas-Condensate Field to the Darwin Onshore LNG Plant and building the LNG plant, Australia
Japan South Sakha Oil Co., Ltd.	1,563	25.16%	Supply of business capital for exploration, development, production and sales of oil in Zapadno- Yaraktinsky and Bolshetirsky blocks, Russia
Angola Japan Oil Co., Ltd.	8,000	19.60%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil in the Offshore 3/05 Block and 3/05A Block, Angola
Angola Block 14 B.V.	18 (Thousands of euros)	49.99%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil in Block 14, Offshore Angola
INPEX Offshore North Campos, Ltd.	6,852	37.50%	Financing for oil and natural gas exploration, development, production and sales in the Frade Block in Offshore North Campos, Brazil

<sup>13</sup> other equity-method affiliates

### Subsidiaries of Equity-Method Affiliates

Company name	Issued capital*	Voting rights held by us (%)	Main business
Frade Japão Petróleo Limitada	103,051 (Thousands of reais)	0.00%	Exploration, development, production and sales of oil and natural gas in the Frade Block in Offshore North Campos, Brazil

<sup>2</sup> other subsidiaries of equity-method affiliates

<sup>\*</sup>Rounding off fractions less than the unit.

### **Business Risks**

The following is a discussion on key items that can be considered potential risk factors relating to the business of INPEX CORPORATION, its subsidiaries and affiliates (the "Group"). From the standpoint of information disclosure to investors and shareholders, we proactively disclose matters that are not necessarily the business risks but that can be considered to have important effects on the investment decisions of investors. The following discussion does not completely cover all business risks relating to the Group's businesses.

Unless stated otherwise, forward-looking statements in the discussion are the judgment of the Group as of June 28, 2017 and are subject to change after such date due to various factors, including changes in social and economic circumstances.

# 1. CHARACTERISTICS OF AND RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH THE OIL AND NATURAL GAS DEVELOPMENT BUSINESS

### (1) Risk of failure in exploration, development or production

Payment of compensation is ordinarily necessary to acquire participating interests. Also, surveying and exploratory drilling expenses (exploration expenses) become necessary at the time of exploration activities for the purpose of discovering resources. When resources are discovered, it is necessary to further invest in substantial development expenses according to various conditions, including the size of the recoverable reserves, development costs and details of agreements with oil-producing countries (including gas-producing countries; hereinafter the same shall apply).

There is, however, no guarantee of discovering resources on a scale that makes development and production feasible. The probability of such discoveries is considerably low despite various technological advances in recent years, and even when resources are discovered the scale of the reserves does not necessarily make commercial production feasible. For this reason, the Group conservatively recognizes expenses related to exploration investment in our consolidated financial statements. The Group maintains financial soundness by booking 100% as expenses in the case of concession agreements (including mining rights awarded in Japan as well as permits, licenses and leases awarded overseas) and by booking 100% of exploration project investment as allowances in the case of production sharing agreements. In addition, if there are impossibilities of recovery of investment in a development project, we also book the corresponding amount of investment in the development project as allowances while considering the recovery possibility of each

To increase recoverable reserve and production volumes, the Group plans to always take an interest in promising properties and plans to continue exploration investment. At the same time, we plan to invest in development projects, including the acquisition of interests in discovered undeveloped fields and producing fields, so as to maintain an overall balance between assets at the exploration, development, and production stages.

Although exploration and development (including the acquisition of interests) are necessary to secure the reserves essential to the Group's future sustainable business development, each type of investment involves technological and economic risks, and failed exploration or development could have an adverse effect on the results of the Group's operations.

### (2) Crude oil, condensate, LPG and natural gas reserves 1) Proved reserves

INPEX CORPORATION (the "Company") commissioned

DeGolyer and MacNaughton, an independent petroleum engineering consultant in the United States, to assess the main proved reserves of the Group of which projects with a significant amount of future development investment might materially affect future performance. An assessment of other projects was undertaken by the Company. The definition of proved reserves is based on the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission's (SEC) Regulation S-X, Rule 4-10(a), which is widely known among U.S. investors. Regardless of whether the deterministic approach or probabilistic approach is used in evaluation, proved oil and gas reserves are estimated quantities that geological and engineering data demonstrate with reasonable certainty to be recoverable from known reservoirs under existing economic and operating conditions, from the date of evaluation through to the expiration date of the agreement granting operating rights (or in the event of evidence with a reasonable certainty of agreement, extension through to the expiration of the projected extension period). For definition as "proved reserves," operators must have a reasonable degree of certainty that the recovery of hydrocarbons has commenced or that the project will commence within an acceptable period of time. This definition is widely regarded as being conservative. Nevertheless, the strictness of the definition does not imply any guarantee of the production of total reserves during a future production period. In this context, when probabilistic methods are employed, there should be at least a 90% probability that the quantities actually recovered will equal or exceed the sum of estimated proved reserves.

For further details on proved reserves of crude oil, condensate, LPG and natural gas held by the Group, including affiliates accounted for under the equity method, please see the section "Oil and Gas Reserves and Production Volume" on P. 82.

### 2) Probable reserves and possible reserves

In addition to the assessment of proved reserves based on the SEC standards, the Company commissioned DeGolyer and MacNaughton to assess its probable reserves and the possible reserves of which projects with a significant amount of future development investment might materially affect the future performance, similar to proved reserves. An assessment of other projects was undertaken by the Company, based on the Petroleum Resources Management System 2007 (PRMS) published by four organizations: the Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE), the World Petroleum Congress (WPC), the American Association of Petroleum Geologists (AAPG), and the Society of Petroleum Evaluation Engineers (SPEE). Probable reserves, as defined by PRMS quidelines established by the

four organizations, are reserves of oil and gas volumes outside proved reserves that are less likely to be recovered than proved reserves but more certain to be recovered than possible reserves based on analyses of geological and engineering data. In this context, when probabilistic methods are employed, there should be at least a 50% probability that the quantities actually recovered will equal or exceed the sum of estimated proved and probable reserves. In addition, possible reserves are also defined in accordance with PRMS guidelines as reserves of oil and gas volumes which are not categorized as proved reserves or probable reserves and which are less likely to be recovered than probable reserves based on analyses of geological and engineering data. In this case, it is unlikely that the actual quantity of oil and gas recovered will exceed the sum of proved reserves, probable reserves and possible reserves. Furthermore, when probabilistic methods are employed to calculate possible reserves, there should be at least a 10% probability that the quantities recovered will equal or exceed the sum of proved reserves, probable reserves and possible reserves. Probable reserves and possible reserves can be upgraded to proved reserves after the addition of new technical data or when uncertainty has been reduced due to clarification of economic conditions or operational conditions. Nevertheless, probable reserves and possible reserves do not offer a quarantee of the production of total reserves during a future production period with the same certainty as proved reserves.

For further details on probable reserves and possible reserves of crude oil, condensate, LPG and natural gas held by the Group, including affiliates accounted for under the equity method, please see the section "Oil and Gas Reserves and Production Volume" on P. 82.

### 3) Possibility of changes in reserves

A reserve evaluation depends on the available geological and engineering data from oil and gas reservoirs, the maturity of development plans and a considerable number of assumptions, factors and variables including economic conditions as of the date such an estimate is made. Reserves may be revised in the future on the basis of geological and engineering data as well as development plans and information relating to changes in economic and other conditions made newly available through progress in production and operations. As a result, there is a possibility that reserves will be restated upwards or downwards. As to the reserves under a PSC, not only production, but also oil and gas prices, investments, recovery of investments due to contractual conditions and remuneration fees may affect the economic entitlement. This may cause reserves to increase or decrease. In this way, the assessed value of reserves could fluctuate because of various data, assumptions and changes of

# (3) In the oil and natural gas development business the period from exploration to sales is highly capital intensive and funds cannot be recovered for a long time

Considerable time and expense is required for exploration activities. Even when promising resources are discovered through exploration, substantial expenses including production facility construction costs, and an extended period of time, are necessary at the development stage leading up to production.

For this reason, a long period of 10 years or more is required from the time of exploration and development investment until the recovery of funds through production and sales. In particular, the large-scale Ichthys LNG and other projects being pursued by the Company requires a very large amount of investment, and the financing of these projects could be impacted by changes in the economic and financial environment. Following the discovery of resources, a delay in the development schedule or the loss of the economic viability of the properties during the development process leading up to production and the commencement of sales could have an adverse effect on the Group's operational results. Such delays or losses may occur due to changes in the business environment including a delay in the acquisition or modification of government approvals, the occurrence of unanticipated problems related to geological conditions, fluctuations in the price of oil or gas, fluctuations in foreign exchange rates, or escalating prices of equipment and materials. In the case of LNG projects, such delays or losses may occur due to an inability to complete such procedural requirements as FID owing to the lack of any long-term contractual agreement with prospective purchasers with respect to production.

#### (4) Operatorship

In the oil and natural gas development business, companies frequently form business partnerships for the purpose of the dispersion of risk and financial burden. In such partnerships, one of the companies becomes the operator, which performs the actual work and bears the responsibility for operations on behalf of the partners. The companies other than the operator, as non-operators, participate in the business by providing a predetermined amount of funds and either carefully examining the exploration and development plan devised and implemented by the operator, or participating in some operations.

The integration of INPEX CORPORATION and Teikoku Oil Co., Ltd., was completed on October 1, 2008. The resultant company possesses abundant operational capabilities thanks to the integration of the former two companies' know-how based on extensive operation experience in exploration, development and production both within Japan and overseas as well as their high level proprietary technologies.

The Group intends to actively pursue operator projects, focusing on the large-scale Ichthys LNG and other projects taking into consideration the effective application of business resources as well as the balance between operator and nonoperator projects, based on the Group's technical capability, which has been considerably enhanced by the above-stated business integration. Although the Company lacks operator experience in LNG development projects, it has significant expertise as an operator in the development and production of crude oil and natural gas both in Japan and overseas as well as a wealth of know-how and knowledge accumulated over many years as a participant in LNG and other projects in such countries as Indonesia and Australia. In addition, we believe that by utilizing the services of specialized subcontractors and highly experienced external consultants, a practice similar to foreign oil companies including the majors, it will be possible to execute business appropriately as an operator including LNG projects.

Engaging in project coordination as an operator will

contribute to the expansion of opportunities of block and acreage acquisition through enhancement of technical capabilities and greater presence in oil-producing countries and the industry. At the same time, there exist risks such as constraints on the recruitment of personnel who have specialized operational skills and an increase in financial burden. Inability to adequately cope with such risks could have an adverse effect on the Group's results of operations.

### (5) Project partners

In the oil and natural gas development business, as previously mentioned, several companies often engage in joint business for the purpose of dispersion of risk and financial burden. In such cases, the partners generally enter into a joint operating agreement among themselves to decide on the decision-making procedure for execution of the joint business, or to decide on an operator that conducts business on their behalf. A company that is a partner in one property in which the Group is engaged in joint business may become a competitor in the acquisition of other participating interests, even though the relationship with the partner may be good.

In undertaking the joint business, participants in principle bear a financial burden in proportion to their interest share. Any inability by a joint business partner to fulfill this financial burden may adversely affect the project.

### (6) Disaster and accident risks

Oil and natural gas development entails the risk that operational accidents and disasters may occur in the process of exploration, development, production and transportation. Should such an accident, disaster or other such incident occur, there is the risk that costs will be incurred, excluding compensation covered by insurance, due to facility damage, as well as the risk of a major accident or disaster involving loss of life. In addition, a cost burden for recovery or opportunity loss from the interruption of operations could occur. For the domestic natural gas business, the Company has continued to procure as source gas natural gas regasified from imported LNG since January 2010. Furthermore, the Company has procured imported LNG as source gas in connection with its Naoetsu LNG Terminal from August 2013. An inability to procure natural gas regasified from imported LNG and other imported gas as source gas due to troubles concerning suppliers or the Company's Naoetsu LNG Terminal may interfere with the Company's ability to supply to its customers. This could in turn have an adverse effect on the Company's domestic

natural gas business.

With regard to environmental problems, there is a possibility of soil contamination, air pollution, and freshwater and seawater pollution. The Group has established a "Health, Safety and Environment Policy," and as a matter of course abides by the environmental laws, regulations, and standards of the countries in which we operate and give due consideration to the environment in the conduct of business, based on our independent guidelines. In the event of an operating accident or disaster which impacts the environment, there is the possibility of incurring a response or cost burden for recovery from that incident, of incurring obligation of payment for procedural costs, compensation or other cost related to the start of civil, criminal or government procedures, or of incurring loss from the interruption of operations. Furthermore, in the event of changes to or the strengthening of the environmental laws, regulations, and standards (including support measures for the promotion of new, renewable energies) of the countries in which we operate, it may be necessary for the Group to devise additional measures, and an associated cost burden could occur.

Although the Group maintains accident insurance in the natural conduct of its operations, should such an accident or disaster be attributable to willful misconduct or negligence on the part of the Group, the occurrence of a cost burden could have an adverse effect on financial results. Also, such accident or trouble would result in receiving administrative punishment or result in damage to the Group's credibility and reputation as an oil and natural gas development company, and could therefore have an adverse effect on future business activities.

### (7) Risk in Relation to Mine Abandonment

The Group books in its accounts, as an asset retirement obligation, the estimated present value of costs related to mine abandonment that will become necessary after finishing operation and production in oil and gas production facilities and the like in accordance with agreements with the authorities of oil-producing countries, applicable laws and regulations and the like. If it is later found that the estimated present value of those costs falls short due to a change in the procedures used for mine abandonment, a rise in expenses for procuring drilling materials and equipment or any other reason, the Group will be required to increase the amount of that asset retirement obligation, which could adversely affect the financial condition and results of operations of the Group.

# 2. EFFECTS OF FLUCTUATIONS IN CRUDE OIL PRICES, NATURAL GAS PRICES, FOREIGN EXCHANGE AND INTEREST RATES ON FINANCIAL RESULTS

### (1) Effects of fluctuations in crude oil prices and natural gas prices on financial results

A large percentage of crude oil prices and natural gas prices in overseas businesses are determined by international market conditions. In addition, those prices fluctuate significantly in response to the influence of a variety of factors including global or local supply and demand as well as trends and conditions in the global economy and financial markets. The vast majority of these factors are beyond the control of the Company. In

this regard, INPEX is not in a position to accurately predict movements in future crude oil and natural gas prices. The Group's sales and profits are subject to the effects of such price fluctuations. Such effects are highly complex and are caused by the following factors.

- Although a majority of natural gas selling prices in overseas businesses are linked to crude oil prices, they are not in direct proportion to crude oil prices.
- 2) Because sales and profits are determined on the basis of

crude oil prices and natural gas prices at the time sales are booked, actual crude oil transaction prices and the average oil price during the accounting period do not necessarily correspond.

Since the natural gas business in Japan uses domestically produced natural gas and imported LNG as feedstock, changes in the market price for LNG have an effect on feedstock prices and sales prices. There is also the possibility that changes in the competitive environment associated with electric power and gas system reforms will have an effect on natural gas sales prices and sales volumes.

Also, should the recovery of an amount invested in a business asset held by the Group be no longer expected—due to a decrease in profitability associated with changes in the business environment on the basis of changes in future market conditions—since the Group would reduce that business asset's book value to reflect the level of recoverability and the amount of that reduction would be deemed impairment loss, there is the possibility that there could be an adverse effect on the Group's results of operations.

### (2) The effect of fluctuations in exchange rates on financial results

As most of the Group's business consists of E&P conducted overseas, associated revenues (sales) and expenditures (costs) are denominated in foreign currencies (primarily in U.S. dollars), and profit and loss is subject to the effects of the foreign exchange market. In the event of appreciation in the value of the yen, yendenominated sales and profits decrease. Conversely, in the event

of depreciation in the value of the yen, yen-denominated sales and profits increase.

On the other hand, when borrowing necessary funds, the Company borrows in foreign currencies. In the event of appreciation in the value of the yen, a foreign exchange gain on foreign-currency denominated borrowings is recorded as a result of fiscal year-end conversion; in the event of depreciation in the value of the yen, a foreign exchange loss is incurred. For this reason, the exchange risk associated with the above business is diminished and the impact of fluctuations in exchange rates on profit and loss tends to be mitigated. Moreover, although the Company is taking measures to reduce a portion of the risks associated with movements in foreign currency exchange rates, these measures by no means cover all possible risks. As a result, the impact of fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates cannot be completely eliminated.

### (3) The effect of fluctuations in interest rates on financial results

The Group raises some of the funds necessary for exploration and development operations through borrowing. Much of these borrowings are with variable-rates, long term borrowings based on the U.S. dollar six-month LIBOR rate. Accordingly, the Company's profits are subject to the influence of fluctuations in U.S. dollar interest rates. Furthermore, although the Group has devised methods to reduce a portion of interest rate risk, these methods do not cover all risks of interest rate fluctuation incurred by our Group and do not entirely remove the effect of fluctuations in interest rates.

### 3. OVERSEAS BUSINESS ACTIVITIES AND COUNTRY RISK

The Group engages in a large number of oil and natural gas development projects overseas. Because the Group's business activities, including the acquisition of participating interests, are conducted on the basis of contracts with the governments of oil-producing countries and other entities, steps taken by oil-producing countries to further tighten controls applicable to home country natural resources, suspension of operation due to conflicts and other factors, and other such changes in the political, economic, and social circumstances in such oil-producing countries or neighboring countries (including government involvement, stage of economic development, economic growth rate, capital reinvestment, resource allocation, restriction of economic activities by global community, government control of foreign exchange or foreign remittances, and the balance of international payments), the application

of OPEC production ceilings in OPEC member countries and changes in the legal system and taxation system of those countries (including the establishment or abolition of laws or regulations and changes in their interpretation or enforcement) as well as lawsuits could have a significant impact on the Group's business or results unless the impact is compensated by insurance.

Additionally, against the background of rising development costs and other changes in the business environment, the progress of oil and gas projects, and the need to address environmental issues, the governments of oil-producing countries may seek to renegotiate the fiscal conditions including conditions of existing oil contracts related to participating interests. In the event that the fiscal conditions of contracts were to be renegotiated, this could have an adverse effect on the Group's business performance.

# 4. DEPENDENCE ON SPECIFIC GEOGRAPHICAL AREAS OR PROPERTIES

### (1) Production volume

The Group engages in stable production of crude oil and natural gas in the Offshore Mahakam Block (Indonesia), the ADMA Block (United Arab Emirates), the Minami Nagaoka Gas Field (Japan) and so on. Through a process of business integration, the Group had established a wide ranging, diversified yet balanced portfolio that encompassed the Asia-Oceania regions

(particularly Japan, Indonesia, and Australia), the Middle East and Africa, Eurasia including Caspian Sea area and the Americas. For the year ended March 31, 2017 however, the Middle East and Africa regions accounted for about 52% and the Asia and Oceania regions accounted for about 31% of the Group's production volume, making up the vast majority of the Group's operations.

Looking ahead, the Group will endeavor to further enhance the balance of its asset portfolio on a regional basis. However, the Group currently relies heavily on specific geographical areas and properties for its production volume, and the occurrence in these properties of an operational problem or difficulty could have an adverse effect on the Group's operational results.

(2) Contract expiration dates in principal business areas Expiration dates are customarily stipulated in the agreements related to participating interests, which are prerequisites for the Group's overseas business activities. Should an agreement in which an expiration date is stipulated not be extended, reextended or renewed, or should the terms and conditions be less favorable (including a reduction in the proportion of the Group's interest) than those existing at the time of extension, re- extension or renewal, there could be an adverse effect on the Group's results. For example, although the initial contract expiration date in the production sharing contract for the Offshore Mahakam Block of Indonesia—the Group's principal geographical business area—was March 30, 1997, an extension was approved in 1991, and the current expiration date is December 31, 2017. Also, the expiration date for the participating interest under the concession agreement at the ADMA Block in Offshore Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates, is March 8, 2018. (The interest in the Upper Zakum Oilfield, however, has been extended to December 31, 2041. In addition, with regard to the Satah Field and Umm Al-Dalkh Field, a basic agreement has been reached with the Abu Dhabi National Oil Company [ADNOC] on an extension to December 31, 2042.) Although it remains INPEX Group policy to work with our business partners toward the extension, re-extension or renewal of these agreements, should an existing agreement not be extended, re-extended or renewed as a result of agreement negotiations with the national petroleum company of an oil-producing country, or in the event of agreement terms and conditions (including a reduction in the Group's participating interest) that are more disadvantageous than the situation at the time of the extension, re-extension or renewal, this could have an adverse effect on the Group's

business or results. Even should the agreements stipulating expiration dates be extended, re-extended or renewed, we anticipate that the remaining recoverable reserves at that time will have decreased due to production developments. Although the Group is striving to acquire interests that can substitute these properties, failure to acquire participating interests in oil and gas fields to fully substitute for these properties could have an adverse effect on the Group's results. In addition, the period for exploration in oil and gas fields currently under exploration is fixed by contracts, and in the case of fields where oil and/or gas reserves are found that are deemed to be commercialized, and the Company is unable to decide on the transition to the development stage by the expiration of the current contract, efforts will be made through negotiations with the government of the oil- or gas-producing country in question to have the periods extended. However, there remains the possibility that such negotiations may not be successfully concluded, in which event the Company would be forced to withdraw from operations in the oil or gas field concerned. Also, as a rule, when there has been a major breach of contract on the part of one party, it is customary for the other party to have the right to cancel the agreement before the expiration date. The agreements for properties in these principal geographical business areas contain similar provisions. The Group has never experienced early cancellation of an agreement due to breach of contract, and we do not anticipate such an occurrence in the future. Nevertheless, a major breach of contract on the part of a party to an agreement could result in cancellation of an agreement before the expiration date.

And in the overseas natural gas development and production activities, in many cases we are selling and supplying gas based on long-term sales and supply contracts in which expiration dates are stipulated. We plan to make efforts with partners to extend or re-extend the expiration date before the deadline stipulated in these contracts. Nevertheless, inability to extend the contracts, or the occurrence of cases in which extension is made but sales and supply volumes are reduced, could have an adverse effect on the Group's business or results.

### 5. PRODUCTION SHARING CONTRACTS

### (1) Details of production sharing contracts

The Group has entered into production sharing contracts with countries including Indonesia and Caspian Sea area, and therefore holds numerous participating interests in those regions.

Production sharing contracts are agreements by which one or several oil and natural gas development companies serve as contractors that undertake at their own expense exploration and development work on behalf of the governments of oilproducing countries or national oil companies and receive production from the projects as cost recovery and compensation. That is to say, when exploration and development work results in the production of oil or natural gas, the contractors recover the exploration and development costs they incurred by means of a share in the production. The remaining production (crude oil and gas) is shared among the oil-producing country or national oil company and the contractors according to fixed allocation ratios. (The contactors' share of production after cost recovery is called "profit oil and gas." In the case of natural gas, sales are conducted by Indonesia and the contractors receive cost recovery and profit gas in the form of cash.) On the other hand,

in cases when exploration fails and expected production is not realized, the contractors are not to recover their invested funds.

### (2) Accounting treatment of production sharing contracts

When a company in the Group owns participating interests under production sharing contracts, as mentioned above, in the role of contractor it invests technology and funds in the exploration and development of the property, recovers the invested costs from the production produced, and receives a share of the remaining production after recovery of invested costs as compensation.

Costs invested on the basis of production sharing contracts are recorded on the balance sheet as assets for which future recovery is anticipated under the item "Recoverable accounts under production sharing." After the start of production, recovered costs on the basis of those agreements are deducted from this balance sheet item.

As production received under production sharing contracts is divided into the cost recovery portion and the compensation portion, the method of calculating cost of sales is also distinctive. That is to say, the full amount of production received is temporarily charged to cost of sales as the cost of received

production, and subsequently the amount of the compensation portion is calculated and this amount is booked as an adjustment item to cost of sales ("Free of charge production allocated").

Consequently, only the cost recovery portion of production after deduction of the compensation portion is booked as cost of sales.

### 6. RELATIONSHIP WITH THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

### (1) The Company's relationship with the Japanese government

Although the government of Japan (the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry) holds 18.94% of the Company's common shares issued and a Class A Stock as of June 28, 2017, the Company autonomously exercises business judgment as a private corporation. There is no relationship of control, such as through the dispatch of officers or other means between the Company and the Japanese government. Moreover, we believe that no such relationship will develop in the future. Furthermore, there is no concurrent posting or secondment to the Company of officers or employees from the Japanese government.

# (2) Ownership and sale of the Company's shares by the Japanese government (the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry)

The Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI) holds 18.94% of the Company's common shares issued. METI succeeded to the shares that had been held by Japan National Oil Corporation (JNOC) following the dissolution of JNOC on April 1, 2005. With regard to the liquidation and disposition of the oil and gas upstream assets owned by JNOC, the Policy Regarding the Disposal of Oil and Gas Development-Related Assets Held

by Japan National Oil Corporation (hereinafter, the "Report") was announced on March 18, 2003 by the Japan National Oil Corporation Asset Evaluation and Liquidation Deliberation Subcommittee of the Advisory Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, an advisory body of the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry. The Report describes the importance of appropriate timing in selling the shares on the market, taking into consideration enterprise value growth. In addition, METI may, in accordance with the Supplementary Provision Article 13 (1) 2 of the "Special Measures Act for Reconstruction Finance Keeping After the Great East Japan Earthquake" ("the Reconstruction Finance Keeping Act" (provisional translation, the same shall apply hereinafter)) enacted December 2, 2011, sell off the Company's shares in Japan or overseas after examining the possibility of disposal of the said shares based on a review of the holdings from the perspective of energy policy. This could have an impact on the market price of the Company's shares.

METI also holds one share of the Company's Class A Stock. As the holder of a Class A Stock, METI possesses veto rights over certain resolutions of the Company's general shareholders' meetings and meetings of the Board of Directors. For details on the Class A Stock, please refer to "8. CLASS A STOCK" on P. 80.

# 7. TREATMENT OF SHARES OF THE GROUP'S PROJECT COMPANY OWNED BY JAPANESE GOVERNMENT AND JOGMEC

# (1) Treatment of shares of the Group's project company previously owned by Japan National Oil Corporation (JNOC)

In the aforementioned Report, INPEX CORPORATION (prior to the integration with Teikoku Oil; reorganized on October 1, 2008) was identified as a company that should comprise part of a core company, and is expected to play a role in efficient realization of a stable supply of energy for Japan through the involvement by a national flagship company. In response to the Report, the Company (also, the Group since our acquirement of Teikoku Oil on October 1, 2008) has sought to promote efficient realization of a stable supply of energy for Japan while taking advantage of synergy with the efforts of active resource diplomacy on the part of the Japanese government, and has aimed to maximize shareholder value by engaging in highly transparent and efficient business operations.

As a result, with regard to the integration by means of transfer of shares held by JNOC proposed in the Report, INPEX CORPORATION and JNOC concluded the Basic Agreement Concerning the Integration of Assets Held by JNOC into INPEX CORPORATION of February 5, 2004 (hereinafter the "Basic Agreement") and a memorandum of understanding related to Basic Agreement (hereinafter "MOU"). On March 29, 2004, INPEX CORPORATION and JNOC entered into related contracts including the Basic Contract Concerning the Integration of Assets Held by JNOC into INPEX CORPORATION (hereinafter the "Basic Contract"), achieving the agreement on the details including the treatment of the project companies subject to the integration and shareholding ratios.

In 2004 INPEX CORPORATION accomplished the integration of Japan Oil Development Co., Ltd. (JODCO), INPEX Java Ltd. (disposal was completed on September 30, 2010) and INPEX ABK, Ltd. which are three of four companies covered by the Basic Agreement. Although INPEX Southwest Caspian Sea Ltd. (hereinafter "INPEX Southwest Caspian") would become a wholly owned subsidiary of INPEX CORPORATION by means of a share exchange and the procedures were undertaken, the share exchange contract was invalidated owing to failure to accomplish the terms and conditions of the share exchange contract and the planned share exchange was cancelled. Following the dissolution of JNOC on April 1, 2005, the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry succeeded to the INPEX Southwest Caspian shares held by JNOC. The Company continues to study the possibility to acquire the shares. However, the METI's future treatment of these shares is undecided and, depending on the result of review in accordance with the Reconstruction Finance Keeping Act, acquisition of INPEX Southwest Caspian shares could be unavailable.

The treatment of Sakhalin Oil and Gas Development Co., Ltd. (hereinafter "SODECO"), INPEX Offshore North Campos, Ltd., INPEX North Makassar, Ltd. (liquidation proceedings completed on December 19, 2008), INPEX Masela, Ltd., and INPEX North Caspian Sea, Ltd. was agreed between INPEX CORPORATION and JNOC in the MOU of February 5, 2004. Regarding the treatment of shares of SODECO, refer to the section "(2) Treatment of the shares of Sakhalin Oil and Gas Development (SODECO) owned by the Japanese government" below. With regard to the transfer to INPEX CORPORATION of

the shares in the above project companies other than SODECO, it was decided that the shares are to be transferred for cash compensation as soon as prerequisites such as the consent of the oil-producing country and joint venture partners and the possibility of appropriate asset evaluations are in place. However, the transfer of shares held by JNOC in the above companies has not been decided and the shares in the above project companies were succeeded to by the Japan Oil Gas and Metals National Corporation (hereinafter "JOGMEC") on the dissolution of JNOC on April 1, 2005, except shares related to INPEX North Makassar, Ltd., to which the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry succeeded. JOGMEC states in its "medium-term objective" and "medium-term plan" that the shares succeeded to from JNOC will be disposed of at an appropriate time and in an appropriate manner, but the timing and manner of the disposal for the shares held by JOGMEC have not been decided, and it is possible that the Company will be unable to acquire the shares.

### (2) Treatment of the shares of Sakhalin Oil and Gas Development (SODECO) owned by the Japanese government

The Japanese government (the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry) owns 50% of the shares of SODECO. SODECO was established in 1995 to engage in an oil and natural gas exploration and development project located on the northeast continental shelf off Sakhalin Island. SODECO owns a 30.0% interest in the Sakhalin-1 Project, of which ExxonMobil of the United States is the operator. In October 2005, Phase 1 of this project started with the goal of advanced production of oil and natural gas. Furthermore, there is a plan for additional development operations (Phase 2) for the purpose of the full-scale production of natural gas. The Company holds 6.08% of SODECO shares issued and outstanding.

In the previously mentioned Report, SODECO, along with INPEX CORPORATION and JODCO, has been identified as a company that should comprise part of a core company in Japan's oil and natural gas upstream industry in the future.

In accordance with the Report, it is assumed that private-sector shareholders, including INPEX CORPORATION, will acquire shares of SODECO issued and outstanding to which the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry succeeded and that were previously held by JNOC (50.0%). The Company plans to hold a maximum of 33% of the SODECO shares to become its largest shareholder. In the event that the consent of SODECO's joint-venture partners, the relevant Russian government entity, or other parties is necessary for the acquisition of the shares, obtaining the consent is a prerequisite for acquisition. In addition, it will be necessary to reach agreement on the shareholder composition for SODECO, the share transfer price, and other matters.

In the event that the additional acquisition of the SODECO shares is realized, the Group will hold a substantial ownership interest in oil and natural gas assets in Russia, as well as in Asia and Oceania, the Middle East, Caspian Sea area, and other regions, and we expect the acquisition to contribute to the achievement of a more balanced overseas asset portfolio for the Group.

However, at this time it is undecided whether agreement concerning acquisition of the shares with the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry will be reached as anticipated and will be realized. Also, even in the event that the acquisition is realized, the conditions and time of acquisition are undecided and, depending on the result of review in accordance with the Reconstruction Finance Keeping Act, the acquisition by the Company could be unavailable.

### 8. CLASS A STOCK

### (1) Overview of the classified share

### 1) Reason for the introduction

The Company was established as the holding company through a stock transfer between INPEX CORPORATION and Teikoku Oil Co., Ltd. on April 3, 2006. Along with this, a classified share originally issued by INPEX CORPORATION (prior to the merger) was transferred and at the same time the Company issued a classified share with the same effect (hereinafter the "Class A Stock") to the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry. The classified share originally issued by INPEX CORPORATION was the minimally required and a highly transparent measure to eliminate the possibility of management control by foreign capital while not unreasonably impeding the efficiency and flexibility of management based on the concept in the Report discussed in the above section 7. "TREATMENT OF SHARES OF THE GROUP'S PROJECT COMPANY OWNED BY JAPANESE GOVERNMENT AND JOGMEC." INPEX CORPORATION is identified as a company that should comprise part of a core company for Japan's oil and gas upstream industry and is expected to play a role in efficient realization of a stable supply of energy for Japan as a national flagship company. On the basis of the concept of the Report, following a speculative acquisition or an attempt at management controlled by foreign capital, Class A Stock is designed and issued to be highly transparent while not unreasonably impeding the efficiency and flexibility of management and to keep the effects of any such

speculative acquisition to the necessary minimum. At the same time, Class A Stock maintains the Company's role in the efficient implementation of a stable supply of energy for Japan as a core business, so that management is not conducted in a way contradictory to that role and no negative impact is felt.

### 2) Shareholders' meeting resolutions, dividends, distribution of residual assets, and redemption

Unless otherwise provided by laws or ordinances, the Class A Stock does not have any voting rights at the Company's general shareholders' meetings. With regard to cash dividends paid and the distribution of residual assets, the Company concluded a stock split at a ratio of 1:400 of common stock with October 1, 2013, as the effective date. For Class A Stock (unlisted) no stock split was conducted. The Articles of Incorporation specify that dividends of Class A Stock are equivalent to dividends of a common stock prior to the stock split. The Class A Stock will be redeemed by resolution of the Board of Directors of the Company if the holder of the Class A Stock requests redemption or if the Class A Stock is transferred to a party other than the government of Japan or an independent administrative body that is fully funded by the government of Japan.

### 3) Veto rights in the Articles of Incorporation

The Articles of Incorporation of the Company provide that an approval resolution of the meeting of the holder of the Class A Stock is necessary in addition to resolutions of the Company's general shareholders' meetings and resolutions of meetings of

the Board of Directors for the decisions on certain important matters such as the appointment or removal of Directors, disposition of material assets, changes to the Articles of Incorporation, business integration, capital reduction or company dissolution in connection with the business of the Company. Accordingly, the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry, as the holder of the Class A Stock, has veto rights over these important matters. With regard to the cases in which the Class A Stock veto rights are exercisable, please refer to "4) Criteria for the exercise of veto rights provided in the criteria for the exercise of the Class A Stock holder's voting rights", below.

### 4) Criteria for the exercise of veto rights provided in the criteria for the exercise of the Class A Stock holder's voting rights

Criteria concerning the exercise of the veto rights have been established in a Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry Notice (No. 220, 2008) (hereinafter the "Notice"). The criteria stipulate the exercise of veto rights only in the following specific cases.

- When resolutions pertaining to appointment or removal of Directors and integration are not voted down and it is judged that the probability is high that the Company will engage in management inconsistent with the role that a core company should perform for efficient realization of a stable supply of energy to Japan.
- With regard to decisions related to the disposal of all or part of significant assets, when resolutions pertaining to disposition of material assets are not voted down and the objects of disposition are oil and natural gas exploration or production rights or rights similar thereto or shares or ownership interest in the Company's subsidiary whose principal assets are said rights and it is judged that the probability is high that the Company will engage in management inconsistent with the role that a core company should perform for efficient realization of a stable supply of energy to Japan.
- When resolutions pertaining to amendments to the Company's
   Articles of Incorporation relating to changes in the Company's
   business objectives, reduction in the amount of capital, or
   dissolution are not voted down and it is judged that the
   probability is high that the Company will engage in management
   inconsistent with the role that a core company should perform
   for efficient realization of a stable supply of energy to Japan.
- When resolutions pertaining to amendments to the Articles of Incorporation granting voting rights to any shares other than the common shares of the Company are not voted down and could have an effect on the exercise of the voting rights of the Class A Stock.

It is provided that the above criteria shall not be limited in the event that the Notice is changed in the light of energy policy.

### (2) Risk in connection with the Class A Stock

Following a speculative acquisition or an attempt at management controlled by foreign capital, Class A Stock is designed and issued to be highly transparent while not unreasonably impeding the efficiency and flexibility of management and to keep the effects of any such speculative acquisition to the necessary minimum. At the same time, Class A Stock maintains the Company's role in the efficient implementation of a stable supply of energy for Japan as a core business, so that management is not conducted in a way contradictory to that role and no negative impact is felt. Nevertheless, the anticipated risks in connection with the Class A Stock include the following.

### 1) Possibility of conflict of interest between national policy and the Company and its common shareholders

It is conceivable that the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry could exercise the veto rights in accordance with the above criteria provided in the Notice. As the said criteria have been provided from the standpoint of efficient realization of a stable supply of energy to Japan, it is possible that the exercise of the veto rights by the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry could conflict with the interest of other shareholders who hold the Company's common shares. Also, it is possible that the said criteria could be changed in the light of energy policy.

### 2) Impact of the exercise of veto rights on the price of shares of common stock

As mentioned above, as the holder of the Class A Stock has the veto rights over certain important matters in connection with the business of the Company, the actual exercise of the veto rights over a certain matter could have an impact on the price of the Company's shares of common stock.

### 3) Impact on the Company's degree of freedom in business and business judgment

As the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry holds the Class A Stock with the previously mentioned veto rights, the Company needs a resolution of the meeting of the holder of the Class A Stock concerning the above matters. For this reason, the Company's degree of freedom in management in those matters could be restricted by the judgment of the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry. Also, attendant on the need for a resolution of the meeting of the holder of the Class A Stock concerning the above matters, a certain period of time is required for procedures such as the convening and holding of meetings and resolutions and for the processing of formal objections, if necessary.

### 9. CONCURRENTLY SERVING OUTSIDE DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors of the Company is currently composed of 15 members, six of whom are outside directors.

Four of the six outside directors have many years' experience and knowledge of the Company's business and are able to offer objective, professional advice regarding operations. For this reason, they were asked to join the Board of Directors to contribute to the development of the Company's business. Three of the directors concurrently serve as director or advisors of Japan Petroleum Exploration Co., Ltd., Mitsubishi Corporation, Mitsui Oil Exploration Co., Ltd. and JXTG Holdings, Inc. (hereinafter "shareholder corporations"), respectively.

At the same time, however, the shareholder corporations are involved in businesses that overlap with those of the Company. The Company therefore recognizes that it must pay particular attention to corporate governance to avoid conflicts of interest in connection with competition and other matters.

To this end, all Company directors, including the three outside directors described above, are required to sign a written undertaking to carry out their duties as officers of the Company appropriately and with the highest regard for the importance of such matters as their obligations in connection with noncompetitive practices under the Japanese Companies Act, the proper manner for dealing with conflict of interest, and confidentiality.

### Oil and Gas Reserves and Production Volume

### 1. OIL AND GAS RESERVES

#### **Proved reserves**

The following tables list the proved reserves of crude oil, condensate, LPG and natural gas of INPEX CORPORATION, its consolidated subsidiaries and equity-method affiliates (the "Group") on main projects. Disclosure contents for proved reserves are determined in accordance with the rules and regulations of the U.S. Financial Accounting Standards Board (the

"FASB"), and are presented in accordance with the Accounting Standards Codification Topic 932 "Extractive Activities —Oil and Gas" ("Topic 932"). The Group's proved reserves as of March 31, 2017, were 2,210 million barrels for crude oil, condensate and LPG, and 5,891 billion cubic feet for natural gas, for a total of 3,304 million boe.

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	Japa			Oceania	(Europe		Afri		Amer		То	
	Crude oil (MMbbl)	Gas (Bcf)										
Proved developed and undeveloped		(DCI)	(IVIIVIDDI)	(DCI)								
INPEX CORPORATION and Consolida		liaries										
As of March 31, 2015	19	765	204	5,123	192	27	695	_	13	343	1,123	6,258
Extensions and discoveries	_	_			_		_	_	_	_		_
Acquisitions and sales	_	_	_	_	_	_	975	_	_	_	975	_
Revisions of previous estimates	0	(0)	1	(73)	3	(6)	37	_	(0)	(160)	41	(240)
Interim production	(1)	(44)	(17)	(243)	(12)		(32)	_	(2)	(32)	(64)	(319)
As of March 31, 2016	18	721	187	4,807	184	21	1,675	_	10	151	2,075	5,700
Equity-method affiliates				.,			.,				_,	-,
As of March 31, 2015	_	_	2	302	_	_	87	_	1	0	90	302
Extensions and discoveries	_	_	_	_	_	_	2	_	_	_	2	_
Acquisitions and sales	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Revisions of previous estimates	_	_	(0)	44	_	_	9	_	(0)	(0)	9	44
Interim production	_	_	(0)	(22)	_	_	(32)	_	(1)	(0)	(33)	(22)
As of March 31, 2016	_	_	1	325		_	67	_	_	_	69	325
Proved developed and undeveloped	reserves		•	020			0,				0,	020
As of March 31, 2016	18	721	189	5,132	184	21	1,742	_	10	151	2,143	6,025
INPEX CORPORATION and Consolid			,	07.02			.,,				27.10	0,020
As of March 31, 2016	18	721	187	4,807	184	21	1,675	_	10	151	2,075	5,700
Extensions and discoveries		_	0	3	_	_		_	2	_	3	3
Acquisitions and sales		_	_	_		_		_		_	_	_
Revisions of previous estimates	(0)	(15)	8	35	44	106	134	_	(0)	(37)	185	89
Interim production	(1)	(46)	(11)	(222)	(11)	(2)	(64)	_	(2)	(16)	(89)	(286)
As of March 31, 2017	17	659	184	4,624	217	125	1,746	_	10	99	2,173	5,506
Equity-method affiliates				.,			.,				=,	-,
As of March 31, 2016		_	1	325		_	67	_		_	69	325
Extensions and discoveries		_	1	99	2	_	_	_		_	3	99
Acquisitions and sales		_				_		_		_	_	
Revisions of previous estimates		_	0	(19)		_	(1)	_		_	(1)	(19)
Interim production		_	(0)	(20)		_	(34)	_		_	(34)	(20)
As of March 31, 2017		_	2	385	2	_	32	_		_	36	385
Proved developed and undeveloped	reserves		_	000	_		02				00	000
As of March 31, 2017	17	659	186	5,008	219	125	1,778	_	10	99	2,210	5,891
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Proved developed reserves												
INPEX CORPORATION and Consolid	ated Subsic	diaries										
As of March 31, 2017	17	659	18	250	212	125	1.086	_	8	73	1,341	1,107
Equity-method affiliates	.,	007				0	.,000			, 0	.,	.,,
As of March 31, 2017		_	1	245	2	_	32	_		_	35	245
Proved undeveloped reserves	-											
INPEX CORPORATION and Consolida	ated Subsic	diaries										
As of March 31, 2017			166	4,374	5		659		2	26	832	4,400
Equity-method affiliates				.,57	Ĭ							.,
As of March 31, 2017		_	1	140	0	_	0	_		_	1	140

Notes: 1. Based on SEC disclosure standards, the Group discloses proved reserves in each country containing 15% or more of its proved reserves. As of March 31, 2017, the Group held proved reserves in Australia of approximately 171 million barrels for crude oil and approximately 4,369 billion cubic feet for natural gas, for a total of approximately 988 million boe.

2. Proved reserves (as of March 31, 2017) of the following blocks and fields include the portion attributable to non-controlling interests.

Eurasia (Europe & NIS): ACG (49%), Kashagan (55%), Americas: Horn River Area (54.91%)

3. MMbbl: Million barrels
4. Bcf: Billion cubic feet
5. Crude oil includes condensate and LPG

### Standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows and their changes relating to proved oil and gas reserves for the year ended March 31, 2017

Disclosure contents for the standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows and their changes relating to proved reserves for the year ended March 31, 2017 are determined in accordance with the rules and regulations of the FASB, and are presented in accordance with Topic 932.

In calculating the standardized measure of discounted future cash inflows, the arithmetic average of oil and gas prices at the first day of each month during the current fiscal year is applied to the estimated annual future production from proved reserves. Future development and production costs are estimated based upon the assumptions of constant oil and gas prices and the continuation of existing economic, operating and regulatory conditions. Future income tax expenses are calculated by applying the year-end statutory tax rates to estimated future pretax cash flows less the tax basis of the properties involved based upon laws and regulations already legislated at year-end.

The discount is computed by applying a prescribed discount rate of 10% to the estimated future net cash flows.

The translation of U.S. dollar amounts into yen amounts is computed by applying the year-end exchange rates (TTM) of  $\pm$ 112.69 and  $\pm$ 112.20 to the U.S. dollar as of March 31, 2016 and 2017, respectively.

Since these figures are calculated in accordance with the rules set forth by the FASB, which have the following aspects,

they do not represent the fair market value nor the Group's estimation for the present value of the cash flows of reserves of crude oil, condensate, LPG and natural gas.

- No economic value is attributed to potential reserves.
- A prescribed discount rate of 10% is applied.
- Oil and gas prices are subject to constant fluctuations despite the assumptions of constant oil and gas prices of Topic 932.

	Millions of yen					
March 31, 2016	Total	Japan	Asia & Oceania	Eurasia (Europe & NIS)	Middle East & Africa	Americas
INPEX CORPORATION and Consolidated Subsidiaries						
Future cash inflows	¥14,328,314	¥ 955,158	¥ 3,742,129	¥ 809,247	¥ 8,753,540	¥ 68,239
Future production and development costs	(6,088,070)	(211,896)	(1,716,381)	(511,299)	(3,612,235)	(36,260)
Future income tax expenses	(5,531,024)	(238,524)	(334,222)	(27,372)	(4,930,907)	
Future net cash flows	2,709,219	504,739	1,691,527	270,576	210,399	31,979
10% annual discount for estimated timing of cash flows	(1,728,279)	(289,832)	(1,065,735)	(131,228)	(233,386)	(8,098)
Standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows	980,941	214,907	625,792	139,347	(22,987)	23,881
Equity-method affiliates						
Future cash inflows	624,922	_	265,685	_	359,237	_
Future production and development costs	(339,324)	_	(136,523)	_	(200,362)	(2,439)
Future income tax expenses	(196,338)	_	(52,679)	_	(143,658)	_
Future net cash flows	89,260	_	76,483	_	15,216	(2,439)
10% annual discount for estimated timing of cash flows	(42,538)	_	(41,347)	_	(1,305)	113
Share of equity-method investees' standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows	46,723	_	35,136	_	13,912	(2,325)
Total consolidated and equity-method affiliates in standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows	¥ 1,027,663	¥ 214,907	¥ 660,929	¥ 139,347	¥ (9,075)	¥ 21,556

Note: Reserves of the following blocks and fields include the portion attributable to non-controlling interests.

Eurasia (Europe & NIS): ACG (49%), Kashagan (55%)/Americas: Copa Macoya (30%), Horn River Area (54.91%)

	Millions of yen						
March 31, 2017	Total	Japan	Asia & Oceania	Eurasia (Europe & NIS)	Middle East & Africa	Americas	
INPEX CORPORATION and Consolidated Subsidiaries							
Future cash inflows	¥14,741,958	¥ 807,066	¥ 3,461,061	¥ 986,542	¥ 9,428,165	¥ 59,125	
Future production and development costs	(6,107,307)	(205,172)	(1,575,183)	(488,261)	(3,808,367)	(30,323)	
Future income tax expenses	(5,640,443)	(197,443)	(229,642)	(76,036)	(5,137,321)		
Future net cash flows	2,994,209	404,450	1,656,236	422,245	482,477	28,801	
10% annual discount for estimated timing of cash flows	(1,703,796)	(223,457)	(906,048)	(212,187)	(355,021)	(7,083)	
Standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows	1,290,413	180,994	750,188	210,057	127,456	21,718	
Equity-method affiliates							
Future cash inflows	436,409	_	250,066	10,539	175,804	_	
Future production and development costs	(244,249)	_	(148,254)	(5,956)	(87,531)	(2,507)	
Future income tax expenses	(132,993)	_	(44,227)	(2,315)	(86,451)	_	
Future net cash flows	59,168	_	57,584	2,268	1,823	(2,507)	
10% annual discount for estimated timing of cash flows	(31,947)	_	(32,659)	(291)	886	117	
Share of equity-method investees' standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows	27,220	_	24,925	1,977	2,709	(2,391)	
Total consolidated and equity-method affiliates in standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows	¥ 1,317,633	¥ 180,994	¥ 775,113	¥ 212,034	¥ 130,165	¥ 19,327	

Note: Reserves of the following blocks and fields include the portion attributable to non-controlling interests. Eurasia (Europe & NIS): ACG (49%), Kashagan (55%)/Americas: Copa Macoya (30%), Horn River Area (54.91%)

				Millions of yen			
	Total	Japan	Asia & Oceania	Eurasia (Europe & NIS)	Middle East & Africa	Americas	Equity-method affiliates
INPEX CORPORATION and Consolidated Subsidiaries							
Standardized measure at beginning of the period As of April 1, 2016	¥1,027,663	¥214,907	¥ 625,792	¥139,347	¥ (22,987)	¥23,881	¥ 46,723
Changes resulting from:							
Sales and transfers of oil and gas produced, net of production costs	(524,974)	(42,940)	(132,557)	(36,591)	(194,922)	(7,831)	(110,133)
Net changes in oil and gas prices and production costs	(11,168)	(28,955)	(45,984)	24,732	60,325	406	(21,696)
Development costs incurred	393,977	3,521	241,185	48,234	70,091	3,047	27,898
Changes in estimated future development costs	(110,918)	(1,212)	(124,205)	4,730	5,103	(2,177)	6,843
Revisions of previous quantity estimates	193,213	(4,134)	43,360	21,405	115,777	3,096	13,710
Accretion of discount	122,860	18,788	81,347	16,003	1,066	1,878	3,778
Net change in income taxes	227,578	21,953	61,551	(7,153)	92,902	_	58,325
Extensions, discoveries and improved recoveries	1,977		_			_	1,977
Other	(2,575)	(934)	(301)	(650)	100	(587)	(203)
Standardized measure at end of the period As of March 31, 2017	¥1,317,633	¥180,994	¥ 750,188	¥210,057	¥ 127,456	¥21,718	¥ 27,220

Note: Reserves of the following blocks and fields include the portion attributable to non-controlling interests. Eurasia (Europe & NIS): ACG (49%), Kashagan (55%)/Americas: Copa Macoya (30%), Horn River Area (54.91%)

### Probable reserves and possible reserves

The following tables list the probable and possible reserves of crude oil, condensate, LPG and natural gas of the Group on main projects. Our probable reserves as of March 31, 2017, were 521 million barrels for crude oil, condensate and LPG, and 4,827 billion cubic feet for natural gas, for a total of 1,389 million boe. In addition, the Group's possible reserves as of March 31, 2017, were 99 million barrels for crude oil, condensate and LPG, and 2,323 billion cubic feet for natural gas, for a total of 540 million boe.

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		Asia &	Eurasia	Middle East &			method	
March 31, 2017	Japan	Oceania	(Europe & NIS)	Africa	Americas	Subtotal	affiliates	Total
Probable reserves								
Crude oil, condensate and LPG (MMbbl)	2	125	129	257	0	513	8	521
Natural gas (Bcf)	63	4,709	3		1	4,776	51	4,827

		Asia &	Eurasia	Middle East &			reserves held by equity- method	
March 31, 2017	Japan	Oceania	(Europe & NIS)		Americas	Subtotal	affiliates	Total
Possible reserves								
Crude oil, condensate and LPG (MMbbl)	2	78	1	6	7	93	7	99
Natural gas (Bcf)	63	2,202	_	_	4	2,268	54	2,323

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Notes: 1. MMbbl: Million barrels 2. Bcf: Billion cubic feet

### 2. OIL AND GAS PRODUCTION

The following tables list average daily production for crude oil, natural gas, and the total of crude oil and natural gas by region. The proportional interests in production by the equity-method affiliates are not broken down by geographical regions.

The Group's production for the year ended March 31, 2017, was 348.3 thousand barrels per day for crude oil, condensate and LPG, and 922.7 million cubic feet per day for natural gas, for a total of 521.3 thousand boed.

Years ended March 31,	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Crude oil, condensate and LPG (Mbbld):			"			
Japan	3.8	3.9	3.6	3.2	3.2	3.5
Asia & Oceania	62.5	58.0	45.8	40.6	47.8	35.8
Eurasia (Europe & NIS)	25.0	25.1	26.1	27.0	31.6	29.6
Middle East & Africa	84.3	84.4	84.4	84.8	161.1	176.3
Americas	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.5	5.5	5.6
Subtotal	175.7	171.5	160.0	156.1	249.2	250.7
Proportional interests in production by equity-method affiliates	75.4	74.4	84.9	86.6	90.0	97.6
Total	251.2	245.9	244.9	242.7	339.2	348.3
Annual production (MMbbl)	91.9	89.8	89.4	88.6	124.2	127.1
Natural gas (MMcf/d):						
Japan	127.6	133.7	125.5	113.9	119.7	132.0
Asia & Oceania	665.0	586.4	602.8	596.5	666.8	614.8
Eurasia (Europe & NIS)	005.0	J00.4	002.0	370.3	000.0	5.3
Middle East & Africa	_	_			_	-
Americas	72.4	90.9	107.4	103.2	87.3	116.5
Subtotal	865.0	811.0	835.7	813.7	873.8	868.6
Proportional interests in production by equity-method affiliates	62.7	52.4	40.7	66.4	59.1	54.1
Total	927.7	863.4	876.4	880.0	932.9	922.7
Annual production (Billions of cubic feet)	339.5	315.1	319.9	321.2	341.4	336.8
Crude oil and natural gas (Mboed):						
Japan	27.7	29.0	27.2	24.6	25.7	28.3
Asia & Oceania	189.5	169.4	159.9	154.3	174.0	152.5
Eurasia (Europe & NIS)	25.0	25.1	26.1	27.0	31.6	30.6
Middle East & Africa	84.3	84.4	84.4	84.8	161.1	176.3
Americas	13.1	16.2	19.0	19.0	21.0	26.5
Subtotal	339.7	324.0	316.7	309.7	413.4	414.1
Proportional interests in production by equity-method affiliates	86.5	83.8	92.1	98.4	100.5	107.2
Total	426.2	407.8	408.8	408.1	513.8	521.3
Annual production (MMboe)	156.0	148.8	149.2	148.9	188.1	190.3

### **Corporate Information**

(As of March 31, 2017)

### Corporate Data

Company Name INPEX CORPORATION
Established April 3, 2006
Capital ¥290,809,835,000

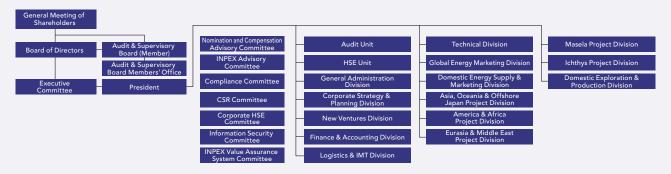
Company Headquarters Akasaka Biz Tower, 5-3-1 Akasaka,

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### Number of Employees (Consolidated) 3,228 Main Business

Research, exploration, development, production and sales of oil, natural gas and other mineral resources, other related businesses and investment and lending to the companies engaged in these activities, etc.

### Organization Chart (As of July 1, 2017)



### Stock Data

#### **Authorized Shares:**

3,600,000,000 common stocks 1 Class A Stock

### Major Shareholders (Common Stocks)

Name	Number of shares	total common shares* (%)
Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry	276,922,800	18.94
Japan Petroleum Exploration Co., Ltd.	106,893,200	7.31
Japan Trustee Services Bank, Ltd. (Trust Account	51,887,100	3.55
The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. (Trust Account)	51,688,000	3.53
JX Holdings, Inc.	43,810,800	3.00
Mitsui Oil Exploration Co., Ltd.	40,154,000	2.75
GOVERNMENT OF NORWAY	39,531,495	2.70
Japan Trustee Services Bank, Ltd. (Trust Account 5)	21,684,700	1.48
The Bank of New York Mellon SA/NV 10	21,290,334	1.46
THE BANK OF NEW YORK, TREATY JASDEC ACCOUNT	17,261,016	1.18

<sup>\*</sup> The percentages of total common shares are for total number of issued common shares.

### Total Number of Shareholders and Issued Shares

Common Stocks: 43,726 shareholders / 1,462,323,600 shares
Class A Stock\*: 1 shareholder (Minister of Economy,

### Shareholding by Shareholders Type

Shareholder type	Number of shareholders	Number of shares	total common shares*1 (%)
Financial Institutions (Including Trust Accounts)	84	255,826,100	17.49
Securities Companies	58	26,656,659	1.82
Other Domestic Corporations	382	229,359,642	15.68
Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry* <sup>2</sup>	1	276,922,800	18.94
Foreign Corporations and Other	829	628,662,610	42.99
Individuals and Other	42,371	42,929,289	2.94
Treasury Shares	1	1,966,500	0.13

<sup>\*1</sup> The percentages of total common shares are for total number of issued common shares. \*2 Excludes one Class A Stock

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Trade and Industry) / 1 share

\* The Company's Articles of Incorporation stipulate that certain major corporate decisions require a resolution by the holder of the Class A Stock in addition to the approval of the shareholders' meetings or Board of Directors.