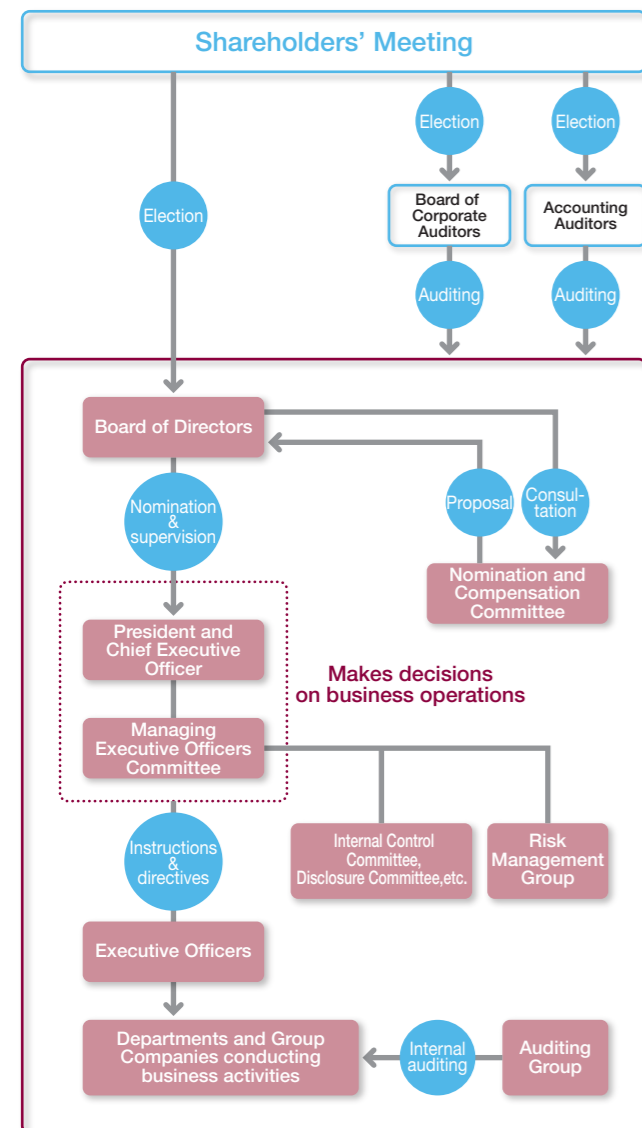


The basis of Advantest's corporate governance is our drive to increase operational transparency, achieve sustainable growth, and increase our corporate value via an optimal management structure. We are focused on building a highly efficient business on a global scale, honing our competitive edge, and keeping pace with our rapidly changing environment.

The Advantest approach to corporate governance

We aim to increase operational transparency, achieve sustainable growth, and increase our corporate value in line with the basic principles of management set out in *The ADVANTEST Way* and the Advantest Code of Conduct, a set of rules and standards of behavior that all executives and employees must observe. We clearly separate decision-making and supervising functions from executive functions, enhancing management efficiency and transparency.



Management structure

The global business environment is changing more rapidly than ever before. To continuously increase our corporate value and competitiveness in today's world, we emphasize speedy decision-making and execution. We also place an emphasis on sound, highly transparent business operations in compliance with laws and regulations. In order to meet these challenges, we draw clear lines of authority within our organization and set responsibilities in accordance with each management function, assigning each role to the best person for the job.

Advantest utilizes a corporate audit system built around the Board of Directors and Board of Corporate Auditors. We have also introduced an executive officer system in order to improve our response times and enhance corporate governance.

Internal auditing

Advantest's Auditing Group annually conducts an internal audit of risk and operational control of each Group company to ensure compliance with relevant laws and regulations. As a listed company on the New York Stock Exchange, Advantest is required to comply with the US Sarbanes-Oxley (SOX) Act. We therefore utilize the COSO framework¹ and the control self-assessment (CSA) technique² to ensure that the operational processes of each division exceed the standards required. In recognition of the indispensability of these efforts in boosting the transparency of our business activities and building a positive corporate culture, we work hard to address each and every problem discovered during an internal audit.

¹ COSO framework:
A framework for internal control proposed by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission (COSO) in 1992. In order to ensure—largely for the benefit of shareholders—that internal control is performed systematically over the activities of the manager and all other personnel, internal control is defined as having three objectives: (1) effectiveness and efficiency of operations, (2) reliability of financial reporting, (3) compliance with applicable laws and regulations, and consisting of five components: (1) control environment, (2) risk assessment, (3) control activities, (4) information and communication, (5) monitoring. These components are considered to be the standard elements by which to measure the effectiveness of internal control.

² Control self-assessment (CSA):
An internal control method that allows executives and managers directly involved in businesses of the entity to assess the effectiveness of the entity's control processes and risk management. With this technique, it is expected that risks can be identified, and control activities can be assessed and improved effectively and efficiently.

Corporate Data

Registered Name	ADVANTEST CORPORATION	Date Registered	December 2, 1954
Head Office	Shin-Marunouchi Center Building, 1-6-2 Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-0005, Japan	Capital	¥32.4 billion (As of March 31, 2011)
		Consolidated Net Sales	¥99.6 billion (Fiscal 2010)
Stock Exchange Listings	Tokyo Stock Exchange, 1st Section (Code: 6857) New York Stock Exchange (Ticker Symbol: ATE)	Business Description	Semiconductor and Component Test System Business, Mechatronics System Business, Services, Support and Others
Date Established	July 1954	No. of Employees	1,944 Advantest Corporation (Japan) 3,163 Advantest Group (Worldwide) (As of March 31, 2011)

Website: <http://www.advantest.co.jp/about/company/en-index.shtml>

Directors & Corporate Auditors

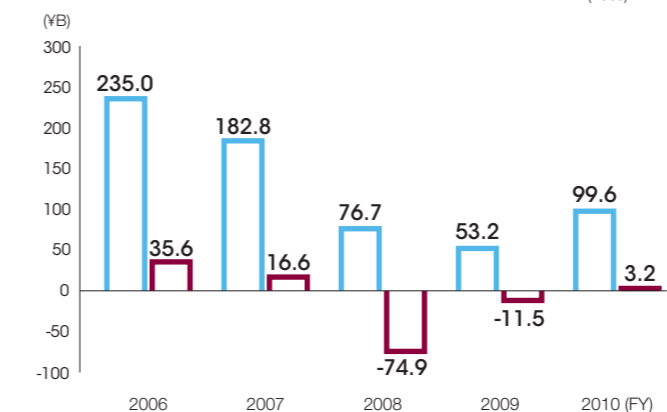


Executive Officers

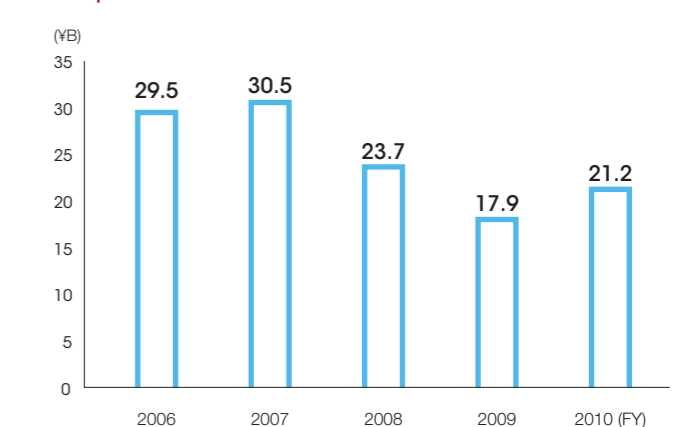
President and CEO	Haruo Matsuno	Executive Officer	Yasuhiro Kawata
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Senior Executive Officer	Jorge Titingier	Executive Officer	Takashi Sekino
Managing Executive Officer	Shinichiro Kuroe	Executive Officer	Soichi Tsukakoshi
Managing Executive Officer	Sae Bum Myung	Executive Officer	Josef Schraetzenstaller
Managing Executive Officer	Hiroshi Nakamura	Executive Officer	R. Keith Lee
Managing Executive Officer	Yoshiaki Yoshida	Executive Officer	Makoto Nakahara
Managing Executive Officer	Masao Shimizu	Executive Officer	Toshiyuki Okayasu
Managing Executive Officer	Hideaki Imada	Executive Officer	Hans-Juergen Wagner
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Financial Data

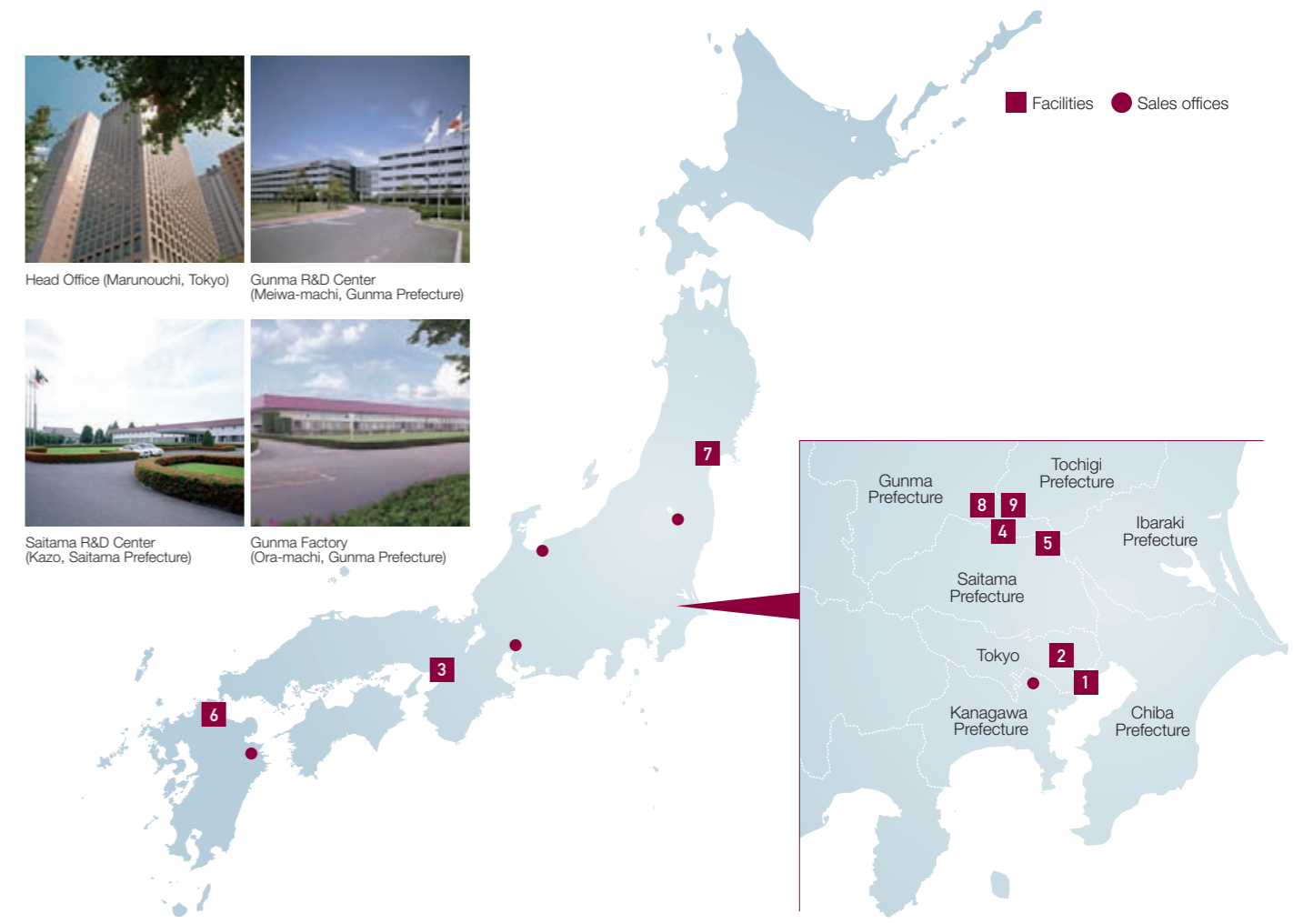
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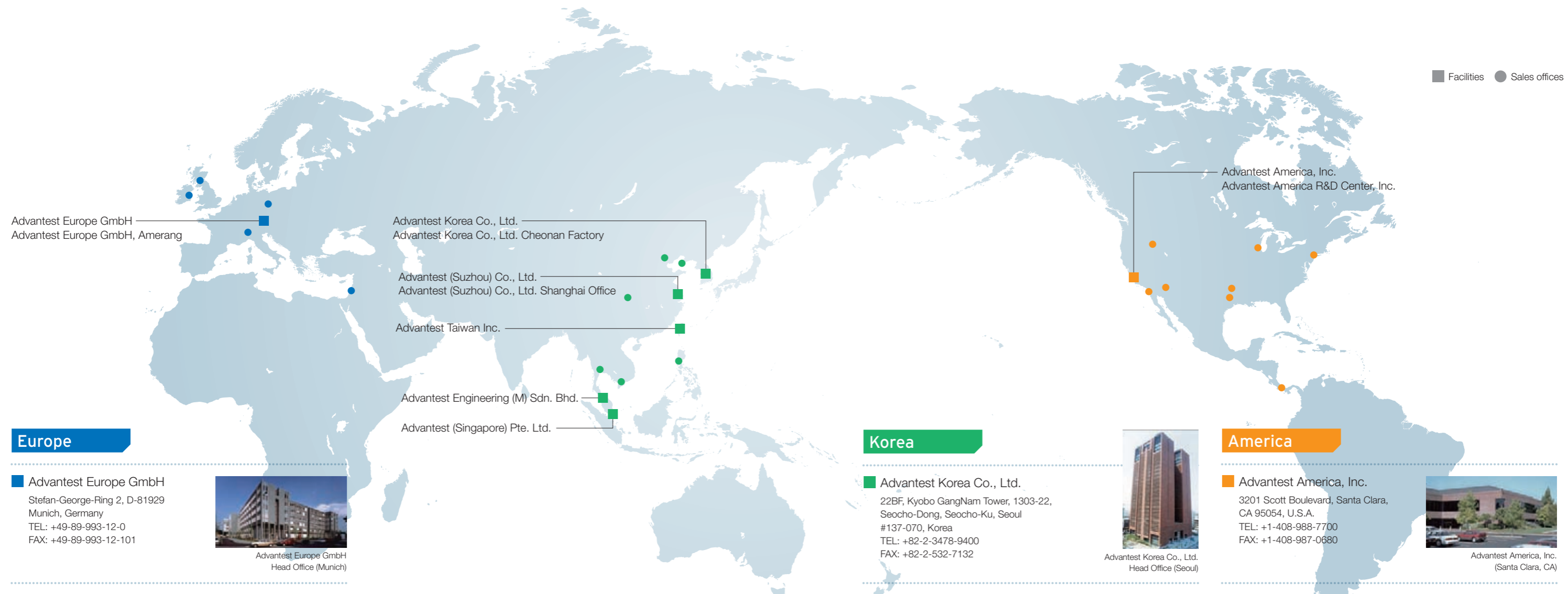
1954	Takeda Riken Industry Co., Ltd. founded in Itabashi, Tokyo. The company's first product, the Micro Micro Ammeter , is launched.	
1957	The TR-124B—the first electronic counter produced in Japan—is released, marking the beginning of Takeda Riken's reputation as a maker of digital counters.	
1958	The TR-81—the first vibrating capacitance ultra-low-current electrometer produced in Japan—is released.	Micro Micro Ammeter
1959	The head office and production facilities are relocated to a newly-built headquarters in Nerima, Tokyo.	
1962	The TR-3189 105MHz electronic counter—the world's highest performance product of its kind—is released.	
1963	The TR-6155/6255—the first digital multimeter produced in Japan—is released.	
1971	The TR-4100 tracking scope—the world's first frequency axis universal measuring instrument—is released.	
1972	The T-320/20—Japan's first and fastest LSI test system with a test speed of 10 MHz—and the T-320/30 memory test system are released.	
1976	The T-310/31 —Advantest's first production-use DRAM tester—becomes a best-selling product around the world.	T-310/31
1979	The T-3380—the world's first 100 MHz VLSI test system—and the T-3370 memory test system are developed under the technical guidance of the Musashino Electric Communication Research Lab at the Nippon Telegraph & Telephone Public Corporation (currently, NTT).	
1982	The T3340 LSI test system, developed as a strategic product for the global market, earns great acclaim and becomes a best-selling product.	T3340
1983	Advantest is listed on the Second Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange, and the head office is relocated to Shinjuku, Tokyo.	
1985	The company is listed on the First Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange, and its name is changed to Advantest Corporation.	
1990	The "Josephson effect-based voltage standard system" is developed together with Japan's National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (AIST). The system becomes an international standard.	
1995	The T5581 —a memory test system based on leading-edge CMOS technology that delivers high speed and high precision at a low price—becomes a worldwide best-seller and an international standard in synchronous DRAM testers.	T5581
2001	The company is listed on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE).	
2003	The T2000 —the world's first testing system based on an open architecture—is released.	T2000
2004	The Head Office is relocated to Marunouchi, Tokyo.	
2006	The outside director system is introduced.	
2008	Optical sampling technology with the world's highest bandwidth (820 GHz range) is developed for the measurement of next-generation optical devices. The T5503 —a memory test system for DDR3-SDRAM high-speed memory production test—is released, and certified as Advantest's first "green product."	T5503
2010	The TAS7000 3D Imaging Analysis System is released, marking the company's first step into a new market.	



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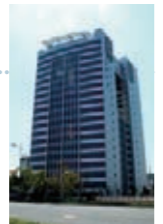


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