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## Update on Damages Caused by Floods in Thailand

Nidec Corporation (NYSE: NJ) (the "Company") announced today an update as of November 14, 2011 on flood damages to Nidec Group companies in Thailand.

Following the restart of operations at the Rangsit Factory and one of the Ayutthaya Factories, the Company commenced alternative production of HDD motors on November 12 at a leased factory in Rayong Province located outside the flooded areas, which is intended to temporarily substitute for the Company's currently inactive Bangkadi Factory. We will continue our efforts to further improve the utilization of the factories whose operations have resumed and to bring the Company's other flood-stricken factories back into operation to the earliest extent possible.

The exact amount of damage and the effect of the floods on the Company's performance are being assessed currently. We will continue to report on any actual or potential impact on the Company's business performance in a prompt manner.

Company	Factory	Location	Products	Status
Nidec Electronics	Rangsit	Pathumthani Province	Hard disk	Operations resumed on Oct. 25.
(Thailand) Co.,	Bangkadi	Bangkadi Industrial	drive	Alternative production started on Nov.
Ltd.		Park,	("HDD")	12 at a leased factory in Rayong
		Pathumthani Province	motors	Province.
	Rojana	Rojana Industrial Park,		Property inundated and operations
		Ayutthaya Province		
Nidec Precision	Rojana	Rojana Industrial Park,	HDD motor	Industrial Park started on Nov. 8.
(Thailand) Co., Ltd.	-	Ayutthaya Province	components	
	Ayutthaya	Wangnoi District,		
		Ayutthaya Province		<b>Operations resumed on Nov. 4.</b>
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Nidec Component	Saraburi	SIL Industrial Land,	HDD base	No damages confirmed and operations
Technology		Saraburi Province	plates	remain normal.
(Thailand) Co., Ltd.	Bang Pa-In	Bang Pa-In Industrial Estate,		Property inundated and operations
		Ayutthaya Province		suspended. Floodwater removal from the
				Industrial Estate started on Nov. 8.
Nidec Shibaura	—	Bangkadi Industrial Park,	Home	Factory precinct partially inundated and
Electronics		Pathumthani Province	appliance	operations temporarily suspended.
(Thailand) Co., Ltd.			motors	
Nidec Copal	—	Nava Nakorn Industrial	Camera	Factory precinct partially inundated and
(Thailand) Co., Ltd.		Estate,	shutters	operations temporarily suspended.
		Pathumthani Province	Lens units	Floodwater removal from the Industrial
				Estate expected to start on Nov. 15.
Nidec-Read	—	Chachoengsao Province	Inspection	No damages confirmed and operations
(Thailand) Co., Ltd.			fixtures	remain normal.