

Results for Fiscal Year 2022 (Ended December 31, 2022)

February 9, 2023 SUMCO Corporation (Code: 3436)

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Summary and Market Environment

Mayuki Hashimoto

Representative Director, CEO & Chairman of the Board



■ 4Q-2022 Consolidated Business Result

(Billions of Yen)

	4Q-2022 Forecast	4Q-2022 Actual	Change
Net Sales	115.5	117.4	+1.9
Operating Income	28.5	29.7	+1.2
Ordinary Income	27.0	27.9	+0.9
Net Income (Note)	16.0	18.5	+2.5
Exchange Rate (Yen/US\$)	145.0	143.8	(1.2)

1Q-2023 Consolidated Business Forecast

(Billions of Yen)

	4Q-2022 Actual	1Q-2023 Forecast	Change
Net Sales	117.4	105.0	(12.4)
Operating Income	29.7	23.0	(6.7)
Ordinary Income	27.9	25.0	(2.9)
Net Income (Note)	18.5	45.0	+26.5
Exchange Rate (Yen/US\$)	143.8	131.0	(12.8)

(Note) Net income attributable to owners of the parent

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1-2. Shareholder Return



		FY2017 (Dec-2017)	FY2018 (Dec-2018)	FY2019 (Dec-2019)	FY2020 (Dec-2020)	FY2021 (Dec-2021)	FY2022 (Dec-2022)
Disidende neede eer fee	Interim	10	30	25	18	17	36
Dividends per share for common stocks (Yen)	Year-end	18	32	10	9	24	45
	Total	28	62	35	27	41	81
District and account	Interim	2.9	8.7	7.3	5.2	4.9	12.6
Dividends payment (Billions of Yen)	Year-end	5.2	9.3	2.9	2.6	8.4	15.7
(Silliono of Ton)	Total	8.2	18.1	10.2	7.8	13.3	28.3
Dividend ratio (%)	Total	30.4%	31.0%	31.0%	30.9%	30.2%	(*1) 40.4%
Share Buyback							
Amount (Billions of Yen)	Total	-	-	3.3	2.5	-	-
Ratio (%)	Total	-	-	10.0%	9.8%	-	-
Total Return Ratio (%)	Total	30.4%	31.0%	41.0%	40.7%	30.2%	40.4%

^{*1} In place of share buyback, the dividend payout ratio will be raised by 10% to 40%.

2-1. Market Environment



4Q-2022

- ✓ Volume
- Varying demand for 300 mm wafers depending on the customer, but demand and supply in overall balance
- For 200 mm wafers, strong demand for automotive use, but some industries in correction phase, with demand and supply in overall balance
- 150 mm wafers in correction phase, mainly for consumer needs
- ✓ Pricing For both 300 mm and 200 mm wafers, in line with contract prices, while unchanged on the spot market

1Q-2023 Forecast

- ✓ Volume
- 300 mm wafers for memory use entering strong correction phase; varying demand seen for logic applications depending on the customer, but should end with slight overall correction; strong demand seen continuing for automotive use
- 200 mm wafers will see weak demand for smartphone use, etc. but strong automotive and industrial use demand
- Correction phase to continue for 150 mm and smaller wafers, mainly for consumer needs
- Pricing For both 300 mm and 200 mm wafers, should improve in line with contract prices, while varying on the spot market depending on the industry

Outlook

- For 300 mm wafers for memory applications, the correction phase is expected to continue for some time. Varying demand is expected for logic applications depending on the customer, but the correction phase should be relatively short. Meanwhile, strong demand is forecast to continue for automotive and industrial uses. While SUMCO is seeing varying demand among customers, demand is expected to remain solid overall.
- Strong demand is forecast to continue for 200 mm wafers for automotive and industrial uses.
- The correction phase for 150 mm and smaller wafers is likely to continue.

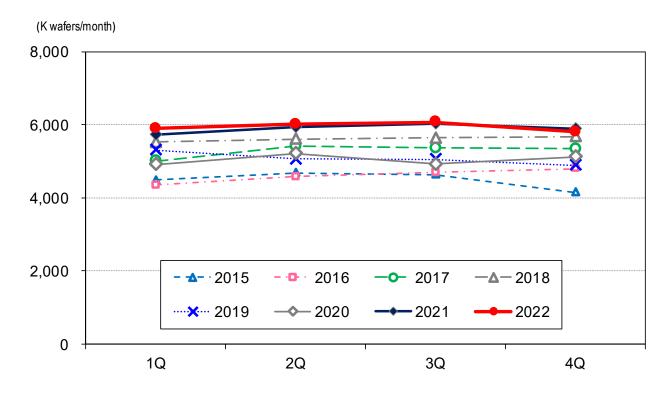
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2-2. 200mm Wafer Trend

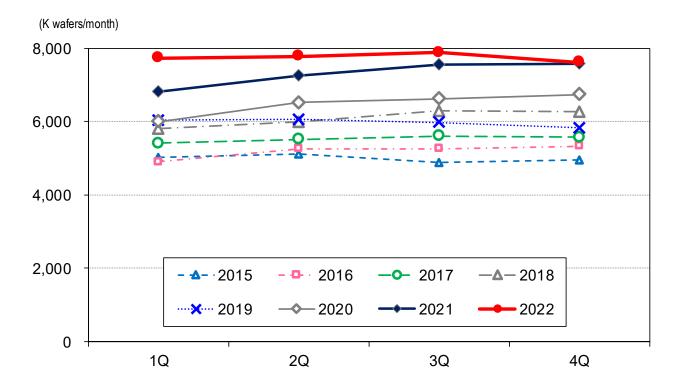




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2-3. 300mm Wafer Trend





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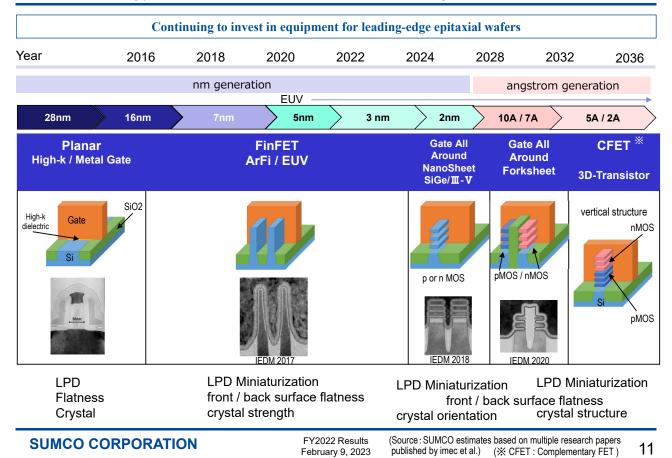
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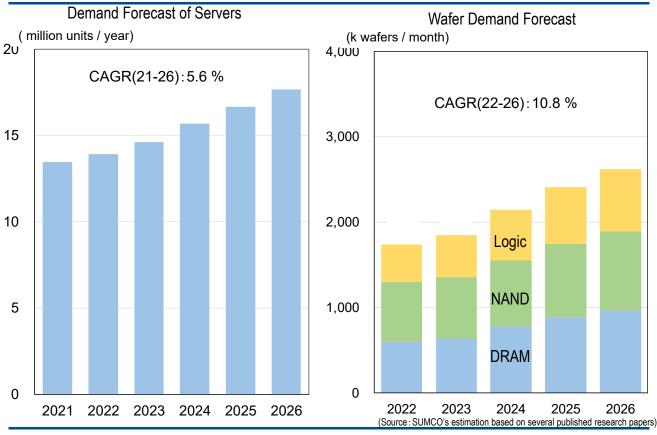
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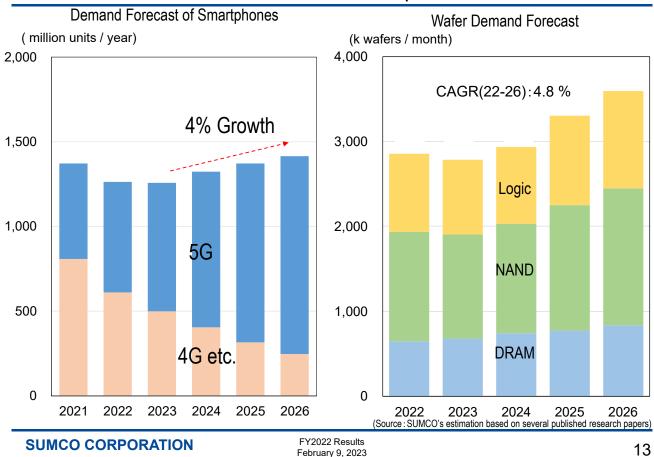
3-2. 300 mm Demand Forecast for Servers





3-3. 300 mm Demand Forecast for Smartphones





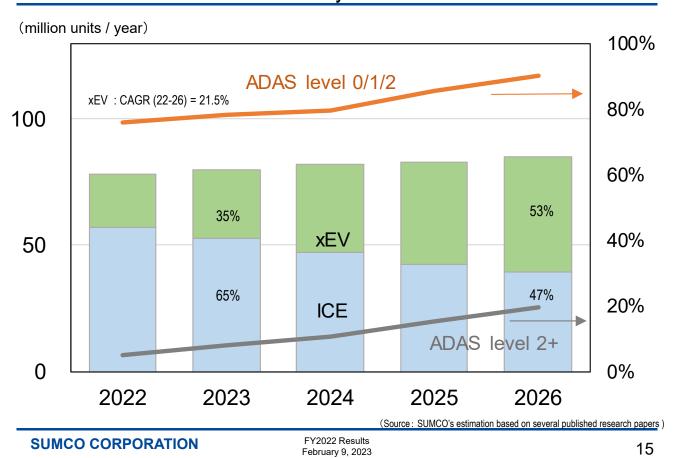
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Wafer Demand Forecast for Automotive Electronics

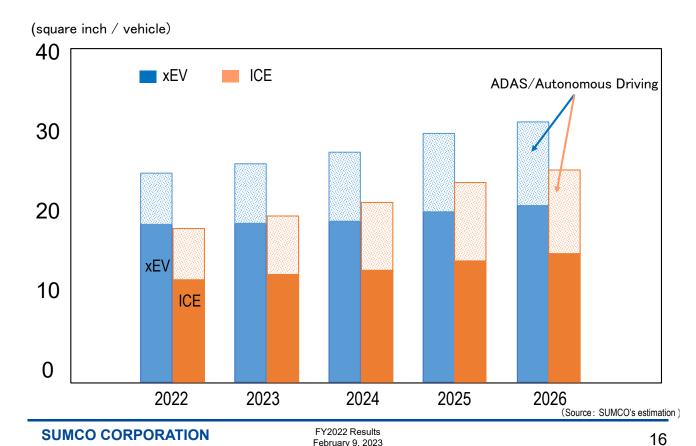
3-4. Automotive Sales Forecast by Vehicle Classification





3-5. Silicon Area per Vehicle

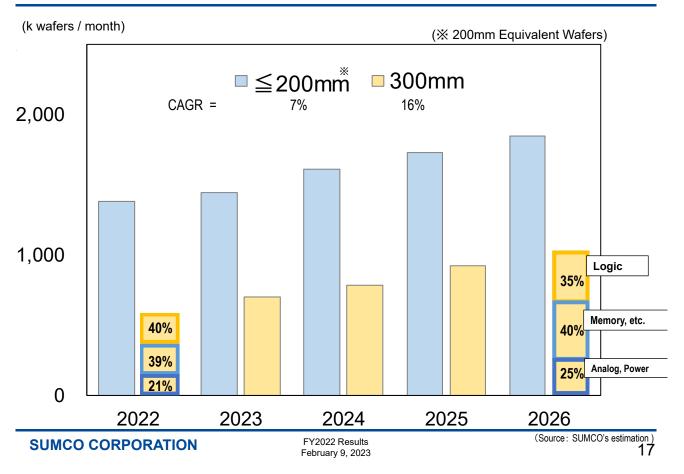




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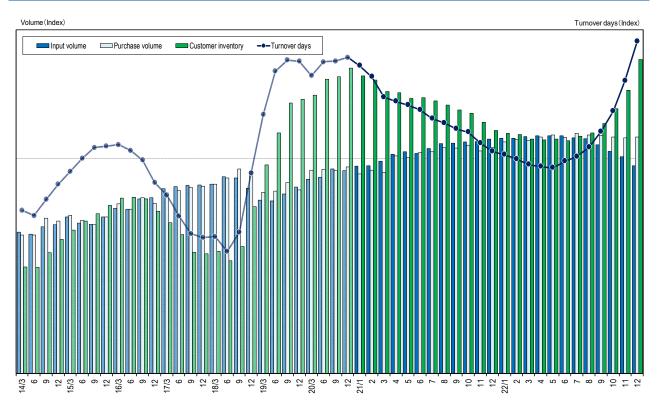
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4-1. Customer 300mm Wafer Inventory Trend

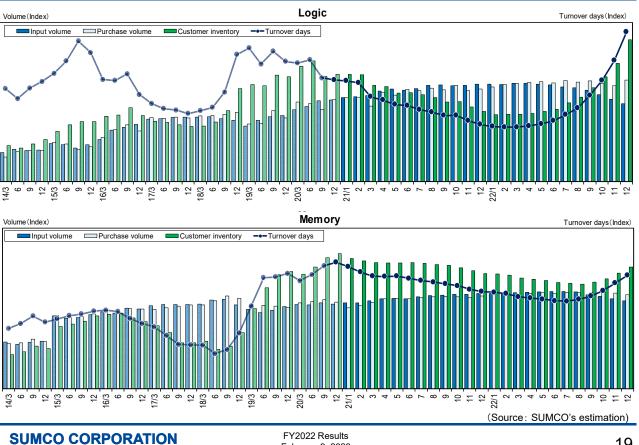




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4-2. Customer 300mm Wafer Inventory (Logic/Memory)





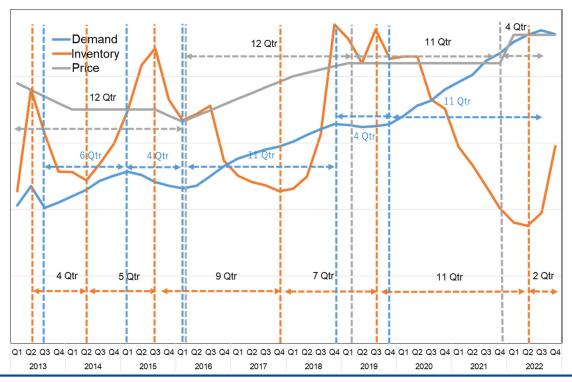
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5-1. 300mm Epi Wafer Demand, Inventory and Price Trend SMCO



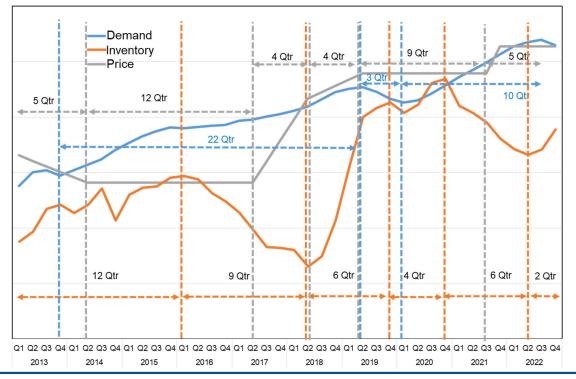
- Demand: Adjusted in '15, increased from '16 to 11Qtr, flat from '18Q4, increased from '20Q1
 Inventory change cycle: decrease 9~11Qtr, increase 5~7Qtr
- Demand increases even as inventories increase



5-2. 300mm Polished Wafer Demand, Inventory and Price Trend SMCO



- Demand: Increased 22Qtr from '13Q4 to '19Q2, decreased from '19Q2 to '20Q1, and increased thereafter
 Inventories: Increased 12 Qtr from '13 to '16Q1, decreased 9 Qtr from '1Q 16 to '18Q2, increased 10 Qtr by '20Q4, decreased thereafter. Inventory change cycle is longer than Epi Wafer.



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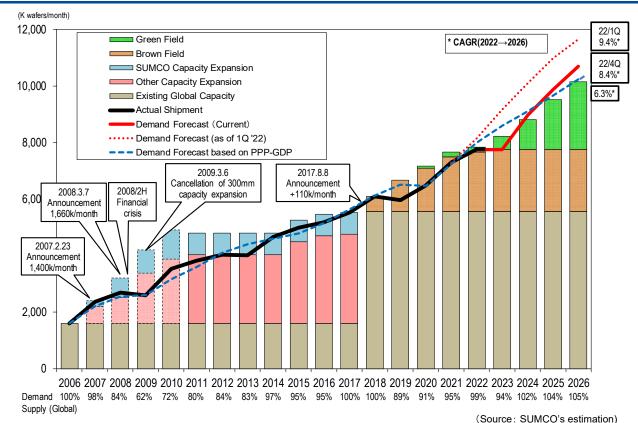
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6. 300 mm Wafer Global Capacity and Demand FCST







FY2022 Consolidated Business Result

Michiharu Takii

Representative Director, Vice Chairman, Chief Financial Officer

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7-1. Summary of Consolidated Business Result



(Billions of Yen)

	FY2021	FY2022 Actual			Change		
	Actual	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	Total	Change
Net sales	335.6	100.4	107.0	116.2	117.4	441.0	+105.4
Operating income	51.5	23.4	26.3	30.2	29.7	109.6	+58.1
Non-operating income and expenses	(0.4)	0.3	0.9	2.3	(1.8)	1.7	+2.1
Ordinary income	51.1	23.7	27.2	32.5	27.9	111.3	+60.2
Income taxes	(6.7)	(6.2)	(0.8)	(8.2)	(7.1)	(29.5)	(22.8)
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests	(3.3)	(2.3)	(3.1)	(3.9)	(2.3)	(11.6)	(8.3)
Net income attributable to owners of the parent	41.1	15.2	16.1	20.4	18.5	70.2	+29.1
Capital expenditure (Acceptance basis)	69.5	16.5	28.5	34.2	51.6	130.8	+61.3
Depreciation	51.3	13.3	14.2	15.5	16.5	59.5	+8.2
EBITDA (*1)	104.3	36.8	40.6	45.7	46.4	169.5	+65.2
Exchange rate (Yen/US\$) (*2)	109.6	115.3	126.6	136.6	143.8	131.0	+21.4
Operating margin (%)	15.4%	23.3%	24.6%	26.0%	25.3%	24.9%	+9.5%
EBITDA margin (%)	31.1%	36.7%	37.9%	39.4%	39.5%	38.4%	+7.3%
ROE (%)	10.4%	12.6%	12.9%	15.9%	14.0%	13.9%	+3.5%
Net income per share (Yen)	135.86	43.42	46.04	58.46	52.58	200.49	+64.63

^{*1.} EBITDA = Operating Income + Depreciation + Amortization of Goodwill

^{*2.} If the yen appreciate by 1 yen against the US dollar, operating income of SUMCO will decrease by 1.4 billion yen per year.

7-2. Analysis of Changes in Operating Income

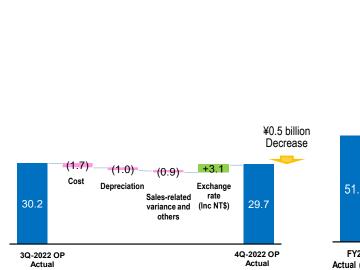


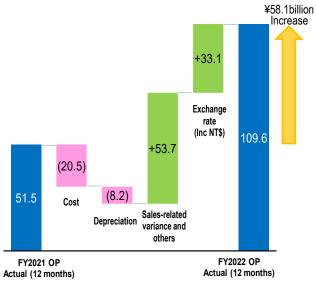
1. 3Q-2022 Actual → 4Q-2022 Actual

			(Billions of Yen)
	3Q-2022 Actual	4Q-2022 Actual	Change
Net Sales	116.2	117.4	+1.2
Operating Income	30.2	29.7	(0.5)
Exchange Rate (Yen/US\$)	136.6	143.8	+7.2

2. FY2021Actual → FY2022 Actual

			(Billions of Yen)
	FY2021 Actual	FY2022 Actual	Change
Net Sales	335.6	441.0	+105.4
Operating Income	51.5	109.6	+58.1
Exchange Rate (Yen/US\$)	109.6	131.0	+21.4





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7-3. Balance Sheet and Cash-Flow (Consolidated)



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1. Consolidated Balance Sheet

1. Consolidated Balance Sneet (Billions of				
		End of Dec-2021	End of Dec-2022	Change
	Cash and time deposits	224.6	259.3	+34.7
	Notes and accounts receivabl	75.8	89.9	+14.1
	Finished products and WIP	39.8	46.9	+7.1
	Raw materials and supplies	134.9	135.4	+0.5
	Inventories	174.7	182.3	+7.6
	Tangible and intangible asset	235.1	308.6	+73.5
	Deferred income tax assets	12.5	8.3	(4.2)
	Other assets	42.1	44.1	+2.0
Total Asse	ets	764.8	892.5	+127.7
	Debt and borrowings	141.0	141.3	+0.3
	Other liabilities	101.0	159.8	+58.8
Liabilities		242.0	301.1	+59.1
	Capital stock	199.0	199.0	-
	Capital surplus	85.2	85.2	-
	Retained earnings	185.0	234.3	+49.3
	Non-controlling interests etc.	53.6	72.9	+19.3
Equity		522.8	591.4	+68.6
Shareholde	ers' equity ratio	62.3%	59.8%	(2.5%)
Equity per	share (Yen)	1,359.8	1,523.7	+163.9
D/E ratio (gross)	0.30x	0.26x	(0.04)x
D/E ratio (r	net)	(0.18)x	(0.22)x	(0.04)x

2. Consolidated Cash-Flow

		(Billions of Yen)
		FY2022
		(12 months)
	Income before income taxes	111.3
	Depreciation	59.5
	Subtotal	170.8
	Increase in inventories	(3.5)
	Changes in working capital, etc.	12.1
Net ca	sh provided by operating activities	179.4
	Capital expenditure (Acceptance basis)	(130.8)
	Others, net	4.5
Net ca	sh used in investing activities	(126.3)
Free c	ash-flow	53.1
from ng etc.	Dividends paid	(23.1)
Cash flow from financing activities, etc.	Repayments of debt	0.0
Cash fin activ	Foreign currency translation adjustments and othe	rs 4.7
Net ind	crease in cash and time deposits	34.7



1Q-2023 Consolidated Business Forecast

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8-1. 1Q-2023 Consolidated Business Forecast



					(Billions of Yen)
	1Q-2022	4Q-2022	1Q-2023	Change	Change
	Actual	Actual	Forecast	YoY	QoQ
Net sales	100.4	117.4	105.0	4.6	(12.4)
Operating income	23.4	29.7	23.0	(0.4)	(6.7)
Non-operating income and expenses	0.3	(1.8)	2.0	1.7	3.8
Ordinary income	23.7	27.9	25.0	1.3	(2.9)
Extraordinary income	-	-	30.0	30.0	30.0
Income taxes	(6.2)	(7.1)	(8.0)	(1.8)	(0.9)
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests	(2.3)	(2.3)	(2.0)	0.3	0.3
Net income attributable to owners of the parent	15.2	18.5	45.0	29.8	26.5
Depreciation	13.3	16.5	14.5	1.2	(2.0)
EBITDA	36.8	46.4	37.5	0.7	(8.9)
Exchange rate (Yen/US\$) (*1)	115.3	143.8	131.0	15.7	(12.8)
Operating margin (%)	23.3%	25.3%	21.9%	(1.4%)	(3.4%)
EBITDA margin (%)	36.7%	39.5%	35.7%	(1.0%)	(3.8%)
ROE (%)	12.6%	14.0%	16.4%	+3.8%	+2.4%
Net income per share (Yen)	43.42	52.58	128.51	+85.09	+75.93

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8-2. Analysis of Changes in Operating Income

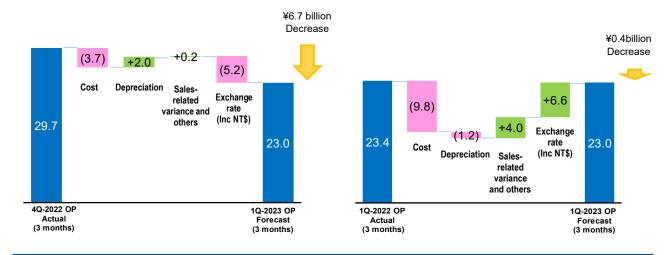


1. 4Q-2022 Actual → 1Q-2023 Forecast

			(Billions of Yen)
	4Q-2022 Actual	1Q-2023 Forecast	Change
Net Sales	117.4	105.0	(12.4)
Operating Income	29.7	23.0	(6.7)
Exchange Rate (Yen/US\$)	143.8	131.0	(12.8)

2. 1Q 2022 Actual \rightarrow 1Q 2023 Forecast

			(Billions of Yen)
	1Q-2022 Actual	1Q-2023 Forecast	Change
Net Sales	100.4	105.0	+4.6
Operating Income	23.4	23.0	(0.4)
Exchange Rate (Yen/US\$)	115.3	131.0	+15.7



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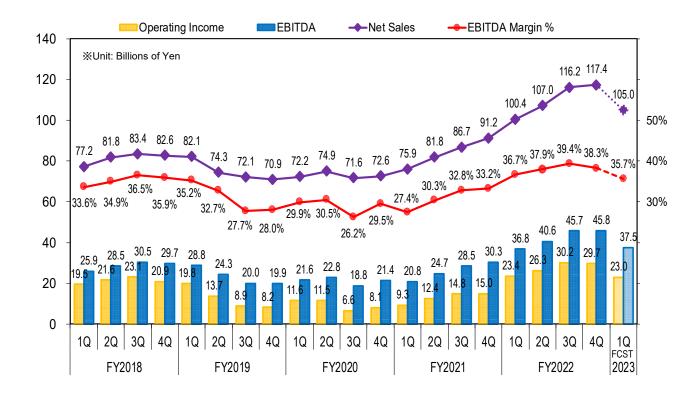
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Quarterly Trend





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