SOFTBANK CORP. CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL REPORT

For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2002

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

1. Results of Operations

(Million yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

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	FY2003 Interim (April 2002	Year-on -year	FY2002 Interim (April 2001	Year-on -year	FY2002 (April 2001
	through September 2002)	change	through September 2001)	change	through March 2002)
	2002)		2001)		2002)
Revenues	¥191,052	4.2%	¥183,372	1.7%	¥405,315
Operating income (loss)	(31,199)	•	(8,704)	-	(23,901)
Ordinary income (loss)	(45,956)	-	(16,150)	-	(33,302)
Net income (loss)	(55,802)	-	(54,315)	-	(88,755)
Net income (loss) per share— primary (yen)	(166.27)	-	(161.29)	-	(263.53)
Net income (loss) per share—diluted (yen)	-	-	-	-	-

Notes:

1. Equity in earnings (losses) of affiliates (Million yen):

Six months ended September 30, 2002: ¥2,655 Six months ended September 30, 2001: ¥(8,976)

Fiscal Year ended March 31, 2002: \$(17,575)

2. Average shares outstanding (consolidated) Six months ended September 30, 2002: 336,869,930

Six months ended September 30, 2001: 336,762,941

Year ended March 31, 2002: 336,798,168

3. Changes in accounting methods were applicable to the period under review.

4. Percentage changes for revenues, operating income (loss), ordinary income (loss) and net income (loss) are compared with the corresponding period of the previous interim fiscal year.

2. Financial Condition

(Million yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

	FY2003 Interim	FY2002 Interim	FY2002
	(As of September 30,	(As of September 30,	(As of March 31,
	2002)	2001)	2002)
Total assets	¥903,283	¥1,123,856	¥1,163,678
Shareholders' equity	288,342	352,429	465,326
Equity ratio (%)	31.9	31.4	40.0
Shareholders' equity per share (yen)	855.33	1,046.30	1,381.31

Note: Shares outstanding (consolidated)

As of September 30, 2002: 336,867,620 As of September 30, 2001: 336,833,168 As of March 31, 2002: 336,872,342

3. Cash Flows

(Million yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

	FY2003 Interim	FY2002 Interim	FY2002
	(April 2002 through	(April 2001 through	(April 2001 through
	September 2002)	September 2001)	March 2002)
Cash flows from operating activities	¥(11,219)	¥(53,995)	¥(79,123)
Cash flows from investing activities	63,574	(24,254)	39,751
Cash flows from financing activities	(56,339)	63,509	1,313
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	107,844	146,821	119,855

4. Scope of Consolidation

Consolidated subsidiaries: 290 Equity-method non-consolidated subsidiaries: 4

Equity-method affiliates: 114

5. Changes in Scope of Consolidation

Consolidated subsidiaries:

Newly added: 31 Newly deleted: 26

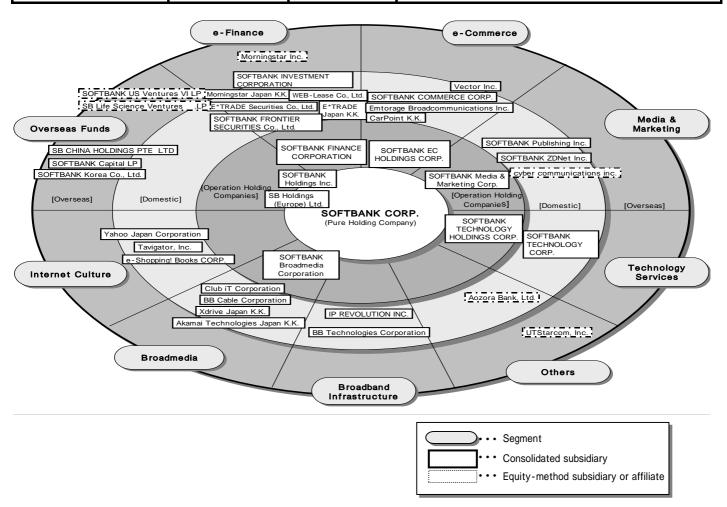
Equity-method non-consolidated subsidiaries and affiliates:

Newly added: 14 Newly deleted: 9

The SOFTBANK Group

As of September 30, 2002, the SOFTBANK Group Comprised 408 companies with operation in 9 segments.

	Business segment	Consolidated subsidiaries (includes partnerships)	Equity-method non-consolidated subsidiaries and affiliates (includes partnerships)	Principal products and operational content of each business
1.	e-Commerce	25	18	Sales of PC software and such hardware as PCs and peripherals; enterprise solutions; diversified e-commerce business, including e-commerce between business and consumer
2.	e-Finance	138	18	All inclusive Web-based financial operations, including Internet securities operations; management of domestic venture capital funds; incubation of portfolio corporations
3.	Media & Marketing	14	8	Book and magazine publication in such areas as PCs, the Internet, entertainment, etc.; exhibition management; web content development
4.	Broadmedia	14	2	Provision of applications and content for broadband broadcasting and communications and promoting the spread of such operations
5.	Internet Culture	17	5	Internet-based advertising operations; broadband portal business; Internet-based auction business
6.	Technology Services	7	4	Systems solutions business; business solutions business
7.	Broadband Infrastructure	17	1	ADSL technology-based broadband infrastructure business; optical fiber-based ultra high-speed Internet access services and other operations
8.	Overseas Funds	44	52	U.S and Asia-focused global private equity operations in Internet-related companies
9.	Others	14	10	Holding company functions for overseas operations; back-office services in Japan
	Total	290	118	



SOFTBANK subsidiaries listed on domestic stock exchanges as of September 30, 2002:

Subsidiary	Listed exchange
1.Yahoo Japan Corporation	JASDAQ
2.SOFTBANK TECHNOLOGY CORP.	JASDAQ
3.Morningstaar Japan K.K.	Nasdaq Japan
4. Vector Inc.	Nasdaq Japan
5.E*TRADE Japan K.K.	Nasdaq Japan
6.SOFTBANK INVESTMENT CORPORATION	Tokyo Stock Exchange 1 st section (Nasdaq Japan)
7.SOFTBANK FRONTIER SECURITIES Co., Ltd.	Nasdaq Japan
8.Club IT Corporation	Nasdaq Japan

(Reference) Subsidiaries listed on overseas stock exchanges:

Subsidiary	Listed exchange
SOFTBANK INVESTMENT INTERNATIONAL (STRATEGIC) LIMITED	Hong Kong Stock Exchange

Management Policies

1. Fundamental Management Policy

The core philosophy of the SOFTBANK Group (hereafter as "the Group") is "Endeavoring to benefit society and the economy by fostering the sharing of wisdom and knowledge gained through the IT revolution". By constantly providing innovative services, the Group aspires to remain at the forefront of social and economic progress.

The broadband market continues to expand rapidly with growth sparked by the launch of the Group's *Yahoo! BB* comprehensive broadband service, while conditions in the IT industry are challenging due to shrinking demand for mobile phones and PCs and other factors. DSL connection services, currently the driving force of the broadband market, have been growing in 2002 at an average rate of more than 310,000 new lines per month, according to data compiled by Ministry of Public Management, Home Affairs, Posts and Telecommunications. As of October 31, 2002, the cumulative number of DSL lines stood at 4,639,000. It appears that Japan has reached the stage where broadband technology is widely used.

The Group is positioning broadband infrastructure businesses and other broadband-related activities as its most important business domain. The Group will channel its management resources into the broadband sector and develop businesses in a creative manner with the aim of maximizing its corporate value.

2. Basic Policy Regarding Allocation of Earnings

SOFTBANK CORP. (hereafter as "the Company") strives to fulfill its social obligations through the proper distribution of earnings among all its stakeholders. In the current fiscal year, the Company has not yet finalized plans for dividend payments. The Company plans to distribute earnings in line with operating results, while taking it into consideration the need to maintain the proper balance between measures to bolster the operating base and to preserve a stable dividend for shareholders over the medium and long-term prospective.

The Group will step up efforts to reinforce its operating base by building a structure capable of maximizing earnings from the broadband infrastructure business. At the same time, the Group will work even harder in other business domains to improve profitability. The aim is to establish a diverse range of earnings sources for the entire Group, thereby facilitating the consistent and proper return of earnings to shareholders and all other stakeholders.

3. Medium- and Long-Term Management Strategy

The Group's strategy is to become the number-one corporate group in a diverse range of business domains involving broadband technology. The group's current goal is that BB Technologies Corporation becomes the leader in broadband infrastructure business by expanding the customers at *Yahoo! BB*, a comprehensive broadband service being offered in conjunction with Yahoo Japan Corporation.

In late September 2002, the *Yahoo! BB* service became the first Japanese DSL operator to exceed one million lines on a cumulative basis, according to data compiled by Ministry of Public Management, Home Affairs, Posts and Telecommunications. As of October 31, 2002, the number of lines installed stood at 1,208,000.

This achievement is the result of strong sales promotions activities supported by the entire Group. Since June 2002, *Yahoo! BB* has consistently ranked first in the number of new subscribers in monthly basis and in August recaptured the number-one market share. This service will continue to attract new customers through the Internet using *Yahoo! Japan*, through retailers of electronics and other products, and through other innovative sales channels. This service has also been successful at retaining existing customers by offering a diverse lineup of services and customer support that has been dramatically improved.

Distinguishing *Yahoo! BB* from most of all is its high-performance and low-price nationwide broadband network. This purely IP network is structured connecting more than 1,500 (as of October 31, 2002) NTT central offices. This high-performance network makes it possible to offer a variety of services. A number of new services were launched during the first half of the current fiscal year. Among them were an ADSL service with a maximum downstream speed of 8 Mbps, an IP telephone service called *BB Phone*, an ADSL service with a maximum downstream speed of 12 Mbps and a wireless LAN service. The Group plans to offer more new and creative services, such as the *BB Cable TV* service that is already operating on a trial basis. The goal is to improve profitability by offering many services.

In businesses outside the broadband infrastructure domain, the Group has many proprietary brands, most notably *Yahoo! Japan*, that collectively establishes a powerful platform for broadband businesses. In e-Commerce, e-Finance, Media & Marketing, Broadmedia, Internet Culture, Technology Services and other fields, the Group is developing and supplying a diverse array of services, content and applications. Through this stance, the Group intends to continue growing by enlarging the broadband market.

4. Important Management Issues

Increase Market Share in the Broadband Infrastructure Business

As is true of most infrastructure businesses, the Group's broadband infrastructure business requires substantial up-front investments. In the first half of the current fiscal year, this business generated an operating loss due to expenses associated with ongoing start-up investments. However, a broadband network capable of generating added value is already in place. A Group-wide effort to capture customers has given the Group a leading 26% market share in Japan as of the end of October 2002. The Group is placing the highest priority on increasing its share of the broadband infrastructure market. The Group will implement a variety of tactics to expand the market share in order to maximize earnings over the medium and long-term prospective.

Strengthen the Group's Financial Position

The Group has significantly improved its financial position since the previous fiscal year. The Group will continue to preserve access to many fund-procurement channels to fund the start-up investments required in the broadband infrastructure business. Concurrently, the Group will continue its policy of rapidly reducing net interest-bearing debt to a suitable level. Net interest-bearing debt has fallen by \\$38.3 billion during the first half of the current fiscal year to \\$193.6 billion as of September 30, 2002. The Group intends to make more progress to attain a sound financial position.

Growth and Stability Outside the Broadband Infrastructure Business Domain

In e-Commerce, Media & Marketing, Broadmedia, Internet Culture, Technology Services and other fields, the Group is aiming for continued growth by channeling management resources into activities where the greatest potential exists for synergies with the strategic broadband infrastructure business.

In e-Finance and Overseas Funds, the natures of business are susceptible to stock market movements and other factors. Presently, these businesses are performing poorly due to adverse market conditions. The Group plans to stabilize operating performance by examining means of conducting businesses in accordance with market trends.

5. Group's Management Structure

Board of Directors and Corporate Auditors

The nine-member Board of Directors includes three outside directors. The inclusion of this external perspective ensures that the board functions as a transparent and effective decision-making body. Individuals from outside the Group account for more than half of its corporate auditors, who are responsible for overseeing the performance of the directors.

The Group will continue to strive to upgrade its system of management checks and balances to strengthen its corporate governance.

Disclosure Activities

Improving the disclosure of information is essential to enhancing corporate governance. The Group works to conduct comprehensive disclosures of all operating information in line with its basic policy of releasing information in a fair and timely fashion. The Group will continue to take many actions to deepen communications with all stakeholders. Such actions include meetings to report on current operations, information meetings for analysts and others, and the placement of releases and other information on the Group's Web site.

6. Other Items

Related-Party Transactions

None

Other Important Matters Regarding Management

None

Results of Operations and Financial Position

1. Results of Operations

First-Half Overview

In the first half of the current fiscal year, despite the negative impact on sales due to the exclusion from consolidation of Key3Media Group, Inc., there was a year-on-year increase of ¥7,680 million, or 4.2%, in consolidated sales to ¥191,052 million. This increase was mainly attributable to higher sales in the Internet Culture segment and to the full-fledged contribution of sales in the Broadband Infrastructure segment.

Compared with the first half of the previous fiscal year, the operating loss increased ¥22,494 million to ¥31,199 million. The primary cause was initial investment costs required to launch Broadband Infrastructure activities, a business now entering a period of expansion. Excluding this segment, the other consolidated subsidiaries returned to profitability at the operating level.

The ordinary loss increased ¥29,806 million to ¥45,956 million. There was a net equity gain under the equity method, compared with a loss one year earlier, but the Company recognized the net non-operating loss of ¥14,757 million. That loss was mainly due to an exchange loss of ¥9,240 million caused by yen appreciation and ¥5,151 million in losses from investment in partnerships in the e-Finance segment.

The net loss increased ¥1,487 million to ¥55,802 million. This included special income of ¥51,117 million that primarily represented ¥46,618 million in gain on sales of investment securities, mostly in respect of Yahoo! Inc. and UTStarcom, Inc. Outweighing these gains were special losses of ¥58,569 million. The major components were a valuation loss on investment=in affiliates, mainly shares held in Key3Media Group, Inc. and Club iT Corporation, totaling ¥21,714 million; a valuation loss on investment securities, mainly shares held in CNET Networks, Inc. and E*TRADE Group, Inc., totaling ¥18,685 million; and ¥9,764 million in loss on sales of investment securities such as E*TRADE Group, Inc.

Results of Operations by Business Segment

e-Commerce—Segment sales were down ¥2,148 million, or 1.7% year on year, to ¥127,351 million. This was mainly attributable to lower sales at SOFTBANK COMMERCE CORP. Operating income increased ¥116 million, or 10.3%, to ¥1,252 million. Sales declining and a lower operating margin ratio at SOFTBANK COMMERCE CORP. was outweighed by an improvement in operating profitability at CarPoint K.K. and other recently launched businesses. Sales and expenses associated

with incentives for *Yahoo! BB* sales by SOFTBANK COMMERCE CORP. through major retailers are included in the Broadband Infrastructure segment from the first half of the current fiscal year.

e-Finance—Segment revenue increased \(\frac{\pmath{2}}{2}\),967 million, or 28.2%, to \(\frac{\pmath{1}}{13}\),499 million. This was mainly due to growth in brokerage commissions at E*TRADE SECURITIES, CO., LTD., which is a consolidated subsidiary of E*TRADE Japan K.K. The operating loss declined \(\frac{\pmath{1}}{1}\),469 million to \(\frac{\pmath{2}}{2}\),105 million, mainly the result of a smaller valuation loss on the operational investment securities of SOFTBANK INVESTMENT CORPORATION. Special losses in this segment were recorded due to a valuation loss of \(\frac{\pmath{2}}{2}\),155 million on investment securities representing E*TRADE Group, Inc., an estimated reimbursement of success fees of \(\frac{\pmath{2}}{2}\),416 million (included in "other special losses") at SOFTBANK Ventures, Inc. and other items.

Media & Marketing—Segment sales fell ¥15,859 million, or 66.0%, to ¥8,163 million and operating income was down ¥1,078 million to a loss of ¥463 million. The primary causes were the exclusion from consolidation of Key3Media Group, Inc. and lower sales and operating profitability at SOFTBANK Publishing Inc. because of an extremely challenging business environment in the publishing industry.

Broadmedia—Segment sales declined ¥688 million, or 11.4%, to ¥5,357 million due to the termination of acquisition of new CS subscribers because Club iT Corporation has cancelled the agency agreement with a communications satellite services. A decline in the operating margin ratio at Club iT Corporation and higher licensing fees paid by Akamai Technologies Japan K.K. were mainly responsible for a year-on-year decrease of ¥895 million in operating income to a ¥600 million loss. The entire premium of ¥3,295 million resulting from the take-over-bid for Club iT Corporation in the first half of the current fiscal year was written off as a valuation loss on investment in affiliates.

Internet Culture—Segment sales rose ¥3,613 million, or 29.9%, to ¥15,692 million and operating income was up ¥2,255 million, or 58.2%, to ¥6,132 million. This performance was due to growth in fee incomes mainly by a system utilization fee in the auction business.

Sales and expenses of Yahoo Japan Corporation related to the *Yahoo! BB* service are included in the Broadband Infrastructure segment from the first half of the current fiscal year.

Technology Services—Segment sales increased ¥1,330 million, or 15.7%, to ¥9,782 million. This was mainly attributable to higher sales of PC-related products, growth in escrow services, and an increase in revenue from the installation and maintenance services relating to the broadband infrastructure business in SOFTBANK TECHNOLOGY CORP. Operating income was down ¥171 million, or 39.0%, to ¥269 million due to the decline of the gross profit margin in the system solutions business and to the increase of the fix costs, like personnel costs and others, in SOFTBANK TECHNOLOGY CORP.

Broadband Infrastructure—Segment sales totaled ¥13,520 million. Major contributors were BB

Technologies Corporation, which continues to expand its business, and IP REVOLUTION, INC., which is a company posting steady growth in sales through an ultra-high-speed Internet connection service using fiber optics. On the other hand, this segment posted an operating loss of \(\frac{\pmathrm{4}}{31,262}\) million due to substantial start-up costs. BB Technologies Corporation reported sales of \(\frac{\pmathrm{4}}{10,089}\) million and an operating loss of \(\frac{\pmathrm{4}}{29,419}\) million. One of the start-up costs was new customers acquisition costs, like sales promotion expenses, outsourcing fees such as processing applications, etc., and accounted for almost one-third of this company's total operating expenses of \(\frac{\pmathrm{4}}{39,508}\) million. Sales and expenses of SOFTBANK COMMERCE CORP. associated with incentives for \(Yahoo!\) BB sales through major retailers, and sales and expenses of Yahoo Japan Corporation associated with the \(Yahoo!\) BB business are included in the Broadband Infrastructure segment from the first half of the current fiscal year.

Overseas Funds—Segment revenue increased ¥1,193 million, or 154.0%, to ¥1,967 million due to an increase in fund management fees. Lower expenses due to restructuring actions since the previous fiscal year resulted in a ¥1,638 million improvement in operating income to ¥1,484 million.

Other Businesses—Segment sales increased ¥1,461 million, or 14.0%, to ¥11,876 million, and the operating loss decreased ¥1,727 million to ¥3,845 million, as compared with the corresponding period of the previous fiscal year.

Results of Operations by Geographic Segment

Japan—Sales increased ¥17,964 million, or 11.4%, year on year to ¥175,892 million. Contributing to this growth was an increase in Internet Culture segment sales and sales generated by the Broadband Infrastructure segment. The start-up costs at Broadband Infrastructure business, a sector now in a growth phase, caused an operating loss to rise by ¥24,215 million, or 1,048.8%, to ¥26,524 million.

North America—Sales fell ¥11,392 million, or 81.7%, to ¥2,555 million and the operating loss declined ¥607 million, or 65.3%, to ¥323 million. These changes were primarily due to the exclusion from consolidation of Key3Media Group, Inc.

Europe—Sales decreased ¥110 million, or 40.2%, to ¥163 million and the operating loss increased ¥11 million, or 3.3%, to ¥371 million. This performance mainly reflected the exclusion from consolidation of Key3Media Group, Inc. and an operating loss in overseas funds business.

Korea—Revenues increased \$1,882 million, or 19.9%, to \$11,340 million, but the operating loss rose \$241 million, or 29.5%, to \$1,058 million.

2. Financial Position

Balance Sheet Analysis

Current assets totaled ¥354,369 million, ¥40,078 less than at the end of the previous fiscal year. This was mainly attributable to a ¥26,439 million drop in other current assets caused by the transfer to property and equipment of a temporary reimbursement in BB Technologies Corporation, which that had been initially recorded as future lease assets under the company's plan.

Property and equipment increased ¥45,157 million to ¥73,566 million. This was mainly the result of the transfer of a temporary reimbursement of BB Technologies Corporation from the current assets and capital expenditures.

Investments and other assets decreased \(\frac{4}{2}63,418\) million to \(\frac{4}{4}45,115\) million. The largest component was a decrease of \(\frac{4}{2}66,516\) million in investment securities. This was due primarily to the partial sale of shares in Yahoo! Inc. and a decline in its market value, as well as sales of equity investments in UTStarcom, Inc., E*TRADE Group, Inc. and certain other companies.

Liabilities decreased \(\frac{\pmathbb{x}}{83,078}\) million to \(\frac{\pmathbb{x}}{568,139}\) million. Other current liabilities, which include the account payables at BB Technologies Corporation, increased \(\frac{\pmathbb{x}}{22,668}\) million. However, there was a decline of \(\frac{\pmathbb{x}}{62,579}\) million in deferred tax liabilities due to the partial sale of Yahoo! Inc. and a decline in its market value, and a decline of \(\frac{\pmathbb{x}}{58,253}\) million in interest-bearing debts.

Shareholders' equity decreased ¥176,983 million to ¥288,342 million as a net loss reduced retained earnings by ¥58,258 million and there was a ¥107,409 million decline in an unrealized gain on other securities.

Cash Flow Analysis

Although cash was provided by investing activities, cash was used for both operating and financing activities. The net result was a decrease of \\$12,010 million to \\$107,844 million in cash and cash equivalents compared with March 31, 2002.

Net cash used for operating activities was ¥11,219 million, but this was ¥42,775 million less than cash used in the first half of the previous fiscal year. There was a loss before income taxes and minority interest of ¥53,408 million, but this was partially offset by depreciation and amortization of ¥8,664 million, valuation loss on investment securities of ¥40,399 million, net exchange losses of ¥9,177 million and other non-cash expenses. Another positive factor was the ¥13,773 million year-on-year decrease in cash payments for income taxes to ¥8,646 million.

Net cash provided by investing activities was ¥63,574 million, ¥87,829 million more than one year earlier. Purchases of property and equipment and intangible assets totaled ¥26,213 million, mainly for initial investment costs at BB Technologies Corporation, and purchases of marketable and investment securities totaled ¥20,441 million. On the other hand, sales of marketable and investment securities generated proceeds of ¥110,261 million, which was mainly Yahoo! Inc. shares.

Net cash used for financing activities was ¥56,339 million. This was mainly the result of ongoing measures to reduce interest-bearing debts. Repayment of bonds was ¥24,782 million and there was a ¥27,574 million net decrease in short-term borrowings. On a year-on-year basis, net financing cash flows declined ¥119,848 million because proceeds from the issuance of bonds totaled ¥123,691 million in the first half of the previous fiscal year.

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

	FY2003 interim		FY2002 interim		is or yen, unlounts ic.	ss than one million yen are omit FY2002	
					Increase		
	(As of September		(As of September		(Decrease)	(As of March 31,2002)	
	Amount	%	Amount	%		Amount	%
ASSETS							
Current assets							
Cash and deposits	¥102,379		¥128,824		¥(26,444)	¥113,580	
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	55,912		67,784		(11,871)	62,047	
Marketable securities	7,612		19,458		(11,845)	9,545	
Inventories	41,119		25,874		15,244	36,312	
Deferred tax assets	6,155		8,175		(2,020)	15,430	
Receivables related to margin transactions	52,319		26,955		25,364	42,316	
Other current assets	90,363		97,506		(7,142)	116,802	
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts (current)	(1,494)		(1,637)		143	(1,586)	
Total current assets	354,369	39.2	372,942	33.2	(18,573)	394,447	33.9
Non current assets							
Property and equipment, net							
Transmission equipments	48,944		5,476		43,468	11,464	
Others	24,621		16,263		8,357	16,943	
Total tangible assets	73,566	8.1	21,740	1.9	51,825	28,408	2.4
Intangible assets, net							
Goodwill	4,285		48,962		(44,676)	4,180	
Trade names			43,979		(43,979)	-	
Consolidation adjustment	12,829		16,040		(3,210)	16,190	
Other intangibles	12,562		25,246		(12,683)	11,160	
Total intangible assets	29,678	3.3	134,228	12.0	(104,550)	31,531	2.7
Investments and other assets							
Investment securities	254,633		419,997		(165,364)	521,150	
Long-term loans	858		2,862		(2,003)	1,287	
Deferred tax assets	48,835		26,639		22,196	35,832	
Investments in partnerships	130,527		134,514		(3,986)	141,456	
Other assets	11,797		9,971		1,826	10,313	
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts	(1,538)		(1,632)		94	(1,506)	
Total investments and other assets	445,115	49.3	592,352	52.7	(147,237)	708,533	60.9
Deferred charges	555	0.1	2,593	0.2	(2,038)	757	0.1
TOTAL ASSETS	¥903,283	100.0	¥1,123,856	100.0	¥(220,572)	¥1,163,678	100.0

CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

	FY2003 inte		FY2002 into	erim	Increase	n one million yen are omitte FY2002 (As of March 31,2002)	
	(As of September Amount	30,2002) %	Amount	% 30,2001)	(Decrease) -	Amount	1,2002) %
LIABILITIES							
Current liabilities							
Notes and accounts payable - trade	¥55,192		¥53,267		¥1,925	¥56,742	
Short-term borrowings	82,358		132,316		(49,957)	114,190	
Commercial paper	10,000		20,000		(10,000)	10,000	
Current portion of corporate bonds	67,919		45,469		22,450	48,841	
Current portion of convertible bonds			6,586		(6,586)	-	
Income taxes payable	23,516		7,329		16,187	9,593	
Deferred tax liabilities	553		3,407		(2,854)	47	
Accrued expenses	13,086		11,140		1,946	10,176	
Payables related to margin transactions	44,720		21,967		22,752	37,417	
Allowance for sales returns	1,139		1,335		(196)	1,343	
Other current liabilities	93,291		80,538		12,753	70,623	
Total current liabilities	391,778	43.4	383,357	34.1	8,421	358,976	30
Long-term liabilities							
Corporate bonds	137,132		269,490		(132,357)	179,365	
Convertible bonds	105		125		(20)	125	
Long-term debt	9,875		13,476		(3,601)	13,121	
Deferred tax liabilities	8,383		12,337		(3,954)	70,962	
Accrued retirement benefits	39		372		(332)	331	
Other liabilities	20,825		24,581		(3,756)	28,335	
Total long-term liabilities	176,360	19.5	320,382	28.5	(144,022)	292,241	25
TOTAL LIABILITIES	568,139	62.9	703,740	62.6	(135,600)	651,218	55.
MINORITY INTEREST	46,802	5.2	67,687	6.0	(20,884)	47,134	4.
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SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY							
Common stock	137,867	15.3	137,808	12.3	58	137,867	11
Additional paid-in capital	162,231	17.9	162,172	14.4	58	162,231	13
Retained (deficit) earnings	(54,223)	(6.0)	38,505	3.4	(92,728)	4,035	0
Net unrealized gain (loss) on other securities	19,215	2.1	(13,569)	(1.2)	32,785	126,625	10
Translation adjustments	23,268	2.6	27,512	2.5	(4,244)	34,577	3
Less: Treasury stock	(17)	(0.0)	(0)	(0.0)	(17)	(10)	(0
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	288,342	31.9	352,429	31.4	(64,087)	465,326	40
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	¥903,283	100.0	¥1,123,856	100.0	¥(220,572)	¥1,163,678	100

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME

	FY2003 interim (April 2002 through			FY2002 interim (April 2001 through		ss than one million yen are omitt FY2002 (April 2001 through	
		mber 2002)		tember 2001)	(Decrease)	A	March 2002
	Amount	%	Amount	%		Amount	9/
Net sales from non-financing business	¥177,834	93.1	¥172,656	94.2	¥5,178	¥381,532	94.1
Cost of sales	163,959	85.8	137,974	75.3	25,985	319,328	78.8
Gross profit	13,875	7.3	34,682	18.9	(20,807)	62,204	15.3
Selling, general and administrative expenses	45,063	23.6	39,669	21.6	5,393	81,311	20.0
Operating loss from non-financing business	(31,188)	(16.3)	(4,987)	(2.7)	(26,200)	(19,107)	(4.7
Revenue from financing business	13,217	6.9	10,715	5.8	2,501	23,782	5.9
Finance business expenses	13,228	6.9	14,433	7.8	(1,204)	28,576	7.1
Operating loss from financing business	(11)	(0.0)	(3,717)	(2.0)	3,706	(4,794)	(1.2
Total operating loss	(31,199)	(16.3)	(8,704)	(4.7)	(22,494)	(23,901)	(5.9
Interest income	525		1,439		(914)	2,065	
Exchange gains, net	-		9,348		(9,348)	24,939	
Equity in gains under the equity method, net	2,655		-		2,655	-	
Other non-operating income	2,321		2,414		(93)	5,526	
Non-operating income	5,501	2.8	13,203	7.2	(7,701)	32,530	8.0
Interest expense	4,439		7,903		(3,464)	15,640	
Exchange loss, net	9,240		-		9,240	-	
Equity in losses under the equity method, net	-		8,976		(8,976)	17,575	
Other non-operating expenses	6,579		3,768		2,810	8,715	
Non-operating expenses	20,259	10.6	20,648	11.3	(389)	41,931	10.3
Ordinary loss	(45,956)	(24.1)	(16,150)	(8.8)	(29,806)	(33,302)	(8.2
Gain on sale of investment securities	46,618		5,646		40,972	67,068	
Dilution gains from changes in equity interest	1,949		11,441		(9,492)	19,353	
Other special income	2,549		312		2,237	4,776	
Special income	51,117	26.8	17,399	9.5	33,717	91,198	22
Loss on sale of investment securities	9,764		5,160		4,603	15,673	
Valuation loss on investment securities	18,685		34,821		(16,136)	99,046	
Valuation loss on investment in affiliates	21,714		16,045		5,668	19,413	
Dilution loss from changes in equity interest	484		3,429		(2,944)	3,761	
Other special losses Special loss	7,920 58,569	30.7	11,801 71,257	38.9	(3,881)	39,942 177,836	43.
opeciar ioss	30,309	30.7	71,237	36.9	(12,000)	177,830	43.
Loss before income taxes and minority interest	(53,408)	(28.0)	(70,008)	(38.2)	16,599	(119,939)	(29.
Income taxes -current	23,784	12.4	5,733	3.1	18,051	8,378	2.0
Income tax refunds Income taxes -deferred	4,957 (15,338)	2.6 (8.0)	(18,731)	(10.2)	4,957 3,393	(36,219)	(8.9)
Minority interest	1,095	0.6	2,694	1.5	(1,598)	3,343	0.8

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF ADDITIONAL PAID-IN CAPITAL AND RETAINED EARNINGS

(Millions of yen; amounts l	ess than one million yen are omitted.)
	FY2003 interim
	(April 2002 through
	September 2002)
ADDITIONAL PAID-IN CAPITAL	
Additional paid-in capital at the beginning of the period	¥162,231
Increase	-
Decrease	-
Additional paid-in capital at the end of the period	¥162,231

	FY2003 interim (April 2002 through September 2002)	FY2002 interim (April 2001 through September 2001)	FY2002 (April 2001 through March 2002
ETAINED EARNINGS			
Retained earnings at the beginning of the period	¥4,035	¥94,803	¥94,803
Adjustment to investment in affiliates due to change in accounting from equity method to cost basis	93	624	690
Increase in retained earnings of companies excluded from consolidation	1	-	-
Increase in retained earnings	94	624	690
Net loss Cash dividends Bonuses to directors Adjustment to investment in affiliates due to change in accounting from equity method to cost basis	(55,802) (2,358) (75) (107)	(54,315) (2,356) (46) (203)	(88,755) (2,356) (142) (203)
Decrease in retained earnings of companies included into consolidation	(2)	(0)	(0)
Decrease due to merger	(6)	-	-
Decrease in retained earnings	(58,352)	(56,922)	(91,458)
Retained (deficit) earnings at the end of the period	¥(54,223)	¥38,505	¥4,035

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	FY2003 interim	en; amounts less than one FY2002 interim	FY2002
	(April 2002 through	(April 2001 through	(April 2001 through
	September 2002)		March 2002
I Cash flows from operating activities:			
Loss before income taxes and minority interest	¥(53,408)	¥(70,008)	¥(119,939)
Adjustments to reconcile income before income taxes and			
minority interest to cash used for operating activities	0.664	4.100	11.740
Depreciation and amortization	8,664	4,188	11,749
Equity in (gains) losses under the equity method, net	(2,655)	8,976	17,575
Dilution gains from changes in equity interest, net	(1,464)	(8,012)	(15,591)
Valuation loss on investment securities	40,399	50,866	118,459
Gains on sale of marketable and investment securities, net	(36,854)	(491)	(51,490)
Exchange losses (gains), net	9,177	(7,961)	(20,311)
Interest and dividend income	(591)	(1,491)	(2,129)
Interest expense	4,439	7,903	15,640
Decrease in receivables- trade	6,564	18,558	16,684
Decrease in payables-trade	(3,632)	(15,308)	(10,533)
Increase in other receivables	(6,436)	(36,961)	(37,474)
Increase in other payables	11,858	20,450	9,785
Others, net	19,798	4,991	28,591
	(4,141)	(24,300)	(38,983)
Interest and dividends received	773	1,418	2,320
Interest paid	(5,224)	(8,693)	(17,281)
Income taxes paid	(8,646)	(22,419)	(25,180)
Refunds of income taxes	6,018	(22,117)	(23,100)
Net cash used for operating activities	(11,219)	(53,995)	(79,123)
110t cash ased for operating activities	(11,217)	(33,773)	(17,123)
I Cash flows from investing activities:			
Purchases of property and equipment and intangible assets	(26,213)	(8,470)	(30,272)
Purchase of marketable and investment securities	(20,441)	(37,318)	(71,426)
Proceeds from sale of marketable and investment securities	110,261	29,107	157,985
Additional investments in newly consolidated entities	(680)	(5,033)	(18,263)
Proceeds from sale of interests in previously consolidated subsidiaries	(220)	* * * *	
Proceeds from sale of interests in consolidated subsidiaries	, ,	(9)	(33)
Increase in loan receivables	1,080	767	10,554
	(3,381)	(7,724)	(12,803)
Collections of loans	1,085	3,379	8,294
Others, net	2,084	1,046	(4,283)
Net cash provided by (used for) investing activities	63,574	(24,254)	39,751
I Cash flows from financing activities:			
Proceeds from issuance of shares to minority interest	4,763	2,430	11,039
Decrease in short-term borrowings, net	(27,574)	(3,359)	(29,226)
Proceeds from issuance of commercial paper	10,000	50,000	71,400
Repayment of commercial paper	(10,000)	(60,000)	(91,400)
Proceeds from long-term debt	30	2,200	15,630
Repayment of long-term debt			
Proceeds from issuance of bonds	(7,406)	(38,946)	(43,531)
	2,396	123,691	126,393
Redemption of bonds	(24,782)	(9,550)	(53,597)
Cash dividends paid	(2,318)	(2,336)	(2,346)
Cash dividends paid to minority interest	(28)	-	(336)
Others, net	(1,418)	(620)	(2,712)
Net cash (used for) provided by financing activities	(56,339)	63,509	1,313
/ Effect of exchange rate changes	(7,950)	2,454	3,578
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(11,935)	(12,286)	(34,479)
I Net increase in cash and cash equivalents			
due to the companies newly consolidated	34	2	2
II Decrease in cash and cash equivalents due to exclusion of			
previously consolidated entities	(108)	-	(4,772)
promount communica	110 055	159,105	159,105
II Cash and each equivalents at the haginning of the period			
III Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period X Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	119,855 ¥107,844	¥146,821	¥119,855

Basis of Presentation of Consolidated Financial Statements

1. Changes in Scope of Consolidation

a) As of September 30, 2002, SOFTBANK CORP. (the "Company") consolidated 290 subsidiaries. 10 subsidiaries were not consolidated due to their immateriality in terms of the consolidated total assets, sales and revenues, net income and retained earnings of the SOFTBANK consolidated financial statements.

Main changes in scope of consolidation for the period ended September 30, 2002 were as follows;

<Newly consolidated subsidiaries (including partnerships)>

1 BB SHOP! CORP. Newly established
 2 SBI INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY CO., LTD. Newly established
 3 Netrust, Ltd. Newly invested in

Other 28 companies

<Subsidiaries (including partnerships) excluded form consolidation>

1 e-Shopping! Wine CORP. Decrease in shareholding percentage due to sale of shares

2 Prime Partners Corp. (former SmartFirm Corp.)

3 CAPITAL. COM, INC

Merger

Other 23 companies

b) As of September 30, 2002, the Company held 4 non-consolidated subsidiaries and 114 affiliates, all of which were accounted for under the equity method. Main changes in application of the equity method for the period ended September 30, 2002 were as follows;

<Increase; including partnerships>

1 BEST BroadBand Corp.Newly established2 YAMADA BroadBand Corp.Newly established3 LAOX BB Corp.Newly established

Other 11 companies

<Decrease; including partnerships>

1 InsWeb Corporation Decrease in the shareholding percentage 2 MessageMedia, Inc. Decrease in the shareholding percentage

Other 7 companies

2. Fiscal year end

Fiscal year ends of consolidated subsidiaries in terms of domestic and overseas are as follows;

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March end	110	29
(as same as consolidated B/S date)	110	29
June end	7	6
September end	7	-
December end	13	115
February end	3	_

4 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

[1] Evaluation standards and methods for major assets

(1) Marketable securities and investment securities

Held-to-maturity debt securities: Stated at amortized cost

Other securities:

With market quotations: Stated at fair value, which represents the market price at the balance sheet date

(Unrealized gains/losses are included as a separate component of "Shareholders' equity", net of tax, while cost of sales is determined primarily based on the moving-average method)

Without market quotations: Carried at cost, primarily based on the moving-average method

(2) Inventories Carried at cost, primarily based on the moving-average method

[2] Depreciation and amortization

(1) Property and equipment:

The Company and its domestic consolidated subsidiaries calculate depreciation using the declining-balance method, except in respect of a transmission equipment, of which it is calculated using the straight-line method. Foreign consolidated subsidiaries calculate depreciation using the straight-line method based on the estimated useful lives of the related assets, in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted and applied in their respective countries of domicile.

(2) Intangible assets:

The straight-line method. Goodwill is amortized over 5 to 20 years.

[3] Accounting principles for major allowances and accruals

(1) Allowance for doubtful accounts

Allowance for doubtful accounts is provided based on the aggregate amount of estimated credit losses on doubtful receivables, plus an amount for receivables, other than doubtful receivables, calculated using historical write-off experience ratios from certain prior periods.

(2) Allowance for sales returns:

Allowance for sales returns is provided for the gross margin of future sales returns expected subsequent to the balance sheet date on an accrual basis.

(3) Accrued retirement benefits

Some domestic consolidated subsidiaries use the simplified method to calculate their accrued retirement benefits based on the projected benefit obligation as of the end of the consolidated fiscal year.

Starting on July 1, 2002, the Company and some domestic consolidated subsidiaries transferred their pension plans from non-contributory defined benefit pension plans to the defined contribution pension plans, and reversed their accrued retirement benefits at the time that transferring was made.

[4] Translation of foreign currency transactions and accounts

All assets and liabilities in foreign currencies are translated at the foreign exchange rates prevailing at the respective balance sheet dates. Exchange gains or losses are charged in the net income when incurred.

The translation of revenues and expenses in the financial statements of foreign consolidated subsidiaries into Japanese yen is performed by using the average exchange rate for the period. Assets and liabilities are translated using the foreign exchange rates prevailing at the balance sheet date, and capital stock is translated using the historical rates. Foreign currency financial statement translation differences are presented as a separate component of "Shareholders' equity", except for the portion pertaining to minority shareholders, which is included in "Minority interest in consolidated subsidiaries".

[5] Finance lease

Finance leases other than those whereby the ownership of the assets would be transferred to lessees at the end of the lease term are accounted for as operating leases.

[6] Accounting method of consumption taxes

Consumption taxes are accounted for using a net-of-tax method.

5 The Scope of Cash and Cash Equivalents in the Consolidated Statements of Cash Flow

"Cash and cash equivalents" comprise cash on hand, bank deposits withdrawable on demand and highly liquid investments with initial maturities of three months or less and a low risk of fluctuation in value.

(Additional information)

[1] Accounting method for treasury stock and reduction of legal reserves

Effective from the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2002, the Company adopted Financial Accounting Standards No.1: "Accounting Standards for Treasury Stock and Reduction of Legal Reserves". Adoption of this new standard had an immaterial impact on the Company's results of operations and financial position.

In addition, consolidated statements of additional paid-in capital and retained earnings have been prepared in accordance with the amended "Regulations Concerning Semi-annual Consolidated Financial Statements", effective from the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2002.

[2] Defined Contribution Pension Plan

Following the enactment of the Act for Defined Contribution Pension, the Company and some domestic consolidated subsidiaries transferred their pension plans from non-contributory defined benefit pension plans to defined contribution pension plans on July 1, 2002, and adopted Financial Accounting Standards Implementation Guidance No.1: "Accounting for Transfers between Retirement Benefit Plans", issued by Accounting Standards Board of Japan on January 31, 2002.

The related transition obligation of ¥297 million was recognized as "Other special losses" in the consolidated statement of income for the period ended September 30, 2002.

NOTES

2 Number of treasury

1 Accumulated depreciation of property and equipment

	As of September 30, 2002	As of September 30, 2001	As of March 31, 2002
	18,999 million yen	9,805 million yen	10,756 million yen
stock held by the Company			

As of September 30, 2001

175 shares

As of March 31, 2002

4,484 shares

9,206 shares

$\boldsymbol{3}$ Accounting for the assets and liabilities of the silent investment association

The assets and liabilities belonging to the silent investment association, net of deposits from the association members, at the end of periods are as follows;

As of September 30, 2002

Cash and deposits	As of September 30, 2002 7,731 million yen	As of September 30, 2001 7,167 million yen	As of March 31, 2002 6,804 million yen
Other current assets- (Operational investment securities)	11,967	14,710	11,936
Other current assets- (other)	24	260	232
Investment securities	-	5,501	1,491
Investments in partnerships	4,565	1,392	2,726
Other current liabilities	457	811	163
Other non-current liabilities- (Deposit from the silent investment association)	23,832	28,219	23,028

4 Receivables and payables relating to margin transactions

Receivables and payables at each period end relating to margin transactions in securities businesses engaged by certain consolidated subsidiaries are as follows:

	As of September 30, 2002	As of September 30, 2001	As of March 31, 2002
Receivables relating to margin transactions:			
Loans receivable from customers for			
margin transactions	46,914 million yen	23,241 million yen	37,881 million yen
Cash deposits as collateral for securities			
borrowed from securities finance			
companies	5,405	3,713	4,434
Payables relating to margin transactions:			
Loans from securities finance companies			
for margin transactions	31,600	13,208	24,379
Proceeds from securities sold for margin			
transactions	13,119	8,759	13,038

5 Assets pledged as collateral

(1) For future lease liabilities

FY2003 interim (as of September 30, 2002)

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

Assets pledged as	collateral		Secured liabilities	
Type of collateral	Carrying amount	Type of security	Account	Carrying amount
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	5,740	Mortgage		
Other current assets (accounts receivable -other)	67	Mortgage	Notes and accounts payables - trade	278

Note: The collateral for the future lease liabilities of \\$35,817 million, of which \\$278 million was for "Notes and accounts payable-trade", was provided by mortgaging against the aggregate of the current and future receivables due from customers of certain consolidated subsidiaries and a broadcasting company, based on marketing agreements, etc.

The current receivables at September 30, 2002, held as the collateral for the above future lease liabilities, consisted of "Notes and accounts receivable-trade" of \(\frac{\pma}{2}\),740 million and "Other current assets" of \(\frac{\pma}{2}\)67 million, respectively.

FY2002 interim (as of September 30, 2001)

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

Assets pledged as	collateral		Secured liabilities	
Type of collateral	Carrying amount	Type of security	Account	Carrying amount
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	894	Mortgage		
Other current assets	12	Mantaga	Notes and accounts payable - trade	344
(accounts receivable -other)	13	Mortgage		

Note: The collateral for the future lease liabilities of ¥9,753 million, of which ¥344 million was for "Notes and accounts payable-trade", was provided by mortgaging against the aggregate of the current and future receivables due from customers of certain consolidated subsidiaries and a broadcasting company, based on marketing agreements, etc.

The current receivables at September 30, 2001, held as the collateral for the above future lease liabilities, consisted of "Notes and accounts receivable-trade" of ¥894 million and "Other current assets" of ¥13 million, respectively.

FY 2002 (as of March 31, 2002)

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

Assets pledged as collateral			Secured liabilities		
Type of collateral	Carrying amount	Type of security	Account Carrying amount		
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	3,592	Mortgage	Notes and accounts payable - trade 319		
Other current assets	52	Montocoo	Other current liabilities 96		
(accounts receivable -other)	53	Mortgage	(accounts payable -other)		

Note: The collateral for the future lease liabilities of \(\frac{\text{\frac{\text{\gamma}}}}{33,902}\) million, of which \(\frac{\text{\frac{\text{\gamma}}}}{319}\) million was for "Notes and accounts payable-trade" and \(\frac{\text{\gamma}}{90}\) million was for "Other current liabilities", was provided by mortgaging against the aggregate of the current and future receivables due from customers of certain consolidated subsidiaries and a broadcasting company, based on marketing agreements, etc.

The current receivables at March 31, 2002, held as the collateral for the above future lease liabilities, consisted of "Notes and accounts receivable-trade" of ¥ 3,592 million and "Other current assets" of ¥53 million, respectively.

5 Assets pledged as collateral (continued)

(2) For short-term borrowings and long-term debt

FY2003 interim (as of September 30, 2002)

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

Assets pledged as	collateral		Secured liabilities	
Type of collateral	Carrying amount	Type of security	Account	Carrying amount
Property and equipment	86	Mortgage	Short-term borrowings	43

FY2002 interim (as of September 30, 2001)

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

1 1 2002 interim (us of September 20, 2001)			(initions of year, amounts less than one minion year are officeer)
Assets pledged as collateral			Secured liabilities
Type of collateral	Carrying amount	Type of security	Account Carrying amount
Cash and deposits (time deposits)	23	Mortgage	Other current liabilities (other account payables) 172
Property and equipment	2,131	Mortgage	Short-term borrowings 277
r toperty and equipment	2,131	Mortgage	Long-term debt 237

FY2002 (as of March 31, 2002)

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

Assets pledged as collateral			\prod	Secured liabilities		
Type of collateral	Carrying amount Type of security][Account	Carrying amount	
Droporty and againment	1,262	Mortgogo	1 [Short-term borrowings	163	
Property and equipment	1,202	Mortgage		Long-term debt	275	

(3) For long-term debt owed by the third party

FY2003 interim (as of September 30, 2002)

(Millions of $\ \ yen;$ amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

Assets pledged as collateral			Secured liabilities	
Type of collateral	Carrying amount	Type of security	Account	Carrying amount
Investments in partnerships	1,982	Mortgage	Long-term debt in the third party	2,400

FY2002 interim (as of September 30, 2001)

No transactions applicable.

FY2002 (as of March 31, 2002)

No transactions applicable.

6 Line of credit as a creditor (not used)

As of September 30, 2002 As of September 30, 2001 As of March 31, 2002

24 million yen 24 million yen 24 million yen

7 Accounts receivable sold

As of September 30, 2002 As of September 30, 2001 As of March 31, 2002

8,071 million yen - million yen 11,825 million yen

8 Notes receivable discounted

Notes receivable

As of September 30, 2002 As of September 30, 2001 As of March 31, 2002

- million yen - million yen 40 million yen

9 Notes receivable maturing on the period-end dates

Notes receivable are settled on the date of clearance. Since the period-end dates of September 30, 2001 and March 31, 2002 were non-business days, the following balance of notes receivable maturing on those dates were not settled and were included in the closing balances of "Notes and accounts receivable-trade".

As of September 30, 2002 As of September 30, 2001 As of March 31, 2002
- million yen 39 million yen 98 million yen

10 Dilution gains (losses) from changes in equity interest

Dilution gains (losses) were recognized from changes in the Company's equity interest as a result of capital transactions by investees including an initial public offering.

The major dilution gains (losses) for the period ended September 30, 2002 are as follows:

Gains (Losses)

UTStarcom, Inc. 891 million yen - million yen

E*TRADE Japan K .K . 851

11 Valuation loss on investments in affiliates

"Valuation loss on investments in affiliates" recognized as a special loss in the consolidated statements of income are as follows.

(1) Valuation loss on investment in consolidated subsidiaries

As of September 30, 2002	As of September 30, 2001	As of March 31, 2002
6,065 million yen	192 million yen	331 million yen

(2) Valuation loss on investment in affiliates accounted for under the equity method

As of September 30, 2002	As of September 30, 2001	As of March 31, 2002
15,649 million yen	15,852 million yen	19,082 million yen

12 Consolidated statements of cash flow

Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents to the amounts included in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets is as follows.

	As of September 30, 2002	As of September 30, 2001	As of March 31, 2002
Cash and deposits	102,379 million yen	128,824 million yen	113,580 million yen
Marketable securities	7,612	19,458	9,545
Time deposits with original maturity over three months	(431)	(1,334)	(1,065)
Deposits received from customers in commodities business	(19)	-	(31)
Stocks and bonds with original maturity over three months	(1,696)	(127)	(2,173)
Cash and cash equivalents	107,844 million yen	146,821 million yen	119,855 million yen

13 Leases

13-1. Finance leases in which the ownership of leased assets is not transferred to lessees at the end of lease term

(as a lessee)

(1) Amounts equivalent to acquisition costs, accumulated depreciation and net book value at the end of periods

	As of September 30, 2002	As of September 30, 2001	As of March 31, 2002
Property and equipment			
Equivalent to acquisition costs	47,369	19,147	42,315
Less: Amount equivalent to accumulated depreciation	(12,567)	(7,188)	(8,872)
Net book value	34,802 million yen	11,959 million yen	33,442 million yen
Software (Intangible assets)			
Equivalent to acquisition costs	574	297	1,358
Less: Amount equivalent to accumulated amortization	(200)	(54)	(353)
Net book value	373 million yen	242 million yen	1,004 million yen
Total			
Equivalent to acquisition costs	47,944	19,445	43,673
Less: Amount equivalent to accumulated depreciation	(12,767)	(7,242)	(9,226)
Net book value	35,176 million yen	12,202 million yen	34,447 million yen

(2) The future lease payments for finance lease at the end of the periods

	As of September 30, 2002	As of September 30, 2001	As of March 31, 2002
Due within one year	11,445	4,231	8,780
Due after one year	29,296	9,148	27,565
Total	40,741 million yen	13,379 million yen	36,346 million yen

(3) Lease payments, amounts equivalent to depreciation and interest expenses for the periods

	For the period ended September 30, 2002	For the period ended September 30, 2001	For the period ended March 31, 2002
Lease payments	5,680 million yen	2,307 million yen	6,370 million yen
Amount equivalent to depreciation expenses	4,739	2,198	5,366
Amount equivalent to interest expense	1,069	452	1,263

(4) Calculation method of amount equivalent to depreciation and interest expenses

The amount equivalent to depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the lease periods, assuming no residual value, except in cases where the residual value is guaranteed in the lease contract.

The amount equivalent to interest expense, which is calculated by subtracting acquisition costs from total lease payments, is allocated over the lease periods based on the interest method.

13 Leases transaction (continued)

$\underline{\textbf{13-1. Finance leases in which the ownership of leased assets is not transferred to lessees at the end of lease term.}$

(as a lessor)

(1) Acquisition costs, accumulated depreciation and net book value at the end of periods

	As of September 30, 2002	As of September 30, 2001	As of March 31, 2002
Property and equipment			
Acquisition costs	993	1,009	1,004
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(327)	(135)	(231)
Net Book value	666 million yen	873 million yen	773 million yen
Software (Intangible assets)			
Acquisition costs	514	370	511
Less: Accumulated amortization	(185)	(85)	(134)
Net book value	328 million yen	285 million yen	377 million yen
Total			
Acquisition costs	1,507	1,380	1,516
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(512)	(221)	(365)
Net book value	994 million yen	1,158 million yen	1,150 million yen

(2) The future lease receivables for the finance lease at the end of the periods

	As of September 30, 2002	As of September 30, 2001	As of March 31, 2002
Due within one year	295	253	286
Due after one year	748	930	902
Total	1,043 million yen	1,183 million yen	1,189 million yen

(3) Lease income, depreciation and amount equivalent to interest income for the periods

	For the period ended September 30, 2002	For the period ended September 30, 2001	For the period ended March 31, 2002
Lease income	177 million yen	136 million yen	307 million yen
Depreciation Expenses	150	117	262
Amount equivalent to interest income	35	32	71

(4) Calculation method of amount equivalent to interest income

The amount equivalent to interest income, which is calculated by subtracting acquisition costs from total of lease incomes and estimated residual value, is allocated over the lease periods based on the interest method.

13 Leases transaction (continued)

13-2. Non-cancelable operating lease transactions

(as a lessee)

The future lease payments for non-cancelable operating leases

	As of September 30, 2002	As of September 30, 2001	As of March 31, 2002	
Due within one year	112	643	253	
Due after one year	215	6,279	1,723	
Total	327 million ven	6,923 million yen	1,977 million yen	

(as a lessor)

No transactions applicable.

14 Subsequent events after the date of the consolidated financial statements.

Sales of partial shareholdings of Yahoo! Inc.

On November 6, 2002, the Company sold 17,500,000 shares of Yahoo! Inc. through SOFTBANK America Inc., a whollyowned subsidiary of the Company, for approximately \$294 million (approximately ¥35.9 billion at the rate of ¥122 per US\$1). A capital gain of approximately ¥26.1 billion on this sale will be recorded in the Company's consolidated financial statements for the period ending March 31, 2003.

SEGMENT INFORMATION

1. Business Segment Information

$(1)\ FY 2003\ interim\ (for\ the\ six-month\ period\ ended\ September\ 2002)$

(Millions of ven: amounts less than one million ven are omitted.)

	e-Commerce	e-Finance	Media & Marketing	Broadmedia	Internet Culture	Technology Services	Broadband Infrastructure	Overseas Funds	Others	Total	Elimination	Consolidated Total
Net sales												
(1) Customers	¥119,813	¥11,249	¥7,804	¥5,198	¥15,456	¥4,798	¥13,493	¥1,967	¥11,270	¥191,052	-	¥191,052
(2) Inter-segment	7,538	2,249	359	158	236	4,983	26	-	605	16,158	(16,158)	-
Total	127,351	13,499	8,163	5,357	15,692	9,782	13,520	1,967	11,876	207,211	(16,158)	191,052
Operating expenses	126,099	15,605	8,626	5,957	9,559	9,512	44,782	482	15,721	236,349	(14,097)	222,251
Operating income (loss)	¥1,252	¥(2,105)	¥(463)	¥(600)	¥6,132	¥269	¥(31,262)	¥1,484	¥(3,845)	¥(29,138)	¥(2,061)	¥(31,199)

(2) FY2002 interim (for the six-month period ended September 2001)

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

	e-Commerce	e-Finance	Media & Marketing	Broadmedia	Internet Culture	Technology Services	Internet Infrastructure	Overseas Funds	Others	Total	Elimination	Consolidated Total
Net sales												
(1) Customers	¥121,008	¥9,941	¥23,581	¥5,903	¥8,113	¥4,280	¥27	¥774	¥9,740	¥183,372	-	¥183,372
(2) Inter-segment	8,491	591	441	141	3,965	4,170	0	-	674	18,476	(18,476)	-
Total	129,499	10,532	24,023	6,045	12,079	8,451	27	774	10,414	201,849	(18,476)	183,372
Operating expenses	128,364	14,106	23,407	5,751	8,201	8,010	1,060	928	15,987	205,819	(13,742)	192,077
Operating income (loss)	¥1,135	¥(3,574)	¥615	¥294	¥3,877	¥440	¥(1,032)	¥(153)	¥(5,573)	¥(3,970)	¥(4,734)	¥(8,704)

(3) FY2002 (for the fiscal year ended March 2002)

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omi											yen are omitted.)	
	e-Commerce	e-Finance	Media & Marketing	Broadmedia	Internet Culture	Technology Services	Broadband Infrastructure	Overseas Funds	Others	Total	Elimination	Consolidated Total
Net sales												
(1) Customers	¥265,107	¥21,301	¥47,553	¥11,795	¥20,152	¥9,955	¥7,386	¥2,481	¥19,581	¥405,315	-	¥405,315
(2) Inter-segment	19,087	2,959	885	331	11,862	8,571	1,781	-	1,222	46,703	(46,703)	-
Total	284,195	24,260	48,439	12,127	32,015	18,527	9,168	2,481	20,803	452,018	(46,703)	405,315
Operating expenses	280,989	29,181	45,877	12,166	22,078	17,391	27,121	2,708	27,458	464,972	(35,756)	429,216
Operating income (loss)	¥3,206	¥(4,920)	¥2,561	¥(39)	¥9,936	¥1,135	¥(17,952)	¥(226)	¥(6,654)	¥(12,953)	¥(10,947)	¥(23,901)

[1] 1. Business segments are categorized primarily based on the nature of business operations, type of services, and similarity of sales channels, etc., which the SOFTBANK Group uses for its internal management from the current interim period.

 $2. Main\ businesses\ by\ segment\ (based\ on\ the\ current\ interim\ period):$

Distributes PC software, hardware, and peripherals; operates enterprise businesses and business transaction platform- and consumer-related e-commerce businesses (1) e-Commerce (2) e-Finance All inclusive Web-based financial operations, including Internet securities operations; management of domestic venture capital funds; incubation of portfolio corporations

(3) Media & Marketing Book and magazine publication in such areas as PCs, the Internet, entertainment, etc.; Web content development

Provision of applications and content for broadcasting and broadband communications and promoting the spread of such operations (4) Broadmedia

(5) Internet Culture Internet-based advertising, broadband portals, auctions, etc.

(6) Technology Services System solutions, business solutions, etc.

(7) Broadband Infrastructure Provides ADSL-based broadband infrastructure services, fiber optic ultrahigh-speed internet access services and other businesses.

U.S.- and Asia-focused global private equity operations in Internet-related companies (8) Overseas Funds (9) Others Function as overseas holding companies, provide back-office support services in Japan, etc.

[2] "Broadband Infrastructure" segment, which is the broadband business in ADSL (Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line) technologies started in prior fiscal year, includes "Internet Infrastructure" segment separately disclosed in prior interim period ended September 30, 2001.

(Change in business segmentation)

Effective from the current interim period, the SOFTBANK Group changed its method for dividing the Group's overall business into segments from a method primarily based on the roles and responsibilities of each of the operation holding companies to a new method which is used for internal management reporting purposes from the current interim period, based on the nature of the business operations, type of services, and the similarity of the sales channels, etc.

The reason for the change is that the SOFTBANK Group intends from now on to focus on the broadband infrastructure business as the most important core business, and would therefore like to disclose the Group's activities more appropriately by integrating all broadband infrastructure-related business into one segment, rather than having such business, as before, spread across various segments.

The following shows the impact on the consolidated statement of income for the period ended September 30, 2002 as compared with the amounts which would have been recognized if the previous allocation had been applied consistently.

1 e-Commerce Segment	"Net sales" decreased by $\$1,752$ million and "Operating expenses" decreased by $\$2,847$ million. As a result, "Operating income" increased by $\$1,094$ million.
2 Internet Culture Segment	"Net sales" decreased by $\$8,311$ million and "Operating expenses" decreased by $\$5,083$ million. As a result, "Operating income" decreased by $\$3,288$ million.
3 Broadband Infrastructure Segment	"Net sales" increased by $\$1,032$ million and "Operating expenses" decreased by $\$2,254$ million. As a result, "Operating loss" decreased by $\$3,286$ million.
4 Elimination	"Net sales" increased by ¥9,031 million and "Operating expenses" increased by ¥10,184 million. As a result, "Operating loss" increased by ¥1,153 million.

2. Geographic Segment Information

(1) FY2003 interim (for the period ended September 30, 2002)

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

	Japan	North America	Europe	Korea	Others	Total	Elimination	Consolidated Total
Net sales (1) Customers	¥175,604	¥1,824	-	¥11,340	¥2,282	¥191,052	-	¥191,052
(2) Inter-segment	287	731	163	-	13	1,196	(1,196)	
Total	175,892	2,555	163	11,340	2,296	192,248	(1,196)	191,052
Operating expenses	202,417	2,879	534	12,399	3,146	221,377	874	222,251
Operating income (loss)	¥(26,524)	¥(323)	¥(371)	¥(1,058)	¥(850)	¥(29,128)	¥(2,070)	¥(31,199)

(2) FY2002 interim (for the period ended September 30, 2001)

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

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	Japan	North America	Europe	Korea	Others	Total	Elimination	Consolidated Total
Net sales								
(1) Customers	¥157,845	¥13,897	¥274	¥9,458	¥1,897	¥183,372	-	¥183,372
(2) Inter-segment	83	50	-	-	-	133	(133)	-
Total	157,928	13,947	274	9,458	1,897	183,505	(133)	183,372
Operating expenses	160,237	14,879	633	10,275	3,488	189,514	2,562	192,077
Operating income (loss)	¥(2,308)	¥(931)	¥(359)	¥(817)	¥(1,591)	¥(6,008)	¥(2,696)	¥(8,704)

(3) FY2002 (for the period ended March 31, 2002)

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

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	Japan	North America	Europe	Korea	Others	Total	Elimination	Consolidated Total
Net sales								
(1) Customers	¥352,044	¥28,947	¥1,575	¥19,520	¥3,227	¥405,315	-	¥405,315
(2) Inter-segment	1,677	1,505	1,094	-	-	4,277	(4,277)	-
Total	353,721	30,453	2,669	19,520	3,227	409,592	(4,277)	405,315
Operating expenses	369,714	28,599	3,930	21,097	5,497	428,838	377	429,216
Operating income (loss)	¥(15,992)	¥1,854	¥(1,260)	¥(1,576)	¥(2,270)	¥(19,245)	¥(4,655)	¥(23,901)

Note: Net sales by geographic region were recognized based on geographic location.

Significant countries in each region are shown below:

North America: U.S.A. and Canada Europe: U.K., Germany and France Others: China, Hong Kong and Singapore

3. Overseas sales

(1) FY2003 interim (for the period ended September 30, 2002)

Overseas sales for the period ended September 30, 2002 were omitted because the total overseas sales were less than 10% of total consolidated sales.

(2) FY2002 interim (for the period ended September 30, 2001)

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

	North America	Europe	Korea	Other	Total
I. Overseas sales	¥14,147	¥300	¥9,458	¥1,940	¥25,846
II. Total consolidated sales					¥183,372
III. Overseas sales as a percentage of total consolidated sales	8 %	0 %	5 %	1 %	14 %

(3) FY2002 (for the period ended March 31, 2002)

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

	North America	Europe	Korea	Other	Total
Overseas sales II. Total consolidated sales	¥29,323	¥1,944	¥19,532	¥3,597	¥54,398 ¥405,315
III. Overseas sales as a percentage of total consolidated sales	7 %	0 %	5 %	1 %	13 %

Note: Net sales by geographic region were recognized based on geographic location.

Significant countries in each region are shown below:

North America: U.S.A. and Canada Europe: U.K., Germany and France Others: China, Hong Kong and Singapore

PER SHARE DATA

Effective from the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2002, the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries adopted Financial Accounting Standards No.2: "Accounting Standards for Earnings per Share" and Financial Accounting Standards Implementation Guidance No.4: "Implementation Guidance for Accounting Standards for Earnings per Share", which was issued by Accounting Standard Board of Japan on September 25,2002. Retroactive per share information is as follows.

	FY2003 interim	FY2002	2 interim	FY2	2002
	Calculation	Calculation	Calculation	Calculation	Calculation
	under	under	under	under	under
	new standards	new standards	previous standards	new standards	previous standards
Net loss per share - primary (yen)	¥(166.27)	¥(161.57)	¥(161.29)	¥(264.04)	¥(263.53)
Net loss per share - diluted -(note 1)	-	-	-	-	-
Net assets per share (yen)	855.33	1,046.02	1,046.30	1,380.80	1,381.31
Basic data for computation of the per share data					
Average number of common stock outstanding during each fiscal period (unit: shares) -(note 2)	336,869,930	336,762,941	336,762,941	336,798,168	336,798,168
2. Net loss allocated to common stock outstanding (in millions of yen)	¥(56,010)	¥(54,412)	¥(54,315)	¥(88,926)	¥(88,755)
3. Net loss not allocated to common stock holders (in millions of yen) -(note 3)	207	96	N/A	171	N/A

Notes:

- 1. Diluted net income per share is not disclosed due to the loss position.
- 2. There were no potential dilutive securities in respect of the common stock outstanding at each period end.
- 3. The primary component is "Bonuses to Directors".

Investments in Debt and Equity Securities

FY2003 interim (as of September 30, 2002)

1. The aggregate cost and market value (carrying value) of other securities and available-for-sales securities

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

	FY2003 interim (as of September 30, 2002)					
	Cost	Market value (Carrying value)	Unrealized gains/(losses)			
(1) Equity securities(2) Debt securities	¥37,888	¥62,614	¥24,725			
Government bonds	310	310	(0)			
(3) Others	107	105	(2)			
Total	¥38,307	¥63,030	¥24,723			

2. The carrying amounts of unlisted investment securities

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

	Carrying amounts
(1) Unlisted held-to-maturity securities:	
Debt securities	¥1
(2) Unlisted other securities and available-for-sale securities:	
Equity securities	29,714
Domestic debt securities	1,845
Foreign debt securities	5,248
MMF	9,257
Mid-term government bond funds	408
Preferred fund certificates	2,000
Others	0
Total	¥48,476

FY2002 interim (as of September 30, 2001)

1. The aggregate cost and market value (carrying value) of other securities and sales-for-sales securities

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

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	FY2002 interim (as of September 30, 2001)					
	Cost	Market value (Carrying value)	Unrealized gains/(losses)			
(1) Equity securities	¥147,176	¥130,218	¥(16,957)			
(2) Others	2	2	-			
Total	¥147,179	¥130,221	¥(16,957)			

2. The carrying amounts of unlisted investment securities

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

	Carrying amounts
(1) Unlisted held-to-maturity securities:	
Debt securities	¥62
(2) Unlisted other securities and available-for-sale securities:	
Equity securities (excluding over-the-counter stocks)	41,384
Domestic debt securities	11,127
Foreign debt securities	11,670
MMF	17,725
Mid-term government bond funds	1,707
Total	¥83,677

Investments in Debt and Equity Securities (continued)

FY2002 (as of March 31, 2002)

1. The aggregate cost and market value (carrying value) of other securities and available-for-sales securities

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

	FY2002 (as of March 31, 2002)			
	Cost	Market value (Carrying value)	Unrealized gains(losses)	
Market value > Investment cost				
(1) Equity securities	¥79,171	¥268,420	¥189,249	
Sub-total	79,171	268,420	189,249	
Market value Investment cost				
(1) Equity securities	27,935	25,530	(2,405)	
(2) Debt securities				
Government bonds	301	300	(0)	
(3) Others	2	2	-	
Sub-total	28,239	25,833	(2,405)	
Total	¥107,410	¥294,254	¥186,843	

2. The carrying amounts of the unlisted investment securities

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

	Carrying amounts
(1) Unlisted held-to-maturity securities:	
Domestic debt securities	¥0
Foreign debt securities	99
(2) Unlisted other securities and available-for-sale securities:	
Equity securities (excluding over-the-counter stocks)	42,375
Domestic debt securities	1,742
Foreign debt securities	2,797
MMF	11,520
Mid-term government bonds funds	323
Beneficial interest in trusts	1,000
Preferred fund certificates	2,000
Others	30
Total	¥61,889

$\frac{\text{CONTRACT AND OTHER AMOUNTS, FAIR VALUE AND UNREALIZED GAIN}}{\text{OR LOSS ON DERIVATIVE TRANSACTIONS}}$

Currency Related

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

		FY20	03 Interim (as	rim (as of September 30, 2002)			FY2002 Interim (as of September 30, 2001)				FY2002 (as of March 31, 2002)			
	Nature of transaction	Contract amounts		Fair	Unrealized	Contract amounts		Fair Unrealized		Contract amounts		Fair	Unrealized	
			Over 1 year	value	gains/(losses)		Over 1 year	value	gains/(losses)		Over 1 year	value	gains/(losses)	
Off-market transactions	Swap transactions Australia dollars receiver, JPY payer Forward exchange contracts U.S. dollars purchased, Japanese yen sold	¥1,000	¥1,000	¥24	¥24 -	¥1,000	¥1,000	¥(159)	¥(159)	¥1,000	¥1,000	¥10	¥10	
	Total				¥24				¥(151)				¥10	

Interest Related

(Millions of yen; amounts less than one million yen are omitted.)

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		FY2003 Interim (as of September 30, 2002)				FY2002 Interim (as of September 30, 2001)				FY2002 (as of March 31, 2002)				
	Nature of transaction	Notional amounts		Fair	Unrealized	Notional amounts		Fair	Unrealized	Notional amounts		Fair	Unrealized	
			Over 1 year	value	gains/(losses)		Over 1 year	value	gains/(losses)		Over 1 year	value	gains/(losses)	
Off-market transactions	Swap transactions													
	• Fix rate receiver, floating rate payer	¥1,528	¥1,428	¥126	¥126	¥5,771	¥1,771	¥303	¥303	¥5,771	¥1,771	¥248	¥248	
	Floating rate receiver, fix rate payer	2,814	2,714	(203)	(203)	7,485	3,485	(419)	(419)	7,485	3,485	(366)	(366)	
	Fix rate receiver (receipt later), floating rate payer (pre payment)	1,000	1,000	37	37	1,000	1,000	37	37	1,000	1,000	36	36	
	Total				¥(39)				¥(78)				¥(81)	

Notes: 1. Fair value is based on the information from the financial institutions.

^{2.} In addition to the above, the overseas consolidated subsidiaries engaged in the securities business recorded the fair value of the equity options in the amount of \(\frac{\pmathbf{\foral}}{1.015}\) million, and the notional amounts of these options, measured by the market value of the underlying shares were \(\frac{\pmathbf{\forall}}{10.765}\) million in the period ended September 30, 2001.