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Consolidated Financial Results for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2025 [Japanese GAAP]



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Availability of supplementary explanatory materials on financial results: Available

Schedule of financial results briefing session: Scheduled (for institutional investors and analysts)

(Amounts of less than one million yen are rounded down.)

1. Consolidated Financial Results for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2025 (April 1, 2025 – September 30, 2025)

(1) Consolidated Operating Results (% indicates changes from the previous corresponding period.)

	Net sales	S	Operating p	Operating profit Ordinary profit		Profit attributable to owners of parent		
Six months ended	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%
September 30, 2025	79,305	14.5	5,505	2.8	6,129	3.5	4,320	8.8
September 30, 2024	69,291	3.5	5,353	2.3	5,920	(1.5)	3,969	(2.4)

(Note) Comprehensive income: Six months ended September 30, 2025: \(\frac{3}{4}\)6,130 million [72.0%] Six months ended September 30, 2024: \(\frac{3}{4}\)3,564 million [(33.8)%]

	Basic earnings	Diluted earnings	
	per share	per share	
Six months ended	Yen	Yen	
September 30, 2025	49.23	49.06	
September 30, 2024	42.93	42.78	

(Note) The Company conducted a two-for-one split of its common shares, effective April 1, 2025. The basic earnings per share and the diluted earnings per share have been calculated on the assumption that the stock split was conducted at the beginning of the previous fiscal year.

(2) Consolidated Financial Position

	Total assets	Net assets	Equity ratio	Net assets per share
	Million yen	Million yen	%	Yen
As of September 30, 2025	194,626	121,094	62.1	1,391.59
As of March 31, 2025	185,535	120,594	64.9	1,358.58

(Reference) Equity: As of September 30, 2025: ¥120,946 million

As of March 31, 2025: ¥120,446 million

(Note) The Company conducted a two-for-one split of its common shares, effective April 1, 2025. The net assets per share have been calculated on the assumption that the stock split was conducted at the beginning of the previous fiscal year.

2. Dividends

		Annual dividends					
	1st quarter- end	2nd quarter- end	3rd quarter- end	Year-end	Total		
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen		
Fiscal year ended March 31, 2025	_	35.00	_	65.00	100.00		
Fiscal year ending March 31, 2026	_	29.00					
Fiscal year ending March 31, 2026 (Forecast)			_	29.00	58.00		

(Note) Revision to the forecast for dividends announced most recently: No

(Note) The Company conducted a two-for-one split of its common shares, effective April 1, 2025. The actual dividend amounts for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2025 are presented based on pre-stock split figures. The dividend amounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2026 and the forecast for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2026 present post-stock split figures.

3. Consolidated Financial Results Forecast for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2026 (April 1, 2025 - March 31, 2026)

(% indicates changes from the previous corresponding period.)

	Net sales		Operating p	orofit	Ordinary p	rofit	Profit attribute to owners parent	-	Basic earnings per share
	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Yen
Full year	170,000	10.3	15,900	2.9	17,200	2.1	11,400	1.2	128.59

(Note) Revision to the performance forecast announced most recently: No

(Note) While the Company resolved to acquire treasury shares at the Board of Directors meeting held on May 9, 2025, this impact has not been factored into the basic earnings per share in the consolidated financial results forecast.

* Notes:

- (1) Significant changes in the scope of consolidation during the period under review: None
- (2) Application of special accounting methods for the preparation of semi-annual consolidated financial statements: None
- (3) Changes in accounting policies, changes in accounting estimates and retrospective restatement
 - 1) Changes in accounting policies due to the revision of accounting standards: None
 - 2) Changes in accounting policies other than 1) above: None
 - 3) Changes in accounting estimates: None
 - 4) Retrospective restatement: None
- (4) Total number of issued shares (common shares)
 - 1) Total number of issued shares at the end of the period (including treasury shares):

September 30, 2025: 89,157,092 shares March 31, 2025: 95,987,092 shares

2) Total number of treasury shares at the end of the period:

September 30, 2025: 2,244,712 shares March 31, 2025: 7,331,082 shares

3) Average number of shares outstanding during the period:

Six months ended September 30, 2025: 87,744,980 shares Six months ended September 30, 2024: 92,474,095 shares

- (Note) The Company conducted a two-for-one split of its common shares, effective April 1, 2025. The total number of issued shares at the end of the year, the total number of treasury shares at the end of the year, and the average number of shares outstanding during the year have been calculated on the assumption that the stock split was conducted at the beginning of the previous fiscal year.
- * These semi-annual consolidated financial results are outside the scope of review by certified public accountants or an audit firm.

* Explanation of the proper use of financial results forecast and other notes

(Cautionary note on forward-looking statements, etc.)

Financial results forecast and other forward-looking statements included in this material are based on the information currently available to the Company and certain assumptions deemed reasonable, and the Company does not in any way guarantee the achievement of the projections. Actual results may differ significantly due to various factors. For the assumptions for financial results forecast and precautions for using financial results forecasts, please refer to "1. Overview of Operating Results, etc. (3) Explanation of Consolidated Financial Results Forecast and Other Forward-looking Information" on page 3 of the attachments.

(How to obtain supplementary explanatory materials on consolidated financial results and details of financial results briefing session)

The Company plans to hold a financial results briefing session for institutional investors and analysts on November 10, 2025. Materials handed out at this session will be posted on the Company's website promptly after the session.

2. Semi-annual Consolidated Financial Statements and Principal Notes(1) Semi-annual Consolidated Balance Sheets

	As of March 31, 2025	As of September 30, 2025
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and deposits	31,251	27,334
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	9,079	8,447
Inventories	29,303	35,286
Other	7,162	8,297
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(8)	(3)
Total current assets	76,789	79,362
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment		
Buildings and structures	59,022	64,662
Accumulated depreciation	(29,046)	(29,723)
Buildings and structures, net	29,975	34,939
Land	43,490	43,684
Other	16,206	14,854
Accumulated depreciation	(8,127)	(8,511)
Other, net	8,078	6,343
Total property, plant and equipment	81,545	84,966
Intangible assets		
Goodwill	2,426	2,349
Software	1,074	1,129
Other	462	466
Total intangible assets	3,963	3,945
Investments and other assets		
Investment securities	11,341	14,536
Leasehold deposits	7,473	7,369
Other	4,695	4,716
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(272)	(271)
Total investments and other assets	23,237	26,351
Total non-current assets	108,746	115,263
Total assets	185,535	194,626

	As of March 31, 2025	As of September 30, 2025
Liabilities		
Current liabilities		
Notes and accounts payable - trade	9,199	10,811
Short-term borrowings	35,000	25,000
Income taxes payable	2,996	2,331
Contract liabilities	1,673	1,597
Provision for bonuses	1,484	1,551
Other	8,475	7,473
Total current liabilities	58,827	48,766
Non-current liabilities		
Long-term borrowings	-	18,000
Retirement benefit liability	115	121
Lease liabilities	44	33
Asset retirement obligations	3,572	3,628
Other	2,380	2,981
Total non-current liabilities	6,112	24,765
Total liabilities	64,940	73,531
Net assets		
Shareholders' equity		
Share capital	15,072	15,072
Capital surplus	9,085	9,099
Retained earnings	97,870	94,627
Treasury shares	(4,697)	(2,779)
Total shareholders' equity	117,330	116,020
Accumulated other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	4,893	6,698
Revaluation reserve for land	(1,907)	(1,907)
Foreign currency translation adjustment	121	100
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	7	33
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	3,115	4,925
Share acquisition rights	147	147
Non-controlling interests	1	1
Total net assets	120,594	121,094
Total liabilities and net assets	185,535	194,626

(2) Semi-annual Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income Semi-annual Consolidated Statements of Income

Six Months Ended September 30

	For the six months ended September 30, 2024	For the six months ended September 30, 2025
Net sales	69,291	79,305
Cost of sales	38,841	44,296
Gross profit	30,450	35,009
Selling, general and administrative expenses	25,096	29,504
Operating profit	5,353	5,505
Non-operating income		,
Interest income	16	15
Dividend income	135	190
Commission income	182	211
Reversal of allowance for doubtful accounts	-	6
Other	282	357
Total non-operating income	617	780
Non-operating expenses		
Interest expenses	2	58
Share of loss of entities accounted for using equity method	22	33
Other	25	65
Total non-operating expenses	51	156
Ordinary profit	5,920	6,129
Extraordinary income		
Gain on sale of non-current assets	6	55
Gain on sale of investment securities	-	1
Gain on bargain purchase		27
Total extraordinary income	6	84
Extraordinary losses		
Loss on sale of non-current assets	0	6
Loss on retirement of non-current assets	1	9
Total extraordinary losses	2	16
Profit before income taxes	5,924	6,196
Income taxes - current	2,026	2,094
Income taxes - deferred	(71)	(217)
Total income taxes	1,955	1,877
Profit	3,969	4,319
Loss attributable to non-controlling interests	(0)	(0)
Profit attributable to owners of parent	3,969	4,320

Semi-annual Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income

Six Months Ended September 30

	For the six months ended September 30, 2024	For the six months ended September 30, 2025
Profit	3,969	4,319
Other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	(434)	1,792
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans, net of tax	(1)	(0)
Share of other comprehensive income of entities accounted for using equity method	30	18
Total other comprehensive income	(404)	1,810
Comprehensive income	3,564	6,130
Comprehensive income attributable to		
Comprehensive income attributable to owners of parent	3,564	6,130
Comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling interests	(0)	(0)

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	For the six months ended September 30, 2024	For the six months ended September 30, 2025			
Cash flows from operating activities					
Profit before income taxes	5,924	6,196			
Depreciation	1,493	1,708			
Gain on bargain purchase	-	(27)			
Amortization of goodwill	8	77			
Increase (decrease) in allowance for doubtful accounts	21	(6)			
Increase (decrease) in provision for bonuses	47	101			
Increase (decrease) in retirement benefit liability	(2)	21			
Interest and dividend income	(151)	(205)			
Interest expenses	2	58			
Foreign exchange losses (gains)	0	0			
Share of loss (profit) of entities accounted for using equity method	22	33			
Loss (gain) on sale of non-current assets	(6)	(48)			
Loss (gain) on sale of investment securities	-	(1)			
Loss on retirement of non-current assets	1	9			
Decrease (increase) in trade receivables	523	776			
Increase (decrease) in trade payables	2,699	2,104			
Decrease (increase) in inventories	(2,999)	(6,571)			
Increase (decrease) in contract liabilities	184	(90)			
Increase (decrease) in accrued consumption taxes	(88)	(855)			
Other, net	(31)	149			
Subtotal	7,651	3,431			
Interest and dividends received	143	198			
Interest paid	(2)	(57)			
Income taxes paid	(2,589)	(2,727)			
Income taxes refund	26	19			
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	5,228	862			
Cash flows from investing activities	3,220	002			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(5,491)	(6,203)			
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	64	515			
Purchase of intangible assets	(107)	(240)			
Purchase of investment securities	(206)	(580)			
Proceeds from sale of investment securities	(200)	5			
Loan advances	(0)	(0)			
Proceeds from collection of loans receivable	1	1			
Payments of leasehold and guarantee deposits	(178)	(269)			
Proceeds from refund of leasehold and guarantee deposits	38	70			
Decrease (increase) in investments and other assets	14	191			
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	(5,864)	(6,511)			
Cash flows from financing activities	(5,004)	(0,311)			
Net increase (decrease) in short-term borrowings	15,000	(10,020)			
Repayments of long-term borrowings	15,000	(572)			
Proceeds from long-term borrowings		18,000			
Purchase of treasury shares	(0)	(2,796)			
Dividends paid	(1,525)	(2,878)			
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	13,474	1,732			
Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash equivalents	(0)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	12,838	(0) (3,916)			
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	4,838	31,235			
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	17,676	27,319			