

# Information & Control Systems Business Strategy

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#### 1-1. Positioning of the Information & Control Systems Company

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Provide optimal systems to operate and manage social infrastructure Add value and use distinctive technologies to drive the Social Innovation Business

# **1-2. Business Overview**

rom system proposals to MONOZUKURI

#### Wide application scope from information to control systems



# Platforms and Components Information platforms Control components Power electronics products Servers Storages Control servers EIC integrated controllers UPS High-voltage inverters Power converters

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#### **1-3.** Example Systems and Core Products and Technologies (1) HITACHI Inspire the Next

#### Tokyo Area Urban Train Control System (ATOS)

World's largest real-time control system

(Thousands of computers manage about 300 train stations in 19 train sections)



Supporting safe, secure and reliable train operations in the Tokyo area, 24 hours a day.

(Controlling around 7,300 trains everyday, at minimum to 2-minute intervals)

(Data collated by Hitachi from published data)

#### Autonomous decentralized architecture

Each subsystem functions autonomously
Faults in one part do not affect the entire system



Progressive expansion of the system for each station and train zone (20 years since project launch and still expanding)
 Systemization of complex control and business operations (Division of work between station and center)
 A highly reliable wide area network

#### Shinkansen Traffic Control System

 World's first computer-controlled traffic management system (1972 opening of Sanyo Shinkansen in Okayama)
 Supporting high-speed, high frequency, accurate, safe Shinkansen traffic

Taiwan Shinkansen Joetsu Shinkansen Nagano Shinkansen Sanyo Shinkansen Kyushu Shinkansen Tokaido Shinkansen

Business operation: Approx. 2,400 kilometers, carrying approx. 860,000 people/day

Tohoku Shinkansen

- Speed: 300 km/h Frequency: Approx. 1,000 trains/day
- Average delay time per train: 0.6 min.

(FY2009 Tokaido Shinkansen Statistics, including delays caused by natural and weather effects)

(Data collated by Hitachi from data published on Japan Railway company websites)

# Highly reliable real-time control technology

Built in redundancy in system structure and fault tolerant (FT) systems used for highreliability and high-speed processing

# Systemization of high-level driving functions

- Train schedule management and real-time automatic track control
- Train schedule rearrangement based on schedule prediction

### Fault tolerant systems

Fault tolerant and

high-speed processing 13-year operation record

New model CF-1000/FT Uses common hardware and proprietary control software to realize FT Information control-platform CF-1000/FT



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## **2-1.** Market Trends –Information and Control Systems Market

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#### Increasing demand for social infrastructure systems for creating a low-carbon society



# **2-2.** Smart & Smooth –Fusing Information and Control Technologies

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#### Use control information to support human mobility and increase convenience



## **Digital signage**

- Fusing traffic control and SaaS-type content distribution services
- Provision of train service information to station users improves convenience



SaaS: Software as a Service

# 2-3. Smart & Smooth Solutions– (2) Plant Systems



#### Applying knowledge extraction to plant information to automate and raise efficiency of plant operation and maintenance



EAM : Enterprise Asset Management

Use data-mining technology with control information and plant know-how to extract and systemize knowledge and rules

Achieve high efficiency of operation and maintenance, raise operation rates and reduce environmental load, etc.

Progressively introduce for all kinds of plants, including industrial and power generation

Enterprise asset management (EAM)

- •Remote maintenance, operation guidance
- •Environmental management solutions, etc.

# **2-4. Competitive Environment**

Hitachi and others respond to new social infrastructure needs by strengthening their solutions



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# 3. FY2009 Results and Medium-Term Targets



#### **Business Policy**

Develop solutions that fuse information and control into global growth markets

(Billion yen)





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# 4-1. Growth Strategy(1)

#### Develop solutions that fuse information and control in global growth markets

Strategies	Action Plans
<ul> <li>Promote businesses involving collaborative creation with customers</li> <li>Provide value-added solutions through information-control fusion × knowledge and experience</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Provide solutions that fuse information and control for railways</li> <li>Provide complete systems by developing a support package for plant operation and maintenance</li> </ul>
Develop next-generation social infrastructure systems by drawing on the collective strengths of the Hitachi Group.	<ul> <li>Concentrate investment in joint R&amp;D with the Supervisory Office for Business Coordination (energy, transport, etc.)</li> <li>Collaboration with Smart City Business Management Division. (Control of businesses and development across the group)</li> <li>Development of next-generation smart grid solutions</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Use urban development projects as a springboard for expanding into global growth markets</li> <li>Respond to demand for urban development in emerging countries (China, India, etc.), and upgraded infrastructure in industrialized countries.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Strengthen ties with governments to create projects. (Tianjin Eco-City, Delhi Mumbai Industrial Corridor feasibility study, etc.)</li> <li>Establish global manufacturing and SI bases</li> <li>Actively propose inter-city high-speed rail plans</li> </ul>

# **Develop next-generation smart grid solutions**

Hitachi smart grid technologies and solutions

# Developing next-generation smart grid solutions

## 4-3. Hitachi Smart Grid Technologies and Solutions



From control of power equipment and systems business operation systems Hitachi contributes to the stable supply of power and overall optimization of power distribution systems



# **4-4.** Developing Next-generation Smart Grid Solutions

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#### Total optimization of energy infrastructure through fusion of power and information technologies

#### Develop next generation systems and technologies that are Smart & Smooth

- Develop next-generation grid stabilization technologies (Smart grid simulators, etc.)
- Create safe, high-efficiency community energy management system (CEMS) (DSM, EV linking, authentication management)
- Develop total AMI solutions (MDM, distribution equipment management, further joint opertions with Osaki Electric Co., Ltd)



(\*) With Japan Wind Development Co., Ltd. (Rokkasho Village), and NEDO (New Mexico, U.S.) and others.

DMS: Demand Side Management , EV: Electric Vehicle

MDM : Meter Data Management

CEMS : Community Energy Management System ,

HEMS : Home Energy Management System , BEMS : Building Energy Management System ,



# **Penetration in Global Growth Markets**

# Trends

- Activities in emerging countries
  - Constructing Global Manufacturing and SI Bases

## **4-6.** Penetration in Global Growth Markets (1) Trends



Large-scale projects are underway for building social infrastructure in emerging countries, and sophisticating infrastructure in industrialized countries

#### **Europe and Africa**

 High-speed railway in the U.K.

#### China

 National Development and Reform Commission's model project for energy saving and emission reduction
 Eco-city development (Tianjin, etc.)

Railway network

#### U.S. and Canada

- Smart grid demonstrative projects (New Mexico, etc.)
- Bolstering nuclear power generation
- High-speed railway network

Emerging countries are undertaking urban construction and infrastructure upgrades simultaneously, aiming for economic growth and low-carbon societies

India, South East Asia and the Middle East

Delhi Mumbai Industrial Corridor

#### Brazil

High-speed railway



Participate in urban development and inter-city transport projects centered on systems that coordinate information and control

Establish a business model through participation in international projects and demonstrative projects

#### Provide total solutions for urban energy management

- Power transmission stabilization system
- Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI)
- Community energy management (CEMS)
- EV linking system, etc.

Participate in consortiums for providing total industrial infrastructure (power, water treatment, transport, etc.)

 Look broadly at application potential for information and control systems



**Participation in Tianjin Eco-City** 

#### Delhi Mumbai Industrial Corridor (DMIC)

Participation in joint project between Japan and India (MOU signed April 30, 2010)





AMI : Advanced Metering Infrastructure CEMS:Community Energy Management System,EV:Electric Vehicle HEMS:Home Energy Management System,BEMS:Building Energy Management System,

## 4-8. Constructing Global Manufacturing and SI Bases



#### Establish a position as a solutions partner in growing markets

**RFID** : Radio Frequency IDentification

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# 5-1. Conclusion (1) Results

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# FY2015 Targets

# Revenue: ¥350.0 billion

# Overseas revenue ratio: 35%

We will drive the Social Innovation Business through Smart & Smooth social infrastructure systems that fuse information and control.

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