Financial Results
for the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2018
and
Financial Forecasts
for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2019

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- \*\* "FY" in this material indicates the fiscal year ending March 31 of the succeeding year.

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# **FY2017 Highlights**



- Both Operating Revenues and Operating Income increased
- Record levels for Operating Revenues, Operating Income and Net Income

#### Status of Consolidated Financial Results

➤ Operating Revenues: ¥11,799.6 billion (increase of ¥408.6 billion [ 3.6%] year-on-year)

➤ Operating Income : ¥1,642.8 billion (increase of ¥103.1 billion [ 6.7%] year-on-year)

➤ Net Income<sup>\*1</sup> : ¥909.7 billion (increase of ¥109.6 billion [13.7%] year-on-year)

[ ¥859.7 billion<sup>\*2</sup>(increase of ¥59.6 billion [ 7.4%] year-on-year) ]

**► EPS** : ¥455.78 (increase of ¥64.84 [16.6%] year-on-year)

[ ¥430.73<sup>\*2</sup> (increase of ¥39.79 [10.2%] year-on-year) ]

➤ Overseas Sales : \$19.51 billion (increase of \$2.62 billion [15.5%] year-on-year)

> Overseas Operating Income\*3: \$1.01 billion (increase of \$0.22 billion [28.2%] year-on-year)

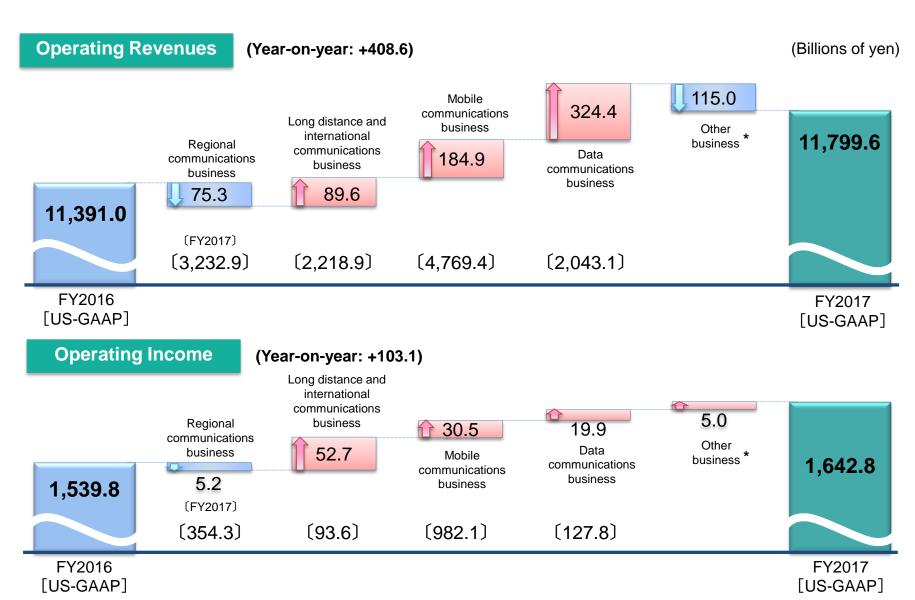
<sup>\*1</sup> Net income represents net income attributable to NTT, excluding noncontrolling interests.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes the effects of the arbitration award received from Tata Sons Limited.

<sup>\*3</sup> Operating Income excludes temporary expenses, such as M&A-related depreciation costs of intangible fixed assets.

### FY2017 Contributing Factors by Segment





<sup>\*</sup>Includes adjustments such as elimination

#### **Summary of Medium-Term Financial Targets**



**Results** 

Medium-Term Targets

**EPS Growth** 

¥456 (¥431<sub>1</sub>)

At least ¥400

Streamlining Capital Investment

(Domestic Network Business\*2) [compared to FY2014]

¥204.9 billion At least ¥200 billion

Cost Reductions\*3

(in fixed-line/mobile access networks) [compared to FY2014]

¥856.0 billion At least ¥800 billion

Overseas Sales/Operating Income<sup>\*4</sup> \$19.5B/\$1.0B \$22B/\$1.5B

- \*1 Excludes the effects of the arbitration award received from Tata Sons Limited.
- \*2 Excludes NTT Com's data centers and certain other assets.
- \*3 Does not reflect the impact of the change in depreciation method.
- \*4 Operating Income excludes temporary expenses, such as M&A-related depreciation costs of intangible fixed assets.

# FY2017 Topics



- Increased Profitability of Network Services
  - > Expansion of NTT's User Base
    - Mobile Subscriptions: 76.37 million mobile subscriptions (net increase of 1.49 million) (Included in the above) Kake-hodai & Pake-aeru: 41.96 million subscriptions (net increase of 4.90 million)
  - FTTH Subscriptions: 20.53 million subscribers (net increase of 0.48 million) (Included in the above) Hikari Collaboration: 11.12 million (net increase of 2.37 million)
  - ➤ Growing number of Wi-Fi area owners\*: 744 (net increase of 187)

<sup>\*</sup> Total number of large-scale corporate or local government customers. Excludes small-scale restaurants, etc.

# **FY2017 Topics**



- Promotion of the B2B2X Model
  - ➤ Supported digital transformations in an effort towards creating new value and solving social issues and challenges
  - ➤ Created innovative models by expanding collaboration with corporations and local governments in various fields, such as sports, transportation and manufacturing
- Expansion of Global Cloud Services
  - ➤ Cross-Selling Order Volume: \$0.83 billion
  - ➤ Completed transfer of cloud laaS business from Dimension Data to NTT communications
  - ➤ Completed 100% acquisition of Secure-24, a provider of managed services in the U.S.
- Progress of "Tokyo 2020 Medal Project: Towards an Innovative Future for All"
  - ➤ Number of used mobile phones and other devices collected(as of the end of March 2018): approximately 3.30 million devices

# **FY2018 Forecast Summary**



■ Both Operating Revenues and Operating Income are expected to increase, and Net Income (excluding a non-recurring event\*3) is expected to increase

#### Plan for Consolidated Revenues and Income

	FY2017 Result		FY2018 Forecast	
				Year-on-Year
	US-GAAP	IFRS*1	IFRS	IFRS
Operating Revenues	¥11,799.6 billion	¥11,778.2 billion	¥11,830.0 billion	+51.8 billion [+0.4%]
Operating Income	¥1,642.8 billion	¥1,641.8 billion	¥1,690.0 billion	+48.2 billion [+2.9%]
Net Income*2	¥909.7 billion 【¥859.7 billion*3】	¥898.7 billion 【¥848.7 billion*3】	¥880.0 billion	(18.7 billion) [(2.1%)] [+31.3 billion [+3.7%]]

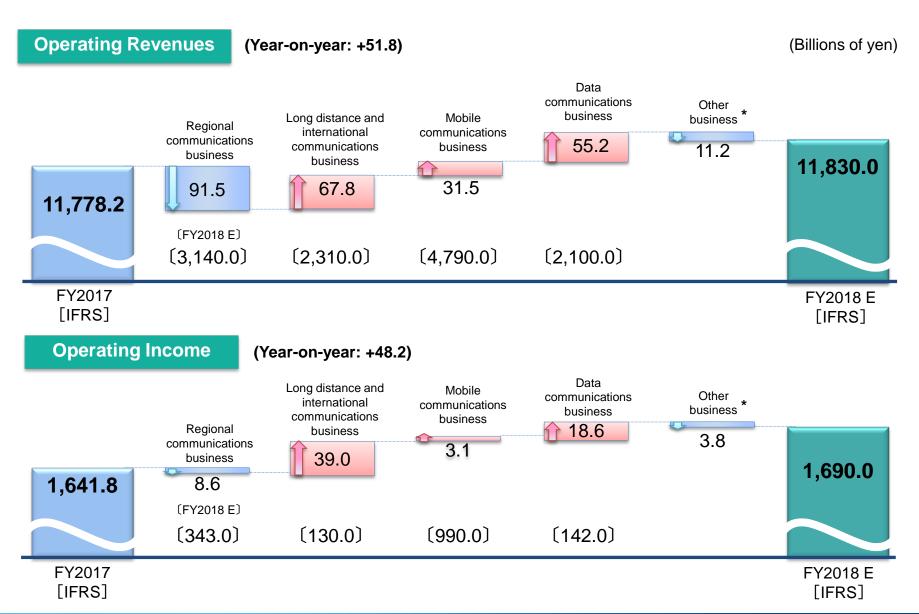
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# FY2018 Forecast Summary by Segment



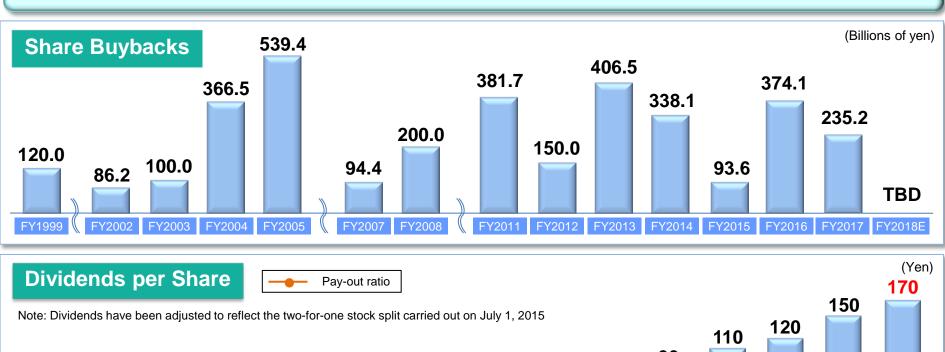


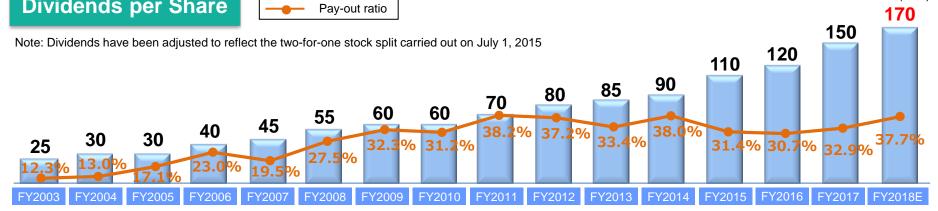
#### **Shareholder Returns**



■ Share Buybacks : Completed ¥235.2 billion of share buybacks on the open market in FY2017

■ Dividends : Aggregate annual dividends for FY2018 expected to increase to ¥170 per share (an increase of ¥20 from FY2017), starting with the interim dividends for FY2018





#### **Towards a New Medium-Term Management Strategy**



- Continue and further strengthen NTT's self-transformation into a "Value Partner"
  - Increase global business profits
  - Strengthen profitability of domestic network services (increase cost reductions and improve investment and asset efficiency)
  - Promote the B2B2X model and take on the challenge of new market development

# Formulate a New Medium-Term Management Strategy in Conjunction with Second Quarter Results

- Based on future milestones, such as the introduction of 5G and PSTN migration, determine targets and initiatives for multiple timespans, such as three, five and seven years
- For financial targets, maintain the current policy of EPS growth as the main indicator, and set new targets for business structure reform, cost reduction, and improved investment and asset efficiency

# (Reference) Major B2B2X Initiatives since FY2017







2017 July

Deepen digital marketing, including through new viewing experiences at stadiums



#### TOYOTA

Aug.

Initiated consortium formation for the network and computing infrastructure of automotive Big Data



#### **FANUC**

Oct.

Commercially launched the FIELD System, which incorporates edge computing and other technologies





Oct.

Started testing to utilize corevo® for labor reduction in the field of agriculture/water environment





Nov.

Used Kirari! to provide new kabuki effects, such as the joint transmission of simultaneous real and virtual performances (hosted the "Miyako Musubi Yume no Renjishi" performance in Pontocho and Miyagawa)





2018 Jan. Released the "DATA-SMART CITY SAPPORO" ICT utilization platform in Sapporo





Feb.

Successfully conducted joint testing of the application of edge computing and other technologies to IoT on ships





Apr.

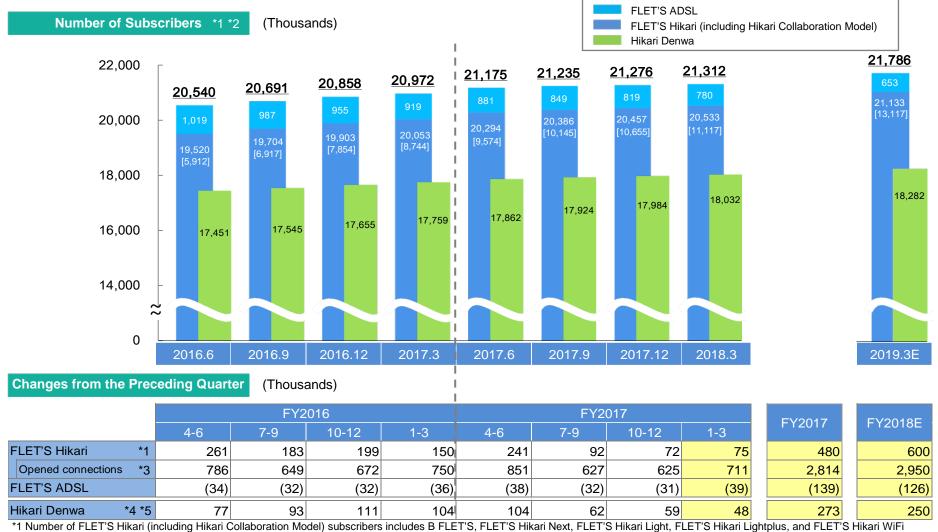
Began sales of cybersecurity technology providing safe operation of critical infrastructure control systems

# **Appendix**

# **Progress of Broadband Services**

#### **Number of Subscribers for Fixed Broadband Services**





<sup>\*1</sup> Number of FLET'S Hikari (including Hikari Collaboration Model) subscribers includes B FLET'S, FLET'S Hikari Next, FLET'S Hikari Light, FLET'S Hikari Lightplus, and FLET'S Hikari WiFi Access provided by NTT East, B FLET'S, FLET'S Hikari Premium, FLET'S Hikari Mytown, FLET'S Hikari Next, FLET'S Hikari Mytown Next, FLET'S Hikari Light and FLET'S Hikari WiFi Access provided by NTT West, and wholesale services (Hikari Collaboration Model) provided by both NTT East and NTT West.

<sup>\*2</sup> Figures in [] represent the number of subscribers to "Hikari Collaboration Model," the wholesale provision of services by NTT East and NTT West to service providers.

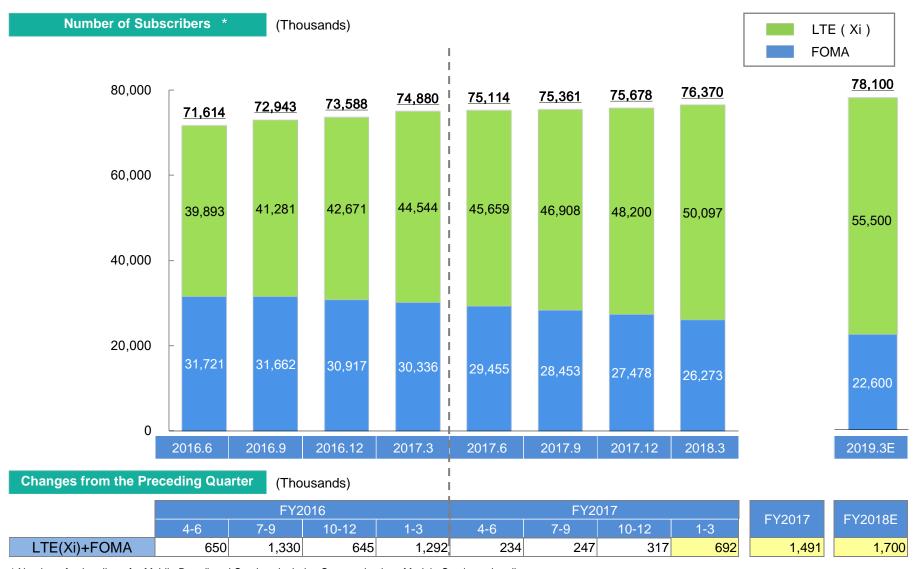
<sup>\*3</sup> Number of opened connections excludes openings as a result of relocations.

<sup>\*4</sup> Numbers for Hikari Denwa include wholesale services provided to service providers by NTT East and NTT West.

<sup>\*5</sup> Numbers of Hikari Denwa subscribers are presented in thousands of channels.

#### **Number of Subscribers for Mobile Broadband Services**

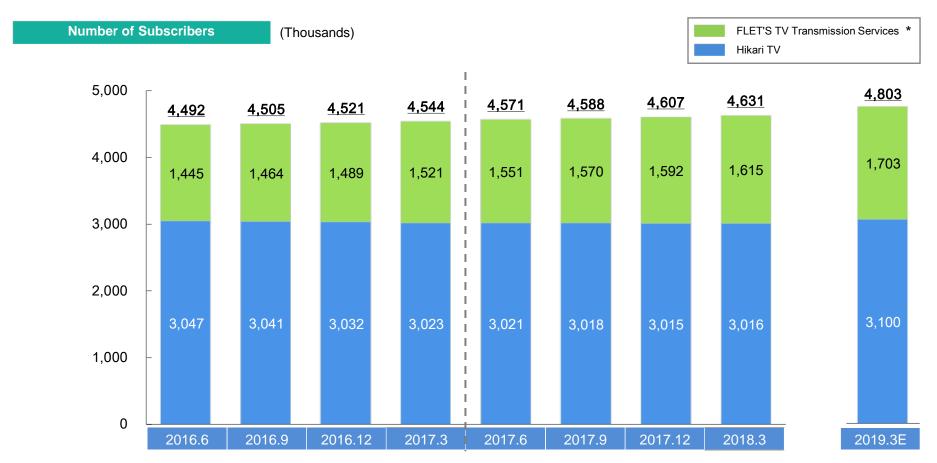




<sup>\*</sup> Number of subscribers for Mobile Broadband Services includes Communications Module Service subscribers

#### **Number of Subscribers for Video Services**



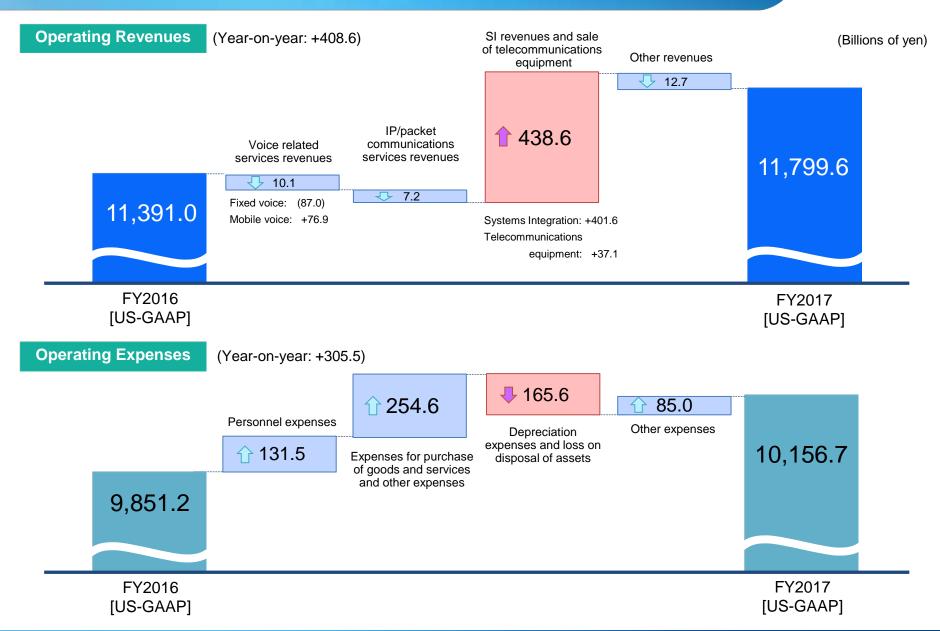


<sup>\*</sup> Number of subscribers to FLET'S TV Transmission Services includes wholesale services provided to service providers by NTT East and NTT West.

# **Financial Information**

#### **Details of Consolidated Statement of Income**

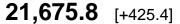


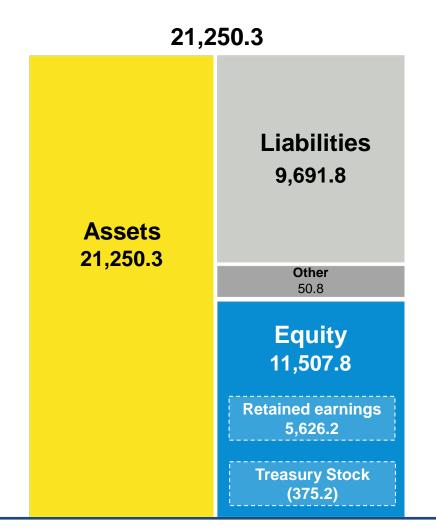


#### **Details of Consolidated Balance Sheet**









**Assets 21,675.8** [+425.4]

**9,593.3**[(98.5)]

Other 49.9 [(0.9)]

**Equity** 12,032.6

[+524.8]

**Retained earnings 6,260.6**[+634.5]

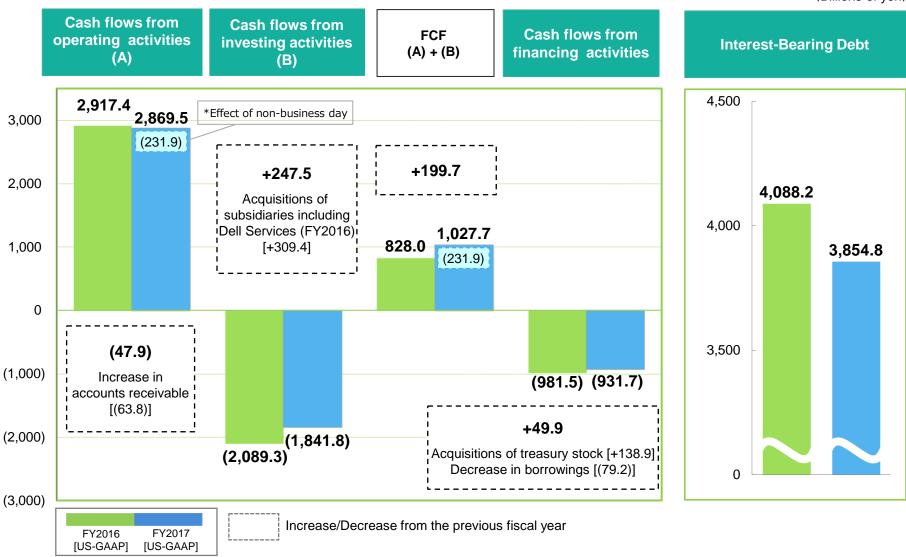
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#### **Details of Consolidated Cash Flows**



(Billions of yen)

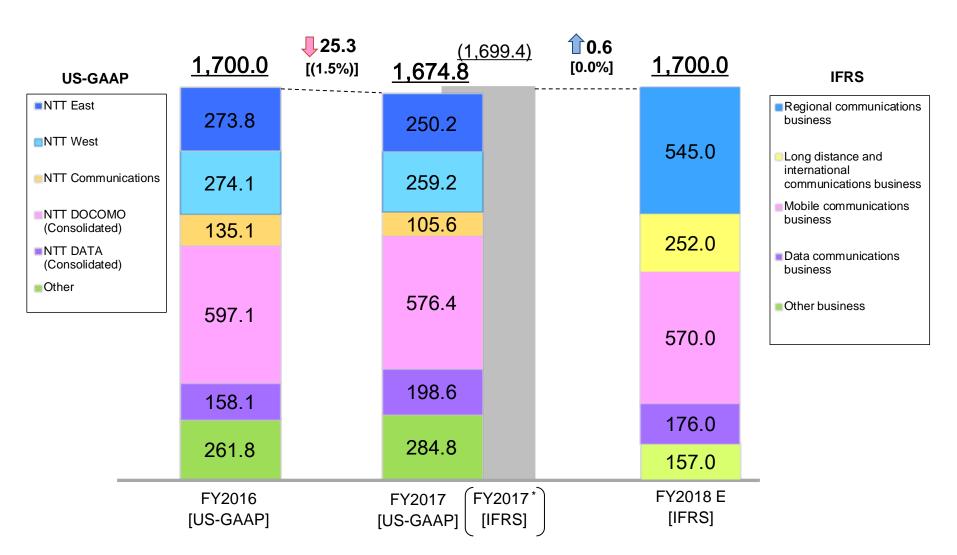


<sup>\*</sup> The effect of the last day of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2018 having been a non-business day, resulting in the increase in accounts receivable because of the due date of a portion of accounts receivable being, instead of the last day of the fiscal year, the first business day of the following month. Including the effect described above, Cash flows from operating activities and the FCF amounts for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2018 were 2,637.5 billion yen and 795.8 billion yen, respectively.

#### **Details of Capital Investment**



(Billions of yen)



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