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### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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# REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 or 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of November, 2007 Commission file number 0-12602 MAKITA CORPORATION

(Translation of registrant s name into English)
3-11-8, Sumiyoshi-cho, Anjo City, Aichi Prefecture, Japan
(Address of principal executive offices)

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### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

# MAKITA CORPORATION (Registrant) /s/ Masahiko Goto Masahiko Goto President and Representative Director

Date: November 26, 2007

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# Makita Corporation

The 96th Interim Business Report Ended September 30, 2007 (U.S. GAAP Financial Information)

# (English translation of CHUKAN-KI JIGYOU NO GOHOUKOKU

interim business report originally issued in Japanese language

for the benefit and information of shareholders

of the Company s common stock)

### MESSAGE FROM THE MANAGEMENTS

We are pleased to present the outline of operation and financial results for Makita s 96th interim period, ended September 30, 2007.

### n Consolidated Net Sales Reached a Record High for Three Consecutive Terms as Interim Period.

Consolidated business results for the interim period were as follows. Net Sales rose 28.5% over the previous years midterm period to 169,537 million yen, making the interim period the third consecutive period in which record-high sales were achieved, and the seventh consecutive midterm that showed year-on-year growth.

Sales by region showed the following results.

In Japan, in addition to firm growth of sales in lithium-ion battery products Makita leads our competitors in bringing out as a series, as a consequence of Fuji Robin (now named Makita Numazu Corporation) becoming a fully owned subsidiary in mid-May, an increase of 11.9% over the same period a year earlier was achieved and sales amount was 25,649 million yen.

At the same time, overseas net sales during the period rose 32.1% over the same period the previous year to 143,888 million yen, due to favorable performance in a number of areas, including the launch of high value-added products in response to user needs, such as lithium-ion battery products and hammer drills that incorporate Makita s proprietary Anti Vibration Technology.

Other contributing factors to the record-high performance during the period were growth in demand in Europe, an increase in business with large-scale retailers in the United States, a rise in sales accompanying growth in the emerging markets of Eastern Europe and Russia as well as Latin America, and advantageous foreign exchange rates influenced by a weaker yen.

A look at overseas net sales by region shows that all markets recorded solid year-on-year growth. In the European market, net sales rose 39.4% to 78,865 million yen, while in the North American market net sales rose 18.1% to 28,942 million yen.

In the Asian market net sales recorded an increase of 12.7%, finishing at 11,021 million yen, and the other markets (the Middle East, Africa, Oceania and Latin America) also recorded year-on-year growth of 38.3%, with net sales of 25,060 million yen.

Regarding profits, an increase in the share of our output originating in China and the weak yen contributed to an improved cost of sales ratio, and operating income were higher than in the midterm period a year earlier by 58.5%, at 33,899 million yen (operating profit ratio, 20%).

Further, before tax adjustments, net midterm profits were up 58.1% to 34,468 million yen (net profit ratio at midterm before tax adjustments, 20.3%), and net profits for the midterm period rose 53.3% year-on-year to 23,596 million yen (midterm net profit ratio, 13.9%).

### n Globalization of Business and Strengthening the Gardening Tool Area

During the current interim period, we were able to achieve steady progress in the globalization of our business, with our overseas production ratio rising to 76% (on a product unit basis), and the overseas sales ratio climbing to 85% during this period.

In the area of production, in addition to expanding production capacity at our China plants and gradually increasing the scale of production in our Romania plant, which commenced production in April, we also began construction of a second plant in Brazil to boost our product supply capacity in the Latin America market, where demand continues to grow.

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In the area of sales, we established a sales base in Vladivostok in Russia s far east where the market is growing, and we made further efforts to strengthen our sales and after-sales service networks in Peru, South America.

In efforts to expand our business to pave the way for future growth, we also made Fuji Robin Industries Ltd. a wholly owned subsidiary to strengthen our foothold in the area of gardening tools, including engine-powered tools.

We believe that boosting the product development capabilities of this company (which possesses its own engine technology in areas such as the mini 4-cycle engine that complies with US gas emissions regulations, which are the world s strictest), and effectively utilizing our own global sales and after-service network will contribute to increasing our corporate value over the long term.

### n Issue to be addressed

In terms of the future outlook, a more severe market environment in the United States is expected amid concerns of a slowing in the economy and a decline in the number of new housing starts as the housing market continues to undergo adjustment.

On the other hand, it is necessary for Makita to waste no time in pushing ahead with the globalization of production, to accommodate the growing demand in emerging markets such as Eastern Europe and Russia, the Middle East, Africa, and Latin America, where demand at present is robust.

As part of our efforts to respond to these growing markets, we are expanding plant facilities in China and Romania as well as constructing a second plant in Brazil.

In view of these factors, the Makita group aims to become a strong company by establishing brand power that no other company will be able to match. We will achieve this goal by further strengthening our global production network, which combines new product development expertise and a level of quality that commands a high level of satisfaction among professional users, with cost competitiveness, and by further enhancing our sales and after-care services, which are second to none in Japan or overseas.

In essence, we aim to acquire and maintain top market share as a comprehensive international supplier of tools in every region of the world, in both professional power tools and the gardening and pneumatic tool sectors.

### n The Interim Dividends of 30 Yen Per Share

Makita s basic policy on the distribution of profits is to maintain a dividend payout ratio of at least 30%, with a lower limit on annual cash dividends of 18 yen per share.

For the interim period under review, Makita declared to pay a dividend of 30 yen per share, augmented 5 yen to the dividend per share as announced in April 2007.

Based on its dividend policy, Makita s Board of Directors will decide on proposals for the dividend for the end of the fiscal year at their meeting to approve the financial statements after they are finalized near the end of April 2008. Their proposals will be presented for discussion and final approval at the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders.

We look forward to the continuing support and cooperation of our shareholders.

November 2007

Masahiko Goto President and Representative Director

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# CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

	Yen (millions)					
	For the six months ended	For the six months ended	For the six months ended	Rate of	For the	
	September 30,	September 30,	September 30,	change	year ended March 31,	
	2005	2006	2007	(%)	2007	
Net Sales	106,649	131,891	169,537	28.5	279,933	
Operating Income	25,897	21,387	33,899	58.5	48,176	
Operating Income to Net Sales Ratio Income before	24.3%	16.2%	20.0%		17.2%	
Income Taxes	26,504	21,796	34,468	58.1	49,323	
Net Income	25,807	15,390	23,596	53.3	36,971	
Net Income to Net Sales Ratio	24.2%	11.7%	13.9%		13.2%	
	As of			Rate		
	September	As of	As of	of		
	30,	September 30,	September 30,	change	As of	
	2005	2006	2007	(%)	March 31, 2007	
Shareholders Equity Total Assets Shareholders	245,579 298,978	279,374 340,176	320,144 393,148	14.6 15.6	302,675 368,494	
Equity Ratio to Total Assets (%)	82.1%	82.1%	81.4%		82.1%	
	For the six months ended	For the six months	For the six months	Rate of	For the	
	September 30,	ended September 30,	ended September 30,	change	year ended	
	2005	2006	2007	(%)	March 31, 2007	
Capital						
Expenditures Depreciation and	4,856	4,873	7,161	47.0	12,980	
Amortization	2,658	3,715	3,879	4.4	8,773	

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Research and	
Development Cost 2,345 2,605 2,826	5 8.5 5,460
Employees 8,557 9,077 10,093	3 11.2 9,062
Average Number	
of Shares	
Outstanding 143,757,513 143,709,479 143,725,286	5 143,706,789
Net Income per	
Share 179.5 107.1 164.2	2 53.3 257.3
Cash Dividends per	
Share 19.0 19.0 30.0	74.0

### Notes:

- Consolidated financial information has been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.
- 2. In principle, amounts of less than 1 million yen have been rounded.

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# CONSOLIDATED NET SALES BY GEOGRAPHIC AREA

	Yen (billions)						
		For the six months ended					
	September 30, 2005	March 31, 2006	September 30, 2006	March 31, 2007	September 30, 2007		
Japan Europe North America Asia Other Regions	20.0 41.8 20.6 8.5 15.7	21.6 48.7 27.0 8.5 16.6	22.9 56.6 24.5 9.8 18.1	24.0 67.4 27.0 9.6 20.0	25.6 78.9 28.9 11.0 25.1		
Total	106.6	122.4	131.9	148.0	169.5		

Note: The table above sets forth Makita s consolidated net sales by geographic area based on customer location for the periods presented.

# **PROFIT RATIO**

			%			
		For the six months ended				
	September 30,	March 31,	September	March 31,	September	
	2005	2006	30, 2006	2007	30, 2007	
Operating Income to Net Sales Ratio Net Income to Net Sales Ratio	24.3 24.2	16.2 11.9	16.2 11.7	18.1 14.6	20.0 13.9	

# **PRODUCTION BY COUNTRY**

			Million units		
		F	For the six months	ended	
	September 30, 2005	March 31, 2006	September 30, 2006	March 31, 2007	September 30, 2007
Japan U.K. U.S.A. China	2.03 0.71 0.54 3.28	2.15 0.66 0.52 3.29	2.43 0.80 0.44 4.53	2.36 0.90 0.42 4.54	2.51 0.66 0.61 5.97
Other	0.48	0.55	0.54	0.57	0.69
Total	7.04	7.17	8.74	8.79	10.44

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# SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY PER SHARE

	Yen					
			As of			
		March		March		
	September 30,	31,	September	31,	September	
	2005	2006	30, 2006	2007	30, 2007	
Shareholders Equity per Share	1,709	1,855	1,944	2,106	2,227	

# NET INCOME PER SHARE

	Yen				
	For the year ending March	For the year ending			
	31, 2004	March 31, 2005	March 31, 2006	March 31, 2007	March 31, 2008
Net Income per Share for the					
Interim Period Net Income per	34.3	90.0	179.5	107.1	164.2
Share for the Year	53.2	153.9	281.1	257.3	-

# **CASH DIVIDEND PER SHARE**

	Yen				
For the year ending	For the year ending				

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	March 31, 2004	March 31, 2005	March 31, 2006	March 31, 2007	March 31, 2008
Cash dividend per Share for the Interim Period Cash dividend per	9	11	19	19	30
Share for the Year	22	47	57	74	Undecided

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# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

	Yen(millions)			
	As of March 31,	As of September 30,	Increase	
	2007	2007	(Decrease)	
ASSETS				
CURRENT ASSETS:				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	37,128	35,686	(1,442)	
Time Deposit	6,866	6,616	(250)	
Marketable Securities	58,217	54,215	(4,002)	
Notes Receivable in Trade	3,125	3,470	345	
Accounts Receivable in Trade	54,189	62,144	7,955	
Less- Allowance for Doubtful Receivables	(869)	(1,015)	(146)	
Inventories	92,800	107,118	14,318	
Deferred Income Taxes	5,080	5,315	235	
Prepaid Expenses and Other Current Assets	9,963	10,901	938	
Total Current Assets	266,499	284,450	17,951	
DDODEDTY DI ANT AND EQUIDMENT				
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT Land	16,732	18,898	2,166	
Buildings and Improvements	57,242	61,691	4,449	
Machinery and Equipment	74,087	77,683	3,596	
Construction in Progress	5,576	4,993	(583)	
Less-Accumulated Depreciation	(90,257)	(92,873)	(2,616)	
Total Property, Plant and Equipment	63,380	70,392	7,012	
INVESTMENTS AND OTHER ASSETS Investment in Securities	27,279	23,860	(3,419)	
Deferred Income Taxes	1,367	1,491	124	
Other Assets	9,969	12,955	2,986	

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Total Investments and Other Assets	38,615	38,306	(309)
TOTAL ASSETS	368,494	393,148	24,654

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# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

	Yen (millions)			
	As of March 31, 2007	As of September 30, 2007	Increase (Decrease)	
LIABILITIES CURRENT LIABILITIES: Short-term Borrowings Trade Notes and Accounts Payable Accrued Payroll Accrued Expenses and Other Income Taxes Payable Deferred Income Taxes	1,892 16,025 8,571 17,353 10,447 28	1,111 21,717 8,728 18,145 8,941 5	(781) 5,692 157 792 (1,506) (23)	
Total Current Liabilities	54,316	58,647	4,331	
LONG-TERM LIABILITIES: Long-term Indebtedness Accrued Retirement and Termination Allowances Deferred Income Taxes Other Liabilities	3,227 4,976 1,112	931 4,095 4,958 2,084	878 868 (18) 972	
Total Long-term Liabilities	9,368	12,068	2,700	
Total Liabilities MINORITY INTERESTS	2,135	70,715 2,289	7,031	
SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY: Common Stock Additional Paid-in Capital Legal Reserve and Retained Earnings	23,805 45,437 221,034	23,805 45,750 236,727	313 15,693	

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Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income Treasury Stock, at cost	12,697 (298)	14,108 (246)	1,411
Total Shareholders Equity	302,675	320,144	17,469
TOTAL LIABILITIES, MINORITY INTERSTS AND SHAREHOLDERS EQUITY	368,494	393,148	24,654

Note: Consolidated subsidiaries: 47 subsidiaries as of September 30, 2007

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# CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INCOME STATEMENTS

	Yen (millions)				
	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	Increase (Decrease)		
			(Amount)	(%)	
NET SALES Cost of Sales	131,891 77,343	169,537 98,847	37,646 21,504	28.5 27.8	
GROSS PROFIT Selling, General and Administrative Expenses	54,548 33,161	70,690 36,791	16,142 3,630	29.6 10.9	
OPERATING INCOME	21,387	33,899	12,512	58.5	
OTHER INCOME Interest and Dividend Income Interest Expense Exchange losses on Foreign Currency	569 (163)	1,022 (166)	453 (3)	79.6 -	
Transactions, net Realized Gains on Securities, net Other, net	(193) 311 (115)	(125) 8 (170)	68 (303) (55)	(97.4)	
Total Other Income	409	569	160	39.1	
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAXES	21,796	34,468	12,672	58.1	
PROVISION FOR INCOME TAXES Current Deferred	7,230 (824)	10,168 704	2,938 1,528	40.6	

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Total Provision for Income Taxes	6,406	10,872	4,466	69.7
NET INCOME	15,390	23,596	8,206	53.3

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# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	Yen (millions)		
	For the six months ended September 30, 2006	For the six months ended September 30, 2007	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Net Income Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by	15,390	23,596	
operating activities: Depreciation and Amortization Deferred Income Taxes Realized Gains on Securities, net Losses on Disposals or Sales of Property, Plant & Equipment Impairment of Long-lived Assets	3,715 (824) (311) 464 1,131	3,879 704 (8) 199	
Changes in Assets and Liabilities Inventories Trade Notes and Accounts Payables and Accrued Expenses Income Taxes Payable Accrued Retirement and Termination Benefits	(6,365) 34 100 (911)	(9,436) (2,127) (2,316) (1,043)	
Other, net  Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	13,419	13,803	
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES: Capital Expenditures	(4,873)	(7,161)	
Purchases of Available-for-sale Securities Purchases of Held-to-maturity Securities Proceeds from Sales and Maturities of Available-for-sale Securities Proceeds from Maturities of Held-to-maturity securities Proceeds from Sales of Property, Plant and Equipment Decrease (increase) in Time Deposits Cash Paid for Acquisition of Business Other, net	(4,873) (14,046) (200) 8,108 1,100 60 (3,046) (649) (657)	(7,101) (12,483) - 15,516 500 9 274 (2,030) 425	
Net Cash Used in Investing Activities	(14,203)	(4,950)	

CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES: Increase (decrease) in Short-term borrowings Purchase and Sales of Treasury stock Cash Dividends Paid Other, net	1,609 (17) (5,461) (109)	(1,975) (33) (7,904) (135)
Net Cash Used in Financing Activities	(3,978)	(10,047)
EFFECTS OF EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES ON CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	1,010	(248)
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, Beginning of Period	(3,752) 39,054	(1,442) 37,128
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, End of Period	35,302	35,686

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# **OPERATING SEGMENT INFORMATION**

Six months ended September 30, 2006

		Yen (millions)							
	Japan	Europe	North America	Asia	Other	Total	Corporate and eliminations	Consoli- dated	
Sales:									
(1) External Customers	30,497	57,050	24,386	4,864	15,094	131,891	_	131,891	
(2) Inter	,	,	,	,	,	,		,	
Segment	30,883	2,763	2,704	32,482	88	68,920	(68,920)		
Total	61,380	59,813	27,090	37,346	15,182	200,811	(68,920)	131,891	
Operating									
Expenses Operating	53,462	52,062	26,001	31,975	13,457	176,957	(66,453)	110,504	
Income Identifiable	7,918	7,751	1,089	5,371	1,725	23,854	(2,467)	21,387	
Assets	247,919	94,315	42,314	45,929	23,975	454,452	(114,276)	340,176	

Six months ended September 30, 2007

	Yen (millions)							
	Japan	Europe	North America	Asia	Other	Total	Corporate and eliminations	Consoli- dated
Sales:								
(1) External Customers	35,281	78,871	28,792	5,511	21,082	169,537	_	169,537
(2) Inter	00,201	70,071	-0,//-	0,011	21,002	105,007		105,007
Segment	34,085	2,707	2,342	48,684	106	87,924	(87,924)	-

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Total	69,366	81,578	31,134	54,195	21,188	257,461	(87,924)	169,537
Operating Expenses Operating	57,352	68,485	30,016	47,603	18,240	221,696	(86,058)	135,638
Income	12,014	13,093	1,118	6,592	2,948	35,765	(1,866)	33,899
Identifiable Assets	264,846	122,170	43,035	56,020	29,036	515,107	(121,959)	393,148

Note: Segment information is determined by the location of the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries.

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### **CONDITION OF SHAREHOLDERS AND SHARES**

(As of September 30, 2007)

**Total Number of Shares** 

Authorized 496,000,000 shares

**Total Number of Shares** 

Outstanding 144,008,760 shares

Number of Shareholders 12,289 (1,670 increase compared with as of March 31, 2007)

10 Largest Shareholders

Name of Shareholder	Number of Shares Held		
	Units (thousand)	%	
Japan Trustee Services Bank, Ltd. (Trust account)	12,431	8.63	
The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. (Trust account)	8,019	5.57	
The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd.	5,213	3.62	
Makita Cooperation Companies Investment Association	3,753	2.61	
Nippon Life Insurance Company	3,713	2.58	
Maruwa Co., Ltd.	3,309	2.30	
Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation	2,900	2.01	
Statestreet Bank and Trust Company #505103	2,897	2.01	
National Mutual Insurance Federation of Agricultural Cooperatives	2,531	1.76	
Hero & Co.	2,356	1.64	
Total	47,122	32.72	

Note: Hero & Co. is

the nominal

holder of the

shares of The

Bank of New

York, the trustee bank for the

Company s

American

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Depositary Shares.

# Distribution of Share-ownership

Class of Shareholder	Number of Shares Held			
	Units	%		
Financial Institutions and Securities Firms	57,956,240	40.2		
Japanese Individuals and Other	23,426,373	16.3		
Foreign Investors	45,115,099	31.3		
Other Japanese Business Corporations	17,278,762	12.0		
Treasury Stock	232,286	0.2		

Class of Shareholder	Number of Si	hareholders
	Units	%
Financial Institutions and Securities Firms	156	1.3
Japanese Individuals and Other	11,313	92.0
Foreign Investors	430	3.5
Other Japanese Business Corporations	389	3.2
Treasury Stock	1	0.0

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### Price per Share and Volume of Shares Traded on The Tokyo Stock Exchange

		2007					
	April	May	June	July	August	September	
High (yen) Low (yen)	4,600 4,210	5,060 4,540	5,650 4,920	5,820 5,010	5,680 4,030	5,080 4,130	
Volume (thousand shares)	10,926	17,755	15,039	12,569	27,195	15,500	

Note: The highest price, lowest price, and total volume of shares traded on The Tokyo Stock Exchange for the six

months ended September 30, 2007 were as follows:

The highest price per share: 5,820 yen marked on July 20, 2007 The lowest price per share: 4,030 yen marked on August 17, 2007

Total volume of shares traded: 98,984 thousand shares

### Basic policy regarding profit distribution

Makita s basic policy on the distribution of profits is to maintain a dividend payout ratio of 30% or greater, with a lower limit on annual cash dividends of 18 yen per share. However, in the event special circumstances arise, computation of the amount of dividends will be based on consolidated net income after certain adjustments. With respect to repurchases of its outstanding shares, Makita aims to implement a flexible capital policy, augment the efficiency of its capital employment, and thereby boost shareholder profit. Also Makita continues to consider execution of own share repurchases in light of trends in stock prices.

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### **CORPORATE DATA**

(As of September 30, 2007) Makita Corporation

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Phone: (0566) 98-1711

Website: http://www.makita.co.jp/global

Date of founding March 21, 1915

Date of incorporation December 10, 1938

Paid-in Capital 24,206 million yen (non-consolidated)

Description of business Production and sales of electric power tools, air tools, garden tools and

household tools

Number of consolidated

subsidiaries

47(Domestic 4, Overseas 43)

Plants Three in Japan, eight outside of Japan (two in China, and one each in the United

States, Canada, Brazil, the United Kingdom, Germany and Romania)

Employees 10,093 (consolidated)

2,978 (non-consolidated)

**Board of Directors** 

President and Representative

Director

Masahiko Goto

Managing Directors Masami Tsuruta (General Manager of Domestic Sales Marketing

Headquarters)

Yasuhiko Kanzaki (General Manager of International Sales Headquarters:

in charge of Europe Region)

Directors Kenichiro Nakai (General Manager of Administration Headquarters)

Tadayoshi Torii (General Manager of Production Headquarters)

Tomoyasu Kato (General Manager of Development and Engineering

Headquarters)

Shiro Hori (General Manager of International Sales Headquarters:

in charge of America, Asia, Oceania Region and

**International Administration**)

Tadashi Asanuma (General Manager of Domestic Sales Marketing

Headquarters:

in charge of Tokyo Area)

Hisayoshi Niwa (General Manager of Quality Headquarters)

Zenji Mashiko (General Manager of Domestic Sales Marketing

Headquarters:

in charge of Nagoya Area)

Toshio Hyuga (General Manager of Domestic Sales Marketing

Headquarters:

in charge of Osaka Area)

Shinichiro Tomita (Assistant General Manager of Production

Headquarters:

in charge of China Plant)

Tetsuhisa Kaneko (General Manager of Purchasing Headquarters)

Outside Director Motohiko Yokoyama (President and Representative Director of JTEKT

Corporation)

**Board of Statutory Auditors** 

Standing Statutory Auditors Akio Kondo

Hiromichi Murase

Statutory Auditors Shoichi Hase (Outside Auditor, Patent Attorney)

Masahumi Nakamura (Outside Auditor, Certified Accountant)

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### **INFORMATION ON SHARES**

(As of September 30, 2007)

Fiscal period From April 1 to March 31 of each year

Ordinary general meeting of shareholders

June of each year

Number of shares constituting one unit 100 shares

Record dates 1) Ordinary general meeting of shareholders and cash dividends for

the second half

March 31 of each year

2) Cash dividends for the interim period

September 30 of each year

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Nagoya Branch Office

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Its liaison offices Head office and nationwide branch offices of The Chuo Mitsui Trust

and Banking Company, Limited

Head office and nationwide branch offices of Japan Securities

Agents, Ltd.

Means of public notice Website: http://www.makita.co.jp/ir/index1.htm

Common stock listings Domestic Tokyo and Nagoya stock exchanges (stock code:

6586)

Overseas American Depositary Receipts: The Nasdaq Global

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