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FORM 6-K

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR
15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

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NTT DOCOMO, INC.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

NTT DOCOMO, INC.

Date: August 4, 2015

By: /s/ KATSUYUKI TAKAGI
Katsuyuki Takagi
Head of Investor Relations

Information furnished in this form:

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NTT DOCOMO, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (UNAUDITED)

MARCH 31, 2015 and JUNE 30, 2015

	Millions of yen	
	March 31, 2015	June 30, 2015
ASSETS		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	¥ 105,553	¥ 126,345
Short-term investments	243,757	243,756
Accounts receivable	264,591	181,632
Receivables held for sale	897,999	903,707
Credit card receivables	234,412	245,254
Other receivables	327,275	334,402
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(14,100)	(14,986)
Inventories	186,275	209,561
Deferred tax assets	61,512	60,361
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	108,102	121,628
Total current assets	2,415,376	2,411,660
Property, plant and equipment:		
Wireless telecommunications equipment	5,027,390	5,039,270
Buildings and structures	890,382	892,012
Tools, furniture and fixtures	508,810	506,607
Land	200,736	200,785
Construction in progress	193,497	178,914
Accumulated depreciation and amortization	(4,309,748)	(4,357,781)
Total property, plant and equipment, net	2,511,067	2,459,807
Non-current investments and other assets:		
Investments in affiliates	439,070	435,808
Marketable securities and other investments	195,047	198,099
Intangible assets, net	636,319	625,104
Goodwill	266,311	262,736
Other assets	445,723	444,981
Deferred tax assets	237,427	234,472
Total non-current investments and other assets	2,219,897	2,201,200
Total assets	¥ 7,146,340	¥ 7,072,667
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Current liabilities:		
Current portion of long-term debt	¥ 203	¥ 200
Short-term borrowings	2,048	95,522
Accounts payable, trade	811,799	617,808
Accrued payroll	54,955	42,025
Accrued income taxes	68,563	68,179

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Other current liabilities	176,734	199,133
Total current liabilities	1,114,302	1,022,867
Long-term liabilities:		
Long-term debt (exclusive of current portion)	220,400	220,370
Accrued liabilities for point programs	89,929	81,760
Liability for employees' retirement benefits	173,872	175,717
Other long-term liabilities	129,632	128,204
Total long-term liabilities	613,833	606,051
Total liabilities	1,728,135	1,628,918
Redeemable noncontrolling interests	15,589	15,751
Equity:		
NTT DOCOMO, INC. shareholders' equity		
Common stock	949,680	949,680
Additional paid-in capital	339,783	339,767
Retained earnings	4,397,228	4,430,160
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	52,599	47,533
Treasury stock	(359,218)	(359,218)
Total NTT DOCOMO, INC. shareholders' equity	5,380,072	5,407,922
Noncontrolling interests	22,544	20,076
Total equity	5,402,616	5,427,998
Commitments and contingencies		
Total liabilities and equity	¥ 7,146,340	¥ 7,072,667

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements (unaudited).

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME AND
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (UNAUDITED)
THREE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2014 and 2015

Consolidated Statements of Income

	Millions of yen	
	Three Months Ended June 30, 2014	Three Months Ended June 30, 2015
Operating revenues:		
Telecommunications services	¥ 703,467	¥ 675,255
Equipment sales	206,987	201,345
Other operating revenues	164,848	200,264
Total operating revenues	1,075,302	1,076,864
Operating expenses:		
Cost of services (exclusive of items shown separately below)	265,587	288,904
Cost of equipment sold (exclusive of items shown separately below)	177,255	175,531
Depreciation and amortization	167,183	145,572
Selling, general and administrative	255,637	231,462
Total operating expenses	865,662	841,469
Operating income	209,640	235,395
Other income (expense):		
Interest expense	(280)	(312)
Interest income	404	179
Other, net	2,710	5,349
Total other income (expense)	2,834	5,216
Income before income taxes and equity in net income (losses) of affiliates	212,474	240,611
Income taxes:		
Current	63,801	70,293
Deferred	9,722	2,328
Total income taxes	73,523	72,621
Income before equity in net income (losses) of affiliates	138,951	167,990
Equity in net income (losses) of affiliates (including impairment charges of investments in affiliates)	(3,557)	1,619
Net income	135,394	169,609

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Less: Net (income) loss attributable to noncontrolling interests 987 (825)

Net income attributable to NTT DOCOMO, INC. ¥ 136,381 ¥ **168,784**

Per Share Data

Weighted average common shares outstanding Basic and Diluted 4,146,760,100 3,881,483,829

Basic and Diluted earnings per share attributable to NTT DOCOMO, INC. ¥ 32.89 ¥ **43.48**

Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income

	Millions of yen	
	Three Months Ended June 30, 2014	Three Months Ended June 30, 2015
Net income	¥ 135,394	¥ 169,609
Other comprehensive income (loss):		
Unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities, net of applicable taxes	3,900	1,730
Unrealized gains (losses) on cash flow hedges, net of applicable taxes	27	(23)
Foreign currency translation adjustment, net of applicable taxes	(6,678)	(6,716)
Pension liability adjustment, net of applicable taxes	22	(26)
Total other comprehensive income (loss)	(2,729)	(5,035)
Comprehensive income	132,665	164,574
Less: Comprehensive (income) loss attributable to noncontrolling interests	1,049	(856)
Comprehensive income attributable to NTT DOCOMO, INC.	¥ 133,714	¥ 163,718

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements (unaudited).

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	Millions of yen	
	Three Months Ended June 30, 2014	Three Months Ended June 30, 2015
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net income	¥ 135,394	¥ 169,609
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities		
Depreciation and amortization	167,183	145,572
Deferred taxes	9,722	2,328
Loss on sale or disposal of property, plant and equipment	9,849	6,379
Equity in net (income) losses of affiliates (including impairment charges of investments in affiliates)	3,557	(1,619)
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
(Increase) / decrease in accounts receivable	80,189	81,894
(Increase) / decrease in receivables held for sale	(1,619)	(5,708)
(Increase) / decrease in credit card receivables	(1,392)	(6,224)
(Increase) / decrease in other receivables	(3,968)	(7,179)
Increase / (decrease) in allowance for doubtful accounts	(2,992)	893
(Increase) / decrease in inventories	(7,938)	(24,058)
(Increase) / decrease in prepaid expenses and other current assets	(12,087)	(16,365)
(Increase) / decrease in non-current receivables held for sale	(4,334)	3,278
Increase / (decrease) in accounts payable, trade	(67,295)	(85,782)
Increase / (decrease) in accrued income taxes	(113,900)	(307)
Increase / (decrease) in other current liabilities	15,533	26,887
Increase / (decrease) in accrued liabilities for point programs	(13,351)	(8,169)
Increase / (decrease) in liability for employees' retirement benefits	1,184	1,865
Increase / (decrease) in other long-term liabilities	10,156	679
Other, net	(7,426)	(10,175)
Net cash provided by operating activities	196,465	273,798
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	(150,785)	(130,531)
Purchases of intangible and other assets	(60,336)	(72,028)
Purchases of non-current investments	(491)	(1,359)
Proceeds from sale of non-current investments	340	1,054
Purchases of short-term investments	(26,982)	(1,684)
Redemption of short-term investments	11,699	1,621
Other, net	(9,264)	(5,518)
Net cash used in investing activities	(235,819)	(208,445)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from short-term borrowings	10,478	143,798
Repayment of short-term borrowings	(10,245)	(50,146)
Principal payments under capital lease obligations	(465)	(379)
Dividends paid	(122,434)	(134,332)
Other, net	(5,301)	(2,784)

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Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(127,967)	(43,843)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(937)	(718)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(168,258)	20,792
Cash and cash equivalents as of beginning of period	526,920	105,553
Cash and cash equivalents as of end of period	¥ 358,662	¥ 126,345
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:		
Cash received during the period for:		
Income tax refunds	¥ 4	¥ 653
Cash paid during the period for:		
Interest, net of amount capitalized	266	265
Income taxes	175,655	74,492

See accompanying notes to consolidated financial statements (unaudited).

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

1. Basis of presentation:

The accompanying quarterly consolidated financial statements of NTT DOCOMO, INC. and its subsidiaries (DOCOMO) were prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (U.S. GAAP). Certain disclosures required by U.S. GAAP have been omitted. Since DOCOMO 's American Depositary Shares were listed on the New York Stock Exchange in March 2002, DOCOMO has prepared its consolidated financial statements pursuant to the terminology, forms and preparation methods required in order to issue American Depositary Shares, which are registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission of the United States of America.

2. Summary of significant accounting and reporting policies:

(a) Reclassifications

Certain reclassifications have been made to the prior period 's consolidated financial statements to conform to the presentation used for the three months ended June 30, 2015.

(b) Recently issued accounting standards

Revenue from contracts with customers

On May 28, 2014, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) 2014-09 Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606) , which requires an entity to recognize the amount to which it expects to be entitled for the transfer of promised goods or services to customers. The ASU will replace most existing revenue recognition guidance in U.S. GAAP when it becomes effective.

On July 9, 2015, the FASB decided to delay the effective date of the ASU by one year. Consequently, the standard is expected to take effect for DOCOMO on April 1, 2018. Early adoption of the standard as of April 1, 2017 would also be permitted. DOCOMO has not yet selected a transition method and is currently evaluating the effect that the ASU will have on its consolidated financial statements and related disclosures.

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3. Equity:

(a) Dividends

The Companies Act of Japan (the Companies Act) provides that (i) dividends of earnings require approval at a general meeting of shareholders, (ii) interim cash dividends can be distributed upon the approval of the board of directors, if the articles of incorporation provide for such interim cash dividends and (iii) an amount equal to at least 10% of decrease in retained earnings by dividends payment be appropriated from retained earnings to a legal reserve up to 25% of capital stock. The legal reserve is available for distribution upon approval of the shareholders.

In the general meeting of shareholders held on June 18, 2015, the shareholders approved cash dividends of ¥135,852 million or ¥35 per share, payable to shareholders of record as of March 31, 2015, which were declared by the board of directors on April 28, 2015. The source of dividends was Retained earnings. NTT DOCOMO, INC. started paying the dividends on June 19, 2015.

(b) Issued shares and treasury stock

With regard to the acquisition of treasury stock, Companies Act provides that (i) it can be done according to the resolution of the general meeting of shareholders, and (ii) the acquisition of treasury stock through open market transactions can be done according to the resolution of the board of directors if the articles of incorporation contain such a provision. In accordance with the (ii) above, the provision that NTT DOCOMO, INC. may repurchase treasury stock through open market transactions by a resolution of the board of directors is stipulated in NTT DOCOMO, INC.'s articles of incorporation in order to improve capital efficiency and to implement flexible capital policies in accordance with the business environment.

On April 25, 2014, the board of directors resolved that NTT DOCOMO, INC. may repurchase up to 320 million outstanding shares of its common stock for an amount in total not exceeding ¥500,000 million during the period from April 26, 2014 through March 31, 2015. NTT DOCOMO, INC. also carries out compulsory acquisition of less-than-one-unit shares upon request.

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The changes in the number of issued shares and treasury stock were as follows. NTT DOCOMO, INC. has not issued shares other than shares of its common stock.

	Number of issued shares	Number of treasury stock
As of March 31, 2014	4,365,000,000	218,239,900
As of June 30, 2014	4,365,000,000	218,239,900
Acquisition of treasury stock based on the resolution of the board of directors		265,276,121
Acquisition of treasury stock through purchase of less-than-one-unit shares		124
Retirement of treasury stock	(279,228,000)	(279,228,000)
As of March 31, 2015	4,085,772,000	204,288,145
Acquisition of treasury stock through purchase of less-than-one-unit shares		43
As of June 30, 2015	4,085,772,000	204,288,188

On August 6, 2014, the board of directors resolved that NTT DOCOMO, INC. may repurchase up to 206,489,675 outstanding shares of its common stock for an amount in total not exceeding ¥350,000 million from during the period from August 7, 2014 through September 3, 2014. Based on this resolution, NTT DOCOMO, INC. repurchased 181,530,121 shares of its common stock for a total purchase price of ¥307,694 million between August 2014 and September 2014.

On October 31, 2014, the board of directors resolved that NTT DOCOMO, INC. may repurchase up to 138,469,879 outstanding shares of its common stock for an amount in total not exceeding ¥192,306 million from during the period from November 1, 2014 through March 31, 2015. Based on this resolution, NTT DOCOMO, INC. repurchased 83,746,000 shares of its common stock for a total purchase price of ¥165,342 million between November 2014 and March 2015.

The aggregate number and price of shares repurchased from NTT DOCOMO, INC. parent company, NIPPON TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE CORPORATION, were 176,991,100 shares and ¥300,000 million, respectively for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015.

On March 27, 2015, the board of directors resolved that NTT DOCOMO, INC. would retire 279,228,000 shares held as treasury stock on March 31, 2015 and the share retirement on March 31, 2015 resulted in decreases of Additional paid-in capital by ¥393,092 million and Retained earnings by ¥97,894 million.

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The aggregate number and price of shares repurchased for the three months ended June 30, 2014 and 2015 were as follows:

	Shares/Millions of yen	
	Three months ended June 30, 2014	Three months ended June 30, 2015
Aggregate number of shares repurchased		43
Aggregate price of shares repurchased	¥	¥ 0
(c) Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		

Changes in accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)

Changes in accumulated other comprehensive income (loss), net of applicable taxes, for the three months ended June 30, 2014 and 2015 were as follows:

	Millions of yen Three months ended June 30, 2014					
	Unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities	Unrealized gains (losses) on cash flow hedges	Foreign currency translation adjustment	Pension liability adjustment		Total
Balance as of March 31, 2014	¥ 45,038	¥ (97)	¥ (12,437)	¥ (22,914)	¥	9,590
Other comprehensive income (loss) before reclassifications	3,900	38	(6,678)	26		(2,714)
Amounts reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		(11)		(4)		(15)
Other comprehensive income (loss)	3,900	27	(6,678)	22		(2,729)
Less: other comprehensive (income) loss attributable to noncontrolling interests	(0)		62			62
Balance as of June 30, 2014	¥ 48,938	¥ (70)	¥ (19,053)	¥ (22,892)	¥	6,923

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	Millions of yen					
	Three months ended June 30, 2015					
	Unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities	Unrealized gains (losses) on cash flow hedges	Foreign currency translation adjustment	Pension liability adjustment	Total	
Balance as of March 31, 2015	¥ 67,620	¥ (101)	¥ 16,871	¥ (31,791)	¥	52,599
Other comprehensive income (loss) before reclassifications	2,038	(33)	(6,716)	(200)		(4,911)
Amounts reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(308)	10		174		(124)
Other comprehensive income (loss)	1,730	(23)	(6,716)	(26)		(5,035)
Less: other comprehensive (income) loss attributable to noncontrolling interests	(0)		(31)			(31)
Balance as of June 30, 2015	¥ 69,350	¥ (124)	¥ 10,124	¥ (31,817)	¥	47,533

Reclassifications out of accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) to net income

Amounts reclassified out of accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) to net income and affected line items in the consolidated statements of income for the three months ended June 30, 2014 and 2015 were as follows:

	Millions of yen		
	Amounts reclassified out of accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)(*1)		
	Three months ended June 30, 2014	Three months ended June 30, 2015	Affected line items in the consolidated statements of income
Unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities	¥	¥	Other, net of Other income (expense)
		219	Equity in net income (losses) of affiliates
		249	
		468	Pre-tax amount
		(160)	Tax benefit (expense)
		308	Net-of-tax amount
Unrealized gains (losses) on cash flow hedges		16	Equity in net income (losses) of affiliates
		(14)	
		16	Pre-tax amount
		(14)	

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	(5)	4	Tax benefit (expense)
	11	(10)	Net-of-tax amount
Pension liability adjustment	7	(259)	(*2)
	7	(259)	Pre-tax amount
	(3)	85	Tax benefit (expense)
	4	(174)	Net-of-tax amount
Total reclassified amounts	¥ 15	¥ 124	Net-of-tax amount

(*1) Amounts in parentheses indicate decreased effects on net income.

(*2) Amounts reclassified out of pension liability adjustment are included in the computation of net periodic pension cost.

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4. Segment information:

DOCOMO's chief operating decision maker (CODM) is its board of directors. The CODM evaluates the performance and makes resource allocations of its segments based on the information provided by DOCOMO's internal management reports.

DOCOMO realigned its three former operating segments, which had consisted of its mobile communications business, smart life business and other businesses, into three new operating segments, which consist of its telecommunications business, smart life business and other businesses from the fourth quarter of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, as a result of realignment of the way DOCOMO manages the telecommunications related services triggered by the launch of optical-fiber broadband services. Accordingly, telecommunications services which had been included in other businesses under DOCOMO's three former operating segments are reclassified to the telecommunications business.

The telecommunications business includes mobile phone services (LTE(Xi) services and FOMA services), optical-fiber broadband service, satellite mobile communications services, international services and the equipment sales related to these services. The smart life business includes video and music distribution, electronic books and other services offered through DOCOMO's dmarket portal, as well as finance/payment services, shopping services and various other services to support our customers' daily lives. The other businesses primarily includes Mobile Device Protection Service, as well as development, sales and maintenance of IT systems.

In connection with this realignment, segment information for the three months ended June 30, 2014 has been restated to conform to the presentation for the three months ended June 30, 2015.

Accounting policies used to determine segment operating revenues and operating income (loss) are consistent with those used to prepare the consolidated financial statements in accordance with U.S. GAAP.

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	Millions of yen	
	Three months ended June 30, 2014	Three months ended June 30, 2015
Telecommunications business-		
External customers	¥ 906,203	¥ 878,374
Intersegment	192	250
Subtotal	906,395	878,624
Smart life business-		
External customers	96,104	114,261
Intersegment	3,542	2,872
Subtotal	99,646	117,133
Other businesses-		
External customers	72,995	84,229
Intersegment	2,940	2,901
Subtotal	75,935	87,130
Segment total	1,081,976	1,082,887
Elimination	(6,674)	(6,023)
Consolidated	¥ 1,075,302	¥ 1,076,864

Segment operating income (loss):

	Millions of yen	
	Three months ended June 30, 2014	Three months ended June 30, 2015
Telecommunications business	¥ 203,203	¥ 212,420
Smart life business	6,588	16,440
Other businesses	(151)	6,535
Consolidated	¥ 209,640	¥ 235,395

Segment operating income (loss) is segment operating revenues less segment operating expenses.

DOCOMO does not disclose geographical information because the amounts of operating revenues generated outside Japan are immaterial.

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5. Contingencies:

(a) Litigation

DOCOMO is involved in litigation and claims arising in the ordinary course of business. DOCOMO believes that none of the litigation or claims outstanding, pending or threatened against DOCOMO would have a materially adverse effect on DOCOMO's results of operations, financial position or cash flows.

(b) Guarantees

DOCOMO enters into agreements in the normal course of business that provide guarantees for counterparties. These counterparties include subscribers, related parties, foreign wireless telecommunications service providers and other business partners.

DOCOMO provides subscribers with guarantees for product defects of cellular phone handsets sold by DOCOMO, but DOCOMO is provided with similar guarantees by the handset vendors and no liabilities were recognized for these guarantees.

Though the guarantees or indemnifications provided in transactions other than those with the subscribers are different in each contract, the likelihood of almost all of the performance of these guarantees or indemnifications are remote and amount of payments DOCOMO could be claimed for is not specified in almost all of the contracts. Historically, DOCOMO has not made any significant guarantee or indemnification payments under such agreements. DOCOMO estimates the fair value of the obligations related to these agreements is not significant. Accordingly, no liabilities were recognized for these obligations.

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Fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. U.S. GAAP establishes a three-tier fair value hierarchy, which prioritizes the inputs used in measuring fair value according to observability. The inputs are described as follows:

Level 1 quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities

Level 2 inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability

Level 3 unobservable inputs for the asset or liability

DOCOMO also distinguishes assets and liabilities measured at fair value every period on a recurring basis from those measured on a nonrecurring basis in certain circumstances.

(a) Assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis

DOCOMO's assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis include available-for-sale securities and derivatives.

DOCOMO's assets and liabilities that were measured at fair value on a recurring basis at March 31, 2015 and June 30, 2015 were as follows:

	Millions of yen March 31, 2015			
	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Assets:				
Available-for-sale securities				
Equity securities (domestic)	¥ 88,675	¥ 88,675		¥
Equity securities (foreign)	93,149	93,149		
Debt securities (foreign)	6	6		
Total available-for-sale securities	181,830	181,830		
Derivatives				
Foreign currency option contracts	¥ 474		¥ 474	¥
Total derivatives	474		474	
Total	¥ 182,304	¥ 181,830	¥ 474	¥
Liabilities:				
Derivatives				
Foreign currency option contracts	¥ 80		¥ 80	¥
Foreign exchange forward contracts	0		0	
Total derivatives	80		80	

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Total ¥ 80 ¥ ¥ 80 ¥

There were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2.

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	Millions of yen June 30, 2015			
	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Assets:				
Available-for-sale securities				
Equity securities (domestic)	¥ 91,769	¥ 91,769		¥
Equity securities (foreign)	92,844	92,844		
Debt securities (foreign)	6	6		
Total available-for-sale securities	184,619	184,619		
Derivatives				
Foreign currency option contracts	¥ 410		¥ 410	¥
Foreign exchange forward contracts	4		4	
Total derivatives	414		414	
Total	¥ 185,033	¥ 184,619	¥ 414	¥
Liabilities:				
Derivatives				
Foreign currency option contracts	¥ 210		¥ 210	¥
Foreign exchange forward contracts	2		2	
Total derivatives	212		212	
Total	¥ 212		¥ 212	¥

There were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2.

Available-for-sale securities

Available-for-sale securities include marketable equity securities and debt securities, which are valued using quoted prices in active markets for identical assets. Therefore, these securities are classified as Level 1.

Derivatives

Derivative instruments are foreign currency option contracts and foreign exchange forward contracts, which are valued based on observable market data. Therefore, these derivatives are classified as Level 2.

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(b) Assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis

Certain assets and liabilities are measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis in certain circumstances.

DOCOMO may be required to measure fair value of receivables held for sale, long-lived assets, equity securities whose fair values are not readily determinable, and other assets or liabilities on a nonrecurring basis.

DOCOMO's assets that were measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis for the three months ended June 30, 2014 and 2015 were as follows:

	Millions of yen Three months ended June 30, 2014				Gains (losses) (before taxes)
	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	
Assets:					
Receivables held for sale	¥ 439,469	¥	¥ 439,469	¥	¥ (5,889)

	Millions of yen Three months ended June 30, 2015				Gains (losses) (before taxes)
	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	
Assets:					
Receivables held for sale	¥ 465,521	¥	¥ 465,521	¥	¥ (6,093)

Receivables held for sale

Receivables held for sale are measured at the lower of cost or fair value.

Receivables held for sale are classified as Level 2. DOCOMO measures the fair value of the receivables held for sale by discounting, at LIBOR-based discount rates, estimated future cash flows while taking into account factors such as default probabilities and loss severity of similar trade receivables.

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As of June 30, 2015, derivative instruments held for foreign exchange risk management purpose are considered both as important to our operations and having changed significantly compared to the amounts held as of March 31, 2015. Derivative instruments which are designated as hedging instruments are excluded from the data for derivative instruments presented below.

(a) Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments

To hedge the risk of fluctuations in interest rates and foreign exchange rates, DOCOMO enters into interest rate swap agreements, foreign currency option contracts, non-deliverable forward contracts (NDF) and foreign exchange forward contracts. DOCOMO did not designate such derivative instruments as hedging instruments.

The contract amounts of derivative instruments not designated as hedging instruments as of March 31, 2015 and June 30, 2015 were as follows:

Instruments	Millions of yen	
	March 31, 2015	June 30, 2015
Foreign currency option contracts	¥ 48,740	¥ 75,825
Foreign exchange forward contracts	100	327
Total	¥ 48,840	¥ 76,152

(b) The effect on the consolidated balance sheets

The locations and fair values of derivative instruments not designated as hedging instruments as of March 31, 2015 and June 30, 2015 recorded in the consolidated balance sheets, were as follows:

Instruments	Locations	Millions of yen	
		March 31, 2015	June 30, 2015
Asset derivatives			
Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments			
Foreign currency option contracts	Other assets	¥ 474	¥ 378
Foreign exchange forward contract	Prepaid expenses and other current assets		4
Total		¥ 474	¥ 382

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Instruments	Locations	Millions of yen	
		March 31, 2015	June 30, 2015
Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments			
Foreign currency option contracts	Other long-term liabilities	¥ 80	¥ 210
Foreign exchange forward contracts	Other current liabilities	0	2
Total		¥ 80	¥ 212

The fair values of derivative instruments not designated as hedging instruments were valued and validated periodically based on observable market data and represent the amount that DOCOMO could have settled with the counterparties to terminate the contracts outstanding as of March 31, 2015 and June 30, 2015.

(c) The effect on the consolidated statements of income

The locations and gain (loss) amounts of derivative instruments not designated as hedging instruments for the three months ended June 30, 2014 and June 30, 2015 recognized in the consolidated statements of income, were as follows:

Amount of gain (loss) recognized in income on derivative

Instruments	Locations	Millions of yen	
		Three months ended June 30, 2014	Three months ended June 30, 2015
Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments			
Foreign currency option contracts	Other, net*	¥ 108	¥ 27
Foreign exchange forward contracts	Other, net*	(32)	(22)
Total		¥ 76	¥ 5

* Other, net was included in Other income (expense).

8. Subsequent event:

There were no significant subsequent events to be disclosed.