# Consolidated Financial Results for the Fiscal Year ended March 2009 (FY2008)

May 22, 2009 NEC Networks & Systems Integration Corporation

- 1. Financial Results for FY2008
- 2. Financial Forecast for FY2009

- Improved profitability and achieved record profit by enhancing and accelerating management innovation activities
- Sales decreased due to market downturn

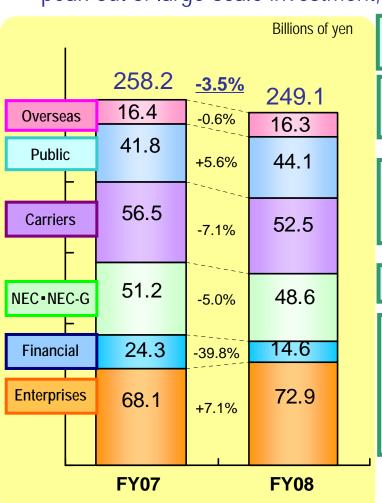
Net sales: ¥249.1 billion (-3.5%)

Gross margin: 14.2% (improved by 0.4 points)

Operating Income: ¥11.0 billion (+2.1%)
[Operating margin] [4.4%] (improved by 0.2 points)

**ROE**: 7.7% (improved by 0.7 points)

- Sales to enterprises and public sector increased with enhanced marketing activities
- Sales to financial industry and telecom carriers decreased due to postponed investment and peak-out of large-scale investment, respectively



Overseas Ongoing telecom infrastructure projects in Saudi Arabia and Asia

Public Increased sales to municipalities for local information networks, disaster prevention networks, etc.

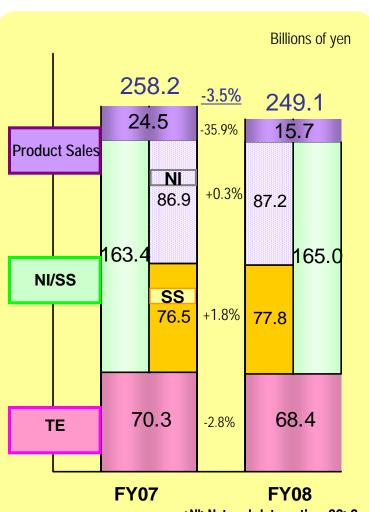
Carriers Steady NGN related business (approx. ¥16 bn. +30%) Decrease following peak-out of large investment by mobile carriers

**Financial** Large drop from postponements due to financial crisis

- **Enterprises** Strengthened proposals for customers focusing on office innovation solution EmpoweredOffice (EO) (EO sales: approx.¥8.5 bn. +20%)

  - Support Service business steadily increased
  - Business expansion though M&A (Nichiwa)

- NI/SS business expanded amid worsening business conditions
- Large decrease in Product Sales business due to postponed investment in financial industry



Product Sales Large decrease in sales to financial industry due to impact of financial crisis

NI/SS

NI: Sales to telecom carriers and financial industry decreased with peak-out of investment but sales to enterprises increased with proposals for customers focusing on EmpoweredOffice

SS: Increased sales to telecom carriers/enterprises by enhancing operations with reinforced marketing and promotion of infrastructure

Increased sales to municipalities/public service companies
Active investment for resolution of digital-divide, digital
terrestrial broadcasting and local broadband network
Construction of mobile base stations decreased

\*NI: Network Integration, SS: Support Services, TE: Telecommunications Engineering

- Increased sales to enterprises with activities to offer proposals for customers
  - Shifted focus of proposals from independent systems to total office innovation
  - Enhanced promotional activities such as exhibitions and conferences
  - Rapid response to changing needs due to worsening business conditions (Proposals to reduce costs, extend life of existing systems, etc.)

Achieved No .1 ranking as "Preferred SI-er to use" and "Active SI-er" (survey by IT-Pro magazine)



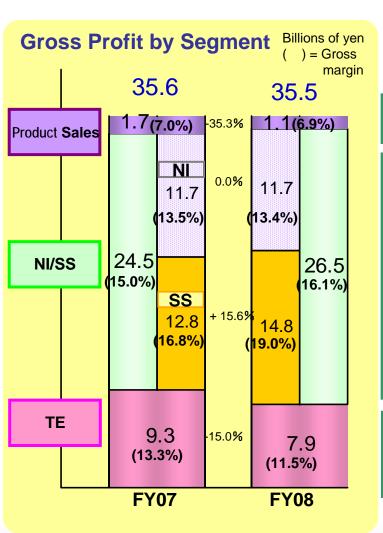
- Focused on Support Services business with appeal based on safety and security
  - Enhanced marketing based on appeal of operating cost reduction and robust security
  - Enhanced support capabilities to promote support-services infrastructures





Accelerated response by nTOCs (Network Total Operation Centers), pDOC (Parts Delivery Operation Center) Area coverage where maintenance parts can be delivered within one hour: 20% increase from the end of March 2008

- Improved profitability with management innovation (process innovation/enhanced management), enhanced SS infrastructure



Product Sales Smaller margins due to sales decrease and price reductions

NI/SS Increase due to production process innovation

NI: Promoted efficiency with Total SI Center

**SS**: - Reinforced business by promotiong infrastructures (nTOCs, pDOC, SiDC\*)

 Expanded in new areas such as carriers' and broadcasters' markets

TE - Smaller margin for mobile base station construction

- Insufficient speed of management innovation activities

\*S-iDC (Strategic Data Center): NESIC's data center

# 1. Financial Results for FY2008

## 2. Financial Forecast for FY2009

#### Trends by industry market

Public: Upgrades of local information networks and disaster prevention/fire station networks to be accelerated by supplementary budget

Carriers: Mobile: Continued installation of base stations, with some variation among carriers.

Fixed-line: NGN infrastructure investment reaches a stable stage

Financials: Continued restrained investment due to financial crisis

Enterprises: Continued restrained investment forecast. Firm demand for cost reductions and reduced operating costs expected.

Steady infrastructure investment by public service companies.

Even with severe market conditions for enterprises, there will be business opportunities in the area of cost reductions and reducing operating costs. Telecom engineering for municipalities and public service companies will be steady overall.

#### Forecast of Results

Net Sales: ¥230 billion (-7.7% YoY)

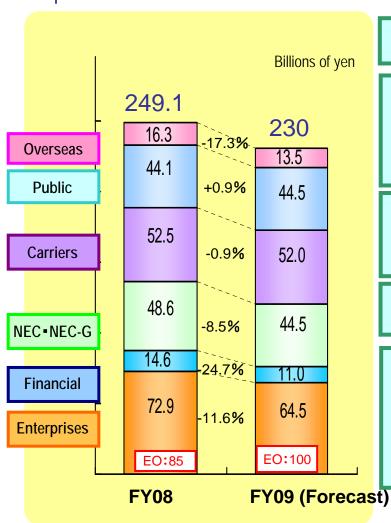
Gross Margin: 14.5% (improvement of 0.3 points)

Operating Income: ¥9.2 billion (operating margin 4.0%)

# Management Policy

- 1. Focus on promising markets in response to environmental changes
  - -Public: Reinforce project execution capability
  - -Enterprises: Incorporate customer needs (cost reduction, etc.)
- 2. Strengthen corporate soundness by accelerating management innovation
  - Improve gross margin, maintain 4% operating margin, even with negative growth
- 3. Reinforce strategic business areas for medium-to-long-term growth
  - 1. Enterprises: Reinforce high value-added businesses
  - 2. Public: Focus on growth markets

- Forecast decrease in sales to financial industry and enterprises due to worsening environment
- Expand local information network business for municipalities with enhanced business structure



Overseas - Weak infrastructure investment

- Public Expanded sales to municipalities
  - Supplementary budget to stimulate municipalities market (local information networks, disaster prevention/ fire stations networks, etc.).
- **Carriers** Decrease in backbone network related sales
  - Slight increase in mobile base station-related construction (3G + WiMAX)

Financial - Continued restrained/postponed investment

- **Enterprises** Forecast decrease due to restrained investment resulting from worsening environment
  - Reinforce EmpoweredOffice business
  - Increase in infrastructure sales to public service companies (electric power, railways, broadcasting, etc.)

\*Forecast as of May 12, 2009

## Public market: Reinforce project execution capability

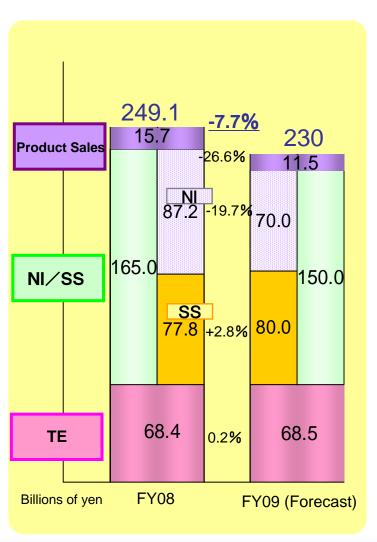
- Manage projects flexibly on a cross-divisional basis companywide (build a flexible framework according to number/scale of projects in each region)
- Concentrate resources on expanding business for municipalities,
   which will receive economic stimulus

# Enterprises market: Incorporate customer needs (cost reduction, etc.)

- Actively offer EmpoweredOffice solutions
- Introduce solutions to weather the recession
  - -> Expand solutions/services menu in areas with high customer needs for cost reductions, reduced operating costs, etc.

## FY2009 Sales Forecast by Segment

- NI & Product Sales to decrease due to restrained investment by enterprises and financial industry
- SS business to increase sales to telecom carriers and enterprises



Product Sales Decrease due to restrained investment by enterprises and financial industry, etc.

#### NI/SS

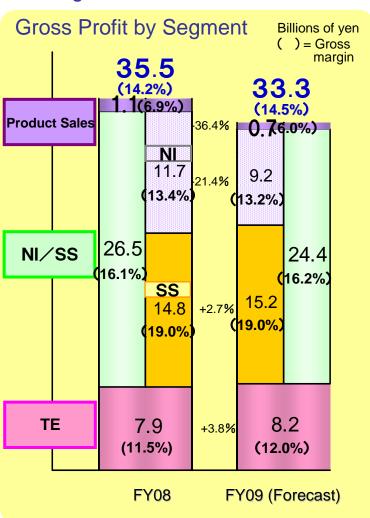
NI: Restrained investment by financial industry and enterprises Decrease in business related to telecom carriers' backbone networks

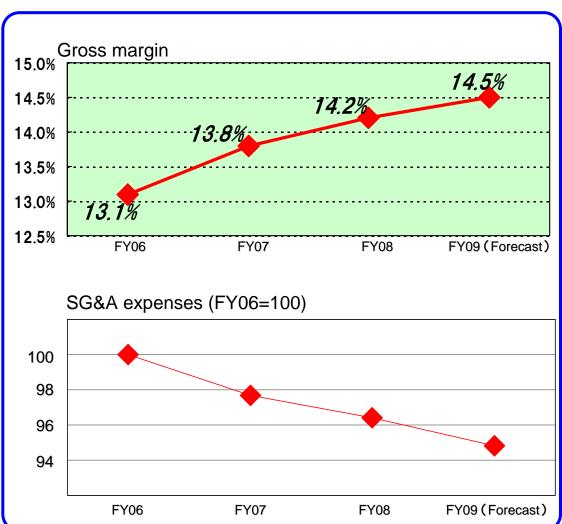
**SS**: Increase in sales by maintaining business for carriers and reinforcing marketing activities and service menu for enterprises.

Sales to municipalities and public service companies to expand. Steady construction of mobile base stations.

Decrease in construction of facilities for enterprises and overseas business.

- Strengthen Corporate Soundness by Accelerating Management Innovation-
- Increase gross profit of SS and TE businesses
- Aim to improve total company gross margin and strengthen corporate soundness by promoting management innovation activities





Note: Forecast as of May 12, 2009

#### Reinforce high value-added business for enterprises (EmpoweredOffice)

- Use ICT technology as a core competitive strength to enhance total office production, leading to office activation
  - Strengthen consulting capabilities to design better workplaces
  - Add design aptitude as well as ICT and facilities
    - -> Office Design Center was opened in April 2009



- 2. Enhance eco-business to conserve energy, reduce CO<sub>2</sub>, etc.
  - Promote an in-house model office for EmpoweredOffice
  - Handle from consulting to facility renewal and operation
    - →Effect of EO introduction in-house:

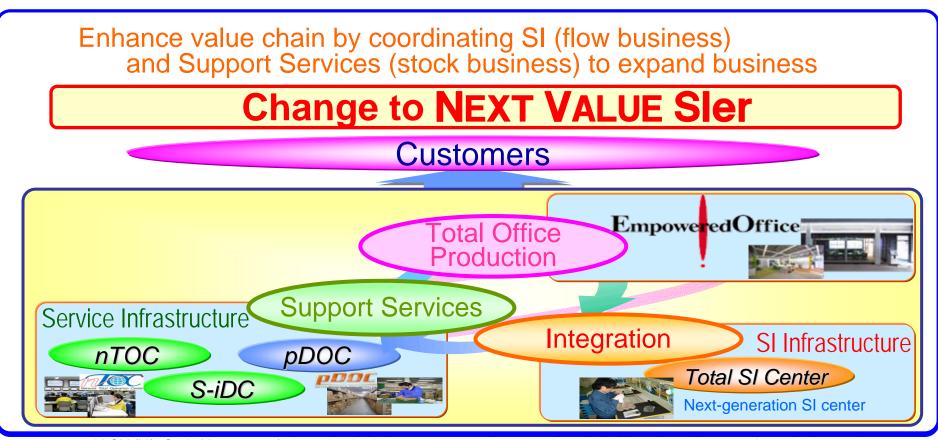
Power consumption -10%, paper usage -15%



Office display showing power consumption in real time

#### 3. Strengthen Support Services

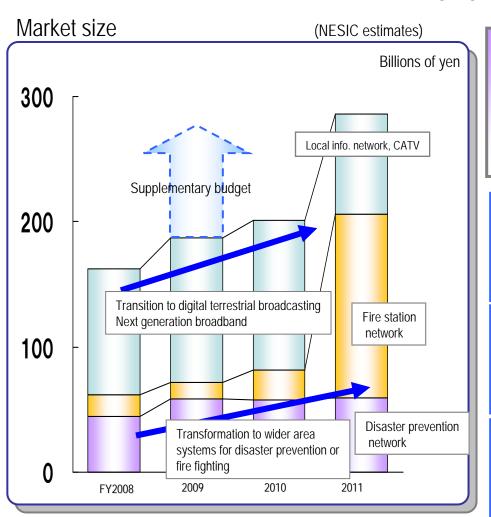
- Propose support services more proactively
- Promote LCM\* business by further deepening relations with customers



<sup>\*</sup> LCM (Life Cycle Management): A service that helps customers reduce complicated administration with support for optimal operation at every stage from IT device and network system introduction to operation and maintenance, disposal, software renewal, anti-virus, etc.

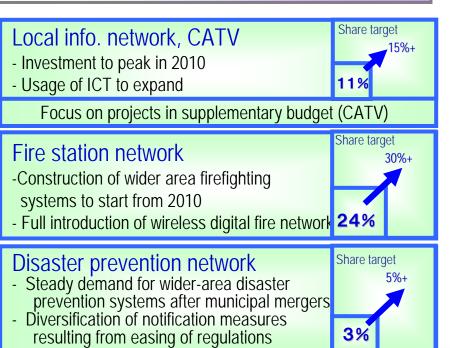
#### Public customers: Focus on growth markets

Market trend: Growth in investment through government economic stimulus for local areas



#### **Priority**

- Enhance nationwide construction framework
- Project management
- Secure technicians, personnel development



(NESIC estimates)

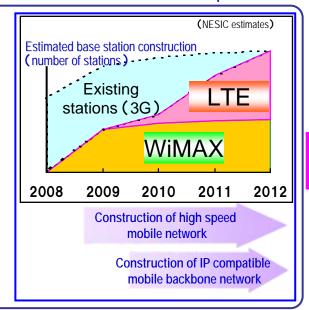
#### Market trend (Telecommunications carriers):

Next-generation and advanced networks to expand steadily (full-scale expansion from 2010)

#### Mobile

Full-scale construction of advanced network from 2010

Backbone network also to be IP compatible



#### Mobile

#### Base stations

- ◆Strengthen nationwide framework
- ◆Enhance indoor engineering capabilities
- ◆Expand new business fields

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**Target** 

#### Priorities:

- -Enhance new business fields including design of base station allocation
- -Strengthen construction personnel

#### Fixed-line

Construction of NGN expands steadily

Expansion of related services (SaaS, IP-TV, etc.)



#### Fixed-line

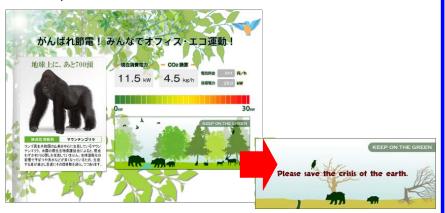
- ◆Enhance SI & software development capability
- ◆Strengthen technologies for migration to NGN
- **◆**Expand support services business

#### Priorities:

- -Expand new business fields such as network design
- -Strengthen nationwide maintenance framework

#### **Environmental measures**

Visualization of electricity consumption in Office ~ Conditions of animals and plants in large display at the office change depending on electricity consumption



In-house practice and verification of our solution (Electricity consumption down 10%, paper volume reduced 15%)

#### Pursuit of safety and quality

Improved sense of safety & quality through Visualization ~ Established "Safety and Quality Edification Center" in the head office



Exhibition of information on past accidents and real devices broken at the accidents

#### **Forecast of Dividends for FY2009**

	Cash dividends per share of common stock (planned)		
		Interim	Year-end
FY2009 (ending March 2010)	22.00 yen	11.00 yen	11.00 yen

Note: Dividend forecast as of May 12, 2009

#### [Reference] Dividends for FY2008

	Cash dividends per share of common stock		
		Interim	Year-end
FY2008 (ended March 2009)	22.00 yen	11.00 yen	11.00 yen

Severe market conditions are forecast to continue in FY2009.

With net sales forecast to decrease, NEC Networks & System Integration Corporation will focus on building a more robust business that emphasizes profitability, which will lead to medium-to-long-term growth.